

THE PATTERSONIAN

Very Interesting News From the Columns of Our School Publication

ALUMNI NOTES

Ruth N. Stoll, '06

Messrs. James O. Newpher, Bysshe Heilig and James Kendig returned to State College Monday after spending the holiday vacation with their parents.

Mr. John E. Engle of Titusville, visited his parents for a few days during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarence Reist entertained a number of their friends at their home on Delta street in honor of their wedding anniversary, December thirty-first.

Miss Wynne Cassel of Harrisburg spent Christmas day in town.

Mr. William Roberts who is working at Mount Carmel, is visiting his parents on Poplar street.

Mrs. Richards was in Philadelphia New Year's day.

Mr. Paul Brubaker was called home on account of the death of his father.

Mr. Alvin Shonk has returned to Lebanon Valley College.

SENIOR CLASS

Martha Musser, '14

New Year with its best
To us has come again,
Oh! may we prove in every "Test"
Good work of the Mount Joy High.

New Year Resolutions—Resolved:—
Not to eat so many sweets.—Miriam C.
To do noble things, not dream them all day long.
Chisel our character so that it may be like a diamond that scratches other stones.
Learn to know thine ownself.—Roy H.
To love papa and mamma best.—Viola R.
Be sure that my kindness to others weighs more than their kindness to me.—Fannie S.
I will try to do my best whatever the task may be.—Lottie R.
To try to improve my work in Mount Joy High.—Esther W. Nissley, referring to his watch—"I'm a little slow."
Garber—"We all know that."
Miss Ream spent part of vacation in Lebanon.
Hershey—"It doesn't hurt, it's solid."
Show that solids expand. (A boil).
English Teacher—"Who was Andrew Freepert?"
Nissley—"He was a Freepert merchant."
Welcome, Owen Greenawalt,
For well we know
Our class was not
Complete without thy presence.

The Senior Literary Society rendered the following program on Wednesday, December 17:

President's Address, Miss Martha Musser; Essay, "The Spirit of Christmas Giving," Miss Viola Ream; Recitation, "The Red Cross Stamp," Miss Miriam Chandler; "Query Box" Answers, Miss Fannie Strickler; Oration, "The Life and Work of Socrates," Mr. Harvey Longenecker; Referred Question, "The Wise Men in their Meeting," Mr. Dale Garber; Report of Current Events, Miss Lottie Rover; Debate, Resolved:—"That the love of fame is more powerful in human affairs than the love of money; Affirmative, Mr. Roy Hershey and Mr. Raymond Nissley; Negative—Miss Esther Weber and Mr. Alvin Rutt; Decision of Judges, Negative; Decision of House, Negative; General Debate, Participants, Messrs. Ream and Strickler; Messrs. Garber, Nissley, Hershey and Rutt; Select Reading, "Santa Claus' Assistant," Mr. Edear Missemmer; Critic Remarks, Mr. Alvin Rutt; Recitation, "How Two Girls Study," Miss Marguerite M. Herr.

A Senior's Opinion

The day before Thanksgiving was the first time the Junior class held their rhetorical in the main auditorium, before a well pleased and appreciative audience of High School pupils. Much credit is due the Juniors for the quality of their work, and especially for the familiarity with which the various exercises were executed, showing both much effort and ability. The debate was the special feature and great antagonism was shown in the general debate. The Juniors may well consider their effort crowned with great success.

E. M., '14

JUNIOR CLASS NOTES

John Reist, '15

A few resolutions which, the editor thinks, if put into use would bring fine results.

Resolved—That I will have my daily lessons prepared throughout the year.—J. E. S.

P. S.—That I will be on time with everything.
That I will not punch my neighbor.—Clarence B.
That I will get out my Algebra myself.—Gladys F.

I hereby resolve, with Miss Bucher as my witness, to cease making love to a young lady who sits in a seat diagonal from mine.

P. S.—That I will also stop rinning at "chestnuts".—John S.
That in the coming year I will pay more attention to the pleasures of the world.—Walter R.

Latin—Indicative Voice, Active Mood.
Mr. '14, to a Junior—"On what date does Christmas occur?"

Dec. 12, our class held a meeting. We decided to go to town the following Friday with Mr. Roudabush, and Miss Herr as chaperones.

Esheleman '17 and Roberts '17 walked to Chickies on account of their health.

White, who was caught in the act of mischief—The eyes in the back of my head, I can watch you have.

This way will produce a great, enormous amount of work.

Last week on account of the illness of Mr. Roudabush, Mr. Walter was thinking of his resignation.

Senior Society
The Senior Society met and the program being continued. At the meeting it was decided to take as

Society; Oration, Harold Harmon; Recitation, Gladys Flowers; Current Events, Leah Stauffer; Sentiment, R. Ellsworth S., Ruth B. and Mabel Moore; Critic's Remarks, Clarence Brubaker. Wanted—A joke for Clarence Brubaker.

The Senior Sociable

On Thursday evening, December the eighteenth, around seven o'clock, gay voices were resounding through the assembly hall. The Seniors were giving a sociable to the school and faculty. When we entered we were ushered in by one of the members and perceived the room to be decorated with the 1914 colors. Then in a short time the program commenced which consisted of instrumental solos, recitations, readings, duets, singing by the class and a drama. We were then surprised by seeing the boys and girls decked with little white aprons, serving the best kind of eats.

Then we gave the rest of our time to playing games. The most noted was the Virginia Reel and during the last round Raymond N. was presented with a bouquet for his gracefulness. The song sounded all too soon when we had to return to our homes. I am sure we all wish to thank the Seniors for the most enjoyable time we had this year.

M. E. H., '15

A Junior Jaunt

The bright faces of the Junior Class were seen to congregate at the school-house at 6:30 p. m. on the 19th of December. What could this mean? Where were they going? These were some of the questions which undoubtedly sprang up in the minds of the competitive Seniors and other friends. These questions were easily solved when a few minutes later Miss Donaven and Miss Herr alighted from an automobile. Then to the surprise of all a large wagon came and the members of the Class of 1915 were boosted up into the wagon. Saying farewell to our comrades we started for Maytown where we intended visiting the High School Lyceum. The first stop was at Habecker's where we met our lovely little classmate—a blonde—who is admired by all of us—especially by the opposite sex. A few more rods being passed over we welcomed more of our class—Mary, Mabel and John—three of our attractive classmates from the neighboring village known as Florin. Our presence was made known by the bugle-call given by Mr. Shrite. "Bootie" was desittive of a horn so he borrowed one from a generous friend (H. H.) and by trying to show the strength and expansion of his lungs had the misfortune of breaking the horn. At 7:30 we dismounted from our lofty perch and saluted the Maytown High. There we entered the celebrated Maytown Hall where a program was rendered by the High School Literary Society. All being boosted into the wagon again we left for home. On our ride home the whole party was treated to sweets furnished by a few of the generous girls. Ellsworth and Clarence surely will be able to vouch as to the elegance of Mabel's "sea-foam" candy. Everyone participated in singing Xmas Carols and songs which livened up the crowd. Returning home we passed through Marietta and Florin. When arriving at Florin several of our classmates left the jolly crowd and they were all taken to their respective homes except our "lovely little country maiden" who was entertained by one of her classmates. Reaching our destination about 11:30 we were all seen to our respective dwellings.

Martha Bucher, '15

SOPHOMORE CLASS NOTES

Oscar Laskewitz, '16

Anna S. in Latin—"No sir, this is in the Ablative case because boy is feminine."

Arthur M.—"Blanche, did you ever eat cumquats?"
Blanche E.—"Oh! don't talk about eating tomatos."
Arthur M.—Ain't them girls of the A Class exceedingly bright?"

Frank Gantz in History, talking about how the army of Xerxes was mowed down like grass by the Greeks said, "The Persians were slain down like grass."

Anna S. in Latin class said, "We could see on the top of the mountain by the light of the moon." We, the Sophomores, are still wondering how many moons there are in the world.

Anna S., '16 was asked by the History teacher who the teacher of Alcibiades was. Anna answered by saying Sew-crates.

New Year Resolutions

Resolved, that we, the Sophomore Class put more life in our English recitations than we have previously done.

Resolved for the year 1914, that we, the Sophomore Class, will assist George Brown and Walter Bernhart to change their peculiar modes of laughing as it annoys us, the industrious "Sophos," very much.

Resolved, that we, the Sophomore Class, will do a lot of reviewing, so that we will not be separated after the Mid-Year examinations.

Resolved, that we, the Sophomore Class, advise Calvin Kramer to eat his lunch at home as it makes too much dirt around our desks and it also is unhealthy.

Resolved, that I, Frank Gantz, will stop talking to Esther Wittle, as I need all my study periods to get out the long English and History lessons.

Resolved for the year 1914 that I, George Brown, will stop talking to the girls in school.

Resolved for the year 1914 that I, Calvin Kramer, will get a cage in which to store all my brilliant ideas.

We wish that Calvin Kramer would make a 1914 resolution to attend school more regularly for the whole term and not be sick any more, as we need him very badly.

Signed: The Sophomores

Oscar to Paul—"Why are the pupils of the Sophomore Class in Algebra like the Hindu people?"
Paul—"I don't know. Why?"
Oscar—"Because the class is divided into castes. They are the learned and the beginners."

FRESHMAN CLASS NOTES

Frances Beatty, '17 and Alvin Reist, '17

Katherine Witmer has returned to school after a long absence.
George Weber—"Did she commit suicide again?"
When Vivian Chandler was asked for a product that grows in the ground, she exclaimed "Fishing."
Advice to Lloyd Garman—Don't bother other people but bother your books.
Catherine Breneman in Geography class was asked where coal is mined. She replied that it is raised in the United States.
"My mother-in-law's property was destroyed."—Martin Musser.
"What are you?" asked the teacher in Grammar of Leo Smith. He, lacking an example for the masculine gender, replied "A man." Then he realized his presumption, blushed and corrected his error (?).
Miss Donaven—"Run up the blind, Edwin, please."

Freshman Class Resolutions

Resolved, that we, the Freshman Class, will attend to our lessons.

Resolved, that we, the Freshman Class, will try to please our

Resolved—We the Freshman Class, will have a girls' basketball team.

Resolved—That we, the Freshman Class, beginning with the New Year, will try to put our best licks in for hard study more than ever before.

Resolved—That we the Freshman Class, will try to improve our politeness in every way we can.

Resolved—We, the Freshman Class, will try to improve our habits of study.

Resolved—We the Freshman Class, will try to do all we can to improve our High School course.

Resolved—We, the Freshman Class, will try to be more agreeable to our teachers and our fellow-students.

CURRENT SCHOOL EVENTS

Clarence H. Brubaker, '15

Dr. J. J. Newpher, a newly elected school director, paid the High School a visit, January 5.

The Mid-year examinations will be held Jan. 30, Feb. 2 and 3. Misses Flowers '13, Kendig '12 and Mr. Ebersole '13 visited us during the month.

The wearing of rings is an adorning custom. But attention is called to those appendages which they adorn. Therefore see to it that those appendages have had a generous supply of Babbitts' and aqua.

Speaking of means of adornment, have you seen any of those initial kind? Initial in two ways, the first of its kind and containing initials. These initials are placed on the wrist about the junction of the metacarpal with the wrist bones. They are presumably beautifully surrounded by a scroll-like design. This wonderful creation is the product of some members of our school and is inscribed on the person with ink. We feel convinced that ink is wasted, book-keeping neglected and the blood poisoned.

Mr. William B. Roberts, '11, of Mt. Carmel, visited the High School, January 8.

ATHLETIC NOTES

Walter D. Bernhart

The tendency of the boys of the High School is to play marbles instead of basket-ball or foot-ball. Mr. Roudabush, commenting on the same tells the boys that they could not find a better way of becoming athletes.

Bare Facts

The teachers in a class in English demanded that the pupils all write for their daily exercise a brief account of a baseball game.

One boy sat through the period seemingly wrapt in thought, while the others worked hard, and turned in their narratives. After school the teacher approached the desk of the laggard.

"I'll give you five minutes to write that description," he sternly said, "if it is not done by that time, I shall punish you."

The boy promptly concentrated all his attention upon the theme as the teacher slowly counted the moments. At last with

We have just returned to school from a vacation of two weeks. We wish to thank the Board for the generous vacation which was afforded us. We are able to tell many of the New Year resolutions by the way some are attacking their work. May these resolutions not last only during the month of January but may they extend throughout the whole school term.

The time for the payment of your subscription to the Pattersonian has come. Many of you may have overlooked this fact. This suggestion is then a timely reminder. The pressing needs of the High School is another reason for the appeal for the price of your subscription. We wish to thank all those who have already paid and we have in reserve a store of thanks for those who yet owe.

Austin H. Fellenbaum, Cir. Mgr.

Inverted

"Bicycles! Bicycles!"
Nay; to shun laughter,
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John Bannister Tabb

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