

The Latch-Key

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BASEBALL

About 25 men have answered the call for baseball. Practice will start as soon as the weather conditions permit.

The possibility of having a good season is shown by the return of seven veterans and four second-stringers.

Among the newcomers that look very good are Hamilton and Harold Westfall.

Leroy Taggart will captain the F. H. S. nine who says: "I think we will have a very successful year, due to the fact that seven lettermen are returning and have several promising newcomers."

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

The Spring Frolic went over big by putting the Seniors closer to their goal.

Prospects for a champion baseball team look good this year.

There are only 14 more days before that ever famous and industrious Senior Class board the train for Washington.

The students have to park their cars in a muddy parking lot.

SENIOR BAKE SALE

The last bake sale for this year was a big success. The judges had a hard job deciding who would receive the prizes which shows that there are more than one or two good cooks in town.

The prizes were won by: Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Russell for cakes.

Mrs. VanMarter and Mrs. Gullen for pies.

Mrs. L. C. Harger for breads.

Victor Schoen deserves honorable mention, being the only boy to enter anything. He made a delicious pineapple upside-down cake.

The judges were: Mr. Dalrymple, Mr. Barrons and Mr. Dickerson.

SENIOR PLAY

The Senior play will be given Thursday and Friday nights of this week. Tickets may be reserved at Cooks.

The F. H. S. band has been working on a new number for the Senior class play; they will also play the two numbers which the band has ready for the regional band contest which will be held at Ypsilanti on Friday, April 24.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Mr. Bisbee sent out a call for tennis players.

Leroy Taggart and Don Ross have been practicing track. They walked ten miles one day last week.

The Junior class has some very good artists.

Several prominent members of the Junior class attended a card party at Betty Gullen's home one night last week.

Mary Clark has been absent from school because of illness.

Only 21 more days before that large group of intelligent hard-working Seniors board the train for Washington.

In an attempt to show their interest and love for their school Donald Ross and Edward Measell labored earnestly for two hours in shoveling the snow away from in front of the school.

The Hi-Y breakfast went over big last Tuesday with a very large attendance.

WHO'S THE BEST COOK?????

The final bake sale of the 1931 graduating class will be held Saturday, March 21, at the Lee Hardware.

There will be a contest to see who is the best cook in Farmington. Three of the busi- men of the town will be judges and some very attractive prizes will be given to the winners. The entrance fee will be 25 cents. Please have everything there by 12:00. The judging will start at 1:30.

The things you are limited to enter are:

Pies: lemon, pumpkin, coconut and apple.

Cakes: spice, devil's food and white cake.

Breads: rolls, white bread, Boston brown bread.

This is the last drive for Washington, so everybody come.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

Ten girls from the eighth grade attended the Girl's Vocational Guidance Conference, March 13

to the 15.

The following girls will partake in a Spanish dance as a part of the health pageant to be given this spring.

Lorraine Garran will give a solo dance.

Dorothy McCulley, Marjorie Hunt, Emily Maas, Alma Mae Bicking, Jean Gullen, Carol Harger, Magdalena Himmelsbach, Margaret Turner, Lorraine Garran, Mary Jane Schroeder, Betty Adams.

EIGHTH GRADE

ENGLISH CHARACTERS

Norman B.—8th Grade Sheik.
Carol H.—8th Grade Vamp.
Emily M.—The next all-state center.

Betty A.—The antique collector
Van Y.—The president of Non-chalant Club.

Dorothea M.—8th Grade Mus-solini.

Jack P.—Nearest rival to Pat-ches in Ella Cinders.

Douglas P.—8th Grade Farmer
Marjorie H.—8th grade soloist.
Jean S.—Curly Locks.

Harry L.—Graceful dancer.
Alma Mae B.—8th Grade Gig-gler.

Jake P.—Nearest rival to Floyd Gibbons.

JOKES BY SPIVIS

Charlotte: My radio is like a locomotive.

Roberta: Why?
Charlotte: It whistles at every station.

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Bob: I paid \$10,000 for this handkerchief.

Mike: Wow! That's a lot of money to blow in.

TRITONS FINISH THEIR

BASKETBALL SEASON

The Tritons basketball team finished their strongest competitive season in recent years winning ten games out of the schedule.

St. Mary's, Orchard Lake, 21; F. H. S., 10.

Walled Lake, 17; F. H. S., 15.
U. M. High, Ann Arbor, 24; F. H. S., 17.

St. Mary's, Redford, 11; F. H. S., 18.

Redford Union, 10; F. H. S., 54.
Fordson High, 26; F. H. S., 10.

Pontiac High, 29; F. H. S., 5.
Lincoln Park, 14; F. H. S., 18.

St. Fredericks, 36; F. H. S., 13.
Belleville, 20; F. H. S., 17.

Walled Lake, 24; F. H. S., 27.
Dearborn (overtime), 26; F. H. S., 30.

Wayne, 15; F. H. S., 7.
St. Frederick, 24; F. H. S., 23.

Northville, 19; F. H. S., 18.
Plymouth, 17; F. H. S., 31.

Redford Union, 15; F. H. S., 21.
Y. M. C. A., Ann Arbor, 19; F. H. S., 30.

Oxford, 13; F. H. S., 17.
Orion, 14; F. H. S., 34.

St. Fredericks, 20; F. H. S., 11.
St. Clair, 25; F. H. S., 18.

The last four games were played at tournaments, three being played at Lake Orion. The team won two games there which gave them the runner-up position and a chance at the Regional which was held at St. Clair. St. Clair was the Tritons first opponent and the last the blue and white squad losing by the score of 25 to 18.

Due to the fact that two of Farmington regulars left the squad the middle of the season leaving the team handicapped the remaining boys worked hard to fill the gaps in the lineup which however was somewhat of a big success, going far or in the tournament than an other Farmington team has done in recent years.

CARNIVAL TO BE

HELD APRIL NINTH

The date for the carnival has been changed from Friday, April 10 to Thursday, April 9.

There will be refreshment stands in the hall, side shows in the various class rooms, plays in the assembly and a dance in the gym.

The program will start at 4:00 p.m. and last until midnight.

SPRING VACATION

This year's spring vacation has been postponed for a week so that the Seniors have good weather on their trip to Washington. The vacation starts April 10.

Try an Enterprise Liner.

All Residents of Farmington and Vicinity
Are Invited To Attend A

PUBLIC MEETING AND DEBATE ON "Capital Punishment"

(to be voted upon by the people of Michigan April 6th)

— AT —

FARMINGTON TOWN HALL Tuesday Evening March 31st

at 8:15 p. m.

--- SPEAKERS ---

Affirmative

CAPT. EDWARD DENNISTON - Superintendent
Detroit House of Correction.

REV. D. S. CARMICHAEL - Pastor, Calvin Presbyterian
Church of Detroit

Negative

JUDGE EDWARD J. JEFFRIES, Records Court, Detroit

REV. FRANK D. ADAMS, Pastor, Universalist Church
of Detroit and Farmington

ALSO LOCAL SPEAKERS

Admission Free — No Collection

This debate is being sponsored as an educational enterprise by public-spirited citizens. The speakers, men of prominence, have consented to come to Farmington at their own expense, making it possible to conduct the debate without admission fee or other charge.

Speakers for the affirmative and negative sides will be allotted equal time, with a discussion period following if those present so desire.

All residents of the territory around Farmington as well as those living in town are invited to attend, and a large attendance is urged to reward the speakers for their courtesy in coming to Farmington.

(Anyone desiring to offer suggestions or aid in arrangements for the meeting is asked to call Farmington 25-J.