

MONZELLE TALBERT WAS making a detailed report on costumes in Elizabethan times, and the class was taking notes.

"Wait a minute," suddenly interrupted Jimmie Austin. "I got lost — somewhere around the knees, I think."

MR. FRY: WE WILL wear robes and stoles to the concert.

Bob Youngblood, just awaking: Who said we would have to wear stoles to the concert?

A GROUP OF BOYS were discussing their cars, when Hoyle Gilbert bragged, "My Chevrolet really has pickup."

"Pickup?" sneered a disbeliever.

"Sure", affirmed Hoyle. "It picked up three girls in two blocks last night."

MR. MAC WAS LEADING up to a discussion.

"Boys", he directed, "write down your answer to this question: 'Do you want your wife to work?'"

"Mr. Mac," inquired Connie McLain, "what about us girls? Shall we write down if we want our husbands to work?"

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On one of her classes the other day, Miss Morrow asked this question: "What is a nun?"

Neil Graham was prompted with an answer. "It is a female monk", he said.

MR. HATLEY WAS TELLING his physics class about a company that manufactures tube checkers, a device for checking radio tubes.

John Helms had a sudden thought. "Do they also manufacture Chinese checkers?" he wanted to know.

THE BOYS WERE comparing muscles, each trying to outdo the other.

"I'll bet none of you have muscles like mine," boasted Harry Pawlik.

"What kind is that?" someone wanted to know.

"Like a roll of film," came from Harry. "Undeveloped."

"I'M NOT GOING BACK into that teacher's class until she apologizes to me," blustered Bob Youngblood.

"Why?" What did she say?" asked Sara Skidmore.

"She said I'd better not come back into her class again," said Bob.

STUDENTS OF A.H.S. have found a new remedy for their aches and pains. This conversation is frequently heard—

Gene Laughter, "I don't feel so well today."

Carroll Davis, "You must have forgotten your Had-A-Col!"

HENRY FORREST: LOOK at all those bees up there!

Ellene Holbrook, very much excited: Where?

Henry: Up there in Miss Lentz's grade book.

48 Ninth Graders Make Honor Roll

There were 207 students making honor roll the past six weeks. Ninth graders led the other classes, having 48 on the list. Those making honor roll are as follows:

Eighth grade highest honor: Jo Ann Atkins, Margaret Brunson, Bettie Early, Mary Foreman, Kathryn Groves, Sue Hunsucker, Arthur Lynn, Caroleen Burris, Sally Crook, Anne Russell, Kay Snuggs, Sylvia Whitley, Peggy Davis, Bobbie Eudy, Ann Ivey, Shirley Swearingen, Claud Grigg, Larry Talbert.

Honor: Barbara Holt, Jeanette Howard, Evelyn Kimrey, Victor Drye, Bobbie Reeves, Vann Dorn Camp, Jimmie Griffin, Georgia Beaver, Claudette Chandler, Laura Doby, Doris Hinson, Vann Lowder, Dixie Schadt, Janet Glover, Peggy Morton, Yvonne Sheppard, Craig Smith, Delaine Curlee, Lydia Hall, Shirley Lambert, Don Jones, Dan Sibley, Ralph Setzler.

Ninth grade highest honor: Robert Shaver, Bernice Roscoe, Marie Clayton, Carrol Sue Hudson, Peggy Lowder.

Honor: Peggy Wilhelm, Peggy Morris, Carolyn Miller, Janette Mabe, Nelda Huneycutt, Janelle Harrington, Martha Harris, Edna Dick, Bill Huckabee, Frank Burrell, J. C. Boone, Bob Boger, Ann



The Mixed Chorus, under the direction of Paul B. Fry, combined with the Boys' chorus and the Girls' chorus to present their annual Christmas concert in the high school auditorium last night. This was their first public performance locally this year. They had previously journeyed to Harding high school in Charlotte for a clinic and a concert there.

Kluttz, Boyette, Scaggs Selected For Publications

New additions to the *Full Moon* and annual staffs are Phyllis Kluttz, junior editor of the *Full Moon*, Johnny Boyette, junior editor of "Crossroads", and Robert Scaggs, junior business manager of "Crossroads".

A list of eligible students was chosen by Mrs. Fry, publications advisor, the junior English teachers, and the junior class officers. These were revealed at a junior meeting for discussion. The junior class decided to add more names to the list. After the list had been completed, a junior class election was held to choose the three for the offices.

The purpose of choosing these juniors was to teach them the fundamentals of journalism a year before they take over full control. If these juniors keep their grades and interests high, they will be eligible for office next year.

Whitlock, Julie Ussery, Joanne Russell, Aveline Morton, Shirley Hinson, Jeanette Dennis, Nona Rae Crofts, James Gibson, Glenn Almond, Evelyn Burris, Peggy Cathey, Carolyn Doby, Zelda Helms, Frances Laughlin, Aveline Osborne, Carolyn Terry, Peggy Thompson, Ellen Cook, Marilyn Greene, Jewel Kiser, Betty Moyle, Carolyn Smith, Shirley Turner, Sally Ausband, Ruth Ann Copley, Betty Gantt, Barbara Lowder, Robert Lowder, Janet Troutman, Trudie Weaver, Carolyn Williams.

Tenth grade highest honor: Jo Ann Griffin, Angeline Hopkins, Margaret Griffin, Jane McDowell.

Honor: Lovell, Moose, Nancy Austin, Betty Davis, Johnny Eagle, William Litaaker, Sue Smith, Patsy Williford, Phyllis Callcutt, Barbara Crowell, Nancy Haynes, Virginia Helms, Kathryn Kimrey, Emily Milton, Mickey Morton, Patsy Pettit, Milton Mae Plyler, Doris Rogers, Hamilton Morton, Jimmy Skidmore, Betty Brunson, Ann Reeder Daniel, Sylvia Morrow, Betty Sue Rogers, Sue Redfern, Joe Gasikin, Genoa Carpenter, Jean Taylor, Janice Scott.

Eleventh grade highest honor: Myra Davis, Dorothy Gaskin, Lois Lowder, Martha Knight, Eunice Kimrey, Jo Ann Burrell, Lucille Curlee, Jane Rogers, Phyllis Kluttz.

Honor: Johnny Boyette, Ed Patterson, Lillian Copley, Elizabeth Elder, Norma Miller, Carolyn Simpson, Pat Stillwell, Birdie Suggs, Eleanor Swearingen, Malcolm Lowder, Carolyn Akers, Betty Jean Poplin, Frankie Williams, Robert Scaggs, Joe Whitley, Greta Burris, Jane Coggin, Sallie Neale Kluttz, Jane Little, Elsie Lowder, Mary Lowder, Angela Moncrief, Mary Ellen Speight, Ann Taylor, Charles Litaaker, Vicki Cooper, Ezelle Doby, Helen Harwood, Jeweline Holt, Janette Laton, Vina Ruth Lowder, Jane Smith, Martha Griffin.

Twelfth grade highest honor: Sarah Frances Poplin, Joyce Cranford, Roberta Kimrey, Norma Talbert, Barbara Smith, Barbara Setzler, Connie McLain.

Honor: Tommy Sibley, Joan Marbry, Barbara Mauldin, Lauretta Plyler, Marie Roscoe, Bobby Watson, Malcolm Pelt, Ed Whitley, Jean Kelly, Alma Rae Morton, Elizabeth Starr, Monzelle Talbert, Nelle Winn, Henry Forrest, Elbert Holt, Larry Lowder, Barbara Brown, Gaynelle Chandler, Ellene Holbrook, Peggy Redfern, Sara Skidmore, John Helms, Janet Deese, Perlene Hartsell, Harry Pawlik, Bobby Barlene Hartsell, Bill Grigg, Roy Holt, Johnny Knight, Jack Morton, Max Moyle, Jane Bullock, Jean Bullock, Bernice Crump, Frances Hinson, Ann Milton, Martha Moore.

MIXED CHORUS

Chorus Classes Visit Harding

Stancil Aldridge Given Diploma

Stancil Aldridge was awarded a diploma in meatcutting from the National School of Meatcutting in Toledo, Ohio, as a climax to 17 months of study and work at the A & P Food store under the instruction of John Walsler. With this diploma he received a complete set of Blacksmith meatcutting tools for his outstanding work.

This was a great accomplishment, for very few people in his profession get a diploma at 17 years of age.

Stancil Aldridge has been studying as a Diversified Occupations student under Mr. E. F. Wilson for two years at AHS. After graduation, he plans to continue working at the A & P Food store.

Attendance Roll Shows Decrease

Due to flu, colds, and winter weather, the attendance roll for the past six weeks shows a slight decrease.

Eighth grade perfect attendance: Jimmy Brown, R. B. Cox, Victor Dry, Larry Hartsell, Lowell Hartsell, Larry Hearne, Dwayne Lowder, Marvin Miller, Jimmy Morton, Jimmy Page, Wayne Palmer, Jo Ann Atkins, Bettie Early, Nancy Farmer, Kathryn Groves, Jeanette Howard, Evelyn Kimrey, Sarah Miller, Margaret Reeves, Lula Gray Thomas, Bobbie Brooks, Vann Dorn Camp, Rogers Furr, Jimmy Griffin, Arthur Lynn, Eugene Miller, Georgia Beaver, Laura Doby, Barbara Eudy, Margaret Gilbert, Sue Hunsucker, Doris Hinson, Rochelle Ritchie, Dixie Lee Schadt, Sherrill Aldridge, C. B. Crook, Kemp Clayton, Ben Harward, Steve McLendon, Larry Yow, Pattie Sue Almond, Betty Jo Burris, Caroleen Burris, Sally Crook, Barbara McSwain, Peggy Morton, Anne Russell, Kay Snuggs, Sylvia Whitley, Delaine Curlee, Bobby Eudy, Lydia Hall, Billie Harris, Ann Ivey, Shirley Mitchell, Nellie Pickler, Joan Rummage, Marshaline Smith, Shirley Swearingen, Claud Grigg, Kent Holt, Don Jones, Dan Sibley, Larry Talbert, Richard Tucker, Hoy Whitlock, Harold Price.

Ninth grade perfect attendance: Edna Dick, Janelle Harrington, Nelda Huneycutt, Janette Mabe, Janet Smith, Juanita Ussery, Betty Jean Vanhoy, Jerry Fincher, Larry Holt, James Hudgens, Tyler Mor-

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News Briefs

Christmas Holidays
Students of AHS will begin a two-week Christmas vacation this afternoon and will return for classes Monday, January 2.

Christmas Queens
Representing AHS in Christmas festivities have been Carolyn Poplin, a princess in the Charlotte Christmas parade, and Lib Starr, a contestant for Miss Merry Christmas in the Albemarle parade.

Give Christmas Concert At Close of Day Of Practice.

A full day's activities were enjoyed by members of the Girls' chorus, Boys' chorus, and Mixed chorus when they spent Wednesday, December 7, at Harding high school in Charlotte.

Approximately 100 students left from AHS at 8:00 Wednesday morning on Queen City buses, which were chartered for this event. Arriving at Harding about 9:30, the Albemarle singers were welcomed by Harding students.

The morning was spent practicing the songs to be sung in the concert. Lunch was served in the school cafeteria to both Albemarle and Harding participants. After the afternoon practices, Albemarle students were supper guests of the Harding chorus members.

The concert, featuring 225 voices, was conducted at 8:00 in the Harding auditorium by Mr. Fry and Mr. Cook. Making the stage more colorful were the Harding maroon and gold robes contrasting with the Albemarle blue and white ones.

After the concert, Harding honored the Albemarle singers with a party. Refreshments were served and dance music was played for those who wished to dance.

Special guests of the concert were the Harding school officials, members of the Charlotte school board, and various school choirs of Charlotte.

The Albemarle chorus left Charlotte at 10:30 after one of the most successful programs of the year.

Publications Given Roamer Camera By Boosters Club

A.H.S. Boosters have announced their plans to purchase and present a camera to the *Full Moon* and *Crossroads* staffs as soon as possible.

With the money the Booster's club has already made on the dances they have sponsored and the money they plan to make on the other dances, the Boosters voted to purchase the camera for the school at a meeting held last Monday. With this camera the staffs will be able to make their pictures for the *Crossroads* and *Full Moon*.

A committee was appointed to purchase the camera by Bob Youngblood, president of the club. Those on the committee are Cranford Hathcock, Johnny Knight, Bernice Crump and Mary Lamar.

Combined Chorus Present Concert Of Yuletide Songs

Members of the A.H.S. Mixed Chorus, Girls' Chorus, and Boys' Chorus, under the direction of Paul B. Fry, presented a Christmas Concert last night at 8:00.

This is an annual project of the school choruses. Last year the concert was given by combined Harding and Albemarle students. This year the program was presented by the 100-voice choir.

Ushers for the occasion were band students wearing their uniforms.

The concert included traditional Christmas carols arranged by Fred Waring, American folk songs, spirituals, and carols from Russia, Belgium, England, and Germany.

The program was as follows:

- I.
 - a. O Come All Ye Faithful.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - b. Luther's Cradle Hymn.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - c. God Rest You Merry Gentlemen.....Arranged by Ringwald
- II.
 - a. We Three Kings.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - b. The First Noel.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - c. Hark The Herald Angels Sing.....Arranged by Ringwald
- III.
 - a. Joy to the World.....Arr. by Ringwald
 - b. It Came Upon A Midnight Clear.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - c. Angels We Have Heard On High.....Arranged by Ringwald
- IV.
 - a. O Come, O Come, Emmanuel.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - b. O Little Town of Bethlehem.....Arranged by Ringwald
 - c. Silent Night.....Wetzel
- V.
 - a. Lo! How a Rose E'er Blooming.....Praetorius
 - b. Carol of the Bells.....Leontovich
 - c. Deck the Hall.....Erickson
- VI.
 - a. Coventry Carol.....Arranged by Scott
 - b. The Sleep of the Child Jesus.....Gevaert
 - c. Christmas Hymn.....Jungst
- VII.
 - a. I Wonder As I Wonder.....Arr. by Niles and Horton
 - b. Joyous Carol.....Wells
 - c. Go Tell It On the Mountain.....Arr. by John Work

Principal's Article On Youth Drivers Published In Post

Mr. H. C. McFadyen has an article entitled "Our Youngsters Don't Have to Be Killers" appearing in the December 17 issue of the Saturday Evening Post. In writing the article he collaborated with Sidney Shalette of Cleveland, Ohio.

The article, on driver training, was based on an idea by Mr. McFadyen and was first written by him. Because of his inability to travel and to obtain more material for a national basis for the article, Mr. Shalette was called in, with Mr. McFadyen's approval, to collaborate with him in writing the article.

Mr. McFadyen originally became interested in the subject of training young people to drive in school through the student's drivers course until recently offered at Albemarle High School.

By Their Words

"One could not realize what a town would be like without music."—Mr. Grigg.

"I think so fast my mouth gets behind."—Mr. Hatley.

"Sloppy beyond description."—Mr. Fry.

"I sat here and twisted this curl into a little curl."—Ann Dry.

"A preacher never cussed when the golf ball didn't go where it was supposed to, but the grass never grew where he spit."—Mr. Mac.

"You all make so much noise I can't see the game."—Jean Bailey.

"If you can't say anything good about a person, you can always tell the truth."—Conrad Crofts.

"To have some hats made' is the same principle as to have some houses built."—Miss Lentz.

"Move, dog! Your perfume's gone stale."—Jean Bullock.