

BRANDON WINS ALGEBRA STATE

Offices Enlist Twenty-three Aides

Girls Practice For Future Employment

"Experience is the best teacher" certainly applies where office work is done. The Office Administration Corps gives students the chance to gain the necessary experience before venturing out into the business world. Each hour certain girls are assigned specific jobs in the different offices at Central. These girls type, file, carry messages, distribute mail, and do general office duty.

Typing ranks as the most important qualification for this work. Running close behind this in importance is receptionist work. The girls must always be ready to meet the public with a friendly smile and a charming manner. The girls must also be upper-classmen and maintain a high scholastic average. They work during their study hall periods, and are not paid for their work.

The girls that work in the main office, headed by Mrs. Baer, are Peggy Benassi, Marilyn Hedrick, Marlene Kazmierzak, Louis Wunder, Julianne Krueger, and Marianne Thilman.

Working in the registrar's office are Sandy Dahlke, Nancy Dumont, Jeanette Zabik, Lillian Henye, Nancy McManus, and Gail Pendl. Helping Mr. Harter in 204 are Helen Mauro, Sue Isza, Joyce Wizezok, and Shirley Robaska.

Some of the girls working for Mr. Richards are Betty Koscielski, Evelyn Scholz, DeeDee Thirion, Delores Sebens, Marian Menzie, Barbara Weatherwax, Mary Pridmore, Vicki Karnezis, and Ruth Papczynski.

All the work that these girls do is helping them to become better receptionists, stenographers, or whatever they may wish to be. The INTERLUDE salutes these girls and wishes them the best of luck for their future in the business world.

SENIOR PROM TO BE GALA EVENT

On May 15th the graduating class of 1954 will hold its Senior Prom. This year's dance will be held at the Indiana Club. The music will be provided by Mickey Isle and his orchestra. All seniors may purchase tickets from their home room president and alumni may purchase theirs from Miss Goppert, in room 317. The price of the tickets will be \$2.50 a couple and as has been the custom in past years, no flowers will be allowed. The dance will start at nine o'clock and last until twelve with the grand march coming at 10:30.

In order to have a successful Prom a great deal of good planning and hard work is necessary and it is this job which has been given to the Prom Committee. The committee includes:

- Publicity ----- Louie Cohen
- Decorations ----- Tom Brandon
- King and Queen } Mike Ledden &
- Contest ----- } Marianne Ullery
- Program ----- } Larry O'Donnell
- Invitations ----- } Sara Davidson
- Grand March ----- } Helen Mauro
- John Dunnuck

The "Senior" Prom is one affair which means expressly what it says. The Prom is one of the high-lights of every senior's year and is something which will be remembered and cherished for years to come. So, make EVERY effort to make this year's Prom a pleasant memory for Every Senior!



CENTRAL'S OFFICE CORPS—Front row, left to right: Marlene Kazmierzak, Sandra Dahlke, Julianne Krueger, Delores Therion, and Helen Mauro. Second row: Jane Jackson, Nancy Dumont, Delores Sebens, Ruth Papczynski, Jeannette Zabik, Mary Ann Thilman, Betty Koscielski, Vicki Karnezis, Marilynn Hedrick, and Evelyn Scholz. Third row: Mary Ellen Pridmore, Peggy Venassi, Louise Wonder, Lillian Henye, Barbara Weatherwax, Marian Menzie, Nancy McMannis, and Sharon Uldin.

Roy Holmes Gets Wabash Scholarship

It was announced recently that Roy Holmes, one of the three valedictorians at Central this year, has received a \$4,000 scholarship to Wabash College. He was one of the three boys from Central who took the original test, which was given April 6 and 7 on the Wabash campus. Roy said that this test consisted of English, Math, History and Physics exams. Altogether, the preliminary testing required two days to complete.

Last Saturday, the 23rd of April, the ten boys with the highest marks on the tests returned to the campus. They were interviewed by college officials and at a banquet held Saturday night the five winners of scholarships were announced. Central is very proud of Roy!

POP Concert Coming May 6

By SARAH SCHMIDT

The Central band, under the direction of Mr. Singleton will give a "Pop Concert" Thursday, May 6 for the benefit of the band uniform fund. This will be the band's first appearance in a concert in four years without the orchestra.

The uniform fund has a goal of \$5,000 set in order that 100 band uniforms may be bought. Uniforms cost \$50 apiece.

Since August the band and orchestra Parents Club and the band members have raised \$3,000. Most of this was raised by donations, by the sale of programs at football games, by a parent-sponsored Summer Band Concert, and by a magazine sale.

The "Pop Concert" will feature

outstanding soloists and a clarinet quartette. Among the soloists are Hamilton, piano; Bill Nicks and Porter Thompson, drums; and Joan Niblick, vocalist.

Bob has won the first division in the state three times with his playing. He also accompanies the Glee Club. A modern number, "Concerta in Jazz" will be Bob's offering.

Bill and Porter will be features in an arrangement of "Johnny Peel" a British folk song. Each will use a full set of traps.

The all-state winning clarinet quartette is composed of Nancy DeWachter, Gretchen Rauch, Robert Antonelli, and Robert Niblick.

Marches, Leidzen's "First Swedish Rhapsody," which was played at the band concert April 10th, and Bach's hymn, "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring," which was transcribed from the organ and voice composition will comprise the rest of the program.

Here are a few more corrections to the Honor Roll. Richard Ugoletz made 20 points, Sharon Soash made 20 points, Robert Siekman got 18 points, and William Roberts got 13 points.

'Little Miss Muffet' Comes to Life

"Little Miss Muffet" presented in six types of plays was given by the Dramatics Class under the direction of James Lewis Casaday, April 20 for the Psi Iota Xi Sorority at Andy Anderson's Garage in Mishawaka.

The six types of plays were satire, in this case on Central High; three melodramas, a horror play, a horse opera, and a take off on "Dagnet"; farce; allegory; sophisticated comedy; and folk play. A musical comedy is being written, as the others were, by members of the class.

The entire program will be presented May 26 and 27 in assembly.

Glee Club to Take Part in Graduation Service

Baccalaureate services this year will include two songs by the Central Glee Club. They are to be "O Come, Holy Spirit" by Bach and "God of Our Fathers" arranged by Joseph Maddy.

Many weeks of practice have been dedicated to this project by our able accompanists Bob Hamilton and Marcia Kilmer the latter of which a member of graduating class this year.

Miss Weber feels that the songs are most appropriate for the occasion and that the graduating class will long remember this experience as one of the high points of their high school career.

Class Leaders Reflect Equality of Opportunity

Most of us probably do not realize that in our three valedictorians, we have a Protestant, a Catholic, and a Jew. Bernie Minkow is Jewish, Marcia Dahlke is Catholic, and Roy Holmes, who will make the speech representing the senior class, is Protestant.

This showing speaks very well for Central. Without being trite, it is a perfect demonstration and sufficient evidence of tolerance. When they entered our school, these student possessed similar basic foundations; from then on, the show was theirs. It was the privilege of every student, to better himself without the hindrance of race, color, or creed discrimination.

These three students have become valedictorians through their own efforts alone, with only the assurance that they had an equal chance.

We are not the only ones to recognize the importance of this; the story of our three valedictorians will appear in the Religious News Service.

Charon Booster President

Jay Charon was elected president of next years Boosters Club as more than a thousand voters exercised their voting privileges Tuesday morning. The three other successful candidates were Chris Makris, vice-president; Dee Dee Tubbs, secretary, and Margie Molnar, treasurer. These officers will appoint next years ten member executive board.

The election campaign was culminated by a special assembly Monday morning in which Louie Cohen, Jerry Moss and Leslie Lobaugh of the student body and Principal P. D.

Pointer and athletic Director Ross K. Stephenson addressed a jam packed throng.

Retiring president Carlyle Kavadas said, "I would like to congratulate the new officers and wish them continued success in their posts next year. I would also like to thank all of the Booster Club members for the fine way in which they helped us conduct this election."

Official vote tabulators were: Marguerite Schmitt, Jr. Board Member, Sue Forrest, Sr. Board Member, John Peterson, Sr. Board Member, and

Carlyle Kavadas, President of the Booster Board.

The Official Tabulation

President	
Jay Charon	632
Don Illes	346
Vice-President	
Chris Makris	722
Carter Kuehl	269
Secretary	
Dee Dee Tubbs	652
Pat Groat	419
Treasurer	
Margie Molnar	634
Pat Slott	204

GOLD MEDALS WON BY BRANDON, DAVIDSON, JOHNS; SIX STUDENTS COP BRONZE MEDALS

Central High came through with flying colors at the finals of the I. U. High School Achievement Tests at Indiana University last Saturday morning. Out of the 1,400 students who qualified for the tests by making high scores in the regionals, nine Central students won medals, for excellence in the various subjects. Nancy Brandon, a freshman, won top honors and a gold medal for algebra; her place is first in the state. Sara Davidson, a senior, won a gold medal for English, and Pudy Johns won a gold medal for algebra.

Bronze medals were won by Bob Antonelli and Tom Gates in algebra; and Steve Piacsek, Hank Gewerz, and Nils Hass in comprehensive mathematics. Dick Dunbar won a bronze medal in Spanish.

Other students who went down to take the tests were Jim Hudak, Latin; John Toth, English; and David Parks, Dick Ugoretz, and Gordon Eslik, Geometry.

All these students qualified for the finals by taking the regionals here at Central on March 27.

Teachers who accompanied the students on the trip were: Mr. Hawkins, Mr. Herring, Miss Frick, and Mr. Wilmore.

Central High is proud of these outstanding medal winners, who have represented our school so well.

Art Students Make Good Showing in Exhibit

An exhibition of the art work of the students of the South Bend public schools began on the 25th of April and will continue through May 9th.

On April 25th demonstrations were given by Central students on the various types of art work. The following students participated: Jeanette Zabik gave a demonstration on stencil work. Barbara Fredlund, Patricia Hurley, Suzanne Savari, Martha Waggoner, Sarah Schmidt, Sara Davidson, Annette Clarquist, Vel Rae Smith, and Helen Hayes demonstrated by drawing from a model.

The art work of the high school students will be displayed in the new Carlotta Banta Memorial Galleries, and the grade school work will be displayed in the old galleries on the second floor of the E. M. Morris School. The galleries are open from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. daily except Monday.

The art teachers from Central High School are Mrs. Gertrude Butcher, Mrs. Toeppel, and Mr. B. M. Trottnow.

'ALUMS' MAKE GOOD

Word has been received that Joan Laskowski, a 1953 grad of Central, who is a freshman at Ball State Teachers College, was elected to serve as corresponding secretary of the Women's Recreation association for the next school year. She was also chosen captain of her sorority volleyball team. At Central Joan was secretary of the G. A. A. and a member of the National Honor Society.

Nia Scopelitis, another grad is among the 515 I. U. freshman selected for the annual Dean's Honor List. All the students on this roll made grades of "B" or higher in their first



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Hard Work Brings Success

The time for the announcement of medal winners rolled around again a few weeks ago. Awards for excellence in almost every course of study imaginable will be awarded at the annual awards assembly.

The most common exclamation uttered by students reading the list of the outstanding seniors, is "It must be nice to be a brain." Few realize the amount of plain old-fashioned hard work which goes into the making of a perfect record. Some sage once said, "Success is ten per cent inspiration and ninety per cent perspiration." Although we of the younger generation aren't all junior grade Einsteins, there is quite a lot of gray matter that is getting dusty because of infrequent use.

Some teen-agers of today have a "what's the use" attitude toward school and study. A look at the shape of the world today shows why this attitude may seem justifiable to some. But looking at the other side of the issue, the need for intelligent, responsible, level-headed citizens, can be clearly seen. It will be our job to patch up this battered and confused world and our chief weapons will be education and understanding. Without these tools we can do nothing and the world will continue moving toward complete oblivion.

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VERIE SAUER SAYS:

Teen Talk 'Tis . . . the scholastic honors recently bestowed upon so many deserving seniors . . . the orchestra concert which is sure to be tops . . . hayrides . . . the state contest winners and track team which certainly boosted the name of our old alma mater this past weekend; congrats to each of you! This school needs more such spirit . . . the flood of dances so rapidly approaching . . . this balmy weather which every so often becomes quite balmy for ducks only . . . the summer clothes which are slowly and often with tedious thoughts being found in that far away corner and appearing around the halls . . . those chemistry classes which are constantly "foofing" or else have become foes of all Centralites.

Dating:

Marilyn Hedrick and Don Priebe (Riley).
Frances Dabrowiak and Allen Meyers.
Kay Vanderbeck and Ronnie Unger.

Flash: Kathy Wilmore and George Rohrbach have actually called it quits. This really surprised your old Auntie!!

Some New Duos:

Nancy Griffith and Dan Hager.
Mary Christman and Brendan Fagan.
Margie Boyer and Terry Plunkett.

Movie Date:

Judy Garlough and Chuck Bowman (Adams).

On the steady list once again: Carol Brockman and Tom Sauders (Mish.).

Seen Together at the Ballet:

Sharon Soash and Tom Prebys.
Marian Menzie and Dan Miller.
Bev Daube and Bob Hamilton.

Dance duo: Roberta Fink and Bernie Minkow!!

Steady Set:

Sue Isza and Don Turk.
Nancy Nates and Mike Moulin.

Date of the week: Merilee Posick and Cupie Barnes (Adams).

Party Dates:

Lois Nering and Ben Lilves (Riley).
Nancy Beard and Don Smith (Adams).
Donna Wanger and Ralph Duggan.
Mary Yarnell and Tony McCarthy.
Kathy Rickleman and Francis Totteron (N. D.)

Couples seen about the halls: Sue Charlesworth and Jim Rieder; Bev Carlson and Pete Peterson.

Still keeping steady company: Linda Lowe (Mish.) and John Dunnuck; Nancy Singleton and Jerry Chachulski.

Going Steady:

George Byers and Jean Lax.
LeRoy Campbell and Bertha Johnson.
Peter Boykins and Janette Nailon.
Melvin Ross and Norma Jean Biler.
Marvin Thomas and Bessie Ashby.
Betty Jo Williams and William Smith.

Wonder who Dan Miller's been thinking about lately? . . . Seems there's some Mishawaka girl on Tom Bartholomew's mind!! . . . Judy Smead, who could Bob be in the eleventh grade??

BARB'S BE-BOPS

Young at Heart—Frank Sinatra

The scream, swoon, sigh guy really pours it on in this disc, and gives the teen-age bobby-soxers, as well as the ole nags a real charge. Frankie tells everyone to be young at heart, and maybe if they did act in that manner, they would be much happier. (Some of us wish the teachers would be a little bit more on the Young at Heart side, so when they would record the grades they could be a bit more reminiscent and think back to the time when they were in school and had to slave on through the textbooks.)

No Tear-Drops Tonight—

Tony Bennett

Spin this record and you'll have the joint jumpin' as sure as we have school. Mister Bennett really sounds terrific, and the arrangement and the orchestration are mad. With this coming up in the national ratings, looks as if Mr. Tony's gonna have another hit like his first great hit, Because of You. (When you go ape over a girl and she gives you the heave-ho, don't let it get ya down, take the advise of Tony, and pretend your free from sorrow, and ten-to-one you'll be out with a new dish tomorrow.)

Here—Tony Martin

Another Tony and another hit. What is this a gag? Back to the record . . . The first time I heard this beautiful thing I went out of my head, (and I haven't come back) and just to listen to Here gives you a strang sensation. (Like being thrown into Lake Michigan in April) Mr. Martin, who can give the disc-jockeys a real cool record to spin, anytime, sounds better than ever, with the musical back-ground sounding like you are in heaven. This is really climbing, and with D. J.'s spinning it like crazy, it's possibilities are tremendous.

Take Me Out to the Ball Game—

Who knows?

How's your team chugging along? Ask me about mine and I'll blast you. Baseball season has finally really gotten under way, and everyday, except Monday, you can turn on your radio at 1:00 or so, and hear this ole time hit. Looking over the previous games, the Dodgers look like they've had it, and the New York Yankees should have stood in bed. Both champs look like chumps. As for favorites I'll take Central, Milwaukee in the National, (although I'm a Cub fan, look out here comes the tomatoes!) the Yanks in the American, and Notre Dame. If you're a White Sox fan you'd better forget it and join me in boosting the Yanks, or maybe you can write a letter to Paul Richards and give him some hints on good baseball . . . Only joking!

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VERIES (Cont'd)

Why won't you marry me, he demanded! There isn't anyone else is there?
Oh, Edgar, she sighed, there must be.

He: May I kiss you?
She: (Silence)
He: May I please kiss you?
She: (More silence)
He: Say, are you deaf?
She: No, are you paralyzed?

Coed: Daddy, the girl who sits next to me has a dress just like mine.
Dad: So you want a new dress?
Coed: Well, it would be cheaper than changing colleges.

Voice on phone: John Smith is sick and can't attend class today. He asked me to notify you.

Prof: All right. Who is this speaking?

Voice: This is my roommate.

Prof: Why are you late this morning?

Student: Class started before I got here.



This week The INTERLUDE takes pleasure in presenting to you Central's one and only senator, that famous politician, Carlyle Kavadas. "Do you have any comments, Mr. Kavadas?" There is an immediate reaction.

"The INTERLUDE recognizes the senator from homeroom 101." Mr. Kavadas begins, "Well, concerning the Booster Club--," and is interrupted with, "Yes, Mr. Kavadas, and what about your dislikes?" "I'd better not mention my dislikes, I don't want The INTERLUDE to have a libel suit on their hands."

Seriously, Bunny, as his friends refer to him, has contributed much to his favorite school, Central High School. He takes an active part in the Student Council and Junior Achievement. As a member of J. A. he was eligible to participate in the Sales Presentation Contest. We would like to congratulate Bunny on winning in the sectionals of South Bend and Mishawaka. We wish him luck when he goes to Milwaukee to represent our district. Bunny devotes much of his time to his interest in sports as president of the Booster Club. We all realize what a wonderful job the club is doing to further minor sports.

That brings us up to his favorite pet peeve which many of us are guilty of. "They are what Bunny refers to as fly-by-night fans or people that are cheering when the team is winning yet desert a losing team." As for his list of favorites, they include history, well done steak and a good game of golf.

Notre Dame plays a part in Carlyle's ambition for the future. At N. D. he hopes to take a course in business and political science. That about brings to a close our interview with Mr. K. but before we rush off we want to wish Bunny luck for a bright future.

VERIES (Cont'd)

Oh I shall never marry,
No, I shall never wed.
I will be self-supporting,
Independent instead.
I will devote my life
To my parents and their home.
Oh! I shall never marry.
Gee! I wish he'd phone!

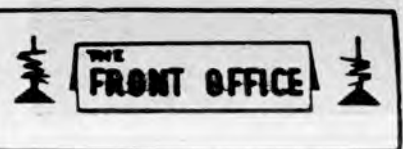
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GRADUATION

The Senior A's are now entering what is probably the most interesting period of their high school careers. They are now preparing for the events leading up to the commencement exercises. To be ready, to have fulfilled all the requirements necessary for graduation, demands much planning and counseling on the part of the school authorities as well as by the individual student.

There are many requirements to be met, the most important of which is the scholastic one. The courses of study come through the rules and regulations of the board of education, state departments, and in some instances by state legislatures. Not only are certain subjects required, but sequences regulating majors and minors enter into each student's plan.

Some may ask why all these rules and regulations? Why should I not be permitted to take what I want? If this were possible, probably no one would be eligible to enter a college or university. An education worthwhile, requires a plan. Freedom is arrived at through discipline. Discipline of the mind is a difficult process. It can come only through hard study, and the establishment of good work habits. Along with all this, we must develop the right attitudes. A lazy individual will never reach this goal. What you will be in later life has probably been determined by what you are now in high school.

P. D. Binta
Principal.

VERIES (Cont'd)

Experience is a fine teacher, it's true,
But here's what makes me burn:
Experience is always teaching me
Things I'd rather not learn!

A kiss is a noun; though often used as a conjunction. It is never declined. It is more common than proper and is used in the plural and agrees with all genders.

Kissing is done beneath the mistle-toe
Done beneath the rose
But the proper place to really kiss
Is just beneath the nose!

The difference between a quiz and a lecture is, at least one person has to staaay awake to hear the question.

Women's faults are many
Men have only two,
Everything they say
And everything they do.

Conference Track Title to Central

Snyder, Breske Hurl As Bears Down St. Joe and LaPorte; 6-5 and 1-0

Larry Snyder retired the first eleven men to face him before St. Joe got to him for two unearned runs in the fourth. Central came right back in the bottom of the frame with two runs on three hits. Later Central tallied two more runs on three hits. Central tallied three more runs on as many hits including a triple by Jim Zielinski. In the first half of the seventh St. Joe scored three runs, enough to tie the score, on no hits and six walks. Cieslik came on for Snyder in the seventh and walk four men before striking out Tepe to retire the side.

With one out in the last of the seventh Tom McClanahan doubled and was brought home with the winning run on O'Donnell's third hit. Ray Cieslik was the winning pitcher. The win was Central's first and puts the season's record at 1 and 2.

LaPorte Falls in Pitchers Duel

The Newbold nine, behind the superb pitching of Walt Breske, won their first conference game in two starts, 1-0 over LaPorte. Central had runners in scoring position in every inning except the seventh. The Bears collected four scattered singles and a triple by Jim Shedd off of Gus Carlson, LaPorte lefty.

The Slicers were only able to get three singles from the stingy Central righthander. Besides the three, only two Slicers reached base, one on a walk and the other on an error. Breske fanned seven Slicers while Carlson struck out six Bears. The lone tally of the game came in the last half of the ninth when after one out, Carlson walked McNarney and Breske. Surowiec then replaced the pitcher on the mound and his first pitch was greeted by Shedd for the single that drove in McNarney with the winning run.

Bears Lose Opener

The John Adams Eagles, behind the one-hit pitching of Tom Goldsberry, defeated Lou Newbold's Central Bears by a score of 9-0 in a conference game. The game was the first of the season for the Bears, who couldn't get started against Goldsberry. The 200-pound hurler has defeated the Bears every time he has pitched against them since his sophomore year, three years ago. Could it be they have an inferiority complex against him or is it a jinx?

The team has been plagued with bad weather all spring, and as a result they don't look like the polished team we hope to see in the near future.

Jim Zielinski, who was relieved by Jim Landen in the seventh, fanned eleven men. Goldsberry faced twenty-two batters, one over the minimum, and struck out eight. Dan O'Donnell, the Bears' first sacker, broke up Goldsberry's no-hitter with a single over the shortstop's head in the fifth. This hit proved to be Central's only safety. Central made eight errors which accounted for five of the nine Eagle runs.

Adams collected a total of only five hits, no batter getting more than one.

In the sixth inning, with Adams leading 3-0, Coach Casimer Swartz's boys loaded up the bases. With the Central left fielder pulled in and the center and left fielders pulled over to the left, Kieth Malcolm, a sophomore who bats right-handed, blasted an extra base hit to the opposite field, and the right fielder had to hustle to hold him to just extra bases. This hit started the landslide.

CONFERENCE TRACK CHAMPS



THE CENTRAL TRACK TEAM— Front row, l. to r.: John Clark, Gene Foster, Bob Love, Larry Blanton, Carl Ott, and Ed Pullman. Second row: Art West, Bob Zarembka, Dan Mathews, Bill Furgeson, Bob Cobb, Ed Nailon, Jack Cote, Archie Simmons. Back row: Dick Meller (mgr.), John Dunnuck, Don Swartz, Jim Dulcet, Osborne Turner (mgr.), Bob Peglow, Jim Rieder, Jim Major, Bill Essig (mgr.), and Coach Jim Early.

Cote Jumps 22' 2 1/4" For New Record

Clark and Relay Team Also Win Blue Ribbons

By **TERRY PLUNKETT**
(Interlude Sports Editor)

Last Saturday over in Elkhart, the Central Bears surprised everybody but themselves when they turned in a superb performance to bring Central the conference track championship. Led by Jack Cote's two first places, in the broad jump and pole vault, Mr. Early's cindermen outscored both Ft. Wayne North and Elkhart, the two favorites, while racking up 55 1/2 points. Elkhart, who won the tough Goshen Relays in which Central placed a strong fourth, edged Ft. Wayne North out for runnerup honors, 33-32 1/2.

Cote leaped 22 feet, 2 1/4 inches in the broad jump to set a new conference record and also established the state's longest mark for a school boy this year. His record was 2 1/4 inches over the old standard which had stood for 12 years. By vaulting 12 feet he chaled up his own personal high for the season.

Clark Wins 220

Central sprinter, John Clark, apparently recovered from the leg injury which had hampered him in the two previous meets, really came through by placing third in the 100-yard dash, first in the 220, and running first man in the winning half-mile relay team. Other members of the team are Bob Love, Jim Dulcet, and Art West.

Art West, Clark's challenging running mate in the sprints, has developed tremendously since the season opened. Art finished ahead of Clark by placing second in the 100, but finished second to Clark in the 220. Art is a junior and will be back for another season.

Second in High Jump

Archie Simmons, sophomore sensation, tied for second in the high jump, and topped that off with a third in the broad jump. Central has two boys, Cote and Simmons, in the broad jump that are usually good for a first and second in most meets.

Other boys placing for Central were: Ed Nailin, sophomore, fourth in the shot put; Dan Mathews, junior, fifth in the first 440 race; Bob Cobb, senior, three-way tie for fourth in the high jump; Carl Ott, junior, third in the half-mile; and mile relay team, third.

The Bears are anxiously awaiting the coming championships of Northern Indiana this weekend in Elkhart, with the best wishes of Central fans behind them.

CULVER EDGES GOLFERS, 8-7

Last Saturday afternoon, the Culver Military Academy eked out a narrow 8-7 golf victory over the Central golf team. It was the Bears first meet of the season.

Coach Bud Emerick's charges got some satisfaction out of the meet, though, when Charlie Thurn, number one man, copped the medalist honors. Charlie fired a 36 going out but slipped to a 40 on the back nine. His total of 76 was good enough for medalist honors.

Scott Robertson and Frank Lott were low for victors with 80's but were far behind Thurn. For Central, Marty Kleva had a 78, and Jim Larson a 79.

BEAR FACTS

This week we were honored to have received a letter from a Central student Murray Fiewell. It proved interesting enough to print. Here it is.

Mr. Cubskin:

Having read your column (Bear Facts?) in which is contained your most unusual if not outrageous predictions of the 1954 baseball season, I feel it is my duty to set you straight, hence my predictions:

American	National
1. Chicago	1. Milwaukee
2. New York	2. Brooklyn
3. Cleveland	3. Philadelphia
4. Boston	4. St. Louis
5. Washington	5. New York
6. Baltimore	6. Cincinnati
7. Detroit	7. Chicago
8. Philadelphia	8. Pittsburg

Remembering that old saying, "stick with the champs" I say, "stick with the Sox."

Sincerely,
MURRAY FIEWELL.

In reply to this suggestive criticism, Cubskin would like to remind fans that both my standings and Mr. Fiewell's are personal opinions. Cubskin would like to take this opportunity to elaborate on some of the more controversial choices, such as: White Sox (picked for fourth)—For the last four years Paul Richards has been saying "this is our year." True, they have advanced steadily, both in the standings and age, but what are they going to do for pitching. Pierce has been unimpressive so far and Trucks (34 years old) is due for a let-down about August.

Detroit (picked for fifth)—Pretty fair pitching in Grombeck, Hoelt, Garver, and Gray should offset the youth in the outfield. They have one of the best infields in the league, bolstered by the great DP combo, Kuehn and Bolling.

Now the National league:

Chicago (picked for fourth)—A new manager and the shipping off of Rou Smalley was all the Cubs needed. Improved infield fielding of third baseman Jackson and the newly added "B" boys at the keystone (Baker and Banks) solves one problem. They also boast a rockie speedster named Talbot who not only covers center field but also helps the slowfooted Kiner and Sauer out too.

TRACKSTERS WHIP PANTHERS

By **BOB JONES**

The Central Bears track team borrowed one of Jackie Gleasons favorite expressions, added a little traveling music, "and away we go" last Thursday afternoon against the Washington Panthers in a dual track and field meet on the Washington track. The Early men overwhelmed the Panthers 79 2/3 to 29 1/2. The Bears took 10 of the 13 events and took the first three positions in three of them. Washington only triumphs came in the mile relay, shot put and the 440-yard run.

It was the second victory for the boys in as many days, thus putting the Bears above the .500 mark for the season.

Jack Cote and Carl Ott were the only double winners. Cote won the high jump with 5'6" and the pole vault jumping 11'5". Ott won the 880-yard run and the mile run, his time being 2:12.1 and 5:00 respectively.

The summary:

100-yd. dash—1 West (C); 2 Austin (W); 3 Major (C). Time: 10.6.
220-yd. dash—1 Clark (C); 2 West (C); 3 Redding (C). Time: 23.9.
120-yd. high hurdles—1 Rieder (C); 2 Fujawa (W); 3 Nailon. Time: 18.1.
180-yd. low hurdles—1 Colman (C); 2 Love (C); 3 Cobb (C). Time: 23.2.
440-yd. dash—1 Austin (W); 2 Mathews (C); 3 Dulcet (C). Time: 53.0.
880-yd. run—1 Ott (C); 2 Boskey (W); 3 Dials (W). Time: 2:12.1.

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The latter two take care of the long-range power.

Philadelphia (picked for fifth)—I may have "boo-boomed" on this one but the status of Robin Roberts was doubtful when the article was written.

St. Louis (picked for sixth)—Without Slaughter, I feel the team is through as a pennant contender. Musial and Schoendienst bolster the team but who can stand next to Gerry Staley on the mound. Apparently Vic Raschi is over the hill or the Yanks wouldn't have sold him.

Cincinnati (picked for last)—The good hitting of Greengrass and Kluzewski cannot offset the poor pitching. Ken Raffensberger (40 years old) is the only dependable.

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TRACK (cont'd)

Mile run—1 Ott (C); 2 Lockhart (W); 3 Pullman (C). Time: 5:00.
 Mile relay—1 Washington (Johnson, Thompson, Boskey, Austin). Time: 3:42.
 880-yd. relay—1 Central (Clark, West, Love, Redding). Time 1:38.7.
 Shot put—1 Siderits (W); 2 Naion (C); 3 Dunnuck (C). Distance 46' 8 1/4".
 Broad jump—1 Simmons (C); 2 Cote (C); 3 Major (C). Distance 20' 6 1/2".
 High jump—1 Cote (C) 2 Simmons (C); 3 tie between Colman (C), Cobb (C), Philips (W). Height: 5' 6".
 Pole vault—1 Colt (C); 2 Foster (C); 3 tie between Wilder (W) and Elmore (W). Height: 11' 6".

Tumblers End Season With Assembly

Last Wednesday and Thursday for the eighteenth and nineteenth times, the Tumblers gave their last performance of the season for the student body. The assembly was an hour of very enjoyable performance. Various students on the high bar, trampoline, mats, parallel bars, and trapezoles held the attention of every one. Most of the stunts were arranged and originated by the Tumblers themselves, with the help of Mr. Elbel, their sponsor.

Those taking active parts in the assembly were: Howard Bricker, Barbara Underly, Dale Swihart, Barbara Shaw, Russell Blair, Bill Nicks, Eddie Kabay, Alice Allsop, Barbara Milhous, Pat Scuzs, Shirley Howell, Deanne Tatum, Mike Nyikos, Tom Bourdon, Bob Freel, Herman Hoekstra, Barbara Carpenter, Stanley Zawacki, George Merrill, Bill Thompson, Dick Bennett, Dave Szymczak, Kip Sleeth, Ginger Turney, and adding a bit of humor to the show were the clowns, John Overholt and Larry Ross.

The Tumblers deserve hearty applause for their work in making this show possible.

AWARDS (cont'd)

4. Boys on the freshman team may receive a four-inch "SB" monogram with a small "C" inserted in the monogram.
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 - D. Be recommended for a jacket by each of his coaches.
 - E. Any boy who becomes ineligible at any time after having earned a major monogram automatically forfeits his rights to earn an honorary jacket.

—Ross Stephenson.

EARLYMEN SWAMP LA PORTE, 65-43; ARCHIE SIMMONS DOUBLE WINNER

By BOB JONES

It was go, go, go, last Wednesday out at School Field when the Central Bears track team collided head on into the LaPorte Slicers in a dual track meet. And the final score 65 2/3 - 43 1/2 indicates the Early boys had to go, go, go, thus evening their dual record at 1 - 1.

LaPorte's all around athlete Bucky Haag captured both the 100-yard dash and the 220-yard dash. He ran the 100-yard dash in 10.3, .3 second slower than Jerry Shaw of LaFontaine who holds the best time for the dash in the state so far this season. Haag ran the 220 in 22.8 seconds. Davis a teammate of Haag was also a double winner; he won the 120-yard high hurdles in the time of 17.1, and took the 180-yard low hurdles in 22.5.

Centrals only double winner was Archie Simmons who took first place jumping 20' 1/4" and 5' 8" in the Broad jump respectively.

The summary:

100-yd. dash—1 Haag (L); 2 West (C); 3 Clark (C). Time: 10.3.
 220-yd. dash—1 Haag (L); 2 West (C); 3 Clark (C). Time: 22:08.
 120-yd. high hurdles—1 Davis (L); 2 Perry (L); 3 Rieder (C). Time: 16.1.
 180-yd. low hurdles—1 Davis (L); 2 Love (C); 3 Grenda (L). Time: 22.5.
 440-yd. run—1 Mathews (C); 2 Dulcet (C); 3 Lawrence (L). Time: 53.6.
 880-yd. run—1 Holm (L); 2 Ott (C); 3 Ferguson (C). Time: 2:08.
 Mile run—1 Luba (L); 2 Harris (L); 3 Ott (C). Time: 4:45.8.
 Mile relay—1 Central (Zarenpka, Peglow, Swartz, Mathews). Time: 3:42.2.
 880 relay—1 Central (Clark, Love, Dulcet, West). Time: 1:35.
 Shot put—1 Naillon (C); 2 Dunnuck (C); 3 Pattus (L). Distance 45' 3".
 Broad jump—1 Simmons (C); 2 Cote (C); 3 Major (C). Distance: 20 1/4'.
 High jump—1 Simmons (C); 2 Cote (C); 3 Major (C). Distance: 5' 8".
 Pole vault—1 Cote (C); 2 Holm (L); 3 Foster. Height: 10' 3".

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