

HOMECOMING ASSEMBLY

This year's Homecoming Assembly will live long in the minds of students and teachers of M. H. S. A group of ambitious actors revealed how our instructors behaved in their school "daze".

Don Deacon, acting as emcee, introduced a beritone solo by Margery Lala, a vocal solo by Frances Ford, and the various skits. The assembly closed with the pep band playing "Onward Marion".

After the assembly the band and cheerleaders led the student-body to the town square for one of the peppiest rallies of the year.

SCHOOL RECEPTION

Lest night Marion teachers held open-house in the high school gymnasium for parents and members of the board of education. Light refreshments were served.

HOMECOMING VICTORY!

A thousand fans watched the spirited Indians overcome Man-chester October 25, ringing up a 19-6 lead.

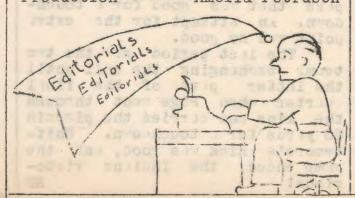
In the first quarter, after exchanging punts, the Marion eleven marched 85 yards for a touchdown. Gable carried the ball across, and Whittemore's kick was blocked.

Whitcomb, the Manchester quarterback, then unloosed a passing attack that netted 5 out of 6 attempts, the last a 27 yard pass that was good for a touchdown. An attempt for the extra point was no good.

The last period saw the two teams exchanging the ball until the latter part of the final quarter when Page went through the line and carried the pigskin 85 yards for a touchdown. Whittemore's kick was good, and the game ended, the Indians victorious!

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EDITORIAL

What has happened to the halls this year? Yes, we think

they have improved.

The halls are easier navigate this year. Maybe it is because we have fewer steady couples to trip over. The freshmen are doing a swell job minding what Mr. Smith said about keeping to the

Keep it up, kids!

Last year we can remember having seen old gum wrappers, candy wrappers, and all kinds of papers under the lockers. So far this year, we've seen very few, if any. There are a few lockers that have papers sticking out of the sides of the doors. Not only in the lockers of the underclassmen but in the, --- Yes, in the senior lockers!!

We do have some people who insist on yelling to another person who is half way down the hall. Then there is also the last minute person who is seen dashing down the hall and knocking somebody's books all over the

hall.

Let's all try to check our-

selves on these things.

All in all, though, have to agree that the halls of M.H.S. have improved.

HOMECOMING POSTERS

The following students made attractive Homecoming posters: Charles Fulton, Don Deacon, Rosalie Hess, Winton Gable, Mary Ellen Dumbolton, Patricia Tanner, Doris Hill, Betty Nielson, Jean Carlson, LaVonne Long, Beverly Nedrow, Loren Raddatz, Shirley Balcom, Delores Harford, Carol King, Rose Lee Olmstead, Marilyn Hoover, and Darlene Heefner.

I. Q. Tests

The Otis I. Q. tests were taken by all high school pupils first period in the morning, November 6.

Principal's

Bulletin

Speaking



Some students ask, "what difference does it make if I'm absent from school"? Let's look at some of the reasons I would give in answer.

1. An absence causes a student to attempt double work; the work he has missed and the regular class assignments.

dent to lose that part of his work which comes in the actual class discussion.

3. An absence is an indication that you are falling down on your job of being in school. In an industry, your pay would be cut; in school, you lose the compensation of a day's education.

4. An absence causes your instructors extra work. They have enough to do as it is.

5. An absence is a waste of time, money, and materials provided by your parents in the form of taxes. If you do not appreciate the use of these things, others do.

These are a few of the reasons I would give to answer the questions as to school attendance. Think them over carefully, and I believe that every student in school will attempt to keep a good attendance record.

SENIOR CLASS PARTY

The Senior Class Party was held Sturday night, November 2, in Melvin McBride's barn, northwest of Marion. Transportation to the barn was furnished by two hayracks driven by Lawrence Etzelend Mr. Harvey Trimble. Oldfashioned square dancing was the high light of the evening and was taught to the seniors by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Osborn and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barnes of Cedar Rapids.

A floor show featuring Norma Fay, Diane Biddick, Joyce Emmons, and Jean Mullaley was presented during intermission. Frances Ford and Richard Trimble received prizes for the best hard times costumes.

Music for the square dancing was provided by a banjo and a fiddle, played by two musicians from Cedar Rapids.

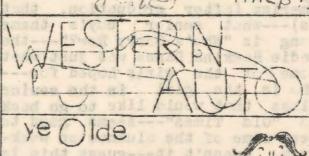
Members of the faculty who were present were Miss Franken-field, Miss Wallace and Miss Crees.

SADIE HAWKING DANCE

In honor of "Li'l Abner" and "Lena the Hyena", the Hi-Y sponsored a Sadie Hawkins Dance after the Tipton game, November 8. The sals got out their best flour sacks and sold their only 25% po'k chops for admission to the hill country affair. Everyone had a good time, and some hope to see this an annual event.

BK





Sittin' and Chattin'

Cether 'roun, chillun and we'll sweep some dirt out from under the rug---they tell me that the seniors didn't mind the wet hay and the rain coming home from the barn dance, but we wonder--is Teresa going back to the good ole days --- is Robert G. Williams really as quiet as he seems--come on, B. Domer give some of your secret admirers a chance--how does Rita B. find so much to talk about especially around certain senior lockers---what junior girls have solved the transportation problem --- ask N. Fay what she rinses her hair in --- does Pat Howe know he has an admirer even in Junior High--question of the month: "Gosh I wonder what he'll look like"(con-clave beau, natch)---Gable can really reel, really he can---Whit seems to like the senior class pretty well---Diane always seems to attend the Keen Teen meetings ---Jerry is getting along nicely with Mike --- certain Freshies are enjoying some of the upperclassmen---Joyce F. seems to get a bang out of English class---B. Goodrow has a crush on a fellow classmate, name unknown (but I think it begins with a "C") --- Bev Nedrow thinks she will have to grow to get a man --- Poncho wants to know what J. Schlotterback has that he hasn't got --- revised advice: Don't spare the Rod and spoil Mullaley --- who does Marty Gogg have her eye on this week---Fulton says he doesn't like to speak out of turn, Ha! Ha! --- C. Lyons is taking off for South America (after graduation, that is) --- what senior boy's theme song is "Who's Sorry Now?"---the Sadie Hawkins Dance was just what some of the girls hoped for--who is the girl in the senior class that would like to go back to "Old Times" --- seems good to see some of the alumnae on weekends, doesn't it --- guess this is all for now, bye and see ya at the big jamboree tonite!?! AF

HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

The cast has been selected and practice underway for the Junior Class Play, "Murder In Rehearsal". This will be the first murder mystery presented by the high school for a number of years. Have you ever heard of "a murder within a murder within a play within a play?" If not, you certainly don't want to miss this fast-moving, mastermind murder thriller.

Of course, no mystery is complete without suspects. .. Not only is there one suspect in "Murder In Rehearsal", but a dozen. So plan to attend this gala event on November 21 and 22 under the direction of Mrs. Kathleen Goodyear and Miss Ruth Roberts.

The cast consists of Jack Ellery, a determined person around whom the mystery lies -- Raymond Peterson; Claudia Warren, the lovely romantic leading-lady-Darlene Heefner; Harold Knight, the Southern blackfaced comedian-David Rose; Morton Hill, the handsome villain and hero combined -- Don Whittemore; Trilby, the nervous, high-spirited maid--Pat Welter; Sheila Burnett, Claudia's rival -- Marilyn Hoover; Chubby Forbes, a devilish character--Bob Page; Sheriff Cullen, who always gets his man--Bill Mills; Marge Penny, a talking doll--Rosalie Hess; Bunky Simms, Trilby's rival --Beverly Nedrow; Daffy Carmichael, a half-wit--John Ross; Stack Hilton, a soda jerk--Norman Severinsen; and Mrs. Fiske Warren -- a superior-feeling society matron--Delores Harford.



TEACHERS CLUB PARTY

October 21, 1946, was the date of the first meeting of the Marion Teachers Club. The members met for a six o'clock dinner at the K. V. Cafe.

The Reverend and Mrs. V. H. Carter were guests at this meeting. Following the dinner, Mr. Carter showed slides and told about his recent trip to Poland.

The tables were decorated with large bowls of bronze and yellow mums. Yellow candles, nut cups and place cards carried out

the Halloween motif.

The following teachers were in charge of the October meeting: Miss Frankenfield, chairman, Miss Petrusch, Miss Roberts, Miss Mills, Miss Harlan, Miss Crees, Miss Lyman, Miss Steen, Miss Wiley and Miss Hatch.

ZETA MU EPSILON

Zeta Mu Epsilon, Marion High School Chapter of the Iowa Junior Academy of Science, met for the first time this year on Monday, November 4. The following temporary officers were elected:

All students who wished to join were invited to attend the second meeting Thursday, November 14.

Don't forget that A.S.D. No.

Dickey's Sprat



Hi-Y

For the rest of the school year the Hi-Y Club will sponsor a school assembly once a month.

The National HT-Y Committee suggests that each month a certain theme of interest to high school students be chosen.

The first program, Boy and Girl Relationships, will be November 22. Other themes to be presented are: Overcoming Personality Faults, Developing Leadership Skills, Youth Problems, Juvenile Delinquency, and Choice of and Preparation for Life Work. BK



You'll Find Good Selections



Bubble Gum ... now and then!

Marion Cleaners

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INDIANS LOSE 7-0

The Anamosa Blue Raiders slipped by Marion with a few lucky breaks in the first period of the game Friday, November 1.

Marion received the kickoff and immediately started the march downfield. Anamosa recovered a Marion fumble, went to the Indians' 6 on a long pass, and swept around right end for the score. The kick for the extra point was good. In the first few minutes of play the Raiders led 7-0.

Marion threatened several times but lost the ball on downs. At one time the Indians stopped the Raiders threatening team by holding them on the six-inch line for four downs.

The game ended: Anamosa 7, Marion 0.

FALL TRACK TEAM SCORES AGAIN!

Marion successfully defended their state championship title for the class B cross-country race Saturday, November 2, at Iowa City.

Last year four runners from Marion took the state champion-ship for the class B cross-country run. This year Ray Petersen, Gene Hastings, Neil Wood, Bob Kerns and Norman Severinsen defended the title. Petersen won the event with Hastings a close second. Neil Wood finished fifth, giving Marion a total of eight points. Nevada was second with 13 points.





FOOTBALL INTERVIEWS

We all know who the football players are, but often we don't know much about them. We did some inquiring the other day and decided to tell you what we found out about three of them.

Though a bad leg kept him out of a couple of the games, no one can forget the importance of Winton Gable. Now a senior, he is very much interested in sports. He admires Aunt Jemima and Nile Rinnick. He is also interested in art.

One of the best of our linemen is the left-teckle, Dick Jeffrey. They tell us he has a tackle that could stop anything, and who are we to doubt the authorities? He likes to eat most everything, likes Advanced Algebra, and admires Doc Blanchard, full-back for Army.

Another to remember, Dallas Carsner, half-back, was born in Marion in 1928. He likes to eat steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, and cake. He likes typing because it reminds him of the coming push-button age. This guy is "O.K." with us:

Of course there are many others to whom we would like to talk, but this seems to be our limit for this time. Everyone agrees we had a swell team this year, and after all, it's the team-work that counts. RH, NS, RB

