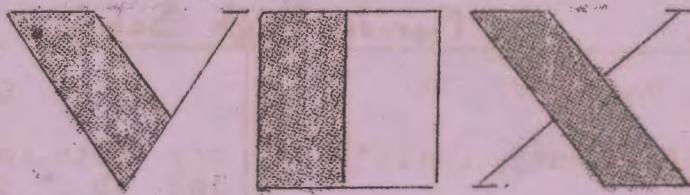


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# WILSON TONITE



## VOX UNDER NEW SYSTEM

Policy

"Speed, Efficiency, Smile"

It is the policy of this paper to be run for the good of both the students and faculty. The staff will endeavor to do their best under the able supervision of the teachers who reserve the right to dismiss any member of the staff on producing sufficient evidence to the editor and the principal. The teachers

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The good old Indians meet one of our biggest rivals tonight in Cedar Rapids. With all the spunk they displayed at the Cedar Falls game we have a swell chance of whipping the socks off the Wilsonians. We had a little hard luck with Monticello but that has made us more determined than ever. Of course we have to have SCHOOL SUPPORT and take it from us that helps the fellows win. So come on all you guys and gals and let's be down at that game. We'll be seeing you!

The support that is needed



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may veto any article on consulting the editor, which may be found immoral or contain malicious gossip. The teachers may dismiss the editor if it is found that he is neglecting his work and not upholding the policy of this paper. It is intended to entertain as well as inform the student body of current events and of the latest talk.

It will be run in the following manner: the editor and assistant editor hand the assignments to the heads of the News, Poetry and Jokes, Sports, and Gossip departments who with their assistants give them to the reporters. The heads then are responsible to collect the articles from the reporters and hand to the rewrite department. The rewrite department checks these and then hands them to the editor for a final check. The advertising is given to the Art department who first gets an okay on them from the editor or assistant editor and then puts them on the stencil. After the ads are finished the stencil goes to the typists who have received the okayed articles from the editor which are then typed. The finished stencil is checked by the proof reader who then hands it to the Business Manager department to be printed. The editor and assistant editor hand them to the home rooms.

This paper is to come out every two weeks on Friday morning during home room period. Special editions may be published with the permission of the principal.

It is the hope of the staff of this paper that the Vox may be a bigger and better newspaper for the coming year.

KENN CORNELL

Editor

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MR. HAUPT

Mr. Haupt, our Biology and science teacher, suffered a serious cut on his hand several days ago while trying to complete an experiment with a glass tube. The tube entered the side of his hand and came out about the middle of the palm. The wound was very painful but is now almost healed.

### ATTENTION!!!

On Tuesday morning, October first, the seniors voted on their class motto, flower, and colors. These were made up by the executive committee of the senior class.

The ones selected were:

Class motto--First and Goal!  
Class flower--Peony.  
Class colors--Royal blue and white.

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New Dealism: If you have two cows, you shoot one and milk the other; then you pour the milk down the drain.

Nazism: If you have two cows, the government shoots you and keeps the cows.

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FRESHIES

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Looking each, so full of woe.  
The upper classmen do such deeds  
Against these kids--my heart just bleeds.

For creeks and alleys and lonely roads

Are scenes of horrible episodes.

But we need these freshies every year,

We need their carefree presence here.

So, freshies, walk the halls and smile,

And know you'll be better after while.

And, little freshie, don't you cry,

For you'll be a senior, by-and-by.

#### RIDDLE

They come each year,  
You can see them here  
In the halls of M. H. S.  
They're little and green  
And scared, so they seem.  
Who are they? Can't you guess?

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#### JOKES

Mrs. Fiedler: What does Bob do with his week-end?

Mr. Warren: Judging by his work he hangs his hat on it.

Advertisement: What do you take when you're run down?

Smarty: The car's license.

Bonnie: (learning to drive): Oh dear! What do I do now?

Budd: Just pretend I'm driving and you're in the back seat.

Marty (at the K. V.): I'm sorry you didn't like the pie.  
Was it lemon or peach?

Bob V.: I don't know it tasted like glue.

Marty: It must have been lemon.  
Our peach tastes like putty.

Man who thinks he is big shot, is first to get fired.

Mr. Haupt: How many natural magnets are there?

Bill A.: Two.

Haupt: Name them.

Bill: Blondes and brunettes.  
(Wilsonian)

Polecat: Woman is nothing but a rag, a bone, and a hank of hair.

Katie: Man is nothing but a brag, a groan, and a tank of air.

(Springdale High-lights)



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The most powerful permanent magnet in the world is about half the size of an eraser on the end of a pencil. It will lift a five-pound flatiron with ease.

Motor-driven conveyor belts ten miles long, the longest in the world, are used to bring gravel and sand to the concrete mixing plant near the site of the Shasta Dam in Redding, California.

Home phonograph records are now used to treat deafness. For the first time, scientifically prepared home phonograph recordings provide acoustic stimulation of inactive portions of the ear mechanism to rehabilitate the hearing.

World's deepest restaurant is located in the Carlsbad Caverns, in New Mexico. It is 400 feet below the earth's surface. One thousand persons have been fed at one time.

Gutenberg did not invent movable type after all. It was invented by Pi Sheng, a Chinese, said to have done it in 1041 or just about 400 years before Gutenberg.

Next time a mosquito stings you, it may be some consolation to know that her stinger, or should we say her proboscis, weighs only .0000006 (six ten-millionths) of an ounce. Verily, it is the little things of life that really count.

In one pound of granulated sugar there are said to be 2,360,000 grains.

When the Emperor Charlemagne discovered spots on his table-cloth, he ordered his servants to throw it into the fire to clean it. The flames burned the spots

off--for the tablecloth was made of asbestos.

The concrete used at Boulder Dam would lay a four-foot sidewalk of average thickness once around the earth.

During one summer season the sun gives to an acre of land the heat equivalent of 250 tons of coal.

(Science and Mechanics)

It's here!!

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## SALUTE TO THE FRESHMEN!

Freshies are always being jeered at,  
But they don't seem to mind the strife.  
They seem to think within themselves,  
"I won't be a Freshman all my life."  
But all of us must remember that we were Freshmen once.  
But don't forget Freshies-keep up that friendly punch!

--Betty Peck

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We wonder if P. Lanning knows how to read or doesn't she want to read them, Bill?

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### MARION WINS FIRST GAME

Outweighed but not out-fought, eleven Marion Indians turned back an invasion from Cedar Falls 6-0. The statistics were even more in favor of the Indians than the score indicated however, and they threatened at pay-dirt many times during the game but failed in their final efforts to score.

Marion's score came in the first quarter when Cedar Falls, backed up against their own goal, fumbled and Potter pounced on the ball in the end zone. That was the extent of the scoring but there were several sensational plays by Potter and Marsh and some thrilling passes from Meggers to Lary. The heavier Cedar Falls team made most of their gains through the middle of the line but threatened at the Marion gates only once. This is a summary of the technicalities, but there were several view point from the field (and bench) that the spectators could not see.

As this was Marion's first game, the boys displayed quite a little nervousness and their plays were generally rather ragged and unpolished, which accounts, possibly, for the low score. The defense was occasionally out of position but the boys displayed better tackling than has been seen around here for quite awhile. The heat took so much out of them that they literally dragged themselves off the field. As an example, during one "time out" period, Scott, when told to sit down said, "If I do, I'll never get up again!"

The worst casualty received in the battle was Dodd's broken nose, although he played in that condition for three quarters.

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## Tete-a-Tattling

Seems to us a few of the freshies have too much vitamin I in their systems---oh well, they will learn, after cleaning about six pairs of football shoes.

Ever notice those two seniors (fourth hour senior science class) holding eyes across the table?

Say the Marion Indians, quote, "I guess you'd call us friends--we have the same enemies!"

Meggers---homecoming? Lanning---home? A possibility.

Ever notice how many l-o-n-g distance romances are being carried on these days? High school doesn't offer the glamour it used to, I guess.

Tow and Marsh have turned off the glaring terms to more gleaming ones.

Ever notice Peck's nice sense of humor?

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Meggers is getting thin chasing cars with Wisconsin licences.

We wonder if it is against training rules for Powell to drink all those malted milks he won on a certain bet.

Dr. Livingston I presume?? None, just Bill Austin.

We wish someone would make up their mind in that senior triangle.

It looks like Bob and June are still going, but definitely!

Budd is still a-courtin' Carey.

We wonder why Otto goes into 209 every morning to sharpen his pencil. Could it be K. Kassler? Could be!

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## THE QUILL MEETING

Under the leadership of this year's Quill editor, the staff has begun its various tasks. Editor Vernon spent a great deal of the meeting quieting us. In the moments of quiet, the duties of the members were explained. Plans were started for the sale of candy at football games, and the matter of dedication of the year book was discussed.

A roar of laughter greeted Marty Young's question "What is the class rooster?" (roster) For those of you in doubt, it is the extra curricular activities of seniors for the past four years. The meeting was adjourned with a suggestion by Mr. Warren that parliamentary procedure be followed hereafter in our meetings. That suggestion definitely lowered our prestige.

You are again urged to enter any form of humorous, educational or other types of snap shots. It's your book so please do your share by contributing this little bit.

One ear to another: I didn't know we were on the same block.

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## BOY CHEERLEADERS!!!

Last Friday morning, September 20, four boys, Clarence Rienhart, Bob Wainwright, Bill Kempshall, and Bob Sindelar exhibited their abilities (?) before the entire high school to find out which two would be chosen to assist the four girl cheerleaders, who were chosen the week before.

Judging by the applause of the students, the executives from the home rooms passed sentence on Bob Sindelar (Sing Sing) and Bill (Dopey) Kempshall; sentencing them to one year of hard labor leading the lusty cheers of the students of M. H. S.... More Pep to you fellows!!!

Mary Starry

## NEW SCHOOL CAFETERIA

This summer the school started the construction of a new cafeteria, which is being built just above the new heating plant in the south east corner of the building. It is now nearing completion, and they hope to be able to use it soon in serving hot lunches to those who formerly have had to eat in one of the study halls.

The room is large and has all modern cupboards, work tables, sinks, and shelves. The walls are of a brick material and the room has cement floors. On the east side are windows above the sinks and work tables and at the west end there is a cafeteria counter from where the pupils will be served. A new stove and refrigerator have also been ordered.

Folding tables will be put up in the gym and pupils may either bring their lunches from home or buy them at the cafeteria. The present plan is that one hot dish will be served each noon.

A new entrance has been put in on the east side of the building just north of the cafeteria, and this leads into the boys locker rooms.

Arrangements are being made to hold an open house as soon as the cafeteria is completed, and we are all looking forward to seeing it and perhaps using it when our different school organizations meet.

## MADRIGAL GROUPS

The voice classes this year are made up of both boys and girls who are in the Glee Clubs. They are known as Madrigal groups.

This madrigal group was made popular by a Dutchman during the sixteenth century.

The madrigal was a love lyric written for from 3 to 8 voices, in Counterpoint, usually accompanied.

Two boys quartettes are being organized and they will perform at home. A girls sextette will also be organized soon.

## AMBITIOUS FRESHMAN

I'm a little freshman green.  
I'm never heard and seldom seen.  
I'm pushed around by sophomores,

Looked down upon by juniors.  
Seniors don't even know I'm here.  
And all the faculty I fear.  
But just you wait until I'm bigger,

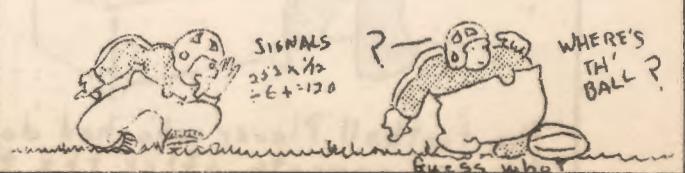
It won't be like this, I figger.  
I'll ignore the freshies then.  
Sophomores, juniors, seniors  
even.

The faculty will all fear me.  
'Cause I'm gonna be president of  
the board!

## GAMES THIS SEASON

OCTOBER	4	Wilson
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"	18	Vinton
"	*25	Manchester
NOVEMBER	* 1	Independence
"	8	Mt. Vernon
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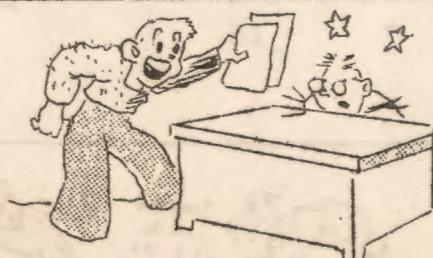
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fair have been chosen as follows:

Executive committee

Chairman.....Melvin Meggers  
Assistants.....Robert Mitchell  
Frank Whittemore  
Joanne Dumbolton

Assembly program

Chairman.....Martha Young  
Game program

Chairman.....Bob Vernon  
Dance program

Chairman.....Virginia Jackson  
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Chairman.....Bob Hoff  
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Chairman.....Kenn Cornell



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