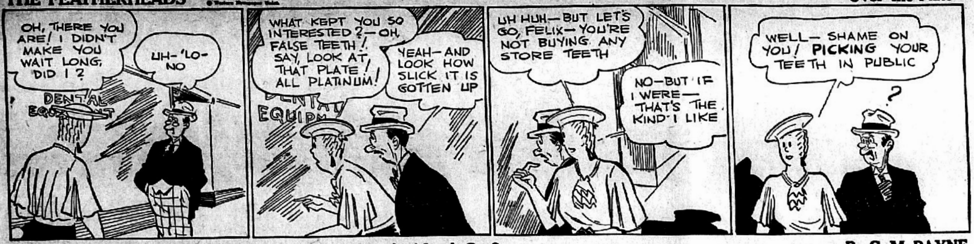
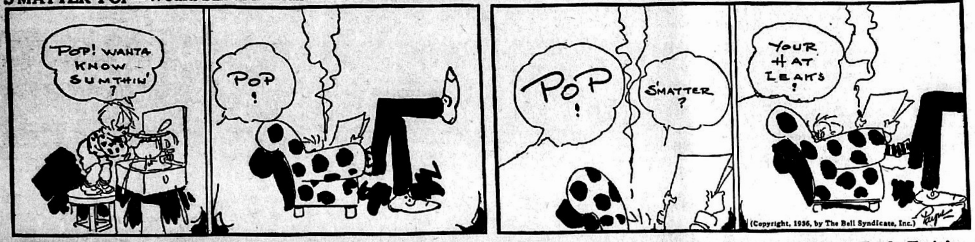
THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

THE FEATHERHEADS By Osborne © Western Newspaper Union — Over the Plate


OH, THERE YOU ARE! I DIDN'T MAKE YOU WAIT LONG, DID I ?
UH-'LO-NO
DENTAL EQUIPMENT
WHAT KEPT YOU SO INTERESTED ?—OH, FALSE TEETH! SAY, LOOK AT THAT PLATE! ALL PLATINUM!
YEAH—AND LOOK HOW SLICK IT IS GOTTEN UP
UH HUH—BUT LET'S GO, FELIX—YOU'RE NOT BUYING ANY STORE TEETH
NO—BUT IF I WERE—THAT'S THE KIND I LIKE
WELL—SHAME ON YOU! PICKING YOUR TEETH IN PUBLIC
?

S'MATTER POP—Would Sumthin' Leak In or Sumthin' Leak Out? By C. M. PAYNE


POP! WANTA KNOW SUMTHIN' ?
POP !
POP !
S'MATTER ?
YOUR HAT LEAKS !
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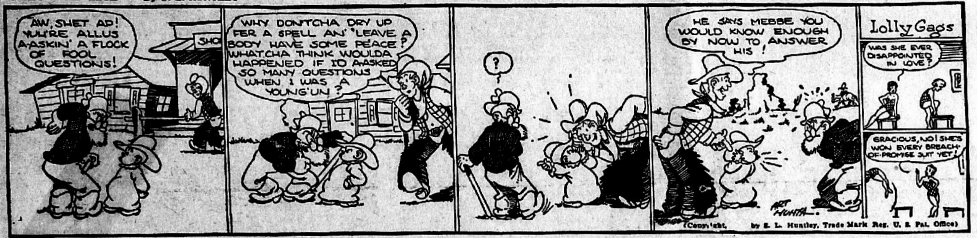
MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY — All in an Early Training


AW, SHET AP! YU'RE ALLUS A-ASKIN' A FLOCK OF FOOL QUESTIONS!
WHY DONTCHA DRY UP FER A SPELL AN' LEAVE A BODY HAVE SOME PEACE? WHATCHA THINK WOULDA HAPPENED IF I'D A-ASKED SO MANY QUESTIONS WHEN I WAS A YOUNG'UN ?
?
HE SAYS MEBBE YOU WOULD KNOW ENOUGH BY NOW TO ANSWER HIS !
ART HUNTA
Lolly Gags
WAS SHE EVER DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE?
GRACIOUS, NO! SHE'S WON EVERY BREACH-OF-PROMISE SUIT YET!
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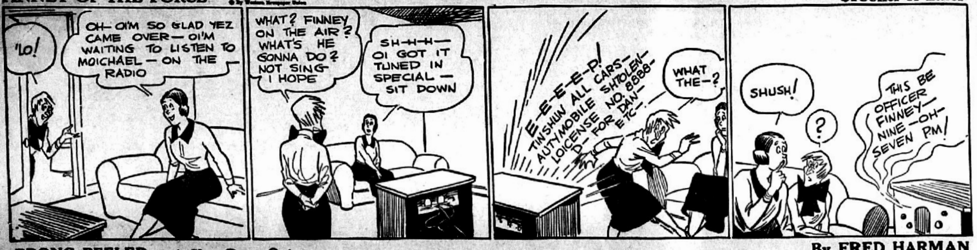
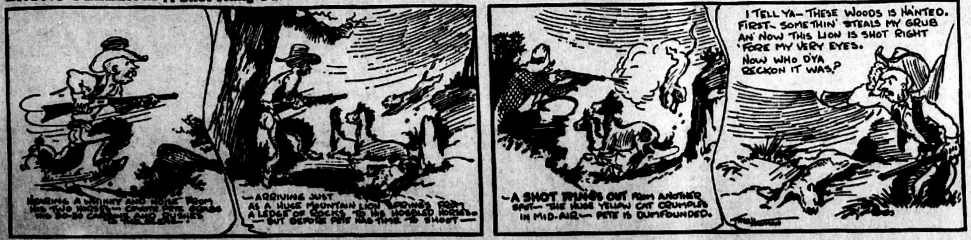
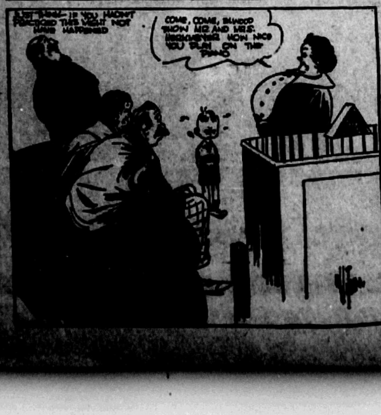
FINNEY OF THE FORCE By Ted O'Loughlin © By Western Newspaper Union — Crooner or Later


'LO!
OH—OI'M SO GLAD YEZ CAME OVER—OI'M WAITING TO LISTEN TO MOICHAEL—ON THE RADIO
WHAT? FINNEY ON THE AIR? WHAT'S HE GONNA DO? NOT SING I HOPE
SH-H-H—OI GOT IT TUNED IN SPECIAL—SIT DOWN
E-E-E-E-P! TINSHUN ALL CARS—AUTYMOBILE SHTOLEN—LOICENSE NO. 8888-D—FOR DAN—ETC—
WHAT THE—?
SHUSH!
?
THIS BE OFFICER FINNEY—NINE—OH—SEVEN P.M!

BRONC PEELER—A Shot Rang Out By FRED HARMAN


HEARING A WHINNY AND NOISE FROM HIS TWO HOSSES— COYOTE PETE GRABS HIS 30-30 CARBINE AND RUSHES TO THE SCENE—!
—ARRIVING JUST AS A HUGE MOUNTAIN LION SPRINGS FROM A LEDGE OF ROCKS TO HIS HOBBLED HORSES— —BUT BEFORE PETE HAS TIME TO SHOOT—
—A SHOT RINGS OUT FROM ANOTHER SPOT— THE HUGE YELLOW CAT CRUMPLES IN MID-AIR— PETE IS DUMFOUNDED.
I TELL YA—THESE WOODS IS HA'NTED. FIRST—SOMETHIN' STEALS MY GRUB AN' NOW THIS LION IS SHOT RIGHT 'FORE MY VERY EYES. NOW WHO D'YA RECKON IT WAS?
FRED HARMAN

Curse of Progress


JUST THINK—IF YOU HADN'T PRACTICED THIS MIGHT NOT HAVE HAPPENED
COME, COME, ELWOOD SHOW MR AND MRS. HECKMEYER HOW NICE YOU PLAY ON THE

A Collision to Him

The meaning of the word "collision" was being explained by the teacher to the class.

"A collision," she said. "is when two things come together unexpectedly."

Immediately a small boy jumped up and said: "Please, teacher, we've had a collision at our house."

"Whatever do you mean?"

"Well, mother just had twins."—Telephone Topics.

Twenty-Eight to Go.

Dentist's Daughter: "Have you asked papa for my hand?"

Candidate: "No. But I've tried four times. Every time I step into his office I lose my courage. Today I allowed him to pull my tooth as an excuse."—Arcanum Bulletin.

Looking 'Em Over

"Do you think a woman's place is in the home?"

"Certainly," said Miss Cayenne, "but a man's place is to get busy and get rid of the idea that home is merely where the mortgage is."

THE WORLD AT ITS WORST By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

UNCOMMON AMERICANS

By Elmo Scott Watson

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"Mother of Thanksgiving"

OF COURSE, we all know we owe the observance of Thanksgiving to the Pilgrim forefathers. But if it hadn't been for the persistence of a woman editor the chances are that it would still be only a New England festival instead of a nationwide holiday celebrated in all states on the last Thursday in November. Sara Josepha Hale was her name and she was the editor of Godey's Lady's Book, the most popular woman's magazine of the Nineteenth century.

She was born in New Hampshire in 1788, and, like all New Englanders, the celebration of Thanksgiving, even though its observance was not a regular event, was very dear to her. As early as 1827 she began advocating that "Thanksgiving, like the Fourth of July, should be considered a national festival and observed by all our people." But it was not until 1846 that she began her campaign through the column's of Godey's Lady's Book, of which she became editor in 1828.

Early each spring she began writing letters to governors of all states and territories asking their assistance in making the last Thursday in November, which had been Washington's choice for the first Thanksgiving Day, set aside by Presidential proclamation. By 1849 most of these commonwealths were keeping individual festivals but no attempt was made to have the date uniform. So Mrs. Hale started on the Presidents.

She wrote to Fillmore, Pierce and Buchanan again and again. But all of them ignored her, for they felt that such "feminine meddling in public affairs" should be frowned upon. However, in 1863, as the result of a letter which she wrote to President Lincoln, he issued the first national Thanksgiving day proclamation since Washington's day. Mrs. Hale had won her battle after 17 years' effort. With the precedent thus established other Presidents, as well as governors of states, have never deviated from the custom which Lincoln thus established.

Being thus the "Mother of Thanksgiving" was not, however, Mrs. Hale's only claim to distinction. She was the author of that famous poem, "Mary Had a Little Lamb"; she was the first to advocate women teachers in public schools; she started the first day nursery; she founded the first society for the advancement of women's wages, and her demands that housekeeping be given the dignity of a profession put the term "domestic science" in our language.

Prisoner of War

IN THE year 1758 there was born to an English family, then living in Ireland, a son who was to bear the name of John Whistler. Before he became of age young John ran away from home and enlisted in the British army. In 1777 he was sent to America with troops who were to serve under General Burgoyne and when "Gentleman Johnny's" expedition ended in disaster at Saratoga, young John Whistler was a prisoner of war.

Before the end of the Revolution he was sent back to England as an exchanged prisoner and soon afterwards he was discharged from the army. Then he fell in love with the daughter of one of his father's friends, eloped with her, came to America a second time and settled down at Hagerstown, Md. But he could not be content with civilian life for long. So in 1791 this soldier who had worn the scarlet uniform of Old England put on the nondescript uniform of a lieutenant adjutant in the levies which made up a part of the army of the new republic.

From that time on he served continuously on the Northwestern frontier under St. Clair, Wayne and the others who were campaigning against the hostile Indians. By 1797 he had won a captaincy and in 1803 he was stationed at Detroit. Then orders were given to build a fort at the foot of Lake Michigan and establish a garrison there with Whistler as commandant. Accordingly he built the post which was named Fort Dearborn and thus he became the "father of Chicago."

For nine years Whistler ruled at Fort Dearborn and then he was ordered back to Detroit. At the outbreak of the War of 1812 he was serving there on the staff of General Hull and when that flustered officer, without attempting resistance, surrendered his post to the British army which swooped down upon him, Whistler again became a prisoner of war.

So his was the unique distinction of having been a British officer who surrendered to a victorious American army and then an American officer who surrendered to a victorious British army. That alone would make him an "uncommon American" even if he hadn't been the "Father of Chicago" and the man whose grandson became one of the greatest of all American artists—James Abbott McNeill Whistler.

Urge of Ambition

Ambition, like love, can abide no lingering; and ever urgeth on his own success, hating nothing but what may stop them.—Sir P. Sidney.

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Independence

Independence is one of the most marked qualities of human beings. —John C. Merriam.

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The Original Cellophane Wrapped Genuine Pure Aspirin
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St. Joseph GENUINE PURE ASPIRIN

Life's Ups and Downs

Life's hardest ups and downs are keeping up appearances and keeping down expenses.

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Way to Relieve Coughs
QUICKLY

IT'S BY relieving *both* the irritated tissues of the throat *and bronchial tubes*. One set of ingredients in FOLEY'S HONEY & TAR quickly relieves tickling, hacking, coughing . . . coats and soothes irritated throat linings to keep you from coughing. Another set *actually* enters the blood, reaches the affected bronchial tubes, loosens phlegm, helps break up cough and *speeds recovery*. Check a cough due to a cold before it gets worse, before others catch it. Check it with FOLEY'S HONEY & TAR. It gives quick relief and *speeded-up recovery!*

Present Pleasures

So use present pleasures that thou spoilest not future ones.—Seneca.

Why Laxatives Fail In Stubborn Constipation

Twelve to 24 hours is too long to wait when relief from clogged bowels and constipation is needed, for then enormous quantities of bacteria accumulate, causing GAS, indigestion and many restless, sleepless nights.

If you want REAL, QUICK RELIEF, take a liquid compound such as Adlerika. Adlerika contains SEVEN cathartic and carminative ingredients that act on the stomach and BOTH bowels. Most "overnight" laxatives contain one ingredient that acts on the lower bowel only.

Adlerika's DOUBLE ACTION gives your system a thorough cleansing, bringing out old poisonous waste matter that may have caused GAS pains, sour stomach, headaches and sleepless nights for months.

Adlerika relieves stomach GAS at once and usually removes bowel congestion in less than two hours. No waiting for overnight results. This famous treatment has been recommended by many doctors and druggists for 35 years. Take Adlerika one-half hour before breakfast or one hour before bedtime and in a short while you will feel marvelously refreshed. At all Leading Druggists.

Modest Heroes

Most of the heroes who get no publicity don't want it.

Strength During MIDDLE LIFE

Strength is extra-important for women going through the change of life. Then the body needs the very best nourishment to fortify it against the changes that are taking place.

In such cases, Cardui has proved helpful to many women. It increases the appetite and aids digestion, favoring more complete transformation of food into living tissue, resulting in improved nutrition and building up and strengthening of the whole system.

Severing Ties

One outgrows homesickness—more's the pity.

MUSCULAR RHEUMATIC PAIN
MUSTEROLE
BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

"Quotations"

There is no art to living—every age has its moment.—*Maxine Elliot.*

No modern nation thinks of going to war unless it is convinced of being on the winning side. —*A. A. Milne.*

We make the government; it does not make us.—*Ida M. Tarbell.*

The film is a finer art than the novel, stage or opera.—*H. G. Wells.*

A man of genius is one who can transform a piece of the unthinkable into the thinkable.—*Aldous Huxley.*

Where we find echoes we generally find emptiness and hollowness; it is the contrary with the echoes of the heart.—*Boyes.*

Faculty Drama To Benefit School Funds

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EDITORIAL

DEVELOPS LEADERSHIP

The faculty has set aside one day a week for class and committee meetings.

This period, which is on Monday, was set for the glee club practice time. It is necessary at this time to discuss the business of the classes since now is the busiest season of the school year.

The purpose of this change is to develop initative and executive leadership among the student body.

Due to the other activities the committees have found it hard to meet and transact business during the school day. With the senior class play, the meetings necessary for deciding upon the invitations, caps and gowns, and the junior-senior banquet rushing along, more time than usual is needed for business transactions.

For the first time in several years the students have time within the school day for activities which make the school more interesting. This enables the student to give more thought to the business of the class.

The students appreciate the change that has been made to help them and want to show their appreciation by doing better work on the committees from now on.

WATCH YOUR ROLLERS

Skating seems to be popular among the students in the school, especially the smaller ones.

It has been urged by Dr. Stanley Reeves, principal, as well as other persons, for those students interested in skating not to skate on the sidewalks around the school grounds.

It is hazardous to the pupils walking on these walks to have a person suddenly skate out in front of them or to bump into them.

Some of the students seem to have violated the rule Dr. Reeves made about skating on the sidewalks of the school grounds.

The traffic patrol should keep its eyes open and see if it cannot keep the skaters off the sidewalks and make them skate on the street that is reserved for them.

As we have said before, someone might be injured if the skaters are not stopped from skating on the walks on the grounds.

Cleland Belin Wins Headline Test Here For National Entry

Cleland Belin, a junior and managing editor of "The Red and White," wrote the best headlines from the high school journalism class in the Quill and Scroll contest, which includes a contest in headline writing, sport stories and feature interviews.

Elizabeth Mackay wrote the best sport story and Lauretta Reed the best interview.

The time alloted for the headline writing was 45 minutes but Cleland Belin did them in 38 minutes and won the contest in Avon Park high school.

The heads written follow:

SENIOR HIGH PRESENTS "PIRATES OF PENZANCE"

86 TAKING PART IN OPERA SHOW DECEMBER 11-12

School Orchestra Will Furnish Music; Duplicate Casts To Sing Three Songs

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ARTHUR PILLSBURY SPOKE ON "MIRACLES OF NATURE"

MOTION PICTURES WILL BE SHOWN IN AUDITORIUM

First Lecture Under Sponsorship of Teachers' Institute And A. A. U. W.

Are you going to see the faculty perform?

Who's "girl shy" in the senior class?

"Romance in a Boarding House" —something new.

JUNIOR - SENIOR BANQUET TO BE AT JACARANDA

Set Annual Fete For March 26; Will Be Followed By Dance At Casino

After debating over the question as to where and when to have the junior-senior banquet, the junior class finally decided on having it March 26 at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Following the banquet a dance will be held at the Highland Lakes Casino and music will be furnished by Bob Porton and his Tampa University orchestra.

Each junior and senior will have the privilege of inviting one person outside of the two classes to the dance. Those persons that will be invited must be approved by the three sponsors and the presidents of the junior and senior classes.

Committees have been appointed to look after the entertainment, decorations and other necessary things.

The juniors have approximately $109.00 in the treasury and they are increasing this amount each week by selling pop corn at the basketball games.

The junior and senior classes are cooperating to make this one of the best banquets ever to be held in Avon Park.

The dance committee includes: Evelyn Martin, chairman; Bill Klump, Helen DeLaney and Gladys Helms.

The entertainment committee is composed of: Barbara Betts, chairman; Archie Bryant, Earlie Lynn, Ed. Touchton and Jane Hartt.

On the menu committee are: Frances Cloud, chairman; Merle Graham, Dorothy McNicholas and Letha Young.

For decorations and suggestions there are: Marguerite Loomis, chairman; Mary Lydia Stebbins, Cyril Baldwin, Marvin Reddick, Eloise Dickenson.

The place committee is composed of: Mary Jane Sundstrom, chairman; Bud Trent, Charles Sherman and Lucille Bishop.

On the time committee are: Blanche McCord, chairman; Irene Dyer, Mary McCarthy and Jean Correll.

The finance committee is composed of Dorothy Hughes, treasurer, alone.

Red Devils Defeat Both Sebring Teams With Close Margins

The Avon Park boys and girls took a double header victory from the Sebring boys' and girls' teams Friday.

The boys' team came out 16 to 12 with the Blue Streaks who made only 3 points against the first team and made the remainder against the second team.

The Red Devil girls won the game from the Sebring girls by a score of 15 to 12.

Lineups and scoring were as follows. Avon Park boys: F—Lynn, Touchton (9), Windham (5), Gribble, Martin (1), G—Merriwether (1), Cooley, Bailey, Sherman, Tillis, Clements and Wild.

Sebring boys: F — Freeland (4), Albritton (2), C—Curtiss (2), G—Freeland (4), Pollard, Bates.

Avon Park girls: F — Sadler (10), Sundstrom (2), Wever, Bennett (3), G—Hartt, Correll, Townsend.

Sebring girls: F — Pearce (2), Coker (10), Long, Shaeffer, Cope; G—McKay, Adams, Blanding.

Officials for the game were: referee for boys, Martin, and umpire, Kelly; timer, Mr. J. P. Garber; scorer, H. DeLaney; for the girls game, referee, Mrs. J. P. Garber.

Student Government Drops Point System

The student council has discontinued the idea of the activity point system.

Dr. Stanley Reeves, principal, said, "I think we should include athletics in this point system."

Other school in other cities in the nation use the activity point system to keep the school projects from conflicting.

Were your parents satisfied with your latest report card?

Most of the students passed this semester—we hope.

You should have gone to the game to see the Devil chase the Dog.

"Mary's Cousin" Ends This Week In This Column

The conclusion of the short story, "Mary's Cousin," written by Tommy Lou Greene, appears in this column this week:

"Miss Townly sent me to tell you that the party has been cancelled. Tonight, James will take you riding, so that you may see the city at night."

"Is Mary going?"

"No, Miss Townly said to tell you that she doesn't feel well. She will see you in the morning."

"That's too bad! Maybe if she took an aspirin she would feel better."

"I rather think not, but I will tell her. Your dinner will be served to you in your room. It is ready now.

"Please leave the house using the back stairs for Mr. Townly retires early, and if the car is stopped at the front it would disturb him."

"Sure."

Two hours later, Mary's guests had arrived, and she had explained to them that her cousin had been unable to come.

Mary was dancing with Jim Goodrich, a boy whom she liked very much, when she turned toward the stairs.

Dora was slowly descending them. She had on a pink organdie dress which was several inches too short.

Mary left Jim and met Dora at the foot of the stairs.

"Didn't I send word to you to go riding with James?"

"I did, but I was already tired of riding. Why don't you introduce me to your friends?"

"Let's go upstairs."

They hurried up the stairs and into Dora's room.

"Why did you come downstairs?"

"Why not?"

"Don't be silly! You know why not!"

"You aren't ashamed of me, are you?"

"I have every reason to be. Look at your clothes. A pink dress and red hair! High heels and ankle socks!"

"You can go downstairs now. I'm leaving tonight."

Dora had opened her grip which contained clothes much nicer than Mary's.

"Maybe it would interest you to know that I came dressed as I did to see how you feel toward people who are less fortunate than you. Of course, you didn't know that we have about twice as much money as you have. I came to see whether I would like to take you to Europe with me next month.

"I knew that if I told you that we were wealthy, you would be very nice to me; but now I have found out how you really are!"

Mary left the room and slowly walked down the stairs to join her guests.

Thirty minutes later, Dora came down the stairs with her grip in her hand. She was dressed in a bright green suit with light grey accessories. Her hair was neatly and attractively combed. She was beautiful.

When Dora reached the bottom of the stairs, Jim Goodrich came forward.

"Why Dora! I thought you didn't come. You aren't leaving, are you?"

"Yes, immediately."

"I'll go with you then."

Dora turned to Mary. "Jim and I are to be married in June. He knew that I was planning to come. I asked him not to mention me to you. My name isn't Liza! That was part of the plan."

Dora and Jim turned and walked through the door and to Jim's car.

4th Graders Study Riddle Composition

Miss Alma Harrell's section of the fourth grade has been studying riddle composition in English. Here is one of the winning ones:

What Am I?

I live in Avon Park, Florida. All of the children come to me. I am made of red brick. I have three bells in me. I have many books in me. I have desks in me. I have many seats in me. Children play on my grounds. They play on my swings and see-saws and they swing on my little walkers and on my big walkers. There are big trees and little trees on my grounds. There are many side walks all around me. There are roads all around me. The children ride their bicycles and skate and walk and their mothers and fathers bring them to me in cars. What am I?

—Nancy Morgan.

Miss Harrell's room is also starting a museum in which they will place things they bring from home. Later stories will be written telling the history of each article.

194 HONORED ON GRADE LIST FOR SIX WEEKS

14 Are Highly Distinguished; 180 "B" Average; 9 From Crate Mill

The honor roll for this six weeks bears the names of 194 students of Avon Park schools.

There are 14 students who are listed in the highly distinguished group. In the high school group there are 64; in the elementary school, 121; and in the Crate Mill, 9 in the lists of honor grades.

Highly Distinguished

Twelfth Grade: Robert Guy McGiboney, Betty Brooks.

Eighth Grade: Malcolm Crews, and Claire Vanderwende.

Seventh Grade: Viola Assimopoulos, Martha McNicholas, Betty Touchton and Martha Assimopoulos.

Elementary School: Garth Spencer, Mackie McVicker, Donald Ford, Valeria Burnham, Lola Albritton, Charlotte Marr and James Perdue.

High School

Twelfth grade: Margaret Bailey, Cecil Clements, Dorothy Deshong, J. C. Halsema, Elizabeth Rawlings, Dorothy Weisheyer, Nell Willeford and William Chaddock.

Eleventh grade: Cyril Baldwin, Cleland Belin, Barbara Betts, Lucille Bishop, Helen DeLaney, Irene Dyer, Eloise Dickinson, Merle Graham, Allie Hardin, Jane Hartt, Leola Holton, Dorothy Hughes, Mary McCarthy and Charles Sherman.

Tenth grade: Odean Bishop, Nellene Cannon, Ralph Garrett, Ray Garrett, Tommy Lou Greene, Carrie Pearson, Minerva Perry, Gwendolyn Reid, Betty Sherman, Cecil Sutley and Ruth Wild.

Ninth grade: Nancy Betts, Alton Cole, L. C. Davis, Evelyn Gribble, H. A. Maddox, Max Mathis, Arelia Peacock, Eloise Williams, Agnes Young, and Jane Clements.

Eighth grade: Albert Garrett, Eloise Halloway, Robert Louis, Lucille Sheumaker, Herbert Todd, and Ronney Klump.

Seventh grade: Louise Bishop, Tommy Bryant, Mary Carratt, Bill Hook, Lillian Kelly, Powell Skipper, Dorothy Welch, Shirley Coates, Juanita Crosby, Gloria Hughes, Peggy Mandis, Edward Sherman.

Elementary School

Sixth grade: H. L. Levy, Charlie Mae Childs, Melba Douglas, Martha McCord, Winona Landress, Hazel Reid, Arthur Crews, Billy Heim, Jack Head, Charles Lawhon, Grady Mills, Alvin Shaw, Glynn Shaw, Josephine Browne, Ann Catherine Carter, Ruth Duce, Sujette Dorminey, Eunice Greenamyre, Thelma Harnage, Winifred Hood, Helen Jarrett, Amanda Bell Martin, Willa McGiboney, Euylene Smith, Frances Armstrony, Violet Stewart, Thelma Woodard, Carrie Willis, Thelma Drawdy and Mavauneen Norton.

Fifth grade: James Anderson, Bobby Keller, Burl Monk, Annie Merle Abrams, Marilyn Holliday, Ruby Pate, Ruth Pendleton, Patti Rounds, Katherine Thompson, Garland Turnbull, Dorothy Walker, Marie Whitner, Peggy Jo Smith, Elsie Pierce, Christine Peters, Faye Luke, Josie Brannen, Monico Cowart, Barron Collier, Rudolph Beasley and Charles Smith.

Fourth grade: Betty Lynn Helms, Alfred Engelmann, Gene Mathis, Margaret Harper, Edward Sturdivant, Howard Bowman, Lyndell Reeves, Ruth Holloway, Juanita Sauls, Richard Stodden, Howard Todd, Harold Dunn, Nancy Morgan, Hilda Clark, David Lanier, Effie Lee Williams, Arthur Carratt, Edward Graham, Arthur Gregory, Thomas Thompson, Margie Flowers, Dorcas Gribble, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Retha Mixon, Virginia Spencer, Pauline Thomas, Janet Barker and Ruth Tull.

Third grade: Irene Heathcoe, Betty Jo Wells, Helen Welch, Betty Hill, Anne L. Collier, E. C. Wever, J. R. Heathcoe, Laurence Hagan, Barbara Jean Bridges, Tabby Browne, Barbara Lawhon, Charlotte Orr, Charles Bennett, Frank Camp, Harold Garrett, Billy Hawkins and Roger Sappington.

Second grade: Johnnie Reid, Robert Cowart, Virginia Crenshaw, Jean Bozeman, Roland Dilley, Pauline Gilliard, O'Dessa Reynolds, Fred Perdue, Robert Hall, William Bennett, Lou Dean Gregory and Yvonne Head.

First grade: Allen Collier, Mary Basemore, Juanita Corbett, Lorraine Kepta, Joan Marr, Marie Smedley, George Harper, Jim Hook, Teddy Ward, Doris Cannon, and Jeanette Jones.

Crate Mill School

First grade: Thurman Lee.

Second grade: Thelma Mathis, Betty Ruth O'Hern, Malcolm Smith and Bobbie Mae Whitner.

Third grade: Herman Jackson, Iris Sandress and Lester Irby.

Fourth grade: Coolidge Knowles.

Snake In A Jar Has Private Life In Public View

The biology class has a snake.
In a jar.
They feed it hamburger.
Once a week.
He sticks his tongue out.
When they shake him.
He shed his skin.
Then he went away.

Boys Continue Win Streak and Girls Split Two Scores

Avon Park high basketball teams end the first half of the season by splitting a double header game Monday night with Mulberry and taking two games from Frostproof Tuesday night.

Avon Park girls did not feel confident of victory Monday before the game, but they nearly beat the Mulberry Panthers in a hard fought contest. Fast passing and good guarding featured the game with few points being made by either team. The first half ended with the score 1-0 in Mulberry's favor.

In the last half the Panthers scored 6 points and the Devils 3 to end the game with Mulberry 7, Avon Park 3. The girls showed improvement over their performance with Mulberry last week.

Avon Park boys had better luck in their game and trounced the Panthers by a large score. It was Avon Park's game all the way through as they grabbed the lead in the first few plays and not once did Mulberry threaten to forge ahead. The Devils showed the form they have displayed all season and played the same brand of ball with which they hope to capture the championship crown. The final score was Avon Park 24, Mulberry 7.

Avon Park girls avenged the Mulberry defeat by trouncing Frostproof Tuesday night in a hard fought game that ended with the score 12 to 10 in favor of Avon Park. The floor was unusually slippery and the girls were constantly on the floor.

The boys' game was Avon Park's all the way through as the Bullpups never seriously threatened to take the lead. The final score was Avon Park 33, Frostproof 13.

Merriwether and Cooley, who have been eligible only for the last three games, played good ball for the locals while Duncan and Thompson were outstanding for the visitors.

Avon Park boys that played were: Touchton, Lynn, C. W. Merriwether, Gribble, Martin, Cooley, Clements, Mathis, Billie Merriwether, Tillis, Windham, Sherman and Bailey.

Girls' team included: Wever, Sundstrom, Sadler, Bennett, Mathis, Rutledge, DeLaney, Townsend, Hartt, Elder, Correll, Vilkaitis, Pate, Stebbins and Reddick.

Home Ec. Class Takes Etiquette As Study Phase

Etiquette is the next phase of home life to be taken up by the advanced class of home economics. The first year home economics class is learning to prepare one dish meals and simple desserts.

Miss Rhoda K. Thomas, home economics instructor, stated that she wanted most of all, to have the girls learn that the salad is always placed to the left. "If these girls know this, they will not get left out as far as the salad is concerned at the junior-senior banquet."

Necessary work that has to be completed this next semester was also listed for the advanced class. The assignments are as follows: Make two dresses, remodel a garment, dye something, read "Everyday Living for Girls," make a child's garment, do much reference reading, second project, and the knowledge gained through the study of etiquette.

The first year class is preparing spaghetti, meal on casserole, and other dishes that with a salad, drink, and dessert make up a very inexpensive meal. Simple desserts that would fit in with these dishes are also being prepared.

Crate Mill School Helps Flood Cause

The Crate mill school has turned in $3.47 to the Red Cross for the flood relief cause.

This amount includes a donation of $2.00.

Typing Classes Use Unit Grading Plan For This Semester

"It's up to you," says Mrs. Wilma Lear Peden when she started the unit grading plan in the typing classes Monday.

Starting the second semester off right, the typing classes of Avon Park high school began work under the unit grading system that enables the students to choose the grade they wish to make.

"Pick your grade and make this grade your goal. If you see that it is possible for you to reach a higher standard, do so," insists Mrs. Peden.

Under this grading plan each student wishing a grade of "A" must have an average grade on the weekly budgets of "A," must have an average of 90 per cent on half the tests given each month, must type one news story for the journalism class each week and one extra copy during the six weeks period, and must acquire a speed of 30 net words or more per minute.

Those students that consider themselves "B" pupils will have to make "B's" on the budgets, make 90 per cent on three tests, and type four news stories for the six weeks period.

The 'average' students who are unable to make an "A" or "B" and are interested in making a "C" must do all the budget work, and make 28-30 net words per minute.

Matinee Benefit For P.-T. A. Treasury

A special matinee for students was presented at the Avon Park high school auditorium last Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock, given for the benefit of the Parent-Teachers' Association.

"A Breeze Fra' Th' Heather Hills," a Gala entertainment was presented by Jock Harris, radio artist from WEAF, WJZ, WBR, WHN.

Songs, stories, dances and music were given. Also, "Mysteria," Society's foremost lady magician, appeared.

Redland vs. Red Devil tonight.

Are you reading the story in the Red and White written by that famous author, Tommy Lou Green?

BOOK REVIEW

THE LITTLE SHEPHERD OF KINGDOM COME.
By
John Fox, Jr.

Chad was a mountain boy who lived in Kentucky. He had been an orphan as long as he could remember. He would wander around and stay with different people as long as he could. The people with whom he had been staying became ill and died. He had gone many miles before he and his dog, Jack, found another place to stay.

In the place where Chad stayed there were many other people staying, although it was only a tiny log cabin. There was Melissa, daughter of the people with whom he was staying, her brothers, the school teacher, and a few others. When some of the men floated some logs down to the Capitol to sell them, Chad got lost and the men went off and left him at the Capitol.

When Chad was walking back to Kingdom Come he was picked up by Major Buford who took him to his home. Chad stayed there a few days. While he was there he made friends with Margaret, Dan, Harry Dean and Richard Hunt. When the Civil war broke out Chad and Harry joined the Union Army while Richard and Dan joined the Confederate Army. Once Melissa walked several miles thru the rain to warn Chad and his men that some of the Confederate Army was lying in ambush for him. He had many other adventures.

After the war he went back to the Buford home, having found out a little before that he was some relative of Major Buford's and that his name was Chad Buford. He found out that Major Buford was dead. He told Margaret, with whom he had fallen in love, that he would marry her after he came back from a visit to Kingdom Come. At Kingdom Come he found out that Melissa had died from pneumonia that she had caught when she ran through the rain to warn Chad. Chad could not go back to Margaret now so he went to the west to start life over again.

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'BOARDING HOUSE ROMANCE' IS FACULTY PLAY WHICH WILL BE GIVEN IN AUDITORIUM FEB. 19

Special Matinee Will Be Given For Students; Cash Prizes For Best Posters Are Offered.

The faculty of the Avon Park school will stage a play, "Romance In a Boarding House," in the high school auditorium on February 19 at 8:00 o'clock.

A special matinee will be given in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for school children. Admission for this matinee will be 10 cents; and at night 15 cents for all students and children and 25 cents for adults with 15 cents extra for reserved seats.

The money made from the play will be used for improvements of the schools.

A prize of $2.50 will be given for the best poster advertising the play; $1.00 for second; and 50 cents for third. An adult ticket will be given for each poster accepted by the cast for use down town. The room selling the most tickets for this play will be given $5.00 in cash.

The story is what the title suggests—a regular boarding house romance. Mary Anne, who has been in love with Bill since she was four years of age, leaves for the city when she has become a young lady. Bill does not want her to go and tries every device to induce her to stay. She goes to the city and falls in love with Mortimer. Each thinks the other an aristocrat and plays that part. After Mary Anne gets back home, Mortimer and his parents visit her. Complications really begin at this point.

The cast of characters include: Mrs. Smith, an industrious small town woman who is owner of the Gibson boarding house and takes a delight in her work, played by Mrs. Freed Peden.

Mr. Smith, her husband, played by Mr. Mummau who is a likable character, but has an aversion for manual labor. He would be a very happy man if it were not for the fact that his wife compels him to wear shoes all the time.

Mary Anne, their daughter who is a very pretty young girl in the main female part, will be played by Miss Alma Harrell.

Bill, who thinks he is the only man in the world for Mary Anne, will be played by Mr. E. L. Roberts. He is very conceited and dresses not conservatively.

Miss McGuillicuddy is an old maid who has not yet despaired of catching a husband. Intensely interested in everybody else's business, she does not hesitate to state her opinion. Mrs. Alice Sherman will play this character.

Hettie is the hired girl in the boarding house and is in somewhat of a daze most of the time. She hopes to get married through her ability to cook. Miss Erress Arant has been cast in this role.

Mr. Throttlebutton, an aristocrat from New York City, will be represented by Mr. Chester Yates.

Mrs. Throttlebutton, his wife, will be Miss Louise Pittman.

Mortimer, their son, is a very intelligent man as pictured by Mr. R. S. Funderburk.

The duke of Sussex, a very well dressed duke, will clown through Dr. Stanley Reeves.

Eugene Martin Gets Answer From Clerk Of The Circuit Court

The following is the answer to a letter written by Eugene Martin to W. Z. Carson, inquiring about the duties of the clerk of the Circuit Court.

This is the second letter to be printed of a series on government answering letters written by students of the citizenship class.

"The duties of the Clerk of the Circuit Court come under four major departments:

"First: As Clerk of the Circuit Court, which requires the clerk to keep the minutes of all trials, swear all witnesses, swear the Jurors and issue Venires, Summons and keep all records of all papers filed in suits.

"Second: The clerk of the Circuit Court is the recorder of [illegible] County.

"Third: He is the collector of all delinquent taxes.

"Fourth: He is the clerk of the Board of county commissioners and required to keep the [illegible] of the Board, audit all [illegible] prepare all [illegible]