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*1958*

*Mahanoy Township High School*

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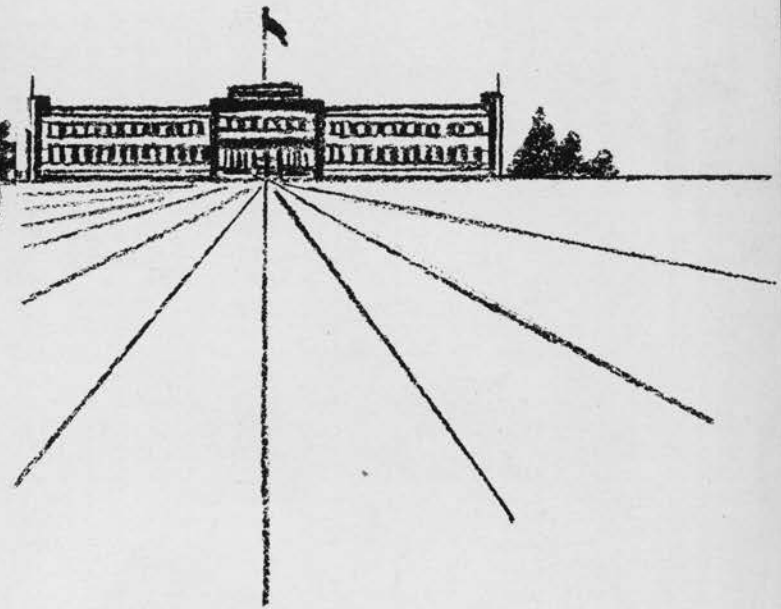
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# THE 1958 CORINTHIAN

PRESENTED BY

THE SENIOR CLASS

OF

MAHANoy TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

MAHANoy CITY, PENNSYLVANIA



THIS IS

MAHANoy TOWNSHIP  
HIGH SCHOOL



MAHANoy TWP H.S.



LEFT TO RIGHT—Lucille Derr and Avon Jones pause as Joseph Dereskevich points to important dates on the cornerstone.

## HISTORY

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The same group of students linger in the lobby to read important items on the bronze plaque which hangs there.

### Educational Progress at Mahanoy Township

Mahanoy Township was formed from Rush Township in 1849. It is bounded by five townships—West Mahanoy, Union, East Union, Rush and Ryan. The first settler was a German named Reisch who came here in 1791. From earliest times Mahanoy Township has been characterized by a wide range of nationalities. Almost every country in Europe is represented by one or more families.

The chief industry is coal mining, and the first colliery which began operating during the Civil War era was erected at St. Nicholas. On this site today stands one of Mahanoy Township's landmarks—the very modern St. Nicholas Central Breaker, which handles the final processing of coal from all mining operations within a radius of ten miles.

School authorities have always been interested in the education of youth, so Mahanoy Township has made rapid progress. The first high school which was erected in 1916 was a beautiful white frame building. Corinthian columns supported the front entrance of this magnificent structure, hence the name CORINTHIAN was chosen for the first yearbook, and that title has been used to the present day. To accommodate an increasing student body an annex was built in 1934. This annex was modeled on the Greek style of architecture, continuing the same style as the main building. Beautiful Greek

statues, oil paintings, and full length mirrors lined the corridors of both buildings. The combination of buildings made one of the finest high schools in the state.

Shortly after midnight on June 17, 1938, the most spectacular of fires in the township's history leveled the beautiful white building. Nothing remained but the four stately Corinthian pillars that marked the entrance to the school.

A rebuilding program began almost immediately, and after months of excavation to remove the wreckage of the demolished building, work began on our present high school. Two years later on the night of June 17, 1940, commencement exercises took place in the auditorium of the new high school.

Many changes have been made at Mahanoy Township in recent years. Four neighboring school districts, whose financial condition does not warrant the building and maintaining of separate high schools, now share the educational advantages offered here. Students are given the opportunity to enroll in courses best suited to their needs; the extra-curricular activities are many and varied, and, what is most important, they receive the teaching and guidance necessary to make them good citizens of their communities and their country.

## THEY SERVE FAITHFULLY

The Mahanoy Township Board of Education consists of five members. Mr. William E. Hyland and Mr. John J. Sullivan have recently completed their first terms as members of the board. Mr. William R. Miller, Mr. Cornelius W. McElhenny, and Mr. Raymond A. Tracey have totaled sixty-eight years of faithful service to the Mahanoy Township School District.

It is the sincere hope that these men who have served so efficiently in the past shall continue to do so for many future years.

Three weeks before our yearbook went to press Mr. John J. Sullivan passed away. We know he would want to be pictured with his fellow board members.

We extend our sympathy to his family and our heartfelt thanks for his loyal service to the Mahanoy Township School District.



LEFT TO RIGHT—Mr. Miller, president, and Mr. McElhenny, secretary, check some bills before a regular monthly meeting.

### Mahanoy Township School Board



LEFT TO RIGHT—Raymond A. Tracey, treasurer; John J. Sullivan, board member (deceased); William R. Miller, president; Cornelius W. McElhenny, secretary; and William E. Hyland, board member.

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## THE CORINTHIAN EDITORS



Beverly Bradbury, co-editor; and Catherine Breslin, editor-in-chief greet the reading public with the following message:

Dear Friends,

We, the Corinthian Staff of 1958, have realized that it is not the quantity but the quality of material contained in a yearbook which determines whether it will be a success. When work commenced on our yearbook, the staff members needed help and encouragement. These qualities are found in abundance at Mahanoy Township High School, so we were able to achieve our goal.

In our yearbook we have endeavored to show what Mahanoy Township represents. This school is a combination of five districts—Delano, East Union, Rush, Ryan, and the various villages which comprise Mahanoy Township. The students from these different places bring their customs, habits, and personalities into the school. As a result of this integration an exchange of ideas takes place among the student body, thus making a pleasant and happy atmosphere within the school.

In June, when we depart from "Dear Old Township High," we shall take with us valuable training and experiences which will be important to us in later life. However, we will not forget the exciting times we had at school—whether it was participating in the senior play, meeting deadlines for class reports, eagerly cheering our team to victory, preparing assignments for the yearbook and school paper, or attending the many social affairs planned during a school term.

In closing we would like to express our deepest appreciation to all those who have made the presentation of this yearbook possible.

Sincerely yours,  
Catherine Breslin  
Editor-in-Chief  
Beverly Bradbury  
Co-Editor

# THEY ALSO SERVE

Familiar Faces at M.T.H.S.

Prepares Excellent Dinners.



Miss Sadie Kane heads the school cafeteria staff.

As Good As Home Cooking!



LEFT TO RIGHT—Mrs. Mary Kelley, Mrs. Kathryn Suritsky, and Mrs. Mary Lesko prepare for the mid-day meal.



Mr. George Greis and Mrs. Kathryn Suritsky pause for the photographer during their morning chores

Guardian of the M.T.H.S. Stadium.

Mr. Edward Ryan reports for duty each day at the west end stadium.



They Get Us to School on Time!



STANDING, Left to Right—Joseph Rowse, James Collins, and Ross Rich. KNEELING—Thomas J. Shaughnessy, and Frank W. Burda.

# ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY





Cornelia E. Griffith, B.A., M.A.  
Supervising Principal

### A MESSAGE TO THE 1958 GRADUATES

You who are about to leave school are at the beginning of a new adventure. The goal you have in mind is future success.

This is an appropriate time to raise a few questions with yourselves. Serious thought and reflection always pay rich dividends under such circumstances as now confront you.

Do you have what it takes? Can you conquer discouragement? Can you rise if you happen to fall? Are you sure that you know what you want? Is your ultimate purpose clear and distinct? Are you able to fight when the odds appear to be against you?

The basis of all real achievement is the willingness to work. Success without work and application is impossible. You can become master of your own destiny only through persistent and conscientious application at all times.

We live in a country that is full of opportunity for each and every boy and girl. If you really want to succeed, you have within you the power to accomplish what you have in mind.

My best wishes are earnestly extended.

*Cornelia E. Griffith*

Supervising Principal

Cornelia E. Griffith is a graduate of our high school and The Pennsylvania State University where she received her bachelor of arts degree. Her degree of master of arts in elementary and secondary administration and supervision was obtained at New York University.

Miss Griffith began her career in Mahanoy Township as an elementary and high school teacher. Her ability, character and understanding advanced her to the positions of high school principal and supervising principal.

Miss Griffith strives constantly for higher educational standards which, coupled with proper educational and recreational supervision, will assure the graduate of success in later life. To serve the needs of each member of the student body has always been the objective of her administrative policies. We are thankful for her unceasing efforts in assisting and encouraging us to prepare ourselves for future vocational opportunities.

Miss Burek and Miss Griffith work harmoniously together. Miss Burek has been most efficient in her first year as secretary to the supervising principal.



### FAREWELL TO THE CLASS OF 1958

Your Corinthian depicts many pleasant memories that will forever record your youthful past. But no one can take pictures of the future; no one can unveil the future; no one knows what destiny belongs to you the nation, or the world.

This destiny, actually too priceless to be committed to human guidance was entrusted to us—your teachers. We, as teachers, have played our role in guiding you toward your destiny. You are about to become the principal actor in fulfilling your ordained destiny in the drama of life.

You are facing life amidst years of conflict and confusion. Contrary to the thoughts of many, you are capable, alert, and prepared to prove to the world, that America is great—and will continue to be superior—with the belief in the brotherhood of man under the Fatherhood of God.

The faculty of Mahanoy Township join with me in extending to you sincere congratulations and best wishes for a successful and prosperous future.

*Elbur C. Purnell*

Junior-Senior High School Principal



Elbur C. Purnell B.A., M.A.  
Principal



Mr. Elbur C. Purnell is a graduate of our school. He received his bachelor of science degree from The Pennsylvania State University and his master of arts degree in educational administration from Bucknell University.

Mr. Purnell began his career in North York High School, Pennsylvania. After four years of military service he came to Mahanoy Township to teach and coach. His ability and integrity led to his promotion to the principalship.

As principal Mr. Purnell has worked untiringly to promote extra-curricular activities and higher scholastic standards and has earned the respect of students and faculty alike. He has said that the true success of each student can be unlocked only by several old keys. These are industry, perseverance, honesty, faithfulness, loyalty, economy, common sense and foresight. We deeply appreciate the contribution Mr. Purnell has made to our educational development.

Mr. Purnell dictates a letter to Mrs. Coombe, his capable secretary. Mrs. Coombe is very helpful to both teachers and students.



**JAMES A. ANDREWS, B.S.**  
Physics, Chemistry  
Varsity Baseball Coach  
Outside Interests: Sports

**HELEN D. BAMBRICK, B.S.**  
Physical Education  
Health Education  
Senior Class Adviser  
Parents' Night Program  
Cheerleading Adviser  
Outside Interests: Sports,  
Traveling



**CONSTANCE C. BURKE, R.N.**  
School Nurse  
School Medical Program  
Outside Interests: Painting, Knitting

**MARTIN J. BURKE, B.S., M.Ed.**  
Mechanical Drawing  
Woodworking  
Freshman Class Adviser  
Stage Property and Lighting  
Outside Interests: Travel,  
Photography



**ALICE R. CHRIST, B.S.**  
Homemaking  
Senior Play, Handicraft Club  
Freshman Class Adviser  
Outside Interests: Sewing,  
Cooking, Knitting

**CATHERINE M. COLEMAN, B.S.**  
Library Instructions  
English Literature  
Freshman Class Adviser  
Corinthian Adviser  
Outside Interests: Travel,  
Gardening, Club Work



**CLARE M. DEVITT, A.B., M.A.**  
English Composition, Spanish  
Senior Class Adviser  
Leader Adviser  
Commencement Exercises  
Parents' Night Adviser  
Outside Interests: Reading

**PHILIP J. DUFFY, B.A.**  
English Composition, History  
Corinthian Adviser  
Freshman Class Adviser  
Outside Interests: Sports



**MARK P. HOLLAND, M.D.**  
School Physician  
Physical Examinations  
Athletic Medical Director  
Outside Interests: Sports

**ANN M. IGO, B.S.**  
Social Studies, English  
Composition, Health Education  
Word Study  
Seventh Grade Adviser  
Outside Interests: Reading



**WILLIAM J. JONES, B.S.**  
Physical Education  
Health Education  
Varsity Football Coach  
Junior Varsity Basketball  
Coach  
Outside Interests: Fishing,  
Reading

**DAVID R. LINKCHORST, B.S.**  
Driver Education  
Varsity Football Coach  
Varsity Basketball Coach  
Outside Interests: Sports



**STANLEY V. MAHALICK, B.S., M.S.**  
Plane Geometry, Algebra  
Arithmetic  
Junior Class Adviser  
Honor Society Committee  
Outside Interests: Sports, Reading

**KATHRYN H. MCCARTHY, B.S., M.A.**  
Shorthand, Typing  
Senior Class Adviser  
Budget Director, Leader and  
Corinthian Typing Adviser  
Leader and Corinthian  
Business Adviser  
Honor Society Adviser  
Outside Interests: Club Work



**JOSEPH F. McNAMARA, B.S., M.S.**  
Solid Geometry, Trigonometry  
Algebra, Arithmetic  
General Mathematics  
Corinthian Adviser  
Sophomore Class Adviser  
Outside Interests: Sports, Reading

**MARGARET E. O'BRIEN, Ph.B.**  
Sociology, Economics  
American History  
Junior Class Adviser  
Corinthian Photography Adviser  
Outside Interests: Reading



HAROLD G. O'HAZZO, B.A., M.A.  
 Bookkeeping, Filing, Commercial  
 Geography, Consumer Education  
 Junior Class Adviser  
 Corinthian Business Adviser  
 Faculty Manager  
 Outside Interests: Hunting,  
 Fishing, Sports

MARIE S. OSTHEIMER, B.A., M.A.  
 Special Teacher Art  
 Corinthian and Leader Art  
 Adviser, Poster Contests  
 Stage Make-up Adviser  
 Decorations Adviser  
 Art Exhibits  
 Outside Interests: Gardening,  
 Sewing, Handicrafts



LAURA M. ROSSBACH, B.S., M.Ed.  
 General Science, Health Education  
 Sophomore Class Adviser  
 Honor Society Committee  
 Outside Interests: Weaving

ANNE M. STACK, A.B., M.A.  
 French, Latin  
 Junior Class Adviser  
 Corinthian Adviser  
 Outside Interests: Theater,  
 Piano



HELEN P. STANULONIS, B.S.  
 English Literature  
 Sophomore Class Adviser  
 Senior Play  
 Outside Interests: Reading

ELBUR A. TECHENTIN, B.S.  
 Biology  
 Junior Varsity Football  
 Coach  
 Sophomore Class Adviser  
 Outside Interests: Sports



ALICE E. WAYNE, B.S.  
 Business English, Commercial  
 Law, Typing, Commercial  
 Arithmetic, General Business  
 Eighth Grade Adviser  
 Outside Interests: Bowling,  
 Reading

EVA M. YURKEWICZ, B.S.  
 Vocal Music  
 Instrumental Music  
 Glee Club, Vocal Concert  
 Outside Interests: Church  
 Organist, Girl Scout Work

# SENIORS



## SENIOR CLASS



**EVELYN ADZENTOIVICH**—New Boston—*Commercial*—*Corinthian*, *Leader*, Business Staff 3; Marching and Concert Band, Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Shorthand Certificate, Typing 2, Music 2,3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 1,2; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Red Cross Drive 2; Future Plans: *Secretarial Work*.

**JOSEPH FELIX ADZENTOIVICH**—New Boston—*General Commercial*—Social Games Club 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force; Mechanic*.

**ROBERT WILBUR ANDREWS**—Delano—*Commercial*—Homeroom Vice President 1, Treasurer 3; Student Council 2; *Corinthian*, Photography Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2, Sports Editor 3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; J.V. Football 1; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Typing Certificate 2, Bookkeeping 1, *Leader* 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Mechanic*.

**JOHN ANTALOSKY**—Morea—*General Commercial*—Marching and Concert Band 1; Safety Club 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Typing Certificate 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army; State Trooper*.



**PATRICIA BAIR**—Park Crest—*College Preparatory*—Perfect Attendance 1; Student Council 2,3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2,3; Marching and Concert Band, Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; District Pianist Tryout 3; Music Certificate 2,3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; School Pianist 2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Heart Drive 2; Labor Survey 1; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Laboratory Technician*.

**RONALD JOSEPH BAJOR**—Park Place—*Commercial*—Class Treasurer 3; Homeroom President 2, Vice President 1; Student Council 3; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Athletic Club 1,2; J.V. Basketball 1, Intramurals 2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Shorthand Certificate, Typing 2, *Leader* 3; Football Letter 2,3, Baseball 1,2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army; Professional Baseball*.



## CLASS OF 1958

**BETTY BESPARI**—Jacksons—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 2; Honor Roll 2 (5); Homeroom Treasurer 1; *Corinthian*, *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Parliamentary Law 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; *Leader* Certificate 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 3; Labor Survey 2; Future Plans: *Nurse*.

**GLORIA A. BLEY**—Ringtown—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1,2,3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (3); National Honor Society 2,3, Vice President 3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Business Staff 3; Etiquette Club 1, Parliamentary Law 2; Shorthand Certificate 2, Typing 2,3, Bookkeeping 1,2,3, *Leader* 3; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Secretary*.



**BARBARA ANN BOGER**—Park Place—*Commercial*—Homeroom Secretary 1; *Corinthian*, *Leader*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2; Cheerleading Club 1,2,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Girls' Double Octet, Chorus 2; Cheerleader 2,3; Shorthand Certificate 2, *Leader* 3, Cheerleader 2; Cheerleader Letter 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committee 2,3, Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Labor Survey 2; Future Plans: *Telephone Operator*.

**BEVERLY KAY BRADBURY**—Mahanoy City—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,3; Honor Roll 1 (1), 3 (2); Class Recording Secretary 3; Homeroom President 1, Vice President 3; Student Council 1; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2, Exchange Editor 3; Music Club 1, Marching and Concert Band, Soloist, Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Girls' Octet 1, Double Octet 2, Chorus 2,3, District Chorus 3; Shorthand Certificates 2, Typing 2,3, Bookkeeping 1, *Leader* 3, Music 1,3; Band Letter 2; Class Ring Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Housewife*.

**CATHERINE BRESLIN**—Shepton—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1,2, 90% 3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (3); National Honor Society 2,3; Class Treasurer, Homeroom Vice President 2; Student Council 1; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Art, President 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance Committees 1,2; Parents' Night Waltz 2,3; Future Plans: *Nurse*.

**WILLIAM BRINSKO**—Morea—*General Commercial*—Student Council 1; Marching and Concert Bands 1,2,3, Manager 2, President 3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; District Chorus Tryout 3, Band Tryout 2,3; Music Certificate 1,3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force*.



## SENIOR CLASS

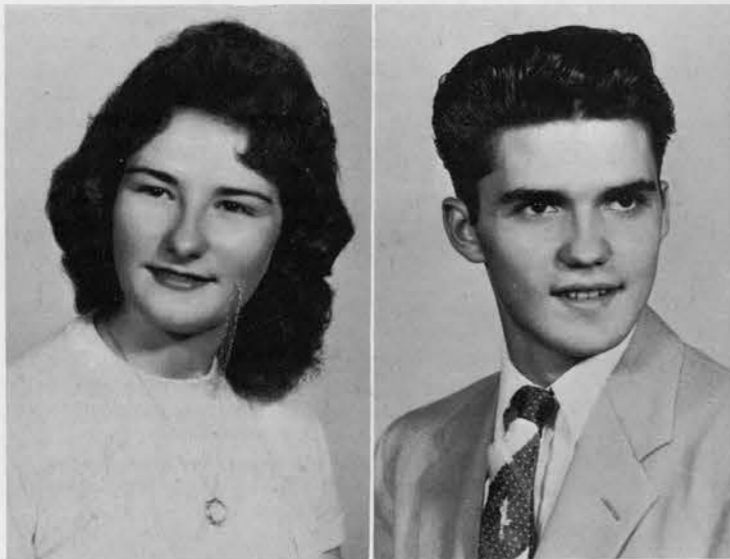
**WILLIAM BRITTON**—Bowmans—*General Preparatory*—Travel Club 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; J.V. Football 1,2; J.V. Basketball 1, Intramurals 1,2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army*.

**GLORIA M. BROBST**—Quakake—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (4); Homeroom Treasurer 2; *Corinthian*, *Leader*, Business Staff 3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club, Secretary 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Girls' Double Octet 2, Chorus 2,3; Shorthand Certificates, Typing 2, Bookkeeping 1, *Leader* 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 1,2; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Secretary*.



**CYNTHIA ALMA BRYLEWSKI**—New Boston—*Commercial*—Perfect Attendance 1; Class Financial Secretary 3; Homeroom Secretary 2; *Corinthian*, Business Staff, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Typing Chairman 3; Visual Aids Club 1; Color Guard, Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Shorthand Certificates 2, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 1,2; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Secretary*.

**PETER PAUL CHRUSCH**—Trenton—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (2); Perfect Attendance 1; Homeroom President 3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Headlines Editor 3; Marching and Concert Band 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2; Music Certificate 2,3; *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Major in Sciences*.



**NANCY J. DAVIDSON**—Wiggans—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (1); *Corinthian*, *Leader*, Business Staff 3; Etiquette Club 1, *Leader* 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; Shorthand Certificate 2, Typing 2,3, *Leader* 3; Class Dance Committees, Candy Sales 1,2,3; March of Dimes Drive 1,2,3, Heart 1,2; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Labor Survey 2; Future Plans: *Secretary*.

**JOSEPH C. DERESKAVICH**—Locust Valley—*College Preparatory*—*Corinthian*, Photography Staff 3; Art Club, Treasurer 1, Visual Aids 2; First Aid 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Navy, Farming*.



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**LUCILLE E. DERR**—Delano—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 95% 2, 90% 1,3; Honor Roll 1 (2), 2 (6), 3 (1); National Honor Society 2,3; *Corinthian*, *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 1, *Leader* 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Nurse*.

**JOHN FRANCIS DRIGAN**—Hosensock—*General Commercial*—Homeroom Secretary 3; Safety Club 2; Marching and Concert Band 1,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Varsity Basketball, Manager 1,2, Intramurals 1,2,3; Baseball, Manager 2; Music Certificate 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Navy*.



**JOSEPH DUNSAVAGE**—Locust Valley—*General Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (3); *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 1; Glee Club 3; Marching and Concert Band, Spring Concert 2,3; Music Certificate 2,3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Armed Forces*.

**HENRY E. FAUST**—Locust Valley—*College Preparatory*—Visual Aids Club 1, Art 2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Mechanical Engineer, Farming*.



**WILLIAM FAUST**—New Boston—*Commercial*—Student Council 1; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Varsity Football 1,2,3; Varsity Basketball, Manager 2,3, J.V. Basketball 2, Manager 3, Scorekeeper 3, Intramurals 1,3; Shorthand Certificate 2, *Leader* 3; Football Letter 2,3; Schuylkill County Dream Game 3; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force*.

**ELEANOR A. FRONCZAK**—Morea—*General Preparatory*—Visual Aids Club 1, Dramatics, Treasurer 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 3; Future Plans: *Telephone Operator*.



## SENIOR CLASS



**DALE M. GARBER**—Barnesville—*General Preparatory*—Perfect attendance 1; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Class Dance Committee 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Farming*.

**NATHAN GARBER**—Barnesville—*General Preparatory*—Athletic Club 1; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Varsity Football 3, J.V. 1,2; Baseball, Manager 2; Football Letter 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Armed Forces*.

**EDWARD G. GENSURE**—New Boston—*College Preparatory*—Homeroom Vice President 1; Student Council 1,2; Athletic Club 1,2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; Varsity Football 1,2,3, Captain 3, J.V. Captain 1; J.V. Basketball 1, Intramural 1,2,3; Football Letter 1,2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Schuylkill County Dream Game 3; All-Southern Division of Eastern Conference, Honorable Mention 3; Football Trophy 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Future Plans: *Trade School*.

**JOHN J. GETZ**—New Boston—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2; Perfect Attendance 1,2,3; Class President 3; *Corinthian*, Art, Editorial Staffs 3; Athletic Club, Marching and Concert Band 1,2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; District Chorus Tryout 3; County Cancer Poster 3; Varsity Football 3, J.V. 1,2; Varsity Basketball 2,3, J.V. 1; Band Letter 2, Football 3, Basketball 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; King Basketball Trophy 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Air Force; Automotive Designing in College*.



**JANE LOIS GILL**—Park Place—*Commercial*—Transferred from Upper Darby High School—Social Service Club 1,2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 3; School Usherette 3; Senior Office Aid 3, Library 1,2, Gymnasium 2; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Heart Drive 1,2, Muscular Dystrophy 1,2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Business College*.

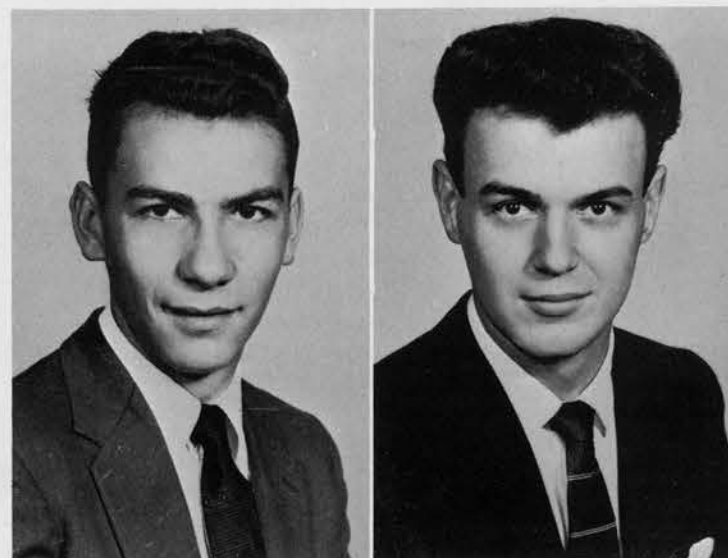
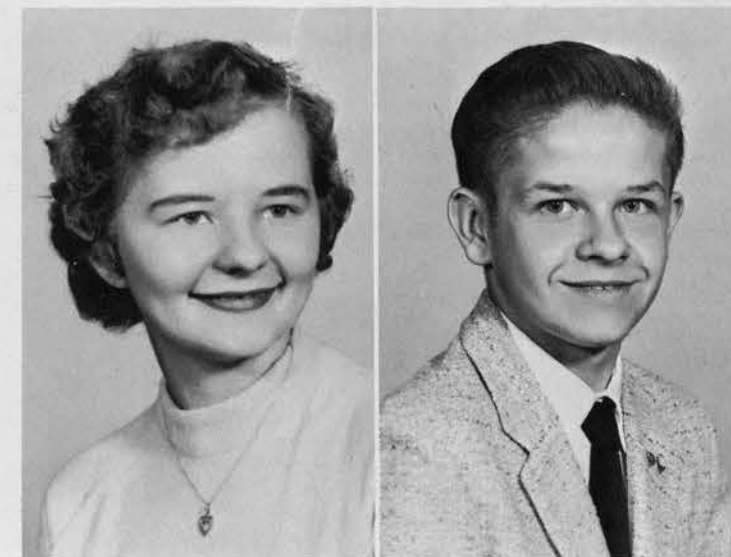
**ANN MARIE GOBER**—Bowmans—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2,3; Honor Roll 1 (3), 2 (3); Homeroom Vice President 3; Student Council 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2,3; Cheerleading Club 1,2,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 3; Community Art 2; *Leader Certificate* 3, Cheerleader 2; Cheerleader Letter 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Community Ambulance Drive 2; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Nurse*.



## CLASS OF 1958

**SYLVIA JOAN GRESH**—Trenton—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1,2, 90% 3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (3); National Honor Society 2,3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Art Club 1,2, Vice President 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1; State Health Poster, Second Prize 2, County Health Poster 2,3, Third Prize 2; Shorthand Certificates 2,3, Typing 1,2, Bookkeeping 1,2,3, *Leader* 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Secretary*.

**FRANCIS P. GRIGGS**—Mahanoy City—*College Preparatory*—Perfect Attendance 1,2; Travel Club 1, Dramatic 2; Varsity Basketball 2,3, J.V. 1; Baseball 2; Basketball Letter 3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *College Education*.



**JOHN HAUCK**—Zion Grove—*Commercial*—Student Council 3; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Business Staff 3; Marching and Concert Band, Spring Concert 1,2,3, District Band Tryout 2; Shorthand Certificate 2, Music 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Clerical Work*.

**DANIEL A. HAYES**—Morea—*General Preparatory*—Perfect Attendance 3; *Leader*, Cartoons Editor 3; Dramatic Club 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 3; Varsity Basketball 2, Intramural 3; *Leader Certificate* 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force*.

**ARNOLD JOHN HELLER**—Locust Valley—*General Preparatory*—Homeroom Secretary 1; Visual Aids Club 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Navy*.

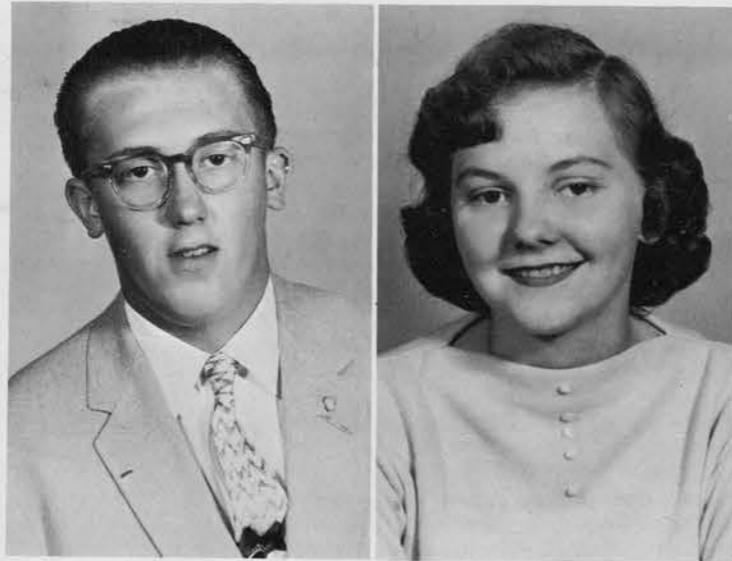
**EMILY HORAS**—Morea—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1, 90% 2,3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (1); Perfect Attendance 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3, Secretary 3; Homeroom Secretary 1, Treasurer 2; *Corinthian*, Art, Business Staffs 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Marching and Concert Band, Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3, Girls' Chorus 2, District Band Tryout 2; County Health Poster, Certificate of Merit 2, Cancer 3; Shorthand Certificates 2, Typing 2,3, Bookkeeping 1,2,3, Music 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; School Hot Lunch Helper 1; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 2,3; Boy Scouts Drive 2; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Clerk Typist*.



## SENIOR CLASS

**KENNETH LEROY JOB**—Barnesville—*General Commercial*—*Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Color Guard 1, Marching and Concert Bands 2,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Music Certificate, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Trade School*.

**AVON C. JONES**—Vulcan—*College Preparatory*—Homeroom Secretary 2; Student Council 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Cheerleading Club 1, Dramatic, Secretary 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; State Health Poster 2, County Health 3; *Leader Certificate* 3; School Pianist 2,3, Usherette 2; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance 1,2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 3, Red Cross 2; Labor Survey 2; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Beautician*.

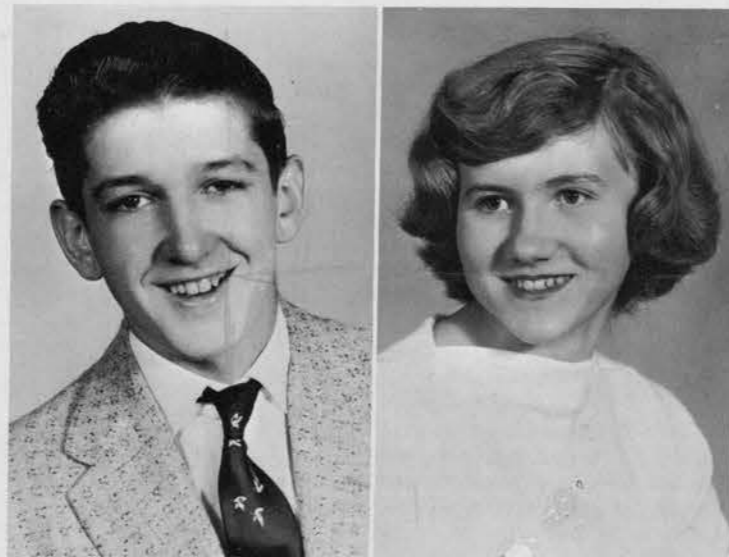


**GEORGE R. JONES**—Buck Mountain—*General Preparatory*—Athletic Club 1; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2; Varsity Football 1; J.V. Basketball, Intramural 1; Football Letter 1; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army*.

**JAMES J. JONES**—Bowmans—*College Preparatory*—Class Vice President, Homeroom Treasurer 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Games, Vice President 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; J.V. Football 1; Intramural Basketball 1,3; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force; Mechanic*.

**ROBERT JONES**—Wiggans—*General Preparatory*—*Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 2; Intramural Basketball 3; *Leader Certificate* 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Mechanic*.

**VERNA MARIE KACHMAR**—Locust Valley—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial, Business Staffs 3; Art Club 1,2; Shorthand Certificates 2, Typing 2, Bookkeeping 1,2,3, *Leader* 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz; Future Plans: *Bookkeeper*.



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**THOMAS J. KALKIEWICZ**—New Boston—*General Preparatory*—Student Council 1; Etiquette Club 1; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2; J.V. Football 2; Intramural Basketball 2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force*.

**CHARLES JOSEPH KANE**—Coles—*General Commercial*—*Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Etiquette Club 1, Safety 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 3; *Leader Certificate* 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive, Heart, Red Cross, Boy Scouts 1,2,3; Future Plans: *Trade School*.



**KATHRYN ANN KASPERAN**—Mahanoy City—*Commercial*—*Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Cheerleading Club 1,2,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Girls' Double Octet 2, Chorus 2,3; Cheerleader 2,3; Shorthand Certificate 2, Typing 2,3, *Leader* 3, Cheerleader 2; Cheerleader Letter 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive, Heart, Red Cross, Boy Scouts 1,2; Labor Survey 2; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Secretary*.

**MARY ELIZABETH KASPERAN**—Mahanoy City—*College Preparatory*—Honor Roll 1 (1), Student Council 1; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Etiquette Club, President 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Girls' Double Octet 2; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive, Heart, Red Cross 1,2, Boy Scouts 1; Labor Survey 2; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Nurse*.



**PEARL KERRICK**—Trenton—*College Preparatory*—Perfect Attendance 1,2; Class Recording Secretary 1, Homeroom 1,2; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2; Cheerleading Club 1,2,3, Secretary 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Cheerleader 1,2,3, Captain 3; Cheerleader Certificate 2, Letter 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Diploma Girl 2; Parents' Night Waitress 1,2, Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Beautician*.

**JOSEPH S. KLATKA**—Park Place—*General Preparatory*—Student Council 3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2; Varsity Football 2,3, J.V. 1,2; Varsity Basketball 2, J.V. 1, Intramural 1; Football Letter 3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz; Future Plans: *Navy*.

## SENIOR CLASS



**DANIEL JOHN KONSAVAGE**—Locust Valley—*General Preparatory*—Class President 1,2, Homeroom 1,2,3; Student Council, Vice President 2; Athletic Club 1; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Varsity Football 1,2,3, Captain 3, J.V. Captain 1; Football Letter 1,2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Schuylkill County Dream Game 3; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Farming*.

**JEAN MARIE LABUDA**—Sheppton—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (2); Homeroom Treasurer 1,2; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2; Marching and Concert Band, Majorette 1,2,3, Captain 3, Treasurer 3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Music Certificate 2,3; Band Letter 2; Band Trophy 3; School Usherette 2; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Heart Drive 1; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Airline Stewardess*.

**MARIE T. LAHOUCHE**—Trenton—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2,3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (1); National Honor Society 2,3; Student Council 2; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 2; Visual Aids Club 1, *Leader* 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Nurse*.

**ROSEANN M. LAHOUCHE**—Park Place—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1,2,3; Honor Roll 1 (6), 2 (6), 3 (3); National Honor Society 2,3; Class Vice President 2; Homeroom Secretary 3; *Corinthian*, Art Staff 3; *Leader*, Advertising Manager 3; Glee Club 1,3; Marching and Concert Band, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Shorthand Certificates 2,3, Typing 2, Bookkeeping 1,2,3, Music 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance, Candy Sales 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Secretary*.



**CAROL LORAH**—Ringtown, R.D. 1—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2; Honor Roll 1 (5), 2 (4); *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, News Editor 3; Etiquette Club 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; *Leader* Certificate 3; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Laboratory Technician*.

**WILLIAM A. LORAH**—Brandonville—*General Commercial*—Marching and Concert Bands, Color Guard 3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; School Hot Lunch Helper 1,2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Armed Forces Engineer*.



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**RAYMOND F. LORENT**—New Boston—*General Preparatory*—Student Council 1; Visual Aids Club 1, Safety 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1; Intramural Basketball 1; Class Dance Committees 1,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Navy*.

**GLENN LOVE**—Grier City—*College Preparatory*—Student Council 1; *Leader*, Rewriting Editor 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Dramatic 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; *Leader* Certificate 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Mechanical Engineer; Civil Engineer*.



**ROSEMARY MAJETSKY**—Trenton—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2; Honor Roll 1 (2), 2 (2); Perfect Attendance 1,2; Homeroom Vice President 2, Treasurer 3; Cheerleading Club 1,2,3; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Cheerleader 2,3; Cheerleader Certificate 2, Letter 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 1,2, Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Receptionist*.

**GERALD E. MATZ**—Grier City—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 95% 1, 90% 2,3; Honor Roll 1 (5), 2 (1); National Honor Society 2,3, President 3; Homeroom President 3; Student Council 3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Editor-in-Chief 3; Glee Club 2,3; Marching and Concert Band 1,2,3, *Manager* 3; Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 2,3; Music Certificate, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2, Baseball 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 2,3; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Draftsman*.

**JAMES F. McCLAFFERTY**—Buck Mountain—*College Preparatory*—Student Council 1; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Safety 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; *Leader* Certificate 3; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Armed Forces*.

**CATHERINE R. MEHALSKY**—Morea—*College Preparatory*—Perfect Attendance 2; Student Council 1,2,3; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Etiquette Club, Treasurer 1, Dramatic, President 2; Girls' Double Octet 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; State Health Poster 2, County Health 3; *Leader* Certificate 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 3, Boy Scouts 2; Future Plans: *Nurse*.



## SENIOR CLASS

**RONALD CHARLES MELLE**—Vulcan—*College Preparatory*—Class Vice President 1; Homeroom President 1; Student Council 1,2; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Athletic Club 1,2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Varsity Football 1,2,3, Co-Captain 3, J.V. Co-Captain 1; Varsity Basketball, Co-Captain 2,3, J.V. Co-Captain 1; *Leader* Certificate 3; Football Letter 1,2,3, Basketball 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Schuylkill County Dream Game 3; Senior Play, Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Attend College*.

**ANNA ROSETTA MLYNEK**—Locust Valley—*Commercial*—*Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Marching and Concert Band, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Shorthand Certificate 2, Music 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Heart Drive 2; Labor Survey 2; Future Plans: *X-Ray Technician; Beautician*.



**ELIZABETH MARIE MOONEY**—Robinsons—*Commercial*—School Average, 90% 1; Homeroom Secretary 1,2,3; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Etiquette Club 1, Parliamentary Law 2; County Health Poster, Certificate of Merit 2, Cancer 2; Shorthand Certificate, Typing 2, *Leader* 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 1,2, Red Cross 2, Boy Scouts 1,2; Future Plans: *Secretary; Typist*.

**WALTER THOMAS MORRISON**—Quakake—*General Commercial*—Visual Aids Club 1; Safety, President 2; Intramural Basketball 1; Class Dance Committees 1; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Railroad Engineer*.

**RUTH NEISWENDER**—Brandonville—*College Preparatory*—Homeroom Treasurer 2; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Cheerleading Club 1, Dramatic, Vice President 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; *Leader* Certificate 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Diploma Girl, Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Telephone Operator*.

**JOSEPH NIMETZ**—Morea—*General Commercial*—Perfect Attendance 1; Homeroom Vice President 3; Student Council 2; Visual Aids Club, President 1, Safety, Secretary 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; District Chorus Tryout 3; Varsity Basketball, Manager 2,3, J.V. Manager 1, Intramural 1,2,3; Typing Certificate 2; Basketball Letter 3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Navy*.



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**GERALDINE E. OBRZUT**—Park Place—*Commercial*—Homeroom Vice President 2; *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Subscription Manager 3; Etiquette Club, Vice President 1, Parliamentary Law, Secretary 2; Glee, Spring Concert 1; Shorthand, Typing Certificates 2, *Leader* 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3, Candy Sales 2; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Secretary*.

**ROBERT REBA**—Morea—*General Commercial*—Student Council 1,3; Athletic Club 1,2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Varsity Basketball 1,2,3, Captain 2,3; Typing Certificate 3; Basketball Letter 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committee 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Air Force; Block Plant*.



**MARY ANN RYAN**—Hills Terrace—*College Preparatory*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1,2,3; Honor Roll 1 (4), 2 (3), 3 (1); National Honor Society 2,3, Treasurer 3; Class Treasurer 1; Homeroom President 1; Student Council 1; *Corinthian*, Editorial Staff 3; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Marching and Concert Band, Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; District Pianist Tryout 3; Community Art 2; Music Certificate 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; School Pianist 2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waitress 2, Waltz 3; March of Dimes Drive 1,2,3, Heart, Red Cross 1,2, Boy Scouts 2; Labor Survey 2; Future Plans: *Nurse*.

**BETTY ANN SELTZER**—Quakake—*Commercial*—Scholastic Average, 90% 1; Honor Roll 1 (1); *Corinthian*, Business Staff 3; *Leader*, Business, Editorial Staffs 3; Art Club 1,2, Secretary 2; County Health Poster 3; Shorthand, Typing Certificates 2, *Leader* 3; School Usherette 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Diploma Girl 2; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Typist*.



**EUGENE EDWARD SETCAVAGE**—Vulcan—*General Commercial*—Athletic Club 1, Safety 2; Typing Certificate 3; King Basketball Trophy 2; Class Dance Committees 2; Future Plans: *Automobile Mechanic; Army*.

**ROBERT W. SMITH**—Quakake—*General Preparatory*—Varsity Football 2, J.V. 1; Intramural Basketball 1,2; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army Electrical Engineer*.

## SENIOR CLASS



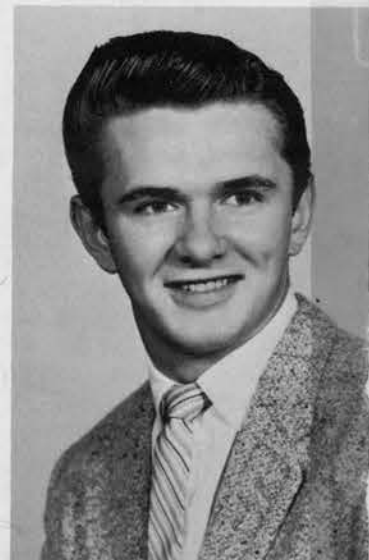
**KENNETH ROBERT SOULT**—Boston Run—*General Commercial*—Social Games Club 1, Safety 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Varsity Football, Manager 3; Varsity Basketball, Manager 1,2,3; J.V., Manager 1,2; Baseball, Manager 1,2; School Light Boy, Hot Lunch Helper 1; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Heart Drive, Red Cross 1; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Business College*.

**FRANCIS JOHN STYKA**—Park Crest—*General Commercial*—Visual Aids Club 1, Safety 2; Typing Certificates 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Army; Automobile Mechanic*.



**RUSSELL C. TETER, Jr.**—Barnesville—*College Preparatory*—Etiquette Club 1, *Leader* 2; Junior Band 2, Marching and Concert Bands 3; Spring Concert 2,3; Music Certificate 3; School Light Boy 3; Class Dance Committees 2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Mortician*.

**JOHN R. WEEKS**—Quakake—*College Preparatory*—*Leader*, Editorial Staff 2,3; Brass Ensemble 1,2; Glee Club 2,3; Marching and Concert Band, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Music Certificate 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Ring Committee 2, Dance 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Navy; Automobile Mechanic*.



**RONALD R. WILLIAMS**—Morea—*General Preparatory*—Homeroom President 2; *Leader*, Editorial Staff 3; Etiquette Club 1, Travel 2; Glee Club, Spring Concert 1,2,3; Varsity Basketball 1,2, J.V. 1, Intramural 2,3; Baseball 2,3; *Leader Certificate* 3; Baseball Letter 2,3; Athletic Sweater Award 3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Journalism*.

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**DOLORES P. A. WILLIS**—Ringtown—*General Preparatory*—Visual Aids Club 1, Dramatic 2; School Hot Lunch Helper 1,2,3; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Future Plans: *Women's Air Force*.

**KIMBER W. YOST**—Park Crest—*College Preparatory*—Student Council 1,3; *Corinthian*, Photography Staff 3; *Leader*, Photography Editor 3; Visual Aids Club 1, Marching and Concert Band 2,3, Secretary 3; Brass Ensemble, Glee Club, Spring Concert 2,3; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Music Certificate 3, *Leader* 3; Band Letter 2; Class Dance Committees 1,2,3; Parents' Night Waltz 3; Boy Scouts Drive 1; Senior Play; Future Plans: *Navy*.



## HONOR STUDENTS

These seniors, Gloria Bley, Sylvia Gresh, Catherine Breslin, Rose Ann Lahouchuc, and John Getz, are outstanding in scholarship and attendance throughout senior high school, covering two semesters each sophomore and junior years, and first semester senior year, or fifteen marking periods. The girls have been on the honor roll fifteen consecutive marking periods; Rose Ann and Gloria have maintained an average of 95 per cent for five semesters, while Catherine and Sylvia have maintained an average of 95 per cent for four semesters and 90 per cent for one semester; John has a perfect attendance record for five semesters and has also averaged 90 per cent.

## CLASS OFFICERS

Senior class officers discuss plans for the current 1957-58 school term. Here, James Jones, vice-president, points out the coming events to Cynthia Brylewski, financial secretary, and Ronald Bajor, treasurer, while John Getz, president, and Beverly Bradbury, recording secretary, make notes concerning these events. In order for a student to become a nominee for a class office in Mahanoy Township senior and junior high school classes, he must meet the requirements set up by the administration and faculty. These requirements are character, leadership, service, and scholarship. An academic average of eighty per cent for each marking period must be maintained. If any student does not meet the above standards, he is removed from office at the discretion of the high school principal.





J. Antolovsky, J. Adzentovich, and D. Willis review spelling rules. The English Composition program increases the students' general knowledge of grammar, composition, and usage.



The senior English Literature class studies Shakespeare's "Macbeth." Here, G. Bley points out the third part of the plot, or the climax, while G. Matz shows a picture portraying the climax.

## LANGUAGES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES



Spanish students delve into the customs and history of the country whose language they are studying. R. Mellon, R. Lorent, T. Kalkiewicz, and D. Hayes study the geography and products

of Spanish America as a project for their classes. Short skits presented in class and participation in native songs aid the students in their study.



A group of senior French students are mounting French cultural materials. Through these projects, the students become better acquainted with the people and customs of France. In

their French classes, the students also have access to textbooks, workbooks, records, song books, games, puzzles, skits, and other supplementary materials.

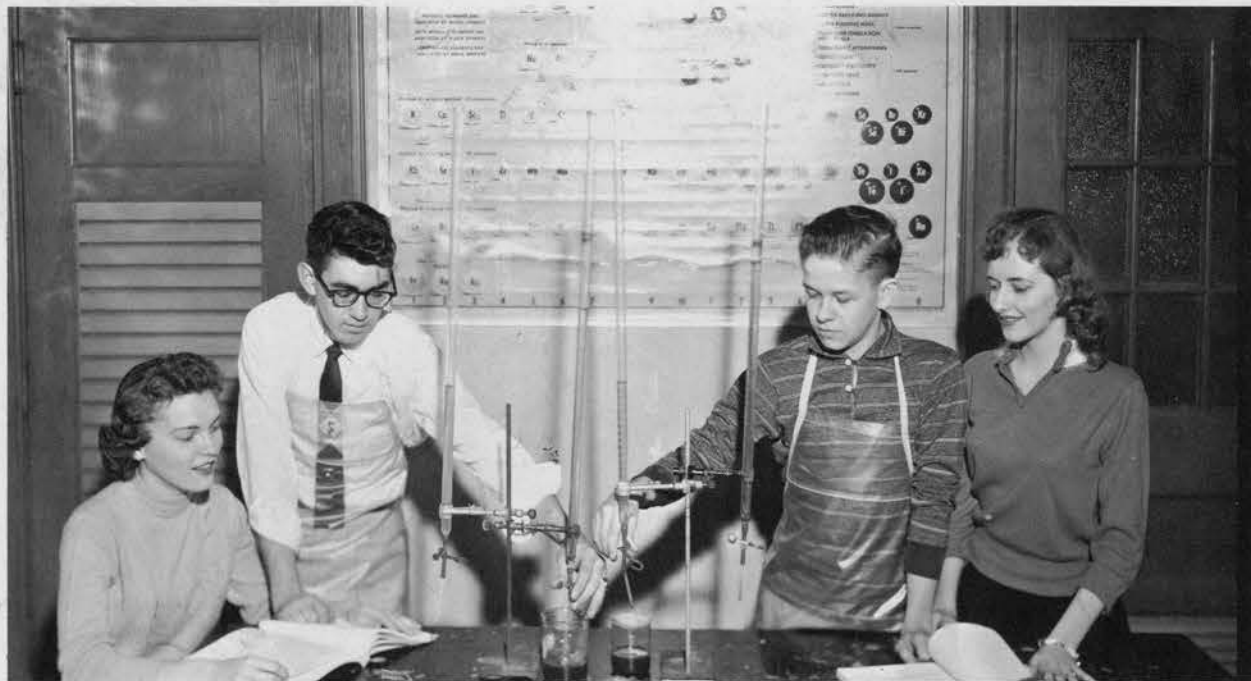
## ENRICH EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM



As a project in Economics, P. Chrusch, J. Gill, and R. Majetsky look up information on insurance plans. This project will help them to select the correct policy to meet their own individual needs.



Sociology students R. Neiswender, M. A. Ryan, G. Love, and J. Weeks find that current events newspapers and magazines are interesting as well as helpful in keeping up with national policies.



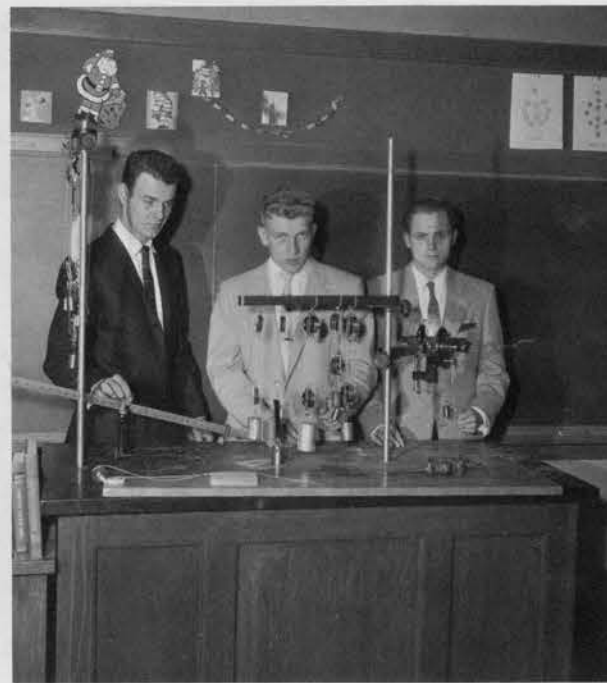
The Chemistry course requires two laboratory classes a week; this helps our students to develop a scientific attitude and to acquire skill in handling scientific equipment and materials.

Here, Kimber Yost, Francis Griggs, Pearl Kerrick, and Anne Marie Gober demonstrate the neutralization of acids.

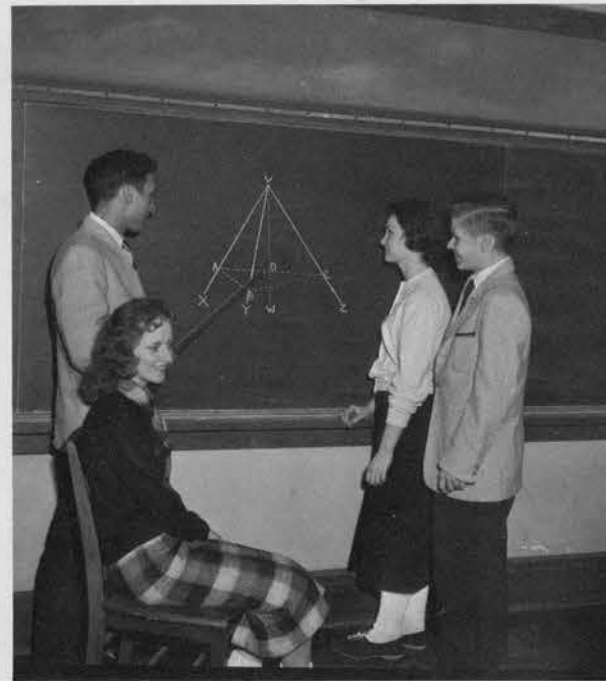
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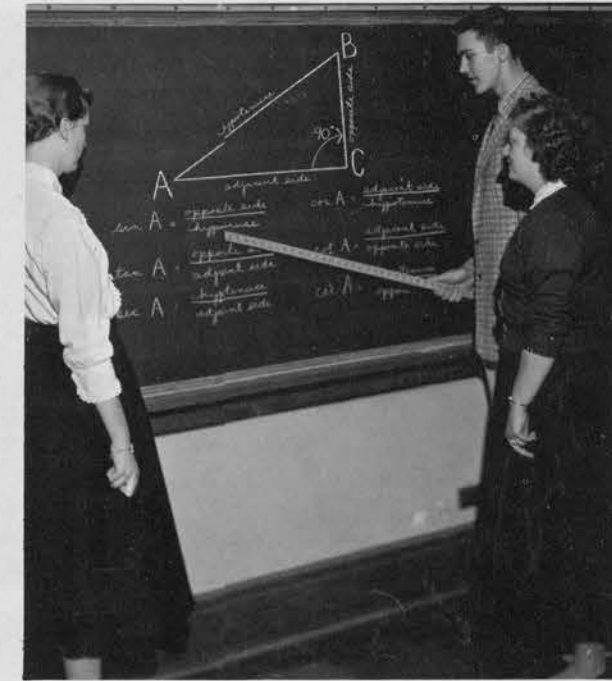
Jean La Buda, Joseph Dereskavich and Ruth Neiswender take advantage of our well-equipped Chemistry laboratory. They are experimenting with the destructive distillation of coal.



The general academic students receive a course in Physical Chemistry as part of their science program. In this picture, D. Hayes, R. Konsavage, and G. Jones are demonstrating simple machines.

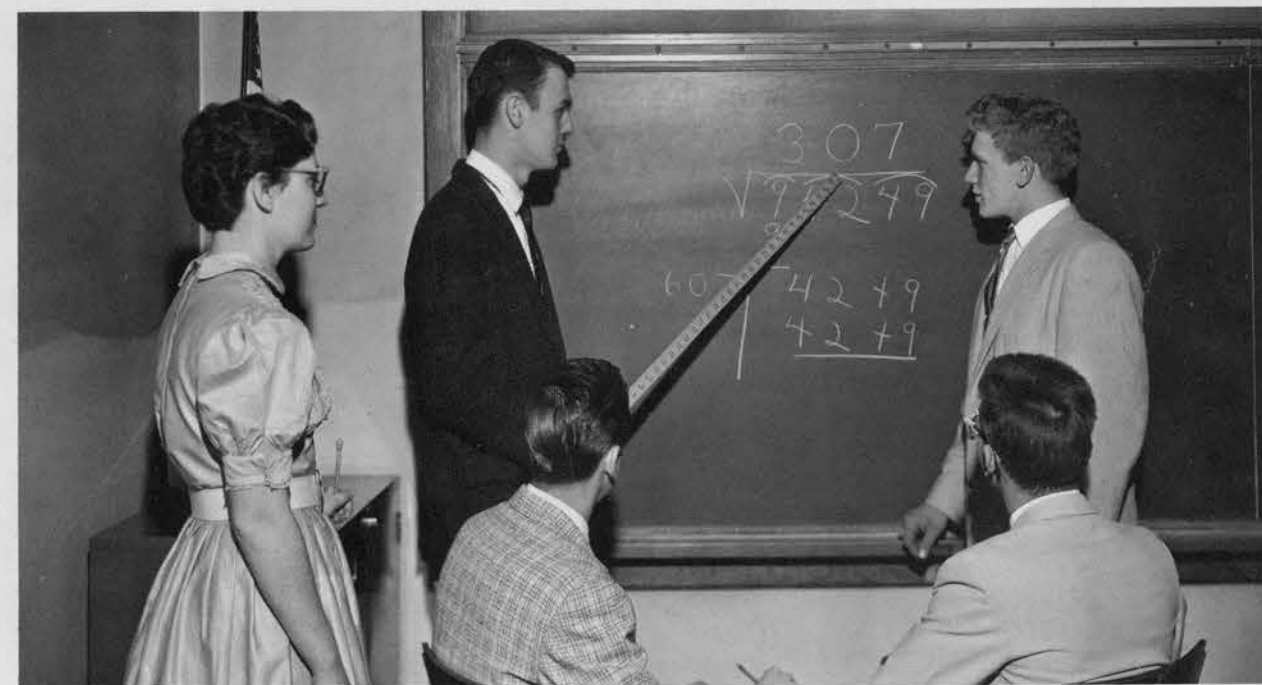


Gerald Matz illustrates the proof of a geometric proposition concerning the trihedral angle to Anne Marie Gober, Catherine Breslin, and Francis Griggs in Solid Geometry class.



In Trigonometry class the students are given an opportunity to prepare for higher mathematics. John Getz explains trigonometric functions to Patricia Bair, and Mary Kasperan.

## CHALLENGE INQUISITIVE MINDS



Students of General Mathematics discover unlimited opportunities at Mahanoy Township High School to utilize their knowledge of mathematics in future vocations, especially in the field

of science. Here we find Daniel Hayes explaining the method of solving a square root problem to Dolores Willis, Raymond Lorent, Joseph Klatka and Daniel Konsavage.



## SHORTHAND

Speed and accuracy are the aims of these commercial students as they practice taking dictation from Cynthia Brylewski; they are striving to acquire the skills necessary for entrance into the business world. Upon completion of this course they will find it helpful toward advanced study and securing secretarial positions.

## BUSINESS ENGLISH

Knowing the correct usage of the dictionary is important in the business world of today. Business English classes learn the correct usage of vocabulary, particularly pertaining to business. Here Anne Mylnik points out services of the dictionary to Betty Seltzer, John Hauck, William Faust, and Barbara Boger.



## TYPING

Typing students strive for efficiency as they practice during a scheduled class. They type daily bulletins, departmental schedules, and special bulletins; they reproduce silhouettes, border designs, cartoon faces, and faces of famous people; they learn expert manipulation of machine parts; and they prepare for office and clerical work.



## BUSINESS LAW

Students of the Business Law class, Charles Kane, Robert Jones, William Brinsko, Gloria Bley, and Joseph Nimetz, use the facilities of our library to advantage; they read authentic law cases, check them for definite angles of the law, and take notes on them as an integral part of the business law program.



## BOOKKEEPING

Senior commercial students, Walter Morrison and Joseph Nimetz, receive basic principles of bookkeeping, while Sylvia Gresh and Kenneth Soult complete an assignment and Gloria Bley looks on. The students devote five class periods a week toward the study of bookkeeping and strive to qualify for modern business.



## FILING

The importance of filing is realized by these senior commercial students. Robert Andrews, Francis Mooney, William Brinsko, Barbara Boger, and Francis Styka study the correct office procedure of filing. These filing classes are planned to give the students a basic knowledge of filing to suit their needs in the modern business world.



## ART

Senior girls display posters which they entered in the 1957 county health poster contest. E. Horas and E. Mooney hold their posters for which they received a certificate of merit; S. Gresh's poster, which was not available for display in this picture, won third place in the county contest and honorable mention in the state contest.



## ART

The art program offers variety to students with an artistic bent, encourages them to develop their creative abilities, and provides projects to bring out hidden talents. Here, skillful senior girls engage in projects in design and weaving; the boys are touching up and displaying nature scenes reproduced in oil. Other projects include leather and bead work.



## GIRLS' PHYSICAL EDUCATION

A group of senior girls in Physical Education class exhibits skill in performing a spiral marching drill. Precision drills of this kind are a part of the girls' physical education program, which also includes mat and bar work, tap dancing, social dancing, and recreational games. These help students to enjoy healthy, happy lives, and to exercise a sense of fair play.

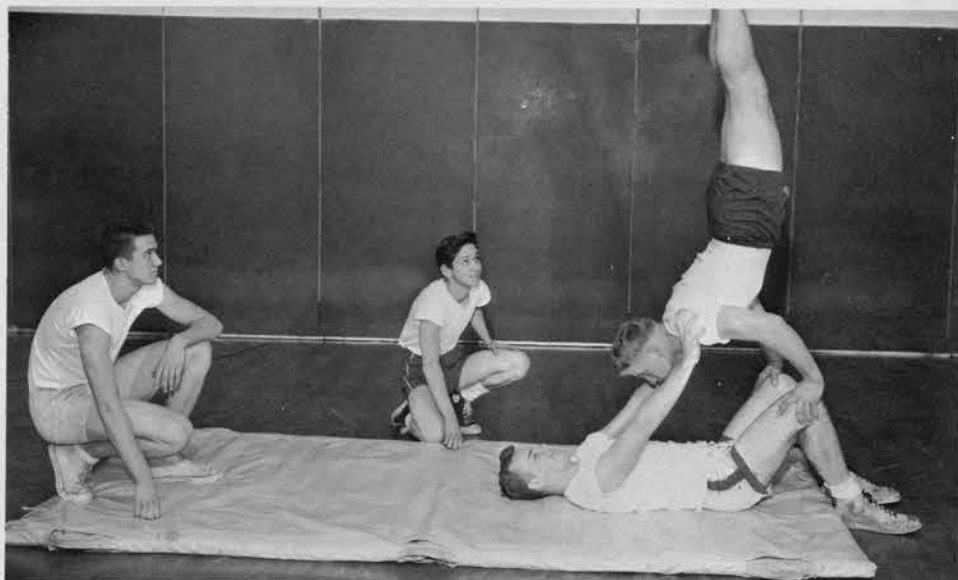
## HEALTH EDUCATION

These senior girls are having a tri-annual weight checkup. Rose Majetsky seems shocked as she looks at the scale while Jean LaBuda weighs her. Pearl Kerrick records her weight on the wall chart and Ruth Neiswender looks on. Catherine Mehalsky, Anne Marie Gober, and Mary Kasperan read health magazines, valuable supplementary aids in the health classes.



## BOYS' PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The gymnastic program at Mahanoy Township includes mat work, apparatus, recreational games, major sports, and other healthful diversions. These provide opportunities to develop self-control, good sportsmanship, and increased physical coordination. Here, J. Getz and W. Williamson watch R. Bajor and D. Konsavage demonstrate a two-team shoulder stand.



## DRIVER EDUCATION

Students of the Driver Education classes aim to become safe and tolerant motorists, and to have respect for laws and courtesies of the streets and highways. They practice motoring techniques as backing up, and parallel and angle parking. Carol Lorah is driving our school car accompanied by instructor Mr. Linkhorst, J. Klatka, R. Williams, and C. Mehalsky.



## SEPTEMBER

"Glad to meet you," say, *LEFT TO RIGHT*: Ruth Neiswender, Betty Ann Seltzer, Eugene Setcavage, Francis Styka.



## OCTOBER

Making preparations for that fall dance are, *LEFT TO RIGHT*: Elizabeth Mooney, Kenneth Soult, Kenneth Job, Evelyn Adzentovich.

## NOVEMBER

THE game of the year—Mahanoy Township Vs. Mahanoy City—WE WON!



# CALENDAR

- Sept. 4 Summer vacation over . . . but all good things must come to an end!  
8 Homeroom officers elected  
11 Election of senior high class officers  
19 Reorganization of the Leader Staff  
25 Back-to-School record dance—benefit of Senior Class fund  
27 Student Council elects officers
- Oct. 2 Honor Society meeting to elect officers for the 1957-1958 school year  
9-11 Senior play tryouts—who will get the leading roles was the \$64,000 question?  
12 Varsity football game at Minersville—Purple Larks won!  
15 Report cards distributed for the first time  
16 Juniors select their class rings  
24 First issue of the Leader . . . memorable day for the Leader Staff  
28-29 Our first holiday—Teachers' Institute
- Nov. 2 Varsity football game at home—Mahanoy Township vs. Hazle Township. We won again!  
13 Juniors began their fruitcake project for class funds  
23 THE football game—Mahanoy Township vs. Mahanoy City—WE won!  
28-29 Thanksgiving holidays . . . who will eat the most turkey without getting a tummy ache?
- Dec. 6 Senior play—"No More Homework"—a successful presentation  
9 Report cards distributed for the second time  
13 Pep rally . . . we must beat Butler Township  
18 Juniors received their class rings at a special ceremony held in the auditorium  
19 Homeroom Christmas parties put students in a holiday mood  
20 Christmas vacation began
- Jan. 6 Honor Society meeting—an afternoon dance suggested for a fund-raising project  
10 Basketball game at home—Frackville vs. Mahanoy Township—we won again!  
15 Bell ringers program in the auditorium . . . most enjoyable  
16 Leader Staff meeting  
17 Honor Society afternoon dance  
22 Evening orchestra dance . . . benefit of Leader Staff to defray expenses for their attendance at Press Conference in New York. Seniors chanced off Anso Camera . . . Francis Styka was the lucky winner.  
28 Pep rally—Home game—out to beat Butler again!

## DECEMBER

We won't forget our Christmas operetta "The Blue Angel." Marsha Stetts played the role of the angel and Janet Purnell was the princess.

## JANUARY

In January Rose Majetsky, James Jones, and Joseph Adzentovich began preparations for the Heart Drive.

# OF EVENTS

- Feb. 13-14-15 District Chorus at Palmerton Joint High School. Beverly Bradbury represented our school.  
14 Honor Society Valentine Dance  
21 Last basketball league game — Mahanoy Twp. vs. St. Clair. We won! Put us in the run for second half champs  
27 Honor Society induction ceremony. Mt. Carmel Joint High School did the honors  
28 Last pep rally—All out for the second half championship game. Sadness reigned after the game—we lost!
- Mar. 13-14-15 Columbia Press Conference in New York. Twenty-seven students made the trip. Poor Miss Devitt!  
17 Bake Sale—Benefit of Honor Society. Ronnie Bowman was the best guesser—he won the cake  
24-28 World Clothing Week—M.T.H.S. students put on a very successful drive  
26 Spelling Contest—Theresa Moran was the winner. She competes for County Championship next month, then State, then comes the National contest—We can dream, can't we?
- April 7 King Ball Tournament games began today  
9 First baseball non-league game—Mahanoy Twp. vs. Cass Twp. We lost! Score 7 to 3  
9 Seniors measured for graduation caps and gowns—the big day is just around the corner!  
10 Faculty Get-Together—Home Ec. Room—10C girls entertained—delightful affair  
11 Sophomore Dance—Jack Davis's Orchestra—Dancing from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.  
14 First baseball league game—Mahanoy Twp. vs. Butler Twp. at the Butler High athletic field. Winners—NOT us!  
16 First league home game—Mahanoy Twp. vs. Girardville. Winners—US!
- May 12 Return game with Shenandoah at the Shenandoah athletic grounds  
20 Annual Award Day—the award winning students had a busy day receiving congratulations from their fellow students  
21 Last baseball game of the 1958 season—Mahanoy Twp. vs. St. Clair  
22 Final issue of the Leader—the graduation number  
23 Annual Spring Concert
- June 10 Corinthian Day! Mr. Purnell presents the Corinthian to the President of the class and the Editor and Co-Editor of the 1958 yearbook  
14 Parents' Night—Place—M.T.H.S. gym. Time—7 p.m.  
20 Graduation and the beginning of a long vacation, but many of us are not too anxious to get this one

## FEBRUARY

The day our Torch Chapter entertained the Mt. Carmel Honor Society. *LEFT TO RIGHT*: Gloria Bley and Catherine Breslin almost missed out on the punch and fancy cakes.



## MARCH

All aboard for the Columbia Press Conference in New York. The cameraman caught Glenn Love, Jean Labuda, and Kathryn Kasperan as they were about to leave for the big city.



## JUNE

*LEFT TO RIGHT*: Robert Smith, Robert Jones, Charles Kane, and Lucille Derr decide to leave their lockers in excellent condition for the next occupants.



## MAY

The distribution of yearbooks was a day for *LEFT TO RIGHT*: James M. Ferty, Mae Lahouchac, Geraldine and Joseph Nimetz — they began immediately.



## APRIL

Mr. Andrews demonstrates the art of bunting to *LEFT TO RIGHT*: John Museousky, Robert Seltzer, Ronald Bowman, John Schafer, Douglas Fristick, and Wilbert Banks.



## JUNIORS Move Forward

The beginning of the 1957-1958 school term found the juniors ready to meet their increased responsibilities, fifty-seven boys and fifty girls composed the class roster. All juniors were happy that Phyllis Zimmerman was well enough to rejoin the class.

Early in September thirteen juniors were appointed members of the class ring committee, twenty-five were selected to serve as usherettes at the various school activities held during the year, and Janet Purnell was chosen as a tryout for the State Chorus.

The juniors had the distinction of having the highest percentage of class members on the honor roll each marking period. Nine members of the class were selected for probationary membership in the National Honor Society.

Thirteen members of the Junior Class were on student council including three officers, Janet Purnell, vice-president; Nora Lee Richenderfer, secretary; and Antoinette Wufsus, treasurer.

Juniors were always willing to serve anytime their services were needed. A large number of girls acted as waitresses for Parents' Night, both junior boys and girls took part in the Parents' Night senior waltz, and ten served as diploma girls on the night of senior commencement.

It was a busy year and all juniors strove to make it a good year.

1957-58 CLASS OFFICERS—SEATED, President Robert Bankes, Secretary Patricia Layton. STANDING, Vice-President Doris Lorah, Treasurer Thomas Hayes.

### Bookkeeping and 204 Homerooms

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### JUNIOR GIRLS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Sonya Setcavage, Patricia Ogradnick, Geraldine Wufsus, Florence Obrzut, Joan Mocknick, Martha Thrash, Geraldine Stauffenberg, Maureen Witkowskie. SECOND ROW—Theresa Schwartz, Antoinette Wufsus, Judith Stauffer, Rose Marie Sabulsky, Arlene Thomas, Nora Lee Richenderfer, Doris Smulligan. FIRST ROW—Margaret McElhenny, Phyllis Zimmerman, Dolores Wisinski, Joan Sampson, Jo Ann Purnell, Janet Purnell, Mabel Miller.

### JUNIOR BOYS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—James Shay, Thomas McCullough, John Davidock, Michael Mogish, Robert Seltzer, Donald Mellon, Frank Mrocza, John Shafer, Charles Smulligan. SECOND ROW—William Nester, Reynold Reiseg, Joseph Britton, John Zakrewsky, Andrew Whah, Bernard Boyle, John Pascavage, Ronald Tuskusky, Louis Shaup. FIRST ROW—Richard Stevens, James Pester, George Nimetz, Ronald Bowman, Francis Whalen, George Ward, John Thornton, James Osenbach.

## JUNIOR Extra-Curricular Record

The juniors can be justly proud of their extra-curricular record. To increase class funds they planned and successfully carried out an autumn frolic, a spring dance, sold chances on a basket of groceries, a money doll, and took orders for fruit cakes. In addition to expanding their own class treasury, the juniors always co-operated with the seniors and sophomores in all their undertakings.

The junior year was filled with challenges—art, music, sports, and journalism. Many juniors brought honors to their class by winning awards in the 1957 Health Poster Contest sponsored by the Medical Society Auxiliary of Schuylkill County.

In the field of sports the juniors were well represented. Fourteen members of the class were on the football squad. The juniors had a fine representation of classmen on both the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams. Nine members of the class played baseball. Connie Davis, co-captain of the cheerleaders, together with Doris Smulligan and Catherine Benedict were always present to cheer the team on to victory. Antoinette Wufsus, Janet Hillibush, and Geraldine Wufsus were majorettes.

In the field of music six juniors belonged to the school band, and a great number of boys and girls were members of the senior high chorus.

Nora Lee Richenderfer served as assistant editor on the LEADER and twenty-four juniors were staff members.



A familiar sight during senior high recreation—LEFT TO RIGHT—Geraldine Stauffenberg and Patricia Layton persuade Mary Barnish, Marie Reese, and Loretta Kardisco to purchase some candy.

### 203 and 207 Homerooms

### JUNIOR GIRLS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Loretta Kardisco, Arlene Barner, Joanne Konidas, Mary Ann Medvid, Constance Davis, Sara Cunningham, Ann Marie Malasavage, Elizabeth Forke, Doris Lorah. SECOND ROW—Mary Ann Krolick, Rosalie Kadelock, Barbara Kerrick, Marie Amos, Aleda Antonelli, Doris Bankes, Catherine Benedict. FIRST ROW—Janet Hillibush, Carol Musser, Louise Dudash, Patricia Layton, Mary Barnish, Mary Ann Obrzut, Carol Lorah.

### JUNIOR BOYS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Nelson C. Randolph Kurzinsky, Thomas H. Lawrence Fenkner, John Ellis, G. Davidson, Robert Bankes, Alvin. SECOND ROW—James Gontz, Elsavage, John Goshiney, Wilbur E. Robert Bolcavage, William Job, I. Hartzel, Lee Creasy. FIRST ROW—Houser, Peter Keim, Merrill Hess, Kline, James Brennan, Glenn I. John Faust.

### SOPHOMORE BOYS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—James Gontz, Elsavage, John Goshiney, Wilbur E. Robert Bolcavage, William Job, I. Hartzel, Lee Creasy. FIRST ROW—Houser, Peter Keim, Merrill Hess, Kline, James Brennan, Glenn I. John Faust.



## SENIOR HIGH AT LAST



1957-58 CLASS OFFICERS—STANDING, President James Mitchell, Vice-President John Museousky, Treasurer Phyllis Bennett. SEATED, Secretary Yvonne Liberati.

September 1957 was a happy time for the tenth grade. At last they had reached senior high school status and each and every member of the class anxiously awaited the opening of school. Of the ninety-five enrolled in the Sophomore Class, fifteen came from Delano, nine from East Union, forty-two from Mahanoy Township, nineteen students were enrolled from Rush Township, and ten arrived from Ryan Township. These comparatively newcomers who had joined the Freshman Class in 1956 were finding it very pleasant and easy to become part of our school life. This was the year that sophomores would be eligible to compete in all major school activities and every sophomore was anxious to begin the tenth grade program.

When it came to high grades and outstanding students the sophomores met the mark, and many names appeared on the honor roll list which is prepared by the typing department and made public after each marking period. They had active members on student council and gave their co-operation to all activities conducted by their senior classmates.

Having achieved an excellent record because of their keen interest, effort, and willingness it is the hope of everyone that the sophomores will continue to maintain this high standard for the next two years.

### General Science and 201 Homerooms



#### SOPHOMORE GIRLS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Barbara Gallery, Carol Jones, Aura Lee Clemens, Phyllis Bennett, Margaret Britton, Brigitta Bacho, Margaret Hayes, Margaret Benedict, Sandra Gouldner. SECOND ROW—Nancy Fufla, Margaret Copeland, Dolores Fritz, Joan Fritz, Lynette Fritz, Shirley Blew, Anna Mooney, Nancy Grimes, Theresa Gouldner. FIRST ROW—Patricia Bradbury, Alice Faust, Beverly Kern, Joan Davidson, Georgette Kalkiewicz, Ethel Frye, Barbara Evans.



## HOPE TO MAKE FINE RECORD

A brief glance at the school records show that the sophomores were in most of the extra-curricular activities offered by Mahanoy Township.

Many boys took advantage of an advanced course in Industrial Arts and had wall racks, telephone stands, clothes trees, end tables, coffee tables, and book cases displayed at the exhibition at the end of the school term.

Both boys and girls who showed talent in art entered the Health Poster Contest and brought honor to their class by winning awards. Thirteen members of the sophomore class belong to the school band.

The class was well represented in the program of sports. Five boys, Jimmy Davidson, Arthur Frey, Gerald Mace, James Mitchell, and Robert Mongrain gave their support on the gridiron, and eight members of the class were on the Purple and Gold basketball team. Baseball also claimed many candidates. Supporting the athletes as members of a peppy, colorful, and enthusiastic drum majorette team were Rita Mogish, Anna Mooney, Jean Shala, and Margaret Copeland.

The sophomores realized early in the term the necessity of building up a treasury in order to meet expenses they would encounter in future years, so class dues were paid willingly and plans for fund raising were discussed and carried through.

This was the initial attempt of the class of 1960 to enter senior high school activities. As a team they have pulled hard and earned an enviable record.

### Biology Lab. and 202 Homerooms



#### SOPHOMORE GIRLS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Patricia Museousky, Rita Mogish, Daria Shaker, Eleanor Schwartz, Madeline Schropp, Sharon Kershetsky, Diane Unuscavage, Mary O'Brien, Mary Price. SECOND ROW—Ruth Ann Whah, Pauline Volovsky, Yvonne Liberati, Betty Lipko, Sandra Ward, Ruth VanHorn, Frances Ogradnick, Shirley Shafer, Martha Mocknick. FIRST ROW—Kay Peiser, Jean Turner, Joanne Shala, Jeanette Morrison, Mary Ann Skeath, Jean Shala, Helene Teter.



#### SOPHOMORE BOYS

THIRD ROW, Left to Right—Vincent Selinko, James Mitchell, Harry Shaup, Gerald Mace, Arthur Smith, John Museousky. SECOND ROW—Paul Zukovich, James Kufro, James Wronski, Eugene Reba, William Zellner, John Vecolitis. FIRST ROW—John Wronski, Cyril Schock, John Shaughnessy, Metro Mogish, Metro Kerrick, Robert Mongrain.



1957-58 HOMEROOM PRESIDENTS—Left to Right, Sandra Gouldner, Eleanor Schwartz, Albert Foose, Rita Mogish.

# THE JUNIORS AND SOPHOMORES WILL REMEMBER



## THE HARVEST DANCE

A gaily decorated gym, dreamy waltz music, and peppy rock and roll numbers made the harvest dance a memorable evening.

## THE ORCHESTRA DANCE

A Halloween setting and orchestral strains thrilled students who attended the first dance of the season.



### ORDER YOUR HOLIDAY CAKE!

*LEFT TO RIGHT*—Martha Thrash and Joan Sampson aid the junior fund raising project by placing an order for a fruit cake with James Brennan.



### HELP THE SOPHOMORES, PLEASE!

*LEFT TO RIGHT*—Frank Gallo prepares to write a record order for John Wronski and Nancy Fuffa who wish to support the sophomore class fund.



# ACTIVITIES



# MUSIC



Musical voices, sopranos, altos, tenors, basses, blend together to make up our senior glee club, directed by Miss Eva Yurkewicz, music supervisor.

Application and concentration are essential for the glee members to appear as a sextet, quartette, trio, duet, soloist, or as a complete group to perform at a Christmas program, the annual spring concert, the Parents' Night, or the final program, commencement.

When the intermittent strains of music from flutes, bassoons, cornets, drums, and other instruments emanate from the Music Room on Floor 3, one is quite sure that the forty-two members of the school band are being drilled under the baton of Mr. William Becker, conductor.

Led by snappily attired majorettes, the band in new purple and gold uniforms, appear at athletic contests and parades.

At the senior play this year they made their initial school presentation. This was later followed by the Christmas program, the annual concert, and the commencement exercises.

Mary Ann Ryan accompanies the male quartette, William Brinsko, John Getz, John Antolosky, and Daniel Konsavage for their appearance at the spring concert.



Miss Yurkewicz, directing the senior choir. *FIRST ROW, Left to Right* — Avon Jones, Carol Lorah, Rose Majetsky, Kathryn Kasperan, Mary Kasperan, Gloria Brobst, Ruth Neiswender, Nancy Davidson, Rose Ann Lahouchuc, Mary Ann Ryan. *SECOND ROW* — Catherine Breslin, Lucille Derr, Jane Gill, Pearl Kerrick, Cynthia Brylewski, Beverly Bradbury, Evelyn Adzentovich, Patricia Bair, Catherine Mehalsky, Elizabeth Besparis, Anne Marie Gober. *THIRD ROW*—Kenneth Job, Wilson Williamson, Joseph Dunsavage, Joseph Adzentovich, William Britton, Daniel Konsavage, John Antolosky, William Brinsko, James McClafferty, Robert Andrews, Dale Garber. *FOURTH ROW*—Gerald Matz, James Jones, Glenn Love, Edward Gensure, William Faust, Nathan Garber, Ronald Mellon, Daniel Hayes, John Getz, John Weeks, Kimber Yost, Peter Chrusch.

# BAND



## REED SECTION

*STANDING, Left to Right*—Mary Ann Ryan, Patricia Bair, Rose Ann Lahouchuc. *SEATED*—Peter Chrusch, Emily Horas, Evelyn Adzentovich, Anna Mylnek.



## PERCUSSION

*LEFT TO RIGHT*—William Brinsko, Francis Whalen, Kenneth Job.



Mr. Becker, band director, reviews the score with (*left to right*) John Museousky and William Hyland, competitors in the District Band contest.



## BRASS SECTION

*STANDING, Left to Right*—Russell Teter, Kimber Yost, Joseph Dunsavage, Gerald Matz. *SEATED*—John Weeks, John Hauck, John Drigan.



*FOURTH ROW, Left to Right*—Beverly Bradbury, William Brinsko, Vincent Selinko, Kenneth Job, Francis Whalen, John Weeks, John Drigan, John Hauck, Jay Houser, Joseph Dunsavage, Kimber Yost, Gerald Matz, Mr. Becker, director, Russell Teter, Joseph Bowman, Thomas Lahouchuc. *THIRD ROW*—Janet Purnell, Doris Bankes, Mary O'Brien, Metro Kerrick, Peter Chrusch, Patricia Museousky, Lynette Fritz, Betty Kasperan, Emily Horas, Evelyn Adzentovich, Anna Mylnek, Mabel Miller. *SECOND ROW*—Marion Scislaw, Julia Butchko, Joan Davidson, Rose Lahouchuc, Nicholas Forte, Nora Lee Richenderfer, John Vecolitis. *FIRST ROW*—Patricia Bair, Mary Ann Ryan, William Hyland, Susan Adzentovich, Albert Foose, Edward Halaburda, John Museousky, Lee Becker.



Pamela Jones (Beverly Bradbury) discusses her problems with "Buzz" Bailey (John Getz).

Cast—John Getz, Beverly Bradbury, Patricia Bair, Anne Marie Gober, Mary Kasperan, Wilson Williamson, Nathan Garber, Jean LeBuda, Cynthia Brylewski, Robert Andrews, Gloria Brobst, Gerald Matz, Ronald Mellen, Kathryn Kasperan, Peter Chrusch, Francis Griggs, Avon Jones.

Stage Hands—Kimber Yost, Joseph Dunsavage, John Heller, Daniel Konsavage.

Prompters—Emily Horas, Pearl Kerrick.

## NO MORE HOMEWORK

When Pamela Jones was elected student council president, she could not foresee the many decisions she would be required to make. Should she abolish homework? Should she discipline the star athlete by refusing him to play the state tournament game? "Buzz" Bailey, Pam's boyfriend, finds himself doubling as vice-principal and "home ec" teacher.

Romance kicks up its lovely heels, too. The elderly Miss Goodin "falls for" the confirmed faculty bachelor. Will Tok, the diminutive janitor, dominate Mrs. Ratchet, the scrub woman? These things—and more—keep Pamela Jones in a whirl! Before long, the entire school seems upside down. Everybody is "down" on her.

With the return of Mr. Lundquist, the principal, situations right themselves and the school returns to normal. Well... more or less!



"Tick" Tok (Peter Chrusch), the janitor, "battles it out" with Mrs. Ratchet (Kathryn Kasperan), the scrub woman.



Mr. Harper (Robert Andrews), Mrs. Clendinning (Cynthia Brylewski), Miss Ogilvie (Patricia Bair), and Miss Goodin (Mary Kasperan), teachers, report for duty to Miss Dill (Gloria Brobst), secretary.

Mr. Lundquist (Ronald Mellen), the principal, solves the problem of who "stole" the proceeds from the play, with the aid of the accusing finger of Faversham Lightly (Francis Griggs) who points to Shalimar Ames (Ann Marie Gober). The innocent Pamela (Beverly Bradbury), her boyfriend, "Buzz" Bailey (John Getz), Tallulah Ploetz (Jean LaBuda), the father of Shalimar (Gerald Matz), Mr. Harper (Robert Andrews) and "Midge" Murphy (Avon Jones), are glad the problem is solved.



## SENIORS

*LEFT TO RIGHT*—Eugene Setcavage is tearing off Christmas wrapping paper for Henry Faust and Mae Lahouchak to wrap and tie.

These toys and games were sent to children in an orphanage. Some gifts of clothing were also sent to a school family of six children whose home was completely demolished by fire.



Sorting cards as to villages for the distribution of surplus commodities are, *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Francis Styka, Robert Smith, Walter Morrison, Kenneth Soult, and Francis Mooney.

Commodities such as cheese, flour, butter, lard, etc., are distributed regularly to needy families in the community.



Inspecting and folding garments during World Clothing Week are, *LEFT TO RIGHT*—John Drigan, Jane Gill, and Dale Garber.

These garments are placed in bags and are sent to distressed areas in thirty-four countries.

Other drives in which students participate include Heart, March of Dimes, Red Cross, Tuberculosis, and Cancer.



## LEND A HAND



Putting an artistic touch depicting the Christmas Holidays to the large store windows of Kline Brothers, local agent for the Ford Motor Company, are, *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Robert Seltzer, Mary Ann Ryan, Anne Marie Gober, Magdeline Schropp, and Patricia Museousky.



Displaying their posters to be entered in the various health poster contests are *STANDING, left to right*—Catherine Mehalsky, Patricia Museousky, Thomas Hayes, Ronald Bowman, and Emily Horas, *KNEELING*—Sylvia Gresh and Avon Jones.



Admiring the unique and decorative Christmas table centerpieces made by girls under the guidance of Mrs. Gregory Christ are, *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Dolores Willis, Elizabeth Mooney, Betty Seltzer, and Geraldine Obrzut.

Centerpieces made of weeds, flowers, ribbons, cones, candles, and colored sprays won three prizes in the Pennsylvania Farm Show at Harrisburg.

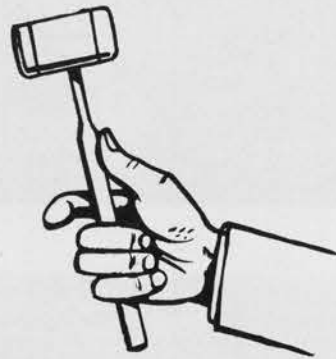


Student Council Officers, *LEFT TO RIGHT* — President, John Getz; Vice President, Janet Purnell; Secretary, Antoinette Wufus and Treasurer, Nora Lee Richenderfer, meet to appoint committees for specific duties.

## STUDENT COUNCIL

The members of the student council participate in school government. They enforce school regulations on the school buses and in the corridors during the passing of classes. Definite duties are assigned to individuals by the council director, Mr. Mahalick.

Each homeroom elects two representatives to serve on the council for one year. In addition, the president of each class is also a member.



Senior members study the handbook for 1957-1958. *STANDING, Left to Right* — Ronald Bajor, Catherine Mehalsky, Robert Reba, John Hauck, Kimber Yost. *SEATED* — Patricia Bair, John Getz, Anne Marie Gober and Avon Jones.

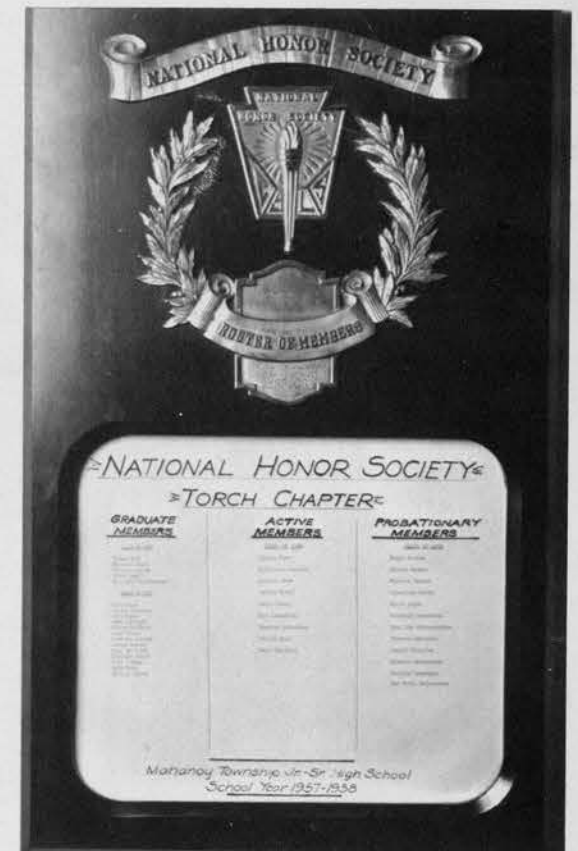
## HONOR SOCIETY

### ACTIVE MEMBERS

Gloria Bley  
Catherine Breslin  
Lucille Derr  
Sylvia Gresh  
Emily Horas  
Roseann Lahouchuc  
Gerald Matz  
Mary Ann Ryan

### PROBATIONARY MEMBERS

Doris Bankes  
Robert Bankes  
Wilbert Bankes  
Constance Davis  
Doris Lorah  
Ann Marie Malasavage  
Patricia Ogrodnick  
Nora Lee Richenderfer  
Theresa Schwartz  
Judith Stauffer  
Maureen Witkouski  
Phyllis Zimmerman



Three years ago the Mount Carmel Branch of the Mount Carmel Joint High School conducted the first induction ceremonies of the Torch Chapter, No. 5935, of the National Honor Society of Secondary Schools.

To be eligible the students must obtain a scholarship of 90% or over for every semester since their sophomore year and must also excel in service, leadership, and character. The committee selecting the successful candidates comprises Miss McCarthy, the sponsor, Miss Devitt, Miss O'Brien, Miss Rossbach, Mr. Andrews, and Mr. Mahalick.

On February 27, 1958, eight members of the senior class became active members of the chapter, and twelve juniors became probationary members. The total membership of the Society is thirty-eight of which eighteen are graduate members.



Senior honor society members, *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Sylvia Gresh, Lucille Derr, Mary Ann Ryan, Gerald Matz, Emily Horas, Rose Lahouchuc, Catherine Breslin, and Gloria Bley, trim the school Christmas trees.

# THE LEADER

The Leader, a four page school newspaper, is published quarterly by students under the supervision of Miss Clare M. Devitt and Miss Kathryn H. McCarthy. There are nine staffs: news, headlines, columns, re-writing, sports, cartoons, photography, exchanges, and business, with a competent manager at the head of each one.

An alert staff reports news, both in and out of school, secures advertising, arranges the articles in proper positions, and prepares material for printing.

When the newspaper is finished, it is sent to the business staff for distribution. Exchanges are made with various schools. In this way comparisons are made. The Leader is also entered into competition. Both teachers and students eagerly await each issue of the paper.



Editor and assistant editor, Gerald Matz and Nora Lee Richenderfer, meet with the newspaper advisors, Miss Clare Devitt and Miss Kathryn McCarthy, to review exchange newspapers and plan for the school paper.

To prepare the four issues of the four page newspaper, staff members meet regularly in the PRESS CORNER to report school news, prepare headlines, select and correct constructive articles, sort the ads, and plan the layout in order to have the newspaper at the printer's on time. LEFT TO RIGHT—Daniel Hayes, Glenn Love, Mary Kasperan, Peter Chrusch, Beverly Bradbury, Cynthia Brylewski, Robert Andrews, and Kimber Yost.



Reporting News. LEFT TO RIGHT—Verna Kachmar, James McClafferty, Ronald Williams, and Ruth Neiswender.

Preparing the Budget. LEFT TO RIGHT—Rose Ann Lahouchuc, Ronald Bajor, and William Faust.

Planning the Layout. LEFT TO RIGHT—Gerald Matz, Gloria Bley, Wilson Williamson, Sylvia Gresh, and Betty Ann Seltzer.

Counting for Distribution. LEFT TO RIGHT—Cynthia Brylewski, Evelyn Adzentovich, Nancy Davidson, Anne Mlynek, John Hauck, and Emily Horas.

# CORINTHIAN



For the thirty-fourth consecutive year the seniors of Mahanoy Township High School have published a yearbook, the Corinthian, so called for the type of architecture used in the original building.

The yearbook staff has aimed to present the typical activities of everyday school life.

Working along with Miss Catherine Coleman, chairman of the faculty supervisory committee, are the following staff advisors: Miss Anne Stack, senior section; Mr. Harold O'Hazzo, business; Miss Marie Ostheimer, art; Mr. Joseph McNamara, administration and faculty; Miss Laura Rossbach, activities; Miss Margaret O'Brien, photography; Miss Kathryn McCarthy, typing; and Editor-in-Chief, Catherine Breslin, and Co-Editor, Beverly Bradbury.



Under the untiring efforts of Miss Anne Stack, counselor of the editorial section of the senior annual, Carol Lorah and Mary Ann Ryan are reviewing manuals to study different types of captions and headlines. Lucille Derr and Mae Lahouchak are tabulating students who were honor students and had perfect attendance during their sophomore, junior, and senior years.

Money! Money! Money for the yearbook! *STANDING, Left to Right*—William Faust, Elizabeth Mooney, Ronald Bajor, and Verna Kachmar and *SEATED*—Kathryn Kasperan and Barbara Boger, with the assistance of Mr. Harold O'Hazzo, business advisor, handle financial transactions, advertisements, subscriptions, mailing of the material, and the distribution of the yearbook.



Selected and supervised by Miss Marie S. Ostheimer, district supervisor of art, the art staff, comprised of Rose Ann Lahouchuc, *STANDING*, and Emily Horas, *SEATED*, are examining and discussing art work, layouts, etc., from other schools with Mary Ann Ryan, Senior art student.



The editorial staff of the administration and faculty section compile the material obtained from questionnaires distributed to the faculty and are assisted by their adviser, Mr. Joseph McNamara. *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Gloria Brobst, Cynthia Brylewski, and Catherine Mehalsky prepare the drafts on the production master sheets.



The numerous varied activities of the seniors appear in this section in charge of Miss Laura M. Rossbach, adviser. Here we see Elizabeth Besparis studying the pictures to fit them properly for space allowed, Sylvia Gresh rereading the write-ups for final corrections, and Gloria Bley preparing the layout pages.



"Watch the birdie!" is the order given when the photography staff, consisting of Joseph Dereskavich and Robert Andrews in charge of the illumination and Kimber Yost at the camera, "shoot" the pictures for the yearbook. Miss Margaret E. O'Brien is in charge of this staff.

## PARENTS' NIGHT

Seniors at the close of their high school career entertain their parents, school boards, administrators, and faculty members in the gymnasium.

A luncheon, served at attractively decorated tables by the junior girls, precedes the program of comedy skits, tap routines, instrumental and choral groups, and variations of the modern

dance styles under the direct supervision of Miss Helen Bambrick, girls' physical education instructress, assisted by the instrumental and vocal departments.

As a climax, the graduates attired in evening dress, glide gracefully around the floor to the strains of the class waltz. The program closes with the class song.



LEFT TO RIGHT—Pearl Kerrick, Daniel Hayes, Rose Majetsky, James McClafferty, Ann Marie Gober, and John Antalosky are practicing the first three positions of the Rock 'n Roll.



LEFT TO RIGHT—Evelyn Adzento-vich, Catherine Breslin, Rose Ann Lahouchuc, Anna Mlynek, and Mary Ann Ryan, with top hats and canes, rehearse the steps for the tap routine.

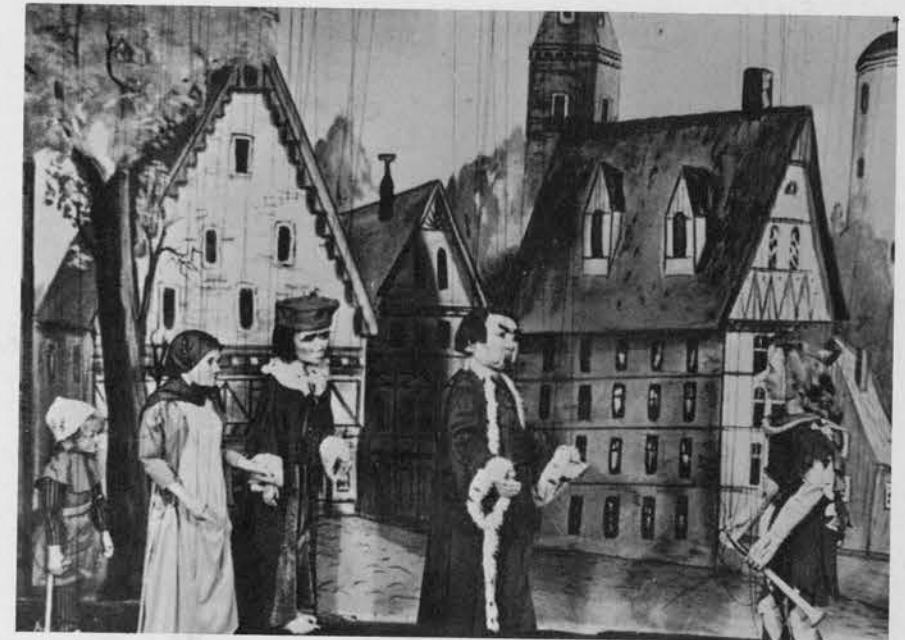


Will the costumes for Parents' Night be Japanese, Hawaiian, Indian, Spanish, or what? Attired in costumes of foreign lands, before making a selection are, LEFT TO RIGHT — Emily Horas, Cynthia Brylewski, Geraldine Obrzut, Mary Kasperan, Ruth Neiswender, Avon Jones, Gloria Brobst, and Beverly Bradbury.

## ANTRIM BUREAU

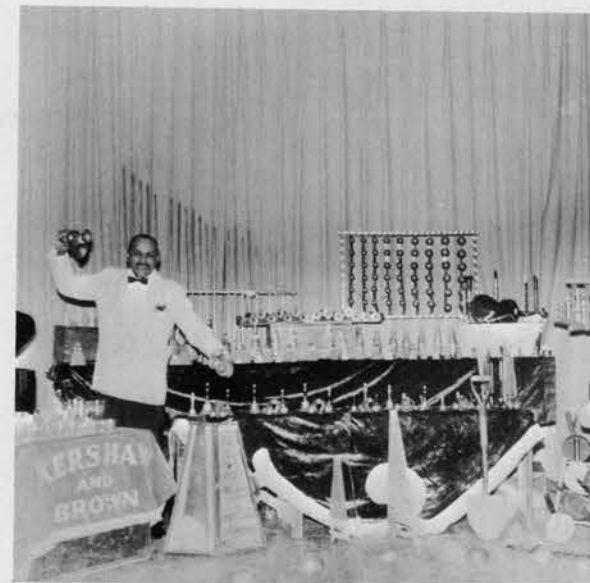
Six programs are presented annually for student enjoyment and information by the Antrim Bureau of Glenside, Pennsylvania.

The programs presented this year were The Pied Piper of Hamelin, Brooks Circus, Mr. America, Science Barrier, Bell Ringers, and Show Boat to Broadway.



The McCrea Marionettes, after visiting the town of Hamelin, Germany, produced a marionette adaptation of the story, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," which they presented to us.

The team of Kershaw and Brown displayed how beautiful music may be produced from various simple articles such as bells, cooking utensils, and glasses partially filled with water.



A scientist representing the bureau presented a demonstration of the effect of a motion picture camera and the effect of ultra-violet rays to the objects on which they were directed.





## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

### CHRISTMAS

A spoiled, wealthy, little princess (Janet Purnell) having lost the true spirit of Christmas is visited by the Christ Child (Tommy Ryan) in the form of a little boy who promised that the "Blue Angel" (Marcia Stetts) would appear atop her Christmas tree if only she would believe. Her father (Wilson Hinkle) ridiculed her for believing this. Much to her delight, on Christmas Eve at the stroke of 12 the Blue Angel appeared. Under the tree she found a gift which, when opened, was a true replica of the vision she had seen.



### AWARD DAY

Coaches David Linkhorst and William Jones present to *LEFT TO RIGHT*: John Getz, Edward Gensure, Joseph Klatka, Nathan Garber, Ronald Mellen, and Daniel Konsavage, senior athletes, their final letter M for their participation in interscholastic meets. An attractive trophy was awarded the school.

Other awards presented are the Veteran of Foreign Wars, Daughters of American Revolution, Danforth Foundation, Babe Ruth, Science and American Legion awards.

The school awards are band, *Leader*, art, and athletics.



## CONCERT

### VOCAL

Emily Horas, Avon Jones, Beverly Bradbury, *BACK ROW* and Kathryn Kasperan and Mary Kasperan, *FRONT ROW* delight the audience with a quintet.

### INSTRUMENTAL

William Brinsko, drummer; John Hauck, bassoon; Gerald Matz, trombone; and Peter Chrusch, saxophone; practice for a presentation at the concert.



**STARS  
ON  
PARADE**



Lee Houser  
Quarterback



Joe Klatka  
Quarterback



Jackie Getz  
Right End



Bernie Boyle  
Left Tackle



Coaches  
Mr. Linkhorst, Mr. Jones  
Mr. Techentin



Managers  
Stephen Cominsky, Francis Whalen  
Andrew Stofanik



Nate Garber  
Right Guard



Tom Hayes  
Right Tackle



Bill Faust  
Left Guard



Dan Konsavage  
Fullback



Randy Kurzinski  
Center



Ron Mellen  
Left End



Eddie Gensure  
Left Halfback

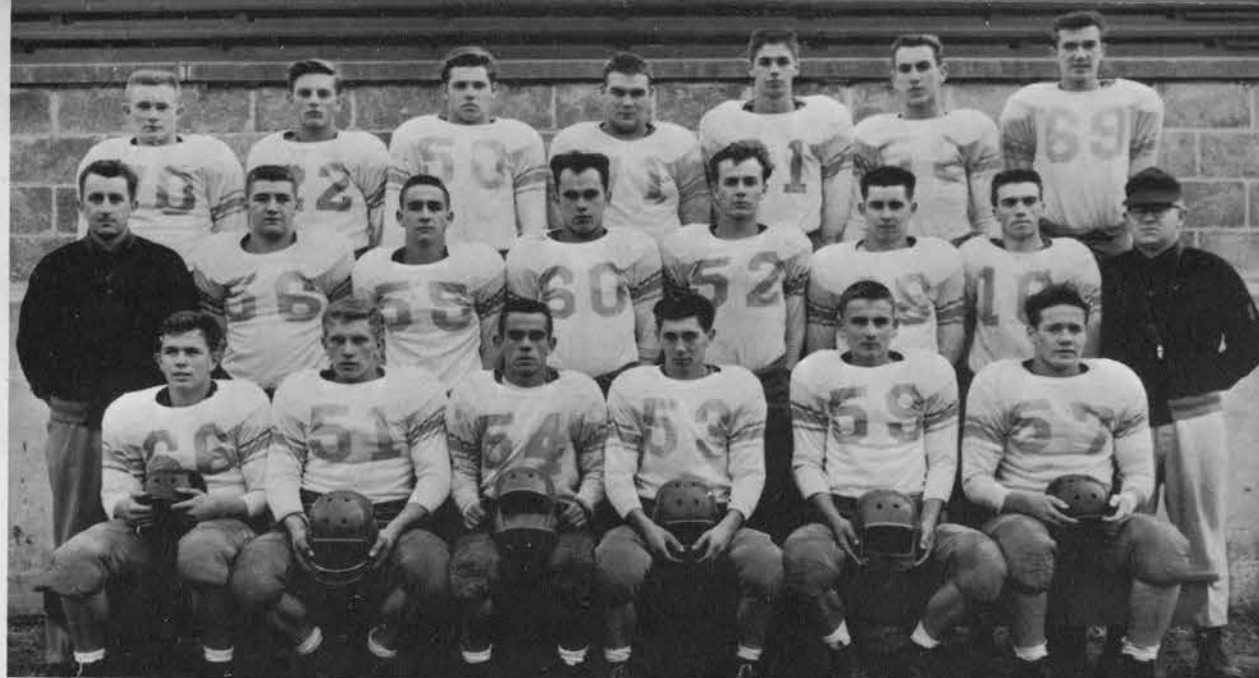


Ron Bajor  
Right Halfback



Jack Goshiney  
Right End





### VARSITY LINE-UP

FIRST ROW: John Goshiney, Dan Konsavage, Lee Houser, Eddie Gensure, Randy Kurzinsky, Bernie Boyle. SECOND ROW: Coach Linkchorst, Nate Garber, Bill Faust, Ron Mellon,

THIRD ROW: Ron Bajor, Jim Mitchell, Bill Brennan, Coach Jones. THIRD ROW: Harry Kline, Joe Klatka, Larry Fenkner, George Davidson, Frank Mrocza, Tom Hayes, Jack Getz.

### FOOTBALL

✓ 0	.....	Shenandoah	.....	6
✓ 6	.....	St. Clair	.....	32
7	.....	Minersville	.....	6
47	.....	West Mahanoy	.....	7
✓ 0	.....	Cass Township	.....	7
42	.....	Hazle Township	.....	13
46	.....	Pine Grove	.....	7
39	.....	Frackville	.....	13
12	.....	Mahanoy City	.....	0



BRENNAN HEADS FOR PAYDIRT



### J. V. LINE-UP

FIRST ROW: Leo Hartman, Nick Forte, Tony Matsell, Dick Skasko, Jack Thornton, Eddie Gnall, Bobby Kurzinsky. SECOND ROW: Manager Bill Nester, Robert Mongrain, Glenn Fegley, Jack Hopko, Harry Shaup, Manager Andy Stofanik,

THIRD ROW: Coach Techentine. THIRD ROW: Eugene Barno, Ron Bowman, Manager Francis Whalen, Wassil Bulcavage, John Gmitter.

### RECORDS

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6	.....	Tamaqua	.....	6

TROPHY AWARDED



Konsavage Sweeps Right End.

# STARS OF THE HARD- WOOD

1958



DAVE LINKCHORST



**JACK MUSEOUSKY**

Jackie is a 5' 10" Sophomore guard and is the best all around player on the Lark squad. He will prove to be a threat to the opposition for the next two basketball campaigns.

**BOB REBA**

Bobby is a 6' Senior center who is probably the most improved player on the Lark team. Outside of a little difficulty in the beginning of the season, Bobby has maintained a 24 point average.



**JACK GETZ**

Jackie is a 6' 3" Senior forward who has been a great help on offense and defense. Jackie's tremendous rebounding and clutch shooting were important contributions to Lark victories.

**RON MELLON**

Ron is a 5' 10" Senior forward who has seen plenty of action throughout the season and has proved quite beneficial to the team.

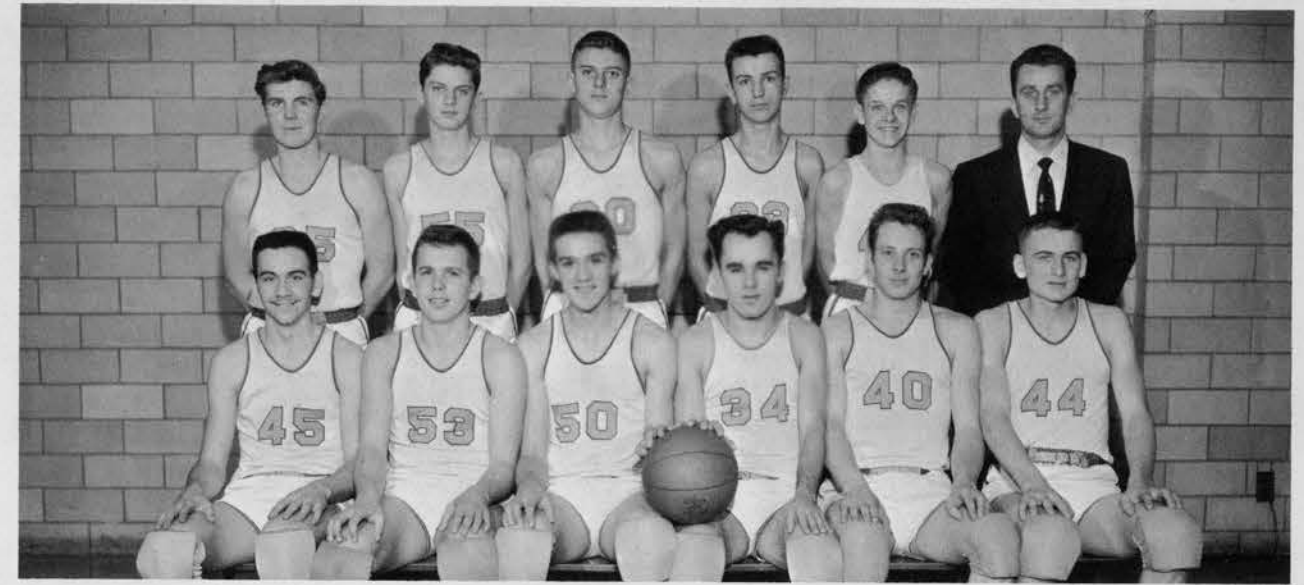


**JOHN GOSHINEY**

John is a 5' 11" Junior forward who has done a splendid job on both offense and defense. John is expected to be a main cog in the Lark attack next year.

**JOHN ELLIS**

John is a 5' 10" Junior forward who has seen plenty of action, and who has been proving to be a quite capable performer.



## VARSITY LINE-UP

FIRST ROW, Left to Right—John Museousky, John Goshiney, Jack Getz, Ron Mellon, Bob Reba, Randy Kurzinsky. SECOND ROW — Joe Britton, Billy Bankes, Jack Shafer, John Ellis, Francis Griggs, Coach Dave Linkchorst.

## PERSONAL RECORD

John Getz scored 247 points on 103 goals and 41 fouls. Jackie lead the Larks in rebounding with 229.

John Museousky caged 377 markers on 150 goals and 77 fouls. Jackie was given a berth on the All League Team.

John Goshiney rimmed 60 goals and 52 fouls for a total of 172 points.

John Ellis garnered 79 points on 36 goals and 7 fouls.

Ronald Mellon netted 134 points on 43 goals and 48 fouls.

Robert Reba ripped the cords for 385 points on 143 goals and 99 fouls. Bob was named to the All League Team for the second year in succession.

## TEAM RECORD

64	Tremont . . . . .	32
59	Tamaqua . . . . .	53
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61	Butler Township . . . . .	64
94	Girardville . . . . .	58
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Getz hits with a toss from the foul line.

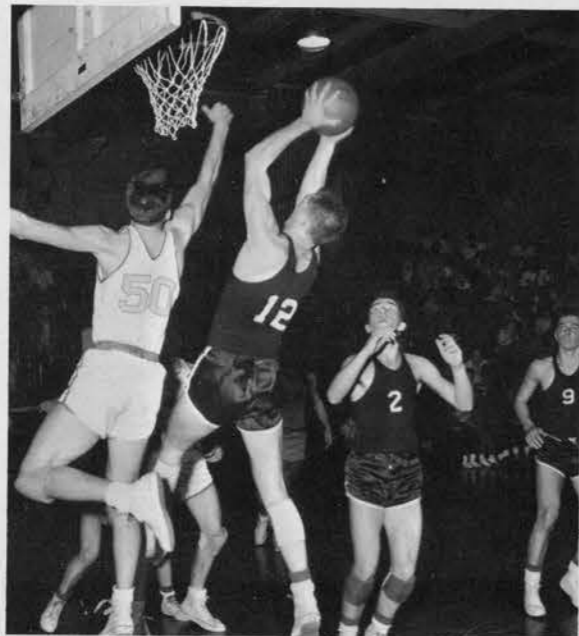


Reba outstretches a cordon of opponents to grab a rebound.

## GAME

## VARSAITY

## TIME



Getz reaches out to thwart a scoring attempt.



Museousky tips the ball away from a host of defenders.



Goshiney fights for possession of a loose ball.



## J. V. LINE-UP

*FIRST ROW, Left to Right* — Larry Bankes, Richard Skasko, Nicholas Forte, Leo Hartman. *SECOND ROW*—Robert Kurzinsky, Robert Bankes, Alvin Fritz, Frank Mrocza, George Cunningham, Paul Gnall, Edward Gnall. *THIRD ROW* — Coach

Bill Jones, Manager Eugene Reba, Jack Vecolaitis, John Hopko, Paul Blew, Arthur Frey, William Herrity, Manager Robert Mongrain.

Bankes grapples with opponents for possession of a rebound.



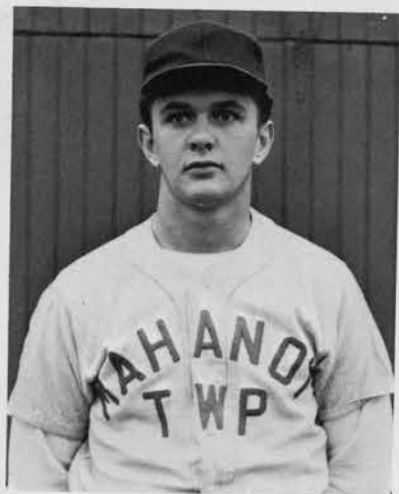
Cunningham's shot momentarily defies the law of gravity before dropping in for a score.

Becker bats down an enemy field goal attempt.





Mr. James Andrews  
Coach



Ronald Williams  
Right Field



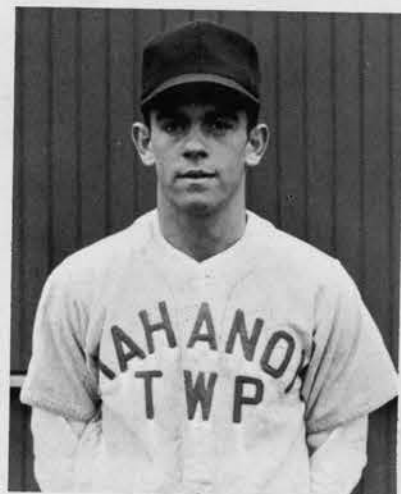
Larry Fenkner  
Pitcher



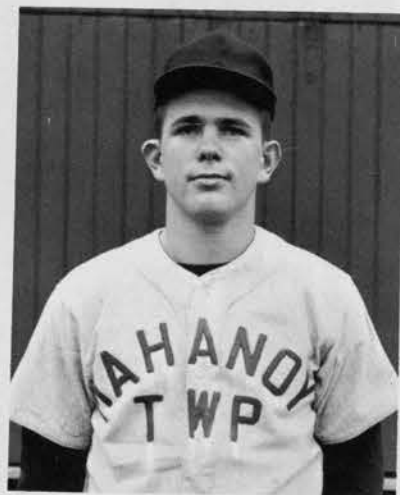
John Museousky  
Third Base

## STARS OF

## THE DIAMOND



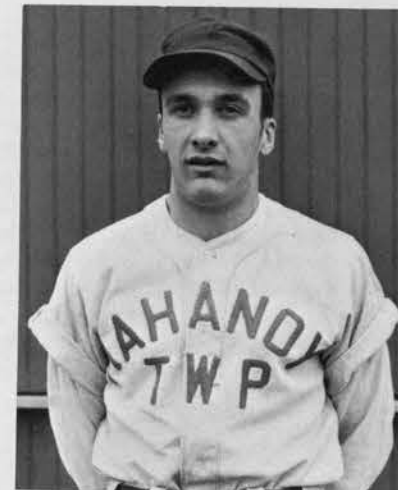
Lee Houser  
Shortstop



John Goshiney  
Left Field



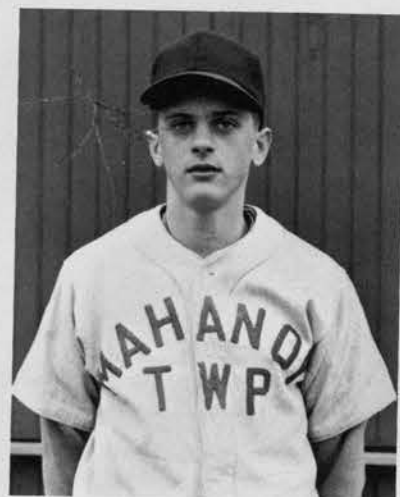
Douglas Fristick  
Catcher



Gerald Matz  
Centerfield



Wilbert Bankes  
First Base



Robert Bankes  
Second Base



Merril Hess  
Pitcher

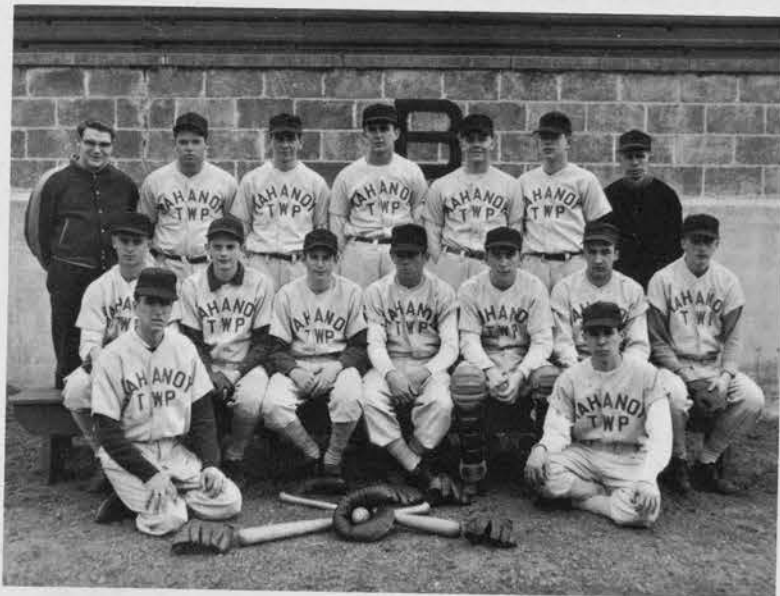


Ronald Bajor  
Pitcher



John Goshiney swings at a pitched ball during a scrimmage session.

A seasoned squad of veteran performers returned to the diamond in quest of the North Schuylkill League diadem. *KNEELING, Left to Right:* Robert Seltzer, Ronald Bowman. *FIRST ROW:* John Shaefer, Wilbert, Bankes, Merrill Hess, Lee Houser, Douglas Fristick, Gerald Matz, Robert Bankes. *SECOND ROW:* Manager George Davidson, Larry Fenkner, John Museousky, Ronald Williams, Ronald Bajor, John Goshiney, Coach James Andrews.



Pitchers loosen up before participating in an intra-squad scrimmage. *LEFT TO RIGHT:* Larry Fenkner, Merrill Hess, Ronald Bajor.



Mr. Andrews, with the assistance of John Goshiney, demonstrates the techniques of correct sliding. *LEFT TO RIGHT:* Douglas Fristick, Robert Bankes, Wilbert Bankes, Lee Houser.



New candidates seeking positions with the club are, *FIRST ROW, Left to Right:* Nicholas Forte, Larry Bankes, Edward Gnall, Steve Labuda, John Stiney, Leo Hartman. *SECOND ROW:* Wayne Mensinger, William Herryty, George Cunningham, Robert Kurzinsky, Edward Logan.

Players engage in a combination batting and fielding drill to improve coordination and reflexes. *BATTING:* Gerald Matz. *FIELDING, Left to Right:* Robert Bankes, Ronald Williams, Wilbert Bankes, Lee Houser.





FIRST ROW, Left to Right—Co-Captain Connie Davis, Captain Pearl Kerrick. SECOND ROW—Doris Smulligan, Margaret Benedict, Nancy Medvid, Barbara Kerrick, Barbara Boger, Kathryn Kasperan, Jean Houser, Rose Majetsky.

## CHEERLEADERS

A splendid spectacle at every game is the rousing cheering of our enthusiastic cheerleaders. They always manage to keep the team striving for victory with their peppy cheering.

The cheerleaders sacrifice all their leisure time in order to perfect their performance at every game.

The excellence of their ability is demonstrated by the intricate formation which they employ at all athletic contests.

To qualify for the cheerleading squad, one must possess the following qualities: neat personal appearance, leadership and organizational ability plus plenty of spirit and pep.

The cheerleaders are moderated and directed by Miss Helen Bambrick.



Co-Captain Connie Davis, a member of the cheerleading staff for three years.



Captain Pearl Kerrick, a member of the cheerleading staff for three years.



FIRST ROW—Captain Jean LaBuda. SECOND ROW—Jean Shala, Anna Mooney. THIRD ROW—Margaret Copeland, Janet Hillibush, Regina Ashfield, Antoinette Wufsus. FOURTH ROW—Rita Mogish, Co-Captain Mary Barnish, Geraldine Wufsus.

## MAJORETTES

A sparkling attraction of every marching band is a display of precision timing by its high stepping majorettes. Their fancy strutting and baton twirling provide an added highlight to every band performance.

Many tedious hours are spent by the girls rehearsing and perfecting the minute details of their maneuvers before exhibiting them publicly.

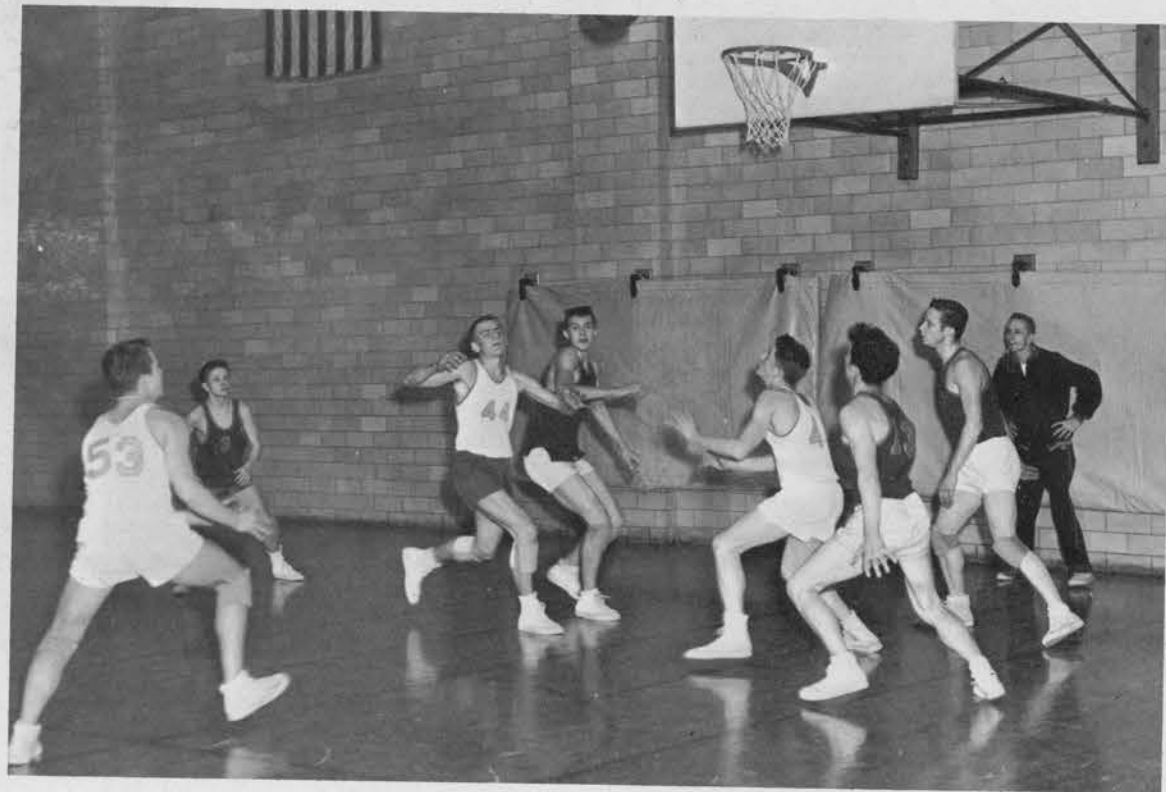
Some of the qualities a girl must possess to become a majorette are: cooperation, pleasant personality, neat appearance, well coordinated body movements coupled with a sense of rhythm, and a high degree of baton twirling and marching ability.



Captain Jean LaBuda, a member of the majorettes for three years.



Co-Captain Mary Barnish, a member of the majorettes for three years.



Seniors vs. Underclassmen in a game of basketball. Players are: J. Goshiney (53), F. Griggs (3), R. Kurzinsky (44), J. Getz, W. Bankes (4), E. Gensure (13), R. Reba, Mr. James Andrews.



Boys watch as D. Konsavage and R. Mellon do shoulder stands on the parallel bars.



Boys form a pyramid in Gym class. *TOP ROW*—W. Williamson. *SECOND ROW, Left to Right*—J. Klatka and Kimber Yost. *THIRD ROW*—G. Matz, J. Heller and D. Garber. *BOTTOM ROW*—R. Mellon, N. Garber, D. Konsavage and R. Williams.

## BOYS' INDOOR SOUND MINDS AND BODIES

## SPORTS ARE DEVELOPED IN THE GYM



Boys engage in physical fitness test under the supervision of instructor Mr. Wm. Jones.



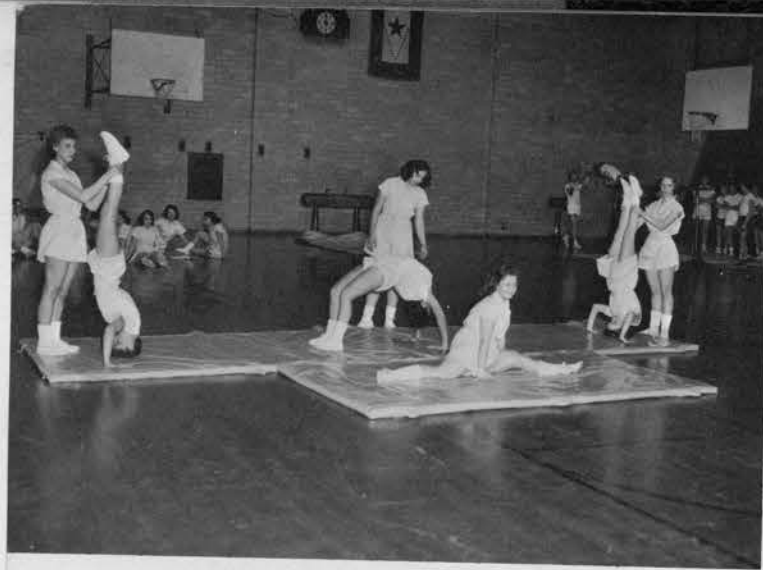
Boys are instructed in fundamentals



of basketball by Mr. Wm. Jones.



R. Mellon and D. Konsavage meet on the mats in a friendly boxing match.



Girls demonstrate their physical fitness on the mats. *FRONT ROW*, Kathryn Kasperan performs a "split." *BACK ROW*, *Left to Right*—Evelyn Adzentovich performs a "headstand" assisted by Mae Lahouchuc; Barbara Boger "backbends" assisted by Betty Besparis.

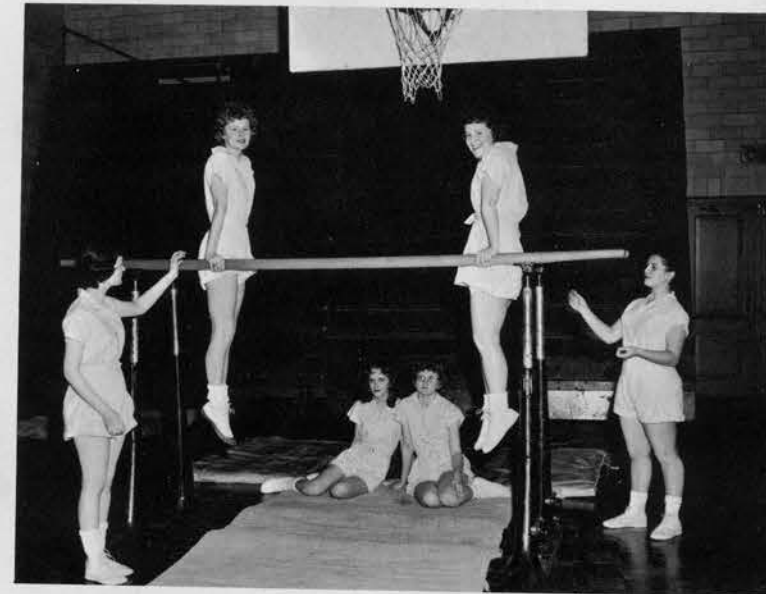
Pearl Kerrick demonstrates a "rest" position on the "horse" while other girls await their turns. *LEFT TO RIGHT*—Patsy Bair, Pearl Kerrick, Nancy Davidson, Anne Mylnek.



Girls prepare gym equipment for game period. *PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT*—Rose Lahouchuc, Avon Jones, Mary Anne Ryan, Gloria Bley, Rose Majetsky, Sylvia Gresh, Anne Mylnek, Catherine Breslin.



Emily Horas and Betty Seltzer practice "front stands" on the parallel bars assisted by *l. to r.* Catherine Breslin and Anne Mylnek. They are observed by *l. to r.* Ann Marie Gober and Verna Kachmar.



The ultimate aim of the Physical Education Program at Mahanoy Township is to mould girls into women. It seeks to realize its goals by inculcating habits of Health, Personal Attractiveness, Etiquette, and Poise. The product of the program is a young woman veneered with mental, physical and moral excellence.

## GIRLS' INDOOR SPORTS

Pearl Kerrick, *BACK TURNED*, and Lucille Derr are about to start the "circle relay."



"Quiet Games" are played by girls who do not participate in physical activities. *BACK ROW*, *Left to Right*—Beverly Bradbury, Eleanor Fronczak. *FRONT ROW*, *Left to Right*—Jane Gill, Dolores Willis.





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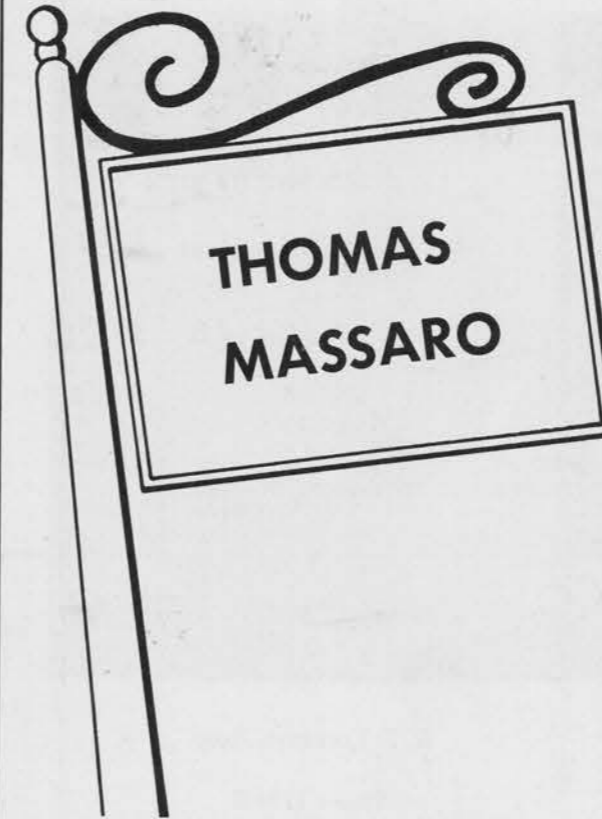


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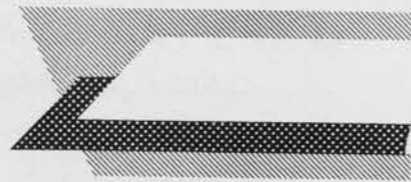
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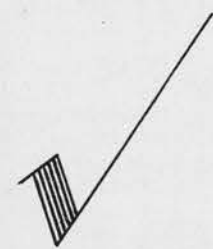
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