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JUNIOR HIGH OPERETTA CAST IS ANNOUNCED

"King Puddin' Head" will be given by the fourth, fifth and sixth graders April 15, at 8 p. m. in the Farmington school auditorium.

The scene, with singing, dancing and lots of action, takes place in an enchanted garden with popcorn ball trees, cookie bushes and candy flowers.

Principal characters are as follows: King Puddin' Head, Elbridge Dunkle; Queen, Beatrice Young; Quackinboots, Martin Olshanky; Penny Pincher, Robert Weaver; Phil Stuffer, James Brodie; Toby Turnkey, Robert Bryant; Jester, Gerald Stewart; Mary Ann, Cherry Richards; Woodenshoes, Shirley Edgar; Dortha, Velma Goers; Tin Soldier, Ernest Tyler; The Wizard, Thomas Mack; Accompanists, Martin Moats and Jean Fowler.

Home Ec III Class Is Furnishing Girls' Room

The Home Economics III class is progressing very rapidly in furnishing the girls' dressing room to the right of the stage.

Planned to accommodate three, the room is cleverly arranged with dressing tables and stools, small mirrors, and a large triple mirror. The dressing tables are of orange crates, which were made and enameled by Hugh Schubke. The stools, made of kegs, and the tables were covered by the girls with printed paper.

The room already has served one purpose. It is being used as a fitting room by the Home Economics III girls, who are now making costumes for the grade school operetta.

Things are Happening In the Writers' Club

About one-third of the Writers' Club book, "Pence, Pancy and Fact," has been printed and accepted. Orders for the book are to be taken after Easter vacation. Campaign officers have been elected, and they will lead the group in the selling of the books. The officers are as follows: Sales Manager, Margaret Haggard; School Publicity Manager, Shirley Booth; Town Publicity Manager, Sally Nelson; Publicity Manager for Outlying Districts, Pat Cale.

F.J.H.S. Notes

Jr. High Tourneys Start

Last Monday and Tuesday the junior high 21, foot shooting, and ping pong tournaments started. The tournaments will be carried on every Monday and Tuesday until the baseball season starts. Mr. Chapman stated that six or seven softball games will be scheduled.

Skating Party Held

The junior high classes went on a roller skating party Friday night, March 21. They were accompanied by Miss V. Lane and Mr. V. Lane. There were many falls, but a "good time was had by all."

CLASS OF '42 PRESENTS FIRST JUNIOR PLAY

Last Friday night the juniors presented the first annual junior play in the High School Auditorium. The play was entitled "The Night of January 16th," by Ayn Rand, and was directed by Miss Isabel Steele, who teaches dramatics and public speaking.

The play proved original in more ways than one. It surprised the audience to find that they were to take part in it. Twelve jurors were picked from the audience to decide a verdict. This was not the only surprise, for, as the play proceeded, they found that all the acting did not take place on the stage since some members of the cast rose from among them. This was a change from the usual run of comedy presented in the past.

The entire action took place in the Superior Court of New York. The case at hand was the murder or suicide of John Faulkner. The case was presented to the jury before the audience.

The fact that strict drama, such as this, can hold the attention of the audience brought out the excellent directing ability of Miss Isabel Steele.

The cast included Beatrice Coe, Myrl Whitwell, Tom Shriver, John O'Griffin, Margaret Miles, Jack Samuelson, Elsie Gunning, Clifford Funke, Judith Oates, Myrl Whitwell, Charlotte King, Leo Caudillo, Roland Myrhead, Theresa Gammache, Irene Brykalek, Albert Rose, Marjorie Collins, Clark Cleghorn, William Dallas, Dorothy Fox, Hugo Passio, Credit should be given also to Robert Gullen, Isabelle McGarvey, Lynn Seale, William Carpenter, Harold Beck, the usher, and the class advisors—Miss Johnston, Mr. Tooker, and Mr. Shoemaker—who did their part to make the play a success.

Blue and White Is Represented at Tea

Two representatives of the Journalism class: Bob Carlson, editor, and Myrl Whitwell, reporter, were invited to attend a Tea and Press Conference tea given by the Student State of Wayne University at 416 Putnam, April 2, at 4 p. m.

The directors of the Wayne University Theatre, Richard R. Dunham, and Lynn E. Orr, and Dr. Preston H. Scott, Speech Department head, as well as the cast of the final production of the current season, "Night Must Fall" by Esmlyn Williams, were on hand to meet them.

"Variety Is The Spice of Life"

Readings from several photographic journals was the bulk of the "Photography Club's" meeting, Wednesday. Excerpts were read

and discussed. Among the phases of photography mentioned were developing, printing, and infra-red night photography.

SHOP WORK CONSTRUCTIVE
The scenery for the Junior play has been completed by the shop. The shop is now making the stage scenery for the Junior High School operetta.

A few boys are improving the appearances of their cars by fixing the bumpers, brakes, and head-lights.

Some hurdles for the track team are being made also.

HOME ECONOMICS CLASSES
EMPHASIZE PRACTICAL WORK
The Home Economics class has been divided into families of four. Each day the families take turns at planning, preparing, and serving a luncheon to two guests, who are teachers.

This not only gives practice in Home Economics work but brings a closer relationship between the teachers and students.

Home Economics II visited Kroger's store this week for a demonstration of meat cutting.

They also visited Conroy's Market and inspected the meat lockers.

Grade News

Fourth Grade
Thelma Goers and Tommy Nash have brought an exhibit of dolls representing every country's dress.

The fourth grade have organized a Student Council and are sponsoring a campaign on trespassing and respecting other people's property.

Monday special reports on Hans Christian Andersen's stories and Denmark were given.

Along general line of school work they have learned to work long division problems in arithmetic.

Fifth Grade
Walter Martindale, who has been ill, is wished a speedy recovery by his classmates.

James Martin and John Greu are the captains of the newly organized spring baseball team.

Characters for Easter are being made out of eggs.

Several scrap books have been added to the hobby collection.

Sixth Grade
From the third grade Harold Lawton and Manson Warner were chosen as jurors in the Junior play which they attended Thursday, March 27.

Plans for Easter are being adopted quickly.

BAND PLANS CONCERTS
There will be two band concerts held in the Farmington High School gymnasium soon. The first concert will be played April 12, by the beginning band. The second concert will be played May 9, by the first band.

News of the programs will be issued soon.

Coming to the CIVIC Theatre



Frank Morgan, Ann Rutherford and John Shelton head the cast of "Keeping Company," the entertaining family picture which will be shown Friday and Saturday at the Civic Theatre. It is on the same bill as W. C. Fields' latest hit "The Bank Dick."

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EDITORIAL

America Can't Defended

(No. 1 in a series of five articles from an oration by Myrl Whitwell.)
Do the majority of American people want to keep out of war? I believe they do. Ask the man who now has a wife and children and who took part in the last war what his attitude toward war is. Ask the mother who had to watch her son board a boat or train headed for France what she thinks of war. Ask the families who had never come back what the feeling toward war is. Every one of these people is most likely to have the same attitude, namely, "Keep Out of War." Do you realize how valuable this attitude is toward the defense of America? If we all had this same feeling about war, we would certainly begin to do something in an effort to secure our feeling of safety in an effort to keep away from the war that is going on today.

The thing we should do right now is to build up our defenses, such as the navy, air force, the army, and our coastal defenses. In doing this we should plan to build them a great deal stronger than any two great nations put together in both quality and quantity. If we do this and bring other nations to realize how absolutely perfectly our country is prepared for anything that comes along, we will not have to worry about some country picking us as their next victim. If you can thoroughly understand this, then you will most certainly realize why the motto of every true American should be, "Keep America Out of War."

—Myrl Whitwell

Leadership Is Theme of Cranbrook Conference

Sponsoring a Conference on Instructional Leadership was the initial activity of the Department of Supervisors and Directors of the National Education Association. Co-operating with them was the Administrative Division of the Detroit Teachers' Association and the Detroit Council for Professional Improvement.

The meeting was held on April 3 at Cranbrook school, Bloomfield Hills. Headlining the morning discussion was Dr. Daniel A. Prescott, director of the Child Development and Teacher Personnel Center at the University of Chicago. Appearing on the program was Miss Ruth Cunningham of the National Education Association.

A series of discussion groups was held after the morning session.

Do You Want To Be In A Broadcast? Read This

The juniors and seniors of F.H.S. have been invited to take part in the Varsity Hall Quiz program sponsored by WCAR, Pontiac, on April 6. The program is heard at 2:00 p. m. on Sunday afternoons. This program will relate to history, literature, and current events.

Schools are represented by a team of four, two seniors and two juniors, a boy and a girl from each class.

The school team making the largest total score is entitled to send another team the following Sunday.

Girl Speakers Lead In Forensic Contest

Thursday morning, February 27, the National Forensic contest for oratory, declamation, and extemporaneous speeches was held in the gymnasium of Farmington High School.

Bernice Lundberg won first prize in the declamation division with Audrey Lathrup second. Gideon Nelson won in the extemporaneous speech division. Charlie King won in the oration division with Robert Anderson second.

The winners will represent Farmington in the sub-district contest at Pontiac.



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