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#### The Meaning Of Christmas

By BOB CUPP

The meaning of the word "Christmas" originally came from Christ's Mass, a festival commemorating the birth of Christ on December 25. The Roman Empire celebrated this as early as the year 400, but the day did not become a legal holiday until 534.

In Germany, originated the first manger songs and Christmas carols. The yule log became a public ceremony in England in 1577.
Plum pudding and mince pie have long been associated with the English Christmas. The exchange of gifts at Christmas had its origin in early Medieval times, but the use of Christmas cards date from the

#### State Inspector Rates School High Students Present

The visitation report of state supervisors was received on November 26, from Mr. F. M. Shelton, state inspector, who visited the school, November 18.

The possible estimates given were: "O" indicating outstanding, 'satisfactory, and "U" unsatisfactory. The majority of our esti-

mates were "S" and "O."

Each of the following divisions were rated "S": Administration, Instruction, Library, Program of Studies, Rooms and Equipment, and the Buildings and Grounds.

The comments gave suggestions and we were congratulated upon our excellent new building. The suggestions were: More books needed for the library, a portable sound motion picture machine with equipment, two new electric sewing machines in the sewing department, and a curtain installed for the dramatics room.

Johnny Appleseed Junior High School was thereby placed on the list of schools approved by that department.

latter part of the nineteenth cen-

The Christmas tree had its beginning in the use of the palm tree in the worship of the Egyptian goddess, Isis. A palm with twelve shoots, one to represent each month of the year, was part of the festival. In northern climates, the fir tree was substituted for the palm. The legend of the Christmas stocking comes from the Italian practice—a good fairy is supposed to fill the stockings of good boys and girls with gifts.

In our country we have customs combining these ceremonies of other nations-the use of Christmas trees, hanging of stockings, exchange of gifts and feasting are all a part of our observance of Christmas. However, the American traditions of Christmas never lose sight of the true meaning of the day and keep in mind that this holiday is also a holy day.

## Christmas Program

On Friday, December 20, students of Johnny Appleseed Junior High School had their Christmas program in the auditorium.

It was composed of a Christmas medley by the school orchestra, tap dances, a Christmas reading by Irene Jones of the seventh grade, a violin solo by Margarethe Jorgensen, an accordion solo by Jane Gibbs, a marimba solo by Mabel Holmes, a Christmas play by the drama class, a Christmas tableau made up of pupils chosen from the student body, and at the end all the students sang Christmas carols.

The play given by the dramatics class was entitled "Pop Reads a Christmas Carol." The characters included Mrs. Jones, Marjorie Wiltrout; Mr. Jones, Jack Lautsbaugh; Mary, their daughter, Dorothy Jordan; Junior, their son, Eugene Foster; Paul, their oldest son, Dick Fisher: Jack. Marv's boy friend. Granville Barker; and Jane, Paul's girl friend, Shirley Boock.

#### Appleseed Choir Presents Program Over Station WMAN Roll For Year

On December 1, Sunday, from 5:00 to 5:30 p. m. the Johnny Appleseed choir under the direction of Mr. Derr presented a program to the listening audience of radio station WMAN in Mansfield. The following numbers were presented:

1. "We Praise Thee" by Lenyakoff, sung by the A Capella Choir.

2. "In Faith I Calmly Rest" by Bach, a solo by Robert Meyers.

3. At this point, the Johnny Appleseed Choir turned from the sacred to the secular as they sang a holy winter song, "The Swiss

Skiing Song," by Max Kions.
4. "Holy Father, Cheer Our Way" by Kitson, a solo by George Knackstedt.

5. "Goodnight Beloved" sung by

the choir.

6. "Jesus, Meek and Gentle" by Hollor, a solo by Paul Pfahler.

7. Now was a pause for a time from the vocal program, while a group of piano selections were presented by Lynn Decker, a talented young pianist from Johnny Appleseed Junior High School, including: "Impromptu" by Lily Strickland, and "Czerny"—Study No. II.

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#### First Hi-Y Club **Organizes And Plans** Slogans And Aims

The Johnny Appleseed Hi-Y Association is now being organized. The officers for this year have been elected. They are: President, Robert Miller; vice president, Ned Brurk; secretary, George Smith; treasurer, David Twitchell. Bill Roush was chosen chairman of the program committee and Bill Huntsman, chairman of the membership committee.

The club will meet every Thursday night at the Y.M.C.A. Mr. Ramsey will be the adviser.

The Hi-Y slogan or aim is "Clean Speech, Clean Sports, Clean Scholarship, and Clean Habits."

The program for the year is not definitely planned yet, but there will be some round-table discussions and the boys will have the opportunity to hear several speak-

### 7th Grade Leads In Second Honor

In the second six weeks' term, the seventh grade leads as to the number placed on the honor roll, with twelve students from that division earning this distinction. The ninth grade has seven with an honor roll rating, while the eighth grade trails with just five all A students.

The honor roll, honorable mention, and special recognition lists follow.

#### HONOR ROLL Seventh Grade

Robert Glasscock, John Cook, Russell Stucky, Pauline Bauer, Laura Ferree, Marilyn Fleming, Nancy Giles, Virginia Keister, Margrethe Jorgensen, Anne Tracy, Verna Beth Graham, Mary Jane Lewis.

#### Honorable Mention

Monte Mainzer, William Ingram, George Frank, George Gernhardt, Donald Richardson, William Marlow, Richard Hosler, William Klinger, Thomas O'Donnell, Richard Orr, Ernest Pennell, John Van Tilburg, John Rench, Joseph Smith, Paula Brunk, Peggy Foltz, Mary Nedrow, Carralu Casto.

Shirley Calmes, Janice Thomas, Beverly Wentz, Eleanor June, Jean Schooley, Joan Beelman, Carol Goettinger, Margery Huber, Jane Nusbaum, Evelyn Boehmler, Marcella Grau, Marilyn Kessel, Bernice Kevey, Eileen Daley, Rita Daley, Martha Davidson, Ramona Delaney, Ann Thompson.

Special Recognition

Jack Gaff, Claire Hamelin, George Ridenour, James Wolf, James Day, Clinton McAter, Charles Roth, Warren Redhair, Helmut Wiehm, Gene Dent, Robert Fox, Robert Taylor, Alan Yerigan, Stanley Baney.

John Kopical, Ruth Nan Miller, Marjorie Eckstein, Joan Mish, Doris Clever, Mary Lehnhart, Dar-(Continued on page 15)

#### Vacation Begins

This year, pupils will start Christmas vacation on Friday, December 20 after school and return to School Monday, January 6. Afternoon classes will be shortened to let the pupils out earlier on Friday. The staff wishes the Appleseed faculty and pupils a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

### One Hundred Fifty-one Girls Charter Members of Rainbow

Assembly L. T. Order of the Rainbow for Girls was held at the Grotto Hall, Park Avenue West and Walnut Streets, Wednesday evening, November 20, for the purpose of inspection. There was a good attendance of members and many Masons and Eastern Stars were guests.

The Mansfield Assembly was instituted and officers installed by George N. Clark, Supreme Deputy Inspector of Ohio, assisted by the Newark Assembly on June 22, 1940, at the John Simpson Junior High gymnasium.

This was their first inspection of the Mansfield Assembly and they were thrilled with the excellent rating given them by "Dad" Clark, who was the inspecting officer.

The highlight of the evening came when "Dad" Clark, assisted by Virginia Casperson, Junior Past Advisor of our Assembly as Supreme Aid, granted the Mansfield Assembly L. T., their charter.

The members of the Advisory Board, appointed by Miss Pearl Wierman, who represents Ruth Chapter, No. 17 Order of the Eastern Star, were pleased with this decision and feel that they have been amply repaid for all their work in sponsoring these girls. Much credit is due Mrs. Thelma Hartman, Mother Advisor, and her many committees who have assisted in training them.

The class at installation was made up one one hundred and twenty-three girls and they now have a membership of one hundred and fifty-one girls. The charter will now be closed and these one hundred and fifty-one girls will

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A regular meeting of Mansfield | become the charter members of the Mansfield Assembly. After the meeting adjourned, a social time was enjoyed by all members and guests. They danced for several hours.

#### Goal Approached In Collecting Tax Stamps

Competition is keen in the race among the homerooms to make a good showing in the sales tax collections for the Junior Red Cross.

Collections for the first six weeks totaled \$4,758.25 worth of stamps. We hope to reach the \$5,000 goal by December 20. This money will be used to buy glasses for indigent children.

On November 8, Room 212 had the greatest number of stamps, with \$86.15. On November 15, Room 213 led with \$157.43. On November 20, Room 215 led with \$134.08. On November 29, Room 113 led with \$137.92. On December 6, Room 103 led. Rooms which rank highest for the five weeks' collection are: Rooms 103, 211, and 203.

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#### Appleseed Choir Presents Program Over Station WMAN

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8. "Blessed Are The Pure In Heart" by Seely, sung by our three soloists, George Knackstedt, Paul Pfahler, and Robert Meyers.

9. "Beautiful Dreamer" sung by the Johnny Appleseed Choir. This concluded the program.

The Johnny Appleseed Choir is an organization of young voices which represent the 127 students, who by try-outs, have gained admittance. Try-outs for new voices are held at the beginning of each semester. Once the student passes the rigid tests for entrance, he may be an A Capella Choir member without further trial until he is a graduate of the Senior High School. This means that if a student is admitted in his seventh year, he may continue progressing with the choir for six successive years.

The ground work for A Capella, or unaccompanied singing, is laid in Johnny Appleseed. They learn discipline, vocal technique, hints in proper food diet for singers, proper posture, proper breathing, a taste for the artistic in all music, and a host of valuable

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associations too numerable to mention.

The officials of the choir are as follows:

First Soprano'Virginia Shambaugh Second Soprano....Joan Thrutchley Alto.....Anna Marie Fischer Head Group Leader.. Elaine Miller Librarian.....Eleanor Bogner

The three soloists on the program were three boys from the Johnny Appleseed Choir. They are also members of the Episcopal Boys' Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Eckert, who accompanied the entire group of solos.

#### SO THAT'S WHAT IT MEANS!

The family had planned a picnic for the next day and Bobby was asked by his mother to see what the paper predicted for the weath-

After searching the paper, he said: "Well, they haven't decided yet. It says here, 'Weather for Wednesday, Unsettled'."

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The "As You Like It" and "The Script Rattlers" dramatic classes gave two plays entitled "Lover Come Back To Me" or "Will The Mortgage Be Paid Off?" and "Be Home By Midnight" or "The Clock Struck One," which formerly were presented to us in assemblies, to the Red Masque Dramatic Class of Senior High School, December 16, at the high school.

Sometime in the future, the Red Masque, which is directed by Mr. E. L. Heasley, will present his group to the dramatic classes of Appleseed.

Those taking part in the plays were Jack Leonard, Bob Cupp, Jean Hugo, Marilyn Larson, John Colby, Anna Marie Fischer, Mary Bushnell, Dot Arlin, Robert Miller, Kitty Bushnell, Margaret Walery, George Vawter, and Glenn Wendland under the supervision of Miss Seybold, Appleseed dramatic teacher.

#### SOUNDS ALL RIGHT

will mean a fortune-'

"What is it this time?"

"Why, it would add an extra key for a typewriter. When you don't know how to spell a word, you hit that key and it makes a blur that might be an 'e,' an 'a,' or most anything else."

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Those receiving badges were-Second Class: Charles Snyder, Raymond Hose, Harley Hoover, Robert Cook, William Baker, William Klinger, Jack Elliot, Roland Lehnart, Walter Bogantz, Edward Brady, Eugene Taylor, Robert Newman, Tom Paulo, John Cook, James Cook, Walter Brady, Lawrence Douglass, Richard Cassell, Raymond Clemens, Herman Bogantz, James Hunt, George Raper, Jr., David Faust, Robert Wyllie, Gerald Pollack.

First Class included James Burrage, Samuel Radovich, Robert Cupp, Jack Shay, John Porter, James Weber, Elray Jones, Donald Heiser, Richard Heiser, Tom "I've an invention at last that Daum, Robert Strong, Bernard

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Merit badges were given to Raymond Jones, Robert Black, Oscar Klein, Jerry Miller, James Smith, Don Horchler, John Colby, James Shawecker, Douglas Bacon, Tom Ritter, James Stull, Eugene Robinson, Max Gore, Richard Layer, Lloyd Shawber, James Curry, John Porter, Charles Grossmen, George Bowers, Jack Connors, James Ritchie, Robert Smeltzer, Robert Stevenson, Ralph Stanton, Elroy Jones, Richard Jones, Charles Kenny. Scout Woodsman: William Zimmerman.

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#### We Wish You A Merry Christmas By ANNA MARIE FISCHER

Well, Christmas is almost here. Most of us are hurrying about, trying to get our last-minute shopping done. Some of us are singing carols, and some of us are just having a good time in the snow.

All of these things get us in the Christmas Spirit, but let's get into the real spirit. It's something more than "What I am going to get" or building a snowman. Let's not forget that. So the Appleseed Press wishes everybody a really "Merry Christmas."

#### Be A Good Basketball Sport! By DOT ARLIN

Boooooo! cried the students at a basketball game as a boy was going to throw a foul shot. This is a very poor sign of sportsmanship. If you were playing and if people yelled at you, you undoubtedly would not like it and would also be nervous. When you are watching a game, watch it with your eyes and not your mouth. Many games have been lost because of the spectators. If the referee desires, he can give the opposite team another free throw if the audience yells too much.

So try to be a good sport and give Appleseed a good cheering section and not a booing

### Hang on to Your Books By ANN GILBERT

This problem of pupils losing books is certainly not improving any. Everyone agrees that once in a while losing a book is only natural, but when the same pupils lose and mislay their books time and time again, something must be done about it.

Let's all watch our books as closely as possible and not lay them somewhere and forget about them!

#### School Woudn't Be The Same Without

Mary Bushnell and her "troubles." "Bubby" Shawber asking questions about home work.

Somebody playing ping pong during E.C.A. Mr. Davis and his camera. Opinion books being passed around.

Somebody worrying about science. Dorothy Arlin "galavatin" around. Virginia Shambaugh running through the

halls to get to the cafeteria.

Ann Tracy in Study Hall 202.

Bob Hale and his cute, innocent smile. David Twitchel and his white hair. Bill Nixon and his crazy questions. Eleanor Doolittle's sense of humor. Bob Black and his pledge to the flag. Examinations-

#### Am I Blushing?

When Peggy Hess and Gene Foster had to stay after school for talking.

After a French test.

When the farmer told those who were present on the hay ride to get out of the hay loft. When Jean Hugo asked her schoolmates if

chickens hatched out turkeys.

When the Banks twins were told they sang on the "Jolly Juvenile" but they were elsewhere.

When Ruth Lewis came to school with her jumper on backwards.

When Roland Brennemen found out he was in the wrong study hall.

Gene Dent's face when he found out that Mr. Rohleder had heard his discussion, over the radio, of collecting hobbies.

Jo Ann Bealman when she landed on the floor trying to retrieve her literature book and Miss Beck came into the room.

When some friend of Marilyn Larson's quietly sang "Happy Birthday" to her in 205. P. S.: It was supposed to be a secret that it was her birthday.

When Granville Barker had to get up in front of the Latin class and write two rules which he had forgotten, ten times each on the blackboard.

Charles Jones when trying to stop his music

box during a literature test.

When Mr. Davis asked Janet Perez if she wanted a spanking.

When Peter Black was checking a problem algebra on the board and spelled check CHEEK.

When Ann Gilbert's pearls broke in English class.

When Miss Shaffer corrected Margaret Anderson for cracking her gum so hard in literature class.

#### Laughing Lyrics

"Goody, Good-bye"—football season.
"I Love Life"—says Bob Pearson.
"Honest John"—John Jundt????
"Contact"—the new airplane club.

"Muddy Rain Blues"—Bartley Avenue after it rains.

"Only Forever"-we will remember Johnny Appleseed.
"Wishing Will Make It So"—Nancy Giles.

"I Found A Million Dollar Baby"—says the coach."

"The Night Has A Thousand Eyes"-so be-

ware. "I Wouldn't Take A Million"-for my education at Appleseed.

"My Greatest Mistake'—George Knackstedt when he broke a test tube in science class. "We Three"—the new string trio.

#### Santa Looks Down The Chimney And Wonders



Whose G.A.A. pin Andy Knapp has? If everyone who went on the Rainbow Club hay ride had fun?

Why everyone blames it on Wilbur?

What to give certain people?

If Mary Norton would be satisfied with a baby doll?

How boys are getting along without football?

If the grades were satisfactory?
If pupils will be back ready to start work on January 6?

If Betty Miller will ever learn to keep secrets?

If the ninth grade Home Ec. class was tired

after their bake sale? What the girls did at the theaters while

they weren't passing out Red Cross literature?
Who wrote the poem above the Red Cross box in Room 101?

Why Jean Rupp always talks about Myron Kalish? Who the "little blonde" is that John Stanton

always is talking about? If Lynn Decker ever pays attention?

What Margaret Yoder would do without cheese?

What goes on in 111 third period on Monday and Thursday?

If Virginia Barnett will ever forget Detroit?
Who gets "A" in French?

If the seventh graders ever remember their stamp money?

What Jack German would look like without "butch hair cut"?

If Coach Cameron will get any taller?

#### Worth Observing

Virginia Barnett expressing her private opinions.

Mary Norton worrying about "Laughing Lyrics."

Janice Snider trying to get someone to play ping pong.

The ninth graders and their science drawings. (Poor things.)

The faces of ninth graders as they read "Dot" Arlin's editorial.

Students grinning when teachers announced two days for Thanksgiving vacation.

The worried expressions about every six weeks.

Bob Black and his nail polish remover. (P. S.: He was using it on Maryalice Spreng.)

Miss Shaffer saying the paper comes out the day before Christmas Thanksgiving.

The tremendous enthusiasm about sports. The Japanese (or something) names in "Washington Hi-Lights."

How many Ten B Honor Roll students came from Appleseed.

#### In This Corner

Troopers' Friend

T. MORRIS LONGSTRETH

By Anne Ford

How would you feel, if at the age of sixteen your mother died, your home had to be sold, and everything you held close was taken from you? This is exactly what happened to Cy Preedy. The only thing that was left to him was his hound dog, Busher.

After the house was sold and all his mother's furniture and things were auctioned, Cy decided he would leave MacCallum Village for good. So the next morning, he and Busher left town early. After they had walked a while, a State Highway Patrol car came along. The solitary trooper asked the boy if he would like to ride. Cy readily accepted, and after they had cruised along, the "cop" asked if he had had any breakfast. Upon receiving "No" for an answer, the trooper suggested they go in his place and have some ham and eggs.

After they had finished their breakfast, Sergeant Colden asked Cy some questions. When he had learned all about him, the Sergeant told Cy he thought he could get him a job as caddy at the Mountain Prep (a boys' school) golf course. The lad jumped at this chance to earn his living. The trooper asked Rownell, the "chief" of the school, to ask for the job for Cy, therefore cinching it.

All the exciting things that happened after Cy started caddying and even after that comprise the excellent story of "Troopers' Friend."

Mrs. White: "Where's the paper plate I gave you with the pie?

Billy: "Oh, I thought that was the lower crust."

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#### That's What I Want For Christmas



A yellow sweater like Dorothy Bogan's.

A red jumper like Jane Gibbs'. A pair of mittens like Catherine Caughman's.

A pair of bright red ear muffs like Bud Crum's.

A Christmas tree like the one in our entrance.

The art of being able to cook as well as the girls in Home Economics.

George Knackstedt's voice. Mr. Rohleder's authority.

The answers to Mr. Davis' history questions.

Bob Black's ability to charm the girls.

Miss McIlvaine's knowledge of math.

An extra long Christmas vacation.

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#### Orchids And Dandelions

Orchids to Janice Snider's ability in sports.

Dandelions to people that walk on the grass.

Orchids to Marilyn Larson for writing poems.

Dandelions to people who are "stuck up."

Dandelions to flirty girls.

Orchids to vacations.

Dandelions to cold mornings. Orchids to dancing classes.

Dandelions to people who gossip. Orchids - to whom? for being

able to hold Bob Black's attention. Dandelions to the odor of nail polish.

Orchids to Shirley Boock and her name blouse.

Dandelions to competition with opposite sex.

Orchids to Frank Miller and the way he winks. (At whom?)

Dandelions to short skirts with knee socks.

Orchids to Buddy Crum and his talents.

Dandelions to the "gals" that chew gum like cows.

Orchids to Helen Pecht for getting up enough nerve to ask a certain person to Mrs. Kuhn's dance.

Orchids to the boy in second period study hall on Thursday for his wonderful change of complexion.

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#### **FAVORITE PASTIMES** OF TEACHERS

Edith Beck-Knitting.

Paul Cameron-Reading.

Mr. Clouse—Listening to radio, working in shop and target shoot-

John Correll - Picture shows, reading, and the study of human nature.

Robert Davis - Photography, radio, ping pong.

A. L. Derr—Reading and sports. Marjorie Gant—Picture shows. Ellen Garner—Sports and hand-

craft. Helen Herring — Painting pic-

tures, playing bridge. Harry Hostetler - Working in

shop.

Brooks Huber-Reading, sports, dancing.

### **LEVERING'S** DAIRY

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#### Boys' Opinions Of Girls' Vogues

#### By VIRGINIA BARNETT

In study hall one day I got a brilliant idea (I think), I've heard a lot of girls' opinion of girls' clothes, so I've decided to interview some boys and get their likes and dislikes for girls' clothes. Oh! there's John Stanton. After explaining to him the things I wanted, he told me that he likes skull caps or beanies without the feathers. Girls going around with shirt tails hanging out aren't decent. Short corduroy skirts show bad taste. He dislikes silk hose with heels. Medium color nail polish is permissible and make up is taboo!

Earl Wendell agrees with John about feathers and he also likes beanies. Rouge is not very good taste and lipstick is all right if it's put on moderately. He agrees with John about the indecency of shirt tails. Skirts are all right if they come to the middle of the knee. Knee socks are poor taste. He likes anklets,

Bob Black, being a ninth grader, is more critical than the rest. He thinks hats being worn in school show poor "bringing-up." Beer jackets are very becoming. Red plaid skirts are very cute, corduroy jumpers are swell (excuse language) if they come to the knees. Make-up is all right if put on right; the same for nail polish.

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### 'Jones' Family To Appear Again

The "As You Like It" Dramatic Class is preparing another of the well-liked Jones Family series entitled "The Great Allowance Battle."

The characters were chosen Tuesday, December 3, by Miss Seybold and are as follows: Paul, Dick Tingle; Mary, Mary Bushnell; Mrs. Jones, Janice McMichael; Mr. Jones, Ned Kell; and Junior, Dick Ader.

The rest of the class will help in back stage work. The announcer will be Anna Marie Fischer.

#### 'TIS TRUE

Perhaps the slogan on Miss Wheeler's board some time ago is worth a thought: "If you don't believe in co-operation, watch what happens to a car when one wheel comes off."

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#### F.B.I. Agent Speaks Before Student Body

Mr. Howard B. Hall, United States F.B.I. agent, spoke before the student body in an assembly on Tuesday, December 3. The subject of his talk was "Know Your Money" during which he showed films and demonstrated how to detect counterfeit money from genuine.

Mr. Hall has been with the Cleveland branch of the organization for ten years. He has had various positions ranking from detective to public speaker. He was previously engaged in detective work and has chosen public speaking and showing films as additional work. He has been in many cities showing films and doing F.B.I. work

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#### THIRTEEN PRESENT HOBBIES AT MEETING

So far, the Johnny Appleseed Hobby Club in 103 has had 11 meetings. Those appearing at the meetings with their hobbies are as follows: Gene Dent, Bill Klinger, Ernest Pennell, Margarethe Jorgenson, Robert Taylor, Doralyn Stannard, Thomas Hillman, Jean Curry, Claudie Marks. Jane Nusbaum, Richard Orr, Darlene Secrist, John Cook, Charlene Rhoads. The meetings are held every Thursday, the sixth period. John Cook is president, Bob Fox is vice president, and Ernest Pennell, secretary. They were elected at the first meeting, September 19.

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#### Appleseed Gains Seven Students By Transfer

We are always glad to receive new students and within the last couple months, seven students have come to Appleseed from elsewhere. They are George McLauslin and Betty Burke from John Simpson; Richard Brokaw, from Butler; Robert Heho, from Lincoln Heights; Ben Brumm, from White Hall, and Jean Stiffany, from Toledo.

Though we hate to lose our students, four have been transferred. The following have gone to other schools: Lucille Clift to Simpson, June Lehnhart to Madison, Robert Oliver to Wynnewood, Pennsylvania, and Mary Lee Blackledge to Lorain.

#### **Christmas Is Coming**

By HELEN McCRACKEN

Christmas is coming you can tell The hustle and bustle, the rings of a bell,

Slippery streets, busy feet Goodies and candy all to eat. There are buggies and baby dolls, All together with big red balls. Children gleam with delight To see the packages wrapped in

white. Christmas morning wil soon be here.

And then it will be gone for another year.

### P-T.A. Club Holds Benefit Bridge, Other Activities

Wednesday, November 27, in the John Simpson Junior High build-

Any member of the P.-T. A. of Mansfield was invited to come and the attendance was representative from the different schools.

Johnny Appleseed, with 434 members, has the largest membership in the city ever attained. It is the only P.-T. A. which has two state board members, who are Mrs. I. W. Basinger and Mr. Robert Y. Davis, teacher at Johnny Apple-

There has been a 10 per cent increase of attendance from last year and the total membership in the city is 2600.

Mrs. C. A. McClure was in charge of the jamboree.

On November 27, a Parent-Teachers' Association meeting of Johnny Appleseed was held in the dramatic room, 207.

Mrs. Dr. Manzier, a refugee from Europe, was guest speaker. She spoke on the conditions in Europe and Germany during the early years of Hitler's rise to fame.

A discussion was held about getting a motion picture machine. It was decided that 75 per cent of

A. P.-T. A. Jamboree was held the profits taken in at the benefit bridge, which was to be held Thursday, December 5, would be given toward the machine.

> The Parent - Teachers' Association of Johnny Appleseed held a benefit bridge, open to the public, Thursday, December 5, in the gymnasium.

> There were approximately 50 tables occupied. The fee was 25 cents a person or one dollar a table.

Door prizes were given and bingo was played in 115 for five cents a game.

The Girls' Leader Association checked the wraps.

Among those present was Miss Wilma Snider, former girls' physical education teacher at Johnny Appleseed.

Profits taken in were given to-ward the buying of a motion picture machine.

The members of the P.-T. A. wish to thank the following organ-

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#### Club Accepts New Members

Virginia Wagner, Prospect Street, entertained the members and four guests of the Dizzy Wizzy Club, Tuesday, November 19.

Kathleen Diemer, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Virginia Wagner was elected secretary. Four new members were voted in and accepted into the club. They are Peggy Foltz, Rosemary Leonard, Pauline Bauer, and Charlotte Collins.

Plans were discussed for a Christmas party and the exchange of gifts. The Christmas meeting will be with Mary Alice Berger on Dale Avenue.

Games and dancing were enjoyed throughout the evening. Prizes were won by Gloria McKinley and Juanita Hillman. A delightful luncheon was served by the host-

The members present were Kathleen Diemer, Peggy Foltz, Gloria McKinley, Pauline Bauer, Mary Alice Berger, Charlotte Collins, Juanita Hillman, Rosemary Leonard, and the hostess.

#### New Club Organizes At Jean Rench's Home

The first official meeting of the E.F.G. Club was held at the home of Jean Rench, 132 Bartley Avenue, on November 14, at 7:30. Corsages were presented by the hostess to the members. The evening was spent in dancing and fun. A luncheon was served at the end of the evening.

Those present were Georgia Mae Bogan, president; Jo Ann Keller, secretary; Roberta Lemley, program chairman; Jane Sneeringer, and the hostess.

Juanita Hillman, vice president, was unable to attend.

#### Girl Scouts Meet At Red Cross Sewing Center

The Girl Scouts held their regular Girl Scout meeting on Monday evening, November 25, at the Red Cross sewing rooms. Each girl is responsible for handing in one skirt for war refugees. The next meeting will be held at the home of the leader, Mrs. William Hauserman, on West Fourth Street.

#### Y.W.C.A. Has Thanksgiving Dance For Junior High Pupils

The first Junior High School dance was held at the Y.W.C.A., Wednesday, November 20, at 8:00 p. m., as a Thanksgiving dance for boys and girls of Johnny Appleseed and John Simpson Junior High School.

Each boy and girl was asked to bring any old toys which the Girl Reserves will brighten up for needy children and that can be distributed at Christmas time.

### SOCIETY

#### Dizzy Wizzy Club Meets For Halloween Party

All of the members of the Dizzy Wizzy Club were present at a meeting Wedneseday, November 6, at the home of Gloria McKinley, Arch Street.

Kathleen Diemer, president, conducted a short business meeting, at which time four new members were invited to attend their next meeting.

Dancing and games were enjoyed. Prizes were awarded to Kathleen Diemer, and Virginia

Typical Halloween refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the evening.

The next meeting was with Virginia Wagner, Prospect Street, November 19.

#### Troop Eight Has Meeting At Connie Roelof's Home

The Scout Troop 8 met Tuesday, November 19, at the home of Connie Roelof, 344 Ruth Avenue. They are making skirts for Red Cross and expect to make at least a dozen. The regular business meeting was held, after which they had refreshments.

Those present were Miss Helen Bein, Mrs. Roelof, Betty Pugh, Elaine Guiher, Jane Gibbs, Dorothy Arlin, Marilyn Larson, Anne Ford, and the hostess.

#### Student Entertains Guests In Honor Of Her Birthday

A birthday party honoring Janice Ganyard, 19 Hoffman Avenue, was held on November 28, at her

There were fourteen guests present and the hostess. Those present were as follows: Helen Pecht, Mary Margaret Kochheiser, Joanne Banks, Janet Banks, Joanne Leppert, Joanne Wragg, Jean Rupp, Mary Bredbeck, Nancy McCombs, Martha Purdy, Jean Plotts, Barbara Oberlander, Bettie Gibson, Phyllis Smith, and the hostess, Janice Ganyard. A few games were played and then supper was served.

#### Girl Reserves Decorate Y.W.C.A. At Party

The Girl Reserves both from Johnny Appleseed and John Simpson had a party to decorate the Y.W.C.A. The party was held December 15 at 5:00 p. m. and was called "The Hanging Of The Greens." There were girls selected from each group to take part in the party. Those from Johnny Ap-

#### Troop Five Meets On Saturday To Sew

Troop Five held a meeting Saturday, November 23, to sew on skirts for the Red Cross.

These skirts come all cut, with the instructions and are simple to sew. Each girl has one skirt and the leaders have two.

Most of the other troops are also working on the skirts. These will be used to help those in need both here in the United States and abroad.

#### Girl Scouts Sew Skirts; Work On Scrapbook

The Girl Scouts of Troop Seven held their regular meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. William Hauserman, on Monday, December 2. During the evening, the girls divided and some worked on skirts for the Red Cross, while others pasted and worked on several scrapbooks which are to be given to the patients at the Tuberculosis sanitarium.

The girls decided that they would meet the next time at the Red Cross sewing rooms on West Fourth Street. They also decided that each girl would be responsible for bringing two cans of food for the Christmas basket every meeting until Christmas.

The rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

#### M.A.T.'s Celebrate Member's Birthday

The M.A.T.'s met Friday, November 29, at the home of Jean Rupp, Alta-West Road. The eight members present celebrated the birthday of Anne Ford. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Joanne and Janet Banks, Joanne Wragg, Joanne Leppert, Helen Pecht, Mary Margaret Kochheiser, Anne Ford, and Jean Rupp.

#### 'Penquins' Elect Officers At Club Member's Home

Members of the Penquin Club met at the home of Peggy Ann Foltz, November 12. A business meeting was conducted and officers were elected. They are: Peggy Foltz, president; Pauline Bauer, vice president; Jane Nusbaum, secretary; Jo Ann Beelman, treasurer. Games were played and refreshments served

Those present were Jo Ann Beelman, Jean Curry, Jane Nusbaum, Beverly Wentz, Marcella Grau, Pauline Bauer, Shirley Oswalt, and Mary Alice Berger. Betty Pfliepleseed were Kathleen Diemer, derer was a guest of the evening. Jean Johnston, Naomi Zediker, The next meeting will be held at Olive Wendell, and Wilma White. Jean Curry's, Edgewood Road. The next meeting will be held at

#### Scouts Have Party; Finish Activities

The Girl Scouts of Troop Fourteen had a Christmas party December 16. The girls played games and had a Christmas gift exchange. They also had refreshments.

The girls who recently passed the tenderfoot test are Virginia Keister and Carol Goettinger.

Patrol leaders are Marcella Grau, Verna Beth Graham, Dorothy Weaver. Patricia Metcalf is the troop treasurer and secretary. Miss Palmer is the leader and these patrol leaders help her.

Miss Palmer was assisted also by Mrs. Lichtenberger, Mrs. Graham and Miss Gant in the making of the skirts which the troop is making for the Red Cross. These skirts were made for the children of England, France, Germany and China.

Some of the girls in the troop went to the Senior High School swimming pool for swimming instructions under the direction of Mrs. Thomas Ford, Tuesday, December 10. This was for all the Girl Scouts who wanted swimming instructions for passing their swimming tests.

#### Christmas

By JEAN CURRY

What makes you think of Christmas,

With its holly wreathes so gay, Christmas carolers singing, Children in their play?

Christmas trees bedecked with lighting,

Children's cheeks, the frost is bit-

What is this tingling light within us?

Lo! Tis the holy Spirit of Christ-

#### NOON COMMITTEE BEGINS REGULAR ACTIVITIES

The noon committee is slightly different this year. A chairman is chosen for each week. These chairmen, Mr. John Thoms, Mr. Robert Davis, Mr. Brooks Huber, Mr. Harold Ramsey and Mr. G. A. Clouse have a committee of four or five teachers each.

The committee for the week are stationed at certain points. A teacher is in each study hall, one in the gym, one watching the halls, and the general chairman keeps an eye on the cafeteria and he also appoints the committee stations.

Basketball games and volleyball games and many other games have been played already. Noon dances will be held soon. Large crowds have been attending the activities and seem to enjoy them.

### Merry Mixers Hold To Our School First Bake Sale

After much work and patience, the Merry Mixers Club had their long - hoped - for bake sale. The girls spent many days planning and getting prepared for the sale. It was held at Dixon's Market, November 16. Shifts were arranged so the girls would not tire and so there wouldn't be too many at a table at one time.

Experience in selling and making change was gained. The club members also learned the quantity they should have had. The list included a large assortment of cookies, different kinds of cakes, cup cakes, bread, rolls, candy and ginger-bread. Everything was sold by 4:30 that evening.

On certain nights after school the adviser, Miss Tucker, and different girls will buy articles to furnish their clubroom. The purchases will be made at the stores the girls visited while studying consumer buying.

#### What Do You Plan To Do During Vacation?

Peggy Foltz-Go to Cleveland . . maybe.

Marlyn Larson—I'll probably go ice skating.

Dorothy Arlin-I'll go Christmas shopping for one thing; and if it's cold enough, go skating.

Peggy Hess-Go ice skating. Virginia Barnett-Go to Detroit.

Dolores Wise-I'm going to my aunts' and have turkey.

Ann Gilbert—Go sled riding and iceskating if there's snow and ice.

By BOB CUPP

How beautiful, 'neath cloudless skies

Our dream at last come true; You stand, a monument to youth, We point with pride to you.

Your walks enclose our destinies; We'll always sing your praise, And pledge our loyalty to you Through all the future days.

To "Johnny Appleseed" we sing, The school we all hold dear. The echoes raise with note of praise

Resounding cheer on cheer.

#### Class Gives Play At Regular Assembly

On November 13, in assembly, a one-act comedy playlet was given by one of the dramatic classes, entitled, "Be Home By Midnight" or "The Clock Struck One." The play starred the Jones Family with Kitty Bushnell playing the part of Mrs. Jones and Glenn Wendland, the part of Mr. Jones. Margaret Walery played the part of Mary, the daughter, and Bob Miller was Paul, the son. Junior was played by George Vawter.

Mary Simon and Joyce Hubbs were in charge of make-up, while Gretchen Bohland was in charge of the properties.

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#### NEW CLUB ORGANIZED FOR AIRPLANE STUDY

pupils met with Mr. Thoms to organize an Airplane Club. As the class is so large, it will be divided according to each one's experience.

The president of the club is Douglas Myers; vice president, James Switzer; secretary, John Jundt, treasurer, Glenn Heston.

During the year, they will have instruction in construction work, talks on airplanes, an excursion to the Mansfield Airport, parties and model plane contests in the spring.

On Monday, November 18, Mr. Peat of Peat's Hardware Store spoke to the club on airplanes.

#### MUSIC CLASS STUDIES TWO FAMOUS OPERAS

The ninth grade music class this six weeks' period, is studying two operas: "Tannhauser" by Wagner and "Carmen" by Bizet. Mrs. Thursa Hazeltina will be a guest of the class in the near future to give a complete summary of one of the above operas.

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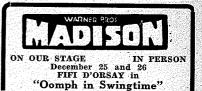
#### **Amateurs Perform** Monday, October 28, fifty-five In Two Assemblies

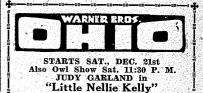
In two assemblies, a number of amateurs have performed.

On November 7, Delores Wise gave a tap dance, and Virginia Wagner played a piano solo, "Melody in F," and as an encore, "Little Sir Echo," with the student

body joining in the singing.

On November 13, Betty Wynn gave a song and dance to "In An Old Dutch Garden;" George Knackstedt sang "Sierra Sue," and as an encore, "When the Swallows Come Back to Capistrano;" and Lynn Decker played a piano solo, "The Coronation March" with the encore, "Velocity Study."







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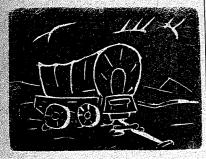
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#### The Wagon Tongue



#### By BOB BLACK

At the game between Madison and Appleseed the spectators showed very poor sportsmanship by booing and yelling when foul ing been captain of the team. shots were being made.

If the referee had wanted to, he could have let the other team shoot foul shots until the spectators ceased booing or yelling. Probably they didn't realize the seriousness of the situation, but it could have lost the game for us.

So the next time we play a game, let's not yell when foul shots are being made, for the boys are fighting hard to win and we wouldn't want the spectators to lose the game for them. You may get as excited as you want to during playing, but let's get quiet while foul shots are being made.

The first round of a ping pong and shuffle board tournaments ended December 6. The second round began December 9.

Many people think football players have no taste for art, but some of them do from the way the paper looked after the first Appleseed football banquet. They had artistically drawn pictures and names of——Hm.

The football players wish to pay tribute to Mrs. Brunk, Mrs. Wendell, Mrs. Mottson and Mrs. Hypes who prepared such a fine meal for the banquet, Mrs. Brunk and Mrs. Hypes, who are regularly from the cafeteria. The players thanked them personally and by giving them a big hand.

Johnny Appleseed basketball players received their new basketball uniforms, December 9. They are now being shown in the trophy

The shirts are maroon with gold numerals, and the upper part is trimmed with gold. The pants are maroon with a maroon and gold belt. The knee pads are all white.

For the reserves, there are white shirts with black numerals and black pants with red and white sides. The boys will furnish their own tennis shoes.

### Letters Awarded at First Annual Football Banquet

quet was held in the cafeteria Friday. December 6. The two-course dinner was served in cafeteria style and there were second helpings available. Cake and ice cream were served as desserts.

After the dinner, the letters were awarded by Coach Cameron. Some were six-inch letters and all others except managers were eightinch. Bob Morehead was presented a letter with a star on it for hav-

Then came the unexpected, which was a two-tone jacket given to Frank Beckel for being the most | ing with our coach."

The first annual football ban-uet was held in the cafeteria Fri-av. December 6. The two-course warmth of the players."

There were short talks from the guests, who included Mr. Rohleder, Mr. Wendell, P.-T. A. president; Mr. Thoms, Paul Sauder, and Miss Palmer, who were introduced by Jimmie Smith.

Jerry Zeller played two numbers on the piano, after which Bill Nixon played his accordion.

The whole group sang a few songs and the party was broken up with one thought: "We sure had a swell time and enjoyed work-

#### Honorary Teams Play Off Tournament

The Girls' Honorary Volleyball The Girls' Honorary Volleyball By One Point Friday, November 29. The teams competing were the Maroons and Golds. The Maroons won by a score of 32 to 22. The Honorary teams received 50 points toward G.A.A. and the substitutes, 25

The players on each team were: Golds-Janice Snider, Margaret Walery, Mary Simon, Katherine Shaller, Carol Hosler, Maryalice oknav.

Maroons-Dot Arlin, Anna Marie Fisher, Mary Bushnell, Janice MacMichael, Ruby Wooten, Katherine Ann Schaffer, Marjorie Berg, Eleanor Doolittle, Substitutes—Shirley Boock, Marilyn Larson, Norma Jean Motter.

#### Leaders Play In Tournaments

The Leaders' Club, like other athletic clubs of the school, is engaged in a tournament similar to the intramurals. It is a ping pong tournament. It advances by the winning person's moving his name one place above his original po-

Another tournament also being played in Leaders is a shuffleboard tournament. It is played in the same manner as the ping pong tournament.

These tournaments take place at noon and during various study halls and other free periods. They are refereed by other student leaders and Miss Garner. Basketball is also an interesting game enjoyed by the Leaders.

### Pioneers Win Over Madison

The Appleseed Pioneers won their first game of the season by defeating the Madison High School Reserves 31 to 30. It was a thrilling game, with first one team and then the other holding the lead.

With 45 seconds to play, Leslie Myers sank a field goal and it won Spring, Nancy Leonard, Connie the game. Numerous fouls were Roelof. Substitutes—Georgia Mae called and two Pioneers were Bogan, Mary Norton, Martha Koreiected from the game. ejected from the game.

The score by periods was: Appleseed ....... 12 13 2 4—31 Madison ...... 12 9 6 3—30

#### Ontario Trounces Pioneer Team

Johnny Appleseed was defeated by Ontario, December 11, with a score of 34 to 24. Ontario's team, holding a slight height advantage, was led by Cassel, who scored nine points. The Pioneers were led by Andy Lamoreux, who tallied five points.

The Ontario bunch had a defense which was hard to break up and also Appleseed had trouble finding the basket, although they played a fine passing game. The line-up and points made are as follows:

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			7 9 6	12-34

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#### Simpson Awarded Trophy at Banquet

At the annual Senior High Football banquet, Simpson was awarded the trophy for the Junior High football championship.

As you remember, Simpson emerged the victor in the Appleseed-Simpson game by a score of

The trophy was awarded to Carl Schaeffer, captain of the Simpson team.

In order to keep the trophy, one of the two schools must win it three out of five years, after which it will receive the trophy for a permanent possession.

The meal consisted of a fourcourse dinner after which they announced the election of the captain of the Mansfield Tygers for 1941.

Mr. Boals, coach of Wooster College, who was the main speaker, talked about good sportsmanship and said that there should be more young players. He then ended his talk by telling and explaining that too many wins are not good. The most valuable player award was then presented to Joe Romano.

After this, the letters were presented to players, managers and cheerleaders. They were then shown pictures of some of the Ohio State games. After the banquet, pictures were taken.

All grade school and junior high coaches and captains were present.

#### Sixty-five Boys Report For Practice

Sixty-five boys reported for basketball practice, Monday, November 14. From the sixty-five, Mr. Cameron picked the varsity of 23 boys. They are—ninth grade: Frank Miller, Andy Lamoreux, Gene Foster, Bob Miller, Leonard Wappner, Ned Brunk, Bill Roush, Andy Knapp, Bob Morehead, Jack Meeting, Douglass Myers, and Paul

The eighth grade boys are John Shriver, Charles Sauder, Leslie Myers, Dick Haley, Paul Johnson, Jerry Zeller, Floyd Bishop, Frank Beckel, Bob Hall, Dick Weaver, and Lee Morehead.

#### TOURNAMENT ENDS

The recent girls' intramural tournaments were finished when honor teams were chosen. These teams competed for championships. The volleyball tournament was ended with the Volleyettes as the winners. The standings:

	Wo	a Lost
Volleyettes	5	0
Servers	2	3
Netters	1	4
Spikers	2	3.
Co-ops		2
Speedsters		

#### Locker Laughs



#### By JANICE SNIDER

Why did 8B-2 and 8B-3 have to be called back to the locker room after class?

Did you notice Anne Ford trying to weigh less, when health classes were being measured for height and weight?

You should have seen certain eighth grade girls acting as doctors in giving postural examinations.

The ninth grade health classes watched the boys play basketball in order to learn spectator poise.

Worth watching and the Leaders playing ping pong the seventh period.

(What do you do now? This is what the ninth grade girls ask when they are playing basketball.

"What's the score?" asked a

### G. A. A. Sponsors Christmas Dance In School Gymnasium

The "Jingle Jive," which was sponsored by the G.A.A. of Johnny Appleseed was held December 13 from 8:00 to 11:00 o'clock in the gymnasium. The 50 couples danced to the music of many leading bands of the day played by a nickelodian. The decorations were in keeping with the Christmas holiday and Christmas spirit reigned throughout the evening.

tired ninth grade girl when the team had finished a long and obviously hard game of basketball. "Nothing to nothing," replied Miss Garner nonchalantly. The girl frowned and went down to the locker room.

Who knows how Shirley Boock got the name "Blondie Plays Cupid" after the Appleseed card

"Why did Miss Garner call Eleanor Doolittle, "Didlittle."



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Committees which were chosen by the president and general chairman, Janice Snider, were as follows: Music chairman, Elenor Doolittle, assistants, Mary Norton and Dorothy Bogan; decoration chairman Shirley Boock, assistants, Mary Bushnell, Dorothy Arlin, Jane Gibbs, and Kitty Bushnell; ticket chairman, Peggy Hess, assistants, Virginia Shambaugh, Margaret Walery, Helen Pecht, and Anna Marie Fisher; coat checkers, Mary Simon, Mary Margaret Kochheiser, Joanne and Janet Banks, and Catherine Caughman; poster

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are three different groups that Hose. take blueprinting, shop sketching, and woodwork. One group of boys in either teacher's class takes one of the three vocations for six weeks, then he takes another one and at the end of eighteen, all boys have had a chance at all three vocations.

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The boys that take shop are John Back, Ronald Bender, Jack Bushman, James Calderhead, Leonard Clay, Dick Fisher, Jack German, Dale Gimble, Bill Graham, Junior Kilgore, Jack Leonard, Bob Moorehead, Robert Parsons, Robert Shiltz, George Smith, Fred ision; another takes machine shop and another, sheet metal.

In Mr. Hostetler's classes, there

> Allen Kinkle, Raymond Kiraly, Dick Layer, Jack Meeting, Paul Pfahler, Dick Schacherer, Dean Schuler, Paul Shoup, James Switzer, Allan Walsh, Jay Williams, Jesse Williams, David Windbigler, Bob Pearson.

> The pictures on page thirteen show various scenes typical in this department of our school and will give everyone some idea of the activities performed by this group of

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#### Pictures On Page 13 Described

Top row, reading from left to right are Richard Fisher, turning the hammer handle on machine lathe, Junior Kilgore soldering a tin cup at soldering bench, a group of ninth grade boys on bench metal work, and David Miller working with wood-turning lathe.

Row two shows Norman Pore and Robert Lamb sawing at power saw, a group of seventh grade boys at bench wood work and John Back cutting on circular shears. Immediately below is Dale Gimble forming pipe on forming rolls.

Row three includes James Moore using band saw, Robert Lamb boring holes with drill press, William Van Scoyoe turning burr on burring machine and James Calderhead cutting on squaring shear.

Bottom row sohws Mr. G. A. Clouse demonstrating the use of centerhead to Jack Bushman and William Van Soyoc, George Spreng using jointer and Mr. H. S. Hostetler explaining a blueprint to James Switzer.



#### Gym Classes Learn Two New Games

Two new games, introduced to the pupils in the gym classes, have proved to be very interesting. They are hit pin baseball and basketball.

The seventh and eighth grade are playing hit pin baseball, a game somewhat like baseball.

The ninth grade is playing basketball, which proves very beneficial and interesting.

These games will be included in the intramural tournaments later.

The ninth grade health classes are learning the fundamentals of basketball.

Leaders for the basketball tournaments were chosen by the pupils in the classes.





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### Shop Boys at Work

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The above group of pictures shows some of the boys who are taking shop using a few of the tools that it is necessary to learn to handle in this course. A complete explanation of this department at Johnny Appleseed is given in the article entitled "Boys Learn Useful Trades In Modern Shop Department" on page 12, along with a detailed description of the above picture.



#### By PEGGY FOLTZ

Fashion says—Give a Judy Garland "snowflake" sweater, Of course jockey red or blarney green are wonderful Christmas colors and you might add a cunning crocheted beanie or knitted hoodjust for fun.

A special "knock-out" are the new leather mittens made to look like Joe Louis boxing gloves.

You may have heard of the keyless skates that have a catch in back by which to adjust the size.

A grand Christmas gift for some girl would be the new wool booties. They're irresistible in blue, red, or white, gayly hand-embroidered in contrasting colors with felt soles topped with smooth black velveteen toes—just the thing for after skiing and other winter sports.

If you'd rather wear your animals than keep them on a shelf, there's a circus pony complete with

tiny leather saddle and beplumed Christmas Hints bridle for your lapel, also lambs and a squirrel with a great bushy fur tail.

Absolutely different, is the new lapel gadget which contains perfume so one has her pin and favorite odor at the same time; and the giant bubble banks for the young fry, the newest idea to promote the saving habit, would make ideal Christmas gifts.

You'll love the new stadium boots to keep your feet warm. These come in a combination brown and beige and in all white. They are lined within with soft wool and simulated fur bands the top-another suggestion for a gift.

Also, three cheers for the new patriotic fob watches of sterling silver with red-white-blue insig-

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#### By ANN GILBERT

I believe that a gift you "don'tknow-what-to-buy" shoppers could give any of us boys and girls is a book. That is, providing you choose interesting books. Just to help, I have several lists which you may find useful. These books are all in the Johnny Appleseed library, are new, and are in circulation.

Boys' Adventure Stories

Bob Wakefield's Flight Log by Blaine and Dupont Miller-This is an aviation story.

Wings Over West Point by R. G. Every-Also an aviation story.

The Iron Doctor by Agnes D. Hewes — The story of a young cruiser and the building of the San Francisco Bay Bridge.

Transatlantic Pilot by Frederick Litten-Also an aviation story. Girls' Adventure Stories

Champion's Choice by John R.

Tunes—A story about a girl who played tennis.

Frills and Thrills by Louise B. Gallagher-The career of a young fashion designer.

Bold of Heart by Helen E. Waite -A mystery for girls.

Sue Barton, Superintendent of Nurses by Helen D. Boylston-Another in the Sue Barton series.

Blue Horizon by Mary W. Thom-(Continued on page 16)

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#### HONOR ROLL Eighth Grade

George Loesch, Charles Sauder, James Moore, Fred Werner, Albert Bechtler.

#### Honorable Mention

Robert Lamb, Ray Pipes, Frederick Schenk, Gail Breckenridge, George Erich, Robert Meyer, Fred Stull, Lynn Decker, Calvin Crone, Dale Murphy, Gwendolyn Bowers, Sally Bushman, Nancy McCombs.

Eleanora Young, Irene Megyesi, Lois Beechler, Mary Bredbeck, Betty Hampton, Lola Williams, Barbara Tingley, Anne Ford, Doris Heston, Helen Pecht, Betty Constance, Dolores White.

#### Special Recognition

Donald Johnson, Ralph Myers, David Miller, David Nusbaum, Murray Swihart, Merle Pittenger, Eugene Thessen, Donald Chapman, John Stanton, Earl Wendell, Richard Boling, Richard James, Walter Klein, Betty Dunn, Helen McClure, Mary Goodwin, Patricia Tracy, Joanne Wragg, Nancy Bullock, Beverly Noel, Janet Banks. Joanne Banks, Mary Koch-

heiser, Joan Leppert, Georg-ene Rupp, Ruth Wolf, Shirley Bauer, Felicia Burkett, Ruth Ger-

ber, Jane McCoy, Elaine Miller, Edith Stretch, Dorothy June, Jo sephine Kiehl, Betty Miller, Mar-gie Shoup, Virginia Wagner, Mary Warden.

#### HONOR ROLL

#### Ninth Grade

Lloyd Shawber, Jack Brollier, Hugh Eyerly, Dorothy Arlin, Katherine Schafer, Joyce Hubbs, Betty Beckett.

#### Honorable Mention

Milton Kessie, Andrew Knapp, Peter Black, Richard Gibson, Robert Hale, Andy Lamoreux, Frank Miller, William Nixon, James Smith, Jack Lautsbaugh, John Porter, Robert Black, David Hollingsworth, George Lake, Douglas Myers, Glen Schaaf, William Stomps, David Twitchell, Robert Miller, Robert J. Miller, James Weber, Robert Wittmer.

Catherine Caughman, Ann Gilbert, Elaine Siegfried, Marjorie Wiltrout, Anna Marie Fischer,

Marilyn Larson, Betty Pugh, Joan GLEE CLUB MAKES PLANS Thrutchley, Mary Bushnell, Carol FOR FUTURE PROGRAMS Hosler, Virginia Osburn, Katherine Schaller, Mary Young, Ruth Clouse, Juanita Hillman, Miriam Ferree, Betty Harbaugh, Beverly Reynolds, Mary Alice Spring, Mary Lou Scanlon.

#### Special Recognition

Eugene Foster, Allan Neal, George Reichert, Allan Walsh, Ned Brunk, Richard Meister, Dwight Miller, Robert Dinger, Beatrice Baltzell, Catherine Bushnell, Pauline Hockett, Dorothy Jordan, Janice MacMichael, Mary Norton.
Mary Simon, Wilma Whyte, Na-

omi Yarger, Helen Buchan, Normagene Motter, Betty Fagnard, Ar-lene Koon, Gwendolyn Stahlheber, Gloria Shaum, Margaret Yoder, Dorothy Shill, Janice Snider, Gloria Ziegler.

At the present time, the Glee Club for girls and soloists from the club are planning to present a program to the radio audience of WMAN in the latter part of Jan-

The Girls' Glee Club, combined with the A Capella Choir, are also planning to present an assembly program to Johnny Appleseed pupils in the early part of 1941.

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#### By JOYCE HUBBS

It seems that Appleseed was not the only school to hold a mock presidential election. Three of the papers we received this month carried election returns. Just in case you're interested, Mr. Roosevelt led at Saratoga Springs and Roosevelt Junior High, while Roxboro High favored Mr. Willkie. We see by the "Hypho" that stu-

We see by the "Hypho" that students of Mansfield High recently underwent three periods of gruelling torture in the form of an intelligence test. One article follows the adventures of a "typical victim" from the beginning to the end of the test.

Kirk High School held a poll this month to discover the most popular boys' and girls' names. "Bob" won as the most popular boys' name while "Bill' and "Dick" were close seconds. "Jean" and "Pat' tied for the girls with "Betty" close behind.

Simpson's first Thanksgiving assembly was held November 20 in the auditorium. Carl Schaefer, recently elected president of the ninth grade class, acted as chairman.

From the "Just Between Us" column of the "Oratoga" we bor-

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#### Just Kids at School

#### By DOT ARLIN

First is a popular boy who is in 104 and plays the accordion. He is a good jitterbug and is always asking dumb questions in class. He was a football manager during the football season. He belongs to the Junior Music Study Club and the accordion band at Smart's. He takes dramatics and his hobbies are electric motors and swimming. He belongs to the Main Street Evangelical Church.

This girl is active in activities in school and she is in 104. She belongs to the Girls Leaders Club, reporter on the paper, G.A.A., Dramatics, Junior Music Study Club and is a First Class Scout. She belongs to the Congregational Church and lives on Bigelow Road. She collects tallies and what nots and is the Patrol Leader of Troop Eight.

rowed this following conversation between two students at a football game:

She: "Oh, look! The players are covered with mud. How will they get it off?"

He: "What do you think they have the scrub team for?"

### Hotel Fairview

Diamond At Third Mansfield, Ohio

#### Christmas Hints

(Continued from page 14) as—A career story for girls.

Edra of the Islands by Marjorie Medary

The Curious Affair at Heron Shoals by Augusta H. Seaman.

The Fair Adventure by Elizabeth Janet Gray — An excellent school story.

Rain or Shine by Marion E. Baer

The story of the weather.

Things a Boy Can Do With Electrochemistry by Alfred Morgan.

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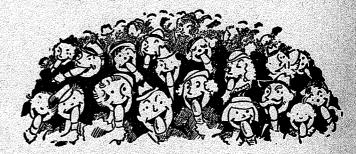
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