

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

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The sixth grade reading class has been busy the last few days learning and acting the "Owl Critic."

Marion Norstrum was elected editor of the intermediate room newspaper this week.

Borghild Tjeltwee returned to school Monday after a week's absence due to illness.

The second and third grades are busy reviewing all the spelling words learned this year.

The primary grades are learning their last song for this year, entitled "Vacation Days."

The high school play will be given again next Tuesday evening, May 20. The reason for giving it again is that the weather was so bad the night it was presented, that many people did not see it.

The eighth grade held a meeting Tuesday after school for the purpose of deciding upon their class colors.

The high school Agriculture class has been performing a number of helpful and interesting experiments. They have been concerned chiefly with the capillary attraction of water. The pupils have found what soils water soaks through quickest, what soil retains water best, what soils are best for subsoil and the surface soil.

The boys' and girls' Physical Education classes have been neglected the last week because of the cold weather. The windy and sunless days which North Dakota has been experiencing lately is a matter of much comment, as North Dakota usually has more sunny days than any state in the union.

"Safety First" is the topic of discussion in General Science this week.

The students in high school are

preparing for the State Board examinations which begin on Friday, May 23.

The high school wase ball team goes to McHenry for a game on Thursday, May 15, and Hannaford will play in Binford on Saturday, next.

"THE SEA LION" TRAVELS TO WHALING TERRITORY

Movie fans who like to be thrilled by the adventures of sea life will have their fill when Hobart Bosworth's latest picture, "The Sea Lion," distributed by the First National Pictures, Inc., shows at the Lyric Theatre Friday and Saturday evenings, this week.

The film is a vivid portrayal of a story in the whaling territory of the Behring Sea with a plot of quick action and suspense. Hobart Bosworth plays the title role of Nels Nelson, the sturdy Scandinavian sea lord whose soul has become calloused through the memory of a vengeance that has lasted through 20 years of turbulent escapes. Into his life comes the young girl whom he discovers to be the daughter of the wife he believed had played him false. His insatiable lust for revenge centers itself upon this girl and he submits her to every possible humiliation until the truth dawns upon him with a suddenness that is as striking as it is unexpected. One of the unusual scenes shows Bosworth jumping from the deck of the schooner on the back of a whale a stunt that almost cost the venturesome film star his life.

A cast of unusual competency carries the story along in realistic manner. The leading lady is Bessie Love.

The old Times building can be purchased at a fair price with reasonable terms.