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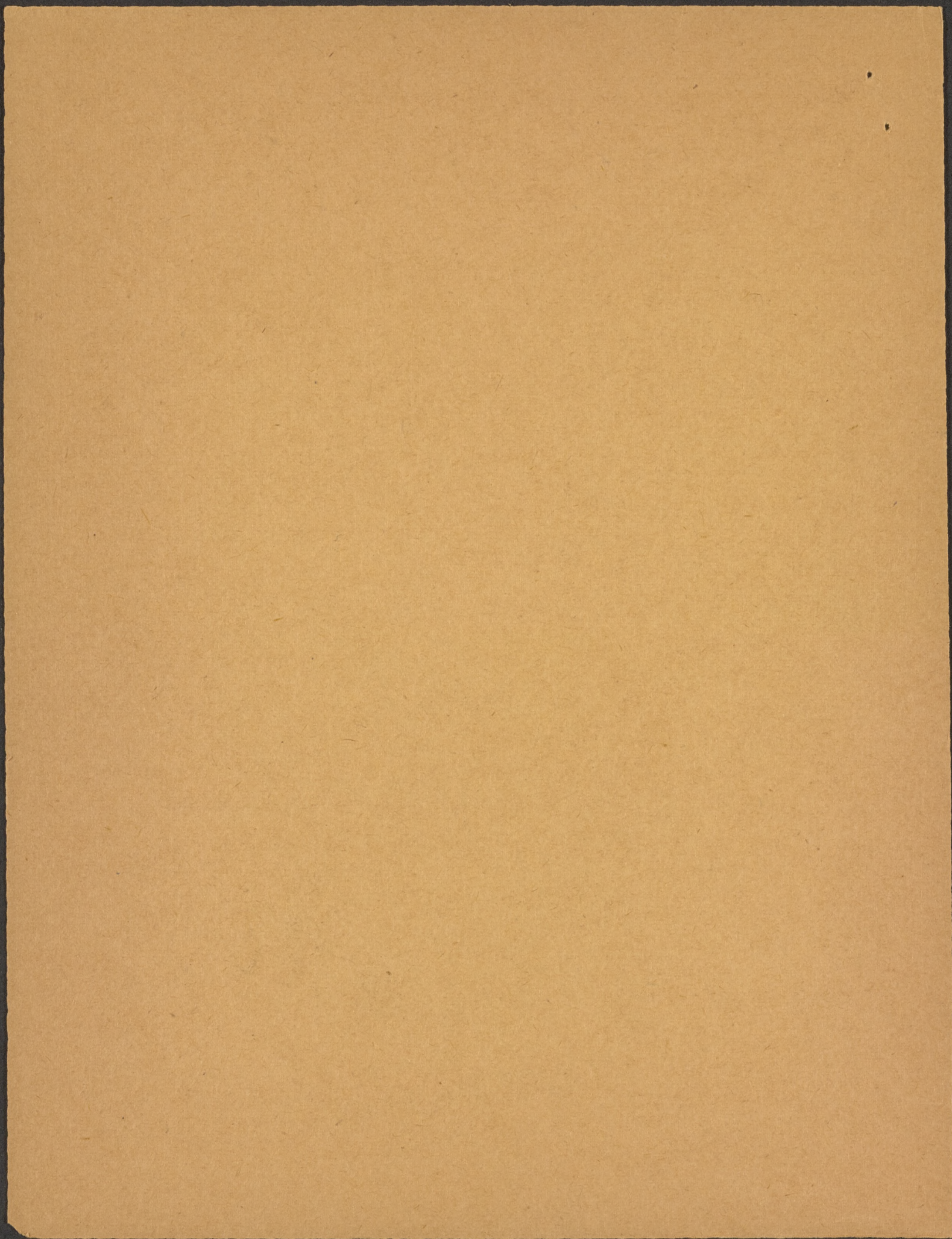
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NEWS





Easter Greetings to the boys and girls of the Desert View School.

Manda Robertson
Elementary Principal

SECOND GRADE NEWS

The Second Grade boys and girls were very pleased to receive the posters from Miss Omura's Fourth Grade Class advertising the waste paper drive. We all brought our old funny books, catalogues, and waste paper until we had quite a few pounds to add to the growing pile.

The Third Grade friends have been very nice to us. They wrote a lovely poem about the pussy willows we have in our room, and gave it to us for our wall.

We liked the Washington play they put on for our class, too.

Norio, Kazuto, Tadashi, Wesley, and Takashi are painting a very nice frieze for our room. It will show us what happens on Easter.

All the boys and girls were sorry to lose their little classmate, Carol Towata, a week or so ago. She went to Denver. She sent us a nice letter and told us that she had a very nice trip on the train and slept in an upper berth at night. We are all going to write her a nice letter and tell her about the plans we are making for open house and how well we can read now.

Mrs. Morley's Class

EASTER DAY

Easter Day is time for play,
Everybody should be gay,
And then my heart seems to say
Oh! Today is Easter Day.

James Sato

HIGH SIXTH NEWS

We enjoyed receiving letters from the boys and girls of the Edgerly school of Fitchburg, Mass. in reply to some we sent them at Christmas time. Some of our letters were published in the Fitchburg Sentinel. We are answering their letters and hope to have more correspondence with these interesting boys and girls. They asked many questions which we are trying to answer carefully.

We are busy making curtains for our room.

We would like to invite all the pupils to see two murals which we have made.

We also are making invitations to our parents for the Open House. We hope many will be present.

We boys and girls in 12EF are planning a picnic for the Friday before spring vacation. We are all looking forward to getting out of doors after a long, cold winter.

It makes us happy to see signs of spring. We have written some rhymes to show how joyful we are. Here is one of them.

SPRING

Spring is here
Flowers are bursting
The meadow is green
The bluebirds fly
The robins are cheerful.

Miss Harroun's Class

SPORT NEWS

It seems that marbles are popular with the boys. During recess groups of boys can be seen playing marbles while others are spectators.

Jump rope is the girls' sport now. Some girls are pretty good at jumping. Each girl has an opportunity to jump some time during their play.

THE STORY OF EASTER

I was a little black rabbit. When Easter came, someone turned me into an Easter rabbit. I had a basket full of red eggs and brought it to the house at Easter time for an Easter present. I am an Easter rabbit and on Easter day I brought eggs. An Easter rabbit is always playing. When Easter passes, then the rabbits are sad.

Yoshio Ihara
High Third

EASTER RABBIT

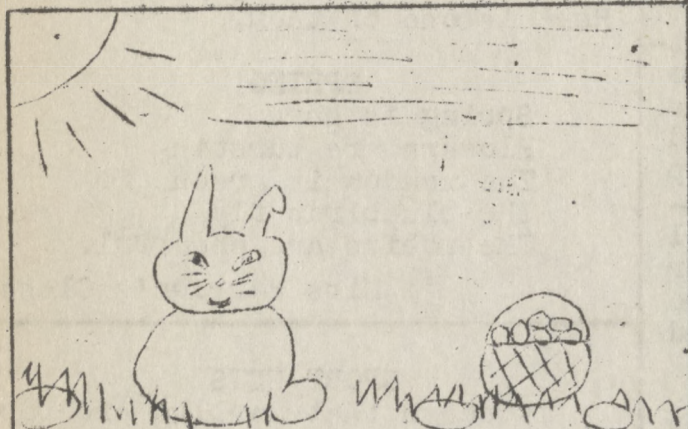
White Easter rabbit
Hop down the street
Hop with your basket
Of round eggs to eat.
Red eggs and yellow
Brown eggs and white.
Come Easter rabbit
Come in the night.

Marie Fukuhara
High Fifth

AT EASTER TIME

Easter time is here,
And Easter bunnies cheer,
Sunday ninth is the day,
That is why you should be gay,
Easter time, Easter time,
Red and blue eggs will soon be mine.

Yukiko Shimada
Sixth Grade



Bunny goes hoppity, hop, hop.
Bunny eats carrots,
Nibble, nibble, nibble.
Bunny's nose goes
Wiggle, wiggle, wiggle.
Bunny's ears go flip, flop, flop.

Mitsi
First Grade

THE LONESOME TREE

There was once a tree living on a hill, which was its home all his life. But oh, how it longed to have neighbors like the other trees had!

One day as it was talking to himself about his lonely life, some men came by. One man looked at the other men and said, "This is a lonely spot. Let's plant some trees here."

The rest of the men agreed.

The next day the tree saw the men again, but didn't recognize them. This time they had little trees and tools in their hands.

How happy the tree was! Now the tree is happily living on the same hill with its neighbors. He says over and over again, "I won't be lonely again in my whole life."

Helen Harano
High Fifth

SNOWBALL

Snowball, a big black dog, visits Desert View. He is a good dog, but he scares everybody on the school grounds.

High Sixth

EASTER

E is for eggs yellow and pink,
 A is for April that brings us
 flowers,
 S is for Spring that is so warm,
 T is for tree to hide Easter
 eggs,
 E is for Easter Day which brings
 us blessing,
 R is for rabbits snowy white.

High Third

SPRING IS HERE

Girls and boys go pass and look,
 At all the frogs that play in
 the brook.
 Flowers are awakening from their
 dreams,
 Trees and grasses are turning
 green.
 Singing birdies you can hear,
 For hurrah! Spring is here.

Fourth Grade

POINTER

Once upon a time I had a good,
 big dog named Pointer. He minded
 whatever I said. Whenever I
 threw a ball, he ran and got it.

Once the ball went into the
 water, and I told him to go and
 get it. He went after it.

I whistled, for that's my sig-
 nal. He knew what that meant, so
 he came. I told him to jump for
 his food. When I gave him a bone,
 he didn't eat it, but he went and
 buried it so no one will find it.
 When he got hungry, he dug-up his
 bone and ate it all by himself.

George Hanamoto
 High Fifth



EASTER THOUGHTS

Easter is coming very near,
 Bunnies are seen there and here.
 (I don't see why they stay in
 holes at all,

The air is so sweet and the snow
 does not fall)

Children shall hunt for eggs
 bright colored and gay,
 Hidden by bunnies on Easter Day.



THE EASTER RABBIT

I have a little bunny.
 He is so funny.
 He wiggles his nose
 He jumps so high
 I think he will reach the sky,
 But when he comes in the house
 He creeps in like a mouse.

Chiyecko Ikeda
 High Third

JOLLY OLD EASTER

Jolly old Easter has come at last
 Bringing bunnies and colored

eggs

The children will shout Hurrah!
 Hurrah!

Easter has come at last to Topaz.

Mitsuko Mizuhara
 High Fifth

THE THREE SMART SILLY BUNNIES

Once upon a time there were three silly bunnies. One was named Fluffy, other Tuffy, and the little one was called Dumpling.

One day when the three silly bunnies went for a walk hippity-hop, hippity hop, Fluffy said, "Oh! Easter is coming." Tuffy said, "We had better hurry and get ready for Easter and make Easter baskets for the good children.

They all sat down and thought.

Fluffy said, "I know. We'll get Easter eggs and dye them."

Tuffy said, "Where do we get the eggs?"

Baby Dumpling said, "We're rabbits and cannot lay eggs."

Suddenly Tuffy thought of a good idea. He said, "Why don't we put ourselves in the girls' and boys' baskets?"

They all agreed, and so they did put themselves in the Easter baskets.

This made all the boys and girls very happy. So they were really the three smart silly bunnies.

Momoko Kawahara
Low Fourth

TWO BUSY BUNNIES

Two busy bunnies
Working as fast as they can.
I wonder what they are making
Fast as they can?
They are making Easter eggs
Fast as they can,
For all the children
Round the world.

Toshiko Ebisuya
High Fifth

EASTER

April showers bring us flowers
on every Easter Day.
Easter is the happiest day a
child could ever have.
Rabbits will bring us pretty
eggs, pink, yellow, and blue,
Snowy bunnies are good little
fellows
That give the eggs away.

Carol Narahara
High Third



Christine Asoo
Kindergarten

HOW ALICE GOT HER EASTER BUNNY

One bright Monday morning Alice was walking to school with her friends. She saw a little bunny in the pet shop. She went in the store and asked the storekeeper how much the bunny cost. The storekeeper said, "It costs two dollars and fifty cents." Alice had only one dollar in her bank. That after school when she came home, she tried to find a way to earn some money. She was the only one in her family and in the First Grade. Because she was still in the First Grade, there were not many things for her to do. She did not know how to sweep the floor and clean the shelves, but she did the best she could. Her mother gave her twenty-five cents each day. She worked for six days and now she had two dollars and fifty cents. When Saturday came, she went with her father to get the bunny.

When Easter came, her mother dyed some eggs and bought some candies and told Alice that the rabbit had laid the eggs and gave her those candies. Alice was very glad that she had earned the money and bought the Easter Bunny.

Kiyoko Sekurai
High Fifth

MY HOBBY

My age is ten. I love to make airplanes.

I have made four already. Three of them are hanging from the ceiling. I am now making a solid model. All I have to do is to glue on one more wing, and then I will be finished. This one is for school.

Once I made an airplane and my brother broke it. I had to glue it on again.

I like to make planes although it is hard.

Frank Morita
High Fifth

EASTER RABBIT

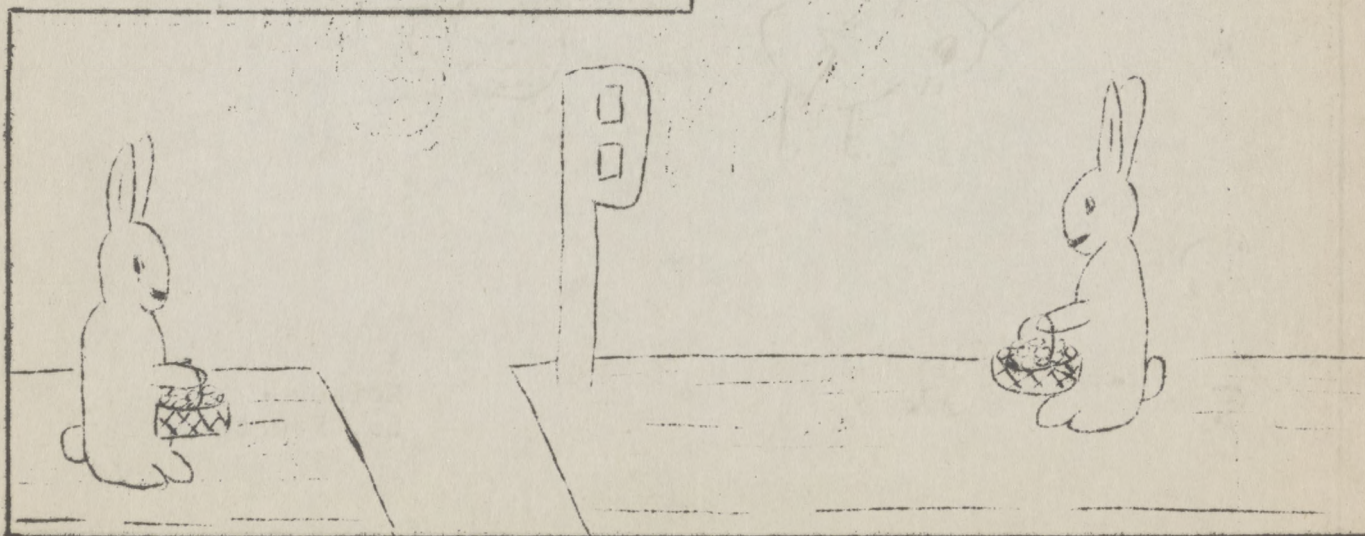
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And blue eggs bright.

Come Easter Rabbit!
Come in the night!

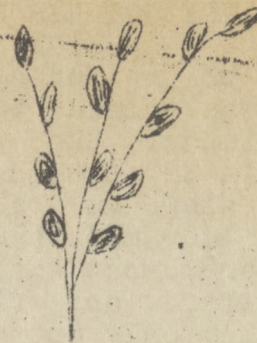
Eileen Fukuhara
High Fourth



THE EASTER BUNNY

Once I met a bunny. He carried a basket of eggs. There was a rock, and he tripped over it. The basket of eggs tipped over. He went home to dye some more eggs, and he burned his paws. So he jumped into bed. And that was the end of my story.

Kiyoshi Katsumoto
High Third



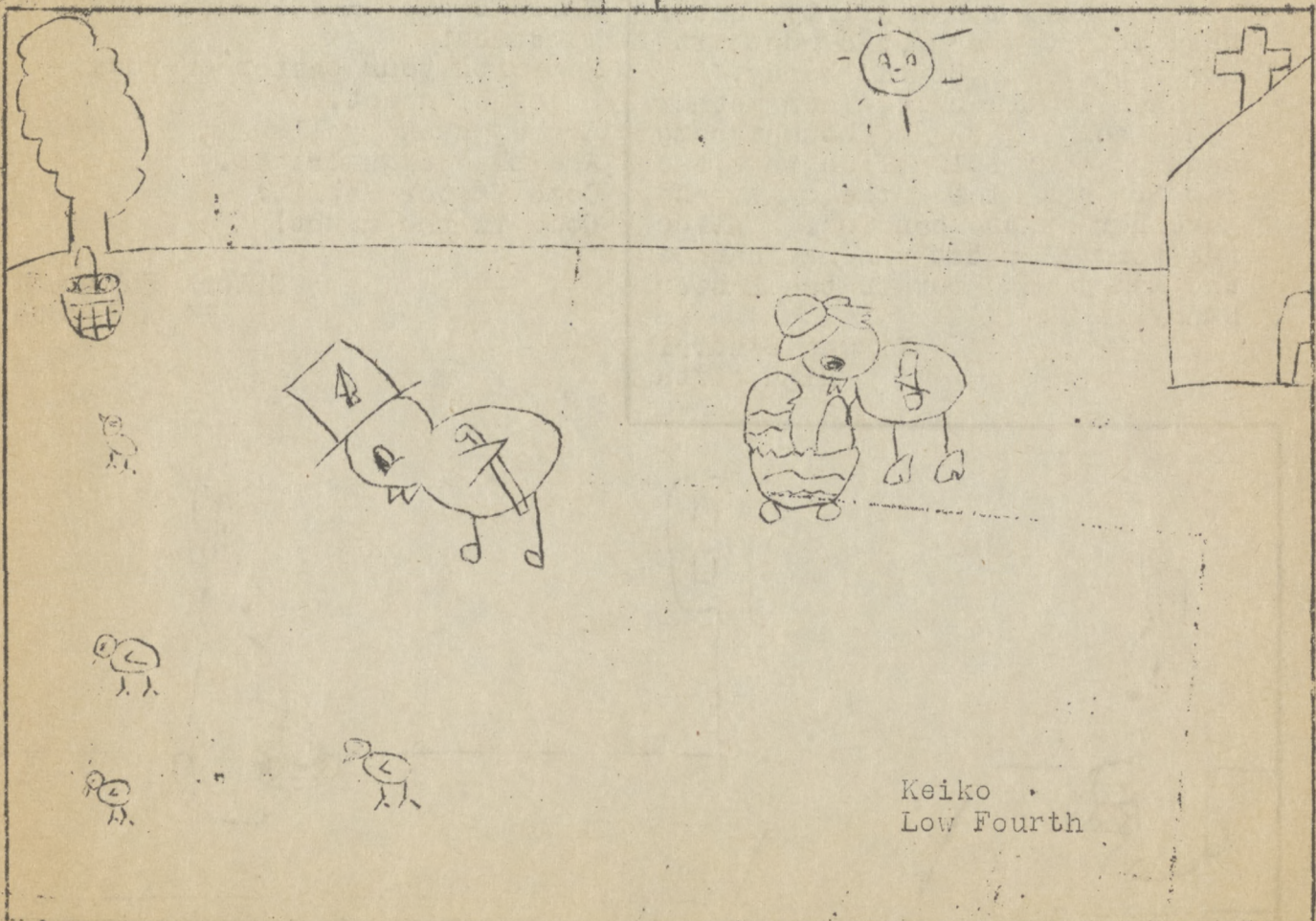
PUSSY WILLOWS

The pussy willows like spring.
The pussy willows are big and
little.

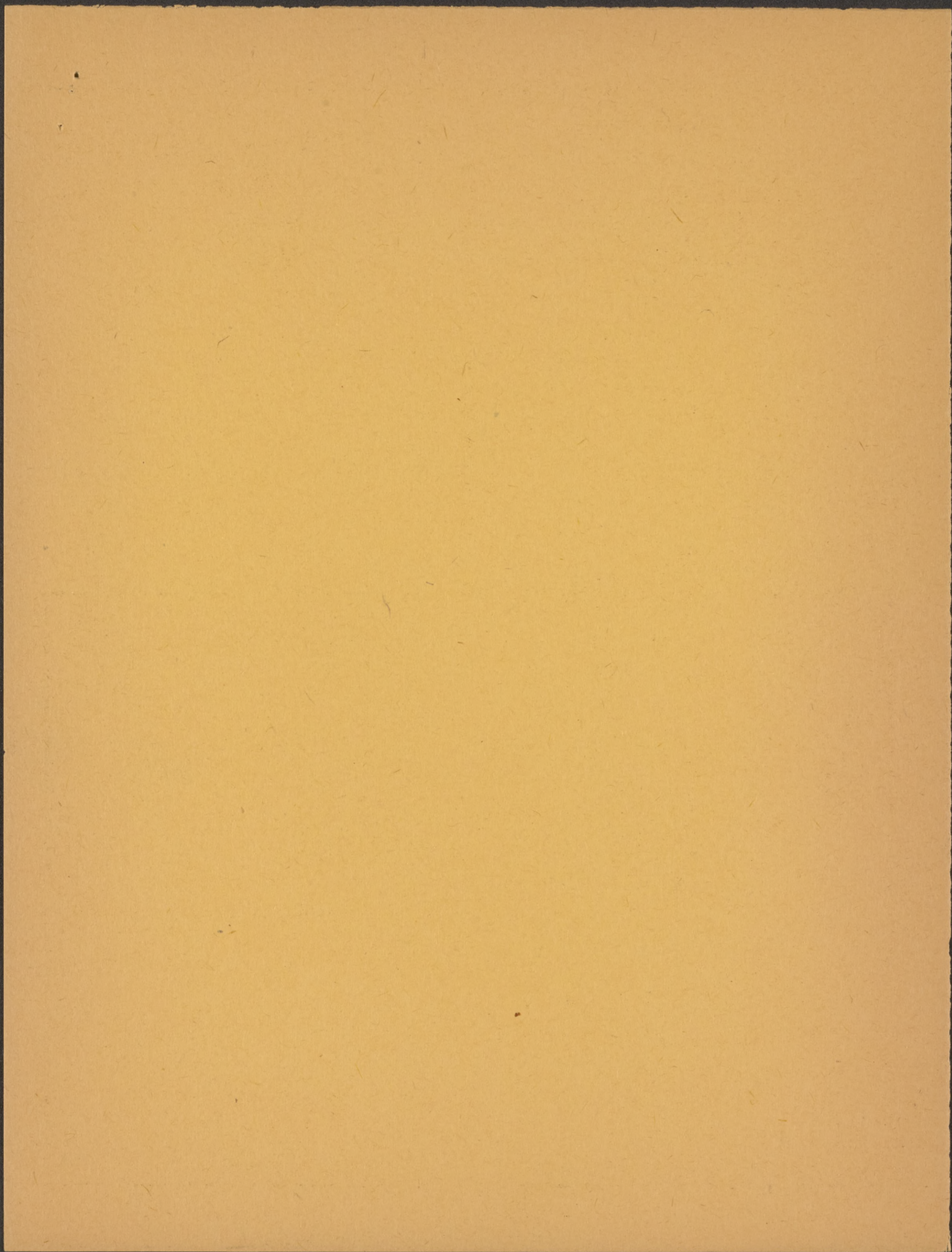
They sleep in winter and wake up
in spring.

Pretty, pretty pussy willows.

First Grade



Keiko
Low Fourth





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MRS. SAKU MORIWAKI

PRESENTS

Her Students in

RECITAL.



SUNDAY
APRIL 23, 1944
2: P.M.

DINING HALL *Thirty-Two.* . . .
HUSPIERS OF TOPAZ MUSIC SCHOOL.

P R O G R A M

- I SONATA IN D Haydn
(FIRST MOVEMENT)

Idzumi Ishida

- II MEDITATION FROM THAIS . Massenet

Junko Maida

- III MENUET L'ANTIQUE . . . Paderewski

Akiko Furuta

- IV MARCH OF THE DWARFS Grieg

Helen Sugiyama

- V RUSTLES OF SPRING Sinding
HUNGARY Koelling

Shizuko Kashiwabara

-- I N T E R M I S S I O N --

- VI VOCAL SOLO

Kaoru Inouye

- VII GRAND VALTZ BRILLIANTE
IN E FLAT Chopin
HUNGARIAN MacDowell

Lily Ann Harada

- VIII LIEBESTRAUME Liszt
OLD BLACK JOE Rathbun
(Concert Transcription)

Kay Iriki

- IX SONATA PATHETIQUE . . . Beethoven
(FIRST MOVEMENT)
POLICHINELLE Rachmaninoff

Aiko Takita

- X TRUMPET SOLO

Frank Suzuki

- XI CLAIR DE LUNE Debussy
WALTZ IN C SHARP MINOR . . Chopin

Kei Hasegawa

- XII KARATACHI NO HANA Yamada
MALAGUENA Lecuona

Rose Ishimoto

Guest Artists: Miss Junko Maida
Mr. Frank Suzuki
Mr. Kaoru Inouye

