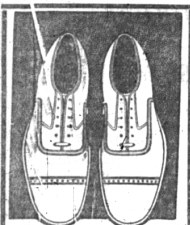


# News of Baldwin and Other Schools

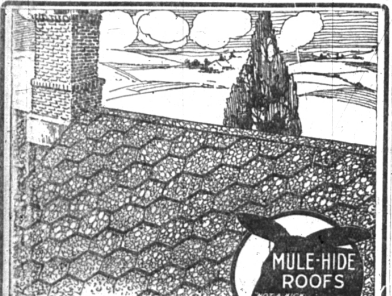
## SIDELIGHTS ON THE WASHINGTON TRIP

Pep galore accompanied the departure of the Washington group as its carefree members boarded the train at the Union depot Detroit a week ago last Saturday. Singing and cheering was mingled with anticipatory excitement which thrilled every student. Several Detroit newspaper photographers were present to record the entraining, a motion picture camera filmed the throng as it boarded the observation car and pulled away. A large sign telling when, where, what and why, in regard to the group, was attached to the railing of the observation car and was kept in sight every where the group traveled.

Little sleep was gained the first night out on the sleepers. Still undisturbed by any strain, almost everyone remained awake in their berths talking and laughing and explaining to the car at large the scenes through which they passed. Pittsburgh which was supposed to be reached about midnight was seen according to announcements every half hour until finally the city of factories,



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## SPELLING BEE HERE FRIDAY

Representatives of a dozen schools in this district meet tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at Baldwin High School to compete in one of 45 district spelling bees being conducted in Michigan and which lead to the state meet at the State Fair Coliseum, Friday, May 11 when approximately 100 students will gather to decide the champion to attend the national spelling bee at Washington, D. C.  
In the district contest tomorrow each of the following schools will have one pupil appearing to gain honors: Adams, Adams Jones, Baldwin, Bartram, Hill, Pierce, Blonfield Center, Whitfield, Wing Lake and Starr.  
The judges will be Principals Mylin C. Hart, and Frances M. Cook. Superintendent Clarence Vliet will officiate as chairman. The words for the bee are to be taken from the list provided by the Detroit News.

## JUNIOR HIGH PLANS OPERA

Cast Announced For Second Annual Play By Baldwin Students  
The second annual junior high school opera, "Bits of Harmony," composed by Carrington and directed by Miss Mae Brammell, head of the music department of the Baldwin High School is to be given April 27 in the Baldwin auditorium. It consists of modern and is laid in and around a private Irish estate.  
Mary Emma Krusen and Benjamin McAlpine have the leading parts while George Shays and Margery Ribber have important roles. Others in the cast are Shirley Brown, Greg Hoover, Donald McElwain and a group of boys dancing girls. A large chorus of boys and girls complete the cast.

## Baldwin Briefs

Band, orchestra, and instrumental classes have been suspended this week, as Supervisors of the Instrumental Music Arnold W. Berndt is attending the National Musical convention at Chicago. These activities will be resumed as usual next Monday.  
Miss Mabel Brown, kindergarten instructor at the Adams School, is attending the International Kindergarten Union held this week in Grand Rapids.  
To William S. Toothacker, the group adviser and director, went a great deal of praise for his ability to conduct a capitol tour, keep things running smoothly and keep tabs of every person. His experience in conducting four other such trips enables him to supervise with sagacity such a large assembly of students. E. G. Potter who organizes Washington trips

## LANGUAGE NEEDED IN THIS COUNTRY

The complex makeup of the Philippine radio audience, is said to require more ingenuity, energy, patience and understanding of local audience than is required in any other part of the world. For this reason, the Philippine Broadcasting Commission, but Station KZRM, Manila, does not attempt to have numbers in each dialect. However, on special occasions some of the dialects are used, and regular programs in English, Spanish and Tagalog, besides which there are the usual operatic numbers and classes in Italian and French or whatever the proper text of the composers may be.  
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## WE HEARD IT SAID BY...

Clarence Vliet, Superintendent of Schools: "We accept applications for teaching positions as fast as they come in. I had 10 candidates come to see me Saturday."  
Audience's understanding is just about the same. Thus it is really understood that programs have to be varied more than elsewhere. And that the average talent elsewhere is proportionately greater than in the Philippines, where it is divided into several classes to meet the various requests of the listeners who want songs and numbers in the language or dialect they understand and enjoy most.  
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But for those musically educated the diatonic scale is universally used and any masterpiece is appreciated. It is realized that our programs do not on the whole appeal to all of either the Spanish, native, or English-speaking population, but we try to have numbers on each program that meet the wishes of as many as possible.

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