

## N. T. High Spots

By L. H. G.

At a time like this we have the urge to philosophize. haven't you? Victory doesn't mean everything, we think, when referring to the annual classic with Evanston. For although victory was not present Saturday, the more important things were: such as good sportsmanship, school spirit, and a fighting team. The boys certainly played a wonderful game, but the scores should have been reversed. It seemed the entire student bodies of both schools and all New Trier township turned out for the game. The cheering and music could be heard blocks away. It was a proud demonstration of school spirit. But Saturday was only the climax. During the entire week there was cheering in the halls and an unusually marked feeling of warmth for dear old New Trier. Friday noon there was a peppy pep meeting. Ray Davis led ear-splitting cheers. Then John Barden introduced Coach Aschenbach who praised the boys. Uncle John Nay spoke, and Captain George Ogan asked for the support of the student body. But the oration of the day was saved for the close of the meeting. In a very stirring declamation Mr. Persing demanded the funerals of three vicious monsters: razzing, indifference, and lack of school spirit. We are very happy to announce that these were buried with due solemnity and ceremony Saturday afternoon. A guillotine was suggested, but fortunately they died a natural death. In closing Mr. Persing waxed eloquent and borrowed a powerful metaphor from Coleridge. The Albatross has fallen from the neck of New Trier.

### GIRLS' CLUB SERVES LUSCIOUS HOT DOGS

Perhaps the cash register is also a register of human sentiment. It was at the game because the Girls' club, which serves hot dogs and candy to the hungry mob, cleared \$163. The total receipts for the four home football games is \$413. Be sure to eat plenty of hot dogs Saturday at the Joliet game so the girls can reach the five hundred dollar mark and pay for the piano.

The Girls' club is making money, at present, in two other ways. They are taking magazine subscriptions and renewals. Everyone takes some magazine and that subscription is bound to run out. Won't you please renew it with the Girls' club? It will get any magazine and is able to give you special club rates. It may be a bit early to talk about Christmas presents, but there's not a nicer gift than a magazine subscription. This may solve the annual problem of getting a present for finicky spinster Aunt Sadie or pessimistic, old Uncle George. Most high school students and their parents would enjoy such a gift. Another problem connected with Christmas is getting novel and attractive Christmas cards. The obliging Girls' club has just the cards you want to express your personality, and at a very nominal price. Any of the New Trier girls may take home a book of samples. By the way, the cards may be had ten days after the order is placed.

### FORM TEAMS IN HOCKEY AND SOCCER

More news about the girls! Hockey and soccer tournaments in all classes have started. Two or three advisory rooms form one team. After the final elimination, class teams will be chosen by the gym instructors. Then inter-class games will be played. Aside from these games, every girl may practice after school.

### DRAMATICS ARTISTS BUSY WITH PLAY

We mustn't forget our dramatic

artists. They have been working hard to get their first play ready for the fifteenth. The first act takes us back to Judy in the orphan home with a stern matron. Then we see her in a bedroom in Vassar, at a summer home, and finally at Daddy Longleg's house. The play follows Jean Webster's story very closely. We expect to find it most enjoyable.

### WHEREIN "J. N." TAKES HER PEN IN HAND

We are very much elated this week for we have received two letters. That's a wonderful start. Keep it up! J. N. writes to us regarding the membership restrictions of Scriblerus club. "My chosen vocation is journalism. Consequently I tried out for the Scriblerus club. My hopes were downed. I was not accepted. When I heard about the membership limit it made me a bit angry. What good is a literary club unless it helps those who evince an interest in writing?"

"New Trier is a public school. Therefore, why should a club, an integral part of the school life, limit its membership? What does the club gain? Who can gauge the loss sustained by the disappointed student? How is an inexperienced and aspiring young writer ever to gain that experience and confidence so needed in writing unless he has some opportunity?"

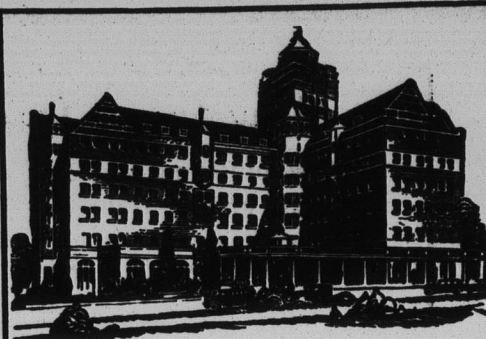
"This is the question which needs an answer. And this answer must come from the club itself and its faculty sponsor."

Thank you, J. N.—Scriblerus is meeting this afternoon to judge the entries. There are many advantages to be derived from a club of this type and we feel that it is fulfilling its purpose only

when it is benefiting the largest number of persons possible. We hope that soon there will be good news for you and the rest of the student body.

J. N. has also written a fiery letter condemning Leap Year parties. We wish the boys could reap some benefit from her razzing. J. N. says that when the boys don't date for a school party it is merely another evidence of lack of school spirit. Well girls, here's your chance to show some of this school spirit. Give the boys a break! It won't be a bit hard. (The juniors did it very successfully at their party.) Miss Maloney has discovered a number of bashful damsels in the senior class so she will do the inviting for all the girls. The senior girls will draw numbers and accordingly have a chance to select their dates. They will choose nom de plumes to be signed to their invitations. The boys will respond to be turned and this time the boy will sit waiting and wondering. He won't know who his escort is until she calls for him. And then—??? To add to this already tremendous excitement everyone must be in costume or mask. The time: November 22. The place: New Trier Mess hall. The girl: X (the unknown quantity).

Congratulations, sophomore boys! We're glad to know that some men (?) still exercise their rights, or at least don't let the girls usurp them. You see, the sophomore class is being different. They're not giving a Leap Year party. What will the freshmen do?



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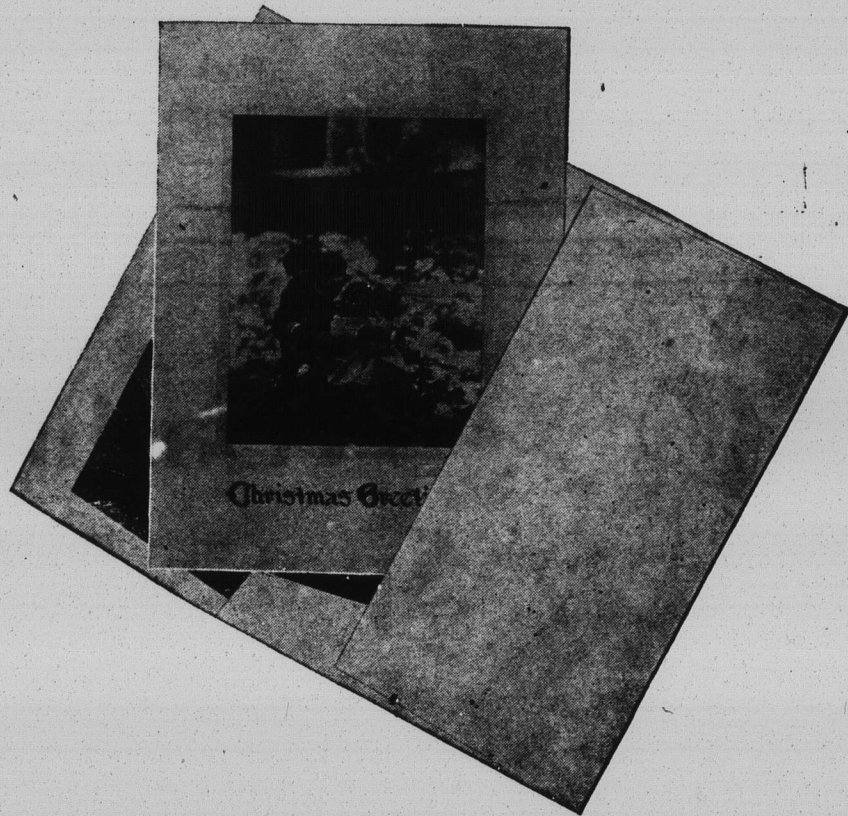
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