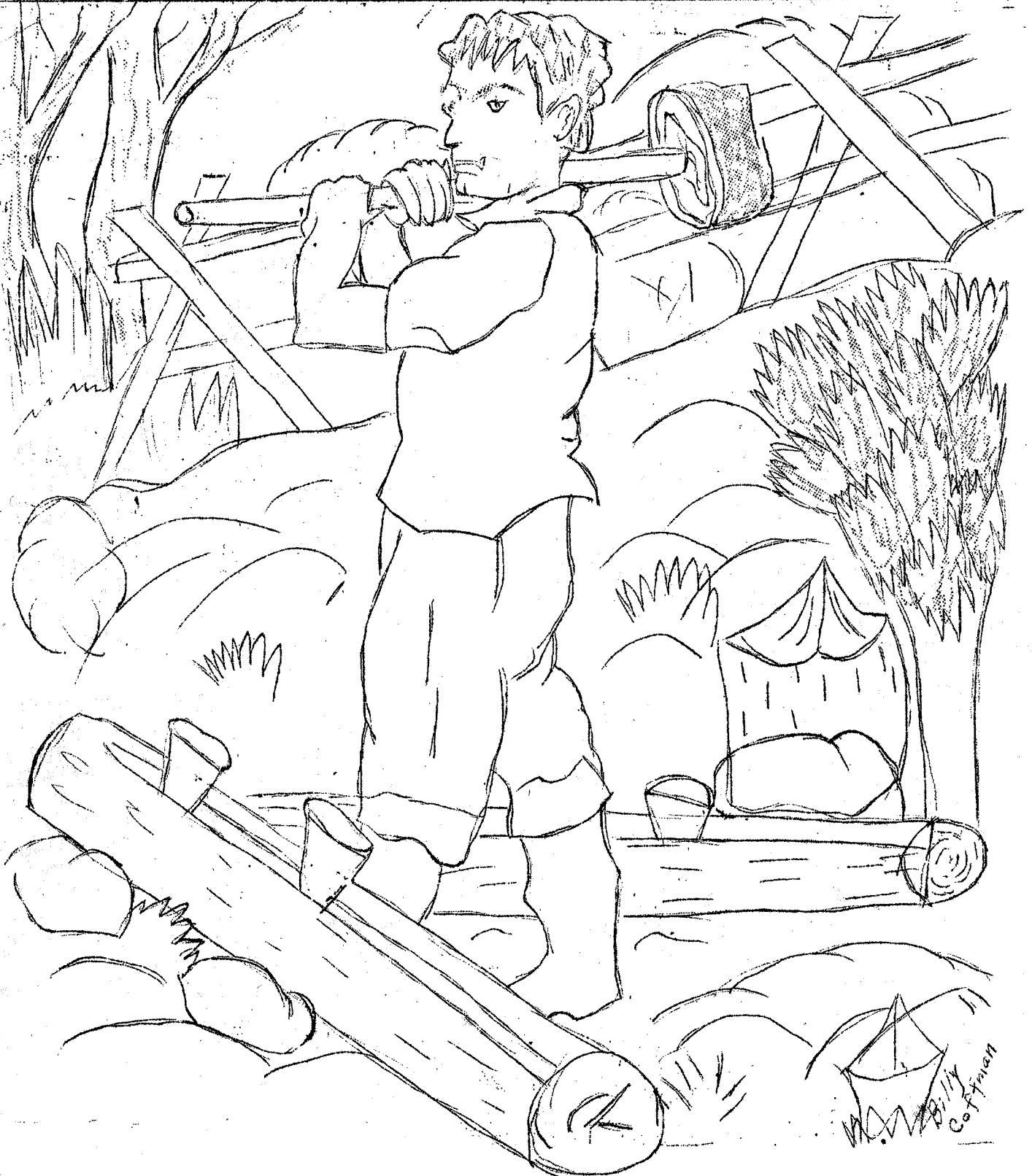
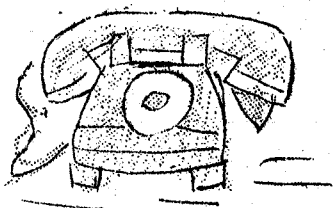


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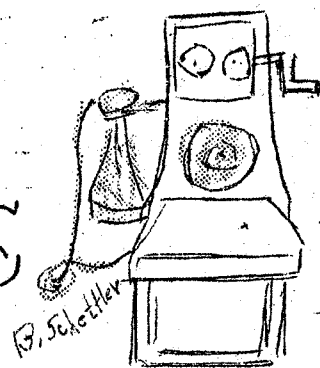
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SAFETY ON THE PLAYGROUND

The pupils of Western Avenue school can play safely and still have fun. The patrol boys and girls are trying to help you, so always follow their warnings. Snow can be fun, but also very dangerous. Here are some DON'Ts to follow:

1. Don't throw snowballs on the

playground.

2. Don't slide down the banks.

3. Don't leave the playground once on it.

4. Don't go where the men are working.

5. Don't play rough games on the playground.

If we follow these rules we will have fun and safety at our school.

Phyllis Paulson-6

SNOWBALLS

Please do not throw snowballs. Then the first and second graders will throw them, too. Someone could get hurt or they could get an eye put out. Do not throw snowballs coming to school or going home from school. Let's play safe!

Billy Tivener-6

COURTESY

Boys and girls in Western Avenue school should use more courtesy towards other children and to teachers. One act of courtesy is not to interrupt a teacher when she is talking to another teacher. Another act of courtesy is to say "excuse me" or "pardon me" when you pass in front of someone. In the morning you should be cheerful and say "good morning" to your teacher and other teachers, Mr. Clark and Mr. Bright. Boys and girls in Western should be more courteous to others.

Mary Walker-6

SCHOOL NEWS

SALES TAX STAMPS

AND PAPER DRIVE

Our next paper drive is going to be Feb. 26, 1948, from 8:30 to 1 o'clock. If the weather is bad it will be postponed until sometime in March. Wrap up papers and magazines well. Twine will be furnished.

Our goal is \$200. If we reach our goal we will have a movie.

Before you go out to collect paper, report to your teacher.

Marilyn Knarr-6

SPORTS

Western has not been doing so well in basketball. Last Thursday, Jan. 29, there was a close game. Western and Bowman battled each other. In the last quarter the score was 2 to 3 in Bowman's favor. Walter Bodley made a foul shot to even up the score, 3 to 3. They had to play overtime (two minutes) because at the end of the game the score was a tie. After two minutes overtime the score was still a tie. They had to play until one team or the other made a basket to end the game. Bowman made a basket to make the score 5 to 3 in Bowman's favor. I think we will beat them next time.

Walter Bodley-6

BASKETBALL

We DO have a winning team! It isn't just the points that count. It's the sportsmanship and the work that they put into each game. We appreciate our coach and team 100 per cent. We'll be cheering even louder for "Ye Western Avenue Basketballers".

Judy Maxwell-6

MARCH OF DIMES

January 30 Western Avenue school held a March of Dimes. Music was played while the boys and girls marched. They went

down the front stairs, through the hall and up the back stairs. There were four sixth grade pupils who were Ellen Jo Fankhouser, Sherry Pat Kyler, Sandra Weber and Sondra Hartman on the back stairs holding cans for them to drop their coins in. Every day Sondra Hartman and Sandra Weber went around to each room and reminded the children to bring in their money. After the march the four girls counted the money. All together we had one hundred twenty two dollars. We took the money to the Girl Scout office where we had received the cans and they said Western had brought in the most money so far. So we are very proud of Western.

Sondra Hartman-6

THE LOST AND FOUND

Every Friday Margie Shafter and I take the lost clothes around to the rooms. Before the last bell we pin them on a rope. After each thing has been to the rooms about three times we take them off.

Dorothy Neff-6

NEW LIGHTS

We have new lights in our school. They were put in at Christmas time. They are long and big and they are white.

Roger Mecurio-2

ORGAN RECITAL

In December, just before our Christmas vacation, all of the schools met at the First Presbyterian church. Miss Baughman led us in some songs. Miss Zehner played the organ. Miss Baughman told us about the organ. Mr. Derr led us in some of the songs. Miss Zehner played some very pretty music. I am sure that everyone that went liked it very much.

Barbara Edwards-6

HAPPENINGS TO WESTERNITES

This section in the paper is new. It is a page to tell about the things happening in and about Western.

Many things have happened in and around Western in the last month. Lee Hartley's house caught fire Saturday night, Jan. 17, at 10 p.m. Beverly Seeds broke her arm Sunday, Jan. 18. The Brownies had a candy sale in January. We had a March of Dimes march Friday, the sixth. We collected \$122 for the March of Dimes. Western is having an ice carnival Saturday, the 14th.

If you know something of interest about "Westernites", write it for the next issue of Western Wind-Up.

Freddie Bair -6

CHILDREN COMING INTO WESTERN

A census has been taken of the children coming in Western. These are the ages, years and the number of children. From September, 1948. Here is the census:

1948 - age six - 83 children
1949 - age five - 61 children
1950 - age four - 54 children
1951 - age three - 55 children
1952 - age two - 54 children
1953 - age one - 67 children.

Barbara Edwards-6

THE ICE CARNIVAL

The Mansfield News Journal had an ice carnival Saturday evening, Jan. 30. They had 27 different races. It lasted from 6:45 to 8:45 o'clock. There were about five children who won prizes from Western. They are Freddie Bair, Sandra Weber, Sandra Stricker, David Jacoby and Mike Small.

Freddie Bair-6

VALENTINE PARTY

The Girl Scouts of troop 12 are planning a Valentine party on Feb. 14. We are going to

have it at Mrs. Haag's house. Mrs. Haag is our leader. We have an assistant leader, Mrs. Brown. Both of them will be there. We are going to have hot dogs, cocoa and potato chips. Also we are going to have a Valentine box. A member of our troop is going to make it. After the Valentines are opened and we have finished eating we have planned to go to the park. If there is snow on the ground we want to have Fox and Geese or a sled ride. The party will be held from 10 to 1 o'clock so that if anyone has a lesson or anything to do they can come anyway.

Marlene McCracken-6

WEDDING BELLS

On February 14 Miss Janet Baughman will become Mrs. Charles L. Campbell. It will take place in the St. Luke's Lutheran church at 2:30 in an open church ceremony. Miss Baughman is Mansfield's music supervisor. Western extends best wishes to them.

Mary Alice Boyd-6

THE NEW STENCIL HOLDER

Mr. Clark has bought a stencil holder in which the mimeograph operators will put the inky stencils. The stencils will be numbered. So if you want stencil six, you just look through the files and pull out number six. The reason for this box is that with the old stencils they would just put them in a pile on the floor. Then when they wanted to use the stencils again they would get themselves all inky finding the right one.

Don Forkner-6

THE TARDY PROGRAM

A committee chosen by Mr. Clark reported that they agreed to the following program. It is that every month the room with not a single tardy case will receive a dollar reward. The plan took place Monday, Feb. 16.

It seems to be a good plan so let's all pitch in and help get that dollar.

Nancy Connor-6

PAINTING PLANS FOR OUR BUILDING

The plans for the painting so far is that the shady part of the building is going to be painted warm colors and the sunny part will be painted cool colors. The ceilings will be bone white.

The halls will be yellow. The walls will be two colors. The top will be lighter than the bottom.

Patty Ohler-6

ATTENTION!

School will let out for Easter vacation on March 25, and will end on April 1.

Patty Day-6

"INTERVIEWS"

Mr. Jesse M.??? Clark

Mr. Clark is 39 years old and has spent eight years in grade school, four years in high school, seven years in college, and 20 years as a teacher and principal.

He states that he has enjoyed most of these years although he has had ups and downs. The following diseases are what he has had: chicken pox, small pox, mumps, measles and earache.

He was born in Ohio, in Marion county, on a farm near Marion, in a log house. He lived on a farm for 17 years, graduated from high school on Friday and

started to college on Monday. Figure that one out.

The most dangerous experience he had was with a runaway team of horses. The most exciting was in an airplane. He said they did the loop-th-loop, rabbit hop, the dive, etc. For further experience, ask him because they're all exciting.

The class as a whole, he said, did very good work on the tests he gave and is well-pleased.

He has a few hobbies, such as working with wood, hunting and fishing, and going to baseball games.

He belongs to many organizations such as Mansfield City Teachers association, Northeastern Ohio Teachers association, Ohio Education association, National Education association, Mansfield Elementary Principal's club, Ohio Elementary Principal's association, National Elementary association and the social activity is Masonic lodge. This is QUITE a few!

Nancy Connor-6

OUR SCHOOL NEWS

Miss Palmer is the school nurse for Western. She enjoys being at Western Avenue and reports that colds are our worst enemy. We have had a better attendance this year than last. Miss Palmer hopes there will be a nurse's room in the new building. Our school wishes to thank her for the fine work she has done in the safety of our health.

Judy Maxwell-6

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Abraham Lincoln was born on Feb. 12, 1809, and died in 1865. He was very honest. One time he was working in a store and an old lady came in. She bought the things she wanted and went home. Later, Lincoln discovered she had left her change on the counter. He found where she lived and took her change to her.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN (cont.)

There are many other stories about Lincoln, but I think this one is the best. You should remember that all of his life Lincoln tried to be honest and was very kind to animals.

Shirlee Sue Freese-6

GEORGE WASHINGTON

George Washington was born on Feb. 11, 1732. According to the Bible of Washington's parents he was born on this date. The English calendar changed in 1751. After that the English used the calendar that most of the European countries used. February 11 was then February 22.

Before Washington was sixteen he had made many trips as a surveyor. He was named as a country surveyor in 1749. Sometimes he rode forty miles a day. He became one of the best horsemen in the colonies.

His military career began in 1754. He was made a lieutenant-colonel. In 1755 he enlisted in an army led by Braddock, a British general. In a year he returned to Philadelphia. Washington was then six feet two inches tall.

During the winter of 1777-1778 there were close to 11,000 soldiers stationed at Valley Forge. In 1783 the thirteen colonies were free and independent.

In 1789 he was elected President of the United States of America. He began his term as president on April 30, 1789. John Adams was vice-president, and Thomas Jefferson was secretary of state. After four years, Washington was again elected President. He died on December 12, 1799, at the age of sixty-seven.

Patricia Robinson-6

VALENTINE'S DAY

Valentine's Day is on Saturday, February 14. We usually have Valentine boxes in school. It is a day when friends send greetings to each other.

It used to be that valentines were sent unsigned and people who received them had to guess who sent them.

St. Valentine for whom Valentine Day was named was a Saint whose birthday was on February 14.

Valentines are frilly and lacy or funny. Sometimes people send flowers or candy.

Betsy Meihack-6

HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow was born February 27, 1807 at Portland, Me. He is known as a great poet.

A few of his poems are; Children's Hour, Paul Revere's Ride, Evangeline and the Village Blacksmith.

Elaine Kaufman - 6

AN INTERESTING BOOK

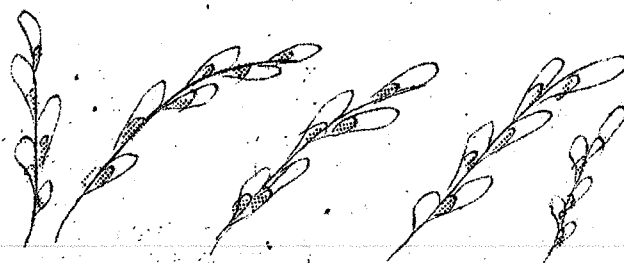
I think that almost every child in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades would like this book. The book, "Aleck Bell", is by Mabel Widdemer.

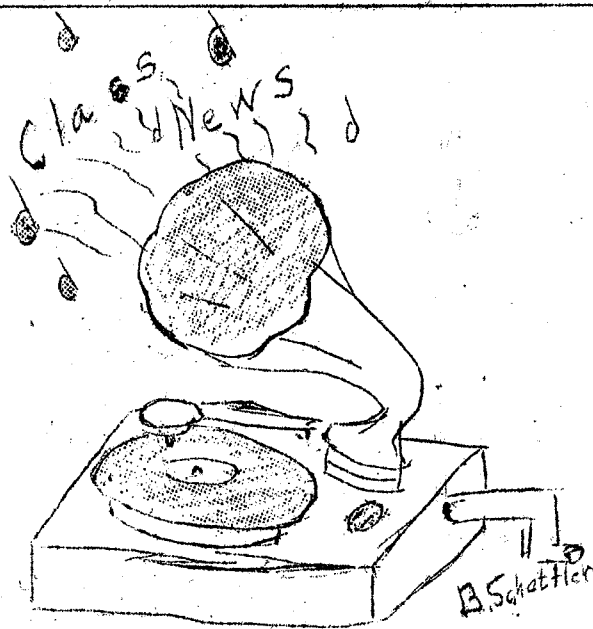
This book not only tells about when Alexander Bell invented the telephone, but it also tells about when he was a boy. Alexander had two brothers. They were Melvin and Edward.

The part I liked best was when Aleck's father went to London to see a talking machine. He was disappointed because it didn't work very well. When he got home he told his boys about the machine. Melvin and Aleck tried to make a talking machine. They succeeded in making one that worked well.

I hope that you will read the book.

Barbara McClary - 6





MRS. SHERMAN'S ROOM

OUR MORNING OPENINGS

This semester Mrs. Sherman's room is taking a book and having a chapter read every morning. Our room just finished "The Secret of the Closed Gate", which is a very interesting book. Since this is February, and the birthdays of very famous men are coming up, we are reading stories about them. As soon as we get finished with these we hope our committee will choose another interesting book.

Phyllis Paulson-6

OUR HEALTH NOTEBOOKS

In our room we are making notebooks for Health. In them we are putting pictures from magazines and writing on the things of interest that are in our health book. We are trying to make it as neat as we can and hope they will be useful to us later as well as now. We enjoy making our notebooks very much and spend a lot of time on them each week. Why don't you make one too?

David Wolford-6

WORLD NEWS

In our room we have a world news chart which gives the news of the week. On the chart we have reports of great men, things about the White House, and other things of interest. Above the reports there is a map of the world.

Janet Weaver-6

OUR TEAMS

Our room had teams to see who could bring in the most money for the March of Dimes. The captains of the teams were Dorothy Neff and Tommy Mattox. The team that lost gave the other team bubble gum.

Tommy Mattox -6

OUR NEW READERS

We have new readers in our room. They are called "The Long Road". They are very interesting. The stories in them are about cave men and how he progresses and learns new things. Every story takes place in a different land. The books have many colorful pictures in them.

Helen Eckstrom-6

THE 49'ers

This is the one hundredth anniversary of the 49'ers. One hundred years ago gold was discovered by James W. Marshall in Sutter's Creek, near Sutter's Mill. John Sutter was not happy when this happened because he was forced out of his home by the 49'ers. The gold was discovered on Jan. 8, 1848, and the 49'ers got there in 1849. The people sold everything they could not carry. Towns were built almost overnight. Some got rich but most of them were poorer than when they started.

Barbara Edwards-6

RED CROSS BOXES

Mrs. Sherman's room filled three Red Cross boxes. Two for a girl and one for a boy.

In the girls' boxes we put ribbons, pen, paper, pencils, eraser, balls, book and many other things.

In the boy's box we put marbles, balls, comb, blotter, washcloth, soap and many other things.

We hope they enjoy the boxes as much as we enjoyed filling them.

Marilyn Knarr-6

THE MARCH OF DIMES

The March of Dimes is a fund that helps crippled children who have infantile paralysis. We collected a large sum of money just in our school because we all gave money. This year our room was divided into teams. We all brought in our money to see which team would collect the most. When we added both teams' money up we had fourteen dollars. The team that won got a treat from the losing team. This was a good way to collect money for infantile paralysis.

Helen Eckstrom-6

MISS MILES' ROOM

OUR FIRST CLASS PAPER

In Miss Miles' room we are having a class paper. Each of us picked out our own article to write about. First we wrote them in long hand. The next day we typed our articles in columns three inches wide.

This is the first time we ever had a paper of our own. We named our paper "The Drum Beats". About a week after we typed them we looked up the misspelled words in our dictionaries and corrected the punctuation.

Joan Keller-5

OUR VALENTINE PARTY

Our class is having a valentine party, on the 13th of February.

We elected committees for refreshments, games and entertainment.

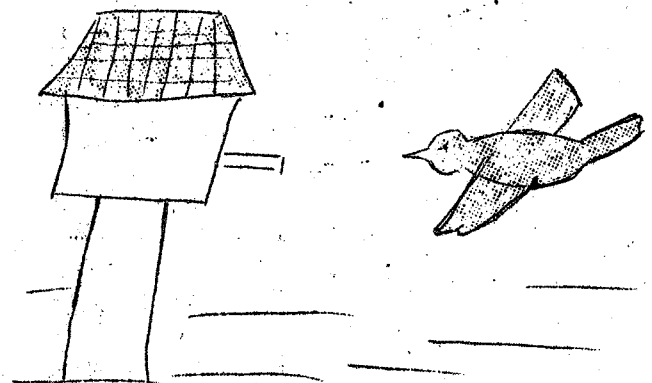
Bill Auer made a valentine box for us with the help of Carol Brinkman and Tom Nichols. At the party children will act as postmen and pass out the valentines in the box.

We plan to have games, a skit or two and have refreshments.

Jeanne Fay-5

OUR BIRD-HOUSE CONTEST

Our room is having a bird-house contest. We are going to have it the 27th of February. It is going to be in our room. We are giving ribbons for the best ones. The first prize ribbon will be blue, the second prize will be red, and the third prize will be white. The judges will be Mr. Clark and Mr. Bright. There will be two classes for judging them. Those who had help and those who made them by themselves.



Carol Sue Knoll-5

OUR NATURE SHELF

We have some new additions to our nature shelf. We have a big wasps' nest. Sandra Dusen brought a cone of a wasps' nest, too.

Someone brought a cocoon which will become a polyphemus moth. I brought a collection of shells. In it there is a star fish, a

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OUR NATURE SHELF (continued)
Buttercup shell, coral and some other things.

Carol Laux- 5

HELPING THE BIRDS

I think we all should help feed the birds. In winter it is hard for them to find the bread we put out. When you go to the store, why don't you ask your butcher to give you some suet? Tie the suet high up in the tree, then cats and dogs can't get it -- cracked grain is good for the birds, too.

We are having a Junior Audubon club. We have received six pamphlets of birds. We have studied the crow. Others we will have include hummingbird, Meadow lark, King Fisher, barn swallow and the red-tailed hawk.

Ronda Markov-5

SPELLING TOURNAMENT

We are having a tournament in baseball spelling. It is to continue for seven weeks. We have four teams. The names are Indians, Yankees, Cardinals and Michigan. We are spelling lists of words that we use in our other classes. Here are some of the scores now:

Indians, 139

Yankees, 113

Cardinals, 144

Michigan, 132

Nancy Knoll-5

TURPENTINING

In geography we are studying about turpentinizing. Turpentine usually is gotten from the south but some of the turpentine is from the north, too. The yellow pine trees of the south are trees in which you can get turpentine. The yellow pine trees supply the raw material from which turpentine is made.

The raw material is resin, a thick, sticky substance that oozes out of the trees when they

are cut or injured in any way.

Sandra Dunson-5

SAFETY

Do you practice these Safety rules?

1. When crossing streets and roadways, stop, look, then go.
2. Toys should go on shelves, and not be left all scattered around where folks can hurt themselves.
3. Don't play with pins and needles.
4. Never taste from bottles that you find laying around.
5. Don't play with guns.
6. When walking on a road without sidewalks always face the traffic.
7. Do not play with matches.
8. Never run up or down stairs.
9. Do not skate on thin ice.

David Schiska-5

MRS. FARMER'S ROOM

MAP WORK

Our room is working on maps.

We have four of them. One is a map showing the states and capitals, railroad centers, airports, and shipping centers. Another is a map showing lakes, forest and deserts. Third is a map of industries. Fourth, but not least, is an agriculture map.

Our room enjoys working on the maps very much.

Dana Pataky-5

THE SPELLING CONTEST

Mrs. Farmer's fifth grade had a spelling contest during the last nine weeks. The side headed by John Oster was called the Reds and the other side, headed by David Jacoby, was called the Blues. The losing side was supposed to treat the winning side, but as it ended in a tie we are going to treat each other.

Kay Alexander-5

ART CLASS

In art we are making some valentine girls out of paper hearts and pipe cleaners. We put a big heart for the feet, two hearts for the hands and a little heart for the face and the pipe cleaner for the body.

Diana Earick-5

OUR VALENTINE BOX

Dana Pataky made our valentine box. It is very lovely. It is red with little white valentine hearts on the sides. On top there is a big red valentine with another white valentine on top. Around the edge there is red crepe paper. On top of the two big valentines there is a big red bow. On the inside of the lid there is a big red valentine. The edges of the top are decorated with red valentines.

Jean Holloway-5

MY STEAM ENGINE

I have a little steam-engine that has a big wheel on the side of it. It has a tank in which I put the water. After the cord is plugged in, in about five or six minutes the water starts to boil. Then the steam pressure makes the wheel go around.

Dicky Tucker-5

MY GOLD FISH

I have two little gold fish. Their names are Gold and Cold. I feed them everyday, and clean out their bowl. They swim around the bowl and go through the castle hole. They nibble at the feed, and have lightning speed.

Jeannette Cory-5

MISS WOLF'S ROOM

GEORGE WASHINGTON

George Washington's birthday is February 22. He was the first president of the United States. He lived in a plantation called Mount Vernon. He liked sports

and horses. He lead his armies in war and never lost his temper.

Raymond Miller -4

VALENTINE DAY

On Valentine Day we have lots of fun.

We eat lots of cookies and chew bubble gum.

On Valentine's Day we have parties, too.

Until the day is almost through.

Bette Lou Weber-4

SNOW

Snow is falling down, down.

Snow is falling on the ground.

Snow is falling here and there,

Snow is falling everywhere.

Gathel Payne -4

MY DOG

My dog is a Boston Bull terrier. He likes to run and jump. I play with him, but when he gets mad he bites my foot. When some people come in he will run around with his tail almost touching the floor.

Dick Stilwill-4

MISS BAIR'S ROOM

BOOK REVIEWS

"Little Eddie"

A very interesting book I have read is "Little Eddie" by Carolyn Haywood. Eddie's real name is Edward Wilson. He has a twin brother and another brother. Eddie likes to collect junk and cats. Every day Eddie goes to the meat market and gets fish tails. All of the cats and dogs come to Eddie's house to get fish tails. One day his father said that the one who brings home the most wood gets grandfather's desk. Could you guess what Eddie brought home?

Mary Alice Boyd-6

BOOK REVIEWS (continued)

AN INTERESTING BOOK I'VE READ

The name of this book is "Ben and Me". It was written by Robert Lawson. This story is about Benjamin Franklin and a mouse named Amos. The part I liked best was one day when Ben and Amos went swimming. To go they had to go to a little pond in the woods. While they were swimming a dog came and took Ben's hat. Ben jumped out of the water and chased the dog through the woods. Some farmers passing by saw Ben's clothes drying on the bank of the pond. The farmers seeing clothes and not Ben thought that he had drowned. When the mayor heard about this he and a group of men went to the pond to see if they could find Ben. When they got to the pond there stood Ben in his muddy hat and striped bathing suit.

Paul Park-6

THE SILVER SKATES

The story of the Silver Skates tells how Hans Brinker helps another boy win the Silver Skates. There is a race in Holland to see who is the skating champion. The royal people are there in very gay clothing. Everyone is very gay and laughing. The Silver Skates go to the boy or girl that can win three times. As Peter goes to his post for the third time his strap breaks so he cannot skate anymore. He has already won two times. Hans Brinker then gives him his strap so Peter can win the Silver Skates. The author is Mary Mapes Dodge.

Patty Ohler-6

TOBY TYLER

"Toby Tyler" is a book that is very interesting. It is about a boy who wants to go to the circus. He runs away from home because he thinks being in a circus would be fun. He lives with

his Uncle Daniel because he has no mother or father.

I think you would like this book because it's about a circus and all children like circus stories. So get this book down at the library or ask your teacher to get it for you.

Betty Grumet-6

"FREDDY THE MAGICIAN"

Walter R. Brooks has written quite a few books about Freddy the pig who is a poet and detective. "Freddy the Magician" is the latest Freddy book. In the book Freddy becomes a magician. His tricks are taught by a sneaky rabbit named Presto. Presto belonged to a magician who used him in an act when he pulled a rabbit out of his hat. This magician's name was Professor Zingo. Zingo stole a lot of money and hid it in his magic hat. Freddy found it so Zingo had Presto trick the pig into getting it back.

This book is very funny and exciting, which makes it enjoying. You can get "Freddy the Magician" at the library and at book stores.

Billy Schettler-6

"THE GOLDEN STALLION"

"The Golden Stallion" was beautiful with white mane and tail. He was of the type known as Palomino.

The stallion had formed a habit of staying near his mother though most colts finally leave them. This mare was sway-backed and pot-bellied and very old. Later, however, she drowned. Soon after this he fought the old roan stallion who led the herd.

Elaine Kaufman-6

A STORY OF TWELVE GAY BOYS

"Little Men", by Louisa May Alcott, is one of the most interesting books I have read. This book continues "Little Women" in a way. It is about the boys at a home where boys are sent when they

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A STORY OF TWELVE GAY BOYS (continued)

cannot get along at their homes or are orphans, or have something wrong with them. The woman and her husband who run the home are much loved by all the boys and the reader soon does, too. They are called Mother Bhaer and Father Bhaer. Jo, now grown up from "Little Women", is Mother Bhaer and Father Bhaer is the boy who lived next door. Lively times are had with mischievous Tommy, imaginative Dimi and his sister, Daisy, the first girl at Plumfield. Always cheerful, always gay, the boys grow up into manhood. If you read this book I am sure you will like it and want to tell others about it.

Alice Beatty-6

"MR. WILMER"

"Mr. Wilmer" is a book by Robert Lawson. It is about animals and their conversations. It is funny and you never know what is going to happen next. Anything can happen and it usually does. Mr. Wilmer is a man who is very interesting. His favorite candy is "Peppermint Patooties", his favorite pastime is visiting the zoo. Since he has his feelings hurt easily by people he receives help by talking with the animals. He worked at the Safe, Sane and Colossal Insurance company, but now he has a better job. He is an animal translator. You'll laugh half the day and cry the other half. Don't miss it.

Gordon Pataky-6

OUR PRESIDENTS

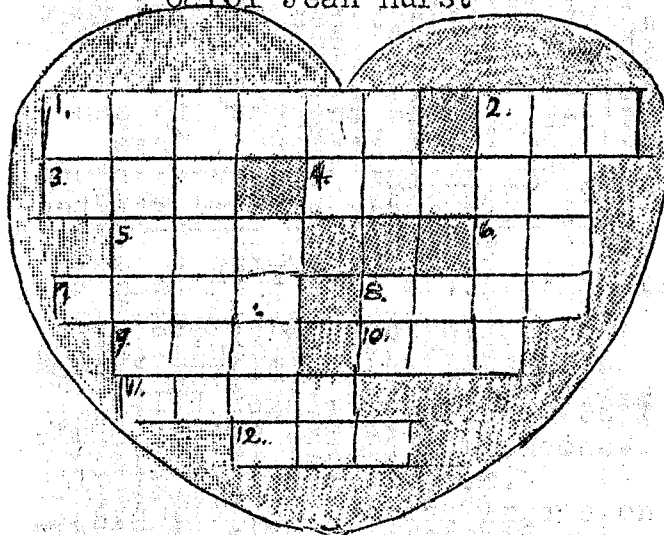
There are four U. S. Presidents who have been honored on U. S. coins. Lincoln is on the 1909 penny; Jefferson is on the 1938 nickel; Washington on the 1932 quarter; and Franklin D. Roosevelt is on the 1946 dime.

No one knows who the Indian on the 1859 penny was. The Indian on the 1915 nickel is the composite portrait of three Indians. Benjamin Franklin is going to be honored on a 1948 half-dollar. The Liberty Bell will be on the other side.

John Lehman-6

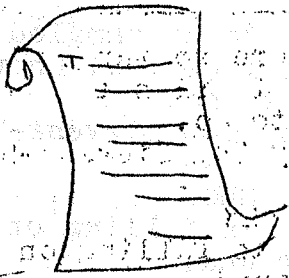
PUZZLE

Ellen Jo Fankhauser
Carol Jean Hurst



1. Time of Jesus' crucifixion.
2. Another word for Mother.
3. The abbreviation for Saturday.
4. What a winning team does to losers.
5. Abbreviation for Friday.
6. A word to identify yourself.
7. What is found in the newspaper.
8. She ---- to the house today.
9. Where can you look to locate a city or state?
10. A domestic animal.
11. What we expect with the spring season.
12. Writing fluid.

Answers to puzzle:
1. Easter, 2. Mom, 3. Sat,
4. beats, 5. Fri, 6. me, 7. news
8. came, 9. map, 10. cat, 11. rain
12. ink.



POEMS



TROUBLES

For the "Wind-Up"
we must make a rhyme,
And have it ready,
right on time.

But, in the noise
and confusion of my
home,
It's very hard to
write a poem.

I suppose you have
troubles, too,
With your little
sister Sue,
And your brother
playing cowboys,
While mother calls,
"Pick up your toys".

But now that it's
begun,
It really is lots
of fun.

I have the key,
I will write poetry
Nancy McClary-4

VALENTINE'S DAY

Valentine's Day is
very near,

I'll be so glad
when it is here.

I'll get valentines
from girls and boys,
And maybe even
some little toys.

I'll eat some
little candy hearts,
And some nice big
valentine tarts.

I hope I'm not
sick at the end of
the day,

Because from school

I will have to stay.
Sherry Pat Kyler-6

MARK IS SCARED OF THE DARK

One night when it
was dark,

And Mark was all
alone.

He thought he heard
The rattle of an
old skeleton's bone,
When he went to in-
vestigate.

He fell over a roll-
er skate,

As the hour came to
three,

He thought he heard
the turn of a key.

When the hour crept
to four,

He thought he heard
the squeaking door,

And then he thought
there was something
on his bed.

And all it was was
his cat's gray head.

Molly Maxwell-4

SKATING

Everyone is skating
on the ice,

It is so smooth,
shiny and nice,

Arm in arm the skat-
ers go sailing along,

Shouting and sing-
ing their happy song.

The snow is so clean
and bright,

It covers everything
in sight.

Skating and skiing
is great sport,
That is why winter
seems so short.

Carol Laux-5

FURRY, FURRY, PUSSY CAT

When pussycat is
happy,
At the closing of
the day,
She snuggles up and
tells you,
In her fur-r-ry,
pur-r-ry way.

She say she likes
her dinner,
That salmon's her
first choice,
And she lets me
know she loves me,
By her fur-r-ry,
pur-r-ry voice.

Carol Jean Hurst-6

SLIDING

In winter times it's
is lots of fun,
To grab our sleds
and quickly run,

To slide down steep
and snowy hills,

And never feel the
winter chills.

Sometimes we hit an
awful bump,

And on our heads we
have a lump.

But though our head
is good and sore,

We're always ready
for some more.

Tommy Nichols-5

THE BOY LINCOLN

He was very tall
and strong,

And his arms were
very long,

He had a yearn for
learning,

And he studied be-
fore a fire burning.

On, how much he
liked to read,

He would rather do
that than ride a
steed.

Then, finally he
became real great,

And now we all re-
member that date.

Lee Hartley-6

MY VALENTINE

I'll make a cute
little valentine,

All fancy and red
and white,

It will be real
fine,

And in it I will
write.

I love you! I love
you!

Do you love me?

I'll find out if
you do,

Just wait and see!

Nadine Nixon-5

SKATING

It is fun to skate
upon the pond,

Of skating I am very
fond.

I like to watch the
big skaters, too,

I wish I was that
good, don't you?

It is pretty on the
lake at night.

The lights shine on
it very bright.

When the moon shines
it is nicer still,

It looks pretty
from the hill.

Nancy Lu Knoll-5

LITTLE ANDY ALLEY

CAT

Little Andy Alley
cat,

Lost his brand new
shoe,

The top of it was
white,

And the little bow
was blue.

Penny Schettler-4

SKATING

I went skating and
it was fun,

There I saw a fath-
er and son,

The father could
skate so very good,

But son could not,
try as he would.

The ice was rough
and full of cracks,

Both fell down and
hurt their backs.

Then mother came
hurrying on the run,

To see what happen-
ed to father and son.

Paul Koons-5

SNOW

The snow is falling
down, down, down.

See it come from
all around.

The ground will
soon be white,

Oh my, what a cold
night.

Carlene Miller

-4

SKIING

I went skiing down
the hill,

At the bottom I
had an awful spill,

My head buried in
a pile of snow,

My feet in the

skis were so tangled,
That I did not know
where to go.

Nancy Lou Stevens-5

SNOW

Snow is falling on
the ground,

See it coming from
all around,

See it falling on
the trees,

See the icicles
crackle in the breeze.

Anne Naas-4

ICE SKATING

Children are having
fun ice skating,

But here's some
advice about skating

Never skate where
the ice is thin,

Thin ice will break
and you'll fall in,

And come up with
icicles under your
chin,

If you skate where
the ice is thin.

Gayle Kanz-5

WINTER SPORTS

Snow, snow! Oh, how
soft it is, you know.

Even though it is
awfully cold,

It is so high and
deep,

In some places it
is in heaps.

But I still like
winter so much,

Skiing, sledding,
skating and such.

Dick Berlo-5

COASTING

I like to coast in
the winter time,

The wind is cold
and the snow is fine,

My sled and I have
a very good time.

When I coast in the
(Continued on page 20)



MISS GRUBAUGH'S ROOM

The little deer in our story saw a big deer, with something on his head.

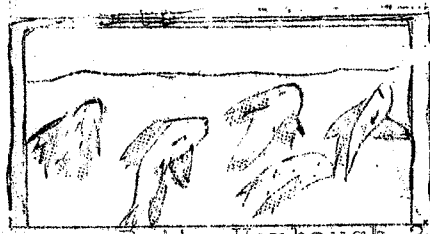
He thought it was a tree and his Mother told him that it was his antlers. He wanted antlers, too, so he asked a bird and Mr. Bullfrog and the rabbit where he could find his antlers.

It was a funny story. We have some real antlers in our room. It is fun to see them.

Ty Guilkey-2

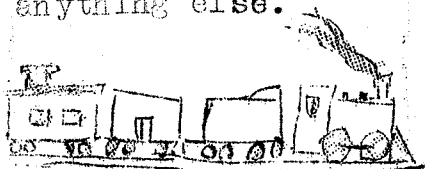
BETTY

We have some fish in our room at school. There are two gold ones, two black ones, one silver and gold one. We like fish. We like fish to eat. I love fish to eat.



Betty Harbaugh-2

I like to draw train pictures better than anything else.



Bobby Brenner-1

OUR VALENTINE BOX

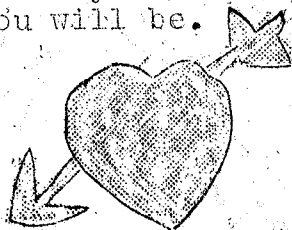
I took a valentine box to school one day and it had big red hearts on it. The boys and girls will fill it up with valentines bright and gay.

Marilyn Eller-1

My dog is a black and white cocker spaniel. His name is Dutch. He is blind in one eye. He never runs away from home.

James Tucker-1

If I love you,
And you love me,
Then my valentine,
You will be.



Holt Quinlan-1

MY LITTLE BROTHER

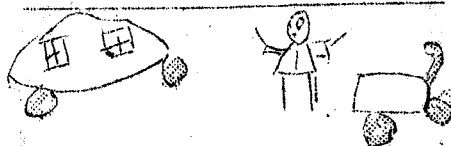
I have a brother named Jerry Linn, When I play with him he laughs and grins. But sometimes he hollers and cries, Then I run and hide my eyes.

Kenneth Burkhardt-1

MISS HELEN LINDBECK'S ROOM

SAFETY

Do not play in the street.



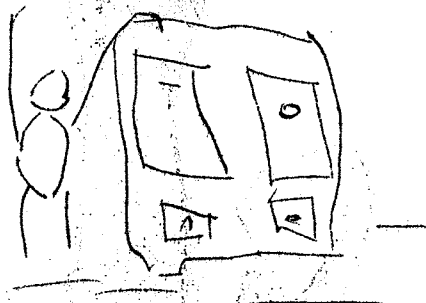
Carol Sue Graver-1

Don't play with candles. You might catch your hair on fire and burn up the house.



Laurel Davison-1

Do not play near the stove.



Andrew Zimmerman-1

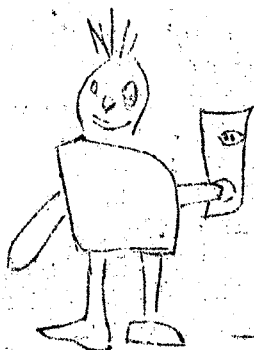
Don't play with guns.



Jimmy Bell-1

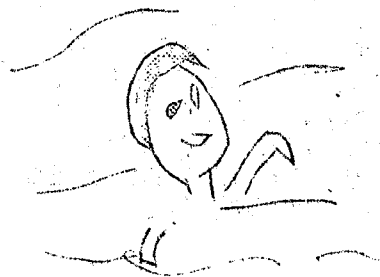
SAFETY (continued)

Don't play with
electric plugs and
cords.



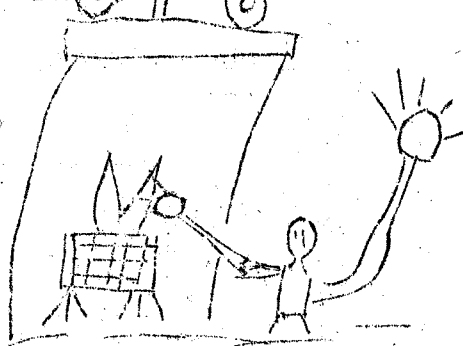
Larry Bowman-1

The boy fell in the
water because he was
playing too close to
the river.



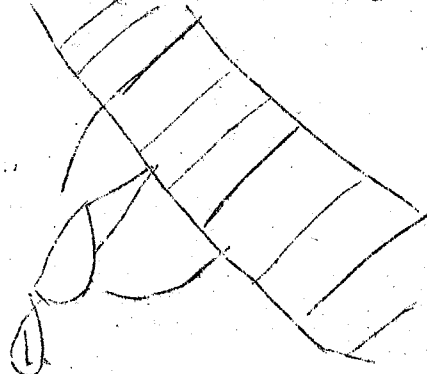
Jo Hammett-1

Do not play with
fire.



Roger Hartley-1

Don't play on ladders
You might fall down.



Patricia Heasley-1

MISS ENCWILLER'S
ROOM

OUR WEATHER CHART
We have a weather
chart. Every day we
put down how cold it
is and which way the
wind blows. We mark
the kind of day it is.
We have kept the chart
for 20 days and it has
not rained one day.

Grade 2

We are learning to
tell time and to
write.

Edward Bair-2

Fay McKenzie has
come back to our
school. We are glad
she is here.

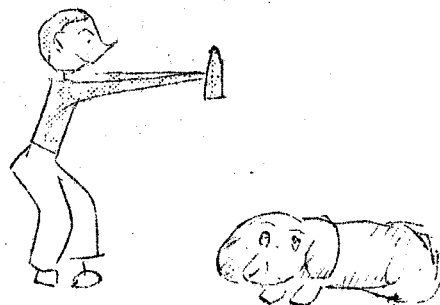
Martha Boyd-2

VALENTINE DAY

We have a valentine
box and we are going
to have a party.

Mary Neff-2

My dog jumps on me
and plays and runs
after me.



Philip Wiseman-2

MY DOG

My little dog stands
on his hind legs and
turns around when he
wants meat. He has a
toy rat. When he bite
the rat it squeaks.

Larry Miller-2

MY NEW BICYCLE

Mother and Dad gave
me a bicycle for
Christmas. But I can
not ride it until
the snow goes away.
My bicycle is blue
and white.

Diane Schiska-2

MY PUPPY

My puppy is black
and white. He has
lots of fun. He jumps
and plays.

Carol Pankhauser-2

MY KITTEN

My kitten's name is
Smokey. He plays with
me every day when I
come home from school.
He is so fuzzy to our
faces.

Margaret Weir-2

MY BABY SISTER

My Baby Sister is 2
years old. She can
bounce a ball with me,
(Continued on page 18.)

MY BABY SISTER (cont)
She plays with my train. She has a doll and she takes it to bed with her. We have lots of fun together.

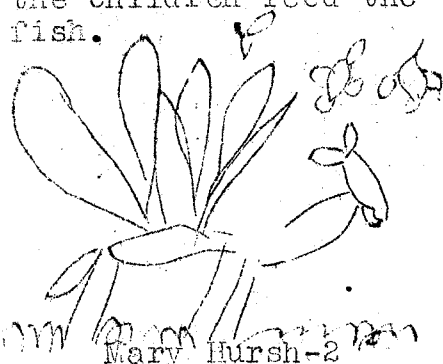
Joyce Whiteside-2

MISS RUTH LINDBECK'S ROOM

We are learning how to write cursive writing in our room and we think it is fun to do that. We never did it before.

Nancy Schuch-2

In our room we have a fishbowl, and we watch the fish and the fish come up to eat the food. All of the children feed the fish.



Mary Hursh-2

The valentine box is in the back of the room. We have valentines on our box. We made them at home. It is nice because we like the box. It has many valentines on it. Saturday is valentine day.

Claire Bodley-2

I have a workbench and a saw and hammer and screwdriver. I made a model airplane and painted it. I made an airport for

it and a runway is slanting so my airplane will go down. It goes real slowly.

Warren Zediker-2

MY CAT

I have a cat. I like it. I can play with it. The people next-door gave it to me. He sleeps all the time. He is very, very big.

Kay Simon-2

I have a little puppy. Her name is Trudi. She drinks her milk and her water in the morning. She will sit up and beg for her milk. She loves to lick you. She is a little black puppy. She will lie down when you tell her to.

Nancy Clark-2

THE TWINS

I have twin baby brothers. The names of the boys are Charles and Alan. I play with them a lot. Charles and Alan play together a lot of the time. I like them very much. The twins have a doll.

Lynn Reichert-2

MRS. ROBERTS' ROOM

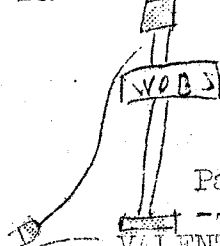
THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

One day Miss Leonard asked us down to the library for a story. We said we would like to come very much. She told us the story of the

Brownies and the Cat.
Carol Robnolte-3

OUR PROGRAM

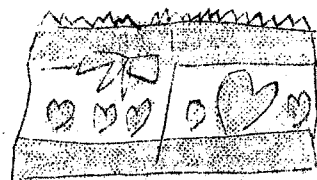
About a month ago we had a program. Miss White's room was down. There were three boys who made a microphone. Their station was WGES. There were lots of people init. Patty Laux was in it. David Mattox and Judy Parry and Carol Lee and Dalton Derr.



Patty Laux-3

VALENTINE PARTY

Friday we are going to have a valentine party. We have a valentine box and David Mattox made it for the class.



Charlene Holloway

BABY PUPPIES

One Sunday morning my mother woke my sister and I up. My mother said, "Taffy has Puppies", and I thought she was kidding me and sister thought she was dreaming. So I went downstairs. Of course I had to put on my slippers to go down stairs and went through the

BABY PUPPIES (cont.)

kitchen, then into the cellar and my mother said that we weren't supposed to go all the way down the steps because they were too little. And sure enough, Taffy was laying with the puppies.

Dalton Derr-3

CAT

I have a cat. He plays with me. I get a big long string and drag it on the floor. He runs and plays with it.

Leeann Small-3

I like to play out in the snow, And slide down hill on my sled.

It takes a long time to come up from below,

I think I'll try skating instead.

Douglas Catanzariti

MY MICE

I had two mice and now I have thiry of them and they jump a all over the place.

Then when I was going to feed them one of them got out.

I had a hard time catching it. And then I had to go to bed.

John Dunning-3

MISS WHITE'S ROOM

The children in ourr room are divided into two teams. One team is called Indians and the other Tigers. These teams have arithmetic contests.

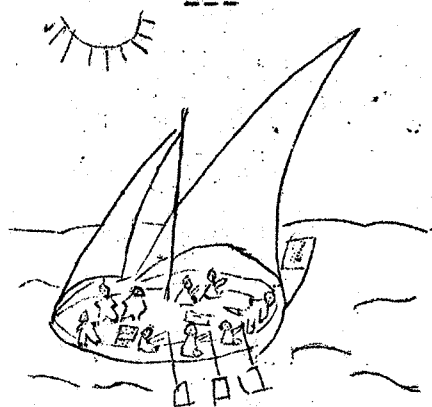
We hope these arith-
metic contests will
help us to do better
arithmetic.

Third Grade.

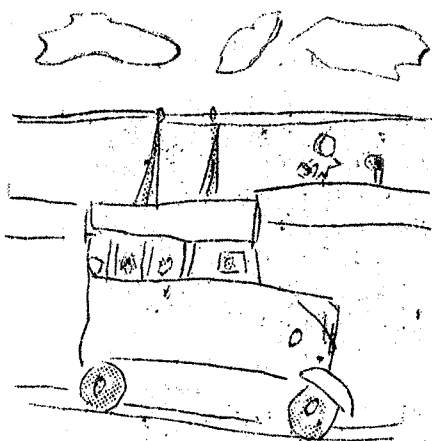
OUR SCRAPBOOK

We made a scrapbook. In it are pictures of ways of travel. Some of the pictures show how people traveled long ago and others how we travel now.

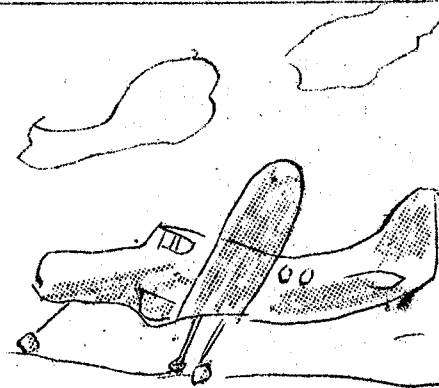
Catherine Firestone



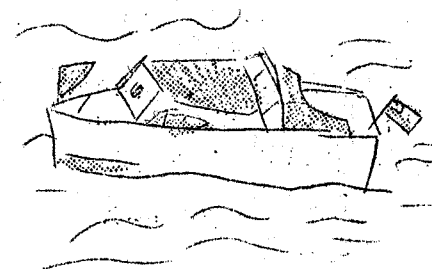
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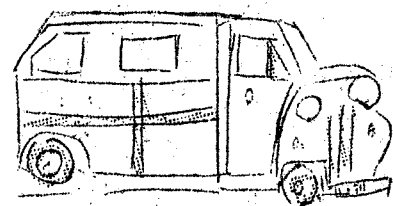
Elaine Eller-3



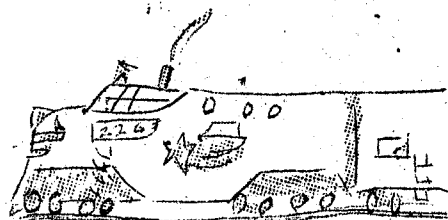
Peder Galaas-3



Gene Hahn-3



Jody Keller-3



Stanley Berry-3

THE PARROT

Did you ever see a parrot? I know a man who has one. His parrot is red and green. It can talk. When you come in, it will say, "Polly wants a cracker". One time he picked my hand.

Stanley Berry-3

MY CHIPMUNK

I have a chipmunk. His name is Mickey. He has a fluffy tail. When I go close to his cage he jumps at me. Yesterday my mother and I put a box in his cage. When mother gives him some nuts he puts them in the box.

Janice Bender-5

OUR CHICKENS

My brother and I used to have some chickens. They were black and yellow. Daddy made them a little house out of a cardboard box and put an electric light bulb in the top. When we moved to Mansfield we ate some of them and gave the rest of them to one of our neighbors.

Catherine Firestone

MY CHAMELEON

I had a little chameleon. She was very cute. She turned colors on me. I caught flies for her. One day mother let her out and she climbed a tree. It rained that night and she died.

Elaine Eller-3

MY DOG

I have a dog. His name is Tippy. I play hide and go seek with him. I play ball with him too. He can hop on his hind legs. I like my dog when he doesn't bite me. One night my dog chased a cat up a tree. He runs away from home sometimes.

Jimmy Hardy-3

MY KITTEN

I have a little kitten. And he name is Susie Q. And every time she sees me come, She always says mew, mew.

Carol Broctor.-3

COASTING (continued)

winter time.

Dick DeHaven - 4

WORK

Work, work,
Nothing but work,
Why don't we ever
have play?
In school we work,
At home we work,
We're working all
the day.

Working, working,
I'm always working,
I don't know why
I don't play,
My mother is saying,
I must be obeying,
Because I still do
not play.

Shirley Stutz - 6

WHAT DO I SPELL?

My first candy but
not in rice,
My second letter is
in up but not in
nice,
My third is in cup
also in pepper,
My fourth letter is
in it but not in rope
My last is in dandy
but also in handy.

•pidno •suy

John Bolesky - 5

???QUESTIONS ???

&

...ANSWERS...

Which will fall
faster, an object
weighing one pound or
one weighing ten
pounds?

Weight alone has no
effect on the rate of
speed of falling ob-
jects.

When does a person
get the best sleep?

During the first
part of a night's
rest the sleep before
midnight.

When was the Eng-
lish Channel first
crossed by air?

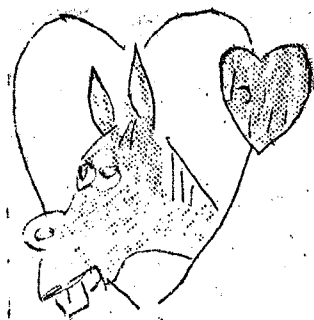
In 1785 by two in
a balloon.

Is the retina of
the eye transparent?

No.

David Mattox -3

Wife: John, there's
a mouse in the room.
I hear him squeaking.
Husband: Well, do you
expect me to get up
and oil him?



JOKES



Father: I can't understand my watch won't run.

Mother: Maybe it needs cleaning.

Small Son: Oh, no, it couldn't. I had it in the bathtub with me this morning.

"Excuse me", said the mild little man in the cafeteria as he returned with a cup of coffee, "but you have my seat".

"Oh yeah" growled the big man. "Can you prove it?"

"I think so", said the little man, "I left my pie and sandwich on the seat".

Joe: Were you at the water party last night?

Bill: No!

Joe: I thought there was a drip missing.

School Nurse: I am afraid you have been eating too many sweets. Let me see your tongue.

Little Boy: You can see it, but it won't tell.

Bill: What did one carrot say to the other carrot?

Ronald: Not a thing

because carrots can't talk.

Dentist: What kind of filling do you want?

Boy: Mmm, cherry, please.

Freddie: Why do they put a fence around the graveyard?

Don: I don't know.

Freddie: Because people are just dying to get in.

Girl: I thought you had a big car.

Boy: I did, but when I washed it it shrank.

Why did Mickey Mouse leave home?

Because he found out his father was a rat.

Barbara: What chews and chews and chews and never eats?

Anne: A train.

Douglas: What has a neck and wears a cap but cannot talk?

Robert: A bottle.

Martha: I have the hiccups.

Father: You shouldn't have the hiccups.

Martha: What should I have?

Father: You should have shecups.

Sandy: What General in World War 1 wore the biggest hat?

Mary: The one with the biggest head.

Denny: What time is it when a clock strike 13 o'clock?

Paul: Time to get the clock fixed.

Carol: Jane, have you heard the new joke about the roof?

Jane: No, I haven't.

Carol: Well, it's right over your head.

Bill: Did you have your radio on last night?

Don: Yes.

Bill: Well, how did it fit?

Jack: What is it that women are always looking for and never want to find?

John: What is it?

Jack: A rug in their stocking.

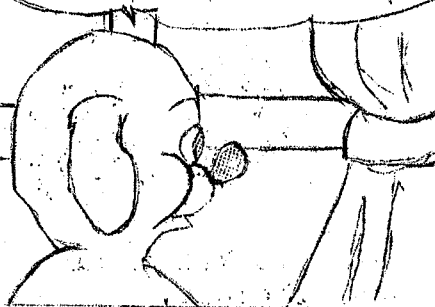
Teacher: Dickie, you can't sleep in my class.

Dickie: I know. You talk too much.

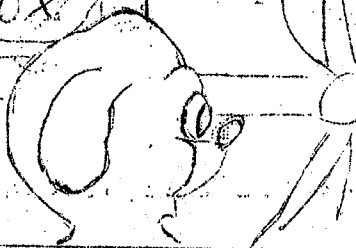
PERCY

by Billy Schettler

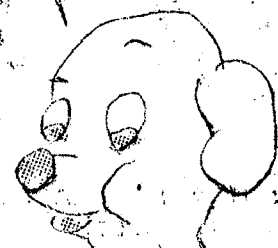
SAY THERE'S
THE POSTMAN!



HE'S PUTTING
SOMETHING
IN MY MAIL
BOX!



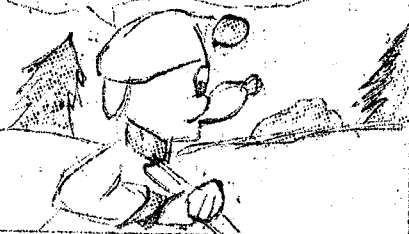
I WONDER
WHAT IT IS!



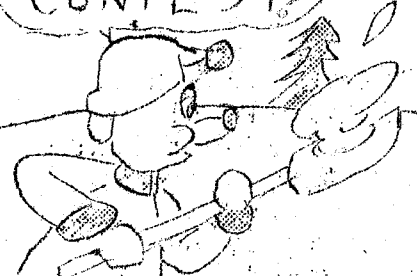
WELL, I'M GOING
TO FIND OUT!



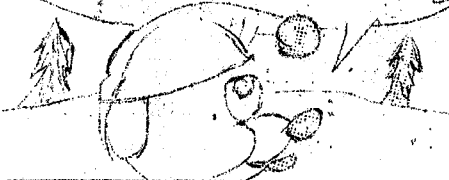
I'LL HAVE TO
SHOVEL MY
WAY TO THE
MAIL BOX!



MAYBE I WON
THE TON O' GOLD
CONTEST!



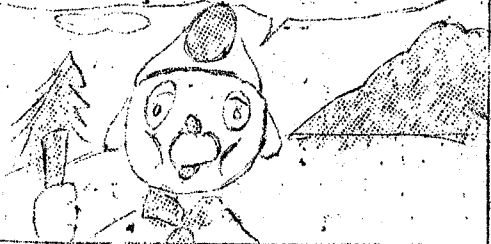
MAYBE UNCLE
DAN SENT ME A
BOX OF CANDY
FROM HIS STORE!



MAYBE MY
RICH AUNT
SENT ME A
FORTUNE!



PUFF PUFF I
SURE AM GET-
TING TIRED!



WHEW! HERE'S
THE MAIL BOX!
NOW I WILL
SEE WHAT IT
IS!

