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## Current Comments

### One Week to Go!

Students, do you realize that only one week remains before we will be confronted by those quizzes generally known as midyears?

The perfect student, if there could be one, would have nothing to fear for he would have studied his lesson thoroughly every day and spent much time eulogizing facts which others "skimmed over." But we are not perfect. We let history go one day because "Johnny had a party and it wouldn't matter anyway." Or maybe we never learned those valences because "shucks, it only takes a minute to look them up—page 154, aren't they?" We forgot "page 154" wouldn't be handed out with the Regents or exam paper. Alas, what will we do?

You can't learn it all, but you can learn a lot and "brush up" on what you do know. And you can pay strict attention in class, for isn't Miss Brown very liable to ask you questions which are on the exam? Remember she makes it out if it is not a Regents!

Then, when that paper confronts you, put down everything you know. Read it over to see that it makes sense and says just what you want it to say. If you are in doubt, guess at least—never leave anything blank.

## Current Comments

### Keep the School Clean

Students should realize that one of their chief duties to their school is to keep it clean. Altho much ink spilling and paper throwing occurs in the halls, the janitors have more than enough to do without constantly cleaning the homerooms and corridors. All this can be avoided by throwing waste papers in the basket and keeping ink bottles in a safe place. Let us do our best to make our school the cleanest and most commended school in the county.

## Congratulations, Mr. Holt

The Hi Herald wishes to offer its congratulations to Mr. Holt, who has recently taken over management of the Andover Central School buses. Due to the leaving of Mr. Shrey who is going into business for himself Mr. Holt, the driver of No. 1 bus, has taken over this responsible and worthy position. The staff wishes him success in his new position. Best wishes are also extended to Mr. Shrey in his new business venture.

## New Year "Firsts"

Many New Year "Firsts" came into the office after everyone's return from vacation. Some of them were:

- 1—The first to call the office by buzzer system: Mr. McKibben asking "Did the bulb for the projector arrive?"
- 2—The first to bring an excuse for attendance card—Harold West.
- 3—First teacher to receive a phone call—Mr. Ingerson.
- 4—First telephone message was for Margaret Lynch.
- 5—First request for "paper for a booklet"—Warren Dolan.
- 6—First announcement—Senior meeting 12:55, Monday.
- 7—First to "borrow"—Miss Anderson borrowed the key to the show case.

## Hi Herald Meets

Jean Rogers, editor of the Hi Herald called together a meeting of the Hi Herald members this afternoon during activity period. Every one worked on his or her assignment for next week. Comments on these articles based on previous articles of the same type, were made by the officers and Miss Colberg, faculty adviser.

## Regents Diplomas Received

Sixteen of Last Year's Class Earn State Diplomas

Regents High School and College Diplomas for 16 members of the Class of 1941 have been recently received at the high school office. These will be signed and sent out to the recipients during the next few days.

Of the 16 State diplomas, six were of College Entrance Grade and ten regular Regents High School diplomas, covering major fields of home-making, commercial subjects, science, languages, mathematics and agriculture. Of the three remaining members of the graduating class two are in school taking post graduate work to complete their requirements for Regents diplomas.

Regents College Entrance diplomas were issued to John Ahrens, Laurence Dean, Kathleen Howland, Betty Jo Ludden, Eleanor Northrup and Lyle Ordway.

Regents High School diplomas were earned by Violet Barney, Ethelmae Crowner, Kenneth Gath, Anna Hardy, George Greenan, Arnold Hawks, Mary Mesler, John Lynch, Roland Shaft and Nancy Jane Snyder.

## Only Seven High School Pupils Absent Monday

To the Sophomore and Senior Classes goes the honor of having perfect attendance the first day of school in 1942. However, a total of only seven high school pupils were absent the Monday following vacation. This figure contrasts strongly with the long list of pre-vacation absences.

Francis Gavin, Bernice Ray and Veronica Ray were absent from the Freshman class. Cecelia Lynch, Julia Beil and Barbara Brownell from the Junior class and past graduate, Regina Richardson were also on the absence list.

## Seniors Hold Adult Gym Night

After much commutation and debating over the possibilities of giving an adult gym night, the Senior class opened the gym of ACS to the public where a frolicing good time was enjoyed by an energetic crowd Wednesday evening from 7:30 until about 10.

Games played consisted of volley ball, badminton, shuffleboard, Chinese checkers and basket shooting. Refreshments were served later in the evening and it seemed apparent that the majority of the guests were the recipients of a good time. SCR

## Students Start New Year Right (?)

It seems that 1942 surely came in like a lion from the looks and feel of the weather, and, in accordance with the usual customs of previous years, comes the question of "What is your New Year's resolution?"

Below are the resolutions of several of the students:

- M. Stevens: To be good in classes and to go skating more often.
- S. Ruger: Go to more square dances.
- W. Vars: Continue being a good boy.
- A. Hardy: Not to make any I can't keep.
- J. Dean: Study Trig. harder after Jan. 19.
- J. Rogers: To be more thoughtful of others.
- C. Holt: Restrain from drinking cocoa.
- F. Lynch: Not to bite my finger nails.
- E. Pope: To keep last year's resolutions.
- M. Hardy: Stop criticizing others.
- D. Mead: To study more accurately.
- R. Lynch: More studying.
- D. Potter: Try to stop asking Mr. McGee questions.
- A. McDonough: Keep off men for life.
- D. Lever: To study harder.
- B. Rogers: To stop "cutting up" in study hall.
- C. Gath: To be Andover's most popular hermit.
- A. Dunham: Cut out social life (?)
- D. Baker: To get blue marks in geometry and chemistry. MJH

News job printing pleases.

## Faculty Meeting Held

The first faculty meeting of the new year was held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in room 212.

Prin. Bretsch, who presided at the meeting, stressed to the faculty members the vital part that high schools would be gravely affected by the present war crisis. He explained that teachers are and will be called on to help in any war program that might arise. Already the Home Economics Department is co-operating in the home nursing program. The physical education department and the ag. department will also be called upon for additional duties.

He presented the appeal of the Red Cross to both pupils and teachers to help in attaining Andover's quota of \$750.00 and urged the active support of this campaign by the teachers.

Mr. Bretsch stated that physical fitness of all pupils was an important element in future National Defense and urged teachers to encourage pupils and their parents to have the medical defects reported to them corrected as soon as possible. Lists of all the major defects were given out for teachers to make reports as soon as corrected.

The importance of teaching the values of our democracy were stressed as well as the need of teaching rebellion against totalitarian principles, but teachers were warned against the inculcating of personal hatred against any race or nation.

## Adult Home Nursing Course To Be Given

Andover Central School will be the location of the adult home nursing course to be given in Andover soon. This course is open to all adults and is sponsored by a committee headed by Mrs. Richard Harder. The group will meet weekly at the school and the facilities of the health and homemaking rooms have been made available.

## Teachers Attend Conference

Mr. Bretsch and Mr. Maloy attended conventions at Syracuse last week. Both returned to report that National Defense will soon be playing an important part in the school curriculum.

Mr. Maloy attended the science convention of New York State teachers, held Dec. 29-30. At a banquet held Tuesday night discussions were led by a committee to revise Chemistry and Physics, on future changes in the State syllabus in regard to these subjects.

Dr. Manning, State supervisor of science, told of the plans being incorporated in some large schools to include advanced radio courses which would train students to qualify for posts in the Army and Navy. These courses would require a background of elementary physics, plane geometry and plane trigonometry.

The theme of the convention was that school science should emphasize for National Defense proper nutrition, health and safety in everyday life.

Mr. Bretsch attended the New York State Association of Secondary School Principals, Dec. 29-30-31. The theme of this convention was "Training High School Pupils for Occupational Competence" and Mr. Bretsch reported the convention very enjoyable and profitable. VO

## What Did You Do?

With the long Christmas vacation over, and with everyone back at school again, comes the familiar "what did you do during vacation?" queries.

The following are some of the ways and means by which students amused themselves over vacation:

- Jean R.: "Did all kinds of work."
- Anna H.: "Had a swell time in general."
- Marian S.: "Went skating twice and saw four movies."
- Betty H.: "Went to Wellsville."
- Marilyn H.: "Dancing and parties."
- Rose Y.: "Visited cousin in Wellsville and entertained sister from New York."
- Marjorie B.: "Went to Wellsville"
- Pat L.: "Went to a party."
- Angie M.: "Visited Ruth Lynch."
- Ruth L.: "Visited Anne Mc."
- Donis S.: "Went to Hornell."
- Jean B.: "Nothing, except enter-tain a cold." PEL

## CHIT-CHAT

Aine McDonough declares that she is "off men" for life. I wonder how long it will last!

Some strange new romances have come into bloom since school ended (before vacation).

How about some class sponsoring a skating party soon? Maybe after mid years, eh?

Why was Rose Y. so excited when she returned to school Monday?

Pat Lynch, Monday, broke the macaroni necklace which consumed two hours "string time" not long ago. Better luck next time.

Santa Claus must have remembered all the A. C. S.'s. Anyway, nearly everyone had on something new when he or she returned to school Monday.

Mid-year exams are not far away. Better start studying. PEL

Everyone is rested up for exams and Regents after the vacation—or are they?

The student body was well represented at the square dance at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday. They're finding out that it's really fun—when one doesn't get coffee spilled on one.

Sleigh riding certainly is becoming popular among a certain few!

Why does Marilyn's face brighten up so when \_\_\_\_\_ comes into the room? Ask Barb C. and Ruth.

## Red Cross Drive In School

The local Red Cross Drive is being carried on in school and a prize of a flag is going to be presented to rooms collecting the most money. The room in the first six grades (turning in the most money and the room in the Junior and Senior high schools with the most money will be presented with the flags. The money can be deposited in conveniently located boxes in any class room and it is hoped that the school will make a fine showing in the drive. VO

## Was Santa Good to You?

It's always true that after the Christmas holidays the students in general came back to school all decked out with their new clothes, jewelry or what have you that Santa brought them. Below are a few of the favorite gifts that students received:

- C. Gath: Clothes.
- D. Emery: Hunting coat.
- A. Hardy: Ice skates.
- M. Baker: Everything.
- C. Wentworth: Bill fold.
- M. Bergman: House coat.
- M. Stevens: Wrist watch.
- E. Pope: Mittens.
- R. Lynch: Locket.
- A. McDonough: Necklaces.
- P. Kilbane: New coat.
- D. Potter: An adding pencil.
- D. Mead: House coat.
- D. Baker: Suit case.
- M. Hardy: Necklace and beret set.
- J. Rogers: New dress.
- D. Lever: Radiop and phonograph combined. MJH

He's Hoping  
"Jumping in again?"  
"Yes, I have rescued myself and now I am going to rescue my wife."

## ACS Listens to President's Address To Congress

Alert Andover Central School students and faculty members were interested listeners to President Roosevelt's address to the second session of the 77th Congress Monday afternoon from 12:30 to 1:15 o'clock.

Grades 6 thru high school heard the speech over the school-wide radio speaker system. Classes were resumed after the President had delivered his address.

## FFA Meeting Held

The weekly FFA meeting was held in the Ag. Room Wednesday afternoon during activity period, with President Pat Lynch presiding. Plans were suggested for the Farm and Home Week, which will be held in the near future.

It was also decided that a night meeting would be held sometime next week.

A vaulting box in completed form was presented at the meeting. This box which is for gymnastic purposes was ordered to be made by the FFA boys for the Jasper Central School. Money received from the sale will be used to help pay the expense of the Farm and Home Week. PEL

## Grade News

In Miss Butler's first grade has been seen a new bulletin board called "The Winter Wonderland." Some people are out with the mumps.

From Miss Gottlieb's room—Lola Woodworth has moved to Hornell, Virginia Ellis and Ronnie Sutor had birthdays. The class also made New Year's resolutions.

Miss Butler's second and third graders are reading "The Dutch Twins" in their study of Holland. They are going to make Dutch boys and girls and will make a book about the farm.

In Miss Perkins' fourth grade John Lynch, Donald Greenan and Richard Reisman have the mumps. Robert Dunham, Maxine Filler and Robert Coats were the first to contribute to the Red Cross fund.

In Miss Jordan's fifth grade Ernest Woodworth has moved to Hornell.

In Miss Schwartzbach's sixth grade six people have two stars in their Bookland Club. They have their room decorated with "Winter Scenes."

In Miss Kuhn's room "Margie" Brown has returned from Rochester where she has been residing.

In Miss Baker's room Dolores Dean has the mumps.

In Miss Jaekle's room they are making a Red Cross bulletin board. Pearl Henry has returned to Andover.

All the rooms are participating in the Red Cross drive contest.

Sure Cure  
Scotchman: "Doctor, what can I do to prevent seasickness?"  
Doctor: "Have you a dime?"  
Scotchman: "Yes, sir."  
Doctor: "Well, hold it between your teeth."

## Sid Miles Speaks In Assembly Friday

In connection with the local Red Cross Drive, Mr. Sid Miles, athletic director at Wellsville will speak in assembly Friday morning on the subject of the Red Cross.

The assembly will also cover the question of what the war means to Andover Central students and what they can do to help.

Parents, friends, and townspeople are cordially invited to attend this assembly which will begin at 9 o'clock. JR

## Charles Holt, Sr. New Bus Supervisor

Charles Holt, Sr., who has been regular bus driver on No. 1 bus this year has been appointed to the position of bus supervisor, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Shrey. He will continue to drive the No. 1 bus which serves Elm Valley.

Mr. Shrey will go into business, manufacturing and selling plastic novelties and ornaments. Kenneth Boswick is now driving the No. 6 route.

## Juniors Make \$38 On Subscriptions

From the recent magazine subscription contest held by the Junior class, the class has realized a profit of about \$38. Not only were the class members afforded an opportunity to practice salesmanship but they have added to the class treasury as well.

The best salesman proved to be Doris Mead, Elaine Pope and Dorothy Baker, respectively. The class would like to thank all the people who helped the cause: by buying magazines. DJM



## What It Cost Him

The struggling author and his lovely young wife were at a party. A friend approached the writer and, with admiration in his voice, said: "Penwell, your wife is the most beautiful woman in the room. And her gown is positively a poem." The writer nodded gloomily, and replied: "Not a poem, old man—16 poems, seven short stories and a novel."

## SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



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Elm Valley

(Mrs. Charley Cole, Jan. 6.—Richard En...

his family from the C. apartment to Andover.

Vincent McAndrew, and the Misses Edna and Egger of Andover were guests at the home of Hollenbeck, sister of the Buffalo.

Doris Atwell passed with her cousin, Vera in Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymar daughter and Mrs. Cheryl of Greenwood were new guests of Mr. and Mrs. well.

Gordon Payne and daughter called on relatives Pa., Saturday evening.

Richard Burdick Jr. from a visit to his brother Clifford Burdick, in A

## Independence

(Mrs. Floyd Clarke, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Carri...

Andover and Mr. and Basset were dinner guests and Mrs. W. D. Clarke

Mrs. Floyd Clarke Jr. Belmont this week at grand jurors.

Mrs. Ina Foster, Mrs. nolds and Eugene Rey-fred were guests the first New Year of Mr. and Green. Mr. and Mrs. called in the afternoon

Some in the community and Mrs. Stephen Clavis' Saturday evening. S. W. Clarke has in York the past week r...

Mr. and Mrs. Way and sons of Canisteo a Green of Albion, Wis. at C. M. Crandall's S...

Mrs. Winona Kenyonville has been spending with Mrs. S. W. Clar Private Jason Hawk Fl. Benning, Ga., M...

two weeks stay with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton daughters of Wellsville day with Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. New Year's with his and Mrs. G. D. Spicer Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mrs. Carrie Slade guests Tuesday of Mr. A. Bassett.

R. E. Spicer attended tension directors meeting Friday. Mrs. spent Friday with Mrs. in Wellsville and Miss Joyce Jones accompanied to stay until Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Carl ed from Buffalo to pass W. E. Greene and f...

6 o'clock serenaders the newlyweds know t...

came to town. Mrs. Earle Green painful accident Frid...

fell and tore the ligament shoulder.

Ephriam Wallace c... has been passing a v...

Levis' John Lewis was Tuesday attending the his aunt, Mrs. Myria...

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Elaine and Joyce Joy day dinner guests of Robert C. Spicer in...

Mrs. R. A. Clarke ville Tuesday, getting "Mending" for the E...

Miss Wanda Matt... passing a few days...

Mrs. Cleon Clarke. Mrs. Maude Clark Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Watson, Pa., for visit.

The church will ho... church business meeti...

at the parish house S... The Andover-Whi...

phone company, Inde... tery Association and Ladies Aid Society of their annual business...

Floyd Clarke's Mond Jan. 11.

To Relieve Misery of CC 666 Try "Rub-My-Tum" List...