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this book.

# *The Tomahawk*

1959

## **SCHOOL DAYS**



School days — school days  
Dear old Golden Rule days  
Reading and 'Riting and 'Rithmetic  
Taught to the tune of a hickory stick  
You were my Queen in Calico  
I was your barefoot, bashful beau  
You wrote on my slate, I love you so  
When we were a couple of kids.



*Culver High School*

*Culver, Indiana*

## DEDICATION

**"School days, School days, Dear old golden rule days —"**

Sometimes it seems as though our school days are not always golden, but how we love to look back on all our happinesses and tragedies! Through these experiences we become young adults ready to face the issues of the day, and of the future.

**TOMAHAWK STAFF.** Seated left to right: Susan Medbourn; Sandra Furnas; Beatrice Price; Theresa Cihak; Betty Kose. Standing left to right: Joyce Morrison; Kerry Spahr; Emily Allen; Joan Barshes; Jack Kinney; Tom Sutch; Lamoin Banks; Leslie Woolfre; Mr. Graham; Stanley Curtis.



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**TOMAHAWK EDITORS.** Left to right: Mr. Graham, Sponsor; Stanley Cortis, Associate Editor; Theresa Cihak, Editor-in-chief.



Mr. Raymond J. Ives, Jr., our high school principal, is seen looking over one of the many important papers concerning school business with Mr. Eugene G. Benedict, Union Township Trustee.



Mrs. Ruth Warner, who is our Office Secretary, has been a great help in straightening out receipt books, balances, and our book-store accounts; as well as doing innumerable odd jobs for Mr. Ives.

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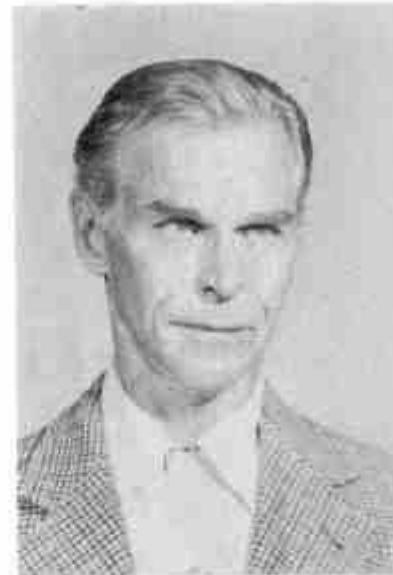


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Boys 4-H Club, Agriculture  
Club, Science and Math  
Club.





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M.A., Librarian, Sponsor: Student Librarians.



The group of ladies who serve the starving students of C.H.S. are: Mrs. Anne Waite, manager; Mrs. Marie Cowan; Mrs. Zetta Shaw; Mrs. Katie Saft; Mrs. Laverne Golger.



What would C.H.S. do without our janitors Red Kowatch and Leon Bennett?

# Class Pictures-

"When we were a couple of kids —"

Each year as we look at our class pictures and see how we have changed, we should also notice that we have also become a little wiser.



A. LAMOINE BANKS - College Prep. 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Hi-Y 2, 3, 4. Projectors Club 2, 3, 4. Ushers Club 1, 2, 3. Press Club 2, 3, 4. Tomahawk Staff 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Sr. Band Officer 4. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 1, 4.

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JEANETTE ELAINE BERGER - College Prep. Class Vice Pres. 1. Treas. 3, 4. Press Club 4. National Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4. Vice Pres. 4. B-Team Cheerleader 2. Hoosier Girls State 3. Class Play 3. Band 1, 2. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 4.

THERESA ANN CIHAK - General. Class Secy. 1. 4-H Club 1, 2. Secy-Treas. 1. Pres. 2. National Honor Society 4. Student Librarian 4. Tomahawk Staff 4. S.S.S. 2, 3, 4. Treas. 3. Pres. 4. Choir 1, 2. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Class Play 3. Variety Show 2.

NED D. CRUM - Industrial. Projectors Club 1, 2, 3. Monitor 1.

LARRY J. DICKSON - Industrial. Ushers Club 1. Projectors Club 2, 3, 4. Monitor 2.

MICHAEL D. FITTERLING - Industrial. Hi-Y 4. Projectors Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Vice Pres. 3. Pres. 4. Monitor 1, 2. Monitor Committee 1, 2. Assistant Judge Student Court 2. Choir 2. Choraleers 1, 2, 3, 4. Messiah 2. B-Team Basketball 1, 2. Class Play 3. Variety Show 2.

SANDRA GAIL FURNAS - College Prep. Class Secy. 2, 3, 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Twirler 1, 2, 3, 4. Band Council Pres. 4. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Choraleers 1, 2, 3, 4. B-Team Cheerleader 2. Varsity Cheerleader 4. Hoosier Girls State 3. Class Play 3. Variety Show 1. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 4. Student Council Secy. 3. Vice Pres. 4. S.S.S. 2, 3, 4. National Honor Soc. 2, 3, 4. Secy-Treas. 3, 4. Editor Schoolbell 4. Tomahawk Staff 3, 4. Press Club 2, 3, 4.



GABY R. HICKS - College Prep. Choir 4. Nativity 4. Fairmount H.S. 1. Swayzee H.S. 2, 3.



JACKIE LOWELL KINNEY - College Prep. Press Club 2, 3, 4. Tomahawk Staff 3, 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Band 3, 4. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Choraleers 1, 2, 3, 4. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 1, 4. Class Play 3. Variety Show 2.



DANIEL ROBERT LITTLE - College Prep. Class Vice Pres. 3. National Honor Society 2, 3, 4. Pres. 4. Projectors Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Monitor 2. Varsity Basketball 3, 4. B-Team 1, 2. Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4. Hoosier Boys State 3. Class Play 3.



SALLY MARCILE LOWRY - College Prep. S.S.S. 2, 3, 4. National Honor Society 3, 4. Press Club 4. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Jr. Band Officer 3. Sr. Band Officer 4. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Trial By Jury 1. Nativity 1, 4. Class Play 3. Variety Show 2.



DONALD L. LUTZ - General. Hi-Y 2, 3, 4. Monitor 2. Band 1. Choir 1, 2, 3. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 1. Class Play 3.

WENDELL A. McAFEE - Agriculture. Ushers Club 3. Agriculture Club 4. Monitor 2.

ROBERT W. McCOIGE - College Prep. Class Vice Pres. 1. Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4. Pres. 4. Monitor 1, 2. Hoosier Boys State 3. Variety Show 2. Varsity Basketball 3, 4. B-Team 1, 2. Baseball 1, 2, 3. Track 1, 2, 3, 4.

DONAVON WAYNE OSBORN - Industrial. Ushers Club 2, 3, 4.

GUY HOWER OTT - General. Hi-Y 2, 3, 4. Monitor 1, 2. Class Play 3. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Band 2, 3. Dance Band 2, 3. Choir 1, 2, 3, 4. Trial By Jury 1. Messiah 2. Nativity 4.





## The Seniors



CLYDE N. POPPE — College Prep. Ushers Club 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Choir 3, 4; Nativity 4; B-Team Basketball 3; Baseball 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Washington-Clay H.S. 1, 2.

BUDDY L. SEESE — College Prep. Band 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3; Trial By Jury 1; Messiah 2.



HAROLD J. SCHMIDT — General Monitor 1; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 4; B-Team Mgr. 2; Track Mgr. 3; Varsity Basketball Mgr. 3, 4; Class Play 3.

THOMAS E. SUTCH — College Prep. Class Treas. 1; Vice Pres. 2; Hi-Y 2, 3; Sec. 3; Student Council 2; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Science & Math. Club 3, 4; Pres. 4; Tomahawk Staff 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Pep Band 2; Dance Band 2, 3; Choraleers 2, 3; Jr. Band Officer 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3.



NORMAN W. THOMAS — College Prep. Class Vice Pres. 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Ag. Club 4; Secy-Treas. 4; Choir 2, 3; Messiah 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; B-Team 1, 2; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Class Play 3; Variety Show 2.

ALVIN LABBY TRIPLET — General Monitor 2; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Sergeant at arms 4; Choir 2; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Mgr. 4; Varsity Team Basketball Mgr. 4; Class Play 3; Variety Show 2.



SANDRA KAY WALLEN — College Prep. 4-H Club 1, 2; Projectors Club 3; S.S.S. 2, 3, 4; Ushers Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; F.T.A. 3, 2; Monitor 1, 2; Class Play 3.

MARION PAUL WARNER — Agriculture. Ag. Club 4.



CHARLES THOMAS WESSON — College Prep. 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rec. Leader 1, 3; Sec.-Treas. 2; Reporter 4; Projectors Club 2, 3, 4; Ushers Club 2, 3, 4; Press Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Messiah 2; Nativity 4.

LABBY L. ZECHIEL — Industrial. 4-H Club 1, 2; Ag. Club 4; Vice Pres. 4; Band 1, 2, 3; B-Team Basketball 1, 2, 3.



## History of the Class of 1959

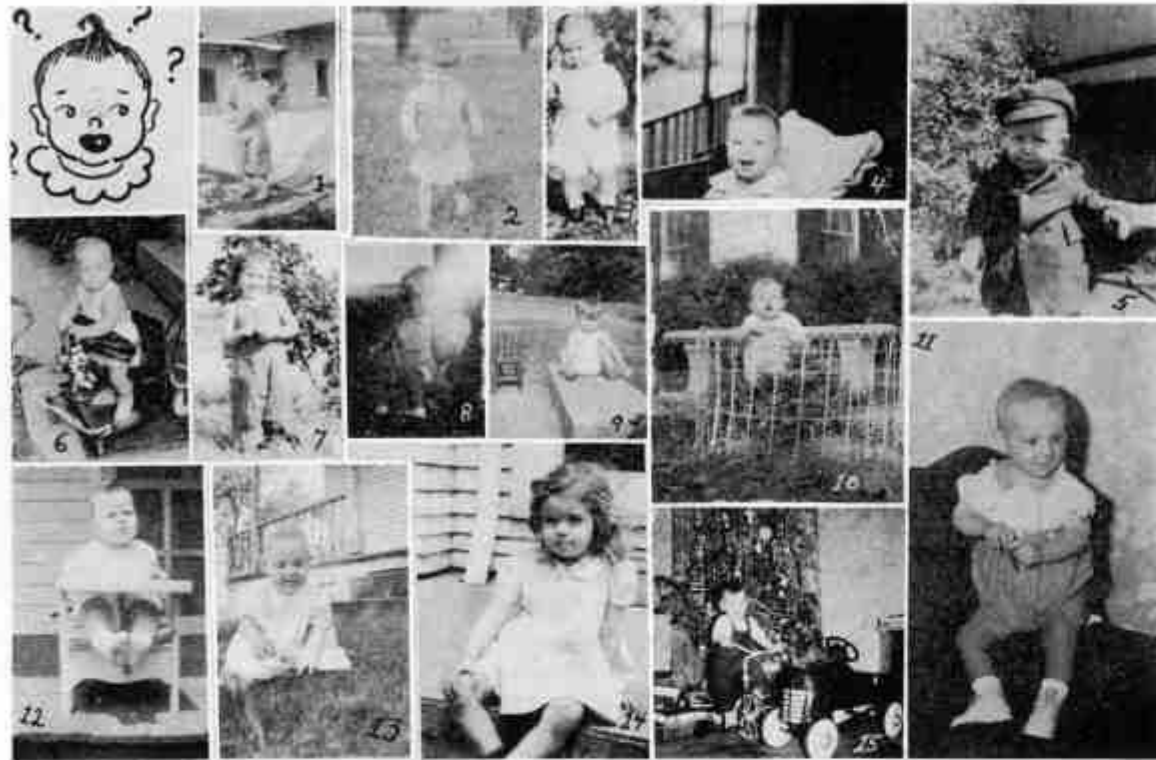
There were 31 students in our Freshman Class when we started our high school education in September of 1955. We later gained Barbara Russell. Our class sponsors were Miss Fletchall and Mr. Annis. The class officers were Bob Kennedy, president; Jeanette Berger, vice president; Theresa Cihak, secretary; Tom Sutch, treasurer; Jeanette Berger and Bob Kennedy, Student Council; and Mike Fitterling, Monitor Committee. Fudge sales were our money-making projects.

At the beginning of our Sophomore year we gained Dale Bennett and Wendell McAfee and later lost Mary Jean Funk. Our class officers were Bob Kennedy, president; Tom Sutch, vice president; Sandra Furnas, secretary; Jean Curry, treasurer; Carol Lucas and Tom Sutch, Student Council; Mike Fitterling, Student Court; and Mike Fitterling, Monitor Committee. We were very busy Sophomores because we raked leaves, picked up corn, sold colored hanger covers, had fudge sales and a bake sale as our money-making projects. At the end of the year we lost Greta Hughes, Jean Curry and Barbara Russell.

Our Junior year began with a new student, Clyde Poppe. Shirley Sherwood moved the first semester and Carol Lucas left us the second semester. We then had the five girls that we have now. The Junior Class officers were Bob Kennedy, president; Dan Little, vice president; Sandra Furnas, secretary; Jeanette Berger, treasurer; Sandra Furnas and Bob Kennedy, Student Council. The coming of our class rings caused much excitement. One of our money-making projects was our class play, "The Perfect Idiot," and we had fun working hard to make it the success it was. Our Junior Ham Supper also required a lot of planning and work but it was well worth it. May 16 was

the date of our Junior-Senior Prom. The gym was turned into an oriental dreamland, decorated in red and white crepe paper with beautiful paper lanterns and centered around the theme "Sayonara." It was our way of saying good-bye to the Seniors being graduated and will be remembered by all who attended.

The Senior class of 1959 numbered 28 since we lost Don Reed. Later we lost Dale Bennett but gained Gary Hicks. The Senior Class officers were Bob Kennedy, president; Norman Thomas vice president; Sandra Furnas, secretary; Jeanette Berger, treasurer; Sandra Furnas and Bob Kennedy, Student Council. We got our magazine subscription campaign started right after we got settled in school. We did very well considering the size of the class. Tom Wesson was high salesman. The concessions we sold in the new recreation room also helped the funds for our trip in the spring. Our Senior pictures were taken by the Tom Ross Studios in October. On October 28 we were guests of The State Exchange Bank on a trip to Chicago where we visited The Federal Reserve Bank, The Continental National Bank, and The Chicago Board of Trade. We were fitted for our caps and gowns in January. We chose royal blue and silver as our class colors, the yellow rose as our class flower, and as our motto we chose "The golden age is before us, not behind us." Our Senior Class trip began April 30 as we happily mounted the train at LaPaz for New York, Washington, D.C., and Williamsburg. On the morning of May 6 we returned to Culver, very tired but happy. On May 15 we were guests at the Junior-Senior Prom. Baccalaureate Service was held on Sunday, May 17 as the end of the journey was coming to a close. Finally, May 22 we received our diplomas and a whole new world was open to us.



These are the Seniors as babies. How many can you identify?

1. Sandra Furnas, 2. Dan Little, 3. Alvin Triplet, 4. Guy Ott, 5. Tom Sutch, 6. Jack Kinney, 7. Theresa Cahak, 8. Ned Crum, 9. Larry Dickson, 10. Bob McCoige, 11. Bob Kennedy, 12. Sandra Wallen, 13. Sally Lowry, 14. Jeanette Berger, 15. Clyde Poppe.



SENIORS: (Left to right) Sandra Furnas, Secretary; Jeanette Berger, Treasurer; Norm Thomas, Vice-President; Bob Kennedy, President; Mr. Graham, class sponsor; Mr. Hand, class sponsor.

Most of the big events in the Senior year are continuous throughout the year. They have charge of the concessions during the ball games, the recreation room in the gym, profits from the pop machine, and the big magazine drive at the beginning of the year.



STUDENT COUNCIL: Members of the Student Council this year are, first row, Sherrill Edgington, Kerry Spahr, Sandra Furnas, Shari Yocom, and Julia Furnas, Back row, Deznis Shock, Larry Holston, Bob Kennedy, John Benedict, Gary Dillon, and Mr. M. R. Robinson, sponsor.



JUNIORS: (Left to right) Miss Shanks, class sponsor; Joan Bardshe, Secretary; Emily Allen, Treasurer; Bud Watson, Vice-President; Gene Benedict, President; Mr. O'Kelley, class sponsor.

The Juniors are kept busy through the year with their projects; the Junior Ham Supper, the Junior class play (Father was a Housewife), dances after the ballgames, the Record Hop, and last but not least, the high-lighted Junior-Senior Prom.



### Junior Characteristics

EMILY ALLEN \_\_\_\_\_ Does she like boys? Well, maybe just a "Little"!!

JOAN BARSHE \_\_\_\_\_ Personality plus!

GENE BENEDICT \_\_\_\_\_ Tall, dark, and ... handy.

DAVID BOOKER \_\_\_\_\_ Bremen, here I come!

TERRY CAVENDER \_\_\_\_\_ Crash 1, III

RICHARD CALHOUN \_\_\_\_\_ "Lefty" the second!

STANLEY CURTIS \_\_\_\_\_ Jack of all trades.

JANE DITMIRE \_\_\_\_\_ Jean??!

JEAN DITMIRE \_\_\_\_\_ Jane??!

ART ESKRIDGE \_\_\_\_\_ In a Rot-land!

NANCY FLOSENZIER \_\_\_\_\_ Bronco Buster.

DENNY GEIGER \_\_\_\_\_ Our record breaker.

### Junior Characteristics

DON HAND \_\_\_\_\_ "Susie, Darlin'."

CHARLIE HARDEN \_\_\_\_\_ Tiger ... grrr!

FRANK HERR \_\_\_\_\_ This Herr's a Him, too!

LARRY HOLSTON \_\_\_\_\_ "Yes, sir!"

CHUCK KEIL \_\_\_\_\_ Date Bait.

DON KIBORT \_\_\_\_\_ Every class has a redhead! (We have two!)

PAUL KLINE \_\_\_\_\_ Electricity costs less today you know.

BETTY KOSE \_\_\_\_\_ Sayonara

MARGARET KRULL \_\_\_\_\_ "Well, if you ask me ..."

VIRGINIA LEE \_\_\_\_\_ Plymouth Bound.

JUDY LOWBY \_\_\_\_\_ Always on time!

SUE MEDBOURN \_\_\_\_\_ Sweet Sister ... ?





### Junior Characteristics

EDNA MENSER \_\_\_\_\_ Just one request ...!

MARY MEVIS \_\_\_\_\_ Never without a quick smile!

BOB MIKESELL \_\_\_\_\_ There have been some changes made.

JOYCE MORRISON \_\_\_\_\_ Of mice and men.

BOB NEIDLINGER \_\_\_\_\_ "Now you take an ..."

LARRY NORMAN \_\_\_\_\_ One man clearing section.

JERRY PARKER \_\_\_\_\_ "Smokes"

ROGER PETERS \_\_\_\_\_ Small but Mighty.

SAM PROSSER \_\_\_\_\_ Hop-a-long.

BEA PRICE \_\_\_\_\_ "Priceless" to her friends

SANDY SMITH \_\_\_\_\_ Far away places ...!

KERRY SPAHR \_\_\_\_\_ Diamonds are a girl's best friend.

### Junior Characteristics

JOHN TAYLOR \_\_\_\_\_ Our JET enthusiast!

PAT VAN SCHOLAK \_\_\_\_\_ Quiet, but ...!

DAVE WASHBURN \_\_\_\_\_ All American Boy.

WILLIAM WATSON \_\_\_\_\_ Wild Willy!

SANDRA WHITE \_\_\_\_\_ Silence is golden.

LESLIE WOOLFRE \_\_\_\_\_ The "Woolf" (?) of the Junior class!

DON WYNN \_\_\_\_\_ "Huh? Oh!"





SOPHOMORES: (Left to right) Gary Dillon, President; Barbara Kauffman, Treasurer; Lance Overmyer, Vice President; Catherine Overmyer, Secretary; Mr. Lucas, class sponsor; Mrs. Strait, class sponsor.

The Sophomores have a little heavier load. Their main projects are the fudge sales, raking leaves, washing windows, and the Sophomore movies.



FRESHMEN: (Left to right) Miss Lindvall, class sponsor; Tom Boswell, President; Michael Overmyer, Vice President; Mr. Robinson, class sponsor; Linda Kose, Secretary; Sandra Fisher, Treasurer.

The Freshmen now begin their climb toward their Senior trip. This year of 1958-1959 their big events are the fudge sales. This gives them the experience they need for their busy Sophomore year.



This is a familiar view to all Culyer High School students, as they take time out from their studies to eat dinner. The cafeteria staff feeds three hundred and seventy five students daily during a span of about sixty five minutes.



The fans storming Washburn after making two free throws in the sudden death quarter against Argos.



The hard working cheering section.



### The Sophomores

Sharon Baker  
Linda Banks  
Randy Banks

Lila Bean  
Anne Behner  
Nancy Burns

Tony Cihak  
John Crowley  
Christine Croy

Larry Davis  
Gary Dillon  
Roberta Easterday

Linda Gibbons  
Rochelle Good  
Philip Gretter

James Hall  
John Hook  
Barbara Kauffman

Karen Kemple  
Robert Kerrigan  
Jerry Kimmel

Richard Kuhn  
Ronald Kuhn

### The Sophomores

Sharon Lindvall  
Jean McCotge  
Sammy Medbourn

Barbara Mevis  
Michael Miller  
Earl Mishler

Susan Muehlhausen  
Anne Osborn  
Ronald Osborn

Catherine Overmyer  
Lance Overmyer  
James Parker

Jamie Piersol  
Marizetta Robinson  
William Robison

William Schmidt  
Sharon Spahr  
Merrie Kay Stonebarger

Ronald Tanner  
Paul Thompson  
Joan Warner

Shari Yocom  
Betty Zechiel  
Not Pictured: Everett Walter



## The Freshmen

George Baker

Lana Berger

John Benedict

Sandra Boetsma

Thomas Boswell

James Carter

James Canterbury

Kathleen Clyne

John Cron

Tom Curtis

Glenda Dawson

Robert Dickson

Rodney Edgington

Melissa Fisher

Sandra Fisher

Nancy Franz

Julia Furnas

Penny Sue Gentry

James Gross

Mary Jane Guse

Christine Hand

Carol Heiser

George Herr

Patricia Hicks

Linda Kose

Ronald Loffert



## The Freshmen

Brian Linhart

Janet Logan

Martha Lowry

Anna Lutz

Patricia Lutz

Janet Martin

Berniece Mevis

Sandra Osborn

Peter Ott

Margo Overmyer

Michael Overmyer

Nancy Prosser

Charles Roed

Philip Rosebaum

Susan Rudnow

William Sheppard

Donna Smith

James Spencer

Philip Sperry

Sandra Summers

Eloise Tanner

Beverly Thomas

Jane Thomas

Charles Warren

Patricia Weston

Sharon Yeazel

Marilee Zechiel

Not Pictured: Michael Cavender,

Shirley Crowe





### The Eighth Grade

- Judith Bochantine  
Loren Kiel  
Mary Ann Kenple
- Carmen Gretter  
Thomas Walker  
Jane Baker
- Judy Bishop  
Larry Miller  
Helen Burns
- Barbara Roschaum  
Thomas Easterday  
Linda Behmer
- Johanna Hughes  
Robbie Ogden  
Mary Keyser
- Charlene Lucas  
Nicky Knoerzer  
Judy Eskridge
- Gloria Bean  
Scott Geibelman  
Carolee Easterday
- Waldo Logan  
Bill Gleason  
Michael Wallen
- Dennis Shock  
Martin Ruhnow

### The Eighth Grade

- Patricia Kline  
William Cook  
Vicky Lutz
- Cheryl Dillon  
Michael Gotger  
Bonnie Good
- Bonnie Parker  
Timothy Wharton  
Janice Neidlinger
- Marjorie McGaffey  
Allan Esley  
Caroline Stephenson
- Brenda Baker  
Paul Cromley  
Barbara Hatten
- Kathryn Teach  
Jerry Nelson  
Sherrill Edgington
- Laura Masson  
Randal Walters  
Ruth Sprunger
- Judy Kimmel  
Michael Cibak  
Penny Downs
- Michael McCullough  
Ronald Porter
- Not Pictured: Rick Ervin





**The Seventh Grade**

Frank Kirk, Mary Ann Shock  
Donald Beerwart, Mary Strow



Rex Crump, Anita Yeazel  
Richard Dills, Gloria Baker



Tom Miracle, Beverly Barshes  
Charles Massa, Vicki Kiel



Brian Pierson, Sara Bergman  
Larry Linhart, Kay Overmyer



Lee Curry, Sharon McDonald  
Charles Snyder,  
Karen McDonald



Shawn Donnelly,  
Sharon Wagoner  
Robert Carter, Jan Wagner



Sharon Norris, Juneen Scruggs  
Janet Heiser, Nora Sheppard



Patricia Ogden, Vicki Lyons



**The Seventh Grade**

Layonda Clifton, Paul White  
Diana Boots, Thomas Yocum



Pamela Phelps, David Frain  
Diane Tanner, Jerry Huffer



Janet Beck, Richard Warner  
Betty Everett, Samuel Lowry



Martha McAllister, Ned Davis  
Lucy Osborn, Harold Dewitt



Bonnie Saff, Daniel Weaver  
Sherry Gray, Jerry Gross



Marsha Wentz, Steven Downs  
Susie Gardner, Gregory Yapp



Mary Ricciardi, Linda Shock  
Dawn Walters,  
Leonard Chapman



Sharon McGaffey, Carol Herr





"Well, it's all over gang and wasn't it a ball?" Yes, the Junior play will be something we'll always remember! Pictured — Larry Norman, Pat Van Scholack, Denny Geiger, Joyce Morrison, Dick Calloun, Betty Kose, Sandy Smith, Sue Medbourn, Stanley Curtis, Margaret Krull, Emily Allen, Joan Barshes, Edna Menser, Leslie Woolfire, and not pictured, Jerry Parker.

October 17, 1958

**Junior Class Play**



Doug Butler's love for motorcycles brings a pesty policeman, Sgt. Lutzfelder, into the Butler home. He proves very annoying to the whole family.



Julie Butler has a crush on Warren, who doesn't even know she's alive, but that isn't such a serious dilemma when you think that Tom Butler has been nominated for "Mother of the Year" with the help of a well-meaning but nosy neighbor, Mrs. Hansen! Hank Steinke, a vacuum cleaner salesman, appears and things start looking up again when he finds a career for Tom.



When Dr. Ann Butler moved her office into the living room — there to keep one practiced eye on her patients, and the other not-so-practiced eye on the lamb stew in the kitchen — the situation becomes black indeed!!!

**Clubs- "Dear old golden rule days —"**

Many golden rules are executed in the numerous clubs offered to a student at Culver High School.



SUNSHINE, Mrs. Allen, Sponsor; left to right first row: Sharon Baker; Anne Behmer; Roberta Easterday; Susan Mueddhausen; Linda Gibbons, Recording Secretary; Theresa Cilak, President; Betty Kose, Corresponding Secretary; Edna Menser, Treasurer; Joan Warner; Linda Banks. Second row: Morrie Kay Stoneburner; Barbara Mevis; Rochelle Good; Emily Allen; Susan Medbourn; Christine Croy; Mary Mevis; Margaret Krull; Sandra White. Third row: Judy Lowry; Karen Kemple; Joan Ditaire; Sandra Wallen; Sally Lowry; Pat Van Scholack; Virginia Lee; Jane Ditaire. Fourth row: Lila Bean; Sandra Furnas; Joyce Morrison; Bea Price; Joan Barshes; Sandra Smith; Nancy Flossenzier. Fifth row: Betty Zechiel; Anne Osborn; Sharon Spahr; Katly Overmyer, Sharon Lindvall; Jean McCoige.



SUNSHINE (play). Seated on stage: Mrs. Allen. Standing left to right: Betty Zechiel; Joan Warner; Karen Kemple; Jean McCoige; Merrie Kay Stoneburner; Roberta Easterday; Mary Mevis; Susan Medbourn; Beatrice Price. See if you can guess who the hair belongs to!



Pat V. Emily



**HI-Y.** Seated left to right: Mr. Alexander, Sponsor; Bob McCoige, President; Eugénie Benedict, Vice President; Clyde Poppe, Treasurer; David Booker, Secretary; Alvin Triplet, Sgt.-at-Arms; Stanley Curtis, Chaplain. Second row: Bud Watson; David Washburn; Don Wynn; Jamie Piersol; Phil Gretter; Jim Hall; Jim Parker; Sam Medbourn; Richard Kuhn; John Hook; Guy Ott. Third row: Don Hand; Larry Holston; Bob Mikesell; Chuck Kiel; Ronald Kuhn; Bob Kennedy; Norman Thomas; Mike Fitterling; Lamoine Banks; Leslie Woolfre. Fourth row: Sam Prosser; Charles Hardin; Lance Overmyer; Terry Cavender.



**PROJECTORS.** Left to right: Mr. Kaiser, Sponsor; Charles Wesson; Larry Dixon; Richard Kuhn; Bud Watson; Gary Dillon; Ronald Osborn; Lamoine Banks. Second row: Ronald Kuhn; Bob McCoige; Dan Little; Tony Cihak; Charles Hardin; Gene Benedict; Lance Overmyer; Mike Fitterling; Dave Washburn.



**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY.** First row left to right: Pat Van Schoeck; Jean McCoige; Anne Belmer; Joyce Morrison; Sandra Furnas, Secretary-Treasurer; Susie Muehlhausen; Sharon Spahr. Second row: Bud Watson; Tom Sutch; Dan Little, President; Jean Ditoire; Judy Lowry; Marizetta Robinson; Bobbie Lou Easterday; Jeanette Berger, Vice President; Shari Yocum; Karen Kemple. Third row: Theresa Cihak; Sally Lowry; Joan Barshes; Anne Osborn; Emily Allen; Stanley Curtis; Eugene Benedict; Gary Dillon; Earl Mishler.



**USHERS.** Seated left to right: Sandra Wallen, President; Mrs. Strait, Sponsor; Clyde Poppe, Vice-President. Standing: Lila Bean; Virginia Lee; Ronald Osborn; Leslie Woolfre; William Schmidt; Gary Dillon; Paul Thompson; Donovan Osborn; John Taylor.



**JUNIOR BOYS' 4-H.** Seated left to right: Lavonda Clifton, Song Leader; Janice Neidlinger, Secretary-treasurer; Patricia Kline, Health & Safety Leader; Linda Behmer, President; Douglas Lindvall, Recreation Leader; Ned Davis, Vice-President; Robert Carter, Reporter. Second row: Mr. O'Kelley, Sponsor; Paul White; Hershel Ollie; Stephen Ulery; John Behmer; John Kerrigan; Alan Mahler; Larry Binks; Gary Wallen; Paul Liette. Third row: Wayne Neidlinger; Earl Mason.



**JUNIOR GIRLS' 4-H.** Left to right: Sharrn Warran; Karin DeWitt; Linda Stevens; Molly Norris; Diane Davis; Eva Norris, Secretary-Treasurer; Sharyl Webb; Loretta Berger; Donna Huff; Sharon McGaffey; Kathy Easterday, Reporter; Linda Shock; Mrs. Strait, Sponsor. Second row: Linda Nelson, Recreation Leader; Cathy Carrothers, Vice President; Carolyn Snyder, Health & Safety Leader; Susanna Spenser, Song Leader; Patty Ogden; Pamela Crozier; Janet Brannan, Pianist; Jane Ann Ives; Sharon Norris, President; Jody Price.



**SENIOR BOYS' 4-H.** Left to right: Linda Gibbons, Song & Recreation Leader; Anne Behmer, Secretary-Treasurer; John Benedict, Health & Safety Leader; Mike Overmyer; Lannan Banks; Stanley Curtis, President; Charles Wesson, Reporter; Norman Thomas; Randy Banks; Eugene Benedict, Vice-President; John Crowley; Mr. O'Kelley, Sponsor.



**SENIOR GIRLS' 4-H.** Seated left to right: Carol Heiser, Song & Recreation Leader; Patricia Kline; Betty Zechel; Anne Behmer, Secretary; Linda Gibbons, President; Patty Wesson, Reporter. Standing: Mariorie McGaffey; Linda Behmer, Vice-President; Sharrn Lindvall; Rochelle Good, Health & Safety Leader; Vicky Lutz; Sandra Boetsma; Mrs. Strait, Sponsor; Anna Lutz; Bonnie Good, Pianist; Carolee Easterday.

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**PRESS CLUB (Emily's).** Left to right: Sandra Furnas, Editor; Joyce Morrison; Susan Medbourn; Anne Behmer; Merrie Kay Stoneburner. Second row: Pat Van Schutack; Kerry Spahr; Judy Lowry; Margaret Krull; Nancy Flossenzier; Sharrn Baker; Jean Warner; Shari Yocum; Emily Allen, Associate Editor. Third row: Larry Norman; Earl Mishler; Leslie Woolfre; Jack Kinney; Lamoin Banks; Linda Gibbons; Jeanette Berger; Bob Kerrigan; Jamie Piorsol.



**PRESS CLUB OFFICERS.** Seated: Sandra Furnas, Editor. Standing left to right: Emily Allen, Associate Editor; Betty Kose, Associate Editor; Mr. Robinson, Sponsor.



**PRESS CLUB (Betty's).** Left to right: Susie Muehlhausen; Beatrice Price; Karen Kemple; Sharrn Spahr; Sandra Furnas, Editor; Betty Kose Associate Editor; Marizotta Robinson. Second row: Lila Bean; Jean Dittaire; Rochelle Good; Jean McGoige. Third row: Joan Barshes; Sally Lowry; Sharrn Lindvall; Anne Osborn; Edna Menzer; Mary Mevis. Fourth row: Stanley Curtis; Terry Cavender; Charles Harlin; Bob Kennedy; Charles Wesson; Sam Medbourn.



Mr. Fred Steibocher, librarian, is shown checking in one of the many periodicals to which the library is subscribed.



Larry Norman, assistant librarian, is helping Mrs. Straff find an article on cookie making.

# Classes In Action-

"Taught to the tune of a hickory stick —"

The old fashioned hickory stick has given way to the new and improved teaching methods, and greater understanding as illustrated in these pictures.

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**TYPING.** At long last, the typing students didn't feel like sardines, but they could still use more room. Rubbing elbows in this class just wouldn't work!



**MECHANICAL DRAWING.** Perhaps one of these future architects or draftsmen will design the home of your dreams. By the intent looks on their faces, they may be working on their own!



**PLANE GEOMETRY.** These future mathematicians pause in their laborious struggles with lines, angles, and circles. The photographers antics brought about various facial expressions.



**SPANISH.** Senor Hand asks the question but will Senorita Hand know the answer? The answer is definitely Si! Translation: All the young people in Calver are not crazy!



**ECONOMICS.** No, this isn't The Lineup, but the Seniors, Guy Ott and Sandy Furnas appear to be pointing out the Atlantic Ocean while Mr. Lucas, Larry Zechiel, Charles Weisson, Jeanette Berger, and Sandra Wallan check their accuracy.



**AGRICULTURE.** The ag class looks quite fascinated by Mr. O'Kelley's explanation. They are testing the butterfat content in milk.



**ENGLISH.** Here we find the Juniors in English II deeply absorbed in their literature books. If it is Julius Caesar that they are studying, we can understand the attentive reading!



**HOME ECONOMICS.** No, this isn't a game that the girls and Mrs. Strait are playing, but an essential lesson in pressure points. How is your pulse today?



**LATIN.** Chuck Reed appears to be the center of attraction in this Latin I class. Everyone seems happy with his translation. He looks quite pleased about it himself!

## Athletics. "School days, School daze —"

From baseball season to basketball season the "heroes" of C. H. S. have the Culver girls in quite a daze!! (They do all the time for that matter!!)

Baseball  
Track  
Indians  
Papooses  
Cheerleading



INDUSTRIAL ARTS. Metal products is the aim of this class. Mr. Alexander seems to be either amused or pleased by Denny Geiger's work.



ELEMENTARY ART. We wonder who is going to receive these valentines; mothers or sweethearts? Mrs. Allen's young artists include Charles DeWitt, Susan Thews, Linda Fisher, Carla Morgan, Ruth Benner, and Philip Edgington.



ART. Here we see Melvin, the famed giraffe, in the making. The proud creators are Bob Dickson and Guy Ott. Standing before her circus mural is Anne Osborn. Busily engaged in paper mache animals are Edna Menser, John Taylor, Mary Mevis, and Nancy Burns.



VARSITY. left to right: Alvin Triplett, Student Manager, Terry Cavender, Dan Little, Don Hand, Chuck Kiel, Gene Benedict, Norm Thomas, Coach Gilbert, Bob McGoige, Dick Calloun, Bob Mikesell, Don Wynn, Dave Washburn, Harold Schmidt, Student Manager.



## BASKETBALL RECORD



Benedict

The 1958-1959 tribe of Culver Indians fought back from a dismal start to register a respectable 7-13 record, climaxed by its reaching the semi-finals of the sectional tournament.

Coach Robert Gilbert's crew played exceptionally well on its home floor, especially in the second half of the year, winning 4 of 9 at home, 3 of their last 4.

The Indians opened the season in a sour note, bowing to defending sectional champion LaPaz, 65-49. Opening game miscues and poor shooting led to the downfall, but Dan Little and Norm Thomas each hit 17 points to lead the attack.

Walkerton came into the local gym and upset Culver 56-53. The hometown tribe showed defensive weakness, allowing Walkerton Braves to end up in easy baskets. Bob McCoige's 19 points were high for our Indians.

The Indians' first road game was at North Manchester and resulted in our first victory, 48-47. Dave Washburn and McCoige had 17 points apiece for the Indians, who nearly blew a 5-point lead in the last minute.

Back at home, Culver, playing without Thomas, faced Tyner. The visiting Redmen were forced to the limit however, as they won only by the slim margin of 6 points, 60-54. McCoige hit 26 big points in a losing effort.

One of the state's better small school teams, North Judson, clobbered our Indians, 78-34, on the Blue Jays' home court. The hosts' red-hot shooting and leak-proof zone defense kept Culver at bay all night. McCoige again led his mates with 19 points.



Calhoun

Despite Thomas' return to the line-up, Culver lost to Green Twp., 59-53. Washburn hit 15 for the Indians, but a last quarter explosion by the visitors erased an earlier Culver lead.

Our second win in the season came at home against Knox, 75-68. All the Indians were clicking in this foul-marred contest, which featured a total of 59 fouls tooted by the officials. McCoige hit 20 mark-

ers to lead the Indians, including 12 from the free throw line.

The Indians travelled to Rochester to face one of the area's tougher teams. Although they lost, 58-50, it was evident that Coach Gilbert's boys were finding themselves at last.

After the Christmas holiday, the Indians nipped Bourbon, 46-44, on the Comets' home floor. Norm Thomas sank two clutch free throws with six seconds remaining to seal up Culver's third win of the year.

At Bremen, our Indians lost a rough-and-tumble game to the Lions, 63-61. Culver had held good-sized leads throughout the third and fourth periods, but a full court press by fresher Bremen men shattered the weary Indians.

In the county tourney at Plymouth, Argos walloped Culver, 57-41. Very poor shooting in the first half grounded the Indians, and they never caught up. Washburn had 15 points for Culver's best.

The local fans got a big treat as the Indians scored a 79-77 double overtime win over Argos. Washburn hit two free throws 19 seconds into the sudden death period. He had 21 points, but McCoige's 26 were tops.

The following night a red-hot band of Warsaw Tigers bombed our Indians on the foreign floor, 94-68. McCoige's 23 points were in vain, as the Tribe once again showed numerous defensive flaws.

Culver gave Plymouth's eventual sectional titlists a good battle before losing, 74-58, at Plymouth. Rebounding hurt the Indians, as the Pilgrims dominated the backboards. Washburn led Culver with 19 points.

The Indians returned to home and shocked Nappanee, 69-66. Washburn had his best night, getting 31 points to offset a balanced Nappanee attack.

Then the Indians bounced Aubbeenaubbee Twp., 74-69, handing the Braves only their second defeat of the year. Washburn, play-



Hand



McCoige

ing another great floor game, led his teammates with 23 points.

Then the flu bug hit — and hard! With Calhoun, Hand, and Benedict stricken, Winamac beat the Indians, 54-48, in a poorly played game. McCoige was best for Culver with 15 points.

It was announced later that Danny Little, senior guard, would be lost for the season due to the breaking of a small bone in his leg.

With several boys out of the line-up, Lakeville tripped our Indians, 78-75. McCoige laid in 31 points, but fouls got the best of Culver.

Completing the regular season with a 6-11 record plus one loss in the county tourney, the Indians set their sights on a sectional crown, they drew Tyner in a bye game, with the prospect of advancing directly into the semi-finals with a victory.

And win they did! In a stirring come-from-behind rally the Indians flew past Tyner in the third quarter, then held off a last minute rally to win, 70-68. Dick Calhoun's pair of free throws with four seconds remaining clinched the victory. Washburn had 20 points, 16 of them in a fabulous third period.

However, Argos gained a revenge victory to eliminate our Indians, 64-55 in the semi-finals. McCoige had 18 and Mikesell 15 for Culver, who were in the next to the last team eliminated.

So the season ended with the Indians sporting a 7-13 record, but boasting of several proud moments. Never once did the cheering section let the team down, and never once did the team let the fans down without a great battle.



Thomas

Pointwise, Bob McCoige took seasonal honor with 336 points for a 16.6 point per game average, one of the best in the county. He also led the team with a field goal percentage of a little over 40 per cent. Dave Washburn won the free throw award, hitting 72 per cent of his gift toss-

es.

Next year's outlook is very bright for Culver as Dave Washburn, Bob Mikesell, Dick Calhoun, Gene Benedict, Don Wynn, Don Hand, and Gary Dillon return from the squad that dressed for the sectional. Coach Jim Cox's fine B-team will send some material for next year's varsity, including a front-line of three boys well over the six-foot mark. It looks like smooth sailing for next year's tribe.

Coach Cox's B-Squad gave a good showing throughout the 1958-59 season, giving a bright outlook for the next few seasons. The team was one of the youngest B-teams in the area, as two freshmen, three sophomores, and only one junior comprised the starting line-up, with one position alternated quite a bit.

The Paposes opened the year bowing to LaPaz, 34-28. Their first victory was a 31-20 triumph over Walkerton. The other victims were Tyner, Greene Twp., Bourbon, Culver Military Academy, Argos, Aubbeenaubbee, and Winamac. They were defeated by North Manchester, Warsaw, Plymouth, Nappanee, and Lakeville. The seasonal record was 8-11.

Throughout the year the starting line-up had John Benedict and Lance Overmyer at forward, Dennie Geiger at center, and Gary Dillon led the scoring for the season with 122 points, even though he played in only thirteen games.



Washburn



Wynn





Suspense at the bench.

## The Papooses



PAPOOSES: Ronald Kuhn, Denny Geiger, Tom Boswell, John Benedict, Phil Grotter, Earl Mishler, Student Manager, Coach James Cox, Roger Peters, Jim Hall, Jim BPIersol, Lance Overmyer, Gary Dillon.



1. Pre-game warm-up. 2. Starting Jump-ball, with McCoige controlling to Washburn. 3. Mikesell takes a shot, while Washburn looks for a possible rebound. 4. Calhoun and McCoige waiting for a rebound. 5. McCoige shooting while Thomas waits underneath. 6. Surrounded by opposing players, McCoige takes another shot with Benedict and Calhoun watching.



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Full of pep and energy, and ready to cheer the Varsity to victory, the Varsity cheerleaders are shown here (left to right), Sue Medbourn, Sandy Furnas, and Bea Price.

The Papoose cheerleaders do their share of cheerleading, too. Pictured left to right are Julia Furnas, Joyce Morrison, and Sandra Fisher.



**SEVENTH GRADE BASKETBALL.** Left to right, back row first: Tom Miracle, Tom Yocum, Lee Curry, Steve Downie, Sam Lowry, Brian Piersol, Charles Snyder, Front row: Dan Beerwert, Bob Carter, Shaun Donnelly, Frank Birt, Larry Linhart, Paul White, Ned Davis, Coach Kenneth Lucas.



**EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL.** Left to right: Coach Kenneth Lucas, Jerry Nelson, Alan Estey, Mike Geiger, Wade Logan, Bill Gleason, Robbie Ogden, Dennis Shock, Thad Overmyer.



**JUNIOR HIGH TRACK TEAM.** First row, Brian Piervol, Bob Carter, Bill Gleason, Dennis Shock, Bobbie Ogden, Allan Estey, Jerry Nelson, Wade Logan, Mike Griger, Thad Overmyer, Tom Yocom, second row, Larry Linhart, Lee Curry, Frank Ikert, Shaun Donnelly, Sam Lowry, Paul White, Dan Beerwart, Steve Downs, Charles Snyder, Tom Miracle, Coach Kenneth Lucas.



**BASEBALL.** Left to right: Triplet for the pitch, Washburn making a sacrifice, Sutch hunting one, Triplet connecting leather and wood.



**SEVENTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS:** The seventh grade cheerleaders this year are Martha McAllister and Lucy Osborn.



**EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS:** The eighth grade cheerleaders this year are Sherrill Edgington and Mary Ann Kemple.

## The Record

### TRACK

In the three-way meet Culver finished second, Knox first, and Argos was third. The scores were Knox 76 1/5, Culver 38 9/10, and Argos 35 9/10.

At the next three-way meet with Culver, Bourbon, and West, Culver won. The scores were Culver 65 1/2, Bourbon 58 1/2, and West 23.

At the next meet against LaPaz, Culver won with a score of 60 1/2 to 47 1/2.

In a three-way meet, with Argos, Culver, and West the scores were 67 1/2, 17 1/2, and 13 1/2 respectively. Culver only won one event, the shot put by Triplet.

Culver was next defeated in a meet against CMA with a score of 61 to 38.

In a three-way meet against Plymouth, LaPaz, and Culver, we lost with a score of Plymouth 88 1/2, LaPaz 50, and Culver 23 1/2.

At the Delphi Belays, Triplet won Class B shot put for Culver's only first.

### BASEBALL

In the first game of the Fall Season we played Bourbon, beating them 9-7. Washburn went 3 for 4 and Kiel was the winning pitcher.

The next game, Culver took on Tippecanoe, dropping them 11-8. Kiel and Boswell shared the pitching. The next game, West Twp. was our victim in a 10-5 thriller. Washburn went 2 for 3 and Triplet was the winning pitcher against the losing Bulldogs.

Tyner was the next to fall under our tomahawks on their battle field with a score of 8-1. Triplet went 3 for 3 while Kiel, pitching, allowed just three hits.

Undefeated for the season, Culver looked forward to two more games. The first was against LaPaz, whom we knocked down with a 9-7 score. The game was a nine inning thriller on the opponents field. Kiel, in relief of Triplet, was the winning pitcher. Thomas's extra-inning hit was the game-winning blow. Washburn, Triplet, Schmidt and Thomas had two hits apiece.

The last game was against Argos for the County title. Culver was against another undefeated team and we knew one must lose. Culver played hard but lost 9-4. Harley was the winning pitcher, while Kiel hurled for Culver.

Triplet, in his last time at bat for Culver, hit the year's only home run.

The last game was against Argos for the County



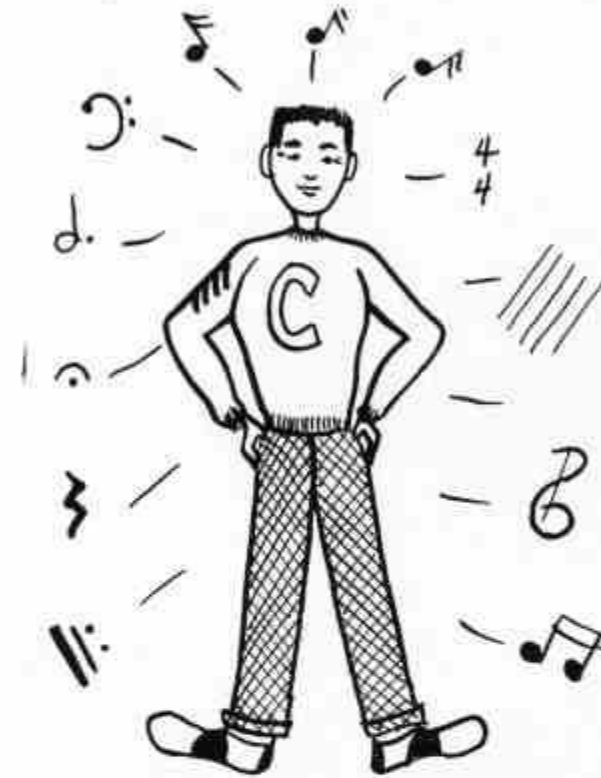
**Varsity Baseball.** First row: Coach Robert Gilbert, Phil Grotter, Gene Benedict, Terry Cavender, Dave Washburn, Chuck Kiel, Dan Little, Dick Calhoun, Asst. Coach Jim Cox; second row: Clyde Poppe, Harold Schmidt, Denny Geiger, Alvin Triplet, Tom Sutch, Tom Boswell, Norm Thomas, George Baker, Sam Prosser.



**Varsity Track.** First row: Phil Rosebaum, Phil Grotter, Clyde Poppe; second row: George Baker, Frank Heer, John Cromley, Alvin Triplet; third row: Coach Robert Gilbert, Harold Schmidt, Dave Washburn, Bob McCoige, Asst. Coach, Jim Cox.

## Music- "Taught to the tune of a hickory stick —"

Well, not exactly a hickory stick, but the magic baton of Mr. Shields has led our choruses and bands through many outstanding performances.



**Senior Band Council Members.** Seated: Sandra Furnas, President; Sally Lowry, Senior Girl Officer; Joan Bardses, Vice President; Judy Lowry, Junior Girl Officer; Joyce Morrison, Secretary; Sandra Fisher, Librarian; Standing: La-Moin Banks, Senior Boy Officer; Mr. Phillip Shields; Stanley Curtis, Drum Major; Larry Norman, Junior Boy Officer.



# UNION TOWNSHIP SCHOOL



**SENIOR BAND**, heading left to right. First row: Stanley Curtis, Marigo Overmyer, Joyce Morrison, Linda Gibbons, Shari Yocum, Jean Warner, Lamoin Banks, Jamie Piersol, Sam Medboorn, Anne Osborn, Sandra Furnas, Beatrice Price. Second row: Ronald Kuhn, Jane Ann Thomas, Beverly Thomas, Martha Lowry, Marizetta Robinson, Carol Heiser, Sandra Fisher, Linda Kose, Sharon Lindvall, Sandra Osborn, Patty Lutz, Robert Dickson, Sally Lowry, Mary Jane Guise, Lana Berger, Betty Zeisland, Janet Logan, Mike Overmyer, Judy Lowry. Third row: Pete Ott, Betty Kose, Anne Behmer, Patty Wesson, Anna Lutz, Joan Barshes, John Cromley, Nancy Prosser, Sandra Boetsma, Christine Hand, Jack Kinney, Jerry Kimmel, Tom Curtis, Tom Wesson, Larry Norman, Guy Ott, Jim Hall, Sam Neidlinger, Bob Kennedy.



**SENIOR BAND TWIRLERS**, Sandra Furnas, Joyce Morrison, Beatrice Price, Margo Overmyer add spice to the band's halftime shows.

**SENIOR HIGH CHOIR**. Front row: Sharon Lindvall, Sharon Spahr, Karen Kemple, Bob Kerrigan, Tom Wesson, Tom Boswell, Gary Hicks, Ronald Kuhn, John Cromley, Don Hand, Guy Ott, Bob Kennedy, Clyde Poppe, Anne Behmer, Merrie Kay Stoneburner, Jean Warner. Second row: Anne Osborn, Sharon Baker, Linda Banks, Linda Gibbons, Richard Kuhn, Stanley Curtis, Pete Ott, Brian Linhart, Jamie Piersol, Sam Medboorn, Sam Neidlinger, Bob Dickson, Joyce Morrison, Kerry Spahr, Beatrice Price, Betty Kose. Third row: Sandra Furnas, Kathy Clyde, Margo Overmyer, Lana Berger, Jack Kinney, Tom Curtis, Larry Norman, Mike Overmyer, Jim Hall, Jerry Kimmel, Lamoin Banks, Leslie Woolfre, Carol Heiser, Sharon Yeazel, Betty Zechiel, Christine Hand. Fourth row: Susan Bolnow, Beverly Thomas, Judy Lowry, Nancy Prosser, Sandra Fisher, Glenda Dawson, Mary Jane Guise, Melissa Fisher, Linda Kose, Rochelle Good, Nancy Franz, Penny Sue Gentry, Anna Lutz, Sandra Osborn, Patty Lutz, Mary Mevis, Margaret Krull. Fifth row: Jeanette Berger, Joan Barshes, Susan Medboorn, Emily Allen, Roberta Easterday, Martha Lowry, Janet Martin, Eloise Tanner, Marilee Zechiel, Jane Ann Thomas, Bernice Mevis, Donna Smith, Sandra White, Nancy Flossinger, Sandra Smith. Sixth row: Susan Muehlhausen, Joan McCoige, Marizetta Robinson, Sandra Boetsma, Janet Logan, Patty Wesson, Catherine Overmyer, Lila Bean, Sally Lowry, Shirley Crow, Pat Hicks, Shari Yocum.





**DANCE BAND:** Front row: Sandra Fisher, Ronald Kubu, Anne Belmer, Margo Overmyer, Jamie Piersol, Betty Kose, Joan Barshes, Stanley Curtis. Second row: Jim Hall, Larry Norman, Sam Neidlinger, Mr. Shields, Charles Hardin, Shari Yocum, Mike Overmyer, Tom Curtis.



**CHORALEERS:** Front row: Sandra Furnas, Catherine Overmyer, Margo Overmyer, Linda Gibbons, Mr. Shields, Rochelle Good, Kerry Spahr, Carol Heiser, Betty Kose. Second row: Tom Curtis, Larry Norman, Jack Kinney, Jim Hall, Bob Kennedy, Don Hand, Stanley Curtis, Tom Boswell; Bass: Charles Hardin; Drums: Thomas Walker; Piano: Lana Berger.



**PEP BAND** generates pep during ball games. Pep Band members, first row: Dennis Shock, Stanley Curtis, Larry Miller, Tom Curtis, Tom Walker, Sam Medbourn. Second row: Larry Norman, Sam Neidlinger, Mike Overmyer, Jack Kinney.



**SENIOR BAND SWEATER WINNERS:** Sandra Furnas, Sally Lowry, Guy Ott, Bob Kennedy, Charles Wesson, Jack Kinney, Lamoit Banks.

## THE JUNIOR BAND



**CULVER JUNIOR BAND.** Drums: Tom Walker, Bill Gleason, Tom Yocom, Ruth Sprunger, Tom Miracle. Drum Major: Janice Noidlinger, Twirlers: Penny Downes, Judy Bishop. Front to back: first row: Linda Behmer, Dennis Shock, Lucy Osborn, Tom Easterday, Brian Piersol, Bob Carter. Second row: Sharon Norris, Marjory McGaffey, Paul White, Ann Wagner, David Frain, Paul Cromley. Third row: Pamela Phelps, Sharon McDonald, Ronald Porter, Jan Wagner, Ned Davis, Greg Yapp. Fourth row: Martha MacAllister, Karen MacDonald, Nick Knoerzer, Sam Lowry, Linda Shock, Bonnie Parker. Fifth row: Janet Beck, Beverly Burshes, Patty Kline, Jerry Nelson, Wade Logan, Robbie Ogden. Sixth row: Larry Miller, Barbara Hatten, Charlene Lucas, Thad Overmyer, Larry Linhart, Scott Geiselman.



**JUNIOR HIGH MIXED CHORUS.** As can be clearly seen, nearly all of the Junior High School students are members of Mixed Chorus; we're just too lazy to identify all of them!



**ELEMENTARY BAND.** Clockwise, Back row: Tom Grothaus, Steve Guiso, Jimmy Lewis, John Kerrigan, Andy Lowry, Jimmy Boswell, Greg Osborn, Doug Kosterman, Larry Boetsma, Larry Fisher, Scott Geiselman, Mr. Phillip Shields, Bill Gleason, Tom Walker, Jimmy Easterday, Larry Banks, John Behmer, Pam Carter, Bruce Lindvall, Chuck Benner. Second row: Laurie Jo Sands, Becky Eastonlay, Billy Eply, Andrea Siple, Judy Price, Dick Knoerzer, Sheryl Fisher, Mark Kosterman, Kay Thomas, Mary Norris, Diane Davis, Janet Manchester, Eva Norris. First row: Wayne Noidlinger, Debbie Henderson, Linda Stevens, Dick Mackoy, Terry Porter, Marsha Guise, Janet Branaman, Patty Miller, Jane Ives, Julia Funk, David Ubel, Patty Ogden, Sheryl Welsh, Carolyn Snyder, Jeanne Adams, Judy Thews.

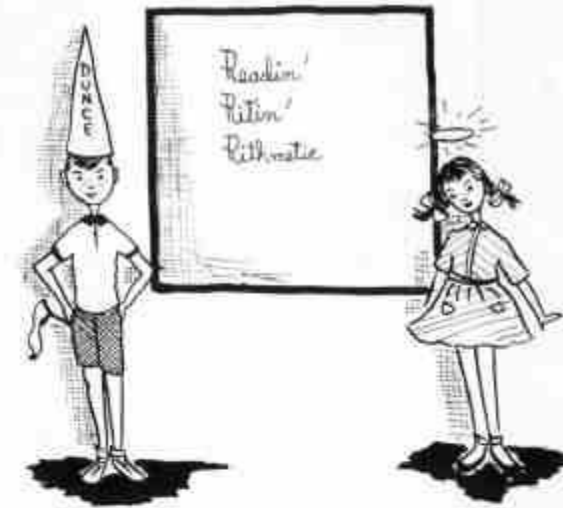
## Elementary School-

"Reading, 'Riting, and 'Rithmetic —"

The lawyers, doctors, housewives, business men, ministers, and many other professions lie in our grade school. These are the citizens of tomorrow.



Mr. Shelton Kaiser, principal of our elementary school, pauses from his many activities in the elementary office.



### The Faculty



MR. SHELTON KAISER  
M.S., Elementary Supervisor,  
Director of Audio-Visual  
Aids, Science, Sponsor  
Projectors Club.



MRS. J. KAUFMAN  
B.S., Remedial Reading



MRS. BERTHA M. RUST  
B.M., Music



MRS. M. MARSHALL  
B.S., Kindergarten



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B.S., First Grade.

MISS S. FITTERLING  
B.S., First Grade.



MRS. GERTRUDE ALLEN  
B.S., Second Grade.

MISS FLORENCE PAGE  
B.S., Second Grade.



MRS. M. CARTER  
B.S., Third Grade.

MRS. HELEN KELLER  
B.S., Third Grade.



**The Faculty**



MRS. ALICE KELLER  
B.S., Fourth Grade.

MISS MARY MAHAN  
M.A., Fourth Grade.



MISS ALICE QUIVEY  
A.B., Fifth Grade.

MRS. JEANNE EPLEY  
B.S., Fifth Grade.



MRS. DOROTHY MANIS  
B.S., Sixth Grade.

MR. ALLAN DENNIE  
B.S., Sixth Grade.





**The Kindergarten**  
Mrs. Martha Marshall

Diana Crabb, Victor Triplet,  
Kathleen Banks,  
Bruce Anderson

Cheryl Ann Dawson,  
Louis Martin, Karen Delme,  
Bobby Heiser

Jan Shock, Rodney Stubbs,  
Penny Napier, Allen Storey

Linda Day, Jimmy Summers,  
Vensoe Taylor,  
Larry Wieringa

Cindy Marshall, John Adams,  
Mary Wieringa,  
David Williams

Terry Babcock, Gregory Wynn,  
Jill Odle, John Houghton

Richard Ruhnow, Steven Neff,  
Michael Powers, Warren Bair

Patty Thomas, Jane Shock,  
Mary Ann Easterday

Roger Smith, Kenneth Baker,  
Gary Yeazel

Not Pictured: Juan Ruiz,  
Estavlan Ruiz, Dicky Bickel,  
Michael Babcock

Mrs. Martha Marshall  
**The Kindergarten**

Melinda Kuhn,  
David Deckard, Mary Zolner,  
Michael Gilbert

Brenda Lindvall, Larry Peters,  
Susan Shel, Jimmy Woolington

Glenna Tibbetts, Bobby Beau,  
Betty Napier, Ricky Banks

Frances Wilson,  
Bobby Ringer, Peggy Brooks,  
Stephen McKee

Patsy Vercler, Dennis Mackey,  
Lois Latta, Jimmy Baker

Melissa Gause,  
Jimmy McFarland,  
Dobbie Martin,  
David Schrimsher

Bonnie Cross, Jimmy Stevens,  
Jimmy Hoedel, Roger Smith

Terry Smith, Barbara Baker,  
Doris Melton

Michael DePoy, Dennis Rein-  
bolt, Thomas DeTroy





**The First Grade**  
Mrs. Alice McLane

John Benner, Kristine Straug  
Kim Kaufman, Denise Hill

Frederick May, Bonnie Day  
Timothy Carter  
Diana Dobrott

Eric Hughes, Linda Snapp  
Jack Isaacs  
Adella McDorfer

Craig Gunder  
Kathy Listenberger  
David Hoesel, Joy Wheeler

Perry White, Carole Zehner  
Dennis Woolington  
Sandra Harness

Charles Osborn  
Cloe Cantwell  
Patricia Walter  
Virginia Thews

David Campbell  
Marcella Osborn  
Paula Haenos, Paul Kelly

James Baker,  
Jacqueline Welsh  
Janice Price  
Margaret Ruhnow  
Steven Deckard

William Heiser  
Geneva Ricks  
Nancy Overmyer, Rachel Dills  
Steven Osborn

Not Pictured: Barbara Cook  
Nancy Knapp

**The First Grade**  
Miss Sandra Fitterling

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James Taylor, Velda Prosser

Boss Fritz, Lucinda Smith  
Michael Croy, Jane Kosterman

Earle Williams, Linda Hatten  
David White, Mary Lewis

Michael Stevens  
Pam Thompson  
Danny Thomas, Doris Maxson

Richard Hoesel  
Katherine Wolverton  
Larry DeWitt, Cynthia Carter

Dexter Funk, Barbara Shidler  
Billy Napier, Duane Myers

Robert Bolton, Martha Osburn  
Ernest Huff, Judith McKee

Charles Morgan,  
Penny Houghton  
William Grothaus, Pam Scott

Dunahille Crabb  
Patty Bickel  
Jo Smith, Betty Jo Cihak

Not Pictured: Richard Brown  
Eva Kay McCarty,  
Danny Berewart





**The Second Grade**  
Mrs. Gertrude Allen

Danny Spencer, Peggy Huffer  
Vaughn Kepler  
Mary Beth Ives

Jeff Adams, Karen Koyser  
Steven Kelly  
Rosemarie Triplet

Billy Liette, Pamela Welsh  
David Curtis, Karen Banks

Greg Thomas, Carol Schilling  
Perry Smith, Janet Zechiel

Kerry Huenes, Carol Kline  
Martin Easterday  
Janet Helber

Doug Hartz, Mary DeWitt  
Steve Parker, Sara Hoesel

Leo Eskridge, Peggy Shel  
Tom Houghton, Kathy Tisch

Jimmy Miracle, Mary Warran  
Tommy Osborn  
Mark McFarland

Steven Snyder

Not Pictured: Steven Ringer  
Wayne Cook, Elven McCarty

**The Second Grade**  
Miss Florence Page

Tommy Overmyer  
Sally Ricciardi  
Robin Hall, Debbie Triplet

George Tanner  
Mary Jurgensen,  
Tommy Dohardt,  
Leslie Cronley

Carl Strang, Vicki Morrison  
Terry Powers, Nancy Porter

Phillip DePoy, Bonnie Albert  
Ralph Storey, Sharon Thomas

Peter Mars, Phyllis Kelly  
Richard Snyder  
Marilyn Vanderroude

Mike Hatten, Linda Miller  
Russell Tisch, Cindy Barr

John Krieg, Ben Nagler  
Brian Shidler  
Jerry Schirisher

Marc Matson, Robert Watson  
Greg Everett

Not Pictured: Billy Wieringa  
Marilyn Wolverton  
Oliver Mason, David Jackson





**The Third Grade**

Mrs. Helen Keller

Barb Boyce, Laura Yeazel  
Michael Wynn  
Katherine DeWitt

Greg Easterday  
Valerie Carter  
Dale Crabb, Teri Cronley

Robert Schilling  
Karen Ruhnow  
Stuart Lowry, Vickie Helber

Stephen Crump  
Joan Kosterman  
Leon Sims, Linda Reinhold

Steve Booker  
Carin Manchester  
Gregory DeTroy  
Carol Mackey

Roy Wilson, Jean Gross  
Gregory Anderson  
Barbara Diels

Ralph Houghton, Rita Lutz  
James Grothaus  
Kathleen Liette

Andrew Hodgkin  
Susie Donnelly, Ricky Burns

Scott Tibbetts, Terry Beck  
Donald Gardner

**The Third Grade**

Mrs. Margaret Carter

Tony Mattox, Linda Fisher  
Cortland Overmyer  
Virginia Shidler

Charles DeWitt  
Carla Morgan, Brian Lindvall  
Ruth Benner

Timmy Taber, Linda Brocker  
John Cook, Martha Weaver

Raymond Sheppard  
Linda Hudson, Timothy Frain  
Laurel Prosser

Alan Banks, Jayne Bray  
Edward Ricciardi  
Susan Thews

Timothy Frain, Emily Watson  
Phillip White  
Christine Stevens

Kenneth Tasch  
Vickey McKinney  
Charles Gollnick  
Lawrence Harness

Rex Schrimsher  
Patricia Carter  
Phillip Edgington, Mike Baker

Elsie Bickel, Gary Herr





**The Fourth Grade**

Mrs. Alice Keller

Howard Albert, Diane Nelson, David Crabb

Paul Hatten, Penny Wakefield, George Dugan

Stephen Ault, Linda McAllister, John Milner

Ronald Dills, Robert Yeasel, Marshall Brown

Michael Krieg, Linda Baker, Linda Dinsmore

Peter Cantwell, Tina Teach, Cathy Welsh

Arthur Stacy, Vickie Smith, Brenda McAllister

Joan Wheeler, Cheryl Walter, Elaine Epley

Bobby Birkel, Suzanne Overmyer

Not Pictured: Tommy Bocoek, Beverly Pollock

**The Fourth Grade**

Miss Mary Mahan

David Kelly, Carolyn Saft, Phillip Scruggs

Fletcher Mattox, Marilyn Herrmann,  
Albert Pare

Eddy Geiselman, Claudia DePoy,  
Thomas Keyser

Terry Clifton, Donna Dawson, Allen Bray

Stephen Bair, Debra Walter, Tony Mars

Patsy Huffer, Joyce Odle, Patty Overmyer

Marsha Estey, Loretta Klocek, Laura Miracle

Elaine Kaiser, Mary Kiel, Lela Donnelly,  
Eley Graham

Not Pictured: Robert Crow





**The Fifth Grade**

Mrs. Jeanne Epley

Russell Prosser  
 Lucinda Ricciardi  
 John Kerrigan  
 Veverly Schilling

Michael Oellig  
 Becky Easterday  
 Mark Lowry, Cheryl Morgan

Tim Walter, Vivian Harness  
 Richard Bean, Linda Stevens

Lawrence Maxson  
 Susan Helber  
 Richard Jackson, Diane Davis

Mark Deckard, Janet Parker  
 Frank Sheppard  
 Juilee Vandermeade

Bobby McFarland  
 Donna Huff  
 Stephen Cavender  
 Karen DeWitt

Greg Osborn  
 Janet Manchester  
 Richard Gimbel

Joan Heiser, Larry Boetsma  
 Brenda Martin

Not Pictured: Ronald Babcock  
 Donald McCarty  
 Larry Washburn

**The Fifth Grade**

Miss Alice Quivey

Bandy Wakefield  
 Frances Warner  
 Bruce Lindvall, Barbara Bean

Richard Lutz, Sharyl Wells  
 Jack Crump, Marsha Guise

Kent Wallstead  
 Cindy Rulinow  
 Alan Muhler, Pam Carter

Mark Kosterman, Carol Mevis  
 Terry Porter, Sheryl Fisher

Nicky Hartz, Andrea Siple  
 Steve Guise, Loretta Berger

Andy Lowry, Molly Norris  
 Wayne Neidlinger  
 Patty Miller

Larry Banks, Carolyn Tanner  
 Frank Cantwell, Julie Funk

Danny Haenes, Judy Thews  
 Jimmy Easterday

Not Pictured: Dennis Pullock  
 Mary Lu Mitson





### The Sixth Grade

Mr. Allan Dennie

Jim Weirick, Peggy Herr  
Jim Boswell, Jeanne Adams

Bob Albert, Betty McFarland  
Jim Lewis, Diane Walter

Gale Vandermeade  
Lorrie Sands  
Doug Kosterman, Kay Thomas

Paul Saft, Cindy Kemple  
Charles Benner, Linda Nelson

Larry Dawson  
Janet Rosebaum, Jack Maull  
Beth Sperry

John Kibort, Donna Rogers  
Dick Mackey, Sharron Warren

Dick Knoerzer, Vera Smith  
Allen Keyser, Meg Marshall

David Vebel, Valerie Gauder  
Hershel Odel  
Debbie Henderson

Larry Fisher, Layne Zechiel  
Arl Altman

Not Pictured: Janet Crow  
Steve Boccock

### The Sixth Grade

Mrs. Dorothy Manis

Jonathan Hodgkin  
Joan Mevis, James Reinhold  
Kathy Easterday

Robert Medland  
Carolyn Snyder, James DeWitt  
Janet Branaman

Douglas Lindvall, Eva Norris  
Gary Wallen, Pamela Cuzzler

Terry Lewis, Jane Ann Ives  
Eugene Harness  
Cathy Carothers

William Osborn  
Jean Wheeler, Hugh Hartz  
Joan Dillon

Greg Dawson, Jeanie Maul  
Steve Ulery, Wanda Warren

Earl Mason, Susannah Spencer  
Paul Liette, Judy Price  
Billy Epley

Tom Grothaus  
Donna Watkins, John Behner  
Carolyn Covington  
Peter DeTroy

Not Pictured: Patty Ogden







**ELEMENTARY MUSIC.** Mrs. Rust accompanies members of the third grade with their rhythm instruments. The instruments are a great help in developing rhythmic accuracy.



**MRS. MARSHALL, KINDERGARTEN.** One of the largest and most interesting classes is the kindergarten with its many toys and books. Coloring and making valentines appear to be the projects of the day.



**MRS. McLANE, 1st GRADE.** Notice the lovely winter pictures and designs on the windows. We wonder why the front table is the only table with a cupcake!



**MRS. A. KELLER, 4th GRADE.** One of the first duties of the day is honoring our United States Flag. Howard Albert appears to be awed by the ceremony.



**MISS QUIVEY, 5th GRADE.** All the attention is focused on Miss Quivey as she presents her question. It must have been a difficult question as only four children signified that they knew the answer. Of course, some may have been bashful!



**MR. DENNIE, 6th GRADE.** Arithmetic always poses a problem but by all the smiles it looks as if there won't be any troubles on this problem. We wonder how long the smiles lasted!



Sitting at the head table are some of the class officers and their dates. Left to right: Mr. Lucas, Dan Little, Joyce Morrison, Theresa Cihak, Bob Kennedy, Sally Lowery, Richard Large.

# SAYONARA



Here are the cleverly costumed servers who effectively brought out the novel Sayonara theme: (Left to right) Bob Kerrigan, Tony Cihak, Phil Gretter, Janis Piersol, Dave Washburn, second row: Barbara Kauffman, Susan Muehlhausen, Lila Bean, Jane Thomas, Lana Berger, Glenda Dawson, Carol Heiser, Anne Osborn, Virginia Lee, Katherine Overmyer.



Two other couples seen at the prom were (left to right) Sandra Fornas and Carl Wagener, Jeanette Berger and Bob McGoige.



From servers (left to right) Anne Osborn, Catherine Overmyer, and Carol Heiser enjoy serving punch and cookies to Elaine Jackson and Betsy Pettis.

# The Year In Review

## SEPTEMBER

- 2 Registration time again! Where did the summer go?
- 4 Back in the swing of things once again, and homework the first day, too!
- 5 The small but mighty Senior class began their magazine drive today, with the highest goal ever, \$5,000. Good luck!
- 9 Mr. Robinson, Sandra Furnas and the two South Bend and Pilot reporters, Jack Kinney and Sally Lowry, attended a dinner for school reporters in South Bend today.
- 12 Hurray for the Band and the Bourbon Fair! We got out at 11:30 a.m. What a day to remember!
- 19 "Aren't they neat!" "I just can't wait!" Today the junior class picked their class rings.
- 19 Cheers for Mr. Shields! He kept the hula-hoop going for 30 seconds and won a \$5.00 treat from the Band. Some teachers have hidden talents!
- 22 The Junior class officers picked the Junior play today. Work, *hard* work, will begin soon.
- 23-25 "Let's have a nice, big smile." "Can you say hi" or whistle?" These remarks are overheard as Mr. Ross begins the task of capturing the best pose he can of each student at Culver.
- 26 It's the teacher's turn to go to school and the students in turn rejoice because of the half-day vacation - Teacher's Workshop was held today.

## OCTOBER

- 2 Umm! That delicious food and what a good time Sandra Furnas, Jack Kinney, Emily Allen, Mr. Robinson and Betty Kose all had at the Plymouth Pilot Dinner.
- 3-4 Sandy Furnas, Bob Kennedy and Mr. Robinson were off for the DePauw Conference at Greencastle.
- 3 The cheerleaders are picked and to lead our Papeoses are: Sandra Fisher, Joyce Morrison and Julia Furnas. To cheer our Varsity on to victory are: Sue Medbourn, Sandy Furnas and Bea Price.
- 17 The funniest and best play ever was presented on the stage of Culver high by the Junior class (so they think!).
- 23-24 Hurray for all the teachers! Thanks to them we enjoyed a day's vacation. Teacher's Convention was held in South Bend. Several representatives from our choir sang in the massed choir at the evening session Friday.

- 28 The Seniors are off for Chicago to tour the Board of Trade and the Federal Bank. Poor Sandy Wallen! She missed the bus - oh, well, 5 a.m. is pretty early!
- 28-29 The Freshmen were brain washed after the Achievement tests.
- 31 Boy! It felt good to sit in the cheering section and yell for the first pep session! But the game is what we're all waiting for.

## NOVEMBER

- 1 Too bad! We took a defeat for the first game against LaPaz.
- 7 Oooh! 56-53 - how close! But not close enough to beat Walkerton.
- 13 My but the teachers are wonderful this year! We were dismissed at 2:30 p.m. A teacher's meeting was held at West High School.
- 14 *Our first victory!* Hurray, for our mighty Indians. Manchester led most of the way.
- 15 The Band had a different experience today, by travelling to Elkhart and playing in a centennial celebration there.
- 17 Our new singing sensation, "Jerry Kim" provided some entertainment for the Band and the collection taken up for him to go to Hollywood and make a record amounted to \$2.55.
- 19-20 The Sophomore class took in more money for their Senior goal by sponsoring a movie - "Marjorie Morningstar."
- 20 Emily Allen, Sally Lowry and Jack Kinney enjoyed first-hand experience in editing a paper when they went to the Plymouth Pilot.
- 21 It was a close home game, but Tyner came through on top with a score of 60-54.
- 27-28 Thanksgiving vacation! Everyone scattered for "Grandmother's house" when the bell sounded for dismissal.

## DECEMBER

- 1 No school! The furnace wasn't working.
- 5 "I wonder what I got?" "I hope I made good grades!" Report cards came out for the second time.
- 6 The Hi-Y Fish Fry proved profitable and delicious!
- 9 "We're from Culver, couldn't be prouder!" but sorry to report we took another defeat. Greene managed 58 to 52.
- 12 "V-I-C-T-O-R-Y!" We downed Knox 75-68.
- 16 The Nativity was presented by the high school choir for the annual Christmas program.
- 21 The Lion's Den was transformed into a Winter Wonderland for the traditional

- Christmas formal. How beautiful it was!
- 22 Our grade school provided a wonderful Christmas program for us today.
- 23-Jan. 5 Christmas vacation is always the most looked forward to vacation by the C.H.S. students, and this year was no exception. Everyone *planned* to catch up on studies, but whether they did or not, they welcomed the New Year in with a bang.

## JANUARY

- 9 Culver played Bremen on their home court and lost by only two points.
- 10 Ten Seniors struggled through the college boards at the Academy.
- 21-22 Snow, snow, and more snow fell to the delight of the students. Because of this we had no school!
- 22-24 "We will win this game tonight." Oooh, we loose to Argos in the first game of the County Tourney. There's always the Sectional to look forward to, though.
- 30 We made a triumphant return on the basketball floor by beating Argos in a home game and receiving the horseshoe!
- 31 Argos' game proved too tiring to our quintet and we were smothered by Warsaw 94-68.
- 31 District Piano-Vocal contest was held at Kokomo. Culver participants brought back many honors. Congratulations, kids!

## FEBRUARY

- 7 Many more honors were secured by the students who entered the district Instrumental contest at Penn High School near Mishawaka. All that hard work does pay off, doesn't it?
- 9 The driving sleet proved too rough for the bus drivers and school was called off for the day. More fun!
- 10 Aubbeenaubbee, boasting a 17-1 record, met their second defeat at the hands of our mighty Indians.
- 11 The "bug" has hit us hard, and halls surely look barren.
- 26-28 We drew Tyner in the first game of the Sectional and won by a score of 70-68 with the right to play Argos in the second game. But they proved too strong that night and we fell, victims at their feet.

## MARCH

- 13 The Junior Class sponsored the first record hop in the school's history, which proved very successful.
- 20 The annual Will-Be vs. Has-Been basketball game was held in "ye ole gym" tonight with the Has-Beens winning by

only a few points.

- 25 After a year of hard work and good results, our Varsity team and cheerleaders were honored at the annual Lions' Basketball Banquet.
- 27 Another excuse for skipping school is Easter vacation.

## APRIL

- 5 Our fine elementary school band and chorus presented an exceptional program along with the Junior High Band and Junior High Chorus.
- 11 The mighty Juniors sponsored a very successful Ham Supper, making well over \$600. Congratulations!
- 17 Thanks from the Sunshine girls to all the boys in Hi-Y for the wonderful party held at the Gun Club.
- 21 Today school elections were held and many students could be heard remarking, "They're both good candidates, who should I vote for?"
- 28 Brain-washed once again, the Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen sweated through Merit Scholarship and National Educational tests respectively.
- 29 Beautiful garments and delicious refreshments made by the Home Economics girls, were part of the tea sponsored by the Home Economics department.
- 30 A group of excited Seniors and their sponsors boarded the train that took them on their long-awaited trip.

## MAY

- 1 County Music Festival excused the band and chorus members from classes and they began hard rehearsals for an excellent program presented in the evening.
- 6 Memories of four years of hard work and then the reality of anticipated Senior Trip behind them, the sleepy Seniors pull back into the LaPaz station.
- 7 The gym echoes with applause for those fine voices - the Choraleers - at the special assembly.
- 12 Outstanding Seniors are honored at the P.T.A. Achievement Night.
- 14 Innumerable pins and awards changed hands today at the student achievement day.
- 15 Juniors, Seniors, and their dates thoroughly enjoyed the dreamy Prom - a heavenly night they'll never forget.
- 17 Baccalaureate, another of the final steps, gives inspiration to the Seniors.
- 22 The school term draws to a close.

### **IN CONCLUSION.**

we would like to thank the Culver-Union Township United Fund for the financial aid which enabled us again this year to make the TOMAHAWK available.

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