

# Genius On The Loose

# County Provides Funds For School Improvement

Gosh, what a gem of an idea for using that spare radio piece! Johnny sighed. A moment before it hadn't been there and then click-it came like a bolt from the blue. The time seemed interminably long till time to go home. He's attach the piece to his bike motor, swap the fellows for a couple of other pieces, and then he'd be the first guy in existence to have a motor bike with a walkie-talkie. The only thing was he must remember how he wanted to fasten it to the motor.

Far away in his subconscious mind droned the teacher's voice, "Now if pi is 3.14, and the diameter is 8, what is the circumference? Dimly he realized that she was saying something about math, but how could anyone think of math at a time like this?

Secing the long ribbon of road outside, he visualized himself riding down it on his remarkable new bicycle. Why, everyone would be saying, "There goes the young Thomas Edi-

son. "Who knows, perhaps after his brilliant job on the bike, he would grow up to become even more famous than Edison! Such things were possible, he reminded himself. He dragged his gaze from out the window and vaguely, but finally realized someone was talking to him. "Johnny", the teacher was saying, "When you've come down from those clouds we'll continue with our lesson."

Oh, if they'd only leave me alone and let me get back to my idea, he thought. His idea! It was gone-just as suddenly as it had appeared.

Improvements to the school in the way of paint, a new tile floor, and replaced broken window panes were financed by the county during the summer.

The gymnasium roof received a new coat of paint. All broken window pures were replaced and shades repaired.

A new tile floor was laid in the boys' toilet. Both the girls' and boys' toilets were repainted.

The trouble around this place he decided was that nobody appreciated his Genius.

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