

HI-LIGHTS

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Editorial

Brookings High School is known for its friendliness. To people outside the school this may mean very little, but this is the heart of the school.

Imagine yourself as a new student, enrolling in a different school. To you, it would be strange and seem unfriendly. Yet it is only a short time before you are a part of the group. People have a special smile for you and call you by name. You, who are new this year, know how things like this can help so much to make you feel at home.

In our high school we want everyone to belong and feel at home. You will fit in almost immediately.

To the new ones we ask only this: that you meet us half way. Return that smile, and it won't hurt you to even add "hello". Remember it takes two to smile, one can only suggest it.

The "old" students should imagine themselves as new ones and treat others like they would like themselves treated in a similar situation.

It is time we get to know that boy across the aisle in geometry or the girl that has the locker next to us. Let's keep that reputation as a friendly school. It is one in which we should take pride.

HOME COMING?

The upper classmen of B. H. S. decided we should have a Homecoming week-end for basket ball. This would be complete with a queen, serpentine and a huge bonfire. The Queen would be elected by the basket ball team and the bonfire built by the freshmen.

This would be a good way to show our school spirit and tell the team that we are really behind them.

However, this is still an idea and we need your opinions and support. Let us know how you would like this idea.—A.S.

HOME ECONOMICS

Miniature houses have been made by the 20 members of the freshman home economics class. Each girl designed her own house plan and color schemes, also built her own furniture. When completed, last Friday, the houses showed original work and interesting design.

The class is now making place mats of Indian head material. These will be completed soon.

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

The first of the National Assemblies for this school year was held on Tuesday, October 27. The entertainment was Don Comfort, who played his accordion. National Assemblies are something to look forward to as they are always enjoyable as well as being educational.

Embarrassing Moments

Mrs. Gray — "When I was in high school and a skunk under our house released some of his perfume. The odor set in my clothes and I had to go to school smelling like that."

Mrs. Doherty—"When I met an old high school classmate last week end whom I hadn't seen for probably 20 years. Didn't recognize her and mistook her for her mother."

School Chorus Now Organized

An organization was formed of our 30 chorus members, and at our first meeting we elected the following officers: President, Susie Tierce; vice president, Kay O'Holleran; secretary, Pat Beale; treasurer, Joyce Baldwin, and reporter, Jo Ann Tyler. We decided to have dues of a dollar a year to use to buy music and decorations for the concerts.

This week several new songs including "Bells of St. Mary's", "Hello, Young Lovers", and "All the Things You Are" were received. Mr. Dick has written his own version of "Blue Moon" for the class to learn.

The chorus gave the number "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" at the first Student Body meeting.

Two weeks ago we gave Mr. Dick a gift for his baby-to-be. The gift was a baby bunting with a bottle warmer to match.

Next month we will begin to work on our Christmas music. We are planning a concert with a few extra solos and duets.

School News

Loretta Waldien injured her leg while playing at the Playday in Arcata.

Bill Henschel, a student here last year, visited school Friday. He is now attending high school at Albany.

Hunting was the pastime of many students during the teacher's institute.

Jerry Brewer cracked his arm last Thursday.

Mrs. Gray attended the Humboldt State College Homecoming held recently at Arcata. A special program was presented to the alumni.

Kay O'Holleran is developing into an expert hunter since moving to Brookings.

FRESHMAN CLASS

The freshman English class has been having a grammatical error contest, which will continue until the end of this quarter.

Each class is divided into two groups. In the morning class, Ronald Matlock's side is leading with 438. In the afternoon class, Lee Wayne Ritchey's side is ahead with 205 points to Jackie Smith's 140.

At the end of the contest, the losing side will treat the winning group.

Co-Editors and Reporters

At the time of our last edition, only one of the two freshman English classes had chosen their co-editor and reporter.

They were: Philip Kessler, co-editor, and Pat Yarnell, reporter.

The second freshman English class have now chosen theirs. They are Jim Barkly, co-editor, and Janet Glass, Nancy Cummings and Jerry Smith, reporters.

SENIOR PICTURES

The Seniors are laughing and sighing over the proofs of their pictures which were taken last week. All agreed that it feels wonderful to wear a cap and gown.

They wish to express their thanks to Mr. Strong of the Brookings Studio for his patience and co-operation in taking their pictures. He is doing a wonderful job.

Senior Spot Lite

GIRL

Name, BONNIE KAYE MINCER
Age, 17.
Birthday, January 23.
Birth Place, Hollywood, Calif.
Height, 4 feet 10 inches.
Weight, 107.
Color of Eyes, Blue.
Color of Hair, Brown.
Favorite Food, Hot fudge sundaes.
Favorite Color, Aqua.
Hobby, Dancing.
Pet Peeve, Lazy People.
Favorite Actor, Jeff Chandler.
Favorite Actress, Debora Paget.
Favorite Song, P.S. I Love You.
Favorite Boy, ??Guess Who??

BOY

Name, RON WESTEREN
Age, 17.
Birthday, March 7.
Birth Place, Port Gamble, Wash.
Height, 6 feet three.
Weight, 165.
Color of Eyes, Blue.
Color of Hair, Light Brown.
Favorite Food, All Kinds.
Favorite Color, Green.
Hobby, Going to School.
Pet Peeve, Teachers.
Favorite Actor, Jerry Lewis.
Favorite Actress, Liz Taylor.
Favorite Song, Little Blue Riding Hood.
Favorite Girl, My Mother.

New Teachers

Name—Miss Fitzgibbon.
Subjects—Commercial.
Birthplace—Portland, Oregon.
Schools attended — Jefferson High School, Portland, and University of Oregon, Eugene.
College Major—English.
Opinion of Brookings High School—"I like the friendly and informal attitude of the people."

Name—Mr. Girod.
Birthplace—Salem, Oregon.
Attended School—Salem, Willamette University.
College Major—Math.
Teaches—Math.

Opinion of B.H.S.—"From the time I first arrived in Brookings, I have found not only the town people, but also the students a friendly group of people. There does not seem to be any "selected" groups among the students, which is certainly a good selling point for the school. As a result, I have found that in almost all cases, the students are easy to get along with and are co-operative."

Name—Mr. Boak.
Birthplace—Bandon, Oregon.
Attended School—Bandon, Ore. (Bandon High School and Pacific U.)

Teaches—Phys. Ed., American History, Science.
Taught last at—Bandon.
College Major—Physical Ed.
Opinion of B.H.S. — "A fine school."

Name—Mrs. Clayton.
Subjects—English and Biology.
Birthplace—Shambaugh, Iowa.
Schools Attended — Pillagen High School, Minnesota Junior College, Clarinda, Iowa.
College Major—History.
Opinion of Brookings High School—"I like the high school students. They are friendly and usually cooperative."

SCHOOL NEWS

A birthday party honoring Mr. Guthrie was given October 14 by the sixth period geography class. Ice cream was served, and for a short time work was forgotten.

Intramural Sports Furnished for Boys

Varsity basketball and baseball will not be the only competitive sports played at Brookings High School this year. A boys' intramural program has gone into effect on a non-varsity basis. In other words, a program has been set up so that boys that are not able to earn a varsity letter may earn an award by participating in intramural athletics.

This award may be of two forms. First, the upper 10 per cent of boys will earn "54" numerals. The number of boys receiving numerals will be based on the number of boys participating in the program and on the amount of points accumulated at the end of the year. Second, a point goal will be established and those boys reaching that goal at the end of the year will receive certificates. Points will be given to each boy participating in each sport, the number depending upon the amount of games he plays.

The sports that the intramural program will include are basketball, free-throw shooting, basket shooting, ping pong, volleyball, softball, track and others, depending upon the facilities available.

At the present time the boys are participating in an intramural basketball league, with five teams competing. Also, a ping pong tournament is being played. The games are played during the noon hour. The Freshmen have shown the most interest in the program to date, with the Sophomores a close second.

PLAYDAY PLANNED

The Letterettes and G. A. A. held a combined meeting October 21 to plan a volley ball playday, which will be held at Brookings on November 7. Girls from Langlois, Port Orford, Ophir, and Gold Beach will be invited to participate.

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Drama Club

Plays in Arcata

The Dramatics Club has been invited to present a one-act play for the Dramatics Festival, which will be held in Arcata, California on November 20 and 21. Several other high schools will attend and see a total of six plays, one being presented by Humboldt State college.

This is the second time Brookings High School has attended and is the only Oregon school invited.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Staff met Monday, October 22, after school to discuss the covers of the annuals. Nothing definitely has been decided as yet. All students are requested to begin bringing in snapshots for the snapshot page. They are to be given to either Bev Glass or Pat Hermann.

In order to have a good year book the cooperation of everyone is requested by the annual staff.

NEW STUDENTS

Three new students enrolled in Brookings High School the past week. Faye Norman, senior, from Lebanon, Oregon; John Adkins, sophomore, also from Lebanon, and Larry Steineke, a freshman, from Langlois.

TWIRP SEASON

Twirp season is in full swing. Twirp, (meaning the woman is requested to pay) makes a lucky time for the boys. This year the girls have the upper hand for three weeks, October 13 to 31.

NOON MOVIE

Movies are shown every other Friday, during the noon hour. Last week we saw, "The DuPont Story." This picture told how gun powder was invented and the role it played in the development of our country.

—OCEAN DRIVE-IN THEATRE—



ON HIGHWAY 101 - 5 MILES NORTH OF CRESCENT CITY
TICKET OFFICE OPENS AT 6:15 SHOW STARTS AT 7:00

Friday, Saturday, November 6 and 7—
GIRLS OF PLEASURE ISLAND
with LEO GLENN and DON TAYLOR

ALLEGHENY UPRISING
with JOHN WAYNE

Sunday, Monday, Nov. 8, 9—
MOULIN ROUGE
JOSE FERRER — ZSA ZSA GABOR

THE SQUARE SHOOTER
MAXIE ROSENBLUM — MAXIE BAER

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Nov. 10, 11, 12
SOMBRERO
RICHARDO MONTABLAN — PIER ANGELI

CRY OF THE HUNTER
VICTORIA GASSMAN — POLLY BERGEN

Friday, Saturday, Nov. 13, 14—
SCARED STIFF
MARTIN AND LEWIS

FAST COMPANY
HOWARD KEEL — POLLY BERGEN