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JUNIOR NEWS

VON HINDENBURG IS ELECTED IN SOCIAL SCIENCE CLASSES

Eighth Grade Pupils Represent German Candidates

The eighth grade social science classes held an election last Friday. The eight o'clock class chose people from their class to represent the different candidates. Von Hindenburg won the election by a large majority. The candidates were as follows: James Nesbitt was Von Hindenburg, and Leo Minkin and Billy Ford were his managers. John Graham was Hitler, and his manager was Barbara Birchough. Duesterberg was Doris Shultes, and her managers were Della Call and Ruth Mann. John Winne was Wels and his manager was Gordon Wendell. Friday morning in their social science class they gave speeches presenting the candidates' platforms and plans. It was very successful, and they hope to have more interesting projects like the German election.

NINTH GRADE HOMEROOMS COMPARE THEIR CITIZENSHIP RECORDS

In Homeroom 224 the positions held by the members are the president of the Student Council, the assistant editor and circulation manager of the Crimson and White, a member of the orchestra, two members of Student Council, and six members of the traffic squad.

Their number of failures is larger than all the months with the exception of September. The number of people tardy to school is larger than before. There were three people tardy to class, while the largest number they have had is four. Only once have there been more people sent out of class than this month.

The number of people in Homeroom 320 sent out of class and tardy to class and school is larger than before.

Their prominent people are the editor of the Crimson and White, Vice-president of the Student Council, two members of the Student Council, the captain of

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MILNE CLUBS AND DEPARTMENTS WILL EXHIBIT STUDENT WORK

Puppet Show Part of Teachers' Round Table Conference

Tonight there will be an exhibit of work done in Milne Junior High School as part of the program of the Round Table Conference held each year for teachers. At 7:30 the Milne Junior High Latin class will present a puppet show, which will be followed by an address by Dr. George Wiley, assistant commissioner of education. Following is a list of the exhibits prepared by the various departments.

In the Junior High Math room, 124, projects illustrating work done in geometry, banking, algebra, graphs, and problems will be exhibited.

The ninth year English classes will exhibit books of folk literature which are owned by the pupils. The eighth grade classes will display projects concerning book covers and collected writing. This will be shown in room 135.

In the library Miss Johnson's Latin Methods class will be shown. The doings of the clubs will be exhibited by Miss Halter. Mr. Raymond will exhibit things made by the shop class. The Library Club and the Library School of State College will exhibit animals, because next week is "Kindness to Animals" week.

In room 320 motion pictures and lantern slides will be shown on biology and general science, and a demonstration will be given in the physics room, 326.

The eighth grade Latin class is giving a marionette show entitled "Julius Caesar". This will be held in the auditorium at 7:30. There will be a Latin exhibit in room 129. The Latin Club will contribute to the exhibit.

In room 121 a table of Washington projects and booklets will be displayed by the seventh grade social science class. There will be booklets and projects on famous men, European countries, travel pictures, art, and music. There will be a project on the depression and the plans of the class for ending the depression.

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LET'S GET OUTSIDE

Spring is here and so we will want to play out of doors, getting the benefit of the sunshine. To do this, however, we must pay good attention in class so we will not have to remain in school after school hours to have conferences.

We should go out in the fresh air after school and do our homework at night when we cannot play outside. In order to have organized play out of doors it would be well to choose gym classes which are carried on outside.

If we are active and healthy, our minds will be clearer and we will be able to get our studies in school more easily.

JUST IMAGINE

Just imagine ---

Ginny H. without her laugh.
Sonny B. not being musclebound.
Bobby K. going to a dance with his hair mussed up.
Chris A. and Olive V. not laughing when together.
Calvin D. without his Indians.
Martha D. not chewing gum.
Norman F. not making airplanes and playing golf in biology.
Dorothy H. making noise in class.
Richard M. not playing tag with his "goopies".
The members of the traffic squad being polite.
Helen G. not drawing in class.

Its all right for the girl to hang on to her youth, but not while he's at the wheel.

QUESTION: Do you think Milne Junior High ought to have pins?

EDITH TOLMAN: "Yes, I think it would distinguish Junior High pupils from Senior High pupils."

JANE OGSBURY: "No, I think the one pin of Milne High is enough."

ALICE HARRIS: "Yes, it would be nice and different."

EDWARD DEY: "No, because it is too late and too near the end of the year."

ROGER WILLIAMS TELLS ABOUT HIS RECENT WEST INDIES TRIP

A voyage to the Windward and Leeward Islands, the principle islands of the West Indies, is one of the most educational and interesting obtainable.

It is off the beaten path of the usual West Indies cruise, and many of the ports visited have played important roles in the history of the new world.

I sailed from New York March 2 on the R.M.S. "Nerissa", a ship of about 6000 tons, carrying 130 passengers. The second day out of New York the sea was very rough and the ship rolled heavily as we approached the Gulf Stream. The third day the water calmed and a day later we hit the blue waters of the tropics and got our first glimpse of the flying fish. Flying fish range from three to about eight inches long and look very much like small monoplane skimming across the sea, from two to three feet from the surface, near the bow of the ship.

On the fifth day we reached St. Thomas, the principle port of the Virgin Islands, a possession of the United States, purchased from Denmark about 13 years ago. The Virgin Islands had been owned by Denmark since about 1625 and many of the Danish customs still prevail. It is very interesting to study the mannerisms and the customs of the natives. St. Thomas is of volcanic origin, but is extremely fertile. On the green slopes are seen endless banana pal groves. Up to a year ago it was an important U. S. naval coaling station.

After leaving St. Thomas we visited St. Croix, another of the
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of the traffic squad, associate editor and two members of the staff of the Crimson and White, and the secretary of the Library Club.

Homeroom 520 is making a banner. For a few months there were samples of rocks in the room. There is also a fish aquarium in the room.

Homeroom 124 has a number of people holding offices. The Secretary of Student Council, the captain of the basketball club, president of Photoplay Club, two members of the traffic squad, two members of the newspaper staff, two members of the Student Council, treasurer of Library Club, and the feature editor of the Crimson and White are in this homeroom.

Homeroom 124 has improved its looks by painting vases and putting them around the room and mounting geometric figures to decorate the walls.

The number of people tardy to school is smaller than the number last month, but it is larger than the number in September. There were more people tardy to class than any other time this year. The number absent was also greater than any other time. The number of failures was larger than the number last month, but it is smaller than in September.

NEWS NOTES

The last meeting of the Stamp Club was held out on the front steps. A set of the Washington bi-centennial issue of stamps was shown.

We extend our best wishes to Professor John M. Sayles upon hearing of his unopposed nomination for the office of President of the University Club of Albany.

The Baseball Club went to Beverwick Park last Thursday. They played baseball during the club period. Ray Harris, a junior in State College, is the sponsor of the club.

Homeroom 125 had a mystery story read to them last Friday. Their new president is Betty Potter.

EXCURSION CLUB VISITS
NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK

The Excursion Club went to the National Savings Bank last week. They went in and saw the big vault. The door weighs thirty-five tons. They saw the safe deposit boxes. A man showed them how the keys worked and how they changed the lock on the boxes. It was very interesting. They plan to go on an excursion to the Kenmore Mills, where they manufacture blankets.

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Virgin Island group. St. Croix has a number of good bathing beaches. The towns have Danish names such as Frederiksted and Christiansted.

From St. Croix we visited St. Kitts, a British possession, passing the islands of Saba and St. Eustatus, still in the possession of Holland, about eight miles from St. Kitts. Sugar cane is the principle crop. One of the interesting sights is Brimstone Hill, an old historic fortification. The population of St. Kitts is about 30,000 scattered over the island.

Leaving St. Kitts we travelled eastward to Antigua, also a British possession. It has a population of about 35,000, most of whom cultivate sugar cane, which is sent to St. Johns, where sugar is made. Antigua is the seat of government of the Leeward Islands, under Great Britain.

One of the interesting sights on the island of Montserrat is the Botanical Gardens, where all sorts of tropical trees, plants, and flowers may be seen. While walking to the Gardens I saw many lizards, some of them about two feet long. The natives eat these lizards. They say it tastes like chicken.

I realized the necessity of knowing French when I visited Guadeloupe, a French possession, one of the largest and most prosperous of the West Indies. The principle port is Pointe-a-Pitre. Here I saw the ruins of a great hurricane that swept the Caribbean in 1928. One must understand French currency to make purchases.

(This story will be continued in future issues of the Crimson and White.)