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Editorial

by Mary Ellen Corwin

The Disappearing Language

How often do you hear someone speak, and then wonder what he has said? I'm sure it is quite often. We are all guilty of some assault upon the American language. No one who has lived in the United States for most of his life speaks English, but a great percentage no longer even speak American. Our every day speech consists of "yabbut's", "doncha's", and sundry other nonexistent, but much-used vocabulary.

Another attack made constantly is the horrible grammar usage such as "Was you", "They was", "Can I", "to who", and "if I was you". Imagine the difficulty of a foreigner whose recently taught English does not at all coincide with what he hears.

Perhaps we shall continue on our path to limited gibberish, but I hope that we realize how ignorant our poor English makes us seem.

Feature

Hi-Herald Poll

by Mary Howland

Recently a poll was conducted for the "Hi-Herald" in which the high school students and faculty were given a chance to express their opinion on the Presidential Election. For the first question the A.C.S. voters were asked to select one Democrat whom they would like to see win the 1968 Presidential Election. In this category they were given a choice of Lyndon B. Johnson, Robert F. Kennedy, Eugene McCarthy, Hubert H. Humphrey or George Wallace. Roughly sixty-seven percent of the students expressed Robert F. Kennedy as their choice with second place held by Eugene McCarthy with fifteen percent of the vote. The faculty gave forty-percent of their vote to Hubert H. Humphrey. The student voters preferred the younger image over the older look.

The second question on the poll was like the previous one except the choices were Republicans Nelson Rockefeller, Ronald Reagan, and Richard Nixon. The student voters selected Richard Nixon with fifty-three percent of the vote and secondly Nelson Rockefeller with twenty-six percent. The faculty's choice was Richard Nixon who had sixty-four percent of the vote and their second selection was Nelson Rockefeller with twenty-five percent. On this question both students and faculty favored Nixon.

The last question put to the A. C. S. voters was to write their opinion on whom the people of the United States will elect as their next President. Fifty-six percent of the students thought that Robert F. Kennedy would become our next President. Their next most wanted individual was Richard Nixon with fifteen percent. There were also two student's votes cast for Pat Paulsen. The faculty's selection was Richard Nixon with forty-four percent of the vote while Hubert Humphrey and Bobby Kennedy each received twenty-two percent.

It should be understood that this poll was all in fun, but actually it will be interesting to see how well the faculty and students predict the results of the 1968 Presidential Election.

Teen Time

Last Saturday, June 1, from 10:00 to 11:00 there were two students from Andover who conducted Teen Time on WLSV. The two on the radio were Jesse Grossman and David Baker, both eighth graders. The alternates were Julie Baker and Gus Weber, seventh graders.

David and Jesse did a very good job and are to be congratulated.

Trees weakened by drought, especially the slow-growing varieties such as beech, sugar maple, and white oak, require from three to four years to regain normal growth patterns.

Final And Regents Examination Schedule June 1968

Report 10 Minutes early for all Exams

Regents Exams 9:00 - 12:00
1:00 - 4:00
School Exams 8:45 - 11:45
12:45 - 3:45

Thursday, June 13

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Eng. 4, Soc. Stud. 9, Soc. Stud. 10, Eng. 7, Soc. Stud. 8.

P. M.

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Math 11, Bkbp., Ele. Alg., Music 7, Home Ec. 8, Home Ec. 7, Shop 7, Shop 8.

Friday, June 14

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Span. I, Spanish II, Metal Shop, Wood Shop, Gen. Math., Home Ec. 2, Latin I, Eng. 8.

P. M.

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Gen. Shop, Math 7, Art 8, Eng. III Voc., Eng. IV Eng., Eng. III Local.

Monday, June 17

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Comprehensive English (R), Typing (R), English 2, Gen. Sci., Span. 7 & 8.

P. M.

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Bus. Arith (R), Math 10 (R), Mech. Drg., Home Ec. 3, Science 7.

Tuesday, June 18

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes World Hist. (R), Am. Hist. (R), Am. Hist. & World Back (R), Eng. 9B, Eng. 9A, Soc. Stud. 7, Science 8.

P. M.

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Typing, Music 8, Int. to Bus., Adv. Art, Soc. Stud. 11, Span. III (R), Ele. Alg. (R).

Wednesday, June 19

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Biol. (R), Chem. (R), Math 8, Health, Shorthand II & Trans. (R).

P. M.

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Bus. Law (R), Physics (R), Home Ec. I.

Thursday, June 20

Table with 2 columns: Exam Name and Time. Includes Math 12A, Gen. Art, Latin II (R).

P. M.

Senior Interview

The V.I.P. of this week is Robert Eugene Post. His guardians are Mr. and Mrs. William Brady.

"Bob" was born July 18, 1950 and has two brothers, Roger and Richard and a sister, Beth. Prior to "Bob's" life in Andover, he got his schooling in Friendship, Bolivar and Wellsville.

"Bob's" school activities include Concert Band, four years; All County Band, one year; Choir, two years; Dance Band, two years; Soccer, one year; basketball, two years; baseball, two years. "Bob's" favorite hobbies include football and soccer.

In the future "Bob" hopes to join the Air Force and then enter college.

Senior Interview

The Senior interviewed this week is Dale Robert Polmateer, the son of Mrs. Mary Polmateer. Dale was born on October 9, 1950. Dale has two brothers, Thomas and David, and three sisters, Teresa, Elizabeth and Mary Jo.

Throughout school Dale has majored in Math and Science. He has also been very active in sports, having participated in soccer, one year and basketball four years. He was a member of the high school choir for two years. He was named as an alternate for a Regents Scholarship and he had the honor of receiving a Letter of Commendation because of his scores on the National Merit Scholarship Tests.

Dale's plans for next year are to attend Alfred University to major in History. We all wish him the best of luck.

Cafeteria Menu

June 10 - 14

MONDAY: Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, Vegetable, Bread and Butter, Cake and Milk.

TUESDAY: Split Pea and Bacon Soup, Vegetable Soup, Sandwich, Fruited Jello and Milk.

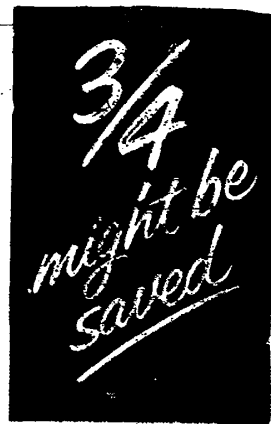
WEDNESDAY: Hot Chicken Sandwich, Vegetable, Pudding and Milk.

THURSDAY: Vegetable Beef Stew and Biscuits, Vitamin Sticks, Pudding and Milk.

FRIDAY: Tuna Noodle Casserole, Beets, Bread and Butter, Fruit and Milk.

Open

Teachers having a test administered in more than one room, please assign students to a room before test date.



Colon-rectum cancer strikes 73,000 Americans each year. Three-quarters might be saved by early diagnosis and proper treatment.

Have a "procto" as part of your annual checkup.

American Cancer Society logo

Senior News

The 1968 Yearbook may still be purchased. A deposit of \$2.00 down and \$2.16 when they arrive is necessary. The Yearbook will be in soon, so be sure to get one of the best Yearbooks ever published.

Jack Spratt enjoyed making money, and his wife enjoyed spending it, so they had nothing to fight about.

Flowering shrubs such as forsythia, spirea, deutzia, and lilac should be pruned after blooming.

REMEMBER THOSE YOU LOVED WITH A MEMORIAL GIFT TO THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

UP COUNTRY DON'T KNOCK IT!... IN SOME PARTS OF THE WORLD... FRIED SNAKE AND MONKEY BRAINS IS A RARE DELICACY!!

YOUR HEALTH TODAY BY ARTHUR A. FISCHL, M.D., F.A.C.P. MEDICAL DIRECTOR / GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE

Boil - and Trouble

A source of considerable pain and discomfort is the local skin infection commonly called a boil. It is considered most often to be medically insignificant, but occasionally - if the condition is neglected, or if improper methods are applied - the boil may develop more serious consequences.

What's the origin and course of development of the boil? Always present on the surface of the skin are varieties of bacteria - among them the staphylococcus. When a particular skin area is subject to repeated irritation - around the neck line because of a tight collar, or around the belt line, or around the nails of the fingers or toes - an opening develops in the skin surface through which the bacteria enter.

The area becomes red and swollen, as a result of the body's natural defenses. There is an increase in the supply of blood to the infected zone. White blood cells engulf the bacteria, to destroy the staphylococcus organism and prevent its growth. This process is called phagocytosis.

If the body's resistance is more powerful than the offending organism, these phagocytic substances are either dissolved in the area or are extruded by the formation of pus. Should the body's resistance be poor, the infection may spread to deeper surrounding areas, creating an abscess. If the invading organism is a more virulent germ, or if a person's resistance is low, blood poisoning or sepsis may develop. This is a most critical condition, requiring the application of appropriate antibiotics and emergency care.

As in any form of disease, good health habits to prevent infection are the best form of treatment. Areas of the skin which are subject to extra irritations should be kept as clean as possible and needless sources of irritations such as tight collars and tight belts should be adjusted. When hands are being manicured, or when nails are simply being trimmed, careful washing of the fingers and sterilization of the cutting tools by dipping them in alcohol, are useful and effective precautions.

If a boil does begin to develop, what you don't do is equally important to what you do. Never squeeze a boil or blackhead. Such "treatments" by unskilled hands can break down nature's protective mechanism, driving the invading organism deeper into adjacent tissues.

You can aid nature's defenses by applying antibiotic ointment or hot wet dressings. These measures help soften the tissue and help bring more blood to the area, while the antibiotic may help prevent the entry of new germs into the infection site.

If a boil grows in size, it should receive professional medical attention. If any boil develops in a diabetic patient, or one suffering any impairment of blood supply, competent medical attention should be sought very early, because the spread of infection can proceed rapidly in such persons.

The boil, as a medical problem, need not be a major source of concern - except when neglect or carelessness enables it to develop to serious proportions.