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Current Comments

What?—Just Ten More Weeks of School?

Yes, fellow students, only ten more weeks of the school year remain before those ever-dreaded Regents examinations loom up before us. You know, as well as I, what that means for all of us. We've got to stop drifting along and sail, full steam ahead, across the brink of the waves, picking up all knowledge floating there.

Now, now, while there is still time—start studying. Do your every day work thoroughly and each day go back and brush up on what has already been studied. Isn't it easier to study a little now than to face the prospect as in the case of Seniors, of not graduating?

It's so much easier to gain a good knowledge of any subject in ten weeks than it is to cram for the day or two before the exam.

A person worn out by nervous fatigue from studying is in no shape to take an important examination. So, start studying, now—while there is still time!

Seniors Make Plans For Graduation

At a senior class meeting last Tuesday, it was decided that the customary caps and gowns would be worn again this year. The boys of the class have chosen navy blue robes while the girls have chosen white ones.

The class colors will be blue and gold. Each boy will wear a gold tassel on his cap and each girl will wear a blue tassel on her cap. Upon graduation, these tassels may be purchased for 25 cents each by any Senior wishing to keep them for souvenirs.

Invitations and calling cards were also chosen at this time.

Birds Find Homes

Miss Baker's reading class is making bird houses. The houses are made from wood and are being painted with gay, spring colors. The houses are made for wrens and bluebirds.

Those who have their's finished are John Gavin, Francis Halsey and Don Gavin.

The students will take them home when they are finished.

Senior Interview

Presenting **VICTOR OAKES**

Full name: **VICTOR STARR OAKES**.
Birthplace: Montevideo, Uruguay.
Date of birth: Feb. 2, 1924.
First teacher: Miss Leo.
Exciting event in childhood: Trip from South America to U. S.
Idea of a "perfect" girl: A girl with a good sense of humor and one you can trust. Can be blonde, brunette or red head.

Intentions upon graduation: Hope to enter college and take up engineering.

Favorites—
Color: Yellow.
Food: Baked ham.
Car: Chrysler Custom Imperial.
Book: "Rebecca."
Movie: "Captain of the Clouds."
Actor: Richard Green.
Actress: Veronica Lake.
Subject: Mathematics.

Hobby: Photography.
Orchestra: Charles Baum.
Recreation: Dancing.
Radio program: Quiz Kids.
Song hit: "Moonlight-Cocktail."

Greatest fault: Going with girls. "Vic" to most of us, is a popular Senior and is secretary and treasurer of his class. He is president of the Science Club, plays the drum in band and orchestra, is business manager of the Hi Herald and is a member of the Senior play cast. With Vic's intelligence and ambition, he will surely succeed. Anyway, good luck Vic.

Lou Burton Explains First Aid Course 4-H Program

Club May Be Formed Among Junior High School Boys

Lou Burton, popular 4-H Club leader of Allegany county, met with the seventh and eighth grade boys last Tuesday afternoon and explained the workings of the 4-H Clubs.

This meeting was the result of discussions that these boys had had previously under the direction of Mr. Fribolin, agriculture teacher, as to how they might help win the war by assisting in the production of more food, particularly garden stuff.

As a result of this meeting, membership cards were passed out to all the boys and those who wish to join will have the cards signed by them and their parents and returned to Mr. Fribolin after the Easter vacation.

Mr. Burton pointed out to the boys that there was real work to be done in a 4-H Club. Each boy must carry some type of agricultural project, such as a garden, potatoes, chickens, calf, pig, etc. He is expected to do the majority of the planning and the work in caring for his project, and he must keep certain records. It is desirable that he also share in the money profits of the project.

If a 4-H Club is formed, two periods a month will be used during the school day for study and discussion of the projects. The regular Club meetings will be held during the activity period.

This giving in the school program of some agricultural instruction as well as shop work to seventh and eighth grade boys has been recently recommended in a bulletin issued by the State Education Department.

F. H. S. May Adopt A. C. S. Student Government

Friendship High School is planning to adopt, in the near future, a student government plan quite similar to that of A. C. S. The project will get under way this Spring, but really goes into effect next fall. The student body plans to choose parties and elect candidates from these parties. Among the variations is the fact that a governor and a lieutenant governor will be elected in place of the ACS Student Council president, according to reports which have been heard by this paper.

The ACS Student Council project has been in effect the past three years and it is felt that it and the councilors have given excellent service.

Not Original, But Very True

This bit of poetry, found in a magazine, caught Miss Snyder's eye, so she copied it for future reference. It explains many things not the least of which is why one waits—waits—waits these days.

With Our Apology
"Keep your temper, gentle sir,
Writes the manufacturer,
The your goods are overdue,
For a month or maybe two."
"We can't help it, please don't swear
Labor's scarce and metal's rare,
Can get rubber, can't get dies,
These are facts, we tell no lies,
Harry's drafted, so is Bill,
All our work is now uphill.

So your order, we're afraid,
May be still a bit delayed,
Still you'll get it, don't be vexed,
Maybe this month, maybe next!
Keep on hoping, don't say die
We'll fill your order by and by."

Hi Herald Varsity Staff Increases

Little by little, the Hi Herald staff increases as more students are spurred on by a desire to write for the paper. Those whose unusual enthusiasm and ability make them an asset to the staff are listed under a heading, "Varsity," which includes Marilyn Hardy, Elaine Pope, Patricia Lynch, Anna Hardy, Florence Mings, Jean-Buttom, Doris Mead, Stan Ruger, and Miles Gorsuch.

Those reporters who are proving more and more worthy of a place on the staff, but as yet are not quite as active, are listed on the "Sub" staff which consists of Clara Hann, Susan McAndrew, Orianna Allen, Catherine Perry and Charles Guth-

A WEEK OF THE WAR

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more will be recruited annually. The students will be enlisted as apprentice seamen and allowed to remain in school at least to the end of the second year. About 35,000 will be selected each year for further training leading to commissions as lieutenants in the Naval Reserve.

The House passed and sent to the Senate an \$18 billion War Appropriation Bill, providing almost \$7 billion for military airplanes. The Senate passed and sent to the House a naval public works bill to provide a billion dollars for expansion in aircraft and storage facilities. The War Department ruled officers and enlisted men, except those of the regular army, may campaign for and hold political office, if such activity does not interfere with military duties. Selective Service headquarters instructed local boards to start classification of February 16 registrants, and to prepare to fill the army's June call—and possibly the May call—from these men and the earlier registrants. SS Headquarters also issued instructions to all local boards for registration of an estimated 13,500,000 men between 45 and 64 on April 27.

Shipping
The Maritime Commission reported all contracts have been awarded for the 23 million deadweight tons of merchant shipping—nearly 2,300 cargo ships and tankers—which the President has set as the 1942-43 goal. The Senate passed and returned to the House a bill enlarging the war risk provisions of the Merchant Marine Act to allow insurance of foreign as well as domestic ships.

Agriculture
The Department of Agriculture said it had purchased more than \$860 million worth of farm commodities, totaling more than 7,500 million pounds, during the first year of the department's expanded purchase program—March 15, 1941, to March 15, 1942. More than half of all purchases were for meat, dairy and poultry products. Most purchases were for Lend-Lease shipment.

The Agriculture Department reported prices of all farm products combined were 99 per cent of parity on March 15, 1942, and 46 per cent above the 1909-14 average. The Commodity Credit Corporation reported it has contracted for the sale, during the period ending April 30, of about 5,500,000 bushels of corn and about 240,000 bushels of wheat to be processed into industrial alcohol.

"A Week of the War" summarizes information on the important developments of the week made available by official sources thru 5 p. m., Monday, April 6.)

Vote Light On Milk Amendments

As was generally expected, about 98 per cent of the dairymen who voted on the Amendment to the Federal-State Order for the Metropolitan Milk Market voted "yes." The vote, however, was very light, only 18,542 ballots being cast. The Dairymen's League did not vote, taking the position that they could not approve the changes and did not wish to take the responsibility for voting against them.

The changes were effective April 1, making the Class 1 price, at present butter prices, \$2.85 until July 1. Without the Amendments the Class 1 price would have dropped to \$2.20 on April 1st.

"Guilty or not guilty of this theft?" queried his honor. "Not guilty, sir," came the plea. "Have you ever been in jail?" "No, indeed, sir," came the indignant reply. "This is the first time I ever swiped anything."

Ask the Scientist

Question 1—Is it true that Japan now has obtained by conquest all the resources to which she was denied?

Answer.—That is true. She is at least within reach of all she needs to compete with other nations on almost even terms as far as raw materials are concerned. Superior use of what we have is necessary to war against her now abundant supplies. Thru conquest Japan now has obtained rubber, oil, iron, tin, and alloying materials for making steel such as chromium, manganese, etc.—Dr. Earl Apfel, geographer and geologist.

Question 2—I have a brother and three sisters. All are the parents of twins. I am a twin. I would like to know if the male carries the inheritance factors for twins or does the female only carry them?

Answer.—The tendency to have twins is inherited thru either the male or female, so these men as well as the women can expect to have twins in their offspring. These men have a better than average chance to be the fathers of twins.—Dr. Ernest Reed, geneticist.

Question 3—Is it true that when a bee stings he dies?

Answer.—When the honey bee stings, barbs on the two needle-like organs usually prevent the withdrawal so that they and adjacent tissues are torn away. This prevents the bee from stinging again and soon causes its death. Bumble bees and all the other of the 5,000 species of bees can sting repeatedly with no injury to themselves.—Prof. Henry N. Jones.

Question 4—How is synthetic rubber made?

Answer.—The term synthetic rubber is not quite correct because these rubber-like substitutes are really not rubber at all but artificial materials which have properties quite similar to rubber. It would be more accurate to call them rubber substitutes. Rubber substitutes may be made from a surprisingly large number of different raw materials: petroleum, coal, and even starchy food materials such as grain and potatoes.

By a series of chemical processes these are converted into butadiene. This, or its related compounds, is the parent material from which most rubber substitutes are prepared. Butadiene is a pure chemical substance which is a gas at ordinary temperatures.

Under certain carefully controlled conditions of temperature and pressure, its molecules have the ability to link themselves together to form long, chainlike molecules which have the curious property of twisting into spiral, springlike coils. It is this property which gives the product its rubber-like characteristics. Butadiene will also tie together with many other types of chemical molecules.

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(Mrs. Floyd Clarke, R

April 6.—Mr. and Mrs. spent the week-end daughter, Mrs. Paul V. family in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. Schaick and son of Voo were Sunday dinner guests parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. John J. Lewis was in Buffalo to spend Easter parents, Mr. and Mrs. John is.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Clar Hornell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ch son passed the week-end parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lo at Harrison Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sally spent Easter Sunday and Mrs. W. E. Clarke will.

Mrs. Carl Clarke, M Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Ha were in Hornell on bus day.

Miss Bonita Goodif o is visiting her aunt, Mrs. ers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. C William of Alfred, Mr. M. Clarke and Jerry of spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Floyd Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Ro their guests Easter M. Walter Rogers and family ship.

Wallace Clarke is pass ter vacation with his and Mrs. S. W. Clarke.

The Empire Gas & F the oil well on the O. A. Monday. The well is than nine barrels a day.

Mrs. Cary Rogers ga for Mrs. Harold Rife day evening. There we who enjoyed a very pl ing of games, after the upped Mrs. Rogers se refreshments.

Miss Wanda Matteson ville is visiting Mr. and Clarke.

South H

(Mrs. Earl Schoonover

April 6.—There was excitement on our hill noon from the gasket of the pump and setting building on fire. It wa ted by the gauger, Mr engine and pump are v the oil from the tanks

the time it caught fire, two inch pipe full of the pumps, the shutoff some distance from the by the time they got it was quite a bit of oil fire. Two of the Andov and men were here to and extinguished the f

Mr. and Mrs. Will Saturday evening with Charles Moon.

Stanley Baldwin was last week with his Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howar daughter Betty Jo and Harold Barney Jr. and Hallsport also Mr. and Leonard of Olean were of their parents, Mr. old Barney at Indepe

John Wahl was a guest of William Joyo Mr. and Mrs. Howa family were Saturday ers in Wellsville.

John Dean of Buffal day evening with his and Dean and family.

Mrs. Anthony Doug ily spent Friday in W Miss Dorothy Scho party of friends enjoy at the home of her p Mrs. Earl Schoono evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ea and daughter Dorothy Dodge were Sunday or their mother an

Mrs. Bertha Green a on Mr. and Mrs. Ca family in the aftern

Mr. and Mrs. Ea spent Tuesday at the sister, Mrs. Wm. B Schoonover helped M ing the old pipe and water well and repla new one.

The man who ye business is probably enough himself.