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EDITORIAL

Should We Have A Censored Press?

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Of course chain owners are dependent upon advertising and upon the public for their success. If you were to ask a newspaper worker if newspapers were influenced by advertising, he would probably say, "There have you been since you learned to read?"

Grade News
George Barrons, a member of the third grade class, was excellent report to his class about his visit to the city airport.

For Washington's birthday they presented short scenes in the gym, Friday, February 21, from "Betsy Ross and the Flag," "Lincoln and Little Girl," "Washington and the Log," "Lincoln and the Book," "Washington and the Cherry Tree," "The Tin Pan Play Orchestra played at the program."

FRESHMEN HOLD MUSICAL PROGRAM FEB. 19

The Freshman class of Farmington High School gave a musical program at a general assembly in the auditorium Wednesday afternoon, February 19.

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DEFENSE IS KEYNOTE OF ANNUAL MEETING

"To Provide for the Common Defense: To Promote the General Welfare: To Secure the Blessings of Liberty" is the part education is expected to play, and this was the central theme for the twenty-first annual convention of the American Association of School Administrators, held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, February 22-27.

Among the many headline speakers who appeared before the group were James B. Conant, President of Harvard University, who delivered the keynote address Monday morning on the topic, "Education for the Common Defense"; Major George Fielding Elliot, author and military expert, "War and Us"; Isiah Bowman, President of Johns Hopkins University and a member of the National Committee on Education and Defense, spoke on "Peace and Power Politics, 1941."

Classroom Notes

Because they have completed the study of Silas Marner, Miss Budd's sophomore classes are making crisis-charts over the story. Miss Budd's entire English classes for Monday wrote ten metaphors or descriptions of things as they see them. The very good ones will be put in the book the Writers' Club is publishing.

The American government classes are preparing speeches for the Detroit Speakers' Club, sponsored by the Exchange Club, March 1. The subject for all is "The Constitution." They are receiving material from the State and from the University of Michigan Libraries.

What's New in Guidance?

"It was clever." "What was clever?" Why, the short skirt of a family scene that the sophomore girls presented in Miss Budd's guidance classes. They gave it Tuesday for the benefit of their own class and then for the seniors Thursday.

Soph Girls Win 9 to 6 From Juniors
One of the fastest and best games of the season was played Wednesday noon in the gym between the Sophomore I team and the Junior I team.

F.H.S. Defeated 33-17 By Walled Lake
Farmington High School basketball team lost its last game of the regular season to Walled Lake on Friday, February 21, at the opponent's gym by a score of 33 to 17.

missed most of their shots, and Walled Lake found to their liking the defense which F.H.S. played. Long and Nieman of Walled Lake led the scoring by getting 17 points between them, and Youngblood was high for F.H.S. with 6 points.

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Olenburg of F.H.S. was next in scoring with 12 points and not far behind came Bill Campbell with 10 points.

Wolverines Pace Grade School Cage League

The Wolverines are leading the grade school intramural basketball league with a record of seven games won and none lost. Following in order are the Blue Streaks, Dogcatchers, and the Rams.

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There will be three books given away. The prizes will be judged as humorous, scholastic, or character snapshot. Please turn all pictures late Charles Larson, photography editor.

Juniors Sponsor Contest

The Junior class is sponsoring a contest for new "Vells" to be used in the Basketball Tournament, March 5, 7 and 8. The purpose of this contest is to get new cheers to take the place of the old ones. Students feel that they are tired of the same yell. Every student of F.H.S. is asked to do his part to make this contest a success.

Sophomores Attend A Theatre Party

Did you know that the Sophomore class went on a theatre party? Well they did on February 15. A group of forty-five sophomores, with Mr. and Mrs. Tooker as chaperons, went to the Royal Theatre, where they saw "Arizona" and "Second Chorus."

Shop Class Kept Busy

Two new bulletin boards, a new ping pong table, a poster rack, and some marionettes for the grade school are now being made by the shop class. The new ping pong table is to be used during noon hours, while a new bulletin board is going to be put up in Mr. Arve's office.

or rack are being made for the Home Economics room. Some of the boys are making electric motors, some being series and others being induction. Machine drawings of cams, gears, and threads are being made by the Mechanical Drawing division.

GUIDANCE MEETING TO BE HELD
In order to discuss the local guidance program, a committee of high school teachers will meet with Mr. Carl Horn, Chief of the Division of Occupational Information and Guidance, State Board of Control, on Wednesday, March 5.

STUDENT COUNCIL PINS TO HAVE NEW DESIGN

Having decided that the design for the Student Council pin has been only traditional, the members of the council voted to have a new one made, thus setting tradition aside. A small percentage of the members, wished to keep the old design, but lost out to the majority, who had picked a new design.

Letters to the Editor are always welcomed by this newspaper.



'Mother Knows Best' Doesn't She?

Guiding their inquiring minds and dynamic activities... choosing their food, clothes, entertainment and health needs... the well-informed modern mother knows what is best for the welfare of her offspring. And it is safe to say that an incalculable share of her accurate information has had its beginning in the advertising columns of this newspaper.

Many of the advertisements today bristle with ideas. They are more than catalogs. In the true sense, they are education! Scientific minds contribute to their contents. Their recommendations are based on deep thought. Their words are carefully chosen; their diction studiously formed for clarity and understanding.

Through advertisements the mother of today learns authoritatively about new methods in the care of children's teeth: About antiseptics and hygienics. About body-building and health-giving foods. About new comforts as well as new styles, in juvenile wearing apparel. About books and schools and vacation camps.... The advertisements pour innumerable hints and suggestions into her store of knowledge. They make her a more capable manager of the home and guardian of the family exchequer.

"Mother knows best"—is this expression heard about your home? Is it just an admonition? Or, is it founded on facts. Reading advertisements will to help make it so.