

TROJANAIRE II

PAM. FILES

What Best reminds you of your sweetheart?

- S.B.- an "allen wrench" or a pair of skates.
- T.H.- a piece of candy, 'cause he's so sweet.
- B.B.-- a bunny rabbit--soft and cuddly.
- S.H.- BRUCE LEE and T.J. Swan.
- T.T.- Rose petals because she feels and smells soft.
- S.F.- A zoo 'cause she's a fox!!
- K.B.- A BIG teddy bear.
- S.A.- All the "GREGG" shorthand books.
- L.D.-- a kitten because she's cute and lovable.
- J.D.- his picture.
- C.C.- anything that is perfect in every way!!!
- M.L.- A little fox--- because I have one!
- A.H.- hamburgers 'cause he has nice "buns"!
- C.H.- A Panda bear 'cause their lovable!
- D.H.- Lumber and the sound of a beastly car.
- K.T.- a beast Nova and a warm purr-fect kitty!
- J.S.- a basketball and a shining star ('cause that's what he is).
- S.L.- a frog, kiss him and he might turn into a handsome prince HA! HA!

Student Council Update:

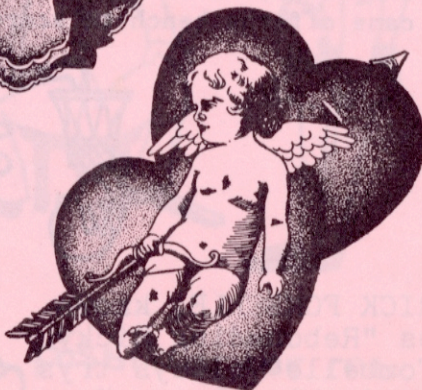
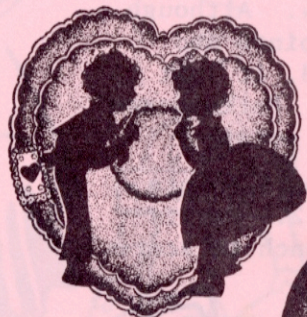
The Student Council this semester has been busy so far. They have set the date for two additional programs this spring, April 5th and May 12th. They are also working on ideas for improved student participation in school activities. If anyone has comments or ideas about the Student Council, contact one of the class officers or Dennis Burke.

Valentine's Dance

The FFA-FHA Valentine's Dance will be in the High School gym on Saturday night, Feb. 18 from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00p.m. The FHA girls will be in charge of decorating and refreshments.

The Valentine's Court consists of Seniors: Joy Scronce, Jeff Lazell, Linda Shoemaker, and Bobby Runyen. Juniors: Stacy Whitehead, and Scott Deal. Sophomores: Susie Lohmar and Jeff Crabtree. Freshmen: Debbie Gentle and Shaun Townsend.

They haven't set a definite time for Coronation yet, but it should be towards the middle of the dance. It will be a semi-formal dance. It will cost: Couples-\$3.00, Singles-\$2.00. There will be a man taking pictures of couples for \$3.75.



Science Fair '78'

Come one, Come all- to the 1978 Science Fair exhibit. Over 70 exhibits will dazzle your eyes and make your mind come alive with bewilderment! Everything from exotic shows to splendiforus explays. Come and see! Who will get the Best of Show! Maybe it will be a mind-boggling explosion that will make the deafest ears stand up and take notice! Perhaps it will be a magnificent display of showmanship involving live animals! But, for you to find out, you must go to the '78" Science Fair.

Besides exciting exhibits there will be beautiful terrariums and fantastic notebook paper for sale. Both of these exciting items were made by our own local Science Club especially for this year's Science Fair. Both of these works of art are exceptional either as gifts for friends or as a wonderful addition for your home.

So, let's hear it for the 1978 Science Fair, which was made possible by your friends in Science Club.

Basketball

The Maroa-Forsyth Trojans, after a 3rd place finish in the Macon County Tournament, went to Assumption January 3rd for a Meridian conference basketball game, Maroa went into the ballgame with 6-1 overall record and a 1-0 record in the conference.

The ballgame was close throughout. Assumption tried to press Maroa early in the game as the Trojans had had trouble breaking the press during the tournament. The press proved ineffective and the score at halftime was 31-29 in Maroa's favor.

Nevertheless, Assumption overtook us in the second half. Gary Brown led us with 23 points, eight in the third quarter. Ken Butler scored 12 points, Mark Haenny scored 10 and Mike Lockler had 8 points. Rick Fombelle proved a dominate force under the boards with his rebounding and chipped in 7 points.

Illiopolis

Maroa's first home game of the season was against Illionolis January 6th. The Trojans neede to win this game to stay alive in the confarence race. The first half was all tied up at 30-30. Lamb from Illiopolis was thought to be the big man for them but it was their outside shooting that kept them in the ballgame in the first half. The Pirates came from the lockerroom redhot and hit six buckets in six shots to open the second half. But Maroa caught up on baskets made by Rick Fombelle and Gary Brown to tie the score at 42-42.

Their gaurds were still hitting the outside shots and they pulled away to win 68-57. Gary Brown was steady for Maroa as he led the rebounding and scoring with 24 points. Rick

Fombelle was right behind with 23. Ken Butler had 8 points. Mark Haenne had just one bucket but passed for ten assists.

NIANTIC-HARRISTOWN

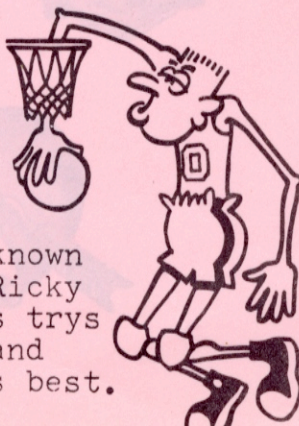
The Niantic-Harristown Indians invaded Maroa January 7th for a make-up Maridian Conference game. The game was not even close, probably uninteresting except for the play of Monti Harris. Monti had 36 points, and shot 100% from the field (16 of 16) and 100% from the free throw line (4 of 4). The Decatur Herald named him player of the week as did WAND-TV. The Trojans were featured on the news at 5:30 and 10:00. Maroa beat the Indians by a score of 85-49.

BLUE MOUND

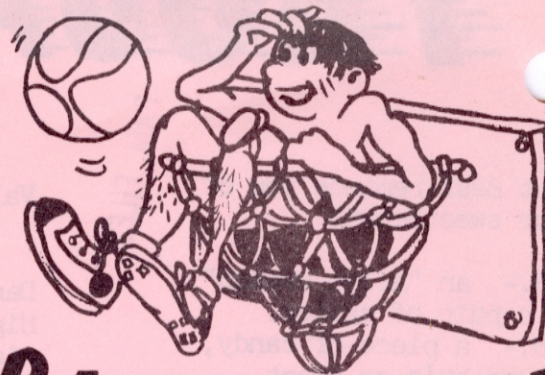
Maroa's next game was against highly-ranked Blue Mound. The game was held in Maroa and a large number of fans were on hand to watch the game. The Blue Mound boys had a balanced scoring attack but Maroa was no pushover. The halftime score was 30-27 with Blue Mound on top. Rick Fombelle led us with 21 rebounds but Blue Mound hit their freethrows and went on to win 61-44. Although Brown had 16 points and Fombelle had 13, it just wasn't enough. Butler came through with 6 points

Mike Lockler had 4 points and Haenny had 2. Harris came off the bench to score 3.

RICK FOMBELLE, known as "Rebounding Ricky Fombelle" always tries to do his best and usually does his best. Just ask Joy.



GARY BROWN, number "1" in your heart, number "32" on your program.



BASKETBALL

HARTSBURG-EMDEN

Monday, January 16th, Hartsbutg-Emden came to play a make-up game at our home court. Maroa won 72-64. Gary Brown led the team with 26 points and 7 rebounds. Rick Fombelle led the rebounding with 13 and 6 points. Barry Blundy broke open for 8 points and Butler had 14. Mike Lockler scored 11 with 4 field goals and 3 freethrows. Monti Harris chipped in 7.

MT. ZION

Saturday, the 2nd, Maroa traveled to Mt. Zion. Mt. Zion is a AA school and the taste of victory was even sweeter as the Trojans whipped the braves 68-64. The score was tied at 52-52 going into the 4th quarter. Joe "Iceman" Hulvey sank two freethrows and Lockler hit an inside shot to put the Trojans ahead to stay. Gary Brown led with 18 points and Ken Butler was right behind with 17. Lockler hit 11 points, Harris 9, and Haenny had 4. Joe Hulvey hit three freethrows in the late going for three points. Rick Fombelle was lominate as always under the boards and pulled down some valuable rabounds and scored 6 points.

Milk Drinkers Turn to Powder

He of funny headlines?
Well some of our staff
writers took these funny
headlines and wrote stories
to go with them. They'll
be appearing from time
to time in the paper.

Milk Drinkers Turn to Powder

A most extraordinary
event happened at the
Wisconsin Dairy Convention
when four of the delegates
crumbled into dust. We
asked one of the witnesses:
Fred Tubbs.

"Well, I was just stand-
ing here talking to George,
and the next moment it
was snowing. George just
disappeared. After the
shock, I got a broom and
started sweeping him up,
but a wind came along and
blew George all over the
yard. I hope it doesn't
kill the grass."

The four men that de-
materialized are George
Gay (19), Wally Wilenski
(38), Leroy Wong (43),
and Dennis Earp (81).

Scientists and medical
doctors have no logical
reason for this, but rumor
has it that it may be a
new Communist weapon.

The Wombat

The Wombat lives across the
seas,
Among the far Antipodes.
He may exist on nuts and
berries,
Or then again, on mission-
aries;
His distant habitat precludes
Conclusive knowledge of
his moods.
But I would not engage the
wombat
In any form of mortal combat.

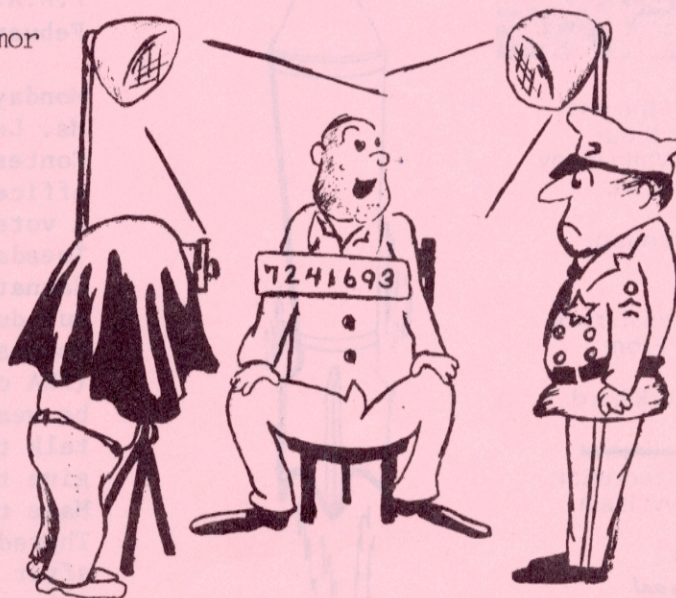
Throne of Love

I went up the throne of
love,
and the King stooped down
to me.
He put a kiss on my lifted
face
and said, "Now you can go
free!"
Oh, I have traveled the
whole world over
And I could have loved if
I would.
But never more shall a
beggar stand,
In the place where the
King has stood.

Tips on Tests

It seems that few
people like tests, but
they are necessary to tell
the teachers what their
are learning. Here are a
few tips to possibly help
you score higher on those
detested tests:

- 1) Pay attention during
class. Sleeping during
class is no help and who
knows, if you're attentive,
maybe you'll catch a few
little helps.
 - 2) Do your homework. If
you can't be bothered to
read a section, why should
a teacher tell you the
answers??!!
 - 3) Get a good night's
sleep so you'll be refreshed
and ready for the test.
 - 4) Eat a nutritional
breakfast. You can't
concentrate properly if
you're hungry.
 - 5) Don't cram at the last
minute. It's usually
ineffective because you
don't learn anything.
 - 6) Honestly studying.
- Most teachers can tell if
you've actually studied.



"Would it be possible for me
to get a dozen extra for my
friends and relatives"

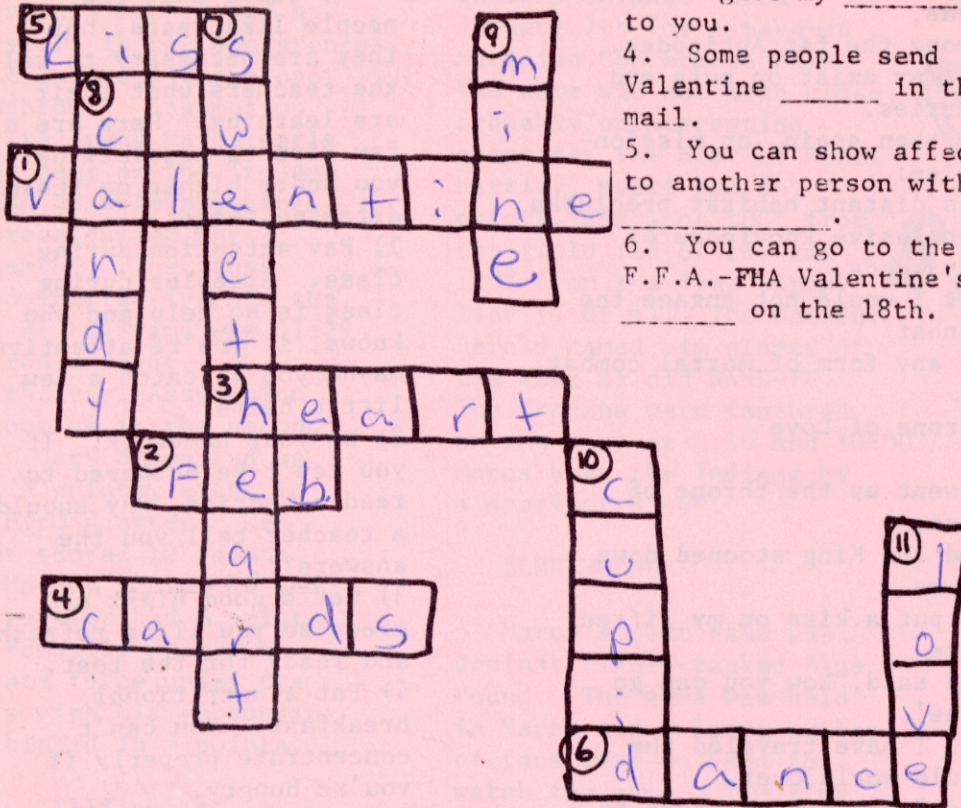
Chuck Hill Wins Science Award

Chuck Hill was named
winner of the annual Bausch
& Lomb Science Award Wed.,
Jan. 4 1978 at Maroa-
Forsyth High School. The
Science Award--a handsome
bronze medal-- is presented
each year to winners at
more than 8,600 participating
schools throughout the
United States and Canada.

This award recognized
the senior student at our
school who has attained the
highest scholastic standing
in science subjects.
Congradulations Chuck on
this great achievement.

Down

7. Your loved one.
8. _____ hearts with sayings on them.
9. Won't you be _____
10. _____ shoots little arrows.
11. I _____ you.



Mini Puzzle

Across

1. Be my _____
2. Abbreviation for the month that Valentines Day takes place during.
3. I give my _____ to you.
4. Some people send Valentine _____ in the mail.
5. You can show affection to another person with a _____.
6. You can go to the F.F.A.-FHA Valentine's _____ on the 18th.

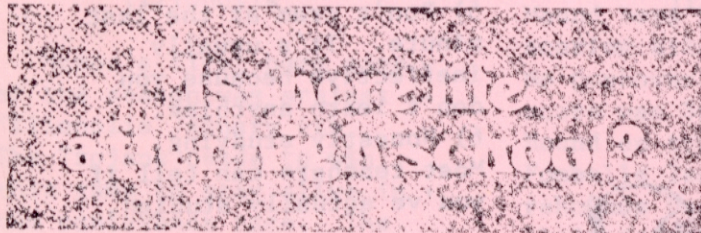
F.F.A. Week

Feb. 18-25 is National F.F.A. week, and the Maroa-Forsyth F.F.A. chapter is going to take part in the nation-wide celebration with school and local activities. Some of the school activities planned are: one day when all the members wear official dress to school, a farmer's work clothes day when everyone dresses up like farmers, a day when people drive tractors to school, and the Valentine's Dance also takes place during this week of celebration. On the local level, the chapter plans to present "Area F.F.A. Supporters" with window decals thanking them for their generosity, they will be giving F.F.A. pens and pencils away to local farmers and future F.F.A. members in the Jr. High, and as an extra, they plan to teach young children how agriculture feeds them through F.F.A.'s "Food For America Program."

With activities such as these, the M-F F.F.A. Chapter is proud to represent and promote F.F.A.

F.H.A. Week
February 13-17

- Monday- We will begin our Ms. Legs Contest. The Contestants are the FHA officers. It is a nickel a vote.
- Tuesday- Red and White Day. Carnations will be given out during homeroom.
- Wednesday- Heart Give Away (FHA only). FHA girls will be wearing hearts, if they talk to a guy they have to give their heart to them. Male teachers don't count.
- Thursday- Teacher's Tea after school. This is to salute our wonderful faculty. FHA members please bring cookies.
- Friday- Fifties Day. We would like everyone to participate.



"Congratulations," they said. "This isn't the end... it's just the beginning." They've said it a thousand times at a thousand graduations. While many young people just like you sat there thinking, "Where do I go from here?"

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