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Teachers To Attend Convention Meetings Thursday and Friday

Conferences for both the Indiana State Teachers Association and the American Federation of Teachers are scheduled for October 24 and 25. The A. F. T. meeting will be at Memorial Auditorium. The I. S. T. A. convention will be at the Hammond Civic Center.

A.F.T. MEETING

The Varsity Quartet from Indiana University will provide the opening entertainment. Following the musical interlude, there will be a panel discussion on "Programs, Goals and Need of Higher Education in Northwestern Indiana." Teachers will attend workshops in fields such as art, business, distributive education, English, music, physical education, science, mathematics, social studies, and foreign language.

Friday afternoon Fredrich O'Neal, a regular on "Car 54 Where Are You?", will conclude the convention by addressing the group on "The Role of the Negro in the Labor Movement." Mr. O'Neal founded the American Negro Theatre in New York.

I.S.T.A. CONVENTION

Presiding officers for the I.S.T.A. convention are chairman, Mary Dodd, a Portage High School teacher; vice-chairman, Richard French, principal of Warren G. Harding School in Hammond; and Phyllis Dixon, a teacher at Mundell Elementary School in Hobart, secretary.

The Portage High School Choir and an address "Eye Witness to Headline History," by Dr. John Murly will highlight the program. Following the morning session there will be lectures in art, audio-visual, library, business education, English, foreign language, guidance, home economics, mathematics, music, physical education, science, social studies and speech.

In addition, there are several luncheons planned for the various departments.

Linger, Shinovich, Slosar, Slama Will Preside Over Class Activities



JOEL SLOSAR



TOM LINGER



LARRY SLAMA



JOHN SHINOVICH

Tom Linger, senior; John Shinovich, junior; Joel Slosar, sophomore; and Larry Slama, freshman, were elected presidents of their classes in class elections last week.

SENIOR

Tom Linger participates in football, basketball and boys' Club. He is planning to attend Purdue University and major in electrical engineering.

After winning the election, Tom stated, "I don't know if I deserve this honor, but I'll try and do my best to represent a great class."

Tom's opponent was Rick Laster.

Newly elected vice-president is Robert Kusmierczyk, secretary, Sandy Thomas and treasurer, Sandy McNeil. Their opponents were Richard Oracheff, Mary Jo Boylan and Steve Bartosh, respectively.

JUNIOR

Junior class president, John Shinovich, is active in football, basketball and Joe Berg. "Doc" stated, "I want to thank everyone who helped elect me."

His opponent was Joe Stark.

Junior class officers are George Buzvis, vice-president; Barbara Sackman, secretary and Doug Hauser, treasurer. Their opponents were Thomas Slama, Mary Vassalo and Diane Firme.

SOPHOMORE

Joel Slosar, sophomore president, said when he learned of his election, "I want to thank everyone who voted for me." Joel defeated Heather Hardie.

Newly elected vice-president Bob Zimmerman will serve with Rita Banks, secretary and Michael Rigotti, treasurer.

Their opponents were Lois Marquardt, Zaporka Milich, and Jim McNiece, respectively.

FRESHMAN

Larry Slama, freshman class president, stated, "I appreciate the support of my classmates and I feel I had a very worthy opponent." Larry Defeated Tom Mandon.

Freshman vice-president is Dave Shellbourne. Peggy Kurowski, secretary; Candie Banks, treasurer.

Their opponents respectively were, Paula Kurowski, Fred Hamlin and Steve Zakula.

Girls To Celebrate Birthdays At Annual Potluck Tuesday

Naidoff, Pazak Plan Girls' Club Banquet

Girls' Club will sponsor the annual Birthday Potluck, Tuesday, in the cafeteria. General co-chairmen for the potluck are Pat Naidoff and Karen Pazak.

Girls' Club homeroom representatives took reservations from girls interested in attending the potluck during homeroom meetings. Each girl was asked to contribute thirty-five cents to cover the cost of milk and birthday cake. Mary Vassallo and Rita Mireles were in charge of reservations while Carol Buhner and Paula Braun were in charge of ordering the cakes.

The tables will be decorated with cakes and center pieces for each month. Each girl will sit at the table which represents the month in which her birthday occurs. Suzanne Martin and Nikki Yankovich are in charge of centerpieces. Charlene Costo and Lauren Baldea are in charge of decorating the cafeteria.

Following the meal, entertainment will be presented by the girls. Each group will sing their own rendition of the song listed in the program that pertains to their month. The sponsors, Miss Dorothy Kouvelas and Miss Ann Novak, will judge the performances.



Pat Naidoff, Karen Pazak, and Carol Buhner hang a sign for the Birthday Potluck. — Photo By George Rogge

Concert Choir Will Honor George Gershwin

Concert Choir will present a tribute to George Gershwin November 6 and 9 at 7:30 p.m. The tickets will sell for \$1.00 for adults and \$.50 for students.

Committee chairmen include Janice Kos, tickets; advertising, Karen Ross and Janice Kos; costuming designing and costume mistress, Kathi Ivany; make-up, Helene Glibota and stage manager, Joe Wilson. Student musical director is Karen Ross and stage directors are Bill Gregoline and Dave Lopez. Glenn Busby and Barbara Blash will be narrators.

The performance will include dancing and singing to such songs as *I Got Rhythm*, *Porgy and Bess*, *Rhapsody In Blue*, *Swanee*, and many others.

Student Council Plans Courtesy Campaign

A new courtesy campaign and the revision of the school's constitution are projects under consideration by members of Student Council.

The courtesy campaign is being conducted in an effort to promote courtesy among students in the Gary area. Superintendent of Schools, Alden H. Blankenship, requested the campaign. Mr. Donald T. Torreson, principal, suggested in a letter to the council that student courtesy be stressed through student discussion, emphasis through clubs, and, finally, in examples set by the students themselves.

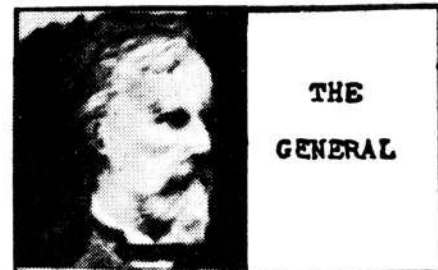
Rick Laster, senior, is in charge of the program. Tentative plans for the drive include the making of "promote courtesy" signs, a code of ethics and a contest.

A committee was organized to work out the details of the drive. Committee members are Charles Birdwell, Loretta Starzynski, Larry Marquardt and Dan Wozniak.

Education



—JEANNE ALLMAN



MARILYN BRASHER, MARY JO BOYLAN, and CAROL KOONTZ are making plans for the Girls' Club Birthday Potluck next week. They are going to sit together at the December table. The girls are taking voice lessons so that they can win first prize with their rendition of "Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer." The first prize will be tootsie pops for each girl. The girls promised that if I sing with them I can have a tootsie pop — evn though it's a little hard on the dentures — so I'm leaving for rehearsal now. See you next issue . . .

The General

Journalism I, II Sell 1400 Annuals In Two Week Span

A grand total of 1400 annuals were sold during a two week period by Journalism I and II students.

In the final counting, it was discovered that the senior girls out-bought the senior boys. One hundred seventy-one of the 195 senior girls bought annuals, while 123 of the 195 senior boys bought annuals.

Mr. Arthur Manning's homeroom, 91, tied with Miss Beatrice Sandles' homeroom, 83, in buying the most annuals for a senior homeroom. Each homeroom bought 32 yearbooks.

1962-63 QUILL AND BLADE

Columbia Scholastic Press Association awarded the 1962-63 **Quill and Blade** a first class rating. The yearbook was the only one in Gary that received this award.

Among 1,470 national entries, the **Quill and Blade** won first place for the seventh consecutive year in the category of printed yearbooks for a high school with a student population from 1,501 to 2,500 students.



Sue Vorwald, Carol Gersack, and Cindy Piet paint up the thermometer to 1400 Annuals.

— Photo By George Rogge

"New Directions For New Europe" Theme Of World Affairs Conference In Chicago

"New Directions for the New Europe" will be the theme of the Gary World Affairs Forum conference on Saturday, October 26. This conference, which is sponsored by the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, will be in the International Ball Room of the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

Uwe Kitzinger, a graduate student of Nuffield College, Oxford, England, will speak about the "Future of the Atlantic Community" at the general session at 9:15 a.m.

Besides the panel discussion, there will also be question periods, workshop discussions and a luncheon. A packet of reading materials for each participant will be provided by the council on foreign relations.

City-wide sponsors Miss Marie Edwards and Mr. Martin Herricks will accompany the students.

OFFICERS

Officers of the World Affairs Forum are president, Larry Gregorash, Edison; vice-president, Holly Krebas, Andrean; secretary, Tanya Sanders, Roosevelt; and treasurer, Frank Panchak, Lew Wallace.

Pupil Participation Shows Return To The Air On WGVE

Two programs that have returned to the air this year on WGVE radio are Round Table and Youth Speaks.

On the Round Table, panelists are seniors in Mr. Paul Pieroni's social studies classes. The discussion group debates political and social matters and is on the air at 11 and 3 o'clock every Friday.

Youth Speaks, which is presented Tuesday at 11:15, features speech students. Classes of Mrs. Mattie Hannsz and Mrs. Mary Frances Busby present different phases of the speech arts. This includes poetry interpretation, dramatic readings, speech discussions and any other materials the students are studying at the time.

Auxilia, Library Club Opens Again To Students

Auxilia, a service organization formed in 1947, is once again open to students for membership. Miss Frances Kraft, senior librarian, is sponsor for the club.

Auxilia means aid or assistance. Members of the club will work for more efficient and effective library service. They will meet the second Tuesday of each month in the senior library.

Some of the activities members will participate in are reference and bibliography service, publicity, making special displays and bulletin board set-ups, and learning library procedures.

ROTC Team Wins Match By 437 Points: Riflettes Start Firing For Awards, Medals

Of the three rifle matches this year, the ROTC Rifle Team beat Roosevelt by a smashing 437 points, but lost to both Tolleston and Emerson by 37 points.

Remaining matches are two with Tolleston, two with Emerson, and two with Roosevelt. Out of town matches include two with Joliet High School, one with Hyde Park High School, Chicago, Illinois, and Lindbloom High School, Chicago.

Other matches are the American Legion Match, the Fifth U.S. Army Match, and a shoulder to shoulder match with the four ROTC units in Gary.

Mari Borjan Leads Auditorium Council

Mary Borjan, Norma Wilson, Cindy Piet, and Martha Ward were elected president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively, of Auditorium Council. All officers are seniors.

Last spring at the Auditorium Council Banquet every member wrote on a piece of paper a nomination for each office. All of these names were put on a combined ballot and the council voted for them recently.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Because the club's quota is 30 members, students must apply to the council for admission. Interested students are accepted only when members drop out or graduate. Students desiring admission must submit a letter to Mrs. Mattie Hannsz, club sponsor, or Mari Borjan, president, stating why they want to join the council.

After the president reads the letters to the council, all names are put on a list and voted on.

Part of the job of Auditorium Council members is to usher at all school functions and take tickets for school productions.

UNITED NATIONS WEEK OCTOBER 20-26

Campus News

Nine Seniors Attend Annual Purdue Day; Biology And Chess Club Boost Membership

Nine seniors attended the annual Purdue High School Day last Saturday at the Purdue University Campus in West Lafayette. Professor Harland W. White, director of administration, familiarized the group on available opportunities at Purdue.

Eight of the students attended discussion groups pertaining to engineering. They were Bill Drake, Ron Lenaburg, Mike Feterick, Ron Polomchak, Vernon Ikeler, Jim Skorich and Mike Smith.

Elaine Kouvelas attended the discussion group on humanities, social science and education.

BIOLOGY CLUB

A guided tour of Dr. Frankenstein's Botanical Garden in the heart of darkest Africa was the theme of the Biology Club initiation. New members were blind-folded and put to the test of courage.

For the formal initiation, officers and new members recited the pledge, which stresses the Biology Club ideals of scientific scholarship, courtesy, and helpfulness.

Science Meeting

Representatives of the Biology Club

attended the Indiana Junior Academy of Science meeting at Goshen College. They were Lauren Baldea, Rosemary Szucs, Nancy Alexander, Louise Lasayko, and Eugene Fox. Eugene exhibited his incubator.

Mr. Jesse Vereb accompanied the students to the academy.

CHESS CLUB

Chess Club has doubled its size with 19 new members. To permit everyone to join in the games after the meetings, the club bought seven new chess sets.

Numbered among the new members are Tom Skinta, Jime Millan, Bill Mayer, Stanley Piasecki, Theodore Rosdill, Pat Ashly, Steve Braciak, Wally Wilcox and John Estrada.

Other new members are Ronald Eimer, Fred Stults, Susan Howe, Lynn Drozda, Thomas Wojtan, Shirley Cole, Nancy Guinee, Fred Rzonca, Michael Smith, and Scott Wiek.

BAND

The band will have its final appearance October 31 during half-time of the Crown Point game at Gilroy Field.

Future plans of the band will include work on solo and ensemble numbers and a repertoire of concert literature.

ROTC HONOR COUNCIL

New officers of the ROTC Honor Council are Bill Fagg, president; Stanley School, vice-president; Bill Carper, secretary-treasurer; Joe Nicholson, historian; and Dan Draia, representative to the Student Council.

Also selected were members of the promotion and demotion board. Chief Justice is Terry Davis. Judges are Bill Fagg, Joe Nicholson, Frank Zark, Stanley Scholl, John Schuetzenhoffer, and Louis Girgenti.

RIFLETES

Fifty-nine new members who want to learn the basic lesson of riflery were initiated into Riflettes last Wednesday.

In charge of the informal initiation were Nancy Guinee, Susan Howe, and Cynthia Kunske. Helping with refreshments were Rita Anthony, Carol Fisher, Karen Huffman, Kay Kramer, Cynthia Kunske, and Denise Walters.

Meetings

The Riflettes meet every Wednesday evening at 6:30. The beginners start out by firing in the prone position and work their way to the sitting, kneeling and standing position.

The more experienced shooters fire for medals and awards. The awards start with pro-marksman, marksman, marksman 1st class, sharpshooter, the bar stages of the sharpshooter medal, expert, and distinguished rifleman.

G.A.A. To Induct Members Monday

Induction ceremonies for G.A.A. will be next Monday in the portable gym. Interested students must earn 100 points to be able to join.

The informal induction will include skits given by the inductees, while in the formal ceremony each new member will be inducted by a candlelight service.

General chairman of the initiation will be Loretta Starzynski. In charge of refreshments, which will be doughnuts and apple cider, are Shirley Kompier, Kathy Hydo, and Barb Piatek.

The decoration committee consists of Loretta Starzynski, Susan Howser, Colleen Bryson, Gerri Orlich, Tira Yermack and Stephany Sokol. The clean-up committee includes Jo Ann Elisher and Marsha Little. Pat Carich is in charge of publicity.

Future plans of G.A.A. include a stag dance November 8.

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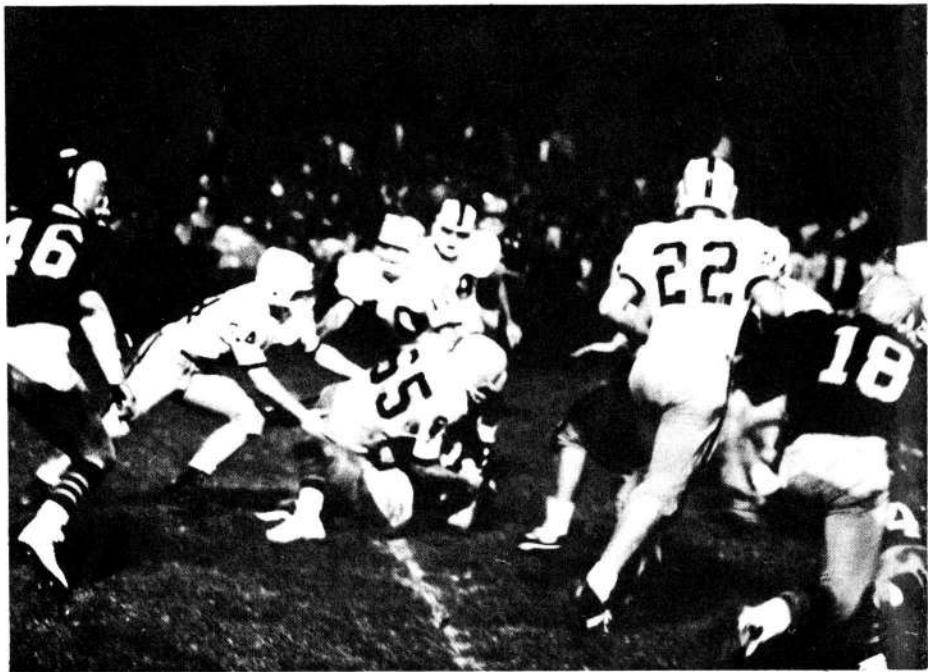
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Louie Lindinger, 65. Steve Kurowski, 64, and Dan Sharp, 10, halt the Hobart ball carrier on the kickoff, while Hank Peiper, 22, goes after his man.
— Photo by Larry Kantrowski

Sidelines . . .

Hornets will meet the Gary Roosevelt Panthers tonight in what Coach Eddie Herbert predicted at the beginning of the season as probably our roughest city match. The Panthers have a lot of depth and quite a bit of experience.

Roosevelt won the city championship last year, tying Wallace 7-7. Their record this far in the season is 5 wins, and 1 defeat.

Roosevelt Coach Len Douglas has said that his boys have been showing a lot more desire in the last few games than they did during the beginning of the season.

The Hornets will wind up their 1963 football schedule with the Crown Point game, October 31. Crown Point, under the direction of a new coach this season, Dave Scheaffer, has a season record of five wins and one defeat.

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Hornets Retaliate For Last Year's Game; Defeat Hobart Brickies By Score Of 21-6

The Hornets gained revenge for last year against the Hobart Brickies by defeating them 21-6 in the Brickie Homecoming game.

On the second play from scrimmage, Skip Lazzaro tossed a 41 yard pass to Joe Martin for an easy touchdown.

Hobart took the return kick and marched back 48 yards for its touchdown which ended when quarterback John Zanolla threw a 28 yard pass to Ted Bonich.

Zanolla attempted to pass from his own three yard line late in the second period but it was intercepted by George Kos who spurred over for the touchdown.

In the third quarter Hobart halfback Jody Woods fumbled the ball and center Skip Davis recovered and hustled over from the 17 yard line.

SCORING

WALLACE — Martin, 41, pass from Lazzaro (Kos, kick)

HOBART — Bonich, 28, pass from Zanolla (kick failed)

WALLACE — Kos, 4, intercepted pass from Zanolla (Kos, kick)

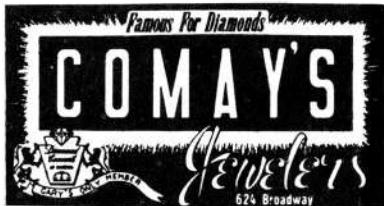
WALLACE — Davis, 17, recovered fumble by Woods (Kos, kick)

STATISTICS	Wall.	Hob.
First Downs	10	14
Net Yards Rushing	133	71
Net Yards Passing	40	86
Passes	1-11	9-21
Intercepted by	1	1
Punts	5-32	4-31
Fumbles	0	2
Yards Penalized	93	60

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Shower Room Shorts

Grubby Carries On As Gridiron Reporter Telling Of Gridmen's Musical Production

Well, here it is another week and your shower room Sherlock, I. M. Grubby, is once again ready to fill you in on the antics of our gridiron guys.

Since the football season is drawing to a close, the boys decided to do something a little special for Grubby and his faithful followers. They decided to give a demonstration of their talents in the form of a musical.

The first order of business was to appoint co-directors of their production. The job of choreographer was voted unanimously to one of our famous backfield men, Tom "Candy Dancer" Miller, while the job of voice coach and singing instructor went to Dan "The Crooner" Sharp.

The next job was to select a title for the production. The title selection committee, consisting of Dave Simola, Mickey Rigotti, Gary Heid and George Gikas, submitted two title, THE WEST SIDE SHOWER ROOM STORY and GYPSY ROSE HORNETS, the latter being unanimously accepted.

Auditions were set for the next week, and if I may say so, the usual motley group of guys had some pretty good acts.

First came the singing center, Skip Davis, Jerry Adank and Bill Crompton with their original song entitled, "They Were Bred in Old Hobart, But They're Only Crumbs Up Here," followed by Stan Horvath's solo interpretation of "Speedy Gonzales, Where's the Number Seven Hole?"

Next came the hoofer's portion of the show. Dennis Barlow, Bob Harkness and Chuck Pazera did a little "Foot Stompin" or was it "Head Stompin?" Dan Orlich followed with his production of "The Roach," using some of the grimy little locker room creatures who had been rooming in his locker as his partners.

This was followed by a comedy routine my Don Dulla. Tom Herbert remarked that Don was quite a "quick wit," or was it "NIT wit?"

Bob Hurey and Rick Hurey then put on a puppet show — "Punch and Judy" I believe it was, and Diamond Jim Quantz gave his interpretation of the swallows coming back to Capistrano. This went pretty well, until he decided to try and fly, jumped off one of the lockers, and left a rather large impression on Gary Damian, who had been strategically placed under Jim's roost.

The fiddlers three, Gary Wilk, Onie Penzato and "Chops" Martin then sang their rendition of "Old King Ling," the merry old soul, Tom Linger portraying himself.

Skip Lazzaro did bird calls and thanked the boys for the large box of "Three Vees," which they presented him.

The finale of the show came when Ed Tefteau put on a magic show and finished up by making himself disappear.

Oh well . . .

Netmen Finish Season With 8 And 4 Record

Wallace Netmen have finished their season with an overall record of eight wins and four defeats. The team, which has been competing since the beginning of school, has finished with a city record of six wins and one defeat, while their conference record is 4 and 3.

The players on this season's team are Ken Sendre, senior; Dave Fesko, Bob Sheptak, Bob Wagner, juniors; Glen Lodovisi and Richard Martin, sophomores; and Mark Yokubec, freshman.

Intramurals Start With Football Skills

The organization of flag football teams and a football skills competition are underway as the intramural program went into high gear for the year.

The first activity of the season was the football skills competition in which representatives from each class competed. Punting, passing and place kicking were the main events.

The first week in November is the probable starting date for intramural basketball. Two leagues will be formed by the 23 participating homerooms. One league will be made up of freshmen and sophomores, while the other will consist of juniors and seniors. There will be conducted with Boys' Club lions of each league at the end of the season. Games will be played on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at the Melton School gym.

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