

A little black and orange switch engine, being almost of high school age, decided to see what school was really like. Upon passing Withrow's campus, he jumped the track and landed at home plate on the **baseball field**. Slightly confused, he ran the bases twice and found himself in the midst of a football scrimmage. Mr. Gilliland told him he wasn't big enough for the team so he dejectedly wandered over to the **hockey field** where a group of girls was playing. Since Little Engine was a male choo-choo, hockey just wasn't the game for him. Consequently he decided to join a mixed doubles match which was in progress on the **tennis court**, but as soon as he arrived the game ended. While wondering what to do next, a golf ball hit him on the cow catcher. Little Engine went to the **garage** to rest. After his boiler plate had been patched, he chugged to the **gym** for some exercise on the indoor track. But he had not speculated on the small size of the track and became so dizzy that he fell down the steps, out the door, over the stadium wall into the cinders. He puffed across the **football field** and decided to look into the **Junior High**. It was time for lunch so Little Engine gave the kids a ride to **Senior High**. There he helped them sneak to the front of the lunch line. Mr. Knost didn't approve of the little switch engine's antics so he started to chase him out of the lunchroom. Little Engine managed to elude him by entering the first room he saw. The class was out to lunch so Little Engine amused himself leafing through the books. When the teacher and the class returned, they were amazed to find a switch engine gaily drawing pictures on the blackboard. Although the pupils

