

ANNUAL SHOW AT CRANBROOK

Ergasterion Club Presents
"So This Is London"
December 6-7

The Cranbrook Ergasterion club presented on December 6 and 7 their seventh annual Christmas show in the form of "So This Is London" by Arthur Goodrich. The play is a comedy based on the reactions of an American family to the English before and after becoming intimately acquainted with an English family.

The first act depicts Hiram Draper, an American shoe-manufacturer, in his suite having a row because his son, Hiram Jr., has become engaged to an English girl by the name of Elinor Beauchamp.

After much discussion due to a dream scene in which the English are represented as staid, dull individuals, Draper and his family decide to accept the invitation of Lady Duckworth to spend the weekend at Brimsbut.

Meanwhile Hiram Jr. has set a price to a Mr. Alfred Honeycutt, the representative of J. A. Botts & Co., shoe concern which Hiram Sr. intends to buy.

The second act opens with Sir Percy Beauchamp up in the air over the fact that his daughter, Elinor, has consented to marry an American. Again we encounter a dream scene, this time in which the Americans are pictured as rough and tough animals.

In the meantime, Honeycutt has reported Draper's price to Sir Percy Beauchamp, the owner of Botts Bros., and an argument results in the latter's determination to fight the Yankees at their own game—namely an extensive, flustering advertising campaign.

Thus in a tight financial spot Beauchamp is forced to accept Lady Duckworth's dinner invitation to Brimsbut.

In the third act we find the two families sitting around together amicably discussing worldly affairs. Both families realize the ridiculousness of their previous conceptions of each other and Elinor and Junior have their parent's permission to be married. However, in a heated argument over where the marriage will take place Draper and Beauchamp almost have a split; but Lady Duckworth comes to the rescue and peacefully reconciles the two families.

The show was very well handled by the actors considering the difficulties that were encountered. The best acting was turned in by James Harlan who played Draper, a part which Will Rogers took seven years ago. Jerry McMechan as Sir Percy, Norman Getinger as Elinor, and Chilton Thomas as Lady Duckworth.

The parts of Hiram Jr. by Robert Chandler, Sir Percy Beauchamp by Lewis Bloomington, Lady Beauchamp by William Meyer, Alfred Honeycutt by Newell McGee, and the three butlers, by Wellesley Kaye, Thomas Talmay, and William Vawter were also very well done. The audience roared most of the time at the numerous jokes.

The stage crew composed of Charles Gilbert (stage manager), Richard Wallace (head carpenter), Edward Roe (master electrician), Nelson Ewing (chief grip), Eric Meyer (costumes), Stephen Voser (technical assistant), Eva Parker (properties), Jack McPherson (business manager), and Seymour Avery (asst. business manager) contributed much towards the success of the production. The faculty end of the production was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wonnberger, Mr. Stephens, and Mr. Curtis.

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7A Homeroom Has 12 Of 17
On List; Cheerleaders
Are Chosen

The following are the students on the Baldwin high school honor roll:

7th grade—George Austen, Janet Beasted, Carol Chandler, Carol Clark, David Cole, Jane Collins, Elizabeth Cooper, Dick Muzey, Virginia Nicholson, Martha Phelps, Helen Reanda, Elaine Staples, and Helen Tippet; 8th grade—Cameron Biggers, Peggy Clark, Ruth Cowen, Cecelia Eby, Pete Hecox, Dick Jarrell, Louise Mills, George McCutcheon, Betty Newell, Port Kenton Shaver, Kenneth Spahr; 9th grade—Marion Allen, Roger Blackmore, Margaret Coryfield, Catherine Harfer, Betty Harfield, Catherine Harfer, Betty Harfield, Max Horton, Dorothy King, Anita Kurth, Martha Mellinger, Bob May, Barbara Rhodes, Gertrude Rogerson, Byron Rumble, Betty Seager, Rea Trimmer, Arthur Underwood, Bill Vinton, Virginia Watson, Bobette Wiley, Put Williams; 10th grade—Betty Atkins, Bill Averill, Peggy Bailey, Mary Bassett, Jack Bell, Joan Billings, Jane Boughner, Joan Campbell, George DeGraff, Mary DeMong, Dick Erwin, John Ferris, John Gellatly, Charles Hallett, Betty Howsworth, Barbara Johnson, Jay Johnston, Anne Lash, Jean Larson, Jean L'Honnard, Virginia Lockrow, Dorothy McCormick, Robert Navin, May Ogden, Kate Osborn, Alice Painter, Faith Parkyn, Mary Patterson, Frank Peabody, Charles Pearce, Barbara Phillips, Leona Purcell, George Rounds, Frances Roura, Shirley Smith, Lorraine Stanen, Mary Staples; 11th grade—Patricia Allen Richard Altman, Robert Bailey, Jean Baker, Marjorie Baldwin, Charles Boynton, Nancy Brewster, Chester Chatfield, Maude Darling, Edward Horton, Jane Hyde, Dorothy Kelly, Glen Kenell, Louise Moorehead, Mary Ellen McCutcheon, John Neebeck, Peggy Reid, Max Schuck, Ruth Seager, Maurice Thompson, Steve Wigan; 12th grade—Harriet Blalock, June Babcock, Carolyn Barnes, Elizabeth Brelsford, Florence Brotherton, John Church, Helen Drury, Mary Eddy, Phyllis Fleming, Lloyd Foster, George Frye, Herbert Gardner, Amy Harrell, Judy Harris, John Hill, Helen Hogen, John Hubert, Jeanne Judson, Margaret Lynd, Esther Lee May, Louise May, Marguerite Macdonald, Tom Noy, Jack Reynolds, Adelaide Scott, Barbara Sears, Betty Sheridan, Betty Spinning, Dorothy Ward, Bob Watt, Dorothea Westery.

7A Home-room Highest
The boys and girls of the 7A homeroom at Baldwin high school are proud to state that they maintain the largest percentage of honor roll students. This is an extremely small class of 17, but of this number, 12 are on the honor roll. The class hopes to maintain this standard. This homeroom has also purchased the largest amount of Red Cross Christmas seals.

Next Monday, December 16, the Teachers' club of Birmingham is sponsoring a dinner-dance to be held at the Birmingham Community House. The entertainment will be furnished by the Baldwin senior high dramatic club, who will put on a one-act Christmas play, "The Christmas Eve," by Mrs. Corryell; and music by Mr. Berndt of Baldwin high school band.

Interviews College Folk
On December 4 Melvin C. Hart, principal at Baldwin high school, went to Michigan State College in Lansing to interview Baldwin high school graduates enrolled there. Mr. Hart talked over their work, their plans, or any difficulties they had arisen. As a whole he found that they were getting along well.

Those Mr. Hart talked with were Ted Huxford, John Wilson, Louis Randall, Lucille Hallett, Carol Dwyer, Dorothy De Lee, Norman Clark, and Monroe Carleton.

Yule Drag December 21
The Delta Beta Sigma sorority will hold its "Yule Drag" Saturday, Dec. 21, at the Forest Lake Country club. The music will be provided by Max Gail and his orchestra.

The chaperones are Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Coulson.

The committee in charge of the dance is Joanne Hart, Alice Botsford, Joan Baker, and Amy Harrell.

The Senior G. A. A. basketball has commenced and two practices have already been held. Teams have been organized according to grades.

The managers for the teams are as follows: 10B—Anna Mary Adams; 10A—two teams—Elizabeth McCurry; 11B (two teams)—Adele Cole; 11A—Louise Vignorio; and 12B—Helen Armstrong.

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