

Parents' Day

It has been a tradition of long standing at the Northwest School that one day of each year is set aside to be spent with our parents. It is on this day that we try to show our appreciation to those who have made our education here possible. The only way that we can repay a small part of our indebtedness for the sacrifices our parents have made to give us these opportunities, is to show them our accomplishments here at school and at home through home projects, and prove that those sacrifices of time and money have not been made in vain.

The 16th Annual Parents' Day was on November 2, 1935. On that day our parents came from every part of the Red River Valley to spend one day of the year with us at our school, which is our home for six months of the year, and as hosts we planned the day in the way that we thought our parents would most enjoy. The morning was spent in visiting classes followed by a luncheon in the dining hall, where the Advanced Class served as hosts and hostesses.

At two o'clock a program was presented in the auditorium. The girls' style show was presented under the supervision of Miss Elsie Mae Kingston.

Melvin Pearson presented his report of home project work, his subject being, "A Discussion of the New Thatcher Wheat."

The last number, a one-act play "Station Y.Y.Y.Y." under the direction of Miss Dorothy Smith, was presented and greatly appreciated by the audience. Following the program the parents crossed the campus to the gymnasium for inspection of the Home Project display. Lunch was served at four o'clock after which the parents departed for home.

Despite the fact that the weather was rather unfavorable, we feel that our last Parents' Day was one of the most successful and we are looking forward to the time when we may again be the proud hosts and hostesses with our parents as guests at our campus home.

Putting It Into Practice

