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We Have Done Our Best

by Rose Mary Baker

This is the time of year when we begin to look back at what we have done this year and wonder if we could have done better. If we can say "I've done my best," we can be proud of ourselves and not feel that we have wasted our time.

I think most of us can feel we have worked hard this year, but for those of us who haven't, there isn't much time left to brush up on what we don't know before those final exams which tell the story.

Those who will be graduated can feel that they have accomplished a great deal in the last 12 years and should make good use of the knowledge they have acquired. Those of us who do not graduate should come back to school next year with the determination to work even harder than we did this year and really make our high school record something to be proud of. We cannot set too high a goal for ourselves—the higher the goal the harder we should work and soon we shall reach it. We should try to make our goal a little higher each year and in this way better ourselves. It is for our own benefit we do this—Not our friends', parents' or teachers' or to impress others, but for ourselves, for the good we shall [illegible] it of it. If we have not done our best this year, let us do so next year. However, I think we can truthfully say that most of us have done our best.

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Freshman Frolics

Mary Ellen certainly had a struggle in the moonlight, the night of the Senior dance, but we understand she won altho it was a hard battle.

Is Billy Holt going to be Beverly Clair's next heart throb? Who joined the ranks of her "ex" boyfriends this week. It could be Jim, Carl or almost anyone.

We see Teddy O'Dell is wearing Betty Smith's I.D. bracelet.

And we see Wayne Sherwood is lacking a ring. Could Mary Louise have it?

Joan Joyce has a new friend. From all reports we gather his name is Bill.

Louise O'Dell was disturbed Tuesday morning when she saw Tommy Lynch take his coat from his locker. She thought he was quitting school.

Now that Bob Baker is home with sprained ligaments, Norma Perry will have to start hunting for another man, but she still has his I.D. bracelet, so maybe she will wait for him.

From all reports, the Freshmen who attended the dance had a glorious time.

Mary Alice had a few laughs when she danced with a certain fellow. I bet he was all of four feet six.

Junior-Senior Prom

Dear Linda

I just had to write the wonderful news about the Junior-Senior Prom. Yes, we finally decided to hold it Friday night, June seventh, from nine to one. Just think, dancing all that time with the certain someone. The price of admission is a $1.80 a couple. Jim Mulholland and his five-piece orchestra plus a vocalist will furnish the sweet music. Could anything be better?

You don't have to worry about a date, for Jack is going to ask you sometime this week. I only hope the he-men of A. C. S. will also get up their courage and pop the question to the girls of A. C. S.

Will see you that night.

Sincerely yours,
Dare

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The Annual Spring Concert

The annual Spring Concert will be presented by the members of the Music Department, Wednesday, May 29th, at 8:15 p. m., in the Andover Central School Auditorium. The following musical groups, under the direction of Miss Kathryn Munley, will be heard: A. C. S. Band, A. C. S. Orchestra, Senior Girls' Chorus and Grade Chorus. Phyllis Temple, Phyllis Burdick and Lois Matison will be soloists and several dance groups, supervised by Geraldine Lynch will also be presented.

The general public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission fee.

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Another Reminder

We don't want you to forget—as if you could—about the Junior-Senior ball coming up June 7th.

The ball will be held in ACS gym, which will be beautifully decorated at our expense—and all are welcomed. We really would like a nice show of townspeople as well as school kids so get your ticket now or at the door, as you please, and come along with the rest. PET

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GRADE NEWS

Room 212—Mrs. Joyce's Seventh Grade reports 100 per cent in contributing to the Food Drive. Nine cans of canned food and two dollars and twenty-five cents in money were contributed. Dean Fischer and Richard Hancock were in charge of the drive. One member of the class remarked: "A drive like this doesn't need prizes. We were glad to help someone less fortunate than ourselves.

CHIT-CHAT

This is one of the dullest weeks yet, none of the "stooges" seem to be doing much.

Don Northrup is all excited about his driver's test he had Monday. That seems to be the fad around school now. By the way, Lois Jean and Jerry got their licenses.

Pat Joyce has a peach of a cold. Wonder where she got that? We could guess!

How are you fellows coming along with dates for the Junior-Senior ball? Better hurry, boys, there won't be any left!

All the girls in ACS are envying Genevieve Loucks' blonde hair. It sure was pretty Monday.

A certain few girls in eighth period study hall should give Miss Hall a box of aspirin at the end of the year for all the trouble they cause her!

The boys in the homemaking class are doing all right with their cooking. Friday they made some delicious cookies and I guess most of the school sampled them!

Neil was greatly missed Friday afternoon by "someone." Also Les Behn missed Ding Baker 'cause he had to take over the Student Council meeting!

There should be about six more months of school for "Dish" Cornish so he could get his typing Regents done.

Jean Lynch has an awful time with her secretarial position with the Student Council. She has to stand up in front of the whole Student Council and give the minutes of the meetings. Ain't that awful?

I guess that's all for now so until next week, toodle-loo!

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Library Bulletin Boards

This week, in honor of Memorial Day, we find a very attractive bulletin board in the library. It is entitled "Lest We Forget, Memorial Day, 1946." The scene is beautified with the white crosses in rows in the green field, reaching to a clear blue sky.

The other bulletin board is decorated with pamphlets from colleges which should hold the interest of many students, especially Seniors.

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Library Council Meeting Held

A short meeting of the Library Council was held Monday, the eighth period, to make plans for a party to be held later and to make known the work which has to be done to put the library in order for the summer.

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This year it is more important than ever to save our crops from marauding insects and other plant pests.

Presenting

The Senior boy to be presented this week is well known to all of us.

He is Vincent Howard Burrows. He was born in Port Allegany, Pa. on August 23, 1928.

Among his favorites are these:
Color—Blue.
Car—Packard.
Sport—Football.
Subject—Ancient History.
Food—Chocolate pie (um-m.)

"Howdy," as he is locally known, wishes to join the Marine Corps after his graduation, and we all which him much success. HKY

Our reporter has at last caught up with the Senior Class president for an interview.

William Dougherty was born in Wellsville on January 4, 1929. He has spent his entire life in Andover, thus always attending A. C. S.

When asked about some of his favorites, he listed the following:
Movie, "Dragon Seed."
Actor, Van Johnson.
Actress, Greer Garson.
Car, Buick.
Color, Blue.
Book, "The Uninvited."

As his pet peeve he listed lazy people.

Besides being president of the Senior Class, he is a member of the Student Council, and a reporter for the Hi Herald.

Bill's immediate ambition is to be graduated this June. He then plans to attend Alfred University where he will study medical technology.

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Students & Songs

"Give Me a Little Kiss, Will Ya Huh?"—Beverly Clair.

"Some Sunday Morning" — Clarabelle Boyce and her Sailor Bill.

"Give Me the Simple Life"—(in Bolivar)—Ruth Halsey.

"Together"—Norma Steadman (with Charlie, of course).

"I'll See You Again"—Joan Joyce (to Bob Pease).

"I Can't Begin to Tell You"—Barb Lehman (to Ray).

"Sunday, Monday, Always"—Betty Spicer.

"Prisoner of Love"—Louise O'Dell.

"Waitin' for the Train to Come In"—(with Dewey on it)—Evelyn Glover.

"Love Letters" — Jo Ann Theetge.

"It Had to be You"—"Essie" Temple to Jim Backus.

"Onzie Twozie, I Love Youzie"—(Pete)—Madge Collins.

"Take It Slow and Easy"—Bob Jackson.

"I'm Always Chasing Rainbows"—Neil McCormick — Pat Joyce.

"They're Either Too Young or Too Old"—Rosie Baker.

"Personality —Karl Fisher!!!

"Somebody Else Has Taken My Place" (with Beverly)—Jim Smith.

Ag. News

"Bob" Burger, representative of the Andover chapter, went to Scio Friday to take part in the Allegany County F. F. A. horseshoe pitching contest. He won as representative over "Bob" Mingus. LMO

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Andover Takes Third Place in County Meet

In the county track meet last Friday, May 24 at Wellsville, Andover took third place with 23½ points, beating Fillmore out by one-half point. Wellsville won for the 20th straight year with 72½ points. Alfred-Almond made second with 32 points.

McCormick accounted for ten of Andover's points, winning first in the pole vault and high jump. Howland received four points for placing second in the broad jump with a jump of 18 ft. 7½ in. Don Baker received two points, winning fourth place in the shot put, competing against Saunders from Alfred-Almond, who broke the county record. "Don" lost third place by a half inch. Horan, second high, received five points for a first in the half mile. George Phillipson received Andover's other 2½ points (tie for third in the high jump). "Jug" Dunham won second place in the horseshoe tournament at Scio.

The following made up Andover's track team:

Neil McCormick—high jump, pole vault.
Jack Horan—880 yard run.
Kenneth Howland—100 yard dash, broad jump.
George Phillipson—high jump.
Don Baker—shot put.
Robert Smith—440 yard dash.
Francis Green—440 yd. dash.
Howard Burrows—broad jump, 100 yard dash.
Jug Dunham, Robert Burger—horseshoes.

The track team was very successful and were excellent representatives for ACS. Next year they hope for another good season with Murlyn Conde, the well-liked track coach and social studies teacher who will be back.

The summary of events follows:

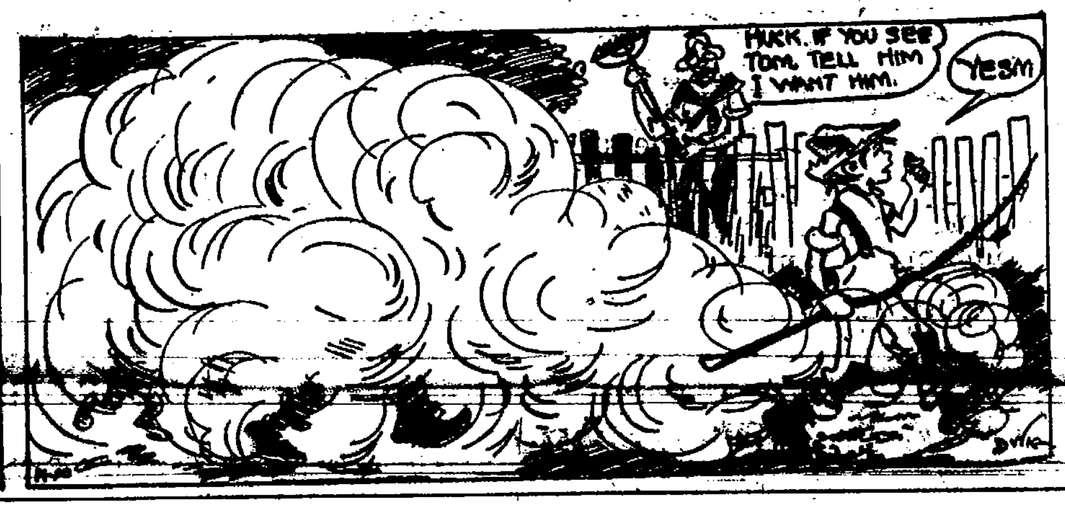
220 yard hurdles—Theoclitus (W), Wilson (W), Ellsworth (W), Crandall (Bol.), tie D. Smith (W) Thomas (Bol.)—time 28.8.

Mile run—Hawkins (W), Cossaboon (Bol.), Smith (F), Binder (A-A), Pero (W)—Time 5:15.

880 yard run—Horan (A), Reid (W), Moran (W), Reid (A-A), Elliott (Bol.)—2:19.2.

100 yard dash—Giopulos (W), Tower (W), Davis (A-A), Green (W), Dunbar (W). Time 10.6.

440 yard run—Mallery (W), Mulhollen (A-A), Goodspeed (W) Thorwart (Bol.), Wachter (W).—Time 58.5.

220 yard dash—Winchip (F), (Hi Herald continued on Page 7)

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