

News of The Week

SELECT 13 BEST SPELLERS IN GRADE SCHOOL

Winners in Baldwin, Pierce, Hill, Quanton And Adams Are Chosen

LOCAL BEE, APRIL 4

The grade school spelling bee was conducted in Birmingham schools, Mar. 13 including the fifth, seventh and eighth grades in which 13 champions of the six schools were chosen. The grade champions from each school will enter the district contest. From this bee the district winner will be chosen to go to Detroit for the Metropolitan championship at the Coliseum where the district championship will be determined. The winner will enter the National spelling bee finals at Washington D. C. May 27.

Maxine George was proclaimed the eighth grade spelling champion of Baldwin High and Jane Long the seventh grade champion. Hugh McHugh will represent Adams school eighth grade in the school contest; Robert Bender in the seventh, Mary Sundeck in the sixth, and Jane Hyde in the fifth. James Martindale is winner of the sixth grade contest of the Hill School and Victor Kustner winner of the fifth grade contest while the Quanton school winners are James Ruthenberg, sixth grade winner and George Hunt fifth gradewinner. Dorothy Ward will represent the sixth grade of the Pierce School, Geraldyna Standring the fifth and Edith Sykners

REGULATION OF HOME STUDIES IMPORTANT FACTOR IN EDUCATION

The fifth grade champion of Bar-num school. The bees were conducted by grades, each grade represented by a team of its 10 best spellers. The test of the series of bees will be carried out by teams but by individual champions the runner-up in each contest taking the winner's place if he should be unable to compete at the time of any bee. Mrs. Lois Hicks, chairman of the contest, said this year's bee surpasses the previous contests in excellence, the seventh grade doing the most outstanding work. Mrs. Hicks further stated that the sixth grades have the advantage of the eighth as there is much more time devoted to training in that work in the lower grades.

10-A AND 11-B QUINTETS WIN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Clashing in two fast games the 10-A grade class basketball team vanquished the 11-B class team, 26-14, to take the senior high school intersclass basketball championship while the 9-A team topped the 8-A quintet, 24-12, to win the crown of the junior high intersclass championship and bring to a close a week of intersclass tournaments on Thursday.

In the district finals, the 10-A's downed the 12-A's, 26 to 14, and the 9-A's conquered the 8's, 24-12. Tuesday, the 11-B's rimmed the 10-B's, 24-12, and the 9-B's defeated the 8-B's, 24-12, and the 10-A's defeated the 10-B's, 18-11.

The final meeting of the Oakland County Schoolmasters' club will be held April 11 in the Pontiac Lincoln Junior High School. The subject for discussion will concern the Spring track meet program and Melvin C. Hart, president, will preside.

According to Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High School, the regulation of school and home study are important factors in school supervision. In the grade schools there is practically no home work to be done by the child, the supervision of the study is so planned by the instructors that the student has ample opportunity to complete his studies during the course of the school day.

The situation is somewhat altered in the senior high grades, however for the average student carries four solid subjects thus giving him three study periods each day. In most cases he must prepare only one subject at home. In many cases if the student is ambitious he manages to accomplish everything during the school hours providing he reaches school earlier in the morning or spends extra time there in the afternoon.

That the school is doing a high grade of work is attested by the fact that the reports which have been returned for the first semester work for college students record no failures from Baldwin graduates thus far. Practically outstanding is the fact that two, now enrolled as freshmen at the University of Michigan, received A's in French for the first semester's work.

Judging from the reports of the last semester's work in the High School, the accomplishments are very outstanding showing a very small percentage of failures in the individual departments of study. Following are the failure percentages for the first semester: English, 8.5; Mathematics, 7.2; Natural Science, 9.4; Language, 12.2; Vocational and Commercial, 4.1; Social Science, 9.7; and the special departments including music, art and gymnasium, 1.10 of 1's.

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Twelve Students To Meet Each Tuesday To Discuss School Problem

GAIL IS CHAIRMAN

A committee of 12 students has been selected to represent each class in the high school for the revision of the citizenship code used in the school. The committee is composed of one delegate from each class appointed by the class president and advisors, and will meet every Tuesday to further the revision of the code which has caused considerable controversy among the student body, the faculty and parents of students in regard to its interpretation.

Under the citizenship code there are four types of citizens: excellent, good, average and poor, the qualities of each type enumerated on the back of the report card, and the classification of the student in each class indicated on the card together with the subject average for each five-week period.

The citizenship mark is identified by numbers, each instructor marking according to his interpretation of the code. The controversy is based on the contention that the high distinction in the qualities between the first two types of citizens, "Leadership" and "Good," is too small and that the student may be excellent in every way, lacking only the essential executive quality thus receiving the mark of an inferior type of person. This, according to views of the complainant is not fair. The chief complaint arises from the fact that there is not enough difference in the good and fair type of citizen which results in some difficulty on the part of the faculty in marking the student.

Following is the committee which will work on the code to be presented through the Junior High student Council to Melvin C. Hart, principal, for approval: Trowbridge Gail, chairman; Katherine Carr, secretary; Maurice Curry, Stanley Turner, Gorton Greene, Madge Williams, Marjorie Taylor, Jack Patterson, Patricia Paul, Donald Serving, Shirley Hoofnagle and Francis Allen.

ATHLETIC AWARD RULING CHANGED

Student Council Ends Former Confusion In Sport Honors

Under new rulings made by the Student Athletic Council recently, the Baldwin High School athletic awards will be made during the last assembly programs in both the fall and spring semesters. The new ruling eliminates much of the confusion and misunderstandings that take place during the presentation of athletic letters at annual athletic dances sponsored by the school after the basketball and football seasons.

The Athletic Council, organized last semester, includes both members of the student body and members of the faculty. All recommendations for athletic awards must pass through the hands of the council and be sanctioned by the council before the awards are made. The letters for football and cross-country squads will be given to the teams during an assembly program held before Christmas while the letters for basketball, track, and baseball will be presented sometime in the last of June.

Student members of the council are: Donald Gore and Jean Brooks, seniors; Derwood Havri, sophomore; James Brien, junior; Fred Sage, freshman; and Harry York from the Varsity Club. Faculty members are: Miss Helen McIntyre, Coach Engle, Coach Johnson, and Principal Hart.

GIVE OPERETTA AT PIERCE SCHOOL

Students Present "Seven Seas" Tomorrow In Auditorium At 7:45 P. M.

The children of the Pierce School will present the operetta, "Seven Seas," Friday at 7:45 p. m. in the Pierce Auditorium under the direction of Mrs. Edith Roach Correll music instructor. Miss Dorothy Ward, physical training instructor at Quanton School. The operetta will include a cast of 130 children from both the music and physical training departments and will be directed by the directors and given previously at the Quanton School Feb. 28.

Lorraine Elliott and Melvin Morehouse have the leading roles supported by Harry Connell, Fred Peoples, Lorraine Loftis, Bobby Stevens, Dorothy Ward, Betty Livy, Naome Schwallie, Charles Porter, Dorothy Brown, Willard Barber, Jane Schneider, Geraldyn Standing, and Bernice Beignuel. The operetta will feature music and dances depicting many of the folk dances and customs of the European countries.

first Royal Oak game won him a permanent berth on the squad as a regular.

Co-captain Wedge also was one of the most valuable men on the team. Both basketball and baseball seem to be the main athletics on his list of sports. He can fill the pitcher's box adequately and back up the catcher, square left a guard position. When it comes to rimming long shots, Wedge is almost as accurate as a dove.

Another good man who figured in the last five games of the year was Eddie Deer at guard. Douglas Berger was one of the outstanding men of the team until he became ineligible after the tilt at the Tunnel City.

At a recent meeting of the S. E. A. A. League, during which Mr. Engel and Mr. Johnson, athletic directors of the Baldwin High School, were both present, it was announced that Grosse Pointe won the Championship of the northern section of the League and River Rouge captured the high honors for the southern section. Pontiac, one of Birmingham's ancient rivals, was admitted to the league at the same meeting.

In addition to the general grammar and reading study in the Spanish department under Mrs. Lois Hicks the students are engaged in project work. According to Mrs. Hicks the students find it interesting as well as educational to read some of the papers of South America written in Spanish and give reports of the articles, as well as the advertising which has to do with many of the American products.

Stoddard White is the only student of Baldwin High to participate in the contest sponsored by the Canard Steamship Line to write on the League of Nations. Stoddard took his examination Mar. 12 under H. Earl Corye, civics instructor, after having studied the book sent out by the company which explained the details of the league.

The man who can banish ashes deserves the deep gratitude of the whole community," says a writer. A fitting tribute, we feel, would be the eventual unveiling of an aspirin tablet to his memory.—Humorist.

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Professor Lauds Efficiency

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