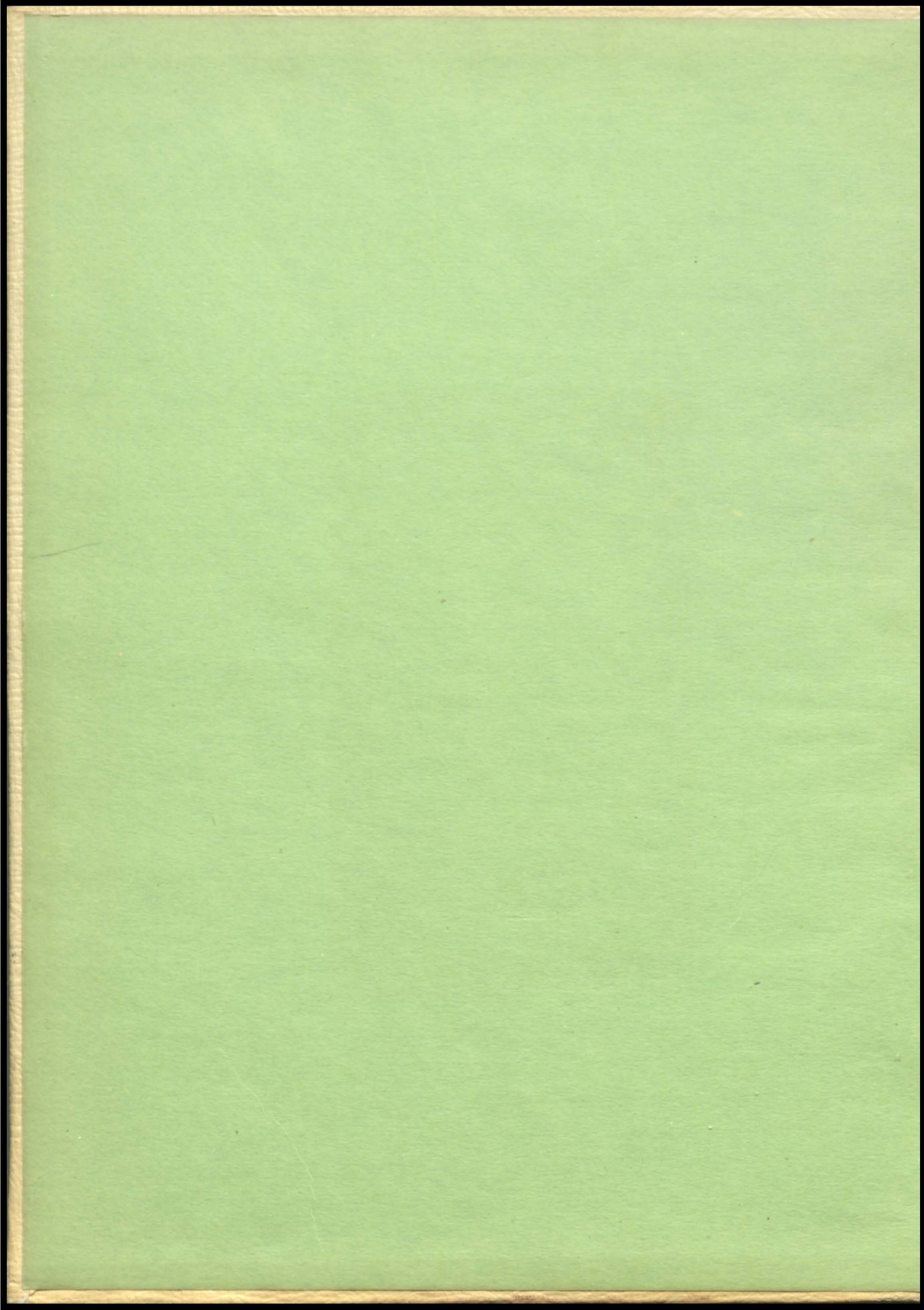
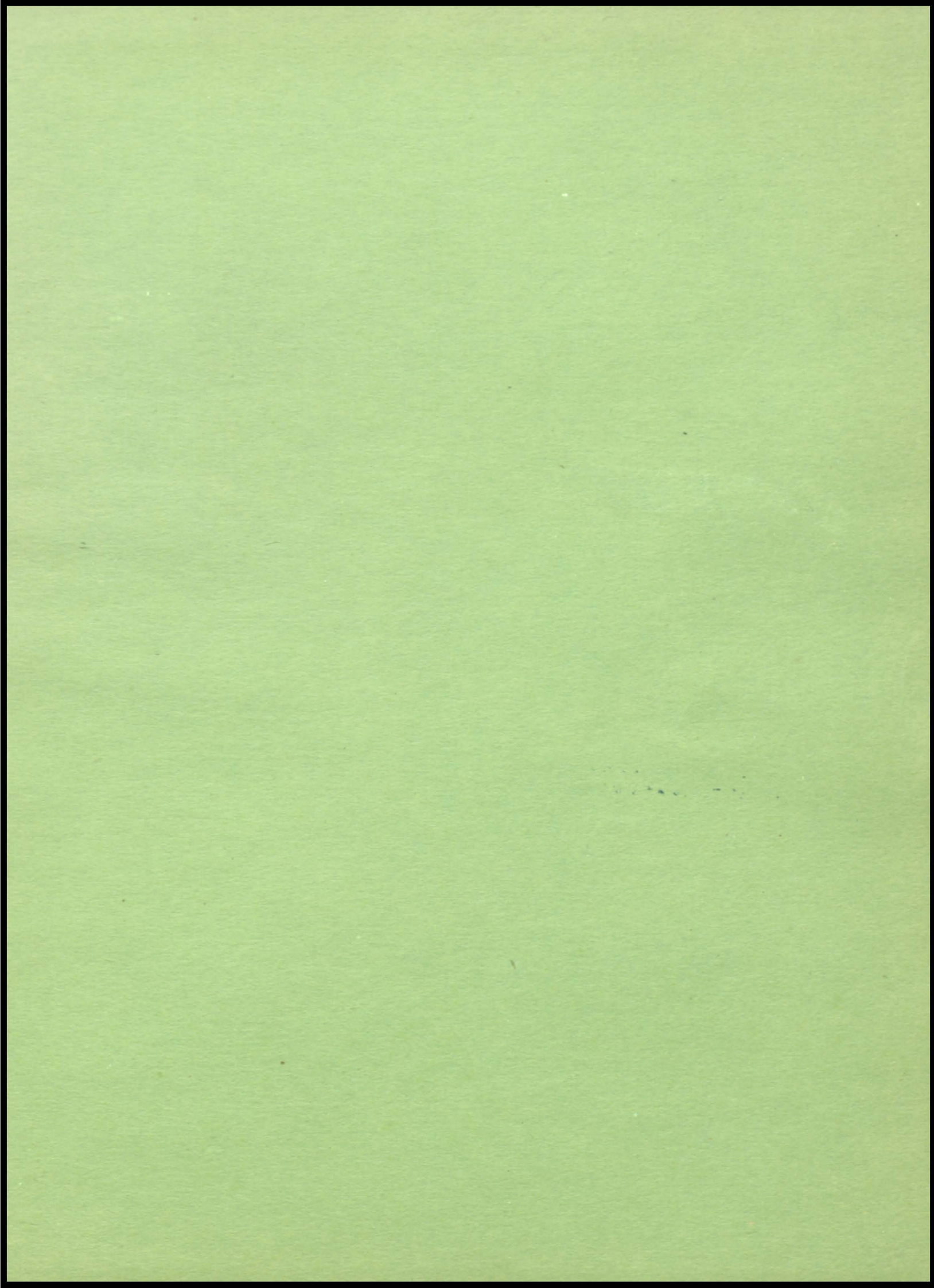


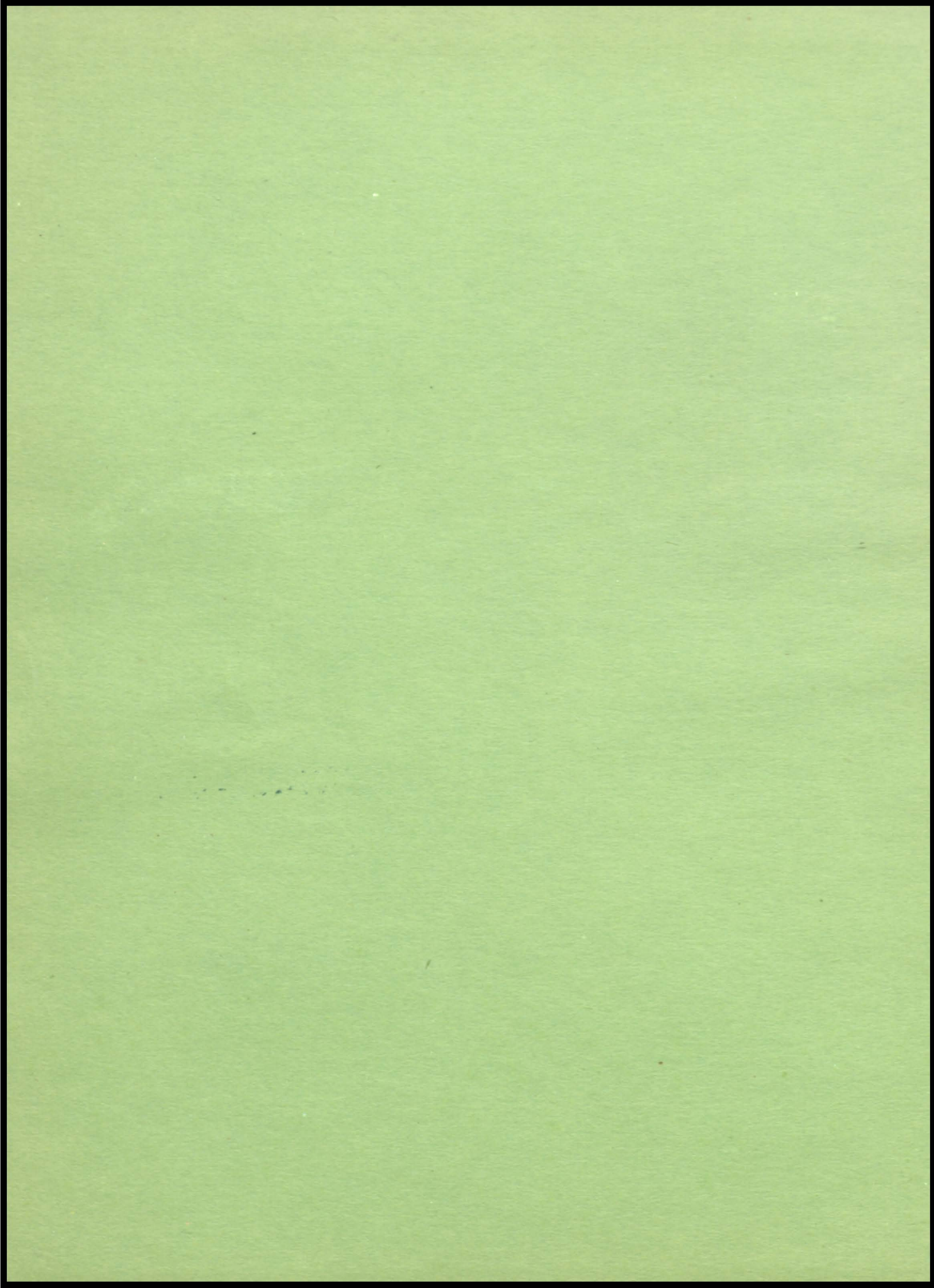
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## Foreword

*Forward into the pages of the '47 Lillislog! Within these covers we, the seniors of 1947, have tried to record the people we have known, the things we have learned, the fun we have had during the past school year.*

*We have chosen the Benedictine motto, "That in all things God may be glorified," as the theme of our book not only because 1947 is the fourteen hundredth anniversary of St. Benedict's death and the centenary of American Benedictinism, but because we know that St. Benedict in his deathless phrase expressed a tried philosophy of action—a philosophy which today we still strive to reduce to practice—sometimes, we hope, successfully.*

*The hurried "Pray for me!" before a big test, the medal displayed proudly on the basketball court, the fiercely concentrated Hail Mary before the whistle blows—all these are signs of dedication just as surely as Sunday's Mass and Friday's abstinence. This it is that we have tried to say in this 1947 Lillislog with our frequent repetition of "Ut in omnibus glorificetur Deus!"*



## *Dedication*

*To our teachers, the religious and the lay members of the Lillis faculty, we, the seniors of 1947, dedicate this Lillislog. They have given generously to us of their time, their labor, their very lives, and it is only fitting that we say to them now a hearty "thank you and God bless you."*

*The years we have spent at Lillis have been happy ones, years in which we have grown physically, mentally, morally, and spiritually through the selfless efforts of teachers who have been to us not only teachers but counselors and friends as well.*

*We will be eternally grateful for their companionship, for all they have sacrificed to prepare us for our future careers. Wherever we are, whatever we may become, we will remember their consideration and guidance.*

*As a last attempt to show our appreciation for this service we honor them here.*

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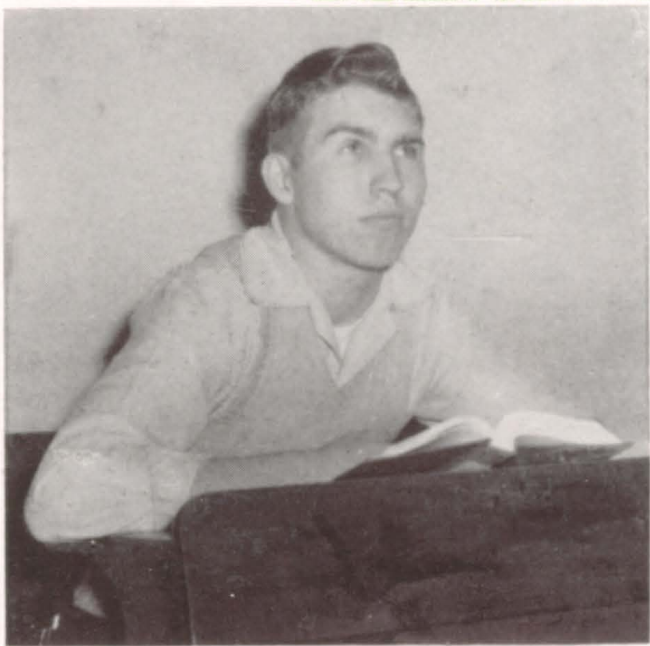
*Glorificetur Deus*

*After four years of joys and tears, of headaches and heartaches, the freshman class of '44 has reached its commencement — that freshman class which, four years ago, ploughed through the carpenters' debris on the third floor and patiently waited for lockers to come, that saw Lillis say farewell to her first seniors and welcome her first alumni, that knew as teachers many of the first Lillis faculty.*

*Now, as graduation approaches, we realize that the end of our beginning has really come at last—and that May 27 this year will mark the end of Lillis's beginning as well.*

*Still, the real beginning of Lillis dates back not merely four years but fifteen centuries, to a small cave near Rome where a young man lived and prayed with a few disciples. Not far distant was the spot where he was to write the Holy Rule which has given to the Church many of her greatest saints.*

*In a world trying to struggle on without Christ we can see the need for more Benedicts today—men who have the initiative and courage to do all things for the glory of God, whose goal is to direct new lives toward Him as our teachers have attempted to do for the 700 of us, Lillisites all!*





*Busy at their work of directing class activities are these senior officers. Walter Peterson, president, is at the phone, surrounded by Howard Magerl, secretary, Elma White, vice-president, and Gertrude Loschke, treasurer.*

*Patrick Allegri  
Benjamin Archer*

*Richard Anthony  
Rose Mary Ashby*

## *Lillis High School Class of 1947*

**PATRICK ALLEGRI**—L-Club 3-4; Band, Trumpet, 1-2-3; Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Senior Play 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 2-3; Spanish Play 3. Jackie in "What Never Dies." Shy look is only camouflage. Looks to a Navy or Marine career.

**RICHARD ANTHONY**—Band, Saxophone and Clarinet, 1-2-3-4; Dance Band 3-4; Prom Committee 3; Operetta 1-3; Amateur Hour 2; Cheerleader 3. Personality that shines. Plans to go to St. Benedict's College.

**BENJAMIN ARCHER**—Lillistrator 4; Lillislog 4. "Ben" came to Lillis from Rockhurst for his final year, and will return to Rockhurst College next year. Busy little fellow whose ambition is to work on Life Magazine staff.

**ROSE MARY ASHBY**—Prom Committee 3; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Book Review Contest 4; Amateur Hour 4; Gym Letter 3; All-Star Girls' Team 3. Charming, with personality plus.





Louis Berger  
Dorothea Bolten

Nadine Binaggia  
Lawrence Boyle

LOUIS BERGER—Amateur Hour 2; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Came to Lillis his freshman year from Guardian Angel parish. Names football as his favorite sport and plans on joining the Marines after graduation.

NADINE BINAGGIA—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Spanish Play 3; Prom Committee 3. A happy-go-lucky young lady whose favorite pastimes are eating, sleeping and loafing.

DOROTHEA BOLTEN—Sodality 3-4. A two-year Lillisite from Blessed Sacrament parish and St. Aloysius Academy. Baseball fan. Also likes art and dancing. After leaving Lillis, plans to attend college in St. Louis.

LAWRENCE BOYLE—Band and Swing Band, Trombone 4; Band representative on the Student Council 4. Tall with lots of curly hair. Came to Lillis senior year. A baseball fan from way back.

Marjorie Browning  
Patrick Callahan  
Eugene Carroll

Joseph Burge  
Patricia Cannon  
Byron Chambers



MARJORIE BROWNING—Perfect Attendance 3; Sodality 3-4. Came to Lillis last year from Sacred Heart Convent in St. Joseph, where she spent her freshman and sophomore years. Plans to attend Mount St. Scholastica College. Very friendly. Will get ahead in the world.

JOSEPH BURGE—Honor Society 3-4; Senior Play 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 2-3-4; Latin Play 2-3. The lad with the twinkling eyes and sparkling mind. Plans to attend Missouri University upon graduation.

PATRICK CALLAHAN—Senior Gift Committee 4; Band, Drums 2-3; Amateur Hour 2; Spanish Play 3; Prom Committee Chairman 3. A shy, happy-go-lucky country boy. Everything's okay with him. Plans to follow farming as a life profession.

PATRICIA CANNON—Green Pepper Secretary 4; Library Club 1; Operetta 1-2; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4. Friendly. Easy on the eyes. Will attend either Mount St. Scholastica or St. Mary's for a fully rounded education. Plans to pursue secretarial work as a career.

EUGENE CARROLL—Camera Club 3-4; Library Club 2; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Operetta 2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2-3; Sodality Play 3-4; Spanish Play 3-4; Stage Crew, Senior Play 2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-4; Christmas Play 4. Tall, generous, easy to make friends with.

BYRON CHAMBERS—Lillislog Art Staff 4; Speech Contest 3; Amateur Hour 3; Spanish Play 3. A young man with a quiet sense of humor and plenty of artistic talent. Estimates he has received approximately 500 blue slips. Looks forward to Junior College when he graduates.



Lawrence Chandlee  
Mary Gertrude Connelly

Lavon Coghill  
Neal Costello

MARY CATHERINE CROWELL—Operetta 2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2-3-4. Enjoys mathematics. Favorite sport is swimming. Despite the nickname Mary "Cat," this cheery blonde is sweet and has a smile for everyone.

JOAN DECKELMAYER—Lillislog 4; Green Peppers 1-2; Operetta 2-3-4. Claims her hobby is "everything in general." Plenty of pep and dry humor. Intends to go to college.

NORMA JO DE GRAEVES—Senior Play 4; Good Counsel Club 4; Green Peppers 2-3-4; Library Club 1-2; Treble Choir 3; Recital 2-4; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Plans to attend Creighton after graduation.

JAMES DEVINE. Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Tall and congenial. Likes to develop and print pictures. Works in the photographic department of the Associated Press.

ELIZABETH DE WITT—Lillislog Editor 4; Lillistrator Co-Editor 3-4; Honor Society 3-4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Operetta 1-2-3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Recital 1; Gym Letter 3; Girls' All-Star Team 3. Long curly hair and a friendly word for all.

DOLORES DIX—Lillistrator 3; Forest Fires 3; Latin Play 3; Senior Play 4; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Likes horseback riding and science. Hates bugs.

LAWRENCE CHANDLEE—L-Club 3-4; Amateur Hour 3; Basketball Letterman 3; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. One of the taller boys of the class. His deep voice and courteous manner make a good combination. Likes basketball.

LAVON COGHILL—Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2; Sodality 1-2-3-4. Likes to go to movies and cheer for the Irish team at football games. Four years at Lillis.

MARY GERTRUDE CONNELLY—Green Pepper President 4; Honor Society 3-4; Sodality Vice-Prefect 4; Sodality Sectional Secretary 3-4; Student Council Secretary 4; Senior Play 4; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Popularity Contest 1-2; Homeroom Leader 1. Generous. Always interested in school activities.

NEAL COSTELLO—Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-2; Latin Play 1-2. Interested in science, athletics in particular, and in music of all sorts. A ready wit and likeable personality.

Mary Catherine Crowell  
Norma Jo De Graeves  
Elizabeth De Witt

Joan Deckelmayer  
James Devine  
Dolores Dix





Joanne Donahoe  
Margaret Mary Dorian

Patricia Donahue  
Geraldine Dreiling

MARY ANN DUTTON—Cheerleader 3-4; Honor Society 3-4; Popularity Contest 2-3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Sectional Secretary 3; Student Council 3; Sodality Play 1; Operetta 3; Amateur Hour 2-3; Spanish Play 3; Gym Letter 3; Girls' All-Star Team 3. Big heart and little feet.

JAMES EACOCK—Holy Name 4. One of those dark handsome, nice-to-know boys. Came to Lillis his last year from Rockhurst. Tennis ranks tops on his sports list and mathematics is his favorite class.

WILLIAM EAGAN—Cheerleader 1-2; L-Club 3-4; Speech Contest 3; Homeroom Leader 2; Amateur Hour 3; Spanish Play 3; Debate 1; Basketball 3. "Wild Bill" likes to play the piano in spare moments.

DOROTHY EASTERDAY—Honor Society 3-4; Student Council 3; Homeroom Leader 3; Senior Play 4; Operetta 2; Amateur Hour 2-3. A three-year Lillisite who spent her first year at Central. Plans to brighten her future with college. Pretty, and brains galore.

MARY MARGARET EGAN—Spanish Play 3; Sodality Play 4; Prom Committee 3. Dark curly hair and smiling blue eyes. Collecting charms is her hobby. Four-year Lillisite from Our Lady of Good Counsel parish.

PATRICIA EGAN—Prom Committee Chairman 3; Operetta 2-3; Recital 1; Gym Letter 3. Favorite like, "Boogie Woogie". Four-year Lillisite from St. James parish. Looks grand on any dance floor.

JOANNE DONAHOE—Honor Society 3-4; Sodality Play 4; Spanish Play 3; Treble Choir 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3. Diligent student, friendly. Will continue education at Junior College.

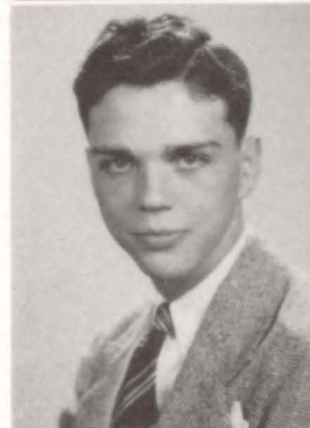
PATRICIA DONAHUE—Vocation Club Secretary 4; Sodality Play 4; Amateur Hour 4; Sodality 4. Blue eyes. A whiz at sociology and Spanish. Pat came to Lillis year after having attended Mount St. Scholastica and Loretto Academy. Will return to the Mount for college.

MARGARET MARY DORIAN—Operetta 1-2-3; Treble Choir 3; Recital 3; Debate 2. Ready humor topped by a hearty laugh. Plans for an office position immediately upon graduation.

GERALDINE DREILING—Lillistrator 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Likes English, gym and bubble gum. Gerry is a wit, with an impulsive sense of humor. Will attend college at Mount St. Scholastica.

Mary Ann Dutton  
William Eagan  
Mary Margaret Egan

James Eacock  
Dorothy Easterday  
Patricia Egan





Robert Emerson  
Thomas Farley

Frances English  
Rose Ellen Felling

MARGARET MARY FITTEN—Camera Club President 4; Treble Choir 3; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Good Counsel Club 4; Student Council 4. Divides interest between horses and skating. Always there to help with a smile.

TIMOTHY FITZGERALD—L-Club 4; Student Council 2; Homeroom Leader 2; Popularity Contest 2; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4. Formerly from Texas, Tim retains his southern accent and hospitality.

MABEL FIX—Lillistrator 3; Operetta 2-3-4; Gym Letter 3; Perfect Attendance 3. Three-year Lillisite. Likes sports, especially baseball.

LUCILLE FLANNERY—Latin Play 3; Green Peppers 2; Lillistrator 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3. Well-known four-year Lillisite. Plans to go to St. Mary's College.

JOSEPH FLAVIN—Amateur Hour 4; Basketball 3. A four-year Lillisite from St. James parish. Holds perfect attendance record for sophomore year. Names basketball as his favorite sport and religion as his favorite subject.

PATRICIA FOLEY—Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 3-4; Amateur Hour 4; Spanish Play 3. "Cleo." Likes little fuzzy dogs and dancing to sharp music. Short and has a contagious grin. Plans to continue her schooling at St. Teresa's College.

ROBERT EMERSON—Senior Gift Committee 4; Student Council Secretary 3; L-Club 2-3-4; All-Star Baseball Team 2; Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Sectional Holy Name Chairman 1-2; Assistant Homeroom Leader 1; Homeroom Leader 2-3; Senior Play 4; Operetta 2; Popularity Contest 1-2-3; Speech Contest 1-2; Amateur Hour 2-3-4. A whiz on the basketball court.

FRANCES ENGLISH—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 2. Dark hair and flashing eyes. Roller skating and Alan Ladd rank first with her as hobbies.

THOMAS FARLEY—Band, Drums, Trumpet, 1-2-3; Prom Committee 3; Stage Crew, Senior Play 4; Operetta 3; Amateur Hour 4; Perfect Attendance 1-2. "Fireball, Jr." He'll look fine in a Marine uniform.

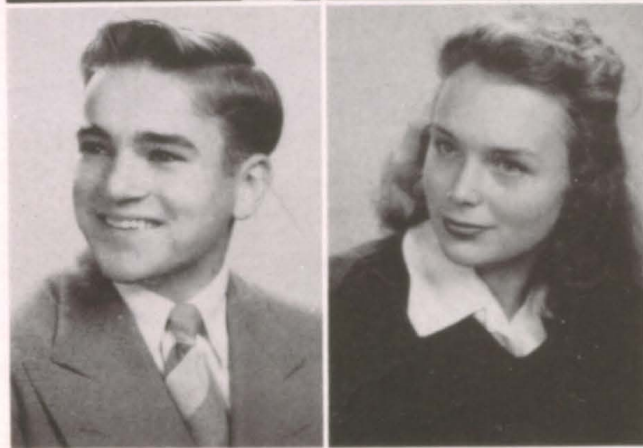
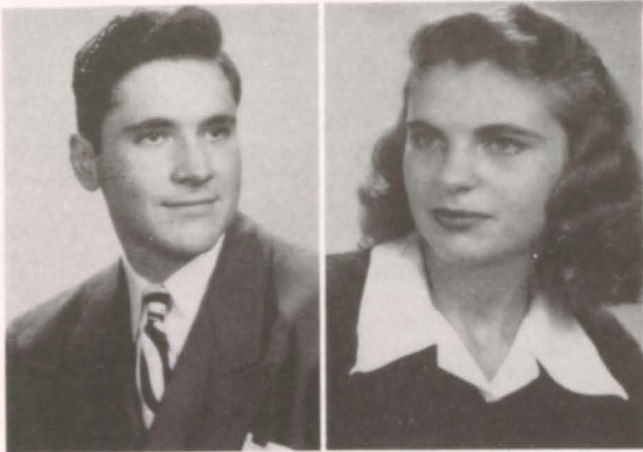
ROSE ELLEN FELLING—Girls' All-Star Team 3; Basketball Captain 3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4. "Kink." Four-year Lillisite from St. Joseph. Tall, dark, and nice to know. Names basketball and gym as all-out favorites.

Margaret Mary Fitten  
Mabel Fix  
Joseph Flavin

Timothy Fitzgerald  
Lucille Flannery  
Patricia Foley







*George Fox  
Robert Gennette*

*Rita Fromholtz  
Cornelia Giblin*

**KATHLEEN GILLESPIE**—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4. Four years at Lillis, comes from St. Vincent's parish. Likes football and Guy Madison.

**KATHLEEN GLADBACH**—Came to Lillis junior year after one year each at Brunswick High in Brunswick, Mo., and St. Aloysius. Has a yen for sports. Plans for college. Studious and friendly.

**JOANNE GORDON**—Homeroom Assistant Leader 4; Good Counsel Club 4. Four-year Lillisite from St. James. Interest in business course points to a secretarial career. A sweet and friendly girl. Likes to swim.

**MARY CATHERINE GRAHAM**—Green Peppers 1-2; Spanish Play 3; Operetta 1-3-4; Amateur Hour 2. Faithful Lillisite from Blessed Sacrament. Has enjoyed classes in American and English literature. Shy miss who likes swimming and music.

**PATRICIA GRIESER**—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Gym Letter 3-4. Four-year Lillisite from Cathedral parish. Likes football and basketball games.

**JAMES GRINDLEY**—Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Operetta 2. Of all the classes in his four years at Lillis, science has been his favorite, with biology as tops. Has received only one blue slip. Likes sports.

**GEORGE FOX**—Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Operetta 3; Amateur Hour 4; Freshman-Sophomore Football Letter. Pleasant and agreeable. College plans for the future. A St. Agnes graduate and another Kansas car-owner.

**RITA FROMHOLTZ**—Green Peppers 2-3; Treble Choir 2-3-4; Sodality 2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 2-3-4; Recital 2; Amateur Hour 2-3; Senior Gift Committee 4. Sweet. Has a lovely voice. Three years at Lillis after one year at Shawnee Mission. Plans to attend Ursuline College.

**ROBERT GENNETTE**—L-Club Secretary 4; Prom Committee General Chairman 3; All-Star Baseball Team 2; Homeroom Leader 3; Forest Fires 3; Amateur Hour 3-4. A golfing demon. Loves a good argument any time, anywhere.

**CORNELIA GIBLIN**—Operetta Lead 3-4; Treble Choir 3; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 3-4; Recital 3; Green Peppers 3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Latin Play 3. Lovely soprano voice. Came to Lillis from Hogan last year.

*Kathleen Gillespie  
Joanne Gordon  
Patricia Grieser*

*Kathleen Gladbach  
Mary Catherine Graham  
James Grindley*





Rudolph Gubera  
Margaret Haynes

John Hankel  
Mary Joanne Healy

JAIME HEDGPETH—Amateur Hour 4; Perfect Attendance 1-2; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Quiet, easy to get along with. Likes gym, sociology, horseback riding. Collects buttons as a pastime.

HELEN HEFT—Spanish Play 3-4; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2; Speech Contest 2; Amateur Hour 4. Four-year Lillisite. Likes languages and ice-skating. Plans to attend college next year.

PATRICK HENNESSEY—L-Club 3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Speech Contest 2; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4. Miniature cyclone on the maple floor. Easy to get acquainted with. Likes all sports, especially baseball. Will go into the Army after graduation.

EDWARD HIGHT—Operetta 1-2-3; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Good natured. Always on the go. Drives to school from over in Kansas every morning. Likes tennis and basketball, but spends most of his time tinkering with his car.

JOAN HUTCHESON—Senior Play 4; Sodality Play 1-2-4; Spanish Play 3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Sodality Sectional Chairman 1; Good Counsel Club 4; Popularity Contest 1; Assistant Homeroom Leader 2-3; Spanish and Sociology fan. College-bound next year.

ROBERT JENKINS—Popularity Contest 4; Amateur Hour 3-4; Operetta 3-4; Latin Play 2-3; Prom Committee 3. "Bob," until his homeroom tagged him "Roberta." Came from Rockhurst his sophomore year. Goes in for gym, drafting, and baseball, when he isn't working on his car.

RUDOLPH GUBERA—Debate 4; Religion Contest 3; Holy Name 3-4. A two-year Lillisite from Our Lady of Sorrows parish. Courteous, capable, dependable. Names English as his favorite subject.

JOHN HANKEL—Honor Society 3; Cheerleader 1-2; Operetta 2-3; Amateur Hour 3; Spanish Play 3; Debate 1. Likes Music Appreciation class. Thoughtful and courteous. Plays ping-pong as a hobby.

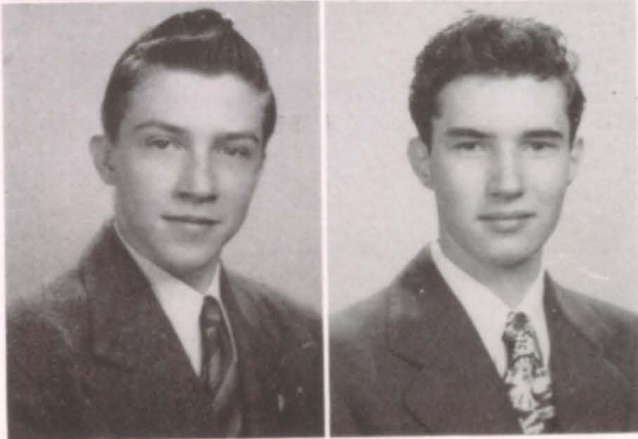
MARGARET HAYNES—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Assistant Homeroom Leader 2-3; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 1-2-3; Latin Play 3. Short, peppy, a good dancer. Four years at Lillis from St. James parish. Favorite sport is horseback riding. Plans to go to K. U. or K. C. U.

MARY JOANNE HEALY—Religion Contest 1; Amateur Hour 1-2; Spanish Play 3; Operetta 4; Green Peppers 1; Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Christmas Play 4. A whiz on roller skates. Hobby is collecting miniature dogs. Has college plans.

Jaime Hedgpeth  
Patrick Hennessey  
Joan Hutcheson

Helen Heft  
Edward Hight  
Robert Jenkins





Ronald Johnson  
Harry Jones

Shirley Johnson  
Charles Kahmann

MARY MARGARET KAISER—Sodality Play 4; Spanish Play 3; Forest Fires 3. Hails from St. James school and parish. "Marge." Takes a great interest in sports and is quite a bowler herself. Collects records in her spare time. Plans to enter St. Mary's College.

JOANNE KANE—Green Peppers 1-2; Operetta 1-2; Amateur Hour 1-4; Northeast High School 3; "Kano." Language is her favorite course. Comes from St. Ann's parish. Intriguing dimples. A good student and lots of fun.

MARY CATHERINE KEEGAN—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 4. A four-year Lillisite from St. James parish. Collects pictures of movie stars in her spare time. A pretty sharp forward in basketball and a follower of all sports.

RICHARD KENNAN—Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4; Popularity Contest 2. Favorite occupation is to try to understand teachers. A look at Dick's 105 pounds wouldn't reveal that his favorite sport is football, but it's a fact. Plans to enter the Navy.

JOHN KOEHLER—Holy Name 4. Came to Lillis his senior year from school at Conception, Mo., and at Maur Hill, after picking up a couple of years in the Navy on the way. Outdoor sports like fishing, hunting, and swimming occupy all his spare time the whole year round. Easy to get along with.

BETTE KOENEKE—Green Peppers 1-2-3; Sodality Sectional Chairman 1-3-4; Operetta 2-3; Popularity Contest 1; Amateur Hour 1-2. Clothes are her favorite subject. Plans to go to college. Pet peeve is to have to stay after school when she should get out at 2:30.

RONALD JOHNSON—Prom Committee Chairman 3; Lillistrator Sports Co-Editor 3; Reporter 4; Lillislog 4; Holy Name Sectional Secretary 4; Amateur Hour 3-4. Came to Lillis from Central in '45. Artist and poet deluxe. Likes to day dream.

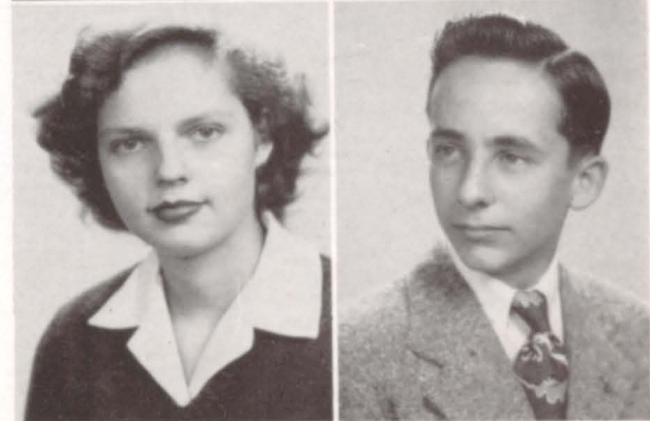
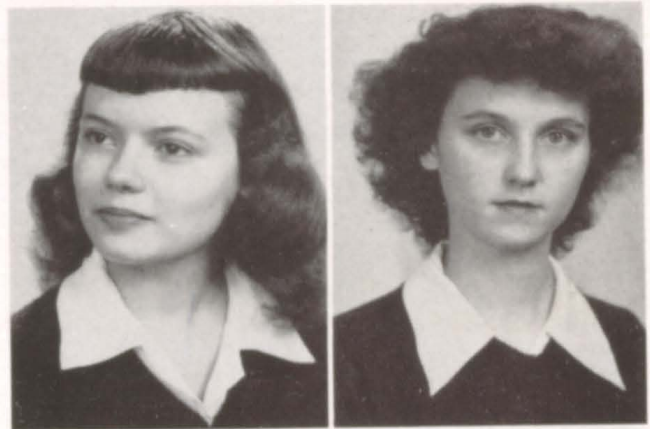
SHIRLEY JOHNSON—Sodality Play 2; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 1-4; Spanish Play 3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4. Four-year Lillisite. Pretty. Favorite sport is swimming.

HARRY JONES—Lillistrator Editor 3-4; Honor Society 3-4; Forensic League 3-4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Holy Name Treasurer 4; Holy Name Sectional Secretary 4; Student Council 2-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2-3; Speech Contest 1-2-3-4; Homeroom Leader 2; Debate 2-3-4; Forest Fires 3; C. P. C. Secretary 4. Lots of ambition, plus what it takes to go places.

CHARLES KAHMANN—Operetta 2-3-4; Amateur Hour 4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. "Dave." Dark and handsome. Sense of humor. Favorite sport is basketball. Four-year Lillisite from St. James parish. Likes to "take it easy."

Mary Margaret Kaiser  
Mary Catherine Keegan  
John Koehler

Joanne Kane  
Richard Kennan  
Bette Koeneke





Rose Marie Koss  
John Krekovich

James Krekovich  
Marianne Kretschmer

KATHRYN KRETSCHMER—Green Peppers 3; Sodality 2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 3. Sweet and lots of fun. Called "Marianne" by many. Likes eating and skating. Pet peeve is waking up. Can make a dress overnight.

MARY ANN LAFFERTY—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2; Amateur Hour 2-3-4. Easy to get along with. Friendly and full of fun. Plans on a college career.

RICHARD LAGERMAN—Art Work for Forest Fires 3; Amateur Hour 2; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Quiet but capable. Came to Lillis freshman year from De La Salle. Spends his spare time in drawing.

SHIRLEY LAVERY—Prom Committee 3; Lillistrator 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Spanish Play 3. Quiet and good natured. Four-year Lillisite with a like for everyone.

JOAN LEONE—Green Peppers 4; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 3-4; Perfect Attendance 1. Language lover. Quiet. Plans to attend St. Mary's College. Names foods and language as favorite classes.

BETTY ANN LILLIG—Senior Play 4; Operetta 3; Amateur Hour 2-4; Latin Play 3; Green Peppers 1. This laughing lady likes bowling, chemistry, and marshmallows. Plans on a doctor's career. Capable and always busy.

ROSE MARIE KOSS—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Gym Letter 3. Four years at Lillis. Likes science, basketball and skating. Waits for the last class of the day. Sweet and easy to know.

JAMES KREKOVICH—Prom Committee 3; Art Work for Lillistrator and Lillislog 2-3; Amateur Hour 1-2-3; Operetta 3. Likes art, baseball, and model airplanes. Smooth and easy-going.

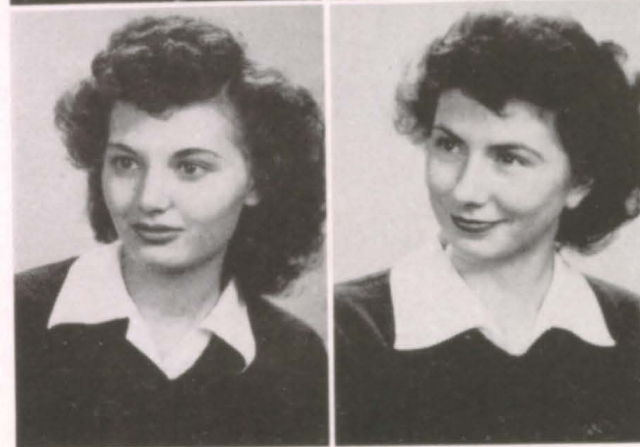
JOHN KREKOVICH—Operetta 1-2-3-4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. The other and small half of the twins. Likes baseball and model airplanes. Favorite subject is home-room. Always full of fun.

MARIANNE KRETSCHMER—Treble Choir 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 3. Sweet and likeable personality. Only one dislike: waking up mornings. Keeps busy by sewing and skating. Favorite subject is home nursing. Twin.

Kathryn Kretschmer  
Richard Lagerman  
Joan Leone

Mary Ann Lafferty  
Shirley Lavery  
Betty Ann Lillig





*Daniel Liston  
Joan Lo Scalzo*

*Richard Loosen  
Gertrude Loschke*

WARD McDONALD—Debate 3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2-3-4; Christmas Play 4. Names basketball as his favorite sport. Dark, quiet lad from St. Vincent's parish. Likes to study science.

PATRICIA McDONOUGH—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Operetta 2-4; Amateur Hour 3; Gym Letter 3. "McDoc." A four-year Lillisite. Enjoys ice skating. Stops to chat with everyone.

JAMES McLAURY—L-Club 3-4; L-Club Sergeant-at-Arms 4; Holy Name Sectional Treasurer 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Basketball Letter 3; Football Letter 4; Amateur Hour 3-4; Prom Committee 3. A Christmas Eve bundle that is welcome anywhere at any time.

TERESA McSHANE—Good Counsel Club 4; Debate 2-4; Student Council 1; Homeroom Leader 1; Sodality Play 1; Speech Contest 2; Amateur Hour 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Likes to dance and bowl. Friend to everyone.

HOWARD MAGERL—Student Council President 4; Holy Name Vice-President 4; L-Club Vice-President 4; Football Second Team All-Star 4; Operetta 3. Kansan from St. Agnes parish. Lillis wouldn't be Lillis without one like him.

RITA MAHR—Debate 4; Good Counsel Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Amateur Hour 1-4; Green Peppers 1-2. Short, cute, and full of pep. Goes for all music, sweet or swing. Between debates, likes to dance and keep a scrapbook.

DANIEL LISTON—Holy Name Sectional Chairman 3; Student Council Treasurer 4; Homeroom Leader 4; Senior Play 4; Operetta 2-3; Popularity Contest 4; Amateur Hour 4. Favorite sport is golf.

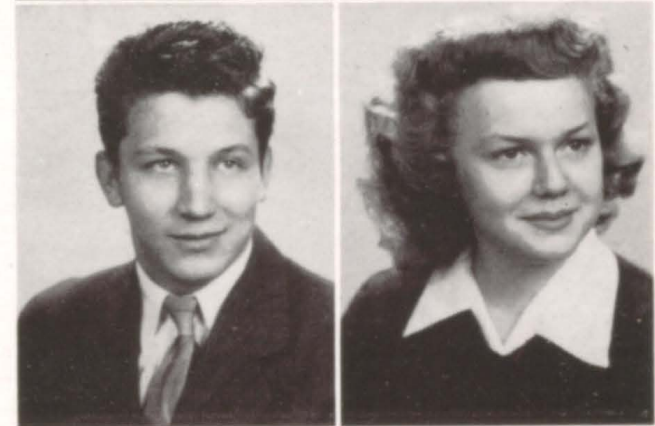
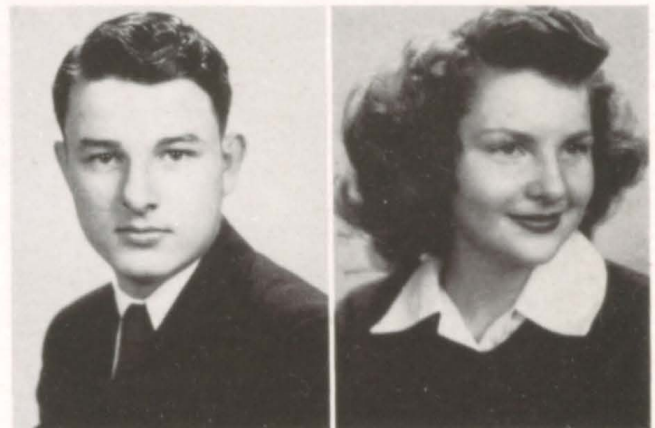
RICHARD LOOSEN—Holy Name 3-4; Forest Fires 3. Sandy hair. Capable. Two-year Lillisite from Hogan and De La Salle. Likes Model A Fords. Intends to join Marines, then continue on to General Motors College.

JOAN LO SCALZO—Green Peppers 1-2; Treble Choir 3; Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Sodality Play 3; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 3; Spanish Play 3. All-around girl. Names favorite likes as classical music and art. Will go to college next year.

GERTRUDE LCSCHKE—Senior Class Treasurer 4; Honor Society 3-4; Cheerleader 2-3-4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Treble Choir 3; Prom Committee 3; Sodality Chairman 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Assistant Homeroom Leader 4; Gym Letter 3; Operetta 1-2-3; Perfect Attendance 2-3.

*Ward McDonald  
James McLaury  
Howard Magerl*

*Patricia McDonough  
Teresa McShane  
Rita Mahr*





*Richard Martin  
Joseph Meinhardt*

*Rosetta Meier  
William Meyer*

**RICHARD MARTIN**—L-Club 3-4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 3-4. Four-year Lillisite from St. Agnes parish. Loves pie a la mode. Hates to get up early. Responds to "Big Dick." Everybody's pal.

**ROSETTA MEIER**—Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2. Set a record with only one blue slip and perfect attendance third year. A lot of sweetness in a little girl. Likes shows, dances; hates blue slips and tests.

**JOSEPH MEINHARDT**—Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2. Another member of the perfect attendance club. Likes to hunt and tinker with radios. Wants to be an engineer. Tall, dark, and ardent chemistry fan.

**WILLIAM MEYER**—Holy Name 3-4. Came to Lillis last year from De La Salle, where he spent his freshman and sophomore years. Favorite like is the 3:30 bell and golf. Enjoys tearing things apart and putting them together again.

*Ralph Meyers  
Anna Marie Miller  
Shirley Mitchell*

*Anna Lea Miller  
Louise Miller  
Roy Morris*



**RALPH MEYERS**—Senior Play 4; Holy Name Sectional Leader 3; Operetta 3; Speech Contest 1; Amateur Hour 2-4. Plans to attend college. Blond headed, full of fun. Enjoys fine arts classes.

**ANNA LEA MILLER**—Cheerleader 3-4; Popularity Contest Winner 4; Amateur Hour 4; Spanish Play 3. A small bundle of personality, pep, and fun. Loves to ice skate. Likes business classes. Came to Lillis as a sophomore from Loretto Academy.

**ANNA MARIE MILLER**—Glee Club 2-3-4; Operetta 2-3-4. Her favorite class is sociology. Nice manners and pleasing to be around. Likes blue slips least of anything.

**LOUISE MILLER**—Operetta 2-3-4; Band 2; Sodality 2-3-4. Tall and blond, with a personality that shines. Hobby is collecting records. Basketball is her favorite sport.

**SHIRLEY MITCHELL**—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-2; Library Club 1; Gym Letter 3. Further educational plans include college at Mount St. Scholastica.

**ROY MORRIS**—Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-2-4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Latin Play 2-3. A four-year Lillisite from Blessed Sacrament parish, who names science and printing as his special subjects. Like many others, he prefers "free days" to anything else.





*Patrick Mullane  
Ann Mundy*

*Rita Marie Mullen  
Phyllis O'Brien*

**VIRGINIA ORWICK**—Green Peppers 2; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 3; Spanish Play 3. Twinkling eyes and likeable disposition. Answers to "Vicky." Loves football, good music. Pet peeve is school.

**WILLIAM OSWALD**—Amateur Hour 3; Football 4. Two-year Lillisite from De La Salle. Favorite subject is drafting. Silent, nice to know. Plans to attend Rockhurst College.

**GLORIA OVERTON**—Sodality 4; Operetta 3; Sodality Play 4. Came to Lillis sophomore year from Paseo. Likes sociology, home nursing, and business studies. Quiet, friendly. Plans to attend Huff Business College.

**CAROLYN PATITO**—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Amateur Hour 2-4. Talking blue eyes; pleasant personality. Four years at Lillis. Likes all sports, typing, and gym.

**HELEN PATTON**—Camera Club 4; Lillistrator Business Manager 4; Lillislog 4. Came to Lillis from Hogan for her senior year. Favorite sport is skating. Likes social science, music, and dancing. Charming. Generous with time and energy.

**NANCY LEA PENDLETON**—Baby Contest Judge 4; Spanish Play 3. A good student. Came to Lillis in '45 from Paseo. Likes tennis, ballet, English. Cheerful, friendly, easy to talk to, nice to be around.

**PATRICK MULLANE**—Holy Name 2-3-4; Operetta 3. In his third year at Lillis, after spending freshman year at Rockhurst. Likes to play basketball and sleep in his spare time. Easy-going and friendly.

**RITA MARIE MULLEN**—Forensic League 3; Lillistrator 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 3; Recital 2-3; Amateur Hour 2; Spanish Play 3; Debate 3. Quiet and courteous. Likes people.

**ANN MUNDY**—Lillistrator 3-4; Lillislog 4; Prom Committee 3; Assistant Homeroom Leader 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1-3; Sodality 1-2-3-4; Green Peppers 1. Lots of fun.

**PHYLLIS O'BRIEN**—Green Peppers 1-2; Band 2-3; Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Recital 1-2-3. Has a smile for everyone. Likes to listen to and make music. Has a special liking for science and basketball.

*Virginia Orwick  
Gloria Overton  
Helen Patton*

*William Oswald  
Carolyn Patito  
Nancy Lea Pendleton*





Walter Peterson  
Mary Ellen Quinn

Alois Pilsl  
John Ramm

WILLIAM RAMM—Homeroom Leader 4; L-Club 4; Operetta 2; Football Letter 4. Navy veteran back for his senior year at Lillis. A camera fan who helps provide the *Lillistrator* with sports pictures. Likes to hunt, bowl, and eat. Big smile for everyone.

PAULINE RAY—Prom Committee 3; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 2-4. Likes baseball, movies, and telephone gab. A champion forward in basketball and a good sport.

JOSEPH REUTTER—Holy Name Sectional Chairman 3; Senior Play 4; Debate 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 2; Latin Play 3. Perfect attendance during all four years at Lillis. A thorough student, but holds exams as his pet peeve.

BARBARA REVELLE—Green Peppers 2; Treble Choir 3; Amateur 2-3-4; Recital 3; Christmas Play 4. Talkative, friendly, with a happy grin for everybody. Dislikes all homework; likes football and people.

QUINTIN RHODES—Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2; Amateur Hour 1-2. Likes history. Hails from Cathedral parish, from which he came to Lillis freshman year. Quiet and dependable. Hard working.

DOLORES ROGERS—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Library Club 1; Amateur Hour 1-3. Dancing and bowling are her favorite recreations. Plans to attend college at St. Mary's. Lillisite for four years. Sweet and likeable.

WALTER PETERSON—Senior Class President 4; L-Club President 4; Holy Name President 4; L-Club 1-2-3-4; Christmas Play 4; Homeroom Leader 2; Homeroom Assistant Leader 1; Popularity Contest Winner 2; Latin Play 2; Operetta 3-4. Only senior to letter four years in football. Personality plus.

ALOIS PILSL—Immaculate Conception Play 4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Four-year Lillisite. Likes printing. Favorite sport is swimming. Proud possessor of an E-flat clarinet. Deep voice; blond wavy hair.

MARY ELLEN QUINN—*Lillistrator* Advertising Manager 3-4; Sodality Sectional Chairman 4; Gym Letter 3; Good Counsel Club 4; *Lillislog* 4; *Forest Fires* 3. Wishes for a college future at Rockhurst. Hates getting up in the morning. Pep and vigor to spare.

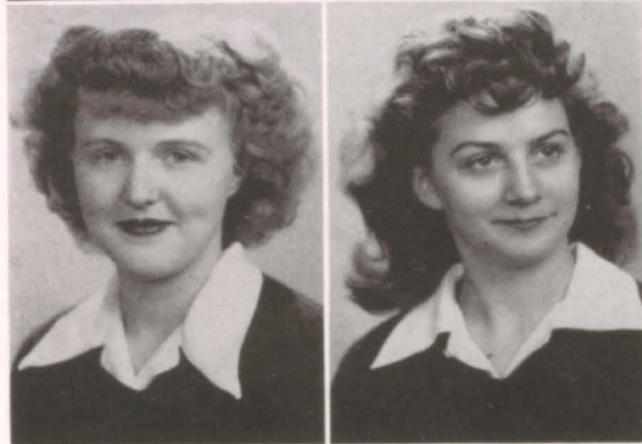
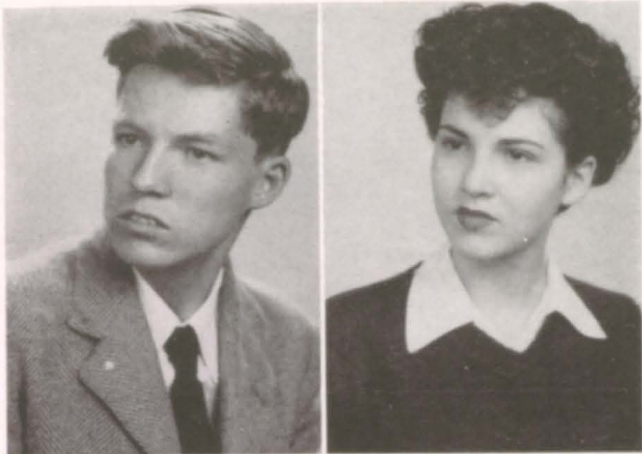
JOHN RAMM—Homeroom Leader 4; L-Club 3-4; *Lillistrator* Sports Editor 3-4; *Lillislog* 4; L-Editor 3; Senior Play 4; Operetta Lead 3-4. Shark at drafting. Plans further study at Kansas State. Tall, blond, and very friendly.

William Ramm  
Joseph Reutter  
Quintin Rhodes

Pauline Ray  
Barbara Revelle  
Dolores Rogers







Frank Rooney  
Betty Roth

Virginia Rossato  
Eileen Roth

DOROTHY ROWLAND—Operetta 2-3; Amateur Hour 2-3; Spanish Play 3; Sodality 1-2-3-4. Likes language in general, Spanish in particular. Helps make Lillis what it is.

SANTO SALADINO—L-Club 4; Holy Name Sectional Chairman 4; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4; Football Letter 4. "Chief." Friendly and well liked. Former member of class of '45 until he entered the Navy for two years. Football and sleeping head his list of favorite occupations.

NORMA SANDY—Honor Society 3-4; Green Peppers 3-4; Prom Committee 3; *Lillistrator* 3; Sodality Sectional Chairman 3; Assistant Homeroom Leader 3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Popularity Contest 4. Pretty and popular. Likes dancing and driving the car. Plans to continue studies at St. Teresa's College next year.

RICHARD SCHLEICHER—L-Club 4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Popularity Contest 4; Amateur Hour 4; Football Letter 4; Perfect Attendance 3; Student Council 4; Homeroom Leader 4. Quiet smile. Travels from Kansas each day. Names favorite likes as gym and football.

JOAN SCHMIDT—Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 3-4; Gym Letter 3. Pretty and likeable. "Smitty." Plans to attend William Jewell College after graduation. Likes basketball and gym.

JEANNE SCHMIEDLER—Honor Society 3-4; Green Peppers 1-2; Prom Committee 3; *Lillistrator* 3; Sodality General Treasurer 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Religion Contest 2; Recital 2-3-4; Latin Play 2; Gym Letter 3. Talented operetta piano accompanist. Names classical music as her favorite like.

FRANK ROONEY—*Forest Fires* 3; Holy Name 1-2-3-4. Likes to play basketball. A four-year Lillisite from St. James parish. Liked by everyone.

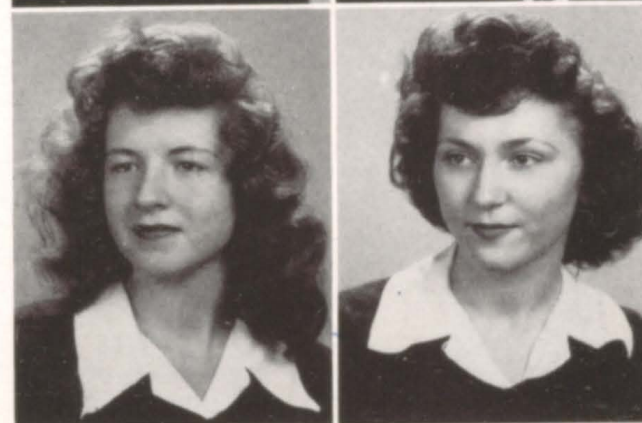
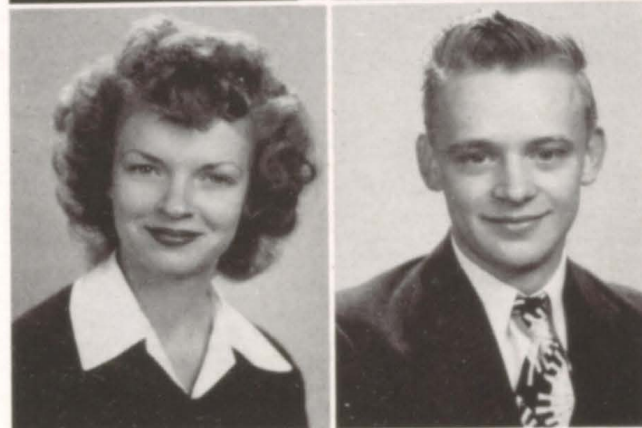
VIRGINIA ROSSATO—Homecoming Queen 4; Popularity Contest 4; Good Counsel Club 4; Amateur Hour 1-2-3-4; Green Peppers 1-2; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Spanish Play 3; Prom Committee 3. Brown eyes. "Vicky." Likes dancing to "real sharp" records.

BETTY ROTH—Prom Committee Chairman 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Spanish Play 3; Amateur Hour 3; Carnival Play 2. Blond hair and blue eyes, with a lively sense of humor to match.

EILEEN ROTH—Sodality Prefect 4; Student Council 4; Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 2; Operetta Lead 3-4; Green Peppers 2-3; Treble Choir 3; Spanish Play 3; Latin Play 2. Came to Lillis sophomore year from Loretto. Collecting sheet music is her hobby.

Dorothy Rowland  
Norma Sandy  
Joan Schmidt

Santo Saladino  
Richard Schleicher  
Jeanne Schmiedler





Regina Schroeger  
Lorraine Schulz

James Schuh  
Robert Scott

BARBARA SMALL—Treble Choir 3; *Lillistrator* Make-Up Editor 3-4; *Lillislog* 4; *Forest Fires* 3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Gym Letter 3; All-Star Girls' Team 3; Student Council 1; Sodality Play 3; Amateur Hour 2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4. All-around good girl.

ROGER SNOWDALL—Band, Cornet, 1-2-4; Holy Name 1-2-3-4; Amateur Hour 1. Came to Lillis from Rockhurst freshman year. Knows all the hows and whys of radio. Has spent hours on end in the auditorium regulating his amplifier for Lillis programs and dances.

JOANE SPINDELL—Good Counsel Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Library Club 1; Amateur Hour 4; Operetta 1-2-3. Good-humored and kind. Came to Lillis as a freshman. Likes typing and badminton.

THERESA SPITTLE—Honor Society 3-4; Good Counsel Club 4; *Lillistrator* 3; Treble Choir 3; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Latin Play 3. Divides her time between math and dancing. Friendly to everyone.

KATHRYN STARK—Student Council Vice-President 4; Honor Society 3-4; Library Club President 4; *Lillistrator* Circulation Manager 3; General and Sectional Sodality Secretary 4; Sectional Sodality Chairman 2; Religion Contest 3; Amateur Hour 3; Latin Play 3; Christmas Play 4; Debate 4. "Tops" in everything.

EILEEN STEGEMAN—Amateur Hour 4; Sodality 2-3-4; Good Counsel Club 4. Came to Lillis from Central in her sophomore year. Quiet, ready humor. Always willing to help. Likes basketball and typing.

REGINA SCHROEGER—Operetta 1-2-3; Amateur Hour 1; Christmas Play 4; Sodality 1-2-3-4. Likes to play volleyball. Can be seen studying bookkeeping on her way to school. Pretty black hair. Plans to be a secretary.

JAMES SCHUH—Popularity Contest Winner 4; Football Letter 4; Amateur Hour 4; Senior Gift Committee 4. Likes all sports, and enjoys hunting. Claims shop as his favorite department. Liked by everyone because of his friendly disposition. Came to Lillis from school in Arkansas this year.

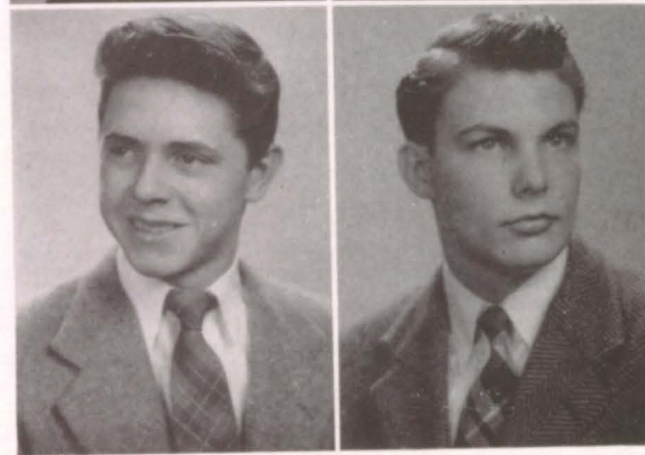
LORRAINE SCHULZ—Good Counsel Club 4; Amateur Hour 4; Sodality 4. One-year newcomer to Lillis from Hogan. Likes her business classes; names bookkeeping as a favorite class. Sweet, shy personality. Likes basketball and reading.

ROBERT SCOTT—Football Letter 4; Amateur Hour 4; Holy Name 4. One-year Lillisite from Paseo. Always good-humored. Likes shop. Plans to enter the Navy after graduation.

Barbara Small  
Joane Spindell  
Kathryn Stark

Roger Snowdall  
Theresa Spittle  
Eileen Stegeman





Jacqueline Stockman  
Carl Sydow

Lee Swearingen  
Jerry Tanner

JO ANN TEUBEL—Good Counsel Club 4; Operetta 1-2-3-4; Green Peppers 1-2; Treble Choir 3; Prom Committee 3. Blue eyes, blond hair. Pretty as a picture, with a disposition to match. Loves to dance. For future reference, see St. Teresa's College.

EUGENE TIERNEY—Amateur Hour 4; Holy Name 4. Blond, happy-go-lucky four-year student from Sacred Heart parish. Collects souvenirs. Wants to be a printer if Uncle Sam does not want him first.

PATRICK VERSTRATE—Amateur Hour 2-3; Holy Name 4. Three-year Lillisite from De La Salle. Craves free days. The strong, silent type. Plans on the Army for the immediate future.

RAYMOND WARNER—Holy Name 4. One-year newcomer from Topeka. Friendly. Quiet personality, with a ready sense of humor. Collects money, old and new, as a hobby. Likes glee club. Wants to be a sailor. Plans for college.

MARY WELCH—Lillistractor 3-4; Lillislog 4; Green Peppers 2-3-4; Sodality 2-3-4; Operetta 2-3; Amateur Hour 2-3; Prom Committee 3. Three-year Lillisite from Central. Short, sweet, hard to beat.

ELMA WHITE—Senior Vice-President 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Cheerleader 3-4; Green Peppers 1-2-3-4; Prom Committee 3; Lillistractor Feature Editor 3-4; Lillislog 4; Sodality Sectional Leader 1; Assistant Homeroom Leader 2-4; Operetta 1-2-3. Peppy as a firecracker.

JACQUELINE STOCKMAN—Good Counsel Club 4; Sodality 1-2-3-4. Came to Lillis freshman year from St. Mary's in Glasgow, Mo. Names languages as favorite field, with Latin her particular choice. Loves to dance.

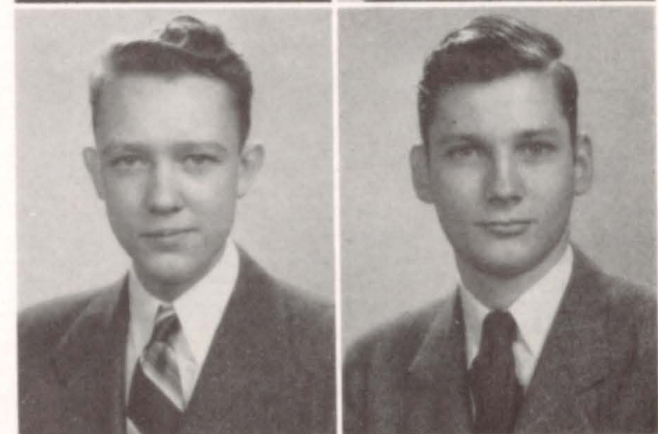
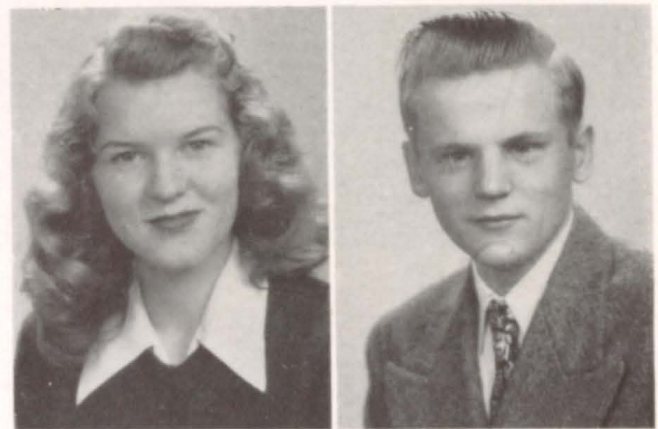
LEE SWEARINGEN—Lillistractor 3; Lillislog Art Staff 4; Spanish Play 3; Operetta 1-2-3-4. Four-year Lillisite from Cathedral. Likes roller skating and friendly people. Plans for the Navy, then college at Kansas University.

CARL SYDOW—Holy Name 4. Newcomer from Hogan. Tall and dark. Likes drafting and has plans for a future in mechanics.

JERRY TANNER—First place in Catholic Community Library short story contest 3; Forest Fires 3. Science student, taxidermist. Came to Lillis from Paseo in '45. Foresees possibility of hitch in the Navy before beginning college. Hates getting up early.

Jo Ann Teubel  
Patrick Verstrate  
Mary Welch

Eugene Tierney  
Raymond Warner  
Elma White



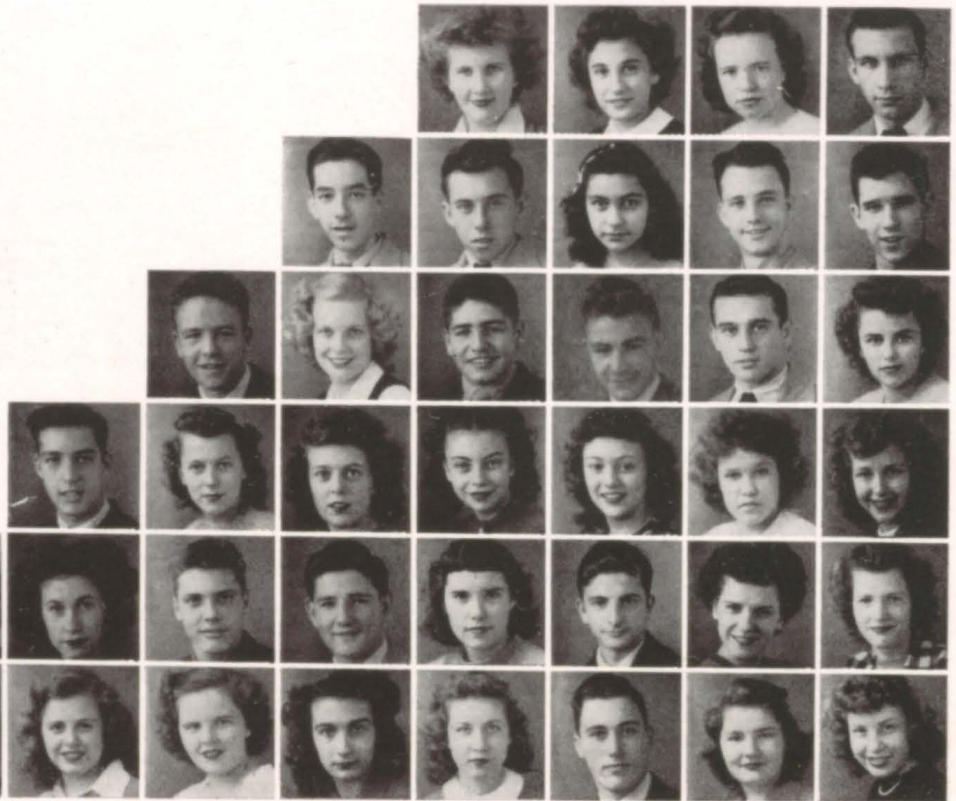


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*First Row:* Lucy Armijo, Gerald Branch, Vincent Brennan, Virginia Brockman, Juanita Brungardt, Virginia Chilson, Frances Clark, William Cortright, Thomas Craney, Edward Dillon. *Second Row:* Mary Jolene Donahue, Richard Donahue, Jerome Eschbacher, Geraldine Ferguson, Regina Flynn, Thomas Geha, Albert Gormly, Sara Hartnett, Edna Jo Hasenzahl. *Third Row:* Daniel Lechtenberg, Edith Legate, James McCready, Joan McGraw, Jean Meehan, Lawrence Mertz. *Fourth Row:* Louis Mertz, Jo Ann Mulvihill, Martha Nash, Kathryn Reed, Annabelle Rossato, Patricia Scheibmeir. *Fifth Row:* Helen Schmoeger, Mary Kay Schweiger, Bernard Seibolt, James Sullivan, Rose Mary Tarantola, David Trotter. *Sixth Row:* Anthony Weixeldorfer, Rita Williams, Daniel Wright, John Yurchak.

## Class of '48

*First Row:* Jaunita Alvey, Bernadine Bader, Margaret Becker, Carl Bohumil. *Second Row:* Donald Carroll, Patrick Campbell, Sara Chagoyan, James Conant, Thomas Curry. *Third Row:* Michael Damico, Marilyn Daniel, Leon Gaschn, Edward George, Raymond Gregg, Rosemary Gross. *Fourth Row:* James Humphrey, Nellie Irish, Luann Jenkins, Mary Ellen Jones, Thelma Lavelle, Sally Lemon, Patricia Markley. *Fifth Row:* Dolores Montgomery, Marianne McCormick, Edward McMullen, Charles O'Connell, Angela O'Gorman, John Quigley, Doris Roots, Theresa Scanlon. *Sixth Row:* Edward Schofield, Richard Smith, Shirley Smith, Margaret Agnes Swayne, Mary Ann Tank, Leonore Verde, Janice Verstrate, Pritchard Von David, Joanne Warner, Mary Watson.



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*First Row:* Cecilia Arnold, Robert Barrett, Bernard Brennan, Donald Brooks, Catherine Brzuchalski, John Conran, Cecelia Coomes, Dorothy Cooper, Donald Craddick, Jane Danaher. *Second Row:* Raymond Daniels, Mary Margaret Dore, Kathleen Dorian, Theresa Duda, William Dulle, Joan Faherty, Vincent Flahive, Bernard Geraghty, Clare Grownney. *Third Row:* James Haeffling, Thomas Hayde, Sidney Johnston, Marguerite Kumro, Daniel Larson, Dolores Luebbert. *Fourth Row:* Michael McFadden, Phyllis Melching, Julia Mullane, Dolores Mussato, Robert O'Neill, Eugene Pierce. *Fifth Row:* Robert Rogers, Mary Eileen Scanton, Jeanne Snelling, Joseph Stockard. *Sixth Row:* Gerald Sullivan, Harvard Yancey, Norma Zammar.



## Coming Up



*First Row:* Peggy Arensberg, Betty Bates, Florence Burasco, Barbara Caton. *Second Row:* Joseph Coleman, Thomas Connelly, Robert Creagan, Charles Crowell, William Cushing. *Third Row:* Eugene DeLong, Patricia Devine, Edward Farley, Charles Geier, Marian Giblin, Alice Mae Gracheck. *Fourth Row:* Margaret Heinen, James Heshion, Rozanne Immele, Paul Kirk, Helen Kneaves, Hildegard Krenner, Robert Lobb. *Fifth Row:* Patricia McCarthy, John McFarland, Helen Maloney, Patricia O'Brien, Betty Osterlinck, Helen Pils, Helen Rice, Rita Roberts. *Sixth Row:* Minnie Saily, Helen Schaeffer, Jo Ann Schwoppe, Charles Smith, Eleanor Spring, Robert Spring, Theresa Streit, Leo Schleicher, Mary Alice Taylor, Marie Zimmerman.

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**CLASS  
OF '48**



**ROOM  
207**

*First Row:* John Adams, John Bocklett, Shirley Cronin, Margaret Hagen, Ann Hennessey, Joseph Jo Ray, John Kennedy, Mary Kneib, Frances Laughlin, Mary Ann Leihy. *Second Row:* Mary Kathryn Lyons, Mary Lou McClure, Lawrence Mosnick, Joann Munagle, Patricia Rittel, William Schrock, Barbara Seller, Mary Simmons, Janice Smith, Mary Ann Smith. *Third Row:* Bernard Thorpe, Dorothy Usher, Patricia Warner, Charles Watkins, John Watkins.

## Being a Leader

*Senior and junior homeroom leaders plotting new homeroom activities are: seated, James Sullivan 304, Kathleen Dorian 200, Elma White 204, and John Ramm 203. Standing left to right are: Joann Munagle 207, Leo Schleicher 202, James Humphrey 306, Richard Schleicher 205, and Bill Ramm 201.*





*It's do or die to keep order at weekly meetings say these freshman and sophomore homeroom leaders. Left to right: Maurice Bauman 302, Norman Wiswell 402, Tom JoRay 401, Carmen Crowe 403, John Ryan 406, Bob O'Toole, Library, Bob Loschke 303, and Theresa Dillman 404. Absent was Louise Sullivan 405.*

## Isn't All Work

**THE  
LIBRARY**

*First Row: Mary Ellen Beck, Margaret Ann Bellinger, Rita Marie Crass, Leo Farr, Joanne Fisher, Norma Flannery, Jerry Glenn, David Griffith. Second Row: Gerald Halloran, Jo Ann Keitel, Thomas Martin, Barbara Meyer, Margaret Moeller, Mary Lee Murphy, Mary O'Brien, Robert O'Toole, Henry Raach, James Rice. Third Row: Charlotte Rogers, Clement Sander, Mary Schulz, Katharine Stegeman, James Stoetzer, Patricia Warren, Robert West, Francis Whitaker, David Wiley, Dean Wright.*

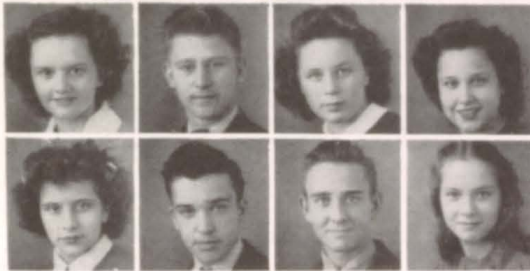
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*First Row:* James Conrick, Jean Cunningham, Earlene Decker, Thomas Delaney, Regina Donegan, Anna Mae Dorrian, Charles Erman, Donna Rose Fick, James Gladbach, Lois Harris. *Second Row:* Robert Holder, Frances Hutchins, William Johnson, Joseph Kelleher, Loretta Kneib, Eugene Livingston, Robert Loschke, Robert McFarland, Diane McNamara, Rita Mingucci. *Third Row:* Barbara Newhouse, Yvonne Norton, Jo Ann O'Brien, Virginia O'Connell, Patricia Pasquale, Josephine Patito. *Fourth Row:* Phyllis Pomy, Richard Shepherd, Dorene Randolph, Shirley Roecker. *Fifth Row:* Maxine Weibel, William Welch, Donald West, Mary Alice Wilson.



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*First Row:* Lucien Anthony. *Second Row:* Clara Bonavia, Mary Jo Clark, Frances Connelly, Dona Joan Conc. *Third Row:* Shirley Conran, Joseph Cosgrove, Karen Crank, Clement Denning, Richard Diebold, Wanda Diebold. *Fourth Row:* Theresa Dillman, Margaret Fasl, Marion Ferkenhoff, Douglas Goth, William Graham, Betty Gredell, Kathryn Haefling, Eugene Kane. *Fifth Row:* Frank Kelly, Patricia Kelly, Dolores Kenning, Nora Larson, Mary Lyons, Margaret Mayta, Patrick McManus, Marilyn Ochesky, Ronald Powers, Edward Prothman. *Sixth Row:* Frank Ramm, Norma Roth, Ann Savage, Wilfred Schmitt, Mary Catherine Stack, Virginiann Stratton, John Torrey, Kathleen Walruft, Niria Vanderhoff, Robert Watkins.

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*First Row:* Harry Baker, Gayle Barry, Maurice Bauman, Robert Bender, Paul Boyd, Ruth Culp, Marjorie Fitzgerald, Robert Fitzsimmons, Marie Flavin, Robert Foster. *Second Row:* Thomas Fuller, Mary Graham, Patricia Graham, Betty Lou Hale, Helena Hall, Louis Heitlinger, Bernard Heshion, Arlene Hobbs, Jerry Johnson, Carol LaNoue. *Third Row:* Jo Anne Lath, George Lienhardt, Jo Ann Lucas, William McCarthy, Jo Ann McCormack, Mary Joan McDonald, Connie McLaury, Joan Mead. *Fourth Row:* Robert Meyers, Albert Reed, Barbara Renner, Frances Rhodes, Marcella Ryan, Ronald Shackelford. *Fifth Row:* Betty Jean Smith, Patricia Smith, Joyce Tolle, Thomas Walsh. *Sixth Row:* Harry Wiggins, James Wynne.

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*First Row:* Ralph Andrade, Leroy Barrett, Patrick Behrens, John Bilderback, Jerry Bolin, Lorene Bowlin, Robert Cunningham, Leroy Denning, Dolores DeGraves, Therese Eth. *Second Row:* Barbara Garnier, Louis Gibling, James Gormley, Vincent Gross, Patricia Gurley, Joseph Haefling, Patricia Harris, Richard Heinen, Edith Hopfinger, Esther Hyland. *Third Row:* Wallace Johnston, Thomas Jo Ray, Thomas Joyce, John Laddish, Marguerite Lickteig, Michael McCarthy, Betty Ann McNaul, Elizabeth Mohannah, Jean Mallot, Jack Markley. *Fourth Row:* Donald Martin, Bernard Melia, Max Morrissey, Philip Mullane, Catherine Nenno, William O'Brien, Mary Jane Payne, Charlene Payton, Charles Putthoff, John Quinn. *Fifth Row:* Edward Radmacker, Jane Ellen Robey, Mary Scarbrough, Donald Sprenger, Mary Stansbury, Joe Wright, Barbara Yoder.

(Below)

*First Row:* Charles Adams, Joseph Arensberg, Charles Ballard, Marjorie Bell, Edwin Bogert. *Second Row:* Verna Brand, James Bray, John Burge, Daniel Connelly, William Danaher, Marjorie Derry, Thomas Ferguson, Thomas Fitzgerald, Margaret Flannagan, Donald Flint. *Third Row:* Sheila Gallagher, Mary Haidusek, Rita Huston, Margaret Jones, Jo Ann Kaiser, Carol Latz, Joan Lee, Thomas Lonagan, Patricia Liston, James Lyons. *Fourth Row:* Thomas McFarland, Patricia McGlynn, Darlene Meier, Gerald Morgan, Frances Mullen, Patricia O'Donnell, James Prather, Catherine Rice, Ruth Rininsland, Mary Ritter. *Fifth Row:* Patricia Scanlon, Patricia Schaaf, Leo Schuty, Raymond Shepherd, Sharon Stidham, Louise Sullivan, Leo Taylor, Celine Toman, Ruth Watkins, Mary Wynne.

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*First Row:* Thomas Allegrì, Catherine Allin, Patricia Aschwanden, Marlene Becker, Carol Breitenstein, Mary Catherine Byrne, Jo Ann Caracci, Hubert Fick, Barbara Gerhardt, Nathan Goth. *Second Row:* Joseph Gormly, Dorothy Haight, Dorothy Halbauer, Harry Harrison, Nancy Hillbrand, William Hille, Katherine Kelly, Mary Frances Kneaves, Marian Koch, Marita Lynch. *Third Row:* Patrick McClung, Amy McConnell, Robert McLaury, Mary Ann Mayta, Arthur Mingucci, Carol Mitchell, Therese Nugent, Jean O'Connor, George Ranallo, Joan Rauch. *Fourth Row:* Bernard Rebel, Mary Patricia Richardson, Sheila Rohrer, Carol Roland, Robert Rossato, Patrick Ryan, Marian Sandy, Robert Smith, Dorothy Sniezek, Margaret Snitzmier. *Fifth Row:* Barbara Stubbs, James Underwood, Richard Welhoelter, Joseph Williams, Helen Wilson.

(Below)

*First Row:* Ruth Ball, James Barnette, Doris Beerbower. *Second Row:* Helen Bocklett, James Bolin, Joseph Buckley, James Callahan, Mary Lucy Charmello, Rosemary Collins, Robert Corkill, Carmen Crowe, Robert De Lorenzi, Ervin Dreiling. *Third Row:* Mary Eighmy, Loretta Frawley, Alberta Groves, Frances Hagen, Leo Hoedl, Raymond Hogan, Mary Elizabeth Jakobe, Patricia Johnston, Edward Lane, Robert Love. *Fourth Row:* John McCaffery, Charles McMahan, Helen Martin, Catherine Miesse, Lawrence Merrigan, Dolores Meyers, Joyce Mitchell, Robert Morrow, Mary Louise Pavela, Charles Perutelli. *Fifth Row:* Ronald Randle, Joan Ryan, Jo Ann Schmidt, Mary Slater, Cleo Smith, Diane Warren, Eugene Weigel, Merle Wilson, Wilma Wilson, Rosann Wulff.

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*At Work*



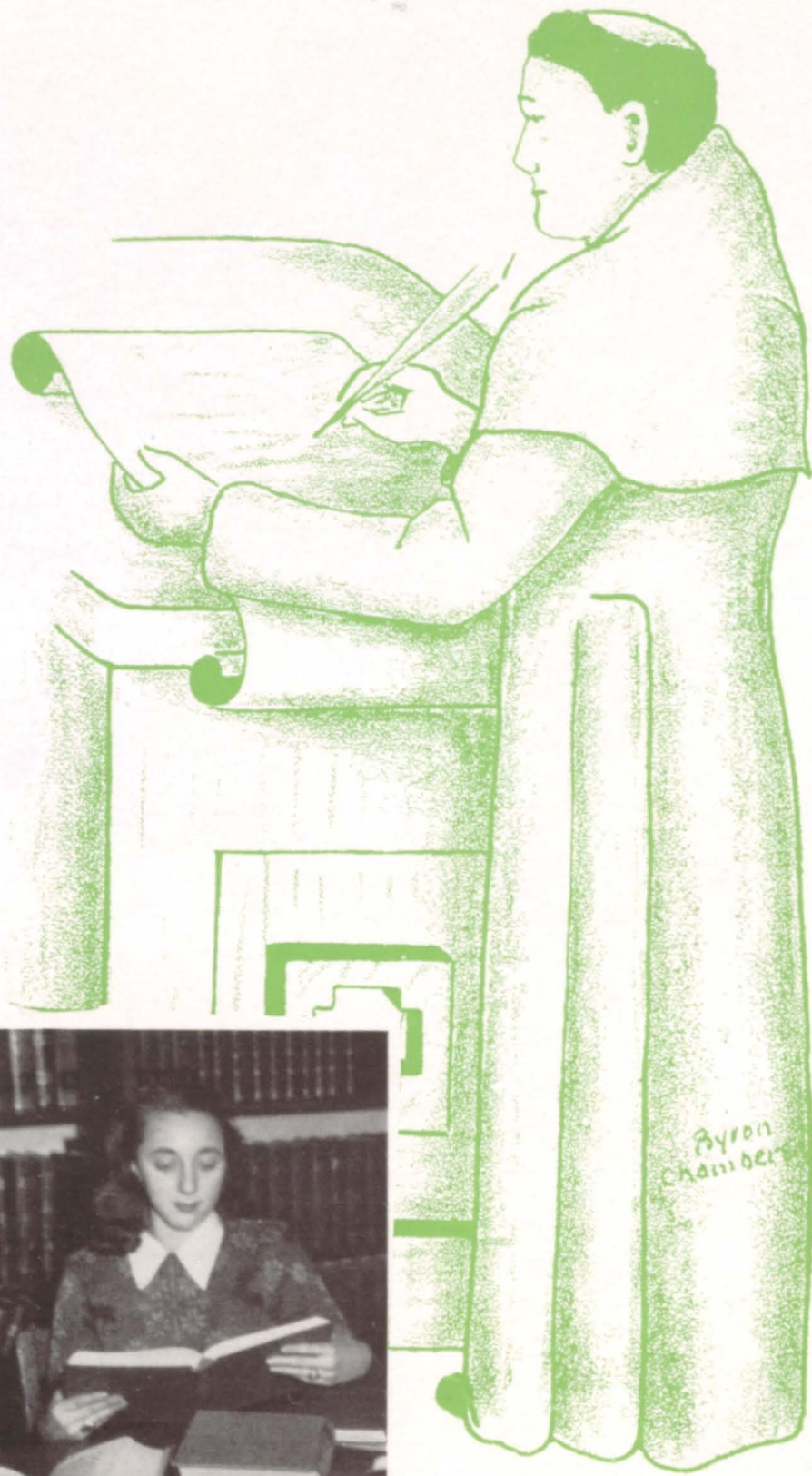
*Ut In Omnibus*

*Glorificetur Deus*

*Catholic education is on the march at Lillis seven hours a day, from the warning buzzer at 8:20 till the welcome din of the 3:30 bell. During those seven hours 700 students are busily engaged in asking questions, taking notes, and analyzing problems set before them. Ever stricter requirements and a periodical glance at a report card are proof enough that this process of education is a pretty serious thing at times.*

*To the sons of St. Benedict teaching is nothing new. From the days when Charlemagne called the English Benedictine Alcuin to the continent to lay the foundation of medieval European culture in the schools of his empire, the Benedictine tradition of education has marched on uninterrupted.*

*Accordingly, any teacher at Lillis can choose a model from scores of saints who wore the same habit and followed the same rule of life which are his in the twentieth century. Today, as in past ages, thousands of religious in schools throughout America continue to build character through scholarship, saints through example and prayer, "that in all things God may be glorified."*



# Religion



Eight upperclassmen competed in Lillis's first apologetics contest this spring. First row: Mary Ellen Jones and the first, third, and second place winners, Harry Jones, Katbryn Stark, and Barbara Small. Second row: Joan Faberty, Charles Crowell, Rudy Gubera, and Juanita Brungardt.

The safety valve of every teen-age boy and girl is a practical knowledge of his religion. When the maxims and examples of a pagan world press hard on the walls of his character, his religion—and his religion alone—says, "Here is your goal, channel your activities through me alone!"

And whether it be English, science, home economics, or art which a teacher must inculcate through the long day's classes, almost every faculty member at Lillis begins the day with a homeroom religion class whose sole purpose is to turn better and truer Catholics for the present and the future.

Climaxing the work of the homeroom religion section comes the one day out of every five when each of the four classes assembles 150 strong for further instructions from Father Francis, vice-principal and school chaplain.

Not that there is any danger of forgetting, but just for the record here they are—Lillis's homeroom teachers, together with the other members of the staff:



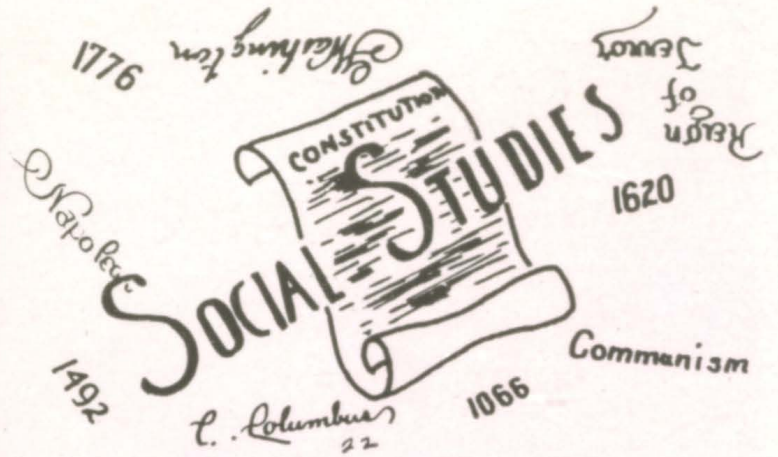
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Sister Irma.....205	Sister Mary Theresa.....English
Sister Dunstan.....204	Mrs. Robert Alexander.....
Sister Agatha.....200	.....Gym, Science
Sister Vivina.....202	Coach John Readecker.....
Sister Gonzaga.....304	.....Gym, Mechanical Arts
Sister Audrey.....306	Mr. Leo Loschke.....
Sister Giovanna.....307	.....Physical Education
Sister Mary Cyril.....302	Mr. Michael O'Connor.....Band
Sister Mary Charles.....402	Mrs. Cleo Cowgill.....
Sister Constancea.....303	.....Health Center
Sister Mary Janice.....404	Sisters Marguerite, Valentine,
Sister Hildegard.....Lib.	Alicia.....Cafeteria





(Above) Joanne Kane proves that she can produce a smile for anything, even sociology questions.



(Right) Patty Foley identifies the thirteen original states for the American history class.



"Citizens in the making!" Impressive though the title may be, the young people studying history, civics, and sociology at Lillis today will be the citizens of the future in the strict sense of the word, citizens who know their government and the rights and privileges of people living in a democratic country.

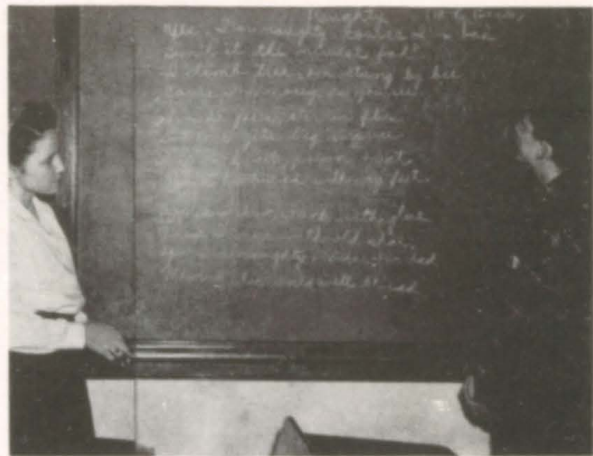
Civics, a freshman subject, was taught by Sister Egberta and Sister Fabiola, and, during first semester, by Sister Eileen.

"Students, meet St. Thomas!" said Father Francis to his senior sociology class last fall and the pupils themselves admit they met St. Thomas!

Sister Lucretia, who teaches world history, enlightens young people as to the achievements and the mistakes of countries of the past, while our own record lives again for Sister Agatha's American history classes.

(Left) Sign boards? Absolutely not!" says Jerry Bolin in response to Marian Koch's affirmative pleas in a civics class.





(Above) Virginiann Stratton and Carol LaNoue admire the poetic efforts of Mary Ellen Beck, a fellow laborer in sophomore English.



(Left) Evidently Latin still takes work, even after three years of it.

"Si, Hermana." "Arma virumque cano!" "Is this a dagger?" No matter how you say it, whether in Spanish, Latin, or English, in grammar, literature, or speech, it's the exact word and only the exact word that gets the E, Lillis language students agree.

Taking charge of the freshmen and sophomores to see that they add to the store of their grade school English are Sister Agnes, Sister Giovanna, Sister Fabiola, Sister Hildegard, Sister Eileen, Sister Egberta, and Sister Mary Janice, who also handles speech and debate classes.

Sister Dunstan, Sister Vivina, and Sister Mary Theresa keep the upperclassmen in touch with the world's classics.

Helping to keep Latin alive are Sister Mary Cyril, Sister Mary Charles, and Sister Dunstan, while Sister Audrey's Spanish classes take upperclassmen "south of the border."



(Right) Spanish II in a lighter mood shows Dorothy Rowland, front, Nadine Binaggia, and Helen Heft, second row, and Bill Eagan, Joan Hutcheson, Betty Roth, and Eileen Roth, in the background.



*Roy Morris and Jim Devine watch intently as water boils for a physics experiment.*

*All set! A class in 303 sits poised for the first question of a general science test.*



Lillis has a science to suit every student, whether his yen be for dissecting earthworms or finding out why his jalopy won't run.

Sister Agnes and Mrs. Alexander trade off classes in general science, while Sister Audrey and Sister Constancea take turns in the biology lab.

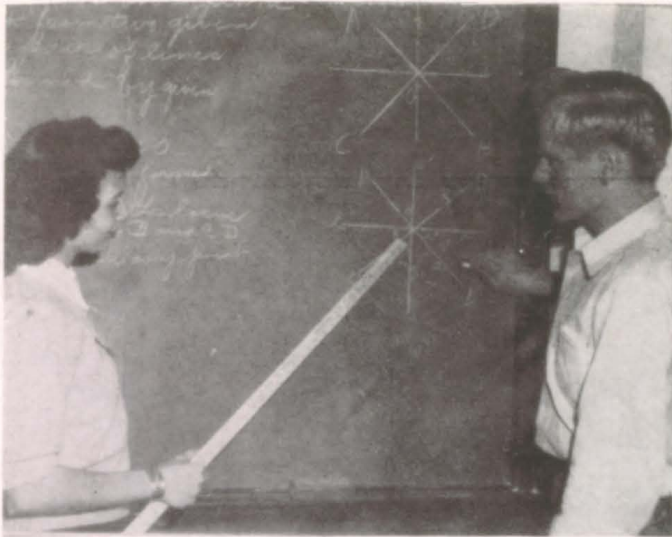
Chemistry and physics are in the hands of Sister Gonzaga, who unveils scientific mysteries for bewildered upperclassmen.

A half-credit course in physiology was offered for the first time in several years this semester under the direction of Sister Constancea.

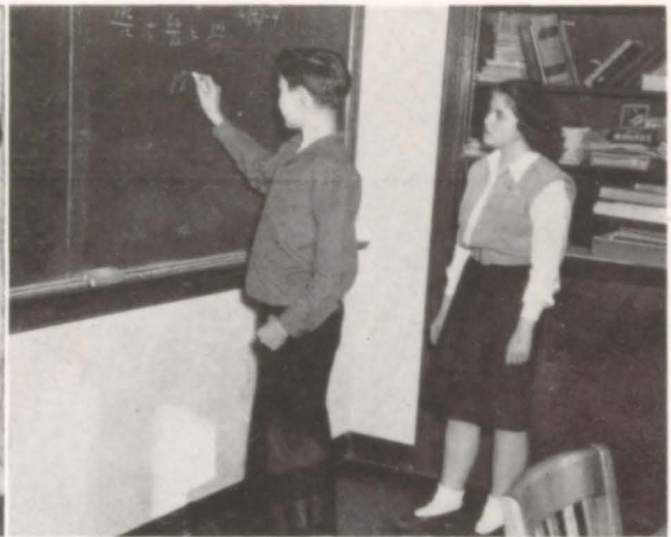
*Marjorie Browning takes a look while Dorene Randolph, Rita Mingucci, and Jo Ann Lathy await turns.*

*Test tube troubles worry chemists Joe Meinhardt, Ed Hight, and Jerry Tanner.*





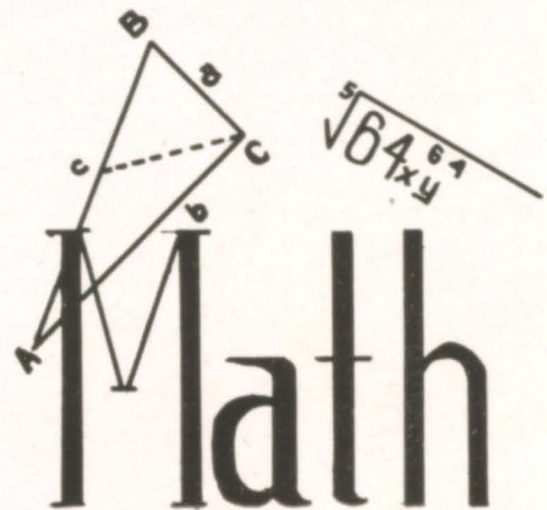
Gene Tierney watches as Joan Lo Scalzo shows him the right way to approach an angle in geometry.



"Elementary, my dear Watson," says Barbara Yoder to Robert Corkill of the latest algebra problem.

Math students characterized by furrowed brows and chewed-off pencils range from eager first-year algebra freshies to trig scholars hardened by years of too many "x's" on the brain.

Sister Vivina labors to pour into underclassmen the basic facts of algebra, while Sister Ruth handles a little algebra and also commutes between room 406, which houses geometry, and 304, where upperclassmen search for answers in advanced algebra and pore over trig books fitted with instructions on everything from simple math to bridge building.



All alone with his trig is senior Tom Farley.

As bad as all that, Neal?



*Chopin*

# Fine Art

*Shainsborough*      *Leonardo Da Vinci*

Lillis grads won't be ditch-diggers; they have culture! During their years at Lillis, they have learned to paint and sketch, to sing, to play musical instruments, to appreciate the finer things of life. With this culture, Lillisites will always be able to smile.

Among those who teach the classes in fine arts are: Sister Agnes, Sister Audrey, Sister Ruth, and Sister Mary Cyril, glee club; Sister Egberta and Sister Irma, art and art appreciation; Sister Agnes, music appreciation; Michael O'Connor, band.



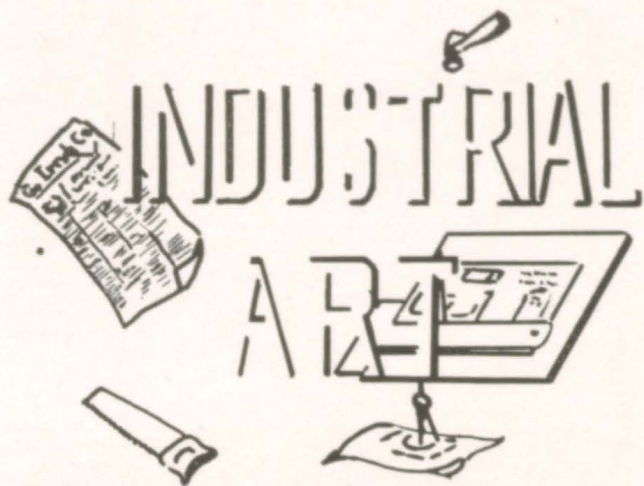
On the band-wagon are: First row: Jerry Branch, Robert O'Toole, Joseph JoRay, Richard Anthony, Robert Barrett, Henry Raach, Vincent Flabive, Raymond Daniels, Roger Snowdall. Second row: JoAnn Keitel, Margaret Bellinger, Patricia Pasquale, Mary Lee Murphy, John Bocklett, Edward Dillon, Clement Sander. Third row: James Bray, Anthony Weixendorfer, Gerald Sullivan, Marjorie Bell, Charlene Payton, Thomas Martin, Frank V. Bitaker, Joseph Kelleber, Lawrence Boyle, Joan McGraw, Mr. O'Connor. Inset: Mr. O'Connor.



(Left) "Don't touch," Eileen Stegeman warns while Jo Ann Teubel looks on as Dick Lagerman meddles with one of Sister Irma's set-ups in the art room. Dick seems unimpressed.

Education in high school isn't all intellectual: the hands must be trained as well as the brain. Hence the industrial arts courses at Lillis.

Sister Mary Charles deftly instructs the printers and pressmen of the future, while Coach Readecker teaches the young men-about-the-house how to draw a straight line in drafting, how to saw a straight line in shop. Elementary mechanical drawing classes are taught by Sister Ruth, who has to take the overflow from her drafting class to the big table in the cafeteria every day.



*John Yurchak and Jim Haesling clamp a book shelf together, while Pat Mullane and Jack Koebler cut lumber to size. Inset: Coach Readecker.*



*(Right) Apprentice printers on a rush job, Frank Rooney and Bill Meyer look busy as usual.*



Practicing on Powers model Mary Catherine Crowell are seamstresses Dorothea Bolten, Kathleen Gillespie, and Pauline Ray.



Joan Leone keeps her fingers crossed as Rosetta Meier entrusts her handiwork to the oven.



Betty Bates and Mary Ann Lafferty serve a formal dinner in the model room to Shirley Roecker, Mary Eighmy, Anna Mae Dorrain, and Marlene Becker.

Whether it's learning how to prepare meals, bandage up the minor injuries in the home or outside it, make and remolder clothes, or simply acquire the fundamentals of courtesy, the domestic arts department of the school has the answer.

Home economics classes attempt to prepare the teen-age girl of today for the problems that will face her in her family career of tomorrow. In order to fulfill this aim, Sister Constancea, foods tutor, and Sister Giovanna, clothing instructor, bring the girls as close as possible to real home conditions.

Shining white and black are the keynote of the foods laboratory, while the row of sewing machines and the curtained fitting-corner focus attention in the clothing room. A special feature of the department is the model room, scene of home economics in action.

Still, foods and clothing classes are not all "silver linings." All the pastries whose aroma draws the boys to the north end of the first floor imply the usual task of washing dishes, and in clothing room the job of picking up the left-over pins is endless.

When curtain time for the operetta came this year, however, results were in evidence, for many of the colorful costumes were cut and fashioned by clothing students under the direction of Sister Giovanna and Sister Constancea.





*Mary Catherine Grabam and Raymond Warner try to make it a mile a minute.*

Buying a candy bar in the cafeteria, selling tickets to the senior class play, soliciting advertising for the operetta program all require a simple knowledge of business.

That knowledge students at Lillis may acquire in the various business classes listed on the curriculum.

Sister Gonzaga, Sister Mary Cyril, and Sister Dolores teach the typists to use their fingers, as well as their brains, at a rapid pace. There are awards offered to top "key-board punchers" annually, and those students who are good typists can find a ready market for their talents.

Shorthand, under the tutelage of Sister Dolores, enables the girl, or boy, to take down a message or talk at lightning speed.

Another subject under Sister Dolores' supervision is secretarial practice, which was renewed this year after a lapse of several semesters. The class teaches the future secretary the fundamentals of office procedure.

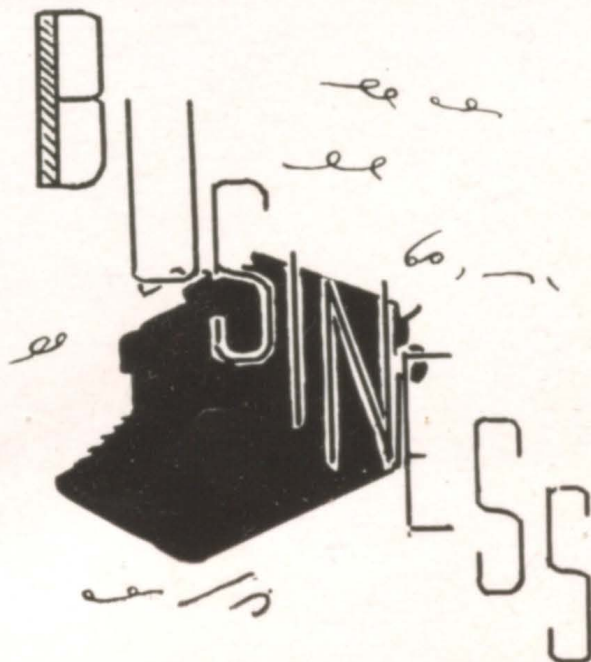
Chief time-consumer amongst the business courses is the bookkeeping class, in which Sister Mary Cyril teaches the future businessman how to keep an accurate set of books, whether for an organization or for his personal use.



*Continuous adding makes a bookkeeper drowsy, so Carl Sydow tries the adding machine. Behind him Gene Pierce and Joe Meinhardt do it less mechanically.*



*The mimeograph is hard at work, abetted by the efforts of Kathleen Gladbach, Frances English, and Joanne Gordon.*





Bursting with health, Lillis students fill the school gymnasium all day every day, thanks to the training offered by Coach John Readecker and Leo Loschke, boys' physical education instructors, and Mrs. Alexander, girls' physical education instructor, and Mrs. Cleo Cowgill, school nurse.

Mrs. Alexander depends on exercises and dancing, along with games, to produce champions. When the girls aren't playing basketball or volley ball they're taking a course in modern dancing.

Coach Readecker and Mr. Loschke believe in basketball and calisthenics to develop and keep a healthy body, while to Mrs. Cowgill falls the job of seeing to it that Lillisites are in good shape to perform their gym antics.

(Right) It's 1-2-3- stretch, as Joan Schmidt, Geraldine Dreiling, Louise Miller, Regina Schroeger, Mabel Fix, and Anna Marie Miller go through their weekly dozen. Inset: Mrs. Alexander.

(Lower right) Look out below! Leo Schuty coming down. Inset: Leo Loschke.

(Below) This is not quite the way the nurse would do it but Carolyn Patito seems to be getting the job done. The patient is Jim Grindley. Inset: Mrs. Cowgill.







(Above) Just a sittin' and studyin', but not too hard, are Rita Mullen, Eileen Roth, Shirley Lavery, Lavon Coghill, Donald Carroll, Betty Roth, and Joane Spindell.



(Left) Checking out a book is all in the way you hold your mouth, says Joe Flavin as he shows Jim Eacock and Kathryn Stark, library-club president, how it's done.

Take 3215 books, add 45 magazine titles, then mix in enough chairs for 100 Lillisites. The result: any library period in the sunny quarters at the north end of second floor, where Sister Hildegard, school librarian, holds sway.

A laboratory for research and for experiments in thinking, the library offers a choice of reading material ranging from *Seventeenth Summer* to the *Catholic Encyclopedia*.

Every hour of the day classes swarm in to take their seats at the big tables which have seen thousands of assignments finished, more thousands of books read. "Silence is golden" as students pore industriously over sociology, world history—and magazines. Truly a book worm's idea of heaven!

Dickinson

Last of the Mohicans



Count of Monte Cristo

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*In Action*

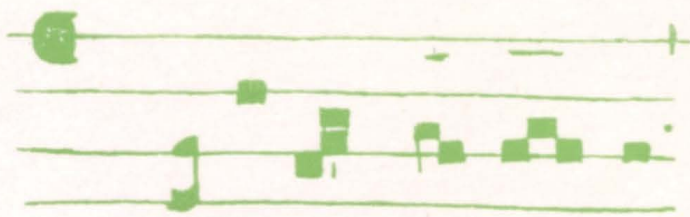


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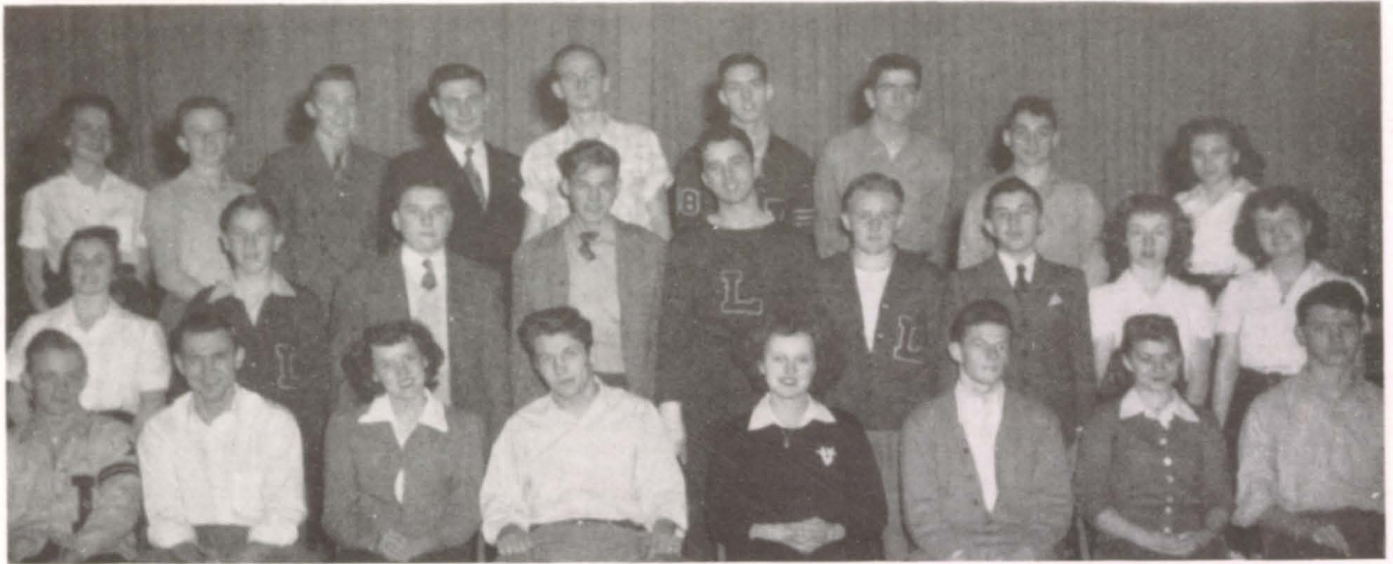
*General Sodality, Sectional Holy Name meetings Friday . . . Student Council officers at noon . . . Honor Society induction to be . . . Operetta scheduled for . . . Carnival a success . . . Amateur night better than ever . . . When do we study? In between times, it might appear, for fall, winter, spring, things are always buzzing at Lillis.*

*Into the perfection of a modern high school graduate goes an almost infinite variety of activities, each one contributing its small part to the making of a man. When he wrote his rule more than a thousand years ago, St. Benedict did not outline for his disciples of 1947 such roles as planning picnics, proms, or carnivals. Rather, because he knew that he could not foresee the countless activities by which a soul of future centuries could be led to God, he gave his monks one aim broad enough to embrace all good things: That in all things God may be glorified. And through that ideal every good thing today, from boogie to Beethoven, from "Open the door, Richard" to Gregorian chant for tomorrow's Mass is unified to the achievement of the purpose for which Lillis was built—the glory of God and the sanctification of souls.*



Can-ta' te Do-mi-no





Here is the 1946-47 Lillis Student Council. First row: Dick Schleicher, Walter Peterson, Mary Gertrude Connelly, Howard Magerl, Kathryn Stark, Danny Liston, Eileen Roth, Lawrence Boyle. Second row: Louise Sullivan, Robert O'Toole, Maurice Bauman, Norman Wiswell, Robert Loschke, Thomas JoRay, Ervin Dreiling, Dorothy Sniezek, Theresa Dillman. Third row: Joann Munagle, James Sullivan, Harry Jones, Bill Ramm, John Ramm, Jim Humphrey, Bob O'Neill, Leo Schleicher, Mary Ellen Jones.

## Student Council

Student Council plans occupy the attention of these officers of the student group. Left to right: Mary Gertrude Connelly, Danny Liston, Kathryn Stark, Howard Magerl, president, and Father Francis, sponsor.



To preserve democracy we must know how to live and work under it. The Lillis Student Council, under the capable sponsorship of Father Francis, vice-principal and school chaplain, works to do just this.

Homeroom leaders, publication editors, club presidents, prefects, and other officers of the school are represented on this all-important school board. Although only 27 strong, they are responsible for the smooth running of a school of 680. Through these 27, student opinion flows from the homeroom unit to the central organization, and from thence to the faculty.

Members of the student council are doing their best to see that "government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth."



Honor Society members pose after the spring induction. *First row:* Helen Patton, Dolores Dix, Dorothy Easterday, Norma Sandy, Betty De Witt, Mary Gertrude Connelly, Kathryn Stark, Barbara Small, Joan Lo Scalzo and Joanne Donahoe. *Second row:* Jeanne Schriedler, Gertrude Loschke, Lee Swearingen, Lawrence Chandlee, Harry Jones, Joe Burge, Mary Ann Dutton, Teresa McShane, Peggy Fitten. *Third row:* Peggy Arensberg, Luann Jenkins, Margaret Dore, Joann Munagle, Joan McGraw, Juanita Brungardt, Martha Nash, Lucy Armijo. *Fourth row:* Doris Roots, John Kennedy, James Haeffling, Charles Crowell, Richard Donahue, Edward Farley, Leo Schleicher, Ann Hennessey. *Absent:* Theresa Spittle, Joan Hutcheson, James Humphrey, James Sullivan.

## National Honor Society

A school is only as strong as its weakest student. Only through intelligent, well-educated students, can the government of a school be well organized and smooth-running.

While the Student Council learns how to make the laws, the Lillis chapter of the National Honor Society endeavors to uphold the laws of the school government.

Composed of the top twenty per cent of the senior class, and the top ten per cent of the juniors, the National Honor Society, through its members at Lillis, learns thoroughly the ideals and principles of the school, what they mean, and how to live up to them, through its motto of Scholarship, Leadership, Character, and Service.

*Kathryn Stark and Betty De Witt, Honor Society officers, recall last year's induction with President Mary Gertrude Connelly.*



# Printer's Ink



Saturday mornings at the print shop . . . C. P. C. meetings . . . page dummies to draw up . . . writing headlines after school . . . page editors giving out stories with the warning, "This work must be finished before you go home"—all these bring to mind the journalism classes which publish the *Lillistator*, the *Lillislog*, and this year's newcomer, a school handbook.



The journalism course is open to junior and senior students, the junior staff taking over the paper in the middle of the year when the seniors intensify their work on the yearbook.

At the upper left are the year's editors. *In the foreground:* Betty De Witt, *Lillislog*; Helen Patton, handbook; Harry Jones, *Lillistator*; *In the background:* Mike Damico and Juanita Brungardt, co-editors of the junior *Lillistator*.

*(Upper center)* Putting the *Lillistator* together down at the print shop are John Ramm, sports editor, Elma White, feature editor, Harry Jones, editor, Betty De Witt, co-editor, and Barbara Small, make-up editor.



*(Lower center)* Cameramen James Devine, Bill Ramm, and John Ramm inspect the work of yearbook artists Byron Chambers and Lee Swearingen.

*(Lower left)* Intent on the more serious aspects of newswriting are staff members Joan Deckelmayer, Rose Mary Ashby, Ann Mundy, Mary Welch, Eugene Carroll, and Ben Archer.

*(Below)* These members of the staff who look as if journalism agrees with them, are Mary Ann Dutton, Ronald Johnson, Bob Emerson, Peggy Fitten, Mary Gertrude Connelly, and Mary Ellen Quinn.



# Come to Order

A fairly heavy burden of required class work makes only half a load for hundreds of Lillisites who manage to sandwich in all sorts of extra-curricular activities between the hours of study. Here the *Lillislog* has captured a glimpse of several of these groups.

(Upper right) Ample proof that "practice makes perfect" are these four industrious varsity debaters, Harry Jones, Mary Ellen Jones, Kathryn Stark and Patricia Pasquale.

(Upper center) Novice debaters numbered nine. *First row:* Joan Faherty, Shirley Conran, Rita Mahr, and Shirley Smith. *Second row:* Ward McDonald, Joseph Reutter, Teresa McShane, Rudy Gubera, and Vincent Brennan.

(Lower center) For those interested in photography, students this year inaugurated the camera club, in which they have an opportunity to learn how to develop and print their own pictures. *First row:* Lawrence Merrigan, Barbara Meyers, Helen Patton. *Second row:* Betty Lou Hale, Margaret Moeller, Henry Raach, Arlene Hobbs. *Third row:* Thomas Fuller, Bill Ramm, President Peggy Fitten, Robert Love. Missing from picture are Karen Crank, Robert Morrow, and Billy Hille.

(Lower right) The main duties of the Lillis Libs consist of shelving and checking books, together with assisting in other general work in the library. *First row:* Marjorie Fitzgerald, Margaret Bellinger, Sally Lemon, Peggy Arensberg. *Second row:* Mary Pat Richardson, Virginia O Connell, Kathryn Stark, and Jeanne Schmiedler. Missing from the picture is Josephine Patito.

(Below) Lillis members of the school dance band include Lawrence Boyle, who is next to the camera in the second row, and Richard Anthony, Joseph JoRay, Jerry Branch, and Henry Raach in the front row.





(Above) Four reasons why Lillis is the home of champs are senior cheerleaders Anna Lea Miller, Gertrude Loschke, Mary Ann Dutton, and Elma White.

## Speaking

(Below) Joan McGraw, sports manager, and Patricia O'Brien, president of the Girls Athletic Association, talk things over.



Here are the gals behind the boys behind those trophies—the Green Peppers! *First row:* M. Haynes, J. Lo Scalzo, C. Giblin, C. Patito, K. Stark, M. G. Connelly, B. De Witt, P. Fitten, M. Lafferty, N. Sandy, J. Leone, M. Welch. *Second row:* S. Mitchell, M. Heinen, A. O'Gorman, M. Smith, A. Rossato, M. Saily, P. Melching, M. Becker, P. McDonough, B. Small, P. O'Brien, D. Rogers, P. Cannon. *Third row:* S. Hartnett, D. Montgomery, M. Daniel, K. Reed, B. Caton, M. Watson, F. Burasco, R. Gross, P. Scheibmeir, H. Kneaves, H. Krenner, L. Armijo, S. Chagoyan, M. McClure, M. McCormick. *Fourth row:* P. McCarthy, N. Zammar, B. Bader, R. Roberts, P. Arensberg, A. Eden, L. Verde, L. Jenkins, J. Donahue, T. Lavelle, P. O'Brien, H. Maloney.





# of Sports



(Below) Margaret Moeller, G. A. A. treasurer, Pat McCarthy, vice-president, and Barbara Seller, secretary, discuss plans for the next meeting.



(Above) The pride and joy of the underclassmen are their smiling cheerleaders. First row: Juniors Jo Ann Schwobe, Cecilia Arnold, Doris Roots, Edna Jo Hasenzabl. Second row: sophomores Pat Smith, Connie McLaury, Mary Ann Lechtenberg, Pat Graham. Third row: freshmen Sheila Robrer, Louise Sullivan, Marian Koch, and Frances Hagen.

And the boys behind those trophies, the Lettermen themselves! First row: B. Gennette, P. Allegri, P. Hennessey, T. Fitzgerald, J. Schuh, B. Scott, J. McLaury, L. Chandlee, D. Martin, S. Saladino, B. Emerson, W. Peterson. Second row: H. Magerl, B. Barrett, J. Yurchak, B. O'Neill, G. DeLong, C. Geier, J. Humphrey, B. Zahner, B. Eagan, B. McMullen, D. Schleicher. Third row: J. Haefling, B. Lobb, B. Creagan, T. Geha, D. Griffith, T. Craney, J. McCready, L. Gaschen, L. Schleicher, B. Spring, R. Smith, M. Damico, E. Kane.





Jim McCready, Dick Donahue, Ed Dillon, Tom Geba and Jim Sullivan of 304 demonstrate how their "Casey at the Bat" took first place in the amateur hour for room 304.



For room 200 Julia Mullane, Joan Faberty, Phyllis Melching and Clare Grouney won second honors with a rendition of "Clear Water."

## Amateur Highlights



Comedy, tragedy, humor, pathos—but mostly just plain laughs—marked the passing of the seventh annual amateur hour last fall. Junior homerooms proved to be top merrymakers, taking first, second, and third honors.



(Upper left) Mighty Casey of 304 permits the feminine admirers who completed the cast to feel his famous biceps. (Lower center) The third-place "Dan McGrew" cast from 306, recline about the "saloon" in characteristic poses. (Lower left) Principals of 203's "Home Sweet Home" brought down the house with a skit on home life.



(Below) The second half of 200's second-place award was shared by these minstrels.





*Marjorie Fitzgerald puts finishing touches on her prize-winning Courtesy Campaign poster while Joe Burge kibitzes.*

## October Moods

*Meditation, prayer, conferences, Benediction—so ran the schedule of the fall retreat conducted by Rev. John Taylor, O.M.I.*



*Rev. Howard Rallenkotter, C.P., gives additional information on the newly organized vocation club to Rita Mabry, Joan Hutcheson, Pat Cannon and Shirley Mitchell.*



# Homecoming

*(Below) Pretties for the pretty from Walter Peterson, L-Club president.*



*(Above) The Green Peppers season school spirit at the Homecoming pep rally.*



*(Right) Buzzing the field at the C. Y. C. Stadium.*

*(Right) Ready for the pep rally and varin' to go.*



## Headlines

(Below) The Queen and her escort, John Halloran '45, at the dance.



(Above) Queen Virginia Rossato and her attendants, Gertrude Loscbke and Elma White.



(Left) Virginia Rossato is crowned queen as the feature of the Homecoming dance.



(Left) Helping to use up excess refreshments are Leo Schleicher, Jim McLaury, and Elma White, while Luann Jenkins and Nellie Irish serve.



## Carnival Time

And what would a carnival at Lillis be without that ever-popular popularity contest? Here are the 1946 winners, Jim Schub and Anna Lea Miller of 201.



It's brand new this year. Pictured is the baby contest that drew crowds to the auditorium November 12.

Identity unknown! She may not be a Lillisite, but she typifies that Irish 'spirit.



"He's gonna come out here," says Martha Nash, pointing out to Mary Gertrude Connelly and Pat Egan the mouse hole she's put her money on.



## *It's Friday Again*

*Carol La Noue, James Wynne, and Ruth Rininsland watch one more signature added to the list for Lillis's Friday adoration at the Benedictine Convent of Perpetual Adoration.*



## *Smiles in Style*

*The big six of the Mother's club who take their place at the head table with Father Francis are: Mrs. Joseph Ryan, historian; Mrs. R. E. Burge, treasurer; Mrs. J. T. Schofield, president; Mrs. John Heinen, vice-president; Mrs. W. T. Fitten, secretary; and Mrs. F. A. Lo Scalzo, auditor.*





## Into November



All things come to those who wait, especially after months of hard training and practice, and so the football squads indulged in a well-deserved feast on November 19. Humor as well as glory predominated when Stephen Gergeny, assistant coach from St. Benedict's, gave a lively after-dinner speech. The group of junior boys pictured to the left seem to have enjoyed the food as well as the talk.

Music filled the air November 20 as Lillis students presented their fall recital. Only the soloists are pictured here. *Third row:* Bernard Heshion, Jeanne Schmiedler, Maurice Bauman, and Lucy Armijo. *Second row:* Dolores Kenning, Betty Gredell, Jean Meehan, Martha Nash, and Harry Wiggins. *Seated:* Carol Breitenstein, Kathryn Haefling, Marguerite Kumro, and Bernadette Flannery. At the right of the piano are Eileen Roth, Eugene De Long, and Ann Hennessey. Chorus groups composed of seniors, juniors, and sophomores under the direction of Sister Agnes, Sister Audrey, and Sister Mary Cyril added talent to make the program a success.





# Play Daze



Memorable scenes from "Our Lady's Tumbler," one of the 3 one-act plays presented by the seniors November 25, show Bob Emerson as the tumbler, Danny Liston, the abbot, Dorothy Easterday, Our Lady, and Ralph Meyers, a young monk.

"He's a good boy, Jackie is," insists Joan Hutcheson as she looks at Pat Allegri, her son in "What Never Dies." Dolores Dix and Mary Gertrude Connelly, fellow laborers, aren't quite so confident.

That's an unseen '47 Buick Joe Reutter is driving in "The Happy Journey." Sitting beside him is Norma De Graeves, while backseat drivers are Betty Ann Lillig and Joe Burge. John Ramm is the unconcerned stage manager.





*All for Our Lady of Einsiedeln. The December 8 program, with Mary Margaret Kaiser as the Blessed Virgin.*



*Not the "Night before Christmas" but the day before vacation, four seniors pack baskets for the poor.*

## Remember

*(Below) Joe Stockard leads the other priests-for-a-moment in the procession for the December 8 program.*



*(Above) "All is calm, all is bright" as Regina Schroeger and Lawrence Boyle take the roles of Mary and Joseph in the Christmas play.*



*(Below) Walter Peterson and Kathryn Stark reign as king and queen over the cast of "Good King Wenceslaus," the Christmas play.*



*(Above) The team's ready to shove off in the bus purchased for the school by the Dads club during the Christmas holidays. Left to right are Emerson, McLaury, Peterson, Mosnick, Lobb, Quigley, Spring and Yurchak.*

## December

*Christmas in the clock room.*



*(Below) The men behind the buying of the bus discuss other plans. Dads club officers looking into the future with Father Francis are T. F. Nash, J. P. Rogers, and W. W. Gamm.*





## *Homeward Bound*

Take one maiden aunt, plus one Amos Molecule, inventor of strange gadgets. Add just enough co-eds to make the mixture light and gay. Place on Cocos Isle for a week of adventurous treasure hunting. Frost with a mixture of mutineers just awakened from a two-century sleep. The result—"Rio Rico," this year's operetta.

Chuckle-catchers were numerous . . . Joan Hutcheson with her lessons in dancing and grammar . . . John Ramm as the Black Spider, leading Neal Costello, Eugene Carroll and Walter Peterson in the ballet . . . Mike Damico driving his high-powered bicycle . . . the

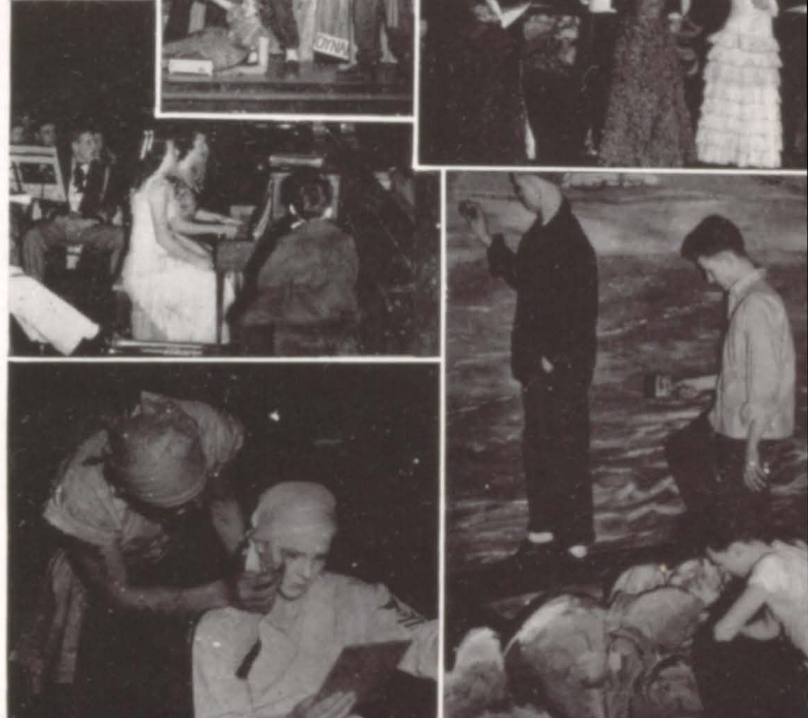


## From "Rio Rico"

ghostly laugh of Pat Hennessey.

Never-to-be-forgotten was Jean Meehan's singing of "Look Up Darkies and Sing" which won her an encore every performance.

Leads were played by Eileen Roth as a rich debutante and Bob Lobb as the campus radio announcer. Lewis Morgan, sponsor of the treasure-hunt, was Joseph Reutter. Brighton students were Connie Giblin, Doris Roots, and William Cushing. Bill Burton, alias Bernard Heshion, was the radio operator of the yacht.





## *Erin Go Braugh*

It was a great day for the Irish March 16 when students and friends packed the auditorium for the annual St. Patrick's program. Presented exclusively by the freshmen, the program featured lilting Irish melodies and gay folk dances. The "luck of the Irish" wasn't too prominent, however, for an epidemic of influenza which had descended upon the school sent a great number of the cast to bed for the occasion. But with persistence typical of the saint, the freshmen came through with a program memorable for its life and color.



## *Chorus Scores Hit*



After rating top honors at the music festival at St. Teresa's March 7, the mixed chorus pictured at the left went on to sing at the music convention held at the college later this spring.

## Chapel — '47

Getting things ready for the workmen to convert the Lillistrator room into a school chapel are Bob Emerson, Rita Fromholtz, Jim Schuh, and Pat Callahan, members of the senior gift committee. Callahan was chairman of the group, which made arrangements for the chapel, gift to the school from the 1947 seniors.



## Time Out

The second retreat of the year and the last at Lillis for the seniors was conducted this spring by Rev. Fred Mann, C. Ss. R., of Wichita, Kansas.

## "Date Bait"

To help defray expenses on the new chapel, the seniors presented a second class play, "Date Bait," this spring. Here the cast groans during practice as Joe Burge demonstrates his new skill on the clarinet. *Standing:* Teresa McShane, Ward McDonald, Bill Ramm, George Fox, Neal Costello, Jim Schuh, and Harry Jones. *Seated:* Gertrude Loschke, Eileen Stegeman, Theresa Spittle, and Betty Roth.



## Last Things Are Best



Looking toward the climax of the year's activities are these Sodality and Holy Name officers. First row: Mary Gertrude Connelly, Eileen Roth, Sodality prefect, Walter Peterson, Holy Name president, and Harry Jones. Second row: Kathryn Stark, Jeanne Schmiedler, Howard Magerl, John Ramm.

May, month of the Blessed Mother, of the prom, of commencement, brings with it every year the climax of Lillis's activities—and a wave of sadness that once more another year has passed and another class must go.

This year the first weeks of May recorded the moment on May 1 when Eileen Roth, Sodality prefect, offered to Our Lady a crown of flowers in the name of the whole student body and the hour on the evening of May 9 when the doors of the auditorium opened for the grand march into a fairyland of a million stars.

Now there is left for the seniors just one more of the "big" days—May 27—Commencement Day—and with it the beginning of the years beyond.

Surrounded by helpers on the prom committee, co-chairmen Jim Haebling and Betty Bates make plans for the long-awaited evening. Seated: Barbara Seller, Jim Haebling, Betty Bates, Luann Jenkins. Standing: Pat O'Brien, Dan Larson, James Sullivan, Kathleen Dorian.



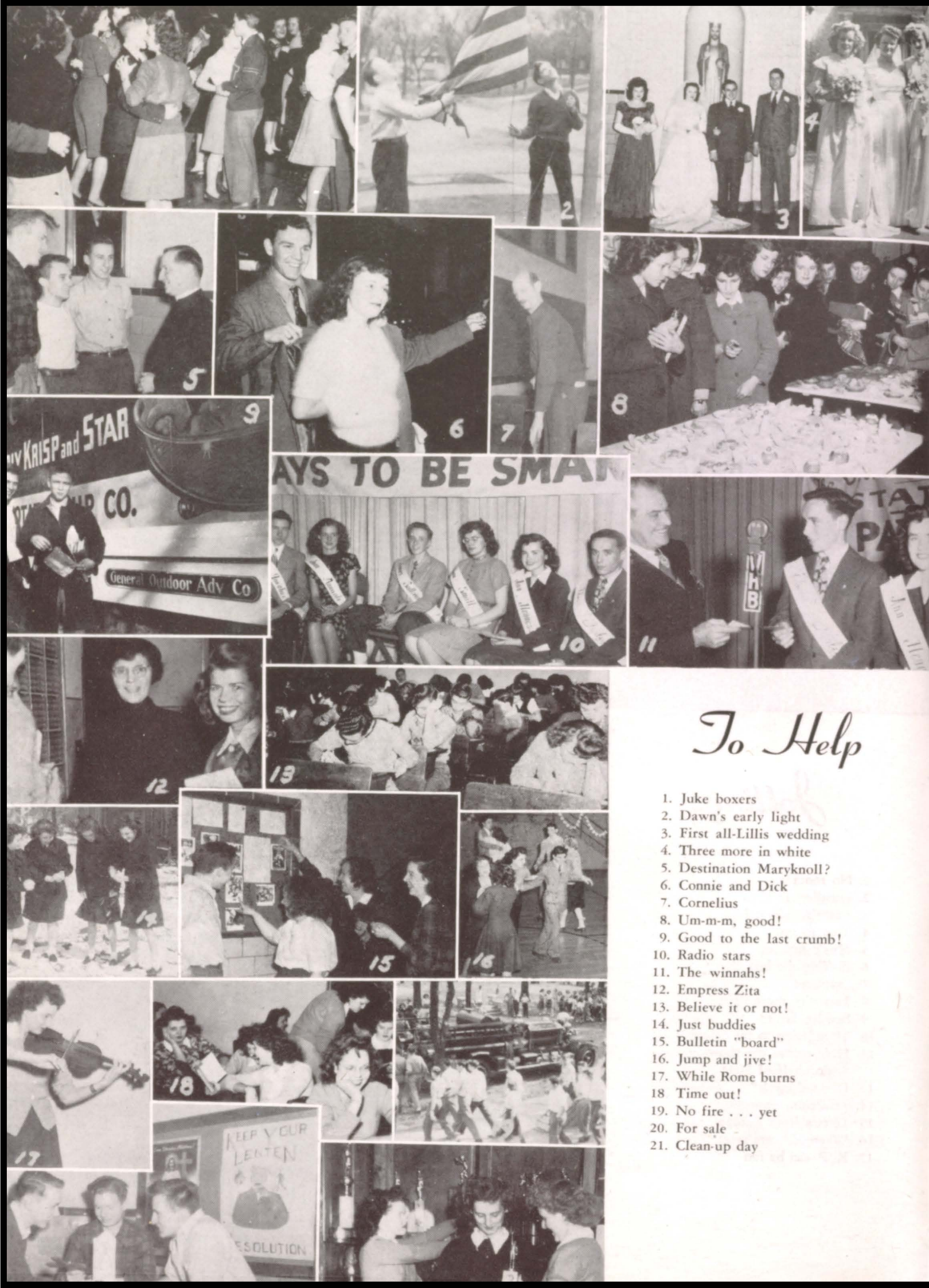




## Jottings

1. No room
2. Hustling to class
3. Learning about *Life*
4. Two to one
5. Music makers
6. Buffing the bus
7. Surprise!
8. Less dirt, more light
9. Sewing Susies
10. Thundering to the cafeteria
11. Here comes the snow
12. Senior hall of fame
13. Don't drop it!
14. Aquarium quorum
15. Letters from Europe
16. When old cars meet
17. K. P. can be fun





## To Help

1. Juke boxers
2. Dawn's early light
3. First all-Lillis wedding
4. Three more in white
5. Destination Maryknoll?
6. Connie and Dick
7. Cornelius
8. Um-m-m, good!
9. Good to the last crumb!
10. Radio stars
11. The winnahs!
12. Empress Zita
13. Believe it or not!
14. Just buddies
15. Bulletin "board"
16. Jump and jive!
17. While Rome burns
18. Time out!
19. No fire . . . yet
20. For sale
21. Clean-up day



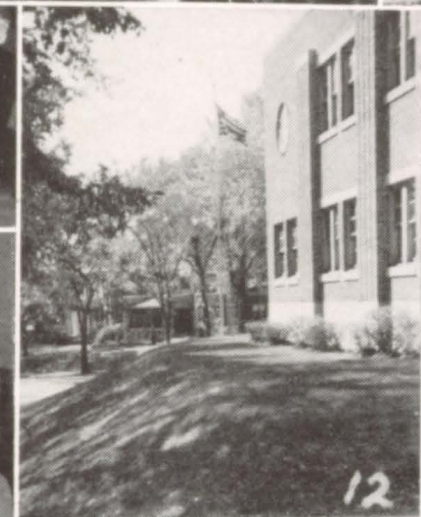
# Recall

1. "We'll do our best"
2. No anti-freeze?
3. Whom do we assassinate?
4. "Cheer, cheer, for—"
5. On the road again
6. Gymnastics
7. On the way to a game
8. All-aboard
9. Basketeers banquet
10. All for a good cause
11. Pepsi Cola scholarship
12. Watch that gal
13. Lettermen feast
14. Rockhill Road—Friday
15. Chapel plans
16. No ticket—no game
17. It's not that bad!
18. Bishops visit



# The Work

1. Across the way
2. School's out
3. Really? . . . . How?
4. Eighth hour
5. Power behind Coach
6. What's cookin'?
7. We give thee thanks
8. Exit stag line
9. Coach Leo
10. Twenty-cent special
11. Radio technicians
12. Side view
13. Dual personalities
14. Sno—fun
15. Clock wise
16. Construction Inc.
17. After hours
18. Just posing
19. Lillistrator—soon
20. C. P. C. at ease
21. Dance intermission



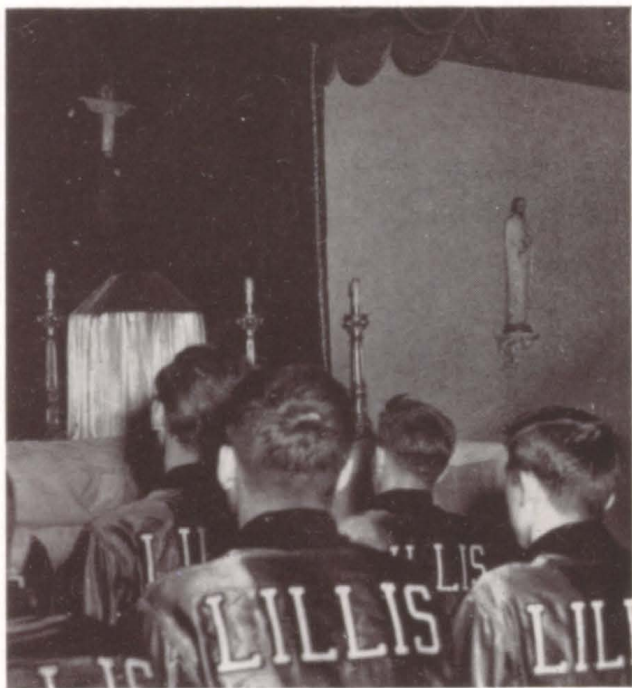
# And Fun

1. This isn't allowed
2. Blue slips
3. The working man
4. Dinner time
5. Line forms to the right
6. No lessons either
7. Interesting?
8. What's your order?
9. At 3:35 p.m.
10. L-club dance
11. What's cookin'?
12. More cooks
13. Seven of the Lost Eleven
14. Just Irish
15. Remember—
16. Just pretending
17. Take it easy!
18. Acrobats?
19. To the office . . . Why?





Byron  
Chambers



*At Play*



*Ut In Omnibus*

*Glorificetur Deus*

*"All work and no play" is a motto that carries little weight at Lillis, for with athletics of all sorts constantly on the go, students give much of their spare time to competitive play. And while the teams exhibit their skill and fighting spirit on the field, cheering rooters in the stands make sports an all-Lillis activity.*

*All this talk of battles on the gridiron or court seems at first glance a direct contradiction to the spirit of Benedictinism, for the sons of St. Benedict have ever placed on their banners the one word "Pax." Still, saints are, above all others, warriors, and St. Bernard, one of the greatest of Benedict's sons, wore a very warlike countenance in the days when he set out to draw men to what was truly a battle of a century — the crusades. St. Bernard's crusading spirit, which knew that the love of Christ was worth every sacrifice, has not died. Whether on top of the heap, where she has often stood, or on the bottom, where years to come may yet place her, Lillis rejoices in her proudly claimed trophies and more than all else in the fine record of clean sportsmanship which accompanies her teams wherever they go.*



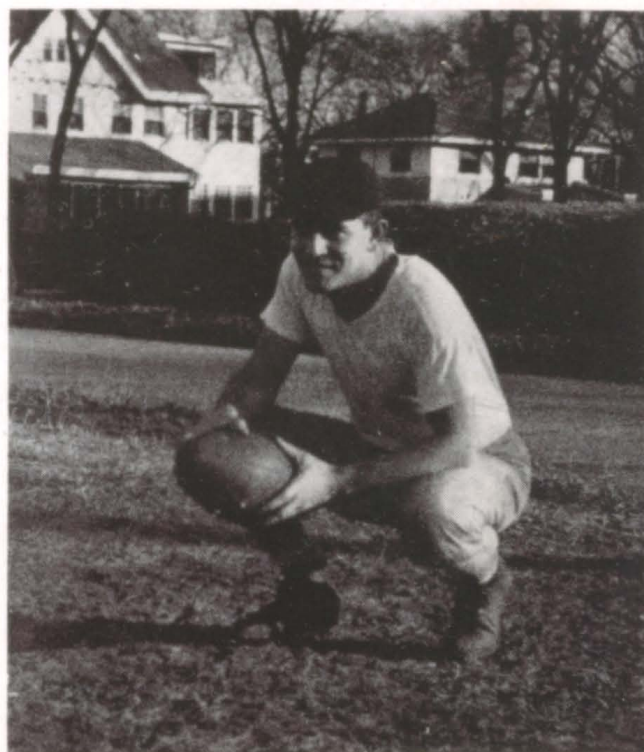
*The first half of the Rockhurst-Lillis game was all Irish, as this action shot may disclose. John Yurchak chucked the ball to Howard Magerl for a 12-yard gain on the pass and 20 more that Howard picked up running.*

## Grid Glances

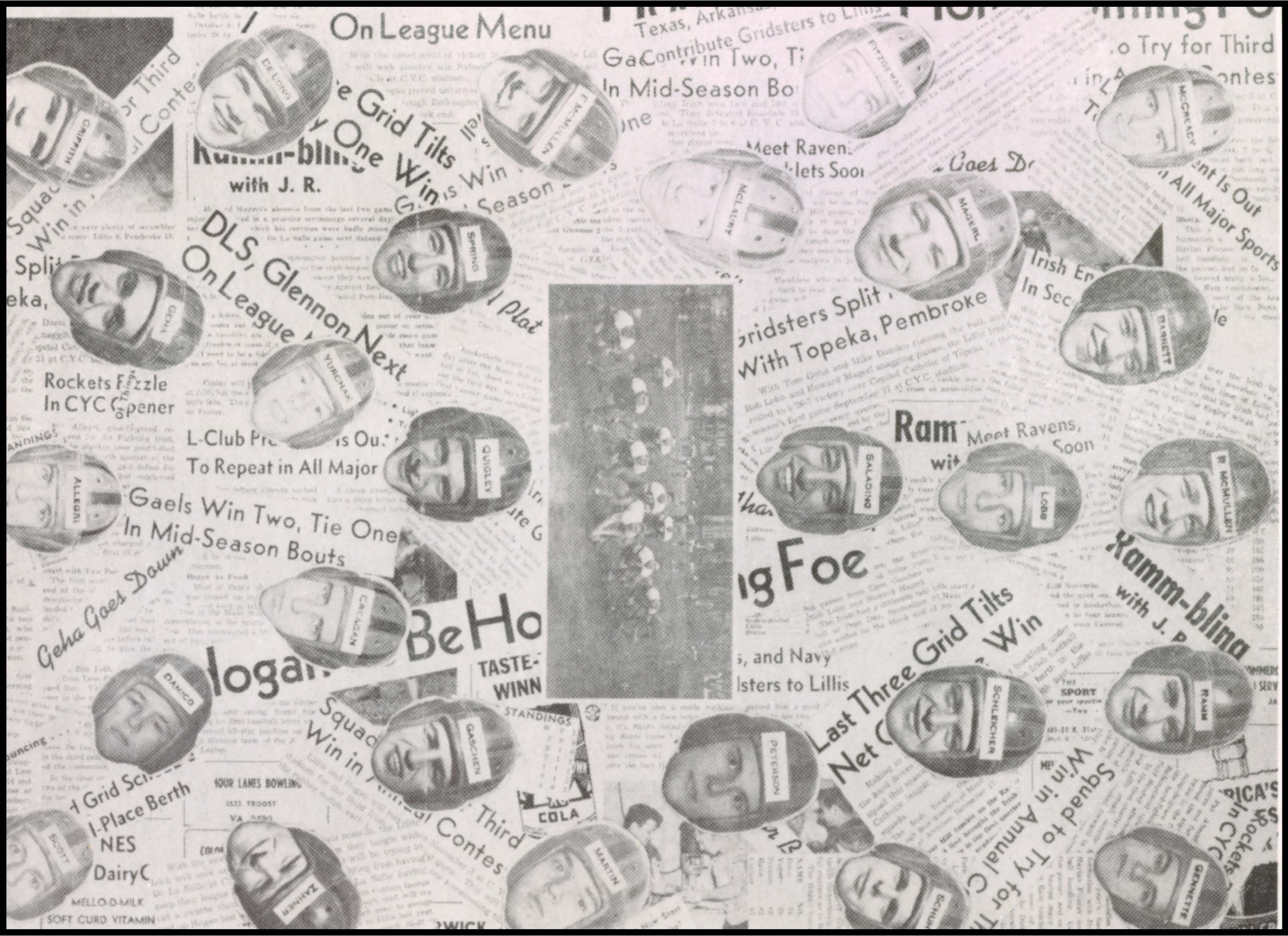
The 1946 edition of Lillis football history retold the story of previous years, since once again a second-place berth was the best Lillis could claim. Heading for a championship with a clean slate, the Irish ran into Rockhurst and were bumped into second place by a fighting Hawklet eleven who overcame the 18-0 half-time lead of the Irish and came down the finish line 25-18 victors. The season's total for Lillis was five wins, three losses, and one tie.

	Opponent	Lillis
Topeka Catholic	7	26
Pem-Day	13	0
Redemptorist	0	28
De La Salle	6	7
Glennon	0	0
Rosedale	6	13
Hogan	6	7
Rockhurst	25	18
Maur Hill	26	0

*Coach John Readecker, the power behind the football squad and the basketball and baseball teams as well as the tennis, golf, and track squads.*







# On League Menu

With the sweet scent of victory in the air, the team will seek another win this week at C.Y.C. stadium.

## Grid Tilts to One Win in Season

with J. R. ... The absence of the last two games in a practice scrimmage several days ago which his services were badly missed.

## DLS, Glennon Next On League

... idea out of your mind. You can't win if you don't play.

## L-Club Prep to Repeat in All Major

... letters already tucked. A clean sweep is a possibility.

## Gaels Win Two, Tie One In Mid-Season Bouts

... The first year-end of the season was a disappointing one for the team.

## Be Ho

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Grid S... Place Berth

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Contribute Gridsters to Lillis

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Meet Ravens, Lets Soon

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Gridsters Split With Topeka, Pembroke

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Ram

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

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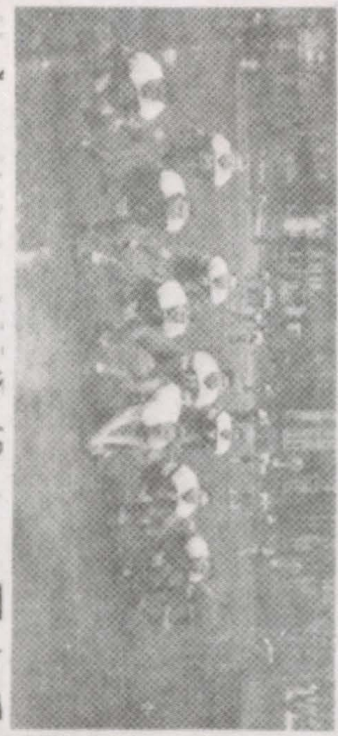
... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Last Three Grid Tilts

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Squad to Try for

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.



## Squad Win in

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Rockets Fizzle In CYC Opener

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Gaels Goes Down

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## logan

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Grid S... Place Berth

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## DairyC

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## MELLO-D-MILK

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Try for Third

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## ent Is Out

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## In Sec

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Meet Ravens, Soon

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Ramm-blina

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Net C... Win

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

## Squad to Try for

... The team's performance was a mix of highs and lows.

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Presenting—the Irish varsity! *First row:* Schuh, Quigley, Meyers, Hennessey, Damico, Spring, Saladino. *Second row:* Magerl, Ramm, Barrett, Schleicher, Gennette, Glenn, Peterson. *Third row:* Coach Readecker, Gaschen, Yurchak, McLaury, B. McMullen, Martin, Allegri, Geha. *Fourth row:* Humphrey, O'Connell, McCready, Seibolt, Donahue, Griffith. *Fifth row:* DeLong, Heshion, Scott, Gregg, E. McMullen, Fitzgerald.

## *Hike... 1... 2... 3... 4*

*Coach turns prophet as he warns, "They'll come like a house afire." His words proved only too true. The half score was 18 to 0; the final, 18 to 25—Rockburst.*

The spirit of the year's team was summed up by Coach Readecker when he said, "There are no stars on my ball club this year—just eleven ball players." Six gridmen from Lillis gained a place on the C. Y. C. second team all-stars. They were Gennette, Barrett, Magerl, Gaschen, Schleicher, and Yurchak. The other five starting players were: Ramm, Glenn, Lobb, Geha, and McCready.





*Richard Diebold pulls the ball out of the air in the second quarter of the Lillis-Rockburst game at C. Y. C.*

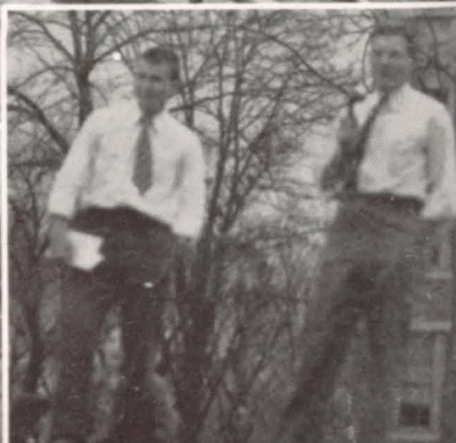
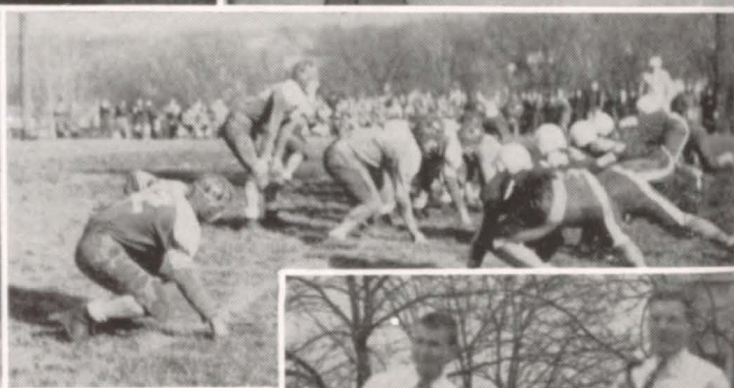
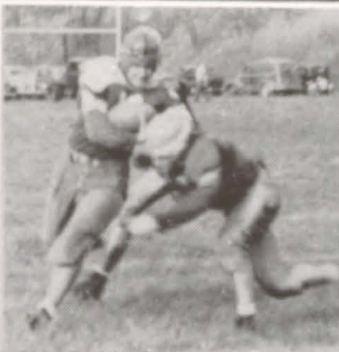
## The Infant Irish

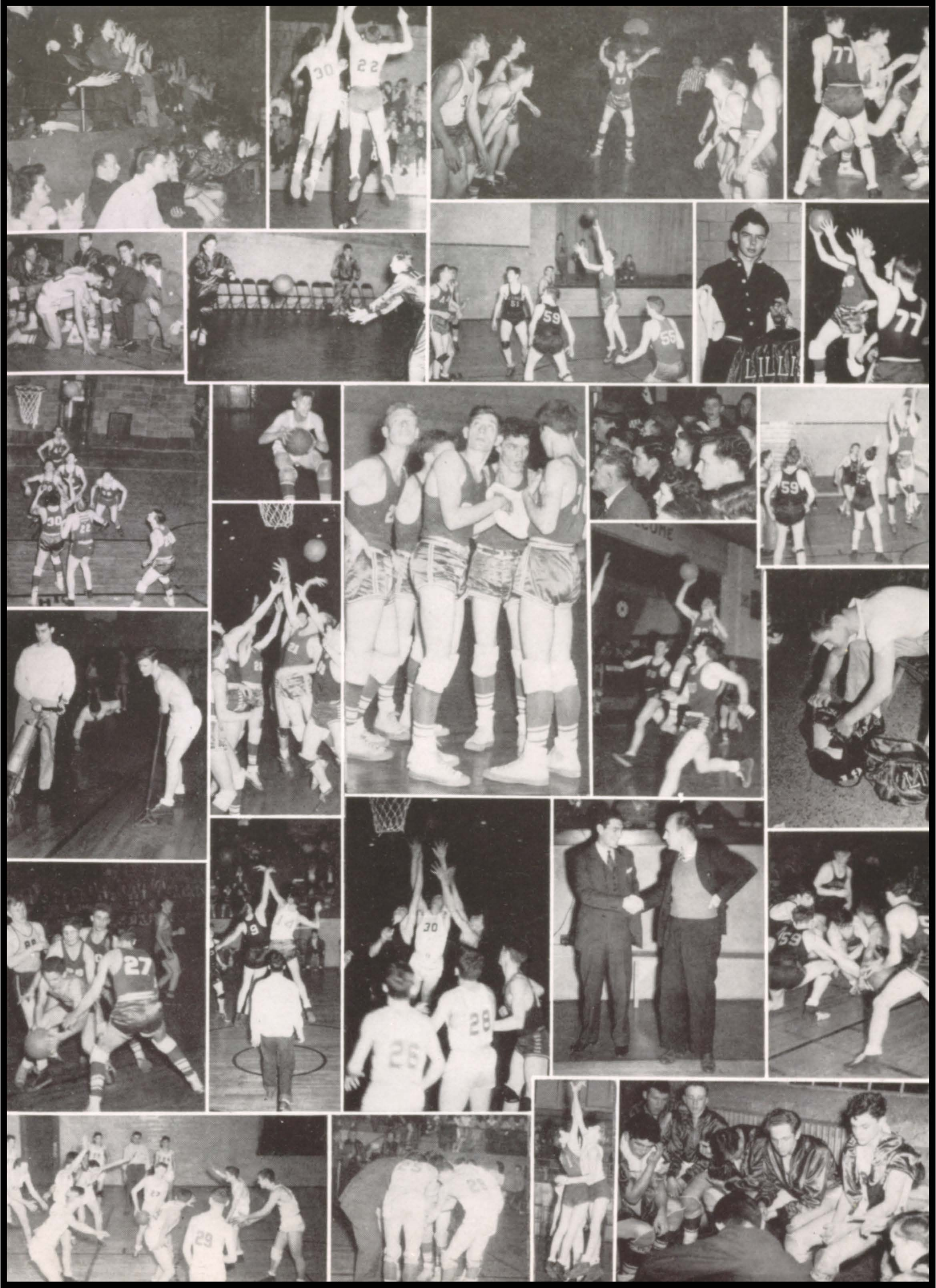
Surpassing the varsity in every field the freshman-sophomore squad went undefeated, untied, and unscored upon for the 1946 season. Cleaning up their five league foes, Leo Loschke's boys also beat St. Agnes to wind up their schedule with an unmarred record.

Starting backs for the squad were Schleicher, Kane, Barrett, and Diebold. Clearing the path to the goal posts were Loschke, Watkins, McCarthy, Shepherd, Schmidt, Rice, and Denning.

Here are the frosh-soph gridsters. *First row:* Harrison, Martin, Algaier, McCaffery, Lyons, Holder. *Second row:* Lonegan, Prothman, Arensberg, Morgan, McCarthy, Stetzer, Eskew, Johnson, Wynne, Smith. *Third row:* Shackelford, Shepherd, Connelly, Wiswell, Diebold, Schleicher, Kane, Barrett, Fitzgerald, Schuh, JoRay, Sanders. *Fourth row:* Watkins, Gladbach, Shepherd, Schmidt, Coach Loschke, Rice, Denning, Loschke.







# Hardwood History

The ball dropped through the hoop, the whistle sounded, and it was all over. Lillis had lost to De La Salle 36 to 38, and with the defeat went all hopes of continuing the string of first-place championships that began with the first Irish varsity. Besides two losses to De La Salle the Lillis quintet took a single defeat at the hands of Rockhurst to tie with that team for second place.

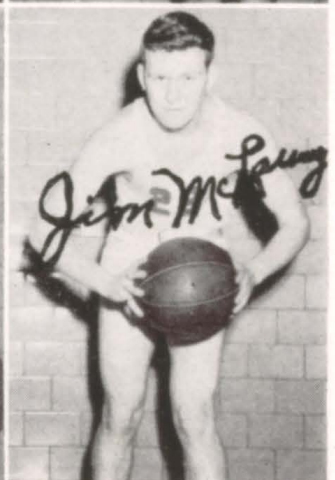
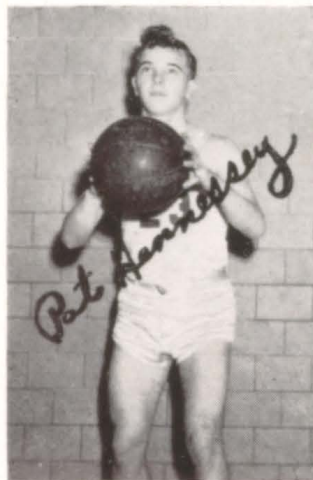
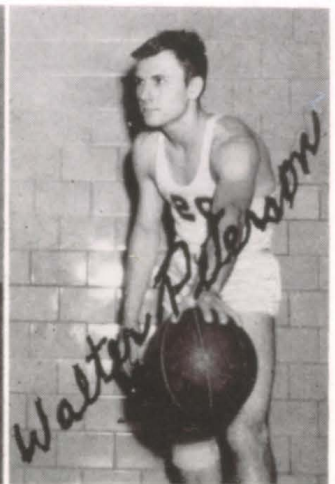
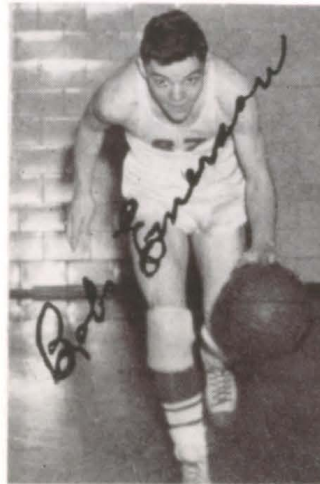
Pat Allegri, senior who paced the quintet through the season, was high scorer for the league and merited center berth on the all-star team. Bob Lobb, John Yurchak, Leon Gaschen, and Leo Schleicher placed on the second team. All four are juniors and will make a strong bid next year at reclaiming the first-place championship.

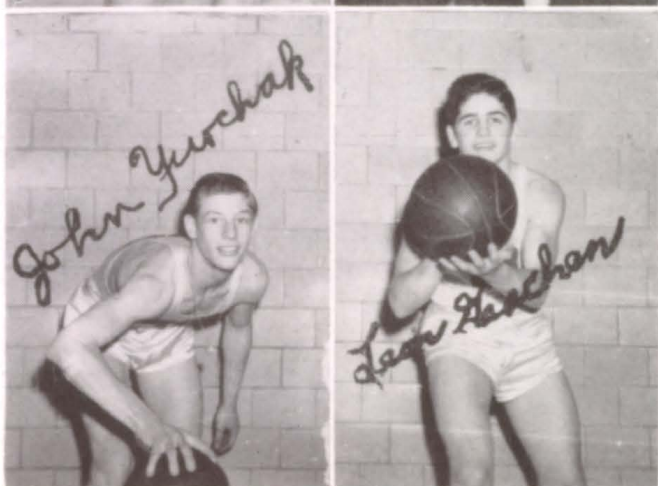
Five other senior boys bowed out of Lillis athletics on the basketball court. They were Bob Emerson, Walter Peterson, Pat Hennessey, Jim McLaury, and John Ramm.

All together these boys made up a combination that gave most of the teams in the league a run for their money, the season's three losses netting the opposition a margin of only eleven points. The ten league games gave the Irish 413 points to their opponents' 351.

## In the League

	Lillis	Opponent
Rockhurst	38	33
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Glennon	54	38
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Hogan	42	19
Glennon	52	51
Redemptorist	47	41





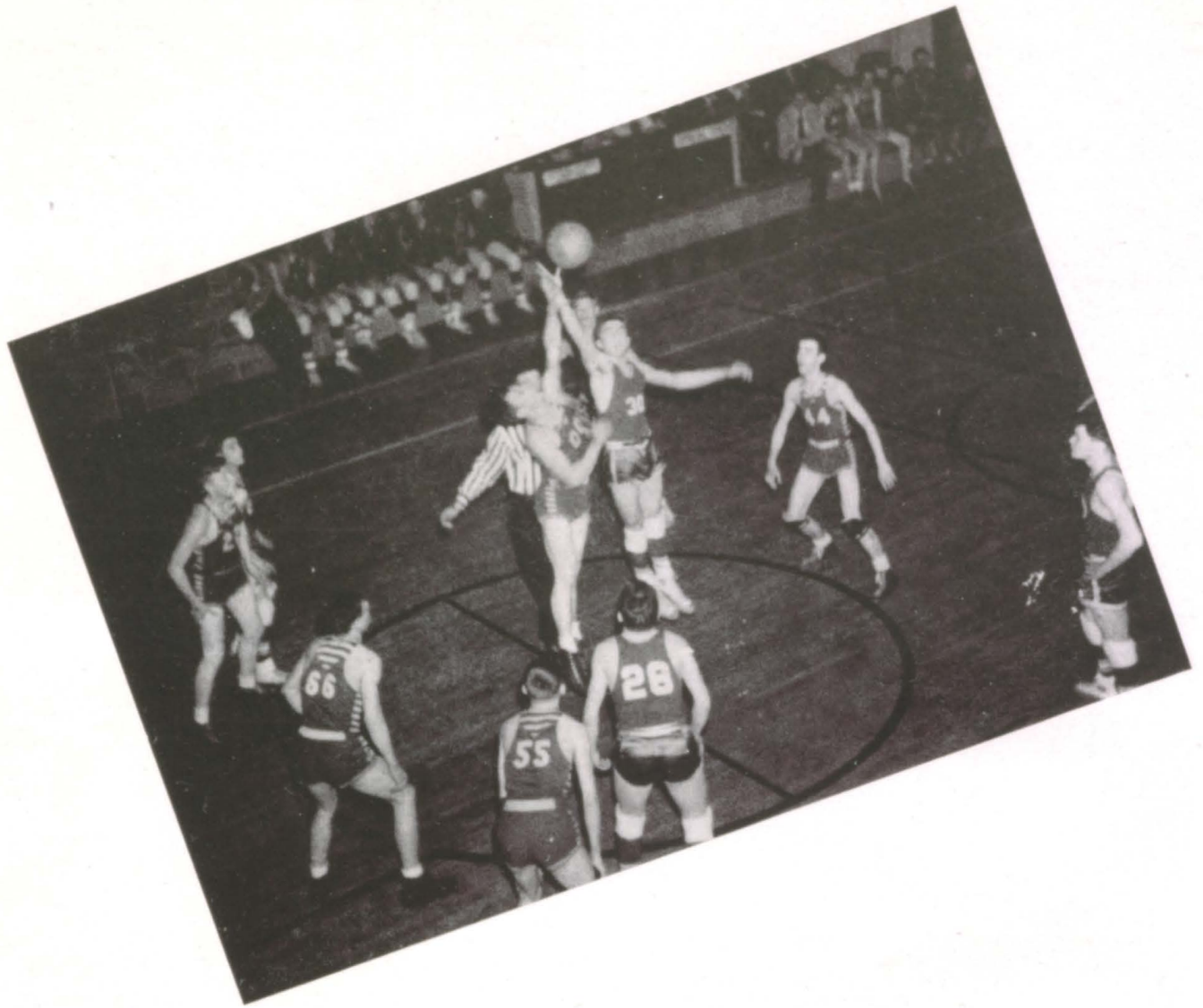
*And Outside*

	Lillis	Opponent
Immaculata	40	43
Southeast	38	25
Pem Day	26	24
Central	38	55
Maur Hill	29	23
Immaculata	23	25
Buckner	46	29
Lee's Summit	40	51
Center	34	31
De La Salle	41	20
North Kansas City	29	32

Despite much stiff competition in the non-league games Lillis came out ahead with six wins and five losses to total 368 points to the opposition's 326 in eleven starts. Two new trophies were lined up on the first-floor shelves by the varsity squad, both being gained outside the league. First contributor was the annual Blue Springs tournament, which added a good-sportsmanship award to the Irish collection and paved the way for more to come.

From the sub-regional tournament, which saw Center and De La Salle fall before the victorious march of the Green and White, came a second-place trophy, plus the pleasure of wiping out De La Salle's league advantage of eight points by a 41-20 whipping. Advancing to the finals to face North Kansas City and envisioning a trip to the regionals at Warrensburg, the Irish were bumped hard by the new champions, coming out three points short in the final score.

Probably the most exciting non-league game of the season was the 26-24 victory over a hot Pem-Day team in the Irish gym. Only double defeat of the year in non-league ball was that administered by Immaculata of Leavenworth.



*Allegri gets the jump as Leo Schleicher, Leon Gaschen, and Bob Emerson wait for the tip in the 46-29 victory over Buckner at the Blue Springs tournament.*



# Champs Again

Struggling through the season, the Irish "B" team after a hard pull, finally clinched the championship with successive victories over Glennon, Redemptorist, and Hogan. Although they dropped two of their ten games the Fighting Irish pulled through and showed power in the stretch.

Hogan and Rockhurst claimed victories over the Irish but fell before the onrush of the "B" team in return games. Hogan caught the juniors as cold as ice and drew first blood 19 to 13, Rockhurst afterwards going on a scoring rampage to down the Irish 33 to 29, but the Lillis reserves more than evened the score in late-season encounters.

Leading the scorers were Tom Craney, Jim Humphrey, Jack Quigley, and Bob O'Neill. Chuck O'Connell and Tom Geha also helped carry the scoring burden. The starting five included Tom Geha, and Jack Quigley, forwards, Bob O'Neill, center, and Jim Humphrey, and Jim McCready, guards.



*Dick Smith brings down the ball on a rebound in a Redemptorist game, while Bob Spring and Bob O'Neill wait for the outcome.*

The junior champs pose at the season's end. *First row:* Tom Geha, Bob Creagan, Chuck O'Connell, Jim McCready, Bob Spring, Jim Sullivan. *Second row:* Coach Readecker, Dick Smith, Tom Craney, Bob O'Neill, Jim Humphrey, Lawrence Mosnick, Joe Stockard.





Harold Schleicher cuts the cords and contributes two more points to his team's victory over Glennon. The sophomore league champions include, *first row*: Harold Schleicher, Norman Wiswell, LeRoy Coulter, Lucien Anthony, Eugene Livingston, Jack Eskew, Robert O'Toole. *Second row*: Coach Readecker, Bob McMullen, James Rice, Bob Loschke, Bob Watkins, Paul Boyd, David Wiley.

## Champs Coming Up!

Coach Readecker's varsity and B Team will find much support next year when reinforcements advance from the ranks of the sophomore chaps, whose undefeated record in basketball matched their gridiron season. The starting five consisted of LeRoy Coulter, Jack Eskew, Bob Loschke, Harold Schleicher, and Bob McMullen. Coulter and Loschke were the leading scorers.

Although not enjoying as fruitful a season as the three upper teams, the freshman basketball players showed that in three years the Irish may have some more contenders for the Catholic league championship. Danny Connelly and Nathan Goth, the leading scorers, together with LeRoy Barrett, Bill Danaher, and Tommy Fitzgerald made up the starting quintet.

Peanuts O'Brien shoots, much to the consternation of a nearby Rockhurst player, while Nathan Goth and Danny Connelly wait watchfully for the rebound. Freshman basketeers include, *first row*: Bill O'Brien, Ervin Dreiling, Raymond Shepherd, Richard Welhoelter, Tommy Allegri, Harry Harrison, George Ranallo. *Second row*: Tommy JoRay, Danny Connelly, LeRoy Barrett, Nathan Goth, Tommy Fitzgerald, Coach Leo Loschke, Manager Bob Foster.





School champions in the 1947 intramurals were 202's Hot Dogs. *First row:* James Heshion, Bob Spring, Bob Lobb. *Second row:* Leo Schleicher, Bob Creagan, Charles Geier, Paul Kirk.



Senior winners from 204 are, *first row:* Ralph Meyers, Santo Saladino, Dan Liston, Bob Emerson, Joe Burge. *Second row:* Jim Sterbenz, Pat Allegri, Tim Fitzgerald, Jim McLaury, Tom Farley.

## Intramurals, 1947 Variety

In the annual intramural basketball tournament, junior homeroom 202 carried a scoring punch heavy enough to claim the school championship by defeating the seniors of 204 by a score of 22 to 19 and the sophomore champs of 402 by a 26-18 count.

Although trailing by a 4-point margin at the half of the senior game the juniors started piling up points and pulled to a safe lead which was

threatened only once in the third quarter. In the final game the sophomores put up a good battle but were ousted by point-makers Schleicher and Lobb, whose long shots had also spelled defeat for the seniors. The underclassmen forged ahead under the lead of Bob McMullen and Harold Schleicher, but withered under the champions' basket hitting.

Sophomore champs from 402 are, *first row:* Jack Eskew, Harold Schleicher, Charles Weinzerl, Tom Callahan. *Second row:* Bob Zahner, Bob McMullen, Joe Pfeifauf, Norman Wiswell.

The Moles of 405, who won the frosh competition are, *first row:* Raymond Shepherd, Tom Fitzgerald, Dan Connelly, Jerry Morgan. *Second row:* Leo Schuty, John Burge, Bill Danaher, James Lyons.





## With Bat and Ball

Reputed to be the strongest club in the Catholic League, the boys with the bats and balls are led by six returning lettermen. Pitchers Jim McCready and Walter Peterson, infielders Bob Emerson, Bob Lobb, and Leon Gaschen, and outfielder Bob Gennette, form the nucleus around which Coach Readecker has built his team.

After several seasons in the runner-up brackets the squad shows promise of coming out on top in its 16-game schedule, which includes 10 league games, plus contests with Pem Day, Maur Hill, and North Kansas City.

The players in the picture include: Bob Emerson, upper left, showing his batting form; Bob Gennette, upper right, in a contemplative mood; Walter Peterson, left center, demonstrating the pitching that makes him a winner; John Yurchak, right center, in a tense moment early in the season; Tom Geha, lower left, going up after a high one; Leon Gaschen, lower right, at bat.

Members of the varsity squad include:  
*First row:* Pat Hennessey, LeRoy Coulter, Leon Gaschen, Leo Schleicher, Harold Schleicher, Eugene Livingston. *Second row:* Bob McMullen, James McCready, Tim Fitzgerald, Tom Geha, Bob Gennette, Bob Emerson, Bob Barrett. *Third row:* Coach Readecker, Bob Spring, Walter Peterson, Jim Krekovich, Bob Loschke, Bob Lobb, John Yurchak.



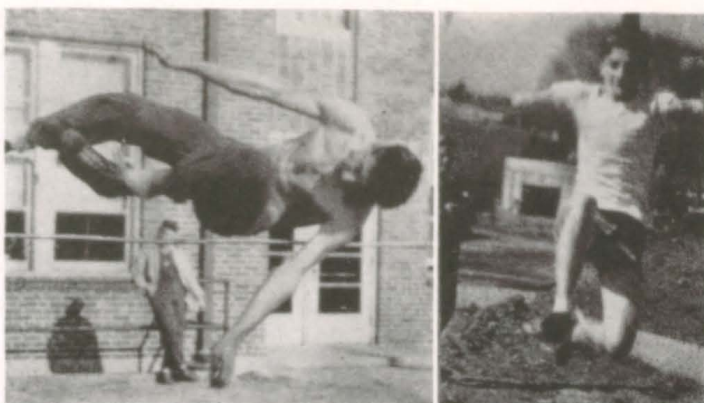
# As Cinders Fly

Although the only school in the Catholic League to have a track schedule, the Lillis Irish can sport four lettermen from last year's team. Starting on April 1 at Bonner Springs, the Irish continue to Ward High, April 23, and thence to the St. Joe Relays, two days later. Ready to spark the tracksters are Tom Geha, Gene Kane, Jack Quigley, and Paul Kirk, the four veterans.

In the pictures, Pat Allegri, upper left, is stopped in mid-air after a high jump. Jack Quigley, upper right, is headed for a fall in the broad jump. Cindermen Tom Geha and Eugene Kane, left center, score 3 and 5 points respectively for the Irish in a dual meet with Bonner Springs.

In the shot at right center, Dick Donahue, Mike Damico, and Paul Kirk are coming in for a fast finish, while Bob Barrett, lower left, comes back to earth after a pole vault and hurdler Elrod Wilson, lower right, pauses in mid-air.

Below, the entire team includes, *first row:* Mike Damico, Elrod Wilson, Clem Denning, Wilfred Schmitt, Eugene Kane, Bernard Heshion, Pat Campbell, Jim Heshion. *Second row:* Jack Quigley, Pat Callahan, Bill McCarthy, Bob Barrett, Bob McMullen, Eugene DeLong, Carl Bohumil, James Conrick. *Third row:* Tom Geha, Coach Readecker, Bob Lobb, Pat Allegri, Dick Donahue, Jim Sterbenz, David Griffith, Dick Diebold, Jim Gladbach, Charles Geier, and Raymond Gregg.

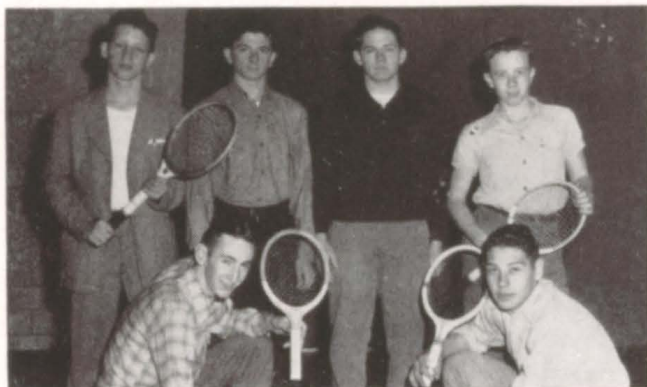


# On Court and Green



*That's a victory smile the golfers are wearing. First row: James Humphrey, Chuck O'Connell. Second row: Leo Schleicher, Bob Gennette, Leon Gaschen.*

*Ready to oppose the season's challengers are these tennis hopefuls: First row: Eugene Carroll, Joe Stockard. Second row: Hale Dougherty, Jack Quigley, James Eacock, James Sullivan.*



Not to be outdone by other spring sports fans, the tennis team under Father Francis and the golfers under Coach Readecker have been trying to repeat or improve upon last year's record. Both teams are composed largely of members from past squads.

The schedule this year follows closely that of previous years, May 15 being the date of the league meet for both teams. The final weeks of the month will see the official closing of the minor spring sports.

*Rain was holding up golf practice, so Leo Schleicher tries a shot with Jim Humphrey as tee and Chuck O'Connell as caddie. Jack Quigley readies for Jim Eacock's return in a practice session in tennis.*





## The Girls Take Over

Junior all-stars and school champs include: *First row:* Pat O'Brien, Pat McCarthy, Barbara Seller, Helen Pils, Joann Munagle, Jo Ann Warner. *Second row:* Frances Laughlin, Joan McGraw, Edna Jo Hasenzahl, Helen Maloney, Theresa Streit, Doris Roots.

On the rare days this winter when the 3:30 bell didn't find the gym filled with boys, the girls took over for class basketball tournaments. Each class held eliminations, the nine o'clock junior division coming out on top. Then seniors, juniors, sophs, and frosh chose all-star teams and the play-offs proved that the juniors were again school champions.

Runners-up for the championship were these seniors: *First row:* Theresa Spittle, Betty Roth, Kathryn Stark, Mary Ellen Quinn, Jeanne Schmiedler, Pauline Ray. *Second row:* Gertrude Loschke, Rose Marie Koss, Lucille Flannery, Rose Ellen Felling, Margaret Dorian.



*Some of the fast action which prevailed in the after school tournaments between the girls' gym classes is demonstrated by juniors and seniors in the all-star championship game at the left.*



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*Lillis Dads went domestic again this year when they washed dishes in the school kitchen for their annual Open House, held March 31, in conjunction with the religion contest.*





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