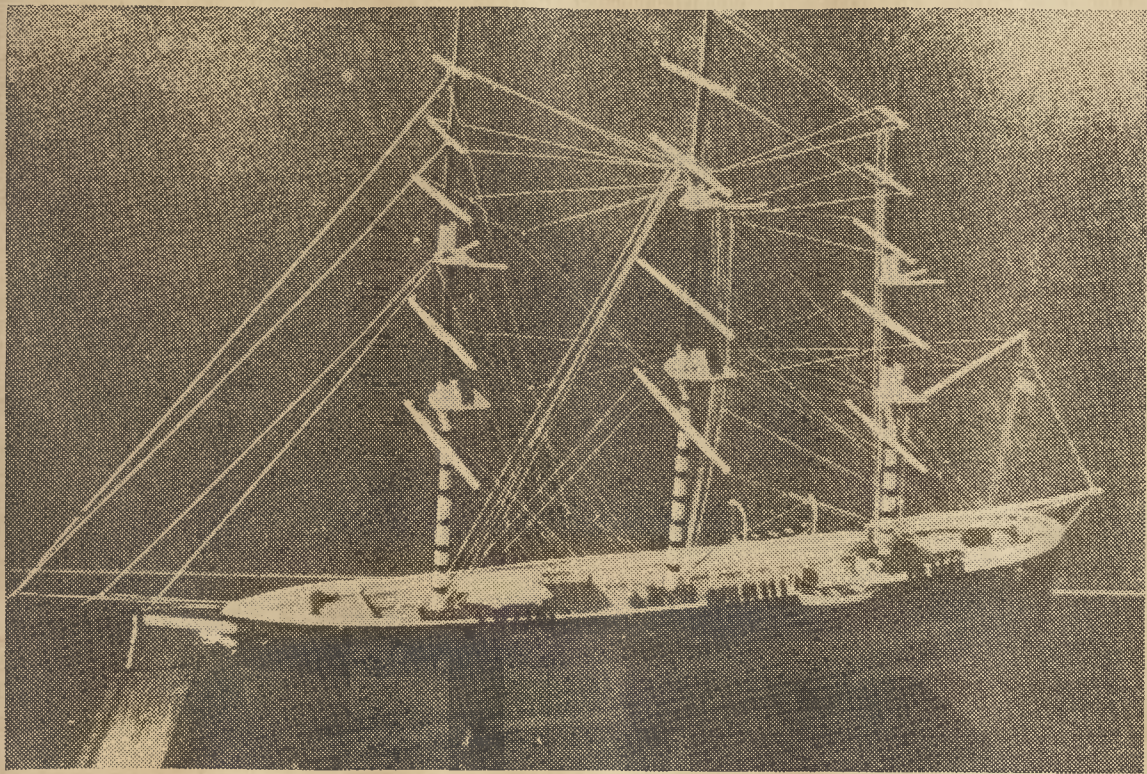


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Randy Mims, senior, has been building model boats for approximately four years. Above is pictured one of the boats which has been on display at the "Toy and Hobby" store at the Friendly Shopping Center.

The costs of the boats are determined by the amount of "painstaking detail and actual time" taken, plus a comparison of factory-made models. Prices of the boats range from \$10 to \$40.

Randy has had his boats on display at the toy store for about three weeks.

Mims Displays Models At Toy Store; Costs Determined By Work Hours

"It's like selling your mother," remarked Randy Mims, senior, as he commented about his model boats, which he has been trying to sell for the past few weeks.

Randy has previously had several boats on display at the "Toy and Hobby" toy store at the Friendly Shopping Center. The prices of his ships range from \$10 to \$45.

Prices Considered Too High

His masterpieces contain detailed handywork. Randy explained that most people believed that his prices were too high for his product, but he felt that the viewers did not fully understand the amount of time and work involved in building these boats.

To determine a reasonable price for his ships, Randy explained that he considered the amount of "painstaking detail and actual time" taken, and then compared the prices of factory-made,

decorative models. He discovered that most commercial models cost approximately \$100.

Costs Figured By Laborious Hours

Estimating 300 hours as the amount of labor Randy injected into his largest model, he then figured his initial price.

Randy visited several stores and asked them if they would buy his boats and sell them to the public, but because the stores were required to buy only from companies, he was refused. Fin-

Excerpts From Plays Presented Thursday

Scenes from *The Tempest*, *King Henry IV*, and *The Merchant of Venice* were presented to Grimsley's student body by the Theatre-In Education, Inc. last Thursday in assembly.

The Theatre is a New York Company of professional actors, and is sponsored by the North Carolina State Board of Education.

Most of the English teachers discussed the works of Shakespeare which were presented, in order to acquaint the students with them. "The presentation of live Shakespeare drama in the public schools of North Carolina affords the State the unique opportunity of bringing to students dramatic awareness of the universal importance of Shakespeare. . . For all students, the opportunity of watching Shakespearean drama will be of cultural and artistic value."

Theatre in Education is dedicated to the belief that high school students have the right to participate in a theatrical experience of high professional standard."

It is now in its twelfth year and has been conducting similar tours in the public high schools of North Carolina for the past four years.

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"Gosh, I don't see how he did it!" and "Look at the price on the thing," were the two main comments which Randy heard as he inconspicuously listened to viewers' opinions and reactions.

Boats Built Four Years

Randy has been building boats for approximately four years. His interest in sailing and building sail boats, and his summer job of instructing how to sail coincide with this hobby.

Randy plans to continue making these boats whether he sells them or not. He often gives them as presents to other people.

Lyday Wins Essay Contest

"Peace Be With You" was the title of the essay written by Carolyn Lyday, junior, the winner of the club level of the Peace Essay Contest sponsored by the International Association of Lions Clubs.

The purpose of the contest was "To focus the attention of people on the desirability of searching for ideas and developing a plan toward making world peace a reality."

Carolyn began her essay by describing the front of a Christmas card, a picture of six angels and six pure white doves. She explained that the doves represent peace.

The question of how the peoples of the earth could join together and have peace was asked, and Carolyn presented several suggestions.

First of all, people must have peace within their own borders. Because men come from different backgrounds, they sometimes do not understand the ways of others. They tend to think their own way is best, and thus they cause wars.

Secondly, because of the differing backgrounds, men need different forms of government. Car-

Student Opinions Collected As Staff Makes Survey

HIGH LIFE recently made a survey to find out student opinions of the paper.

The questionnaires were sent to a certain percentage of the home-rooms, sophomore, junior, and senior, in order to obtain accurate results.

Student Body To Vote On Two Amendments

Grimsley students will vote this Thursday on two new amendments to the school constitution.

The first amendment concerns officers and student council members. They are to serve ". . . for one school year during good behavior . . ." Any person may be removed from office if:

He receives an N or U on conduct for his semester average, he receives two N's or two U's on conduct for the same six weeks grading period, or he receives two N's or two U's in two consecutive six weeks periods.

The second amendment concerns qualifications and regulations for election to an office. These rules ". . . as stated previously in this constitution do apply to the student officers of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes."

This amendment will go into effect immediately upon its ratification.

In each homeroom, the amendments must be passed by a simple majority. After the results are tabulated in the homeroom, the homeroom will carry one vote either for or against these amendments.

In order for these amendments to be either ratified or defeated by the student body, a majority of two-thirds of all the homerooms is needed.

Lee Strange, junior, was the author of these amendments, but the original changes for the constitution were first originated by Mrs. Mary Alice Moody, guidance counselor.

All three classes agreed on most answers. However, girls and boys sometimes differed in their views. Boys said they read the sports section first, whereas girls read the feature section first.

According to the girls, the editorial section is superior to the other sections. Boys answered that they thought the sports section is superior.

Second semester, the HIGH LIFE staff would like to experiment in publishing a one-page bi-weekly paper. All the students were in favor of this.

Although seventy-five percent of the students read the advertisements, most have not bought items as a result.

Only one-half the girls read the write-ups of the games. However, three-fourths of the boys read them.

One question asked whether the student would write a letter to the Editor if there was something of sufficient interest in HIGH LIFE. Seventy percent of the boys answered "yes," and ninety-six percent of the girls answered "yes."

Students who filled out the questionnaires were also asked to give personal suggestions for making HIGH LIFE a better newspaper for Grimsley. One girl wanted ". . . more material on individual students."

Another girl requested ". . . contributions by students not associated with HIGH LIFE."

"More letters to the Editor" was suggested by one boy. Another commented that he wanted to see more club news and detailed school news.

Many of the students suggested having more humor on the feature page. However, they wanted to see more features written by the students themselves.

Teen-Age Program Begins New Season

"Perculator", which is a new teen-age show, began its first television season yesterday afternoon.

The setting for the program is a coffee house. Each Sunday at 5 p.m. on Channel 2, WFMV-TV, teen-agers will discuss events which are going to take place, hobbies, and their problems.

Ramona Curtis, who originated the idea for the scenery of the show, Ken Birkbeck, an exchange student from Australia, and Lynn Ferguson will be regulars on the show. Such groups as the Jokers Four will appear on the program to add entertainment.

Ramona explained the reason for the program. "It is not just to show how great teen-agers are. We don't want to show their false side but how they really are. We are also trying to make a person feel like he is in a coffee house."

"Perculator" is directed and produced by teen-agers. Dave Wright, who works with WFMV-TV, will be the advisor for the program. It is estimated that each show will take four hours of practice and one hour to tape it.

The show has already received publicity in "TV Guide" and will get publicity from "Look" magazine if Greensboro is chosen as an All-American city.

This teen-age program is sponsored by the Greensboro Youth Council (GYC).

Grimsley Debaters Enter State Contest

Four Grimsley students recently participated in the first formal debate of a state-wide contest.

The students were Ronnie Galimore, Jerry Pinsker, Jay Pringle, and Jerry Thomas, all seniors. The debate was "Resolved: That the Foreign Aid Program of the U. S. should be limited to non-military assistance."

Round Robin Debates will begin February 24 and end March 16. In this group, the Grimsley Debaters will be debating Page High School, Walter Williams High School in Burlington, and Western High School from Elon College.

The affirmative winner and the negative winner from this group will participate in the area meet and then in the state meet.

Throughout the state, 109 schools will be taking part in the debates. Each school will provide an affirmative and a negative team made up of two students each.