

WESTERN WIND-UP

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WILL YOU HELP

"SAFETY CLUB"

Members of the Safety Club elected the following officers for this year:

President-David Marks
Vice President-Jimmy

Gandert

Secretary-Janet Hahn

This year the officers are trying to find how they can get pupils to obey the safety pledge and the rules. They know they can make all kinds of rules but they must have the cooperation of every pupil in carrying them out.

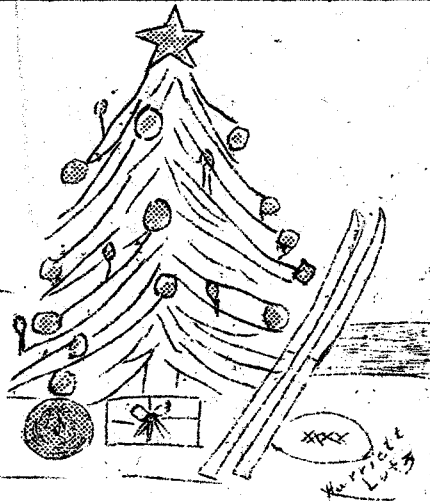
Anyone who has any suggestions please discuss them in your rooms at your next safety meeting. Every room has a chance to take part in our school's safety.

Janet Hahn - 6

"DIPHTHERIA SPREADING"

Miss Lindsey, our school nurse, said that diphtheria is spreading. She hopes you will see your Doctor for Immunization. You more than likely have received a notice from Dr. Wild by this time.

Susan Hansberger 6



"PLEASE SUBMIT DRAWINGS"

We would like pupils to submit drawings for decorating the moving picture screen frame.

Present your drawing to any member of the Western Wind-Up staff. The staff will select the best one and put it in the next paper with your name and grade.

Marilyn Heuss - 6

"CHRISTMAS VACATION"

Our vacation at Christmas time will start December 19, and end January 6, 1942.

We hope everyone has a nice vacation with a Happy Christmas Day.

(Don't eat too much)

Carolyn Thompson-6

GIVE SOMEONE ELSE A BETTER CHRISTMAS

All of you would like to help someone else have a better Christmas. Here is your chance.

Bring all of your outgrown clothes to school to be given to other children in our city. The clothing will not be of use to you now, but it could be very useful to some other child. Clothing is needed for both boys and girls. Here is a list of clothing needed: shoes, over-shoes, shirts, caps, hats, dresses, suits, underwear, coats, stockings, and gloves.

We would like every one to bring some article of clothing if possible. Bring the clothing assorted and labeled according to size.

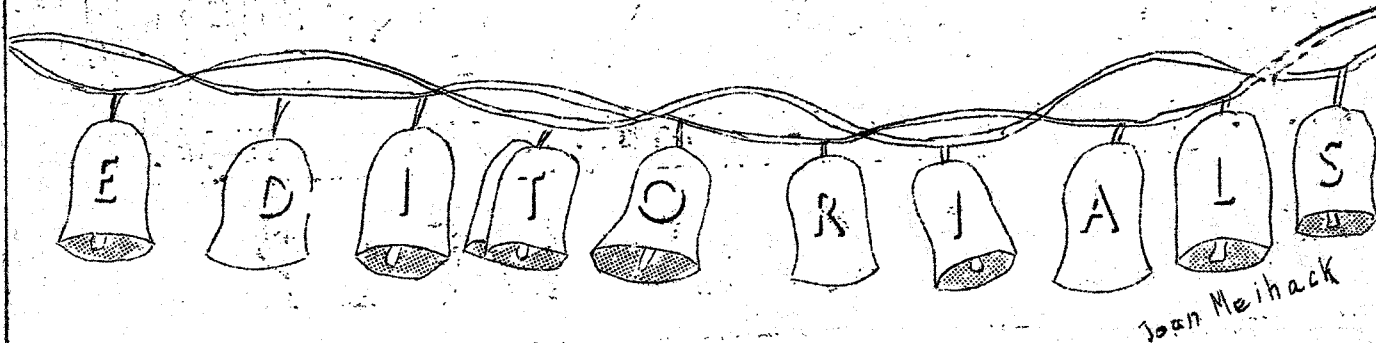
HELP BY BRINGING YOUR ARTICLE OF CLOTHING TO THE KITCHEN NOW.

Susan Hansberger 6

Elinor Matthes 6

"CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PLANNED"

The upper grades are having a program. They will have carols sung, a pantomime, and a Bible reading. B. Ward, - 6



"STAFF"

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"CHRISTMAS SAFETY"

For Christmas tree safety be careful and test your lights and wires before you put them on your tree. Keep small children away from the light plugs and light bulbs while the tree lights are plugged in.

Carolyn Thompson - 6

"DEVELOPING YOUR WHOLE SELF"

To develop the mind read and study a lot. You develop your mind by using it in common things. You develop your mind from the time you are a baby on. You cannot do a thing without using your mind.

To develop your character you should be kind and helpful. People

like you better if you think of others and not yourself. To develop your character you should learn to do things and teach others to do them. This will develop your character and your character is what you are.

To develop your body use all muscles in doing something. You develop your body when you become skillful in something. You should eat the right kind of food and drink only pastuerized milk. Out door sports, good food and drinks are responsible for developing your body.

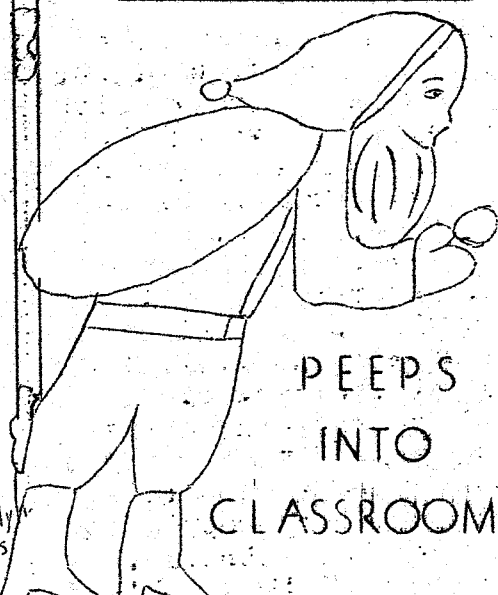
David Ganyard - 6

"DEVELOPING YOUR WHOLE CHARACTER"

The development of your body, character, and mind depends largely upon your environment. To build up your body you must eat the right kind of foods, drink plenty of milk and water. Get at least 10 hours of sleep daily. Take a bath about 3 times a week and brush your teeth twice a day.

Along with body building a person must have good character. Good character is the result of clean living, clean thinking, and clean talking. All these good habits help to make a person a good desirable neighbor and citizen.

John Park - 6



PEEPS INTO CLASSROOMS

"SHADOW PLAY"

Miss Verba's room is having a shadow play. They make paper figures of The Three Bears, The Gingerbread Boy, and The Little Red Hen. Then they paste them on sticks. They hold these in back of a screen and shine a light on them. This throws a shadow on the screen.

"MOVIES"

Mr. Clark's room has a picture show every Monday morning pertaining to Geography and Health. They wrote stories on "What a Good American Boy or Girl Should Do" and "Developing Your Whole Self."

"MISS STUCKEY'S ROOM"

Miss Stuckey's room drew pictures of Christmas. They also have a large collection of plants. They have cactus plants, tropical plants and many other kinds.

Nancy Condon - 6

"BOOK CHARACTERS"

Miss White's room has some very nice pictures of book characters on the board.

Harriet Lutz - 6

MISS ENGWILLER'S ROOM

"WEATHER CHART"

Our class is keeping a weather chart. We have blue for sunny days. We have gray for cloudy days and umbrellas for rainy days. We have the temperature and directions of the wind, too.

J. K. Footlick - 2

"OUR BULBS"

We planted some narcissus bulbs. They are growing very well. I think they will very soon be flowers.

Dorothy Crawford - 2

"THANKSGIVING FRIEZE"

We made a Thanksgiving frieze. We put Pilgrims, and Indians, and Plymouth Rock, and log cabins, and teepees, and the Mayflower, in it.

Tommy Garrison - 2

"TOMMY AND I"

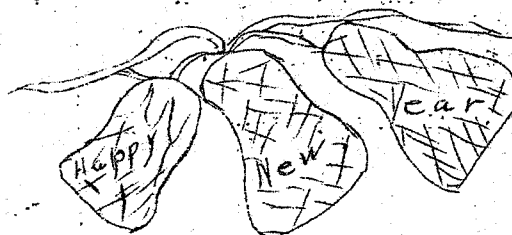
Tommy and I have two gold fish. We had three but Black Sambo died. He ate too much. The names of our fish are Goldie and Spotty. We feed them fish food. They just eat and swim but we like them. They are so pretty.

Rhoda Hoffman - 2

"EMILY VOYIK ILL"

We wrote letters and made pictures for Emily Voyik because she was sick. She has not been at school for a long time.

Jane Smith - 2



CLASS NEWS (cont.)

"NATURE DIARIES"

During English class in Miss Miles' room we have been writing something of interest that we see in nature. We have some very nice diaries. We are going to put them all together and make a booklet of them. Here are some of the things we have seen:

Nov. 11, 1941

I saw a slug on the way to school yesterday morning! A slug is a kind of a snail. It was gray and black. When he walks he left a silver trail. On the way home last night I accidentally stepped on him. When I came home this noon he was all shriveled up. Slugs have no houses on their backs.

Barbara Powell - 5

Today we had a show about animals. There were some dogs, monkeys, guinea pigs and a sloth. The sloth lives upside down all the time. When he gets on the ground he is helpless. He sleeps during the day and eats at night. He never drinks water but eats the leaves with the dew on them at night.

Dick Dillon - 5

This morning when I got up before daylight to pass papers, I saw the little dipper. I looked for the big dipper but could not find it. The stars of the little dipper seem very close together.

Phil Pendleton - 5

A couple of days ago I saw some squirrels. They were saving food for winter. When they put the nuts in their mouths, they looked like they had the mumps.

Jack Stevick - 5

We will write in our diaries at different times throughout the year.

Charlot Hayward - 5

READING LIBRARY BOOKS IN MISS WOLF'S ROOM

On Friday afternoon we read from Library books instead of our readers. We are learning to give oral and written reports on the books we read. Some of the most interesting parts from books we have read are as follows:

"Wings for the Smiths"

The most interesting part of the book was when Danny cut his hand. Then Captain Collins flew his plane to get the doctor.

Margaret Conkle - 4

"MARY POPPINS"

The most interesting part of the book was when Mary Poppins sailed away with her umbrella. She left the home of the Bank's and flew away. All the children sat at the window in astonishment. They never saw her again.

RoAnne Farry - 4

"THE EDUCATION OF A BURRO"

I think the most interesting part of this book was when Pablo opened his mouth and told Ignacio to count his teeth to see how old his teeth to see how old he was. Ignacio counted six teeth.

Miriam Schroeder - 4

"THE BOBBSEY TWINS ON A HOUSEBOAT"

I think the most interesting part was when Freddie took his fire engine out in the kitchen and the hose started squirting all over the kitchen.

Donna Loesch - 4

"A TRAIN-A BOAT-AND AN ISLAND"

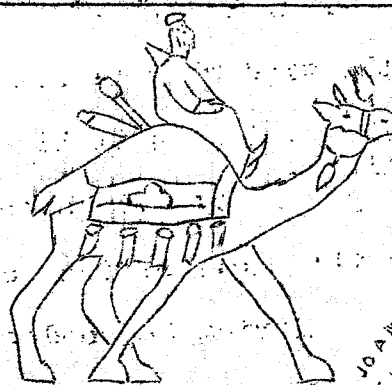
The part I like best is when Frederick got sea sick. He came up to his mother and said, "May I go to bed?" They all thought it seemed funny.

Elizabeth Clark - 4





POEMS



JOAN
MEHACK

"CHRISTMAS EVE."

I hear the little bells ringing;
So I'd better go to sleep,
For this is Christmas Eve.
When boys and girls should not peak
Peggy Pfister - 5

I like to go to school;
And play with the girls and boys
But most of all I like to stay
home

And play with my toys.
Ronnie Stauffer - 1

"SAFETY"

Do not play with matches,
Do not play with gun,
If you want to live long.
And have lots of fun.

Jerrold Kay Footlick-2

"THE WIND"

I like to watch the wind go by,
It makes the leaves sail through
the sky.
They whirl around and fall upon the
ground,
And makes a soft blanket all around.

Barbara Foster - 4

"SKIPPY"

I have a little puppy
His name is Skippy.
His color is black and brown,
But boy oh boy is he snippy!

John Fernyak. - 3

"SANTA CLAUSE"

Santa Clause is coming
Snow is in the air.
All the things that he might
bring

Are scattered everywhere.

Jo Ann Knarr - 2

"MY CAT"

I have a cat,
Her name is Purr.
When I go home
I play with her.

John Fighter - 3

"THANKSGIVING"

The Pilgrims and Indians
Had the first Thanksgiving Day.
They ate and played together
That's what the stories say.

Leonard Heuss - 3

"MY DOG"

I have a little dog,
His name is Rags.
Every time I call him,
His little tail wags.

Janice Conkle - 1

"MY LITTLE GOLD FISH"

I have two little Gold Fish,
They swim and swim all day.
And when I stand and watch them,
I wish I could swim that way.

Marilyn Ann Knarr - 1

"I LIKE THE WIND"

I like the wind when it sings a song,
I like the wind when it blows things along.
Especially when it brings the snow,
For then it's lots of fun you know.

Miriam Schroeder - 4

"WINTER WINDS"

The winter wind likes to blow,
The children's hats into the snow.
It stings our hands and ears and nose,
But where it goes no one knows.

Charlotte Boyd - 4

"CHRISTMAS"

Christmas is coming
Bringing good cheer
Here comes Santa
With his reindeer.

Loyal Bemiller - 3

"THE WIND"

The wind is blowing hard,
It is blowing round the yard.
Leaves and papers from it go,
And trees are bending low.

Charles Green - 4

"THANKSGIVING"

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful.
I will write it down, I think.
I am thankful for the food I eat,
And what I have to drink.

David Ebbert - 3

"MY CAT"

I have a large yellow cat
He is so lazy and fat.
Sometimes he gets under my feet,
But most times he just eats and sleeps.

Kathleen Kohler - 1

"SOUND MOVIES"

Mr. Clark said that we are going to get a sound movie picture machine if we can raise enough money. To raise part of the money we will have more paper sales. SO SAVE YOUR PAPERS FOR A SOUND MOVIE.

Roland Schicker - 6

"PET CORNER"

These boys and girls were interviewed about their pets by our rambling reporters Babette Ward and Susan Hansberger.

Peggy Mattox of the first grade has a pet dog, Trixie. He walks on his hind legs. Trixie scratches the door with his paw when he wants in or out.

Roger Coe of the fifth grade has a pet rabbit that jumps on his back.

Norma Guill in the fourth grade has two pets. Cricket is a dog and Lady is a calf. Cricket bites Lady's tail and Lady bucks Cricket.

Wimpy is a dog belonging to Evelyn Goettl in the third grade. Wimpy sits up, speaks, and rolls over.

Tiger is a cat owned by Ronnie Staffer in the first grade. Tiger can stand up, climb, and catch mice.

Jed Hermes of the fourth grade has a dog, Twink. Twink sits up on his hind legs and also barks for his dinner.

Bruce Cockton's pet is a dog, Butch. Butch chews bark off of trees. Bruce said Butch chews about everything.

Allan King said his pet dog sometimes chews stockings if he can get them.

Peggy Pfister has a bird, Sipper. Sipper scratches at the door of his cage and tries to get out.

Dorothy Aubrey has two goldfish that she has had for five years. Elizabeth Weir's dog, Freckles

"PET CORNER"

(cont.)

sits up. Elizabeth holds Freckles, front paws while he walks on his hind feet.

CLASS NEWSHISTORY PICTURES

Miss Conn's room made history pictures of colored chalk. They are about the ways people traveled westward. Three children worked on each picture so that every one would get to work on one. There are eight pictures, the first steam boat, traveling on foot, by pack train, by prairie schooner or covered wagon, by stage coach, by flat boat, and by canal boat.

Elinor Matthes - 6

MISS GRUBAUGH'S ROOMMy Hobby

My hobby is collecting little bears. I have 21 and they are all different colors and sizes.

Nancy Bair - 1

I like to go to Grandma's. She lives in Ashland. Grandma has a cookie jar. Her cookies are the best ever made.

Sandra Coffman - 1

MY BOOK

I have a book its name is "The Story of Jesus." It is a very nice book and I love to read it.

Jane Urich - 1

MISS VERBA'S ROOMTHE LIBRARY

Our class went to the Public Library. Nancy's Mother, Marian's Mother and Mr. Clark took us.

We looked at Picture Books. We saw many other books. Miss Lorimer told us a pretty story about a white lamb. We like to go

THE LIBRARY

(cont)

to the Library.

First Grade

OUR LIBRARY CORNER

Our library corner is finished now. It's a nice place to go to read books. We have a librarian to take care of the books. We made these rules for our library:

1. Handle books with clean hands.
2. Never make "dog ears" in books.
3. Handle books carefully.
4. Be quiet at the corner.
5. Never take a pencil to the library corner.

We try to keep these rules because we like our books and want to keep them nice.

Peggy Mattox - 1

READING

We are reading in our Primers now. We like our books very much.

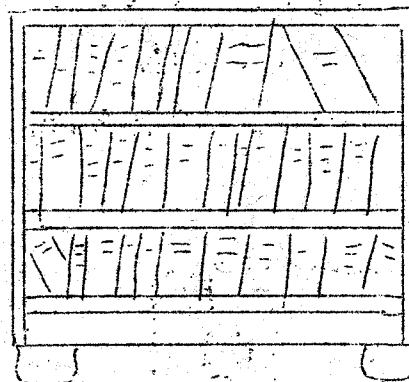
A Happy Group one

STORY HOUR

There is Story Hour every Saturday morning at nine-thirty o'clock in the Public Library.

I hope I can go every Saturday.

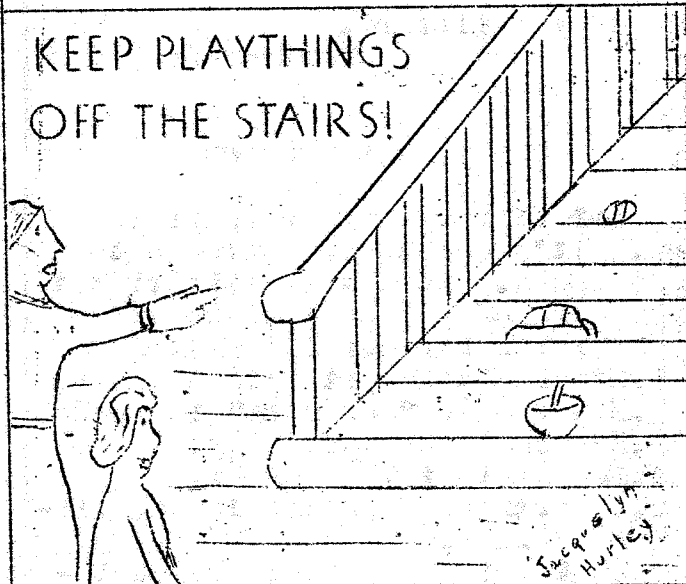
Lewis Pfister - 1



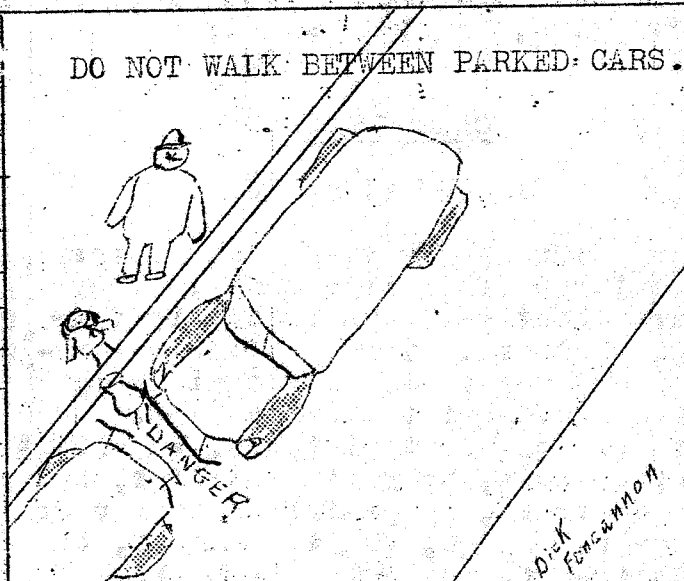
Marilyn
Hewes

HELP PREVENT ACCIDENTS BY FIFTH GRADE

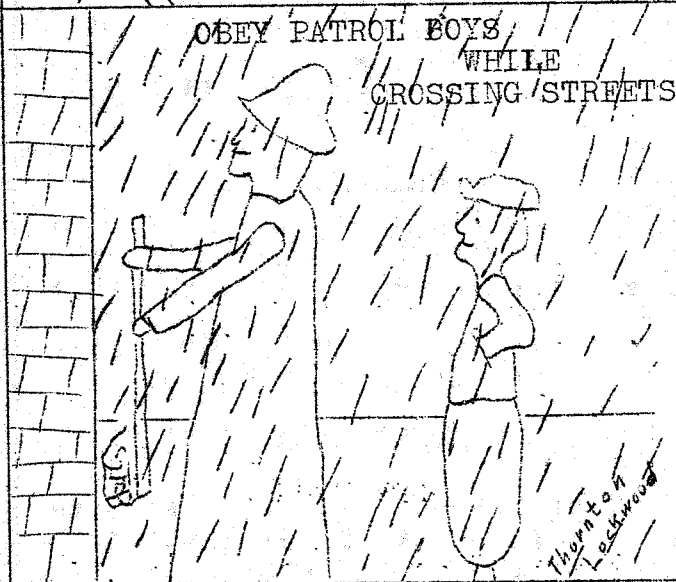
KEEP PLAYTHINGS
OFF THE STAIRS!



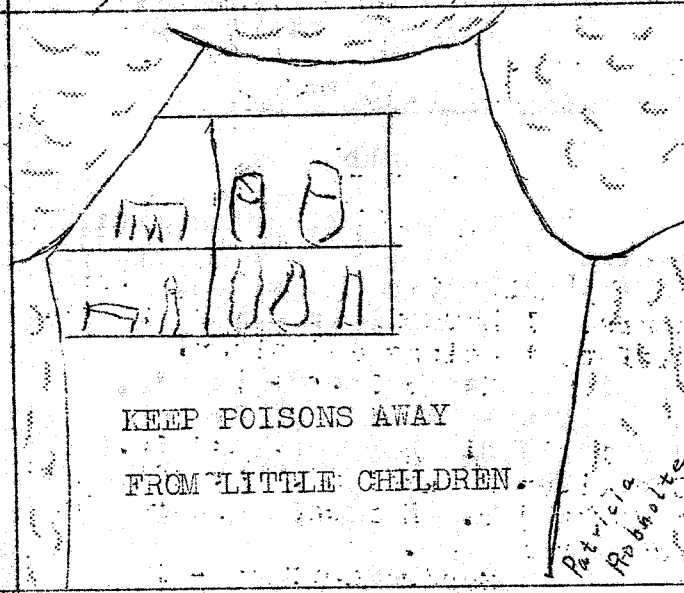
DO NOT WALK BETWEEN PARKED CARS.



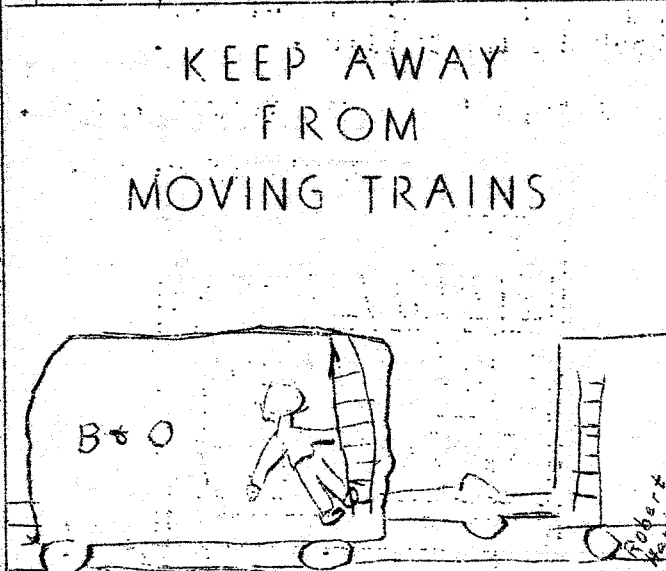
OBEY PATROL BOYS
WHILE
CROSSING STREETS



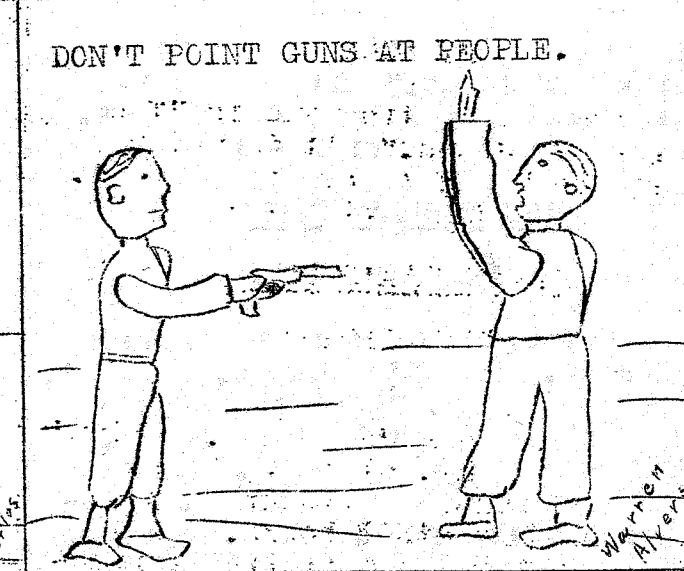
KEEP POISONS AWAY
FROM LITTLE CHILDREN.



KEEP AWAY
FROM
MOVING TRAINS



DON'T POINT GUNS AT PEOPLE.



"WESTERN WIND-UP STAFF VISITS MANSFIELD NEWS-JOURNAL"

The people on the Western Wind-Up staff went to visit the News-Journal. It was very interesting. These are the rooms we visited and the ones the newspaper goes through before it is delivered to your house.

The first part of the building that we went through was the editorial room. The guide showed us the desks where the different editors sat.

The next room had six automatic typewriters which were typing out the news that came in over the wire from other cities.

In the composing room they place the articles in the proper columns and pages. To us, the lead plates looked upside down and backwards.

We watched a man at work at the linotype machine. He typed a line at a time in lead form.

In the engraving room the comics were made. These were in sheets of composition mats with the designs imprinted on them. They put these in a small machine and poured hot lead over them so they had the pictures on a lead plate.

The photographing room had a large camera. We learned that the pictures we see in the paper are made up of many little dots. Where it is dark the dots are close together and where it is light they are far apart.

The last room was the large press room where the papers are printed. The printing press turns the papers out all printed and folded, ready to be delivered to you. The press prints 20,000 papers an hour or 333 papers a minute.

We wish to thank Mr. Lindsey also Mr. Woodward, our guide for taking us through the offices of the News-Journal. We wish to thank Mrs. Meihack, Mrs. Dickson and Mr. Clark for taking us in their cars.

Marilyn Heuss - 6

Harriett Lutz - 6

"BALDY"

Baldy was a little wild turkey who lived in the great woods with his mother, father, brothers, and sisters. The Pilgrim Fathers were always chasing or shooting some of the turkeys in the woods.

One day Baldy was walking alone in the woods when he heard the loud bang of a gun and the roar of wings. Then he saw some hunters running to pick up a turkey which they had shot.

The hunters had seen Baldy and were chasing him through the woods. Just then a bullet whizzed passed him, he ran for cover and was soon hidden from sight in the dense forest. He saw the hunters run past his hiding place looking for him.

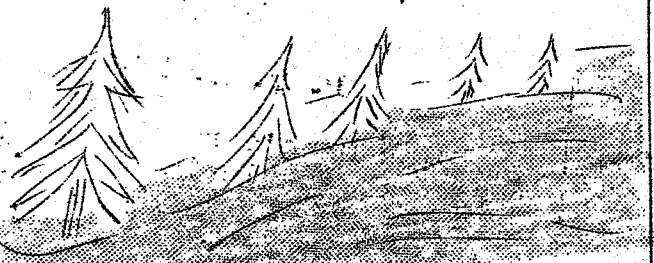
He ran as fast as he could to the old tree trunk which was his home and was met by his mother, brothers, and sisters. Mother had news for him, his father was the turkey the hunters had shot. He soon got over it and grew to be a big, wise turkey.

Robert Hatzfeld - 5

"THE FIRST THANKSGIVING"

The Pilgrims had the first Thanksgiving. They invited their Indian friends. They played games. The party lasted three whole days. The Indians liked the Thanksgiving feast. They thanked God for his goodness. When the Thanksgiving feast was over, the Indians said that it was the best party that they ever went to. Ever since that we have had Thanksgiving.

David Miller - 3



"JOE HESS INTERVIEWS ATHLETIC DIRECTOR"

Joe Hess interviewed Harry Me-hock and learned about basketball plans for this year and got some suggestions for improving our play ground.

Western will play 18 games this season. The games will be played on Mondays and Thursdays at 4 o'clock. There are twenty boys going out for basketball. The first week they will be cut down to fifteen and the next week to ten boys. Practices will be on Saturday morning from 9-10 o'clock at John Simpson.

Mr. Me-hock suggests that there are too many stones on the north side of the playground and not enough on the south side. The hill in back of the school might be leveled off and the swing poles taken away. It would help, too, to have a fence put up at the edge of the playground to stop the balls from rolling down the hill into the park.

FOOTBALL LETTERS

The boys of our football team were given football letter awards. The boys who received them were: Charles Edmonstone, Jimmy Gandert, Charles Green, Norman Henry, David Marks, Hugh Meilinger, John Park, Jack Stevick, Bob Them, Charles Wise, Jack Wise, and Richard Ziegler.

They chose a captain who will get a star on his letter for being an outstanding player on the team. The person was Richard Ziegler.

Jimmy Gandert - 6

P. T. A. PRIZE

Miss Conn's room was most fortunate in winning the P.T.A. prize at the meeting which was held in November. We will either get a Magazine subscription plant, or a fish bowl. P. Eisele 6

"WESTERN BRIEFS"

I went to Cleveland the Friday after Thanksgiving. I saw the big Christmas tree at Sterling and Welch Co. It is as high as three floors in a store and all decorated.

Ben Gray - 1

Grandma and Grandpa came to our house. They live in Minnesota. They stayed a week and a half. I was glad they came.

Jimmy Warnack - 1

I have two uncles in the Army. One is in Pennsylvania and one is in Virginia.

When I get big, I am going to be a soldier, too.

Conrad Weber - 1

Bobby Mish has moved from our school. He has moved to Detroit, Michigan.

Larry Dailey is absent from school because he has the whooping cough.

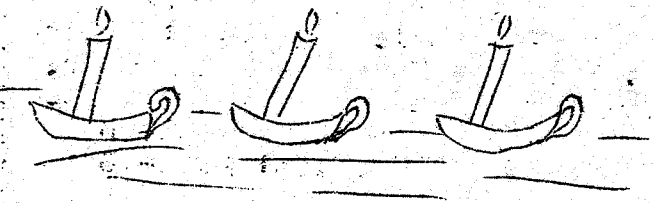
David Schaub - 13

"ARMISTICE DAY"

Nine boys were elected from "Buckeye Boy's State" of Mansfield Senior High to go to different schools and give a lecture. Two boys went to each school. Fred Elder and Paul Deitzel were the two boys that went to Western Ave. School.

Both boys gave a very good talk on "America" and I'm sure everybody enjoyed them. The children of the upper grades heard them.

Marilyn Heuss - 6



"RAPHAEL EMMANUEL TALKS
TO UPPER GRADES"

NOTES
1941

MY NAME IN MY
NATIVE SYRIACK
LANGUAGE.

Raphael

Emmanuel

Native Chaldean
Best wishes

to
Western
Wind-Up

of
Mansfield, Ohio

U. S. A.

The upper grade children
heard Raphael Emanuel give a
lecture about his native country,
Turkey.

In Turkey their spoons hold
about a half cup. They all eat

from one bowl.

He said they slept on top of
their houses when it was hot.
One time when he was a little boy
he slept on top of his house. He
fell off and cried, "Mother, Father
I fell off the house, I've been
killed! I've been killed!"

He sang us a short song and
would crack his fingers together
to beat out the time. He also did
a few tricks. His talk and laugh
seemed strange to us and it made
us laugh, too.

He showed us his native costume.
His sleeves looked like big wings.
His coat and trousers were very
gaily decorated. The background
was blue with red and white flow-
ers and stars on it.

Mr. Emanuel came to America
about the time of the World War.
He said he could speak about five
different languages.

Dorothy Aubrey - 5
Patricia Robnolte - 5

"EXCHANGE PAPERS"

We have been exchanging our
school paper with other schools.
Some of the papers we have re-
ceived are the following:

"The Watts News"-Chester, Penn.
"Emeralite"-Hillburn, New York
"Harbor Beacon"-New London, Conn.
"Richmond Record"-Atlantic City,

New Jersey

"The Spy-Glass"-Red Lion, Penn.
"H.B.E. Crier"-Endicott, New York
"Hilltop News"-East Cleveland, Ohio
"Highlights"-Atlantic City, N.J.
"The Searchlight"-Elsworth, Penn.
"The Perry Broadcaster"-Redondo
Beach, Calif.

"Hatchet"-LaHabra, Calif.

Marnette Cook -6

TOYLAND

Robert Hotzfeld

