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### PARENT-TEACHERS' COLUMN

This department is an open Forum for the discussion of problems of the school and the home, and is under the direction of the Ontario Parent-Teachers' association. Your ideas are welcome. Kindly leave written articles at the Argus office before Tuesday of each week.

#### PARENTS HELP NEEDED TO

##### GET BEST RESULTS

In these days, while epidemics are seriously interfering with school work, special attention should be given to educating the children in their respective homes. All parents and grown members of the family are to a certain extent teachers. Some may be more proficient than others, but all can take a genuine, active interest in the studies of their children. This will not only aid the children, but it will also aid the parent. I have heard it said that the most intelligent and progressive parents are those who have a number of children to make them keep up with the times.

It is a difficult and discouraging task for a boy or girl to rise higher than the moral and intellectual level maintained in the home. Children usually imagine that their parents are perfect, and are satisfied if they can become as good men and women as father and mother. How necessary it is then that we should keep the home standards high. The teacher may labor ever so hard, but his efforts will not produce the best results unless the child has proper encouragement at home. Indeed, it sometimes happens that home influences tend to destroy the work of a teacher, rather than to build up and strengthen it.

We are all more or less creatures of habit, and it is easy to form the habit of reading good papers, magazines and books. Children are quick to follow the lead of their parents in these matters. All homes should be equipped with good books, suitable stationery and table covers for study. How many parents really enter into the school work of their children? Did you ever question your boy or girl to find out how much he knows? Perhaps your own practical knowledge, learned in the school of life, could be added to the teachers' work with great benefit to the student. Ask him if there are not some reference books, or magazines, that you could furnish to aid him in his investigations.

If there is nothing in the home to interest the child, it is certain that he will drift away and seek amusement elsewhere. The failure of the parent to take an interest in the work and amusement of the child has driven many a boy and girl on to the streets. The habit of staying at an attractive home is more easily formed than is the habit of loafing around on the street corners. Our older boys and girls should realize that they can study just as well at home as they can in school. The time spent loafing around in the evening is gone forever. It can never be recalled. One hour's study every evening will enable any average boy or girl to master any science in two or three years time. If you don't believe this, pick out some subject and try it. Be your own professor, and take my word for it, you will soon get over the habit of loafing. The most promising boy or girl is the one who selects some object to be achieved in life, and then steadily works and studies to accomplish that end. If you can not go to college, the next best way is to bring the college to you.

If father and mother have been so engrossed in their own business or pleasures that they have overlooked your hopes and ambitions, I am sure they will remedy the neglect when they see how earnestly you are trying to get an education. Perhaps your efforts will stimulate us parents to organize some kind of an educational society in the city. We already have our music club, and our parent-teachers society. Could we not form other organizations that would tend to raise the intellectual standard of the community? There is room for much thought and discussion along these lines. I have sought merely to open the subject, hoping to be followed by others with more definite plans and suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,  
A PATRON

Because of the importance of the question given last week, we are continuing the discussion for another week.

What can we do, as parents and teachers, do to make the present school year's work a success?

We hope to hear from the teachers as well as the parents on this topic.

We will also discuss, "How can the school grounds be improved?" This topic was given by a pupil

and ideas of the pupils. We hope to take part in this column. All articles should be mailed "The Argus" care of P. T. A.

Because of the peculiar condition existing this year it is the duty of all parents to co-operate more heartily than usual in helping to make this a successful school year. The teachers are doing double duty. As parents we should get in touch with our children's school work and give them help at home to help make up the lost time.

Let us work with our teachers and give them the courtesy due them. It would go a long way toward making our children's school days a success if we never allowed them to hear unkind criticisms from us.

Our school is fine, the teachers are working hard. Let us be loyal.

A. PATRON

### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The basketball games are now the center of attractions among high school athletics. Games are being sought with the teams here by the neighboring schools, one of which is Welser who is endeavoring to schedule a girls' and also boys' game for this coming Friday.

In the contests for the pennant in the interclass championships the games so far played have been: Junior-Senior boys, Friday night, score 23-22 in favor of the Juniors; Freshman-Sophomore girls, Friday afternoon, with game in favor of the first year students, score 22-8; Freshman-Sophomore boys, Thursday evening, score 18-7 in favor of the Sophs; Junior Sophomore girls, Monday afternoon, also Junior-Freshman boys with respective scores of 47-6 and 27-11 in favor of the Juniors.

During the assembly period Tuesday morning the students listened to several short talks made by Rev. Abredge, superintendent of this division of the Methodist Church in Idaho, also Rev. Lacombe of the local church, and Supt. H. R. Douglas. All the talks were very much enjoyed. Rev. Lacombe has promised to speak to us again in the near future.

The Kodak "lad" is again in appearance due to the fine weather of the last few days and many are the pictures being snapped of various classes.

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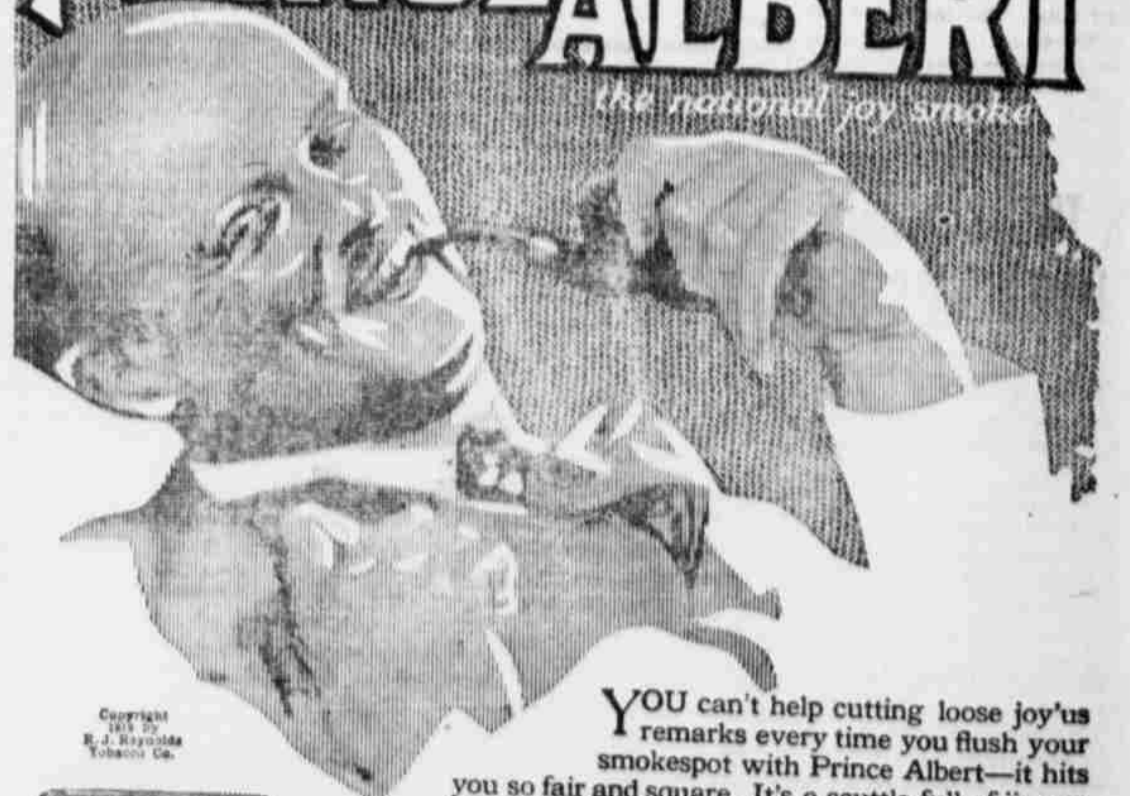
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