

"Hangman's Noose" Gets Fine Start

The cast has been chosen and the rehearsals have started for the new mystery play called "Hangman's Noose".

The background of the play is as follows:

Caroline Keating (Lois Vanderpool) is a successful mystery novelist who has a strange and shadowy family. Her house, Hangman's Noose, is the place for their meeting following her death. The members of her family who are gathered for the reading of her will are Gail Keating (Charlene Paul), Phil Lassiter (Neil Richardson), Lorna Keating (Harriet Morris), Ella Norris (Mildred Gail), Polly Moore (Gwendolyn Bennett), and Henry Gordon (Bert Simmons). Gareth (Jerry Conner), a favorite nephew, has disappeared a year before following a murder and scandal in which he had no part but could not prove it. Other members of the cast are Martha (Jeanne Stelle), the housekeeper and Oliver Keep (Karl Morse) the lawyer.

The technical staff are Bill Dir and Andrew Taylor. The technical staff has not been completely chosen yet.

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Six New Students Arrive at Crater High

Well, it looks as if Crater High is still growing rapidly.

In the past few weeks six new students have enrolled here.

Nancy and Nellie Rice are two new freshman girls from Fulton, Missouri. Nancy Stevens is also a new freshman girl from Helix High in Lemon Grove, California.

Eugene Caldwell is a new boy enrolled in the freshman class from Grants Pass.

Max Willis, a sophomore, has enrolled from Eagle Town, Oklahoma. Last, but not least, Donna Spooner has enrolled from Taft High School in California.

Let's try and make these new students at home and really show them what a grand school Crater High really is.

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Singing Valentines Received by Many

St. Valentine's Day, escorting the season of hearts and flowers, brought forth a number of singing valentines to unexpected students and faculty members.

Miss Boshears received a special Valentine from her first period shorthand class depicting a typical secretary and employer in a short skit.

Jim McCoy and Bert Simmons serenaded Betty Colpitts with "Because of You" and Marsha Doran with "John and Marsha."

Doreen Bohnert was serenaded with "Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf" from Guess Who.

Another Guess Who from Medford sent Wink Newnam an "Ain't Misbehavin'" message.

Mr. Holbrook sent a poem by phone to his wife entitled "How Do I Love Thee" by Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

The Singing Valentines were sponsored by CRATER COMMENTS in hopes that they would become an annual affair and to help raise funds for the paper.

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Secretary Keeps Office Running Smoothly!

Who is that very efficient office secretary of Crater High? Why, of course, it is Donna Nealon.

To give you an idea of a few of Donna's duties: she keeps attendance in the register, records permanent grades, provides scotch tape, pencils, glue, and staples to students at the most inconvenient times. Donna takes care of the lost and found articles, too. As secretary, Donna also is cashier for noon lunches.

If you are greeted with a smile, when you get your late slip or admit slip, it usually comes from Donna. She issues late slips and etc. When Mr. Straus is busy or out of office, Donna calls students to the office when necessary. She also does general typing. Can you imagine Crater High without her?

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Sophomore Skating Party A Success

Sophomores held a skating party at the Grants Pass Roller Drome to which every one was invited.

The advisors were Mr. Elliott, Miss Aasen and Miss Levine.

The entertainment was put on by two Grants Pass students, a 13-year-old girl and 18-year-old boy. These two have taken skating as a career.

There were lots of spills taken by the Crater high students.

Two bus loads of students and advisers were taken.

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Names of Parents Who Go to School

Here is the list of the names of parents who went to school on Feb. 6th and 13th:

Mrs. William Stratton, Mrs. Robert Pfaff, Mrs. Doyle Stockton, Mrs. Stanley Straus, Mrs. Kenneth Davis, Mrs. Arden Pinkham, Mrs. Deanne Roberts, Mrs. H. Von Stein, Mrs. Joe W. Johnson, Mrs. Katherine Mason, Mrs. Ackerman, Mrs. Batzer, Mrs. Dewey, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. DeHaas, Mrs. Aldridge, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Don Patterson, Mrs. Ernest Harris, Mrs. Franklin Gobhard, Mrs. Merrill Harsh, Mrs. Morris Jones, Mrs. Harold McGrath, Mrs. Fred Kuest, Mrs. William Hensley, Mrs. Everett Grissom, Mrs. Clinton, Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hopkins and Mrs. Lawrence Leonard.

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On February 13, the guests of the third and fourth grades were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor, Mrs. Sam-

ples, Mrs. G. C. Perry, Mrs. R. J. Pfaff, Mrs. Stan Parrish, Mrs. Wil-son, Mrs. Wagner, Mrs. Sam Taylor, Mrs. Larry Pepper, Mrs. Holbrook, Mrs. Jessie Hamilton, Mrs. Gertrude Woods, Mrs. Ira Ayers, Mrs. Betty Kreiseher, Mrs. Aileen Gilkey, Mrs. Nora Hall, Mrs. Ethel Harger, Mrs. Rudolph Hansen, Mrs. Stephen Huitt, Mrs. Nina Fisher, Mrs. Morris Frink, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. F. W. Mason, Mrs. Cecil Lacey, Mrs. Morton Landers, Mrs. Glenn Huber, Mrs. Vera Nelson, Mrs. P. A. Tracy, Mrs. Edward Inman, Mrs. Maynard McKay, Mrs. Fred Kuest, Mrs. James McDowell, Mrs. Olivia Mengel, Mrs. Kenne'th Mainwaring, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray More, Mrs. Nornile May and Mrs. D. V. Mose, Mrs. Carl Lichti, Mrs. John Nelson, Mrs. Lillie LeCasse, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferrel, Mrs.



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