## Central High Register

Three Juniors to Attend School Of Journalism Jim Robinson, Burton
Howard, Lois Turner
Go to Northwestern U. Jo to Northwestern U. Jim Robinson, Burton Howard, and
Lois Tounner all junios, are three of
the hundred applicants to attend the sum-
mer school session of the journalism division of the National Institute for
High School students under the direc High school students under the inrec
tion of Floyd $G$ Arpan, fournalism
proser Students from 46 states applied fo the session to be held at Evanston,
Inlinois, from June 16 to July 13
Scholarship and extra-curricular ac tivity were considered by the Nor
western university officials bef western university officials bef
granting admission. Recommen tions from faculty members and a
ter of application are also requir The purpose of the Institute is journalism work school students fo newspapers and other businesses directly assoon ed with the journal-
ism profession will speak during the

Various types of newspaper w reporting, news editing, editorials, and specialized writing. A combina-
tion lecture, discussion, and writing class will be held to give students the
opportunity to express themselves One day each week will be devoted to trips of journalistic interest in the
Chicago metropolitan area. Some of the main attractions shown to the stu-
dents are a tour of the plant of the Chicago Tribune, a visit to Wrigley
field to report a big league ball game, field to report a big league ball game,
and a tour of the Chicago studios of in the Chicago merchandise mart NBC in one of the studios during a national broadeast.
Jim Robinson and Lois Turner have seen members of the Junior Honor
society for three years, Burton How-
ard for two. Jim is third page edito on the Register staff, and Lois is a
reporter. Burton is taking Journalism

Graduation Program Nears Completion Americanism Theme
Of Senior Exercises Using "I Hear America Singing" as
the theme of the graduation exercises theme of the senior banquet, plans
for closing senior activities are virtually completed.
This year's graduation exercises, to be held in the Central High school
auditorium the evening of June 6, be conducted entirely by students. All the speaking will be done by 14 volunteer speakers chosen from the sen-
ior class.
Music will be provided by a senior ensemble. A group of 12 boys picked
from the choir will sing "Invictus." A huge wheel carrying out the
theme, "The Wheel of Fortune," will
be part of the decorations at the senior banquet which will take place May
31 at Hotel Fontenelle. Principal Fred Hill and Hobart Corning, super-
intendent of the Omaha public intendent of the Omaha public
schools, will be guest speakers. The ow this general plan: The Seniors
Prepare, The Seniors Look Backward, The Seniors Look Ahead, The Seniors
Take a Final Grasp, and The Seniors Spin the Wheel. Parts of the program
are being kept secret so that there will be surprises during the evening. banque
$\$ 1.25$.
This yea
will be a v gegational church May 25 at 5 p.m. dr. John M. Phillips, pastor of
church, will preach the sermon. Payments of $\$ 1.50$ for rental of caps
and gowns for graduation exercises to Miss Julia Carlson or payment Cague, class treasurer, being May 23

Central's Chuckling Chess Champs


## Central's Chess Team Wins Intercity Title For Second Straight Year by Beating North

Senior Girl to Get<br>Fifty Dollar Award

One senior girl from each Omaha pub-
lic high school will receive a $\$ 50$ award from L. L. Coryell of Lincoln,
Nebraska. The prize will be given to the girls who show evidence of being department of homemaking educa-

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## five high schools has been chosen to determine the basis on which the determine the basis on which the awards will be made. The teachers who form this committee are Chloe who form this committee are Chloe Stockard, Central; Lucy C. Harte, North; Esther Bullard, Technical; Fern McCready, South; and Alice Buffett, Benson.

The committee recommends that
the award be made upon improvement in dependability, cultural refinement,
thrift, leadership, mental alertness, personal grooming, ability to get
along with others, and ability to use homemaking in their every day ufe. The person receiving the award
should have been in the homemaking department for at least one year.

Principal Speaks to $\mathbf{3 7 7}$ Future Freshmen Friday Omaha, 377 8B pupils visited Central Because of a shool progra twenty estimated entrees from Mason grade school were not present. Customary to previous years, Dundee
sent the greatest number of students. The eighth-graders met in the Cen tral auditorium where Principal Fred answered questions of the group. This year the intelligence tests were given In this way teachers may check desigand eliminate later program difficul ties by adjusting courses
abilities of the students.

## Gisa Neuhaus Heads Club

Gisa Neuhaus ' 42 will serve as presi-
dent of the Spanish club next semes ter, according to an election held at

Gisa was recently elected alternate to Girls' State by the junior girls, and she has been active in both Spanish and Latin clubs.
Beverly Zlotcky '42 was elected
vice president, Gay Follmer '42 was elected secretary-treasurer, and Joanne Rapp ' 43 and Joseph Bolker were chosen for sergeants at arms.

## Morgenstern, Polonsky, Homlin, White Compose

 Victorious Quartette

## The senior play, "All the Comforts of Home," has earned acclaim from

 several prominent people.Principal Fred Hill said that he has
received many compliments from received many compliments from
people who saw the senior play. people who saw the senior play
Adults in particular enjoyed it, be
cause it reminded them of the days cause it reminded them of the
"when," according to Mr. Hill. this play more than most any senfor play we have seen in years," wrote
Leon O. Smith, assistant superinten dent of schools. "The audience certainly had a good time and the play
itself was a very artistic

Plank Presents Student'
View on Fremont Panel
John Plank, managing editor of the
Register, presented the student's viewpoint on "High School ImproveThe panel, in which John took part, consisted of seven teachers and one minister. At the meeting were 35 ing territory. Dr. H. M. Corning, superintendent of Omaha public schools, spoke on improving the curriculum Concerning John's part in the pan-
el, Principal Fred Hill said, "Things had grown a little dull. Someone asked John a question in order to get
the student's viewpoint. He answered It so well that the remainder of the questions.

## Central High Debate Team Ties for Fifth at Contest

Lexington Tourney Draws 65 Teams from Nation; Burlington Eliminates Eagles in Quarter-Finals

Sargent Receives

## $\$ 800$ Scholarship

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ceive a scholarship this year, is being
granted the first $\$ 800$ scholarship
granted the first $\$ 800$ scholarship
ever awarded by MacMurray college
to a girl at Central.
The scholarship was given to Mar-
garet on the basis of her scholastic

## During Easter vacation Margaret

 visited the campus of the college and attendd classes. She plans to special-ize in kindergarten work.
Besides being active on the Regis-
ter staff, Margaret is a member of
Colleens, Press club, O-Book staff,
Central High Players, Lininger Travel
club, French club, and Red Cross. She
has been elected to the Junior Honor
Alumni Win Beauty Titles
Judged by Esquire artist George Pet-
y as two of the six loveliest coeds at y as two of the six loveliest coeds a Campbell '40 and Margery Stewart
39 marched in the thirtieth annual oronation of May Queen.
Gay Nineties Appeal to Crowd
Audience Acclaims Seniors' Presentation of 'All the Comforts of Home'; Hilarious Comedy of Old-Fashioned Days Is a Success


24 Students in Topeka Contest


Nellie Butera will enter in the Marion Palmquist in the girls' medium voice. Richard Reynolds will enter in boys' high voice, Richard Devenny lory in boys' low voice.
Central will also enter four voca
ensembles. A girls' octet consists ensembles. A girls' octet consists o
Beverly Shields, Virginia Brewer, Beverly Shields, Virginia Brewer
Genevieve Fitzpatrick, Bette Willmarth, Marilyn Lyle, Emily Reynolds Mary Louise Rowsey, and Marjorie
Heyn. Virginia Brewer, Genevieve Fitzpatrick, Marilyn Lyle, and Bar-
bara Boien are meme quartet.
Singers in a mixed quartet are Virginia Brewer, Barbara Boien, Richard
Reynolds, and Norman Turkel. The boys' quartet consists of Jack McAr-
thur, John Plank, Bob Kline, and
$\qquad$ Beverly Weichel and John Anderson,
playing Fif Oritanski and Judson Langhorn, made a hit with their afected airs. John's monocle and goldEmily Pettibone, enacted by Mary carefree, slightly giddy girl. Laura made a

Mr. Bender, played by Lloyd DworStiefler, were the very opposites as husbands. Mr. Bender was cast as a , wile
nd forbidding character
yn Davis, was a typical sweetheart
ycles bullt for two skirts and bi-
ideburns helped dresses or their
Comforts of Home" a hilarious suc-
nation, the Central High school de-
bate squad tied for fifth place at the bate squad tied for fifth place at the
National Speech tournament held at Lexington, Kentucky, last week.
Members of the team are Ray Simon and Bob Kalmansohn. the quarterfinat lhe Kille in the quarter-finals, the Eagle de York; Lexington, Kentucky; Harrods
burg, Kentucky; La Grange, Illinois and Caldwell, Idaho.
Approximately 65 teams partici pated in the meet. The national cham-
pionship was won by Classon High of Oklahoma City with Burlington com
For the first four rounds the result
of the debate were not announced.
The two judges for each round rated
the teams from one to four Those
above a combined total of 24 for the
four preliminary rounds automatical
ly became eligible for further com
petition.
A congress was held at the tourna-
ment based upon the United Congress in Washington. The congress had a house of representatives
and a senate. Student delegates con-
sidered sidered bills such as permanent Amer-
ican foreign policy, financing the defense program, limiting profits in war
industries, the issuance of tax-exempt industries, the issuance of tax-exempt
securities, and other nationally important topics.
Congressman Karl Mundt of South
Dakota who is also president of the National Forensic league said that he would bring up at Washington the
best ideas presented at the student

All debaters commented that they were treated with real southern hospitality. The boys were invited to stay the girls went to the Kapa, and Kamma house.
Host for the national tournament
was the Henry Clay High school of Lexington. The whole school was disand guides. University of Kentucky students
presented a special performance of "The Male Animal" for the entertainthe speech convention.
The national tournament climaxes the Central debate team. The National Forensic league dis-
rict debate championship, by which Central became eligible for Lexington, was won by Simon, Kalmansohn,
Erwin Witkin and Theodore Tepepr The Eagle debaters which included Simon, Lenke Isacson, Irene Road-
house, Maxine Nystrom, Mary Gray, Muriel Goldberg, Sam Cooper, and three times to win the Missouri Valley
Other noted accomplishments of the team include placing second in the
Missouri Valley boys' meet, the Nebraska High School activities associWesleyan college tournament at coln, at which Kalmansohn
awarded the honor of best boy

Central also obtained third place in
he Midland invitational tournament at Fremont and in the Doane college
Central individual contestants
again amassed honors this year.
Lenke Isacson received the double honor of winning both the humorous
reading and dramatic declamatory contests at the district N.F.L. tournament. She also won the humorous
competition at Fremont.
Irene Roadhouse was presented with a blue ribbon for winning first
prize in the original oratory contest at the district N.F.L. meet. Ray Simon won the extemporaneous speaking
competition and Lo'Raineclaire Triska was first in the dramatic reading contest at Fremont.
Winning second place in original Muriel at Fremont was Leonard Rips. Muriel Goldberg also received second
prize in the memorized oratory con-

Also placing in the individual contest were Norma Jeanne Michaels and
Lincoln Klaver who placed fourth and fifth respectively in memorized oratory, Jerome Grossman who was
awarded fourth place in extemporaneous speaking, and Lo'Raineclare dramatic reading at the district

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| Fred Hill, Principal of Central Hish School |  |  |
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## Play Ball!

Athletic fields in Lincoln today, tomorrow, and next week-end will hum with activity. Lincoln is the site of the 1941 state tournaments in track, baseball, golf, and tennis. Central will be represented with fine teams in each of these sports, just as it has been represented throughout the school year.
Activity for the Eagles will not cease, however, when the state tournaments are over. Central athletes will carry on their endeavors through the last week in May. In order to perform to the best of their ability, they will need the support of the student body, school spirit! Speaking from the physical side, a few cheers from Central High students will bring out greater power from these sportsmen by stimulating their adrenal glands. Speaking from the mental side, the spirits of these Speaking from the mental white will be raised ex-
boys clad in purple and whis
ceedingly high. So far this spring, this essential factor in athletic success has been lacking.
This was not true of the fall and winter sports. Central High students turned out for the football games en masse, and attendance at wrestling matches hit a new high. The walls of the gym fairly trembled from the yells and applause of those watching the exciting basketball games. One only needs to recall the records in these s.
to visualize the effects of such school spirit.
Plenty of excitement is still in store for those who want it, so come to a track meet, a baseball game, or a tennis match, and "let yourself go" for Omaha Central High school!

## Have You Read

W. Somerset Maugham's "Summing Up"? The impres-
sions of one of the most prominent English writers of today as he looks back on his life. The book is written in the candid, conversational vein which makes the reader eel well acquainted with the author
Ertch Maria Remarque's "Three Comrades"? A story
aid in post-war Germany; you will find it a little hard on laid in post-war Germany; you will find it a little hard on
whatever prejudice you have acquired against the German people. Remarque is always excellent.
Christopher Morley's "Shandygaff"? Recently Morley
has been more noted for his fiction than his essays. However, he is an essayist-in addition to being a playwright a poet, and a philosopher. T
humor in Morley's writings.
Noel Coward's "Play Parade"? A collection of plays, including "Design for Living," "Hayfever," "The Vortex," and "Bittersweet." Some plays make dull reading, but
Noel Coward's are always refreshing with their crisp wit and brilliant sophistication.
Louis Bromfield's "The Green Bay Tree"? Bromfield's first book and an excellent one. The plot is swift, and the characters well drawn. Most of the story centers about a
manufacturing town which has grown too quickly, fed by the continuous stream of immigrant laborers brought to work in the mills. In the midst of the mills, on a hill which used to be located in the country, stood the Shane mansion
occupied by Madame Shane and her two extremely different daughters. Even in this old house, the last strong-
hold of a passing era, the whir and clang of the mills hold of a $p$
penetrates.
Pearl Buck's "The Good Earth"? After living in China for many years, Pearl Buck has become better acquainted
with the Chinese than most foreigners ever become. In her books she captures the spirit, the atmosphere of China. To Western ears the story is often most uncom-
fortable because of the terribly low standard of living fortable because
throughout China.
Charlotte Bronte's "Jane Eyre"? Written in the style of a dead century, this is sometimes hard to get into, but
worthwhtle once you're there.

Comes the warm season and the feminine arrayment of
summer attire is displayed. A sample of the best may be seen on Barbara Payne when she's wearing her blue cotton sailor dress with the white trim on the collar. Carolyn Visek adds splashes of color in a bright yellow, green,
and orange dress of cotton material, while Adelaide Mccague offer
More will be seen of the broomstick gathered skirts of gay Mexican design like those of Joan Emmert and Bar-
bara Claassen. Worn with white cotton shirts, their bright color patterns are wonderful examples of the Latin-Amer can influence. For smooth taste in sport dresses look at
Sarah Slattery next time she wears her bright yellow sharkskin with the multi-colored belt and the ever popular brown and white spectators.
Pinafores still are wonderful this season. We hold
Laura Finlayson's pink and white chambrey and Nancy Laura Finlayson's pink and white chambrey and Nancy also are dirndls styled like the twin dresses of Jean An derson and Barbara Driscoll. They differ only in color; Jean's is pink and blue, while Barb's is green and brown.
Don't fail to observe Barbara Whitlock. She's really trim and chic in a brown, blue, and white checked gingham As long as we're talking about color we could take a look at Jane Young's different raspberry dress suit, or the
black and white checked shirt of Phyllis Johnson. Smart black and white checked shirt of Phyllis Johnson. Smart
too is the pink pique with the blue sleeves that belongs to Rae Dickinson. Mary Peycke's red and white stripe think of her in her red, yellow, and white silk blouse that
she wears with a bright yellow all-around pleated skirt.

## Oh Brother!

As long as the school year is becoming shorter and short er, let's look at what our seniors have left us in the way ofling, take those fllustrious McCagues such the bal rolling, take those illustrious McCagues such as Adelaide
with a younger brother, Bill, and cousin, Joan. Remembe 1939's football stars, Buz and Jim Wells? Well, take a look when you're not busy at the next football star in the family, Bob. He can sing, too. Along with him we should mention Barb Payne's sister, Sal, who is as fair as Barb is dark. Then there's always Ken Peters' brother, Dan, but Ken beat him to the draw on that curly hair. Dan is
homeroom representative and belongs to the Junior Honor society
If he was on the freshman football team and wears a man, Mary Lou's brother. If she's on the Junior Hono society and has dark hair, it is either Shirley Smails' sis ter Wilma (Billie to her friends) or Stuhtie's Mary. And what about Caveman Hindman's sis, Barb, with that mod of gorgeous red hair? Active in G.A.A. is Wanda Smith whose brother is the basketball whizz, Snuffy. Trying to beat Diz's record of three tetters (baseball, basketball,

## an " O " in baseball.

Colonel Grimes has his younger brother, Davey, who is Freymann, has two brothers, Moye, who is a junior on the crack squad, and Jarvis, a freshman. Rae Dickinson,
claims Sheila, is the smartest one in the family. Who said that underclassmen weren't something to look at Oh, heck! Why did I have to be a senior anyway?
lambic Stuff
Inspired by Dryden and Pope, originators and perfectors of the heroic couplet, students of Miss Swensen's senior English classes wrote a few verses which those two poets couplet are iambic pentameter, and rhyming couplets.
"Upon a worried head, a mass of fuzz,
A sordid memory of hair that wuzz."
sord
"If Pope had not been so original,
"Oh, crystal ball, pray won't you tell me why
Most high school boys refuse to wear a tie?"
But Prussian hair cuts really are a crime.'

## What Goes on Here?

## Gus Has Found: Onions, Peaches, Smells, Cannibals

Dorothy Stepanek had a hot lunch the other day even if she did bring it from home. Just after fifth hour, Bobby made a lovely blaze.
We have just learned to what Virginia Foote attribute her peachy complexion-twelve years ago she sat in the middle of the kitch don't get the skin on her face, but we don't care, do you?
Popularity seems to run in the Townsend family. Pat,
voted the best-natured girl in the sentor voted the best-natured girl in the senior class, can rightfully claim a father who was voted best-looking boy many many years ago.
Memories that burn and bless: When Ernie Thompson made Mrs. Savidge get down on her knees and apologize you blame him for taking it if he was in it? picture. Can
Mary Frances Hassler ' 38 is pretty, smart, and popular but terribly mean. The fact that she's pretty any fool can tell just by looking at her. And her popularity is proved by the fact she was elected Prom queen at the
University of Omaha. If you've ever had her as a substitute teacher, though, you'll know that she's both smart my cla my class to practice giving tests in?
Quotation of the week: (Diana Barnes in history class) "The only thing I know about it is that I don't know anyDedicated to everybody with birthdays in May: "I know you aren't two-faced-or you wouldn't be wearing tha


## Revelations

In Rhythm
Ah, there! Prize recording of the week is a tune recorded by Glenn Miller and written by the Modernaires-"Spring
Will Be So Sad." Ray Eberle is featured on the vocal along with the Modernaires. This ballad is on the climb-rather melancholy, but nice.
Buld woodman unleashes ex-Artie Shaw tenorman Georgie We're speaking of Benny's "Intermezzo." The leader's clarinet along with Auld's fine effort make this Victor well worth the chips. Benny has also taken a crack at Dorsey' em "Oh! Look at Me Now" with some pretty fair results. Bing has merged with brother Bob Crosby on the firstrate "New San Antonio Rose." A best-seller, this tune has
also been waxed by composer Bob Mills and his Texas Playboys.
Who is this man Dick Lumbago??? This week he rates a rave for his arrangement of another original called "Rutabaga-Woogie." One of the unusual features of this tune is the intricate phrasing and technique used by
brass section after the first chorus. Give it a listen!
Artie Shaw has recorded one of the tunes he formerly
Artie Shaw has recorded one of the tunes he formerly
eleased under the Bluebird label with his old band. The ditty is called "Alone Together," and shows to what ad vantage strings can be used. This side is mated with a
jump tune called "Who's Excited?" jump tune called "Who's Excited?"
Sy Oliver turned out an arrangement for T. Dorsey called "Serenade on the Spot." It's meant to be a rival for "One o'Clock Jump" and does a pretty good job of suc-
cession. Selman and Lodice do the go-work.
The Casa Loma band turns out some very nice sweet lights of the platter are the trombones and vocal.
Tony Pastor comes through with a cutie on "Number point of the disc.

## To Girls and E.R.H.

Are you a favorite among girls? Are you the leader of fun?
GIRLS LIKE YOU IF you are easy to look at. You don't have to be a raving beauty, and it doesn't matter how pug your nose is, or how big your feet. Girls ap-
preciate a slick, neat, well-groomed appearance. You preciate a slick, neat, well-groomed appearance. You
needn't spend a fortune, but do spend time and imagination on yourself!
GIRLS LIKE YOU IF you know how to talk. Not just far with girls. Have something to say about practically everything. Read the latest books, see the latest movies, know both popular and classical music, and keep up with all the new fashions. Keep your eyes wide open, cram your
days with activities, keep up with the world, and take ays with activities, keep up with the world, and take time out to think things through. A strong feeling about
what's important and what's too small to bother with will make people like you. Work up interest in a dozen things. If you're interested it will just spill out in conversation, and there won't be time to talk about the boys-or to carry gossip.
GIRLS LIKE YOU IF you are a good scout. Following through on promises will help to make a hit with your
girl friends. Be there when you say you will. When you you! Beke laugh a lot and love it-even if the joke is on funny side of things. It's contagious. Play games well and fairly. Be an all-around sport, ready for any game that comes around. If you play tennis, and only tennis, you'll
be left out when the crowd wants to go swimming. So make a good attempt at everything.
Be generous with the lime-light. Don't be a pig about popularity. Give every girl her due. And leave a few extra they're of less value to you than to the girl that hasn't even one. Share your boy friends and the other girls will adore you!

By Mel and Auggie she wrote to the Dollar Steamship Line inquiring how far The bell hop's eyes really bulged when Irene Roadhouse answered the bell on a delivery of cokes to Bob Kalmansohn and Ray Simon's hotel room during the middle of
the night. He didn't know that Irene and Lenke Isacson the night. He didn't know that Irene and Lenke Isacson changed rooms with the two boys one night during thei
stay in Kentucky while participating in the National De bate contest.
215 seventh hour is getting in a rut. Every day before they ply their energles to their
time out to sing "Happy Birthday.
"Oh, the flowers that bloom in the spring, Perfume Perfume." Such is the theme song of those four sweet boys, David Fletcher, Bob Chew, Charlie Cook, and Don
Northcott. Last trick of these children was the squirting Northcott. Last trick of these children was the squirting of cheap perfume from their car on various persons. One
of the objects of their affections was Central's own May Mahoney who quickly served them with a summons to the
OPD. OPD.
Mau
Maurie "Henry Aldrich" Mullins has done it again. Because he forgot to turn off the freezers at Reed's the other
night everything was frozen up. They had to use hatchets night everything wa frozen up.
If you are feverishly waiting for a reply to a letter just relax, and don't give up hope. Eight years ago Phyllis Milder sent her name into a correspondence exchange in a comic magazine, and just yesterday received a reply from a boy in the Union of South Africa. We don't know

Star Bright

## Ye Editor

Well, it's about time we introduced the young lady who
is responsible for making up this page each week, Mary Mary t Mary takes great pleasure in her task as she thinks
second page is the most interesting part of the Registershe's not partial you understand. National Honor society, Junior Honor society, Colleens, Lininger Travel club, Math club, French
"They all sound alike," she said when asked her favorite orchestra, but she thinks Tommy Dorsey is as good
as any, and she still clings to "Blueberry Hill" as her favorite song. "It has such nice sentiments." Each morning vorite song. "It has such nice sentiments." Each morning
she tunes her radio in to the Breakfast Club, as it always puts her in a good humor.
Ice cream, broiled steak, fried chicken, shrimps, coffee-
pudding, and frozen salad pudding, and frozen salad are dee-licious, according to Mary, but if you want to be healthy don't eat such things so rutabagas, parsnips, and broccoli. She uses Sweetheart soap because its supposed to be the best kind, and she
likes nail polish on other people. As for ideal vacation spots, northern Minnesota is about the best. "Ther
such nice camps and people up there," says Mary.

Sports of any kind interest y in horse-back riding, sailing, tennis, and watching hockey games. Knitting fascinates her, she gets a kick out of driving her new maroon Buick, and she is a
great bridge fiend. She is fond of clothes that are casual but nice and wears green as it matches her eyes. Hats and crepe dresses are two of Mary's pet hates. People who sit in front of houses and honk, those who don't act their age, and being called "efficient" also get Mary's dander up. Five feet, ten inches tall and on up, not too much of a ore, capable of carrying on an interesting conversation ably one who can dance describes the ideal man she's lookgin and is the reason for that alert, searching expres wers on Mary's face. (Mostly searching.) If anyone an a note in her box because Mary would love to get fan mail as well as the kind that comes in long pants.
Being second page editor is her biggest thrill as she laims a liking for bossing people around, which, she adds is one of her bad habits. Having too radical opinions is
another. The times Mrs. Savidge bawls her out in front nother. The times Mrs. Savidge bawls her out in front Mary's favorite saying is, "This so sudden,"-I don't get it either. Her chief ambition besides bagging her man wo go to Carleton college in Northfield, Minnesota. She without making too many enemies.


Acrass the Study Hall
By Mac, Marge, and Sadie
dear ginny . . . i had more fun at play practice annoying darling little couples like bev and russ . . according to
bev she has made russ everything he is today . . that's a nice line ... gee but $i$ liked adele and jo anne as blondes eek and they've made rather attractive redheads this week . . two four six eight who do we appreciate . .
the rover boys ... you think we're kidding . . . uh huh

## latin lectures are uncanny

hese are cute . . . i think . . . radio is stuff that $i$ would have a smaller car or none at all if it weren't for...
gasoline is stuff that if you don't use in your car it won't run as well as if . . glue is what the flaps on envelopes would stick down better if you had good on . . . a desk is
when you're tired working you don't sit at . . gas is stuff that if you turn it on and don't light it the soft music they play you don't hear
a fellow of actions untoward
a pretty gas pedal
did tempt him to meddl
and now he's up seeing the loward
didn't got stink weeds and poison ivy to the especially the kids who read the was really swell . . second act. . . oh well variety and such ..the wate show was super with all the gorgeous gals and buster crabbe ... and paul regan and buster crabbe ... and the
drunk and buster crabbe... speaking about buster crab . . gee he's purdy ... only 14 more school days and the next week exams . . . what is this school going to do nex year without this year's seniors . . . ha ha . . . oh well lew of us will remain and i'm not just a woofin . . no body has as much fun as people going steady . . . especial ly like jack and cheryl . . they're getting to the poin
where they invite their folks on dates where they invite their folks on dates ...i'll bet they
make a happy group. . i fainted . . they brought m to . . so i fainted again . . . why? well, they brought me wo more ... this time it's a class prophecy ... the suit cases bridge brigade . . . busch baker bev and bette after hours . . . Jimmy bunn in central again . . . and bac o class will . . . loomis leasing his cave to swede . the better to hide you in my dear ... barb stuht leaves to sally . . . that's all they need ... oh hey i forgot the most important prophecy . . wetchel in hollywood a second jean harlow . . . well keed this is all for now wasn't it enuf? love me...
p.s. to quote plank ... i'm not the guy

Federal Inspection of Central High's Battalion Is Scheduled for May 14

| Training This Week <br> To Prepare Cadets <br> When the battalion bugler blows first call for the special parade Wednesday morning, May 14, federal inspection of the 1940-41 Central High battalion will begin. Intensive training took place this week to prepare the cadets for this inspection, the climax of the year's drilling. <br> The purpose of the inspection is to determine the drilling ability, practical information, and knowledge of prescribed subjects of the corps. All the schools are graded on a percente scale, the top score of which is 00 points. To merit an honor rating, school must receive a score out of possible 400 which is determined by Colonel Briggs, head of the ROTC <br> the seventh corps area. Cadets of the schools which earn the honor rating wear red stars on the right sleeves of their ROTC coats. <br> In the three years since Central's admission into the ROTC, the school has continually maintained its honor rating. Although the actual results of the inspections are not divulged, the Central corps have continually placed high among the 31 high schools in the corps area. <br> Following the special parade which will start at 8:40, the corps will be inspected; then the companies will demonstrate close order, extended order, and physical drill. Quizzes on subjects prescribed for first, second, and third year men by the inspecting officers will take up the latter part of the morning. Unless the present plans upset, the inspection will be over or all but a few cadets by $12: 30$. <br> Inspecting the battalion will be Major Graham, who was recently transferred from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and Captain H. C. Clark. They will be assisted by Captain Hale. Each cadet must be ready to answer any questions on military courtesy and school of the soldier which will be ked by the inspecting officers. He st also have complete knowledge year of drill, whether it be first cond, or third year. <br> Results of the inspection will be announced to the public at graduation exercises, June 6 , in the auditorium |
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All-School Voters To Name Council

Former Students
Receive Recognition
Harold Slosburg '38, former editor of
the Central High Register, Morton Margolin ' 38 , and Miriam Rubnit
38 were honored last weekend at the '38 were honored last weekend at
universities which they attend. Harold received recognition at the
honors' day convocation at the University of Illinois. On this occasion
the University gives public recognition to those students whose scholar
ship record ranks them withtn ship record ranks them within the
first ten per cent of their class. For the members of the senior, jun-
ior, and sophomore of the honors award is their scholarship record during the two semesters
immediately preceding the current term. The basis for the freshmen is
the record of their first semester's

The honor of being tapped for In nocents, men's national honorary
fraternity, was bestowed on Morton Margolin at the University of Ne braska in the annual Ivy Day fest1-
val on May 1. Miriam Rubnitz, also at the university, received the Mortar
Board honor. She was masked Board honor. She was masked by
Beth Howley 37 who received the
same award last year.

Aptitude Test Given
Commercial Students
An instructor from the Felt and Tar-
rant Comptometer school in the Saunders-Kennedy building gave a comptometer aptitude test last Friday
morning to students of the commercial department expecting to go into
the commercial field. The test consisted of timed examinations on qualities such as memory, ju
Because of the growing demand for
operators in the operators in the comptometer field,
the school is anxious for new stuthe school is anxious for new stu-
dents. If the tests are passed, the stu-

guaranteed to students. Anishing the course; however, the school will
ommend pupils who show merit.

## Debate

At a banquet held Monday evening,
Coach Don Warner was presented
with a pin for distinguished service
as district chairman of the National
Forensic league.
Forensic league.
Travellng in an automobile driven Churchill Downs at Louisville and took photographs of scenes on the This tournament closes the debate season on the question of increasing
the power of the federal government. Debaters are now working on the new bodied male citizen in the United States should be required to have one
year of full-time military training "behind the scenes"
 Phone WEbster 3718 OMAHA, NEBRASK Style Director for Omaba's Well.
Dressed WEB SMALL WOMEN


In last week's Register the name
of Roberta Marsh ' 43 was inadvertently omitted from the list of offlers of the Tuxis group at First Presyterian church.
Mary Thomas ' 41 underwent an appendectomy Monday, April 28. Sh
returned to her home Monday.
George Kaspar, father of Gw Kaspar '44, contributed to the music ic for the almost

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Naturalist Shows Color

## Pictures to Students

 Sam Campbell, philosopher of the for-est, lectured on "Behind the Scenes
in Nature" at an assembly yesterday
in the auditorium. He showed natural in Nature" at an assembly yesterday
in the auditorium. He showed natural
color color motion pictures of wild crea
tures and wonders of nature. Mr. Campbell spends his summers
in his sanctuary in northern Wisconsin and the rest of his time lecturing.
He has demonstrated that wild animals and man can live happily to-
gether. His films show him associating with deers, squirrels, chipmunks, bears, and even a skunk!-in a per-
fectly natural way.

The naturalist has given 3,000 lec



American Missionary Speaks in Omaha; Comes to U.S. for First Time Since 1937

Life in the African jungle means more than roaring lions, lazy hippopotami and stalking leopards to Dr. Earl
Harris and his family. Supported by Harris and his family. Supported by
the Dundee Presbyterian church o
Omaha, Dr. Harris has conducted mis
 tribesmen had struck his wife in a fit
of anger and accidentally killed her.

his wife by eating her flesh. A few
weeks before, however, the same tribe


The sun is very hot with a tempera-
ure of 90 degrees most
 Sahara desert covers the sky during two periods of the year, at which time
the country is quite dark.
 reported to have had 536 wives at his gamy is being outlawed.


Communications are difficult dur-
ing war times, and the Harrises were forced to remain in Africa a year
longer than their three-year period, because no boats came from Africa to

## THEATRES

## Walter Beatty, Florist

Regina Hoyer Wins Second Place in Elks Essay Contest
 second prize of $\$ 50$ last Tuesday, in
the Elks essay cont the Elks essay contest,"
Uncle Sam Means to Me."
The contest was sponsored locally
by the Omaha Lodge Number 39, B P. O. E. Debate Coach Don Warner was in charge of the essay contest at
Central. The themes for the essay were based on a composite picture of
people and things which, when viewed people and things which, when viewed
from a distance, looked like a portrait

## Uncle Sam.

Regina is a member of all three chapters of Junior Honor society, Lin-
inger Travel club, Colleens, Spanish club, Latin club, Press club, and Stu dent Control.
The first
The first prize of $\$ 100$ went to
Richard Johnson of third prize of $\$ 25$ was award th hosephine Flanagan of Sacred Heart. Judges for the contest were Dr. Leo
Jacks and Professor R. C. Seitz of Creighton university, and Professor Creighton university, and Professor
Robert F. Lane of the University of maha.
Survey to Determine
Activities' Record
Next Friday a survey will be taken many contacts students from Centra have made with outside organizations in the course of their extra-curricu lar activities.
The purpose of this survey is to
discover how Central High school is discover how Central High school is
represented in the community, and epresented in the community, an ween the school and the parents. Within the past year, various
groups from the music, speech, and groups from the music, speech, and
art departments have given entertainart departments have given entertain-
ment and exhibits for several civic ment and exhibits for several civic
organizations. Three times acts from organizations. Three times acts from
the Road Show were presented at the the Road Show were presented at the
Joslyn Memorial. Drama groups have performed for several church meet-
ings, and the school sends delegates to recognized school sends delegate such as the National Red Cross con

"DrumMajor" $\$ 5.95$

Longer torso, flattering jacket, precise as the step of a cadet - slim, wisely cut skirt red, blue or cut skirt - red, blue or
brown striped seersucker.

SIZES 9 TO 15
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It's a well known fact that practically every person has some hidden talent,
and all that is necessary to bring out this uncovered ability is the need for
this talent. Oftentimes a baseball this talent. Oftentimes a baseball
player may be just an average participant until his true usefulness is
found. Such was the case of Bucky Walters, star Cincinnati pitcher, who
formerly served on third base. Babe Ruth started out as pitcher and then was
king.
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Central's Bernie Minarik, who was doing fine work on second base and
then was converted into a first rate pitcher. Dave Jones' initial position
was that of keeper of first base, and then he was converted into one of the
best hurlers in the city. There are numerous cases of such happenings,
and for all anyone knows there may
be some undiscovered star waiting to come into the sport limelight. can serve in almost any position and a
physics student deluxe is Dick

"Polack" Dreier, this week one of | SPORTS STARS |
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| On every well-developed base- |
| ball squad there is one so-called |
| "handyman,", one who never knows |
| at what position he will be called |
| upon to serve, but who can always |
| be trusted to come through in the |
| tight spots. Such is the case of |
| Dreier who has proved that he is |
| one of the best sluggers on the |
| Eagle diamond team. |
| During the summer baseball |
| season "Polack", was an A-1 handy- |
| man on the Alamito baseball nine |
| and is continuing to turn in good |
| games for the Eagles of Central. |
| His choice second to baseball is a |
| good stiff physics class, and after |
| such a session he is prepared for |
| any opposition, mental or physical. |
| He saw enough service in grid- |
| iron contests last fall to earn him- |
| self a football letter and is plan- |
| ning to take part in sandlot base- |
| ball after school closes. In the few |
| remaining baseball contests of the |
| school year Dreier wll stlll be in |
| there "sluggin'" where ever he is |
| needed. | Another city championship has

been added to the ever-growing Central sports supremecy. By defeating
the Bunnies of Benson in a tennis the Bunnies of Benson in a tennis
match last Tuesday Central's netmen match last Tuesday Central's netmen
added another title to put with the ntercity and Missouri Valley basket-
ball championships, the Intercity and second and freshman team honors. Let's hope that "Morrison's racktheir deserving possession.
ED HINDMAN

Members of Girls' Rifle Team to be Decorated
Having completed the riflery course, a number of Central girls will soon
receive National Rifle association receive National Ry '41 is well on
awards. Ruth Bruhn
her way toward an expert rifleman's award, having earned her seventh bar her eighth and ninth bars from a kneeling position. No Central girl has years.
Dorothy Devereux and Linda Sue Colley have won their fourth bars,
while Barbara Boien, Barbara Byrne, Janice Jensen, and Lois Jean Turner have earned their second bars. Mari-
lynn Mackley has completed her shooting for her first bar. A sharp-
shooter's award has been won by Edith Hawkins.
Janice Jensen, Dorothy Devereux,
and Linda Sue Colley were the only girls in this year's classes to shoo Central's round robin tennis
tournament have begun with the cournament have begun with the
other Omaha high schools. The game with North, originally planned for May 5 , was postponed because of rain, but games are scheduled with Benson, South, and Tech.
Norma Jean Michaels and Nancy
Davis represent Central in the single Davis represent Central in the singles division, while Adelaide McCague and
Mary Morrison complete one doubles Mary Morrison complete one doubles
team with Barbara Cook and Shirley Vernon filling positions on the other doubles team.

Riflers Gain Fifth Position in National Intercollegiate Match

Sgt. Wyatt's Crack Marksmen Win Top Honors in Seventh Corps Area; New York City Team Triumphs With the announcement from the war
department that Central placed fifth in the high school division of the National Intercollegiate rifle match and
was the top team in the seventh corps was the top team in the seventh corps
area, ten members of the team were Wednesday morning.
Competing against the best ninety
high schools in the country, the Eagle marksmen outshot all but four of the opposing teams. In first place was
Xavier High school of New York City, while Ball High s Third place went to the Academy of
Richmond county, Augusta, Georgia. Rockford Senior High school of Rockford, Illinois, was fourth, and
Omaha Central followed in fifth place.
Packers of South Whip Eagle Nine


All-Stars and Wolves Lead Softball Loop Amid sleepy yawns and half-hearted
yells, the Intermural Softball league got under way at 7:30 in the morning
Tuesday April 28. The class of the league seems to be the All-Stars who started with an impressive $14-3$ win
over the Red-Wings. The Hit Runners and the Wolves also annexed their
first games with wins of $7-5$ and $8-0$ first games with wins of $7-5$ and $8-0$
respectively.
After dropping their first game, the Blue Devils came back to take the with a close $4-2$ win over the Cobbs.
The fighting Wolves had a tough time in beating the Red Wings $4-2$ in chalking up their second victory in as many starts.
In a classy style that impresses standers the All-Stars copped the se ond battle with the identical score of
their first win as they soundly their first win as they soundly
trounced the Hit and Runners 14-3. With the fast pitching of Dave Grimes and the timely hitting of "Red" Miller and "Flash" Dorsey it seems the
to beat will be the All-Stars.
 shoot, Central placed among the first
ten teams of the corps area in the
preliminary match. The top ten teams
of each area were designated to take
part in the country-wide contest.
Out of 60 medals given to riflemen
all over the nation, 10 were awarded
to the Central team. Under the coach-
ing and supervision of Tech. Sgt. L.
O. Wyatt and under the direct sur-
veillance of Don Suttie and Herb Mil-
ler, the following squad members
were awarded medals for their work
in the match: Charles Munger, Pete
Petersen, Ward Weber, Barton Green-
berg, David Fletener, John Bower,
Fred Bekins, Ed Drdla, Suttie, and
Miller.

## Purple Track Team Journeys to Lincoln

 Veterans Brighten OutlookFor Annual State Meet With nine consistent point-getters
making the trip, Coach "Poppa"
Schmidt's track and field team leaves
for Lincoln and the state track meet for Lincoln and the state track meet
today.
Prospects appear better than last events except the mile run, the discus
 George Grimes, Purple half-miler,
is gunning for top honors in the 880-
yard run but should meet better than average competition from outstate
Grimes was undefeated until last Grimes was undefeated until
week when he placed second at
University of Omaha invitational. Quarter-miler Harold "Capsule"
Matejka and high-jumper Dwayne Feeken made good showings at the
last few meets and are more than likely to win points for Central. A
second high-jumper, sophomore
George Moore, has also qualified. In the dashes will be Bob Fromkin and Ham Fuller, while Fromkin and
Fuller will team with Al Grove and
a fourth runner to make up the 880yard relay team.
Duane Carey and Al Grove have qualified in the broad jump, and Car-
ey will see other service in the jave-
lin throw. Vic Boker will serve double
duty in the 440 -yard dash and the Javelin.
Making his third trip to the capitol
city, Dayton Silith will attempt to
win points in the pole vault. Smith is
only a junior and will be eligible for

Central Golfers Fail in Last Chance for Victory


Central Baseball Team Throtlles
North High Vikings by 9-5 Score

Central Cindermen Take Fourth Place In Omaha Invitational Running against a formidable field of
18 teams, Coach "Poppa" Schmidt's
Central High trackmen placed in
enough events to earn 16 6 $1 / 6$ points
and fourth position, Saturday after-

Prospects appear better than last In the javelin cast, Vic Boker fin
year, and the Eagles may return with one or more gold medal winners. ished second behind Dennison's Black-
Central will be who hurled the spear 170 feet,

Eagle Court Stars
Overcome Vikings
The North High Viking tennis team
brought a strong spring wind to Dewey park Monday, but the chilly
breezes failed to daunt the high flying Central High Eagles. Central's netmen took the match, 2-1, for their
fifth win of the season. Bill Scribner, a Central letterman
and state tourney singles threat, lost the first two games of his match with North's Bob Gillesple, then coasted to
a $6-3,6-1$ victory.
Caach Allie Morrison used three,
players against Bob Cain of North, players against Bob Cain of North,
but neither Jim Harris, Jack Busch,
nor Fred Greusel could check the unnor Fred Greusel could check the un-
beaten Viking. Bob triumphed, $6-3$
$\qquad$ tion, Allen Granfield and Bob From-
kin, were in a 3-0 rut in the first set
of their match with Ray Bloom, Valentine, a and Finkle of North. When
the Eagles warmed up, they won 12 straig
cision


Netmen Capture Intercity Laurels Eagles Eliminate North
To Annex Tennis Crown Following early season predictions in
true form, Coach Allie Morrison's Central High tennis team won th Intercity championship Tuesday by
defeating Benson $2-1$, on the Dewey defeating Be
Diminutive Jimmy Harris hit with remarkable force to blank Keith Sleigh of the Bunnies, $6-0,6-0$.
Central's Bob Fromkin and Allen Granfield played their second mateh together before the state tourney and
looked good in winning $6-3,6-2$ over Mitchell and Jindra, Benson doubles team.
Benson gained its point with a win
in the number two in the number two singles match. Bill
Scribner edged Bunnie Cal Olson in the first set, 6-4, but Olson rallied to take the match from three new
Eagles, Baldrige, Davis, and Greusel,

All Victorious Tennis
Players Will Try for
State Title Today

$\begin{array}{llll}\begin{array}{l}\text { Playing for the Eagles today in the } \\ \text { Lincoln tennis club matches will be }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Totals } \\ \text { Cental }\end{array} & 28992114 & \text { Totals } \\ \text { Nardin } \\ \text { Nard }\end{array}$
singles, and steady Bob Fromkin and
Allen Granfield in the doubles com- Packers Surpass Old
petition.
Bill has been playing tennis for Record in Golf Match
made by Johnny Goodman and his
cohorts in 1927. South High golfers trimmed the sails of Central's team, 18-358, May 1, at Dundee Binl Brice, the Packers' number one
player, just missed setting another He was closely follow a brimant 76 . mates, Jodlowski and Krawizyk, both 84 not only led the Purples but was player this season.

| CENTRAL SOUTH |  |
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| Waechter .-..... 84 | Brice ...-. 76 |
| B. Klopp .-... 89 | Jodlowski .-... 78 |
| Coyne ..... 46 | Krawizyk .... 78 |
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Spree in Sixth Inning
Minarik Wins Again
With just a one day's rest after his
victory over Plattsmouth, Central's
ew pitcher, Bernie Minarik, came
ack for his second victory in
back for his second victory in three
days as he handcuffed the North Vi-
kings,
May 1.
After Bob Urban, who started the
game in spite of a sprained ankle, had spotted the Vikings three runs in the frst inning, the rowdy redhead took Northerners to two hits and two runs runs came in the first hallo of the sev-
enth inning after the Centralites had enth inning after the Centralites had
built up a $9-3$ lead. Although Dave Jones still leads the
Eagle hitters, Eagle hitters, Dick Dreier kept creep-
ing up on him as he slammed out two singles in four trips to the platter. Central's biggest splurge came in
the sixth inning when the lads from hits and three errors. Pinch-hitter
Ross Ossino started this splurge when he singled with none out.
In the battle for Intercity first base onors, the Eagles' Lou Cimino had the edge for the day as he batted one
for four and made only one error, for four and made only one error,
compared to Dean Tucker of the
Norsemen who got none for four and

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