

EXTRA The Carbon EXTRA
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FROM E.C.

An attempt to bring the legitimate theatre to Marian College is being made by The Players this week-end January 10, 11, and 12th.

The Tennessee Williams' Broadway hit, "The Glass Menagerie," will be presented at 8:15 each evening in the auditorium.

These are the facts on this year's first dramatic production, but let's look back to the facts on last year's play, "The Heiress." An all-star cast worked hard to present "The Heiress" on two evening performances. But what was the Student response to their efforts? Even though publicity had been emphasized on and off campus, the crowds each evening were pitifully few.

Now, with only four days left for publicizing the three night all-school activity, there arises a doubt on this year's audience. We can have a good attendance, only if you plan to attend.

Please, don't come to the play if you aren't interested in this entertainment, but if there is a chance we could entertain you and your friends, I'll see you at "The Glass Menagerie."

Two short weeks ago, Sister Olivia termed four people "nuts" (in our language) when she was told that the cast of "The Glass Menagerie" wanted to rehearse, build a set for and publicize a play in just three weeks. In a way, she is right. We are nuts, but not in regard to the play....Now if the play is a success, then starting next Tuesday we are going to have a "Little Cuba!" I am going to be Castro and the Dean is going to be Batista. With the help of the student body, we are going to chase Sister to Oldenburg in a piper cub.

FROM B.M.

The story is about a girl, outwardly, rather homely, inwardly... also homely! Her mother: who is a bit of a nut....is from the South and apparently at one time or another in her life fell into a vat of mint julep. It was a long swim...anyway, there is also the brother, sort of a fop. He is a poet....like I'm a poet. He likes movies... The Carbon could use him. Then there is the gentleman caller...I like to call this the lead. I like to call it the lead since I'm playing it. Actually, it is the smallest part in the whole bit. I could have played Laura, but Emilio is more the type. This gentleman caller is a nice guy, but a sleb.....These are the characters.

Seriously, the play is a realistic drama. The season that it appeared on Broadway, it won the New York Drama Critics Circle Award. The Student Body can help so much to make this a success. There are over five hundred of you and if you could bring yourself and one more, then you could make big trouble in that we wouldn't have enough seats. Come on, make big trouble for us.

In the Christmas edition of The Carbon, I promised Sister Adelaide that I would plug the blood drive scheduled for this Friday. I forgot. All during the holidays, she has been chasing me around the campus with her dissecting kit.....So this Friday from 9:00 to 3:00 in the Assembly Room, the people from the veterans' hospitals will be on hand to slip into your veins and slurp. If you've never given blood before, then you haven't lived. If you're afraid, well....I've given blood and look at me! For the smooth operation of this function follow these simple rules: 1) Do not eat after today; 2) Go to confession Thursday night, just in case. Seriously, 1) Get a card from the information room by 4:30 Wednesday; 2) Request also, a sheet that will instruct you on blood donor requirements; 3) If you are under 21 and unmarried, get a parental release card, either that or get married. To quote Sister: "We hope that every able-bodied Marian student will show a generous and truly Christian spirit by contributing to the school's annual blood drive on behalf of those who fought and sacrificed for us. God reward you!"

REMINDER: SHOWBOAT LAUNCHING

If you haven't booked passage on The Showboat, it isn't too late to do so. The Freshman Class has chosen the Mixed Lounge for their annual formal dance this coming Friday, January 9. The Showboat leaves the pier at 9:00 and will dock again at 12:00.

Tickets (\$2.50 per couple) should be purchased immediately from Larry Swoeny, Caroline Stark, or Louise Elias.

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Rather a distressingly low score, isn't it? We hit .377 from the field and still only 56 points. Here's the reason. The Knights could manage only 5 rebounds off the offensive boards plus the fact that we missed 16 of 31 foul shots. Waning had 16 and Murphy had 15 to lead the Marian scoring. We shouldn't have lost this one.

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The LOST & FOUND department is located in the book-store. If you have mislaid a coat, book, sweater, glasses, or a pen, try looking through the big assortment that they have on hand.

Today is the Feast of the Epiphany.

The gift of yourself to the Infant is greater than any of the gifts of the Three Kings.

The Players present 

The Glass Menagerie 8:15 P.M.

Jan 10, 11, and 12
Advanced Tickets \$1.00