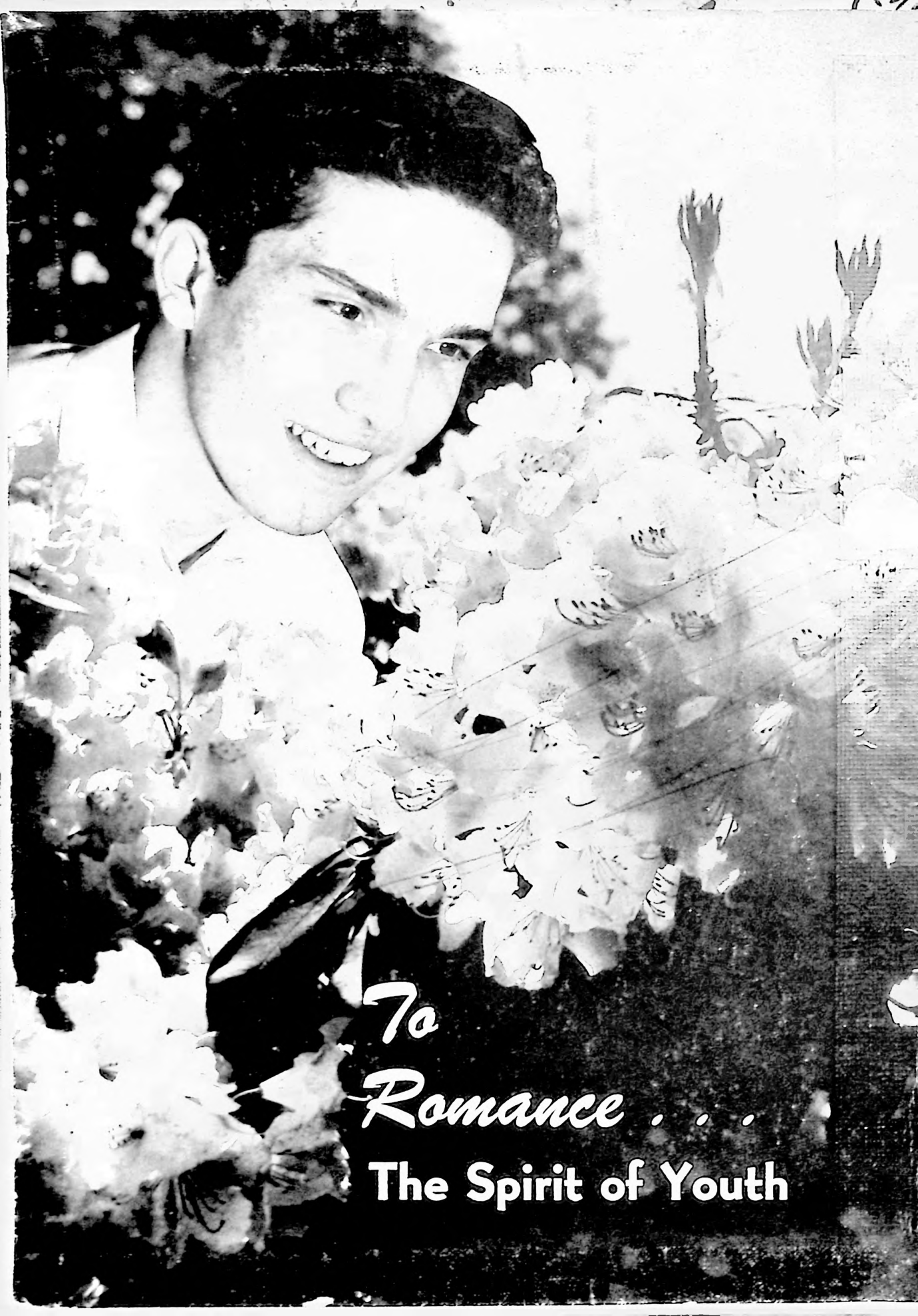


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*Romance . . .*  
**The Spirit of Youth**



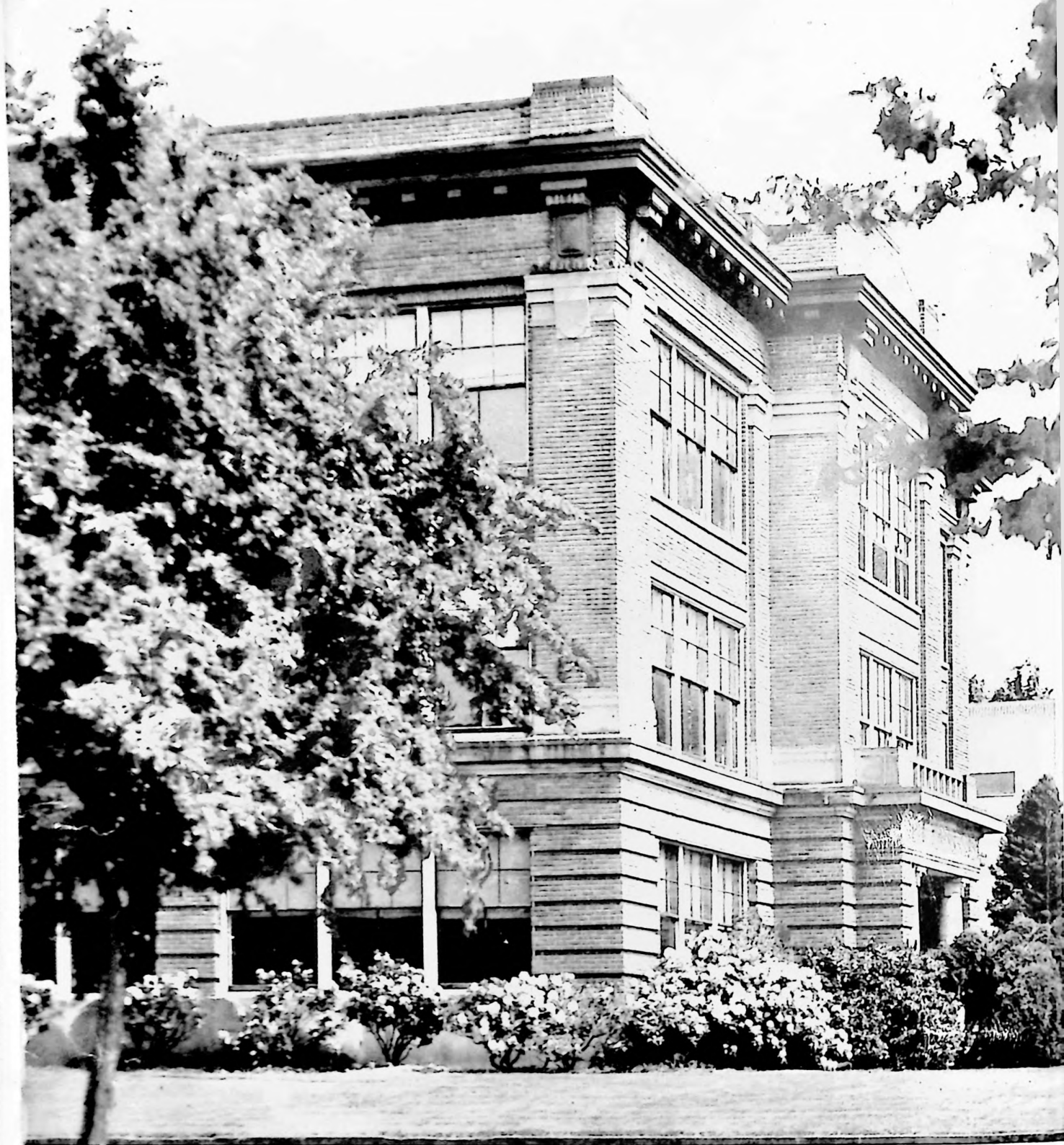




ROMANCE

That which Adventure brings  
And flies with Love on airy wings  
Through wide expanse,  
With dreams and visions by its side  
To be fulfilled or be denied . . . .  
That is Romance.

----Barbara Fors





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## Romance

*Joining verbal hands across the sea, letters between Bengaliites and their adopted school in Augsburg, Germany, bring the Romance of distant lands close to Centralia High. Rosemary and Rodney read letters from their friends across the sea as they adventure in international understanding. Everyday experiences recorded on one side of the ocean are re-lived as they are read on the other. Thus, their white pages pave a pathway of mutual understanding which students at Centralia High and Oberrealschule, alike, hope may someday encircle the earth to make it "One World."*





## *Far Away Places, Appeal of Distant Lands Lure Tigerites*

*Romance of "Far Away Places" is brought to CHS as Bengalites adventure in international understanding. In peasant costumes, fems demonstrate dances of foreign lands during United Nations Week. As the girls swing through Russian Korobuchka, they illustrate that dancing, like music, is a universal language serving to bridge geographical boundaries and bring harmony between nations.*



# *Adventure Brings Romance as Tigerites Delve Into Creative*



*Upper: "There is no frigate like a book to take us miles away," agree the students as they adventure in reading during annual Book Browsing Week.*

*Lower: "Only thus may Liberty carry the flaming torch forever and ever"—final tableau of the United Nations Assembly dramatizes adventures in international understanding.*



# Arts



*Tigerites view exhibits, from leatherwork and clay models to upholstery and charcoal drawings, at the annual open house of the art, agriculture, industrial arts and home economics departments.*

*At the left is Kenny Kupid, this Romance Edition's little God of Love, whose kapers will carry throughout the following pages. A tiny fellow, he is the large promoter of Romance. Here, he shoots his arrow of love toward the earth to promote world friendship and co-operation.*

*Tigerite troopers from the Girls' League Vaudeville acts, made up for their parts, leave for Chehalis High to put on an exchange assembly. Given for the benefit of foreign relief, the vaudeville was student initiated and student directed. Acts varied from black-faced Harlem Night Club numbers to dancing of pinafores, pig-tailed chorines.*



## *With Pep Aplenty, Spirit*



*"Ta-ru-tu-tu!" burst forth Sophomore Carnival performers as they jive to "Cornbelt Symphony." The carnival brought thrills and adventure as Sophs turned the cafeteria into a fun-filled arcade.*

*Cheering Bengalites kindle a spark which turns into a glowing fire, lighting a path of victory for 1948 gridsters. Team backers watched the Tigers grow in power from pre-season predictions of a second-rate team to South-west Washington Champions!*



## of Youth Runs Gamut

Weird skeletons, slimy rubber gloves and the sheeted ghost of the "Chamber of Horrors" leave Tigerites with the memory of a thrilling, chilling, spine-tingling evening at Torch Honor's all-school party at the Rec. Formals, Tolos, Bean Feeds comprise CHS's social whirl.



Fun and frolic give way to a sleepless night at annual Girls' League Slumber Party in the gym. After an evening of giggles, games and goodies, the 150 girls fall asleep as sunrise approaches. At 7:45 a.m. inviting aromas float from the kitchen and with half-closed eyes feds roll up sleeping bags and start the breakfast line-up.



# Tigerite Contestants Establish All Time Records... Gain

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Above: Top winner in five Northwest poultry shows, Charles Howell shows his grand champions to Elmer Messenger, Homer Curtis and John Daniels, champion poultry judging team at Washington Junior Poultry Show. Hugh Kintzley, Adviser, and Bob Cannell, State FFA Reporter, display Charles' trophies.

Lower left: With the best record in CHS history, Tigerites took five out of six county prizes and a state first place in the annual TB Essay Contest. Janet Hillyer and Carlene Moberg find essay of Ronnie Moberg, state winner, reprinted in Health Pilot and Daily Chronicle. Other winners, Rae Herrick and Gene Kohse.

Right: Debaters and adviser practice with new wire recorder for annual CPS tournament.



# Adventures

Only five minutes old! Just one of the adventures of Journalism students on visits to the Boys' State Training School to gather material for the January issue of "The New Leaf." Columns staff, invited to edit the school's 32-page official publication, is the first group ever to be so honored.



Happy, healthy Tigerites join the line-up at the Southwest Washington Mobile X-Ray Unit for annual T B check-ups. To further insure health of Bengalites, immunization against diphtheria and smallpox are given. Eye and ear tests also form part of CHS's health-protection program.





## *With Youthful Zest, Execut*

*SUPERINTENDENT WILLIAM H. BLOOM, who came to Centralia this year from Hermiston, Oregon, has brought zest and enthusiasm to local school projects. A dynamic speaker, he has personally presented school needs to most community groups, including service clubs and PTA's.*

With the enthusiasm of youth, but with the judgment that comes from experience, the Board of Education under guidance of its new superintendent, William H. Bloom, has faced the most crucial year in the history of the Centralia Schools. From turning the defeat of the school levy in September into a victory in November, to planning and securing funds to replace the two elementary school buildings condemned as a result of the earthquake, Mr. Bloom has come through each emergency to add additional proof that the board made a wise choice indeed when it selected him to head the local schools.

Acts of kindness and courtesy are expected . . . A student may be trusted to do the proper thing . . . The school is a laboratory in meeting life situations. These are points of the philosophy of education of Centralia High's principal who has endeared himself to his teachers and students by his interest in their problems and needs.

"I don't have any trouble spelling the words principal and principle," a sophomore boy explained to his Comp II class. "I just remember our principal. He's our pal. I never misspell either word." The attitude that Mr. McIntosh is the pal, adviser and friend of the students has grown at Centralia High during the eighteen years he has been vice-principal and principal.

It would be hard to describe the high esteem in which the students hold this man whose philosophy of education has become so much a part of the attitude of the student body itself, that Centralia High is known among educators of the Northwest for its excellent conduct and high ideals. CHS received further recognition this spring when it became the only school in the basketball conference to be awarded the sportsmanship trophy for the second time; so voted by the schools of the league on the basis of the attitude and conduct



**BOARD OF EDUCATION**—Left to right: Howard L. Brines, President; Eugene C. Simmons, Vice-President; Miss Eva J. Cobb, Secretary. Board members are an example of unselfish public service, receiving no compensation other than the personal satisfaction of serving the community. Mr. O'Neill is a resident of the Bucoda area; Mr. Folsom resides in the Ford's Prairie District.



# ives Face Greatest Adventure

PRINCIPAL LESLIE A. McINTOSH—Words will not express the admiration Tigerites feel for their principal who, during the last 18 years has created the spirit of the youth of Centralia High by his patient guidance, skillful planning and understanding of young people.



of its teams and cheering section both at home and away from home. Mr. McIntosh has added courses to the curriculum for which students and faculty felt a special need, has encouraged the students to attend vocational and educational conferences and to enter essay and other contests.

Accordingly, the school received recognition this year by taking the district prize in the Elks' Essay Contest, "How Democracy Works," and making an all-time record in taking five of the six awards offered in the County Tuberculosis Essay Contest as well as state first prize in the senior division. Journalists again took all top honors for their 1948 yearbook and newspapers as well as second prize of \$50 in the national ALA-Quill and Scroll "Meet Your Library Contest."

FFA members took top prizes in five Northwest poultry shows and the poultry judging championship at the Washington Junior Poultry Exposition. Music students were awarded five "Superiors" at the SWW Soloist and Small Ensemble Meet and sent the largest group in the school's history to the large ensemble music festival at Hoquiam.



VICE PRINCIPAL HAROLD GEHRKE

BOARD OF EDUCATION—Left to right: R. H. O'Neill, M. E. Spurgeon, Morrill F. Folsom. It's like Old Home Week when the Board meets. Mr. Brines, Miss Cobb and Mr. Spurgeon are CHS alumni, Mr. Simmons frequently sings at student programs and Mr. Folsom is a former Journalism and English Department Head. Mr. O'Neill's son and two daughters are also CHS alumni.



# With Spirit of Youth, Faculty Answer the

Faculty and students alike find the Spirit of Youth at the Sophomore Carnival. Row 1: Harold Anderson, ASB Financial Adviser; Alice Atkinson, Language Head. Row 2: Vern Berry, Social Science; Roland Dickie, Physical Education Head. Row 3: Arthur Ehret, Science Head; Gwen Frame, Executive Secretary; Jack Frame, Social Science; Ruth Ganders, English; John Griel, Science; Lorraine Henriksen, Attendance Supervisor, Home Economics Head; Marjorie Heron, Social Science. Row 4: Marie Hopkins, Principal's Secretary; Hugh Kintzley, Agriculture; Rufus Kiser, Science; Minnie Lingreen, Social Science Head; Robert Mikalson, Science; Leo Milanowski, Social Science; Helen Miller, Art, Spanish.

From the Southern Cross to the Northern Lights, Adventure has lured CHS teachers . . . Mr. Scates, stealing down the Wang Poo River in a sampan to take forbidden pictures . . . Miss Smith kissing the Blarney Stone . . . Miss Miller bargaining in a Mexican market . . . Mrs. Moran watching the sun set and rise, almost simultaneously, up beyond the Arctic Circle . . . Miss O'Hare crossing the Atlantic in an airliner.

Sport thrills also hold the spotlight. "Pitching in the American-Australian All-Star baseball game in 1943 at Brisbane, Australia," relates Mr. Mikalson. "Attending the 1932 Olympic Games" . . . Mrs. Frame. "Watching CHS track team win three state titles last spring" . . . Coach Dickie. Receiving the community's appreciation of CHS's first championship grid team, an all-expense air trip to the 1949 Rose Bowl game . . . Coaches Rowswell and Gehrke. "Fun of working with my teams" . . . Coach Roberts.

The out-of-doors furnishes excitement to Miss Heron and Mr. Berry who single out tense moments while hunting and fishing. Miss Thomas enjoys hiking in the Cascades. Miss Wing recalls being hugged by a bear at Yellowstone National Park. Fighting his first forest fire gave Mr. Kiser his greatest thrill. "I was 17 and for a while things got pretty hot for me," he recalls. Nature being controlled enthralled Mr. Milanowski as he visited Grand Coulee Dam.



# Lure of Adventure... Call of Romance

"My greatest adventure," says Miss Schultz, "was teaching in a frontier school in Wyoming." Also of frontier flavor was Mr. Kintzley's experience of driving a thousand head of cattle to market. College days also brought thrills. Mr. Ehret arrived in Chicago with \$20 in his pocket to make his way through college. Miss Walker was stranded 1000 miles from home. Stranded also, Mr. Wicks slept in a graveyard. A true romanticist, Mr. Griel says his greatest adventure was, "When I married."

Miss Ganders had her high spot as sergeant in the Wacs, "Capturing a mental patient by chasing over Fort Sam Houston in a jeep." V-E Day was most memorable to Mr. Anderson, "After months of shooting, it was a grand feeling to see the effect of our work—the liberation of people."

Romance of the familiar intrigues as well—Mr. West in charge of Centralia's largest delegation ever sent to a music festival—Miss Atkinson putting CHS on the air and mothering the Juniors—Mr. Frame fathering the Sophomores and the CEA Credit Union—Mrs. Putman directing Senior class activities—Mrs. Theriault encouraging home economics girls in their home projects—Miss Myhre selecting CHS's spelling team and acting as CEA secretary—Miss Henricksen taking over girls' adviser's duties—Miss Trucano endearing herself to Centralia girls as their new PE teacher—Miss Lingreen leading the local campaign for favorable school legislation.



Row 1: Esther Moran, Home Economics; Ruth Myhre, English; Wilma Nelson, Nurse; Kathleen O'Hare, English, Commercial; Virginia Powell, Library Assistant. Row 2: Gertrude Putman, English Head; Waldo Roberts, Mathematics, Industrial Arts; Alma Roth, Commercial; George Rowswell, Physical Education; Dell Russell, Industrial Arts Head. Row 3: Ivan G. Scates, Commercial; Leone Schultz, Commercial Head; Herndon Smith, English; Patricia Theriault, Home Economics; Ethyle Thomas, Mathematics Head. Row 4: Lucille Trucano, Physical Education; Mildred Walker, Mathematics; Loris West, Music Supervisor; Owen Wicks, Social Science; Ada Wing, Library Supervisor.

*Youth . . .*

## **The Romancers**

*Alluring evenings await these CHS beauties whose nimble fingers fashioned their formals in clothing classes. After displaying their frocks in the spring style show, Lola Smalley, Jackie Butler, Peggy Perry, Marguerite Gregg, Chalice Williams and Pat Parmelee are ready for Music . . . Dancing . . . Romance . . .*





On the road to Romance. Senior signpost reads, "Adventure Ahead" . . . Seniors start rolling with a sock dance after the football jamboree . . . a moneymaker to carry them on toward the next dance the night before the traditional Turkey Day tussle . . . "Coming Mother" squeaks the voice of Jack Masterson (Henry Aldrich) as the wire recorder, gift of classes '48 and '49, echoes back his call at practice for "What a Life," annual class play. His troubles with school and girl friend furnish fun for audience applause. . . .



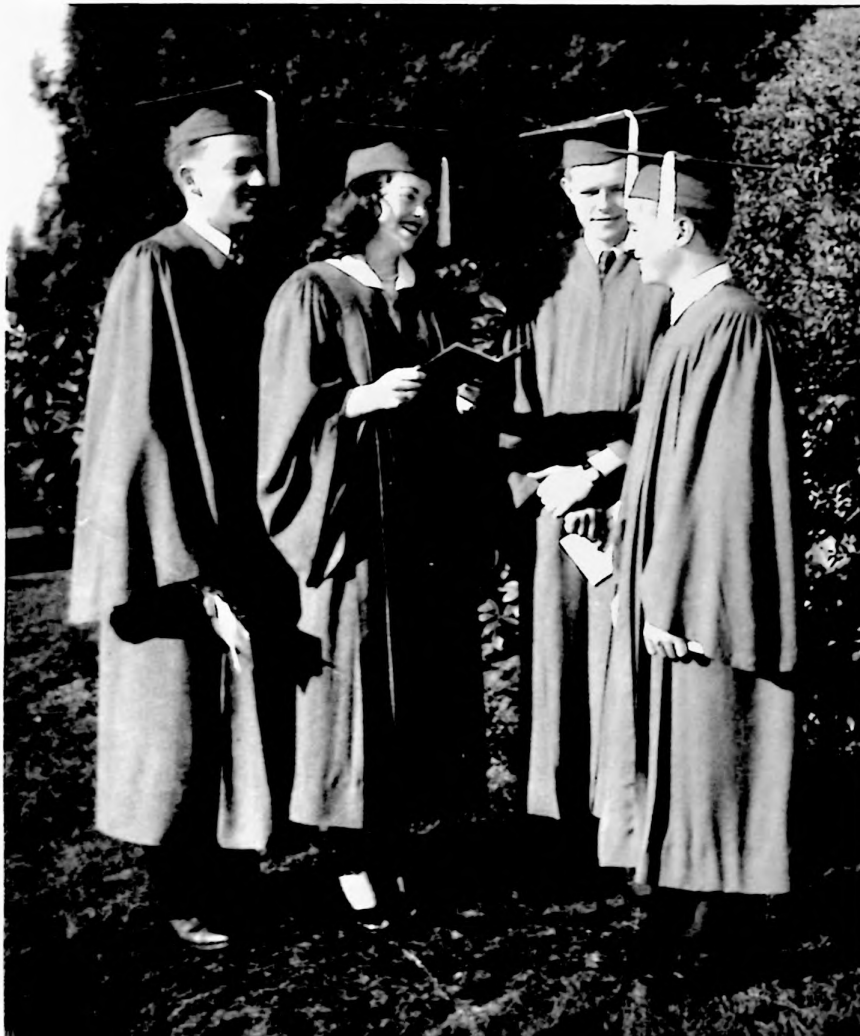
MRS. PUTMAN  
Class Adviser

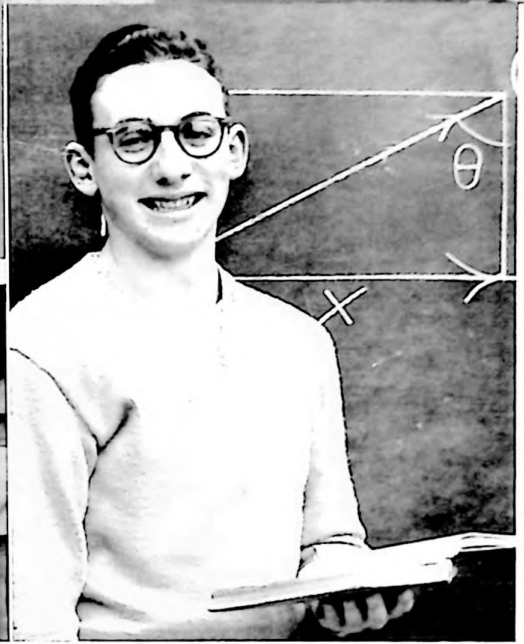
Senior Ball—last great dance of the year—gay senioritas and sleepy haciendas greet all to carry out theme, "Farewell Fiesta" . . . Boating, bathing, and basking beckon as cars head for Offut Lake and Senior Picnic. Appetite appealing eats, swimming . . . Games . . . Dancing . . . Seniors journey homeward with a happy well-fed feeling, spirits undampened by showery weather. Baccalaureate reminds Seniors of their place in life . . . Girls in white, boys in blue caps and gowns solemnly receive diplomas . . . Sing together "Thank you for friends and fellowship, Centralia High" . . . Last day at CHS . . . Seniors bid friends and faculty favorites farewell as they look forward to Adventure . . . Romance . . . Happiness . . .



SENIOR OFFICERS sigh, "At last!" as they look over their diplomas. Clarence Robbins, President; Helen Miller, Secretary; Quay Jorgensen, Vice-President; David Edwards, Treasurer.

## Senior Signpost Reads





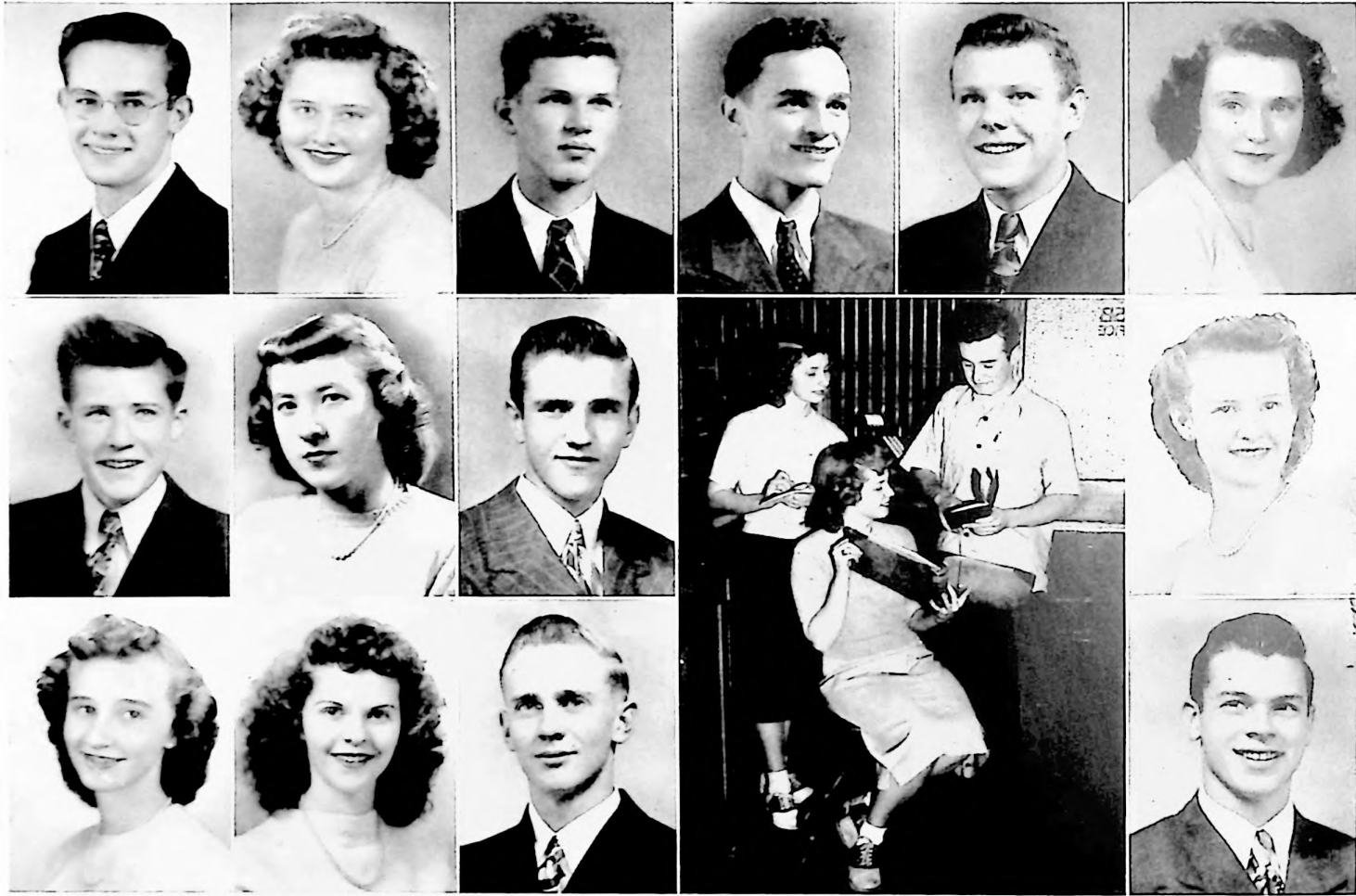
VALEDICTORIAN Louise Howell works on her clay model against a background of her floral pastels. Proof that beauty and brains go together, Louise reigned as CHS Queen of Brains and was named Queen of Hearts by her masculine admirers. She also serves as ASB secretary and Columns feature editor. SALUTATORIAN Bill Robinson demonstrates a trigonometry problem. Bill was Columns sports editor, and a faithful follower of sports throughout his high school career. Both will go to college—Louise to study art; Bill, science.

## "Adventures Ahead" . . . Graduates Receive Diplomas

Seniors in Action! Aldrich comedy cast is caricatured by Barbara Fors, while advertising committee aids. Row 1: Bea Shupp, Lena Phelps, Peggy Hall, Barbara Fors, Helen Radick, Helen Miller, Betty Lou Cochran. Row 2: Bob Cannell, Delmas Lewellyn, Loretta Booth, Delores Colvin, Louise Howell, Maxine McKenna, Mary Lee Brooks, Bob Arney, Leora Diesburg.



# Seniors . . . Entertain With Henry Aldrich Comedy



Row 1: DAVID ALLEN—C Club Smoker 3; Stage Crew 2, Secretary-Treasurer 3; Service Club 3, Secretary 4.

DOLORES ANDREWS—Entered from Paxico, Kansas, 3. Girls' League 3,4.

KARL ANVIK—Boys' Club 1-4.

ROBERT ARNEY—Entered from Oakville 4. Football 3; Basketball 3; Baseball 3; Class Vice-President 3, Prom 3, Play 4; Yearbook Editor 3; Acorn Assistant Editor 3; Columns News Editor 4; Torch Honor 4.

GEORGE BARR—Congress 3; Football 1-4; Track 1; Pep Band 1; Play Committee 4; Prom 3. Clubs: Stage Crew 2; Service 4; Boys' C 4; Movie 2-4; Hi-Y 4.

DOLLY BAXTER—OGA 3.

Row 2: JERRY BEGLEY—Congress 1; Class Play 3; Prom 3. Clubs: Stage Crew Vice-President 2,3; Movie 3; Service 3,4.

LA VERNE BJORGO—Entered from Fergus Falls, Minnesota 4. Class Party 1, Play 4, Play Committee 4; Choir 4.

ERNEST BLATT—Baseball 2,3; Prom Committee 3; Conservation Club Treasurer 3.

VELDA BOARDMAN—Play Committee 3, 4; DEO 4; OGA 4.

Row 3: LORETTA BOOTH—Play Committee 3,4; DEO 4; OGA 3; Library 2-4.

ANNALEE BOYCE—Entered from Tenino 2. OGA 3,4.

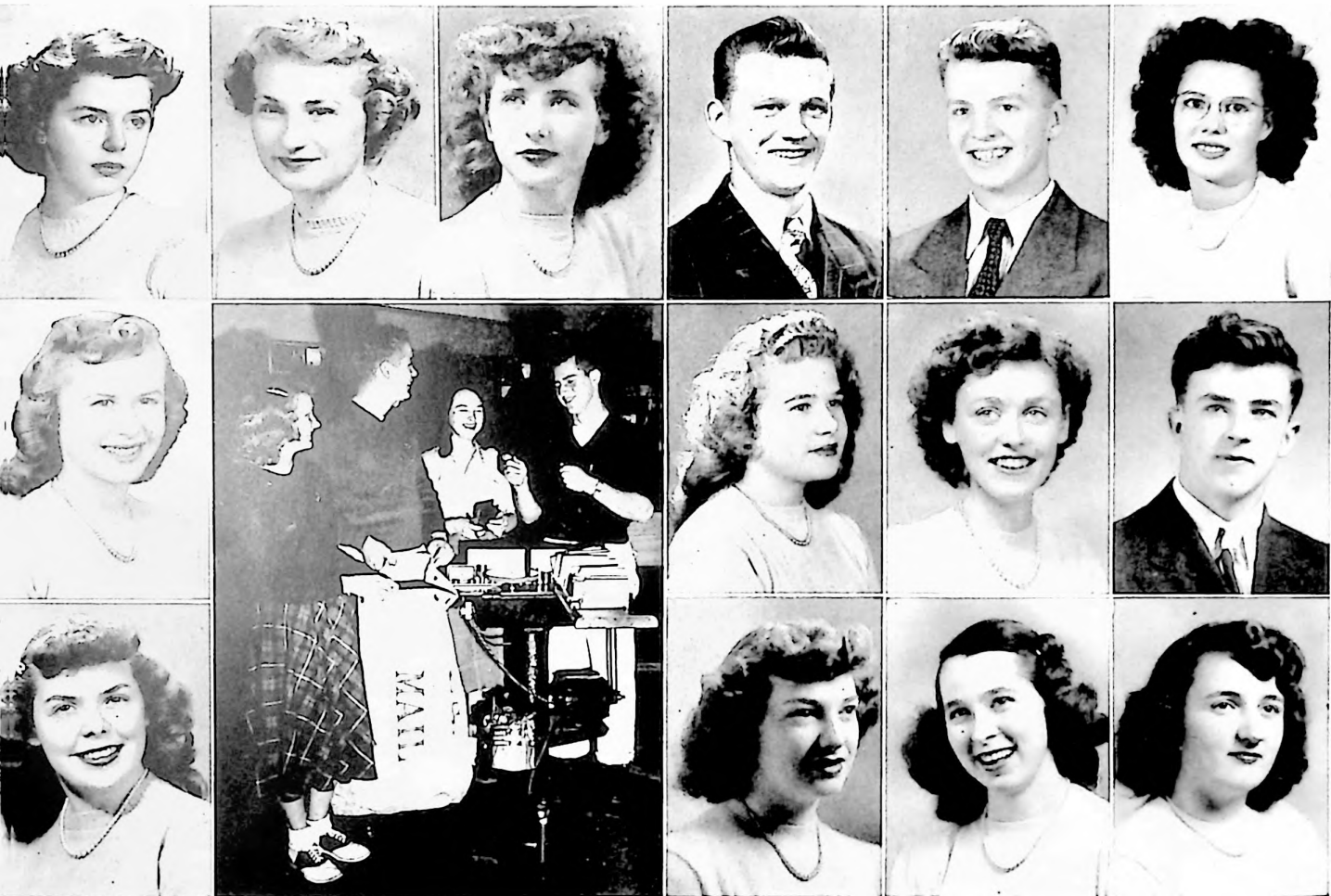
DON BRECKENRIDGE—Congress 1; ASB Awards Committee 2; Football 2,3; Basketball 2; Track 1-4; Class Yell King 1. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; Boys' C 2-4; Hi-Y 3,4, Treasurer 4.

GARY BRONZINI—Entered from Seattle 3. Congress 4; Football 3; Baseball 4; Basketball 3,4. Clubs: Hi-Y 4; Boys' C 3,4; Dramatic 3,4.

*HONOR STUDENTS—Student body treasurer Vera Kiffer (left) and ASB assistant Mary Jean Ehret check over accounts of the class of 1949 with David Edwards, class treasurer. David, CHS singer and outstanding 4-H worker, has a scholarship at WSC. Vera will further her secretarial training and Mary Jean plans to major in physical education.*



# "What a Life" . . . Sponsor Sock Dances . . .



Row 1: MARY LEE BROOKS—Columns 3; Class Carnival 2, Play Committee 3,4. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; DEO Secretary-Treasurer 4; OGA 4; Bulcamards 1,2; Dramatic 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Library 2-3.

GERRY BROWN—Entered from Seattle 4. Girl of Month 4; Play Committee 4; Spring Concert 1-3; Vaudeville 1-3; Girls' C 4.

RUTH BRYSON—Columns 3, Business Manager 4; Girls' Glee 1; Class Assembly 2, Carnival 2, Play 3,4, Ball 4. Clubs: Torch Honor 3; Girls' C 3,4.

BOB BUZZARD—Yell Duke 3; Football 1,2,4; Basketball 1; Track 1; Band 1; Prom Committee 3. Clubs: Booster 3,4; Boys' C 4; Hi-Y 4.

BOB CANNELL—Congress 4; Columns 3, Managing Editor 4; Class Assembly 2, Prom 3, Play Committee 4. Clubs: Torch

Honor 2-4; Masque and Gavel 4; FFA 1-4; Reporter 1, Secretary 2, State Reporter 4.

Row 2: BETTY LOU COCHRAN—Columns 3; Class Carnival 2, Play 3, Play Committee 4. Clubs: DEO President 4; OGA 4; Bulcamards 1,2; Dramatic 3,4; Masque and Gavel 4.

DELORES COLVIN—Orchestra 1-4. Committees: Prom 3, Play 4.

JO ANNE COTTER—Band 1; Bulcamards 1; Yearbook 2, Advertising Manager 4; Class Play Committee 3, Cast 4; Torch Honor 4.

BOB CRAIG—Entered from Anchorage, Alaska 4. Basketball 3; Class Assembly 2, Prom 3, Play 3. Clubs: Ski 2; Antlers 3.

Row 3: MARILYN DANIELS—Class Assembly 2, Party 1, Carnival 2, Ball 4. Clubs: KELA 2-4; Booster 4; OGA Vice-President 4; Make-Up 2-4, President 3.

ANITA DAY—Entered from Boone, Iowa 3. Class Treasurer 1, President 2, Yell Leader 2, Play 2,3; Girl of the Month 3.

VELDA DICKEY—Choir 1,4; Girls' Glee 1; Girls' Ensemble 1; Nonette 4; Play Committee 4.

LEORA DIESBURG—Yearbook Senior Editor 4; Class Carnival 2, Play Prompter 3, Cast 4.

**HONOR STUDENTS**—Jim Shaffer explains the letter-cancelling machine at the local postoffice to government class members, Barbara Fors, Jack Nugent and Ellabeth Gibbs. Jim received the Activian football award. Ellabeth is known for her textile paintings Barbara, as an outstanding artist, musician and writer; Jack, as all-star sportsman. All plan to go to college.

# Seniors . . . Turn to Spanish Motif as They



Row 1: DAVID EDWARDS—Cong. 3; Basketball 2,3; Track 2-4; Band 1-4; Choir 1,3,4; Pep Band 2-4; Octette 4; Class Treas. 4, Prom 3. Clubs: KELA 2, V-P 3; Boys' C 3,4; Movie 1-3, Pres. 3; Hi-Y.

BEVERLEY EGGLE—GAC 3, 4; GL Rep. 2; Yearbook 2; Class Party 1, Assem. 2, Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play Com. 4. Clubs: Peppers 3,4; Torch 4; Girls' C 3, Treas. 4; Bulcamards 1, 2, V-P 2; Ski 2.

MARY JEAN EHRET—Cong. 1; GAC 3,4; Orch. 1; Str. Ens. 1; Carnival Com. 2; Typing Cup 3; Welfare Ch. 4; Play 4. Clubs: Peppers 4; Torch 2-4; KELA 2-4; Girls' C, V-P 3, Pres. 4.

KEITH ELY—Football 1; Baseball 3-4; Carnival 2.

EDDIE EWERS—Entered from Homer, Alaska 3. Class V-P 2; Ski 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Hockey 1,2.

BARBARA FORS—ASB Sec. 3; Cong. 3,4; Ch. ASB Assem. Com. 4; Ex. Coun. 3; GAC 3,4; Girls' League V-P 4; Girl of Month 2,4; Class Treas. 1, Party 1, Assem. 2, Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play Com. 4; Yearbook 2,4; Columns 3,4; Band 1; Glee 1; Choir 2. Clubs: Peppers 3,4; Torch 2-4; KELA 3,4; Girls' C 3,4; Bulcamards 1, Pres. 2; Girl of Year 4.

Row 2: WANDA FRENCH—Class Treas. 2, Song Queen

3, Party 1, Prom 3, Play 3,4; Columns 3, News Editor 4; Glee 1; Ens. 1,3,4. Clubs: Peppers 4; Torch 2-4, Pres. 4; KELA 4; Masque and Gavel 4.

ELLABETH GIBBS—Ch. ASB Rules and Reg. Com. 4; Cong. 4; GL Rep. 3; Torch 2-4, V-P 4; Bulcamards 2; Peppers 4.

MARIAN GIBSON—Class V-P 2; Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play 3; GL Rep. 4; Band 1; Glee 1,2; Choir 3,4; Peppers 3, Pres. 4.

RONALD GIDEON—Boys' Club 1-4.

Row 3: IRENE GIVENS—OGA 4.

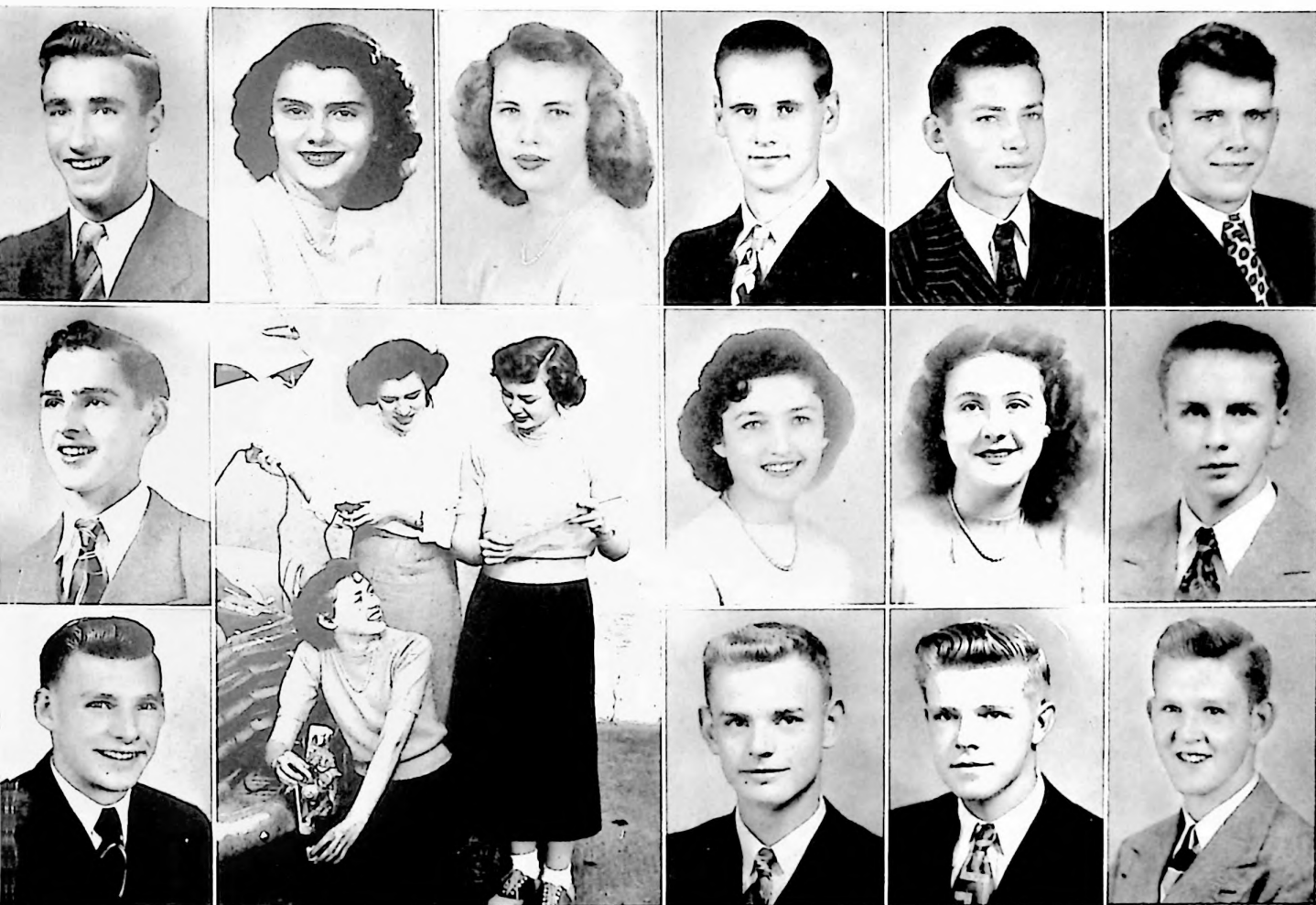
MARTHA GLANZ—GL Rep. 2,3; Orch. 1-3; Glee 3; String Ens. 3; Prom 3; Play Com. 3. Clubs: Peppers 3,4; Torch 3,4; Dramatic 3, Pres. 4; Bulcamards 1,2.

JO ANN GRADY—Congress 1,2,4; Executive Council 4; Girls' League Treas. 2, V-P 3, Pres. 4. SWW Girls' League V-P 3, Pres. 4, Girl of Month 2, Inspir. Award 4; Band 1; Orch. 2,3; Prom 3, Play 3; DAR Award 4. Clubs: Peppers 4; Torch 2-4; KELA 4; Girls' C 3,4.

MARGUERITE GREGG—Class Yell Queen 4; Carnival 2; Play Cast 3; Girls' Glee 1,2; Choir 2-4; KELA 4.

HONOR STUDENTS—Bob Arney, Wanda French, Bob Cannell, Columns Heads, discuss latest issue.

# Say Goodbye With "Farewell Fiesta" Ball



Row 1: TEDDY GRUNENFELDER—Congress 4; Baseball 1-4; FFA 1-4, Judging Team 3; Boys' C 2-4.

PEGGY HALL—Girls' Athletic Council 3,4; Girls' League Representative 4; Class Assembly 2,3, Party 1, Prom 3, Play Committee 4. Clubs: Booster 1-4, Vice-President 4; Girls' C 3, Secretary 4; Ski 2.

MARJORIE HANSEN—Class Assembly 2, Carnival 2, Ball 4; KELA 2-4.

DAVID HENSE—Play Committee 4. Clubs: Stage Crew Vice-President 3; Service 2,3.

MERRILL HIGHTOWER—Yell King 2, Duke 3; Football 3,4; Columns 3; Band 1. Clubs: Stage Crew President 2; Booster 2,3, Vice-President 2; Boys' C 3,4.

Row 2: CHARLES HOWELL—Yell Duke 4; ASB Assembly Committee 1-3; Football 2; Turkey Shoot 2; Class Assembly Committee 2; FFA 2-4, Judging Team 2-4, President 3; Booster Club 4.

LOUISE HOWELL—ASB Secretary 4, Executive Council 4; Class Treasurer 3; Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play Committee 3, Ball Co-chairman 4; Girl of Month; 3; Queen of Hearts 4. Associate Chairman of Girls' League Conference 4; Col-

umns Feature Editor 3,4. Clubs: Peppers 3,4; Treasurer 3; Torch Honor 2-4.

RUBY IRISH—Band 1-3; Pep Band 2,3; DEO 4.

GILBERT ISSAKSON—Boys' Club 1-4.

Row 3: ERVIN JOHNSON—ASB Vice-President 3; Congress 4; Executive Council 3; Football 2-4; Basketball 2-4; Golf 2, 3; Baseball 4; Columns 3, Sports Editor 4; Carnival 2. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-3; Boys' C 3,4; Hi-Y Secretary 3, President 4.

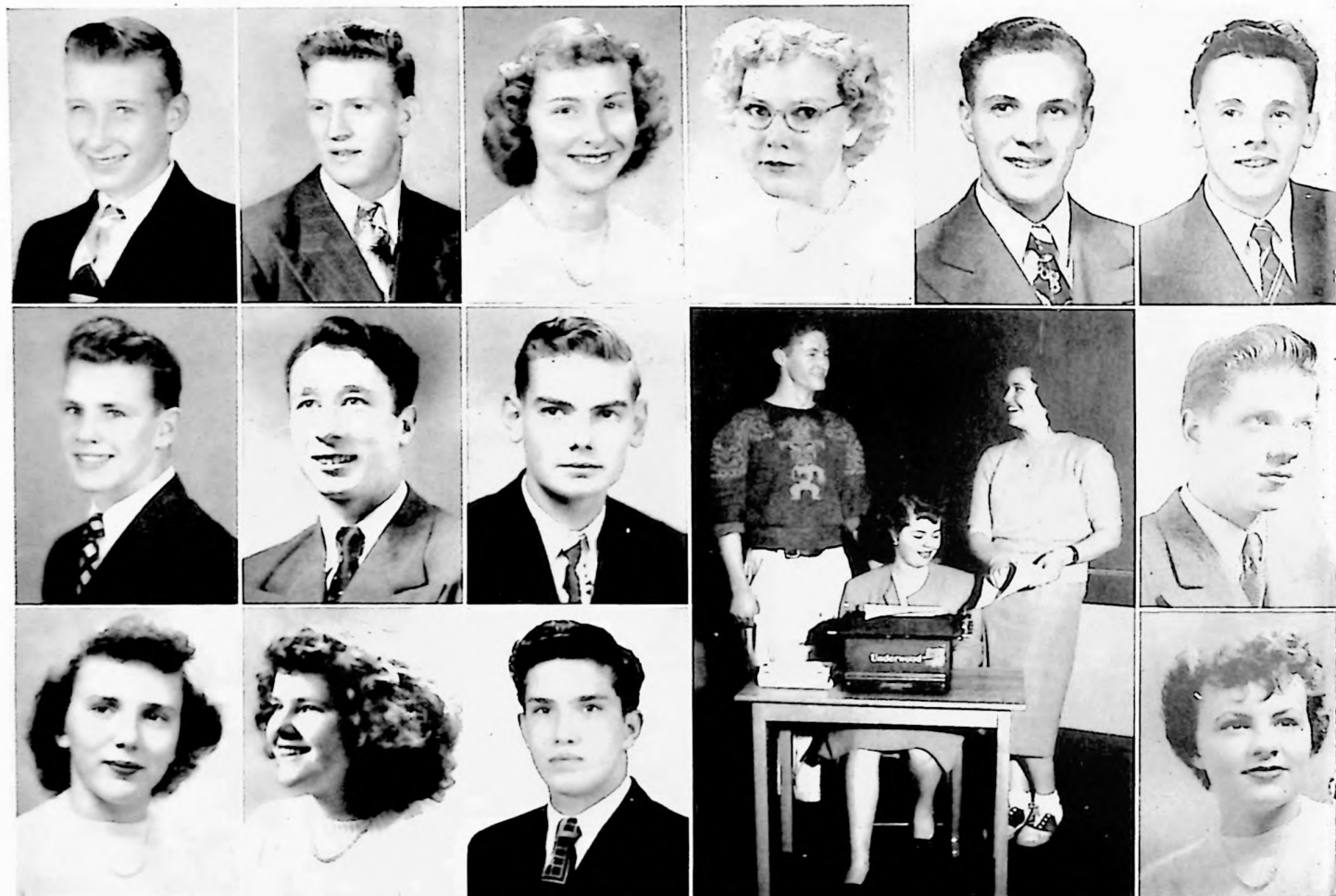
HAROLD JOHNSON—Entered from Redondo 3. Class President 1; Football 2; Track 3, 4; Band 4; Pep Band 4.

QUAY JORGENSEN—ASB Awards Committee Chairman 4; Class Vice-President 4, Party 1, Carnival 2; Ball Co-chairman 4, Play 4; Columns 3, 4. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; Movie 1; Play Cast 4.

CARL JUNGMYER—Play 4.

*HONOR STUDENTS—JoAnne Cotter, Lola Smalley and JoAnn Grady study the detonator on CHS's dual-control car in which they learned to drive. JoAnne is advertising manager of the yearbook. JoAnn was voted outstanding girl of the senior class. Lola is Girls' League representative. JoAnne and JoAnn are steering toward college while Lola is California bound.*

# Seniors . . . In Blue and White Caps and



Row 1: MARTIN JUNGMAYER—Service Club 4.  
MARION KELSO—Football 1-4; Track 1-4; Boys' C 2-4.

VERA KIFFER—ASB Treasurer 4; Executive Council 4; Gir.'s Athletic Council 3, 4; Class Assembly 2, Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play 3, Play Committee 4. Clubs: Peppers 3, 4, Secretary 3; Torch Honor 2-4; Girls' C 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 3; OGA 4; Bulcamards 1, Secretary 2.

LOIS KLUDT—Orchestra 1-3; OGA 4; DEO 4.

ROBERT LE DUC—Basketball 2; Baseball 2, 3; Carnival 2.

ARTHUR LEHMAN—Class Party 1, Assembly 2, Carnival 2. Clubs: Service 2, 3; Green Guard 2, 3.

Row 2: DELMAS LEWELLYN—President ASB 4; Congress 2-4; Executive Council 3, 4; Football 2-4; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2-4. Class President 3, Vice-President 2, Carnival 2, Prom 3, Play Committee 4. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; Boys' C 2-4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

DENNY MALNERICH—Football 2-4; Baseball 3, 4; Track 4; Band 1; FFA 1-3, Judging Team 1, 3.

DEAN MARSHALL—Congress 4; Executive Council 4; Chairman ASB Student-Teacher Forum Committee 4; Class Vice-President 3, Assembly 2, Carnival 3, Play Committee 3, 4; Columns 3, 4. Clubs: Movie 1; Torch Honor 2-4.

JOHN MASTERSON—Boys' Octette 4; Class Play 3, 4. Clubs: KELA 4; FFA 1; DEO 4; Movie 2-4, Vice-President 3, President 4.

Row 3: ANN MAYES—Columns 3; Girls' Glee 1; Rec Committee 3; Class Party 1, Carnival 3, Prom 3, Ball 4, Play 3, 4. Clubs: Peppers 4; Torch 3, 4; Make-Up Corps 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Ski 3; Dramatic 3, 4.

BETTY McCREADY—Girls' League 1-4; DEO 4.

DONN McINTOSH—Congress 2-4; Executive Council 2-4; Football 2-4; Baseball 2-4; President Boys' Club 4; Prom 3. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; Boys' C 4; Hi-Y Secretary-Treasurer 4, President 4.

JUNE McKENNA—Girls' Glee 1; Ensemble 1, 4; Choir 2, 3; Nonette 1, 4; Chehalis Assembly 2; Class Assembly 2, Carnival 3, Prom 3, Play 4. Clubs: Dramatic 3, 4; Ski 1, 3; Movie 1.

*HONOR STUDENTS—"Ah, uniform touch—No errors! Bill Mish, Mary Lee Brooks, and Nadine Walters discuss their typing budgets. Typing techniques will play an important role for the girls when they attend business college. Bill, soloist and member of the Boys' Octette, plans to attend college. Mary Lee is prominent in sales class activities; Nadine is year-book editor.*

# Gowns Perform Last Rites of 1949 Class . . .



Row 1: ELMER MESSENGER—Football 2-4; Track 1-4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; FFA 1-4, Secretary 3, President 4; Boys' C 2-4.

DONNA MILLER—Yell Queen 2; Song Duchess 3; Song Queen 4; Football Queen 4; Class Secretary 1, Assembly 2. Clubs: KELA 3, 4; Booster 2-4; OGA 4; Make-Up Vice-President 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Ski 1; Bulcamards 1, 2.

HELEN MILLER—Congress 2; Class Secretary 4, Carnival 2, Play Committee 3, Picnic 4; Peppers 4.

JOY MILLER—Entered from Pe Ell 3. Majorette 3, Head Majorette 4; DEO 4; Yell Queen 2; Paper 2.

SHIRLEY MILLER—Congress 4; Girls' Glee 2; Prom 3; Peppers 4; Torch Honor 2-4; Picnic 4.

BILL MISH—Congress 1, 2; Football 1; Octette 4; Choir 4; Play Committee 3, Cast 3, 4, Picnic 4; Torch Honor 2-4.

Row 2: NADINE MITCHELL—Carnival Committee 2.

LORRAINE NEVA—Majorette 2; Class Party 1, Assembly 2; Chehalis Assembly 2; Drill Team 1. Clubs: Booster 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4; OGA President 4; Make-Up Corps 3, Vice-President 4.

PATSY NICHOLS—Girls' League 1-4.

JACK NUGENT—Congress 1; ASB Awards Committee 3; Football 1-4, Inspirational Award 4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Class President 1; Carnival 2; Re: Committee 3, 4; Boys' Club Vice-President 3. Clubs: Torch Honor 3, 4; Boys' C 2-4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

Row 3: JANEY OLSEN—Girls' Glee 1; Peppers 4; OGA 4.

CHARLES O'REILLY—Football 2-4; Basketball 2-4; Baseball 2-4; Boys' C 2-4; King of Hearts 4.

TED OSTER—Service Club 3, Vice-President 4; Boys' Club Representative 1-4.

ANITA PARK—DEO 4.

*HONOR STUDENTS—Donn McIntosh, Don Breckenridge and Shirley Miller carry on a chemistry experiment. Donn is Boys' Club president and Don, track letterman, manages the book room. Shirley was named a Girl of the Month and was district winner of the 1948 Grange Soil Conservation Essay Contest. All are college bound—the boys to study engineering; Shirley, commercial work.*

# Seniors . . . Diplomas in Hand Look Back on



Row 1: RUTH PAYNE—Entered from Kelso 2. OGA 3, Girls' Glee 3.

JEANNE PEARCE—Movie Club 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Columns 4; Class Play 4.

MILDRED PERONA—Band 1-4; Girls' Glee 1, 2.

ALLEN PFAFF—Track 2-4; Class Yell King 4, Assembly 2; Choir 2-4. Clubs: KELA 4; Boys' C 2-4.

LENA PHELPS—Entered from Redwood City, California 2. Class Play 4; DEO 4.

RON PHILLIPS—Boys' Club 1-4.

Row 2: HELEN RADICK—Head Librarian 4; Girls' League Program Chairman 4, Class Representative 4; Class Carnival 2, Prom 3, Picnic 4, Play 3, 4.

DON RECTOR—Boys' Club 1-4.

TOM RICHARD—Football 1-4; Basketball 1; Track 1; Class Party Committee 1; Boys' C 1-4.

CLARENCE ROBBINS—Congress 1-4; ASB Student-Teacher Forum 3; Student Council 2, 4; Football 1-3; Basketball 1-4; Golf 2-4; Track 1-3; Class President 2, 4, Vice-President 1, Assembly 2, Carnival 2, Prom 3, Ball 4, Play Committee 3, 4;

Boys' Club Representative 3, 4; Columns 3, 4. Clubs: Torch 2-4; Boys' C 3, 4; Hi-Y 4.

BILL ROBINSON—Congress 3; ASB Awards Committee 2; Basketball 1; Columns 3, Sports Editor 4; Class Party 1, Carnival 2, Play Committee 3; Torch Honor 2-4.

EARLE RUSHMER—Class Yell King 3; Yearbook 4; Columns 4; Boys' Club Assembly 4. Clubs: Booster 3, 4; Tumbling 1-4.

Row 3: LUETTA SALZSIDLER—Class Assembly 2; Orchestra 1, 2; OGA 3.

BILL SEXTON—Entered from Chehalis 2. Congress 4; Basketball 3, 4; Play 4; Service Club 3, President 4.

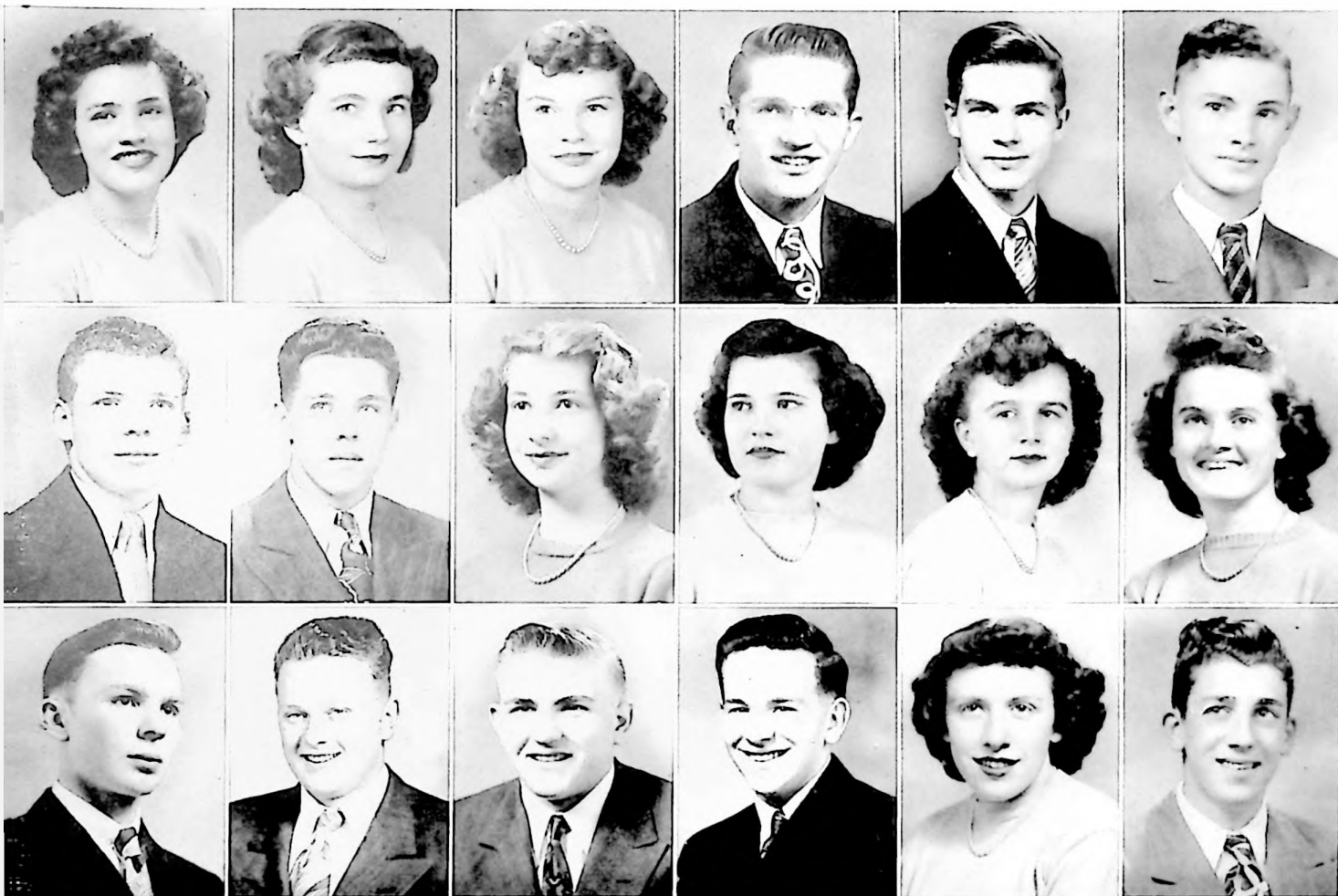
JIM SHAFFER—Congress 2, 3; Executive Council 1; Football 1-4; Active Club Grid Trophy 4; Track 2; Boys' Club Representative 4; Class Carnival 2, Prom 2. Clubs: Torch Honor 2-4; Boys' C 4; Hi-Y 4.

IDA SHARDELMAN—Entered from Issaquah 4. Class Picnic Chairman 3; Play Committee 3; Prom Decoration Chairman 3, Class Play 4.

BEA SHUPP—Class Song Queen 1, Carnival 2; DEO 4.

IRENE SKUNDRICK—Carnival 2; Class Assembly Committee 2.

# Memories . . . Ahead to Adventures . . . Romance



Row 1: LOLA SMALLEY—Yearbook 2; Class Carnival 2, Prom 3, Ball 4, Play 4; Torch Honor 4.

ALICE SOLBERG—Yearbook 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; Prom 3.

MARIE SWEARINGEN—Yearbook 3, 4; Columns 3, 4; Class Party 1, Carnival 2, Prom 3. Clubs: Bulcamards 1-2; Peppers 3, Vice-President and President 4; Torch Honor 2-4.

DEAN TAUSCHER—Football 1-4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Track 1-4; Band 1; Pep Band 1; Prom 3; Boys' C 2-4, Secretary-Treasurer 3.

RONALD YEAGER—Stage Crew 4.

OWEN TICKNOR—Yearbook Photographer 4; Class Play 4; Movie Club 3, 4.

Row 2: HARRY TOBINSKI—Yell King 3; Congress 3; Class Yell King 2; Band 1, 2; Pep Band 1-4; Dance Band 3; Soloist SWW Meet 1. Clubs: DEO 4; Booster 2-4.

GERRY VAN DOREN—Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Track 1-4; Boys' Club Representative 1-4; Columns 3; Band 1 4; Soloist, SWW Music Meet 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 3; Boys' C 3, 4.

AUDREY WALDO—Yearbook 3; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; KELA 1-4.

NADINE WALTERS—Entered from Fowler, California 2; Yearbook Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; Columns 3; Band 1; Orchestra 1; Dance Band 1; Torch Honor 4; Drill Team 1; Baseball Club 1.

DELORES WARD—Yearbook 2-4, Club Editor 3, 4; Orchestra 1.

KATHLEEN WARD—Girls' League 1-4.

Row 3: ROBERT WARES—Entered from Eatonville 4. Band 2-4; Football 2.

HARRY WARREN—Band 2-4; Soloist SWW Meet 3, 4; Trumpet Trio, 3, 4; Pep Band 2-4; Dance Band 3, 4; Class Play 3.

DON WIDELL—Football 1, 3, 4.

WESLEY WIDELL—Football 2. Clubs: Service 3, 4; Movie 1-4.

BETTIE WYLAM—Carnival Committee 2; DEO 4; OGA 3.

LU VERNE ZENT—Choir 1-4; Class Assembly Committee 2, Play 4; Stage Crew Vice President 2, President 3.

## *Juniors . . . Present "Stairway to the Stars"*

Stardust and moonbeams hovering over a glimmering stairway capture the theme of the Junior Prom "Stairway to the Stars." Blue star-shaped programs guide the dancers through the night. A blue sky dotted with silver stars creates a night of remembrance for the swaying dancers . . . A darkened room, a shutter bangs, then a spine-tingling cry echoes through the room as the Junior Class presents the mystery "Call of the Banshee." To each Junior, there never has been such a play . . . Such suspense . . . Such a variety of parts . . . So ably taken . . . a deaf half-wit, a stupid sheriff, a Swedish maid, a Hungarian doctor, a decrepit old negro woman, a scientist from the Amazon . . . So well advertised by posters, photos, the press and radio, even by placards on their own backs . . .

For first time ASB election centers around Class of '50 . . . "We'll be next year's leaders!" suddenly realize the Juniors, reveling in their new importance . . . "Testing—1—2—3." blares the microphones in the gym . . . a hammer pounds—"Watch out! You'll tip that basket!" . . . "Hey, what happened to the rest of the flowers?" . . . Juniors are everywhere in jeans and shirts. They stand back to admire their work, bright spring flowers in pale pink baskets accented by the black backdrop . . . "Orange tickets in the balcony" . . . "May I have your tickets, please?" . . . Juniors in formals and suits usher for Commencement.



MISS ATKINSON  
Class Adviser

*JUNIOR OFFICERS. framed by flaming leaves, plan their prom. Row 1: Ruby Carey, Secretary; Alma Kittle, President; Peggy Perry, Song Queen; Lou Anne Boegli, Vice-President. Row 2: Wesley Lovercheck, Treasurer; Eldon Bryant, Yell King.*





# Prom . . . Produce "Call of Banshee" Mystery

Ames, Theresa  
Anderson, Donna Faye  
Anderson, June  
Babcock  
Bachmier, Zachius  
Baker, Bonnie



Barner, Geraldine  
Bates, Ronald  
Behrns, Wayne  
Benjamin, Ann  
Berge, Barbara  
Berry, Ernest



Berry, Raymond  
Blikre, James  
Boegli, Lou Anne  
Bogen, Jack  
Bowen, Jeanne  
Bowman, Barbara



Brautigam, Joseph  
Brill, Arlene  
Brown, Arlene  
Brown, Norene  
Bryant, Eldon  
Burnside, Bonnie  
Cain, Juanita



Carey, Ruby  
Caserto, Marilyn  
Chappell, Ronald  
Clark, Rosemary  
Clark, Allan  
Cole, Carol



Countryman, Donald  
Crawford, Donna Mae  
Crowe, Eileen  
De Rosa, Johnny  
Devones, Bob  
Dowell, John



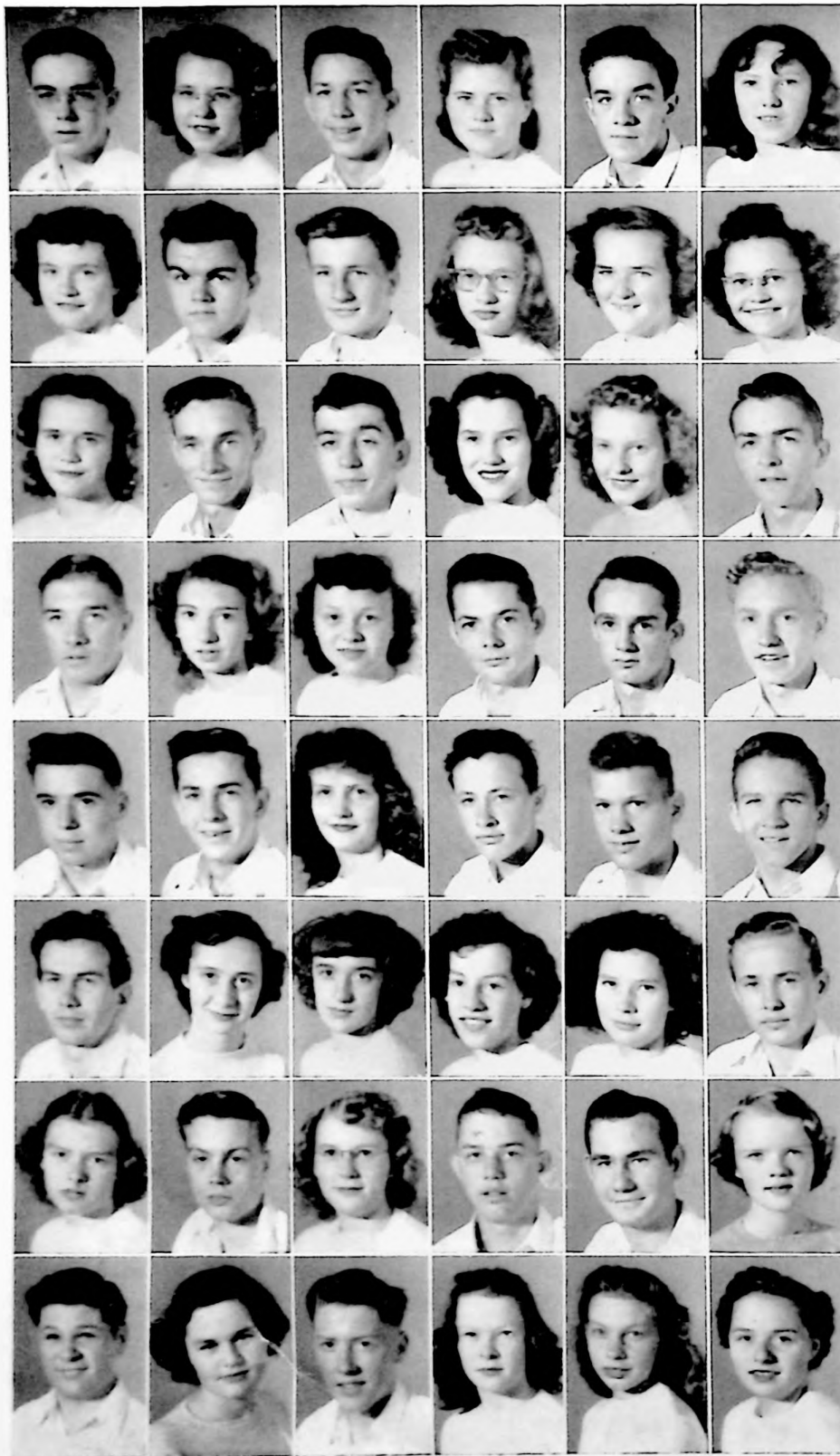
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Duncan, Lenora  
Edeburn, Dora Ella  
Edwards, Margaret  
Emerson, Carolyn  
Fadness, Mary Jane



Fagerness, Marian  
Fathergill, Gale  
French, Fred  
Gehrman, Arthur  
Geiger, Joyce  
Hadley, Joe



# *Juniors . . . Revel in New Role . . . Decorate*



Hafer, Hugh  
Hamilton, Naomi  
Hardcastle, Bill  
Harris, Jeanne  
Hatfield, Joe  
Higby, Dorothy

Highwood, Betty Lou  
Hodge, Paul  
Hoel, Kenneth  
Hurn, Claudia  
Jacobs, Loyetta  
Johnson, Lorena

Johnston, Betty  
Jones, Bill  
Juneman, Bob  
Kendall, Pat  
Kittle, Alma  
Kohse, Gene

Krause, Carl  
Krause, Louise  
Kresky, Jo Anne  
Lewis, Eugene  
Lian, Jay  
Looney, Coy

Long, Fred  
Lovercheck, Wesley  
Madsen, Donna  
Marker, Delbert  
Mason, Arthur  
Merle, Del

MacKillican, Jim  
McDowell, Jeannette  
McGowan, Erma  
McKay, Verla  
Michener, Nancy  
Mill, Don

Moore, Marlene  
Mullins, Jerry  
Norman, Ruby  
Norquist, Walter  
O'Connor, Pat  
Olson, Karen

Oster, Pete  
Parmelee, Patricia  
Paul, James  
Perry, Peggy  
Piwoni, Jeanette  
Purvis, Jeanette

# te, Usher for Commencement, Baccalaureate

Quarnstrom, Richard  
 Ramsaur, Nancy Lee  
 Ramsey, Dorothy  
 Reed, Nyle  
 Reynolds, Donald  
 Rice, Ernie



Richards, Bobby  
 Richards, Dorothy  
 Richmond, James  
 Roberts, Ari  
 Rubenstein, Jerry  
 Ruff, Aileen



Sandberg, Lorraine  
 Schwiesow, Earl  
 Scott, Marjorie  
 Scyler, Barbara  
 Skinner, Marjorie  
 Smith, Carl



Stedham, Lorna  
 Stedham, Kenneth  
 Steffenson, Janet  
 Street, Grace  
 Tamblyn, Wayne  
 Taylor, Marilyn



Tibbs, Marye  
 Ticknor, Albert  
 Thompson, Rachel  
 Thompson, Richard  
 Tunnell, Eugene  
 Turman, Gerry



Urquhart, Ronald  
 Viles, Lillian  
 Vanier, Shirley  
 Wall, Alice  
 Walsh, Leone  
 Warman, Alden



Watkins, Audrey  
 Watterson, Phyllis  
 Wells, Elaine  
 Wheeler, Bill  
 White, Gordon  
 Whitney, Bill



Wiant, June  
 Williams, Chalice  
 Wilson, Lois  
 Winder, Harry  
 Wohld, Shirley  
 Zorn, Roger



# Sophomores Accomplish Aims With Rings, Carnival



Sophomore Sock Dance . . . It's off the records as the four-piece orchestra, donated by the musicians' union, gives out with live music . . . While Sophomores study they unconsciously adopt the pose of "The Thinker" with the light catching the glint of their class rings—crested band personalized with their initials inside . . . "Cling! Clang!" . . . "Hurry! Hurry!" . . . "Try your luck at the fish pond" . . . Laughing Sophomores in jeans and plaid shirts come out of the beauty parlor with permanent grins and clown-like faces . . . "Get your doughnuts here, kids" . . . Mammy and Pappy Yoakum laugh down from the walls to carry out the theme of "Cornbelt Symphony." Carnivalites exchange script for blatant banners . . . Sophomores cast their votes for Delores De Rosia as Carnival Queen . . . Unanimously acclaimed their adviser, Mr. Frame, as King, presenting his royal majesty with a hunting jacket to show their appreciation of his guidance.



MR. FRAME  
Class Adviser

Upper: Suddenly, Sophomore Sinatra, Lawrence Manwell, is mercilessly mobbed by laughing carnival lassies. Lower: SOPHOMORE OFFICERS sample refreshments for the annual carnival. Row 1: Barbara Hopp, Secretary; Richard Kiffer, President; Rae Herrick, Song Queen; Mary Jane Harmon, Treasurer. Row 2: Mary Lee Vanier, Song Duchess; Delbert Peterson, Vice-President; Anna Lee Spendiff, Song Duchess.



Lyle Anderson  
 Leath Andrews  
 Harry Barner  
 Marlene Basom  
 Margaret Begley  
 Lois Benjamin



Sonya Berge  
 Jean Blikre  
 Bart Bloom  
 Frank Boyd  
 Robert Brill  
 Joseph Brooks



Janet Browning  
 Jeanette Bryson  
 Marilyn Bullock  
 Doris Burlingame  
 Lee Butkus  
 Jacquelyn Butler



Barbara Cambridge  
 Donna Carrothers  
 Marcheta Carson  
 Deon Carter  
 Raymond Casey  
 Robert Christian



Dick Christin  
 Marlene Christin  
 Rosemary Cluzel  
 Dale Colvin  
 David Commeree  
 Lorraine Compton



Stuart Cook  
 Roy Craig  
 Lorraine Cramer  
 Bill Cruse  
 Homer Curtis  
 John Daniels



Vernal Danielson  
 Kay Davie  
 Robert Day  
 Larry Delaney  
 Delores De Rosia  
 Sydney Dion



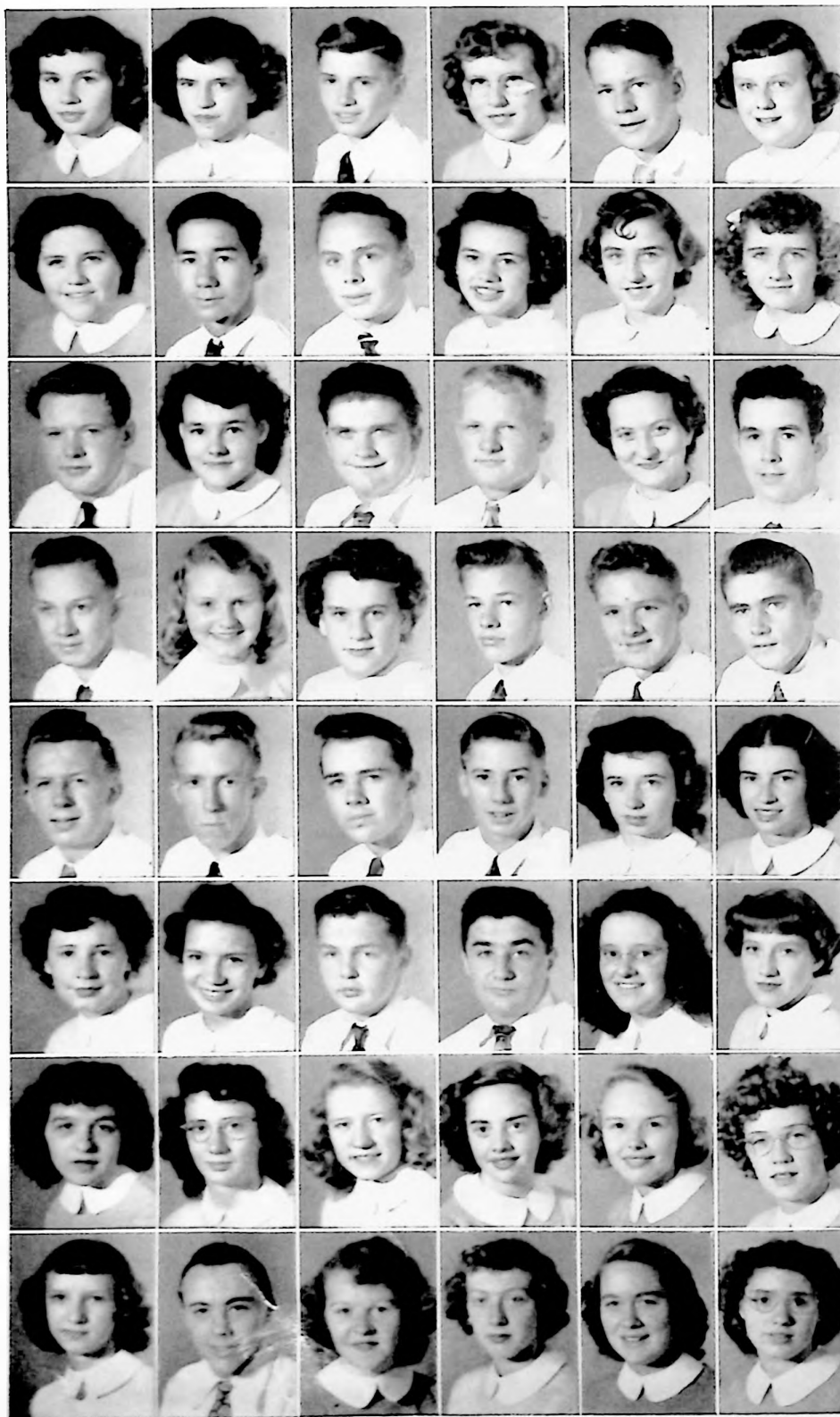
Margie Doney  
 Tommy Dorsey  
 Donald Duncan  
 Dewey Dunlap  
 David Dyce  
 Lela Dye



Eugene Ellis  
 Lois Ford  
 Betty Jean Fry  
 Roy Gehrman  
 Nell Geir  
 Ray Gibson



# Sophomores... Frolic at Carnival, Revel in Class Rings



June Givens  
Ellen Gordon  
Gerald Grant  
Jerry Hadley  
Gerald Hamilton  
Mary Jane Harmon

Hazel Harris  
George Hays  
Rodney Hensley  
Rae Herrick  
Barbara Hopp  
Delores Hovda

Donovan Howard  
Eloise Howard  
Elroy Jackson  
Johnny Jacobs  
Shirley Jacobus  
Wallace Jamieson

Earle Johnson  
Noreen Johnson  
Dorothy Keesee  
Benjamin Keller  
Richard Kiffer  
Henry Knause

Robert La Clair  
Edwin Larson  
Dick Lund  
Lawrence Manwell  
Sharon Masters  
Carol Matteson

Viola Mayhew  
Peggy McCallum  
Deane McCoy  
Eddie McDade  
Lenora McDowell  
Pat McKellar

Belvia Meadows  
Marianne Mellish  
Ellen Messenger  
Donna Miller  
Edwina Miller  
Janet Miller

Joyce Miller  
Ronald Moberg  
Phyllis Mullins  
Billie Jean Myers  
Nelda Nugent  
Jo Anne Olmsted

Laurel Palmer →  
 Frances Pence  
 Delbert Peterson  
 Roberta Peterson  
 Virginia Pettett  
 Laura Phelps



Jack Pollman  
 Ronald Powell  
 Mary Jo Prang  
 Marvin Prill  
 Betty Ramsaur  
 Bill Ramsaur



Claudine Randol  
 Shirley Richard  
 Floyd Richardson  
 Joe Riley  
 Matthew Rinaldi  
 Peter Ristuben



John Ritchey  
 Janis Roberts  
 Roy Sahlin  
 Dorothy Schilt  
 Anna Schmidt  
 Josephine Scorable



Jim Scott  
 Gordon Sexton  
 Joanne Shafer  
 Ben Shelton  
 Joye Sidwaski  
 Gary Singer



Dorothy Skinner  
 Donald Sonnaband  
 Bonita Sparhawk  
 Anna Lee Spendiff  
 Mary Jane Stone  
 Dorothy Swartz



Helen Swearingen  
 Verona Taylor  
 Charlotte Ticknor  
 James Ticknor  
 Mary Tunell  
 Mary Vanier



Donald Van Leer  
 George Vernard  
 Ruth Waitt  
 Jesse West  
 Laura West  
 Beulah White



Anita Widell  
 Rodney Wilbur  
 Jim Williams  
 Bobby Wilson  
 Katherine Woodford  
 Lorna Yoakum



# Freshmen Drawn Into Whirlpool of High School Life



"Where is room 202?" . . . "How do you multiply X by Y?" ask bewildered Freshmen during their first few weeks as they stand outside the swirl of dances, parties and assemblies which make up the life that is Centralia High. As the months go by, the whirlpool of activities sucks them in, one by one . . . "Oregon! Rah! Oregon!" "Hurrah for Washington!" Yells and more yells blare through the gym while teams of the chosen "Colleges" compete in the Frosh Party indoor track meet events . . . "What used to be a nightmare, a headache and a pain, now is treated with much care—Frosh have been at work again," runs the opening of a Column's editorial as paper congratulates the Freshmen . . . For the first time the cleaning of the school grounds is sponsored by the ninth graders, whose eager hands make the whole campus appear as if washed by a fresh rain. Everyday the citizenship classes work like squirrels gathering nuts; thus Freshmen keep the high school grounds trim and tidy for the students, visitors and the public eye.



MR. BERRY  
Class Adviser

Upper: Representing the Freshman Clean-Up Committee are Loretta Jackson, Bob Newcomer, Sheldon Larabee, Dale Jorgensen, Roger Helgerson and Natalie Rosencran. Lower: FRESHMAN OFFICERS—Row 1: Gary Johnson, Yell King; Pat Day, Vice-President; Gary Ely, President; Phyllis Hendrickson, Secretary; Earl Craig, Treasurer. Row 2: Sandra Devones, Song Queen; Lloyd Dysart, Yell Duke; Mary Lou Sweely, Song Duchess; Don Greenland, Yell Duke; Peggy Taylor, Song Duchess.





Allbee, Henrietta  
 Allbritton, Ray  
 Andrews, Nora May  
 Armstrong, Earlene  
 Arrowsmith, Meady  
 Ashton, Barbara  
 Aubert, Charlotte



Balch, Ida  
 Baldwin, Patsy  
 Bangsberg, Janice  
 Banker, Phyllis  
 Barner, Patricia  
 Barnes, Marjorie  
 Basom, Lorraine



Baxter, Stanley  
 Bennett, Billie  
 Berry, Florence  
 Blanchard, Donna  
 Blankenship, Roza  
 Blumenthal, Lois  
 Bogen, Robert



Bowdish, Thomas  
 Breckel, Ronald  
 Brown, Franklin  
 Brown, Lee  
 Brundidge, Darlene  
 Bruno, Jerry  
 Bullock, Richard



Burlingame, Pearl  
 Cable, Ann  
 Carrington, Carl  
 Carrothers, Dolores  
 Carter, Elma  
 Caryl, Jo Ann  
 Chamberlain, Larry



Clark, Art  
 Cochran, Joyce  
 Craig, Earl  
 Cramer, Jeanette  
 Craven, Ann  
 Craven, John  
 Crawford, Kenneth



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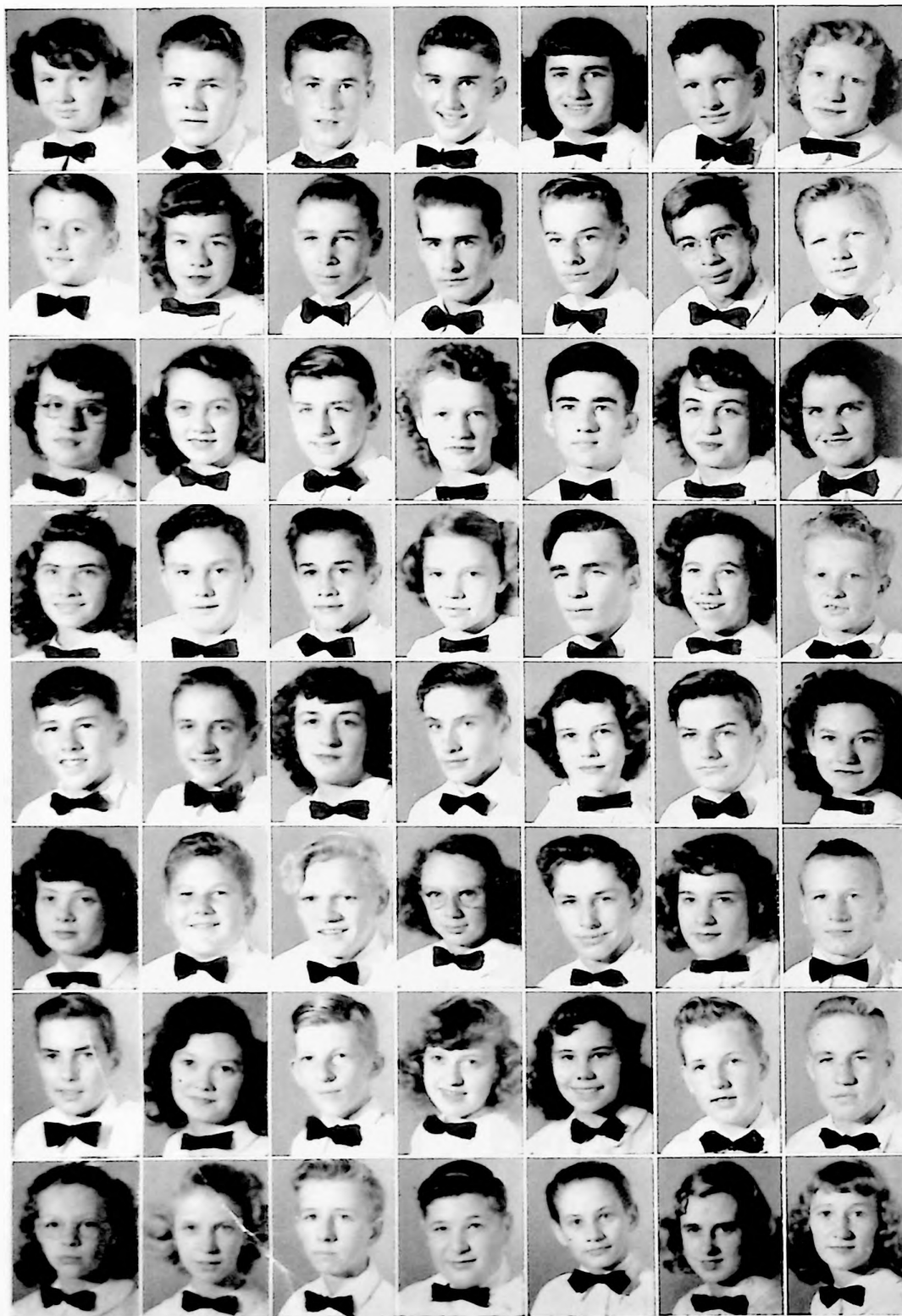
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 Duncan, Dick  
 Dunham, Gregory  
 Dysart, Lloyd



Edwards, Billie  
 Ely, Gary  
 Erwin, Andy  
 Fadness, Adrian  
 Farrar, Yvonne  
 Farris, Kenneth  
 Franklin, Rex



# Freshmen . . . Keep Grounds Trim, Tidy for Public Eye



Gates, Ardh  
Gavin, Alfred  
Gilligan, Jerrel  
Grainger, Jimmy  
Greenblatt, Shirley  
Greenland, Don  
Henrickson, Phyllis

Hardebeck, Lee  
Hamilton, Arlene  
Heinricher, Jack  
Helgerson, Roger  
Lenthorn, Larry  
Hewitt, Ted  
Higby, George

Hillyer, Janet  
Hope, Margaret  
Holsted, Carl  
Housman, Shirley  
Howell, Leroy  
Hutchins, Yvonne  
Jackson, Elvira

Jackson, Loretta  
Johnson, Clarence  
Johnson, Gary  
Johnson, Kay  
Johnson, Jim  
Jones, Jeannine  
Jorgensen, Dale

Larabee, Sheldon  
Le Duc, Francis  
Kelso, Naomi  
Kempf, Keith  
Libby, Phyllis  
Kilton, Arthur  
Kirkpatrick, Donna

Knopf, Emma  
Kvech, Jimmy  
Kuhn, Richard  
Luft, Evelyn  
Mahar, Bill  
Manning, Barbara  
Malnerich, Tommy

Marshall, Jack  
McFall, Mary  
Molem, John  
Miller, Patty  
Moberg, Carlene  
Moulton, Frank  
Myers, George

Mulford, Carol  
Niemi, Phyllis  
Nichols, Roy  
Oster, Freddie  
Oster, James  
Park, Valerie  
Paulson, Constance

Palmer, Kenneth  
 Pearson, Jimmy  
 Peyton, Barbara  
 Phelps, Thomas  
 Potter, Allen  
 Pollock, Barbara  
 Ramsaur, Lenora



Randall, Eugene  
 Reynolds, Hazel  
 Richardson, Alex  
 Rinaldi, Frances  
 Robbins, Patty  
 Robinson, Deane  
 Robinson, Dwayne



Robinson, Jack  
 Robinson, Marilyn  
 Roetter, Glenn  
 Rosencrans, Natalie  
 Ross, Irene  
 Roy, Duane  
 Russell, Shirley



Scheele, Mary  
 Scott, Vida Jean  
 Severns, Tex  
 Sizemore, David  
 Skipworth, Marion  
 Smith, Don  
 Smith, Laveta



Smith, Ronald  
 Spears, Barbara  
 Stevens, Sherrill  
 Strong, Bill  
 Swanson, David  
 Swartz, John  
 Sweely, Mary Lou



Taylor, Peggy  
 Taylor, Phyllis  
 Teeter, Dorothy  
 Thayer, Cleo  
 Thompson, Darlene  
 Thompson, Joan  
 Ticknor, Virginia



Towner, Robert  
 Turman, Delores  
 Villers, Audrey  
 Wall, Frank  
 Warter, Joyce  
 Warman, Glenn  
 Wallace, Richard



Warwick, Bobby  
 Watilo, Charlene  
 Wenger, Dickie  
 Wheeler, Bob  
 White, Goldie  
 Whited, Warren  
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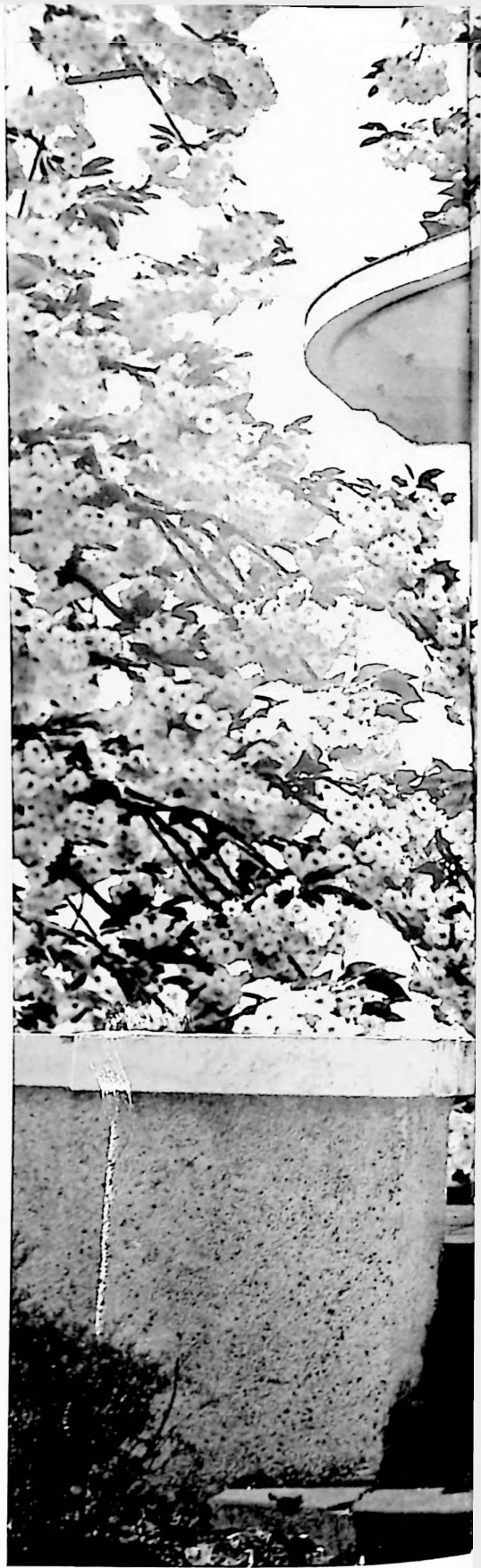


# Romancings

## . . . Of Youth



*Selected secret CHS heart throbs, their royal majesties, King and Queen of Hearts Louise Howell and Charles O'Reilly, reigned on Valentine's Day with attendants. Standing beside King and Queen, Gary Bronzini and Barbara Fors. . . . Below: . . . Jack Nugent . . . Donna Miller . . . Ann Benjamin . . . and Ervin Johnson.*





# ASB Activities Show Result of Pep, Perseverance, Purpos

"My, how schools have changed!" exclaimed Mom and Dad about CHS upon viewing the accomplishments of their offspring when they attended Back-to-School Night, an annual event sponsored for the second year by the Student Congress. The group carried on another understanding-promoting project of partnerships in penmanship when Tigerites were given the opportunity to correspond with German students in CHS's adopted Oberrealschule for Boys in Augsburg, Germany. Miss Mildred Walker served as project adviser. Jingle, jangle, jingle! More than \$60,000 in annual volume of business came pouring into the ASB office during the year largely in the form of gate receipts from the Tigers' championship games. There, under guidance of Harold Anderson, new financial adviser, it was competently handled by Vera Kiffer, ASB treasurer, and assistants Mary Jean Ehret, Shirley Vanier and Bonnie Baker.

CONGRESS talks over publicity plans for annual Back-To-School Night—Row 1: Louise Howell, Charlotte Aubert, Marilyn Bullock, Vera Kiffer, Mury Vanier, Joyce Warter, Gary Ely, Richard Dodds. Row 2: Barbara Fors, Delmas Lezellyn, Ron Urquhart, Clarence Robbins, Wayne Tambllyn, Leiov Howell, Marion Skipworth, Fred Long, Delbert Peterson. Row 3: Jim Duncan, Bob Cannell, Alma Kittle, Pat Kendall, Rodney Hensley, Elizabeth Gibbs. Row 4: Gary Bronzini, Ervin Johnson, Nelda Nugent, Donn McIntosh, Richard Kiffer, Leath Andrews, Jerry Rubenstein. Not shown is Mr. Gebrike, Adviser.



# eful Planning



PEP STAFF—Row 1: Ann Benjamin, Song Duchess; Donna Miller, Song Queen; Johnny De Rosa, Yell King; Bill Ramsaur, Yell Duke. Row 2: Dorothy Ramsey, Song Duchess; Charles Howell, Yell Duke.



ASB OFFICERS gather around the corner mail box to send parents invitations to Back-To-School Night. Row 1: Vera Kiffer, Treasurer; Louise Howell, Secretary. Row 2: Delmas Lewellyn, President; Wayne Tamblin, Vice-President.



GERMAN BRASS BAND—Known as the Hungry Five, (though there seem to be six pictured above) these picturesque fellows added a musical note to the Boys' Club Assembly as they swayed back and forth playing "Bier-her, Bier-her!" and "Hi-lo-Hi-lo." Row 1: Donald Reynolds, Darrell Cox. Row 2: Johnny Ritchey, Bill Jones, Harry Warren, Don Mill.

Target for the year—to promote wholesome living and good sportsmanship throughout CHS. Thus, with this goal in mind, members of the Boys' Club began their successful school season. Highlighting the year's events sponsored by the club was the annual assembly, featuring vocal numbers and a German band to the delight of an attentive audience of Tigerites. With the aid of Girls' League, boys spread cheer during holiday seasons by visiting the old folks' homes, leaving home-made candy and cookies as gifts. About this same time, they also held their annual turkey shoot. Going, going, gone! And another Tiger book cover is sold for the price of one thin dime adding money to the treasury with which to purchase large new mirrors for the rest rooms.



MR. GEHRKE  
Boys' Adviser

## Boys, Girls Joined By

"Hi there! How about some help?" ask BOYS' CLUB OFFICERS—Jim Shaffer, Senior Representative; Jim Paul, Vice-President; Donn McIntosh, President; Bob Devones, Secretary-Treasurer.







MISS HENRICKSON  
Girls' Adviser

"Welcome to Harmony Hall!" exclaimed Jo Ann Grady, Southwest Washington and Centralia High Girls' League president, as she greeted representatives from 35 schools at the SWW Girls' League Conference. Pastel place cards and programs and walls accented by autumn leaves and small black music notes high-

lighted the event. Gallons of Wesson oil! Pounds of popcorn! With their newly-purchased popcorn machine, efficient fens added a tidy sum to their treasury. Seven Girls of the Month were chosen to represent Standards of the League Creed. Fun and gaiety reigned at the girls' Valentine Party. Shades of Shamrocks! Sure and the Father-Daughter Banquet was a grand affair! CHS colleens showed Dads their appreciation at a festive feast in the St. Patricks Day mood.



At annual Senior Tea last spring, Pat Parmelee, Ruby Carey and Mary Jean Ehret serve Miss Lulu Warren, retiring Girls' League adviser. For more than twenty years, Miss Warren's sympathy, understanding and foresight guided CHS girls in the solution of their school and personal problems. Miss Lorraine Henricksen took over girls' work in the fall.

## Mutual Understanding



"Sure, glad to!" reply GIRLS' LEAGUE OFFICERS—Donna Faye Anderson, Secretary; Pat Kendall, Treasurer; Barbara Fors, First Vice-President; Jo Ann Grady, President; Jeanette Purvis, Second Vice-President.



## Columns Seeks Adventure

Upper right—COLUMNS HEADS make the official United Nations seal for the UN Assembly sponsored by the staff in the fall. Row 1: Louise Howell, Feature Editor; Wanda French, News Editor. Row 2: Ruth Bryson, Business Manager; Bill Robinson, Sports Editor; Bob Arney, News Editor; Bob Cannell, Managing Editor. Staff also supports cause of World Peace to contest for the Gallup Award.

Lower left—Columns staff makes flags for background of UN Assembly. Row 1: Gerry Turman, Audrey Watkins. Row 2: Earle Rushmer, Ervin Johnson, Quay Jorgensen, Clarence Robbins, Dean Marshall.

Lower left corner—Staff puts finishing touches on costume of Liberty for UN Assembly. Row 1: Jeanne Pearce, Marie Swearingen, Peggy Perry. Row 2: Karen Olson, Jeannette McDowell, Barbara Fors, Margaret Edwards, Grace Street, Pat Parmelee, Pat Kendall.



MISS HERNDON SMITH  
Columns, Annual Adviser

In addition to again taking all possible top national honors, the Columns staff this year was active in adventuring into new fields. Producing a United Nations assembly for students during UN Week and presenting it for parents at Back-To-School-Night as well as writing the 32-page "The New Leaf", Boys' State Training School publication, comprised the major part of the year's additional activities. The latter, written at request of the boys' school, was the first time a journalism department had been so honored. Staff photos illustrated the book.

National honors won by the Columns since the deadline of the 1948 yearbook, include Quill and Scroll International Honor Rating and Gallup Award, Medalist from CSPA, All American rating from NSPA, School Press Project Award of Merit from the National TB Association.

Staff also won second prize of \$50 in the American Library Association-Quill and Scroll "Meet Your Library Contest." Six members attended the second annual Pacific Slope Journalism Conference.





## Annual Adopts Romance

Upper left—ANNUAL HEADS get pointers on picture taking from Owen Ticknor, chief camera clicker. Row 1: Delores Ward, Club Editor; Kathleen Roley, Assistant Editor. Row 2: Eloise Howard, Business Manager; Owen Ticknor, Head Photographer; Nadine Walters, Editor; Leora Diesburg, Senior Editor.

Lower right—Yearbook staff prepares advertising campaign for annual sales week. Row 1: Anita Widell, Nadine Walters, Deon Carter. Row 2: Rae Herrick, Jim Richmond, Jeanne Pearce, Mr. Scates (Photography Adviser), Earle Rushmer.

Lower right corner—Staff members play roles of super-salesmen in yearbook campaign week. Row 1: Mary Jane Harmon, Sydney Dion, Carl Smith. Row 2: Hazel Harris, Anna Lee Spendiff, Roberta Peterson, Eloise Howard, Anzel Hegstrom, Charles Howell.



MR. IVAN G. SCATES  
Photography Adviser

Kennie Kupid, little imp whose antics illustrate this Romance Edition, was originated by Barbara Fors with her pen, ink and imagination. The blending of the pictures and floral backgrounds on cover, end sheets and division pages, as well as the sports layouts represent Anzel Hegstrom's skill with the air brush and razor blade. He was aided by Earle Rushmer. With a half-dozen exceptions, Owen Ticknor and Jim Richmond took all pictures except the individual portraits. Lloyd Dysart drafted the layouts for the engraver.

Skookum Wa Wa's 1948 "Big Business" edition made it "three in a row" in taking top national honors—Medalist from CSPA, All-American from NSPA and was further honored by a double page illustrated article in the Washington Education Journal and a full window display at the J. C. Penney store.

Hartley and Evernden Studios took the faculty and Senior portraits. End sheet portraits represent the photographic artistry of Ludwig Bergh of the Centralia Camera Shop and are his gift to the yearbook.





**MAJORETTES**—Baton-twirling beauties, Alma Kittle, Gerry Barner and Joy Miller lead the band in half-time maneuvers . . . Lights off . . . burst of a rocket . . . shrill whistle of Joy, head majorette, and the poised, precise prancing of the girls of swirl are high spots to remember at night grid games on Noble Field.

**BAND**—Row 1: Gary Johnson, Ellen Gordon, Marilyn Robinson, Mildred Perona, Norene Brown, Bart Bloom, James Kvech, Don Duncan. Row 2: Katherine Woodford, John Milem, Barbara Peyton, Beulah White, Shirley Russell, Audrey Waldo, Bob Wares, Ellen Messenger, Dave Edwards, Don Mill, Harry Warren, Jimmy Parker, David Swanson. Maneuvers entertain at grid game half-time . . . "Hello" for visiting schools . . . a pumpkin with winking eyes at Hallowe'en . . . a living cross Armistice Day.

## Twirl Girls Lead March





GIRLS' GLEE CLUB—Fresh girls prepare for choir—Row 1: Evelyn Lust, Sylvia Hollis, Carroyl Damon, Phyllis Henrickson, Audrey Villers, Joan Thompson, Shirley Greenblatt. Row 2: Barbara Peyton, Yvonne Farrar, Barbara Ashton, Mary Lou Sweely, Sandra Devones, Lenora Ramsaur, Carlene Moberg. Row 3: Irene Ross, Pat Miller, Charlene Watilo, Gladys Woodhouse, Jeanette Cramer, Jo Ann Caryl, Shirley Housman.

## ing Musicians' Maneuvers

BAND: Row 3: Marion Skipworth, Dickie Wenger, Deane Robinson, Lois Ford, Nancy Michener, Don Reynolds, Darrell Cox, Kay Johnson, Earl Craig, Betty Fry, Harold Johnson, Dick Cartwright, Frank Moulton, Allen Potter, Jimmy Pearson, Lela Dye, Wesley Dosser. Row 4: Patty Robbins, Pat Kendall, Ted Hewitt, Alfred Gavin, Larry Chamberlain, Cleo Thayer, Ronald Breckel, John Ritchey, Margaret Edwards, Mr. West (Director), Alma Kittle, Gerry Burner, Joy Miller.



## Choir, Ensembles



**Boys' OCTETTE**—Row 1: Jack Masterson, Ernie Rice, Wayne Behrms, David Edwards. Row 2: Art Mason, Bill Mish, Dick Babcock. Not shown are Dick Lund and Bart Bloom, accompanist. These popular performers are in demand for both school and community functions.



Stepping high, leading those marching musicians to half-time entertainment at football games, three twirl girls display beauties of the baton as the band works out field patterns planned by Lorris D. West, CHS music man and maneuver maestro . . . "How Beautiful Is Night" sing nine music-minded misses who become sleepy-time gals at eight o'clock morning rehearsals. Music contest is a not-too-far adventure and nonette members are hopeful contenders. The fateful moment arrives—"Smile"—"We're on!"—and the nonette relaxes as it makes mello and merry music to rate "Good" in the annual Southwest Washington competition.

Singing and a busy hum issue from long gold busses as 231 students, the largest group ever sent from Centralia, journey to Hoquiam to compete with more than 1,000 musicians in the Class B Large Ensemble Meet where each CHS group received favorable comment . . . Winning smiles and well-blended voices kept CHS's first boys' octette in demand for school and community programs. The eight entertainers, rated as "Excellent" in the small ensemble competition at Kelso, became CHS's musical fun fellows . . . "Superior" ratings went to Dave Edwards, boys' high voice; Jerry Van Doren, boys' low voice; Bill Jones, saxophone; and Cleo Thayer, sousaphone, in the Solo and Small Ensemble Meet.

Notes of Handel's "Messiah" float out to a full auditorium and over the air on KEIA as CHS's music department, combined with junior college and local church choirs, presents the musical story at the annual Christmas vespers during the Yuletide season . . . Negro spirituals—nurseryland sketches—a dim cathedral scene illumined by a glistening cross awe the audience at the choir concert . . . A roll of drums—a trumpet solo. "Brass Band Boogie", thrills spectators as the curtain rises on the annual band concert.

**Choir**—Row 1: Susanne Du Val, Pat Parmelee, Mary Vanier, Marian Fagerness, Belyia Meadows, Mary Jo Prang, Mr. West (Director), Lenore Duncan, Noreen Brown, Joyce Dion, Jeannette McDowell, Marguerite Gregg, Jackie Butler. Row 2: Barbara Hopp, Velda Dickey, Marion Gibson, Barbara Berg, Lu Verne Bjergo, Dorothy Richards, Carolyn Emerson, Ruth Bryson, Gerry Brown, Ann Benzonin, Donna Carothers, Lorna Yeaskan, Wanda French. Row 3: Bill Cruse, Wayne Behrms, Dick Lund, Norman Perkins, Joe Hatfield, Allen Pfajf, Ernie Rice, Ray Gibson, Darrell Cox, Albert Swartz, Johnny Dowell. Row 4: David Edwards, Allan Clark, Bill Jones, Dick Babcock, Bill Mish, Gerry Van Doren, Jack Masterson, Lu Verne Zent, Jack Mason, Delbert Peterson.



# Make Mello Merry Music

GIRLS' NONETTE — CHS select blend of feminine voices. Row 1: Carolyn Emerson, Jeannette McDowell. Row 2: Wanda French, Lorna Yoakam. Row 3: Velda Dickey, Dorothy Richards, June McKenna. Not shown are Mary Jo Prang and Shirley Housman.



# Juniors Present "The Daffy Dills" . . . Seniors Give



"I'll cut your heads off with this hatchet and fry you all in deep fat! Whee-e-e!" shouts Elaine. Looking astonished are (left to right) Arnica (Wanda French), Aimee (Marguerite Gregg), Elaine Escott (Jo Ann Grady), Rodney (Jack Masterson), Pete (Harry Warren), Carol (Betty Cochran), Widow Woggles (Ruth Bryson), Grandmother Dill (Helen Furgeson).

"Good gosh!" shouts Rodney, "Pop's kissing—Cousin Maude." The Dills can't believe it! Surprised onlookers are (left to right) Grandmother Dill (Helen Furgeson), Rodney (Jack Masterson), Richard Dill (Bill Mish), Cousin Maude (Vera Kiffer), Carol (Betty Cochran) and the twins, Dudley and Doris (Jerry Begley and Anita Day).

Poor Elaine Escott. The daffy Dills are after her in the Junior Play. She has just married Richard Dill, father of four youngsters. Richard's family is surprised after seeing him off on a business trip, to find a note informing them of his remarriage. In a short time they make up their minds concerning their attitude toward their stepmother, deciding to develop various ills in an effort to get rid of her. When Elaine arrives she is greeted with sad cases of temper-tantrums, T. B., hysteria and melancholy. She sums up the situation immediately and decides to do them one better. She convinces the children she has all the ills they are pretending to have. The family is in an uproar when Cousin Maude arrives and straightens them out. Cast had a wonderful time letting themselves go and really acting "daffy". The comedy was directed by Miss Kathleen O'Hare.



# "What a Life" As Comedy Reigns Over CHS Drama



"You take that back!" yells Henry Aldrich to George Bigelow. (Left to right) Gertie (Ann Mayes), Students (June McKenna, Lena Phelps, Carl Jungmayer, Lola Smalley), Henry (Jack Masterson), George (Lu Verne Zent), Bill (Owen Ticknor), Mary (Jeanne Pearce), Barbara (Wanda French).

"Well—here we are!" announces Mr. Ferguson, showing stolen instruments. Row 1: Miss Pike (JoAnne Cotter), Miss Eggleston (Lora Diesburg), Mr. Ferguson (Dick Phelps), Mrs. Aldrich (Ida Shardelman), Mr. Patterson (Bill Sexton). Row 2: Miss Johnson (Mary Jean Ehret), Mr. Vecchitto (Quay Jorgenson), Miss Shea (La Verne Bjorgo), Miss Wheeler (Ruth Bryson), Mr. Nelson (Bob Arney), Mr. Bradley (Bill Mish).



Barbara Pearson's boy friend, Henry Aldrich, is in hot water again in Clifford Goldsmith's three-act comedy, "What A Life," given by the Seniors, December 10. The action takes place within the four walls of Mr. Bradley's office in Central High School. As principal he may determine Henry's future high school career. Henry is involved, and not without reason, in the hottest scandal ever to come from Central High. Everything points to him as being the party who stole band instruments from the music room. Henry is really innocent but the teachers aren't aware of that fact. When he is accused of cheating in a history test, it doesn't improve his position any. His goose is almost cooked when Mr. Nelson, Henry's faculty friend, comes to the rescue. The villain is caught and Henry and Barbara go to the spring dance. The play was directed by Miss Kathleen O'Hare.



**DRAMATIC CLUB**—Talented teensters display ability by providing audiences with an air of romanticism or realism . . . Highlight Noel season by yuletide performances of "Just What They Wanted" . . . Representatives visit Tacoma to view CPS plays. Members—Row 1: Moore, Anderson, Carey, Glanz (President), Mayes, McKenna. Row 2: Barner, Madsen, Thompson, Brill, Hurn, Kittle. Row 3: Sandberg, Warman, Hightower, Watkins, Bowman, Grady, Walsh. Miss O'Hare (Adviser), not shown.

## Clubs . . . Open Opportuni

**KELA CLUB**—Radio heart of CHS entertains air listeners with Tigerite talent . . . Highlights year's activities with all school assembly . . . Sock dance during basketball season . . . Presentation of little mike pins at annual Awards Assembly. Members—Row 1: G. Johnson, Gregg, Pollock, Fagerness, Taylor, Vanier, Commeree, Bowman, Ramsaur (President), Warman (Vice-President). Row 2: Robinson, Kresky, Damon, Paulson, Skinner, Givens, Benjamin, Daniels, Richards, Butler. Row 3: Fors, Jackson, Grady, Parmelee, Scott, Watkins, Olson, Ehret, Emerson, Duncan, Edwards (Secretary-Treasurer), Anderson, Carey, Burnside. Row 4: Riley, Moberg, Bloom, N. Johnson, Hansen, Miller, French, Du Val, Dion, Walsh, Pfaff, Scott.





**BOOSTER CLUB**—Tigerites' pep promoters boost morale at rallies, sports events . . . Advertise games with corridor posters . . . Decorate goal posts with colors of home and visiting teams. Members—Row 1: Anderson, D. Miller, Neva (Secretary-Treasurer), Hurn (President), Thompson, Brill, Benjamin, Butler. Row 2: Purvis, D. R. Miller, Fors, Hall (Vice-President), Devones, Daniels, Kniffen. Row 3: Doney, Ramsey, Hightower, Hodge, Tobinski, Ramsaur, De Rosia. Miss Trucano (Adviser), not shown.



## ties for Scholarship, Service

**TORCH HONOR**—CHS's scholars strive to maintain high grade averages . . . Entertain honor roll students at Quarter Parties . . . Sophomores and Juniors wear one and two-bar pins to signify membership; Seniors, the flaming torch, symbol of enlightenment. Members—Row 1: Hovda, Howell, McDowell, Kiffer, Olson. Row 2: Gibbs (Vice-President), French (President), Paul (Secretary-Treasurer), Tamblyn, Ristuben, Johnson, Moberg, Warman, Arney, Cannell. Row 3: Miller, Emerson, Duncan, Scott, Herrick, Ehret, Miss Ganders (Adviser). Row 4: Fors, Glanz, Ramsaur, Cole, Mayes, Benjamin, Harmon, Carter. Row 5: Lewellyn, Robbins, Walters, Roley, Baker, Eggler, Smalley, Peterson, McLish, Rubenstein, Robinson.





**Boys' C CLUB**—Top letter winners of Tiger squads band together to encourage athletic skill and scholastic averages . . . Raise money for baseball lights, managers' jackets . . . Sponsor Harlem Globe Trotters' basketball team . . . Sell cokes at casaba games. Members—Row 1: Lewellyn, Breckenridge, Hardcastle, Behrns, Urquhart, O'Reilly, Van Doren, Tauscher, Zorn, Bronzini, Richard, Hadley. Row 2: Hegstrom, Jacobs, Messenger, Kelso, Thompson, McIntosh, Paff, Robbins, Nugent, Johnson, Jones, Devones. Mr. Rowswell (Adviser), not shown.

## Clubs . . . Accentuate Adventures in A



**MAKE-UP CORPS**—Artists with grease paint and powder transform characters into living portraits for school plays and programs. Members—Row 1: Bonnie Baker, Ann Benjamin, Carol Co'e (President), Jackie Butler. Row 2: Peggy Perry, June Wiant, Lorraine Neva (Vice-President), Marilyn Daniels, Donna Miller (Secretary-Treasurer), Ann Mayes. Miss Roth (Adviser), not shown.

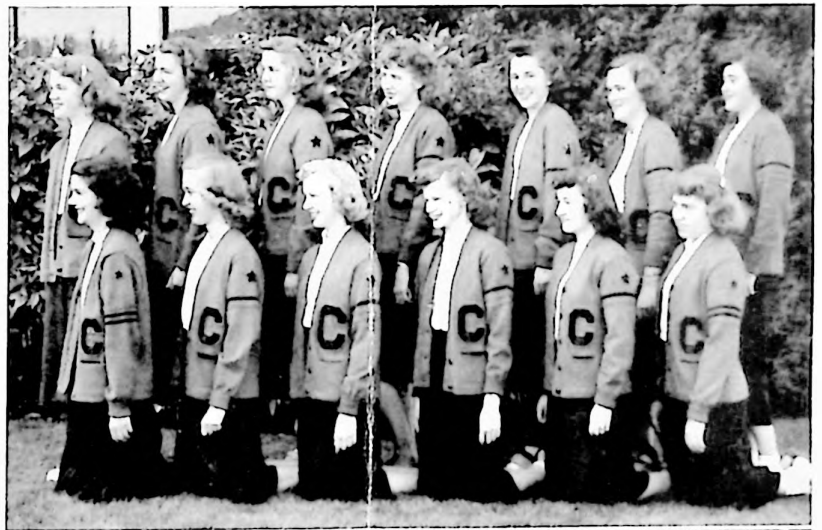


**OGA**—Shorthand Artists display speed and accuracy . . . Enliven year with potluck dinner, dance . . . Present awards at spring Commercial Banquet. Members—Row 1: Marilyn Daniels (Vice-President), Velda Boardman, Mary Lee Brooks, Annalee Boyce, Patsy Nichols, Betty Lou Cochran. Row 2: Janey Olsen, Donna Miller, Vera Kiffer, Lois Kludt, Lorraine Neva (President), Irene Givens, Miss Schultz (Adviser).



**MOVIE CLUB**—Provides information via the silver screen for classes at CHS by running school movie projector . . . Operate P.A. system at games, programs, assemblies . . . Initiate members . . . Splice film. Members—Row 1: Bryson (Vice-President), Crawford, Masterson (President), Erwin, Dye, Sparhawk, Widell, Roetter, Hardebeck. Row 2: Jackson, Singer, Carrington, Greenland. Row 3: O. Ticknor, V. Ticknor, Barr, Deichman, Moulton, Skipworth, Pearce (Secretary-Treasurer), Wenger, Richmond, Rich. Mr. Scates (Adviser), not shown.

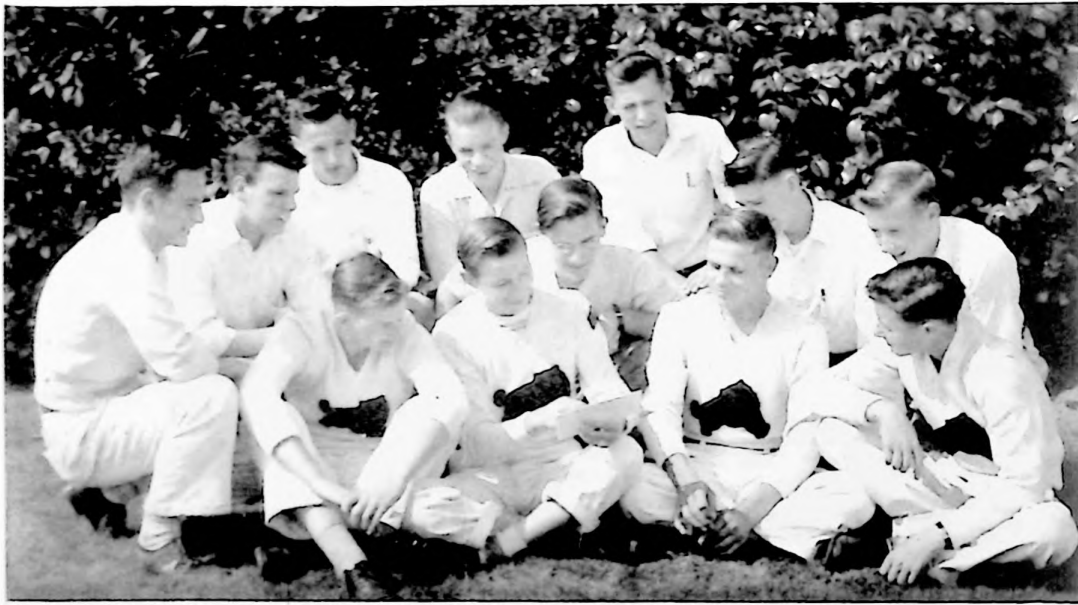
## istry, Athletic Skills, Super-Salesmanship



**GIRLS' C**—CHS's top fem sportsters display orange and black sweaters . . . Enliven year with spring and fall Field Days, Basketball Bean Feed . . . Play Day for Eighth Graders. Members—Row 1: Hall (Secretary), Cole, Fors, Walsh, Boegli, Egger (Treasurer). Row 2: Skinner, Sandberg, Ehret (President), Bryson, Wall, Jacobs, Williams (Vice-President). Miss Trucano (Adviser), not shown.

**DEO**—Super Salesmen of CHS mix business with pleasure at Employer-Employee Banquet . . . Aberdeen convention . . . Seattle Christmas window display . . . Style show . . . Spring dance. Members—Row 1: Buzzard, Wylam, Tobinski. Row 2: Shupp, Boardman, Park, Booth, Cochran (President). Row 3: Phelps, Miller, Brooks (Secretary-Treasurer), Irish, Masterson, Rich. Miss O'Hare (Adviser), not shown.





**SERVICE CLUB**—Amateur patrolmen guard entrances and pass out programs at football, basketball games . . . Collect tickets at pay assemblies . . . Hold annual initiation of new members . . . Wear white sweaters with orange and black Tiger emblems. Members—Row 1: Earl Schweisow, Bill Sexton (President), Ted Oster (Vice-President), Delbert Marker. Row 2: David Allen (Secretary-Treasurer), Jim Richmond, Martin Jungmayer. Row 3: Wesley Widell, George Barr, Art Lehman, Dick Phelps, David Hense. Mr. Russell (Adviser), not shown.



**PEPPERS**—Selected upperclass girls with pep and C plus averages wear the Orange and Black . . . Serve the school . . . Support tradition by banqueting football boys . . . Exchange gifts with Mystery Sisters . . . March at crowning of Basketball Queen . . . Sponsor "Roses in the Rain" Pepper Tolo . . . Usher at Southwest Washington Girls' League Conference. Members—Row 1: Peggy Perry, Wanda French, Carol Cole, Ruby Carey (Treasurer), Marian Gibson (President), Marjorie Skinner, Louise Howell, Beverley Egger, Ann Mayes. Row 2: Shirley Miller, Marie Snearingen (Vice-President), Alice Wall, Ellabeth Gibbs, Alma Kittle, Mary Jean Ehret, Jancy Olsen, Martha Glanz, Helen Miller, Jo Ann Grady, Barbara Fors, Arlene Brill, Shirley Vanier, Vera Kijfer, Lou Ann Boegli (Secretary), Miss Henrickson (Adviser), not shown.

*Clubs . . . Serve School, Sponsor*



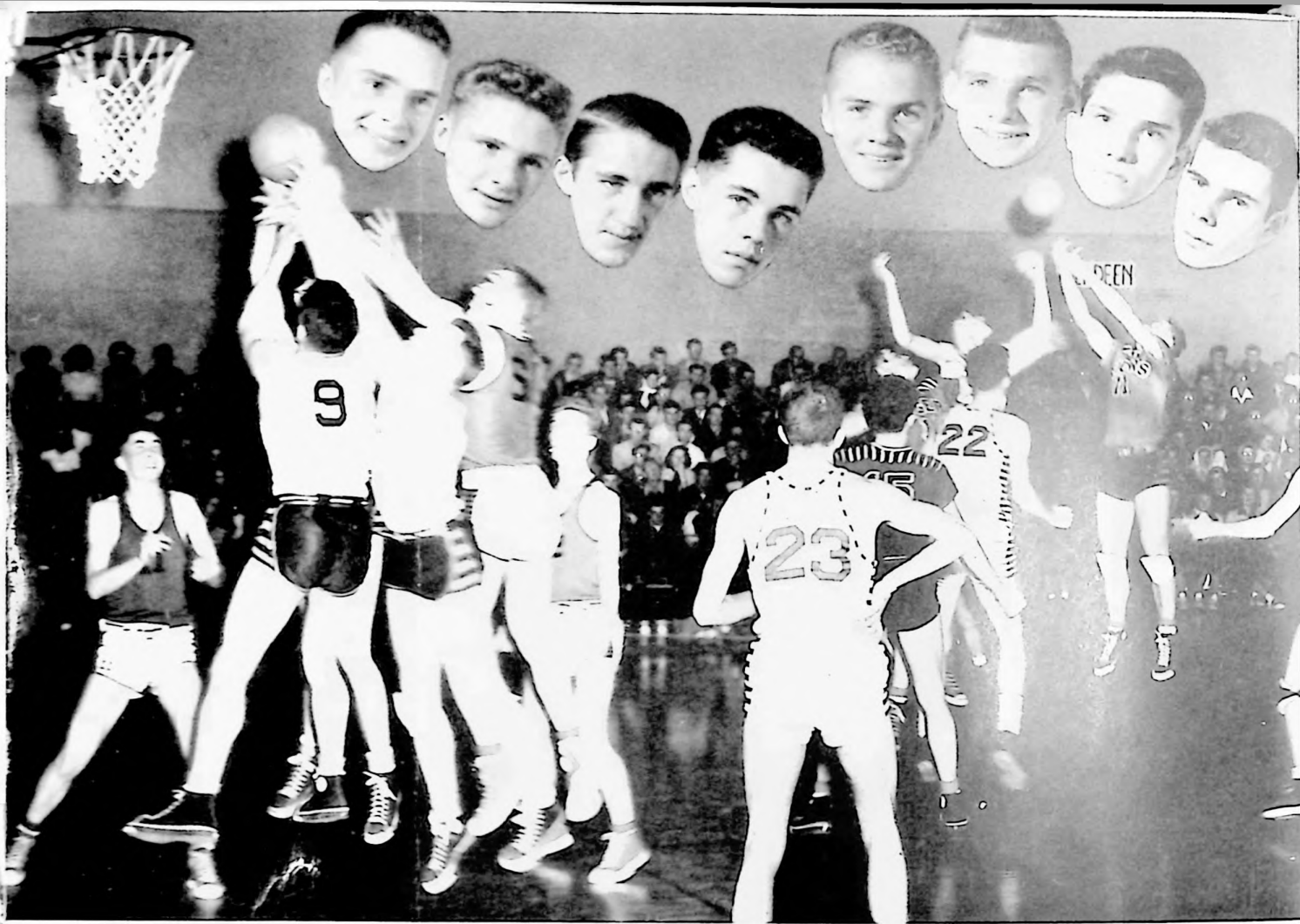


Hi-Y—Non-school organization of upperclassmen uphold high standards of Christian character. Entertain at Yuletide with banquet and letters to alumni . . . Enjoy annual Hi-Y formal and yearly spring cruise . . . Invite authoritative speakers to discuss crime-prevention program. Members—Row 1: Breckenridge (Treasurer), Urquhart, Johnson (President). Devones, Tamblyn, Zorn. Row 2: Robbins, Bronzini, Shaffer, Edwards, Rubenstein. Row 3: O'Reilly, Buzzard, Richard (Vice-President), Nugent, Van Doren, Lewellyn. Mr. Folsom (Adviser) not shown.

FFA—Future leaders of farm activities raise standards by sponsoring Turkey Raffle, Skating Party, Booth at S.W.W. Fair, Parent-Son Picnic . . . Participate in public speaking and essay contests, livestock and poultry shows. Members—Row 1: Lee Hardebeck, Jimmy Grainger, Richard Dodds, Elmer Messenger (President), Ari Roberts (Vice-President, Richard Quarnstrom (Secretary), Kenneth Crawford, Everett Wohld, John Daniels. Row 2: Claude Lanigan, Glenn Roetter, Dwayne Robinson, Junior Richardson, Keith Kempf, Arthur Clark, Robert Towner, Carl Krause, Dewey Dunlap, Dale Colvin, Albert Ticknor, Alfred Gavin. Row 3: Cleo Thayer, Dale Rich, John Craven, Richard Wallace, James Ticknor, Ben Shelton, Leah Andrews (Treasurer), Homer Curtis, Benny Keller, Ronald Chappell, Gordon Neva, Gene Kohse, Mr. Kintzley (Adviser).

## or Speakers, Dances, Dinners





**VARSITY BASKETBALL**—(Upper). Left to right: Jack Bogen, Richard Kiffer, Elmer Messenger, Gerry Van Doren, Jack Nugent, Ervin Johnson, Donn McIntosh, Ron Urquhart, Clarence Robbins, Gary Bronzini, Bob Devones, Ari Roberts, Chuck O'Reilly.

**ACTION SHOT (Left)**—Ari Roberts (Number 9) and Clarence Robbins try to regain ball from backboard in the Raymond game. Bengals won 46-29.

**KITTEN BASKETBALL (Lower)**—Row 1: Freddy French, Paul Seymour, Eldon Bryant, Don Mill, Coy Looney. Row 2: Gordon Sexton, Gary Singer, Jerry Hamilton, Bill Hardcastle, Rodney Hensley. Coach Dickie's reserves finished up fifth. Roger Zorn (not shown) led the scoring with 116 points, followed closely by Bill Hardcastle with 113 and Jack Bogen with 109.



**COACH ROBERTS**  
Varsity

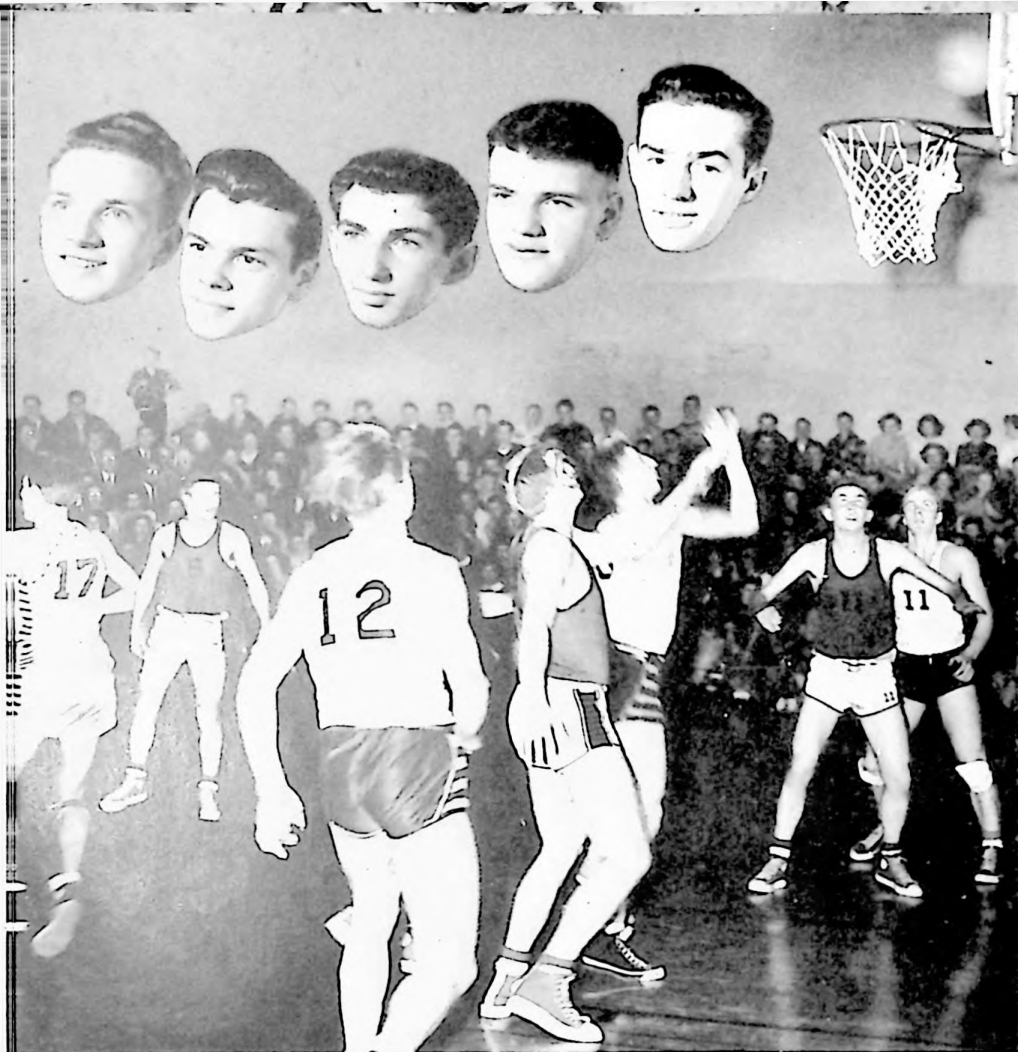
## Bengal Cagers Finish Thi

It was Olympia, Aberdeen, Centralia in final standings but Tigers had the satisfaction of knowing they were topped only by the state's best for the Capital City Bears finished third and Aberdeen Bobcats fourth in the state tournament play-off. Coach Roberts' boys dropped from the runner-up spot for the first time since they joined the Northern Division of the Southwest Washington Basketball Conference three years ago. Ron Urquhart, besides being league's third highest scorer and Bengal top-point getter, was unanimous choice for All Southwest. Ervin Johnson and Jack Nugent received honorable mention. Centralia team and rooters were voted the league's Sportsmanship Trophy, only conference school ever selected to be presented it twice.

Bob Devones, finishing second in the squad's individual scoring, was voted by his team-mates as the most improved player and the greatest inspiration to the team to receive both Activian







### '49 BASKETBALL SCORES (Centralia Scores First)

#### TIGER VARSITY

Hoquiam	41-34	45-54
Shelton	34-33	46-28
Olympia	42-59	41-62
Montesano	43-28	37-24
Elma	44-31	48-24
Raymond	46-29	50-31
Aberdeen	29-44	36-43

#### KITTENS

Montesano	29-26	27-24
Elma	43-25	35-25
Raymond	32-25	28-10
Shelton	25-32	20-34
Olympia	32-25	17-31
Hoquiam	43-41	29-43
Aberdeen	33-34	47-58

#### JUNIOR HIGH

Chehalis	40-35	24-32
Olympia	19-37	34-35
Hoquiam	12-18	23-49
Shelton	19-27	18-29
Aberdeen	22-23	26-40

## rd in SWW Conference

Award and the Rotary Inspirational Cup. The usual pass and break game, characteristic of the Tigers, was almost entirely discarded after the first few games. Out-reached by almost every team, the midget Bengals had to take long shots in hope of overcoming the cloud dusters of Olympia, Aberdeen and other league teams.

Starting the season on their own floor, the Tigers downed the Hoquiam Grizzlies and the Shelton Highclimbers before being bounced from the elite circle by the towering Olympia Bears. Then wins over Montesano, Elma and Raymond, coupled with a loss to Aberdeen, put Bengals in third place where they stayed until the end of the season.

In pre-conference games, Bengals were out-scored by their opponents 237 to 231. Victories were over Kelso twice, 36-26 and 31-30; Longview 38-28; and Chehalis 30-29. Losses were to Sedro-Woolley, 26-31 and 26-53; and Longview 34-41.

*TIGERS IN ACTION (Center)—Elmer Messenger, Jack Nugent (Number 11), try to gain possession of the ball while Aberdeen's towering Tony Vlastelica (Number 22) tries to intercept. Aberdeen Bobcats and Vlastelica defeated the Tigers 43-36.*

*'GULL-TIGER TILT (Right)—Guard Bob Devones rolls one in to score for the Orange and Black.*

*JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL (Lower)—Row 1: Gary Ely, David Swanson, Sheldon Larabee, Billy Perkins, Sherrill Stevens, Richard Dodds, Earl Craig. Row 2: Jack Heinricher, Richard Duncan, Franklin Brown, Gene Randall, Gerald Gilligan, Ronald Breckel. Top basket throwers were led by Earl Craig with 75 points followed by Gerald Gilligan with 58; Richard Dodds, 50; Gary Ely, 49.*



COACH DICKIE  
Kittens



With three state championships and runner-up for the state team title, Tigers in 1948 under Coaches Rowswell, Dickie and Kiser had one of their best seasons in local track history. Ben Hodge was star of the year taking his two events, discus and shotput, in every meet including the state finals. Bob Devones, sophomore, sprung a surprise when, a consistent second-place winner in every other meet, he won the state title in the high jump as the third Bengal in succession to achieve this honor. Jack Nugent, taking second to Hodge in the district shot event, also competed in the state meet.

Taking second in the district meet, Tigers chalked up 191½ points. Firsts, Hodge, discus, shotput. Seconds, Devones, high jump; Nugent, shotput. Thirds, Dean Tauscher, broad jump; Nugent, 100-yard dash. Fourth, Bill Hardcastle, pole-vault. Bengals took second place in the sub-district meet with 43 points. New meet discus record was set by Hodge at 147 feet, 9¼ inches. Hodge also placed first in the shotput and Tauscher first in the broad jump. Seconds were Devones and Gerry Van Doren (tie), high jump; Nugent, shotput; and relay team.

Tigers placed third in the Longview Relays chalking up first in the shotput relay, second in the 440 relay, third in the two-mile and 880 relays. Nugent was first in the 100-yard dash. Bengals placed fourth in the Centralia Relays with firsts in the shotput relay and discus.

Bengals, for the first time, entered Seattle's annual Highland Games. Hodge was first in shotput and Van Doren, first in high jump, second in shotput. Season dual meet results were: Longview 55, Centralia 58; Olympia 57½, Centralia 55½; Chehalis 24½, Centralia 88½; Hoquiam 75, Centralia 40.

## Track Wins State Firsts;



**VARSITY TRACK LETTERWINNERS**—Row 1: Gerry Van Doren, Marion Kelso, Elmer Messenger, Jack Nugent, Jim MacKillican, Allen Pfaff. Row 2: Ben Hodge, Wayne Behrns, Dave Edwards, Bob Devones, Bill Jones. Row 3: Bill Hardcastle, Gerry Anderson, Dean Tauscher. Row 4: Roger Zorn, Joe Hadley, Don Breckenridge (Lower right)—Track team leaves for the field—Row 1: Dean Tauscher, Jim MacKillican, Don Breckenridge, Hugh Hafer, Joe Hadley, Ray Mitchell. Row 2: Eugene Thompson, Gerry Anderson, Fred French, Dave Edwards, Wayne Behrns. Row 3: Elmer Messenger, Bill Hardcastle, Marion Kelso, Roger Zorn, Bill Jones. Row 4: Allen Pfaff, Jack Nugent, Ben Hodge, Bob Devones, Gerry Van Doren. **TRACK ACTION SHOTS**—(Upper left)—Six-foot leap gives Bob Devones a state meet first. (Upper right)—Ben Hodge pitches the shot 50 feet 8¼ inches for a state meet first. Hodge also took first in the discus (149 feet, 10¼ inches).



# Ball Team Places Third



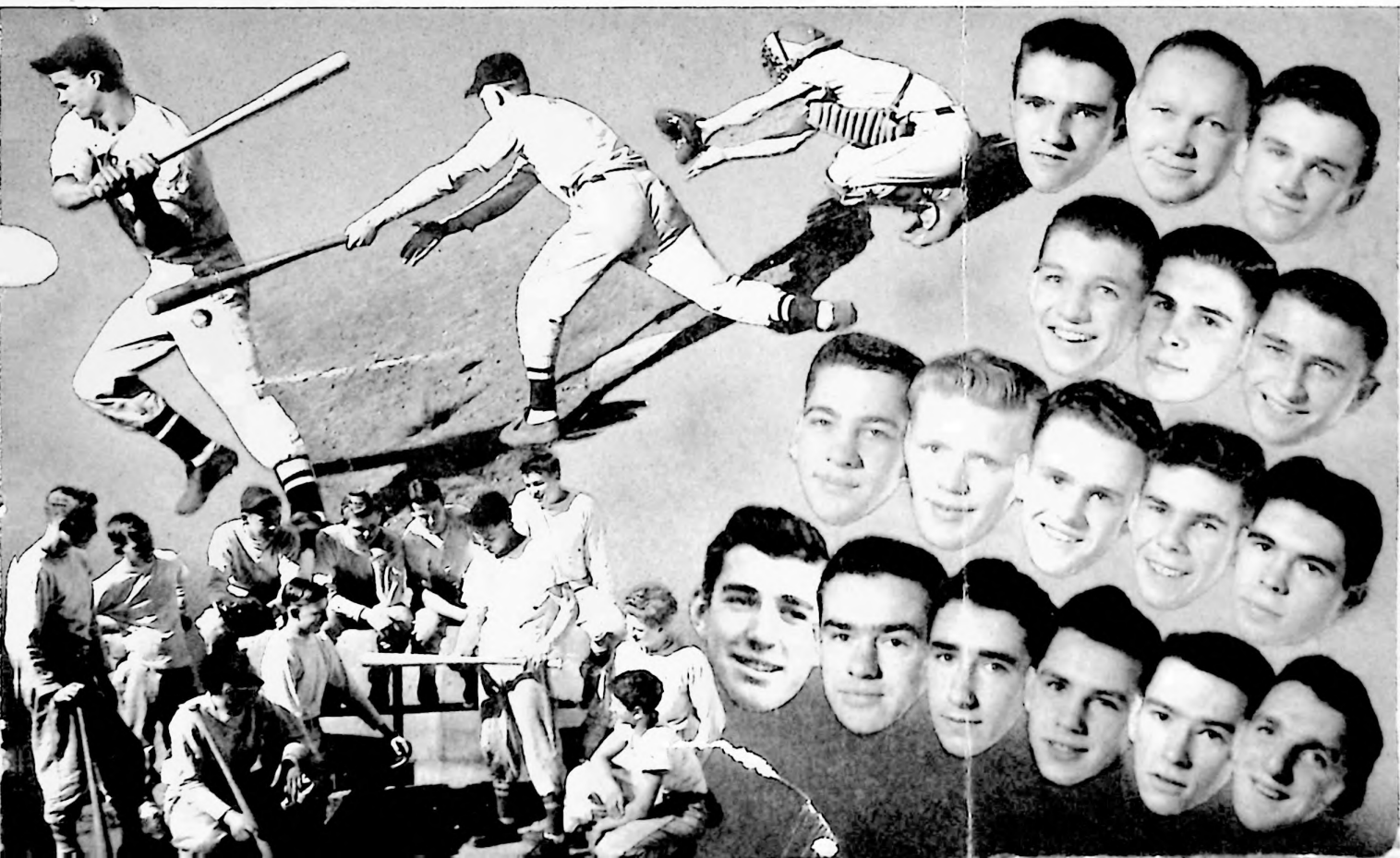
**VARSITY BASEBALL LETTERWINNERS**—Row 1: Jim Mitchell, Chuck O'Reilly, Ted Grunfelder, Delmas Lewellyn, Art Perry, David Copley. Row 2: Harold Hurn, Walt West, Gene Groshong, Ron Urquhart, Jerry Benjamin. Row 3: Allan Johnson, Dan Lane, Walter Bogdon. Row 4: Ernest Blatt, Coach Harold Gehrke, Ellsworth Unwin. **KITTEN BASEBALL (Lower left)**—Coach Emmenegger shows the reserve squad some pointers in batting techniques. Row 1: Carl Krause, Bill Sexton, Coach Oscar Emmenegger, David Campbell, Albert Ticknor. Row 2: Coy Looney, Gordon Neva, Fred Long, Earl Schwiesow, Allan Clark, Frank Boyd. **BASEBALL ACTION SHOTS (Left to right)** Nat Unwin, chosen to play at the annual American Legion all-star game in Seattle, starts to hit a fast one, bringing up the score for CHS. Gene Groshong, first baseman, tries to bring a runner home with a bunt in the return game against the Olympia Bears. Tigers won 5-2.

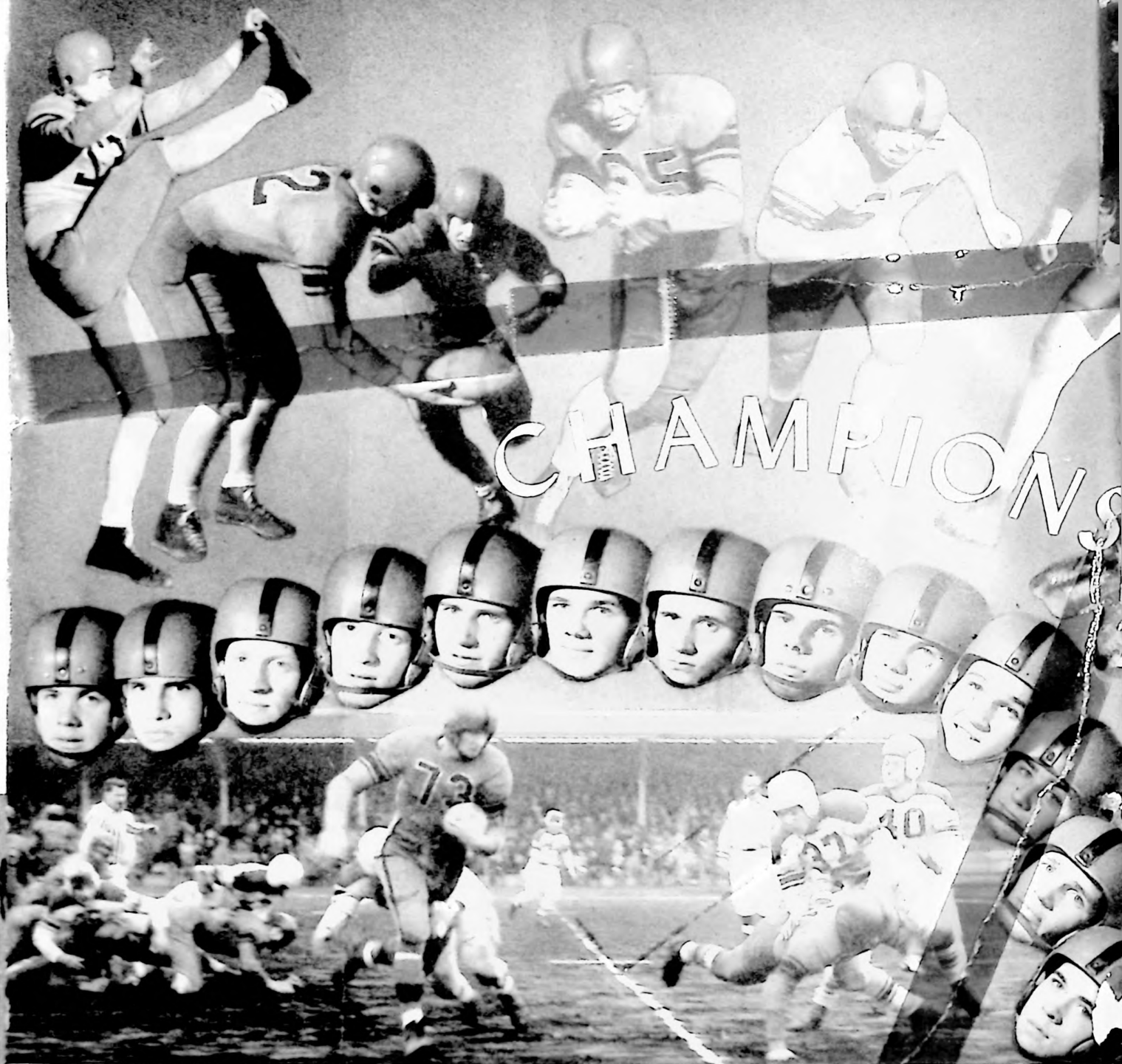
Spring of 1948 which threatened to bring a shut-out victory for old Jupiter Pluvius and his rain clouds finally permitted Coach Harold Gehrke's Tigers to complete all but one of their scheduled games (but not as scheduled) and end up in third place of the Central Division of the SWW Baseball League. Shelton, defending champions, with no losses, kept the top berth for another year. Olympia was second with three wins, two losses. In third spot, Centralia had two victories and three defeats.

Hurn, one of the leading hurlers of the league and also a capable hitter, was selected in post-season tryouts to play in the chain league of the St. Louis Browns. Nat Unwin, top Tiger hitter, was named on the select nines who played in the American Legion Series at Sick's Seattle Stadium in August. Season opener was won by Olympia 5-1. Hurn fanned eight Bears while the Bruin pitcher was chalking up two strike-outs. Tigers' only run came in the last inning.

Allowing only one hit, Hurn pitched the Tigers to a 13-2 victory against Chehalis. Gene Groshong homered with two on; Hurn, with none on. Centralia came back to take Olympia 5-2 in a return game.

Despite Hurn's shut-out pitching, three costly errors in one inning lost the Tigers their only game with Shelton 4-2. (The one previously scheduled was postponed but never played.) Hurn struck out twelve, walked two and allowed only two hits while Bengals got six hits off Shelton's Bob Tobey. For the first time, a B squad was also put into the field. Coached by Oscar Emmenegger, the nine had capable pitchers in Ernie Blatt and Jack Gilligan. Reserves won over Chehalis 8-4 and split a doubleheader with Onalaska 15-6 and 0-1.





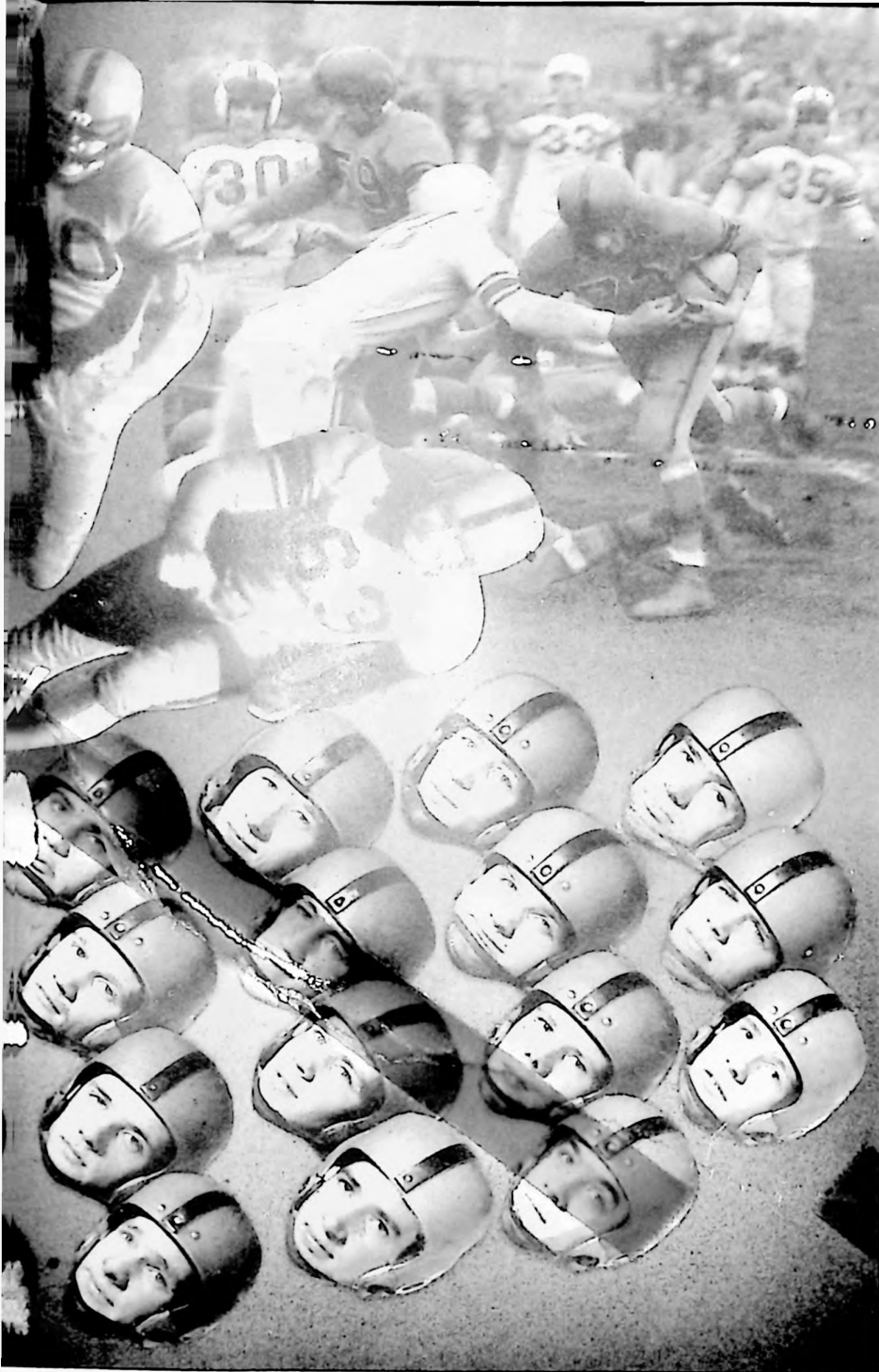
# CHAMPIONS

For the first time in football history, Centralia Tigers won the Southwest Washington league crown, piling up 130 points against their opponents' 38. Four of Coach George Rowswell's Bengal gridsters, Jack Nugent, Donn McIntosh, Red Kelso and Jerry Rubenstein, made the All Southwest team. From these, two pigskinners, McIntosh and Nugent, were selected to play in the All State versus Seattle game scheduled for August in Seattle. Centralia was runner-up selection for the All State game in Seattle, Thanksgiving Day. In addition to being unanimous All Southwest selection for the second year, Nugent was team captain and voted the Warren O.

Grimm Inspirational Cup by his team-mates. Others receiving SWW awards were Elmer Messenger, who placed on the second team, and Ervin Johnson, who was given honorable mention. Jim Shaffer was awarded the Activian Trophy for most improved player of year. Sparked by Chuck O'Reilly, Tiger full-back, who bucked the Kelso line late in the final quarter for huge gains Centralia tied the favored Highlanders 7-7 in conference opener. After 6-0 victory over Hoqui-



COACH ROWSWELL  
Head Coach



## '48 FOOTBALL SCORES (Centralia Scores First)

### TIGERS

Conference Games	
Kelso .....	7- 7
Hoquiam .....	6- 0
Aberdeen .....	13- 6
Vancouver .....	14-13
Olympia .....	13-12
Longview .....	47- 0
Non-Conference Games	
Mt. Vernon .....	6- 6
Chehalis .....	6- 6

### KITTENS

Olympia .....	12-38
Longview .....	12-24
Kelso .....	13-38
Chehalis .....	13-18

### JUNIOR HIGH

Shelton .....	7- 6
Aberdeen .....	7-14
Olympia .....	9- 7
Chehalis .....	13-0
Hoquiam .....	12- 6

**VARSITY GRIDDERS—Southwest Washington Champions—(Left to right)—Row 1: Jack Nugent, Donn McIntosh, Marion Kelso, Jerry Rubenstein, Jim Shaffer, Roger Zorn, Anzel Hegstrom, Ronald Urquhart, Jim MacKillican, Del Merle, Eddie McDade, Dean Tauscher, Gerry Van Doren. Row 2: Ari Roberts, Bob Buzzard, Eugene Thompson, Ervin Johnson. Row 3: Denny Malmerich, Elmer Messinger, Delmas Lewellyn, Dick Babcock. Row 4: Tom Richard, Elroy Jackson, George Barr, Joe Hatfield. Row 5: Chuck O'Reilly, Merrill Hightower, Joe Hadley. ACTION SHOTS (Upper left)—Nugent kicks the ball over opponent's goal to chalk up that extra point. Nugent passes to Lewellyn. O'Reilly carries the ball. The Three Horsemen, Lewellyn, McIntosh and Kelso, charge the line. (Lower left)—Armistice Day game—Kelso carries the ball for a first down against Longview as Lewellyn blocks a Lumberjack. Game, won by Tigers 47-0, gave them championship. (Upper right)—Messenger carries the ball for a gain against the 'Jacks.**



**COACH GEHRKE**  
Assistant

am, Tigers moved into first place tie with 10-7 win over Aberdeen. Centralia came from behind in the third period to wipe out what seemed to be a 13-0 defeat to take undisputed possession of first place with a 14-13 win over previously undefeated Trapper eleven. O'Reilly went wild through the center of the line in the second half. Led by Nugent, who scored twice, the Tigers eked out a 13-12 win over the determined Olympia Bears with a last quarter 85-yard drive. Smash-

ing the Longview Lumberjacks by a decisive 47-0 margin, Tigers chalked up their first Southwest Washington Championship, Armistice Day. Nugent and Kelso did ball-packing with four and three touchdowns respectively. Bengals battled with the Chehalis Bearcats, co-champions of the Central League, to a 6-6 tie in their traditional game, Thanksgiving Day on Cascade Field. Playing in a sea of mud, teams had to rely on straight power plays. Bengals scored in the second quarter on a 53-yard drive; 'Cats, in the third. Starting on their own 47, Tigers put the ball in scoring position by four first downs. Nugent tallied.



**MANAGERS**—Row 1: Lee Brown, Richard Bullock. Row 2: Don Countryman, Bob Brill, Ronald Powell. Row 3: Bob Juneman, Allan Clark, George Higby.

**GOLF**—Row 1: Clarence Robbins, Roger Johnson, Jim Paul, Bud Smith, Ervin Johnson, Larry Ross. Row 2: Delbert Peterson, Tom Martin, Bill Rickard, Wayne Tambllyn, Donn McIntosh, Richard Hout, Bob Wayerski. Coach Roberts' par chasers finished as the third-place team among the five competing schools when golf returned to CHS to take its pre-war standing as a minor sport. Jim Paul was medalist in most of the six meets played but the rest of the squad lacked experience. Other competing members were Bob Wayerski, Ervin Johnson, Roger Johnson, Bud Smith and Wayne Tambllyn.

**COACHES**—Harold Gehrke, Head Baseball, Assistant Football; Rufus Kiser, Track; George Rowswell, Head Football, Track, Freshman Basketball; Waldo Roberts, Head Basketball, Golf, Kitten Football; Roland Dickie, Track, Kitten Basketball, Freshman Football.

## *Kittens, Juniors Build*

Junior High Tracksters finished second in 1948 in most meets. Results were: Hoquiam Relays—Hoquiam 70, Aberdeen 20, Centralia 14, Shelton 9, Chehalis 7. Triangular at Chehalis—Chehalis 50½, Centralia 43, Shelton 36¼. Triangular at Hoquiam—Hoquiam 59¼, Aberdeen 49¼, Centralia 17.

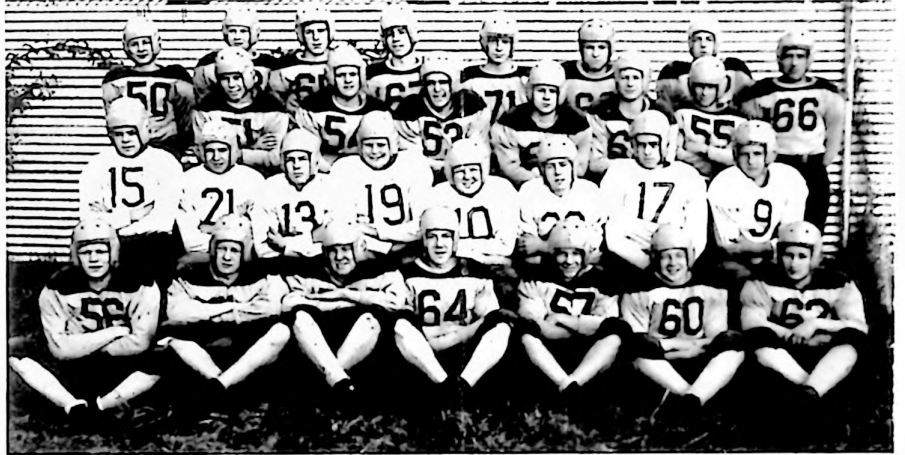
Among trackmen placing in meets for the Blue and Gold during the season were Norman Perkins, Rodney Hensley, Richard Kiffer, Eddie McDade, Richard Dodds, Roy Sahlin, Gary Singer and Dave Commerece. For the first time, Juniors were coached by the trio of varsity mentors.

With but three returning lettermen, Coach Roland Dickie took over the Junior High Grid Squad and sprung a surprise when the Blue and Gold ended up tied for second spot. One of the outstanding tilts was the 9-7 victory over the Olympia Bear Cubs at the annual Kiwanis Grid Classic on Noble Field. Kittens under Coach Waldo Roberts concentrated on the fundamentals as they prepared to send their best players up to next year's varsity to fill the places of seventeen graduating lettermen of the championship Tigers.



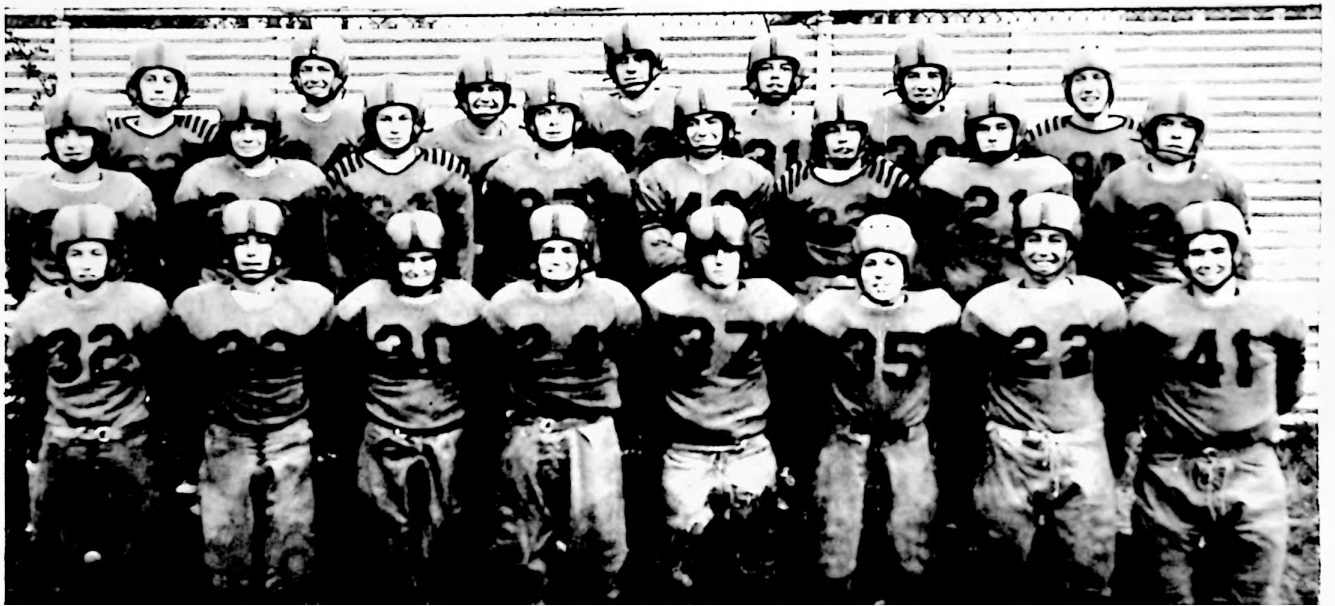
JUNIOR HIGH TRACK—Row 1: Harry Barner, Richard Kiffer, Roy Sahlin, Jim Williams, Rodney Hensley, Dave Commerce. Row 2: Henry Knause, Dewey Dunlap, Norman Perkins, Larry Delaney, Gary Singer, Dick Lund.

JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL—Row 1: Richard Kuhn, Charles Whitley, George Myers, Gregory Dunham, Sherrill Stevens, Coney Wofford, Bill Strong. Row 2: Wesley Dossier, Charles Kittle, Ruel Higby, Ronald Smith, Kenneth Palmer, John Deichman. Row 3: Richard Dodds, Don Smith, Jimmy Johnson, Earl Craig, Tommy Malnerich, Gene Pollman. Row 4: Billy Perkins, Richard Duncan, Gerald Gilligan, Franklin Brown, Gene Randall, Bill Mahar, Art Clark, Robert Towner.



## Strength For Varsity

KITTENS—Row 1: Dewey Dunlap, Bill Hardcastle, George Venard, Wayne Behrens, Allan Clark, Gene Ellis, Ray Berry, Wallace Jamieson. Row 2: Harry Barner, Robert Day, Larry Delaney, Rodney Hensley, Delbert Peterson, Robert Brill, Ben Shelton, Joe Hadley. Row 3: Eldon Bryant, Leath Andrews, Jack Pollman, Lyle Anderson, Walter Norquist, Carl Krause, Coy Looney.





FOLK DANCERS spin, twirl and clap. Promenading are Nelda Nugent, Rosemary Cluzel, Noreen Johnson, Peggy McCallum, Shirley Vanier, Viola Mayhew, Anna Lee Spendiff, Barbara Cambridge, Billie Jean Myers, JoAnne Olmsted.

Romance stars in girls' sports as love games come to the court when tennis returns as an inter-school sport for the first time since before the war. From angel antics to back bends, tumbling Tigerites furnish half-time entertainment for basketball fans . . . Sport new uniforms—black shorts with white or orange blouses . . . First Drill Team since pre-war days also entertains at half-time with maple floor maneuvers.

Frolic and fun as Girls' C Club sponsors annual Field Day . . . more than a hundred girls from nearby schools play soccer and speedball . . . "Strike!"—48 girls nurse sore thumbs during first few weeks of bowling.

New South American game, Peteca, is introduced as girls serve the small feathered pouch . . . Rubber ring goes back and forth for deck-tennis, celluloid ball for ping pong—all part of the spring sport series. New also this year is petite redhead instructor, Miss Lucille Trucano—"Truc" to her ardent admirers. From folk dancing to basketball, sportsprites reflect the enthusiasm and fire of this tiny flame.

## Sportresses Try Skill on Diamond, Field and Courts

C CLUB TURNOUT—Eager sportresses fill the gym during after-school turnouts, each a candidate for counters toward the coveted C. Row 1: Lela Dye, Shirley Greenblatt, Helen Swearingen, Barbara Cambridge, Pat McKellar, Janis Roberts, Margie Doney, Virginia Curtis, Vida Scott, Barbara Pollock, Carroyl Damon. Row 2: Peggy Taylor, Marianne Mellish, Donna Rae Miller, Joyce Dion, Lura Phelps, Carlene Moberg, Barbara Ashton, Barbara Peyton, Phyllis Libby, Phyllis Hendrickson, Audrey Villers. Row 3: Bonita Sparhawk, Pat Day, Shirley Housman, Kay Johnson, Elma Carter, Miss Trucano (Adviser), Jo Anne Caryl, Deon Carter, Sandra Devones, Noreen Johnson, Carol Mulford, Lorraine Cramer. Row 4: Grace Street, Jean Ann Blikre, Leone Walsh, Mary Jo Prang, Billie Jean Myers, Gladys Woodhouse, Lorraine Sandberg, Connie York, Claudine Randol, Betty Ramsaur, JoAnne Olmsted.







TUMBLING—Head stands, chest stands and swans form the pyramid as tumblers perform. Peggy Taylor, Ann Benjamin, Peggy Hall, Carol Matteson (kneeling), Billie Jean Myers (center), Lela Dye (above), Donna Rae Miller (kneeling), Susanne DuVal, Bonita Sparhawk, Janis Roberts. Supporting Lela and not shown are Marlene Christin and Marjorie Skinner.

## in Peteca, Baseball, Tennis



BASKETBALL—A jump ball . . . rustle of feet . . . score! Maple court maids play their favorite game—Sydney Dion, Susie Begley, Susanne Du Val, Jo Anne Olmsted, Pat McKeller, Donna Rae Miller, Anna Lee Spendiff, Loyetta Jacobs.

BASEBALL—Enthusiastic Tigerites try their skill in softball . . . Phyllis Libby stands to hit while team supports her in voice—Virginia Curtis, Audrey Villers, Charlene Watilo, Phyllis Libby, Donna Rae Miller, Deon Carter, Loyetta Jacobs, Sydney Dion, Jo Anne Olmstead, Carlene Moberg.



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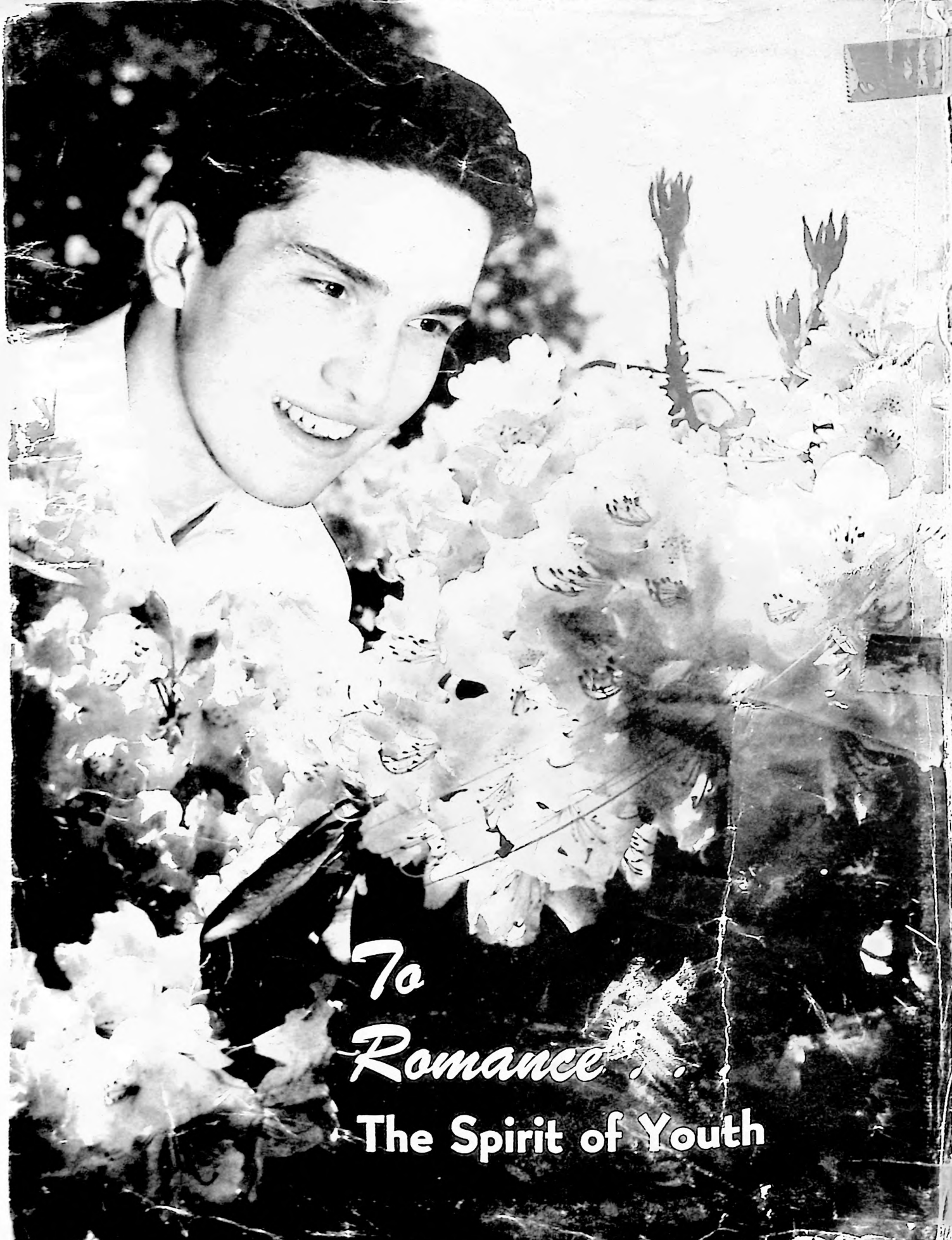
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