

## Poster Contestants Awarded Prizes

On March 11, the Junior TB League Board held its regular monthly meeting. Mary Agnes Gingrich and Robert Walcott, representing John Adams, were present at the meeting. Mr. Thomas Lias awarded prizes to the winners of the 16 th Anual Health Poster Contest which was open to all high school students. The subject for the posters was: "How to Fight Tuberculosis."
Prizes were awarded to Ann Doolittle (Mishawaka) first; Richard Sessler (Adams) second; and Janet Kite (Mishawaka) third. The judges for the contest were: Mr. Stanley S. Sessler, Head of the Art Department at Notre Dame; Mr. James Wicks, assistant director of the South Bend Art Association, and Mr. Edward E, Clarke from Advertising Artists. The posters were exhibited in the Studebaker Carriage House.
Students from John Adams who entered posters in the contest were: Robert Burke, Robert Seese, Wayne Dering, Richard Sessler, David Engle, Emalu Palm, Barbara Rasmussen, Frances Hutchins, Mary Agnes Gingrich, Jack Moore, Eric Greenhut, and Dale Hensler.
Other Adams students who received recognition were: Mary Agnes Gingrich and Wayne Dering. The judges listed their posters as worthy of honorable mention.

## Play to be Broadcast

"The Young Eisenhower," a documentary script written about the life of Dwight D. Eisenhower by Sally Buchanan and her committee, which consists of John McNamara, Mary Lou Baker, Nancy Hertel, and Shirley Worley, will be broadcast Sunday, March 22 at $1: 15$ over WHOT.

Castings have been made as follows: Announcer, Beverly Norton; Narrator, Charles Bowman; Dr. Conklin, Robert Nelson; Mrs. Eisenhower, Evelyn Fuller; Dwight Eisenhower, Norman Asper; Edgar Eisenhower, Mike Phillips; Mrs. Lulu Harris, Gail Aspen; Mamie Doud, Estelle Zoss. Extra parts will be taken by Mickey Young, Robert Nelson, Richard Gard, and Robert Good.
The dramatic director is Mrs. Hazel McClure, and the production manager is Mr. Galen Miller.

## ALUMNI NEWS

Four former Adams students, now enrolled in Indiana University made the Freshman Class honor roll last semester. They are: William Deiter, Judith Hershenow, Jay Miller, and Joan Tarr.

## Better Knowledge of University Activifies Goal of Annual Purdue High School Day

"Purdue in Action" will be the theme of the annual High School Day to be held on Saturday, March 28 at Purdue University.

A full schedule has been planned with the purpose of helping students gain a better knowledge of such subjects as programs of study, admission requirements, employment opportunities, financial aid, and extracurricular activities; and to give parents, teachers, and counselors information concerning educational opportunities, housing, and the general atmosphere of Purdue.

This year's program will begin with registration in the main lobby of the Union building at $8: 30$, Saturday morning. Free refreshments will be served to the registering visitors in the Union cafeteria. Heading the general session will be a meeting in the South Ballroom of the Union building at 9:30 a. m. After a welcome to the campus and a brief orientation, groups will leave on conducted tours of the campus, classrooms and laboratories.

Opportunities to meet informally with the staffs of the various departments and schools will be arranged during the School Sessions scheduled from 11:15 until noon. High School Day visitors will then be guests of the University at lunch in the residence halls. Both men's and women's halls will be open for inspection of rooms, dining facilities, kitchens, lounges, and recreation rooms.

At 2:00 p. m., the Purdue Symphonic band will give a concert. Following this will be a Student Panel during which Purdue students will attempt to answer questions asked of them concerning college life. Concluding the day's program will be an address by President Frederick L. Hovde on. "Educational Opportunities on the College Level," and a musical program by the Varsity Glee Club.

Developed primarily as an educational program, High School Day is a cooperative guidance enterprise approved by the Activities Committee of the Indiana Association of Secondary School Principals.

## GUIDANCE ACTIVITIES

## JUNIOR GUIDANCE

## March 24

Subject: "Community, Leisure, and I "
Speaker: Mr. William Carmichael,
Boys' Secretary, Y, M. C. A.
Chairman: Audrey Dempsey

## April 7

Subject: "College and $\mathbf{I}$ "
Speaker: Miss Judith Campbell, Student at DePauw University
Chairman: Frances Hutchins

## April 14

Subject: "The Church and $\mathbf{P}$ "
Speaker: (Unannounced)
Chairman: Marilyn Wood

## SENIOR GUIDANCE

## April 7

Films: "How Do You Know It's Love?" and "Are You Ready For Marriage?"
Chairman: Richard Hendrickson

## April 14

Subject: "Causes of Divorce"
Speaker: Circuit Court Judge Dan Pyle
Chairman: Susan Peterson
April 21
Subject: "How to Make Your Marriage a Success"
Speaker: Rev. Daniel Fowler, First Presbyterian Church
Chairman: Robert Beale

## COMING EVENTS

Mar. 20-Tape Recording for WHOT
Mar. 27-Social Living Trip
Apr. 5-Civic Music
" 7-Hedley HepworthAssembly Report Cards Issued
" 11-Stardust Cafe-Juniors
" 13-Liquid Air Assembly

## Easter Programs To Be Presented

The annual Hi-Y Easter program will be presented March 25 in conjunction with the Adams Glee Club.

Charles Apelgreen, president of the $\mathrm{Hi}-\mathrm{Y}$ will introduce the speaker, Reverend William Clark of the First Methodist Church. The chosen seripture will be read by David Jester.

As the 110 members of the Glee Club enter the auditorium and form a living cross on the gym floor they will sing "God of Our Fathers." While in formation they will sing "My God and I" and as they take their places in front of the stage they will sing "Holy, Holy, Holy." Other selections to be presented are: "Adoremus Te Christe," "Easter Bells," "Only Begotten Son," "Alleluia," "Rise, Arise," and "The Lord's Prayer."
The Girls' Ensemble and the Boys' Quartet will each present two selections appropriate to the season.

The musical portion of the program will be closed by the entire group singing, "The Lord Bless You and Keep You."

## EVENING PROGRAM

The John Adams Glee Club will present its Easter program at 8:00 P. M., Thursday, March 26. The program will be highlighted by a processional and the formation of a "living cross" by the 110 members of the group, robed and carrying lights.

The program will include the following selections: "Adoramus Te Christe," F. M. Christiansen's "Easter Bells" with a obligatto to be sung by a small girls' ensemble, Fred Waring's triumphant version of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," with a two-piano accompaniment, "Holy, Holy, Holy," "My God and I," "God of Our Fathers," "Only Begotten Son," Randall Thompson's "Allelulia," "Rise, Arise," "The Paper Reeds By the Brooks," "Heavenly Light," "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," "The Lord's Prayer," and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You." For variety the Girls' Ensemble will present Mendelssohn's "If With All Your Heart" and "Norwegian Prayer." The Boys' Quartet will also present two selections.
A voluntary offering will be received to assist in paying for the new Glee Club robes.
Some of the numbers from this program will be heard by the student body as a part of the annual Hi-Y Easter assembly which will be given Wednesday, March 25.

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## LET'S EXAMINE OUR AUDIENCE CONDUCT

Suddenly, last Tuesday afternoon I found myself in a large hall which appeared strangely familiar to me. I soon learned that this place was the auditorium of the Jed Ad-dumbs High School in Dogpatch. A polished, sleek, rootin'-tootin' band from the near-by LaPorty was giving a concert of wellplayed high class music.

While most of the Dogpatchers were enjoying the music, our attention was attracted to the balcony where certain hill-billies were apparently feudin' by cracking each other over the head - I wondered why they didn't wait until they got home to their cabins to get their BB guns instead of using their notebooks as weapons. While these thoughts were going through my head there was a sudden commotion on the first two rows caused by about six seemingly frustrated Senior Daisy Maes, who must have been picking out their Little Abners for next Sadie Hawkins Day, else why would they be pointing their fingers at the best looking city slickers in the band and snickering over them. I thought to myself, "What a difficult way to try to snare a man!" Also noticeable were some other Daisy Maes who luckily already had snared their Little Abners and secured them with silver chains and medals and who evidently thought this event furnished an excellent opportunity for an "assembly date." (Shades of Emily Post!)

By this time many of the Dogpatchers were becoming annoyed, for they seemed to want to give their attention to the concert. We had just settled back to listen when up in the Mezzanine where the younger girls sat, something very very funny must have happened for about three or four of them seemed to be unable to control their giggling and twittering. I did hope that the members of the LaPorty band didn't think that they were being made fun of, because they were playing very well, and they likely were not accustomed to Dogpatch behavior, coming from the city like they did. Really, I was beginning to feel most embarrassed for the principal and faculty of the Ad-dumbs School

In the midst of this concern, I was startled to hear a sharp bell ringing. I discovered that the clock said four o'clock, and I was sitting at my desk where I had fallen asleep over a set of essays through which I had been searching for the "main idea." What a relief it was to know that I was not in Dogpatch among the "schmoo's," but back in good old John Adams High School where the students know how to appreciate good music, receive their visitors courteously, and behave as though they had had opportunities to learn about what lies beyond the hills. I know we will all enjoy the next concert!

## With Spring Comes Temptation

Spring has sprung and John Adams students, by fair means or foul, are springing to the great out of doors. According to "persons in the know" far too many students are springing from school by the latter method. However disreputable the methods, some of them are quite ingenious. Our modern generation, rather than playing the old-fashioned, obsolete game of hookey, now plays very intricate games of cat-and-mouse and catch-me-if-you-can.

It would be far too advantageous to all the prospective mice, as far as the poor overworked cat is concerned, to disclose to them the more feasible methods of getting out of school. With due consideration to the kitty, this reporter shall refrain from disclosing the best method. (Perhaps she will use it herself, eh what?)

One of the most often used but ill-fated methods to skip out is to "go over to the hole during sixth hour to call mom about dinner tonight." This used to work, but now-a-days, for some strange reason, "mom" never gets the call and darling Junior and Susie for some reason spend a few extra hours a day on school "activities."
It was suggested that some of our truant Tillies and Toms go out for track rather than out the door. With the speed exhibited by certain of our students at the end of fifth hour, we could certainly attain the world's record for the one-hundred yard dash.

## Match 'Em

_-_ 1. Dick Sanderson a. Smittee ... 2. Nancy Locsmondy b. McNutt --- 3. Tom Troeger c. Obie ... 4. Chuck LaPierre
d. Moose
_-. 5. Mary Ann Hawblitzel e. Reedy
_-- 6. Chuck Oberlin f. Sandie
-- 7. Mr. Goldsberry g. Herful
-.- 8. Jim Dincolo h. Locksy
_-. 9. Nancy Hertel i. Jody
_-_10. Margaret Crowe j. Marty
_--11. Margaret Reed k. Jay
_-_12. Jo Ann Rapp 1. Gumples
-.-13. Janice Rugee m. Brun
--14. Rosanne Shafer n. Dinc
-.-15. Tom McNulty o. Punky
_-16. Steve Gumz p. Mouse
-.-17. Tom Olshewsky q. Hobby
..- 18 Marilyn McGee r. Tex
_-19. Sharon Smith s. Pops
...20. Martha Clark t. Maggie
_-21. Marilyn Wood u. Mo
_-.22. Ann Bruner v. Pody
__23. Phyllis Marlin w. Woodie
--.24. Gladys Miller x. Pam
(See Answers on Page 3)

## DID YOU EVER

. see a horse fly around a ranch?
. see a ginger snap at a chance?
. see a table stand on its head? . see a pillow slip on a bed?
. . see a cat nap where it's sunny?
.hear a horse laugh at something funny?
. see a neck tie a fine bow?
. . see a cake spend all its dough?
. see a pearl button up its lip?
. see a board walk with a skip?
.. see a book wear pants with its jackets?
. hear a tune carried in a basket?
.hear a rug lie to you in vain?
. see a fire fly like a plane?
-Shortridge Echo, Indianapolis.


Tom McHenry! Did you have fun helping the Album girls with their Hershey bar collection?

Are you getting forgetful in your old age, Sylvia Moran? Surely you wouldn't want George Miller to graduate from Notre Dame without having seen Tower Hill.

Worthy of note: Margaret Considine and Jim Worley.

So we have Mike Handley, a most interesting individual, especially where the ladies are concerned. First it was Mary Ann Wilson, of Central and then there were a few days spent walking the halls in the company of Sandy Moritz, while she and Paul Butler were settling their difficulties (yes, the difficulties seem to be settled now.) Somewhere he found time to pay a few attentions to Marilyn Mueller, but she was too busy to pay any attention to him. At the latest report it seems to be that he is interested in Sonja Hoover - and Sonja is rather interested in him. What has he got that a dozen others won't need before the Prom rolls around?
You can't tell a book or a house by its cover. Miss Roell took her Business Relations class to see a $\$ 32$,000 home under construction in the Whitcomb and Keller Sunnymede addition. Mr. L. J. Daniel explained layout, type of construction, modern building trends, and city buiding reguations.
Pat Holland, why so excited? Is Steve coming home for a vacation pretty soon?

In the category of dating, we find Mary Orzech and Tom McHenry, Marilyn Moran and Mike Tucei (Notre Dame), and Joyce Barrell and John Finney (Notre Dame).

Some true confessions have been made in World Literature class. How about all the law-breaking, Louie Finch, that Dave Beiser has been discussing?

No doubt the management of the Colfax theatre was quite preturbed by the girl who lost her heel. Something involved in the whole business about a free admission.

And then we have Rosie Ferraro, whose diet hasn't been such a success. Maybe she should stop worrying and go back to eating again.
Now that Steve Gumz is coming home from Florida, Sharon Reber is a very happy girl.
Have you heard the latest about Chuck Oberlin? He seems to have trouble with his hands - waving them profusely while asleep.

One gal we all miss - Barbara Koto.
An Adams welcome to Joan Connly, who formerly attended Washington.
Yes, Steve Zeigner, spring vacation is a very important time - especially when you are going back to Naptown to see some of the old gang.
Have you seen them together lately? Joan Moritz and Pat McKeon, Sue Hawk and Joe Barnes.
We wonder how Marianne's surprise party turned out. Maybe she decided to go roller-skating with Skeeter.

## The

## Week's

## Eagle

Jill Ann Jacobson came into this world on August 9, 1935, so she is now seventeen years old. She is in the 13 B class. Before coming to Adams Jill attended a number of schools including Lincoln and Riley. She joined the Adams student body in the 10 A semester.
When you look at her you find she has blue eyes and light brown hair. She's not sure of her weight but thinks it would be nice if it were 118 pounds.

Jill is a past-president of the Library Club; worked faithfully typing for this year's Student Directory; and also has spent much time helping in the office.

Jill's plans for the future are not certain except that she would like to do something in the field of social welfare work. She is now attending Indiana Extension classes and plans to finish college. Her basic course here at Adams was business and English. Jill's favorite class was Social Living because she had the good fortune of taking it with those wonderful Seniors of ' 52 . The class she disliked the most was history.

Jill has achievements outside of school. She is a Past Worthy Advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls. Besides her work with Rainbow she teaches a class of eight year olds in the Sunday School of the Central Evangelical Brethren Church. What spare time she does have, (which isn't often because of the rough weekly English themes for the extension work) is spent playing bridge, eating potatoe chips, and listening to good records.

Her favorite movies have been "Quo Vadis" and Ivanhoe." Jill's favorite radio program is "My Friend Irma" and she thinks the record "Hot Toddie" is tops. She is a fish lover putting french fried shrimp at the top of her list. Her ideal boy must be $5^{\prime} 11^{\prime \prime}$ tall and have brown hair with crew cut. She would like to go bowling or dancing with this boy. Oh yes, he must either wear a navy

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TAKE HEED, GIRLS!
Can it be that this dislike of the girl who chews her cud is a national thing? The following is reprinted from one fellow's column in the Echo, daily publication of Shortridge High School in Indianapolis.

Now I consider myself an average American fellow with an average American fellow's likes and dislikes, and I enjoy gazing upon my feminine contemporaries as much as the next guy. I've become kind of a connoisseur on appraising pulchritudefor my own satisfaction, of course. However, I do have my peeves.

To see an attractive young lady displaying proper amounts of lipstick, powder, rouge, enamel, plaster-ofparis, and other varieties of makeup in proper proportions can indeed be an enlightening experience. But to witness the application of aforementioned stuffs in public is unpleasant on a Gargantuan scale. Young ladies (and the older variety too) should realize that there are special places provided for such facial repairs.
In my almost eighteen years on this bumpy old globe I have gazed into more mouths than an octogenarian orthodontist. What makes this fact almost unbearable is that I haven't received a cent for it. The reason for my tonsil-gazing is, needless to say, gum chewing. Nothing is more unsightly than a young lady (or a young man, as far as that's concerned) flapping her jaw and displaying a moistly masticated mangled mess of chewing gum sloshing around on a frothy white tongue.
That last paragraph kind of made me flip my twidjits so I find it necessary to close immediately.
sweater with grey flannels or have a Howe Military Academy uniform on. Jill admires a person who has a nice disposition, is fun loving and is sincere. She dislikes one who is a "killjoy" and carries a prejudice against certain people. Her pet peeve is a good one, because the writer of this article argues full-heartedly with her. She hates to hear boys call girls "babe" and "baby."

In leaving Adams, Jill is one jump ahead of many of the other Seniors She has already had a taste of college work and wants to warn the others of the need for good high school preparation. She regrets that she didn't study harder before. Jill is very sorry to leave Adams and all the wonderful friends she has made here.


## Seniors to be Measured

At 8:00 a. m. on Thursday morning, March 26 in the Boy's Athletic Office, Seniors will be measured for caps and gowns. Those who have study halls in the morning will be excused in order to be measured.

Collen Callsen is chairman of the committee. Assisting her are Nancy Chizek, Mary Agnes Gingrich, Paul Linscott, Shirley Lee, and Mike Wood.

## MATCH 'EM

## (Answers)

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| 3. d | 9. g | 15. b | 21. w |
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Chuck Oberlin - "Mine use it on me."
Paul Rice - "Shot gun."
Craig McCowan - "I don't."
Darlene Miller - "I don't have to."
Sandra Smith - "I gave up long ago."
Floyd Troub - "Take a friend along."
Mary Ann Hawblitzel - "I don't know, but it usually works!'
Bob Nelson - "Mercy."

## REPRESENTATIVES <br> CHOSEN FOR CONTEST

On March 11, seventy-eight John Adams students met in the Library to decide who should represent Adams in the State Mathematics Contest for 1953.
After all scores were tabulated, three students emerged as winners in each division of the contest. Terry Rothermel, Beverly Bourdon, and Pat Wallace were first, second, and third, respectively in the Algebra contest. The winners in the Geometry contest were Robert Nelson, Naomi Ross, and Steve Brannan. In the Comprehensive Mathematics contest the three highest scores were marked up by David Jones, Kent Keller, and William Reinecke.

These nine students will represent Adams in the Regional Contest which will be held at Central High School on March 28.


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## TRACK TEAM PREPS FOR SEASON OPENER

The 1953 track team, coached by A. T. Krider, will begin their season campaign against their three city foes, Central, Riley, and Washington in a City Indoor Track Meet to be run at the Notre Dame fieldhouse on March 20. Their full season schedule is as follows:
Mar. 20-City Indoor $\qquad$ N. D.
" 25-Conference Indoor _-. N. D. Apr. 8-Michigan City There
" 15-LaPorte
$\qquad$
" 18-Goshen Relays .......There
" $21-\mathrm{S}$. B. Washington ....There
" 25-Conference Trials
29-Culver $\qquad$ There
May 2-Conference Finals $\qquad$
5-Benton Harbor .There 8-Sectionals

- 14-Goshen $\qquad$ There
" 21-Mishawaka $\qquad$ There
" 23-State Meet_....Indianapolis 27-City Meet ....-School Field
The boys' training program thus far has included calesthenics, workouts in the gym and the halls, and some of the boys have worked out briefly outdoors.
Returning from last years squad will be: (seniors)) Bock, Jones, Olshewsky, Kreitzman, Jurgovan, Gibson, D. Shaw, (juniors) Wedel, Osman, Thompson, Grimshaw, Elliot, Dempsey, Loar, Scott, and Beiser.

There are some freshmen and sophomores out for track, but Mr. Krider will welcome more of the underclassmen who are interested in this sport.

Sorely missed by the Eagles will be Dick Beebe, who snagged many firsts for the Eagles last year in the broad jump and pole vault. We will also miss Dick Briggs, who was an excellant high-jumper.

During the season, Coach Krider will be assisted by Mr. J. G. Nelson. -John Pence.

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After a fine dinner, prepared and served by the ladies of the church, Roger Jurgovan started things rolling by introducing Bill Etherton, sportscaster for radio station WHOT, who served as toastmaster.

In his opening remarks, Mr. Etherton told of how he had heard of the wonderful South Bend athletic plant previous to his coming to this city. He then introduced Mr. Frank E. Allen, superintendent of the City Schools, who complimented the Eagles on their play and record.

Mr . Etherton then introduced other men promient in the South Bend athletic plant. They included: Mr. Robert Walker, Mr. Forest Wood, Mr. Paul Boehm, Mr. Frank Crosier, and Mr. Bob Towner.

Coach Seaborg was next on the program and his first pleasure was to introduce the visiting coaches. He poked a little fun as he introduced Clare Holley of Washington, saying that he didn't think Mr. Holley would show up after the sectional. Riley's Charlie Stewart was also present but Elmer McCall of Central could not attend. He was in Indianapolis trying to figure out how to get more than two field goals against Milan. Coach Seaborg also introduced the feeder coaches from Lincoln, Nuner, Jefferson, and McKinley.

After introducing the team and managers, Coach Seaborg told the audience and the members of the team that he thought they had done a fine job. He considered the team outclassed only once, against Elkhart.

Larry Kedzie was named team captain by his fellow players and will receive the captain's star at the awards assembly.

Coaches Neff and Hunter of the Bee and Freshman teams then introduced their players and managers, after which the players introduced their parents.

The Kiwanis award for citizenship and sportsmanship was presented to Joe Kreitzman by Mr. Gerald Reinke, a member of the club.

Joe also nailed down the Free Throw trophy presented by Mr. H. P. Gibson on behalf of the Bald Eagles Club of John Adams. Joe hit on 81 per cent of his free throw attempts.

The Monogram Club Award, for the most valuable player, was presented to Jerry Thompson by Roger Jurgovan, president of the club.

Mr . Rothermel then introduced the faculty, maintenance and clerical staffs, Dr. Robert Spence, team doctor, Dr. H. M. Armstrong, team dentist, the cheerleaders, Mr. Nelson who has been in charge of tickets, and Mr. Powell, athletic director at Adams and the man responsible for the banquet.

On behalf of the team Joe Kreitzman presented a gift to Mr. Seaborg. The principal speaker of the evening was J. Alvin Taylor.
Mr. Taylor entertained the audience by telling them of his firsts in basketball. Among his firsts were: The time he thought he was going to play in a high school basketball game but he never got to play because someone else wore his shoes; the first time he ever acted as a timekeeper he ran overtime and his team lost, and his first game as coach - his team was defeated 15-0. Mr. Taylor also reminded the boys of the great benefits athletics, especially basketball, has to offer a young man. Using his son Bob as an example, he told of the good physical habits a basketball player forms. He also said basketball teaches teamwork and self-discipline.

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