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COON RIDGE HEALTH CLUB ORGANIZES

A meeting of the Health Club of Coon Ridge School is held every Friday afternoon. Some important committees of the club are: the Cleanliness, the Care of School, the Language, and the Program Committee.

The Cleanliness Committee inspects each pupil every day and sees whether he has clean hands, face, and teeth. Any pupil who is dirty is reported. The Care of School Committee reports any pupil who has an untidy desk or has paper lying on the floor around his desk, and the Language Committee reports any pupil who uses poor grammar and slang. The Program Committee prepares the programs for the weekly meetings.

At the opening of each meeting, the committees report the names of those pupils who were careless during the past week.

Following these reports is a literary program in which every pupil takes part. It consists of songs, recitations, readings, and stories.

Leah Kaufman,
Grade 7, Coon Ridge School

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

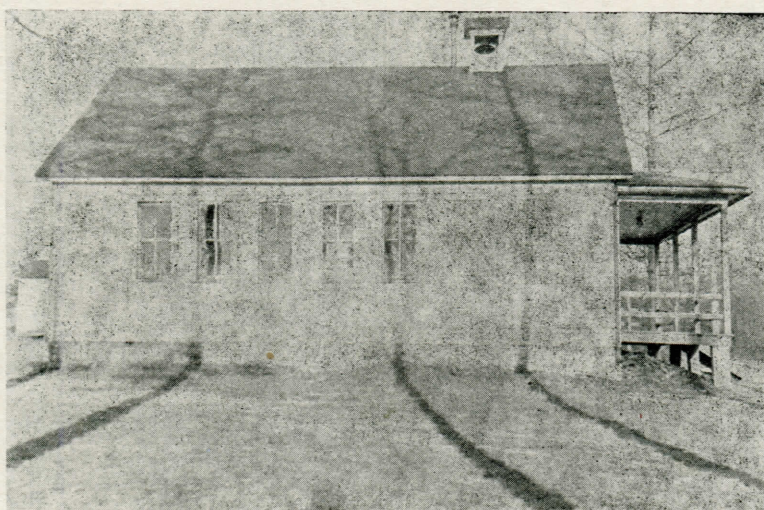
The pupils of Coon Ridge School gave a Christmas program on Thursday evening, December the twentieth. Many parents and friends were present.

The school was decorated in red and green trimmings. Several Christmas pictures were drawn on the black board, and bells and wreaths were hung in the windows. In the corner stood a large Christmas tree decorated with colored balls, tinsel, icicles, and electric lights.

The program was very interesting. There were two plays: "That Bag" played by Hazel Hunt and Mary Ream, and "A Shocking Change" played by Mary Ream, Ruth Hand, and Evelyn Mosholder. There was also a monologue, "A Leg or a Wing," presented by Leah Kaufman. A number of recitations and songs completed the program. Mrs. Robert Kaufman played the piano.

After the program was over, each pupil received a small gift which he opened before the audience.

Hazel Hunt



BERKLEY PARENT TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION GIVES PLEASANT SURPRISE

The P. T. A. of Berkley School prepared a program which proved to be of great interest to the school children. When the program was well under way, the big attraction of the evening was introduced—Santa Claus, who presented each child with a box of candy and a bag of popcorn. When Santa left, he promised us that he would return on Christmas Eve. Everyone went home in good spirits, having spent an enjoyable and exciting evening.

I, on behalf of the boys and girls of our school, wish to thank our parents and teachers for having made this delightful time possible.

Mary Pullium,
Grade 7, Berkley School

BENSREEK BOYS' ORGANIZE BASKETBALL TEAM

The Benscreek boys have organized their 1929 basketball team. Ralph Williams has been chosen as captain. The following line-up has been agreed upon:

Forwards—Nick Palovich
Charles Robertson
Center—Blaine Potter
Guards—Earl Williams
Ralph Williams

Substitutes are: Dwight Bowman, Kenneth Zipf, John Istvan, John Bollerkey, Paul Witkosky, and Robert Witkosky.

Our team will be coached by Miss Trent and Carl Weimer.

Charles Robertson

THE "TINY TIM" QUILT

Just before Christmas, the Fifth Grade pupils of Miss Kintner's room, Tioga Street, presented to the "Tiny Tim" Ward of the Memorial Hospital a wall-hanging in the form of a quilt, which had been made by the pupils in their complementary-color class.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Allendorfer and Mrs. Smith, a committee of eight children and the teacher, were taken in cars to the hospital. They were met in the lobby by Mr. Flinn, the superintendent, who showed them interesting apparatus used in curing diseases.

They found it was necessary to leave the wall-hanging in charge of the head nurse of the "Tiny Tim" Ward, as most of the "Tiny Tims" had gone home for Christmas. The pupils were rather disappointed in not witnessing the children's acceptance of the gift, for they felt sure the "Tiny Tims" would be delighted with the gay animals crayoned on the patches of unbleached muslin forming the hanging—the gay goose, the tiger, the juggler, the bucking goat, the dignified elephant, the cocky fish, the sorry dog, the fat fish, the dinky bird, and other funny animals.

The pupils enjoyed their Santa Claus visit very much and left, hoping the "Tiny Timmies" would enjoy their gift as much as the "Fifth Graders" enjoyed making and giving it. As they left, in their hearts rang the "Tiny Tim" Christmas wish, "God bless us everyone."

Harry Allendorfer

WESTMONT QUINTET SEES CHANCE TO BE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The Westmont-Upper Yoder High School Basketball machine, under the able direction of athletic director, Coach Engh, has begun again to show signs of a good season, after a few early setbacks. With three league victories on the right side of the ledger, Westmont's hopes grow, and the belief is held that the Hilltop team will have the best season they have enjoyed for several years.

December 15th, the earliest date Westmont has scheduled a game for many years, Coach Engh's proteges travelled to Punxsutawney for their annual game with that school. They returned defeated, but it was nothing against them, as Punxsutawney had identically the same team as last year. This game afforded the varsity a good chance to get working together for the opening league game on Tuesday, December the 18th.

On that date, they met and repelled a light but speedy Richland Township High School Team, in the first game on our own court. The outcome was of little doubt at any time, the

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NEW YEAR ACTIVITIES

The Elim Parent-Teachers' Association is planning many new activities for this year. Among them is a musicale which is to be held for the purpose of earning money to pay the expenses of the club. The music will be furnished by the Ferndale High School.

The association has already bought a piano for the school auditorium. This much-needed gift is greatly appreciated by the school.

Dorothy Adams,
Grade 7, Elim School

OUR HOPES

The Stutzman school has organized a basketball team, and we are working hard to make it the best one among the surrounding teams. It is composed of sixth, seventh, and eighth grade boys. Those who will not be on the first team this season, we know, will be, at least "good sports."

Luella Miller

ADVISORY STAFF

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Junior

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Sophomore

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Freshman

Vera Potter, Richard Stewart.

EXAMINATIONS

In the past week we have shown, both to ourselves and to our teachers, just how much knowledge we have acquired during the first half of the school term for 1928-29. Some students were disappointed in their grades, and some were not. Those who were disappointed still have the final examinations in which to recover lost ground.

Although students may have many reasons for disliking these examinations, there are good reasons for their existence. It is a well-known fact that examinations necessitate reviews, and that the more often one reviews a subject, the more heavily does the material become impressed on the mind and the longer it can be retained in the memory. Then, too, reviews often help one to discover what ought to be learned more thoroughly before his last trial is given in the final examinations. Are these not worthwhile reasons for taking these tests?

Since we see that exams are not meant for burdens, but for our own benefit, let us be attentive in class, study, and endeavor to become efficient men and women. Certainly, exams will then become a help rather than a hindrance to us.

Frank L. Bracken,
Sophomore, High School

STAFF ENJOYS TRIP THROUGH TRIBUNE BUILDING

On January 16, the staff learned for themselves how a daily paper is produced. Through the kindness of Ben J. Coll, one of the alumni, who was editor of the "The Gossip" in 1925-26, we saw everything from A to Izzard, from reporter's story to delivery cart. We know now how the stories are written, set in type by the linotype machines, cast, proof-read, and arranged, how the pictures are produced, and how the great multiple presses work. All had a very instructive as well as enjoyable time. We wish we had been able to offer the same opportunity to every reader.

Robert Gray,
Senior, High School

SOPHOMORE CLASS NEWS

The Sophomore girls are slowly but surely returning to their studies, some looking just a bit paler than before, but the "flu" is responsible for that. In spite of the fact that there is work to be made up, everyone seems ambitious and is determined to have better marks this month than formerly. If the spirit of determination is retained, there will be a very fine class of '31.

We feel duly proud of the Misses Charlotte Brickner and Elsie Minchau, because they have succeeded in gaining a place in the Girls' Varsity Basketball Team.

We feel sorry to state that Miss Naomi Berney still remains in the hospital after a second operation. The school wishes her a very speedy recovery.

Margretta Keafer,
Sophomore, High School

SONG WRITTEN FOR ELIM GIRL RESERVES

The following song was composed for the Girl Reserves by Alice Shanahan:

Girl Reserves Forever

(To the Tune of "Pennsylvania Forever")

Girl Reserves, forever!
Wonderful, loyal club,
Formed with links of friendship,
Honoring Him above.

Seeking for knowledge and service,
Honest in words and deeds.

Our beautiful flag of friendship,
Ever and ever proceed.

Chorus

Girl Reserves formed the club;
Girl Reserves, honoring Him above,

Service and praise we give to Thee,
Ready for service and loyalty.

Hail all hail to the Y. W.
And Girl Reserves!

SENIOR CLASS NEWS

"The Thirteenth Chair" has been chosen by the Seniors for their class play, the proceeds of which will help to complete the funds required for the Washington trip. Tryouts were held on January 14; and as practice is progressing rapidly, this play will be presented on the evening of February 15.

"The Thirteenth Chair" by Bayard Veiller offers a very intriguing plot which should call forth a record audience. This gripping mystery drama combines and intermingles spiritualism and crime detection. Another of Bayard Veiller's noted plays is "The Trial of Mary Dugan."

"The Merchant of Venice" was proposed as our farewell play, but no action was taken on this suggestion.

Robert Gray,
Senior, High School

OUR PICTURES

We boys and girls of Benscreek are very proud of our collection of pictures. The money with which these pictures were bought was earned by the children. We have pictures in each room, in the office, and in the hall.

In the office is a copy of Mme. Le Brun's painting called "Madam Le Brun and Her Daughter."

The pictures hanging in the hall are: "The Sewing School in Brittany," "Autumn" by Mauve, "Lincoln" by Saint-Gaudens, "The Indian and the Lily," and Frederick Remington's "Buffalo Trail."

The primary room has copies of "Feeding Her Birds" by Millet, "A Distinguished Member of the Royal Humane Society" by Landseer, and a picture of General Washington on horseback. In Miss Trent's room is a beautiful, colored picture of "Sir Galahad" by Watts. There are also pictures of "Betsy Ross and the First Flag," and of "Roosevelt." "The Gleaners" by Millet, "Pilgrims Going to Church" by Boughton, "The Spring Song" and a portrait of George Washington are in Miss Mangus's room.

Our room, the seventh and eighth grades, has nine pictures, three of which are large ones. They are: "The Song of the Lark" by Briton, "Washington Crossing the Delaware" by Emanuel Leutze, and a portrait of Theodore Roosevelt. Our smaller pictures are "Joan of Arc" by Bastien-Lepage, "The Torn Hat" by Thomas Sully, "Gleaners" by Millet, "The Artist's Mother" by Whistler, and a portrait of Lincoln.

OUR GIRL RESERVES

At our Girl Reserves meetings we salute three flags, the Girl Reserves, American, and Christian flags. Some of the songs we sing are "America the Beautiful," "The Little Sir Echo," "The Triangle of Blue," and "Follow the Gleam."

There are about thirty members of the Club. The officers are:

President, Betty Campbell
Vice President, Jean Burd
Secretary, Louise Davis
Treasurer, Olivia Wonders
Dorothy Ferrier,
Grade 7, Stutzman School

GIRL RESERVE NOTES

The Berkley Girl Reserves have been planning various ways by which they might earn some money. They intend to make soup which will be sold to the school children twice a week at noon. They are also making arrangements for the sale of candy during the noon hour.

Yarn dolls have already been made and sold, and the girls hope that the new plans for raising money will help to increase their treasury account.

Carmen Gilbert,
Grade 8, Berkley School

THE INFLUENZA IN ELIM

The influenza attack seems to have had a strong opponent when dealing with the healthy people in Elim School. The pupils now seem to be practically over this sickness which has been so prevalent in most places. Fortunately, we were able to continue our work as usual.

Lewis Stock,
Grade 8, Elim School

THE MAN OF THE MONTH

Last month we announced that, in the future, we would present to you the prominent person of the month. In our last issue, as there was no outstanding figure in the school, the ovation was devoted to one of international fame, Mr. Santa Claus. Strange to relate, this condition still prevails, so that we must, perforce, devote this column to Mr. 1929, known to his friends as The New Year.

Mr. 1929 is one of Father Time's most important and trusted employees, although he entered his services but a little while ago when Mr. 1928 became too decrepit and infirm to perform his duties.

He is a promising young man who gives every evidence of accomplishing great things in the future. Because he is so competent and such a hustler, we predict a brilliant future for him. Watch him!

N. B. We wish some member of the student body would perform some great and noble deed to write about next month.

"Is your friend Scotch?"

"Yes."

"How do you know?"

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score being 20-9, at halftime, in Westmont's favor. Richland could do no better in the final half, and the game ended 35-23, with our visitors on the short end. The lineup and summaries are as follows:

Westmont—35 Richland—23
 Prosser.....F.....C. Samuel
 Marshall.....F.....Gerfy
 McGrath.....C.....W. Samuel
 Wagner (c).....G.....Ashbridge (c)
 Mowrey.....G.....Ola

Substitutions: Jenkins for Prosser; Yingling for McGrath; Hinkel for Marshall; Englehardt for Yingling; Yingling for Hinkel; Bingham for Wagner; Boger for Englehardt; Fleck for C. Samuel; Stetz for Gerfy; Gerfy for Stetz; Fleck for Gerfy; Gerfy for Ashbridge; Blough for Ola.

Field Goals: Prosser 4, Marshall 4, McGrath 3, Mowrey, Bingham, Wagner 2, C. Samuel 2, W. Samuel 4.

Foul Goals: Prosser missed 4, Marshall missed one, Yingling made 1, Wagner 4 of 7, Bingham missed 1, C. Samuel 7 of 11, Gerfy 1 of 2, Stetz 1 of 5, W. Samuel 2 of 4, Ashbridge missed 2, Ola missed 2, Blough missed 1.

Referee—Ogborne.
 Timekeeper—James.
 Scorer—Crichton.

After a layoff of almost three weeks, due to the epidemic of influenza, Westmont's Basketball Warriors journeyed to Geistown and engaged with Richland Township High in a thrilling game—to the Westmont rooters, as their team walloped their crippled opponents, the final score being 43-26. At no time in the game could Richland Township even appear menacing, and, early, Westmont piled up a big lead, aided by Captain Wagner and Marshall, who together scored thirty of Westmont's 43 points. The lineup and summaries follow:

Westmont 43 Richland 26
 Prosser.....F.....C. Samuel
 Marshall.....F.....J. Stetz
 Wagner (c).....C.....W. Samuel
 McGrath.....G.....Gerfy
 Mowrey.....G.....Blough

Substitutions: Hinkel for Wagner; Yingling for McGrath; Englehardt for Mowrey; Wagner for Englehardt; Englehardt for Wagner.

Field Goals: Prosser 2, Marshall 8, Wagner 6, Hinkel, McGrath 2, C. Samuel 4, Stetz, W. Samuel 4.

Foul Goals: Prosser missed 1, Wagner 2 of 5, Hinkel 1 of 4, McGrath missed 1, Mowrey 2 of 3, C. Samuel 4 of 7, Stetz 3 of 4, W. Samuel missed 2, Gerfy made 1, Blough missed 1.

Referee—Dech.
 Timekeeper—Eppley.
 Scorer—Crichton.

Out for revenge of an early season defeat at the hands of the Conemaugh quintet, Westmont rather decisively defeated Coach James's passers on our floor, Friday, January 11. The attendance was encouraging and a large crowd from Conemaugh was on hand. Westmont jumped to an early lead and was never routed, although Conemaugh did threaten in the third quarter.

The Iron Horse town's brilliant one-eyed star, Tumosky, and diminutive Captain Litzinger, who got 13 of Conemaugh's 16 points, did the best work for the opponents. Prosser, Marshall, Wagner, and Mowrey all did well for Westmont, the latter and McGrath playing good defensive games. The lineup and summaries follow:

Westmont 25 Conemaugh 16
 Prosser.....F.....Tumosky
 Marshall.....F.....Litzinger (c)
 Wagner (c).....C.....Reighard
 McGrath.....G.....N. Salem
 Mowrey.....G.....Dolgas

Substitutions: Yingling for Mowrey; Hinkel for Wagner; Wagner for Yingling; Bingham for Marshall; Berkey for Litzinger; W. Salem for Reighard; Makuhan for N. Salem; N. Salem for Makuhan; Makuhan for Dolgas.

Field Goals: Prosser 3, Marshall 2, Wagner 3, Tumosky 3, Litzinger 2.

Foul Goals: Prosser 3 of 6, Marshall 2 of 3, Wagner 2 of 5, Mowrey 2 of 2, Tumosky missed 2, Litzinger 3 of 5, Berkey 1 of 2, W. Salem missed 1, N. Salem 1 of 4, Dolgas 1 of 2.

Referee—Dech.
 Timekeeper—Greer.
 Scorer—Crichton.

In their fifth league game, the Westmont-Upper Yoder High passers defeated a scrappy quintet from Dale, the game ending in an utter rout, as the score, 41-10, indicates. Captain Wagner led the scoring with six two-pointers, and reserves were used in a great part of the game. The summaries follow:

Westmont 41 Dale 10
 Prosser.....F.....(c) Metzgar
 Marshall.....F.....Pfaff
 Wagner (c).....C.....Sweeney
 McGrath.....G.....Tyler
 Mowrey.....G.....R. McMonigal

Substitutions: Bingham for Marshall; Hinkel for Prosser; Yingling for Mowrey; Marshall for Bingham; Prosser for Hinkel; Mowrey for Yingling; Hinkel for Wagner; Bingham for McGrath; W. McMonigal for Metzgar; Leberknight for Pfaff; Beckley for Sweeney; Nolan for Tyler; McCleary for McMonigal.

Field Goals: Marshall 4, Bingham 2, Prosser 3, Hinkel, Wagner 6, McGrath 3, Pfaff 2, Beckley, Sweeney.

Foul Goals: Hinkel 1 of 2,

THE ALUMNAE BASKETBALL GAME

In despite of the fact that the schools were closed on account of the "flu," the Girls' Varsity Basketball Team and the Alumnae played a private and almost clandestine game on the Friday of January 4, in the school "gym." Much to the surprise of the Alumnae, they romped through to victory, 26-13, by virtue of their satellite forwards, Louise Stevens and M. Louise Boyle, the flashy combination of '27. Although the varsity were the under-dogs, the fight put up by them was to be commended, for with two luminaries of the squad, Olga Davis and Natalie Suppes, absent on account of illness, they were handicapped to a considerable degree. The team work of the Alumnae far surpassed that of the Varsity, but since that time, they have been groomed and are ready to submerge the Richland lassies in the waters of defeat at Richland.

The Summary:

Alumnae

Forward.....Louise Stevens
 Forward.....M. Louise Boyle
 Center.....Mary F. Tarr
 S. Center.....R. Williams
 Guard.....E. Jahn
 Guard.....Louise Wellington

Varsity

Forward.....Martha Boyle
 Forward.....Dorothy Kennedy
 Center.....A. M. Schneehage
 S. Center Margaret Sturrock
 Guard.....Helen Hoffit
 Guard.....Bernice Anstead

Substitutions: Kantner for Jahn; Jahn for Wellington; Wellington for Jahn; Jahn for Boyle; Kantner for Williams; Boyle for Jahn; Jahn for Kantner.

Barrett for Anstead.
 Field Goals:
 Stevens 11; Boyle 3.
 Boyle 4; Kennedy 2.
 Fouls:
 Boyle 1 of 3.
 Boyle 1 of 4; Kennedy 1 of 3.
 Referee—Dorothy Leahey
 Scorer—Jane Davis.

Elsa Jahn,
 Post-Graduate

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The girls of Elim School have begun their basketball season, under the direction of Miss Engelhardt. They practice every Wednesday, and are looking forward to a successful year. They hope to play the teams of the other schools in the township.

Betty Elliott,
 Grade 8, Elim School

2; Sweeney 1 of 8; Beckley 1 of 2; Nolan missed 1.

Referee—Dech.
 Timekeeper—Eppley.
 Scorer—Crichton.

C. N. Crichton

CLASS BASKETBALL

They're off! The race is on and who will win the class championship? With three teams in the running, plenty good, high-spirited basketball will be played each Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. The Juniors have dropped from the race, as they were unable to muster a team from their studious ranks. As a result, the confident Seniors, the challenging Sophomores, and the struggling Freshmen are left to fight it out. All looks bright for the Seniors after their complete rout of the Sophomores, 25-3, with only a five-girl team, but who can tell what may come from the verdant Freshmen upstarts? With all members of the Senior team also candidates for the Varsity squad, a victory looms ahead, but the other two teams are not to be overlooked.

ELIM BOYS' BASKETBALL

Elim school plans to have an exciting basketball career this seasons. We have both first and second teams which we hope will be successful. The teams are given the opportunity to practice in the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School gymnasium every Tuesday and to play teams of the township on Saturdays.

The first game, which was to have been played on January 2 with the Tioga Street School, was canceled, since the opening of the latter school was delayed on account of sickness.

Charles Mishler,
 Grade 7, Elim School

OUR ORCHESTRA

The pupils of Stutzman School, under the supervision of Miss Gray, are quite busy organizing an orchestra. Our talent is as follows:

Violin, Paul Spaduzzi, Raymond Hunt, Donald McKelvey, Ann Mary Waters, and Doris Dempsey.

Drums, George Statler.
Banjo, Dean Engh.
Saxophone, Barbara Montgomery.

Cymbals, Alfred Sobditch.
French Horn, Ifan Jones.
Guitar, Billy Thomas.
Pianists, Louise Davis and Margaret Waters.

Ann Mary Waters,
 Grade 8, Stutzman School

OUR SEWING CLASS

We Seventh Grade girls of the Stutzman School go to the High School every Monday afternoon, from one o'clock until half past two for sewing.

The first thing we made was a bag in which we now keep our sewing materials. At present, we are making for our notebooks samples of all the kinds of bastings and French seams.

Charlotte Singer

THE D. A. R. CONTEST
The results of the essay contest, sponsored by the D. A. R., were announced in the assembly of December 14, 1928, by Mrs. Dickey. The competition was close, but the medals fell into worthy hands. The essays, written on the subject "Franklin's Services in Gaining American Independence," presented every worthwhile deed of this American seer, and he would be, a great man, in truth, if he could maintain his equilibrium after hearing such accounts of himself.

Henrietta Custer, holding up the standards of the Junior class, came off with premier honors. Robert Gray, who has already distinguished himself through his literary ability, kept the Senior pennant in the running. Charles Replogle and Elizabeth Hinchman received honorable mention in the order named. The awards were equally divided (as they should be) between the Juniors and Seniors, the Juniors having come off with a slight advantage in this contest.

W. P. Boger,
Junior, High School

- BERKLEY'S RESOLUTIONS**
We, the girls and boys of Berkley School, grades five and six, firmly resolve:
1. Not to throw snow-balls while on the play ground or while on the way to and from school.
 2. Not to fight with other girls and boys.
 3. Not to be tattle-tales.
 4. Not to talk during school hours.
 5. Never to cheat in our work.
 6. Always to come to school on time.
 7. Never to talk back to a teacher.
 8. Never to swear.
 9. Never to interrupt when someone is speaking.
 10. To be good losers.
 11. To be generous winners.
 12. To be polite at all times.
 13. Always to think before speaking.
 14. To "back" our teams at all times.
 15. Never to borrow pencils or books unless we are certain that we will return them.
 16. Always to remove our hats before entering the school. (Boys only.)
 17. Never to say, "We can't," but always to say, "We will do the best we can."
 18. To use correct English at all times.
- Grades 5 & 6, Berkley School*

There was once a Scotchman so tight that everytime he shaved he went out on a date to powder himself.

We need support. Can you

TIOGA STREET SPECIALTIES
The music course at Tioga Street is branching out. We now have with us two novelties: in the First Grade, "Rhythm Band"; in the Eighth Grade, "Kazoo Band."

The "Rhythm Band," under the direction of Miss Gray, the music supervisor, made its initial appearance at the December meeting of the Westmont P. T. A., where it was enthusiastically received. In view of this success, great things are expected of these youthful musicians.

The "Kazoo Band," organized and led by Miss Williams, made its debut at the Christmas Carol Singing hour, December 21. For the benefit of the uninitiated, a "kazoo" is a piece of tissue paper held over a comb, which, being hummed upon, really makes music.

This aggregation of "comb" artists again made themselves popular at the Eighth Grade Christmas program by rendering several familiar Christmas Carols on their "kazoos." Other novel and well-rendered numbers at this meeting were "The Famine," from "Hiawatha," done in pantomime by the girls of the eighth grade, with Olga Shortess as reader, and a jew's-harp solo by Audie Erdmann.

Donald Hamilton,
Grade 8, Tioga Street School

HOW WE STUDIED THE ORCHESTRA
In the fifth and sixth grades we read "Alice in Orchestralia." It is a very interesting story, acquainting us with the different quartets of an Orchestra such as a string quartet, brass quartet, and woodwind quartet. In the string quartet there are four stringed instruments, which are: first and second violins, viola, and violincello. In the brass quartet there are: trumpet, tuba, French-horn, and trombone. In the wood-wind quartet the instruments are alike in one way: their tone is caused by the vibration of a column of air in a tube. The instruments are: flute, oboe, clarinet, and bassoon. The percussion instruments are: kettle drum, bass drum, snare drum, tambourine, cymbal, gong, triangle, castanets, bells, chimes, and xylophone. The next time we see and hear a Symphony Orchestra we shall understand it better because we have studied this book.

Robert Witkosky,
Grade 6, Benscreek School

"Does your wife pick out your clothes?"
"No," she only picks the pockets."
"I want a Camel's hair brush."
"How funny. I didn't know

TEACHERS IN THE "MOVIES"
One of the school "movies" was particularly interesting this year because two of our teachers, Miss Bassett and Miss Leibold, were the chief characters in it. Miss Bassett and Miss Leibold were shown in Glacier Park, crossing crevasses in the ice and climbing Grinnel Glacier. At the base of the glacier they were shown feeding chocolates to the squirrels. Bet the squirrels liked that! The pictures of Miss Bassett and Miss Leibold were "shot" by Mr. Eathorne, an engineer in the party, and the pictures proved to us that our teachers can do more than teach.

After the picture exhibition, we did not fail to tell our teachers how thoroughly we enjoyed them, and I, for one, left, hoping they would allow themselves to be "shot" every summer.

Thomas Kocis,
Grade 6, Tioga Street School

BROADCASTING STATION, WHBP
I have a little microphone made of a pan and a pole. Every night I broadcast music from the victrola. First, I announce the number on the program and then I play it. If you want to hear my program, please tune in on WHBP at 7 o'clock any evening. "B" is for "Billy," "P" is for Price.

Billy Price,
Grade 3, Tioga Street School

WON'T YOU COME?
The various schools of the district have combined to present a Cantata, the date of which has not yet been set. The program will offer many interesting numbers. Stutzman will be represented by the seventh and eighth grades. We guarantee that all who attend will enjoy this program.

Marie McClintock,
Grade 7, Stutzman School

STUTZMAN GRADE SCHOOL WHO'S WHO IN EIGHTH GRADE

Name	Appearance	Ambition
William Blackford	Small, light	aviator
Murray Crowle	blond, bashful	doctor
Frederick Feldt	tall, handsome	state trooper
Marlin Terrier	tall, brown hair	electrician
Raymond Hunt	blue eyed beauty	army officer
George Lewis	red hair, freckles	business man
Justin Miller	black hair	aviator
Paul Spaduzzi	dark, small	army officer
Billy Thomas	curly hair	draftsman
Alice Adams	tall, frizzy hair	movie star
Mary Brocke	tall, our Irish girl	famous dancer
Betty Campbell	blue eyes	aviatrix
Louise Davis	snappy, brown eyes	famous pianist
Mildred Cover	blond, tall	stenographer
Freda Shauley	beautiful hair	nurse
Leonora Spaduzzi	short, stout	nurse
Ann Mary Waters	tall, thin	musician
Olivia Wanders	small, brown hair	movie star

Margaret Waters

JUNIOR CLASS NEWS
The Juniors have chosen their class rings! What's the matter with them? *Simply*, they are so attractive, they immediately arrest one's attention. *Of course*, they will *not* be so popular as were those of the Seniors, but we demand style!

The Juniors were all busy during the Christmas holidays living up to their respective reputations; above all, Joe Schlessinger, who was busy taking Charles Klatzkin to and fro to Southmont to see a certain *precious article*.

Although the Junior girls have a basketball captain, Florence Fisher, who is a good one, we know she is not responsible for the teams' two defeats by default. One must take into consideration the fact that the girls have not had as much training. The boys were more successful, having lost to the Seniors in the first school week after the Christmas vacation by only *one* point. If "Cnuddy" Bingham had been playing in this game, the Juniors would surely have won.

The Junior class is glad to have among its ranks another member in the person of Anna Mae Rock, a former pupil of the Johnstown Senior High.

Florence Kintner,
Junior, High School

MY NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS
At the beginning of a new year, almost everyone makes resolutions, but some fail to keep them. I suggest these:—

1. To study harder this year.
2. To eat the proper foods.
3. To obey one's father, mother, and teacher.
4. To dress warmly.
5. To save money.

Stephen Tiffany,
Grade 6, Elim School

"Does your dog chase cows?"
"No, he's a bulldog."