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The Minth Grade Election

A minth grade election was held during February for the purpose of electing officers for the minth grade class. Our election was patterned after the Mational Mections having a Liberal and Conservative Party.

The election started with ninth grader who qualified and wish ed to run for office. It the same time delegates were elected from each core class which represented a Rallies were held on varistate. ous nightsto present the candidates and their platforms. These condidates were then narrowed down bythe state primaries. The final climinating came at the National Jonventions. The delegates nominated and elected the three nominees from each party, to be placed on the ballots.

Those nominated from the Conservative Party were; Joan Taylor-President, Linda Bush-Vice President and Mary Long -Secretary -treasurer The Liberal condidates were; Phil McGee-President, Scott Saunders-Vice President, and Dale Jpps -Secretary Treasurer.

On February 13,1952, the grand election was held and the votes tab ulated. The candidates from the Lib eral Party were voted into office.

Parties on a well run campaign.

The Science Fair

Surrattsville High Jehool will hold a Science Pair March 16th and 17th. All students are urged to participate. Entries must be Fres ent at the school by Friday the 16 of March.

The Joience Fair will be opento the public from 7:00-9:00 Friday night and from 10:00-12:00 Saturday morning. The projects will be set up in the cafeteria.

The science Fair should prove to be an interesting affair forall concerned.

Glee Club

The P.T.A. was entertained last Tuesday might by the 1st and 2nd shift Glee Clubs.

Selections from Brigadoon, The Sound of Music and several Irish sound were sung.

The program, prepared by irs. Rowland and ars. Milliams, reflected the long hours of proctice.

Spring Dance

Preparations for a From- type dance in May or June for the minth grade are presently underway.

It promises to be an affair to remember and should start a tradition here at 3.J.I....

NO SCHOOL TOMORRO! IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK AND THE DEFEAT OF THE I. 2. 4.

TEEN CLUB

High has had some new and different this organization.

activities this past month.

On February 3rd, we had the talents of a local radio station -- Dean Griffith of W.P.G.C .-- spun the record for our dancing. We had many differfor our dancing. We had many differ- This spring, a play called "Bull ent contests and records were given in a China Shop" will be put on by as prizes.

Our Valentine party was given honor of our parents. Many parents were present to set the crowning our Tean Club Queen, Margaret Gonzales. We sorved hamburgers to our guests and a good time was had by all.

le are looking forward to more good times in Harch.

SHOW HOLIDAYS

day holiday (Holiday?) Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Surrattsville Junior High has now used its quota of Snow Holidays! From now on Johnson each day off will shorten our Easter First Stretcher Vacation.

STUDENT COUNCIL NE 13

It is possible now that we may have a Student-Teacher Day some time Vice-Principal, who did a great in the future. If we can get permission from the Principal, each teacher will draw up a schedule for a certain day and a student will be chosen in eac of the teacher's classes. This student will follow the schedule in teaching the class on Student-Teacher Day.

The Constitution Committee received all the changes suggested for the constitution and is now in the process of rewriting it with

these changes.

The writer of this article would like to make a correction in one of like to make a correction in one of from the movie "The Greatest Show the past articles. The last Student on Earth"; AN ORIGINAL SUITE FOR Council Article said that both scholastic letters and membership to LEGENDARY AIR by Brickson. Transthe National Junior Honor Society would be given to deserving students. Fresco-baldi, a very interesting It has been pointed out that no arrangement of South Pacific scholastic letters will be given as of this date. The National Junior

Honor Society will be the only recognition given to outstanding The Teen Club of Surrattsville Jr. students by means of membership to

SPRING PLAY

the Winth Grade. It is a three-act in mystery comedy by C.B. Gilford, and has been performed on the "Alfred of Hitchcock Presents" television series.

The cast is as follows:

Dennis O'Finn - Scott Saunders Miss Hildegarde - Linda Lynch Miss Birdie - Jenny Griga Miss Amantha - Mary Lee Denton Miss Lucy - Carol Julian Miss Mettie - Pam Wingert A heavy winter snow caused a two- Miss Elizabeth - Cheryl Fuselier Kramer - Kenny Baker Jane Rogers (Reporter) - Aleta Scharr - Phil McGee Bearer - Brad Barsell Second Stretcher Bearer - Bud Comberland

> The director is Mr. Story, our job on last year's play.

BAND CONCERT

The Surrattsville Junior High School Band will entertain the public with a concert on March 30th at 8 o'clock P.M. The annual event will be held in the gymnasium of the school.

Of interest to patrons of band music will be the wide range of music on the program. Original works will include STAND-BY MARCH MILITARY BAND by Jacobs; and scribed works include TOCCATA by Selections and other works by composers such as Bach, Beethoven.

An admission of twenty-five cents

per person will be charged.

BAND FESTIVAL

On Saturday March 3, 1962 some The Youth Center teens turned members of the Surrattsville Junior out in numbers for a winter indoor High Band, playing in ensembles took a trip to Northwestern High School to enter the County Band Festival. This is the first year the bank has entered.

The Brass Choir played SONATA NO. 18 by Reiche. Members are:

Trumpets - Norval Tayman David Johnson

Trombone - Van White Baritone - Wallace Wright

The Clarinet Quartet played BOURES FROM THE SATER MUSIC SUITE by Handel. Members are: Clarinet - Linda Bush

Alden Esten Harry Shishler

Bass Clarinet

Robert Gormley

The Woodwind Quartet played GAVATTA FROM CLASSICAL SYMPHONY. Mombers are:

Flute - Susan Stephenson Oboe - Lynn Howlett Clarinet - Rochelle Rudd Basson - Tom Davidson

The Percussion Sextet played SEXTET by Siwe. Members are:

Claves - Tom Hart Bongoes - Pat O'Neal Maracas - Fred Wickline Timbales - Phil Holmes Wood Block, Cowbell Dick Krempaskey

Timpani - Tom Saylor

The Flute Duet played: SIX LITTLE DUETS by Gariboldi Members are:

> Mary Lee Denton Carolyn Merrill

The Clarinet and Piano Duet played NOCTURN OP. #37 - NO. 1 by Chopin. Members are: Clarinet -! Linda Bush Piano - Carol Loudermilk

AUTIVITIES ON BASE

splash party at a downtown pool. They also had quite a crowd go to the roller skating party at Bladen burg. On February 17th they had a "Heart Times Hobo Hop." All the latest records were played.

The Youth Center has had a refurnishing. They have redecorated and it has a new coat of paint.

Baseball teams are soon going to be formed. There will be girls'

teams as well as boys.

Basketball games are as usual being held at the gym and soon we will be hearing which team is champ On February 27th there will be a Blue and Gold Banquet held at the N.C.O. Club.

Next month the Teen Club will hold two dances. Dependents and all guests are welcome.

ANDREWS A.F.B. SUB-TEEN CLUB

Some of you who are eligible to ioin our outstanding Sub-Teen Club at Andrews A.F.B. may not even know about it. So I'll take this op ortunity to inform you that our club meets the second and fourth Fridays of each month from 7:30 to 10:00 at the Service Club. All dependents of military between the ages of 10 and 13, as well as de-pendents of civilians who work on the Base, are eligible to join. Dues are 50% a month.

The second Friday of each month we have our Business meeting, followed by something special, such as a Hoby Show, Treasure Hunt, Plant Show and then dancing. The fourth Friday is party night, when we have a special type of dance each time. Lovely prizes are awarded, delicious refreshments are served amid outstanding decorations.

Our "Cinderella Ball" was held last week. Election of officers during the Ball gave us the following slate for the coming year:

President - Artie Wimer Vice President - Ricky Wright Secretary - Sylvia Santa Ann Treasurer - Bobby Jarman

The Sounds of Freedom
By Merry Chovan

If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew

To serve your turn long after they are gone,

And so hold on when there is nothing in you

Except the Will which says to them: "Hold ong"

Rudyard Kipling

It seemed as if Hans were fighting a losing battle with the rock pile he was breaking up. Today was his birthday-his sixteenth. How-ever, birthdaysmeant little in this work camp. They only meant more grueling tasks as each year came and went.

The sound of his pick axe mingled with the happyvoices of the children at the public school across the river—the river, the barrier holding him backfrom freedom. It was never guarded; it wasn't necessary. No man had ever suum theriver before—and lived. The treacherous current always pulled them down too watery death.

The more he thought, the harder he hit the rock and it soon rang out, making a harsh accopaniment with the sound of the carefree children across the river. They had so much fun. Oh, if he could only be a part of it!

Finally his lunch hour came. Exhausted he sat down to his meager lunch of bread crusts and broth, and a half- hour of rest.

All of a sydden, he noticed that nobody had paid any attention to him when he stopped work. It was lunch hour, of course! Why hadn't he thought of that before? A perfect chance for escape! Slowly and diligently he began to plan.

Finally the day came. As soon as the lunch hour began he crept down to the water. After removing his shirt and heavy shoes, lest they encumber his movements, he dove in. The cold water felt good to his aching muscles. Hans was a larde boy; he had much power. But fighting those currents took every ounce of his stenght. Soon great fatique enveloped him. Every stroke seemed as if it had to be his

Meanwhile, on the bank, the school children had gathered to watch this courageous boy. But knowing that their excite-

work camp, they dispersed.

The physical education teacher stretched out on the bank to help Hans--if he should make it.

Still Hans kept on. The bank that had once looked so close, was fading farther and farther away. He must make it He must! Stroke after stroke, the distance between Hans and the shore lessened.

With just a few feet to go, Hans felt the current pull him under, the water engulf him. Yet something kept saying to him, "Hold on! Don't give up!" With a final burst of energy, Hans swam the last few feet, that separated him from freedom that offered him an escape to happiness.

He reached out his hand and a hand was reached out to him, And Hans was drawn into a new life.

Glennsday

Honday, Feb. 26,1962 was Glenns day in the Nation's Sapital. Those of you who went to see him know that he was given a warm welcome even though nothing ease was in that condition. Despite the slightly abov freezing temperature and the chilling rain, thousands througed to see Lt. Col. John Glenn as he and his wife and two children, paraded down Pennsylvania Avenue in a black limousine.

School children, enjoying a spec ial holiday in honor of the occasion were seen everywhere, waving, cheering, and jumping up and down.

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The crowd , soaked but still
suiling, cheered themselves hourse
as Col. Glenn passed by.

Monday was really a significant day in Tashington's History.

New York Trip
Several of the Core classes
are planning trips to New York City
in May. They will visit the U.N. and
then tour the City itself. The cost
will be about \$17.00 and will include
transportation and meals.

dditorials.

Congratulations to the Hornets

Phroughout all the basketball season the Hornets have played as a team, and the results were wonderful --League Championship. We are all very proud and the results were wonderful --League Championship. We are all very proud and the results burnets to accomply that Surrattsville has achieved first place through the sincere efforts of the Hornets. The Hornets have achieved what no other team was able to accomplish. I doubt that any other Junior High was behind its team more wholeheartedly than Surrattsville Junior High was behind the Hornets. The Hornets are a very good team, and have brought Surrattsville to the top during basketball season.

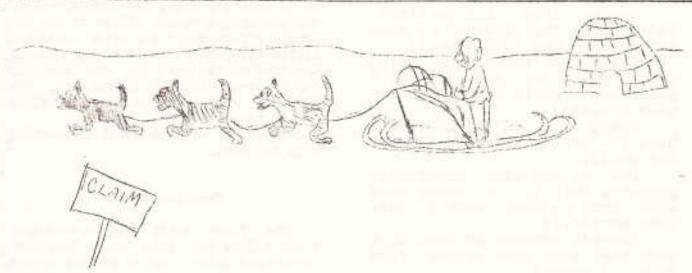
The Hornets! Herald would like to add its most hearty and sincere congradulations to the Hornets for " A Job Well Done".

Congratulations to the 9th Grade Class Officers

As almost everyone knows, the 9th grade has three new class officers. For the benefit of those who don't know, they are; Phil McGee; President, Scott saunders; Vice President, and Dale Epps; Secretary-Treasuer. These people won their offices on the Idberal ticket which ran against the Conservative ticket in a close and very spirited campaign. The

The Hornets' Herald would like to express its good luck wishes and congra-

tulations to the 9th grade class officers.



Be a landowner on our newest state, Alaska!!! An honest to goodness property lot!!!!

It may have gold on it!! So try your luck ab winning it. Just fill out this application form and deposit in the box in Room 5.

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Dear Diary: by Pat Proels

Johnny what's the idea of having B.M. invite Karen C. to "her"house ?? Can't you wait for Teen

Seems as though Barbara has a crush on Wayne Miller !!! Is that why she sits behind him in Science class??

Bill Y. seems to have trapped another one !!! This time it's Dale E. !!!

What 9th grade girl simply flipps when she sees a boy wear-ing an "ivy" shirt? Could it be V.F. ??

Bev don't be too "broken hearted" about losing B.F. There are more fish in the sea!!!!

L.R. you sure know which one to go after ! This time it's our ninth grade president, Phil !!!!

You didn't waste any time did you Linda B. ? Looks like you've made a catch!!!

Looks like M.L.D. liked Pat's "Big Girl Sittin" so much she now has him full time!!!

Daisy now that your going with Joe there are "several" girls that would love to be in your shoes!!!

Tommy S. can't you take a hint ?? arol has simply flipped

for you!!!

One of our star basketball players, Phil H. is being seen with Mary L. They make a darling couple!!!

There's someone at Teen Club each week that sure wishes John

D. would come!!

Looks like Ronnie has done it again!! This time he's pursued P.!

Could it be that a strong Conservative like J.T has fallen for our Liberal Vice President ? Only time will tell !!!!

Mike, is it true you have a crush on one of the cheerleaders who might be Nancy S.????

Chip, who's the girl you've been showing around lately ? She

is real cute!!!

Duke, you've looked real lonesome at Teen Club lately. Someone should have told you that you have an admirer who would love to be lonesome with you!!!

The word is that Ann F. just received a ring from M.D. !! Is

there any truth to it???

Meeting a Congressman

How much fun can it be to meet a congressman? Why not ask our president Phil McGee?

For those who do not know as yet, Phil had a visit with Congressman Lankford on February .9, 1962. Mr. B.A. Mudd went along, and both claimed it to be an exciting trip. The meeting place was the Congressman's office in the New Senate Office Building. After having a little talk, at which time Congressman Lankford stated that he was strongly for "Federal Aid to Education", Mr. Mudd and Phil went on a tour of the subway tunnels.

It was a welcomed and interesting

trip for both.

Cheerleaders

The first shift cheerleaders are doing a fine job this year. They are accredited with a few of the new cheers heard at each game.

The cheerleaders are: Judy Gordon, captain, Donna Raibourn, Joan Taylor Barbara Grey, Nancy Sellner, Linda Stone, Ellen Larivee, Linda Gooper, Betsy Myers.

The first shift also has a Pep Club with a green unpressed pleated skirt with a crop top to match as their uniform.

"Dear Abby" by Vicki Forsht

Dear Abby,

I am a very popular boy. In fact all the girls chase me. My problem is that one girl keeps trying to break my door down. What can I do? "Too Popular"

Dear "Too Popular".

Get a Swinging door and don't use two dabs.

Dear Abby.

I am thinking of committing suicide in the near future and wonder if you have any helpful suggestions.
"% Dead"

Dear "% Deady

There are many, many ways but most effective, I feel, is sit through two or three hours of English.

Dear Abby.

I am not very popular so I wear a Superman suit to attract attention. So far I've gotten lots of attention, but no girlfriends. Should I take it off?

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Dear "S".

The girls want "supermen" not any "super-show-offs"!!!

Hornets Speak

What does Avarice mean?

Seventh Grade;

Patty Mortimer: .. To savise someone? Robert Cole A sickly person?

Eichth Grade:

Janice Slaughter......Auxilary? Johnny Hamn .. Something to do with animals?

continued

by Pat Proels & Vicki Forsht

.Joe Horty liking Art?

.. Beverly Rodgers being quiet?

.. Anna without her "horse laugh"?

.. Angel acting develish?

.. Brad Barsell in "short shorts"?

.. Byron Payne without a mouth?

.. Vicki without a slang book?

.. The 9th, graders having more than

one school dance?

.. Phil Holmes not liking Basketball?

.. The Pep Club and Cheerleaders not peppy?

.. John D. going to Teen Club to see S.G.?

.. Merry Chovan being angry?

.. Tammy "kilting" a bug?

.. Donna C. not going steady?

.. Mancy Roth bemembering her name in announcements?

Margaret Gonzales not being able to carry a tune?

.. Greg Marshall without his Trench-coat

.. Terry McMahan not chewing gum?

.. Bill Roley not flirting?

.. Teen Cub without chaperones?

Tammy's Top Ten

| 1. Johnny Angel Shelly Fabray |
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| 2. What's Your Name Bon & jaun |
| 3.Good Luck CharmElvis Presly |
| 4. Love Me Warm and Tender Paul Anka |
| 5.Dream BabyRoy Orbison |
| 6. She Can't Find Her Key Paul Peterso: |
| 7.Soldier BoySherells |
| 8.Slow TwistinCubby Checker |
| 9.Lover PleaseClyde McFatter |
| 10.Mashed Potatoe Dee Dee Sharpe |

Hornets Speak- continued

Ninth Grade:

Borothy Mavratil ... Snow, I guess? Morval Taymin Are you kidding?

wondering, greediness such as while gambling etc.

Basketball Wrap Up

| Stoderd | 21 |
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| Surratts | 39 |
| Oxon Hill | 25 |
| Surratts | 35 |
| Maryland Park | 31 |
| Surratts | 39 |
| Gwyn Park | 22 |
| Surratts | 45 |
| John Hanson | 2 0 |
| Surratts | 39 |
| Suitland | 17 |
| Surratts | 68 |
| Oxon Hill | 28 |
| Surratts | 35 |
| Maryland Park | 24 |
| Surratts | 39 |
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| Name | Number | Points |
|-------------|--------|--------|
| Bean | 12 | 29 |
| Roly | 22 | 31 |
| Holmes | 5 | 60 |
| Mothershead | 15 | 12 |
| Crawford | 10 | 38 |
| Saylor | 14 | 26 |
| Miller | 21 | 88 |
| Schawb | 20 | 78 |
| R. Kerns | 31 | 2 |
| C. Kerns | 13 | 76 |
| Davey | 11 | 22 |
| Callahan | | 4 |
| McGee | 3 | 26 |
| Seeger | 24 | 20 |
| Scott | 15 | ~ |
| Walsh | | 6 5 |
| Anderson | 25 | Ö |
| | 24 | 5 |
| McKennie | 22 | 0 |
| Lilly | 23 | 0 |

The Hornet's have completed a victorious season not to be accomplished by any other team. So, hats off to the team and their coach.

The Tramp Squad by Tom Babits

The tramp squad performing at the half time of some of the basketball games was sponsored by Mr. Cooke. The team had many specialities, including the horse's mini tramp, springboard, and the tramp. The team praticed after school. The team members were all from the 1st shift. They are as follows: Tom Babits Steve Rector Hub Kyzer Riley Smith John Jacobson Dan Bonesteel Terry Mabery Don Cummings Gary Ingerson Clavance

Baseball Practice

I love to do my homework
It makes me feel so good,
I love to do exactly as
my teachers say I should,
I love my schoolwork very
much,
I never miss a day,
I even love the men in white
Who are taking me away.

Blast From the Past By Brad Barsell

For you lover of he sea, I have nelected a mild mannered species of fish.

On a parm day in Pay, 1959. Abert Kogler and Chirley O'Feill . both ei hieen and students at Francisco State College, decided cool off with a saim in the Pacific. Splashing into the curf at Bakers' Beach just outside San Francisco's Golden Gate, they swam seaward some 50 yards, Kogler in the lead. "I heard him scream", Miss O'Neillsaid later. "I turned around and saw this big gray thing flap into the air. There was a threashing in the water. He screamed again. "It's a shark-get out

Above the scene on the cliff-top grounds of the Presido, the United States Army post over looking Gloden Gate, M?sgt. Leo P. Day watched the struggle with the shark. "I could see the boy in the foaming red water, shouting and signaling someone to to back, go back. Then I saw the girl, swimming toward him with franticstrokes, completely ignoring his warning."

Miss O'Neill reached for Kogler's hand. "But when I pulled I could see his arm was just hanging by a thread". So she put her arm about Kogler's back and started for shore. Shedragged him close enough for a fisherman to throw a line and pull them the restrict the way.

His body half drained of blood, the boy died in two and a half hours later. For what Sgt. Day called "the greatest exhibition of courage I have ever seen", President Kennedy awarded Miss O'Neill the YoungAmerican Medal for Bravery, in 1961.

Despite their reputation for ferocity, sharks are undiscriminating scavengers. They will swallowanything; sea turtles, sea lions, birds, fish, lobsters, horseshoe crabs, garabage, coal, or people.

Sharks just bite and swallow, an apparently some can store food in their bellies for days or weeks without digesting it, it was this outlandish ability, as shown by a captive shark, that led to the sensational affair celebrated in Australlia as the Shark Arm Murder.

In 1935 a big Tiger Shark was caught and installed as a featured attraction at a Sydney aquarium. Sight days later the shark suddenly disgorged a human arm -- so well preserved that medical examiners could make \$ out an identifying tattoe on it. They could also see that the arm had been separated from its owner by a knife and not by shark's teath. Following those leads, the police traced the arm to an amateur boxer who had disappeared two weeks before. Police deduced that the boxer had been done in by 1/2 fellow conspurators when their scheme for wreaking a yacht to collect insurance had gone wrong. The suspectedmurderers evidently had managed to most of the body into a box and drop it overboard, but the arm would

For a sailor on a Life Raft of a skin diver on a tropical reef, there is Shark Chaser, a shark repellent developed for the Navy in World WarII.

Neither Shark Chaser nor anything else has proved effective when sharks go on a mass rampage known as a"feedding frenzy". This may occur when bait or entmails are dumped overboard from a fishing boat, attracting sharks in droves. Then the sea churns with fins and foam as the sharks, crazed by the blood in the water, slash at anything, often biting chunks out of each other. Mediranding fateryare helpless during a feeding frenzy. One of the worst mass shark attacts on records took place in 1942 when the troopship Nova Scotia was torpedoed at night off the coast of South Africa. A thousand men were lost, many of them presumably to the sharks. The next morning numerous legless bodies were found floating in the water.

For those of you lovers that like to take moonlight swims, Bewarei, For you may end up in the "happy hunting ground" before your time.

I'll be back with another exciting "Blast From the Past", so be looking for it.

Hornet People By Bonnie Higgins

Congradulations to Phil McGee, Scott Saunders, and Dale Epps of the Liberal Party, who won the ninth grade elections recently.

On the weekend before the Easter Vacation there will be a play called "Bull in a China Shop" in the multi-purpose room which should prove very interesting.

Speaking of plays, there was a very good play called "My Three Angels" on the 9th and 10th of March. The acting was very good and the story very funny.

Some of the new dances performed at Teen Club this year are the Popeye, Skate, Mashed Potatoe, Gontinental, Twist, Roach, and the Metry Stomp.

A few new couples are: L.L. and RK, P.H. and M.L., C.W. and R.C., B.B. and

P.M., and M.G. and J.S..

Happy Birthday to Anna Livesay, Pat Hernick, Barbara Walker, Merry Chovan, Susan Alwine, Vicki Forsht, Bill Young, Tamara Shugarts, and Sonja Wagner.

Last Thursday the Faculty played our team and was beaten by a score of 37-35. The teachers on the faculty team were Mr. B. Mudd, Mr. D. Mudd, Mr. Yurkovich, Mr. Radovich, Mr. Cook, Mr. Rynick, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Waley, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Gibson, and Mr. Collins.

On the Monday before that our

On the Monday before that our champion team lost to the J.V. of Surrattsville Sr. High 39-29 even though we have won all our regular season

fathy McPhee was honored by a surprise birthday party in the cafe teria last week. She celebrated her fifteenth birthday.

This year Surrattsville

This yera Surrattsville Junior High School has many additional faculty members. One of these is Mr. Leon Noel, a ninth grade General Science teacher.

Mr. Noel attended King College, a Presbyterian, liberal arts college in Bristole, Tennessee. Before coming to Surrattsville, he taught General Science and Biology at Northside High School in Roanoke, Virginia.

At the end of a school year, Mr.

Noel usually feels reasonally sure that
every one of his students has gained some
knowledge of science. Although he thinks
that being a good student is important,
he belives that it is far more important
to be a good citizen. Mr. Noel feels that
most teachers share his thinking on this
subject.

In his years of teaching, Mr. Noel has helped several people gain an active interest in Science.

We are proud to have Mr. Leon Noel as an addition to our faculty.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dare editur
whata stupide paper you gotiii!!!
No comicks, jukes or prezzell...
Why do Yous writ onley news or
borin' thiss lik that. Anser that
questshun plese. 1 bet you wont
a studan

