



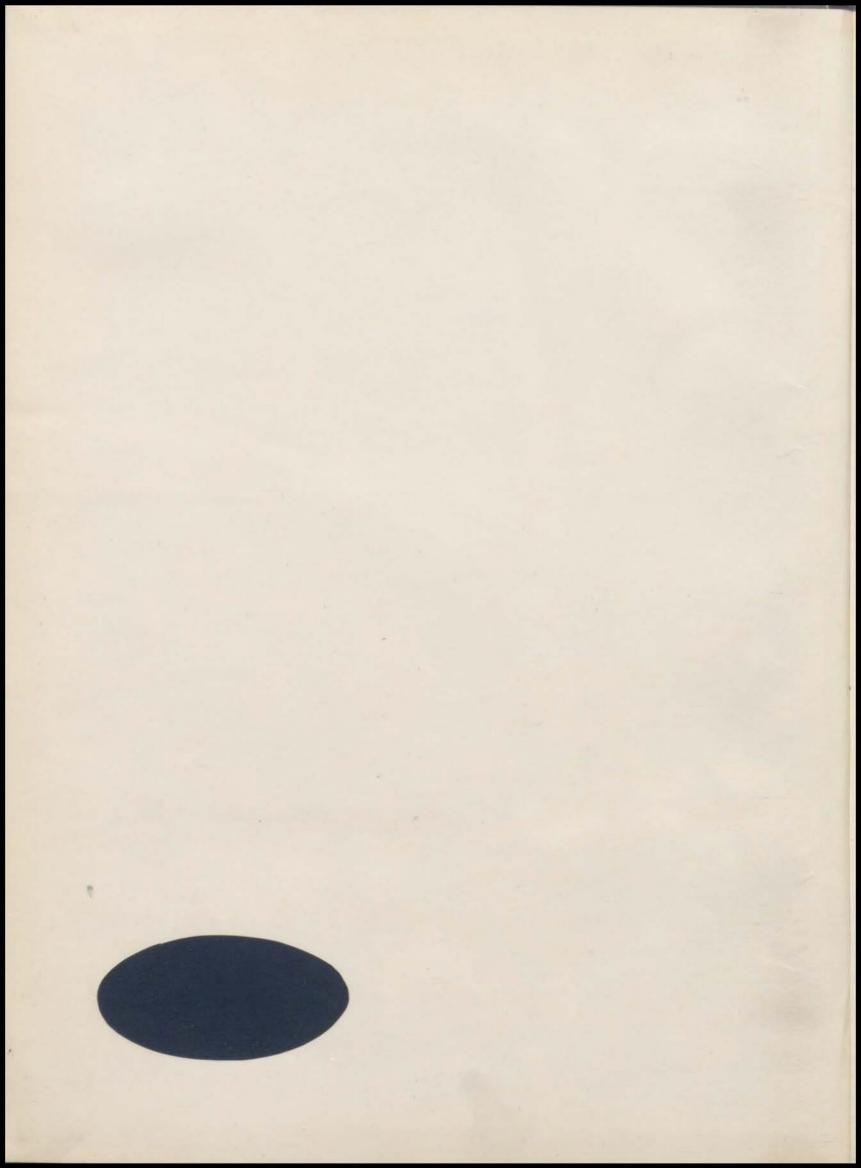
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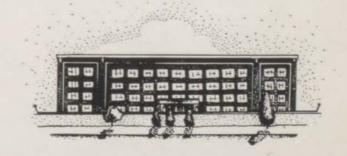


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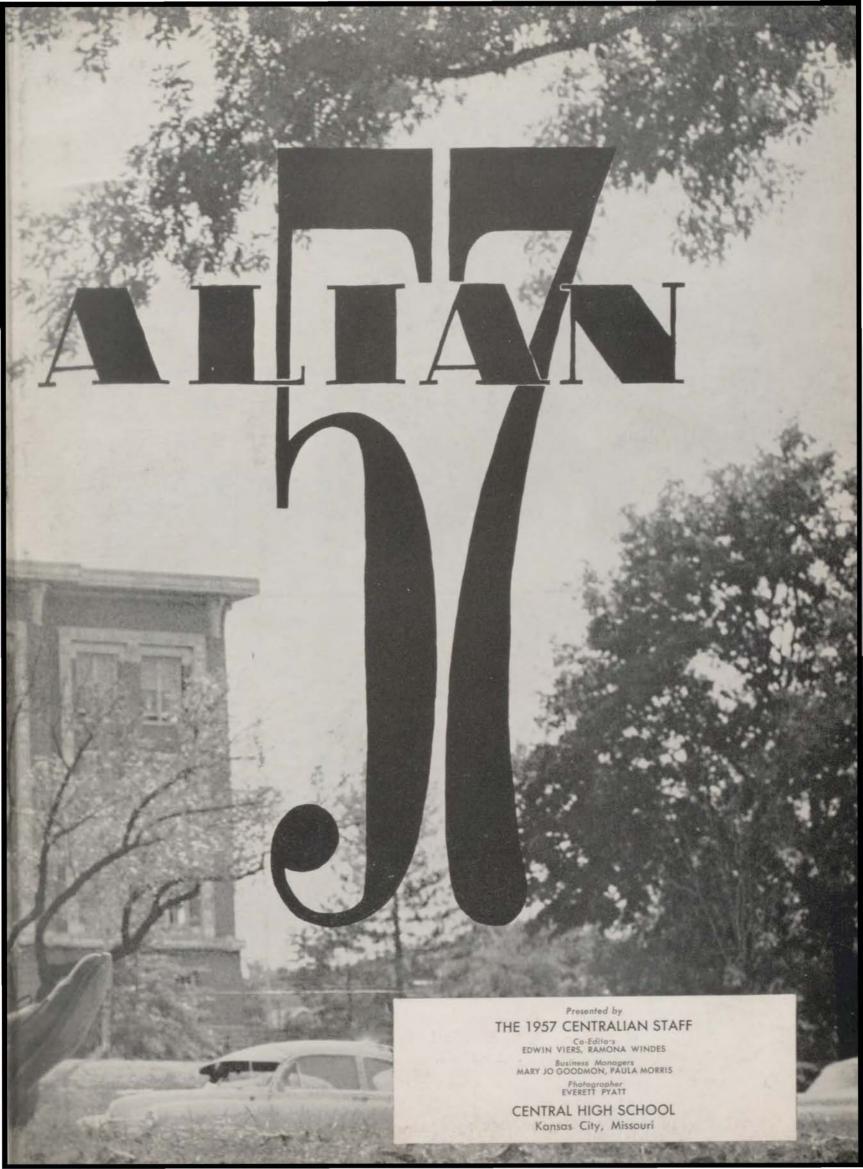




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## Foreword

A school annual is a glorified combination of the autograph and photograph albums. It is the school year preserved against the "winter of forgetfulness." A treasury of the school, the administration, faculty, and classes, the organizations and activities, the classmates and friends who figured so prominently in our thoughts and actions for nine glorious months, September through May. At last June and Graduation! So our theme for this 1957 Centralian is MEMORIES.

Mademoiselle Colette Dubois 19 rue de la Station Villa petit Piene La Calle St. Cloud (Set O) France

> Institut St. Thomas de Villeneuve 188 Grand Rue Chaville (Set O) France



## Dedication

We proudly dedicate this 1957 Centralian to Colette Dubois, our first Foreign Exchange Student. Through Colette we have shaken hands with students in lands across the seas, for this year she has been the means of bringing, on special occasions, exchange students from Germany, Sweden, and Denmark to Cen-

tral. This fellowship which we have shared with Colette, we believe, has changed for her, as well as for us, the meaning of the word "foreign" from "stranger" to "friend." We have all become France conscious and her country has become our second country as we know the States has become hers. Through Colette we feel confident that the purpose of the American Field Service Foreign Exchange program has been fulfilled—that of bringing about a better understanding and a closer relationship between the United States and the countries in Europe.

Colette, we congratulate you upon your ready adjustment to our way of informality, our flair for organizations, our love of activity, our faith in co-education, our assurance in youthful independence; and your acceptance and enjoyment of our standards of scholarship and living.

Colette, we are proud to have you dress in the blue and white uniform of the Pep Club, to wear the senior ring, and to don the academic cap and gown and march in the senior procession and receive a diploma!

We do hope, Colette, that this Centralian, linking you with the hundreds of Centralites, will be a fitting memento of your joyous year at Central; and that the Memories of your year here in a provincial school in the Heart of America will be a source of happiness as you reflect upon them. We as individuals of our student body can assure you that you will always live in the hearts you leave behind.

## Book One

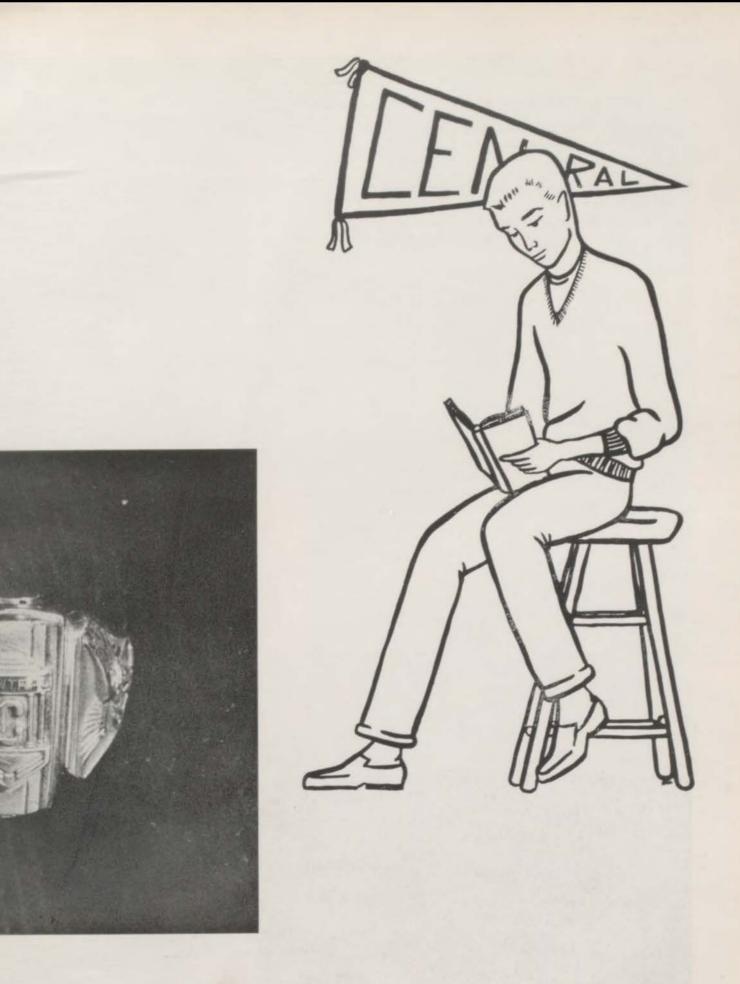
### ADMINISTRATION AND STUDENTS

I count myself in nothing else so happy As in a soul rememb'ring my good friends. Richard II

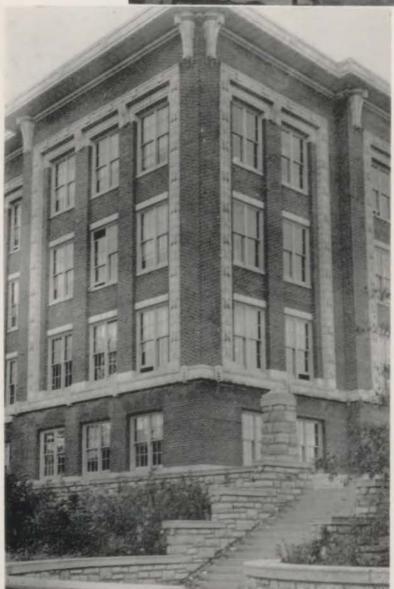
Friendships made between teachers and pupils and between classmates are our most prized possessions, because a friend is "another self." May our paths often cross, if not in fact, at least through the magic of memory.











## Dear Old Central

In our years here at Central we have been so busy with living the present we have given little thought to the past of Central. But the theme "Memories" has aroused our interest in Central before our day. What we found out we liked and believing you will, too, we decided to share it with you. Our building, bearing the date "1912," is new Central into which the school moved in 1914 from the building at Eleventh and Locust, dated 1884. The first was a rented two-story building occupied from 1867 to 1884. So Central is the oldest Kansas City high school and we are part of the long roster of students claiming Central as our Alma Mater. Such men as Charles Stevenson of Hall Brothers, Hal Boyle, a syndicated columnist, Walt Disney, William Powell and Dorothy Thompson, poet, are Central graduates.

She numbers among her alumni the great men and women of not only our own city but of the nation, as the Open House held in March, 1953, on the occasion of the razing of the old building, showed. How many more than the planned-for 1,500 came will never be known, but 150 gallons of punch and fifty pounds of cookies were consumed before half the crowd had arrived! Spindles from stairway railings, seats carved with students' initials, iron gates, and even bricks from the walls were eagerly sought and carried away in high satisfaction to find a niche in the old grads' homes and quicken warm memories of yesterdays.

In the present building only four principals: Messrs. Holmes, Dubach, Clement, whose portraits hang in our front hall, and our own Mr. Marshall, have administered the school.

## gar-gamed Central

Mr. C. S. Hann is the only member of the faculty who has been here since the beginning. Many former members are enjoying life in various other capacities, such as business or professional men and women, homemakers, or as retired citizens.

The Slache, Aristonian, Webster, and Minerva literary societies came here from Old Central, having been organized between 1901 and 1906. Many traditions established at the turn of the century are still being carried on. In 1906 Frank L. Wilkinson, now state senator, and Roy K. Dietrick, a prominent attorney and church man, won first and second place in Sons of Revolution essay contest. This year we repeated their success, Amy Parkhurst winning first and Jane Hardin, second place.

The first graduating class in 1872 numbered five—four young ladies resplendent in lawn and lace, and one young man, stiff in black serge and celluloid collar. Our class of 395, clad in academic cap and gown 125 per cent greater in numbers and the recipients of the benefaction of all the wealth of an ever-expanding curriculum, the latest methods of instruction, and of tutelage by a degreed faculty, have the challenge of the traditions and achievements of a distinguished alumni to spur us on to a worthy life!

May we never sully the name of our school and . . .

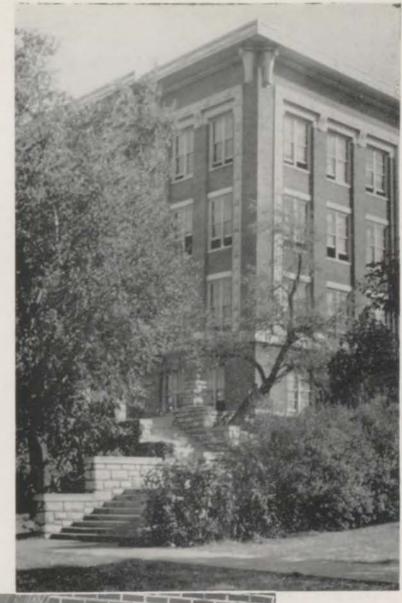
When time, who steals our years away,

Shall steal our pleasure, too,

The mem'ry of the past will stay

And half our joys renew.

-Moore







# Mr. Paul M. Marshall Principal

The school year 1956-57 has been one of the better ones for Central. During the school year students listed four things as most significant. They were: (1) our Foreign Exchange Program; (2) building improvement; (3) Philharmonic Assembly; (4) our athletic teams. As significant as these are, and I think they are all well chosen, other things stood out. I think the increased number of students electing advance mathematics, advance science, and fourth-year English is a distinct sign of maturity. Our greater interest in the Science Fair shows a trend in the same way, better scholarship.

We have noted with pleasure the fact that such a large number of our students are taking advantage of leaving the cafeteria for a walk on the bricks and few violating the rules set up.

Raising the money for a second Foreign Exchange student was certainly commendable. With these things and many others thrown in for good measure the most significant thing of the year to me was the fine sportsmanship we displayed at all of our games after the Paseo game. We made a mistake, but we did not repeat it; to me that was one of the most remarkable and finest changes in student attitude I have ever witnessed, one of the happenings that I will always cherish as a part of my years as principal of Central.

Paul M. Marshall

## Mr. Angus J. Barry Vice-Principal

Central High School has again demonstrated that it is a leader in scholarship, sportsmanship, and citizenship. Our school has held an enviable position, for many years, in the field of education, and I am confident that all present Centralities will strive to maintain the high standards of the past.

Educational achievement is available for everyone who is willing to strive for it. Progress is limited only by ambition and industry. As society becomes increasingly complex it is more important than ever that our program of education develop a citizenry which will live richer, more useful lives than they otherwise would do. It needs to help them understand themselves as persons making wholesome adjustments to the pressures of modern life.

To the graduates of 1957 I wish the greatest success and happiness. Never has opportunity been greater for those who are prepared and ready to serve their community. Service to others is the key to success which I hope you will carry with you always. It has been said that we make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.

Angus F. Barry





AUXILIARY STAFF

Back Row: Miss Vesta Bolliger, Nurse; Miss Alice Brasfield, Librarian; Mrs. L. K. Pritchard, P.-T.A. President; Mr. John Greenall, Engineer-Custodian. Front Row: Mrs. Pauline Harris, Speech Correctionist; Mrs. Anne J. Ramp, Lunchroom Manager.

# We Fondly Remember Central's Staff

Education is the nation's largest business! It is the one enterprise in which each citizen for a span of years spends time during his formative age, learning the rules of the game of life. Thomas Huxley says in his Liberal Education, "Education is the instruction of the intellect in the laws of nature, under which name I include not merely things and their forces but men and their ways; and the fashioning of the affections and of the will into an earnest and loving desire to move in harmony with those laws." Central has a faculty second to none! The instructors are men and women dedicated to developing in each pupil his potential abilities. The individual teachers are specialists in their respective fields, holding advanced degrees in education; many have traveled widely abroad as well as at home; many have had experiences in professions other than teaching; and all have had thorough preparation in pedagogy.

The staff is well balanced as far as personnel is concerned: in years of service, some with long years of service and others with only their probationary period finished; there are a few more men than women; many of the women are married as well as are the men.

The school embraces six departments of solid subjects: English, Foreign Languages, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, and Commerce; and three departments of non-solid courses: Fine Arts, Practical Arts, and Physical Education. A student could spend ten years in Central, passing each course, and still not exhaust the curriculum. A student may go far in the field of his choice here at Central, and he may take courses from Latin to Driver's Education, all under enthusiastic, able instructors.

This year the faculty is pictured informally in departmental groups, with a background representative of work in their field.

Central in its growth has embraced many of the modern services for its varied student body needs. In addition to the classroom instructors, the counselors, Mr. Kirk and Miss Schaller perform valuable services in counseling students for advanced education, scholarships, part-time employment, work after graduation, and concerning their personal problems. The office secretarial staff, nurse, librarians, cafeteria staff, custodians, and the P.-T.A. officers and members all unite and work co-

#### OFFICE STAFF AND COUNSELORS

Back Row: Mrs. Gloria Allen, Secretary: Mrs. Mildred Daniels, Secretary: Mrs. Viala Thomas, Attendance Clerk; Miss Lillian Lukenbill, Registrar, Front Row: Mr. David M. Kirk, Miss Hortense Schaller, Counselors.



operatively with Mr. Marshall, principal, and Mr. Barry, viceprincipal, to serve the students and community.

Many services often not thought of as school responsibilities are given by the nurse, such as vision testing and audiometer tests for all students at least twice during their four years of high school, and a physical examination by a physician for all students taking physical education. This year was the first time the school participated in the polio shots.

Many faculty members spend long hours beyond the school day in coaching their pupils for successful competition in contests and examinations. Central often carries away "the lion's share" of awards in competition on local, state, and national level. Certainly a credit to faculty members as well as to students! If the strength of Central were based on staff alone it would be classed as extraordinary!

The extra curricular program at Central is wide and varied, each of these clubs requires the services of one and often two instructors. These advisors have special interests in the organization or activity and contribute much of value to the students' guidance.

The faculty is made up of interesting personalities, who, by their character traits, manners, habits, and charm, become teachers by example, as well as, by precept and many have become true friends to their students.



Back Row: Mr. Nolan Alexander, Human Science, Biology; Mr. Melvin Smith, General Science; Mr. Nolan Rutledge, General Science, Physics; Mr. C. S. Hann, Zoology; Mr. L. H. Dentel, Biology, Botany. Frant Row: Mrs. Doris Ary, Biology, Earth Science; Miss Dorothy Sandberg, Biology; Miss Rebekah Leibengood, Human Science; Mrs. Theresa Bauman, Chemistry.



Back Row: Miss Rebecca Tomlin, English; Mrs. Roberta Rousseau, English; Mr. Milton Hughes, English, English Literature; Miss Ila Maude Kite, English, English Literature, Centralian; Mrs. Mary McMann, English. Front Row: Mr. John Gazda, English; Miss Virginia Oldham, English, Newswriting; Mrs. Eleanor Johnson, English; Miss Doris Callahan, English, English Literature; Mr. William Holloway, English.



Back Row: Miss Marjorie Davis, Algebra, Geometry; Miss Jean Pinkerton, Typing, Clerical Practice; Miss Grace Mapes, Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Clerical Practice; Miss Mary Grubbs, Bookkeeping; Miss Elizabeth Wells, Algebra, Solid Geometry. Front Row: Miss Elsie Cornell, Typing, Shorthand; Mr. Carroll Liechti, Mathematics; Mrs. Nellie McKanna, Typing; Mr. Charles Moore, Algebra; Mrs. Mary Scoville, Shorthand, Typing.

Back Row: Mr. G. L. Douthitt, Psychology, Law; Mr. Frank Guemple, World History; Mr. Clarence French, World History, Careers; Mr. Alexander Kulik, Civics, World History, English, Front Row: Mrs. Nellie M. Porter, World History, Reading; Miss Beryl Altan, World History, American History; Mr. Otto F. Diersen, American Problems, American History; Miss Ella Wiberg, American History; Miss Nellie M. Cody, World History, Civics.

Back Row: Mr. James Roleke, Spanish; Mr. Willard Schmitt, Music, Stage Production; Mr. Ben Ireland, Art; Mr. Vern Sinclair, Band, Orchestra; Mr. Edwin V. Nance, Speech. Front Row: Miss Mary Evelyn McLaughlin, Latin; Mrs. Margaret Lutes, Music; Miss Bess Clapp, English, Speech; Miss Agnes Engel, French, German; Mrs. Fanette V. Riley, Art.

Back Row: Mr. Robert L. Miller, Wood Shop; Mr. John Slater, Printing, Drafting; Miss Neva Wing, Foods, Family Living; Mr. J. M. Lukens, Crafts, Ceramics; Mr. Edwin Hamilton, Metal and Wood shops. Front Row: Mr. Orlyn Lockard, Drafting; Miss Doris Tamanaho, Foods, Clothing; Mrs. Veva Kaenig, Music; Miss Ruby Kuhn, Clothing; Mr. Hollis Lancaster, COE.

Back Row: Mr. Carmel Ramsey, Civics, Boys' Family Living, Physical Education; Mr. B. W. McDaniel, Drivers Education; M/Sgt. Clyde K. Smith, R.O.T.C.; Mr. Harry S. Slaymaker, Physical Education; Mr. Nathan Roltman, Physical Education, Geometry. Front Row: Mr. Marian Gillespie, Drivers Education, Mathematics; Miss Hazel Purnell, Physical Education; Mr. Kenneth Webster, Physical Education; Miss Gertrude Jones, Physical Education; Mr. Hoyt Baker, Physical Education; Mr. Hoyt Baker, Physical Education.







President, Ed Huff; Vice-President, John Hickman; Secretary, Grace Duren.

# "Top Seniors Revert to

Top Row: Best Students, Bob Brown, Sue Appleby; Most Popular, Grace Duren, John Hickman. Bottom Row: Best Musicians, Walter Hook, Amy Parkhurst; Jolly Good, Sue King, Larry Schwab; Best Athletes, Nancy Richardson, Ed Huff.





Treasurer, Jerry Foote; Sergeant-at-Arms, Wally Bredemeier; Giftorian, Sue King.

# Type in Ballot Poses"

Top Raw: Social Belle and Beau, Wally Bredemeier, Linda Cordry; Done Most, Bob Wennersten, Dorothy Davisson. Bottom Row: Best Dancer, Betti Jo Stucker, Jim Tucker; Best Actor and Actress, Pat Blackwood, Carolina Shinn; Best Dressed, Barbara Mallory, Jerry Foote.





Agee, Willard

C.W.C.; Student Council; Honor Corps; Red Cross Representative.

Ainsworth, Kay

C.O.E.; Band; Transfer,

Alexander, Kenny

Anderson, Elaine

Drama Club; Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Y-Teens; Cafe-teria Hostess; Typing Award.

Anderson, Jackie

Dignitary, D.L.S.; Olympian; Spanish Club; Volleyball, Basketball Sportsdays; Zoology Club; Large Shield; Big "C."

Anderson, Leala

Spanish Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Teen Town Committee; Transfer; Y-Teens.

Anderson, Virginia

Y-Teens; Pep Club; Art Award.

Appleby, Sue

Gold Medal, Honor Society; Student Council; President, Red Cross; Officer, Honor Society; President, Olympians; Officer, Latin Club; Spanish Club; Big "C"; A.A.U.W.; City Hall Day; Senior Ballot; Cabinet, Y-Teens; Dignitary, Officer, S.L.H.

Student Council; Red Cross; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; A.L.S.; Y-Teens; Future Nurses; Latin Club.

Arnold, Don

Arnold, Rose

Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Y-Teens; Locker Patrol; Typing Award; C.O.E.

Austin, Sharon

President, Horizon Club; Olympian; Small Shield; Large Shield; Big "C"; Gold Medal, Honor Society; Officer, S.L.H.; Officer, Latin Club; Zoology Club; Captain, Hockey Inframurals; Central Singers; Officer, Concert Chair; Latin Award.

Boiley, Sylvia Cafeteria Hostess; Locker Patrol.

Baldwin, Ronnie

German Club; Chess Club; Round Table; C.O.E.

Bollard, Janet Mae Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Office Helper; Girls' Choir; Locker Patrol; Y-Teens; Home Room President; Cafeteria Hostess; Spanish Club.

Beck, Saralu

Girls' Choir; Small Shield; Large Shield.

Bennefeld, Linda

C.O.E.; Shorthand Award.

Biere, Audria

Y-Teens; Pep Club; Officer, German Club; Red Cross Alternate; Luminary Staff; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Latin Club; Short-hand Awards.

Bishop, Delores
Zoology Club; Pep Club; Band; Little Shield, Sports; Officer, Home Room; Student Council; Talent Exchange Assembly, '55; Red Cross Representative,

Black, Ramona

Officer, Future Nurses; Y-Teens; Latin Club; Girls' Choir; Horizon Club.

Blackwood, Pat

President, Drama Club; Spring Play, '56, '57; Thanksgiving Play, '56; Luminary Staff; Exchange Assembly '55, '56, '57; Declamation, C.W.C.; Teen Town Committee; Senior Ballot; Spring Cancert '56.

Blankenship, Lois Anne Future Nurses Club; Latin Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society.

Blatt, Barbara

Drama Club; Y-Teens; Locker Patrol.

Blevins, David

Basketball Letter, "B" Team; Red Cross; Hi-Y; Officer, Formal Essay '57, C.E.C.; President, Engineers Club; Chess Club; Latin Club; German Club; Honor Corps; Gold Medal, Honor Society; Home Room Officer; Latin Award.

Bolinger, Donna Joyce

Borden, Paul Marvin

Band; Concert Choir; C.O.E.

Bowles, Janet Joy

C.O.E.; Transfer; Y-Teens; Spanish Club.

Boyle, Jay

Luminary Staff Photographer; Photography Club; Chess Club; Cafeteria Host.

What shall we draw today? This snapshot is of one of Mrs. Riley's art classes. Larry Mansker, Clifford Hemphill, and Dan Fitzgerald are thinking things over while Rose Dancy, with brush in hand, begins to paint . . . something.

#### Bradford, Fred

C.F.C.; Track; Honor Corps; President, Home Room; C.W.C.

### Bradshaw, Rose Ellen

Concert Choir; Central Singers; Student Council; Officer, T.L.S.; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room; Locker Patrol; French Club; Zoology Club; Pep Club; Sharthand Award.

#### Braton, Gorald Arthur

President, Home Room; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Officer, French Club; Spanish Club,

#### Brauninger, Frank

Red Cross Representative; C.J.C.; Chess Club; Locker Patrol.

#### Brodomeier, Wally

Officer Senior, Junior Class; Senior Ballot; President, Dignitary C.E.C. Officer, Honor Corps; Student Council Cabinet; City Hall Day; Football; Track; Basketball Manager; Officer, Student Council; Captain, Locker Patrol; Officer, Home Room.

#### Brice, Thelma

Student Council; Transfer; Band,

#### Brockman, Alma

#### Brooks, Edmond Lee

"C" Club; Track; Gold Key Art Award; Officer, Hi-Y; Football; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room.

### Brown, Donald

Transfer; Football; "B" Team, Track; Officer, Home Room; Hi-Y; "B" Team, Basketball.

#### Brown, Gary

Transfer, President, Home Room.

### Brown, Robert

Dignitory, Intersociety Representative C.E.C.; Red Crass Representative; German Club; Valedictorian; Officer, Home Room; Honor Corps; Gold Medal Honor Society; Officer, Engineers Club; Gold Medal, Formal Essay, '56; Informal '57.

#### Brown, Rosa Lee

#### Bumgardner, Phyllis

Y-Teens; Future Nurses Club.

C.O.E.; Red Cross Representative.

#### Buxton, Rose Marie

French Club; Shorthand Award.

#### Byrd, Knyston Richard

Honor Society; Student Council,

#### Caesar, Dolores Yvonne

Y-Teens; Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Cafeteria Hostess.

#### Cage, Peggy

### Canaday, Jesse

C.O.E.; Track.

#### Carr, Gordon

Intersociety Representative C.F.C.; All-City Student Council Representative; Luminary Staff; Hi-Y; "C" Club; Honor Corps, Locker Patrol; Officer, Home Room; Red Cross Representative; Football; Track; Gold Medal, Personal Narrative '55; City Hall Day.

#### Cary, Janet

Girls' Chair; Mid-Year Grad.

#### Cassidy, Kathleen

C.D.E.; Six Semester, Honor Society.

#### Cothcort, Mary Ann

Concert Choir; Luminary Staff; Student Council; Zoology Club; Y-Teens; Red Cross Representative; Spring Concerts; Teen Town Committee; Officer, Home Room; Stage Crew; Pep Club; Locker Patrol.

#### Cessna, John

Gold Medal, Honor Society; Student Council; Officer, Engineers Club; President, Home Room; Honor Corps; Chess Club; R.O.T.C.; Photography Club; Memorial Club; Officer, Hi-Y.

Pep Club; Officer, Teen Town; Spanish Club; Dignitary, Officer, A.L.S.; Six Semester, Hanar Society; Student Council Alternate; Red Cross Representative; Spring Concert '56, '57.

#### Chaddock, Rosalie Jeannette

Cheerleader; Student Council; Honor Society; President, Dig-nitary S.L.H.; Luminary Staff; Girls' Choir; Red Cross Repre-sentative; Officer, Home Room; Y-Teens; Teen Town Committee; Prepared Speech '56.

#### Chambers, Gene

#### Charlton, John

Student Council; C.W.C.; Officer, Latin Club; Spring Concert '56, '57; Three Semester, Honor Society; Chairman Cafeteria Committee; Captain, Hast and Hostess Committee; Officer, Home

Gee—how does this work? Mr. Hamilton, shown here, gives student the O.K. on his work. Strange looking machines like that "thing" pictured turn out real neat projects such as magazine racks, dies, and lamps.





Chastaine, Jackie Childress, Robara Darlene

Chivers, Helen

Girls' Chair; Latin Club; Future Nurses Club.

Chullino, David

Spanish Club; Zoology Club; C.E.C.; Football; "C" Club; Track; Officer, Hame Room; Student Council.

Clark, Patricia Sue

Silver Medal, Honor Society; Typing Award.

Clarke, Don

Engineers Club; German Club; Latin Club; Round Table; Hanar Society; Officer, Chess Club.

Cline, Lloyd

Officer, C.M.C., Lt. Col. R.O.T.C.; Student Council Cabinet; Aquiliferi; Gold Key, Art Award; Honor Corps; Dignitary C.J.C.

Cockrell, Glada

Officer, Olympians; Latin Club; Six Semester Honor Society; Officer, Home Room; Typing, Shorthand Awards; Big "C"; Officer, S.L.H.; Individual, Hockey Sportsday; Small Shield; Large Shield; Student Council Alternate.

Coffman, Beverly

Red Cross Representative; Y-Teens,

Collins, Elsie

Transfer; Shorthand Awards; C.O.E.

Comstock, Carole Kay

Pep Club.

Conley, Charlene

Mid-Year Graduate; President, M.L.S.; President, Girls' Choir; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Teen Town Committee; Zoology Club; Locker Patrol; Pep Club; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Y-Teens.

Talent Exchange Assembly '55, '57; Band; Typing Award; Dignitory, C.J.C.

Cooper, Jerry

Cordry, Linda

Officer, Dignitary, A.L.S.; Silver Medal, Declamation '56; R.O.T.C.; Football Princess: Pep Club; Drama Club; Zoolagy Club; Girls' Chair; Harmonettes; Spring Play; Senior Ballot; Student Council; Talent Exchange Assembly 56, '57; Luminary Staff.

Cornelius, Patricia Anne

Olympian; Big "C"; Horizon Club; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Red Cross Representative; Small, Large Shields; Softball Sportsday; Table Tennis Sportsday.

#### Cowan, Barbara

President, Home Room; Red Cross Representative; Locker Patrol; President, Dignitary, T.L.S.; Luminary Staff; Pep Club; Y-Teens.

Branze Medal, Honor Society; C.O.E.; Red Cross Representative.

Crago, Jacqueline

Transfer; Pep Club.

Cramer, Carol

Cranmer, Richard

Transfer.

Cunningham, Noel

President, Home Room; Basketball, Football "B" Letter; Hi-Y.

Luminary Staff; Girls' Chair; Mid-Year Graduate.

Dalton, Patricia Jane

President D.L.S.; Shorthand Award; NOMA Awards.

Dancy, Rose Evelyn

Y-Teens; Luminary Staff; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Cafeteria Courtesy Committee; Girls' Choir; Drama Club.

Daniels, John

Chess Club; Hi-Y; Engineers Club; Bronze Pin, Honor Society.

Daughtrey, John

Engineers Club; Spanish Club; Latin Club; President, Home Room; Basketball; Football; Track; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; C.W.C.; Hi-Y Honor Corps.

Davisson, Dottie

Intersociety Representative, Dignitary, Informal Essay '56, Declamation '57, M.L.S.; President, Pep Club; Officer, Latin Club; Officer, Future Teachers; Senior Ballot; Senior Executive Committee; Y-Teens, Teen Town Committee; Zoology Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Spring Play '57; Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Typing Award; Luminary Staff.

Latin students in Room 414, working hard to translate myths and ancient history while Miss Evelyn McLaughlin, teacher, writes Latin phrases on the board to be translated.



DeFoor, Betty
Gold Medal, Honor Society; Officer, Home Room; Y-Teens,
French Club; Girls' Choir; Spring Concert; Shorthand Award,
Round Table.

Denman, Bill

Zoology Club; C. E. C.; Home Room Officer; Spanish Club.

Derringer, Edward

President, Home Room; Officer, R.O.T.C.; Memorial Club.

Dildon, Judy C.D.E.

Don Carles, Susen
Latin Club; Honor Society; Student Council; Red Cross; Girls'
Chair; Spring Concert '56, '57; Harmonettes.

Datson, Dortha Lee

Band; Girls' Chair; Transfer.

Doudleen, Mike
Officer, C.F.C.; President, Hi-Y; Red Cross Alt.; Student Council; Home Room Officer; Latin Club; Concert Choir; Honor Corps. C.O.E.

Dubois, Colette

Exchange Student; T.L.S.; Y-Teens; Pep Club; French Club; Concert Choir; Student Council; Red Cross Representative.

Dunivent, Ramone
Transfer; C.O.E.; Branze Medal, Hanor Society; Shorthand Award.

Duren, Grace Ann
Officer, Dignitary, T.L.S.; Football Queen; Junior Officer; Senior
Officer; Cheerleader '57; Student Council; Zoology Club; YTeem; Teen-Town Committee; Luminary Staff; Officer, Pep
Club; Home Room President; Senior Ballot.

Dye, Judy
Pep Club; Student Council; Zoology Club; Officer, M.L.S.; Teen-Town Committee; Luminary Staff.

Dyer, Paulo

Student Council; Red Cross; C.O.E.; French Club; President, Home Room, Locker Patrol.

Dyke, Jerry

Eads, Roberta Ç.O.E.

Easterly, Charlotte Carole Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room.

Eckinger, Charles



























Gold Medal, Honor Society; Future Teachers Club; Latin Club; Shorthand Award; Zoology Club; Y-Teens; Officer, Home Room; Centralian Staff.

Elliott, Charlotte Ann

Officer, T.L.S.; Zoology Club; Teen Town Committee; Pep Club; Student Council; Red Cross Alt.; Luminary Staff; Captain, Locker Patrol; Girls' Choir; Officer, Home Room; Y-Teens.

Elliot, Richard

Enloc, Karen

Intersociety Representative, Dignitary, A.L.S.; Football Princess; Centralian Business Staff; Luminary Staff; Officer, Student Council; Officer, Pep Club; Officer, Girls' Choir; Officer, Zoology Club; Shorthand, Typing Award; Bronze Medal, Honor Society;

Erickson, Roger

Olympian; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room; Art Awards; Small Shield.

Farr, Ruth

Transfer; C.O.E.; Red Cross Representative.

Fawkes, Gary

President, Dignitary, C.W.C.; Tennis Team; Luminary Staff; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Red Cross Representative.

Ferguson, Pat

Red Cross Representative; Locker Patrol; Student Council; C.O.E.

Fisher, Edith

Student Council; Future Nurses Club; Latin Club; C.O.E.

Fiske, Robert

Student Council: Honor Corps.

Fitzpotrick, Bill

Student Council; Photography Club.

"Ah-eh-oh, I'm learning to sing." Mr. Schmitt, vocal instructor, in Room 412, is demonstrating the basic fundamentals of using your mouth and vocal chords to good advantage. Notice John Harmon. He's just completely dumbfounded at the wonderful sounds that are coming out of Mr. Schmitt's mouth. Music at Central High School really is a stand-out.



Flood, Jo

Flournoy, Jacqueline

President, Dignitary, A.L.S.; President, Y-Teens; Gold Medal Honor Society, Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; President, Con-cert Choir; Latin Club; French Club; Student Council; City Hall Day; Locker Patrol; Officer, Home Room.

Foote, Jerry

Red Cross Representative; Luminary Staff; City Hall Day; Honor

Lurps; Locker Patrol; Officer, "C" Club; Officer, Lignitary,

C.L.C., Student Cauncil; Track; Officer, Junior and Senior Class;
Senior Ballot.

#### Fortner, Barbara Ann

Co-Captain, Football; First Team, All-Star; First Team, All-District; Honorabie Mention, All-State; Track; Honor Corps; Red Cross Representative; "C" Club; President, Officer, C.F.C.; Student Council.

Freeman, Jerry

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President, Dignitary, C.J.S.; Declamation '56; Gold Medal, Honor
buciery, President, Latin Club; President, Zoology Club; Luminary
Staff; Spring Play; Drama Club; Student Council; President,
Home Room; R.O.T.C. Memorial Club; Centralian Business Staff.

Friebe, Gudrun

Transfer; Formal Essay '56; D.L.S.; Horizon Club; French Club; Y-Teens; Latin Club; Officer, Home Room; Locker Patrol.

Galloway, Eugene

President, Inter-Linguistic Council; President, French Club; President, Home Koom; Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Drama Club; Spanish Club; Spring Play '57; Luminary Staff; Locker Patrol; Cafeteria Host; C.W.C.

#### Gensler, Louise

George, Stephen

Gibson, Janet Rae

Y-Teens; Pep Club; Band; Orchestra; Red Cross Representative.

Gilbert, El Dora

President, Future Nurses Club; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Large Shield; Zoology Club; Typing Award; President, Home Room; Latin Club.

Giles, Ruthelle

Zoology Club; Teen Town Committee,

Goodmon, Mary Ja

Officer, Dignitary, A.L.S., Pep Club; Officer, Zaology Club; Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Teen Town Committee; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Latin Club; Shorthand, Typing Award; Y-Teens; Centralian Business Staff; Locker Patrol; Orficer, Home Room.

Gragg, Mary

Pep Club; Luminary Staff,

Gray, Paul

Hi-Y; Typing Award; Talent Exchange Assembly '56, '57,

#### Grayer, Fredna

Greenway, Wava Pep Club; Mid-Year Grad.

Greenwood, Larry

President, Dignitary, C.F.C.; Honor Corps; "C" Club; Football; Track; Home Room Officer; Basketball; Engineers Club; Latin Club; Red Cross Representative; Locker Patrel.

Grissom, Dale

Hamilton, George
Honor Corps; Engineers Club; Officer, Hi-Y; Five Semester Honor
Society; Cateteria Host Committee; NOMA Award; Chess Club;
Luminary Staff.

Hardin, Jane

Gold Medal, Hanor Society; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Aquiliferi; Raundtable; Y-Teens; A.A.U.W.; Centralian Staff; Junior Classical League; Quill and Scroll; U. N. Day Representative.

Hardy, Judy Irene

Intersociety Representative; Dignitary, Officer, T.L.S.: Pep Club; All-City Student Council; Teen Town Committee; Latin Club; Luminary Staff; Shorthand, Typing Awards; Captain, Locker Patrol; City Hall Day.

Harmon, John C.F.C.; Football.

Harris, Diane

S.L.H.; Pep Club; Y-Teens; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Latin Club; Shorthand, Typing Awards; Locker Patrol.

Hart, Margaret Joyce

C.O.E.; Locker Patrol.

Hawthorne, Joyce

Red Cross Representative; Girls' Choir; Y-Teens; Spanish Club; Zoology Club; Teen Town Committee.

Hayes, John

Archery Club; Art Merit; Locker Patrol.

"Pardon me, may I have a band-aid?" asks J. T. Spotts as he comes to Central's Health Center. Miss Bolliger helps student Bob Fiske, while Alta Neal, the nurse's assistant, takes care of other matters.

Haynie, Beverly Student Council.

Hedenskog, Cooper Red Crass Representative; Engineers Club; Tennis Club.

Helm, Judy

Officer, Future Nurses Club; German Club; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Red Cross Representative.

Homphill, Clifford

Club; Zoology Club; Art Award.

Hassen, Donald

German Club; Engineers Club; Officer, Home Room; Officer, Zoology Club.

Hickman, John

Officer, Hi-Y; Officer, "C" Club; Senior Ballot; Officer, Honor Corps, Officer, C.F.C.; President, Junior Class; Boys' State: Factball; First Team All-Star Basketball; Honorable Mention, All-District; Captain All-Stars; First Team District Selection; Award Mont Valuable Player of City.

Higgins, Richard

Hill, Charlotte

Intersociety Representative, Dignitary, S.L.H.; Gold Medal, Pre-pared Speech '55; Declamation '57; Student Council; City Hall Day, Officer, Olympian; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Officer, Hame Room; Officer Drama Club; Hockey, Basketball, Sportsdays; Drum Majorette.

Hinkebein, Edna Marie

Transfer; Girls' Choir; C.O.E.; Band.

Holt, Norma Jean

Gold Medal, Honor Society; Luminary Staff; Quill and Scrall; Pep Club; Drama Club; Officer, English Club; Y-Teens; Zoology Club; President, Latin Club; Future Nurses Club; Magna Cum Laude; Shorthand, Typing, NOMA Awards; Red Cross Represent-ative; Cafeteria Hostess; Round Table.

Hon, Robert

Hook, Walter

Concert Chair; Central Singers; Spring Concerts; Senior Ballot; C.O.E.

Hopkins, Judith Kay
Student Council; French Club; Red Cross Representative; Officer,
Home Room; Locker Patrol.

Houghton, Kenneth

Houston, Corolyn

Y-Teens; Locker Patrol; Zoology Club; Cafeteria Hostess.

Houtz, Vicki

Transfer; President, Home Room; Shorthand Award; Teen Town Committee.

Heve, Nerman DeLano

Howard, Gale

Student Council

Hudson, Larry
Five Semester Honor Society; Officer, C.J.C.; Student Council; Five 3

officer, Junior Class; President, Senior Class; Officer, Honor Corps; President, "C" Club; Boys' State; Co-Captain, Football; Track; "Mr. Football"; All-Star, All-District, Second Team All-State; Football; Honorary President, C.E.C.; Locker Patrol; Student Council; Red Crass.

Hughes, Duane English Club; Hi-Y.

Hughes, Johnnie

Transfer: Girls' Chair: Red Cross Representative; Small Shield; Student Council; Y-Teens, Typing, Shorthand Awards.

Hukill, Judy

Locker Patrol; Pep Club; NOMA Award; Red Cross Alternate; Future Nurses Club; Y-Teens.

Hull, Carol Jean

President, Dignitary, D.L.S.; Luminary Staff; Pep Club; Har-monettes, Aquiliferi; Student Council; Y-Teens; Spanish Club; Girls' Choir; Concert Choir; Future Nurses Club; Locker Patrol; Red Cross Alternate.

Husband, Peggy

Ingalsbe, David

Officer, Concert Choir.

Irving, Melba Student Council; Y-Teens.

Joy, James Wenver
President, Youth and Government, Hi-Y; Student Council; AllCity Red Cross; C.E.C.; Officer, "C" Club; Basketball; Cross
Country; Track; Officer, Home Room; Sales Staff, Centralian.

Students discover the interesting country in Miss Wiberg's American History class. At the for right in the front row is Central's Foreign Exchange Student from France, Colette Dubois, also learning the history of America.





Johnson, Betty Louise French Club; Y-Teens; Pep Club.

Johnson, Gilbert Roskethall; "C" Club; Officer, Hi-Y.

Johnson, Linda President, Dignitary, Formal Essay '57, M.L.S.; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Luminary Staff; Centralian Staff; Pep Club; Latin Club; Drama Club; Locker Patrol; Quill and Scroll. Johnson, Robert

Intersociety Representative, Dignitary, C.J.C.; Gold Medal, Honor Society; Chess Club; Honor Corps; Engineers Club; President, Hi-Y; President, Home Room; Magna Cum Laude, Latin Award.

Jones, Jim C.O.E.; Red Cross Representative,

Jones, Jayce Sue
President, Dignitary, Formal Essay '56, S.L.H.; Luminary Staff;
Pep Club; Zoology Club; Officer, Horizon Club; Red Cross; Teen
Town Committee; President, Home Room; Typing Award.

Jones, Robert
Football All-Star; "C" Club; C.F.C.; Hi-Y; Locker Patrol; Student Council.

Kaumans, Sandra

Kearns, Dorothy Ann Student Council; Hostess Committee.

Keating, Gregg French Club; C.O.E.

Keiter, John Honor Corps; Home Room Officer; French Club; Zoology Club; German Club; Engineers Club.

Kelton, Joyce Pep Club; Future Nurses Club; Y-Teens.

Kimball, Carl nball, Carl President, C.F.C.; Officer, Student Council; Officer, Hi-Y; Luminary Staff; Quill and Scroll; Silver Medal, Honor Society, "C" Club; Red Cross; Honor Corps; Officer, Home Room; Track; Cross Country; Basketball Manager; Zoology Club; Engineers Club; City Hall Day.

Kincold, Larry
Officer, Student Council; President, Dignitary, Gold Medal, Informal Essay '56, Verse '57, C.E.C., Officer, Honor Corps; Captain, Locker Patrol; Cafeteria Host; Engineers Club; President, Hame Room; Red Cross Alt., Hi-Y; Honor Society, Silver Medal.

King, Carole Sue g, Carole Sue
Senior Officer; Senior Ballot; Junior Executive Board; Silver
Medal, Honor Society; President, Girls Choir; President, Latin
Club; President, Dignitary, A.L.S.; Officer, Zoology Club; YTeen Cabinet; Red Cross Representative; Centralian Business
Staff; Pep Club; Typing Award; Shorthand Award; Officer,
Student Council; Quill and Scrall; Luminary Staff; Spring Festival

Kirkendoll, LaVonne Future Nurses Club; Latin Club; French Club.

Kristianson, Judy

Gold Medal, Honor Society; Bookkeeping Award; Transfer.

Lancaster, Ruth Ann

Thespian Club; Pep Club; Future Nurses; Exchange Assembly '57; Cafeteria Hostess; Spring Play Production Staff.

Lassiter, Judy

Captoin Cheerleader; President, Dignitary, Prepared Speech '57, T.L.S.; City Hall Day; Gold Medal Honor Society; Officer, Zoology Club; Officer, Latin Club; Student Council; Business Staff, Centralian; Y-Teen Cabinet; Teentown Committee; Pep Club; Gold Key, Art Award; Locker Patrol.

Lewis, Frances Marie

Silver Medal, Honor Society; Y-Teens; Orchestro; Student Council, C.O.E.; City Hall Day; Small Shield, Sports; Typing Award.

L'Hommedieu, Duane

Logan, Keith

C.E.C.; Student Council; President, Zoology Club; Honor Corps; Locker Patrol; Officer, Home Room.

Long, Shirley Ann

Latin Club; Girls' Choir; Officer, Home Room; Cafeteria Hostess.

Loud, Bill

Love, Marian G.

Spanish Club; Y-Teens; Teen Town Committee; Perfect Attendance '55, '56; Student Council; Typing Award.

Lundberg, James DeLano

Lundberg, Judy

Pep Club; Y-Teens; President, Home Room; Student Council; Locker Patrol; Shorthand Award.

Lundy, Wilson

German Club; Engineers Club; Honorary President, C.J.C.

Quiet! I heard a mouse brushing his teeth. In study hall 301, you can really find the studious people. Notice every head bowed over the books; every eye open, grasping the material. Study halls run by teachers, such as Mr. Dentel, seen in the background, have proved beneficial to the Central students.



Lyman, Donna Mae C.O.E.; Transfer.

Lyons, David

Concert Chair; Engineers Club; English Club; Chess Club; Archery Club; Photography Club; Cafeteria Committee,

Lytton, William

McBrayer, Brian T.

Officer, R.O.T.C.; Drum and Bugle Corps Commander; Civil Defense Club.

McClellan, Allen Band, Orchestra.

McCrary, Bill

Football; Basketball; "C" Club; Zoology Club; Track.

McElray, Wanda Lee Zoology Club; Future Teachers.

McKes, Julia

Red Cross Representative; English Club; Y-Teens; Latin Club.

McManigal, Lois

Pep Club; Drama Club; Y-Teens.

McMichael, Carolyn Transfer.

Mabrey, Lois

Red Cross: Olympian: Big "C"; Highest Award, Girls' Sports; Basketball "57, Volleyball "56, Softball "55, "57, Hackey "56, "57, Sportsdays.

Mackey, Shirley Jean

Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Latin Club; Y-Teens, Cafeteria Hostess; Future Nurses; Future Teachers; Pep Club.

Maddux, Joyce

Honorary President, M.L.S.; Y-Teens; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room; Luminary Staff; Student Council; Locker Patral; French Club; Pep Club.

Monel, Mark

President Hame Room; Personal Narrative, C.F.C.; Student Council; Zoology Club.

Magruder, Ruby Transfer; Student Council; C.O.E.

Magruder, Ruth Transfer; C.O.E.





Mallory, Barbara

Dignitory, Officer, T.L.S.; Gold Medal Honor Society; Senior Ballot; Junior, Senior Executive Committee; Student Director, Spring Play '56; R.O.T.C. Queen; President, Home Room; Pep Club; Luminary Staff; Interlinguistic Council; Gris Chair; Y-Teens; Concert Chair; Student Council; Officer, Teen Town Committee; Centralian Staff; Red Cross Representative; Quill and Scroll; Informal Essay '57; Officer, Drama, Zoology, Latin, English Clubs.

Mansell, Don

Marshall, Diana

Y-Teens; Zoology Club; Cafeteria Hostess; Locker Patrol.

Martin, Nancy

Mayta, David

Band; All-City Band; R.O.T.C.; Rifle Team; All-City Rifle Team; Officer, Memorial Club; Student Council; Chess Club; Central Rifle Club.

Megerson, Carole
D.L.S.; Pep Club: Drama Club; French Club; Future Nurses;
Horizon Club; Girls' Choir; Student Council; Red Cross Representative.

Melton, Barbara

Officer, Dignitary, M.L.S., Officer, Zoology Club; Officer, Girls Choir; Red Cross; Student Council; Locker Patrol, Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; French Club; Shorthand Award; French Club; Officer, Home Room.

Merfen, Myrna

Officer, Olympian, S.L.H.; Student Council; Red Cross Represent-ative; President, Home Room; Big "C"; Small and Large Shield, Highest Award, Girls' Sports, Hockey, Volleyball Sportsdays; Manager Softball; Y-Teens; Zoology Club; Latin Club; Intra-murals.

Meyer, Judy

Luminary Staff, Drama Club; Zoology Club; Student Council; Officer, Y-Teens; President, Photography Club; Honor Society; Pep Club; Locker Patrol; S.L.H.; Red Cross; Latin Club.

Milberger, Sharon
Officer, Latin Club; Spanish Club; Pep Club; Y-Teens, Typing Awards; Round Table; Officer, Olympian; President, Dignitory S.L.H.; Gold Medal, Honor Society; President A.A.U.W.; Small and Large Shield, Big "C"; Hockey Sportsday '57.

Miller, Kar!

Bronze Medal; Gold Key Art Award.

Miller, Patricia

Student Council.

What's brewing? Miss Wing's 7th hour cooking class experiments with a little bit of this and a little of that. Barbara Cowan and Ruth Lancaster stir the mixtures up to see what will turn out.



Milne, Richard

Basketball; Track; C.F.C.; Student Council; Hi-Y; German Club; Locker Patrol; Honor Corps; Home Room Officer.

Misenhelter, Aaron Ed

President, German Club; Luminary Staff; French Club; English Club; Interlinguistic Council; Photography Club; Drama Club; Chess Club; Zoology Club; Red Cross Alternate.

Mitchell, Cliff

Engineers Club; Latin Club.

Monger, Billy Leroy

Montgomery, Penny

Honorary President, Dignitary, S.L.H.; Officer, Olympian; Band; All-City Band; Big "C'; Hockey '56, '57, Basketball '57, Sports-days; President, Horizon Club; Zoology Club; Honor Society.

Morris, Carolyn Jean

Gold Key, Art Award.

Morris, Jim

Honor Corps: Locker Patrol; Student Council; President, Home Room; Hi-Y; Youth and Government; Basketball; Intersociety Representative; C.F.C.; Prepared Speech '57; German Club; Engineers Club; Round Table.

Moss, Larry Ray

Band, Orchestra; Officer, R.O.T.C.; Rifle Team; President, Me-morial Club; President, Central Rifle Club; Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Officer, Home Room; Battalian Cam-mander.

Mueller, Bob

Stage Crew; Concert Choir; Zoology Club; Student Council; Spring Play Staff,

Mulhollen, Diana

Red Cross Representative; NOMA, Shorthand Awards.

Muza, Gary

Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Football; C.E.C.; Zoology Club.

Nedblake, Greg

Round Table.

Neill, Don

Archery Club; Photography Club; Gold Key Art Award.

Nelson, Karen

Officer, Dignitary, S.L.H.; Girls' Choir; Harmonettes; Zoology Club; Spanish Club; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Gold Medal, Hanor So-ciety; Silver Medal, Personal Narrative '56; Typing Award; Student Council.

Nelson, Lucille Transfer.

Nelson, Sandra

Nix, Glen

Band; Football.

Nolen, Charlene Marie

Nordlohne, Larry

Northington, Ronald

Red Cross Representative; C.O.E.; Officer, Home Room,

Oliver, Darlene

Oliver, Ronald CJ.C.

O'Neill, Bob

Owen, David

Owens, Thomas Charles

Latin Club; C.M.C.; R.O.T.C.; Red Cross.

Owsley, Ronnie

Football; Track; Officer, "C" Club; Officer, Home Room; Stu-dent Council; Hanor Corps, Bronze Medal, Hanor Society; C.E.C.

Ozorkiewicz, Joseph

Football Manager; Track; Student Council; Luminary Staff; President, Home Room; Red Cross Representative.

Palmer, Richard

President, Dignitary, C.W.C.; French Club; Drama Club; Galf Team, Student Council; Honor Corps; Silver Medal, Honor Society,

Attention! And the 7th hour gym experts file in line. This hour is reserved for the advanced girls. They REALLY are the athletes!

Park, Linda Alice

Luminary Staff; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; S.L.H.; Officer, Zoology Club; Spanish Club; Pep Club; Olympians; Art Award; Locker Patrol.

Parker, Botty Kathryne

Silver Medal, Honor Society, Luminary Staff; Quill and Scroll; Pep Club; Zoology Club; Round Table; Typing Award.

Parker, Mary Ellen

Parkhurst, Amy Ann
President, Gold Medal, Honor Society, President, Dignitary, Prepared Speech '57, M.L.S.; President, Latin Club and Droma
Club; Spanish Club; Officer, Pep Club; A.A.U.W. Orchestra
Festivals; All-City, All-State Orchestras; Spring Concerts; Spring
Play '57, Assistant Student Director '56; Student Council; Teen
Town Committee; Senior Ballat; Inter-Linguistic Council; Locker
Patrol.

Pernacott, John Joseph DeLano

Parsons, Patricia Louise

Officer, Dignitary, S.L.H., Silver Medal, Honor Society, Concert Choir; Girls' Choir; Harmonettes, Spring Concert '55, '56, '57, Student Council; President, Home Room, Harizon Club; Y-Teens, Drama Club; Shorthand Award; Typing Award, NOMA Spelling Awards.

Pasley, Robert Lewis C.F.C.; C.O.E.

Patrick, Norma Jean

Patty, Carol Ruth Y-Teens, Pep Club; Girls' Choir, Spring Concert.

Perdue, Betty Medora Student Council; Pep Club; C.O.E.; Officer, Home Room.

Phillips, Connie

Y-Teens; Pep Club; Latin Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society; President, Home Room,

Phillips, Marvis Ruth

Girls' Choir; Future Nurses; Student Council; Pep Club.

Pitts, William Thomas

C.O.E.; Officer, Home Room; Red Cross Representative.

Pool, Gary Don

Officer, Home Room; Red Cross Representative

Popplewell, Morjorie Sue Art Award; C.O.E.

Potter, Sandra Kay Pep Club; Typing Award; Office Assistant; C.O.E.

Potts, Defores Helen

President, Dignitary, M.L.S.; Gold Medal, Hanor Society, President, Spanish Club; Centralian Staff: Concert Chair; Saring Concert '56, '57; Chair Festival '56, '57; Officer, Horizon Club; Gold Medal, Verse, Intersociety '55; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Inter-Linaustic Council; Red Cross Representative; City Holl Day '57; Student Council; Officer, Home Room; Locker Patrol.

Pouncil, Joe Louis

Transfer; Basketball; Band.

Powell, Clarence, Jr. Hi-Y; Track '55, '56

Powell, Robert Joseph

Art Award: Student Council; Officer, Home Room; Engineers Club: C.F.C.

Pritchard, Carol Lutitia

President, Dignitary, Verse '57, T.L.S.; Cheerleader; Pep Club; Y-Teens, Latin Club; Student Council; Red Cross Representative; Teen Town Committee: Centralian Staff; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Shorthand Award; Officer, Home Room.

Purtle, Joyce Elaine

Silver Medal, Honor Society; C.O.E.; Band; Orchestra; Locker Patrol.

Pyatt, Everett

Centralian Staff '56, '57; Luminary Staff; Quill and Scroll; Gold Medal. Honor Society; Officer, Honor Society; Officer, Student Council; Officer, Spanish Club; Engineers Club; Hi-Y; Officer, C.W.C.

Raimos, Barbara Jean

Reistin, Carol Ann

Honorary President, D.L.S.; President, Horizon Club; Olymaian Club; French Club; Zoology Club; Student Council; Pep Club; Captain, Locker Patral; Red Cross Representative; Shorthand Award; Big "C"; Individual and Basketball Sportsdays, '57:

Rawlins, Naomi Ruth

Olympians: Officer. Dignitary, D.L.S.; Girls' Chair; Cancert Chair; Spring Concert, '55, '56, '57; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Softball, Basketball, Valleyball, and Hockey Sportsdays; Big "C"

Ray, Herman Transfer; Football.

Redpath, James Michael

Football, Tennis Team; Latin Club; Drama Club; President, Hi-Y; President, Home Room; Officer, C.E.C.; Cabinet, Student Cauncil; Silver Medal, Honar Society; "C" Club; Honar Corps; Chairman, Courtesy Cammittee.

Don't look at your hands! Keep your eyes on the text book! You can see these typing students follow directions in Mrs. McKanna's typing class, Room 34.





Reno, Forrest Edward

Richardson, Julia Ann Frances

Y-Teens; Red Cross, Gold Keys, Merits, National Art Awards; Gold Key, Merits, Regional Art Awards .

Richardson, Nancy Lee

Gold Medal, Honor Society; "C"; Highest Award; President, Olympian Club; Senior Ballot.

Riddle, Martha Louise

Pep Club; Latin Club; Luminary Staff; Office Assistant '55, '57; Junior Achievement.

Ridenour, Dean DeLano

Rodgers, Vivian Jean

Rogers, Eugene Robert

C.O.E.

Rohovit, Larry Lee
Officer, C.E.C.; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Honor Corps;
Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Officer, Home Room.

Roll, Hugh Wilson, Jr.

Captain, Company Commander, "C" Company, Commander, Composite Company; Field Day, R.O.T.C.; Engineers Club; Latin Club.

Rorie, Yvonne Gail

Y-Teens.

Rutan, Patricia L.

T.L.S., Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Student Council; Officer, Home Roam; Y-Teens; Luminary Staff.

Sacco, Juanita Kathryn

C.O.E.; Typing Award.

Sanders, Borbara Lynne

Officer, Olympians; Officer, Dignitary, D.L.S.; Volleyball and Hockey Sportsdays; Manager, Basketball Sportsday; Spanish Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Small Shield, Large Shield, Big "C": Luminary Staff; Quill and Scroll; Manager, Individual Sports.

Sandlin, F. Dwight

Bronze Medal, Honor Society; German Club; Engineers Club; Red Cross Alternate; C.O.E.

Sarrett, Barbara Lucille

President, Dignitary, T.L.S.; Officer, Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Student Council; Officer, Home Room.

Schelp, Mary Ann

S.L.H.; Pep Club; Big Shield; Home Room Officer; Girls' Chair; 3 Year Graduate.

Schwab, Larry

C.E.C.; Hi-Y; Locker Patrol; Honor Corps; Student Council; Of-ticer; Home Room; Red Cross Representative; Senior Ballot.

Scott, Judy Anne

Red Cross Alternate.

Scott, Laura Mae

Scribner, Jonet Kay

Olympian Club; S.L.H.; Honor Society; Latin Club; Art Merit; Small Shield, Large Shield.

Shelton, Phillip Benton

Stage Manager '55, '56, '57; Officer, C.W.C., Chess Club; Spring Play Staff; Student Council; Stage Production; Officer, Home Room.

Shields, Michael Thornton

Art Gold Key Award; Art Merit; Honor Corps; Track.

Shinn, Carolyn F.

Spring Play '55, '56, '57, President, Dignitary, Declamation '55, '57, D.L.S.; Concert Choir; Luminary Staff; Drama Club; Central Singers; Locker Patrol; Senior Ballot; Spanish Club; Srrina Concert '55, '56, '57; Talent Exchange Assemblies '55, '56, '57.

Shipley, Wanda Lee

Transfer, Typing Award, Spring Play Production Staff; Officer, Future Teachers, Luminary Staff; Silver Medal, Honor Society, Student Council; Cafeteria Hostess; Round Table.

Shull, Mary Jeanette

Sims, Beverly Faye

Transfer; Y-Teens; Cafeteria Hostess.

Sims, Freddie James

Student Council; Cross Country; "C" Club; Hi-Y; Band; Cafe-feria Host; Talent Exchange Assembly '56, '57.

Slater, Sherrie Suzanne

Red Crass Representative; Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Officer, T.L.S.; Silver Medal, Honor Society; Harmonettes; Latin Club; Drama Club; Declamation '56; Girls' Choir; Luminary Staff.

"A stitch in time saves nine." Shown here in Room 306 are girls of one of the sewing classes working on their fashionable creations. Sewing is a very profitable skill in this expensive age.



Slavens, Richard Lee Football; "C" Club; C.F.C.

Smith, Carol Ann Pep Club; Horizon Club; C.O.E.

Smith, Jack E., Jr.

th, Jack E., Jr. C.E.C.: President, Rick Creek Hi-Y; Honor Society; Student Coun-cil, Officer, Home Room; Locker Patrol; Red Cross Representa-tive, Engineers Club.

Smith, Leslie Gordon

ith, Leslie Gordon
Officer, Memorial Club; Student Council; Concert Chair; Officer,
Zaology Club; President, English Club; Officer, Inter-Linguistic
Council; Red Cross Representative; Latin Club; Hi-Y; Officer,
Photography Club; Officer, Cafeteria Courtesy Committee; Lt.
Col. Battalian Staff, R.O.T.C.

Smith, Mary Frances Y-Teens, Drama Club; C.O.E.

Smith, Rita R.

Orchestra; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Latin Club; Red Cross Representative.

Officer, Thespian Club; French Club; Spring Play, '57; Scholastic Art Award; Thonksgiving Play, '56; Officer, Home Room; Red Cross Representative; Cafeteria Host.

Spangler, Joe Harvey
Dignitory, Officer, C.W.C.; President, Home Room; French Club;
Art Awards; Student Council.

Spetts, J. T. President, Dignitary, Informal Essay '57, C.J.C.; Centralian Staff; Luminary Staff; Gold Medal, Honor Society: Officer, Latin Club; Officer, Drama Club; Spanish Club; Zoology Club; President, Home Room.

Stanton, Marilyn Kay

Honorary President, Dignitary, T.L.S.; Pep Club; Luminary Staff; Typing Award.

Steury, Donald Ward

Chess Club; Cafeteria Committee; Red Cross Alternate; Honor Society.

Stewart, Jessie May
Officer, French Club; Drama Club; Honor Society; Y-Teens;
Small Shield; Shorthand Award.

Stolte, Loretta Jean

Stone, Keith C.

Zoology Club; Locker Patrol.

Stover, Betty Jeanne

Gold Medal, Honor Saciety; Student Council; Red Cross; NOMA Spelling Certificate; Shorthand Certificate; Typing Certificate; Home Room Officer.

Stover, Sharon La Rhue

President, Dignitary D.L.S.; Verse '56; Officer, Y-Teens; Teen Town Cammittee; Spanish Club; French Club; Silver Medal Honor Society; Red Cross Alternate; Locker Patrol; Luminary Staff.

















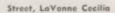












Stroud, Sandra Jean

President, Dignitary, A. L. S.; Pep Club; Teen Town Committee; Locker Patrol; Officer, Zoology Club; French Club; Red Cross Representative; All-City Red Cross Council; Y-Teens; Art Award;

Stucker, Betti Jo

President, Dignitary, A.L.S., President, Teen Town Committee; Officer, Home Room, Student Council, Red Cross Representative; Spanish Club; Y-Teens, Branze Medal, Honor Society; Shorthand and Typing Awards, Luminary Staff, Pep Club; Senior Ballot; Captain, Locker Patrol.

Swarts, Helen M.

Future Nurses Club; Silver Medal, Honor Society; C.O.E.; Nurse's Assistant.

Tally, Lorraine Ann

Officer, Dignitary, M.L.S.; Gold Medal Honor Society; Luminary; Student Council; Teen Town Committee; Latin Club; Pep Club; Girls' Choir; Harmonettes.

Thacker, Betty Ann

Spring Play '54, '56; Girls' Choir; Zoology Club.

Thomson, Charles E., Jr.

C.F.C., Student Council; President Hi-Y; Youth in Government Representative; Engineer's Club.

Thornburg, Neil Thomas

Tillmon, Ronald E.

Transfer; Gold Medal, Honor Society, Latin Club; Zoology Club; Honor Carps; Scholastic Art Awards; Student Council.

Tourney, Deanna Rose

Concert Choir; Transfer,

Triplett, Phyllis

Tucker, James

Honor Corps; Football; Art Award; Talent Exchange Assembly; Home Room Officer; Red Cross Representative; Student Council; Senior Ballot.

Miss Kite, in Room 403, is shown in this picture explaining the "do's and don'ts" of the Enalish Language to her (hope so anyway) bright aspiring students. One thing that should inspire young people to take several years of English is the realization that it is essential for clear communication and influential in obtaining a promising job.



Tuckness, Carol Ann

Turner, Elaine Transfer, Glee Club.

Underhill, Beverly Jean Hame Room Officer; Student Council; Teen Tawn Committee; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Officer, Latin Club; Shorthand Award; Officer, A.L.S.; Coptain, Locker Patrol; Luminary Staff.

Upton, Glen
C.F.C., Officer, "C" Club; Hanor Corps; Football '55, '56, '57;
Officer, Hame Room; Locker Patrol.

Van Bebber, Joyce

Vermillion, Melba Wanda Lee
Officer, Olympian Club; Hockey Sports Day '56; Small Shield;
Large Shield; "C"; Highest Award; Home Room Officer; NOMA
Spelling Award.

Vick, Ken Alan Officer, Archery Club; Spanish Club.

Viers, Edwin

Co-Editor, Centralian; Silver Medal, Honor Society; President, Dignitary, C.J.C.; Engineers Club; Spanish Club; Art Award.

Vogelsmeier, Don L.
Concert Choir; "C" Club; Football; Track; Dignitary, C.W.C.;
Honor Corps; Home Room Officer; Concert Choir Officer.

Warren, Annette

Y-Teens; Future Teachers Club; Red Cross Representative; Cafeteria Hostess.

Webb, Marcieree Lavon Cafeteria Hostess

Webster, Carolyn Dorothy

Transfer; Y-Teens; Drama Club; Round Table; Locker Patrol; Hanar Society; City Hall Day '56, '57.

Wennersten, Robert

President, Student Council; Gold Medal, Declamation, Inter-society Representative, Dignitary, C.W.C.; Junior Executive Board, Honor Carps; Gold Medal, Honor Society; Spring Play '54, '55, '56, '57; Senior Ballot; Press Drama Club.

West, Shirley Mae

Large Shield; Sports Award; C.O.E.; Future Nurses Club; Student Council.

Wheaton, Jacque May

Intersociety Representative, Officer, D.L.S.; Dignitary; Centralian Staff; Student Council; Honor Society; Formal Essay '57; Drama Club; Spanish Club; Locker Patrol.

Whitaker, William P.

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Football: Basketball 3 Year Letterman; Trock: Vice-President,
Gold Medal, Honor Society; "C" Club; Red Cross; Student
Council; Officer, Honor Corps; Locker Patrol; Officer, Hi-Y;
Youth In Government '55, '56, '57; Junior Ballot; President,
Personal Narrative '56, '57, C.E.C.; City Hall Day '57.

Wilkinson, Marjorie Kay

President, Future Teachers; Y-Teens; Inter-Club Council Repre-sentative; Vice-President, All-City Inter-Club Council; German Club Officer; Red Cross Representative; Centralian Staff; Pep Club; Honorable Mention "I Speak for Democracy" Contest; Round Table; Inter-Linguistic Council; Honor Society; Latin Club; Home Room Officer; Student Council.

Willett, Marvin F. Locker Patrol.

Williams, Martha Jane Mid-Year Grad.

Williams, Melvin Hi-Y; Talent Exchange Assembly; Band; Orchestra.

Williams, Mildred Lois Mid-Year Grad.

Wilson, Sharron Ann Olympian Club; Hockey Sportsday '56; German Club; Nurses Club.

Wilwerding, Allan

President, Informal Essay, C.F.C.; "C" Club; Honor Corps; 2 Year Letterman, Football; 3 Year Letterman, Track; Hanorable Men-tion, Football; Bronze Medal, Honor Society; Student Council; Home Room Officer.

Windes, Ramona Rae
Co-Editor, Centralian; Vice-President, Y-Teens; Gold Medal,
Honor Society; Pep Club; Student Council; Locker Patral; Home
Room Officer; Future Teachers Club; Art Award; Luminary Staff.

Winingar, Karen

Officer, Dignitary, D.L.S.; Olympian Club; Spanish Club; Latin Club; Future Teachers Club; Small Shield, Large Shield; Big "C"; Hockey Sportsday '56; Hockey Manager '56; Student Teacher, Locker Patrol; Home Room Officer.

Woodrame, Sarah Helen
Mid-Year Graduate; M.L.S.; Officer, Red Cross; Pep Club;
Zoology Club; Y-Teens; Teen Town Committee; Home Room
Officer; Locker Patrol; Cafeteria Hostess.

Woods, Billie Jean

Y-Teens: Red Cross Representative; Pep Club; President, Home Room; Shorthand, Typing Awards; Small Shield; Teen Town Committee; Transfer.

Woods, Deanna Ruth

Locker Patrol, Red Cross Representative; Assistant, School Bank; Home Room Officer.

"Old faithful"—the library! Any time you're in doubt, the one sure place to go is to the library. Miss Brassfield, shown here, is helping two students find the right books for their projects.

Weelsey, Margaret Ann Student Council; Officer, Home Room; Small Shield.

Woolsey, Penelope

Wright, Georgia

Wright, Lyle D. C.M.C.; R.O.T.C.; C.O.E.

Yancy, Paul Douglas

R.O.T.C. Captain; Red Cross Representative; Memorial Club Officer; Hi-Y; Engineers Club; Student Council; Rifle Team; Marching Band; French Club; Drama Club; Transfer,

Yearout, Dorothy Faye

C.O.E.; Zoology Club; Home Room Officer; Small Shield.

Younger, Larry M.

Engineers Club; Chess Club; Zoology Club; Archery Club.

Zeagle, Loretta

Transfer; President, Home Room; Small Shield.

Weltman, Martin

President, Student Council; Officer, C.W.C.; President, Aquiliferi; Officer, Drama Club; Officer, Hi-Y; Red Cross Representative; Engineers Club; Concert Choir; Central Singers; Six Semester Honor Society; Spring Play '56.





## Seniors Not in the Panels

Bagby, James
Barnes, Samuel
Becker, Marsha
Bennett, Donald
Brewer, Marlene
Crawford, John
Cribbs, Barbara
Davis, Peggy
Dawson, Patricia
Denton, Claude
Eichelberger, Sondra
Ford, Janet
Francis, Robert

Gage, Herbert
Gensler, Don
Hacker, James
Hammack, De Wayne
Hammond, Harry
Hardin, Felix
Henze, Douglas
Hines, Bob
Hornbeck, Nancy
Howery, Kathryn
Kalen, William
McCoy, Fred

Moore, Robert
Parker, Kenneth
Peeler, Larry
Phillips, Eldon
Redd, Joan
Rowan, Donna
Sanders, Clarence
Sevart, Jim
Seymour, Kenneth
Shively, William
Toms, Billy
Van Dolah, Leona
Williams, Alonzo

## Senior Feetures and Headliners



## Calendar Headline Events of '56 and '57

#### September . . .

New color planned for Central's auditorium, cafeteria, and classrooms. "Well, this will be great," said many students; and before long, we had new paint here and there, making Central really perky.

New uniforms to brighten Pep Club's glamour . .

saw the gals in their new uniforms at the games.

Wennersten headed Student Council; Kincaid, V.-P. on second ballot. Bob really did a good job and we have him to thank for those extra shots of pep at the assemblies.

Hickman and Huff to direct Honor Corps this year. Again, with able leaders, the Honor Corps have proven themselves a worthwhile organization

Jimmy Jay was the holder of a very interesting job. Jim, being the bat boy for the Kansas City Athletics, got to take a road trip, visiting Cleveland and Chicago with the club.

Southwest fell to fighting Eagles in first gridiron contest of the season. Eagles defeated the favored Southwest Indians, 31-13, Friday, 13.

Vivacious demoiselle from Paris joined the senior class. Colette Dubois of La Celle, Paris, stayed with the Sturgess family.

Eagles whip Westport Tigers. On September 28, the Eagles beat the Tigers 14-0 in the first league contest of the season.

Pep Club mixer added spice to school life. On October 1, the Pep Club sponsored a mixer to raise money to buy their insignia for the new Pep Club sweaters.

Moss to head Central's cadets; battalion staff prepared for special

events. This was announced on October 9 by Sgt. Clyde Smith.

League lead went to Central Titans as Huff smashed Vikings and Pirates. Central's annual foe, the Northeast Vikings, were defeated on October 4 with the score of 13-6. We saw victory again when we defeated Paseo 20-0 on Friday, October 12.

Viers and Windes headed yearbook staff. The yearbook staff will receive one academic credit for their work on the project. Chosen for other positions were Mallory, Johnson, Spotts, Potts, Edwards, Wilkinson, Wheaton, Pritchard, Hardin, and Pyatt.

Honor Society elected Parkhurst president, Bill Whitaker, vice-president, Everett Pyatt, secretary, and Sue Appleby, treasurer. The Honor Society encouraged students to maintain scholastic achievement worthy of their

Seniors were guests of Business and Industry. On B-E Day, the seniors were guests to different corporations, and enjoyed a luncheon. Souvenirs were

Enjoyable mixer opened United Funds Campaign. A mixer held in the girls' gym after school October 24 started off the United Funds campaign at Central with a contribution of \$110.00 from ticket sales.

Central raced toward league title as Tigers were routed. Central crushed the Lincoln Tigers 33-0 on October 26. Owsley scored standing up in the second quarter on a 5-yard slant.

Eagle cross country team placed third in city meet. Central's cross country team finished in third position in the annual Interscholastic League cross country race held October 17.

#### November . . .

Central's Queen Grace added charm to football assembly and Homecoming game. Grace Duren was crowned Central Homecoming Queen for 1956 by her escort, Glen Upton, in an assembly November 2. Ed Huff chosen to head class of '57; Bredemeier, Duren, Foote, Hickman

are other officers. The other candidates who became members of the Senior Class Board are King, Mallory, Davisson, Tillmon, and Wennersten.

Eagles took pounding from Knights but whipped Redbirds for Number 2 spot with 5-1 record. Southeast smashed the Blue Eagle 41-7. The Eagles ended the season in a 26-0 shut-out in vindication of their licking by the Knights.

Central girls kept winning tradition; no hockey defeats in eight years The girls were victorious at sportsday, beating Van Horn 5-0 and Manual 3-0.

#### December . . .

Ed Huff and Loren Foster named to All-City team.

Barbara Mallory reigned as queen of Central's battalion at ROTC ball. High School day in the City Hall opened with school mayor try-outs. The candidates who presented their platforms to the student body were Sue Appleby, Bob Brown, Jackie Flournoy, Don Fuller, Everett Pyatt, and Judy

Teen Town seemed doomed; only 19 buy season passes. However, the P.T.A. took charge of ticket sales and Central was able to have Teen Town once a month.

Fall Fun Fair a success; enjoyed by all who attend. The mixer was sponsored by the O'ympian Club to raise money for the athletic awards for the girls' physical education department.

Music, tinsel, and parties make Christmas season joyous. Most home rooms had parties and there was a special musical assembly put on by the chairs under the direction of Mr. Schmitt.

#### January . . .

League starts tonight as Eagles meet Vikes. The Central Eagles will meet Northeast tonight in the first league action of the season.

Three Centralites named finalists in merit scholarship competition. Ronald

Baldwin, Donald Clarke, and Ropert Wennersten were facing stiff three-hour College Board examination to determine the recipient of the award.

Ed Huff named Mr. Football at Pep Club dinner.

Westport Tigers edged 38-36 on the Southeast court by the Central Eagles to give them their first league win.

#### February . . .

Weltman headed Student Council; Bredemeier won vice-presidency. The candidates, Bredemeier, Mallory, Kimball, Weltman, and Cessna, presented their platforms in three-minute talks in double assemblies.

Old England at Central; Miss Kite held tea. A clever program followed, which consisted of a mumming portrayed by John Hickman, Ed Viers, Bob Wennersten, David Blevins, and John Cessna.

Free polio immunization to all Central Students. Riddle and Appleby wan national contest goals.

Departmental Clubs enjoyed food and fun at parties. The English and French Clubs had dances at the Linwood Y providing enjoyable evenings for all.

Central Eagles walloped Van Horn; defeat Southwest; upset by Knights. The Central Eagles flew high by defeating Van Horn 28-17. Leading scorers for Central were John Hickman with 21 points and Larry Peeler with 13.

Top roles in spring play captured by Blackwood, Parkhurst, and Shinn. Weeks of mounting suspense reached a climax February 11 when Edwin . Nance, Drama instructor, announced this year's spring play, "Time Out for Ginger.

Hardin and Parkhurst won in Sons of Revolution Essay Contest. The girls, their parents, and their faculty sponsor, Miss IIa Maude Kite, attended a dinner where the girls were presented medals and checks for their efforts. Eagles squeezed past Paseo Pirates; Kingbirds shellacked Manual 68-44.

#### March . . .

Gold Key awards to 29 Central artists in Scholastic Art Regional Contest. Again Central's art department brought home more than its share of gold key awards. Winners were presented their awards at the Nelson Gallery of Art.

Jim Jay surpassed old record in 1957 Centralian sales campaign.

Stage equipment added to stage improvements. Did you balcony sitters enjoy programs more this year? Maybe it was because you could hear better.

Mnookin-Brown gift to Jackie Flournoy. Jackie was chosen by Central's committee as the senior who had done most to promote better human relations at Central.

Pep Club honors Hickman at annual basketball feast. John was crowned Basketball at the Pep Club dinner.

Rhythm for Colsolidated provided by Don Accurso. "Consolidated" was the annual spring dance given by the nine literary societies for members and

Eagles beat the Indians; edge out Rockhurst; Bucs foiled state bid.

Hickman made all-star. John's dependable play and 165 league points were responsible, not only for his All-Star selection, but for his being chosen the captain of the All-Star team.

Brains, Brawn, Charm, Grace, Talent—'57 named classmates with the "most." The twenty seniors judged by their classmates were chosen for the traditional Senior Ballot at a class meeting.

Best Students	Bob Brown, Sue Appleby
Best Athletes	Ed Huff, Nancy Richardson
Best Dressed	Jerry Foote, Barbara Mallory
Best Actors	Pat Blackwood, Carolina Shinn
Best Musicians	Walter Hook, Amy Parkhurst
Best Dancers	Jim Tucker, Betti Jo Stucker
Done Most	Bob Wennersten, Dorothy Davisson
Most Popular	John Hickman, Grace Duren
Social Beau and Belle	Wally Bredemeier, Linda Cordry
Jolly Good	Larry Schwab, Sue King

Honors to Seniors in Honor Society; Dr. Lovinger is Guest Speaker. Twentynine seniors received gold pins.

Seniors see Canadian players in "Hamlet" at Plaza Theater. Seventyseven seniors attend the performance, after which the statement "Something is rotten in the state of Denmark," has been used profusely.

Coffee House atmosphere revived for an hour in 205. Intellectuals of 18th Century Landon who met in coffee houses to discuss literature didn't have a thing over Miss Doris Callahan's English Literature class when recently they discussed poetry over cups of coffee.

Blackwood joins league as puppeteer in TV show. Pat landed a job on KCMO-TV program for children.

All-District and All-State honored John Hickman.

The 70th annual Intersociety brought suspense in long tradition of club competition. One of the finest events of the year at Central, an event that is backed by years of tradition, labor, disappointments, and celebration— Intersociety contest! The Minervas won with 16 points!

#### May . . .

May 18 was Prom night for Eagle Upperclassmen. Les Copley and his orchestra provided music in the Little Theatre for the gala occasion.

. . . So ended another year with its many events. . .

Mrs. Olivia Mathewson High School Teacher



## R. J. DeLano School

Although the seniors of the R. J. DeLano school have never attended a class in Central High School building, they were graduated as Central seniors with the Central Class of 1957. This accrediting was authorized in 1940. Each year some DeLano students have achieved this distinction. Their work is done under the tutelage of Mrs. Olivia Mathewson, their home room teacher, assisted by teachers from Central Junior and Central Senior schools. Their senior ring is white gold and carries the letter "D" on the crest.

Friendliness characterizes the cheerful atmosphere throughout the school. The classes are small and many of the students have spent twelve years at DeLano. So they regard it as their second home, mainly because such a close tie of mutual respect exists between pupil and teacher and therapist. Fun figured prominently in the school day for DeLanoites for they bowled at the Plaza Bowl, printed their original poems in book form, played checkers and dominoes, took field trips to fire departments and to K. U. at Lawrence, attended Philharmonic concerts, and boys visited Navy Reserve Training Center.

Many Service Clubs in the city are interested in DeLano; the Sertoma club gave the school framed copies of the Declaration of Independence; the Teamsters Local Union No. 541 gave them an RCA-Victor television set, the Missouri Conservation Commission sent Mr. Frazier to show his movie on wild birds. Dr. Mary C. Cortner gave them a tape recorder; and the Mercury Club gave them a Christmas dinner.

Back Row: J. Parmacatt, K. Renick, Mrs. Mathewson, L. Norman, M. A. Higgs, R. Hunter, J. Robertson, D. Spoor. Front Row: N. Hovey, M. J. Dillon, D. Ridenoor, G. Wehry, D. Bennett.





Clockwise: Solly Richerson, Larry Mansker, Larry Allen, Carolyn Saxton, Linda Hood.

## Underclassmen Look to the Top

The 1958 Senior Class promises to be one of the most outstanding in Central's history. Mr. Kirk, the Junior Class counselor, is certainly proud of his people as he brags that a larger number than ever before will go to Boys' State and Girls' State and at least thirty juniors have taken the May College Board Examination. Some have applied for scholarships to workshops and conferences for outstanding high school students in high-ranking universities in the country. Central's Tommy Schwindt will travel to Europe this summer, sponsored by the American Field Service as Central's foreign exchange

student. He will live in Germany.

It was the responsibility of the junior officers to help the senior officers plan the Junior-Senior Prom, which was one of the most important events of the year. In the Little Theatre of the Municipal Auditorium, juniors, seniors and their dates danced from 8:30 to 12:00 to the music of Les Copley's Orchestra. It is also the responsibility of the junior officers to serve the seniors in the cafeteria on Senior Day and thus, by relieving this year's seniors of their responsibilities and burdens, to become initiated into their roles as leaders of Central High School.

#### JUNIOR OFFICERS

President	Larry Mansker
Vice-President	Linda Hood
Secretary	
Treasurer	
Sergeant-at-Arms	Larry Allen

### **JUNIORS**

Top Row: C. Hudson, P. Ferrell, D. Thomas, T. Bradley, F. Lewis, R. Love, R. Bland. Row 4: V. Gasney, R. Martin, W. Wolf, J. Jockson, J. Ghrist, R. Boyd. Row 3: D. Fitzgerald, L. Tucker, D. Pierce, S. Buck, A. Luther, R. Duncan, H. Jensen. Row 2: R. Deaton, D. Brooks, N. Hendrix, J. Hadson, J. Fry, H. McGilton. Row 1: P. Ebeling, J. Brown, M. Boyd, C. O'Dell, S. Ward, S. Richerson, C. Davis, B. Helms.

Top Row: L. Cox, L. Rolf, K. Green, T. Guhl, B. Cox, W. Potts. Row 4: H. Whyzer, K. Bushnell, V. Simmons, J. Fetters, K. Striker, G. Pluff. Row 3: B. Stratton, J. Misenhelter, J. Thomas, J. Kempker, M. Hatfield. Row 2: J. Guyer, D. Millard, M. Ghrist, L. Sturgess, P. Kimble, V. Patton. Row 1: J. Manning, S. Infante, L. Hood, S. Nolan, B. Snell.

Tap Row: D. Fuller, R. McCrea, L. Cox, D. Watkins, B. Hadley, H. Henry. Row 4: J. Reinkemeyer, J. Smith, S. Owen, S. Harris, J. Vaughan, D. Magel. Row 3: J. Conway, M. Shadden, P. Wedemeier, J. Heigle, M. Williams, E. Ensminger. Row 2: K. Ihnow, S. Yeager, V. Ladewig, M. Hicks, T. Bolenbaugh, K. Denman. Row 1: L. Wegener, C. Fry, M. Williams, P. Dyer, J. Gordon, D. Simmons.









Top Row: G. Hurst, J. Rumbo, G. Johnson, L. Allen, J. Eckhardt, D. Huntsinger, Row 4: J. Gordan, T. Sinnett, J. Helm, G. Sylvester, D. Watson, R. Haley, Row 3: K. Nelson, N. Boline, D. Bacus, C. Purcell, D. Wilson, W. Hupp. Row 2: N. Paxton, S. Wilson, B. Hennrich, B. Dent, N. Jay, J. Blair, E. Sanders, Row 1: L. Campbell, D. Melton, S. Buchta, S. Seymour, G. Hayes, J. Manfield, D. Schulte.



Top Row: G. Rainwater, J. McDonald, T. Marris, D. Files, J. Biesemyer. Row 4: M. Montgomery, W. Matheson, L. Moore, E. Plaster, F. Henke, R. Johnson. Row 3: D. McLain, R. Brown, L. Caswell, L. Owings, B. Brewster, L. Olsen, J. Knabe. Row 2: I. Knepper, S. Reynolds, S. McEntire, J. Pryor, J. Kilgore, K. Quisenberry, S. Shadden. Row 1: S. Rogers, N. Wilson, B. Gary, J. Edgerton, W. Boone, S. Graham, P. Dawson.



Top Row: T. Foster, T. Nelligan, E. Dwyer, B. Munden, O. Patterson, L. Sultzbaugh. Row 4: C. Custic, B. Sanders, W. Trotter, D. Oberholtz, K. Woods, M. Arnold. Row 3: M. Cummings, L. Scott, A. Brown, J. Richardson, D. Baker, M. Hall. Row 2: F. Sickmeier, J. Graham, S. Gregg, K. Woody, B. Barnes, M. Peyton. Row 1: K. McMichael, D. Williams, M. Guyer, A. Lancaster, K. Martin, G. Smith.

Top Row: R. Dahl, R. Miller, R. O'Korn, R. Mauch, T. Tucker, R. Gregg, H. Medlin, D. White. Row 4: B. Saturday, D. Berry, C. Vaughan, L. Winfrey, B. Jadlow, R. Surber, B. Moore, L. Carter, Row 3: J. Munden, L. Eanks, D. Driscoll, D. Frazier, T. Schwindt, R. Teague, J. Fox. Row 2: L. Settle, G. Fraley, S. Miles, J. Rountree, N. Ainsworth, B. Williams, H. Wenninghoff, Row 1: B. Meadors, S. Tunnell, E. Palmer, P. Wilson, C. Bowie, D. Alewine, F. Sanders, H. Greer.

Top Row: K. Johnson, J. Crawford, C. Saxton, E. Calter, L. Houston, D. Davidson, E. Cax. Row 4: B. Manning, D. Ruckford, L. Hurst, G. Zibung, M. Shultz. Row 3: L. Terry, V. Anderson, M. Reynolds, P. Morris, A. Benningfield, B. Howard. Row 2: M. Franklin, N. Ficken, J. Parker, J. Lynd, C. Harman, F. Duncan. Row 1: D. Holdshoe, V. Hiskey, G. DeLuca, B. Humbird, J. Gardner, S. Pullen.

Top Row: P. Jobes, L. Kelley, W. Shields, D. Barnett, L. Gray, T. Brady, L. Johns. Row 4: B. Uthe, D. Hacker, J. Hunt, D. Mikessel, K. Turner, L. Bastan. Row 3: M. Tillery, J. Capps, C. Himes, B. Gensler, P. Walker, C. Webster, Row 2: B. Cunningham, M. Buchanan, J. Graham, L. Stuart, M. Carter, Row 1: G. Richardson, P. Hensley, L. Cartwright, B. Watkins, V. Gibson, C. Lang.













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Top Row: C. Shaw, H. Tishk, L. Schuster, E. Schwindt, C. Spears, R. Steury. Row 4: D. Williams, J. Vermillion, L. Wolf, R. Wade, D. Simms. Row 3: R. Sipe, D. Tuckness, M. Young, C. Wilcox, S. Shade, W. Studyvin. Row 2: C. Schneider, N. Woods, L. Thompson, N. Vertreese, S. Shoats. Row 1: S. Strickland, D. Snowden, D. White, J. Zink, M. Van Meter, M. Sparks.

Top Row: L. Williamson, J. Thompson, W. Shipley, C. Taylor, P. Silvers. Row 3: B. Watts, G. Winfrey, E. Williams, B. Thomas, S. Spencer, B. Zink. Row 2: C. Ward, J. Stucker, A. Sherpy, N. Sodergren, J. Zmek, G. Thornton. Row 1: B. Park, S. Scotten, D. Tabler, D. Standley, N. Shull, M. Worcester.

Top Row: G. Jensen, L. Curtis, N. Jones, T. Jesmore, J. Hunkeler, J. Johnson, M. Loud, J. Eklund. Row 4: J. Hatfield, S. Burasco, R. Bliss, D. Bowman, C. Craig, S. Bratcher, L. Jones, N. Anderson, Row 3: L. Johnson, D. Kniffin, J. Hefter, P. Kennard, J. Austin, R. French, L. Beck. Row 2: B. Harnish, M. Briggs, N. Blatt, K. Hampton, P. Godden, B. Cooper, H. Allish, R. Bush. Row 1: S. Laughlin, D. Ferrill, B. Downs, B. Caruthers, G. Hughes, J. Eberhart, S. Baker.

Top Row: M. Ashenfelter, J. Callow, J. Baker, L. Hove, J. Carroll, W. Chatman. Row 4: G. Brown, B. Fitzpatrick, M. Jackson, C. Jones, L. Koutsoubos, V. Cooper, G. Caronah. Row 3: L. Harley, L. Legler, J. Borden, F. Crawford, M. Bennett, R. Karr, S. Grass, Row 2: J. Cook, B. Hatcher, P. Ball, S. Craig, M. Dudley, C. Fi.hback. Row 1: L. Kenney, J. Gregory, M. Bagby, C. Davis, B. Frames, K. Burns, L. Ferguson.

Top Row: E. Lutes, J. Munden, W. Ploeger, G. McDonald, D. McVey, L. Packer. Row 4: M. Roberts, D. McCroskie, J. McCroskie, W. Piper, A. Potter, P. Roark. Row 3: A. Mobley, B. Minter, G. Ralstin, N. Runyon, L. Manning, J. Orvis. Row 2: L. Rice, D. Perry, A. Rowley, K. Lee, M. Moore, T. Pevler. Row 1: K. Masteller, M. Rocha, S. Raimos, S. Reynolds, L. Owens, N. Pope.

Top Row: D. Jones, L. Lewis, D. Hudson, R. Hale, R. Helmer, G. Jackson, R. Clark, B. Ainsworth. Row 4: F. Bredehoeft, C. Bryan, C. Hardwick, A. Cannon, T. Frazier, R. Henderson, K. Goff, B. Hall. Row 3: J. Cax, L. Haad, J. Bacus, K. Habbs, J. Love, H. Kirmse, L. Hines. Row 2: M. Dwyer, V. Hobbs, J. Greaves, K. Howerton, W. Fetter, A. Blankenship, J. Eas'erly, J. Dannenberg. Row 1: C. Headen, M. Lehmann, H. Currier, M. Crossley, B. Kirtley, V. Gray, D. Fettic.













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Top Row: R. Anderson, L. Hale, E. Hodges, T. Gates, R. French, D. Gaylord, E. Evans. Row 4: L. Hunt, J. Castle, E. Golden, J. Carr, T. Goeking, J. Ellis, J. Hammond, S. Ewald. Row 3: D. Hopkins, R. Bradford, S. Burgette, J. Cannon, R. Brauninger, P. Gibbons, J. Kirk. Row 2: M. Jones, R. Hendricks, S. Lasater, J. Burt, B. Beckwith, P. Correll, C. Brown, B. Byers. Row 1: J. Bradley, J. Edwards, J. King, L. Kincaid, C. Boyd, L. Beaver, J. Langston.

### FRESHMEN

Top Row: C. Wallace, S. McCulloch, P. Rider, D. Thompson, S. Thomas, A. Simmers, C. Smith, D. Minor, Row 4: J. Sartain, A. Stillwell, R. Thomas, R. Wheeler, B. Boren, B. White, B. Serres, P. Notz, M. Wilson, Row 3: C. Morgenstern, V. Shelton, S. Quinn, L. Mollinson, P. Norman, D. Martino, J. Shultz, J. McClanahan, Row 2: D. McDonald, J. Sooter, K. Zelk, H. Nester, J. Vernon, J. Van Wormer, H. Meek, B. Stone, C. Monk, Row 1: J. Tosser, P. Pluff, S. Warnock, J. Pool, D. Noland, S. Stoll, C. Morgan, S. Pemberton.

Top Row: J. Haley, C. Blankenship, D. Franklin, T. Carver, S. Brooks, J. Barnhart, J. Barwise. Row 4: G. Bates, J. Daughtry, J. Hickam, L. Comer, J. Hicks, M. Harmon, J. Hunt, C. Dahm. Row 3: T. Balnis, J. Christen, W. Easter, C. Coen, W. Etzenhauser, H. Boehm, R. Gordon. Row 2: L. Biesemyer, C. Bussard, P. Fitzpatrick, D. Eli, P. Kaut, B. Jones, H. Howery, W. Adams. Row 1: L. Hatcher, N. Johnson, L. Adams, L. Hearn, K. Coffey, V. Harris, S. Carter.

Top Row: D. Roach, T. Richards, B. White, R. Watterson, R. Stone, G. McKown, R. Rutherford, Row 4: S. Miller, N. Waldren, D. Casteel, J. McManigal, E. Wade, A. Meador, B. Terwilleger, P. King. Row 3: C. Morris, M. Smith, A. Osborn, C. Ventimiglin, R. Brown, R. Schwarz, K. Snow. Row 2: C. Synoviec, C. Nelligan, J. McClelland, C. Mitchell, C. Singleton, S. Smith, J. Beekman, C. Wilson. Row 1: D. Palmer, N. Crouthers, P. Green, C. Winn, J. Moore, G. Robertson, S. Madison, S. Townsend.









Top Row: T. Glow, H. Johnson, D. Jones, R. Barger, R. Hudson, D. Datweiler, P. Brown, Row 4: J. Givens, S. Brown, J. Hukill, N. Lind, P. Becker, J. Boswell, S. Dagley, P. Craig, Row 3: C. Enloe, A. Lundy, B. Alewine, B. Howey, J. Harrington, L. Laughlin, F. Lemka. Row 2: D. Fowler, P. Heer, N. Hobart, C. Comer, B. Finch, J. Jenkins, F. Carney, S. Kenton. Row 1: D. Beemer, B. Coombes, D. Hayward, S. Cox, S. Jones, P. Holmes, C. Driscoll.

Top Row: Mr. Evans, Super-Salesman; Hands off of my king!

Row 1: Do-Re-Mi-Fa-So-La-Ti-Do; Banana Peeler scores again!





Top Row: Watch your step, buddy! Where does it hurt, John? Row 2: Is Bill filling the stockings? It doesn't hurt a bit. Ouch!! Row 1: Central's chorus line.

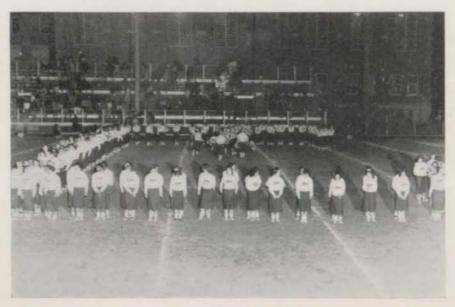
### Book Two

### **ACTIVITIES**

When time, who steals our years away, Shall steal our pleasures, too, The mem'ry of the past will stay And half our joys renew.

Moore

When the names of the wives of Henry VIII and the square root of 64 have faded from our memories, the fun we had publishing the Centralian, staging "Time Out for Ginger," and pepping up the team with "Sittin' in the Grandstand" will remain fresh, and we will relive in memory the gay times of '57.











Romana Windes, co-editor; Edwin Viers, co-editor; Everett Pyatt, photographer.

Sue King; Mary Jo Goodmon, business manager; Karen Enloe, Paula Morris, business manager; Jerry Freeman, Judy Lassiter.

## Centralian Brings Back Memories

Flash bulbs, cameras, typewriters, rubber cement, T-squares, and Dietzen scales are the tools the Centralian Staff uses in preparing pictures for the engraver, Burger-Baird, and copy for the printer, Smith-Grieves.

The seventh hour found twelve seniors in 403 working busily with their respective tools grinding away for the predilection of the student body on Centralian Day.

The staff was chosen from those who prepared dummies during the summer and submitted them to Mr. Ralph Kolb of Burger-Baird for rating. They were then appraised by Miss Ila Maude Kite, who selected the publishing staff. Mr. C. S. Hann had selected the business staff in the spring of 1956.

This is the first year the staff has received non-solid credit for their work on what amounts to the biggest single project of the school year, for it includes in its 112 pages a record of students, faculty, administration personnel, and school activities. The work of the staff falls into many processes: plan-

ning and making a dummy; taking the photographs; mounting them for the engravers; deciding on a theme and creating the art work for motif, cover, and division pages; collecting data and revamping the different divisions of curriculum and extracurricular activities of the school; identifying all photographs and making an index of the book; making up the pages for the printer, and proofreading the copy.

The editing staff has been augmented by the business staff which handles all the finances of the book, collects all fees and funds and pays all the bills, the sales staff which is composed of members of Miss Mary Grubbs' bookkeeping classes, and the photographer, Everett Pyatt.

The editing staff was made up of Co-Editors Ramona Windes and Edwin Viers, Class Editors Linda Johnson and Barbara Mallory, Club Editors Faye Edwards, Delores Patts and J. T. Spotts, Index Editor Kay Wilkinson, Sports Editors Jane Hardin and Carol Pritchard, Faculty Editor Jacque Wheaton.

Jane Hardin, co-sports editor; Carol Pritchard, co-sports editor; Miss IIa Maude Kite, advisor; Faye Edwards, departmental club editor; Jacque Wheaton, faculty editor; Kay Wilkinson, index editor.

J. T. Spotts, co-literary society editor; Linda Johnson, co-class editor; Delores Potts, co-literary society editor, Barbara Mallory, co-class editor.





It must be interesting!



LUMINARY STAFF I

Top Row: D. Frazier, J. Boyle, A. Wilwerding, C. Kimball, G. Fawkes, E. Misenhelter, G. Hamilton. Row 2: B. Sanders, N. Holt, S. Stover, B. Parker, M. Gragg, G. Duren, S. King, L. Johnson, D. Davisson. Row 1: P. Curtis, C. Hull, R. Windes.

# Luminary Highlights Central

Since the Central Luminary started as a magazine in 1885, Central's "snoopy" Luminary reporters have been lurking in the halls interrupting important meetings, asking difficult questions, and monopolizing the 'phone in the teacher's office. Although these typical "newspaper reporter" habits could be annoying, we all realized that the Luminary Staff excelled in putting out an interesting paper for Central.

The Luminary had an outstanding report this year. For the first time in the Luminary's history it is financially solvent, due mostly to Norma Holt, who collected many ads the first semester. Another new feature is the new newsprint which came into use second semester.

The Luminary Staff saw many hectic moments—just ask Jerry Freeman or Linda Johnson, front page layout editors. There was the time when the front page layout was set for a championship victory over Southeast and one day after deadline, everything had to be rewritten because of a crushing defeat.

Central's news also progressed to other papers, thanks to Betty Parker and Rose Dancy, who reported for the Kansas City Call, and Linda Cordy and Allen Wilwerding who wrote for the East Side News.

Staff members who were in the upper third of their class and rated excellent for their staff work were recommended for the Quill and Scroll Honorary Society for outstanding work in the field of journalism. First semester: Carl Kimball, Dorothy Davisson, Norma Holt, Linda Johnson, Sue King, Betty Parker, Barbara Sanders, Sharon Stover, Ramona Windes. Second semester: Jerry Foote, Jerry Freeman, J. T. Spotts, Audria Biere, Mary Ann Cathcart, Rosalie Chaddock, Karen Enloe, Judy Meyer, Carolina Shinn, Wanda Shipley, Lorraine Talley, George Hamilton, Marilyn Stanton.

### LUMINARY STAFF II

Top Row: J. Freeman, P. Blackwood, J. Ozorkiewicz, J. Foote, J. T. Spotts. Row 3: W. Shipley, R. Dancy, M. A. Cathcart, C. Elliott. Row 2: L. Cordry, J. Hardy, B. Underhill, L. Tolly, K. Enloe, P. Cawan, S. Jones, G. Galloway, J. Maddux. Row 1: B. Stucker, P. Rutan, C. Shinn, R. Chaddock, M. Stanton, J. Meyer.

S & H Green Stomps?







Tap Raw: Miss Leibengood, D. Fuller, J. Charlton, G. Muza, W. Agee, L. Allen, P. Patterson, B. Whitaker, M. Loud. Row 4: W. Ashmore, J. Freeman, C. Kimball, G. Smith, L. Moss, M. Redpath, B. Fiske, L. Koutsoubos, T. Frazier, P. Barker, Row 3: J. Wheaton, S. Tunnell, S. Wilson, T. Bolenbaugh, A. Parkhurst, A. McKinney, D. Millard, C. Fishback, R. Sipe, N. Hobart, R. Windes, Row 2: T. Tucker, J. Manning, P. Hensley, C. Elliott, J. Flournoy, B. Dent, K. Snow, C. Hill, M. Crossley, Row 1: R. Gordon, D. Holdshoe, R. Chaddack, B. Cox, C. Ward, P. Marris, K. Masteller, N. Shull, S. Laughlin.

### Student Council Establishes Lunch Period Break

Early in the first semester, the Student Council was organized and working. The president and vice-president, chosen last spring by the student body, were Bob Wennersten and Larry Kincaid. The other two offices on the Council, those of secretary-treasurer and sergeant-at-arms, were ably filled by Karen Enloe and Everett Pyatt. The two representatives chosen for the All-City Student Council were Judy Hardy and Larry Allen.

At one of the first meetings, Colette Dubois, our foreign exchange student, was introduced to the Council. She spoke to the representatives and was warmly received.

When the Christmas spirit invaded Central's halls, the Student Council was ready for it. Each of the lighted cases in the front

hall was decorated, and the balcony above the marble stairs was decked with a white Christmas tree. The cases on the north side of the front hall told the story of the first Christmas, while those on the south side were decorated with plastic home decorations.

With the advent of the United Funds Campaign, Centralites sought a new method of raising money. This problem was brought to the attention of the Student Council. Several plans were considered, then the Council acted. For a small donation to the United Funds, students could dance to popular records played by two of their favorite disk jockeys, Tom Adams of KCKN and Irv Smith of WHB. The mixer, which was held in the girls' gym, netted \$110 for the United Funds.

With the social affairs over for awhile, the Council settled down to more routine business. The Students Council Constitution needed changing. This problem was ably handled by the Constitution Committee with Ramona Windes as Chairman.

Mr. Marshall, assisted by the Council, set up a system whereby a student could leave the building the last ten minutes of his lunch period if he so desired. Everyone found this a welcome diversion from the regular school routine.

One of the most valuable services performed by the First Semester Student Council was the help given the P.-T.A. in its efforts to start a Teen Town at Central this year. The Council representatives in each home room asked the students if they would support a Teen Town. When Centralites replied in the affirmative, plans were made for the first Teen Town, which was held on February 5 in the girls' gym. About 275 students attended and all who did reported that they had a fine time.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL CABINET

Top Row: L. Cline, E. Pyatt, L. Kincaid, W. Bredemeier. Front Row: K. Enloe, B. Wennersten, J. Hardy, Miss Leibengood.





Top Row: J. Callow, R. Milne, L. Koutsoubos, B. Fitzpatrick, A. Lewis, J. Rumbo, R. Anderson, G. Smith, J. Foote, J. Helm. Row 4: J. Vernon, M. Magel, J. Braton, D. Austin, W. Ashmore, R. Winegar, J. Jay, A. Parkhurst, J. Charlton, J. Cessna. Row 3: P. Morris, K. Robinson, D. Davisson, S. Appleby, D. Melton, C. Webster, C. Pritchard, B. Underhill, J. Smith, J. Baswell, B. Helms, S. Richerson. Row 2: R. Chaddock, J. Bartlett, S. Lasiter, J. Wheaton, L. Tally, S. Seymour, K. Enloe, M. Boyd, M. Buchanan, K. Gray, K. Lancaster. Row 1: R. Bush, S. Craig, P. Green, B. Mallory, E. Sanders, J. Langston, G. Hughes, N. Jay, G. Duren, N. Shull, B. Beckwith, S. Baker.

### Second Semester Student Council Helped City Hall Day

The second semester Student Council, led by its president, Martin Weltman, and the cabinet, consisting of Wally Brediemeier, vice-president; Sue King, secretary; Carl Kimball, sergeant-at-arms; Ed Huff, representative from Honor Corps; Lloyd Cline, representative from R.O.T.C., and Bob Wennersten, the former president, who served as a student advisor, first passed judgment on the idea of having an exchange assembly with Van Horn. Subcommittees for this project were appointed and these committees asked Mr. Gazda to be their sponsor. After accepting this sponsorship, Mr. Gazda and the subcommittees arranged for local talent to be transported to Van Horn on May 20, and there to present an assembly which was very much appreciated by all the Van Horn students.

CABINET

Top Row: C. Kimball, B. Wennersten, E. Huff, M. Weltman. Row 1: W. Bredemeier, S. King, L. Cline.



Central was very proud of herself this year because she had the most participants of any school in the annual City Hall Day. There were sixteen minor officers and our councilwoman, Sue Appleby. These students had previously been screened by the Student Council and recommended to the All-City Student Council for approval.

One of the things that comes up year after year in the Student Council is the election of sophomore officers. This year's Student Council finally got some action on this subject. They passed a recommendation that sophomore officers be elected next year shortly after the junior officers are elected.

Many students in Central were pleased to hear that the effort was finally being made to get that traffic light on the

corner of 33rd and Indiana. In order to get this pedestrian signal, the Council was told, the school had to prove that 2,000 students walked across that street every day. The Student Council undertook this project with John Cessna as chairman and found that 1,058 people walked across the street in the mornings on the average, which will be enough to get us a traffic light if the same people walk across in the evening. The situation is pending with the traffic department, and we should know the outcome by next fall.

As a conclusion to the school year, it was announced that through the efforts of Mr. Marshall and the Second Semester Council, it might be possible for us to get the All-State Student Council meeting held at our own school two years from now. All the members of the Council and the students of the whole school thought that this award, if made to Central, would be a fine tribute to a fine school.



#### HONOR CORPS

Top Row: B. Johnson, B. Jones, H. Medlin, L. Mansker, Row 9: B. Whitaker, J. Jay, C. Kimble, W. Agee. Row 8: D. Moore, L. Foster, J. Eckhardt, L. Greenwood. Row 7: D. Vogelsmeier, M. Relpath, F. Bradford, D. Blevins. Row 6: L. Carter, R. Milne, R. Dahl, T. Nelligan. Row 5: R. Miller, R. Fisk, B. Brown, R. Owsley. Row 4: G. Johnson, C. Fulton, L. Schwab, L. Johns. Row 3: E. Everett, O. King, R. Duncan, J. Tucker. Row 2: C. Lineberry, J. Freeman, B. Fiske, W. Bredemeier. Front Row: Mr. French.

## Honor Corps Leads in Responsibility

"Hey, kid! Stop running!" This familiar expression was often heard by students on their way to the cafeteria. It was the job of Central's Honor Corps to regulate and direct affairs in the cafeteria, on the steps, and by several doors.

The Honor Corps was composed of approximately fifty boys, chosen by the student body the preceding spring from the top one hundred upperclassmen. This list is determined by the vice-principal, teachers who sponsor the cafeteria, and the Honor Corps colonels or officers. The boys, who served for one year under Mr. Bud French, faculty advisor, were selected for their

scholarship, citizenship, good appearance, courtesy, and participation in school activities.

The Honor Corps rendered a fine service to the Central student body and the members were to be commended for their faithfulness in the performance of their duty. The colonels, John Hickman and Ed Huff, were appointed to their posts because they received the highest number of votes on the balloting. The four captains who had the job of organizing the Corps into lunch periods were Larry Allen, Jerry Foote, Larry Kincaid, and Bob Wennersten.

#### OFFICERS

Back Row: E. Huff, L. Kincaid, J. Hickman. Front Row: J. Foote, L. Allen.



#### RED CROSS

Top Row: M. Weltman, B. Brown, J. Cessna, G. Smith, W. Hook, A. Peterson, R. Northington, D. Files, N. Porter. Row 4: F. Brauninger, B. Brauninger, T. Thornburg, S. Miller, L. Mabray, T. Schwindt, S. Stroud, B. Melton, D. Melton, K. Striker. Row 3: D. Snowden, D. Pryor, J. Hardin, J. Hicks, N. Ainsworth, S. Thomas, J. Boswell, S. Lasater, C. Dubois. Row 2: S. Don Carlos, N. Sodergren, J. Thomas, B. Cooper, M. Buchanan, L. Houston, R. Parker, K. Wilkinson, V. Anderson, J. Stucker, S. Appleby. Row 1: C. Headen, B. Mallary, J. King, B. Cowan, B. Stone, J. Blair, C. Conley, J. Langston, J. Edwards, B. Beckwith.



### Red Cross

"We believe in service for others, for our country, our community, and our school; in health of mind and body to fit us for greater service; and in working for better human relations throughout the world."

This is our own Junior Red Cross creed. During this past year, we, as Central High School students, have tried to maintain and uphold that creed. The council got underway with our presentation at the regional training center at Unity Farm in early October.

At Christmas, we filled the traditional Christmas stockings for the veterans in the various hospitals. We also had the honor of delivering these stockings to the veterans.

In the spring we began working on our school chest. We learned that our chest last year had brought happiness to some Hungarian refugees at Christmas. When completed, it was sent out to help promote better human relations around the world.

### Locker Patrol

A visitor at Central might wonder, when he saw students sitting in the halls, just what their purpose was in doing so. Could it be that they were subject to some sort of strict discipline, or maybe their classes were overcrowded. However, after seeing them in the same place day after day, the visitor would learn that these young people had devoted their study hall hour to the job of patrolling the halls.

The students on locker patrol are chosen by the vice-president of the Student Council. Their job is to watch lockers, report people loitering in the halls, and help visitors find their way in the maze of Central High School. Patrols at the entrances take permits from students leaving the building for COE, home lunch, or other special excuses.

Captains of the first semester were: Beverly Underhill, Barbara Dent, Judy Lassiter, Judy Manning, Gloria Robinson, Judy Stucker, and Charlotte Elliot.



### LOCKER PATROL

Tap Row: R. Dahl, L. Schwab, K. Stone, L. Kincaid, W. Bredemeier, J. Foote, R. Milne, E. Galloway, W. Ashmore, G. Johnson. Row 4: R. Teague, M. Willet, D. Davisson, J. Kempker, J. Capps, T. Jesmore, T. Nelligan, S. Harris, N. Holt. Row 3: M. Williams, J. Purtle, C. Schneider, M. Lehman, L. Beaver, J. Wheaton, S. Stover, J. Fetters, L. Park, L. McCubbin, D. Standley. Row 2: K. Hampton, G. DeLuca, C. Harmon, M. Buchanan, C. Shinn, G. Fry, B. Underhill, S. Scotten, B. Park, S. Infante. Row 1: M. Crossley, J. Blair, G. Hayes, K. Denman, E. Ensminger, S. McIntyre, L. Anderson, G. Robinson.



A. A. U. W.

Back Row: A. McKinney, S. Ewald. Row 2: P. Kimble, V. Hiskey, T. Bolenbaugh, L. Hood. Row I: S. Milberger, A. Parkhurst, J. Hardin, S. Appleby.

### A. A. U. W.

Ability, brains, and character, are the a-b-c steps to membership in the One Hundred Girls' Club. Never heard of it? Yes, you have. It's commonly known among Centralites by the initials of its parent club, the American Association of University Women (AAUW).

Each year Miss Hortense Schaller appoints two girls from the sophomore class to membership in this organization, dedicated to "increasing the enthusiasm of girls toward furtherance of their education after high school." These girls retain their membership until graduation. This year there were ten girls from Central as members.

Each high school unit also had an association sponsor; Central's was Mrs. Cornelius Boersma. President Sharon Milberger and the other girls in Central's group enjoyed a coke party at the home of Mrs. Boersma; had a Christmas brunch in their club rooms at the Sophian Plaza; and during the Easter vacation, the senior members took a trip to a nearby college.

### Photography Club

Photography is a fascinating hobby, and the purpose of the Photography Club is to develop an interest in the art of photography. In this new club, the programs were presented by the various members. Harry Tishk demonstrated a new developing tank in which the process of film development takes place. Norman Runyon gave an interesting talk on the simple development of pictures. The highlight of the year occurred when Everett Pyatt, school photographer, led the club through the school's dark room and demonstrated the development of film.

The first semester officers were: Judy Meyer, president; Everett Pyatt, vice-president, and Jim Fry, secretary-treasurer.

Meetings are held on the first and third Thursday with M/Sgt. Clyde K. Smith as sponsor.

The second semester officers were: Judy Meyer, president; Norman Runyon, vice-president, and Gordon Smith, secretarytreasurer.

### PHOTOGRAPHY

Top Row: Sgt. Smith, A. Cannon, E. Misenhelter, J. Boyle, B. Fitzpatrick. Row 2: J. Cessna, D. Lyons, G. Smith, B. Thomas, L. Powell. Row 1: R. Richardson, L. Biesemyer, J. Meyer, D. Bussard, N. Runyon.





Mr. Lancaster, C.O.E. Co-ordinator, counsels student.

## Students Gain Experience Through C.O.E.

"Too little experience" is often the cry of employers who are called upon to hire a high school graduate. This is being eliminated to a certain extent, in that many high school students are taking advantage of an opportunity to gain experience in Cooperative Occupational Education classes.

C.O.E. is a school and business sponsored plan by which a

student can go to school and work. Under the guidance of Central's coordinator, Mr. Hollis W. Lancaster, more than 50 Centralites have been given a job. This work experience enables the students to get first-hand information as to the requirements needed to succeed. It also gives them a realization of the part their school work plays in their vocational success.

Tap Row: B. Pasley, F. Burasco, R. Rogers, R. Northington, S. Barnes, D. Grissom, B. Pitts, J. Jones. Row 4: D. Sandlin, J. Flood, B. Perdue, M. Hart, S. Potter, C. Smith, R. Dunivant, R. Baldwin, P. Borden. Row 3: H. Swartz, F. Lewis, R. Eads, P. Curtis, J. Dibben, L. Bennefeld, D. Yearout, D. Lymon. Row 2: P. Dawson, K. Cassidy, S. West, R. Farr, P. Dyer, P. Furgeson, J. Bowles, B. Cox. Row 1: J. Sacco, E. Fisher, M. Poppewell, P. Davis, J. Purtle, M. F. Smith, R. Magruder, R. Magruder, R. Magruder.





Central's twirlers Linda Stewart and Charlotte Hill.

INTERESTING???

# Central's Band Enjoyed Busy Season

What with cheering Central's football team to victory, parades, and concerts, Central's band was kept as busy this year as a good band should be. October 12 found the band members occupying their section of the Southeast grandstand in full uniform, ready to give the football team all they hadnoise, that is. That night the Central Eagles downed the Paseo team 20 to 0. And what team wouldn't win when they had such support from a group?

Central's marching band stood out in all its blue and white glory in the American Royal parade and the Independence Halloween Parade last fall. Its seventy members were led by our two high-stepping majorettes, Charlotte Hill and Linda Stewart.

Mr. Lester Milgram, of Milgram Food Stores, Inc., gave the morale of the entire school a boost when he presented one hundred dollars to the band to be used for their pet project of

the year, which was new uniform hats for the band. This presentation was made at a P.-T.A. meeting for which the band had played. The P.-T.A. also cooperated with the band and their project by holding a bakesale at the Milgram stores to raise money. They presented the band with well over one hundred dollars.

On May 3, the band held their annual concert in the auditorium to which the public was invited. This is always one of the most popular events of the year, and this year's audience was one of the most enthusiastic ever.

In the spring, the 60-piece concert band's fancy turned toward the Band Festival at East High School, the All-City Band Festival, and graduation. Under the directon of Mr. Vern A. Sinclair, Central's band and orchestra leader, the band played a farewell to their senior members, as well as to the entire senior class in the graduation exercises.

Top Row: P. Kennard, O. King, A. Lewis, D. Hopkins, L. Winfrey, J. Richerson, R. Smith, Mr. Sinclair. Row 4: B. Hall, R. Barger, A. Lundy, B. Wilhite, M. Williams, M. Cummings, C. Hardwin, D. Mayta, L. Moss. Row 3: R. Bradford, G. Nix, B. Harnish, J. Barksdale, J. Cannon, L. Jenkins, F. Henderson, A. Kellner, J. Cooper, P. Ferrell, S. Brooks, D. Pierce, C. Fulton, L. Tucker, M. Sturgess, L. Branham, D. Coomer. Row 2: F. Sims, R. Byrd, L. Hunt, D. Rutherford, J. Poe, J. Robinson, G. Groom, M. Mosley, G. Cavanah, D. Bishop, F. Byrd, A. McClellan, R. Russell. Row 1: A. Peterson, P. Montgomery, L. Harley, G. Blankenship, G. McCright, J. Daughtrey, S. Warnock, J. Moore, J. Purtle.





A one . . . an' a two . . . Mr. Vern Sinclair keeps orchestra members on their toes.

### Central's Orchestra's Small But Talented

The Central orchestra for the year 1956-57 consisted of twenty enthusiastic, aspiring young musicians. Though small in number, the orchestra, under the able direction of Mr. Vern Sinclair, provided not only entertainment for themselves, but contributed to various musical programs.

During third hour every morning as one walks past the Band and Orchestra room he might be surprised to hear well-known strains of popular songs from operettas, as well as standard high school music literature. This year, orchestra members enjoyed playing selections from "The King and I," "Carousel," "Oklahoma," and "South Pacific," along with "Autumn Leaves," "Trumpeter's Lullaby," and "The Hallelujah Chorus."

In March, the orchestra participated in the City-Wide Orchestra Festival held at Northeast Junior High School. The numbers they played were "Alegro" from Mozart's 12th Symphony, and Haydn's "Minuet and Trio."

Three members, Amy Parkhurst and Jeanne Zmek, violin, and Richard Smith, bass, played with the All-City Orchestra in an all-school music program held at Municipal Auditorium in May, at which the "Symphony in D" by Sammartini, "Tamboo" and "Fandango" were featured.

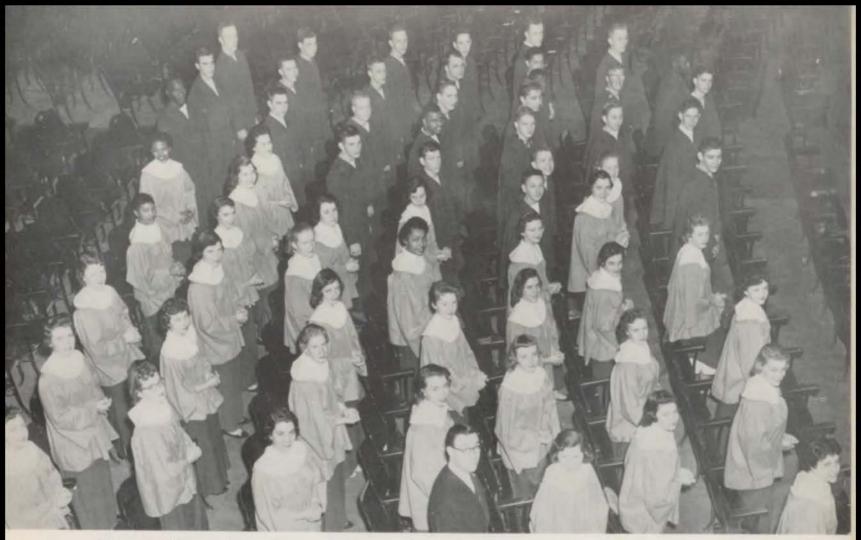
One of Mr. Sinclair's primary aims for the year was that each orchestra member learn the fundamentals of conducting and directing a group of musicians. An effort was also made to promote greater understanding of musical terms and the classics of musical literature.

The Arion award for a graduating senior went to Amy Parkhurst, to whom a medal and certificate were awarded at the Spring Award Assembly.

This year's orchestra officers were: Amy Parkhurst, president, and Jeanne Zmek, secretary.

Seated: K. Coffee, A. Parkhurst, J. Zmek, E. Lutes, R. Byrd, A. McClellan, G. McCright, M. Mosley, A. Lundy, M. Mosley, M. Williams, R. Irvisg, F. Bradyhoff, J. Eklund. Standing: R. Smith, Mr. Sinclair.





Back Row: B. Mallary, S. Buchta, S. Richerson, R. Bradshaw, D. Jones, D. Kniffen, D. Lyons, B. Toms. Row 6: D. Snowden, D. Tourney, C. Shinn, K. Bushnell, J. Graham, D. Simms, J. Jackson, D. Mauch. Row 5: J. Zmek, B. Helms, L. Hood, N. Jay, D. Simms, B. Mueller, D. Frazier, J. Crawford, K. Norman, L. Tucker, E. Dwyer. Row 4: Mr. Schmitt, K. Knepper, E. Cox, J. Douglass, V. Hobbs, D. Vaughn, R. Daigle, L. Hove, W. Hook, H. Allen. Row 3: C. Dubois, P. Kimble, S. Ward, J. Graham, D. Potts, T. Schwindt, L. Gray, J. Charlton, G. Smith. Row 2: M. Carter, P. Parsons, N. Rawlins, A. Rowley, M. Roberts, M. A. Cathcart, D. Vogelsmeier, D. Inglesby, J. Mollett. Row 1: J. Flournoy, S. Austin, C. Craig, D. Spencer, J. Bartlett, E. Everett, R. Levy, L. Allen.

## Concert Choir Presents a Harmony of Voices

The Concert Choir, a select group of sixty mixed voices, steadily progressed under the capable leadership of the director, Willard Schmitt, aided by Miss Veva Koenig, accompanist.

The first few weeks of school were the get-acquainted weeks for Concert Choir. Getting to know faces and voices was a new experience. New members in the choir this year were required to present a song, in quartets, duets, or solos.

Their preparation for the Fall Vesper Service, which was held at the Southeast Presbyterian Church December 2, began with the introduction of new music.

During the final week before Christmas vacation, Concert Choir tried to spread a little Christmas cheer throughout the school by singing the traditional carols in the halls. A Christmas assembly was presented before the school by both Concert Choir and Girls' Choir. Numbers presented by the Concert Choir included "The Twelve Days of Christmas," "The Calypso Carol," with Eb Everett playing calypso drums, "The Shepherds'

Carol," with a duet by June and Jane Graham, and the finale, the "Nutcracker Suite," by both choirs.

On January 6, Concert Choir presented Amahl and the Night Visitors by Menotti for the Epiphany Service. This opera has been presented for three consecutive years with Carolina Shinn playing the role of Amahl. This year Jane Graham, the mother; Walter Hook, Eb Everett, and Dick Mauch, the three kings; dancers, and shepherds made up the cast.

March 10, the Stone Church in Independence was the scene of a performance. The warmth and welcome given to the Concert Choir at this time by the congregation of this church made it a place chosen as the most enjoyed performance of the year by choir members.

On May 17, Sounds in Sight II was presented with both choirs participating. Some songs featured at this time by Concert Choir were: "There Is a Balm in Giliad," "Stomp Your Foot," and "Round and Round."

### CENTRAL SINGERS

Top Row: J. Graham, C. Shinn, J. Graham, Mr. Schmitt. Row T: D. Frazier, D. Mauch, S. Austin, R. Bradshaw, S. Richerson, J. Charlton, W. Hook.





Back Row: M. Dwyer, T. Goeking, S. Don Carlos, N. Paxton, N. Garfield, C. Fishback, S. Warnock, L. Hunt, Mr. Schmitt. Row 6: S. King, B. Chase, K. Nelson, A. Van Sittert, M. Norbury, M. Phillips, C. Ward. Row 5: S. Wilson, B. Thocker, A. Smith, G. Fortner, K. Gray, L. Tally, L. Campbell. Row 4: A. Bening-C. Saxton, S. Beck, G. McCormick, A. McCroskie, M. McCroskie, R. Chaddock, B. Beckwith, J. Ballard, C. Megerson, Row 1: R. Dancy, A. Sherpy, D. Melton, J. Heigle, J. Hughes, J. Reid, W. Piper, M. Cummings, C. Elliott.

# Girls' Choir Mixes Harmony With Beauty

This year the Girls' Choir has made appearances at churches and different ladies' clubs. They also sang at the Junior building for their Easter program. In the Christmas assembly, the Girls' Choir joined the Concert Choir in singing the Nutcracker Suite. They also serenaded the students by singing in the halls during the 6th hour on the last day before the Christmas holidays began.

Any girl from grades 9 through 12 who can sing well is eligible to be a member of Girls' Choir. Mr. Willard Schmitt, the director, choses the members after considering both the voice and the character ratings of the girls trying out.

After a girl is admitted to the choir, she is initiated by the girls who were members the previous year. Initiation usually consists of singing a solo or duet for the rest of the choir.

Officers for the first semester were: Charlene Conley, president; Barbara Melton, vice-president; Karen Enloe, secretary, and Sue King and Sharon Stover, treasurers. Second semester officers were: Sue King, president; Karen Enloe, vice-president; Donna Melton, secretary, and Barbara Melton and Sherrie Slater, treasurers.

Central's Girls' Choir joined all the other girls' choirs in the city in the Girls' Choir Festival which was held on May 10. It was quite an experience for the girls to see and hear the other choirs of the city.

The year came to a close after the Girls' Choir worked diligently on the Spring Concert, Sounds in Sight II, which was performed very successfully on May 17.



#### HARMONETTES

S. Don Carlos, K. Nelson, S. Warnock, L. Campbell, L. Cordry, T. Goeking, A. Sherpy, C. Fishbock



#### DRAMA CLUB

Top Row: G. Galloway, R. Palmer, E. Misenhelter, G. Jensen, P. Blackwood, R. Winegar, B. Wennersten, V. Snowden, Row 4: C. Synovier, P. Roark, L. Cardry, J. Hickam, J. Harrington, D. FitzGerald, L. Hunt, Mr. Nance. Row 3: G. Richardson, N. Paxton, A. Rowley, R. French, S. Buchta, B. Watkins, L. McManigal, A. Parkhurst. Row 2: E. Anderson, S. Scotten, L. Campbell, K. Woody, R. Lancaster, N. Holt, C. Howell, B. Manning, Row 1: C. Boyd, D. Snowden, S. Seymour, B. Mallary, M. Dwyer, G. Hayes, C. Headen, C. Lang.

### Drama Club

With Mr. Edwin Nance, as sponsor, the name of the Drama Club was changed to the Central Thespian Club. Many entertaining programs have been enjoyed. Richard Winegar, Dan FitzGerald, and Van Snowden pantomimed the record, "Ce' set Bon." Pat Blackwood presented his lady puppet, Citrinella. Barbara Manning depicted the experiences of a babysitter in a very clever pantomime.

The first semester officers were: Pat Blackwood, president; Amy Parkhurst, vice-president; and Martin Weltman, sergeantat-arms.

The second semester officers were: Amy Parkhurst, president; Van Snowden, vice-president; Suzi Seymour, secretary; Glenna Richardson, treasurer; and Martin Weltman, sergeant-at-arms.

The Cotton Blossom Cotillion, a box supper and dance, was held March 1. Martin Weltman and Suzi Seymour were crowned King and Queen of Cotton.

### English Club

What a delightful and interesting addition to Central has been the English Club! The English Club, sponsored by Mr. W. W. Holloway, is to foster a more fully developed interest in students for the cultural manifestations that English Literature and drama have to offer. Through films the English Club came in contact with "Treasure Island" and "The House of Seven Gables"; and through discussions, with Homer's "Odyssey" and "Idylls of the King." Barbara Mallory presented a declamation, "How the Mortgage Was Paid," and Norma Holt shared her poetic talent by reading original verses. For the social end of the club's activities a Dance Night was held at the Linwood Y.M.C.A. The English Club contributed also to the Student Exchange program by selling shares. The officers for this year were: Gordon Smith, president; Barbara Mallory, vice-president; Norma Holt, Secretary; Carl Monk, treasurer.

#### ENGLISH CLUB

Top Row: D. Lyons, E. Misenhelter, Mr. Hollaway, G. Smith, R. Stone. Row 3: C. Monk, D. Hughes, M. Dwyer, N. Holt. Row 2: L. Hood, B. Mallory, M. Reynolds, C. Winn. Row 1: S. Reynolds D. Snowden, J. McKee.





#### SPRING PLAY

Top Row: E. Galloway, B. Manning, V. Snowden. Row 2: L. Sturgess, P. Blackwood, A. Parkhurst, S. Buchta, D. Fuller, B. Wennersten. Row 1: C. Shinn.

## Central Presents Broadway Play

The Spring Play for 1957 was "Time Out for Ginger." It was the production of the combined efforts of Mr. Nance's Drama class and Mr. Schmitt's Stage Production class. "Time Out for Ginger" is a hilarious comedy depicting the Carol family as played by:

Mr. Carol	Pat Blackwood
Mrs. Carol	Amy Parkhurst
Ginger	Carolina Shinn
Joan	Sylvia Buchta
Jeanie	Launa Sturgess
liz (the maid)	Barbara Manning

### Others of the cast included:

Ed Hoffman (the town banker)	Bob Wennersten
Tommy (Ginger's boy friend)	Van Snowden
Eddie (Joon's boy friend)	Eugene Galloway
Mr. Wilson (the school principal)	

The plot revolves around the "tomboy" Ginger Carol, who, inspired by her father's rash statement that nobody should be forced to do anything that would infringe upon his dignity as a human being, decided to fulfill her desire to play football. This causes chaos in the Carol household as Ginger becomes

the news of the nation. Everyone wants to see more of Ginger except her two sisters who are shocked by her antics. Tommy Green, Ginger's boy friend, refuses to be seen with her because he feels it makes him look ridiculous to date a football star. Ed Hoffman, the bank president, finds his place of business changed into an amusement center because Mr. Carol, Ginger's father, works there. The high school principal, Mr. Wilson, is so plagued with students who don't want their dignity as human beings infringed upon that he threatens to expel that "so-called girl." The only person calm during the crisis is the maid, Liz, who has become a football authority since her little pet started playing it.

The turning point comes when Mr. Carol absentmindedly calls Ginger "son." This causes her to realize that she is a girl and should act like one. She decides that she prefers her boy friend to athletics.

The scenery, costumes, and make-up were planned by the Drama and Stage Production classes. The Student Director and Assistant Director, Linda Cordry and Suzie Seymour, deserve credit for their fine work.



### STARS

C. Shinn, A. Parkhurst, P. Blackwood.



#### INTER-LINGUISTIC COUNCIL

Back Row: G. Smith, A. Parkhurst, E. Misanhelter, J. Freeman, D. Austin. Row 2: G. Galloway, P. Hays, K. Wilkinson, L. Sturgess, D. Potts, B. Mallary, C. Saxton. Row 1: Mr. Holloway, Miss McLaughlin, Mr. Roleke, Miss Engel.

### Inter-Linguistic Council

This year the language clubs formed an organization which was called the Inter-Linguistic Council. This was a council made up of the president and vice-president from Spanish, French, Latin, and German Clubs. The club sponsors were also members of this council and aided with their supervision. Officers elected to serve for the entire year were: Eugene Galloway, president; Gordon Smith, vice-president; Launa Lee Sturgess, secretary; Delores Potts, treasurer.

One of the main events was the "Foolish Fish Frolic" held April 2 at the Linwood Y. A fine program of entertainment was presented by the Harmonettes, Ebb Everett, and the Teardrops. Proceeds from this mixer went to buy a senior ring for Colette Dubois. The remaining money was used to purchase medals for the top three sellers of stock—Myra Worcester, Kathy Striker, and Delores Potts. The foreign exchange student for 1957-58 will come from England.

### Los Conquistadores

A dinner of frijoles, tamales, tacos, and enchiladas at the Las Palmas started the year off with a bang for the Spanish Club.

Let's go Spanish! was carried out at the Spanish Fiesta. Susan Infante and Frank Medina taught the members to dance the Mambo, and June and Jane Graham sang "Mexicale Rose" in Spanish. Everyone enjoyed Dan FitzGerald's humorous talk about Mexico.

Officers of the Spanish Club were: Delores Potts, president; Amy Parkhurst, vice-president; Lee Baird, secretary, and Jean Fetters, treasurer.

Spanish Club promoted the sale of stocks for next year's Foreign Exchange Program, helping to make it a success.

To end the year of gala festivities, the Spanish Club held a dinner at the home of Susan Infante. All agreed with Mr. Roleke, that more delicious Spanish food couldn't be found in Spain.

### SPANISH CLUB

Toa Row: H. McGilton, G. Galloway, M. McClung, R. Clouse, L. Owings, O. Krueger, Mr. Roleke. Row 4: L. Park, K. Woody, S. Gregg, R. Green, A. P'antenship, D. Fowler, Row 3: B. Sanders, A. Parkhurst, B. Park, L. Cartwright, E. Palmer, J. Hawtharn, L. Anderson, Row 2: B. Cooper, J. Fetters, R. Bliss, V. Habbs, S. Scotten, S. Infante, J. Whecton, Row 1: S. Baker, M. L-ve, C. Lang, L. McCubbin, J. Elwards, D. Potts.



#### LATIN CLUB

Top Row: F. Lewis, R. Bland, C. Hudson, H. Jensen, R. Martin, G. Smith, C. Mitchell. Row 4: A. Porkhurst, S. Harris, D. Harris, M. Young, R. Daigle, R. Rowe, J. Hunkeler, O. King. Row 3: A. McKnney, S. Ewald, A. Row'ey, C. Smith, C. Craig, S. Glauser, A. Beningfield, M. Dwyer. Row 2: C. Saxton, A. Sherpy, N. Vertreese, S. Austin, C. Margenstorn, V. Shelton, J. Hunt, L. Wolf. Row 1: E. Wade, J. Scribner, P. Wodemeier, D. Austin, J. Metzler, L. Blankenship, V. Anderson.



## Latin Lives in Aquiliferi

The name Aquiliferi was chosen by the Latin Club because it means "eagle-bearers," and was considered appropriate for an organization which tries to uphold Central's Eagle in its various activities.

This year Aquiliferi had the largest membership of its history. This club provides an excellent and entertaining opportunity for more Latin plays, games, songs, mythology, and historical background material than class time will permit.

First semester officers were: Don Austin and Pat Hayes, consules; Jerry Freeman, praetor; Sharon Austin, scriba; Larry Blonsky, quaestor; Donna Eli and Judy Capps, aediles; Jean Cook and Pat Wedemeier, censores, and Viola Anderson and Carol Lang, duces carminum.

When it is time to elect officers, the candidates for the various offices enjoy draping sheets, like togas, around themselves and giving campaign speeches, with great oratorical flourish

in their Roman Forum. Other highlights of the year include the musical program at Christmas, the mythological love stories and fortune telling at the Valentine program, the Roman birthday party, and senior farewell. At the last meeting of the year, pins are presented to those making the highest grade average in Latin, and certificates of merit are awarded pupils who kept an "E" average throughout the year.

Officers second semester were: Jerry Freeman and Carolyn Saxton, consules; Ralph Rowe, praetor; Sondra Ewald, scriba; Mabel Young, quaestor; Judy Capps and Jean Metzler, aediles; Charles Hudson and Pat Wedemeier, censores; and Viola Anderson and Carol Lang, duces carminum.

This club is a chapter of the Junior Classical League, a national organization of students interested in classical studies. This spring the club joined with others in this part of the state in their regional convention at Rockhurst College.



### LATIN CLUB

Top Row: J. T. Spotts, R. Richardson, B. Boren, J. Callow, M. Smith, J. D. Christen, P. Eu: ram. Row 4: L. Owens, M. Briggs, F. Carney, J. McManigal, L. Kenney, M. Reynolds, N. Holt. Row 3: C. Davis, S. Stri-Yand, A. Neal, J. McKee, L. Kirkendoll, N. Pope, M. Carter. Row 2: Miss McLoughlin, V. Hiskey, F. Sanders, C. Lang, B. Howey, D. Bowie Row 1: S. Long, E. J. Cook, P. Hays, L. Blonsky, J. Caps, D. Eli, B. Humbird.



#### FRENCH CLUB

Top Row: E. Misenhelter, R. Palmer, J. Spangler, J. Cothran, R. Russell. Row 4: C. Hemphill, J. Smith, S. Stroud, S. Bratcher, S. Tunnel, J. Bartlett. Row 3: M. Dudley, J. Conway, N. Holt, O. Sanders, C. Hull, H. Allish, Row 2: L. Sturgess, W. Ashmore, J. Braton, M. Ghrist, L. Hood, P. Kimble. Row 1: D. Millard, G. Hayes, E. Gallaway, C. Dubais, P. Ebeling, B. Johnson, Miss Engel.

### French Club

Merci! Merci! echoed down the halls. It seemed to come from room 204. Further investigation proved that it wasn't someone pleading for his life; rather, Colette Dubois was thanking the French Club for naming her their honorary president. Aided by Colette's Parisian charm, French berets, and colored slides, the French Club maintained a very French-like atmosphere throughout the year.

The officers were: Launa Lee Sturgess, president; Dale Millard, vice-president; Linda Hood, secretary; Jane Smith, treasurer; George Vertreese and Mary Ghrist, sergeants-at-arms; Joyce Bartlett, song leader, Miss Agnes Engel was club sponsor, and Launa Lee Sturgess, as president, automatically became a representative to the Interlinguistic Council.

The club's interest in life in France was stimulated by songs, skits and a dinner, with authentic French dishes, from the entree to the pastries, which was held at Pat Kimble's home. Everyone agreed there was no more delicious way to round out the year.

### German Club

From Schnitzelbank to Schmierkase can best describe the German Club this year. Under the sponsorship of Miss Agnes E. Engel, they began the year's activities with songs and reports on German life. As their very special guest speaker for their Christmas program they had Wolfgang Rommel, Paseo's foreign exchange student. The Latin Club met with them for Wolfgang's talk and afterwards they split up into their respective groups for refreshments. The officers for the first semester were: Ed Misenhelter, president; Toni Bolenbaugh, vice-president; and Kay Wilkinson, secretary-treasurer.

The second semester officers were: Toni Bolenbaugh, president; Vance Gosney, vice-president, and Wayne Shipley, secretary-treasurer. The pet project of the second semester was a German dinner held at Kay Wilkinson's home. Central's own German student, Gudrun Friebe, planned the menu and who can forget that delicious dessert—apple strudel?

### GERMAN CLUB

Top Row: R. Brown, E. Misenhelter, D. Hesse, J. Keiter. Row 2: L. Olson, D. Blevens, T. Bolinbaugh. Row 1: A. Biere, K. Wilkinson, J. Helm, Miss Engle.



Top Row: Mr. Lockard, N. Golbrath, E. Dwyer, R. Teague, D. Steury, J. Freeman, C. Shaw, G. Jensen, G. Smith, Row 4: Mr. Rutledge, J. Callow, F. Sims, D. Bowie, H. Kirmse, M. Arnold, N. Holt, W. Boone, H. Perrenond, D. Lyons, Row 3: G. Bates, J. Douglass, S. Miller, B. DeWalt, C. Saxton, J. McKee, K. Nelson, B. Gary, Row 2: P. Heer, A. Hill, S. Laughlin, E. Anderson, L. Collins, S. Mackey, M. Ghrist, L. Hood, B. Mallory, Row 1: C. Schneider, B. Kirtley, C. Winn, C. Hull, E. Gilbert, S. Townsend, D. Schulte, J. Stucker.



## Courtesy Committee Improves Cafeteria

"We want to make Central a friendly school" has been the main objective of the Cafeteria Courtesy Committee, sponsored by the Student Council this year. The school leaders decided that the lunchroom is the only place during the day where students can relax and meet people, therefore we have striven to improve the atmosphere in the cafeteria. Tables were arranged so that they would be smaller and give a better opportunity for the people at each table to get to know each other.

John Charlton, first semester, and Barbara Mallory, second semester, were the general chairmen elected by the Student Council to be in charge of the program. There was also a chairman all year in hour four and hour five. The chairman for hour four was John Charlton and for hour five, Gordon Smith. Each lunch period had a captain at each end of the cafeteria whose job it was to report misconduct to the chairmen. The captains were: first period, Slyvia Buchta and Marion Love; second period, Nolan Thompson and Sharon Stover;

third period, David Lyons and ElDora Gilbert; fourth period, Judy Douglas and Beverly Kirtley.

A host or hostess was elected by each table who was in charge of seeing that the table was clean for the next hour, that there were enough stools for each table and that the students at the table knew everyone, and to introduce any newcomers that should arrive. If any misconduct was noticed by the captains, they reported to the chairman, who reported to our senior counselor, Miss Schaller, and then the host or hostess was notified and advised to make corrections.

At the end of the year Miss Schaller reports that the cafeteria shows a great deal of improvement in neatness and orderliness due to the year-long campaign.

Another new addition to cafeteria procedure is the tenminute breathing period on the terrace allowed those who so desire. This, too, has been handled in an adult manner and will be continued next year.



Back Row: R. Steury, M. Weltman, G. Homilton, C. Hedenskog, R. Winegar, O. Krueger, J. Cothran. Row 4: G. Grimm, N. Thompson, G. Galloway, J. Cessna, R. Bliss, C. Nelligan, J. Barden, L. Blonsky. Row 3: O. Sanders, P. Roark, S. Reynolds, P. Parson, D. A. Kearns, C. Houston, N. Wilson. Row 2: D. Caesar, D. White, P. Kaut, J. Pool, S. Stover, P. Cornelius, J. Hodson. Row 1: A. Warren, M. Love, D. Snawden, L. Campbell, K. Enloe, S. Buchta, L. Carter, D. Marshall.



CHEERLEADERS

Back Row: S. Warnock, R. Chaddock, N. Jay, L. Campbell, Row 2: C. Pritchard, S. Richerson, Front Row: J. Lassiter, G. Duren,

## Pep Club Rouses Eagle Spirit

New uniforms of royal blue skirts and white wool sweaters with blue emblems shaped in the form of megaphones, identified Central's Pep Club for 1956-57.

During the football season, forming letters on the football field to represent the opposing schools and our own Central High was popular half-time entertainment. The 210 members in their new uniforms made quite an impressive sight.

On January 7, a chili dinner was held at the Southeast Presbyterian Church in honor of the football team. Ed Huff was chosen by the Pep Club as "Mr. Football."

During the basketball season, the Pep Club, as well as the student body, had fun as they presented clever assemblies to bolster school spirit. One assembly was a parody on the "Night Before Christmas," while another assembly struck a different note as the girls presented the funeral of Central's competitors.

At the close of the basketball season, the annual basketball dinner was held and John Hickman was elected "Mr. Basketball." After the dinner, the group of Pep Club members and basketball players completed the affair by an evening of dancing at Teen Town.

To be a member all that is required is a uniform and the promise to attend every game. At the beginning of the year, every girl is given 25 points, but for every game she misses 5 points are deducted; when all of her points are gone her emblem is turned in and she is no longer a member.

Central's cheerleaders really led a busy life during this school year of 1956-1957. Not only did they yell their best at every football and basketball game, but they led cheers at all the pep assemblies promoted by the Pep Club, and at the football and basketball dinners.

#### PEP CLUB OFFICERS

Back Row: A. Parkhurst, D. Davisson, Miss Pinkerton, B. Sarrett. Front Row: K. Enloe, B. Dant, J. Hardy. Top Row: N. Sodergren, S. Stroud, C. Morgenstern, J. Jenkins, S. Ewald, C. Noland, V. Anderson, S. Braddix. Row 4: B. Cooper, N. Hobart, S. Kenton, N. Peyton, D. Pryor, B. Barnes, J. Greaves, A. Hill. Row 3: B. Parker, C. Fishback, S. Woodrome, J. Burt, K. Burns, N. Blatt, R. Chaddock, P. Fitzpatrick. Row 2: B. Hatcher, S. Yeager, E. Anderson, S. Pemberton, D. Fowler, S. Nolan, L. Ferguson, D. Fettic. Row 1: C. Driscoll, C. Boyd, B. Underhill, L. McCubbin, D. Standley, D. Ferrel, S. Laughlin, J. Tosser.



Top Row: K. Johnson, P. Ebeling, C. Ralstin, B. Wedemeier, J. Blair, A. Pot er, M. Wilson. Row 4: K. Woody, L. Hunt, J. Reink meyer, C. Comstick, P. Roark, N. Crauther, T. Goeking, Row 3: B. Helms, J. Boswell, M. Crassley, D. Melton, M. Williams, S. Stover, L. Hatcher. Row 2: S. Jones, L. Tally, C. Fry, S. Wilson, C. Ellott, K. Striker, G. Hayes, J. Flournoy. Row 1: D. Holdshoe, N. Paxton, P. Cornelius, C. Webs'er, D. Bishop, P. Rutan, D. Potts, B. Mallory.

Top Row: B. Bliss, L. Sturgess, M. Dwyer, S. Buchta, S. Harris, J. Heigele, W. Piper, J. Pederson. Row 4: L. Cordry, B. Dent, D. Millard, C. Patty, C. Smith, N. Pope, D. White, K. Hampton. Row 3: P. Hensley, C. Soxton, P. Kimball, D. Rutherford, J. Branham, M. Rocha, S. Raimos, M. Roberts. Row 2: C. Dubois, K. Ihnow, S. Ward, A. McKinney, B. Cunningham, J. Sooter, S. McEntire, K. Quisenberry. Row 1: J. Ballard, J. Stucker, B. Stucker, L. Hood, J. King, S. King, C. Hull, N. Shull.

Top Row: B. Brewster, J. Zink, T. Pevler, D. Perry, J. Fetters, T. Bolenbaugh, S. Glauser, J. Dannenberg, D. Harris, M. Dudley, Row 4: K. Wilkinson, J. Emek, M. Ghrist, A. Rowley, S. Perkins, C. Gragg, P. Craig, C. Himes, J. Easterly, A. Parkhurst, Row 3: C. Synovinc, J. McClelland, C. Mitchell, J. Carr, M. Prymus, L. McManigal, N. Hall, K. Gray, E. Ensminger, Row 2: K. Lee, C. Rowe, P. King, W. Fetter, G. Evans, N. Wilson, B. Gary, J. Meyer, M. Lehmana, Row 1: P. Kaut, B. Jones, C. Ward, K. Masteller, V. Hiskey, L. Beaver, P. Carrell, J. McClanahan.









#### "C" CLUB

Top Row: R. Miller, E. Huff, Row 6: L. Mansker, J. Hickman, C. Kimball, T. Moss. Row 5: T. Tucker, A. Lewis, R. Dahl, L. Greenwood, Row 4: L. Winfrey, C. Fulton, J. Ozorkiewicz, E. Brooks. Row 3: G. Borserine, D. Slavins, F. Sims, S. Burgette. Row 2: B. McCrary, A. Wilwerding, R. Fisk, B. Jadlow. Row 1: D. Chullino, E. Rutan, W. Bredemeier, D. Vogels-

# "C" Club Promotes Sportsmanship

On the first and third Thursdays of each month, the front hall of Central High seems strangely desolate of boys. These are the mornings on which the members of "C" Club hold their meetings.

The thirty-nine active members of "C" Club acquire their membership by first lettering in either football, basketball, or track. After they have earned their letter by hours of hard work in practice, they are voted into "C" Club. For the past two years, the members have sported "C" Club jackets instead

of the blue sweaters of former years. The boys also may pur-

chase "C" Club pins which are a block "C" of royal blue felt.

The main duty of the member of "C" Club is to help maintain good sportsmanship and enthusiasm at Central High School and to set an example at sports activities for all good Centralites to follow.

At the end of the year the boys have a picnic paid for with money received from the selling of Central decals. The decals also provide added reserve for other club expenses.

#### **OFFICERS**

Back Row: J. Jay, J. Foote, Front Row: E. Huff, J. Hickman, L. Foster, B. Jones.





#### **OLYMPIANS**

Top Row: J. Anderson, K. Hampton, M. Arnold, C. Webster. Row 6: N. Hendrix, P. Wedemeier, L. Mabrey, C. Ralstin. Row 5: J. Scribner, S. Estes, B. Williams, S. Wilson. Row 4: K. Masteller, S. Burasco, M. S. Carter, S. Warnock. Row 3: B. Kirtley, C. Brown. Row 2: S. Skinner, K. Winingar, P. Cornelius, G. Smith. Row 1: N. Shull, D. Shulte.

# Olympians Loyal to Blue and Gold

The members of the Olympian Club strove to be worthy of their name and the athletic games it suggests. They wore their blue and gold colors with pride for their significance, blue for loyalty to responsibilities and obligations and gold for richness in personality, fellowship, and character.

The girls were elected to membership after having qualified for or played in a Sportsday, a goal of each Olympian member. The fellowship in the club encouraged girls to work for physical fitness, good sportsmanship, skill in sports, and successful competition.

The girls must devote much time and effort in earning their small shield, large shield, and big "C"; but practice and the time spent after school hours for intramurals became fun as the girls worked together. Membership was further enhanced by the feeds, gobs of fried chicken, and festivities at time of initiation and celebration after victories for Central's girls' sport teams.

At the end of the year the Olympians sponsored a mixer after school in the girls' gym, the proceeds from which went toward the awards that the senior girls have earned through hard labor.

### OFFICERS

Back Row: S. Milberger, B. Sanders, N. Richardson, S. Appleby, Front Row: M. Merfen, W. Vermilion, G. Cockrell, S. Austin, C. Hill, P. Montgomery, P. Hayes.





ALL-STARS

Grace bestows a queenly smile.

Back Row: L. Mansker, B. Jones. Row 2: R. Owsley, L. Allen, L. Foster, C. Hardwick. Row 1: A. Wilwerding, J. Foote, E. Huff, G. Upton.

### Central Takes a

Central opened a highly successful football season with a lightning-fast game with Southwest. The Eagles won with a 31-13 score. It was Central's game from the beginning with Ronnie Owsley, Gordon Carr, Larry Allen, and Ed Huff making touchdowns. Ed Huff was the Eagles' workhorse, carrying 21 times for 119 yards.

Wyandotte was the Eagles' second game. The score was 19-7, Central's only score coming in the second half when Jerry Foote, quarterback, went over after a 15-yard run around left end. Wyandotte effectively used the Statue of Liberty play to knock off Central.

The Eagles' first league game and first league victory was with Westport. Central's aggressive forwards took the zip out

of the Tigers' attack and Ed Huff scored twice for Central making the score 14-0. It was evident from the first league game that Central had a really fine team, and the boys went on to prove it with a 5-1 record.

In the Northeast game, Ed Huff again scored two touchdowns and saved another. With the 13-6 score, Central moved one-half game ahead in the Interscholastic League.

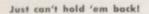
Rugged defending by center Allen Wilwerding, guard Conrad Hardwick, tackles Bob Jones and Loren Foster, and ends Larry Allen and Don Brown stopped Paseo, leaving them scoreless against a twenty-point score for Central. This victory left the Eagles eagerly looking forward to their game with Southwest, their main competitor in the Interscholastic League.

### FIRST TEAM FOOTBALL

Back Row: J. Hickman, R. Owsley, E. Huff, G. Carr, J. Foote, B. McCrary, D. Brown, L. Mansker. Front Row: L. Foster, C. Hardwick, A. Wilwerding, M. Relpath, G. Upton, R. Fisk, B. Jones.









Ain't misbehaving?

## Smashing Second

Central met Rockhurst for their third nonleague game. The Eagles took the game with a 20-7 score.

Central's fourth league game came with Lincoln on the Lincoln Field. Ed Huff scored twice, Ronnie Owsley twice, and Bill McCrary once, leaving Lincoln scoreless and Central with 33 points. The spirit was high as the Eagles approached their big game of the season.

The Eagles' homecoming game with Southeast resulted in Central's first league loss. Jerry Foote scored for Central once in the last quarter, but it had little effect against Southeast's lead of 41. Central stole the show during the half-time as Grace Duren reigned as Central's homecoming queen. She was attended by her princesses Linda Cordry and Karen Enloe.

Central met Manual for its final game and won it with a 26-0 score.

Central is very proud of the members of the football team who received special honors. Jerry Foote, Allen Wilwerding, Larry Mansker, Conrad Hardwick, and Ronnie Owsley obtained Honorable Mention on the Interscholastic League All-Star Team. Central's representatives on the All-Star Second Team were Glen Upton, Bob Jones, and Larry Allen. Ed Huff and Loren Foster received coveted positions on the All-Star First Team. Ed Huff really made Central proud when he went on to receive a place on the Second Team, All-State.

Central wants to pay tribute to our football team and to the coach, Hoyt Baker, who led them on to so many victories.

### FIRST TEAM FOOTBALL

Back Row: D. Chullino, B. Whitaker, G. Johnson, L. Allen, R. Dahl, R. Miller, H. Ray, G. Borserine. Frant Row: L. Greenwood, B. Jadlow, D. Moore, D. Slovens, D. Vogelsmeier, R. Higgins, T. Tucker.





FOOTBALL COACHES

Mr. Baker, Mr. Liechti, Mr. Webster, Mr. Ramsey.

## Eaglets Capture

Central's B Team opened the season with a winning streak of nine straight victories from the previous year to which they added five more consecutive wins, four of which were shutouts. The Eaglets met their first foe on the Wyandotte field. A fifteen-yard pass to end Tommy Schwindt from quarterback Alfred Brown in the second quarter accounted for the lone touchdown of the game. Ebb Everett, end, scored the extra point on a pass from quarterback Art Peterson. The final score was Central 7, Wyandotte 0. The second game of the season was an exciting 12-0 victory over Westport. The contest was sparked by outstanding runs by halfbacks Sterling Bergette, who ran sixty yards in the second quarter for the first tally, and Larry Carter, who scored in the third quarter on a six-yard dive play. The timely blocking of Ebb Everett and tackle Jim Helm was a prime factor in Central's winning strategy. North-

east was the Eaglets' third consecutive victim to fall scoreless before Central's tight defense work. The only touchdown of the game occurred in the second quarter when fullback Gene Hall scored on a fifteen-yard sweep play. The final score was Central 6, Northeast 0. In the second nonleague game of its schedule Central defeated the Rockhurst Hawklets by a score of 20-12. Fast-running Larry Carter made a sparkling fifty-five-yard run on Central's first offensive play to score the first touchdown of the game. Art Peterson passed to end Howard Medlin for the extra point. Gene Hall scored the second Central touchdown on an eight-yard plunge. Rockhurst scored next on a ten-yard sweep. This was the first time in the season that an opponent scored against Central. The Eaglets scored again in the third quarter on a fast fifteen-yard-run by Larry Carter. Art Peterson passed to Ebb Everett for the extra point.

Come to papa!

FOOTBALL MANAGERS E. Rutan, J. Ozorkiewicz







SECOND TEAM FOOTBALL

Top Row: J. McCrea, W. Hooks, G. Hall, H. Gray, L. Couzens, R. McCrea, J. Thompson, E. Lynk, D. Fuller, J. Robinson, W. Shipley, R. Gibbins, M. Jackson, J. Helm. Row 2: P. Jobes, T. Schwindt, J. Baker, E. Evans, R. Brown, B. White, J. Hunt, L. Settle, J. Straws, R. O'Korn, E. Schwindt, L. Hove, M. Medlin. Row 1: J. Green, A. Brown, J. Cobb, L. Caldwell, J. Mollet, B. Brauninger, L. Carter, G. Winfrey, P. Peterson, D. Tuckness, S. Bugette, C. Lineberry.

# Second in League

Gene Hall and Larry Carter led the Eaglets' attack in scoring their next win, a 12-0 victory over Paseo. Gene Hall scored in the second quarter on an eight-yard sweep play. Larry Carter tallied another touchdown for the Eaglets in the third quarter on a five-yard dive play. Central scored its fifteenth victory of the season by defeating Lincoln, 13-0. The game was a scoreless tie at the end of the first half. Jackie Green, halfback, made the first touchdown on a forty-five-yard reverse play. Art Peterson kicked for the extra point. Central made another touchdown when Gene Hall scored on a fifteen-yard sweep play. The Eaglets met Southeast on the Southeast field. The game was a scoreless tie for three quarters. In the last fifteen seconds of the game Southeast scored on an

eighteen-yard pass. The final score was Central, 0, Southeast, 6. This game broke the Eaglets' skein of fifteen victories spanning two seasons. Manual forfeited to Central, so the score was Central, 2, Manual, 0. The last game of the season was against Southwest. Larry Carter scored in the first quarter on a tenyard dive play. Gene Hall scored again for Central in the second quarter with an eighteen-yard run. Southwest also scored in the second quarter and in both quarters of the last half. The final score was Central, 12, Southwest, 20. The Eaglets ended the season with a 7-2 record. Central can be proud of the Eaglets and look forward to seeing many of them on the first team next year. The coaches, Mr. Ramsey and Mr. Liechti, should be congratulated for their inspired coaching.

Hit 'em high, hit 'em low!



Where there's a will . . .





#### CHESS CLUB

Top Row: E. Misenhelter, L. Pawell,
J. Daniels, D. Steury, J. Boyle. Row
3: G. Hamilton, J. Duncan, L. Caldwell, L. Younger, W. Williams. Row
2: B. Brown, D. Blevins, D. Lyons, E.
Lutes, G. Grimm. Row 1: J. Cessna,
B. Mallory, C. Lang, R. Bliss, D.
Kniffin.

### Chess Club

Chess, the game of kings, was learned and enjoyed by some of Central's intelligent young "Einsteins" under the guidance of a volunteer instructor from the Kansas City Chess Club, Mr. Seifert. Although chess requires a good deal of planning and thinking, it is not necessarily restricted to the "brains."

Although chess originated in India a thousand years ago, Central's Chess Club has proven chess is modern and exciting.

The club, founded by persons interested in the game, provides a means whereby participants can learn the strategy of important moves. These fundamentals are then employed in inter-club games and at the meetings which are held every Tuesday after school.

Chess Club officers this year were: David Kniffen, president; Don Clarke, vice-president; Carol Lang, secretary, and Lee Baird, sergeant-at-arms.

### Archery Club

Robin Hood and his merry men have nothing at all on Central High School's Archery Club. The members of this club, although they do not practice in Sherwood Forest, are learning all there is to know about bows and arrows. The boys get together on Wednesday after school with their sponsor, Mr. Slater, to share their knowledge about archery with each other.

The members of the Archery Club made two trips to Swope Park during the fall of the year to make use of the park's archery range. The boys competed with each other in showing their archery skill. Kent Vick was high scorer on their first trip, and Central's own "Little John," John Hayes, tallied high points on the clubs' second trip.

The Archery Club made good use of the knowledge they had acquired during the school year by taking a real hunting trip in the spring.

#### ARCHERY CLUB

Back Row: Mr. Slater, N. Runyan, K. Vick, D. Warkins, D. Lyons, D. Wilson, Front Row: R. Butler, J. Hayes, P. Ferrell.



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#### SECOND TEAM BASKETBALL

Left to right: A. Peterson, A. Brawn, C. Hardwick, T. Schwindt, R. O'Korn, T. Gates, J. Carroll, T. Tucker, G. Johnson, R. Brown, E. Hodges, R. Bradford. Coach: C. Liechti.

# Eaglets Gain Experience

Led by their coach, Mr. C. D. Liechti, the Eaglets tallied a season record of four wins and sixteen losses. In league play they had a 2-9 record.

On November 27, the Eaglets met North Kansas City at Southeast and were defeated 37-19. They fared better in their clash with DeLaSalle, however, scoring 38 points to DeLaSalle's 31. Against Redemptorist the Eaglets played an exciting game, ending with a 50-48 victory for Central. Following this, the boys went to Liberty and lost there by three points, as Liberty chalked up 27 to Central's 24 points.

On December 14, the Eaglets received another shakedown as they were defeated by Rockhurst, 38-20. The Raytown game the next week, though thrilling, was a heartbreaker as Raytown walked off with a one-point victory over Central. The score was 32-33.

The Eaglets were defeated in their first two games of league play by Northeast, 35-46, and by Westport, 38-48. Again in

non-league play with Pem-Day they lost, 47-61. The Eaglets gained their third triumph in the season as they drew a score of 45-28 over Van Horn, but they lost, 34-53, to Southwest the following week.

Their next victory came in the Central-Southeast game. The Eaglets shook off Southeast with a 53-50 score. The Eaglets last four games ended in four successive losses, with Paseo, 42-44; Manual, 36-30; Lincoln, 38-51; and East, 18-32.

This year's "B" Team showed some promising talent for next year's varsity. Terry Gates, a sophomore who scored 239 points this year for the Eaglets, was moved up to first team following the Lincoln Game. Gregg Johnson was another player with an impressive score. He totaled 127 points and carried an 8.5 average for the season.

Though the record of wins was not as high as could be wished, all of the Eaglets deserve much credit for displaying such fine sportsmanship in all of their games.

Who has it?

Don't just stand there!





FIRST TEAM BASKETBALL

B. Toms, C. Fulton, E. Everett, L. Allen, L. Mansker, J. Hickman, A. Lewis, G. Johnson, L. Peeler, J. Jay, B. McCrary, Coach: Nathan Roitman.

# Eagles Tie For Third in League

Central opened the Interscholastic League season against Northeast. The Vikings gained a twelve-point lead in the first half which Central was never able to overcome. This game broke Central's winning streak of five consecutive non-league games. The Westport game was one of the season's most exciting contests with the Eagles winning by the slim margin of two points. Our next game was against Pembroke-Country Day, in which Pem-Day got an early lead and held it throughout the game. Their final score topped ours by twelve points. Central next scored a rousing victory over Van Horn, finishing with a fourteen point lead. In the Southwest game, Central seized the lead in the first quarter and retained it throughout game.

When the buzzer stopped the teams Central had scored a 53-47 victory. Despite the fact that John Hickman scored twenty-eight points, the Eagles still lost to Southeast. The Paseo-Central game was an even contest throughout. Paseo led Central by one point at the end of the first quarter. Central scored twenty-one points in the second quarter to take a seven-point lead. By the end of the third quarter, four points had been whittled from this lead. The Eagles were able to stem a last-minute Paseo rally to win by the slim margin of two points. In our next game against Manual, Central obtained an early lead and maintained it throughout the game. Central's next foe, Lincoln, built a fourteen-point lead during

Scrambled legs.

BASKETBALL MANAGERS
W. Bredemeier, P. Sarrett









John scores two. Fancy footwork!

### Central League Games

Central	43,	Northeast	47
Central	38,	Westport	36
Central	68,	Van Horn	54
Central	53,	Southwest	47
Central	63,	Southeast	68
Central	48,	Paseo	46
Central	68,	Manual	44
Central	37,	Lincoln	71
Central	39,	East	37

### Non-League Games

Central	57,	De LaSalle	23
Central	40,	Redemptorist	31
Central	51,	Liberty	32
Central	39,	Rockhurst	38
Central	51,	Raytown	42
Central	47,	Pem-Day	59

### Regional Tournaments

Central	60,	Southwest	54
Central	51,	Rockhurst	. 49
Central	30,	Paseo	37





Hope Mom's watching!" Just a little higher.

the first quarter which was consistantly augmented until the end of the game when the scoreboard registered a 37-71 defeat for Central. This was the worst defeat of the season for the Eagles. The Eagles finished the Interscholastic League season by defeating East. The Eagles tied Paseo for third place in the Interscholastic League.

All Centralians are proud of John Hickman, a three-year letterman, who was not only captain of the City All-Stars but a member of the State All-Star team. In recognition of John's outstanding ability, the Dr. Di Renna Trophy, the highest honor that can be awarded a Kansas City high school athlete, was given to Central for one year.



#### "A" TRACK TEAM

Row 3: R. Miller, B. Jadlow, T. Moss, L. Mansker, B. Warren, G. Rainwater, C. Fulton. Row 2: B. Toms, L. Winfrey, S. Burgette, L. Foster, E. Everett, W. Studyvin, F. Simms. Row 1: J. Jay, R. Owsley, D. Chullino, E. Huff, E. Brooks, A. Wilwerding, B. Whitaker,

# Up, Over, Down-Our

Central's track team opened the season by participating in the Big Seven Indoor Track Meet. Ronald Owsley competed in the 60-yard dash. He placed first in the preliminary heat, but finished third in the actual race. He was awarded a bronze medal. The next event on Central's schedule was the State Indoor Track Meet at Columbia. Bob Jadlow captured third place in the half-mile race at this meet. Southwest was the proud winner of the meet.

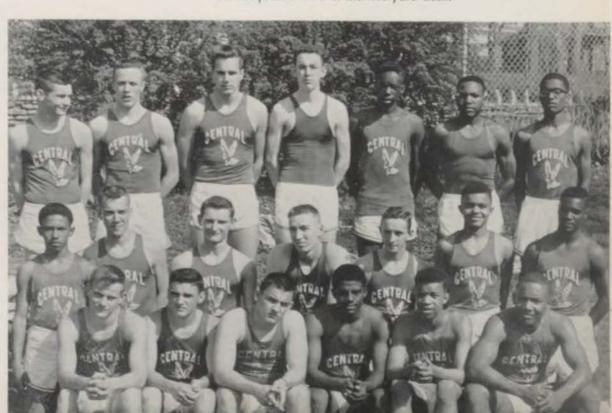
On April 16, Central met Southwest and Southeast at Southeast. Bob Jadlow captured the 880-yard run, Russell Miller took first in the high hurdles. In the mile, Fred Sims placed second and Larry Winfrey, third. At the close of the meet Southwest had tallied 58¼, Southeast 39¼, and Central 17½. On April 20, Central competed in the K. U. Relays, the top track event in the nation.

Central met Paseo at Paseo. Miller, high hurdles; Owsley, 100-yard dash; Burgette, 440 dash; Jadlow, 880 run; Owsley, 220-yard dash; Jay, 440-yard dash; Fulton, high jump; and Whitaker, broad jump, all placed first. Second for Central were Jay, high hurdles; Huff, 100-yard dash; Winfrey, mile; Huff, 220-yard dash; Mansker, high jump; Fulton, broad jump; Wilwerding, shot; and Moss, Toms, and Rainwater, pole vaule. Central competed in the Shawnee Mission Relays on April 26. Central finished in a fourth place tie with Southeast in the sprint medley relay. Ron Owsley finished fifth in the 220-yard dash.

On April 29, the Kansas City Relays were held at East. Russell Miller placed fourth in the 120-yard high hurdles, Sterling Bergette tied with Gerry Resch for fifth in the 440-yard dash, and Jim Jay took fourth in the 180-yard low hurdles. Central placed third in the 440-yard dash.

### "B" TRACK TEAM

Row 3: T. Schwindt, L. Allen,
T. Tucker, J. Carrall, A.
Lewis, J. Robinson, G. Vertreese. Row 2: R. Bradford,
J. Underhill, L. Caldwell, R.
O'Korn, E. Hodges, E. Lynk,
H. Gray. Row 1: D. Moare,
L. Carter, B. White, C.
Hardwick, O. Groves, R.
Russell.





CROSS COUNTRY

Back Row: C. Fulton, C. Kimble, A. Lewis, Mr. Roitman. Front Row: R. Smith, L. Winfrey, F. Sims, J. Jay.

### Team Went to Town

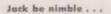
In the 880-yard run, Bob Jadlow took second, and Clarence Fulton tied for second in the high jump. Tom Moss tied with Snyder, Southeast, and Carlton, Southwest, for first place in pole vaulting. On May 2, Central competed with Northeast and East. Burgette, 440-yard; Winfrey, mile; Owsley, 220-yard; Moss, pole vaulting; and Fulton, high jump, placed first for Central. Second for Central were Miller, high hurdles; Owsley, 100-yard; Simms, Mile; Jadlow, 880 run, and Central took second in the 880 relay. Central placed first, Northeast second, and East third in the meet. The State Meet was held May 17 and 18, and the City Meet May 23 and 24.

Every year, in the fall, an interscholastic cross-country track

meet is held. The course, which is about two miles in length, starts at Southeast High School, and continues through Swope Park, around the zoo and back to Southeast.

Each school has a team of seven players. The team's score is made up of the scores of its first five runners. The team with the lowest score wins. This year eight schools were represented by fifty-six runners. Our team was considered a bright prospect for first place by most track savants. Unfortunately, Clarence Fulton, Central's key man, was taken ill while running the race. As a result of this he finished fortieth. Here is the list of Central's runners and their finishing positions in the race: Freddie Sims, 5; Larry Winfrey, 9; Carl Kimball, 17.

This ain't easy!







#### HOCKEY SPORTSDAY

Back Row: L. Mabrey, S. Appleby, S. Milberger, B. Williams, Miss Jones, B. Sanders, S. Wilson, N. Hendrix, W. Vermillion. Front Row: C. Hill, G. Cockrell, G. Smith, P. Montgomery, S. Austin, N. Rawlins, K. Winingar. Nat

# Sportsday Teams

Central is proud to say that her girls' sportsday teams again went undefeated this year in hockey and basketball. In the maintaining of such a record, a great deal of credit goes to Miss Jones and Miss Purnell, who train the girls and teach them to enjoy the sport in which they are participating.

The hockey sportsday was held at Northeast High School and Central was matched with Van Horn and Manual. In the first game with Manual, the starting lineup was, forwards: Myrna Merfin, Glada Cockrell, Wanda Vermillion, Penny Montgomery, Lois Mabrey; halfbacks: Georgia Smith, Sharon Austin, Nancy Richardson; fullbacks: Charlotte Hill, Sharon Wilson; goalee: Sue Appleby. Central, after five minutes of play, swept through Van Horn's defense to make the first goal. Before Van Horn could recover, Wanda Vermillion tallied another

goal for Central. The second half began with five penalty corners taken near Van Horn's goal. Penny Montgomery scored the third point for Central. When the game had ended, Central had scored twice again, making the final score 5-0.

Substitutes for the Manual game were: forwards, Karen Winingar, Naomi Rawlings, Barbara Williams; halfbacks, Barbara Sanders, Nancy Hendrix; fullback, Sharon Milberger. The first goal was not gained easily, but Naomi Rawlins slipped through Manual's defense to score. Karen Winingar made a second goal before the half ended. During the second half, Central scored once again making the final score 3-0. Penny Montgomery made five of the eight goals in the two games. The captain of the team, Sharon Austin, was presented with a long-stemmed red rose, as an award for victory.

#### BASKETBALL SPORTSDAY

Back Row: J. Anderson, S. Appleby, N. Richardson, M. Jones, B. Sanders, B. Williams, N. Rawlins. Row 1: C. Hill, C. Webster, P. Montgomery, C. Ralstin. Not in Picture: M. Carter, L. Mabrey.





#### SPORTSDAY MANAGERS

Back Row: P. Hays, G. Cockrell, P. Carnelius, W. Vermillion, K. Winingar. Front Row: C. Hill, P. Montgomery, G. Smith, N. Hendrix.

## Still Undefeated

Basketball sportsday was also a great success. The games were played at Van Horn and Central was scheduled to play Southwest and Westport. The starting lineup against Southwest was: forwards, Sue Appleby, Charlotte Hill, Nancy Richardson; guards, Jackie Anderson, Carol Ralstin, Barbara Sanders. Southwest whizzed through Central's defense to make the first basket, but Central showed her superiority in the first quarter by gaining 15 points to Southwest's 9. Though the entire game was nip and tuck, Central had the upper hand with such players as Barbara Williams, Naomi Rawlins and Nancy Richardson. The final score was 33-22.

The starting lineup on the guards' end for the clash with Westport was Sue Appleby, Carol Ralstin and Barbara Sanders, and during part of the game, Lois Mabrey, Charlene Webster and Jackie Anderson played the guard position. Central's team put Westport to shame by racking up an 8-0 lead before the end of the first quarter. During the second and third quarters, Central was way ahead with scores of 16-2 and 24-7, respectively. The final score was 31-13, Central. High scorer for both games was Barbara Williams who made almost half the points.

Sportsday is regarded as one of the most rewarding days of a girl's life in sports. After previous weeks of hard practice, the teams rise at an early hour on a Saturday morning and meet at a chosen school. Competing with the most highly skilled girls from each school adds new interest to the game, and gives great satisfaction at having won the game, as both of Central's sportsday teams did this year. Girls deserving mention are the managers who prepare charts and schedules for after-school games and who make sure that there are referees and scorekeepers on the job.



#### SOFTBALL PROSPECTS

Top Row: G. Smith, Miss Jones, P. Montgomery, N. Hendrix. Row 2: M. Arnold, M. S. Carter, S. Appleby, N. Ainsworth, P. Cornelius. Row 1: W. Vermillion, N. Richardson, J. Mabrey, G. Cockrell, C. Webster.



DRUM AND BUGLE

Top Row: W. Tranmell, D. Williams, J. McDonald, J. Eklund, G. McCright, T. Jesmore. Row 2: L. Rolf, K. Goff, H. Tishk, G. Brower, M. Ashenfelter, G. Grimm, J. Linville. Row 1: V. Downs, J. Matthews, J. Goff, L. Helms, J. Ridenour, S. Jordan.

# R.O.T.C. Boys

General Dwight D. Eisenhower once said: "The quality of leadership which we will painstakingly seek to develop and foster in the R.O.T.C. will have application to all walks of life." In the Central R.O.T.C., the fundamentals of good citizenship are taught so that a graduate will be able to handle himself with distinction in any situation that might arise. General Eisenhower also said: "We stoutly maintain that leaders are made, not born." Thus, it was the purpose of the R.O.T.C. at Central to develop students who would be marked for leadership in any community in our land, during peace or war.

A general training program was enforced by the Army De-

partment, thereby making it a requisite that all cadets take training in leadership and drill, marksmanship, map reading, first aid, the handling of all small arms, physical training, and several other subjects as the Army sees fit.

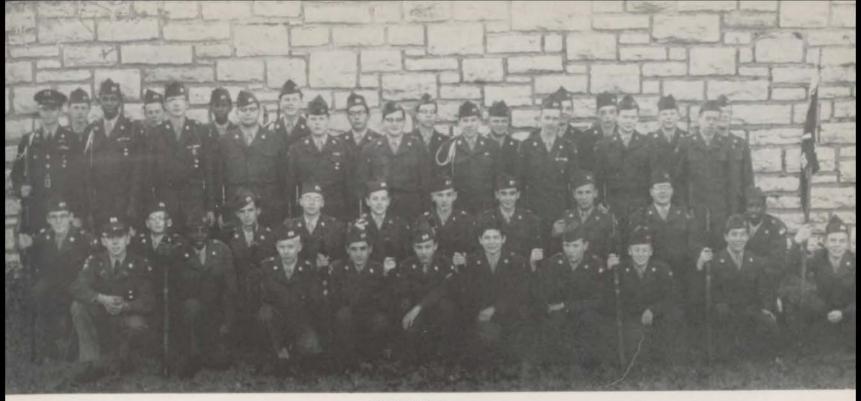
The Central Battalion, which had three companies, A, B, C, started the year with an enrollment of 189 cadets. It was announced early in the year that Central was again, as in many past years, rated as an Honor School due to its fine showing in last year's Federal Inspection.

After a stiff theoretical and practical examination, the following appointments were announced. Lt. Col. Larry Moss was ap-

#### COMPANY "A"

Top Row: J. M. Burton, G. Jensen, T. J. Elson, D. Michael, J. Hayes, R. Hudson, H. Vogel, C. Lemka, S. Buck, Row 3: L. Crawford, L. Clark, T. Johnson, W. B. Plaeger, E. Robinson, R. Moore, G. Coram, R. Schwarz, W. Gregg, Row 2: B. Hall, R. Williams, J. Davis, H. Lundy, R. Courtney, L. Caswell, L. Schuster, R. Richardson, D. Leap, Row 1: D. Cavanah, B. Sanders, J. Cox, J. Von Wormer, J. Sevart, R. Hale, D. Thomas, L. Davis.





COMPANY "B"

Top Row: M. E. Gensler, W. Trotter, L. Hamlett, J. Munden, N. Runyon, R. Stone, F. Crawford, S. Brooks, J. Fenner, D. McBrayer, J. Jackson. Row 3: V. Gosney, F. Lewis, M. Loud, D. Roach, B. Hammack, B. Boren, L. Curtis, L. Tucker, L. Dickerson, L. Johnson. Row 2: T. Carver, K. Barwise, E. Williams, W. Easter, J. Christen, R. Wheeler, P. Barnes, L. Cress, J. Roll, R. Jackson. Row 1: T. Owens, D. Hopkins, M. Bennett, V. Badami, R. Gordon, H. Nester, K. Marshall, D. Handley, T. Handley, W. Hunter.

### Take Honors

pointed Battalion Commander and Maj. Lloyd Cline became Battalion Executive Officer. Lt. Col. Donald Scott was the Battalion Representative to Division. The Battalion Staff consists of Capt. Paul Yancy, Adjutant; Lt. Jim Fry, Intelligence Officer; Capt. Richard Bland, Plans and Training Officer; Capt. Joe Richardson, Supply Officer; and Capt. Hugh Roll, Ordinance Officer. Sgt. Jackson was appointed Rouge Officer. The Company Commander of Company "A," which meets the first hour, was Capt. Sam Buck. Company "B," whose assembly time

is the third hour, was commanded by Capt. Dan White, and Company "C," which was formed during the seventh hour, was commanded by Lt. David Mayta. The Company Executive Officers and Platoon Leaders appointed were these: Company "A," Lt. Don Leap, Lt. David Thomas, and Sgt. Schuster; Company "B," Lt. Munden, Lt. Vaughn, and Lt. Huntsinger. The Drum, Fife, and Bugle Corps was commanded by Capt. Brian McBrayer.

### COMPANY "C"

Top Row: L. Foster, H. Jensen, R. Karr, J. Munden, R. Clark, W. O'Neal, C. Shaw, H. Pryor. Row 3: R. Daigle, J. Ghrist, J. Givens, R. Welch, R. Jones, D. Kennard, B. Olendorff, J. Hooper. Row 2: J. Hefter, L. Baston, L. Bowen, W. McCrary, L. Blonsky, P. Koss, T. Handley, R. Rich, H. Nicholas. Row 1: D. Mayta, D. Watson, J. Dunkin, W. Wolf, C. Vaughan, D. Huntsinger.





RIFLE TEAM

Top Row: D. Watson, D. Mayta, J. Dunkin. Row 1: L. Moss, L. Cline.

Central again entered its Drum and Bugle Corps in the Thirty-second Annual R.O.T.C. Circus. Their act of marching in precision formation and playing was very successful. Although they did not perform for the student body as a whole at any time, almost all of Central's students were aware of the Corps because every morning during the first hour, they could be heard practicing on the parade field in front of the building. Then, although they were never seen, the Corps played a fanfare for all the queen candidates of the school.

The last two important events of the school year were Federal Inspection and Field Day. Each year the 5th Army sends out representatives from its general headquarters to determine

whether or not required standards of training has been met. These inspections are of the most extensive and carefully made of all the R.O.T.C. inspections of the year. When a battalion receives praise from the 5th Army headquarters, they know that all those long, hard hours of drill and practice were really worth the effort.

At the Eighth Annual Division Ball, held this year again at the Pla-Mor Ball Room on the night of February 21, Central's queen was Miss Barbara Mallory, who was escorted by Lt. Col. Larry Moss. The official opening of the dance was a grand march. The officers and their dates led the procession, followed by the Cadets and their dates.

#### BATTALION STAFF

Top Row: D. Austin, H. W. Roll, G. Jackson. Row 2: P. Yancy, J. Fry, R. Bland, J. Richardson. Row 1: D. Scott, L. Moss, L. Cline, G. Smith.



MEMORIAL CLUB OFFICERS

J. Munden, L. Moss, L. Cline, D. Mayta.



Central's Memorial Club, sponsored by the R.O.T.C., was organized to provide firing squads for military funerals, such as far members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, or any man or woman who was actually in the service of the United States. These squads, composed of seven members, two buglers, and one commander, attended from six to eight funerals a month.

The club is usually chosen from the highest ranking members of the boys taking R.O.T.C. These had to maintain an M average at all times and good character ratings. The capacity of the club is fifty members, but this year there were only about thirty-five active members.

In addition to acting as a firing squad, these boys did other

services for the school. The boys who carried the flag in assemblies, the Honor Guard, and the officer who led the group in saying the Pledge of Allegiance, were all members of the Memorial Club. These same boys were also responsible for the flag that is on the outside of the school on the west. Each morning and evening, one of the squads took the responsibility for the raising and lowering of the flag. They did this with all due military honors.

These boys, most of them officers in their own right, elected officers for the club. The officers for the year were: Larry Moss, president; Lloyd Cline, vice-president; David Mayta, secretary-treasurer; Gordon Smith, sergeant-at-arms; and James Munden, chaplain.

Top Row: H. Pryor, J. Munden, O. King, B. Saturday. Row 3: H. Jensen, D. Austin, P. Yancy, F. Lewis, L. Curtis, B. Tranmell. Row 2: D. Scott, S. Buck, J. Fry, R. Bland, J. Richardson, D. Watson. Row 1: L. Moss, D. Mayta, L. Cline, G. Smith.





### Queen Grace

Queen Elizabeth has her court in London, England, but Queen Grace Duren and Queen Barbara Mallory had theirs in Central High School—good old U.S.A.! And regal, indeed, were they—they out-"queened" Queen Elizabeth and Princess Grace, or so their subjects thought at the times of their reigns.

Why queens in democratic Missouri? Because the kings (commissioned officers) of R.O.T.C. and (the first team) of football willed it so. "A cat can look at a king," but the student body got to look at two queens, and helped choose them in the true democratic style.

The football team nominated the candidates and chose three royal young ladies to conduct a campaign for the "throne." Each nominee chose her campaign manager, who presented her candidate to the student body in a special assembly. Votes were cast for the favorite by holders of a football season pass. The autome of the election was not made known until the time of the crowning at the Football Assembly, where Grace was crowned with a tiara by her escort, Glen Upton, and presented a football autographed by each player. She and Princesses Linda Cordry and Karen Enloe presided over a gala and colorful ball on January 11 at the Athenaeum at Linwood and Campbell.

### Queen Barbara

In the atmosphere of army splendor: brass buttons, helmets, while gloves, Old Glory and the Blue and White, these four contestants were nominated in turn by their smartly uniformed escorts: Donna Holdshoe and Lloyd Cline, Toni Bolenbaugh and Richard Bland, Sally Richerson and James Jackson, and Barbara Mallory and Larry Moss. Each of the contestants, to the accompaniment of fanfare, an dressed in bouffant evening gowns, stepped through the persimmon red curtains and posed a living picture.

Barbara Mallory was chosen queen by the popular vote of the student body. "Every inch a queen," Queen Barbara stepped on the Pla-Mor stage February 21, to have the shimmering crown placed on her dark head by Charles S. Stevenson, a Central grad, now vice-president of Hall Brothers and Secretary of Defense of Missouri. Mr. Angus F. Barry presented an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses to her. The princesses, Donna, Sally and Toni, were included in the gift of an engraved compact by Lt. Col. George L. Brittingham. The ball was opened by Queen Barbara dancing with Mr. Barry, representing Mr. Marshall. Barbara's escort, Cadet Col. Larry Moss, claimed the next dance and the ball was in full swing.





Top Row: Which way is the bargain basement? Look girls, a Presley button! Row 2: There's more in the kitchen, boys. You're never too young to be mayor. Row 1: You just can't hardly get them art awards anymore.

### Book Three

### **ORGANIZATIONS**

He lives twice, who is able to find delight in the life that is past.

They say "Two's company—three makes a crowd." But we, as teen-agers, rebel, for we can embrace three times three dozen if they belong to any Organized group with Officers, a Program, and a Spirit of working together. These are the Heart of the Student Body and the Throbs of our Oneness will provoke nostalgia in the years ahead.













Honor Society Pin



GOLD MEDAL: Top Row: B. Brown, B. Wennesten, S. Appleby, N. Holt, D. Blevins. Row 2: S. Milberger, R. Windes, D. Potts, S. Austin, F. Edwards. Row 1: J. Hardin, A. Parkhurst, N. Richardson, J. Spotts, B. Johnson.

## Central's Honor Society

Pink and white carnations, gold pins, and the strains of "Dear Old Central" characterized the last Honor Society assembly of the year. The seniors, who wore white carnations, were honored by being seated on the stage. Some of them have retained their fourteen-point grade standard every semester of their high school career. Certainly an achievement to be proud of!

Fourteen scholastic points for two successive semesters are the requirements for membership in Central's distinguished Honor Society, and entitles such persons to the bronze pin of the Society. Four semesters entitles the student to the silver pin. And seven semesters of such a high grade average rates the coveted gold medal which the Society presents to the winner in

the last of the bi-annual assemblies. Those seniors who have maintained a 3.10 grade average graduate with "Distinction" and have one pearl in their gold pin. Those with a 3.50 average have two pearls and graduate with "High Distinction," while those who have a 3.65 grade average wear a pin with three pearls and graduate with "Highest Distinction."

The Fall assembly, planned by the officers of the Society, Miss Evelyn McLaughlin, who is chairman of the committee of faculty sponsors, and Mr. Marshall, featured Mr. Bill Vaughn from the Kansas City Star as guest speaker. Special music was provided by the Central singers. At this time, also, the two and four semester members were presented with certificates for their respective pins.

SILVER MEDAL: Top Row: M. Weltman, T. Bradley, W. Wolf, T. Schwindt, R. Bland, D. White, H. Jensen, H. McGilton, D. Steury, N. Thompson. Row 4: B. Sanders, P. Wilson, J. Fetters, L. Sturgess, R. Duncan, W. Shipley, T. Bolenbaugh, G. Vertreese, C. Vaughan. Row 3: P. Wedemeier, D. Davisson, E. Palmer, K. Striker, K. Bushnell, S. Stover, S. Tunnell, D. FitzGerald. Row 2: B. Williams, A. Beningfield, L. Blankenship, S. Warnock, S. Richerson, N. Jay, J. Bartlett, S. Buchta, B. Uthe. Row 1: V. Hiskey, P. Parsons, P. Ebeling, S. Saymour, P. Morris, L. Hood, C. Saxton, B. Parker.





GOLD MEDAL: Top Row: B. DeFoor, R. Tillmon, J. Freeman, E. Pyatt, B. Staver. Row 2: J. Lassiter, D. Clarke, B. Whitaker, L. Tally, J. Wheaton. Row 1: K. Nelson, J. Kristianson, J. Cessna, B. Mallory.



OFFICERS
Standing: S. Appleby, E. Pyatt, B. Whitaker. Seafed: A. Parkhurst.

## Rewards Scholastic Ability

The officers elected last fall were: Amy Parkhurst, president; Bill Whitaker, vice-president; Everett Pyatt, secretary; and Sue Appleby, treasurer.

Because the Honor Society is open to any student and the purpose is to further academic achievement, assembly programs are the only activities of the Society.

When transfer students come to Central from another Kansas City high school, they are treated in the same manner as Central students—two semesters of fourteen points permit them to be on the Honor Society. Those from outside the school district must maintain fourteen points one semester after entering Central. If they do so, all their grades are given full credit,

and they are placed in the proper group of the Society.

The speaker at the spring assembly was Mr. Warren Lovinger, president of Central Missouri State Teachers' College at Warrensburg. The assembly opened with a processional accompanied by the band, and a violin solo was played by Amy Parkhurst.

At the beginning of each Honor Society program, members repeat the following pledge, led by Mr. Marshall:

"I pledge myself to do everything in my power to uphold the high ideals of Central High School, and I promise always to endeavor to maintain scholastic standards worthy of my ability."

BRONZE MEDAL: Top Row: C. Wilcox, R. Clouse, L. Have, D. Jones, J. Eckhardt, D. Austin, J. Carroll, E. Evans, G. McCright, R. Steury, J. E. McDonald. Row 4: D. Kniffin, A. Peterson, L. Johnson, J. Hunkeler, S. Ewald, L. Wolf, S. Owen, T. Morris, R. B. Smith, L. Park, P. Roark. Row 3: J. Dannenberg, J. Easterly, S. Glauser, W. Fetter, B. Cooper, A. Rowley, A. McKinney, W. Piper, B. Park, L. Blansky, G. Grimm, D. Harris, T. Goeking. Row 2: J. Zmek, V. Hobbs, M. Narbury, M. Lehmann, S. Baker, M. Dwyer, J. Burt, M. Roberts, P. Hensley. Row 1: J. Metzler, V. Anderson, E. Harris, S. Burasco, A. Hawkins, D. Snowden, J. Hodson, P. Montgomey, S. Scatten, J. Hefter, C. Lang, D. Bowie, L. Beaver.





OFFICERS

Back Row: Miss Alton, Mr. Miller. Front Row: J. T. Spotts, E. Viers, B. Johnson, J. Freeman, L. Hudson.



Jeffersons exercised their vocal chords!

# Jeffersons in Black and White

"Alagazoo—Alagazoo Gaza," the club yell, helped carry the Central Jefferson Club through a memorable and successful year.

The activities began the week before school under the leadership of first term president, J. T. Spotts, when the Jeffersons held a weiner roast and party with the Delphians. Ping-pong, badminton, croquet, and dancing served to entertain everyone.

The first day of school many rushees and members flocked to Ralph Rowe's house to enjoy a combination of hot dogs, potato chips, and other refreshments at a coke party.

The annual Wyandotte game chili supper with the Delphians

was held at the Linwood Y. Rides to and from the game were provided for the rushees.

In October, the Jeffersons and Delphians sponsored a hay ride at Benjamin Stables and later that month, Delphian rushees held a party for the members and rushees of both clubs.

The Jeffersons, with Edwin Viers leading the club, went through Intersociety proudly displaying black and white as their new club colors.

The dignitaries elected for Intersociety were: Don Coomer, song leader; Jerry Freeman, standard bearer; Bob Johnson, medal pinner, and J. T. Spotts, cup bearer.

Top Row: J. Carroll, H. Jensen, B. Johnson, K. Houghton, R. Mauch, W. Mathison, T. Jesmare, L. Branham, Row 3: D. Frazier, D. Kniffin, R. Winegar, L. Cline, J. Munden, J. Freeman, G. Jensen, L. Hudson. Row 2: H. McGilton, R. Rowe, D. Coomer, D. FitzGerald, J. T. Spotts, G. McDonald, E. Viers, R. Oliver. Row 1: C. Bryan, J. Orvis, R. Duncan, A. Luther.





Delphians Aid Hungarians

In the middle of August the girls of Delphian welcomed their rushees with a Little Girl party, complete with ice cream cones, pink lemanade, animal cookies, that really stood up, balloons, and suckers. Guests, dressed as little girls, performed for their hostesses, President Carol Hull and the Delphian members.

A week before school began the girls of DLS and their brothers, the Jeffersons, together held a wiener roast with Jacque Wheaton, Intersociety representative, the hostess. Pingpong, badminton, and dancing provided everyone with a good time.

Before the Wyandotte game the Delphians and Jeffersons held their annual chili supper, this year at the Linwood Y building. Off to the game and then to return to a slumber party at the home of Kathy Striker, for DLS only.

S. Stover, C. Hull, J. Wheaton, P. Dalton, C. Ralstin.

Instead of exchanging gifts at Christmas, the girls of DLS enjoyed the spirit of giving by contributing money to the fund for Hungarian refugees in America. Pat Dalton, the president, saw to it that everything went smoothly.

Dignitaries chosen for Intersociety were: Sharon Stover, song leader; Jacque Wheaton, medal pinner; Carolina Shinn, standard bearer; Carol Hull and Pat Dalton, Delphi; Jackie Anderson and Barbara Sanders, flower girls; Carol Ralstin, Carole Megerson, and Gudrun Friebe, honorary presidents, and Naomi Rawlins, pianist.

Top Row: K. Masteller, T. Goeking, S. Warnock, A. Beningfield, B. Sanders, J. Fetters, J. Anderson, N. Rawlins, C. Hull. Row 2: J. Bradley, J. Zibung, G. Friebe, P. Morris, S. Wilson, S. Stover, N. Paxton, R. Bush, S. Reynolds, Row 1: H. Allish, K. Howerton, C. Ralstin, C. Shinn, J. Wheaton, M. Reynolds, K. Ihnaw, K. Striker, J. Cook.





OFFICERS

Back Row: J. Hickman, C. Kimball. Front Row: L. Greenwood, J. Morris, A. Wilwerding.



Modern Ben Franklins!

## Franklins Praise Sisters

In a final burst of speed and energy, the Franklins whizzed across the line dividing oblivion and existence and once more became a full-fledged literary society at the beginning of the second semester. Franklins demonstrated their leadership when Intersociety Representative Gordon Carr was elected president of the Intersociety Council. Backing him up was first term President and Chief Sage Allan Wilwerding. Second term Intersociety Representative, Big Jim Morris, led the Franklin men through a round of traditional stag parties at friendly Adair Park.

Franklin again this year furnished Central with a great abundance of athletic ability. They were especially proud when fourth term President John Hickman placed on the first team

All-State basketball squad. In all, twenty-one Franklins participated in varsity sports.

When Intersociety approached, Presidents Larry Greenwood and Carl Kimball led the buff and brown through the many call meetings, song practices, paper boxing, and other preparations for the great event.

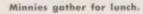
For Minerva day the guys dressed in dazzling green and white in honor of their sisters. Afterwards, the Minnies entertained the big guys with a delicious dinner and rousing party.

The dignitaries elected for Intersociety were: Walter Hook, song leader; Bob Jones, standard bearer; Larry Greenwood, medal pinner; Carl Kimball, poor Richard; Joe Ozorkiewicz, cup bearer, and Dick Slavens, Allan Wilwerding, and Richard Milne, co-pianists.

Top Row: J. Hickman, C. Kimball, A. Wilwerding, T. Moss, R. Dahl, D. Moore, R. Jones, J. Morris. Row 3: R. Powell, J. Ozorkiewicz, M. Magel, J. Harmon, R. Milne, L. Foster. Row 2: W. Hook, B. Kessler, D. Slavens, L. Greenwood, K. Stone, B. Pasley. Row 1: F. Bradford, L. Carter, R. Fiske, L. Corine, G. Fraley, D. Tuckness.









Row 1: B. Melton, D. Potts. Row 2: A. Parkhurst, D. Davisson, L. Johnson. Row 3: Mrs. Ary, Mr. Kulik.

## Minervas Take the Cup

In August, an invitation to a swimming party given by the girls of MLS was heartily welcomed. Splashing in the pool made guests forget the hot weather. What more appropriate invitation for a party of this kind could be given than a white yarn octopus tied with green ribbon. President Charlene Conley welcomed rushees and led members in singing Minerva songs.

A French Night Club was the theme of the second rush party. This was held at the home of Linda Campbell. Candy cigarettes and cigars were given to guests along with ceramic French poodles. Dancing ended the festivities of the evening.

Little dolls dressed in nightgowns of green and white and satin pillows were the invitations to the traditional Wyandotte slumber party.

The annual Green and White Tea was held this year at the Blue Hills restaurant. Each guest was presented a corsage of white carnations. In keeping with the season, Christmas carols were sung, led by President Amy Parkhurst.

After a basketball game, the Minervas held a house party and slumber party, at which President Delores Potts was the hostess. The following morning a sunrise breakfast was held at Swope Park at which rushees were the cooks.

With the approach of Intersociety, the Minervas chose the following dignitaries: Delores Potts, song leader; Dorothy Davisson, medal pinner; Amy Parkhurst, Athena; Barbara Melton, standard bearer; Lorraine Talley and Linda Johnson, flower girls, and Sharon Ward, pianist.

Top Row: L. Wegener, J. Graham, J. Graham, B. Helms, L. Johnson, D. Davisson, J. Maddux, J. Carr, L. Beaver. Row 2: S. Ward, E. Colter, E. Sanders, J. Easterly, P. Wedemeier, K. Johnson, J. Reinkemeyer, K. Burns, B. Stratton, D. Potts. Row 1: D. Pryor, J. Mayfield, J. Manning, D. Melton, J. Dye, A. Parkhurst, B. Melton, L. Tally, M. Williams, L. Campbell.





OFFICERS

Back Row: Mr. Rutledge, Miss Davis. Front Row: B. Whitaker, W. Bredemeier, B. Brown, L. Kincaid, K. Logan.

Alas, one in every group!

### Emersons Come in Second

"Fight on for Emerson!" When this standard song was heard, everyone know the boys in blue and gray were on their way.

The Emersons, for their first event of the year, braved the icy waters of Lake Tarsney to enjoy a rip-roarin' swimmin' party. President Larry Kincaid led the boys not only in swimming, but also in eating lots of luscious red melon at a water-melon feast, which followed the swim.

With President Wally Bredemeier wearing out his socks and Intersociety Representative Bob Brown beating out the rhythm the "holiest" event of the year, a sock dance, was held with the Thalians at the Linwood Y.

A wild football game was played during President Bill Whit-

aker's administration. With no casualties either to members or rushees, the event was indeed a success.

During pledge week, the Emersons, along with the Thalians, enjoyed a breakfast at Barbara Mallory's home. Everyone also enjoyed the pledge party held at Jim Eckhardt's.

Under the leadership of Keith Logan, the blue and gray knights began to work diligently to retain possession of the gold cup which was proudly won the previous Intersociety. For Thalian day, the guys wore gold and white for the Daisies.

The dignitaries elected for Intersociety were: Wally Bredemeier, song leader; Jerry Foote, standard bearer; Bob Brown, cup bearer; Larry Kincaid, medal pinner, and Jim Eckhardt, Emersonian.

Top Row: L. Mansker, L. Allen, R. O'Korn, H. Medlin, J. Eckhardt, R. Anderson, R. Miller, Row 4: R. Brown, D. Jones, G. Johnson, J. Helm, E. Huff, R. Owsley, G. Muza. Row 3: K. Logan, J. Foote, M. Redpath, D. Blevins, J. Smith, N. Thompson, Row 2: C. Lineberry, W. Bredemeier, D. Chullino, L. Schwab, A. Peterson, L. Rohavit, J. Jay, L. Miller, Row 1: Kincaid, B. Denman, B. Whitaker.





Thalians smile at the camera.

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Row 1: J. Lassiter, B. Cowan. Row 2: C. Pritchard, J. Hardy, B. Sarrett. Row 3: Mr. Hann.

## Thalian Goes Oriental

A Japanese theme was carried out by the Thalians at their first rush party held in the middle of August. Fancy, clever invitations were the talk of the rushees receiving them. To keep in the style of Japan, guests were presented miniature fans and umbrellas. Little Yellow Riding Hood, a skit, was presented by Barbara Cowan, Mary Ghrist, Barbara Sarrett, and Nancy Jay. Other stars of the program were Sharon Owen, Carol Pritchard, and Judy Hardy. This program was ably conducted by the president, Judy Lassiter. One part of the entertainment that many had not heard of before was a rice eating contest. A very appropriate prize was presented to the winner: chop sticks.

"Would you like to go to the Record Hop?" This was the question Thalians and their brothers, the Emersons, asked of rushees at the end of the summer vacation. A real record, cleverly decorated, was the invitation to this gala event.

There was no transportation problem for Thalians and Emersons for this year's Wyandotte game. A bus was rented to take them to the game and then to the home of Judy Hardy for a house party, followed by a slumberless party for TLS.

The annual Gold and White Tea was held this year at the Town House. President Carol Pritchard saw to it that the program ran smoothly. Launa Sturgess and Barbara Mallory presented declamations for the entertainment and approval of the club.

At Christmas time the Daisies adopted a family of six and provided them with canned food, toys, and clothing.

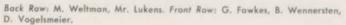
Dignitaries were: Barbara Mallory, song leader; Judy Lassiter, medal pinner; Carol Pritchard, standard bearer; Judy Hardy, chaplain; Grace Duren, Thalia; Barbara Cowan and Barbara Sarrett, flower girls; Marilyn Stanton and Jeanne Zmek, co-pianists.

Top Row: R. Bradshaw, C. Elliatt, P. Kimble, M. Ghrist, C. Pritchard, G. Hayes, P. Ebeling, M. Stanton, B. Sarrett. Row 2: L. McCubbin, J. Zmek, L. Hood, B. Dent, A. McKinney, D. Millard, A. Rowley, M. Lehman, C. Ward, D. Fettic. Row 1: S. Richerson, S. Owen, P. Rutan, N. Jay, G. Duren, J. Lassiter, J. Hardy, B. Mallory, L. Sturgess.





OFFICERS





Websters are proud of banner.

### Websters Wear the Tux!

With first term President Richard Palmer leading the way, the Websters opened the year with a coke party at Hill Park. Soon after school started, the club joined forces with the Aristonians for a picnic, again at Hill Park, followed by a

party at Tim Nelligan's.

At the beginning of the second semester, the old race for new members began in earnest. Finally came pledge week, topped off by pledge day. Then the big night, pledge night, held at Gary Fawkes', became a memory for all.

Then that whisper of excitement began to trickle through

the club—Intersociety was near! Tuexedos were decided upon, representatives were chosen, songs were written, and the Websters entered this 70th Intersociety with high hopes and prayerful hearts, ever remembering that they are good losers as well as good winners. A toast to this year of excitement and may we always remember it.

The dignitaries elected for Intersociety were: Don Vogelsmeier, song leader; John Charlton, standard bearer; Cliff Hemphill, medal pinner; Joe Spangler, Old Dan, and Bob Wennersten, pianist.

Top Row: P. Blackwood, T. Schwindt, E. Dwyer, J. Daughtrey, D. Watkins, D. Austin, E. Evans, C. Hudson. Row 3: L. Johnson, L. Banks, C. Hemphill, T. Brady, R. Palmer, B. Jadlow. Row 2: J. Hunkeler, L. Caldwell, J. Hunt, J. Spangler, J. Charlton. Row 1: J. Fox, D. Clause, G. Fawkes, L. Jenkins, P. Shelton, D. Vagelsmeier.





Ravishing Violets, or ravenous?



OFFICERS

Back Row: Miss Kuhn, Mr. Gazda. Front Row: S. King, S. Stroud, K. Enloe, J. Flournoy, B. Stucker.

### Aristonians Return to 20's

The girls of ALS decided to go back in time to the good ol' days, the Roaring 20's, for their first party. The Charleston, done by Sue King and Linda Cordry, and a barber shop quartet starring Barbara Chace, Mary Joe Goodmon, Jackie Flournoy, and Betti Jo Stucker were the highlights of the program.

"Does anyone want a coke?" was a frequent question asked at the get-better-acquainted party the first day of school at the home of Karen Enloe. There were plenty of cokes and a lot of fun for everyone.

Did anyone notice the girls wearing lavender mums at the

Wyandotte game? They were presents from the Aristonians to the rushees attending the chili supper before the game. And did anyone notice also the half-closed eyes the following day? The traditional Wyandotte slumber party sure was fun, but many were glad that it comes only once a year.

"I wonder who drew my name?" was asked at Christmas time.

Dignitaries chosen to reign over Intersociety were: Sue King, song leader; Karen Enloe, medal pinner; Sandra Stroud, standard bearer; Linda Cordry, Violet; Mary Jo Goodmon and Betti Jo Stucker, flower girls; Jackie Flournoy, pianist; Barbara Chase, honorary president, and Beverly Underhill, cup bearer.

Top Row: J. Stucker, M. Crassley, W. Fetter, S. Harris, S. Stroud, K. Hampton, A. Potter, C. Saxton, M. Goodmon, C. Brown, Row 2: B. Stucker, K. Lee, J. Smith, J. Blair, M. Roberts, S. Ewald, M. Dwyer, S. McEntire, B. Chace. Row 1: S. King, K. Enlae, N. Shull, S. Seymour, L. Cordry, N. Sodergren, J. Flournoy, B. Underhill, E. Palmer.





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**OFFICERS** 

Back Row: Mrs. McKanna, Mr. Roleke. Front Row: P. Parsons, K. Nelson, R. Chaddock, C. Hill, S. Jones, S. Milberger.

Hold that smile!

# Slaches Present "Clown Party"

On the 10th of August, the Slache girls, dressed in two shades of blue, under the leadership of President Sue Jones, held an old-fashioned Barn Party at the home of Annette Van Sittert. The party began with some get-acquainted games and progressed with a scavenger hunt. Starring in the food spotlight were tasty hot dogs, potato chips, and cokes.

Another special event for the Slaches was a Clown Party at the home of Sue Jones. This party resembled a circus in every way with a fortune teller, a "fishing pole," and dart games complete with prizes. Of course, no carnival would be complete without popcorn and so it was at this carnival, along with refreshing cokes. The favors given to the rushees were clever red suckers with faces made of mints.

Instead of the traditional coke party at the beginning of September, the Slaches held a root beer party at the home of Sue Appleby. Entertainment was in the form of club songs. Root beer and cookies made this party a success.

This year's Wyandotte game will bring back memories to those attending the SLH spaghetti dinner at the home of Pat Hays, and the slumber party at the home of Penny Montgomery. Clever invitations, delicious food, and lots of fun made this a night to remember.

January 13 marked the date of the annual Blue and Blue Tea, held this year at the Wishbone. A corsage of blue carnations was presented to each rushee.

Dignitaries chosen to reign over Intersociety were: Rosalie Chaddock, song leader; Charlotte Hill, medal pinner; Sue Jones, SLH; Sharon Milberger, standard bearer; Pat Parsons and Karen Nelson, flower girls; Sue Appleby, pianist.

Top Row: J. Brown, C. Hill, P. Hays, L. Cartwright, J. Scribner, L. Francis, A. Van Sittert, D. Harris, J. Greaves, C. Webster, N. Blatt. Row 2: V. Hiskey, R. Chaddock, M. Buchanan, K. Woody, P. Wilson, L. Park, R. Chaddock, B. Cooper, P. Parsons, B. Park, S. Scotten, Row 1: T. Bolenbaugh, G. Cockrell, S. Milberger, S. Janes, K. Nelson, M. Merfen, P. Montgomery, S. Appleby, S. Baker, J. Thomas.





# Intersociety Contestants

DECLAMATIO	ON	FORMAL ESSAY		
1. "A Chapter in Revelations"	Linda Cordry, A.L.S.	1, "Mesa Verde"	Jacque Wheaton,	D.L.S
2. "The Man Who Came to Dinner"	Pat Blackwood, C.W.C.	2. "Man's Mysterious Mind"	Linda Johnson,	M.L.S.
3. "The Speech Judge's Nightmare"	Carolyn Shinn, D.L.S.	3. "Nucleor Reaction"	Larry L. Hudson,	C.J.C.
PREPARED SP	EECH	INFORMAL ESSA	1	
I. "Begten but Unbowed"		1, "America Can Have a Tremendous Future"	Barbara Mallory,	T.L.S.
2. "Light of Freedom"		2. "The First to Die"	Robert E. Brown,	C,E,C,
3. "Strength in Strife"		3. "The Boat of Happiness"	J. T. Spotts,	C.J.C.
PERSONAL NAR	RATIVE	ORIGINAL VERSE		
1, "My Little Momma"	Betty Helms, M.L.S.	1. "Civil War"	Larry Kincaid,	C.E.C.
2. "Gene"		2. "Life"	Joyce Mayfield,	M.L.S.
3, "Six Months to Eternity"		3. "Nocturnal Musings"	Toni Bolenbaugh,	S.L.H.



Top Row: Intersociety Council at work, Happy winners. Row 3: "We belong to a mutual admiration society."

Row 2: "Minnies Gonna Win That Cup." "We do love you, Minerva." Row 1: "Turn to page 23." "Gold cup lonesome for T.L.S."



Top Row: We're proud of you! Nice job. Fred!

Row 4: We have a winner! Rose and Silver of DLS.

Row 1: Please watch the director! SLH greets Charlotte.



Top Row: B. Fulton, M. Young, A. Arndt, A. Biere, J. Hukill, J. Hukill, K. Wilkinson. Row 4: R. Windes, N. Vertreese, N. Holt, J. Kelton, S. Tunnel, J. Kempker, Miss Cornell. Row 3: B. Underhill, C. Headen, C. Fry, G. Bates, M. Peyton, K. Bushnell, J. Meyer. Row 2: P. Martin, M. Dwyer, P. Gensler, S. Stover, S. Modison, C. Davis, S. Strickland. Row 1: D. Holdshoe, P. Downs, D. Snowden, J. Flournoy, C. Hauston, C. Lang, D. Marshall.

# 4-Teens Set a Record

Y-Teens really polished the apple for teachers this fall, for they left a rosy-cheeked Jonathan on each instructor's desk with a neat leaf-card bearing "Y-Teens."

The annual membership campaign lasted a week and featured a new theme each day. The grand climax was a coke party in the girls' gym, to which every girl in school, new or veteran, was invited. The result of the drive was 80 new Y-Teen members—the largest membership in Kansas City.

The Y-Teen Club has three goals. They are to grow in friendship with people of all races, religions, and nationalities and to grow in the knowledge and love of God. A Y-Teen is also a member of the YWCA.

During the Christmas holidays Y-Teens and their beaux attended a formal dance at the downtown Y. Bill Crouse and his band provided the very danceable music,

This year Y-Teens' new sponsor was Miss Elsie Cornell. Miss Cornell worked with Miss Martha Ireland who was the adult sponsor from the downtown Y. The officers for the year were: Jackie Flournoy, president; Ramona Windes, vice-president; Beverly Underhill, corresponding secretary; Sharon Stover, recording secretary; Judy Meyer, treasurer; and Kay Wilkinson and Delores Caesar, inter-club council representatives.

March marked the beginning of the annual money-raising campaign. That Golden Crumble candy sold like hot cakes! Spring fashions were an interesting subject for early spring, and a Macy's fashion expert was just the person. Tips were given in April for the job-conscious girls seeking summer employment. In May, the typical month for banquets, Y-Teens had their annual banquet for their mothers or parents. The program included the installation of officers for 1957-1958.

The last big get-together was a picnic held in honor of the Y-Teens from the junior building to encourage their future membership in Y activities. Y-Teens have proved that the club that works and prays together, stays together!

Top Row: L. Francis, D. Harris, L. Cartwright, R. Bliss, P. Heer, S. Perkins, B. Brewster, L. Boston. Row 4: J. Lunberg, P. Kimble, C. Dubois, B. De Foor, G. Robinson, F. Edwards, L. Gregg. Row 3: C. Himes, N. Waldren, R. Chaddock, D. Bowman, M. Dudley, K. Nelson, P. Parsons. Row 2: D. Caesar, M. Buchanan, B. Woods, C. Nelligan, P. Kaut, J. Pool, L. Hood, Row 1: M. Love, P. Fitzpatrick, C. Hull, S. Mackey, D. Bolinger, K. Quisenberry, S. Baker.



#### HORIZON CLUB

Back Row: T. Bolenbaugh, M. Tillery, L. Francis, M. Buchanan, B. Barnes. Row 4: L. Rica, J. Carr, C. Ralstin, P. Montagamery. Row 3: R. Waltcher, S. Jones, P. Carnelius, P. Becker, Mrs. E. W. Zenor, Row 2: L. Stuart, P. Hays, D. Potts, J. Saoter, S. Austin. Row 1: P. Carrell, S. Kenton, F. Carney, S. Pemberton.



### Horizon Club

The Horizon Club encourages high school girls in out-of-door camping and counseling and civic activities. This year, the Central Club has participated in the United Funds, contributed to Care for Hungarian relief, and provided toys for underprivileged children. In June, they took an eight-day educational tour of New York and Washington, D. C. In the fall, the club attended the five-state regional conference in Omaha, Nebraska.

Advisors of the Horizon Club are Mrs. E. W. Zenor and Mrs. Shirley Board. Faculty sponsor is Miss Leibengood. Officers for this year were: Sharon Austin, president; Esther Duncan (Wm. Chrisman), vice-president; Toni Bolenbaugh and Libby Owens, secretaries; and Pat Cornelius, treasurer. Representatives to the all-city Horizon Club cabinet are Pat Cornelius, Sharon Austin and Penny Montgomery.

### Hi-4

A year at Central just wouldn't seem right without the traditional Thanksgiving and Easter services put on by the Hi-Y. In its 39th year as one of Central's clubs, the Central Hi-Y Club had another full season of activities. Projects included the organization of the new Rock Creek Chapter Hi-Y Club, and participation in the Hi-Y Model Legislature in Jefferson City. Seven Centralities attended the legislature, two of whom won offices—Martin Weltman was elected Senate Floor Leader, and Bill Whitaker was Senate Secretary.

First semester officers were: Mike Redpath, president; Jim Jay, vice-president; Carl Kimball, secretary; Clarence Fulton, chaplain, and Clarence Vaughan, sergeant-at-arms.

Second semester officers included: Jim Jay, president; Carl Kimball, vice-president; George Hamilton, secretary; Charles Thomson, chaplain, and Albert Lewis, sergeant-at-arms.



#### HI-Y

Top Row: E. Pyatt, C. Kimball,
J. Echardt, G. Hamilton. Row
3: P. Yancy, B. Whitaker, O.
King, J. Daniels. Row 2: D.
Hapkins, Mr. Roesler, R. Mc.
Manigal, C. Linville. Row T:
R. Rowe, J. Jay, M. Redpoth,
G. Vertreese.



#### FUTURE NURSES

Top Raw: L. Olson, L. Jones, N. Holt, P. Bumgardner, H. Chivers, W. Boane, Row 3: D. Hall, L. Blankenship, J. Helm, J. Metzler, V. Anderson, Row 2: L. Terry, J. Bartlett, L. Kirkendoll, A. Neal, J. Kelton, M. Phillips, Row 7: C. Megerson, R. Bush, M. Phillips, E. Gilbert, Miss Bolliger.

### Juture Nurses

If you cut your little finger or stubbed your big toe, who could come to your rescue better than a Future Nurse! This club, sponsored by Miss Bolliger, was organized to help girls get acquainted with the requirements and opportunities in a health career. At their meeting the club members were entertained by people from various medical professions.

Members of the Central and Southeast Future Nurses were entertained at the "Triangle Tea" held at Paseo. The girls enjoyed a skit depicting the life of a student nurse. A representative from the Jackson County Medical Society and the winner of last year's cancer scholarship spoke.

Officers who presided over the business meetings were: Eldora Gilbert, president; Joyce Bartlett, vice-president; Judy Helm, secretary; LaVonne Kirkendall, corresponding secretary; and Wanda Boone, treasurer.

### Juture Teachers

Readin', 'ritin', and 'rithmetic could be the theme song of none other than the Future Teachers Club. The first thing on the club's agenda was to adopt a club jacket, with a striking white emblem designed by Central's own Janice Hicks.

The first semester officers were: Kay Wilkinson, president; Frances Sanders, secretary; and Carl Monk, treasurer. They found the "choc-talk" meeting sponsored by the Missouri State Teachers Association both interesting and informative. Dorothy Davisson and Kay Wilkinson also attended National Education Day activities at Columbia, Missouri.

The second semester officers were: Frances Sanders, president; Linda Stuart, vice-president; Dora Lee Williams, secretary, Janice Hicks, treasurer, and Wanda Shipley, reporter. The girls now agree more than ever with Mrs. Johnson, one of Central's English teachers and their club sponsor, that teaching is the career for them.

#### FUTURE TEACHERS

Top Row: J. Hukill, D. Davisson, J. Hukill, K. Wilkinson, W. Shipley. Row 2: J. Hicks, L. Stuart, C. Howell, A. Warren, W. McElroy. Mrs. Johnson. Row 1: F. Edwards, D. Williams, F. Sanders, C. Monk, V. Harris, W. Adams, B. Coombes.



#### **ENGINEERS**

Top Row: H. Jensen, E. Dwyer, B. Johnson, D. White, R. Bland, J. Daniels. Row 3: T. Nelligan, D. Lyans, J. Daughtrey, G. Hamilton, J. Keiter, Row 2: J. Eckhardt, B. Brown, W. Lundy, M. Weltman, C. Mitchell. Row 1: D. Kniflin, D. Blevins, L. Johns, C. Megerson, G. Vertreese, J. Cessna.

## Engineers Club Works Toward Future

Seeing sound! "Impossible!" some say. But it's not for a member of Engineers Club. For at one of their bi-monthly meetings, Richard Bland demonstrated his audio-frequency filter which transforms sound into rainbow colors.

This is one of the many reasons why Central's Engineers Club is one of the most active of all such organizations in the Kansas City area. Mr. Roedl, from Science Pioneers Inc., Mr. Clark, a petroleum engineer, and Mr. Burke, from Westinghouse, have been featured at the various meetings. The film, "The American Engineer," shown for the first time to a student group, was presented at one of the meetings. A trip to WDAF-TV provided an excellent chance to observe backstage operations and a live program proved to be very interesting. A program prepared by Standard Oil explained the processes used to create all the luxuries of transportation,

plastics, and synthetic materials from crude oil. Other films and activities proved very helpful to persons interested in engineering as a career.

The first semester officers were: Bob Johnson, president; John Cessna, vice-president; David Blevins, secretary-treasurer; Dan White, sergeant-at-arms; and Richard Bland, reporter.

The purpose of Central's Engineers Club is to promote engineering as a promising career for high school students. Every participating member is urged to further their education in the mathematic and scientific field without neglecting other subjects needed for a balanced education.

The second semester officers were: David Blevins, president; John Cessna, vice-president; Bob Brown, secretary-treasurer; Richard Bland, sergeant-at-arms; Toni Bolenbaugh, reporter; and Mrs. Bauman and Mr. Rutledge, sponsors.

It looks interesting, doesn't it? C. Mitchell, B. Brown, T. Bolenbaugh, J. Smith, E. Dwyer, H. Jensen watch sound in motion.





#### ZOOLOGY CLUB I

Top Row: D. Chullino, G. Muza, K. Stane, M. Magel, K. Logan, E. Misenhelter. Row 4: B. Mueller, L. Park, M. A. Cathcart, C. Elliott, I. Knepper. Row 3: W. Boone, B. Howard, J. Dye, D. Williams, Mr. Hann. Row 2: F. Edwards, D. Bishop, K. Enloe, B. Melton, S. Gregg. Row 1: C. Howell, D. Tourney, J. Gordon, J. Gardner, J. Hawthorne.

## 300logy Club Takes to Nature

Have you ever watched for a Merula migratoria? Of course, you have. A Mergula migratoria would be recognized by members of the Zoology Club as a plain, old ordinary robin. The club, in order to be able to recognize birds proficiently by their size, color, and call, took field trips, which were held on Saturdays in May and June. These trips took the place of the regular meetings. The trips were held in Swope Park and the members were expected to be there by seven o'clock a.m. at the latest. A breakfast was usually served after each such meeting.

The Zoology Club is open to all students who are taking Zoology now, or who have taken Zoology at one time or another. At the bi-weekly meetings, programs made up of films which could not be used at the regular class period because of the lack of time, and talks by men not connected with the

school system, but who have had some experience with Zoology, are given.

The club has been very active this year. In the fall, an annual Navy day was observed, and an officer from the recruiting center spoke to the members on the value of having a high school education. Then, he showed the group a very interesting film about Scotland which gave an idea of some of Scotland's animals and how they raised them.

The officers for the first semester were: Keith Logan, president; Sandra Stroud, vice-president; Sue King, secretary-treasurer; Barbara Melton, sergeant-at-arms; Judy Lassiter, critic; and Mary Jo Goodmon, program chairman.

The officers for the second semester were: Jerry Freeman, president; Barbara Melton, vice-president; Karen Enloe, secretary-treasurer; Gordon Smith, sergeant-at-arms; Keith Logan, critic; and Sandra Harris, program chairman.

### ZOOLOGY CLUB II

Top Row: L. Younger, J. Rumbo, R. Mauch, G. Smith, W. Wolf, Row 4: S. Stroud, S. Harris, W. McElroy, J. Freemon, J. Anderson, P. Wedemeir, Row 3: M. Williams, B. Parker, R. Giles, N. Holt, C. Ralstin, P. Morris, Row 2: M. Goodmon, S. Buchto, E. Polmer, K. Nelson, C. Houston, Row 1: S. King, J. Lassiter, K. Denman, M. Merfen, E. Gilbert, D. Marshall.





Top Row: Beaming art award winners; Wonder where the yellow went? Row 2: Central does it again! Better-than-Elvis-Mr. Schweiger; And again! Row 1: A lot of hot air; Hard at work, Carolyn? Hot dogs! Again!

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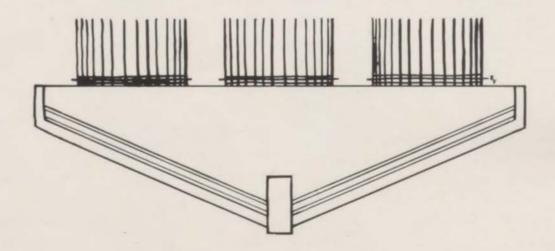
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