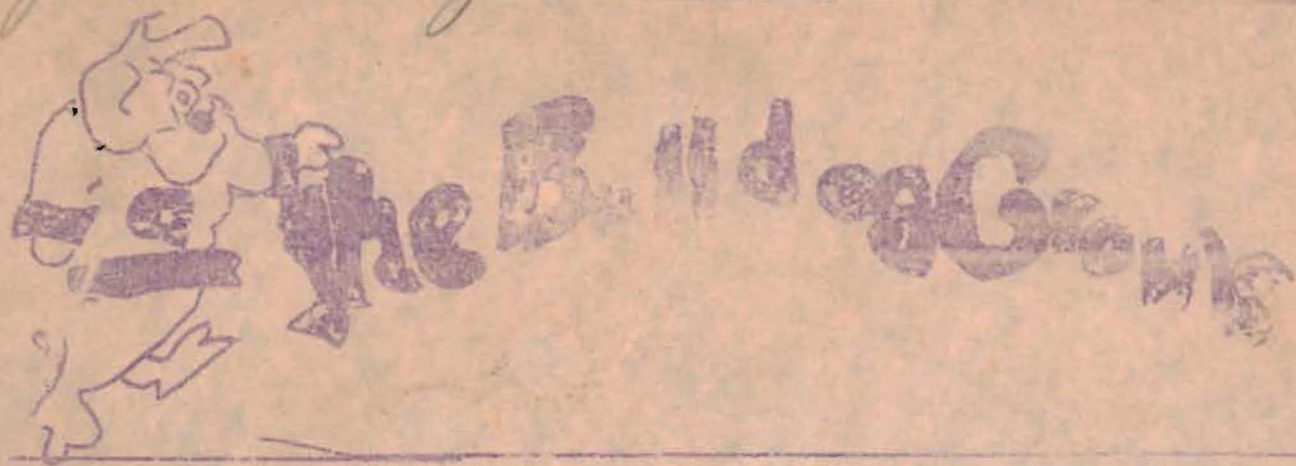


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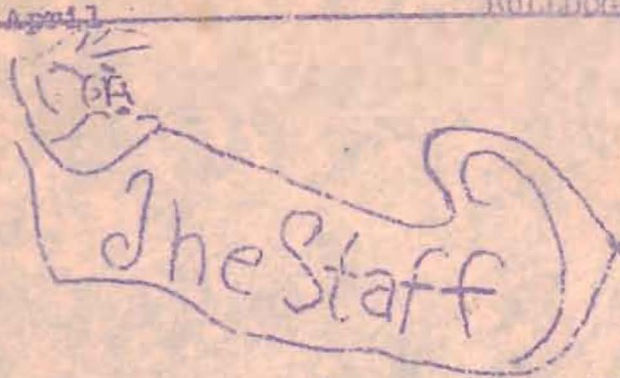


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APRIL--THE EASTER BUNNY MONTH

Since the seniors are not taking typing this semester the following staff has been chosen from the junior class. The senior class is going to help the juniors for a while until they learn something about the paper.

- Editor in Chief. Mary Kitchen
- Feature Editor. Emogene Wright
- Activity Editor. Louise Metzger
- Staff Editors. Ronald Whittaker
Karen Leathers
- Art Editors. Kay Duncan
Ruth Rodgers
- Humor Editor. Rosemary Terry
- Production Mgr. Raymond Reynolds
- Circulation Manager. Ruby Rodgers
- Printers. Shorthand Class
- Literary Critic. Mrs. Malone
- Advisor. Mrs. Locke

B. W. what happened to the Mob-erly friend? I hear it's Kansas now.

Mr. Oerly: (pointing to cigarette on the floor): Frank, is this yours?

Frank: Not at all Mr. Oerly. You saw it first.

Well, spring has finally arrived. I wonder just how many of you have spring fever? But then who wouldn't have? The grass is getting greener every day, flowers are bursting into full bloom. Just about anywhere you look you can see Mother Nature putting on her new spring outfit. Along with nature in her new wardrobe comes one of the most joyously celebrated days of the year--Easter.

The word, "Easter," came originally from ostara. Ostara was the Saxon Goddess of spring and returning life. Later the christians gave the word to the season that commemorates the death and resurrection of Christ. It is celebrated in Christian Churches the world over.

The time for celebration was long disputed by the churches. It was finally decided that all churches would celebrate it on the first Sunday after the full moon which appears on or after March 21.

Many customs have sprung up in regard to Easter. One of them being the buying of a new Easter outfit. I know this is something we all look forward to, especially the girls. It originated back in olden times when the people thought it was bad luck not to wear something new on Easter Sunday.

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SOPHOMORE NEWS

The sophomores had a class meeting the other day. The main object of it was to get the members of the sophomore class to pay class dues. It doesn't seem as though it worked.

The science class likes their new teacher. He even tells us jokes such as this: Two men were talking about an airplane. One of them said, "I surely would hate to be up there in that thing." The other one said, "I'd hate to be up there in it too, but I'd hate a lot worse to be up there without it."

We were glad to welcome Beverly back after her seige of sickness. We hope she won't have to be gone that long again.

Those sophomores surely are coming along fine in that tournament; it looks as though they might come out on top if they keep up the good work.

FRESHMEN CLASS NEWS

A balance of \$30.50 was reported by our class treasurer, Coars Peterson.

We received our grade cards again. We had one member of our class, Delmar Snodgrass, on the honor roll. We are very proud of him as he is the only one from our class that has made the honor roll this year. We hope that others will try to study hard this last quarter and make the honor roll. Larry Hughes and Fred Burns have perfect attendance.

The girls phys. ed. are having a tournament among classes. Tuesday the freshmen played the junior class and lost 25 to 42. Top scorer for our class was Marjorie Meadows.

JUNIOR CLASS

When the greeting cards the juniors sold were brought to Mrs. Malone's room, it looked like it had turned into an express office. The juniors got out and worked like mad selling greeting cards during the three week long campaign. After the cards had been paid for we found we had made a profit of ninety-six dollars.

Invitations for the junior and senior banquet that is scheduled for April 9 have been sent.

Has everyone noticed the harassed expressions of the juniors and Mrs. Malone lately? It should be explained that this look is not the product of mass insanity, but is that of the secret class meetings and special meetings about "guess what."

The junior boys and girls have entered the intramural tournament with the intent to win. Let's win that tournament, juniors!!!! at the same time we would like to wish the other classes good-luck for second place, that is.

Nolie

SENIOR NEWS

On March 5, 1954, we seniors presented a three act play "Knock On Wood." We hope that everyone enjoyed it. We would like to thank Mrs. Malone for directing our play and Karen Leathers who took part in it.

The seniors have finally decided to go to St. Louis. The date for the trip has not been set. I'm sure we will have a good time.

L. A. R. what happened in study hall the other day? Wasn't there enough chairs to go around? Or was it something else that made you sit on the floor?

Martha Ketchum



HOME EC. GIRLS ENTERTAIN

On Friday, March 19th, the home ec. girls had a tea and a style show for their mothers and members of the faculty. Mrs. Ralph Locke, the home ec. instructor, was the head hostess, and the girls were assigned to special committees.

Nolie Brown was in charge of the style show. As she introduced the girls and gave a brief summary about each of the garments, the girls modeled the dirde skirts and peasant blouses which they had made during the quarter. The setting of Nolie's talk was Tyrol, a small country in the beautiful Alps, where the dirde skirts originated.

The theme of the tea was St. Patrick's Day. The table was decorated with a lace tablecloth, green candles, green napkins, and yellow jonquils. Refreshments consisted of small Irish tea cakes, cookies with green sugar frosting, green and white shamrock sandwiches with chives, green and white checkerboard sandwiches, green and white mints, and Shamrock punch with green ice cubes.

All the mothers were able to attend except one, Mrs. Wilson, and we were very sorry that she could not attend. Members of the faculty that attended were Mrs. Malone, Mrs. Bray, Mrs. Gardner, and Mr. Oerly.

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SECRET

R. S. and J. A. what was so funny in 6th period study hall last week could it be a magazine that caused you all your grief?

The shootin' paper wad fad in back again. I think some of the girls enjoy getting hit. How about that R. D. M. and B.

If you ever need to communicate with someone in the near future just call on M. A. D. "She's the one and only."

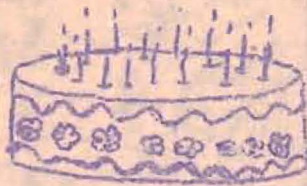
The seniors have finally made up their minds where to go on their trip. "St. Louis, here they come."

Those who didn't subscribe to the year book are really going to be sorry, cause -----well just wait and see.

Joyce Tietjens still blushes on the G. H. school bus when ever D's name is mentioned. Could it be she still has a spark left for him. (Iwonder)

The tournament is now going on and we have been having some pretty good games and scores too. Juniors, let's not have the sophomores come out on top.

J. A. you know you shouldn't beg girls to go with you. It hardly ever works. It at least lifts your morale. If you don't take to your heels and quit messing around, a certain Thomas Hill boy will be getting a little bit angry. Oh, I forgot you had his permission though.



Mrs. Hauptmann was really surprised when we gave her a birthday party. Thanks to Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Reimler who helped us plan it.

We third graders enjoyed working on our Colonial Exhibit and were glad our parents could visit us to see it.

We are learning some new spring time songs and Mrs. Malone is going to help us again with some more rhythm band numbers. Thanks to her!

In art we have been soap carving and wire sculpturing. Our all over designs, using our names are very interesting.

ROOM 2

The fourth and fifth grades have elected class officers.

Fourth grade officers are: president, Bonnie Jordan; vice-president, Judy Lee Chapman; secretary, Johnnie Campbell; and treasurer, Judy Ballew.

Those on our honor roll for the 3rd quarter were: Colleen Patton, Jerry Rutledge, Janet Wages, Judy Lee Chapman, Bonnie Jordan, Norma Hemmack, Judy Ballew, Larry Moore, and Johnnie Campbell.

We have painted our windows for Easter.

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The style show was so well received that the girls have been asked to make a repeat performance the last of April for the Clifton Hill P. T. A.

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ROOM 3

Our room had charge of the program for the regular P. T. A. meeting on Monday night, but the meeting was postponed until last Friday night at 8:00 o'clock.

The meeting started by singing "America" after which Mrs. Moore led the devotional. She then turned the program over to our teacher, Mrs. Robert Johnson.

The first number was the United States Constitution, which told the different things the 7th and 8th grade have studied. Those who participated were Ginnie Day, Jerry Ryals, Bobby Reynolds, Judy Hill, Jon Moore, Tommy Kitchen, Lucy Vaughn, Ann Jarvis, and Rosemary Hughes.

The next number was part singing by Georganne Hill, Judy Hill, Marjorie Reynolds, and Lucy Vaughn. The numbers were "Slumber" and "Night."

Jon Moore gave a musical reading entitled "Say Something, Silas."

The sixth grade gave a play entitled "The Troublesome Ford."

The 6th, 7th, and 8th grades are drawing Easter scenes on the board with colored chalk.

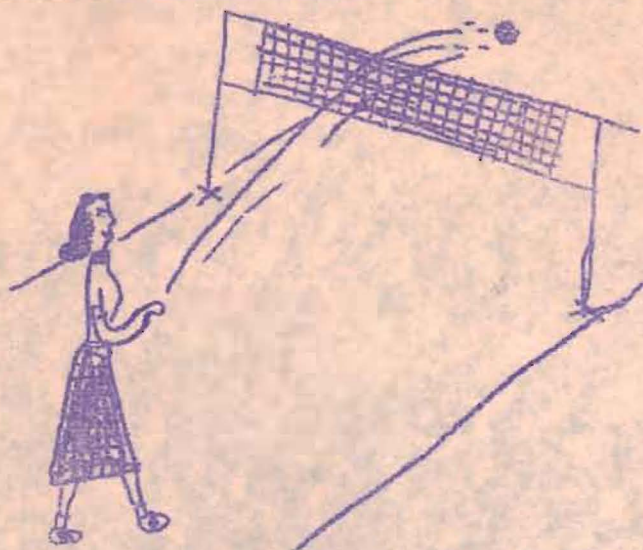
Judy Hill
June Peterson

6th GRADE NEWS

The sixth grade have finished their health and language books We are now doing extra review work.

We also took part in the March P.T.A. Meeting given by Mrs. Johnson's room. The sixth grade gave a play "The Troublesome Ford." Larry Wayne Winn was the engine, and his arm served as the crank.

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The girls physical education class, after an exciting basketball season, has been playing volleyball and kickball in the gym. For a few days spring weather was here, and we got to play kickball outside. The weather is inclined to be wet and cold, so baseball is going to have to wait.

This week is an exciting one. The classes are competing against one another in a basketball tourney. Tuesday the juniors defeated the freshmen. Wednesday the sophomores defeated the seniors by 2 points. Thursday the sophomores, with the help of some seniors, defeated the juniors. Friday the seniors defeated the freshmen by 21 points. The tourney goes on. Who knows what the outcome will be.

The boy's basketball team finished up the year with a seasons record of 13 victories and 12 defeats, and improvement over last years record of 9 victories and 14 defeats.

Since the basketball season has ended the boys have been playing softball in good weather and badminton and volleyball when the weather is bad.

Notice!

Any high school student who has any snapshots suitable for the year book, please bring them to Pattie W. I will help to make a better yearbook.
P.T.A.

A meeting was held on January 25 in the school auditorium to see about organizing a P. T. A. and it was decided to do so. The following officers were elected:

Pres. Mrs. Virginia Moore
1st Vice Pres. Charles Baker
2nd Vice Pres. Paul Gardner
Sec. Mrs. George Hill
Treas. Mrs. Charles Baker

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Four chairs served very well as the car. Henry and Emaline played by Georganne Hill and Robert Johnson, and John and Sara, played by Marjorie Reynolds and Carl Edward Sanders were occupant. The tires were Lola Orcutt, Larry Robb, Wayne Cox, the spare tire, Glen Mitchell, and Tommy Kitchen. The costumes were very cute and comical. Georganne wore a black hat with her mother's black suit and white blouse, black high-heel shoes, and carried a black purse. Marjorie wore a black and white dress furnished by Mrs. Hauptmann. She also carried a black purse and wore high-heel shoes. Richard Campbell served as a policeman, who came riding in on a tricycle.

Georganne Hill
Marjorie Reynolds

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Some of the customs that little children look forward to most is the coming of the Easter bunny, the hiding and rolling of Easter eggs.

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Jerry: "Yes the engagement is off, Dottie won't marry me."

Bob: "Why's that? Didn't you tell her about your rich uncle?"

Jerry: "I sure did. Now she's my aunt."

Mr. Gardner: "Tell the court how you came to take my car."

Jim: Well, the car was standing in front of the cemetery so I thought the owner was dead.

Danita: "Didn't I tell you to see when the brussels sprouts were done for dinner?"

Doris: I did. It was half-past two.

Dottie: "Father, can Jerry replace your business partner who died this morning?"

Father: "It's all right with me-- if you can arrange it with the undertaker."

Mrs. Malone: "Bobby, translate 'Rex Fugit.'"

Bobby McAdams: "the king flees;"

Mrs. Malone: "You should use has in translating the perfect tense."

Bobby McAdams: "The king has flees."

Joyce B. Who called you about 6:15 Saturday night?

L. D. O. Could that have been you?

Coach Oerly: "What's his name?"

George: "Ossacowinsinski"

Coach Oerly: "Put him on the first team. Boy, will I get even with the newspapers."

We hear that a certain senior boy wants to do the Tango at the banquet. Of course, it takes two to tango J.



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It is said that Ostara had a rabbit as her escort. But he was no ordinary rabbit; he had once been a bird living in Egypt.

At one time, no one knows exactly when, he made a visit to Germany. While there he met up with Osteria. She was so delighted with him that she never wanted him to leave her, so she changed him into a rabbit.

Along with being changed into a rabbit he was given the power to produce eggs, which would bring good luck to every one who found them. Hence comes the custom of the Easter bunny and the Easter egg.

The early Christians of Europe made straw and wooden likeness of the rabbit and surrounded him with ordinary eggs. Later the parents would hide the eggs and let the children hunt for them. Still later, dyes came into use to make the eggs easier to find.

Rolling eggs on Easter was played in very early times at Greenwich Hill, England. Much later the custom of rolling eggs on the White House lawn was started by President Madison.

I hope that now you know a little more about how some of our Easter customs originated. So a Happy Easter to all.