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'One Wild Night' Set for 8 P. M.

Tonight West Linn's Junior class thespians will present at the West Linn school auditorium at 8:00, the first major production of the year.

"One Wild Night" should draw a big crowd according to Mr. Gary, school principal.

The plot is concerned mainly with the results of the visit of Aunt Myra Dodd, the wealthy aunt of the hero, and the amazing events that follow Rodney Dodd's supposedly true fact that he is going to die.

The cast includes: Connie Kron, Myra Dodd; Tom McGee, Rodney; Mary Ellen McLarty, Charlotte; Peggy Redhead, Henrietta; Richard Swanson, Dickens; Bill Bolz, Officer Brayder; Bette Young, Mrs. Batsoo; Pattie Rose, Doris; Dudley Titus, Hawkins; Melvin Buckles, Doctor Bell; Jack Myers, Scorpio; Bob Gillett, Ned; Morton Parks, Jodwillow; Patsy Silver, Maribelle; Winona Hennigan, Jade, and Nayda Geske, nurse.

Annual Pictures Taken by Carter

Annual pictures were taken last week by Mrs. H. S. Carter. All junior and senior and over half of the faculty pictures were finished by Tuesday. Students who wish to have their pictures retaken may do so next Monday. A charge of twenty-five cents will be made for each retake. Students who desire to buy pictures may speak to Mr. Carter about it when returning their proofs to him next Monday. All proofs must be returned to him personally.

Students Eligible For Honor Society

The names of those eligible to become members of the Honor society were announced this week by President Lois Butler. They are: Dwain Wanker, Bill Walston, Pat Erben, Joyce Quint, Waldo Silvers, Bob Donovan, John Morrison, Antoinette Cissman, Hazel Grassmann, Violet Rothman, Arlene Schwartz, Jean Kylo, Pat Day, Audrey Gary, Marjorie Sanders, Audrey Kern, Esther Evans, Cunera Duyne.

The society will hold a meeting soon to decide on an initiation.

Many Attend Football Banquet

Ernest Kahle was presented the Bernie Herrmann Outstanding Player Award at the annual West Linn football banquet held November 27.

Elected by the members of this year's grid team, Kahle will have his name placed under that of last year's winner, John Alan Whitney, on the plaque.

The banquet program included a talk on "Pending Developments for the Athletic Department" by School Board Chairman Kenneth Renner and a speech on the "New Athletic Conference" by Coach Brown. Coach Sam Nixon spoke on "A New Use for Red Tape" and Freshman Grid Coach Tunnell told of his team in "The Greener They Are the Faster They Grow." Captain Don Vinton talked on "From Gridirons to Battle Irons" and Ernest Kahle and Earl Merkle presented Coaches Nixon and Brown with presents from the team. Bernie Herrmann then presented his award.

The program also included music by Morton Parks and Bob Gillett.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth, Mr. and Mrs. Milliken, Mr. Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Renner, Mr. and Mrs. Herrmann, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Tunnell, Miss Fulton, Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Glen Wolf, Verlie Day, Delbert Langliers, Marian White, Bob Steffans, Violet Rothman, Bob Larson, Bee Schwartz, Ernest Kahle, Gloria Brough, Don Redhead, Ruth Grassman, Elton Schmidt, Connie Kron, Gene Vinson, Mary MacLean, Don Vinton, Betty Snider, Betty Koellermeier, Bill Stevens, Audrey Gary, Don Holden, Doris Draper, Harold Ness, Mary Ellen McLarty, Leo Critchfield, Bob Federspiell, Arden Ivans, Ellen Stauffer, Merle Puderbaugh, Betty Davis, Marshall Webster, Rosalind Enns, Andrew Swann, Pat Day, Bill Rakel, Catherine Zivney, Bill Cook, Vivian Clifford, Reuben Baisch, Doris Hughes, Bob Belieu, Wilma Walston, Bill Walston, John Morrison, Viola Buckle, Willis Elliott, Naida Geske, Earl Merkle, Marjorie Huiras, Howard Berry, Doris Zimmerman, Bob Ambler, Catherine Paterson, Bob Donovan, Arlene Schwartz, Ed Woodworth, Ellen Ingram, Bob Green, Hazel Grassman, Larry King and Ann Maple.

Students Are Speakers On KOIN Radio Forum

Whitman College To Award Scholarships

Announcements concerning the award of thirteen \$500 pre-professional scholarships to be awarded by Whitman college have been forwarded to high schools, this week.

These \$500 scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis and are available to both boys and girls graduating from the high schools of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana.

The thirteen fields of award include law, medicine, engineering, chemistry, physics, teaching, journalism, business and government service. The merit of the candidate will be given first weight and several awards may be made in one field.

Last Assembly Held For Football Games

The last football assembly of the year was held in the auditorium on Wednesday, November 20, with the "Pep Kings," John and Gene, functioning as high voltage generators.

The main feature of the program was the presentation of a number by the whistling chorus, a group of trained vocalists. The members were introduced personally by the student body president, Harold Ness. He explained that each one had been selected by a policeman on duty in the halls as a result of his proven ability as a whistler. It has since been reliably reported that whistling is on the decline.

Due to the inability of Mary MacLean to act, the singing was led by Peggy Redhead.

Freshman Class Holds Meeting

The Freshmen held their class meeting Tuesday, November 26, in the auditorium. They elected Donald Dennis as the class representative. The meeting was then turned over to John Nolan, chief of police, who read the laws of the West Linn high school.

"Can laws make us secure?" This is the subject of the radio forum to be conducted on the American School of the Air in which eight sociology students from West Linn will participate Friday, November 29.

For those who wish to listen it will be broadcast over KOIN on Friday, November 29, at 2:00 o'clock. This is one of a series of high school broadcasts sponsored by this station featuring many of the leading schools of western Oregon.

Those who are on the forum are: Glenn Campbell, who is presiding chairman, Loren Milliken, Mary Jane Hill, Frances Bernert, Audrey Church, Peggie McClure, Betty Easson, and Lois Butler.

Home Room Girls Present Assembly

Miss McWhorter's home room girls presented to the student body a pantomime Monday morning. It was announced by Nadine Fields. The girls who took part were Pauline Staggs, Barbara De Bok, Marilyn Miller, and Noreen Peterson.

A brief sketch was given to the students by Mr. Goetzl of the Junior play, "One Wild Night," and the characters of the play were introduced. This play is to be held November 29 at 8 p. m. at the West Linn auditorium.

Speech Club Founded For Students' Interest

The Speech club was founded for the purpose of perpetuating the interest of students in speech work.

It has had two years of existence of the permanent organization.

Glenn Campbell, president of this club, is quoted as saying, "I really believe that we have an organization that will go someplace this year. We have laid elaborate plans for this year and hope to make it the most successful year that the Speech club has ever enjoyed at West Linn."

The following officers for this year: Glenn Campbell, president; Lois Young, vice president; Maxine Chaney, secretary-treasurer.