

# Student Plays Success; Grosse Pointe Beats Cagers

**BIG AUDIENCE LAUDS SCHOOL PERFORMANCE**

## Examinations Over, Cranbrook Athletes Resume Activities On Gym And Rink

With the mid-year examination period now over, athletics are resuming their normal activity at Cranbrook this week. While the examinations were in progress last week, there was little time for formal practice in any of the sports, and no games were scheduled. Tomorrow, however, will find both the basketball and hockey teams in action.

Coach Finney's basketball team will play their second game with Berkeley High School. An earlier encounter between the two teams resulted in a victory for the Blue and Gray by the score of 29 to 16. The game was one of the high marks of the Cranbrook season, and it is hoped that the team will display the same high quality of play tomorrow.

**Meet Redford High**

Providing the weather provides good ice which has enabled the Blue and Gray to play the game of the Caliph. Ruth Pratt as Henrietta Whipstitch, the romantic spinster; Constance Cross, as the American consul, and Shirley Brown, as her daughter, and Mary Louise Johns, as the latter's friend and companion, won enthusiastic praise as did Mary Clare Starr as a dancing girl.

The scenery and costumes were additional objects of praise. Miles W. Robinson and Mrs. Helen Kidman were in charge of this part of the opera. Credit for the general direction of the performance is due Miss Matt Brumstead, director of vocal music at Baldwin High School, and to Miss Evangeline Purcell and Mrs. Frances Stephenson, who assisted, and Jean Deer were the daughters.

## 2,526 STUDENTS NOW ENROLLED

### Senior and Junior Schools Show Increase in Registrations

The total enrollment in the Birmingham Schools system for the second semester up to Feb. 10 is 2,526 as compared to a total registration last September of 2,488 students. In almost every case the enrollment in the junior high and senior high sections has increased while the registrations in the grades have decreased somewhat.

According to Clarence Vliet, superintendent of schools, the decrease in the grade school enrollment is no doubt due to the fact that many of the smaller children are quarantined at this time of the year or are confined to their homes by communicable diseases.

"However," he adds, "2,526 is the largest number of students that have been registered at the beginning of any semester in the Birmingham schools."

The following chart shows the comparative increase or decrease of enrollments at the various schools:

School	Sept. (1930)	Feb. (1931)
Baldwin	555	525
Adams	500	520
Barnum	300	280
Corbett	210	210
Quantico	210	210
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,488</b>	<b>2,526</b>

## Rally Too Late To Overcome Millionaires' 12-Point Lead

By W. STODDARD WHITE

A SMASHING second-half rally came too late for Baldwin High School's basketball team, which Friday night lost to Grosse Pointe by a 26-18 score on the Pointe floor.

The Maple basketweavers were heavy-footed in the first half, particularly in the first quarter, when they failed to score a single point and permitted their opponents to roll up eight. In the second period the Millionaires scored seven points to Baldwin's three, for a 15-3 lead at the half.

Stating under the strong lead of the Pointers, the Maple team came out on the floor at the beginning of the third period and cut loose with a whirling offense that ran their score up almost immediately, so that at the end of the period they had diminished the Pointe five's lead to a score of 20-11. In the final period Baldwin made seven points to six for Grosse Pointe, but the rally had come too late.

**Beaten Before Battle**

An infirmity complex—fear of a larger team which is at its best in eight years—was responsible for the slow start and consequent loss for the Maroons. They went on the floor confident that they could do nothing against Grosse Pointe. Toward the end of the first half they realized that perhaps the home team was not invincible, and this was responsible for their changed attitude at the beginning of the third quarter.

Another factor in the Maple defeat was the small number of men with which Coach Whitney was forced to go into battle. Graduation, ineligibility, and illness have depleted the ranks, until the entire squad numbers 16 men. Grosse Pointe has over five times as many. The Maroon had seven varsity men in uniform for the game, giving them a margin of two substitutes; the Pointers had 19, a margin of 11 scores.

Mary E. Robinson, Rob Sabin, Wilbur Schlieske, Fred Schwabe, Barbara Sear, Betty Sear, Betty Sheridan, Betty Spinning, and Elizabeth White.

Mary Ann Reed was elected president of the Adams Junior High School student council in the elections held last Friday. Other officers elected to serve with her were Yvonne Gay, vice-president, and Dorothy Ray, secretary-treasurer.

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## NOTED HYPNOTIST IS SCHOOL GUEST

Lawrence O. Arabia's Former Officer To Give Talk at Cranbrook

Outstanding among the series of Saturday evening entertainments and lectures given at Cranbrook school will be the appearance of the noted hypnotist, Lawrence O. Arabia, formerly of the Intelligence Department of the British Army in India. He will talk to the students and guests of the school on hypnosis, a subject in which he is primarily interested and extremely well versed.

The son of the chief surgeon at the British army in India, Capt. Donovan studied medicine, becoming at first the assistant to his father. Interested, however, to continue studying, this time in the subject of hypnosis, with particular emphasis upon its use in curing disease, and as an anesthetic for major operations.

After serving for a few years in the medical corps, he was transferred to the intelligence division of the army, where he made use of his knowledge of hypnosis to acquire information from enemy prisoners. At the same time he continued the practice of aiding in the curing of sick of injured soldiers with his hypnotic powers.

His appointment as a corporal in his command a T. E. Lawrence, who is now known in the world over as the Lawrence of Arabia for his exploits in that country in later years.

## TEACHERS' CLUB ENJOYS PROGRAM

Dancing, Music Feature Meeting at Community House On Wednesday

Specialty numbers and dance selections featured the regular meeting of the Birmingham Teachers' Club, held Wednesday evening in the Community House. The meeting was in charge of the social committee, headed by Mrs. Edith Roach Corryell, director of vocal music at Barnum Junior High School, as chairman.

The tables were decorated with tulips, narcissi, and yellow tapers. Favours were given at each table. Following dinner, dancing and bridge featured the entertainment. Prizes were awarded to the winners at each table.

A special musical number was presented by the girls' quartet from the home team. Junior High School club, Shirley Hoof, Marguerite Tate, Audrey Skene, and Phyllis Carter were the members of the quartet. Lorraine Elliott gave a toe dancing feature. Earl Wilson and Frank Phillips, also of Barnum Junior High School, offered a specialty dance number. Yvonne and Genevieve Gay from the Adams School also gave a dance selection.

Besides Mrs. Corryell the following teachers are members of the social committee: Mrs. Geraldine Forsythe, Barnum; Donald Joy, Adams; Mrs. Mabel Binkie, Quantico; Miss Jeanette Krickard, Adams; and Miss Josephine Bristol, Barnum.

## Maroon and White To Publish Weekly

For the first time in the history of the school, the Maroon and White, official publication of Baldwin High School, will issue weekly. It is announced by the advisers of the staff, Miss Valere, Miss Emily Walker, and Miss Mac Brumsted.

Included on the program will be a substitute section, "Pickin' Mills"; a vocal solo by Helen Strand with Genevieve Upper as accompanist, and a vocal sketch entertainment by Howard Whalen, Rev. W. Clarence Wright, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will be the speaker.

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