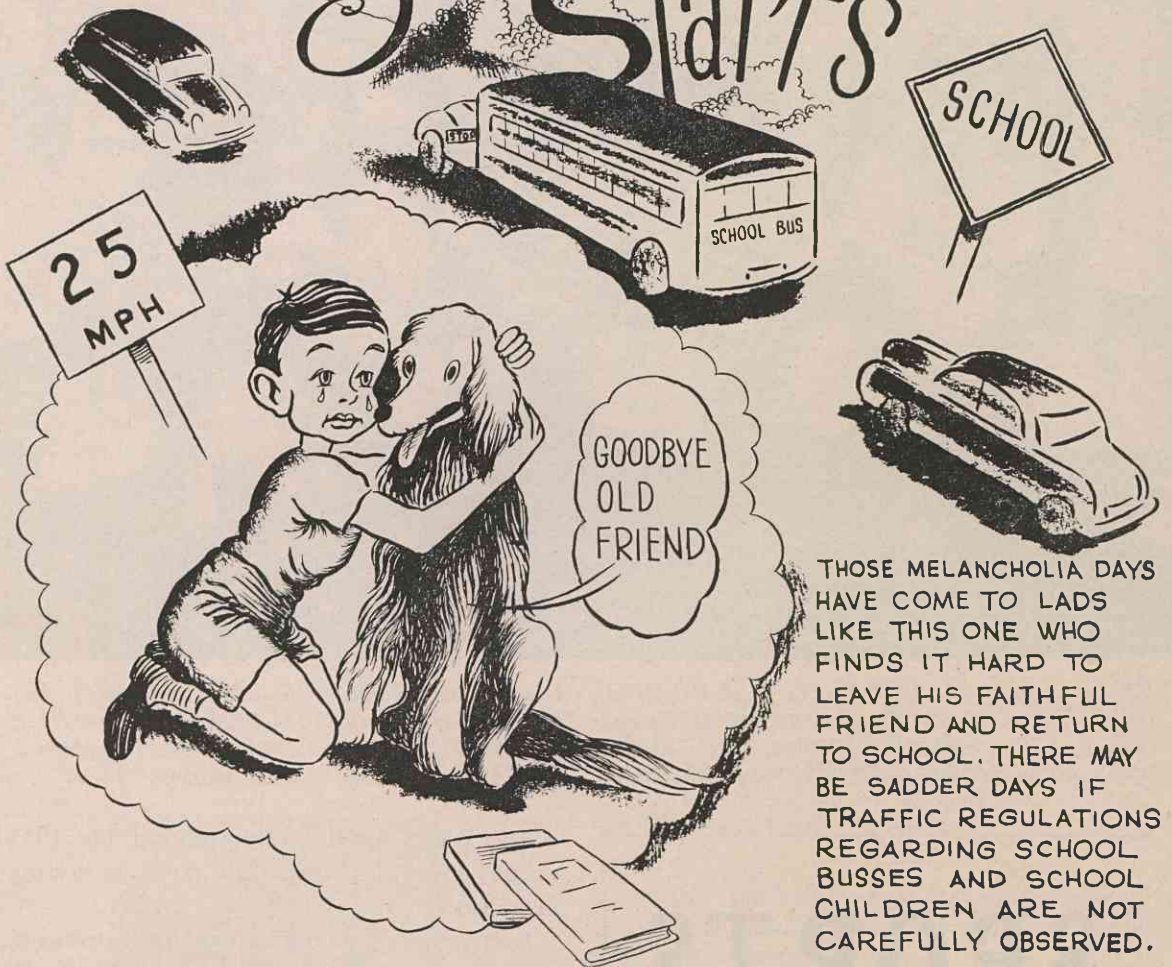


School Starts



THOSE MELANCHOLIA DAYS HAVE COME TO LADS LIKE THIS ONE WHO FINDS IT HARD TO LEAVE HIS FAITHFUL FRIEND AND RETURN TO SCHOOL. THERE MAY BE SADDER DAYS IF TRAFFIC REGULATIONS REGARDING SCHOOL BUSES AND SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE NOT CAREFULLY OBSERVED.

Shortly after you receive this issue of The Echo, the fall school term will begin in Transylvania County. This means that hundreds of our children will be walking to and from the school bus stops, getting on and off the school busses and traveling to and from school. The majority will travel by bus but some will walk.

Every year just before fall and winter weather begins, large trucking and bus companies post bulletins which read "Kindly adjust your driving

to road and weather conditions". For three months drivers have not had to concern themselves about school children getting on and off the school busses. Like the bus companies and trucking companies, all drivers must adjust their driving to the conditions which will come into being with another school year under way.

Drive carefully and be ever on the alert for our school children. Don't speed a child's life to an unhappy ending. That child could be your own.