

EDITORIAL

TIME FOR COURTESY

Our eminent writer Emerson once made the statement "Life is not so short that there is not time enough for courtesy." How well this could be applied to every day school life. Courtesy is a satisfying way to create and hold friendships. You may think that between friends courtesy is not necessary, but with the people that you see every day, ones you are most intimate with, it is most necessary. Courtesy between teachers and pupils is an important factor also. The sternest teacher will relent before quiet courtesy.

Courtesy is not old fashioned, but just as modern as the most up-to-the-minute "lapper." Because of the lack of courtesy in "this younger generation" the term "old fashioned courtesy" has become universal. But can't we show "them" that new-fashioned courtesy is just as effective as the old-fashioned kind?

MOTTO ON LINDBERGH

In view of the fact that the world has recently celebrated the second anniversary of Lindbergh's arrival in Paris the motto above the bulletin board this week is timely. It reads: "Count Lindbergh has ever reached Paris if he had entertained thoughts such as these: 'If I am poor . . . I can't . . . Just my luck?'"

WORKING ON EDITION

The Journalism classes are working hard on the final edition of the Latch-Key to be published at the end of the year. All those who wish to be sure of obtaining a copy of this paper should buy a subscription immediately.

SUMMER PLANS

Miss Campbell expects to attend Western State Teachers College at Kalamazoo this summer to earn credits toward an A. B. degree. Miss Campbell will get her degree next year.

Miss Wondergen will take a trip this summer but has not yet decided to what place she will go. Mr. Hall, eighth grade teacher, is planning on attending summer school at Marquette for six weeks.

Mr. Eaton, orchestra and band leader, will remain in Farmington for the summer to give lessons to the members of the band. Both Mr. Baker and Miss Miel will attend summer school at the University of Michigan to work toward their Masters' degrees.

Mrs. Loomis will remain in Farmington for the summer. Miss Roe will be at her home in Ewart during the vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grene will spend their summer vacation at the home of Mrs. Green's parents at Morenci.

WIN FIFTH GOLF MATCH

Farmington won its fifth golf victory this season from Plymouth on the links at Plymouth Hills, 6½-5½, Friday, May 24. Dick Cox was low-point man with 82 for the eighteen holes, Ray Fendat, next hit 85. John Lapham followed with 87 and I. Cox was last with 97.

FINISH DRESSES

The girls in the High School Sewing Class have completed their silk dresses which they are now making and they are now studying textile to prepare for a visit to local stores to judge materials and ready made garments.

GETS PLACE AT MEET

"Picky" Otis tied for third place in the pole vault at the regional State track meet held at Lansing, Friday and Saturday.

The Library Corner

Helen Burrows

Some of the books in the library containing short stories are "Stories of the Vikings" by Dunlap, "The Four Million" by O. Henry, and "The Odd Number" by Guy de Maupassant.

"Stories of the Vikings" tells how the vikings came to Greenland and Norway. It also tells of the magic city of Asgard, and of Odin and Frey, Norwegian gods. The stories are taken from sagas by Sigurd, a viking poet. "The Four Million" tells of the common people of New York. The stories are very interesting and amusing. They were written because someone once said to O. Henry that there were only four hundred people in New York worth knowing, so he wrote this book to show that the other four million were worth knowing too. "The Odd Number" is a collection of very peculiar stories. Guy de Maupassant's stories are nearly always odd. He shows no sympathy for his characters.

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FARMINGTON BEATEN IN FINAL GAME OF SEASON

Farmington lost its last baseball game to Plymouth on Thursday, May 23, on the diamond at West Point Park.

Grimme opened the game in the pitcher's box but after two innings, when he had allowed two men to walk, he was removed. D. Cox was taken from center field and put in but he did not show his early season form. He allowed five men to walk, two of whom scored. The team gave both pitchers good support. Off Grimme Plymouth got two hits and two bases on balls. Off Cox they got five hits and five bases on balls. Farmington got four hits off Plymouth's pitcher. Of Farmington's hits McCulley made two. He reached first safely in the fourth, stole second and tried to steal third but was put out in the attempt. Otis and McCulley both reached second in the sixth and Otis safely reached third but neither reached home.

The lineup was as follows: McCulley, c; Measell, 2nd; Stuckey, ss; D. Cox, cf; Schweim, lf; Drake, rf; Otis, 3rd; I. Cox, if; Grimme, p; Otis, 2nd.

LOSE TO YPSI

Farmington was defeated by Roosevelt High at Ypsilanti, 9 to 5, Tuesday, May 21.

D. Cox did not show his usual form in pitching and Measell who had his first chance in the box was not much better. The rest of the team gave the pitcher poor support.

In the fourth McCulley, Measell, Stuckey and Schweim each scored one run. McCulley, first up, made a hit. Measell also got a hit; Stuckey was safe at first on an error. Schweim hit, scoring McCulley and Measell and laced a double hit. D. Cox walked and I. Cox struck out, ending the inning. Ypsi also scored four runs, one being a home, making the score 8 to 4 in favor of Roosevelt.

McCulley made one run in the last inning for the Blue and Whites.

Girls Are Defeated

The girls' baseball team lost to Rochester 15 to 11 Thursday, May 23, on the home diamond.

The girls played a better game than usual. June Johnson showed up brilliantly, catching eight fly balls. At bat the girls were weak and the best batters fanned, due to good pitching on the part of Rochester's pitcher.

In the first inning Rochester made the score 3 to 1. In the second inning Lamb and Hostwick scored. The third and fourth innings were scoreless for Farmington while Rochester scored 6 runs in the fourth.

In the fifth inning Jacobs, Zwalhen and Sheppo scored making Farmington's score six. Rochester did not score so the score stood 9 to 6 still in Rochester's favor.

Lamb scored in the sixth while in the last Murphy, Jacobs, Zwalhen and Sheppo scored. Rochester also scored four runs and its final score was 15 to 11 in favor of that team.

The lineup was as follows: Murphy, 1b; Jacobs, lf; Zwalhen, p; Adams, 2; Lamb, c; Johnson, cf; Hostwick, rf; Krumm, ss; Sheppo, 3rd.

HONOR ROLL FOR MAY

Kathryn Banfield, Eileen Lapham (A), Louise Perry (G), James Hogle, Virla Jehu McCafferty, Lois Murphy, Eleanor Perry (A), Esther Seelye (A), Wintred Seelye (A), Mary Clark, Barbara Meen, Virginia Otis, Hedwig Schoen, Helen Burrows, Marion Edwin (5), Beulah Gulen (5), Lewis Mans, Roberta Russell, Jean Storms (6A), Alice Westfall (3), Margaret Streling.

WIN TENNIS MATCHES

Farmington won its fourth straight tennis victory last Wednesday when Rochester was played on the home courts.

Eleanor Perry won her match, 6-4, 6-3, and Mary Ellen Fink won two out of three, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Roberta Russell and Virginia Otis lost the doubles match, 6-4, 4-6, 4-6.

This match concluded the home games and the remaining four will be played on opponents' courts.

Miss Margaret Grant of Detroit, a cousin of Miss MacKellar, accompanied the latter to the Senior Prom, Friday evening.

Captains Are Chosen For Next Year's Teams

Next year's captains for boys' basketball and baseball were elected at a recent meeting of the athletes of the school. John Lapham was chosen to pilot the basketball squad during the coming year and Ivan Cox will head the baseball nine.

Lapham has played on the basketball team for one year and is also a member of the football and golf teams. Cox has been left fielder on the baseball team for one year. He also plays golf, basketball and football. Both are sophomores.

WAYNE WIXOM LEADS IN SCHOLARSHIP

Wayne Wixom is the valedictorian and Helen Borchart salutatorian of this year's eighth grade. Wayne has maintained an average of 97.5 during the past two years while Helen's rating is 96.6. Pierson Roos, third in scholarship, is to give the class valedictory. The history of the class has been assigned by vote of the class to Howard Thayer, and Howard Westfall will write the will.

These speeches will be given at the eighth grade banquet, Thursday evening, June 13, for which Merle Van Marter has been elected toastmaster, while Laverne Turner will introduce him.

Mrs. Emil Roos, president of the Board of Education, will give the principal address at the banquet and Rev. H. A. Leeson will give the invocation. In addition to the speakers, the only guests of the class will be teachers of the eighth grade students. The High School orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

SEVENTY-FIVE AT PROM

The High School gym was a scene of much gaiety and color Friday evening when the annual Senior Prom was held. The room was adorned in decorations of yellow and white. Fruit punch was served during the evening.

A Fintel's orchestra of Detroit furnished the music. Approximately 75 couples attended the party.

VISIT SCHOOL

Supt. Baker and Mrs. Green, Miss Roe, and Miss Thomas visited the Holmes School in Detroit last Thursday to observe an experiment of the visual method of education in operation. The lower classes are taught phonics, nature, and reading in this manner. The advantage of this method over the old method of teaching is that the object and the word can be associated together more easily. Slides are used constantly by this method.

To make possible the absence of so many teachers, Miss Leonardson taught the third grade, Miss Campbell had both first grades, the second grade was in charge of Mrs. Brethour, and the children of the opportunity room were divided among all the teachers of the lower grades.

GIVEN REMEMBRANCE

As a parting remembrance, a set of golf clubs was presented to Mr. Brethour at a farewell banquet in his honor given by the H-Y and the athletes of F. H. S. last Tuesday. The banquet was held in the luncheon room.

The presentation speech was made by Dean Parker, while Philo McCulley gave a talk on the athletics of the High School.

S. D. Harger and son, Cedric, gave a short musical act.

Miss MacKellar spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Webb, in Yale, Mich.

Miss Miel was absent Friday on account of illness.

The eighth grade visited the Detroit Institute of Arts recently. They viewed different works ranging from the early period to the modern day. The sixth grade expects to go soon.

A slide has been erected in back of the High School building for the amusement of the grade children. Other playground equipment will be put up as soon as a permanent place is available where they can be set up in cement.

The eighth grade will go to Maceday Lake with the guests of Wanda Drake for a picnic, Monday, June 17.

Instead of having pins as has been the custom of eighth grade classes for the three previous years, the class this year will have its picture taken.

JUNIOR CLASS ANNUAL PLAY IS READY; CHANGE MADE

"The Whole Town's Talking," which will be presented by the Junior Class June 5 and 6, is a rollicking comedy in three acts. The plot briefly stated is:

A business man selects as his prospective son-in-law his partner, a bashful, awkward young man who has never had a girl in his life and saves the wrong thing at the wrong time. Complications arise when attempts are made to interest the vivacious daughter in the project. The plot is made more complex by the fact that the daughter is already interested in a man-of-the-world type of fellow from Chicago. It all ends happily with many laughs and interesting surprises.

A change has been made in the cast—Glen Warner is taking the place of James Hogle as Roger Shield, a young Chicago man.

The tickets are now on sale and may be secured from the Junior class at Cook's. The admission is 40c and seats may be reserved free at Cook's.

QUESTIONS ARE GIVEN OUT AMONG STUDENTS

What is the Irish Ford? What is the impostor and what does it look like? F. H. S. students don't know. Do you?

Mr. C. H. Chapman, owner of the Oakland-Pontiac sales and service, probably will eventually tell them but before he does he is going to have a contest.

First, 80 questions were given out to the student body Thursday. They are to be studied and discussed. At a later date ten questions out of the eighty are to be answered. Anybody who can answer eight of them gets a free trip to the proving grounds at Milford. Those who go to the proving grounds are to write an essay on "The Pontiac Six and the Proving Grounds."

The first prize will be a ten dollar gold piece, the second, a five dollar gold piece and the third a two and a half dollar one. And after all this has been taken place what an Irish Ford is will be disclosed.

MAKE CANDIES

The High School Foods class held a double period Friday to make and judge candies and find their reactions to different temperatures.

A visit to local merchants was made Monday for the purpose of learning to buy economically.

TRY THIS

By EDNA PURDY WALSH

Adhesive Tape for Picture Frames

A SIDE from the bathroom, it is doubtless not if any one other household article is as useful and versatile as adhesive tape. When all its medical and surgical uses are mentioned there are still other uses, such as picture framing, to be filled by adhesive tape. After the tape has been placed on the glass and picture, it can be flattened a neutral tint to harmonize with the room. By careful fitting of the corners a neat piece of work is secured. As insulation for electrical wires, adhesive tape is specially handy. A very fine tailored skirt can be effectively hemmed without a seam by applying adhesive tape underneath, and pressing with a hot iron. Golf clubs, tennis rackets, and even the tips of child's rubbers can be mended with it. A slipping heel of a summer pump is easily remedied by a small strip of adhesive.

An obstinate corner of a rug that constantly turns up may be cured by pasting a small strip of the underside at a firm tension.

Adhesive wound around three or four medicine bottles, holding them upright and together will prevent their spilling during traveling.

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HUDSON MOTOR CAR CO. BREAKS ITS RECORDS

Announcing production schedules for 120,000 Hudson and Essex cars during the second quarter and predicting that earnings for the period would far exceed any previous quarter in the company's history, President W. J. McAnaney told stockholders of

the Hudson Motor Car Company, at the annual general meeting that this was by far the best year in the company's history.

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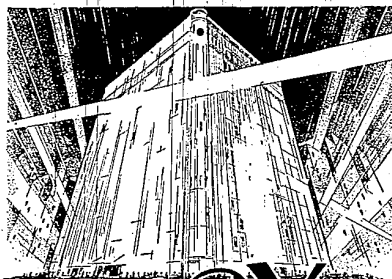
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