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## EAGLES TOO MUCH FOR COLONIALS

STRICTLY PERSONAL

T. B. — A DEADLY KILLER

Adams Wins 30 to 26

By Martha Virgil

Another time for the publication of the Colonial which finds me totally unprepared. Worst, yet, comes when I try to argue my present teachers for a pass to continue searching for prospective hidden facts.

The first person I came upon was none other than that well known Tom Haney. Expecting a hold back, I was surprised at the quick answer he gave. The story is fabulous. It seems that he and Ed Kubiak were walking down the street, one day and they saw this very distinguished-looking foreigner being escorted towards them. They recognized him as the present King of Poland and stopped to talk to him. Ed suddenly revealed a talent for speaking Polish and conversed with the King. Really snazzy, hey, kids!

It always seems that after we first ask a person about themselves and associates we leave them and suddenly a brilliant idea strikes them. They never remember the idea when they see us so I again visited some the teachers.

Miss Dome gave with the fact that her Great-Grandmother is Admiral Stark's second cousin. By the way, Miss Dome, isn't November 28th going to be a wonderful Thanksgiving????

Tracking down Mr. Kelsay, he told me that while visiting a school chum in Washington, which was a high official connected with the White House, they made a personal call of Charles Curtis who was Vice Pres. under Herbert Hoover's administration.

Next comes Rose Schiller who lends me the fact that her Great, Great, Great Grandmother was one of the very first families to permanently settle in Indiana.

Shirley and Duane Clobridge have some interesting ancestors. Their great-great-great-great-great-grandfather built the first corn and wheat pounding mill in Pennsylvania. It was made from an oak bottom piece with a maple log which was raised and lowered by a horse to do the pounding.

Also their great-great uncle was a Hessian German soldier who was hired by the English to fight against the American pioneers but turned fugitive and fought for the

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By Mary Lou Bonebrake

The Voluntary Junior Tuberculosis League is headed this year by Miss Bronnenberg. Lois Butterbaugh is the student representative. And when the speech contest, "Christmas Seals vs. Tuberculosis" was held recently, Ray Johnson was our school's contributor.

Sales of Christmas seals will start December 4. It deserves all our support because for over forty years it has been a leader in the field of health education and has brought tuberculosis from the first cause of death to the seventh.

The seal itself should prove inspiring this year—it's design will lend itself to many devices. You will be inspired if you just remember that tuberculosis is preventable, yet at this moment causes more deaths between the ages of 15 and 35 than any other disease.

November 19th we will have an assembly with a movie on tuberculosis education.

### COMING EVENTS

- November 19th—Movie on tuberculosis.
- November 21st—Senior play, "The Professor Proposes".
- November 22nd—End of second grading period.
- November 27th—Thanksgiving program.
- November 28th—Thanksgiving Day.
- November 28th and 29th—Thanksgiving vacation.
- December 2nd—School reopens.
- December 20th—Christmas vacation.

### THE COLONIAL POLL

Our question for this issue was, "How soon should we have a new school; two, three, or five years?"

This question had about the same reply from everyone, this being, "We should have a new school as soon as possible." Just how soon we'll get a new school is a question that can be answered only in time. Meanwhile we'll just have to wait and see. Oh! By the way, maybe you want the results of the poll. They are as follows:

- 2 years ..... 78%
- 3 years ..... 12%
- 5 years ..... 10%

By Jim Berger

In the first quarter, Call, number 45, of Washington-Clay started scoring at the foul line. Ziker of Adams also scored from the foul line. Adams started scoring from the foul line again when Lambert scored one and missed one foul shot.

Ziker caught his man off guard midway in the first quarter and scored on a layin. This boosted Adams to four points. This Ziker seemed to be "on the ball" Friday night, as he scored fifteen points against Clay. He scored a tip-in as the gun went off ending the first quarter.

During this quarter Asire and Heckaman of Clay scored from the foul line.

Early in the second part of the game, Call scored again from the foul line. Larry Heckaman was on

the follow-up and broke up Adam's offense. He did this repeatedly during the whole game. Another corner shot by Call put two more points on the score board for the Colonials.

The boys played hard the second quarter against Adams, but just seemed to loose out on decisions. They tried driving, but Adams had a wall to block their shots. This point alone caused the Clay team to shoot long shots from about three to six feet behind the foul line. This kept the boys to a maximum of nine points in the second quarter. In the meantime Adams scored only six points, making the score at the half, Adams 14, Clay 12.

In the third quarter, Personette of Adams started the scoring for his team and Ream for the Colonials. Again Ziker scored on a switch-play which the Colonials were looking for but could not cover quick enough.

In the third quarter found Webber playing a wonderful defensive game. Womack replaced Asire in the third portion of the game and started to play a good defensive game.

There were small loopholes in the Colonials' defense, such as there was in the Maginot Line in France, and Adams found it to score four times against Clay in the third quarter.

The boys in the third quarter started to rally, but not soon enough. Corley scored on a push-shot from the corner to bring the score to 22 for Adams and 17 for Clay. Heckaman scored again from the foul line to make the score 22 to 19, Adams.

Personette scored for Adams, and then Adams began a tight and quick defense. This did not seem tight enough, for Huss scored from the outside of the foul circle.

With 2 minutes, 50 seconds left in the ball game, Heckaman scored. Still Adams' boys took to the of

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### THESE HONORED DEAD

November 11th was our Armistice Day assembly and at 11:00 o'clock we stood, facing the east to pay homage to those who died in the two great wars. The speaker was Rev. Paul E. Chalfant, pastor of the Sunnymede Presbyterian Church. He spoke on "What Is America?"

### ALUMNI NEWS

Robert Wertz, '36, is an engineer at Wilson Brothers.

John Wertz, '40, is working at the First Bank and Trust Company.

Edward Webber is married to Marcelett Kanarr who also graduated in 1940. He is stationed in Chanute Field, Illinois, with the Army Air Forces.

William Webber, '42, is now discharged and married.

Archie Webber, '43, is working at Singers.

Calvin Ream, '43, is attending Butler College studying criminology.

Charles Webber, '45, is stationed in Fort Belooria, Virginia.

Edward Bates, '46, visited our school this week. He was home on leave.

### THIS IS YOUR NEIGHBOR

His interest in our schools has been of long standing. In the days when Clay Township had no high school, some of the parents of present W. C. students received transfers to S. B. Central and he was the trustee who took care of this matter. Tall, pleasant and keen of mind, he has been a successful, solid type of citizen. His dairy farm was scientifically run and was held up as a model to young agriculturists. You would enjoy talking to LEO VAN HESS, your good neighbor.

## WE ARE THANKFUL FOR

Thanksgiving is here again and we have begun to go over our list of things for which we are thankful. Number one on the list, "We are Americans." Yes, we are thankful for movies, hot dog stands, and bowling alleys, hikes in the summer, skating in the winter, the peace and warmth of spring, the beauty of autumn. We are thankful for our cities with their skyscrapers still standing, untouched by bombs, their stores still comparatively well stocked, offices carrying on successful businesses, parks that are clean and well kept, the rushing people, the hurry-scurry. We are thankful for the country with its comfortable homes, its fields yielding great crops, its cattle gently grazing, the lazy creeks, the peaceful lakes, the rushing rivers, the quiet lanes. We are thankful for our national parks and forests, momentoes to historic events.

But we are also thankful for our political system. We need not unite into revolution if an undesirable man comes into power, for he is our servant. We need only elect another man at the next election. It is within our power to change the whole government policy by electing a different party to office. We are thankful for our freedom of speech, of the press, and of religion. We are thankful for a police system which protects us from crime and destruction, so many countries have police systems to suprise the people. We are thankful for a country which provides for schools, not schools which teach only the classic subjects, but those which prepare us to go out into the world and make a successful living. These are a few of the things which go into the make-up of America.

We are thankful that our forefathers started the custom of giving "thanks unto the Lord" for his blessings on Thanksgiving Day because we get two days vacation from school! Have a nice time, gang?!?

## NONSENSE NOOK

Mrs. Newricke (patronizingly): "Were any of your ancestors men of note, Mr. Nobody?"

Mr. Nobody: "Yes, madame, I should say so. One of them was the most famous admiral of his day and commanded the Allied forces of the whole world."

Mrs. Newricke: "Is it possible! What was his name?"

Mr. Nobody: "Noah, madame."

—Current Events.

An elderly man sat down beside me in the lobby of a hotel in Beeville, Texas, remarking, "I feel like I was 75 years old this morning."

"That's too bad," I replied sympathetically.

"No, it ain't," said the old boy cheerfully, "because I'm 85."

—Reader's Digest.

Two little girls were busily discussing their families.

"Why does your grandmother read the Bible so much?" asked one.

"I think," said the other little girl, "that's she's cramming for her finals."

—Reader's Digest.

A young man dashed breathlessly into the office at 9:05 in the morning.

"Sorry I'm late," he told the boss. "I just met my old commanding officer, and he let me off at the wrong floor."

—Coronet.

## THANKSGIVING

Heap high the board with plentious cheer, and  
gather to the feast,

And toast the sturdy Pilgrim band whose courage  
never ceased.

Give praise to that all-Gracious one, by whom  
their steps were led,

And thanks unto the harvest's Lord, who sends our  
"Daily Bread."

—Alice Williams Brotherton.

## OFF THE RECORD

By June Lowe

Hi there kids, How you all?

Now that the top song "Hey-Ba-Ba-Re-Bob" has died out, we are beginning to hear songs a little more on the sentimental side such as "The Things We Did Last Summer," by Frank Sinatra; "Sentimental Reasons," by Vaughn Monroe; and of course the ever popular, "If You Were the Only Girl", by that wonderful crooner Perry Como. I see it still affects you in the same way but come on kids get back to the schoolwork or you'll be sorry.

By the way girls have you heard Frank Sinatra's latest record album? It's really super featuring such songs as "You Go To My Head"; "I Don't Know Why"; "Someone To Watch Over Me"; "I Fall In Love Too Easily".

While Frankie on one of his latest programs sang "This Time", which I predict will soon be one of the top three in Your Hit Parade.

While cutting the rug at your favorite juke-box joint I'm sure you'll hear "House of Blue Lights" by Freddie Slack. Freddie plays a mean piano. But of course you have heard of his records of "Down the Road A Piece" and "Cow Cow Boogie" which were popular about a year back.

I'm sure you kids all have a favorite request program which gives your little heart a thrill.

You're bound to hear "Its A Pity To Say Goodnight" and "This Is Always" by that wonderful trumpet player Harry James. "And Then Its Heaven" holds one of the high spots in our heart. And still there is the immortal "Star Dust" which will always be tops with the teenagers of the country.

Well, so long kids I'll see you soon when I'll be back with more Platter Chatter for reading pleasure.

He acts like an inbecile and pesters me to death for dates. He won't even pay his own telephone bills and my father threatens to disown me if I don't discourage him quick. What shall I do?

Desperate

1. Let your mother answer the phone and tell him you have another date.
2. When you answer the phone pretend you don't recognize his voice.
3. If neither of these works, your father can settle the matter once and for all by answering himself.

## JOE AND JANE OF THE WEEK

Jane of the Week

Hi, guys, and gals! This week we have something super special in the presence of a Jane.

She is 5 ft. 2½ in. tall and weighs 115 lbs. She's a mighty junior, a Sub-Deb member, and her chief interest is in China at the present time.

Our Jane says (Quote) "I hate History, but def. and Shorthand is a pain in the neck. Otherwise school is prefect."

On the other hand, she dotes on Frank Sinatra records and says "More Than You Know" is the song of the year.

Also our Jane has a very special interest in the army. She loves dancing, but goes slightly crazy over Playland's skating rink.

I guess you all know who this lush bit of brown eyed, very long blonde hair is by this time, so may I present our one and only Jane of the week, LORRAINE KUBIAK.

Joe of the Week

Well, "Tootie Fruity". That was one of the many dumb sayings this black haired, blue eyed, 5 ft. 7½ in., 135 lb. hunk of you tell me, is always quoting.

Our Joe this week is nuts about Artie Shaw records and is always quoting Shakespeare. (In his own version of course.)

Sometimes he gets a dreamy look in his eyes and that's when the gals scatter or come running, whatever the case may be.

Our Joe is another mighty Junior and plays "B" string basketball.

I give you (gladly) everybody's Joe, ROBERT ALLEN LANSICK.

## TELEPHONE SQUIBBLES

Dear Harriet and Hetty:

I am fifteen years old and a senior in my local high school. During the last month I went to a skating party sponsored by one of the school organizations. There I met a boy of twenty-one. He is going to join the Coast Guard next month, but that is not soon enough for me.

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**GOSSIP**

Say kids! Did you hear? Evelyn E. and Bernard H. are engaged! Congratulations!!

Have you noticed the Flirty Skirts jackets? Pretty sharp, huh?

It bites them all sooner or later. Donny C. and Teresa L. are going steady.

I'll bet Leonard M. doesn't know he's got a rival! He raises goats! Know who, Leonard?

"Ole Rockin' Chair's" got a lot of people at play practice — —

Sally B. started quite a fad with her sack dress. Pretty cute, Sally!

It isn't safe to mention "Holloway" to certain people. It makes them fighting mad — —

The yelling section was pretty broken up at Adams Friday night. What was the trouble???

How did you kids like the play? No comments??

Who do you think you're fooling, Cecil? We all know you still care—

Who is the soldier Lucille H. is patiently waiting for?

Mary K. can't seem to decide between Roger & Bill.

Betty S. still has her same feeling towards "Dick."

Who is this Wayne that Jackie has been speaking of lately?

What happened to Mary R. and Roy? Tell us Mary.

Eddie seems to have a crush for a certain junior but she won't take the hint!

Shirley H. had a nice time during the second game at Adams Friday night! So did Mary Alice W.

Does Flora still carry the torch for "PeeWee?"

Norma Jean's heart-throb is taken now. Sorry, Jean.

What happened to Pat C. and Eddy G.?

Marjorie S., Phyllis R., and June L. had a pretty nice skit in English class. Why don't you put it on for the whole school?

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**RIDDLE OF PLAYERS**

On February 9, 1929, the stork left a little bundle of joy on the doorsteps of a house in South Bend. This little bundle of joy has turned out to be a 5-foot, 10-inches, 155-pound man.

The person under discussion is a blonde, curly headed boy with bluish green eyes. He has played basketball for the last four years. One of his favorite shots is the left hand pivot shot. This brings out the fact that he is left handed.

He takes part in softball, baseball, basketball and inter-class basketball games. He plays first base on the softball team and sometimes pitches baseball. Of all the sports mentioned, he likes baseball the best. From what I hear, he is quite a hunter also.

After discussing things with the boy in question, I find that his favorite automobile is the Studebaker. Another fact brought out is that he has no girl. He tells me they are all alright but that there is no one in particular.

After discussing these other matters, I mentioned food. With this thought in mind he began to describe a meal which would be fit for a king. He began with pork chops, then mashed potatoes, gravy and a dessert.

With my mouth watering I slowly walked away trying to keep my mind on my column rather than food. Oh, you want to know who this handsome boy is? Well, to put it bluntly, it is that senior of seniors, Larry Heckaman.

Thanks for the material Larry.

**THE COLUMN**

*By Pinky Gardner*

Attention Central Catholic: November 15, 1946, "Bulletin." Greene Township 47, Central Catholic 26. May we now bow our heads in shame. P.S. "Good going," Greene . . . . . Out our Colonial way they are talking about our John Adams jinx. We just can't hit on that floor . . . . . If nobody in this county has an attack of overconfidence or a case of injuries, the final standing will (I think) be about like this:

- |                 |              |
|-----------------|--------------|
| 1. Clay         | 5. Walkerton |
| 2. Madison      | 6. Liberty   |
| 2. Wilson       | 7. Lakeville |
| 4. New Carlisle | 8. Greene    |

I'm sure that you will all agree that our team is one of the best dressed teams in this part of the state . . . . . I think it is about time we stand up and give a loud cheer for our cheerleaders.

"From out of the Past." Five years ago today, the Colonials won their fifth straight game of the season, downing Jamestown 34-27 . . . . . Four years ago today, Coach Glen Scrivnor and his boys walloped Greene 46-21 . . . . .

"In the Coming Years." I introduce to you our boy for this week, Jim Brown, 5 ft. 10 inches, 145 lb. sophomore who will lead a Clay

team to many victories in the coming years.

"Bare Facts." Five years ago today, Clay's first six men on the varsity averaged 6 ft. in height. Included in this group were Dale Shelley, 6 ft. 6 inch center; Ernie Warrick, 6 ft. 2 inch forward; Bill Avery, 6 ft. 3 inch guard; and Calvin Luke Ream, 6 ft. 1 inch forward. This is one of the biggest teams Clay ever had . . . . . Clay has never had a better one-two scoring punch than they had in 1942, when Ernie Warrick, and Cal Ream got 447 points between them for the season. They had an average of nearly 23 points a game.

"Famous Last Words." In the 1922 Sectional (the year Joe Boland picked us to win it) and after we had beaten Mishawaka in our first game, we then lost to Central in a tough game. Coach Johnny Wooden of Central told our team after the game that if his team could beat us they could beat anyone and they went on to win the sectional.

"Question of the Week." Do you think there should be three instead of two referees in the game of basketball?

- Yes, 71 per cent.
- No, 29 per cent.

**ADAMS vs COLONIALS**  
fense, with Ziker scoring in the last 35 seconds of the game. This made the score 26 to 30, Adams over Clay. It was then too late to rally; the gun went off to end the game.

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pioneers in the war of 1812. Later he settled in Pennsylvania.

Another great uncle was captain of the ship "Planter", which arrived in America in 1670 from the old country.

Upon closing I discovered that Richard Ferm's Great, Great Grandmother was Queen Anne's daughter's personal maid and dressmaker. For this personal service to the Princess she was invited to the Queen's impressive ball which was given in honor of the Duke of Canteburg. Some people have all the luck, don't they????

**G. A. A.**

Say, where did Dotty Harris and Imogene Zimmerman ever learn to pick balls out of the air the way they do? Why not show the rest of us, too? We're all interested.

I hear Lois Scheid has developed a technique for hitting the ball without moving her bat. It proved to be quite a bit of fun, didn't it Lois?

Verna Bybee, Joy Wright, and Ruth Spitler have been hiding the fact that they can really hit a homer. That's not just some of the time, either.

All in all, the softball season was loads of fun for the girls in G. A. A.

The basketball season is here, as you all know, and the G. A. A. has already had some fast and furious games. The only trouble is the referee's foul whistle. It gets it's exercise. During the games, that is!

I hear that there are several promising forwards, but the G. A. A. is in need of some really good guards. Come on, girls, let's go.

Bea Marie Filar and Nancy Harrison are really good as combinations when it comes to basketball. But Gwen Wenzel and Jenny Lee Romine aren't so bad themselves.

Where did Nancy Harrison learn to dribble the ball away from the guards? Could be that she has a swell teacher who really knows her stuff!

The new froshies are still confused and find it hard not to take steps with the ball. But time will cure, so they say.

The G. A. A. went to that swell program, Requestfully Yours, on Thursday, October 31. From what I hear, everyone had a swell time. But then, you could hardly have anything else with Bruce, eh girls?

Dr. Pepper was used at the initiation, which was November 1, but the girls found that you can't trust those carton handles!

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