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PEORIA MUSIC GROUPS TO ENTERTAIN

The Peoria Manual Training High School a cappella chair and the Stephen Foster Singers are coming to Barrington on Thursday, March 31, to give a program for the junior and senior high school groups. This program, which is scheduled to begin at one o'clock, is for the general public, as well as the students. Each one of you is urged to invite your parents and friends to attend.

Manual Training High School is one of the largest high schools in the Big Twelve Conference. Its a cappella choir consists of eighty members. Repeatedly it has won honors at state contests and festivals.

The Stephen Foster Singers are one of the few groups of their kind in the country. Dressed in the lovely costumes of olden times, they sing only the music of Foster. This group has sung throughout the state and is among the best known performing ensembles. Barrington High School feels privileged and honored to be able to welcome these fine musicians and their director, Miss Ginevra Chivington.

The complete musical program is printed on page 6.

DAMES' DANCE APRIL 2

ALL B.H.S. LATIN CONTESTANTS RECEIVE SUPERIOR RATING

SQUARE DANCERS FROM UNIVERSITY OF DENVER WILL APPEAR HERE

Monday, April 4, the "Dudes and Dames," a group of square dancers from the University of Denver, will present a program of American Folk Dances in an assembly. The same program will be performed by the Denver group at the National Folk Festival at St. Louis, April 6 and 7, at which time the B. H. S. exhibition group will perform.

The Denver group consists of twenty dancers, all students at the University of Denver, which has an extensive department dealing with folk dancing and folk music. It has appeared many times in public, having received as much as one thousand dollars for a single performmance.

The Denver dancers will lunch here and share their knowledge with the local members of the Square Dance Club. Perhaps some of these will be encouraged to attend the Colorado school.

MORE SENIORS MAKE COLLEGE PLANS

This week several other members of the senior class have received good news from the colleges of their choice.

De Pauw University at Greencastle, Indiana, sent

WILL ENTER
REGIONAL MEET APRIL 23

In the 1949 District Latin Meet held at Niles Center last Saturday all Barrington contestants received a superior rating and are eligible to enter the sectional meet at Blue Island on April 23.

Mary Titterton and Peter Sturtevant wrote the first year Latin exams. Janet Parmalee and John Sproul competed in the second year tests. Kit Lasch was Barrington's only entry for third year Vergil. Belle Gorman and Barbara Schauble wrote the fourth year com-Of the five prehensives. schools competing in the comprehensives New Trier was the only other school to receive superior ratings.

Fifty contestants from eight different schools competed in the meet. Of these eight schools only five received superior ratings—Evanston, 4; Lyons, 5; New Trier, 4; Niles, 1; and Barrington, 7. Barrington can well be proud of its record. Congratulations, Mrs. Baker and contestants.

word to Delores Wilson, Bill Kuffel, and Nancy Leonard that they have been accepted for the coming school year.

Helene Herriman has been accepted at Purdue University in Indiana. (Cont. on page 2, col. 2)

HISTORY CLASSES ENTER ESSAY CONTESTS

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and the American Legion Auxiliary are again sponsoring essay contests in the high The topics this year are "My Part in America's Future" (1000 words) and "Illinois! Place in the Union" (500 Contestants may write on one or both topics. All students in Miss Sheel's American history classes are required to write on one of the topics. The essays will be submitted for judging this week.

There will be small money prizes for the local winners, whose essays will be sent on for state competition. Last year Kit Lasch's essay on "Human Rights: Key to World Freedom" won the \$100 first prize in the state. It is hoped that someone from Barrington this year will do as well.

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BOTTOMLEY HOOCH SPEAKS

One day last week I happened to drop into Mr. Johnson's room, where I noticed an imposing exhibit lined along the blackboard ledges. This exhibit. composed of the sophomore English themes, surpasses

any previous year's projects.

First, it was obvious that the sophomores had not been confined within a marrow limit of subject matter; the booklets delve into such varied topics as "Socrates," "Interior Decorating," "Scottish Clans," "World Government," "Jazz," "Toscanini," "Roosevelt and Hopkins," "Edgar Allen Poe," "George Bernard Shaw," "The Jewish Way of Worship," and "The Mastery of Life."

Secondly--and this is why I am writing this article-the rest of the school would find it to their pleasure to spend some time browsing through the projects. Not only are they the result of careful work, but everyone of us would be interested in at least some of the topics. Some of the best things undertaken in this school are done by the individual students in the classrooms. It is unfortunate that we don't take time to enjoy them.

MORE SENIORS MAKE COLLEGE PLANS

(Cont. from page 1, col. 3)

Yvonne Hoggins has been invited to attend both Albion College in Michigan and Drake University. She is undecided at present as to where she will go next year.

Word has been received that Dolores Walter and Darlene Hartley have been accepted for admittance in July to the advanced students' classes at Gregg in Chicago.

Joey Battin has the opportunity to attend All Saints Episcopal College. girls' school at Vicksburg, Mississippi.

WANT A POW-WOW BIKE MOTOR?

Miss Dorothy Brown, a fourth teacher in the Barrington Public School, was the winner of a Pow-Wow Bike Motor at the Catholic raffle on St. Patrick's Day. The bike is new and is valued at \$89.50. but Miss Brown will be willing to sell at a reduced price. Anyone interested in the bike may see it on display in the window of the Drover Motor Company Main Street.

CAPACITY CROWD ENJOYS LIONS ATHLETIC BANQUET

A huge crowd, occupying every seat at the tables on the gymnasium floor, enjoyed each moment of the athletic banquet sponsored by the Lions Club of Barrington. Lions; athletes of the high school, their fathers, and guests assembled at 6:30 first to eat a delicious meal of swiss steak, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, and apple pie, then to watch the presentation of awards. The invocation was by the Reverend Bertram Swaney.

Directly following the dinner, Mr. Ilo Shepard led the group in singing to the accompaniment of Kenneth Grom at the organ. Music was also played during the meal. Mr. Harold Homuth, President of the Lions Glub and chairman of the banquet, then made the opening remarks, saying that the occasion was not only for the athletic department, but was a tribute to all the cutstanding activities in the school. He introduced the dignataries at the speakers' table and others.

Coach Paul Fry gave the highlights of the past football and track seasons and presented the boys on the squads. Coach Les Harman highlighted the basketball and baseball seasons.

FOREMAN AND JEPPSEN RECEIVE SPECIAL AWARDS

An array of awards followed. The first, the Barrington Lions Club Most Val-

uable Football Player Award, was given to Harold Foreman by Dr. A. Galen and Andy Anderson, the two who conceived the honor. Harvey Weiss presented the Harvey Weiss Free Throw Award to Don Jeppsen, who shot seventy-five per cent of his charity tosses. Jeppsen also received the Jewel Tea Co., Inc., Most Valuable Basketball Player Award from J. M. Friedlander. Mr. Friedlander also presented the beautiful Conference Basketball Championship Trophy to Captain John Hansen. Hansen, in turn, gave this trophy and the District Tournament Trophy to F. C. Thomas.

BOB VOIGTS SPEAKER OF EVENING

Bob Voigts, football coach of North-western University, was introduced as the speaker of the evening by Tom Hayward, chairman of the Alumni Athletic Committee at N. U. and a member of the high school board. Voigts gave a very interesting and humorous account of his team's past season and then turned serious for a moment. He emphasized that if any boy received a chance to go to college he should take it. Movies of the 1949 Rose Bowl parade and football game were shown and commented on by Mr. Voigts.

The meeting was officially closed by singing "God Bless America." Colored movies of Barrington's 1948 Homecoming contest were shown to those who stayed.

B. H. S. would like to extend its sincere thanks to the Lions Club for the fine evening.

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SIX SHARE TOURNEY PREDICTIONS

It seems that the basketball dopesters in B. H. S. are a little more accurate than the Gallup poll. Friday Mr. Watson made an announcement to the effect that everyone should predict the correct team in the finals of the "Sweet Sixteen" basketball tournament and the score. Six "experts" picked Mt. Vernon to win, but none had them competing against Hillsboro's Hilltoppers for the final game. The half-right guessers follow:

Dick Aspinwall, Marillyn Meyer, Chuck Ruckholdt, Bob Meyer, Pat Johnson, and Lois Heidke all picked the Mt. Vernon team to win. But none of them predicted the Hillsboro boys to provide the opposition. Joy Paulson also picked Mt. Vernon to win over Tilden Tech, but this would have been impossible, since both teams were in the upper bracket of the tournament.

VARSITY TRACK SCHEDULE

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April 12 Bensenville, here April 19 Wauconda, here April 22 Palatine, there April 30 Palatine Relays May 4 Libertyville, there May 12 Palatine and Antioch at Palatine May 14 District Meet May 18 or 19 Conference Meet
FROSH - SOPH SCHEDULE
April 14 Open April 26 Bensenville, there May 2 Antioch, there May 5 Palatine, there May 9 or 10 Open ??? N.E., N.W. Frosh-Soph Meet at Palatine

ASPINWALL EDGES KREEGER

Wednesday night Aspinwall beat Kreeger 26 to 24 in the Zoo League play-off. This defeat again threw the tie for first place into another play-off.

Dick Aspinwall paced the winners with twelve points, and Kreeger was high scorer

BIOLOGY STUDENTS TO VISIT CHICAGO TUESDAY

Tuesday, March 29, fifty-five biology students and Mr. Watson plan to take a trip. They will be gone the entire day. The students hope to visit the aquarium, although plans are still indefinite, to observe the different types of fish and reptiles. The Natural History Museum is next on the list. Here the students will see the evidences of the continuous charge of plants and animals. Then they will go to the Museum of Science and Industry, where they will see the biological exhibits prepared by the University of Illinois Medical School.

MASQUE AND WIG

In last Wednesday's meeting of Masque and Wig it was suggested that a group start choral reading during meetings. This was discussed and may go into effect in three weeks.

Next week's entertainment will be a radio play that several Masque and Wiggers are now rehearsing.

"Sleeping Beauty" was chosen as the children's play to be presented next month.

After the general business was taken care of, several members gave a presentation of "Where the Cross Is Made," a play by Eugene O'Neill. Even though the cast read their parts from the book, they still did a good job in portraying their characters.

The cast was as follows: Captain Bartlett, Giles Mellon; Nat Bartlett (his son), Richard Biek; Sue Bartlett (his daughter), Carol McCoy; Doctor Higgins, Dick Puffer.

for his team with eight. Kreeger led 13 to 7 at halftime.

In the second play-off there will be a drawing, with one team getting a bye and playing the winner of the other. The winner of the second round will face Thomas, winner of the first.

WE WILL RID YOUR PROPERTY
OF PIGEONS
(TRAPPING---NO SHOOTING)

See Bob Thomas or Peter Fisher

SENIORS TAKE UP GENERAL BUSINESS IN MEETING

The senior class meeting Thursday was a general business meeting.

A roll call was taken to see how many seniors were planning to go on the senior class trip. There were 42 going for sure, 11 uncertain, and 12 not going.

The seniors were criticized for not selling more tickets for "Double Door."
They were reminded that this was one of their money-making jobs and that the play was an excellent production, but the class did not back it to make it a financial success. Seniors were urged to make their quota individually for the class rather than undertake any other project. The balance in the class treasury at present is \$1,304.57.

The class voted to have a graduation program in which everyone will take part. Giles Mellon was appointed chairman of the planning committee. They also voted to have Senior Government Day again this year.

ELDRIDGE SPEAKS ON FOREIGN POLICY OF U.S.

Tuesday evening Mr. James A. Eldridge spoke to a combined meeting of the Barrington League of Women Voters and the P. T. A. on United States Foreign Policy. Mr. Eldridge, who is connected with the Council of Foreign Relations, was an excellent speaker, and had a very extensive speaking vocabulary.

In his talk, Mr. Eldridge discussed American foreign policy, and how it affects the other nations of the world. Now, however, Britain is in no position financially or politically to take her former stand in the world. It is necessary for the United States to take up this position as the leader of the democratic nations.

Mr. Eldridge also discussed the North Atlantic Peace Pact at great length. One very important fact was that it is not possible to fight Communism with guns, but that an idea, better than Communism, must be substituted.

Unfortunately, there was a small crowd

PAUL BIEK WINS FIRST PLACE IN CAMERA CLUB CONTEST

The Camera Club held its third quarterly contest recently, and the winners have been announced as follows:

First place—Paul Biek Second place—Chuck Smith Third place—Chuck Smith

John Sproul and Dwight Sandman received honorable mention.

The club will compete in a fourth contest before the end of the school year. This will be the annual salon contest. It is of more importance than the others, because it will cover the year's work. The prizes will also be better.

GROUP ONE OF FRESHMAN SPEECH CLUB ENTERTAINS

Yesterday group one of the Freshman Speech Club opened with a quiz show called "Stop the Music!" Bob Folleth was master of ceremonies. The first contestants were Tom Stone and Jim O'Brien. Their consequence was to dress like girls in the clothing supplied. After this Rhoda Hertzberg made a romantic (?) proposal to Bruce Anderberg. Marilyn Dashiell gracefully tried to do some dancing, after (Cont. on page 6, col. 2)

at this lecture, but it was the opinion of those present that Mr. Eldridge was one of the finest speakers Barrington has had for some time. He had an excellent fund of knowledge, a fine method of presentation, and an objective and factual approach that made the lecture stimulating and enjoyable.

Previous to the speech, a group of students gave short talks on the various parts of the United Nations. Those who participated were Dick Aspinwall (chairman), Dick Puffer, Jane Meller, Jane Porter, David Deyoe, John Calkins, Mary Malone, Mike Disney, Duncan Aspinwall, Nancy Prickett, Pat Wayne, Janet Parmalee, Emily Kampert, Charlotte Alexander, Carol Plagge, and Gerald Laine.

FORMER MEMBER ADDRESSES RIDIC, AND DS.

The club was happy to have a guest at the Friday meeting, a former member of R.T.D.C. and D.S., Woody Hasemann. He spoke on the value and procedure of discussion as he learned it in an intensive course at DeKalb. His advice was to secure a variety of good articles presenting both sides of the problem and then form an opinion that is not biased, one that is easily altered as the evidence requires. He gave a short outline on the main points of good discussion:

- I. Analysis of the problem
 - A. Symptoms
 - B. Evidence
- II. Causes
- III. Criteria (values set up of what is wanted and what the problem involves)
- IV. Possible solutions
 - A. Possible advantages
 - B. Possible disadvantages

The main thing in discussion, he said, is to arouse interest and to recognize the problem, for a solution often cannot be satisfactorily achieved.

The remaining part of the period was spent in the discussion of the topic, "Should the filibuster be outlawed?" The general purpose of the filibuster is to prevent issues from coming up to a vote. The Southerners are mostly the objectors and the ones who have kept the ball rolling in monopolizing the issues that come up in the Senate. The topics on which they expound for long hours have no limit. They can give their Aunt Sally's recipe for clam chowder or a lecture on the problem child, but their main interest is to impede legislation. The group recognized a value in free debate, but felt that the filibuster too often is used by a minority to slow up discussion and legislation.

MONDAY DISCUSSION CLUB CONSIDERS FILIBUSTER

The topic for the Monday group also was the filibuster, whether it was a democratic weapon or a mere political tool.

PEORIA MUSIC CLUB

Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming Some Folks Do Come with Thy Sweet Voice The Glendy Burk Beautiful Dreamer Ring the Banjo Oh, Susanna

Stephen Foster Singers

The Maiden's Wish - - - - Chopin-Liszt
Piano solo by Patsy Waltman

Deep River - - - - Arranged by Burleigh
Baritone solo by Robert Owen

Haspodi Pomilui - - - - - - Lvovsky
Tenebrae Factae Sunt - - - - Ingegneri
Almighty God of our Fathers - - - Jones
Danish Dance Song - - - Arr. Moller-Holst
Windy Weather - - - - - - Weaver
Be Still As You Are Beautiful - Proctor
I Stood by the River Jordon - Arr. Smith
M.T.H.S. A Cappella Choir

Onward Christian Soldiers - - Arr. Waring Russian Picnic - - - - - - Enders Combined Choirs

of M.T.H.S. and Barrington

Some upheld the filibuster as being a peculiar rule of the senate, stating that if it were taken away there would be pure majority rule. But nearly all agreed that it was a bad weapon.

There was some dissension on the matter of what democracy is and how desirable it is. According to some, democracy is pure majority rule and is not desirable. The group, however, felt that such a narrow interpretation was not desirable and that democracy could protect minorities and still be the will of the majority.

FRESHMAN SPEECH CLUB

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which Jerry Laine gave a very amusing commercial. Marilyn Esh ended the wellenjoyed program with a word from the sponsor, "Lucky Streak."

A meeting of group two will be held next Wednesday during activity period.

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THE WEAKER SEX

-- BY GWENN BARDWELL

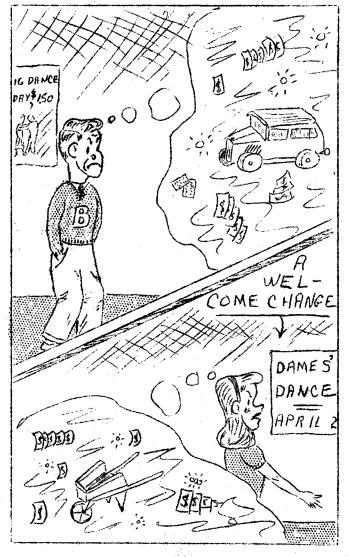
Are you gals as disgusted as I am with those careless fellows? Feel an aching sensation in your heart for those polite "college men?" Also a distinct burning sensation because he forgot the corsage at the last dance you attended? Well, here's your chance! Why wait four years for those "little attentions" you treasure in your memories of that week end at your sister's or brother's college? April 2 is the date; 8:30 is the time; the high school gym is the place; the Dames! Dance is the event; and REVENGE is the purpose.

Remember how embarrassed you were when he hardly spoke to your mother before the Tinsel Ball? Show him how to impress the family! Remember how you slipped on the ice on the way to the car? Whether it's cold or warm-the correct way is to take his arm! Remember how dusty your shoes got in his car? Show him what a clean car is! Remember how you struggled with your coat? Show him how much easier it is when someone helps you! And how you had to fish for a chair to sit in? Remember the way you never were quite sure whether he was going to keep dancing or sit the next one out? And how you both went to get the food and it took hours because they pushed and shoved instead of standing in line? Oh, yes, all the little things are so important. Show him how, gals!

And then there's that lovely apparatus, the corsage. As well as showing him a thing or two, you really can have fun dreaming this up! At the Dames' Dance every boy wears a corsage. To add fuel to the fires of your imagination, here's how they have looked to us in Dames' Dances of past years.

Corsages seem to be easily classified into five types. First, the garden variety. This offers a marvelous selection—introducing garlic, onions, and so on. Some colorful corsages can be originated in this field—but, if you don't like your date (and you're foolish to have asked him!), I wouldn't advise the odor—iferous type, because then no one will dance with him!

Next we have the products of scientific



genius. Ricky Ellerbrake's leave-taking was additionally unhappy on this score; he undoubtedly could have netted millions by helping you girls out. But, there are still electrical geniuses among the weaker sex-and light bulbs, burned out or otherwise, old radio tubes, and springs from the toaster sound exciting.

The third classification is the massive type. If you like to dance, these are easily made long enough to reach the knees, and backed by a stiff board, so the date finds it impossible to sit down. It's great—if you've got a convertible, or like walking!

Then we have the artistic side. Although it's much more fun to make them, unusual corsages can be bought. Any commonplace objects can be combined into beautiful works of art.

And last but not least is the messelaneous category. You can take the best points of each of the four previous types and really go to town!

KAROUSING KID

Hi, kids--

Did you pick the right team to win the state championship? Friday Mr. Watson conducted a little poll to see who would be the lucky ones in predicting the two rival teams, along with their scores. As for me, I was way off the track. Hope you fared better than yours truly did.

Spaghetti is Judy Disney's pet peeve. No, not the food; just the word. Why? Well, she pronounces it backwards every time; it never fails. Don't wory, Judy. Others have their tongue twisters too.

A group of the B. H. S. "trackers" saw some experts run Saturday evening in Chicago. We're expecting a good showing at the first track meet, fellas, now that you've seen the stars perform. Don't fail us.

"Paulson's Morgue, you stab 'em, we slab 'em." Joan Gruenewald answered the phone at Joy's Saturday evening with those fatal words. Fatal is right! It was none other than Mr. Paulson's boss on the other end of the line! What we need is telephone television.

Some of you may have passed Lynette Herbert on the street Saturday and noticed that she looked half dead. No sleep Friday night can account for that. I wonder where slumber parties ever got their name?

In first hour English class Wednesday an embarrassing situation arose for Dick Aspinwall. When Miss Leonhard dropped her keys, Dick turned to Jim Frey and said, "Pick up your teeth." Miss Leonhard looked up just then, and Dick hurriedly replied, "No, no, I didn't mean you!" Whew! That was a close one, Dick!

Lorie Wilson and Nancy Leonard spent last week end visiting De Pauw University. That will be their destination next year. All's fine, except Nancy learned that she won't be able to take the special course she wants. Sometimes I wonder if it's worth it all.

May 14. You know what I mean, boys. I'm sure you don't want to be in a sad state come the big night, so hop to it.

Some of the most fortunate were able to secure state tournament tickets. and they had fun with a capital F. Kaggel Hall was where they had dinner. Oh, by the way, Kaggel Hall is a girls' dormitory. Have fun, George?

K. K.

PERSONALITIES OF THE WEEK

This week our girl is Margaret Jean Noyes, born on September 20, 1930. Jean has brown hair, hazel eyes, and is five feet five inches in height. She says that she was born in a Sparrow Hospital (meaning Edward W. Sparrow Hospital in Lansing, Michigan).

Her future ambitions are to go down South with Jessie again and to take a trip out to Colorado this summer. Most of us know that Jean would not think of attending any other college than Purdue. Concerning her ideal man, she doesn't seem to be particular, just so he is a blond.

Have you ever talked about snakes around Jean? If you are such a person, you happen to be her pet peeve. She hopes that the underclassmen will have as much fun as she has had in B. H. S.

Our boy this week is Adelbert Cochran, born on May 1, 1930. Del describes himself as being five feet seven inches, with brown wavy hair and brown eyes. His unusual incident is this: One night when he was going to see Vignalis fight, a man started to sign him up for a fight, right after "Vicks."

His future ambition is to become a carpenter or to help his father. Of course he says there is always "Uncle Sam." Del plans to attend a college in Milwaukee where his trade will be carpentry. His ideal woman is short and good looking, but goes to a private school in Massachusetts. "Keep on the right side of all the teachers," is his advice to underclassmen. Del just can't find a pet peeve. He claims that nothing bothers him.

THIS WEEK'S BEST CHUCKLE

When gramma had her callers,
They met with timid heart:
And when they sat together,
They sat this far
apart.

When granddaughter's boy friend calls, He greets her with a kiss, And when they sit together, They sitrealcloselikethis.

--The Enka Voice

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