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Murder Mystery Next for Players

Dress rehearsal and a final polishing of the set and props are all that remain for the Village Players to get their current production, "Laura", in shape for the Friday and Saturday showings.

The three-act murder mystery, the story of a talented advertising executive (Laura, played by Mrs. G. T. Dwelley), who can handle \$200,000 accounts but not the four men in her life, is being directed by Mrs. Gilbert Gove.

Like all plays, it is having its share of troubles and trials. "Mrs. Dwelley expects to find herself covered with bumps and bruises after every rehearsal since she has to fall flat on her face while gags crash around her."

"I'M NOT A seasoned performer like my husband and the senior Dwelleys," she said, "and find I do not fall easily nor gently. I have to practice and every fall is a chore."

Louise Hersey, prop committee, faced the problem of a suitable murder weapon—a gun case. With nothing near that pattern available the group turned to and made one using an old cane and a piece of pipe.

Male leads, the four complications in the life of Laura; are played by Tom Sheehan, an impersonal detective, to all intents and purposes; a rough teenage lover of jazz, Robert Bills; sophisticated writer, Carl Reynolds; and the southern gentleman, Robert C. Wyatt.

NO GREATER contrast of character could be shown by four men, one of whom is a murderer. The story is one of suspense and drama and conflicting personalities, with the true meaning brought out skillfully by Mrs. Gove and her assistant, Mrs. W. W. Hendrich.

Supporting players include Mrs. Rolfe C. Spinning, Mrs. S. J. Maynard and Alec Parnie.

SOCIAL EVENTS connected with the show include the gathering of members and their wives of the Detroit alumni chapter, Sigma Chi, who will be guests of Robert Bills at the Saturday program.

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Y Sponsors Tour To Niagara Falls

The Birmingham YMCA is sponsoring a three-day all-expense trip by motor car to Niagara Falls during the Easter vacation leaving Birmingham April 11 and returning late on the evening of April 13. The group will have conducted tours at the falls and will make the Niagara Falls Canada YMCA its headquarters.

Any boy or girl member of junior high age or older is eligible to sign up for the tour. For complete information telephone Edwin E. Kirker at the Birmingham YMCA.

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Y Plans Skating Party Tomorrow

The Birmingham YMCA is sponsoring a roller skating party for all high school students this Friday, March 25. The bus will leave the "Y" at 7:45 p.m. and will return at about 11:15 p.m.

A nominal fee will be charged for bus fare to the Pontiac Coliseum and back. All interested high school students should make reservations at the "Y" office, 400 East Lincoln.

The Youth Room of the Community House will be closed Fridays as this program will replace the informal drop-in program for that night.

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