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Homecoming dance, Friday October 5

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HOMECOMING DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

NORTON COMES FOR HOMECOMING GRID CONTEST FRIDAY

Springfield plays host to its old rival, Norton high, this week on Friday afternoon in its annual homecoming football game.

Two years ago the largest crowd ever to attend a local football contest came out for the meeting between these two schools.

The game this year will probably be witnessed by a banner aggregation from both schools. The rivalry is exceptionally keen, as last year's contest resulted in a 6-6 tie. It was Norton's first time ever to score on Springfield.

The local team, after the trimming they handed Stow last week, is all set for another victory. Perhaps the student body does not realize it yet, but it is also out for county league honors.

The Norton team will not be underrated by Coach Workman's cohorts, even though it has been defeated by both Northfield and Greensburg this year.

Mr. E. J. Tabler, principal at Lakemore last year, is the new high school principal at Norton this year. This together with the fact that our own principal came from Norton, gives this homecoming contest added significance.

STAFF MEMBER MARRIED

The secret is out. One of the members of the Sprag Staff is married. Vivian Lutz, circulation manager, was married to Lawrence Stiff, class of 1934, last Saturday night. Congratulations, kids.

ROOSEVELT HEARS TAX TALKS

Mr. Ray Marsh, president of the school board, and Mr. Oakley Spaght, member of the Ohio General assmebly talked on the tax situation at the Roosevelt P-T A last

Complimentary tickets given to Norton Squad and Coach

Springfield high school holds its first major social event in the form of a homecoming dance Friday, October 5.

This is to be sponsored by the Hi-Y Club, which will receive 40% of the proceeds. The other 60% will go into the fund to provide a new sousaphone (bass horn) for the band.

Complimentary tickets have been issued to the Norton squad and their coach and principal. A gala time has been arranged for everyone.

President Leroy Spires has appointed Max Kemmerline and Hearl Lee Morris to be in charge of the evening's entertainment.

Dancing will be indulged in from 8:30 to 12:00 to the sweet and hot tunes of Al Lamonica's orchestra.

Those who desire may play cards. Door prizes will be given away.

Buy your tickets now from any of the Hi-Y boys. Let's make this the biggest and best affair of the year.

MRS. CARTWRIGHT GIVES TALK

On last Thursday morning the separate groups of boys and girls in this high school were privileged to hear a talk by Mrs. Cartwright, member of the Ohio State Department of Health.

Her timely remarks were well received by the students. She was accompanied by Miss Booth of the county health department.

DATE CHANGED FOR ELLET GAME

Since both Springfield and Ellet high were found to have an open date on Saturday, October 20, the game originally scheduled for November 17 has been moved up to that date. This will be Springfield's third home game. Ellet has consequently scheduled Suffield for its

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COACH'S COMMENTS

"The Stow game is over and our next "tough" game is Norton. We shall continue to play our games as they come, expecting each one to be just a little more difficult than the last.

"Every team has its don' day. It may not look like a ball club in one game, then turn in a surprise win the next.

"The test of a real football team and of every individual player is consistency. Watch your team, and each player. Pick out the consistent tackler, blocker and runner. If your team is consistent, it will win."

----So saith the coach.

A SOLEMN PROMISE

Each and every member on the Springfield high football squad made a solemn promise to their coach and to one another that for the re mainder of the season there is to be no more smoking.

Five members of the squad admitted that they have been breaking training rules in this manner.

With their promise to refrain having been made, the school and community are assured of one of the best trained teams in the county league.

The students should do all in their power to encourage these boys in keeping their promise. As representatives of the school, they should make a fine showing in every game this year.

Next time you eat out---Try

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THE ZERO HOUR

(With apologies to Longfellow)
--James Shepherd

Between the dark and the daylight
When the day was beginning to dawn,
Came a violent break in my slumbers
And I know my freedom was gone.

I heard in my thinker above me
The patter of little thoughts;
The thoughts of a course that was open
In chemistry--symbols and dots.

From my dressing I saw in the foreground
And stretching away to the spring
Geometry, English and history
Like panthers ready to spring.

A whis per and then a silence
The clouds have begun to fall.
And before the course is over
We shall have fought with them all

Do you think you nasty old wretches
Just because you have ruined a nice fall.
Such a brilliant group as we
Are not a match for you all.
The memories of dear old Springfield
From them we shall never depart.
But lock them up in a store room.

There will we keep them forever.
Yes forever and a day.
Until the walls shall crumble,
And moulder in dust away.

SPRINGFIELD DOWNS STOW

The Springfield football team started their conference football season, Saturday with a 26 to 0 victory over Stow. This was the first time in two years a Springfield team has beaten Stow.

Hearl Lee Morris starred in this game with three touchdowns and many plunges through the right side of the line. Beech also scored a touchdown. Arnold converted the extra points. Smart and Simpson were plugging away consistently for gains.

The Stow team made but two first downs in this game--one of which was a completed pass against the first team, and the other a long end run against the second stringers in comparison to Springfields 11 first downs.

The whole squad did nice work against the Stow team and deserve congradulations. Lets' keep both feet on the ground and go the same way against Norton this week to make it a grand homecoming game.

Springfield	Pos.	Stow
Iglehcart	le	Anderson
Donovan	lt	Gaylord
Riley	lg	Monteith
Bair	c	Bishop
Walk	rg	Coleman
Lamburg	rt	Stein
Arnold	re	Carlson
Morris	q	Nickerson
Smart	lh	Fritz
Simpson	rh	Murray
Beech	f	Edwards

Score by quarters:

Springfield	6	6	7	7	-- 26
Stow	0	0	0	0	-- 0

Touchdowns--Morris 3, Beech. Try for point--Arnold 2.

Substitutions: Austin, Hazle, Heddleston, Snyder, Brewer, Hendershot Richards, Mellion, Krohmer, Weaver. Roy.

Stow: Jacobs, E. Wyant, P. Wyant, Troesch, Wilbur, McCloskey.

Rerefee; Schlemmer
Headlinesman: Kidder

VARSITY "S" ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED

A meeting will be held Thursday noon to form a much needed Varsity "S" association. All athletes who have in the past earned a letter "S" are to attend.

One of the purposes of such an organization will be to check up on the keeping of training ru rules by members of an athletic squad.

Coach Workman will preside at the meeting, which will be held in the Activity room.

BUY YOUR TICKETS THURSDAY

Football tickets for Friday's game with Norton will go on sale Thursday only at reduced prices--10¢ for students, 20¢ for adults. This plan is followed out instead of issuing Season tickets.

Friday's prices will be 15¢ and 25¢, the county league established price.

RESULTS LAST WEEK'S GAMES

SPRINGFIELD	26	Stow	0
Greensburg	12	Norton	7
Bath	7	Northfield	0
Coventry	20	Doylestown	0
Hudson	6	Chagrin Falls	0

Games this Week

Norton	at	Springfield
Greensburg	at	Bath
Copley	at	Stow
Aurora	at	Hudson
Coventry	at	Hartville

Hearl Lee Morris holds the record as high scorer in the county league to date--18 points.

SQUAD INVITED TO AKRON U. FOOTBALL GAME

The football squad has been extended an invitation to attend the Akron University-Baldwin Wallace football game at Buchtel Field on Saturday, Nov. 17. Below is given the complete Zipper home schedule: Kent, Friday night, October 5; John Carrol, November 3; Heidelberg, Nov. 10; Baldwin Wallace, Nov. 17; Mount Union, Nov. 24.

HAROMANO NEWS

THE following prospective members of Haromano will be initiated Tuesday, October ninth at the home of Ruth McCulty: Lillian Johnson, Ruth Slevin, Noami Adkins, Mary K. Pryor, Betty Jo Criag, Dorothy Yerrick, and June Anderson.

The seven were selected for membership because of their pep and willingness to work.

The present officers of Haromano are Bell Richards, Pres; Mary F. Myers, Vice Pres.; Marjory Markle, Sec.; and Marie Wiseman, Treas. Norma Jean Shaffer is assistant secretary.

BAND MAY PLAY

It is expected that with but four rehearsals the S. H. S. band, under the direction of Mr. Kick will play for the homecoming football game this Friday.

New music has been purchased for both band and orchestra among which is an arrangement of "Carmen Ohio" (known to you as our "Alma Mater"). It may not arrive in time to be played this Friday but will be worked on for future games.

JUNIOR NEWS

The Junior battle is over. The strikes have all been settled. The jackets will be maroon and gray with a ship for the emblem.

The dues will be fifteen cents a month.

Clifford Flege is back again. He was injured in the football game at the Falls.

ALUMNI ACTIVITIES

Only a few of the activities of the class of '34 were issued in the last Sprag. Here are some more: Louise Dye, Central; Ed. Hazle, night work, Akron U; Ed. Manley, Lakemore Dry Cleaning; Evelyn Iden, Crystal Lake; Irene Haught, G. I. U. Margaret Hough, Central High; Leona Whims, Central High; Lestel Goss, Dr. Vance's office; Lucille Brown Hammel B. College; Edith Shoemaker, Actual B. College; Garland Milhoan, Weiland's; Robert App, G. I. U.

The class of '34 has also organized and chosen Lester Albright as president.

A weiner roast was held at Crystal Lake with Evelyn Iden acting as hostess.

GLEE CLUB AND CHORUS

The Mixed Chorus and the Girls Glee Club made their initial appearance last Thursday during chapel, and showed great promise considering the short period of practice which they have had.

The musical organizations are considering the prospects of giving an operetta before Christmas. Two or three of such musical creations are under consideration but there has been no definite arguements pro or con.

New Music has arrived.

The dramatic club is finally in motion after several false starts. Tuesday noon Mr. Simmermacker was elected club advisor.

He has not yet definitly decided to accept. Pres. Alta Kurtz; Vice Pres. Louis Mellion; Sec. James Shepherd; Treas. Lucille Walker. It has been suggested by members to make more of a social club of it and meet in the evening at different homes or at the school.

AUSTIN RE-ELECTED.

At the first senior class meeting held Tues. Sept. 25 the class voted to have the same officers that were in office last year. Robert Austin was re-elected Pres. Geraldine Hitchley Vice Pres. Sec. and Treas. Marie Wiseman.

Max Kemmerline, Marjorie Markle and Louis Mellion were appointed to select a class play.

Alumni Activities-concluded

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KRUMROY GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

The total enrollment of Krumroy Grade School is 284. Thirty-one are eighth graders.

This year's staff of teachers includes: Dallas Fraley, principal Mrs. Ross, Mrs Nichols, Mrs. Saxe, Mrs. Henry, and Mrs. Cooper.

Fewer free books were furnished than at any other grade school in the township.

Krumroy P. T. A. holds its meetings the third Thursday of each month. Mrs. Colley is the president. Other officers are: Mrs. Ralph Walker, Vice President; Mrs. Edgerly, Secretary; Mrs. Warner, Treasurer; Mrs. Fred McChesney, Historian; Mrs. Higy and Mr. Arthur Boyor, Council representatives.

The Telephone was connected Friday.

SAWYERWOOD P. T. A.

The officers to preside in the Sawyerwood P. T. A. this year are as follows; Director-Mrs. Lydia Mcfauver; Vice-director-Mrs. Margaret Kime; Secretary-Mrs. Lauetta Hall; Treasurer Mrs. Helen West.

DEATH IN TEACHER'S FAMILY

The sympathy of the school is extended to the family of Miss Thelma Mitchell upon the recent death of her grandmother.

Miss Helen Hahn of Akron substituted for Miss Mitchell on the day of the funeral.

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ROOSEVELT SCHOOL NEWS.

The Roosevelt soft ball teams defeated the Krumroy teams in both starts this week. The Roosevelt girls won by a score of 15 to 8. The boys defeating the Krumroy boys by a close score, 10 to 9. The home teams will meet the strong Sawyerwood teams this Wed. Eve.

The Roosevelt school is conducting a special safety program with those students who walk or ride bicycles on the main highways. We are asking the cooperation of the high school through their school paper in this campaign. There have been six children killed and thirteen injured on the highways of Springfield Township in the past five years. Let us do our best to protect the lives and limbs of our fellow students.

MARGARET SHAWL MARRIED

Miss Margaret Shawl, former student of S. H. S. in the Class of 1933, was married to Mr. Alfred Merrill last Friday, September 27. The marriage took place in W. Va. They have not yet returned.

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Excerpts from Junior and Senior Journals--

1. We came to school to-gether; if that isn't spelled correctly, we came to school parallel at the same speed.
2. Since going to the game with Donzel Miller my motto is NRA--- Never Ride Austins.
3. My sister wants a "throw-around" skirt; that's what all her clothes are--"throw around"--the house.
4. When I die I hope no one sends marigolds.
5. This school ought to have a smoking room for boys so we wouldn't have to walk so far when its raining and cold.
6. During third period I saw my freshie and my heart stopped.
7. I've waited four years to be a senior so I could march out of chapel first, and now Mr. Lynch forgets all precedent.

WE WONDER

Why everyone took raincoats to the Stow game?

W hat member of the faculty receives perfumed letters ?

Why the Hi-Y boys are hanging around the Haromano meetings again?

What red-head is breaking up the football team?

Who took Frankie M. home from Haromano?

Why Simpson didn't punt the ball centered by Bair in the Stow game?

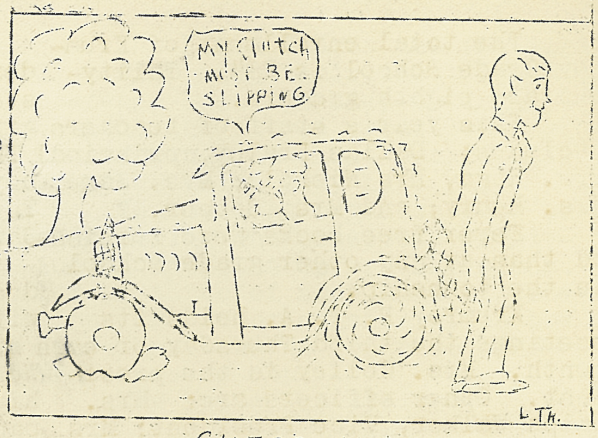
Where Ed. D. is every morning?

Where Clifford F.'s crutches are?

What Bud Bair will do next year without Sophie in English.

What is the matter with Jerry and Max.

How Marjorie M. got to the Falls game. (was she surprised).



GUESS WHO.

IT ISN'T YOUR SCHOOL---IT'S YOU

If you want to live in the kind
of a school,
The kind of a school you like
You needn't slip your clothes in a
grip
And start on a long, long, hike.
You'll only find what you left
behind,
For there is nothing that's really
new,
Its a knock at yourself when you
knock your school,
It isn't the school, it's you.

Carl Braucher: Jack, you don't write much in your journal do you?
Jack Elliot: No, you see there is no need of it. Miss Mitchell always rewrites it anyway, so I just leave longer blanks so she won't get a cramp from writing so small.

Bennett: May I ask you just one more question?
Miss Mitchell: Well, what is it? Get it off your chest!
Bennett: Well, if a boy is called a lad and has a stepfather, is he a stepladder?

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