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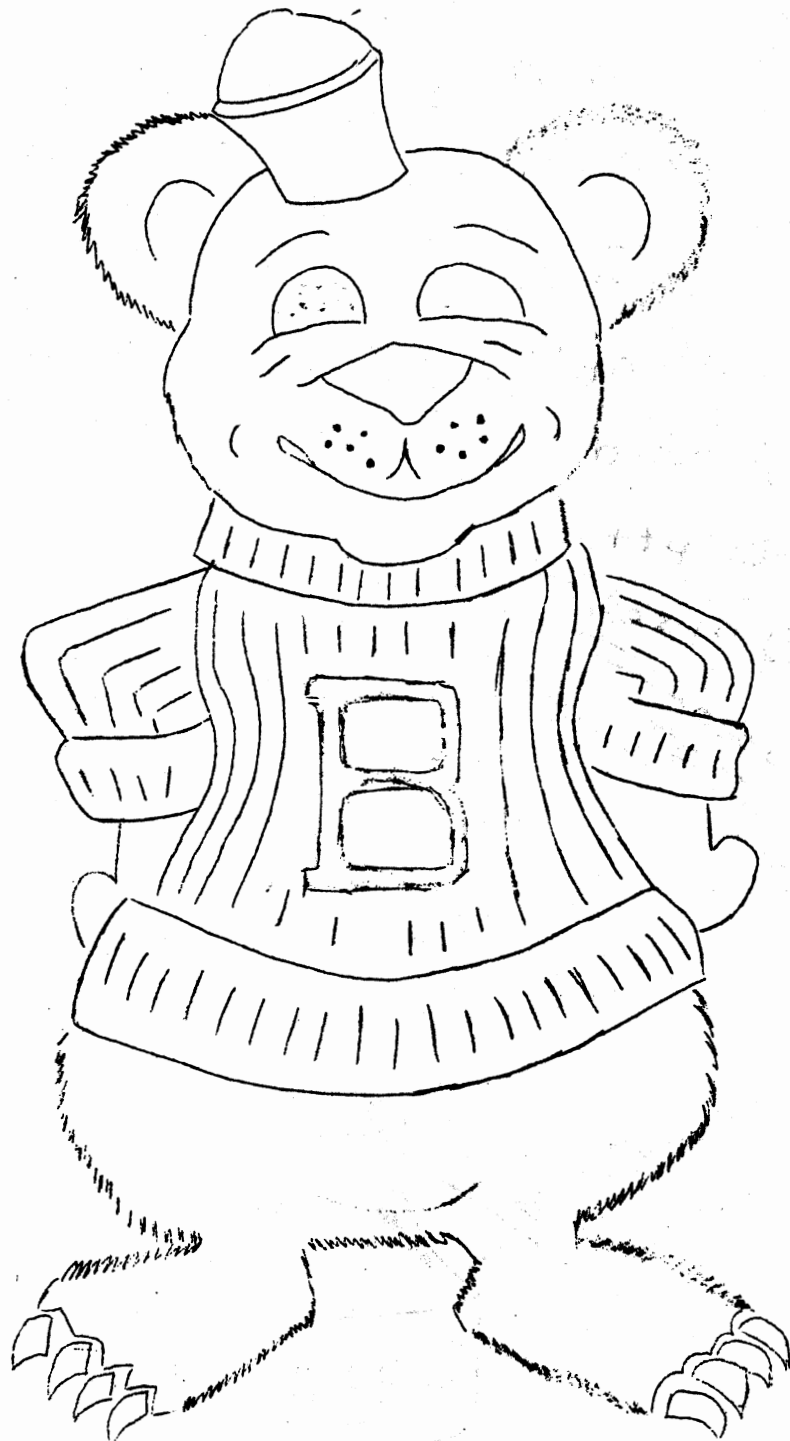
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# BEAR FACTS

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## WELCOME TO BJC

It is the beginning of a new semester which marks not only new courses but also brings forth many new faces. The Bear Facts staff would like to help all of the new students become acquainted with Boone Junior College, the faculty, curriculum and activities.

Our faculty includes:

Dean Abbott.....CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY  
Mrs. Barquist.....GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY..EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY  
and CHILDRENS LITERATURE  
Mr. Bertanoli.....VOICE LESSONS..ENSEMBLES..MUSIC THEORY and CHORUS  
Mr. Bruns.....CHEMISTRY II and LABORATORY  
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Mrs. Hartley.....WESTERN CIVILIZATION II..AMERICAN GOVERNMENT  
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Mr. Horton.....PHYSICS LABORATORY and COLLEGE PHYSICS II  
Mr. Johnson.....BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE and BOYS BASKETBALL COACH  
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Mr. Poyzer.....TRIGONOMETRY..COLLEGE MATHEMATICS..MATHEMATICS LAB. and  
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Mr. Ryan.....PHYSICAL SCIENCE..HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY and BOTANY  
Mr. Schaeffer.....FUNDAMENTALS OF SPEAKING..ADVANCED SPEECH  
and INTRODUCTION TO THE THEATRE  
Mr. Scholl.....HISTORY OF MUSIC  
Mr. Sturtz.....SOCIAL SCIENCE I and ECONOMICS II  
Mr. Tays.....SOCIAL SCIENCE II and AMERICAN GOVERNMENT  
Mrs. Tays....OFFICE PRACTICE..BUSINESS MATHEMATICS..ADVANCED TYPINGII  
SECRETARIAL PRACTICE and ADVANCED SHORTHAND  
Mr. Thompson.....ENGINEERING II  
Mr. Tillson.....LIBRARY ORIENTATION

These are all very capable instructors and with your co-operation, the second semester at BJC should prove to be very rewarding.

Other organizations at BJC include Young Democrats, Young Republicans, Delta Tau(future teachers organization), Circle K Club and Student Senate. The Student Senate officers and members have already been selected but it is the governmental body of the BJC students and the members and officers represent all of us.

All of the other organizations will soon be having meetings and will encourage you, the new students, to join. You should very seriously consider joining one or more, thus showing your interest in the welfare of BJC.

Also, the Bear Facts newspaper, which is published every two weeks, would like to have you on our staff. If you are interested in reporting or drawing for us, please contact Mr. Schaeffer or anyone who is on our staff.

Boone Junior College has recently organized a pep band to play at all home games and everyone agrees that it adds a great deal to the encouragement of school spirit. Anyone who is musically inclined and would be interested in helping support our team, contact Mrs. Barquist, faculty sponsor of the pep band.

This is just a very small introduction to BJC. The only way you can really become acquainted with it is to throw yourself into the activity and meet as many people as you can. If things seem to be getting dull, you are always welcome to go downstairs to the snack bar.

## TWO PICTURES :

Two pictures hung on the dingy wall  
Of a grand old Florentine hall--

One of a child of beauty rare,  
With a cherub face and golden hair;  
The lovely look of whose radiant eyes  
Filled the soul with thoughts of Paradise.

The other was a visage vile  
Marked with the lines of lust and guile,  
A loathsome being, whose features fell  
Brought to the soul weird thoughts of hell.

Side by side in their frames of gold,  
Dingy and dusty and cracked and old,  
This is the solemn tale they told:

A youthful painter found one day,  
In the streets of Rome, a child at play,  
And, moved by the beauty it bore,  
The heavenly look that its features wore,  
On a canvas, radiant and grand,  
He painted its face with a master hand.

Year after year on his wall it hung;  
'Twas ever joyful and always young--  
Driving away all thoughts of gloom  
While the painter toiled in his dingy room.

Like an angel of light it met his gaze,  
Bringing him dreams of his boyhood days,  
Filling his soul with a sense of praise.

His raven ringlets grew thin and gray,  
His young ambition all passed away;  
Yet he looked for years in many a place,  
To find a contrast that sweet face.

Through haunts of vice in the night he stayed  
To find some ruin that crime had made.  
At last in a prison cell he caught  
A glimpse of the hideous fiend he sought.

On canvas weird and wild but grand,  
He painted a face with a master hand.

His task was done; 'twas a work sublime--  
An angel of joy and a fiend of crime--  
A lesson of life from the wrecks of time.

O Crime; with ruin thy road is strewn;  
The brightest beauty the world has known  
The power has wasted, till in the mind  
No trace of its presence is left behind.

The loathsome wretch  
in the dungeon low,  
with a face of a  
fiend and a look of  
woe,  
Ruined by revels of  
crime and sin,  
A pitiful wreck of  
what might have been,  
Hated and shunned,  
and without a home,  
Was that child that  
played in the  
streets of Rome.

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## BITS AND PIECES

Semester finals began  
on Monday, January  
16 and ran through  
Friday, January 20.  
Some tests started  
at 7:30 in the morn-  
ing and others last-  
ed as late as 5:00  
in the evening.  
Hope you all did very  
well.

B n P

The second semester  
for Boone Junior  
College began on  
Monday of this week  
with orientation  
for new students  
lasting two days.  
Classes for all  
students begin today,  
January 26. We all  
have a new chance  
to improve the grade  
situation so let's  
take advantage of it.

B n P

BITS AND PIECES (cont.)

There was a home game last night with Marshalltown but since the paper went to press before the game, we don't know the results. We hope for the very best!!

B 'n P

At the time of this printing, Dean Abbott stated that we will have approximately 40 new students for the second semester.

B 'n P

An elementary teacher receives a steady stream of notes each day from parents explaining absences or asking that their children be excused from class for some reason. Possibly one of the most unusual ones was from a little girl who waited for a reply, "I think she has the measles. What do you think?"

B 'n P

The Boone Bears will travel to Waldorf for a game next Monday night, January 30. Although it is quite a distance, everyone do your best to attend and support the team!!

B 'n P

Is everyone enjoying the cold weather, snow and everything else that goes with this season? It's really great on cars that have to sit outside. Anyone have an extra garage?

B 'n P

Be thinking about the Student Senate sponsored Valentines Day Dance on Tuesday, February 14. We'll give you more information in our next issue.

B 'n P

Teenage girl in stationery store: "Can I exchange this 1966 diary for a 1967 one? Nothing happened!!"

B 'n P

A special joke for Mrs. Hartley: One afternoon while a lady was getting ready to go to a club meeting, she asked her husband--a history teacher who loves and lives his work--to check on her hostess's street number. There was mild reproof in his voice as he looked up from the telephone book and said, "You shouldn't have any trouble remembering that. It's the year the Visigoths sacked Rome!"

B 'n P

Don't forget the Young Democrat sponsored dance with the RUMBLES at the Boone Community Building tonight from 8:00 to 11:30.

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## I N D I V I D U A L I S M

You are walking to class and notice it in the air, feel it within you. As you are in the midst of the busy stores over the exchange counter, it seems to emerge from everyone, saying, "I'm here." Even the feeling you get as you gaze out the window during a grueling test in your very worst subject, echoes this thought.

What thought is this? Well, it is the thought that you are you, an individual with your own mind, your own values and standards and your own personality. What you do reflects you and no one else. It says, "I am myself and I am proud of it. I do what I believe in, I say what I think if it won't do harm to others, and I evaluate things I do before I do them."

The crowd is a pressure group. Politically speaking, the U.S. has many pressure groups. Socially speaking, the U.S. has many, many more pressure groups. It is one pressure group vs. another vs. another vs. another, on and on forever. One group is saying, "Do this," while another is saying, "Don't". Where are you, the individual, in this mass of conflict? You are in the middle of it all, just another member of another group of another.....it goes on indefinitely.

Why not avoid it before it begins? I'm not advocating the philosophy, "It's me against the world." This would be an absolutely impossible situation. You're dead before you start. You must have friends--many friends who share your ideas, beliefs and outlooks. You need people you can talk to, those with whom you can discuss your problems and friends to have fun with. But you still need to always remember that you are yourself. Above all else, you are an individual with a very distinct oneness about you--you were born that way. Why not stay that way?

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## THE TROUBLE WITH BEING A CASSANOVA

"Look at this letter I just got. It says if I don't keep away from this fellow's girl, he's going to kill me."

"Well, why don't you keep away from her then?"

"I don't know which one it is. The idiot didn't sign his name."

## DOUBLE TROUBLE

A couple of newlyweds got into the elevator of their hotel. The elevator operator, a cute little gal, looked at the groom.

"Hello, darling," she said.

There was an icy silence until the couple got off upstairs. When they got into their room, the bride exploded.

"Who was that woman?" she demanded.

"Look, honey," replied the groom, "Don't get excited! I'm going to have enough trouble explaining you to her."

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## NIGHT SCHOOL

Boone Junior College Night School has become quite popular this year. The number of courses offered has increased by ten. In the business area, three courses were added, including introduction to accounting, business machines and a second shorthand course. Four of the five business courses can be taken for college credit.

Literature and communications has three courses offered. Modern poetry was offered first semester for college credit and modern novel is offered this semester. English improvement is a non-credit course that was given first semester and is also on the agenda for second semester.

Mathematics has five credit courses being offered. The first sessions, college algebra and intermediate algebra, were given for credit while the non-credit courses were modern math for parents and elementary functions. During the second session basic mathematics, introductory statistics, and trigonometry are being given for credit.

Two other courses, human biology and contemporary affairs, are being given for credit this session.

The number of credit courses offered this year is fourteen as compared to four last year.

According to the latest statistics in the office there are 93 students enrolled in the second session of night class. Out of those 93, 26 are also enrolled in day school.

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### Delta Tau Announcement

Next Thursday and Friday, February 2 and 3, Mrs. Barquist and two representatives, Becky Moore and Linda Bennett, will go to the Hotel Fort Des Moines for a Student ISEA Delegate Counsel. Every junior college in the state of Iowa is invited to send representatives. Their session will be highlighted by a visit to the legislature on Friday morning.

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### Circle K Club

The Circle K Club scrubbed, painted and waxed the recreation room over the semester break. They also repaired some damaged chairs. It's really great to have these things being done that have needed doing. Thanks a lot!



## GYM PROBLEMS

"Good evening, fans. This is Jim Zuble bringing you the play by play broadcast of tonight's basketball game between the Boone Bears and their arch rival Tuck JC. Boone is generally considered as the top team in the township but the Tuck JC Tuckers are 2-1 favorites to finish their warm-up drills first here in spacious Boone Gymnasium. We have a packed house here tonight of eight people--four cheerleaders from each team. Right now, officials are locking for room to squeeze the players into the gym, so we should be ready for the opening tip-off of tonight's game in just a few minutes. First, a word from our sponsor."

"Say, have you noticed your dog acting run-down, weak and tired lately? Well, then you haven't discovered the latest in dog care. New Honey-Bunny dog biscuits are simply delicious. Just try one, I'm sure you'll agree that Honey-Bunny biscuits are the greatest. And if you like them, just think how crazy your dog will be about them. So don't hesitate another minute. Run down to your local dog food market and get some Honey-Bunny dog biscuits. Tell 'em Jim sent you. Don't keep your dog in misery any longer. Now, back to the ballgame."

"We're ready to start the game now as the starting line-ups of both teams have managed to squeeze onto the playing floor. No, wait a minute. It looks like the game will be delayed slightly until the referees can find room to get in the gym. As we said before, we have a packed house here tonight for what many people believe will develop into the game of the day. Now we're ready to start folks. Here's the tip and the ball is controlled by-----wait a minute. There's been a slight mix-up as the ball got caught in one of the beams in the roof of the gym. Even though this is the largest auditorium within three blocks, it has its disadvantages, one of those being the fact that the ceiling seems to get in the way now and then. But, Boone will be awarded possession of the ball. Now one of the Boone players attempts a shot and the ball rolls around the rim and finally drops through the Tuck net to give the Tuckers a two point lead. The Boone player was shooting for his own basket, but the baskets were placed closer together for tonight's game in order to make more room for spectators, and the ball accidentally went through the wrong basket. There also was an injury on that play. A Tuck JC player appears to have hit his head on that beam again as he attempted to rebound. Boy, that low ceiling sure causes headaches."

Well, fans, this is Jim Zuble signing off. I'm sick and tired of watching this game through this dumb window. People think I'm crazy, but there wasn't room for me inside. It's getting a little cold out here, so tune in next game. Brrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr!!!

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For those students interested in military life:

A private on leave at his home in a small Mississippi town called his commanding officer, requesting an extension of leave and promising to be back in camp next morning. The CO, wishing to ascertain that the soldier could be back by then, told him to hold the line while he consulted his map. Unable to locate the town, he called another office and asked that a larger atlas be checked, still without success. Back on the phone, the CO said to the soldier, "I'd have no objection to an extension of one day, but I can't find your town on any map."

"Yes, suh," the boy replied, "But you all didn't have no trouble finding it when you wanted to draft me."

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