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Where Is Our Student Council

It seems to me that quite some time ago plans were under way by which our school would have a Student Council. Representatives were elected by their class in grades seven thru twelve, who were to represent their class in drawing up the constitution. But—what has become of the idea? Has it died so soon?

It is a prominent fact that persons can say they are GOING to do something for the betterment of their school, but it takes people with diligence, willingness and pride in their school to get down to the business of it and accomplish their goal.

So, students, are we going to let ourselves get the reputation of laying down on the job when a little responsibility faces us? The majority of us do want a Student Council, because we know the benefits which can be derived from it, but the longer we wait to get it into motion, the less beneficial it will be to us.

So again I say, let's start soon to get a constitution drawn up and a student government under way.

Seeing the Seniors

It has been mentioned to us several times that the Seniors of ACS are being omitted from our more than is necessary. It seems, because it is their last year in school (?) that they should be represented quite often. There seems no other way, outside of the Senior Interview and gossip columns, to hear of our Seniors than to mention, say, ten of their class of 31 each week. You all know the following people, but just in case someone doesn't, here's the first ten and perhaps a few characteristics:

JIM BACKUS is the blonde boy with blue eyes that comes forth with all the wise corn in halls and classes.

DON BAKER is the Mr. Bretsch II, who is seen constantly twirling his watch chain. He is dubbed with brown hair and hazel eyes.

"LES" BEHN, another boy with blue eyes and blond hair, is our present "whiz" on the basketball court.

CLARABELLE BOYCE is the short girl with brown eyes and black hair that seems to be everywhere at once.

DON BURGER also has blond hair and blue eyes. He has the convict hair cut. (Incidentally his number is 121313.)

HOWARD BURROWS has brown eyes and ditto hair and is usually seen taking his time.

BARBARA CHILDS has brown hair and brown eyes as is seen (when she's here).

VICTOR CLARK is one of the "three ACS towers" and has blue eyes and brown hair.

DUANE CORNISH, better known as "Dish," can easily be spotted by the black hair that is very curly. (He must do it up every night) in contrast with blue eyes.

DOLORES DEAN is the "chic" little blond with blue eyes that you usually see wearing a smile or facsimile.

That's enough cover-all for now. See you next week—could be.

Teacher: "Can anybody tell me how iron was discovered?"
Pupil: "Yes, teacher; my daddy said that they smelt it."

"So your brother is one of the big guns in industry?"
"Yes, he's been fired seven times."

Freshman Frolics

At last two girls have quit fighting over a certain boy.

What girls have been getting in just in time lately for dinner? Thank some Sophomore boy for that.

Louise O'Dell had a sore throat Wednesday. What's the matter, the dentist pretty rough?

Well, well, at last I've heard that Teddy O'Dell and Mary L. Dunham have broken up. Teddy is all smiles now. Good luck, Teddy.

We wonder what John Baker and Wayne Sherwood have to talk about during English class. They are always writing notes.

What's this we hear about the art classes and the chorus classes going to have a skating party? I hope you can. Don't you?

We wonder why Reta Goodridge and Mary E. Driscoll were not to school Thursday?

At last Wayne has improved so he needs to use only one crutch. Good luck, Wayne!

Did Reta Shatt and Louise O'Dell have a good time at the dance last Friday night?

The Freshmen who are taking introduction to business are sweating out a contract. It's on transportation. Oh well, I hear you have three weeks in which to do it.

We don't seem to like the tardy business. Oh, well, rules are rules, kids.

Why did Reta Goodridge and Rosemary Mead have to stay after school Wednesday night? Better stop talking, girls, or you'll end up in the office.

GRADE NEWS

Mrs. Harriett Schwarzenbach's sixth grade is now reading out of their Democracy Readers. Carl Waters has brought in a copy of the Declaration of Independence in connection with their reading.

In English they gave a program on the Bill of Rights. They have a March border around the room. Several students have maintained a perfect average in spelling so far this five weeks. They are: Jeann Marsh, Lawrence Monroe, Dale Pelton, Joanna Russell, Lyle Slocum, Wayne Atwell, Dolores Brown, Paul Clark, Richard Davis, Teddy Flynn and Ernest LaFollette.

Mrs. Carolyn Helmer's third and fourth grades have had a contest in spelling. The fourth grade was the winner of the contest. Jack Rosintski has illustrated the stories in the third grade reading book. These drawings are displayed at the back of the room. The room welcomes a new pupil, Frank Smith, from Oramel, N. Y., and is sorry to lose one, Joann Combs, who is now living in Canastota. The front border of the room displays flowers and the side border is decorated with shamrock plants.

Mrs. Bennett's second grade. The following pupils are absent with whopping cough: Mary Reisman, Sylvia Lusk, Cort Marsh and Alice Beil. Dorothy Appier has the chicken pox. Attractive bulletin boards are displayed entitled "Children at Work and Play."

Miss Rita Elliott's third grade has a Victory stamp total of \$86.45.

Miss Doris Church's fifth and sixth grades have been studying the life of George Washington. David Foster has not yet come back to school. The class is packing three Red Cross boxes and is going to publish a small newspaper.

The hours that seem longest are from 1:30 to 2:00—both p. m. and a. m.

Panthers Take It On the Chin

by Jug Dunham and Ray Smith
The loss to Friendship last Friday night on the Bolivar court finishes the '45 and '46 basketball season for the Andover Purple Panthers. It was a sad loss for everyone including "Coach" Ingerson, who will probably not be back next season.

It was an off night for the hard fighting Panthers. They just weren't meant to win. Their shots wouldn't sink, but did they get discouraged? No, they kept right on fighting. They played better ball, defensive and offensive, than Friendship, but they had all the tough breaks and Friendship received the majority of good breaks. Friendship was outplayed and given but a few shots which by luck they happened to make.

Jug Dunham and "Les" Behn maneuvered the ball down the court to the center and forwards but all in vain, because the shots would hit the rim, roll around and fall to the floor or players but it just wouldn't fall thru the net.

McCormick and Horan, playing forward positions for the bigger share of the game, put up a scrappy fight. Phillipson at center was not as good as usual on offense, but showed the crowd a good defensive game. Jackson, substituting at forward, played a good game. Scrapper "Pete" Howland was removed from the game early, but up to the time "Pete" was taken out he played on excellent game.

Baseball season is around the corner, with hopes for a fine season. When baseball comes let's give it our whole-hearted support but until then let's cheer Friendship on to Rochester.

The box score:

Andover	field	foul	ttl.
McCormick	1	0	2
Jackson	0	0	0
Howland	0	0	0
Horan	2	0	4
Phillipson	1	2	4
Dunham	3	1	7
Behn	0	2	2
Totals	7	5	19

Friendship	field	foul	ttl.
Allen	4	0	8
Youngs	3	0	6
Bennett	2	0	4
Sheffield	0	0	0
McCrea	0	0	0
Goodliff	0	0	0
Carney	1	0	2
Totals	10	0	20

Individual Scoring for Season

Phillipson	118
McCormick	101
Horan	78
Dunham	69
Howland	62
Behn	51
Ordway	36
Jackson	19
Richardson	14
Burgett	11
Andover	563
Opponents	476

Library Council Meeting Held

Thursday afternoon, February 28 at 3:30 p. m., a Library Council meeting was held in the library. Miss Constance Hall presided at the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the care of the library and to refresh our minds concerning our duties.

A skating party was mentioned and agreed upon by all the members. It was decided that each member would bring two guests. A definite date has not been decided on yet.

Senior Interview

The Senior boy we have chosen to interview this week is about five feet ten and one-half inches tall. He has light brown hair and brown eyes and is very popular. In case you haven't already guessed it's "Jug" Dunham. Some of his favorites are:

Food: Any full course dinner.
Color: Blue.
Pet: People.
Movie actress: Ingrid Bergman.
Movie actor: Gene Kelly.
Car: DeSoto.
Book: They Were Expendable.
Author: W. White.
Favorite pastime: Getting a few snickers.

Jug's ambition is as yet undecided, but he hopes to graduate this June, along with the rest of the Senior class.

CHIT-CHAT

Well, here we are again, the little men who weren't there! We know all, hear all, and see all; but if we ever told all, there would be ? to pay! So we'll keep some of your more private affairs to ourselves.

The rink is becoming more popular all the time with the Andover people. Last Sunday night Pat Ludden, Lois Jean Matison, Geraldine Lynch, Pat Temple, Jeanne Stevens and Essie and Jim were there to help Sloan's clean the floor. "Jerry" looked really slick in her new pink blouse and black velvet skirt, and Lois Jean and Patsy are still going with Sherm and Wes.

Jack Horan is getting to be quite a professional with the card tricks. You can see him quite often with his little pack, urging someone to watch and see if he can guess the trick.

Jo Ann Theetge is still slapping happy over Ray. He came from Wellsville Sunday afternoon to take her to Olean to the show and then Monday morning she finds two letters in her postoffice box from him!

We don't hear much about George Phillipson and Madge Collins, but we do see a lot. George is late for classes constantly because he has to stop and make sure everything is all right with her before he can go on.

We wonder what Pat Ludden will do when "Sherm" goes in the service this week. By the looks of the wolves that are on her trail a good deal of the time she won't have any trouble finding another man.

Pat Temple has really displayed some nice jewelry lately. Her watch (a Christmas gift) is really a beauty, and the gold bracelet she wore to the Junior-Senior banquet is really something, too. Boy, someone really thinks a lot of her because we found out that both things came from the same place!

It's too bad about the game last Friday night. Even though we did lose, it was a very well played game and the boys are to be congratulated on what they did do.

LTA-PMJ

Art Classes Detained

Due to the absence of Miss Butler Wednesday and Thursday, all art classes have been detained. Art students have reported to study halls to help make a little more commotion.

Young wife to ardent soldier husband running toward her in the station: "Please, George, count up to ten. When I say husband broke three of her ribs."

Junior-Senior Banquet

As I wander thru the ever famous halls of ACS there is much talk about a Junior-Senior banquet that was held March 5th, 1946 in the cafeteria of ACS at 6:45. Dinner was served by the kitchen staff which includes Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Hardy and Miss Grossman.

The committees for the banquet were as follows:
Hostesses: Jean Kemp and Jeanne Stevens.

Entertainment: Leslie Behn, Clarabelle Boyce, chairman; Jack Horan, Donald Northrup, James Smith, Karl Weber, Pat Temple and Pat Ludden.

Table-setting: Tommy Lynch and Bob Jackson, chairman; Lois Matison, Mareta Perry, Barbara Lehman, Rebecca Foster, Doris VanCuren, Marcy McAndrew.

Food: Geraldine Lynch, chairman; Dorothy Wheaton, Genevieve Greene, Doris Wintenberg, Barbara Childs, Jean Lynch, Dolores Dean, Patricia Joyce, Norma Steadman.

Toastmaster: Bill Dougherty.
Junior speech maker: George Phillipson.
Senior speechmaker: Patricia Joyce.

It was an informal affair and limited to the Juniors and Seniors. Everyone had a very delightful time.

CJB

Symphonies Sophomore

Sophomore Symphonies have not been in the paper lately because the Sophomores are so quiet and never do anything.

Who's been telling Mrs. McFadden that Helen Yannie is sweet? Of course she didn't mean it.

There won't be anything left of Pat Dolan if she doesn't stop fooling around in history class. She gets pounded up about every day.

I bet a certain senior doesn't appreciate "Madge" Collins moving to Andover. But she does all right, the Senior I mean.

Who is the certain Senior Phyllis Nye is drooling over? You lucky girl, you!

Well, I guess this is all for this week. Remember, Sophomores, do something so this column will be exciting!

LE-JB

Andover Panthers Swamp Rushford

The Purple and White of ACS traveled to Rushford last Tuesday, February 26, to play a non-league game against the new defense of Rushford, with Andover winning 38-18.

The high scorers for Andover were a tie of eight points each between Carlton Ordway, Jack Horan and George Phillipson.

High scorer for Rushford was J. Furness, who played a very good ball for Rushford. Our opposing team had a new 1-3-1 defense with a man in front, three men behind him and one man under the basket. This plan seemed to work well, but they were stopped as can be seen by the results.

We congratulate the boys on their good work.

EG

Ag News

The F.F.A. boys were in Wellsville at the potato show February 28-29. Robert Burger, Carl Clarke, Robert Mingus and Bruce Cline attended the show. There were slap teams and Andover (Hi Herald continued on Page 7)