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Shrine Circus

On questioning the students who went to the Shrine circus last week, we found that the students found a variety of things most interesting.

Ronnie Monahan found the circus most interesting and liked the snakes best at the zoo. He had loads of fun.

Paul Clark enjoyed the monkeys, lions and tigers. The monkeys most. He also had loads of fun.

Thelma Mickle enjoyed everything and wants to go again if she gets a chance.

Ernest Snyder liked the elephant that rode the tricycle the best and would like to go again some day.

Tommy Ryan liked the clowns in the car best and had a swell time.

Norman Ellis liked the circus best but enjoyed it all.

Kenneth Satler liked the man which they shot out of the car best. He thought it was all very good.

William McNeil liked the sightseeing on the way up the best, but found all the animals interesting.

Donald Perry liked the circus the best, especially the elephants.

James Padden saw lots of animals that he liked, among them the monkeys, dog and horses. He found the trapeze performers and the bears that rode tricycles fasing.

Louis Clair found most exciting the man who jumped from the 80-foot pole into a barrel of water.

Paul Atwell liked everything and had loads of fun at the zoo, but he enjoyed the circus also. Some of the animals he saw at the circus were swans, monkeys, elephants, bears, alligators, seals, skunks, raccoon, fox, antelope and buffalos.

Janis Hall liked all of the animals which she saw at the zoo.

Ruby Ordiway liked all the wild animals and thinks everyone had a swell time.

We are glad these students could go and had a very nice time. RMB

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Senior Interview

This week's Senior of the week is a tall, blonde haired boy with a brush cut. You've all seen him walking down the halls of ACS and sitting next to you in class and ever ready with a cheery "hello." Have you guessed him yet? Well, just in case you haven't, he's Donald Alan Burger. Don was born in Andover on March 7, 1929.

Among Don's many favorites are:

Food: Chicken.
Movie: "Dragon Seed."
Actress: Greer Garson.
Actor: Cary Grant.
Book: "Riders of the Purple Sage."
Author: Zane Grey.
Pet peeve: Hasn't any.
Sport: Baseball.
Color: Blue.
Subject: Are you kidding?

Don is undecided as to his future vocation, but his present ambition is to graduate from high school in June, 1946. I know you will all join me in wishing him the best of luck in whatever field he chooses. PAL

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If we took as many shots of a sitter as a professional photographer does, we'd be ashamed if we didn't come thru with at least one good picture.

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When the monetary compensation is satisfactory, we complain that the verbal appreciation is inadequate. And vice versa.

Abou Ben Adhem

The following summaries were written by sixth grade pupils:

by Joann Marsh

Abou Ben Adhem had a dream one night. In this dream Ben Adhem imagined that he awoke and saw his room so bright with moonlight that it looked like a lily in bloom. In this dream he was talking to an angel who was writing in a book of gold. Ben Adhem said to the angel: "What are you writing?" The vision raised its head and with a sweet look answered: "The names of those who love the Lord." Then Abou asked "Is mine one of them?" The angel replied, "No, your name is not one of those on the list." Abou spoke more low, but he was not yet discouraged and said, "I pray thee then write me as one of those who love all humanity."

Then the angel wrote and vanished. But she came again the next night with a light that woke Abou from his sleep. The angel showed Abou the names whom love of God had blessed. And what do you think, Abou Ben Adhem's name was at the top of the list.

by Ernest LaFollette

Abou Ben Adhem awoke one night from a dream. There was moonlight in the room, an unusual kind of moonlight, for there was an angel there writing in a golden book. Abou had been very peaceful so he was not afraid. He said to the angel "What are you writing?" The angel calmly raised his head with a pleased look and said, "The names of those who love the Lord." Abou asked the angel if his name was on the list to which the angel replied, "No." But Ben Adhem was still not discouraged. He thought if he was not on the list he could at least be written down as one who loves his fellow men. He told the angel to write him down that way. Before the angel left, it wrote something. Again with a great powerful light it came the next night. It showed him the names whom God had blessed. The angel looked on in great splendor and watched Ben Adhem as he saw that his name was at the top of the list.

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Ag. News

Robert Burger attended the county-wide Dairy Cattle Judging Contest held in Friendship during vacation. About 70 county boys attended. Robert took second place in the older group of judges, getting a score of 510 out of a possible 600 points.

Prof. Harold Williams, 4-H State livestock specialist, was chief judge and explained the judging.

Ronnie Atwell and Robert Marsh also went but neither scored high enough to be awarded a high-scorer ribbon.

Six groups of cattle were judged. Two of Holsteins, two of Ayrshires and two of Jerseys.

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GRADE NEWS

Mrs. Hall's first grade received a new pupil from Buffalo, Terry Monroe.

Mrs. Bennett's second grade has a new bulletin board on flowers. They are studying plants in science.

Miss Baker's grade elected new officers for the Good Citizens League as follows:

President, Ann Marvel; vice-president, Jim Yannie; secretary, Francis Hann; treasurer, Ann Wood. CJB

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BUY A VICTORY BOND!

CHIT-CHAT

Everyone is back to school looking refreshed (??) after a nice vacation. (Some people have to get back from a vacation to get rested up. We're glad that Pat Temple didn't snore in first period study hall.)

Jack Horan is a whiz at thinking up nicknames (especially at ball games), but we know someone who doesn't appreciate them.

Doris Wintemberg and Lila Childs are really good with a 22. But it isn't quite fair, shooting crickets and bumblebees, now, is it girls?

There certainly isn't much news. When asked what they did over Easter vacation, certain people blow on their fingernails, rub them on their shoulders, tip their purple baseball caps at a rakish angle and reply: "Oh, nothin' much." Come, now, fellows.

We hardly recognized Pat Dolan Easter Sunday. High heels and a hat, no less. Oh she did have on a pretty dress too, but we were so astonished to see her all dressed up that we hardly noticed the dress.

Pat Joyce doesn't happen to be the only one that thinks Neil is pretty swell. Ruth Bostick does too, only her's is a different Neil.

And incidentally that's a very pretty ring Joan Baker has around her neck on a pale blue ribbon.

Speaking of rings, something new has been added to Jo Ann Theetge's third finger, left hand. A class ring. (Surprise!)

We'll just bet a dollar that Pat Temple had a swell time over her vacation. And it isn't hard to see why.

We wish Barb Childs would get off that cloud she's on. Every time we turn around, it's "Guess what? Duff's coming home!" You lucky girl, you.

Some day Doris Atwell is going to grow an inch and we're going to tell the world with six-inch headlines.

Phyllis Nye cut her hair and it really looks swell. And we aren't the only ones that think so. Isn't that right, Bill Holt?

This Monday was really blue Monday, after such a pleasant vacation we had to get our report cards.

Well, I'll be creeping up on you next Thursday at the same time. JAT

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Uncle Sam Says

—Son, what you want to do 10 years from now? Go to college, I bet. Sure. Well, if you bought one Savings Bond a month from now till then, you would have $3,000. Would help, wouldn't it? That's just why I want your Dad to keep on putting $18.75 every month into bonds. What say, we talk plain to him like that?

U. S. Treasury Department

Sophomore Symphonies

Well the Sophomores are back in school again. Just a-pitching to see what trouble they can get into.

Was the ten-day vacation too much for Helen Yannie? We see she wasn't in school Monday morning.

Most of the Sophomores were at the baseball game Thursday and a certain girl was yelling her lungs out for, well, we'll let you guess.

"Madge" was very disappointed on Easter Sunday because she was ill. Oh, almost forgot to explain the reason for being disappointed was because it wasn't a school day.

"Pat" would have liked to have shown her skill in administering first aid Thursday when a certain blonde got knocked down at the ball game.

Lila Childs enjoyed herself over Easter vacation with, well if you don't know, get busy, kids and find out.

Phyllis Nye seemed to be enjoying herself in the theater Wednesday night. Did you spend all your vacation like that? You lucky girl!

Jo Ann and "Pat" were amazingly brilliant in history class the other day. They really came up with some wise answers.

As I glance around the room I see the Sophomores hard at work. What did that vacation do to them?

When we received our report cards Monday everybody seemed to be pleased, evidently no red marks for a change.

Rosemary Baker was sick during some of her vacation. The rest of the time she spent in Wellsville.

Joann Baker spent the week in Gowanda, taking care of children. I wouldn't go there too often Joann because it may go to your head.

Ruth Bostick did absolutely nothing but work.

John Bridge stayed at home and worked, by helping to hang wallpaper.

Phyllis and Kathryn worked during Easter vacation.

Doris Atwell worked and she also went to Belmont to a Grange party during Easter vacation.

Dolores Snyder also got ambitious and worked over Easter vacation.

Well I guess I'll put an egg in my shoe and beat it until next week. PD

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The Night

On the misty shores,
Where twilight seeps,
Echoes resound,
In the midst of the deep.

A single bird,
In his lonely flight,
Seeks shelter and refuge,
For his wings thru the night.

The stars have come out,
The moon is above,
No longer the cooing
Of the beautiful dove.

In the mystified stillness,
Of the beautiful night,
All is calm, all is silent,
For you see, it is night.

—Betty Smith

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"Faultless Logic"

"Do you know how to write?"
"Oh, sure, but I never write."
"Why, not?"
"I don't know how to read."

The shoemaker was explaining to a complaining customer the reason for the poor quality of his half-soles. "All the good leather," he said, "is going into steaks."

Freshman Frolics

Who was Mary Ellen Driscoll playing ball with Sunday afternoon? She seemed to be enjoying herself.

The girls in the Senior chorus are actually practicing a lot. They seem to get out of the most important classes.

There seems to be a little competition between a Freshman boy and Dale Green over Teresa Padden. Please boys, let's not have a fight.

We wonder if Ruth Shutt enjoyed the Genesee dance Tuesday night.

Whose this "Red" we heard about?

Did some kids like Social Studies class Monday morning?

Say, we hear Glenora has so many boy friends she doesn't know what to do with them all. Bring some to Andover, Stingy.

We hear some Freshman girls have a crush on a boy staying at Rev. Keller's home.

It seems that "Barb" W. lost Bob G., Sunday night. Where were you, Bob?

All the Freshmen seemed to have a nice Easter vacation.

Did Hattie have fun at the show Thursday night?

Joan Woodruff's chain came off her bicycle. Did you take a fall?

Johnny Baker learned the two-step down at Funcrest Friday night. Dolores is a good skater, isn't she Johnny?

We hear Teddy O'Dell broke up with another one of his loved ones. Sorry, Teddy.

Who is Joan Woodruff's new flame with the two-toned brown car? She soon found out different because he is another girl's flame. "Heap big fire."

Did Reta Goodridge enjoy her vacation in Olean? We hope so.

We hear Evelyn Glover gets three letters a day from Dewey. Is it getting serious?

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Dangerous Dressing

The increased use of mineral oil since the war in salad dressings and also in such foods as salted nuts, potato chips and doughnuts, may have serious nutritional consequences. Results of research carried on by specialists at Cornell University show that mineral oil robs the body of at least two of the fat-soluble vitamines necessary to health and also of two important minerals, calcium and phosphorus.

Unfortunately, few persons have understood the harmful effects mineral oil may have. According to the Cornell food and nutrition specialists, these far outweigh its advantages, for mineral oil prevents the body from making full use of the most important nutrients in food and may lead to deficiency ills.

Soften Water — Save Soap

If you want to make your laundry soap go farther — and who doesn't these days of soap shortage — don't use it to try to soften hard water. Soap was not designed for this purpose, so it's expensive when used this way. Instead, let a commercial softener, or ordinary sal soda, do the job. Scientists have proved that you can save fully one-half of your laundry soap if you use softened water.

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Has a woman who knew that she was well-dressed ever caught a cold?