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EDITORIAL

(This is an editorial written by a parent. It is directed at the teenagers of today. It may surprise you, and it may make you angry, but if it makes you think, it will have accomplished its purpose.)

"Always we hear the plaintive cry of the teenagers. What can we do? Where can we go?

I can make some suggestions. GO HOME! Hang the storm windows, paint the woodwork. Rake the leaves. Mow the lawn. Shovel the walk. Wash the car. Learn to cook. Scrub the floors. Repair the sink. Build a boat. Get a job.

Help the minister, the Red Cross, the Salvation Army. Visit the sick. Assist the poor. Study your lessons. And when you are through--and not too tired--read a book.

Your parents do not owe you entertainment.

Your village does not owe you entertainment.

The world does not owe you recreational facilities.

The world does not owe you a living.

YOU OWE THE WORLD SOMETHING.

You owe it your time and energy, and your talents so that no one will be at war or in poverty, or sick or lonely again.

In plain simple words: 'Grow up, quit being a crybaby; get out of your dream world; develop a backbone not wishbone; and start acting like a man or lady.'

I'm a parent. I'm tired of nursing, protecting, helping, appealing, begging, excusing, tolerating, denying myself needed comforts for your every whim and fancy, just because you're selfish ego instead of common sense dominates your personality and thinking and requests."

FROM THE BENCH

Track as defined in Webster's dictionary: The path on which something or somebody moves. Here at Roosevelt we have some real movers. Beginning with the ninth grade, we have such athletes as Jim Thompson, who won two first places, one in the pole vault, the other in the hurdles. Gordy Payne who took a first in the 100-yard dash, and a first in the 220-yard dash, is a member of the winning relay team. Ron Miller won the 440-yard dash, second in the hurdles, second in the high jump, is a member of the winning relay team. Skip Hohle grabbed second in the shot put, fourth in the hurdles, and was the 4th man on the relay team. In the weight class of the track meet, Ross Carter took up his specialty by winning first in the shot put and second in the discus.

Now some of the eighth grade High-lighters will be revealed. The list is headed by Charlie Simmons, a very fine high jumper; Don Porter, a good distance man; and Craig Luedeman, the eighth grade weight man.

Next in the great Rough Rider tradition are our up and coming seventh graders, led by two fine athletes, Francis Kane and Paul Fluke.

GIRLS LEAGUE

OFFICERS ELECTED

The new Girls' League officers were elected the 27th. The ninth grade president, who will lead the League, is Carole Bourgeois. She is on the eighth grade advisory committee and chairman of the March of Dimes committee. Working under Carole will be Sandy Martin. Sandy worked on the hospitality committee this year. Mary Stamp is secretary-treasurer. She also worked on the hospitality committee.

Next year's eighth grade Girls' League president is Linda Reed. Linda is going to work hard to support Carole next year. Vice-president next year will be Kim Garrett. Kim is going to work hard to make next year's eighth grade Girls' League a good one. Helping Kim and Linda as secretary treasurer is Tamyra Blatchley.

Slow-down

Three turtles decided to have a cup of coffee. Just as they got into the cafe it started to rain, so the biggest turtle said to the smallest turtle, "Go home and get the umbrella."

The little one replied: "I will, if you don't drink my coffee."

"We won't," the other two promised.

Two years later the big turtle said to the middle turtle: "Well, I guess he isn't coming back, so we might as well drink his coffee."

Just then a voice called from outside the door, "If you do, I won't go!"—Ex.

CHOIR IN SPRING REVIEW

Adding to the spirit of the spring style show, "Follow the Trail to Fashion," will be a group of twenty people picked from the Mixed Choir. Also singing will be the Triple Trio, consisting of Sue Sprague, Jill Hardin, Sandra Salle Sandie Waning, Linda Montgomery, Jo Johnston, Harlene Bissell, Bonnie Jolliffs, and Shirley Mahar. A trio which consists of Karen Moe, Raleigh Mahler, and Joeinne Thorne will sing; Sue Sprague will sing "Alice Blue Gown." "The Old Spinning Wheel" will be sung by Joeinne Thorne.

Jottin and Trottin

A tragedy occurred in the girls' gym second period---Carol Mulligan lost her shoes. (She found them in one of the lockers.) Neil Baldwin is going to Pakistan for a year.....About 28 1/2% of Roosevelt's students were sick at the height of our flu epidemic.... Two student council meetings have been wasted because a majority of the council members weren't present.....Congratulations to all new Girls' League officers!..... A disaster happened to Skip Hohle's baby blue track shorts. They ripped and had to be sewed up with red thread.

Library

This time you get a review of some science-fiction books. I recommend you read science-fiction for enjoyment; it permits free use of the imagination. Some of the things you come across in these books are absolutely fantastic.

There are several books by John Keir Cross in our library, and I have read two: "Stolen Sphere," and "The Angry Planet." "Stolen Sphere," believe it or not, involves a family of not Martians, but acrobats. This likeable family solves a mystery of the square fish, moonbeam, and others. If you are puzzled, read the book. "The Angry Planet" is the story of two scientists and three stowaways who find fantastic things on Mars.

"The Man Who Sold the Moon" is a collection of history stories by Robert Anson Heinlein. Actually, these are future history, some predictions written as we write history. It might be interesting to wait about fifty years to see how these predictions stand up with time.

Donald A. Wollheim has written "Secret of the Martian Moons." You'll never guess what the two Martian moons really are. You'll never guess who the Martians really are either.

Now space travel isn't really too far off, so don't laugh these stories off too fast. You never know.

OFFICERS ELECTED



Next year's student administration will be run by a girl. Peggy Price will be next year's student body president.

Peggy has big plans to try and improve the student council. She wants to improve the school spirit by working with the Pep Club. She also wants to make the students aware of their constitu-

tion. Peggy is very happy to have been elected and thanks all her supporters.

John Juilfs, who will be vice president, looks forward to helping Peggy on the executive council.

Cheryl Browne was elected to the office of secretary. She has been very active in Pep Club this past year.

Alice Jones, who is next year's historian, was on the eighth grade student council and was chairman of the refreshment committee for the Heart Hop.

Suzanne Gearhart is next year's treasurer. She has been very active this year as president of the seventh grade girls' league.



ROUGH RIDER

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Faculty Assists With Spring Revue

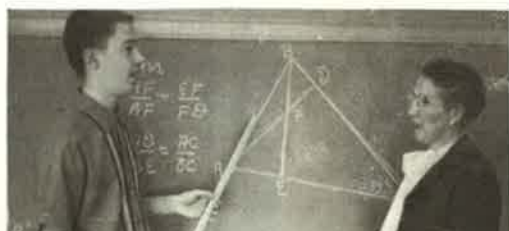


In addition to the art, shop, and home economics teachers, there have been others hard at work on the Spring Revue.

Mr. Ackerman is the general chairman. The lighting is important so Mr. Bell will be in charge there. Mr. Hamill will be in charge of the stage. Mrs. Jones will be in charge of the music. Speaking for the Girls' League will be Mrs. Sifdol, Mrs. Robb, and Mrs. Pitman.

As far as getting the publicity out, Miss Smith and Mrs. Hendricks have been doing the job there.

STAFFORD PLACES IN NATIONAL MATH CONTEST



Jon Stafford, a student in Miss Mary Mattley's ninth grade geometry class, has placed in a recent national mathematics contest. The first screening was done on the basis of the results of a special math test and academic record. The final choices will be made from essays submitted by the contestants. There will attend a summer mathematics camp in Florida.

Style Show and Student Projects Featured in Spring Review

Next Thursday, April 30, Roosevelt Junior High will present the annual Spring Revue. Parents and friends of the school are cordially invited to attend.

The main feature of the evening will be the style show with the theme, "Follow the Trail to Fashions." The girls will model clothes they made in their Home Economics classes. The style show will be held in the girls' gym starting at 7:30.

Displays of student art work will be shown in the cafeteria after the style show. Refreshments will be served to all.

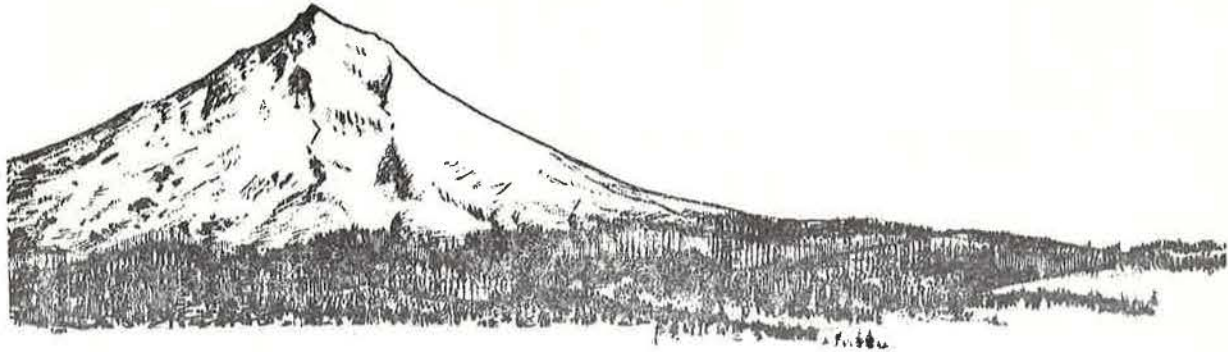
Metal and woodshop displays and demonstrations will be held in the shop rooms adjacent to the cafeteria.

Installation of the Girls' League officers will be held at the beginning of the style show.

Mrs. Jones and the choir will provide a musical setting for the style show.



# "FOLLOW THE TRAIL TO FASHIONS"



Mrs. Rees Mrs. Hopper



Mr. Johnson Mr. Mangers



Miss Lettow

The cooking teacher in home economics this year is Mrs. Rees. She was graduated from Oregon State College and has taught for six years. This is her first year at Roosevelt. She is married to Rev. Rees of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church.

Knitting, sewing, cooking and gardening head her list of favorite activities.

Mrs. Rees feels that Roosevelt is "an active and outstanding junior high that keeps you on your toes."



"Best junior high in Eugene, no question about it---even the best in Oregon," says Mrs. Hopper enthusiastically. This is her opinion of Roosevelt.

She went to Oregon State College and majored in Home Economics. Her hobbies include sewing, swimming, attending athletic events (especially football and basketball).

Mrs. Hopper is the proud mother of a Navy pilot and a married daughter; she has five grandsons. She has taught at Roosevelt for seven years.

All the beautiful tables, lamps, and other things made out of wood, which you shall see at this year's spring review, have been made under the instruction of Robert Johnson.

Mr. Johnson is married and has three children; two sons, Burton, age 8, and Brady, age 6, and a daughter, Carrie Joy, who is five years old.

Mr. Johnson attended the University of Minnesota, Bemidji State Teachers' College, Colorado State College, and the University of Oregon. He majored in Social Studies and Industrial Arts.

Mr. Johnson is interested in everything but mostly gardening, fishing, building, and traveling.

In charge of the metal shop is Mr. Mangers. He has a family of three girls; Holly, age six years, Heather, age three years, and Laurel Lee, eight months.

Mr. Mangers' interests and hobbies include ocean fishing and camping, particularly at the ocean. He also likes to just plain loaf.

Mr. Mangers attended Oregon State College and majored in Industrial Arts.

When asked his opinion of Roosevelt, Mr. Mangers replied, "I don't think we could find a better school."

## Woodwork



## Art Work



## Metalwork

