

Student Co-operation Needed In Library

"Need of student co-operation in taking care of magazines and books is urgent", says Miss Idalia Oglesby, school librarian.

Every student knows this condition needs remedying.

When the magazines and books are defaced, torn, and cut, they lose their appeal and mar the appearance of the library.

Each student should want to be MAN NUMBER 1 in doing his part to keep the books and magazines in place and in good shape. They are for his use.

There Is Room For Improved Bus Behavior

The majority of students here ride buses.

The conduct is far from what it should be. It can be overlooked for a small child sometimes; but when it comes to high school students "cutting up", it is a reflection on their self-discipline.

Continuous noise distracts the driver when he constantly has to keep telling the group to be quiet. This gentle rebuke often results in bright, catty remarks back to the driver.

Crowded conditions could in part be eliminated if the smaller children would sit closer and the high school students would share their seats.

Not enough care is being taken in keeping the buses clean. Even the high school students are careless.

Every student knows the driver should be able to concentrate only on his driving; it is up to the driver to protect each child and see that he gets to school on time. This can only be done by having order.

Parents Neglect P.T.A.

P.T.A. means Parent-Teacher Association. For teachers it is almost an unwritten law that they attend each meeting; parents should feel the same law applies to them.

In our school, preparation of programs for the various meetings falls on the shoulders of teachers and students. This is not always true in all schools; many are the schools that the parents assume charge of the programs. The system followed here should make the parents feel all the more the responsibility of attending the meetings. After all, the meetings are an opportunity to express one's self, make suggestions about what one would like to see done or improvements one would like to see made.

Students appreciate the parents' attendance, too.

Between The Covers

As we have just celebrated American Education Week, this column will review how the week was used to call attention to what is between many covers.

The Wednesday chapel program, presented by Mrs. R. G. L. Edwards' eighth grade, vividly portrayed in play form the importance of education.

In the grammar school library, eye-catching posters were placed in the windows.

By repairing many of the torn books in the high school library, Miss Oglesby demonstrated the value of preserving books.

The high school English classes devoted a few minutes each day to having students honor the book that had left the deepest impression on them. The *Scarlet Letter*, *Jane Eyre*, and *Story of My Life* ranked high among these.

I agree with those students that these are meritorious books and should be read by every student before he graduates.

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