# The Latch-Key

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EDITORIAL

There are two words in the English language which must be to used quite often by every high school student. If one Knew the distinction between these words himself, he could no doubt make a report every day of hearing the words misused.

These two words are athlete and athletic. Very often we hear some one speak of a person as being an athletic. We think it would be a valuable addition to the minds of those interested in stableties if they become acquaint ed with the two words.

Hence we print Webster's definition:

athletes: anyone trained to contained the state of the st

athlete: anyone trained to contend in exercise requiring great physical agility and strength. athletic: of or pertaining to athletics or the exercises practiced by them; as, athletic games or sports.

The City of Washington, our National Capital, has been named as one of the most beautiful cities in the world; agrees that it is a most beautiful city. The towering monuments, the magnifeent marble buildings, the statues in the streets, and the blooming parks all add to its beauty and loveliness. But if one were to take a thirty minute tour through Washington

baseliness.

Built one were to take a thirty mitted tour through Washington to classify the buildings and surroundings as compared to Detroit or New York, they would undoubt edly think it had been misjudged. Washington has no tall skyscrapers survivate buildings are mostly small and made of nod red brick. The streat are not lighted up with brilliant electric signs and the traffic rules prevent the cars from running along smoothly. Ad almost every corner one must wait for a driver to make a left my which must be made from the right hand side of the street.

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The avenues are built up on either side with qualit old manions, not at all like our modern up-to-date bungalows. Now and then you will see a beautiful residence, but does not be downlates.

After seeing these things one would agree that Washington is the world, in more hand no eway.

in more than one way.

STAFF
A permanent staff has been selected in the Journalism Class for the first time this semester. The staff will probably remain as follows for the rest of the year: Editor, Philo McCulley, Athletics, Alvin Nicholson. Classes, Marvin Turner. Clubs, Richard Fox.
Features, Henry Mahaney.

## BENEFIT PARTY

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The past and present athletes
of Farmington High School aided
by Mrs. Lamb are to give a benefit party for August Meissner on
Friday, April 18 in the Town
Hall. Tickets are obtained from
all Farmington High School athletes at 1.00 a couple.

### OUR MOTTO

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"Are you blindfolded
to the opportunities
about you?
Weak men wait for
opportunities; strong
men make them.
This is the motto which appears above the bulletin board
for this week.

THIS WEEK A YEAR AGO

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Dean Parker gave a report on
the Seniors' trip to Washington
at assembly.
The School purchased new mottos for the frames, one of which
is in the grade building and one
in the high school.
The General Science class were
having experiments on "Osmosis."

having experiments on "Osmosis" "Health in Play" was discussed for the program to be held on
May Day.
Plans for a special edition of
the Latch-Key, which would come
out at the end of the term and
have a summary of the year's
work, were begun by the Advanced Journalism class.

HI-Y

The special meeting Thursday,
Appil 10, was called to find out
definitely how many were going
to attend the district Hi-Y GetTo-Gether in Detroit Saturday,
April 12.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Shadley were absent during the past week because of the death of Mrs. Shadley's mother.

Because of illness, Roderick Howarth a Junior, was absent from school last week.

Roberta Russell, who is a Ju-

Thursday, April 17, 1930

Gus Rozenboom, class of '28 visited school Monday, April 14.

BASEBALL CANDIDATES

WILL BEGIN PRACTICE Baseball practice will be in full sying this week. The boys will start Monday.

The pitchers and catchers limbered up their arms daily last week and will be in good condition to start the season. The outfielders and infielders will begin practice Monday. April 14 providing the right weather conditions prevail.

Prospects look, quite bright Two veterans of the outfield will be back; Ed Measell and Captain Cox. while the only berth open in the infield is second base, but there are plenty of good recruits who may displace some of the veterans. There are about four candidates trying for the unoccupied place in the outfield when Farmington opens the season with Belleville as the opponent.

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Tarmington is to be represented in the district typing tournament, which is to be held at Laper. May 3.

Eliminations are now being held to decide who is to go. Alice Westfall seems to be outstanding so far.

The team will consist of four students: three from the advanced class, and one from the beginners, and next week's edition will announce the team.

The team is likely to be chosen from the following: Alice Westfall, Virla Jean McCafferty, Mary Miodynski, and Alice Parker. for the advanced class and John Laphan and Marvin Turner from the beginners.

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