

**Students Present
Royal Oak Game
Exchange Assembly**
By CAROLYN BRYANT

The annual Birmingham-Royal Oak exchange assembly was presented Tuesday at the two high schools. The Royal Oakers came to Birmingham at 9:30 and the Birmingham students went to Royal Oak at 1 p.m.

The Birmingham skit was a pregame radio roundup presented by Marc Joslyn, Dick Emery, Bill Nicholas, Bud DeLoria, David Morgan, Parker Wolff, Dan Fricker, Larry McCracken and Stu Scheifele. Dave Campbell and Mickey Plumstead sang an original song.

"The Maples and the Oakes" to the tune of "The Martins and the Cows".

CAROL DORMAN, Judy Rinney, Sally McKay, Bruce Carlisle and Liz Kurtz gave a modern dance version "Mr. Touchdown, U.S.A.". Sara Reed did a baton tap dance to the music of the school song of Royal Oak and Birmingham. A sophomore quartette consisting of Jamie Barnes, John Hubert, Roger Johnson and John Hayes sang.

Ross A. Wagner, Birmingham principal; Vincent Seconline, Maple Coach; Tom Tracy, '51 captain and Gordon Mutch, recently elected '52 captain, gave short talks. Miss Dorothy Allen adviser of the assembly club was in charge.



By STU SCHEIFELE

Birmingham's complete dominance over Berkeley is shown by the statistics. The Maples picked up 325 yards rushing to Berkeley's 70, had a 12-2 advantage in first downs, and ran 65 plays compared to Berkeley's 32.

With the Royal Oak game left to play, Maple Captain Tom Tracy has far eclipsed his 75 point scoring record of last year. He has 135 points on 19 touchdowns and 19 extra points.

ALTHOUGH A FEW members of the team were shaken up and bruised in the hickery game, none of the injuries proved serious; and the team will be at full strength for the Royal Oak encounter.

Gordon Mutch was elected Maple captain for the '52 season. He will also be the co-captain for the Thanksgiving game. Playing fullback, Gordie has achieved a rushing average of 5.42 yards per try.

Coach Vincent Seconline and the two captains were guests of the Royal Oak Kiwanis, sponsors of the Turkey Day game, at a luncheon last Thursday. Also present were the Royal Oak coaches and captain and principals of the two schools.

**Annual Pep Rally
At Theatre for
Royal Oak Game**

Cheers will echo from the Birmingham theatre Wednesday when Birmingham students hold their annual pep rally for the traditional Royal Oak Thanksgiving football game.

The program will consist of a skit by the cheerleaders, who also will lead students in yells. Other rally features will be by a few of the entire cast, who acted but happy and satisfied with three excellent performances, trouped out to the home of Nancy Johnson for a party. Although scheduled solely for the cast, it soon became an open house for all who were seen and heard at Nancy's house eating, singing, dancing, and above all, discussing the play.

WATCH 'THE CRADLE SONG' REHEARSAL
Martha Wallbillich, Ann Wettlaufer, Toni Gossett

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**Birmingham
Hi-Society**
By CAROL HOGSHEAD

Tomorrow's the big day that everyone has thought and talked about for days. Yes, it's the Thanksgiving Day game with Birmingham vs. the Royal Oak. Right now, though, the main concern is the immediate goings on.

For instance, last Friday night after the curtain was rung down on the finale of "Ramshackle Inn," the entire cast, exhausted but happy and satisfied with three excellent performances, trouped out to the home of Nancy Johnson for a party. Although scheduled solely for the cast, it soon became an open house for all who were seen and heard at Nancy's house eating, singing, dancing, and above all, discussing the play.

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**VAUGHAN
SCHOOL NEWS**
By NAN GORDON

Girls' League held its fifth meeting of the year last week. Main topic discussed was a trip to Detroit with the "Tales of Hoffman." The girls decided to attempt to get tickets for a matinee.

Final amount collected for the Drive was \$21.40.

Honor roll for Vaughan school for the first marking period is as follows: seventh grade: high honors, Susan Kennedy, Betsy Arnold; eighth grade: high honors, Tom Costello, Hannah Johnson, Penny Pound; honors, Sally Blanchard, Jo Jones, Patsy King, Leap.

Eleventh grade: high honors, Virginia Andrews, Sue Ann Hall, Barbara Johnson; honors, Marion Becker, Margaret Pickering, Betty Wilson, Bob Farmer; 12th grade: high honors, Pat Eslinger; honors, Nan Gordon, John Rogers, Nedra Schuckler, Marcia Wells.

Last week's results of the choir tryouts were announced. The choir's first performance will be a Christmas concert held the evening of Dec. 14.

Participating will be sopranos: Karlan Richards, Rima Nickell, Marion Becker, Margaret Pickering, Mary Andrews, Jo Jensen; Carolyn Luttrell, Carol York; tenors: Bob Farmer, Sonoe Johnson, Steve Saunders, Nick Redfield.

Altos: Jane Corrigan, Carol Becker, Alice Davis, Mike Fleming, Kitty Proctor, Nan Gordon, Virginia Andrews, Barbara Johnson; basses: Buck O'Keefe, Dave Prueker, Curt Dempster, Bob Saylor, Rex Whipple, George Adams.

A REPRESENTATIVE of the County health department was at school Nov. 15 and gave screening tests for hearing to find out if any students need hearing tests. Approximately 160 took the test. In a few weeks, a representative will be at school to give a Pure Tone test to those who need it.

This evening from 8 to 12, the tenth grade is sponsoring a dance called Harvest Moon. It will feature Chester Cosavage's orchestra, which has played at the Saylor Hotel and many places around Chicago and New York.

Door prizes will be awarded. These include a turkey and chicken dinners at local eating places. Chairman of the dance is Teresa Sikorski, and helpers are: Nancy Rice, decorations; David VanEvers, publicity; Pat Green, tickets; and Bob Saylor, refreshments.

Want ads cannot be accepted after 5 p.m. each Tuesday.

**Kingswood School
Seniors Present
Annual Play**

Carol Faulkner, Gail Glover and Ann Fielding were among those in the cast of Gregorio Martinez Sierra's "The Cradle Song," which the Kingswood School Cranbrook seniors presented Saturday.

Setting of the play was in a convent of Dominican nuns and the story relates the care of an orphan girl from the time she arrives at the convent as a child until she leaves at the age of 18.

John Horrocks and Ann Wettlaufer were in charge of program and publicity; Cynthia Copeland and Martha Wallbillich, props; Alison Brewster, Janet McHattie and Pat Hoey, set; Toni Gossett and Martha Erwing were the production managers and Ann Coates was on the music committee.

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**Funds Earned by
Seniors for
Washington Trip**
By CAROL MAREAN

To earn money for the annual Washington trip, many Birmingham high school seniors have spent the last three weeks selling tickets to the Washington group play "Ramshackle Inn" or selling subscriptions for The Birmingham Eclectic.

Over 2,000 tickets were sold by members who each received 50 cents per ticket toward his fund for the trip. Sandra Fisher earned almost her entire trip by selling 224 tickets. Elizabeth Kurtz came in second with 14 tickets, and Nancy Clinger was third with 07.

THE SUBSCRIPTION sale is only one-third through, but already over 300 subscriptions have been sold. George Carol Marean, and Eleanor Hamill were awarded a bonus of \$10 each for being the first three to hand in the 25 subscriptions.

Dianne Hendershot and Nancy Kaiser received a \$75.00 bonus for being in the second group of three to bring in 25 subscriptions.

**Pigskin Prom
Slated Dec. 8**

Birmingham high school will present its annual Pigskin Prom Dec. 8 in honor of members of the football and cross-country teams. Dance chairman Russ Sanders appointed committees to plan the dance.

Committee heads are Jeanne Harley, chaperones; Johanna Holt and Claire Anderson, decorations; Judy McMeurter, tickets; Sandra Fischer, invitations; Nancy Morse, programs; Bud DeLoria, intermission; Gail Burlington, publicity; and Sandra Pals and Rose Sanders, business.

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