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## Interesting Notes On The First Quarter

Three pupils made the Blue Letter standard (176 points and above); all three are in the 8-A grade.

Fifteen pupils made the Orange Letter standard (151-175 points). Eleven are 8-A pupils; one an 8-B; two are 7-A pupils and one a 7-B pupil.

Forty-seven pupils made the Honorable Mention standard (125-150 points). Seventeen of these are 8-A pupils; fifteen are 8-B pupils; six are 7-A pupils, and nine are 7-B pupils.

Thus, sixty-five pupils in Junior High attained Honor standards this first quarter.

Of course, it is to be remembered that the Honors are decided at the end of each term; hence, many more pupils will probably show increasing Pep in their activities at Junior High the second quarter.

Many pupils will be interested in Citizenship and Banking the second quarter and the credits they achieve in these activities will help to bring the average score of the two quarters, or term credit score, within some one of the honor standards.

Another interesting feature of the First Quarter's results has to do with Pepper loyalty.

306 pupils in Junior High were "bona fide" (paid up in full for the quarter) peppers.

Of this number, 64 are 8-A pupils; 85 are 8-B pupils; 59 are 7-A pupils, and 98 are 7-B pupils.

The 8-As lead with 80%; the 7-Bs are next with 71%; the 7-As are next with 65%, the 8-Bs are last with 59%.

A third interesting detail concerns attendance credits. 343 pupils out of 460 received attendance credits the first quarter.

Of these, 211 received A credit, that is, were present every day without being tardy. The remaining 132 received B credit, that is, did not have more than three instances of absence or tardiness checked against them during the quarter (for which satisfactory excuses had been filed in the office).

Pupils making the highest score in the Home Rooms respectively for the first quarter:

8-A Home Rooms—Excelsiors—Mabel Ryan, 174; Live Wires—Elizabeth Taylor, 183; Bull Dogs—Edward Speer, 195.

8-B Home Rooms—Azulikits—Katherine Taylor, 146; Anna Bell Harpe, 146; Swas-Ti-Kas—Mary Colgan Nalle, 164; S. A. K.—Edwin Phillips, 139; Hi-Ties—Mary Sinnett, 112; Sea Hawks—William Martin, 106.

7-A Home Rooms—Zip—Grace Heal, 159; Trojans—Sarah Miller, 164; Yellow Jackets, Claude Mercer, 107.

7-B Home Rooms—Ever Readys—Lois

Jane Riley, 138; Tigerettes—Mary Ruth Drake, 120; Melvina Ralph, 120; Cadets—Henrieta Hayden, 157; Wild Cats, Ross Fox, 87.

## Dr. Hathaway Makes Talk On Diphtheria at Wednesday's Assembly

New Seats Assigned Home Rooms; Eight Rooms are 100 per cent Peppers

New seats for the second quarter were assigned to home rooms last Wednesday before the assembly program. 8 rooms were 100 per cent. Following is a list of different groups as they rank, the first eight named are equal in rank: Ever Ready, Top-Notchers, S. A. K., Bull Dogs, Trojans, Live Wires, Cadets, Excelsiors, Swas-Ti-Kas, Sea Hawks, Azulikits, Hi-Ties, Zips, Yellow Jackets, Go Getters and Wild Cats.

After these assignments and a rehearsal Dr. Hathaway, Daviess County Health Director, gave an interesting talk on diphtheria and urged every one to take the Schick test to see if they are immune to diphtheria. The price for the test will be about 15 cents. He showed the pupils a ticket to Diphtheria Immunity Country by way of the Toxin-Anti-Toxin route.

When he had finished speaking there was a loud applause from the assembly and then they were dismissed.

—L. E.

## Library Club observes Book Week With Splendid Program

The Library Club gave a splendid program Wednesday on Book Week, during club period. The program is as follows:

1st—Roll call with quotations on books.

2nd—Significance of Book Week—Sarah Miller.

3rd—Poem, "Book Houses"—Agnes Merritt.

4th—Reports from prominent people of city on books read when children. These people included: Mr. Foust, Mrs. J. D. Reeves, Mrs. Gilmour, Miss Harrison, Miss Schaffer, Dr. Coffman, Rev. Gordon, Mrs. McCarty, Mr. Newton and others.

5th—Parade of book characters summoned by fairy—Agnes Merritt. Some of the characters in the parade were: Tom Sawyer, Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm, Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, Wm. Greenhill, Pollyanna, Rip Van Winkle, Bobbsey Twins, Sarah Crewe, Little Women, Carol (in Bird's Xmas Carol), Marjorie, Little Red Riding Hood, Aunt Polly, Heidi.

—E. S.



## Attendance Honor Roll—Not Absent or Tardy First Quarter

Swas-Ti-Kas—Charles Bailey, George Balley, John Campbell, Hubert Davis, Highland Elam, William Hoover, B. M. Jones, Alderson Keene, Jack Lewis, Billy Martin, Buddy Mason, Everett Wedding, LeRoy Woodward, May Cromwell, Jessie Hummel, Mary Nalle, Evelyn Ray, Nelda Wilkins, Elva Williams.

Excelsiors—Brownie Cahal, Anna Myrl Carraway, Mary Eubank, Jean Fitzhugh, Louise Hendrick, Fannie Hines, Ellen Kirby, Margaret McClanahan, Elizabeth MacLellan, Ruby Still, Thelma Tichenor, Ruby Turner, R. C. Duncan, A. R. Hopper, Woodrow Mattingly, Clarence Russell, Walter Sublett, John Wingfield, John Grant.

Wild Cats—George Beierlein, Kenneth Clark, Ross Fox, James Ijames, Paul Jones, Billy J. Oldham.

Trojans—Madeline Brack, Myrtle Cox, Motelle Dean, Elizabeth Eagleson, Mary Ellen Egar, Agnes Gates, Louise Hall, Edith Hester, Marie Martin, Mary Elizabeth Mason, Agnes Lee Merritt, Esther Moore, Margaret Miller, Sarah Miller, Ruby Roberts, Ida Simmons, Marie Simmons, Elizabeth Tapscott, Thelma Vance, Mary Wood, officer, Amelia Mattingly.

Tigerettes—Virginia Burris, Juanita Cundiff, Hitabel Dodson, Elizabeth Downing, Mary Ruth Drake, Gladys Fitzgerald, Billy Gillison, Daisy Hamilton, Beatrice Long, Cynthia McKinley, Myrtle Morris, Louise Pendleton, Velma Raymer, Melvina Ralph, Josephine Vanover, Thelma Waltrip.

Live Wires—Lillian Bristow, Genrose Cox, Elizabeth Montague, Virginia McDowell, Anna Louise Nelson, Lillian Stewart, Elizabeth Taylor, Margaret White, Robbie Whitmer.

Ever Readys—Robert Beatty, Bernest Crafton, Wilbur Felix, Ray L. Gill, James Maglinger, Edgar Maddox, John D. M. Robbins, Roy Sellers, Billie Timbrook, Bobbie Timbrook, Billie Weil, Henry Vargason, Gerald Moore, Eula Mae Bivens, Ruth Brooks, Daisy Board, Martha Crawford, Mary Maglinger, Rosalind Matthews, Elizabeth Mitchell, Elizabeth Pirtle, Lois Jane Riley, Nancy Warren.

Cadets—Archie Atherton, C. T. Brown, Wilbert Fitzgerald, Paschal Morris, Billy Phillips, Justus Veriene, Frances Flowers, Loretta Hathaway, Henrietta Hayden, Mary Ann Horner, Mildred Jordon, Eunice Lee Kirby, Kathryn Lindsay, Martha Maston, Betty Miller, Lucile Miller, Frances Queen, Edwina Shepherd, Irene Westerfield.

Hi-Ties—Ina Gidcomb, Marguerite Eger, Edith Hall, Madeline Schweiheart, Mary Westerfield, Mary Elizabeth Williams.

Yellow Jackets—Robert Berry, Roy Brown, Jack Castlen, Arthur Chancellor, Elmer Cole, Claude Mercer, Earl J. Martin, Harrold Miller, Kelly Salmon, Earl F.

Stinnett, Thomas Westmoreland, James Lee Williams.

Bull Dogs—Walker Bottorf, J. D. Brooks, Walter Coombs, J. D. Eads, William Gabbert, William Haley, Hugh Hamilton, Cuba Hardin, Robert Lashbrook, Harry McDaniel, Clifford Robertson, James Russell, Robert Shadwick, Edward Speer, Aubrey Tromly, Coburn Wells, Ernest Westerfield.

Sea Hawks—John William Ford, William Hall Martin, Thomas Mauzey.

S. A. K.—Frances Gilliam, Helen Grady, Ana Boyd Polk, Thelma Townsley, Eilbeck Barron, Albert Chamberlin, Billie Hamilton, Richard Jordan.

Zip—Bessie May Hicks, Gladys Cossler, Florence Dibble, Grace Heal, Bernice Leachman, Helen Rice, Catherine Skillman, Rose Mabel Steele, Chester Augenstein, Cecil Cook, Thomas Holman, Frank Pardon, Homer Roach.

Azulikits—Carl Oderman, Allan Tremor, Dudley Snead, J. L. Waldrop, Vida De Ameron, Effie Edmonson, Louise Ellis, Virginia Hazelrigg, Anna B. Harpe, Tressie Isbell, Geneva Price, Alice Robertson, Sudie Belle Snead, Louise Stone, Katherine Taylor, Marie Vernon.

## Dribbling Relay won by Sea Hawks and Trojans

### Wild Cats, Hi Ties Bid for Second Place

In the 7-B tournament the little athletic lot of Wild Cats roared in ahead. In the girls division the handy Cadets marched into first place.

In the 7-A in the invincible Yellow Jackets dribbled into the internal place. The Trojans held on stubbornly and grasped victory.

The 8-B tournament was a long and hot contest. The Swas-Ti-Kas and Hi Tie girls battled to a tie twice in succession. One girl from each team was selected the third time, Hi Ties winning.

In the boys section the Swas-Ti-Ka braves led amid their war whoops.

The last contest of the 8-As was won by the stubborn Bull Dogs, while the Excelsiors and Live Wires tied.

In the internal grade finals the Wild Cats subdued the Yellow Jackets sufficiently to take the boys' seventh grade championship.

The two girls' armies, the Cadets and Trojans opposed each other, the Trojans winning.

In the 8th grade semi-finals the Swas-Ti-Ka warriors tasted defeat at the paws of the Bull Dogs. The Excelsiors and Live Wires played the tie out, Excelsiors winning. The Excelsiors and Hi Ties met for the girls championship, Hi Ties winning.

In the boys finals, fur and teeth flew for a while between the Wild Cats and Bull Dogs. The Bull Dogs won, winning the boys championship of the school.

In the girls finals the Hi Ties met the Trojans, the Trojans winning the girls championship of the school.

—L. W.



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## Xtree! Eddy Recovers From Diphtheria

Whee! Well again! It sure is great to be well again. I'd like to see old J. H. S. again but they haven't took the quarantine down. It looks like a railroad crossing man trying to flag a train but its dangerous all right.

That just goes to show if I'd taken that Schick test and toxin-anti-toxin, well I wouldn't of had to be out so long. If I'd have taken them I'd never had to spend so much money either.

I spent enough to buy a house full of toxin anti-toxins and they don't hurt at all, but if you ever get the diphtheria you'll feel somethin'. So I'm urging on Dr. Hathaway's side, so every body get that Schick test and toxin anti-toxin.

Well I'll not waste any more lead till next time, so good bye.

As ever, a friend of toxin anti-toxin.  
—EDDY.

## Elizabeth Eagleson is First to Open Savings Account

### 200 PUPILS ARE BANK DEPOSITORS

The first pupil to open a savings account in Junior High Bank and who has saving book No. 1 is Elizabeth Eagleson.

There are 17 now and all will receive 4% per annum on all money left to the end of the school year.

There are now 220 depositors in the Jr. Hi Bank and there was \$40.60 deposited Wednesday, Nov. 10. Cordelia Steitler is the largest depositor.

## Citizenship Week Observed at Junior High

This week is Citizenship Week in Junior High. Last Friday's Beacon was devoted to Citizenship. Today (Monday) a member of the Citizenship Club will visit each home room and make the plans for the week known. The Hi-Y, Girls Reserve, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and Citizenship Club

will have charge of the assembly. Appropriate posters will be put up during the week.  
—M. N.

The attendance of the different groups for September and October is as follows:

	Sept.	Oct.
Bull Dogs -	99	98
Live Wires -	98	97
Excelsiors -	96.5	94.5
S. A. K. -	94	93
Swas-Ti-Kas -	98	96
Azulikits -	97	95
Sea Hawks -	95	92
Hi Ties -	92.8	98
Trojans -	97	96
Zips -	97	96
Yellow Jackets -	94	97
Ever Ready -	97	96
Tigerettes -	98	94
Cadets -	98	97
Wild Cats -	97	93
Go Getters -	92	86

The Yellow Jackets raised their attendance which was 3% higher in October than in September.

The attendance of the Hi Ties and Go Getters was lower than September.

The attendance of the Hi Ties and Go Getters fell far below the school average which was 95%.

All groups should work harder to raise their percentage in attendance for Junior High School.  
—E. M. B.

## New System Used at Penny Counter

A new system of buying was established at the penny counter last week. Before buying candy or ice cream you buy a ticket, and then pay for the amount purchased with the ticket. This system of counting was inaugurated so as to tell just how much is made on candy for the P. T. A.

Ruby Pearl Ray sells the tickets and keeps an account of every penny that is spent each day for candy.

## New Corridor Officers Ap- pointed

### A. R. HOPPER IS CAPTAIN

The following is a list of the new corridor officers and their rank:

A. R. Hopper, Captain; John Potter, Lieut., first floor; Walter Sublett, Lieut., second floor; Privates—Edward Speer, Carl Oderman, Coburn Wells, William Hoover, Homer Roach, Wm. Settles, Robert Morrison, Harold Miller, Jack Lewis, Orville Mayfield, Lewis Cossler, Brooks Wooton. These boys were appointed to their positions because of their ability and school loyalty which they have demonstrated.



## Between Us—

Oliver Haynes made a poster for the Book Lovers Club.

The English Department has charge of the Bulletin Board for Book Week. One of the original posters was made by Samuel Leach.

The Boy Scouts visited the Fire Department last week. They were shown how to help in a fire, how to carry a person from a burning house and many other interesting things.

The orchestra has gotten some new music.

The Athletic Club organized two football teams. A very interesting game was played Wednesday. Brooks Wooton and Edward Jolly were captains of the teams. Wooton's team won, making two touchdowns. They were scored by Wooton and Eply. Arthur Clary made the only touchdown scored by Jolly's team. Elmer Cummings received a black eye in the scrimmage. R. D. Ijames and J. L. Waldrop displayed some clever playing all through the game.

The Bank Boosters will be known as Pepper Boosters the second quarter. Margaret White has resigned from her position as president in the Pepper Club. Jacob Graham was elected president.

Mr. Waggoner—Louis Moody, tell us about the German school system.

Louis Moody—About all I know is I don't know nothing.

### Good Current Events Report in 4th period Class

Miss Worthington's 4th period history class voted on whose current events report was best. Three places were given. The following were decided on:

1st place—Hubert Davis—U. W. Campbell believes animals to be on mars.

2nd place—Katherine Taylor—Phillippine Typhoon kills 100 people.

3rd place—Donald Meredith—Man says nothing but three-toed animals can live on mars.

Miss Sallie Morton will begin a club at the fourth period on Wednesday. It will be a Junior Camp Fire Girls Club, called Blue Bird Club.

The 8th grade sewing classes will begin Thursday and Friday.

Miss Foley had several additions to her dressmaking club and gift shop recently.

Miss Gregory's Home Ec girls are to serve

the Board of Education which will be guests of J. H. S. Friday.

The Go Getters have organized a club.

Mr. Waggoner has organized a Good Book Club. The only members of the club are boys.

An extra assembly was held last Thursday morning. Dr. Cousins of Virginia, who is here for a meeting of The Green River Dental Association, spoke on the Importance of the care of the teeth. He announced that a free moving picture on the care of the teeth would be shown at the Senior Hi Auditorium next Thursday evening. All students and their parents were invited to attend.

Junior Hi took part in the American Legion parade last Thursday, November 11, Armistice Day. We were glad to do this much to show our patriotism.

## Statement for Jr. Hi Bank for October, 1926

Balance Oct. 1	\$235.15
Pepper Fund	84.91
Hi Y	.25
Office Account	3.38
Library	.55
Manual Training	19.70
Book Money	33.41
Tablet and Pencil	10.80
Sweet Shop	8.98

	\$397.57
Pepper Fund	\$ 46.40
Rosenfield Lunch Fund	.24
Office Account	3.20
Manual Training	2.90
Book Money	34.69
Pencil and Tablet	13.95
Old Accounts	1.22
Sweet Shop	3.00
180 Depositors	127.57
On Interest	150.00
Balance	13.96
	\$397.13

## Arrangements of Lunch Room and Officers

### NEW PLAN VERY SUITABLE

There has been an improvement in the lunch room and new officers have been elected. The tables have been rearranged and it is a very suitable plan. They have also made two new places for dirty dishes, scraps and milk bottles. These are the officers of the lunch room:

Cash Register—Charles Parrish, Billie Hamilton, Allen Tremor. Credit Salemen—Margaret White, Louisa Ellis, Anna Louise Nelson. Cash Salesmen—Cordelia Steitler, Katherine Taylor.

—L. E.