

The PURPLE And GOLD



L.H.S. Office Girl Linda Foor Sets Secretarial Goal

By Susie Woodward

O - Our girl Friday, known to her teachers as Linda, works in the attendance office during first period. Typing, taking lunch count, and distributing attendance slips really keeps this girl hopping.

F - Linda Foor is her full name. She lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Foor, at 221 Sherman Ave. Her brother Larry is a sophomore at L. H. S.

F - FISH, and lots of them too, seem to be the hobby of this family. They have guppies that would number (if you wanted to take the time to count) about 200. Besides the guppies they have three dogs, Mike, Lady, and Wrangles.

I - INTELLIGENT? By all means! Linda has an A average in civics, office practice, economic geography, and Ohio History.

C - This letter stands for the CLUB that she belongs to, Secretarial Club. She also is a member of the Church of Christ in Christian Union.

E - Is she EASY to get along with? The fact that she has only two pet peeves—"People who stretch their grades" and "People who copy"—makes her very easy to get along with.

G - Like everyone else Linda has a GOAL. But unlike many others, she has set out to reach that goal. By taking secretarial courses, including typing and shorthand, she is getting the necessary background that she will need when that moment arrives—her first job in a large business office.

I - Can you IMAGINE a girl not having at least one treasured moment in her school career? Linda has one that stands out among all the rest—the time she won the American Legion Award in the eighth grade.

R - There is only one thing that this can stand for—her bright RED hair.

L - LIVES and does she ever have a list of them! For instance the color blue and the record "He'll Have to Go". For a book put her down for "Your Happiest Years" by Dick Clark. As for movies and movie stars, she'll take the show "Mardi Gras" and Tony Curtis and Debbie Reynolds. Concerning food she had this to say, "Anything that is edible, I like."

Paper Clips

By Barb Lahmer and Bonnie Wright

Lots of luck to Mr. Carlton Sherrick and his V.I.C. boys on their forthcoming banquet this Thursday night.

Who were the six mystery people seen in the halls of L.H.S. before the dance Friday night? And by the way, what were those objects flying through the air?

If anyone heard the plop-plop of a basketball in the gym Saturday and Monday morning, don't worry; it was only the G.A.C. girls practicing for the Cancer Drive basketball game in the gym Wednesday evening.

Carolyn Ray either likes her teacher or she doesn't like apples. Right, Mrs. Mary Brooker?

Writing your name in the snow can be fun, but really when you spread it clear across the church yard, isn't that a little too far, C.S., S.M. and S.F.?

Congratulations to Dianne Hoover for bowling 202 at intramural bowling last Wednesday after school. Keep up the good work, Dianne.

Who's the certain senior boy with the initials T.P. that yawns like a rooster?

Mr. Stanley Pratt: George Swisher, what field of athletics did Lincoln excel in?
George Swisher: Well I guess, splitting rails.

It seems Chris Veidt just can't keep out of trouble. Accidents will happen, Chris.

Tape recorders are the fad this for the juniors. It seems we have a few budding actors in the class of '61.

"Would you believe I have a cold?" This is a familiar saying among the students and faculty at L.H.S. It's the flu bug again!

We hope nobody saw or heard Sally Chatfield fall flat in the middle of the street. She would be so embarrassed!

M.H. finally did it! He parted with his shiny class ring. For clarification see Susie Reese's left hand.

Congratulations to the senior scholarship winners.

Stan Miller, gum is supposed to be kept in your mouth, not on the basketball court.

Students take note: Mr. E. J. Wilson missed school because of illness last week for the first time since 1939. A good example to follow.

Happy Birthday, George. Thanks for the holiday.

Larry Eggert and Jayne Mason have learned a lesson: Don't put your fingers in acid.

Whose idea was it to walk to Geoff Rendall's house at 5:30 in the morning? Couldn't have been K.C., could it?

Senior all-night party seems to be the topic of all the seniors. It won't be long till graduation.

PHIL BOGER, you finally made it. Your name, PHIL BOGER, is now in Paper Clips for the first time, PHIL BOGER.

Hey fellas—the Junior Prom is not too far away, better ask that girl P.D.Q.

If your shoes come apart in the middle of the day don't worry, just take them down to Jess Downhour. You'll fix them, won't you Jess?

Warning to all lunch room students: If you don't care for the smell of fish worms while you're eating, steer clear of P. J. Miller's room.

Cafeteria Staff At L.H.S. Serve Hungry Hordes

By Shirley Kern

To provide well-balanced nutritious lunches for students and the faculty at Lancaster High School, this is the purpose of the cafeteria and the goal of its staff.

The number of students eating daily in the cafeteria is about 170. These hungry pupils consume approximately 400 loaves of bread a month and 68 pounds of turkey for the Thanksgiving Day meal.

Cafeteria lunches are based upon the Type A Pattern, designed to furnish lunches which will supply the kinds and amounts of food children need. Each lunch includes: milk, a serving of protein-rich foods, a serving of vegetables and fruits, bread and butter or fortified margarine. A Vitamin C food is served every day and a Vitamin A food is served twice a week.

Besides the regular meal, students may purchase extra sandwiches, pie, cake, fruit, chili, ice cream, and milk.

Students working in the cafeteria are: Jo Ellen Jackson, Ruth Bankhead, Susan May, David Allen, John Ayers, Benny Bussart, Eugene Huffine, John Kehrner, Tom VanScoy, Gerald Martin, Benny Boyer, Franklin Severing, Charles Kilbarger, Don Dupler and John Swartz.

Cafeteria helpers begin work third period and work through the noon hour. Boys wear white jackets and girls wear white uniforms while working. The school furnishes and launders these outfits.

According to Miss Mildred Miller, cafeteria supervisor, each student worker receives a remembrance at graduation, depending on the number of years he has worked in the cafeteria. Students seeking work in the cafeteria should contact Miss Miller in the cafeteria office.

Mrs. Doris McGee, Mrs. Mabel Goss, and Mrs. Mary Wilson work in the kitchen as cooks. Secretaries, who help Miss Miller, are Mrs. Glenna Hobbs and Mrs. Betty Probasco.



Bev Robinson Travels South Of The Border

By Mary Lynne Fouse

Buenas tardes! quere presentarie a usted la senorita de Robinson.

For the benefit of those of you who don't understand Spanish, she has just been formally introduced to Beverly Robinson, a very interesting and busy senior girl around L.H.S.

This past summer Bev took a ten weeks' tour that carried her across the border at Nogales, Ariz. Most of the time on her trip was spent around Mazatlan, La Paz (in Baja, California), Rancho Bueno Vista, and Posa Grande.

Bev enjoyed Mexico, and she especially enjoyed meeting Don Fortunata, his wife Maria Delores, and their seven children, and Ignacio, his wife Maria Lusa, and their seven children. They presented her with a chicken named Henrietta. Beverly still writes to them and has two other pen pals, Simon Nieva and Jose Ortiz. All their correspondence is carried on in Spanish.

Now Bev is back home again at 153 Marks Ave. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Robinson, and her brother and sisters, Sandy, 14, Kathy, 11, and Mike, 9, but she brought her memories with her.

Besides Spanish XII, Beverly's senior subjects consist of Latin II, civics, World History, and English. In these she maintains an "A" average.

Her evenings are occupied with attending meetings of the Latin Club, and Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. It might be added that she has attained her highest rank in Horizon Club (high school division of Camp Fire Girls), that of Social Leadership, plus four other Torch Bearer's Ranks.

In addition to attending all her own club meetings, Beverly is the leader of her own group of Camp Fire Girls. Every Tuesday you can find the five fifth-grade girls who are members of the Ca-Ka-Yo Camp Fire Group at her home after school.

In her spare time Bev enjoys playing the piano, keeping scrapbooks of all the interesting things she's done, or pursuing her hobby of photography.

She says that the thing that annoys her the most is talking to pessimistic people. The event that she remembers as being the most fun in high school was the time she played an Indian basket-seller in the Spanish Club play.

Because she loves to travel, Bev is looking forward to this spring when her Horizon Club is planning a trip to Washington.

After college Beverly wants to be a Spanish teacher or go into special education. She would like someday to go to South America and become a teaching missionary. She would also like to study for a time in Mexico and work toward a master's degree in Spanish.

Following graduation in the spring she plans to go to the Lancaster Branch of Ohio University on a cadet program, teach for one year, and then go to Athens for two more years.

Reforestation of cut over timber land in the American Northwest is now being accomplished by helicopter. To provide an even distribution of seed, the copier flies over an area twice, the second time at right angles to the first.

Senior All-Night Party Plans Are Being Discussed

By Becky Rainier & Carolyn Solt

Graduation is drawing near and among the many plans being made are those for the senior all-night party which will be held June 9, after the Alumni Banquet and Dance.

This party will be made possible through the efforts of Parent's League and the seniors' various projects to earn money.

After much campaigning, a vote was taken among the seniors which decided, by a small majority, that the party will be open to seniors and their dates.

There have been many suggestions as to the type of entertainment for the party. Several have expressed the desire to have a "good" movie and a dance.

Another idea which seems popular among the students is renting a bowling alley for part of the night. Cooking out for an early morning breakfast might be fun. It has also been suggested that they have a luau (Hawaiian party), and then go swimming.

Everyone agrees, however, that there should be "lots and lots of food."



PUPILS STUDYING tractor maintenance at L.H.S. Vo-Ag classes are, left to right: Lyndon "Pug" Johnson, Curtis Hunt, Carl Ruble, Daryl Fouch, Mr. Don Waliser, John Schwartz, Joe Hyme, Kenneth Deary, Martin Harvey, Carl Wilmot, Jim Hobbs and Bob Sims.

Vo.-Ag. Boys Study Tractor Maintenance

By Becky Lutz and Martin Harvey

The Junior - Senior Vo. - Ag. Class has been working on tractor maintenance since the first of January. Four tractors in the farm shop have provided practical experience for the students, who discussed such topics as good tractor maintenance, the basic design and function of the tractor, which included learning all the parts of the motor and what they do, the ignition system, the carburetor and fuel system, valves, the cooling system, the transmission and final drive and tractor safety.

Many basic skills of tractor maintenance were learned, including checking and recapping spark plugs, replacing pistons and piston sleeves and many others.

Mr. Marion Ruble, owner of the Lancaster Implement Co., provided a dynamometer for shop use. Tractor horsepower and fuel consumption of each tractor were checked on this machine and necessary adjustments to increase horsepower and decrease fuel consumption were made.

Considerable time was spent in the classroom discussing each job. The job was demonstrated on a tractor in the farm shop. The boys were then allowed to work on the tractor to gain the necessary skill to do the job.

Tractors used were furnished by Carl Wilmot, Carl Ruble, Martin Harvey, and Lyndon "Pug" Johnson. Joe Hyme and Tom Drier will bring tractors in at a later date. Carl Ruble and Carl Wilmot have painted their tractors, making them look like new. The air compressor, a recent addition to the farm shop, was used for these jobs. The compressor was added to the farm shop through the efforts of Mr. Carlton Sherrick and the machine shop boys, who acquired parts and assembled this compressor.

Mr. Larry Finkenbine and Mr. Gene Bricker, student teachers in the Ag. Department from Ohio State, and Mr. Don Waliser, the agriculture teacher at L. H. S., have been teaching the classes on tractor maintenance. Carl Ruble and Tom Drier have been the shop foremen.

She proceeds in the same manner as she would read tomorrow's weather report.

When asked if she has any other famous relatives, Sharon's eyes danced teasingly. "Oh, a few. Michael Ansara is my cousin, too. You know, he starred in "The Robe", and now he plays in some T. V. shows - "Broken Arrow" and "Law of the Plainsmen."

Fred Vincent was my cousin also. He was Secretary of the Treasury and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. He administered the oath of office to President Eisenhower." Toying with the color on her black sweater, Sharon quietly giggled, "Oh, and I have a dog, Mr. Mike. A picture of his great-grandfather is in the Encyclopedia Britannica."

When asked what her favorite food is, Sharon slowly picked up a pencil and wrote on a slip of paper - yab - yab and luben. For those readers who do not have a Syrian grandmother, Yab-yab and luben is a dish of lamb rice and vegetables snuggled together, wrapped in grape leaves and smothered in sour cream.

Sharon's other favorites are revealed by the fact that nothing would make her happier than to DANCE to "HANDYMAN" with a CERTAIN FELLOW wearing a RED shirt.

Her subjects this year are English, civics, fine arts, chemistry and clothing.



Royalty, Fame Prominent In Ansara Family

By Jackie Miller

"I was shocked! I didn't even know I was nominated so I didn't believe them", glistened Sharon Ansara, describing how she felt when she was told that she was to be queen of the Sweetheart Dance, held Feb. 12 in the L.H.S. gym.

Sharon first came to L.H.S. Oct. 6, 1959, from Richmondale, Ohio. She has lived in six different towns throughout Michigan and Ohio. She was a majorette at Richmondale High. Last summer she attended special classes at Ohio University to learn how to twirl. Sharon sparkles as she talks about her two weeks at O. U. and all the fun she had there.

Sharon's hair, eyes, and skin reveal her Syrian, Indian ancestry. Explaining about her family, Sharon lured, "My grandmother is from Syria and my mother is an Indian. There is some Irish in our family too. I guess that's why some of my brothers and sisters have light hair. I have two of each, you know - brothers and sisters. I mean," she quietly teased.

She sat on a classroom chair kicking her feet back and forth as she continued about her family. "Oh, Danny Thomas and Paul Anka are distant cousins of mine".

Club News

By Cordelia Fisher

Science Club

Four films were shown to the members of the science club at their meeting in the L. H. S. cafeteria Monday, Feb. 15. Films were "Molecular Theory of Matter", "Carbon and its compounds", "Halogens", and "The Properties of Water". Members also discussed the field trips which they are planning in the future and the forthcoming science fair. They decided that members participating in the fair should display their projects at the next meeting.

Key Club

Mr. Newton Beal, a cappella choir director at L. H. S., spoke at the Key Club meeting Feb. 17. Mr. Beal showed the films of his recent trip to Africa and discussed the pygmies, with whom he lived for a while when he was in Africa.

INTRAMURALS

By Sharry LeFever

A sophomore shuffle in League 1, and a junior toss-up in League 2, are the results from the midpoint of girls' basketball season. The teams will play a total of ten games.

Many girls are asking that the intramural standings be explained again. Here is a recap:

Referring to this week's League 1 standings, take Christie Cole as an example! Christie's team has won five games and lost none, is playing a perfect 1,000 percentage, and is no games behind first place, as she is leading the second place team by 1 1/2 games.

Bowling Notes

Dianne Hoover is the big name in intramural bowling this week. The 16-year-old junior landed a striking game score of 202! Outside teams take heed - Dianne has a 140 average.

We were kindly informed by Judy Russell that her bowling team has not suffered two losses, as stated in last week's standings. Russell's team boasts an 8 and 1 record, and is currently leading the senior circuit. Sorry - our mistake!

Gales' Sports Eye

By Buddy Howes

You have heard about the Golden Gales as a team and read personal interviews of the players; now let's take a look at some basketball statistics from last Friday night's game.

Meanings for the abbreviations are as follows: FGA, field goals attempted; FG, field goals made; FTA, free throws attempted; FT, free throws made; RE, rebounds; PF, personal fouls; TP, total points; Assists: TO, turnovers.

Here are the statistics as they were seen in the score book in Coach Fritz Plinke's office.

	FGA	FG	FTA	FT	RE	PF	TP	Assists	TO
Dennison	4	2	11	8	10	2	1	0	8
McIntire	6	1	0	0	3	1	2	1	0
Cox	12	8	13	9	10	5	25	0	8
Short	5	2	2	1	7	1	5	1	8
McClurg	5	1	6	4	7	1	6	5	0
Bowers	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	5
Kitchen	8	0	2	1	2	1	2	1	3
Neeley	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	1	10
Rendall	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Dykes	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Thomas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	43	15	37	25	37	12	55	9	

Menus At Public Schools

Menus of meals to be served students in the cafeterias of the Lancaster City Public Schools, Feb. 24 through March 1.

WEDNESDAY - Pork pattie - tomato sauce; sweet potatoes and apples; buttered peas; bread and butter; milk; plum cobbler.

THURSDAY - Chicken loaf; mashed potatoes; gravy; tossed salad; bread and butter; milk.

FRIDAY - Ham salad or cheese sandwich; vegetable soup; crackers; peach half; extra bread and butter; milk; iced chocolate cake.

MONDAY - Chili soup; crackers; bread and jelly sandwich; molded red jello; extra bread and butter; milk; Danish apple pudding.

TUESDAY - Baked chicken; mashed potatoes; gravy; spinach slaw; bread and butter; milk.

Four basic objectives of the school lunch program, as listed by ten school administrators in the Massachusetts SCHOOL LUNCH NEWSLETTER are as follows:

1. The school lunchroom should not function as a segment divorced from the classroom, but should provide motivation for classroom units on health and nutrition.
2. The school lunch program can be a students' learning laboratory for acquiring new health habits, improving social practices, and learning to eat certain nutritious foods formerly rejected.
3. By providing essential food nutrients, the school lunch can increase the student's growth, well-being, and learning potential. It can also reduce behavior and disciplinary problems.
4. The school lunch program is of great economic value to parents, to the community and to the nation as a whole.

The crucible process is the oldest of the four leading methods for the manufacture of steel. Benjamin Huntsman is credited with discovering it.

First Aid Applied By Six Senior Girls

By Becky Lutz

"To help those who are in need of first aid." This is the main purpose and duty of the girls who work in the first aid room. These girls take care of the students at Lancaster High School who have minor aches and pains or those who just need a minor repair, such as a bandage.

Workers were chosen the first of the year, preferably from the Future Nurses Club, on the basis of their academic grades, appearance and attendance in school. They were instructed at the beginning of the year by the school nurse and also given a first aid

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handbook to read and use for reference.

The school nurse comes to the first aid room on Mondays to test eyes, work on records and help get new supplies ready for use.

The girls all agree that the most common malady that bothers students is a headache, but there are many other common problems. When the girls are not busy in the first aid, they help either in the attendance office or the principal's office.

The six girls who work in the first aid room are Sharon Dittoe, first period; Judy Westenhouse, second period; Linda Lerch, third period; Brenda Robertson, fourth period; Susie Stratton, fifth period; and Becky Davis, sixth period.

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