

# Northwest School News

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## June Events: Women's Camp - 4-H Club Week Alumni Reunion

### Interesting Program Arranged For Women's Camp

The 29th annual Women's Camp will be held at the Northwest School on June 14-17. With a large number of room reservations already received, prospects are bright for a record enrollment. Reservations have been received from the Red River Valley counties of Minnesota and North Dakota.

A program of more than general interest has been arranged in keeping with the requests of Women's Camp members. To comply with the recommendations of the 1953 campers, more time will be devoted this year to handicraft work. Each woman at the camp will be able to participate in three handicraft activities. The handicraft work offered this year will be: woodcraft—with A. M. Foker and H. W. Soderburg in charge; metal craft—Homer Abbott, director of recreation, Grand Forks Park Board, instructor; and floriculture—B. C. Beresford.

Lecturer-demonstrators for the camp will be Glenn Cunningham, interior decorator of the Bill Larson Furniture Company of Grand Forks, who will demonstrate draperies and other home furnishings, and Miss Eves Whitefield of the Institute of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, who will speak on new fabrics and clothing styles. Speakers for the camp program will be Mrs. J. E. Madden, Crookston librarian, who will review the book "Forty Plus and Fancy Free" by Emily Kimbrough, and Mrs. H. H. Hodgson of Crookston who will speak on her recent Mediterranean cruise which enabled her to visit seven islands and twelve countries.

The program for the camp begins with registration and coffee hour on Monday afternoon, June 14, with the annual reception and business meeting in the evening. The camp sessions will start, officially, at 9:00 a.m. on June 15.

Swimming in the indoor pool, always a popular form of recreation at the camp, will again be under the supervision of a competent instructor. Movies and other entertainment will be provided for each night during the camp.

Miss Retta Bede, head of the Home Economics Department at the school, is camp leader.

Women who are interested in attending the camp should write to the Northwest School, Crookston, for room reservations.

### 4-H Club Week To Be Held June 21-25

The annual 4-H Club Week for club members of the thirteen northwestern Minnesota counties will be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture during the week of June 21-25.

4-H club members will attend camps in two groups, as follows: Group I—June 21, 22 and 23 (through 1:00 P.M.)—East Polk, Mahanomen, Lake of the Woods, Clay, Becker, West Otter Tail, East Otter Tail, Clearwater. Group II—June 23, 24 and 25 (through 1:00 P.M.)—Red Lake, Pennington, Roseau, Kittson, Marshall, Norman, West Polk.

More than six hundred 4-H club members are expected for the 4-H Club Week. Instructors for the week include members of staff from the Northwest School, county 4-H club agents, county home agents, and county agricultural agents. The camp is directed by Assistant State 4-H Club Leader Osgood Magnuson; Harold K. Anderson, district 4-H club supervisor; and Evelyn Harne, state 4-H club agent, all of the Institute of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul.

### Alumni Reunion—June 26

Saturday, June 26, will be a time for reunions of graduating classes at the Northwest School. While a cordial welcome is extended to all alumni and former students to attend the reunion, yet many classes plan to have larger gatherings every five years. The class of 1929 will celebrate their silver anniversary this year. It now appears that both faculty advisers of the '29 class, Miss Retta Bede and J. W. Mlinar, will be present for their class reunion; and with a large number of '29's in the area, their reunion should establish an attendance record.

Coffee will be furnished for all class reunion picnic parties and games will be arranged for both the adults and children.

The highlight of the reunion will be the Northwest School Alumni Association business meeting and dance in the gymnasium beginning at 8:00 p.m. Prizes will be awarded the alumnus coming the greatest distance, the oldest class member, and most newly-wedded couple. The Jimmy Dunn orchestra of Grand Forks will provide the music for the reunion dance.

Committees appointed for the reunion are: **Decorations**—Wm. Barron, Jr., chairman; Glenn Torkelson, George Hendrickson, Donna Miller, Mary Lou Baird, Carol Ewing, Sylvester Greskowiak, Glenn Finkenbinder, and Harold (continued on page 3, col. 3)



**WOMEN'S CAMP OFFICERS, 1954**

Pictured above are the officers of the Women's Camp of the Northwest School who were elected to serve for the 1954 Women's Camp. Reading from left to right: Miss Mabel Barlow, Grand Forks, N. Dak.—secretary; Mrs. Philip Dufault, Crookston—sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Arthur Kluzak, Euclid—treasurer; Mrs. Doyle Ogren, Moorhead vice-president; and Mrs. W. S. Ash, St. Vincent—president.

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## Spring Weather And Crop Planting Dates

The first few warm days of Spring always stimulate the desire of farmers and home gardeners to get into the fields and gardens to get crops in early. O. C. Soine, agronomist and weather observer at the Northwest School and Experiment Station, pointed out that late April is generally a good time to seed hardy frost-resistant crops but that April is not a good month for plant growth and crop production in the Red River Valley.

O. C. Soine has compiled weather data from the records at the Northwest Experiment Station and northern and southern points of the Red River Valley. The records show wide fluctuations in temperature with killing frosts characteristic of the April weather in northwestern Minnesota.

The probability of killing frosts occurring here in the Red River Valley can be ascertained from the following table:

#### The Number of Years in Fifty that the Last Killing Frost is Likely to Occur After Dates Shown

Station	April		May		
	20th	30th	10th	20th	30th
Hallock	50	49	44	36	22
Crookston	49	47	38	19	5
Detroit Lakes	50	46	40	14	13

The data for Crookston show that killing frosts are likely to occur after April 20 in 49 years out of 50; and after April 30 in 47 years out of 50. By May 10, the danger of killing frosts has decreased to some extent, but even at this date, the probability of a killing frost is 38 times in 50 years. By May 30, the frost risk has greatly decreased, but even at this late date a killing frost may occur five years out of 50 in the Crookston area.

#### Latest and Earliest Recorded Spring Frost

There is a great deal of variation in the dates on which spring frosts come. For example, the latest one recorded at Crookston came on June 19, 1940, when the temperature dropped to 31 degrees. The earliest day of the last spring frost came on April 20, 1904. This is a range of 60 days when spring frosts may be expected.

According to Crookston, the average last spring frost occurs on May 19, but this does not mean that no killing frosts will occur after May 19. Last year the last killing frost occurred on May 16, but a light frost occurred on June 6 when the temperature dropped to 30 degrees.

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## Cattle Feeders Observed Results Of 1953-54 Feeding Trials On April 15

Cattle feeders and potato growers from the Red River Valley counties of Minnesota and North Dakota attended the annual Cattle Feeders' Day at the Northwest School and Experiment Station on April 15. Cattle Feeders' Day marked the conclusion of five years of cattle feeding trials with raw potatoes. The results of the 1953-54 feeding trial corroborated the results of previous years in proving that cull and surplus potatoes can be successfully and profitably fed to livestock. The research in potato feeding at the Northwest Experiment Station has attracted nation-wide attention and has done much to establish potato feeding procedures and rations which make practicable the utilization of surplus and low-grade potatoes as livestock feed. The work in potato feeding, initiated by O. M. Kiser before his retirement, has been carried on and completed by H. D. Fausch, now head of the Department of Animal Husbandry at the school and station.

Speakers on the Cattle Feeders' Day program included: E. F. Ferrin, head of the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dr. H. H. Hoyt of the Department of Veterinary Medicine, both from the Institute of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul; Carl Spong of the Central Cooperative Livestock Association, Fargo, N. Dak.; Lyle Currie, executive secretary of the Red River Valley Potato Growers' Association, East Grand Forks; Superintendent T. M. McCall, and H. D. Fausch, head of the Animal Husbandry Department, Northwest School and Experiment Station. Following the formal program, the local leaders of the project, H. D. Fausch and R. M. Stolen, exhibited the lots of steers in the feeding trial.

#### Rations Fed

Twenty-four medium-grade Hereford steers were randomized into four lots of six steers each. The rations fed to the four lots were:

LOT I. Potatoes — ad lib.; oats straw—ad lib.

LOT II: Potatoes — ad lib.; oats straw — ad lib.; \*grain—limited.

LOT III: Potatoes— ad lib.; oats straw— ad lib.; \*grain—limited; soybean meal—1 lb. per steer daily.

LOT IV: Potatoes — ad lib.; oats straw — ad lib.; \*\*grain; \*\*soybean meal; \*\*urea.

\*The grain ration in Lots II and III was made up of 70% barley and 30% oats.

\*\*The grain ration in Lot IV was made up of 700 lbs barley, 300 lbs oats, 100 lbs soybean meal, and 12 lbs Urea.

#### Comments and Conclusions

1. The addition of grain or grain and a protein source increased the daily gains of the steers. The ration containing grain and soybean meal produced the best gains (2.07 pounds per steer daily).

2. Satisfactory gains were obtained when urea was used as a nitrogen source to replace part of the soybean meal in the ration. Although the gains were not affected materially, there was a small increase in cost per pound of gain over the soybean meal lot.

3. The maximum quantity of potatoes consumed per steer daily was 73 pounds. There were no digestive problems encountered during these trials. One steer died during the nighttime in the fifth 28-day period of feeding. It is assumed that the cause of death was bloat. This is the first death loss encountered because of bloat.

4. Extremely cold weather during the fourth 28-day feeding period caused the average gains to be much less in this trial than is usually expected. During the 28-day period mentioned, temperatures continued below zero Fahrenheit during 19 of the 28 days. During this period, the average daily gains by the four lots were: 0.52 pounds, 0.84 pounds, 0.82 pounds, and 0.74 pounds respectively.

5. The feed efficiency (T. D. N. per cwt. gain) was considerably stepped up, over the potato-oat straw ration, by addition of grain or grain and protein source. Lot III on potatoes, straw, grain and soybean had the greatest feed efficiency.

6. The steers were assigned market grades and a market valuation on the final day of the trial. Lot IV steers graded slightly higher than Lot III steers. Lot IV steers had an average market valuation of \$23.72 per cwt. while Lot III steers averaged \$22.64 per cwt. The Lot I and Lot II steers averaged \$20.00 and \$21.73 per cwt. respectively.

7. There was a positive margin over feed cost in all the four lots. The highest margin over feed cost appeared in Lot IV (74.34 per steer). The margin over feed cost in the other lots ranged in the order III, II, and I. The margins in these lots were \$62.46, \$46.85 and \$23.70, respectively.

8. The results of these trials were affected by other factors, such as a very wild steer in Lot II and a steer in Lot IV which was sick during the trial but also recovering during the trial. No adjustment has been made in the computations to correct for these influences.

NOTE: Copies of the complete report on the cattle feeding trials may be secured by writing to the Northwest School and Experiment Station, Crookston, Minnesota.

## Medals and Scholarship Awards Presented At Commencement, March 25

The 46th annual Commencement Exercises were held at the Northwest School of Agriculture on March 25 with seventy-five students from the Red River Valley counties receiving diplomas.

Assistant Dean T. H. Fenske of the Institute of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, gave the Commencement address on the theme, "This Is Your Hour of Decision." University Regent H. F. Skyberg of Fisher extended greetings and Superintendent T. M. McCall presented diplomas and scholarship awards.

Medals for High Scholarship and Citizenship were presented to Adelle Larson of Twin Valley, valedictorian, and Neal Bjornson of Arvilla, North Dakota, salutatorian. In music awards, Donna Miller of Crookston and Adelle Larson tied for honors for greatest progress in voice instruction and were each awarded gold medals from Caleb Dorr and Northwest School scholarship funds. Adelle Larson of Twin Valley also won the O. W. Peterson Memorial Fund Award for greatest progress in piano, with Marlys Love of Euclid receiving honorable mention. Richard Kluzak of East Grand Forks, president of the Senior class, won the 1938 Class Memorial Trophy in speech and dramatics.

Caleb Dorr Progress Scholarships of \$2.00 each were awarded to one boy and one girl from each of the three classes, Freshmen, Sophomore, and Junior. Scholarship winners from Caleb Dorr funds were: Walter Fehr, East Grand Forks, and Jean McWilliams of Winger—Freshmen; Donald Diedrich, Warren, and Barbara Hylland, Grygla—Sophomores; K. Wendell Kelm of Neche, N. Dak., and Donna Miller of Crookston—Juniors.

Students receiving honorable mention in Citizenship were Paul Bergeson of Fertile and Norma Nielsen of Hackensack.

Scholarship certificates, for four consecutive semesters on the Honor Roll, were awarded to: Marilyn Balstad, Fosston; Neal Bjornson, Arvilla, N. Dak.; Wayne Erickson, McIntosh; Willis Finifrock, Barnum; David Mickelson, Menahga; Donna Miller, Crookston; Kent Omdahl, Warren; Merlin Skretvedt, Gary; and Paul Tollefson, Crookston.

## National Honor Society Chapter Elects New Members

The Northwest School Chapter of the National Honor Society held its annual induction of new members at the assembly hour at the Northwest School on March 19. Paul Bergeson of Fertile, president of the Chapter, presided at the induction ceremonies.

The four basic attributes for membership in the National Honor Society (continued on page 4, col. 3)

## Red Cross Sponsors Lifesaving Course

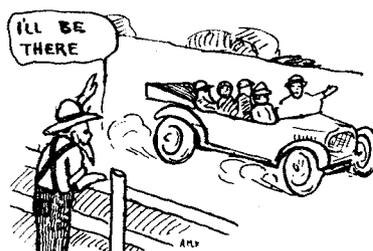
A review course in lifesaving and water safety for swimming instructors and prospective lifeguards was held at the Northwest School during the week of May 10. The course was sponsored jointly by the Polk County Chapter of the American Red Cross and the St. Louis office of the American Red Cross. Sixteen lifeguards and swimming instructors from the Red River Valley counties were regularly enrolled in the course while a number of other swimmers came for the lifesaving instruction.

Martin Vanseth of Crookston, county chairman, and Mrs. Victor Hodgson, secretary of the Polk County Chapter of the Red Cross, were in charge of registration. Superintendent T. M. McCall and H. H. Lysaker of the Northwest School were in charge of local arrangements. Evan Thompson, lifesaving instructor from the St. Louis headquarters office of the American Red Cross, was instructor in the course. He was assisted by John Kelan of Crookston, Water Safety Chairman for Polk county, and Richard Bennett of Crookston.

## 4-H Club Boys Attend Tractor Maintenance School

A 4-H Tractor Maintenance Refresher Course was held at the Northwest School on April 1. Some forty-five 4-H club boys, who had previously taken the Tractor Maintenance work, were called in for a refresher course whereby they could serve as instructors to 4-H clubs in their communities. A number of county agricultural and 4-H club agents attended the course, also.

The course was sponsored jointly by the 4-H club department of the Agricultural Extension Department, the Northwest School, and the Duluth branch of the Standard Oil Company. William Koch and assistants from the Duluth branch of the Standard Oil Company conducted the lecture-demonstrations for the course. Other speakers on the program were Osgood Magnuson of St. Paul, assistant state leader of 4-H club work; Harold K. Anderson of St. Paul, district 4-H club supervisor; and Superintendent T. M. McCall and Wm. Barron of the Northwest School.



Plan To Attend Alumni Reunion—June 26

## Richard Radway '37 Speaks At Honors Banquet

Richard F. Radway of Roseau, a graduate of the Northwest School's class of 1937 and a former football star and member of the A Club, was the main speaker at the Honors A Banquet held at the Northwest School on March 18. Mr. Radway, county agricultural agent in Roseau county, spoke on "The Responsibilities of Leadership." Superintendent T. M. McCall, in extending greetings, spoke on "The Hour of Decision." A. M. Foker, chairman of the Athletics Committee, served as toastmaster. Captains and co-captains of the 1953-54 athletic teams responding to toasts were: Basketball—Floyd Horgen, Warren, and James Fischer, Georgetown; Football—Bruce Kramer, Peoria, Illinois, and David Viker, Ada; Cross-Country—Dale Nesland, Thompson, N. Dak.; Swimming—Edward Grove, McIntosh; Wrestling—Wayne Mosher, Lockhart.

Captain-elects of the 1954-55 athletic teams were introduced by their respective coaches. H. H. Lysaker, athletic director and coach of football and basketball, introduced football co-captains Leonard Bailey, Halstad, and Glenn Filipi, Angus; and basketball, Keith Chisholm, Gary. R. E. Singelstad, coach of cross-country, introduced Charles Armstrong, Euclid, as captain of the cross-country team. Clarence Grove of McIntosh and Henry Landin of Warroad were introduced by Phillip Larson, coach of swimming and wrestling, as co-captains of the swimming team; and Lowell Hanson of Mahanomen and LeRoy Sondrol of Reynolds, N. Dak., as captains of the 1954-55 wrestling team.

Members of judging and other teams, representing the school during the year, who responded to toasts were: Harvey Halstensgaard of Gary—crops judging team; David Boman, Arvilla, N. Dak.—livestock judging team; Elmer Halstensgaard, Bejou—potato judging team; Richard Kluzak, East Grand Forks—debate team; and Adelle Larson, Twin Valley—Pepsters. Music for the program was provided by a Pepsters quartet composed of Adelle Larson, Sylvia Jensen, Stephen; Kathryn Clementson, Erskine; and Marilyn Balstad, Fosston, with Miss Patricia Harman as director.

## ALUMNI REUNION—JUNE 26

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Ian Miller; E. N. Reiersgord, H. W. Soderburg, and B. C. Beresord of the Northwest School. Entertainment—H. H. Lysaker, Northwest School, and Perry Brantner. Reception and Registration—Berneil Nelson, Edith Bergeson, Miss Retta Bede, Northwest School. Publicity—T. M. McCall, Northwest School; Perry Brantner; Admissions—Martin Rud, chm., Winston Johnson, Wm. Barron, Sr., A. M. Pilkey of Northwest School. Experiment Station Tours—H. D. Fausch, R. M. Stolen, B. C. Beresford, A. M. Pilkey, Northwest School. Refreshments—E. N. Reiersgord; assistants to be appointed.

## Northwest School Briefs

### News regarding Northwest School Alumni and former students:

\*\*\*Noel S. Hanson is enrolled for post-graduate work at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln. Address is: 1260 North 37, Lincoln, Nebraska.

\*\*\*J. W. Mlinar was a campus visitor on May 4. He will spend the summer in California. His address is: 545 "I" Avenue, Coronado, California.

\*\*\*Grant E. Peterson, a graduate of Gustavus Adolphus College in '51, is now enrolled for undergraduate work in Education at Westminster College, Salt Lake City, Utah.

\*\*\*Marvin Nabben is employed as agricultural engineer in the Rural Development Division of Northern States Power Company, Minneapolis.

\*\*\*The Reverend Henry J. Becker was ordained to the Priesthood which was conferred by the Most Reverend Vincent S. Waters, D. D., Bishop of Raleigh, North Carolina, on May 27, at Asheville, North Carolina. His present address is: Route 2, Mahnomen, Minnesota.

\*\*\*Clifford J. Thomforde of Grand Forks, North Dakota, formerly of Crookston, who has been serving as assistant professor of electrical engineering at the University of North Dakota, was recently promoted to full professor and head of the Department of Electrical Engineering at the University.

\*\*\*William Pastuck is an instructor for veterans' training classes at the Plummer, Minnesota, high school.

\*\*\*The Reverend and Mrs. Alton Knutson are serving as missionaries in Japan. Their new address is: Evangelical Lutheran Church Japan Mission, 3-46 Shiotsu Yaizu City, Shizuoka Ken, Japan.

\*\*\*Beverly Kurtz is a dance instructor for the Arthur Murray Dance Studio in Santa Anna, California. Her address is: 1401 South Bristol Avenue, Santa Anna. Mrs. John Pepper (nee Patricia Kurtz) is living in Pomona, California, and her address is: 804 North Huntington Blvd.

\*\*\*NEW ADDRESS: Marlys Munson Mohamed, c/o College of Agriculture, Department of Genetics, Alexandria University, Alexandria, Egypt.

\*\*\*NEW ADDRESS: Pfc. Duane S. Truhn, U. S. 55284511, 39th Inf. Scout Dog Plt., 17th Inf. Regt. A.P.O. 7, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

\*\*\*NEW ADDRESS: A/lc Gilbert E. Johnson, A. F. 17323903, 1818 AACSGroup, O. L. 78, A.P.O. 901, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

### Marriages

\*\*\*Miss Betty Ann Kouba to Clement Ricard, of Beltrami, on May 5. They will make their home in Crookston, Minnesota.

\*\*\*Miss Delphine Smith of Bismarck, N. Dak., to Paul Kurtz of Hazelton, N. Dak., on February 26.

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## Senior Day Celebrated March 17

The annual "Senior Day" was observed at the Northwest School on March 17 (St. Patrick's Day).

The 1954 edition of the Northwest School "Aggie" yearbook was formally released to the student body at the assembly program. The Aggie was dedicated to A. M. Foker, senior member of the agricultural engineering staff.

An evening party in the Aggie Inn concluded the Senior Day celebration.

### CROP PLANTING DATES

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The great variation in temperature during the month of April results in poor conditions for germination of seed and plant growth. Often the soil is so cold that early planted seeds do not germinate but decay before conditions are favorable for good germination. The soil must warm up and maintain a minimum temperature of at least 32 degrees before hardy crops like wheat, peas, and oats will start the process of germination and growth. Warm weather crops like corn and beans need a minimum temperature of 49 degrees for the beginning of plant growth.

### Average Date of Sowing

According to the present weather conditions, we may still expect to start field operations about the same time as usual. According to our records for the past sixteen years, the average date of sowing wheat is April 29. The earliest sowing during this period was on April 8, 1938, and the latest was May 26, 1950.

The date of sowing is not as important as the date of emergence—the date the crop comes up. A crop may be sown early, but if the soil is cold the crop may not emerge for several days and without seed treatment the seed sometimes rots in the soil. The average date of emergence for the above dates for wheat is May 12. The longest period between sowing and emergence was in 1944 when wheat was sown April 15 and emerged May 9—a twenty-four day period. The shortest period was in 1940 when wheat was sown on May 13, and emerged May 20.

Flax is generally sown a little later than the other Small Grains, and Crookston records for the past sixteen years show the average date of sowing to be May 17 and the emergence on May 27. The latest date of sowing flax for this period was June 1, 1938, but the flax emerged on June 6 the same year. The earliest sowing of flax was on May 2, 1940, for this given period.

**ATTEND**  
**Crops and Soils Day**  
Northwest School and Experiment  
Station, Crookston  
**Thursday—July 22**

## Grain Clinic Conducted At School On May 4

A grain clinic for seed dealers and grain elevator managers was held in the agronomy laboratory at the Northwest School on May 4. The clinic was conducted by Henry O. Putnam, executive secretary of the Northwest Crop Improvement Association, Minneapolis. Eighteen men from the Red River Valley counties attended the clinic. O. C. Soine, agronomist at the Northwest School and Experiment Station, assisted with the instruction and general arrangements.

### NORTHWEST SCHOOL BRIEFS

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#### Births

\*\*\*To Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Kurtz of Hazelton, N. Dak., a daughter, Kim Louise, on December 12, 1953.

\*\*\*To Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bergh (nee Dorothy Finkenbinder), a son, David Larry, on March 17, at the United States Naval Hospital at Norfolk, Va.

\*\*\*To Mr. and Mrs. Lavon J. Sumpston of St. Paul, a daughter, Gloria Orginia, on March 6.

\*\*\*To Dr. and Mrs. Carl Seemann (nee Margaret Johnson) a daughter, Naida Corrine, on March 22.

\*\*\*To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price (nee Rose Marie Kochmann) a daughter on March 15.

\*\*\*To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Harty, a son, Timothy Michael, on May 7. Their address: Route 7, Box 414B2, Olympia, Washington.

#### Deaths

\*\*\*Miss Mollie Fossbakken on March 13 at Fosston, Minnesota. She was a member of the first graduating class of the Northwest School, in 1909, and received her R.N. from Ashbury Hospital in Minneapolis. At the time of her death, she was serving as a registered nurse in a hospital at Fosston.

\*\*\*Mrs. Clayton Griffin (nee Marilyn Stai) at Emerado, N. Dak., on May 6.

### NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

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were presented by members of the Society graduating this year. Speakers and subjects were: Richard Kluzak of East Grand Forks—Character; Evelyn Holy of East Grand Forks—Service; Neal Bjornson, Arvilla, N. Dak.—Leadership; and Adelle Larson, Twin Valley—Scholarship.

E. N. Reiersgard, adviser to the Chapter, accepted the nominations of new members for the faculty. Superintendent T. M. McCall presented the membership pins to the new members. The new members inducted into the Northwest School Chapter were: Elmer Halstenggaard, Bejou; Grant Johnson, St. Hilaire; Norma Nielsen, Hackensack; Merlin Skretvedt, Gary; Glenn Filipi, Angus; Willis Finifrock, Barnum; Lowell Hanson, Mahnomen; Marlys Love, Euclid; Donna Miller, Crookston; and Marilyn Balstad, Fosston.

Officers of the local Chapter for the past year were: Paul Bergeson—president; Neal Bjornson—vice president; and Evelyn Holy—secretary-treasurer.