



TO FREE THEIR TEACHERS so they could attend the Schoolmasters Conference in Ann Arbor last Friday, the senior class of Troy high school took over classroom and administrative chores for the day. Principal for the day, William Haney, senior class president (seated) gives instructions to members of his "staff". Standing, left to right, are Girls Athletic Director Carl Lawrence, Typing Teacher Jeanne Jackson, and Assistant Principal Jerry Wyett. Miss Lawrence is secretary of the senior class, Miss Jackson is treasurer, and Wyett is vice-president. (Eccentric Photo)

83 Voice Choir To Sing Concert At High School

The 83 voice choir of Birmingham high school will sing in the annual concert next Tuesday at 8:15 in the school gymnasium. The choir will begin the program with "Emittie Spiritum Tuum", "Hear My Supplication", "I'll Enter Your Garden", "The Fiddler", "How Sad Flow the Streams", "Awake", "I Look Into Your Eyes So Dear" and "I'll Not Complain".

THE MADRIGAL CLUB will sing "My Bonnie Lass She Smiles", "Love Me True Dear Lassie", "Believe", "Bull Care", "My Heart Doth Beg You'll Not Forget", and "When Allen-A-Dale Went a Hunting".

The choir will end the program with "My Journey's End" with solo John Hayes; "Hi Ho Nobody Home", "Sophomore Philosophy", "Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor", "I Believe" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic" with Roger Johnson singing the solo.

The choir will be directed by

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Youth Council Reviews Work

The Birmingham youth council spent an hour at a recent meeting evaluating work for the past year. Discussion made it evident that the Fighting Dimes project against polio was the most worthwhile undertaking of the year. The 1,000 dollars earned by the drive was given to the National foundation for infantile paralysis.

The purpose of the youth council is to study the needs of the young people in this area and to interpret them to the city.

The council membership is drawn from representatives of Barnum, Kingswood, Bloomfield Hills, and Birmingham high schools.

The 23 active members meet in the Birmingham Community house every other Monday night.

Victor Ulrich, Accompanists are Barbara Gowans and Dorothy Ojala.

Tickets are 50 cents apiece and can be bought from any choir member or at the door.

School District of the City of Birmingham Oakland County, Michigan

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

Whereas the annual election is to be held in said school district on the 14th day of June, 1954:

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Friday, the 4th day of June, 1954, up to 5:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, is the last day on which unregistered persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at said annual school election.

Application for registration should be made to the clerk of the city or township in which the elector resides.

Persons already registered upon the registration books of such city or township clerk need not re-register.

Amos F. Gregory
Secretary of the Board of Education

Dated: May 18, 1954.

CITY OF BLOOMFIELD HILLS

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BLOOMFIELD HILLS WILL MEET IN THE CITY HALL IN SAID CITY ON TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1954 AT EIGHT O'CLOCK P. M. TO GIVE A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1954-1955.

ROBERT J. STADLER
CITY CLERK

Youth Has Its Day At Troy High School

By MARY ELLEN RYAN

Last Friday if you should have happened to walk through Troy High School you would have wondered at all of the young teachers running around.

You might have commented to yourself about their youth but you would also have noticed their poise and assurance.

If you were really inquisitive you might have gone to the office to ask what was going on. In the office you wouldn't have found Principal, Richard Drager, however. Instead you might have seen senior class president, Bill Haney or senior vice-president, Jerry Wyett.

Bill or Jerry would have told you this story—"Well you see, our regular staff or teachers are attending a special teachers' meeting today and instead of hiring a whole new staff of substitute teachers the senior class is sponsoring 'Senior Control Day'."

THIS GIVES the seniors the opportunity to dress in their best clothes and come to school with the intentions of acting as teacher instead of student. Bill, being the Class president acted as school principal for the day and Jerry, being the class vice-president acted as Bill's assistant.

Each senior had the privilege of teaching at least one class and during their "free hours" attended their own class.

With this information you would have left the office only later to

find that the day proceeded as efficiently as it would have ordinarily. There were the usual happenings which gave the new "leaders" a few worries but in the whole, everything was shipshape for Drager on Monday morning.

Maple Tennis Team Blanks Ferndale

The Birmingham tennis team routed Ferndale 5-0 for its third straight League victory last Wednesday at Ferndale. Captain Luis Vela played well in beating Jim Wright 6-3, 6-2, while Howard Johnson remained unbeaten in defeating Van Dumond 6-2, 6-1. The third singles match went to Maple Toby Wells, who outlasted Harold Craft 6-3, 6-4.

Jim Sergeson and Pat Marshall teamed to trounce John Lynch and Jim Gudappa in first doubles 6-3, 6-1. Bill Swaney and Ed Sisson made it a clean sweep when they won from John Scott and Ken Brown 7-5, 6-2.

The locals had previously beaten Mt. Clemens 3-2 and Hazel Park 4-1. They are now undefeated in League play.

Maple Golfers Have Bad Week

Last week was an eventful but rather unprofitable one for the Maple golf team. Two dual meets were played, Fitzgerald and Ferndale, and the state regionals were held at Flint.

Birmingham made a good start by trouncing a very weak Fitzgerald squad 338-445. Medalist for the

meet was Captain Terry Laundry with 83. Next the Maples took on a powerful Ferndale team in an important League match. Although playing well Birmingham was edged by two strokes 332-334 because of penalty strokes.

Finally last Saturday the team

traveled to Flint to play in the state regionals. Out of a field of ten teams, the Maples qualified to play in the state meet. But despite a 76 by Jim Kraggs, the Maples' total of 281 was their highest of the year and placed them fourth in the field. Winner of the regional was Midland with 21. The Maples lost their chance to go to state.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

School District City of Birmingham

of
OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

A special election having been called to be held in all the voting precincts in the County School District of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of June, 1954, for the purpose of voting on the following question, to-wit:

"Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be assessed each year against property in the County School District of Oakland County, Michigan, for all purposes except taxes for the payment of interest and principal on obligations incurred prior to December 8, 1932, be increased as provided in Section 21, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Michigan of 1908 for the years 1954 to 1959, both inclusive, by one-twentieth of one per cent (50c per \$1000) of the assessed valuation as equalized for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of The Special Education Act, which statute is designed to encourage the education of handicapped children?"

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That any qualified elector of School District of Birmingham who is not already registered upon the registration books of the township or city of his residence may register for this election with his city or township clerk prior to 5:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, on Friday, 4 June, 1954.

Amos F. Gregory, Secretary

Board of Education

Dated: May 13th, 1954.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

IN THE SEVERAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS
OF THE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

A special election having been called, to be held in all the voting precincts of the school districts of the County School District of Oakland County, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of June, 1954, for the purpose of voting on the following question:

"Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be assessed each year against property in the County School District of Oakland County, Michigan, for all purposes except taxes for the payment of interest and principal on obligations incurred prior to December 8, 1932 be increased as provided in Section 21, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Michigan of 1908 for the years 1954 to 1959, both inclusive, by one-twentieth of one per cent (50c per \$1000) of the assessed valuation as equalized for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of The Special Education Act, which statute is designed to encourage the education of handicapped children?"

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That any qualified school elector who is not already registered upon the books of the city or township in which he resides may register for the election with his city or township clerk prior to 5:00 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, on Friday, 4 June, 1954.

W. J. Emerson, Secretary

Oakland County Board of Education

Dated: 13 May, 1954.

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