CHRISTMAS PLAY TO BE IN ASSEMBLY

An original play, "Christmas in Early Albany," will be presented in the joint assembly at 1:00 o'clock on December 20. The play was written by a committee from Junior and Senior High School. The cast of characters chosen as a result of the try-outs on Tuesday will be published next week. Miss Sheor and Miss Studebaker of State college will direct it.

BASKET BALL TEAMS

Eighth grade homerooms have recently organized basketball teams to begin practice soon. The three room teams will play against each other. Room 227 has elected Robert Stevenson captain and Leroy Smith manager of their team. Room 127 has elected Fred Regan manager.

SOCIAL STUDIES CLASS TRIES EXPERIMENT

Last week one of the ninth grade social studies classes had a new type of test. After reading the questions the pupils looked up the material in their books and then wrote down their answers. The purpose of the test was to see if the pupils could find the answers of the questions in the textbooks. This showed pupils how to use textbooks instead of memorizing the material.

MILNE STUDENTS TO SEE "A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM"

Approximately one hundred students of Milne Junior High will see Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" at the Madison theater next Thursday at the matinee performance. They will sit in a section of seats reserved for them.

The Thursday matinee performance is especially for the school children of Albany. It is a three-hour picture but there will be an intermission. It has a fine cast of characters which includes James Cagney and Joe E. Brown.

BIOLOGY CLASSES MAKE PROJECTS

The ninth grade biology classes are working on projects about insects. Each member of the class is making a notebook of the life history, the habits, and the food of grasshoppers, butterflies, house flies, and mosquitoes. There will be a motion picture of the life of a mosquito. In this way students will learn that even common insect pests are interesting.

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