WESTMONT-UPPER YODER HIGH SCHOOL

MARCH, 192

DATE OF GIRL RESERVE BANQUET SET: APR. 28

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Plans for Summer Have Completed

The annual Mothers' and Daughters' banquet will be given Thursday evening, April 28, by the Girls' Ciub, in the Social Hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

Three girls from each Club will be awarded the Girl Reserve rings, which stand for service, character, and willingness.

The receiving of such a ring is the highest honor a Girl Reserve can hope to attain, and is the greatest ambition of every true Girl Reserve.

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The grade school Girl Reserves are planning their banquet for Friday, April 29, in the Social Hall of the Church. An interesting program is being arranged for the evening. Rings will also be awarded to the various members of the Clubs.

Another item of interest for the girls is that a new site has been selected for the Y. W. C. A. summer camp. This year it will be near Huntingdon, along a branch of the Juniata River, instead of at Camp Reynolds, near Mann's Choice.

The new camp will have many advantages and improvements over the old camp, including cottages instead of tents, classes for the swimmers, grading from those who are not able to swim, to those who are sport swimmers and divers, and a sand beach.

Another interesting phase of the camp and a new novelty, is a stretch oboating.

The camp is open to the Y. W. C. A. during the month of July, and any one desiring to go to the camp, should neall the Y. W. C. A. for the particulars. Other Girls' Club news is the Summer Conference which will be held this year at Kiski during the month of August.

Every year the newly elected vice president of each Club represents her the conference,

## PHOENICIAN CONTRACT LET TO TOWN PRINTERS

The work on the Phoenician for 1926-27 is rapidly reaching a close. The contract for the printing has been the let to Weigle & Barber, Inc., while to Weigle & Barber, Inc., while for Valley Engraving Co. will do the engraving. All of the advertisements have been obtained by the great effort of the entire Senior Class.

The Art Department is mounting the pictures for in the panels and they are also finishing up the wood blocks, the pictures from which will be used to introduce the various parts of the book. They are working diligently and much praise is due them.

All of the literary work is expected to be in by the end of March. The Senior writeups and the jokes have been in for some time. All of the prize literary work for the year will be included in the book.

Miss Trine, who is the faculty advisor of the annual, is looking forward to its being one of the most interesting blocked by our school.



of The loss of Miss Krebs as acting principal of Westmont-Upper Yoder C. High School will be felt very keenly not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the students, faculty, and to laid not only by the whole Tl ris. Yoder township. Miss Krebs, having been with the institution from its earlice test days, and having been principal of a fargely made the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School what it is today in high standards of scholarship and conning school for girls and boys, where good habits of industry, perseverance, thrift, honesty, courtesy, and respect thrift, honesty, courtesy, and respect thrift, honesty, courtesy, and respect for others, Miss Krebs has bent hereful for

A sum of about \$150 was netted will from the operetta "Lelawala," predicted sented by the musical clubs of the high card school. This money will be used to fairly buy instruments for the orchestra. Do- This is the second operetta presented property by the school.

past, each more fruitful than the preset ceding one. Then, more space was destably manded. An addition was attached Mand to the already large school building. The new addition, with all its convended in the concess, has been enjoyed for two years. A sone High School has prospered a will. Under the supervision of Miss Krebs, when he supervision of Miss Krebs, which would seek her guidance. The School should seek her guidance. The School should seek her guidance. The School his case is the table of the second provers.

There are a great many incidents in natural also, that Miss Krebs should community to Miss Krebs. However, which would show the respect of the community to Miss Krebs. However, let us sight but one. Every parent that visited the school on Visitors' Day, paid an unconscious tribute to iss Miss Krebs, when they remarked of the business like way in which the school was run, and of the business like attitude of the pupils.

As we think with sorrow, of the business like are chore is more blessed to give than to replication.

d Olga Davis and Robert Cray, by sewriting the two best short stories for The annual Sophomore Short Story at Contest, won the two gold medals of a Contest, won the two gold medals of a Davis' story was called "Canary Cusal Davis' story was called "Canary Cusal Pid," and the title of Robert Cray's sewing was "L. F. T."

# PLANS COMPLETED FOR ANNUAL SENIOR TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

NUMBER

Class to Reside at Colonial Hotel Capital

The Seniors are kept busy counting the seconds until twenty-nine minutes after the eleventh hour of the morning of Thursday, April 14, when they will leave for Washington, D. C. This is an annual event of the Senior year and the most important occasion of the entire High School career.

As the plans stand, Miss Trine, Miss Greer and Mr. Belles will act as chaperons, as well as the personal guide, who will conduct them about Washington. The Colonial, a comfortable and up-to-date hotel, has been chosen as the place of residence during their soiourn.

The plans, which are just about completed, promise the Seniors an excellent time. Thursday will be spent mostly in travel but at three thirty p. m. the party stops at Harrisburg to stay until six o'clock, when they will again board the train for Washington and will arrive there about nine c'clock. The remainder of that evening will be spent in getting settled and seeing the capital at night.

Friday morning and afternoon will be taken up with sight-seeing, including the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Lincoln Memorial, Pan-American Union, White House, United States Capitol, Botanical Gardens, Fish Commission, and Washington Monument. The class will spend that evening at Keith's.

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On Saturday morning, the Seniors will visit the naval yards. After an early luncheon the party will leave by special electric train for Mount Vernon, stopping enroute at historical Alexandria, for visits to Christ Church, andria, for visits to Christ Church, ed Masonic Hall, where George Washing. It where George Washing to Masonic Hall, where George Washing. It where George Washing to Lord Fairfax and old Carlyle House. After a thorough inspection of beautifus. After a thorough inspection of beautifus. It was a steamer up the Potomac River and will arrive in Washington in time for he was a steamer up the Potomac River and Sanday, in fact, the morning will be taken up with church. The party has decided to attend the President's Coolidge.

The Seniors will bid the Capitol goodbye at ten o'clock Monday mornits ing and will arrive in Johnstown about seven o'clock that evening.

# GIRLS GYM EXHIBITION TO BE GIVEN APRI

The third annual gym exhibition will ol be given by the girls' Physical Education classes, Friday evening, April 22, in the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School gymnasium.

Much time and preparation are being given toward the exhibition. Miss leady is in charge and has already planned the following program: First and second period classes, a Wand Drill and a Dutch Dance; fourth and seventh period classes, Figure March Tactics; fourth period class, Irish Jig and seventh period class, Irish Jig and seventh period class, Indian Club Drill; sixth period class, Hungarian Rhapsody; and an Old Fashioned Dance by girls chosen from the different classes.

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### SCHOOL SPIRIT

Are the students of the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School lacking in school sprit? It certainly seemed so on the night of the Debate and even more so at the Oratorical Contest. Anyone who was present when these two annual events of the High School took place can tell you how few people came. There should have been many more students at these contests.

Surely there is something wrong. The students ought to have more interest in what the school is doing for them. Scout meetings, Camp fire Girl meetings, movies, and other such things should have been skipped on these two occasions. Why is it that the students go to plays where they know they will be amused and do not go to places where education is made the chief aim in an interesting way?

### SUPPORT YOUR PAPER

"Gossip Distribution Day." Every month that cry the or a similar one is heard in the class rooms of the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School. But why so few people get papers? Oh! They have not paid their budget. This is the "Gossip" have numerous complaints. Give us better articles. Give us fewer ads. These jokes are rotten. Naturally the question is asked, "Why?" How can a school paper, or any other paper, please everybody, when nobody is supporting it? Many are not paying their budget. The staff and few supporters have no encouragement and under these circumstances how can one expect a good paper?

The subscribers make or break a paper and the "Gossip," for success, needs everyone's support and cooperation. If anyone has any special complaint, please make it in person to any of the staff, and if anybody thinks they can assist the "Gossip," all contributions will be kindly received.

### S N CHOOSING ONE'S ANCESTORS

n the Junior Essa,
Therefore Fassett receive say Contest ceived hon-

Margaret Fassett received honorable mention. Her essay is printed below:

"Everyone has ancestors. But "Everyone has ancestors. But not everyone has the right kind. The first requirement is: they must have done something which, if rementioned, will produce a start ling effect upon the listener so that immediately he will be aware that you are well supplied. The second requirement is: dont forget to mention that something which he has accomplished because the right kind of ancestors are to social life what crust is to a pie—a necessity.

"Some people judge others by the ancestors they have. I know a lady who has gone ancestor crazy. Her great-great grandfather's grandmother was in some way related to a great personage and it has gone to her head. Her someone new in town is, I wonder who his ancestors are, or 'Oh, gerson.'

In unst meet him because he is a descendant of such-and-such a person.

person.

"So, because I have always lenged to be mentioned in the secial column, I have decided that I need some ancestors. It did that I need some ancestors. It able set of people to whom you may refer as your ancestors. For one thing, the type of people required are not to my liking at all but you've got to have them so here they are.

"First I wish to introduce to you Sir Francis Goodwin. A man dealing in antiques produces the portraits—I produce the name. He was a fifty-second cousin of Oliver Cromwell so really I ought to be proud of him but I'm not.

The work stately looking gentleman the work stately looking gentleman in I've ever seen and he has a right to be. He has a handkerchief which belonged to Queen Elizable to Gueen Mary of Scothandkerchief.

The country of Scothandkerchief.

re romantic.) Anyway he has the handkerchief.

"Of course, there must be a lady in the family tree even if she isn't much more than a twig. This lady of grandeur is Lady Elizabeth Carlton. She was second maid-in-waiting for Queen Victoria. I haven't quite decided what she's going to say but there will have to be some stories that the knows about the Queen.

"Three ancestors ought to be enough is for anyone to brag about. Anyway, or they're enough for me. Why, I was in lear so many antique shops trying to find hady Carlton that I dreamed about hem every night.

"I've got my ancestors! But—now what am I going to do with them? They look wonderful—but it seems to me that everyone else has a little bit of proof that they are their ancestors. I one else—I'm just a little bit afraid. Here I've gone to all that work getting them and now I can't use them. I've got the pictures anyway."

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THE PENCIL SHARPENER
(Brings Out the Fine Points)

Did you ever fall in love with words?
Oh! Yes! Words such as, "Find check enclosed."

Longwell: "Haven traced?"

Betty B: "Yes, Canada once." "Have any of your family connections they traced an uncle of mine as

Bailey (on street car)—"Hey, Horse, wake up!" Horse—"I ain't asleep. I just got my eyes cl n't stand to see women standing in a crowded car.

Brickner: "Did your church pray for rain last week?" Sawyer: "No, the parsonage roof leaks."

Miss Mowrey—"There is really a great deal of action he Oregon Trail."
Mike (Sotto voice)—"Yes, the wagons moving west!"

w:ll Freshman (reading Gossip)—Why do editors themselves "we?"
Sophomore—So the man who doesn't like the think there are too many to lick. Gossip)—Why do editors always

Rachel—Are you letting your hair grow? Kathryn—How can I stop it?

and., Joseph Schlessinger uentin Durwards" in? Miss Greer—"The onl only one that is in here, is out." (in Library)-Are.

"It's a poor school can't have one absent-minded professor," said Mildred Leckey, as she tossed her bread crumbs with the silverware and her knife in the waste basket.

pip Bailey—Good n
Horse—Some g
Bailey—What!
I that?
Horse—Yeah! -Good night! How did you get the black eye? -Some guy smacked me with a ripe tomato. -What! You don't mean to say a ripe tomato

This one had a can around, it.

Lillian Slough (to jokes for the "Gossip." in this room. Senior girls)—I should like more There certainly must be plenty

Miss Trine—Your answer reminds me of Quebec. Gerald Glosser,—Why?
Miss Trine—Because it's built on a bluff.

Mr. Belles (to a student slouching in geometry class) 'You have the wrong slant on this."

"And this," said the guide pointing to deck, "is where the gallant captain fell!"
"No wonder," exclaimed an old lady, "I on it myself." "I nearly slipped a slab on the

Bill Greer '26 slammed the door of the Drive-It-Yourself Garage and sang—"Though you belong to somebody else, tonight you belong to me."

### DID YA' EVER

Did ya' ever
study real hard
on a night when ya'
wanted awfully to go out
and ya' learned a long
speech to give in class
and ya' could hardly wait
to be called upon so that
ya' could show the kids
that ya' really could work
an' when she called your
name and ya' stood up
before the class just as proud
an' all of a sudden ya' chanced
to look at a boy who was so
funny acting that he
always made ya' laugh
an' then ya' had to laugh an'
ya' couldn't say a word
an' the teacher told ya' to
take your seat and also an
"E" for the recitation

### LUEBBERT WINS CONTEST

Hermine Luebbert, who spoke on "The Constitution," won the national sannual oratorical contest, in the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School on Friday evening, March 18. She thus won the annual gold George T. Robinson medal and the bronze medal of Afered by the "Pittsburgh Sun," which is sponsoring the national contest in this district. George Wertz, who spoke on "Pennsylvania's Contribution to the Constitution," was chosen for second place and given the annual silver George T. Robinson medal, but because he was ineligible to the national contest, Fred Brickner, who spoke on "The Constitution," was selected for second place in the national contest and also given a silver George T. Robinson medal, with first honorable mention going to Louise Stevens.

Hermine Luebbert will compete on April 7 for honors for the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School at Ebensbarg with other contestants from Cambria County. From these a representative will be sent to Pittsburg where the best speaker will go to Birmingham, Alabama, for the semi-finals. Here eight contestants will be chosen, who will be given a ten week's tour of Europe. Upon their return the final national contest mile pendent united States in the international contest held some time in November.

## COMMERCIAL CONTEST TO BE HELD APRIL 9 IN COUNTY SEAT

The Cambria County Commercial will be held in the Ebensburg Of High School on Saturday morning, April 9, at nine o'clock. This contest held in Pittsburgh. This contest held in Pittsburgh. The outline of events is as follows: Rapid Calculation and Penmanship — Free for all.

Shorthand — First Year: First the Shorthand—Second Year: Letters Shorthand—Second Year: Described on the typewriter. Provided the straight material. Arrangement of consisted at 80, 90 and 100 words per minute, transcribed on the typewriter. Provided the straight material. Arrangement of consisting Trial Balances, Statements, Closing the Entries, etc.

Bookkeeping—First Year: To Partweeping Trial Balances, Statements, Closing the Entries, etc.

Bookkeeping—Second Year: To disconduce the winners in the County Contest the winners in the County Contest will then prepare for the State Contest Will then prepare for the State Contest will then prepare for the State Contest which will be held at the Indiana Normal School, Indiana, Pa., on May 14.

A gold medal will be awarded to the winner of each event. A silver the winner of each event. A silver Havillable for others who display excep. Mr.

GROUP VISITS MILLS

On March | 2 a group of Cambria | M
County Science Teachers and a few | M
students of Mr. Fails' Chemistry class | M
journeyed through the Coke Plant of the local Steel Company in Franklin. They made the trip in an effort to see and to study the methods used.

Besides inspecting several furnaces they visited the coke department and learned the complete process of making it. They also spent some time studying the by-products industry which is rapidly becoming one of the most valuable division of steel manu-

spoke on Frankin Baumer, Emma Jane Lohr, the West: faunce, Charles Temple, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissinger, John Ress. ol on Fir and Sylvia Riskh. Geraldine Wissing if Sygmund were as fluent and water display.

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## HISTORY DEPARTMENT TO PRESENT PLAYS IN CHAPEL APRIL 11

Two plays entitled, "The Making of a Book" and "The Spirit of Progress," will be presented by the History Department in chapel April 11th.

"The Making of a Book" is a medieval play representing a scene from a picture by that name. The cast is as follows:

Abbot Pulrad Poseph Albert Howard Albert Theodore Rees Englehardt Barbara Dorothy Stutzman Cisela Dorothy Stutzman Cisela Dorothy Stutzman Cisela Dorothy Stutzman Cisela Man Howard Black Barbara Civilization. The cast is as follows:

Progress Natalie Suppes Progress is a play to our modern civilization. The cast is as follows:

Progress Natalie Suppes Progress Man Howard Black Primitive Man Howard Black Creek Man Howard Black Creek Man David Yingling Puritan Man David Yingling Puritan Man David Yingling Puritan Man David Yingling Puritan Man David Wright Pioneers Robert McCaulaugh High School Boy Arthur Eichler The historical part will be under the direction of Mrs. Keffer and the dramatics under that of Miss Greer. The practices have now begun in earnest, the opperetta.

# WESTMONT I

T LOSES CLOSE BEAVERDALE

westmont went down to defeat in be one of the most critical games of the season at Beaverdale, March 7, 22-21.

As a virtue of their defeat Beaverdale High again regained the league lead.

The contest at Beaverdale between ry, the two teams was probably the most se spirited battle of the league season. At the end of the four periods the teams were deadlocked at 19 and only virtue of three fouls and a pair of field goals in the second stanza, while holding the visitors to 3 points, Beaverdale was enjoying a 12-8 lead. Westmont get quickly tied the score at 19 and in the winning field goal.

The summary:

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They had good healthful food and to the Ebensburg school when they are six. They were all very healthy-looking and seemed happy and contented.
The trip was interesting, as well as educational to the students. Cars defor the trip were furnished by different l.

## WESTMONT DOWNED BY PORTAGE BASKETEERS

The large Portage crowd which witnessed the game was augmented by an enthusiastic delegation from Beaverdale.

The summary:

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Kowalski F
Fruhlinger F
Agnew C
Kennedy C
McQuillan C
Substitutions—Kintner for Conrad, Conrad for Kintner, Sawyer for Marshall.

Electropure Milk

& Cream

### CALENDAR FOR APRIL

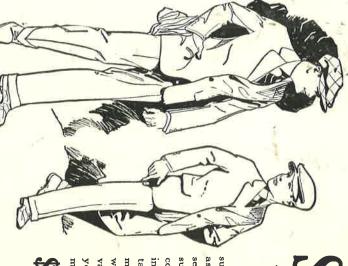
Friday, April 1—Seventh school month closes.
Monday, April 4—Assembly—Mr. William H. Walker.
Monday, April 11—Assembly—Sophomore Class.
Wednesday, April 13—School Closes for Easter Vacation.
Thursday, April 14—Seniors leave for Washington.
Monday, April 18—Seniors Return.
Tuesday, April 19—School Reopens.
Friday, April 22—Physical Education Exhibition.
Monday, April 25—Assembly—Mr. J. J. Kintner.

### S team? This question will be answered at the close of the inter-class elimination contest which will be held Monday, March 28, at Westmont-Upper of Coach Engh. Yoder High School under the direction of Coach Engh. Varsity men will be eligible in the league and in order for a team to be eliminated it must be beaten twice. This means that a team which may have had a bad start still has a fighting thance to be the winner. There do not seem to be any favulut thusiastic and as all inter-class affairs have been hotly contested, this league for the promises to be a success. Field Goals—Kowalski 4, Fruhlinger 1, Kennedy 2, Bailey 6, Conrad 1, Sawyer 2. Foul Goals—Kowalski 1 of 2, Fruhlinger 4 of 5, Kennedy 5 of 7, Bailey 3 of 4, Marshall 0 of 1, Brickner 0 of 2, Sawyer 1 of 1. Referee—Hanson. Timekeepers—Greer and Shannon. Quality ---

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