

# CITY SCHOOLS CONDUCT SERIES OF PLAY DAYS

Seventh, Eighth Grades Are  
Represented in  
Events.

Series of eight play days will be conducted by the physical education department of the public schools for pupils in the seventh and eighth grades this week and next.

The recreation periods, which are being held under supervision of Miss Ada B. Crozier, head of the physical education department, will draw pupils from sixty-seven of the city's elementary schools.

Each school will be allowed to send a stated number of pupils. Written consent of parents will be necessary for each pupil attending.

## Nature Purely Social

"We want to stress," Miss Crozier declared, "that the play will not be competitive between schools. These are just play days. Their nature will be purely social."

Among the events in which the boys will take part are baseball, volleyball, stunts and pyramids, relays—running, passing and stunts—and individual athletic games.

Girls will take part in volleyball, flash ball, circle, tag and relays. Boys and girls will participate in the same number of events at each of the playgrounds.

First of the play days was held Tuesday at College avenue and Fall Creek parkway. Participating were sixteen schools, as follows: 2, 10, 27, 29, 32, 36, 43, 45, 60, 66, 69, 70, 76, 80, 84 and 91. Eight boys and eight girls were sent from each school.

## Plan Five-Event Program

All other play days will be held next week. Two will be held next Tuesday. Seven schools, 33, 38, 51, 54, 55, 73 and 81 will be represented at the seven-event program at Brookside park. Each school will send fourteen girls and a like number of boys.

Five schools, 3, 9, 14, 15 and 21, will take part in a program at Willard park Tuesday. Each school will send twenty boys and twenty girls to participate in a five-event program.

Ellenberger and Garfield parks will be the scenes of play days next Wednesday. Schools 57, 58, 62, 78, 82 and 85 will send eighteen boys and eighteen girls each for a program of six events at Ellenberger park.

At Garfield park, Schools 6, 8, 13, 18, 20, 22, 31, 34, 35, 39, 41 and 72 will send representatives to a six-event play day. Twelve boys and twelve girls will attend from each school.

## Final Play May 20

Play days will be held Thursday, May 19, at Ellettsville and Riverside parks. Schools 5, 12, 16, 30, 46, 47, 49 and 50, will attend the former. Each school will be represented by sixteen boys and sixteen girls in an eight-event program.

Five schools with twenty boys and twenty girls each, will go to the five-event play day at Riverside park.

Final play day will be held Friday, May 20, at Douglass park, with eight schools taking part in an eight-event athletic program. The schools are 4, 23, 24, 26, 37, 40, 42 and 63. Each school will send sixteen boys and sixteen girls.

## BROAD RIPPLE HIGH PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

Activities Include Play May 20, Reception May 26.

Included in the list of activities of the senior class at Broad Ripple high school are the following: The senior play, "The Mummy and the Mumps," May 20; junior-senior reception, May 26; class day, May 27; baccalaureate services, June 5; senior breakfast and commencement exercises, June 6, and alumni banquet, June 10.

The breakfast will be held on the school lawn. Dr. John Curran, president of Colgate university, Hamilton, N. Y., will speak at the commencement exercises, which will be held in the women's gymnasium at Butler university.

## P-T. A. OF SCHOOL 9 SPONSORS PLAY, PARTY

Clemens Vonnegut Group Presents "Miss Deborah's Pocketbook."

"Miss Deborah's Pocketbook," a play, was to be presented at 3:15 today by the Parent-Teacher Association of Clemens Vonnegut School No. 9, at 407 North Fulton street.

Members of the cast of the play are Mrs. Robert Allen, Mrs. Melvin Bless, Mrs. George Bartley, Mrs. Forest Melton, Mrs. John Roberts, and Mrs. Wilson Brown.

Mrs. John Curran is director of the production. Refreshments, which were to follow the presentation, were to be in charge of Mrs. Claude Thompson.

## PUPILS GIVE OPERETTA

Chorus of 100 Voices Sings in "On a May Day Morning Early."

An operetta, "On a May Day Morning Early" was presented Tuesday by 105 pupils in the first, second, and third grades at School No. 66. The cast included a chorus of about a hundred voices.

Principal characters were Jimmy Carlin, 3844 Broadway, Mary Jo Beazell, 4023 Park avenue; Caroline Jones, 3963 Winthrop avenue; Carl Lieber, 3742 Watson road, and Jimmy Kalleen, 3841 Washington boulevard.

## HITCH-HIKER IS HURT

Paris (Ill.) Man Struck by Hit-and-Run Machine.

Struck by a hit-and-run auto as he walked on state Road 52 near Flackville, Tuesday night, Robert M. Davis, 44, of Paris, Ill., was cut and bruised and is in city hospital. David and Archie S. Allen, 44, of Rushville were hitch-hiking together when the accident occurred.

Police said both men admitted being under influence of a drug when Davis was struck. A bottle of opiate was taken from Allen's pocket, police said.

# 'Evil Forces' of Fairy Land



THE "evil forces" of fairy land were to concentrate at 1:30 today when the pupils in the first, second, and third grades of Henry P. Coburn school No. 66, at 604 East Maple road, stage "The Forest of the Wild Thyme."

Scaly monsters, bats, devil moths, and finally the bat along with all the other terrors of wonderland, were to be set loose on the boy and the girl who venture into their domain.

Although things look bad for the hero and the heroine when the spider catches them in his web, the raindrops destroy the trap, and the fairies lead the adventurers to safety.

Approximately 200 pupils were to take part in the production, which is being given at all the schools, under the sponsorship of the physical education department.

First presentation was given Friday at school No. 76. Pupils of school No. 60 will stage the production at 7:30 next Friday in Caleb Mills hall, Thirty-fourth and Pennsylvania streets.

## BOOKMARK WILL BE OUT FRIDAY

Teachers' Publication to Be Season's Last.

Fourth issue of the Bookmark, book reviewing publication of the Teachers' Special library, will be out Friday, it was announced today by Miss Kate Dinsmoor, librarian at the Teachers' Special library, and chairman of the committee responsible for the publication.

The edition, which will be the final one for the current school year, will contain suggestions for teachers' summer reading, stressing those for leisure time. Besides Miss Dinsmoor, members of the committee are:

Miss Gertrude Buscher, principal of school No. 86; Miss Anna Pearl Bedford; principal of school No. 85; Miss Frances Brandt, principal of school No. 73; Mrs. Rosa Jones, assistant principal of school No. 79; and Miss Ruth Leedy, assistant principal of school No. 71.

The committee was appointed by Superintendent Paul C. Stetson to find ways for the Teachers' Special library to give better service to the teachers. The Bookmark, first issued in February, was started on the committee's recommendation.

Contributors to the edition which will be issued Friday are: Lydia Thomas of school No. 60; Loreen Brandt, special teacher of art, Florence Brandt of school No. 91; Edith Ann Ulmer of school No. 2; Frieda Herbst of the research department; Eleanor Goley of school No. 18; Lucia Ketchum of school No. 18; Anna Pearl Bedford of school No. 85; Beas E. Hume of school No. 86; and Martha Guilford of school No. 44.



Upper Photo (left to right)—Stuart McGriff, 4185 Carrollton avenue, a scaly monster; Charles Crozier, 3854 College avenue, the hero; Caroline Louise Lieber, 3742 Watson road, the heroine, and Paul McClaren, 3607 Boston street, another scaly monster.

Middle Photo (left to right)—Billy Lieber, 617 East Maple road, spider; John Paul Isenberger, 3959 Guilford avenue, the devil moth, and Clark Hale, 3935 Broadway, the bat.

Lower Photo (left to right)—Mary Ann Morrison, 3921 Guilford avenue, and Shirley Snyder, 3858 Park avenue, fairies.

## TECH GIRLS' CLUB WILL BE ON AIR

Talk by P. W. Holaday to Be Another Feature of Program.

Music by the girls' concert club of Technical high school, and a speech by P. W. Holaday, director of research, will be featured presented by Indianapolis public schools during the thirty-first weekly broadcast between 9 and 9:30 tonight over WKBF.

Holaday, in his talk, "Then and Now," will dwell on the changes which have been made in the public school system since the war.

The concert club will be directed by Miss Blanch Harvey, music teacher at Tech. Accompanist will be Miss Charlotte Moore, faculty assistant in the music department.

Selections which the club will sing are: "Dawn," by Curran; "I Love a Firefly," by Friml; "Dreaming of My Old Sweet Home," by O'Hara; "Will o' the Wisp," by Winne, and "Stars," by Ware-Harris.

In addition, the club's quartet will sing four numbers: "De Coppah Moon," by Shelley; "Shadow March," by Protheroe; "O Lawd, Look Down," by Huntley, and "De Sandman," by Protheroe.

Members of the quartet are Paula Rickey, Anne Abrams, Frances Leonard, and Ruth Davis.

The school ship of the air program, at 9:35 in the morning, carried the shut-in children to Delaware today. The ship will visit Connecticut, Friday; Rhode Island, Monday; Massachusetts, next Wednesday.

# 'CUT EXPENSES,' IS PRINCIPALS' PLEA TO GRADS

Commencement Exercises to Put No Extra Load on Purses.

Economy will be the keynote of the high school commencement programs, it has been indicated by the various principals. All the executives have announced to parents and to pupils in the senior class that simple, useful clothing should be preferred as graduation garb.

DeWitt S. Morgan, principal of Technical high school, stated in a recent letter to the parents of all senior girls that "in view of the present economic situation, we hope to keep the cost of the commencement season at a minimum for our graduates."

## Press Economy Plea

An additional plea for economy was made at a senior meeting, when Morgan stated that every senior boy should feel free to wear any suit he now owns at the graduation exercises.

Walter Gingery, principal of Washington high school, hopes to cut graduation expenses to a minimum by ordering the use of caps and gowns in the commencement exercises. Rental costs of the gowns is \$1.50, and Gingery believes they will make it unnecessary for any pupil to buy new clothes.

For class day exercises, the Washington principal has recommended that simple sport clothes be worn.

In a special meeting of the senior class of Broad Ripple high school, Karl V. Ammerman, principal, urged that strictest economy be observed in clothing for graduation season. He also urged that pupils keep other commencement expenses at a minimum.

## Decide on Simple Garb

In a letter to parents of all seniors, George Buck, principal of Shortridge high school, stated, "The depression makes me feel sure that I will get every co-operation when I ask for a commencement without any unnecessary expense. I hope to make this graduation beautiful without great cost to any one."

Buck said the senior class had decided to dress simply and uniformly. Boys are to wear dark coats, white trousers, white shirts, blue ties, and black or black and white shoes.

Girls are to wear white semi-formal dresses.

"This year is no exception for us," declared E. H. Kemper McCorn, principal of Manual Training high school, when asked if he had urged any economy measures. "I have told the pupils to keep expenses down every year. Of course, the same is necessary this year, but in greater degree."

## CLASS TO HEAR AQUARIUM TALK

Children's Museum Program Is Announced.

R. T. Wilcox, authority on tropical fish, will talk at 9:30 Saturday morning on "Tropical Toys of the Aquarium," before the nature study class at the Children's museum.

The 10:30 class will see a film, "The Romance of Shoe Making."

Forty-eight groups visited the museum during April, according to the monthly report issued by the museum. Thirty-one of the groups were from the Indianapolis public schools, ten from township schools, four were adult groups, two were from private schools, and one from Shortridge high school.

Schools on the attendance honor roll for April were: District 1—12, 47, and 2; District 2—72, 31, 18, and 22; District 3—58, 62, and 54; District 4—38, 37, 33, and 81; District 5—32, 60, 91, and 76; District 6—41, 23, and 44; and District 7—Orchard school, Tudor hall, and Holy Cross school.

Arthur B. Carr, curator of the museum, has urged teachers to encourage pupils to attend the museum during the summer vacation.

## NOBLE, BUT HARD UP

Lady Chetwode Takes Cheapest Trip to U. S. to See Son.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Lady Chetwode, social leader and wife of the commander of British forces in India, is visiting her bank-student son here, after a 999 tourist cabin trip from England on the Majestic. "I am here for only a fortnight to see my son. Why should I spend a lot of money uselessly to do it?" she replied to questions.

The minimum first class rate for the trip would have been \$140.

# Appear 'In Woodland'



Upper Photo (left to right)—Margaret Van Buskirk, 2721 Bellefontaine street; Clarine Damron, 2125 Bellefontaine street; Dorothy Frost, 2005 1/2 College avenue, and Betty Stern, 2026 College avenue.

Lower (front)—Mary Eisenman, 1809 College avenue.

Back Row (left to right)—Lydia Hooker, 2108 Bellefontaine street; Kathleen Knecht, 520 North Meridian street; Apt. 24, and Mary Potter, 1933 Broadway.

## MEMBERS OF THE GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

at Oliver P. Morton school No. 29, at 2101 College avenue, were to be "In Woodland" today. They were to stage a cantata of that title at 2:30 this afternoon before a meeting of the school's Parent-Teacher Association.

Fifty-two girls, all in the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades were to take part in the presentation. Director of the production was to be Miss Beulah McCoin, teacher of music.

## Members of the cast, besides the

eight girls shown in the photos are: Juanita Lawler, Margery Carl, Margaret Hill, Eleanor Oakes, Violet Shindell, Anna Marie Smith, Charlene Whittinger, Edythe Bullock, Thelma Hooker, Adele Smith, Phyllis Stone, Marjorie Allison, Wilma Bockius, Mildred Couch, Margaret McInnis, Lillie Mae Olev, Maxine Reed, Delores Fraher, Verna Dixon, Harriet Eccles, Naomi Lance, Martha Morgan, Irene Polard, Marguerite Aldrich, Mary Charlotte Babb, Mary Whitfield, Evelyn Arnold, Margaret Green, Louise Hooker, Louise South, Maryvinn Stone, Evelyn Ayler, Dorothy Cooper, Dorothy Egler, Dorothy Fryer, Elizabeth Sayler, Lucy Sprague, Ella Swift, Vivian Arbuckle, Kathryn King, Betty Jean Loos, Mabel McCord, Bess Palmer, and Helen Stoll.

## Boy Artist



Clarence Harding

Clarence Harding, 1610 Fletcher avenue, a pupil of William McKinley school No. 39, will sing at 8:15 Saturday night over station WOWO at Ft. Wayne. He has sung over WKBF and WLS at Chicago. He also has appeared on the Wednesday night program of the Indianapolis public schools.

## LAST PAPERS ISSUED

Thirty-Five Contribute to Final Brookside Booster.

Final number of the Brookside Booster, student publication of Brookside school No. 54, Dearborn and Tenth streets, recently was issued. Thirty-five pupils made up the list of contributors to the paper.

Contributors were: Mary Green, Florence Polop, Betty Harlick, Jane Cochran, Martha Jean Dunlap, Jo Ann Grabhorn, Mary Newbold, Albert Polop, Donald Allsapp, Bob Pittman, Marjorie Harbold, Phyllis Ann Goth, William Herman, Edward Stoepel, Sherlene Kehn, Wilma Grabhorn, Audrey Roach, Ruth Smith, Arthur Sanford, Helen Alexander, Geraldine Leon, Rosemary Reintman, Clarence Shannon, Eugene Pebbles, Ruth Quinn, Margery McCreary, Bobby Sachs, Fred Wolf, Tom Boyer, Mary Louise Carney, Louise Ann Phyllis Shale, Virginia Trickey, Donald Sinclair, and Martha Addison.

Clarence Shannon, in addition to being one of the contributors, did a linoleum block print for the cover.

## Asthma Made His Life a Burden

"I had asthma 7 years and a severe bronchial cough 12 years," says Joe Thompson, Ellettsville, Ind. "It kept me and even my neighbors awake at night. I was confined to my bed at the time I tried Asthma, but before I had finished one bottle I was able to go to work. I improved steadily and am now feeling fine. Have had no cough and no asthma for over a year."

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# FINAL CONCERT TO BE GIVEN BY S. H. S. BAND

Fourth of Series Will Be Played Sunday in Mills Hall.

Fourth and last concert for the season of the Shortridge high school band will be given Sunday afternoon in Caleb Mills hall.

In addition to the musical program, George Buck, principal of the school, will present band sweaters to three members, Robert Johnson, Noel Ward and Heath Compton. The sweaters are blue with a monogram, consisting of an "S" with a lyre.

Each member winning an award has been in the band six semesters, and has been rated with an average of 95 per cent or more in his musical work.

Directing the band will be Robert J. Shults of the physics department.

Selections which will be played by the band are "Lustspiel Overture," by Keler-Bela; three movements of "Sigurd Jorsalfar," by Grieg; and selections from "Tanhauser," by Wagner.

In addition, Paul Evans will play a cornet solo, "Cavalier Polka," by Losey. Miss Christine Houseman at the organ, and Robert Shults at the piano, will play "Kammenot Ostrow, Opus 10, No. 22," by Rubinstein.

## EDUCATORS TO MEET

300 Leaders of Psychology Will Attend Indiana U. Sessions.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., May 11.—Annual spring meeting of the Mid-Western Psychological Association will be held at Indiana university here May 13 and 14, it was announced today. Approximately 300 educators in industrial psychology are expected for the sessions.

Dr. Herbert Woodrow of the University of Illinois, president of the association, will give the address at a banquet Saturday night.

In connection with the conference, annual spring meeting of the Indiana Philosophical Association will be held May 12. Professor Edward Scribner Ames of the department of philosophy of the University of Chicago will be the principal speaker.

## Mrs. Mikels Resigns

Mrs. Rosa M. R. Mikels, member of the Shortridge high school English faculty for more than twenty years, has submitted her resignation, effective at the end of the school year. She is author of "Short Stories for English Courses" and co-author with Miss Grace Shoup of "Poetry of Today," an anthology of modern verse.

## Marion Ballinger Is Class Poet

Marion Ballinger has been named poet of the senior class of Shortridge high school following a contest held recently. She will read her winning poem at class day exercises June 6.

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# 8-A Graduates of School 55



Top Row (left to right)—Lynn Giles, Dorothy Gladden, Irma Kafaden, Dolores Schmidt, Esther Barnes, Emma Taylor.  
Second Row—Harold Haslet, William Brooks, Woodrow Means, George Craig, Clayton Spaulding, William Childs.  
Third Row—Edwin Barnes, Robert Ahlfield, Robert Baare, Robert Lee Grant, George Phillips, Albert Weaver.