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Hyatt Reveals Details Of Lil' Abner Operetta

LIL' ABNER is coming to school in the form of an operetta, to be presented May 1, 2 and 3 in the auditorium, reports Richard Hyatt, choral director.

Based on the cartoon characters created by Al Capp, "creator" is the only word for a word of such juicy individuals as Shimp-Flyn, Jones, Moonbeam McSwine, Appassanata, von Clinax and the nefarious Diner Mae. On the other hand, there are dishing creatures like the Szargz family, General Bulhouse and Earl Ege one place that mingled red-blooded American boy, Lil' Abner.



Shifting Sands by Sandy Brock

NOW THAT I AM in the midst of the second semester of my senior year, I often look back through my mind to the first semester of high school. Now, four minutes later, I'm still reflecting to myself, although there has often been some shifting of sands in my mind as to how they would come out, also. But, I'm sure that my thinking of many many things that I have forgotten is not as hazy as I would imagine. I can't remember anybody's grading nothing, and suddenly, someone has given me a peek in the right direction and I somehow have managed to come out on my own from which we all gain some sort of inspiration or guide and I could discuss many.

However, in this case, I am thinking about the teachers and counselors in the classroom plus the individual conferences with our counselors and ordinary conversations with our teachers often gives us a special insight throughout our entire lives.

OUR HONORABLE sponsors are always available for information and perhaps, plan of advice. To them we owe our names of activities in and outside of school because they inform us of such happenings and that they also keep us alert as to what our classwork is not up to.

Another "type" of teacher which I have in mind is the teacher who is willing to devote extra time and effort to our extra-curricular projects and assignments. The object and goal in this instance being the sponsor and of junior and senior equities organization, cooperation, and, above all, willingness on the teacher's part to engage in such work.

The desire shown by such individuals gives the students the incentive needed to also be interested in the project.

Without adult sponsorship and aid, no presentation would be possible. We are fortunate that we are allowed to participate in a variety of extra-curricular activities and we owe all our thanks to the staff members who are on the job doing their jobs through their chief obligations and encouragement.

Spirit Third Page To Offer Series

TO INFORM STUDENTS of the many occupations open to them, THE SCHOOL SPIRIT will inaugurate with this issue a series of articles on third page concerning the major careers.

This week's article on dentistry is based on an interview given by Dr. Richard Norton, Evansville dentist and a speaker in the Kiwanis Vocational Guidance Program here. The third page series was started to parallel the vocational conferences, presented for sophomores and juniors this month, and articles on petroleum management, beauty culture, government foreign service and Journalism will appear in future issues. Other career topics planned include architecture, engineering, law, medicine, business management and space technology.



New York at night, the restaurant and gamblers of the "big city," attracts the large crowd of the tourists. The superintendent, tour leader, Darius Gish and Tom Niedermeyer, the superintendent, tour leader, Mrs. Margaret Mann of the social studies department, will tour New York and the nation's capital, Washington, D. C., April 25 through May 4.

Mann Announces Tour Captains

DARIA GISH, Margaret Yaggi and Tom Niedermeyer will serve as captains and group leaders for the spring Eastern Tour, to be conducted from April 26 to May 4, through Washington, D.C., New York and environs, according to Mrs. Margaret Mann, tour director and Don Williams, chairman.

Daria, Margaret and Tom were chosen to act as student directors during their stays in hotels. Daria and Margaret will be in charge of the girls; Tom will also serve as group leader, although with several others, which gives them the responsibility of maintaining their while the students are in that no property of the hotel is damaged and also to see that students do not leave personal belongings in the room when they check out for the night.

INCLUDED IN DARIA's group are Barbara Brown, Sandra Crawford, Pamela Harmon and Beth Hamsman. Margaret's group is made up of Joyce Langstaff, Betty Mitchell and Barbara Harmon. Tom's group consists of Dick Dorrough, Alan Jones and Nick Miller.

Other group leaders are Diane Strouss and Dorothy Schmidt. Darius Gish is in charge of Ann Chapman, Sue and Mary Ann Williams. Wendy Carolyn will preside over Virginia Carter, Agnes Marsh and Cynthia Mol.

FRANCES KESSINGER and Carol Seaman are included in the boys' group. Frances' group is Margaret Bishop, Jane Melton and Green Parton. Carol's group consists of Judy Oregon, Mary Ann Williams, Barbara Harmon, John Mackely, Parley Long and Eddie Brown. Under the direction of Tom are Gary Meyer, Mark Williams, John Williams and Jack Mayfield and Stewart Rodman, which Eddie looks after David Engleb, Bill Van Drest and Alved Niedermeyer.

Deusner Wins Tour Of Capital, New York

AS A RESULT OF winning a contest sponsored by the League of Women Voters and the Council of World Affairs, SYLVIA Deusner, junior advisee of Gus Bambo, will tour Washington, D.C., and New York City, March 25 through 31.

This contest is sponsored annually and began five years ago as a tribute to Mrs. Bertha Ehrlich, one of the founders of the League. It is open to all high school juniors only and to all public city schools.

Annual Basketball Dinner Hosts Bulldog Netters

VARSITY, RESERVE and freshman basketball team members received their certificates at the annual basketball banquet, which featured dinner Monday night in the cafeteria.

Ed Coleman, Jim Weisman, Jerry Southwood, Gary Greger and Steve Hopkins received varsity letters, other recipients of the award were Alan Ashby, Chuck Dismeyer, Nick Miller, Larry Deaton and Eddie Deaton.

IN THE DINNER'S attendance were not only members of the three school cage teams, but the players and spectators as well. The program was the master of ceremonies for the 6 P.M. event and music was provided by the Jazz Combo.

Varsity basketball coaches, Herman Keller, varsity, Arvid Kuehnle, reserve, and Al Beck, Freshman Varsity managers, Bob Hillman, Yon Deaton, and Jim Weisman, also helped team manager letters at the banquet.

Members of the reserve squad that earned letters were Bob Adams, Jim Gray, Jim Hoff and Nick Lemple. Others receiving awards were Gene Louder, Mike Oliver, Norman Baker, Ralph Scales and John Wilson. Also earned letters.

Earning Freshman awards were Pete Baker, Dan Byrd, Mike Carter, Jim Gorman, Bob Johnson, Alan Beck, Mike Hill, Ben Neuman, Norman Phelps and Tom Primm were also on the list. Contributing the fresh-man award letters were Don Laffon, Don Laffon and Gene Primm manager.

Kiwanis Names Coleman

EDDIE COLEMAN became the seventeenth recipient of the Kiwanis Basketball Award in a special assembly held Tuesday during ECA period in the auditorium.

On hand to present the award were Elder Ed Roberts, Boss athletic representative, and Mary Bates, president of the Downtown Kiwanis Club. Also present were Kiwanis representatives from the other city high schools.

KIWANIS MEMBERS based their choice upon such traits as athletic ability, leadership, physical fitness, co-operation, sportsmanship and scholarship. To receive this award the person, although not necessarily the best player, must possess these qualities.

Before they made their final selection Kiwanis polled the members of the team on what their choice would be along with the opinions of

Highlights After Deadline

SOPHOMORES wishing to transfer to North for the trunk and industrial program should see William Caudle counselor. This is the last chance. APPLICANTS FOR THE AUTO ROBOT may now be obtained. Interested students should see Jack Lewis, dining instructor.

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ENTERING the Peace "Post" Poetry Contest should turn to page 2 for this week's date.

WE WISH TO EXTEND our deepest sympathy to Merrill Searson, an instructor, whose father passed away recently.

Mayes Lists Guest Orators For Meetings

SOPHOMORES AND juniors will meet for their first formal guidance conference on March 22 during ECA period, according to Ralph Mayes, counselor.

Speakers for the conferences are Robert Lamb (Searsport, Md.), (Keller-Cassett Co.), bookkeeping and accounting; Gary Arnold (Baltimore, Md.), and Irving Swartz (Evansville, Ind.), and Neil Nelson (Newport News, Southhampton Indiana Gas and Electric Co.) will lead the discussion of home economy. Other speakers are Gary Anderson (Baltimore, Md.), and John Sigurs (Fairhills Caster Corp.), mechanical engineering.

SEVERAL BRANCHES of meetings will be held at the homes of Mr. McChesney (Washington Office) and John Klaus (DeWolfe Hospital) are the speakers for medical technology. Other speakers are Dr. Giddings (Evansville, Ind.), Dr. Mary Dunham, nursing; Dr. Michael T. Vaulth, optometry; George Alexander (Troy, Ala.), petroleum products; and John Sigurs (Fairhills Caster Corp.), mechanical engineering.

Jerry Wiesner (Knox, Johnson Co.) and Mrs. Kitty Orlum (Dodgeville, Wis.) will explain photography. Dick Schennoyer (Knox, Johnson Co.) will discuss the use of the typewriter. Other conferences will be Frank Hirt (Keller-Cassett Co.), printing; Cleo Beckman (WVPA), radio and television program production; and Mrs. Edna Starnes (York Central School) and Mrs. Lois Wilcox (Pugh Personal Office) will discuss the use of the Evansville School Corp.) and the Community Council of Vanderburgh County) social services.

Completing the list of speakers are Harry Woy (Vanderburgh School Corp.), James Kearns (Evansville School), and the Evansville School District (Brown School) discussing the teaching profession. Mrs. Jean Hornath (Indiana Bell Telephone Co.) will explain the work of a telephone operator. Mrs. Woy (A&E Truck Lines) will describe the duties of a truck driver and Harris Dickson (Hinsdale or Mulder at Methodist Temple) will lecture on vocational music.

Jaycees To Sponsor Driving Road-E-O

ENTRY BLANKS ARE due today for the annual Safe Driving Road-E-O to be sponsored by the Evansville Junior Chamber of Commerce. The entries, according to Jack Lewis, driving instructor. Anyone who has a driver's license who has not received his nineteenth birthday by August 1964, and who has not earned a driving license as first prize for the first time.

THESE WILL BE a one-hour within portion of the driver's test given March 22 at all the city high schools. Driving tests will be stopped on the Road-E-O day on the east playground of Memorial Stadium.

Four events comprise the driving contest. Driving forward and in reverse along a straight line, driving forward and in reverse along a curve and off-set line and driving between four barrels are the first three events. Finally, even-treat must parallel park. The written test is comprised of questions of all phases of driving in the city and on the highway.

Problems Students Plan Participation In Mock Trial

TO GIVE STUDENTS some experience in the courtroom, a mock trial will be scheduled for Thursday, April 22 at 1:30 P.M. in Judge Benjamin Baker's court chambers, according to the varsity managers.

Students participating have been selected from American problems classes. Attorneys are Mike Hurd and Virginia Carter for the defense and Brock for the defense. Sonch Carter and Jim Burch and Sharon Leach will enact the parts of Mickey Vanille and Martha Malone, respectively.

Other participants are Sara Ojip-berger, who will portray Bessie Kelleher, and Mrs. Woy as Sam Hark, Jim Alop as policeman Mike Redford and Dave Helm as Mark Golden. Ann Ojipberger will serve as the court reporter and Sandra Bentley as the bailiff.

Kiwanis Names Coleman

THE coaches and others connected with the team Mr. David Dindley received a small medal name plate to place upon the names of previous Kiwanis award winners. Eddie, senior advisee of Ray Degarty, has played basketball for the

Senior Class, is now serving as vice-president of the National Honor Society. He has attended Secadet and Gray for seven semesters and Scholarship 93 for three years. He has achieved Maxima Cum Laude and Cum Laude every grading period. Ed has been a member of the track-team for three years. Last year he won both the Sectional and the SLAC high jump events.

In "Action on Youth," Ed displayed his talents as a dancer. He appeared as a member of the final act, "Sisters."

- The Coming Week**
- Monday, Mar. 20 — ECA Schedule — Preliminary Enrollment.
 - Tuesday, Mar. 21 — ECA Schedule — Preliminary Enrollment.
 - Early dismissal — 9th Meetings.
 - Wednesday, Mar. 22 — ECA Schedule — Kiwanis Vocational Guidance.
 - Thursday, Mar. 23 — Regular Schedule.
 - Friday, Mar. 24 — Regular Schedule.

