## Girls Surpass Boys n Semester Grades

Central's girls outnumbered the ys by a large margin—210 to 143 on the semester honor roll roster. eaders with 11 points or more to eir credit are Saul Kripke and Judy redericksen, seniors; Steve Fisk, il Dorsey and Rozanne Siporin, niors; and Sam Bleicher, Bruce ckman, Ronald Greene and John vdick, sophomores.

Following is the list of first semesr honor roll students:

SENIORS

nys—Saul Kripke Irls—Judy Fredricksen

ys-Irvin Belzer, Ed Cowger, Bob A. eterson is—Andy Jean Gross, Patricia

rls—Sandra Matters

bys—Bernard Bloom, Bob Brodkey, Gregory Erwin, Les Kulhanek, Brad Lacina, Mike Persell, Rickard Speier Irls—Mary Ann Damme, Mary Catherine Hofschire, Nancy McKain, San-dy Sechrest

bys—Tom Kully rls—Virginia Anderson, Lennea Rife, Linda Rosenbaum 8

bys — Bruce Bloom, James Burrows,
Tom Conrey, Nelson Gordman, Harold Kaiman, Martin Lipp, Steve
Rickes, Howard Welnberg
ris — Judi Ban, Charlotte Brodkey,
Dianna Klippel, Louise LeDloyt,
Maureen Zevitz

pys—Ken Bartos, Jon Nelson

pys — Dave Goldstein, Bruce Jafek,
Alan Noddle, Pat Salerno
Irls—Phyllis Bernstein, Sarl Brader,
Barbara Brodkey, Eddith Buis, Anne Cockrell, Betsy Dayton, Mona
Forsha, Beverly Goldberg, Karen
Jorgensen, Joan Marx, Jan Segerence, Gretchen Shellberg

oys—Tom Lucht Irls—Ruth Anne Gansz

Oys—Jerry Freedman, William Gust, David Hennings, Richard Ippisch, Jack Lieb, Ron Rosberg, Larry Schneiderwind.

rls—Eleanor Falkenstein, Jane Gabrielson, Ellie Guide, Jackie Jepsen, Patricia McCool, Karla McKee, Muriel Rosenblatt, Darlene Stracke, Estella Voner

JUNIORS
11

pys—Steve Fisk
rls—Gaél Dorsey, Rozanne Siporin
10½
rls—Marilyn Eichhorn

#### Art Award Winners eceive Gold Keys

Regional judging for the scholastic award has taken place. Pictures nning a gold key will be sent to iladelphia for the national judging other pictures winning a merit ard will remain on display in

The pictures, which will be on ow for two weeks at Brandeis, were osen by Miss Zenaide Luhr from me of her class work.

Seniors who wanted to win an art holarship were asked to enter a

Jackie Jepsen is representing Cen-

Boys — Steve Bloch, Pete Hoagland, Wray Rominger Girls—Barbara Bercutt, Judy Brook-stein, Elizabeth Downey, Betty Er-man, Marjorie Kunkel Girls-Judith Brecher

Boys—Terry Foster
Girls—Carolyn Karre, Alice Kurz, Nancy Richards, Jeanne Silver
9½
Girls—Lynda Brayman, Linda Larsen,
Nancy Lindell

Girls-Joanne Schrag

Girls-Marcia Speth

Boys—Dick Ahlstrand, Steve Bergquist, Stan Greenfield, Larry Hoberman, Phil Schenck
Girls—Phyllis Abrahams, Susan Archer, Beverly Bloom, Carolyn Day, Lynette Forbes, Marlene Friedman, Carole Gomberg, Sharon Kay Johnson, Toni Kaplan
7½
Boys—Jay Balderson, Fred Burbank, John Hofschire, Tony Holmquist, Roger Laub
Girls—Jane Christoffersen

Boys—Bob Fellman, Jim Forrest, Dick Gash, Phil Gorelick, Dave Kreeck, Justin Lewis, Marc Samuelson Girls — Sally Andersen, Susan Baron, Gisela Burkard, Joyce Cowman, Marianna Emmauel, Laurie McCann, Joyce McKeone, Elayne Raskin, Joan Richter, Suzi Wolfson 63/2

Girls—Nan Jensen, Arlene Mohrhusen 61/2

Boys—Larry Felber, Mike Miller, Russell Mullens, John Truell Girls—Dianne Barker, Diane Hower, Elizabeth Lane, Judith Rinschen Continued on page 4

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## CH Spring Play Leads Chosen

Leads for this year's spring play, Aladdin, to be held April 23 to May 3, have been chosen.

Aladdin will be played by Jerry Goldstrom and Bennett Hornstein.

Adora, Aladdin's sweetheart, will be portrayed by Joan Marx. Judi Hiner and Marlys Isack have

been chosen as Aladdin's mother. Bernie Grossman is filling the lead

of the magician. Double-cast as Sultan are Bernie DeKovan and Jeff Swartz, while guards to Sultan are Chuck Wise and

Steve Greenberg. Other minor leads are Doug Hiner, genie of ring; Larry Kohn, genie of lamp; and Dee Schriber, playing the part of Kalisa.

Also participating in Aladdin are Muriel Rosenblatt, Gail Schrier, Maxine Jabenis, Linda Hill, Barbara Bercutt, Maureen Zevitz, Lynnette Forbes, Sondra Williams, Barbara Dorsey, Joyce Harper, LaVonne Gilmore, Donald Brown, Austin Harold, Sharon Maucher, Henrietta Taylor, Larry Deever, Tom Corritore, Phyllis Bernstein, Helen Spillman, Pete Bartling, Linda Jelen, Steve Dolgoff, Janet McCallister and Nancy Venger.

## N. Assembly Discusses Foreign Aid

The United States' foreign aid proam and the United Nations were the topics discussed at an assem-Feb. 17, for Central students.

This special program sponsored by social studies department was ducted by Representatives Chester Merrow of New Hampshire and S. J. Carnahan of Missouri. The o men are currently on their second

#### HS Debate Team lans for Tourneys

Mr. Donald Johnson, Central High bate coach, announced that two of debate teams are preparing for the ssouri Valley Open Tournament, to held Feb. 28 and Mar. 1.

Teams consist of Stan Greenfield l Justin Lewis, and Steve Fisk and Gorelick.

The tourney, which will be held at uth High, will deviate slightly from usual debate procedure; crossamination will be included.

Participants are required to be ck-thinking and extremely wellormed on the debate topic, which ncerns foreign aid.

bi-partisan foreign aid policy speaking tour. Both men have served in the General Assembly of the United

These men pointed out that the United States must help to preserve the independence of neutral nations through foreign aid. They showed that foreign aid is not "the big give away" that many people consider it to be. Our country must remain friends with neutral nations because of the valuable resources which we gain from them.

#### 228 Becomes Center For Senior Activities

Miss Cecil McCarter's senior homeroom 228 is the center of all senior class plans.

During the second semester, senior class officers and committee chairmen and co-chairmen are meeting with their sponsor to facilitate the collection of money and to plan graduation activities.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, senior homeroom representatives met with this group to receive instructions for taking in money for caps and gowns.

## P-TA, Rotary Club Positions Planned

Wednesday night in the auditorium the P-TA and the Rotary Club combined their efforts to help students choose a vocation. This was accomplished by bringing experts in various occupations to explain different types of training and qualifications necessary for their work.

The 44 careers discussed ranged from research and advanced science to modeling careers.

Speakers gave informative talks with no firm affiliation mentioned. They explained such necessary information as education, association with other fields and salary connected with their particular profession.

The student council prepared a complete list of questions for the speakers to answer.

Mr. J. Arthur Nelson addressed the assembly.

#### Seniors, Kripke, Speier Scholarship Finalists

Central seniors Saul Kripke and Dick Speier have both been named as finalists in the General Motors Scholarship qualifying competition.

Saul and Dick are two of the 800 finalists in the nation.

These finalists were selected on the basis of their scores in the January Scholastic Aptitude test. In the final selection there will be about 100

## Hold Career Night; Outdoorsmen Erect Tent, Solve Camping Problems



photo by Roger Sharpe Teepee or not Teepee?

## Road Show Tryouts Completed; Competition Keen, Acts Original

"Tryouts were completed last week and acts have been already organized," announced Mrs. Elsie Howe Jensen in regard to the progress of the 1958 Road Show, Mar. 20-22.

"With little less than a month left before the first performance," she continued, "emphasis will now be placed on perfection of our lines and musical numbers, the readiment of costumes and the close timing required for the finished production."

Mr. Norman Kirschbaum, assisting Mrs. Jensen, stated that "those trying out for the show this year displayed more original talent, and personality than acts of previous years.'

"However," he mused, "I must truly admit that I have never seen kids so scared in all my life.'

This sidelight is especially interesting since most of the 109 tryoutacts were composed of sophomores and freshmen. "Competition was surely keener,"

Mrs. Jensen added.

Student directors, Ruth Ann Gansz and Jim Hedrick, noted that the tryouts were dominated by musical and dancing acts. These include tap dancers, solos in musical instruments, quartets and kick-lines.

Aside from the Central High Players' entry, an unusually high number of one-act novelties also entered in the tryouts.

Since most of these acts and musical numbers have been geared to-

#### Omaha University Sponsors Contest

Grain of Sand magazine, published by Omaha University, is again sponsoring a literary contest for students of Douglas county.

Any student of Central High school is eligible to enter the contest and must meet the following requirements. Each contestant may submit (under a pseudonym) not more than one 2,000-word short story and one 40-line poem. The entries will be judged by the student-faculty board of the magazine.

Deadline for contributions is March 16, 1958. The prize-winning short story and poem will be printed in the May issue of the Grain of Sand, and the authors will be awarded certificates of their achievement and credit in the amount of \$25 toward tuition at Omaha University.

wards a "modern" version, guessers may have an easier time selecting the theme of this year's show.

Bursell Anderson, Mr. Clarke, "Subby" Cacioppo, Ken Bartos, Joe Jarvis

"One unusual aspect of this year's tryouts," Mrs. Jensen recalled, "was the fact that as many boys tried out as did girls. Once more, they didn't seem too much more nervous than the

On the subject of nervousness, Jim Herbert considered himself an expert. "When I looked out into that empty audience, I remembered I was on an empty stage; and when I tried to recall my empty lines, was I ner-

#### Geometric Mobile Made By Talented Sophomore

Students in Miss Cecil McCarter's math classes have been entertained recently by a mobile made by sophomore, Jeff Ratliff.

The mobile consists of nine geometrical figures precisely balanced on strings hanging from the ceiling. Although Jeff constructed the mobile while in plane geometry, Miss Mc-Carter is using it extensively for her solid geometry classes.

Each of the polyhedrons is a regular figure, which means that it has equilateral triangles for sides. Of the five types of regular polyhedrons, three were used in the mobile.

Jeff used tetrahedrons (four sides), octrahedrons (eight sides) and icosahedrons (20 sides).

In Miss McCarter's plane geometry classes, she uses the mobile to dramatize problems in figuring the surface area of solid figures.

#### **Clubs End Brotherhood** Week with Game, Dance

The brotherhood basketball game and dance will be held at the Jewish Community Center, Feb. 22, at 8

This event, sponsored by A.Z.A. No. 1, will feature a basketball game -A.Z.A. No. 1 and A.Z.A. No. 100 vs. Hi-Y. These two teams are composed of players who attend Central.

A dance will follow the game. Tickets may be purchased form any A.Z.A. or Hi-Y member for the price of 50 cents per couple.

No, Central hasn't been given back to the Indians. The Indian teepee you have seen at Central or at Elmwood Park belonged to the Outdoorsmen club, sponsored by Mr. Wentworth

real Indian teepee. It is one of the few authentic teepees in this area of the United States. The teepee is 18 feet high, 15 feet in diameter and 50 feet in circumference. It will hold 40 people sitting or 12 people sleeping. Boys copied the plans from an au-

This teepee is an exact replica of a

thentic design. The depictions on the teepee are the same as Sioux Indian pictures, with the exception of the thunderbird which is the symbol of the Outdoorsmen. The canvas teepee has an opening

at the top to let smoke out. On camping trips, cooking can be done inside the teepee. The door is round with a canvas flap and is built in sections so that it can be dismantled and set up

When the teepee is taken apart, it folds up into a bundle six feet long and can easily be taken in the back of

Ita was co-sponsor, Mr. Ed Clark's idea to build the teepee. Whenever the Outdoorsmen went on a camping trip, they were spread all over the countryside.

The teepee will bring the campers together under one roof at least for evening campfire meetings. Now there can be camping in the winter since the Outdoorsmen can build a fire for cooking and warmth inside the teepee.

The Central High

Outdoorsmen's club

is conducting a con-

test to encourage Cen-

tral students to sign

the Conservation

The oath was taken

by about 20,000 per-

sons including Gov-

ernor Anderson,

Mayor Rosenblatt and

Secretary Benson.

Each student is urged

to sign the pledge and

to give it to an Out-

collecting the most

signatures will be

given a prize," said

Mr. Wentworth

Clarke, club sponsor.

"The club member

Pledge (at right).

Outdoorsmen have done much of their own work on the huge Indian lodge. They designed and painted the teepee themselves and designed and built collapsable poles for compact-

It won't be long before the members will be using the new teepee. This spring the Outdoorsmen will go to the Herbert Kennedy Wildlife Habitat near Gretna, Nebraska.

At the Wildlife Habitat they will plant multiflora rose bushes and work on check dams. The bushes form a ground cover and a place of protection for wild birds.

Outdoorsmen have done other work at the Habitat in past years. They've painted and put up "guide" and "no hunting" signs and planted over 5,000 multiflora rose bushes.

Since the main purpose of the Outdoorsmen is conservation, they are interested in the conservation pledge. The club is framing pledges to be given to prominent people interested in conservation. Along with the pledges will be given honorary memberships in the Outdoorsman club.

When Joe Jarvis goes to Washington, D.C., this spring, he will present a conservation pledge and an honorary membership to Mr. Fred Seaton. secretary of the interior. More than 20,000 people have signed the pledge under the guidance of the Outdoors-

They have a motto: "Observe the principle of conservation while enjoying nature.'

#### OUTDOORSMAN CLUB presents

Conservation Pledge I GIVE MY PLEDGE AS AN AMERICAN TO SAVE AND FAITHFULLY TO DEFEND FROM WASTE THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF MY COUNTRY—ITS SOIL AND MINERALS, ITS FORESTS, WATERS AND WILDLIFE.

(signature)

## Spit Out That Gum!

"You there, spit out that gum!"

How many times has that sentence made you cringe in your seat? If it was addressed to you, you probably obediently took the sticky wad from your mouth and paid the fine or served the ninth hour. Also, you probably popped another stick into your mouth as soon as you got the chance. Maybe you even thought the teacher punished you for gum chewing because she "had it in

Contrary to the beliefs of some students, the relentless war on gum chewing is not being waged only to hamper the pleasures of the student body. Aside from being an ugly habit, constant gum chewing may even be harmful to the body. Also, the wads of gum stuck to the bottoms of desks and chairs cost the school hundreds of dollars a year

So next time you have an urge to chew gum during school, remember: You may be the next to clean off the lunch tables.

## Bad Habit of Many

How many times have you watched a girl put on lipstick or comb her hair in public? This disgusting habit, practiced by many Central students, not only shows evidence of poor upbringing and manners; but it is also an unsanitary habit.

The classroom is for studying and learning only —not for primping. The girl who likes to comb her hair while in class not only wastes valuable class time, but she also distracts the teacher's and other students' attention from the lesson.

This is also true in study halls. Girls who insist on refreshing their makeup instead of doing homework assignments are not being considerate of fellow students who are trying to study.

There is no reason why girls must comb their hair and put on lipstick in the lunchroom or, for that matter, anywhere but in the restroom.

## Do Unto Others

A fellow at the library across from us was busily at work the other day scratching out some words in his text books and inserting others. When asked of his intentions, he stammered angrily, "Look at this junky sentence!! 'This book is your friend and helper. Treat it as a friend!' "'Friend and helper?" he exclaimed. "I've spent 25 minutes looking for it, and now I find the seven pages I wanted have been ripped out of it.

We noticed that the boy had rearranged the words so that they read, "Friend? Helper? If you ever find it, it might be.'

"Oh nuts!" the boy sighed. He threw the book onto the shelf-out of place-and walked away muttering, "Gee, I wish people would take better care of this library.

All this is by way of preface to the thoughts which follow. If everyone would put back his library books on the shelf where they belong light one little candle, so to speak-library conditions would truly improve. Psychologists have concluded that inherently people have a tendency to replace things where they got them. It naturally follows that if someone removes a book from where it belongs, he would also put it back where

It is indeed peculiar that the students most dissatisfied with the supply of library reference books -indeed, Central's whole reference system-are those same students who hoard the books the entire library period or those who forget them at home, thereby depriving others of their use.

And it is the unfortunate situation that certain books are desired by many students only at specific times, a fact which makes the deprivation of most books doubly acute. Gazing into retrospect, it may well be surmised that Central's reference library system would be facilitated, expedited and, in general, become more pleasant if all Centralites would return books where they belong and also on time. Besides generating a feeling of satisfaction within a person, such manners also engender a similar sense of cooperation in others.

"Do unto others as you would have others do unto you."

## Shelve Your Books!

Crash! Is that you tripping over the 269 books on the landing? It probably is you if you're trying to reach the lunchroom by the conventional method of ascending the stairs.

Why not use the shelves in the lunchroom specifically designed to hold students' books? By using these racks, you alleviate the danger of someone falling over your piled books and being seriously injured. You could also save yourself the time spent looking for lost books in the conglomeration which clogs the landing each noon.

If for no reason other than laziness (reaching for a book on the shelf takes less effort than bending over to pick it up off the floor)-use the bookshelves in the lunchroom!!!!!

#### C. H. Profile

## Partners in Crime

Judy and Marty



The Second Page Editors examine one of the pages that helped the REGISTER garner the W-H's 1957 "best high school newspaper" Award.

Judy Fredericksen, the fairer sex's contribution to this week's Profile, lists water skiing as her most enjoyable hobby.

"It was even fun to learn to ski," Judy recalls, "but it was far from easy!" It seems that Fred's skis sunk several inches into mud while she was waiting for the motor boat to get started, so she had to skim the water without the aid of skis on her first

Just to convince you that Judy is "stick-in-the-mud" academically speaking, we'll point out that she is a constant Honor Roll student, is a National Honor Society member, ranks eighth in the class and only recently gained recognition for being a Nebraska Regents Scholarship alternate.

Fred's honors extend to fields other than the scholastic however. She is treasurer of Central High Players and was sgt.-at-arms of the Pep Squad during her sophomore year. This past semester, she was also a Homeroom Representative.

In addition, Judy manages to find time to perform her duties as O-Book promotion manager, co-chairman of the senior Banquet Arrangements committee, and co-editor of the Register's Second Page.

Talent is by no means lacking in the Fredericksen household. Judy is a three-semester member of a capella choir and is well-known around the Hilltop for her skillful tap dance numbers in the Road Show.

Fred very apparently enjoys school for she has a four-year record of perfect attendance. After leaving Central, she plans on continuing her schooling at the University of Colorado-she has already been accepted-where a probable major in secondary education is in view.

It's rather difficult to find a place to begin a profile on Martin Lipp because his schedule has been really "jam-packed" for four years. But everything has to start somewhere; so, here goes.

As a three year member of Junior Honor Society, Marty was selected for National Honor Society this fall. He was a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship test and an alternate for the University of Nebraska Regents Scholarship.

Marty has taken an active interest in journalism. He is co-editor of page two of the "Reggie," and this year he won an award for editorial writing at a journalism convention in Lincoln. Last year he won a first place district award in an essay contest sponsored by the V.F.W. Auxiliary.

Another activity in which this week's profile participates is debate, and he is now president of NFL. Marty is also vice president of the Omaha Jewish Youth Council and chairman of the Senior Play com-

One of "Lipper's" more unusual hobbies is playing chess by mail with a friend in New York, but he says that he has also started collecting just about everything at one time or an-

Marty is known as a notorious tobogganer. His first time out this season he guided his toboggan into a sewage creek at the bottom of Memorial Hill, and the second trip two of his friends were taken to the hospital in a rescue squad. You would think that he'd learn a lesson, but he is determined to go back for more the next time it snows

Next year Marty hopes to attend Cornell University where he will study for a future career in medicine. After all, a doctor would come in handy on tobogganing trips.

## Myron Meanders up to Mars

Central High school's glory is now, among other things, out of this world; latest news releases indicate that Myron Papadakis, well-known Eagle senior, was the first human being to reach Mars.

Since Myron is so devoted to the Hilltop, he agreed to give the Register an exclusive first on his exciting expedition

NOTE: Although Mr. Papadakis is known as a model of honesty and reliability, the reporter who wrote this article is is a person in whom great trust can be placed; don't take this feature too seriously!

In this day and age of ram-jets and rockets and such, Pappy's method of transportation was rather unique, First, he constructed a large box kite; and, using a brisk wind, the rest was easy. Coming back was even less of a task; Myron simply had a colleague on Earth reel the kite string in-and

One might imagine that the atmosphere on Mars would present an obstacle to our hero, but that isn't the case at all. Pappy's training on the Central swim team carried him through when it really counted.

"It's all in the breathing," says Myron, "knowing when and how, I mean. I just held my breath from the time I left Earth until the time I returned, and it was 'no sweat!"

The true scientific value of the expedition was realized when Myron released the truth about the mystic Martian canals. "The fact is," explained Myron, "that those lines are Arthur Murray dance patterns for a giant that lives on Plutol" It was also disclosed that there

definitely is life on Mars. Pappy described the inhabitants as a cross between Jayne Mansfield and a gorilla. "The face and figure of a Venus, but aggressive as all get out! Gad! what a work-out!" exclaimed Myron, looking around for a shoulder to cry on.

The expedition naturally required that Pappy be in the peak of physical condition. "I want to take this opportunity to apologize to my last semester's teachers," commented Myron. "They were simply ducky about my taking advantage of every spare moment to get plenty of sleep to prepare me for my trip.'

As a final word, Pappy stated that he "plans to return;" and next time he hopes to be "on a friendlier basis with those luscious natives. "Va va Introducing . . .

Central's "man about music"-instrumental music, that is - is Mr. Noyes N. Bartholomew.

Tagged (like many other Central teachers) with an initial nickname, Mr. "B" has headed Central's Instrumental Music department for nine

The teacher's background prior to this time is an interesting one.

The tender age of one found Mr. "B" moving from his birth place, Denver, Colo., to Rochester, N.Y. He received his elementary education there; and after a second move, he attended high school in St. Louis, Mo.

Bartholomew held two distinctive positions at the St. Louis school: leader of the concert band-and captain of the football team!

Mr. "B's" high school days also hold one very treasured memory—that of meeting the great march composer and band conductor, Mr. John Philip Sousa. Sousa came to direct the high school band one day, and afterwards, was introduced to each of the students.

However, Mr. Bartholomew has one rueful comment about the occasion.

"Mr. Sousa praised my brother's excellent flute playing-but he didn't say a word to me.'

Mr. "B's" desire for more musical knowledge led him to the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago where he acquired his BA with majors in education, trombone and composition-not to mention the acquisition of a "husbandry" degree! The Mrs. "B" to be was also a music major in Chicago at that time.

A singular honor was bestowed upon Bartholomew during his schooling at the conservatory. The Chicago Civic Orchestra played a string suite which he composed. From the conservatory, Bartholo-

mew went on to Northwestern University where he received a master's degree with majors in composition and church music.

Upon graduation from Northwestern, Bartholomew was appointed to a teaching position in Cadillac, Mich. He taught there until summoned by 'Uncle Sam.'

After the war, he returned to accept a teaching position at Harlan, Ia. Then came the move to Omaha and

Aside from his teaching duties, Bartholomew is also very active in the Cub Scout activities of his two sons, Noyes, 10, and Douglas, 7.

Moreover, he is choirmaster of St. Paul's Episcopal Church and the president of the local chapter of the American Federation of Teachers.

Presently, he is hard at work polishing the numbers to be played by his concert band, orchestra and dance band for Road Show tryouts.

## Club Corner

Would you like to know "How To Be the Kind of Person You Would Like To Be?" The Y-Teens who attended the February meeting know the secret.

Mrs. Trenholm, home economics teacher from Brownell Hall, spoke on this subject. She gave helpful hints to the girls on posture, public speaking and personality in general.

At the same meeting candied apples were sold by the World Fellowship committee headed by chairman, Judy McQuin.

The Y-Teen girls held a bake-sale at a local department store this month.

The baked goods were furnished for the project by all members of the club. The club made a profit of \$27 on the sale.

The Hi-Y club at Central sponsored the Heart Hop sock dance after the Central-Benson basketball game. The Central high danceband fur-

nished the music for the dance which was held in the gymnasium.

The new Thespian members were initiated at a joint meeting of Thespians and Central High Players.

A short initiation ceremony was presented by Thespian officers during which the new members were asked to take an oath of loyalty.

dent of Thespians, Jim Hedrick, was

At the same meeting the new presi-

After the ceremony the Thespians served refreshments to the entire meeting.



"Marty, did you try out for the Road

No, we just didn't have time to work up an

"You know, I bet there are a lot of people who would've tried out if they'd have had something to do."

Are you one of those people? If so, hang your head in shame momentarily; but cheer up. You may be ready for next year's Road Show tryouts, if you act now! In this column we're including two samples from our infamous Road Show Skit Kit. You can get your Road Show Skit Kit by writing to Road Show Skit Kit, Peoria, Illinois.

This first act calls for 64 boys. Divide the boys evenly into three groups. (You'll find that three goes into sixty-four, twenty-one times with one boy left over. All you can do is send him home and wish him better luck next time.)

Group I takes over the choral speaking part, while Group II enacts the stories in pantomime. Group III cleans up the stage when the mess

Group I begins by reciting the story of Alice in Blunderland. The scene opens with Alice and the Queen playing ring-around-the-rosy. As usual, the Oueen is cheating like mad. (This is all enacted by Group II.) By now, Alice is getting pretty fed up, so she calls the Queen on her last move. The Queen gets mad and chooses Alice. The spectators take sides and iron out the difficulties with croquet mallets. (If you're feeling particularly sorry for the boy you sent home, you can ask him back to act as referee.) As the fighting continues, Alice and the Queen retire to the palace for a cup of tea.

Group I also opens the next scene by chanting the words of Happy Unbirthday. Alice, the Sad Hatter, Brer Rabbit and Elvis Presley are all portrayed by members of Group II, who are sitting around a large unbirthday cake. (In case you're not familiar with the subject, an unbirthday cake is similar to a birthday cake without candles.) Try to carry out this scene without making too big

More scenes can be added or subtracted at your will. Actually the rest of the act is self-explanatory.

Featured second in the Road Show Skit Kit is a choric speech act for a quadruple quintet. To maintain uniformity in dress, each member of the act should wear sweat shirts and sweat pants.

We've got a story we'd like to tell So listen, cats, and listen well. It's about a girl and a handsome boy; Her name is May; his is Roy. May chases Roy all around. She chases him all over town. You must have seen Roy running by Way up here at Central High. May met Roy sometime last year At the first sox dance which was held right

Roy asked her, "May I have this dance?" Quick as a wink, May grabbed her chance. And ever since she danced with Roy, All over school she's chased that boy. Five ninth hours Roy got today For running down the hall from May. If Roy seeks refuge on a stair May waits below in a nearby chair. "Trash cans are good," you'll hear Roy say "For hiding . . . inside from May." So many times, we just can't tell, Roy has hid inside the Bell. In this game of hide and seek May almost won one day last week. May tackled Roy near 332, But he escaped without one shoe. Roy's not even safe at home 'Cause May will call him on the phone. Every time, not once or twice, May has asked him to a vice. Letters she sends by mail and dove Telling Roy of all her love. But have no fear, Roy has a plan; He's introducing May to Dan. Sure as there are sun and rainy weather, You'll see them running 'round together. So much for this week,

leanna&marty

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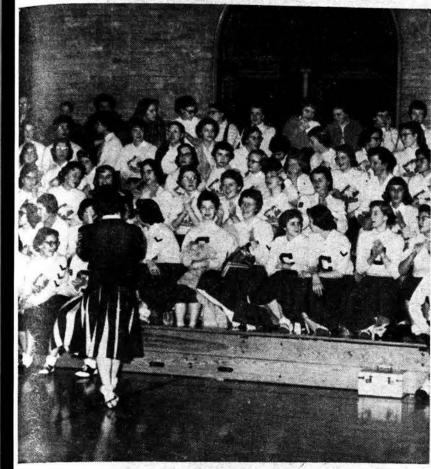
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# MARQUISS' EAGLES CAPTURE INTERCITY



Cheerleaders ignite energetic pep squad The SPIRIT . . .

photo by Steve Bergquist

## Central Cagers Win 12, ose 2 in Record Year

Central reigns supreme as the 1957-8 Intercity Basketball league chamion. The Eagles compiled a 12-2 vin-loss record to win the crown or coach Warren Marquiss.

The squad is inactive this week out will visit Lincoln High, Feb. 28. The Class AA District Qualifying Tournament at the University of Omaha fieldhouse will be the basketball spotlight, March 6-8.

#### Season in Review

The Purple and White court recogition has followed a season of close ompetition. Eagle basketballers were ble to hold their own. The only ssus were against North, 46-51, in he second game of the year and gainst Creighton Prep, 58-62, in the nti-climatic finale.

The season began with a Eagle ictory over the South High Packers, )-27. After dropping the North conthe Purples rolled over the ercity pre-season favorites, Tech, 51-44. Benson was undeafeated until entral visited Monroe Junior High nd dealt the Bunnies a 64-61 deci-

Christmas vacation didn't halt the lagle advance as Prep bowed, 52-0, in overtime. Playing on their home urt didn't help Abe Lincoln nor did three officials: Central continued winning, 61-51. Thomas Jefferson sed little challenge, 57-40.

#### North Loss Avenged

Back in Omaha and most of the maining games to be played at me, the Marquissmen trounced uth, 52-22. Revenge was in the intet's mind as Central returned North defeat, 43-35, at the Omaha niversity fieldhouse.

## Swimmers Place **Brd at Tech Meet**

Central's aquamen fell beneath alent-loaded Boys Town in the Tech nvitational, Feb. 15.

The only champion the Eagles ould muster was Rol Wellman who proke the 100-yard freestyle record 56.8 seconds. This time was 3 conds faster than the previous record set by Wayne Maski of Boys Town, who could do no better than ourth this year.

The Eagles placed two men in the inals in five events but failed to get any higher than third.

High finalists were Kuni Mihara nd Arnie Altsuler in the 200-yard reestyle and Jon McElderry and loward Shrier in the 50-yard free-

Both relays finished second right ehind the speedy Cowboy combinaons. John Mattes, Myron Papadakis, arry Mlnarik and Howard Shrier omposed the medley relay while Mihara, Bruenecke, Elderry and Wellman splashed their way in the freestyle relays.

Thomas Jefferson failed to get its first win; the Eagles turned the Yellow jackets away, 66-45. Abraham Lincoln had less success. The score read Central 66-Abe Lynx 32. The Trojans were thwarted on their second try, 55-39. At this point the Central team was guaranteed a title share with only one win needed to gain sole possession of the Intercity championship.

The second game in a row where the doors had to be locked was for the Intercity title. Benson was the obstacle. Three minutes of overtime were needed; but the Eagles surmounted the challenge, 45-39.

Phil Barth, Gene Owen, John Nared, Frank Jones, Ken Russell, Art Reynolds, Jim Hall, Pat Salerno, Fred Clough, Bob G. Peterson, Joe Sweeney and Bruce Hunter are members of the first Central Intercity championship basketball team in 17 years.

Needless to say, Warren Marquiss is the very proud coach.

### **Central Matmen** Draw with South

Central grapplers failed to capitalize on their golden opportunity to gain a share of the Intercity wrestling crown, when they were held to a 21-21 draw by the South High Packers, Friday, Feb. 14.

The Packers gained an 8-0 lead when Gene Licka lost 6-3 in the last minute of his 95 pound encounter with Don Alexander, and Rich Bottorff was pinned.

After Chuck Ravitz was tied by Joe Prokupek and Louie Butera decisioned Bob Prucha 5-0, the Eagle grunt 'n groaners trailed by a 10-5 score. Phil Johnson then lost a close 1-0 decision to John Barrett.

The Eagle bonebenders then made their move as Louie Miloni picked up a quick five points by pinning Joe Pirrone and Charlie Whitner moved up two weight divisions to decision Ed Nemecek 6-3.

In the 145 pound division the Packer's pride and joy Rich Brown handed Central's previously undefeated Jim Howard a 3-1 loss, and the Packers held a short-lived lead.

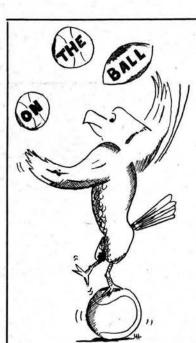
Andre McWilliams came back to tie the score at 16-16 by decisioning Carl Tyler 7-3. George Crenshaw then beat the previously undefeated Melvin Masek 1-0; and after Morris Meadows was held to a tie by Richard Neville, the score read 21-18 in favor of Central.

Central's John Krogh then put up a gallant fight against Bill Pickering. South's fine state champion, Krogh, who had been out for wrestling for only a little over a week, lost by a 6-0 score to Pickering, who usually makes a point of pinning his opponents. This enabled the Eagles to gain a 21-21 tie and to stop South's consecutive winning streak at 30. Central, incidentally, holds the record with 42.



Phil Barth scores with a left-handed hook shot

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with Howard Weinberg

Coach Warren Marquiss celebrated his tenth coaching season at Central High as his basketball squad presented him with the Intercity championship. The Eagles finished the year with a 12 win and 2 loss record for city play. The last time a Central court crew won the Intercity crown was in 1941 with the same record as this year. Coach Marquiss' best squad until this year was the 1955-56 team which finished with a 10-4 performance.

The basketball title is further evidence in support of Central's return to prominence in athletics. This year's league was a difficult one for any team to come through unbeaten. Central, Tech, Benson, North and Prep were in the thick of the fight. Abe Lincoln, South and winless Thomas Jefferson were the "weak sisters."

#### Starting Five

This was the first season in quite a while that neither of the Council Bluffs schools fielded powers. Preseason forecasters rated the schools in this order: Tech, Central, Prep, Abe Lynx, North, Benson, South and Tee Jay. Benson was the surprise team; Abe Lincoln the disappoint-

Tech was picked as a slight favorite over the Central hoopsters. The Trojans had four returning starters. Central, however, has probably the best five. The five which have good overall height and springs in their legs (so say the fans) are Ken Russell, John Nared, Frank Jones, Phil Barth and Gene Owen.

Jim Hall and Art Reynolds are important substitutes. Joe Sweeney, Bruce Hunter, Fred Clough and Bob G. Peterson round out the Eagle entry at the Omaha Class AA District Basketball Tournament.

The Purples are in the same bracket with Tech, Benson and North. The games are scheduled at the University of Omaha fieldhouse on Thursday, March 6. If Central wins their first game, they will play the winner of the other two teams on Saturday night.

Pairings and the exact time of each game will be announced at a Feb. 26 meeting. Two wins and the Eagles travel to Lincoln to try for the state championship. The last time the Eagles went to Lincoln was in 1941. The last state championship for Central was in 1912.

#### Spirit of Centropolis

Centropolis-if we may coin a word to fit everyone interested in Central High and its athletic achievements-is 100% behind the Eagle basketball squad of 1957-1958 in its bid to end a 46 year drought.

The people who compose Centropolis include many not directly connected with the school. The spirit of Centropolis, however, is created by the students and the faculty. The doors were closed at 6:55 p.m. on the night of the Central-Tech game -proof that the interest and enthusiasm run high.

The spirit of the grandstand is alive. Ask anyone of those who watched the halftime performances by Coach Andrews' freshman basketballers!

#### District and STATE

Mr. Nystrom, the timer; Mr. Wentzel, the announcer; Mr. Sulentic, the reserve coach; Mr. Knapple, the everpresent director of athletics; Gus Kruse, the locker room attendant and every Central athlete's friend; Ken Allen, Walt Wise and Ray Westergard, the student managers; the Cheerleaders, originators of several terrific skits; and many others have had a significant part in sky-rocketing the spirit of Centropolis.

Although Central will play Lincoln High in the capital city, Feb. 28, the big target is two weeks away. Central's highly-spirited Intercity champions compete in the Class AA District Tournament at Omaha University, Thursday, March 6.

The cry is echoing in the halls of Central, "Go to STATE!"

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and Bruce Hunter after the victory—Central 55—Tech 39
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## Lynx, Tech, Benson--Not Prep--Bow to Eagles

The season's anti-climax was against Prep, Feb. 15, at Creighton. The Eagle five, who had just won the Intercity championship the night before, was edged 62-58.

The score was close throughout the entire contest. A last minute Eagle scoring spree tied the game, but the Prepsters went on to win on field goals by Joe Neuberger and Boyd Havden.

#### Barth Sprains Ankle

A sprained ankle in the last 13 seconds to Eagle star Phil Barth disheartened Central fans as much as the Hilltopper's second loss. Without Barth the Central courtment would be seriously weakened in the district tourney, but the chances for a quick recovery are very good.

Barth and John Nared were again high scorers with 19 and 13 points, respectively. Ken Russell, who is now nearing his last season form, dumped in 9. Frank Jones scored 5 while Eugene Owen tallied 12.

The first Central Intercity championship in 17 years was sewed up, Feb. 14, against a tough Benson five as Central triumphed in overtime,

## Reserves Record 8 Wins, 6 Losses

Central's reserve basketball squad finished out the season with eight wins and six losses.

The Eagles walloped a sturdy Benson team, Feb. 14, by the score of

Steve Scholder scored consistently for the Eagles. Rebounding proved to be the deciding factor of the game. Bruce Hunter, Ron Jones and Walt Graves cleared the boards for the purple and white crew. Ioe Sweeney sparked the team in critical moments.

Victory slipped away, Feb. 15, when the Eagles were defeated by the Creighton Prep five, 34-27.

Scholder was the only scoring ace in the Eagle attack, while Hunter did a good job of grabbing rebounds.

A stall by Prep with three minutes left in the game hurt the Eagles.

The Sulenticmen own earlier victories over Tech, 46-43, and Abe Lincoln, 38-35.

The Eagles, who played only five men, never trailed in the first half. But the hustling Bunnie crew jumped ahead in the third quarter as Jim Daley sizzled in four baskets.

#### Overtime Win

Benson was ahead into the last quarter until Barth, Nared and Jones sank field goals to put Central in front again. Paul Brown sank a jump shot for the Bunnies with just seconds left to put the game into overtime.

The overtime victory was won by a Russell jump shot and free throws by Nared and Owen. Eagle scoring: Barth, 14; Russell, 9; Nared and Owen, 8; and Jones 6.

The Eagle courtmen trounced Tech, 55-39, before a packed house in the Central gym, Feb. 7.

Before the Trojans knew what happened, Barth and Nared triggered in the first five Central shots to give the Hilltoppers a 10-2 lead. The first quarter score was 17-5, but the Tech five fought back to within six points at halftime.

#### Jones Halts Murrell

The second half was all Central as sophomore Johnny Nared pumped in field goals with deadly precision to lead the attack.

Nared was high scorer with 20 points, and Barth followed with 16. Ken Russell, who sparkled under the boards, dumped in 8. Frank Jones held Intercity scoring leader Jay Murrell to 14 points, and he scored 6 points himself. Eugene Owen played his usual fine defensive game and tallied 5.

#### The All-Intercity Wrestling Team

95 lbs.-Don Alexander, South 103 lbs.—Joe Prokupek, South

112 lbs.-Ron Mossburg, Tee Jay 120 lbs.-LOUIE BUTERA, CEN-TRAL

127 lbs.—CHARLIE WHITNER, CENTRAL

133 lbs.-LOUIE MILONI, CEN-TRAL

138 lbs.—Richard Brown, South 145 lbs.—JIM HOWARD, CENTRAL 154 lbs.—GEORGE CRENSHAW,

CENTRAL 165 lbs.-Melvin Masek, South 175 lbs.—Richard Newville, South

Pct. PF Pts. Avg.

Hvywt.-Bill Pickering, South

## **Basketball Statistics**

**Intercity Standings** 

Barth Nared Owen Russell CENTRAL 12 .857 Tech Jones Hall .667 Benson .667 Reynolds Salerno Clough Hunter Creighton Prep .583 South Abe Lincoln 10 .231 Peterson 14

FT Pet. PF Pts. Avg.
54-71 .761 36 226 16.1
36-66 .545 23 188 13.4
45-65 .692 37 137 9.9
12-17 .706 8 40 6.6
13-29 .457 23 83 5.9
9-19 .473 5 43 3.7
3-14 .214 16 23 1.9
0-2 .000 5 8 1.3
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#### **Honor Roll**

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Girls—Rosalee Reiss

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Ann Hahney

9½

Boys—Dean Thomas, Robert Van
Foote, Dave Weddle
Girls—Bettie Gutmann, Mary Jo MacKenzie, Shirley Wagner

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Eckhardt Luken, Douglas I ...... ert Wigton Girls—Linda Holmquist, Cindy Klein, Judy Marymee, Betty Neal, Susan Sorenson, Karen Taras 8½ Boys—James Hansen Girls — Beth Anne Makiesky, Ethel Sabes, Gay Smith 8½

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The most exciting and stylish color of the coming season, a reported by a leading teen-age fashion magazine, will be blue Any shade that becomes you i appropriate.

So with these fashion forecasts in mind, let's take a peek at what the Junior Colony has to fife right now.

Do you like Dior blue? Well Jonothan Logen likes it so well that he has made several new chemises in that color.

There is one with a large white collar and a red tie for a cut sailor effect. Brass buttons accent where the waist should be. This dress has three-quarters length sleeves and is priced at \$25.00. Another one of the dresses

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want a chemise dress but are still crazy about Dior Blue this is your

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Back to the chemise and an exciting introduction to Mr. Mort's contributions to the new spring

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spring is actually here. Hurry righ down now to pick out your ne spring outfit - in the chemis silhouette, naturally!

Sincerely,

Sharon