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In Memoriam

Morris Edward Conner September 25, 1917-March 23, 1935



Death is but a magic door
Which, when this life is through,
Is opened wide for us to pass,
And we begin anew.

The life he led upon this earth,
(His joys, his dreams, his woes)
Was but the test he had to pass,
To gain his sweet repose.

But, can we say that he is gone?

He is with us every day;

His words ring on throughout our lives,

He has not gone away.

So, when at last we've run the race, And that door opens wide, I know that he'll be waiting there To greet us . . . just inside.

ROBERT WRIGHT, '36.

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Absent from picture: Mr. Enright, Miss Stowell, Miss Fonda, Miss Kehrig, Miss Leary, Miss Skiff.

SENIORS

June 'n January





MISS M. ELIZABETH BITTER University of Rochester, B. A.

Robert Wright, President and Standard Bearer 91 Chippendale Road

His fastest move is toward a piano.

MR. RALPH L. TICHENOR Springfield, B. P. E.

James Krickmire, Secretary 121 Grassmere Park He's always announcing something. RICHARD MAWSON, Vice-President 172 Hager Road The handsome man is never quite poor.

PHYLLIS WOLZ, Guardian of the Flag 253 Harding Road Intelligence and personality are the keynotes to Phyllis' success.

DOROTHY BENEE
12 Evergreen Street
There's something about a ready
smile that's always so well
worth the while.





CHARLES CARSON 567 Beach Avenue Red hair does not always conceal a temper.

HENRY BEISHIEM
46 Beverly Heights

His first name should have been
"Art."





James Clark 92 Penrose Street His umbitions are on a high plane.

BETTY BLACK
4330 Lake Avenue
"In the silence of my lonely room."





FREDERICK DEMARSE
236 River Street
From Freddie's pencil flows untold
wit.

Donald Bragg 536 Seneca Parkway Speech is silver and Don seems to be quite well to do.





GORDON DEMATO
85 Wyndham Road
The well-dressed man is DeMato of our class.







ALBERT DICKSON
4114 Lake Avenue
"What was yesterday's homework!"

GEORGE BROWN
16 Delmar Road
"I tried to be an athlete, anyway."





Marjorie Eusterman 1126 Dewey Avenue Valuable is one who thinks so high.

ETHEL MAE FALK 175 Wendhurst Drive She is charmingly different and differently charming.





Frances Jackson 4231 Lake Avenue Smiling, beguiling, with very latest styling,

Edmund Grahowski 153 Stone Road We hope "our Eddie" never gets lost in the woods.





LEROY JOHNSON 79 Cherry Road His brush is our fortune.

ELIZABETH GRAHAM
Irene Street
"Women, be not afraid to talk!"





Paul Jungjohan 403 Melville Street Built for comfort, not for speed.

Madeline Harris
181 Lake Breeze Road
Though shy and retiring, where
there's work she's untiring.





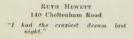
LYLE KLIER
30 Pearson Street
Like a piano, square, upright, and
grand.

Elsie Haynes
346 Estall Road
There's a bit of heaven in her eyes,
and a love of life that never
dies.





EVELYN LISSOW 130 West Parkway Willing, dependable, efficient, commendable,







Skima Michel 101 LeRoy Street Venus might well express a sigh to see our Selma passing by.

Ardean Miller 576 Beach Avenue Hold that pase, and smile, please.



Leslie Raymond 156 Jones Road The farmer is the foundation of our world.

ROSALYN MILLER 555 State Street You just can't help liking her.





JOHN ROWE
229 Rogene Street
"Is there anything more to eat!"

JOHN MCSHEA
4950 Dewey Avenue
A silent man has no need to fear
what he has said.





CLARA SHEA
184 Latta Road
A mischievous twinkle in her eye
and a frank spoken word that
does not lie.

ROSALVN PETERSEN
3995 Lake Avenue

Let no one silence me—I know
what I want to say.





WILFRED SHEPPLER
69 Stonewood Avenue
"Is that the Governor calling me
on the phone!"

LEE PHILLIPS
177 Cherry Road

Apples and fritters may come and
go, but Lee sells on forever.





Howard Sparrord 42 Holcroft Road Just as Hollywood has its Gable, so Charlotte has its "Howie."

JACK POPLE
5358 St. Paul Boulevard
Silence is golden but be moderate
in all things.





RAYMOND SPAFFORD
42 Holcroft Road

When Ray comes over the air,
we'll all stop breathing.

MABLE TALBOT 150 Chelford Road "What next!"





DAVID WAGNER
33 Pullman Avenue

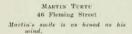
He who sleeps dines, so Dave is a hearty eater.

JUNE TUPPER
98 Grassmere Park
All who saw, admired.





VERNA WEITZEL
239 Britton Road
Modesty is a lovely grace.







RUTH WEMPLE
4488 Mt. Read Boulevard
The thoughtful member of our
class; though quiet she's an
ambitious lass.







Hiram Zuker Latta Road An everyday fellow is often more interesting than a genius.

HARRY LENNON
5168 St. Paul Boulevard
When homework and pleasure
clash just let the homework
go to smash.

Class of January, 1936

Robert Wright, Pirates of Penzance 2; Apollo Choir 3; International Relations Club 4; French Honor Society 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; South in Sonora 3; Inter-high Chorus 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Service League 3; Senior Council 4; Executive Council 4; Witan 4; Richard Mawson, Service League 3; Soccer 3, 4; Witan 4; James Krickmire, Memorial Scholarship Drive 4; National Honor Society 4; Service League 2, 4; Ten-Ten Committee 4; Track Team 2, 3, 4; Witan 4; Phyllis Wolz, Baseball 2; French Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2: Honor Bowling Team 2, 3, 4; Hit Pin Baseball 2; International Relations Club 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Pilot Staff 4; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Soccer 2, 3; Senior Council 3, 4; Executive Council 4; Swimming 2; Ten-Ten Committee 4; Tennis 2, 3; Witan 4; Dorothy M. Bebee, Honor Baseball Team 2, 3, 4; Bowling 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Bowling Manager 4; Messiah 3; Honor Bowling Team 3, 4; Honor Soccer Team 3; Honor Volleyball Team 2, 3; Henry Beisheim, Radio Club 3; Witan 4; Betty Black, Baseball 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Candy Committee 4, French Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 3; National Honor Society 4; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Service League 2, 3; Soccer 2, 3; Senior Council 3; Ten-Ten Committee 4; Tennis 2, 3; Witan 2, 3, 4; Donald J. Bragg, Witan 4; Eleanor Brown, Basketball 2; Chi-Y 2, 3, 4; Service League 4: George Brown, Leaders Group 4; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Officials Club 2, 3, 4; Our American Cousin 4; Service League 2; Witan 4; James Clark, Banking Committee 3; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Hi-Y 3; Service League 3; Soccer 3, 4; Frederick DeMarse, Basketball (Manager) 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Gordon DeMato, Northern Light 3; Service League 3; Witan 4; Albert Dickson, French Honor Society 3; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Soccer (Manager) 4; Ethel Mae Falk, International Relations Club 4; Optimates 3, 4; Service League 3; Witan 4; Marjorie Eusterman, Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Inter-high Pres.; Chorus 3; Service League 2, 3, 4; Ten-Ten Committee 4; Witan 4; Edmund Grabowski, Soccer 4: Swimming 2; Track Team 2; Wrestling 2, 3; Elizabeth Graham, Banking Committee 2; Soccer 3; Volleyball 2; Witan 4; Madeline Harris, Book Exchange 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Messiah 3; Service League 4; Executive Council 4; Tennis 4; Witan 4; Elsie Louise Haynes, Banking Committee 3, 4; Candy Committee 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Ruth Hewett, Candy Committee 4; French Honor Society 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3; Optimates 3, 4; Service League 2; Witan 4; Frances Jackson, Chi-Y 2; Dramalots 3; Glee Club 2; Senior Council 2, 4; Ten-Ten Committee 3; LeRoy Johnson, Service League 4; Ten-Ten Committee 4; Track Team 4; Witan 4; Lyle Klier, Baseball 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Leaders Group 3, 4; Service League 3; Soccer 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3; Bowling 2, 3, 4; Motor Club 4; Evelyn Lissow, Candy Committee 4; Chi-Y 2, 3, 4; Service League 3, 4; Witan 4; Selma Michel, Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Leaders Group 3, Soccer 2, 3; Senior Council 3; Tennis 2; Volleyball 2, 3; Rosalyn Miller, Book Exchange 4; Commercial Honor Society 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Service League 4; Tennis 4; Witan 4: Thelma Peterson, Service League 3, 4; Soccer 3; Witan 4; Lee Phillips, Candy Committee 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Inter-high Chorus 4; Apollo Choir 2, 3; South in Sonora 2; Pirates of Penzance 3; Jack Rowe, Leaders Group 3, 4; Service League 4; Senior Council 2; Witan 4; Clara Shea, Banking Committee 2; Basketball 2, 3; Candy Committee 4; French Honor Society 3, 4; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Service League 3, 4; Soccer 3; Witan 4; Wilfred Sheppler, Optimates 2, 3, 4; Witan 4; International Relations Club 4; Howard Spafford, Glee Club 4; Ghost of Lollypop Bay 4; Radio Club 3; Service League 4: Witan 4: Raymond Spafford, Northern Light 3; Memorial Scholarship Fund Committee 4; Radio Club 3; Soccer (Manager) 3; Track Team (Manager) 3; Witan 4; June Tupper, Baseball 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Candy Committee 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3; International Relations Club 4; Leaders Group 3; Optimates 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2; Soccer 2, 3; Witan 4; Martin Turtu, Bowling Team 4, Northern Light 2, 3; Witan 4; Beatrice Van Kesteren, Baseball 2, 3, 4; Chi-Y 2; Dramalots 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Bowling Team 3, 4; Soccer 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1, 2; Ten-Ten Committee 2, 3; Witan 2, 4,; David Wagner, Baseball 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Leaders Group 3; Service League 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Motor Club 3; Soccer 3, 4; Senior Council 3; Swimming 2; Ten-Ten Committee 3; Witan 2; Verna Weitzel, Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Messiah 3; Service League 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3; Ruth Wemple, Service League 4; Witan 4; Hiram Zuker, Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Service League 2, 3.

The Conquest

Now, boys and girls, since Caesar and his army have at last invaded Gaul let us trace their development and effect on this noble country. What a queer, shambling old place this country was. (the old building in 1930, if you haven't caught on yet) But they had to settle down, choose their rulers, and prepare to convert those hardened Gauls to their own customs. (the class of '36 for those of you still in the fog) So a great mass meeting was called and strange to say, in that great country, they really found the grandest lady to pilot them, a Miss Ethel Caragher. Caesar (James Clark) was then decided on as president, Roberta Hunt as vice-president, and Howard Edmondson as secretary.

What a grand time that army of people had during their first two years in the new country. Though looked down upon by natives it bothered them not, so engrossed were they in their daily business. A frequent habit was to "cut" a morning session to see some good entertainer in the native theatre and lunch room. (the old assembly hall, first lunch period for you still lost) They didn't like it so well but what of it! Well, after two years the country became reconciled to the invaders and when they reached the eighth division of intelligence the native assembly hall was given over to them for a party. And what a time they had! True Roman food such as that assembly hall had seldom seen, and dancing such as will never again be seen! Stanley Root, in the true style of our old Roman aedile, favored his public by running the old popular instrument, the victrola, for dancing. How thrilled all the young ladies were to dance with Mr. Miller, another native who had consented to show us around during the second year in our new country. Miss Bitter, a guest, aided by conducting a game of Truth or Consequences.

Finally came the time when we were entitled to join the ranks of the natives, our first year as important people. The ceremony, held in the assembly hall was an impressive one. At this time a group of people because of superior intelligence, were admitted into our rank to join in the first year. They were naturally resented at first but since that time have developed into part of the cream of the crop. At the ceremony, music occupied a large place on the program. Phyllis Wolz played The Blue Bells of Scotland (what a job, shipping those over) June Tupper played Traumerei on the flute and James Clark played Chanson Triste on the cello. (He was so noble strumming away high up on his toes) As a grand finale a chair which looked suspicious before-hand collapsed 'neath the weight of an enthusiastic spectator. But that was bound to happen.

At last they were building a new country. That old one had been used long enough. A few of the natives were allowed to spend part of their time in the new republic, (the new school to you). But in a few years the new city was complete and the entire country, natives and invaders passed into its noble halls. In the course of the four years there, the old army became steeled to the customs and passed into leadership in many fields. They felt at home and held more parties and picnics as a result. Now, though Caesar (Robert Wright, our president) and his army are ready to leave this great old place and conquer new worlds they will ever remember this place which first trained them in the technique of conquest.

CLASS HISTORIANS

Class Will

E, the class of January 1936, do hereby publish our last will and testament! 1. To Miss Doehler, we leave the memory of "Bob" Wright.

- To some ambitious chemistry student, we leave Donald Bragg's way with Mr. Bird.
- 3. To the coming senior class, we leave Lee Phillip's high pressure salesmanship. (You'll need it).
- To Miss Cashman, we leave the rest of the Delta Beta Delta Fraternity.
- To him who can best use it we leave Leroy Johnson's height.
- To Judson Wagner, we leave our modesty.
- 7. To Charles Smail, we leave, with good intentions, George Brown's athletic prowess.
- To future teams we leave some of Eddie Grabowski's, Jimmie Clark's, and Dick Mawson's ability.
- To Howard Burritt, we leave Gordon DeMato's knack of wearing clothes.
- To Lucy Lyons, we leave Clara Shea's coquetry.
- To future Memorial Scholarship drives we leave James Krickmire's persuasive pleas for support.
- To Mr. Enright, we leave the perfect stage crew.
- 13. To the next class we leave our place in the front of the assembly where you can plainly hear the squeaks of the stage floor.
- To little John Dey, we leave Charles Carson's physique.
- 15. To Miss Goff, we leave the hope for a perfect history class where everyone does his assignment.

We do hereby appoint Miss Bitter and Mr. Tichenor the sole executors of our last will. To them we leave our ever bountiful appreciation and the hope that they have still a few hairs not turned gray.

Class Testators.

MIXED IN VERSE

Oh, I am a jolly bum, a jolly bum,
I live like a royal Turk;
I have good luck in bumming and "chuck"
And I never bother to work.

Along the railroad track one day
A piece of paper I spied;
It said, "If we draw your number next May,
Around the world you'll ride."

I hopped a freight to Albany
In hopes and dreams of luxury;
Of places filled with milk and honey,
To be mine as soon as I got my money.

I reached my destination
Full of hope and anticipation;
I hopped off at the station
And proceeded on my way.

The hall was bright and glare-y, And I began to get bleary, With cigar and cigarette smoke Strong enough to make one choke.

The din was most unreal;
My limbs seemed made of steel,
As the number was drawn from the box;
I could hear the ticking of many clocks.

The number six, six, six, six, one was shouted I started as if I had been clouted,
My number was six, six, six, six, one;
My legs seemed to weigh a ton.

My throat was dry, my chest a-heaving
I felt very dizzy and scarcely breathing,
I showed my ticket, for it was mine,
I heard one say its one, nine, nine, nine,
nine.

My head stopped whirling, My legs grew light, Well, anyway it was one swell fight, I had awakened as from a slumber Only to find I had the wrong number.

LEROY JOHNSON, '36.

THIRTEEN



MRS. MADELYN WALKER DENISE University of Rochester, B. A. Columbia, M. A.

David Gilkeson, Secretary and Standard Bearer 57 Pollard Avenue I'll do my best and forget the rest.

Mr. L. Carleton Thayer
University of Rochester, B. A.,
M. S.

EUGENE IVANSON, President 436 Washington Avenue Peter The Great was a reformerAndrew Halbleib, Vice-President 3750 Lake Avenue He is a master in the art of blushing.

Alice May Justice, Guardian of the Flag 30 Mill Road The best girls make the least noise,

WILLIAM ALBERT
93 Pollard Avenue

Bis thoughts are deep, quietly ex-





CAROLINE BREWER 417 Lake Avenue "Steadfast, I stand---"

ROBERT ALDRICA Beach Avenue Nary, here I come!





BARBARA BUDLONG 57 Holcroft Road Life is a song—!

Margaret Ames 209 LeRoy Street Quiet, courageous, shy, her aims are always high.





GEORGE CLARK
403 Stonewood Avenue

He makes a solitude, and calls it peace,

Bernadine Barthelman 260 Windsor Road She has a heart with room for every joy.





Beryl Corry 69 Boulevard Parkway Always ready to serve when you have broken brough her reserve.

SAGER BARTON
130 Castleford Road
"I like to do my homework after
school."





 $\begin{array}{cccc} & \text{Betty Costain} \\ & 254 & \text{Haviland Park} \\ & & & \\ \textit{The pearl is within the oyster.} \end{array}$

VIRGINIA BOURBON 34 Revere Street Pert and pretty.





AMELIA DANESI
34 Hughes Place
Not hashful, just reserved.

FIFTEEN

FLORENCE DEVINNEY 28 Beverly Heights An efficient business woman,





FLORENCE GORDON
4717 Lake Avenue
She laughs, and we laugh with her.

PAULINE EARL 296 Conrad Drive Look no further. For have found a triend





DOROTHY GRAHAM
Irene Street
This Dot not only ends but begins things.

ELEANOR FEARNLEY
124 Hoover Road
She can't come back too soon.





George Graham
47 Sheppler Street
One doesn't have to talk loud to
be important.

SUZANNE FISLER
133 Cherry Road
"I'd rather dance than eat or sleep."





DOROTHY GUGEL 15 Meriden Street Dark, radiant beauty

George Formner
22 Barnard Street
Eventually, why not now!





VINCENT HARDING
49 Worcester Road

Lessons are all right—in their
place.

BEATRICE GOLDTHORPE 213 Hager Road We know little of her, but that is good,





PAUL HAUSER
145 Rock Beach Road
Life is short so I must play.

SIXTEEN

Kenneth Henderson 129 Meridan Street He is a practical man and an idealist.





IRMA KOLMEIER
570 Long Pond Road
A shy little loss with a quiet manner.

ELIZABETH JEFFERS 39 McEwen Road Short and sweet.





VIOLET KRECH 513 Stone Road A good deal concentrated in a little.

JANE JUNGJOHAN 403 Melville Street Jolly as the day is long





ROBERT LAFAVE 3951 Lake Avenue Wit and personality have characterized many great men.

ARLINE KENYON
28 Wendhurst Drive
Fearless minds climb first unto
crowns.





ALBERTA LEE
15 River Heights Road
The best things come in small
packages.

DAVID KINNEY 105 McEwen Road He has the pluck and persecerance to win,







ARNOLD KOETH
81 Wendhurst Drive
I may be small, but I shall be heard.





Helen Luffman 24 Ontario View Street Capable, conscientions, cute.

SEVENTEEN

AGNES MCKNIGHT 133 Chalford Road Noble in every thought and deed,





Betty Ragan 57 Brackton Street "Sweet personality, full of rasculity!"

ELOISE MITCHELL 22 Pollard Avenue My wealth is my health,





JOSEPH REARDON
22 Belford Drive
4 man of the world.

ALMA NATHAN 16 Ardmore Street Wit and charm combined.





Litalian Rivest 65 Alpha Street A merry heart yoes all the way.

Stephen O'brien 86 Atwell Street The unswer to a maiden's prayer.





Eva Mae Ross 972 Britton Road A combination of sense and nonsense.

Marion Paulsen 186 Wendhurst Drive She's all our funcy would have ber be.





Helen Schantz 655 Beach Avenue You'll know her by her radiant smile.

ROBERT POLAND
91 Dorsey Road
Of course, I did my hamework.





MARGARET SCHLENKER
505 Edgemere Drive
Her jovial manner makes you love her,

VERA SCHLENKER 156 California Drive We think she is much too quiet.





GLADYS THORPE 30 Barone Road She may be little, but, uh my?

HAROLD SHAFFER
45 Holcomb Street
The spirit of Charlette High School.



MARGARET WATT 108 Cheltenham Road Dur nominee for an ideal girl,

MARY SIMONDS
416 Stone Road

Ret hair denotes n sunny disposition.





ELEANOR TRUESDALE 140 Wyndham Road She has a humor all her own.

HERRERT SMITH
1099 Bennington Drive
He is not as common as his name.





RUTH TURK
4195 Lake Avenue
Quite true and stendy; always
ready.

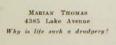
LEON JAMES STONE
124 LeRoy Street

Ah, sweet mysery of life, at last
you're found me.





ROBERTA VANVALKENBURGH
633 Lake Avenue
Charming, disarming, adorably
alarming.







BETTY WAGNER
170 Stonewood Avenue
Tall and beautiful; liked by ali

NINETEEN

RHODA WEEKS 35 Beach Terrace

You can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool me.



RALPH WILSON 4451 Lake Avenue "I must down to the sen again-

WILLARD WEST 223 Warwick Avenue Great things in life our Bill will d



BRUCE WYMAN 29 Boulevard Parkway There is nothing more interesting than a radio.







ESTHER ZEITLIN 56 Alpha Street Daughter of the gods, divinely tall,

THOMAS COLEMAN 64 Brocton Street representative from way out

FLOYD OATMAN 47 Hollywood Avenue

EUGENE KRAPE 249 Alpine Road Life is work and play; why work?

RALPH WILSON 4451 Lake Avenue

In The Dim Dark Ages

Not many years ago we were just children, with but one ambition and thatto play. As children we entered high school, we had parties, we attended many interesting, though not to us, assemblies, we elected our classmates for various offices; we, ourselves, perhaps, served our school officially. In our third year a committee from our class arranged the senior party. One of our boys, David Gilkeson president of the executive council. Our class, as I suppose every class has, has artists. Among them are: machinists, Herb Smith, L. James Stone; artisans skilled in parliamentary law, R. Wilson, M. Schlenker, E. Ivanson; a French poet, Caroline Brewer; an English poet, Alma Nathan; sportsmen, Steve O'Brien, Paul Hauser, Bill West, Dave Kinney; sportswomen, Dorothy Graham, Eloise Mitchell, et cetera into eternity; musicians, "Barb" Budlong, "Bob" Poland, and Alberta Lee.

Then, too, we have made the school what it is. (What is it?) As "freshies" we traveled between buildings on opposite sides of Lake Avenue until the new school was finally completed. Remember the pounding of workmen's hammers and the noisy machines? Our intelligent and carefree abilities were devoted to our new school. We continued our service by arranging the senior party in our third year; it was very successful.

In our first year we had to use the pools of other schools in order to swim. During this time Harold Shaffer was the school swimming champion. Our heads rose when we saw our own new pool, but soon lowered when the Board of Education added a prohibition amendment to the constitution of Rochester schools. We hope our followers will find water in it before they have to leave.

Members of our class participated variously in radio broadcasts over station WHEC. Among them were George Graham, David Gilkeson, Robert LaFave, Robert Poland, and Kenneth Henderson.

Did you know:

- 1. That one of our homeooms had 100% in 10-10?
- 2. That D. Gilkeson and A. Halbleib won popularity contests in our sophomore year?
- 3. That our class was near the top, if not the top in donations to the Memorial scholarship Fund?
 - 4. That D. Gilkeson won a trip through Southern Historical Battlefields?
 - 5. That R. LeFave was toastmaster at the awards night supper?

Losses as well as additions pursue everyone through life, our two greatest losses were Eileen Guyett who has had a nervous breakdown, and Eleanor Fearnley who has been forced to leave Charlotte to attend Irondequoit because her parents purchased a home there. But our additions are not occasions for sorrow! We are very happy to have "Wee Willie" West, "Bob" LaFave, and "Bob" Aldrich with us.

There are those who say little, yet accomplish much; Margaret Ames. Ruth Turk, Gladys Thorpe, Beatrice Goldthorpe, etc. What could we do without Joe Reardon—or without Betty Wagner to help us on the Witan?

The most dominant factor in our class history is the TEACHERS, guiding us, advising us, and with parental cooperation they have made us in an indisputable sense.

We, the class imbeciles (historians to you) instigators of this document hope you will regard this as "senior" and forgive our making a class prophecy, more or less, of a class history. Of course, you can't tell what is going to happen to some, or what has already happened to others.

Hereby submitted but not for your approval,

CAROLINE BREWER,
DAVID GILKESON,
Historians.

To some, histories are dull and dry To them then, this will be null and wry.

Class of June, 1936

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Conservation in the School

It is well known that an idea impressed firmly in one's mind early in life will remain there forever. We are taught early in life that it is wise to save and how wrong it is to destroy. Just so, the child in school should be taught the wickedness of destroying the wild life without regard for the future.

In school is the place to educate the child on the countless benefits received from our rapidly diminishing wild life and natural resources. If these facts were thoroughly impressed upon every child's mind after he had attained his growth he would be a better enlightened citizen.

H. A. NEVILLE, '38

Optimates

The Alpha Chapter of the citywide Latin Honor Society, the Optimates, was formed in 1930. Now there is a chapter in each of the Senior Academic High Schools with the exception of East, which has its own society.

In order to become a member of the Optimates, one must at the end of the I-2 or any other term thereafter, have at least an average of B in Latin.

This year at the first meeting the active members elected these officers for the September to January term: First Consul, Normn Jacobs; Second Consul, Wilfred Sheppler; Scriba, Herbert Smith; Quaestor, David Gilkeson; Aedile, Robert LaFave; Nuntius, Newton Odell.

At the banquet to be held with the Gamma Chapter of John Marshall early in December, these new members will be inducted: Virginia Brace, Corrine Carroll, Robert Cliquenoi, George Foehner, June Griswold, William Howard, John Manhold, Helen Morrison, Virginia Orman, David Parr, Jean Rockcastle, Gladys Thorpe, Eleanor Fearnley.

Eleanor Fearnley has been forced to transfer to Irondequoit High School but we are keeping her name as one of our members.

NEWTON ODELL,

Nuntius.

In All Seriousness

The first essential elements of successful speaking are lies and a one-sided personality. A poor posture as well as a blank mind are next. Then comes the task of developing a squeaky voice and choppy tones, long windedness, weak projection. Never have an intense interest in your vocabulary, which should be very limited.

According to leading politicians, the principal qualities to be developed are undecision, a blank mind, laziness and un-naturalness.

A speaker should cultivate the habit of never knowing what he is talking about. The extemporaneous style of delivery should be the ultimate aim of every speaker. To this end the knack of forgetfulness should be attained in the highest possible degree.

Silence offers one of the best and most practical helps to the study of speaking.

TWENTY-THREE

ROLL CALL

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NAME	WE CALL THEM	Новву	Ambition	PET EXPRESSION
R Aldrich	Bob	Rozzie	Head of U. S. N.	Can't Fool Me!
R. Aldrich W. Albert M. Ames	Willie	Travel	Engineer of 20th Century	
M. Ames	Marge	Baseball	"Ouins" Secretary	Hey! You know what?
B. Barthelman	Barky	Skating	Champion Knitter	You know it!
S. Barton	Sag	Being alone	Always having math done	Skip it!
V. Bourbon	Ginger	Souveniers	Old maid with or-	After all!
C D	Y	Souveniers	phanage	I'm choking with glee
C. Brewer	Lynn Barb	New York	Be a Lynn Fontaine Sing "Sextet" from	O. K. Dearie
B. Budlong	Баго	New Tork	Lucia alone	O. It. Dearte
G. Clarke	Georgie Porgie	Chemistry	L. D.	Oh gee!
T. Coleman	Kansas	Tennis	To be seen and not	Ain't it so, Gussie?
			heard	Carlotte Charles and Carlotte Carlotte
B. Costain	Bets	Skating	Be an opera singer Be a Venus DeMilo	Oh, gosh!
B. Corey	Neb	Wisecracks	Be a Venus DeMilo	Anywhoo
A. Danesi	Me	Movie photos	Travel	For crying out loud Hello, Darling!
F. DeVinney G. Foehner	Toots	Souvenirs from boys Hunting	Be ideal secretary Fly in the clouds	rieno, Daring:
F. Gordon	Georgie Florrie	Collecting pennies	Be able to sing	Listen!
G. Graham	Grahamy	Airplanes	Transport pilot	Oh, yeah!
D. Graham	Dot	Knitting	Transport pilot To join Ethiopian	
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D. Gilkeson	Dave	Photography	To usurp Roy Andrews	Most of an absurd cer-
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B. Goldthorpe	Bea	Roller Skating	Ambassador to Denmark	Aw-Nuts! Hey! Miss Doehler
A. Halbleib	Andy	Being polite	Solve a perfect crime	Oh, yeah!
K. Henderson	Ken Hugo	Radio Swimming	Editor of Bugle Lady Killer	Oh, yean:
V. Harding	Vin		Live on a desert island	Oh, you! Nuts!
P. Hauser V. Harding E. Ivanson	Ivie	Jazz Orchestra Ice Hockey	Soap Box Speaker Be a bachelor's wife Make the boys' team	Down with Capitalism!
A. Justice	Alie	Collecting photos	Be a bachelor's wife	I only got 95
A. Justice V. Krech	Vi	Sports	Make the boys' team	Gee whiz!
A. Kenyon	Scoop	Embalming	***************************************	Hon
A. Koeth	Kootie	Dancing	To be a James Cagney	That's what I want to
I. Koehlmeier	Irmie	Knitting	Be an old maid	Eek!
D. Kinney	lummer	Photography	Manager of Red Wings	For goodness sakes!
H. Luffman	Hoppy	Music	Sing in Metropolitan	For goodness sakes! You know it!
H. Luffman A. Lee	Hoppy Midge	Collecting Safety Pins	Happy Marriage	Got the Jitters!
R. LaFave	Bob	Tropical Fish	Sing in Metropolitan Happy Marriage Speak German	Those Guys
B. LeRoy	Bernie	Reading Love Story	Be a school mam	
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A. McKnight E. Mitchell	Aggie	Architecture	Get to school on time	Oh—I say!
A. Miller	Sally Sardines	Telling jokes Photography	Loyal to the only one Take bigger and bet-	Nuts to you! I was taking pictures
A. Miller	Sarumes	enotography	ter pictures	t was taking pictures
A. Nathan	Peanuts	Writing	To do her tob	No!!!
S. O'Brien	Steve	Sleeping	Be Rip Van Winkle	You dope!
R. Poland	Fluffy	Music	Be Rip Van Winkle Bigger and better	You dope! Fluff!
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M. Paulson	Mary	Tennis	Be a public speaker	Oh Chee!
E. Ross J. Reardon	Eva Lilacs	Girl Scouts Smoking cigarettes	Scout Leader Gigolo	Sez you!
L. Rivest	Lill	Music Music	Piano teacher	Donovan, you're nuts! And how!
B. Ragan	Bets	Talking on telephone	Go to Porto Rica	You know?
M. Schlenker	Peggy	Knitting	Be a blues singer	And so-o-o
V. Schlenker	Pete	Skating	Cowgirl	
H. Smith	Herb	Drumming	Travel	I don't know
H. Schantz	Schantzie	Books	Read a book	Oh say!
J. Stone	Stonic	Airplanes	Be on the Ethiopian	2 2 2
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M. Simonds	Moe	Raising China pigs Girls	Head of Orphanage Marry a Rich Girl	Well gee
H. Shaffer M. Thomas	Tommy	Drawing	Illustrate	I don't know I'll tell you tomorrow!
E. Truesdale	Truesey	Animals	To raise monkeys	My Sweet
G. Thorpe	Glad	Dancing	Get a man	That's what you think
The Physical C	Turkey	Collecting poetry	Have a pet monkey	It gets me down
R. VanValkenburg B. Wyman M. Wills	Bobbie	Spook Parties	Be an ideal wife	Just like Harold
B. Wyman	Dope	Radio	Sleep continually	Yowsah
M. Wills	Mame	Piano playing		I'll bite!
R. Weeks	Woda	Vic	Professional model	It's the smartest idea
M. Wagner	Betty	The Navy	Have fun	That's what you get
M. Watt	Marg	Sports	Big league baseball	
W. West	Bill	Sailing, sailing	Not to be picked on	You're not kidding
W. West R. Wilson	Bost	Boating	To be a heart-breaker	
E. Zeitlin	E-z	Collecting blank verse	To swim Lake Ontario	Got any gum?
S. Fisler	Susabella	j Scrapbooks dancing	To be a heart breaker	Huh??
E. Jeffers	Betty	Giggling	To marry young	I wouldn't know
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Cherrup!

First Prize

PEN season has arrived for autumn hikes, tinted leaves, chilly evenings, scampering squirrels, harvest moons and—crickets.

To be quite frank, the cricket season is open all year 'round, but now is the time when all good little crickets, who do not wish to encounter any bad, bad snowstorms, seek the nice warm shelter of somebody's home. If you were unacquainted with the cricket problem, you would say, "My goodness! Why raise all this fuss over a poor little insect who is too big to be a bodily stowaway and too petite to bring tracks in on the kitchen floor?" Ah! but you know only too well that the cricket does not offend in the visual sense, but rather, it is an auditory disturbance that he (or she, as the case may be) causes.

In my study of etymology, I have found that the members of the order of orthoptera of the class insecta (under which the cricket is classified) have four wings; two with which to fly and two as ornaments or protections, like covers on spare tires. Efficiency is the cricket's main theme of life. But here he is with a pair of wings subtracting from his payload and no apparent use for them.

The cricket, thinking in line with civiliza-

tion, has learned to control his emotions somewhat; at the same time life has many trials and tribulations for the orthopter-ians as well as for humans. Drat it all! A cricket must have some outlet for his emotions.

The cricket (the following may be shocking but this text is written to show the true and uncensored facts about the cricket problem) puts his hind feet on the lower ridges of those extra flippers and rubbing them back and forth produces a high pitched sound. Some people believe this sound to be peaceful and consoling while others believe it to be a "confounded nuisance." It was found that this difficulty could not be remedied by the segregation of humans according to their likes and dislikes of the sound, because most humans who can tolerate each other's company cannot tolerate each other's views on the cricket's creak. Therefore it was pointed out that action must not be taken on the human side of the argument, but it was the cricket which would have to be worked on.

My only experiment was a failure, but perhaps someone in reading this may correct the flaw, thereby saving mankind from many nervous breakdowns. Working on the idea that

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TWENTY-FIVE

His Grand Day

First Prize

ILBUR PERCIVAL SMITH, known to his partners in mischief as Burr, turned his head to the left and informed his impatient mother that he was dressed, washed, and would be down to breakfast immediately. After five more minutes he climbed out of bed. At the same time that Burr had decided to reach for his first stocking, a juvenile whistle was heard in the front vard, directly beneath his window, think was to act with the Smiths. In five minutes Burr was dressed, had washed his left ear, the tip of his nose, and three fingers of his right hand, the ones that held the wash cloth, With a clumsy bound he rushed out of the bathroom, leaving three towels and a tooth brush on the floor. He expertly dodged the dog as he skidded down the hall, hit every fifth step of the stairs and finally catapulted at full speed into the dining room table. His mother, in the kitchen, heard the uproar with an enduring and significant smile. As Wilbur Percival sauntered nonchalantly into his mother's presence, the cellar door opened and his father entered the room.

"Pa?" pleaded Burr.

"Now don't start that again, first thing in the morning," said his father fiercely. "Is that all you think of?"

"Mother, can'tcha tell 'im that all the boys

got knickers?"

"Listen, son," his father started, "I think that Standard Oil Stock is—I mean you're not old enough to wear pants. Oh bah! What are you standing there for? Eat your breakfast! It's almost nine o'clock."

"No! I'm not going to school unless I kin have knickers like the rest of the fellows."

"I say you are. Who's boss around here? That's what I want to know," bellowed Mr Smith belligerently.

"Now, father, please," said Mrs. Smith.

"That's how all you women are, always interfering an' trying to make your boy grow up a sissy. Don'tcha think I know how to handle boys?"

"Of course, I-"

"And furthermore, now that we've started. Why did you tell the storekeeper I'd pay him on Monday? You always commit me to my business acquaintances. You're always naggin' and demandin' money. Do you think I'm made of money?"

But by this time Mort Flyn, Burr's friend, and Burr were on their way to school. They were trotting along in a grotesque fashion, one moment their legs stiff, the next moment they were wrapped chummily around the neckties, at the same time administering a severe jolt to the chin. Burr was riding his favorite steed. Lightning, and Mort bestrode his equally favorite charger, Mike. Just as Mort had run his lance through the villain and Burr had deftly loaded his deadly six gun, they pranced into a boy, resembling, somewhat, Mort's villain.

"Oh, I see. You're tryin' to put somethin' over on me, hey?" the villain remarked sarcastically.

Mort decided to do a little quick transforming, and became Mort again. Burr also decided to drop the cowboy act. They cringed back against the side of a building and turned dazzling, if somewhat toothless smiles on Jack Garner, the villain. Tack was big, poor, and a rather diffident bully. He was fourteen and had seen two boats and a soldier at the Fairport County Fair. He was, therefore, an admired and awing individual. Today Jack wore a commonplace, undistinguished shirt, a pair of shoes with a past, and a pair of bulgy, dirty, but gallant knickers. His uneducated eve. very shiftless, fell on Burr's shorts, a pair of invigorating pants, with French seams and a blue and vellow check.

"Gimme dem pants, kid, or I'll take 'em, he said, coming closer and poking a suggestive

fist into Percival's face.

Burr started to refuse, and fight like a cowboy, six guns roaring, when suddenly he had an inspiration.

"Say, Jack! If I give ya these, will ya gimme them pants of yours?" he said with an ingratiating smile.

"Well—Okay, kid, it's a go." Jack immediately stepped behind an ash can and began to peel off his clothes.

Although Jack was anxious and excited at receiving a new pair of pants, our friend Burr

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TWENTY-SIX

You're Telling Me

The Story of Two Boys Who Were Tired of School

Second Prize

OB CARLSON threw open the door of his dormitory quarters and stamped in to find his room-mate, Sandy Payne, standing before the only window in the two-by-four compartment. Without a word he tossed his books upon the bed and flopped his lanky frame into a shabby old chair. He shuffled unconcernedly through a pile of soiled and torn magazines, but soon tired of it and sat back to think. The boy was in an ugly mood. This day had gone all wrong; in fact, the past week or two had been "off" with Bob.

Just now there was a problem on his mind that demanded a prompt solution: Is it the best way out to run away from school in search of adventure and a natural education? This was heavy upon Bob's mind when Sandy suddenly spun around and informed him, "I'm sick of this school, Bob, and of all schools! Some dark night I'm going to clear out!"

For a brief moment Bob stared blankly at his companion. Then his whole countenance brightened and he leaped across the room and clutched Sandy's hand in his own.

"And I'll be with you, pal," he ejaculated. "I feel the same as you do about this school stuff. Let's get out and hunt up real adventure!"

"Do you mean that?" Sandy demanded enthusiastically. "Gosh! That's swell!... Say, what are your reasons? They couldn't be as good as mine, whatever they are."

"That's what you think?" said Bob, flopping down upon the bed. "Why, ever since I came to this 'high class' education joint I've had nothing but bad luck. But the last couple of weeks have been terrible. First I got kicked out of geometry for not doing enough home work. Then I had a row with my English teacher and socked him. That almost got me expelled. Oh, lots of other things have happened. Today I flunked a Latin and a biology test. . . Sounds darn sweet, doesn't it, Sandy?"

"Well," said Sandy, leaning against the wall, "here's a sample of my good fortune the past week or so: First comes the accusation that I've been taking books out of the library here in school without having them stamped. Sure I was guilty, but I didn't like the idea of being called into the office about it. So I pleaded 'not guilty'—and got away with it. Then I was awarded four successive zeros on French tests. And today I was given fair—though it's really unfair—warning that I must show my note book for this term in Physics or drop the subject. Well, I haven't taken any notes. . . The office told me to get somebody from class to help me—but I've got no stand-in with any of those guys.

"Let's beat it tonight," suggested Bob. "Not a chance of getting caught. It'll be a cinch."

"Suits me fine," Sandy said as he rushed to the clothes press and hauled forth a battered suit case. "I have thirty bucks saved up; and you said the other day that you had forty-five tucked away. Say! That'll be swell! We'll live like kings in—"

Sandy stopped short as the door was flung open and a bright-faced youth stepped hurriedly into the room.

"Hello fellows!" he greeted in a jolly tone. "Chuck Watson told me to tip you off that there's gonna be a swell dance at the Hollytune tomorrow night. Better get a Little Dainty piece to whirl around that swell floor they've got. . . . I'll-be-seein'-ya."

The door closed and the gay lad was gone. Sandy turned to his room-mate and said sheepishly:

"1—1 guess we'd better put off our departure until tomorrow, after the dance. Don't you think so, Bob?"

"We-l-l, I guess 'twouldn't be a b-a-d idea at that," Bob was hesitant to answer. Then he quickly continued. "I think I'll go right down and give Betty Dayton a ring. She'll have to do."

"I'll go with you," Sandy quickly said. "I suppose I'll have to ask Ruth Turner. Oh, well, can't always get the cream off the top."

As the last minute of the following day ticked slowly away, Bob Carlson and Sandy Payne entered their little room. The dance at the Hollytune was over, and the girls had been safely delivered to their homes.

"Ah, what a time!" Bob exclaimed. "What

a dance! What a dance hall! And what a girl!"

"And what a sweet little kiss she can give a fellow!"—my sweetheart, I mean," supplemented Sandy, wiping a bit of red from his lips with the back of his hand.

"Yeah!" Bob agreed. "But guess what luck I struck. Betty is going to let me take all of her geometry home work for two weeks back, so that I can get back in class. . . . She's swell all right!"

"That's nothing," boasted Sandy. "Ruth said I could take her physics note book and get my notes caught up. So now I won't get kicked out of that class."

With these happy words Sandy broke out whistling a gay tune. At the same time he spied his suit case laying open upon the bed, half full of clothes. He snatched it up, dumped the contents upon the bed, and slung it into the closet.

"Come on, pal," he then said, "let's get some sleep. You won't catch any teacher saying I look as if I'd been out all night. No, sir. . . . And wait till they come to marking my report card next. Won't they hate to put down those nice-looking marks I'll be deserving."

"You're telling me!" Bob exclaimed in a flash,

VOLNEY LACY, '37.

The First Day

Second Prize

The first thing I did when I entered Junior High School was to look up and down the long corridors for someone I knew. When I saw only strangers I went into the office where I found many of my old grammar school chums. The girl at the desk told us where to go and together we old friends went to our home rooms. When we finally arrived our teacher told us that there would be an assembly and school for only half a day. In the assembly the principal spoke and introduced new teachers. After the assembly the rest of the morning was spent going to classes, in getting acquainted with and meeting many new people. Altogether my first day in Junior High School was interesting and exciting.

LILLIAN LANG, 9B.

As the Milkman Sees the World

The milkman sees the world when it is first waking in the morning. When he goes out on his daily route everything is quiet, except for the "clippety clop clop" of the horse's shoes and the sound of the bottles. Then, at about five-thirty, as he goes along the street, a light pops on in some house. From a quiet world it slowly becomes noisier and noisier as the sun climbs higher into the heavens. Finally he is making his way back to the dairy with cars and trucks whizzing by him at breakneck speed on their way to business. I think you will agree with me that the milkman sees the world from an unusual point of view.

LLOYD CHASE, 9B.

Vain Kitty

Purr, purr, purr, purrs my little yellow kitten, who is sleeping before the fireplace, his smooth glossy, fine, fur, shining in the reflected firelight.

As you look at the happy, peaceful, little animal on the warm slabs of stone, you wonder if it is possible that this same cat was the one who tipped over his milk, jumped on the table, slept on mother's bed, and walked across the kitchen floor with muddy paws, making cute, little tracks on its smooth, clean surface. No, it couldn't be, for he now is so still and sweet, but it must have been him.

You wonder what he is dreaming. Perhaps he is dreaming of the tiny little mouse he caught this morning and proudly displayed as his first catch. He seemed to enjoy his little, black Scotty dog playmate this afternoon, perhaps his dreams are "doggy." Whatever it is, he is immensely contented, for now, he is smiling. The corners of his little mouth are curling up and his whiskers are moving a wee bit.

He is awakening. He rises, stretches, and yawns. He strides steadily and proudly across the room, while all eyes are fixed on him.

What a proud, vain, little creature he is, and so contented with life!

ELEANOR ALLEN, '37.

Diary of Kent Ward

(The World's Worst Liar)

STARTED from Rochester in a Ford (Vintage of 1909) for the west coast, after reading a movie magazine. This trip was to see ho llittle it would cost to travel.

After my study of Physics in Charlotte, I evolved a plan by which I could travel without gasoline. I would coast the car down all hills. Next, I would take Don Bragg with me. When I came to a hill that the car would not coast up. Don would get out in front of the car and talk. This talk, being composed of hot air entirely, would rise, creating a vacuum in front of the car. The cold air behind the car would force it ahead. It would hit him and knock him down a few feet ahead where the process would be repeated.

There was only one thing wrong with that idea—it cost too much to feed Don. But I finally solved that problem by hypnotizing him and painting him black and white. He thought he was a cow and fell to grazing.

The best part of our trip was our lack of trouble. Gosh! I got so tired watching Don fix those sixteen flat tires we had! When we arrived at Chicago, our spare tire looked like a tennis net with the ends tied together.

One day we were going over the crest of a hill when a rear wheel came off and rolled down the hill for about six miles. I went to sleep waiting for Don to walk back and get it. We also burned out a bearing or two and Don got his face so greasy fixing them I had to wipe my face on my underwear for a week so I wouldn't have to use the oily towel.

I forgot to say that Dave Gilkeson went along too. You see, he slept all day and danced all night so we saw very little of him. except when money came from home, or at mealtime. That fellow has more girl-friends than the sailor with a girl in every port. He has 'em every ten miles (that's as far as Lizzie would go without a breakdown).

By leaps and jerks we reached Minneapolis, Dave's "ole home town." He is quite proud of that place and was showing us around one day when we came to the street he once lived on. "I know this street by heart," he boasted. "I'll walk to the house with my eyes closed." He shut his eyes and darned if he didn't walk into an open manhole. We looked in, but things looked rather black. He was wobbly after that fall so we left the town for points South.

We wound up (or rather couldn't wind Lizzie up) near a little town where Dixon Cate is supposed to live. We asked a native how to reach the town. His answer: "Well, now I reckon it's just up the road a piece." Up the road a piece? Twenty-eight miles! I was certainly fagged out steering all that distance while Dave and Don pushed. We called at Cate's, but a negro "flunky" told us he was having his siesta. We called every day for a week, but were always told the same. I guess Dick must have sleeping sickness.

We slept on the ground at our camp grounds. One morning I awoke and started breakfast. I noticed a number of squirrels around but paid them no attention. When Dave and Don arose, I expected to hear a torrent of talk but -although their lips moved I heard nary a sound. I couldn't even hear myself. By that time we were nearly frantic and Dave wrote on a piece of paper-it's only throat trouble we'll go see a doctor and get repaired. We went to the nearest doctor and wrote our trouble to him. He looked at our throats and finally wrote back-your throats are all right. Then he began to laugh. He came over and did something to our ears and dismissed us. I'll be darned if the squirrels hadn't put nuts in our ears! But that isn't all. One morning we heard Don velling at the top of his voice. We investigated and found that the squirrels had carried him half way up a tree. Figure that one out.

We didn't like that town so we left in good ole number 1909. After traveling about ten miles Lizzie stopped by the side of a dump where she fell apart. We buried her in the dump with an appropriate number of tears. The rest of our rides were received on the thumb system. Greeting was given us with due ceremony at home and we were hailed withflying colors—green apples, red, ripe tomatoes and black eyes.

KENT WARD, '36.

Jupiter's Cyclone

"Just twenty-five cents folks, one-quarter of a dollar! Do not miss this collossal, spectacular, thrilling ride on the world's largest and fastest ride of its kind! Minutes of breath taking thrills you'll never forget! Step right up and buy your tickets now!"

I looked up at the subject of the excited barker's description and stood transfixed. Like an enormous snake, coiling round and round, up and down, was the Cyclone. A small train of cars stood ready to accept the first group of thrill-seekers, but I was none too eager to be among the group. People around me whispered about the one hundred fifty foot drop, almost perpendicular. Others talked of the dangerous "square curves." I was, literally, scared stiff to be near the thing.

But the crowd I was with was, for some very obscure reason, thrilled and excited about the ride, and each was eager to go. Result: I had five supposed pals on my neck, trying to persuade me to go. I told them I had indigestion, I pleaded a headache, but to no avail. I knew, if I wanted any peace for the remainder of my visit at Crystal Beach, I would have to ride on the Cyclone, so I braced myself, gritted my teeth, and prepared to go through with the ordeal bravely.

I know I will never experience again the feeling I had when I got into the place reserved for me on the train of cars. I saw myself thrown miles in the air and finally landing in the midst of the great network of coils. I saw my softly lighted casket; I felt that death was stalking up and down that one hundred fifty foot drop.

After a few seconds of awful waiting, the little train began slowly, ominously, to creep forward. It barely crawled, on,on, on, each minute nearing the crest of that terrible drop, so slow, like a lion stalking its prev. And then, before I realized it, like a thunder-bolt hurled by the mighty Jupiter, we went crashing down, down into the very depths of the earth and then up again, around curves, under tunnels, down more hills, hurtling through the sky at a terrible speed, until the train began that slow homeward crawl. When we finally came to a stop at the gate I was too weak to move, too afraid to speak. I had a queer feeling I would never walk again, but with some assistance from my friends I got out of the car and into free air again.

The rest of the crowd turned back many times to look at the enormous structure which had carried them through the air as if on wings, but I never glanced at it again. That weak feeling in my stomach couldn't stand much more.

PHYLLIS WOLZ, '36.

WHAT IS MY FUTURE?

What has the future in store for me? If only I had the right to see. Am I to work in a factory, Or sit at a table and serve tea? Perhaps I will travel far and wide With a handsome prince at my side. But, alas this is too far away For even me to say.

Who knows just what there is in store For me, a weakling on a desert shore? Shall I cast my lot upon the sea, And drift on aimlessly? Or shall I smile and say, Sail on, sail on, 'tis not far away, Then perhaps I shall see the light That makes me want to fight and fight. Clara Shea, '36.

YOUR CHARLOTTE TEAM

Charlotte student,
Why don't you get out,
And know what your team is doing,
And what it's all about!

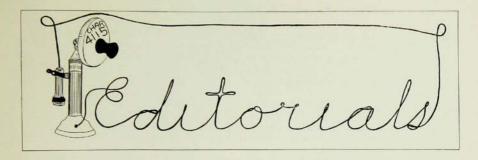
Don't you feel a thrill
When you see the green and white?
Don't you mean it when you say,
"Fight, team, fight?"

Isn't it worth it to shout?
Isn't it worth it to cheer?
If it is, get out for your team,
And they'll win through the whole school
year.

PRISCILLA THOMPSON, 9B

A FRIEND

They say true friendship never fades
As night does into day;
That a friend is very precious
Who in your heart does stay.
MARY SIMONDS, '36.



The Wrong Number

Charlotte High School calling for Witan, June'n January '36. I beg your pardon—you have the wrong number. But do not hang up so soon. You may find the number very useful.

The senior classes this year have attempted something original in their publication, and the Wrong Number is the result of this attempt. The June and January classes have cooperated in producing the combined issue.

The selection of an appropriate cover was very difficult. Many fine cover suggestions were turned in for approval, some very artistic, but the one was chosen which seemed most appropriately suited to the name and theme of the magazine.

Throughout the book there have been made intentional errors in keeping with the theme. The person who turns in the most complete list of errors (and they must be real errors) within twenty-four hours after the book is issued, will have the price of his Witan refunded. For obvious reasons, no intentional mistakes will be found on pages.

Before the idea of having a Wrong Number was adopted, the classes decide to depart from recent procedure and have less space devoted to activities and more to literary material.

After carefully considering the possibilities of the Wrong Number you may hang up. But isn't variety the spice of life, after all?

Members of the present IV-2 class entered Charlotte from fifteen different schools.

Members of the IV-1 class came from twenty-four different schools to find us. Thomas Coleman from Kansas City having come the farthest.

Responsibility

Meeting responsibility is one way in which we should individually show that we are not wrong numbers. It is perfectly all right to put out this Wrong Number of the WITAN, but for us to be that way? Never!

In just our own small community, the school, we have some personal responsibilities to carry. The failure to accept these inevitably results in dissension, disorganization and general unpleasantness. However if each and every one does his small part, the group can work in perfect harmony for an indefinite time.

Imagine a watch with one of those little wheels in the wrong place, or failing to revolve—

ROBERT LAFAVE, '36

Heroes

It is not necessary to subject the world to the terrors of war in order to develop heroes. Our doctors, nurses, and scientists prove that to us. With the minds that Hitler and Mussolini must have, it seems a shame that they have to display such ignorance just to develop heroes and gain a little land. How small we are in mind when compared to our real heroes, who work tirelessly for us in order to make us a happy healthy nation. They should be ashamed to mention war in order to develop heroes, when by declaring war we may lose the real heroes that count.

RHODA WEEKS, '36.

THIRTY-ONE

If the Pen Be Mightier Than the Sword

"To err is human" and as long as it continues thus there is one to whom all humans should pay homage.

Nations honor men who have done noble deeds, citizens salute the flag, songs praise the beauties of nature, memorials commemorate important battles, but nowhere in the annals of history does anyone pay due tribute to the Eraser.

When first the young boy enters school he is introduced to Friend Eraser on the end of his pencils to correct mistakes in his wabbly "A B C's." Soon Friend Eraser rubs out his errors on the slate or blackboard when his arithmetic problems just refuse to come out right. Next, with ink-stained fingers, he will welcome our ever-willing friend to remove his scrawling misspelled words. Perhaps he may later be initiated into the mysteries of the type-writer where the Eraser will be his constant servant.

Look at all the books lining the shelves of a library and consider how many erasers have been ground to death in the process of their composition and remember that nothing written cannot be changed and disastrous effects removed when you ask the aid of the conquerer of the pen.

If the pen be mightier than the sword, let us not forget the eraser.

MARGARET AMES, '36.

He Was All Wrong

Bill and I were riding out in the country on our bicycles. We were talking about safety rules. As we rode, Bill drifted out toward the center of the road. I warned him to be careful, and just after he came over to the side again a car whized by.

"You might have been hit, if you had been in the middle of the road," I warned him.

Farther down the road the same car with a reckless driver came to a curve. He tried to pass another car and had almost succeeded when "Bang"! it crashed into one going in the opposite direction. Both cars were badly smashed up, but no one was injured seriously.

"That ought to teach him a lesson," said my companion.

However, some people never learn a lesson and it is always that kind of a person who eventually kills or injures someone. Bill was fortunate that day, and ever since he has avoided the center of the road when riding his cicycle.

Obey the safety officers at school and study the safety rules. Remember always that it is better to lose a minute crossing the street than to lose your life. A. Landry, '39.

G. A. A. News

Soccer was the first major sport welcomed by the girls for the fall season. Four teams, a Junior Team, and a Senior team participated in an inter-class tournament. The juniors were victorious.

The highest honor that can be obtained by a girl in this sport is to be chosen for the Honor Team. The girls chosen this year were: Jean Mahaney, Marian Paulsen, Gertrude Carroll, Margaret Koehler, Mary Simonds, Julia Rodak, Betty Belmont, Ruth Boylan, Colleen Lavell. Substitutes were: Helen Dougherty. Beatrice Goldthorpe, June Bell, Pearl Herring, Edna Nicol, Irene Bollengier, June Rapiar.

Bowling was held this year at the Ridge Road Bowling Alleys, under the supervision of Miss O'Connor. No inter-class tournaments were held, but there was keen personal competition. The highest score of the season, 148, was made by Dorothy Beebee. Phyllis Wolz had the highest average, 116. An Honor Team was chosen, made up of the highest ranking bowlers. The girls chosen were: Phyllis Wolz, Margaret Watt, Dorothy Cox, Beatrice Van Kesteren, Dorothy Beebee.

During the fall season Thursday was Tennis day for Senior and Junior High students. Six senior high school girls received O.K.'s in attendance: Betty Ragan, Esther Zeitlin, Violet Reeves, Helen Ryan, Muriel Stallbaum, Marian Strebb.

On Wednesday, November thirteenth, twenty-four grls from Charlotte High School were invited to Jefferson High School to take part in a volleyball play-day. It was the first time the high schools had attempted anything of this sort and the experiment proved to be a great success. In the ninth grade games 59 points were scored by Charlotte. 131 points were scored by the Senior High School girls of Charlotte. Madison High School won the tournament with a score of 208.







Citizens Military Training Camp

Daily Routine

5:30 A. M.: Reveille awakens the sleeping camp. Shortly after roll call.

6:00 A. M.: The mess call. Some time, after mess, is used in cleaning up the company streets. Every piece of paper, every match stick, cigarette, and other unsightly article is picked up. Thank Heaven, nobody chewed tobacco.

7:30 A. M.: The company forms and marches to the drill field for its daily instruction in calisthenics.

8:00-11:00 A. M.: Drill with ten minute rest periods at fifty minute intervals.

11:00 A. M.: The battalion is marched to the stadium for the daily instruction in citizenship and personal hygiene.

12:00 A. M.: Mess call.

12:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M.: There is no definite routine. This time is used for sports

and other means of recreation. Inter-company baseball is played and the championship team players are awarded small, gold baseballs.

4:00 P. M.: Everyone, appearing his neat-

est, turns out for parade.

4:45 P. M.: Retreat is sounded, followed by one round of cannon fire, the lowering of the colors, and the band playing "The Star Spangled Banner." To anyone who witnesses it, it is a very impressive scene. The battalion then passes in review before the commanding officer and his staff.

5:00 P.M.: Mess call. After mess, your time is your own. It can be spent in various ways, the Post Theater usually being filled to

capacity.

10:00 P. M.: Taps. The camp "turns in" for the night.

HENRY BEISHEIM, '36.

There's Something About a Soldier

II.ITARY service is something no lad should miss. We had a taste of it this summer at the Fort Niagara Citizens' Military Training Camp. We were accompanied by the following fellows from the senior class: Howard Spafford, Henry Beisheim, Jack Pople, Ralph Wilson, and Edmund Grabowski.

"Fall out of bed! Fall out of the tents! Fall in formation for roll call!" were the commands that echoed in our ears to the tunes of reveile, sergeant's whistles, and the "looie's" (lieutenants) harsh orders at five-thirty every morning. It was surprising how easily one could make profanity a habit. As a way of apology, mess was served. Then, to provoke

the apology, there was the policing of the company streets, tents, and officers' quarters, followed by four hours of the toughest, hardest drill with nine pound rifles, that I could ever magine existed. To tote those guns was a difficult task, but when the temperature reached the hundred degree mark for double time marching it became almost unbearable. The ten-minute rest periods every hour seemed to tire us more, for it wasn't very hard to fall asleen.

It was a relief to sit on the hard, backless, wooden benches in the stadium for an hour and attempt to listen to a lecture on citizenship or personal hygiene. The stadium faced

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THIRTY-THREE

Happy Days in the C. C. C.

WO hundred boys from Rochester enrolled for the C. C. C. April 23, 1935, at the Armory. At the same time we received a physical examination. Those of us who passed were sent to Camp Dix, New Jersey, that night. When we arrived at Camp Dix, our life in the C. C. C. had begun. We received a more thorough physical examination and were assigned to companies. They gave us our clothing and other supplies and within three days we were on our way to the permanent camps.

Eighty-five of us were sent to Ovett, Mississippi. The trip to Mississippi took us through New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, and Alabama. We were quite disappointed when we saw Ovett. We felt much better, though, when we learned that the camp was only sixteen miles from the city of Laurel.

Our camp in Mississippi consisted of five barracks, a mess hall, recreation hall, and an officers' quarters. We were up every morning at 4:45 and had finished work by 1:00. The work in Mississippi was, for the most part road construction, bridge building, three planting, and making fire lanes. The city of Laurel furnished us with recreation, in the form o' three movies, a library, a Y. M. C. A., and ar outdoor swimming pool. The people in Laurel were always friendly and hospitable toward us. The farmers, who lived near the camp were quite poor. Most of them raised only enough for themselves. They all raised a least a little cotton, sugar-cane, corn, and watermelon. A very few raised tobacco.

After three months in Mississippi an order came to us to move to Trude, Idaho. Our itinerary to Idaho was through Tennessee, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, and Wyoming. When we arrived at Trude, trucks met us and took us to Island Park, Idaho, where the camp was to be. At Island Park we found plenty of work ahead of us. We had to clear land for the camp, put up our tents and build a mess hall, shower room and officers' quarters. When the camp was completed, we settled down to our regular work Our project was to clear 15,000 acres for an artificial lake.

The nearest town was fifty-six miles from camp, although Yellowstone National Park was only twenty-five miles away. Each Sunday for a month the camp supplied trucks for trips through Yellowstone. When it came my turn to go they took us through a section of the park known as The Grand Loop. On this trip I saw several of the beautiful spots and many hot springs and pools. I was lucky enough to see "Old Faithful" when it erupted.

On October the 8th, those of us who did not re-enroll were sent by trucks to Pocatello Idaho, a distance of 140 miles, where we entrained for Camp Dix. At Camp Dix we received a physical examination and our dis-

charges.

I don't think I shall ever regret the six months I spent in the C. C. C. During that time I saw a great deal of our country, met many different kinds of people, and had a taste of real outdoor life. I shall always value it as a great experience.

KENNETH CALLAGHAN, '37.

AN EARTHQUAKE

Now wasn't it an awful thing, That happened the other night, It made us scared of everything, And then came the light— An earthquake!!

We felt the bed move under us, And jumped up in the dark; It sounded like an old, old bus, Trying to make a start— The earthquake!!

The windows flew open in a flash, And cries were sent about— "Did you feel that awful crash, That was,—without a doubt, An earthquake?"

It was soon known round about,
That Mrs. X., the unbearable,
Had suddenly, in the night cried out—
"The house is moving! It's terrible!!
The earthquake!!"

But since 'twas only an earthquake, And that in time subsided, The people went back for sleep's sake, To sleep till morn, they decided; That earthquake!!!

> SHIRLEY CHAMBERLAIN, BARBARA ROBINSON, 9B.

THIRTY-FOUR

Strange Interlude

As Kathleen Reynolds, assistant editor of Homemaking, was examining her mail one she noticed a letter stamped morning. Cincinnati, Ohio. She opened the letter and read the delightful news with great interest. The letter was written by a young girl, Lillian Rush, who had been shut in with tuberculosis for a year. Being inspired by Miss Reynolds' poems which were published in the monthly Homemaking, Lillian said that she had written the poem which was inclosed with her letter. Lillian asked Miss Reynolds to be kind enough to read it with criticism. Although the poem was not unusually fine in form or quality, Miss Revnolds, being a kind and sympathetic woman, decided to publish it in her magazine, and, in an answer to Lillian, informed her of her intention. The poet believed this would be the end of the correspondence, but within a short time she received another letter from the same girl, saving that she was very grateful for the editor's kindness. In spite of Miss Reynolds' busy schedule, she sent another letter to Cincinnati. This correspondence continued for about five months when one day Kathleen Revnolds received a short message from the same address but in different handwriting. Being greatly disturbed, she speedily read the sad news, which was signed by Mrs. Rush, Lillian's aunt. She said that Lillian had passed away suddenly but happily during the previous night. Lillian's aunt suggested that it would be most considerate of Miss Reynolds to see Lillian before the funeral as long as sha had become so well acquainted with the girl through correspondence. Kathleen was very surprised, but decided to leave for Ohio that day. Having packed a few clothes, she hurriedly boarded an airplane and arrived at the specified address in a brief time. She was amazed to see the residence of her correspondent, a beautiful mansion. Everything seemed so different than she had expected-no shades were drawn and there was no wreath on the door. She thought that she must be confused in some way, but after ringing the doorbell Kathleen was assured that she had arrived at Lillian's home. A stout good-looking woman introduced herself as Mrs. Rush and invited Miss Reynolds into the living room. Being comfortably seated Kathleen noticed the disturbed appearance of Mrs. Rush. Then Mrs. Rush blurted out the whole mysterious story. She told Kathleen that there never existed any girl by the name of Lillian Rush, but that she, Mrs. Rush, was a constant reader of Miss Reynolds' page devoted to poems and, desiring to be thrilled, chose this method of satisfying her desire.

RUTH SPUCK, '35.

Sounds

I sat up in bed, cold fingers of horror running up and down my spine, and stared into the pitch darkness trying in vain to locate the sound. I waited to see if I could hear it again. There it is a muffled pad-pad-pad. Oh! why had I ever agreed to let the family go off and leave me alone? Frantically I felt for the switch of my lamp. Crash! I had knocked the lamp onto the floor. I was just twice as bad off as I had been before, the light would at least have. . . . What was that? There it is again. The creak of a stair as if a heavy weight had stepped on it. Hastily I thought,in the clothes closet? No, that is too obvious. Out the window? A two-story drop, and I am no acrobat. Well! pull yourself together old girl you will just have to face it. No choice. I listened,-no sounds. Perhaps it was all my imagination. Why of course.just the wind. But there isn't any wind tonight. Whatever it is must have heard my teeth chattering before this. Hesitatingly 1 put one foot over the side of the bed,-and listened-then the other foot-still as quiet as the grave. Heavens! Why did I think of graves? Any way, I had covered half the space to the door, and was still alive, but my hair was standing straight up in the air. Just as my hand touched the door knob it came to my ears again, a soft, rhythmic, pad-padpad. I froze in my tracks. My hand clenched on the knob. (As I look back I wonder the glass handle didn't break.) Somewhere, sometime, I had heard it said that "God helps those who help themselves." Well, I certainly needed help badly enough. I murmured a prayer and pulled the door open, and switched the hall light on expecting to see,-I knew not what. The hall was absolutely empty. The flood of light took away some of my fright. I walked to the top of the stairs and looked down. Standing at the foot of the stairs gaping up at me stood. . . . Why on earth didn't they tell me they hadn't put the dog out?

MARIAN THOMAS, '36,



The Puppet Club

Among the new clubs started at school this past fall, the Puppet Club deserves mention. Divisions were made into groups such as: making puppets, dressing them, and assembling stage property. Some of the more ambitious pupils entered into the writing of stories Each member had a chance to take up the work which best suited him.

The officers of the club are: president, Barbara Budlong; chairman of costumes, Lois Dodd; puppet-making, Ralph Wilson; plays Caroline Brewer; typist, Mable Sager.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Ward and Miss Donovan, the work has progressed from a mere model puppet to the present prospect of putting on a play. Meetings are held every Monday and are informal. Anyone interested from junior or senior high school is invited to "come up and see us some time."

MY GREATEST PLEASURE

Always when I'm feeling lonely, I find a treasure at night, In walking along a country road In the dusky and dim twilight.

It's then I wonder whether Tomorrow will be as today, Whether life will suddenly be dreary Or continue to be gay.

Whether friends will learn the beauty
Of loyalty and care,
Whether suffering shall be aided
With sympathy and prayer.

And while returning homeward,
I can truthfully say:
There's nothing more pleasant than walking
At the close of a peaceful day.
IRMA KOHLMIER, '36,



"Candid" Pictures

About one hundred years have elapsed since the first pictures produced by photographic means brought to the world a method of reproducing an image. From the time of Daguerre, the inventor of the daguerreotype, to 1935 there has been a steady development by experimentation, research and discovery until now photography has been not only perfected but so simplified that a child may have a camera and know something of the thrill of recording, by photographic means, those events and scenes of greatest interest to him.

From a faint, nebulous picture requiring a time exposure of six hours in 1839, we have persistently moved forward to the point where we have today a clear, distinct, artistically conceived negative that may be shot in a fraction of a second.

Scientific research, the infinite patience of the artist and technician, discoveries of new methods and materials have perfected a process that began with cumbersome plates and evolved into today's cellulose film, superb color negatives, the lighting-swift moving picture machine and cameras which encompass views taken at a long distance and also microscopic enlargements.

About ten years ago Dr. Paul Wolff, a German, began to show what could be done with a fast lens, small film, and a camera no bigger than a man's hand. He tramped through Europe photographing workmen, children at play, ordinary men and women going about their business, but did comparatively little snapshotting of news personalities. It was Dr. Erich Solomon, one-time lawyer and banker, in 1928 connected with a great German publishing house, who conceived the idea of using the miniature camera to record history in the making. His first pictures appeared in the London Graphic, but soon the vogue for his photos spread to the Illustrated London News and The Tatler. A few years later Dr. Solomon was engaged to come to this country to photograph with his "Candid Camera" Washington celebrities for Fortune.

Since then "Candid" has been applied to all manners of photographs taken under difficult conditions without special lights, with the type of small high-speed camera used by Dr. Solomon. It has been used to describe pictures of night club performers and stage acrobats in action, interior of buses and Pullman cars, Broadway's lights at night. But in its original

conception candid photographs are pictures of individuals caught unaware.

BETTY BRADY, '37.

Initiations

The dictionary defines the word initiation as a "ceremonial admission, as into a society." Usually this "ceremonial admission" is applied to fraternities or similar organizations. Initiations into high organizations are for the most part not harmful, but some very uncomfortable moments are given the candidates.

Severe practical jokes have been inflicted on students, but mostly to the freshmen in college by the sophomores. This quite often results in bodily harm and kills any self-respect or dignity a person might have. The term applied to such an action is hazing.

Hazing has sometimes resulted in death because of fear and because of accidents. Fortunately most hazing has been done away with by students because of the heavy penalties afflicted on them. It is becoming more and more a thing of the past.

There are innumerable ways of initiating fellows, but one of the most effective is the wielding of the paddle. If this method of initiation is applied in a short time the victim will be partaking of his meals off the mantel, so to speak.

Another harmless but humiliating trick of the high school initiators is to paint the face of the victim with lipstick or a suitable substitute. This brings no end of discomfort for the victim.

You know many excellent methods of initiation and so do I, but they are too numerous to mention so as to give full justification to any one of them. Of course the victim of the initiation looks forward to the next installment of members in the organization and thinks he will make it even more difficult for them. In this way the new members of the organization go through initiation. To the new members goes the distinction of being able to take it, but heaven help the next candidates.

WILLIARD WEST, '36.

WINTER

How glad I'll be when winter comes, Winter snow and winter suns, Glistening, gleaming, everywhere, Like diamonds floating in the air. That's what the snow reminds me of, As it comes falling from above.

VIRGINIA WOLF, 9B.



His Grand Day

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was perhaps more so, for Jack could always negotiate for another pair, while Burr was strictly limited to trousers bought by his par-

After a few minor mishaps both boys edged furtively from behind the ash can, dressed in their new-found splendor. Burr's shorts fitted Jack like a size three slipper might fit an elephant. They had split down the right side already. As Burr appeared, Mort had a somewhat difficult task distinguishing his friend from the pair of large, gallant knickers. But both parties were satisfied and parted with many aimiable compliments regarding each other's appearance. When Burr arrived at school he was greeted, as he thought later in the privacy of an early bed hour, much more satisfactorily than at home.

PADRAIC BOYLE, 9B.

Cherrup!

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Lavidicus (my cricket) must have an emotional outlet and yet should not produce a noise, I put some soap on the bottoms of his spare wings as a lubricant, thereby squelching the squeek. But poor Lavidicus worked himself into such a lather trying to produce a noise that the shock of a bath before Saturday night stopped his heart.

It is evident that great attention must be given to the cricket's extra wings, but Dame Nature won't be trifled with. If there are any unemployed geniuses, the world will welcome them with open arms if they will only produce a cricket of the monoplane type,

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Who Has the Most Fun?

During Child Care course in our eighth grade, we girls learn a few of the simple modern methods of child training. The purpose of the course, which meets twice weekly, is for us to understand and learn the need of good behavior and habits if we intend to teach them to children; and to develop judgment in the physical and mental care of young children.

The Care and Training of Children by Goodspeed and Johnson is the textbook we use for reference and discussion during the course. After class discussion of the best types of books and toys, a group of us accompanied by our teacher, went uptown and selected a few books and toys which we thought best represented the discussion back in the classroom.

Of all the activities the most interesting proved to be the visit to the nursery school at number seven public school. Several groups, in a school bus, visited the school for observation and explanation of its purpose.

A final project and a practical test of our information gained, is shown in the accompanying picture of one of the series of children's parties given by the girls at the end of our course. Each girl invited a pre-school child to attend the party under her supervision and care. Different committees arranged for the party: Dorothy Crisp, Dorothea Rookus, Betty Lancaster and Noreen O'Sullivan for the children's entertainment of games and stories; Joan Eden, Douise Buchinger and Dorothea Rookus for serving refreshments of ice cream and animal crackers. Miss Childs said afterward that it was hard at times, between laughter and the amount of interest shown, to know who was enjoying themselves the most, the guests or the hostesses.

In concluding, when I say that this was just about the most interesting way of ending the course, I am speaking not only for myself but for all of the girls in the class.

DOROTHEA ROOKUS, 9B.

There's Something About a Soldier

(Continued from Page Thirty-three) the beautiful Niagara River at its junction with Lake Ontario.

Mail call and twelve o'clock mess followed. We were then free to swim in a bath-tub-like pool or play baseball. Incidentally, most of us slept.

At four o'clock we heard "Fall Out" again for parade. This was the most enjoyable of the marches for at this time we "showed off." It was about three-quarters of a mile march to the parade grounds and we perspired like a wet sponge squeezed by a strong hand. This was a solemn occasion and the band music was very inspiring. Retreat was sounded and we marched back, tired and damp, to five o'clock mess. Weak punch, warm iced water, and bitter iced tea were served at this time. Pie every noon was a special treat, but it was very seldom that we had beans and horse-meat.

Our time was our own until ten o'clock, then to bed for a very short nap, for we arose at five thirty in the morning.

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FORTY-TWO



The Band

Left to right. First Row-Helen Perrins, Rhea Clicquennoi, Kenneth Knapp, Robert Ward, Robert Tutamore, Albert Baker.

Second Row-Harold Hanna, George Fry, Jeanne Bucher, Elizabeth Manchester, Franklyn Bright, Donald Springer, Harold Stone, Stanley Fox.

Third Row-Peter Rookus, Walter Leavitt, George Bird, Robert Cooke, George Wills, Richard Lewis, Ralph Wilson.

Absent from picture: Daniel Donovan.

There's Something About a Soldier

(Continued from Page Forty)

mess sergeant glowered and referred shadily to my ancestors, at the same time calling down the wrath of the heavens on my insignificant head. The rest of the day I had to work while the other detailed men apparently loitered. I blasted the mess "sarg" with every adjective in my secret vocabulary and he in turn bombarded me with his.

On Sunday we had chicken for dinner, went to church, and generally recuperated. This made Monday seem twice as hard. Occasionally we went to town about a mile away and gorged ourselves on sodas and sundaes. We also invested in a supply of bananas and melons and smiled on the girl in the meat market. The "girl-friends" from home and parents visited us on Sundays and they were very wel-

come. They were invited to mess which was worthy of kings.

Target practice was the incessant din of twenty rifles, three machine guns, six automatic rifles, and five pistols, but it wasn't hard for us to fall asleep in the midst of it.

Dress inspection on Saturday required us to stand in one position for over a half an hour and rifle inspection for an additional hour with the sun directly in our eyes.

Upon donning our "civies" (civilian clothes) after a month's diet of heavy wooden shirts and socks, khaki putties and breeches, topped with five pound shoes, we felt as nude as trees in February.

Taking a last glimpse at the beautiful Niagara, we regretfully departed for the close and confined city limits. It was truly the most enjoyable vacation we have ever spent.

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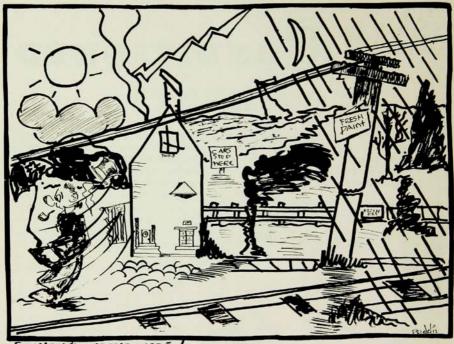
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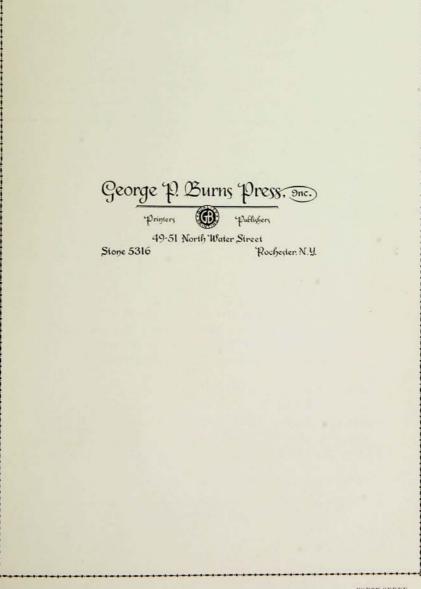
Count the mistakes in the picture and write or paint them on a burnt shingle and send them to Addis Awawa, somewhere in Ethiopia, or you better write to your congressman for the correct weight of a ton of feathers.

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Please mail your incorrect list of answers to the committee of "Peaceful Points for Pacifists," Washington, D. C., or don't bother anymore, turn this page and go on and read the rest of this issue and wonder how or why such stuff is written.

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