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JAN. 1939

## P. T. A.

The High School P. T. A. met January 11, in the high school.

The subject of the program, "Fitting the Child for the Modern World," was discussed from the viewpoint of the home and school by Miss Sutton, Miss Eottenfield, Mrs. Lorene Smart, and Mr. Lewhirst.

The following musical selections were given:

Piano solo-Rosalie Leach  
Vocal solo-Dernadine Owens  
Guitar solo-Harold Leach

Mr. Keyes demonstrated the new movie projector.

At the February meeting, Founder's Day will be observed.

## FARMERS' INSTITUTE

The Home Economics and Agriculture departments are preparing exhibits for the Macon County Farmers' Institute to be held in the Masonic Temple in Decatur, February 1 to 13.

There are a great many divisions in which exhibits may be made, so that a large number of people can participate.

## ON THE AIR

From 2:45 to 3:00 P. M. Friday, January 27, the Home Economics and agriculture departments will be on the air.

This broadcast is to tell of the work done in our school by those departments.

## D. A. R. REPRESENTATIVE

The Senior class and the teachers have chosen Ruth Leach to represent M. C. H. S. in the D. A. R.

Good luck, Ruth!

## VISITOR FROM HAWAII

Raymond Curry, who has been with the navy at their station in Hawaii for the last two years, talked to the American History Class on January 24, concerning the work of the navy in that section.

## PING PONG TABLE BROKEN

One of the ping pong tables was damaged a few days ago when several people were sitting on it.

Let's be careful that a similar event does not occur.

## THE RATS ARE FINE!

The science department now has four white rats, that are gaining steadily under the care of Glenn Summers. He is planning some feeding experiments now, in order to determine the best diet.

## WELCOME

Bert Norris, a sophomore, who formerly attended Warrensburg High School, is now attending our school.

Good luck, Bert. We hope you like us!

## JUNIORS SELECT RINGS

After a very lengthy discussion, the Junior Class selected their rings. They are from the Herff-Jones Company, according to their contract with that firm.

## LATIN NOTES

The Latin classes are going to take advantage of the new reference books for that department by reading a minimum of 25 pages a week. One report will be given by each student during the semester.

This reading will furnish a background for the work they are doing in class.

## CLOTHING NOTES

The girls in the clothing classes have just started a new project. They are making print dresses. Special emphasis is being placed on color harmony, which they have studied recently.

## EXTRA POINTS

The girls in the Freshman Home Room received extra points for excellent cooperation during the first semester. Miss Pottenfield is their advisor.

## SCHOOL LUNCH

Last Wednesday, January 25, the girls in the foods class began serving lunch to the students who wished to take advantage of this new facility. We hope this enterprise will prove very successful.

## BEGIN CLASSIC

The Freshman English students are now studying "The Three Narrative Poems."

## END OF SEMESTER

January 18 and 19 were crucial days for M. C. E. S. 'ers. You have already guessed that they were the semester examination days. Friday afternoon there was an assembly and the report cards were distributed. The point cards were not given out until Monday. The honor roll for the semester is as follows:

## SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

### FIRST HONOR ROLL      SECOND HONOR ROLL

#### SENIORS

Helen Atkins	Dorothy Bowdon
Orpha Bivens	
Helene Cavendor	
Ruth Leach	
Nigel Osborn	
Evelyn Reynolds	
Virginia Shaw	
Nelson Smith	
Mary Wilkey	
Betty Breighner	

#### JUNIORS

Eugene Andes	Robert Rainey
Donald Adkins	Billy Schultz
Evelyn Bricker	
Virginia Johnson	
Mae Jordan	
Betty Lienhart	
Elizabeth Montgomery	
George Owens	
Ruth Sutton	
Vaneta Weikle	

#### SOPHOMORES

Rolla M. Crouch	Roy Foulke
Edwin Daggett	Ruberta Grady
Leland Montgomery	Nina Miller

#### FRESHMEN

Shirley Karr	
Tirrell Stoutenborough	
Norma Westerman	Phyllis Thomas
Warren Hastings	Frank Hockaday
	Laura Lane
	Kathleen Nelson
	Robert Reed

## DISTRICT MEETING

Wednesday evening, January 25, the teachers of all the schools in the Maroa High School district met for an educational discussion.

The speaker was Mr. Loren R. Lewis, principal of the Maroa Grade School.

## F. F. A. FATHER-SON BANQUET

The F. F. A. Father-Son banquet will be held in the high school gymnasium Feb. 22nd.

## G. A. A.

On January 6 the officers of G.A. A. were elected. They are as follows:

President: B. J. Reiter  
Vice President: D. Bowden  
Secretary & Treasurer: Orpha B.

The teams have been organized and the captains elected. The Freshmen elected as their captain Tirrell Stoutenborough; the sophomores, Anna Mashburn; the juniors, Evelyn Bricker; and the seniors, Dorothy Bowden.

They are practicing now for a tournament.

## HI-Y

The Hi-Y meetings have continued regularly with the recreational periods on Monday evening. Last Monday evening they divided into two groups, and the Maroa boys played the boys from Forsythe in basketball.

## MOVIES

The movies presented at the high school for the past period were: January 4, "Big Timber", an educational picture; "Old Hickum Bucket", a comedy; January 18, "The Flying Cub", educational.

## Hi-Tri

Hi-Tri meetings have been very regular. The girls have failed to meet only once, and that was during the week of final exams.

Last Tuesday the discussion was the most interesting yet, the topic being "Success". This, at least, was discussed more thoroughly than any other has been this year. Several questions were handed out among the girls to be answered by them. The one that created the most discussion was "Is there ever danger in success?" This argument was so interesting that several of the girls wanted to continue it--even after the bell rang for dismissal.

## Student Ill

Verna Himes is in the Decatur and Macon County Hospital, improving after an emergency appendicitis operation.

## Agriculture Department

The agriculture department will enter an exhibit at the Macon County Farmers' Institute to be held at the Masonic Temple in Decatur, Feb. 1, 2, and 3. The nature of the exhibit is not yet definitely known. The first prize winner will be awarded a \$15 cup. Second, third and fourth place winners will be awarded \$5 in cash.

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The annual grain and poultry judging contest for Section eleven will be held at Assumption on Feb. 18. Maroa will enter a four man team in poultry judging and a four man team in grain judging.

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Charles McGuire and Robert Rainey represented the Maroa high school agriculture department in a radio broadcast over station W.J.B.L. on the afternoon of Friday, Jan. 27th.

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Mr. W. H. Tammens, representing the Portland Cement Association, gave a lecture and demonstration for the benefit of the agriculture students of the high school on Wednesday, Jan. 25th.

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The soil conservation service is conducting a series of illustrated lectures and demonstrations especially for the benefit of Maroa high school agriculture students. The first of these lectures was presented Monday, Jan. 23rd. during the first and second periods. The next will be presented Monday, Feb. 6th, at the same time. Various highly trained experts are offering their services and the boys will undoubtedly gain valuable information regarding the soil conservation program. Anyone is invited to attend.

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### Radio Club

The election of officers was held January 13, and the following were chosen:

Raymond Pulliam--President  
James Streight---Vice President +  
Nelson Smith-----Secretary  
Ralph Mashburn---Treasurer  
John Crocker-----Seargent at Arms

They have been working on anything in connection with electricity, but in particular radios. They meet Friday 8th hour for their business meeting, and Thursday night for their recreation. Mr. Keyes is the advisor.

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### Glee Club

The Glee Club is to start on the music for the county chorus, which will be March 29, 1939, at M.C.H.S. in conjunction with a one act play contest.

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### Orchestra

Our orchestra, made up of a group of fine instruments, will be enlarged soon when twelve beginners join it.

Under the direction of Mr. H. C. Hess, the orchestra will make a few appearances during the second semesters.

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## UNSELFISHNESS

Unselfishness--we say it is a grand ideal--but how many of us live up to it? Most of us like to have whatever is coming to us--and, of course, more if possible. How often do we actually think of the other fellow? How often do we think of the Golden Rule which tells us to "do unto others as ye would that they do unto you"?

Let's look at that Golden Rule to see exactly what it means. Shall you give away all your possessions to someone else because someone else would like it? In playing a match should you deliberately lose because the other chaps enjoy winning? Should you deny yourself a theater ticket because several million people are on the verge of starving to death? At a dance should you conscientiously dance with all the wall flowers and no one else?

Of course the Golden Rule doesn't mean this. It simply means being fair, thoughtful and considerate of the other fellow and his opinions.

This Golden Rule becomes especially important when we think of ourselves in relation to the group living, working, playing together. If every person grabbed as much as he could for himself, no group could hold together. And isn't it necessary always to think of ourselves in relation to others? Do we ever do anything that does not affect others? Are we ever completely alone in this world?

Let's try out the Golden Rule idea. It's hard to live up to but it really works!! --Miss Sutton

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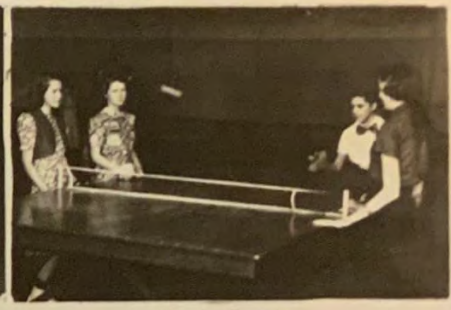
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# SOCIETY

## Standard Bearer Meeting

The January meeting of the Standard Bearer was held in the home of Ruth Sutton. The eight members present continued their discussion of India, in particular the conditions of marriages. Games were played and refreshments were served.

## Faculty Party

The Faculty was entertained at Mrs. Kempshalls on Thursday, January 12th, by Miss Sutton and Miss Bottenfield. The group played a title guessing game. Sandwiches and salad were served. All were present but Mrs. Keyes and Mr. and Mrs. Nicol.

## Sledding

Several groups of M. C. H. S. students have been enjoying sled rides the past two weeks. Reports were that the sledding was fine, but oh those spills and bruises! More fun!

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a driver's license law)

This new law will go into effect in Illinois on May 1, 1939. Drivers license for high school students of 15 to 18 years will be 25¢ and licenses for the adults will be 50¢.

Before May 1, the licenses are issued upon application, without examination; after May 1 every new driver must take an examination.

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# Who

"Pose or else". Those are the words so often heard from our "Smitty". No not "Red" but "Red's" son, you know the one that spends so much time in Miss Sutton's room. Is it that he likes English so well?

Nelson, Jr. is one of the Senior classes' leading members. He spends most of his time taking pictures. How he gets them without our knowing it is still a mystery to me. In addition to being a photographer and a pressman for the Blue and Gold, he is always our chief stage manager. If he isn't doing something for the high school he is doing it for some one else.

He has been active in both Hi-Y and Radio Club for all four years. He never shirked his duty as football manager this fall and is now right on the job as our basket-ball manager.

Besides all this extra work, he never lets his school work go. If you should ever see his report card, you would find it covered with A's.

Just keep up the good work, Smitty", you'll get by!

just Ralph Mashburn. Ralph is just like a lot more of the seniors. He has stuck to that one "Gang" pretty close. In just the last few years they seem to have broken it up and gotten around a little more. At least Ralph has done his part. He started out for football his sophomore year, liked it, so he stayed and he has been playing ever since. He waited to go out for basket ball until his junior year. He has also been active in track, in the mile run and the high hurdles.

Besides being an athlete, he belongs to Hi-Y and the Radio Club. He holds the office of treasurer in the latter.

For the last two years he has been a co-partner with Sam in running the press room. He has done a good job, too, in cutting stencils for programs and basket ball handbills. And can he make covers for the Blue and Gold???

Ralph makes a good school citizen not only from the standpoint of activities but also from the standpoint of scholarship. We will certainly miss him next year.

You've started on the right foot, Ralph. Just keep it up!

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Have you ever heard of "Zeke", "Pop", "Edards", "Lum", or "Abner". Sometime he might have been called



# LITERARY



## THE PENALTY OF LEADERSHIP

In every field of human endeavor he that is first must perpetually live in the white light of publicity. Whether the leadership be invested in a man or in a manufactured product, emulation and envy are ever at work. In art in literature, in music, and in industry, the reward is widespread recognition. The punishment, fierce denial and detraction. When a man's work becomes a standard for the whole world it also becomes a target for the shafts of envious few; if his work be merely mediocre he will be left severely alone; if he achieves a masterpiece, it will set a million tongues wagging, jealousy does not protrude its forked tongue at the artist who produces a commonplace painting. Whatsoever you write, or paint, or sing, or build, or play, no one will strive to surpass or to slander you unless your work be stamped with the seal of genius. Long, long after a great work or a good work has been done those who will destroy or injure continue to cry out that it can not be done. Spiteful little voices in the domain of art were raised against a montebank.

Long, long after the big world had acquired him, its greatest artistic genius, multitudes flocked to Bayreuth, to worship at the musical shrine of Wagner. The little group whom he had dethroned and displaced argued angrily that he was no musician at all. The little world continued to protest that Fulton could never build a steam-boat, but the big world flocked to the river to see

his boat steam by. The leader is assailed because he is a leader and to equal him is merely added proof of that leadership. Failing to equal or to excel, the follower seeks to depreciate and destroy--but only confirms once more the superiority of that which he strives to supplant. There is nothing new in this. It is as old as the world and as old as the human passions--envy, fear, greed, ambition. The leader, master-poet, master-painter, master-workman, each in his turn is assailed and each holds his laurels through the ages. That which is good or great makes itself known, no matter how loud the denial. That which deserves to live, lives.

'37 Illio--Swan

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## SERVICE

Miss Anne Morgan's secretary was on her way home from a vacation and between trains in Chicago dashed off a postcard to her sister. "I hope I make this train," she concluded hurriedly, and handed the card to a Red cap, asking him to mail it. When her sister got the card it bore a neat penciled postscript: "She made it. Respectively yours, Red Cap."

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## IN TOUCH

A hard-pressed bachelor was called out of town for about ten days, and to make sure no important personal matters got out of

hand, he gave the switchboard operator in his apartment house, a willing if not a very clever girl, ten penny postal cards addressed to himself. "Just write down any messages and mail one every night," he told her. What happened was that every morning of his out-of-town stay one blank postal card arrived. "What's the idea?" he asked her on his return. "There weren't any messages," she said.

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A man may sometimes put his faith in a bottle of hair restorer and squanders his money on lottery tickets and race-horses; but no man ever bought a car on a big block of "blue sky" because the salesman had good shoulders and told him he had beautiful eyes!

A woman may lose her faith in the angels but she will never lose her faith in her own charms. She may doubt the promises of a handsome, young "promoter" with a tender manner and a persuasive selling talk.

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#### WINTER COMES

By Edgar A. Guest

Last night the snow came into town  
And robed the spruce in a silver  
gown.

And some of the cuttings in the  
rush

Fell and were caught on a berry  
bush.

And the sun came up and with great  
delight

Cast shadows black on a field of  
white;

As if not often a year it gets  
A chance to fashion such silhou-  
ettes.

The children ran to the panes to  
see

The beautiful scenes and danced  
with glee,

But the old folks shivered again  
and told  
How long seems Winter when you  
are old.

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#### TRIUMVIRATE

There once was a Nordic Dictator,  
Who tried to embrace the equator,  
But England said, 'Please,  
Be gentle, don't squeeze;  
Let's pretend you're a Pacifi-  
cator.'

There once was a Latin Dictator,  
Who liked to be called Imperator;  
He insisted Utopia  
Spelled Ethiopia,  
But the Brenner has proved his  
deflator.

There once was a Slavic Dictator,  
Who couldn't tell Comrade from  
Traitor;  
He invented the Stunt  
Of the United Front,  
And his purge has rubbed out the  
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## ALUMNI & EXCHANGE

Miss Pauline Larson went to Frankfurt, Indiana where she is visiting Mr. & Mrs. Jack Gee and son.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Elwood Albert of Oreana, a son, January 15, in the Decatur and Macon County Hospital. Mrs. Albert is the former Dorothy Wikoff.

Lily Ward, who underwent a minor operation in the Decatur and Macon County Hospital, Monday, January 16, is getting along as well as can be expected.

Miss Maxine Stuller returned home January 17, after spending several days in Peoria.

Mr. & Mrs. Floyd Reeves of St. Charles, Missouri left the 9th of this month for Florida. They expect to be gone about two months.

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Stoutenborough and son returned home last Saturday from a trip through the south.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Louis Graupman December 24, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, a son.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Howard Wolfe, December 24, in the Decatur and Macon County Hospital, a son. This is the third child. Mr. Wolfe was coach at M.C.H.S. for several years.

Marcella Higdon Howard, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. L. C. Higdon of Decatur and Paul Brooks of Decatur went to St. Louis about 6 o'clock New Year's Eve and were married. Mrs. Brooks is a M.C.H.S. graduate.

Miss Dorothy Pearl, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Howard Pearl of Clinton, became the bride of Leonard Braden, son of Mr. & Mrs. Art Braden, Wednesday, December 28. The ceremony was performed in St. John's rectory in Clinton with Rev. R. F. Timons reading the service.

James B. Waller son of Mr. & Mrs. George Waller is in partnership with Dr. D. D. Smith in Decatur. Mr. Waller graduated from M.C.H.S. in '31, was a student at the U. of I. for two years and four years at the U. of I. medical school in Chicago.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Thrift of Argenta, Illinois, announced the marriage of their daughter Audrey to Ross B. Wikoff, son of Mr. & Mrs. Velma Wikoff in the home of the bride's parents, December 24, 1938 at 8 P.M. Rev. C. Garriot, assistant pastor of Central church of Christ, Decatur, performed the single ring ceremony in the presence of immediate relatives.

## PUPIL'S PANTAGRAPH

Kenney, Illinois

At the assembly program which was held Friday Jan. 6 at 3:00 P. M. officer O'Neil of the State Police made a talk on safe driving. He said that there has been a 20 to 25% reduction in accidents in Ill. during the past year, but that the State Department of Highways is anxious to reduce accidents still further.

The new driver's license law is purely a safety measure. (Only four states, Wyoming, South Dakota, Louisiana, and Florida do not have

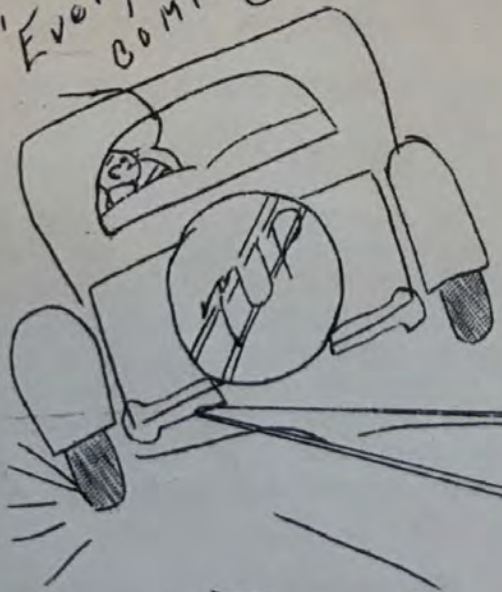
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*Happy Face by Peter*

Maroa wins Indian County Tourney!!  
Yea Maroa!!!

"Everybody's coming!"

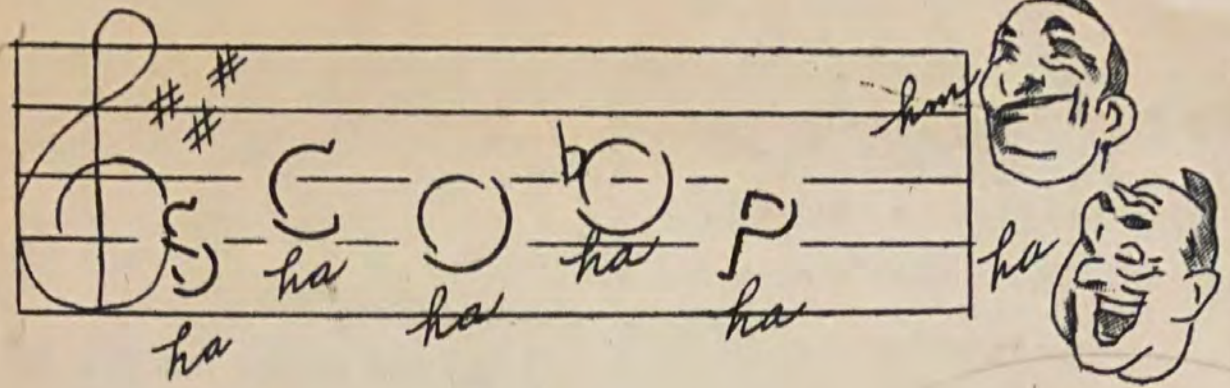


Hey!! Hold-'er-Nowt!!  
 Oo-oo-oo-oo!  
 Fe-ee-eeek



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 Nellie

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Froda B.--"I admire that pianist's finish, don't you?"  
 Laura L.--"Yes, but I always dread his beginning."

Mr. England.--"I'm troubled with a noise in my ears all the time."  
 Mr. Keyes--"Have any idea as to the cause?"  
 Mr. England--"Yes, my wife wants a new auto."

Mary W.--"What would you do if you had a man chasing you?"  
 Nigel O.--"I'd stand still."

"Did any members of your family ever make a brilliant marriage?"  
 "Yes, my wife did."

Bonnie Jean--"I've got a compliment for you."  
 Charles L.--"What is it?"  
 Bonnie Jean--"I heard some say the other day that you had a-cute indigestion."

Doctor--"My dear sir, it's a good thing you came to me when you did."  
 Patient--"Why, doc, were you broke?"

Fizz V.--"My heart is aflame with love for you."  
 Betty L.--"Never mind, father will put you out."

Gene A.--"I shall never marry until I find a girl who is my direct opposite."  
 Art H.--"Well, Gene, there are plenty of intelligent girls around here."

A man is always looking for home comforts in a hotel, and hotel service around the house.

Frank C.--"There is one city which has not the problem of the reckless auto driver."  
 Don C.--"What city is that?"  
 Frank C.--"Venice"

Mulvey V.--"I love you."  
 Helen A.--"My goodness, what old fashioned book have you been reading now?"

Motorist--"Some of you pedestrians walk along as if you owned the street."  
 Pedestrian--"Yes, and some of you motorists drive along as if you owned the car."

Dr.--"Ever have any trouble with dyspepsia?"  
 Jack H.--"Only when I try to spell it."

Waiter--"What do you wish, madam?"

Helen A.--"I wish some chicken salad, turkey, fruit cake, ice cream and hot chocolate.

Waiter--"And what do you wish, sir?"

Mulroy--"I wish I hadn't come."

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Bob Rainey--"Why does that dog hang around looking up at me?"

Barber--"Well, sometimes I clip off a small piece of a customer's ear."

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Mr. Swan--"My hair is falling out and I can't seem to stop it."

Mr. England--"Keep up the fight. Either you or the hair will come out on top."

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Orpha B.--"Mother, you said that baby had your eyes and Daddy's nose, didn't you?"

Mrs. Bivens--"Yes, Orpha."

Orpha--"Well, you'd better keep your eyes on him; he's got Grandpa's teeth now."

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Pete H.--"When I hear her sing I just clap my hands."

Phiz--"So do I--over my ears."

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Miss Sutton--"What right have you to kick about the assignments?"

Pete Thrift--"Why, that's my business. I guess I'm the foot of the class."

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As she stifled a yawn, she said sweetly, "Is your watch going?"

"Yes."

"How soon?"

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### LOVE IN A GARDEN

Do you carrot all for me?  
My heart beats for you,  
With your cherry lips,  
And peach complexion,  
Radish hair and turnip nose,  
My love is as strong as  
an onion,  
And as soft as a squash.  
If we can'taloupe,  
Lettuce marry,  
We'd make a good pear.

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Miss Bottenfield--"Now, class, what do we really see when we look in the mirror every day?"

Class--"A shiny nose, mostly."

Mr. Swan--"Dorothy, are you chewing gum?"

Dorothy B.--"No, I'm eating everlasting candy."

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6th hour study in an uproar.

Coach--"Order, please."

Phiz V.--"Ham and eggs."

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Dorothy Bowden--"I am never happy unless I am breaking into song."

Harold H.--"Well, why don't you get the right key? Then you wouldn't need to break in."

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Rainey----0-0	Epperson--0-0
Pulliam---1-1	Lowe-----1-2
McGuire---0-0	Clevenger-0-0
Thrift----0-4	Moss-----2-1
Braden----0-0	Etherson--0-0
Lentz-----0-1	Patterson-0-0
Hoffman---0-0	Hammond---0-0
<u>1-32-(33)</u>	<u>3-6-(9)</u>

Referee--Miller, LeRoy  
Score at Half--LeRoy 9  
Maroa 11  
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## MAROA BEATS HAMMOND

Maroa (27)	Hammond (24)
F G	F G
Eakle-----0-4	Foreman---0-2
M. Vaughn-0-2	Sheffler--0-0
Rainey----0-1	Hale-----2-2
Pulliam---0-0	R. Crowder-0-2
McGuire---1-2	Nickolson--1-1
Thrift----0-2	W. Crowder-1-3
Lentz-----0-2	<u>4-10</u>
<u>1-13-(27)</u>	<u>(24)</u>

Referee--Colin, Lincoln  
Score at Half--Maroa 10  
Hammond 17  
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## MAROA TAKES BETHANY

Maroa (44)	Bethany (17)
F G	F G
Eakle-----0-7	Jones-----0-2
Mashburn--0-0	Pottypool--0-0
M. Vaughn-0-3	Datient----5-2
McGuire---0-2	Bushett----0-0
Pulliam---0-3	Bell-----0-0
Rainey----0-1	Buntows----0-0
Thrift----0-3	Sholton----0-0
Hoffman---0-0	Livergood--1-0
Lentz-----0-2	Ketcham----1-1

Braden----0-1	Bone-----0-0
<u>0-22-(44)</u>	<u>7-5-</u>
	(17)

Referee--Gardner, Macon  
Score at half--Maroa 14  
Bethany 9  
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## MAROA BEATS NIAN TIC

Maroa (41)	Niantic (16)
F G	F G
Eakle-----4-8	Garriott---1-0
Mashburn--0-0	Koonce-----0-0
M. Vaughn-1-2	Goldman----4-1
Hoffman---0-0	E. Hanks----0-0
Pulliam---0-1	Braniel----2-2
Rainey----0-0	Carr-----1-0
Thrift----3-0	Loftus-----0-1
Braden----0-0	Gass-----0-0
Lentz-----1-3	Riley-----0-0
McGuire---0-2	<u>8-4-</u>
<u>9-16-(41)</u>	<u>(16)</u>

Referee--Hoover, Lovington  
Score at half--Maroa 18  
Niantic 10  
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## MAROA LOSES TO MT ZION

Maroa (26)	Mt. Zion (35)
F G	
Eakle-----2-3	Morgan----1-0
Braden----0-0	Newberry--0-6
Vaughn----0-0	Oberlink--0-1
Rainey----0-2	Redman---6-4
Pulliam---0-0	Wells-----3-0
McGuire---1-2	Thompson--0-0
Lentz-----1-1	Hogan-----1-1
Mashburn--0-0	<u>11-12-</u>
Thrift----4-1	(35)
Hoffman---0-0	

Referee--Gill  
Score at half--Mt. Zion 17  
Maroa 12  
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MAROA BOWS TO ARGENTA

Maroa (23)	Argenta (35)
F G	F G
Eakle-----5-6	Rottko----4-1
McGuire---1-0	Wright----2-3
Pulliam---0-0	Edwards---2-5
Lentz-----1-2	Nelson----0-2
Thrift----0-0	Walker----1-0
Vaughn---0-0	Brown-----0-2
Braden---0-0	Boan-----0-0
7-8-(23)	Buckly----0-0
	9-13-
	(35)

Referees--Foggette, Kincaid  
Lacy, Assumption  
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MAROA GETS WALLOPED

Maroa (17)	Kincaid (61)
F G	F G
McGuire---5-1	Foster----0-6
Eakle-----1-1	Fustin----0-9
Pulliam---0-1	Bateson---1-2
M. Vaughn-0-2	Adomitis--4-0
Lentz-----0-0	Bernard---2-4
Rainey----1-0	Fait-----0-2
Braden---0-0	Glorardin1-0
Mashburn--0-0	Rivac-----1-3
Irwin-----0-0	Szabor----0-0
7-5-(17)	Corsatto--0-0
	9-26-
	(61)

WARRENSBURG  
WINE COUNTY  
TOURNEY,  
MAROA SECOND

MACON--Warrensburg high school won its second Macon county basketball tournament in history here last Saturday night by defeating Maroa before a capacity crowd, 24-15. Argenta captured third place with a 25-20 victory over Mt. Zion.

Seeded fourth in the pre-tournament ratings, Coach J. J. Evers' Warrensburg five climaxed its drive last night with a sparkling win over Maroa, the latter also seeking its second title in the annual event. The winners employed a man-for-man defense all over the floor which speeded up the game and limited Maroa to five field goals.

WARRENSBURG LEADS

Maroa was in the running up to the end of the first quarter, but then the Cardinals took command, ran up a 12-6 halftime lead, increased it to 21-12 at the third quarter and held Maroa even in the last period.

The score was tied at 4-4 at one time in the first period, but with four boys dividing scoring honors Warrensburg forged ahead to stay on a free throw by G. Wentworth and a basket by Taylor.

Four players fouled out during the fourth quarter, Taylor and Manes for Warrensburg, McGuire and Pulliam for Maroa.

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Spitzer's early basket gave Warrensburg a 2-0 lead, but Lentz shot from the circle and a free throw by Vaughn made it 3-2 for Maroa. McGuire hit a free toss, but Taylor connected on a one hander, Wentworth dropped a free throw and Taylor's rebound, put the new champions out in front at the quarter, 7-4.

12-6 AT HALF

Wentworth rebounded for a basket and Taylor hit a free throw. McGuire fired in a pivot shot before Taylor drove under the basket to score and it was 12-6 at intermission.

The third period provided most of the scoring. Taylor's free throw and Spitzer's one hander ran the count to 15-6 before Eakle rebounded for Coach Frosty England's cagers. Manes dribbled the length of the floor to score, but a long one by Lentz cut it to 17-10. Williams hit two free tosses between Pulliam's short basket and a one hander by Manes put Warrensburg in front, 21-12, at the third stanza.

There was little scoring in the final eight minutes. Wentworth rebounded and Lentz tossed in a free throw. A free toss by Wentworth and one Pointers by Hoffman and Vaughn ended the scoring.

WARRENSBURG (25)		MAROA (15)	
	F G		F G
Manes-----	0-2	Eakle-----	0-1
Major-----	0-0	Vaughn----	2-0
Taylor-----	2-2	Thrift-----	0-0
F. W'wth----	0-0	Mashburn----	0-0
S. W'ith-----	2-3	Lentz-----	1-2
Spitzer-----	0-2	McGuire----	1-1

Williams--	2-0	Rainey---	0-0
	0-6-(24)	Pulliam--	0-1
		Hoffman--	1-0
			5-5-(15)
			(15)

Warrensburg	7 5 9 3--	24
Maroa	4 2 6 3--	15

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Swan is my teacher. I shall not pass. He leadeth me to expose my ignorance before the class. He maketh me work problems on the board for my grade's sake. Yea, though I study until midnight, I can not understand physics, for experiments and reactions sorely trouble me. He prepareth problems before me in the presence of the class. He giveth me a low grade, my work runneth under. Surely, zeros and twenty-fives will follow me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in the class of physics forever.

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YELLS

Hi, (opponent)! You here too?  
Listen while we yell for you.  
Yea, (opponent)! Yea, (opponent)!  
Welcome, welcome, welcome!

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Argenta, Mt. Zion Lose in Close  
Semi-Final Contests

Warrensburg and Maroa won their way into the finals of the 12th annual Macon county basketball tournament here last night, both annexing close decisions.

Maroa provided the first real upset of the tournament by eliminating the favored Mt. Zion quintet, 29 to 27, while Warrensburg gave dopesters a mild rebuke by stopping Argenta, 21 to 18.

Mt. Zion was ahead of Maroa at the half, 13-12, but Maroa pushed to the fore as the third period started and Mt. Zion was never able to catch up. Twice in the final quarter Mt. Zion pulled within two points but couldn't get over the hump.

Warrensburg's defense tightened down on Argenta's sharpshooters and with Manes popping four baskets, Coach J. J. Evers' quintet had things pretty much their own way.

MAROA--(29)	MT. ZION--(27)
G.F.	G.F.
Eakle, f---4-0	Morgan, f---0-0
McGuire, f-2-0	Newberry, f-5-2
Pulliam, c-4-1	Oberlink, f-0-0
Rainey, c--0-0	Redman, c---1-3
Lentz, g---1-0	Meyers, c---0-1
Vaughn, g--2-2	Wells, g----2-2
Thrift, c--0-0	Hogan, g---0-3

Totals--13-3	Totals---8-11
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Maroa-----10	2 11 6--29
Mt. Zion-----6	7 6 8--27
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Warrensburg--(21)	Argenta--(18)
G.F.	G.F.
Manes, f---4-2	Rettke, f 0-3
Taylor, f--1-0	Craig, f 2-0
G. W'orth-1-2	Wright, f 2-1
Spitzer, g-1-0	Edwards, c 1-0
E. W'orth-0-1	Nelson, g 2-0
Williams, g1-0	Walker, g 0-0
-----	Brown, g 0-0
Totals 8-5	Totals <del>7-4</del>
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Warrensburg	9 5 3 4--21
Argenta	2 6 2 8--18
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MAROA	TAKES	NIANTIC
Maroa(25)		Niantic(21)
G F		G F
Eakle 3-0		Garriott 1-1
Vaughn 1-2		Goldman 6-1
Pulliam 4-0		Bramel 0-0
McGuire 1-1		Gase 2-1
Lentz 1-0		Carr 0-0
Garren 0-0		Loftus 0-0
Mashburn 0-0		Riley 0-0
Thrift 1-0		Koone 0-0
Rainey 0-0		<u>9-3</u>
Braden 0-0		
<u>11-3</u>		

Referee---OBrein, Taylorville

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MAROA

# LITTLE AUDREY



Dear Agatha:

Hold your hat, kid, 'cause we're off again! More fun at these basketball games! The girls seem to fall pretty hard for some of these out-of-town fellows. Although I wasn't able to attend the Mt. Zion game, I heard that more students turned out for it than any other game away from home. Such good-looking boys as they do have over at Mt. Zion! My! My! Evelyn Reynolds and Pete Thrift seem to have a regular habit. That is they are seen together after most basketball games.

When Evelyn Reynolds returned to school from Christmas vacation she found a Christmas card in her locker. Can you imagine who the sender was??? No one else other than our little freshman, Calvin Correll. Barney Holliday went to see Bonnie one night but Charles beat him there. I wonder what would have happened if they had arrived at the same time. Naomi Cooper received a telephone call from Barney the other day. I wonder what J. Agee would think of that?? John Crocker and Sarah Streich are hitting it off pretty well. She seems to be Johnnies' only "flame."

Dorothy Cooper ought to really enjoy herself these days. Especially since Bert Norris has started to school here. Bert seems to be pretty popular with some of the girls at Maroa. I wonder how many notes it was that Veneta Weikle wrote him the first day he went to school here?

Semesters bring along quite a bit of "scoop." I noticed Evelyn Bricker and Keith Brett, Betty Lienhart, and "Phiz" Vaughn had a pretty good time in Keith's car during semesters. I didn't see this, but I heard Margaret Beasley and Edwin Daggett, "Tiny" Owens and "Blondie" Gardner were getting along just fine. Now let me see, my memory isn't very good, but I believe it was Thursday. You'll have to ask the kids whether it was Thursday or Wednesday. "Tiny" Owens rates pretty good from what I hear, Clifford Moe is one of the latest.

I'll bet Norma Friis' fall on the ice wasn't nearly as hard as her fall for "Bomber." Ralph, Sam and Harriett have been seen going out to Orpha's house several times. But Ralph and Orpha wandered over to the Shaw's ranch last Sunday night.

If you ever want to hear some interesting talks just cavedrop on Jimmy Lakle and Lois McCammon sometime. Nina Miller is going with an out-of-town boy; she had better watch him though because he was seen visiting some Clinton girls a week or two ago.

From what they tell me and from what I can see with mine own eyes, Neale Fornwalt has quite a crush on Mary C. Vantrics. Betty Vantrics has either returned the F. F. A. pin or lost it. I don't know which. Velma Meryman seems to think Lawrence Carron has a crush on her but I think it is the other way around. Bonnie had better stay at school for lunch so

as to keep an eye on Francis Agce and Lontz. Rosalie Perry is wearing a wrist watch that she didn't have before Christmas vacation. Where do you suppose she got it?

Several of us wondered why Mr. Swan blushed so the other day when Miss Bottenfield's name was mentioned in Physics class.

Norma Burke always goes to the door at noon to meet someone. Wonder who he is?

I wish someone would ask Harriett what Sam is her definition of.

Ruth Leach for the past week or so has had a very persistent visitor. The older they get the harder they fall. These new basketball pins have caused quite a sensation around school. They are being worn by more by more than just the basketball squad and the cheer leaders.

I am just dying to tell Charles Lontz something. I would like to advise him to keep a closer watch on Bonnie during 6th hour.

I hear a certain senior girl enjoyed her ride to Macon Friday night. I wonder what was the main attraction?

Yes, come to think of it Buzz E. from Argenta gave our cheer leader a sweet smile. He also winked. However, she was not affected as she is too much devoted to another.

Our editor seems to have chosen a man from each of two teams. And what a coincidence! Both their names were Bob!

Well, Agatha, be careful and don't fall into any snow drifts and I'll try and have another newsy letter for you real soon.

With loads of love,  
Little Audrey

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