

The Blue and White

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Music Department Thanks Donors

Throughout the past two years interested townspeople and civic organizations have donated money toward payment of the FHS band uniforms. The result is the new uniforms you have and will be seeing the band wearing, for which the music department, headed by Mr. Lloyd Smith Jr., wishes to thank all who helped. Donations were made by the following: the Board of Education, the Class of 1945, the basketball team (proceeds from one game), the Student Council, the Kiwanis, Exchange Club, an interested supporter, the Salvage Committee, an unknown source, the American Legion, the Masons and the Eastern Stars. M.J.S.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK . . .

What do you think of the Student Council this year?

Milton Heywood, senior: "I think our Student Council has done more for the school than any other Council since I've been here."

Bob Carlee, senior: "It's done a good job except I wish they would do something about the 'teenage canteen'."

Dolores Kroecker, sophomore: "The Student Council has done a good job as far as I can see."

Eileen Whitehead, sophomore: "I think it's swell. It's been such a big improvement over last year's you wouldn't know it. But gosh, look at the president 'Vowle'!"

Stanley Packard, sophomore: "I think they have done a splendid job."

Johnny Linder, freshman: "It's all right."

Margo Hunt, sophomore: "I think it's swell. It's doing a lot more than any other Student Council ever has."

Martha Rozenboom, freshman: "I think it's okay." M.B.

A local gum fiend really had a mouthful the other night. Thirty whole sticks!

Rat Damage
House rats cause 200 million dollars worth of damage in the United States each year.

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Come To Our Prom!!

Through halls, classrooms, band house and gymnasium the new familiar "Are you going to the prom?" is echoed and reechoed. With senior fellows conversing as to which tuxedo is the better and the girls admiring each other's formal, all are becoming "prom conscious."

The decorations are nearly completed and will be finished in plenty of time to allow for careful preparation in putting them up. Many people want to know the theme of the prom, but that will be kept secret—if possible. H.T.

"Chicken Every Sunday" Revives Memories

As you sink your teeth into that delightful, heartwarming "dish" called "Chicken Every Sunday," by Rosemary Taylor, the cares of our confused world seem to slide off your shoulders.

This engaging saga of life with Mother's boarders takes you back to the innocent days, when boys swam in swimming holes and baked potatoes swam in butter.

It wasn't the food, however excellent, which drew boarders; it was the type of people Mother took in. Included among them were the Hell-bender, Heaven Wooley, who were sure God had sent the skunk under the house because the family hadn't gone to church; Rita Vlasak, who loved everything in pants—even Father; and Miss Sally, who loved only herself.

"Chicken Every Sunday" is a humorous biography, both entertaining and reminiscent of pleasant times. M.H.

Meet The Countess.

Cooking is next on the agenda for the third year homemakers. This year the girls intend to follow the custom of purchasing the groceries used, but instead of having a charge account at just one store and buying all their supplies there, they will have cash work with so that they will have an opportunity to study the prices of the different foods in all the stores and buy where they can get the most for their money. In this way the girls will gain experience in shopping as they would have to do it if they had homes of their own.

Lee Ebersole was chosen to take charge of the money. The big question was what to call her. "Cashier" wasn't appropriate, and "accountant" and "countess" were too masculine for a girl. After much deliberation the girls decided on the name "Countess." M.J.E.

Homemaking Girls See Fashion Show

Last Monday the third year homemaking girls went to Detroit to see a fashion show put on by Kerns and Company and the Simplicity Pattern Company. The emphasis was on grooming and clothes for the high school girl. The models themselves were high school girls, among them Mary Ann Isley, a member of the Blue and White Staff. The girls left Farmington at the beginning of the seventh hour to allow time for dinner downtown before the 6:30 opening of the style show. M.J.E.

Arc Welder Arrives For Shop

A new addition to the equipment in shop is an arc welder. Since it is army surplus, the only cost to the school was the freight. Its original purchasing price was \$350.00. The welder, mounted on three wheels, weighs 1200 pounds and has a current of 300 amperes. It's great weight made it necessary to hire a wrecker to unload it. M.J.E.

THUMBNAIL BIOGRAPHIES

Audrey Roberts
A general description of one of our popular girls goes something like this: 18, brown hair and hazel eyes. Ambition. To graduate. Likes hot ridge sandwiches. Ideal date: 5 ft. 10½, brown hair; blue eyes and a member of the Navy. They'd go to a drive-in. Favorite song: "Symphony."

Lois Carpenter
Tiny, 16, brown hair and brown eyes best portray Lois. Ambition: accountant. She likes almost anything made of chocolate. Ideal date: 5 ft. 10, blue eyes, brown hair and he sings. They would attend a stage play. Favorite song: "Smoke Gets In Your Eyes."

Mary Gunnitt
A senior soon-to-be and another of our office girls can be described as follows: dark brown hair and hazel eyes. Ideal date: tall, with brown wavy hair. They'd go roller-skating. Likes cake. Favorite song: "I Can't Begin to Tell You." M.H.W.

Reading blue prints is confusing to the inexperienced as we all know. The shop boys are mastering this difficult art.

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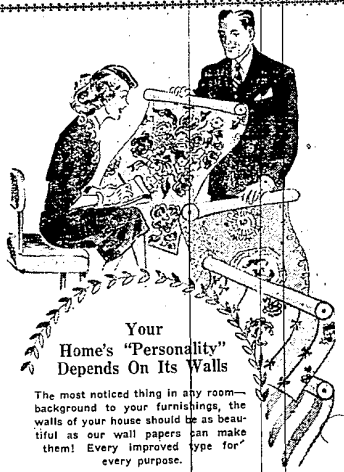
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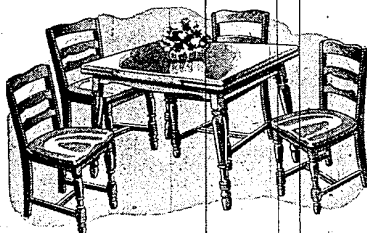
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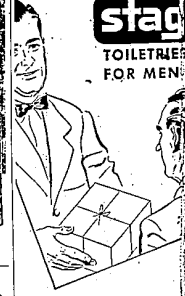
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