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MAJORITY BOWS TO MINORITY

When a minority abuses a privilege, it becomes necessary to deprive the entire group of that privilege. Such has been the case in Bailey High School. Due either to the carelessness or to the don't-care attitude of a small portion of the student body who persist in littering the halls with paper and making unnecessary noise, it has been necessary to deprive the whole student body of the privilege of staying in the halls. Ninety per cent of the students have been doing their best to keep the building in good condition and should use their influence to get the remaining ten per cent to follow their example.

CHALLENGING THOUGHT

We can offer up much in the large but to make sacrifices in little things is what we are seldom equal to.

GOETHE

THIS COUNTRY IS AT WAR

though few people as yet, really seem to realize it. Before it is over there will be great changes made and probably great sacrifices called for. Everyone will have to learn to brush up the old suit when a new one is preferred, repair the old radio instead of discarding it for another, wear cotton socks in place of silk stockings, and either walk or stay at home when otherwise he would have ridden.

But can these things be called sacrifices when the four great phases of freedom--freedom of religion, of speech, of press, and of assembly are being defended?

They cannot! Americans must come down to earth and realize that saving now will be much better than bowing to the Rising Sun or hailing Hitler later. The people of the United States must learn to live on a smaller scale, and a good beginning is always for the individual to start in his own back yard. It is time for every man, woman, and child to get his head out of the clouds and begin to save for strenuous defense.

PATRIOTISM TRIUMPHS

Though the members of the Senior Class had striven all year toward building up a fund for a trip to Washington, they gave up this goal when the United States entered the war. Instead they have now decided to use the money for expenses of the Senior Class. After these expenses have been paid, the class will vote on how best to use the remainder. The BAILEY BUGLE commends the class for this gesture. Beyond doubt, they typify the spirit that makes Americans forget personal desires and stand as a unified whole when faced by adversity.