

BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL Bradley, Illinois



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Principal's Message

Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School

S. A. SMITH, Principal

North Street and Center Avenue

BRADLEY, ILLINOIS

To the Students:

You are privileged to be a citizen of a great country, in one of its greatest periods of development. America is now taking its place as one of the leading powers, if not

the leading power in world affairs.

America is great because of the manner in which it was organized as a democracy, because of its natural resources, because of its tradition, because each citizen has been recognized to have equal rights and privileges with all others, because each citizen could see the value of improving himself and his community, and also because many persons have been jealous of these privileges and have learned to assume their obligations as citizens. America has had to learn that along with rights and privileges to be enjoyed, obligations have had to be assumed and met.

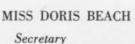
Your high school is one of the agencies that assists you to be prepared to better take your place in such a society. Good citizenship in your school is the best prepara-

tion to help you meet the challenge of the future.

It is fortunate that we always have Young America with us. That is what perpetuates our vigor and growth. Each generation has grown to maturity and has met the problems of their day, as well or better than the preceding ones. We have the utmost faith that your generation will carry on the tradition of America in its position of world leadership.

Sincerely,

S. A. SMITH, Principal





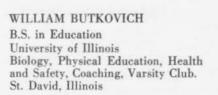


WILLIAM ANDERSON B.S. in Education LaCrosse State Teachers College Northwestern University U. S. History, Senior Social Prob-lems, Sophomore Class, Student Council, Fotoflashers.

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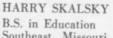
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Bradley, Illinois.



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Bradley, Illinois



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Foreword ere is a picture-record of your 1952-1953 school year. . your outstanding memories of this year in BBCHS





Senior Officers

President Vice President	Lauren Larsen		
Secretary	Mary	Lou Januski Gerald Kray	

Seniors not pictured

Don Bilyeau Kenneth Calabria Gerald Cyrier Merlin Demaray Phillip Eby Bill Floyd Fred Krouse

Glenwood Martin Phyllis Pierson Bob Pippin Pat Sadie Donna Stark. William Stogner Larry Troutman





THERESA AFRICANO

I care!

Newspaper Staff 3, 4; Annual 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3; Golf 4; Thespian 3, 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can's Take It With You," production 4.

LEON ANDRIENA

Ho, Ho, that's rich! Football 2, 3; French Club 2, 3.





WILLIAM ARSENEAU

Wow, whatta build! Transfer from St. Patrick's 2; Baseball 4; Golf Club 3.

Lois Benocht

You don't know, do you? Transfer from St. Joseph's Seminary 2.





Mary Jo Book

You're so lucky!

Newspaper 3, 4; Annual 4; Chorus 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3; Golf 4; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstel Show 4.

MAXINE CHAMNESS

I'll tell Pee Wee.

Transfer from St. Joseph's Seminary 2; Annual 4; Chorus 3, 4; GAA 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 4; French Club 2.





CAROL CHAPMAN

Huh, what'd you say?

Student Council Secretary 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Art Editor 4; Annual 3; Art Editor 4; Chorus 4; Thespian 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

ROGER DENNISON

It's up to you.
Football 1.



Rose Marie Drummond

Oh, Patsy!

Chorus 4; Archery 3; GAA 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



Reow!

Chorus 1, 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 3; GAA 1; Annual 3.



ARLENE FRECHETTE

That's for sure.

Annual 4; Archery 3; GAA 1, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Thespian 4; Future Homemakers of America 2; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With you," production 4.

BOB GIBSON

I don't know.

Golf 2.







PAT GULCZYNSKI

Don't worry, they'll fix it!

Student Council 4; Class Officer 3; Newspaper 3; Annual 4; Chorus 1; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 3; Future Homemakers of America 1, 3, 4; Thespian 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

CAROLE HASEMEYER

Student Council 1, 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Newspaper 3; Annual 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; GAA 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



MADONNA HEINZE

Wow!

Newspaper 2; Annual 4; Chorus 3; Dramatic Club 3; Future Homemakers of America 1; GAA 2, 3; Golf 4; Thespian 4; Mintrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

DICK HOOKER

Big Deal





Don Huggins

How about that?

Transfer from Momence; Baseball 4; Football 4; Track 4; Golf 4; Varsity 4.

MARY LOU JANUSKI

No, do you really mean it?

Class Officer 4, secretary; Newspaper, assistant editor 3, editor 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2; GAA 1, 2, 3; "Gay Nineties" 2.





FRED JOHNSON

Nuts to you! Golf 3, 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.

LARRY KIRCHNER

What say, boy!

Golf 3, 4; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.





Gosh, what a boring class!
Class Officer 4; Annual 4; Band
1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4;
Photography 4; Science Club 3;
Speech Contest 4; Thespian 4;
"Fog Island," production 3; "You
Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



One of these days, Bob!

Transfer from Olivet; Class Officer 4; Annual 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Football 2; Dramatic Club 3; French Club 2, 3; Golf 3, 4; Speech Contest 4; Thespian 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.





You don't know, do you? Newspaper 2; Annual 4; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, 4; GAA 1, 2, 4.

JOANN MAISONNEUVE Oh, that's wonderful!

Annual 4; French Club 3.













LORRAINE MARTELL

Another day, another F!

Newspaper 3, 4; Annual 4; Chorus 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2; Golf 4; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

PATRICIA MARTIN

Oh, how nice!

GAA 3, 4; Golf 4, secretary and treasurer.



The mail must go through! Football 2, 3, 4; Golf 3; Varsity Club 4.

NYLA NELSON

I'm sorry!

Future Homemakers of America 3, treasurer 4; "Fog Island," production 4.

JOYCE OSENGA

You don't say!

Transfer from Herscher 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.

DARLENE PALMER

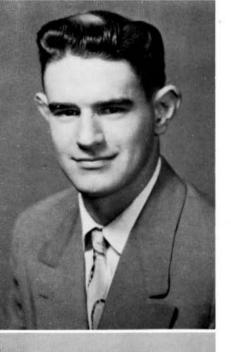
Oh, you kid!

Newspaper 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2, 3; Golf 4; Thespian 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.









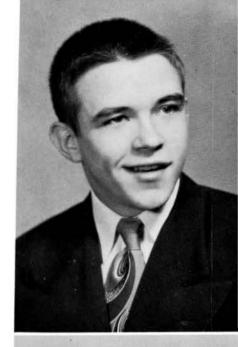
ROBERT PASEL

Let's go to Manteno! Basketball 1, 2, 4; Football 2, 4; Varsity 4.

LAVERN PETERS

Hot Zog!

Student Council 3; Class Officer 3; Newspaper 4; Baseball 1, 3; Basketball 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4; Golf 3, 4; Thespian 4; Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



BEVERLY PETERSON

Are you kidding?

Annual 4; Archery Club 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 2; GAA 1, 2, 3; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.



Down, boy!

Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Newspaper 4; Annual 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Speech Contest 3; Thespian 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



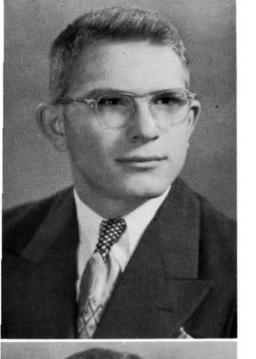




TED POWELL I'll never tell! Transfer from Cullom' 4.

NORMA JEAN RANTZ

Oh, nuts! Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1; GAA 1, 2,



Donald Bilyeu

I'll pay you when I get it.

Class Officer, vice president 4; Basketball 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

KENNETH CALABRIA

Hmmm, Boy!

Student Council, vice president 4; Football 4; Track 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Annual 4; Golf Club 3, 4; Chorus 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.





GERALD CYRIER

Sounds good to me!

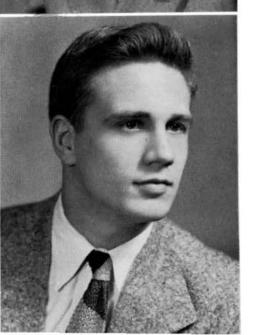
Dramatic Club 3; Golf Club 3; Varsity Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.

MERLIN DEMARAY

Better be safe than sorry.

Transfer from Olivet 2; Dramatic Club 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Fotoflashers 4; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.





WILLIAM FLOYD

Keep cool!

Transfer from Kankakee 2; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.

FRED KRAUSE

Oh, Brother!

Re-entered from Urbana 3; Football 2; Track 2.





GLENWOOD MARTIN Back in '29-"

Class Officer, vice president 1; Basketballball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4; Golf Club 3; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

PHYLLIS PIERSON

Oh, heck!

Class Officer, secretary 1, secretary 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Thespian 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



ROBERT PIPPIN

Holy cow!

Transfer from Onargo M.A. 3; Minstrel Show 4; You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

PAT SADIE

Keep cool!

Class Officer, treasurer 3; Golf Club 3, 4; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



Donna Stark

You idiot.

Re-entered from Cullom 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2; French Club 2; Future Homemakers of America 2; GAA 1, 2, 4; Thespian 4, secretary; Band 1, 2, 4; Girls' Chorus 2, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Gay Nineties" 2.



What are you? Wise guy? Annual 3; French Club 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; "Fog Island," production 3.







CAROLYN RENFRO

A real deal!

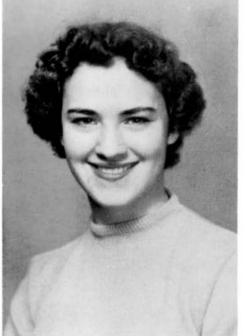
Newspaper 3, 4; Annual 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

PATRICIA RITTMANIC

Want a bet on that?

Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3; GAA 1, 2; "Gay Nineties" 2.





JOAN ROBBINS

You don't know, do you? Chorus 4; Future Homemakers of

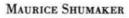
Chorus 4; Future Homemakers of America 1.

MARY LOU SAFIRAN

So!!!

Annual 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2; French Club 2; GAA 1, 2, 3, vice president 4; "Gay Nineties," 2.





M---m, boy!

Newspaper 3; Annual 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4; Photography, secretary-treasurer 4; Science Club 3; Thespian 4; Minstrel Show 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



Give me back my ring!

Class Officer 2; Annual 4; Basketball 1, 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Dramatic Club 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.









LOISJANE SIMONICH

Ding Dong!

Student Council 1, 4; Class Officer 3; Newspaper 1, 2; Annual 3, Literary Editor 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2; GAA 1, 2, secretary-treasurer 3; Speech Contest 3, 4; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; "Fog Island," cast 3; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.

NANCY SIMS

Hi, good-looking!

Chorus 4; Future Homemakers of America 2; Librarian 3.



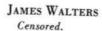
I don't care!

Student Council 3; Newspaper 3, 4; Annual 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Archery Club 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespian 4; "Gay Nineties" 2; Minstrel Show 4.

WILLIAM TRAVIS

I'll raise you twenty.

Dramatic Club 4; Golf Club 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; "You Can't Take It With You," cast 4.



Band 1.

EARL WITTHOFT

If you say so!

Dramatic Club 3; Thespian 4; "Fog Island," production 3; "You Can't Take It With You," production 4.









The Will

We, the Senior Class of 1953, of Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby will and bequeath in this our last will and testament, the following:

I, PAT GULSZYNSKI, leave my gift of gab to Danny Demarah.

I, BOB PIPPIN, my sideburns to Ray Boggs.

- I, LOIS BENOCHE, my outstanding figure to Pat Klafta.
- I, PAT RITTMANIC, my tricky ways of skipping school and getting away with it to Dick Smith.

I. PHYLLIS PIERSON, my cheering ability to Marie La Montagne.

I, MAXINE CHAMNESS, my silly giggle to Shirley and Billy Chamnessfi thereby keeping it in the family.

I, GLENWOOD MARTIN, my masculine ways to Lawrence Duchene.

- I, LEON ANDREINA, my big brown eyes to Mae Marsh, who, we have noticed, likes brown eyes.
- I, LARRY TROUTMAN, my determination to be a bachelor to Glen Sparks.

I, FRED KRAUSE, my technique to Gordon Dawes.

I, DICK PETTIT, my neat clothes to Herb Marlaire.

I, MADONNA HEINZE, my ability to always get my man to Shirley Vaughan.

I, PAT MARTIN, my friendly manner to Eleanor Mills.

I, DON HUGGANS, my blush (when around women) to Eldon Brickle.

I, MIMI DRUMMOND, my sweet disposition to Neila Allen.

I, CAROL CHAPMAN, my steadiness to one guy to Willa Stevens.

I, BOB GIBSON, a package of Camels to Sharon Gardner.

I, TODY LARSON, my gruff voice to Bubbles Dennison.

I, KENNETH CALABRIA, my striking personality to Kenneth Parr.

L, LARRY KIRCHNER, my heart to Margaret La Gesse.

I, GERALD CYRIER, my ability to get along with younger girls to Wylie Nowman.

I, BILL SIKES, my split personality to Ken Cannon and Mary Ann Boggs.

I, DON DRUMMOND, my smart remarks when not needed to Leslie Kent.

I, BILL FLOYD, my Studebaker to Dennis McVoy and Rodney McKenna.

I, MARY JO BOOK, my short hair cut to Marilyn Harrison.

I, BEVERLY ERICKSON, my love letters from Johnny to Ruth Warren and Carol Amiot.

I, DICK HOOKER, my ability to remain small to Jim Allison.

I, RENE MARTELL, my streak of blond hair to Jackie Gulczynski.

I, JOAN ROBBINS, my long curly eye lashes and flirty eyes to Clairann Friedewald and Sharon Hess,

I, DON BILYEU, my height to Wayne Dressler and Tom Messier.

- I, JOYCE OSENGA, my night life at home to Beverly Reed and Jeannine Prince.
- I, EARL WITTHOFT, my way with the women to Kenneth Pangle and Herb Pallissard.

I, MAURIE SHUMAKER, my camera to Don Trudeau and Bill Stuck.

I, BILL TRAVIS, my freckles to Mary Ann Riley and Myrna La Cocq.

I. THERESA AFRICANO, my dancing ability to Jack Beaupre and Chris Hebert.

I. BILL ARSENEAU, a pair of levis to Lawrence Landry.

I, MERLIN DEMARAY, my shyness along with my curly hair to Darel Larkins.

I, ROGER DENNISON, my low waist line to Joan Brown.

- I, CAROLYN RENFRO, my cute little dimples to Betty Burch.
- I, ARLENE FRECHETTE, my temper to Phyllis Lavender.

I, PAUL MARTIN, my gay sense of humor to Mary Buser.

- I, CAROLE HASEMEYER, my wise cracks and smart little sayings to Janice McFarland.
- I, OZZIE PETERS, my excellent ability to play basketball to Don Bourasso and Jim Altmeyer.
- I, DARLENÉ PALMER, my way with Miss Crain to Sandra Johnson.
- I, MARY LOU SAFIRAN, my dilapidated Clarinet to "Chick" Johnson.
- I, BEVERLY PETERSON, my ability to wear clothes well, to Carol McClain.
- I, NORMA JEAN RANTZ, my soothing, musical voice to Phyllis Trumble.
- I, JO ANN MAISONNEUVE, my delicate, slender shape to Joy Thompson.
- I, BARBARA MAGRUDER, my dimples in my nose to Carol Swindord.

The Will

I, GERALD KRAY, my knowledge of chemistry to Charles Wolven and Charles Nolte.

I, MARY LOU JANUSKI, my long trudge to school to Sharon Lenfert and Barbara Raymond.

I, PHILLIP EBY, my telephone number to Betty McCarty.

I, RONALD LEASURE, my slightly terrific report card to Wayne Schierenbeck.

I, TED POWELL, my long legs to Bernard Martin and Roland Stevens.

I, BOB PASEL, my clever little jokes to Don Metschuleit.

I, JIM WALTERS, my flashing brown eyes to Bob Helgeson.

I, JACKIE STOWE, my ways of getting my sentences tangled to Janice Karr, Theresa Kyrouac, and Joyce DeMent.

I, DONNA STARK, my quietness in school to Rita Jester and Shirley Fennell.

I, NANCY SIMS, my disgust for the lower classmen to Joel Gereaux, John Grimes and Don LeBran.

I, LOISJANE SIMONICH, my admiration for B.B.C.H.S. to Robert Davis and Joann Gustin.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, we have herewith affixed our seal this twenty-ninth do of May, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1953+



HAPPY OVER OUR BEQUESTS!

Prophecy

After 10 years of extensive travel during which time I saw some fascinating places, I was returning to Bradley for a short stay. Driving down highway 54, I discovered a familiar looking little woman hanging out washing. It couldn't be—but, yes—it was Terry Africano, now a little housewife taking care of her husband Al and Al Jr. We chatted for a while and she mentioned Leon Andreina, who is making out very well in the fur trading business up north.

As I left Terry, I decided to go to some exclusive place for lunch, but being rather tired, I thought a drive inn seemed best. Coasting in my Cadillac down East Avenue I heard someone shout my name, I turned and there was Lois Benoche, car-hopping at Queens.

Butch Arseneau was in the car next to mine lunching too. He introduced me to his wife—and nine children. She was the former Madonna Heinze!

Since it was early in the afternoon, I thought a stroll around town would be refreshing. As I was coming out of Sears and Hasemeyer Company, now under the management of an old friend, I noticed a moving van stuck on the Schuyler Avenue hill. I knew I'd seen the driver somewhere. Well of course it was "Bobbie Boy" Pippin. Seems that he's moving Ozzie and Jackie Peters' new furniture into their new home. He also conveyed the choicy bit of news that Maurice Shumaker now owns his own camera shop. Maurice is really in the money! He even has several employees. Larry Troutman and Gerald Kray are developing pictures for him. Arlene Frechette is working as receptionist and errand girl. I've always had a feeling that Arlene and Maurice would work well together. Something was certain to develop in that Photographic Studio!

As I was window shopping, I saw Mary Josephine Book in Stark's Hat Shop. The old girl has long black hair now and she has her own beauty shop. She told me that Norma Rantz and Joyce Osenga were in the other day with their two little girls. Mary said that Norma and Jim Walters, Joyce and Ted Powell had a double wedding three years ago.

She just had loads to tell me! It seems that Nancy Simms, Lou Januski, and Bev Erickson are all happily married.

"Toady" Larsen and Nyla Nelson have been engaged for 10 years and any day now she expects him to pop the question.

Bill Sikes and Bill Travis have made a career of the Navy. They have a leave coming up next month, though, and there are rumors that Freddie Johnson is rounding up a big party for the boys. Seems that that Navy career is all that those boys are interested in these days. According to Mary, Fred is aging rapidly.

Gerald Kray and Bill Floyd have a partnership in a big riding stable. It seems that someone has been stealing horses. I was sorry to hear that Merlin Demaray is a suspect. He always did such daring things in school.

At the stable there is also a huge restaurant and a dancing pavilion. Mimi and JoJo Drummond have a cute little number they do as part of the act. It's some sort of ballet, I guess. JoJo always was light on his feet.

There certainly were a lot of old acquaintances out there. It must have taken away all of Rickett's business. A few of the couples were Phyllis Pierson and Ken Calabria. After 10 years, they're still in love! What really surprised me though was big, muscular Fred Krause, still single and living with mother. He always was such a "Casanova" in school.

Prophecy

What a surprise! Loisjane Simonich and Lu Lu Safiran just strolled in. By the looks of these girls, life in Bradley has really been an adventure during the past 10 years. They look ravishing! Social leaders of the city—people are saying.

We thought a drive would be nice, so we left, and now found ourselves heading toward Meadowview. As long as we were here, we thought that we might as well stop at Carol Chapmans. Her son, Johnnie Jr., is having his fifth birthday. Carol's so worried, she had just discovered three gray hairs.

I didn't realize so many of my classmates would be married. Bob Gibson and some little gal seemed deep in conversation. Why, it's Barb McGruder! She certainly has changed. Barb tells me Bob owns a cigarette factory now. That's swell! He once rolled his own, in Geography Class, back in '53. Bob told me that Bob Pasel is making millions from his Truck Stop. Bob went to Hawaii on his vacation and got a little involved when see set fire to some girl's grass skirt.

Everyone seems to be getting along fine. There are a few unhappy ones, though. Without much thought of the future years back in '53, Pat Gulczynski and Pat Rittmanic ran away and joined the Waves for 15 years. Only five years more and they'll be out.

Their two old friends Rene Martell and Lyn Renfro started school at the University of Illinois the fall of '53. Lyn has been out for about six years now. Rene should be out soon.

A handsome, talented Bradley boy by the name of Dick Pettit is now a professional basketball player. He's center for the Minneapolis Lakers. That boy will go far. Don Bilyeau is a traveling salesman selling nylon hose. Good old Don hasn't changed a bit!

JoAnn Robbins is a tap dancer in one of the nation's biggest carnivals.

Earl Witthoft is in movies doing emotional roles. Thanks to Miss Stelter's training, Earl is doing very well.

Glen Martin is getting fabulously rich in the Motel business and is planning a new string of motels for construction in Labrador soon.

Don Huggans and his Music Makers are playing at the Chez Paree. Darlene Palmer and Pat Martin, his vocalists are terrific, and have broken all past records for long engagements.

Poor old Rogie Dennison! I just can't believe that dignified boy is actually mopping floors in the Court House. Poor fellow. Seems he wanted to get down to the bottom of politics.

I'm glad to hear that Larry Kirchiner and Phil Eby are distinguished lawyers. Our old schoolmate Hooker seems to be in need of one. That shy mouse, after 10 years, has finally gotten up enough nerve to break a window at Bradley High School. Oh well, everything can't go smoothly.

But the person that really surprised me was Paul Martin. He's now the principal of Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School. Good old Paul is particularly rough with students who tap their feet on the floor in Study Halls.

So after 10 years, I found that my old classmates have drifted apart, and I hope they've all found happiness in whatever they are doing, but I also hope they'll never forget all the fun they had as kids together in "dear old BBCHS."

Senior Awards



PAT GULCZYNSKI D.A.R. Award Winner

Special awards given to outstanding seniors include the D.A.R. Award, American Legion Awards, valedictory and salutatory awards.

Pat Gulczynski was the recipient of the D.A.R. Award which is based on leadership,

scholarship, service, and citizenship.

The American Legion Awards are given annually to the boy and girl who attain the highest scholastic averages. This year the four students eligible for the awards as based on first semester averages were: Gerald Kray (4.71); Donna Stark (4.66); Carolyn Renfro (4.64); and Loisjane Simonich (4.64).

The valedictory and salutatory awards went to the two top ranking students from

the four mentioned above.

Junior Officers

President Chuck Wolven
Vice President Whitey Martin Secretary Carol McClain
Treasurer Janice McFarland Juniors not pictured

Jack Beaupre Wayne Dressler

Mary Ann Riley Glenn Sparks

Gordon Dawes



CLASS of '54



Neila Allen Jim Allison Jim Altmyer Carol Amiot

Jeanne Benoit Mary Ann Boggs Ray Boggs Don Bourassa

Erna Bressner Eldon Brickle Joann Brown Betty Burch

Mary Buser Ken Cannon Shirley Chamness Bill Chamness

Pat Chaplinski Robert Davis Dennis Demarah Joyce DeMent



Remember The Junior Picnic?



Ron Dennison Lawrence Duchene Adelia Farley Shirley Fennell

Clairann Friedewold Sharon Gardner Joel Gereaux John Grimes

Jackie Gulczynski Joann Gustin Marilyn Harrison Chris Hebert

Bob Helgeson Sharon Hess Rita Jester Sandra Johnson

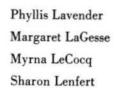
Janice Karr Pat Klafta Theresa Kyrouac Jeannine Lambert



The Juniors Sponsored The 1953 Prom



Marie LaMontagne Lawrence Landry Don LeBran Darel Larkins



Betty McCarty Carol McClain Dennis McCoy Rodney McKenna

Janice McFarland Herb Marlaire Mae Marsh Bernard Martin

Tom Messier Don Metschuleit Eleanor Mills Louise Munroe



The Juniors Won The New Trophy For Their Homecoming Float



Charles Nolte Wylie Nowman Herb Pallisard Ken Pangle





Joy Thompson
Imogene Timm
Don Trudeau
Phyllis Trumble
Judy Underwood
Normie VadeboncoeurShirley Vaughan
Ruth Warren
Charles Wolven















Sophomore Officers

President John Pechauer
Vice President Bob Januski
Vice President Jim Courtney

Secretary-Treasurer John Lowey
Secretary-Treasurer Pat Wulff
Secretary-Treasurer Lawrence Dominiak

Sophomores not pictured

Arther Landry Kay Maas Phil Kelly



CLASS of '55



Neil Allen Richard Allen Dolores Andreina Eunice Armstrong





Tom Carney
Bill Conn
Mary Cote
Jim Courtney

Shirley Demarah David DeMotte Roberta DeMoyer Lawrence Dominiak

Joann Dressler Shirley Drummond Robert Ed Joe Fagg













Have You Sold For Concessions Yet?



Jim Flora Gerald Gersch Jerry Gibson JoAnne Goodknecht

Paul Gullett Marilyn Hawkins Chuck Hays Walter Hisel

Laurann Jackson Tony Jamnick Bob Januski Marshall Jensen

Paul Kerouac Jackie Kerr Barbara Keys James Kimberlin

Pat Kinder
Bob Kuffel
Beverly LaRoche
Joan Larsen

Carol LeBran
Duane LeClair
Clarence LeDuke
John Lowey













Did You Have Fun at The Square Dance?



Jo Anne Magruder Robert Marcotte Gerald Messier Richard Milligan

Lowell Moody Ken Morris Donna Mulligan Bob Nelson

Ann Neumann Charles Nichols Tom Nicholson Sue Nolte

Walter Nolte
Ron Nowman
Pat O'Connor
Betty O'Tool

Stuart Otterlee Don Pallisard John Pechauer Ed Peltier

Clifford Peters Dixie Peterson Theresa Petko Ona Pombert













Have You Thought of Your Prom Theme Yet?



Donald Prairie Pat Prince Gretchen Rapp Marlene Rittmanic

Barbara Roberts Leo Rosendahl John Ross Susan Rucker

Norman Russell Jim Sheahan Kenneth Siefert John Sims

Tom Striegel
David Swain
Jerry Swinford
John Thalacker

Eugene Tinney Marilyn Topliff Vivian Williams Janette Witthoft

Lanette Witthoft
Pat Wulff
Constance Zachary
Robert Zasada













Freshman Officers

PresidentKaren LambertVice PresidentJoe MillsSecretaryWayne BenoitTreasurerLarry Moody

Freshmen not pictured

Bob Giasson Charles Kennedy Carmaleta Pence Bernardine Schultz Bob Turner James Vaughan James Menard



CLASS of '56



Andrew Andrews Inez Armstrong Lorraine Baldwin Robert Barney

Maureen Benoche Wayne Benoit Carol Betourne Dorothy Boggs

Judy Boudreau Beverly Brosseau Donald Buser Terry Calvin

Roger Castongia Gerald Chamness Sharon Cook Jerome Coyne

Inez Dauphin George Davidson Glen Davis David Ed

Karen Emme Sandra Erickson Boyd Fees Darrell Fennell

Iris Frechette Dale Fuller Sylvia Gall Jeanette Gerretse



Did You Faithfully Turn Out For All The School Games?



Joseph Giusti David Gobble Stephen Goudreau Bill Gray

Fred Hasemeyer Darlene Hensley Judy Hess Betty Hester

Betty Huggans Peggy Inman Laurence Johnson James Karnes

Charles Kavaney Margaret Kelly Barbara Kerouac Beverly Keys

Carl Koerner Raymond Krizan James Kyrouac John Kyrouac

Marilyn LaGesse Vernon LaGesse Celeste Lambert Jerome Lambert

Karen Lambert Shirley LaMontagne Barbara Landry Rodney Leasure















Remember Freshman Initiation? (How Could You Forget!)



Jerry Lowey Don Lytle Viva Lee McCarty Ronald McGilvra

Loretta McQuillin Jackie Marcotte Judy Martin Walter Merrill

Robert Messier Joseph Mills Lawrence Moody Charles Morris

Leo Morris Sharon Mulligan Jackie Munroe Lynn Nichols

Beverly Osenga Carolyn Owens Joyce Owen Lois Pallisard

Barbara Pangle Dean Penrod Richard Prairie Joyce Pray

Elaine Reed Gerald Regnier Mildred Robbins Donald Rosendahl



Did You Enjoy The Minstrel Show?



Delores Schorey Lewis Schorey Joanne Siefert Phyllis Smiley

Bonnie Sorensen Edward Sovinski Janice Stevens Peggy Stilley

John Stoyner Violet Stowe Janet Stuck Theodore Tomaszewski

Jim Travis Cecilia Trost Diane Vadeboncoeur Barbara Vollman

Lorranine Walters Sherman Walters Tom Warren Gary White

Larry Wilkins George Witthoft Phyllis Wright Dorthy Zasada





Freshman



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Last







First row: Karen Lambert, Robert Davis, Jack Beaupre, Ken Calabria, Carol Chapman. Second row: Miss Fiene, Jackie Gulcyznski, Sharon Lenfert, Wylie Nowman, Pat Gulczynski, Dick Pettit, Loisjane Simonich, Mr. Anderson.

Third row: Joyce Owen, Susan Rucker, John Thalacker, Stuart Otterlee, Chuck Hays, Andy Andrews, Wayne Benoit, Gary White.

Student Council

On September 12 the school seemed to be rocking with noise. Yes, it was the big day. The Student Council election was being held. Some of the features were parades, campaigns, speeches and platform banners posted throughout the school. The vote was taken and on Monday the results were posted. Elected were: president, Jack Beaupre; vice president, Ken Calabria; secretary, Carol Chapman; treasurer, Robert Davis. This was the beginning of a successful student council.

Representatives were elected from homerooms and the council got right down to business. With the help of faculty advisors, Miss Fiene and Mr. Anderson, it tackled such major problems as Homecoming dance and parade. In December it sponsored a Clean Your Locker Week. Another new project of the council was the formation of a new intramural program. It also restored the right to vote for cheerleaders to the students.

The council feels that it has had a very successful year.

Sponsors-MISS ELIZABETH FIENE and MR. WILLIAM ANDERSON

The Bradleyan staff has published the school paper twice a month during the past year. Although much of the responsibility of producing the paper rests upon the seniors, several staff members have been juniors who have been learning the routine of the publication for the next year.

Newspaper Staff



First row: Donna Stark, Ozzie Peters, Mary Lou Januski, Dick Pettit, Carol Chapman.

Second row: Jackie Stowe, Phyllis Pierson, Madonna Heinze, Mary Jo Book, Lawrence Duchene, Carolyn Renfro, Carole Hasemeyer, Darlene Palmer, Mr. Mitchell.

Third row: Susan Rucker, Sharon Gardner, Mae Marsh, Carol McClain, Marilyn Harrison, Sharon Lenfert, Mary Ann Boggs, Joann Brown.

Fourth row: Connie Zachery, Adelia Farley, Mary Buser, Lorraine Martell, Judy Underwood, Shirley Chamness.



Left to right: Dixie Peterson, Joan Larsen, Lanette Witthoft, Arlene Frechette, Miss Stelter, Myrna LaCocq, Mae Marsh.

The Library Staff

Student librarians assist with much of the desk and check-out work in the library. Student librarians are on duty during three of the six daily class periods. Those who served this year as student librarians were: Myrna LeCocq, Dixie Peterson, Arlene Frechette, Joan Larsen, Lynette Withoft and Mae Marsh. Over fifty new books were added to the library during the past year. Miss Agnes Stelter serves as Teacher-librarian.

Sponsor -MISS AGNES STELTER

Les Traducteurs

The French club, Les Traducteurs was organized this year in two divisions with officers elected from the beginning and advanced French classes. Chairmen of the two divisions were Susan Rucker and Charles Wolven. Some meetings were divisional while other meetings were group sessions. The club included among its activities correspondence with students in France and its provinces, participation in the National French Contest, and publication during the second semester of a French newspaper. Films on France and French life were enjoyed, and an assembly was presented by the club in the spring. Social activities included the annual Christmas party.



First row: John Pechauer, Louise Munroe, Janice McFarland, Sue Rucker, Chuck Wolven, Miss Stelter, Glenn Sparks.

Second row: Beverly Keys, Jeanette Gerretse, Andy Andrews, Don Lytle, Kevin Schultz, Barbara Vollmer, Mae Marsh, Shirley Vaughan.

Third row: Eleanor Mills, Laurann Jackson, Ann Neumann, Donna Mulligan, Gretchen Rapp, Carol McClain, Rita Jester, Connie Zachary.

Fourth row: Sue Nolte, Gordon Dawes, Roland Baron, Glen Davis, Dick Prairie, Jerome Lambert, Neil Allen, Joy Thompson.

Fifth row: Marvin Karnes, Charles Nichols, Ronald Dennison, Boyd Fees, Bob Davis, Terry Calvin, Larry Duchene, Lewis Schorey.

Sixth row: Steve Goudreau, Larry Johnson, Dick Smith, Dick Pettit, Lauren Larsen, Eugene Tinney, Merlin Demaray, Stuart Otterlee, Robert Ed.



First row: Theresa Africano, Donna Stark, John Pechauer, Lauren Larsen, Miss Stelter. Second row: Beverly Peterson, Madonna Heinze, Pat Gulczynski, Carolyn Renfro, Lorraine Martell, Marilyn Hawkins, Rose Drummond, Sharon Hess, Jackie Stowe, Arlene Frechette, Carole Hasemeyer. Third row: Carol Chapman, Loisjane Simonich, Pat Sadie, Glenn Sparks, Ken Calabria, Dick Pettit, Merlin Demaray, Gerald Kray, Earl Witthoft, Darlene Palmer, Phyllis Pierson.

Thespian Troupe 223

Thespian Troupe No. 223 was co-sponsor of the Dixie Melody Minstrels together with the Dramatic Club. 25 pledges were inducted into Troupe No. 223 in an appropriate ceremony in February. Several students participated in the Annual Speech Contest. Officers included: John Pechauer, president; Theresa Africano, vice president; Donna Stark, secretary and Lauren Larson, treasurer. Pledges and members also participated in the class plays and in the Thanksgiving one-act play for assembly.

Sponsor-MISS AGNES STELTER

Dramatic Club

The Dramatic Club joined with Thespian Troupe No. 223 to sponsor the Dixie Melody Minstrels in January. Seven members participated in The Thanksgiving Dinner, a one-act play for the holiday assembly. Several of the Dramatic Club members were among the participants in the annual speech contest. Officers included: Shirley Chamness, president; Mary Ann Boggs, vice president, and Dick Smith, secretary.

Sponsor-MISS AGNES STELTER



First row: Sandra Erickson, Sharon Mulligan, Marilyn LaGesse, Mary Ann Boggs, Shirley Chamness, Dick Smith, Miss Stelter, Barbara Raymond, Judy Martin.

Second row: Pat Chaplinski, Maxine Chamness, Jeannine Prince, Shirley Vaughan, Judy Underwood, Mae Marsh, Jeannine Lambert, Willa Stevens, Myrna LeCocq, Jackie Gulczynski.

Third row: Phyllis Trumble, Mary Buser, Carol Swinford, Janice Karr, Dixie Peterson, Shirley Drummond, Adelia Farley, Shirley Fennell, Janice McFarland, Ruth Warren.

Fourth row: Don Drummond, Betty Hester, Jackie Marcotte, Karen Emme, Margaret LaGesse, Joann Gustin, Sandra Johnson, Celeste Lambert, Donna Mulligan, Erna Bressner.

Fifth row: Larry Kirtchner, Ozzie Peters, Joy Thompson, Carol McClain, Connie Zachary, Vivien Williams, Pat Wuff, Sue Nolte, Joan Brown, Sue Rucker, Marilyn Harrison.

Sixth row: Glen Martin, Bill Travis, Bill Sikes, Carl Koerner, Boyd Fees, Steve Goudreau, Larry Johnson, Lawrence Duchene, Ronald Dennison, Jerome Lambert, Gordon Dawes, Phillip Eby.

Speech Contest



The District Speech Contest was held again at Bradley this year on March 7. Schools participating were: Blue Island, Bradley, Calumet City, (Thornton Fractional), Clifton (Central), Cullom, Dwight, Harvey (Thornton), Kempton, St. Anne, and Streator. Winners of first, second and third places in the District advanced to the Sectional tournament held at Joliet on March 27. First and second place winners in the Sectional Contest advanced to the State Finals at Champaign in April.

Bradley was represented this year by Marilyn Hawkins in the divisions of Serious Prose Reading and Verse Reading, Donna Stark in Original Monologue, Connie Zachary in Original Oration, Glenn Sparks in Oratorical Declamation, Gerald Kray in Extempore Speaking, John Pechauer in Comedy Reading, and Lauren Larson in Radio Speaking.

Miss Agnes Stelter was Coach of Speech Contest Events.

Dramatics



The Senior Class presented its annual play, a three-act comedy, You Can't Take It With You on November 13-14 in the gym. Proceeds of the play went to the Senior gift to the school. Miss Agnes Stelter directed the play.

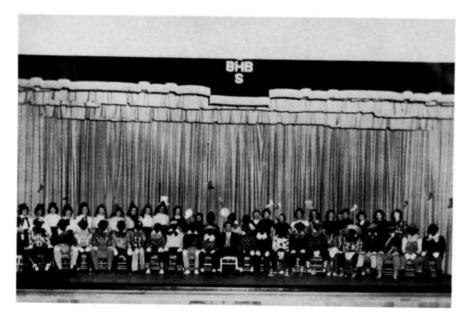


"The play's the thing....."

The Dramatic Club and Thespian Troupe No. 223 presented *Dixie Melody Minstrels* in the gym on January 23. A cast of seventy students participated. Miss Agnes Stelter was the director and Miss Jonell Petroski was accompanist. *The Thanksgiving Dinner* was presented as a one-act for November's holiday.







Future Homemakers of America

Officers for FHA are: president, Barbara Magruder; vice president, Pat Gulczynski; secretary, Jackie Kerr; treasurer, Nyla Nelson; historians, Carol Swinford and Sandra Johnson; and parliamentarian, Willa Stevens. Various chairmen were: recreation, Terry Petko; projects, Lanette Witthoft; finance, Margaret Lagesse; publicity, Jeannine Prince and Dolores Andreina; Chapter Mother, Mrs. Bea Sikes.

Barbara Magruder was the club's representative to the FHA State Camp in Bloomington and in the fall six delegates were sent to the House of Delegates meeting.

The money-making schemes for the year included: a Square Dance, the selling of swishers and candy sales.

The money was used for social activities including a hayride, a GAA-FHA Christmas party and entertaining of mothers.

The members did a community service when they prepared 6000 T.B. folders for mail.

Pins were presented to all members.

Degrees may be earned by participating in other activities apart from the regular meetings.



First row: Pat Gulczynski, Jackie Kerr, Barbara Magruder, Nyla Nelson, Miss Crain.

Second row: Lanette Witthoft, Margaret Lagesse, Jeannine Prince, Sandra Johnson, Teresa Petko, Dolores Andreina, Carol Swinford, Willia Stevens.

Third row: Carol LeBran, Dorothy Boggs, Joan Dressler, Joann Magruder, Janice Stevens, Jackie Gulczynski, Barbara Keys, Janette Witthoft, Carol Amiot, Marlene Rittmanic.

Fourth row: Mary Cote, Judy Martin, Dixie Peterson, Barbara Landry, Celeste Lambert, Phyllis Smiley, Cecelia Trost, Violet Stowe, Shirley Drummond.

Fifth row: Shirley Demarah, Joan Larsen, Joan Gustin, Marilyn Hawkins, Imogene Timm, Pat Wulff, Vivian Widiams, Caroline Bertrand, Ona Pombert, Pat Prince.



Band

The band, under the able direction of Mr. Baker, has contributed that lively musical atmosphere at the home basketball games and at some of the games of the K.V.C. tournament. The formations at football games, and especially at the Homecoming game and at the Homecoming celebration at Normal State Teachers College were outstanding. On the later occasion, Bradley acquired a second place rating.

The band participated in solo and ensemble numbers at the District Music Contest. Winter and spring concerts were presented to the public. One of the appearances of the band came with Bradley's participation in the parades for the Republican and Democratic National Nominees when they appeared in Kankakee.



ALTO SAX Betty Hester Robert Ed Robert Barney

ALTO HORN Robert Turner

BARITONE Gerald Kray

TWIRLERS Joan Brown Betty Burch Judy Underwood Mary Ann Boggs Shirley Chamness CLARINETS
Gretchen Rapp
Shirley Vaughn
Mary Lou Safiran
Willa Stevens
Phyllis Trumble
Norma Jean Rantz

TROMBONES Charles Wolven Lewis Shorey Ronald McGilora Kenneth Morris

Boyd Fees

PERCUSSION Maurice Shumaker Ronald Dennison Pat Kinder Glen Davis Susan Rucker CORNETS
Carol Swinford
Robert Davis
Larry Troutman
Dick Smith
Donna Stark
Carl Koerner
Lawrence Moody

BELL LYRES Mary Lou Januski Loisjane Simonich

BASS Beverly Osenga



First row: Carol Chapman, Joyce Owens, Marlene Rittmanic, Carol LaBran, Dorothy Boggs, Shirley Chamness, Sandra Erickson, Elaine Reed, Bonnie Sorenson, Violet Stowe, Sharon Mulligan, Mr. James Baker.

Second row: Judy Underwood, Joann Magruder, Peggy Inman, Darlene Hensley, Janice Stephens, Lorraine Walters, Barbara Kerouac, Marilyn LaGesse, Judy Martin, Beverly Keys, Joann Dressler, Mary Ann Boggs, Carol Betourne.

Third row: Shirley Drummond, Norma Jean Rantz, Cecila Trost, Sharon Lenfert, Sandra Johnson, Mary Coty, Pat Prince, Shirley Demarah, Jackie Gulczynski, Joyce Pray, Rose Drummond, Janet Stuck.

Fourth row: Shirley Vaughan, Mary Buser, Beverly Brosseau, Jackie Marcotte, Peggy Stilley, Eunice Armstrong, Marilyn Hawkins, Joan Goodkneckt, Iris Frechette, Carolyn Owens, Barbara Pangle, Myrna LeCocq.

Fifth row: Inex Armstrong Phyllis Smiley, Betty Hester, Beverlyn Erickson, Barbara Landry, Dorothy Zasada, Diane VadeBoncor, Karen Emme, Celeste Lambert, Erna Bressner, Judy Boudreau, Carolyn Bertrand.

Sixth row: Beverly Osenga, Susan Rucker, Joan Brown, Pat Wulff, Loisjane Simonich, Joyce Osenga, Mary Lou Safiron, Connie Zachary, Mary Lou Januski, Vivian Williams, Imogene Timm, Gretchen Rapp.



First row: Jackie Stowe, Jackie Kerr, Carol Amiot, Mae Marsh, Sharon Hess, Adelia Farley, Pat Newberg, Theresa Africano, Barbara Raymond, Mr. Baker.

Second row: Jeanine Prince, Sharon Gardner, Madonna Heinz, Lauran Jackson, Ona Pombert, Beverly LaRoach, Louise Monroe, Donna Stark, Carol Hasemeyer.

Third row: Joan Larson, Marilyn Harrison, Betty McCarty, Phyllis Pierson, Theresa Petko, Marilyn Topliff, Sue Nolte, Carol McClain, Carolyn Renfro.



Mixed Chorus

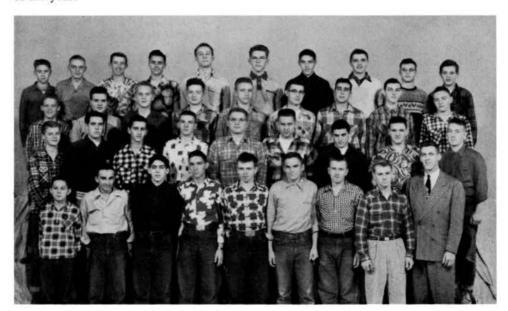
First row: Sharon Hess, Jackie Marcotte, Marilyn Harrison, Ronald Dennison, Mr. Baker, Lewis Shorey, Joann Gustin, Jackie Kerr.

Second row: Lauran Jackson, Susan Rucker, Bob Januski, Glenn Sparks, Chris Hebert, Bernerd Martin, Judy Underwood, Sharon Gardner.

Third row: Connie Zachary, Loisjane Simonich, Darel Larkins, Lauren Larsen, John Pechauer, John Lowey, Marilyn Topliff, Carol McClain.

Activities in the chorus increased this year with the increased membership. One hundred and forty-nine members are now included in choral groups. Contest activities included participation in vocal solo, ensemble and chorus divisions.

A spring concert featuring the band and chorus was one of the musical highlights of the year.



Boys' Chorus

First row: Jerry Lowey, Harley Baldwin, Gerald Messier, James Altmyer, Chris Hebert, Kenneth Pangle, Bill Chamness, Bernard Martin, Mr. Baker.

Second row: Bill Conn, Glenn Sparks, Robert Januski, Charles Hayes, Ken Calabria, Don Metschuleit, Clarence Le Duke, Dwayne LeClaire, John Lowey.

Third row: Eugene Davidson, Ronald Dennison, Stuart Otterlee, Richard Allen, Eldon Brickle, John Thalacker, Maury Shumaker, Jack Beaupre, Jim Courtney.

Fourth row: Boyd Fees, Kay Maas, John Ross, Don Lyth, John Pechauer, Lauren Larsen, Wylie Nowman, Darel Larkins, Charles Wolven, Stephen Goudreau.

G.A.A.



First row: Lorraine Baldwin, Joyce Owen, Sharon Mulligan, Carol LeBran, Carol Amiot, Barbara Magruder, Jackie Stowe, Jackie Kerr, Betty Huggans. Second row: Joan Dressler, Phyllis Wright, Beverly Keys, Miss Fiene, Pat Wulff, Jeannine Lambert, Mary Lou Safiran, Shirley Drummond, Barbara Kerouac, Violet Stowe. Third row: Barbara Keys, Carol Petourne, Norma Jean Rantz, Sharon Lenfert, Janice McFarland, Mae Marsh, Maxine Chamness, Janice Stevens, Jackie Gulczynski, Janet Stuck, Joanne Dressler. Fourth row: Jeannine Prince, Shirley Vaughan, Marilyn Lagesse, Sylvia Gall, Beverly Osenga, Joan Pangle, Beverly Brosseau, Betty Hester, Loretta McQullin, Joan Siefert, Mary Cote. Fifth row: Shirley Fennel, Willa Stevens, Donna Stark, Iris Frechette, Peggy Stilley, Karen Emme, Viva McCarty, Jackie Marcotte, Lyn Renfro, Janice Karr, Carol Swinford. Sixth row: Shirley Demarah, Pat Prince, Ona Pombert, Eunice Armstrong, Rose Drummond, Caroline Bertrand, Marilyn Hawkins, Joanne Gustin, Donna Mulligan, Celeste Lambert, Barbara Landry. Seventh row: Pat Martin, Susan Rucker, Beverly LaRoche, Marilyn Topliff, Sue Nolte, Phyllis Pierson, Vivian Williams, Teresa Petko, Delores Andriena, Gretchen Rapp, Margaret LaGesse.

The Girls Athletic Association has carried on an active program for the entire year. It's activities consisted of volleyball, basketball, bowling, archery, tennis, hiking, softball, and swimming at the Y.M.C.A.

Other activities sponsored by the GAA during the year were the Co-Rec Party, the skating party, the box-social, a pot-luck picnic, Dads' night, and a Mother-Daughter tea.

Outside activities attended to by the GAA members consisted of the Play Day at Bloom, the Workshop at La Grange, and a Modern Dance Workshop at Kankakee.

The officers for the Association included: Jeannie Lambert, president; Mary Lou Safiran, vice president; and Pat Wulff, secretary-treasurer. A GAA board was added this year with members consisting of: Phyllis Pierson, Janice McFarland, Pat Prince, Marilyn Topliff, Barbara Kerouac, Pat Martin, and the regular GAA officers.

The Golf Club has been functioning this year with a membership of approximately twenty-two members.

Meetings have been held weekly, and practice sessions have taken place in the gym during the winter months. New members have learned the fundamentals of the game and former members have been striving to improve their forms and score.

During the summer the members are making plans to work out at the regular coarse.

President Norman VadeBoncouer
Vice President Ozzie Peters
Secretary Pat Martin

Golf Club



First row: Ozzie Peters, Carol Swinford, Janice Karr, Norman VadeBoncoeur, Pat Martin, Mr. Williams, Lorraine Martell.

Second row: Mary Jo Book, Madonna Heinz, Theresa Africano, Darlene Palmer, Margaret LeGesse, Willa Stevens, Janice McFarland, Lauren Larson.

Third row: Don Drumond, Larry Kirchner, Ken Calabria, Bernard Martin, Don Huggins, Fred Johnson, Bob Helgeson, Pat Sadie.

Sponsor-MR. DAVE WILLIAMS





The Crowning of the 1952 Prom Queen and King

The Junior-Senior Prom

The theme of the prom was Stardust and although it was raining, there were stars in the eyes of the couples who danced to the melodies of Chuck Granger and his Downbeats.

The Kankakee Golb Club was the scene and the decorations were in keeping with

that haunting melody, Star Dust.

As the orchestra swung into the theme melody, Marlene Lambert and Bill Sikes danced out on the floor, after being crowned Queen and King of the 1952 Junior-Senior Prom by Connie Weise and Leon Marlaire, Prom Queen and King of 1951. The attendants to the Queen and King were: Carol Chapman, Mary Lou Januski, Phyllis Pierson, Jackie Stowe, Don Bilyeau, Gerald Cyrier, Ozzie Peters, and Dick Pettit.

As the clock struck twelve, the couples started to leave, and the Juniors felt that all their hard work and preparations were well worth the effort.





Homecoming

The Welcome Alumni banners were flying at ye old alma mater on October 9th. The occasion of course, was Homecoming. The evening was cold and windy but the hearts of the Alumni were warm with memories of school days. Bright floats, with decorations vieing with the wind, passed in parade down our Broadway. Our big Homecoming dream was achieved when we beat Gilman by a decisive victory. Then pleasant dancing to the sweet music of Chuck Granger and the Downbeats.

The climax of the evening came when Jackie Stowe was crowned Homecoming Queen of 1952 by co-captain Ozzie Peters. The Queen's attendants were Pat Martin, Sandra Johnson, Marilyn Hawkins, and Judy Martin who were escorted by members of the football team.

A perfect Homecoming—the kind to dream about and the kind to remember.





Standing: Maurice Shumaker, Mr. Anderson.

First row: Gretchen Rapp, Teresa Petko, Jerry Messier, Eugene Tinney, David Swain, Gerald Kray, Mr. Canham.

Second row: Connie Zachary, Erna Bressner, Jo Ann Magruder, Rita Jester, John Lowey, Neil Allen, Merlin Demaray, Paul Gullet.

Third row: Carol Lebran, Dorothy Boggs, Cacelia Trost, Phillis Smiley, Bard Pangle, Eunice Armstrong, Beverly LaRoche, Larry Johnson, Jimmy Vaughn, Gary White, Jim Sheahan.

"Fotoflashers"

The Fotoflashers is a new club formed this year. It is open to only the students who are really interested and active in photography.

There are twenty-eight members in the club. The officers are: President, Pat Kinder; Vice President, Gerald Kray; Secretary-Treasurer, first semester, Terry Petko; Secretary-Treasurer, second semester, Maurice Shumaker.

Some of the projects accomplished were learning how to take, develop, and print pictures, and getting equipment for the school darkroom. Several field trips for taking pictures were enjoyed. Much portrait photography was also done.

Sponsors-MR. DURWOOD CANHAM and MR. WILLIAM ANDERSON



AUGUST

27—Freshmen learn their way around Bradley High.

SEPTEMBER

1-Happy birthday, Mary Jo.

2—Everyone is back to the old grind.

- 3—First full day of classes. Homework, too!
 5—Freshman initiation. Boy did they look odd!
 - Also had a party that night.
- 8—Election of class officers. Happy birthday, Merlin.
- Juniors and Seniors nominate officers for Student Council.
- 12—Campaign speeches by Student Council nominees. Later on an election. First football game with Pontiac. Tied 0-0.
- 15—Congratulations to Student Council officers. A triple happy birthday to Rene, Maurice, and Barb Magruder.
- 17—Happy birthday, Pat Gulczynski.

18—Happy birthday, Bill Sikes.

19-Won football game with St. Anne, 7-6.

- 21—Happy birthday Arlene, Bill Stogner, and Bill Travis.
- 22—Senior play chosen.

24—Tryouts for the play.

26-First home game. Lost to Lockport 27-20

OCTOBER

2—Happy birthday, Phyllis.

3-Played Central here. Won 13-0.

- 8—Gee, were those six weeks tests hard! Didn't time go fast?
- 9—Homecoming. We beat Gilman 14-7. Jackie sure made a nice homecoming queen.

13—Seniors get their class rings. Finally!

- 14—Report cards are passed out. Well, I'll do better next time.
- 17-Bradley won the game with Momence 27-13.

21-Another birthday for Paul Martin.

- 24—Got off school early to go to game at Crete. Got slaughtered 32-0.
- 30—Lost our last game, which was with St. Pats, 26-6. Happy birthday, Jim Walters.

NOVEMBER

- 13-14—Senior Class play, You Can't Take It With You.
- 13—Stork gave repeat performance at Bradley High. Mr. Canham was graced with a 10 pound bouncing baby boy and later in the day the William Andersons welcomed another little girl into the family.

14-Chem lab . . . Boom, boom! Gerald Kray in hos-

pital. Maury "subs" in play cast.

NOVEMBER

18-Happy birthday to our class president.

19—Second six weeks and more of those six week tests. Time marches on.

19—Harlem Globetrotters make appearance here, playing Bradley All-Stars. Score, 64-44. But Bradley tried.

21-FHA sponsors a square dance.

26—Dramatic Club assembly one-act play this morning. Report cards this afternoon. (And I thought I'd do better next time!) Basketball season opens at Bloom. Lost both games. (Varsity score, 46-40.) Happy birthday, Ted Powell. Thanksgiving vacation begins.

27-How does everyone feel after all the turkey?

28-Happy birthday, Mary Lou Safarin.

29—Played Cal City here. Lost Frosh-Soph game, 40-35. Won Varsity, 45-42. Happy birthday, Joyce Osenga.

30-Another year gone by. You're aging fast, Carol Chapman.

DECEMBER

2-Played Momence, Won both of the games.

5—Played St. Anne. A double victory again. Varsity 52-49. Frosh-Soph, 38-30.

8—French Club had a Christmas party. Joyeux Noel!
9—Band concert. Nice! Mr. Baker dazzles audience

in new white uniform.

10—Christmas party for Home Ec. girls and their mothers. Refreshments, too!

11-Co-Rec party sponsored by GAA.

12—Played St. Pats there. Victories! Varsity 58-57. Frosh-Soph 48-32.

13-Played Thorton . . . lost both games.

15—Another birthday for Ozzie.

16—Gloom prevails over Bradley. We played KKK here and lost both games. Frosh-Soph 39-57. Varsity 52-80.

19—Christmas assembly. School's out and my shopping isn't even started. Played Crete there. Won both games.

 Happy birthday Dick Pettit. Too bad it's so near Christmas.

22—Carole Hasemeyer gets an orchid on her 17th birthday. Lucky!

25—Did Santa treat you well? 27—Happy birthday, Phil Eby.

29—Christmas tourney starts at Kankakee. We Iost first game to Joliet 75-71.





DECEMBER

30-Played Bloomington in Consolation. Lost again.

JANUARY

- 1—Were you with the high school crowd at the Armory last night? Oh, yeah!
- 5—Back to school again. Rise and shine. Notice all of the new clothes.
- 6—Played Crete here. Won 47-38. Frosh-Soph won, too.
- 7—Senior party. More than enough food. Happy birthday, Fred Johnson.
- 9-Played Gilsen there.
- 12-KVC Tourney starts at Bradley.
- 14—In and out in a hurry. Lost to Peotone by two points. A real heart breaker.
- 15—Semester tests. Rough!!! Holiday tomorrow to recuperate. Teachers work.
- 17—Central grabs the largest trophy. Manteno second, Peotone third.
- 19—Another year gone by in Reno's life.
- 20—Slaughter at Central. Inauguration!
- 21—Lost to Bloom, 56-54. That was a heartbreaker. Frosh-Soph lost also.
- 22—Minstrel show cancelled for the first night when Miss Stelter gets the flu. (And I knew my steps, too.)
- 23—The show is on tonight. Interlocutor Pettit's turn for flu. Peppin goes in in his place. "Gentlemen, be seated." . . . "St. Louis woman, with those diamond rings" . . .
- 26-Did you give your share to the March of Dimes?
- 29-GAA skating party. Did you go?
- 30—St. Anne plays here and we lose by one point. What a disappointment! And a happy birthday to Jo Ann Maisonneuve.

FEBRUARY

- 1—A month of great men. Happy birthday, Larry Kirchner.
- 3—Happy birthday, groundhog and Lois Simonich. We even our score with Peotone by beating them by 12 points.
- 11—GAA initiation and slumber party.
- 12—Theresa Africano and Abraham Lincoln have birthdays today. We got a holiday because of Lincoln's birthday, not Theresa's. Band Boosters sponsor a party for the band tonight. King and Queen . . . Tom Nees and Beverly Osenga.

FEBRUARY

13-Momence there and we won!

17—Central here and this was a bad one to lose. Happy birthday Glen Martin. New school song?

19—Registration begins for underclassmen for next year. Do you have all your electives chosen?

20-Gilman here . . . and . . .

21-Blue Island here. Season closes at home.

23—Junior class play cast chosen. "Seventeenth Summer" will be presented in April.

24—Watseka there. Congratulations, seniors on four hard years of playing. Last game on the schedule.

MARCH

2-6-Regional basketball tourney at Joliet.

7—District speech contest at Bradley. Heavy competition. Good luck, kids. Happy birthday, Earl Wiitthoft.

11-13-Sectional basketball tournament.

13—Assembly for music contests.

14—District solo and ensemble contest. Music in the air. Happy birthday. Maxine Chamness and Pat Rittmanic.

18-20—State tournament at Champaign. We'll be there next year!

21-FHA Rally at St. Anne.

23-Co-Rec party in the gym.

28-Sectional speech contest at Joliet.

APRIL

3-7—Easter Vacation. Swell!

9-10-Juniors give play. Nice performance.

13-Happy birthday on your 17th, Carolyn.

17-18—State final speech contest.

20—Powells in assembly.

MAY

2-Play day for GAA.

7—Dad-Daughters night.

15-The big night! Prom. Something to dream about.

24-Baccalaureate. We like our gowns!

28—Commencement! Au revoir. Those four years sure

29—Senior assembly. . . . Class day. Carry on, under classmen!



The Band Mothers Club of last year was re-organized this year into the Band Boosters Club and fathers of band members, as well as others in the community interest in the progress of the band were welcomed into membership.

Among fund-raising activities sponsored by the club were a bake sale, a raffle, a

chili supper, and a tag day.

The club is hoping to continue to grow and to plan for assisting in improving the scope of band activities and achievement.

Officers of the organization were:

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Varsity Club

Membership in the Varsity Club is limited to lettermen from football, basketball, baseball, and track. In November the Varsity Club sponsored a game between the BRADLEY ALL STARS and THE HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS as an introduction to the Basketball season.

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Bradley Boilermakers

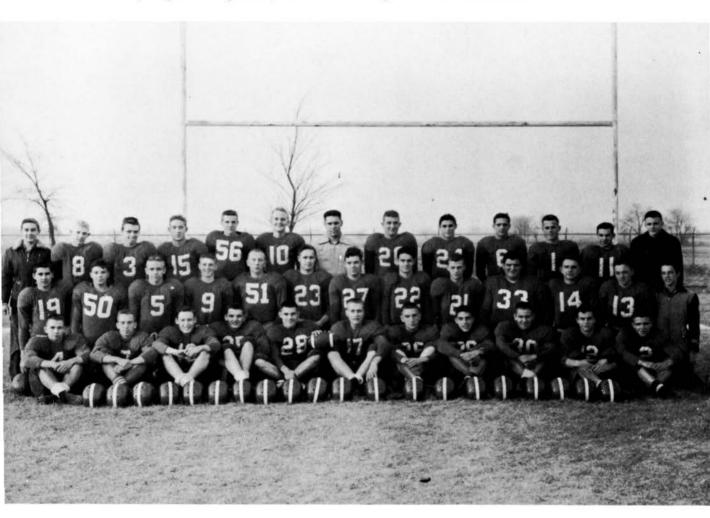
Bradley's young and inexperienced Boilermakers traveled to Pontiac for their first football game. The Indians had a good football team but the Bradley team showed them the kind of fight that was to be characteristic of them all season.

The next team that the Boilermakers met was the St. Anne Cardinals. We defeated them on "Ozzie" Peters' touchdown and Dick Pettit's extra point 7-6. The Lockport "Porters" handed Bradley its first defeat 27-20.

The Boilermakers got back on the winning trail by defeating Central 13-0. Again "Ozzie" scored both touchdowns. "Who's next, please?" asked the Boilermakers, and they grabbed the Gilman Owls and sent them home much wiser. The 14-7 victory was the perfect climax for the Homecoming. After that the team traveled to Momence and scalped the "Redskins" 27-13.

Alas, after three victories, the Boilermakers were defeated by Crete 32-0. Crete went on to win the K.V.C. For the last game of the season, Bradley played St. Pats, losing 33-6.

Although the team won no great honors, the players and Coach Butkovich spent many long hours of practice, and we should all give them a lot of credit.



First row: Glenwood Martin, Ray Boggs, Ken Cannon, Darel Larkins, Dick Pettit, Don Bilyeu, John Pechauer, Wylie Nowman, Don Metschuleite, Chuck Wolven, Ozzie Peters.

Second row: Gerald Regnier, Raymond Beach, Eldon Brickle, Lawrence Dominiak, Charles Nolte, Ken Parr, Paul Martin, Bob Pasel, Bill Sikes, Jim Allison, Ken Calabria, Jim Courtney, Bill Stuck, Manager.

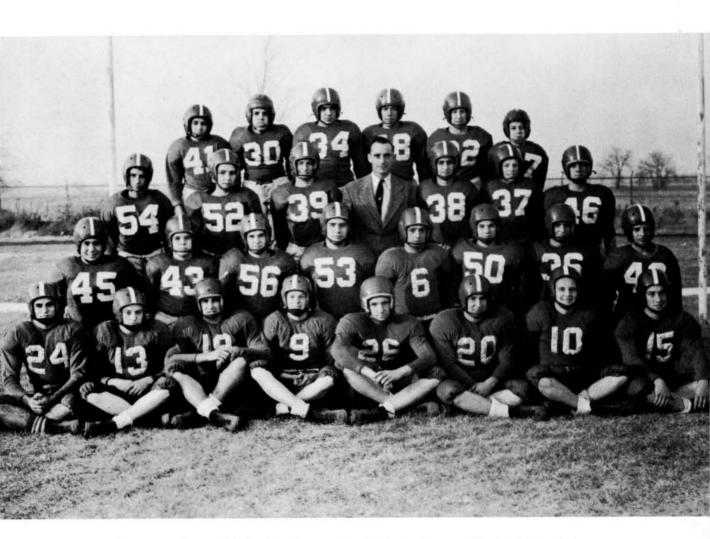
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Bradley Freshman-Sophomore Squad

Bradley's Frosh-Soph team opened their season with a 0-0 tie with St. Anne. Next came the Central Comets, and the young Boilermakers defeated them 20-6. Then they tangled with East Junior High School, and the Bradleyans came out on top 12-0.

Then came the Momence team, defeated by the Boilermakers 32-0. Next came Crete's team, undefeated until we won 6-0. The last game, St. Pats defeated Bradley 12-0.

A lot of credit must be given to Coach Harry Skalsky, who took inexperienced boys and made a good team. Much is expected of these boys next year when they become varsity members.



First row: Clarence LeDuke, Jim Courtney, Gerald Regnier, Lawrence Dominiak, John Pechauer, Gerald Messier, Stuart Otterlee, John Lowey.

Second row: David Swain, Larry Johnson, Charles Hays, John Thalacker, Paul Kerouac, Ray Beach, Kay Moss, Steve Goudreau, Carl Turner, Ronald Nowman, Bob Marcotte, Coach Harry Skalsky, Bob Januaski, Donald Palisard, Lewis Schory.

Fourth row: Neal Allen, Vernon LaGesse, Joe Mills, Wayne Benoit, Jerry Lowey.



GLEN MARTIN



OZZIE PETERS



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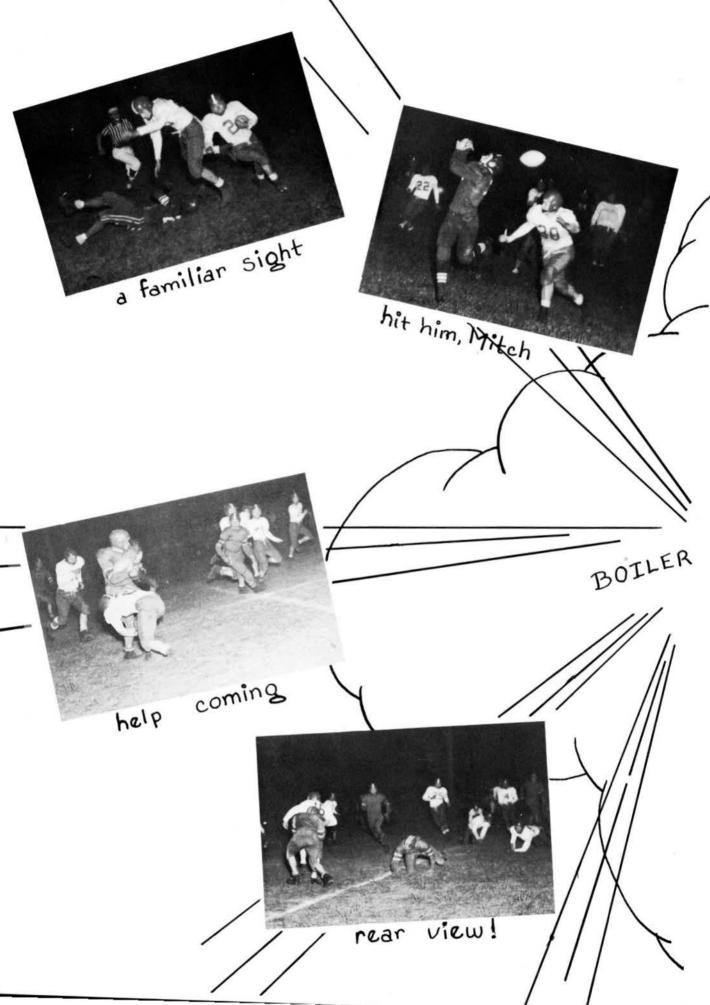
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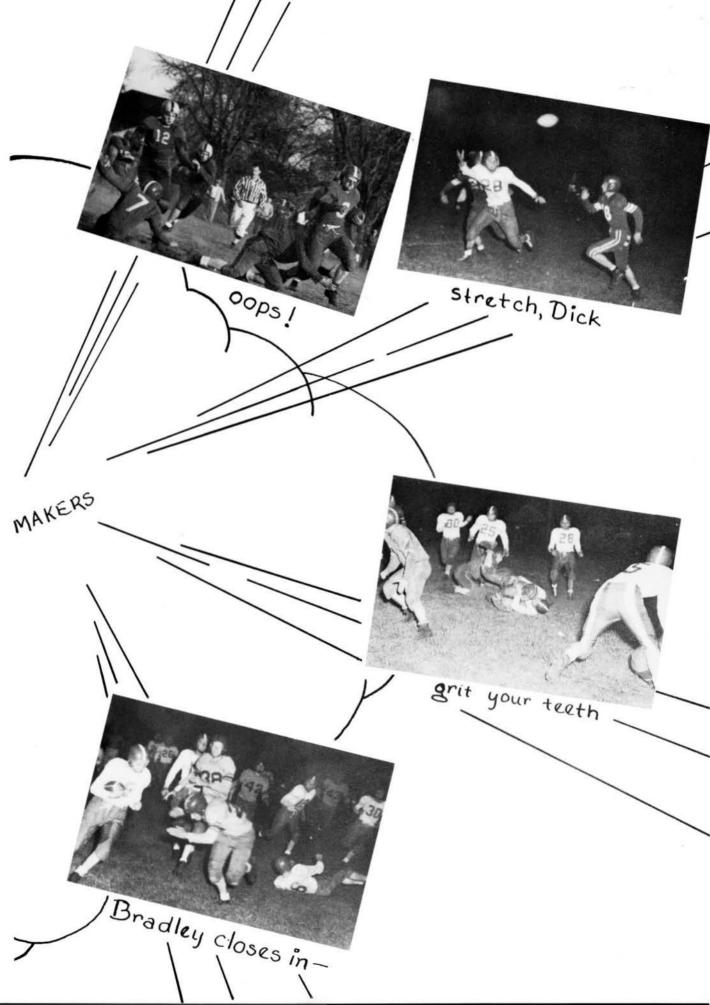


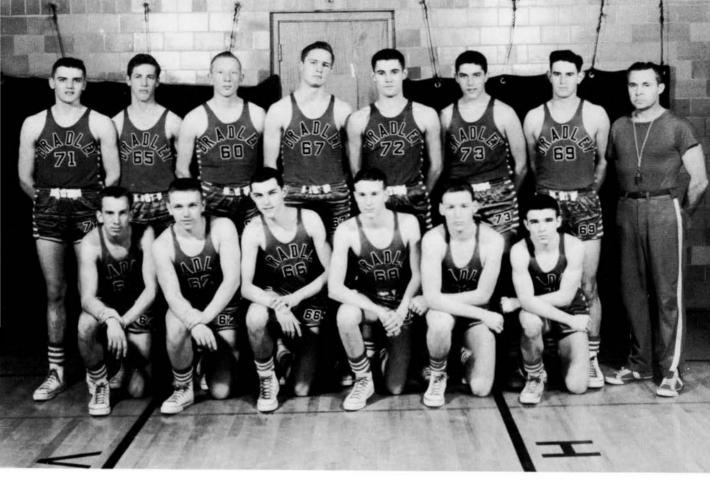
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Bradley Boilermakers

Bradley opened its season against two South Suburban teams, losing a close game to Bloom and defeating Calumet City. Moving back into K.V.C. competition, we defeated Momence, St. Anne, and St. Patrick's. We dropped a very close game to Thornton of Harvey. Then Kankakee came to Bradley's gym for the traditional game. We were defeated by the Kays. Then for our final home game before the Christmas Tourney, we defeated Crete.

In our first game of the tourney, we played a big Joliet team and lost in the last few minutes. Then we played Bloomington in the consolation bracket and we lost again.

Getting underway again, we beat Crete and Gilman. Entering the K.V.G. Tourney, we lost to Peotone by one point. Then we hit a streak of bad luck and lost to Central, Bloom, and St. Anne. We traveled to Peopone and avenged the former defeat. We dropped one to St. Patricks, beat Momence, and lost to Central. Then we won two of the last three games, defeating Gilman, losing to Blue Island, and winding up our regular season by defeating Watseka.

We had a season's record of eleven wins and twelve losses. Although the team had no great honors, let's give the boys and Coach Jepsen credit for a lot of hard work.



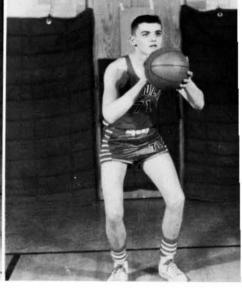
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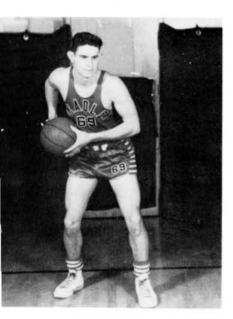
Bradley's Fresh-Soph team had a winning season, winning twelve games while losing eight. They tied for the K.V.C. Frosh-Soph Championship with Central. The boys who saw action were Chuck Hayes, Paul Kerouac, John Pechauer, Stuart Otterlee, Larry Dominak, John Lowey, Clarence LeDuke, Andy Andrews, and Willie Regnier. Congratulations on a good season fellows and Coach Butkovich.







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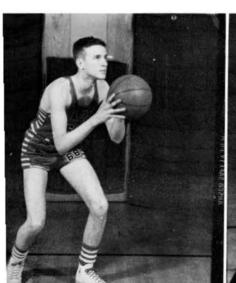


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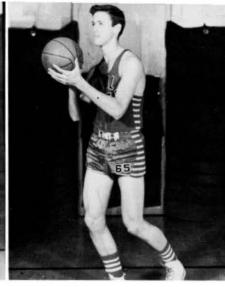












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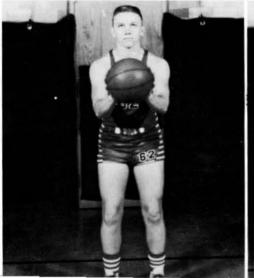
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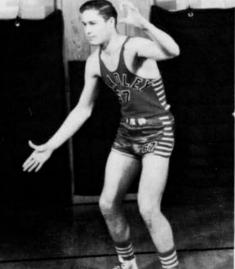


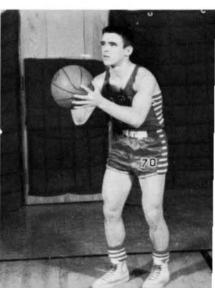
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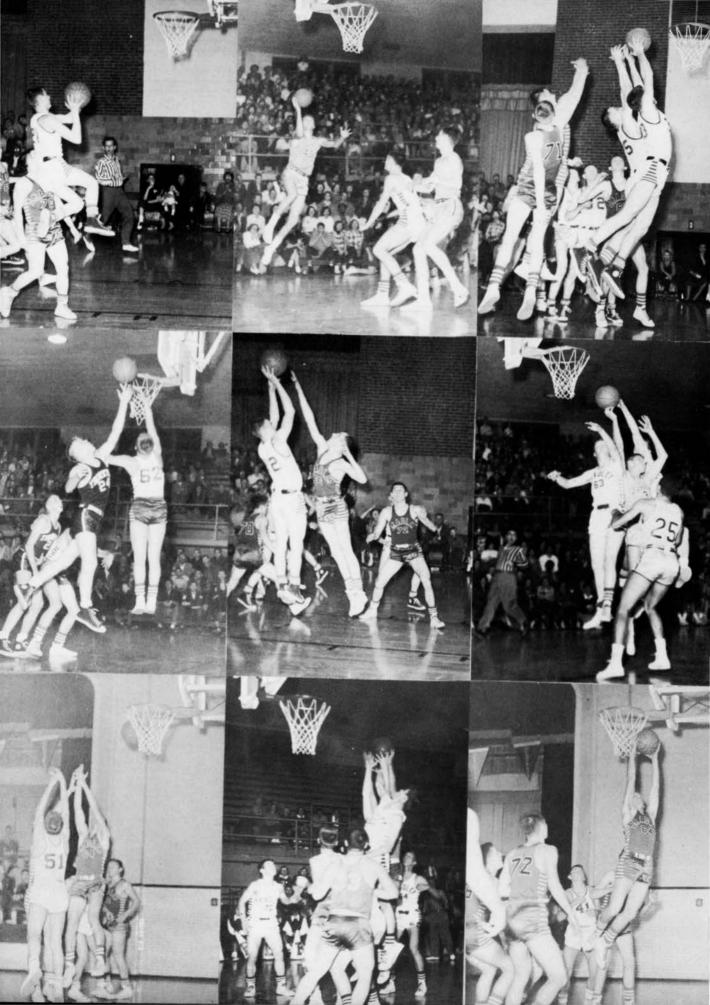
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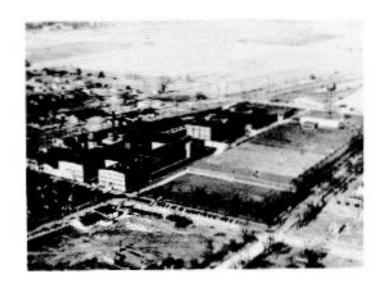
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