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October Days

CTOBER days are here with their golden opportunities for wholesome work and rollicking fun. These are busy, happy days, with the last of the apples to be picked and stored away, lawns to be raked clean and leaves to be taken care of. These cool, crisp days are just right for football practice, picnicking, and nutting expeditions. And then to top it all, like the frosting on a cake, comes Halloween! You are learning wisdom, and I am quite sure you will be wise and kind about your Halloween fun. There is one safe rule to follow, and it will not lessen your fun. Just be sure to do nothing to anyone else that you would not want done to you.

This month I have something very important to tell you. You have heard much recently about the high cost of living. When you go to buy your school supplies, balls, bats, roller skates, paints, and perhaps even your school lunches you find that you have to pay more than you used to. We speak of this as the high cost of living, and it has come to WEE WISDOM also. All during the war and the years since the war the cost of paper and ink, and the wages of our pressmen, printers, and bindery workers, all those who work to make WEB WISDOM for you, have been going up steadily. We have tried in every possible way to continue pub-lishing WEE WISDOM at the same price as before the war, but we now find it is impossible to do it any longer find it is impossible to do it any longer, so we are raising the price to two dollars a year starting Oakil

two dollars a year, starting October 15. (Read the notice on page 33.) We are not complaining about the costs because we know that the men who cut the trees that go to make it the mills, the ink makers the paper, the men who work in the mills, the ink makers, the printers, the artists and writers, all these people, are having to pay more for people, are having to pay more for rent and food and clothing for them-selves and their children. Your father selves and their children. Your father may be one of these men, and of course we want you to have all that course we want you to have all that is good. By raising our price to two dollars a year we can meet these biat dollars a year we can meet these higher costs and continue to give you WEE WISDOM. We feel sure you will WEE WISDOM. We feel sure you will understand why it is necessary to increase the price of WEE WEEDOW



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