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THESE DAYS OF MEMORIZING

By Mary Alice Hardin
Every year there comes a time in the life of a high school student when the thought of poetry and memorizing reigns supreme. It so happens that this year three classes, sophomore, junior and senior, have that blessing (?) at the same time.

Going through the halls you may hear mixed quotations as these, "Tell me not in mournful numbers,—Friends, Romans, countrymen—man's first disobedience and the fruit of that forbidden tree—So live, that when thy summons comes to join that—Sling, Heavenly Muse, that on the secret top—You are my true and honorable wife, as dear to me as the ruddy drops—"

A visitor coming into our great halls of learning might mistake them for the chambers of a lunatic asylum. But who knows, there might spring forth from our midst a great poet, orator, or playwright. But at this particular time I see no one who especially relishes being a Bryant, a Milton, or a Shakespeare. Most students progress in this manner.

When the teacher assigns the passage, the students fail to mark them or else mark the wrong ones. The pas-

sages are assigned well in advance, but no one takes them seriously. What's the use of doing all that when you have plenty of time? At the last minute it always dawns that the teacher really means business, and the memory work is due day after tomorrow. Now, of course, all the rest of the lessons go to the "dogs" while every possible moment is used to try to get all those lines without a mixup. In Prof. Bob Huggins' recently published thesis on "How to Memorize," he explained how to use the read-and-reread method; but to use this method, it is necessary to start well in advance of the stated time for recitation. In this case it is impossible. Not all of the students use any set method, but most use the line-by-line and word-by-word method. (Not counting minor words such as prepositions and conjunctions).

Of course, time passes too rapidly, and all a student can do is hope he won't be called on first. Then the time comes when he gets weak in the knees and hot under the collar. He thinks, "Why does a teacher have to know who wrote that anyhow? How could you help it if you said Longfellow wrote 'The Raven'?" How could you help it if you started with "The Psalm of Life" and ended with "The Marshes of Glynn."

Ah, at last the suffering student can sit down. He is not sure he has finished all the selections, but he hopes so. Was there ever a room so stuffy? Why is everybody staring? Is there a frown on the teacher's face?

These are only a few of the questions he will ask himself when at last the ordeal is over, and he has promptly forgotten all the memorizing he has ever done.

(Best unsolicited).
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WALKING AND TALKING
Anonymous

I wish I could have known what you said before;
If I did, I'd have asked you to say some more.
You know there's something more to saying.
Than gabbing or just baying.

You can say the nicest things;
I wish you could know all the joy it brings.
But you can say a lot better than I can;
Sometimes—like yesterday—I ran.

I'd like to tell you how much I like you
But I guess I'll never be able to.
All you have to do is to keep on talking;
And as long as you do, I'll keep on walking.

(It is counter to our ancient and archaic principle to promulgate poetry basically amorous, but an exception is in order for our forlorn poet who expresses his integral desire in the above polymetric couplets. More power to you, Anonymous).

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ASSEMBLY PROGRAM
"Tim" Crary

The assembly program presented last Thursday morning opened with the singing of patriotic songs by the student body in honor of Washington's birthday.

Following this, Miss Alexander's second year home economics class took charge of the program. The scripture and prayer were read by Bonnie Glazener. Ethel Snelson gave a short story of Washington's life, in which she brought out the real characteristics of this great man. Mary Mae Sizemore discussed the importance of proper foods. This was followed by a play, "The Kingdom of Health," which illustrated foods and their importance.

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F. F. A. HOLDS MEETING
Richard Franklin

The ninth grade division of the Brevard Chapter of the Future Farmers held its regular meeting Friday, February 16.

The program opened with the devotions conducted by Richard Franklin followed by current events by Jack Crary. Then came the climax of the program, a boxing match between Richard Tinsley and Bruce Baynard. After this several bouts were held between other club members. A few instructive talks were also given by Richard Tinsley, Everett Green, John Bradley and Richard Franklin.

Music was supplied by Robert Jackson and Flave Merrill.

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SYLVA WINS OVER BREVARD

By Thelma Daniels
Sylva won a double-header on the Brevard court Friday night. The girls' score was 33 to 6, and the boys' 36 to 15. Both boys' and girls' teams played an exceptionally good game.

MILLS RIVER WINS DOUBLE-HEADER

By Jean Bennett

Thursday night the Mills River boys—better known as the "little (?) men who weren't there"—flashed around the high school court to the tune of 33 to 19. The Blue Devil girls also lost to their scarlet-clad visitors 33 to 5, in their usual rough and tumble fashion. A large crowd attended both games, and the cheering section was in its glory.

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SENIORS SELECT SUPERLATIVES

The senior class met Friday, February 23, and selected the following superlatives: most courteous, Jean Bennett and Hale Chamberlain; most popular, Kathleen Wilson and Bob Tinsley; most intellectual, Hale Chamberlain and Jean Bennett; most versatile, Bob Huggins and Kathleen Wilson; most studious, Hale Chamberlain and Kathleen Wilson; most attractive, Jean Bennett and Lew Lyda; most unselfish, Harold Siniard and Ollie Mae Metcalf; best-all-around, Hale Siniard and Lola Moore; most musical, Patsy Grimshaw and Bob Tinsley; sweetest, Hale Siniard and Maxine Michael; neatest, Lew Lyda and Jean Bennett; most artistic, Bob Huggins and O'Dell McCall; most original, Lola Moore and Hale Chamberlain; most domestic, Lola Moore; most industrious, Calvin Raxter; most friendly, Kathleen Wilson and Bob Tinsley; cutest, Bob Tinsley and Maxine Michael; best sport, David Barton and Lola Moore; handsomest, Lew Lyda; prettiest, Gloria Ann Wilson; most athletic, Sarah Hester Fowler and Henry Carland; class baby, Rosalie Martin and Clarence Garren; wittiest, Bob Tinsley and Patsy Grimshaw; Romeo and Juliet, Dot Misenheimer and Herman Rahn.

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MY HAT
By Elinor Chamberlain

As I was walking up the street
With nothing else to do,
The strong March wind took off my hat,
And over the fence it flew.

I climbed the fence and saw my hat
A flying down a hill.
I followed as swiftly as I could
With many a jouncing spill.

That hat and I went on and on
'Twas such a merry chase.
At least it was for the hat, but I
Did not enjoy the race.

Finally into a field it went,
And there an old gray mare
Picked up my hat and swallowed it
And then began to rare.

She galloped 'round and pawed the earth,
And had a running fit,
And to this day, alive I say
It was the hat that did it.

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CONFUCIUS SAY

By Bertie Orr and Paula Smathers
Confucius say, "Boy will like girl."
Me not know, but if the great Confucius say, it must be so.

Confucius also say: "Girl who writes notes to another girl's sweet-heart better watch out. Take a warning, Laleet."

Confucius say that boy can not like two girls at same time, but Robert May has other ideas. He takes Mildred S. to the movies, while Christine M. wears his watch.

Confucius say, "If girl writes note to boy, she better see that boy gets it." Edna N., remember.

Confucius say, "If girl talk too much in history class, teacher change seat." Irene Loftis, is that you?

Confucius say, "If boy like girl, he let her wear class ring." Proof: Grace Mull wearing Jack Holden's ring.

Confucius say, "If teacher draws pictures on board, she better cover pretty dress to protect it from chalk." Mrs. Wike takes his advice.

Confucius say, "Absence makes the heart grow fonder." Maybe this solves the Jack Hilemon and "Kat" S. problem.

Confucius say, "If girl dreams in English class, she is thinking of some boy." M. A. Hardin, were you thinking of P. Banks or Jim W.?

Confucius say, "There is something in a name." I wonder if that is why two Doris W.'s like Bill F.

Confucius say, "If boy like girl, he take her to basketball game." Is that why Wilda and Bob H., Alice and Bob T., and Juanita and David were there?

Confucius say, "If girl is always talking to boy in class, she must like him." How about it, Thelma B.?

Confucius say, "Have something everyone likes." Does the thought of the junior-senior banquet give you a thrill in the stomach?

Confucius certainly say the above. He also say he not like love.

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NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF TRANSYLVANIA
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Transylvania County
vs.
Brevard Building & Loan Assn., et al.

Under and by virtue of a judgment made and entered in the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Transylvania County, dated the 12th day of February, 1940, the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 25th day of March, 1940, at twelve o'clock, Noon, at the door of the Transylvania County Courthouse in Brevard, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, the property hereinafter described, located in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, and more particularly described as follows:

Described in that certain deed from Brevard Building & Loan Assn., to Clarence Poole and wife, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Transylvania County, in Book 70, at page 257, to which reference is hereby made.

Also in deed of D. L. English Trustee, to Brevard Building and Loan Association, dated January 23, 1935, and recorded in Book 66, page 492, records of Deeds for Transylvania County.

This the 23rd day of February, 1940.
RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR.
Commissioner

PENROSE NEWS

The Rev. J. C. Owen will be visiting Transylvania and will preach at the 11:00 o'clock service at Enon Sunday.

At 7:00 p. m. Thursday, March 7, the Balfour Prayer band will give a program at Enon. Special music will feature the program.

Enon church folks were snowed under again on Sunday, February 18, and had no Sunday school. The Rev. W. S. Price, who was to preach at Enon on that date will be invited again to preach on the second Sunday in March.

Charley Case who has been an enrollee in camp at Otto, was visiting his folks and friends here last week-end.

Some of the Enon folks attended the singing convention at Turkey Creek last Sunday. Singing was very good. The next convention was voted to meet at English Chapel on the fourth Sunday in March.

It looks now like the open weather for plowing. Several people have now plowing done on account of snow and rain for the past two months.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as the Administrator of the Estate of L. R. Scruggs, deceased, this is to notify any and all persons indebted to said estate to please make immediate settlement with the undersigned. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned Admr., within twelve months from this date hereof or this notice will be placed in bar of their collection.
This the 20th day of February, 1940.
C. L. SCRUGGS,
Administrator

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF TRANSYLVANIA
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Transylvania County
vs.
J. H. Pickelsimer, et al.

Under and by virtue of the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Transylvania County, dated the 12th day of February, 1940, the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 25th day of March, 1940, at twelve o'clock, Noon, at the door of the Transylvania County Courthouse in Brevard, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, the property hereinafter described, located in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, and more particularly described as follows:

Described in that certain deed from Brevard Development Corp., to Thos. H. Shipman, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Transylvania County, in Book 58, at page 72, to which reference is hereby made.

Being all lands rescribed in deed from Welch Galloway, Comr., to T. H. Shipman, recorded in Book 42, page 67, Records of Deeds for Transylvania County.

This the 23rd day of February, 1940.
RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR.
Commissioner

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF TRANSYLVANIA
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Transylvania County
vs.
W. L. Ranson, et al.

Under and by virtue of a judgment made and entered in the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Transylvania County, dated the 12th day of February, 1940, the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 25th day of March, 1940, at twelve o'clock, Noon, at the door of the Transylvania County Courthouse in Brevard, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, the property hereinafter described, located in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, and more particularly described as follows:

Described in that certain deed from J. S. Silverstein, et al., to Mattie B. Ranson, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Transylvania County, in Book 55, at page 95, to which reference is hereby made.

This the 23rd day of February, 1940.
RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR.
Commissioner

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF TRANSYLVANIA
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Transylvania County
vs.
Jack Page, et al.

Under and by virtue of a judgment made and entered in the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Transylvania County, dated the 5th day of February, 1940, the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 25th day of March, 1940, at twelve o'clock, Noon, at the door of the Transylvania County Courthouse in Brevard, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, the property hereinafter described, located in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, and more particularly described as follows:

Described in that certain deed from Forest Hills Corp., to Jack Page, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Transylvania County, in Book 56, at page 366, to which reference is hereby made.

This the 23rd day of February, 1940.
RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR.
Commissioner

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF TRANSYLVANIA
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Transylvania County
vs.
T. H. Shipman, et al.

Under and by virtue of a judgment made and entered in the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Transylvania County, dated the 5th day of February, 1940, the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 25th day of March, 1940, at twelve o'clock, Noon, at the door of the Transylvania County Courthouse in Brevard, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, the property hereinafter described, located in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, and more particularly described as follows:

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This the 23rd day of February, 1940.
RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR.
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