

Blue and Gold Staff

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Mr. Gobbler

I've come to feed you. Mr. Turkey Some corn and wheat and rye: I have a special interest in you, Thanksgiving Day is nigh Enjoy your're dinner, Mr. Gobbler, And don't run away.

For Grandma says we'll eat you On this Thanksgiving day You'll be filled with chestnut

stuffing We like you best that way: and I'll have a big, big, drumstick On this Thanksgiving Day.

Evelyn Rulolph Contributed by, Catherine Markley

School Calendar

18--Basketball-Elmira-here-12:15 (one game) School Fair 25 &26 - Thanksgiving Vacation

Dea. 1 -- Basketball-Chesterfield at Pike (3:40)

3--- End of third school month-17days 5- - - - - - - - - - - - - 2nd P.T.A. 8--Basketball-Zone at Pike(3:30) 16--Basketball-Deshler at Pike(4:00) girls and boys have chosen up 24----Christmas Program (1:00) 24 Christmas Vacation begins Jan.

-School reopens

Honor Roll 1st 6 weeks

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A grade carrying a plus sign earns ten additional points. grade carrying a minus sign loses ten points for that letter.

Days in Gym

Beginning the 8th of November we started playing in the gym. The upper grade girls are to have the gym at noon on Mondays and wednesdays. The upper grade boys have it on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The lower grades have it on Fridays. Both the teams for basketball at noon.

Noon Movies This year we are going to hav five noon movies. The first one will be shown in December. O'Brien and ars. Geer arein charge of ordering them.

Sales Tax Stamps

Do you have any tax stamps laying around at home? If so, why not send them to the school; At the end of the year they will be counted and the money recieved from them will be kept in the school treasury.

Voting

Monday the 1st of November in the eighth grade civics period. Our room voted for president, Vice-president and governor. The results are as follows:

Republican Pres. ---- Dewey - -24 Vice-Pres. -- Warren-24 Gov. - - - - Herbert 26

Democratic Pres- - - - - Truman 14. Vice-Pres. - - - Barkley14 Gov. - - - - - Lauche 13

Although the Republicans did-'nt win as the majority of the room thought, we still had fun.

P.T.A.

The second P.T.A. will held the 3rd of December at the schoolhouse.

Attendance Contest

Every room is trying to win the attendance contest. It will end in Lay. The room that wins will get a day off. The present attendance standing is as follows: Room' Sept. Oct. Average Grade 2 99.73 98.30 99.02 Grade 1 98.12 99.40 98.76 Grades5-6 99.20 97.98

97.41 Cheer Leaders

Grades3-4 96.72 97.98 97.35

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95.82

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96.62

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Grades7 8

On Nov. 5th, cheerleaders were chosen. The girls that went out were Beverly Sheely, Phyllis Gamber, Marvolen Schoonover, Catherine Markley, Jeanette Woodring, Florence Pelton and Sara Louise Rieg-Sacker out of the wighth grade. and the Seventh grade girls were Eileen Chamberlain, Jane Ann La Salle, Joyce Falor, Nancy Tappan Dorothy Beaverson and Shirley Miller. Out of those gilrs four were chosen: Marvolene Schoonover, Nancy Tappan, Dorothy Beaverson. and Joyce Falor. We are sure they will make good cheerleaders.

Birthday Party

Oct. 19th was Mr. Galbraith's birthday. Mrs. Hepler said the 7th and 8th grades could have their music period for a party. So on Tuesday we went to our music as usual. Someone asked Mr. Galbraith to come to music to listen. Then he came in everyone sang Fappy Birthday. Then everyone ate cake and ice cream. The 7th and 8th grades gave him a tie pin, a necktie, and two handherchiefs. We all had a good time.

Halloween Paries

The seventh and eighth grades had a Halloween Party the 28th of October. Everyone had loads of fun. The auditorum was decorated with black and orange crepe paper and other halloween things. For refreshments had potato salad, sandwiches, potato chips, pickles and pop. Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the other grades had their parties. They came up to the upper grade rooms all dressed in their acctumes and we had fun gaessia, who they were.

This and That (Notes from the principal's Office)

The children and faculty of Pike schoo extend their deepest sympathy to Mrs. Wookring and Jennette.

The School Lunch Program has started off with a "bang." Over 140 students eat their lunch each day. Our hats are off to our new

cooks--the food has been swell. ir. Shelt has set in a cooler to take care of our chocolate and whole milk. This gives us use of our refrigerator for the School Lunches.

Many thanks to the girls in grades 5-8 who help with the dishes at noon. Your co-operation helps

to make the lunches possible.

Dr. George Losh lived up to
his reputation as a speaker at
our last P.T.A. A crowd of about
235 heard and enjoyed his address.

Next P. T.A. is on December 3rd.

We received our second loan of books from the Delta Library on Wednesday, Nov. 10. hr. Hill delivers them to our door and picks up the ones we have been using.

We urge all students who like to read to use the Noon Study Hall room at any time. Take your book to this room for a quiet place to enjoy it.

A new electric hot water heater is being installed in the basement. This will furnish hot water for the kitchen and for showers.

Delta's Water Supply

The eighth grade visited Delta's water plant on October 25.It was very interesting to see all the steps the water has to go through before it is good enough to drink.

Frist of all it is pumped from the reservoir through a screen so small fish and sticks will be taken from the water. Lime and alum are put in the water to make the unclean impurities settle. Carbon is also added for taste and odor.

Then it is ready for the settling basin. It stays in

there about six hours.
After that it goes in the
filtor. They have two filters
so when they clean one the other
one can still be in operation.
They have to be cleaned out
every four or five days. It
takes 14,000 gallons of water
to clean one of the filters.

Then it is chlorenated a second time to be sure the bacteria are all dead.

The water is purified now and it is put into the clear

well.

After it is put in there it is pumped up town. Mp. Farmon, the man that runs the plant, said that on Oct. 24 the people of Delta used 91,000 gallons of water. Usually it is 135,000 gallon per day and in the summer 200,000 gallons per day.

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ear	Miss,

I say here with a pencil in my hand to type-write you a letter. Please uxcuse the ink. I don't live where I used to live because I moved where I live now. When you come to see me you car ask anyone but no one know I'Am sorry we are so far tegether. I wish we could be closer apart. My eart died and is doing

fine. My cousin had the mumps and is at deaths door but the doctor is pulling her through, We are having more weather this year than last.

By the way I sent you a coat by express I cut off the buttons to make it lighter. If you want them you'll find them in the

pocket.

I started to waiscon sid I saw a sign that said this will take you to Mauseon. I say on it for many hours but. It didn't move an inch. In case you don't get this letter let me know and I'll send it to you. In this envelope is a pitcher of me but in case of losing it I took it out I hope you like it. I forgot to enclose the money you owe me because I sealed the letter before T remembered it. Yours but not for keeps.

J. P. O'Brien

Gossip Column

They say there is a boy for every girl so why should Catherine Merkley Carl Tovatt from Jeanette

Say what is this we hear about Phyllis G. and Charles G. ???????

If you would like to know who Liss is. Why not ask : Mr. O'Brien.

Barbara I. just love to flirt with Sam Miller during study periods.

thow is this mysterious boy Jeanette W. likes? He must be good looking the way Jeanstte discribes him.

Carol Mc and Jack N. have found a new way to use up study

periods.

Has Martha fund a boyfriend in the eithth grade or is she just flirting with him.

tho is Marvolenes' newest bowfriend? Ask Chifford Beaverson. Some seventh grade girl likes

to roll her big blue eyes at Pussel Mc. But we won't say who, because just Russel and Shirley Willer know about it.

I hear N.O. and R.C. are loveydovey. Is it true Russel and Nina? is Eileen Chamberlins'

zew hear-throb????????????????? Wust a Little Bit More" is Jerry W. theme song.

Who does Nancy choose to dance with in music. Is it Bob I.

Boy is Carole busy with Dale, Jack, and Raymond. I hear Dale has a crush on

Fay Zenz.

First Grade

M; how time is flying! November! Armistice Day! School Fair! Thanksgiving! Some of us are even talking about Santa Claus.

Time is flying but we have nine people who have counted to one hundred. They are: Nancy Prather, Suzanne Bratton, Jane Buehrer, Irene Bishop, Robert Emery, Robert O'Brien, Teddy Hauzer, Leland Fite and Clark O'Brien. Many more of us will soon be there and have our stars on the chart too. We're all trying hard.

We have all finished our first reading books now. Jane's group are working hard to finish their second book this week (Nov. 15-19). Jerry's and Daryl's groups are working just as hard so they will finish their books in just a few more days than Jane's group. We really enjoy reading about Alice and Jerry and

We have all been missing Mary Gadzialski. She has been entertaining the "Chicken pox". Hope you're soon able

to be back, Mary.

their dog Jip.

Second Grade

In reading we are beginning a new book. We like it very much.

When we read about Little Deer's Antlers, Caroline brought us ome real ones for our Science table. Today Kenneth O'Brien brought a big Hormet's next. We put it on the science table and when it got warmed up a hornet flew out. We decided to take the nest out doors.

Last week everyone got 100 in Spelling. We hope we can make the

same grade every week.

We weighed ourselves again in Health Class and everyone except PaulUlrich gained from one to five lbs.

In art we are making Thanksgiving decorations for our room. We made turkeys, pilgrims and Indians. We read in our Weekly Reader shout the different kinds of turkeys that the farmers raise for the Thanksgiving season.

In Language we named some of the things we have to be thankful for and decided we should all have a very Thankful Thanksgiving

Third and Fourth

We still have our twenty-six boys and twelve girls in our room, our attendance was better this month, having 10 girls and 19 boys who were neither absent nor

tardy. We are progressing in our review work in reading and about ready to take up our regular books

in each grade.

If anyone has heard queer our room as we are studying Indians. We have read stories, made a large picture display in Art work, learned a song and game in Music, and now have finished a sand table display. We think sometimes we are "Indians"

With our festive November decrations of turkeys, Pilgrims and Jack Frost we are learning to poems, "Magic Vine" and "Thanks".

Cur spelling classes are striving for higher grades. A contest is on between the two grades for six weeks. The winners will be given a weiner roast.

The fifth and sixth grades are

having Art this year. We enjoy this subject very much. Right now we are painting cork maps. We think they will look very nice when they are finished.

The sixth grade are having cancellation in Arithmetic. In the fifth grade we are having long division. The sixth grade are getting weighed and measured.

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in History.

In the sixth grade we are studying China in History and India in Georgraphy. We have learned that both of these countries are very crowded with neonle.

At first it was hard to get accustomed to writing a different way (which is really the right way) and using our new pens. It is getting easier by now and we believe we will have some good writers at the end of this year.

We have gotten some new books from the library. We have already found that there are some very

good ones.

Jane Lane

Seventh Grade

The seventh grade were happy when three grils got cheerleader. They are Nancy Tappan, Dorothy Beaverson, and Joyce Falor. We are having four this year, but the other girl is in the eighth grade. We are going to have sweaters and slacks this year instead of blouses and skirts.

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We are studying the Central
and South American countries
in geography. The health test
we had was easy. Their were
four people that got the highest.
They are: Joyce Felor, Russell
McGuillin, Martha Green, and
Bobby Thompson. They got 69
out of 71. There were two 68's.
In English we are studying
adjectives and advarbs. Spelling
is fun. we have ll words a day

In Penmanship we are learning a new kind of writing.

We have a new boy in the seventh grade. He is Fred Smith of Tolado.

Martha Green

Eighth Grade

We have been going to school nine weeks.

In English we have been studying intransitive and transitive verbs. We have been doing interest problems in Math. In science we are studying about air. We have been studying about slavery in history, and in civics we are studying about aid for the mentally ill and needy.

We are very sorry that we lost Patsy Grove. Now we have a total of twenty-four pupils in our grade. we had a nice time on our trip

to Delta's water plant on October 25.

Sara Louise Riegsecker

Sports

Softball

On wednesday Oct. 15, Pike went to Chesterfield. The boys game was not interesting because of the big gap in the two score. Pike 17 Cheresterfield 4.

The girls game was just about the same with Pike winning 25 to 17.

Oct. 22, Chesterfield came to Pike. This game was slose in the 6th inning the score was tie, but in the 7th Pikes boys could not hold them the game anded with the final score 6-6 Chesterfield winning.

The girls game was like most of the rest with Pike winning

56 to 16. oct, 27, Elmira came to Pike this game was close in the 6th inning the score was 6 to 6 but then in the 7th inning they got one run. The game ended 7 to 6 Mimira winning.

The girls game had a big gap in the two score with Pike winning again. 36 to ll. There were home runs hit by the sirls but were not keep tract of, There was only 3 home runs hit by the boys. Wdd.c Tovatt 2 Charles Grissinger 1.

BASKET BALL Basket Ball season opened with 22 boys cut, for practice on Nov. 1st. After two weeks of practice the squad has been picked and the members has been out donw to 14 boys. Here is a list of the players, Dick Weber Charles Griesinger, Eddie Tovatt. Sam Miller, Carl Tovatt, Eddie Miller, Russel Cook, Bobby Thompson, Jack Baker Charles Murry, Russel McQuillin, Dale Frakar, Henry Pelton, Jerry Watkins . No one is sure of his place on the squad. Cecil Murry, is manager of

the squad. Eddia Tovatt

Jokes

Jack H .- Did your father promise you anything if you beat the rugs Raymond W-No. but he promised me plenty if I didn't

Traffic Officer: Come on! Whats the maser with you? Mr. Galbraith: 'I'm well thank you, but my engines dead."

Mrs. Harens: Fow old are you Peggy Jo. Peggy Jo: Six Mrs. Havens: And when will you be sever? Peggy To: On my birthday.

Mrs. Thomason: Th butter in this boarding house is so strong it can walk right over to the coffee and say ."How do you do" pat A. Yes, but the coffee is to weak to answer.

Mother: My but you are getting tall. Daughter: Sure I eat yeast cake and it makes me rise

CHOOL CARNEVAL BENESIT PTA: GRAND PRIZE FOR' BINGO MOVIES FUN BEFRESMENTS CAKE WHEEL PRIFS HOA 8:00 P.M.