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EDITORIAL

In order to find out what courses students wish to select for next year, enrollment cards were given out by Mr. Crawford last week. These are only temporary and students are allowed to change their minds before next fall.

It is hoped that people will choose very carefully, taking those subjects which will be useful for what they intend to do later. Just because a course is easy is no reason why you should take it. The fact that you tried to get off easily in high school and graduated with the least effort possible will not help when you are in college or in business.

So everyone think carefully before he chooses his subjects for next year. It will do you no harm.

TAKING SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR SPECIAL "LATCH-KEY"

Everyone is urged to buy a subscription (25c, to the special edition of the Latch-Key to be published at the end of the year. This edition will contain pictures of the Seniors, Student Council, and athletic teams; summaries of athletic seasons; histories of organizations; events of importance during the past year; and many other things of interest.

Seniors may hand subscriptions to Virginia Adams or Louise Perry Juniors to Elroy Edwards or Ruth Shields; Sophomores from Ethel Hill or Lucille Jacobs; Freshmen from Jean Storms or Beulah Gullen.

HONOR ROLL

- Fred Brooks Helen Burrows Beulah Gullen (5) Viola Lamb Lewia Maas Jean Storms (5A) Alice Westfall (5) Mary Clark Hedwig Schoen (A) George Grimm James Hogle Viria Jean McCafferty (4-1/2) Lois Murphy Eleanor Perry Ruth Schoen (A) Winifred Seely (A) Eileen Lapham Dean Parker Louise Perry (5)

The Sophomores devoted their time in class meeting Friday to discussing circulation of the special edition of the Latch-Key within their class.

The Library Corner

Helen Burrows

One of the most humorous books in the library is "Tish" by Mary Roberts Rhinehart. It tells of three old maids in their late forties and early fifties, Aggie, Lizzie and Tish.

Aggie is very sentimental having once been engaged to Mr. Wiggins, a roof-mender. He unfortunately fell off one rainy day and was killed.

Lizzie tells the story and is evidently very good-tempered and easy-going. She is also somewhat plump.

Tish is the ambitious member of the trio and is always thinking up wild schemes which have a different ending than to one she had planned. They usually help some forlorn lover to win his way out of distress.

"The After House," also by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, is of an entirely different type, being a mystery story. Ralph gets a position on board the yacht of a wealthy man who has several friends with him. One by one three murders are committed—all at night.

The search for the murderer and the unexpected solution of the mystery are interesting.

BASEBALL!

BOYS

Work is progressing on the Junior play "The White Horse Talking." Miss Ingalls states that it shows promise of being a very interesting production.

GIRLS

Frank Kerr and John Harlan are learning to play the clarinet and Nelson Stuckey the trumpet. They give promise of organizing the band in the near future.

Girls' League Banquet To Be Held On May 31

The Girls' League banquet will be held on Friday, May 31, in the High School. Plans were made at the League Council meeting Thursday. Committees were chosen as follows: Program, Virginia Otis, chairman, Lora, Dorothy Roberts, Russell, and Esther Seely; Menu: Melba Keech, chairman, Kathryn Reiffing, Dwayne Murphry; Decoration: Dorothea Talbot, chairman, Mildred Stanley, Helen Burrows.

BOOKKEEPING IS MOST POPULAR COURSE

According to the temporary cards which Mr. Crawford asked the students to fill out last week, Bookkeeping I is the most popular elective subject. Biology and typing II are not far behind in the favor of the students, each having 17. Business arithmetic and journalism led all the other elective subjects. Sixteen people desire to take each.

Of the extra-curricular activities, chorus is the most popular, 38 desiring to take it. Thirty-one wish to take up Glee Club, 13 orchestras work up 10 band instruments.

Among the new subjects offered are advanced sewing, sociology, biology and business English. No one desired to elect sociology. Eight are planning on taking advanced sewing.

MISS HYDE TELLS OF

IMLAY CITY SCHOOL Miss Hyde, Home Economics teacher, visited Imlay City High School, Monday, May 6. Miss Gillespie, graduate of the Home Economics Department of Michigan State College, is the teacher. Miss Hyde stated that there is a fine cooking laboratory located in the basement, a clothing laboratory, a dining room, and pantry, all of which are fully equipped. The cooking laboratory is similar to ours in all the state. There are classes in both the Junior and Senior High School. There is no school cafeteria in Imlay City.

BOYS SERVE BREAKFAST

A breakfast was enjoyed by the High School in the High School Domestic Science room Tuesday morning. The breakfast was prepared by the boys. The menu consisted of toast, bacon and eggs, cornflakes with bananas and cream, and cocoa.

SCHOOL BRIEFS

Judge these facts for yourself: When you are in the right, you are wrong; when you are wrong, you are in the right; when you are in the right you cannot afford to lose it! This is the motto above the bulletin board this week.

Marian Erwin, freshman, is back in school after an absence of six weeks due to illness in the family. Her brothers, J. W. and Edward, and Marian herself had scarletina in turn. This siege was followed by the illness of her father due to scarlet fever.

The Freshman decided at a class meeting on Friday to have a party before the end of the school year and the bus is to be used as a means of conveyance. The date and the type of party has not been decided.

Shifts were arranged for taking care of the papers at the Junior class meeting Friday. It was also decided to take Alice Westfall, freshman, to Washington with the class of '30 if she does her share of work.

The Public Speaking class is working on "The Visit," a one-act play by Richard Pryce in connection with their study of drama. They are also arranging miniature stages for this play.

GIRLS PLAY BETTER, BUT LOSE THEIR THIRD GAME

The girls lost their third game this season to Birmingham 22-14 Tuesday on the home diamond.

Better form was shown by the team in this game than in the previous ones. The team showed a great deal of improvement despite the fact that the rainy weather has prevented much practice.

Jacobs pitched for the first five innings. In the sixth Zwaehlen entered. In the seventh Jacobs pitched 17 runs were scored by Birmingham. Some of these were due to errors on the part of the team. Off Zwaehlen Birmingham scored only two runs.

In the second, fourth, and seventh innings Birmingham did not score. In the eighth and ninth Farmington scored seven runs but the odds were too great. The lineup was as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Pos., Runs, Hits, Errors. Includes players like Murphry, Banfield, Adams, Lamb, Zwaehlen, Jacobs, Vanderburg, Shepso.

SENIORS ARE ASSIGNED PARTS FOR CLASS DAY

Virginia Adams was given charge of the Senior Class will, Kathryn Banfield of the gittatory, Dean Parker of the prophecy, and Louise Perry of the class history. Miss Mckellar at the class meeting Friday.

Kathryn Banfield and Kathryn Richardson were appointed to the invitation committee, and Dean Parker, Olla Whitney, Sinclair Gould, Virginia Adams, Eileen Lapham and Henry Otis as members of the class earlier in the day, were placed on the decoration committee for the Senior Prom to be held May 24.

FARMINGTON BOYS WIN

The Farmington golf team defeated Northville 7-2 to 4-2 in two foursomes played on the Meadowbrook Golf Links Monday.

John Lapham had the lowest score with 83 for the 18 holes. "Dick" Cox came next with 91 and "Ray" Fendt was close behind with 92. Ivan Cox had 110 for the 18 holes.

SCHEDULE COMPLETED

The girls' tennis schedule is as follows:

- May 8—Ferndale, here. May 15—Milford, here. May 20—Birmingham, here. May 22—Rochester, here. June 2—Ferndale, there. June 7—Milford, there. June 10—Birmingham, there. June 12—Rochester, there.

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