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BURLEY CANCELS APRIL FOOL DANCE

The April Fool Dance will be indefinitely postponed according to an announcement made last night by James R. Burley, chairman of the dance committee.

BURLEY EXPLAINS

In explaining this action, Mr. Burley stated that due to the present financial condition the country and to the closing of the banks, it was necessary to curtail any unnecessary expenses.

BURLEY REGRETS

"I regret the forced postponment of the dance more than anyone else," said Mr. Burley, with a rye smile, "but I felt that this radical action was absolutely imperative. Due to the dance being called off, I shall have little or no excuse to call on Juanita Burkhammer, but never let it be said that a Burley had a faint heart, I shall call without an excuse."

ORGANIZATIONS FOLLOW

Following Mr. Burley's example all organizations have made plans to do without entertainment. This means that there will be no junior-senior prom.

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SATURDAY EVE'G
APRIL 1st, 1933.

8:00 O'CLOCK ADM. 10-15¢

RADIO CRUISER GOES TO RIOT

Cruiser No. 74 of the Akron Police Radio Patrol was rushed to the Springfield Lake district late Tuesday night, March 28, upon the report of a riot in a private home.

No arrests were made, according to Seargent Dwight Myers of the 414th precinct Police Station, as the riot had been dispersed before the cruiser arrived.

In investigating the cause of the riot, Seargeant Myers discovered that the disturbance was caused by a group of girls. Report was later made that the girls were from Springfield High School and had been having a meeting of one of their clubs, The Haromano Club. At this time the members of another, The Hi-Y Club, had stolen the girl's ice cream. The criminals had boldly admitted their guilt and had been routed from the meeting only by force of arms on the part of the members of the Haromano Club.

FIRE BUG SUSPECTED BY CHIEF CLARK

The fourteenth mysterious fire in the Springfield Lake district was reported by Fire Chief Jessie M. Clark this morning.

Chief Clark refused to divulge the name of the suspect, but it is thought by members of the fire department that the fire bug is the notorious Elizabeth Reed, lately released from Sawyer Prison.

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A NEW BAR TENDER

If the light wine and beer bill is passed in Ohio, the principal's job will be changed to chief stein slinger.

An extra course in pretzel bending will be included along with the regular courses, and will be taught by Miss Whalen.

Mr. Hadfield will be put on a special rationed diet. The reason is quite obvious.

Mrs. Slife is to be a special entertainer. She will charm the students with her songs and the dance of the seven vialls. (Oh, yeah?)

Mr. Myers wants to be a farmer, because he says, "Prosperity may come back by leaps and bounds, but I have more faith in HOPS."

Miss Mitchell is to be the "cig" girl because of her niffty."

Mr. Simmermacher will flavor the crowds with a classical toe dance.

Mr. Clark will be the offical bouncer and Miss Mellinger will be the chief keg and bottle washer.

All the pupils are asked to spend their time at the S.H.S. bar as their beer will be only 4½ scents a glass. (Ummmmmmmmmm)

For the opening date of the bar, watch the bulletin board.

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P PHOOEY!

Another lemon has come up in the junior class at the last meeting. A gingham and overhaul prom was suggested. This idea may be a novelty to others, but is is just a crimp in the junior's style of doing things.

A prom is a prom whoever puts it on and under any conditions. When people try to make a joke of it, it ceases to be a prom.

Since this is the last of the important events that the juniors can do for the seniors, it should be carried on in the best possible manner under the prevailing conditions.

Think it over, juniors, before making up your minds.

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FLICKINGER RESPONDS TO S.O.S

In response to an urgent SOS sent out last week by Mrs. Dorothy Slife, popular blonde faculty member, C. A. Flickinger this week sent out two student teachers, Mr. Winston Frost and Miss Edythe Avery, to help her do last summer's dishes.

(Now continue)

esiuoL cums to the resq again."Hear is 10 dollars fer yer ef yer'll onlie hurrie", sez she.

So the sheriff puton hiz kesmonie and hiz tennis shoos, adjusted his false tooth and his glass i, ankered on his wig, tightend his kork laig and called his wife for the witnesses.

"Do yoo take this yere woman ter be yer's?" asts the minnistr.

"Yis", replys yaR, "i due, only ther s I kondishun--I don't intend to do any dishes or wash any --er--clothes".

"Do yer promise to do all er the dishes and not to feed this man your fust pan er biskits?"

"Yes, I do, but hee has ter promise not ter poke fun erbout mie bisquts and not youse mie pankakes fer haff souls", reply's --one of m.

Well, this rooteen is gone ovr about 3 times and they all pile in the packhard. Just about 3 miles frum the beeyutiful city of lake-More, lehtE ses, "Well, yrrah, its all over--wherll welive?--let's lif in Splityerwood, it's so peecful --

"What do ye mean--we? I dint merry you did I? I thot it was esiuoL" replys yrraH.

"No,ser-'twan't me--I merried thgiwD", ses esiuoL.

"Mee, sae--'t'want mee, yoo merried--yoo merried yaR", pipes up thgiwD.

Meenwhile amleht and dnomyar were a settin in the grumble seat talkin' & purrin' jist so serous-like.

"Sae, wat yoo too doin back there", ses thgiwD, "I merried yoo almeht, yer better not start that areddy."

"Well, you'r nertz, nertz,-- if yer married her, she's got too husbands, cause eye did two. Yer a pollygammist".

"Booh hoob", crys lehte--"no body wants me--I don't know hoo I maryed--but I thot sure it war yoo, yaR".

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All's Et--Botch the Wordie--Camera!

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NOTICE: Readers may depend on the news on this page, regardless of the April Fool contents of the rest of the issue. Use your own judgment about the ads., however.

ORATORICAL CONTEST TO BE HELD AT COVENTRY TONIGHT

Tonight, Friday, March 31, the southern section of the county will meet in its oratorical contest. Schools participating will be Coventry, Springfield, Norton, Tallmadge, Mogadore, Greensburg, Clinton, and Copley.

Springfield's representative is Virginia Myers, who won first place over four other local contestants. Janet Richards was second, Bennis Grable, third, Evelyn Tovey, fourth and Loretta Conley, fifth.

FRESHMAN CLASS PRESENT FROLICS TODAY

Today finds the freshmen in their first dramatic program before the assembly. The pupils offer a mixed program of music and entertainment. A small charge of five cents is to be collected from those willing to attend, the purpose being to raise the class's pledge toward the Annual.

GROUP PICTURES TAKEN FOR ANNUAL

Lucerne Studios of Canton, photographers for the Red and Gray, Thursday and Friday took group pictures of the various classes and organizations.

ADDITIONAL BRIEFS

Marian Markle took first place and Della Gough second place in the high school elimination contest and will represent Springfield High in the county contest Saturday at Akron.

The grade school representativ from the township are Alice Mae Eve of Springfield eighth, and Donald Arnold of Sawyerwood. The alternat speller is Opal Wigner of Roosevelt

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Many subscriptions have been turned in to date, but the Annual cannot possibly be published unless there are a great number of business contributions.

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A new pupil, Opha Queen, sophomore, entered SHS this week from Kent State high school.

Robert Burley was painfully hurt by a fall in the gym. Thursday P. M.

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EXCHANGES

Sing Sing, N.Y. Prisoner #13 has escaped; measures up to the description of a timid young man by the name of Harry A. Simmermacher. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts please notify prison. No reward.

Glib Long, W. Va.- The new capital of West Va. has just been announced. It is Akron.

Tinkling Toes, Mogadore.- There is at least one ethereal land in Ohio. It is heaven preceded by horse. Figure it out for myself.

Columbus Pen.- Hitler has been named the new dictator over the obstinate elderly men. Welcome, Hitler!

Coventry, N. Y. Tommy Taylor is said to be engaged to Berniece Whims of Springfield, Mass.

MAYBE IT'S L'AMOUR

"Ζώη μοῦ, σᾶς ἀγαπῶ" dis-toi. L'amour es une grande chose. So say says the young man to his girl friend, [illegible], while sitting on the park bench gazing at the moon. Il dit, "Ego amo tu. Donnez-moi une baiser." "Ah, nothin' doin', quit your kiddin'." eshay aidsay. Donnez-moi i icee, nee, son, she, go, roka, heetchee, hitchee, coo, zoo, donc."Si, si, senor, ich lieb dich."

"The best shave in any language"

A new terror has invaded the school. The secret organization called the Chiselers Club has been holding the school in its power for many weeks.

Beware!!!! The'chiselelers' lurk in every corner. They hold you up every minute, take your last bite of candy, your only sheet of paper, your prepared lessons, and never a thank you. The number of depredations has grown.

Come all you loyal non-members,--"Sh--, here comes one now. Quick, Mr. Lynch, the Flit!"

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NEW RULES AND REGULATIONS EFFECTIVE APRIL 3, 1933

In order to eliminate unnecessary confusion around the building, it has been deemed advisable to adopt the following additional rules and regulations:

1. All classrooms are to remain open until 8:30 and 12:30 respectively, at which time teachers are expected to be present tossent pupils out of the rooms and lock the doors until 12:00 noon.

2. Loitering in the corridor is to be prohibited before the hour of 7:30 and after 8:30 p.m.

3. Scuffling and running and all forms of rough house are permissible as long as you pay your own doctor bills.

4. Pupils who eat lunch elsewhere than at home or in the cafeteria must be back at school at 4:00. Penalty for failures to do this is to be back at 12:45.

5. Classroom doors are to be closed on the ringing of the third bell but pupils will be admitted anytime between the ringing of the third bell and the close of the period and excuses are not necessary.

6. Defacment of desks will be permissible providing the defacing is artistic, and permanent.

7. Students are not allowed to take machine guns to class. They must be parked in the cafeteria before the ringing of the last bell. bell.

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Complaints

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Bread Iam Leitky

BRIEFS

the freshies after challenging thee seenors too a spilling contest wer beeten badlee las frydee. the southomous beet the june-ors tewsdee. the southomous are a goin two trie and beet the seenors sumtime this weak.

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the high-why held a "hopp" at the schoohouse last frydee nite. it was a huge suckseas except fore sum damages dun to sum furmuture whitch the high-why boys pade for.

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all frexhies are to be invited to the junior-senior "Promenade" which is to be held in the Madison Square gardens in Massilon.

Ve talk about the"chuslers" in dis school,vell I should maybe suggest dat ve look in der way of der girls wot stencil tickets for der different classes so dey might have a free ticket.

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THE STORY WITHOUT A NAME

While still yit under the influence of the hily romantick atmosfear off the high-why danse last frydee nite, W. esinoL, m. thgiwd, m.amleht, s. yrrah, m lehte, and h. dnomyar escaped the crowd and sped in s'amleht chevlerot on there weigh to Marryland. Why? well, their yoo can git mar'd without yore p'rents consent, uno. Well, as I wuz sayin they got to the piece justice's house and stopt outside the gait.

"Yer go in (hic) and waik him mup", ses yar.

"Nah (hic) yer go in, Ime 2 (hic) sleepy", replys yrrah.

"Well, weel alll go innnnn", settles esinol, which they did.

"Wee, wee, wee- well,--wee wee, wee--wanna get--murder--married", stammers yrrah.

"Well, this is a nice time er nite ter git a feller outer bed fer a little thing like thet", replys the preecher. "I jist bet yer all a runnin' away from home, haint cha? I've a good nosion not ter narry yer atall--well, how much munney haf yer got, 'nd how menny of yer air their?"

"1, 2, hic, 4, 5, hic,--well thiers sixks off us", says yrrah, "and I got 10 sense left from thet last big pey sheck (hic) we gott."

"Well, I got 35 sents left frum mine, and thgiwd, hees the mos' savinest one off awl, hes got too dollers", hic's dnomyar.

"Too dollars and 45 sense, Y, I wouldn't put in my false teeth fer thet much, let alone sayin all that stuff fer yez," the cunstable interrupps.

And just then, perzactly,

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Well, they got cleer back ter Cutyerwood and they called up Maryland ter thee be-spatted constable.

"What, he ain't there" skree ms amleht. "We'll haff to go back down their tonite."

So-----o! They went that nite only not so happy, the girls war all weepin' & cryin an the min wer all a shiveren & ahopin.

They nocked at the same door and noone cum. They went next dore and a big fat man cum to thee dore she was drest in green pajamas & a ornge cote & wuz so skinny u cd c rt throo him.

"What, the preecher next door,--say, thae took him to Massln this mornin',-he warn't no preecher, he war a loony-tick, hoo'd escapt from the silum".

Jist then a big sie of releaf wuz heard, and they all went on there weigh, all uf s'lehtE hopes gone. (Then she woke up)!!!

WEE WONDER -- Why the Blizzard & the "Frost" both arrived on the same day. Ask Paul Freeze.

And why all the senior boys have their English lessons these days. They think she's Avery nice miss.

COMPLAINTS BY

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Goot himmel but you shoult be here rite now. Sich sights you hafe never sawed before. I would bet a knickel that every female in dis school has der hair stuck down on der head mit dot stuff vot is called gooey, and dot is sure vot it is, too, gooey!!! Dey look chust like a bundh of skinned monkeys, vich dey is.

Vell, darlink it ain't long till headache times comes. I haf a class to go to in chust about vun minute. Gootbye.

Your fren,
HANS

P.S. I tink dot dis paper is chust about de burries dis time don't you? It is called de foolish baper but I tink dere is foolisher beople wot make it.

Gootbye again
"Ditto"

P.S. anoder time. Oy, oy, I vish you cud see der new teachers wot ve got here at der school. Dey is from der big school wot is called Kent State University. Dey is called student teachers but dey sure don't act like der students, dey acts more like der teachers. Sich monkey busenis!

So long some more,
Me Yet

She laid the still white form among the others. There was not a sound. She was very serious and quiet. She strutted away very solemnly. She would lay another egg tomorrow.

"SPRING FEVER"

Some poets say that in the spring time a young man's fancy lightly turns to love, but at Springfield it seems to work a little differently. The several consolidated companies such as the Goss-Manley and the Markle-McIntyre, that were thick this winter quickly dissolved when spring stuck its head around the corner and with spring came new lovely visions of womanhood. It breaks the heart of the student body to see such beautiful friendships thrown to the four winds and our sympathy is with both companies.

STUDENTS' DICTIONARY

Frozen assets--Chilly little donkeys.
Polygon--Dead parrot.
Scholar--You wear it around your kneck.
Science--What you see on bill boards.
Home--Original filling station.
Study hall--Where you catch up with lost sleep.
Waste basket--Interior of study hall desk.
Haromano--Why boys leave Hi-Y.
City--You live on it.
Buoy--What girls anchor to.
Afresh--A first year high school student.

Kinney: Hey, Lennox, your mouth's open.
Lennox: I know it. I opened it.

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