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**All Fools' Issue**

As has been the custom at Central for years an All Fools' issue is published each year and dedicated to some Central student who has been acclaimed by the student body as the school's "Chief Nut." The issue for this year will be distributed on March 30. Students voted in their home rooms last Monday morning for the dedication.

**Senior Announcements**

All Senior A's should order graduation announcements today. A representative will be at the ticket window in the main hall to receive orders after school tonight. Announcements cost \$.07 apiece.

**SPURS Buy Bond**

The S. P. U. R. club, under the direction of Miss McReynolds, purchased a \$50 bond and presented it to Central to be used for whatever the school wishes in 10 years. Most of this money was earned through the sale of the pencils with the basketball schedule printed on them.

**12B's To Take Test**

A test to discover the student's ability in school work will be given to all Senior B's on March 16. This Thurston Test is to aid the pupil in discovering whether or not his abilities are such that he would succeed in college work. The test will take the entire home room period and most of the first hour.

**New Library Rules Made**

Miss Genivieve Hardy, librarian, has announced that since some students must use library reserve books and magazines during the noon hour, that hour will be counted as an equivalent to class periods in charging fines on overdue reserve loans.

**Former Student Honored**

Joan Clay, a former Central student, was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary academic fraternity, at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. Miss Clay is a senior in the school of liberal arts, a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority, president of the Mortar Board, a senior women's scholastic honorary society.

**Spy Ring Movie Shown**

The moving picture, "Don't Talk", sponsored by the Lions Club of South Bend, was presented to the underclassmen in the auditorium Monday morning.

The movie told the story of a sabotage ring that operated near a war plant. These spies got their dangerous information from a pretty waitress who overheard what employees of the war plant thought was completely unimportant conversation. The picture showed that patriotic American men and women can, and do, give vital information to the enemy constantly.

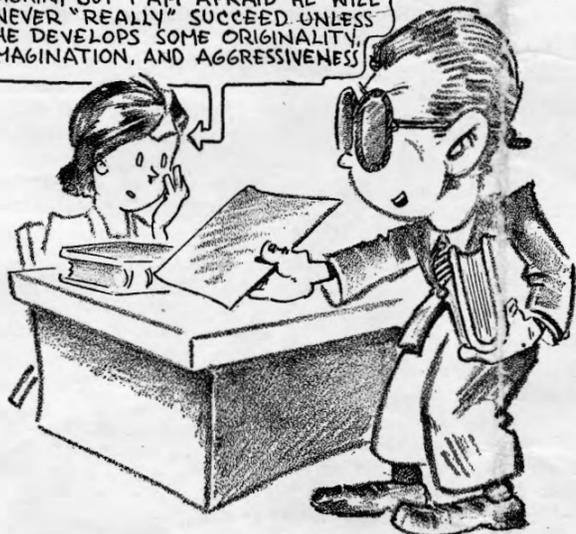
This picture shows the necessity of "keeping your mouth shut" in these days of war. It explained that it is the duty of every citizen not "to talk."

Centralians continued their generous response to the plea for war stamp and bond purchases last week as they added \$3,727.95 to the total already bought. The total purchases of stamps and bonds for the current school year now stands at \$75,045.15.

## Senior B's Elect Class Officers

**IF THEY SAID WHAT THEY THOUGHT**

WELL, HERE'S GOOD OLD JOHN HANDING IN A PERFECT EXAM AGAIN. HE'S JUST LIKE A SPONGE—ABSORBS EVERYTHING IN THE TEXTBOOK, AND WHEN SQUEEZED REPEATS IT PERFECTLY. I SUPPOSE I'LL HAVE TO GIVE HIM THE TOP GRADE AGAIN, BUT I AM AFRAID HE WILL NEVER "REALLY" SUCCEED UNLESS HE DEVELOPS SOME ORIGINALITY, IMAGINATION, AND AGGRESSIVENESS.



**PERFECT HOME ROOM**  
The girls in Miss Alice Scott's home room have had 100% attendance since the beginning of the semester, six weeks ago. This is the only home room in the school which has such a record.

**STUDENT COUNCIL TO OPEN POSTER CONTEST NEXT MONDAY**

The Student Council, under the guiding hand of President John Bergan, made plans at their meeting Monday morning for a poster contest. Posters may be entered by any student and should deal with the subject of "Keeping the halls and floors of Central void of wastepaper." The contest begins next Monday and terminates at 4 P. M. two weeks from tomorrow.

The Council Cafeteria Committee, under the direction of Dick Cortright, is planning a play to be given in an assembly soon.

The Intramural Basketball Tourney is also being backed by the council. No A or B team member, or students under the tenth grade are eligible. A schedule for these tourneys will be placed in the hall. The trophy for the winning team is to be placed in one of the cases in the front hall.

The Student Council has long been an important factor in school functions. It's main purpose is bettering conditions and attitudes at Central. In order to carry out the plans it now has, the Central Student Council must be backed not only by its representatives, but by every Central student.

**NO BEANS FOUND IN EARS OF RUGGED STUDENTS**

By now all of the 9B's and 11B's have gone through the chest-thumpings and throat-probings of their physical examination. As yet no beans have been discovered in anybody's ears (as was the case last year) and no hearts were found on the wrong side, so apparently they're a fairly rugged lot.

The test included an examination of teeth, ears, nose and throat, bone and muscle structure, heart and chest, and the Mantoux tuberculin test. The results of these tests have not yet been tabulated.

Sight and hearing tests are to be given here later.

**TEACHERS AID RED CROSS**

Teacher contributions to the Red Cross at Central, last week, amounted to \$391.00. This week Central students are making their donations.

**'JUNIOR MISS' CHOSEN FOR SENIOR PLAY**

**CAST HAS 19 CHARACTERS**

"Junior Miss" has been chosen for this year's senior play by the senior play-reading committee and Miss Margaret Geyer. This popular comedy in three acts is by Jerome Chodorov and Joseph Fields, based on the book by Sally Benson.

"Junior Miss" has nineteen characters — thirteen boys and six girls. Casting will take place next week in the Little Theatre. All seniors are eligible to try out for a part. The play will be presented in matinee April 20 and in an evening performance April 21.

The play-reading committee included: Dorothy Dawson, Beverly Snyder, Alice Gondeck, Doris Lee Massengill, Richard Cortright, Ralph Witucki, Eric Falk, and Bob Donahue.

**Students To Vote Monday On Use Of \$10,000**

After Central had bought three training planes, purchaseable with E bonds only, and five Jeeps for Uncle Sam during the past three months, there was still about \$10,000 left to buy whatever the bond purchasers—Central students—wished. There are many items which the government needs, so Miss Ethel Montgomery, in charge of bonds and stamps has selected five of them for student balloting. Monday morning, students will vote for one article of the five, the votes will be turned into Miss Montgomery, and the winning article bought. One of the following will be bought by Central students:

- a. Six Field Ambulances at \$1,780 each.
- b. Five Amphibian Jeeps at \$2,090 each.
- c. Three Aerial Cameras at \$3,400 each.
- d. Thirty rubber seven-man life rafts at \$350 each.
- e. Three Anti-Tank Guns at \$3,400 each.

What do you think we should spend the \$10,000 for?

**Shakespearean Farce Given By Dramatics Class**

Central students were entertained by a farce on "What Happens When Shakespeare's Ladies Meet" by the Dramatics class on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. An all-girl cast portrayed the parts of various women characters in Shakespearean dramas.

Those in the play were the witty Katherine of "Taming of the Shrew", played by Mary Ellen Carr and Shirley Rosenfield; the intellectual Portia, the woman lawyer, portrayed by Frances Slack and Norma Jones; the broken-hearted Desdemona of "Othello", Mary Jane Hunt and Esther Varga, and insane Ophelia from "Hamlet", Mercedes Gassensmith and Virginia Dix. The sultry queen of the Nile, Cleopatra, Francianne Ivick and Eleanor Wolfberg, and Juliet, of "Romeo and Juliet", played by Jane Barber and Peggie Cowger, entered the scene too.

The plot centered around the efforts of the characters to discourage Juliet in her love for Romeo. Cleopatra, speaking in old English with clever slang thrown in, came all the way from the Nile valley to teach Juliet a few things about men. In the end Juliet was giving the noted siren a few lessons.

James L. Casaday directed the production.

**Cortright And Bergan Win High Positions In Jan. '45 Class**

**BRADEMAS AND DUNNAHOO CHOSEN ALSO**

Richard Cortright was elected president of the Senior B Class in an election held in 12B home rooms Monday morning. Richard is well known to Centralites for his activities in dramatics. A member of the Barnstormer Club, he has been in many of its plays as well as other productions. Richard was chosen the "Most Courteous Boy at Central" last semester. He is also vice-president of the student council. His home room is 305.

John Bergan, the new vice-president, from home room 225, is Sports Editor of The INTERLUDE, president of the student council, and captain of the swimming team. John is a member of the Smiler's Club.

The newly elected secretary, also from home room 225, is John Brademas. John is a member of the Usher's Club and has been active in several speech contests. He is on the "B" basketball team.

Ann Dunnahoo, the treasurer of the class is on the business staff of The INTERLUDE and a member of the SPUR Club. Ann is from home room 305.

**All Are Honor Students**

All of the new officers are honor students. The officers, elected Monday, were chosen by the three Senior B home rooms, 225, 210, and 305, from a list of students nominated by the class Friday. The one in the list receiving the most votes was elected president, and the vice-president, secretary, and treasurer were elected in order of descending vote.

These officers of the January 1945 class will serve their class until it graduates next January. The officers will plan for such senior activities as Wyman's Day, the Senior Prom, and Class business.

The class sponsor is Mr. A. W. Peden and the social chairman is Miss Edith Spray. Miss Ethel Montgomery is general social chairman for the group.

**HOME ROOMS ELECT SPRING OFFICERS**

Home room officers for this term have been elected in room 209. They are: LaMar Smith, president; Marilyn Shiverly, vice-president; Dorothy Nelson, secretary-treasurer; Gerald Pryweller, program chairman; Dick Eihenhour, student council; and Shirley Proud, Interlude representative.

Home Room 37 elected Lois Gross, president; Norma Bruger, vice-president; Phyllis Miller, secretary-treasurer; Ruth Duncan, student council; and Dorothy Woufter, social chairman.

**YOUR DATE BOOK**

SPURS' Girl Basetball Tourney, YW, 4 P. M.....	Mar. 9
Purdue Representative, 8:35 A. M.....	Mar. 10
Intramural Basketball, Gym, noon.....	Mar. 10
Student Council, Room 316, 8:35 A. M.....	Mar. 13
Clubs, 8:35 A. M.....	Mar. 14
"This Night Shall Pass," Auditorium, 8:35 A. M.....	Mar. 15
"This Night Shall Pass," Auditorium, 8:35 A. M.....	Mar. 16





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## BLUEPRINT FOR THE FUTURE

What do you think of the postwar planning being done? People are learning that new inventions will be made in a few years; that their homes will have glass walls; that they can live on capsules; and, that there will be no more wars. Plans, plans! Everyone making plans for something.

If all this energy and brain power were utilized to determine how education can be improved, the result would undoubtedly be more successful. With a generation educated powerfully enough, inventions to make up for all those neglected in the postwar plans could be made. Only education can bring about appreciation of science. Scientific facts are often scoffed at even though years of experimentation were necessary to bring about the final revelation.

Wouldn't it be a boon to posterity if they could be taught to think out their problems in a cool, rational manner, to weigh printed matter and the spoken word on the scale of common sense; and to control their emotional reactions? Juvenile delinquency would be done away with as well as mobs and wars. The future would be made secure for all time if the next generation could be taught to think!

## CLEAN UP SOUTH BEND

Central's branch of the Junior Walton League was honored in a speech given by Mayor Jesse I. Pavey, during a recent assembly. The visit was instigated by the petition drawn up by the League and signed by Central students requesting that the sewage disposal plant to clear the St. Joseph River be placed at the head of the postwar planning projects.

Mayor Pavey stated: "Just as it is requiring our complete energy to win the total war, so will it require total planning to achieve the postwar results for which we are fighting. It is futile to hope for a better world unless we make it so by preparing for a better community right here at home."

We all realize that South Bend has to clean house and it is gratifying to know that the city administration also is aware of the fact. Keep campaigning, fellow students, so that it won't be forgotten after the war.

## NEWSBOYS CAN MAKE EXTRA MONEY

The government is asking housewives to turn in their waste cooking fat and you newsboys are just the ones to see that they do.

The next time you collect, suggest to your customers that they let you collect their waste fat at periodic intervals—along with your paper collections. This system can be put on a profit basis by explaining that the ration points will be returned to the housekeeper in exchange for the money which is paid by the grocer. Since the amount isn't great, you should have little difficulty convincing the woman-of-the-house of the satisfaction of this plan. The larger your subscription, the more profit for you, and the more you will be helping the war effort.

Spend some of your clothes money for Stamps and Bonds to outfit the men fighting for you. A soldier's equipment is a matter of life and death. Yours isn't.

## DOOMED

There I stood, petrified with fear as I awaited the fatal hour. It did not quiet my racing heart to gaze upon the faces of my comrades, strong and hearty as they were, drawn bloodless and stiff in the anguish of fear. Some tried to smile, but their pitiful attempts only accentuated my fear of what was to come. Silence smothered the room to such an extent that even a tick of the clock sounded like the mysterious beatings of a drum in the wierd shadows of the jungle. Then, out of the silence—a booming call—my name! I was to be first! Every eye turned to gaze at me and my knees seemed to turn to water while my heart beats completely overshadowed the clock's ticking. I felt my heart jump, accompanied by shivers up and down my spine. Then, thoughts piled up in my brain. I thought of Joan of Arc, burned at the stake, yet unafraid, Mary, Queen of Scots, Marie Antoinette, all faced their hour of doom bravely.



Suddenly, a new surge of courage came over me. Maybe I would not go down in history as they did, but a new feeling of confidence controlled my emotions, as, head held high, with a final shrug of my shoulders I stepped to the front, accompanied by the sea of eyes. I saw the whole pageant of history, and my ears rang with the imagined sounds of rolling drums and blaring trumpets. They had told me that it would all be over in a few seconds, and the pain would then be over. They were right. A flash of pain—and then it was over and Miss Watts was saying, "There, that wasn't so bad, was it? Come to my office at 10 o'clock Wednesday and I'll check your reaction to see if you'll need a second T. B. Test."

—Lois Garnitz.

Bill: "I don't like those photographs, I look like a monkey."  
Photographer: "You should have thought of that before you had them taken."

—Amplifier.



With the importance of physical education now being stressed, it seems that there is no more suitable time than the present to introduce Mrs. Lucille Moore, the gym and swimming instructor. She was a member of the Muessel Junior High School faculty before she was married to a member of the Accounting Department of the University of Notre Dame.



Mrs. Moore is 5'2½" tall, has strawberry-blond hair, laughing green eyes, and a light complexion. Her sparkling smile adds much to her pleasing personality.

One of her prized possessions is a loveable black Cocker Spaniel, Mickey. During her spare time (as if teachers have spare time) she knits, plays bridge, gin rummy, rides horses, dances, swims, and cooks (my, she must be a busy lady). Mrs. Moore enjoys watching baseball and football games, and eating pastries. Her favorite colors are those of pastel hues, and her taste for music goes from Beethoven to Pinetop Smith.

Among her likes are nice clothes, high school girls, whom she finds to be very cooperative, and teaching at Central. Heading her list of undesirable are washing dishes, people who lie, spinach, onions, chewed-off fingernails, and being late to appointments.

Mrs. Moore's ambition is "to be able to be happy the rest of my life."



## Verie Sauer Says

If you see someone wandering around looking as if he'd just been scalped, don't scream. It's only Miller McCarthy in his new utility haircut. He claims that it's more sanitary, even if it's not beautifying.

Notice to Central fluffs: These Riley gals are over-doing the good-neighbor policy, so why don't you get both shoe laces tied and do something about it? What have they got that we can't have straightened out?

From all the blue ribbons won by Bill Freeman, Rin Grossman, and the other stars of the swimming team, we could have a dandy curtain made for the auditorium.

Have you gazed upon the Smiler medals Marilyn Bowyer and Lu Booth are sporting?

From the latest communique via Janet Oren, we hear the news that Jim Powers is homeward bound.

Frances Bukoll seems to be doing all right where men are concerned:



She has them everywhere—Alaska, Notre Dame—it must be wonderful!

Several of our Central gals have noticed one Dick Hudson of Adams. He doesn't seem to "knowtice" them though.

Verie sees reconciliation in the near future for Maggie Dawson and Jim Morgan.

Dr. Verie has been noticing a slight dreamy condition around Ella Fokey's eyes. She diagnoses that it's a disease caused by the lovebug, and prescribes a little more of Mishawaka's Don Castello. He won't cure her, but—

Onions to the penny-throwers at the Friday noon dances.

English class holds a new attraction for Carmello Ritchard in Dorothy Stecoviak.

Another link to add to the chain of miserable Centralites since their Marines left: Gladys Laure.

Will Sonya Shetterly ever make up her mind between Dick Filley and Dick Chandonia?

The hearts of many feminine Centralites, formerly from Madison, are fluttering with joy because of the rumor that a certain teacher from that school is coming to Central to help with spring football training!

Janis Brown and Tom Pauszek certainly enjoy chemistry lab periods together.

Who is the Gloria in Jack Swank's affections?

Why is Eddie Lawton's theme song "Shoo Shoo Baby"?

Did you hear about the new thumb tax on hitch-hikers?

Flash! Sonny (just call him "zoot") Sollit is to be a V-12 at Notre Dame. Will he ever make a sharp sailor!

A really luscious little junior: Rita Zelmer.

Why doesn't smooth Bob Dunbar date? It doesn't pay to be a mothball, Bob.

All the Central "bluey woozies" (they can't get along without sailors) can make with the pearly teeth again now that the V-12s have returned with 500 added trainees to boot.

Man of mystery: Joe Woltman. Just where does his heart lie?

The next time you see Beve Heriman from Adams, ask her about her trip to Florida, and she'll tell you about her two dates per night.

Question of the week: How long will the Krathwol-Cunningham due last this time?



What is your favorite hobby?  
Carol White: "I like to read and work jig-saw puzzles."  
Norma Booth: "Sailing Nationals."  
Lois Jones: "I like to mess around in antiques and old things."  
Betty Neeser: "Dreaming of George."

Martha Snyder: "Other than pestering Miss Geyer, my hobby is swimming."  
Eleanor Wolfburg: "Collecting records."

He who knows not and knows not that he knows not is a Sophomore—Shun Him.  
He who knows and knows not that he knows is a Junior—Teach Him.  
He know knows and knows that he knows is a Senior—Follow Him.  
—Orange.

Miss Pfaffman (after working a lengthy problem): "And so we find that x equals zero."  
Student: "Darn it! All that work for nothing."

Mary had a little lamp,  
It was well trained, no doubt,  
For every time a fellow called,  
The little lamp went out.  
—Ho-Hi Life.

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2. I am a lover;  
3. All the world loves a lover;  
4. You are all the world to me;  
5. You love me.  
—Electron.



## EDUCATION FOR WARTIME CITIZENSHIP

Patriotism runs high in wartime. Children and young people are eager to do their part. The great challenge to the school and the home is to guide the endless energy of children into constructive activities. In the classroom and on the playground children learn the give and take of democratic citizenship. Education for wartime citizenship is fundamentally the same as for peacetime but there are significant adaptations of direct value to the war effort—making first aid materials; taking part in salvage campaigns; buying stamps and bonds of which \$300,000,000 were purchased by school children during the last school year. Central is making an enviable record in the purchase of stamps and bonds. Our total for this school year amounts to about \$75,000. If we continue this good work there is no reason why we should not go over \$100,000 at Central.

*P. D. Binta*

### N. S. Fort Wayne Tramples Track Team In First Meet Of Season

#### MATHEWS IS HIGH-POINT MAN

The Central Track team was downed by the powerhouse of N. S. Ft. Wayne last Friday 62 to 36 at the Notre Dame Field House in the first meet of Central's indoor track season.

Joe Mathews, co-captain of the team, was high point man for Central and scored two of the team's four victories. Mathews ran the 60-yard dash in the fast time of 7 seconds flat and then returned to take the 60-yard low hurdle event. Mathews negotiated the timber in 8.2 seconds.

Dick Chandonia, Central's junior weight tosser flung the shot 49 feet to break the standing South Bend school record by 2 feet. Chandonia's first toss was good enough to set a new mark and also chalk up a win for Central. Second place in the weight pitching event went to Deitschel of Fort Wayne whose best throw was 37 feet.

Star of the meet was rangy little Kemp of Fort Wayne who won the 440-yard dash, and the high jump, and aided his team to win the mile relay. Kemp was high scorer in the meet, beating out Joe Mathews by a mere 1.25 points.

Ashley Hawks, Fort Wayne star and five times state champion, won the mile run, finishing 150 yards ahead of Bob Boyles, Central's star miler. Hawks also took a second in the broad jump as Kendzierski bested Hawks by six inches and tallied Central's only other first.

### STEWART CALLS SPRING BASKETBALL PRACTICE

About twenty-five lads answered the first call for spring basketball practice last Monday when Mr. Stewart began the first drills. Notable among the group were the three lettermen that will return to bolster next year's forces. Hazen, Finger,



Central is now in the period of sports calm, before the storm of spring athletics. With football, basketball, tennis, and swimming over with we can now look forward to the spring sports program. Indoor track has begun, the Central thinly clad having met the N. S. Fort Wayne lads last Friday. Indoor track at Notre Dame will evolve, with a change in the weather, to outdoor track at School Field. Next on the sports program will be baseball, which will start, if the weather permits about the last week in March. The Conference baseball schedule is already set up and undoubtedly intermingled with these games will be many non-conference duels. About the same time as the baseball season will be the section on the sports calendar devoted to golf. Under Mr. Kindy, the golf team promises to be one of the strongest since long ago. Central High School, therefore, can rest for a time and look forward to the spring athletic program.

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The defeated team is never state champion might be broken. The Indians have to meet Converse at Hammond next week. Both teams are undefeated, but one team will have to lose.

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The SPURS' Girl Basketball Tournament is now fully under way, the first game having been played Tuesday, and the second game to be played tonight. A good-looking trophy is being awarded and a fine turnout of teams are registered to play. The results of the games are being posted by the SPURS in the main hall, and will be carried in The Interlude.

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With the regular basketball season over for Central, Intramural basketball swings into its own, at the Student Council's announcement of plans for a continuance of last year's tournament. Entry blanks for teams have been in circulation this week, and already a large number of teams have entered. Deadline for entry is tonight. The blanks should be handed to Mr. Kuhny in 102. The first game in the tournament will be held Friday.

and Jack Woodard are the only three that have any opportunity whatsoever of returning to play ball next year, as Hans, Miller, Hoover, and Bond graduate this June.

It is doubtful whether Charles Finger will be able to play ball more than the first semester, because Uncle Sam has his eye out for him already.

New faces never before seen on Central hardwood are several sophomore B's who have starred at one time or another on various junior high teams.

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Coach Stewart announces that, weather permitting, spring baseball practice will begin about April 1. Mr. Stewart declared that the baseball practice would not begin if it is too cold to play comfortably. Central's baseball chances look good, since many veteran players are returning. Slugger outfielder Pooch Miller will be the mainstay of the team; upholding him will be a strong infield, but an inexperienced pitching staff.

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Coach Stewart has announced the major letter award winners for the past basketball season. They are as follows: Hans, Miller, Finger, Bond, Hoover, Hazen, and Woodard. (Cont'd on page 4, col. 2)

### COMETS CLUB TO HONOR HARDWOODERS TONIGHT

The Central Basketball Team will be honored at a banquet in the basement of the First Christian Church tonight at 6:30. Joe Boland, WSBT sports announcer, will be the main speaker. Forrest Wood has been chosen toastmaster and Bob Overaker and Frank E. Allen will speak. Awards will be presented to the boys by Coach Stewart. The Comets, sponsored by Mr. Walter Kindy, are in charge of arrangements for the banquet.

### BERGAN CHOSEN SWIM CAPTAIN

John Bergan was elected captain of swimming team for next year in a recent assembly. He will serve as captain until his graduation next June.

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### Indians Kill Eagles' Hope For Regional Victory

The Culver Indians ran their victory string to 27 last Saturday night by defeating the Adams Eagles 33-31 in a heartbreaker.

This final game of the South Bend regionals, held at the Adams gym, started like a house afire. The Indians moved into a 5-0 lead in the first four minutes of play. Adams then made the scoring column but the Culver boys took a 12-7 advantage at the end of the first period.

The scoring was slowed down in the second quarter as Adams could hit for only two baskets while Culver made six points. Score at half-time read Culver 18, Adams 11. The third period saw Adams match Culver basket for basket to cut the Indian lead to three points. With a few seconds to go the score read 27-25 Culver, and McKee collected a free throw to end the quarter 28-25.

The fourth quarter was a dog fight. Houston scored to put Adams in the lead 29-28 midway in the period. The scoring then ran, 29-29, 31-29, 31-31, and then Dan McKee put in the winning basket for Culver with seconds left to play.

The afternoon session saw Adams trip Rochester 34-24 and Culver upset Elkhart 34-23.

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**COLLEGE CONFERENCES TO BE HELD TOMORROW**

Mr. Damon and Miss Cooleage of Purdue University will meet with 12A's and others interested in college tomorrow morning at 8:35 in the auditorium to discuss college problems. After the general assembly, Mr. Damon will speak to boys especially interested in Purdue, and Miss Cooleage will talk to the girls, regardless of their choice of college. The representatives will stay the remainder of the morning for interviews. The college conference was originally scheduled for last Friday but was postponed.

**Glee Clubs Elect Officers For Semester**

The third and fourth hour glee clubs have elected officers as follows: third hour: President, David Reid; Vice-President, Cecelia Zonenberg, John Pethe, Gloria Glicksman; Secretary-Treasurer, David Duncan, JoAnn Smith; Librarian, David Inwood, Virginia Grant.

Fourth hour: President, Dick Cortright, Evelyn Manuszak; Vice-President, Milton Christen, Marjorie Manuel; Secretary - Treasurer, Gene Sage, Norma Jones; Librarian, Jack Swank, Marcella Ludwick, Martha Downing.

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The show opened with Cootie Williams, who by the way is a Duke Ellington off-beat, and the orchestra blasting out in some of the grooviest jive tunes ever to hit these portals. In many of these rugged pieces Cootie soloed.

The winsome Miss Fitzgerald, did her famous "A Tisket a Tasket", "Marizy Doats", "Do Nothin' 'Til You Hear From Me", and another of her specialties "Five Guys Named Moe."

After two dance routines, that long awaited feature of the evening appeared—The Ink Spots! Those lads were plenty on fire although most of the audience was entranced by the tenor's rubberlike legs. They knocked off smooth renditions of "If I Didn't Care", "This is a Lovely Way to Spend An Evening", "Don't Sweetheart Me", and "Shoo-Shoo Baby." Although their pieces were few, they were done up with pink ribbons. They were followed by the orchestra rounding off the program with some strictly jive bits. Then the janitor came around, mopped up the drool, picked up the melted pieces that had once been an audience, and closed the theater for the night.

**STUDENT WORKS**

Nancy Naylor, air pilot, was trying to make all her friends war-conscious. She had always wanted a house of her own, but because of the housing shortage caused by the war, she stayed at Dynamo Farm, where she could be near her Yank in the R. A. F. One day, while talking to Jo's boys, her eight cousins, the infield twins, dead Ned and big Ben, who were all studying how every boy can prepare for aviation, Nancy spoke of the battle for Solomons and said, "See here, Private Hargrove, suppose you tell us about the fall of the Philippines and your air base, since you were the last man off Wake Island on the raft."

So the private told of his fight for life at each of his ocean outposts, where there was nothing but sand and no ocean gold. From his Guadalcanal diary he told the story of the courage and glory of fighting on wings for freedom. He said you do not have to be an all-American to fly the skyways to Berlin, but just a man for the ages. Having a great deal of pride and prejudice, the private told them all that his aircraft carrier was the queen of the flat-tops. His stories made each of the boys eager to get into the blue as an aviation cadet.

You don't have to become an aviation cadet to be war-conscious. So why don't you show that you know there's a fight going on? Do you realize that books and good literature contribute to the war effort? And did you know that there are forty titles of well-known books hidden in the above tale? The reason they are used is that they along with eighty other books are missing from our school library.

Why don't you search your lockers and desks for these books temporarily A. W. O. L.? Be more than a little patriotic; bring them in!

—Betty Sovinski.

**BEAR FACTS**

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Wiley Hoover led the Basketball boys in scoring throughout the season, but slacked off during the tournament. The five scorers and their points are as follows:

Player	Season's Play	Tournament
Hoover	137	41
Hazen	132	18
Finger	127	33
Bond	106	0
Hans	101	49

Jim Hans was second only to Don Barnbrook in the Sectional Tournament. Probably if Jim had remained in the Adams game instead of fouling out in the last few minutes, he, instead of Barnbrook, would have been high scorer.

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**THERE'S MORE THAN ONE WAY TO DO IT**

Attention, any clubs which may be having trouble getting members. Alice Orlein, the ingenious vice-president of the Student Forum, has unearthed something new in membership drives. Here's how it worked. On one of the first Tuesdays of this semester, a student was peacefully strolling down the hall minding her own business, when she heard loud shouts coming from 222, home of Mr. Maple's Student Forum. She decided it would be safest to leave posthaste, but before she had the chance, someone shouted "There's a girl!" and Alice dashed out and escorted her into the room. Thrusting an application blank at the bewildered girl, Alice said, "You are now a member of the Student Forum, because we have to have ten members to be a club. Be seated." Well, with some urging from the other nine, she did stay, and is now a happy member of the Student Forum.

See what we mean?

A bewildered youngster was wrestling desperately with examination questions. Finally he came to: "State the amount of oil exported from the United States in any one year."

With a sudden inspiration, he wrote: "In 1492—none."

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Is this bad! Why it is liable to cause a minor concussion of the cerebellum which puts blood on the brain, causing it to get soggy, slowing it down to the point where it no longer can be used. Then the brain cannot act, speak, or think. So be careful!

Never concentrate, as it may leave you crippled for life.

Now that I have finished this little brainstorm I hope that I have made myself clear.

"I have, you say." WELL good, now explain it to me.

—Advocate.

Notice to Central fluffs: These Riley gals are over-doing the good-neighbor policy, so why don't you get both shoe laces tied and do something about it? What have you done?

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