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SECTION D

YOUTH and EDUCATION

Seaholm Maples

By PAM FARLOW
Special Writer

Preliminary speech contests were held at Seaholm recently to determine ten representatives that will be sent to the district forensics contest at Hazel Park. Members of contest speech and ordinary speech classes took part in this preliminary competition. From each of five divisions, two winners were chosen.

In declamation, in which only freshmen and sophomores are eligible, Lex Opulus and Pat Squibb are entered. In the extemporaneous division John McCullough and Tom Geogge won. Betty King and Jackie Bacon took first and second in humorous reading, while Sue Fish and Erin Newhouse led the rest of the contestants in interpretive reading. In the original oratory, Jan O'Hearn and Linda Kerley.

Those taking either first or second at Hazel Park will travel to Detroit for the regionals held at Detroit Pershing. Though the divisions of speeches are different, they are judged mainly on delivery.

In the Southeastern Michigan Regional Scholastic Art Awards four Seaholm students recently won awards. Dawn Martin won a blue ribbon, the highest award which will send her life drawings to the finals in New York City. Paul Grissom's watercolor and Sherry Shack's ceramic both won gold achievement keys, and Sue

Atkinson's watercolor won a certificate.

Working and rehearsing hard as the date nears are the cast and crew of Seaholm's all-school play "Rebel Without a Cause." The play will be presented on April 5, 6, and 7 and is under the direction of Mr. Bagg. Student director Diane Lerniney.

The plot deals with Jim Stark, portrayed by Lou Turf, and the sources of his problems. Linda Kerley as Judy Brown represents the romantic angle and Jack Maciel as Buzz Henderson presents the opinion as the hood leader. Other leading rolls will be portrayed by Lex Opulus, Geoff Gill, Will Coffin, and Jamie Sayer.

Also included in the cast are Rosemarie Collins, Frank Green, Gail Davidson, Averil Allen, Clem Pentross, and Vince Rogers. Others include Lou Decker, Lou Rutherford, Rich Gibson, Ann Smith, Anne d'Hyvre, Dave Martin, Sue Stinson, and Barb Chymoweth. Committee chairmen have been selected, and include Bill Schwab, Sara Brussel, promoter, Cindy McLaugh, props; Elise Hendrixson, tickets; Kitty Taylor, make-up; Gretchen Van Sickle, costumes; and Dave Martin, technical director and stage manager.

By GREG BAUMANN
Special Writer

Twenty-four fair projects constructed by students attending Derby were chosen at the regional floor fair held on March 10 to take part in the Metropolitan Detroit Science Fair which was held last week-end at Cobo Hall.

The entries from Derby included Bob Bailey, David Crosby, Valerie Smith, Chato Hill, Tony Eckman, Roger Sibley, Nancy Searles, Brad Smith, Bill Kingzett, Madeline Sommers, Carol McPherson, and Jim Labelle from the seventh grade, Connie Takis and Tom Brodie from the eighth grade, and Bob Blair, Kay Swiger, Dan Newman, Bill Close, Lisa Mackie, Greg Baumann, Rick Garchow, Don Sawyer and Steve Fisher from the ninth grade.

Linda Carlson, a ninth grade student at Derby, has been given three certificates of merit, the highest awards given in the junior high class, for fashion designs she entered in the recent Scholastic Art Contest held at Crowleys in Detroit.

Bloomfield Country Day

By MARIA KOUNTOUPES and NANCY JUDD
Special Writers

The Mira-Chords from Elmira College for women, Elmira, New York, visited B.C.D.S. last week. The Choral group presented a delightful program and students at B.C.D.S. enjoyed an informal exchange of ideas with the college girls during lunch.

On March 12, Mrs. Moe Boughner spoke in chapel on "The Importance of You." The "Teachings of Buddha," were discussed by Mrs. Nora Johnston on Monday.

Presented at Groves High School at a recent assembly were several Seaholm students. The purpose of the assembly was to generate interest in a debating team at Groves, and Kitty Schaeffer and Frank Green competed in a debate against a University of Detroit debating squad. A critic listened to the four ten minute and four five minute speeches and offered advice on improving the cases, but no decision. Pat Squibb acted as hostess.

SEAHOLM'S BUNA, the Birmingham United Nations Association, will send four delegations to Model United Nations to be held this year at the University of Detroit. These delegations come from schools all over the area, and students are chosen to act as representatives. The U.S.S.R., Honduras, and Turkey are the countries which Seaholm is responsible for, students being asked to serve as interpreters enthusiastically in BUNA. The event will be held on the Friday, Saturday, and Sunday following Spring vacation.

Today marked the opening session of BUNA's General Assembly. Proposals were debated upon, and in general excitement reigned as delegates argued on the floor about different issues. Color was added by the several delegations dressed authentically in their country's national dress.

THE SEAHOLM band recently was awarded a first division rating. The highest possible in the Michigan Band and Orchestra District Festival. Judges, William Ravelli, U of M band director; U of M music professor Clifford Lillya and assistant Purdue band director Charles McEmber awarded this rating after the band performed their finest pieces of music. Mr. Knudsen led the band in their recital of "The Golden Bell," "March," "Nachtgans," and "Symphony in E Flat."

WHEN SCHOOL CLOSSES on March 29, for Spring Vacation, Miss Marjorie Sallie, headmistress will leave to spend some time in Chattanooga and St. Petersburg.

Donna Richardson, Sandy MacPherson with their parents, will visit New York City. Ginger and Nancy Booth will accompany their parents to Bermuda. Nancy and Susan Judd will stay at the Homestead in Virginia, while Nancy visits colleges in that state with her mother. Also planning to visit at the Homestead and to visit colleges of her choice is Janet Poter.

Lisa Knudsen and Bonnie Rotenberg will spend their vacations in Florida.

B'field Hills Barons

By JEFF TRIMMER
Special Writer

The People Versus Maxine Love is the title of the junior class play to be presented at Bloomfield Hills High School tonight and tomorrow night, 8:15. The play, written by Luella McMahon, will be presented by some twenty juniors.

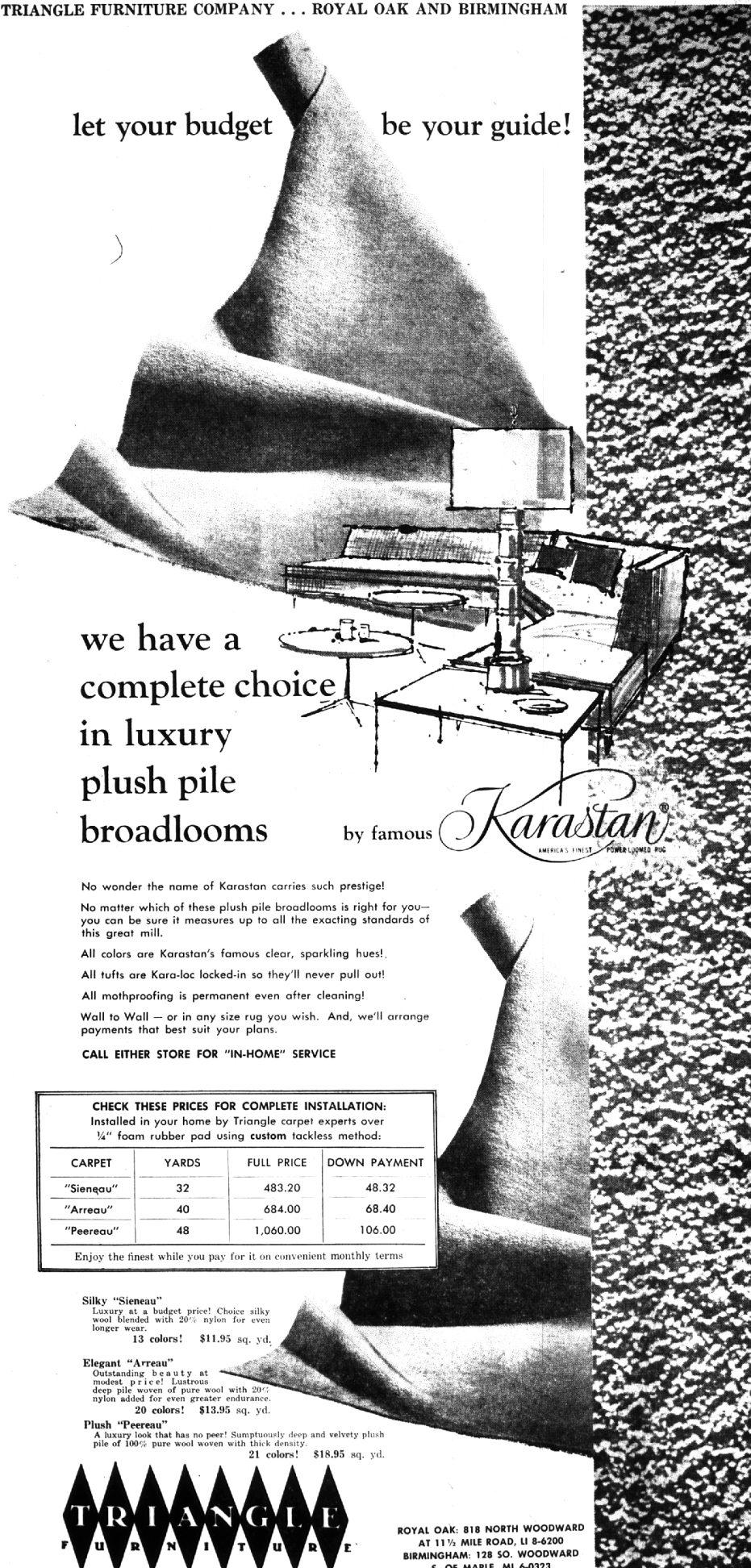
It is a courtroom drama in three acts with the audience eventually deciding the outcome of the case. The play is directed by Mr. Glenn Wooster.

The Idea of March on the 14th marked the date of the Forum's Roman banquet. The Forum is Bloomfield Hills High School's Latin Club. The boys were dressed in togas the night in togas. Jack Hahnke won the prize for the best dressed boy; Jane Carlson took the honors for the girls.

Following the dinner, which was made as authentically Roman as possible, an original play "Beware of the Idiots of March" was presented. Under the direction of Denise Ashley, the players included Mary Beth Hunt, Jack Pister, Alan Armstrong, Eric Linder, Judy Smith, Barb Gwen, and Denise Ashley.

Preparations are now well under way for this year's Spring Concert on April 18. The production will be called "Spring Fiesta," the proceeds will be combined with those from the autumn concert to help toward the eventual purchase of an organ. As a special attraction Elizabeth Kieffer, former Traub scholarship winner and 1958 graduate of Bloomfield Hills, will return to her alma mater and be the special guest.

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