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SENIOR PROM WILL BE "BIGGER, BETTER"

The senior class of this year has begun its work on a bigger and better prom. Lavish decorations will be provided, although the theme will be kept secret until April 27 at 9 p.m. when the dance will begin.

The active committee members working on the annual project are as follows: Decorations: Leah Alston, chairman; Elliot Tyler; Elizabeth Johnson; Bill Daines; Margaret Brown; Arthur Orofino; and Sally Gildemeister. Invitations: Dolly Tipp, chairman; Naomi Cox and Mary Gunnert. Orchestra: Bill Conroy, chairman; Bob Miller, and Alvin Nowlin; Refreshments: Charlotte Shaw, chairman; Norman Balone; Mike Chapman; Bob Moree; Bill Brooks, and Mary Ann Isley. Advertisement: Betty Hunt, chairman; Matt Ewin; Donnie Carlow; Frank Fletcher; and Alvin Nowlin; Tickets: Jean Anderson, chairman; Catherine Zarzycki; Dick Fisher and Alma Rose Wadenstorer. H.T.

Home Ec Girls Pass Home Nursing Course

A five week home nursing course has been completed by all the girls taking the third year Home Economics course. They are: Hermina Amberger; Helen Barker; Dawn Denton; Lee Ebersole; Margaret Goers; Dorothy Gossett; Muriel Harris; Donna Lambert; Elleen Logue; Bonnie McKenna; Deane Rowland; Sally Stringer; and Doris White.

Mrs. Helen Smith, the school nurse, taught the practical work such as making beds; method of bathing babies; etc. while Miss Parsons instructed the class in the theory connected with the course. The girls have already received their pins and the certificates which have not yet arrived will be sent to them. M.J.E.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What do you think of Student Council this year?
Judy Rudberg, junior: "I think it's a good Student Council but nobody knows much about their meetings."
Joan Kirby, freshman: "I think it's doing a wonderful job."
Micky Brochu, senior: "It's a good outfit if it does the right thing for the school."

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EDITORIAL . . .

While many of the students seem to be interested in having their own teen-canteen most of them seem to be of the let-Jee-do-it attitude. Remember in order to have such a canteen, we need the help of every interested person, not only their morale but their physical support. Make the townspeople realize the advantages of one. Make all adults realize that we really want a teen-canteen. Remember, if we get one, that someone is going to do the work and that someone is *not* the other fellow. We must share in the work if we are to share in the fun. H.M.H.

DISTRICT FORENSIC CHAMPIONS NAMED

Clawson, Big Beaver and Farmington High Schools contended for honors in the District No. 3 Declamation Contest on Wednesday.

and placed the following winners:
Oratorical Declamation, Herbert Lucas of Farmington, speech entitled "The Injustice of Slavery";
Dramatic Declamation, Donalee Sharpe of Big Beaver, reading entitled "The Bleeding Heart";
Oratory, Joe Blyman of Clawson, speech entitled "The Atomic Age";
Extempore Speech, Janet Robertson of Farmington, speech entitled "Universal Military Training in the United States";
Another Farmington speaker, Bill Daines, took second place in the Oratory, with a speech entitled "India, Nation of Turbulence";
The Ages of Alvin Garchow, who was taken ill just a few days before the contest, was felt greatly because much was expected of him in the Dramatic Declamation field.

The chairman for the District No. 3 Contest was Mr. Tarmo Maatala, Farmington speech teacher; the judge was Mr. A. Thomas, Michigan State College speech instructor.

The date for the regional contests will be announced later. B.M.

DEBT CANCELLED SO BAND LOOKS TO THE FUTURE

The American Legion, the Exchange Club, and an interested supporter, who does not wish to be known, on Thursday, April 11, donated enough money to completely pay for the uniforms of the high school band.

Parents are invited to attend the pot-luck Band Banquet on May 2. There will be special sale to be known, on Thursday, April 11, donated enough money to completely pay for the uniforms of the high school band.

At present the glee clubs and band are preparing for the annual Spring Concert to be held May 10. Because objections have been raised concerning the length of previous concerts, the time this year will be approximately one and one-half hours. —M.J.S.

STUDENT COUNCIL TO HOLD MAY ELECTION

Election of Student Council members, including president, is to be held sometime during the week of May 12, according to present plans.

Representatives of next year's senior, junior and sophomore classes will be voted for by respective class members. All students now enrolled, may vote for Student Council president.

By holding elections early the Student Council hopes to eliminate the full prevalent in Student Council affairs from the time school opens until after fall elections. Except for the date, election procedure will be unchanged. Four members from each of the three classes will be elected in addition to the president and vice-president, who must be members of the class of '47.

Nominations will be by petitions. Thirty-five signatures are required to nominate a student for the council and seventy-five for council president.

Each student is allowed to sign both petitions nominating people from his class and but one for president. All petitions must be in by May 1.

The American Government class is in charge of the election.

The senior candidate who receives the most votes will be president, and the runner-up automatically will become vice-president. H.M.H.

Demonstrators Teach Safety

Stop, Look and Listen! These were the principles stressed by Officer Wayne Fernilus at an assembly last Friday afternoon for the grade school children. Accompanied by Mr. Frank Smith, he sang safety songs and demonstrated safety rules by making felt material pictures. They were amused by the antics of Jerry McSafely, the ventriloquist's dummy who really isn't so dumb.

TAIL LIGHTS . . .

"Them" days are here again! Once more people are holding their noses as they stagger dazedly to classes. Chemistry lab. is making H₂S — the gas with the rotten egg smell.

They say boys can write better poems about love than girls. More ardor, you know! To see if it proves true in the speech classes, they are having a contest.

Quite a tough time — according to the experience of the survivors of a slumber party out in Franklin . . . also of the freshman girls who slept, so they say, here in the gym with Miss Lockman.

One of our sophomore track men had a little trouble getting track shoes. Seems as if his mother thought that track was something like tennis.

Library Club Enjoys Supper Outing

Despite a long wait for a lazy fire and a few burned fingers, everyone had a grand time cooking her supper outdoors last Tuesday, when the Library students and Miss Abbott drove to a park near Newburg Lake for the club's annual picnic. Each person brought what she wanted to eat, as a result, there was everything from

steak to wieners. Besides the seven, members there were three guests present: Jean Anderson, Elisabeth Johnson and Margaret Goers. M.J.E.

Fred Lundberg gave an appropriate talk to the boys' health classes on the methods, tools and apprenticeship of Tool and Die Making. At the rate they're going, they ought to turn out some able, hard-working citizens.

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