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FIRST CONCERT OF THE FALL TOUR was given at Garden City, N.Y. The choir presented Britten's Mass, three folk songs, three spirituals, and "Bastien and Bastienne". The concert was sponsored by the Garden City - Hempstead Community Club.

THE SCHOOLHOUSE ON WHEELS stands ready for early Monday morning October 30th. The bus will be boarded by AMERICAS SINGING BOYS, twenty seven strong, for the first tour of the 1961-62 concert season that will take them some 8000 miles and cover most of the states east of the Mississippi, except New England. (plus a few west of that grand "ole" river) The boys will be accompanied by Mr. Bryant, Mr. & Mrs. Donald Wolfe, teachers, the "three kings" - Mr. Carpenter, Mr. Olsen, and Mr. Erhardt - and Amahl's mother - Miss Bruce. Mr. Harold Jones will be at the wheel of the bus.

DRESS REHEARSAL for "Amahl" will be held this Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 at the Princeton High School auditorium. All boys remaining at school for the weekend will see the performance. Parents are invited to attend if they wish.

RICHARD WILLIAM WRIGHT, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Richard Wright of 442 Comly St. Philadelphia, Pa. entered the sixth grade this past Monday. Richard has been singing with the Philadelphia Boychoir.

FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 27th, between the bewitching hours of 7:30 and 9:30, the Boychoir School will be filled with Halloweeners clad in colorful and unusual costumes. Our annual Halloween Party is expected to be the best yet. Prizes will be awarded for the most handsome boy, the most beautiful girl, the most original costume, and the funniest costume. Jugs of cider have been donated by Mrs. Hollander and Mrs. Martin. Various games are scheduled for the evening and a gala time is expected to be had by all. - James Walker

PERTECTION

I have a little firecracker
It's glossy and red,
And when somebody lights it -
He'll certainly be dead.

A thing like this is perfect,
I'll need it for a guard,
'Cause to-morrow night is Halloween,
And guarding yourself is hard.

This glossy little 'cracker
I'll plant outside my door,
And when something comes in my room -
It won't come out no more!

This plan of mine is wicked,
It's wicked and it's mean,
But man, you need pertection
On the night of Halloween!

by Woody Dixon - sixth grade

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