

HI-LIGHTS

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F.B.I. Assembly Held

A recent speaker to the Brookings-Harbor high school students was Sam Grothwell. His interesting talk on the meaning and work of the Federal Bureau of Investigation held the interest of the student body.

Mr. Grothwell has made a tour of the United States, speaking to the different high schools on this same subject. His estimated number of schools visited is 2,500. The recent "Machine Gun Kelly," famous criminal using the weapon associated with his name, was a topic of interest enjoyed by all including the teachers.

He explained that the American criminal record is the world's worst, the total major crimes being 200,000 per year.

Another topic Mr. Grothwell explained was the fact that G-Men do not hold the position of shooting men as thought by many of the younger generation. They use firearms very seldom. A G-Man is a special agent of the F.B.I., very few men employed by the F.B.I. are ever G-Men.

Senior Interviews

Name—Elaine White.
Age—17.
Height—5'4".
Weight—115.
Color Hair—Dark brown.
Color Eyes—Brown.
Favorite Food—Ice cream.
Favorite Color—Pink.
Favorite Song—Changing Partners.
Favorite Saying—Hey!
Favorite Boy—Keith.
Favorite Pastime—Day dreaming.
Favorite Actor—Robert Wagner.
Favorite Actress—Susan Hayward.
Pet Peeve—Rainy Weather.

Name—Jeff Kerr.
Age—16.
Height—5'7".
Weight—142.
Color Hair—Blonde.
Color Eyes—Blue.
Favorite Food—Cherries.
Favorite Color—Green.
Favorite Song—Ruby.
Favorite Saying—Corroded Skadad.
Favorite Girl—Faye.
Favorite Pastime—Playing pool.
Favorite Actor—Jerry Lewis.
Favorite Actress—Debbie Reynolds.
Pet Peeve—Unpolished Shoes.

Class News

SENIORS—The Seniors have decided on their class colors and also their class flower.

JUNIORS—The Juniors are planning on selling hats as soon as they come. They are also waiting for their rings.

FRESHMEN—The Freshmen have planned a party for January 22. Details will be told at a later date.

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What I Did On Christmas

Nancy Cummings — Went to Crescent City.

Karen Wallace — Stayed home and gained seven pounds.

Loretta W.—Helped to butcher a cow.

Roverta M.—Helped my sister Elaine White—Stayed in bed.

Pat Hermann — Stayed at my grandma's and read a book.

Carol Benson—Counted names in a Portland telephone directory.

Ray Western—Went to Washington.

Arlene Sanders — Waited for "Santa."

Raleigh Burr — Went to Aberdeen, Washington.

Pat Beale—Went to Roseburg.

Mrs. Clayton—Went to Salem.

Mr. Boak—Went to Bandon.

Miss Fitzgibbon—Went to Portland.

Mr. Girod—Went to Salem.

Janet Bailey—Went to Aberdeen, Washington.

Prof. Guthrie — Went to Eugene.

Mr. Harrison — Went to New Meadows, Idaho.

Pepster Tryouts

The tryouts for pepsters were held preceding Christmas vacation at a pep assembly. Three girls from each of the upper classes were chosen. They are as follows:

Seniors — Susie Tierce, Lois Chapman and Ann Ritchey.

Juniors — Joann Clendenin, Janet Bailey and Kay O'Holleran.

Sophomores — DeEtta Hyland, Barbara Hedberg, Karen Wallace.

The purpose of the pepsters is to create better sportsmanship at the games.

Junior Class

The Junior class elected the individuals they felt represented the qualities of an ideal student. The results are as follows:

GIRLS

Sportsmanship — Joann Clendenin.

Scholarship—Sherrill McClain.

Leadership — Joann Clendenin.

Service—Peggy Gran.

Friendliest—Janet Bailey.

Wittiest—Janet Bailey.

Athletic—Nelda Evans.

Talent—Carol Coquillette.

BOYS

Sportsmanship—Raleigh Burr.

Scholarship—Henry Herwig.

Leadership—Bob Swan.

Service—Raleigh Burr.

Friendliest—Henry Herwig.

Wittiest—Gerald Hendricks.

Athletic—Ken Russell.

Talent—Gordon Sund.

Skits Presented On Christmas Program

On the afternoon of Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1953, the members of the student body of Brookings High School enjoyed a Christmas party. The program was made up of skits given by each class.

The Senior Class gave a radio program, consisting of the school news. Announcers were Susie Tierce, Lois Chapman, and Jeff Kerr. The listeners were Carol Ann Benson and Jerry Brewer.

The Junior Class all participated in re-enacting their first grade Christmas program. Mary Knapp also gave a pantomime to the record, "Come On To My House."

The Sophomore Class presented to the student body, "Saint George and His Dragonnet." Following the skit Barbara Hedberg played a solo on her accordion.

The Freshmen presented a quiz program, in which members of the student body were called upon to participate. The announcer was David Gates.

Following the skits there was a volleyball game between the Senior boys and the Faculty. Each team came out with a win apiece.

G.A.A. MEETS

The last meeting of the Girls Athletic Association was held on January 6. Plans are being made for a fun night for their mothers sometime in the middle of February. Details will be given later.

Also the G.A.A. group plans to have an assembly for the school in March. Talent will be from anyone in the school. Anyone wishing to participate, speak up!

Watch for a notice of a candy sale, Kids. Noon hour is the time.

New Students

Name—Gaylene Payne.
School last attended—Eugene.
Grade—Sophomore.
Opinion of Brookings—"I like it much better than Eugene."
Opinion of Students—"They are very friendly."

Name—Billy June Lostroh.
School last attended — Santa Monica, Calif.
Grade—Junior.

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

The Van Winkles will be at the high school gymnasium for a National Assembly January 18.

GAME

There will be a game with Crescent City Tuesday, January 12. The game will be at Crescent. Go and support the team.

Alumni Home For Christmas

Several graduate students of Brookings High were home for the Christmas vacation. They were as follows:

Bruce Yelton, Bob Curtis, Mary Lou Berger, Dana Baird, Carla Whillock, Lavonne Smith, Leslie Pullen, Shirley Bowlin, Jerry Anderson, Frank Steineke, Henry Grootendorst, Margie Freeman, George Berger, Roundy Plumley, Ron Akers, and Jack Grush, now in the Marine Corps.

PICTURES TAKEN

Thursday morning Mr. Harris from Harris Studio in Crescent City, Calif., took pictures of the Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen for the annual. Some of the teachers also had their pictures taken.

It will take about a month be-

fore the students will see the results. Mr. Harris will be back then to take pictures of those who were absent and re-take the ones that were ruined.

Chorus News

The girls chorus of Brookings High School will sing a group of numbers for the P.T.A. the first Thursday in February at the high school.

The chorus has a new member. Her name is Billy June Lostroh. She is from Santa Monica, Calif.

"It Ain't Necessarily So" is the new song they are now learning.

A puppet show will be held on Thursday, January 14. As this is not a National Assembly, admission will be 25 cents.

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