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### To Send Delegates to Mt. Clemens for EML Meeting

The second Eastern Michigan League conference to be held April 3 at Mt. Clemens will be attended by representatives of the Baldwin high school Student Congress.

Guest speaker will be Paul Harris, who will talk on the conference theme "Education for Peace". Harris was raised in between Washington and world affairs groups throughout the country for 12 years. He has written several books and lectured two seasons for Town Hall in New York City.

Another feature of the conference will be a round table discussion, "How student councils can further racial and religious understanding in schools."

There will also be four discussion groups whose topics will be inter-school assemblies, press club, a more effective student government, and problems and successful projects of student councils.

### 11 Lettermen Out for Track Team

Opening the 1948 track season officially, the candidates for the first practice last Monday.

At a previous meeting it was learned that 24 new sweat suits have been purchased by the athletic department.

Returning lettermen from last season's league championship squad are Jim Anderson, Bob Polin, Dick Murray, Jack Goodwin, Stan Smith, Bob Littleton, Pete Abbrecht, Bill Hickman, Sandy Gruber, George Allen and Bud Carter.

Other track members are Bill Power, Guy Tuttle, Dale Pearson, Joel Ross, Gale Elms, Larry Young, Jim Patterson, Dick McClinton, Bill Reid, John Sheldon, Herb Debo, Delbert Keener, Dick Shalberg, Howard Liverance, John Greier, Jack Shensfield, Bill Refrew, Howard Murray, Stewart Peck, Frank Colby, Charles Baker.

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Coaching again this year is under the direction of Lloyd A. Cooper.

### Y-Teens Collect 97 Sweaters

"Sweaters overseas" called the Y-teens March 8-17 when they sponsored the drive which will send sweaters to the needy in Europe through the world emergency fund to the national board of YWCA.

Under the chairmanship of Gerry Wolley, 97 sweaters were collected.

Members of Y-teens are Gerry Wolley, Elaine Fowler, Shirley Burnett, Alta Topthacker, Barbara Cox, Jo Ann Limp, Joyce Daniels, Sally Howard, Barbara Parks and Ricky Yel.

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### MSC Coach Speaks at Annual Dinner for Cage Squad

By Nancy Fisher

Tuesday night found the basketball banquet honoring the district champs, their dads, and Coach Lloyd A. Cooper at a dinner given by the mothers at Fruit Ridge Farms on Southfield.

A short program with James Anderson as toastmaster followed the dinner. Arthur S. McCall gave the invocation and Frank Whitney, director of athletics, spoke briefly.

Harold Gasser introduced guest speaker Alton Kircher, basketball coach at Michigan State College, who spoke on "Between Halves".

Coach Cooper awarded letters to varsity and reserve squad players and to managers Bill Plant and Eugene Hase.

A tribute to Coach Cooper was presented by Jim McCall, team captain.

**Large Guest List**

The guest list included Dr. and Mrs. Dwight B. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wagner, Coach and Mrs. Lloyd A. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Simons, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Berndt, Mrs. Mrs. Harold Newcomb, Miss Vida McGiffin and Miss Alice Price.

Others present were Bob Brannan, Michigan State center; cheerleaders Sue Hanna, Pat Shinn, Sarah Bruns, and others.

Varsity letters were awarded to captain James McCall, Robert Polin, Pat Wall, Robert Saffell, Duke Layland, Robert Littleton, James Anderson, Richard Halpin, Mac Booth, Bill Downey, Clayton Joyce, Richard Murray and Norman Goddard.

The Birmingham free throw trophy was awarded to Bob Polin with an average of .419. The presentation was made by its donor, Fred Zeolin.

### Give Dinner for 18 Initiates to Baldwin Tri-A

Tri-A Club feted 18 members last Friday night with a dinner at Devon Gables.

The evening began with the initiation of Sue Manning and Adelaide Mitchell by president Ruth Oldberg.

Following dinner, a short business meeting and an open house were held at Marion Craig's home, 1347 Dorchester.

Those honored were Ginny Carter, Priscilla Marts, Judy Thomas, Sally Collins, Ann Tunnicliffe, Joan Schaffer, Ann Mack, Janet Mills, Mary Jane Frost, Frances Love, Marlene Barnes, Mary Halladay, Millie McIntyre, and Marcia Loomis, new members in October; and Rita Wyatt, Sue Manning, Adelaide Mitchell, and Nancy Havemala, initiated in March.

Mary Jane Frost was in charge of the arrangements.

### Baldwin Girls Win Annual Play Day

Last Saturday GAA girls from Northville, Farmington and Birmingham met at Farmington for a basketball play day from ten to three o'clock with the final scores being Birmingham 14, Farmington 6, Northville 4.

Girls participating from Birmingham were Sally Buck, Ann Lundberg, Beverly Yates, Evelyn Horne, Sherrill Williams, Joan Draper, Audrey Engel, Joan Allison, Eleanor Dufford, Gini Schaffer, Cynthia Hadley and Martha Heikila.

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### 'Miss Scanty Suit'



Daytona Beach, Fla., high school classmate of Shirley Cetaff called her the "Miss Scanty Swimming Suit Queen" and she's a mighty swell view for this time of year.

### Spanish Dinner

A Spanish dinner is being planned by one of Miss Lydia Habibi's classes for the first week after the Washington group returns.

Carolyn Karch is chairman of the dinner. Committees are Phyllis Morse and Marge Horne, food; Walter Boile, entertainment; with Dale Pearson and Jim Laifig assisting.

### Play Rehearsals Take Linelight

Again the limelight of Baldwin activities is the annual school play. The selection this year is "Dear Ruth" to be presented April 23.

"Dear Ruth" is a comedy about Ruth Wilkins who gets involved in a fake love affair due to the pranks of her younger sister, Miriam.

The cast includes Jo Luceomer as Ruth; Pat Tate as Dora, the maid; Anne Lundberg, Mrs. Wilkins; Doc Plant, Mr. Wilkins; Sally Howard, Miriam Wilkins; Jim Ensign, Lt. William Seawright; Henry Muller, Albert Kummer; Barbara Kennedy, Martha Seawright; Tim Adams, Sgt. Chuck Vincent; and Hap Rosborough, Harold Klobbermeyer.

The play is directed by Miss Ruth Hull with Judy Fardee assisting as student director.

Tickets go on sale April 12.

### Easter Seal Campaign

An Easter seal drive to benefit crippled children was held March 19-22 by the high school service committee.

There were 6,400 seals to distribute and the committee expected to go over the quota.

Ann Lundberg and Guy Tunnicliffe are co-chairmen with the help of the service committee.

### Barnum Operetta

"In Gay Havana" is an operetta to be given by Barnum Junior high school in May.

Victor Ulrich is directing the operetta which has an all-school cast. The operetta has a Cuban plot with the setting in a Havana hotel.

## Important Notice CHANGES IN TRAIN SERVICE

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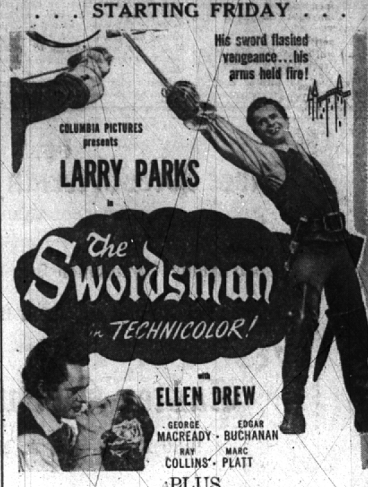
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