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Is There A Hurry?

The bells rings—crash—bang—the students start to rush out of the classrooms and most everyone of them seemingly in a hurry. Anyone not used to the routine would think he was on a basketball floor in a middle of a game.

Surely you're not in such a hurry that you can't wait until you get to the next class. Even if this is the reason, it would be much more simpler just to walk peacefully out of the classrooms and down the halls without making everyone else suffer. You wouldn't need to spend so much time picking up the things you dropped while pushing everything in front of you out of your way. Why not cooperate and make it easier for people to walk down the halls after the bells ring.

Cotton Day

Today, the beginning of spring, is being welcomed by most all of you students by wearing a cotton dress or cords.

This Cotton day is a new idea being introduced into West Linn and most all of you are welcoming it with great enthusiasm by wearing your cotton dresses and cords, really making this day a success.

Subtile Satire

By GLENN CAMPBELL

This week's find: KENNY LINGENFELDER having a little trouble in getting a date recently. The freshman class president keeping a seventh period rendezvous at the Malt Shop. Everyone enjoying the beach trip (including Bob Gillett). Our camp manager returning after a severe illness. FLASH: West Linn students escape from state (I hear they had quite a time at Salem last Tuesday) pen. Barney Eckerson and Smokey having a swell time at Molalla the other day (ask in regard to Smokey's sweater).

Snoopin' Jupe

By BUD MERKLE

It looks like Mary McLean at last got her Valentine (Howard). Well, better late than never, eh, Mary?

Evidently Ellen Ingram and Ed Woodworth are up on their history, as they walked off with five bucks per each last Saturday night from "Punchem."

Leroy Adams and a little girl from Robinwood, Irene Shephard, seem to think love is really grand (what say, kids?)

Bob Larson learning a "new game" from Bee Schwartz. (Patty Cake).

Marion Nelson continues to blush every time she hears a certain boy's name. (Don't tell a soul, but it's Herby.)

Catherine Patterson and brother Bill have a nice little buggy (5-pass. "41" convertible) all their own for a while and they can't seem to make it run. (Personally, I think it is out of gas.)

A certain West Linn gal saying, quote, "I would rather stay home any night and play monopoly than go out on a date. She got what she asked for, and boy, was hhe surprised." (Not mentioning any names, but—)

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Since the sudden change in weather, we have plenty of mud around school to go with all the dirty saddle shoes and other minor things.

While snooping around I find many things that are of interest to everyone, but no one can really tell just what has been doing all the squealing. To begin with—Smokey Anderson has been trying to get a date with Barbara Finch.—Andy Swan still that way over Marylin Bragg.—Bud Jennings has fallen for Paula Kettleleson, and also has Jim Larimer fallen for Jennings' little sister.—We wonder about Claudia and Donovan, well time will tell.—Phyllis Miller remarks that she wouldn't mind going to Sherwood high school because everyone seems to be "screwy" there, or that is she means Freddy R., we think.—Patsy Goodrich is having a grand time with a certain R. M. and B. H., how do you handle both of them, Pat?—Dorothy Domeyer is writing to a certain soldier at McChord Field.—Jane Aden and a fellow by the name of Bob? (he won't tell) are really getting pretty friendly lately, or that's that way I heard it.—We hear Catherine Irons is a sweet little apple polisher.—Bernice and Jane are still undecided about the Prom or the skating party, they seem to keep changing their minds, but we think that Bernice has definitely decided since Tuesday night.—Eileen Davis has been wearing a diamond, not bad.—Gloria Planton seems to know something that she won't tell.—

Bill Rakel wondering who sent him a bid to Sherwood's Prom. A secret admirer no doubt! . . . Barbara White is sure staying in her own backyard lately. Must be Yehudi and love. Maybe you've been wondering who Rheta Moreland's Milwaukie letterman is. Well, we've been wondering, too. . . . First Gene Vinson acquires the nickname of "Tex," because he is supposed to be a cowboy and now Don Readhead acquires "Cassanova." Quote, "Like grapenuts there's a reason," unquote. What is it? . . . Francis Dobson seen on the other side of the "Mighty Willa-met River" with a tall blond often enough to set us to thinking. . . . Cap Kruse either blushing or playing dumb whenever Gladys ar Platinum blondes are mentioned. . . . Connie Dyun and Howard Barry making love to each other in first period English class. Nothing serious unless you care to call a comedy (play) serious. . . . John Grossmann wandering about seventh period with the duckiest little wreath of flowers on his head. . . . Since Jim Otis was voted the best looking freshman at Oregon, Betty Taylor should be having a time looking out. . . . Has Jack Heft made up his mind that there is no place like home (West Linn), or is he just tired for the time being of Lincoln, Oregon City, and Edison? . . .

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