THE MAGNA CHARTA of England has been brought to America for safekeeping during the war. It is to be displayed alongside the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution in the Library of Congress. It would certainly be a shame if some of our enterprising young statesman would go about amending it at the next session of Congress.

An Earthquake was felt in Kansas An Earthquake was felt in Kansas Full Swing the shock was felt in the 8th ward which it turns out is Republican. No At P H S surprise is to be felt at this however, for it is only nature's way of evening up the series of shocks that have been rocking the Democratic portion of that

European politics, says in a recent art- scaled IIr. Futchiason, in regard icle that the kind of war that France C urtesy Week, Dec. 4--8. is carrying on, a war of defense and waiting, is the best possible way to bly Dec. 6, the following speakers and

This left Hitler facing blockade with considerably," claimed Harvey Lanthe only way out through Stalin who ier, president of the Student Counis just as ruthless as Hitler himself.

Germany thus found herself with millions of armed men camped on one border and he only way to food through a country ruled by a greedy unpre- rooms.

INEZ ROBB, New York news woman 'tells us that because of the war, the capital of the world's gaiety has changed from Paris to New York. According to her, money is flowing like water Help Red Cross put some velvet on it and open a night club. Thanksgiving night, we were under the impression that the scene of the world's hilarity had moved to Columbus.

\_\_ PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT now

ary June. This is evidently a move to sued. shorten the campaigns before the Lenore Funk spoke at the History parties may be satisfied. Although and the Kansas Club. the campaigns are detrimental to some | Charles Davis appeared before the

### Teachers Represent Schools At Annual Social Studies Council; Nation Outlines Purpose

representatives of the Pittsburg er and we feel it quite an honor to atschools departed for the annual Nat- tend it." ional Council of Social Studies Nov. Among the important people they 24 and 25 at Kansas City, Missouri. met at the convention were R. O. M. M. Rose, Miss Pauline Staats, Mr. Hughes, author of an American Gov-

ervisor, represented the elementary burgh, Pennsylvania. The President lectric victrola was taken care of by schools: Mr. Davis, of the Roosevelt of the organization is Ruth West of Harvey Lanier and Mr. Tewell. Junior High School Faculty, attended Seattle, Washington. the council as a delegate for the Junior High Schools; and Mr. Nation, Senior High Social Studies teacher was the High School agent.

"One of the outstanding speakers at the event," reports Mr. Nation, "was Judge Florence Allen of the Federal District Court at Cleveland."

The entire conference, according to exhibits. Mr. Nation, was held at the Muehle-

"that this is the first such conference School."

CALENDAR

.. 8-- Safety Assembly 13-S. C. Picture 14--G. R., Hi-Y 15--All-School dance

15 .- Chanute basketball, there 18--G. R., Hi-Y Xmas party 19 -- C. of C. Xmas party (Roosevelt gym.)

19 -- Columbus basketball, ther 20 .- Faculty Club .21 -- Fort Scott basetball, her

Courtesy Week In

Student Council Sponsored Event Dec. 4-8; Speakers In Special Assembly

high school needs the most and all DEMAREE BESS, commentator on of the good students will get behind foreign affairs and "in the know" on Courtesy Week and enforce it," as-

fight Hitler. After her quick conquest the title of their speeches were: Dr. of Poland, Germany expected the F. S. Robison, "The Need for Cour-French to attack their famous West tesy in the Business World", Mrs. A. Wall. This would give the Germans B. Keller, "The Part Courtesy Plays in enough of a victory to demand peace, the Social World," and Mr. E. Briggs, for that is what Hitler really does "The Part Education Plays in Regard to Courtesy."

"With the cooperation of every student, courtesy could be enforced BUT THE FRENCH merely sat throughout the year and the standards back and waited for the next move. of this high school might be raised

> Pamphlets and handbooks were the sources of information in studying the need for courtesy in the various home

> "I think courtesy is one thing this high school needs more than anything else," asserted Miss Farner, sponsor of the Student Council.

# Speak At City Clubs To

Stimulate Purchase Of Tuberculosis Seals

culosis drive sponsored by the Red or the Senior High School. Cross, several Pittsburg High speech students have recently made short dance committee for the last dance believes that the Party conventions speeches at city clubs. The talks were will be observed at this second Partynext year should be changed to late to urge members to purchase tuber- Dance. in the summer instead of the custom- culosis seals which are soon to be is-

election. This columnist believes that Study club. Jane Pratt spoke at both that is an idea to be killed. The summer the Kiwanis Club and the Women's of every election year is looked for Study Club. At the Friday Study ward to by every American as a pe- Club appeared Patty Barkell who alriod when all grievances against both so spoke before the American Legion

politicians, the general result is ben- Monday Study Club, Bruce Washburn have the same old long campaigns and Junnor Study Club, and Harvey La- in the library of the high school. in the Journalism department at the brown satin bush jacket. the more mud-slinging and muck-rac- nier at the Federation of Women's Crimson and Gold, the junior class university.

Leaving last Friday morning, four to be held west of the Mississippi Riv-

T. E. Davis, and Mr. Marion Nation. ernment textbook used in P. H. S. and Miss Staats, Elementary School Sup- Director of Social Studies at Pitts-

> "There are many opportunities for service in the Social Science field," explained Mr. Nation, "and knowledge evening Dec. 4, at Wilma Jean Dean's in it broadens your understanding in home. The time was spent discussing

many interesting book and magazine Year's Party.

"The purpose of such conferences," bread and orange juice were served to bach Hotel with approximately 750 he illustrated, "is an attempt to provide the following members: Anita Ray, people present from all over the coun- an experimental Social Studies curric- Ida Louise Rush, Joyce Henney, June ulum that will integrate the courses Lowe, Barbara Williams, Louise Pyle, "It so happens," says Mr. Nation, from kindergarten through High Naida Chandler, Mardell Mangrum, BOOSTER

PITTSBURG, KANSAS, DECEMBER 8, 1939.

NEW BOOSTER EXECUTIVES TAKE OVER



Booster executives who will super- Rush, H. B. Cheyne, Charles Davis vise the editorial and business phases Kenneth Hunt, Davis is the new editor. of the paper for the next ten weeks Madlyn Osterfelt is Advertising Manare pictured above. From left to right, ager, and Maxine Scott serves as Busthey are: front row, Joyce Henney, iness Director. Joyce Henney and Ida "Courtesy is one of the things this Margaret Naylor, Madlyn Osterfelt, Louise Rush were Business Manager Martha Ruth Howard, Anita Ray; and Editor, respectively, during the the second shift lasting ten weeks. back row. Maxine Scott, Ida Louise first ten weeks.

### **All-School Dance** December 15

Discuss Plans To Engage Orchestra; Same Rules Will Govern Event

Ushering in the arrival of the basketball season and bidding farewell to the football season will be the second all-school Party-Dance Der. 15.

"Mr. Hutchison, the dance commitee and I believe a small collection taken in each home room for the purwould prove satisfactory," explained five cents. Miss Lanyon, chairman of the dance

However, if the movement does not asserted Miss Lanvon.

incomplete." asserted Harvey Lanier, who is on the Student committee.

music room. Some of the games to be played are Chinese Checkers, bingo driving a milk truck. checkers, and several others.

Season tickets will be given to

The same rules laid down by the

### Juniors Enjoy Dinner - Dance

Teachers Serve At Annual Affair; Library Decorated In Crimson And Gold

On the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 5, colors, decorated the room festively. nice time and enjoy the entertain- City.

dance afterward as well as Mr. Briggs, bership in the Sigma Delta Chi. Mr. Tewell, and Mr. Duerkson.

On the stage were nine game tables on whih the students could play while not dancing. The music from an e-

HOSTESS TO TWELVE' TIL

The Twelve 'Til Club met Monday plans for a private formal dinner dance to be held at the Country Club According to Mr. Nation, there were Dec. 12, and for a progressive New

> Refreshments consisting of ginger-Madlyn Osterfelt, and the hostess. ADVERTISERS

### **Student Council Sponsors Movie**

The Hoosier Schoolboy" With board.

Rooney will be shown Dec. 13, in the Nail, and Dorothy Redfern. high school auditorium. The picture is Society editors are Joyce Henny and Debate Tourney sponsored by the Student Council for Naida June Brannum. Sports Editor pose of engaging a dance orchestra year. The price of admission will be Joe Mingori and James Sill.

"Shockey" who has the job of com- and Jack Embree. "As yet the plans for the dance are a fight at school because a boy makes readers. fun of Shockey's dad, a shell-shocked music that was used at the last party," war veteran, whose only relief from his war experiences is alcohol.

The dance will start at eight o'clock the school board, the members are all Osterfelt. Business director is Maxine future conduct. Jack, with whom Mary Barbara Gohr and Margaret Naylor. National

> farmers are blocking all roads. In a relative to the Booster. ablaze, as he sees the farmers block-special study of its field or others ne, Vaudine Ridenour, Sunshine Shering the road, the truck turns over and like it in the staff meetings. he is fatally injured.

Mary and Jack decide to marry and take Shockey to live with them.

### **Heady Is Member** Of Honorary Frat

Ray Heady, former journalism in-

The teachers served, as usual, for again when he was asked to become a It was black with a gold blouse and able rose-colored dress and it had a the dinner, and Miss Fintel, Miss member of the faculty at K. U., and had an eton jacket with gold lapels, seam in the back starting about in Waltz, and MissLeeka attended the several weeks ago was given a mem- Bob Friggeri must have thought she he middle of the sleeves and went

### Plans Xmas Program

a portion of the Chamber of Commerce down the front. Christmas party.

A pantomine depicting scenes from had a date and they were having just white collar. the "Nativity" will be presented by as good a time as anyone could wish There was only one dress of the a group of P.H.S. students. This for Rosemary had on a stunning new type of Charlene Williams', it was a school- chorus. Names of sudents appearingin the "Nativity" scene will be announced at a later date.

#### Senior Class Rings On Display Soon

Design for class rings will be on display, probably in the front hall, around New Years for the students to see. It is necessary for the whole Here Tomorrow school to vote as a contract for four years must be made for the ring sel-

As William's Jewelery, Benelli Jewelery, Banta Jewelery and Mr. M. O. Springfield, Missiouri are the jewelers presenting designs for the crests.

### Davis Made New **Booster Editor** Second Shift

Many New Positions Created be gathered up. In Staff; Bill Graue Is Sports Editor

Charles Davis was selected as the new editor-in-chief of the Booster for The new staff positions were assigned to the Journalism students by Mr. Proctor last week.

Associate editors are Martha Ruth and Margaret Naylor on the editorial

Mickey Rooney To Be Shown Dec. 13; Admission 5 Cents

Jacqueline Smith and Lorene Blancett are the feature editors. Others on "The Hoosier Schoolboy", an eight the staff are Wilma Williamson, Irene "The Hoosier Schoolboy", an eight the staff are Wilma Williamson, Irene reel feature picture starring Mickey Kelly, Barbara Huffman, Margaret In Coffeyville

funds to carry on its activities for the is Bill Graue and his assistants are

A new staff position, Librarian Ed-Mickey Rooney plays the part of itor, is in charge of Bertha Chambers

bination bellboy and elevator opera- Elanor Keplinger, Betty Jean succeed, we will use the loud speaker tor in the town hotel to support him- Navarre, Mary Lois Smith, Margaret tournament held thre. Each team will and recording machine to furnish the self and his father. Shockey gets into Crockett, and Juanita Scott are proof- debate four rounds.

> Norman, with Cecil Perry assisting contest. When the fight is discussed before him. Advertising manager is Madlyn

is in love, gets Shockey's father a job Plans for regular meetings of the Classin High in Oklahoma City. staff positions have been made for The farmers are striking and in a improvement of the Booster such as Margaret Naylor, Albert Hopper, Nadesperate mood. Shockey's dad is giv- pointing out defects and merits and ida Chandler, Jane Pratt, Georgeanne In the interest of the annual tuber- will enter and leave by the West door en a load of milk to drive to Creig- assigning tasks. The Editorial Board Switzer, Billy Hazen, Phillip Norman. head County but doesn't know that the will also settle disputes in the class | Charles Davis, James Marchbanks,

### **Bundle Day** Will Be Observed

Hi-Y and Girl Reserves Ask Pittsburg Citizens To Aid Needy Students

The annual Girl Reserve and Hi-Y "Bundle Day" will be held tomorrow afternoon between 2:00 and 4:00. This is the forth year they have sponsored it. Mr. Briggs, Hi-Y sponsor, has been the chairman each year. Members of the Hi-Y and G. R. dis-

tributed papers to all sections of the town Wednesday evening, telling people to put bundles of clothes on their front porch on Saturday afternoon to

"These clothes go to High School students that need them." stated Miss Gable.

The P.T.A. of other schools in town are helping the students. But they help in a way that will not conflict with the high school's days.

"I think that Bundle Day is to be a good advantage because each year we help up to a hundred High School ise Rush, H.B. Cheyne, Kenneth Hunt, students," asserted Mr. Briggs, chair-

Jane Pratt Only Entry In Extemp Contest; No After-Dinner Speaking

P.H.S. debaters went to Coffeyville today Dec. 8, for he annual two-day

Jane Pratt, Junior, is the only entry in extemporaneous contest. There Circulation Manager is Philip will not be an after-dinner speaking

Scott teams which won at Topeka and and last until eleven oclock. For those who do not care to dance, other en-

> Those attending will be: Bob Akey, W. C. Wilson, Jack Collins, Al Mcthrilling drive--his shell-shocked mind | Each one of the groups will make Clure, Bruce Washburn, H. B. Chey-

### Juniors Trip The Light Fantastic As Girls Appear In Greens, Reds, Golds, and Blacks

eficial to the country. We say let's at the Lions Club, Mary Keck at the the annual junior dinner took place Heady is a member of the faculty was dressed in brown slacks with a when they turned around we saw that

Mr. Heady attended P. H. S. while was Pauline Elias and Bill Heidy. Another belle was Shirley Johns-During the dinner, a speech was in high school and later attended Pauline was wearing a dress made ton, she was with Martin Lee most called for and Francis Ryan, presi- K. S. T. C. For two years he was up of a bright green velveteen skirt of the time. I don't think onyone dent of the class, complied with journalism instructor here. He then and a bright red velveteen jacket blames you, Martin, Shirley did look "Ladies and gentlemen, I'm glad to left P. H. S. to be the teacher at trimmed in green. Pauline and Bill darling in her bright blue velveteen see you out and I hope you have a Wyandotte high school in Kansas danced some but spent most of the dress that zipped with a red zipper tlme on the side-lines just talking. down the front of the blouse. Only this year he was promoted a- Lauretta Ashline had a sweet dress. looked pretty too because he took down a little below the waistline where up most of her time.

Formulation of plans for a Christ- thing new has sarted, Jimmy Myers dedicated most of her time to Arnold mas program are nearing completion, brought Mary Ramsey to the party. Mattox. according to Miss Maude Laney, ass- Mary was dressed in a black velve- Sitting and just watching the others will be presented Tuesday night, Dec. teen princess dress that had a white was what Violet Mae Waggoner and 19, in the Roosevelt gym. It is to be collar and cuff set and white buttons Tommy Shultz did with their time in-

Jay Rennick and Rosemary Cowan was a black moire taffeta with a spring dress, it was sky blue and had large flowered print on a black backa cording about two inches wide of ground. She wore with it a wide black

the same material down the front. girdle belt.

Ray Heady, former journalism instructor at P. H. S. was recently made structor at P. H. S. was recently made saw dancing at the Junior Dance was dent seemed to be having quite a time. a member of Sigma Delta Chi, honor- Sue Bales and Colin Barkell. Sue had We saw him dancing with a girl in ary journalism fraternity at K. U. Mr. on a deep red affeta dress and Colin a wine velveteen princess dress and

> it was Sammy Lou Heaton. Later we Another couple who caught our eye saw him taking Ilene Bennett home. Sarah Mae Frakes had one ador-

the skirt was gathered on and made a bustle effect. It didn't have a collar We aren't sure but we think some- and Sarah Mae wore a necklace. She

stead of dancng. Violet Mae's dress

Finally getting up enough courage, On the Little Theater stage where George Pogson asked Nellie Jo Thar- some were playing games and through rington to dance. Nellie was decked the bobbing heads of the dancers, we out in a red and black combination. had a glimps of Margaret Robbins By the way Bill Hood took Nellie in a moss green dress that looked very neat.

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#### NEW STAFF "TAKES OVER

Welcome, new editor! Now it's your time to take the wheel and steer our friend, "Johnny the Booster", through another ten issues down the stream of school life (as the poets might say it) !

Well, my staff and I have tried to keep him right at the top of the list of school papers where he always has been and, we're sure, always will be.

But just a word of caution: "Fragile-Handle with care." You know he's a very precious paper and we think a lot of him, so now that you and your new staff have begun work, let's see how much better a paper we can put out each week!

Now here's a challenge We've gone high, now let's not fall. Success, new editor, all the time,

And to the staff, best wishes of mine! Ida Louise Rush

### Come On-Sing

Group singing ...... that's the proper outlet for all the steam that is continually going off in chapel. If students in chapel insist upon making so much noise why not direct it to some harmless channel such as singing popular and patriotic songs.

The popular songs offer unbounded opportunity in easy songs to sing and goodness knows we need some patriotism.....singing is one of the most effective ways to patriotism. Whose heart does not thrill to

a roshing marching song? Slidets, to show the words on, can easily be taken care of and we're sure that, with the fine vocal músic department P. H. S. has, we can secure some kind person's consent to lead the songs.

Let's all sing! H. B. Cheyne

### **Birthday Bouquets**

To some of us the first weeks of December just offer a chance to recover between Thanksgiving and Christmas. To others they mean moments of happy anticipation over the coming of the two biggest holidays of the year. But to these people they mean happy birthdays and joyous celebrations.

Birthday greetings to: Dec. 3 Margie Harrison, Ed Gilmore, Lawrence Glenn, and Marvin Gough.

Dec. 4 Bill Lynch

Dec.6 Jack Cox, Rene Thuilley.

Dec. 7 Margaret Jones, Dorothy Ensman, and Nancy Lee Soper.

Dec. 9 Anita and Freda Perko Dec. 10 Richard Masterson, Eugene Neptune.

Dec. 11 Geraldeane Yoekum

Dec. 12 Melvin Hudson Dec. 13 Margaret Nail

Dec. 14 John Shattuck, Doyle Stewart

Dec. 15 Jane Pratt. Dec. 16 Doris Lee Vincen

### WANT ADS

WANTED-"How to dance in ten easy lessons." -Faculty

FOUND-One steady couple, Patty Barkell and

-Jack Collins WANTED-Individual lights on lockers so stu-

-dents won't have to count ten. WANTED---Nice long pencil for teachers' bulletin

----board in office...Mr. Thorpe dislikes -writing with fingernails.

PERSONAL-Person is known who took my girl.

---Please return, save yourself embarr--assment....J. D.

FOUND-One lipstick stain on F. Ryan's collar

---Owner please match shade and flavor

-with Francis. WANTED----Television so I can see as well as hear

-J. R. when he telephones....Virginia

-Burcham. FOR SALE-One little red book (just full of girls

telephone numbers). Don Isenberg

----doesn't think he'll need it much long--er. Sammy Lou Heaton is practically

-his steady. WANTED ..... Someone to be Albert Hopper's body-

---guard. They say the girls just about ---mobbed him on the way to Topeka.

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\_\_\_Too bad, Al.

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### GOODBY----HELLO



Re-bow-Ra-bow Sis-boom-Bah! Rah! Rah! Rah!

As football goes out and basketball comes in, we wish to congratulate the football team on their fine playing for it's notalways the number of games won that counts, it's the spirit of playing those games.

So now as the basketbail season begins, let's all wish the best of luck to the purple quintet, and really get out to support them at the games!



Meow



Dan Cupid is very busy these days trying to fix things up between Betty McNally and Frank Thogmartin. We hope he doesn't work too hard on this case because Lowell Geisler might need some more help if his new permanent wave doesn't do the

Why is Virginia Hill always asking about Bill Ramage? I think there is something more to this than mere friendship! What does it sound like to

We see our little sophies are catching on to our high school technique. At least Lola Mae Baird is doing all right for herself. She has been dating Howard Mosby "37" quite a bit lately. Don't fall too hard and hurt yourself, Lola Mae!!

Talk about seeing people, have you all noticed Glenna Miller and Raymond Trumbule? We haven't decided what to call this affair, but "Cutter" certainly has that "lovey-dovey look in his eyes ... especially when dancing with her!!

Tsh! Tsh! Melvin Hudson and Wanda Maier, old flames of last year are at it again. They were doing nicely at the Twelve 'Til dance. Where do Charles and Nadine Pethtel come in --- or is that ins another romance within itself?? Who knows??

Could anyone please tell us the "score" on the Breiner-Nichols affair. The last time the Cats went snoopin' every think was "hunky-dory."

Whose ring is Lou Etta Eads wearing? Lets all take a look to see if Norman Finley's "39" is missing We're quite sure it is. Lou Etta we hear it's pretty

Dedicated to Jack Cremer

I'm through with women They cheat and lie They prey on us males Until the day we die The tease us, torment us,

Drive us to sin. Boy! Who is that blonde that just walked in?

The College Life-Emporia Two fine seniors, Dorris Pennington and Jack Embree came out of hiding for us Cats to prey on. That's fine kids, we'll be spyin' on you. Helen Otto and Harvey Lanier are two others we'll have to keep

Who is this guy Wreatha Shultz has so freely given her heart to? No initals allowed but his name is Bob McIntire.

Well! Folks, you'll have to excuse us. Were getting pretty sleepy. You kids keep us up to late spyin'

Style Show

Joyce Henney

SOMETHING DIFFERENT, and how, Barbara Huffman has a nose-warmer that Laurel Ellsworth crocheted for her. It looks like a doll dink and ties in the back by two pieces of yarn. This-(you name it) is brown to match Barbara's coat. She has named it her S. K. W., she says it means "Snoozer Keeper

EVERYONE SAW RED when Maxine Scott danced the other night at the sweater and skirt dance. She was waring a black skirt that was lined in red and with that she wore a red sweater

HI YO SILVER! Here comes Dale Bush with his red plaid shirt and overalls. Dale, we bet that this time last year, you wouldn't have worn that loud outfit for anything.

JUST A GIFT was all that we know what to call the strand of pearls and later a gold necklace that Harry Stephenson gave to Lois Teter. That was very thoughtful, Harry.

THEY CAME IN PAIRS, LaVerna and La Von Casterman each have a new black chubby coat. We saw them going down the street the other day. La-Verne was wearing a red skirt and had a black hat with a red bustle-back and LaVon had on a moss green dress and her black hat had a moss green bustle. We are wondering just what could be more



Imagination running over time. The answer to the following questions are what I imagine they would answer.

Question: What is your "pet-peeve?" Arnold Maddox: I don't have any, I love the

Question What would you like to happen most? "Mickie" Van Arsdale: To see caps and gowns

come to P. H. S. Question: What is your favorite subject? Harvey Lanier: I like them all, but American Problems rates the highest, specially when I argue

my point with the teacher. Question: Do you believe in Santa Claus? Patsy Hutto: I sure do. It wouldn't be Christ-

mas without him. Question: What is your favorite song? Albert Swartz: The Little Man Who Wasn't There. (This was implied for International Relations) ..Question: If you were rescued from a desert

island what would you ask for first? Raymond Trumbule: I would ask for a piece of hot music and my X. Question: Can you describe your favorite and

Afton Regan: Well, he's six feet tall, brown cur-

ly hair and wears a green sweater. (Oh, me it sound to me like she means Bill Lock, doesn't it?)

### Things You Should !! Know !!



Recently I have heard very much profanity in the halls and in front of the building and I have also seen people spitting on the sidewalk and even in the halls. Spitting is unsanitary and may cause sickness among the schools.

Signed: The Seeing Eye

Attention, all students! It is reported that the mice of P. H. S. have proclaimed a "vengeance week" beginning Dec. 11, and ending Dec. 15!

The little fellas seem to be protesting against the bloody "mouse week" proclaimed and carried out by the students of P. H. S.

Ladies and Gentemem of the Booster staff:

We would very much like to know who "vilomavioux" is. Would also like to know how to pronounce the name. Will you please try to find out

Tom, Dick and Harry P. S. We would also like to know who the "Three Modern Gentlemen" are.

We are sorry ,but, when asked, the Three Modern Gentlemen declared they wished their identity to remain secret. Vilomavioux is pronounced Villahm a-foo with the accent on the "ahm". Students of P. H. S.:

Haven't we any musicians left in P. H. S. besides the members of the Glee Clubs? Or is it that we iust haven't the school spirit? Anyway, the Glee Club did fine in assembly, Thursday, November 23; but when Mr. Carney asked the student body to sing, the song was "murdered."

When we sing in assembly, why not give the best we have, instead of the worst? when singing anywhere, keep up with the director.

Vilomavioux

Please print the words of the song "God Bless America." I think it would make the students more appreciative of their wonderful country.

An American! While the storm clouds gather Far across the sea,

Let us swear allegiance to a land that's free. Let us all be grateful For a land so fair, As we raise our voices in a solemn prayer.

God bless America Land that I love

Stand beside her And guide her Through the night with a light from above From the mountain, to the praries,

To the ocean white with foam, God bless America, My home, sweet home."

Question; What is the cleverest joke you have

Doris Pesnington: Well, one time there was a Latin teacher and she had asked the little boy, Johnny, to conjugate the verb "do." So says Johnny, "Do, dare, dedi, datum, watum,

### Our Football Team

Football playing is a very tough came. After each game one never feels the same Twisted knee, charley-horse, or bashed in head, Limping around, as if chucked full of lead. Brim, our left end, is a big red-haded chap, Players, who try to block him, are knocked down with

Mattox, our tackle who is a big mean burley Has good - looks, personality, and hair that is curly. Ed Tims is captain and plays without fear Is rough, tough, and graceful as a deer. Gregg, our center, is very thin and tall But opposing players would rather hit a wall.

Right guard is played by a husky named Hull Who is rugged, a good blocker, and faster than a gull. Now Bottenfield our tight tackle, who plays with

Doesn't give or receive a single bit of "sass." On right end, we have a very fine lad Warning to all!!! Stay away when he's mad

Ray Lance, a triple threater, with lots of weight Can pass, kick, run and is hard to hate. Our halfbacks Bush and Grey, are two lads with pep Just watch them tear out when Lance calls "hep" Now, I, Chas Gilliland, am also a back If you don't like this poem, just toss it in the sack. (Charles Leroy Gilliland)

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### **Titans Swamp** Dragons To Win **Second Place**

Cowan and Jack Robinson Score for Columbus: Lance Leads Pitt.

After 7 years of losing the Columbus iron last Thanksgiving Day.

The Titans played a lusty game chalking up over twice as many yards gained as by the Pittsburg eleven, early in the 4th quarter after a most of which were on long runs around the ends. The Dragons put up a ball on the Pitt. 3 yard line. Jay stiff battle during the entire game Cowan split the center of the line and once held for downs on their own and was not tackled until he had cro-6 yard line.

Columbus, smashing his way to fre- the receiver. quent gains through the center of the Pitsburg line. He made one of the Col-

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Thursday & Friday Baby Sandy in "LITTLE ACCIDENT" On The Stage "HAWIIAN FOLLIES"

### -COLONIAL

Starts Sunday! 4 days John Wayne, Claire Trevor

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John Trent in "DANGER FLIGHT"

Starts Thursday! 3 days. Charles Bickford in "MUTINY IN THE BIG HOUSE"

Plus 2nd feature Fredric March, Virginia Bruce in "THERE GOES MY HEART"

umbus touchdowns and made the extra

Jack and Earl Robinson also played \* a fine game, both making good gains around end and on reverse plays. Jack made one of the touchdowns for Columbus after paving his own way. In the first half, the two teams battled to a scoreless tie.

Pittsburg did not carry the ball once on a running play during the first half, but punted each time they re-Titans staged an upset on the Pitt- ceived the ball. Columbus, however, sburg Purple Dragons by defeating quickly grasped the upper hand and them 13-to-0 on the Columbus grid- continued to flourish it during the rest of the game, keeping Pitt. backed against their own goal line.

Columbus's first counter came series of running plays placed the ssed the goal. A pass was tossed for Jay Cowan dominated the field for the extra point but was too short for

Ray Lance tried to lead the Drathird priod and again in the fourth, but the Titans gave just so much and then started to buck the Pitsburg team ferocously. These were the only Dragon threats.

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### WE THINK

With another week gone by have lots of sports gossip stored up for you and we are now ready to loose it upon the public.

Something has happened that should make us hide our faces in shame because we picked the Dragons to win the SEK and for Parsons to finish third and for Fort Scott and Columbus to battle to keep out of the cellar. Big mistake no. I.

Hats off to Ray Lance! Ray Lance also an "A" student.

There are always a few loyal students that weather the storms of the lected on his SEK all star team. We would like to tell him that we think speaker. a lot of Chuck Gilliland and of Ray Lance, too. Just an idea but the reaa picture of these two boys. (Think to improve the ones which he has.

The basketball squad will be slightly time and Doc Brinkley comes weaker than last year due to the loss beautifully at night", he stated. of Ned Tryon. Harlan Peterson Francis Ryan, and Paul Ozbun, are the juniors that will show up well on the hardwood this season and are due for more attention in respect to basket-

There has always been stiff athletic competition between Pittsburg and Columbus fans take this too seriously even far enough to lose all sense of sportsmanship.

Several fans near the sideline ritcized the Dragons for good hard playing. In several cases they deounced them thoroughly with langage that should not be repeated. Some of the honorable opposition got ngry at the Dragons and were

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called down harshly by the referee. We in school have probably heard this same thing from the Dragon rooters. Just remembered that this

from other towns. Station K. C. H. signing off and clear wih station Y. O. U.

### Science Academy Make Odd Projects

Did you know that gold can be obtained from water?

played great football this season and Academy of Science in a recent meet- garet Kerr rated second typing 38, with the Hi-Y organization of P.H.S. played a large part in the brainwork ing. The gold is precipitated from the words with 1 error; Virginia Gore About 35 Boys attended the frolic of the team. Ray is outstanding as water by a patented chemical which was third in speed with 37 words and an athlete and is noted for his out- her aunt forumlated. Because of im- 4 errors; Robert Saar typed 34 words standing gains in this field. Ray is purities in the gold, it is of little com- with 4 errors; Wanda Maier, 32 words mercial value.

The public address system of this heavens and support the Dragons rain idea for a Science project. He decided

son for his selections might have been He has made several sets and plans Martin. "I can always get KOAM in the day-

Students And Teachers Bowl

Eleven students, eleven teachers, and two graduates bowled Friday, Dec. 1, at the Y.M.C.A. Plans are being made to form teams which will compete against each other.

Jack Barber had the highest score with a total of 433 in three games. Others participating were: Marjorie Parr, Harry Bradshaw, Shirley Johnston, Fred Turner, Jack Lemon, Dorothy Evans, Eugene Montee, Kenneth Smith, D.W. Cheek, Eugene Vietti.

Helen Sawyer, Maurine Dickey, Paty Marsh, Ann Prell, Jane Dickey, Mary Nelson, Mary Britten, John Duerksen, Ted Carnino, Norma June Young, and Fred Bumgarner. Miss Nelson, sponsor, invites every-

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Rae & Postai 3 rd. S. Locust Phone 7 Lenore Funk Defends Champ Typers Crown

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In accuracy Bill Graue rated 100 percent 23 words. Betty Gohr came in second with 100 percent typing 19 words. Lenore Funk, 96 percent for 45 words with 1 error; Mary Margaret Kerr, 95 percent for 38 words with 1 error; Marjorie Ellis per cent for 31 words with 1 eror.

Lauraetta Ashline can show you Lenore Funk was first in speed typhow it is done, as she did the Junior ing 45 words with 1 error. Mary Mar- the new members were acquainted with 2 errors.

high school gave Kenneth Hunt an BAPTIST GIRLS HOLD SUPPER The First Baptist high school girls a short talk on the "History of the Hior shine, win or lose. We noticed that to learn more about it by making one met at the home of Mrs. C. J. Askins gons on a touchdown jaunt in the in Kenney Simon's page in the Sun of his own. It will consist of an amfor a chilli supper Saturday Dec. 2. that Bottenfield and Tims were se- plifier from an old radio, a home mi- Chilli was served by the hostess to: crophone, and a second-hand loud- Kathryn Wilson, Lorene Blancett, Pearl and Florence Hite, Delores Scott, Harold Kerby thinks that it's fun Lucille Pruitt, Doris Ogan, Bonnie to delve into the mysteries of radio. and Margaret Hall, Loretta and Doris

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### 35 Attend Frolic

At the annual Hi-y frolic Friday which was held around a bon-fire on Jim Marchbanks had charge of the program and Bob Akey led the devotions. The officers, sponsors, and committee chairman were introduced to the groupe. Mr. Clyde Hartford gave

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### Dragons Open Cage Season Friday

Lance, Broadhurst, Poland, Wells Returning Letterman; To Be Backbone Of Team

The Dragons will open the Cage season against Springfield here tohight in the Roosevelt gymnasium at 7:30. Little is known about the invading Bulldogs and likewise about the Dragons.

The Dragons will be led by returning Lettermen from last year. Lance, but more tiresome to the players and Broadhurst, Wells, and Poland. Others will cause considerable more worry to who are being depended on this year the coaches. are Pogson, Peterson, and Ofbun all, of them Juniors. Waltz, Ryan Walker, and Lee are showing up well and will develope into corking good players.

Practice started Saturday morning and the team has not had enough time to round out into shape for a game. Coach Hoffman said there seems to be a lot of interest in basket-

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ball this season, with a large turnout

bably be the choice for center with Lance and Wells, two steller guards, providing plenty of opposition for enemy forewards.

Jack Brondhurst and Poggon, o Peterson, will be the forewards. Last year Broadhurst made the second all SEK team and will be counted on for

plenty of fast shifty floor play. There is only one Non-league game scheduled for this season as the SEK is being played in a double round-robin in which all terms play all other teams two times. This kind of schedule will be more intresting for the spectators

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Virgil Tims, Huffman, Jack Toussaint, and Victor Loth.

The season was opened against tra point. Frontenac on Sept. 21 with a score- Columbus was the victim of a 36-0 and Lemler scored in the 19-0 defeat. less tie. The teams were evenly trouncing with Neptune and Bush | Columbus again was the underdog,

turkeys, ducks, geese, milk fed with one team gaining a few yards, Wickware and Lemler one each. fryer, fat hens, & large roasting of medical then the other. Cherokee was the next opponent the Petunias. The opponets fell, 13-0 was 20-6. of the sophies, with the Petunias e- for the second shut-out of the season. merging the 19-7 victor. Touchdowns The Arma reserves were no excep- was Parsons, who showed up better were scored by Seibert, Bush, and tion to the rule and finished on the than any other against the strong

Wickware, for Pittsburg, with Sei-small end of a 19-6 score, with Wick-sophomore squad. 24-13 was the final bert tossing to Neptune for the ex- ware, Bush, and Lemler scoring touch- account, a margin of seven points, the tra point. Purdum scored the lone downs, Cherokee tally, with Madison taking Next came Ft. Scott, the fifth to fall entire season.

Phone 1370 Pittsburg Market & Grocery a pass from Spigerelli for the ex- at the hands of the rapidly improving The team is made up entirely of 308 N. Locust

matched and the game was a see-saw, scoring two touchdowns each and this time 31-0, and Ft. Scott was the next to suffer defeat from the Pe-Mulberry was the next prey for tunias for the second time. The score The last opponent of the Petunias

smallest margin of victory for the

sophomores and freshmen and should furnish some good material for next year's Dragons. One player, Dale Bush, has already been drafted for a first berth with the Dragons.

Bush, Seibert, Postai, Tims, Spencer and Wichware were outstanding on the team and will probably see much action on the first team next year. All players have been taught the same plays as the first team and will not be handicapped by learning them next year.

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