

'COPPERHEAD' IS N. T. PLAY

High School Dramatic Club to Present Famous Play of the Rebellion

STANWOOD IS COACH

Dates of Performances Are March 27-28

"The Copperhead," a drama in four acts by Augustus Thomas, will be presented by the New Trier Dramatic club, Friday and Saturday evenings, March 27 and 28, at the New Trier auditorium.

The setting for this drama, a story of the great crisis of the Civil war, is laid among the quaint people of a town in the extreme southern part of Illinois. Whereas the present day generation thinks scarcely more of the Civil war than as a great upheaval of a nation somewhere in the very dim past, this play serves to tear aside the veil of the years and reveals the tragedy and heart-break of a suffering people in the lives of the farmer's family and friends.

The plot of "The Copperhead" revolves around a certain farmer who was made an outcast among his former friends because he was supposedly aiding the Rebel guerillas, although his neighbors fought with the Union forces. In order to serve his country to the best of his ability, he is forced to endure this ostracism under the stigma of being a "copperhead." Shamed by his father's apparent "slackerism," the 16 year old son volunteers and is killed. The news of his death causes the death of the grief-stricken mother, which adds to the oppressive sorrow in the father's life. The story ends 40 years later with a disclosure of the old man's faithful service as one of Lincoln's spies and his reinstatement among his old neighbors and fellow townsmen.

Requires Unusual Ability

The difficulty lies in portraying the early tragedy in the hero's life and then of his happiness which comes so tardily. The first two acts are of the first epoch, during the Civil war from 1861 to 1863; the last two acts are in the second period, 40 years later. Thus several of the players have an excellent opportunity to display unusual histrionic ability,—first in characterizing early manhood in the first epoch of the play, and second, the roles of aged veterans in the last epoch.

Under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Stanwood, the New Trier cast is preparing for their presentation of this drama in an inspiring manner. The cast of characters, in the order of their appearance, is as follows:

First Epoch

- Joey Shanks Stephen Harwood
- Grandma Perley Ethel Thomas
- Ma Shanks Helen Drynan
- Captain Hardy Rogert Shoemaker
- Milt Shanks Robert Atwood
- Mrs. Bates Frances Harwood
- Sue Perley Martha Williams
- Lem Tollard Tom Gibson
- Newt Gillespie Whitfield Cook
- Brother Andrews Sherman Goble
- Sam Carter David Rumsey

Second Epoch

- Madeline King Eunice Stoddard
 - Philip Manning Robert Kenyon
 - Mrs. Manning Jean Duncan
 - Dr. Randall Emmons DeBerard
- The fact that "The Copperhead" was made famous by Lionel Barrymore in the title role stimulates the interest and rouses the pride of New Trierites to know that under Miss Stanwood's able guidance the New Trier Dramatic club is able to present such an ambitious piece of work.

William J. Fisher of 388 Chestnut street, who has been on tour with the Chicago Civic Opera company, has returned home.

YES SIR, MAN, IT SURE WAS A "WOW"

By E. W. W.

A large representation of north shore funseekers had the time of their lives Monday evening at Jane Kuppenheimer hall, Winnetka, when the Chicago Radio Stars, playing under direction of Frint George, gave what in stage vernacular is described as a "Wow" of a performance for the benefit of the Winnetka Temple association.

From the moment Mr. George stepped to the footlights to introduce his announcer, Jerry Sullivan, of WQJ, until the final curtain, the audience was in a veritable panic of excitement, just naturally letting down like a flock of kids at a circus. The staid and dignified, coy and modest, entered wholeheartedly into the frolicsome spirit of the occasion and everybody had a good old fashioned evening of it.

Jerry Sullivan couldn't be announced—the audience howled for him before Mr. George could finish his well-rehearsed introductory discourse.

Jerry started things off in his usual aggressive manner and, from start to finish, there was no let up in the noisily expressed interest of the audience of radio fans.

Mr. George was sorry to announce that two-thirds of the Melodians were absent because of attacks of the flu, and that Laurie Linneman, the other third,

would have to "do his stuff" alone. Laurie responded as if inspired, with the result that he completely panicked his audience. Strumming his uke and singing away like a springtime lover, he completely captivated the house and had to run away from the place to avoid keeping the home folks up all night, for they would have remained indefinitely.

The other stars all exceeded expectations and the program was a complete success from every standpoint.

HOLD HEALTH CONFERENCE

The regular Health conference conducted by the Chicago Tuberculosis institute, will be held at the Health Center, City Hall, Evanston, corner Davis street and Sherman avenue, on Tuesday, March 24, from 10 until 2 o'clock. This will be in charge of the public health nurse for this community.

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N. T. Latin Students to Present "Caesar"

Latin students at New Trier high school will give a presentation of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" at the school Tuesday afternoon, March 24, in conjunction with their study of the well known text book of that title.

"The play is to be a special feature in connection with the study of Julius Caesar," explains C. Russell Small, head of the Latin department at the school.

"It will serve as an interesting and informative background to the study of the text book and is given for the special benefit of Latin students."

On the evening of March 24 the Latin department of the school will be host to the members of the freshmen and sophomore branches of the New Trier Parent-Teacher association. At this time the department will demonstrate the modern methods employed in the teaching of Latin.

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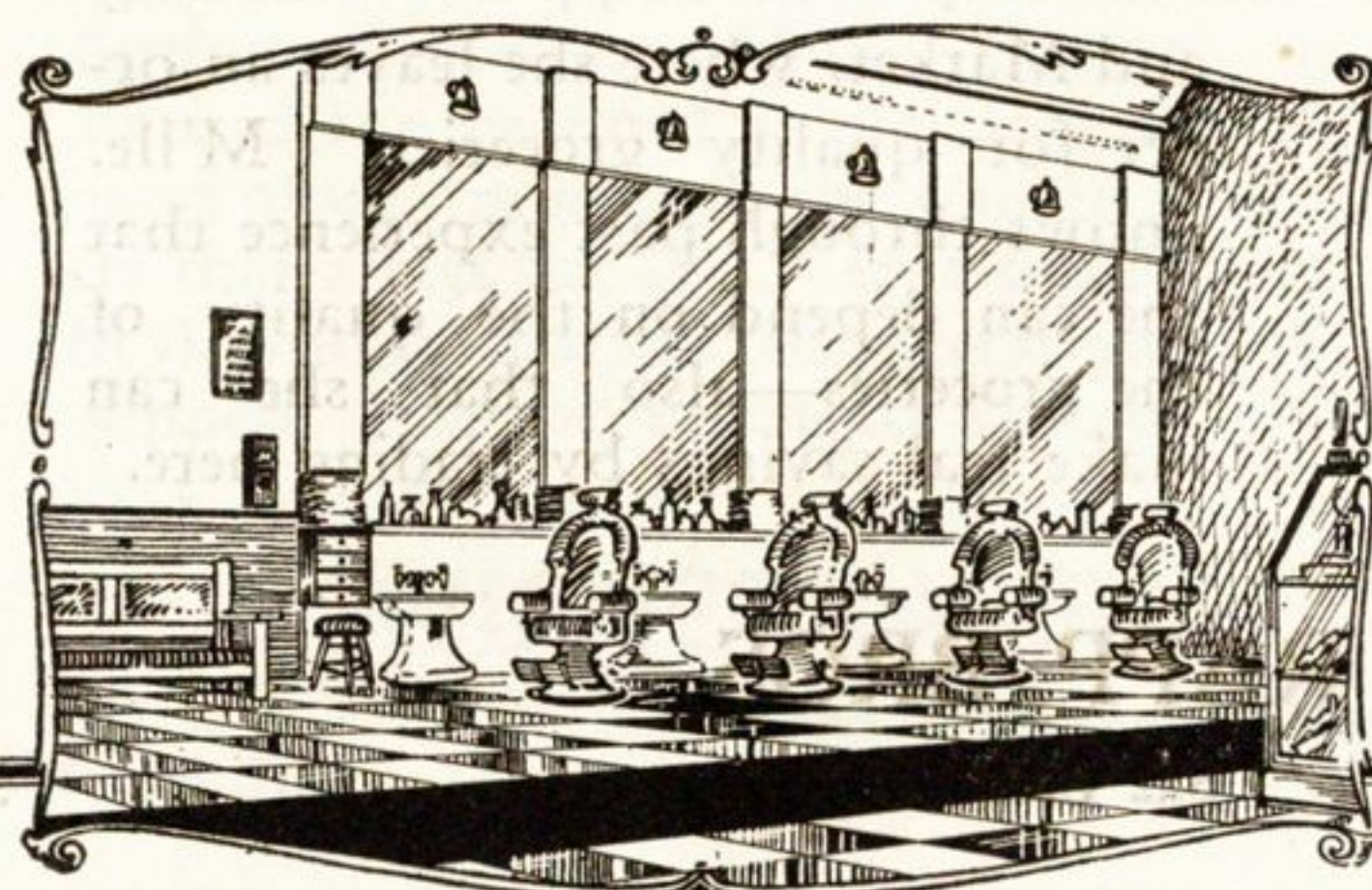
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