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JUNIORS PRESENT "WINNING SCHEMERS"

The class of '39 successfully presented their play, "Winning Schemers", in the high school gym, Friday night, November 19, at 8:00 o'clock. The orchestra conducted a short concert before the play. Georgia Warner Page (Helen Atkins) and Philip Page (James Eakle), bride and bridegroom of three months, are happily settled in their home until Phil receives a letter from his uncle and Georgia one from her aunt with the news that they are coming to visit them. Aunt Jane (Evelyn Reynolds) hates men and has told Georgia she will stop her allowance and cut her out of her will if she gets married. Georgia has told her aunt that she is rooming with a girl named Phyllis. Uncle Harry (Raymond Pulliam), who hates women, has told Phil the same. The two can not get along without their allowances because they are both in school. They are certainly in a jam until Georgia decides to dress her husband up as a girl while Aunt Jane is visiting them and she is to dress up as a boy while Uncle Harry is there. This will be possible because Aunt Jane is to leave for Europe before Uncle Harry arrives. All goes well until Aunt Jane finds out her boat does not sail until later. She decides though to go to another friend's house to

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MAROA HI-TRI HOSTESS AT CONVENTION

The Maroa Chapter of the Hi-Tri organization were hostesses to the second annual sectional convention of the Hi-Tri, Saturday, November 13. The convention was held at the high school, and luncheon was served in the Christian Church by mothers of the Hi-Tri girls. Before an audience of approximately one hundred and seventy-five, Mrs. Sala of Decatur delivered the morning address, "Girls, What Next?" and Mrs. Pierce the afternoon address, "A Song in Her Heart". The morning program included the following:

- 10:00 Song Holy, Holy, Holy
- 10:05 Devotions--Reverend Miller
- Welcome--Mr. W. D. Keyes
- Introduction of Maroa
- Executive Council--Venus Johnson
- Introduction of Conference
- Leaders and State Officers--Myrna Morgan
- Appointment of Resolutions Committee
- 10:25 Talks by Hi-Tri Presidents
- Violin Solo--Second Romana in F--Alice Kraft accompanied by Dorothy Blackman
- 10:40 Address by Mrs. Sala
- 11:15-11:45 Get Acquainted Hour

Included on the afternoon
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visit much to the relief of Georgia and Phil. A lunatic (Wayne Thrift) has escaped from the asylum and is running loose in the apartment house of Georgia and Phil. Aunt Jane, returning unexpectedly, finds Uncle Harry in the apartment and recognizes him as the lover of younger days. Still mad at each other and each hating the opposite sex, they try to bribe Georgia and Phil to an annulment, but the newlyweds refuse. The lunatic gains admission into their apartment and grabs Aunt Jane who screams and Uncle Harry saves her. She immediately forgives him and consents to marry him. They are married and all live happily ever after. Others in the cast were:

Hannah, the colored maid--Bonnie Roiter

An officer-----Coulter Larson

Louise Cadwell, friend of the Pages--Dorothy Bowden

Mary Barton, an old maid with matrimonial aspirations---- Betty Breighner

OUTSTANDING 4-H MEMBER

Had you heard that Ruth Leach a junior of M.C.H.S., has been chosen one of the four outstanding 4-H members in the state? Each one was rated on all the projects and club work since she first enrolled. Ruth has been in 4-H work for six years. More luck to you, Ruth.

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program was the following:

- 1:30 Business Meeting
 Report of Resolutions Committee
 ----Marian Plumb, Normal
 Report of Sponsors' Meeting--
 Miss Eula Matthew, Normal
 1:45 Piano Solo----Country
 Gardens--Bernadine
 Thomas
 Address by Miss Pierce,
 State Hi-Tri Sponsor
 2:25 Loyalty Day Ceremonials
 Pana Hi-Tri League

There were thirty-nine students from Pana, twenty-eight from Normal, six from Pittsburg, and we were very fortunate in having Beverly Allen, state Hi-Tri president and one of the executive officers from Mount Vernon with us.

TYPEWRITERS STOLEN

On the night of November 9, thieves entered our school building and broke into Mr. Keyes' office. Here they removed the machine from his desk. Taking a chair from the office, they then proceeded to the typing room where they broke out the glass in the door. From this room they five typewriters.

Fingerprints were taken and authorities think that they are on the trail of the culprits. We sincerely hope so, as this was quite a loss to our school.

MR. HENSEY TO BE JOE KELLY AGAIN

Representatives from Chestnut who are sponsoring a W.L.S. home talent show on Dec. 2, 3, and 4 inform us that Mr. Hensy will play the part of Master of Ceremonies, Joe Kelley--the part he played in the F. F. A. show here last June.

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THREE CHEERS FOR HIGH SCHOOL BOARD

Tuesday, November 16, everyone was called to the assembly eighth hour for another demonstration of the talkie picture machine. Everyone was hoping Santa Claus would leave us the picture machine for a Christmas present. At the end of the hour, we found newsboys in the hall calling, "Extra! Extra!". Upon looking at the extra we found that Santa Claus had arrived early and left us the picture machine. Features will be shown throughout the year to pay for this. Let's see a good attendance at these to show how we appreciate it. Come on, let's give three great big cheers for the board!

INSPECT KITCHEN EQUIPMENT

The Home Economics III class went to Decatur Wednesday, October 27, to inspect kitchen equipment. Leaving at lunch time, they spent most of the afternoon at Morehouse and Wells. They also spent much time in the dime stores looking for efficient kitchen equipment and comparing the prices at various stores.

SCIENCE CLUB

The science club is started at last, but the loss of time is being made up by the whole-hearted manner in which it is now being carried on. The boys meet each Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The officers for the boys are:

President-----Glenn Roff
Secretary-----Myrle Riley
Treasurer-----Nelson Smith

Myrna Morgan is president of the girls' section, and they meet each Monday eighth hour. They are having a drive for members now. You better join because you don't know what you're missing if you don't.

PHANTOM EXPRESS

A talkie moving picture show was given at the Maroa High School, Friday evening, November 12, 1937, at 7:45 o'clock. Before the main picture, "The Phantom Express", a comedy was shown which brought in a laugh for the evening.

It was a very interesting picture, and a good attendance was there to enjoy it.

STYLE SHOW

A style show sponsored by Block and Khul was given at the high school auditorium, October 19, 1937.

They brought their own models and a beautician to put on their make-up. They also had some of their clerks to help get the clothes on. Mr. Gallup played the piano during the entire style show, and between the types of clothes. We were also entertained by vocal solos by Verna Clary and Frances Agee.

They had some very gorgeous dresses and some cute slippers. Some of the outstanding costumes were a white chiffon formal with gold dots called "Pennies from Heaven" and an orange, green and white striped scarf, beret, and gloves worn with a brown snow suit. They had four types of outfits: sports wear, afternoon dresses, street wear, and evening dresses.

The style show lasted about one and a half hours and was enjoyed by everyone and a big success.

NIGHT SCHOOL

Tuesday night, November 9, parents, relatives, and friends of the high school students gathered in the high school for open house. First, second, and third
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hour classes were held. The purpose of night school is for the parents to see how the school is being run.

After classes were dismissed, Mr. Koyes showed a part of the sound movie that was to be given November 12. After this, he showed silent pictures of high school activities.

F. F. A. GET PINS, AND LOSE THEM

The F. F. A. boys were quite proud last week when their president, Harold Johnson, presented twenty-two Future Farmer and eight Green hand pins to them.

Twenty-two boys receiving the Future Farmer pins are of at least sophomore standing and have earned and saved or invested \$25 from last year's project work. These boys also have to lead a 10-minute discussion at one of the meetings to qualify for this honor.

The Greenhands are freshmen who intend qualifying for these pins next year.

Flash--last minute news--we hear at this writing that several of these pins have strayed from their respective owners--namely--

Paul Carder: We hear it's gone to the freshman class. Now, how about it, Mary?
And Elva--well, J. W. never even tried his on, we know!

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Tell you the rest next time-- just now I have to balance another ration.

HIGH SCHOOL CONVENTION AT CHAMPAIGN

Mr. Henscy visited the agriculture section which was held in the Agriculture Engineering Building. He heard a talk by Professor Green, who is the author of the book being used in Farm Management. There were only seven teachers there that use this book and Mr. Henscy had to criticize the book. He heard a talk given by Dr. Nolon, the head of the agriculture department at the University of Illinois.

He also heard a talk by Mr. Hill, the state supervisor of agriculture education in high schools. Mr. Henscy has been mad ever since that day because he caught cold over there and
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hasn't been able to get rid of it.

Miss Flugum attended the general session. She also attended the French section in the afternoon.

Mr. Swan heard a talk on Kodochrome by an expert from the Eastman Kodak Company. He also attended the general session.

Miss Ulmer attended the general session and a commercial program. She also heard the rehearsal of the state chorus which was made up of five hundred people. She heard a talk on the place of commercial subjects in the curriculum.

Mr. England attended the Illinois High School Athletic Coaches' Association. He also attended a social science discussion.

Miss Johnson attended the general session. She also attended the Home Economics Association. She heard the high school orchestra and the state chorus rehearsal. On Saturday she attended a home economics session. She also heard a talk on social hygiene.

Miss Grabb attended the music section. She also heard the all state chorus rehearsal.

Miss Zelle attended the mathematics section in the afternoon. She heard the all state high school chorus and the orchestra pro-

gram Friday night. There were two hundred and twenty people in the orchestra.

GLEE CLUB

The Girls' glee club met and elected officers on Thursday afternoon, October 21. Forty members were present.

The officers are:
President----Alberta Bunner
Secretary----Bonnie Jean Reiter
Librarian----Lois Johnson

The girls are practicing on three new pieces, Pale Moon, Homing by Del Riego, and Shortenin' Bread by Wolfe. Practice will soon begin on a Christmas program.

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On Wednesday, November 3, the students of M.C.H.S. were entertained by the Hess String Quartet, one of the few rare combinations to be heard. We were fortunate in having an opportunity to hear such an outstanding quartet and were particularly impressed by the various movements of the Mozart sonata. The quartet, which was organized last summer, consists of two violins, a cello, and a viola.

M. C. H. S. MARCHES ON

The high school has, besides its new movie machine, a three-drawer, steel file in the office. The old one has been taken to the home economics room for the filing of reference bulletins and papers. It also has a new table in the English room for use in class work.

HONOR ROLL

Many students have started out the year right by making the Honor Roll. Fifty-four or about one third of the total enrollment is either on the first or second honor roll. The seniors, having twenty-seven of their members as

classmen.

SENIORS

1st Honor Roll

2nd Honor Roll

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| Hartsock, Geraldine | Miller, Louise |
| Holman, J. W. | Bunner, Alberta |
| Faber, Mildred | Wendling, Mary |
| Thomas, Bernadine | |
| Wikoff, Nellie | |
| Longsdorff, Florence | |
| Albert, Eva | |
| Weikle, Frances | |
| Thompson, Margaret | |
| Johnson, Lois | |
| Rainey, Eleanor | |
| Hastings, Alice | |
| Bricker, Mildred | |
| Cox, Robert | |
| Montgomery, Elaine | |
| Johnson, Harold | |
| Austin, Elva | |
| Clary, Lloyd | |
| McGuire, Anna Lou | |
| Jones, Allene | |
| Hoge, Lena | |
| Morgan, Myrna | |
| Montgomery, Eleanor | |
| Hicks, William | |

JUNIORS

- Atkins, Helen Morgan, Harriett
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Weikle, Veneta Johnson, Virginia
Bricker, Evelyn Fawcett, Jack
Fawcett, Robert Lane, Mae
Leinhart, Betty
Montgomery, Elizabeth

FRESHMEN

Daggett, Edwin Breighner, Wilma
Hartsock, Donald Mashburn, Anna
Hoffman, Ray Wilkey, Harold
Miller, Paul Streight, Rosemary

TEACHERS' PET

'Twas I as a senior in M. H. S.
Who saw that the teachers had pets
too, I guess.
Though all of the time I knew it
was true,
I had felt that some day I could
prove it to you.
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I snicker and grin; I chuckle and
laugh
I sit and I listen an hour and a
half.
I think I'll go crazy when he
gives me a chance.
That pet can do anything--he even
can dance.
Losing my temper, I decided to
leave,
For pets, as you know, are my only
pet peeve;
So I stamped my foot harder than
ever before,
And I ran right out and slammed
the old door.
Like an airplane I flew to the
stairs in the hall.
And I ran to the upstairs as I
heard a loud call.
So aroused and excited I quickly
became,
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But I went on my way as soon as

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 really was good.
 However, impossible I found it to
 be;
 She had some more English to say
 to me.
 Things went that way for many
 weeks
 Till I hold my ears when one of
 speaks,
 For the teachers have pets and I
 know it is true
 Commercial, Mathematical, Agricul-
 tural too.
 Teachers of English can't deny
 this is so.
 And teachers of science have pets
 too, I know!!
 For ask any one of them how their
 dog is----And Say!!
 They'll sure have an answer to
 last you all day.

Note: I wish to dedicate the
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 Miss Grabb, Miss Ulmer, and Miss

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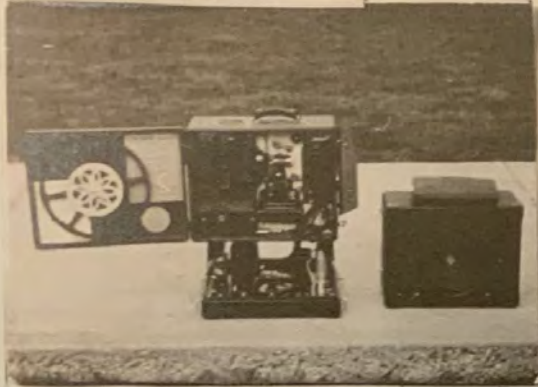


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Hi-Tri Officers



SOCIETY



E. L. WEINER ROAST

On the evening of October 14, seventeen members of the Epworth League and Reverend Carson's Sunday School class met at the home of Mildred Bricker for a weiner roast. After all the weiners were roasted, everyone went inside to warm up a bit and play games. The guests departed at an early hour because of the football game the following day.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY AT CRABTREE'S

Marjorie Crabtree and Bernadine Thomas entertained several guests at a Hallowe'en party given at Marjorie's home on October 30. Interesting games were very much enjoyed. The climax of these games was a scavenger hunt, the prize being a gallon of cider. Dainty refreshments of doughnuts, pumpkin pie with whipped cream, popcorn balls, and cocoa were served by the hostesses.

The following guests were present:

Myrna Morgan, Harriett Morgan, Leonard Barger, Bonnie Jean Reiter, Dorothy Bowden, Vernon Miller, Roy Miller, Louise Miller, Elva Austin, J. W. Holman, Bernadine Thomas,

Paul Gregory, Marjorie Crabtree, and Eloise Crabtree

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR LOUISE MILLER

Several guests attended a birthday party for Louise Miller Tuesday evening, November 2. Very interesting games were played. Familiar songs were sung while Miss Grabb played.

Louise received many nice gifts and birthday greetings.

Refreshments of walnut cake, sandwiches, cocoa were served.

The friends who attended are: Miss Grabb, Betty Breighner, John Roy Bennett, Dorothy Bowden, Marjorie Crabtree, Harriet Morgan, Myrna Morgan, Florence Longsdorff, Roy Miller, Paul Miller, Louise Miller, and Genevra Miller.

S. B. WEINER ROAST

The Standard Bearers had their first meeting of the year in form of a weiner roast at the home of Florence Longsdorff. The business meeting was held followed by a few minutes of social.

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-----By Evelyn Reynolds

Isn't it just too bad that Lloyd Clary is a senior this year? (Why) Because the school will need him just as much next year as it does this--for various reasons. In a number of ways he has been a help to his class mates and the student body. Since he entered high school three years ago, Lloyd has taken an active part in everything pertaining to a worthwhile high school life.

Lloyd began his freshman year by gaining various clubs and organizations, such as Hi-Y, glee club, and radio club. He was elected pep committee member from his class and played an active part in football and basketball. As a member of the glee club, he helped in the Christmas Cantata.

In his sophomore year he again joined these clubs and being a little less shy and timid, of course than when he was a freshman was more active in playing his part.

When he was a junior, Lloyd was a student council representative of his class along with all these other activities.

This year he is president of the boys Hi-Y Club, and so far as I know is good enough for the position. He was also captain of the football team this year, and the team, I'm sure, could not have wished for a better captain.

Along with all other things, Lloyd keeps up his scholarship, always entering into the class discussions.

As an all round student Lloyd is--pretty good!!

HALLOWEEN PARTY

On November 29, at about 7:00 o'clock many M.G.H.S.ers disguised themselves as witches, ghosts, pumpkins, etc. and were off on their way to have a fine time. The time was flying and it was soon time to open the doors. They were told to enter the building at the back door. Some rushed to be first while other held back fearing they might get shocked or stumble over springs as these things usually go with a Halloween Party. But no, it wasn't so bad here. They had to walk on a plank, then drop off on a mattress. As soon as all were in the gym, they began the party. Soon it was time for the Grand March to pick the winners of the prizes. Those who won prizes were Dick Kincaid, Keith Brett, and Danny McCormick. After many minutes of dancing, ping-pong, loop tennis and bingo, refreshments were served.

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Pauline Larson won a trip to Washington D. C. and New York by placing second in the suburban division of the Queen Soya Contest in Decatur. She is a graduate of M.C.H.S. with the class of 1934.

Gladys Brock, a graduate with the class of 1931, is working in the office of Y.M.C.A. at Decatur.

Lillie Mae Smart, a graduate with the class of 1932, is working in the Grant Hospital in Chicago.

Ruby Schultz, a graduate with the class of 1937, is working in the Wayside Inn in Decatur.

Eleanor Leach, of the class of 1936, is employed at the J.C. Penney Store in Decatur.

Junior Parker, class of '32, and Bill Berry, class of '36, returned home October 10, from a two weeks hunting trip in Michigan.

THE PARADE OF THEIR MAJESTIES

On October 19, Loretta Dean came to rule in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rodgers. Her mother was formerly Clara Marie Brenning, a graduate of M.C.H.S.

Next we have, Linda Marie born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smart on October 20. Her parents are graduates of M.C.H.S.

His Majesty, John Wilson, Jr. arrived on October 12 to continue the reign of the Parkers. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John

Wilson Parker. His parents are graduates of M.C.H.S.

THE STARCHLIGHT
(Lexington Community High School)

NEW AG. COURSE ENTERS COMPETITION BOYS ENTER JUDGING CONTEST AT U. OF I.

This community, being a great agricultural center, has been demanding an agriculture course for some time. This year when school opened, L.C.H.S. boasted proudly her new agricultural course. Howard Morse, the instructor, has the task of building a good foundation for it. The course has two divisions, "Soils and Crops" and "Animal Husbandry." The Soils and Crops division have made four field trips. On these trips the boys test and judge corn. The students have gone to the Gridley and Washburn exhibits. The Soils and Crops class is planning a corn show for Friday, October 8.

Last Saturday a team from L. C.H.S. participated in the meat and milk judging contest at the University of Illinois. The meat judging team ranked twelfth among forty-five competitors.

The L.C.H.S. teams placed better than neighboring schools. This record is an indication of what prospective material is available for the future.

PUPIL'S PANTAGRAPH
(Kenney High School)
OFFICER O'NEIL SPEAKS

Officer O'Neil proved to a very interesting speaker today when he spoke on the Illinois State Traffic Rules. Students along with "some" of the teachers were allowed to ask questions.



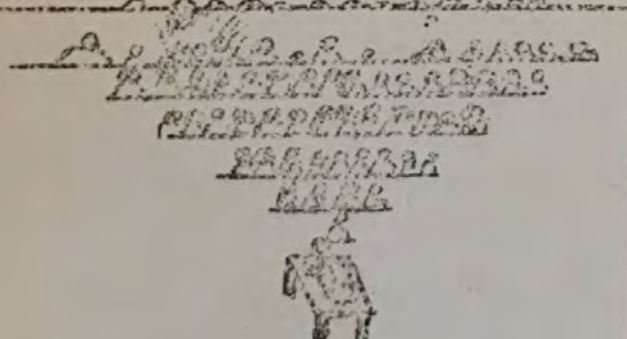
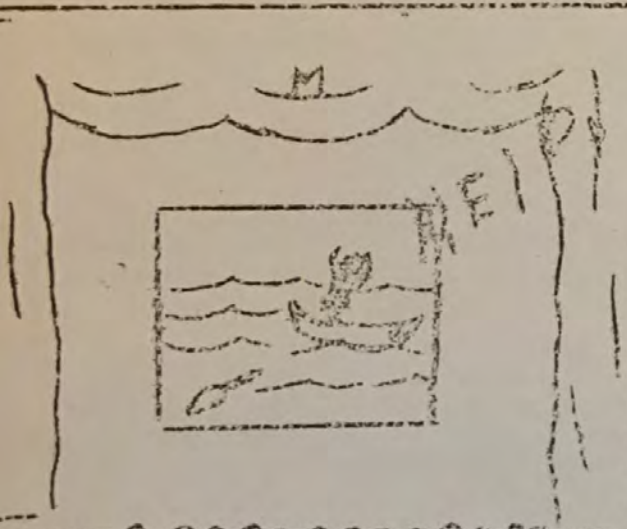
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Freshmen Adjustment

Between high school and college there is a large psychological gap. There is a similar gap between the grades and high school that the freshman must rapidly adjust himself to meet. It is the purpose of this short article to help the supposedly lowly freshman to make that adjustment more rapidly and economically.

One of the first adjustments he must make is to the increased amount of leisure. He must learn not to run wild and waste time, but learn to use his leisure time to his best advantage. He will find the temptation is much greater to "have a good time" than ever before, but everything has its place and he should soon learn where that place is and fill it.

Another adjustment he must make is to the necessity for a certain amount of studying. There is ample time at school to study, although it is no crime to take a book home. He must learn that if he is failing in a certain subject, he is always free to seek assistance from his teacher. By this method he has a chance to correct his weaknesses. Try it. Your teacher is anxious to know your failings. However, if possible, you freshmen must work independently and depend more and more on yourselves.

A further adjustment he must

make is to the importance of choosing a life's work. He must learn early in high school and work toward that goal. He may get mature advice, and he should make considerable deliberation and thought before deciding.

The freshmen should also look up to their upper classmen for guidance. The upper classmen must make it their duty to help them, instead of hindering them and making them the point of so many foolish jokes. The first day a freshman spends in high school may influence his whole career, sadly or beneficially, as you make it.

You freshmen are growing up. Much more is expected of you now than ever before. What you do here in high school will influence your later life to a marked degree, so make the most of it, and good luck to you.

---John R. Bennett

THANKS TO GIRLS AND MOTHERS

We wish to thank all Hi-Tri girls and Hi-Tri mothers for their help during the convention. It was your cooperation that made our convention a success.

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SIGNING OFF!

By N.S. MacIntosh
(from American Cookery)

How do you sign off? That is how do you end your letters? Of course, if they are strictly business letters they have to conform, more or less, to business usage. Even at that, they can be made to fit the letter. But almost everybody signs a letter in any one of a half-dozen ways and we all accept it and let it go at that. So when a really novel or original ending comes our way, or when the "Signing off" really fits the body of the letter, we pause in astonishment and are bound to sit up and take notice.

I once worked for a man--was, in fact, his secretary--whom every one in the office considered a very hard person to please. He seemed to be laboring under a perpetual grouch, for he scarcely spoke, and when he did have anything to say, made it just as short as he possibly could. Yet, one day, the office came to realize that this man was only shy, and that it really was almost torture for him to try to express himself. This knowledge came to us through a letter his wife wrote him and which he brought in and handed to me. She had commissioned him to get some things for her and he felt unequal to the task, so handed the letter to me to execute. Naturally I could not help but see the way she had signed the letter. It read, "Your devoted Albertina." We all knew his wife. She was a radiant creature, quite a celebrated beauty in fact, and all of us had wondered what she had seen in this silent, taciturn man that she should have elected to marry him.

But the ending to that letter told a whole story of the man's character and from that day on the entire office force had a far better conception of the depths of character that lay beneath so stern an exterior.

A little friend of mine who bubbles over with health and good spirits, who loves the world and everything in it, confided to me that she lives in terror for fear she will some day sign a business letter "Lovingly yours," for that is the way that she signs every personal note or letter she writes. Let us hope she never does. It might cause complications too awful to contemplate.

It always has amused me considerably to read a letter just boiling over with indignation and ill-feeling, and at the end to read that "Lovingly yours" or "Your loving friend," when the entire text of the letter has breathed forth such animosity that it would have been far better to have left it unsigned except for the name of the sender. But when I receive a letter from an acquaintance, who bids fair in a very short while to turn into a real friend, and, coming to the end of the letter, read "Affectionately yours," I stop and think, "Here is something real and quite worth-while."

Once in a while some one with a high sense of humor will pen me a letter full of woes, some real and some just vagaries, but when I come to the end and read, "Your tragic Dora Mae," I feel more like laughing than being too, too sorry for the letter writer. Which is,

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after all, probably just as well, for by that time most of those troubles have usually melted away. The crowning "sign off" which always strikes me as the most incongruous, is the "Sincerely yours" when you know the writer isn't at all sincere. Sometimes it is evident all through the body of the letter and a far better ending would be "Yours insincerely." As, for instance, when I received a letter from a so-called friend telling me how she regretted having to call off a dinner engagement because of the arrival of out-of-town company, which meant a theater party for the night of the dinner and which was the only time they could spare. Believe me, there were some tall explanations when I inadvertently stopped in on my way home that evening, to deliver a message to another friend, and found the letter writer and her husband enjoying a rubber of bridge. Even my sense of humor was hard put to it accept the explanations that were in order.

I'd like to feel always that the endings to my letters fitted the text. Whatever the mood, I'd like to match it up with an appropriate ending. Perhaps it might sound like a comic valentine at times, but if it carried out the spirit of the letter, if it really brought forth an answering chuckle on the part of the recipient, what more could I ask? Perhaps here is an idea for some energetic or ambitious writer who may be able to get the idea and compile a new, 1937 version of the "Complete Letter Writer." Think how gratifying it would be to you if you were penning a red-hot letter of complaint to some erring member of your family to look in

DR. WOOD

the letter writer and find a fitting ending that would just round out your woes and make them that much more emphatic. And the letters sent by college co-eds could, I am sure, be twice as effective, and bring forth twice as big returns if signed off with witticisms and catchy sign-offs that Mary and mammy could point to with pride.

OUR TWO OPINIONS

Us two wuz boys when we fell out,
Nigh to the age uv my youngest
now:
Don't rec'lick what 'twuz about,
Some small diff'rence, I'll
allow,
Lived next neighbor twenty years,
A-hating each other, me'nd Jim,--
He having his opinyin uv me,
'Nd I havin' my opinyin uv him.

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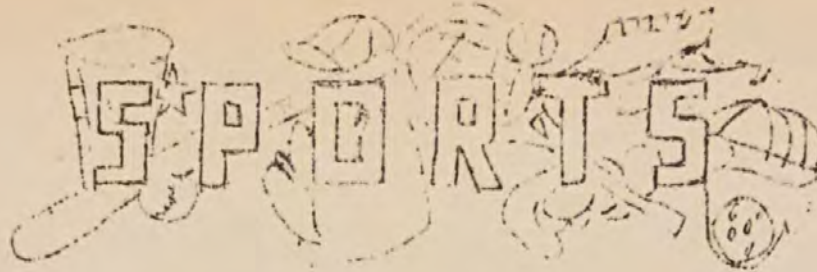
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**LOVINGTON WINS OVER MAROA
21-0**

Coach Bud Russell's high school eleven remained in the Meridian-Cenois Conference title race by downing Maroa 21 to 0. It was the second league defeat for Maroa.

Lovington scored two touchdowns in the second quarter, the first after a 31 yard run by Dinger took the ball to the five-yard line. Dinger then plunged over and added the point on a plunge.

Later in the same period, Lorenson batted down a pass over the line which was caught by Blackford who ran 40 yards to a score. In the fourth quarter, Lorenson intercepted another short pass and dashed 30 yards for a touchdown.

Lovington made seven first downs to four for Maroa.

Lovington(21)		Maroa(C)
Blackford	le	Fulliam
Griffin	lt	F. Clary
Lamb	lg	Thrift
Smith	c	Clary

Maws	pg	Larson
Robbins	rt	Cotton
Randerson	re	Johnson
Wilt	qb	Vaughn
Dinger	lh	Cox
Johnson	rh	Gregory
Lorenson	fb	Eakle

Touchdowns: Dinger, Blackford, Lorenson
Points after touchdown: Dinger, 2 Lorenson

Substitutions: Maroa--Vaughn, Rainey, Leinart, Schultz, Pollard, Caldwell, and Mashburn. Lovington--Dueey, Lercsman, Crowdson, Kincaid, Hout, and Brooks.

Referee: Schultz (Decatur); Umpire Flint (Decatur); headlinesman--Brown (Lovington).

**MAROA CONQUERS BETHANY 13-0
IN NIGHT GAME**

Once again all the ailing regulars, with the exception of Eakle, were on the field for the opening kick off under Bethany High's light. Bob Lionhart, steady guard, suffered additional injury to an already ailing leg.

The Bethany team seemed unable to solve numerous local re-

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verse and spinner plays. It was on a reverse that Bob Cor carried the ball over for the first marker after a steady march down the field in the second quarter.

Early in the fourth period, another steady advance was eliminated when Gregory went over on a short plunge. Maroa made eight first downs and Bethany made one.

Maroa (13)		Bethany (0)
	Pos.	
Pulliam	le	Dickson
Cotton	lt	Scroggins
Lienhart	lg	McLaughlin
L. Clary	c	Burrows
Perkins	rg	J. Goetz
F. Clary	rt	Bobbitt
Rainey	re	McConnell
D. Vaughn	ob	Davison
Gregory	lh	Shelton
Cox	rh	Green
M. Vaughn	fb	Daum

Touchdowns: Cox, Gregory
 Points after touchdowns: Gregory
 Substitutions:
 Maroa: Ventries, Thrift
 Bethany: E. Getz, F. Patient, Cribbett, Moon, Ketchum, Bone, Stradley
 Referee: Laundrus (Mattoon); Umpire--Boggs (Lovington)

**HOMECOMING TO BE CELEBRATED
 AT AN EARLY BASKETBALL
 GAME**

Since Hammond has quit football and was on our schedule for the homecoming attraction, that

date, October 29, was thought to be filled. But since schedules are made a year ahead, all the schools had this filled.

At a later date the homecoming will be announced for one of the early basketball games. Those who have season football tickets will be admitted to this game free. An interesting program will be planned for this game.

CENTIS-MERIDIAN STANDING

	Won	Lost
Stonington	4	0
Assumption	2	1
Maroa	3	2
Lovington	3	2
Illioopolis	1	1
Bethany	0	4
Blue Mound	0	5

**MAROA RESERVES BEAT
 CLINTON RESERVES 20-0**

Wednesday evening the Clinton Reserves battled the Maroa Reserves on the local field. The Maroa team showed some neat blocking and running to push over their touchdowns; two of the extra points were good, making the score 20-0. Numerous penalties pre-

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vented two other M.C.H.S. touchdowns. Caldwell scored twice, while Vaughn scored the other.

PRAYER OF A SPORTSMAN
by Berton Braley

Dear Lord, in the battle that goes
on through life

I ask but a field that is fair,
A chance that is equal with all in
the strife,

A courage to strive and to dare;
And if I should win, let it be by
the code

With my faith and my honor held
high;
And if I should lose, let me stand
by the road,

And cheer as the winners go by.

And Lord, may my shouts be ungrud-
ging and clear.

A tribute that comes from the
heart,
And let me not cherish a snarl or
a sneer

Or play any sniveling part;
Let me say, "There they ride, on
whom laurel's bestowed
Since they played the game bet-
ter than I."

Let me stand with a smile by the
side of the road,
And cheer as the winners go by.

So grant me to conquer, if conquer
I can,

By proving my worth in the fray,
But teach me to lose like a regular
man,

And not like a craven, I pray;
Let me take off my hat to the war-
riors who strode

To victory splendid and high;
Yea, teach me to stand by the side
of the road

And cheer as the winners go by.

MAROA SCORED ON PASS TO
CONQUER ASSUMPTION,
13-12

Maroa scored a touchdown in
the final minutes of play to defeat
Assumption, 13-12. A pass to Cox,
good for 40 yards, accounted for
the winning marker.

Maroa scored the first time
they had possession of the ball
in the first quarter when Brackett
swept around end for 45 yards.
In the fourth period, Gregory went
off tackle for Maroa's first
touchdown and added the point on
a plunge.

Assumption rallied to forge
ahead again on Brackett's short
plunge to make it 12-4 before the
deciding pass.

Maroa (13)		Assumption(12)
	pos.	
Pulliam	le	Puckett
Cotton	lt	Royer
Perkins	lg	Ransford
L. Clary	c	Cushing
Rainey	rg	Smets
F. Clary	rt	Rammel
Johnson	re	Cunningham
D. Vaughn	qb	C. Kelly
Gregory	lh	Swinnen
Cox	rh	Barry
N. Vaughn	fb	Brackett

Touchdowns: Brackett 2, Gregory,
Cox

Points after touchdown: Gregory
(plunge)

Substitutions: Assumption--Brown-
back, Jellon, Burrus
Maroa--Hicks, H. Van
Tries, Schultz.

Referee: Johnson (Nokomis); Um-
pire--McDonald(Decatur)

THE 1937-38 SQUAD

Basketball practice has swung
into full action. The group has
had four work outs at this writing.
There are thirty two candidates.
Out of this large group Coach Eng-
land has been able to find but
three letter men. No doubt many
important positions will be filled
by new faces.

One cheerful note in the whole
picture is that the bulk of the
squad is young, and it is from
this sophomore group that England
hopes to find one or two gems.

No one will be cut from the
squad; about sixteen boys will be

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retained on the varsity group while the remaining Freshmen and Sophomores will play a light schedule against teams of their own strength. Coach hopes to do double duty by working with this group on certain evenings after supper.

With the fine squad spirit that is in evidence, progress should follow.

BLUE AND GOLD 1937-38 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 30	Blue Mound	here
Dec. 3	Hammond	there
Dec. 4	Heyworth	here
Dec. 7	Argenta	here
Dec. 10	Warrensburg	there
Dec. 14	Trinity (Bloomington)	there
Dec. 17	Bethany	here
Dec. 18	Niantic	there
Dec. 23	Mt. Zion	there
Jan. 8	Kincaid	here
Jan. 11	Argenta	there
Jan. 14	Lovington	here
Jan. 21	Blue Mound	there
Jan. 22	Mt. Zion	here
Jan. 27		
28	Macon Co. Tourn.	
29		
Feb. 4	Lovington	there
Feb. 5	Le Roy	here
Feb. 8	Hammond	here
Feb. 11	Warrensburg	here
Feb. 19	Niantic	here

KING BASKETBALL Brings Many Privileges and Responsibilities

Basketball has gone through many changes in the past few years. Many of the old criticisms made of this fine sport are no longer true. It has come to hold a community of interest for students, alumni, and citizens of our local communities. It represents the American tone for color, action, gaming, and fair play. Yes, King Basketball is truly a beautiful thing in our educational set up. It is easy to see that the responsibility of those placed in charge of such an influential sport is no small one (players and Coach).

During the next few months we are going to play hosts to the youth of many other communities.

We are also going to be guests of many communities. In these fine contacts, let us, as a student body, profit.

Maroa Community High is proud to be hosts to the youth of these communities. It is sometimes with uneasiness of mind that we receive our guests, for we know that our hospitality may fall short of the graciousness with which we hope to be received in their schools. The American people have often been criticized for allowing the competitive spirit sometimes to over-shadow

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the sports element in our games. Yet, it is probably true that the one unusual social creed in United States is sportsmanship in athletics and games; therefore, we understand our guests when we speak with them in terms of that creed. We hope that our actions bespeak our good will. Certainly all students of Maroa High wish our many guests throughout the season a happy visit in our school. If the youth of all communities could know each other on such a fine basis, perhaps youth could build a better world.

by--

Coach F.W. England

BASKETBALL AND LIFE

The referee's whistle blows; up goes the ball. The opposing centers leap into the air and one, a little more alert, a little better endowed by nature than his adversary, tips it into the hands of a waiting teammate.

As it is in basketball--so it is in the vastly more important game of life which starts in earnest after textbooks and exams are

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finally laid aside.

Ping-Pong Tournament

At noon, recently, there has been great excitement over the ping-pong tournament. There are eight girls and twenty boys signed up. Each one is to pay a penny for entering and the champion of the girls will get an eight cent prize and the champion of the boys will get a twenty cent prize. Each team may have a choice of playing just one game or playing three games in which the champion is the winner of two. When these games are played, there must be a referee.

Following the ping-pong tournament, Coach England is planning on a loop-tennis tournament, volley-ball tournament, and others.

The girls who have entered the tournament are as follows: Thelma McIlvanna, Alberta Bunner.

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Josephine-"Who was the new girl you were with Saturday night?"

Jimmy-"She wasn't new-just my old one painted over."

Lloyd: "If you refuse me, I shall never love another."

Eleanor: "But will you make the same promise if I accept?"

Elva: "Give me some money, daddy, will you?"

Elva's Father: "You're married, dear. Why don't you ask your husband?"

Elva: "Because I've got to have the money."

Miss Johnson: "I'm sorry, but these \$5 curtains are not suitable."

Clerk: "May I ask what you wanted them for, Madam?"

Miss Johnson: "For about \$3."

Mr. Swan: "Can you tell me if fish can travel long distances?"

Frankie C.: "Well, ours go 'round the globe every day."

Mother: "Harold, did you take your castor oil?"

Harold H.: "Yes, I did, Mother, but I couldn't find a spoon so I used a fork."

Miss Zelle: "The answer to the last problem is 'X equals zero!'"

James S.: "Gee! And to think I did all that work for nothing!"

Dorothy B: "How long did it take you to learn to fly a plané?"

Swede: "Oh, three or four."

Dorothy: "Months?"

Swede: "No, planes!"

Eleanor: "I dreamed last night that I was married to a millionaire."

Florence: "You're lucky. I dream that in the daytime."

J. W.: "Great heavens! the idea of your paying a hundred dollars for a diamond ring!"

Elva: "But think how much it will save you in gloves."

Anna Lou: "Is your new car very fast?"

Josephine: "Yes. It's just about three months ahead of my income already!"

Mother: "Harry, do you know what became of the piece of cake on the tray?"

Harry V.: "Yes, I gave it to a little boy who was hungry."

Mother: "That was good of you. Who was the boy?"

Harry: "He."

Mr. Swan: "Tell me the principal use of cow hide."

La Verne: "Well, I guess it's to hold the cow together."

Butcher: "What can I do for you, Madam?"

Eva: "I'd like to try some of that track meet I heard so much about this spring."

Jim: "I see where the women have finally given in."

Sam: "What do you mean?"

Jim: "See that sign? It says Ladies' Ready to Wear Clothes."

Neal: "Hey, there, young man, you can't swim here; this is a private lake."

Roy D: "I ain't swimmin, Mister; I'm drownin'."

Lois: "The bank has returned my check."

Eva: "Oh, isn't that wonderful? What shall we buy with it this time?"

Bob H.: "What's the difference between learning to play golf and driving a car?"

Roy D.: "In learning to play golf, you don't hit anything."

Miss Flugum: "How would you punctuate this sentence: 'The wind blew a ten-dollar bill around the corner?'"

Paul M.: "I would make a dash after the bill."

Clifford Mee in the hospital awoke after a very serious operation, and found the blinds of his room drawn. "Why are those blinds down, doctor?", he asked. "Well," said the surgeon, "there's a fire burning across the alley, and I didn't want you to wake up and think the operation had been a failure."

Mary C.-"Mother, will you please wash my face?"

Mother-"Why can't you?"

Mary-"I would have to get my hands wet and they don't need washin'."

Air Pilot-"Have you ever heard the remark, 'See Naples and die?'"

Anna Lou-"Yes."

Air Pilot-"Well, we are now over Naples and the engine has stopped."

Myrna M.-"What goes 999 klunk, 999 klunk, 999 klunk?"

La Verne C.-"Well, search me. What?"

Myrna-"A centipede with a wooden leg."

Mr. Keyes (in history class)-"Ken-

noth, who was it that followed King Edward VI of England?"

Kenneth R.-"Queen Mary."

Mr. Keyes-"And following Mary?"

Kenneth-"Her little lamb."

Jo. Lanter-"George Washington threw a silver dollar across the Poppo-Mannock while standing right on this spot."

Allene Jones-"I can easily believe that. They showed me where he pitched his camp across the Delaware when the British were after him, and it was a lot wider than this."

Ralph M.-"Jim is very systematic, isn't he?"

Sam P.-"Yes, very! He works on the theory that you can find whatever you want when you don't want it by looking where it wouldn't be if you did want it."

Doc.-"But how could skin trouble give you a broken arm?!"

Alberta C.-"It was a banana skin."

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"He was very lazy, Mr. Perkins," said old Mrs. Jones. "I must say my first husband was a very lazy man."

"How lazy was he?" I asked.

"Well, he was so lazy, Eli, Mr. Jones was so lazy that he wouldn't shovel a path to the front gate."

"How did he get the path broken out?" I asked.

"Oh, he used to lie on the lounge and pinch the baby's ear with the nippers until the neighbors came rushing in to tread down the snow."

Mary-"We are going to give the bride a shower."

L. Cotton-"Count me in. I'll bring the soap."

Lois J.-"I think I have a cold or something in my head."

Paul G.-"Must be a cold."

Lloyd C.-"Have you seen these new lie detecting machines?"

Floyd C.-"Yes, I've seen them because I am going with one."

Visitor-"Your little son has his mother's eyes."

Mother-"Yes, and his father's mouth."

Little Son-"Yes, and his big brother's trousers."

"You have a black eye; your nose is bloody; your clothes are torn. How many times have I told you not to play with that bad Eakle boy?" said Mrs. Mashburn.

"Say, Ma, do I look as though

we had been playin?" asked Ralph.

Dobby Nick Hoffman (on the way home from school): "Oh, look at that duck out there in the field."
Mary Vorce: "Where?"
Dobby Nick--(pointing)--"Out there!"
Mary V.--"Silly, that's only a chicken hawk."

Miss Grabb-"The poets of today do at least put plenty of fire into their verse."

Bob P.--"The trouble with some of them is that they don't put enough of their verse into the fire."

Mr. Dial--"Well, son, how are your marks this six weeks?"

Eugene D.--"They're under water!"

Mr. Dial--"What do you mean under water?"

Eugene--"Below 'C' level."

Bob F.-"What is the extreme penalty for bigamy?"

Jack F.-"Two mothers-in-law."

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AUDREY

Dear Agatha,

Has this ever been a busy six weeks with the Halloween party, the Hi-Tri Convention, and the junior play! The Convention was certainly a lot of work but it was well worth it. I have hardly had time to even think of you or listen for any gossip to tell you but maybe I can get by with what little I know. One of our prettiest junior girls said she wished that we could have boys to wait tables for us and then maybe they could dance afterwards. I imagine you know who I mean, don't you?

Our B. and G. art editor has quite a crush on the senior president. They are doing a good job of warming the Christian Church steps. Velma M. likes her boy friends from out of the state. Far away at that too. The latest one is from Texas. The freshman skating party created some talk and gave our freshies a good start. Wanda Reed invited Keith Brett, and Mary Vorce and Paul Carter were seen together. A couple of juniors seem to have their eyes on some grade school boys. Helen, I wonder if you and Naomi know anything about this? You had better come back to our own school. Josephine and Alberta are having a pretty good time together. Maybe Paul Davis is the connecting link, although Cotton seems to have him. Aileen P. is awfully proud of the picture she is carrying around of a kid from Jacksonville. Harriet's boy friend flew the coop and has gone to Minnesota, so she is trying to catch Ralph M. Alberta Banner and Margaret Brown seem to like the district over near Kinney. If they hadn't been so interested in other things, they might have seen

the people who took our typewriters. We thought sure Florence had John Roy captured but after hearing about the girl from Heyworth we kinda have our doubts. I guess Viva played a good joke on him in Clinton the other nite. Just ask him bout that. I don't know what to say about Jimmy and Jo. I don't believe she knows that leap year is over and she can't find anyone to take her ring. But he really seems to have a crush on her. The other nite he informed our editor to take good care of her and not let any Clinton fellow get her. It seems that Louise rated rather high, at least she was seen riding around in his car Saturday evening. From what I hear Paul, Bob, John, and Bill won't need to worry about appropriate Christmas gifts because the girls have purchased a book on ideal Christmas presents for the boy friend. Myrna's boy friend failed to show up for Marge C. party so I guess she had to go by herself. She says that he had a pretty good reason tho'. Roy M. went in for the big stuff when M. C. invited him to her party as her partner. I wonder if Art had another fit. Ashford is waiting for her ship to come sailing in Thanksgiving, and it appears the ship's name is Bill M. Nina Miller waits patiently each noon for Paul Miller to come to school where she welcomes him with a nice big smile. In assembly the other day I saw Bob Rainey and Mary Cummins sitting together. Every time we have an assembly we see some new couples sitting together. M.C.H.S. wonders why Alberta C. has been going to Decatur so much lately. We wonder if it is really serious. And have you noticed that Vanetta C. and Helen T. are wearing wedding rings. Well Aggie, I had better close.
Love-----Audrey