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EDITORIAL

In the January 31 issue we ran an editorial asking for a youth center. At that time the possibility seemed slim. Now the whole outlook has changed.

We think the town of Marion has now realized that something should be done. The committee appointed to investigate the youth center problem is hard at work.

The help and co-operation of the students in making the club a reality is a big necessity; therefore, those of you in the student body who are willing to volunteer your services and time in any way to help the club along will be very welcome! We think, if all students continue to believe in and work for a youth center, the project can and will succeed!!!

We should also like to express the thanks of M. H. S. to the merchants and other adults who have taken such keen interest in this proposal. We especially want to thank Adkins and Feigh who have already donated two hundred dollars for financial backing.

MUSIC CONCERTS

Tuesday and Thursday were the nights of the pre-contest concerts and showed the public what to expect at the future contests. For many it was their first appearance as a soloist. Some of the "veterans" are going to have to work hard to keep up with these newcomers. The small groups were excellent and the band was out of this world. We certainly can look forward to some first divisions at contest.

The vocal department will present its annual pre-contest concert March 18. All of the contest people will appear. Do not fail to hear this.

BIG DUIN'S

Are you in as much of a tizzy as I am? I can hardly wait!!! My tummy feels like a dozen pairs of jitterbugs had been turned loose inside with a hot Harry James platter going 'round, and 'round. I'm loopy about the "Big 10 Ball"---natch!!

Don't you wish you knew John Does of the Big 10????? Boy so do I!!! Last Friday you guys and gals of M. H. S. voted for ten of the following candidates: Jeanne Beckner, Diane Biddick, Sue Cary, Jean Carlson, Avis Emmons, Frances Ford, Donna Jeane Kolda, Darlene Meggers, Elaine Petrusch, Winton Gable, Jeffrey, Pete Kepros, Bob Kerns, Kenneth Otting, Bob Page, Jim Richman, John Snell, John Vernon. The "top notchers" will not be notified until the "big moment," only a few minutes before the presentation tonight!!!! Who do you think they will be??? Emmmm?

Well, I'm sorry to leave you so abruptly, but I must run and look over my 1001 formals and decide which one to don for the gala event. See you there!!!!!!

P. S. Remember gals if you have a formal wear it; but if you don't, come dressed in your Sunday best!!!!!!

SEE YOU THERE !!





ASSEMBLY

Rev. James Gable, Clinton Moyer, bonala Deacon, and Carol King lea a discussion on the proposed Youth Center February 21, 1947, at the assembly. The figures on the questionaire passed to the students were revealed. The assembly was enjoyed by all and another of this kind would be appreciated.

The cheerleaders closed the assembly with yells and "Onward Marion."

SPEECH CONTEST

In the sub-aistrict speech contest at Dubuque Monaay, March 10, the following students represented M. H. S.: John Snell, David Lyons, Billy J. Mills, Bob Kerns, Onalee Paul, and Barbara Lazenby.

John Snell participated in the district American Legion original oratory contest held at McKinley High in Cedar Rapids, March 7.

BRINGING HOME THE BACON

We had a little dog,
His name was Sim.
We took him to the pond,
To teach him to swim.

We pushed him in the water,

He came back out.

We pushed him in again,
Out he came with a trout!

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JAJI (SODN)
Friendly Barber



"CATCH AS CATCH CAN"

Time to get that broom out and start gathering up the dirt, gang --- first off, all hail to the juniors for the last issue of our thriving paper, mighty fine job--Chuck Daws has changed his theme song to "Put That Ring On My Finger"---B. Domer has a special interest to I.C. now---Willie likes them cute, short, and young --- We think David Lyons has more pep than the whole student body put together --- Roger Leslie has turned out to be a handsome hunk. hasn't he, Meg---why is Jean Mullaley late to work every night ---Bessie Pishney is making a scientific study of the mechanisms of a "certain" salt-shaker---who is Donnie Stamy courting these days, and at the show, too---what's Ruthie doing while Don is working nights ---- who visited Norman Severnson while he was sick---Rosalie Hess seems to have entered the "Valley of Decision" ----Frances Ford is still on Johnson's trail and we don't mean Dick----"Effie" get where does that darlin' southern drawl --- ask Ruby Williams what her nickname is and watch her squirm---who is it that carries Sue Cary's books home these days....hmmm---someone ask K. Frasher who Harry is----S. Clark prefers her one Cedar Rapdoesn't ids guy---Dally think the sophomores are so bad after all --- A. Simmons wants some advice on making up---B. Manson is strong for a certain Larry---how about it, Cletus...has your luck changed --- Onalee Paul's thoughts seem to be turning to M.H.S. instead of Iowa City---has everyone seen Dot Heefner's beautiful ring --- Cal says Louis isn't an "Egg" Do Mike and Jerry fight for the fun of making up----does Ruthie prefer blondes or red heads --- Fee Fee, why don't you latch onto some poor unsuspecting male --- why does N. Klopp like algebra class so well---who is this guy called "Muskles" --- has L. Raddatz taken

a liking to a certain senior girl --- Marlene Moffatt is still carrying a flame for Teddy---Betty Lathrop is taking more frequent trips to Anamosa...hmmmm---did anyone see how Patty A. looks at a certain senior boy --- the other night it was Culbert who was saying "Richman open the door!" ---Kelso and Knapp....not bad---Darlene Williams can't keep her mind on her work anymore wonder whythe diamond maybe-----Joyce Lee is getting along all right with Melvin...aren't you Joyce--Otting, why don't you break down and give some of these swooning girls a chance -- anybody noticed that handsome George Finn around--- why doesn't E. Hastings get himself a girl --- Why does M. Welper look at J. Cooper with such longing looks in English class---We hear Kerns saw some beautiful scenery when he visited St.Louis D.J. Kolda has made up her mind at last, but she's not telling who it is --- does G. Papacek have a new flame, or is it still the same one --- why does Carol S. like the initials B. W.---watch out kids, Bristol is free, white, and won't let me tell her age---Katie S. can't make up her mind...is it Gable, Kepros, Hastings, or that friend from Illinois---Please scmebody...tell us who "Goo Goo" is!!!---Robert G. Williams seems to have quite an ardent admirer in the freshman class---who are D. Hampton's new girls -- - Say, we girls aren't the only ones who have to do those exercises ... you should see the track boys --- D. Clark, watch it, cause a certain girl has her eye on you---Say F. Domer, could it be that you are interested in a certain senior whose name begins with "F"--who does Dump have her eye on now ...oh! same one---Anajean and Ted hubba, hubba!!!Mullaley and Burns hummammmmmm!!!Andy and Fllen seem to be getting along fine --- Everybody have a date for to-night???? Well, as one kitten said to the other, its time to scat, cat! AF

Principal's Bulletin

Friday night promises to be a big night. Something different is being tried, and it is hoped the affair will meet with such success that it will be continued

from year to year.

The "Big Ten" were chosen with the idea of recognizing students in our high school for their good character and citizenship. All of our work in school and all of our extra-curricular activities build ultimately for these two things. So why not have the people who live the best examples of these characteristics in our school life be honored and feted?

These people have been chosen by the students and the faculty as the best representatives of our student body. They should be proud to receive such an honor We will hope, in the coming years, that we can look upon the work of the "Big Ten" and be proud that we forecast them as able citizens in our country.

Next year, more people will be selected for this honor. What about you? Can you qualify? The daily life you exemplify in your school is the criterion. Work for character and good citizen-

ship.

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SOPHOMORE CLASS POLE

Girls

Cutest-----Polly Peyton Best dressed-----Levasseur Girls Prettiest blonde-----Marty Gogg Prettiest brunette-----Virginia Culbert Best figure-----Virginia Culbert Prettiest hair-----Diane Hess, Joan Parsons and Virginia Culbert Most fun-----Virginia Culbert Best student-----Jean Carlson Prettiest eyes----Athlyne Simmons Hardest worker -- Dorothy Levasseur and Diane Hess Most interesting ... Athlyne Simmons and Marty Gogg Most friendly and kind-----Virginia Culbert, Onalee Paul and Donna Bailey

Boys

EDISON'S

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INDIANS WIN TWO COMEBACKS

The Indians aian't look like the same team to Manchester when we met them on our own floor Tuesday, February 18. We led all the way and at the half the score was 27-16. The final score was 51-33. Page was high scorer for the evening with 23 points.

Barry Gable pulled the Little Indians through with a charity toss in the last few seconds of the game ending with a score of 31-30. Olmstead led with 15 points.

INDIANS DROP LAST CAGE TILT

The Incians aropped their last scheduled Wa Mac tilt to the Monticello Panthers Friday.

The first quarter which was very fast ended 11 to 9 with Monti on top. The second quarter Monti breezed to a 20 to 13 lead. Typical of the Indians, they came back in the third quarter to show they could really play good ball but Monti managed to stay a few jumps ahead of the Indians. The third quarter ended 31 to 23. Lonnie McConaughy kept the net warm for us by dropping in 19

points making him high man for the Indians and for the game. Benson netted 17 to be high for Monticello.

The Papooses knocked off the Young Panthers 31 to 19. Barrie Gable led all point-getters with 18 points.

VINTON FIGHTS AGAIN

Marion Indians took a hardfought victory from Vinton Wednesday night by a close score of
29 to 28. This was a sectional
game and both teams were out
there to win it. W. Gable, our
flashy guard, decided the game by
dumping in 3 baskets in the last
2 minutes. It was a close one,
but our Indians pulled through. DW

INLIANS DROP TOURNAMENT TILT

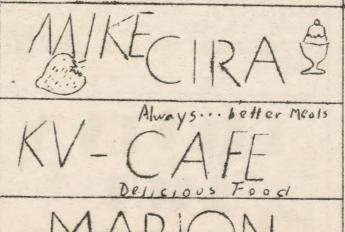
Marion lost its chance to qualify for the district tournament by losing to McKinley Saturay, March 1, 53-37 on McKinley's floor.

The first quarter looked favorable for the Indians as Mc-Kinley trailed 8 to 10. But the Bears came back hot and sank goal after goal while the Indians fought desperately against superior height. Whittemore led the scoring with 10 points. Congratulations to the whole team for a great season:





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