

The PURPLE And GOLD



MEMBERS OF THE 1959-60 Lancaster High School cheerleading squad are, front row, left to right: Susie Kern, Kristi Camp, Patty Robinson, and Kathy Kendrick. Back row, left to right: Christy Cole, Judy Combs, Fyenne Edwards, Susie Stratton and Judy Matz.

Pert Cheerleading Squad Reflects School Spirit

By Barb Lahmer

Recognition should be given to the 10 pert young ladies on the Lancaster High School Cheering Squad.

Dressed in purple and gold, these cheerleaders can be found at every football and basketball event leading cheers for the Golden Gales. Pep sessions before each athletic event are also the responsibility of the LHS cheerleaders.

Promoting school spirit and good sportsmanship are two important goals of the cheerleaders.

Tryouts for LHS cheerleaders take place in the spring. Any girl is eligible to try out the final selection is made by a faculty committee. Chosen are six girls for the Varsity Squad and four for the Reserve Squad.

During the summer months the selected girls practice to get ready for the school season. After school starts practices are held twice a week. Hard work and desire are two essentials needed for a good cheerleader. Having an abundance of both, the LHS Cheering Squad makes an excellent appearance and a fine performance.

Mrs. Turpin is advisor for the cheerleaders, and it is her job to see that the cheerleaders carry out their duties.

WISE WILLIE

By Willy "Golden" Gale

It's me again, your pal Willy. Last Friday I received a letter from a Lancaster High School student which read in part "If you are such a special worm you certainly must not look like an ordinary one. What do you look like?"

After reading the letter, I thought that there must be others that wondered what I was like. So here goes:

I am 5 and 8 inches long. I am a very dark brown. I also have dark eyes and hair, which I wear in a crew cut. For reading I wear glasses with bright orange frames. I like to go dancing, play chess, and listen to the radio.

I DON'T LIKE TO GO FISHING! My favorite subject is English. I don't particularly like biology, especially when they dissect you-know-whats.

That is enough about me for this week. Now to get down to business for the day, grade cards. How did you do the first six weeks? Better than I did, I hope. After I get mine that fateful Tuesday, I know that something had to be done and soon.

The first thing that I did was to change my study habits. No more pop and chips. "Ten Beat" or phone calls. I make sure that my pencils are sharpened and ready to go. I KNOW what my assignment is and I have it done each and every day.

Sounds horrible? It really isn't as bad as it first sounds. Try and see if it doesn't work. Pretty soon you'll be getting A's on every test and quiz, I hope.

Let me know what you are thinking "???" about and I may mention your letters.

See you next week.

W.G.G.

CALENDAR

October 26, Monday — Senior Play Practice

October 30, Friday — Football game at Chillicothe

November 5, Thursday — National Honor Society Assembly

November 6, Friday — Football game at North field - Zanesville — Parents Night

November 10, Tuesday — Open House

November 11, Wednesday — Veterans Day Assembly

November 13, Thursday — Football at Coshocton

November 17, Tuesday — Football Awards Assembly

November 18, Wednesday — Community Concert at 8 p.m. in Auditorium

November 20, Friday — Senior Prom

November 25, Wednesday — Thanksgiving Assembly

November 26, Thursday — Thanksgiving Day

November 28, Saturday — Basketball game in the gym — Portsmouth

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Paper Clips

By Linda Kane and Anne Trousedale

A word of thanks goes to the Booster Club, the faculty, and the students who helped make this year's homecoming festivities a big success.

We wish to extend our gratitude to the parents that drove to the Marietta game.

If anyone has any extra window shades, please notify Nancy Vance before history class. We think she'll need them.

Did you know that a googol is a digit with one hundred zeros after it, and a googolplex is a googol to the googol power? According to Mr. Davis.

Pete Bostic, what was that question Miss Williams asked you in Spanish? Something about your girlfriend?

If you are an anarcho-cynical deviate of the negligent intelligent-sia when it comes to school spirit... shame, shame.

Up is down and down is up, according to the sophomores' philosophy pertaining to the steps in the main hall.

We, as good high school students, know that it is incorrect to capitalize "SENIOR" and junior. So we're not going to capitalize "SENIOR" or junior, if it is all right with the "SENIORS" and juniors.

Several senior girls seem to be going into the recording business. Does anyone know how much it costs to send a record to Downey, California?

Advertisement: Car trouble? ... stalling ... diagonally on Fifth Avenue? ... on Friday nights? Jackie Miller recommends the services of the Lemert and Mason Towing Garage.

Do you like men with bald heads? Many pondered over questions such as this while taking the employment tests last week.

Someone should have told Mary Antony he couldn't have his cake and eat it, too, according to Mr. Beavers.

The Green Orchid goes this week to Penny McClure for keeping her composure after a hiccup-hiccup in history class.

Do, Re, Me, Fa, So, La, Te, Do. Sound familiar? A Capella Choir is getting ready for their Christmas Cantata.

Lost one false eyelash—while wearing false eyelashes last weekend Theda Binkley blinked and lost one.

Congratulations are due Judy Moore for being able to read the difficult words in the Junior Vocabulary Improvement Workbook.

We wish to spread out the welcome mat for Jessie Henderson, Larry White, Kathryn Sx, Sharon Ansara, and Allen Quinn, the students who have transferred from other schools. We hope you like LHS.

Red Flash Is Typical Sign Of Miss Crook

By Cordelia Fisher

A red flash streaks down the hall! What is it? It's not a what; it's a who. It's Marilyn Sue Crook wearing her favorite color red.

Where is "Crooksy" hurrying to? If this flash is seen during the day it could only mean that Marilyn is on her way to English 12, civics, Latin 4, world history, or trigonometry. These are the subjects in which Marilyn maintain a high average.

If one sees this flash about 3.30, it could only mean that Marilyn is hurrying home to eat a piece of pecan pie while she listens to "Teen Beat." Her home is at 512 E. Mulberry St. where she lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crook and her older sister, Nancy. Marilyn also has two brothers Jim and Tom, who are married.

This red flash could also be Marilyn on her way to a club meeting, for she belongs to Latin Club, Big Sisters, G. A. C., National Honor Society, Rainbow Girls and Y-Teens of which she is president. She also belongs to the Grace United Church of Christ.

When, in the rare moments, she has time to think, she is usually dreaming about Ohio State, where she wants to study to become a history teacher. She might also be dreaming about Yul Brynner, Playhouse 90, or about a steak dinner; these are some of Marilyn's favorites.

A very un-favorite with Marilyn is people who give others advice without knowing what they would do in similar circumstances. The one event which Marilyn thinks about most often is when her basketball team won intramural championship during her junior year.

No, the red flash is nothing to worry about; it's just one senior girl keeping active, something that comes natural to Marilyn.



PLANNING STRATEGY for the Golden Gales' next football game are, left to right, backfield coach Earl Jones; head coach Larry Peterson; and line coach Chuck Bishop. The spirit of the team reflects fine management by these and the other three L.H.S. coaches, who represent a second set of fathers to the players while they are at school.

L. H. S. Coaching Staff Are Golden Gale 'Dads'

By Ralph Howes

Coach Peterson's boys reflect the fine management of their coaches with four consecutive victories. These victories should help get more students to back the team in the cheering section, which in turn will give the team the desire to win.

Larry Peterson, our head coach, lives at 514 N. Eastwood Ave. Dan, 17, who plays quarterback for the Gales, lives at 805 Harding Ave. Coach Peterson graduated from Olivet College with a B.A. degree and from Ohio State with an M. A. degree.

Besides being head coach, Mr. Peterson teaches English 9 and civics. Coach Peterson's statement about this year's team is, "It is an experienced group of boys possessing good scholarship and overall citizenship." A few of the team mates were overheard saying that Coach Peterson was fatherly, devoted to his boys and would stick up for them. They said that he also gives you "heck" when you need it.

Earl Jones, our backfield coach, with his wife Barbara and their four children, Dianne, 8, Sharon, 6, Linda, 4 and Tracey, two months old, live at 1280 E. Allen St.

Coach Jones graduated from Miami University in 1953 and came here to Lancaster High School in September of the same year. Although Mr. Jones is backfield coach, he also teaches aviation and general science.

A fellow on the football squad said that Mr. Jones is easy to get along with. When a job is to be done, he is serious and ambitious for the team. Mr. Jones' opinion of the team is just this: "It they would play as a group as they did at the Newark game, they would win more games."

You may hear a wisecrack or something funny to start things going and it may be Jim Posey, one of our line coaches, who is making a bright start as practice begins or before a game. Coach Posey, with his new wife Ann,

Besides being a line coach, Mr. Bishop teaches American and Ohio History. Mr. Bishop said, "The team has the ability if they would use it. They proved that in the Newark game."

J. F. "Fritz" Plinke, our humor-said that Mr. Jones is easy to get along with. When a job is to be done, he is serious and ambitious for the team. Mr. Jones' opinion of the team is just this: "It they would play as a group as they did at the Newark game, they would win more games."

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Golden Gales Lift Spirits In Glee Club

By Bonnie Wright

"What? A football glee club?" questioned Louie Rat.

"Yep, that's right," stated Hermie Mouse.

"But, Hermie, I've never heard of anything like that before."

"Well, my brother Waldo was under Mr. Beal's desk when he was talking to Coach Peterson about the glee club. He said that one night on the way home from an out of town game which the boys had won, they wouldn't sing. It was then Coach Peterson decided to start the football glee club."

"But Louie, are you sure Waldo heard right? I mean, I thought boys couldn't sing."

"Well, you're wrong because Mr. Beal, director of the glee club, replied that the boys could sing well, even though singing wasn't one of the easiest things to do, the boys were enjoying it. What do you think of that?"

"Well, I never heard of such a thing! And the football boys enjoying it too, Louie, I believe your brother, but with football practice every night, when do the boys find time to sing and what kind of songs would football boys want to sing?"

"Hermie, it's like this. I was looking for my brother near Mr. Beal's door and I heard him say the boys' glee club has practice every Wednesday morning from 8 to 8:30 a.m. in the auditorium. He also stated that they were singing "Wandering", a hobo song and "Ain't Gonna Grieve My Lord No More", which is a spiritual.

"Say Louie, do you suppose we could chew our way to the football assembly on November 17, and the football banquet?"

"I don't know but I hope so 'cause that's when the football glee club is going to sing."

"Why don't we just ask Mr. Beal if we could join the glee club?"

"Naw, we couldn't do that. You have to be a football player."

"Oh shucks, but listen, once my Grandfather Nicky ate a football. Do you think that would help?"

"I'm not sure but let's ask one of the fifty-five glee club football members. They could probably use another member in the tenor section."

Jim Prewitt Is Enthusiast Of Nuclear Physics

By Carolyn Solt

Wanted — one senior boy from Lancaster High School, must be very interested in nuclear physics, must have a high average in his school subjects; must have a desire to attend college, and must be helpful and co-operative among people.

Found — one James Finley Prewitt, better known as Jim. A senior (with red hair and who is frequently blushing) at L.H.S. Jim is interested in nuclear physics and does maintain a high average in physics, math, civics, world history, and English 12.

Future Engineers, Key Club, and Honor Society of which he is vice-president are Jim's activities. He is also a member of the Methodist Church. Working in the receiving room of one of our downtown stores after school keeps him busy.

Hamburgers, and not pizza, are very definitely Jim's favorite food. The color of green, the record of "Say, Man", the television show of "Maverick", and reading science fiction books are included in his list of favorites.

Jim resides at 727 E. Fair Ave. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Prewitt, and his brother Bul, a ninth grader at Thomas Ewing Junior High.

His induction into Honor Society is Jim's best remembered event at LHS. When asked about his pet peeve, he just said "Moochers."

until this whole thing blows over." (Large burst of laughter. — Big sigh from each — Long pause)

"You know, Sharron, sometimes I think hark-kari is the best way out. Look at all these titles that got a lot of votes that we really should mention — 'Pool's Hall of Fame', 'Every Little Thing I Do', 'Mac, The Knife', 'Oh Carol', 'Enchanted Sea' —

"Stop, Stop! You're cutting me to pieces."

"I'll hire Mac to do that little task for me, if you don't put that baseball score book away and start using some of that imagination."

Voice of authority from the front of the room: "Girls, you're getting too noisy back there. Oh, by the way, that article that you two have about the ten top tunes, we won't be able to put it in this week and by next week, it will be changed, so you can just forget about it." (Two huge sighs of relief)

Top Tunes Pose Problems For P&G Personnel

By Jackie Miller and Sharry LeFever

"Well, now Sharron, think! How can we possibly write a story and get all the names of these top tunes in it in their correct order?"

"I've got an idea, Jack! Let's trade assignments with the kids who don't have to write an article this week."

"All right, clown, seriousness yourself for one short moment. 'Mr. Blue' is the top tune at L.H.S., and 'You Were Mine' is second. 'Angel in the Rain' got third place, and 'Teen Beat' came in fourth. Got any ideas yet?"

Short pause — "Yeah, Jack, let's call up 'Mr. Blue' and see what he would do."

(Laughter — but only from Sharron.)

"Honestly, Sharron, I'm going to have to take away your 'Peanuts' books. I think they actually affect your mentality!"

"O.K., O.K., I'm thinking. I'm thinking."

"Now there's something novel. Here, I'll read the rest of them. 'Seven Little Girls Sittin' in the Back Seat' it fifth. Sixth is 'Misty', seventh is 'Lonely Street', eighth place is tied with 'Makin' Love' and 'Woo-Hoo'.

Ninth place is tied, too, with 'Just Ask Your Heart' and 'Put Your Head on My Shoulder'. Tenth place is — Oh, No! Oh, groan — Oh, moan! Now I know it's going to be impossible to write a story and connect all these titles. Would you please tell me how anyone can connect 'Mr. Blue' with 'Camp Kookamunga'?"

"Camp Kookamunga? Where's that? Maybe we could hide there

is that the boys have shown a will to win since practice started. The other reserve coach is Richard England, newest member of the coaching staff. He, his wife Connie, and their son Jeff live at 611 Fredrick St. Some of the team say that the reason they like Coach England is because he is like one of them. Dick graduated from Ohio State University in 1954. He then taught a year at Cedar Heights Grade School. After spending three years in the Air Force he taught physical education at Thomas Ewing Junior High. Mr. England also says that all the team needed was a desire to win.

In the past two years, newspaper publishers spent more than \$150,000,000 to modernize their plants and equipment.

30 per cent of the over \$10,000,000 spent for all advertising last year — or \$3,120,000,000 — was invested in daily newspapers.



BRIGHTENING UP the North Field gridiron at the Lancaster High Homecoming game Friday, Oct. 16, were Carolyn Ray, 1959 Homecoming Queen, and the three lovely members of her court. From left to right, these girls are: Betsy Jones, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George F. Jones, 1151 Sycamore Dr., sophomore attendant; Ruth Nutter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baird, 1020 Meda Ave., senior attendant; Queen Carolyn Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ray, 738 Sheridan Dr., and Stephanie Fetters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Fetters, 433 E. Allen St., junior attendant.

CLUB NEWS

By Carolyn Solt

Y-Teens

Y-Teens met last Tuesday evening, October 20, at the American Legion. There was a short business meeting at which the various committee members were appointed for the year. Susie Stratton and Sandy Noecker gave a detailed report of their activities at the Y-Teen conference at Ohio Wesleyan University where the girls spent a week this past summer.

English Club

The English Club had a costume party last Tuesday, October 20. After a business meeting the members dined on apples and had an old fashioned spelling-bee. Helen Cook won the spelling contest. Miss Duncan, advisor, Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Fetters, assistant advisors, were judges of the costumes. Lorraine Sheu won the prize for the prettiest, Helen Cook for the funniest, and Sarah Baker for the most original. Cider and cookies were served as refreshments.

Honor Society

Election of new officers was the main item of business at the Honor Society meeting last Wednesday evening. Geoff Rendall was elected president. Jim Prewitt, vice president. Becky Rainier, secretary; and Sandy Pryor, treasurer. The up-coming initiation of new members was also discussed but no date was set.

Hi-Y

A hay ride was proposed at a short meeting of the Hi-Y last Wednesday, October 21, at the American Legion. All members were also urged to pay club dues as soon as possible.

FHA

Miss Reed, Mrs. Hanson, and Shirley Bigham, county historian, went to Bremen last Monday, October 19, for a meeting of all the county officers of FHA. The purpose of the meeting was to plan a rally at Carroll School to be held on November 2. All the FHA members are invited to attend this rally.

Key Club

The Key Club held their initiation of new members at General Sherman Junior High last Thursday, October 22. The parents of the members were invited and everyone brought a covered dish. The guest speaker of the evening was James Lantz, Speaker of the House, Ohio Legislature.

FTA

The FTA had a Halloween party in the gym last Thursday, October 22. Dunking for apples and telling ghost stories were part of the evening's recreation. For costumes, prizes were given to Donna Walton for being the prettiest, Bev Miller, Tamme Truog, and Jan Rowland were all hobos, and Marty Woodyard was the most original. Cider and donuts were served as refreshments.

percentages declining from that point, depending on losses: "G. B." indicates the number of games a team is behind first place.

INTRAMURALS

League 1

| Team Captain | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|-------|
| Emily Thimmes | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 |
| Sandy Bean | 3 | 1 | .750 | 1 1/2 |
| Karen Balsler | 3 | 1 | .750 | 1 1/2 |
| Judy Combs | 2 | 1 | .666 | 2 |
| June Mason | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 1/2 |
| Mary Birchfield | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 1/2 |
| Sarah Pangiam | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 1/2 |
| Jane Karcher | 1 | 2 | .333 | 3 |
| Carolyn Ray | 1 | 2 | .333 | 3 |
| Betsy Kerr | 0 | 3 | .000 | 3 1/2 |

League 2

| Team Captain | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|-------|
| Sherry Miller | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 |
| Barb Riley | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 |
| Sue Parson | 3 | 1 | .750 | 1 1/2 |
| Becky Yenrick | 3 | 1 | .750 | 1 1/2 |
| Corrine Klinker | 3 | 1 | .750 | 1 1/2 |
| Shirley Bigham | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 1/2 |
| Sally Chatfield | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 1/2 |
| Carolyn Myer | 1 | 3 | .250 | 3 1/2 |
| Becky Glaze | 1 | 3 | .250 | 3 1/2 |
| Liz Miller | 0 | 4 | .000 | 4 1/2 |
| Roberta Jackson | 0 | 4 | .000 | 4 1/2 |

Total advertising lineage for the first six months of 1959 shows a gain of 5.6% over 1958 in the cities measured by Media Records. The largest gains were scored in automotive, financial and classified advertising.