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Lake Township

The Laketon High School Seniors recently enjoyed an evening of fun at Woodland Echo Farm, which seems to have been annexed as the Senior headquarters. The evening's program of events included games, singing to the accompaniment of the ever-popular "uke", and making fudge (which with the Seniors, is a well-mastered culinary art).

The Seniors are commonly called "dignified," but that title will be put aside soon, for we are at the present practicing for a play, and when it is rendered in the near future it will be hard to class "dignified" and "Seniors" as one. We absolutely guarantee an enjoyable and happy evening to all who wish to attend and see the class at its best.

After a well-earned vacation is over and the Senior Class room is again occupied by those "worthies," we feel as if we could "conquer the world." That seems rather absurd, but it isn't, for we are staunch believers of the following words: "So give to the world the best you have, And the best will come back to you."

Senior Reporter,
LOIS SORBER.

Junior Class News

Santa Claus certainly favored the juniors this year. Besides bringing us lots of toys and candy he also sent our class rings to us by Uncle Sam. We are rather proud of ourselves, that we can have our rings in the Junior year, something that no Junior Class in Laketon has ever done.

Plans are being made to start practice on the Junior play as soon as a suitable one is chosen. Miss Williams is going to coach us.

A group of Juniors and Seniors were greatly favored by a prominent person in Laketon when they were given, as a gift over the holidays, books on which to write 2,000 word essays. There were only five and just to call your attention to how punctual we are, the essays were all in fine shape by 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Now that vacation is over we will have to buckle down to work in order that we may meet the future examinations fully prepared. Perhaps there will be more essays, too, but not for five Juniors and Seniors, as they think that they have had their turn and will in the future, I feel sure, do as they're told. We have no hard feelings, however, except in the two fingers where we hold our pencils.

ADDA JARINGER,
Junior Class Reporter.

Games At Laketon

December 21, the Friday before vacation, a very interesting basketball game took place in our gym, when the boys' and girls' teams of Laketon played Wilkes-Barre Business College.

A large crowd of spectators and rooters watched with enthusiasm the girls' game, which was a very rough and tumble one.

At the close of the fourth quarter the audience was surprised, but happily to see that the score was 27 to 9 in favor of Laketon.

Many shouts greeted the boys when they descended to the gym floor and began showing their skill, but they were greeted by more shouting when at the end of the first half the score was 15 to 9 in favor of our boys.

You can guess the rest. When at the end of the game the final score was 19 to 15 in our favor, of course, the boys felt as proud as peacocks and ascended the stairs amid shouts

Dallas Borough

The Christmas vacation is past with all the pupils back in school working harder than ever. A change has taken place in the classes. A new subject was put in which is art and is taught by Mrs. LeGrand. The science room is completed, and is now being used by the High School science classes. This makes science more interesting, because we make the experiments as they are studied.

The school library is near completion and will be ready for use on Friday. There are two hundred books and each pupil is required to give a report on nine. This is not only for the reading purpose but for pronunciation and the meaning of the words and also clear reading.

As we have a new schedule we start school at 8:45 in the morning. This is so that the grade students will have more time for lunch.

Jokes

Two colored gentlemen were talking about automobiles owned by their respective employers.

"An' den he bought dis new 'coop.'"
"You don't call dem 'coops'; dey is pronounced 'coop-pay.' A 'coop' is what you put chickens in."

"Yes, sah, dat's what he does with this one."

Miss Hazlett—We should never do in private what we would not do in public.

Bad Boy—How about taking a bath, teacher?

Patient—I'm a little short of breath, Doc.

Doctor—Have patience, my good man, and we'll soon stop that.

The editor of a newspaper wheeled around his chair and pressed a button on his desk. The office day entered.

Here, he said, are a number of directions from outsiders telling us how to run our paper.
See that everyone is carried out.
And the office boy, gathering them all in a large waste basket, did so.

of joy from their well wishers. There certainly was a big time in the old town the night our teams defeated Wilkes-Barre Business College.

Thursday evening the Sandy Beach Five plays the Y. M. C. A. of Wilkes-Barre. It will be a good game boys, and you want to come.

Friday night the boys' varsity of Laketon play the Foster Township High School on our floor. A fast game is predicted and will be worth seeing. A game is scheduled for the girls, which will be announced later.

FORMA RASKIN,
Sophomore Reporter.

The following alumni of Lake Township High School have returned to their respective colleges to resume their studies after the holiday season: Ethel and Adda Edwards, Lock Haven Normal; Violet Kocher, Wilkes-Barre Business College; Esther Honeywell, Wilkes-Barre Business College; Clifford Boothe, Bucknell University; Genevieve Wolfe, Bloomsburg State Teachers' College; Myatilla Rood, Bloomsburg State Teachers' College; Mildred Shaver, Wyoming Seminary; Harold Payne, Wyoming Seminary; and Clarence Payne, Wyoming Seminary.

RUTH HONEYWELL.

ARTISTIC SIGNS AND BANNERS

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Kingston Township

Pictures were taken of the K. T. H. S. students and of the Junior High School students of Shavertown by a representative of the Educational Thrift Service. Pictures were also taken of the Cashier groups of both schools. The pictures will be published in the Educational Thrift Gazette and the schools presented with framed pictures of groups. Pictures are taken of all schools making a grade of 100 per cent in banking.

Spending is a habit; saving is a habit; let us form the proper habits during school life and then we need have no fear of the future.

Our school and community were saddened by the recent deaths of two of our highly respected citizens, Mr. Nash and Mr. Appleton. Mr. Nash was the grandfather of Miss Norma Williams of the Senior Class. Mr. Appleton was the father of Howard Appleton, member of the school board and the grandfather of Kenneth Appleton of the Sophomore Class and Jeanne Appleton, of the Junior Class.

Mr. J. B. Schooley, secretary of the Board of Education, is confined at his home with a severe case of sciatica rheumatism.

The Senior Class will present the comedy: "Who Wouldn't Be Crazy?" by aKtharine Kavanaugh. The cast

J. D. Hutchison, county agent of Luzerne County Agriculture Extension Association conducted an Adult Poultry Club meeting in the Shavertown school building Thursday evening, January 10, 1929.

will be coached by Miss Smiley and Miss Robinson.

A joint meeting of the Improvement Association and firemen will be held in the Firemen Hall on Monday evening, January 14th at 8 p. m. All members of both organizations should attend this important meeting.

A speed and accuracy test was held in the Freshman Algebra Classes recently. The honors went to William Thompson of the first section and Beatrice Drake, of the second section.

A large number of students in both high school and grades are absent on account of illness.

The following will serve on the Literary Program Committee:

Elwood Nelson, Betty Jane Laycock, Elwood Dymond and Eleanor Staub.

The percentages of the high school classes in banking this week are as follows: Seniors, 100 per cent; Sophomores, 100 per cent; Juniors, 80 per cent; Freshmen, 80 1-2 per cent.

Mrs. Harvey Coon, of Wyoming, passed away on Monday morning, January 4th. Mrs. Coon was a sister of Mr. Edwin Hay, president of the Board of Education.

Examinations for Naval Academy Appointments

There are 60 young men registered to take the examination in this Congressional District for the three appointments open to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. The test is to be given in Coughlin High School this morning.

A physical examination is also required. The papers will be sent, sealed, to Washington, for correction by the U. S. Civil Service Commission.

Three alternates, as well as three appointments, will be named by Congressman John J. Casey.

Lehman Township

The High School regretted to hear of the death of Mr. William Thomas, the grandfather of Marjorie Foss, one of our girls. We wish to express our deepest sympathy.

Hildreth Garnett has returned to her school activities after a brief illness. Several victims of the much prevalent flu have been reported including Bryce Major, Myrtle Lamoreau and Frances Randall.

The Girls Varsity played the ex-High Friday, January 4, 1929. The H. S. girls were victorious with a score of 24 to 8. The boys played the Dallas town team. The Lehman Varsity won with a score of 32 to 8. The Lermer Scrubs also won from the Dallas second team.

The drama, "A Poor Married Man" will be given at the Meeker Grange Hall January 16, 1929. Everyone must attend. Bring your family.

Kenneth Hawk, a member of the Senior Class has returned to school after the Christmas vacation with his parents at Bear Creek. He reports good skating at Bear Creek.

Emma Steele, also a Senior has returned after spending her Christmas vacation at her home in Mooretown.

Walter Ide, John Skopic and Bert Green were welcome visitors at school Friday, December 21, 1928. We were glad to see the boys to show them what great progress the school is achieving.

Prof. O. H. Aurand has returned from his vacation in Lewistown, Pa. This town proves to be a grand resort, as Mr. Aurand was in a very happy mood upon his arrival.

Mr. Earl F. Farley has resumed his arduous task of teaching after a pleasant vacation at his home in Lewisburg, Pa. We regret that Mr. Farley received two severe gashes on his forehead that he must have been face during his absence. We have driving recklessly and met with an accident.

Mrs. Lavina Shoudice nee Smith, a former student of our school, visited here Wednesday.

Miss Gertrude Culp, '26, a student at Wilkes-Barre Business College, spent the Christmas vacation with her parents at Huntsville.

Miss Alice Smith, '25, an employee of Whitenight, Inc., spent the Christmas holidays at her home in Idetown.

Miss "Kitty" Anson is ill at her home in Huntsville. The Freshmen seem entirely lost without their class president. They wonder about as if helpless in their loss.

Noxen To Play

This evening, in Jones' dance hall, the Noxen Five will play Bernie's Five, of Trucksville. The Noxen Five have several open dates and would like to hear from third class teams of the valley. Return games will be played. Teams desiring to play these boys should write to Clarence Turner, Noxen.

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The Seventh Grade has chosen the following officers:

Ellen Kunkle, president; Robert Hislop, vice-president; Jewel Litwin, secretary; Willard Lauderbach, treasurer.

The Seventh Grade still maintains a good attendance record.

The Eighth Grade organization met in Room B Wednesday, December 19, 1928 at 9 o'clock. The class party was held at the home of Darwin Husted on the evening of December 28.

Those present were: Doris Lauderbach, Marie Sayre, Bertha Urdyke, Viola Spencer, Bruce Spencer, Elwood Spencer, George Yatsko, Melvin Mosier and one visitor, Mathew Legosh. A tasty lunch was served. The Ninth and Tenth Grades held a skating party on Payne's Pond on the evening of January 8th.

Jokes

Mr. Kester—"Elizabeth why don't you answer me, when I ask you a question?"

Elizabeth—"I did. I shook my head."

Mr. Kester—"How can I hear your brains rattle all the way up here?"

Melvin—"I hear that Marie Sayre has a case on Jimmie Miers."

Joseph—"Yea, she threw her spectacle case at him."

Domestic Aggression

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Business College

Wilkes-Barre Business College students and faculty resumed routine after the holiday period, and the following typewriting awards have been secured by students: Underwood bronze pins, 25 words a minute—Maude Kinne, Wyalusing; Agnes Milunas, West Pittston. Royal bronze pin—Walter Waclawski, Wanamie. He also qualified for the silver pin, the gold pin, and the Royal advanced certificate. Dalton adding machine, pearl pins, for listing and adding 100 items in less than one minute, were received by Lando Valentine, Wanamie, and Thomas Mundry, of Nanticoke.

Victor Lee Dodson, president of the college, who has returned from Detroit, Mich., where last week he attended the 31st annual convention of National Commercial Teachers' Federation, discussed the events on the program, one of the outstanding features being the stenotype meeting, at which some fifty schools were represented by teachers and proprietors interested in development of the shorthand writer machine. Trips were made to Burroughs adding machine plant, Ford plant and Detroit art center. Prominent speakers at the sessions were Dr. Merten S. Rice, of Detroit Metropolitan M. E. Church, who is one of Detroit's noted speakers; also James Schermerhorn, writer and lecturer, who took Speed for his topic.

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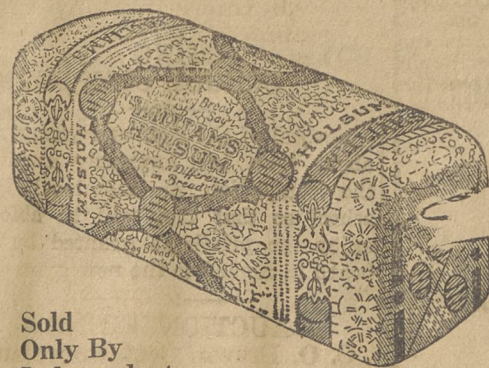
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