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B. S. CLASSES CO. HOUSE HEADS

Wayne White, Robert Savage Elected Presidents Of Senior Groups

Officers for the present school semester were elected by all Baldwin High School classes yesterday afternoon.

Wayne White and Robert Savage were elected to the presidency of the 12A and 12B classes, respectively; Savage, who was vice-president of his class last year, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Savage of North Cranbrook Road. (White's parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. K. White, who reside at 440 Lake Park Drive.) Fred Boynton, vice-president; Wilbur Macdonald, secretary; and Fred Cushing, treasurer, compiled the list of 12A class officials, while Harriet Brelsford, secretary, and Mary Ann Beebe, treasurer, made up the remainder of the 12B officers.

A list of those elected to offices in the remainder of the Baldwin classes follows:

- 11A—John Parker, president; Richard Painter, vice-president; Richard Gibbons, secretary-treasurer.
- 11B—Ralph DuBois, president; Frank Savage, vice-president; Dorothy Porritt, secretary-treasurer.
- 10A—Kirk Martin, president; Ruth Smith, vice-president; Bill Pratt, treasurer.
- 10B—Jim Martindale, president; Lloyd Forrester, vice-president; Charles James, secretary-treasurer.
- 9A—Margaret Scriven, president; Harold King, vice-president; John Davis, secretary-treasurer.
- 9B—Donald Clark, president; Nancy Brewster, vice-president; Joan Baker, secretary-treasurer.
- 8B—W. McKinney, president; Kay Wygant, vice-president; George Rounds, secretary; Mayfa Gracey, treasurer.
- 7A—Quinton Brelsford, president; Marilyn Prussing, vice-president; Barbara Rupp, secretary-treasurer.

The 7B class failed to file a report with Mrs. Charlotte Thorne, librarian following the election. The advisors for the Baldwin classes as announced by Principal Melvin C. Hart are:

- 7B—Miss Eleanor Miller; 7A—Miss Frieda Huggert; 8B—Miss Rhoda Demore; 8A—Miss Fleness Ackerly; 9B—Miss Helen Hammond; 9A—Mrs. Helen Kildler; 10B—Miss Marie Stutz; Miss Dorothy Allen and Eugene Hubbard; 10A—Miss Ruth Hull and Franklin Whitney; 11B—Miss Merle Taylor and Miss Emily Walker; 11A—Miss Evangeline Pursell; 12B—Miss Vida McGiffen and W. S. Toothacker; 12A—Miss Mable Stickle.

A list of those students elected to offices by Adams Junior High pupils during the past week follows:

- 9th grade—John Neerke, president; Paul Wayman, vice-president; John Ragby, secretary-treasurer; 8A—Sam Bruni, president; Virginia Borden, vice-president; Ann Caldwell, secretary-treasurer; 7B—Dwight Shuter, president; Billy Spinning, vice-president; Betty Lee, secretary-treasurer; 7A—Evelyn Wagby, president; Dorothy King, vice-president; Charlotte Lilley, secretary-treasurer.

Committee Cites Two More Gardens

The awarding of two more prizes in the second annual Birmingham Yard and Garden Contest, in addition to that last week, was announced yesterday by W. Whiting Raymond general chairman.

The winners were William Asch, gardener for Mrs. Ida Morris, Hamhurst road, and Mrs. C. W. MacGregor, 123 Wadlington road. Both of these gardens had been given honorable mention, but the judges later decided to award the Morris garden a prize for fifth place among large gardens in the class on which second work was done by hired labor, and to give a prize to Mrs. MacGregor for fifth place among medium-sized gardens of the same class.

Mrs. MacGregor's prize, from among the list donated by business men, was a year's subscription to The Birmingham Eccentric. Mr. Asch was awarded a tin of auto grease by Alwood B. Oatman of the Acheson Graphite Company. Besides the more than 50 prizes donated for distribution to winners in the contest, the committee received a contribution of \$10 from the Judson Bradley Company to defray incidental expenses of the contest. Mr. Raymond said:

Constant Reminders—You will soon forget her and be happy again. I'll be loved—Oh, no, I shan't. I've bought too much for her on the installment plan.—En Rollie, Gothenberg.

Excuse It, Please—Timid Householder (resourcefully, after discovering two burglars in his house): "Excuse it, please, I'm only walking in my 9-sleep."—Boston Transcript.

In the Dog Days—Bride: "Who is the man in the blue coat, darling?" Groom: "That's the umpire, dear." Bride: "Why does he wear that funny wire thing over his face?" Groom: "To keep from being hit by the players' positions."—Wall Street Journal.

JAMES ASWELL

By Central Press NEW YORK.—Madhattan Grab Bag:

One of the homely little cross-town streets which poke through B o s t o n is the "Forties" . . . Lev ran into . . . Low Gody the other day . . . Low, who, with the spectacles of screen villainy, was chatting with a motherly old lady about to board the bus for Boston, which takes off from the front of a modest theatrical hotel at 44th street, ably an old acquaintance of road days . . . He looked benign.

Making their port of call the heart of the second strata theatrical neighborhood is shrewd of the part of the bus companies . . . Here swarm the oldsters, the habes of faded spectacles, together with the lads and lassies exuberantly on the make and "seeing my agent tomorrow about that gold part"—or "the Hollywood offer" . . . The atmosphere is chummy with backstage snatches; the hotels almost exclusively given over to stage folk—wiry little hoodlums with the latest Broadway lingo and gossip; sad old men and women, headed for character roles in other cities on the slimmest of promises; perky blonded chorines, with eyes like the impudent black heads of pins.

In these purities I have seen Hal Leroy, surely the most accomplished of the current tap-dancing crop at 20, executing an idle buck-and-wing for the diversionment of a pair of youthful cronies—on the pavement outside a typical theatrical hotel. And out of windows, across the narrow streets, girls in gingham rehearsal rompers (or other cities) in other cities on the slimmest of promises; perky blonded chorines, with eyes like the impudent black heads of pins.

PENNY ARCADE

The penny arcade, up until a few years ago considered on the wane and slightly outmoded, for all the phenomenal success of the Flea Circus in 42nd street, has had of late a puzzling climb to prosperity . . . New ones have blossomed forth in likely spots and shooting galleries, grip testers, "Venus at the Bath" peep-shows draw crowds . . . One such emporium, in Sixth avenue, is managed by a man who made his million—lost it—in the early days of moving pictures . . . He got his start with the penny arcade, almost unchanged in its attractions over 25 years, and he has gone back to it to recoup . . . He plans to open a film studio in Florida and shoot "quickie" comedies as soon as he has the requisite stake . . . His wife is one of the few professional lady wrestlers, temporarily "resting" and helping count the receipts of their amusement cube . . .

COUNT THE FISH

Many of the little ruses which Broadway uses to enchant the gullible—namely, the native New Yorker—and me a moment sucker . . . For instance, the goldfish-counting gag employed currently by one of the Loew theaters along the Rialto caused me to miss an appointment the other night . . . There's a big show with a hundred fish swimming around in it—and around a five centary which sits unobtrusively in the apparent center of the globe of water. A neat trick, and I befuddled myself for half an hour trying to win the pair of passes given as reward to those who come closest to tabulating the correct number of uneasy swimmers . . . All this time I had my pair of newspaper passes in my pocket! . . .

BLURB

It is not often that I can give the movie folk any return for the tickets they send me to their productions. Indeed, I have a drawer full of unused pasteboards. But I would like to say that "The Power and the Glory" was the most interesting evening this reporter has spent in a movie house in nearly a year—just about twice as worthy, in my eyes, as cars, as the sentiments "Cavalcade."

Account Overdrawn

Doctor—"This is a very sad case, very sad indeed. I much regret to tell you that your wife's mind is gone—completely." Mr. Peck—"I'm not at all surprised, doctor. She's been giving me a piece of it every day for fifteen years."—New Haven Register.

Earlier the Better

Employer—"Not afraid of early hours, suppose?" Young Man—"You can't close up too early for me.—Fort Humbrey's Quadrangles."

Flighty Girl

"I hear that Maude has taken a River." "In the stock market?" "No, stupid! Become engaged to an aviator."

Bits O' Birmingham

By THE WANDERER

Among the law students who passed the state bar examinations held Sept. 11, 12, and 13, was Cecil McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McCallum, 948 East Maple avenue, according to announcement made in Lansing Monday.

The Wanderer doesn't mean to infer that the incident had any particular significance, but when Commissioner Arthur J. Brand Monday night nominated a successor to the late Commissioner T. B. Smith he picked out a man with whom he has at least two things in common—his first name and middle initial. Mr. Kane, the new commissioner, is "Arthur J. Kane" just like the man who suggested him.

The Birmingham Yard and Garden Contest committee last week sent a letter to Al C. Staley of Ambery road, informing him that his garden was one of the prize winners in this year's "competition." The letter brought a prompt reply to the effect that Mrs. Staley was the real gardener of the family, and that any credit for appearance and quality should go to her.

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