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Miss Mabel Lawler

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ABLE ACTORS**

**Junior High Children Gain
Applause in Presenting
"Paints and Patches."**

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Tuneful music, colorful costuming and a smooth performance made for an enjoyable evening, Wednesday, when students of the West Fifth Junior High school presented the operetta, "Paints and Patches," before a large audience in the Arch street High school auditorium, under direction of Miss Mabel Lawler.

"Paints and Patches," a musical comedy in two acts by Charles and Fenn, concerns a group of young people studying art in the woodland under the direction of The Professor. In the course of the story, a Chinese ring and an old gold piece disappear, lending mystery and excitement to the plot. The disappearances and resulting accusations combined with the delightful music kept the audience in keen anticipation.

The cast and chorus were well trained and ever responsive to the baton of the director, evidencing tireless work on the part of Miss Lawler and the entire group.

The entertainment opened with an overture by William McKee, violin; Beniah Huff, trumpet; Charles Paul, clarinet, Charles Harris, double bass and Theima Collins, pianist. Miss Collins also furnished fine accompaniment for the singing of the operetta.

The opening scene was picturesque with the group of art students at work at their easels in

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