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TEACHER FEATURE

Mr. Clair Abbott, Dean of Students at Boone Junior College, has been one of the central figures in the promotion of the new Junior College. Upon interviewing him about the new facilities, we felt that first it was important to view his personal life and to see how well he has prepared himself for this high position as Dean of Students.

Mr. Abbott graduated from Vail High School which is now the Ar-Ne-Va school system. He then attended business school at the American School of Commerce in Omaha, Nebraska. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Buena Vista in Storm Lake, his Master of Science from Iowa State University in Ames and has done graduate work at the University of Iowa in Iowa City, Drake University in Des Moines and Iowa State University. His undergraduate majors were history and sociology and he has a masters major in school administration and a masters major compiled in sociology.

Dean Abbott also served three years overseas in India and Pakistan in World War II.

Before beginning to teach, Dean Abbott was in social welfare work for three years. He then taught three years at Storm Lake, one year at Ames, ten years in administration at Boone High School, and is now in his third year at Boone Junior College.

He and his wife, Grace, have two children, Jean, who is 24 and married, living in Ozark, Alabama, and Dave, who is 19 and a student at Boone Junior College.

Due to much of Dean Abbott's encouragement and hard work, the school bond issue for the new junior college has been passed. It will no doubt result in continued growth of Boone Junior College and an expansion of school curriculum. Two years from now, the new college will be more than just architectural plans-- it will be a reality, ready for use.

All of the students would like to take this opportunity to extend their appreciation to Dean Abbott for what he has done for the present Junior College and for what he is doing for the future Junior College.

ATTENTION!!

Applications for the November 18 and 19, 1966 administrations of the College Qualification Test are now available at Selective Service System local boards throughout the country. Anyone who is taking the test should fill out his application and mail it immediately. Applications must be postmarked no later than midnight, October 21, 1966. DON'T FORGET!!

FUTURE TEACHERS

For those students interested in a career of teaching, read the following:

Some people say a teacher is made out of steel,
Their mind can think but their body can't feel;
Iron and steel and hickory tea,
Frowns and gripes from 9 to 3.
You teach six full hours and what do you get?
Another day older and deeper in debt.
You pay your dues in this and that,
Then for 29 days your billfold's flat.

I was born one morning when it was cloudy and cool,
I picked up my register and headed for school.
I wrote 84 names on the homeroom roll,
And the principal said, "Well bless my soul".
You teach six full hours and what do you get?
Cuts and bruises and dirt and sweat.
I got 84 kids and 42 seats,
61 talk while 23 sleep.

I can hardly get them all through the door,
And if I don't watch out they'll be sending me more.
I taught six full hours, my day is made,
But I still have 300 papers to grade.
You teach six full hours and what do you get?
Another day older and deeper in debt.
I'll go to St. Peter but I can't stay,
I gotta come back for the P.T.A.

If after reading this, you're still interested in teaching, this next article will be of special interest to you.

DELTA TAU

by Randy Davis

Delta Tau is an organization for you--you that may one day be the determining factor of a child's success. It is so designed so that you will be better informed about the profession you will be entering.

When you join Delta Tau and pay your membership fees, you will receive four top professional publications: NEA Journal, NEA Reporter, Midland Schools and ISEA Communique. You also become a member of not only the local chapter but of the Student Iowa State Education Association and the Student National Education Association.

The officers of Delta Tau for the current year include:

President.....Randy Davis

Vice President.....Kathy Lilly
Secretary.....Harlan Patterson
Treasurer.....Lynn Snedden
Student ISEA
 Representative..Becky Moore and Linda Bennett
Representative to
 Student Senate..Kathy Knudsen
Publicity Chairman..Becky Good

The sponsor of Delta Tau is Mrs. Barquist who is a very indispensable part of the organization.

The next meeting of our teachers organization is October 11 at 7:00 o'clock and our guest speaker will be Mr. Wayne Begg. We urge you to come and hear this informative talk and to become an active member of Delta Tau. The first Regional meeting will be November 14 at Graceland College in Lamon.

There are surely more of you students interested in teaching so why not join now?

MT. CONDEMNEDUS

This is the first in a series of fictional stories written for the students of Mt. Condemnedus. If you recognize any of the characters in the story, you must have an I.Q. of at least 80. In this first story, I would like to tell you a little bit about the main characters.

Of course we have gods and goddesses on Mt. Condemnedus. The father of all is the great god, Dean Abbottus, and he is faithfully assisted by the big brother to all, Taysius, who is also the god of liberalism. The gods of Mt. Condemnedus include the god of books, Tilsonus, the god of semantics, Porterus, the god of oratory, Shaefiferus, the gods of mathematics, Poyzerus and Myerus, the god of business, Nippsus, the god of athletics, Johnsonus, the god of sociology, Sturtzus, the god of science, Ryanus, and last but not least, the god of music, Bertanolius. Our goddesses are more limited in number but are none the less very efficient. They include the goddess of government and civilization, Hartleyus, the goddess of semantics, Hamiltonus, the goddess of love, Barquistus, and the goddess of business, the wife of Taysius, Taysiuse, who moved to the mountain to keep track of her husband. We will have an article on each of these gods and goddesses in later issues.

Now that we have some of the characters straight, maybe I should explain the title of today's article. It serves as a reminder to the students--how sad our present facilities are. They have been condemned so many times that I thought it was a very appropriate title. It should also remind the students of the importance of their support and the public's support of the new junior college.

This is your reporter signing off until next issue.

-Publius

PRESENTING!!

THE LIVING END

For your dancing pleasure, there will be a teen hop at the Boone Community building, starring the fabulous LIVING END, a local group with the west coast sound. Dancing from 9 to 11 next Saturday, October 3. Don't miss the Living End Sound of THE LIVING END!!!

"WHAT CHILD IS THIS?"

by Frances Rickertt

Several students from Boone Junior College will be participating in a one act play to be given October 17 at the Episcopal Church Camp.

The play, entitled "What Child is This?", uses no props or scenery, as this is strictly up to the viewer's imagination. The plot of the play basically centers around the role of a child in his home, church and community. Some of the characters play more than one part and most of their scripts are read instead of the usual memorization.

The cast of the play is numbered rather than named and is as follows:

John York.....	Actor I....	Stage manager, reporter, child
Frances Rickertt.....	Actor II...	Mother
Ron Snider.....	Actor III..	Father
Bernie Hohanshelt....	Actor IV...	Editor and minister
Betty Briggs.....	Actor V....	Nurse and teacher
Randy Davis.....	Actor VI...	Voice of the nation and voice of television

The director of the play is Mr. Charles Schaeffer. Intermittently throughout the play, a break occurs, during which time the ministers present will discuss what they feel to be the actual role of a child in society.

The cast has enjoyed working together on the play and hope it will be a great success.

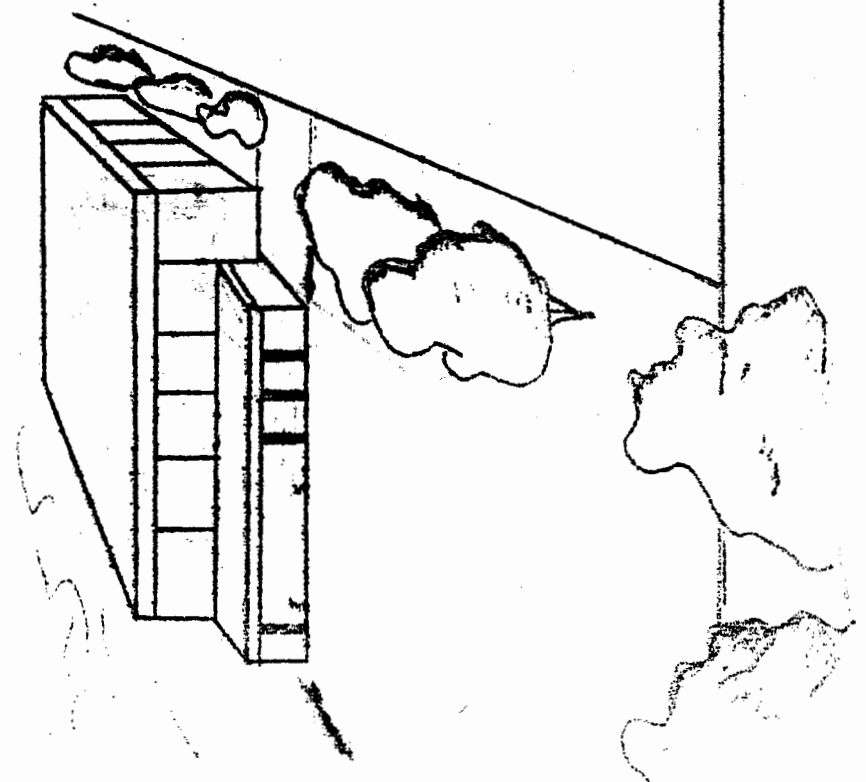
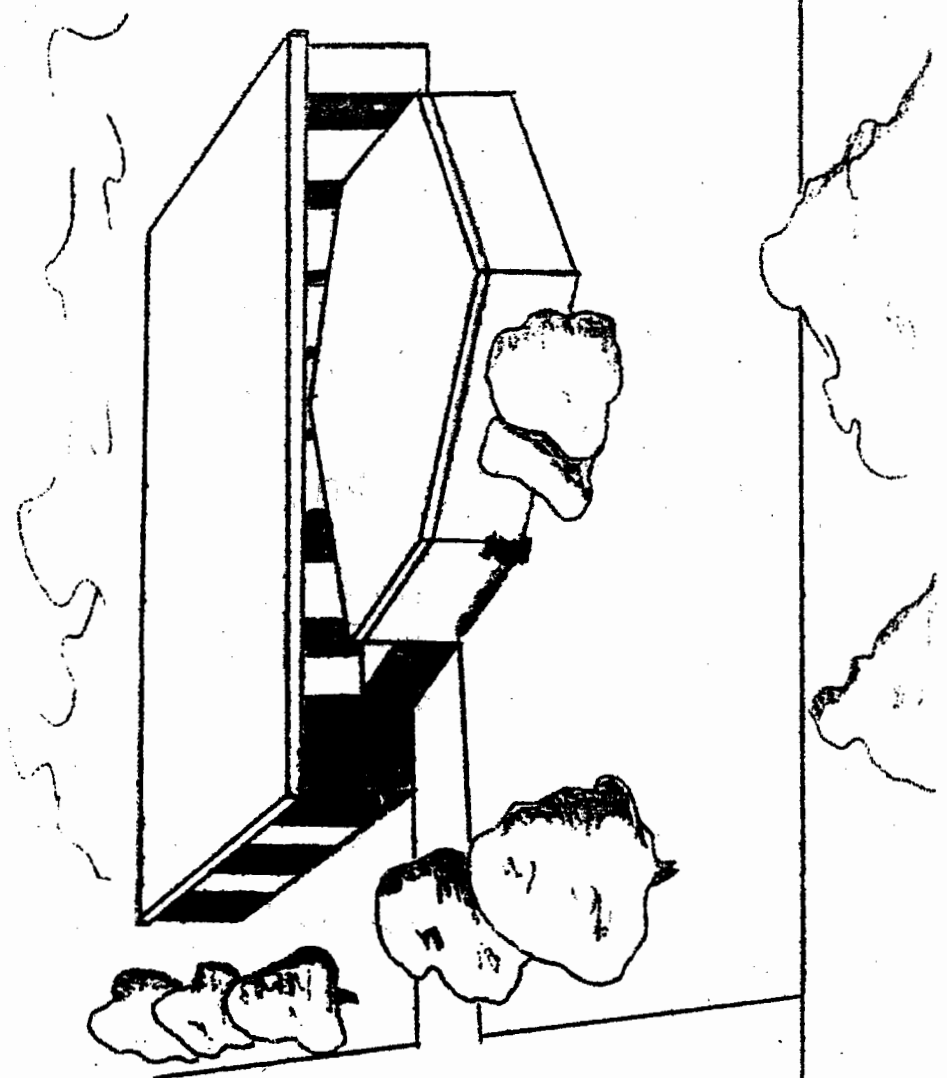


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Although our staff is small we have great hopes. All students interested in helping please contact the staff.

Thank you.



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