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Partial List of Students Who Achieved Honors.

### MANY ON ROLL FIRST REPORT

The following is a partial list of the honor students for the first six weeks report period which closed Oct. 14.

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Joins Faculty

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### HATS OFF TO SERGEANT

Behind all good work is a good incentive and any person who furnishes this incentive is re-spected and admired by his fellow beings. This is our relation toward Sergeant Reeves, who is doing excellent work in providing the good incentives and good examples for every one in R. O.

T. C.

Not only is he spending four or five periods
a day on the drill field but he is also doing the

the field only one period a day.

We, of the Yellowjacket staff and the student

## Walter O'Jeep Says-

BY EDGAR LUTON

Tech has a number of students who are mag-cians—anywa they carry magic wands. Maybe you say that's crazy; you haven't believed in magicians, magic wands or the liftle since you were in the primary grades when you read about such things. But I say: if you are dubious; by you think I'm imagining things, just watch solv wave a sabre around and then notice how the femmes appear. Who says there's no such thing as a magic wand in Tech? Tech has a number of students who are mag

There are other doubting Thomases who are not sure that the sophomore class is so green. I'm convinced, sincel saw him actually put his gum behind his ear during drill. I'm so convinced that I believe he chewed it again. Futhermore, Thomases, I think they believe that the pillars of the building are on the emergency room cots.

Getting back to the topic of magic, some of you may think I'm stretching things when I say there is a coveted supply of magic closks here. Strange, enough they cause the appearance of girls, too. This bit of paraphenalia is a foo.ball awarder with a letter on it. The power of these magic closks is increased by an increase in stripes on the arm. Again, who says magic is bunk?

People say that some spots in New York become terribly congested at times. All Techites, who should know, say that these places have nothing on the condition of the stairs at Toch during class changes.

Rumors have it that one boy disappeared somewhere between the second and third floors Witnesses saw him leave the second floor but he just didn't arrive at the third. No clues to his whereabouts have been found with the exception of a small grease spot on the rail. Poor boy!

Folks say that the Czechs are, at this time, the most disgusted people on earth, after being, in their opinion, let down by the French and British governments during the recent worlderses. They're disgusted to the point of returning all French and British medals. Well, maybe they are the most disgusted people in Europe but it is certain that this standing on our continent goes to the fellow who battles his way down, be-

tween two rows of seats and finds the seat he was after is broken. Disgust! Ha!

Continuing along the line of miracles: Continuing along the line of miracles: A concern has recently put on the market a pencil which automatically refills, that is, when one lead is used up another automatically takes its place. The pencil is made to be used for a half year without refilling it. Many are probably saying, "What will they do next. That is a miracle!" However, after eleven years of school I'll confess that an unbelievable miracle has come about when anyone in school can keep a pencil a month, much less, a half year.

Someone reports that there is a boy at Tech who is not gong to the Tech-Central game.

## Maybe Here's Something You'll Like

BY WOODROW PAYNE

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Now that the War Crisis which has been looming over our heads for the last few weeks has subsided, many of the boys around Tech between the ages of 18 and 20 are breathing much easier. Whether Nelville Chamberlian, British Foreign Minister was in the right when he without England's defense of Czechoslovakia, or not, he certainly has aved the U. S. from another World War, for the time being to say, at least.

It may be history is not repeating itself in Europe after all. It is merely continuing something that has never fundamently changed.

Despite a troubled year in '38, records show that the U. S. will end this year with the lowest death rate from homicide since records have begun to be kept. This record is virtually clinch-ed unless an unexpected wave of lawlesses breaks out in the remaining months of 1938.

Helpful hint: When the parents criticize you for attending movies inform them that "500,000, 000 people can't be wrong." This was the slogar used for the current "Attend the Movies" came

For reference on Tech Hi graduates, Apply— Sears, Roebuck and Co. or West Tennessee State Teachers College.

JOKE OF THE WEEK
Fellow: Dancing is just necking to music.
Girl: Well, what's your objection?
Fellow: The music.



### **ECHOES**

### Campus Capers

A compliment is like perfume

Attention! All loyal Yellowjacket subscribers

It should be innaled Not swallowed.

Let us endeavor so to live, that when we come to die, even the undertaker will be sorry. —Mark Twain. Sentence Editorial:

Girl: I just made up a poem out of my head. Boy: Blank verse-no doubt.

Different Motive:

"If there are any dumbbells in the room, please stand up," said the exasperated professor.

A long pause and then a freshman stood up.

"What! Do you consider yourself a dumb-

"Well, not exactly that, sir, but I hate to see you standing all alone."

Old custom:
Daylight saving is founded on the old Indian idea of cutting off one end of the blanket and sewing it on the other end to make it longer.

Teacher: "How would you punctuate this sentence? 'The wind blew a ten-dollar bill around the corner."

Reduction:
The little boy asked his mother, "What are prayers?" When his mother told him prayers were little messages to Heaven, the young hope-ful remarked, "Now I understand. We send them at night like Western Union to get cheaper rates."

Might take a chance: :
Billy: "Grandma, can you help me with this

Billy: "Grandma, can you help me with this problem."
Grandma: "I could, dear, but I don't think it would be right."
Billy: "Mo, I don't suppose it would, but take a crack at it and see."

A matter of Routine?
Stenographer: Your little girl wants to kiss you over the phone.
Busy Manager: Take the message— I'll get it from you later.

Mame lands a job:

"Mame's got a job as a stenographer."

"What? Mame—?No."

"Honest."

"Do you spose she'll get by?"

"Well, she may at that. You see, her boss told her right off he's a man of few words, an' that sounded encouragin' to Mame—she don't know very many."

and football players.

From this very moment on I shall try to give you the real and authoritative "dope" on the ups and downs of our great student body. So don't be surprised if your "moniker" happens to be in this column. I have always been called tattle-tale and will endeavor to live up to my name. I promise to give you the "biggest" and the best news scoops of the year. Now that I have given due warning here goes!

With all of Europe moblizing huge armies, the fairer sex of Tech have armed themselves with compacts, lipsticks, and the thousand other things they use to conquer. The obvious reason is the officers. It won't be long until they will be choosing their sponsors.

A'Tisket A'Tasket. The little yellow basket isn't the only thing lost, for Doreas French hasn't rated the attention she had last year. Maybe now she doesn't need it.

Hearing a lot of noise that sounded like a machine gun warming up, some dumb but happy person, yelled out, "oh, the war has started!" At that everybody laughed and laughed for they knew it was only Billy Carkeet on his streamlined motorcycle.

Daisy Mae doesn't have a thing on the "femmes" of Tech. She only chases Lil' Abner on Sadie Hawkins' Day while at Tech from the looks of things this great occasion is observed every day. Take a glance at Ann Fendleton and Bob Robbins' race and you will get what I mean.

Calling all drug store cowboys. If you want a good looking gal from the middle west, introduce yourself to Edna Mocabee. She hails from Claremore, Oklahoma.

For a boy with a nice smile say hello to Bill Tuero, the third baseman of the John A. Denies American Legion nine last year.

Take your hats off to Joe Zellner and Don Walton, two the best cheer leaders Tech has ever had.

This was a mild start fellow book luggers, and those who don't, for in the next issue I'll have some startling news for you. And so until the next edition this is your reporter signing off by saving, "Remember gals all that glitters is not sponsor's buttons!"

### GOOD COMMON SENSE

When the President of Southwestern, Dr. C. E. Deihl, spoke to the group to Techites who plan to attend college, he made one of the best common sense observations that we have heard in some time when he said, in connection with one's wasting four years in college, that "you can waste four years at anything."

let him know we appreciate his good work.

We don't need to analyze this remark. It is simple enough for anyone to understand.

This could be applied to the four years of high school. The bad part of it is that we don't realize this fact until it is too late.

NEW MANAGER AT SUPPLY TABLE

You have probably all noticed, we have a new worker at our supply table, this year, Mrs. Lucille Andrews, who is a member of the Tech

As is customary every three years, a new person is appointed for the job, and therefore Mrs. Andrews is filling the place that Mrs. Garrison has filled for the last three years.

Mrs. Andrews says, "I really enjoy working here and I hope that all the students will buy

their supplies here, so that I may be a success.

She was president of the P.-T. A. at Merrill
School and chairman of council for the past two vears.

### WHY HAZING

The shaved head of a student who appeared in City Court the other day to answer traffic charges gave evidence to the public hat hazing

Why does a school otherwise so progressive cling to a barbarous and silly custom?—Press Scimitar.

The staff is especially interested in this editorial for the simple reason that it has for the past five or six years been bitterly opposed the rast five or six years been bittery opposed to this sort of initiation of freshman. Finally after taking this stand for this number of years, hazing has been done away with at Tech and we sincerly hope the State Teachers College will take notice and see fit to fall in line.

# Dotty's Doings | Introducing.....

In case you're wondering about

Attention, Tech High students!

For many years Tech High has en considered a thrift school. In been considered a thrift school. In 1921 Teeh was given the title of being the 100 per cent thrift school of America and there is a picture of the entire student body in the Woolworth Building in New York City as a memory of that

Banking is one of the most worthwhile of the many school activities and every student should take advantage of this asset.

This year S. J. Hilderbrand is our bank cashier, assisted by William Luton and Roy Van Cleave. Miss Wright made the following statement: "The fine student body which is now enrolled at Tech should do its best to go 100 per cent in banking and again reach the 1921 record."

**TECHITES** 

Attention, Tech High students!
Arm yourself with rice, old shoes, tin cans, etc. George Austin popped the question to Odell Harris in music class. The time—Dec. 25.
The place—The Casino. What were you doing, Mr. Mount, teach ing the wedding march?

Have you met one of our new sophs, Patsy Chitwood? She's an pretty little thing, from Louisiana She can be found in the seventh period study hall.

Before he became president of country the med for construction of the present of the present of the words.

Colleges Hoppefuls the elegible for the class of lasting romance, as it has been remarked, "It's no wonder Evelyn treats all kile dirt, he's always under foot."

Something quite noticeable and "mite" unbelievable is the mount of unattached girls at the carries in particularly the need for construction of the present of the p

Can you imagine? Bobby Craigo is crazy about a certain find his voice (oris it the words) to tell her so, we're all wondering how long this Philip Morris-Lanell Walker romance will last. They say true love never runs smooth. If this was a Lanel, and Philip have at last found the real thing. The romanch has been raging for the last two years.

Cupid must be awfully tired at this, after coaming Tech's came.

Cupid must be awfully tired at night after roaming Tech's campus every day. I hear his latest victims are Joe Brown and Ruth Robinson. Too bad, Virginia, those buttons would have looked nice on your shoulders.

They say there's something about a uniform. Evidently Martha Lyle thinks so. Just imagine keeping the home fires burning for a sailor in Cuba. Golly!

Say, folks, have you seen that attractive young soph, Johnnye Clark? Now, now, girls, don't get excited; it's not for you, but rather for the boys, 'cause Johnnye's a girl.

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TECHITES
that meek expression on Mr.
Mount's face—it is due to June
West. Upon being asked if she
were any relation to the fagnous
Mae, she tartly replied, "Yes I'm
her mother."

SENIOR

Folks, meet Dorothy Harris, a
senior, 17 years o.d, and a cute
subject can dase shines when eating
spaghetti and olives. Her hobby
ratelly brough home the bacon in
the form of our handsome blonde
arrist, Ralph Dugard.

A news fissh informs me that
Wing Minor And his girl in Mississippi have gone separate ways.
Could Minnie Wilson have had
anything to do with it.

Personal tip to Johnny Eastman: Dor't let it go to your head,
but Helen Bickford, that attractive soph, has been carrying a
forch for you that would almost
rival the Statue of Liberty's.

Márjorie Quillen certainly does
ra.-d. She goes with a senior at
U. it. Come on, Marjorie, tell the
rest of us gals how you do it.

Remember the song, "Love Thy
Neighbor" Maybe Johnny Taylor
wrote it. He sure carries it out
anyth. Gome on, Marjorie, tell the
rest of us gals how you do it.

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BY JAY C. BLACK

With power to boot, our Teeh High Yellowjackets have shown the stuff it takes to make champions by soundly waltoping their first four prey opponents. Secred Heart South Warriers at 8 o'clock on the South High, Calondol High, and Besides were furnified in rapid increasion to the Blue and the Gold charges.

Sacred Heart was led to the first period and did not the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre in the feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre, the better. The feast said about the wholesals messacre in the fresh period and the following are set to the fresh period in the large of one of exactly eleven touchdowns. The final screw was 86 to. Mark the feast said about the wholesals in the feast said about the wholesals messacre in the feast said about the feast said about the feast

Offense! Man what an offense! 68 to 0, 21 to 7, 45 to 7, Ripper Woodward and Joe Br 46 to 0, are the riotous scores that our mighty Tech Yellow-jackets have vanquished four prep league opponents in successive style this season. This gives the high-powered average of 45 points. Mighty good, boys.

Lookout Warriors! We're gunnin' fer yu'. Just a word of warning to those tricky little rascals from Central High who are actually building up hopes of out-slicking our mighty Yellowjackets. You haven't a chance Central, not a chance. All you have to offer is a ball club made up of veterans. Don't you know this won't make a particle of difference tomorrow aight when you start biting the well-known dust in rapid-fire order. You may throw in your prayer but our dream will offset that. The final score should be in the nature of 20 to 7.

A word of praise is due the Messick Panthers who wer so ungraciously humbled by Tech last week, 46 to 0. Ever though defeat was inevitable these Panthers kept battling in there for all they were worth, and fought gallantly to the last ditch.

last ditch.

Short Shorts: An orchid to Mark Hammond, one of the finest fellows in the prep coaching circle—Bob Walt had better slow down on the rough stuff or some three or four opponents are going to team up and slap him down—Praise is due Wade Newhouse, diminitive reserve center of the Jacks, who is always in there scrapping and giving his all for the team even though he may see little action in the big games—S. J. Hildebrand, Jacket center, is the newly elected Senior class president. Congrats!—A climax runner is the title for Gut Leggett, who seems to specialize in long jaunts for touchdowns on punts and kick-off returns.—My Nominee for high-scoring honors in basket-ball next year is Ed Reeves, diminutive sophomore who will probable spend most of this season in reserve form due to inexperiene.

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