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 EDITORIAL

## MERICA, THE ZOO?

Anyone picking up the sport page of an American newspaper
vets a vivid, but somewhat bestial conception of this land of ours. Within the sport stories, he finds remarks on the Tigers, Wolvering Just what is becoming of this good old U. S. A.? Is she turn-
ing into zoo? Our sport pages seem to be more and more like
biology lessons spattered as they are with animal names. And to what or to whom can this decline be attributed?
Who knows? We have a sneaking suspicion who it is, but we
ould never betray a fellow in our own line. However, if we are Teverting to a four-footed condition, as Darwin would have us be
lieve, we wish it might be our privilege to select our own particular species. Wouldn't it be great to be a beautiful horse, and swish a
luxurous tail, or a sleek haughty poilie dog?
There would be no exans, prep test, special reports, bells,
galoshes, nor crowded street cars to annoy us. We can hardly wait. If the school board would pipe root beer into our drinking
fountains, Central would never ask for another thing. RETROSPECTION
Wouldn't it be interesting if some magician could wield
power over some of the blackboards up here and gradually uncove power over some of the blackboards up here and gradually uncover,
layer by, ayer, the stories of these boards. The Student Asocia-
tion campaigns with their variegated chalk pictures, their legends tion campaigns with their variegated chaik pictures, their legends
and arguments for such-an-such a candidate would be revealed to
us. We could see how very much alike they are after all us. We could see how very much alike they are after all.
There would be the huge ads for Rood ghomes. These, of course, refer to study hall boards, but the
ball classroom boards would really tell the tale. There lies the story
of a terrible algebra problem, an involved history outline; a draw-
ing of a medieval dwelling, the Greek theatre, boats, animals,
flowers and ing of a medieval avelinng, the Greek theatre, boats, animali
flowers, and defnite individuals, though perhaps a bit indefinite in
outline. outline.
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most distinguished residents and past residents. Those little personal messages, remarks, and observations, which are, no doubt
there in vast numbers, might disclose too much of interest, but say, wouldn't we like to see a few of them?
'till And now that the basket run" season. season is over, 'twon't be long

## WASHINGTON, THE MAN

you? What does the birthday of the father of our country mean to school students, this day should hold a greater signinicance.. You
have presumably passed the baby stage where a day out of school holds any undue thrills. What, then, are the serious aspects of the
day?
First, forget the "Father, I cannot tell a lie. I did it with my First, forget the "Father, I cannot tell a lie. I did it with my
that was the man who set our government in running order, the govern-
ment which has stood the test of over a hundred years of upp and downs. Second, remember that besides being a statesman, Washington was a diplomat, an athlete, a patriot, and above all, a gen-
tleman. He was plainly above his fellows, yet humble within him-

He was the perfect example of a good sportsman who was able
rise above the insults and accusations of the common horde. If he lived today and went. to Central he would rank what we cail an
"all-around good fellow." In short, he is a man whom we should remember, not as a fact for an American history exam, but as the
best combination of a sportsman, a gentleman, a statesman, and a good citizen that America has ever known.

We certainly hope Andy Gump's luck takes a change soon. But incidentally, where is his rich uncle in Australia during these the annual treat
And now there is the Road Show once again, the Road Show
with its dancing, singing, acting, playing, and other fascinating with its dancing, singing, acting, playing, and other fascinating
offerings. In the Road Show everyone gets his chance to display any talent he may have along any line.
Like the O-Book, the Road Show belongs to everybody. It
doesn't just pertain to those in the music department, Latin, English or mathematics, nor does it require membership in particular
clubs clubs for participation. All of Central high school's students are
eligible for parts in the Road Show. this annual offering of the Cadet Officers' club. In supporting this, audiences are not lending co-operation to any particular class
person or organization, but to the entire school. Most of the person or organization, but to the entire shool. Most
tickets are gone, but a few might still be procurable if anyone has
Isn't it too bad there aren't more men like Lincoln and Wash-
ington? A half day is a half day.
 otherwise.
$\begin{aligned} & \text { So "le petite bebe,", Margaret Ad- } \\ & \text { dy, in case you don"thow, hat do } \\ & \text { dance for her French conversation }\end{aligned}$ It seems that Date promised a cer-
tain young lady that she would be
the only one on ot a certain picture
of him. How about it, Dale?



Clyde Clancy seems to have a lean ing towards the Titians. We guess
he likes red hair.
It must be wonderful to inspire
teminine devotion by simply wearing




So Elmo Paee claims that there
are enchantresses toay just as there
were in the midde ages. How do you
know, Elmo?
And after the shades were pulled
down and the lights put out, Mr.
Gulgard proeeeeded to shock the class.
We really think that Jack Hall was
We really think that Jack Hall was
a little too vehement in his denial
when Miss Bridenbugh asked him
whether or not he was responsimbe
Sluding down the banisters is is
quick way of getting to classes, isn't
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| "Midge" Manley didn't seem averse to proposing to "Bob" Glover Speakers' Bureau the other day. <br> According to Mr. Gutgard, Sheppard talks in class because after he meets Lois she does all the talking. <br> 'Tis said that De Witt and John w. indulged in a mild form of dissipation Friday night. <br> "Ed" Gerin is very attentive, is he not, Jean? $\qquad$ <br> We hear that Harriet N. has a new case-but there are three other perpergson. <br> Miss Carlsen. "Harlan, why are you not working?" <br> Harlan: "I'm saving my energy for <br> the basket ball game." <br> -The Rawlings Record, Rawlings <br> Junior High School, Cleveland, Ohio. |
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To Betty Jean my seven-year-old
cousin
Bety Jean's mouth is almost a haert;
The eurve at the top makes just the
right start

right start
If only the bo
the
She have her
her lips.



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## The Magazine Rack

"Dead Men ander Buildings,", a
poem by Charles Norman. The ghosts
that any growing city bo


Ask Aunt Cynthia


Alumni
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ Jean whitney 27, who is attending
Lindenwood college, waso one of the
two who reevive the highest grades
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$\qquad$Kenneth Shirk ' 26 is the operator- —

William Ure, $\overline{\text { Clark }}$ Swanson, Ken-
eth Van Sant, Allen Schrimpt, Alneth Van Sant, Allen Schrimpt, Al-
bert, Wam, Herbert Senter. Richard
Deverux, and Richard Sonster al
ant were inititated into the tershng
Riffes at the University of Nebraska.
$\qquad$ Paul Denise $\overline{27 \text { won the highest }}$
verage in the freshman commeree Edward Chrisman ex'26 left last
eek for Harvard where he will enter Mary wima Fletcher ${ }^{2}$ 27, a stuat Stephens college, will leave
frrst of March with a group
phens girls for a trip to the eas
 Byron Dunham 26 has ben at-
ending the University of Chicago Alice Putman $\overline{27, \text { who is attending }}$

 winter at home will attend the Uni-
versity of Nebraska next year.
Winifred Kent '27 is attending van
 week-end in Omaha.
Ty teacher: "What religion was Hen-
the sth?" Student: "A Mormon." Teacher: ""What?",
Student: "Yes, he had eight wive


Central Hoopsters Oppose Tech
in First Round of City Tourney Thomas Jefferson Plays South, Abe Lincoln Meets Creighton, Suburbanites Op
in Othe
By
W. Y. Knapple's Central basket $\overline{\text { By Lloyd Lesilie }}$ F. Y. Knapple's Central basketeers will meet Tech in the first round of the Omaha-Council Bluffs inter-city basket ball tourney, March 1 . The Maroons
have an enviable record this year and are expected to make things ususually interesting for opposing fives in the tourney. Central, although not so fortunate in their games for 1928, will h
several advantages which may tend to aid in defeating the Techsters.
the first several advantages which may tend to aid in defeating the Techsters. I
the first place, Louie Weiner, veteran barrier man of the Drummond ma
chine is lost to his team by graduation. This leaves an inexperienced la chine, is lost to his team by graduation. This leaves an inexperienced lad
at his former post which, in many cases, helps the opposition considerably.
Morse or Randone will be seen at this position unless a last minute change Morse or Randone will be seen
is made in Tech's lineup.

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$\left|\begin{array}{l}\text { Central Basket Artists } \\ \text { Will Mix With Hastings } \\ \text { Hastings Quintet still Claims }\end{array}\right| P$
Purple Cagers
Easily Defeat Easily Defeat
Fremont High

## Svick, Star Eagle W restler, Suffers Fractured Forearm

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## Eagles Improved Then, too, the Eagles have shown

 Then, too, the Eagles have shownconsiderable improvement in the past
couple weeks in the victories over Lincoln and Fremont, and although
the Techsters are the favorites to take away the honors, anything in
way of a result is possible.
The first of the Omaha-Co Tluffs contests will be the South
Thomas Jefferson tussle at 6 o'cloc
Earlier in the season, the dope by taking the Yellowjacke
for a ten point win. Hence se develop something meot to witness.
But regardless of the outcome of their last meeting, Tee-Jay is doped
to come out on top by virtue o
South's consistent losing throughou

Abe Lincoln Strong
Following the Packer-Yellowjack
 ranked among the best in in omaha and
Council Bluff territory. With Hickg
ey and a couple of other Abe Links,




Nielsen Violin Shop

a Great Sport,'


School and Society Printing of Every Kind

## Virginia

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$\left|\begin{array}{c}\text { Central Bone-Crushers } \\ \text { Will Meet Polar Bears } \\ \text { vikings, with Strongest Team }\end{array}\right|$



Purple Five Scores Decisive
Victory over Lincoln Cagers


## Senior A Team

 Favored to Take Class Cage Title
## Lincoln Defeats Central Seconds

 Last Half Rally Fails as CapitalCity
Reserves Winscored their opponents in the outplayed and out
ond hec

Coach Knapple's Quint Stages
Rally in Last Two
Periods

## Central Tank Stars

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Meet Prep, Lincoln } \\
& \text { Both Teams Reported strong- } \\
& \text { Close Dese sis should } \\
& \text { Result }
\end{aligned}
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> Supreme Cleaners and Dyers
> 110 NORTH SOTH STREETT

## BOYS AND GIRLS

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or
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