

Little Gov'nor

Jr Hi HOLDS SPORTS DAY

JAMES SMITH, ELAINE CHRISTENSEN, FRAZEE
 DAVID-GOOD CITIZENS REIGN OVER 13TH ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

In the annual Honor Assembly held Wednesday, May 16, at Jr. Hi, Elaine David & James Smith were named the best citizens for the year '44-'45.

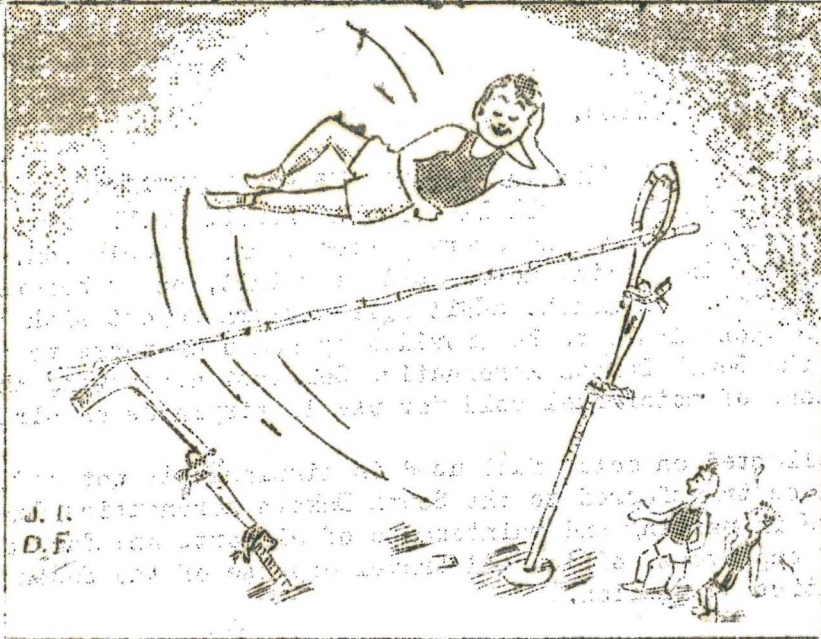
Each of them were awarded a medal and defense stamps by Mrs. D. W. Loucks, representative of the D. A. R., following her brief talk on citizenship.

The awards are given yearly to the ninth grade boy and girl who excel in honor, service, courage, leadership, and scholarship more than any other students.

HISTORY AWARDS

The award similar to the citizenship awards of the ninth grade is the history medal. This medal is also given yearly by the D. A. R., and the person winning it has really worked for it. The award is

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Sports Day, biggest calendar events on the Junior Hi schedule, was held on May 11 with all the school competing.

The students met at 1:00 in a special assembly in study hall in which Orca Christensen and Donald Frazee were crowned king and queen to reign over the

PARSONS MAYOR

Once more in the semi-annual election in Jr. Hi. the boys won over the girls in choice of mayor. In a close race between Elizabeth Goetz and Gary Parsons, Gary won the highest vote, and will serve as mayor during the first semester next year. Everyone hopes Gary will have a very successful term.

Elizabeth will prove a valuable addition to the

day's events. Runners-up were: For queen-Mary Janet Anderson, Patty Arch, Connie Doherty, and Elaine David; for king-Scon Michaelson, Jim Cox, Jim Smith, and Bob Coe.

Following this the track and field events, which occupied the greater share of the afternoon, were run off.

JOHNSON'S HOMEROOM WINS

Points were given for placing and participation and the homeroom with the highest number of them was Miss Johnson's eighth grade one. Miss

SCHOOL'S OUT!

program committee.

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the staff, our advisor Miss Morse, and other members of the faculty, for their splendid cooperation in the publishing of the "Little Governor". We have established a paper this year which has helped greatly to promote better school spirit. It is my hope that the "little Governor" can be carried on next year, and for years to come. We have tried to start a paper which will become a standard tradition in J. R. H. It is up to the incoming ninth graders and those who are to come to carry it on and put it on a permanent basis.

L. Smith-She as pretty as a picture.
 Jack Werckman-Yeah, and I'd like to hang her.

One of the most worthwhile projects started this year was the forming of various clubs. They have accomplished some outstanding work, and I believe the students join me in hoping they can be carried on again when school opens next fall.

Victory in Europe has been achieved. However this is no time for America to relax her efforts. Everyone must strive all the harder to bring about a quick and decisive victory in the Pacific.

There are many things we can do to assist our fighting forces, such as, securing helpful jobs especially relating to the shortage of agriculture help.

Whatever the job may be, stick to it, and back the attack. Help fight for lasting peace!

MAYOR-----GARY PARSONS
 9th Grade
 Com.-Orca Christlanson
 George Elysharty
 V. Com.-Barbara Goetz
 Herbert Dittman
 Sec.-Buron Lindbloom
 Warren Vaughn
 8th Grade
 Com.-Cecil Corbett
 Nancy Ellis
 Maurice Frazee &
 Richard Tunison
 V. Com.-Leon Photenhauer
 Jean Ziegler
 Ann Wilkenson
 Sec.-Patty Pashby
 Jim Feeney
 Lois Olson
 7th Grade
 Com.-Vonna Mae Best
 Mary Crow
 V. Com.-Wm. Peterson
 Herman Bauer
 Sec.-Connie Carter
 Robin Kayser

7th Achievement List
 fifth period

Bever, Jane
 Crow, Mary
 Dorn, Ruby
 Douglas, Phyllis
 Etkorn, Mary
 Hall, Carmen
 Harrowa, Dolora
 Johnson, Russell
 Kelly, Warren
 Kiewel, Donald
 Lindekugel, Beth
 McBride, LuAnn
 McMullen, Barbara
 Miller, Jerry
 Rouse, Barbara
 Thielen, Alice
 West, Waverly
 Whitney, Kenneth

Jerry Linn-In that death scene of mine I moved them all to tears.
 Hal Westover-Yeah, they knew you were only playing dead.

SPORTS

PIERRE HAS FAST TRACK TEAM

The Pierre Governors show great possibilities of becoming a state champ track team. The Governors have been in four meets up to date, and have done well in all considering that they haven't been in full power because of injuries.

FEENEY AND OPHEIM DO WELL

Feeney, star sprinter, and Opheim, distance man, proved to be two of the big factors in Pierre's power. Feeney capped the 100 yd. dash, and put the sprint medley team in the lead at the Legion Relays. While Opheim anchored the 2 mile, and sprint medley relay teams to victory.

Chuck Lindekugel also lent a helping hand by taking the shot put and discus. Pierre took five first places, and entered in only eight events.

FEENEY LAME AT ABERDEEN

Pierre got only one first at Aberdeen, this being Feeney in the 100 yd. dash. Pierre entered in only the medley because of the star sprinters bad leg. But they did get a third place in it. It was at Aberdeen that Capt. Bill Robinson returned to the team, after suffering a leg injury.

Also Aberdeen was the site for the breaking of a National High School

PIERRE TAKES C.S.D. TITLE

Gathering first in all events but the high ki, $\frac{1}{2}$ and the mile relay, Pierre took the C.S.D. Title very easily. Records were broken in the 100 yd dash and the 220 yd. dash by Feeney and in the discus by Chuck Lindekugel. Although the competition was none too great. The results are encouraging.

PIERRE GETS 7 FIRSTS

Although placing 2nd to Huron in the Region 4 Meet, Pierre's state championship chances are still very good. Pierre took seven first places, and placed ten men for the state. Chas. Lindekugel gave a good showing as he broke records in the shot put, and discus.

discus record. This feat was done by big Berle Thompson of Minneapolis East who tossed the platter 171' 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Freshman: "I recieved a letter from home with a check in it."
Senior: "Swell, now you can pay me that five dollars you owe me."
Freshman: "Wait till I tell you the rest of the dream."

The soldier was a former big leaguer. He always slid into every new base.

PIERRE TRACK TEAM CAPS STATE TITLE

The Pierre Governors, led by the star sprinter, Lindy Feeney, nosed out the Sioux Falls Warriors by one point, 27 to 26, to take the state track and field meet at Huron last Saturday. A farm boy by the name of Harold Lynn cracked the state mile record by 4 tenths of a second, running it in 4. 34.7.

Pierre took firsts in three events: the 100 yard dash, the 220 yard dash, and the 880 yard relay. The last event of the day, the mile relay, was the deciding factor of the meet, and Pierre was saved by the Platte team which came in first. The prospects for next year's track team will also be good, with many veterans returning.

On VE Day we had an assembly which really fitted the occasion. Mrs. Franklin Hyde came up and read several poems for us. The main one being "The Murder Of Letiche" by Edna St. Vincent Millay. Rev. Lind then spoke a few words about the meaning connected with the fall of Germany.

Passenger: Does this bus stop at the Main Street hotel?
Driver: No, Sir. We leave it at the barn at night.

SPORTS-DAY

Miss Johnson Wins

First place winners in all events were:

- Boys
- Hurdles-- B. Petersen
L. Pfothenauer
B. Lindbloom
- 100 yd. dash-- B. Peterson
R. Tunison
B. Lindbloom
- Shot Put-- A. Augustine
J. Feeney
C. Clark
- High Jump-- R. Anos
H. Westover
C. Wegner
B. Brown
G. Fluharty
- Broad Jump-- A. Hayes
H. Westover
B. Brown
- 9th 220-- B. Lindbloom
- 50 yd. dash B. Peterson
R. Tunison
- 3 legged race--
Johnson-Whitney
Corbett-Peterson
Tipton-Dittman
- Wheel Barrow
Barnes-Murphy
Oldaker-Junkian
Touchstone-Horner
- 440 yd. Relay
Mrs. Westover
Miss Johnson
Miss Hartman

Girls

- 50 yd. dash-- D. Harrowa
J. Zigler
E. David
- 100 yd. dash-- B. Vance
L. Floyd
E. Speese
- Broad Jump-- D. Harrowa
D. Stertz
E. Speese
- Baseball Throw-- McBrade.
E. Augustine
R. Norman
- 440 yd. Relay-- Miss Bell
Miss Tisher
Miss Shindoll

Queen Says:

I wish to thank all of you for the honor you have bestowed upon me and to extend my congratulations to Miss Johnson's Home Room.

With everybody's fine cooperation to make it so I'm sure we had a swell sport's day this year.

King Says:

I would like to thank all you students for the honor which you have bestowed upon me, and also the faculty who made this Sports Day possible. I would like to congratulate Miss Johnson's Home Room on winning our annual Sports Day Plaque. I wish the incoming ninth grade king all the luck in the world.

Coach Says:

The time made in the running events, and the marks made in the field events were much better than I expected them to be. In fact, they were quite outstanding.

Again the Sports Day

plaque has gone to an eighth grade home room!! This year Miss Johnson's track stars decisively won the meet by rolling up 69 points. They were closely followed by Miss Shindoll's home room who had 58 1/2 points, third, tie for 4th, Miss Hartman and Mr. Westover with 43 1/2 and last Miss Tisher with 36 points.

An assembly was held at 1:00 in which Orca Christensen and "Spud" Frazee were crowned queen and king. Mr. Adams entertained us with a vocal solo.

Following the assembly the students went down to the track field to participate in the various events. During the course of the afternoon, two records were broken and one tied in the girls events. These included the 50 yd. dash by Elaine David in 6 seconds, and the 100 ydr dash by Elaine Speese in 11.9. Lois Floyd tied the 8th. grade 100 yard dash in 13.4 seconds.

3 legged race--

- Best-Carter
McLaughlin-Schwallenback
Garford-Knodel
- Basketball Throw--
C. Hall
M. Harter
D. Mc Ilravy

BUY

BONDS

ALL SUMMER!

KEYHOLE RUMORS



ADVICE TO THE LOVE LORN

The major event of the past few weeks was the Junior-Senior Prom. There were several new couples there such as; Jane and Bunk, Jerry and Karl, Orca and Lindy, and Doana and Squiff. Of course there were the usual steadies including Condie and Gil, Nancy and Jim, Jody and Lowie, and Jim O. and Jane Mc.

Junior High has been enjoying films over at Senior High. It's just too bad that they had to turn the lights on between films because Elias will never get his rest if he is wakened so often.

It was really a great event when on Tuesday Janie and Jody both bought paper. This proved to be a great morale builder for the school in general.

In the past few weeks there has been quite a decided change in couples. Jim C. seemed to have found Vonna Mae to be quite an attraction in spite of the fact that Georgie was still wearing his bracelet. Something seemed to have happened between Ann and Deans, and when I heard that Dude and Marlene broke up too, I began to think it was a fad. Or as Judge Bale would have stated it "The smart thing to do."

Lindy and Orca seem to have struck up a "friendship". Don't be discouraged, Lindy. Great loves from little friendships often grow.

It seems there was a very serious epidemic of

Dear Jae;

Please tell me the cold, solemn truth to my problem. My boy friend is going away to work this summer and will probably meet some other girls. Will he be interested in me when he comes back next fall?

Worried.

Dear Worried:

I'm glad that you realize that I always tell the truth. Your case is the cause of many heart-breaks. But if you follow the simple suggestions below, I am sure you will get amazing results.

Maybe your boy will meet other girls, but turnabout is fair play. There are "many fish in the stream" and so out of town boys will come to your town. You should be able to hook a couple of them, by better means than any I could mention, and then use the old jealous trick. You know you let him know by indirect means that you're having more fun without him. Then he'll spend his time trying to get you back, instead of chasing other girls (you hope). Besides, you can have a lot of fun making him jealous. (Don't do anything I wouldn't do.)

I'm sure he will still be interested in you when he comes back in the fall if you use the above method. But if he isn't it will be a simple matter to gain his interest again. Just play up to him, or play up to somebody else and use the

jealous trick, or ignore him, or something. Anything will work so long as it has enough allure.

But I would recommend this as the best solution. Get another boy who is staying in town.

Jaw

(column one con't)

gripitis on "E Day", because we didn't have a holiday. In spite of the seriousness the epidemic luckily did not prove to be fatal.

The last word (and I do mean last word) in style was brought out by Gus, Jim G., and Jim B. when they came out in their "city suits". Somehow, I don't think Mr. Ward believed them when they said they had run out of other clothes.

Sports Day

(con't)

Shindoll's ninth grade homeroom came second, with Miss Bell's seventh grade one in third place.

History Awards

(con't)

made for the highest average in history classes during the seventh and eighth grade years. This year it was won by Lawrence Jandquist.

He's a blue blood. His blood's so blue he's been dependent for years

D. Burnett - She has a schoolgirl complexion.

E. Briggs - Yes, night school.

(con't. column three)

ACTIVITIES

MRS. WESTOVER'S HOMEROOM PLAY

We had a lot of fun getting our assembly program ready. Joanne Kelley went barefoot so much, practicing that she almost forgot to wear her shoes to school. She got Maw's wedding gown on, and sewed it until it was too tight then she had to rip it off.

Sam (Barbara Vance) put her hair up in the old hat so many times that she had to get a permanent.

Maw (Vonna Mae Best) was sewing patches on her gown in math and history classes.

We were very proud of Connie's acting. We think our group did swell for sevens.

MISS TISHER'S GROUP CLEANS HOUSE

Believe it or not, some of Miss Tisher's homeroom people have actually cleaned out their lockers! Oh, I don't mean to say that some of them weren't always clean, but I'm speaking of a few.

Maybe you saw the mess in front of some of the lockers. Well, "things are getting tough all over"!

STAMP SALE AWARDS

A long awaited treat. As a reward for reaching a certain quota in the stamp sale the homerooms were entertained in A. H. by the movie entitled "Friendly Valley." This

GIRLS TREAT BOYS

The boys had a long wait for their treat for winning the drive for clothing to be sent away to needy countries, but they were well rewarded.

The boys were very much mystified when the newspapers were put up against the windows, and it seemed the girls were guarding something with their lives.

At two o'clock, May first, Jr. Hi. went to the Senior Hi. assembly to enjoy some travel-talk films. A few girls left early to prepare eats for us (so we learned).

When the boys came back the girls were guarding the doors, having the boys walk single-file. When the study hall was reached, the mystery was solved. Cokes and large pieces of cake were served.

The cokes were brought by about seventeen eighth grade girls. After the boys had eaten, the girls were served.

SR. HI. PLAY

"One Mad Night" the Sr High play was presented. April 20. Gene Pashby supported by a splendid cast gave us an hour of very enjoyable entertainment.

treat was rated us by council. The show was the story of a broadcast. It's humor was thoroughly enjoyed.

CLUBS

On Friday, April 29, Jr Hi clubs held their last meetings of the year. Some highlights of these meetings follows:

Hobby Club---quiz on hobbies....guessing contest ..prize to Mary E. Barnes and Donna Fjar. No future plans..

Boys Home Ec.-----plans made for next year----- "lots of fun and good eats", chief comment.

Art Club-----still life landscapes- - - - Some paints put in appearance.

Speech Club----drill in making introductions accepting trophies. extemporaneous speeches.

Dramatic Club-----choral readings . . special selections by Marion Krull, Jerry Linn and Pat Pashby ...No plans for next year

MISS JOHNSON'S PROGRAM

One of our most enjoyable assemblies was presented Tuesday, April 24 by Miss Johnson's civics class. The students gave a skit of a court scene. A jury was selected from the audience to determine the verdict. Several musical numbers by John Dewell on his accordin were also a part of this program.

The Kitchen Cobblers that great ---- band made their first appearance. April 25, on an assembly program sponsored by Mrs. Westover's Homeroom. Other enjoyable numbers included singing, dancing, readings and skits.

ODDSDS and FRIENDS

RECENT ASSEMBLIES

During the past several weeks J. H. has enjoyed many special assemblies.

Two, of never-failing interest were the ninth grade assembly featuring the class will and prophecy, and the eighth grade assembly planned as a surprise for ninths.

The ninth grade committees chose most unusual settings for their programs, and worked them out very cleverly. Interesting high-lights were parachute jumping, and a very large and very much overloaded shopping bag.

The eighth grade staged a court scene with several popular ninth graders accused of various offenses. The district attorney almost rated a fine for an attempted bribery of the judge. (with gun!)

At this assembly, the second band furnished several numbers in their initial appearance. They did a nice piece of work, too!

E. Hillmer—"Do you prefer an English saddle or a Western?"

Red Clark—"What's the difference?"

E. H.—"The Western saddle had a horn."

R. C.—"I don't think I'll need the horn. I don't intend to ride in heavy traffic."

Billy—"Grandma, can you help me with this problem
Grandma—"I could, dear, but I don't think it would be right."

LOCALS

During clubs on Friday study hall people listened to a story.

We welcome Louise Inman back to school after a long illness.

Much to our regret Miss Hartman will not be with us next year.

A group of ninth grade boys were excused early Friday afternoon for the Central Conference Track Meet.

Jr. High carried on when Sr. High had their picnic even though six teachers were absent from classes. (Ed. comment) Good work and splendid cooperation.

For once we have had six weeks of gym without any casualties.

The effects of outdoor gym are plainly noticeable -- stiff legs everywhere.

Through some mistake on the part of the typists, a large part of the seventh grade achievement list was omitted from the last issue. The complete list will appear in this issue.

Nancy Hengel is leaving early this year, to accompany her mother to Chicago.

D. Whyte: Waiter, this plate is wet.
Waiter: That's your soup sir.

HONOR ROLL

9

Hedman, Ellen
Krall, Marion
Lindbloom, Buron
Madison, Ruth
Robbins, James
Smith, James
Wegner, Karl

8

Feency, James
Hoffman, Robert
Wilkinson, Ann
Corbett, Cecil
Linn, Jerilyn
Saurenson, Maureen
Tjaden, Constance
Tusa, Juanita
Westover, Hal

7

Carter, Constance
Hoffman, Alice
Arch, Myril
Dorn, Ruby
Hyde, Helen
Kayser, Robin
Robbins, Billy
West, Waverly

ACHIEVEMENT LIST

9

Frost, Wilfred
Madison, Ruth
Triolo, Joanne

8

Augustine, Irma
Cole, Wayne
Douglas, Donald
Goetz, Elizabeth
Zigler, Lorraine

7

Kelley, Joanne
Wagoner, Vida Mae
Whitney, Donna Jean
West, Waverly