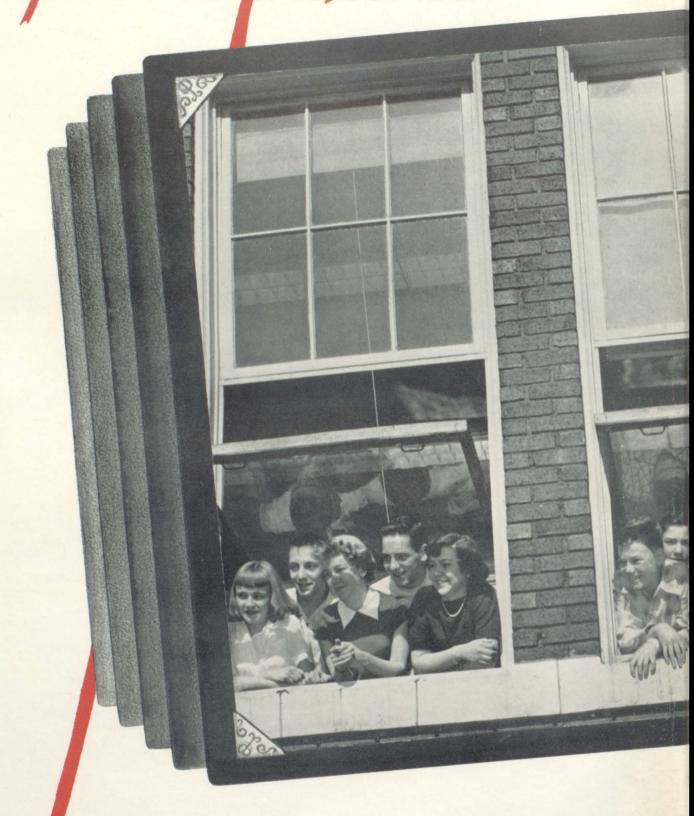


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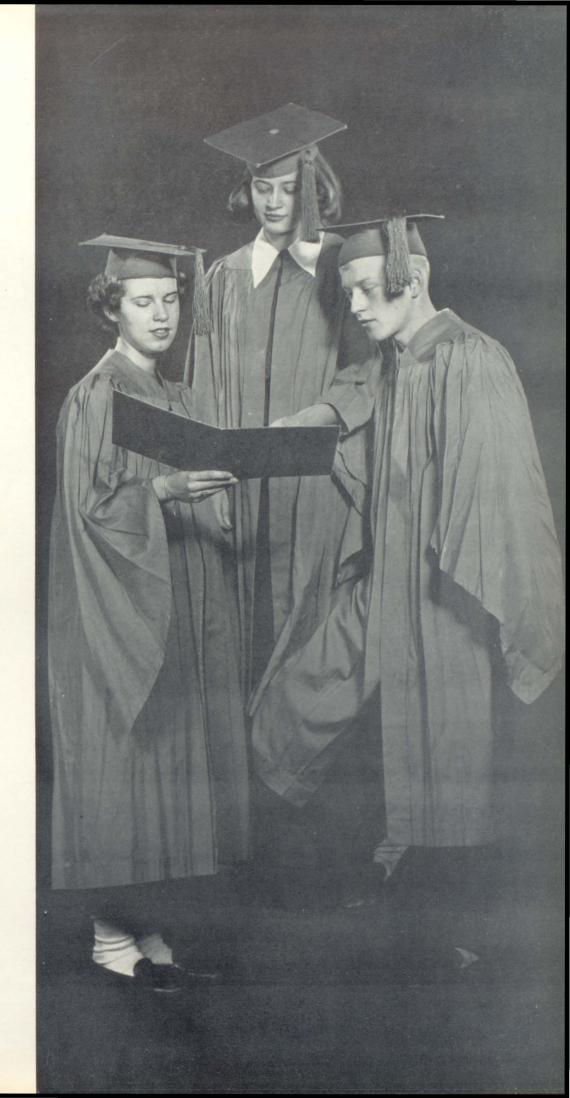


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SCHOOL PLANS AND PROGRAMS originate in the superintendent's office and flow out to all the buildings in the district. Dr. John G. Hulton, head man in Latrobe's educational system, coordinates policies established by the Board of Education and keeps all the school wheels turning.

Educational Progress Comes As Leaders Plan For Future

ADMIN



THE SECRETARIES

Left

SCHOOL BOARD RECORDS are sure to be accurate when Miss Ruth Himler, Board of Education secretary, has them in hand.

Bottom Left

CLERICAL CHORES keep Miss Anna Belle Walter near her desk and the mimeograph in the Superintendent's office.

Bottom Right

LATE PERMIT REQUESTS get a skeptical reception from Mrs. Dorothy Stahl, the lady with the answers in Mr. Funk's office.





We remember the administration particularly this year after seeing packing cases cluttering the halls as the superintendent and the Board of Education transferred offices, from the high school to Sixth Ward.

Seven citizens serve their community as members of the Latrobe Board of Education, establishing and developing the constructive policies that have been a distinguishing feature of Latrobe's educational program for so many years. Mr. George Brown heads this year's organization, with Mr. William McCullough as vice-president. Other board members are Mr. S. G. Rummell, Mr. H. M. Reed, Mr. Francis Harvey, Dr. G. N. Huber, and Dr. J. H. Hamill.

Dr. John G. Hulton, superintendent of Latrobe Public Schools, moved from his high school office on Ligonier Street to the new administration offices on Loyalhanna Avenue during the winter. The new suite consists of two office rooms and a supply room. The business office occupies one room, while the other serves as the office for Dr. Hulton, meeting place for the Board of Education and conference room for meetings among principals and teachers.

The transformation of the classrooms into offices has been complete. Mastic tile floor, sound proof ceilings, fluorescent lighting and modern office equipment carry out the new theme. The stock room has everything from a hot plate and sink to drawers for blue-prints.

Dr. Hulton is the chief administration officer. He earned a Bachelor's of Arts degree at Franklin College and his Masters at the University of Pittsburgh. Mr. Hulton was awarded a Doctor of Literature degree from St. Vincent.



BOARD OF EDUCATION members this year initiated plans for a new football stadium in addition to continuing the progressive policies that have characterized Latrobe's modern educational program. Seated are Mr. Samuel G. Rummell, Dr. Gerard Huber, Mr. George F. Brown, and Dr. J. H. Hamill. Standing are Mr. Harry M. Reed, Mr. Francis J. Harvey and Mr. William McCullough.

STRATION

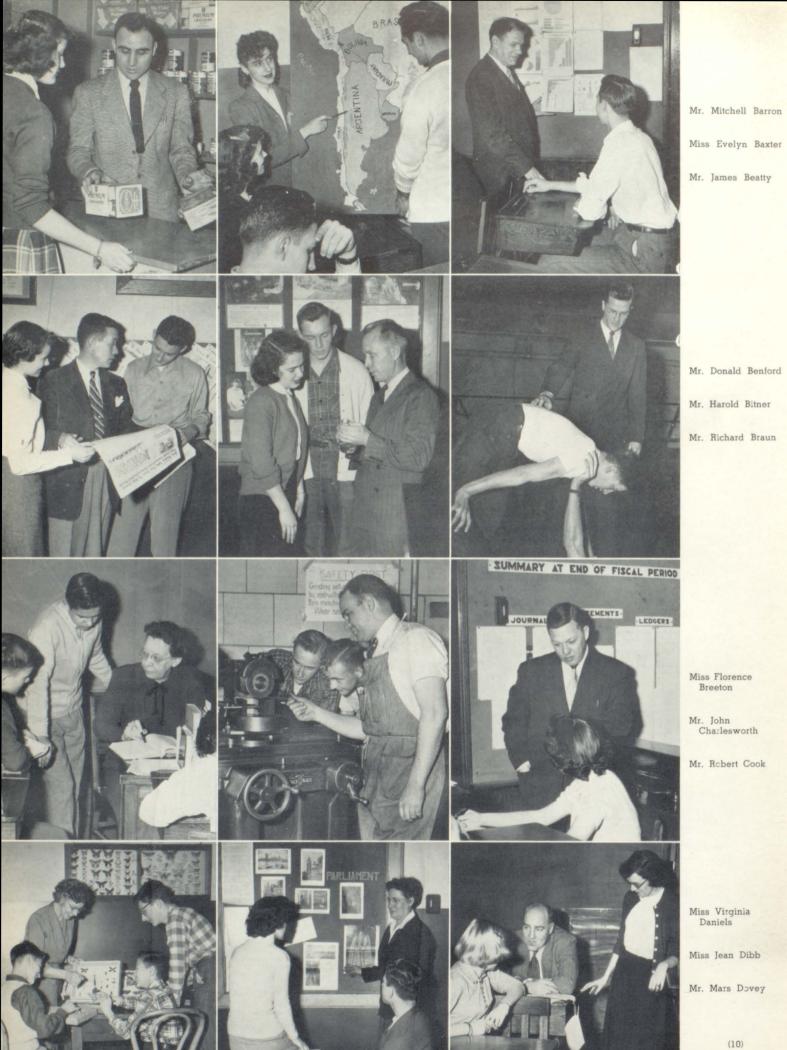
In his first year at Latrobe, he taught Latin, algebra and civics. He taught social science before becoming principal in 1922. In 1929, he became superintendent. He enjoys reading biographies and history and playing golf. He is a member of the executive council of the Pennsylvania State Education Association and president of the Department of Administration. Dr. Hulton has served as president of Kiwanis and as commander of the American Legion.

Mr. Mark N. Funk, principal, organizes the high school work. Mr. Funk received his bachelors degree at Otterbein College, his masters degree at the University of Chicago and did graduate work at University of Pittsburgh and Pennsylvania State College. He taught social studies, until 1929, when he became principal. Mr. Funk has been president of the Western Pennsylvania Interscholastic Association for the last eight years.

Three secretaries lighten the work of the administrators. Miss Ruth Himler is secretary to the Board of Education and to Dr. Hulton. She is the past president of the Business and Professional Women's Club and Chairman of this district consisting of 33 clubs in five counties. Church activities occupy her spare time. She enjoys cooking, knitting and reading. Mrs. Dorothy Stahl aids Mr. Funk. Mrs. Stahl's mezzo-soprano voice keeps her in constant demand in church choir and musical circles. Miss Anna Belle Walter does clerical work in Mr. Hulton's office. She dabbles in art, enjoys square dancing and belongs to the Frohsinn Singing Society.

HEAD MAN in Latrobe High School's curricular and extra curricular program is Principal M. N. Funk. His finger on the pulse of the school keeps every department running efficiently, providing the best in educational practice and procedure.







SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATION teaches biologists to form their own opinions. Robert Mueseler reports details from the microscope as Connie Botts records the information for class use and John Demagone waits his turn.

....FACULTY

Cooperation Flourishes Between Teachers And Students

MR. MITCHELL BARRON . . . won Samuel Weiss award for scholastics and athletics at Duquesne . . . teaches comercial subjects . . | American Legion . . helps coach football, basketball and track . . . a "Mr. Fixit."

MR. DONALD BENFORD . . . Bucknell . . M. A. from Pitt . . . prefers instructing journalism because everything is so orderly and refined . . . also meets English classes . . Community Chest secretary . . . secretary-treasurer of Kiwanis.

MISS FLORENCE BREETON . . . Bowling Greene Business University . . . Pitt . . . Columbia University . . . teaches general mathematics and commercial arithmetic . . . likes to sew and putter in her flower garden.

MISS VIRGINIA DANIELS . . . Wilson . . . Pitt . . . M. A. from Columbia . . . teaches biology . . . directed day camp . . . Business and Professional Women president . . sings . . . plays piano . . . musical compositions have been published.

MISS EVELYN BAXTER . . . Bethany College . . University of Mexico . . . M. L. from Pitt . . . helped evaluate Tarentum High School . . . served on state committee for revision of foreign language curriculum.

MR. HAROLD BITNER . . . Muskingum . . Indiana State Teachers . . . Pitt . . . member of science revisions committee . . . teaches chemistry . . . secretary of Latrobe Sportsmen's Association . . . Penn-Ligonier Model Railroad Club president.

MR. JOHN CHARLESWORTH . . . Pitt . . . teaches juniors and seniors machine shop . . . likes math because it relates to his work . . . plays the trumpet . . . enjoys football and basketball . . . summer handyman.

MISS JEAN DIBB... Clarion State Teachers . . . California State Teachers . . . Pennsylvania State College . . . Girl Scout commissioner . . . American Legion Auxiliary . . . teaches history . . . likes travel and leather craft.

MR. JAMES BEATTY . . . Clarion State Teachers . . . New York . . . Penn State . . . Pitt . . . teaches P. of D. . . . president of Latrobe Teachers Federal Credit Union, County Coordinating Committee and Secondary School Subject Material.

MR. RICHARD BRAUN . . . Slippery Rock State Teachers . . . Pitt . . . teaches health and physical education . . . trains cheer-leaders . . . coaches track, gymnastics and cross country . . hunts and fishes . . . hunting a basket for his relay team.

MR. ROBERT COOK . . . M. E. from Pitt . . . teaches bookkeeping . . . president of Latrobe Branch, Pennsylvania State Education Association . . Adjutant of Eightieth Division Veteran's Association . . . American Legion.

MR. MARS DOVEY . . . Notre Dame . . . St. Vincent . . . M. B. A. from Harvard . . . M A from Columbia . . . Pitt . . . teaches senior English . . interested in hunting, fishing, archery, fencing, reading, chess and country life.



STUDENT COUNCIL'S GIFT, the new movie projector, causes interest among four students, but they seemed baffled by its intricacy and decide it is no play toy.

FACULTY

Questing Minds Focus On Problems For Daily Living

MISS ELEANOR EDWARDS . . . Bryn Mawr . . . M. A. from Pitt . . . teaches World history . . . coached debaters for interscholastic and Ruth Robb debates . . . enjoys oil painting, sewing and rug making.

MISS FLORENCE GILL . . . Indiana State Teachers . . Penn State . . . teaches typing, shorthand, writing and spelling . . Business and Professional woman . . . secretary of the Latrobe Teachers' Association.

MR. SAM GREEN . . . Indiana State Teachers . . . Penn State . . . Duke . . . trains band, orchestra and chorus . . . directs civic orchestra and band . . . listed in "Who's Who in Music" . . . loves assembly song periods.

MIISS LYDA HAMILTON . . . Pitt . . . M. A. from Pennsylvania College for Women . . . member of committee for revision of state course of study in mathematics . . . teaches advanced mathematics

MR. ALADIN FERIAN . . . California State Teachers . . . prefers teaching industrial arts because it stimulates exploration and affords opportunities for creative work . . likes traveling, leather upholstering and painting.

MR. HARRY GRAHAM . . . St. Vincent . . . M. A. from Columbia . . . likes the variety offered in teaching freshmen general science . . . interested in electronics, painting and photography . . . makes science class movies.

MR. FRED HALSALL . . . Pitt . . . vocational coordinator . . . teaches mechanical drawing . . . enjoys taking home movies . . . a former open amateur boxing champ of Pittsburgh . . . directs Safety Patrol.

MR. HERBERT HOERR . . . Thiel . . . Carnegie Tech . . . University of Chicago . . . California State Teachers' . . . Pitt . . . holds master of letters degree . . . taught general and trade math before leaving at midyear.

MRS. GLADYS GILBERT . . Slippery Rock State Teachers . . . Carnegie Tech . . . Penn State . . . librarian . . Latrobe Senior Music Club . . Civic Club . . . Business and Professional Woman

MRS. MARY ALICE GRAHAM . . . Slippery Rock State Teachers . . Penn State . . . teaches girls' health and gym . . . likes golfing, swimming and sewing . . . teaches dancing at Community Club.

MISS MARTHA HIMLER . . . Irving Indiana State Teachers' . . Pitt. . Carnegie Tech . . . Columbia . . . awards from Edinburg Fair . . Indiana Teachers' National Exhibit . . . Associated Artists and Greensburg Art Club.

MISS LAURA JOHNSTON . . . Penn State . . . teaches freshman English and public speaking . . . coaches dramatics . . . enjoys traveling, knitting and playing the piano . . . her first year at Latrobe.

Miss Eleanor Edwards

Mr. Aladin Ferian

Mrs. Gladys Gilbert







Miss Florence Gill

Mr. Harry Graham

Mrs. Mary Alice Graham





Mr. Sam Green

Mr. Fred Halsall

Miss Mary Martha Himler





Miss Lyda Hamilton

Mr. Herbert Hoerr

Miss Laura Johnston







Mr. George Lee

Miss Mabel Lindner

Miss Mary Louis

McBride















Miss Martha Osborne

Miss Blanche Quick

Miss Adeline
Reeping



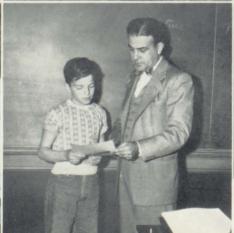




Mr. George Rise
Mr. Michael Rizzo

Mr. Carl Saalbach







Each Section Of Curriculum Aims For Better Citizens

MR. GEORGE LEE . . . Franklin and Marshall . . . M. A. from Columbia . . . likes teaching general science because it relates to everyday life . . . interested in gardening, astronomy and travel . . . in his spare time.

MISS JEAN MEASON . . . Seton Hill . . Pitt . . . Temple . . . teaches English . . . her hobbies include photography, sewing and canasta . . enjoys long motor trips or traveling of any kind.

MISS MARTHA OSBORNE . . Wilson . . . Pitt . . . Pennsylvania . . . teaches English to juniors and seniors . . . her out-of-school interests include traveling and reading . . puts extemp speakers through their paces.

MR. GEORGE RISE . . . Waynesburg . . . Chio State . . . M. E. from Pitt . . . Chicago . . . teaches history . . . when not coaching the tennis squad, he's playing the game . . . American Legion . . . Masonic Lodge.

MISS MABEL LINDNER . . . Seton Hill . . . Penn State . . . Bread Loaf School of English . . . her writings have appeared in "Scholastic Teacher," "Pennsylvania School Journal," "Journal of Education," and "Ladies Home Journal."

MISS IRENE MERTZ . . Indiana State
Teachers . . Penn State . . Pitt . . .
teaches English II . . . fond of poetry
. . likes to travel, especially by plane
. . enjoys student autobiographies.

MISS BLANCHE QUICK . . . Ball State Teachers College . . . Pitt . . . prefers shorthand because it provides a means for earning extra income at college or for a living . . . plays golf . . . every chance she gets.

MR. MICHAEL RIZZO . . . St. Vincent . . . Penn State . . . teaches industrial English . . . enjoys fishing . . . directs Industrial Basketball Leagues . . . supervises Latrobe's playgrounds in summer for Recreation Board.

MISS MARY LOUISE McBRIDE . . . Seton Hill . . M. A. from Columbia . . . the exactness and accuracy of mathematics appeals to her . . . trains broadcasters . . . Girl Scout Council . . . dabbles in photography.

MISS CATHERINE NETZLOF . . . graduated from Pitt with high honors . . M. A. from Columbia . . . St. Vincent fellowship at Union . . . Girl Scout Council.

MISS ADELINE REEPING . . . Seton Hill . . . Pitt . . . publicity chairman of State Latin Week . . . organized Ars Medica Club . . articles published in "School Activities" and Pennsylvania Classical Teachers' "Bulletin."

M. CARL SAALBACH . . . Pitt . . . replaced Mr. Hoerr in general math and industrial arithmetic classes . . . sings in choral groups and plays French horn . . . this is his first year at Latrobe . . . and he still likes it.

FACULTY

COMMERCIAL SENIORS learn the ins-and-outs of the office machines they will be required to operate in the vocations they have selected. Juanita Taylor, Janet McGuire and Helen Laird tackle class problems on the adding machines and calculator.





THE CHIMES HERALD another BCC broadcast. Gloria Himic waits with her script as Barbara Hinger and Harry Albert prepare to open another program of news and views.

FACULTY

Learning By Doing Makes Class Hours Profitable

MR. PHILIP SCHWARTZ . . . California State Teachers . . . Pitt . . . teaches vocational electricity . . bugler in American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps . . . assistant Boy Scout master . . . Sixth Ward Recreation committee man.

MRS. KATHERINE STUMBAUGH . . . Penn State . . . Indiana State Teachers College . . . her "Family Relationships" course used in state homemaking publication . . . evaluated Carrick High School . . . Civic Club.

MISS EMILY VOSBURGH . . . Russell Sage . . . Penn State . . . Pitt . . . Syracuse . . . Drexel . . . teaches homemaking . . . likes working with clothing because it permits creating something . . . enjoys weaving and traveling.

MR. WILLIAM YATES . . . Penn State . . . M. E. from Pitt . . . likes problems of democracy because of its close relationship to community activities . . . Kiwanis . . . Chamber of Commerce . . . Fifth Ward Playground.

MRS. MARGARET SEAMANS . . . Seton Hill . . . M. A. from Penn State . . . teaches homemaking . . . enjoys clothing construction . . . gardening and community projects . . . member of College Club and Women's Club.

MR. HERBERT THOMPSON . . . Ohio Northern . . . Pitt . . . Carnegie Tech . . . enjoys teaching wood working . . . American Legion . . . Forty and Eight . . member of Latrobe Borough Council's Street Committee.

MR. CREED WESTFALL . . . St. Vincent . . . West Virginia . . teaches civics . . . directs Junior Baseball League in summer for Recreation Board . . scouts for local baseball talent for Brooklyn Dodgers.

MRS. FLORENCE YOUNG . . . R. N. from Latrobe Hospital . . . Penn State . . . Pitt . . . Western Pennsylvania School of Nurses . . . enjoys hiking, camping, gardening, needlepoint and reading.

MR. HAROLD STOVER . . . Indiana State Teachers . . . Duke . . . Syracuse . . . teaching office practice enables him to keep abreast of modern business . . . operates accounting services for small businesses . . . enjoys gardening.

MR. JOHN TITUS . . . Carnegie Tech . . . Pitt . . . teaches drafting, mechanical drawing and woodworking . . . interested in furniture design and construction . . . Boy Scouts . . . member of One Hundred Friends of Art.

MR. RAY WILD . . . Geneva . . . M. E. from Penn State . . . teaches civics . . . American Legion . . . One Hundred Friends of Art . . favorite hobby is fishing . . . especially plugging for bass . . . "Butch's" papa.

MR. CHARLES LYNCH . . . has been spending his days as school custodian for 14 years . . . manages the stock room . . enjoys watching football and basketball games.

Mr. Philip Schwartz

Mrs. Margaret Seamens

Mr. Harold Stover



Mrs. Katherine Stumbaugh

Mr. Herbert Thompson

Mr. John Titus



Miss Emily Vosburgh

Mr. Creed Westfall

Mr. Ray Wild



Mr. William Yates

Mrs. Florence Young

Mr. Charles Lynch







FINDING THE SECRET TO SUCCESS IN

MERCHANDISERS get actual selling practice in the model store. Juanita Taylor's smile sells Dick Guskiewicz a box of crackers. The other customers are Nancy Lechner and Clair Casey.

DICTIONARIES provide a lot of help in the library. Alvin Noel corrects his vocabulary list, while Eva O'Hara, Shirlene Helfferich and Mary Bayura dig in the unabridged.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS give freshmen a working knowledge of tools and materials. Edward McCracken, Joseph Shaffron, Michael Moffa have metal work in progress they hope to have exhibited in the front hall display.

INTEREST BALLOONS in science as freshmen Elizabeth Antonio, Bruce Kuntz, and Joseph Costabile try blowing up their own balloons inside a bell jar as a class experiment.



THE HALLS OF LEARNING OF LATROBE HIGH

PUSH-PULL explains narrator Edward Gearing in the electric shop assembly while Joseph Mazon and Robert Evans demonstrate the principle of the electric motor with an interesting technical display.

DRAFTING BOARD work is the first step in a mechanical project. Robert Evans and Ralph Campbell watch Thomas Luttner puts the finishing touches to a dimensional drawing.

WOOD SHOP CRAFTSMEN must work carefully. William Robb and Charles Harris lay out the back of a corner bookshelf, while Wayne Johnson measures for the shelving as the project begins to take shape.

A HEALTHY BODY should be one of the outcomes of work in health class for Instructor Richard Braun insists that his students know how to prevent disease.



KEEPING A SOUND BODY











Dr. F. Clay Gibson

Dr. W. F. Berberich

Dr. William Sipe

Dr. Willis Schimpf

Dr. J. Wiley Hartman

"The following people will please report to room 13 for their examination," attracted the attention of freshmen and juniors scheduled for the annual physical and dental examinations.

The students were individually examined by physicians on the medical staff. The present doctors are Dr. W. H. Schimpf, school physician; Doctors Clay Gibson, William Sipe, Paul Mankovich, G. F. Nealon W. F. Berberich, Joseph Lechman, Joseph Doherty, Gerald Huber, Thomas Sprock and Dr. Jack Hamill. Injuries in sports were cared for by Dr. Gibson and Dr. Hamill.

Mrs. Florence L. Young, school nurse, guards the student health all year round, also tending to emergencies and accidents which might occur.



Dr. Thomas M. Sproch

Dr. Gerard N. Huber



Dr. Jack H. Hamill



Dr. Joseph A. Doherty



Dr. Joseph F. Lechman



Dr. Paul A. Mankovich



Dr. Gervase F. Nealon



PEOPLE KEEP BUSY IN LATROBE HIGH SCHOOL

Left

Left
HEALTH ROOM ATTENDANTS learn the technique as School Nurse Florence Young takes Irene Kittey's pulse in a demonstration . . . PATROL FLAGS and their handlers retain the Student Patrol's 100 per cent record for keeping students and autos in the right places . . . PATTERN PROBLEMS look easy to homemaking seniors as Mrs. Seemans explains procedure . . . MAKE UP COMMITTEE polishes up a character for the all-class play.

Center

HOME COMING DAY brings out 211's float to "Point the Way to Victory." . . . TOO MANY HANDS point too many

directions to give James Hauser much help hanging another

Right

Right
CHRISTMAS DINNER for the Ruggles was the high point of the annual Christmas play as Carol lights the candles for her guest . . . A "GREEN CHRISTMAS" won the holiday decorating contest for 103 after Wilber Kirk and Bernadette Kock got through putting the color on the "Green" character FROSH REST after the turmoil of opening day, breathing a sigh of relief as they find a vacant landing where they can relax. can relax.



CHILD CARE proves to be one of the interesting and helpful features incorporated in the homemaking course. Pictured are five sophomore homemakers, Janet Flack, Clarabelle Allshouse, Anita Felbaum, Sue Johnson and Edna Prasnitz, taking their turn working with the children. For about an hour and a half each week-day afternoon during the three weeks the project operates, the girls read and play games with the children as well as try their hands at introducing their young charges to the pleasures of coloring and singing. Some six children from homes in

the nearby area served as "textbooks" for the girls, and in doing so enjoyed themselves. They soon learned to look for the girl assigned to take them to school right after lunch and to object on occasion when it was time to be taken home for that afternoon nap. One of the most worthwhile contributions any high school girl can make to better family and community living lies in assuming care of children either in her own homes or in homes of friends and neighbors. Learning to live by doing is democracy in action.

INTERESTS ABOUND FOR EACH WORKER

MULTITUDE OF JOBS prepare shop students for future positions as electricians, mechanics and engineers in the factories of tomorrow.

THE HALL TREE attracts the attention of seniors as the Yuletide season rolls around giving the school the Christmas spirit.

COUNCIL WORKERS make their job of dusting trophies in the front hall a pleasure, by admiring and discussing the records of achievement.

HOMEMAKING PICNIC gives the girls in the cottage a chance to combine work and play as they plan an enjoyable lunch.

















Class Work Shows Results As Projects Go On Display

HANDICRAFT AND DECORATING are just as much a part of homemaking as cooking and sewing. Martha Ridilla decorates the top of her jewel box with chip carving. Eleanor Gratcar hammers out a design on a belt that she is developing as a leather craft project.

OSCAR'S INNARDS give health class boys an opportunity to check pressure points. Gerald Harman shows where to stop the flow of blood, and James Barlock tests his skill on Ronald Cameron. Herbert Murphy waits for an opportunity to try. The boys hope they can replace Oscar's back before the class period ends.

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL sets the stage for advanced reading in civics class. Seaching for material on local government, Barbara Walters, Jane Kessler, Paul Verchuck, and James Ransel desert their desks for the book shelves at the front of the room. Added references increase daily interest in developing individual projects.

HISTORY PROJECTS amuse sophomore world history students as they examine sample pyramids, log houses and chronological charts included among the host of features on display. Leonard Reeves and Andy Keefe show Lavina Hostetler and Emma Yafchak how easily the top comes off a pyramid to reveal the interior layout.



SENIOR HOMEMAKERS prepare for the Christmas season by helping Santa make toys. The girls stuffing the animals include Eleanor Gratcar, Elizabeth Nicely, Joan Strumsky, Elizabeth Bialon, and Elizabeth Crouse. Learning to create useful and attractive articles is a phase of work in the related arts department.

Helping Others Makes Hobbies Worth While

Despite the personal complaints and grumbling, the classroom had its own qualities that endeared it to the inmates—the chattering horde of students who brought the human element. In classes every student muttered "Mr. Chairman," and tramped nervously to the front of the room or smiled to himself at French and Spanish dialogue. Those were the days when—

Homemaking girls in cooking class carted a chunk of fudge rolled up in a napkin to their friends—the sewing class drew the attention of the boys sitting near the window in the mechanical drawing room—freshman shop boys raced up to fourth ward school in cold weather to slave over their projects—upperclassmen finished shiny cedar chests and neat end tables.

Biologists discovered that they were homo sapiens as well as human beings—greenies found out how to take a bunsen burner apart but not how to put it together again—mathematicians calculated the answers to five problems in three minutes—plane geometry students used

a whole sheet of tablet paper to do one homework problem—chemists experimented with solvents that smelled like skunk cabbage.

Fellow world history students couldn't determine whether their project models were people of distinction or those of another world—seniors discovered that P. of D. is found in every little phase of school and private life—Latineers translated paragraphs to mean something altogether different from what the writer intended—seniors in physics class stood on the tables to tighten "C" clamps.

Gay young sophomores paid visits to many places by means of English classics—typists chewed their nails to keep them short so they would not click on the keys—junior health students took Oscar apart to see how he ticked and forgot to put his heart back—journalists interviewed teachers and school mates in order to get information for a story.

From the greenie to the stately senior some of these incidents served to highlight the school.



GIRLS' ARCHERY attracts Freshman Dorothy Eaton as her choice among the opportunities for playing outdoors and developing individual skill.

HISTORY PROJECTS interest sophomore Albert Lenz as Jim Harris and Sally Smith show off their models created to illustrate the customs of another period in the history of the world.

BOOKKEEPING PROBLEMS keep sophomore commercial students on the go as the bulletin board announces the end of the fiscal period.

MICROPHONE PRACTICE heips freshman speech problems. Gretchen Badstibner broadcasts, while Loretta Kusinsky, Carl Everett, and Richard Hughes wait their turn.

ENGLISH DEMONSTRATIONS can be dangerous, especially when Martha Steele illustrates shaving techniques with Bill Amatucci as the subject.

ARS MEDICA members Barbara Pohland and Ilse Korneke take their turn at a popular club project, reading to shut-ins. Hospital work has been one of the club's prime interests.



. One More Glance At The



FRENCH CLUB program leaves all bewildered as Mary Ann Funk, George Seitanakis, and Bill Nigro portray famous French characters.

SPANISH CUSTOMS are the subject of discussion for these "amigos," Ann Workman, Tony Cirucci, Bill Lynch, Pat Shaw, and Bill Marsh, who enjoy studying their neighbors' customs.

OVER THE FENCE isn't out for the rugged characters who play volley ball, and beat up the poor ball and collect black and blue marks.

UP AND AT 'EM is the cry of the sophomore medicine ball team as the girls keep the ball rolling, a tough job that frequently finds everyone flat on the floor.

BULLETIN BOARD material in English classes hold the attention of Marcia Fenton, Anita Buerger, Richard Barnhart, Margie Hulton, and Barbara Dorn.

LATIN JOURNALISTS gather information for the next issue of the paper. Chris Slater, Marie Derek, Bob Murray, Pat Hughes, and Marjorie Hulton comprise the staff.

Daily Round In Class Room And Halls

SENIORS

. . . . Half-Century Class Re

SENIOR OFFICERS

President	William Buchanan
Vice-President A	nna Margaret Gross
Secretary	Joan Skoloda
Treasurer	Michael Cirucci
Student Council	John Zamer

As the class of the half century walks through the portals of Latrobe High School for the last time, the words, "Thy sons and thy daughters from far and from near will sing loud thy praises thy name will revere," echo down the hall and they recall all the memories of the

"best years of their lives."

Not only in the words of the anthem but in the pleasant memories of four years of activity, the class of '50 finds a satisfaction that will prevail in their lives forever. Their tirst experiences as "greenies" when Wilber Kirk served as class president, Nancy Erny as vice-president, Beverly Crowe, secretary, Edward Seremet, treasurer, and John Walker, Student Council representative, were the most frightening. Geraldine Hurley overcame the underdog feeling when she played in the all-class play "Brother Goose." Bob Burns won the extemporaneous speaking contest for the freshmen in 1947 to preside as class speaker.

Then under the supervision of Miss Florence Gill, class adviser, today's graduates doffed their robes of green and were sophomores. Barbara Johnstin, class president, Howard Lenz, vice president, Helen Laird, secretary, Alfred Wittenmaier, treasurer and Paul Cline, Student Council representative, pledged "while at work or at play" to serve their class faithfully.

Then the class of '50 pledged 'to be loyal and true" to the upper class ranks. Now they were jolly juniors. Donald Bossart led the class with Dennis Yamber, vice president, Pauline Derek, secretary, Bruce Jenkins, treasurer, and Wayne Johnston, Student Council representative. Robert Morris, Elmer McDonald, Gerald

Schmucker, George Halula, Albert Nigro and Jack Denny received football letters.

The class presented "Dear Ruth" starring Sara Black, Geraldine Hurley, Robert Ritts, Emma Sue Rexrode, Anna McKelvey, Patricia Shaw, Robert Fen'on, Bruce Jenkins and Michael Smetanka. Under Jack Emery they drafted plans for the class flag, with the motto "Sound Minds, Able Citizens." The class of '50 chose the daffodil as their flower and green and gold, their colors. Then came the Juniors biggest thrill, the junior-senior prom. Choosing "Tropical Splendor" as their theme the class fashioned a life-long memory with Barry Blue furnishing the musical background.

Then as the words "we'll sing loud thy praises thy honor proclaim," they marched into the stately senior class. William Buchanan stepped into the limelight as class president with Anna Margaret Gross as vice-president, Joan Skoloda, secretary, John Zamer, treasurer, and Michael Cirucci, Student Council represen-

tative serving under him.

Orations and worry since the beginning of this year produced Wilber Kirk as the top class orator. The Birds' Christmas Carol starring Anna Margaret Gross gave the school the true yuletide spirit. The '50 basketeers copped third place honors in the section, with William Buchanan, Donald Bossart, Howard Lenz, Jack Emery and Edward Walters receiving basketball letters.

Then the key was passed into the hands of the class of '51 and the words "thy sons and thy daughters—" swelled from the throats of the class of the half-century as they marched

forth into the wide-wide world.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS walk out of the portals of Latrobe High School ready to take their places as citizens of tomorrow. Left to right: Joan Skoloda, Michael Cirucci, William Buchanan, John Zamer, and Anna Margaret Gross.

calls Four Years Of Achievement

JANET DIANE ADAMS . . . General . . . Jan . . . freshman extemp preliminaries . . . served on home room committees . . . four year chorus member . . . participated in the Science and Latin clubs.

BETTY JANE AIKENS . . . General . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . . High Post reporter two years . . . member of float committees four years . . . participated in class and home room basketball.

FRANKLIN C. ALLEN . . . C.P.A. . . . Frank . . . member of French and Spanish clubs two years . . . home room president junior year . . junior class moving-up day skit . . football and track candidate.

POROTHEA MILDRED ANKNEY . . . Homemaking . . . Dot . . . home room secretary freshman year . . . member of home room Christmas decoration committees four years . . . senior float committee member.

JOHN LEWIS ARBORE . . . Industrial . . . member of home room Christmas committees four years . . . played woodshop football senior year . . . as well as home room basketball.

MICHAEL BALKO . . . General . . . served his home rooms faithfully in any type of work . . . sang for Mr. Green in Boys' Chorus his freshman, sophomore, and junior year.

ANNA MARY BARNHART . . . General . . . Barney . . . took part in junior English assembly . . . member of Junior Classical League and Ars Medica . . . active in all girls' sports.

ALICE LOUISE BARR . . . General . . . served on senior tea committee . . . participated in intra-mural basbetball, volleyball and hockey . . . helped her home room by lending a hand in programs.

LEONARD R. BENDER . . . Industrial . . . Skutch . . . co-captained machine shop football squad . . assembly play junior year . . member of Student Council . . . candidate for football and track team.

ANDREW G. BENNIE . . . Industrial . . . member of machine shop football team . . . served on float committees . . . was a track candidate freshman and sophomore year . . . played gym class basketball.

FRANCIS L. BENNIE . . . Industrial . . . Frannie . . . decorated home room at Christmas . . co-captained machine shop pigskin delegation . . . participated in intra-mural basketball and volleyball . . . candidate for freshman cinder squad.

ELIZABETH ROSE BIALON . . . General . . . member of Ars Medica Club . . . served as a Junior Guard of Honor . . . greeted guests at prom . . . helped home room Christmas committees . . . gym class tournaments.

DONALD BOSSART . . . C. P. A. . . . Don . . . president of National Honor Society, junior class, home room, and French and Camera clubs . . . varsity basketball . . . winner of the 1949 state doubles tennis championship . . . Student Council.

WILLIAM L. BRONSON . . . Industrial . . . Bill . . . played electric shop football . . . plays baseball in leisure time . . . active in home room programs . . . plans to join the Army Air Force after he has graduated.



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Octette And Organ Bring Sole



WILLIAM DONALD BUCHANAN . . . C. P. C. . . . Bill . . . senior class president and home room president . . . basketball and track letterman . . a member of the Spanish, French clubs and a Junior Historian.

ROBERT E. BURNS . . . C. P. C. . . . Bob . . . four year band member . . . freshman extemporaneous class winner . . . Christmas play senior year . . . decorating committees . . . two year chorus member.



HEDWIG ELIZABETH BUSAM . . . Homemaking . . . always willing to lend a helping hand in home room . . . Choral Reader and a member of the fashion show junior year . . . Girls' Chorus I.

NETTA CHRIS CADZOW . . . General . . . member of home room float committees four years . . . Junior Historian . . . High Post reporter . . . senior home room secretary . . . sang with Girls' Chorus.



NANCY JANE CARNS . . . Home-making . . . Nance . . . active in Ars Medica, History and Science clubs . . . member of Girls' Chorus I . . . plans her future as a nurse . . . participated in home room activities.

DONALD R. CARR . . . General . . . participated in home room activities . . . came from Altoona High School . . . member of the football squad at Altoona . . plans to attend a business school after graduation.



CLAIR J. CASEY . . . General . . . Christmas play senior year . . . float committee . . . Miss Lindner's play committee . . . gym class basketball and track sophomore year . . . Science Club freshman year.

ANTHONY JOSEPH CIRUCCI . . . C. P. C. . . Tony . . . served faithfully on home room committees . . . a two year member of Spanish Club . . Junior Historian . . . a freshman member of Boys' Chorus.



MICHAEL JOSEPH CIRUCCI . . C. P. A. . . Mike . . member of freshman Science Club . . Student Council representative sophomore year . . took part in All Class Play . . senior class treasurer.

JANET JEAN CLARKE . . . General . . . a two year member of Student Service . . . played basketball and hockey freshman year . . enrolled in Commercial and Science clubs . . . Chorus I.



PAUL CLINE . . . General . . . Moose . . . Student Council representative freshman and sophomore years . . Boys' Chorus . . made his stage debut freshman year in a Student Council play.

FRANCIS A. CMAR . . . General . . . Babe . . . four year band and chorus member . . . played golf throughcut high school career . . . freshman home room president and sophomore home room vice-president.



LORETTA I. CORAZZI . . . General . . . Criz . . . vice-president of freshman home room . . . J. C. L. member freshman and sophomore years . . . Student Council representative junior year . . . participated in girls' hockey, basketball, and volleyball.

ELIZABETH CROUSE . . . Home-making . . Betty . . member of Girls' Chorus I . . . on Christmas decorating committees four years . . . participated in home room activities . . . Junior Historian . . . librarian junior year.

mnity To Assembly Devotions

BEVERLEY CROWE . . . Commercial . . . Teddie . . . vice-president of National Honor Society . . . Student Council member . . . librarian junior year . . . Commercial Club member . . . secretary of freshman class . . . home room secretary.

GENE DALTON . . . Industrial . . . Pasty . . . home room committees four years . . . float committee senior year . . . candidate for football and track freshman and sophomore years . . . decorated home room at Christmas time.

DOLORES JEAN DATZ . . . Home-making . . Dee Dee . . Junior Historian . . received basketball and volleyball letters . . decorated home room for Christmas . . participated in home room activities.

RUSSELL ALEXANDER DATZ . . . Industrial . . . Dutch . . . member of Safety Patrol freshman year . . . home room committees all four years . . . played class basketball three years.

GERALD S. DAVIS . . . General . . . Jerry . . . band member freshman and sophomore years . . . two-year Camera Club participant . . . enrolled in the French Club his junior year . . . helped snap informals for 1950 Latrobean.

JOHN ROBERT DENNY . . . General . . . Ton . . . football . . . freshman basketball . . . two-year member of the track squad . . . president of Fire Patrol . . . played home room basketball . . . did not complete course.

PAULINE FRANCES DEREK . . . General . . Paulie . . . secretary of Student Council . . Spanish Club . . secretary of junior class . . . guarded Student Service post . . . secretary of home room sophomore and junior years.

MATTHEW P. DeVITTO . . . Industrial . . . Matt . . . member of machine shop football team . . . played home room basketball . . . participated in home room activities . . . actor in English play sophomore year.

JAMES M. DIBBLE . . . General . . . Jim . . . four year member of band . . . orchestra member for three years . . . participated in musical assemblies . . . three year cinderman.

DONALD DOWNS . . . Industrial participated in home room programs . . . collects guns for his hobby . . . plans to be a machinist after he finishes school.

VIVIAN LOUISE DROSKE . . . General . . . Dimples . . . active member of Ars Medica and debater . . . Choral Reader . . . Shakespearean Reader . . . attended Mt. Alverna Prep freshman year.

NORMA JEAN DUFF . . . C. P. A. Duffy . . . member of Chemistry Club . . . four year member of band and chorus . . . home room president her senior year . . . J. C. L. member.

HARRY C. DUNDORE . . . C. P. A. . . . junior class play committee . . . Junior Town Meeting . . . winner of extemps sophomore year . . . High Post reporter . . . J. C. L. member.

BARBARA JEAN DUTROW . . . Homemaking . . Dutch . . . soloist for Girls' Chorus II concert . . . majorette for three years . . . a two year usher . . . Junior Historian.





Tennis Player Helps Capture State

NANCY MARSHALL EBY . . . Commercial . . . Nan . . . played violin in orchestra four years . . . home room secretary senior year . . . Commercial Club member . . participated in home room activities.

JOHN W. EMERY . . . Industrial . . . Wuss . . . varsity basketball senior year . . . earned track letter as a junior . . . three year chorus member . . . played a trumpet in the band while a freshman.

NANCY ERNY . . . C. P. A. . . . co-editor of Latrobean . . . Christmas play cast . . . make-up committee for three class plays . . . Women's Club contest finalist . . . vice-president of freshman class . . . princess of school dance.

AUDREY FEDELIN . . . General . . . participated in home room programs and committees . . . draws and roller skates as a hobby . . . plans to type in an office after graduation . . . used artistic talent to complete home room decorations.

ROBERT FENTON . . . C. P. C. . . . Bob . . . outstanding in dramatic work . . . chairman of prom decorating committee . . debater . . president and vice-president of sophomore and freshman home rooms.

RUTH ANN FERLIN . . . Homemaking . . . sang in Girls' Chorus four years . . . a member of Ars Medica, Junior Historian, and Science clubs . . . Student Council . . . participated in all sports.

ELEANOR MARIE FINK . . . General . . . participated in home room activities all four years . . . played hockey her freshman year . . . belonged to Spanish Club junior year.

ANN FLOWERS . . . Homemaking . . . Posie . . . head majorette senior year . . . Student Council member . . . Science Club member . . . head usher . . . member of publications.

MARGARET FODIAK . . . Commercial . . . Commercial Club member her senior year . . . home room committees all four years . . . played hockey and basketball.

MAGDALEN FODIAK . . . Commercial . . . member of the Commercial Club . . . participated in home room programs and decorations . . . played volleyball and hockey.

JAMES FOWLER . . . General . . . Fuzzy four year golf candidate . . . played home room health basketball . . . junior home room treasurer . . . a two year member of Boys' Chorus . . home room decorator.

RONALD FRYE . . . General . . . Ron . . . football manager for four years . . . High Post reporter senior year . . . actor in Christmas play . . . home room president junior year.

CHRISTINA M. GILLIS . . . Home-making . . . Kikie . . . participated in class basketball for four years . . . Junior Historian . . . senior usher . . . member of class volleyball team three years.

MOLLIE DEAN GOLDBERG . . . C. P. A. . . Dean . . . all class play junior class play . . . call girl . . . member of the Spanish, Ars Medica. History, J. C. L. clubs . . . Chorus I and Student Service . . . all sports.

Doubles Championship .

BARBARA LEA GOWER . . . General . . . Bonnie . . . member of Chorus I . . . senior librarian . . . participated in library assembly . . . Ars Medica senior year . . J. C. L. during sophomore year.

ELEANOR GRATCAR . . . Homemaking . . . home room treasurer senior year . . . served as an usher junior year . . . active Choral Reader . . . member of home room float committee.

JACQUELINE GREEN . . . General . . Jacie . . secretary of Student Service senior year . . . member of Ars Merica and Chemistry clubs . . . Choral Reader junior year . . . prompter for "Dear Ruth."

CLARENCE E. GREENAWALT . . . Industrial . . . Greeny . . participated in home room activities all four years . . . played home room basketball freshman and sophomore years . . . did not complete course.

MICHAEL J. GRINCH, JR. . . . General . . . Mickey . . . participated in home room activities four years . . . member of senior Christmas decorating committee . . . enrolled in industrial course two years . . . favorite sport is basketball.

ANNA MARGARET GROSS . . . General . . . publications staff member . . . vice-president of senior class . . . queen of Daffy-Dilly Dance . . . three vear Student Council member . . . Christmas play cast . . . librarian . . . Junior Guard of Honor.

SAMUEL P. GUIDICE . . . Industrial . . . "Little Chooch" . . . played freshman football . . . track squad three years . . property committeeman for junior class play . . . freshman float committee . . . cooperative in making successful home room programs.

RICHARD B. GUSKIEWICZ . . . General . . . Gus . . . sports editor of High Post . . . National Honor Society treasurer . . . Quill and Scroll . . . in freshman extemp preliminaries . . . on winning team in Ruth Robb debate . . . copped extemps grand prize senior year.

ARTHUR HACKMAN . . . Industrial . . . Lucky . . . enrolled in electric shop two years . . . Student Council representative . . . member of Safety Patrol three years . . . freshman football and track . . . helped Mr. Lynch after school.

GEORGE HALULA . . . Industrial . . . Tiny . . . football letterman . . . played football his freshman, sophomore, and junior years . . . Science Club member his freshman year Christmas decorating committee his freshman year.

DAVID EUGENE HARR . . . Industrial . . . Jake . . . played home room basketball . . . helped on float committees and with Christmas decorations.

CHARLES E. HARRIS . . . Industrial . . . Chuck . . . home room basketball four years . . . enthusiastic over all sports . . . football is favorite sport.

JAMES WILEY HARTMAN III . . . C. P. A. . . "Irish" . . . Student Council representative . . . enrolled in J. C. L. . . Junior Varsity basketball sophomore year . . . Spanish Club . . Junior Historian.

DONALD A. HAUSER . . . General . . . Patch . . . track candidate his freshman year . . . four year home room committeeman . . . float committee his freshman year . . . spends leisure hours hunting and fishing.

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. . . 'Tropical Splendor' Takes



RICHARD HAUSER . . General . . Dick . . . Student Council representative . . . enrolled in industrial course two years . . . track athlete . . . always seen with rugged North Side gang . . enjoys a good home cooked meal.

THOMAS G. HAUSER . . . Industrial . . Ziggy . . freshman home room president . . . Student Council representative . . . four year Chorus member . . Science Club . . gymnastic squad one year . . served on float committees.

PATRICIA A. HENRY . . . Homemaking . . . Boo . . . a member of the J. C. L. Junior Historians and the Choral Readers . . . Girls' Chorus I . . . participated in all sports while in high school.

REGINA CATHERINE HENRY . . . General . . . Farmer . . . Girls' Chorus I . . . played home room basketball four years . . . Girls' Chorus II one year . . . participated in Choral Readers program.

LEROY HILL . . . Industrial . . . Bee . . . head stage manager . . . played health and gym class basketball . . served on home room committees . . . hails from the mighty Fifth

BETTY JANE HOFFMANN Homemaking . . usher . . . health room attendant . . . Student Service . . . Girls' Chorus I . . . helped on all home room activities . . . spends spare time roller skating.

FRANCES LOUISE HOLLER . . . General . . . usher . . . member of the Student Service . . . always ready to be of assistance in home room . . . active in sports.

ETHEL M. HOLZER . . . Homemaking . . . a member of the Junior Historians . . . participated in all home room programs and committees . . . active in sports.

PAUL WAYNE HORNE . . . Industrial . . . Digger . . . four year band and chorus member . . . took active part in home room programs . . . Christmas decorating committeeman four years . . . favorite sport is hunting.

GERALDINE HURLEY . . . C. P. A. . . . Jay . . . National Honor Society . . . acted in two all class and the junior class play . . . Junior Town Meeting of the air . . . Ruth Robb Debate . . . general chairman for Junior Prom.

MARY JANE JACKSON . . . Home-making . . . Jonie . . . played a clarinet in the band for four years . . . an outstanding basketball player . . . a member of Chorus I.

MARGARET JAPALUCCI . . . General . . . Peg . . . High Post reporter for senior home room . . . participated in junior English assembly . . . Science Club freshmen year.

BRUCE JENKINS . . . C. P. C. . . . president of Student Council . . . National Honor Society . . . senior home room president . . . junior class treasurer . . . acted in the junior class play.

BARBARA A. JOHNSTIN . . . C. P. A. Sarb . . . band and chorus four years . . . member of orchestra junior and senior years . . . sophomore class and home room president . . . National Honor Society.

Prom Trotters To South Seas

WAYNE EDWARD JOHNSTON . . . Industrial . . . B-uno . . . Student Council representative for junior class . . . produced sound effects for junior class play . . . Christmas decoration . . . home room president junior year.

LENORE FRANCES KAHANOWITZ
...C. P. A. . . Lynn . . . High
Post feature editor . . . Quill and
Scroll . . . National Honor Society
"Dear Ruth" . . "Love Thy Neighbor" . . won D. A. R. and Pennsylvania History contests.

HOWARD E. KEEFER . . . Industrial . . . Keff . . . active in home room programs . . . plans to be a machinist after graduation . . . attended Zelienople High School freshman year.

HELEN KEFFER . . . General . . . Keff . . . four year member of the band, chorus, and orchestra . . . secretary of three home rooms . . . J. C. L., History, French and Chemistry clubs.

KATHRYN KEIM . . . General . . . Katie . . . a member of the Spanish, Ars Medica, J. C. L. and Science clubs . . . also a Choral Reader . . . sang in Girls' Chorus I . . . active in home room.

WILBER W. KIRK . . . C. P. C. . . . Wib . . . a four year band member . . orchestra and Boys' Chorus two years . . freshman class president . . home room president . . . spoke over WHJB on Junior Town Meeting.

IRENE H. KITTEY . . . General . . . Kitten . . . broadcaster junior and senior years . . . health room attendant . . . High Post reporter for Spanish Club . . . Ars Medica Club member . . . J. C. L. Club.

ROBERT F. KLAPCHAR . . . Industrial . . . Bob . . . four vear basketball manager . . . Junior-Senior prom decorating committee . . . played class basketball . . . sang in Boys' Chorus while a greenie.

BERNADETTE KOCH . . . Homemaking . . . Bernie . . . member of float committee four years . . . Christmas home room decorations four years . . . played volleyball and basketball "greenie" year.

CLARE KORNIDES . . . Commercial . . . member of Freshman Christmas decorating committee and sophomore float committee . . vice-president of Commercial Club junior year . . . Junior Guard of Honor.

LEON KOSKER . . . Industrial . . . High Post reporter sophomore year . . . Student Council representative junior year . . . participated in boys' home room basketball two years . . . Boys' Chorus two years.

ALICE KREMPASKY . . . Homemaking . . . float committee her senior year . . . fashion show three years . . . class basketball freshman and junior years . . . Christmas decorating freshman and junior years.

LUDWIG KUBICKI . . . General . . . Louie . . . played home room and class basketball . . . a member of the cast of the P. of D. Christmas assembly and junior English play . . . served on Student Service.

HELEN LAIRD . . . Commercial . . . head usher . . secretary of Commercial Club . . High Post typist . . Christmas play committee . . . librarian junior year . . sophomore class secretary.





Four Musicians Play With District

LOUIS J. LAMOSEK . . . Industrial . . . Lou . . . played shop football . . . float and Christmas decoration committees . . played gym volleyball . . . participated in home room activities.

MARCELLA LAPOSKY . . . Commercial . . . Marcie . . . president of sophomore and senior home room . . High Post typist . . . librarian junior year . . usher . . . prom and all class play committees junior year.

JAMES HERBERT LAUGHNER . . . C. P. A. . . . Jim Trouble . . . J. C. L. member his freshman and sophomore years . . . member of Boys' Chorus and Science Club his freshman year . . . did not complete

NANCY JANE LECHNER . . . Commercial . . . Nan . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . . two year member of commercial club . . member of Chorus I . . . participated in home room projects and programs . . . did not complete course.

HOWARD LENZ . . . C. P. C. . . . Howie . . . captain of basketball team . . vice-president of the sophomore class . . . Student Council representative while a freshman . . . French Club and Boys' Chorus.

REGINA LESHO . . . Homemaking . . . Ginny . . . participated in the fashion show throughout high school career . . . played basketball and volleyball . . . junior home room spelling bee winner.

MARILYN LUTTNER . . . General . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . . High Post reporter . . . served as home room secretary and vice-president . . . Girls' Chorus I . . . active in home rooms.

WILLIAM L. LUTTNER . . . Industrial . . . Bill . . . three year basketball candidate . . . shop football . . . active in home rooms . . . gained fame as a baseball pitcher in the D-U League.

WILLIAM L. LYNCH . . . C. P. C. . . . Bill . . . band three years . . . Boys' Chorus . . . freshman home room float committee . . . took part in home room activities . . . class basketball four years.

FLORA MAE MAIERS . . . Homemaking . . . Mazie . . . Girls' Chorus I . . . served on home room committees four years . . . High Post reporter . . . won honorable mention in Reed's fashion contest.

EVELYN MAE MAJOR . . . General . . . Girls' Chorus four years . . . senior home room secretary . . . call girl for all-class plays junior and senior year . . . Spanish Club and Ars Medica.

RICHARD MARCINKO . . . General . . . Dick . . . participated in junior English class assembly . . . served on home room committees his freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior years.

FRANCIS MARKOVICH . . . Industrial . . . Marky . . home room basketball all four years . . . captain of wood shop football team . . . member of track team his sophomore year . . . volleyball two years.

RICHARD H. MARKS . . . Industrial . . . Dick . . . participated in Christmas play his freshman year . . . Boys' Chorus member one year . . . played home room basketball his four years in high school.

Orchestra Festival

RICHARD R. MARSH . . . Industrial . . . Dick . . . home room basketball four years . . . participated in English assembly . . . freshman Science Club member . . . worked on prom decorating committee junior year.

WILLIAM G. MARSH . . . C. P. A. . . . Bill . . . Latin play sophomore year . . . home room basketball freshman and sophomore years . . . member of Latin Club, Science Club, and Spanish Club.

DONALD MARSHALL . . . Industrial . . . Don . . . played on freshman team and class championship basketball squad . . . works in electric shop . . member of home room float committee . . . older of the Marshall twins.

RON MARSHALL . . . Industrial . . . Brub . . . freshman basketball team . . . played freshman home room basketball . . . played football junior year . . . on Christmas decoration committee two years . . . woodshop football senior year.

JEROME LEO MARTIN . . . C. P. A. . . . Jerry . . . member of J. C. L. his freshman year . . . served on home room committees his freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years . . . float decorator.

EMIEL FRANK MARTINO . . . General . . . Briar . . . football manager . . . member of Chemistry and Spanish clubs . . . publications staff member . . . float committee for four years.

CHARLES W. MASSENA . . . C. P. C. . . . Charlie . . . served on Student Council freshman year . . . member of French Club . . . acted in Moving-up Day programs . . . placed first in secondary school chemistry test.

WILLIAM M. McCURDY . . . General . . . Bill . . . sang in Boys' Chorus three years . . . freshman, junior varsity, class and home room basketball . . Latin Club . . . home room float and Christmas decorations committees.

ELMER McDONALD . . . Industrial . . . earned football letter junior year . . . served on Christmas decorating committees . . member of electric shop . . . played class basketball for three years.

JACK McDONALD . . . Industrial . . . class basketball candidate junior year . . . served on varsity football squad three years . . . earned football letter senior year . . . active on home room committees.

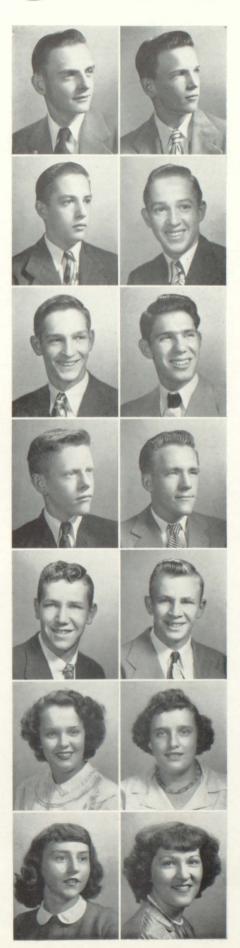
MARILYN McGUIRE . . . Commercial . . . Mac . . . vice-president of Student Council senior year . . . served on float committees . . . orchestra member sophomore and junior years . . . Chorus I and II . . High Post reporter freshman year.

ANNA KATHRYN McKELVEY . . . General . . . Ann . . . Ars Medica member . . Chemistry and Spanish clubs senior year . . junior class play . . J. C. L. . Junior Historian . National Latin Honor Society.

MARIAN L. McLAUGHLIN . . . General . . . Noon . . . Student Council senior year . . . Student Service . . . prom decoration committee junior year . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . . dance invitation committee freshman year.

EVELYN SUE MERVAY . . . General . . . Moof . . . enrolled in J. C. L. . . participated in class play . . . Student Council representative . . . received letter for basketball and volleyball . . . publications staff . . . health room attendant.

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. . Coach Wild Trophy Recogn



JUNE R. MILLER . . . General . . . participated in Christmas play . . . High Post reporter two years . . . member of Girls' Chorus I and J. C. L. . . Spelling Bee contestant her freshman year.

VINCENT P. MILLER . . . Industrial . . . Vince . . . member of Boys' Chorus his freshman year . . . track candidate one year . . . home room committees all four years . . . played home room basketball.



WILLIAM H. MILLER . . . Industrial . . . Bill . . . member of band . . . committee for junior class play . . . track squad . . . played home room basketball four years . . . member of Boys' Chorus.

DORIS JEAN MITCHELL . . . General . . . Mitch . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . Choral Reader . . . vice-president of junior home room . . . Junior Classical League . . Chorus I.



CAROL MOBERG . . . C. P. A. . . . Mce . . . freshman home room president and sophomore home room vicepresident . . J. C. L. member . . . French Club junior and senior year . . . Student Council junior year.

MARGARET FRANCES MOORE . . . General . . . Margie . . . member of Spanish Club senior year . . . appeared in National Education Week play junior year . . . participated in home room activities.



ROBERT BENZ MORRIS . . . General . . . Bob . . . home room officer junior and senior year . . . prom decorating committee junior year . . . football letterman.

GERALD M. NAGEL . . . Industrial . . . Jerry . . . four year band member . . . cinderman sophomore year . . . home room officer for three years . . . member of Boys' Chorus.



JOSEPH NEMCHECK . . Industrial . . . Termite . . . prom decorating committee . . . helped with Christmas decorations . . . participated in home room activities . . . worked in the wood shop.

DAVID JAMES NEWINGHAM . . . General . . . Dave . . . cinderman freshman and sophomore years . . . three year member of Boys' Chorus . . . band member junior and senior year.



ROBERT DAVID NEWMEYER . . . General . . . Bob . . a four year member of the band and chorus . . . High Post reporter while a junior . . a member of the P. of D. Christmas play.

MARY ELIZABETH NICELY . . . Homemaking . . Betty . . . Chorus four years . . . librarian sophomore year . . . secretary of senior home room . . . Christmas decorating committee.



ROBERT A. NICELY . . Industrial . . . Bob . . . sang for Mr. Green in Boys' Chorus . . . junior English play . . . participated in home room basketball tournament.

ALBERT EUGENE NIGRO . . . General . . . Whitey . . . football letterman . . . all county football squad senior year . . . home room president . . . attended Westinghouse High.

izes Athletic Accomplishments

CAROLYN JUNE NINDEL . . . Home-making . . . Carol . . . usher . . . guarded Student Service post . . . member of Girls' Chorus two years . . . Junior Historian and Science Club member . . . participated in home room activities.

DONALD EUGENE NOONAN . . . General . . . Jo Jo . . . earned football letter . . . played class basketball four years . . . Science Club member . . . track squad four years . . . participated in home room activities.

JOHN R. ONEGA . . . Industrial . . . Horses . . . hobby gained him nickname . . likes to give English talks about horses . . future plans is to be a farmer.

GEORGE F. ONUSKO . . . Industrial . . . Muggins . . . member of Boys' Chorus four years . . . active in home room programs . . . plans to join the Army after graduation.

DIANNE PARKER . . . C. P. A. . . . Dy . . . Editor-in-chief of High Post . . . Student Council representative two years . . . Community Chest speaker . . . extemp preliminaries . . . sophomore and junior home room president . . . Quill and Scroll.

SHIRLEY PEFFER . . . Homemaking . . . played clarinet in band four years . . . members of Girls' Chorus four years . . . High Post reporter . . . participated in home room activities . . . helped decorate homecoming float.

GEORGE MATHEW PENN . . . General . . . freshman and sophomore years were spent attending Indiana High School . . . participated in home room basketball and activities.

PATRICIA ANN PEPPERELL . . . Commercial . . Pat . . . High Post reporter . . . treasurer of Commercial Club . . . usher . . property committee for Christmas play . . . attended Connellsville High School.

GERALDINE PERDEW . . . General . . . Gerry . . . vice-president of freshman home room . . Junior Historian . . . Girls' Chorus I . . participated in fashion show . . make-up committee for all class play.

MARTHA LORENA PERSHING . . . Homemaking . . . home room secretary junior year . . . participated in fashion shows . . . won second in homemaking contest at Reed's . . . costume committee for all class play.

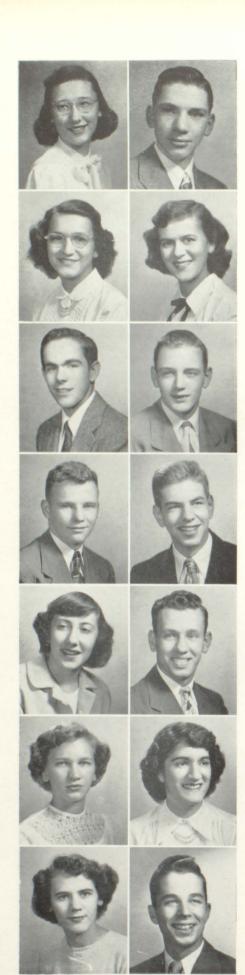
DORCAS LA VERNE PIPER . . . General . . . Pip . . . active in Chemistry and Spanish clubs . . member of Girls' Chorus . . . extemp preliminaries . . . secretary of sophomore home room . . . J. C. L. member.

JOANNA P. PLANINSEK . . . Home-making . . . guarded Student Service posts two years . . . Student Council member . . . committee for all class play . . . ticket salesman for class play .

BARBARA L. POHLAND . . . General . . . Poe . . . Student Council member . . . active in Ars Medica and J. C. L. . . member of Girls' Chorus and orchestra . . . committees for class plays.

ROBERT D. REEPING . . . General . . . Bob . . . class ping pong champ freshman and senior years . . . Science Club and Boys' Chorus freshman year . . . French Club junior year.





Speech Contest Finalists Tremble

EMMA SUE REXRODE . . . C. P. A. . . all class plays sophomore, junior and senior year . . . junior class play . . . member of Science Club freshman year . . . French Club two years . . . participated in Ruth Robb Debate.

LEONARD V. RIDILLA . . . Industrial . . . Len . . . float committees his freshman and senior years . . . Christmas decorating committee his sophomore year . . participated in junior English class play "Halls of Valhalla".

MARTHA JANE RIDILLA . . . General . . . Ars Medica senior year . . . four year J. C. L. member . . . National Latin Honor Society three years . . . Science Club freshman year . . . Junior Guard of Honor.

MARY MARTHA RIDILLA . . . Homemaking . . participated in several fashion shows . . member of Girls' Chorus I . . . Junior Guard of Honor . . . active in home room programs.

BURHL EUGENE RILEY . . . Industrial . . . Gene . . . member of Boys' Chorus his freshman year . . . enrolled in electric shop . . . participated in English assembly play his junior year.

ROBERT RITTS . . . C. P. A. . . . Dutch . . . two year J. C. L. member . . . French Club two years . . . member of Junior Historians . . . Spanish and Science club member . . . junior class play.

WILLIAM C. ROBB . . . Industrial . . . Al . . . fire patrol junior and senior years . . . ping pong tournament . . home room basketball two years . . . chorus freshmen year . . . participated in English class assembly.

HENRY J. ROMERSA . . . General . . . Hank . . . freshman home room president . . . four year member of band, orchestra, and chorus . . J. C. L. sophomore year . . French and Chemistry clubs senior year . . . Junior Historian.

MILDRED LOUISE ROUTCH . . . C. P. A. . . . co-editor of Latrobean . . . member of Spanish and Chemistry clubs . . . debater . . . basketball ticket salesman . . . float committees.

PAUL D. ROZINSKY . . . Industrial . . . Pal . . . played on class basket-ball team for four years . . . spends spare time working on early morning milk truck . . . participated actively in home room activities.

FLORENCE JEAN SARP . . . C. P. A. . . . Jeanie . . . four year chorus member . . . vice-president of Spanish Club senior year . . . Junior Historian . . . Camera Club and J. C. L. freshman year.

RUTH JOYCE SAXMAN . . . General . . . Sax . . . four year member of Girls' Chorus . . . Camera Club freshman year . . . Junior Historian . . . Student Council senior year . . . read Bible in assembly.

GERALD SCHMUCKER . . . General . . . Smuck . . . football captain senior year . . . president of junior home room . . . High Post reporter sophomore year . . . four year member of football and basketball team.

As Audiences Applaud.

SENIORS

SUSANNE SCHULTHEIS . . . Commercial . . . Sue . . . Commercial Club junior and senior years . . . Student Service junior year . . . won a letter in hockey . . . Girls' Chorus I.

BENEDICT C. SEDLACKO . . . Commercial . . . Benny . . . home room basketball four years . . . president of Commercial Club senior year . . . participated in Commercial Club assembly . . . likes to go hunting.

GEORGE P. SEITANAKIS . . . C. P. A. . . . Sike . . . property committee chairman of junior play . . . Student Council representative . . . Junior Historian . . J. C. L. member . . . French Club . . . played intra-mural basketball.

PATRICIA LOUISE SHAW . . . C. P. A. . . . Pat . . . member of Girls' Chorus . . . Student Council member . . . majorette three years . . . active in Spanish Club and J. C. L. . . . Christmas and junior class play cast.

DOROTHY MAE SHEARER . . . General . . . Dot . . . home room secretary three years . . . enrolled in J. C. L. . . . band two years . . . played basketball and volleyball . . . Junior Historian.

JANET GAYLE SHOWERS Homemaking . . . member of Girls' Chorus four years . . . Science Club member . . . participated in style show . . . active in home room programs.

JOAN MARIE SKOLODA . . . General . . . Ski . . . secretary of senior class . . . president of home room two years . . vice-president of home room one year . . Chorus I . . . in J. C. L. . . . Moving-Up Day.

MICHAEL JOSEPH SMETANKA . . . C. P. A. . . . Mike . . . acted in junior class, English, and Latin plays . . member of the Spanish and Latin clubs . . . played home room basket-ball.

ESTELLA MAE SMITH . . . Home-making . . . style show junior year . . . played basketball and volleyball . . . home room programs and committees . . . spends spare time collecting postcards.

GLORIA IRENE SMITH . . . General . . . participated in home room programs all four years . . . usher her junior and senior years . . . member of Girls' Chorus I her freshman year.

MARGARET LILLIAN SMITH . . . General . . . Margie . . an usher for two years . . . member of the History Club and Chorus I . . . freshman High Post reporter . . . plays volleyball.

MARIAN JEAN SMITH . . . General . . . Chick . . . decorating committee for prom . . . Choral Reader . . . participated in home room activities . . . active in volleyball and basketball.

WALTER SMITH . . . Industrial . . . Butch . . . took part in home room programs and served on committees . . . regular cattle car rider . . . plans to become an automobile mechanic.

OLIVE ELIZABETH SQUIBBS . . . General . . . Ollie . . . transferred from Ligonier High School senior year . . . spends spare time dancing, swimming, and reading . . . home room programs and activities.



SENIORS

Basketeers Battle Monessen



CORNELIUS JOHN STASIK . . . Industrial . . . Connie . . . plans to be a machinist . . . devotes his outside hobbies to fishing and camping . . . active in home room activities . . . grabs the Dorothy bus daily.

BETTY JOANNE STEELE . . . General . . . High Post reporter . . . junior class play committee . . . J. C. L. and Junior Historian member . . . Christmas play cast . . . attended Derry Twp. High School.



JOANNE BETTY STEELE . . . General . . . Jody . . . member of J. C. L. and Girls' Chorus freshman year . . . played sophomore class basketball and volleyball . . . Junior Historian.

ERNEST STEWART . . . Industrial . . . Stew . . . played home room basketball four years . . . participated in home room activities . . . decorated home room for Christmas.



FRANK STEWART . . . General . . . Junior . . . member of Boys' Chorus sophomore and junior years Science Club . . . played in a dance orchestra for the past two years.

DOLORES JOAN STRUMSKY . . . Homemaking . . member of Girls' Chorus four years . . usher . . . participated in fashion shows . . . served at senior tea freshman year.



JEAN FRANCES STUMPF . . . General . . . member of Student Council her senior year . . . played basketball all four years . . . member of Girls' Chorus I her freshman 'year . . likes softball.

JOAN EILEEN SWIECZKOWSKI . . . General . . Cheese . . member of Student Service . . Ars Medica member . . played basketball four years . . participated in all class play "Mistakes at the Blakes."



RAY TANTLINGER . . . Industrial . . . Tank . . . member of track squad . . . out for football sophomore year . . hopes to spend his future as a State Police . . active in home room activities . . . develops craftsmanship in woodshop.

JUANITA K. TAYLOR . . . Commercial . . . Wanny . . . Christmas play cast . . Student Council representative . . three year orchestra member . . Commercial and Camera clubs . . home room secretary . . member of Chorus I.



WILLIAM FRED TEPPER . . . General . . . Tep . . . band and orchestra four years . . . three year member of chorus . . . freshman home room president . . participated in ping pong tournament senior year.

ARLENE M. TOBIAS . . . General . . . secretary of junior home room . . . helped make the junior flag . . . served on prom committee . . member of Latin Club sophomore year . . . basketball and hockey.



JAMES A. THOMPSON . . Industrial . . . Stupe . . . all class play senior year . . member of junior class play . . . High Post and Latrobean sports writer two years . . . active in the wood shop.

EVELYN LOUISE TREAGER . . . General . . Lou . . . Choral Reader . . home room programs and committees . . appeared in assembly program junior year . . hobby is drawing.

In County Tournament Finals

DCNALD D. TROY . . . General . . . Duck . . . home room decorations and committees . . . played home room basketball . . . spends spare time rabbit hunting . . . plans to become a CPA.

ROSALIA VADAS . . . General . . . Rosie . . . home room activities four years . . . class basketball three years . . . sophomore and junior volleyball team . . . played hockey freshman year.

ALFRED E. ULISHNEY . . . Industrial . . . Al . . . electric shop play . . . entered electric shop contest . . . collects football and baseball pictures . . . active in home room activities.

JOSEPH WILLIAM VARGOVICH . . . General . . . Joe . . . home room basketball and volleyball . . . participated in programs and aided on committees . . plans to join the Army after graduation.

CLAIRE G. VOEGELE . . . General . . . active in J. C. L. . . . usher . . . member of class basketball champs junior year . . . played volleyball, hockey and basketball . . . participated in home room activities.

JOHN GREGORY WALKER . . . General . . . Monk . . . peppy cheerleader . . . played class basketball . . . Moving-Up Day skits . . . member of tennis squad . . . football manager freshman year . . . Student Council.

ROBERT J. WALKER . . . Industrial . . . Doke . . . band member . . . secretary-treasurer of Fire Patrol . . . member of golf squad . . . High Post reporter . . . played home room basketball.

LAWRENCE EDWARD WALTERS . . . Industrial . . . Ditty . . . played guard on varsity basketball . . . in WPIAL track meet . . band member sophomore year . . . played home room basketball.

REGIS WASCO . . . Industrial . . . Reg . . . pounded the gavel as vice-president of his freshman home room . . . entered winding and other electrical work in the Lions Club Contest.

MARGARET E. WILSON . . . General . . . Marge . . . member of Girls' Chorus four years . . . usher . . . Christmas play cast . . . participated in home room activities . . . active in girls' sports.

DON WINKLOSKY . . . General . . . Abby . . . member of Boys' Chorus four years . . . in gymnastics . . . track squad member . . . participated in home room activities.

ALFRED WITTENMAIER . . . Al . . . two year band member . . . sang with Boys' Chorus four years . . . played basketball and football his freshman and sophomore years.

ANN WORKMAN . . . General . . . prompter at All Class Play . . . treasurer of Spanish and History clubs . . extemp finals . . . home room president two years . . . prom committee . . . Junior Guard of Honor.

DENNIS S. YAMBER . . . General . . . publications business manager . . . junior class vice-president . . . Student Council member two years . . . home room president junior year . . . in Moving-Up Day program.





. . . Commencement And Diplomas











KAY YELLENIC . . . General . . . active in Camera Club and Junior Historian . . . Choral Reader . . participated in junior English assembly, and home room spelling contests .

JOSEPH A. YOHMAN . . . General . . . member of Spanish Club . . . served on costume committee for "Dear Ruth" . . . Junior Class Play ticket salesman . . . Christmas decorating committee.

EDWARD ANDREW ZABKAR . . . General . . . Eddie . . . Quill and Scroll member . . . presides over the Student Service . . . publications advertising manager . . three year golf letterman . . . J. C. D.

JOHN ZAMER . . . C. P. A. . . . Jack . . . Student Council representative for senior class . . . active in J. C. L., Spanish and Chemistry clubs . . member of Boys' Chorus . . . home room activities.

CONSTANCE S. ZUNDEL . . . C. P. A. . . . Ccnnie . . . J. C. L., Chemistry and French club member . . . Choral Reader . . Junior Class Play committee . . football salesman . decorated home room for Christmas.



In Memory Of

SARA ELIZABETH BLACK

JUNE 11, 1932

JULY 18, 1949

who was fatally stricken with infantile paralysis on the very threshold of enjoying and treasuring the fruits of her accomplish-

Sara displayed remarkable talent in all her undertakings, and they were many. She was an active member of the music department, playing the clarinet in band and orchestra and accompanying girls' chorus. She participated in all girls' athletics, was active in forensics and garnered a part in the junior class play.

Sara became a member of the National Honor Society as a junior, a credit to her abilities. All the graduates of 1950 acknowledge and regret the loss of Sara, an unforgotten class leader.

Conclude Another Successful Year

WOODWORKERS David Harr, William Harr and Clarence Greenawalt look over plans before starting a new shop project.

CEDAR CHEST construction needs extra hands of Richard Marsh and Francis Markovich as Joseph Nemcheck squares up his job and gets the clamps on.

SENIOR RINGS arrive and Robert Shaw, Norma Jean Duff and Howard Lenz have to stop in the hall to look them over.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES displayed on the hall bulletin board attract seniors Donald Noonan and Loretta Corazzi.

CLEANING DUTIES fall to seniors in Council Room. Marian Mc-Laughlin dusts, Jean Stumpf and William Robb take care of floor.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS depict Santa's Barber Shop as 102's committee aided by Mollie Goldberg, Dolores Datz and Robert Fenton get ready for the judges.



Joanna Planinsek

Richard Guskiewicz

Emma Sue Rexrode

Robert Klapchar

Dianne Parker



ALBUM OF PERSONALITIES

Spotlight Of Individual

Patty-Cake, Patty-Cake . . .

and similar homemaking activity sounds are easily associated with talented Joanne Planinsek, for Joanne loves to spend her time in the home economics cottage experimenting with new foods. Her work has never failed to win good grades either. Above everything, dress designing rates first with Joanne. "It's my future," she says.

Burning the Midnight Oil . . .

has won many a scholar his reputation. Richard Guskiewicz, however, has not limited himself to strictly scholastic activities. He has served as sports editor of the High Post, treasurer of the National Honor Society and as a member of Quill and Scroll. In addition to winning the Ruth Robb Debate as a junior and the Kiwanis extemp title this year, he has been associated with Boys' Chorus and many home room activities. Service on the Student Service filled out his well rounded four year program.

Speaker's Spotlight Shines . . .

on Geraldine Hurley, who devoted her free time to speech activities. "Jay" made her debut as a sophomore in the Ruth Robb debate. Since then she has been heard from as student director of an all class play, as a reporter on the Broadcasting Class's bi-weekly newscasts and as a speaker on the Junior Town Meeting program.

Music Hath Charms . . .

which first snared Henry Romersa as a freshman. That year he gave himself up to the band, orchestra, and boys' chorus. During the following years, "Hank" never missed a note of active participation in his three great loves. He finally wound up as a Latrobe representative to the district chorus and district orchestra. His plans will tie him to music for life—as a music teacher.

Take A Letter . . .

is the request which produces a quick and efficient response from Beverley Crowe. Efficiency has become routine to her, for Beverley has served as freshman class and home room secretary. Although many extra duties as Student Council representative and librarian demand her time, "Teddie" always managed to gain high





Achievement Shines On Senior Standouts

honors. She was vice-president of the National Honor Society.

Footlights and Grease Paint . . .

hold special charm for Emma Sue Rexrode who has appeared in plays since her freshman year. She has been a member of the casts of "The Late Christopher Bean," "Dear Ruth," "Love Your Neighbor," and "Mistakes at the Blakes." Her talent also has found expression in the fields of art and literature where she won prizes both in scholastic writing contests and scholastic art contests. However, the actress of the year is going to be an art teacher.

Molds and Lathes . . .

have molded and shaped Robert Klapchar's high school career which revolved around the workshop's drills and saws. Known for his accomplished workmanship, Bob also took time to prove his capabilities as a high honor student and as an efficient basketball manager for the Wildcat varsity. Thus he too acquired the polish of a finished product.

Newspaper Know How . . .

earned Dianne Parker the distinctiton of

being the top journalist in the class of 1950. "Dy" spent her senior year turning out top notch bi-weekly editions of the High Post. Her service on the Student Council and her venture into radio as a participant on the Junior Town Meeting program also deserve special mention.

Block That Kick . . .

has a familiar ring to Gerald Schmucker whose second home has been the gridiron. Gerry, who won a letter his junior year, led the '49 football squad to five victories. Gerry also displayed considerable ability as a track man his sophomore year and as a home room basketball competitor for four years. His versatility earns him the title "class athlete."

Follow the Leader . . .

best describes the pace Donald Bossart set for the class of 1950. Science Club members elected him vice-president and the J. C. L. selected him for vice-consul his freshman year. He led the grand march last spring as junior class president. Don climaxed his four year career as he wielded the gavel for the National Honor Society his senior year.



Geraldine Hurley

Henry Romersa

Beverley Crowe

Gerald Schmucker

Donald Bossart

JUNIORS

Third Year Men Slave To Make 'Showboat' Tops

OFFICERS

Presiden	t	Benjamin	Lowenstein
Vice-President		Dona	ld Domenic
Secretar	y	Ani	ita Buerger
Treasure	r	Mar	y Ann Funk
			McKenzie

Juniors took turns trying on the new sophisticated poses that they will assume in front of the camera as seniors before the next year is out.

Class elections, first concern of the year, set up the organization: The banging of President Benjamin Lowenstein's gavel; Vice-President Donald Domenic serving as committee head; Anita Buerger's minutes; treasury reports by Mary Ann Funk; and ideas taken to Council by Ronald McKenzie. This is a picture taken at every meeting.

A flower, motto and flag provided things to be remembered in the future: hard work of Priscilla Beatty's committees; the selection of the motto "Truth Above All"; choosing a white rose as the flower; setting plans for the flag of maroon on white; hours of deliberation by Eleanor Volek, Helen Jane Moersch, John Paior and Regis Kessler. They served well the class of 1951.

To serve and protect their fellow students, seven juniors worked on Safety and Fire Patrols; shrill whistle tooting by Fred Wegley, Captain of Safety Patrol; Lawrence Morrisey regulating traffic; William Richwine, William Adams, William Berkmyre, Roger Caldwell and





PASSING THE KEY features Moving Up Day as '51's Ben Lowenstein accepts the obligation from Senior President Bill Buchanan.

BACK STAGE managers and actors wait for their cue and call girls' signal, "On stage for act one."



PROM PLANS occupy junior class officers' spare time. Ronald McKenzie, Mary Ann Funk and Anita Buerger sympathize with President Ben Lowenstein who collapses in the nearest seat after a trying session as Vice-President Donald Domenic considers first aid.



JUNIOR CHEMISTS Libby George, Bill Hoffmann, and Abe Harman learn it takes manipulation to get the right results in an experiment.

BIOLOGISTS go way back to the beginning of time for soap-carving subjects and poster displays.

ite checking corridors and rooms Lowenstein, Sa

Francis Hurite checking corridors and rooms whenever a fire alarm sounded. Their main concern was protection in a time of need.

Athletics: heroes of the gridiron and hardwood courts; cheering crowds as boys played their hearts out for the team; proud display of football letters at the season's end by Donald Domenic, Francis Glamp, Charles Carpowich, John Rudy, Joe Pry and John Paior; Fred Wegley, Joe Jioio, John Gangemi and Joe Scarfi also piled up a required twenty quarters. Hopes of repeating section championship and brokenhearts with every loss for William Adams, Tom Buchneitner, Edward Smith and Michael Pagnanelli, the only juniors on the basketball squad.

Junior thespians were caught in action as cameras flashed: stage directions from William "Cecil" Richwine; long practice sessions; sides to memorize; opening night jitters for Patricia Luttner, Dolores Beltz, Fred Wegley, Benjamin BOOK COVERS peddled by Nancy Hardy start a small traffic jam of juniors in the back hall.

RUDOLPH'S RED NOSE wins 117 the Christmas prize. Beverly Grote congratulates Decorator Bill Hoffmann as Francis Hurite and Leonard Kostley look on.

Lowenstein, Sally Lewis, Tom Godish, Francis Hurite, Marilyn Wellen, and Leonard Kostley; the laughs and tears of "Parlor Story"; antics of four other junior boys in "Late Christopher Bean." Reminiscences of amateur careers are pleasant.

Musical department: left lacking if minus the juniors' efforts; long victory marches for the band; openings and closings of every assembly; "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "Stout Hearted Men" theme songs for Girls' and Boys' Chorus; the distinction gained by Mary Morrell, chosen as the only Latrobe student for "All State Band"; juniors participating in district chorus, band, orchestra. These are important events of which classmates can be proud.

Sports, culture, education and extra curricular activities helped prepare the juniors so they might take their place as leaders in the school tomorrow.

THE JUNIOR CLASS

"Parlor Story" Ridicules Politics As '51's Dramatists



First Row: Atkinson, Badstibner, D. Bridge, Byce, W. Adams, Banner, Barkley, Baluh, Beam.

Second Row: Apone, Barkley, Baker, J. Bridge, Bayura, E. Adams, Caldwell, Buchleitner, Bell, Berkmyre.

Third Row: J. Baker, M. Baker, Bigg, Bortz, Beatty, Ambrose, Beltz, Botts, Buerger, Berenbrok.



First Row: Dira, Glamp, Frisky, Godish, Domenic, Dunlap, Carnahan, Carpowich, Gallagher, Evans.

Second Row: Gangemi, Eversole, Gornick, Gillis, Dorn, Ferlin, Campbell, Ghrist, Gessler, Downs, Elder.

Third Row: Clark, Carns, J. Frye, Clair, Emrick, Felice, Eamigh, George, Derek, Funk, M. J. Frye.



First Row: Kaminski, Laughrey, Harman, Jioio, Kostley, D. Hudock, W. M. Hoffman, Hurite, Hall.

Second Row: Koptyra, Heming, Kendra, Hoffman, Kessler, Gravatt, Kunkle, Greene, Hauser, Hardy.

Third Row: Hayes, Helfferich, Herminzek, M. Hudock, Gower, Jackman, Lawrence, Grote, Lape.

Face Footlights

First Row: Lesho, Lentz, Mazon, Lowenstein, Micklow, Lawson, Lizza, Mekic, Mowry, McMasters, T. Luttner.

Second Row: P. Luttner, Lynch, Lewis, Medwid, Morrisey, Mc-Cleary, McAtee, McIntire, Long, McFeaters, Lindstrom, Macey.

Third Row: Layton, Morrison, Mc-Mahen, Marinchek, Morrell, Moersch, Madey, Miller, Mitchell, McKenzie, McAteer, Lenz.

First Row: Palmer, Pagnanelli, Newcomer, D. Myers, Pevarnik, Novak, Pry, Paior, Richwine, Perdew, Peterson.

Second Row: Muir, Poole, Nigro, Phillipi, S. Myers, Poerstel, Newingham, Pagnotta, E. Nindle, Porembka, Nace, Petrarca.

Third Row: Nemcheck, M. Nindle, S. Moyer, Murphy, Pustay, O-Hara, Parizek, D. J. Myers, Perricelli, Pennesi, Pomerendolph, Musick.

First Row: Rose, Roble, E. Smith, D. Shick, J. W. Smith, R. Shirey, Scarfi, M. Smith, Shaw.

Second Row: S. Smith, Sibel, Ross, J. S. Smith, Ruffner, Rudy, Slate, B. Shirey, Sistek, B. Smith.

Third Row: Sessi, Schott, Siders, M. R. Smith, P. Shick, D. Smith, Slivoskey, Rugh, Sarp, Robb.

First Row: Taylor, Wright, Wegley, Stahl, Youdech, Zacur, Tobias, Thompson, Tlumach, Yuhasz.

Second Row: Sromko, Todd, Zitterbart, Woods, Volek, Sysier, Wellen, Wallbaum, Sullivan, Wells.

Third Row: Yandrick, W. Stanko, Stickler, Vittone, T. Stanko, Zenone, Swintek, Stoup, Torba, Zenk.











SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS examine dance programs for "The Country Store." Left to right: Patricia Robinsky, James Roof, Donald Lazarchik, Vincent Rizzo and Rose Marie Cirucci.

SOPHOMORES

Girl Takes Dramatic Lead
In All Class Production

OFFICERS

President	Vincent Rizzo
Vice-President	James Roof
Treasurer	Rose Marie Cirucci
Student Council	Patricia Robinsky
Secretary	Donald Lazarchik

While on the job snapping pictures of outstanding events in the school the cameraman could not help noticing the sophomores as they copied the ideal upperclassmen to prepare themselves to step ahead come the new year.

Administration: old hands at the task, sophomores knew that good leaders make a good class; Miss Adeline Reeping supervising nominations; homeroom balloting, tallying and then results; Vincent Rizzo presiding; James Roof as his right hand man; hurried minutes from Donald Lazarchik; Rose Marie Cirucci balancing accounts; "Our class requests that ——" from Patricia Robinsky at the Student Council meetings. The camera caught these little political bosses in action.

Athletics: keeping the bench warm or roughing up the game, the picture showed the sophomores operating beyond the scope of any textbook; gridiron glances found Ronald Lynch, Martin Westfall and Andrew Keefe in varsity positions; sophomores were the mainstays of the junior varsity encounters; hardwood headlines for Albert Lenz, Robert Mueseler, Vincent Rizzo and Joseph Caruso; classy ball handlers Charles Bell and Ronald Lynch; Hugh Shields, Roger Beidler and Martin Westfall three tall

ORGAN MUSIC bring appreciative expression from the onlookers as Martin Helenic practices the assembly hymn.

PATROL PROCEDURE gives underclassmen a chance to get in the "know" on what to do when Captain Fred Wegley blows the whistle.





boys; Andrew Keefe, the only underclassman to play varsity; track, tennis and pingpong all dominated by the boys to graduate in '52.

Activities: Not wanting to be outdone the girls set the pace as leaders in all kinds of weather; Gwen Syster, Joan Leccia, Patricia Robinsky and Irene Lupchinsky, high stepping twirlers from the sophomore ranks; Donald Lazarchik strutting ahead of the band as drum major: leading the band or leading cheers, sophomores could usually be found out in front. These leaders of today work hard in preparing to become the leaders of tomorrow.

Acknowledgements; now that they have been around for two years sophomore virtues are beginning to be recognized; Joan Cline won the election for Student Council treasurer; Selma Hanna and Rose Marie Cirucci acted out parts in the all class play; Lois Fowler and John Ondriezek helped other sophomore BBC'ers air the news twice weekly; Gerald Hackman and Donald Pearson kept students and autos apart with their red Safety Patrol flags; Martin Helenic introduced the ballet in to the school life; Martha Lowe was crowned Latin Queen in Pittsburgh; speaking and writing awards went to the sophomores. They studied hard for the honors granted them.

The camera now has recorded these gay young sophomores preparing to take over in all fields next year as jolly juniors. Whether they be an outstanding scholar, athlete, leader or just a regular fellow everyone helped shape the destiny of his class.

SING A SONG of Six Pence or any other tune say sophomores who insist it helps chase away school day blues and keeps a fellow away from his studies.

LIGHT LUNCH or a full course meal is all in a day's work for homemaking sophomore girls.

NEWSPAPER KIBITZERS get rough treatment among the sophomores when High Posts come out and an "over-the-shoulder reader" shows up.

DANCE POSTERS keep sophomore Council members Marjorie Gearing, Phyllis Goldberg, and Robert Frye hustling.















First Row: Carota, A. Carr, Bell, Battaglia, Buerger, Beidler, Albert, Baker, M. Carr, Brehun.

Second Row: Barr, Adams Campbell Allshouse, Austraw, Borza, Bender, Carnahan, Barnhait, Bridge, P. Berenbrook.

Third Row: Burke, Caruso, Barlock, Anthony, Ashley, Camaione, Bebin, Brauchler, Carns, Bowman, Bridge, Bailey.

First Row: Cervi, Ferguson, I.
Demangone, Fink, H. Davis,
C. Eiseman, Evans, Cogan, Detrow, Casterwiler.

Second Row: A. Felbaum, M.
Demangone, Cline, Flack, N.
Eiseman, Cirucci, Fetsic, Forsha, J. Davis, Donahoe, R. Felbaum.

Third Row: Downs, Fleming, Dowden, Caylor, Fowler, Derek, Edwards, Fodiak, Fontaine, Fenton, Clister.

First Row: R. Freeman, Greenawalt, Halula, Mueseler, Frye, Fowler, Mowry, Gritzer, Hazlett, Himic.

Second Row: Hanna, Moyher, M. R. Freeman, Moran, Franks, Henry, Hackman, Hajas, Graham, Gearing, Heitchue, Gerhart.

Third Row: J. E. Harris, Fox, Harr, R. Hauser, Hanchosky, Gresh, J. W. Harris, Galimberti, Helenic, J. Helman, J. Helman, Goldberg.

First Row: Jackson, Kwaczala, D. Hoffman, Keefe, Johnson, Kissel, Konkoly, Kornides, Hoke, Kasunic, Hudock.

Second Row: Johnston, Hunter, Lantzy, Himler, B. Hoffman, King, Hulton, Lambert, Kloock, Korneke, Hostetler, Hvizdos.

Third Row: Krinock, Jones, Hughes, Kuhn, R. Kostelnik, J. Himler, Hostovich, R. Kornides, Kuba, Hoehler, Hinger, R. Kozar.

THE CLASS

First Row: Mackey, Long, Moffa, W. Matthews, H. Luttner, Moran, A. Lattanzio, McMasters, Lazarchik, Lenz, R. Lynch.

Second Row: Major, Mitchell, Mc-Guire, L. Luttner, K. Lynch, Larry, Lavin, Lowe, Lupchinsky, Little, McFeaters, M. Matthews, Loncharich.

Third Row: McIlnay, Laposky, Milligan, Lazur, Leccia, Miller, R. Marks, D. Lattanzio, Martino, Matias, P. Marks, McCleary.

First Row: Nace, Patrick, M. Musick, J. Murphy, Reeves, T. Reeping, Nagy, O'Hara, Pearson, Ondriezek.

Second Row: Pavlovcak, R. Murphy, R. Musick, Novak, Orzehowski, P. Murphy, Okonak, Peffer, Rachocki, E. L. Myers, Powers.

Third Row: Nolf, Murray, P. Myers, O'Barto, Rexrode, Prasnitz, Onega, Reynolds, Panichelle, Onusko, Piper, Paxton, Palmer.

First Row: M. Smith, M. Ridilla, Smetanka, Ruffner, F. Smith, Semanchek, Shields, Shandel, W. Shaffer, Robinsky.

Second Row: S. Smith, Shirey, Roof, Rizzo, Steppic, Sedlacko, Shaulis, C. Shaffer, Schmucker, S. Smith, Ridilla.

Third Row: Souil, Rigby, Stackowitz, Shaffer, L. Stewart, Robinson, N. Snyder, Slater, Steinmetz, Roble, Sarnese, D. Snyder.

First Row: West, Zylak, F. Ulishney, Wittenmaier, Wechuck, Tarnazie, Westfall, Vasinko, Straka, Swintek, Taylor.

Second Row: Syster, Wasco, Vadas, M. Ulishney, Taylor, Stickle, Vargo, Tosh, C. Suda, Trump, Weppleman, Tenerowiz, Wible.

Third Row: Witkins, Yafchak, Zurick, Walker, Thomas, Trynock, B. Ziegeníus, Tosh, H. Ziegeníus, Toner, A. Suda, Wil-











FRESHMEN

New Opportunities Inspire Greenies To Look Ahead

OFFICERS

President	Richard Domenic
Vice-President	William Adams
Secretary	Gretchen Badstibner
Treasurer	Barbara Fischer
	James Hauser

Greenies of every shade reflected in the camera while the class of 1953 put on their best smiles as highlights of the year became lasting pictures in the album of high school memories.

Leaders: like a small community in action, the freshmen held elections; Miss Irene Mertz steered the beginners in class government; popular vote found Richard Domenic as prexy; William Adams as able assistant; Gretchen Badstibner keeping records; a balanced account Barbara Fischer's constant worry; James Hauser serving his classmates on the Student Council. It proved a big new job for little people.

Barronettes: a first year for all in major sport competition; learning the ropes the hard way in basketball and football; spirits soared with every win or loss; Jeannette and Greensburg provided needed experience; Moranelli to Palek pass combination gave the greenies their tally; hardwood season came next into the spotlight; Bob Stumpf, Domenic and Adams sparked the frosh contingent; Junior WPIAL tournament showed the boys what is in store for them as varsity members; they proved themselves also as the unsung heroes of the sports world, the managers. Coach Barron





HOMECOMING DAY frosh prospectors discover good digging in Latrobe High School as they search for good sportsmanship.

LOCKER GOSSIP finds the girls doing all the talking as usual, while the gentlemen wait to get in a word of their own.



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS busy themselves discussing plans for future home room programs. Barbara Fischer and Gretchen Badstibner sit in front and read ideas, while James Hauser, William Adams and Richard Domenic look on from behind.



FROSH FIND NEW ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES

ORANGE AND BLACK is a regular call after school for that coke that refreshes.

BEWILDERMENT plagues freshmen vocabulary builders as they get to rooting in the library—particularly when the rooting is in the unabridged.

MECHANICAL DRAWING has its problems too as Freshman Bob Steele starts his high school career with a new subject.

POPCORN FESTIVAL serves as the theme for 208's decorations. "Eating During Class Prohibited," declared the decorators.

taught these boys their stuff for further use.

Greasepaint and spotlights: with Broadway in their views, greenies first displayed acting talent in "Courtship of Miles Standish" as the Thanksgiving assembly skit; leading roles fell on the shoulders of Francis Peduzzie, Rose Marie Franko and James McCormick; Kathryn Myers stepped into stardom as Ada Hagget in the all class play; Tom Murphy portrayed Larry Ruggles in the P. of D. Christmas pageant. The ninth year men are now prepared to set Hollywood on their heels.

Music and speech: golden voices flowing from auditorium seventh period; freshmen boys in Boys' Chorus; musical melodies of greenies in band; orchestra member from the class of 1953; extemps for the first time; James Beatty and Dorothy Dietz nervous on night of finals; forensics season brought new worries. The

freshmen proved themselves masters with their vocal chords for the benefit of the upperclassmen.

Memories: the thrill of being in high school; how little you felt hurrying through crowded halls; reporting to wrong classrooms; first night in workroom; "little people on the shelf"; taunting nickname "greenie"; plays and dances; overcoming shyness; broadcasts, assemblies and school paper kept you well informed; imitating the ideal upperclassmen; hero-worship for the stars; the handy Lost and Found or Student Service representatives to help a bewildered soul. Life would not have been complete for any first year student without a lasting memory of some everyday incident.

lasting memory of some everyday incident.

Now well seasoned, the class of 1953 is ready to take their place as sophomores and think the same of next year's freshmen.

THE FOURTH ESTATE

Frosh Assume Sophisticated Air For First



First Row: Bridge, Bolton, D. Bell, Beatty, T. Adams, Wm. Adams, Beredino, F. Bell, Beam.

Second Row: M. Bennie, M. Bell, Belan, K. Bell, Barlock, August, Anderson, Ankney, Bronson.

Third Row: Braden, Battaglia, Amatucci, Accorsi, A. Bailey, Antonio, L. Benny, R. Bailey, Albert, Badstibner.



First Row: Bryson, Cherup, Campbell, Casey, Bucci, Cox, Davis, De Angelo, Burick, Cute.

Second Row: Costabile, Clark, Copelli, Clark, Dalson, Ciccarelli, Dietz, Clair, Cameron, Ciocco.

Third Row: Danko, Buchleitner, De Vitto, Burick, Derek, Colaianne, A. Cute, Bryan, Castellani, Churley, Dempsey.



First Row: French, Dziak, Fowler, Domenic, W. Giordon, DeGrandis, Buchan, Gibson, Gebhardt,

Second Row: M. Gallagher, Franko, Franks, Giobbi, Fleming, Fiorvanti, Everett, Downs, Eaton, M. Donnelly.

Third Row: Goodman, Erny, Fischer, Gardner, Flowers, J. Donnelly, Frisk, C. Giordan, Drum, Downs, Fox, Goldberg.



First Row: Hudock, Heming, J. Hauser, Graham, Hollobaugh. Harris, D. Harr, E. Harr, Herminzek, Hughes.

Second Row: Hricik, Kashin, Heintzelman, Gratcar, B. Harr, Greene, Jackman, Jioio, Kalinski, Jenkins, B. Harr.

Third Row: Hayes, Hajas, Kaminski, M. Holler, Hoffman, Gordon, Harshall, Harmon, Heintzleman, Kalokerinos, K. Harr, Jones.

Yearbook

First Row: Loughner, Lawford, Lemmon, Marko, Machen, J. Kintz, Leonhardt, R. Kintz, Mc-Gann, Keyes.

Second Row: Mangold, Kopcho, Lloyd, Kessler, Lemmon, Kunrod, Little, Marcinik, Markovich, K. Lentz, Moran.

Third Row: Kusinsky, Kurela, Leckner, Lunk, Kirchner, Krempasky, Kuntz, Kuhns, Laich, H. Lentz, Lawrence, Kwaczala.

First Row: Marsh, Mozina, Mehalic, Marshall, McCormick, Miller, McKelvey, Miller, McGann, Mitchell.

Second Row: C. Murray, G. Murray, S. Mitchell, Maddock, Masse, Moretti, Metz, D. Miller, E. Miller, Moranelli, Moffa, Martin.

Third Row: Murphy, D. Miller, McKlveen, McCracken, H. Murphy, Mulhern, McMann, Miedel, McCracken, S. Murphy, Marks, Moranelli,

First Row: O'Hara, Palek, Noel, Piper, Pavel, H. Nace, A. Nace. Second Row: C. Nindle, O'Barto, Peduzzi, K. Myers, Poole, Neighly, Piper, Prah.

Third Row: B. Novak, Orzehowski, Pierdominici, Novatny, Popernack, Palmer, Poorman, Pershing, Onega.

First Row: Rigby, Ruffner, Schirf, Snyder, C. Ross, Shoup, Ransel, Short, J. Smith, Sarnese.

Second Row: Sedlacko, Sowers, Shugars, A. M. Smith, Ridilla, Schmidt, Schroding, W. Smith, M. A. Shaffer, Selesky, M. A. Ridilla.

Third Row: Riley, A. Ross, Smart, Steele, S. Smith, Rezak, Slabodnick, Schmucker, E. Smith, Rebtoy, Shafron.

First Row: Weaver, Vargovich, Weiers, Susa, Zenone, Stumpf, Stouffer, Williams, Woods, Ulishney.

Second Row: R. Thompson, Wright, Zabkar, Verneau, Walter, Wedge, Tulle, S. Syster, Trovel, J. Taylor, Toner.

Third Row: Stickle, Tarr, Tuttle, Stewart, W. Taylor, R. Steele, J. Visconti, Werchuck, Werner, Voytek, K. Thompson, J. Visconti.

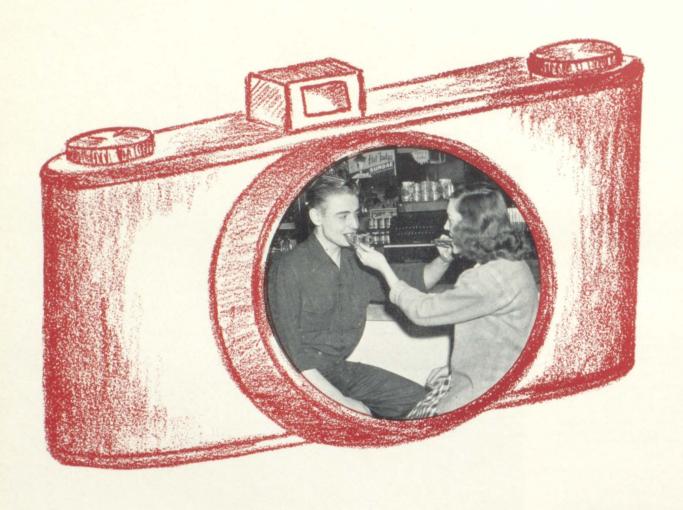






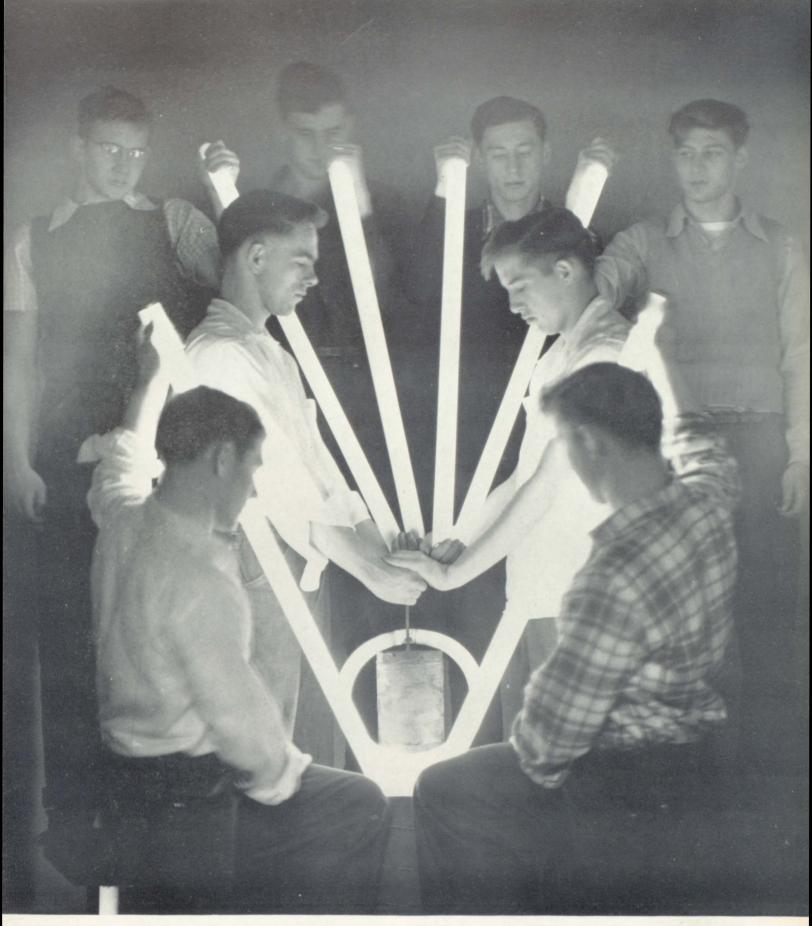






Activities

RECREATION AND WORK . . . COOPERATIVE EF



FORTS CREATE SHARP MINDS ... WILLING HEARTS

PLAY PRODUCTION requires back-stage preparation. Leroy Hill, head stage manager, shows his assistants how to put up a flat. Jay Badstibner lends a hand as Carl Everett and Richard Atkinson clinch the floor supports.

DRAMATICS

Footlights And Grease Paint Leave Memories Of First Night Jitt



Crowded back stage wings, grease paint and wigs, the glare of footlights, final notes of the orchestra before the first act curtain—all these and more are treasured memories for the dramatists of the year.

Along with turkey and stuffings came the greenies and their major production, excerpts from The Courtship of Miles Standish. The freshmen members who played the leading roles were Frances Peduzzi, Rose Mary Franko and James McCormick. Ina Moran, Joseph Visconti and Ronald Cameron supported them. Fifteen students presented the pantomine for the scenes. They were Jerome Marco, Loretta Kusinsky, Collette Derek, Shirley Marks, Donna Lloyd, Robert Steele, Donald Accorsi, and Franklin Piper. James Beatty, Robert Kintz, John Wright, Barbara Fischer, Joyce Stewart, Dorothy Dietz, John Kintz and Gretchen Badstibner completed the list.

Miss Laura Johnston, dramatics director, aided by Student Director Robert Fenton, lead the members of all the classes in the first play of the year, "The Late Christopher Bean." Emma

USHERS

First Row: Sullivan, Hoffman, Hollar, Wilson. Second Row:
Dutrow, Flowers, Laposky, Robb. Third Row: Parizek,
D. Smith, Woods, Datz. Fourth Row: G. Smith Swieczkowski, Pepperell, Perricelli. Fifth Row: M. Smith, Marinchek, Jackman, Shirey. Sixth Row: Mitchell, Bortz,
Strumsky, Sagan. Seventh Row: Nindle, Gillis, Poole,

BEHIND SCENES WORKERS listen to Student Director Robert Fenton give some pointers on the all-class play. Listening are Marlyn Emrick, Barbara Dorn, Ann Workman and Evelyn Major.



ALL CLASS PLAY cast members get together for a last minute check-up on lines and action before the opening curtain in their show "The Late Christopher Bean."



ers For Latrobe's Actors



JUNIORS COLLABORATE as the cast for "The Parlor Story" meets for the first reading of the annual class play.

Sue Rexrode and James Thompson represented the senior class. Rose Marie Cirucci, William Richwine, Frances Hurite, Ronald Vittone and Regis Kessler brought the juniors glory. Underclassmen in the cast were Selma Hanna, and Kathryn Myers.

The seniors of Mr. J. R. Beatty's problems of democracy classes presented Dickens "Christmas Carol" as the annual holiday assembly. Cast members included June Miller, Anna Margaret Gross, Robert Newmeyer, Barbara Johnstin, Nancy Erny, Juanita Taylor, Bruce Jenkins, Ludwig Kubicki, Clair Casey, Lenore Kahanowitz, Ronald Frye, Patricia Shaw, Robert Burns and Thomas Murphy.

Juniors stepped before the footlights and a

full house to present "The Parlor Story," directed by Miss Johnston and William Richwine, student director. Members of the cast included: Sally Lewis, Marilyn Wellen, Dolores Beltz, Patricia Luttner, Thomas Godish, William Hoffman, Benjamin Lowenstein, Fred Wegley, Frances Hurite and Leonard Kostley.

Seniors dropped the year's dramatic curtain with a spine-tingling presentation of "A Murder Has Been Arranged." Student director Barbara Pohland helped Miss Laura Johnston whip the cast into shape for the only mystery of the year. Nine seniors filled the play's roles: Geraldine Hurley, Pat Shaw, Emma Sue Rexrode, Evelyn Major, Mollie Goldberg, Robert Ritts, Ludwig Kubicki, George Seitanakis, and Wilber Kirk.

LATROBEAN EDITORS, Nancy Erny and Mildred Routch talk over last minute picture identifications before the dummy goes to the printer.

LAYOUT SHEETS for the next High Post get Editor Dianne Parker's "OK" while Sports Editor Richard Guskiewicz and Feature Editor Lenore Kahanowitz make their assignments.

JUNIOR NEWS STAFF get their first taste of printer's ink as Dorothea Zenk, Jacqueline McAtee, Marilyn Wright, and Joanne Mitchell look over the first issue of the High Post.

PUBLICATIONS . . .

Printers Ink And Blue Pencil

Working behind the publications scenes the journalism staff of Latrobe High School found their deeds and misdeeds snapped into pictures for the photo album of memories.

The editors: period nine for Dianne Parker, editor-in-chief, when deadlines weren't met; sleepless nights for Lenore Kahanowitz, feature editor, trying to think of a new idea for page two; extra work on the part of Richard Guskiewicz, sports editor, because of a one man staff; Edward Zabkar, advertising manager, keeping up to date on the spelling of lightning; financial problems kept Dennis Yamber, business manager, busy keeping the department self-supporting; incoming and outgoing mail was the problem of Anna Margaret Gross, exchange editor. The journalists of tomorrow in action today.

The staff: Jacqueline McAtee, Joanne Mitchell, Marilyn Wright and Dorothea Zenk filling pages with current news; Jane Long and Ann Flowers working on a trick idea for a feature column; Donald Domenic and James Thompson keeping track of the "Cats" advancement in the sport world; Dolores Todd, Emory Lesho, Joseph Konkoly, Evelyn Mervay and Emil Martino traveling from store to store in search of ads for page four. After a year they now think they are ready to fill the place of graduating editors.

The products: the High Post, a bi-monthly publication of the staff, filled every day with fun or drudgery; four pages of news, views and comments on and about the premises; next the Latrobean, the school yearbook; a text of pictures and writeups of outs anding events; Nancy Erny and Mildred Routch knocked out their brains as editors of the annual; last but not least as a service to the incoming greenies the

FEATURE WRITERS study the exchange rack for column ideas. Jane Long reads a page as Ann Flowers and Margaret Gross check through the issues from other schools.





Symbolize Another Year Of Journalistic Achievement

ADVERTISERS Dolores Todd, Emil Martino, Joseph Konkoly, Evelyn Mervay, and Emory Lesho, plan their selling campaign.

BUSINESS PROBLEMS occupy the time of Advertising Manager Edward Zabkar and Business Manager Dennis Yamber. TYPISTS Helen Laird and Marcella Laposky prepare mounds of copy every other week for the printer.

SPORTS WRITERS James Thompson and Donald Domenic check the trophy case for background dope on a story.

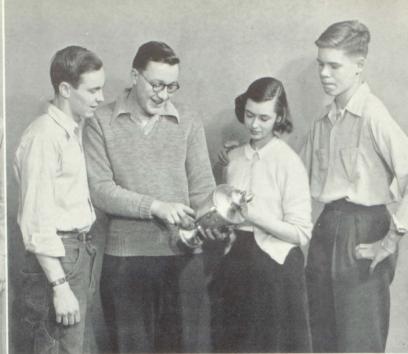


Orange and Black; an handbook guide and reference of things to known about the school; every even year the book is brought up to date. Joan Mitchell and Dorothea Zenk did the revising this year.

The beginners: Journalism I, as a class of

novices learning the trade; complicated tasks of lead writing, the 5 w's, headline count and the inverted pyramid style made many a mind whirl; the first story of a journalism I student to appear in print was the biggest thrill of the course.









FORENSICS

Speakers Flourish In Community Sponsored Contests

Backstage jitters—the traditional clattering knees and sweating palms—were hardly evident as Latrobe High School's 1950 crop of speakers stepped to the microphone and enjoyed themselves.

The 25th annual Rotary Oratorical Contest opened the forensic season. Urging as "Our Freedom" the encouragement of individual enterprise, Wilber Kirk captured first prize.

Second place went to Geraldine Hurley for her "Man of the Half-Century," an eulogy to Winston Churchill. Ann Workman took third with "Blessed Are The Peacemakers," and Robert Fenton's "The Great Provider" earned honorable mention. Other finalists were Donald Bossart, Helen Keffer, Carol Moberg and Emma Sue Rexrode.

Eight speakers discussing "Socialized

Medicine" participated in the 20th annual Kiwanis Extemporaneous Speaking Contest. Richard Guskiewicz gained the school title after being selected as senior winner over Harry Dundore. Fred Wegley won the junior class title, competing against Ronald Vittone; and Christine Slater took sophomore honors. James Beatty won for the freshmen. Lois Fowler and Dorothy Dietz were the other underclass finalists.

In the 13th annual Women's Club contest Barbara Okonak took first place in Shake-spearean reading, Gilda Larry won in poetry reading, and Wilber Kirk topped the declamation contestants. Civic Club Debate honors went to affirmative speakers Christine Slater and Barbara Hinger over the negative team, Harry Dundore and Robert Burns, as the forensic season closed.



Top Left

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKERS glance over required material. Front row: Dorothy Dietz, Lois Fowler, Christine Slater. Back row: Richard Guskiewicz, Fred Wegley, James Beatty, Harry Dundore and Ronald Vittone.

Top Right

EXTEMP CLASS WINNERS admire the winning trophy. Left to right: Fred Wegley, Richard Guskiewicz, Christine Slater and James Beatty.

Bottom Left

WOMEN'S CLUB CONTESTANTS watch Wilber Kirk as he reads his winning declamation. Left to right: Barbara O'Konak, Christine Slater, Barbara Hinger, Nancy Erny and Gilda Larry.

Bottom Right

ROTARY ORATION WINNERS look over the list of previous winners. Left to right: Geraldine Hurley, Ann Workman, Robert Fenton and Wilber Kirk.

Top

ORATION FINALISTS discuss positions for the big night when three will win prizes and one honorable mention.

Top Center

DEBATE DRILLS require a lot of research work, so most members spend spare time in the library.

Bottom Center

SMILING EXPRESSION beams on the faces of oration preliminary contestants after months of hard work.

Bottom

RUTH ROBB DEBATE participants prepare their speeches. Seated is Robert Burns, Christine Slater and Emma Sue Rexrode. Standing is Harry Dundore.



THE MELODY LINGERS ON

Stellar Musical Groups Come In On Down Beat



DISTRICT ORCHESTRA members talk over plans for their trip to Wilkinsburg. The group includes Barbara Smith, Juanita Taylor, Priscilla Beatty, Nancy Eby, Barbara Johnstin, and Marilyn Emrick. Helen Jane Moersch is seated and Henry Romersa looks on over the shoulders.

We remember hearing violin squeaks and flute shrills as the orchestra tuned up or mi-mimi-mi's drowning out boo-boo-boo-boo's as the choruses got ready for action.

We watched the 91-piece band march in straight ranks and files. The band joined in celebrating seven football triumph's this year by parading down Ligonier Street playing "Latrobe High Victorious" with three-fourths of the spectators following. During the half the band presented such skits as "Old McDonald's Farm" and the history of dancing. They also displayed marching compared to that seen at West Point.

Two drum majors and seven drum majorettes preceded the musicians. When Don Lazarchik tooted his whistle, the band followed his commands. Ron Carnahan twirled the baton. As head majorette, Ann Flowers was responsible for keeping Barbara Dutrow, Pat Robinsky, Irene Lupchinsky, Joan Leccia and Gwen and Sandy Syster in neat ranks.

The band also played indoors. The medley from "Showboat" and "Rhapsody in Blue" were among their offerings at the spring concerts. Ben Lowenstein with his baritone, Mary Lynch with her flute and Mary Morrell with her French horn, journeyed to West View, for Western District Band. Mary Morrell was selected from this group for All State Band.

BAND

First Row: W. Lynch, Mazon, Newingham, Dutrow, Lazarchik, Flowers, Wittenmaier, Zenone, Peterson, Dibble. Second Row: Keffer, B. Johnstin, Walker, Horn, Newmeyer, Barkley, Lemmon, Dalson, K. Lynch, Syster. Third Row: Jackson, M. Lynch, McKenzie, Wells, S. Johnston, Elder, Smith, Bigg, Frye, Beatty, Stewart, Neighly. Fourth Row: Paxton, Luttner, Fischer, Moersch, Morrell, Hunter, Barnhart, Milligan, Edwards, Strickler, Steele, Sowers.





THE LATROBE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

First Row: B. Smith, Eby, Bigg, George, Emrick, Beatty. Second Row: Slate, Klooch, Lynch, Sarnese, Lowe, Bossart. Lowenstein, Tepper, Snyder, Zenone, Morrell, Moersch, Taylor. Third Row: Keffer, Johnstin, Lazarchik, Wellen, M. Steele, Duff, Romersa, Kirk, Dibble.

We remember staggering into assembly as the orchestra played "High School Cadets March" and racing out as the 32 tunesmiths played "Tempus Fugit." Helen Keffer was at the piano as the orchestra made music for plays, orations and the concert. For the spring affair they played Humel's "Mood Americana," Beethoven's "Finale" and a novelty, "Chopsticks."

Journeying to Wilkinsburg for Western District Orchestra were seven girls from the string section and a trombonist. Barbara Smith and Nancy Eby played second violins. Juanita Taylor, Priscilla Beatty, Helen Jane Moersch and Marilyn Emrick displayed their skill with cellos. Barbara Johnstin with her string bass and Henry Romersa with his trombone completed the list

of the select eight.

We remember the rust curtains slowly moving apart as the boys' chorus burst out with "Stout Hearted Men." The 90 boys presented an assembly program and sang for extemps with Jim Smith accompanying them. "The Donkey Serenade," "By the Light of the Silvery Moon" and "Old Man River" were included in this concert repetoire.

We remember girls' chorus II singing "You'll Never Walk Alone" in their cassocks. Helen Keffer was at the piano as the 85 girls sang for assembly and the Woman's Club Contest. For the concert, the girls sang "Trepak" from the "Nutcracker Suite," "Let Us Praise God," "Sit Down Servant" and the "Lord's Prayer."

BAND

First Row: Leccia, Robinsky, Bossart, Romersa, Kirk, Carnahan, Lowenstein, Smith, Nagel, Lupchinsky, Syster. Second Row: Bortz, Porembka, Dira, Cmar, Tepper, Buerger, Ciccarelli, Burns, Ghrist, Peffer, Miller. Third Row: Peffer, Stouffer, Lavin, Larry, Lowe, Beltz, Korneke, P. Smith, Dietz, Trovel, George. Fourth Row: Funk, Drum, Heintzelman, Snyder, Harmon, Gordon, Ray, Kendra, Kintz, Duff, Shearer, Amatucci.





GIRLS' CHORUS II

First Row: Taylor, Woods, Miller, Pavlovcak, Smith, Bayura, Tlumach, Carnahan, Hall, Himic, Dorn. Second Row: Keffer, Johnstin, Kloock, Beltz, Poerstel, Greenawalt, Cadzow, Swintek, Luttner, Wellen, Duff, Major. Third Row: Hayes, Wilson, Nicely, Shaw, Parizek, Sromko, Rexrode, Grote, Buerger, Lynch, Ferlin. Fourth Row: Fontaine, Stoup, Flack, B. Smith, Kornides, Kuba, Allshouse, Hvizdos, Prasnitz, Piper.

GIRLS' CHORUS II

First Row: Myers, Strumsky, Dutrow, Lupchinsky, Korneke, Sagan, Robinsky, Okonak, M. Adams, J. Adams, Gerhart.

Second Row: V. Fowler, Sarp, Stouffer, Peffer, Wells, Saxman, Emrick, Anthony, Pohland, Bigg, Bender. Third

Row: Leccia, Burke, Carns, Snyder, Phillippi, Cirucci, Larry, Derek, Syster, Jones... Fourth Row: Fenton, Witkin,

Freeman, Moersch, Morrell, L. Fowler, Herminzek, Layton, Lewis, Showers, Hanna, Funk.

There's Music In The Air As Chorus Voices Rise

We remember 75 freshmen girls learning the fundamentals of choral singing in Chorus I and hoping that they could advance to Chorus II. Donna Lloyd accompanied them for their assembly. For the concerts Chorus I sang "Little David, Play on Your Harp" and "Dear Land of Home."

Boys Chorus and Chorus II blended soprano and bass voices in a mixed chorus for the concert. Helen Keffer and Jim Smith were at the twin pianos as the group sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Five upperclassmen sang in Western District Chorus at Canonsburg. Barbara Johnstin and Netta Cadzow sang alto, while Barbara Dutrow sang soprano. Howard Dira and Henry

Romersa sang tenor and bass respectively.

We remember this year's innovation—an octette singing hymns for assembly. Barbara Johnston and Netta Cadzow sang alto, and Pat Hall and Janet Taylor, soprano. Basses were Henry Romersa and Leonard Kostley, while William Adams and Charles Bell were tenors. Martin Hellenic accompanied them on the organ.

We remember the German Band, too. Henry Romersa was the leader and trombonist. Bob Newmeyer and Charles Lemmon played the clarinets. Jerry Nagel played the bass horn and Don Bossart the trumpet. Jim Dibble was at the drums.

We remember music filling the air all through the year.

And Even Boys Join In The Harmony

BOYS' CHORUS

First Row: Stanko, Newmeyer, Hauser, Newingham, Wittenmaier, Sabota, Beatty, Piper, Schirf, Verneau. Second Row: Harr, Hudock, Fry, Kostley, Atkinson, Badstibner, Godish, Nagel, Johnson, Dira, Horne. Third Row: Steele, Harr, Dibble, Syster, Kasunic, Ghrist, Pry, Mowry, Cogan, Peffer. Fourth Row: Helenic, Wilson, Rachocki, Bell, Davis, Zylak, Graham, Ciccarelli, Winklosky, McGann, Nigro.

BOYS' CHORUS

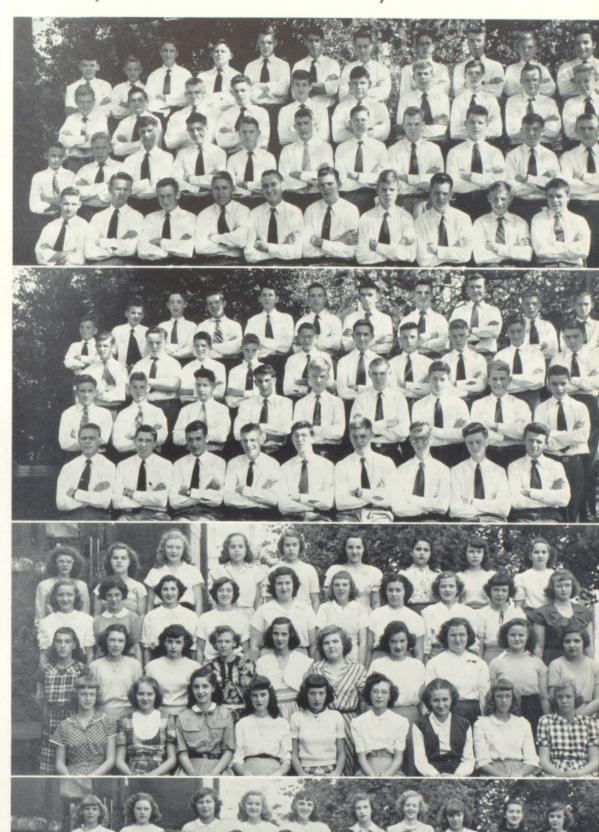
First Row: Evans, Tepper, Hudock, Adams, Lattanzio, Romersa, Smith, Konkoly, Hoffmann. Second Row: Keys, Herminzek, Beredino, De Angelo, Gibson, Beam, Belan, King, Lantzy. Third Row: Smith, Greene, Drum, Cute, Vargo, Demangone, Everett, Short, Porembka, Sarnese. Fourth Row: F. Murphy, Jones, Goldberg, R. Murphy, P. Murphy, Snyder, Giordan, Domenic, Cmar, McCracken, Thompson.

GIRLS' CHORUS I

First Row: Steele, Poole,
Dalson, Cute, Fiorvanti,
Cherup, M. Bennie, Gratcar, J. Smith. Second
Row: Shugars, Antonio,
Lloyd, L. Bennie, Syster,
Palmer, Neighly, Ciocco,
Rigby, Kalokerinos. Third
Row: Buchleitner, DeVitto, Castellani, Rebtoy,
Bell, S. Smith, Colaianne,
Derek, Hoffman, Rezak.
Fourth Row: Goodman,
Kwaczala, Sowers, Riley,
Goldberg, Burick, Lawrence, Marks, Dempsey.

GIRLS' CHORUS I

First Row: Giobbi, Marshall, Miller, Marsh, Woods, Fleming, Slabodnick, Little, Toner. Second Row: Jackman, Shaffer, L. Mitchell, Peduzzi, Myers, Lemmon, Taylor, Kunrod, Piper, Laich. Third Row: S. Mitchell, Gardner, Ankney, Miedel, Wedge, Kessler, Jioio, Kopcho, Metz, Bryson. Fourth Row: H. Lentz, Tuttle, O'Barto, Voytek, Nace, Jenkins, Donnelly, Bailey, Hayes, Kusinsky.





COUNCIL'S AGENDA occupy Student Council officers as they prepare for the next formal meeting. Pauline Derek records the decision as Janet McGuire and Joan Cline discuss assembly reading assignments with President Bruce Jenkins.

Student Council, Latrobe High School's service organization, is caught in the many activities it brings the school as candid flashes record the projects for the year.

The camera first recorded the initiative and seriousness of the group, under the supervision of Mr. J. R. Beatty, faculty adviser; the silence that reigns when President Bruce Jenkins calls for attention; Marilyn McGuire's readiness to serve if the president is called away; up to date minutes and balanced financial reports heard from Pauline Derek and Joan Cline; voices of other members raised to give their suggestions and opinions. These are the work of the day.

The yearly projects of the Council are numerous: purchase of a movie projector as a gift to the school; "Autumn Stag" and Country Store", two dances of the year; "Hot dogs, pop corn, ice-cream! Buy it here," as members run concession stands at basketball and football

STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row: Gibson, Robb, Cline, P. Derek, Jenkins, M. Mc-Guire, Dorn, Johnstin. Second Row: Hauser, Pearson, Lawson, Kessler, Seitanakis, Hall, McLaughlin. Third Row: Sistek, Saxman, Mitchell, Bender, Poole, Short, Bryan.

STUDENT

Assembly Audience Appreciates New Movie Projector

games; regular and special assemblies on Wednesdays and Fridays in the auditorium. All are necessary parts of every one's school day and all are sponsored by the Student Council.

Not just planning entertainment, but hard work crowds into the program of every Council member: scrubbing down corridor pictures; keeping the Council room spick and span; ushering for special programs; ticket and novelty sales; nervous wait before Bible readings; March of Times movies once a month; annual spelling bee. Not tremendous tasks when everyone bands together, these things weld Council into a working group.

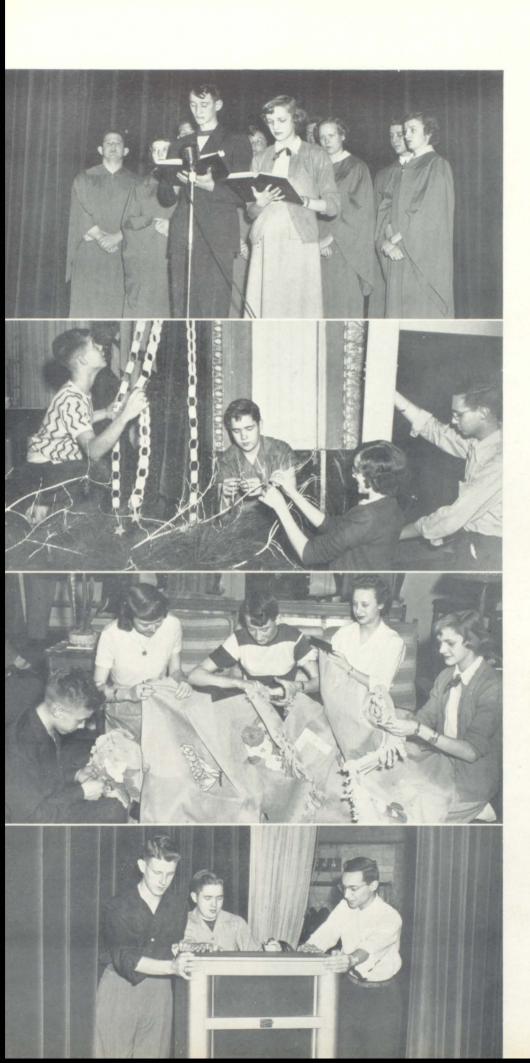
Council into a working group.

It's here, recorded in pictures, the proof of the organization. Listing service to the student body as the main objective; striving for improvement in the form of actual gains; the Student Council is the voice of the students acting in accordance with their wants.

STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row: S. Syster, Everett, Parker, Beatty, Lizza, Flowers, Kunrod. Second Row: Schroding, Gross, Metz, Stumpf, Poole, G. Syster, Panichelle, Buerger. Third Row: Harr, Fowler, Carota, Larry, Slater, Vittone, Harris.





ASSEMBLY OPENING sets the scene for solemnity as eight students in the Assembly Ocette lead the devotional hymn, and two Student Council members, Paul Lizza and Joan Cline, read the Bible.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS require after-school work for Council members, giving the auditorium that seasonal spirit. Jim Beatty adjusts the chains, while Ronald McKenzie, Mary Louise Pocle, and George Seitanakis dress the front of the stage.

PAPER DOLLIES . . . it isn't really dollies but decorations for one of the main social events of the year prepared by Richard Short, Marion McLaughlin, Paul Lizza, Romayne Carotta, and Joan Cline.

FRONT AND CENTER comes the new loud speaker lead by Council President Bruce Jenkins, with Ronald McKenzie and George Seitanakis lending a hand.

SERVICE GROUPS



HEALTH ROOM

First Row: Wellen, Mervay, Cadzow, Roble. Second Row: Bailey, Kitty, Todd, Hoffman.



FIRE PATROL

First Row: Richwine, Newingham, Caldwell, Adams, Hurite, Thompson. Second Row: Walker, Denny, Robb, Berkmyre, Hoffman.



INSTRUMENTALISTS

First Row: Sowers, J. Smith, Cogan, Murphy, Rexrode. Second Row: Schmidt, Schroding, Steele, Taylor.

SAFETY PATROL

First Row: Wegley, Baluh, Morrisey, A. Hackman, Pearson, J. Stickle. Second Row: Downs, Hudock, Stouffer, G. Hackman, Taylor, R. Stickle.





LIBRARIANS

First Row: Gower, Long, Miller, McFeaters, Emrick. Second Row: Shick, Poole, Volek, Gearing, Eisaman. Third Row: Berenbrok, McMahen, Gross, Todd, Grote, Trynock.

FRENCH CLUB

First Row: Kirk, Seitanakis, Lowenstein, Ritts, Buchanan, Bossart, Allen, Kahanowitz. Second Row: Beatty, Phillippi, Poerstel, Rexrode, Moberg, Romersa, Atkinson, Massena, J. Frye, Bigg. Third Row: Lynch, Erny, Moersch, Morrell, Wells, George, D. Myers, Morrison, Funk.

STUDENT SERVICE

First Row: Wegley, Smith, Kubicki, Carnahan, Carpowich, Caldwell, Tobias. Second Row: McLaughlin, Laughrey, Pearson, Bell, Hurite, Taylor, Flowers. Third Row: Planinsek, Murray, Harris, Witkin, Buerger, Yafchak, Frye.

STUDENT SERVICE

First Row: Thompson, Clark, Fowler, Stahl, Sedlacko, Smetanka, Reeping, Stickle. Second Row: Zabkar, Dira, Cline, Miller, Gower, Battaglia, Keim, Myers. Third Row: Holler, Lechner, Sistek, Mitchell, Phillippi, Swieczkowski, Panichelli, Marinchek.









School Life More Enjoyable And Learning Easier









SPANISH CLUB

First Row: Stahl, Allen, A. Cirucci, Seitanakis, Buchanan, Cirucci, Ritts, Smetanka, Zamer.
Second Row: Workman, Fenton, Shick, Smith, Hoffman, Kirk, Emrick, Zenone, Mervay.
Third Row: Massena, Wellen, Moore, Yohman, Myers, Keim, Derek, Sistek, Major, McKelvey, Fourth Row: Goldberg, T. Stanko, McMahan, Shaw, Kittey, Gravatt, Sarp, Routch, Zenk.

CAMERA CLUB

First Row: Dietz, S. Smith, Cherup, Frye, Lazarchik, Tepper, Kissel, H. Davis, Himic. Second Row: Dempsey, Straka, Swintek, Yellenic, J. Davis, Nindle, Carnahan, Freeman, P. Smith, Schirf. Third Row: Suda, Sarnese, Poole, Kopcho, Kessler, Demangone, Edwards, Cirucci, Heitchue, Fowler, Nace, De Vitto.

CHORAL READERS

First Row: Greenawalt, Luttner, Schmucker, Long, Straka, Gritzer, Mowry. Donahoe, McFeaters, Moran. Second Row: Panichelli, Snyder, Freeman, Pavlovcak, C. Suda, Demangone, Caylor, Mitchell, McGuire, Jones. Third Row: Loncharich, Stickle, Syster, Taylor, Cline, Larry, Slater, Heitchue, Barnhart, Milligan, Helenic. Fourth Row: Paxton, Piper, Wible, McCleary, Hoehler, Thomas, Walker, Trynock, Rexrode, Goldberg, A. Suda.

CHOR IL READERS

First Row: S. Smith, Lowe, Austraw, Hazlett, Hulton, Wittenmaier, Robinsky, Fowler, Okonak, P. Smith. Second Row: Hinger, Freeman, Korneke, R. Lynch, Kee.e, Mueseler, Lenz, Matthews, Luttner, Kasunic, Lavin, Anthony. Third Row: Fenton, Witkin, Hanna, Derek, Edwards, Kuhn, Campbell, Gearing, Hostetler, Miller, Smith, A. Lynch, Adams.

. . Monthly Meetings Help Familiarize Members With

. SERVICE GROUPS

JOURNALISM I

First Row: Hulton, Hall, Poerstel,
Murphy, Shick, Westfall, Beidler, Ondriezek, Hazlett, Bayura.
Second Row: Slater, Moran,
Myers, Shirey, Campbell, Ferguson, Adams, West, Hughes,
Kuhn. Third Row: Hinger,
Grote, Loncharick, Thomas,
Mitchell, Miller, Hostetler, Cline,
Demangone, Morrison, Murray,
Helman

SCIENCE CLUB

First Row: Peduzzi, Myers, Woods, Marsh, Ciccarelli, Lemmon, Beatty, Marshall, Smith, Keys. Second Row: M. Klapchar, O'Barto, Trovel, Schroding, Syster, McKelvey, Walters, Kalinski, Meidel, Voytek. Third Row: McCracken, Poorman, Mattock, Beam, Visconti, R. Steele, M. Steele, Stewart, Moretti, Frisk. Fourth Row: Murphy, Kuzinsky, Sowers, Rebtoy, Fisher, Heintzelman, Rezak, Antonio, Derek, S. Murphy, Lunk, Moranelli.

CHEMISTRY CLUB

First Row: Duff, Caldwell, Wegley, Lizza, Newcomer, W. Hoffman, Romersa, Dorn, Keffer.
Second Row: Nace, Routch Zundel, Richwine, Hurite, Johnstin, Cadzow, Martino, Zenone, Green, Hardy. Third Row: Stanko, McKelvey, Vittone, Kendra, Harman, Kessler, C. Hoffman, Swintek, McKenzie, Buerger, Piper.

COMMERCIAL CLUB

First Row: Schultheis, Clarke, Ghrist, McMaster, Godish, Yuhasz, Sedlacko, J. Taylor, Eby. Second Row: Kornides, McAtee, M. A. Smith, Tlumach, Laird, Sagan, Newingham, McFeaters, Pepperell. Third Row: Fodiak, Laposky, Parizek, Baker, Fodiak, Mitchell, McIntyre, Crowe, Rugh. Fourth Row: Jackman, Nemcheck, Bortz, Sromko, Stoup, B. Smith, Sullivan, Lechner, Luttner.

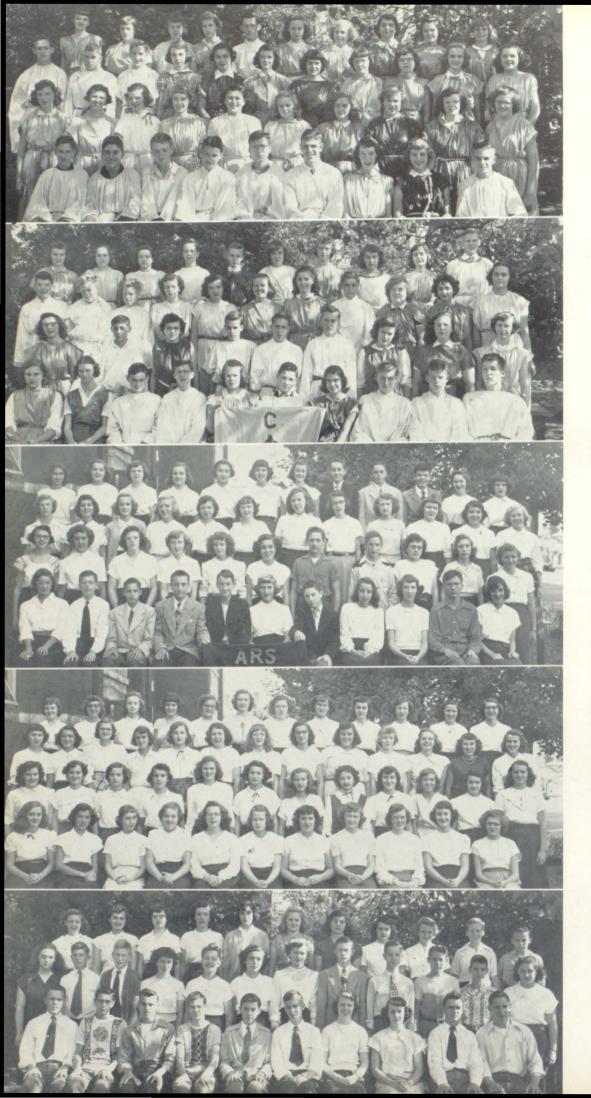
Opportunities











. . Officers Learn

JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE

First Row: Buerger, Rizzo, Reeves, Beidler, Mowry, Lawson, Fowler, Robinsky, Himler. Second Row: R. Freeman, Korneke, M. Smith, Volek, S. Smith, S. Smith, Austraw, Gillis, Okonak, Pocle. Third Row: Graham, Kuhn, Campbell, Lowe, Lavin, Slater, Hinger, Taylor, M. R. Freeman, Cline, Derek. Fourth Row: Anthony, J. Helman, O'Barto, Jenkins, Wible, Carota, Fenton, Witkin, J. Helman, Lenz.

JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE

First Row: Trump, Steinmetz, Lemmon, Mowry, Hulton, Hughes, Hanna, Tarnazie, Beatty, Kintz. Second Row: Barnhart, Mattock, Adams, Cameron, Costabile, Graham, Shirey, Hazlett, Casterwiler. Third Row: Helenic A. Fox, J. Fox, Crowe, Neighly, Trovel, Dalson, Verneau, Palmer, Pustay, Lindstrom. Fourth Row: Helfferich, Riley, Badstibner, Donnelly, Murray, Moran, Powers, Yandrick, Clister, Schirf.

ARS MEDICA

First Row: B. Pohland, R. Mowry, Buerger, Hurite, Lizza, Robinsky, Hughes, Dutrow, Fowler, F. Mowry, Miller. Second Row: Korneke, Greenawalt, Okonak, Casterwiler, Donahoe, Long, Graham, Campbell, Adams, Wellen, Ferlin. Third Row: Marks, McGuire, Cline, Mitchell, Snyder, Taylor, Hazlett, Lowe, Myers, Carns, Witkin, Fenton. Fourth Row: Hanna, Derek, Freeman, Jones, Lavin, Larry, Slater, Vittone, Kuhn, Helenic, Helman, Cervi.

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HIGH POST REPORTERS

First Row: Evans, F. Bell, Frye, Reeping, Tarnazie, J. Smith, Mc-Atee, Wright, Domenic, Caldwell. Second Row: Pepperell, W. Smith, McGann, A. Edwards, Hudock, Long, Sagan, Lazarchik, E. Bridge, R. Bell, Kuntz, Perricelli. Third Row: Buchleitner, M. Luttner, M. Freeman, Aikens, A. Miller, S. Smith, Japalucci, Steele, Grote, Pershing, Visconti.

Leadership Has Its Responsibilities

OCTETTE MEMBERS wait for the opening chord to commence assembly devotions. Janet Taylor, Barbara Johnstin, Patricia Hall and Netta Cadzow make up the first row. The second row consists of Charles Bell, William Adams, Henry Romersa and Leonard Kostley.



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Adviser	Miss Adeline Reeping		
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Adviser	Miss Evelyn Baxter		
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BROADCASTERS wait for the clock before beginning their annual radio play featuring Geraldine Hurley, Irene Kitty, Cameron Eiseman, Anthony Zenone and John Ondriezek. Sound effects are by Roxanne Freeman and Peggy Smith.

GATHERING INFORMATION is an important step in broadcasting. Geraldine Hurley, Christine Slater, Rose Marie Cirucci and Gilda Larry check scripts.

ATTENTION STUDENTS announces news reported Irene Kittey while Anthony Zenone, sports editor, assists her in the broadcast.

A PROFESSIONAL JOB is auditioned by members of the class so they can pick up a few points for their bi-weekly broadcasts. Marie Derek, Rheta Felbaum, and Harry Albert get some tips from the radio.

Weekly News Events And Sports Go Out Over B.C.C.

Flash news—direct from station BCC, broadcasting class of Latrobe High School, rang out over the airways every Monday and Thursday for high school students.

Three BCC regulars returned to supervise behind the scenes. Geraldine Hurley and Irene Kittey were standbyes from last year's staff. Anthony Zenone, the only junior representative faced the microphone for his second year.

Sixteen broadcasters reported the news to eager students. Of this group, sophomores composed the majority. Harry Albert, Cam Eiseman and John Ondriezek faithfully reported the outcome of all athletic meets in their sports casts.

Other sophomores broadcast "all the news around L .H. S." These girls included Lois

Fowler, Roxanne Freeman, Margaret Smith, Rosemarie Cirucci and Christine Slater. Gilda Larry, Rheta Felbaum, Gloria Himic, Barbara Hinger and Marie Derek also served as reporters for the broadcasting station.

Station BCC did not confine its activity to school news. They put on their annual Christmas play. The 1949 edition was "Mugby Junction" by Dickens. Displaying promising talent, they also aired the drama over station WHJB, Greensburg.

The group also gave the Halloween assembly. Their play was entitled, "The Ghost of Benjamin Sweet," a mystery suspense. In the spring, the group toured KDKA, Pittsburgh and glimpsed the mechanism needed to operate a nationwide broadcasting system.



INITIATION PLANS outlined by Mr. Beatty interest National Honor Society officers. Seated are Barbara Johnstin, Donald Bossart and Beverley Crowe, while Richard Guskiewicz, Lenore Kahanowitz and Bruce Jenkins look on.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Scholarship And Service Travel Hand In Hand

As students of Latrobe High School pass on year to year one of their ambitions is to become a member of the National Honor Society.

To be a member of this group is one of high school's top distinctions. An Honor Society member must rank in the upper quarter of his class scholastically, be willing and ready to be of service to his school, have demonstrated qualities of good leaderships, and be able to conform to certain character obligations. Fifteen percent of the senior class and five per cent of the junior class may be elected. The entire faculty votes for eligible students.

Eight seniors carried out the society's aims this year. Under the supervision of Mr. James R. Beatty, they elected officers at their first meeting, selecting Donald Bossart as president and Beverley Crowe as vice-president. Serving the society as secretary was Barbara Johnstin, while Bruce Jenkins represented them on Student Council. Richard Guskiewicz took care of the financial duties, and Lenore Kahanowitz filled the position of High Post Reporter. Other members included Geraldine Hurley, and Emma Sue Rexrode. The late Sara Black was also elected to membership last spring.

The Latrobe High School Chapter of the National Honor Society received its charter in 1925. From that time until 1949, 747 Latrobe students have had their names placed on the society's membership roll achieving a place

of scholastic distinction.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Seated: Lenore Kahanowitz, Barbara Johnstin, Geraldine Hurley, Beverley Crowe. Standing: Richard Guskiewicz, Bruce Jenkins, Donald Bossart, Emma Sue Rexrode.



THE YEAR'S HI-LITES

WOOD SHOP WORKERS learn to drill square holes as their turn comes to practice morticing.

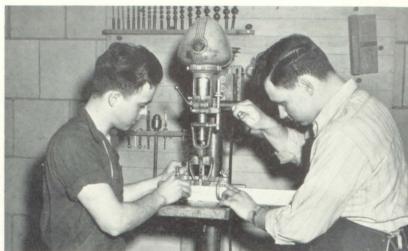
PROM TROTTERS put on best clothes and prettiest smiles for year's top social event

PARADE PARTICIPANTS show school spirit as they ready their float to capture the Homecoming Day prize.

SAFETY PATROL officers study features of traffic safety with their adviser Mr. Fred Halsall.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS get last minute touch in home room 101 before the judges show up on their annual rounds.

THE GERMAN BAND gives out with everything but harmony as the six members entertain another group.







COLLEGE CLUB

First Row: Burns, Zamer, Allen, Bossart, Ritts, Seitanakis, Kirk. Second Row: Jenkins, Fenton, Rexrode, Routch, Green, Buchanan, Lizza, Parker, Third Row: Phillippi, Poole, Dorn, Funk, Emrick, Buerger, Moberg, Erny. Fourth Row: Hurite, Vittone, Swintek, Duff, Hurley, Workman, Keffer.



Can you remember the fun and excitement Latrobe High School students found in their extra activities?

Student Council's three dances provided opportunities for dance lovers to keep abreast of the latest in dancing steps. Girls got their first chance to show off new outfits at the "Autumn Stag." The annual Sadie Hawkins dance was a favorite of all. At this dance girls had a good time catching their favorite man and dragging him to the "Country Store." Here plaid shirts and blue jeans made the gym a bright place. Spring outfits were pulled from mothballs for the last school dance of the year, "Swing With Spring."

Boys rejoiced over permission to use motor vehicles in the Homecoming Day float. For the first time since the beginning of the war, they were relieved from pulling the floats in the parade. The brains of 103 thought of the idea, "Wild Waves Support Good Sportsmanship," and captured the award in the 29th annual Homecoming Day float.

Betty Grable and Van Johnson were set on their heels with the three class plays. The whole school combined acting talent to produce the All Class Play, "The Late Christopher Bean." Next the Juniors held up the class tradition with "The Parlor Story." All mystery loving seniors tried their skill in "A Murder Has Been Arranged."

After the purchase of the movie projector, Latrobe High School's auditorium might have been mistaken for the Manos or the Grand. The first school production, "Treasure Island," made everybody forget they were in school. The only difference from the real theater was the popcorn and the boy friend.

Future doctors and Nightingales made a good start by joining the newly formed Ars Medica Club. Girls from the club spend pleasant Saturday mornings reading to children in Latrobe Hospital. Some club members received their first taste of hospital air by visiting Latrobe Hospital and other institutions. Girls decided on the best nursing school to attend by collecting data on various schools.

One senior girl put her paint brush to good use. Anna Mary Barnhart's painting, "Out Big Barn," won a prize at Harrold Fair last fall.



ON THE FIELD OR IN THE CLASS

SHUTTER BUGS, Bill Tepper and Jerry Davis waylay a model on the steps, hoping to snap a prize winning photo.

BAND MEMBERS hustle to dress for a strenuous hike out Ligonier Street to the athletic field.

CONGO LINE CHARACTERS give out with old Spanish customs in a modern arrangement for club entertainment. The ideas of ancient habits usually end in gales of laughter and a twist of the sacroiliac.

DISTRICT BAND TRIO leaves for West View as Ben Lowenstein holds the door for Mary Lynch and Mary Morrell.

KIWANIS VISITORS talk over experiences during their monthly visits at the organization's meetings.

MOVIE OPERATIONS agree on projector problems as they set up for an assembly program. With the new projector the auditorium has all the conveniences of a modern theater except for the pop-corn.



ROOM LATROBE STUDENTS SHOW THEIR BEST

WIRES AND MOTORS pose practical problems for the electricians of tomorrow.

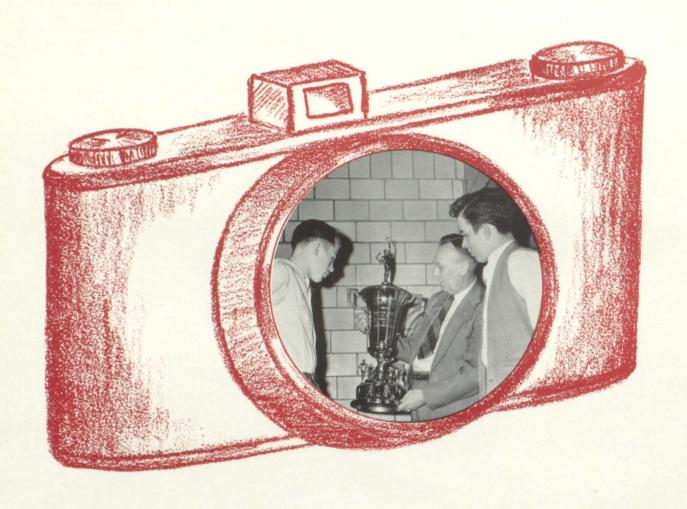
FIRE PATROL members receive instructions from Captain Dave Newingham on their duties in an emergency.

THE SENIOR CLASS flag committee finally complete their job. Carol Moberg, Jack Emery, Franklin Allen, Wiley Hartman, Evelyn Mervay, Bill Reeping and Barbara Dutrow examine their handiwork. ABSENTEE SLIPS must be secured from Miss Breeton in Room 13 before going to class—and the excuse must be airtight!

DRESDEN FIGURINES provide a new hobby for related arts seniors. Painting requires strong lungs and steady nerves.

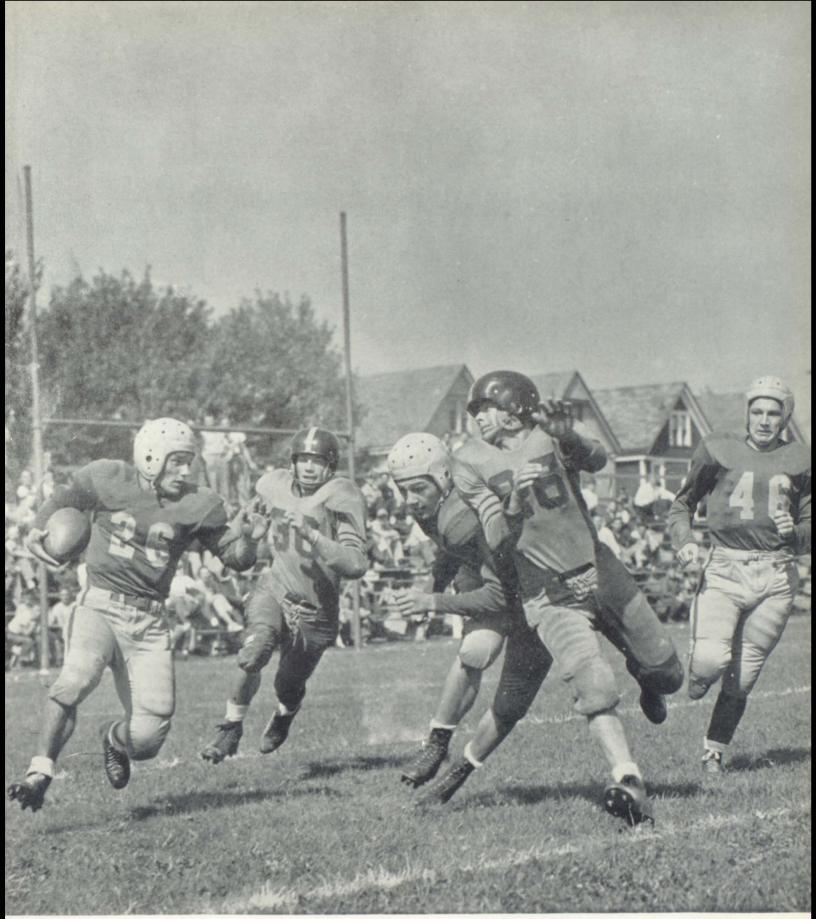
COOKING PROBLEMS bring expressions of digust from cottage kibitzers as the chef flips her hamburg. The food certainly should be better than the ladies seem to expect.





Athletics

FUNDAMENTALS OF FAIR PLAY LAY GROUND



WORK FOR LATROBE'S ATHLETIC SUCCESS

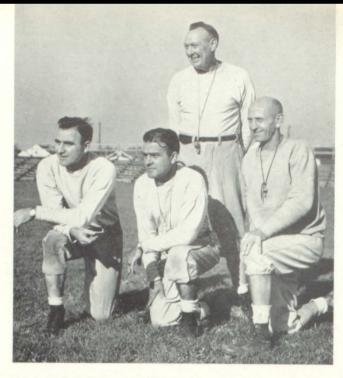
FOOTBALL

Cats Post Best Record In Grid Field Since '46









HEAD GRID COACH Ray V. Wild looks over a scrimmage session with his coaching staff. Kneeling in front are assistant coaches, M. A. Barron, M. E. Rizzo and C. S. Westfall.

Racking up their best season since 1946, the Wildcat gridders posted a record of six wins—four over AA opponents—and four losses, at the hands of AA competitors.

The Orangemen wasted no time in launching a successful season as they humbled the Derry Twp. Eagles 14-0. John Rudy, back, opened seasonal scoring by cracking over from four yards out in the initial canto. Latrobe continued its scoring pace when "Cam" Domenic bolted into the "promised land" from the two. Glamp converted after both counters.

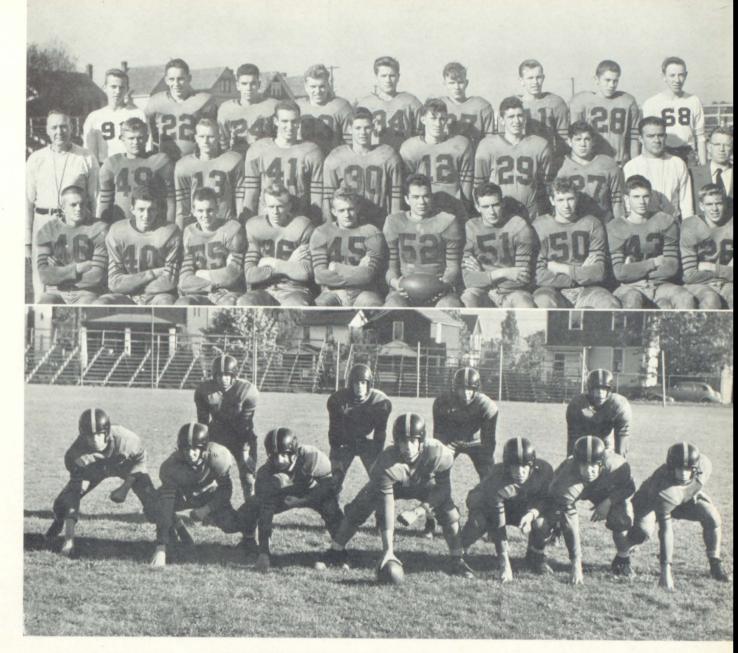
In the next encounter, the Penn High Indians thoroughly scalped the Wildmen 18-0. The loss bounced the Cats out of the WPIAL race. A favored Hurst eleven invaded the Wildcat den on September 24, and were smashed by the home team, 27-14. Latrobe's third victory came as a result of a 28-14 triumph over the Donora Dragons. The win gave the Wildmen their first victory over an AA opponent.

October 7 will be a date long remembered by Latrobe fans. On this occasion, the Wildcats battled the Jeannette Jayhawks down to the last second before bowing 7-6. Early in the initial period, Joe Pry slammed over from four yards out. Glamp's all important extra point soared wide of the mark. Jeannette overcame the lead in the second canto, when Dick Gounder, Jayhawk end, swept into block John Rudy's punt and recovered the ball in the end zone for the score. Ray Greene booted the extra

GRIDIRON ACTION

At Left

OFFENSIVE THRUST against Penn sends halfback Donald Domenic hammering his way through tackle for a first down on the Latrobe 42 . . . UP IN THE AIR goes end Bob Morris to scoop in an aerial two opponents are determined to bat down while Charley Carpowich is alert for a fumble . . . OVER WE GO grumble opposing backs as John Rudy, Jack Denny and Bob Morris spill another ball carrier on the scrimmage line.



1949 VARSITY FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row: Rudy, Paior, Carpowich, J. McDonald, Nigro, Schmucker, capt., Denny, E. McDonald, Morris, Pry. Second Row: R. V. Wild, coach, Glamp, Buchleitner, Noonan, Domenic, Mekic, Jioio, Gangemi, Asst. Coach M. E. Rizzo, Faculty Mgr. W. E. Yates. Third Row: Frye, head mgr., Caldwell, Keefe, Scarfi, Tobias, McCleary, Wegley, Lynch, Kunkle, asst. mgr.

VARSITY GRIDDERS run through plays before an important tussel. The line reading from left to right consists of Carpowich, Paior, Nigro, Schmucker, Denny, E. McDonald, and Morris. Backfield members are Glamp, Rudy, Domenic and Pry.

point and Jeannette won the game 7-6. In the waning moments of the ball game, the Cats recovered a fumble deep in Jeannette territory, but the clock ran out before the Orangemen could capitalize on the break.

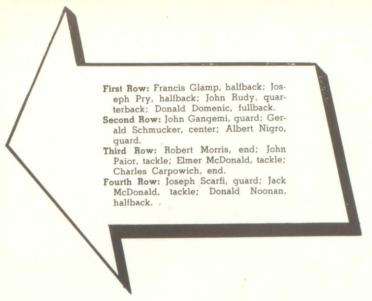
The Orange and Black tripped the Altoona Mountain Lions, October 15, by a 20-7 margin. The win was the first scored over the Scarlet since 1939. After battling a supposedly weak Sharon outfit for three quarters, the Wildcats finally pushed over a score midway in the final canto to tally a 7-0 win. Glamp broke into the clear and raced 43 yards for the tally.

Greensburg proved to be another stumbling block as the Wildcats bowed to the Brown and White 13-7. Latrobe drew first blood with Pry carrying over from six yards out in the first half. Glamp converted. In the same canto, a Wildcat aerial was pulled in by Ammerman, Lion end, and returned to the Cat three yard line where Medved, Golden Lion back, scored. The bonus point by Basick was good and the score was deadlock at the intermission. The County Seaters punched over the winning score in the third period when Hoffman tallied from the two yard line. (Please turn to Page 91)



FOOTBALL... Orange Gridders Whip Four AA Foes In Com





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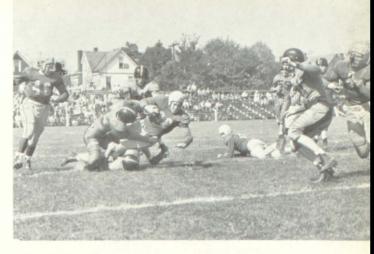
"Corky" Glamp put on a dazzling exhibition of ball-carrying on November 4, as the Orangemen routed Wilkinsburg, 39-19. Scoring five of the seven markers, the Wildcat star punched over 33 points. Joe Pry, back, tallied the remaining two Cat touchdowns.

The Wildmen rounded out a successful season on an unsuccessful attempt, as they dropped a 25-12 verdict to Uniontown Armistice night. Bob Morris, end, and "Cam" Domenic, back, accounted for Latrobe's scores.

Seventeen gridders and one manager were awarded letters or certificates for outstanding grid service. Those who received certificates included: Captain Gerald Schmucker, Jack Denny, John Rudy, Elmer McDonald, Albert Nigro, Robert Morris, Francis Glamp, Donald Domenic, Charles Carpowich and Frederick Wegley. Letters went to Donald Noonan, Jack McDonald, John Paior, Joseph Pry, John Gangemi, Joseph Jioio, Joseph Scarfi, and head manager, Ronald Frye.

Touc	hdown	Tally

Latrobe	14	Derry Twp.	0
Latrobe	0	Penn	18
Latrobe	27	Hurst	14
Latrobe	28	Donora	14
Latrobe	6	Jeannette	7
Latrobe	20	Altoona	7
Latrobe	7	Sharon	0
Latrobe	7	Greensburg	13
Latrobe	39	Wilkinsburg	19
Latrobe	12	Uniontown	25
Latrobe	160	Opponents	117
	Wor	n 6—Lost 4	



AROUND THE END piles up just short of a first down as the Orange defense smothers the opposing ball carrier.

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row: Stas, Moffa, Moran, Bell, Short, Westfall, F. Smith, Steppic, E. Smith, Smetanka, Micklow.

Second Row: Lenz, mgr., Frye, Musick, Tarnazie, Fink, Nace, Mueseler, Rizzo, Kasunic, Campbell, mgr., C. S. Westfall, coach.

Third Row: Kuhn, mgr., Forsha, Zacur, Kornides, Sedlacko, Shields, McMasters, Matthews, O'Hara, Pennessi, Nolí, mgr.

FRESHMEN FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row: Zabkar, Burick, Ross Werner, Harr, Giordan, Beatty

Second Row: Moranelli, Clair, Lenhardt, Bell, Cox, Dziak,

Adams, O'Hara, Fox, Fowler.

Third Row: Coach M. A. Barron, Downs, Mgr. McKelvey, Graham, Wiers, Stumpf, Machen, Murphy, Thompson, mgr.,

Fourth Row: Domenic, Palek, Lawford, Kintz, Piper, Davis, Gebhardt, Snyder.







Left

"CAPTAIN DIT" goes up for a rebound while teammates wait anxiously for the verdict . . . JUMP BALL takes Bill Buchanan off the floor to capture the

Center

SCRAMBLE on the floor shows fight, but a little on the football side . . .

Right

BANKBOARD REBOUNDS cause Bill Buchanan and opponent to battle it out for tip in shots . . . JUNIOR VARSITY players show their skill as Ron Lynch dribbles toward the basket.

BASKETBALL

Coach Wild Resigns As Cage Mentor After 20 Year Reign

What started out to be a dismal season finished on a flourishing note for the Orange cagers as they won 13 tussels and dropped ten battles to finish third in the Section XI race and chase Monessen down to the wire for the county Class A basketball title.

Irwin spoiled the Cats' debut as they dealt the Orangemen a 45-31 reverse in the season's opener. Somerset fell to the Latrobers 31-14, but Irwin stepped in and sank the Orange battle-ship for the second straight time 29-28. After a 35-24 loss to Uniontown, Coach Wild's boys took Somerset on the rebound to hammer out a 40-16 win.

Pre-league action continued as Brentwood

evened up a two year series by winning over Latrobe 48-34. The Wildmen completed preseason action by losing to Uniontown's Maroon Raiders 44-32 on the Latrobe court.

Sectional competition opened for the Cats on January 10 as Jeannette stymied the Wild court machine by a 48-25 margin. Greensburg dealt out league loss number two by whipping the Orange charges 47-32, but a 57-32 victory over Derry Twp. started the Latrobe five on a five game victory skein. Scottdale fell by a 61-47 score; North Huntingdon dropped, 44-31; Hurst, 44-31; and Alumni 37-28 to climax the winning streak.

Second half competition started off in the

same fashion as the initial round as Jeannette and Greensburg both dumped the Orange Cats. Another victory span began as the Latrobe quintet downed Derry Township's Eagles 57-35. Coach Wild's cagers continued their winning pace as they downed Scottdale 50-41 and North Huntingdon 47-36. League action closed on February 21, as the Orangemen whipped Hurst 51-37.

The Wildmen gave Coach Wild a good farewell present as they battled Monessen right down to the wire in the finals of the County Tourney before losing 48-38. They reached the

finals by whipping Scottdale 44-30 and a highly touted Greensburg team 46-32. Mr. Wild closed a 20 year regime as basketball mentor at Latrobe at the completion of the 1949-50 season by withdrawing from the coaching assignment. With him went an excellent won and lost record which stands high in any list.

Seven varsity cagers and one manager gained letters. Players included: John Emery, Howard Lenz, William Buchanan, Donald Bossart, Edward Walters, William Adams and Thomas Buchleitner. Manager Bob Klapchar rounded out the group.

VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD First Row: Adams, Pagnanelli, Smith, Buchleitner, Keefe. Second Row: Buchanan, Lenz, Emery, Bossart, Walters.



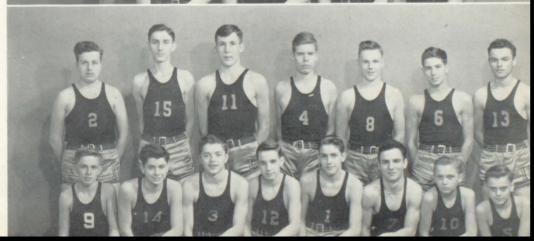
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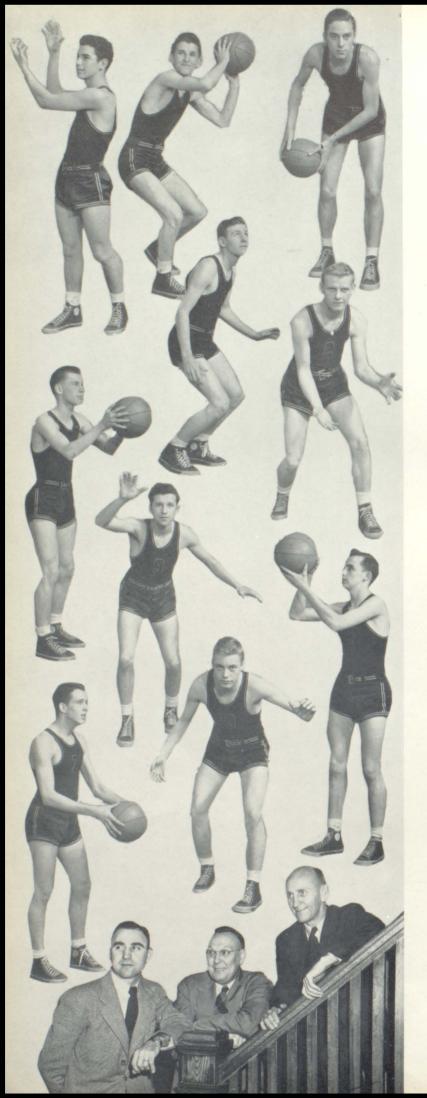
First Row: Lenz, Bell, Caruso,
Beidler. Second Row: Roof,
Rizzo, Shields, Mueseler,
Lynch.



FRESHMEN BASKETBALL SQUAD

First Row: McCracken, O'Hara, D. Adams, Cameron, Ross, Domenic, Erny, Visconti. Second Row: Marco, T. Adams, Kintz, Beatty, Stumpí, Bell, Palek.





BASKETEERS

Wildcats Drop To Monessen In Final Tilt Of County Tournament

ANDREW KEEFE . . . sophomore . . . Andy was the only underclassman on the varsity squad . . . following in brother Bob's foosteps . . . dubbed "Handy Andy" by fellow courtsters.

EDWARD WALTERS . . "Ditty" filled in the guard post . . . referred to as "captain" by teammates . . . likes to win ball games by those "big scores."

DONALD BOSSART . . . Don held down one of the forward slots for the Wildcats . . . ardent tennis and ping-pong participants . . . known for his sportsman-like conduct.

WILLIAM ADAMS . . . junior . . . first full year on Cat court squad . . . "Oscar" enjoys a fast and aggressive tussle . . . an expert on retrieving enemy rebounds.

TOM BUCHLEITNER . . . junior . . . initial year as varsity timber . . . known for his fancy foot maneuvers . . . "Bookie" arched in shots from the forward position.

<code>HOWARD LENZ...senior...captain of the 1949-50 cage aggregation...hails from Fifth Ward...regarded as best player in Section XI for 49-50 season by Coach R. V. Wild.</code>

MICHAEL PAGNANELLI . . . "Mickey" hopes to follow in footsteps of brothers "Joe" and Johnny . . . a demon at dribbling . . . First Ward's delegate to the court squad.

JACK EMERY . . . "Wuss" played his first scholastic basketball this season . . . swished the net from the pivot post . . . stellar track performer.

EDWARD SMITH . . . junior . . . reserve guard . . . liked to put long arching shots through the hoop . . . "Smitty" put every ounce of effort into the ball game.

WILLIAM BUCHANAN . . . garnered first basketball letter this year . . . expert on rebounds . . . Fourth Ward's delegate to the cage squad . . . "Buchie" was one the three "B's" on the varsity.

BASKETBALL COACHES . . . watch charges go through drills before a game. They are Freshman Coach M. A. Barron, Varsity Coach R. V. Wild and Junior Varsity Coach C. S. Westfall.

THE 1950 TENNIS SQUAD

First Row: Nolf, Roof, Demangone, Hughes, Bossart, Buerger.
Second Row: Vittone, Everett.
Third Row: Steele, F. Zenone,
Kuhn, Beidler, Atkinson, A.
Zenone.

Counting the Buckets

Latrobe 31	Irwin45	*Latrobe 47	Hurst39
Latrobe 31	Somerset14	*Latrobe 37	Alumni 28
Latrobe 28	Irwin29	*Latrobe 51	Jeannette58
Latrobe 24	Uniontown 35	*Latroba 40	Greensburg 52
Latrobe 40	Somerset16	*Latrobe 57	Derry Twp35
Latrobe 34	Brentwood48	*Latrobe 50	Scottdale41
Latrobe 32	Uniontown 44	*Latrobe 47	N. Huntington 36
*Latrobe 25	Jeannette 48	*Latrobe 51	Hurst 37
*Latrobe 32	Greensburg47	**Latrobe 44	Scottdale 30
*Latrobe 57	Derry Twp 32	**Latrobe 46	Greensburg32
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*Latroba 44	N Huntingdon 31		

Won 13—Lost 10
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**County Tourney

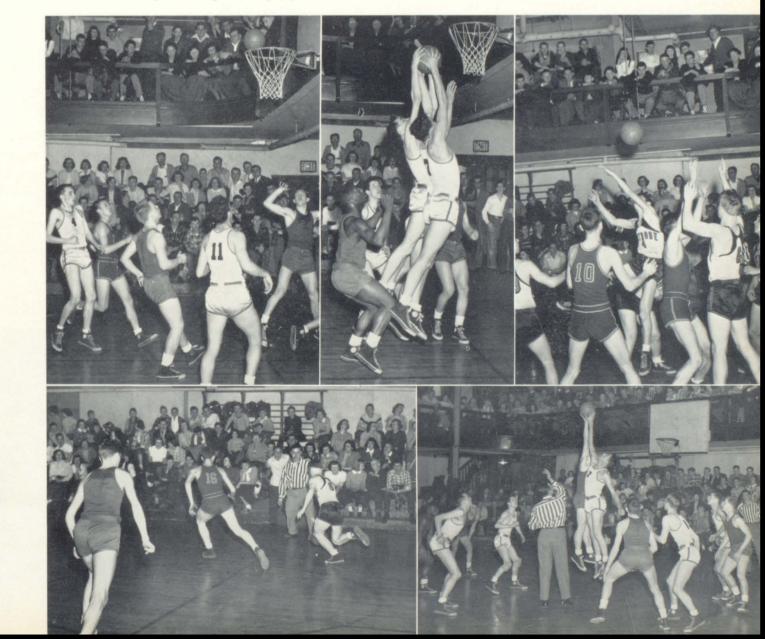


COURT FLASHES AT GAME TIME

Top

LATROBE PLAYERS hold for the rebound as the enemy arches the ball toward the hoop . . . WILDCAT BASKETEERS have rebound situation well in hand . . . SCRAMBLE FOR THE BALL opens the way for a rough jayvee encounter.

WILDKITTEN PLAYER shows dribbling prowess as he needles his way through Jeannette defense . . . OPENING TIPOFF marks the beginning of a fast and furious basket-





MINOR

Track, Golf, Tennis, Ping

CHEERLEADERS

First Row: Hackman, Kessler, Shaw. Second Row: Walker, Cirucci, Albert.

Setting the pace for minor sports, Donald Bossart, '50, and George Lynch, '49, copped the PIAA doubles tennis championship at State College, Pennsylvania, last spring. They whipped Williamsport and Reading to gain the crown. The winners represented Latrobe and the WPIAL in the tournament. This represents Latrobe's second such title. Jack Roof and George Greubel won the crown in 1945.

Inaugurating his first year as head track mentor, Mr. Richard Braun began the cinder campaign with lettermen Dick Hauser, Francis Glamp, Jack Emery, Bill Buchanan, Fred Lenz, Fred Wegley, Bill Adams, Don Noonan, Ed Gearing and Roger Caldwell. These boys carried the brunt of the Wildcat attack. Track activity began in April with the inter-class meet.

Competition galore was found in the annual ping pong tournament. Coming out on top of the heap were Fred Zenone, freshman winner, Hugh Shields, sophomore titlist, Joe Pry, junior champ, and Bob Reeping, senior crown-man. In the final matches Hugh Shields downed Don Bossart to garner school champion honors. Ping pong also caught the eye of the girls as they also battled one another in a "white-ball" tourney. After the smoke cleared, Barbara Pohland reigned as champ in the girls' ping pong circle.

Turning in a repeat performance with that of last year, the seniors won the school basket-ball championship. Heading the pack of underclass performers was Room 214 who downed the freshman Room 201 to win underclass laurels. In the upperclass group, it was 104 who turned the tide on junior home room 119 in the battle for the upperclass crown. The seniors clicked consistently as they won the school crown by whipping the sophomores 24-16.

Sporting two one man teams, Room 120, underclass champs, and 103, upperclass victors clashed in the championship tilt. Room 103 slammed the "greenies" 20-6 to win the tourney pennant. All scoring was done by two girls. Sarb Johnstin canned 20 markers while Ann

Edwards of the losers scored her team's six

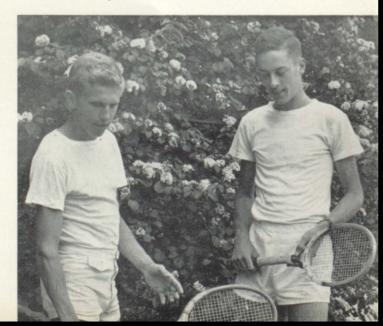
With only two lettermen returning to bolster their attack, the golf team, under the tutorship of head coach Robert E. Cook tackled a tough WPIAL schedule. Spearheading the squad was Eddie Zabkar, Francis Cmar and Emory Lesho.

Mr. Rise's tennis team underwent a rebuilding process as only one senior, Don Bossart, returned to the roster. Other veterans on the roster included: Dick Atkinson and Jim Roof. Early in the year, Jim Roof and Don Bossart represented Latrobe in a WPIAL tournament but lost to Shadyside.

An Orange and Black round-robin girls' basketball tournament and a boys' tennis tourney also were included in this season's athletic plan.

PIAA TENNIS CHAMPS

PIAA DOUBLES tennis champs, "Dobey" Lynch and Don Bossart discuss an important match.



SPORTS

Pong Add "Flavor" To Latrobe High School Athletic Program

TRACK SQUAD

First Row: Harman, mgr., Caruso, Guidice, A. Lenz, Buchanan, Tarnazie, Harris, Noonan, Wegley, R. Hauser. Second Row: Evans, McCleary, Mueseler, Lawson, Emery, Caldwell, Gearing, Adams. Third Row: Kendra, Halula, F. Lenz, Hackman, Pry, Hoffman, Glamp, Lynch, Richwine. Fourth Row: Elder, Buchleitner, Zacur, Sabota, Cirucci, Schmucker, Kessler, J. Hauser, Scarfi.



PING PONG ENTRANTS

First Row: Pry, Lawford, Bossart, Halula, Graham, Beam, Vargo. Second Row: Fleming, Harr, Zenone, Henry, Caruso, Tobias, Martino, Allen. Third Row: Harr, Robb, Accorsi, Tepper, T. Reeping, R. Reeping, Nagel, McCleary, Shields, Jenkins.



GOLF SQUAD

First Row: Zabkar, Thompson,
R. Walker, Borza, W. Walker,
W. Fowler. Second Row:
Cmar, J. Fowler, Ferlin, Konkoly, Lesho, Forsha, Brown and
Reeping.











INTRA Class Basketball, Gy

GIRLS' BASKETBALL CHAMPS

First Row: Johnstin, Erny, Parker, Workman, Keffer. Second Row: Shaw, Corazzi, Goldberg.

> BOYS' UNDERCLASS BASKETBALL CHAMPS

First Row: Steppic, Smetanka, Shields, Roof. Second Row: Rizzo, Soufl, Stewart.

> BOYS' HOME ROOM BASKETBALL CHAMPS

First Row: Lenz, Kubicki, Kosker, Luttner. Second Row: D. Marshall, McCurdy, Lynch.

> GIRLS' HOME ROOM BASKETBALL CHAMPS

First Row: Jackson, Japalucci, Keffer, Johnstin. Second Row: P. Henry, R. Henry, Keim.

MURAL

mnastics, Volleyball, Hockey Impress

GYMNASTIC SQUAD

First Row: Carnahan, H. Albert, A. Cirucci, M. Cirucci, Kessler. Second Row: Wible, Graham, Shaw, Hackman. Third Row: McIlnay, Reynolds, Gresh. Fourth Row: Paxton.

Athletic competition helped students use leisure time as a variety of games were carried on in the intra-mural class in Latrobe High School in 1949-1950.

The seniors kept up what has now become somewhat a tradition as they won the boys' homeroom basketball championship downing the underclass champs, sophomore room 213, by a 24-16 score. In their quest for the crown the new titleholders won over four teams. They scored wins over 101, 112 and then humbled 119 to win the upper-class title. The fourth win, of course, came over 213.

Seven boys comprised the winning aggregation. They were Ronald Marshall, Ludwig Kubicki, Leon Kosker, William Lynch, William McCurdy, William Luttner, and Howard Lenz. Senior team 102 won the crown last year.

Two girls stole the show in the girls' home room basketball tourney as they scored all of their team's points in the final game. Barbara Johnstin scored 20 points, and Ann Edwards counted six points as 103 won over 120. The score was 20-6. The girls from 103 were the same bunch that won the title for 116 last year.

The majority of the time, all the boys and girls were cheering for the basketball and football teams, but no one said a thing about a crowd of gentlemen who carried on their work—rain or shine. Yes, the cheerleaders and managers were like "Old Man River," they just kept rolling along.

The football managers were led by Ronald Frye and Robert Klapchar was the top man on the totem pole for the court managers. Ronald and Robert both served four years as managers in their respective sport. Seniors Mike Cirucci and John Walker led the cheerleaders in their "2-4-6-8's" and "L-A-Ts" at the football and basketball games.

Girls also participated in class basketball as Monday first whipped Monday seventh to win the health class title. The score in that tussel read 21-14. Barbara Johnstin led her team to the title. A girls' round robin basketball tournament was also held this year.

A gymnastic class also was active this season. One of the big features of this group was a demonstration put on for the students in the gymnasium. Two seniors, Mike Cirucci and Anthony Cirucci, led the gymnastic team. All of these things put together make up just one thing—intra-mural activities.



BASKETBALL MANAGERS are busy on the afternoon before the court squad hits the road for another league game. Bob Klapchar is showing his assistants Jim Harris, Jerome Harman and Lee Gordon what to pack.

FOOTBALL MANAGERS stop their duties a moment to pose for the birdie. Managers in the first row are Charles Nolf, Richard Kuhn and Ernest Downs. Standing are Richard Campbell, Thomas Erny, Ronald Frye, Jack Kunkle and Kenneth Thompson.





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Of 1950 and the help that made possible these familiar scenes and friendly faces recreating the happy story of Latrobe High School. It took but a minute to click the shutter . . . some hours of writing and editing . . . but behind it all may you find all the plans, hopes and dreams that may keep 1950 a year of teeming memories.

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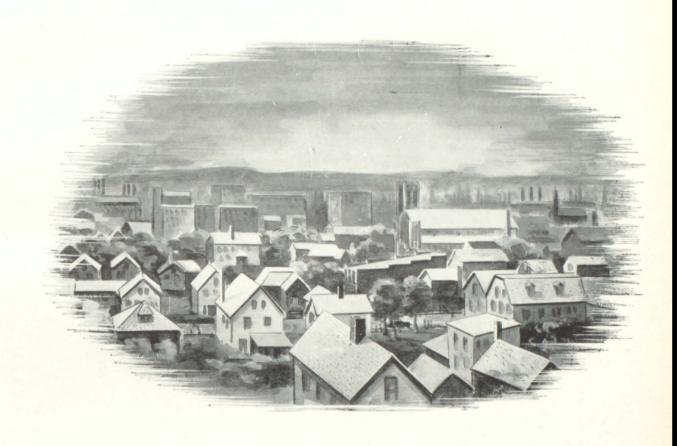
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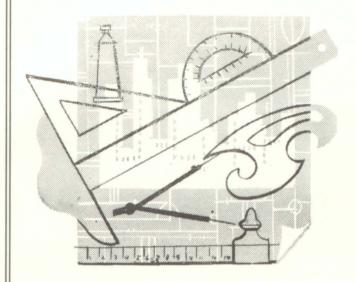
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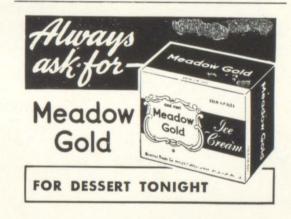
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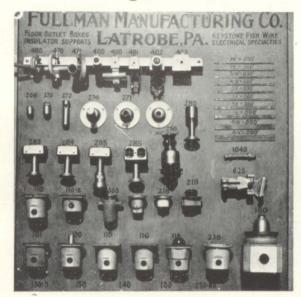
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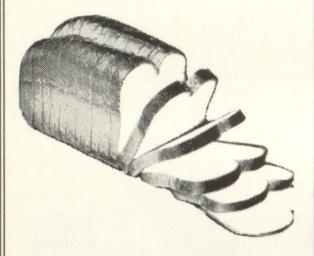
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