

Some people feel themselves by believing that they should do only what they have to do. Actually, Providence never intended that mankind should shirk its opportunities or its responsibilities. When one knows this, then one cannot find logical excuse for failing to do his, in the best.

## Yule Programs Set at Quarton, PTA Reports Made

In keeping with the holiday season and in place of a general PTA meeting, Quarton parents this month will have the opportunity to attend Christmas programs presented by the children.

Members of the fifth grade glee club will present a musical program under the direction of Miss Phyllis Gannier, Quarton's music teacher. Burton Bronson will lead the school orchestra in its first performance this year.

The sixth grade glee club, again under the supervision of Miss Gannier, will accompany Christmas scenes enacted by other members of the grade on the evening of December 20. The lower grades are planning their individual presentations to take place during the day throughout the week before Christmas.

Mrs. E. L. Quinn, Quarton PTA health chairman, reports that her committee of 24 mothers has successfully completed the annual hearing and vision testing of all students. Mrs. Wilson, the school nurse, will check the results and notify parents if a doctor's examination is indicated.

Quarton's library this year has acquired a total of 300 new books. But the PTA is most proud of the fact that through the efforts of its library co-chairmen, Mrs. Paul Grasse and Mrs. F. R. McKewen, the entire collection of books in the library has been re-classified according to the Dewey decimal system. Endless hours of volunteer work throughout the summer made this possible. Fifteen volunteer mother-librarians who staff the school library four days a week, report that the children are rapidly becoming familiar with the new classification and are enjoying it very much.



EDITH ATWATER and Albert Dekker, (center) presented a program of dramatic readings on Birmingham Town Hall program last week. Highlight of the entertainment was their skit on Macbeth, which was dissected and analyzed as a modern "who-dun-it". Dekker's classmate at Bowdoin college who attended the luncheon after Thursday's performance was Dr. J. Clark Moloney, (left) and Mrs. Moloney (right).

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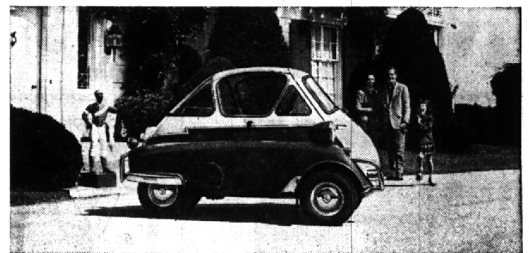
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