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## Current Comments

**QUIET—FRESHMEN!**

The Freshman Class this year hasn't been bad, but there still is room for improvement. Locker doors shut just as quietly in one end of the hall, if we don't shove too hard on them, as they do in the other end. Still, for some reason, the Freshmen lockers seem to have a rather vicious bang when kicked shut. There are lots of ways to shut a locker, if your arms are full of books, besides kicking it shut with a bang heard from Grade 1 to 12.

Then there's the problem of having miniature wrestling matches in the halls. These corridors have that quality necessary for a successful echo. Every shout and yell echoes far beyond the actual scene of the conflict. Let's try to be more quiet, Freshmen and upper classmen, too.

## Current Comments

**WHY NOT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR ALL?**

A period has been set aside every Thursday afternoon from 3:05 to 4 o'clock for the purpose of giving the various churches an opportunity to provide religious instruction for school pupils. So far, only one church has taken advantage of the splendid opportunity offered by the school.

Would it not be worthwhile for more of Andover's churches, the churches of all faiths—to take this chance to promote these classes, inasmuch as this valuable type of instruction is not provided for in the curriculum of the schools themselves in New York State?

## Current Comments

**AWAY WITH THE "WOODEN SOLDIERS"**

"Social Hour," a pleasant thought isn't it? To some of us, it means an hour of dancing and fun, acquiring new friends and in time improving our social standard. However, to most of the high school young men social hour is merely "some place to go." This particular group of boys comes, stands around, and appears to be "insulted" at the prospect of dancing with a girl.

Sometimes I wonder if some of these boys don't want to be looked upon as "fashion plates." You know it's true, boys as Shakespeare says, "Stick your courage to the sticking place," and dance more with the girls next Social Hour. After all, girls don't bite.

## A.C.S. Homemaking Projects

The Homemaking A and Home Economics classes have been canning carrots, peaches and pears. They took a trip to the grocery store Friday to study commercial canning. This week the Homemaking A and Home Economics girls are going to learn to knit and to Italian hemstitch.

The Home Economics 6 class is studying housing conditions in the United States.

The seventh and eighth grade homemaking classes are making posters of outfits they would like to have which would be becoming to them. They have also been making needle books out of oilcloth and flannel.

## Social Hour Held Monday Night

A. C. S. dance enthusiasts flocked to the gymnasium to attend the second Social Hour of the season Monday evening from 7:15 to 8:45 o'clock.

A large crowd "beat it out" to the music of various swing tunes, hot and sweet, favorite among which seemed to be "Amapola." Proceeds from these social hours will be used to replenish the school's waning record supply.

## Student Council Nominations Next Week

With the beginning of a new school program, the cry for a Student Council is heard among A. C. S. students. As a result, the initial movements will be made the first part of next week when the two regular parties, namely Progressive and Co-operative, will meet in separate groups for the purpose of nominating three candidates for each party. Following these nominations, a campaign between the two rival parties will be held sometime later in assembly where the two groups will express their views on how extra-curricular activities may be improved and will offer suggestions as to how school affairs should be managed during the year. The result of this will be the final voting of the whole student body, by means of the village voting machine, as was done last year, to choose the three members at large for the council. After this, each grade, from the Senior homeroom down to the Freshman homeroom, will vote for a member to represent its class on the council. This will make a total of seven council members.

It is hoped that the student body will give the council full support this year.

## School Begins at Nine Next Week

With the clocks of the nation being set back to Standard Time next Sunday, the school program will go back to its original schedule with the morning session starting at 9 o'clock and the afternoon session at 12:55 o'clock Standard Time. Noon dismissal will be at 12 o'clock.

For the farm homes that have been going on Standard Time during the summer, the busses will make their schedules 45 minutes later than at present.

The doors of the building will be opened at 8:40 and 12:40 and pupils should not arrive at the building before these times.

## Violators of Bus Law Checked

With school busses again on the road, all automobile and truck drivers are reminded of the School Bus Stop Law, which requires that when a school bus is stopped to discharge passengers, all traffic must come to a stop until the bus starts or the driver motions the vehicle by.

This law, which has been in effect for several years and which has contributed much to the safety of bus transportation, is being enforced by county and state officers.

Bus drivers have been instructed to report drivers who violate the spirit of the law. This report is made to the Bureau of Motor Vehicles at Albany, and from that office a notice is sent to the violator explaining the law, if it is his first violation.

There is still some misunderstanding in regard to vehicles meeting a stopped school bus. Such vehicles are required to come to a complete stop the same as those that come from the rear.

## Surplus Food Meeting Held at Belmont Thursday

In company with principals from Allegany county, Principal Bretsch met with district representatives of this county last Thursday to attend a meeting of the Federal Surplus Marketing Administration in Belmont.

At this meeting, it was explained that cafeterias would still be able to secure surplus food free, similar to last year's program. By using these foods, free lunches can be given to underprivileged or undernourished children.

Under this plan, foods would be supplied only providing that the regular purchases of the cafeteria would be decreased.

The committee for the local program which is expected to get under way at the beginning of next week is composed of the following people who were appointed to determine those pupils in need of receiving free lunches: Mrs. Carol Carpenter, Dr. J. Robert Common, Miss Marie Mahl, Mrs. Anna B. Wood and Principal Glenn E. Bretsch.

## Hi Herald "Trial For Membership" Period Ends

This week's edition of the Hi Herald marks the end of the three-week trial period which has afforded would-be high school journalists an opportunity to show their enthusiasm for and interest in newspaper writing.

Henceforth, the Hi Herald will be published by a select staff which has proven its ability to work hard, to assume the responsibility of collecting the material for the article to which it has been assigned, to assemble this information in accurate, authentic and interesting newspaper style and to turn the completed article into its editor for constructive criticism and proof-reading before the newspaper "deadline" which is Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The names of those people on the 1941-42 Hi Herald staff will appear in the next issue of the paper.

## Assembly Held Friday

A. C. S. students had their first opportunity of the school year to get in some lusty group singing last Friday morning when the second assembly was held in the auditorium. Several songs, old and new, were flashed on the screen and were sung to the accompaniment of the piano, played by Anna Hardy and Elaine Pope. Miss Hanneman, the music instructor, did a fine job of leading the group.

Prior to this, Principal Bretsch reviewed the procedure to be followed by absentees upon re-entering school and spoke briefly on "cafeteria etiquette." At the close of the assembly the band played the school song and students marched back to their respective classes.

## First Fire Drills Held

The first fire drill of the year was held Monday afternoon soon after school called for the afternoon session. Speaking over the public address system, Principal Bretsch announced that the drill would be held and urged all pupils to make their exits in an orderly manner, this factor being more important than speed.

With the first stroke of the fire gongs, pupils were on their way, each room having been instructed previously as to their correct route.

The drill was repeated without announcement later in the afternoon. Each time the building was emptied in about two to three minutes.

Plans are being made to celebrate Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 5-11.

## Skating Party Held

Last Friday night a joyous crowd of Andover Central's upper classes journeyed to Funcrest at Wellsville for the first skating party of the school year.

The party was originally planned for the Seniors but it was found impossible to obtain the number required for a reduced rate and so the school as a whole was invited to join in.

Everyone reported a very fine time, except for a few bumps and bruises, and it is hoped that a bus can be obtained again in the near future for another evening of thrills and spills.

## Disappointed Juniors Carry On!

After three days of planning and thinking, the committees for the Junior class weiner roast have finally decided to postpone their picnic because of "potato picking vacation." As matters stand now, the picnic will be held next week Monday, instead of last Tuesday afternoon as was originally planned.

The committees that were appointed are as follows: Refreshments: Dorothy Baker, chairman; assisted by Doris Mead, Barbara Brownell and Marilyn Hardy.

Entertainment: Arthur Temple, chairman, assisted by Jean Button, Martina Lynch and Leonard Cartwright.

With this vacation giving the committees a longer time to plan the Juniors are looking forward to a "rip-roaring" good time.

## CHIT-CHAT

STAN RUGER

Everyone seemed to enjoy himself at the skating party, especially "Vennie" and "Barb," who were never separated.

Mr. Ingerson had a very good time at the party, catching the other teachers when they started to fall.

What's this? We noticed Vic has been receiving notes from some of the "femmes" in the school. Love or business, Vic? We can guess.

Did anyone miss the Northern lights last Thursday evening? If he did, just ask Dick Potter about them. He knows all the answers as he and one fair young maiden watched them from seven until nine.

Also the football team's first game is looming in the near future, most of the boys are out picking up potatoes and will have to start practice all over again before the big occasion.

With this your columnist signs off and will spur on National Defense by going out and picking up a few spuds.

## Come On, Girls!

Let's begin the year with a bang and have the best girls' intramural sports program that has ever been known.

We have an excellent intramural council which has organized good teams, so why not co-operate with these leaders and come to intramurals with the idea of active participation? It is disheartening to those who do enjoy basketball and other sports not to have enough people to turn out to play a good game.

So, come on girls, and let's see what we can do this year by showing the most enthusiasm possible. A grand time will be assured everyone if all the girls co-operate with the intra-mural council leaders and Mr. Ingerson, our athletic instructor.

## Musical Melodrama

The band and Miss Hanneman wish to thank Mr. Ingerson for the splendid help he has given them in learning to march properly. This is the first time the A. C. S. band has ever marched, and keeping one's eyes alternately on the music and then on Miss Hanneman, one's feet stepping 1-2-3-4 in time to the music, and the entire group in straight marching line is a more difficult problem than had been anticipated.

Incidentally, it is reported that the band can be heard all over town when it is practicing.

How about some more musical assemblies? Everyone seems to enjoy them!

## Freshmen Frolics

Betty B. is back at her old habit of chewing gum.

Al. F. seems to like "skull caps"—especially "6th grader."

The Freshmen certainly were playful Thursday in Science class. Marjorie V. seems to get along O. K. with the boys at Sloan's Funcrest where the Junior Skating Party was held Friday evening.

Why does "Pat" Slocum look in her seat before she sits down? Ask Ferdinand S.

## A.C.S. Band Marks Time

A blast from a cornet, the beat of a drum and a quaint form of music was heard floating thru the atmosphere about the school last Thursday and Friday when the great little band of A. C. S. made its first attempt at parading plus playing.

After innumerable attempts to march in straight lines, with emphasis on the "straight," and counter-marching, the musicians finally "caught on" to the idea that parading isn't quite that simple. Nevertheless, their technique is improving and with a few more days practice you may see some real drilling performed by your school band.

AL.H.

## Colgate vs. Penn State Season's First Major Grid Clash

Buffalo's huge Civic Stadium will be the scene of the first major inter-sectional football game when Colgate meets Penn State, Saturday, October 4th, under the sponsorship of the Buffalo Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Facing the toughest opening game in the history of the two schools, both teams are "on edge" which means a thrill-a-minute afternoon for even the most rabid football fans. Coach Bob Higgins' "Nittany Lions" of Penn State downed all their opponents on an unusually heavy schedule last season, bowing only to Pitt in a closely fought game. Several squad veterans were lost due to graduation and Selective Service, but most sports observers believe that the sophomores have shown that most positions will be more than adequately filled.

Colgate's "Red Raiders" had the usual quota of letterman losses, but last year's Freshman squad defeated all their opponents including Cornell in one-two-three order, so Coach Andy Kerr isn't hiding the fact that he believes he has a championship team this year that may go far—even to the Rose Bowl.

The Civic Stadium has a seating capacity of more than 38,000 and spectators are agreed that visibility is ideal from all angles of the huge arena.

Boggy: "I never argue with my wife."

Woggy: "Same here. I always plead guilty and take a light sentence."

## WHO KNOWS?

- 1—On what date did Hitler invade Russia?
- 2—What is the population of Leningrad?
- 3—What are "Spitfires" and "Hurricanes"?
- 4—How far is it from Tokyo to Vladivostok by air?
- 5—What was the Robin Moor?
- 6—What is the Stakhanoff movement?
- 7—Who are the Chetniks?
- 8—What is the production of crude oil in the United States?
- 9—What is the SPAB?
- 10—How many times has the RAF bombed Germany? (See "The Answers" on Page 7.

## DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q—Do the retail stores receive any fee or percentage for the sale of Stamps?

A—No. The retail stores are offering their facilities as a patriotic service, just as banks, savings and loan associations, and others are giving their help in the sale of Defense Bonds.

Q—How can I form the thrift habit necessary for me to buy many Defense Bonds now, to help the Government?

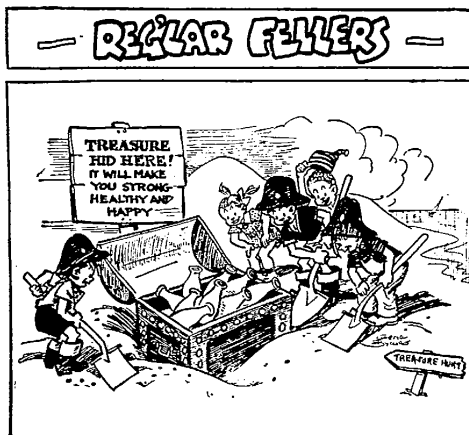
A—The easiest way to instruct your employer or banker to hold back a small fraction of your salary or other income. Even 10 cents a day and a dollar on your birthday will mount up in one year to \$37.50, the purchase price of a \$50 Defense Bond. Bigger savings buy bigger bonds.

Note—To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office, bank or savings and loan association, or write to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. Also Stamps now are on sale at retail stores.

## His Version

Said the Teacher: "A tyrant is a ruler that is hated and feared. Now give me a sentence with the word in."

"The teacher struck the pupil with her tyrant," ventured one boy.



## SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



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## Davis H

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum.)  
Sept. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Ordiway and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville guests of their daughter Amesbury and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Julia Hoagland the World Wide Guild roast Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Tebo and Mrs. H. ton were also present.

The threshing machine very busy the past week, but is pretty well thanks to lovely weather.

Mrs. Nellie Spencer her home in Alfred, passing two weeks with Fred Slocum.

Louis Dodge of Andover, visitor of his parents, I. John Dodge Monday evening.

## South H

(Mrs. Earl Schoonover)

Sept. 23.—Miss Doris over of Wellsville spent end at the home of her mother and Mrs. E. J. Schoonover.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Palmer Valley attended Miss Lenna Church Sunday at the home of her sister Kruger of Wellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold son David were Sunday her parents, Mr. and Foster of Stannards.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard family spent Sunday in Mr. and Mrs. Everett.

Monday night in St. Mrs. Dan Appier and McAndrew and their James Boyle of Belfast homestead one day.

Mrs. Everett Clark Mrs. Ella Horan were mess callers Saturday.

Misses Helen Delano O'Toole of Geneva and Friday guests of Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold children of Wellsville on the hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen and son Gerald called Mrs. Wm. Beihl at Pingrey Hill, Monday father, Jerome Schoonover home with them to days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle and daughter Dorothy, Howard Barney and Louis Dodge spent Sunday and Mrs. Lewis Sch family of Austinburg.

## Independ

(Mrs. Floyd Clarke)

Sept. 22.—Mr. and Carlin and two sons were Sunday guests of C. F. Rogers.

Mrs. Harley Hawk called at Mark Hall Sunday as their son's camp.

Joe Seymour spent Clarence Whitesell's.

Miss Betty Green Warsaw hospital to end with her parents Earle Greene.

Miss Helen Langwell as well Wednesday at the St. James hospital.

Director S. W. C. in New York the past interest of the Dairy.

Floyd Clarke attended of soil conservation in Belmont Friday evening.

The Ladies Aid Supper at the parish evening.

Rev. W. L. Burdick, E. I., and Mrs. B. I. Alfred were calling on Tuesday and guests of C. M. Crandall Friday.

Mrs. S. W. Clark vice chairmen of show in Wellsville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hov Rochester were guests Mr. and Mrs. R. A. started for Florida ing.

Mrs. Earle Greene a Stanley brush demonstration.

Too Much  
"Well, now, that new teeth, I suppose again."  
"What, with the pay?"