

The BLUE and WHITE

F.H.S. Assembly Marks V-E Day

The assembly Tuesday afternoon, May 8, showed the different emotions of those high-schoolers attending. This day had varied meanings for F.H.S. students, as it did for all Americans. None seemed truly sorry, but all were happy and relieved.

A prayer led by Barbara Stever, a senior, expressed the thankfulness felt by all. The Glee Club led songs appropriate for the occasion, and sang the "Lord's Prayer."

Mr. E. V. Ayres and Mr. V. O. Bates gave short talks telling of the faculty's attitude toward the occasion, and Bob Miller gave a brief, but representative, speech on the reaction of the student body. Miss Ann Pavlovich and Miss Marian Dammon made a joint talk, in which special mention was made of our own high school boys now in service in the European or in the Philippine area. —L.M.

Record Audience Enjoys School Musicians

For the second consecutive year the Band and Glee Club combined their musical talents to produce a very good concert.

The Band held the spot light with their exceptional playing of "In A Persian Market." This was played a few years ago, and was much improved this year by the percussion section which was small at that time.

While the Glee Club had many good selections, the best by far was "Ave Maria" with the solo by Clara Roberts. Another favorite was "Summertime," in which Barbara Wigal sang the solo. Both girls have exceptional voices and are expected to go far in the musical field.

All in all, the concert was unusually well done, but many remarked that it was a little too long. Therefore, separate concerts may be given next year. —B.W.

Julian Calendar

Prior to the adoption of the Gregorian calendar which came into effect in Europe in 1582 the Julian calendar was used. It was promulgated by Julius Caesar in 46 B. C.

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JUNIORS WILL ENTERTAIN SENIOR CLASS

The Junior-Senior Banquet, another of the highlights of the closing school year, will be given on May 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the F.H.S. gym. The dinner will be followed by one hour of dancing. Besides the seniors, the juniors have invited the faculty, the members of the School Board and their wives.

"The Curry Five" (Bill Conroy, Walter Sandness, Don Kobnan, Ed Hier and Bud Locker) will furnish the music and Norman Balone will be Master of Ceremonies.

Bob McLean, president of the Junior Class, is head of all the committees, which are as follows:

Invitation: (chairman) Eunice Garchow, Virginia Erickson and Naomi Cox.

Food: (chairman) Pam Nordway, Peggy Priak and Marion Boyd.

Program: (chairman) Betty Hunt, Bob Miller and Bill Conroy.

Decoration: (chairman) Charlotte Shaw, Marjorie Schroeder, and Norman Potts.

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Sophomore Waitresses: Helen Conkey, Donna Lambert, Jean Mitchell, Donnell Rowland, Nancy Taylor, Dorothy Smith, Norma Treas, Lee Engersole, LaRa Hutton, Valerie Walters, Joan Aschenbrenner, Judy Rudberg, Mary Lou Dwyer, Doris Lathrup, Helen Sapientz, Carol Joy, Pat Wheeler, Marjorie Fisher, Helen Early, Helen Barker, Dorothy Gosssett, Doris White, Frances Mackay, Louise Smith and May Frazer.

Boys And Girls Form J.H.S. Ball Teams

The Junior High baseball teams have now been organized. The members of the girls' teams are: Velma Goers, June Elkin, Nora Drage, Margaret Maas, Josephine Brodel, Carol Paschke, Dorothy Hendryx, Betty Norton, Elsie Nichols, Evelyn Nichols, Beverly Fisher and Barbara Putnam.

The boys' team members are: Mitchell, Bryant, McLean, Dubel, Markham, Carter, Nichols, Ratliff, Wheeler, Layland, Rudberg, Stever, Thomas, Van Every and Goers. —E.S.

YOUNGSTIRS

The first three grades were invited to see the second graders' presentation of "Hansel and Gretel" and "The Elves and the Shoemaker." The young actors made their own costumes and scenery.

Miss Liberty's second and third graders are studying about Holland and have put Dutch decorations around their room.

The third grade boys opposing the girls had a contest in reciting the multiplication tables. All but fifteen were dined; finally Sylvia Bates won through speed. One Monday the third graders competed against the fourth graders, and this resulted in a tie.

The fourth graders have chosen teams and are having a contest in locating various places on the map. The captains are Gertrude White of the "Victory Club" and Don Osmus of the "Strong Boy Team."

Freshies Plan "Bon Voyage" Party

A Farewell Dance will be given on June 2, from 8 to 11:30 p.m., by the Freshman class. Since it will be the last big dance of the year, everyone is invited to come. A program will be presented, which will include skits, special musical numbers, and a dramatic monologue. —P.M.E.

SENIORS LEAD ON FIFTH HONOR ROLL

Many seniors, who are working hard to avoid taking final exams, are listed on the Honor Roll for the second marking period of this semester. The freshmen, sophomores and juniors also have quickened their pace to increase their numbers this time. The following people have a "B" average or better:

Roseda Adkins, Harvey Barnes, Louise Brown, Phyllis Bungie, Thelma Collins, Doris Crook, Carolyn Early, Inez English, Patricia Every, Dolores Garvey, Virginia Gunnelt, Elaine Henke, Edwin Hier, Marjorie Hunt, Priscilla Johnson, Marilyn Jones, Rosalie Kemp, Peggy Labadie, Janet Louie, Thomas McKay, Janet Pagan, Mary Pagenkopf, John Pettibone, Anne Pierce, Janet Quick, Sally Roseberry, Lawrence Scott, June Toth, Joan Adams, Shirley Ault, Bob Chesley, Helen Early, Les Eversole, Marge Fisher, Doris Green, Margaret Hatch, Laura Hutton, Carol Joy, Elsa Nystrom, Helen Sapientz, Marguerite Wedin, David Carley, Lois Carpenter, Naomi Cox, Bill Daines, Virginia Erickson, Alvin Garchow, Bertha Hanson, Betty Hunt, Elisabeth Johnson, Bob Miller, Theophil Mubling, Robert McLean, Robert Newland, Martin Osmus, Robert Pagenkopf, Delphine Poleya, Janet Robertson, Marjorie Schroeder, Harold Turner, Allen Warner, Zae Asphen-Brenner, Bernice Calkins, Doris Colebank, Pauline Early, Ruth Elliott, Lois Goers, Norman Goers, Sue Goodrich, Fred Hamlin, Charles Locker, Joyce Lussenden, Lorraine Miner, Mildred McKay, Shirley Overmyer, Ruth Peters, Jean Power, Carl Riegal, Tom Roseberry, Jeannette Rouse, Joyce Samuelson, Erva Sillis, Gloria Smith, Mary Taddoe, Marion Vandenberg, Betty Winters, Clyde Yokom, Betty York and Claire Yuhatz. —B.W.

Broccoli Leaves

Broccoli leaves, dried and ground into meal, have been found to be an excellent addition to chicken mash.

ATHLETIC HEADLINERS

The sports program at Farmington High School moved along brightly last week with three high-lighted events. On Monday the newly formed golf team had their first taste of competition against Clarencerville. They played at Meadowbrook Golf Course, and although the boys suffered a loss, the experience gained in this new venture was worthwhile.

On Wednesday the baseball team whipped those lads who came over from Brighton with a score of 8-3. That Friday they trotted out on the field to reap another victory, this time against Clarencerville with a score of 6-1. Indeed it was a profitable week considering the unstable weather. —T.R.

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Big Three Construct Decorations

Those who enjoy the decorations at the Spring Concert will be interested in knowing that Don Norton, Tom Goers, and Gerry Miller were largely responsible, although other members of shop helped. Flowered trellises and picket fences were the main objects in the garden theme, making the gym an attractive setting for the concert.

These same people will be responsible for the background of the Junior-Senior Reception; but, with all the secrecy connected with the affair, "mum's the word" in describing them. —C.V.

Hasten Blooming

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