

Latin Exhibit Stands Out At Br. Rice Country Fair

By JOHN MCGUCKIN
Special Writer

One of the highlights of the recent Brother Rice Country Fair was the unique Latin exhibit displayed in the school halls.

The exhibit was composed of projects constructed by the high school's Latin students. Togas, amphitheatres, and chariots abounded in the exhibit. The show was judged by Brother J. A. King, a member of BRHS's Latin department.

FIRST PRIZE went to Jim Parry for his skillful model of a Roman trireme. Mike Wyatt's Temple of Jupiter took second place. A model

Bloomfield Chooses Class Officers for Next School Year

Class officers for next year's junior and senior classes at Bloomfield Hills were elected on May 17.

Officers for the senior class are Dan Maute, president; Roger Wotila, vice president; Chris Cadler, corresponding secretary; Sylvia Nowlin, recording secretary; and Bob Richards, treasurer.

Those chosen to lead the junior class are John Michael, president; Geoff Smith, vice president; Joan Carter, secretary; and Bill Jentzen, treasurer.

The University of Michigan was the first American institution of higher education to offer a course in forestry administration, in 1882.

of the Circus Maximus by Tim Coe placed third in the competition.

The members of Brother Rice's second and third year French classes assembled in the school cafeteria last Wednesday. The purpose for this assembly was the formal creation of the Brother Rice chapter of the National French Honor Society.

Conducting the inductions and the ceremonies was Brother J. F. McGowan. Brother is assistant principal at Brother Rice and heads the language department. Brother explained the purpose of the NFHS and the requirements needed for active admission.

In order to become a member of the society a student must be in his second year of French. Active participation in either the French newspaper or French Club. Since membership is restricted to 25 percent of those students taking second year or more advanced French, these requirements are strictly enforced.

SIX BRHS students joined 35 other prospective doctors in a guided tour of William Beaumont Hospital. Ray Caglowski, Larry Wells, Jack O'Hara, John Pietsch, Jim Purdy, and Doug Heister saw the operation rooms, laboratories, and specialist rooms of the hospital. Tuesday, May 21, was the date for the Brother Rice panel in architecture. Mr. Robert Morris addressed 40 juniors who had expressed an interest in the field of architecture. Mr. Morris is an associate of the famous architect Minoru Yamasaki.

Spanish Club Hosts Party At East Hills

By BETSY BLOSSER
Special Writer

"Los Espanolitos" (The Little Spaniards), held their last meeting on Wednesday, May 22. Barb Smith was the hostess for the club party, and provided bats and balls for a baseball game.

Plenty of food was planned, and the students and Mr. Phillips, the Spanish teacher, were filled on hot dogs, potato chips and cake. Mr. Phillips was very brave at the party and he, for the first time in his life, tried out a pogo stick, and did very well for an amateur.

Mr. Jones and his wife, in turn, can look at other surroundings and are of the caliber and artistic turn of mind that they enjoy beautifying their homes and properties to the extent that they each feel gratified by being able to look across the street and marvel at the job that Mr. Jones has done on that old house?

ON LAST Wednesday morning the Bloomfield Hills High School band came to East Hills and gave an assembly. Exclamations of awe, and much applause were heard during the program. East Hills greatly appreciates the time spent for the program.

Last Saturday night the East Hills choir classes and the choir from Bloomfield Junior High attended the Metropolitan opera's presentation of "Pagliacci" and "Cavaleria Rusticana."

Buses took the students to and from the Masonic Temple. Those students who had the privilege of going enjoyed the memorable experience.

Halley's Comet, last visible in 1910, has a history of recorded appearances going back as far as 240 B.C. It will not be seen again until the year 1986.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN LETTERS

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Community Legion-Auxiliary Offers Thanks

By BILL COLLINS
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Barnum Band Gives Concert

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