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#### CAREER DAY HELD AT L. S. H. S.

- Pat Melton

On February 14, an assembly was given announcing Career Day. Four of Lexington's outstanding citizens and businessmen were presented. Mr. Olen Easter of the Kiwanis Club acted as moderator. Mr. Byron Wilkinson of Dixie Furniture Company, Mr. Woodrow Swink of Wennonah Mill, and Mr. William Sinclair of Industrial Vocation School, along with Mr. Easter, discussed employment opportunities and gave the student body some helpful information.

The second part of the annual Career Day at L. S. H. S. was held on February 21. Julee Smith served as chairman of the Career Day committee. Mrs. Inez Hussy, guidance counselor and Student Council sponsor, worked with the committees to make Career Day possible. Co-chairmen of the various committees were as follows: Patsy Cox, Survey and tabulation; Dobbin Callahan, class arangement; Betty McMillan, hospitality; Lynn Grandolfi, courtesy; Claude Reynolds, guide; Charles Bullaboy, education.

Representatives from various

Representatives from various professions attended and students were given a choice of two representatives with whom to talk. The following representatives were present.

#### Career Day—1962

Accounting and Bookkeeping: Bili Turlington, Mgr. Frank P.

Buck Company.

Advertising: Critz Query, Advertising and Sales, Dixie Furniture Company.

ture Company.

Automotive Service: T. D. Redwine, Service Mgr. Davidson Motor Company.

Motor Company.

Beautician: Hazel Edwards,

The Beauty Nook.

Chemist: George Webster, Chemist, Verone Dye Co.

Civil Service: Wm. G. Hogsed, Jr., U. S. Post Office. Dairy Product Work: Bill Kis-

Dairy Product Work: Bill Kiser, Division Mgr. Coble Dairy.
Dentist: James P. Bingham,
Jr., D. D. S.

Division of Religious Education: Mrs. J. Frank Spruill, First Methodist Church.

Engineer; Civil, Mechanical Electrical: Wade Gibbs, City Engineer.

Forestry and Conservation: O. C. Goodwin, Jr., N. C. Forest Service.

Journalism: Fred O. Sink, Jr., The Dispatch.

Laboratory Technician: Jack Perryman, Jack Perryman Medical Laboratory.

Librarian: Mr. David Vaughn, Davidson Co. Public Library.

Lawyer: Frank P. Holton, Jr., Attorney at Law.

Merchandising: General Retail: Elmer P. Nance, Pres. Elmer P. Nance Co.

Ministry: Rev. Marlin Schaeffer, First United Church of Christ. Musician: Mrs. Charles Jor-

dan, First Methodist Church. Nursing: Miss Polly Neal, Davidson Co. Public Health Office. Pharmacy: Seth Miller, Phar-

macist, Community Drug Store.
Photography: Cliff Ingram, Ingram Studios.

Physical Education: Gerald Lloyd, Secretary, YMCA.

Physical Therapy: Jackie Clark, Mgr. Health Club, YMCA.



## Senior Class To Present "The Little Dog Laughed"

-Mildred Gee

On the night of March 9, 1962, at eight o'clock, the traditional Senior Class play will be presented in the auditorium of Lexington Senior High School. The play, "The Little Dog Laughed," is a hilarious comedy in three exciting acts. The play, written by Vera and Ken Tarpley, was reported most successful as far west as Astoria, Oregon, and as far north as Springfield, Pennsylvania.

After much thought and consideration, the cast of fifteen was chosen from sixty seniors who faithfully "tried out"! Laurie, a college sophomore who is studying psychology, will be portray-

Physician: Robert A. Team, M. D..

Law Enforcement: Tim Kimbrill, Police Officer, Lexington Police Dept.

Radio Television: Greely Hilton, President, WBUY Radio Station.

Salesmen — Automobile: Gray Davis, Jr., Davidson Motor Company

Social Worker: Doris Lopp, Davidson County Welfare Dept. Trucking: Robert Grubb, Vice president, Maybelle Transport

Architecture and Trades: Leonard H. Craver, Craver and Es-

sicks Construction Co.
Textiles: Sales: Felix Gee,
Vice president, Dacotah Cotton

Manufacturing: P. D. Merritt, Production Mgr. Dacotah Cotton

Furniture—Sales: Olen C. Easter, Sales and Office Mgr., Link-Taylor Corp.
Manufacturing: Rodney L.

Leonard, Personnel Director, Link-Taylor. Co. Teacher: Miss Florence Reid,

Robbins School.

Home Economist: Miss Martha B. Thomason, Davidson County Home Dem. Agent.

ed by Winks McCurdy. Laurie insists that her family is a group of "psychological knots." Her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Huntington, are overcome by Laurie's technical language and strange ideas. Laurie's parents will be played by Betty McMillan and Johany Fritts. Wallie Huntington, the teen-age son, played by John Parker, is a typical boy about sixteen years old. The Wood family enters the play when Mr. Ted Wood, Michael Bell takes away Mr. Huntington's best usedcar salesman. Mrs. Wood is portrayed by "Butchie" Harris, and Joan Wood, Wallie's girl, is played by Ginger Varner. Mark Bradford, a college medical student who is very interested in Laurie, is played by Lauren Kugel. "Hun" Philpott plays "Gus", the maid who is in love with a bird enthusiast, Horatio P. Honeywell, Danny Jonas. Five ladies who agree to submit to Laurie's ink blot test are played as follows: Caroline, Lynn Grandolfi; Amelia, Sue Hilton; Grace, Gay Middleton; Walola, Pat Hankins; and Therese, Mildred Gee.

The Senior Class is working very hard to make this year's senior play the best ever presented. The sponsors and the Senior class agree that this is the most humorous play ever to be staged here.

The committes have been working diligently on every phase of production. The sponsors, Mrs. Ottis Hedrick and Miss Charlotte Matthews, have spent hours on coaching and directing; Mr. Carrolle Bowen, assisted by Mr. Willard Moody and Mr. Tom Shore, have a stage set of unified design practically finished; and Mr. Holcombe is directing ticket sales and other finances.

Everything will be in readiness when the curtain goes up at eight o'clock, Friday evening, March 9. Only one performance will be given, and as usual, a capacity house is expected. Proceeds will go toward the seniors' gift to the school.

#### Spanish And French Club Plays Are Coming Attraction At L. S. H. S.

-Martha Hardee

A coming attraction in L.S.H.S. is the Spanish and French plays on March 30, 1962. For the first time, this year the two clubs combine, promising a delightful presentation. The Spanish Club will entertain the audience with singing and dancing and a one-act comedy entitled "El Mancebo que se caso con mujer brava."

A one act play La Farce du Cuvier, and a short two act play entitled L'Enfance de Jeanne d'Arc will be presented by members of the French Club. The student body and public at large are asked to reserve the evening of March 30 for the plays of the Foreign Language Department. The casts and directors are already working hard to insure a delightful entertainment.

The following are among the cast of these plays: French—Randy Brady, Joyce Stanly, Betty McMillan, Elaine Yates, Tony Wike, Ed Zimmerman, Benny Parker, Linda Kirkman, Eddie Holmes, Darrel Revis, Bobby Smith, Linda Nannie, Dolly Black, Ann Smith, Shirly McCaskill, Juanita Covington, Sherrill Fowler, Barbara McGowan, Patty Beck, Mickie York, Billy Humble, Keith Briggs, and Jane Leonard. Spanish: Johnny Fritts, Frankie Newsome, Harry Koonts, Johnny Fite, Harry Young, Don Knepper and Claude Reynolds.

A good attendance is urged and the evening should be enjoyed by everyone.

#### F. T. A. Presents Annual Gift To L. S. H. S.

-Martha Hardee

The Future Teachers of America presented a new flag to Lexington Senior High School as its annual gift for the year of 1962. Along with the flag, an extension cord was presented which would enable the student body to use the light on the speaker's stand in the auditorium.

#### Mixed Chorus Attends Contest In Albemarle

-Pat Hankins

On February 16, the mixed chorus of Lexington Senior High School attended the district choral contest in Albemarle. They entered the numbers "Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" and "Ave Varium."

The chorus left the high school early Friday morning and returned late Friday afternoon. The following people made the trip: Shirley Barker, Pat Briggs, Clara Craver, Maxine Disher, Barbara Everhart, Toni Floyd, Vonceil Flynt, Linda Hardin, Brenda Hedrick, Jean Holder, Joyce Jones, Carol Meachum, Lucille Moden, Velma Morrison, Janet Morrow, Brenda Owens, Linda Owen, Barbara Smith, Pat Swing, Melinda Taylor, Keith Walser, Betty Washburn, Jim Best, Donald Chaffin, Wayne Cross, Bois Deal, Alex deBettencourt, Ralph Luther, May Gainor, Charles Harvey, Gary Jarvis, James Link, Tommy Meador, Donald Shaw, Larry Smith, and Dennis Taylor.

This fine group represented Lexington Senior High School very well, and we are very proud of their achievements.

#### GLEE CLUBS PRESENT ASSEMBLY PROGRAMS

-Pat Hankins

On February 15, 1962, the mixed chorus and girls chorus presented an assembly program. John Leonard, student body president, introduced Dennis Taylor, president of the mixed chorus. He, in turn, introduced the numbers that they would sing — "Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" by Bach, and "Ava Varium," by Saint-Saens.

After a brief intermission, the girls chorus concluded the program by singing "Prayer from Hansel and Gretle" by Humperdink and "Green Cathedral." The two groups were directed by Mrs. Witherspoon and were accompanied by Jane Davis Leonard.

This assembly was enjoyed by all students and teachers, and started off the day with a song.

### Marie Moorefield Wins Homemaking Award

-Doris Morgan

On Decmber 5, 1961, the annual Betty Crocker Better Homemaker of Tomorrow scholarship tests were held in the L.S.H.S. cafeteria. All senior girls that were interested in Home Economics took part. On January 24, 1962, it was announced that Marie Moorefield, outstanding senior. was the winner in Lexington Miss Moorefield was awarded a gold pin and her winning paper was sent to the State Contest in Raleigh. The State winner will be awarded \$1500 scholarship and the national winner will receive a \$3000 scholarship.

The Homemaker test consisted of a 10-page booklet made up of questions dealing with serving, meal-planning, budget-balancing, cooking, and child care. The final section was an extemporaneous theme on the subject "Who Should Make the Important Decisions in A Home—Husband or Wife?" with 10 minutes to complet the assignment

The LEXHIPEP offers congratulations to this deserving student on her fine achievement.