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"Easter"

E is the everlasting peace we hope and pray for,
A is for the Almighty God who gave us birth,
S is for the sins we have committed and were forgiven,
T is the truth we should ascertain toward fellow men,
E is for eternal thanks and praise for Him
R is for the resurrection, what it means now and did mean then.
Jean Rogers

Current Comments

"Don't Tell a Soul, But Did You Hear . . . ?"

Gossip, be it unintentional or otherwise, has never done anything for anyone who ever used it as a means of entertainment. Each of us has, at one time or another, come forth with these little bits of evil—little bits about which we were immensely sorry when called to account for them.

As a means of conversation, its potentialities are nil, for it gains people more enemies than any of man's weaknesses.

Not only that, but gossip, by its very definition (i.e. "groundless rumor") is rarely true. It grows like weeds and spreads like wildfire. First a man is sick, then dead and pretty soon he's buried—when, in reality, he may only have a cold.

Gossip is something neither good taste nor good manners, nor is it representative of good breeding to indulge in such a petty, unproductive pastime.

So think, fellow students, before you commit yourself to slander. Let us avoid the gossip-monger as we would avoid a pestilence.
JR

Current Comments

EASTER

Throughout the ages, Easter has stood for peace, security and love, but in the present day world, with practically every nation at war, it seems only a mockery that we should observe this holiday. Maybe we sometimes wonder if Easter even exists. It does exist in our hearts and it stands as a symbol of the resurrection of the Son of God.

Perhaps some of us don't realize just how much worldly things have taken the place of faith in our hearts—this is the time to revive that faith, now when it seems that the whole world is interested in destroying Christianity and conquering the world. Little things that we rate so highly, mean nothing to others. Let us try to become true Christians and help each other.
JB

Hi Herald to Run Easter Issue

Altho Easter vacation begins for all ACS students, including Hi Herald staff members, at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, reporters were asked by Editor Jean Rogers to co-operate in helping to put out an Easter vacation issue of the student page. This request was made at a special Hi Herald meeting held in Room 206 Monday afternoon during activity period.

Volunteer articles were called for. The majority of the articles will consist of features and editorials.
ACS

Schoolmasters Meet

The annual meeting and banquet of the schoolmasters of Allegany county, sponsored by the RBI was held in the Wellsville High School on Thursday, March 26. During the meal the Wellsville high school orchestra presented a few numbers. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Evans from Rochester.

The annual basketball game preceding the meal was forfeited to the "East" by the "West" side.

Those attending from Andover were Principal Bretsch, Mr. Fribolin, Mr. Maloy, and Mr. Ingerson.
CS

Will Represent ACS In Annual Spelling Bee

Jeanne Jaekle and Lewis Wintenberg, eighth grade students, received the highest grades in a competitive spelling examination in junior high school and will go to Belmont Friday morning, April 24 at 10 o'clock, to compete in the annual spelling bee contest sponsored by the Buffalo Evening News.

The test will consist of 50 words and will be a written one. In case either of the contenders should be unable to go, Patricia Joyce or Norma Steadman will fill the vacancy, since they rated next highest in the examination.
PEL

Gym Classes Learn First Aid

In connection with the National Defense program, ACS gym classes are taking intensive first aid classes over a six day period. Classes were begun last Wednesday and tests were given this Tuesday and Wednesday.

The course included instructions in bandaging and the use of medicines. Instruction was given by Mr. Ingerson.

The course may be continued in evening classes for the high school pupils who wish to complete the full Red Cross First Aid Course.
VO

Orchestra Booked For Junior Prom

Rod Tucker and his orchestra have been secured by the Junior class for the annual Junior Prom, to be held Friday evening, May 1st in the Andover Central School auditorium.

The prom committee, working under the able direction of general chairman Arthur Temple, promises to present an unusually fine dance.

Mr. Tucker and his orchestra are well known in this vicinity. This band has been in great demand for dances at the Wellsville, Angelica and Belmont schools as well as at many others. It has proved to be extremely popular at the dances held by the Wellsville Country Club.

It is felt that this will be a dance that no one can afford to miss. Every effort is being put forth to make this the big event of the spring season.
JB

Vaccination For Smallpox Given

Approximately 225 students and adults took advantage of the smallpox vaccinations given Thursday and Friday afternoons in the health room of ACS by Dr. S. B. Scott.
ACS

Grade News

The second and third grades in Miss Butler's room are busy buying Defense Stamps. The people who bought stamps last week were: Patricia Smith, Beth Whitaker, David Payne, Lois Kane, Marcella Smith, Patricia Sackett, Everett Davis, Norma Short, Jo Anne Marsh, Lyle Slocum, Mary Ray and Joyce Spicer.

One third grade girl has written two nice poems. They were written by Phyllis Burger:
Mr. Bunny
Mr. Bunny hops out,
In his Sunday best,
And hunts in the grass
Till he finds every nest.
He puts them in his baskets,
And hops, hops along
As he visits each house
He sings a happy song.
Little Rabbit
This little rabbit
Brings many joys
He gives Easter baskets
To good girls and boys.
The second and third graders are having an Easter party.

The first graders in Miss Seguin's room have made Easter baskets.

The seventh and eighth graders sent Mr. McKibben who is now located in Quantico, Va., a subscription to Life Magazine. The seventh grade has welcomed two new pupils, Edith Freeland and Paul Ordway.

In Miss Kuhn's fifth and sixth grade, the pupils have made maps of the war. They have also made some very attractive with which they shall decorate their bulletin boards and windows. They made little white rabbits covered with cotton, containing a little message inside. These rabbits were made for their parents.
MLC

News ads pay.
ACS

Mr. Watson Visits Science Club

The Science Club was fortunate in having at its meeting last Thursday C. Hubert Watson, prominent naturalist, who presented a lecture to the club on Labrador and showed pictures taken in Labrador. The lecture and movies proved very interesting as well as educational.

After the movies the club adjourned to the Homemaking room where tea and cookies were enjoyed.

The Science Club wishes to thank Mr. Watson for his trouble and hope that he will come again soon.
VO

Sawdust and Nails

Forty New Hampshire Red chicks out of 48 eggs have hatched. They are "residing" in the basement under battery brooder.

Walt Shimwell is making a feeder which is really very nice even though he is having quite a time painting it.

The Ag boys have just finished overhauling a 32-volt light plant.

The Ag boys have some two-pound broilers to sell. Anyone wishing to buy some can contact an Ag boy.

The night defense school is tearing down a Chevrolet truck and a Ford car which are being stored in the shop.
PEP

Young Adventurer Visits ACS

Recently the students of A. C. S. were favorably impressed and somewhat awed by a most magnificent personality, Mr. Del Harter.

After a most interesting assembly program, Mr. Harter was interviewed by three enthusiastic reporters, Jean Rogers, Vic Oakes and Anna Hardy, who found him to be very friendly and most fascinating.

Mr. Harter, altho only 27 years old, has traveled extensively around the world, visiting 58 foreign countries, besides "exploring" this vast land of ours. More remarkable still is the fact that he began his "tour" with a mere ten dollars pocket-money.

Del Harter, as he asked us to call him, started his role as an adventurer at the age of 15, when as a high school student he "took a turn" at deep sea diving. He liked this so much that he engaged himself thus every Saturday morning thereafter whenever he could. When this became too "tame" Mr. Harter tried surf board riding, boxing and "sang a little" over the radio.

After graduating himself from high school, Mr. Harter worked his way thru the University of California at Los Angeles by "singing on the radio," slinging hash, dusting farm crops by plane and even by making a parachute jump at the Union Airport, Burbank, Calif. We asked when he had time for study, besides attending classes, and he answered, "Oh, I found time for study and time also for boxing, track and intercollegiate sports."

He replied to our question as to how it happened that his parents allowed him to make such a trip thus: "Well, I was a college graduate, free white and twenty-two, and since I had survived deep-sea diving and barnstorming, they felt I ought to be able to take care of myself."

"My most interesting experience," replied Mr. Harter, "was the war in China, while the most discouraging incident in my travels happened at Syracuse, Sicily. I rather inconveniently ran out of food for four days. On the fourth day I had a black 'bun'."

He had this to say about European people as individuals. "Most of the European people are exceptionally hospitable. The Scotch, Italian, Swiss and Scandinavian people were especially so. The lower class of the German people are likewise very friendly. They do not want war and are more afraid of Hitler than in awe of him. The Gestapo officials whom I met were hard and ruthless. It is strange, they fear each other. As for the military status of the Fascist nations it is excellent. Until recently, when the latest equipment put out by the United States had arrived, the equipment of the Nazi nations was far superior to that of the Allied nations. Our new equipment is vastly superior."

Mr. Harter, a native of Pasadena, Calif., is only 27 years old. He is married and has a small daughter, Mardell, who traveled 30,000 miles before she was a year old. Mr. Harter is joining the air corps.

on May 2nd and after showing the American pilots "the country"—meaning Europe—he will engage in the teaching profession "providing I am not incapable of nor, too old for teaching or lecturing."
JR

Vacation for Easter

The students of ACS begin a ten-day Easter vacation beginning today (Thursday) at noon. They will return to school April 13th.
SM

SPRING FEVER

The "band of tomorrow" that some saw at Hornell Sunday proved to be the "band of day after tomorrow." Some said they were "stung."

The first aid classes are proving to be quite an attraction for some. We learn something new every day.

The Juniors seem to be very secretive about their plans for the Prom. Maybe they have something, but wait and see what the Seniors will have the night of the ball, May 29—don't forget!

Those in the first aid classes are at the stage of bandage-making, and even if the finished product—the patient—does resemble a carefully wrapped mummy, the "first-aid" is proud to know how it's done.

Everyone seemed to have a good time at Barb's and Marian's co-birthday party, Friday, and it really was nice even if it did take two months of fretful planning.

We were beginning to think a duel would result from the friendly (?) quarrel between Vic and Elaine in orchestra over who should use the piano stool, the pianist or the drummer!

A team of eight gals are really "pepped up" over bowling and have made another trip to Wellsville for their second experience at "spilling the pins." They report that Peg Lynch is really smooth at scoring strikes, well now and then anyhow.

Did someone say Spring was here? Guess we'll have to return to our skis and skates instead of marbles and baseball. For a while at least.

This column and the Hi Herald staff in general takes this time to wish all readers a truly happy Easter!

"Pep" Ryan has been going up the hill no? No.

Where is Pretty Boy Potter these days? We used to see him walking down the "avenue" once in a while. Wendell seemed to have a good time bandaging Barbara up. Some fun, eh?

The newlyweds of this year seem to spend a lot of time in the dark-room. Isn't that right, Art?

We're all wondering where Jack Dean finds those stale jokes to pull.
ALHSR

What I Owe My School

I owe a lot to my school, not only because it has worked so hard to give me, as well as every student, a good education but because my school represents a great form of freedom, democracy and sportsmanship. It represents American youth striving to carry on the principles that have made this a great free country, for it shall be the youth of today who will help to govern the country of tomorrow.

My school also teaches sportsmanship among men—working, playing and fighting together for freedom so that some day we may all live a more peaceful life, away from war and evil.

In schools today there are sports such as basketball, football and baseball—games which are played for the purpose of building healthy bodies and for teaching the fundamentals of sportsmanship. They afford boys and men friendly competition with each other, or combat without injury. If more sports such as these were indulged in thruout and by the world of today, there would not be bloodshed, killing and merciful bombings, but only the friendly rivalry among men such as represented in sports.

Schools are set up for these reasons—to insure democracy and promote a better feeling of friendliness among men thru education. For these reasons we have a job in fighting for, working for, and loving our school and the sooner we realize this the shorter the time will be until we have a peace-loving nation.
MG

Love, Dad!
Eloping Bride: "Here's a telegram from father."

Eloping Groom: "What does he say?"

Eloping Bride: "Don't come home and all will be forgiven."

Left Early
"Last night I went to a party where the host served nothing but ginger-ale."

"Thru the whole party?"

"Say, you don't think I stayed thru the whole party, do you?"

ASK The Scientist

If you have a question to ask the scientists, mail it to the New York Press Association, The Castle, Syracuse, N. Y. The Science Board of the Radio Workshop at Syracuse University will answer each week in the Andover News those questions considered most interesting and timely.

Question 1.—Recently I heard a radio broadcast mention a serious epidemic of typhus fever in France. Will you please explain the nature of typhus fever and its relationship to typhoid fever?

Answer.—Typhus fever has no relationship whatever to typhoid fever. The similarity of names is purely coincidental and does not connote any similarity in the infections.

Typhoid fever is caused by the ingestion of foods or beverages containing living typhoid bacilli, while typhus is caused by a very minute and peculiar microorganism called a Rickettsia which is introduced into the body of the patient by the bite of the body louse.

Typhus is a very serious disease with a high death rate, occurring chiefly, due to its mode of transmission, among men who are overcrowded in unsanitary conditions, such as may exist in army camps, prisons and on shipboard. Nazi concentration camps are likely places for outbreaks of typhus.

The principles of modern sanitary science, when circumstances allow their application, are very effective in preventing and checking typhus in this stage, but in earlier ages it wrought terrible havoc.

For an interesting discussion of the important role of typhus in history, the reader is referred to the book entitled "Rats, Lice, and History," by Hans Zinsser.—Prof. Henry N. Jones, bacteriologist.

Question 2.—What is the explanation of the electric shock when one shuffles on a carpet and then touches a sensitive object? How can such a shock be avoided?

Answer.—The shocks induced are examples of a very well-known phenomenon in electricity. If you take a piece of rubber or leather and rub it against wool, you find that the two substances become electrified. The rubber or leather becomes negatively charged, and the wool becomes positively charged.

So, when you shuffle your feet on a carpet your body takes on a negative charge. Due to the fact that your shoe and the carpet are pretty good insulators, the charge does not leak off very rapidly. Your body on the other hand, is a very good conductor of electricity so that as you approach a metal object such as a radiator, the electrical charge

comes up to your finger. When the charge becomes dense enough, a spark is produced that gives you the effect of a shock.

Such shocks could be avoided if one could keep himself grounded so that as soon as the charge got on his body, it would leak off again. Such a solution is not practical, however, in the ordinary room. A more practical means of reducing such shocks is to keep the room very warm and moist. It is very well known that on a hot, moist day, it is practically impossible to get these electric charges.—Dr. Fredericksen.

Question 3.—Why do airplane propellers have only three blades? Why do they not have as many blades as a wind-mill wheel?

Answer.—Airplane propellers rotate at a tremendous speed and to a certain extent each blade disturbs the air thru which the next blade must pass and hence reduces the thrust which the latter blade can exert. No advantage would be gained by having many blades since the force each one could exert would be much less than for two or three blades. I believe four blades on one propeller is the maximum number at the present time.—Dr. Fredrickson.

Question 4.—How long does it take boric acid solution to lose its value after it has been made?

Answer.—The usual practice in making up a boric acid solution is to take the solid crystals of boric acid and dissolve them in water. The solution is placed in a glass bottle. I would say that such a solution could be kept almost indefinitely.—Dr. Elder.

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Davis Hill

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Re Mar. 31.—Louis Dodge was a visitor at Frank Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harold I family of Alfred visited Flora Loper Sunday. Mary Ella Dean and Frances Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Foster and family and M. mail, all of Candor, N. Y., ditors at Ed. Dean's, Saturday afternoon. Ernest Kear and son of ville were callers at Floyd Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Mable Halsey boi her son Charles two days. Bruce Green of East John Elster of Pingree business visitors on the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor were supper guests of Mr. Ronald Hoagland at Monday evening.

Ernest Orvis of Andover week-end guest of his daughter Dodge and family.

Ernest Witter of Andover Charles Halsey's, to get maple syrup Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle of Reville were visitors Mrs. Earl Hyland and family.

Whitesville

(Mrs. Ella Millspaugh, Mar. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Matteson have moved Barker block to the Ed on Highland avenue.

Mrs. B. M. Wilson 1 for several days, Mrs. of Independence is carin

Mrs. Luna Simmons from her house on Hill her place on the corner Putnam avenue and R Canberg are moving fr Deming place into the vacant by Mrs. Simmo

Miss Jean Millspaugh instructor in Avoca C has been awarded a next year with \$100 rate. Mr. and Mrs. Fred relatives near Willi Sunday and were una until Monday on account snow storm.

Lee Millspaugh was and Andover on busin

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