

THE STUDENT

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Trustees' Meeting in Favor Of Gym Addition SAINT ANDREW'S DAY NEXT MONDAY New Front To Be Added Soon

This year St. Andrew's Day will not be celebrated on the actual day, but the usual whole holiday will be included in the long week-end which most of the school will enjoy. There will, however, be the regular Holy Communion Service on Monday morning, and it is hoped that many will attend. We know that the school prefers the arrangement of weekends this year, to the one previously used, and all hope that it will continue in future years. We are sorry to inform you of the usual classes next Monday!

INFIRMARY DISPATCHES

Much to everybody's regret, the sick doctor arrives again next week to see if you are susceptible to the dreaded diphtheria. It has not been decided what is going to happen if you are but a good guess shows that the health committee will decide without much hesitation. If by chance any unlucky creature catches this disease he will live if the serum is administered in time, if not he will struggle to death. So the answer is, if you have a sore throat see Miss Miller without delay. A special dispatch shows that the boys are out of danger.

The latest pleasure for the boys is a milk shake bar which has been established by Miss Miller. Don't get excited, because this bar is only for her favorites. Your guess as to who they are!

BOOK WEEK WINNER ANNOUNCED!

The Book Week treasure was announced yesterday, as the book, "Men of Danger", and the winner was George Brown.

Last night after much consideration, the founder and trustees decided to have the addition built to the gym. This will be built out from the temporary end on the present building.

It will contain an indoor recreation room, complete with pool tables and a trophy room. There also may be two more squash courts.

All members of the members of the meeting were unanimous in agreeing to its being a great improvement to the present appearance. It certainly will give a better impression as one enters the school drive. Two more masters' houses were also proposed to be built, out by the annex drive. However, it is not certain.

Work on this new addition will probably commence at the beginning of the Spring Term. It will be an imposing edifice, and will have buttresses upon each wall, as in the present building. In all, it will be a pleasing addition to the school's present complement of buildings and we are sure that everybody will anticipate with much enthusiasm its completion in the near future.

ORCHESTRA AT SAINT ANDREW'S

We have heard that action has been taken as a result of Mr. Schmolze's plea for those with musical ability, with the prospect of a fourteen piece orchestra in the offing. Mr. Schmolze has worked very hard on this project for several years, and we wish him the best of luck.

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This week, we wish to thank Mr. Large, Miss Melton, and Mr. Schoonover for their fine cooperation.

We are proud to present to you this second edition of St. Andrew's leading newspaper. During the past week we have heard reports that we were to have other competition besides the Cardinal. Well, since we saw its publication last Saturday, we are more sure of ourselves.

FUTURE DANCING CLASS

Saint Andrew's students may look toward a future dancing class. If the boys show sufficient enthusiasm, masters' wives will gladly render their services.

The Holders suggest Monday afternoon from 4:30 to 6:00 for classes.

"The class will be held in the trunk-room hall" (Mrs. Holder) "I've been maintaining this idea for the last two years" (Mrs. Hutton) "A new era in school life" (certain fourth former)

Music will be furnished by recordings of Benny Goodman, Ray Noble, Paul Whiteman, Jimmy Lunceford, and the country's best.

Suggestions for better arrangements will be gladly accepted.

Why don't you write to Mr. Hall? His address: Mr. George E. Hall, P. O. Box 276, Summerville, So. Carolina.



THANKS BEING GIVEN

ESCAPE

T. H. Austin

The howl of sirens blasted the tranquility of the night with their eerie screams. Powerful searchlights tore the darkness with their probing beams, bathing the prison yard in light. Squads of police poured from numerous buildings. They were ready to trap the escaping criminal.

A horrible countenance peered around the corner of the Laundry building. The face loomed as the convict saw the police. A maniac-like gleam showed in his eye. His teeth, crooked and decayed, were set off by his fat gums and dirty mouth. The muscles in his bull-like neck quivered in anticipation of his next move. Then he galvanized into action. In a flash he had bounded to the twenty-foot wall, and with startling, almost unbelievable agility, he scrambled to its top. He paused for a split-second, hesitant to jump. This vacillation cost him dearly. A sharp "crack", crisp and short, shattered the excitement. The culprit wavered, staggered, fell back inside the enclosing barrier.

An attempted escape had been timely halted.

(Ed. note: A prize story will appear in this space, in every edition. Those who contribute will duly receive credit.)

THOMAS CANEY

"T" will an upstanding young man be -
Then wide will the smile on his pan be;
He went home for a rest;
'Twas all for the best -
Now he's being as good as he "can be".

TID-BINS

FLATIRE

Old Scribs

... "A deacon is the lowest type of Christian", from the Saint Andrew's Tennessee, paper.

Too bad, Mr. Pontis. ... Our prophesy has been proved. "Linnic" has given birth to five puppies.

... As Mr. Schmolze is a member of the Middletown Fire Department, we expect he has improved his game of checkers.

... We hear such things about Miss Michaelis and those "Baltimore Bachelors" to hope that their intentions are not serious.

... To you who have been puzzled by how to get into the office through the new gate, it might be interesting to learn that the manipulation of a latch on the underneath side will do the trick.

... By the way, it would be to your advantage to save this publication, for it will be valuable some day, according to Mr. Dunstead.

... We wonder why the editors of the COMMENT signed themselves as x, y, and z. Could it be that they are ashamed of their work?

NEARBY SKETCHES

You all know that plump little lady whose cheery cry, "What'll you have, honey?" resounds every Saturday in "Dolly's"? The Gracie Allen of Middletown to whom the students of St. Andrew's give away most of their weekly allowances takes great pleasure in serving sugary concoctions to all the "fellers", especially a Hearst-

... Rumors have been passed around that certain members of the third form have published a paper (Really nothing more than an anagram) supposedly funny. It is a pity that the wit of certain individuals is so feeble that they have to print it to have it noticed.

... After due consideration and investigation, we are overjoyed to announce that we have found the reason for the Cardinal's Delayed publication. They have been trying to get the latest scoop on the Turner Construction Co.

... Now that we have picked apart our no rest rivals, we give due warning to the New York Times, etc.

... We are surprised to notice that Mr. MacInnes' Scotch blood is thawing out to Mr. Farley's profiteering philatelic scheme.

LOST ADS

Lost - one pair brown shoes on the weekend. See Halls.

Laundry

Miss Michaelis wishes to announce we will have no more bluing on our clothes, and furthermore, the paper will be open today, we hope.

Lost - one brown fountain pen. Return to Woodworth please.

A PEN DID AFFIRES CAN SPOIL THE LOT

The Prefects

prejudiced, coffee fiend, now a member of the noble sixth. So here's a toast to Zeta Barahm!

A red-haired Fourth-former named Ashton Upon leaving the kitchen just crashed in. "If only you'd sway less", Remarked Miss Michaelis, "My dishes would not all be bashed in!"

IT'S TO ADVERTISE

May we quote a 1932 joke from the TEXTBOOK:

Barber: Haven't you been here before?" Steve: "No, I got these scars in France." ... From a 1932 Cardinal: "The Second Formers, not to be outdone on the night of the dance, lowered a bottle from the dormitory window to the common room below, where upper formers filled it with punch, Barstow offering a nickel for every glass."

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