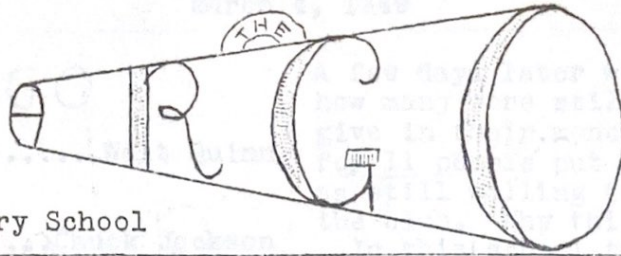


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BROTHERHOOD PATTERN FOR WORLD PEACE

We in America are the most prosperous people in the world. We are not in constant worry, wondering where the next meal will come from or where we will spend the night. Most of us are secure in our homes and only have to go as far as the icebox to get something to eat. But what of the people in the rest of the world who are a lot less fortunate than ourselves? Are they to be forgotten? This problem has been brought to the attention of the American people. We helped, side by side, in gathering food to send to those people. This was largely done through the effort of the Friendship Train and Care. This act of mercy is brotherhood in action.

We must often say to ourselves, "What is brotherhood?" In Webster's dictionary it says that brotherhood is an association of people who join for a common purpose. In this case the purpose is to bring up the living standards of those who had so much taken away from them during the last war. We also must wonder how brotherhood week originated. Several years ago some men of great foresight saw the use of a national brotherhood week, at the period around Washington's Birthday.

The next war must be stopped before it has a chance to start. This can be accomplished by world brotherhood. During a talk before the Council of World Affairs in Cleveland, Ohio, Cardinal Spellman made this statement. "In the brotherhood of man, differences of language, custom, or country, need not divide us. Our country shall

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OUR REMBRANDT — T.D.

This being the appropriate issue to dedicate we are doing same. Mr. Thomas R. Downie, instructor of romance languages, has been here for 5½ years and much to everyone's amazement, has stood the strain very well. A dedication of Mr. Downie was done in last year's ARGO, but seeing that Mr. Downie is changing so rapidly, we are doing another.

A sideline recently taken up by our hero of the week is modern art, in all shapes, sizes, and forms. Every Tuesday and Thursday evening Mr. D. may be seen all done up in suitable garments dabbing away at some scene of the tropics. Having strictly Latin tastes, he combines colors never before seen by man. Good Luck to you, Mr. Downie.

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A few days later we asked exactly how many were still planning to give in their money. We were lucky for 11 people put their hands up as still willing to go along with the club. Why this sad situation?

In this school there seems to be a lot of people who are willing to go along with an idea as long as there is no work to do on their part. With this attitude it is a wonder that anything runs well.

This week a dance committee is being formed by some students who have an interest in the social life of the school. Perhaps it was a mistake to start it if the theatre club is any indication of just how successful it will be. However, trusting that some people around here do really want more dances, and trusting that there will be more people who will go to them we earnestly solicit your support. It's up to you, you, and you.

WHAT'S WRONG HERE?

The evaluators who visited Prep this fall stated that the students showed unusual school spirit. **THEY WERE WRONG!**...Most students attend classes every day as if they were the only part of school. High school, or Prep School in this case should mean more than just study.

Only a small number of regulars have attended more than one ball game throughout the season. Whenever a fairly large crowd appeared it was only through constant prodding and persuasion on the part of the faculty.

Why this lack of school spirit? Let's take the theatre club as a typical example of something falling through.

Late in the fall some members of the student body thought of the idea of reforming the theatre club of a few years back. They put a list on the bulletin board, and managed to get 46 names on it. But when it came time to collect the money, 8 people gave theirs to Mrs. Andrews.

MOVING DAY

One week ago a change took place in the Argo. You need not leaf through its pages or stare at its print, however, for you will not find it there. This change is basic, even so, for it is that the Argo at last found a room of its own!

Through the kindness of Mr. Heinlein, (or his secret desire to remove us from his laboratory) we, the staff of the Argo, were presented by said Mr. Heinlein with an old supply room just above the Somerset Street entrance.

So, hereafter when you read our efforts, be mindful of the kindness of our Science prof, and of this gift of his to our paper, and therefore, to our school. The Argo is no longer a wanderer--it now has permanent lodgings.

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endure if each man remains true to the principles of faith and freedom upon which this country is founded."

There has been brotherhood in the world of medicine for many years. These men do not hide important knowledge from each other; they do quite the contrary. If a new discovery is made, it is made known to the world as quickly as is humanly possible. But for this cooperation, many of the people now walking on the earth today might be only memories in the thoughts of their loved ones. If only all the nations of the world would join to live in peace and prosperity, they would find that there is quite enough for each and every one of us. It is important that we do this now, not only for ourselves, but also for the millions of unborn children who will someday be leaders in this world of ours. It does not matter whether we are black, yellow, or white. It should make no difference whether we are Catholic, Protestant, or Jew, we must all learn to live and work together, and to support world peace.

Ed. note: The preceding article was written over a year ago by a student now attending this school. We of the Argo thought it so timely, that we are reprinting it here.

ARGO SPOTLIGHT

Flashing my light around into a corner, I came upon a boy with a bedraggled crew cut, solemnly telling a corny joke. Yes, you guessed it, Gerry Shinn.

Being quite sports-minded, Gerry has devised a behind-the-back hook shot that even makes the professionals stop and look. Aside from being well-liked by his classmates and teachers, the stars foretell a good future.

STARGAZING

Note: In the preceding article, we have a reference to stars, beyond a doubt most of you fellows must have heard of star gazing. While thumbing through several back copies of the New Brunswick Home News, the writer came across an interesting article. It seems that Professor Gustave Meyer could see the future through the stars, and five questions of great importance to Americans of that day were put to him. To all of you who fancy yourselves prophets, observe the following: "New Brunswick Home News, August 3, 1923. The five questions generally believed to be of the most interest to Americans today were put to Professor Gustave Meyer. Here they are:

Q. Will the United States ever have a woman president?

A. Yes, between the years 1942-1949 the U.S. will be torn with civil dissention. Out of this a woman president will arise. The Joan of Arc of America!

Q. Will the prohibition law be changed?

A. Saloons will never come back!

Q. Will Soviet Russia endure?

A. No!

Q. Will there be another great war?

A. The stars forecast a great war in Europe for 1927. Germany will side with England against France. It is indicated that in 1934 England will become a republic.

Q. What calamities do the stars foretell?

A. In August (1923) there will be earthquakes along the entire east coast.

The research material for the above article was obtained from the Rutgers University Library, back newspaper file room.

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Obviously outclassed, Montclair Academy dropped a 70-59 basketball decision to Rutgers Prep on the former's court. This was the second contest this season between the two teams. The first game was played in New Brunswick, with Prep winning 60-32.

High scorer was Frank Tumulty with 30 points, who was able to make 12 points in the third period alone. Other high men for Prep included John Hinos with 12, and Lou Vasvary and Ace Anderson with 10 and 8 points respectively.

Montclair was able to stay in front of Prep for the first period and the score at the end of that stanza was 16-13, Montclair.

PREP 44

LAWRENCEVILLE 55

Lawrenceville Prep defeated the maroon and white in New Brunswick, 55-44. With few exceptions the Little Scarlet led all the way up to the last part of the third period. High scorer for the opposition was Bill O'Brien with 18.

Being the last game for Frank Tumulty, he appropriately enough, was the high scorer with 13 points while Ace Anderson was next with a close 12.

This was the first athletic engagement between the two schools in many years.

PREP J.V. 22

L.P. J.V. 57

At the Prep gym on February 19, Lawrenceville J.V. gave our J.V.'s a good trouncing 57-22. Bob Simmons of Lawrenceville climbed into top scoring spot with 11 counters. Pauk of Prep had 5.

Playing with a remnant of their original squad, the Rutgers Prep quintet turned back the New Brunswick Vocational Team 47-34.

Prep got off to a fast start, and led 14-4 at the first quarter mark. After being behind 1-3 at the beginning of the game, the entire starting team contributed 11 straight points to give us our 1st period margin. Vocational then took command and dunked 9 points to bring the score to 14-13 midway through the second period. With Ace Anderson contributing five, Prep scored seven more points to have a substantial margin at half-time, 21-13.

The Jay Vees, promoted to the Varsity for this game, played most of the second half, along with Tom Beaudette and John Garboski, the newly acquired Prep cagers.

Ace Anderson was high scorer with 21 points.

PREP JV 41 ST PETER'S JV 58

At the Prep gym, St. Peter's Jay Vee team walked away with their second win over the Prep J. V. team. At the half the score was a close 26-21 in favor of the Petreans. In the second half, however, it was an entirely different situation, and at the final whistle the score was 58-41 in favor of St. Peters.

High scorer for Prep was Fedor with 14.

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Those Fatal Stairs