

# John Adams Tower

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## TETZLAFF HEADS COUNCIL

### Spring Play Opens Tonight

Weeks of memorizing lines, securing costumes, painting sets, and planning publicity will end tonight as the Drama Club and Thespians present the Jean Giraudoux comedy, "The Madwoman of Chaillot." The curtain will rise at 8:00 p.m. today and tomorrow on the French play which portrays the actions of a French countess and her friends, who are determined to rid the world of all evil.

Much excitement and humor results when the madwomen hear of a plan to tear up the city of Paris in order to procure a lake of oil supposedly lying beneath the city. Caron Moore will appear as the Countess Aurelia, the madwoman of Chaillot. Portraying the other madwomen will be Charlotte Jardine as Mme. Constance, the madwoman of Passy; Posie Krueger as Mlle. Gabrielle, the madwoman of St. Sulpice; and Karen Mickelsen and Jill Paulk in the role of Mme. Josephine, the madwoman of La Concorde.

Although an audience may credit the success of a play to the actors and actresses appearing on the stage, it must be realized that those people "working behind the scenes" also contribute greatly to a dramatic production.

#### Ticket Chairmen

Sherry Clarke and Suzanne Smith have been in charge of the ticket sale for "The Madwoman of Chaillot." Heading two teams, the "Goods" and the "Evils," Sherry and Suzanne have worked to discover which of the two forces is stronger.

If, when final sales are calculated, it is discovered that the "Evils" have sold more tickets than the "Goods," Drama Club and Thespian members will agree that evil does hold sway in the world. On the other hand, if the "Goods" have sold the greater number of tickets, it will be agreed that true, virtuous actions reign supreme.

Linda Nelson and her committee have handled the costumes for the production. Each person's costumes must be kept available and repaired, and when costume changes are necessary, they must be accomplished quickly and efficiently. A cry of "Where's my hat? I can't go on without my hat!" may be

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**READY TO PERFORM**—Actresses Jill Paulk, Charlotte Jardine, Caron Moore, Posie Krueger, and Karen Mickelsen appear ready for tonight's opening performance of "The Madwoman of Chaillot."

### More Seniors Attend Clubs

Seniors Jim Hull, Jim Mueller, and Doug Weddle are the Adams representatives for the fourth and final term to the South Bend service clubs.

Jim Hull attends the Rotary meetings on Wednesdays at the Pick-Oliver Hotel; Jim Mueller is the Kiwanis representative on Thursdays at the LaSalle; and Doug attends the Lions Club meetings on Wednesdays at the Hoffmann.

### Getzinger Wins Science Prize

Sophomore Gail Getzinger, after winning the grand prize in the biological division of the South Bend science fair, went on to win the first-place senior award at the regional fair April 15, at Goshen.

Her experiment with the metamorphosis of a salamander won the top award of the American Cancer Society. An honorable mention award in the junior division also went to an Adams student, freshman Beverlee Jean Liebig.

Other Adamsites captured awards in the regional contest. Martha Badger was fifth in the senior botany division. Jim Cham-

### Kunz Leads Glee Club Next Year

Members of the Senior Glee Club recently voted for the officers who will lead them next year.

Bill Kunz was elected president, and Lee Whitcomb as his assistant. Karen LaMar will serve as vice-president and Lynn Ehlers will be her assistant.

Other officers elected were Denny Fischgrund, Charlene Colip, Judy Metcalfe, and Kaye Hamilton, secretaries; Sue Fairbanks, Julia Toothaker, Cynthia Polk, and Joanne Schultz, librarians; Charles Hamilton, business manager, Bob Tirman, his assistant; and Sue Kuc, publicity chairman.

Also Phil Robison and Caron Moore, treasurers; Bob Medow and Charlene Abbott, robe chairmen; Doug May, song leader; Agatha Knight, room chairman; and Joyce Parmerlee, Cheryl Zerbe, and Jerry Phillips, bulletin board.

Cynthia Callsen, Steve Dickey, Lynn Ehlers, and Karen LaMar will be accompanists for next year.

paigne won the third-place award in the senior physics division, and Bill Brooke the fifth-place award in this division.

### Clarke, MacLean Valedictorians; Mueller Third

For the second year in a row, two girl valedictorians and one boy salutatorian lead the senior class.

Sherry Clarke and Ann MacLean share the top scholastic honor, that of valedictorian, and James Mueller is the salutatorian.

These three students were recently named according to their scholastic averages. Other members of the Class of '61 also received recognition because of the high averages they have attained.

They are Sue Adams, Jane Aronson, Judyth Bell, James Bunyan, Carolyn Carpenter, Kathleen Delahanty, Larry Dunning, Shelley Freeze, Alvin From, James Hull, Alan Hurwick, Sandra Johnson, Caroline Jones, Kurt Juroff, Kay Kenady, Karl King, Sam Kulp, Joyce Lemontree, and Paul Levy.

Also Steve Lumm, David Martin, Craig McLeome, Lynn Meeks, Karen Mickelsen, Kathleen Miller, Pamela Miller, Marcia Morrison, Ronald Moyer, John Neff, Eric Nelson, Lisa Niemeyer, Alan Olson, Debbie Opperman, Ann Price, and Sue Proud.

Also Linda Rainier, Rod Reber, Martha Reuter, Colleen Riley, Jo Schelle, Sandra Shultz, Dave Sink, Suzanne Smith, David Spence, Martin Stamm, Philip Stenberg, Victor Vargo, William Webbink, Douglas Weddle, Florence Wisman, and Thomas Zimmer.

### Spring Concert Set for May 4

Adams music organizations are in the midst of preparations for the annual Spring Concert, to be given Thursday night, May 4.

The six groups will combine to produce an hour of music. Each will present a short program, and then combine in the final number, Haydn's "The Heavens Are Telling."

Tickets are being sold by the more than 400 participants for 25 cents and 50 cents, students and adults, respectively.

### Helkie, Cobb, Colip Elected

Student Council officers for the coming school year, 1961-62, were elected last week by the student body. 992 students voted; this amounted to 62.9% of the student body and bettered last year's percentage of votes by 5%.



Ted Tetzlaff

Ted Tetzlaff was elected president; Bill Helkie, vice-president; Linda Cobb, secretary; and Charlene Colip, treasurer.

The Board will consist of John Clark, Ozzie Morgan, Doug May, Frank Mock, Karen LaMar, Joanne Schultz, Caron Moore, and Jill Paulk.

The candidates for each office were introduced to the student body in an assembly last Thursday. Each presidential candidate presented a speech on Student Council affairs. This was the first time in several years that the candidates spoke on Council affairs rather than Eagle Ethics.

Yesterday the officers and Board were sworn into office by the outgoing officers. At that time they assumed the responsibility of the vacated positions.

#### Resume of Year

Dave Spence, outgoing president, presented a resume of this year's Council activities. They included the "Back-to-School" Assembly, "Show Ya' Roun'," and Leadership Clinic last fall. The "Share Their Fare Drive" topped last year's goal by \$100 by collecting \$900 for the A. F. S. Drive.

The basketball coronation ceremony was another of the Council projects. Combatting vandalism in the school library was a winter project carried out this year. The Council also played a part in the organizing of the Sectional pep assembly. Council projects yet this spring include the city-wide "Teen-o-Scope," and the "Little 500."

This year's officers included: Dave Spence, president; Dean Johnson, vice-president; Ann Price, secretary; and Kay Kenady, treasurer. Board members were: Paul Levy, Dave Sink, Jim Bunyan, Steve Lumm, Ann MacLean, Debbie Opperman, Caroline Jones and Suzanne Smith.



## Birch Society Can Be Dangerous To America

In recent weeks the controversial John Birch Society has been playing a significant part on the front pages of most every newspaper in the United States.

The John Birch Society is an ultra-conservative organization dedicated to the abolition of communism in the United States. This purpose reads fine on paper, but how does the society go about achieving its objective?

To answer this question we must first look at the principles upon which the John Birch Society was founded. The Society is a secret organization. Despite claims to the contrary, a spokesman for a South Bend branch told a Tribune reporter that members of the society do not want their names in print.

The membership is selective and limited. Says founder Robert Welch in the society's "Blue Book," "for we need disciplined pullers at the oars and not passengers in the boat." The dedicated few is the society's method of fighting communism.

The South Bend branch spokesman said that a society member can disagree with the society on certain issues, but he will be eliminated from the organization if he persists in his disagreement.

Naturally the officers of the local chapters are selected by founder Welch. It seems only logical that the type of organization that will be effective in fighting communism will be an organization that is founded on dictatorial and selective principles. Maybe these people don't feel democracy can work.

At a recent press conference Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy called the John Birch Society a "ridiculous" organization. But the fear here is that the society is more dangerous than ridiculous.

Any organization that calls former President Eisenhower "a conscious member of the communist conspiracy" is ridiculous to say the least. When it says the same about Supreme Court Chief Justice Earl Warren it is doubly so.

But a big lie about communism is easily spread among gullible Americans. Americans are led to believe that any organization that is openly dedicated to fight communism is good.

Because the American people look at the ends but close their eyes to the means, the John Birch Society can become dangerous to the welfare of the United States system.

## Something Must Be Done to Improve Poor Living Conditions in Slums

Last Friday 67 seniors were fortunate enough to go on a sociology trip to Chicago. Some of the things that they saw in Chicago, they have never seen before.

One of these was the living conditions of the people in the Maxwell Street area. Here are people who can find nothing to do but loiter in the streets all day.

They can find no jobs. For the most part they have had little or no education, and they live in unthinkably poor and overcrowded housing.

A youngster who grows up in that area has virtually no chance in life. Although he has an opportunity to attend public schools, chances are good that as soon as he reaches the legal age he will be pulled out of school to try to find a job to help support his family. The books mean little in an area where there is inadequate food and shelter.

Something must be done to alleviate this problem. Every year in Congress we hear that it should be done by state or local governments. But whether it is done by the federal government, the state, the local community, or private individuals, something has to be done.

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## BUSINESS STUDENTS HONOR SECRETARIES

"Better Secretaries Mean Better Business"—This is the slogan for National Secretary's Week which will be observed by the stenographic students at Adams during the week of April 24 to 28.

Both beginning and advanced shorthand students have planned special activities in recognition of the week. On Wednesday, April 26, the Shorthand II class of Miss Barbara Knoll and the Shorthand II and IV classes of Miss Jeannette Bready will meet as a group in the Library to hear a talk by Mrs. Julia Mason of the River Bend Chapter of the National Secretary's Association.

Also, on this day, the students will dress as a model secretary would. They have also scheduled a "coffee" break with the idea of making the observance more realistic.

Members of the planning committee who are in charge of arrangements are Sue Morros, Bobbie Longfellow, Tommy Mabrey, Jackie Copeland, and Carolyn Bulhand from the beginning classes; and Jan Keefer, Emily Grosso, Nancy Rankin, Barbara Alford, and Margaret Wettergren from the advanced class.

## Band, Orchestra Capture Firsts

The Adams Music Department was a double winner last Saturday as both the Band and Orchestra copped first-division ratings at the State Band and Orchestra Contest. This is the second consecutive year that the orchestra has rated first division.

The contest was held in South Bend this year at Washington High School. There were 43 bands and 1,501 students from Northern Indiana competing in the contest.

The Band and Orchestra both performed three prepared pieces for a battery of three judges. Each judge then rated the respective organization. This rating was then averaged with a rating in sight-reading for each group. The sight-reading consisted of playing two pieces which the groups had never seen before.

## SPANISH STUDENTS ENTER CONTEST

Five Adams Spanish students participated in the national Spanish contest held at Notre Dame on April 8.

They were fourth-year students Phyllis Gordon and Pam Miller, third-year scholar Dick Elliott, and second-year students Lynn Ehlers and Vicki Jones.

The nationwide test is sponsored by the National Association of Teachers of Spanish. Notre Dame is one of the two Indiana centers at which the test is administered.

Results of the contest will be announced in May.



TIME OFF WORK — Sue Morros, Bobbie Longfellow, Diane Kelsch, and Linda Rainier, shorthand students, take time for a "coffee break" during their celebration of National Secretaries Week.

## Women's Club Votes

Has your mother ever had a meeting of the women's club at your house? If she has, you know what the procedure is; if she hasn't, here is your chance to sit in on the report of the nominating committee.

"Grace, Grace, for heaven's sake will you people down at that end of the table keep quiet for a few minutes? We're going to have the report of the Nominating Committee because Helen's husband is picking her up at 8:30 and it's after 8:00 now. Well, then keep quiet and let us get through with this, then you can go right on talking about your trip to Bermuda for the rest of . . ."

"Claire, have you the slate of officers? But, Claire, you were the chairman of the committee . . . I certainly thought you'd get them together and . . . Oh, I forgot you weren't at the meeting. Dottie, you were supposed to let her know. After all, you were corresponding secretary. Oh dear, measles? They did? All four of them? Were they very sick with them? My Bobby had them two years ago and . . ."

"Oh, of course, Helen, we'll get started. Claire, you go over in the corner with your committee and we'll give you girls just about two minutes to make up a slate. All right, then hurry up. We have to do this according to parliamentary law. We paid \$3.00 for the book so we've got to follow it. Ruth, why don't you collect now for the dinners? Get out your two dollars, everybody. Isn't that an awful thing to say . . . but it's the quickest way. Ruth, go ahead and collect.

"Yes, Claire? Absolutely not! My Bob says he'll go home to his mother if I take the presidency for another term. Maybe Dottie would take it—it's easier than being corresponding secretary. Dottie, how about taking over the president's job? Oh, you can talk Stan out of it. I know it must be hard with the children and everything but . . ."

"Is she leaving too? Well, they just won't stay anywhere that they're expected to do anything any more. Dottie can't do it, Claire, her maid's leaving on Friday and with the four children she won't even stay on as secretary.

"I don't know who you'll get as secretary, Claire. It's an awfully hard job, writing all those notices

for the meetings and the letters to people and . . . Hmmm . . . I'm at a loss, Claire, really I am.

"Say, Claire, why don't you be president? Why, don't be silly. You'd make a wonderful president. You don't HAVE to know anything. Look at me—I've been president for two years. Helen, no, not ready yet, I just wanted to ask you, don't you think Claire would make a wonderful president? There, Claire!

"What rules? Oh, is that all? Well, why can't you RESIGN from the Nominating Committee and I'll take your place on it, then it will be all according to parliamentary law—if that will make you feel better.

"Peggy, you'll stay on as vice-president, WON'T you? Don't be silly—you haven't had a thing to do all year—so what difference does it make to you whether you are still vice-president? Nobody else wants to be vice-president, Peggy, but we have to have one and you're it!

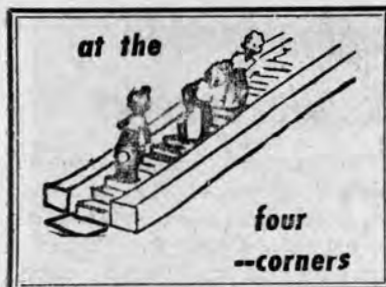
"There, that's settled. Let's see, treasurer. Ruth, will you stay on as treasurer? But you're the only one who can add and it seems such a waste to have a mathematical wizard in the club and not—You are, too, Ruth. You simply have to keep the job—girls, we can't get along without Ruth as treasurer, can we? There, you see, Ruth.

"Hmmm. Secretary—oh dear, that's an awful job to wish on anyone. Who can we get to be . . . Is Helen gone? Good, we'll make her secretary. She can't do a thing about it once she's elected. There . . . Girls—girls—we have the report of the Nominating Committee. If you'll hush up a minute, I'll read it so we can have the secretary cast a unanimous ballot.

"Dottie, will you cast a unanimous ballot for that list? It has to be moved? Well, hurry up, somebody, and move and second it. We want to do everything according to Hoyle around here. O.K.? Then it has been moved and seconded that the secretary cast a unanimous ballot. Whew—that's over.

Well, Claire, good luck with the presidency. Here, you take this book on parliamentary law we bought. I don't know how we'd ever get along without it? It makes the whole thing so easy!"





## Frank 1st Swimmer In Lake Michigan

The TOWER is happy to announce the winner of its "First Person to Swim in Lake Michigan Contest." The winner is senior, Fred Frank.

The first countdown ended at 1:29:59 p. m. He returned this time at 1:30:00 p. m. The second countdown hit zero at 1:31:15 p. m. He returned the second time at 1:32:02 p. m. Fred made it up to his knees this time. The third and final time the countdown ended at 1:37:43 p. m. He returned at 1:37:49 p. m. He made it up to his waist.

Congratulations, Fred, on your perseverance but we can't give you the prize we offered because you didn't actually go swimming. You are still considered the winner, however, and we hope you enjoyed it!

Thanks to witnesses Larry Wert and Bob Waelbroeck the TOWER is able to print another exclusive story about the doings of Adams students.

Hubbard and Vic Peters, Karen O'Donnell and Tom Toepp, Gwen Cline and Howard Wallace, Judy Eminger and Kenny Berger, Sue Barts and Junior Wiseman (Central alum.), Tom Habart and Helen Hill, Cheryl Cako and Dave Little, Mindy Aulm and Mike Klossinski (Purdue), Diane Dodson and Tom Harvey, Margaret Zechial and Chuck Litweiler, Joyce Wyatt and Dick Sherk, Julia Toothaker and Ron Moyer, Vicky Haines (Riley) and Tim Lake, and Peggy Haines and Pat Waindell (St. Joe alum.).

Others seen were Judy Sherwood and Dwight Hoover (Central), Joan Goldstein and Rick Chapman, Bonnie Bernth and Ronnie Roberts, Bonnie Sulkey and Terry Bolling Sue Fairbanks and Fred Schlemmer, Judy Schook and Don Hartke, Mona Wilkinson and Bert Metzger, Charlene Abbot and Larry McKinney, and Linda Thompson and Dick Jordan (Madison alum.).

Also Judy Metcalfe and Mike Reem (St. Joe), Cynthia Callsen and John Hemphill (alum.), Anita

## Play Opens

(Continued from Page 1, Column 1) met with minor hysteria, but the hat will be found, and the actress will enter on cue.

Denny Fischgrund and her workers have done the publicity for the play. Writing articles for THE TRIBUNE, the TOWER, and distributing posters have been only a few of their activities. An afternoon during spring vacation was spent creating the banners "painted by the Madwoman of Chaillot." Much time and effort also went into the French francs given to students Tuesday, and into the posters displayed in home rooms.

Bill Stoner and Carol Gebhardt have been in charge of properties. Securing tables which may have lawn umbrellas inserted has been only one of their tasks.

Ned Darr and his committee have spent many hours working on sets for the play. Jill Paulk and the Adams students assisting her have practiced applying make-up to each other's faces.

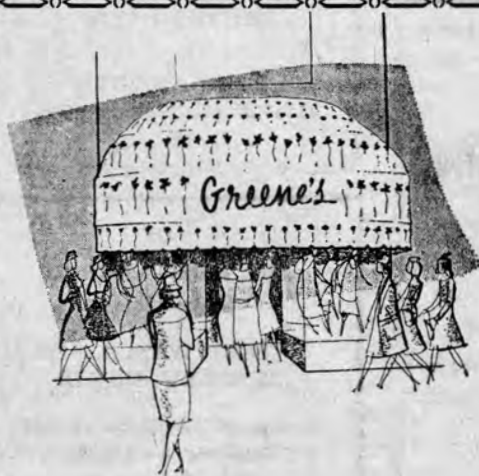
Charlane Colip has spent much time checking lists of names to make sure that no one working on any committee for "The Madwoman of Chaillot" will be omitted from the programs, and Rod Reber has made sure that all lighting is exactly right for each scene.

The results of the work of the production committees will be seen tonight and tomorrow night on the Adams stage. But the efforts of the cast and director Mr. William Brady will determine the success or failure of the play.

April 16-22

## Indiana Library Week

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Elizabeth Hodes  
Diane Hodes  
Robert Kaley  
Paul Levy  
Joanne Schultz  
Gary Smith  
Ted Tetzlaff  
Margaret Weir

**4 A 1 B**  
Verna Adams  
Janice Elek  
Carol Gebhardt  
Jan Hadley  
Peggy Haines  
Marcia Hupp  
Charlotte Kutz  
Karen LaMar  
Steve Nelson  
Alex Oak  
Babs O'Hair  
Phyllis Shapiro  
Dave Simons  
Barbara Smith  
Sue Spicer  
Candy Szabo  
Julie Toothaker  
Gayle Thistlethwaite  
James Wilson

**3 A 2 B**  
Max Arens  
Sue Berfanger  
Nancy Blessing  
Annette Brown  
James Bunyan  
Carolyn Burgott  
Cynthia Callsen  
Sandra Dietl  
Gail Getzinger  
Bill Helkie  
Kathy Kletka  
Susan Kuc  
Ted Laphman  
David Larson  
Larry McMillan  
Dick Mintz  
Frank Mock  
Neil Natkow  
Nancy Naus  
Paul Riedel  
Linda Shapiro  
Terry Smith  
Nancy Stenberg  
Mike Stiver  
Marsha VanAmar  
Linda Winslow

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Steve Dickey  
Judy Dix  
Joseph Dolon  
Denny Fischgrund  
Tom Foley  
Leila Harjanne

Richard Hosea  
Diane Huster  
Marjorie Johnson  
William Kunz  
Karen Miekeisen  
Kent Miller  
Steve Steinberg  
Eric Svendsen  
Elizabeth Toul  
Florence Wisman  
Louise Wisman

**2 A 2 B**  
Sue Adams  
Joseph Burmester  
Cheryl Cako  
Charlane Colip  
Anne Cordtz  
Ruth Cox  
Lynn Ehlers  
Bobbie Jean Goodwin  
Peter Hayes  
Dean Johnson  
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Sue Petersen  
Ann Price  
Linda Rienks  
Don Schultz  
Dave Spence  
Martin Stamm  
Phil Stenberg  
Barbara Tomber

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David Altman  
Sherilyn Brunson  
Sherry Clarke  
Charles Clarke  
Carol Cseh  
Darlene Daniel  
Don DeGroff  
Bill Hostrawser  
James Hull  
Faith Johnson  
Caroline Jones  
Kurt Juroff  
Gayle Katz

## FTA Holds Conference

The Future Teachers of America will hold its State Convention at Butler University in Indianapolis on Saturday, April 22. Members from the Adams chapter who are planning to attend are Karen Bell, Elizabeth Coblentz, David Martin, Becky Miller, Jackie Rieth, Hannah Stamm, and Carol Jensen. They will be accompanied by the sponsors Miss Barbara Knoll and Mr. Eldon Ruff.

## Lettermen Hold Dance

The Adams Monogram Club will hold its annual sock hop on Friday night, April 28.

It will be held in the Adams gym from 8 to 11 p. m.

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## Trackmen Off To Fast Start

A fine track team, under the direction of Coach Duane Rowe, got its season underway with three straight wins over Washington-Clay, LaPorte, and Goshen, respectively. This feat has never been accomplished by an Adams track team in the past.

In the last meet, Adams played guest to Goshen and beat them handily, 79 3/4 to 29 1/4. Art Langel was a double winner, both in the 120-yard high hurdles and in the 180-yard low hurdles. Langel ran a time of 16.3 seconds in the former and a 21.7 second mark in the 180 low hurdles.

Another double winner was junior, Kent Johnston, who ran the 100-yard dash in 10.7 seconds. Along with this, he ran the 220-yard dash in 23.7 seconds.

The 880-yard relay team, composed of Howie Frazier, Kent Johnston, Lon Fleming, and Roland Jerue tied a school record of 1 minute and 35 seconds in this event.

Roland Jerue ran the 440 in 55.3 seconds, to gain a first in the meet. Wyze Nicks jumped 18 feet in the broad jump, thus giving him a first. Dave Stout threw the shot 47 feet to gain a first for the Adams cindermen.

### Rip LaPorte

The Eagles left LaPorte with a 71 1/2 to 37 1/2 win under their belts. Kent Johnston turned in another double-win performance by running the 100-yarder in 10.3 seconds and by taking the 220, with a time of 23.4 seconds.

Carl and Jim Taylor, the high-jumping brothers, jumped 5 feet 8 inches to win the high jumping part of the meet.

Art Langel won the 180-yard low hurdles with a time of 21.7 seconds. Bob Barton took the 120-yard low hurdles, by running in a time of 16 seconds flat.

Roland Jerue, running his best time of the season in the 440, lost by a hair, as he ran it in 53.4 seconds.

Gary Dominy, Ron Rose, Craig Hendricks, and Mike O'Neal set a school record by winning the mile relay in 3 minutes and 35.1 seconds.

Jim Fischer took a first in the pole vault with a vault of 10 feet

1 inch. Along with this first, he added another one in the broad jump, jumping 19 feet 8 1/2 inches.

### Down Clay

Adams met Washington-Clay on their own field and trounced them, 80 to 29. Art Langel broke one track record and tied a school record.

In the 180 low hurdles, Langel was timed at 21 seconds, which tied a school record set by Andy Mihail in 1960. He also broke a record held by Arvseter Brooks of Washington. He ran the 120 high hurdles in 15.6 seconds.

Howie Frazier broke a school record by running the 220 in 22.6 seconds. Frazier, also won the 100-yard dash with sizzling 10.2 seconds.

Art Langel and Kent Johnston have the most firsts on the team, each accounting for five. Eagle cindermen have the best times in the area in six events. Coach Duane Rowe can look forward to a good season for the 1961 Eagle trackmen.

## EAGLES DROP TWO OF THREE

Before their conference opener on Tuesday at Riley was snowed out, the Eagle baseball team dropped two of their first three starts.

Last Friday the Adams squad gained its victory, a 5-2 decision over Washington-Clay on the Colonial home field.

The Eagles broke up the game with a three-run fifth frame. An infield single by Larry Harris and a booming triple by Billy Roberts provided the tallies.

Jerry Harris in relief of Jim Wallace and Tom Anderson was credited with the victory.

A day earlier Washington right-handers Juan Hernandez and Ed Rogers limited the Eagles to a pair of hits as Washington handed Adams a 5-1 spanking.

Adams scored on Jerry Wood's single, an error, and Ron Dorland's hit.

Previously the Eagles were topped by Mishawaka, 2-0. Dick Witkowski held the Adams hitters to two safeties.

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Tower Sports Editor

Coach Duane Rowe's track squad is off to a fine start in what could develop into the winningest season in Adams track history. The Eagle have won their initial three meets thus far against Washington-Clay, LaPorte, and Goshen. During these three victories Adams participants tied or broke records in a total of five events.

In the opening meet of the season against Washington-Clay, senior Art Langel set a new Adams track record in the high hurdles with a time of :15.6, breaking the old record set by Arvester Brooks of Washington set in 1958. Brooks' time was :15.7. In the same meet Langel tied the school record of :21.0 in the low hurdles which was set last year by Andy Mihail.

Another senior, Howard Frazier, ran the 220-yard dash in the record time of :22.6, eclipsing the old mark of :22.7 set by Dick Wedel in 1953.

In the LaPorte meet, the Adams mile relay team of sophomore, Gary Dominy, junior, Craig Hendricks, sophomore, Denny Rose, and sophomore, Mike O'Neal, set a new school record 3:35.1. The old mark was originally set in 1946 and was tied in 1949.

Still another Adams record was tied by the 880-yard relay team as they equaled the school mark of 1:35.0. The team consists of Louis Fleming, a junior; Frazier, a senior; Roland Jerue, a junior; and Kent Johnston, a junior. The record time for this event was originally set in 1958 by Phil Barton, Roland Davis, Robert Hill, and Gene Phillips.

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## Golfers Top Elkhart And Mishawaka

The John Adams golf team defeated Elkhart and Mishawaka in a triangular meet April 13, at Morris Park. The scores were: Adams 9, Elkhart 6; Adams 13 1/2, Mishawaka 1 1/2.

Elkhart was one of the highest rated teams in the conference in pre-season conjecture, and the double victory should give the Adams golfers a good start in their race for the conference title.

Steve Bell of Elkhart was medalist with a fine 73. Phil Renner and Tom Zimmer were six-point winners for Adams.

Adams scores: pair 36-35-71.  
No. 1. Dale Hjerpe — 38-43-81  
No. 2. Tom Zimmer — 38-41-79  
No. 3. Phil Renner — 41-40-81  
No. 4. Buddy Bushman — 43-43-86  
No. 5. C. Van Buskirk — 46-41-87

## G.A.A. BOWLING

(Final Standings)

Place	Team	Average
1	1	430
2	10	425
3	3	401
3	8	401
5	4	395

### High Scores

	1st	2nd
Mary Warstler	146	103
Lisa Niemeyer	133	144
Caroline Jones	144	123
Vicki Jones	100	130
Karen Kowalski	102	136
Carole Rookstool	110	115
Kathy Hanson	116	104

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## Eagles Invade St. Joe Tonight

The Adams baseball squad sports a record of one win and two losses after its first week of competition. Coach Don Truex's team will visit St. Joseph's tonight at four o'clock to tangle with the Indians.

On Tuesday, April 25, the Eagles return home to host the Elkhart Blue Blazers in an Eastern Division Northern Indiana Conference contest.

Coach Duane Rowe's trackmen who are off to a fine start in what could develop into the most successful season in that sport in the school's history, will see action two times this week. Tomorrow the Adams thinlies will participate in the Goshen Relays, always a tough meet. Three days later the Eagles will compete in the relays at Rochester.

Tonight the Adams golfers of Coach Ernest Kaeppler will visit the defending state-champion LaPorte Slicers. The Central Bears will then host the Eagle duffers on Tuesday, April 25.

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