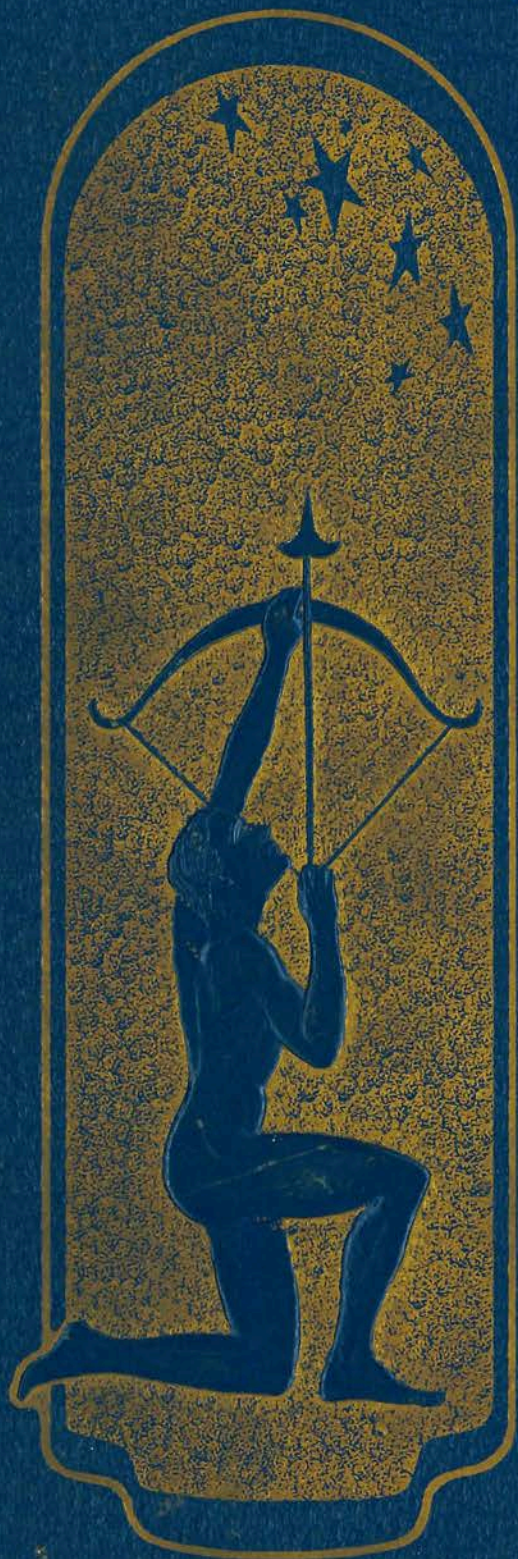
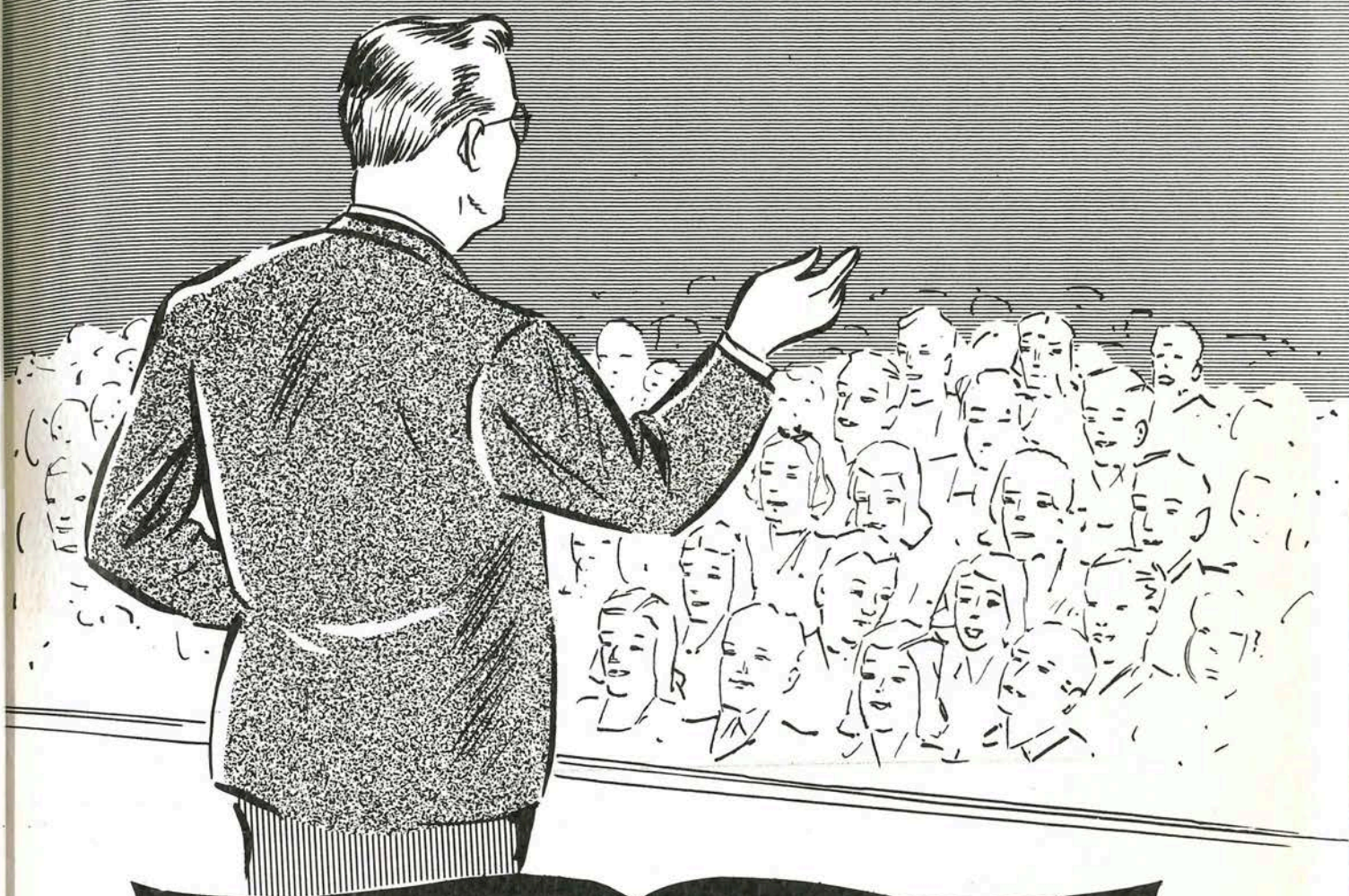


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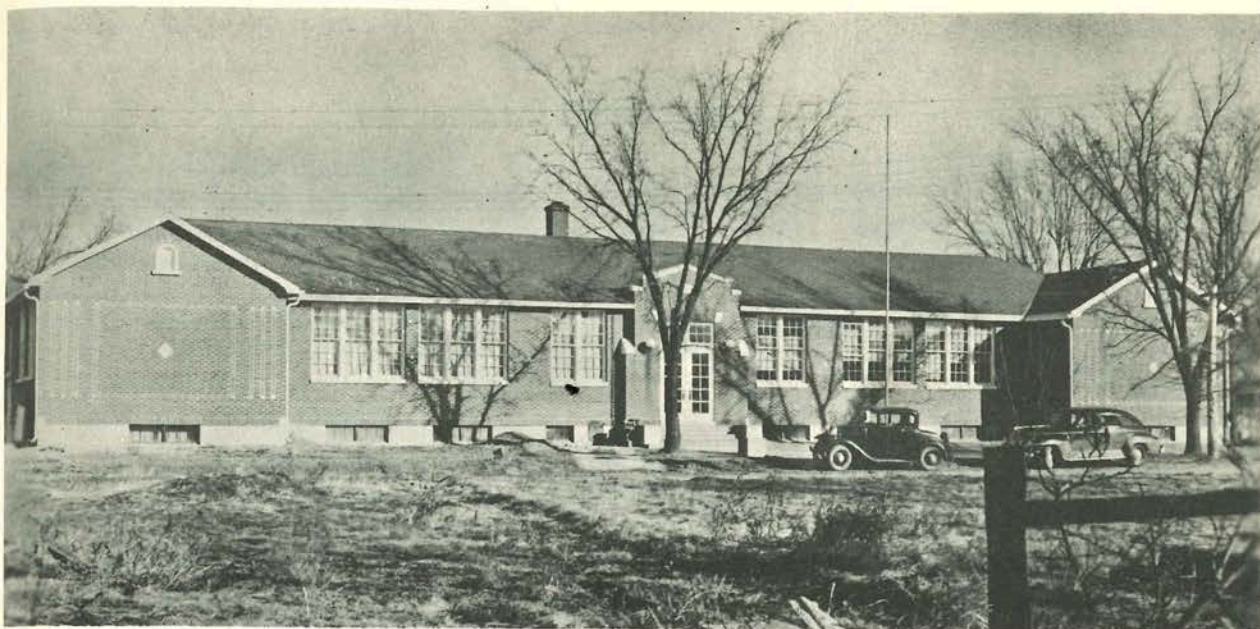


DEDICATION

To Miss Clough, our former class sponsor and principal who has given much time and effort to the support of the Wright City High School for many years in order to make our school days possible, we sincerely dedicate this sixteenth edition of the "Wildcat Echoes."



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SENIORS

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AND

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NAME: Fred S. Tillinger
ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: January 18, 1930
ACTIVITIES: Basketball (1, 2, 3, & 4), Secretary-Treasurer of Freshmen Class (1), Sophomore Class President (2), Junior Class Vice-President (3), Senior Class President (4), FFA (1, 2, 3, & 4), FFA President (3), FFA Treasurer (4), Band (1, 2, & 4), President of Student Body (4), Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Helen Frances Anthony
ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: April 20, 1930
ACTIVITIES: Band (1, 2, 3, & 4), Basketball (3), Pep Squad (1, 2, 3, & 4), Modern Miss (1, 2, 3, & 4), Pep Squad Leader (2, 3, & 4), Modern Miss President (3 & 4), Pep Squad Reporter (3), Junior Class Secretary (3), Student Council (2), Chorus (2), Band President (4), Vice-President of Senior Class (4), Vice-President of Pep Squad (4), Secretary-Treasurer of Student Body (4), Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Frances Beier
ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: December 23, 1929
ACTIVITIES: Modern Miss (1 & 2), Junior Play (3), Secretary of Senior Class (4), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Shirley Schwler
ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: August 27, 1929
ACTIVITIES: Pep Squad (1, 2, 3, & 4), Basketball (1 & 2), Modern Miss (1, 2, 3, & 4), Student Council (1), Sophomore Class Secretary-Treasurer (2), Modern Miss President (2), Pep Squad Secretary-Treasurer (2), Junior Play (3), Modern Miss Reporter (4), Senior Class Treasurer (4), Band (4), Glee Club (2 & 4), Annual Staff (4).





NAME: Carl Dyer
ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: February 23, 1930
ACTIVITIES: FFA (1,2,3, & 4), President of FFA (4), Student Council (1 & 3), Basketball (2 & 3), Junior Play (3), Junior Class Treasurer (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Lila Lee Zeip
ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: January 21, 1930
ACTIVITIES: Modern Miss (1,2,3,4), Sophomore Class Vice-President (2), Pep Squad (2,3, & 4), Basketball (2, 3, & 4), Junior Class President (3), Modern Miss Secretary (4), Student Council (4), Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4);



NAME: Mildred O. Schuster
ADDRESS: Marthasville, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: May 18, 1929
ACTIVITIES: Basketball (2 & 3), Modern Miss (1 & 2), Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Melva Jean Bueneman
ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
BIRTHDATE: December 8, 1930
ACTIVITIES: Freshmen Class Vice-President (1), Modern Miss (1,2,3, & 4), Pep Squad (1,2,3, & 4), Pep Squad Secretary and Treasurer (3), Modern Miss Vice President (4), Band (1,2, & 4), Glee Club (2&4), Student Council (3), Junior Play (3), Band Secretary and Treasurer (4), Annual Staff (4).





NAME: Richard E. Nieweg
 ADDRESS: Wentzville, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: November 15, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Basketball (1,2,3, & 4),
 FFA (1,2,3, & 4), Annual Staff (4)



NAME: Mary Elizabeth Karrenbrock
 ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: February 1, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Basketball (1,2,3, & 4), Pep
 Squad (3 & 4), Junior Play (3), Vice-Presi-
 dent of Student Body (4), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Wilma Emma Micke
 ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: January 19, 1931
 ACTIVITIES: Modern Miss (1,2,3, & 4),
 Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Marilyn Osseck
 ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: November 4, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Freshmen Play (1),
 Junior Play (3), Glee Club (2&4),
 Pep Squad (4), Annual Staff (4).





NAME: William Clifford McCarver
 ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: February 8, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: FFA (1,2,3, & 4),
 Junior Play (3), Glee Club (4), Annual
 Staff (4), Student Council (3).



NAME: Dorothy Louise Schmidt
 ADDRESS: Foristell, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: March 22, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Modern Miss (1 & 2),
 Junior Play (3), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Alice Mills
 ADDRESS: Wright City, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: September 22, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Dramatics (3), Acapell
 (3), Home Economics (2&3), Girls
 Glee Club (4), Band (4), Pep Squad
 (4), Secretary-Treasurer of Pep
 Squad (4), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Vivian Paul
 ADDRESS: New Melle, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: April 5, 1930
 ACTIVITIES: Freshmen Class Pres
 ident (1), Modern Miss Club (1,2,3,4
 Pep Squad (3), Junior Play (3) Baske
 ball (1,2,3, & 4), Annual Staff (4).



NAME: Norman Henry Logan
 ADDRESS: Marthasville, Missouri
 BIRTHDATE: December 14, 1929
 ACTIVITIES: FFA (1,2,3, & 4), Junior Play
 (3), Annual Staff (4).



SENIOR LINE-UP

NAME	NICKNAME	SAYING	PASTIME	AMBITION
Helen Anthony	"Bugs"	Eeeee Gads!	Talking & Pop- ping corny jokes.	Not to be an old maid.
Frances Beier	"Francie"	Oh Man!	Reading.	To be a teacher.
Jean Bueneman	"Beanie"	Might Near!	Playing the piano.	To find the lost chord.
Carl Dyer	"Carl-boy"	Jiminy!	Driving a car.	To do as little as possible.
Betty Karrenbrock	"Bubble-gum"	I ain't no- body-s grand- pa!	Flirting	To be the world's greatest wolver- ine.
Norman Logan	"Norm"	<u>Nothing</u> !!!	Hunting	To be a flyer.
Billy McCarver	"Cliff"	Where there's a Ford, there's a way!	Advertising Fords.	To sell Fords.
Wilma Micke	"Wimpie"	Oh-Do-De-Do!	Entering con- tests.	To take shorthand as fast as my boss dictates.
Alice Mills	"Mulligan- stew"	Oh my cow!	Reading and gabbing.	To travel any- where, Anytime.
Richard Nieweg	"Dick"	Oh my aching back!	Playing the guitar.	To be a truck driver.
Marilyn Osseck	"Marion"	Hi Ya!	Drawing and singing.	To be a nurse. (Kill em or cure em Osseck.)
Vivian Paul	"Bobo"	Bull!	Playing basket- ball.	To be the mother of six children.
Dorothy Schmidt	"Dot"	Oh My!	Reading.	To write short- hand 200 words per min.
Mildred Schuster	"Cutie"	Well, forever more!	Milking cows.	To be a nurse. (Another one.)
Shirley Schwier	"Shir"	Being as to how!	Collecting sou- venirs.	To be the first woman president.
Fred Tillinger	"Tillie"	I Reckon!	Sleeping.	Trying to go out with women.
Lila Lee Zeip	"Zipper"	Oh Gads!	Patiently wait- ing for Sat. & Sun. nites to come.	To go to Havana, Cuba.

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Looking back over the past four years, I am able to recall many experiences, both happy and sad ones. It hardly seems that long ago since eighteen green, but willing to learn, Freshmen entered the halls of Wright City High School for the first time.

After getting acquainted, we elected the following class officers: President, Vivian Paul; Vice-President, Melna Jean Bueneman; Secretary-Treasurer, Fred Tillinger; Student Council Members were: Shirley Schwier and Carl Dyer. Mr. Heusi was chosen for our class sponsor. The first big event for us was our initiation, which we did not expect to enjoy as much as we really did. We also entered the Junior class "Stunt Fest", and won second prize, much to our surprise.

Our sophomore year we gave the Freshman an initiation, even though we were greatly outnumbered. The party we gave for them was considered a success.

Class officers for the year were: President, Fred Tillinger; Vice-President, Lila Lee Zeip; Secretary-Treasurer, Shirley Schwier. Student Council was represented by Helen Anthony and Robert Almeling. Miss Dothage was our sponsor.

Together with the Seniors, we were winners in the magazine subscription selling contest and the two losing classes gave us a nice party.

When we entered our Junior year, we had a feeling of superiority. We found, however, that we had a lot of responsibilities before us and much work to do this year.

Under the able leadership of the following officers: President, Lila Lee Zeip; Vice-President, Fred Tillinger; Secretary, Helen Anthony; and Billy McCarver, and our sponsor, Miss Clough, to whom we owe so much, and with the work and cooperation of the whole class were able to come out with "flying colors". Our play, "A Case of Springtime", given on April 25, 1947, and the "Bubble Prom" given on May 9, 1947, were both great successes and we were proud of those accomplishments.

Now the long awaited time, our Senior year, has arrived. We gathered on September 9, 1947, to elect officers for the last time. They are as follows: President, Fred Tillinger; Vice-President, Helen Anthony; Secretary, Frances Beier; Treasurer, Shirley Schwier; Student Council Members, Lila Lee Zeip and Carl Dyer. Mr. Wackher was chosen for our class sponsor.

During all four years we have been well represented in all school activities such as: Basketball, Pep Squad, Modern Miss, F. F. A., Band, and Glee Club.

The learning we have acquired at W. C. H. S. has not all been of a scholastic nature. Many things we have learned are: Friendliness, co-operation, loyalty, responsibility, and sportsmanship, which will be of much advantage to us in future life.

Thus, as we leave W. C. H. S. with our cherished memories of high school days, we will ever continue to say, "Hail to Thee, Wright City High School."

"Most folks are about as happy as they make up their minds to be."

-Abraham Lincoln

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of Wright City High School, City of Wright City, County of Warren, State of Missouri, being of sound mind and body by scant majority after four strenuous years and knowing that the end is near, do desire to dispose of our property. We do therefore declare on this the fourteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, the following to be our last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills, bequests, and dévices made by us on any former date.

SECTION I

Article 1-To all the future Seniors of Wright City High School, we leave our highly prized American Flag. May they respect it and keep it flying.

SECTION II

Article 1-We, the Seniors of 1938, do hereby bequeath to the faculty the blessing of our departure from W. C. H. S. and extend our sympathy that the Senior Class of 1949 is not departing with us.

SECTION III

Article 1-To the Juniors we transmit our much used Senior dignity, (Joke 1), our winning ways especially in regard to the teachers, (Joke 2), and last but not least our money making ability.

SECTION IV

Article 1-to the Sophomores, we leave our well worn books, tattered from constant use and may you have the same respect for the Seniors of '49 as they had for the Seniors of '48. for the Seniors of '48.

SECTION V

Article 1-To the Freshmen, we will our ability to skip classes and study halls. You will treasure it in the future.

SECTION VI

Article 1-To the Freshmen-to-be, unknown though you are, we entrust with our ability to have fun. May you have as much fun in your four years as we have had in ours.

SECTION VII

I, Helen Anthony, will my ability to lose long arguments with Chubby to Glenn Cafer.
I, Frances Beier, will my height and good-naturedness to Billy Latham.
I, Jean Bueneman, leave my "Nose for news and gossip" to Mildred Klatt.
I, Carl Dyer, will my romantic inclinations to Ronald Leicht.
I, Betty Karrenbrock, feel that everything I have I had better take with me.
I, Norman Logan, will my standing as the school's professional noise maker to Dolores Mills.

I, Billy McCarver, will my now professional love-making technique to Charles Bollegar.

I, Wilma Micke, will my talent for playing the accordion to John Nelson.

I, Alice Mills, will my ability to play basketball to Dorothy Twiehaus.

I, Richard Nieweg, will my hair net and bobby pins for the purpose of keeping the wave to Nelson Seger.

I, Marilyn Osseck, will my "trick" of always knowing the eight parts of speech to my sister, Jeanne.

I, Vivian Paul, will my earrings to the Girls Basketball Team. May the earrings bring them as much luck next year as they did to us this year.

I, Dorothy Schmidt, will my interest in typing and shorthand to Hazel Hoelscher.

I, Mildred Schuster, will my habit of studying for tests to Otis Symes.

I, Shirley Schwier, will my standing as Bass drum player to George Hoech. (The valves never stick on the bass drum, George.)

I, Fred Tillinger, will my physique and my seat in history to Robert Schmidt.

I, Lila Lee Zeip, will my excellent choice of the ideal fellow to Margaret Anne Fulkerson. (I prefer brunettes--she prefers blondes.)

In witness whereof, we the Senior Class, having bequeathed the aforesaid property, do hereby affix our seal to this our last will and testament on this memorable day.

THE SENIORS

Testrices

Shirley Schwier
Helen Anthony

COMMENCEMENT CALENDAR

May 7	Junior-Senior Prom
	Theme--Northern Lights
9	Baccalaureate
	Speaker _____
10 & 11	Senior Trip
	To _____
12	All School Picnic
	At _____
13	Commencement
	Speaker _____
14	Last Day of School and
	Closing Assembly

CLASS PROPHECY

One April evening in the year 1968, we were walking along a small dark street in Wright City when we passed an old antique shop. Fascinated by a faded rug in the window we entered. As the proprietress walked toward us we knew her instantly as the former Lila Lee Zeip. After visiting with her and her husband a short time we inquired about the rug we had noticed. She told us a tale about its being a magic carpet but added that no one had shown much interest in it or had ever proved the legend. We were more intrigued than ever and purchased it. Much to our surprise as we said the magic word we found ourselves sailing through the air.

The first stop we made on our journey on the magic carpet was in front of the Stork Club in New York City. We entered and were led to a small table near the orchestra. Looking up we were surprised to see the old familiar face of William Clifford McCarver, the millionaire playboy, surrounded by many famous movie stars. Time had made many changes in Billy but as we passed his table we heard him still talking about Ford cars. We stopped to talk with him for a minute and found that Billy still had the Ford he bought in 1947, and was keeping it as a relic to show his grandchildren.

Not content to leave New York quite so soon we were walking down 5th Avenue when our eyes were attracted by the bright lights of a sign reading "Grand Premier of Carmen starring Alice Mills." Naturally we wanted to hear our talented classmate so we entered and were shown to seats near the orchestra pit. After the performance we went backstage and told her how much we enjoyed her magnificent performance. She was very surprised to see us and wanted us to stay for a party that was being given in her honor but we had to be going, much to our regret.

Leaving New York we again took to the air. As we swooped down over a beautiful campus in New England we thought we recognized a familiar profile strolling on the campus. We decided to investigate and found that it was none other than our old friend and classmate, Dorothy Schmidt. After talking with her for a while we learned that she was now headmistress of Pinewood Manor, an exclusive girls school. We could tell in the short time that we talked with her that she was happy and successful in her work.

While in New York we had seen the headlines announcing another Missouri President had been elected---Norman Logan. We decided this would be a good time congratulate him on his new office. Therefore our next stop was the White House where we were allowed 10 minutes of his very valuable time. Norman, as of old, had little to say but showed his enthusiasm by the expression on his face.

Again on our way we found ourselves flying over a little town in the Middle West. We noticed flags flying, throngs of laughing people and tents humming with activity. What else could it be but the Bingle Sisters Circus! Naturally the first person we saw was the fat lady. Imagine our surprise when we discovered her to be Jean Bueneman. Needless to say Jean had changed considerably since our school days but looked to be the same cheerful and jolly person we had always known.

As time was flying we were again on our way and this time the magic carpet carried us a little nearer home. We had bit of carpet trouble so while that was being repaired we stopped at the local hotel for a bite to eat. As we entered we heard a voice say "Hello there!" We found it to be Frances Beier who after talking with us for a short time informing us that she was running a branch of the Waldorf Astoria in New Melle. She also told us that New Melle was quite a prosperous and growing town now.

Soon we were again on our way. While thinking about Carl Dyer we decided to visit Notre Dame where we had heard he had a position. When we found Carl we noticed that he was extremely excited. When he told us he was head football coach we soon understood his excitement--they were to play Michigan that day. After wishing him luck in the coming game we were once more in the air and speeding to our next destination.

As the magic carpet again came to a stop we found ourselves in Sunny California on a movie lot. We stopped to watch a scene being made and saw one of our former basketball players, Vivian Paul. Vivian was beautifully dressed and greeted us with all her old enthusiasm. We chatted with her while she waited for her hairdresser. She told us that her producer expected her to win the Academy Award for her latest picture. Vivian had neglected to tell us that her hairdresser was the now famous Mademoiselle Wilma Micke. We learned from Wilma that she now had her own exclusive salon and that she originated many coiffures used by famous stars. Having learned their fates we said good-by and departed.

Flying low over the Sherman Hotel in Chicago we heard a familiar name. Stopping to investigate we found a large crowd gathered to honor the famous inventor, Richard Nieweg. Just as we arrived they awarded him the Benjamin Medal of Merit for his marvelous invention for looking through walls-windows!

As we were heading for our next faraway destination we met a plane carrying Shirley Schwier and Helen Anthony. We learned from them they had just completed a round the world trip in Helen's new plane in the record time of four hours and thirteen minutes. The trip was made to do sky-writing advertising for the "Schwier's Shorter Shorthand Book." As they were headed for Florida for a rest we said "Good-by" and were again on our way.

This time the magic carpet carried us across the ocean to England to see a golf tournament. We had heard much of this final match and arrived just in time to see our former classmate, Mildred Schuster, win the World Championship Title. As she was surrounded by reporters and cheering spectators we couldn't get near enough to speak to her. As we turned to go we spied Marilyn Osseck. She recognized us too and greeted us with her old familiar "Hi Ya." She then introduced us to her husband, the Duke of Rochester. We were overwhelmed to be talking to a Duchess but they invited us to have tea with them and soon we were talking over old times and old friends. As they had another engagement we bade them farewell after promising to spend our vacation at their castle.

Soon we were heading for home. As we passed over St. Louis we noticed the spotless streets, so free from trash and rubbish. The head of the street cleaning department had certainly been doing a magnificent job and was to be congratulated. We met Fred Tillinger walking down the street and commented on this to him. His face lit up with a glow of pride and he informed us that he was now head of the Street Cleaners Department as he had just received a promotion.

We continued on down the street and were stopped by a man handing out samples of what he claimed to be the only "Rainbow Hued Bubble-Gum" in the world. Attracted by the brilliant wrapper we noticed--"Manufactured by the Elizabeth Karrenbrock Manufacturing Company." Betty had followed the old saying "Make a better bubble-gum and the world will beat a path to your door, and was now a very successful business woman.

Looking back over our journey we are happy in the knowledge that all of our pals are successful in their chosen professions. We are now weary from traveling but we can't help wondering what the next twenty years will bring for each of us.

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VALEDICTORIAN
SALUTATORIAN

FFA BARNWARMIN' QUEEN
ATTENDANTS

MODERN MISS KING OF HEARTS
CANDIDATES

BASKETBALL KING
BASKETBALL QUEEN

MEMBERS OF ALL-STAR BASKETBALL TEAMS
AT THE BELLFLOWER TOURNAMENT

Betty Twienaus, Junior.
Alice Mills, Senior.
Dolores Mills, Sophomore.
Carol Wilegus, Freshmen.

Richard Nieweg, Senior.
Billy Twienaus, Junior.
Billy Anthony, Sophomore.
Billy Cook, Freshmen.

Betty Karrenbrock, Betty Twiehaus
Marilyn Dyer, Dorothy Twiehaus,
Fred Tillinger, Glenn Cafer,
Billy Twiehaus, Robert Cook.

Dorothy Twiehaus,
Captain of All-Star Girls Team.
Vivian Paul, Member of All-Star Team.
Glenn Cafer,
Captain of All-Star Boys Team



UNDERGRADS

JUNIORS



GLENN CAFAR



CHARLES BOLLEGAR



IRIS SCHAPER



ALLEN RYKER



MARTHA JASPERING



ROBERT LEE



MARGARET CARTER



OTIS SYMES



DOROTHY TWIEHAUS



ROBERT COOK



BETTY TWIEHAUS



TOMMY COX



BARBARA HOECH



ROBERT DELALOYE



MARILYN DYER



DONALD NELSON



IVA SCHAPER



MARGARET FULKERSON



BILLY TWIEHAUS



DOROTHY LEE



LINDSAY MITTLER



HAZEL HOELSCHER



ANTOINETTE
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ROBERT
SCHMIDT



ARLAYNE
VAHLE



MORRIS
WILLIAMS



MARTHA CHRISTOPHER



NORMAN KJAR

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

On September 4, 1945, thirty-eight meek Freshmen, wandering what to expect, walked into Wright City High School. We were not sure that we were not wasting our time as we felt there was very little worthwhile that we did not already know. By the time the Sophomores had initiated us, we knew that we were very young and insignificant to the other classes.

In the two and a half years since that memorable time, we have worn more wax off the floors than any other class. We can't say that our books have suffered from such constant use.

We have always been a well-liked group, we hope, and our class has been outstanding in having an abundance of good basketball material.

When we entered our junior year we were financially embarrassed and had a Senior Prom to be put on. By various means we have accumulated sufficient funds for that, with a tidy sum to take into our Senior year. The following officers were elected to carry us through this year: President, Glenn Cafer; Vice-President, Charles Bollegar; Secretary-Treasurer, Allan Ryker and Student Council Members, Betty Twiehaus and Lindsay Dale Mittler. Mrs. Stamer was chosen as class sponsor.

We have our Junior play "Friday, The Thirteenth", selected and our cast completed. The date we will put it on is set for February, Friday the 13th. That shows we are not superstitious, or are we just asking for trouble?

Our number has decreased from thirty-eight as Freshmen to twenty-seven as Juniors and we hope to keep the entire group through our Senior year.

SOPHOMORES



BILLY ANTHONY



JUNIOR BUENEMAN



GEORGE HOECH



BEULAH BORGELT



NELSON SEGER



IMA JEAN BOTE



ROGER PAUL



DOLORES MILLS



EDWIN PARKER



MARGIE WEHRMAN



EDWIN SCHUSTER



MILDRED KLATT



JACKIE SHELLHART



INEZ SNYDER



RONALD LEICHT



DELORIS HARRELL



JOHN NELSON



MABEL SCHUSTER



FERN WANDREI



MILDRED POTTEBAUM



RUSSELL SCHROER

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

One bright September day in the year of 1946, the Wright City High School was honored" by the enrollment of twenty-two new, inexperienced, eyes, ears, and "mouths" open, and soon showed prospects of becoming a fairly intelligent and well-mannered class.

At our first class meeting, the following class officers were elected: President, George Hoech, Jr.; Vice President, Billy Anthony; Secretary-Treasurer, Deloris Harrell; and Margie Wehrman and Eddie Parker, Student Council members. Mr. Heusi was chosen as our sponsor.

To help us get acquainted, the sophomore class had an initiation party at the park. In November we had a most enjoyable hay ride.

The following year, 1947, twenty-one boys and girls returned to school, eager to begin their sophomore year of work.

After reminiscing and introducing a new classmate, Dolores Mills, the following class officers were elected: President, Billy Anthony; Vice-President, Junior Bueneman; Secretary-Treasurer, Mildred Klatt; and Inez Snyder and George Hoech, Jr., Student Council members. Miss Dothage was chosen as class sponsor. At the close of the first semester we lost one member of our class, Eddie Parker, but were fortunate in that we gained a new member, Pat Shortal.

Our class has taken an active part in the school social life, and is well represented in all school organizations: The Modern Miss Club, F. F. A., both basketball squads, band, and in both glee clubs.

We are looking forward to a class party which is scheduled for the 5th of February.

Time has passed so swiftly that it seems almost impossible that we shall soon be able to say, "Our high school days are half over."

We, the Seniors of 1948, wish to thank sincerely the school board of this year and the past years for the many opportunities they have given us to continue and complete our high school education. It is due to their thoughtfulness and consideration for the needs of the students that Wright City High School has prospered and grown from a two year high school to the modern school of today of which we will soon be proud to call ourselves graduates.

The members of the board are as follows: President, Mr. E. W. Bueneman; Mr. Melvin Saatman, Mr. Ezra Cafer, Mr. Emory Chaney, Mr. Harry Fulkerson, Mr. Fred Hasekamp, and Mr. Charles Brandes, Secretary.



RUTH PARKER

FRESHMEN



BETTY JO BRYSON



DALE LOHMAN



JOYCE MEURY



JOHN BOLLEGAR



SHIRLEY STAPLETON



BILLY LATHAM



AUDREY LOGAN



WILLIAM MIKUS



NORMA PRIOR



GENE THOMURE



BURTFAY BARTON



ROBERT BURKE



FERNLENE WELGE



DUWARD BURNS



ANNA MAE MINNING



ORVAL LAWSON



SALLY CHRISTOPHER



MARY HELEN MEYER



DORIS GROEPER



ELDON NICHOLS



SHIRLEY WILEGUS



MELVIN SCHUSTER



CAROL WILEGUS



JEANNE OSSECK



WINSTON
SCHRECKENGAST



DERA MAE PAUL



BILL COOK



ELIZABETH LEWIS



HELEN SCHAPER



VERNON LOGAN



THELMA GARWITZ



WALTER ABROLAT



SHIRLEY STARKEY

FRESHMEN CLASS HISTORY

On September 2, 1947, thirty-eight boys and girls entered the doors of Wright City High School as "green Freshmen. The first day of school was quite interesting and exciting for most of the Freshmen. Just like all Freshmen, I did not know what was in store for me the coming year.

After some time, when we were acquainted pretty well, we elected the following officers to preside: President, Ruth Parker; Vice-President, Buddy Moran; Secretary-Treasurer, Betty Jo Bryson; Student Council Members, Jeanne Osseck and John Bollegar. Miss Mary Frances Ruhwedel was chosen for our class sponsor. When Ruth Parker left at the end of the first semester our Vice-President, Buddy Moran took charge as President.

As yet, we have not had a Freshmen party, but we are all looking forward to having it.

Our class is well represented in various school activities such as: Modern Miss, F. F. A., Band, Glee Club, Pep Squad, and both basketball squads.

I'm sure that most of the Freshmen have enjoyed their first year of high school and are glad they can look forward to three more pleasant and successful years of high school.

Margaret Anne: (at Prom) Say can't you stretch the music a little, just a dance or two more?

Orchestra Leader: Sorry, this isn't a rubber band.

Bob Delaloye: When you asked her to dance, did she accept quickly?

Bob Cook: Did she? Why she was on my feet in an instant.

Dorothy: Oh! Fred, what beautiful fresh flowers you brought me. I do be-
there is still a little dew on them.

Fred: (blushing) Yes, but I will finish paying it off tomorrow.

Vivian: What? Are you back again? Aren't you the same one I gave a piece
of pie last week. I didn't expect to see you again.

Billy McCarver: I didn't eat the pie.

Mr. Ryan: Now when I ask all who want to contribute to the uniform fund to
stand up, you play appropriate music.

Miss Ruhwedel: What would you suggest?

Mr. Ryan: "The Star Spangled Banner."

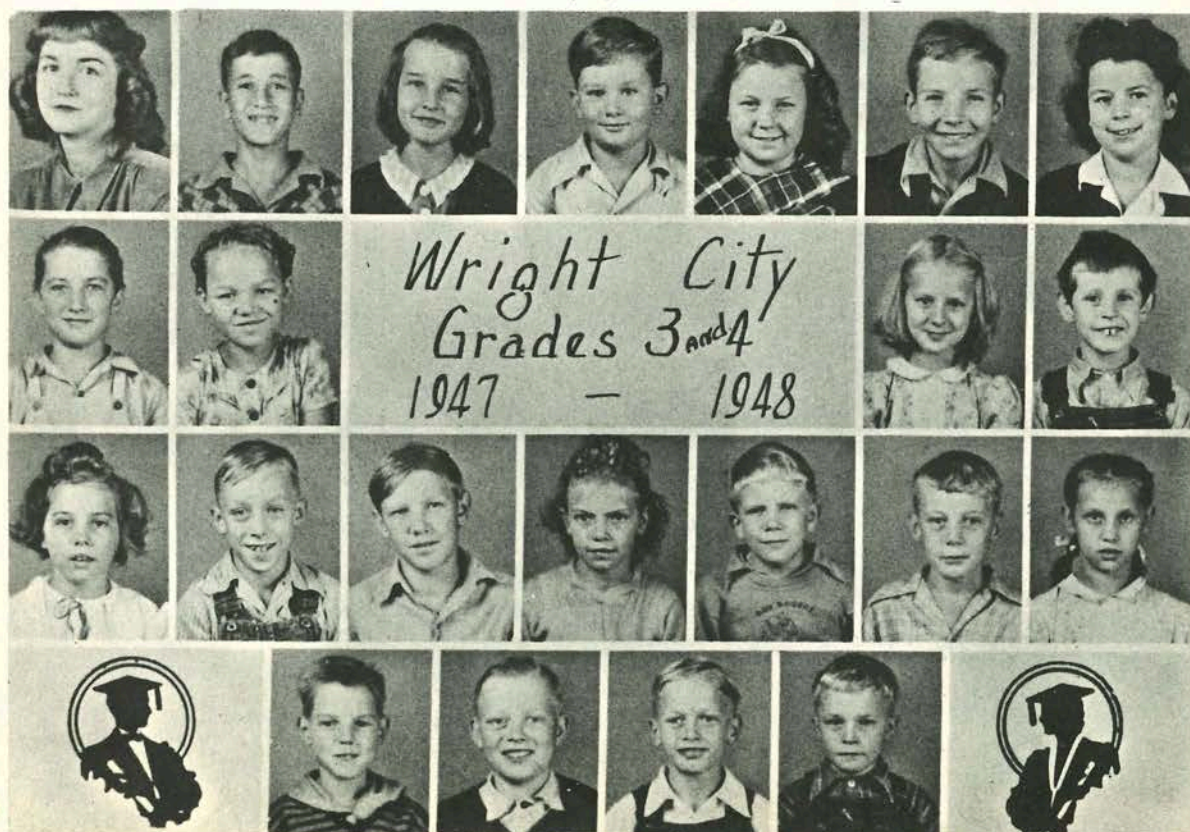
Helen Anthony: "Physical Education is just splendid. I'm taking beauty
exercises."

Chubby: "You haven't been taking them long, have you?"

MRS. HEUSI
TEACHER



MISS MAUPIN
TEACHER





MRS. WACKHER-TEACHER



MRS. ONEY-TEACHER

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

During the school year 1947-48, the Elementary School had an enrollment of 109 pupils with the following teachers: Primary, Ruth Heusi; Lower, Kay Maupin; Intermediate, Ruth Wackher; and Upper Grades, Dorothy Oney.

The annual Halloween Party was held, but because of bad weather, the parade was limited to the high school class rooms. Prizes were awarded to Dean Wyatt, Barbara Tomek, Allen Hunt, Sharon Herman, Marleen Lemke, Alfred Biggs, Lois Feix, Eleanor Smiley, and Bill Mathis.

The entire Grade School enjoyed the movies entitled, "Swiss Family Robinson," and "The Night Before Christmas. The children went back to their rooms for an exchange of gifts before being dismissed for the Christmas holidays.

A number of books were added to each room library and also to the public library which has encouraged a great deal of outside reading. Those pupils meeting the requirements for their respective grades will be awarded reading circle certificates.

The entire grade school will present the operetta, "Aunt Drusillas's Garden" the latter part of the school term.

During the year a number of educational films have been shown which were enjoyed by all.

The Grade School Boys attended a Basketball Tournament at Bellflower on February 7, 1948. The team making the trip consisted of Daniel Nelson, Bill Mathis, Richard Delaloye, Carl Pettig, Richard Stapleton, Paul Hunt, Gene Lohman, John Lewis, and Milton Kjar. The boys were defeated in both of their games. An added attraction of the evening was the game between Wright City Girls and Bellflower Girls. The Wright City Girls were successful in defeating Bellflower Girls. The members of the team were: Forwards: Judy Cafer, Eleanor Smily, Ivare Schreckengast, and Carol Nelson. Guards:

Patty Snyder, Peggy Groeper, Alice Lind, and Naomi Mosley.

The boys are anticipating playing in the Troy and Warrenton Elementary Tournaments.

Charles: "What could ever come between us, Lila?"

Alice (in back seat) "T'would have to be mighty thin."

Billy T.: "How would you like to have a monkey to look after you?"

Marilyn D.: "Oh, this is so sudden!"

HEARD IN THE GYM

Mr. Wackher: "Now run across the floor with your feet on it all the time."

HEARD IN THE HOME EC. ROOM

Miss Dike: "It is never correct to say 'I is'; I is a personal pronoun."

"Your money or your life," growled the burglar.

"Take me life," responded the Irishman. "I'm saving me money for me old age."



ACTIVITIES



HIGH SCHOOL BAND



GLEE CLUB



MIXED CHORUS

BAND

The Band is under the direction of Miss Mary Frances Ruhwedel, a former member of the Band and student of Wright City High School. Due to the lack of a teacher last year the Band was discontinued and had to be newly organized this year.

On December 9, the Band and Girls Glee Club presented their first Concert of the year. The Spring Concert will be given March 19.

The members of the Band gave a hay-ride in October, and in November Miss Ruhwedel gave a Thanksgiving party at her home in Foristell.

The Glee Clubs and the Band joined and chose sides for ticket sales for the December Concert. It was decided that the losers would give a party for the winners. The Gold's gave a party for the Blue's on January 21.

The Band played several numbers at the M. F. A. Oil Meeting and also at several basketball games.

The new Band Uniforms have been ordered and are expected to be here by Spring. When the Band was organized in September the following officers were elected:

President-----Helen Anthony
Vice President--Fred Tillinger
Sec. and Treas.-Jean Bueneman

Miss Ruhwedel organized a Beginners Band in September.

In former years the Band received superior ratings at contests among competent High School Bands of Eastern and Northern Missouri. This year the group plans on standing by the old tradition by making good at the Musical Contest which is to be held at Hermann, Missouri, on February 21. Besides the Band the following solo's are entered:

Baritone----- George Hoech
Clarinet ----- Helen Anthony
Piano ----- Jean Bueneman

The following will letter in Band:

Helen Anthony
Jean Bueneman
Alice Mills
Shirley Schwier
Fred Tillinger

Miss Ruhwedel is to be complemented on the splendid way in which the Music Department is being directed this year.

GLEE CLUB'S

The choral work which is composed of boy's Glee Club, Girl's Glee Club, Girl's Sextet, and Double Sextet is also under the direction of Miss Ruhwedel. Girls's Glee Club, which has 32 members, sang several songs at the December Concert. Both Glee Clubs are expected to participate in the Spring Concert which is to be held March 19.



ANNUAL STAFF



MODERN MISS CLUB



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICAN

MODERN MISS CLUB

The Modern Miss Club which this year is five years old is composed of those girls who have had two or more years of Home Economics.

The purpose of the club is to develop a better spirit of friendliness among girls and to sponsor various social activities throughout the year.

The regular meetings are held on the last Friday of every month. We elected officers at our first meeting on September 5 to serve for the first semester. They were President-Helen Anthony; Vice-President-Jean Bueneman; Secretary-Lila Lee Zeip; Treasurer-Margaret Carter; Reporter-Shirley Schwier. On January 9 we elected as officers for the second semester President-Martha Rose Jaspering; Vice-President-I ern Wandrei; Secretary-Mildred Klatt; Treasurer-Margie Wehrman; Reporter-Inez Snyder. Our sponsor for this year is Miss Dike, teacher of Home Economics.

So far this year we have had one party which was a dress-up party held on October 16 with "Schooldays" as the theme. We are now making plans for the second semester party which will have as its theme "Leap Year" and at which we will crown a King of Hearts. Each class selected a candidate to represent them and the club will then select one of these four as King. The following are the candidates; Richard Nieweg, Senior; Billy Twiehaus, Junior; Billy Anthony, Sophomore; and Billy Cook, Freshmen.

Four of the girls in third year Home Economics went to St. Louis last fall to see the Lammert Furniture Store. The other four girls will go sometime in the near future.

The Modern Miss girls and the Future Farmer Boys had a pinochle and Bingo Party on February 4. The proceeds are to be used to help finance the spring banquet.

We are planning to have the Mothers and Daughters and the Fathers and Sons Banquet late this spring but the date has not been set as yet. This will be the second year we have had this banquet with the FFA and we hope to make it an annual affair.

F. F. A.

The Wright City Chapter of the FFA is composed of 30 members, two of whom are not active members.

Our officers for the year are as follows: President-Carl Dyer; Vice-President-Robert Lee; Secretary-Morris William; Treasurer-Fred Tillinger; Reporter-Billy McCarver; Sentinel-Billy Twiehaus.

One of our first activities of the year, and probably the most important, was the Barnwarmin'. Betty Twiehaus, who represented the Junior Class, was chosen Queen. Her attendants and the classes they represented are as follows: Alice Mills, Senior; Dolores Mills, Sophomore; and Carol Wilegus, Freshman.

The other activities in which we took part were the trip to Kansas City to the American Royal Stock Show, the Bingo and Pinochle party with the Modern Miss, the Mother and Daughter and the Father and Son Banquet, and two basketball games with the Warrenton Ag. Boys. We plan to have our annual chicken dinner and also our stag pinochle party some time this spring. Mr. Heusi is sponsor of the FFA.



STUDENT COUNCIL



SENIOR PLAY CAST AND PRODUCTION STAFF



JUNIOR PLAY CAST

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council this year was organized under the sponsorship of our superintendent, Mr. Ryan, to assist in the governing of the school. The officers for the year were elected at an assembly in September by the student body and are as follows: President-Fred Tillinger; Vice-President, Betty Karrenbrock; Secretary-Treasurer, Helen Anthony. The representatives of the various classes are Lila Lee Zeip and Carl Dyer, Seniors; Betty Twiehaus and Lindsay Mittler, Juniors; Inez Snyder and George Hoech, Jr., Sophomores; and Jeanne Osseck and Johnny Bollegar, Freshmen.

Early in the year the Student Council with the help of Mr. Ryan and the classes and their sponsors composed a list of Rules of Conduct to be followed by the student body during the school year. One of the first activities was the soliciting of rooms for the tournament guest in November.

The group also decided to have the new trophy case built this year with the money donated by the graduating classes of 1944, '45, '46, '47, and '48. It was completed and installed during the first part of December. The decorating of the Christmas tree was done by the Student Council and they also distributed the Christmas gifts at the annual Christmas party on December 23.

The Student Council has also performed other minor tasks and will probably add more to the list before the school term is out but these constitute the more important things up to the time this book goes to press.

ANNUAL STAFF

The Annual Staff is composed of all the members of the Senior Class. The Editor and Assistant Editor were elected by the class and the other positions were filled by the selections of the president and the class. The names and positions of the members of the Staff appear on the first page of this book.

Early in November a representative of our publishing company, the Walsworth Brothers of Marceline, Missouri, solicited the towns of Wright City and Warrenton for advertisements. He was accompanied by various members of the class.

Many hours of work were required of all members of the Staff and each one has done his part well. The Staff wishes to thank everyone who has helped us any way to make this book a success--the faculty, the entire student body, and those who placed ads in our annual. Especially do we appreciate the help and cooperation given us by our sponsor, Mr. Wackher.

It is the sincere wish of every member of the Senior Class that this edition of "Wildcat Echoes" will please you now and that in the future it will serve as a memory book of the year 1947-48.



ATHLETICS



SOFTBALL

COACH--Kenneth Wackher

This year for the first time for several years we had a girls softball team. Our first game was at Warrenton. We lost that game but not our hopes.

We then entered the Augusta Tournament. We played Warrenton first and won. Our next game was with Francis Howell. This game we lost. Then we played Marthasville for third place and won.

The following are the members of the team. Helen Schaper, Pitcher; Lila Lee Zeip, Catcher; Dolores Mills, First Base; Dera Mae Paul, Second Base; Marilyn Dyer, Third Base; Fern Wandrei, Shortstop; Iva Schaper, Right Field; Dorothy Twiehaus, center Field; Vivian Paul, Left field. Betty Karrenbrock, Martha Christopher, and Margie Wehrman, Substitutes.

The boys softball team this year entered a tournament held at Augusta. The first game the team played was with Marthasville which they lost. After losing this game they were out of the tournament.

This was the only game played away from home during the first part of the season but more games will probably be scheduled for this spring.

The following are the names of the players who made up the team: Morris Williams, Pitcher; Lindsay Mittler, Catcher; Billy Twiehaus, First Base; Charles Bollegar, Second Base; Don Nelson, Third Base; Glenn Cafer, Shortstop; Allen Ryker, Left Field; Fred Tillinger, Center Field; George Heech, Right Field; Bob Cook, Substitute.





GIRLS BASKETBALL SQUAD



TROPHIES WON THIS YEAR



BOYS BASKETBALL SQUAD

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Coach-----Mr. Kenneth Wackher

This basketball season has proved very successful for our girls thus far. We have played twenty games and have lost only one. That was to Silex in their tournament.

We have entered five tournament this year. They are Wright City, Silex, Warrenton, Bellflower, and Francis Howell.

We won first place in the Wright City, Warrenton, and Bellflower tournaments. We took place in the Silex Tournament.

We took _____ in the Francis Howell tournament held on March 4, 5 and 6.

Those who have earned letters for their work in basketball this year are: Vivian Paul (Captain); Marilyn Dyer; Betty Karrenbrock; Dera Mae Paul; Mildred Pottebaum; Betty Twiehaus; Dorothy Twiehaus; Fern Wandrei; and Lila Lee Zeip.

Other squad members were: Margaret Ann Fulkerson; Thelma Garwitz; Joyce Meury; Dolores Mills; Margie Wehrman; Fernlene Welge.

SEASON' S RECORD

Team	Where	Opp.	W. C.
Francis Howell	Wright City	23	31
Bellflower	Wright City	20	34
Warrenton	Wright City	28	40
Silex	Wright City	30	39
Bellflower	Wright City	27	43
Bellflower	Bellflower	41	53
Eolia	Silex	14	42
Warrenton	Silex	24	25
Silex	Silex	38	37
Silex	Warrenton	27	48
Wentzville	Warrenton	31	31
New London	Bellflower	45	46
Silex	Bellflower	37	41
Francis Howell	Bellflower	23	25
Silex	Wright City	32	33
Augusta	Wright City	20	33
Warrenton	Wright City	13	20
Alumni	Wright City	13	17
Warrenton	Warrenton	24	43
Augusta	Wright City	—	—
_____	Francis Howell	—	—
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BOYS' BASKETBALL

Coach-----Mr. Kenneth Wackher

This basketball season was considered a very satisfactory one for our team. Although they met with some stiff competition, the Wildcats came through with a favorable percentage of the games won much to our satisfaction.

There were twenty-six games played by the "A" team, and out of these only seven games were lost. There were also five games played by the "B" team and only two of these were lost. Our team entered tournaments at Wright City, Silex, Warrenton, Bellflower, and Hermann. Trophies won at these tournaments were Wright City--Fourth; Silex--Third; Warrenton--Third; Bellflower--Third; and Hermann--Fourth. These five trophies were added to the trophy case. It is hoped that more and better trophies may be added next year.

Our "A" team also participated in the Sub-regional Tournament held at Troy, February 24-28.

LETTER MEN

Fred Tillinger (Captain); Glenn Cafer; Robert Cook; Bill Twiehaus; Don Nelson; and Charles Bollegar.

SEASON'S RECORD

"A" Team	Where	Opp.	W. C.
Francis Howell	Wright City	34	50
Troy	Troy	16	35
Bellflower	Wright City	26	24
Bellflower	Bellflower	29	38
Augusta	Wright City	34	55
Warrenton	Wright City	25	37
Troy	Wright City	26	59
Warrenton	Warrenton	48	34
Augusta	Wright City	39	42
Silex	Wright City	27	48
Warrenton	Wright City Tournament	35	28
Howell	Wright City Tournament	21	51
Augusta	Wright City Tournament	22	42
Jonesburg	Silex Tournament	32	53
Eolia	Silex Tournament	32	23
Silex	Silex Tournament	34	40
Augusta	Warrenton Tournament	20	39
Wentzville	Warrenton Tournament	15	50
Hermann	Warrenton Tournament	45	38
Fulton	Warrenton Tournament	20	34
New London	Bellflower Tournament	39	40
Bourbon	Bellflower Tournament	44	26
Bellflower	Bellflower Tournament	26	29
Washington	Hermann Tournament	32	24
St. Francis	Hermann Tournament	20	31
Wentzville	Hermann Tournament	27	45
"B" Team			
Troy	Troy	15	17
Troy	Wright City	20	28
St. Francis	Hermann Tournament	49	30
Wentzville	Hermann Tournament	17	38
Belle	Hermann Tournament	35	33



SCHOOL FUN



PEP SQUAD

On September 17, 1947, we held our first Pep Squad meeting this year. We chose as officers the following: President-Lila Lee Zcip; Vice-President-Helen Anthony; and Secretary-Treasurer-Alice Mills.

At our second meeting which was held on October 11, we chose Pep Squad Leaders. They were: Helen Anthony, Ruth Parker and Jeanne Osseck. A short time later Jeanne resigned from Pep Squad because of doctors orders and Iva Schaper took her place. Ruth Parker left W. C. H. S. at the end of the first semester and Inez Snyder was chosen as the third Pep Squad Leader. She also resigned as leader because of doctors orders and Helen Schaper took her place.

Each member did her work whole-heartedly in preparing for the basketball tournament by making books and decorating the gym.

Our uniforms consist of a dark or royal blue skirt with a yellow sweater or blouse.

We have thirty-one members in our Pep Squad.



ROSANN WACKHER



BARNWARMIN' CANDIDATES



CANDIDATES FOR THE KING AND QUEEN OF BASKETBALL



CANDIDATES FOR THE MODERN MISS KING OF HEARTS

JUNIOR PLAY

"Friday the 13th", a mystery in three acts was presented by the Junior Class of Wright City High School on February 19th, in the High School gymnasium. The plot centers in the home of Bob Whiting, in his luxurious Penthouse in Miami, Florida, during a house party. It was in this setting just a year ago on this date when the same guests were present at a house party, that Phillip Hammond, the grandson of Mrs. Goddard, the guest of honor, died of what was apparently a heart attack--a verdict which Mrs. Goddard still refuses to believe. The mystery becomes more shrouded as each guest had an excellent reason for killing Phillip Hammond. As Mr. Kipples, the detective tries to find the killer another man, Chan Lo dies. This further complicates the mystery.

Paul Hammond, uncle of the deceased Phillip, and heir to his estate is suspected. Gary Wheeler, who secretly loves Hope Stanford (fiancee of Bob Whiting) is also suspected as he apparently hates Bob Whiting and makes no effort to conceal it. Cole Mattson and Laurie Macy, sweethearts, try to steal away and are therefore placed under suspicion also. Then Sadie, the gum-chewing maid of Mrs. Goddard, sees Ming Wong, a Chinese girl, leave by a secret passage and the killer walks into his own trap as Mrs. Goddard outfoxes Bob Whiting. He confesses that it was he who killed Phillip Hammond and Chan

Lo for a handful of valuable jewels. Everything ends well as everyone is united and each leaves the house for his home.

CAST

Ming Wong a lovely Oriental Barbara Hoech
Chan Lo the houseboy Otis Symes
Mr. Kipples from the Bureau of Detectives. . Lindsay Mittler
Cole Mattson of the press Allen Ryker
Laurie Macy Cole's Fiancee Marilyn Dyer
Hope Stanford one of the guests Dorothy Twiehaus
Paul Hammond heir to the estate Bob Cook
Gary Wheeler also a guest Glenn Cafer
Bob Whiting the host Charles Bollegar
Mrs. Goddard the guest of honor Antoinette Abrolat
Sadie Mrs. Goddard's maid Margaret Fulkerson
Madame Alba the medium Dorothy Lee

The play was coached by Mrs. August Stamer, Jr.

SENIOR PLAY

On the 23rd of April the play "My Heart's in High" was presented in the high school gymnasium by the Senior Class. A three act comedy, the plot revolves around popular Dorie and her prize winning house plans. Dorie is forever entering contests and this time the prize can mean a great career for her--she thinks. The contest is sponsored by a firm of architects who offer the winner a job in their firm. Dorie has been notified that she will receive first prize if her personal interview with their agent is satisfactory but--they think she is a boy! Dorie then decides to pose as a boy on the day he is to arrive and secures the help of her friend, Bart, Aunt Amity, and the kid sister, Perky. It looks as if things should work out fine but Mr. Sherman, the woman hating agent, arrives a day early to interview her and as luck would have it, it's on Dorie's graduation day. Mr. Sherman thinks all girls are just "flibbertigibbets" who think only of dancing and whose careers are to get married. It looks bad for Dorie as he too thinks she is a boy since her name Theodora was somehow misread as Theodore. Two of Dorie's ardent admirers, Freddie and Dash, discover the conspiracy and each threatens to expose her to Mr. Sherman unless she promises to go to the Alumni Dance with him. In desperation she promises both of them. Perky knowing everything also blackmails Dorie for \$2.79 so she can buy a beauty kit to make her "ravishingly beautiful" which is her only desire. Dorie's "moody" mother, Elva, who believes that she must wear a dress to suit the color of the mood she is in, in order to express her personality and "artistic temperament" helps to make matters worse by almost scaring Mr. Sherman away. Dorie's flower loving and slightly hen-pecked father, Leonidas, almost gives the secret away but is stopped in time and also wins his rather daffy wife back to her senses by a rather unusual list of girls names and descriptions. Kitsie and Dot, who secretly have crushes on Freddie and Dash, are worried because they don't have dates for the Alumni Dance and are in a dither trying to discover which one Dorie is going with. However things work out O. K. after Mr. Sherman learns the truth and decides Dorie wasn't meant to be an architect. Dorie is heartbroken for awhile and it is only after the visit of "Rositta," the gypsy, with the help of Aunt Amity that she realizes the truth about herself. She forgives Bart for his joke and causes Dot and Dash and Kitsie and Freddie to become "better acquainted." Leonidas, formerly known as hen-pecked, becomes the head of the household again and manages to convince Perky that she doesn't need beauty treatments to be beautiful. Elva finds that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach and decides to fight for hers by once more becoming the mother of the family instead of the moody artists.

CAST

Dorie	An adorable young miss	Lila Lee Zeip
Elva	Her "moody" mother.	Shirley Schvier
Leonidas	Her meek father	Billy McCarver
Perky	Her little sister	Helen Anthony
Aunt Amity	A spry old aunt	Jean Bueneman
Bart	Her old standby	Fred Tillinger
Kitsie	Her best friend	Alice Mills
Dot	a flippant classmate	Marilyn Osseck
Dash	A lively boy friend	Carl Dyer
Freddie	A hopeful boy friend	Richard Nieweg
Mr. Leonard Sherman	An architect	Norman Logan

The play was directed by our sponsor, Mr. Wackher.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

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| <p>Sept. 2-First day of school.
 3-Started classes.
 5-Election of Modern Miss and Band officers.
 8-Elected class sponsors.
 9-Elected class sponsors.
 10-Elected Student Council officers.
 12-Modern Miss installation.
 16-Girls softball game at Warrenton.
 19-Band hayride. Seniors selected announcements.
 25-Boys played softball at Augusta tournament.
 26-Senior class rings arrived
 26 & 27 Augusta softball tournament.
 29-School lunchroom opened.</p> <p>Oct. 3-Alpha Club Bingo party.
 10-FFA Barnwarmin'.
 16-Modern Miss semester party.
 17-Band played at band instrument demonstration.
 21-Senior Class cake-walk.
 22-MFA Rally.
 24-Played Howell in first basketball game.
 28-Basketball game at Troy.
 29-Sold ads for Annual.
 30-Individual pictures were taken.
 31-B. B. game with Bellflower.</p> <p>Nov. 3-Student Council cleaned trophy case.
 5-Solicited for rooms for Tournament teams.
 6, 7, & 8-W. C. Tournament.
 11-B. B. game at Bellflower.
 12-Group pictures were taken.
 13-14-Teachers meeting.
 18-School took I. Q. tests.
 20-Seniors took aptitude tests.
 20, 21, & 22-Silex Tournament.
 25-Miss Ruhwedel gave a party for the band.
 27 & 28-Thanksgiving holidays.</p> <p>Dec. 1-Seniors elected Annual Staff.
 2-Individual pictures came back.
 4, 5, & 6-Warrenton Tournament.
 5-New trophy case was installed.</p> | <p>Dec. 8-Drew names for Christmas party.
 9-Band concert.
 11, 12, & 13-Bellflower tournament.
 19-B. B. game with Silex.
 22-Modern Miss Xmas party.
 23-All school Xmas party.
 24-Jan. 4-Christmas vacation.</p> <p>Jan. 5-Back to school.
 9-B. B. game with Augusta.
 9-Modern Miss elected second semester officers.
 9-FFA B. B. game with Warrenton in the afternoon.
 13-B. B. game with Warrenton.
 14-Junior party.
 15-Mr. Rich from Central talked to Senior Class.
 21-Band and Glee Club party.
 27-B. B. game with Troy.
 29, 30, & 31-Hermann Tournament.</p> <p>Feb. 4-Modern Miss and FFA card party.
 5-All school party.
 7-Grade School Tournament at Bellflower.
 11-Senior cards and announcements arrived.
 13-School dismissed because of snow storm.
 17-B. B. game at Warrenton.
 19-Junior play.
 20-B. B. game with Augusta.
 21-Hermann Music Festival and Grade School Tournament at Warrenton.
 26, 27, & 28-Sub-regional tournament at Troy.</p> <p>March 4, 5, & 6-Howell Tournament.
 2-Athletic Department cake-walk.
 13-Basketball party.
 16-Modern Miss semester party.
 19-Band Concert.
 20-Donkey Basketball game.</p> <p>April 23-Senior Play.</p> <p>May 7-Junior-Senior Prom.
 9-Baccalaureate Address.
 10 & 11-Senior trip.
 12-All school picnic.
 13-Commencement.
 14-Last day of school.
 15-Alumni banquet and dance.</p> |
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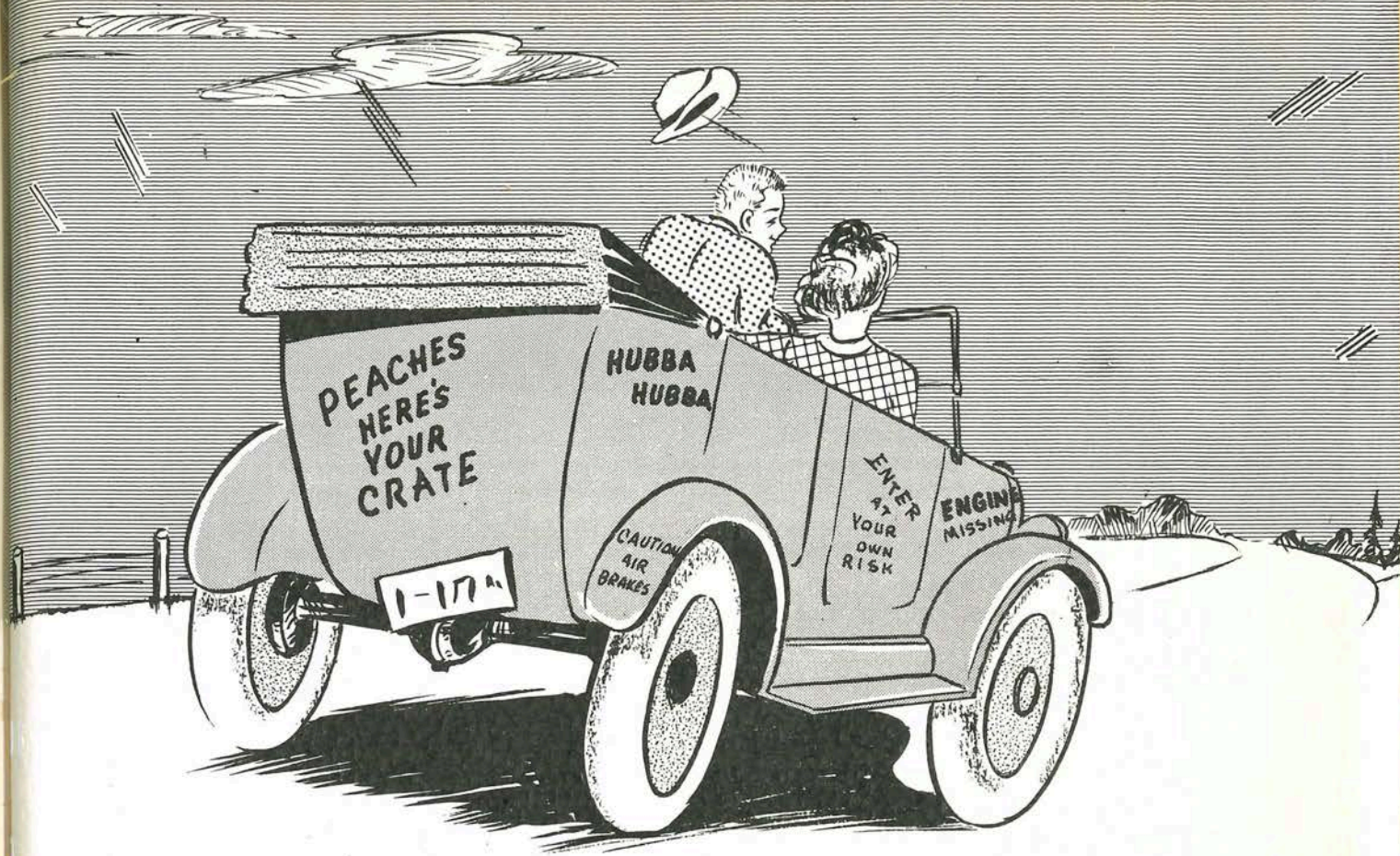


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