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Students Attend Press Conference At Wayne Univ.

To learn more about school newspapers and yearbooks Carol Marcan, Carol Hopwood, Jack Goodman, and Bill Chapel, staff heads of the 1952 "Piper" attended Wayne University's 19th annual high school press conference last Thursday at the Fort Wayne Hotel, Detroit.

The conference began with a welcome by Dr. David D. Henry, Wayne president. A panel of students from the conference followed with a question and answer period.

The conference then adjourned for a luncheon at the hotel. The afternoon sessions split up into smaller groups to discuss different departments of newspaper and yearbook writing.

Barnum Junior High News

Last Friday, Barnum's varsity basketball team engaged a more powerful Pontiac Washington five. Barnum came out on the short end of a not too even score. Because the game was only a scrimmage, the score was not accurately kept.

Barnum's starting team consisted of forwards, Dick Sheldon and Bill Washington; center, Ed Peters; guards, Bob Goldsmith and Dick Morgan. The other members of the squad are forwards, Marvin Green, Ralph Hochstetler, Kirk Flack, Len Garlitz, Bob Thomson, center, Jim Taup, Jim Mosby, Bennett Wright; guards, Pete Kase, Bill Fay, Ernie Teichman, Bill Dove, Pat Marshall, Pete Ladd, Jack Kelley, Bob Libby, Dick Lester and Bob Stahl.

Barnum will play Pontiac again and will also meet Pontiac Eastern before the regular season starts. The Blue and White will play Royal Oak January 8, in the first league encounter.

THE EIGHTH GRADE

basketball team has started with Lou Perry as head coach and managers are Mike Weston and Bill Deer. The team consists of Joe Kirtley, Jim May, Tom Halsted, Guy Briggs, Bob Machus, Dick DeLoria, George Dennish, Harold Mitchell, Larry Milford, Henry Burdick, Ken Witherspoon, Doug Shaw, Buck Freyerickson, Harold Mitchell, Greg Bevis, John Appleford, Don Well, Jim Cardell, Jim Rennell, Bill Nott, Dick Kyker, Bill Wedge, Dave Phillips.

Practice started Monday, Dec. 3. Five games are lined up after Christmas.

THE SEVENTH GRADE

council representative discussed the seventh grade party scheduled Dec. 13. Irwin White, father of Bar-

Webb in a pantomime, Beverly Sel-Dec. 14. Tickets will sell for 50 cents before the dance and 75 cents at the dance. At the "Kris Kringie Ka-Boo" there will be the "Les Shaw Orchestra" to furnish music.

The last meeting of the National Junior Honor Society met in Room 107. The purpose was to make further plans for the dance.

White, offered to bring his PA system and records, and call for the square dancing portion of the party.

Another major event at the party will be the program, consisting of Judy van Horn and Norma

lars twirling a baton and Allen Dlvio, Sally Hibert, and Bob Smith with a skit.

ON DEC. 6, Miss Schrot, with

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her 9th grade Home Economics class, heard Miss Good and Miss Fredric from Consumers Power Co. who demonstrated the making of Christmas goodies, which included golden layer cake, fluffy boiled frosting, baked Alaska, and many of the Christmas trimmings. Dave Gibbons reported for the photograph committee at the student council meeting. He will have a complete report next week.

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VAUGHAN SCHOOL NEWS

BY NAN GORDON
 The annual Christmas program, sponsored by the Student Council, will be held at Vaughan School Friday evening. At 8 p.m. the senior choir will present a collection of traditional carols and holiday songs.

The program consists of 15 selections, with David Prucher, Millicent Fleming, and Barbara Johnson doing the soloing. One of the highlights of the program will be Marcia Wells reading the famous Christmas Story with the choir humming in the background.

Directly following the concert the Art and Speech classes will present "Season of Forgiveness" by A. Conan Doyle. The cast of characters includes Janette Whitney, reader; John Rogers, Sherlock Holmes; Roger Sullivan, Watson; Bill Schulz, commissioner; Gary Nichol, Mr. Baker; Bob Nelson, Breckenridge.

Ed White, Mr. Ryder; Bill Hickson, bartender; Carolyn Luttrell, student director; Jane Corrigan, properties and makeup; Peter Lindler, lights; and Elmer Rhodes, stage.

After the play, there will be a gala holiday party in the study hall. There will be Plenty of punch and cookies for everyone and dancing.

Plans Formed by Spanish Club

The Birmingham high school Spanish club held its second meeting of the year Tuesday evening, Dec. 4 at the home of Gina Wagner.

A potluck dinner was served before the meeting. During the business meeting a committee was appointed to plan for Christmas caroling in a hospital and in school the day before Christmas vacation.

Other committees were set up to find money-making projects for the group to draft a new constitution, and to learn what Spanish clubs do in other high schools.

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