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 The play, to be presented some time in March, will be directed by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kinney, both of whom are English teachers.

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Farmington High News

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Expansion of Industrial Arts Program For 1958-59 Planned

Extensive changes in the F.H.S. industrial arts department are in the offing for next fall. These changes will be made possible by the increased shop facilities provided by the proposed new classroom additions.

Of these changes, Miss Virginia Carley, counselor, said, "Because this is an industrial area the school administration believes that more shop work should be offered."

The basic change to be made will involve the replacement of the present shop I, II and III classes by a one semester general shop class and a variety of classes covering individual phases of shop work.

The following is a listing of industrial arts courses to be offered next year:

Tenth Grade: General Shop - This is a one semester course and a prerequisite to other high school shop courses. Work includes woodwork and an introduction to sheet metal, electricity and plumbing. This course is open to students who have not taken shop in the ninth grade.

Mechanical Drawing I - This is a one semester course which covers the use of instruments and the application of drawing techniques.

Y-Teens Hear Talks on Europe

Denmark, France, and two sections of Germany headed the "worldly" discussion at the Y-teens meeting last Monday, February 10.

A panel consisting of four girls, Sharon Hanson who visited Denmark this past summer, Chantal Corajoud, French A.F.S. student at F.H.S. this year, Pam Chapman, A.F.S. summer student to Germany, and Nancy Irwin, who headed the panel, talked for approximately 45 minutes.

They introduced the subjects which included teenage dress, school systems, dating, dancing, religion, and the panel then discussed them. At times through the discussion members of the audience asked questions.

The members discovered that clothing considered taboo in Europe included bobbing, straight, and Bermuda shorts. The panel also disclosed that most European girls do not date or wear cosmetics until they are at least 18 or 19.

There are usually no extracurricular activities connected with the school, which is solely for educational purposes. Most of the girls, panel and otherwise, felt that this should be remedied.

A short business meeting was held at the conclusion of the panel discussion, in which Mr. Gertrude Volmer, adviser to the club, stated that if the members were interested, they would be able to take dancing lessons from the Arthur Murray Studio. Most of the girls felt that they would enjoy it.

General Metals I - A one year course for students interested in woodwork from the machine operation angle. All available machines used in woodwork will be studied from the standpoint of operation, care and versatility. Prerequisites for this course are general shop and mechanical drawing I.

General Metals II - A one year course in metal work. Sheet metal, metal spinning, and beginning welding will be used. Prerequisites are general shop and mechanical drawing I.

Eleventh Grade: Architectural Drawing - A one year course involving the study of construction and construction terms. Prerequisites are mechanical drawing I, applied drawing I, cabinet and pattern making. This is a one year course. One semester will be devoted to cabinet and furniture construction and one semester devoted to the use and making of patterns for foundry work. Mechanical drawing general shop and mechanical drawing I are prerequisites for this course.

General Metals II-A - A one year advanced machine shop course. Tool and die work and the analysis and study of the behavior of metals in heat treating will be covered. Prerequisites are mechanical drawing I, general shop and mechanical drawing I.

Auto Mechanics - Theory and shop work with respect to automobiles.

Twelfth Grade: Machine Drawing - A one year course in advanced machine drawing. This is done on machine tools, gears, and cams. Mechanical drawing I, applied drawing, and plane geometry are prerequisites.

Building Construction - A study of building practices and materials is made. Shop work in: stair construction and framing of concrete, brick and masonry. Prerequisites are mechanical drawing I and general shop. This is a one year course.

Advanced Metals - This is a one year course dealing with advanced work in metals. Mechanical drawing I, general shop, general metals I and II are prerequisites.

Blue Print Reading and Shop Math - This course is open to all students who have had general math or algebra I. This course is designed chiefly for students who have not had an opportunity to take mechanical drawing but would like to be able to read and understand prints. This class is open to students who have had or intend to take two or more years of drawing.

Former Track Great Talks Here

"You either stand for something or you fall for anything," Dr. Glen Cunningham said during the assembly Wednesday, February 12, during third hour.

Dr. Cunningham is known to millions of Americans as the greatest American miler of all time. He set many records during the 1930's, many of which have not been broken.

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More Reveal College Plans

More seniors have divulged plans for attending college next September. To date, 57 students out of a total 182 have applied for entrance.

Michigan State has attracted the most pupils. Among these are: Linda Clarke, who intends to study foreign languages; Dick Fosmone, civil engineering; Sandy Leil, business administration; and Judy Loftman, art.

More students intending to go to the University of Michigan include: Jerry Grumet, who wants to study medicine; Jim Schmidt, who plans to study dentistry; Gretchen Rentz, who intends to take foreign languages; Pam Chapman, who plans to study English; and Ed Fulton, engineering.

Wayne State University will gain Ron Rainsion, who plans to take engineering; Ross Byron, art; and Keith Carlson, pre-medicine.

Those pupils who intend to go out of state are: Jana Brown, who wants to attend Hiram College in Hiram, Ohio, and study dramatics; and Nancy DeFodesta, who wants to go to Kent State University in Kent, Ohio, and study art.

Secretary for Moulder Hearings in Wash., D.C.

Miss Mary Bastianelli, former F.H.S. Spanish teacher, has been working as a secretary for the Moulder Subcommittee hearing in Washington, D. C.

Connessman Bennett (R.), who is a friend of hers, tried to get her a job with the State Department or some other agency which could use her knowledge of French and Spanish. Unable to get one immediately, he obtained the subcommittee job for her, where she is presently working.

Dr. Pearson, Free Press columnist, mentioned Miss Bastianelli in his Wednesday, February 12 column, titled, "Story Behind FCC Firing."

CAREER CONFERENCES on agriculture, the Foreign Service and social work will be held during homeroom, Wednesday, February 26. Mr. Lyle Abel, Oakland County Agricultural Agent, will speak on agriculture in the cafeteria. Mr. Carlos Toral will speak on the Foreign Service in the gym. The talk on social work will be held in the West Gym. These will be the last in the series of career conferences.

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Donna Cox, Class of '56, is planning to go to Europe this summer with the Edison Girls' Club where she works.

FARMINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OAKLAND and WAYNE COUNTIES, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

A special election having been called to be held in said school district on the 10th day of March, 1958:

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Friday, the 28th day of February, 1958, up to 5:00 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard Time, is the last day on which unregistered persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at said special election.

Application for registration should be made to the clerk of the city or township in which the elector resides.

Persons already registered upon the registration books of such city or township clerk, need not re-register.

ELIZABETH G. DOWNING
 Secretary of the Board of Education.
 Dated Feb. 10, 1958. Feb. 13, 20, 1958

Language Class Enrollments at FHS Increasing

The number and percentages of the students studying foreign languages at Farmington is growing each year.

At present, 17 per cent of the high school enrollment is studying foreign language, compared with 14 per cent last year. This 17 per cent figure does not include the ninth grade students taking Spanish I at the two junior high schools this year. About 18 per cent of the ninth graders at Dunclet Junior High are taking first year Spanish. Of a class of 203 students at Farmington Junior High, 15 per cent are studying Spanish.

Farmington's average is slightly above the national figure. Less than 15 per cent of the college students plan to support establishment of the United States Education Office in foreign countries.

Students in the United States study a French teacher at F.H.S., believes Miss Marjorie Cramer, Spanish teacher at Farmington.

For teachers in order to improve their foreign language institute more students in studying languages that the schools could interest equipment such as movies, tape recorders, and earphones. She also believes that more emphasis on conversation and less on grammar might interest some students.

Many more foreign nations are studying English than are American students studying foreign languages. This is illustrated by the fact that an estimated 10,000,000 Russians are studying English. Fewer than 8,000 Americans are studying Russian.

Judy Stoken, Class of '57, has been accepted to the Shertzer School of Nursing. She will enter the first of March.

Bob Byrnes, Class of '55, arrived home from Heidelberg Germany, where he had served in the army. His plans are indefinite.

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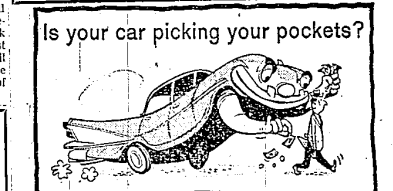
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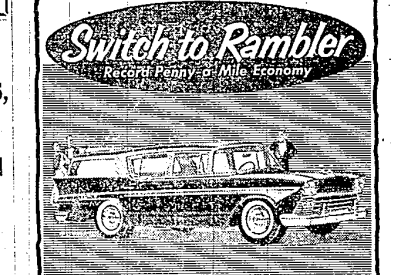
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