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EDITORIAL THRIFTY SHORT-CUTS

Who has not take a short-cut some time or other? There are very few of us who have not. When we travel, if trying to save time, we go the shortest way possible. If we walk some place, we also go the way that is the nearest. This is also the way some people live—taking a short-cut—doing the things that are the easiest, and overlooking the harder things that they meet in life. If we have taken shorthand, which is a short and quicker way of writing, we also save time; but this is a different and more justifiable kind of a short cut.

People who take things that come just as they are without working or concentrating upon them, are not as intelligent perhaps, as they might be. Whereas, if they worked upon something and gained some knowledge about the matter, they could not hurry thru their work haphazardly. If we take more short-cuts to save time and thus use the time to concentrate and increase our knowledge, we will be making use of both short cuts and time. When this is done, we are being thrifty with time and intelligent, as well as minding our own affairs rather than bothering someone else when they are trying to do something themselves.

Hence it pays to be thrifty in time and to use short-cuts.

EDITORIAL

STRIKE OUT OF HOME RUN?

Which are we expecting from our baseball team—“strike-outs” or “home runs”? By the size of the baseball contributions from each room, it seems that we may be very much surprised if our boys do make a home run or even win a game.

With as little co-operative backing as the students around A. H. S. have shown in connection with baseball contributions, it is a wonder that our team even has the spirit to want to play.

Tho we ourselves are not interested in baseball as a sport, we can at least show that we are backing up every enterprise your school undertakes and help the boys win with our spirit of financial co-operation.

We shouldn't be “wet blankets,” wrapping ourselves around the A. H. S. baseball team. They'll win—IF they know that we want victory! Let's contribute cheerfully all we can to help our boys in their “victory” plan!

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS ARE ANNOUNCED

The following pupils earned places on the first honor roll for the seventh marking period by maintaining at least 90 per cent in three major subjects, with none below 85 per cent: Thelma Ahrens, Hilda Clarke, Charlotte Coryell, Doris Honegger, Orville Mesler, Jean Millsbaugh and Leo Nobles.

By standing at least 85 per cent in three subjects with none below 80, the following pupils earned places on the second honor roll: June Babcock, Katherine Barber, Letha Callaghan, Richard Clair, Vivian Conner, Pearl Goodridge, Ida Mae Howland, Coretha Mead, Carol Walton and Syble Winchell.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—What foreign correspondent for the New York Times recently won the Pulitzer prize in literature?
- 2—What foreign king recently celebrated his 25th jubilee.
- 3—Who was known as “the grand old man” of the Liberal Party in England?
- 4—What was the date of United States' entrance into the World War?
- 5—Who was known as “the plant wizard”?
- 6—What element forms the greatest part of air?
- 7—Who is Mary Baird?
- 8—Who is Florence E. Allen?

There is enough salt in the ocean to form a pyramid 300 miles at the base and 250 miles in height.

MARIAN SWARTS WINS LOCAL CONTEST

Marian Swarts was awarded first place in the local speaking contest held in assembly Friday morning, in the high school auditorium.

As a result of this contest, Miss Swarts will represent Andover High School in the county speaking contest at Bolivar, Thursday night, May 20th at 8 o'clock. The prize winning selection was “How the LaRue Stakes Were Lost.”

The other girls who took part are Potiney Karcanes, who gave “Daddy Doc,” the story of a little boy, Joe, whose father was a doctor and who never found time to play with the child because of his work.

“At the Declam Contest,” a humorous selection, was given by Beatrice Kruger, and “The Mysterious Pup,” by Thelma Ahrens. The latter is the story of a little boy who had to take care of his little baby brother and who, because he did not want his friends to know it, told them that it was his little dog.

While the judges were deciding the winner, the orchestra played a special number and the group sang several rounds, which everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy.

The three judges, Rev. Raymond E. Dronsfeld, Mrs. Edward J. Cory and Mrs. Richard V. Harder, decided that Marian Swarts deserved first place because of the almost perfect appearance that she made, and the ease with which she delivered her selection. Thelma Ahrens was given second place.

RURAL FIELD DAY THIS DAY FRIDAY

Andover High School plays host to all the boys and girls attending rural schools in the vicinity on Friday, May 21st.

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the youngsters will be treated to a free movie thru the courtesy of the manager of the Andover Theater. Following a picnic lunch at the athletic field, a sports program will be conducted by Coach William McGee, with suitable awards. Following this the guests will be given free baseball tickets to the A. H. S. Bolivar baseball game. About 100 rural boys and girls are expected to attend.

“ODE TO A LIBRARY”

The bulletin board this week contains material concerning the new Howe library which held its formal opening at Wellsville May 13-14-15. The dedication address was delivered by Dr. J. Nelson Norwood, president of Alfred University, the students of which are expected to find much in the building to interest them in their reference and research work.

The Rev. James McLeod, chaplain of Alfred University, repeated the original paragraph, “A Library Speaks.” If the library could speak it would say:

“I am the David A. Howe Library. I am brick and wood and mortar and paint. I am reading room and stock rooms, and a theatre and a room for the ‘story hour.’ I am the center of the cultural life of Wellsville. But I am more than these. I am a sacrifice, and courage and the dream of a long yesterday. I am the uncharted paths, the alluring call, the thrilling adventures of a limitless tomorrow. I am the creative toil of voiceless laborers. I am the intrepid souls of faithful teachers. ‘There is no frigate like a book to take us miles away’ and within me you may find the possibility of flight for your soul in thousands of books. Here you may know the joy of being caught up out of yourself in some great book. Tho you may become rich in mind within these walls.

“But I am more than these— I am love and hope and faith and joy. I am beauty and reverence and truth. I am the material expression of spiritual realities. I am yours to make of me what you will— I AM A LIBRARY!”

The citizens of Wellsville certainly have the right to feel proud of their new building and altho Andover does not have a building as fine in architectural display, it does have a very fine literature collection which has received extraordinary high praise from the state officials of the Library division at Albany.

Mrs. Charles Day, Miss Mary Lou Day's grandmother, was among those seated on the platform at the dedication service of the David A. Howe library in Wellsville, Thursday afternoon; as she, with one other, is the only person who was present at the original chartering service of this institution.

A. H. S. MUSIC GROUPS ATTEND MUSIC FESTIVAL

For the first time in the history of A. H. S., a mixed chorus will be sent to Houghton, to compete with the other choral clubs, Friday, May 21st. Thirty-five Andover students (the girls' chorus and mixed chorus) will represent Andover at the festival, comprising the largest number of students ever sent from here to the choral program.

The A. H. S. orchestra is at Houghton today, May 20th and is undoubtedly illustrating what the word “improvement” means.

It is a great pleasure for these students to attend the festival and bring back with them the words of such famous musicians as Mr. J. Leo Lynch and Mr. E. Finley Williamson.

The music festival is open to the public, with an admission charge of 25 cents for each day. The individual groups first programs in the morning and in the afternoon a massed program of all participants is given under the direction of the adjudicator for the day.

Probably the highlight of the festival will be the band program on Saturday, May 22nd, at which Dr. Edwin Franko Goldman will officiate.

ANDOVER TRACK TEAM PLACES SECOND AMONG COUNTY SCHOOLS

The annual spring day classic, sponsored by Wellsville High School, found four counties entered in the track and field events. The schools were ones such as Corning Free Academy, Corning North Side, Hornell, Wellsville, Bath, Warsaw, Perry and numerous others.

Andover, altho not placing in many events, obtained a much needed experience, a lack of which was their main drawback in their showing. Andover entered only a small number of contestants compared to the many which their opponents had listed. The morning trials saw many of Andover's entries barely miss qualifying for the finals in the afternoon.

The local spikemen earned four points and in doing so defeated such schools as Corning Free Academy, and all Allegany county schools except Wellsville. The four points totaled with three due to Don Joyce who received third place in javelin throw and Henry Antan, who was credited with a tie for fourth in the pole vault.

A RUSH TO THE PROM

“Oh, Joe, do you really think we will get there in time for the Junior Prom?”

“Oh, Joe, do hurry! Here it is 6 o'clock and we are only in Rochester. I wouldn't miss hearing those New Yorkers from Fort Niagara for all the money in the world.”

“And imagine, the Junior Class is only charging a dollar a couple for such a marvelous seven-piece band. Isn't that wonderful? Can't you make this old car go any faster?”

“Why, I have looked forward to this annual event with so much anticipation that I just couldn't miss it, Joe.”

“Don't tell me something has gone wrong with the car! Ohhh! I'll never get there now. You say it's only the gas? Well I saw a gas station back about a mile. I'll stay here while you go back and get some, you know I can't get tired before the prom even starts. You know you're stronger than I am and it won't effect you a bit.”

“Three-quarters of an hour has elapsed. “At last you're back and now we can start on our way again. Thank heavens we're here, and here it is ten o'clock. Hurry up, Joe, and dress, it won't take me but a jiffy.”

(One-half hour later, entering the door.) “Ohh, Joe! Did you ever see such a magnificently decorated hall, just look at those decorations and listen to that orchestra, and imagine—we only paid a dollar.”

So remember, folks, that next Friday evening, the 21st, will be the date of the Junior Prom. The New Yorkers from Fort Niagara will furnish the music. Admission, \$1 per couple. We'll see you all there!

CORRECTION

The list of Seniors having averages of 80 per cent or over should read as follows: Jean Millsbaugh, 87.60; Orville Mesler, 87.36; Hilda Clarke, 86.40; Alan Tuttle, 84.09; Bruce McGill, 83.97; Maxine Crandall, 82.61; Raymond Briggs, 80.84; Farnham Pope, 81.82.

A. H. S. BASEBALL TEAM SEEKS VICTORY OVER HOLIVAR FRIDAY

Losing to the larger school earlier in the season by a one-run margin, Andover high school's diamond team hopes to turn the tables and defeat the league leading Donnelly team Friday on the local field. Bolivar has thus far during the season won two games and lost none in the league competition. Andover and Belmont have each dropped one and have not as yet registered in the win column.

Bolivar will be seeking the third straight win Friday, while Andover will be playing hard to defeat them, to place in the runner-up position. Stewart, who pitched the opening game for Bolivar, holding the A. H. S. team fairly well, will probably start on the mound for Bolivar, while either Joyce or Burgett will undertake the hurling assignments for the locals.

GRADE HONOR ROLLS FOR SEVENTH MARKING PERIOD

First Grade—James Burgett, Lila Ann Childs, Robert Smith, Wenonah Smith, Johanne Theetge, Helen Yannie, Lois Ordway.

Second Grade—Doris Atwell, Rosemary Baker, Richard Burdick, Robert Burger, James Dawson, Patricia Dolan, John Earl Fisher, Betty Jean Howland, Kathryn Joyce, Kevin Lynch, Beverly McCarthy, Ruth Murray.

Third Grade—Mitchell Dixon, Victor Clarke, Virginia Loring, Lois Mattison, Donald Northrup, Vivian Shellman, Janice Walton, Norma Steadman, Donald Burger, William Dougherty, John Horan.

Fourth Grade—Wilma Goodridge, Jean Halsey, Clara Hann, Susan McAndrew, Martha McDonough, Veronica Rav, Ferdinand Smith, Craig Snyder.

Second Honors—Florence Dodge, Betty Joyce, Jean Kemp, Bernice Ray, Richard Steadman, Marjorie Vars.

First Honors—Kenneth Cook, Charles Hall, Francis Horan, Anne McDonough.

Second Honors—Robert Baker, Bernard Burger, Mary Cannon, Norma Crowner, Leona Clark, Patrick Lynch, Theresa McGinnis, Dewey Northrup, Jean Patrick, Betty Rogers, Marian Stevens, Virginia Joyce.

First Honors—Mary E. Baker, Doris Mead, Elaine Pope, Clyde Shellman.

Second Honors—June Glover, Betty Jean Rice, Marilyn Hardy, Martina Lynch, Cecelia Lynch, Mardina Perry.

First Honors—Audrey Glover, Victor Oakes, Jean Rogers, Stanley Ruger, Paul Ryan.

Second Honors—Marjorie Bergman, John Dean, James Driscoll, Helena Stankey.

Eighth Grade JUNIORS TO HAVE PROM

Friday night, May 21st, from 9 to 1 o'clock the Juniors of Andover High School will hold forth at their annual Junior Prom in the A. H. S. gymnasium, where they will dance gaily to the terpsichorean strains of the well known New Yorkers.

The decorating of the gym has been under way for two days, and no doubt the Friday night affair will take place in a gala atmosphere. Only couples will be admitted for one dollar per couple.

SENIOR INTERVIEWS

What is your full name? Liwyn L. Howland.

Where were you born?—Andover, New York.

What is your favorite sport?—Sleeping.

What books do you like best?—Fiction.

What is your favorite subject?—Chemistry.

What subject do you dislike?—English.

Who is your favorite movie actor?—Robert Taylor.

Who is your favorite movie actress?—Ginger Rogers.

What movie do you like best?—“Rainbow on the River.”

What is your favorite pastime?—Dozing in school.

Liwyn is a well-liked boy by both boys and girls. He is inclined to annoy the teachers somewhat in study halls. He may like to sleep, but he doesn't do very much of it in school. We all hope Liwyn will be a success in life.

FUTURE HEADLINERS

There will be headlines in the papers — When Mr. Host is not required to dismiss Freshmen members during Guidance Class.

When Sybl Winchell does not admire Freshman exhibit work.

When “Bud” Dolan succeeds with his Southern brogue.

When fourth period study hall boys stop acting like infants.

When Doris Honegger does not borrow George Joyce's pencil (just Snyder).

When Girls' Glee Club stick together at Houghton.

When Miss Day doesn't have more water than ink in the ink bottle.

When Vivian Conner dances with everyone she wishes to in Physical Education.

When Antan and Burdick form a corporation for architectural work in real life.

When the melody of the “New Yorkers” fails to bring dancing feet to the Junior Prom, Friday.

ANSWERS

- 1—Anne O'Hare McCormick.
- 2—Christian the Tenth of Denmark.
- 3—William E. Gladstone.
- 4—April 6, 1917.
- 5—Luther Burbank.
- 6—Nitrogen.
- 7—An historian.
- 8—She is judge in the sixth district of United States Court of Appeals, the highest judicial position held by any woman in this country.

HAVE YOU HEARD THIS ONE?

Boners! And more boners! Somehow, a five-week test always brings forth from the brains of high school students some very unaccountable answers and some very unaccountable, illogical examples of thought upon certain subjects. One is inclined to chuckle the slightest bit as he scans his eyes upon the following boners—some from our school and some from other schools. One can readily see that A. H. S. students aren't the only “pebbles on the beach” (of boners.)

Boners taken from test papers at A. H. S.

Q.—How do birds benefit gardens? A.—They scare away lots of insects.

Toads and birds are garden friends, Toads eat bugs and beetles, Birds eat beetles and bugs.

We preserve raisins by boxing them.

Q.—Why may milk be dangerous? A.—Because it is very sensitive and attracts all smells.

Q.—Why are insects found in the home? A.—Because insects like dirty people.

Ice cools refrigerators by giving off heat.

Mr. Reason has a look of dissipation and humor.

The Beauty of Bath is drinking the mineral water.

The Beauty of Bath is water-springs.

Another name for Monsieur Beaucaire is Duck O'Orleans.

The Beauty of Bath is building.

While attending school, the disease of cholera began to spread rapidly thruout Egypt.

Hepzibah asked me what the women wore. When I replied that their dresses were worn a little below the knees she nearly fainted.

Boners taken from papers at other schools—

Do you know the right way to say it?—Cannibal is two brothers who killed each other in the Bible.

A monastery is a place for monks.

A Kaiser is a stream of water jumping up and disturbing the earth.

Lincoln wrote his famous address while riding from Washington to Gettysburg on an envelope.

The chief clause in the Magna Charta was that no freeman should be put to death or be imprisoned without his own consent.

Alexander the Great was born in Athens during the absence of his parents.

Edward III. would have been king of France if his mother had been a man.

Stability is taking care of a stable. A mosquito is the child of black and white parents.

An anachronism is a thing a man puts in writing in the past before it has taken place in the future.

THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS

By Mac Arthur



Country

Davis

(Mrs. Floyd Stocum)

May 19.—George Terbury, George Ell and son of Owego, Terbury and family and Earl Ordway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sunday.

Mrs. James Burbank birthday party of the at their rooms in A. afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John family and Mr. and Mrs. of Andover visit and daughter, Mrs. family at Hornell, S.

Mr. and Mrs. John family attended the of the Grange day evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jam tended the commu home of Leon Wahl Wednesday.

Sybl Winchell and of Andover passed to the home of Mr. and vis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mae Davis were bus Wellsville, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. La family were gue Mrs. Harold Perry o day.

Mr. and Mrs. F family of Andover a Frank Halsey were of Mr. and Mrs. Cl Hartsville.

Fred Stocum visit L. L. Spencer at Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G family were visitors sey, Sunday evening.

Joseph and Edw visitors at Floyd S evening.

Ronald Hoagland was a guest of Mr. Hoagland, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Flo visitors at Victor day.

Mr. and Mrs. Flo Mr. and Mrs. Jame day evening.

William Manley was a caller at Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I and family were visitors of Mr. and land.

Mr. and Mrs. E shoppers in Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. I Richburg and Owen ville were Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Hill Genevieve Miss visited at Flo Thursday and Frid

Lane Scho (Harold Chur

May 19.—Lawr Bennetts Creek w Saturday, buying

Rev. and Mrs. Uniontown, Pa., a Patrick Welch an cia of Eldred, Pa day of last week Church and son place.

Herman Wallace called on friends evening of last w town Saturday ev

Mr. and Mrs. M tored to Cuba o day.

Mr. and Mrs. V Coombs and Har ed a show in W evening.

Pete Madison on friends here Miss Virgil Sla faculty passed th her parents, Mr. Slaight of this pl

John Swarts a of Rock Creek evening with fri

Robert Flynn business Tuesday Thomas Murra Tuesday on bus Mr. and Mrs. Andover pass and Mrs. Murton of this place.

A Russian scl board the iceber covered a new Sea.

There are 20 in the United S ship of over 62