

## FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

OUR class was for the first time assembled together on September 1918. Although we were rather excited at the idea of beginning school again and secretly very proud of at last being a part of the Mount Pleasant High School, many of us at the same time realized how utterly insignificant we must appear to the Upper Classmen. Some of us had never even been in the building before and the halls, lined with ominous-looking class-rooms on both sides, were certainly confusing to say the least.

Finally an hour was appointed for an election of officers. The results were as follows: Joseph Olsen, President; Beatrice Sage, Vice-President; Asahel Orser, Treasurer; Doris Davidson, Secretary.

The first class meeting after electing officers was hardly what you would call "successful." Few had ever heard of Parliamentary Rules before and at the end of the hour about the only thing that was definitely decided upon was that another meeting was necessary to settle matters and would be called sometime the following week.

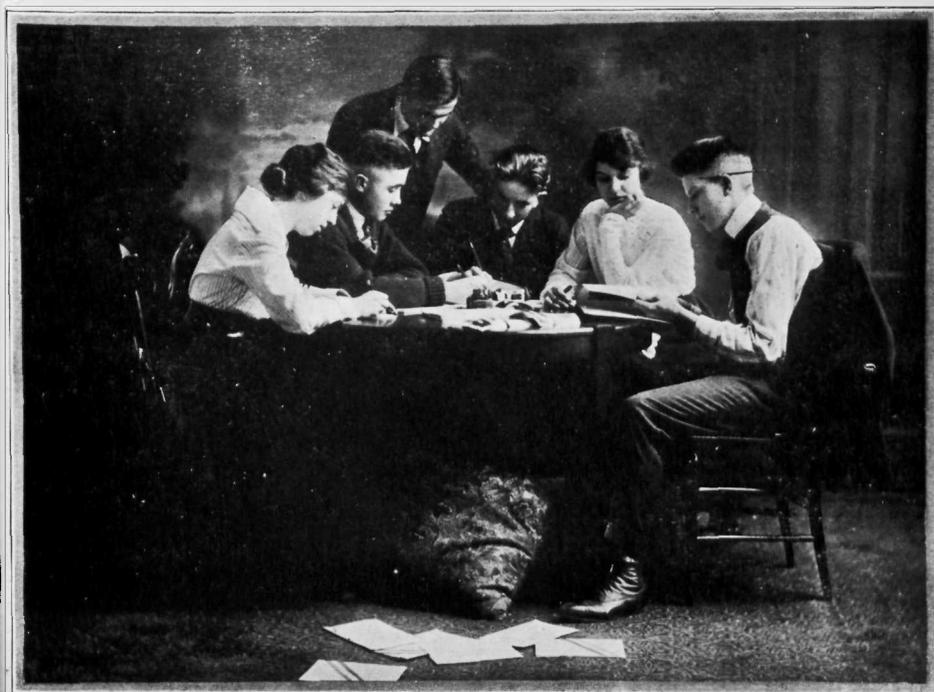
At the next meeting we decided that we wanted a party, but contrary to the customs of all previous years, Upper Classmen were to be excluded. January 11, was the date on which it was first decided upon, but our "elaborate preparations" took longer than expected so accordingly we did not have the party until the eighteenth. In due time it came off and was declared a success by those who were allowed to attend.

Our class does not "star" in athletics as the classes of previous years from their records, evidently have done, as we have furnished only one substitute for the school football team, but nevertheless we feel confident that we will yet be distinguished along another line for something perhaps more original.

The Influenza interrupted our school session twice and extracted three weeks vacation each time. Although many caught the disease most of them have survived for nearly all seats were occupied when school began once more.

Although it was hard to begin school again after a long vacation especially since more work was sure to be added to the daily lessons we were not discouraged but are now looking ahead four years in eager anticipation of the time when we shall be awarded a diploma, as a symbol of what we shall have accomplished during our High School career.

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