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Tech will play host to the ontestants of the annual contestants of the annual tity-wide spelling bee, which a genosered by the Memphis-Press-Scinitar, Every junior bigh and grammar school will send its champion to compete for the first place award, silver placque for the school end \$15 cash for the boy or girl winning. The second place winner will receive \$10 end \$85 will go to whomever places third. The contest will be held on the stage at 10 o'clock, Saturlay, May 6, and will be open to the public.

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A BELOVED SENIOR

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Sammie Louise McGalla, a 17-year-old Tech senior, recently died from an illness which kept her from school for approximately two months. She was loved and was very active in school activities, being manager of the girls' baskellat tam as well as a loyal supporter of the boys' lasketball and football teams. She was a member of the Z. T. O. Scrority and of the Summer Avenue Assembly of Rainbow Girls, in which was next in line to become worthy advisor.

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On graduation day there will be an empty space, which Sammie was to have filled, but to

those who were close to her this empty space will seem as though she was there herself. There were so many friends at the funeral they were standing out in the street, all unable to realize that the lively girl which used to be among them was dead.

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On Tuesday, April 18, there was held in the auditorium a formal debate between a team from State Teachers College and one from Tech. The most graftlying aspect of the debate, however, was the attitude displayed by the student assembly. The great majority of the students enjoyed the debate immensely and listened with intense interest, showing beyond a doubt that they did enjoy intellectual entertainment to the fullest. This high morale of the student body is evident in many respects and is wholly appreciated by the faculty and those who made this entertainment possible. Let us hope—and we know it will—bath this spirit of the Tech students will march on in the future as it has in the past, and bring unlimited glory to Tech High.

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Once again the time of the year when a young man's fancy lightly turns to love is here. Also the time when school is out. Some of our gang will leave the classrooms for the last time and leave the place with happy smiles and doubt in their minds. They will scatter and look for jobs. Many will have a bad record, so they cannot get a job as easily as those who have good records. So don't get into bad habits by cutting classes this late in the year. After all, a yood job is worth much more than all the classes you have cut.

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When you leave Tech you want to go out and hold up the traditions of the Blue and Gold and lift our honor and prestige among the greatest of schools.

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Every year along about the beginning of the last six-weeks period an editorial is published in the Yellowiagest reminding the students, and seniors particularly, that their day of rectoning is not far off, and that they mush't let their studies drop if they are expecting to pass. This is another of those editorials.

But, it is a fact, that even though graduiton is not far off, the grades invariably full the last period. Let us urge the student body to put in some serious thought these last days of school and set a precedent by improving the scholarship.

Rambling Reporter

BY BARBARA RUSHING

With world conditions as they are today, with war propaganda spreading over the entire universe, a Memphis high school boy decided to go into action according to an article publish-ed in the Press Scimitar recently.

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The following quotation is part of the letter
the R. O. T. C. cadet wrote, "Please, Mr. Hitler,
if you're gonna have war any time soon, please
start it before time for spring exams and save
us a lot of useless "studying".

This article is indicative of the feelings of
Tech boys. Maybe war wouldn't be so bad after
all if we could get out of those dreaded tests.

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This week your roving reporter snooped around the various class rooms and halls and saked the boys just what they disliked in their friends. Naturally, there were various answers received. Girls, now is your chance to find out your faults.

Your reporter strolled into room 302 and found Sam Kahn, staff photographer, reading a book. He stopped long enough to tell me this. "If a girl ever tells a lie it spoils her for me, because ever after you never know whether she is telling the truth or not."

S. J. Hildebrand, senior president and Al-Memphis football star, said he didn't have any dislikes in the girls but for some unknown reason he was trying not to like them.

Woodrow Payne, one of Tech's best debaters and boys' co-editor of the senior annual, thinks girls are too inquisitive.

"The girls in Tech High are too inquisitive. Before you leave the house they want to know where we're going and what we're going to do."

Edgar Luton. editor of the Yellowjacket, resident of the Senior honor Society, and co-editor of the senior annual said there were only two things he disliked in girls. One is poping gum and the other is constant cursing.

Campus Capers

BY EDWINA McCULLAR

After a leave of absence of several editions, during which time my contemporaries used the printers ink to a good advantage, your gossip—

positions ink to a cood advantance, your cossigo-getter is back to bring some of the very
latest. Perhaps you know more about the various
incidents that have been happening around and
about the campus than I, but the way things and
sponsors have changed it would make anybody
dizzy. Doris Middleton is now squired around
by Roy Van Cleave and two buttons are still
gracing her shoulder, while Joy Jehl is—. Oh
well, Joy, time about is fair play.

For a while it seems that the line formed at the right for all the gents interested in Judy Cour, but then came the change. For the way things look now (the buttons) "Bubba" Clark is head man.

Here are a few songs that have been sug-gested for the Senior's farewell song, that is, thus of these: "Heaver Can Wait", "I Crist, the You", "Our Love", and "Deep Purple". How-ever, some of the "Cats" have suggested "Three Litte Fishes" and "Hold Tight".

Kay Kyser, Dean of Kyser Kollege, is the highest paid in his business, that of selling rhy-thm. Incidentally he just signed for five mil-lion somolians per—for five years. Keep sawlion somolians per-foring the fiddle Johnnie.

Ask Max Wise about the letter he received from Jean Yates. Some say it contained sweet, sweet nothings.

Congratulations are in order for Faye Gard-ner. She has made one of the nicest Honorary Majors that Tech has ever had.

Milliard Rhodes, of the Jitterbugs Rhodes, seems to be more then slightly interested in Margaret Bellumoni. Could that erstwhile rug-cutter really have fallen? Better be careful, Davis, and watch your dancing steps.

The reason for the many beautiful flowers in the teachers' class rooms is, that if you can't pass one way, try another.

Rhyme of the Century (It always holds true)
If you love me as I love you, I guess yoknow that we are through.

Louise Whitten is planning on taking those vows, as soon as she graduates. Best wishes Louise.

What well known senior girl, said, "I sure would love to take the trip to Knoxville with Woodrow Payne, Robert Butler, and Joe Zellner.



Let's Look Back

Eash i sue of the Craftsman contained a pic ure of United States flag and the two clauses under it.

"And 'ong may it wave

O'er the land of the free And the home of the brave."

"We pledge allegiance to our flag and to the epubl'e for which it stands, one nation indi-

With liberty and justice for all."

The French orphan that Miss Gill's room adopted sent her thanks and appreciation in a quick reply for the contribution of \$36.50 the room sent her.

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"Tze been laying off to ax yo' dis. What does doy mean when dey talks erbout de 'soldiers reine over de top'? Dat spresshun sho's got me pestered."

"Wal," answered the other, 'niggar, dat dar spresshun 'goin over de top' is jes de same as saying 'Good Mawning Jesus' ".

Favorite Songs of Famous People:

Henry Ford—"Ti-Pi-Ti-Pi-Tin."
James Farley—"Tim Gonna Sit Right Down and Write Myse! a Letter."
Emperor Hirochito—"The Butcher Boy."
Adolpf, Beviao, and Joseph—"Three Shift-less Skunks" and "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp,"
Ned Sparks—"Smilles."

Ranch— a tool for turning nuts.

Vast—an article of clothing worn under the

coat.
Puncture—a hissing sound followed by pro-

Romance—people who live in Rome.
Sauerkrout— a mob of people who aren't any too sweet tempered.

Over the Wires:

Telegram: "Washout on line, cannot come." Reply: "Come anyway, borrow a shirt."

A good conclusion to anything should consist of a summing up of what has gone on before, but you can readily see that it ain't ain't what you do, it's the way hotcha' do it, and that's what gets results.

ECHOES

Hickory, dickory, dock, Two mice ran up the clock, The clock struck one— Oh, my! Wasn't the other lucky?

"Just as the widow and I started up the aisle to the alter, every light in the church went out." "What did you do then?" "Kept on going. The widow knew the way."

Teacher: "How would you punctuate this entence, 'The wind blew a ten-dollar bill round the corner'?"

Pupil: "I would make a dash after the bill."

She: "Are you doing anything for that

cold?"
He: "I sneeze whenever it wants me to."

"I'm feu up on that," said the baby, pointing at the high chair.

He (giving driving lessons): "Choke it,

She: "Where's its neck?"

Before I heard the doctors tell The dangers of a kiss, I had considered kissing you The nearest thing to bliss.

But now I know biology,
And sit and sigh and moan,
Six million mad bacteria—
And I thought we were alone.
—Exchange.

Have you heard the new government song, "C C C, I'm Working for a Penny"?

Voice over the telephone: "Hey, Toots, let's get hitched."

Answer of sweet young thing: "Sure, Bud! But who is this speaking?"

They say she was just a plumber's daugh-but, boy, what fixtures!

Wifey: "The woman next door has such a devoted husband. He kisses her madly every morning when he leaves. Why dont you do that?"

Hubby: "I will. Just introduce me to her."

Quiet, Please!
"Don't get sore, old man, but honestly, I'd
give a thousand to have that wife of yours."
"Say that again and you'll regret it!"
"On, will I get a beating?"
"No, you'll get my wife."

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Championship

The Tech High Golfers won the preparation of the thirty of

Loraine Morris and Harold
Miller have been "that" way about
each other for three years, and
from the way they act their romance seems to be slated as the
real thing.

What's this I hear about Clyde
"Baby" Bowen cutting a path to
Kitty Shelby's house. Be careful
"Baby"
"Bab

The more I think about it the more I am sure that the man's address, who said that love is pool I certainly hope someone will grand, must have been Bolivar. If you don't agree with me just look at some of the supposedly perfect and and age.

Golfers Win Championship

literary on us, but Fran Canfiel's delightful company.

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Now that football season is over Don Walton seems to be confining chance, of these accidentally meeths cheers to the praise of none other than Max Wise's own Frances Williams.

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It seems as if Jean Yates and Parker Johnson have definitely different and make a sponsor. I found the bumpy road to love, and guess he doesn't know that at this are taking all the hard jolts in high these days.

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