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Honor Roll

Announced

Forty-four students were named to the honor roll this year.

Except for freshmen, all honor roll students maintained a "B" average for the last semester of last year and the first semester of this year for the first semester of this year only.

Ninth Grade--Richard Boss; Betty Ann De
Jong; Pati Ensminger;
Margaret Evans; James
Hayes; Arlen Howe;
Mary Ann Kepros; Arlene Kroening; Marilyn
LeClere; Hugh Leffingwell; William Lundquist; Jean Marchant;
Ruth Roberts; Roberta
Schnell and Sharon Wilson.

Tenth Grade--Edwin Blinks; Edwin Carlson; Jean Frederick and Arline Stroope.

Eleventh Grade-Samuel Baez; Sandra
Blazek; Sue Cary; Teresa Gritzner; Carole
Hamilton; Mary Lou
Nielson; Robert Peck;
Dixie Rathman; Mary
Ann Ross; Willis Schnell and Don Stamy.

Twelfth Grade-Jean Carlson; Floyd
Domer; Lynn Ford; Diane Hess; Jerry Jeffrey; James Jelinek;
Barbara Lazenby; Dorothy Levasseur; Gene
Michel; Lucille Miller;
Kenneth Otting; Onalee
Paul; John Snell and
Dale Williams.

WAMAC

Teams Honored

At the WaMaC Conference Athletic Banquet at Monticello Tuesday, March 22, Marion was presented both WaMaC basketball trophies for the second consecutive year.

Following the dinner, which was served in the Community House, Pops Harrison, the University of Iowa basketball coach, spoke about Murray Wier and the "little guys" on the team. Then the all-conference teams Those were presented. honored with firstteam berths include three Marion players, Lloyd Olmstead, Kenny Otting, and Barrie Gable.

Jack King rated a place on the second team. MAR

Lanky Lloyd All State Forward

Lloyd Olmstead, Marion's star basketball player, has achieved the highest possible honor by being named to the first string, IDPA All State basketball team. Kenny Otting and Barrie Gable, teammates, were given honorable mention.

Lloyd, who was also honored with a berth on the WaMaC all-conference team, rated a position on Jack North's Des Moines Register second team.

During the season, Olmstead tossed 126 buckets through the hoop on 345 attempts for a 36.6 percentage and an average of 14.1 points per game. He scored 86 of his 134 free throw attempts to give him an average of 64.2 percent. His total points scored for the season are 338.

We shall probably be hearing a lot about Lloyd next year when he will be playing for Cornell College.

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Exchange Assembly -Planned-

A return exchange assembly to Mount Vernon High School was planned at a meeting of the Student Council of Marion High School on Friday, March 25. It was decided that some of the members of the Quill Benefit Show would present their skits in this assembly.

Future plans for the planting of a hedge on the high school lawn were discussed.

- Editorial -

The Easter season is rapidly approaching us. Are you ready for it? What does it mean to you? Does Easter mean a new dress or suit? A few days of vacation?

We all know that Easter is the day commemorating the resurrection of Christ. Following the placing of Christ on the cross and in the tomb, his resurrection was hailed as a time of great rejoicing.

Easter to us may be a reawakening-a reawakening of hope, love of our neighbors, and a desire for peace. The world needs an Easter; so does each of us. We need a reawakening-a new birth in the spirit and wisdom of the Prince of Peace.

I do not think of Easter without visualizing the new hats, crowded churches, and white lilies characteristic of our Easter. Then I think of the millions of suffering people of the world-the victims of hate, greed, and desire for power. They are still suffering because of our inability to secure a lasting peace.

We here in Marion, or any town in our country, feel that there is very little we can do to secure this peace. But we can do something. We can get the Easter spirit -- the spirit of friendship and hope. We can spread spirit in our homes, school, community, country, and thus throughout the world--establish the spirit at home, in each of our homes, and keep it throughout the year -use Easter as a milestone along the way and keep on from year to year. Not all the treaties in the world can keep peace as effectively as friendship.

Let this Easter be a special one. Dedicate it and yourself to peace and harmony. Let Easter be a time of true rejoicing at the resurrection of the spirit of Christ.

Boys Offer Entertainment

Have you ever heard a boys quartet switch end for end? and many other things appeared on the Boys' Glee Club program given under the direction of Miss Wilcox on Tuesday, March 29. Billy Hintz and Lyle Fisher told love tales via vocal solos. Sam Baez sang "The Lost and Harold Fulton filled the bill with "Danny Boy." Jim Lang Lyle Fisher played piano solos. The glee club presented many entertaining numbers, including novelty number with John Snell, Gene Michel, and Bob Quinn using their musical instruments.

U. of Iowa Concert

The University of Iowa concert band gave their final performance in the Lincoln band room last Friday night, April 1.

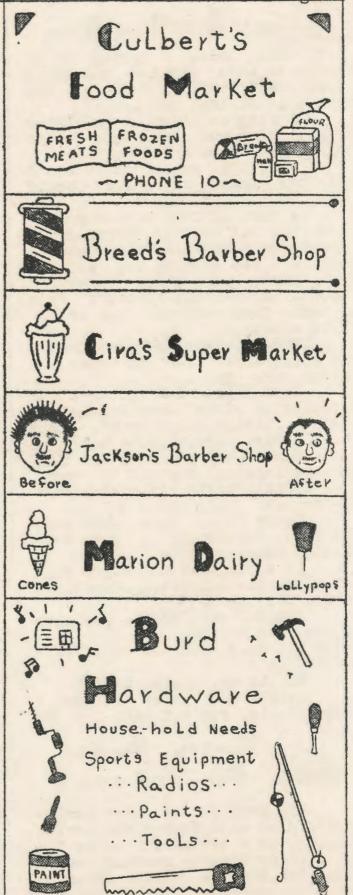
Under the direction of Charles B. Righter, director of the university concert and marching bands, the concert is considered to be one of the musical highlights of the year.

The program was sponsored by the Marion Band Boosters' Club, and the proceeds went into a fund to be used for the purchase of new band uniforms and equipment.

Dramatic Elub Recuperates

After presenting their threeact play, the climax of this year, the Dramatics members are recuperating before deciding upon their plans for next year.

Their play, "Meet Me In St. Louis", was enjoyed by large crowds at both performances. The door prizes were won by Kathryn Hastings and Mrs. Elmer Stamy. Notable mention was given to the star of the play---Sylvester Baughman, the cat.



Is Strolling Along ..

Well. kids, spring fever seems to have invaded the halls (and classrooms) of M. H. S. How about it Gilbert and Lynn??

Spring is also a good time for picnics and such--huh, Willis and Pat? Norma and Bob, too!

Mary Lou seems to be all a flutter these days -- what could have happened to her??

I have it from a good authority that Pat Howe is carrying the torch for a certain junior girl--

what are you waiting for Pat?

Marty is still receiving those interesting letters from Alaska -- they are not from an Eskimo either.

Who is Veda Mae interested in these days? You can never tell about her.

Bill Fisher had quite a few entries of girls from Des Moines in his "little black book". He's sure a fast worker isn't he??

Some music students are certainly looking forward to renewing acquaintances at contest tomorrow.

Nancy Klopp sure looks good in blue--especially a dark blue letter sweater.

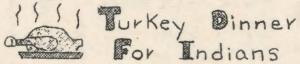
In spring a young man's fancy turns to--in Edwin Carlson's case, Shirley J.

Bob B., why don't you give

Norma H. a break?

Why does Dean B. call Twyla H. "Bones"?

Who is Mr. Louis, Diane? Arline and Billy N. make a cute couple, don't they? MVV



The members of the Marion Lions Club entertained the Marion Indians at a turkey dinner at the K. V. Cafe Tuesday evening, March 29. Bob Brooks, sports director of radio stations KCRG and KCRK, was the guest speaker.



300 Attend

Athletic Banquet

Rollie Williams, assistant athletic director of the University of Iowa, was the guest speaker at the basketball banquet honoring Marion's cage squad April 4, in the Marion gym.

There were approximately 100 seats reserved for the athletes and their parents, coaches, managers, cheerleaders and faculty.

Moving pictures of the Marion-West Liberty sub-state game taken by Robert Palmer, REA manager, was one of the highlights of the program. The Rev. C. V. R. De Jong was toastmaster.

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Spring is finally here. This is the time of year a young girl's thoughts turn to Easter ruffles and frills. I've done a little snooping and found out for myself what you will see this April 17.

Tweeds are as popular as ever. The prominent color for the season is navy blue with kelly green, red, pink, or white accessories.

Milady will wear more flowers and hat on her head this year than ever before. Tams have given way to bonnets and bows.

Don't tell--but one social butterfly will wear a blue suit and a gray topper with gay accessories. Another will wear a suit of black tweed with chic red accessories. There'll be a number of navy dresses with pink or red shorties. From another too. source I hear you'll see a pink dress with

a blue-gray coat, and a pink suit with navy accessories. And still another will have a rose crepe dress.

Whether it be a silk print or wool tweed, mademoiselle will look like spring in full bloom. DLT

Honor Society

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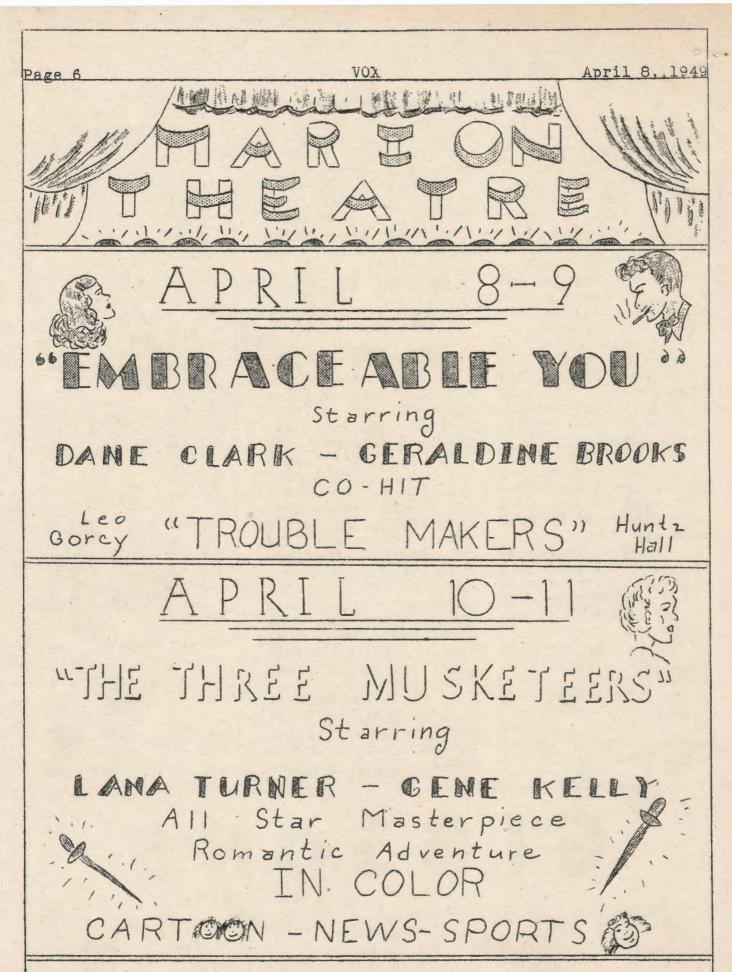
New Members

Delta Sigma Delta, National Honor Society, announced last week its officers and the elected new members. officers are: Jean Carlson, president; Lynn Foru, vice-president; John Snell, secretary; and kenny Otting, treasurer. The new members include: Floyd Domer, Diane Hess, Jerry Jeffrey, Dorothy Levasseur, Gene Michel and Onalee Paul, seniors; and Sue Cary, Barrie Gable, Carole Hamilton, and Mary Ann Ross, juniors.

These new members will be initiated Tuesday evening, April 12, in the Home Economics room. GFM







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