

PROM TO BE HELD AT PROGRESS CLUB

OUR TRIP THRU A MENTAL HOSPITAL

By Dick Lattimer

On April 18th, if you happened to see a bus load of noisy boys leave the school about 8:30 it was just Mr. Eaton's Health class on its way to Norman M. Beatty Memorial Hospital.

After about one hour of driving we arrived at the hospital. It is located about 1½ miles south of Westville, Indiana. At a distance the hospital seemed very dark and dreary, but upon closer observation we learned that it is comparatively new, being built in 1948-49. Construction work is still in progress. When all the buildings are completed there will be about 58 of them. There will be 4 separate buildings for patients. The patient capacity right now is 526. The patients that enter Beatty Memorial are people suffering from mental disorders.

When we first arrived we were greeted by Mr. Kirk Hoover, Beatty's Chief X-ray Technician, who took us on a very interesting and eye-opening tour of the patients wards. The first thing that we learned was that every door and cabinet in the hospital is controlled by electric keys. Even the elevator. The patients are allowed to walk around in their wards and sometimes the only way we could tell a patient from a hospital attendant was that the attendants have keys to everything.

The first ward we visited was the ward for the elderly patients. Since our class consisted of 44 boys, which is a large group to go thru a ward at one time, we were broken down into three groups. Upon entering the ward we were very pleased to see how clean everything was and how sunny the ward was. As we walked down the corridor past the various rooms we were aware of the fact that there were female nurses administering to the needs of the old gentlemen. All of our stomachs turned over as we caught a glance of a patient who had cancer of the mouth and chin. A great deal of the patients had open sores. However, they were being well taken care of by the nurses. Mr. Hoover pointed out one man who used to be an auctioneer and who now walked around all day auctioneering things. Most of these men were suffering from Schizophrenia. This includes feeble-mindedness, child-like behavior and so forth. Upon leaving the ward, we took the elevator down to the 2nd floor to the hydrotherapy ward. This is also called the receiving ward as all new patients are admitted to this ward for a diagnosis and treatments. A few of the treatments are the Hydro-tub, coldpack table, insulin treatment and electric shock treatments. First of all in the Hydro-tub treatment, the patient is placed in what looks like a big bath tub with a hammock stretched down thru the middle of it. The patient is placed in this hammock and then a covering is placed over him to hold him in. Water at 69° temperature then flows into the tub.

The treatment last two hours. The patient's temperature, pulse and respiration are taken every ½ hour. This room in which the treatment is given, is free from all outside noises. This silence combined with the warm running water tends to relax the patient.

The cold patch treatment is also given to the patients to relax them and their muscles. It is given on a table about 7 ft. long in a room 12 x 15 feet. It also is free from any outside noises. The patient is covered with two blankets and cold sheets out of a refrigerator. After the first 5 minutes of this treatment the patient starts to perspire. This treatment lasts from 2 to 4 hours. Temperature, pulse, and respiration are taken before the treatment begins and every half hour during the treatment. Another treatment is the insulin treatment. The patient is given insulin and a sort time later he goes into a coma.

While he is in this coma, two tubes are entered thru his nose to his stomach. Then sugars and fruit juices are pumped into his stomach. In the electric shock treatment the patient is given a shock and he then goes into a spasm which lasts from 1 to 2 minutes. I believe this shock treatment is used to try and jar or shock the patient out of his mental disorder.

Upon leaving the second floor we were taken to the occupational therapy rooms where the patients indulged in weaving, painting and other pastimes. There also was a big room in which a full schedule of activities took place every night but Saturday and Sunday. Here is the schedule of activities.

1. Monday night—Singing.
2. Tuesday night—Bingo.
3. Wednesday night—Dance.
4. Thursday night—Movie.
5. Friday night—Card games.

Some nights there are as many as 200 patients in this one room at one time. On Sundays Ministers, Priests, and Rabbis' from the neighboring country-side come and conduct Church services. These are held in the same room as dances and parties. The hospital's recreational and occupational therapy building is still in progress. When completed, it will have basketball courts, tennis courts, and a swimming pool. It also will have work shops.

From the occupational rooms we went to the X-ray room. This room has a ½ inch protective wall of lead all the way around it. Even the windows are lead treated. Every patient and employee that enters the hospital has to have a chest X-ray. If T.B. is discovered present in a patient he is transferred to Logan-sport as Beatty Memorial doesn't have the proper facilities for T. B. patients.

At the end of our tour we visited the Minor and Major operating rooms. We also took a quick look into the laboratory where we saw a human brain.

From the general discussion on the bus coming back, I can safely say that everyone was rather uncertain if any of us are sane after seeing those mental cases. We saw

PROM CO-CHAIRMEN



CO-CHAIRMEN OF THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM ARE SHARON KUBSCH AND KENNY WISLER.

PEGGY SHOUP HEADS CLAY CLASS OF 1952

The valedictorian of the 1952 class of Washington - Clay High School is Peggy Shoup and Patricia Greenwood has been named Salutatorian. The announcement was made recently by Mr. Milton H. Harke, principal.

Peggy has maintained a scholastic average of 97.71 during the last three and one-half years at the high school. Pat's average is 96.97.

Peggy has many varied interests. She has been active on the high school newspaper as business manager, a student office girl, member of Etiquette and Booster clubs and the Girls' Athletic association, a junior class officer and a participant in the dramatic productions of her class. Her main summer activity has been 4-H work and she has won many prizes for her excellent work.

Besides earning a high scholastic average, Pat has been active in various school activities. She is co-editor of the 1952 edition of the school yearbook, The Minuteman, and also is a member of the Etiquette and Booster clubs and the G.A.A.

Other students who have maintained high averages throughout their high school career, in order of their rank, are Dwain Spencer, Patricia Morse, Doris Hicks, Dorothy Johnson, Jeanette Gallas, Jo Anna Harter, and William Gordon.

SPRING

By Nancy Layfield

Today I saw a little brook
With waters bright and clear
Just like a picture in a book
Surely spring is here.

no straight jackets throughout the whole trip. We would like to thank Messrs. Harke, Harbaugh and Eaton for the opportunity of letting us see life inside a mental institution.

NEW COMER

By Nancy

Have you seen it? What a knock-out! We all wish to welcome it to Clay and do hope that it will stay! It came one day very unexpected, but we're all glad it did.

It is very small and wears a dark brown coat and what appears to be a red sweater.

It is very shy so please let's be nice to it and not scare it away. Of course, you know what I'm talking about. Just guess! Well, I'm not telling you! O.K. I will, the Robin that has made her nest on Mrs. Cleary's window ledge!

RED CROSS SERVICE RECORDS

By Gloria Romine

Do you smile with pride at your school's record? The following are the service records of some high schools:

John Adams Service — Local: Memorial Hospital, St. Joseph County Home, St. Joseph Hospital, South Bend Osteopathic Hospital, Red Cross Chapter, and Tuberculosis League.

Central Service — Local: Memorial Hospital, St. Joseph County Cancer Society, South Bend Osteopathic Hospital, and Red Cross Chapter.

Riley Service — Local: St. Joseph County Cancer Society and Red Cross Chapter.

Washington Service — International: Art Project.

Washington-Clay Service — National: U. S. Military Hospital, Camp Atterbury, Ind. International: Correspondence Albums, Gift Boxes, Soft Toy Project.

North Liberty Service — Local: Children's Dispensary and Healthwin. International: Gift Boxes.

Walkerton Service—International: Gift Boxes.

Congratulations to these high schools for their wonderful service to the American Red Cross. These are just a few of the many schools in this area that have co-operated.

Music by the Herb Germann Orchestra

The annual Junior-Senior Prom will be held May 10th on Saturday evening in the Progress Club from 9:00 to 12:00 p.m.

The co-chairmen for the prom are Sharon Kubsch and Ken Wisler.

On March 3rd, the committees for the Prom were chosen. They are as follows:

Decoration — Barbara Crynes, Chairman, Johanna Brockenhamer, Sandra Nagy, Magdalene Gaedtke, Yvonne Schryer, Adaline Harding, Janice Snyder, Julie Steman, Carol Shelly, Ruth Colley.

Program and Invitation — Virginia Jacobs, Maryan Rhodes, Pat Taberski, Becky Carrico, Shirley Church.

Refreshments — Jack Walton, Chairman, Karl Joss, Dennis Lynch, Connie Kleindinst, Joan Smith, Ronald Krill.

Photography — Carolyn Clauser, Janet DePriester.

Reservations — Mary Louise Grabowski, Onalee Hicks, Bonnie Kleindinst, Carol Hans, Jerry Walton, Onalee Hicks, Carolyn Warren, Dennis Lynch, Jack Walton, Karl Joss, Ronald Krill.

ETIQUETTE CLUB MEETING

By Arlene Perry

There was an Etiquette Club meeting held April 23, at noon, in the study hall. Mrs. Cleary was in charge of the meeting. The members of the club voted for the Senior boy and girl that are to receive Service awards for their service to Washington-Clay High School in the past four years. The awards will be presented Class Day, May 13.

Next year's officers for the Etiquette Club were also elected. Those nominated for President were Barbara Crynes, Jack Wilton, Bill Hennings, Janet Lane, and Randall Grounds. Janet Lane was elected.

For Vice-President Warren Furnish, Dennis Lynch, and Barbara Crynes were nominated and Barbara Crynes was elected. It was decided at the meeting that the secretary and treasurer be one person, and that there would be no Sergeant-at-Arms. The ones nominated for secretary and treasurer were Dennis Lynch, Julie Steman, Warren Furnish, Mary Ellen McMahon and Onalee Hicks. Julie Steman was elected.

At the next meeting it will be decided whether the club will have a spring picnic, as they did the preceding year.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 18 and commencement exercises for the 70 seniors will be held in the school auditorium on Thursday, May 22.

THE COLONIAL



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THE SCHOOL IS DEFENDED:

By Dale Harbaugh

There have been criticisms aimed at the public schools which are unjust, in the opinion of Earl J. McGrath, U. S. Commissioner of Education.

He says in an article in School Life of March 1952.

"There are two sorts of criticisms directed toward the question of the effectiveness of teaching, particularly the teaching of the fundamental skills. Some of this criticism comes from high-minded and honest persons who are genuinely concerned over what they believe to be a failure of the schools to teach reading, writing, and arithmetic of our children today. These honest critics deserve an honest answer to their questions.

That answer comes in three parts. First, let it be remembered that the whole school population of today cannot be compared to the whole school population of earlier years. Forty years ago, only 63 percent of the Nation's children finished the eighth-grade. Today, the comparable figure is 88 percent. It can be argued with considerable merit that among today's eighth grade graduates at least 63 percent receive as sound an elementary education as did the whole number who graduated 40 years ago. And what the additional 25 percent of students is getting is therefore clear gain over 40 years ago — no matter how meager or how excellent it may be; it is that much more and that much better than little or nothing at all.

Second, available evidence indicates that the schools are doing a good job in teaching the fundamentals. It is my belief, that today's schools will compare very favorably with earlier schools, on the average, even when full allowance is made for the fact that we are today carrying a much higher percentage of students through the higher grades and that this higher percentage undoubtedly includes a great many children in the lower ranges of scholastic ability.

Third, the schools of today are teaching not only the 3 R's of academic ability; they are also teaching the 3 R's of constructive citizenship: Rights, Respect, and Responsibilities."

WINNERS VS. QUITTERS

By Susie Roden

Have you heard that old proverb, "A winner never quits and a quitter never wins?" If you haven't, you are now because we are approaching the close of another school year in the walls of Washington-Clay. For us, the seniors, it means closing the pages of our book of high school days. Whether the last chapter will end in a favorable way depends upon you as an individual. You have made your book in your own impersonal way.

As a personal sidelight to this subject as I look back on my freshman and sophomore years I wish I had realized the importance of those two years; I wish I had studied a little more than I did. I have heard people say that you have to grow older to realize values. I know that when we are a little older we will understand much better the views taken by our parents and teachers. To those who are just entering high school, don't study enough just to get by. Try and try again and even if you don't win in sport or get the highest grade on a test, there is a reward in the effort you have put forth.

ARE YOU ONE?

By Nancy Kleinrichert

Spring is truly here and we all are restless throughout our classes. Well, let's look at it this way: There is at least a month and one half of school yet. No one can change that, so let's keep going the way we have, if not better. Soon summer will be here and we all, including the teachers, can relax. Let's end the school year with a clean slate! Don't give up now! We've gone this far together, the school, teachers, and fellow classmates; and to give up now when the boat is almost to shore would be a shame.

Try and forget the calling weather outside and concentrate on what's going on inside.

SPRING

By Maxine Bryan

Spring is here again
 Birds are on the wing
 Spring is here again

Hear the river sing
 Soon the trees will bud
 And flowers will appear
 Spring is here again
 At last! At last!
 It's here!

BAND CONCERT

By Elsie Greenwood

The Senior Band of Washington-Clay presented a concert to the public on Thursday, April 24 at 8:00 p.m. in the gym of the school.

The selections played were:

Amparito Roca Texidor
 Arioso Bach
 Victor Herbert's

Favorites Arr. M. I. Lake
 New Colonial March Hall
 (Student Conductor—Eva Jo Lowe)
 Fantasy For Three Walters

Trumpet Trio:
 Phillip Holcomb
 Richard Lattimer
 Ronald Hodgson

Tenth Regiment March Hall
 (Richard Lattimer conducting)

Moods Interlude Fred
 At The Gremlin Ball Hill
 Pavanne Gould

Rampage of the
 Old Gray Mare Stacy
 (A Hybrid Skit)

On the Mall March Goldman

BAND PERSONNEL

Flutes — Billie Jo Garner, Charlotte Roden, Sally Plain.

Clarinets — Eva Jo Lowe, Betty Dershem, Patricia Wright, Patricia Stull, Eldonna Porter, Richard Hofferbert, Barbara Bechtel, Donald Snyder, Gail Humbles, Eloise Dudley, Patricia Clinger, Carole Black, Richard Engle, Gene Long, Gerard Welling, Lynne Thomas, Armeta Carleton, Edward Wood.

Saxophones — Lynn Nemeth, Marilyn Walker, Richard Pierratt, James Havens, James Gerharz, Daniel Augh, Richard Reppert, Peter Thomson.

Trumpets — Phillip Holcomb, Richard Lattimer, Ronald Hodgson, Julius Farkas, Daniel Izdepski, Hillard Morse, Warren Hunn, Lewis Bonar, Richard Yena, Walter Gaedtke, Kenneth Bruget, Judith Colip.

Horns — Donald Zaruba, Larry Harrah, Paul Olmstead.

Trombones — Dennis Elli, David Pence, Herbert Sowers, Donald Dudley.

Baritones — Ernest Miller, Roger Rawleigh.

Bass — Carl Nye, James Hoffman.

Percussion — Elsie Greenwood, Mary Jo Whitacre, William Purtee, Carl Romine, Adaline Harding, Robert Owens.

CLAY ELECTS KEFAUVER

Washington-Clay High school students like republicans by a majority of 200 to 160 in their mock primary presidential preference election last Tuesday but democrat partisans made the greatest show of party harmony in backing Senator Estes Kefauver.

Kefauver won 156 of the 160 democrat votes with Kerr polling three and Russell, one. Dwight Eisenhower led the republican candidates with 134; Taft, 53, and Warren, 13.

Students became eligible to vote by registering April 17 and 18 in their high school classes. The mock election was sponsored by Mr. Oglesby's sociology classes. Senior voting was 100 percent, all but 13 of the juniors took part. Four sophomores and three freshmen failed to vote. In view of today's adult elections that is by far an excellent turnout. Congratulations and thanks go to all students and teachers who made this mock election successful. What A Fool I Was.

GOING ON A VACATION?

By Carole Rager

We are all no doubt looking forward to a nice place to go to spend our summer vacation.

There are a number of interesting places to go in the United States, however, have you ever thought of the different places in your own state you can go to? There are probably a number of state parks and memorials that might turn out to be very interesting, educational, and along with everything else, lots of fun, that you have not seen.

Let's take a survey trip around Indiana and see all the interesting places we can go to during our vacation.

First on our list let's visit Clifty Falls State Park. This park is located on the Ohio River at Madison, Indiana, which is located at the southeast corner of Indiana.

You would find a beautiful and colorful waterfall surrounded by a beautiful park.

Another interesting spot on our survey is Pokagon State Park. This park is located near Angola, Indiana, in the northeast corner of Indiana.

This is a very pleasant, colorful, and a very enjoyable place to swim, go sailing, and a number of other things.

The third and last place on our tour is Tippecanoe Battle Field Memorial. This memorial is located near Lafayette, Indiana. This is a very beautiful location where a lot of tragic and yet memorable things happened.

These are just three of the many parks and other points of interest in Indiana. Why not make it a point to look up and find out some more of the interesting places to go during your vacation this summer. I'm sure that you'll see a lot of interesting places and things you didn't even know existed.

IF YOU GO TO WORK

Vacation time and graduation time will soon be here. Many of you will secure jobs which are covered by the Social Security Act. Most employers will want to see your social security card before they will place you on the pay-roll. So, KEEP YOUR CARD IN A SAFE PLACE. If you have lost your original card, you should call at or write the Social Security Field Office listed below. They will secure the original number issued to you, as that ONE number is THE ONLY ONE YOU SHOULD EVER USE. If you never had a number, you can secure an account number by calling at or writing to:

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 Forever and Ever
 Be My Life's Companion
 Feudin' Fussin' and Fighting
 Cry
 It's All Over But The Memories
 Retreat
 Brokenhearted
 What A Fool I Was.

Platter Chatter

By Susie

Once again I am with you to give you a blow by blow account of the music world. Opening this week is still Kay Starr and her recording of "Wheel of Fortune" still holding top honors. On the road to fame is a record by "Her Nibbs — Miss Georgia Gibbs" and her recording of "Kiss of Fire." Tony Martin has also recorded this song. I heard one disc jockey say it is an old Spanish melody. Maybe you can recognize the theme.

The Four Aces have come up with "My Hero" from the Chocolate Soldier while Ella Fitzgerald has done "Goodie, Goodie!" Bob Crosby and his orchestra have recorded a song that has come from way back in 1938 — "Once In A While." Bob may not have the voice like his brother Bing but he sure does have a good orchestra. Guy Mitchell has come up with some more fast rollicking lyrics called "Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania."

Again this week I have picked out two mighty good records I heard. One is by Duke Ellington which is called "Personality" and the other is "Flamingo" by Chico Laferro on a Mercury label.

In the lines of albums, RCA has come up with the Glenn Miller Concert Vol. 2. This is a second of a previously unreleased Miller recordings. Included are such favorites as "Limehouse Blues" and "On the Alamo."

A current movie has featured songs directly from the sound track of this movie which is "Singing In The Rain." Included are "You Were Meant For Me," "All I Do Is Dream of You" and others. Gene Kelly, Donald O'Conner and Debbie Reynolds were starred in this movie.

Or you might like Jane Froman's version of "With A Song In My Heart" and "I'll Walk Alone." All are good records so why not try them?

Till then —

Here's happy listening
 to you —
 From Su.

STATE CONTEST

The following students, accompanied by Miss Walters went to Bloomington, Indiana to the State Achievement Contests, April 25 to be held April 26.

Algebra — Mary Ellen McMahon and Keith Williams.

English — Peggy Shoup.

Latin I — Barbara Landick and Gordon Colson.

Recently at the Regional Contests, held in South Bend Central High School, Gordon Colson received first and Barbara Landick tied with St. Mary's Academy for third.

All students invited to attend received certificates of achievement.

During their stay, they had the following schedule:

9:30—Contest Exams.

10:30-11:00—Tours of Campus

11:30—Get Acquainted Luncheon.

1:00—Films in Fields of Latin, English, and Math.

2:00—Lecture (Illustrated) by Professor Otto Brendel of the Department of Fine Arts.

3:15—Award Ceremonies.

Announcement of Medal Winners.

This and That

By *Tessie and Maryann*
 Theme song for Nancy Mooney—"Old Rockin' Chair's Got Me."
 A new steady—Peggy Shoup and Russel Taylor of Lakeville.
 Since the prom is just around the corner, here are some of the couples you'll see.
 Maryan Rhodes and Larry Humphrey
 Dennis Lynch and Susie Roden
 Janis MacCormick and Mort Stevens
 Ruth Colley and Herman Reed
 Barbara Crynes and Ray Baker
 Janet DePriester and John Neher
 Janis Snyder and George Hess
 Janet Lane and Warren Furnish
 Lucille Lupa and Randy Grounds
 Cathy McNerney and Jerry Walton
 Emory Balasa and Sheila Bordener
 George Colip and Kay DePriester

SONGS FOR YOU

By *Sue*
 Spring is here. Spring is when a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love.
 Judy Colip and Jim Mochel (Madison) — "I Don't Know Why."
 Nancy Teeter and Norm Ehresman (Lakeville) — "Made For Each Other."
 Onalee Hicks and Joe Gostola (Madison) — "Again."
 Julie Stemen and Don Hardy — "Forever and Ever."
 Mary Bayer and Bill Hounshell — "Because of You."
 Lois Hardy and Chuck Myers — "Undecided."
 That's all for now. We'll be back again next issue.

CAMP DARDEN

Camp Darden is in its 32nd season this year. The first period will be from June 16 to July 18; the second period is from July 21 to August 22.
 The ages of the children are from 6 to 13 years of age. Any child who has lost weight, who lacks energy, is recovering from the flu, measles, pneumonia, or some other disease, or who is not normally in good health, is eligible for Camp Darden.
 The actual cost of a week at camp is \$12.50; but any child who cannot afford to pay is not refused admission to camp. Rates are adjusted to the parents budget.
 The employees and management of the South Bend Tool and Die Company and the United Tool Craft members are backing Camp Darden financially — providing care for the children whose parents are unable to pay.
 Applications are being taken now. If you know any children who would like to go to camp, refer them to the Tuberculosis Clinic at 319 South Main Street.

LATIN BANQUET SCHEDULED

By *Mary Ellen McMahon*
 A banquet for all Latin students, both those taking Latin now and those who have had it, is scheduled for May 21 at the Y. W. C. A.
 This banquet is being given in honor of Gordon Colson and Barbara Landick, who attended the State Latin Contest at Indiana University. Gordon placed first in the Regional Contest held earlier.

SUMMER VACATIONS

By *Sue*
 Since schools' end is just around the corner I asked some of the students what they have planned for this summer.
 Martie Smith—Go to Walkerton as much as she can. Why Walkerton?????
 Bob Romine—Go to a farm, play basketball, Natch!!!
 Wayne Westerhouse—Work on a farm and work on a stock car.
 Duffy Magera—Play baseball and basketball.
 Ralph Mitchell—Going to go ice skating, this summer? (Is He nuts or are we missing something?)
 Larry Bishop—Going to be grease monkey.
 Mark Popovich—Hunt two legged deer all summer. That should prove interesting.
 Elsie Greenwood—Take 4-H, go to camp and play golf.
 Nancy Teeter—Work and have some fun.
 Dick Virgil—Race sail boat, play golf, water ski, and work.
 Mike Featherstone—Look for girls and play basketball.
 Nancy Duncan and Jean Bonjourno—Go to camp, play ball, and go to the lake.
 Mary Blank—Take 4-H, go to camp, and go to the lake.
 Dorothy Johnson—Work and enjoy herself before she goes to college.
 Doris Hicks—Work and have fun.
 Bob Owen—Work.
 Connie Claffey—Mess around mostly and 4-H.
 Phyllis Zimmerman and Armenda Carlton—Fool around and pester their folks.

THE BOOK CORNER

By *Marilyn*
 Here's a list of books that should add up to good reading.
 "Voice of the City," a collection of short stories by O. Henry.
 "Plain Clothes Patricia" a career book by Mary Umrston.
 "Paintbox Summer" by Betty Cavanaugh, a charming story for those who are interested in art and those who aren't.
 "The Black Stallion and Satan" a continuation of the other "Black Stallion" books by Walter Farley.
 "Forgotten Daughter" by Caroline Dale Snedeker, a story with a background of ancient Rome.
 "Secret Passage" a mystery story by Betty Cavanaugh.
 "Winter Sport Stories" with stories by many famous authors, edited by Frank Owen.

JUNIOR RED CROSS SUMMARY as of March 31, 1952

Representation In Chapter-Wide Council
 16 out of 21 School City Schools
 12 out of 20 Township Schools
 16 out of 17 Parochial Schools
 —
 44 out of 58 Schools
 Participation In JRC Projects
 18 out of 21 School City Schools
 13 out of 20 Township Schools
 12 out of 17 Parochial Schools
 —
 43 out of 58 Schools
 He's so conceited he joined the navy to let the world see him.

GUEST IN THE HOUSE

By *Wendy and Everett Martin*
 He's the laziest guy we know.
 He won't work, he won't pay taxes, he refuses to vote, and he shows he's crazy about another man's wife.
 He won't go to church, and he's bored with good music and conversation.
 He won't give his views on politics, the labor question or international affairs.
 He doesn't care if we have butter or sugar, and he's not interested in apartments.
 When it comes to the liquor question, he's dry one minute and wet the next.

JUNIOR HIGH TEACHER

This week I am going to do something a little different. There will be four brackets A., B., C., D. You try and guess who it is in bracket A.
 A. She has beautiful blue eyes and reddish brown hair. She stands all of 5'3".
 B. Her favorite food is fried chicken and her sport is golf. Also her hobby is reading. Better start thinking because we're half done.
 C. Her hometown is Ft. Wayne, Indiana and she is a graduate of Indiana University. Her pet peeve is gum chewing. What, you don't know who she is yet?
 D. She teaches in room 12, don't you, Miss Huepenbecker? By the way Miss Huepenbecker just recently came back to us. She has been absent because of illness. We are happy she is back with us again and we hope she will stay.

SPRING

By *Antoinette Amato*
 Spring is here at last
 With the grass so green and bright
 Spring is here at last
 When the crickets chirp at night.
 Spring is here at last
 When the moon is out at night.
 Spring is here at last
 When the stars are shining bright.
 Spring is here at last
 When the birds are singing fine.
 Spring is here at last
 When the rain falls all the time.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN COLLEGE

When you enter college, you will begin that period in your life which will leave you with the happiest of memories. The period of the next four years will help determine the success you will achieve in your life's work. The one or two real things you will make will be life-long friends, and the chances are that you will probably meet your life's mate. In future years you will say, "If only I had taken better advantage of my opportunities." Extra-curricular activities and social life are very important, provided school work is satisfactorily accomplished.

Remember on the first day of school that you are on a starting line with all your classmates. Don't lag behind. A few of the signs pointing to a successful college career are:

1. Choice of college — liberal arts, pre-professional scientific, university, special.
 2. Competition — nothing succeeds like success. You need a challenge, but don't try the impossible.
 3. Study habits — efficient ones save much worry and time. Keep good notes — ask questions after careful study.
 4. Associates — fraternities, sororities — be careful until you are orientated.
 5. Professors are human — regular class attendance and participation pay good dividends in marks.
 6. Live within your income — avoid suspicion of easy spender.
 7. Don't borrow clothes — it is very aggravating to most people.
 8. Be honest and truthful — it pays.
 9. Work and play — be sure not to reverse the order, and you'll have a much more enjoyable time on that "date", knowing you have worked those problems for tomorrow.
 10. Remember you are a gentleman or lady — act like one.
 11. Go to church regularly — it's a good habit to maintain.
- by *John Montgomery*
 President Mitchell College, Statesville, N. C.

A small boy came into the room where his mother was entertaining some friends and, smiling but sheepishly, said, "Mother, my pants sat down in a puddle."

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WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF . . .

Jerry Miller would stop flirting with other girls?
 Pat Kush would come to school after formal dances?
 The snow would come again?
 The candy counter would sell gum?
 Jay Guy would stop going steady?
 All the Junior and Seniors would go to the Prom?
 Everyone would co-operate?
 What would have happened if Dennis Lynch would have asked Carol Sue to the Prom?
 Marilyn Marker didn't wear that gold football?
 Susie Roden didn't get excited when Don came home?
 Stalin would be our next president?
 School hours would be from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.
 Nancy Kleinrichert would agree to go steady with a certain sophomore?
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WALKERTON WINS COUNTY CROWN

Colonial Stone Sets Record
Walkerton's Indians won the annual St. Joseph County senior high track meet a week ago on Tupper Field in Mishawaka. Walkerton ran up a total of 74½ points. Coach Bunge's harriers won seven of the 13 events.

Washington-Clay's Colonials tied for 2nd place with Lakeville's Trojans, each team had 46 points. The rest of the scoring went thusly: New Carlisle 31½, North Liberty 17, Greene 6, and Madison 4½.

The Colonials Keith Stone set the days only record, with a pole vault of 11 feet 9 inches. It broke the old record of 11 feet 7½ inches set in '49 by Dale Hesch of Madison Township.

Congratulations go to Keith, for at the present time, this is the best vault made by a prep athlete in Indiana this season.

Washington-Clay won the junior high division, run simultaneously with the senior meet. The Colonials scored 51 points. New Carlisle was second with 34½ points.

100-yard dash — 1. Shively (NC), 2. Coddens (NC), 3. Malstaff (W), Time: 10:6.

220-yard dash — 1. K. Taylor (L), 2. Malstaff (W), 3. Davis (NL), Time: 23.8.

120-yard high hurdles — 1. Kost (W), 2. Claxton (W), 3. Hardy (WC), Time: 16.9.

180-yard low hurdles — 1. Anspaugh (W), 2. Taylor (L), 3. Claxton (W), Time: 22:1. (New Distance)

440-yard run — 1. Anspaugh (W), 2. Mann (W), 3. Root (WC), Time: 55.3.

880-yard run — 1. Kost (W), 2. Mann (W), 3. Gearhart (L), 4. Lynch (WC), Time: 2:10.5.

Mile run — 1. Hershberger (W), 2. Humphrey (WC), 3. Zimmerle (L), Time: 5:01.

880-yard relay — 1. Washington-Clay, 2. Walkerton, 3. New Carlisle, Time 1:40.1.

Mile relay — 1. Walkerton, 2. Lakeville, 3. Washington-Clay, Time 3:44.5.

Shot Put — 1. R. Taylor (L), 2. Zielinski (NC), 3. Baughman (G), Distance 42 ft. 9½ inches.

Broad Jump — 1. Northam (W), 2. Stone (WC), 3. Felty (NC), Distance 19 feet 8 inches.

High Jump — 1. Wright (L), 2. Heim (NL), 3. Fehr (M), Height 5 feet 7 inches.

Pole Vault — 1. Stone (WC), 2. Blackford (WC), 3. Ehresman (L), Height 11 feet 9½ inches, new record. Old record 11 feet 7½ inches by Dale Hesch, Madison, in 1949.

CLAY TUMBLED BY WALKERTON

Taking nine out of thirteen first places, the Walkerton Indians defeated the Colonials 69-40, in a dual meet Tuesday afternoon on the Colonial track. It was the second loss in five meets for Coach Fick's Colonials.

Washington-Clay gained victories in the 100-yard dash, the shot put, broad jump and pole vault.

Rundown:
100-yard Dash — 1. Whisler, 2. Northam, 3. Malstaff.

220-yard Dash — 1. Malstaff, 2. Root, 3. Hardy.

120-yard High Hurdles — 1. Kost, 2. Claxton, 3. Hardy.

120-yard Low Hurdles — 1. Claxton, 2. Hardy, 3. Anspaugh.

440-yard Run — 1. Mann, 2. Anspaugh, 3. Root.

880-yard Run — 1. Kost, 2. Tiede, 3. Mann.

Mile Run — 1. Heisberger, 2. Humphrey, 3. Pratt.

Shot Put — 1. Todd, 2. Ruby, 3. Walton.

Broad Jump — 1. Stone, 2. Northam, 3. Kost.

High Jump — 1. Anspaugh, 2. Stone, 3. Grounds.

Pole Vault — 1. Stone, 2. Blackford, 3. Claxton.

4/5 Mile Relay — Walkerton.
½ Mile Relay — Walkerton.

CLAY DOWNS WAKARUSA

Wednesday, April 16, Howard Fick's Washington-Clay High School track team defeated Wakarusa 70-21, in their third annual meet of the season.

Keith Stone was the only one to take two first places, one in the broad jump and in the pole vault. He set a new record at Wakarusa for the pole vault at 11 feet, 4 inches.

The Colonials made two grand slams taking all three places in the 100 yard dash.

There were no low or high hurdle events due to a sortage of runners.

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