

CLASS PROPHECY
I was sitting by the fire one lonely winter evening in this year of 1935 and reminising about my old classmates. Out of an old closet I seldom looked into, I got a scrapbook with the date 1965 on the cover. In it were clippings I had cut out of a newspaper telling of the whereabouts of all the members of the Class of 1945 just 20 years from the time they graduated. I had cut these clippings out of a newspaper edited by Marilyn Goldsmith, it was called the Goldsmith Gullible Gossip. She got most of her news by working on the switchboard.

Out of the science column was an article telling of Joe Hopper working on a way to dehydrate soil so he could raise dehydrated vegetables.

Looking in the theatre column I saw several items of interest. One said Arlene Bean took Hollywood by storm in 1964 and had just completed her 4th straight triumph entitled, "How Lean was my Sally," or "My Ration Books must Have Been Misplaced."

Another one told of Catherine Davis starring in "Carmen", the famous opera that has been running for 20 years on Broadway. After opera hours she was known as "Plum-po", the fat lady in the circus.

After being a soda jerk at the Mil-Ray for so long Nova Forgy finally becamd-- just a jerk.

Looking in the advertising section of the paper I saw that Bob Wherry's school girl complexion was still making headlines in the social circle due to his new invention, a famous facial and skin cream called, "Afternoon in Plymouth".

Gladys Capps finally attained the $\frac{1}{2}$ inch needed to make 5 feet. She was considering an offer from the Bungling Sisters, Prainem and Barley Circus.

On the back page of one issue I had found an article saying that Peggy Friend and Alpha Darrick had started an old maids home for bachelors only.

Among the most popular hit songs of 1965 were 3 writtin by Coral Rose Flock. They were entitled "Climbing on a Cloud,"

"Nightmares" and "Chicken in the Hay."

A short biography of Johnny Milligan was printed in one issue of the paper. It said after he dieted for 20 years he began his singing career under the name of Tank Sumatra.

A picco about Josephine Gotsch, said that after she had finished her course in Homemaking she started her own construction company and turned out homes on a mass production scale. To speed up the sale of homes she was selling marriage liconsis.

Eleanor Joyce and Betty Jean Springsteen have set up their own business of fortune telling by reading coffee grounds. The court news said that this was really just a front for their true profession of pickpocketing, which caused their arrest frequently. They said that they then had a whole roomful of pockets they are trying to get rid of.

The sports headlines of one issue disclosed that Lloyd Chadwick decided that he liked more strenuous sports than baseball so he became the Checker Champion of 1965.

Dorothy Harrell made history by donating her black sweater to the Muscum of Natural History, after which she was seen wearing a gorgeous, self designed sweater of egg-shell purple and bluebird orange.

Harvey Kreps also made the sports headlines. He became coach of New Plymouth High School and taught the boys how to catch flies in 3 easy lessons. I was told however that in the end he always had to sell them flyswatters.

From the foreign news came the report that Bonnie "avlor after trying for several years to convert the African natives finally gave up in despair and was last seen swinging from a cocanut trec.

This report was written by Marguerite James who witnessed this amazing feat while traveling through the Dark Continent selling James' Splochy-Blotchy Sunburn and Freckle Cream to the natives.

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