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April Fool's Edition

April 1, 1966

INTRODUCTION TO THE APRIL FOOL'S EDITION

Surprise! Surprise! Ha! Ha! I bet you didn't expect this! This special edition of "The Firebird" commemorates April Fool's Day. The articles in this issue are purely fictitious (we hope). If any of you gentle readers believe the garbage stated in this once-a-year edition, we'll be glad to make reservations for you at the Arizona State Hospital.

Howard Lyon, Managing Editor
Ryan Bond, Assistant Managing Editor

UPCOMING MOVIES

The Student Council movie committee, headed by the inimitable Howard Lyon, has selected a fine lineup of movies. Uncle Howie's gang spent many hours in deciding which movies to show.

We hope you will respond by attending each and every one of these exciting films?

Here is a list of the movies to be shown during the next two months:

Pinocchio Visits Outer Space
I Was a Teenage Werewolf
Winnie the Pooh Meets the Ugly Dachshund
Thunderball
Bambi
A Hard Day's Night
The Birds
Dr. Goldfoot and the Bikini Machine

Ryan Bond

Why didn't Batman kiss Batwoman?

Because she had "bat breath".

Robin

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MARINELAND OF THE DESERT

Because of the past few rainy winters, a concrete wall is to be built around the football field to retain the rain water. Why, you ask? Because when it rains the fields can't be used. If we can hold the water, we can have a swimming pool to use for water sports.

Mr. Gallardo and the other coaches of the Madison District have decided that Water Polo would be played interscholastically. The regulation depth for Water Polo is 9 feet, but the pools will only be 6 feet deep.

Mr. Gallardo also chose a few other sports for competition. They are:

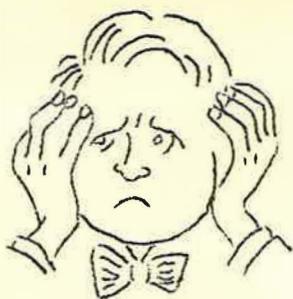
The 500 Meter Relay. There will be five team members who will swim 100 meters each. If the rains do not fill the pool, the relay will be run on the mud.

The 25 foot high dive will be a popular event when and if the pool fills to the top.

Pupils swimming across the pool will have to be very careful to avoid being hit by water-skiers.

I would like to thank the Acme Ambulance Service for donating two ambulances for use around the pool.

Craig Silver



DEAR UNCLE HOWARD

When my suspension from school had ended, I returned to find my desk full of letters needing attention. Most of these letters were written by some of this school's faculty! Even though the signatures on these letters are false, you can obviously detect the timid teacher's identity. As you read this column, try to understand our teacher's problems. After all they're only human(?).

Dear Uncle Howard,

Please help me. Everyone makes fun of the way I talk. I can't understand what they find so funny in my diction. What can I possibly do to make them stop their mockery? You have no idear what misery I have to withstand.

Signed,
Abused

Dear Abused,

I can well understand your problem. There is a place in Cuber where you can have your vocal coards removed. This will put an end to your resounding problem.

Uncle Howard

Dear Uncle Howard,

No one pays attention when I recite absolutely thrilling naratives such as Medea or Evangeline. What's wrong with me? Nothing praytell is objectionable about the beautiful tales I present to my classes. What can I do to stimulate interest?

Signed,
Neglected

P.S. Could it be bad breath?

Dear Neglected,

If you can't stimulate interest in your classes, it's your own fault. It's no skin off my nose!

Uncle Howard

Dear Uncle Howard,

I have a very tough problem. Everyone in my Math class is slowly but surely flunking and I don't know why. I'll bet you a malt that you can't solve my problem!

Signed,
Particular

Dear Particular,

I'm afraid I can't solve your problem because I'm flunking Math, too.

Uncle Howard

FLASH!!!

FLASH!!!

- UNCLE HOWARD'S CABIN BURNED -
TO GROUND

Late last night three hooded figures equipped with torches approached the weathered cabin of the benevolent Uncle Howard. Within minutes the intruders had tarred and feathered Uncle Howard while his cabin was reduced to ashes. Here is how Uncle Howard described the horrible incident:

"I had just finished reading Tobacco Road when I was gruffly assaulted by three cowed forms. The first robed figure was carrying a mineral identification kit, the second wore glasses over his hood, and the third held a cracked thermos cup in his grubby little hand. They approached me and muttered in turn:

'I'm going to bash your head in with this piece of kworts!'

'I'm going to make you read "War and Peace"!''

'I'm going to pour this boiling malt over your face!'

I realized that I was helpless so I abruptly fainted."

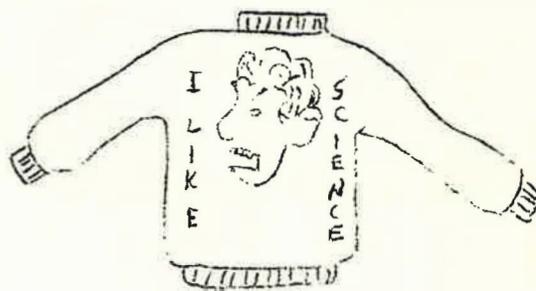
Uncle Howard's body was found under a pile of quartz and the skin from his nose was peeled off. He is now learning to walk again at a convalescent home and he is receiving plastic surgery on his nose. GET WELL QUICK UNCLE HOWARD, THE POLICE ARE WAITING FOR YOU!

Managing Editor

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8-A'S FIELD TRIP

During the school year 1966-67 the 8-A class will take a most unusual field trip. All eighth graders who will be in Mr. Andrews' class will be notified in the summer of a trip around the world!

The trip will start at 10:00 a.m. on the first day of school and end at 3:00 p.m. on the last day of school - if they encounter a stroke of luck.

The trip will start by school bus to the end of the city limits, then the bus must return to school to make its regular run.

To make up for the lack of a physical education class, the members of 8-A will then walk to St. Louis. They hope to arrive at 6:00 p.m., October 3rd.

Then on a T.W.P. (Trans World Planes) jet they will fly to New York City. They will then proceed in ten small rowboats. This will meet the state requirement for P.E. If they are fortunate, they will first land in Acadia where Mr. Andrews will give a magnificent reading of the complete and unabridged "Evangeline".

Following this moving event, they will depart by trawler for Iceland. They expect to arrive at 10:37½ p.m. on October 29th. As soon as they land, Mr. Andrews will drag out his trusty tape recorder and all will be enthralled by Mr. Martinico's well loved and familiar voice discussing the environment of the arear, and the florer and fauna.

With a tear in each eye and a lump in each throat, they will fondly say farewell to Iceland and go on to new places trying to adhere to the following schedule:

November 5th. Norway. Listen to a tape of Mr. Martinico discussing the topography of Norway.

November 7th. England. Here the class will watch secret agent 00¼ (Mr. Andrews) prevent an assasination of the Queen of England.

November 23rd. The class will enjoy all of the cultural sights of Paris. The highlight will naturally be the Follies Bergere.

December 20th. Spain. After a climb over the Pyranees Mountains (to meet the P.E. requirements), the class will watch Mr. Andrews demonstrate the art of bull fighting. After the fight, the class will have a delicious meal of roast bull (or Mr. Andrews, depending on who wins the fight).

January 27th through March 7th they will visit all of the African countries.

March 8th. Arrive in Asia. Among the activities planned here are a nice little climb over the Himalyan Mountains into Tibet, and a relaxing ten days of fighting in Viet Nam.

May 12th. Arrive in South America. Among other interesting activities, the class will go to Peru where they will recreate the landing of the Spanish Conquistadores.

The class will at last head for home on May 25th. They will land at Sky Harbor Airport where they will be met by the Madison School Board, Mr. Johnson and Mr. Moore.

The last leg of the journey will be completed in our delux Madison Rose Lane air-conditioned, contour seat, sports model school bus. The class will arrive back at school just in time to register for high school

Craig Silver

OUR SCHOOL CAFETERIA IS LOSING MONEY

Our school cafeteria is losing money because of the exquisite cuisine they serve. Last week the meals were served with a bottle of Teem - Vintage '25.

It is with a drooling mouth and growling stomach that I present next week's menu.

Monday: Caviar canapés, Coq au vin, fresh asparagus w/hollandaise sauce, assorted French pastries and Coke - Vintage '26

Tuesday: Les escargots, lobster therma-dor, artichoke hearts w/drawn butter, charlotte mousse, Coke - Vintage '26

Wed: Pâté de foie gras, cochon de lait, fresh asparagus w/hollandaise sauce, chocolate souffle, Coke - Vintage '26

Thurs.: Les escragots, chateaubriant, artichoke hearts w/drawn butter, baked Alaska, Coke - Vintage '26

Friday: Caviar canapés, crab louis, spinach a la Alden, cherries jubilee, Coke - Vintage '26

In the future we must pay the cafeteria 35¢ for these superb lunches.

Jen Foldie

TEACHERS ON T.V.

Unfortunately, several of our most esteemed teachers will not return to Rose Lane next year. The lure of Hollywood has beckoned and some of Rose Lane's highest ranking instructors will now be viewed on television.

Mr. Moore - Peyton Place
Mr. Cornell - Gomer Pyle, U.S.M.C.
Miss Maloney - My Mother The Car
Mr. Holland - My Favorite Martian
Mr. Dumond - The Fugitive
Mrs. Orr - Hazel
Mr. Lee & Mr. Archer - The Heckle and Jeckle Show
Mrs. Archambault - The Beverly Hill-billies
Mr. Martinico - Batman
Mr. Andrews - Captain Kangaroo

(After the teachers read this article, Howard Lyon will be seen on "Run For Your Life")

Howard Lyon

ROSE LANE GOES FIRST CLASS

All of you kids who are going to be here next year really have it lucky. Yes, when you get here next year Rose Lane is going to be a completely different school.

During the summer, the school is going to be remodeled from one end to the other. So that you will not be too shocked by the appearance of the new Rose Lane, I'll give you a little preview of what it is going to be like.

First of all, five acres are going to be added to take care of all the new sports that we are going to have.

All of the corridors are to be completely enclosed and air-conditioned. They will have aquariums of tropical fish recessed into the walls. Tropical plants will grow in niches between the aquariums.

The playground will be enclosed by a large plastic dome, and total air-conditioning will make it possible for you to enjoy your favorite sports all year long.

Wall-to-wall carpeting will be installed in all the rooms.

Out by the P.E. building, the Student Council will erect a snack-bar and soda fountain so that you can feast any time your stomach gets that empty feeling. Naturally, there will be no charge for the service and you can leave class at any time that you get hungry. Just get a snack pass from your teacher. They will be happy to oblige as long as you will bring them back a little tid-bit.

All classrooms will have color television as well as stereo record player and radio. The finest audio equipment is now on order.

The desks will all be table size, and on the corner of each there will be a tiny portable television set for individual viewing.

I know that all of next years' Rose Laners are going to have a ball. I may be here too.

Cheryl Cox

EDITORIAL

ROSE LANE TEACHERS

In this essay, I would like to express my bitter feelings toward some of the teachers at this school.

I do not think that Mr. Martinico and Mrs. Archambault should constantly ride their skateboards between the teacher's lounge and their rooms. Besides setting a bad example, they cause congestion in the traffic between classes. They are also a safety hazard. Chris Connor and Kevin Hedges have been absent from school for the past three days. No, they are not ditching school! No, they aren't faking like they are sick! They are at home nursing smashed toes. Both of them were struck by Mrs. Archambault as she sped down the walk on her skateboard. The boys' toes were crushed when the churning wheels ran over their feet.

I didn't mind when Miss Maloney rode a Honda 50 to school, but my temper flew when she wore knee-high boots and a black leather jacket.

I think that teachers should wear fairly conservative apparel. I'm still wondering why Mr. Moore allows her to wear bell-bottoms and that purple sweater.

One of Mr. Andrews' habits appalls me. In reading class, he'll assign the pupils to read half the book so he can bury his nose in one of his crummy ten year old Mad magazines or a thirty-five cent paperback.

I hope that these habits will be corrected in the near future so that Rose Lane can return to normal.

Ryan Bond

TEACHERS OUT OF CONTROL

The teachers here at Rose Lane in grades 7 and 8 are out of control. The way the teachers talk back to the students is absolutely astounding.

So the students in the 7th and 8th grades had a meeting and have come up with a solution. DETENTION FOR TEACHERS!

This week in Scott Griffin's detention class were:

- Mr. Martinico - having his shirt tail out.
- Mr. Lee - dancing too close.
- Mr. Andrews - blowing a bubble while reciting.
- Mrs. Archambault - wearing granny dresses to school.
- Mrs. Orr - wearing her hair like Cher, but worse.
- Mr. Holland - getting mad at Keith DeBrunner
- Mrs. Witt - for throwing a tantrum because her French pastry did not turn out well.
- Mr. Archer - for talking back to Alvin Turner.
- Mr. Dumond is the only teacher who has not had detention this semester. He is the good do-bee of the group.

Cheryl Cox

MOST LIKELY TO BE: TEACHERS

In this special edition of "Most Likely to Be", we have selected occupations some of Rose Lanes' teachers might have picked had they not chosen the teaching profession.

- Mr. Martinico - Phonics Specialist
- Mr. Andrews - Mortician
- Mrs. Archambault - Migrant Worker
- Mr. Archer - Night Watchman
- Mr. Lee - Dietician
- Mrs. Orr - U. S. Ambassador to India
- Mr. Dumond - Merchant Mariner
- Mrs. Witt - Waitress
- Miss Maloney - Missionary
- Mr. Holland - Popcorn Vender

Ryan Bond
Howard Lyon

NEW ELECTIVES FOR ROSE LANE

Due to the insistence of many favored students, the Rose Lane Faculty has been forced to establish new electives for the 7th and 8th grades. The following is a list of electives and their instructors.

- Mr. Andrews - Methods of Plagiarism
- Mr. Martinico - Air Pollution for Fun and Profit
- Mrs. Archambault - Gum Chewing Class
- Mr. Archer - Espionage and Sabotage
- Mr. Lee - Karate and Judo
- Mrs. Orr - Essentials of Motor Cycling
- Mr. Dumond & Mr. Holland - Vandalism and Arson Squad

Howard Lyon

ROSE LANE TO BE DEMOLISHED

Craig Silver, the Firebird's reporter at the State Capitol, has learned that a super highway will be built here in Phoenix. An extension to this thoroughfare is planned to pass directly through what is now Madison Rose Lane School.

On this subject Dudley Swartz, Arizona's State Highway Department Supervisor, said "It's really a doggone shame that such a fine school has to be removed".

Equipment to destroy the structures will be moved in on May 12th, and the school should be leveled by the 20th.

Rumors from the office are that classes will be dismissed for summer vacation sometime during the first week of May.

In ending this sorrowful note, I would like to add that I think Rose Lane School has fulfilled its scholastic goals to the utmost. Its traditions shall be embedded in the hearts of its students forever.

Ryan Bond

FUTURE DANCES

There are going to be many changes in the dances that remain this year. From now on the entertainment will be a lot different.

At the next dance, the Beatles will be here in person to play and sing their latest hits. There will be a few recorded numbers so that the Beatles can come down from the stage and join in some of the dances.

At the dance in May, the Rolling Stones will be here to sing some of their popular songs, and at the graduation dance the ever popular Beach Boys will appear to make it a memorable evening.

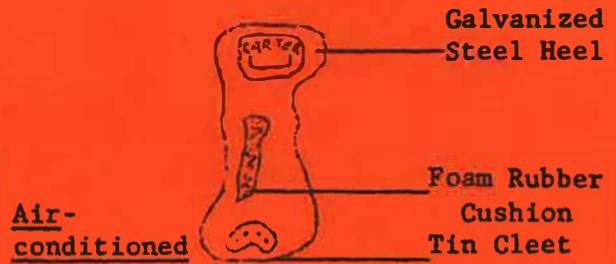
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If anyone believes any of the trash in this insert, we recommend that they go to the State Mental Institution for a long rest.

With the recent rains and cold weather, a hockey team is being formed. Ralph E. Alden has been named coach and Terry Esser general manager.

The team will play a 10 game schedule. This is the schedule:

- Mon. April 22 - Park Panthers
- Tues. " 23 - Meadows Maulers
- Thurs. " 25 - Simis Sissies
- Sat. " 27 - Mad. #2 Toreadores
- Mon. " 29 - Mad. #1 Himseys
- Wed. May 1 - Mad. #1 Whimseys
- Thurs. " 2 - Meadows Maulers
- Mon. " 6 - Simis Sissies
- Tues. " 7 - Mad. #2 Toreadores
- Fri. " 10 - Park Panthers

Captain Noodle's super-charge Cadillac has broken down in the middle of the desert! We hope he finds his engine and gets back to H.Q.. (The kiddies are getting hungry).

We have been told that during the summer:

- 1. Jim Smith will go to law school
- 2. Jeff Carroll will teach hair styling
- 3. Richard Shaner will teach archery
- 4. Mr. Holland will show how to build an electric chair.

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- Mr. Martinico - Gentle Ben
- Mrs. Witt - Romper Room
- Mrs. Orr - Hazel
- Mr. Dumond - Captain Kangaroo
- Mr. Andrews - The Invaders

After the teachers read the above,
Susan Dunlap will be seen on Run For
Your Life.

Paul Anderson alias "Joe Bonnano" has
struck again. Be careful. He may
beat you up next.

By the way - Who Is
Rupert B. Humpledink???????????

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JOKE

A teacher in Billings, Mont., received this message from a parent: "Please excuse my son's absence from school. He brought a snake home and put it in the basement and will not be back until he finds it." (Reader's Digest)

KITTE PEAK TRIP

On Saturday, March 23, several seventh graders and some eighth graders participated in a study trip to Kitt Peak National Observatory.

Busses number 34 and 7, after being loaded, left the school at about 8:01.

This is the route we took to the observatory. We first went south on 12th street until we came to Camelback Road. We then turned east on Camelback and went a long way. When we got to Hayden Road we turned south and after turning east on Baseline Road we soon found ourselves in the city of Chandler. We proceeded south on highway 87 until about 10 miles south of Casa Grande where we turned off on Interstate 10. It was a few minutes after our turn-off when we took a break in the rest area near the city of Picacho. It was in this rest area where we found a monument commemorating the Battle of Picacho, April 15, 1862. The wood and cement monument was dedicated to Captain Sherwood Hunter's "Arizona (Rangers) Volunteers" CSA. It was in this area where the only battle of the Civil War was fought. Now I don't know if this is correct or not, but the next time I saw a large yellow vehicle was about 25 minutes after we stopped for our break.

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Soon we boarded the bus again and didn't stop until we got to Tucson where we stopped for gas. We soon turned southwest on highway 36. It was during this last leg of the trip that we ate our lunch. The other bus had made better time than we did and had a picnic. We, bus 7, ate on our bus.

It was approximately 1 mile before we reached the access road to the observatory when Mr. Martinico pointed to what looked like a large rock - Kitt Peak. We all gasped. We had to climb 4336 feet in order to reach the summit of Kitt Peak which was 6875 feet above sea level.

It took awhile, but we finally traveled the 12 miles to the summit of the mountain. We made it all in one piece, but I didn't expect to see the other bus right behind us.

We entered the parking lot at about 1:10.

We were immediately ushered into the museum. It was a truly interesting place.

Our guide, Mr. Evans, started to speak to us on the history of the observatory.

Kitt Peak has 11 telescopes on its property and is under contract with the National Science Foundation. The observatory is located on the Papago Indian Reservation.

After being told the history of the observatory, we walked to the 84 inch telescope.

On the way, Mr. Evans pointed
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out the spectrophotometer or Steward Telescope. We were also shown the -- Polaris Image Motion Analyzer (PIMA). By focusing on the North Star (Polaris) this telescope measures the wobble of the earth. We also went past the Remote Controlled Telescope. This telescope is controlled from Tucson.

We soon entered the building of the 84 inch telescope. This telescope studies things about stars and nebulae. This telescope also has a Cassegrain focus and pictures can also be taken.

While we were inside the telescope houseing, the houseing was completely turned around. It was very interesting. It was said that the telescope could pick up a candle light 3,000 miles away.

We then went to the McMath Solar Telescope. Since an important experiment was being performed we were only let into the visitors room 10 at a time. I found that this telescope had 1 interesting factor; the 500 foot "barrel" of the telescope is tilted at 32 degrees, the longitude of the area.

We soon went back to the museum and talked about the sun. When we were finished talking, we thanked Mr. Evans and left. It was now 3:30.

Kitt Peak has a very unique water system. It uses rain or snow for water. The water is of course purified. To do this they use 5 systems of tanks. You can really taste a difference.

Now is when the fun started. About half-way home, we pulled over to the side of the road. I thought it was a routine stop. It wasn't. We were out of gas 23 miles out of Casa Grande! We were told that our bus driver was flashing his lights for the other bus driver to stop, but he didn't. Meanwhile, the other bus had also run out of gas 3 miles out of Casa Grande. We had sent a car for help and when the help stopped at the other bus and told them that he was looking for the bus 23 miles out of Casa Grande, I am told that Mrs. Martin almost fainted. He proceeded on and fueled us up with gas.

The other bus was on its way all ready. We were on our way 1 hour and 15 minutes after we stopped.

While we waited for the gas, some of us took our garbage up into the mountains and dumped it behind an old bridge. We explored the desert and looked at its animals (1 horny toad) and its plants. Through the entire wait I counted only 10 cars
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going past. Just when the gas came we were starting to build a campfire as we were expecting a long dark wait.

We finally were on our way and barreled along until we got home at last. We were due back at the school about 7 P.M. One bus returned at 8 P.M. we arrived at 9 P.M. only 2 hours late and three trips to school and home again by our confused parents.

It was a long day and we were tired but it was worth it and an interesting and enjoyable time was had by all who were privileged to make the trip.

Morris Stein

"A" BAND

Since our last edition, the "A" Band has played two concerts.

Our first concert was played at Madison Vista School. The total population of the school turned out. I counted about 260 students. The concert included about 9 numbers including the narrative by Mark Hignella.

The second concert was played at Camelback High School on Monday, April 1. This was really a band festival for the schools that feed into Camelback. Although our students don't go to Camelback, we are always invited to come and play. Some of the schools that played included Loma Linda, Creighton, Squaw Peak, Madison 2 Orchestra, and Madison 2 Band. The Camelback High Band also entertained.

On Tuesday, April 2, the four ensembles which Mr. Crowell has formed, went to Madison Park to help him get a grade in his speech class. Mr. Crowell went through his 4th grade "recruiting routine" in which he encourages 4th grade students to learn to play an instrument.

CHORUS TRIP

On Tuesday, March 19, the seventh and eighth grade chorus went to the Madison 1 auditorium to hear the Central High Choir.

The Central Choir has won many awards. Most recently it won the award for being the best in the state.

The program lasted about 40 minutes.

REPORTER CONTEST

Well, here they are, the two winners in our reporter contest. They are; Daniel N. Fontana 7-1-D and Mary Hindal 7-3-D

It will be their job to, "get the facts and dig for the news."

WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT, RALPHIE

Ralph Alden, that devil-may-care man-about-town, has, over the years acquired a fabulous record of on time in the morning. He usually staggers into class around 9:02 A. M., but in one extremely unusual and physically straining period, he made it on time 5 days in a row!

This was a long standing personal record thought to be unbreakable. But March 8th, Ralph started an ordeal that would mark him as one of the immortals. From March 8th to March 25th, Ralph was in class on time, more than doubling his previous record. So I felt Ralph should received recognition for his tremendous efforts.

MR. McCOY FOR PRESIDENT

Mr. McCoy, our beloved current events and special reading teacher, is running for the presidency of the Madison District Teachers Association.

The election will be held on April 8, 9, and 10. Good-luck Mr. McCoy.

A TEACHER SPEAKS

I would like to commend all of you who participated in the study trip to the Kitt Peak National Observatory for your outstanding behavior. It is rare indeed when a teacher can be with 87 kids for 12 hours, travel about 350 miles, run out of gas, and still have a thoroughly enjoyable day, but I did. I would also like to express my gratitude to you Mrs. Buckner, Mr. Medlyn, and Mr. Martinico for your help in making this a very successful trip.

Mrs. Martin

***GOPS, I LOST MY TAIL*
BY Smith**

Hi there. Today I am going to give recognition to the super heroes of Rose Lane. These people are
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responsible for keeping our teachers in line and keeping our school a democracy?

Super Duck- Mike Nelson
Super Cow-Sam Shattles
Super Chicken-Barry Wick
Super Shrimp-Rod Marquardt
Capt. Super Nose- Yours truly

Now readers what you've been waiting for. The "Smith Hall of Fame." This is the only serious part of my article and I alone choose my heroes of Rose Lane. There will be ten all together. Last time we chose Al Wimer, the janitor who cares. This weeks choices are are:

Craig Bell-injured track star
and
Mr. Andrews- Student Council advisor

These people will receive a \$.25 scholarship grant to the trash collecting school of their choice, if they go. So-long for now.

CAPTAIN NOODLE AND THE KI DIES

As you all remember, FLASH! red striped purple polk-a-dotted bikinies are 87¢ at all Super X Drug Stores.....

Captain Noodle has rescued the kiddies-(Dick, Jerimia, Richard, and Shamaan), but there was still one pressing problem-the ton of Marvel Comics, where were they and the Pres. of Real Sick Comics Co.

-----LATER-----

Captain Noodle(Fisher) and the Kiddies were just sitting on their duffs at hero headquarters wondering what they could do. Then suddenly the Cold Line sounded and Dick ran to answer it-the President was on the phone. "It's for you Captain," cried Dick.

The president had a low sounding voice and you could hear cattle in the background. He filled in the Captain on how the Okies of Okiesville were starting to riot and protest because they didn't have the comics and CARE packages yet.

It was a total disaster. The Captain took two of his idea pills so as to think of an idea.

Terry Orgill

HONOR COURT

SPORTS WORLD

Case #1 - Olson vs Palumbo
Date - Monday, March 15, 1968
Time - 8:00 - 8:50 A.M.
 4:00 - 4:30 P.M.
Place - Mr. Andrew's Room

In the first half, Ralph Alden counsel for Palumbo, talked circle's around Olson, who charged Palumbo with taking his notecards. The counsels for Olson, Terry Esser and Jonathan Bradley, said that Danny did not actually familiarize them with the facts, but they would make a comeback after school.

And they did! After a bit of unimportant gobbledeegoop, Palumbo admitted that he took Olson's cards but left them where Danny could easily find them. After more cross-fire, Jim Smith, Chief Honor Court Justice, declared that if Palumbo admitted taking the cards, then a verdict and sentence should be decided.

After a lengthy deliberation of 10 seconds, the Honor Court Justices found Richard guilty, and sentenced him to one day in detention. This sentence was approved by Mr. Moore.

Case #2 - Eberhardt vs Kirsch to appear in the next edition.

NOTICE

This paper is put out by the students - for the students. It can only come out if you submit news items for it pertaining to your class, your grade or the school. Others are also interested in what is going on. Please submit items on time, neatly written and of interest.

AND NOW * * * * *

The homeroom track meet was held on Friday, March 28. For the boys it turned out to be Mr. Archer's room with 26 points. Following that with 17½ points was Mr. Andrews' room. Mrs. Orr's room had 9½ points and 2 points for Mr. Dumond's class.

Sam Shattles turned in an excellent performance for 8-A. He placed first in shot-put and relay. He finished in a disputed second place in the dash. Jim Hopkins however got top individual honors for 3-W with 10 points.

For the girls it was all 8-A. 8-A girls got 22 points. Mr. Dumond girl's got 13 points, and Mr. Archer and Mrs. Orr's girls tied for last with 10 points apiece.

Susie Dunlap turned in a brilliant performance with 3 first place ribbons. These were in relay - hop, step, and jump - and the broad jump.

In softball it looks like a close race between Dumond and Orr.

6th GRADE RELAY

Winners in the 6th grade relay, a part of the homeroom track meet are as follows:

- 6-L Mr. LeRoy's Class
- 6-B Mrs. Buckner's class
- 6-T Mrs. Tang's class
- 6-P Mrs. Perona's class

The results of all other 6th grade events and all 7th grade events are posted outside the P.E. building.

WHAT YOU'VE ALL BEEN WAITING FOR