

CENTRAL'S GAY PERFORMERS WHO WILL PRESENT "MIDSUMMER'S EVE" OF "THE ENCHANTED YEAR"

TO PRESENT THREE PERFORMANCES OF SCHOOL PAGEANT

Presentation is For Teachers, Public, and Students of Four High Schools

MISS REED DIRECTOR

Dramatic Directors of City's Four High Schools Aid In Production of Pageant "The Enchanted Year"

Three performances of the pageant, "The Enchanted Year," will be presented at the City Auditorium. The first will be given on Friday, Nov. 2, before the members of the Nebraska State Teachers' Association, the second for the general public on Saturday night, Nov. 3, and the final performance for the students of the four high schools of the city after school on Monday, Nov. 5. Admission for the Saturday night performance will be fifty cents, and teachers of the seventh and eighth grades are selling tickets. High school students will be admitted for 25 cents, Monday afternoon.

Pageant Written by Miss Reed
The pageant has been conceived, written, and directed by Miss Marion Reed, Supervisor of Art in the Omaha Public Schools. Miss Reed helped in the production of both pageants, "Coronado in Quivera" and "Nebraska." The respective dramatic directors of the four high schools are aiding Miss Reed in producing "The Enchanted Year." Miss Lena May Williams from Central, Mrs. Olive Stanley from Benson, Miss Mary Irene Wallace from Technical, and Miss Marguerite Walker of South comprise this body.

The production is divided into four parts, and each part will be presented by one of the high schools, Part I being taken by Benson, Part II by Central, Part III by South, and Part IV by Technical.

Theme of the Play Entrancing
The theme of the play is delightful and entrancing. A pageant of the passing year presents itself in a display of alluring music and a spectacle of enticing dances.

Part I is a presentation of Spring Magic. After the dormant reign of Winter, Pan pipes to the sleeping wild things of the earth who shyly respond to the call. Rain-washed fields and hills flash forth in vivid glory. April showers, a gorgeous rainbow, and finally Spring herself appear.

Part II Portrays Summer Evening
Midsummer Eve, Part II, depicts a garden at eventide. Flowers, fairies, butterflies, and poppies nod and bow in dreamy and lovely dancing. The fairies are radiant, clothed in sparkling dew, and the red poppies swing on high sweet incense pots. Gamboling pucks grow mischievous and tease the sleepers with their sprightfulness. A band of splendid Revellers arouse the whole stage to riotous merriment.

Part III a Graceful Picture
In Part III, Autumn's Gifts, the departure of Summer is solemnly chanted. A graceful frieze of youths and maidens bearing sheaves of wheat and bowls of fruit attest the fullness of the season. Young girls with wreaths do a devotional dance of stately beauty. Gracious Autumn magically approaches the altar and is welcomed by song and presented with gifts.

Winter a Festival of Gayety
The final part, Winter Festival, is begun with a dance of the year's last leaves. They are driven away by the hoary breath of the Frost King. A lovely snow maiden appears with her band, and the dance of falling snow follows. A troop of gay pierotes frisk about. Gradually quiet settles down and tiny candles appear in the window of a quiet house. The reverent strains of Holy Night float out upon the air. A band of troubadors carol prettily. A festival of song for Yuletide and the New Year completes a pageant of loveliness and grace.



DR. FRANK G. SMITH SPEAKS TO FATHERS

Continued from Page One

Mr. Solomon, President of the Parent-Teachers' Association, who was introduced by "Vint" Lawson and greeted with cheers, said, "I am glad indeed to see so many fathers and I bid you welcome. We all know that boys do their best work when they are backed by their fathers."

Two excellent violin solos were rendered by Archie Bailey. The Senior Glee Club, led by Mrs. Pitts, sang the "Trumpeter" and the "Mill below the Willows." These selections were greatly appreciated by the audience.

Key to Boys' Hearts Presented
"Nick" Amos, on behalf of the Ruf-nex, presented a large gilt key to the boy's hearts to Mr. Reed, who exclaimed huskily, "On behalf of the dads, I accept the key, although our hearts have been opened long ago."

The program was concluded by a short talk by Mr. Reed, who announced the next Parent-Teachers' meeting a month from now. The fathers and sons then dispersed to wander about the building and get acquainted.

Hostesses of Banquet
The hostesses of Central High were Mrs. Atkinson, Miss Bozell, Miss Burns, Miss Copeland, Miss Custello, Miss Autumn Davies, Miss Dumont, Miss Holmes, Mrs. Pitts, Miss Rooney, Miss Robinson, Miss Stringer, Miss May Somers, Miss Taylor and Miss Towne. The hostesses of the Parent-Teacher's Association committee were Mrs. Pearl McGrew Harris, Mrs. Ira Porter, Mrs. Howard Saxton, Mrs. Geo. D. Tunnick, Miss Emily Cleve, Miss Mary Phillippi, Mrs. Alfred C. Kennedy, Mrs. John A. Bruce, Mrs. Frank D. Field, Mrs. Nathan Mantel, Mrs. James I. Paxton, Mrs. G. R. Spencer, Mrs. M. P. Stone, and Mrs. F. J. Swoboda. Miss Belle Ryan was the chairman of the committee of programs and arrangements.

Miss Carter, Superintendent of Central's Cafeteria, supervised and had complete charge of the preparation of all the food which was reported as excellent by all.

Project Room Point of Interest
The project room 130 proved to be a point of interest to all and was kept open the whole evening. Many of the fathers were quite amazed at the collection of projects on display there.

De Molay Jewelry
May We Be Your Jeweler?
GEORGE CHRISTIANSEN & CO
4th Floor Security Bldg.
16th & Farnam Sts.

George Cocas Barber Shop
308 So. 24th St.

FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF CENTRAL WORK TO MAKE PAGEANT SUCCESS

In every presentation the man behind the scenes is the one who contributes as much to the success of the performance as the players themselves. So in the pageant, "The Enchanted Year," the strongest and the most enthusiastic in their efforts are the producers who are in charge.

Miss Lena May Williams, head of the Expression department, is in full charge of Central's part; Mrs. C. M. Pitts, head of the music department, is directing the Glee Clubs' contribution; Mr. Cox is directing the orchestra; Miss Constance Platt, head of the physical education department, is training the dancers; and Miss Floy Smith, of the expression department, is in charge of the costumes.

In conjunction with Mrs. Pitts is the versatile and tireless Miss Platt. Her task is the actual training of the dancers. Miss Platt has always been famous for her ingenious ability at improvising delightful drills and dances. This year her talent has reached its best, and her presentations will embody more than ever the beautiful grace she is so wont to develop.

Miss Smith, well known for her excellent work with the Speakers' Bureau and in dramatics, is proving herself matchless in her ability to supervise the designing of costumes of rare and dainty beauty.

Miss Mackay of South High is in charge of makeup and will select a committee.

Miss Parker is chairman of the Properties Committee.

Mr. Bexton with his reliable stage crew will arrange the settings. Evidence of his contribution is already to be seen in the Gym where two staircases for the Revellers are erected. A curtain of lovely blue will be used for the last of the scene, and other bits of artistic stage setting and lighting will be employed. Members of the stage crew are Dick McNamara, Clement Clarke, Don Gorton, Paul Peder-

Shoe Repairing
With Best Workmanship and Shoe Repairing
Hat Cleaning and Reblocking
Ladies Hats a Specialty
MASTOS BROTHERS
1520 Harney Street Douglas 1261

Johanson Drug Co.
Graduate Pharmacists
Phone Webster 0942
24th and Spaulding Omaha

OSTEOPATHY
DR. FLORENCE MOUNT
Kirksville Graduate
644 World Herald Bldg.
Tel. Atlantic 5236

TEMPTATION
BESETS YOU WHEN YOU ENTER
Candies--Sodas--Ice Cream--Light Lunches
Quality - Service - Prices - Satisfaction
CANDY LAND
16th and Farnam Streets
CRYSTAL CANDY CO.
16th Street and Capitol Avenue

NEBRASKA TEACHERS ATTEND CONVENTION

Continued from Page One

The direction of Miss Marion Reed, supervisor of Art, and Miss Myrtle McGraw, assistant supervisor.

Banquets Are Feature of Program
The appetizing end of the calendar will be featured Thursday at 5:30 by a dinner for the women at the Hotel Fontenelle and an "all men's dinner" at the Brandeis Grill Room. All the County Superintendents attending the convention will be entertained Thursday noon by a banquet at the Omaha Athletic Club. Various other banquets will be given for the guests by other organizations of the city.

Pageant to be Presented
The biggest feature of the convention will be the presentation of the pageant of the seasons, "The Enchanted Year," by the pupils from the four Omaha high schools, Friday evening. This musical fantasy was written and directed by Miss Marion Reed, art supervisor of the Omaha Public Schools.

ED. BURDICK (Class 1910) **GEO. PARISH** (Class 1908)
Omaha Sporting Goods Co.
1806 Harney Street
"EVERYTHING FOR THE SPORTSMAN"
J. D. CREW AL. FENT

ALBERT SAND
PIANIST AND ORGANIST
Studio Room 21 Baldrige Bldg.
20th and Farnam Sts.
Tel. Atlantic 8459
nist Kountze Memorial Luth. Church

Krage's Standard Shoe Repairing
1619 Farnam St.
Down Stairs.

ADMIT NEW MEMBERS TO STUDENT CONTROL

The Student Control increased their membership by three at a meeting held in Room 215 before school, Tuesday, when Laura Perkins, Pauline Parmalee, and Janice Kirkpatrick were voted new members.

Athletic Supplies
Complete Stock
Special prices to Schools
Townsend Sporting Goods Co.
1309 Farnam Street Omaha

Start Your Savings Account
With
The Conservative Savings And Loan Association
1614 Harney Street

The Friendly Shop in the Heart of Omaha
Take The Cakes, Boys!
"Blue" Howell, Wally Marrow, Egan, Martin Thomas, and "Manny" Robertson are entitled to cakes as a result of their scoring against South High. Get 'em at the Buttermilk Shop. We will give cakes to those scoring against Creighton, Friday.
"Health In Foods"
Northrup-Jones
BUTTERMILK SHOP
NORTH WEST CORNER 16th & FARNAM STS.

Freshmen Hold Debate Meet

The Freshman Debate Squad held its first meeting last Wednesday after school in Room 440. The qualities of a good debater and subjects for the inter-class debate were discussed.

Florence Fitzgerald, David Sher and Richard Johnson will act as coaches to aid the squad in its work. The next meeting will be held Wednesday in Room 440.

Central Graduate Attends Yale

D. L. Dimond '22, who was a student in Dartmouth last year, was transferred to Yale this year, receiving a scholarship and advanced standing in all of his subjects, after only two weeks work. Ordinarily advanced standing is not given before the end of the first semester and often not until the end of the year. Dimond is in training on the Yale swimming team.

Van Sant School of Business
Day School for Girls and Women,
Evening School for Men and Women
205 South 19th Street
Tel. Jackson 5890

Prairie Life Insurance Company
Old Line Legal Reserve
Home Office:
KEELINE BUILDING
OMAHA

Students
We have a huge assortment of the finest Standard Typewriters for rent or sale, on the lowest terms ever offered.
Central Typewriter Exchange
Established 1903
Phone JA-4120 1912 Farnam
"LARGEST, OLDEST AND BEST IN THE MIDDLE WEST"

NEW COMMITTEES FOR SPEAKER'S BUREAU

Two committees were appointed in the Speakers' Bureau last week, one for the purpose of deciding on a pin or emblem for the members and the other to arrange some sort of entertainment. Ralph Barris was made chairman of the pin committee. Ernestine Dunaway and Morgan Meyers are the other members. Eudora Jones is chairman of the entertainment committee. Blanche McClure, Robert Weller and Melba Burke will assist her.

Under the leadership of Frances Johnston the girls of the Bureau have carried on the business without the aid of the boys since Monday, Oct. 22. Wednesday the boys were permitted to rise on point of order.

