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# The Quaker

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## SIX HARD GAMES TO CLOSE SEASON

### DEBATERS READY FOR AKRON-RAVENNA TILT

FIRST FORENSIC CLASH BILLED FOR MARCH 9th

#### SENIORS UNDERGO ANNUAL "SHOOTING"

Mr. Cox Produces Fine Work on Senior Photos

The seniors are all breathing freely now that that terrible task is over—picture taking. Nothing inspires more trepidation nor more curiosity than the thought of having your picture taken. When it is all over and the proofs come back, you are either disappointed because you are not as handsome as you thought, or you are delighted for the opposite reason.

Due to his good work last year Harold E. Cox was given the contract for this year's photos. And he has certainly made good again. Mr. Cox is going to do all The Quaker work, and that means 100 per cent perfection.

All the seniors seem satisfied with the work. Of course all photos are not good, but there is always one or two that satisfy. Just ask the seniors to show you their proofs and convince yourself. No, Mr. Cox did not photo any monkeys; that's a serious senior.

#### GREEN GOAT CLAIMS TWO SALEM GRADUATES

The "Gree Goat," the comic magazine of Ohio university, is enjoying the most prosperous year of its existence, under the able management of Ralph C. Kircher, '25.

Robert Garrison, '27, is also a contributor to the magazine, being on both the editorial and art staffs.

The magazine, as a whole, is reputed to be the best college comic in Ohio. Every issue that has been published so far this year has been sold out. The "Green Goat" is the most talked of thing on the campus and it has attracted wide attention in other college circles.

A limited number of magazines will be handled by the Salem News Agency, to accommodate the many people about town who wish to read it. The Exchange Number is now on sale. The next issue is to be "The Travel Number" and will be out the latter part of the month.

#### Baumes Law To Be Discussed by Orators

Coach Fley's forensic aspirants will soon be called upon to test their mettle. The first clash with Akron-Ravenna is set for March and promises to be a lively one. Salem's debating team like the athletic squads, is experiencing a building up year. There are approximately four members of last year's squad back on the job, the remaining four places must be taken by green material. It takes quite a while to break in a debater, so Mr. Fley has a man sized job on his hands.

The subject of the Baumes' law has proved a difficult one. The orators have been sweating blue murder in endeavoring to uncover and concentrate material. This subject is quite new and material is few and far between. But that has not daunted our representatives. They have been working right along, silently and with no praise. Many of the new members are already quaking; debating is a man-sized job and it requires skill and courage.

We have only two debates scheduled for this year, but those are extensive and tough. Our debaters are doing their best these last few days to polish up and put up a real fight. Salem has always been noted for its fine debating teams. Mr. Fley is making his debut as coach at Salem. Has had previous experience, however, and promises to put out a fighting team. Ravenna is out for revenge; the Fleyites are ready for them and there is promise of a wonderful scrap.

#### OUR PLAY DATES

Feb. 17—Basket ball, Wellsville, there.  
Feb. 18—Basket ball, Kent State here—girls at Lisbon.  
Feb. 22—Basketball, Alliance there  
Feb. 25—Basket ball, East Liverpool, here.  
March 2 and 3—Basket ball tournament at Akron.  
March 9—Debate, Akron North-Ravenna, Salem.  
March 16—Senior party.  
March 23—Debate, Niles-Salem.  
March 30—Junior party.

### HI-Y CLUB HOLDS INITIATION

Twelve Members Go Through Gulling Test

On February 2, the Hi-Y club held its initial initiation for this year. It was rather an unusual affair, for there were six initiators and twelve to be initiated. However, taken one by one, the task was easily accomplished. Let's accompany the first victim through the evening's happenings. All twelve, including Mr. Fley, assembled in 107. The other six were in the biology laboratory getting things ready; after hours of torturing waiting, lots were picked, and No. 1 was called. His shoes were removed, he was blindfolded, handcuffed, and then led into the dark room. He went up, up and then down. Then something was rubbed on his tongue (it happened to be alum). He was told to wander around after kicking his shins over chairs and tables; he was caught, and a raw onion forced into his mouth. After that was down a nice slippery oyster coasted down. Then a few oyster crackers filled with pepper were masticated. The victim was led to a table and told to identify some stuffed figures. Every mistake earned a hearty smack with a thick board. Then Dick Harwood said if everyone was guessed correctly, ten smacks would be administered. After that the victim was laid on a table and a minor operation performed. By that time he was initiated. Then he had to find his shoes and help in further initiation.

#### Short Meeting Feb. 9

A short meeting was held at noon February 9. Several new projects were discussed and several new applicants for membership considered.

March 30 to April 9—Vacation.  
April 13—Sophomore party.  
April 20—Freshman party.  
April 26 and 27—Junior play.  
May 11—Brooke's contest.  
May 12—County track meet.  
May 19—District track meet.  
May 25—Junior-Senior party.  
May 31—Senior examinations.  
June 1—Senior examinations.  
June 3—Senior class sermon.  
June 4—Examinations.  
June 5—Examinations.  
June 6—Examinations.  
June 7—Commencement.

### ALLIANCE, LIVERPOOL TO FURNISH TOUGH OPPOSITION

Wellsville Encountered on Foreign Floor

Salem High's basketball squad of '27-'28 has approximately five more games on the regular schedule before entering the tournament. Two of these games will be a fight to the finish. Wellsville is encountered tonight on the Wellsville floor. In their former meetings, Salem was pressed hard and tonight is not going to prove any-let-up evening. Then on February 22 comes Salem's big golden opportunity. On that date Salem encounters Alliance, traditional and friendly rivals. Alliance administered an early season's defeat here and our boys are out for sweet revenge. Both teams have improved since then and an up-roaring contest is assured. Then the next hard game brings East Liverpool here. Here is another chance for revenge for the river boys took our count in January. Then on March 2 and 3, our boys enter the tournament. That closes the season. Here are plenty of fine games and the season promises to wind up with a bang. The combination of Captain Allen, Sidinger, Jenkins, Litty and Whinnery is fast rounding into a smooth working five. They should certainly give a good account of themselves in the remaining games of this season's schedule.

### THE QUAKER DESIRES SNAPSHOTS AND PHOTOGRAPHS

Work on The Quaker year book has started, and the staff is in the market for material. One of the first needs proves to be snapshots. Everyone has expressed a desire to see more snap pages so The Quaker aims to please. Don't you like to see photos, comic or otherwise, of your friends? Sure you do; it is a necessary part of the book. But photos are needed. Let's have lots of them. The more the better. Do you have any pictures of friends, any of the school, etc.? Just bring them to 206 and put on the desk. Any photos of school interest will be accepted.

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## WHAT'S WRONG

In the last issue of The Quaker, our joke editor began a contest, the winner to receive a free annual for about ten minutes' work. Up to date, he has received two or three entries. Yes, just two or three out of a school of about six hundred. That spirit provokes criticism.

In the first place, it shows mighty poor appreciation for our joke editor's time and generosity. He had enough spirit to conduct the contest and pay the expense for a free annual, and yet he receives only a few entrants. He has the right spirit, but there seems to be many in this school who haven't. Don't you appreciate an offer like his? If you don't there is something wrong with you; if you do, show him by sending in your entry.

The Quaker, some time ago, conducted a literary contest. There again there was trouble in stirring up enthusiasm. There was finally sufficient to make a choice possible. It seems that we are dormant; it takes a bomb or an explosion to wake some of us. These contests require very little effort, no more than you could expect. Even though you may think you will never come out victor, go into it with a good spirit. Help to make some fun out of it. If you never do anything but that for which you expect rewards, you may as well go to bed and stay there.

The Quaker is trying to rouse a little interest. It is costing dollars and cents, and some results are expected. It doesn't seem that the student body is quite on the square in this regard. Let's have a little more co-operation.

## A CRITICISM AND AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

A criticism of The Quaker has just come to our attention. Some-time ago it was stated in these columns that we would welcome any sort of criticism. We are going to print part of it and then to try to straighten things out.

"February the sixth, at 3:30, some of the pupils of Salem High school were seen parading the halls with a funny looking paper held directly before their face. Of course, they

may have been holding it there to hide their face, but I really don't believe they were. They all seemed perfectly interested in what they were reading. The paper turned out to be The Quaker (The Quaker is our school paper, published bi-weekly, but give out monthly.) The Quaker is a good paper for all that, but to me it has not enough school news. Everyone at this time of year is interested in basketball, debate, clubs and works in the school. Why not then, tell us more of what really goes on inside the school rather than the outside world? Everyone can read in the daily papers what takes place in the world but not everyone can read our Quaker and find out what goes on in our school. Of course, I understand it is not The Quaker staff's fault that more school news is not printed, and again, I know it is very impolite for me to say what I have said. The confession is now out and I do feel better—"

The writer seems to be fair minded. She criticizes, yet she knows it is not The Quakers' fault. Her grievance is nicely stated; that's what we want, letters of this type. We believe that she has injected some humor that should not be misunderstood — "funny looking paper, given out monthly." But let us consider her point—"not enough school news." Well, just what is school news? News of the school's activities, in and out. We take exception to the fact that athletics, debate, club work, assemblies, etc. is not school news. We believe it is. The writer has not given us any remedy; we do not quite understand what she means by school news.

Of course there is some justification in her charge, we will be frank enough to admit it. Perhaps we could have more of what happens in the classroom. But Miss Correspondent, that is very hard news to get, and very scarce. We will take your criticism to heart and see what we can do in that line. Thanks for your trouble; we appreciate it and will try to do a little better.

## LE CERCLE FRANCAIS ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

La Bete Concluded at Feb. 15 Meeting

Le Cercle Francais has elected its new officers for the new term. Charles Wilhelm was retained as president; Richard Shaw as secretary, and Gladys Fults takes the office of vice president. These officers have been entrusted with the club's welfare for the remaining five months.

At the February 21 meeting the play Le Bete was concluded. The last four acts were given in fine fashion; the hero and heroine were were united and everyone was happy.

Besides this play entertainment, several interesting current events talks were given. Then the club united in singing the national French anthem. The members know this song now and sing as heartily as any Frenchman.

## SALEM'S FOUR HUNDRED COMMERCE CLUB MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

## Seniors

Walter Coy, Raymond Fawcett, Alma Fleischer, Edith Flickinger (4 A's), Gladys Fults, Jeannette Hoch, Elizabeth McKee, Anna Ruth Miller, Wayne Morron (4 A's), George Ruggy (4 A's), Louise Smith (5 A's), Chas. Wilhelm, Letha Hoopes.

## Juniors

Martha Beardmore, Ruth Bentley, Naomi Bricker, Virginia Callahan, Marion Cope, Florence Davis (4 A's), Keith Harsh, Jane Hunt, Anna Ospeck, Dorothy Leider (5 A's), Martha Reeves, Elvira Ressler Richard Shaw, Florence Shriver Helen Williams, James Wingard, Lorene Jones.

## Sophomores

Florence Binsley, Arline Davis, Mary Filp, Ellwood Duston, Nila Hoffman, Laura Hovermale, Lois Greenisen, Mary Ressler, Bertha Ryser, Marion Shaw, Philip Lieder, Ernest Naragon, Newell Pottorf (5 A's), Josephine Markovitch, Zella Krepps, Kathryn Winkler, Mary Roth.

## Freshmen

Albert Baltorinic, Geo. Ballantine, Ruth Auld (4 A's), Marjorie Bell, Barbara Benzinger, Julia Bodo, Reba Gabler (4 A's) Virginia Fuller (4 A's), Calvin Filler, Earl Correll, Rebecca Harris, Dorothy Harroff (4 A's), Howard Heston, Mary Ann Hunt, Susie Lutsch, Garnet Lodge, Wm. Luce, Mary Reynolds, Paul Sartick, Burt Schaefer, Bernice Smith, Hazel Snyder, Robert Syewart, Steve Zatko.

## SPEECHES FEBRUARY 7th &amp; 10th

The assembly this morning was opened with a Bible reading by Principal Simpson. It was turned over to Walter Deming, president of the Senior class, who introduced the speakers for that day. Dorothy Bodendorfer gave an instructive talk upon "Punctuality." "Drugs," was the subject discussed by Ethel Bodo. Margaret Bryan discussed the life and deeds of Leonard Wood, governor-general of the Philippines. "School-spirit should be evident at all times," declared William Chalfant in his speech. Lee Christen discussed Lindbergh and his life in connection with "We." James Cooper had as his topic, "Thomas Edison."

The assembly Friday morning was in charge of Walter Deming. Martha Bush, as the first speaker, discussed "The Development of Aesthetics." Geraldine Clay gave an interesting talk about Marion Talley, the young Metropolitan opera star. "The Six Best Beloved Characters on the American Stage," was the subject chosen by Dorothy Cobb. John Cosgrove had as his topic "Transportation in America." Walter Coy explained the work of the "American Automobile Association."

## Mayor Hiddleston Speaks to Members

The Commerce Students club held a meeting Feb. 2, in Room 306, which was attended by five prospective members.

The members of the club have expressed a desire and aim to so organize the club that it will be recognized as a permanent and worthy institution in the Salem High school, not only now but in the future. The club will make it possible for those whose interests are primarily in the commercial field to hear discussions and talks on subjects pertinent to commerce, and to make contact among those students whose tastes are similar.

Those students who are taking commercial subjects who feel they would care to affiliate themselves with the Commerce Students Club may submit their names for consideration to any of the members. In this way those who are interested may be given the opportunity to show their interest in the club and its activities.

At their last meeting Miss Wells gave an interesting talk on "My Experience in Business."

At the meeting which was held on February 16, Mayor Phil Hiddleston was the speaker.

Bob: Each kiss you give me intoxicates me. You wouldn't want me to be a drunkard?

Job: I don't mind that as long as you don't mix.

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**WASHINGTON CONVICTED  
ON CHERRY TREE  
CHARGE**

**Hatchet Story Probably True, Says  
Dr. William E. Barton,  
Historian**

Laugh all you like at the jokes you hear about George Washington and the cherry tree, but don't forget that the story is probably true. And don't lose the point of it, because it's a good story to remember.

Dr. William E. Barton, an authority on American history, who has made special studies of the lives of Washington and Lincoln, gives that advice in an interview printed in the February issue of The American Boy Magazine. It's particularly interesting advice, because people have had a good deal of fun at the expense of the little hatchet story on the theory that it is just a myth, and because Dr. Barton predicts a flood of new—and revived—jokes from now until Feb. 22, 1932, the two-hundredth anniversary of Washington's birth.

"You'll hear so many jokes in the next five years that you'll wonder who started that story and how much truth there is in it," says Dr. Barton. Then he adds, "It's entirely probable that George Washington did cut down that cherry tree."

The story first appeared, Dr. Barton has found, in the biography of Washington written by Mason Weems, a Maryland minister who not only knew Washington personally, but married into the Washington family and so had a good chance to hear stories of Washington's boyhood.

Weems was a fiddling, fun-loving parson, much criticized for his lack of dignity. But no one ever attacked his character, so there's no reason to doubt that he told the truth, even though some historians have scorned him and his book. He told the story as it was told to him by an elderly woman, a relative of the Washingtons, who had lived much in the Washington home.

Everybody knows how it goes, right up to the place where George bravely cries out, "I can't tell a lie, Pa; you know I can't tell a lie. I did cut it with my hatchet."

Then you remember how his father cried, in transports, "Run to my arms, you dearest boy, run to my arms; glad am I, George, that you killed my tree; for you have paid me for it a thousandfold. Such an act of heroism in my son is more worth than a thousand trees, though blossomed with silver, and their fruits purest gold."

No wonder we got a grin out of the story. But there's more in it than that. The flowery language shows how the relationship between fathers and sons has changed—in those days there was formality where today there is friendly fellowship. Then too, Dr. Barton points out, Weems probably took liberties with the language his characters spoke so that it would sound true to his readers, who expected grandiloquent phrasing.

But the facts of the story are pretty convincing. George knew he spoiled the tree and he probably wanted to lie about it. But he was game, and he told the truth. Likely enough he expected a whipping when he did it. Fathers were stern in those days. But George's father was a good sort. He said, "All right, George, I'd rather have you come clean than have the tree. Forget it." Or words to that effect.

Sounds pretty much as if it really happened, told that way, doesn't it? Dr. Barton thinks it did.

Anyhow, when the jokes start rolling in, and you laugh, don't forget this—we have a right to be proud of George Washington, on Feb. 22, July 4, or any other date. —American Boy Service for High School Editors.

**—Q—  
HE'S THE HIGH SCHOOL  
HARD LUCK CHAMPION**

**That's Aram Abgarian, of Detroit,  
Whose Model Planes Win  
Trophies—Almost**

The high school hard luck champion of the world—that's what they call Aram Abgarian, Cass Technical High School student, in Detroit interscholastic circles. Here's how he won that title.

Aram built a beauty of an indoor tractor model airplane and entered it in the national indoor meet for the Stout trophy, held in Detroit last year. The contest was held in a great auditorium, large enough to give the planes plenty of room to circle until their rubber motors ran down.

When his turn came, Aram launched his ship. It rose surely, steadily. The stop watches ticked on and on. Apparently a new record was to be set. Then the plane picked out the only obstacle in the whole room, a huge indirect lighting bowl, skimmed over its edge, and came to rest 90 feet above the floor. There was no way to get it down just then, so Aram sent another plane away on his second trial. They must have been sister ships. Anyway, the second plane landed just where the first one had landed!

At the Michigan state outdoor meet, held at the Ford Airport last August, Aram demonstrated his indoor model to accommodate several newspapermen. It rose several hundred feet and started drifting eastward in lazy circles. While the crowd gazed, the plane disappeared over a far hill. It had broken a record, but no one had timed it!

But don't think Aram is discouraged. He has kept on with his model building until he has made himself an expert.

Models like those built by Aram have been described in articles which have appeared in the American Boy Magazine since last September, and others are to be described in coming articles. Directions for building scale models of the Ford Tri-Motor monoplane and the Curtiss Hawk are in the February issue.

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## BOYS LOSE TO AKRON; BEAT PALESTINE

AKRON TOO GOOD FOR SALEMITES; PALESTINE GAME DRAGS

One game won and one lost is this week's record for Salem. The first was a set back at the hands of Akron Central. In that team was Smith, all, Coty center for two years. The fourth Akron defeat for us this year. The score 30-22 denote a tone of closeness but Central played her second team all the last half. A thirteen point lead could simply not be overcome so we had to take another drubbing. Jenkins seems to have taken the place of Fogg. He is better on the basket, but his floor work will never equal Paul's.

Salem		G.	F.	T.
Allen	.....	2	0	4
Sidinger	.....	2	0	4
Whinnery	.....	1	0	2
Scullion	.....	1	0	3
Jenkins	.....	0	0	0
Harwood	.....	0	0	0
Litty	.....	3	3	9
Totals	.....	9	4	22

Akron		G.	F.	T.
Sleight	.....	1	0	2
Charleton	.....	3	1	7
Smith	.....	0	1	1
A. Marconi	.....	2	1	5
Troutman	.....	2	0	4
Kellogg	.....	0	2	2
V. Marconi	.....	0	0	0
Olson	.....	1	0	2
Russell	.....	2	1	5
Flick	.....	1	0	2
Totals	.....	12	6	30

## GIRLS LOSE CLOSE ONE TO PALESTINE

The best girls' game we ever have witnessed took place in the Salem gym against Palestine. There, anyone might have seen a team, apparently badly beaten, come within one point of tying the victors. The score at the quarter was 14-1 showing the use of the jumping scoring power of the Bott-Beyer combination. In that period Salem seldom had the ball. In every following period the score rose and a tie seemed almost eminent, but one-half minute to play, the Brown once more crept to a four point lead. The play was so hard and fast that two

### INTERCLASS SEASON ENDS

#### Junior Boys and Sophomore Girls Win

With three-fourths of the basketball season over, we may take a look at the season as it has passed. The interclass games have now finished and intermural elimination games have started. These games are varied and all kinds of basketball is shown. A winner cannot be picked as yet, but both 206-A and 201 look strong. However, for the class games, the Juniors far outclassed any other opponents. They lost one game in eight and appear to have the strongest scoring combi-

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### WIN OVER PALESTINE

We are now six points behind our opponent's score for the year. This may be accounted for by the hard teams played and the scores. The game with the Brown and White was fast and furious. Although Lynch once shot our opponents to a three point lead, the end was never doubtful. Lynch was a sweet player and using just one arm the last half was the real star, conquering 17 points. The gym was packed and the ham sandwich went fast, for it was almost 11 o'clock before the last gun sounded. Litty has been shifted to forward and his lanky presence there counted for 12 points. It was a good game, but the girl's was a real thriller.

Salem		G.	F.	T.
Allen	.....	3	4	10
Litty	.....	5	2	12
Whinnery	.....	1	1	3
Sidinger	.....	1	0	2
Harwood	.....	1	0	2
Jenkins	.....	3	1	7
Gifford	.....	0	0	0
Scullion	.....	1	0	2
Sartick	.....	0	0	0
Totals	.....	15	8	38

East Palestine		G.	F.	T.
Hunstan	.....	0	0	0
Lynch	.....	6	5	17
Moore	.....	0	3	3
Mollunkoff	.....	3	0	6
Ross	.....	1	1	3
Hall	.....	0	0	0
Smith	.....	0	0	0
Totals	.....	10	0	29

people fainted. A whistle could not even have been heard the last quarter.

Salem		G.	F.	T.
Hassey	.....	4	0	8
Kent	.....	0	5	5
Riddle	.....	0	1	1
Moss	.....	0	0	0
Barnes	.....	0	0	0
Beck	.....	0	0	0
Zeller	.....	6	1	13
Bailey	.....	0	0	0
Totals	.....	10	7	27

East Palestine		G.	F.	T.
Shenk	.....	3	0	6
Bott	.....	3	3	9
Beyer	.....	7	2	16
Wischenmoser	.....	0	0	0
Urmson	.....	0	0	0
Reesh	.....	0	0	0
Loper	.....	0	0	0
Brook	.....	0	0	0
Totals	.....	13	5	31

Referee—McPhee.

Talbot: Please tell me the time?  
Fisher: Surely, it is five minutes to.  
Talbot: To what?  
Fisher: I don't know, the little hand is off this watch.



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A Boys Great Dilemma and the Solution

The last lesson in English which we had assigned to us, was to write three hundred and fifty words on anything. Does that seem reasonable to you? Well let's decide what we mean, writing on anything. Does it mean to write three hundred and fifty words on paper, wood, or anything we can find. It might mean to write three hundred and fifty words on any subject, but I doubt if that is the real meaning. As I study that topic, it dawns upon me that the subject might take a lawyer, dentist, chemist, or some professional doctor to tell exactly what it means. Now drawing conclusions from what we know of the subject I believe it just and reasonable on my part or upon your part to refuse to write upon some subject unknown to us or to any one person.

May be someone else would take such outrageous steps as to refuse to write, but I do not choose to run. I will look at this mysterious subject from all angles and try to pierce the unknown. First, how might a lawyer look upon his subject? He would get out his books and probably start out explaining the fundamentals of law. The dentist would probably start and explain the subject of dentistry, its importance to you and to him. The chemist would have one of the hardest tasks of all, trying to make anyone not accustomed to chemistry, understand the different meanings of the funny signs. Then last, but not least, the doctor would have his speech ready. He would probably explain the already known importance of surgery and end some where in the medicine line.

Now you have all heard the term explained by different learned men, but how is any normal minded high school student going to write three hundred and fifty words on such a broad and uncalled for subject? That is the burning question of the three quarters of an hour from 1:15 to 2:00. Why sign now? I have only three hundred and twenty nine words, and my three years of English is becoming exhausted so fast my head is beginning to whirl, so I guess, I, like many other brave lads will have to give up such a task. Now may it be put down in history, even if I gave up I was trying to the end to write three hundred and fifty words on anything.

—Ed Harris

**THINGS**

"I'm awfully sorry, Miss Vinton," Mr. Russell, superintendent of the Del Rio Art Institute, was saying, "for the way the contest resulted. You see, we were at first very confident that no other painting could surpass yours in the beauty of tone color, and there was no other that so remarkably showed training and skill, yet at the last moment we discovered a little flaw that changed our minds. Your vase of beautiful flowers was exquisitely colored and vividly painted, yet you made the

error of drawing violet leaves on the roses. Only a trifle, and not very noticeable, yet it was there. After that, we felt it only fair that we should award the prize to the next best painting. Miss Summers entered a painting of an old red brick schoolhouse, with little children playing about on the lawn. Its simplicity and natural coloring was very good. It was of an entirely different type and did not quite equal your for experience, yet we could not overlook even the very smallest detail in an event of this kind. I know what a disappointment it is to you, but later, if you benefit by this incident, you may feel grateful. It is very important that everyone should realize the great value of little things. We can not overlook them because of their size. Little flaws in any piece of work have often caused the completed object to topple over. Little things make a big difference in the structure of any work of the mind or hand. Little things always make big impressions. I hope that later you will see for yourself, the value of not neglecting them. Even though you didn't win the \$50, Miss Vinton, you need not take it to heart, for I feel sure that you will gain from the experience, a more valuable knowledge than money can afford you. I felt that an explanation was due to you, and I hope that after you think over what I have said, you will agree with me. Good day."

So ended an interview that brought disappointment to the heart of Eloise Vinton, yet later, thinking of it, she was to smile and thank herself for having profited by Mr. Russell's words, for she had ceased to neglect small matters and oh, how much they now meant to her.

Can't you picture a girl of her type? Coming home from school, for instance, she carelessly puts her hat on the table, lays her books on a chair, throws her coat on another—carelessly misplacing her belongings here, there and everywhere, while her mother silently replaces them without a word. To her only daughter they are but trifles. What do they matter? Many other things more important occupy her time. Oh! How many of these girls there are, who, day by day, go on willingly neglecting to consider small things that amount to a great deal. Perhaps, later in life, they become bad habits, unbreakable and indirectly a great loss to them.

Everyone must realize that in the moulding of a strong character, as well as in the building of a battleship, the foundation can not contain flaws and we can not neglect little things without ruining the finished structure.

VICTORIA PITICAR, '28.

**BLACK DROPS GAME**

The Reserves lost a return engagement to Canton Central, 27-18. It was a fairly fast game but inclined to be dirty. Five men played the entire game for Central and enabled Zeke Conkle's team to step upon the Black. The Black team

has some fine potential players and within three years the Smith-Sartick combination will light up county circles.

Salem		G. F. T.	
Pasco	0	0	0
Sartick	2	2	4
Schmid	3	0	6
Konnert	2	2	6
Smith	1	0	2
Cope	0	0	0
Totals 8 2 18			
Canton		G. F. T.	
Stearn	3	1	7
Odom	2	4	8
French	1	3	5
Plaver	3	1	7
Totals 9 9 27			

Referee—Roessler.

playing ability outside the varsity.

1st team	2nd team
Eckhart (J) ... R.F...	Hill (F)
Konnert (S) ... L.F.....	Jones (S)
Flick (J) ..... C.....	Herbert (S)
Rutter (J) ... R.G...	Herman (F)
Debnar (S) ... L.G.....	Cope (J)

The standing of the teams are represented below and as may be seen, the winners are far ahead of

**BOYS**  
the runners-up:

	G.	W.	L.	Pct
Juniors	8	7	1	.875
Sophomores	7	4	3	.572
Freshmen	8	2	6	.250
Seniors	7	1	6	.143

**GIRLS**

	G.	W.	L.	Pct
Sophomores	7	5	2	.715
Seniors	7	4	3	.572
Juniors	7	4	3	.572
Freshman	7	1	6	.143

**INTERCLASS SEASON ENDS**

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The all-class boys' teams look strong and represent the best

Teacher to Jeanette: Can I say exprit de corpse?  
Jeanette: Guess so, you said it any way.

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### A Poor Likeness

A lawyer had his portrait taken in his favorite pose, standing with his hands in his pockets.

A friend: Oh! How original he looks?

Farmer: Tain't like him, don't you see, he's got his hands in his own pockets?

Professor (to class of surgeons): The right leg of the patient as you see, is shorter than the left, in consequence of which he limps. Now what would you do in a case like this?

Bright Student: Limp, too.

Harris: Hey waiter, this ham doesn't taste good.

Waiter: Why that was just cured yesterday.

Harris: Well then it must have had a back-set.

Chalfant, making his first sale for the day, opened up his solicitation on a crusty customer in this fashion:

### HE'S THE HIGH SCHOOL HARD LUCK CHAMPION!

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below and mailing it, with a two cent stamp, to the Airplane Model Yeague of America, American Building, Second Boulevard at Lafayette, Detroit, Michigan. Membership in the League brings the privilege of purchasing model supplies at cost, gives the right of using the League's free question and answer service, and permits the member to enter the contests at Detroit next June.

(COUPON)

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Street Number

City

State

Chalfant: Good morning, sir—I'm re—I'm a little stiff from bowling.

Customer: What do I care where you are from, you little stiff; have you got any tan white shoes?

Pete: Oh doctor, Dutch seems to be wondering in his mind.

Al: Gosh, don't worry, he can't go far.

He: You look like a sensible girl; let's get married.

She: Nothing doing. I'm just as sensible as I look.

He: Basketball is just a sideline for me.

She: Yes, I knew it, I noticed where you were sitting.

Hurst: Did you get the job that you went after?

Haworth: No, I yawned just as they were going to hire me.

Visitor: Your baby seems spoiled.  
Mother: None of my children are cold storage babies.

A farmer hired a new hand to plow. When the horses started, he said: "Here, how can I hod this plow when there's two horses pulling it away from one?"

First Prisoner: I'm here because I lost a race.

Second Prisoner: Nobody goes to prison because of that.

First Prisoner: Yes, but the winner was a cop.

Uncle: If I were your mother, you wouldn't smoke.

Nephew: Why smoking doesn't harm me.

Uncle: But you are too young to play with matches.

She: John wake up, I feel a rat in the bed.

He: There's a cat in here too, go to sleep.

Wilhelm: If you hold that pose very long, I'm going to kiss you.

Phebe Ellen: I can't hold it much longer.

Hank: Did the cyclone destroy that new barn of yours?

Shank: I can't say that, I ain't found it yet.

Tramp: May I cut some grass for my breakfast?

Lady: Yes, but you needn't cut it, just eat it off the ground.

First: A little bird told me what kind of a lawyer your father was.

Second: What did he say?  
First: Cheep, cheat, cheep.

Second: A little duck told me what kind of a doctor your father was.

First: What did he say?  
Second: Quack, quack, quack.

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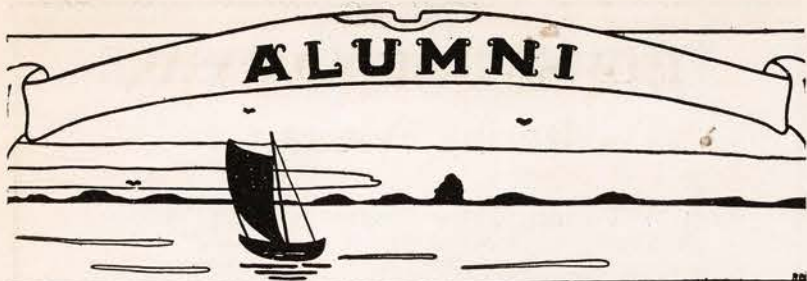
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Salem



Carl Mathews, Salem High school honor graduate, who stood highest in the recent civil service exam. for waterworks clerk, has been appointed clerk by Service Director Charles A. Cavanaugh.

Mathews assumed the position Feb. 1, when Miss Velma Hall left.

The new clerk also acts as service and safety clerk, the job being a combination one.

One of the chief contributors of the latest literary magazine to appear on the Ohio State university campus, is Miss Mildred Birch, a student there.

"Apes and Peacocks," the new publication, is composed by the literary efforts of students enrolled in the higher classes in English. It is sponsored by Chi Delta Phi, an honorary literary sorority of which Miss Birch is a member.

Miss Birch contributed several poems in the first edition. The Salem girl is a member of the board of editors, and will write for future editions of the magazine. She is enrolled in the School of Journalism at the university and does considerable work for the Ohio State Lantern, a daily campus publication. She is a sophomore.

Miss Beatrice Conkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conkle, Roosevelt ave. and Glenn Switzer, son of Mrs. Ella Switzer, West Pershing ave, were united in marriage last Friday afternoon at Lisbon.

Mrs. Switzer graduated from Salem High school and is now employ-

ed at the Vesta Grove Millinery. Mr. Switzer is employed by the Deming company.

Mr. Ralph Kircher spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kircher. Ralph is now attending Ohio university at Athens.

Robert White and Donald Smith who are attending Ohio State, spent last week end with their parents in Salem.

Lamoine Derr, '27, is a member of the Wittenberg Men's Glee club at Wittenberg college, and will soon take part in the annual winter tour about Northeastern Ohio.

The club makes two appearances in Cleveland, Feb. 11 and 12, and will follow with concerts at Youngstown, Feb. 13; Leetonia, Feb. 14; Barberton, Feb. 15; Strasburg, Feb. 16; Dover, Feb. 17, and Cambridge Feb. 18.

Twenty-four young men have chosen for the tour because their voices are particularly suited for chorus work.

Derr sings baritone.

Miss Mary Konnert, '27, has been elected president of the Freshman elementary normal class at Capital university, Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Rosemary Filler of Salem, was recently voted the prettiest and most popular girl of her class at Ohio university, Athens. Miss Filler is a member of the Freshman class and of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

home, and shop, and have brought about the progress in industry which has enabled people to have more comfort and happiness.

Youth preceded maturity. So, dreaming and thinking, consistently, precede accomplishment. Lindbergh who dreamed of flying across the Atlantic made his dream come true. Marconi who visioned the possibility of using certain atmospheric conditions has made it possible to sit at home and hear an opera thousands of miles away. The majority of people who have dreamed of accomplishing some seemingly impossible feat have been considered foolish by the onlookers. But, these dreamers have surely made this world a better place in which to live.

So, it is that time has proved numerous things. But one of the best things it has proved is that dreams come true; that thoughts are realities, but only to the person who adhere firmly and consistently to his dreams.

Edith Flickinger

RIB TICKLERS

She: My dog understands every word that I say.

He: Um?

She: Do you doubt it?

He: No dogs understand each other I suppose.

—Q—

Wanted: A governess who is a good stenographer, to take down the clever sayings of our child.

—Q—

Millions for defense, not a cent for rubber bands.

—Q—

DeJane: I can tell by your feet that you are a poet.

Grim: How's that?

DeJane: They are Longfellows.

Grim: Gosh, you are getting Whittier and Whittier.

—Q—

Mother: How do you feel this morning Chic? Are you able to get up?

Chic: I feel awful bad. Don't think I could stand up.

Mother: Well I hope you will be able to go to school Monday. This is Saturday—

Chic, (jumping out of bed): Gee! I'm all right.

—Q—

Mother: Helen did you wash the fish before you baked it?

Helen: No what's the use of washing' them when it lived in water all of its life.

—Q—

Clerk: A collar for your husband? What size?

Lady: I've forgotten the size, but I can reach around his throat with both of my hands.

—Q—

The honeymoon is over when the bride serves hot tongue and cold shoulder.

—Q—

"Do not grieve," said the new minister to the lately bereaved widow, "the body that lies here is not your husband, it is merely a husk, an empty shell—the nut has gone to heaven.

—Q—

Mike: Why didn't you honk your horn when you saw the man in the road?

Ike: I thought it would be more human if he never knew what hit him.

—Q—

Bather: Keep your eye on my clothes and I'll give you a dime.

Boy: And if I don't come back can I have the clothes instead of the money?

—Q—

Pasco: They say money talks.

Deming: Well?

Pasco: I wonder how that idea originated?

Deming: Have you never noticed the lady on the dollar?

—Q—

Pidgeon: Do you eat between meals?

Greiner: No, I have never heard of those things.

—Q—

She: Who did you say was here last night?

He: Only Myrtle.

She: Well, you can tell her that she left her pipe on the organ.

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THOUGHTS AND DREAMS

Thoughts are realities. Dreams are events. These are very familiar statements to everyone. For every day the world is realizing the power of thought in shaping destinies.

It has always been said that weaklings are the only ones who idle away time by dreaming dreams and seeing visions. He who followed such a worthless occupation was regarded as being lazy, indifferent, irresponsible, and not likely to be a success in this busy world that does not wait for idlers.

Yet, time has proved that very often dreams come true. By degrees, they take form and materialize. They become an airplane that can fly across an ocean, and automobile that can cross a continent, a power plant that can heat and light a great city, and a radio that can bring voices out of the air into a home.

Visions which have had action applied to them have developed into wonderful devices for the office,

## NEWS ITEMS

From Junior High School

## MY HERO

He has swum the Mississippi, the Nile and Hellespont.  
He has dived into the shadows of gray Chillon's shady walls.  
Up the lavt slopes of Aetna and Olympus he has climbed,  
Stood where silvery moonlight on an ancient ruin falls.  
Charged the steep south slopes of old Acropolis,  
And stood upon the Parthenon in in state of perfect bliss;  
Has worshiped the "Porch of the Maidens," so white and like a pearl,  
And gazed from Stromboli so tall on an ocean of beryl.

SARA SPIKER, 8E.

## DID YOU EVER?

Did you ever go a sailin' in a ship with sails so white?

Did you ever try to stay awake till 'twas almost light?

Did you ever climb a tree to get an apple red?

Did you ever dream of dragons when fast asleep in bed?

Did you ever take a picture of your dog a sittin' up?

Did you ever take a drink from a rusty old tincup?

Did you ever get a letter that told you much good news?

Did you ever get muddy water all over your best shoes?

Did you ever shoot a bear with grizzly wooly fur?

Did you ever stick your finger in a prickly ol' bur?

Did you ever draw a picture of cows and dogs and trees?

Did you ever run away from a swarm of honey bees?

Did you ever have have the chicken-pox and have to lie in bed?

Did you ever stop to think of how those Red-coats fled?

Did you ever have to write a poem and have to make it rhyme?

Did you ever think how hard it was for me to write mine?

SELMA LIEBSCHNER.

## LINDBERGH

When Lindbergh flew the Atlantic blue,  
Of dangers he neither cared nor knew,

He thought of success, not of the waves ominous sound,  
Determined, he was trans-oceanic bound.

Lindbergh didn't smoke, drink or chew,  
So, it's no wonder he made  
The miles three thousand and a few.

Like Columbus who dared the sea,  
Lindbergh has dared the sky,  
They have started something, don't you see—

Columbus to sail and Lindbergh to fly.

LIONEL SMITH, 8D

## MY FLAG

Forty-eight stars on a field of blue  
Each one a state of a nation so true;

Thirteen stripes for the colonies of old  
Who have stood for freedom with men so bold.

This flag has stood, long may it stand,  
To improve the states of a nation so grand!

All loyal citizens, protect this flag!  
Keep it aloft! and let it not sag;

Stand by it by day, stand by it by night,  
Stand by this flag, stand by it with might!

This flag has stood—long may it stand.  
To improve the states of a nation so grand.

WALTER LINDER.

## A WINTER DAY

The snow has just begun to fall,  
The brooklet's freezing o'er,  
Snow covers field and garden wall,  
And tends to do it more.

The blackcapped chickadee swings now  
And sings for all his worth  
Upon the snowy bough  
He's full of fun and mirth.

I gaze about me here and there,  
A snowy world I see  
All draped with whiteness every where  
A world unknown to me.

LaVERA GORMAN, 8B

## FOOTSTEPS AT NIGHT

I heard some little footsteps  
Before I went to sleep,  
I thought it was the sandman  
And took a little peep.

Sure enough,  
I was right,  
One and a half feet  
Was his height.

He tiptoed softly  
Round about,  
I wouldn't move  
For I'd scare him out.

All in brown  
From tip to toe,  
He to my dolls,  
Some sand did throw.

But then the footsteps  
Stopped once more,  
For I was asleep  
As I'd been before.  
LUCILLE VAN CAMPEN, 8D

## SPRINGTIME

The birds are singing  
Like one great band,  
'Cause Nature is bringing  
Spring to our land.

The beautiful earth  
That we prize so dear,  
Makes us all shout  
The springtime is here!  
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