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Track Team

In the Sport World **Golf and Tennis**

Tracksters Tryout

Salem High's gymnasium was the scene of great activity last Thursday as would-be athletes "strutted their stuff" on order to obtain the right to go to Canton Field event tryouts were held at Reilly field after school.

A good many sore feet and legs resulted from the running on the track in the gymnasium. A large number of runners appeared and kept Coach Stone busy. If these tryouts are indications of the strength of the Salem track team this season, then Salem will have a team that will be above average

Bruce Arnold and Ray Moff were sprinters in the 100-yard dash, and Crowell, along with Fitzpatrick and Arnold, ran the 229-yard dash in fairly good time. Any number of quarter-milers are available, but they are of only average ability. Half-milers and milers are still as plentiful as in the last two years.

Since Raymond, Sidinger, Miller, and 'Muscles" are back, there is plenty of material for field events. As indications now stand, there are plenty of athletes to fill out a well balanced track team for this season

Q Golf

Tryouts for the Salem High Golf squad are to be held tonight at the Sebring Golf Club. All candidates are requested to report at the office with clubs at 3:15. Mr. Springer, coach of the team, will take charge.

Spring Brings Assembly Storm **Rather Than April Showers**

miliar words, Mr. Springer then assembly.

unexpected assembly call, they wonder curiously about the program. his drawl, and his "Gee Whiz". "Will it be a speaker, or just a rally?" is the question voiced Governor Myers Y. Cooper, emphaeverywhere.

distinguished persons have ad- ter and of sound morals. dressed the student body. First, there was Captain R. A. Jeffries, the noted journalist. What wonderful pictures he depicted of London, England, and of the airplane flight above the clouds. Then, too, few have forgotten the following: "You teresting, perhaps, as today's.

"Today we have another treat in can do anything you want to dostore for us." With these now fa- if you are willing to pay the price!" Then David S. Ingalls, assistant proceeds to introduce the speaker secretary of the Navy, spoke inforof the moment. Rarely does a week mally on "Aviation". Reminiscing pass without at least one special brings back Mr. Ingalls' jovial amiability, his jokes, his portrait of As the students respond to the Will Rogers, his description of airplane landings on carriers at sea,

And last, but not least, former sized the value of an education, During the last few weeks several and the sterling worth of charac-

> Altogether, the unexpected assemblies were most enjoyable. Everyone now looks forward to tomorrow, for tomorrow may bring forth a surprise assembly as in-

ANNUAL BROOKS CONTEST **TO BEGIN APRIL 29** Chuck

The annual Brook's Contest will take place soon with the preliminary judging on April 29 and the final contest on May 13.

Prizes will be offered for the three best entries in each of the following: poetry, short story, essay, and oration. The first prize in each class is \$15; the second, \$7.50; and the third, \$2.50.

Entries are judged according to excellency in English, subject matter, originality, and delivery. No manuscript may exceed 1,000 words, and the minimum length of poems time was late and the actors and is twenty-four lines.

contest, which will be judged by dis-

interested persons, not residents of

Manuscripts must be handed to

the principal not later than April

-Q--

ANNUAL WORK PROGRESSES

The printed material has been

Salem.

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It seems but a day or so since the juniors were trying out for "It Won't Be Long Now." What a time they had! Everyone was afraid to talk naturally or to move with ease on the stage. How Miss Lanpher did rack her brains in finding a cast! She made a very good selection though.

Oh! those practice nights! Hard nerve-racking rehearsals from 7:00 to 10:30 or 11:00. There were many times when a blow-up was necessary to relieve the tension.

Oh! those arguments! When the actresses got tired, then the fire-The preliminary judges, chosen works began. That's human nature



Inexperienced Team Displays Talent

Salem High may have lost four of its outstanding tracksters, H. Walker and Brantingham in the mile, Smith in the weights, and Reese in the low hurdles and broad jump, by graduation but she was able to romp to a convincing victory in the annual triangular meet.

Salem piled up 791/2 points while McKinley captured runner-up honors with 491/2 and Central placed third and last with 32. Central has at least one star, Junius. He was high score man of the day, with 13 points.

Hortsman gave a great performance while winning the mile and then anchored the mile relay team to an easy victory. Harris won the half mile with a dazzling finish. Bill Miller earned a tie with Flanders for first in the pole vault. Sidinger captured the high jump. Russell won the shot with a heave of 46 feet. This is within one foot and four and one half inches of the school record made by Bill Smith, in 1931. Russell also took third in the javelin. Due to rheumatism in the arm, Raymond was only able to place third in the discus and second in the javelin.

-Q-NERVOUS PUPILS TEST INTELLIGENCE

"Good heavens, but these tests

JUNIORS RETAIN ONLY MEMORIES OF PLAY

Mr. Springer looks forward to a very successful season, for such veterans as Joe "Mex" Harring-Continued on Page 4

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BAND GIVES SECOND CONCERT OF YEAR

Salem High's forty-six piece band presented its second concert of the year in the auditorium last night. Many of the selections were popular marches such as Sousa's "Semper Fidelis" and Goldman's "On the Mall."

famous overtures and a collection of old songs.

The features were a trumpet duet "Side Partners" by Clair King and Marion McArtor and a tuba solo "Beelzebub" played by Dale Leipper. The accompanists were Marye Miller and Kathryn Cessna.

from the corps of teachers in Saand the members of the cast were lem schools, will choose the five best

only human. However, Miss Lanpher got them straightened out O. manuscripts in each class. The ones K. again. so picked will compete in the final

Oh! those romances! Many sweet romances were either started or developed up there, behind the scenes or on the stage. If you don't believe that, ask certain members of the cast.

But now the scenery and drops are put away, the footlights are turned out, everything is quiet, and nothing is left but the memories. That is, till next year's senior play.

QUAKER ANNOUNCES ART CONTEST WINNERS

-Q-

typed and copyread and was sent Jeanette Ospeck, junior, won first place in the Quaker art contest. to the printer this week. Work The illustration submitted shows with the pictures for the annual is much promise for her continued rapidly being completed also. Both the printer and the engraver who success in the future.

George Williamson won second will prepare the annual have been place with a cartoon, in which line chosen and the annual will now steadily progress until it is finished. of work he has real ability.

get me nervous!"

"O yea? What's an intelligence test more or less?"

"That's it. Intelligence is my toughest subject. I've got an I. Q. of about 30."

"At best that's a low morany score."

A frantic question, a calm answer -that's been a very familiar scene around the halls the past week or so. And the answer is. Ohio State Intelligence tests which many classes are experiencing.

Extremely nervous students lift anxious eyes to teachers. Nervous because the tests are Ohio State tests, extremely nervous because they've been sprung unexpectedly. A sigh of relief when it's over, a hurried glance to see that everything necessary has been regarded and everything unnecessary has been disregarded. Well, the test's over and everything can be forgot-

ten-but is it? Well, not exactly that. "The Memory Lingers On,"

Students who have never helped with Quaker work do not realize the amount of time and work involved in preparing the Quaker Annual. Nevertheless, the annual is progressing rapidly.

The program also included several

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UNION

START TO WIN YOUR RACE NOW

There are just seven weeks of school remaining.

Much emphasis has been given to the importance of getting a good start but to succeed one must also leave a favorable impression.

Many a race is won on the home stretch. The runners who have broken training fall by the wayside but the winner spurts across the line.

We all say "Well, next year I'm going to work and show them something." Why wait till next year? Do it now and next year you will have a good start to help win your race.

> -Q-SPRING IS SPRUNG.

Spring is in the air! The budding of green trees, the low murmur of babbling brooks, and the twitter of cheerful songbirds are here at last. It's not necessary to examine a calendar to make sure of this factmerely observe the various signs of the awakening of nature to be found in Salem.

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SOME CLASS NOTES

SENIOR NEWS

Whether the senior class will or will not have a leap year party on May 13 has not yet been decided. The approval of three-fourths of the class must be secured to carry the idea. One of the objections tohaving the party is the fact that there is a county track meet on May 14, and so it would be impossible for all the track men to attend. Since May 13 is the only available date, this may loom as a large factor in the decision.

By the way, the boys all have the wrong idea about the party. If there is one, tickets will be sold beforehand in the home rooms, each person buying his own. Another break, girls!

-Q-

About a month ago the seniors were pleasantly surprised by the announcement that the diplomas issued this year would be in the new book form. But their joy is short-lived. Four hundred of the large style diplomas have been found, so that the class of '32, and perhaps the class of '33, will rate old ones.

-Q-

Lionel Smith, who was injured during spring vacation is recovering as fast as can be expected. The senior class misses him very much and we are sorry to say that he may not be back to classes for a few weeks.

-Q-JUNIOR NEWS

The junior class play was a real success and the cast and committees are to be congratulated. The class should be very proud of the fact that it made more money on the play than the seniors made on theirs.

There are still some rings in 204

Mullins, Robert Snyder, and Harold Parker, with Miss Bickle, Miss Cherry, and Mr. Williams, faculty advisers; clean-up-Troy Cope. Richard Haines, Oland Dilworth, and Bill Cope. The student mentioned first on each committee is chairman of that committee.

-Q-FRESHMAN NEWS

The freshmen on the committees for the freshman-sophomore party are as follows: General-Junior Moreland and Jack Mullins, with Miss McCready as faculty adviser; decoration - Dick Harris, Lowell Shallenberg, William Lawry, Alex Fratila, Margaret McCulloch, Cora Ballantine; eats — Carolyn Bush Helen Huber, Helen Weber, Harry McCarthy, and Roland Schaffer; clean-up-volunteers report to 304. --0

CRAZY CRACKS

and catnip to the canary to make it sing like a catbird, or are you hardtack to make it swear like a sailor?

Whichever you are, or if you're neither, pull up your sox and get a load of this.

Johnny Reeves, who is that way about "Miss, Wilkes," wrote on the board in an American government class, "A foreigner becomes naturalized by application for a period of two years."

What does a foreigner apply? A mustard-plaster? How often, every two hours or just once a day? It's our opinion that the poor fellow would be pretty much petered out at the end of two years. Warra, Wotalife!

Al Paxson made a crack too. He wrote that the Army War College is "a school for a picked group of officers, not over a hundred."

JEFFRIES JOTTINGS

How many of you know that the subject of Captain Jeffries' speech was "Touring The World"?

He studied journalism for four years, and his specialty is feature stories.

He edited the Mount Union college paper for three years and doubled the size of the editions.

In 1917, while editor of this paper he received the state prize for the make-up of his paper.

He believes in co-ed colleges, only. He advocates neither girls' colleges nor boys' colleges.

Capt. Jeffries once wrote a feature story on foolish questions May Reich, Ada Carns, and Bill heard in a railway depot. The keynote of the article was this question asked of the ticket agent. A lady approached the window and asked, 'What time does the 2:30 train leave?"

The man who introduced Captain Are you the kind that feeds milk Jeffrie was Mr. John Kirchner, also of Cleveland.

Captain Jeffries used the week's the kind that gives the parrot best simile, "Crooked as a pretzel with the cramps".

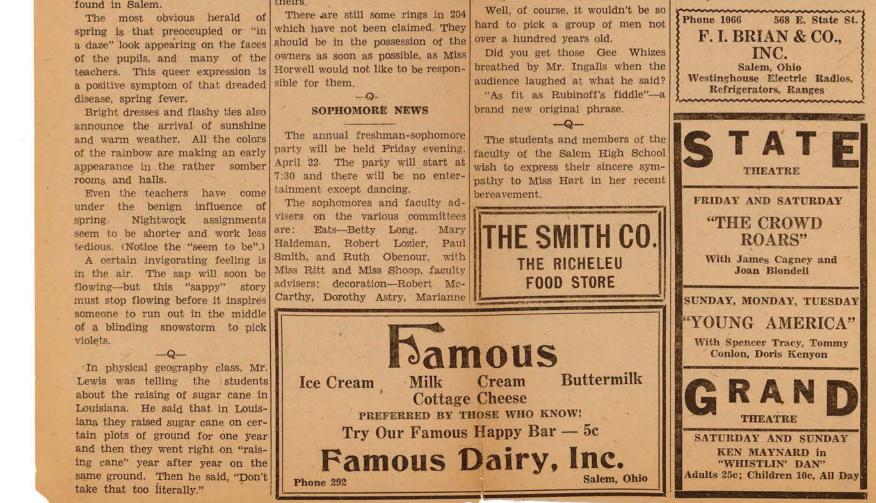
> He informed the journalsim class that he could talk to any one of them for two minutes and have a feature story.

May I speak to you for a couple of minutes?

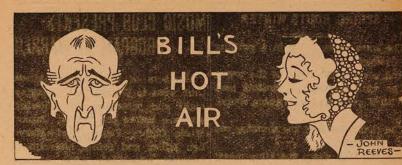
He gave the editor and assistant editor some valuable advice on the make-up of the paper. He also praised the headlines.

Some of you who are inclined to criticize the paper take it from someone who knows. Mr. Jeffries said that ours was a nice little paper and a great improvement over last year's.

His whole philosophy may be summed up by "Happy days are here again." so "keep that sunny side up."



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"Flash" Barnes: Yes, Bryan is very temperamental. "Passionate" Bush: What do you

mean temperamental? "Flash": Oh, about 95% temper, and 5% mental.

It was a very slippery morning

and a very slippery sidewalk. Swede Battin's hat blew off, and, as he stopped to pick it up, he slipped and sat on it.

"Well," he remarked, "it's a good thing I didn't fall on my hat a second sooner."

"Why so?" inquired the innocent bystander.

"Why, my head was in it," said Swede, and he marched on.

-Q-

Earley: Tell me, why does an Indian wear a feathered head dress?

French. I'll bite, why? Early: Why to keep his wigwam, you dummy.

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Dealer (in pet shop): Yes, we have bulldogs. They are \$25 apiece. Becky: \$25 a piece!

Dealer: Yes, that isn't so much for good bulldogs. Becky. Yes, but how big is the

piece?

Q

Andrew Visker: Yes, my brother is very patriotic. He positively won't wear anything else but a union suit.

Carpenter: Mike, did anything ever happen to you when you were young?

-Q-

Corso: Yes, when I was born, I was so surprised that I couldn't talk for a year and a half.

"Daisy" Weigand: Do you know what Paul Revere said when he got on his horse?

"Daffy" Burke. No, what? "Daisy": Giddap, of course. -Q--

Mr. Cox. Do you want a large or a small picture?

Russell Jones: A small one. Mr. Cox: Then close your mouth. -Q--

Coach: I saw you out after 11. Sluefoot: No, honest, coach, I was only out after one, and I couldn't find her.

-Q-Mr. Jones. Arthur, tell me what they raise in Mexico.

Arthur G: Aw, go on, Ma taught me not to say naughty words. I.boHen shrdlu cmfwyp shrdlu

-Q-

Be Careful, Though

The novice at trout fishing had hooked a very small trout. Excitedly he played it, reeling it in after a moment or two until it was rammed tight against the end of the rod. Glowing with the warmth of conquest, he turned to his instructor.

"I've got him! I've got him!" he cried. "Now what do I do?"

"Climb up the pole and stab him to death," replied the disgusted instructor.

-American Boy Magazine. -0-

Saving His Face

"I'm sorry to have to do this," said Bobby as he spread the jam on baby's face, "but I can't have suspicion pointing its finger at me."-American Boy Magazine. _Q_

Loses a Pupil

"I guess I have lost another pu-

LAST YEARS ANNUALS MAY | ARE YOU THE OWNER OF **BE SECURED AT OFFICE** ONE OF THESE THOUGHTS

Last year's annual promised to be such a success that in anticipation hall. Outside were freedom, joy, and of an unusually large sale of the books, the staff ordered too many. So we now have on hand about thirty good 1931 annuals. These are in A-1 condition, having never been opened. Now, if you didn't get an annual last year when they sold at regular Association prices, here is your opportunity to secure one at a price far below its actual cost, fifty cents. If you have friends who are interested in your school or in you, perhaps this might also suggest a little gift.

If you are interested, drop into the Quaker office opposite 304, some evening after school and inspect these bargains.



The Exchange editor has just received word that all the schools with which the Quaker exchanges had been burned when another telegram came saying that this statement was false. Oh, well, you can imagine what delight the second wire brought.

-Q-

Here's a hit from the Ashtabula Dart: What is a Kiss? A kiss is a pronoun because she

stands for it. It is masculine and feminine

therefore common. It is plural because one calls for

another. It is singular because there is

nothing else like it. Usually it is opposition with a

caress, at any rate, it is sure to follow.

It can be conjugated, but never defined.

However, it is not an adverb because it cannot be compared, but it is a phrase expressing feeling. -0-

Leesburg, Texas, is a town of three hundred population. The high phool has a

It was very warm in the study

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spring sunshine. How could anyone bear the thought of staying in? Physically, everyone was present, but mentally-well, notice the following thoughts: ,

"I wish I were a senior instead of a sophomore; then I could go to the prom, too. Never mind, I'll go

"Guess I'll have to get the old tennis racquet in shape for the tournament. Wonder who will win?"

"Where shall I be next year at this time? Will it be college or working, or just living?"

"What kind of a suit shall I get for Baccalaureate? Gee! how nice to think of it! Yet, next year no Baccalaureate will be in sight for me."

"Just where did I pack my bathing suit, and fishing rod, and tennis racquet? Guess they'll be out of the mothballs soon."

"Cardinals play the Indians today. Wish I could see that game. Oh well, the track meet will make up for that."

"Wonder whom she's going to the Prom with? If my courage will last, I'll ask her tonight, but what if she refuses?"

"Whom shall I ask to the Senior Leap Year Party? I guess I'll just go up and say, 'Well Big Boy, do you have a date for Friday night?' When he says, 'No,' I'll say, 'May I have a date with you?' Wish Leap Year came oftener!"

Slowly the hands of the clock turned to one forty-five. The study hall was still quiet and dreamy. Harshly the bell broke in upon this peacefulness and immediately the spell was broken. Forgotten were the dreams and fancies, and in their place that age-old inquiry, "Will I, get called on today? If so, what on earth shall I do?"



MR. GEORGE MAKES ONE DOUBT WHAT HE SEES

Now do you believe in magic? Are you sure your eyes did not deceive you? Did you really see pigeons and ducks appear from nowhere, cards picked out of the atmosphere, ladies jumping out of empty boxes, and a whole washing hidden under Teofil Andreis coat?

You did! You saw Charles Gibson willing to run away from such strange antics. Perhaps he was afraid he would disappear too.

You saw Junior Courtney hand over an alarm clock he had hidden, and you saw what good doctors Connie and Albert would make.

And how about that threading the needles? I guess the sewing class would like to have that explained to them.

Mr. George must have thought we were slow considering the numerr of alarm clocks he kept going but he has to admit we were quick on the applause, and no wonder!

-Q-What Is Your P. Q.?

Evansville, Ind., (ABS) - Now comes the test for physical fitness to match the well-known I. Q. At Central High school here Coach Mark Wakefield is checking motor reactions, reflexes, and the like in the gymnasium. He's finding out student averages by seeing how often they can toss a basketball through a loop from a certain distance in a minute, and so forth. -Q-

GIRLS TRY LUCK AT BASEBALL

For a short time the girls in gym enjoyed themselves by exercising on the rings. Now it is baseball season. The girls organized teams story, in "The Awakening," cannot and are doing fairly well, for some but affect the most mature of fort have never played before.

Captains are in charge of their derstanding of these lines are no own teams and are responsible for less than excerpts from the mind the players. In their first game of this truly great contemporary Ruffians beat the Hot Shots, Nerts author. beat the Flyswatters, Lucky Strikes and beat Dottie's Dumbells,

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FORSYTE SAGA John Galsworthy, in the "Forsyte

Saga," shows the romance, intrigue,

despair, and beauty in the life of

the middlewealthy or bourgeois

class of Englishmen which he typi-

This family saga follows the gen-

erations of the Forsytes, continually

wiping out by intermarriage the

original and distinctive Forsyte

strain, from Superior Dosset, a sev-

enteenth century crude, strong,

English farmer to the generation

When a man and woman are di-

vorced and each remarries, should

the child of one marry the child of

the other? Should the unhappiness

of a mother be held against the

happiness of her son? If you should

be compelled to choose, which

would you take, your mother or

your sweetheart? These are a few

of the questions that come up in

The two interludes, "Indian Sum-

mer of a Forsyte" and "The Awak-

ening," constitute the cream of this

book. The beauty and tranquillity

of the Indian Summer amidst the

singing of birds and crickets, the

soft sound of the wind, and the

glorious panorama of brown wheat

and corn fields across the valley

over the hill on the other side of

which London, at a respectable dis-

tance, clattered on with its com-

muting and hurried business, where

old John Forsyte lived his last love

and departed from this life so

quietly, in "Indian Summer," and

the boyhood of his grandson, John

Forsyte, at the time when he came

into that great and beautiful love

of his mother that so affected the

reader. The tender pathos and un-

-Q-

Do You Know Your Bible?

this magnificent story.

which fought in the World War.

fies by the Forsyte family.

SPRING ROUTS WINTER WITH THE BOOKWORM

The snow came down in a swirling sheet

And covered the roofs of the town; The wind against the shutters beat With a weird and a moaning sound.

The clouds hovered low shutting out the moon

And the lake was a sparkling mass; And the wind renewed its shuddering tune

Heaping drifts in the mountain pass.

The world resembled a maiden fair With her silken gown of white, Winter painted with an artist's

care As he filled our hearts with delight.

How soon this lovely beauty will fade

With the warmth of sprng sunlight; The white will turn to a darker shade

And spring will put winter to flight. -GEO. IZENOUR, '34 -Q--

CHEMISTS GET RID OF EXTRA LUNG POWER

Salem High's young chemists certainly have been puffed up the last week. No, not in the head, in the lungs. If one had happened to visit one of the lab. periods, he would have been greeted by a heavy puffing and also giggles from some of the fair sex.

The chemistry classes were performing tests with blow-pipes. This was an outlet for some of their lung power. The fair sex, though, seemed to have lost some of its reputed lung power which seemed to have changed to titters and giggles.

Altogether, this was one of the most enjoyable parts of chemistry, the students have had.

MUSIC CLUB PRESENTS PROGRAM AT WARREN

Members of the Junior Music Club went to Warren last Thursday night and presented the following program before the Warren Junior Music Club: Piano duet-Marye Lou Miller and Selma Liebschner; trumpet solo-Clair King, accompanied by Marye Miller; reading-Dorothy Wright; trombone solo-John Paul Olloman, accompanied by Rachel Cope; vocal duet-Kathryn Cessna and Ray Ritchie, accompanied by Rachel Cope; violin trio-Camille Hoperich, Jean Olnhausen, and Ted Visker, accompanied by Selma Liebschner; tuba solo -Dale Leipper, accompanied by Kathryn Cessna; violin solo-Jean Olnhausen, accompanied by Selma Liebschner; clarinet solo-Mararet Megrail, accompanied by Dorothy McConnor; reading-Mary Campbell; cornet duet-Rachel Cope and Clair King, accompanied by Kathryn Cessna; and piano solo-Dorothy McConnor.

Delightful refreshments were served by the Warren Club, and dancing afforded great entertainment,



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