



Kawanhee Wasp

All The News
That Fits
We print.

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News of Kawanhee Regurgitated -

FLASH - Campers from the shores of Lake Webb are presently attempting to break all previous world records in the category of pork eating. A successful string of eighteen days is proudly being maintained. Recently complaints have been registered by Local 69 Peoples' Party for Pig Protection and several starving Jews who are being forced to eat muffins.

FLASH * Strike-out twirler Diane Merrill is off to another successful season in the Cherry Valley League as she is about to face Rich Davis in his eighth return trip to bat. Good Luck Rich.

FLASH - Alcoholics Anonymous is certain to reorganize under the new staff direction of Slo-Gin Greening and Bubbles Dial.

FLASH - Recently the question has been asked of Nelson Lancione, "How's every little thing?" But, Smels still insists that the problem is a girl back home and not some other incapacity.

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Kawanhee After Dark

Since camp first opened, the nights at Kawanhee have gradually been more and more action filled. This article is dedicated to just such nights and the strange incidents which happen after dark.

We, the editors, would like to pay special recognition to a certain brave few who risked their lives and limbs one evening carrying on the tradition which those before them had so nobly originated. This first edition is dedicated to these martyrs. The names will be withheld to protect the guilty.

On the night of July 11, 1966, close to the hour of midnight, the old camp grounds were bathed in silence. The waves gently carressed the shore; the cabins silently rested beneath the pines; the dark woods whispered their secret wonders. But, all was not completely dead. If one were at a vantage point where he could see the main road in front of the Rec Hall, he would be amazed at the action going on. Action? - YES. But, of course, no noise. The allies of Zansibar were working this night. Skillfully, carefully, silently they worked, carrying each Rec Hall bench to the parking lot, constructing a beautiful pyramid edifice right in the center of camp. Towering above the shining lamp, the glory of this architectural feat could only be surpassed by the Taj Mahal or the Cathedral de Notre Dame.

But watchful eyes were upon them, and just as the last layer was being placed on the tower, the sacred silence was broken by one who didn't appreciate such beauty. The building was condemned and torn down.

The owners of our proud camp did not see the bargain they met when they hired these steadfast counselors. Not only do they possess the needed camping prowesses, but also they are master craftsmen whose talents should not be suppressed.

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THE EDITOR'S BOX

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The try-editorship of this literary master-
piece is concerned with evoking constructive
discussion of camp matters for the benefit of
those who have read:

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Box Score of the Nightman Game

Boasting talent and experience, the
Nightman team has scored successive victories
over a slowly improving staff of counselors.
The initial encounters were so one-sided that
the remark was interjected, "This is not the
Kawanhee way." With additional practice sessions
for the counselors nine, a feeling has arisen
that soon the competition will be more even.

Nightman Batting Averages

Sir Duffey		.563*
Sir Birtch		.430
Sir Greenwalt		.314 (rising)
Sir Tracy		.273
Sir Bateman		.251
Sir Fulda		.003

* This average is a new record for so
early in the season.

Note: Pop has succesfully advanced to the
Major League and no longer apoeears on the
Nightman roster. His presence, however, is
still being appreciated by the Nightman team
for his periodic coaching efforts.

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Nightmen	8	3	1	4	16	7	0
Counselors	0	0	2	1	3	4	25

OPEN EDITORIAL

An Apologia for Logic

It would seem that every season, as the
kids pile off the bus to file orderly into
their neatly prepared existences at Camp for
two months, the question arises among the
veterans back at Kawanhee as to why they
return and what brings them back year after
disgusted year. It is my opinion that that which
Brings the veterans back is the security
present in the Camp employ. Those Undecided or
uncertain or even careless about what they
will be doing in the future find that Camp is
a welcome release. It serves as a convenient
substitute for decision in the summer.

The Camp is to be commended for its job
in this field. Very few institutions leave
less to be decided by the intelligent mind.
The environment and the very actions of the
employee either camper or counselor are
rigidly controlled and overseen by the Franks
Whose affinity to the Prodestant Ethic, Prod-
estantism, and money is not unlike that of this
paper to this ink. The establishment deter-
mines the actions and even severely influences
the thought patterns of those who are subser-
vient to it. What is more, no question of the
establishment or its authority or the validity
of those rules it imposes is tollerated. The
security to most of the employ is the unfort-
unate result of this totalitarian imposition of
two men's tainted opinion over many.

To those who realize that the situation
just description is intollerable to the intell-
igent and active mind have outgrown the need
for the security presented by Camp. Those who
read this article and realize this too will
probably find themselves in opposition to the
establishment or at worst resigned to the in-
significance of the position in life which
Camp holds and fatalistic about the future
of those who attend Camp. This resignation,
as I have said is the worst reaction possible,
for it negates any possible rehabilitary
effort. If a purpose is to be derived this
season, or any season, ^{for} those who are dis-
gusted with Camp, then it should be the action
by them as a militant minority, against the
tradition and establishment of the Camp,
negating its effect, its very authority, in
a conscious effort to improve, not only to
destroy the Camp itself, thereby making life
meaningful for all those involved with it.

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for the uncensored reprint of any unslanderous
opinion presented by any Kawanhee counselor.