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Once I pledged myself never to write an editorial on school spirit. I now willingly break that pledge because I can no longer be apathetic to a situation in which a few people are being forced to carry the responsibility of many.

School life in the United States has been characterized by an intangible something called "spirit". Kids, color, and excitement make "spirit".

"Spirit" is dead in Marion High. "Spirit" is dead or dying in many schools in the United States. And it's your fault. There are kids and there is color; there is even excitement if

you'll take it. And that's how you've killed that glorious feeling that belongs to school days. That's how you're going to kill a lot of other things when you're through with school. You won't get excited. You think it's smart and sophisticated to belittle or heckle the football team or the band; you think it's worldly to ignore the cheer leaders.

If you can't get excited about a thing you don't really like it. Your indifference will lose football games in high school, and it will lose democracy, truth, and beauty in life.

Mary Alice Kemble

LOVELORN

Dear Prue:

When I read of your generous offer of help in the last issue of "VOX", I decided to write you about a problem which has me greatly perturbed! You see, Prune (I mean Prue) I, like many of our present senior girls, made the mistake of losing my heart unwisely last year. Now that "he" is away at college, I want to date these cute boys around school; yet, I suppose I should keep in his good graces! How can I have my cake and eat it too?

I await your answer impatiently!

Perplexed Senior

My dear Perplexed Senior:

Why you sweet, little girl you! How delightful of you to write me and let me help you solve your problem. (I'll send you my bill later.)

I agree with you! There are a lot of cute little boys running around loose here. You'd be foolish not to have all the fun you can--and if you don't care enough about "him" to pine away all by yourself this year, you're entirely right in going with them.

Yet he might come in handy, especially if you go to college next year, so why not write him a gooey, lovey-dovey letter each week, telling him how sad life is without him and how much you miss his homely, old face (not in these exact words). Of course, you'll have to take some chances, "he" may come home unexpectedly some week-end when you have a handsome little junior boy all dated up, but if you're the girl I think you are, you'll be able to work these little details out

easily!

Good luck to you and yours,

Prudence N. Fuddyduddy

P. S. Say if you get more dates than you can handle I know an attractive, young girl; namely, me, who could give some boy the time of his life--and I'm not kidding.

P.N.F.

Gossip

Why is Pat Peck interested in Dale Robbins??

Manson and G. Smith seem to pass notes without anyone seeing them. How do they do it???

Evidently Otto and Kellogg don't like to talk about "Red".

What's the matter Dempsey, haven't the Marion girls got what it takes???

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ACTIVITIES

The band is starting the new year with the largest carry-over in several years. The band also has added a bariton, a French horn, alto clarinet, and a brand new set of pedal tuning tympani. While the schedule is almost full there is still room for two or three ambitious freshmen or sophomores on school instruments.

The marching band has given this year, in part at least, two light concert performances before the bleachers. These concerts include our flag swingers and other novelties.

A committee of four having been appointed to arrange a time, date, and place for the band picnic; decided upon Sleepy Hollow for the place, Wednesday, October 15, for the date, and 5:30 for the time. We hope everyone had a good time.

Ethel Coon

Epsilon Pi

The first meeting of Epsilon Pi (Dramatic Club) was held at Bonnie Carey's home, October 2. All members were present except Robert Wainwright. Everyone wanted to work for a half credit this year.

The following officers were elected for the forthcoming year; president, Jean Stamy; secretary-treasurer, Otto Welper.

A social hour including refreshments was enjoyed after the business meeting.

Dorothy Ratliff

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ZETA MU EPSILON

Monday at 7:30 P.M., October 6th Zeta Mu Epsilon had its second meeting in Mr. Haupt's room. The meeting was spent in planning the year's projects. A number of interesting subjects have been chosen. Some of them are: photography; hydronomics---growing plants in chemicals; bones; presses; aeronautics; biology; leaves; radios; and a variety of others. All completed projects will be shown at the annual convention in the spring.

Marilyn Fontaine

Glee Club

Glee Club members under the direction of Miss Wilcox gave a Hymn Sing in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening. The program consisted of several old hymns sung by the groups. The Boys Quartette, Girls Trio and Mixed Quartette also sang "special" numbers.

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 Manpower-Gene Balcom
 Hold Back the Dawn-Bernadine Gleason
 My Love Came Back-Gene Jacobs
 I'll Wait For You-Mary Alice Kemble
 A Man Betrayed—"Chuck" Maxfield
 Double Date-Kempshall, Kassler,
 Sindelar and Joanna
 Keeping Company-Marilyn Fontaine
 and Mike Oxley
 This Thing Called Love-Fred and Corinne
 Jennie-Genevieve Monroe
 Little Men-Donald Howe, Oscar Anthes and Lowell Harford
 I'm Still Alive-Ted Davin
 They Drive By Night-J. Jones, C. Maxfield and Virginia Fairley
 The Man Who Talked too Much-Bob Chamberlain
 The Great McGinty-D. McEnany
 The Shop Around the Corner-The Pool Hall
 The Little Fox(es) Stan Potter
 Accent On Love-Pat Benedict and Ray G.
 The Man Who Lost Himself-Jack W. Queen of the Mob-Marian Towers
 Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love-Dorothy P.
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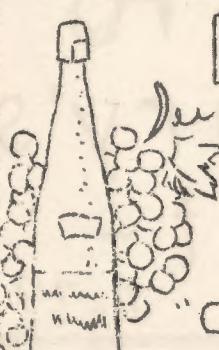
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POETRY:

Oh, this is the day of the ribbon
 changing,
 Sing hi, sing hey, sing happy
 day,
 Ribbons to the left, ribbons to
 the right,
 And changing goes on far into the
 night.

Oh, this is the day of the ribbon
 changing,
 Sing hi, sing hey, sing happy
 day,
 Ribbons on my fingers, ribbons in
 my hair,
 Ribbons on the floor, ribbons
 everywhere.

Oh, this is the day of the ribbon
 changing,
 Sing hi, sing hey, sing happy
 day,
 With bodies all achin' an' racked
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 ribbons again.

Mary Alice Kemble

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GOSSIP:

The Van Fosson-Spence romance is progressing right along.

Where did Stamy get the watch she is wearing?

Come on, B. Peck, give Jones a break!

Looks like Thomas is beating Frazee's time!

And did you see who Marilyn Fontain's latest is???

Stark and M. Thomas seem to be making a hit with each other.

We hear Ernie Davin has his heart set on Joan Jergurson. How about it Ernie?

What's been keeping L. Leidigh from his bookkeeping? Is it football or girls?

Is Stan Potter having trouble deciding?

What is this about "Ike" Miller--She would rather go to the skating rink than to football games. Couldn't be Arnold Port could it Miller????

Since when did Cooney start perfuming his car so sweetly???

June D. seems to have fared all right since that senior graduated, huh, Gene?

Freshy's girl friend: How in the world do football players ever keep themselves clean?
Freshy: What do you suppose they have a scrub team for?

Jake: Let's not go in here. I think they have a cover charge.

Mac: Oh, that's all right. I brought my blanket along.

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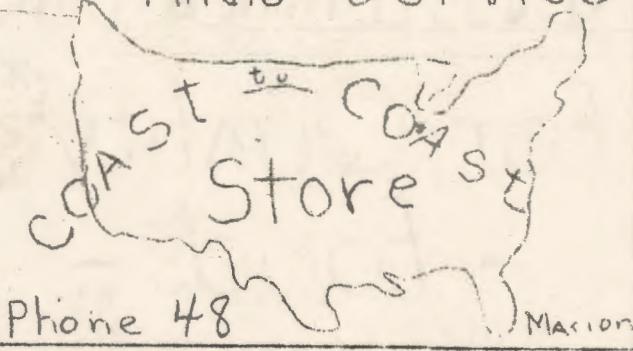
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Jake sure didn't lose any time getting started did he, Bonnie?

Dopey gets you pretty riled doesn't he, Kathryn?

Seems as though Shey's running a taxi--for girls only.

We hear Betty Taylor isn't such a bad skater. Oh! Boy!!!!

Route 1 is kept hot by Larkin and McCalley. Mostly Larkin but luck is falling toward McCalley.

Monroe and Wickham are taking up driving but the car got the sputters on Eighth Avenue.

It seems that D. Pflughaupt had the mumps--rather late. Wattle had them way last summer!

Seems as though Bob Miller has a crush on Norma Wood.

Why did Quass break his date with E. Neilson?

Chuck M.: This insomnia's got me worried.

Lodelle L.: Why?

Chuck: I can't sleep even when it's time to get up.

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SPORTS



Friday night the Marion football team played host to Wilson. As hosts they were much too polite to their visitors.

In the first quarter Wilson caught the Marion backfield asleep twice and threw two touchdown passes.

In the second quarter it was pretty much a well fought battle. Although Marion was out-weighed, they did a very fine job. Tony Kudrna was injured.

In the last quarter Marion did some fine defensive playing. We can give "Red" Leidigh a lot of credit for his beautiful tackling around the ankles. Wilson made another touchdown in the final period making the score 19 to 0.

I guess Lady Luck isn't with us. Our other Captain, Ted Davin, is out with a chipped bone in his foot. Tough luck, Ted! You can join Jake on the sidelines now.

MARION-31--INDEPENDENCE-6

Marion's offense really clicked last Friday night when we steam-rollered Independence's Homecoming. For the first time this year some real blocking was displayed making possible more long runs.

Marion's touchdowns were fairly well spaced, one coming in the first quarter when Thomas recovered an Independence fumbled punt behind Independence's goal. The second quarter saw Marion go over for two more touchdowns, and Potter kicked the extra point.

In the first few minutes of the fourth quarter Independence intercepted a Marion pass and ran it to our goal for their only touchdown. In the last quarter Dean Johnson ran about 40 yards

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G. A. A.

This year our school G.A.A. has joined the state organization. Through this we have many opportunities such as visiting other schools at their playdays. This Saturday, October 18, we have been invited to McKinley High School.

A new point system has been inaugurated whereby all points must be handed in each week to Gladys Hyde.

for another half dozen points, the extra point failing.

After this thorough trouncing of Independence, Marion's future looks somewhat brighter.

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"Frequent water drinking," said the professor, "prevents becoming stiff in the joints."

"Yes" said the co-ed, "but some of the joints don't serve water."

She balanced herself daintily on a stool at the hamburger counter, looked over the pastries and, after a few minutes of indecision, addressed the counter man: "I would like to have two hamburgers, well done; no pickle, but you may put a little mustard on them, if you don't mind."

Without turning his head the counter man shouted to the short order cook: "Elmers, on two; hob-nailed; hold the pucker and make 'em dirty."

Photographer: Place your hand on your husband's shoulder, it looks more natural.

Man: It would be more natural if she put her hand in my pocket.

MAGICIAN

Is there a rabbit in your hat? You will soon find out. October 22, Staples, the Magician and Company will give a performance at 3:15 in the auditorium. Everyone is invited to come. Admission is ten cents or an activity ticket. This will take the place of assembly on Friday, October 24.

YOUTH CONFERENCE

Thursday, October 23, is the date for the sixteenth annual Older Boys and Girls Conference of Linn County. The program begins at 8:30 at the Methodist Church, lasts until 12:00, re-convenes at 1:15, and ends with a banquet at the church from 6:00 to 8:15. Make this Marion's biggest year at conference!

Visiting with Pat B. last Friday was her cousin, Rita Power.

Those celebrating birthdays this month are the following:

John Oxley	-Oct. 1
Nyleene Bebee	-2
Margery Price	-2
Betty Morris	-3
Burton Kellogg	-4
Bob Foitle	-4
Milda Culver	-5
Martha Kemp	-6
Patricia Benedict	-7
Ellis Emmons	-10
Pauline Phillips	-10
Norman Adee	-10
Ray Frederick	-12
Lois Booze	-19
Marjorie Ostrander	-13
Marjorie Schiuntz	-13
Betty Lockner	-16
Robert Mitchell	-16
Loyce Schenken	-16
Donna Mac Weils	-19
James Hoover	-22
Janice Hutchinson	-19
Roger Skarr	-19
Dick Shay	-20
Beulah Blackford	-21
Edward Failor	-22
Bernice Benesh	-26
Jack Griner	-26
Lillian Stainbrook	-22
Raymond Fay	-26
Ruth Neilson	-26
Gale Neuenwander	-28
Albert Van Fossen	-29
Doris Downing	-28
Bob Sindelar	-30

HOMECOMING COMMITTEES ANNOUNCED

At a meeting of the class chairmen of the executive committees the following people were appointed to serve on Homecoming committees:

General Management: R. Mitchell, Ch.; W. Stephenson; E. Kramer; J. Dumbolton; E. Failor; and Mr. Warren.

Assembly Program: B. Carey, Ch.; F. Whittemore; D. Ratliff; Ray Frederick; and Miss Russell.

Game Program: J. Stamy, Ch; Cheerleaders; Pep Committee; Miss Schrubbe; and Miss Howe.

Dance Committee: G. Jacobs, Ch.; P. Lanning; R. Rauch; M. Spence; D. Mack; B. Seger; Mr. Haupt; and Mr. Halley.

Decoration Committee: J. DeWees, Ch.; B. Wainwright; P. Benedict; J. Larkin; B. Mathewson; M. L. Thomas; Miss Hilliard; Mr. Pantry; and Mr. Warren.

Refreshments Committee: B. Sindelar, Ch.; H. Button; R. Le-Vin; B. Foitle; A. M. Nollsch; T. Benedict; Mrs. Bogart; Miss Mentzer; and Miss Petrusch.

Publicity Committee: M. A. Kemble; E. Schenken; B. Fitzgerald; and Miss Petrusch.

Homecoming is only two short weeks away, kids. Let's all get behind these committees and give them all the support and co-operation they'll need to make this Marion's best Homecoming!

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