



"ARISTOCRATIC PIGS" TO BE HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

"Balentine's Aristocratic Pigs" will appear at the Macon county courthouse, Saturday night, December 3, to give two shows, one beginning at 7:30 p. m. and one at 9:15 p. m. This show, with the five Aristocratic Pigs—Cousin Ezra, Sam Poplin, Little Boy Blue, Fisher Hendley, master of ceremonies, and Baby Kay, is an all-star stage show with \$2,500 worth of fine musical instruments. The "Aristocratic Pigs" may be heard over Station WIS, Columbia, S. C., at 12:15 p. m. every day except Sunday, and it is certain that they will put on an even better show than that one which they gave at Franklin last year.

The price of admission is 20 cents for everybody. Tickets may be secured in advance from members of the junior class, the sponsor.

"HEALTH" IS SUBJECT OF CHAPEL TALK

In his chapel talk last Monday, Mr. Wells spoke about health and the most common causes of death. He brought out in his talk that although the expectancy of life has increased 20 years during the last century, a person who attains the age of 35 has no better chance of living to an old age than was the case two generations ago.

Mr. Wells stated that the nine most important causes of death are: (1) heart trouble, (2) cancer, (3) apoplexy, (4) pneumonia, (5) accidents, (6) kidney trouble, (7) tuberculosis, (8) diabetes, and (9) appendicitis.

"Careful study shows that these causes may be delayed from five to 20 years and in many cases entirely eliminated," said Mr. Wells.

Suggestions which may prolong life were listed as follows: (1) annual physical examination, (2) well-balanced regular meals, (3) regular sleep in well-ventilated rooms, (4) avoid habitual over-exertion, (5) regular exercise, (6) avoid over-eating because people who are overweight usually suffer from heart trouble.

FOOTBALL SQUAD THANKS BENEFACTORS

As the football season draws to a close, the school is mindful of the fact that the team's success was largely made possible by the cooperation and financial aid of the business and professional men of Franklin. The squad especially thanks the Angel brothers for their medical aid and their willingness to assist in every emergency throughout the season.

INVITATIONS SELECTED

The two sections of the senior class held a mass meeting in Mrs. Macon's room Monday to select invitations. The invitations selected are modernistic in design and bear a simple, gold design engraved on the front. The message on the inside is engraved in Spencerian script.

CLUB ACTIVITIES

The Dramatics club got its make-up kit last week. Tuesday Mrs. Stewart made up Carylton Keener as an old woman while the class took notes on the work.

The members of the club are trying out the parts of a play, "Mr. Hippo." They plan to give the play in chapel sometime later.

After many hours of tedious practice the Glee club has its bass and tenor parts down to a fine point.

The Etiquette club that meets in Mrs. Leach's room has elected the following officers: president, Dorothy Waldroop; vice-president, Dixie Nell Johnson; secretary, Helen Browning; program committee, Virginia Justice; reporter, Juanita Thompson.

The club has been discussing the fundamentals of table manners and courtesies of daily life.

HOME ROOM NEWS

Mrs. Stewart's senior class visited Miss Weaver's home room

Wednesday of last week, at the home room period. Songs were sung and led by Miss Weaver. We hope the seniors enjoyed being with us as much as we enjoyed having them.

With great zeal Mrs. Macon's section of the senior class is working to make up money for the Red Cross chapter. Modelle Robinson has been selected to collect the money.

The class is interested in the Red Cross, not only because it helps the people in flood areas, etc., but because it helps the needy people in this country also. Much praise is to be given to the Red Cross for which we are now working.

Mrs. Guffey's section of the grammar grades succeeded in getting up a Thanksgiving program which we are sure everyone in the other grades enjoyed. The program consisted of recitations, songs, and readings. Those participating in the program were: Patricia Childers, Elizabeth Ann Phillips, George B. Ramey, Ann Wright, Clara Jean Parrish, Ellwood Roberts, Mary Alice Archer, Betty Williams, Earleen Henson, Grady Green, Julia Ann Higdon, Jimmie Waldroop and Mildred Dalton.

Mrs. Franks' section of the grammar grades worked hard in order to get up a Thanksgiving program. The children mastered all work and gave their program in Monday's chapel.

ECHO RECEIVES LETTER FROM RALEIGH

Raleigh, N. C. November 18, 1938.

Mr. George Patton, Editor, Mountain Echo, Franklin, N. C.

Dear Mr. Patton: The boys down here at State College wish you much success in your publishing future.

We have not lost interest in our home town high school and thought, perhaps you would like some gossip about boys down here. I am going to state a few facts about the boys and if you see fit to print them you are welcome to do so:

John Lyle Palmer is still up to his old tricks—trying to sheik the girls.

Siler Slagle has not scared any more Freshmen by taking fits. He wakes up once in a while but never on class.

Jim Patton is our candidate for the best known boy on the campus. We predict Jim to get somewhere in this life.

Dennis Penland and Mack Setser have them all bluffed in playing set-back. They are a pair of slick card sharpers. Mack says he is in love.

Willard Pendergrass says he wishes he could steal some of his room-mate's girls.

Charlie Slagle says the women don't bother him but we notice he still gets letters from Hayesville. We wonder who she is.

Sexton Vinson is too lucky when he is betting on a football team.

Paul Gibson, known as Hoot, is the quietest man on the campus, unless it is Eb Church.

Floyd Wyman is the ideal candid cameraman.

Carter Hurst must be ambitious. He studies a sight.

Robert Hurst is the answer to the Raleigh girl's dream, judging from the number of gals he steps out with.

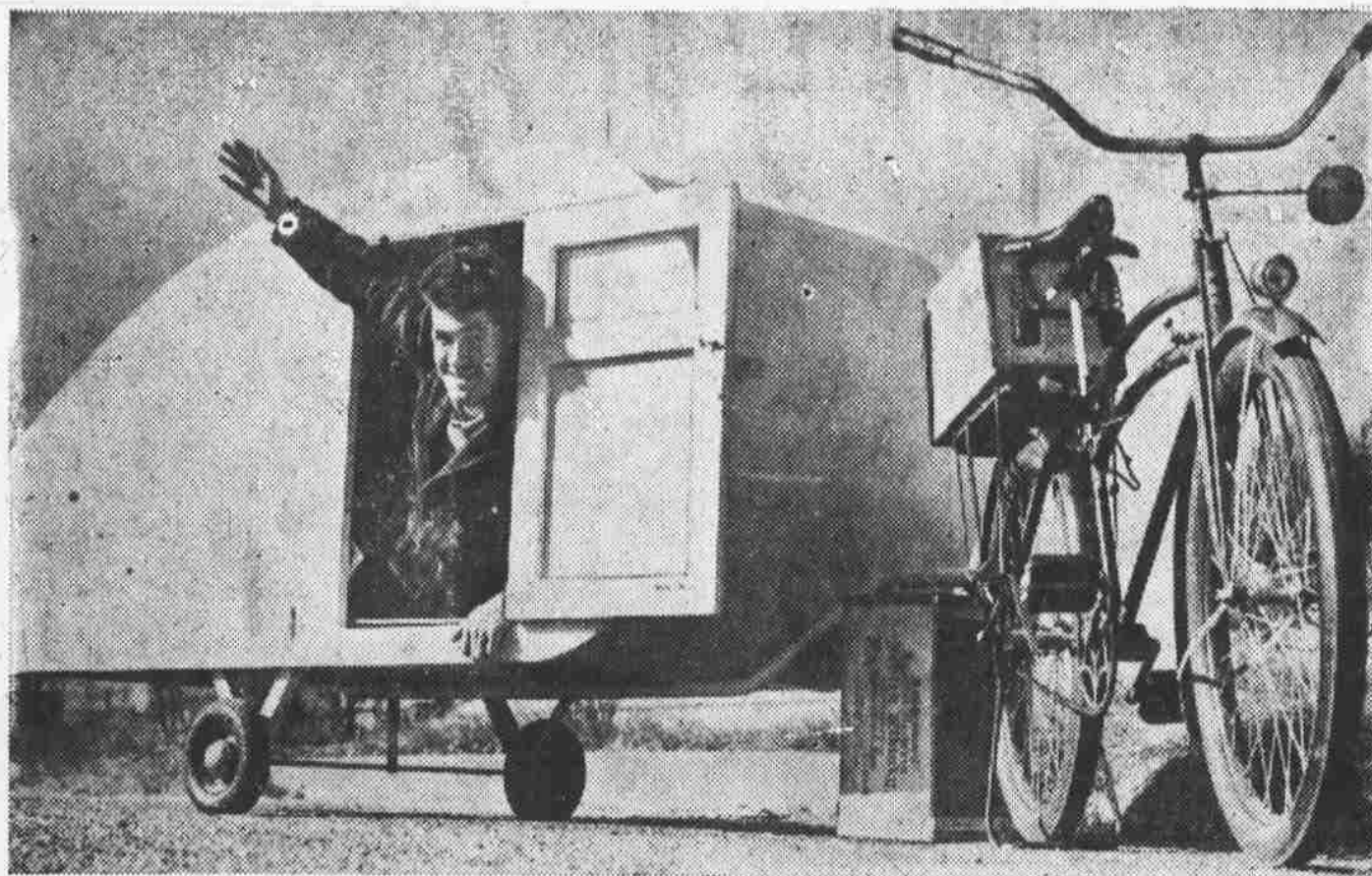
Paul Raby is seen once in awhile. Another studious Maconite.

We were almost afraid to say anything about Wayne Franklin. His wife is liable to read this.

We were recently honored by a visit from the seniors. We enjoyed them.

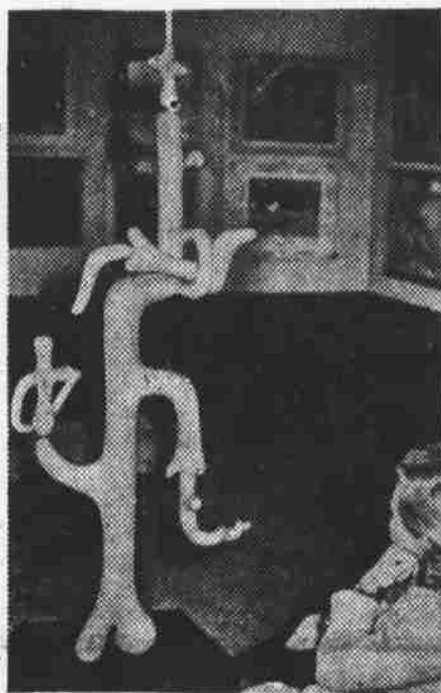
Use your own judgment about printing this. It is hot news though. Much love, the familiar sign —X

Newest Wrinkle in Trailer Transportation



The latest word in trailer transportation—a bicycle trailer. Robert McCulley of Long Beach, Calif., is seen inside the trailer he built for his many journeys along the highways and byways of the United States. The trailer is 8 feet long, 38 inches high and 36 inches wide. Complete with built-in bed it weighs 135 pounds. The owner plans a trip to Florida this coming spring.

'HEART PERCH'



This abstract carving by George Churchill, "Perch for a Heart," will be shown this winter by the London Group at its winter exhibition in Burlington galleries in London. The oddly shaped pieces of wood were assembled by the artist with screw-driver, chisel and hammer.

Christian Science Radio Programs

Two very interesting Christian Science radio programs will be heard over the following stations in North Carolina: An Interview with the Rev. Andrew J. Graham, Monday, December 5 at 1:45 p. m. over station WWNC, Asheville, also The Church of the Air Series, by Geo. Gregg, Chicago, Ill., may be heard over WBT, Charlotte; WDNC, Durham, or WGIG, Greensboro.

The Christian Science church in Asheville, announces a free lecture by Louise Wheatley Cook, in the David Millard school auditorium, Monday evening, December 5, at 8 o'clock.

To improve the land on which he will plant silage corn next spring, D. K. Winecoff of Kannapolis, Route 1, Cabarrus county, has seeded 17 acres to vetch. He says he will turn under the vetch and keep records on the results secured with the corn.

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