A HALLOWE'EN GHOST

It was four days before Hallowe'en. Mr. and Mrs. Brown had just bought the large white house on the corner. People believed the house was haunted. At night one might be passing the house and see a white figure, a ghost perhaps standing at the window. As one passed, the figure would wave its hands and shout, "Hello."

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were not afraid. They bought the house just the same. Billy and Johnny Brown were determined to find out what the ghost really was.

Three days after they moved in, everything was in order. During this time no noises were heard in the house. Johnny thought it would be fun to have a Hallowe'en party and have everybody come dressed in costumes. They decided to have the party on Hallowe'en night.

That evening the boys invited their cousins, Mary Kelly and Dorothy Haines, over to help them make the preparations for the party.

At 8:00 o'clock the girls arrived. They decided to go up to the attic and find some old Hallowe'en decorations which they had used a few years ago. Billy took a flashlight with him so that they could see in the dark.

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COME ONE! COME ALL!

Tonight is the big night of the gay party in Page Hall gym. As an extra bit of persuasion, we may say you will see some fine talent in the plays that each homeroom is giving.

We hear that there will be several short skits and some people are planning to play instruments of various types. To say it all in a few words, it is bound to be a marvelous party with all the entertainment and dancing afterwards.

PARTY DRESS

As you know, our party on Friday will be informal. Girls: Long evening dresses will be out of style. A three-quarter length or party dress will be accepted as stylish. Girls are requested not to wear evening dresses. Of course, if you have an evening dress you would like to wear, you may; but if you are buying or making a dress we suggest an informal one. Boys: Your plain school suits will be fine, but if you want to look shined up you may wear a good suit.

CHARACTER SKETCH

For the opening of the character sketches this year we go to Room 127. There he or she is a brunette about five feet, seven inches tall. He or she is very quiet in classes and is a very good athlete.

If you guess this person's name, write it on a slip of paper and it will be collected. If you are right, your name will appear in the next issue of this paper.

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Now, in Billy's bedroom were the stairs leading to the attic. Just as they reached the bedroom they heard some unearthly yelling. "Hello there, aren't you scared?" Mary and Dorothy screamed and ran downstairs, but Billy opened the door and started up the stairs to the attic. He was determined to find out who was the ghost! Johnny did not follow. He just stood frozen to the spot.

Billy reached the top of the stairs in a few seconds. He flashed the light all around the room and there in a corner was a white object moving its arms up and down. Billy walked over to it slowly. He looked at it closely and burst out laughing. He quickly decided he would not tell what the ghost was. He would wait till Halloween and tell everybody about it at the party.

He went downstairs and assured everybody that nothing was in the attic. He said he had scared them. They made the last preparation for the party. Mary and Dorothy went home, and Billy and Johnny went to bed.

The next night the party started with great success. There was ducking for apples and all sorts of Halloween games. Just before the party ended Billy made an announcement.

"Ladies and gentlemen, I have found who the ghost is. It is a parrot who had rolled in white flour that had been in the attic. The parrot could talk and say, 'Hello.' It had been just a parrot!"

DON'T FORGET

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JUNIOR HIGH RECEPTION

TONIGHT at 8 O'CLOCK

PAGE HALL
The seventh grade homerooms have completed their elections. The officers are as follows:

**Room 124**
- President—Donald Solmors
- Vice-president—Shirley Smith
- Secretary—Betty Royce
- Treasurer—Dexter Simpson
- Sergeant-at-arms—Frederick Ward
- Student Council Representatives—Ruth Van Gaasbeke and Robert Speck

**Room 126**
- President—Edward Langwig
- Vice-president—Selleck Mintline
- Secretary—Lawrence Mapes
- Treasurer—Paul Knox
- Sergeant-at-arms—Borden Mills
- Student Council Representatives—Donald Jones and Catherine Morrison

In addition to the officers announced last week are David Fuld and Frank Barron, reporters, also members of the *Crimson and White* staff. The banlers are Noelma Brody and Martin Edwards.

**CLUBS PLAN SEMESTER PROGRAM**

Some of the clubs are making interesting plans for the semester. In the case of the cartoon club, faculty support! This club is going to make some cartoons for the *Crimson and White*. Then it will make a full page of comics for the Jubilee, The best cartoon every week is to be put on the bulletin board to be judged on the final contest later. There will be a prize for the best comic strip in school.

The sewing club is having a fine time. The girls are knitting, crocheting, and making crepe-paper dolls and stuffed animals. Since each one may choose what she will do, the activity is varied.

The art club is already planning to make its work practical by making Christmas presents. Miss Fekins is the club sponsor.

**COUNCIL TO HAVE INFORMATION DESK**

It was decided in Student Council that there would be an information desk this year. Also at the meeting committees for the semester were appointed as follows: Social committee—Denzer Atwood, Doris Holmes, and Natalie Dilig; bulletin board committee, Robert Matell, Miriam Freund, and Betty Tinchor; assembly committee, David Ellison, Doris Holmes, and Norman Andrews.

The Junior high is giving an informal reception tonight from 8:00 to 11:00 o'clock. It will be in Page Hall gym. The reception is being held to get the seventh graders acquainted with the eighth and ninth graders.

Each homeroom will give a stunt in the Page Hall auditorium. This will be limited to ten minutes each. After the stunts everyone will return to the gym where there will be an orchestra for dancing.

**HOME ROOM NEWS**

Home room 125 recently had a pantomime entertainment during the homeroom period. Norman Andrews was the reader while Andrew Briznell, Carol Boyce, Dorothy Ball, Marian Adams, Martin Edwards, and Helen Dulp were the characters.

In homeroom 227 the pupils have planned a program for the semester. They will have a meeting every Monday, a study period every Tuesday, and an entertainment every Thursday.

Those taking part in the skit to be given by homeroom 127 at the reception tonight are as follows: Doris Holmes, Harmon Patton, Helen Reese, Armand Livermore, Robert Matek, Dorothy Mosher, Fred Rogen, and Harriet Gordon.

All the ninth grade homerooms are busy working on the skits for their part in the reception tonight.

**RIFLE CLUB TO ORGANIZE**

The boys' rifle club will start next week at the Troop B Armory. Most of the boys are receiving instructions in wrestling, tumbling, and boxing in the gym on regular gym days. There is also a swimming club that meets on Monday at Bath 3 at 2:30 o'clock. Anyone wishing to join should sign on the bulletin board and come to the bath.

**JUDGES ANNOUNCE ORDER CONTEST WINNERS**

Winners in the order contest for this week are home room 121 on the first floor, 227 on the second floor, and 320 on the third. However, there has been a general improvement in the condition of all rooms.