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National Bellamy Award Winner for 1963

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CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL, CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, SEPTEMBER 6, 1967 WELCOME TO CENTRAL



LINGERING BETWEEN BELLS—Students gether at the retunde on one of the three floors and talk to their friends, study for an upcoming test, or wistfully watch the steady stream of classmates mounting the steps.

Alma Mater

What a wonderful school is ours to love, With its ups and its downs and its joys;

What a wonderful banner of purple and gold As it floats o'er her girls and boys.

What a wonderful school that I love so well, With its wonderful rep so high.

So you've heard of the school that's true as blue What a wonderful school - CENTRAL HIGH!



LINES A PLENTY-Located on the second floor, the Bank can be found by following the seemingly endless lines of students paying fees, and buying football tickets.

Helpful Hints On Facilities Aid Students

By Glenda Masengil

Adapting to the unfamiliar s roundings of Central High may be made easier with the help of the following information about the school

The library, located on the second floor, contains over 17,600 volumes. It is open twenty minutes before school, thirty minutes after school, and during the day except for assembly period. A pass signed by a teacher is required for admission during class periods, and no book may be issued unless the student's identification card is pre sented.

First Aid, headed by Mrs. Eva Spaulding, school matron, is open for students' benefit in room 108. Lost and found articles are returned to First Aid where a signed pass is also required for admission.

The school bank and the book store aid students throughout the year. School supplies and workooks may be purchased at the book store; the bank sells tickets to all school games and other school functions, postage stamps, and bus tokens. They are located on the second floor.

Usher members direct school traffic and assist teachers. Distinguished by their purple and gold wrist bands, Ushers are to be obeyed by all students.

Hello Central, the student dire tory, is issued by the Tri-Hi-Y Club in December. The Key Club publishes a calendar and also issues football and basketball schedules for the students of

Chattanooga Central High School Library, Ido

By Lynn Button As Central proudly opens her doors for this 1967-68 school year, and sincere welcome to all new and returning members of her family.

Fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools for more consecutive years than any other school area, Central is probably in her last year in this 60-year-old building.

A new five pod structure, scheduled for completion by the fall of
1968, will be built next to J. B. Brown Junior High School on Highway

In moving to a new school, often much of the tradition built up er decades is lost. It is now your challenge and your duty as part over decause is 108t. It is now your channing a man your utily as part of the Central family to keep it alive. That famous Central spirit — a spirit of accomplishment, a spirit of friendliness, a spirit of holp-flat of the powerful of the

Academically, eighty subjects taught by well-qualified teachers, an exceptionally high percentage holding masters degrees, offer students courses of study tailored to the individual. Various service clubs, subject interest organizations, and staffs

give each student a chance to participate in activities which are of

The ROTC program, required for all sophomore and junior boys, omotes the qualities of leadership, patriotism, and respect for authority. It includes the rifle team, drill team, and ROTC band, offering boys who qualify a variation in their regular course.

Central's well developed athletic program has brought many awards and much attention to the school, but other areas have also brought her acclaim.

On October 11, 1963, Central was awarded the unique honor of being chosen to be the recipient of the twenty-second National Bellamy Flag Award, presented annually to an outstanding secondary school in a specified state.

Central's outstanding patriotism and citizenship programs, her principal's proficiency, highly qualified faculty, active alumni, Honor Code, and the community projects exemplifying good public relations were among the points which won her the award.

Throughout the years, Central has won eighteen Freedom Foundation Awards, presented annually by the Awards Committee of Valley Forge, Pennsylvania. Ten have been presented to the Social Science Department; four went to Mr. J. Pope Dyer for letters to the editor and teacher's awards; a teacher's award was presented to Mrs. Rebecca Haskins; and three went to the Central Digest for patriotic editorials.

You have accepted a large responsibility in choosing to attend Central. It is your task to uphold and continue her great traditions You must put on the "Central spirit" and support your clean-up, school whether it be a pep meeting, a football game, or a fix-up campaign. Strive for the best education and the fullest year you can get. Above all protect the integrity and honor of your school. "Honor is synonomous with Central spirit."

Be a true Centralite and put your heart into your work. Remember that Central is only as great as you make it,



CAFETERIA—As horder of starving students stampede to lunch. Ushers stand bravely against the pulsating crowd in an attempt to maintain a semblance of

POUNDERS LEADERS IN SPORTS ACTIVITIES



COACHES AND CAPTAINS—Caught during a break in practice are top left to right, Jake Seaton, Jack Archer, Stan Farmer, Eddie Test, and Head Coach E. B. Etter, bottom, Captain Mike McCoy [23], and Co-Captain Gary Hamrick (33).

By Gary Reynolds

Throughout her sixty-year history, Central has copiled an enviable sports record, winning local, area, a state honors.

Central's 1966 football season ended with a 9-2 rece and a victory in the annual Civic Bowl in Tullahoma. To defeats, encountered at the hands of Brainerd and Howard brought to an end Central's twenty-seven-year dynasty on local teams. This year's squad, headed by captain M McCoy and co-captain Gary Hamrick, will be battling capture the HIL title, along with state-wide honors, a vying for a bowl bid.

The Pounder coaching staff includes Head Coach E. Etter and Coaches Stan Farmer, line; Jake Seaton, en and Jack Archer, backfield.

and Jack Archer, backfield.

Win Regional

Central's Purple moundmen, coached by Ed Te finished their season second in the state after defeating as teams to win the district and regional tournaments. The were also HLL champs.

Coached by Gordon Smith, the Pounder basketh team, plagued by inexperience, made up for anything lacking with spirit and determination to conclude with a 5-5 slz for league play and a 12-12 overall standing.

Gain State Honors

Wrestling also brought home honors as the matme under the leadership of Coach Etter, captured fourth play in the state tournament. Reggie Rains, contender in ti 148-pound class, secured the coveted state crown whi grapplers John Gross and Glenn Rievley captured secon place berths.



DRUM MAJORETTE-Leading this year will be Elaine Stoner.



PERFECTING ROUTINES—The majorettes, shown practicing for the football game half-time Janet Largin, Kathy Rooks, Michelle Tinker, Cheryl Reed, Jackie Camden, and Jayne Arnold.

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Miss Marjerte Qee GO, POUNDERS, GO.— On the scene et pep meetings, football games, and other athletic events are cheerleaders, from left, Dabbie Phillips, Tricia Pyle, Martha Hollis, Steve Meyer, Linda Westbrook, Sue Navel, David Deerman, Julia Masey, Mr. R. 8. Wharson and Debbie Senteritr. Not pictured is Taffit so.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 9-City at UC

Sept. 15-Baylor at UC

Sept. 22-Howard at UC

Sept. 29-Bradley at Bradley

Oct. 6-Brainerd at UC

Oct. 13-Red Bank at UC

Oct. 20-Open

Oct. 27-East Ridge at UC

Nov. 3-Kirkman at UC

Nov. 10-Notre Dame at UC

The cheering section for al Central students at home game (UC) is on the north side of the stadium

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DRIVING HINTS—Coach Stan Farmer, driver education teacher, prepares to instruct student Vicki Funk in the skills of operating a vehicle and precautions to follow while driving.

Foundation Gives Dr. E. A. Owens Teachers Award

By Gary Reynolds

Dr. Edward Owens, head of the science department, received the 1967 Evans Foundation Award for 'teacher excellence."

Nominated for the honor by fellow award recipients, Dr. Owens was presented the \$600 award by Mr. Clay Johnson of the Founda-

Dr. Owens, a native Virginian, pursued his education to earn a B.S. degree in chemistry from Milligan College and a D.D.S. degree from Atlanta Southern Dental College. By attending summer sessions he earned his M.A. degree in biology from George Peabody College for Teachers in 1966.

After sixteen years of practicing dentistry in Virginia and Chattanooga, Dr. Owens retired from the dental profession in 1962. Coming to Central that year, he was made head of the science department in 1965.

The Foundation was established in 1952 by the late Mrs. Nelle Evans Johnson to "encourage and foster teacher excellence."



Dr. Edward A. Owens

Plans For Central Complete: School Board To Receive Bids

By Barbara Button

Members of the Hamilton County | appropriated from the county. Board of Education will soon receive bids from building contrac-tors for the construction of a new Central High School to be built in the coming months, according to Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Two bids will be offered by each contractor. One will provide for separate auditorium and gymnasium facilities. The second will involve a combination of the two buildings with plans for building a separate auditorium a few years after the school is completed.

It will be the duty of the Board of Education to accept or reject the bids submitted. The decision concerning whether an auditorium will be built immediately will be left to proper authorities. Once this decision is confirmed, construction will begin at the building site on Highway 58

Announcement of the actual con-struction will highlight many months of planning by special faculty committees who worked closely with the University of Tennessee School Planning Laboratory and the architects. It was during these months that a booklet was pre-pared called "Educational Specifications for Central High School.' Included in this are approximations of future enrollments, space needed, and equipment to be used in the new school.

The need for a new Central High School first became imperative in April, 1964, when the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges warned the county that unless major repairs were made or a new school built, Central would lose its accreditation. Since repairing the building would have been too expensive, the Southern Association was informed that plans for a new building would begin as soon as the money was

The last four months have been spent working out all the complex details and finalizing the plans. Re-

quests from each department, such as extra space, equipment, or a certain location in the building have been carefully studied. Each subject area will be taught in a place that provides the best at-

mosphere for that particular class. When located next to J. B. Brown Junior High School, Central may share some facilities with that school. Food for Central will be prepared in J. B. Brown's kitchen, transported in refrigerated trucks and placed on steam tables in the high school's "satellite" kitchen.

1044 Enroll At Central; First Time Since 1950 Without Junior Division

Central has begun her sixty-first year, the first in seventeen years without a junior high division,

This year's senior high enrollment decreased slightly as com-pared to last year's 1,089. As in six out of the last seven years, the sophomore class has the largest enrollment, totaling 349 as compared to 409 students last year.

The senior class enrollment, numbering 284, suffered the heaviest loss with a decrease of 90 below last year's senior total and a loss of 20 from last year's junior class. The only class to increase its enenrollment was the junior class, With 330 students, they registered a slight gain of 25.

Central's junior division had an enrollment of 621 last year to bring the combined total for the 1966-67 school year to 1710.

For the first time in 17 years Central High will not have a junior high division. The new John B. Brown Junior High School will receive most of the junior high students who normally would have

With only 1,044, the smallest Principal W. Hobart Millsaps stated that J. B. Brown should act as a stepping stone to the new Central. "We hope that in the nottoo-distant future Central will not only be accompanied by this new junior high, but also by a kinder-garten, elementary school, and even an adult education school. We must support the new school to the fullest because it is a sister, not subservient school, to Central," he

According to Mr. Millsaps, Central will move next to J. B. Brown Junior High, located on Highway 58, within the next two years.

"The junior high gave us a great amount of moral support at all our ball games. This means that this year more senior high school students will have to turn out at our games and cheer louder and harder," stated varsity basketball coach Gordon Smith.

Bids for the new Central will be accepted soon by the Hamilton County Board of Education. It has not been decided yet whether Central will have an auditorium at the time of construction or whether it will be added later.

Central Adds Personnel; Four Join Staff For '67

Joining Central's faculty are four new teachers: Mrs. Patricia Ann Williamson, Mr. James T. Rogers, Mrs Nancy A. Stiefel, and Sergeant Warren Luttral. Mrs. Williamson, home economics instructor, graduated from Chattanooga High School in 1954. She attended the University of Chattanooga and graduated from the University of Chattanooga and graduated from the University of Tennessee, where she received a B.S. degree in home economics. Coming to Central from Elbert Long, where she taught the second grade, Mrs. Williamson thinks, "Central is friendly and there is such a good school spirit."

After 17 years at Birchwood High and Tyner High, Mr. Rogers joined Central's staff where he teaches physics and chemistry. The former basketball coach received B. S. degree at Tennessee

Technological University and was awarded a Masters Degree at the University of Florida.

Originally from Richmond, In-diana, Mrs. Stiefel works in the library, where she assists Miss Mullinnex, librarian. The former high school cheerleader and Y-Teen leader attended Hanover College in Hanover, Indiana, for three years before graduating from George Peabody College in Nashville with a B.S. degree in elementary education.

Sergeant Luttrell, ROTC instructor, joined Central following his retirement from the Army after a total of 26 years in service. Having served in the South Pacific, Japan, Korea, Europe, and Australia, Sergeant Luttrell has re ceived the Good Conduct Medal seven times and the Army Com-mendation Medal. The 1938 Cen-tral graduate also received the Soldiers Medal, the highest peace time award.



NEW TEACHERS—Assistant principal Everett O'Neal is shown welcoming new teachers to Central's faculty. From left they are Sergeant Warren trell, Mr. James T. Rogers, Mrs. Patricia Ann Williamson, and Mrs. ?

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Editorials

Opportunity — Yours

A new school year has begun and with it comes the challenge to take hold of the opportunity for an educa-

Education is the foundation on which the future is built. It provides the knowledge to meet greater and more worthwhile experiences. It opens the door of opportunity for those who want and work for it.

Individual initiative must be taken to accept the op-portunity and responsibility that the new year will bring. Each student is in preparation to face life of his own. Though it is said experience is the best teacher, any attempt to avoid making mistakes by learning from the

mistakes of others is wise and rewarding four mistakes of others is wise and rewarding denter initiative depend on the individual's motivation. Here it is essen-tial that everyone develops to his highest potential. This, of course, can only be achieved by hard work, diligent study, and learning not only from our mistakes but from the mistakes of others.

For seniors this is the last chance to make the

grades for college or to obtain the knowledge to start out in a career. It is a late start but still worthwhile. As for the underclassmen, it is never too early to begin. The decision is yours.

Display Your Spirit

School spirit is something we all think we have and may, but does it always show?

There are, of course, many ways of expressing school spirit, but one of the most common and widely

school spirit, but one of the most common and widely exposed is that at athetic competitions.

With the loss of a substantial amount of our support—namely our junior high—each student should take on the added responsibility of urging friends and fellow students to come to the games. If you don't go to a football game to cheer for your team, how can you expect them to feel confident?

They don't need watchers. They need school support and that means active enthusiasm and your presence.

and that means active enthusiasm and your presence.

Our athletic teams can compete well with other
teams, and our cheerleaders are working hard, but what about the rest of us? Our school spirit is in competition,

Focus — New Rule

The administration makes rules and regulations for the good of the student body. Their aim is correction,

An example is the recent ruling against food being taken outside the lunchroom. This rule aids in keeping our campus clean and in making it presentable for visitors.

Halls littered with ice cream wrappers and potato

Halls littered with ice cream wrappers and potato chip bags show a lack of pride in the school and a lack of responsibility on the students' part.

Many students may have unintentionally dropped paper on the floors, but there were those who didn't care what they did with it. Despite constant pleas to keep the building and grounds clean, the litter problem continued. The only possible action was taken.

We as a school will benefit from this ruling if we support and obey it. It will increase our prestige among those who vigit, and we will have a neater cleaner build-

lose who visit, and we will have a neater, cleaner build-



CENTRAL STANMED TIME

Spotlight on Seniors...

Purple Pounder fans feel pride in one of the senior cheerleaders. Central's athletic record, and help-ing to create and maintain this rit are Martha Hollis and Mike McCov.

President of the Future Home-

makers Club, Martha hopes to major in home economics at the University of Chattanooga, She As captain of the football team, also holds offices in the Tri-Hi-Y, strives for team victories, Gym Staff, and Senate. Martha is while Martha cheers the team on as an executive member of the Stu-



GAME PREPARATIONS—Co-head cheerleader Martha Hollis and football captain Mike McCoy prepare for the Central-Howard game. "Hang on, Marthal You're in good hands."

mans' Teen Board and was a gate to Girls State.

According to Martha, "Every who attends Central ought to proud and support it. If they o plain, let them find a school Aside from activities on the

iron, Mike is president of the E Club and ROTC colonel. A d gate to Boys State, he now sen as treasurer of the C Club and executive member of the St During the summer, Mike bor

a 1929 model "A" Ford. "I can minor repair jobs on it, but the about all. Anyway, it runs pre

To the underclassmen Mari says, "Master the art of selfcipline. You must realize now need of a college education, and be properly prepared for it, & cipline is essential."

"Don't wait to start bucklis down. Get a good background no

Anyone care to try it?

the clocks are numerous.

early or 5 minutes late.

arrived at their post 35 minut Expo '67, Novia Scotia, and Ot-

tawa.

Unusualness Part of New Changes it might be too late later & Clocks running behind, no loiter- gin routes before daylight, Central Making work days a pleasure for ing in the halls, mixing of seniors begins one-half hour later allowing janitors, a new rule was passed ing in the halls, mixing or seniors organs over-mit not made anowing jaminors, a seniors to drive leisurely which no longer allows students to the seniors of the seniors o president of the junior class, M commuting between schools, and no to school and students to leave eat while fraternizing in the halls, says, "We can all improve Cents aquesling seventh, eighth, and some homework until the early nor can Ushers grab a sandwich to by taking pride in cleanliness as a constant of the property of by taking pride in cleanliness squealing seventn, eighth, and some nomework until the early nor can Ushers grab a sandwich to American history for juniors, world seventness and in the price of the uniform price of the uniform price of the price of the uniform p

class and take more than one lunch To comply with a state regula- period because of the clocks run-

MUTUAL ADMIRATION—Setting up a few souvenirs collected in various countries during their trip abroad last summer are, from left, Courtney McInturff, Carol Ballinger, Glen Rievley, and Mrs. Mildred Sanders.

tion forbidding school buses to be- ning behind schedule.

Summer Months Provide

time for several Central teachers talking to other educators.

troduced new seating arrangements ombining seniors and juniors on the main floor of the auditorium. Sophomores who occupy the bal-Travel Time For Teachers attain the ground level status.

Embarrassing situations due | Three summer months provided | he visited Puerto Rican schools, miles a day, Mr. K. W. John, head will have an equivalent of half a of the music department, and Mr. year of college math. I look forthe clocks are numerous.

The Ozarks of Arkansas and Morris Bales, band instructor, ward to learning with them." Several new successive acreases were acreased and state of the state o For six weeks Miss Bobbie Ruth Bales holds morning classes there Hodges attended the National De-Many students found themsels Washington, D. C., New York, fense Education Act Institute of groups, while string and voice experiment to help these students with beginner and advanced band time for honor juniors. "It is an in the right class at the wreand Tallahassee, Fiolius, were on period. For instance, one felemr. J. Pope Dyer's agenda. While had already eaten two lunchin Florida, the head of the social Mrs. Louise Caudle, business inclasses are taught in the afternoon Traveling to Miami, Florida, periods by Mr. John.

when he arrived at what he thouselence department observed the structor, spent one week at the assemblies, empty halls, and a re-One Usher commented, "Silent Doral Country Club and a second strained atmosphere are caused by the loss of the junior division. It Absentee lists haven't shorters see Association of Student Councils Greyhound Bus Company, Mr. in the halls." Working as a driver for the seems odd to watch the slower pace

Students Travel Abroad: Visit European Countries

Souvenirs, pictures, and many | Glen Rievely, junior, recalls memories will remind 20 Central "You could still see the water line students of the three week tour from the flood in Florence, Italy

Mrs. Mildred Sanders, sopho-The group toured Cologne and Rome's interesting sights." Heidelberg in Germany; the French | The entire cost of the trip was cities of Paris, Nice and Versail- approximately \$900. Mrs. Sanders les; Rome, Venice, and Florence in says that the price will be less Italy: London, England; Lucerne, next summer and hopes that this Switzerland: and Holland.

McInturff. "We also saw Big Ben. the Parliament building, and the 'Olde Curiosity Shoppe.' "

"I liked Switzerland best of all. It was most like the United States derstood was Coke "

The museums there are beautiful.

"For history one can't beat more English teacher, and her Rome," stated Mrs. Sanders. "Mihusband sponsored the group that chelangelo's Sistine Chapel and the visited six countries in Europe. Fountain of Trevi were two of

will interest other students. Visits "In London we saw the changing to eight countries rather than six of the guard, but the Queen wasn't are being planned for the summer of 1968. They will include the

"A trip such as this would be most beneficial to high school stuand the people were friendlier," dents, something to help in their senior Carol Ballinger says of her studies and give them a better trip. "One word that anybody un- understanding of people around the world." says Mrs. Sanders.

CHS Adds New Courses In Three Departments

are being offered at Central for studies department, "for most stu-Exodus of the junior high has in- the 1967-68 school year.

kind at Central, math analysis, graphy class will keep abreast on taught by Coach Gordon Smith, world events and follow points of cony must wait another year to contains abstract algebra and trigo- current interest. nometry and is a pre-calculus math Commuting approximately ten course," stated Coach Smith, "they

> Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, is being driving, and a knowledge of laws offered at Central for the first and traffic problems." prepare for the American College

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dents are lacking in social studies." Being the first math class of its Mrs. Reba Fults' world geo-

"Driver education is needed at course. "When students finish this Central," stated Coach Stan Farm-

er, instructor of the new course classroom work, six hours under American history, taught by the car wheel, a basic skill of

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'Central Time' Cause of Confusion By Patricia Sheetz lesser of two evils." Daylight Savings Time.

"What time does this period end?" is a familiar phrase around Central this year. Only mathematics wizards can predict when the bells will ring.

The cause of the confusion is merely the setting of the clocks back half an hour to conform to new county rules.

"It's a mess, but we knew it was

reflections

By Doug McVey

Four Central boys attended six-

week summer sessions with Na-

tional Science Foundation scholar-

Fourteen Digest Staff members

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ished a special newspaper in which

ionors for stories written. Re-

porter Beth Jeffers' entry received

day, September 25, at 7:30 p.m.

honorable mention.

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Changing the pins in the clock

that control the bells would have been almost impossible. Experience has proved that such a move would have been chaotic. After all, confusion is better than chaos.

Mr. O'Neal further stated that he had a hard time figuring out when to come back from lunch. He going to be," exclaimed Mr. Ev-erett O'Neal, assistant principal. a timetable containing correspond-"I guess you might call it the ing "Central" time and Eastern

> IN MY OPINION An Annual Confusion

By David White Summer's end always poses the problem of conforming to rules and regulations and, in general, complying with authority.

Senior Jimmy Mullican studied There is always some question nathematics and chemistry at the raised as to the justice of any University of North Carolina; and ruling. Does the commanding of Doug McVey, also a senior, took authority rule out error and is mathematics, physics, and electhere no liberty allowed for obtronics at Bennett College in North jections?

One must recognize that those holding authority have been placed there because they have shown overall good judgment, efficiency, and fairness

As people have varied ideas and methods of accomplishing desired ends, others may see certain actions as unjust or possibly non-essential. There is always the chance of error, but in this case, slim; for those with authority are usually more experienced in matters at hand than an onlooker, or, in most cases, those subject to the ruling.

Any objection to policy should only be made with the full facts at hand. Presenting a grievance with polite manner may not result in a change, yet an understanding of PTA meetings will resume Monthe authority's position will have

maybe the teachers are checkington High School in Pennsyl-second period roll rather than finyania.

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Touring the Caribbean, Mr. Sam The Central Dinesistoner, history instructor, visited Rico, Jamaica, and the CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL Virgin Islands. During his stay,

in the right class at the wroand Tallahassee, Florida, were on History in Middle Tennessee.

his stomach's delight the teack Miss Mildred Major, senior Eng- in Blowing Rock, North Carolina.

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CHS Clashes With Tigers In HIL Bout

seeking to revenge the 7-6 loss dealt by Howard last year, the first local team to defeat the Pounders in 27 years, as they host the Tigers September 22 at Chamberlain

Howard, main contender for this year's HIL title, will be lead by quarterback Fred Shorpshire and

quarterback Fred Shorpshire and halfbacks Jerry and Perry Hicks. Central's Coach Jack Archer stated that it would be "our job to contain Howard's fast backs." He said that the team that played better control football would win

Tackle Gary Locke thinks Cen tral can win the game, if "we really set our heads to it." He added, "It's going to be hard, though."

big out-of-town rivals, will be ready as always for the Pounders who travel to Bradley, Septem-29

In past years Bradley and Cen tral have played 20 times with the Purple Pounders taking 14 games

and dropping only six.

According to Head Coach E. B. Etter, Bradley has a new football coach and is in a more-or-less rebuilding stage. In an earlier interview, Coach Etter stated that he had no scouting reports on

Bradley.

Coach Etter said that the Pounders were a well-balanced team this year. He mentioned half-back Mike McCoy's good size, fullback Gary Hamrick's speed, and half-back Reuben Justice "as illusive a player as I've seen." The mentor also mented on quarterback Jim Mullican's running ability and Pat Chadd's accurate passing.

"The Pounder's line is big, but not as fast as in previous years," said Coach Etter, He also commented that the linebackers are

much improved over last year.

Tackles Gary Locke and John
Crawford are the big men on defense. Crawford weighs in at 250 pounds, and Locke comes a close second at 240. Tim Thornhill runs a distant third at 215.

The defensive backfield for the squad consists of McCoy, Hamrick, and Justice; all three played in the back field last year.

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YARDAGE GAINED—into action against Riverside darts Reuben Justice, junio halfback, as he sweeps the right end of the Trojan line for added yardage

Purples Trounce Trojans; **Stop City High Dynamos**

Playing under heavy rains dur-ing the second half, Central's gridmen defeated the City High Dynamos 6-0 in an HIL tilt, September 9, on the UC turf.

This year's City-Central game, football classic in which the Pounders have been undefeated since 1939, was a hard fought defensive game. Central's only touchdown came on a four-yard sprint around left end by junior halfback Reuben Justice during the first quarter.

Central threatened to twice more but the rugged Dynamo defense stopped them cold. On the final play of the first half, Mike McCoy was stopped on the City three. Late in the third period Justice was halted before he could get a first down on the Maroon

Central defenders, paced by Bill Ridge, stopped a City threat at the Pounders' 23 in the second

The Pounders romped over the Riverside Trojans 26-0, September 2, in home gridiron action.

Mike McCoy plunged one yard to open Central's scoring just before the first quarter ended. Mike Perkins snagged a short toss from Pat Chadd in the second quarter

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The Pounders took the seco half kickoff and marched 60 yards in four plays. Jimmy Mullican ran sweep end for 27 yards and the

In the final quarter Rick Holder hit paydirt on a one-yard plunge The effort capped a 13-play, 75yard drive.

Riverside's Bruce Gardner streaked 61 yards on a kick-off return to the Pounder nine, spearheading the Trojan's big-gest attack. Tim Thornhill and McCoy downed Randy Dallas at the four to set up a fourth and goal situation. Quarterback Ronnie Moore's pass fell incomplete to end the threat.





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Sharp Coverage By David Sharp

Purples Start Pounding

The Purple tide rolled again and proved that it is a mighty opponent when the team stopped a speedy Riv side club in its season opener.

But even before this scheduled event, Central had isage warning by thumping the Kirkman Golden Hawks 21-0, a single quarter of the HIL Football Jamboree. Go

a single quarter of the HIL Football Jamboree. Gabeginning.

The Purples have 13 returning lettermen to make, the core of their team. Of these 13, four started in last yeas eason. Coming back are Gary Hamrick, senior fullback as co-captain; Mike McCoy, senior halfback and captain; Mi
Perkins, senior end; and Gary Locke, junior tackle.

Other players who saw action last year include Joe Crawford, senior tackle; Ricky Holder, junior linebacke, Reuben Justice, junior halfback; Phil Lambert, senior guar Bill Ridge, senior end; and Tim Thornhill, junior tackle.

Taking over Denny Painter's position at quarterback a Jimmy Mullican, a senior who quarterbacket the junior hy squad, when we had it, and junior Pat Chadd, a proming lad.

squat, when we had it, and Julior I at Chaud, a proming lad.

With all this experience the Pounders should be at to regain the HIL title and revenge its losses to the Howg Tigers and the Brainerd Rebels, at least it's hoped so.

Summer Southern Champs

This summer Pounders again showed their might at kept the school reputation high as they became the co southern region champs in the summer baseball league.

The Purples then went into a playoff with the connorthern region champs, arch-rival City, but, alas,

northern region champs, arch-rival City, but, alas, is Dynamos were supercharged and wrestled the Summer by trict Championship from the Pounders.

In American Legion baseball, the Pounders were resented by some of last year's hitting Purples.

A team containing Central players Donnie Leonar Gary Matlock, Bobby Reed, Johnny Rogers, Ken Choate, as Larry McGill went to the American Region State Tourse and placed third. Not bad. Leonard, Matlock, and Reed & '67 grads of Central.

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STANDING OYATION—Hailing the Pounders as they punt a leading kick-off, supporters of the newly organized Pep Club rise, cheering in unison.

ROTC Reveals Officers; Mike McCoy Will Lead Central High Battalion

battalion commander, with the rank of cadet colonel, of the Central ROTC unit by Sergeant/Major Robert Hall, Senior Army Instructor at Central.

Codet It Colonel James Brackett will serve as executive officer for the battalion, while Cadet Major Jay Maveety will be adjutant. Other staff officers, holding the

rank of cadet captain, include John Crawford, Phil Lambert, Kin Choate, and Steve McBay.

A Company

Cadet Captain Mike Harvey will serve as company commander of A Company, aided by executive officer, First Lieutenant Walter Frve. Platoon leaders Craig Dos-

Mike McCoy has been named cher, Norman Finch, and Bill Har-

B Company will be commanded by Cadet Captain Harvey McCoy. Cadet First Lieutenant Charles Morrison will fill the executive officer position. Platoon leaders Robert Henry, Charles Rogers, and Jerry Rogers as well as supply officer Lamar Grimes, will be second lieutenants.

C Company

C Company
Cadet Captain Eddie Sheley will
command C Company, assisted by
Cadet First Lieutenant Larry
Beaty, who will perform the executive officer duties.

Larry Grier, Steve Gass, David Martin, and Troy Wright will act as platoon leaders with the rank of second lieutenant, Second Lieutenants Gary Fischer and Russell Riddle will act as administrative officer and supply officer, respectively.

D Company

Company commander of D Company, Cadet Captain Mike Perkins, will be aided by executive officer First Lieutenant David Brown

Platoon leaders Wendy Saffles, Tony Fortner, Bobby Wilson, and Jerry Pelham will be aided by Ter-ry Hasden, John Massey, Hoyt Phillips, and Ray Slatton, serving as assistant platoon leaders. All will hold the rank of second lieutenant. Acting as second lieutenants will be supply officer David Kinsey, administrative officer Gary Reynolds, and weapon officer Mac

E Company Cadet Captain William Mathis will lead E Company, with Cadet (Continued on Page 3)

Sporting Events Receive Support From Pep Group

The purpose of the Pep Club "in to start a heart or a nucleus of the heering section so that people can follow it along with the cheereaders," states Coach E. B. Etter, originator of the club.

Under the direction of Coach Edward Test, Central's Pep Club has approximately 75 members with a planned membership of 100 for this

Members pay five dollars for membership in the club and a season ticket to all football games, except the Howard game, all home

Club president Kin "Mr. Pep Choate is assisted by Earline Mc-Glohon, vice president, who com-nented, "If we can get everybody to sit together, it will naturally make a difference in the cheering.

Nancy Averitt serves as secretary and Larry McGill handles the treasurer's duties, Sergeants-at-Arm are Carson McCord and Wayne

"Great," "Victory," "Yell It -Spell It," and "Gotta Fight" are some of the cheers that have been taught to the group by the cheerleaders. "Defeat," a cheer that the cheerleaders composed has also been learned.

Some of the songs that the club has learned are "Come On Boys" and "There's Just One Team."

Flash cards are used at games, too. When a number is called, certain cards are raised to form words

Five rows in front of the cheerleaders are reserved for the Pep Club at football games. Members may bring friends to sit with them in this section, according to Coach

A bus to the Bradley game will be sponsored by this organization, according to Coach Test.

Students Debate Vital Political Problems Via 'Youth In Government Program'

By Jake Arbes

terest of the young people of Tennessee in the democratic form of government and the problems which face it, I am pleased to announce the establishment of a state-wide Youth in Government," stated Tennessee Senator Howard Baker to a group of 700 young Tennesseans attending a one day citizenship conclave in Nashville, Tennessee. David Alonso, Lynn Button, and Martha Hollis — represented the

Four Centralites-Byron Dalton, Central Youth in Government Council at the meeting. Other members of the committee include Courtney

committee members and they were | ing on their views and explaining approved by Principal W. Hobart | the Youth in Government program. "In response to the growing in- | committee members and they

After arriving in Nashville, the Central students went to the municipal auditorium where the one-day meeting took place. Advisers, composed of college students, divided the young men and women into smaller groups where each elected chairmen

David Alonso, chairman of Central's Youth in Government Council, was elected chairman of one group. Each committee discussed five major political topics that they thought were of the greatest na-McInturff, Bob Johnson, and Jane tional concern and listed their views on the topics. Senator Baker then

belief that the young people of Tennessee want and deserve to be heard on the vital issues that face us. Through the Youth in Government program we will attempt to provide the two essential ingredients for youth participation, in-formation and motivation," explained the Senator.

Upon returning from the convention, council chairman Alonso related that some of the council's yearly activities will include sponsoring debates, discussions, a current affairs bulletin board, and Central Senate president, chose the addressed the conclave, comment- speeches by prominent politicians.

Debbie Cimino Serves As Editor Of '68 Champion

editor - in - chief of the 1968 sistant managers are Champion, announces Miss Maxine ger and Jane Meyer. Bennett, sponsor of the Champion

positions are Brenda Isbell, assistant and organization editor; Lynda Bolus, feature editor; Vicki McCanless, military editor; Ruth Core, student life editor; Ginger Nye, faculty and Bellamy Award editor; Charles Brymer, sports editor; Linda Holland, sophomore class editor; Sandra Roberson, junior class editor; and Brenda Cook, senior class editor.

This year for the first time there will be underclassmen working on the yearbook. These include sophomores Amanda Rhodes and Susan Spears and junior Debbie Morton. man, will be given a position on the staff later in the year.

Jan Rider is the 1967-1968 manager of the Business Staff, sponsored by Mrs. Virginia Summerour part of the school term.

Debbie Cimino has been named and Miss Lavene Roberts. The as-litor - in - chief of the 1968 sistant managers are Elaine Bar-

Members of the Photography Staff, sponsored by Mr. C. Debbie's staff members and their Towery, are Doug Bradshaw, Barry Cole, Pat Daniel and Tim Landress. Mr. Towery stated that other underclassmen photographers may be added to the staff later in the year.

The editor-in-chief's job includes composing the first twenty to thirty pages of the annual and supervising putting the yearbook together.

"I hope we will have a better yearbook this year than last year. I think it's a real honor for anyone to be on the Champion Staff," Debbie stated.

"After just five days of school, One member, senior Susan Rod- the Champion Staff, which meets everyday at seventh period, had already chosen a theme for the yearbook," said Miss Bennett.

Yearbooks will arrive the last

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PROJECT: ANNUAL—Conferring with editors is Miss Maxine Bennett, Cham-pion Staff adviser. Standing from left are Brenda lubell, Ruth Core and Vicki McCanless. Seated are Debbie Cimino and Miss Bennett.

Former Centralite Visits

Ghana In EIL Program

Five Central girls have been

Seniors Ruth Core and Jo Smith

were selected as representatives at

Millers. Lovemans' members in-

lude Martha Hollis and Sue Navel

eniors, and junior Ginger Nye.

Informal Modeling

Activities of the Miller Brothers

sponsoring a beauty workshop, in-formal modeling in the store, and

helping shoppers select purchases.

tral Day" at the downtown store

board members, and other students

from Central display school spirit

Recently, a teen lounge called "The Dutch Doors" was opened in

Millers on the second floor for

teen board members and other

Participating in service projects fashion shows, and beauty work

shops are among the duties per-

formed by Central's representatives

Each teen board wears a distin-

day of the week. Miller's board

days in bright orange coat dresses

with accessories of brown fishnet hose and orange swede shoes.

Red sweaters and beige mini

culottes with red stripes are worn

by Lovemans' representatives

nembers can be seen on Wednes-

Once a year Millers holds "Cen-

chosen to serve on the teen boards at Miller Brothers and Lovemans

his year.

for clothes.

teenage shoppers.

to Lovemans

Qualified or Popular?

Is the election of class officers a popularity contest?
With the elections coming up next week, we should begin to think about what qualifications we expect of our candidates.
A class office admittedly doesn't carry as much responsibility as prestige. You honer your elected officials by selecting them above all others as your representatives. How do you decide whom to choose? Do you cast your ballot for the generally accepted candidate because it is the thing to do? Do you out for the cuttest girl or the most muscular boy put because they look great?
Often we completely skip over our most capable leaders. We ignore their merits and accomplishments and rather than honer them, we bestow our trust in the best-liked or well-known classmate.

Is this the purpose of class officers? Isn't their purpose to exemplify Central spirit and to represent their

class in various activities?

Honor should be given to those who deserve it—to those who have honored their school and fellow classmates. An honor loses its significance when bestowed on one who hasn't devoted himself to bringing honor to

others.

As the decision gets closer, consider carefully whom you want to elect as your class officers. Elect them on merit—not popularity.

This editorial won't change the way the elections turn out; but if it has made you stop to think, it will have accomplished its purpose.

Clubs Serve Central

Central tradition to many means the time-worn rotunda columns found in each of Central's three floors. What revolves around these columns, however, are the many clubs and organizations which, teamed with

many clubs and organizations which, teamed with studies, are the make-up of central life. The Senate, oldest club at Central, certainly is a link in tradition. Throughout the years it has spon-sored noted assembly speakers and given debates. This year the Senate, sponsored by Mrs. Rebecca Haskins, has handed out honor code cards and placed posters in

The Key Club, directed by Mr. James Hoover, regularly hosts school activities such as Vocational Guidance Day for juniors and seniors, the Key Club Calendar, and weekly representatives to the Kiwanis luncheons. Their purpose, according to secretary Jay Maveety, is to help guide and build members' characters and to serve the school and community.

school and community.

The Tri-Hi-Y, sponsored by Mrs. Dorothy Stone, is active in service projects such as holding an annual Easter egg hunt for an area orphanage, devoting several Saturday mornings to polishing Central trophies, and compiling the student directory, Hello Central. The club's purpose is to create, to maintain, and extend throughout

purpose is to create, to maintain, and extend throughout the home, school and community high standards of Christian Living.

The Hi-Y, sponsored by Mr. Hillman Mayfield, is affiliated with the YMCA. Its purpose, as the Tri-Hi-Y, is to serve and throughout the serving of others to be-stow the best in Christian attitude.

One of the most active Central organizations is the Student Council, sponsored by Miss Mildred Major. Their plans include sponsoring a leadership clinic for the Central club officers, the Academic Awards Day, a number of dances, and the Christmas food baskets.

Essential to each of its respective fields are the Science Club, the language club, the FTA, FH, and FBLA. The Cinema Club, Bible Club, and Red Cross Club all play important roles in Central's school-life.

Just as the rotunda columns support the ceilings of Central, so the service clubs support the Central



Spotlight on Seniors.

Any senior will tell you that the senior year is no time to sit around Two active seniors we know, Jane Meyer and Jay Maveety, can be found doing anything but sitting

Both are presidents of one of the major student groups at Central. Jane presides over the Senate, and Jay, the Student Council.

At the Student Council Conven tion this summer, Jay found "an impressive group of people who worked well together. It was amazing how much there was to

learn from everyone."

Jane is also on the move. In the spring she attended Volunteer Girls State, where it "was a unique experience. It means so much. Never can you experience anything like it anywhere else. The program is good and the atmosphere congenial, but the people are fan-tastic. They are all so talented; there's so much to share with them, so much to experience.

Jane works on the Bank Staff and is recording secretary of the Student Council, Central reporter for the News-Free Press Young America section, and secretary o the newly formed Youth in Govern-

"Creative writing" says Jane, "is my most challenging subject. Whenever I have anything to write, I just panic because I don't feel as if I can create anything worth-

Jay is head of the bookstore as part of his Bank Staff duties, and secretary of the Key Club. A member of the Math Club, Jay placed fifth in the city in the state-wide math contest in the unified



MONEY MAD - Bank staffers Jane Meyer and Jay Maveety find the

Model cars absorb much of Jay's spare time. "I have about 30 collected on five shelves and a closetful up to my knees." An avid fan of the Rolling

Stones. Jay loves to play the guitar

Jay will be going to MIT or Georgia Tech, hopefully on an Air Force ROTC scholarship. Jane plans to attend either St. Pauls College in Missouri or St. Johns

Students Voice Opinions On Loss of Junior High

at Central High and J. B. Brown Junior High shows mixed feelings about the split junior-senior high

marks, "It's as though half the school were missing. I had a lot of friends in the junior high, and

Cathy Button, former Central eighth grader, states, "Now as a separate school, we support our junior high football team better. Also we don't have all the older kids looking down on us."

Senior Rhonda Blevins states, "I think Central is better this year without the junior high. There is a better situation in the halls and the Ushers don't have as hard a

job as they did last year."

Sophomore Diedra Polston thinks, without the junior high there is a lot more room and we have a better chance to learn."

Janice Simms, a freshman at J. B. Brown, says, "J. B. Brown is a really good school, but I would

The Digest Staff wishes to express deepest sympathy to Mrs. S. E. Nelson and Mr. Clifton H. Presbrey Jr. in the loss of Mrs. Vesta Nelson Presbrey. Mrs. Presbrey was the daughter of the late Mr. Stacey E. Nelson, former principal of Central. Mrs. Presbrey taught at Central for 11 years.

Brown in the aspect that we are recognized as students and not as the younger kids."

Junior Sherry Gann says, "I think Central is a lot better without the junior high because they were too immature to be in high

As put by Mrs. Mildred Sanders, sophomore English teacher, "It was better for the junior high to leave Central because now they have a school life of their own and are not absorbed by the senior high as they

Sherlyn Grider, junior, says, "I think it's great not to be trapped in a stampede after each class."

Junior Eddie Nethery states, "I'm glad they're gone. It makes the lunch line shorter and the halls less crowded."

Another junior, Courtney McInturff, replies, "Without the junior high we are all in the same age group, and now you don't have mixed classes where a senior is with a freehman"

Chris Ball, a former eighth grader, said, "I miss Central, J.B. Brown is okay, but it's not organized and most of my best friends aren't zoned for J. B. Brown."

Senior Elaine Stoner declares. "Personally, I feel that Central is better off without the extra 600 junior high students, because of the rate it is falling apart. Maybe without the extra weight we'll stand a little longer.'

Criticism Aids By Stimulating Bot

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The Central Bigest Any student who has not yet

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IN MY OPINION

By David White

(Continued from Page 1) structive. It is not enough to be Serving as second lieutenants will a person he is wrong; one mule platoon leaders Richard Cham- lings, Tammy Ray, Susan Rodman, he usually can understand what is the teachers commute between convince him of that fact and subers and Ronnie Borden, assistant gest a course of correction. The plate on leaders Brady Houts and tone of the critic can accomp McDaniel, and administrative of Each suring, teachers submit as much as the correct course ficer Dudley Anderson.

Cadet Captain Richard Key will One who is free with criticism be commander of the Color Guard, not usually as free with comp while Cadet Captain David Sharp iors who share their posts with tory, physics, and art. will command the drill team. Cadet ments. Such a person must com Captain Frank Goforth will lead to the understanding that to guithe rifle team, and Cadet Captain the respect of the person being &Ricky Taber will serve as comvised, he must be just as willingmander of the Military Band. NOTICE

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Five Girls Chosen For Teen Boards

By Lynn Button "It was hot and dirty, but the and malaria was prevalent. Al experiment was worth any physical though much of Africa is still omfort we might have suf- primitive, parts are as large and fered." EIL participant Harry more modern as any place in the Austin, a 1964 Central graduate, world. told a student group, September "They don't resent Americans," Harry explained; "they're envious

An Experiment in International They do resent the race riots and the Viet Nam conflict." nommer, the former Digest sport's For Harry, it was sad to see editor spent several weeks in the "Ghana torn between Western and bush living with an African family old African customs. They are comand building a village school, ing out of the old and evolving to Building the structure was the the new."

most rewarding part of his trip in
that he was able to help give
something to Ghana and its
feel," he stated, "that there is still a lot to be done."

The most difficult part of the "I wish everybody could go or

experiment, according to Harry, an experiment. You learn a lot was the mental adjustment to a about yourself, and you look at new culture. There were poor what we have and realize that espitation facilities in his village there is a lot more to life."

Director States Ushers 'Faculty's Right Hand'

"Directing traffic in the halls, supervising the cafeteria, and acting as official school hostesses are some of the duties Fomosan Entry Thinks of Central's Usher Staff, the right-hand man to the faculty. states Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, sponsor.

Heading the staff for the 1967-68 school year are Brends Isbell, head Usher, and Peggy Commander, assistant head. The 42 staff members are Gloria Adkins, Linda Alsip, Vicki Attaway, Janet Avans, Nancy Averitt, Sandi Bankston, Rhonda Blevins, Brenda

Carolyn Bowman, Marilyn Bowman, Carol Brumlow, Beverly Choate, Debbie Cimino, Ruth Core, Gail Freeman, Arlene Fuson. Glenda Goins, Almeda Gossett, Mary Graham, Paula Hart.

1967-68 Officers Linda Holland, Brenda Ingle, Giving his first impression of take-over.

Mary Ann Schultz, Janice Stout, being said.

names of prospective Ushers to in advanced biology, advanced mosa, they are just teachers." Miss Hodges. The juniors chosen math, and physics. In Formosa he become "little sisters" to the sen- studied chemistry, geometry, histhem from three to five weeks, Eugene's father, Dr. Tse-Wu training them for the daily Tai, has resided in America for

ourple and gold wristbands. Each week the members rotate to a different post in a particular area.

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FASHION FIRSTS—Modeling their teen board uniforms are Central representatives, Standing from left, Sue Navel and Martha Hollis, Lovemans; seated are Ruth Core and Jo Smith.

Central Student Very Friendly

Many students have dreamed of | Erlanger Hospital. Mrs. Tai and a "collecting game." Each team ing in foreign countries, but two young daughters are still in was told to combine furniture, few have ever experienced it or Taichung, their home city.

THE CENTRAL DIGEST

Janice Kennedy, Regina Lewis, Central life, the young Formosan Eugene stated that the school Pam Linville, Rebecca Lively, Vicki said, in his broken English, "The he attended in Formosa and Cen-Yet criticism can only stir a desire to achieve when it is constituted from rage 17 and desire to achieve when it is constituted from a executive officer.

McCanless, Sandra Morris, Carolyn Istudent is very friendly." He has it should fifter greatly. The Formosan desired from the constitution of the const Moss, Debbie Potts, Lenita Queen. trouble relating his thoughts in school is much larger, and there Teresa Randolph, Priscilla Raw- English, but if spoken to slowly, the students remain in class while

Each spring, teachers submit ing to be a doctor, is taking courses ers are friendly; whereas in For-

about three years. He is a second-Ushers are identified by their year resident in anesthesiology at

Last year, the members from each school competed as a team By Tommy Mathis against those of other schools in

draperies, and other materials to According to Miss Margaret produce an ideal college room een a native of a foreign land. Central's members won second Yu-Yong (Eugene) Tai, 17, Winslett, Bible instructor at Cenplace in the contest.

comes to Central this year from tral, Eugene's father is a refugee the island country of Formosa, from the China mainland, from Shelia Harmon, Cheryl Hendren, where he has spent all of his life, which he fled before the communist guishing uniform on a designated

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Sharp Coverage

By David Sharp

Ask Questions

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It was a miserable, wet, second half of a football game. The Pounders struggled against the weather and against a stiff City defense. Unable to take advantage of numerous breaks, Central squeaked by the Dynamos 6-0. But is this the whole story? Does this tell about the football players who couldn't hold the ball or found it hard to stand up? Does this tell the story of the fans and the chemosters? Does this explain why City fans went wild we when the rain began?

What happens to a football team when it rains? Ask Gary Hamrick or Jimmy Mullican. Ask Pat Chadd and Mike Perkins. They can tell you how hard a football is to hold when it is thrown or when you get hit by a tackler. They will tell you how hard a wet football is to hand off or to pass. There are other considerations, too. What about falling into aix inches of water and being completely covered with mud. That is what the footballers go through when it rains—all to keep Central tradition up to standard.

Watered Stands

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In the stands the situation was just as bad, but did that down the more loyal fans of the Purple Pounders? Ask Terry Farmer and Steve McBay. And what about cheerleaders? They stayed because they are cheerleaders and proud of that fact. How are they expected to lead cheers if there is no one left in the stands? But there were some fans left, people who came to see and to cheer Central. The cheerleaders and support from a small but determined group.

The water was six inches deep on the cheerleader's platform, and it was six inches deep on Chamberlain Field, yet the Central Spirit was upheld by the football team and a small hardy band of loyal fans—the type of fans that make Central a really great school.

All Junior Firing Team Shoots For Championship By Wayne McCoy

der the direction of Sergeant War- has good potential and could pos ren Luttrell, has high hopes of at-

taining another national title.

This year's squad, led by senior
Cadet Captain Frank Goforth, consists of Howard Thomas, David Howell, Lawrence Wilbourne, Charles Westbrook, and Lynn Patterson, all juniors.

Thomas, a member of the top five firers, visited Fort Benning, Georgia, during the summer. While there he participated in matches which later enabled him to attend Camp Perry. In this competition Thomas placed twelfth out of sixty nine in the two-man matches.

In expressing his views, Sergeant Willard Blaylock, former rifle team

Central's ROTC Rifle Team, un- | coach, stated that this year's team sibly develop into a championship

> Even though this year's top five firers are juniors, each was a member of last year's junior varsity which gave them experience in the prone, kneeling, and standing po sitions used in firing.

Anyone interested in trying out for the rifle team is requested to report to Sergeant Luttrell immediately after school in the armory.

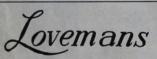
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JUSTICE STALEMATED-Halfback Reuben Justice runs

Red Raiders Dump Pounders For Worst Defeat Since '59

winning its first two games, the Purple Eleven was handed its first loss of the season

by the Baylor Raiders 23-0.
Central's troubles began on their
first play when Pat Chadd's pass was intercepted by Rob Healy who then streaked 78 yards for a Baylor touchdown

Halfback Wyatt McMahan returned a Central punt 11 yards to the Pounder 37 to start Baylor's next march. Five plays later Baylor put seven more points on the

Baylor added ten more points to score in the third quarter as Healy latched onto another Chadd nass, this time for 51 yards. David Shuford booted a 19 goal to make it 23-0. 19-yard field





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Raylor's work was not easy, though, as Central kept the Raiders' defense on their toes; backs Mike McCoy and Reuben Justice continuously hammered away at the line.

Despite their efforts, Central's deepest penetration was to the Baylor 20 and this came late in the game. This was the worst defeat handed

to Central since 1959 when Kingsport clouted the Pounders, 28-0.

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CHS Meets Rival Bears In Cleveland

By Jake Arbes

Central's Purple Pounders neet the Bradley County Bean the annual contest between the to rivals tonight on long-time Bears' field. In more than two decade

Pounder-Bear tilts, the Pun Pounders, headed by Coach (Re Etter have met the Bears 20 tim winning 14 of these hard-foun

Central's Jimmy Mullican Reuben Justice will match with Bradley's ace halfback, o ford Senters

The probable starting backs to Central tonight have not been a nounced because of injuries a tained by Gary Hamrick and Mi McCoy in the Baylor-Central gan McCoy in the baylor central gas.
The rest of the offensive team winclude Mike Perkins and a Ridge, ends: Gary Locke and Jel Crawford, tackles: Jim Long a Harry Robinson, guards; and Be by Downs, center.

Next week, the Pounders v host the Brainerd Rebels in a hoe tilt, hoping to avenge a 21-0 d feat handed to them by the Reb last year.

Brainerd, a top contender for HIL crown, will be engineered grid veterans Bill Romans David Carmichael.

The game with Brainerd will Centrals fourth HIL contest. A cording to authorities across a state, the Pounders should have good chance to capture the s

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CLOTHING DRIVE—Keeping a tabulation of numerous clothing articles is Mr. Sam Stoner. Supporters of the drive at late are Victor Green, Carolyn Moss, and Larry Howington.

Several Clubs And Staffs Name Officers To Serve During 1967-68 School Year

have announced their slate of officers for the 1967-68 school term

Performing the duties as president of the Bank Staff is Elaine Barger. Other officers include Clifford Crownover, vice-president; Jan 64 Rider, secretary; Jane Meyer, treasurer; and Jay Maveety, chaplain.

Diane Cross will serve as presiient of the Office Force. Assisting ner will be Brenda Wimpee, vicepresident; Judy Pruitt, secretary; Sheila Smith, treasurer; and Bobbie Dickerson, chaplain.

Members of the Library Staff have selected Larry Beaty as their president. Also chosen were Carol Brumlow, vice - president; Betty Dedman, secretary; Carol Stone,

Several Central clubs and staffs treasurer; and Linda Holland, president of the Math Club. Also

President of the Guidance Staff will be Beverly Choate, Other officers include Sheila Harmon, vicepresident; and Becky Rievley, secretary-treasurer

The Inter-Continental Club, composed of all second-year French students, has elected Jimmy Mullican as president. Also elected were Phyllis Adkins, vice - president; Barbara Button, secretary; and Karen Morgan, treasurer.

Glee Club members have chosen Paul Faulkner as this year's president. Elaine Stoner will serve as vice-president, while Ruth Lee handles the duties as secretary-

Frank Goforth has been named at-arms.

selected were David Ashley, vice-president; Barbara Button, secre-tary-treasurer; Patricia Sheetz, chaplain; and Jimmy Mullican,

parliamentarian

Serving as president of the Y-Teens this year is Gayle Young. Assisting her will be Nancy Lewis, vice-president; Susan Spears, secretary; Gayle Wheeler, treasurer, and Debbie Breon, chaplain.

Jane Meyer will serve as president of the Senate. Other officers are David Alonso, vice-president: Elaine Barger, secretary; Janet Maveety, treasurer; Jan Rider, parliamentarian; Lynn Button, chaplain: and Tommy Mathis, sergeant-

Four Attend Annual Bellamy Ceremony

Central Principal W. Hobart Millsaps, Dr. Sam McConnell, su-perintendent of Hamilton County schools, and seniors Lynn Button, and Jay Maveety, will attend the National Bellamy Flag Award Ceremonies in Tucson, Arizona, next week.

In 1963, Central High was the recipient of the award and each year thereafter has sent two delerates to the ceremonies. This year the twenty-eighth annual award goes to Flowing Wells High School

Lynn and Jay will leave next Tuesday, October 10. Mr. Millsaps and Dr. McConnell will arrive in Tucson on Thursday in time to attend the Friday morning ceremony.

The purpose of the Bellamy Award is to give recognition to the author of the Pledge of Allegience, Francis Bellamy. Established in 1942 by Dr. Margarette S. Miller, the awar dis represented by an outdoor United States Flag in his



UP AND AWAY-In a farewell salute perfore boarding the plane to Tucson Arizona, for the annual Bellamy Flag presentation are senior delegates Lynn

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Central Class Elections, Seniors' First Meeting To Be Held On Tuesday

the first senior class meeting, will main purpose of the marshals will be held Tuesday, October 10, announces Miss Minnie Lee Morgan, head of the English department.

offices - president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer-were held for all students last Tuesday, October 3, in their English classes. Mr. Hobart W. Millsaps, Central principal, will approve the nominations for the voting on Tuesday.

Elections for the senior class officers will also be held Tuesday but will be held during second period in an open class meeting in the auditorium. Presiding over the senior class meeting will be last year's junior class officers: Mike McCoy, president; Mike Perkins, vice-president; Sue Navel, secretary, and Ruth Core, treasurer. The seniors will elect their class officers by a show of hands.

Seniors will not only be electing the four main officers but they will | seniors.

Central class elections, as well as | also elect four class marshals. The exercises

Part of the duties and respon Nominations for the four class ibilities of the class presidents includes giving the class response on

Senior Day. Counting the show of hands at the senior election will be Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, Miss Mildred Major and Mr. Sam T. Stoner; the Usher Staff will assist in the counting.

Tabulation of the votes will be done by members of the Bank Staff.

Results of the nominations and elections will be released by the class sponsors: Miss Morgan, seniors; Miss Marjorie Ogle, juniors; and Mrs. Mildred Sanders, sopho-

Dr. Edward A. Owens, head of the science department will serve as class parliamentarian for the

Centralites Mourn Loss Of Senior Mike Perkins

By Gary Reynolds and Lynn Button

Michael Anthony (Mike) Perkins. Lovell Field in Cleveland. Mike was considered one of the most talented football players in reported that the opposing player Central High School history. A sendied Sunday morning, less than 36 films show Mike had received a hours after collapsing during the Bradley-Central football game in first play. Cleveland Friday night, Septem-

After he fell, Mike was rushed by ambulance to a Cleveland hospital where an emergency tracheotomy was performed. He was then rushed to Erlanger's Intensive Care Unit but never regained consciousness.

Two weeks before, Mike had suffered a severe concussion and had not been allowed to play or practice until the Monday before the Bradley game.

The popular, handsome athlete was an all-state candidate and a top college prospect because of his speed and pass-catching ability. He was named to the All-Hamilton Interscholastic League team last season as a junior and was a let terman as a sophomore at Central.

"Football was his life," stated Central Coach E. B. Etter in the Chattanooga Times. "It's all he ever talked about. His ability was equal to that of any player we've ever had. He had great pass-catching ability and running and blocking ability."

The cause of death, according to due to an injury received in the

Central mourns the loss of senior | second half of action on Jimmie

Chattanooga News-Free Press involved said Mike was "bumped" or end on the Central squad, Mike but not necessarily hard. Game



Mike Perkins

Son of Mr. and Mrs. George Per kins of 1508 Warner Lane, Mike was the captain of D Company in Central's ROTC and was in the Key Club and Student Council. He was a member of the Highland Park Baptist Church.

Mike is also survived by Carole Perkins, a former Central student who now attends Hiwassee College and is editor of the yearbook there

Honorary pallbearers were Printhe doctor in charge, was possibly cipal Hobart W. Millsaps and the Central faculty, members of the Central-Bradley game, though it 1967-68 Senior Class, the football remains questionable. Mike col-lapsed after the first play of the battalion and the Student Council.

GTMNASTICS—Demonstrating standing broad jump techniques is junior Barbara Button, a member of the Gym Steff, Looking on are Janis Willcomb

Hikes, Aviation Lessons

Hikes, overnight camping trips, and aviation lessons are

ecoming a scout should contact

David also feels that he learned a great deal which will help him New Scout Troop Plans

and mathematics provided the se- a few of the activities planned for the newly organized

From The Editor's Desk . . .

Spirit On Our Team-Great!

Although the football team lost its game with Bay-lor, Central's Pep Club, cheerleaders, and student body scored a tremendous victory that night. Central spirit was there. The enthusiasm, the an-

ticipation, the support—every ingredient which goes into a cheering section was present.

It would be difficult to pin down the difference to any one factor, but with the addition that week of the Pep Club, it could be attributed to that.

The more organized student group was able to fol-low the cheers closely, aiding in leading the rest of the

With more enthusiasm in the stands, the cheer-leaders' job was much easier and it showed. They spark-led and shared their excitement with the onlookers.

Central school spirit showed at half time, when cheerleaders, Pep Club members, and students made an aisle for the team to pass through. When Central started its reveilings, the Baylor fans stopped to watch.

It was a great night for Central in the stands. Her spirit ran high, though on the field was a crushing defeat.

The higher Baylor's score became, the louder the Central fans yelled. The refreshing enthusiasm of the cheerleaders and Pep Club, besides all the students who participated in it, was conveyed to other students, parents, alumni, and fans.

Congratulations and thanks to all who helped to congratulations and thanks to all who helped show the fans that win or loose, Central spirit is great.

Honor Is Synonymous

What have you done with your honor code card? Did you toss it into a waste basket? Did you bury it in your billfold? Do you know where it is?

The Senate is to be congratulated for the time, effort, and money it spent in its attempt to revive one of Central's greatest foundations—its honor code. But what is to happen now? Will it go into hibernation for another

An honor code should be a working part of a school. It should be a reminder and an admonishment to each student to do his own work. It should make students more aware of their actions both in class and in extra-curricular activities. How has it affected you? Do you ever think about it? When a teacher asks you to look at your code before a test, do you take his words with

Would an Honor Council help? An Honor Council would be set up to enforce the code. Under such a system, an offender would be turned in by fellow students, judged by a student committee, and punished by a set of rules drawn up by students under faculty supervision.

In schools which have Honor Councils, they find that students are often harder on their friends than the re-spective teacher would be. They have little patience with one who breaks the code.

Before such a system could be established, we as students would have to prove to the faculty that a ma-jority of the students are honest and sincere in their efforts to support the honor code.

It should aggravate each of us when someone cheats. It is a blow that should hurt our pride. Those small but meaningful words should not be in our pockets but in our hearts and minds.



HONOR IS SYNONYMOUS WITH CENTRAL

Spotlight on Seniors. Four Sample College Life

Most seniors are busy, but some sells ads for the yearbook. She is seniors find time in their busy schedules to even study! Spotlight-Aside from school activities, ed are two of these, Brenda Isbell

Brenda sews and recently started taking voice lessons

A lot of the studying Brenda works into her busy schedule centers around math analysis, "It's the biggest challenge I have."

Brenda hopes to attend Carson Newman College in the fall of next

Jimmy is also a member of Brenda's math analysis class. This summer he studied math and chemistry, above the level of college freshman, at the University of North Carolina, He was there for six weeks, spending about 25 hours a week in class. The program was part of one sponsored by the Na-tional Science Foundation.

At school, Jimmy is a quarterback on the football team He presides over the French Club and is vice-president of the Key Club. Jimmy is also parliamentarian of the Math Club, executive member of the Student Council, and a memher of the Honor Society.

Jimmy is uncertain about the college he will attend but does have several in mind including the Uni-

David Ashley, and senior Doug Mc-Vey, attended various colleges this versity of North Carolina, University past summer for the National ity of Virginia, Massachusetts Science Foundation. stitutes of Technology, Tenness Polytechnical Institute, and Go perience, for it gave me a chance Technological Institute.

Away from school, Jimmy la to fishing and any water spee and get an idea about the types Reading and coin collecting to and amount of work in college," stated Jimmy. lot of his time. "And rse. I play a lot of football

Brenda and Jimmy prove istry at the University of North Carolina. In both these subjects he seniors find time ce in a while. That is a many Centralites might follow



Brenda Isbell

TV Plus Homework Equals Disaster By Jake Arbes

lieve during commercials?'

These TV nuts even stop people

in the halls and ask them to hold

out their hands. Someone is con-

Age Gap Cause

of Dissention

By David White

Communication breakdowns

cause much of the confusion in this

world, and misinterpretation be-

tween students and teachers is

A span consisting of upward

usually considered the fault of the

from 5 to 40 years separates most

students and teachers. This differ-

hinderances for student-teacher re-

lationships. The wisdom that can

only be acquired by experience en-

ables a teacher to relate school les-

On the other hand an older gen-

eration has the tendency to forget

how it was when they were young. Closing their mind to the fads and fancy of youth, they thereby cre-

ate a wall labeled "difference be-

Recognizing that misunderstand-

ings are two-sided, it becomes nec-

essary to take a second look at our

own actions. Are we as students always willing to listen and make use of the advice and experience

offered to us by our parents and

teachers? Or do we add to the

must be bridge by understanding.

sons to real-life situations.

tween youth and adults."

"generation gap."

IN MY OPINION

As students struggle over their homework, they seek a means of escape from the dull task. They switch on the tube and away they

Jimmy Mullican

THE CENTRAL DIGEST

and Jimmy Mullican.

eir posts each week.

Brenda keeps herself busy by eing head of the Usher Staff. It

is her job to assign the Ushers

She is also parliamentarian of

the Student Council and chaplain

for the Tri-Hi-Y. On the Cham-

pion Staff Brenda holds the posi-

tion of organizations editor and

Students feel that by watching television and studying at the same time they are "killing two birds with one stone." More times than not they end up watching their homework and studying television.

Such people are easy to detect. In ROTC they may be overheard telling their squads, "Men, we have to capture the armory."

"That's impossible, sir. We can't do it without a tank. Why do we have to take it?" queries a recruit. "Because we were told to,"

answers the squad sergeant. Then there is the viewer who

Orchids & Onions

Orchids to: the 1967-68 Student Council . . . the Pep Club and its enthusiastic work . . . short lunch lines . . . the Central Senate for reviving the Honor Code . . . our great cheerleaders and their neverending spirit . . . having no homework . . . long sunny Saturdays in October . . . going to football games . . . open-house parties . . . a new high school . . . free time for watching TV . . . full length movies that last through third period . . . the Guidance Staff girls who get you out of class . . . Mr. John's new granddaughter.

Onions to: lost gym clothes . writing 500 word themes . . . plaster falling from the ceiling wearing ROTC uniforms . . . skull practice during pep meetings . . . paying club dues . . . trying to find a seat in the cafeteria . . . teachers who give homework on week ends

walking to school on a rainy . . mini-skirts at school . . . detention hall . . . eating ice-cream misunderstanding by taking the in the cafteria . . . football players attitude that we should be wary with torn ligaments . . . the school's of anyone over twenty? The gap

upon entering the chemistry lab vinced that the earth has befour participants. overrun by the Invaders and checking for crooked little fings Chattanooga Singing Group

chomping on a carrot, asks, "What's up, Doc?" Admonished by his math teacher Asked by an Usher why he for not getting his homework, anstreaking around the school, other confused student would say, TV addict replies, "My doctor t "Sorry about that, Teach. Would you believe I worked on it eight hours last night? Would you be-

Camera Club members and screaming "Smile, you're Mr. Towery's camera.'

Four of the boys in detention

do them both simultaneously scross the country.

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The Central Biger hearts and doing it all day, every

ence in age has both advantages and

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Chattanooga Central High Schoo

Urges Centralites To Join training in library with ling how to tumble. me I have a cold; so I'm trying "Up With People" or "Sing-Out | magazine further stated. Often its

The individual programs lasted two Thursdays a month,

and applied to the colleges that at Lookout Valley Junior High.

squeeze a whole lifetime into "67" has been termed the most or three years."

sophisticated, far-reaching demonstration that this nation has yet Up With People has many casts, demonstration on the fundamentals the make of the car or the condidown the hall snapping pictures, according to Pace magazine. including national and city groups, of tumbling for the scouts at their tion of the road but the driver, and edge of common sense. The Chattanooga Up With Peo- The national groups travel extens- first meeting, September 21. his judgement, skill, knowledge ple group, formed after the per- ively throughout the world. There "The Girl Scout troop is for the and attitude that make the diformance by a national cast last are at least two Sing-Out casts on betterment of the community and ference May 22 at the University of Chat- every continent. testify that teachers don't approances, has 65 active members, ate comments such as "not bad epresented by every Chattanooga forms one show a week and pracadic Lambert, a sophomore that the comments are comments to the comments are comments and the comments are comments are comments as a comment of the comments are comments and the comments are comments are comments.

thundred and one." high school except Central.

Obviously, it's rather confusi Produced by Moral Re-Armaheld on Sunday at Kirkman High All girls who are interested in doing homework with one eye ment, the musical shows are hitting watching TV with the other pethe cities and campuses of America All interested persons are urged Mrs. Cox.

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Mullican, juniors Harold Tyber and

"I think it was a worthwhile ex-

come in contact with college life

For six weeks he studied college

received the highest grade of

worked in chemistry, physics, and science. Harold believes that the

oundation would be good for

veryone. "You learn things you

offers great opportunity," he

could not learn in high school, for

David also feels that he learned

be better prepared in college.

Doug McVey chose Bennet Col-

lege in Greensboro, North Carolina,

for his studies. Physics, electronics,

cialized in the fields they were

from June 13 to July 22 for the

lection of his studies.

At the University of Tenne Harold Tyber and David Ashley

courses in mathematics and cher

Gym Adds Health Study; Announces New Officers By Patricia Sheetz

mounced new Gym Staff officers. er, bulletin-board coordinator.

Including team teaching and a four-point efficiency grading system, the new program also presents quarters. The tests include sit-ups several new sports. Badminton, ten- the 50-yard dash, the free-arm nis, and possibly bowling are to hang, and various relays. Special be taught in addition to regular badges, provided by President John-

reserved for make-up work or special activities for those who failed "Rules concerning dress will be

be staff officers, led by president tennis shoes."

Jo Smith. Assisting her are Sue "I'm looking forward to a good Navel, vice-president; Susan Hud- year because it's so different,'

Gym instructors, Mrs. Margaret | lain; Lynn Button, program chair Hammack and Mrs. Virginia Cox. man: Jane Massey and Martha Holecently launched a joint physical lis, social chairmen; Linda Bolus, ducation and health program and sergeant-at-arms; and Cindy Coop-

son's Council on Physical Fitness. Health, civil-defense, and medical will be presented to students rank elf-help classes are held on Tues- ing in the 85 or above percentile days and Thursdays. Fridays are For the first time, scores will be

to dress on regular class days, Mon-days and Wednesdays. more strictly enforced this year," states Mrs. Cox. "Uniforms must Aiding in the new program will be all white with the exception of

dlestun, secretary; Glenda Masen-gil, treasurer; Betsi Phillips, chap-as excited as I can be!"

Unique Grading System In Driver's Education

By Tommy Mathis and Beth Jeffers

Coach Stan Farmer.

Open to all girls interested in camping, hiking, and participating in group activities, the new troop has meetings after school Farmer in grading his multiple unique system used by Coach Among the activities planned for the girls this year, according to choice tests.

with the necessary items, taking subject are required to have 30 gets in the car, he's on his own." flying lessons, participating in hours of classroom work and six Along with the techniques of nurses training at Teppers Clinic, hours of behind-the-wheel driving driving, the students also study training in library work, and learn-in the new '67 Oldsmobile provided automotive design, maintenance for the course.

Mr. John Williams, the gymnas-The textbook that is used in the tic instructor at the University of class places much importance on Chattanooga, recently conducted a the driver. It explains that it is not the driver, and a separal knowless that the driver and a separal knowless. also helps you learn to aid other

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"In this class, Central's honor code is necessary." states Coach In addition to written tests, stu- Farmer. "Students have to do their Mrs. Cox, are taking weekend camping trips, learning to equip packs dents receiving credit in this new own work because when a student entering credit in this new own work because when a student specified in the specified in the

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revenge last year's loss of 21-0 will host the Brainerd Rebels tonight at Chamberlain Field.

Leading the Pounder offense will be halfbacks Mike McCoy and Reuben Justice and fullback Gary Hamrick. Although small for a Hamrick. Although small for a fullback, Hamrick possesses power and is considered the fastest back on the squad.

Returning from last year's team to lead the Rebel's ground attack will be Bill Romans, who led Brainerd to the HIL championship last year. Roman's prime passing target will be end David Carmichael. Halfback Doug Fuller, who was named Time's Back of the Week for his outstanding performance against Soddy-Daisy, will do most of the ball handling.

While Brainerd boasts a returning letterman to do its signal call-ing. Central relies on junior Pat Chadd and senior Jimmy Mullican, both of whom have been making steady improvement and expect to see considerable action this year. They also will share the punting

Central's thirteen returning let-termen include quarterback Ron Holder; halfbacks Justice and Mc Coy; fullbacks Hamrick and Ricky Holder; guards Phil Lambert and Jim Long; tackles John Crawford, Gary Locke, and Tim Thorn-hill; and ends Mike Perkins, Mike Reno, and Bill Ridge.

Next week Central will meet the Red Bank Lions in a home battle on Chamberlain Field.

Red Bank, a tough team this year, will be out to better the 33-6 loss handed them last year by the

Leading the Lion's offense will be fullback Bill Young and half-backs Paul Whittenburg and Robert Merritt. The Young-Whittenberg due is famous for its power-house drives which have netted a number of yards as well as points.

Central's defense is one of its strong points, led by John Craw-ford, 260, and Gary Locke, 240, as incorporated by Red Bank.

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EFFECTIVE BLOCK-Central fullback Gary Hamrick runs into oppositions a lone Howard defender block his run preceding the 20.6 Tiger victory.

Purples Fall to Howard 20-6 For Second Loss of Season

fering under a 23-0 defeat handed them by Baylor and working with an injury-ridden bench, dropped their second game of the season to the Howard Tigers by a score of

Trying to bounce back after their first defeat, the Pounders did not find the revenge they sought as Howard's Perry Hicks piled up 20 points for the Tigers.

The first half was a hard fought defensive battle, ending when Hicks eaught a 56-yard pass from Freddy Shropshire. However a bad snap from the center gave the Pounder defense time to get through and block the extra point, making the score 6-0.

Later, junior quarterback Pat Chadd unloaded a 61-yard pass play to halfback Reuben Justice to tie the score. The Pounders also failed to make their extra point, and the

first half ended in a 6-6 dead lock In the third quarter Howard broke open by taking the ball on their own 29 and marching 71 yards for their second score. The Tigers scored again in the second half, making the score 20-6.

Central was forced to play the game without end Mike Perkins, who received a concussion in the

s, suf-handed g with tackle Gary Locke, injured in the ropped game with Baylor, saw action in the Tiger conflict.

The loss leaves Central with an HIL record of 2-1 and an overall record of 2-2 and leaves the Howard Tigers with a record of 2-0 in the HIL and 3-0 overall.

COMING EVENTS

Red Bank football game Oct. 13 Faculty Pienic ACT for seniors. Oct. 21 ETEA Oct. 27



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Sharp Coverage

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Odd, The Way It Happened

The Central Pounders hit the field looking for the this victory of the year, but something went wrong as to Purples lost 23-0 to a good Baylor team.

What really went wrong? No one seems to know defaitely. All the students have made guesses and will continue to think about this game, but no one will ever know Jag.

to think about this game, but no one will ever know just to think about this game, but no one will ever know just what went wrong.

First we saw Baylor's Rob Healy lose the ball when he got hit on the kickoff. The same Rob Healy, number 30, the intercepted a pass and went 78 yards for a touchdown. We didn't someone catch him? Who knows?

To add injury to insult, Gary Hamrick, starting fust back, left the field because of a re-injured ankle; and this back, left the field because of a re-injured ankle; and this you have to the way it continued the rest of the night. Baylor got the way it continued the rest of the night. Baylor got the points and our team got the injuries.

The play was good on both teams; but with key playe out of the game, Central didn't seem to be able to function as the powerful football team it has shown to be.

First Hamrick was hurt. Then the jinx knew no line as he hit Mike Perkins, Mike McCoy and Gary Locke, who Healy scored again on another pass interception.

Spirit, Who Said It Was Dead?

The fans, the Central students never quit. From is time the ball was kicked off until the game ended, the fac were backing the Pounders as far as they could without actually getting on the field to play. But later they were the field.

the field.

At the half the Pep Club organized the cheering Punfans into an aisle beneath the east goal, greeting the retuning players as they came onto the field, 13 points down.

The Central spirit was supposed to have died or supposedly dying. In six years at Central this writer a never remember better spirit at a game, which from the finseemed doomed for the Purple Pounders.

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Honor Group Lists Officers For Semester

serve as president of the Annie Mae Shelton Chapter of the Na-tional Honor Society for the first semester, announces Mrs. Flora B. Ware, club sponsor.

Other officers elected are Jane Other others elected are Jane Meyer, vice-president; Brenda Is-bell, secretary; Rhonda Blevins, treasurer; Phyllis Adkins, chap-lain; Carolyn Moss, social chairman; and Ruth Core, program chairman.

The Honor Society, starting its thirty-sixth year of service, inducts juniors at the end of the second semester each year. New senior members will be taken into the society in December.

Members of the society are se lected on the basis of high moral standards, a four-year scholastic average of at least "B," participain extracurricular activities, and the ability to mix with other students. Members are also expected to uphold the four principles for which the Honor Society standsscholarship, character, service and leadership.

Names of the upper third of the senior class are presented to the faculty and the honor society members. Then a faculty council consisting of Dr. Edward Owens, Mrs. Louise H. Caudle, Miss Mildred Major, Mrs. Reba Fults, Mrs. Major, Mrs. Reba Fults, Mrs. Flora Ware, and Principal Hobart W. Millsaps makes the final decision, with the students receiving the highest number of votes being

This year, as in the past, the nor Society will award the scholarship and attendance banners as their annual project.

Central's Honor Society was founded on January 6, 1931, and is named after Mrs. Annie Mae Shel-Central for 51 years.



HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS—Elected to serve as first semester leaders are from left Brenda Isbell, secretary; Rhonda Blevins, treasurer; Jane Meyer, vice-president; and Glende Masengil, president.

Juniors, Seniors Start Annual Toothbrush Sale To Finance Prom, Gift

Juniors and seniors will begin | Their job will include keeping a selling toothbrushes today to fi- daily report of the toothbrush sales nance the junior-senior prom and and managing the sale in their the senior gift, according to Miss English classes. They will also be Minnie Lee Morgan and Miss Mar- responsible for obtaining a daily jorie Ogle, co-chairmen of the sale.

Students aiding in the distribution of brushes will be the junior and senior class officers. It is their job to give out brushes before school and collect the money for them during the sixth and seventh

Sales managers, who were chosen Wednesday by their English teachers, will also aid in the sale. During a meeting this morning the salesmen were introduced to their distributors and were informed of the sales plan.

responsible for obtaining a daily supply of brushes from the distributors before school and turning in all money colected during

All juniors and senior English teachers will also participate in the sales. They are Miss Morgan, Miss Ogle, Mrs. Dorothy Stone, Miss Mildred Major and Mrs. Frank Robbins.

As their gift to the school the seniors will pay part of the balance on a mosaic mural to be placed in the entrance hall of the new Central High School. The fund for the mural was started in 1966 when junior and senior class officers decided to begin the project.

Miss Mary Lou Derryberry, Central art instructor, will plan the design. Her work will begin as soon as she learns the exact size to be used for the mural and the color scheme for the building.

The junior-senior prom held on May 12 at the Hamilton County Park Pavilion. Other arrangements will be made during the year.

Heading the committee for the formal affair will be Miss Ogle. Junior class officers and teachers

Selling toothbrushes has become an annual affair since Principal W Hobart Millsaps suggested it to the class of "66." Last year a profit of \$826 was made with the sale of 1100 brushes.

Toothbrushes will be sold at two for \$1. All money from the sale will be due November 22.

PTA's Annual Drive Starts Monday; Chili Supper, Open House October 23

activities planned by the PTA for

Beginning next Monday, October 16, the annual PTA membership drive will continue until November 1. A ten-dollar prize will be awarded to the homeroom on each floor with the highest percentage of memberships. Floor chairmen for the drive will be Mr. Mitchel Rievley, Mrs. Doug Burns, and Mrs. Raymond Denham.

Central's annual chili supper, open house, and presentation of sponsors will be held Monday night, October 23. The evening's activities begin with the chili supper from 5:00 until 7:00; parents' tion with teachers, 6:30 to 7:45 on, who taught senior English at and a PTA meeting in the study hall from 7:45 to 8:10. Concluding

Membership drive, chili supper, the evening is the presentation cis Williams, treasurer; Mrs. R. B. open house, and presentation of of military sponsors at 8:15 on the Owens, historian; Mrs. M. E. Indermilitary sponsors constitute the Alumni Field of McCallie School. Other activities of this organization include parent night and the

presentation of the Parent - Teachers Award to an outstanding boy and girl at the end of the school

The first paper drive of the year was held October 3, 4, and 5. Others will be held in January, March, and

Officers for the 1967-68 term are Mrs. C. W. Sedman, president; Mrs. S. G. Crough, first vice-president; Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, second vice-president; Mrs. William E. Few, third vice president; Mrs. Margaret Hammack, recording sec-

mill, parliamentarian; Mrs. S. G. Crough, hostess; and Mrs. Francis Williams, co-hostess.

The PTA meets on the fourth Monday of every month in Nelson Hall, Mrs. Hammack, recording secretary, states, "I want to encourage all students to urge their parents to attend these meetings, of junior English will work with because the PTA is important to her. our school,"

"All home rooms that have not yet turned in a list of parents' names, addresses, and phone num bers to Mrs. Spaulding should do so as soon as possible," requests Mrs. Walter E. Mathis, who is on retary; Mrs. Dan Tinker, cor-responding secretary; Mr. Fran-parents at the open house.

Guidance Staff Offers Assistance To Students

Changing schedules is not the gram to its fullest extent." nly job of the guidance staff at

tudents find self-fulfillment and self-direction and to assist them in any way possible to become happy, well-adjusted members of the Cen-tral High School 'family,' " comnented Mrs. Okrasinski.

Both counselors also hold confernces with parents of Central stuients. They act as an informative ource of news on the growth and development of the students. Mrs. Okrasinski states, "A truly

effective guidance program in our planning and developing the pro- assistant director.

According to Mrs. Okrasinski, a Central High School, according to counselor's roll includes assisting Mrs. Mirvine Okrasinski, director. students in making appropriate "Our job as counselors is to help choice of school subjects and courses of study as well as in making transitions from one school level to another, one school to another, and from school to employ-

Books, pamphlets, and other information concerning colleges and other institutions of higher education can be obtained for student use through the guidance office, room 203.

The Guidance Department was added to the Central curriculum in school will only result from the continued cooperation of the entire faculty. The staff consists of Mrs. school citizenship are evaluated faculty and administrative staff in Okrasinski and Mr. James Wood, along with test scores in selecting

Two Seniors Semifinalists On NMSQT Jay Maveety and Frank Goforth, seniors, have been named semi finalists in the 1967-68 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test given last February, announces Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Their scores were among the highest of students in Tennessee in this scholarship competition and are in contention with 14,000 other semifinalists across the country. The students are competing for about 2,900 Merit Scholarships valued at \$8 million, to be awarded

In order to become finalists Jay and Frank must receive the endorsement of the school, take a second examination, and submit information about their achievements and interests.

High school grades, creative accomplishments, leadership qualities, Merit Scholarship winners.



HIGH SCORERS—Discussing the fine points of the testing system are National Merit Scholarship semifinalists Jay Maveety and Frank Goforth with Mrs. Mirvine Otrasinski, guidance director.

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on two seniors who are in the spot-

light each week at Central in half time shows, drum majorette Elaine

Stoner and Ricky Taber, one of the

complete charge of the band dur-

rection, marching and routines for

8 to 12 hours a day. Vice-President of the Varsity

Glee Club, Elaine is a member of

the Tri-Hi-Y and the Student

Council. Last year, she was a member of the Tennessee All-State

Chorus. Elaine is military sponsor

for Ricky, who is ROTC band

At home, Elaine spends her spare time with Spider, her quarterhorse.

She also raises German shepherds

Elaine has been awarded a

music scholarship from the Second Presbyterian Church but has not

As Elaine sees it, "If a person

really tries and does his best, in

any field, he should be commended

Ricky is one of the two band cap-

tains this year. Joining the band

in the seventh grade, he played the

clarinet. Later he changed to tenor

saxonhone, which he also plays in

the Swing Band and in the or-

yet decided on her college.

for fun and profit."

for the effort,"

ing performances and drills. In order to be qualified to direct the band, she attended majorette camps this summer and last summer. The campers studied band di-

As drum majorette, Elaine is in

band captains.



Brusha-Brusha-Brusha

"Today's the day . . . I'm gonna tell him. I've got to tell him about the toothbrush sale. Mr. Brown you've

"Yes, Fred? Oh, Fred, I've got to try these new toothbrushes.

"Whu . . . sigh."

Once again the junior and senior classes are selling toothbrushes to finance the junior-senior prom. Also the funds raised by the sale, in excess of the prom expenses, will go for the annual class gift that will be presented to Cantral by the seniors. Central by the seniors.

Centralites will really have to work and upgrade oral hygiene to top the 1100 brushes sold last year.

The newly elected class officers will lead the sale, and we should respond in support. Since the responsibilty is on their shoulders, it is our duty to follow those we have chosen to lead us.

The sale of toothbrushes may seem humorous, but it is the ultimate in useful items. Unlike many useless products, a toothbrush can and should be used everyday. The money raised makes it possible for juniors and

seniors to attend the prom without cost plus covering costs of entertainment and refreshments.

Buy the brushes and encourage friends to purchase them. Just think, your getting two 69 cent toothbrushes and a \$2 admission to the affair for only \$1. You save \$2.40!

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Spotlight on Seniors . . 35 Homeroom Students To Participate In Council Officers for the 1967-68 Central band have been changed.



HALF TIME STARS-Elaine Stoner, drum majorett captain, wait in anticipation to strike-up the band. majorette, and Ricky Taber

Ricky is a member of a five- IN MY OPINION piece combo, the Esquires. The group rehearses two or three times a week which "puts a strain on homework time."

Planning to attend the Chattanooga State Technical Institute next fall, Ricky wants to major in music and data processing. Ricky says, "I think the underclassmen should be thinking about college. It is necessary for all the good jobs, and jobs that don't need college are disappearing."

rotunda reflections

Students notified by the library of overdue books should report before the end of the second period, with or without the book, or library rivileges will be suspended for the quarter, according to Miss Ellen Mullennix, librarian.

At the University of Chattanooga this year, nine Central graduates have pledged various fraternities and sororities. They are Phyllis Sanders and Betty Miles, Pi Beta Phi; Esther McNeill and Kathy Sameers and notify allies, it local min, had a safetime and more and Mary McQueen, Chi Omega; Carolyn Tomlin, Phi Mu; Russell King, Steve Kelley and Doug McEeachern, Chi Alpha; and Joe Stansifer, Kappa

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoover in the birth of a son, Phillip Scott, on October 1.

Mrs. Katheryne La Verne Reeves, an alumna of Central, has recently published a collection of poetry, Thoughtfully Yours, published by Young Publishers, Appalachia, Virginia. Mrs. Reeves now lives in Dayton, Ohio.

ROTC Proves Puzzlement To Unsuspecting Recruit

turn around and run.

be no class left. The instructor soon calmed my fears, however, and

included standing tall with eyes front and center. The only flaw in my performance of this command came when a bee landed on my nose. This unfortunate incident cost me two demerits for wiggling

Soon "Forward march" and foot. I thought the trick must be Christmas.

As I entered ROTC for the first to watch the squad leader and do time, my immediate impulse was to what he did. This worked well on "Forward march" but was quite a I feared that after I had my turn at target practice there would "About face."

Learning to load a rifle, that is weapon, was an explosive experience. I was sure that my back-Marching was the first skill to ground as a television viewer be acquired. The exercise began would finally show some profit; so on a command of "Attention." This I disregarded the incidental direction to "lock safety before loading bullet." Anyway, I decided, a safety is probably similar to a safety belt and usually in the way.

My ignorance caused a rather sudden explosion which brought down several pieces of plaster.

Soon "Forward march" and "About face" were ringing in my leaves of paster.

Despite that run of bad luck the Farmer, Richard McDaniel, Mirat week, I am proud to say I of downfall since I couldn't turn received the rank of private in our Pressmen. Charles Demogra, Ford Change, Ford Charles Charles Demographers. around without tripping over my platoon, I'll be a captain by

Consideration Cuts Friction By David White

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1967-68 EDITORIAL STAFF REPORTERS

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By Patricia Sheetz

Jay Maveety, Student Council ects will be the leadership clinic Jay Maveety, Student Council president recently welcomed 35 to be held in the spring for all new president, recently welcome and the president recently welcome representative elected homeroom representative productions of the president production of the mession may dected homeroom represent-may dected homeroom represent-gatives and announced future proj-atives and announced future proj-ects and plans for the student rep-ects and plans for the student rep-sects and plans for the student rep-sects and plans for the student rep-peration of the student rep-sects and plans for the stu

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School, Former junior high Centhe the Authority of the Cox of the Co Caudle; Jo Smith, Cox; Susan craites funder ignoring ten-tralities who were executive council Vicki Funk, Dyer; Judie Pruitt, Farmer; Mary members will comprise the core vder, Fields; Jimmy Phillips, from which the new council will be created.

Vicki Marsh, Fults; Donna Har- In addition to selling football colcins; Chris Bevil, Hoover; Rodena plying food baskets to needy fam-Cook, Hufft; Brenda Cook, Hugnes, nually sponsors the Christmas band at least two years. this, Major; Lynda Basinger, Mor- Prom and several other dances. gan; Amy Hackney, Ogle.

David Alonso, Owens; Brenda Terry Farmer, Smith.

Debbie Price, Stone; Debbie Cimino, Stoner; Ronny Milton, Getting along with other Gid McMillon, Ware; Sybil Smith, essential for happy living Webb; and Debbie Edwards, Wharcourtesy and consideration.

Nancy Averitt, Jane Meyer "We are looking forward to To anyone a kind word a working with the new members," small considerate act can Jay commented. "We hope that work, play, and living more pathey'll continue to do the fine ant. This is true also of the chiot that homeroom representatives room situation where a lot of from former years have done."

to the Teen Tempo, a Friday supclashing personalities. With en Students will be given a two one having a different viewpweek period between October 30 on any matter, it is necessary and November 13 in which to order one use a little tact, courtesy their 1967-68 Champion at the their 196-05 Champion and the paper is going to be summerour, business adviser for very beneficial because it gives me and announcements about up-comconsideration to get along bank, according to Mrs. Virginia

must be on a give-and-take he five dollars, but students will be
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Jane, Senate president, writes for the School Scoop column in the Jane, Nancy, or Mr. E. N. Fields, To keep from irritating other allowed to pay a down payment of must not speak some of our allowed to pay a down payment of and give-in to some of their. But the cost at the time they order.

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Chattanooga News-Free Press. Young America section of the Central's publicity director. it all comes back to one thing, lication will be paid when the This publication also comes out Champions are distributed during each Friday. the last part of the school year.

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Student Officers Lead Marching Band

Mr. Morris Bales, band instructor

Heading this year's band are co-captains David Wood and Ricky

and Richard Westbrook and second lieutenants Tim Landress, Doug Bradshaw, Ray Burnette, Ted membership are approximately at a constructive members and the follow-recutive members and the follow-recutive members and the follow-recutive members and the follow-recutive membership are approximately at a construction of the list of service between the follow-recutive membership are approximately at a construction of the list of service between the follow-recutive membership are approximately at a construction of the list of service between the follow-recutive members and the follow-recutive members are the follow-recutive members and the follow-recutive members are the follow-recutive members a

by the alternate drum majorette

After two summer weeks of inensive drill, the slate of officers was chosen on the basis of their Vicki Marsh, Futts; Donna Har-ris, Hammack; Becky Rievley, Has-ors and basketball buttons and sup-lying food baskets to made for ins; Caris Bevil, Indeer, State Stat

This year's Homecoming Dance will be held on November 10 im-"Helping the band director in al phases of the band program, which David Alonso, Owens; Brenon mediately following the same suing uniforms and sung uni Robbins; Peggy Commanuer, No-sors the Mod Twirp Dance which will be held in the middle of Feb-"The officers' duties," stated Mr. Bales. Long-range plans include a na-

tionally sponsored trip next summer by council vice-president Jim- raise money for the bowl game and my Indermill. He will visit eight the band picnic at the end of the

clear, concise writing."

If an interview with a club pres-

Any news of importance or in-

Report News To Local Papers

a great deal of writing experience. ing events to Nancy and Jane.

Jane, Senate president, writes for terest should be given to either

BAND NOTES—Consulting a sheet of music for tonight's performance are band co-captains David Wood and Ticky Taber. At center is Lynda Steinberg,

Geography Class Develops **Understanding Of World**

By Patricia Sheetz

Introduced just this year to the | Classroom aids such as maps Central curriculum, the new world globes, pictures, and films are used geography course has already to provide interest and meaning as proved successful, according to Mrs. | well as to channel thoughts to a Reba Fults and Mr. Everett Fields, particular area. Weekly News Resocial science instructors.

Available to sophomores and juniors, the study is designed to develop a greater understanding of have indicated an active interest Reporting Central news to the | Jane states, "I feel I know more various ways of life. However, it the world, its people, and their in group participation. Panel dislocal papers are seniors Nancy about what's going on in our school will especially aid juniors in the Averitt, The Chattanooga Times, and more about the people. It has social science areas of the college and Jane Meyer, The Chattanooga also helped me to learn the art of entrance and scholarship examina. Mr. Fields. tions, according to Mrs. Fults. Both of these student reporters

of the Student Council, reports obtain information for their col- longitude and latitude, cultural on.

Priction can occur because Champion Orders of the Student Council, reports obtain information for their collongitude and latitude, cultural to the Teen Tempo. a Friday sums from the various clubs and backgrounds, customs, habits, init is imperative that we see other's dustry, agriculture, conservation and political organizations, consti tute the subject areas of discussion ident is not possible, the other of- for the year

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By Wayne McCoy Led by the running ability Jimmy Mullican and the ball has ling of Pat Chadd, the Pur Pounders posted a 26-7 victory on

the Bradley Bears September 25 end a two-game losing streak Central's first touchdown ca

in the first quarter when left a

Bill Ridge caught a four-ya

The Pounders scored again in g second quarter when Mulliq rolled out around the right end

the Bradley 33, broke through the

tacklers at the 25, and raced in the end zone to end a 68-yard dra Sophomore Jim Barclay kicked extra point and Central led I

See Sharp Coverage

Unable to gain a first down

the final period, Bradley punted

the Central 38, where Justice to

a handoff from Chadd to run

yards for another Pounder see

The extra point attempt failed

another Bradley punt picking

the ball and running 33 yards

fore being halted at the Bear's

Three plays later, Mullican ; five yards for the final touchda

and Barclay kicked the extra pa

to make the score 26-7

Fullback Ricky Holder block

Chadd pass.

nt the half.

Pounders Host Red Bank In HIL Grid Bout Tonight

By Jake Arbes

Sharp

Coverage

By David Sharp

Central's Purple Pounders will Justice, nationals, to the long of Red Bank in a fullback; and Bill Ridge, end. Hamilton Interscholastic League Other members of the line will griddron battle tonight at 8 o'clock include Gary Locke, John Craw-on Chamberlain Field. ford, Bobby Downs, Jim Long, and

This year, Red Bank is showing Phil Lambert. gns of improvement over last
Next week, in a home game, the
ar's team. They have been menned as a top contender for the
East Ridge in another rival HIL signs of improvement over last year's team. They have been men-HIL AA division title and have contest. won the WFLI sponsored Team of Steve

The probable starters for the Pounders are Jimmy Mullican and

Central's Purple Pounders will Justice, halfbacks; Gary Hamrick,

Steve Jackson, who has scored 24 Robert Merritt and Bill Young Steve Bevilauqua will engineer a will lead Red Bank in the battle, strong Pioneer team.

Both teams have shown fine play and the will to win and the gam Pat Chadd, alternating quarter is said to be one of the backs; Mike McCoy and Reuben tractions on the gridiro is said to be one of the biggest at-



Football Team Managers Essential, Yet Unnoticed

By Tommy Mathis

"Of all the jobs connected with | agers' duties are carrying towels I knew Mike Perkins for six years, but it wasn't until his the football team, the most thank-death that I fully realized the impact which his life had on less too is being a manager," statand water during time-outs and keeping up with the equipment. less job is being a manager," stat-ed Coach Jack Archer.

my own.

I knew that for three years he played junior high football and was burdened by personal problems.

It was in his sophomore year, as I remember it, that Mike came into his own. He had begun to accept the challenge and responsibility of life with a serious purpose. He had dreams, hopes, and ambitions; and he was planning for

"Sometimes it's a very hard and dirty job and goes unnoticed until something goes wrong; but I think we have two fine managers in Harold Downs and Tommy Sedman," he added. "They're really dedicated to their work and the team.

Six days a week, Harold, junior, and Tommy, sophomore, perform duties which include washing uniforms, cleaning shoes, marking jerseys, checking on medical supplies, and sweeping dressing rooms.

At the games some of the man-

"It's hard work but I like doing it anyway," said Harold. Tommy, who could not play football because of a bone disease, became a manager so that he could still be a part of the team. Just being close to all the players, getting to know is what Tommy likes about

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had dreams, hopes, and ambitions; and he was planning for his future. I know, as Coach Etter stated, that football was his life. Mike loved football. He was miserable on the sidelines. After the Howard game, when the team's spirits were low and a two-game losing streak was hampering practice and skull meetings, alke got up in a football meeting at assembly after the coaches had left and with tears in his eyes tried to encourage and strengthen those closest to his heart—his team. He was a leader. When Coach Etter told him that he wouldn't be allowed to play in the Bradley game, he cried. That is how badly he wanted to play. But I know that the coaches decided to allow him to play a LIMITED game—an impossibility for Mike. For if he played at all, he played with everything he had. Before the game, in the field house, he was excited, fired up with anticipation, ready and eager. He had been on the sidelines one week-end, and he was ready for action. The coaches allowed him to play only at a position which involved little contact; but as the game progressed, Mike quit coming out when the time came. He wanted to play. Although going through trials which many of us will never face, I seldom saw a depressed Mike. He never seemed to have a problem in the world. He was alert, happy, considerate, and a perfect gentleman. May the memory of our friend and classmate who devoted himself to football and our school, remain in our hearts and minds. **WADE AUTO PARTS** COMPANY

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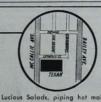
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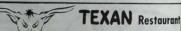
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Senior Play To Be Given December 1

comedy, will be presented by the Senior Class on December 1, ac-cording to Mrs. Mildred Sanders, director.

Members of the cast, announced by Mrs. Sanders, are Erma Lowrie, by Mrs. Sanuers, are Erma Lowrie, Susan Huddlestun; Aunt Sophia, Ruth Lee; Mrs. Murdock, Earline Ruth Lee; Mrs. Murdock, Earline McGlobon; Peggy Van Ess, Pam Linville; The Mystery Woman, Sharleen Gribble; Yami, Van Cun-ningham; Oswald Kerins, Tommy Jenkins; Thompson, Paul Faulkner; Arthur Hale, Tim Landress; and MacIntosh, David Sharp.

The story is set in a country estate called "Mystery Manor." Erma Lowrie has inherited the house from her eccentric aunt who was mur-dered there. In the terms of the will, Erma must live in the house a year before she gains full owner-

Tiger claws, hidden doors, and a weird picture form a strange setting for Erma's first guests-her cousins, Arthur Hale and Oswald Aunt Sophia; and a

Kerins; Aunt Sophie, friend, Peggy Van Ess. "If you like creepy noises, erie "If you like creepy noises, and lights, women's screams, and clutching claws that snatch unsuspecting characters off the stage be-fore your very eyes, come see Tiger House," Mrs. Sanders in-

Assisting Mrs. Sanders are Mr. Hillman Mayfield, chairman of publicity and stage properties; Tommy Jenkins, student head of production; and Ruth Lee and Susan Huddlestun, student directors.

Written by Robert S. Clair, this

play has been produced by more than three thousand schools, besides having a long successful run on the professional stage.



CHS Class Of '68 Selects Mike McCoy President Third Time in Four Years

By Barbara Button

For the third time, Mike McCoy tary; and Ronnie Holder, treasurer, will lead the class of 1968 as its Miss Marjorie Ogle, sponsor of

Other senior officers elected Ocpresident; Martha Hollis, secretary Jane Meyer, treasurer; and marshals John Kelle, Bill Ridge, Gary Hamrick, and Frank Goforth,

Alternate marshals are Jim Long, Jack Haddock, John Crawford, and Carson McCord.

Miss Minnie Lee Morgan, head of the English department, is senior class sponsor; and Dr. Edward A. Owens, head of the science department, class parliamentarian. Larry McGill will serve the jun-

ior class as president. Also leading the juniors will be Reuben Justice, vice-president; Ginger Nye, secre-

Miss Marjorie Ogle, sponsor of the juniors, will work with the officers on the toothbrush sale and the junior-senior prom.

Heading the sophomore class will be Steve Meyer, president; Linda Westbrook, vice-president; Patti Dukes, secretary; and Bobby Dukes, secretary; and Bobby Downs, treasurer. Adviser for the sophomores is Mrs. Mildred Sanders.

Senior officers were elected in a class meeting held in the auditorium during second period on Oc-tober 10. Presiding over the meeting were last year's junior officers: Mike McCoy, president; Sue Navel, secretary; and Ruth Core, treasurer.

Aiding in the election proceed-Miss Bobbie Hodges, Miss Mildred Major, Mr. Sam T. Stoner, and the Usher Staff, Votes were tabulated by sen-iors Elaine Barger and Clifford Crownover, members of the Bank

Underclassman held in the English classes. All nominations were made on October 3, and the approval of nominees by Principal Hobart W. Millsaps fol-

the presidents chosen in this elec-tion will be to give a response from their classes on Senior Day

Student Council Planning Memorial In Honor Of Senior Mike Perkins

A Mike Perkins Memorial Fund, dent body to work and constitution sponsored by the Student Council, to the growth of this fund. is being created in memory of the Miss Major and Jay are in late Central athlete.

According to Miss Mildred Major, Student Council sponsor, seve ideas have been discussed. One idea is a college scholarship and another is a donation for the new Central's auditorium in Mike's

Jay Maveety, Council president, in regard to a scholarship, stated, "The scholarship would benefit the school as well as help to keep Mike's memory alive."

The Council has invited the Alumni Association, all clubs and organizations, as well as the stu-

A Mike Perkins Memorial Fund, dent body to work and contribute without assistance," added Jay.

members. Plans for raising the Highway 58. money have not yet been finalized. Mike, a ser

If the auditorium plan is approved, funds will be raised, and charge of this contribution and will given to Central in Mike's memory be assisted by a committee of five to help finance an auditorium for faculty members and five Council the new Central to be built on

Mike, a senior end on the Pound-

Officers Present Sponsors In Review On McCallie Field

Officers of Central's ROTC battalion presented their sponsors last Monday, October 23, on McCallie's Alumni Field.

The ceremony, which took place at 8:15, followed a chili supper and open house sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association

ROTC battalion staff officers and their sponsors are Colonel Mike McCoy, Jackie Camden; Lieutenant Colonel James Brackett, Elaine Barger; Major Jay Maveety, Jan Rider; Captain David Brown, Janice Stout.

Captain Steve McBay, Cindy Cooper; Captain Phil Lambert, Paula Hart; and Captain John Crawford, Ruth Core.

Company commanders and their ors are A Company, Captain Mike Harvey, Sandy Bankston; B Company, Captain Harvey McCoy, Nancy Averitt; C Company, Cap-tain Eddie Sheley, Jane Meyer; D

Cadet officers of the support companies and their sponsors are rifle team Captain Frank Goforth, Martha Hollis; Band Captain Ricky Taber, Elaine Stoner; Color Guard Captain Richard Key, Carol Ballin- to get into it." For the tryouts, ger; and drill team Captain David Sharp, Sue Navel.

Serving as an honorary sponsor is Janine King, who sponsored the late Mike Perkins, captain of D Company.

The choosing of sponsors is done individually by each officer. The officer will act as her escort to the annual Military Ball and possibly the Armed Forces Day Parade Each sponsor can be identified by the rank insignia worn, which corresponds to that of the officer she

This year's sponsors will wear a blue uniform with a blue blazer and navy blue shoes. The sponsors will wear the uniforms every Wednes-Company, Captain Kin Choate, Tammy Ray; and E Company, Captain William Mathis, Glenda Goins. mack, adviser.

"A scholarship would be given to er football team, died October 1, someone who, like Mike, might not have had a chance to go to college Bradley game September 29. Centralites Play In Youth Symphony

have won chairs in the Chattanooga to 6:00. Youth Symphony, announces Mr. Morris Bales, Central band director.

of the 55 best musicians from jun-Hamilton County. Tryouts for the certs is free. symphony were held September 23 by Dr. Richard Cormier, director of the Youth Symphony and the Chattanooga Symphony Orchestra.

Susan comments, "It takes a lot each competitor played a selection of music and four scales and sight read one piece.

Susan, flutist for Central's band, also is a member of the Varsity Glee Club and accompanist for the Swing Band. Jackie plays the clarinet in the band as well as singing in the Varsity Glee Club. Both girls won superior ratings in the East Tennessee Solo and Ensemble Festival last year.

A member of Central's band and String Ensemble, David also plays in the Swing Band and sings and plays the piano in the Varsity Glee Club. This summer, David attended the Sewanee Music Camp.

Besides these activities, the three Property of Chattanooga Central High School Library

Senior David Wood and juniors | students practice with the sym-Jackie Loving and Susan Hayes phony every Thursday from 4:00 skilled musicians like those in the have won chairs in the Chattanogra to 6:00.

Four major concerts make up the symphony's schedule which con-The Youth Symphony is made up In March, the symphony plays for youth groups and at other times ior high through college age in for adults. Admission to the con

you can use, and I know it has helped a lot in my musical training."

The three Centralites were mem bers of the symphony last year and were informed of the tryouts by their private instructors and friends.



YOUTH IN SYMPHONY—Adding polish to David's string bass for a "shining performance are David Wood, Jackie Loving, and Susan Hayes.

hunting and, during the sur

the University of Tennes

Next fall, Gary hopes to at-

skiing.

Names of the commended stu-

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Girls Confess Now 'Opera Adicts'

By Patricia Sheetz and Gloria Tolmie

understood, steps were taken to es- presentation.

were given an opportunity to at- ance, that is.

oli Theatre on Tuesday, October 10.

nterviewed seven stars of Caval- tablish interest among various

eming to know their opera," was Cavalleria Rusticana preceding its

Miss Margarita Zambrana, so- The performance, a successful

prano singing Santuzza in Cavel- blend of theater, orchestra, and

A Letter To The Editor . . .

From A Tyner Student

Dear Students of Central: This accident has come as a shock to all of us. I never knew Mike and probably never would have had the privilege to meet him. Now, I'm thinking it could have been one of our boys God chose to take, but it was your

been one of our boys God chose to take, but it was your Mike.

Mike was, no doubt, well liked by staff and students alike. We are all asking, "Why did God take him away? Why couldn't it have been someone else? Someone less popular, less athletic, or less ambitious? Why Mike?"

It's not just an article appearing in the paper you read and then leit the pass from your mind. No! It was someone you knew, loved, respected and someone who enjoyed life and was always having fun.

This terrible accident has a very important purpose. It has shocked everyone into realizing how very real death is. We're all a little more serious about life, now. This tragedy won't end with the funeral. We have to go back to school tomorrow and face the fact that Mike is gone. You'll miss him very much because he was a part of your life. But some day we'll understand why God took him instead of you or me.

Sincerely. A Tyner Student Tyner High School

Editor's Note—The Digest Staff wishes to express appreciation for this acknowledgement of sympathy.

Your Part In Production In a few weeks members of the senior class will pre-

sent Tiger House, and even though they have several weeks before the production, practice had already begun. Staging a play is no small undertaking. It involves

Staging a play is no small undertaking, it involves careful planning of scenes, make-up, programs, sound effects, and entrances and exits, besides the memorizing of hundreds of lines by the cast.

Practices alone will be held every night for several weeks in order to perfect individual parts as well as the

Make-up, costumes, and scenes planned to perfection alone could take a year if it weren't for the students who have volunteered to work behind the scenes on these

essential play components.

The audience is very much a part of the production

and their reaction is the success of a play.
So be there and bring a friend.

From Lookers To Leaders

Centralites elected their class officers October 10;

Centralites elected their class directs decided on October 12 the officers were hard at work.

These officers went from an observant position to one of leadership, dedication and plain hard work. On their shoulders fell the burden of leading a class. They wasted no time in living up to the responsibility and trust placed in them by their classmates.

Junior and senior officers found themselves in the midst of an all-out toothbrush campaign. They delayed not a moment in getting to the business of selling these brushes to support the activities of their classes.

These officers cannot handle the job of leading a

class without the support and help of its members.

It is their responsibility to lead and yours to support.

They have already met their responsibility; will you





Spotlight on Seniors.

you're for the best; and two Centralites who support the best all the way are Sue Navel and Gary

Sue is one of the head cheeruders while Gary, "33," is cocaptain of the football team.

Vice-president of the Gym Staff, Sue is also secretary of the Future Rusiness Leaders of America, social chairman of the Student Council, and a military sponsor. The Senate and Loveman's Teen Board are also on her list of activities.

As a cheerleader, Sue helps in teaching songs, cheers and chants to the Pep Club. "We are working on getting flash cards for the Pep Club. They will make a good show-ing at games."

Sue enjoys leading the school in cheers because "It's so exciting. When everybody is cheering, the student body is like a family."

Mrs. Margaret Hammack, who helps sponsor the cheerleaders, says, "When Sue is cheering, she talks to the crowd with her eyes. They just seem to glow."

Sue plans to study dental hygiene at the University of Tennes-see Medical School in Memphis or at Middle Tennessee State Uni-

At home, just for fun, Sue collects shells and makes pictures with them. She rides horseback and water skis, too.

"We should keep up the Central Spirit," Sue states, "It's too great to let die down."

Gary spends much of his time on the football field, playing halfback on defense and fullback on offense, "Playing football has taught me how to work with

IN MY OPINION

Time Schedule Still Chaotic

By David White

After all of the chaos that the time change has caused, I have to admit that I am now completely

Automatically I wake at 8:30 a.m. Daylight Savings Time, which is 8:00 "Central" Standard Time and 7:00 a.m. Western Wauhatchie Time. After computing the time and planning a mental budget for its use, I find I have lost 30 minutes-but this actually puts me on

Catching the 8:35, I arrive at the south school entrance to find myself totally in the dark (It seems the sun hasn't risen.) about what time it is. Hearing the McCallie chimes, I compute the time to be half past first period; and upon reaching my class, I reason that second period will follow the next

Proceeding to my second period, I check the time by my watch which has sprang a sprung or sprung a spring by now. Well, anyway, I make it till 4:15 Daylight Savings Time, which is 3:45 "Central" Standard Time and 10 a.m. Talahatchee Time.

Well, it's nearly at an end now. Let's see; on October 29, school will take up 30 minutes early; but the clock will run 30 minutes late and the school day will be shorter and so will the day??????

as "a fine football player with an excellent attitude. His drive to play and spirit of team co-operation are a tremendous help to our

Secretary of the C Club, Gary he will probably major in he also belongs to the Key Club and



Students Clog Cafeteria Looking For Green Prop. Laiking care of and repairing the asymposium on opera and interviewed the stars. Mrs. Marianne T. to establish opera, some effort should be made of the stars, we were moved by the Barker, treasurer; and Brenda Is-

events, you find it necessary to what little food you have est visual education equipment needed find a chair in the cafeteria, you Is she attracted to the spot beca for classroom use is available

In a recent survey, it was found that the cafeteria contains 390 and 400 able-bodied chairs. Would you helieve between 390 and 400 green seduced into giving her your chairs? The indefinite number by her magnetic voice and by her magnetic voice and when the seduce we render service to many her was the seduced in the service of the seduce we render service to many her magnetic voice and we have an excellent and interestthat the cafeteria contains 390 and could indicate that there are ten cleptomaniacs walking the hallowed halls of Central with chairs hidden about their persons.

Even with these chairs missing there should be enough to seat everyone. But, there are not.

As you enter the cafeteria, you are greeted by the cheerful frown of harassed Ushers, Moving down the lunchline, you observe that, one by one, the chairs are snatched up by other anxious people.

By the time you get your food, there's not one seat left in the whole cafeteria. No,-there's one in

Rushing over to claim the fourlegged prop, you are stopped by Miss Hodges, guardian of the cafeteria and ringleader of the Ushers, and given a lecture on how you could get hurt running through the cafeteria. By that time someone swifter has grabbed the chair.

On your way back to the main cafeteria, you trip over a number of empty chairs. Unfortunately, they're saved by people who have them clutched tightly between their

a lone chair. As soon as you set your tray down and begin to eat. a beautiful girl glides up to you,

of your masculine good looks?) through the club. She wants your chair.

If this has ever happened by her 250-pound boyfriend. audio visual equipment."

You helplessly give her m chair and reopen your sear Senior club members receive After a few more minutes, a school letters for outstanding leria, said, "I have many supersti- voice was arousing to the extent of You find that all 390 to 400 ch and club. are empty. The bell has rung Other members include Larry

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Brenda Isbell, David Wood Earn Honors In NMSOT

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"Although commended students dents will be reported to other Although the derit scholarship-granting agencies and advance no lucion, their out- to colleges which the students scholars record in a nation-wide named as their first and second choices at the time they took the tion. Bell signs promise of contin-tainment gives promise of contin-ad success in college," states John college majors, and their career M. Stalnaker, president of the Na- intention Merit Scholarship Corpor-

The commended students should upper two per cent of graduating encouraged to pursue their ed-

Club Installs Mike Harvey As President Painter, a student at Tennessee Temple, were all within two points

Senior Mike Harvey has been of becoming semifinalists, Mrs. Okrasinski pointed out. lected president of the Cinema Club, a service club designed to aid teachers in the showing of

Assisting Mike will be Bill Poole, vice-president, and Larry lowington, secretary-treasurer.

Chosen on the basis of dependability, good attendance, good conrefully selected each year from grades 10, 11, and 12.

Repairing Equipment

Tolmie and Patricia Sheetz, along Thief,
with two representatives from Mr. Landau told us that since opposite Santuzza. aking care of and repairing and deopupment and ordering and deequipment and visual aids. This inozmer, feature editor for the Newsican communities. When in the course of human almost causing you to cough recorders, and record players. All what little food you have recorders, and record players. All

and the Thief, Two of these were papers. Commenting on this year's club, native Chattanoogans, and one, Mr. Sam T. Stoner, sponsor, ex-Mrs. Jo Ann Henry, is a former porters at the press conference, we tation-to the perfected perform "Warm, friendly, responsive, and tend the Sunday dress rehearsal of Mr. Adeb Fazah's impression of double-bill presentation with The good looks, you're terrified integroup which has experience with Chattanoogans. He sang baritone Old Maid and the Thief at the Tivin Cavelleria.

Senior Lettermen

acle happens! Your search is en qualities and service to the school

Grier, Victor Green, Robert Wheel-The Central Biggi Ronnie Carter, Russell Riddle, Jer-CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ry Rogers, and Larry Simmons. Subscription rate two dollars per pg. Meetings for the club, which be-Second class mail Privileges Authorise gan in 1956, are held on every sec-Chattanoogs, Tennessee ond and fourth Tuesday







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Tri-Hi-Y To Host Orphans Halloween

Polishing Central's trophies, lping the cheerleaders decorate the football field, and entertaining orphans on Halloween are some of the activities of the Tri-Hi-Y dur-ing the school year, according to Mrs. Dorothy Stone, sponsor.

Dressed as goblins, Tři-Hi-Y

members will entertain the children at Chambliss Home on Halloweer night. Also an Easter egg hunt and Valentine's Day party are being considered as future projects for Hello Central

Plans for publishing the "Hello Central," a student directory sold annually by the club, have been made. Work on this project will soon begin, and the sale will open in December Also listed on the agenda are the

annual Tri-Hi-Y banquet scheduled for April and a convention spon sored by the YMCA. A Christmas party for some elderly women is to be discussed in a future meeting

HOBGOBLINS PAUSE—Tri-Hi-Y members plan costumes for the Halloween party at Chambliss Children's Home. From left are Elaine Barger, Dee Dee Moore, Janet Maveety, and Joyce Parson. During April applications for membership in the Tri-Hi-Y will be available. After reading them members will select the applicants they feel best display the club platform: "clean speech, scholarship, clean sportsmanship Creating opera addicts from Mr. Eugene Talley-Schmidt feels | completely capturing our attention and clean living."

Centralities was the achievement of Centralities was the achieveme otherwise dramatically holitecture of the Chattanooga Opera Association of the Chattanooga Opera **READY—GO!"—Taking a hand-off from waiting Sus Navel. Gary Ham:

der service, these members are der service, these members are der service. The service of tanogan Joyce Mainz sang Miss drama. Tenor Talley Schmidt also projects," according to Lynn Butthe dramatically demanding role

chestra and the various choruses. In addition to singing the operas These local groups provided the the Tri-Hi-Y for the first time this in English to make them easily touch so necessary to an excellent year, states, "I feel that it's an honor to be associated with such Heri Rusticana and The Old Maid youth groups through school news- Landau corrected every small mis-Despite the fact that Maestro a fine group of girls."

take during the rehearsal, we found ings, the club holds a monthly Along with other newspaper re- ourselves wishing for another invi- supper

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CHS Battles East Ridge Tomorrow

Out to repeat last year's victory over East Ridge, Central's Purple Pounders will host the Pioneers on Chamberlain Field tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Purple quarterbacks Pat Chadd and Jim Mullican and running backs Reuben Justice, Mike Mc-Coy, and Gary Hamrick will aim at a Pioneer defense which has al-lowed two top-blows. In all he lowed two touchdowns in all but one game this season. The Purple defense has held its opponents to an average of less than twelve points in six games.

Probable starting ground gainers for East Ridge will be backs Jim Booker and Steve Jackson, quarterback Steve Bevilauqua, and wilauqua's favorite receiver, Robby Smith.

This game will be an important factor in determining second place in the HIL AA standings for Central, because the Pounders must win to stay tied with the Brainerd

Last year, the Pounders defeated the Pioneers 10-0 in a close game, as quarterback Denny Painter enas quarterback Denny Fainter can gineered the only touchdown drive of the game early in the first half and iced the game by kicking a 25-yard field goal with only 27

according to backfield coach, Jack

He said that the B-team boys are receiving more coaching and experience during practice than before. In previous years, there was only one squad. Before each

Team Uses New Methods;

Central's B-team football squad | well. It will be more beneficial

is a better organized, better coached not only to the B-team schedule

squad this year, as a result of the but to the boys when they become new policy the coaches are taking, varsity players."

was only one squad. Before each
B-team game, a group was chosen
Underhill, tackles; David Carroll,
to play. This year however, the Jim Barelay, and loe Stewart,
varsity aquad has been divided guards; and offensive centers
into three groups — varsity, Bteam, and sophomores. Each group
practices by itself.



First Cross-Country Runners Practice For Season Meets

Central's first cross-country team has begun practice for the 1967-68 season, according to Gordon W. Smith, track coach.

This marks the first year the Pounders have participated in cross-country meets since track was introduced at Central seven years ago.

In preparation for these meets, members of the team run approximately two miles a day over a pre-marked course. Each runner's time is kept individually, and the seven runners with the best time become eligible to compete at the next cross-country meet.

In expressing his views, Coach Smith stated that the track team was at a disadvantage because, at present, Central does not have the proper facilities, such as a track field to practice on.

Divides Into Three Units "Another overlying factor is inexperience, since this is Central's first team," stated Coach Smith.



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By David Sharp

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If you were to visit the armory during seventh per you would be greeted, on most days, by the startling thun of a 22 caliber rifle or the clicking of Springfield 1903 rifl as the rifle team and the drill team practice for the season meets

These units are only a part of the seventh period Roy special company. The other units are the Color or Hon Guard and the Military Band. Each of these organizations Guard and the annual highly specialized in its own field.

The drill team members must be able to march with precision and be able to time their movements on their highly special procession.

demonstrations.

demonstrations.

The rifle team members must be able to shoot, not in average shots, but good enough to hit a target the size of half dollar at 50 feet.

Color Guard members present the colors (flags) to its school and at other special functions. This organization, some of the hardest jobs in the ROTC battalion. They may be able to do rifle movements and march while presents the school and American flags.

The Military Band, the last of the specialized movements.

The Military Band, the last of the specialized groups, composed of members of the regular school band. The members must be able to march, stay in step, and play m tary music. They are responsible for the music in the prese tation of sponsors.

Dedication

The members of these units put a lot of time and efficient their performances. They must make sacrifices to make routines possible. Both the drill team and rifle teams spend time after school, during school, and on weeken perfecting their movements and getting their routines. good order.

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The B-team has played four games, losing to Riverside 6-0, rolling over City 13-0, falling to

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Ricky Holder, and Danny Adams Ends Danny Carroll and Steve Sterchi flank the interior line

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OMECOMING CEREMONIES TONIG



Jackie Camden



Ruth Core



Martha Hollis



Jane Mever



Sue Navel

Future Teachers Club Holds Education Week Assemblies

American Education Week, November 5-11, was obved this week at Central with programs sponsored by the Future Teachers of America

The first of a series of programs based on this year's theme, "How Good Are Your Schools," was presented in Jane Meyer, and Sue Navel.

Jackie Camden, Ruselly J

Dr. Ralph Mohney, former president of Tennessee Wesleyan College at Athens, spoke on Wednesday. He is presently the pastor of the Centenary Methodist Church in Chattanooga.

CHS Band Earns Excellent Rating In Area Festival

By Wayne McCoy

Central's Marching Band, led by drum majorette Elaine Stoner, received an excellent rating and the majorettes a superior in the thir-teenth annual Tri-State Band Fes-

Over 5,000 band members from Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama, and Virginia participated in the compe ld October 14. A total of 72 bands jammed Chamberlain Field at the University of Chattanooga for the event which sponsored by the Al Miller Music Store and officials of the Tri-State Rand Directors Association.

"This was the roughest competition we have entered and I am very proud of our rating," stated Mr. Morris Bales, Central band

The six divisions in the competition were classes A, B, C, D, E, and F. Class F is for first year bands; junior high bands are in Class E; while small high schools are in

is less than 750 are in Class C, and high schools with fewer than 1,000 ents are classified as B. Class Central's classification, is for schools of more than 1,000 students.

Judging the marching musicians rere Mr. Bill Baden, Mr. Max Tromblee, and Mr. Kelly Love. The ajorettes were judged by Miss ttye Epperson and Mrs. Judy

On Monday, Teacher Appreciation Day, FTA members presented an apple to each Central faculty member, according to Mr. J. Pope Dyer, club sponsor.

In co-operation with Mr. Dyer, FTA president Vicki McCanless directed this week's activities. Assisting her were vice-president Carolyn Moss; secretary Brenda Ingle; treasurer Annette Pell; chaplain Debbie Cimino; and parliamentar ian Bob Johnson.

"The purpose of FTA is to help students who are planning to be teachers to better understand the teaching profession," Vicki com-

Invitation Orders Set November 27

November 27 through December 8 are the dates for ordering senior invitations, announces Mrs. Virginia Summerour, head of the business department.

The cost of the invitations, which depends on their design, will be announced later.

Senior class officers met yesterday with the senior Bank Staff members, Mrs. Summerour, and Mr. Gene Fitzgerald, Balfour Company representative, to choose the

Orders are being taken earlier this year so that the invitations can be pre-packaged at the Balfour Company. In previous years, the knew his music," Ruth evaluated. invitations were sent to Central, Mike declared, "Although it was where Bank Staff members had to package them.

The packages include invitations and envelopes and a memory book when personalized cards ordered.

One of five senior girls chosen | pion Staff, and Miller's Teen | as candidates by the senior class Board. will reign as the 1967 Homecoming Queen after tonight's halftime cermonies at the Central-Notre Dame

Candidates for queen are Jackie Camden, Ruth Core, Martha Hollis,

Jackie Camden's activities include being a majorette, military sponsor, Key Club Sweetheart and a member of the FH, Student Council, and Intercontinental Club.

Ruth Core serves Central as program chairman of the FH and Na-

By Barbara Button

Martha Hollis is head cheersecretary of the senior class and Tri-Hi-Y. Girls State delegate and a member of the Gym Staff, Loveman's Teen board, Student Council, Senate, and Youth in Govern-ment Committee.

Jane Meyer's activities include president of the Senate, vice-president of the National Honor Society, secretary of the Student Council and Youth in Government Committee, treasurer of the sentional Honor Society, Key Club for class and Bank Staff, military Calendar Girl, military sponsor and a member of the Tri-Hi-Y, Cham- and delegate to Girls State.

Sue Navel serves Central as head cheerleader, FBLA secretary, military sponsor, Key Club Calendar leader, military sponsor, Key Club Girl and a member of the Student Calendar Girl, president of the FH. Council, Gym Staff, Loveman's Teen Board, and Senate.

The senior class nominated the candidates October 23 in their English classes. Afterwards, the candidates were announced by Mrs. Flora Ware, secretary-treasurer of the Alumni Association, and then voted on by the student body. The queen will be announced tonight.

Following the game, a Home coming dance, sponsored by the Student Council, will be held in the study hall. Music and refreshments will be provided by the Council.

Four Central Students Participate In East Tennessee Festival Chorus

Four Central students performed with the East Tennessee Festival to the new gymnasium in their skating and bowling.

Clinic Chorus for the East Tennes-tour. Paul exclaimed that "There Mr. and Mrs. K. W. John, acting see Education Association on Friday, October 27, in Knoxville.

delegation were seniors Ruth Lee, alto, and Paul Faulkner, bass, and juniors Mike Lees, tenor, and Su-

san Hayes, soprano Under the direction of Mr. Robert K. Baar, professor at Murray State University in Murray, Kentucky, the chorus rehearsed for a total of fourteen hours before the Friday concert.

Presented at 4:15 on Friday, the oncert was a joint effort of the ETEA Chorus and the ETEA Orchestra.

Six Christmas selections, chosen by the director were presented by the 125-voice choir. A similar program by the orchestra followed the choral concert.

"The most interesting thing to me was that everyone in ETEA my first time there, it was a great

In addition to performing in the book music festival, participants re-are ceived a guided tour of the University of Tennessee campus.

The sight seers included a visit the four Centralites enjoyed ice

were three new swimming pools: as chaperones for their thirtyay, October 27, in Knoxville.

One each for racing, diving, and comprising this year's Central just plain swimming."

Seventh time, also provided transportation. Mr. John declared that portation, Mr. John declared that moments, "they had a lot of fun."



ETEA PARTICIPANTS-Mr. John, music director, coaches studen left, Susan Hayes, Paul Faulkner, Ruth Lee, and Mike Lees, seated.

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From The Editor's Desk . . .

Welcome Home!

Tonight is Homecoming. At the game, look around and watch the faces of the alumni; you'll see expressions of excitement and sentiment, but most of all, pride.

Why should they still feel such deep pride in a school they have not attended in years? Call it spirit, concern, or pride, but it is the tie of the Central family.

The alumni throughout the years have been strong supporters of Central activities. For example, through their help and assistance Central led a successful campaign to inform patrons about the necessity of the 1 cent sales tax. Hopefully, this revenue provides for a

The alumni are much more than just spectators at the games-they are active supporters of the team. Tangible evidence of this support is the football program given each fan at home games.

Throught their support, alumni show that they are proud of their Alma Mater, but Central is equally proud of them and is happy to greet them at Homecoming,

Drive Sets New Record

Congratulations to Central students and faculty for setting a new record for the clothing drive of 23,548 garments and a special congratulations to Mr. Sam T. Stoner's homeroom and senior Patsy Cole for contributing the largest number of articles.

This year's goal was surpassed by 13,000 garments, again revealing that the Central spirit is also synonymous with giving. The clothing drive is one of two campaigns in which this school's students and faculty give to the needy, the other being Christmas food baskets.

The next stage of the drive is behind the scenesnow begins the sorting and the distributing of the gar-ments. Needs of Central students will be met first, then those of other county students. Clothing not going to county schools will be donated to a local charity.

Well done, Central family, not only for reaching a goal but for providing for so many people.

A High-Note Performance

The Varsity Glee Club, soloists, song leaders, sextet, accompanists, and Mr. K. W. John, glee club director, are to be congratulated for the program they presented in assembly on October 19.

Despite the fact that Mr. John was not present for the performance, because of his teaching at J. B. Brown Junior High in the afternoon, the glee club as a whole and the individual performers carried on under their student directors as though he were there.

Seniors Ruth Lee, Betsi Phillips, and Paul Faulkner seemed to be in complete control, directing the chorus through its numbers with ease.

The soloists, sophomores Linda Westbrook and senior The soloists, sophomores Linda westorook and senior Paul Faulkner, and the sextet, composed of seniors Ruth Lee, Paul Faulkner, David Wood, and Tommy Jenkins and juniors Susan Hays and Mike Lees, were also good. The entire glee club was attentive to its leaders and interested and intent on giving its best.

Thank you, Mr. John and the glee club, for a good program and for the opportunity to see leadership and responsibility displayed by Central students.

Spotlight on Seniors.

Jan spends a lot of her time

treasurer, and Senate parliament-

arian. She holds membership in the

Tri-Hi-Y and National Honor So-

ciety and works as business man-

Jan thinks, "It's great to be a

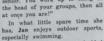
senior. You work up to being at

ager of the Champion.

the ranks of Central students, they have the tendency to think working in clubs at Central. She is president of the FBLA, state secyoung. Jan Rider and John Crawford believe that being young is retary of the FBLA, secretary of

"When you are young, you see things in a different light. Day by you discover new ideas you didn't have before. You can express yourself better, too," says

As John sees it, "Since you are only young once, you should make the best of it. Have fun, but don't neglect to set your goals high. Now



Although she has not yet decided on one college, Jan wants to at-tend either UT or Middle Tennessee State. She hopes to become a legal

Probably John's most predomi nant activity is playing tackle on the football team. "Personally, just being a member of the team has given me a great love for Central."

Assistant huddle group leader of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at Central, John is also a member of the C Club, a captain on the ROTC battalion staff, and a member of the Key Club.



day had finally arrived.

I would get my driver's license and I'd be "king of the road." There was only one obstacle; I had to pass the driver's test.

Of course, that would be a cinch. I'd been practicing for weeks and wasn't a bit nervous . . . until I

Deftly, I slipped, or jammed, the trunk key into the ignition switch. Politely, the patrolman showed me my error and I was ready.

"All right," said the patrolman;

Calmly and expertly, I started the engine and shifted from "park" to "drive"! Slowly, I backed(?) into the car sitting in front of mine.

Deciphering the patrolman's mumbled words, I shifted to "reverse" and backed from the parking space. (There was only a slight dent in the other car's bumper.)

Following instructions, I veered right, then left, onto the testing road. (I learned later that I should

That great, glorious, long-awaited have stopped before entering the

"Speed up a little," said the officer. So, I put my foot to the floor: the speedometer rose rapidly: and before I knew it, the car had shifted into passing gear, and we were cruising along at about 70 miles per hour.

"Stop the car!" yelled the trooper. I slammed on the brake with my left foot, failing to release the accelerator held by my right foot.

Finally, I determined from the patrolman's unkind (and unprintable) words that he didn't want me to use my left foot to operate the brake pedal. I tried to tell him that that is easier than driving with your legs crossed.

That ended my test. He took over the wheel and was so intent upon bawling me out that he wasn't watching HIS driving. As he parked, I asked, "Sir, what happened to that fellow who was waving us into this parking space?"





For fun, John likes to draw, play baseball, Another hobby golf. His interest in drawing influenced John to major in a mercial drawing or architect

IN MY OPINION

Winter Nearing Tears Appearing Tears T the production staff. By David White Production of the play creates Lewis and Peggy Palmer. Mr. Hill-

signs are as vivid as the falleaves or the cold blasts of that sway the trees and wan

the cooling temperatures; these are a change in atth about socks, mini skirt we wearing a little more, and a shroud of depression engrossing the boys

Beatle haircuts they once wore can no more. No one enjoys f bitten ears.

It would never come.

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Production Staff Aids Behind Scenes

chief, lawyer, teacher, Principal W. clief, lawyer, teather; rintegration tionally, is Mr. Dyers reason for the story beamed the well on ap-these various activities. He added penings and how Erma manages to Then again, these male to of the Champion and Digest constiof the Champion and believes his stutte some of the speakers they enjoyed the programs. have had during this period.

Other activities held in home room are student forums, roundable results. "Generally speaking, Winter time is nearing, passing the various drives and with ears and noses number the state of t With ears and noses numbers activities, extemporaneous tral's homeroom program would be if I had my way with we speaking, and meetings to plan for more effective," he added.

In these planning sessions etu The Central Binf type of programs to be presented. CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL In this way they get to hear programs on subjects which interest



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The mysterious sound effects are Rhonda Blevins, and Beth Jeffers.

Sanders, director, as student di-Prompting the cast are Regina rectors.

many jobs. Tommy Jenkins heads man Mayfield, assisted by students Tiger House is a combination of he production staff, while Nancy Larry Blalock, Fred Alexander, the production staff, while Nancy Larry Blalock, Fred Alexander, the production staff, while Nancy Larry Blalock, Fred Alexander, and Ricky McDaniel, will design the creates an unusually humorous story which ends on an unexpected story which ends on the story which ends on an unexpected story which ends on a story which ends on the story which ends on a story which ends on the story thrills, comedy, and romance that Creates an unusually humorous classes, under the supervision of sized.

Dee Dee Moore, Allow Deeper Button, and Beth Jeffers work on make-up. Jane Meyer, Linda Steinberg, rie, portrays a poor young girl who and first aid. rie, portrays a poor young giri who suddenly inherits a lovely country estate. But by the terms of the fitness, and health emotions, Mrs. attack are given.

Erma later learns that the house supposedly haunted by her de-The reason for this low me beneform. We smelting interesting in might possibly be attributed to pet something interesting in discontinuance of outdoor up here, states a member of Mr. J.

"I feel that we ought to fulfill seems of a jeweled collision of for in the eyes of a boy a prope Dyer's homeroom class.

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that he believes his students have retain her inheritance makes an entertaining evening," comments Principal Millsaps said that the Mrs. Sanders. programs have brought commend-

The play will be presented December 1. Tickets cost 75 cents in

Clothing Drive Tops Goal With 23,458 Garments

coording to Mr. Sam T. Stoner, stated Mr. Stoner general chairman of the drive.

Leading homerooms were Mr Stoner with 4,158 garments: Mr. 2,043; and Mrs. Clarone Hughes ceive preference

garments to lead in individual con- was topped by 921 articles. tributions. Principal contributors

Exceeding the clothing drive goal | for clothes. Because the junior diover 13,000 garments, Central vision was missing, we set the goal dents and faculty collected at 10,000 garments, but we collect-23,458 articles of clothing this year, ed more than in any other year,"

According to Mr. Stoner, the clothing is distributed first to needy Centralites, Needy students J. Pope Dyer 4,033; Mrs. Reba Fults 2,891; Miss Marjorie Ogle in other county schools then re-

Last year Central exceeded its Senior Patsy Cole from Mr. Ston- goal of 13,000 by over 2,000 garr's homeroom contributed 2,060 ments. In 1965, the goal of 12,500

"Every year Central collects from other homerooms were Tom-my Jenkins, 847; Howard Thomas, schools of the county combined, schools of the county combined," 704; Wanda Robison, 278; and says Mr. Stoner. "Both faculty Jeanne Dulin, 486. Led by Shirley members and students have always given their full, most hearty sunca Haskins' homeroom collected 742 given their 1un, most port to this worthy campaign. They "The need was greater this year commended."

Health, Civil Defense Provide Variety Of Activity In Class

Health, civil defense, and medi- of taking a bath with their clothes cal self-help classes provide a va- on," recalls Mrs. Cox. riety of classroom activities in "This is a trial period for the gym periods this year. health classes. We're trying to Meeting every Tuesday and make it valuable and enjoyable to

Mrs. Hammack's civil-defense garet Hammack, gym teachers, are and medical self-help classes ininstructed in the fundamentals of clude lessons in bandaging, fall-Susan, in the lead as Erma Low-Pamphlets and films are also used in this program as instruc-

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demonstrated the artful procedur

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Pounders Take On Irish In Homecoming Tonight

By Jake Arbes
Helmets will clash as the Purple
Pounders host the Irish of Notre
Dame in the Central Homecoming
grid battle tonight at Chamberlain
Field.

By Jake Arbes
Red Bank scored early in the
prid when Johnny Phillips
plunged two yards to cap a 48-yard

Veteran quarterback Billy Lan-dry will lead the Irish while Cen-tral will rely on the ball-carrying ability of Jimmy Mullican and the passing of Pat Chadd.

The Pounders will enter the Notre Dame game with a tie against Red Bank and a victory over East Ridge behind them.

rever Last Ridge behind them.

In the Lion game the Purples
and Red Bank fought to a 7-7
draw before an estimated 3,000
fans at Chamberlain Field in a
tight defensive game.

Central got the initial score late
the first half after Mite Bason lose furmble and raced 42 varies for

in the first half after Mike Reno neer fumble and raced 42 yards for recovered a fumble on the Lion 17 another Central tally, icing the

Mike McCoy then rammed the Jim Barclay, kicking specialist middle of the Lion line twice to for the Purples, has booted four move the ball to the Red Bank six out of four attempted extra points where Chadd faked a pitchout, then in the last two games.

In the second game Reuben Jus-tice starred on both offense and defense as the Pounders trounced East Ridge 21-0.

Chadd climaxed a 75-yard drive for Central's first talley by sneak-ing over from the one early in the

game for the Pounders.



PILE-UP WITH RED BANK-Rushing to back-Central gridmon Jim Long (&B) and John Crawford (75) in the large Gary Hamrick (33) and Bill Ridge (&4) in an off-tackle play.

CHS Marksmen Defeat Johnson City Firers

October 21 by a score of 920-901 in the Central High Armory.

Leading the Central firers was Leading the Central Irrers was junior Lawrence Wilbourn with 247. Placing second for Central were juniors Lynn Patterson and David Howell, both with 225. The fourth member of the team was sophomore Craig Brothers with 224.

Leading the Science Hill team Bull Session

I have often heard it asked, "Where are the football boys?" and a typical answer—"In a meeting."
That goes far in telling WHERE they are. The football team meets every day during assembly period in room 301 where they engage in what is commonly called a skull meeting, What I hear asked is, "Is a skull meeting something like a bull session?"
Not at all. A bull session is a meeting where some people get together and just talk about anything.
A skull meeting puts the boys in a room with the coaches where they discuss plays, tactics, and mistakes from their last game or games.
The coaches diagram plays that have been run; they also draw new plays and discuss the way they are supposed to be run. and overall top firer was John Maxwell with 252. Placing second for the Johnson City team was Fred Lockett with 230 while Richard Lewis and Martin Nachman were third and fourth with 219 and 200, respectively.

When SFC Warren Luttrell,

honors in its first match by de-feating Science Hill High School or replications of them; they October 21 by a score of 920-901 were nervous but determined. I in the Central High Armson. have faith in them; they're making fine progress, but it's too early to make predictions."

The shooters next match will be November 18, when they invade Sweetwater for a match with Tennessee Military Institute.

Along with the rifle team, five boys from the drill team—senior Hubert Chapman and juniors

Childers, and Byron Dalton-on an exhibition of fancy drill rifles for visiting members of Johnson City team.

Science Hill also put on a & onstration, but their drill team sisted of the battalion spore marching with artificial weaps

Johnson City team men stayed with members of a Pounder's rifle team and team, while the sponsors were tertained by Central's sponsor

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Bull Session

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By David Sharp

their mistakes from the last game or from the last practice.

Scouting Reports

The players and coaches also, on certain days, go over the scouting report of another team, usually the team they are to play next. These reports give plays that the opponent has run successfully. The coaches then set up the Pounder practice sessions with emphasis on these areas.

Just remember, the next time you hear someone ask where the football boys are that they are in a meeting giving time and making sacrifices in order to make the Purple Pounder team better than the best.

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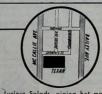
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Star Roll: Vicki Alden, Jayne

Honor Roll: Gwen Ashmore,

Linda Ault, Pam Bishop, Betty

Dedmon, Bobby Downs, Patti

man, Don Howard, Bill Kennedy,

Amanda Rhodes, Susan Spears,

Jan Templeton, Marianne Tinker,

Terry Upton, Linda Westbrook.

Robert White, Ola Wood, Gayle

Tony Metcalf, Steve Meyer,

Young.

Arnold, Denise Bacon, Jim Barclay,

Nancy Lewis, Terry Woods.

No. 8



TIGER HOUSE CHARACTERS—Portraying "bad" Arthur Hale, Tim Landress rehearses his lines with "Erma," Earline

luniors, Sophomores Top Honor Rolls: Smallest Number Since 1946-47 Term The junior class heads the first high division. Not only are there this, Cheri Moss, Barry Odom, easter star roll, and the sopho-gaster star roll, and the sopho-

paper roll, announces Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

To make the star roll, a student must have an A in every course he taking. Students on the honor roll must have at least three A's and no grade below a B. To be eligible for either roll, a student must have all A's in conduct.

This year's honor roll is Cen ral's smallest in 21 years and the first in 17 years without a junior

New Staff Helps In First-Aid Room

A staff of six girls has been formed to help in Central's firstaid room, according to Mrs. Eva Spaulding, school matron.

Staff members are Nancy Bales, Susan Brock, Carol Dykes, Linda Franklin, Sue Johnson, and Deborah Wright.

Recommended by their home-room teachers, the girls were lected by Mrs. Spaulding. Some of their duties include answering the telephone, running errands, and doing anything which can be of

Last year Mrs. Dewey McCrary, king at J. B. Brown Junior High School, served as school nurse. When Mrs. McCrary left, Mrs. Spaulding was put in charge of the first aid department.

During the first few weeks of school, Mrs. Spaulding was absent due to illness, leaving no one in the first aid room; the staff was

Mrs. Spaulding said of the staff mbers, "They are a great help to During my absence they did a job of carrying out their

mores and juniors tied with the mores and juniors tied with the loss of the junior high division Judy Winters. greatest number on the regular but a smaller percentage of high school students made the honor roll.

This year's total number on the roll, 82 students, is much lower than in previous years.

Last year, with 1,089 students enrolled in the senior high division, there were 39 on the first quarter Dukes, Jerry Hendrix, Sandy Hickstar roll and 118 on the honor roll, making a total of 157.

This year, with a slightly smaller enrollment of 1,044 students, there were only 16 who made the star roll and 66 who made the honor roll. This total is only 7.8 per cent of the student body; in contrast, last year's total of 157 was about 14.4 per cent.

Honor Roll: Phyllis Adkins, Rhonda Blevins, Lynn Button, Amy Coppinger, Gary Fischer, Arlene Fuson, Frank Goforth, Shelia Har-mon, Cheryl Hendren, Martha Hol-Susan Huddlestun, Glenda Masengil.

Sandra Morris, Carolyn Moss, Jimmy Mullican, John Overton, Joyce Parson, Betsi Phillips, Debbie Potts, Faith Radford, Jan Rider, Susan Rodman, Lynda Steinberg, Beverly Vickers.

Star Roll: David Ashley, Barbara Button, Susan Davenport, Rebecca Duggan, Gwen Frisbee, Amy Hackney, Jacqueline Loving, Patricia Sheetz, Michael Turnmire, Harold Tyber.

Honor Roll: Mitzi Anderson, Jake Arbes, Janet Blevins, Shelba Camp, Bill Christian, Rodena Cook, Sharon Crabtree, Carol Dykes, Linda Franklin, Linda Griffin, Donna Harris, Martha Hughes.

Beth Jeffers, Deborah Jordan, Courtney McInturff, Tommy Ma-

and hilarious laughter are just a few of the bewildering sounds echoing through the halls after school as the cast and crew members of Tiger House, this year's senior play, add final touches to the proentire mood of the play." "Although the cast is most seen, duction. Under the guidance of Miss Mary

Lou Derryberry, art instructor, Richard McDaniels, Fred Alexand-er, Jerry Russell, Ronnie Carter, and Rusty Reynolds are working on set design and construction.

Brown, Gloria Adkins, David Wooten, and Vicki Attaway are working on bulletin boards and posters for advertising. The program for the play is being designed by Janice Stout and Sharon Crab-

There will be two dress hearsals before the night of the play. As the characters rehearse their parts, many mechanical and electrical effects will be worked out by the production staff, headed by Mr. Hillman Mayfield and Tommy

Cast. Production Staff Make Final Corrections For Play 'Tiger House' By Beth Jeffers

Tommy states, "In this play especially, the sound effects and lighting are very important. The production staff will help to set the

without the production staff we're missing something. The cast and staff depend on each other; without one, we can't have the other," Mr.

Centered around Mystery Manor, phantom tiger, and a strange collar of jewels, Tiger House is the story of a young girl who inherits a country estate and, along with it, the curse of the tiger cult because of the collar her aunt stole

years before.
The play will be held in the Central auditorium at 8 p.m. on December 1. Tickets are on sale now for one dollar. They are being sold by members of the cast and

Tiger House is under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Sanders, who is assisted by Susan Huddlestun

CHS Plays Holiday Game; First Since '52 Dead Lock

Ry Jake Arhes

For the first time in 15 years, Centralites will again be able to enjoy the resounding of clashing helmets on a Thanksgiving Day.

The football tilt, which will replace the traditional University of Chattanooga grid bout, will pit the Brainerd Rebels against the Central Purple Pounders on Chamberlain Field at 2 o'clock.

An invitation to the Metro Bowl on November 17 prompted Brainerd to re-schedule the game with Central which was supposed to be played Small attendance, caused by a



POUND 'EM HARD-Getting ready for the Thanksgiving Day game with Brainerd arepgiggers, Herry Robinson and Bobby Downs.

time conflict with nationally televised football, forced UC to give up its regularly scheduled Thanksgiving Day game. "The Brainerd-Central rivalry is

almost as big now as that of City and Central. This game should be a big crowd pleaser since, after defeating Notre Dame, Central has about the same record as Brainerd," commented Coach Jack Archer.

Coach Archer also stated that the incentive of playing a holiday game would key up the players and make them try harder and that during daylight the football would be easier seen and handled.

In the last holiday game Central played, the Pounders fought to an 18-18 draw with Oak Ridge in 1952 before about 12,000 fans. Central's team ended the 1952-53 season with a 9-1-1 record and was named state champion by the Associated Press.

Brainerd played their last Thanksgiving Day game in 1963 when they defeated Nashville Madison in Nashville.

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Count Your Blessings

Two hundred and forty-six years ago, the Plymouth colonist started an observance which we still keep today, although often with little or no consideration for its

The first Thanksgiving was celebrated in order that the Pilgrims might thank God for their blessings.

They were thankful for their safety and comfort, for their first winter had been a cold, harsh one during which almost half of the colony's population died.

They were thankful for their harvest which assured them of a sufficient amount of food — they would not

They were thankful for moments of peace, for they had fought many battles with the unfriendly Indians who surrounded them.

They were thankful for the freedom to worship God

Their hardships, although dealing with different forces, are similar to those each of us faces today; but on the other hand we have so much more for which to

We take almost everything we have for granted, not only clothes, food, and shelter but also intelligence, the opportunity to better ourselves through education, our parents, teachers, and friends who care about us, and most of all for the opportunity to live in the United States, a country to which thousands of immigrants, like the Pilierius, some and, way. the Pilgrims, come each year.

Imprins, come each year.

Immigrants are thankful for the opportunity of being here. They come in search of freedom, equality, and democracy. They come for a chance to better themselves and to provide for their families. They come because of the lure of a beautiful, prosperous country. They don't take America and what it stands for for the company of the company o granted; why de we?

granted; why de we?
Thanksgiving will be a holiday—turkey and dressing, relatives and friends, and a football game. It is one day in a year of blessings which we have set aside for being thankful for those things which we have. This was the purpose of the Pilgrims' observance; it has not changed.

—L. B.

Clothes Make The Man

Society judges people by their compliance to conventional standards. One standard, that of dress, constantly undergoes change, but today there is probably more change and more revolution in dress than before. This usually results in reaction, and for the past two or three years youth has been criticized a great deal for its mod and beatnik styles.

Many modern youth are striving to be nonconformists through dress and personal appearance. By wearing unconventional clothes and haircuts, they feel that they are not conforming to ut really they are conforming to a world of outsiders. They do not stand alone as individualists but as a group that does not adhere to be attended of specific. the standards of society.

Individualism is fine, but it must remain within the realm of social acceptance. When it exceeds good taste and common sense and conflicts with the standards of society, a distinction must be made.

Proper dress and appearance is a required standard. One must conform to standards of dress and actions to command respect from society. Clothes do not make the man, but they aid in making those lasting first impres-



Spotlight on Seniors.

oung, but many of today's young people take time out for seriou flection. Elaine Barger and Bob

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Johnson are two of these. Pausing to consider the changing attitudes in America, Bob says, "You can't change society if you aren't a part of it. We must be responsible citizens if we are to responsible citizens if we are to command respect from adults.

"Young people are searching for kieas of their own. To be objective them may get

in finding these, they must get away from the crowd. If they re-main in it, their ideas are affected

the Student Council, a member of the Bank and Bookstore Staff, and FTA parliamentarian.

In June, Bob attended Boys State in Cookeville where he was elected mayor of his city. He is also on the committee to organize Youth in overnment at Central.

At West Georgia College in Car-rollton, Bob wants to major in psychology and do graduate work in that field. His plans are to work for a masters and a doctorate in this field in order to become

psychology professor.

In his spare time, Bob bowls, plays golf, and collects stamps and



Elaine Barger Bob Johnson

Forefathers Enjoy Feast With Hospitable Savages

By Barbara Button

greeted the awakening Pilgrims and Indians on their first Thanks-

Although it was a Cole and wet morning, the Jolley Indians gathered their Lively children and food supplies and began to Wade through the Meyer toward the settlement.

For just this occasion, they brought Haddock, which had been caught the day before, and corn, which had been kept in storage

Chambers called Barnes.
Upon reaching their destination
they Clopt-on Down(s) to the cabin and asked Cook Rodena where to unload the items. She was busy but Nicely motioned them to Goforth Attaway, which was Indermill.

The Pilgrims were also busy with preparations for the day's events. leaps of hay were being Pyle(d) in Bales for the horses, and turkeys were losing their heads while gob-

swing on at one time, and no one Thanksgiving Day.

nent and anticipation could decide who should be allowed to swing first.

The Commander of the settle-

ment tried to get to the Hart of the matter, but everyone had his own ideas as to the proper solution One man grabbed a Long rifle

and ordered them to Standefer piece back. Some called for the Parson; others screamed for Moore Justice, while Cook Rodena returned to her Potts in the kitchen saying, "The Choate must go on."

It seemed as though the whole day would be ruined when a familiar Rider was seen approaching the settlement at a Leaptrot.

Was it a Hunter, Gardner, For rester, or Fryar? No! It was David the Deerman who was known throughout the colonies for killing Nye unto 40 Wolfe(s) Puryear. David dismounted from his horse

and inquired as to the Core of the

oundenty, Sharp Quarles could be children swing first because they beard coming from outside. It needed more rest. Everyone Lov-seemed that the Ham(r)ick wasn't ing(b) agreed.

rotunda reflections

Central graduates of 1957 will gather for a reunion on Saturday, November 25, at 6:30 p.m. at the Hamilton County Park Pavilion, according to the class reunion chairman, Mrs. Hiram E. Bazemore. All graduates of that year are invited to attend.

Miss Rosemary Peduzzi, a 1964 graduate and a senior at George Peabody College for Teachers in Nashville, has been elected by the student body to appear in the national publication, Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges.

Mike McCoy, senior class president, will represent Central in the Operation Heartbeat program, according to Dr. Edward A. Owens, head of the science department.

On November 25, Mike, who plans to become a doctor, will attend either Vanderbilt University or Meharry University, both in Nashville, for a day's program to interest science students in medicine. The program is sponsored by the American Heart Association.

treasurer of the Tri-Hi-Y, & member of the Student Spanish Club. She also the Champion

Elaine's major in sports of all kinds. As she was co-captain o team. Next fall, Elaine attend Middle Tennessee versity to major in ph

Also serious minded, Elair "The young people who and ling the handest, the him trying to get away from the world is in. They for way to get people to r they are trying to impr least change, the ways o to draw attention to the "Other teen-agers like on

will try to find other change things.

IN MY OPINION

Holiday Hero Combats Crime By David White

Great gobs of gravy; it's Great Turkey!

Four-hundred pounds of light dark meat, he engages in a ending battle for truth, just way. Endowed with super p he flies a constant patrol ti may combat crime.

His arch-enemy, Pumpkin, alias Jack O'Lant. sworn to destroy him. The Turkey's only vulnerability weakness at coming in co a strange substance of origin. The substance, a blo sauce, takes its name from coverer, Johnny Cranberry Se American horticulturist.

The Great Pumpkin is con plotting to revenge the time the half-baked hero turned into a pumpkin pie. But, or other hand, the drumstick gooder was well provoked narrowly escaping being bak the Pumpkin in a 400-degree

Thus once again good trie over evil; and with a hardy ve (EDITOR'S NOTE: This is p for entertainment)

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Dr. Abernathy Advises Youth To Set Goals

rember 21, 1967

who are the busiest are st." declared Dr. Robert Fields Services Direc-Middle Tennessee State during assembly on

d by Central's Future America, the program American education during Education Week, Novem-

aled with bits of humor, the ch suggested several ways to lay's challenge of change. ting Challenge g ability, necessary in

challenge, Dr. Aber-"It won't be long be on the labor market you have to sell?" he feels, is also a actor. "If you want hadly enough, you'll get

to ability and ambitor emphasized the nate. "I'm not neutral g," he affirmed. He our attitudes can beding as slaves."

on Dr. Abernathy "allow the school to

er coach and English a year and is one of er head of the social



CROWNING HONOR—Martha Hollis, homecoming queen, smilingly receives a congratulatory kiss from Mr. Terrell Fugate, president of the Alumni Association.

Mythology Class Relates Past, Present In Projects By Janet Blevins

"Mythology is the study of heroic legends and myths of ty, encourage ambi-the days when the Roman and Greek gods ruled the earth through the social systems, rites, and customs," states Mr. Hillman Mayfield, teacher.

In addition to a historical study, mythology students in relate these myths and legends to the past and present day popular speakers in relate these myths and lithis time," states Mr. life in quarter projects.

Included in these projects are a display of gods and their symbols, reports on gods and their relation to present day advertising, and research on statues in the city which are allusions to mythology.

New Drama Group Plans Plays, Skits For Assembly error in the American Medical As- urer; Dale Wyatt, chaplain; Jimmy sociation symbol. He explains, Indemnil, sergeant-at-arms; and Jack.

Other officers in- vities.

Susan Huddlestun. Pam Linville, secreer, treasurer; and rs of the club have

his year into the on of high school To be eligible for nts must have n pation in dra

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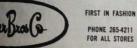
J. Sanders, sponsor. and professional play productions pent." lub president is sen- constitute some of the future acti-

club requires only an interest in drama and a willingness to work on all play productions for me bership," notes Mrs. Sanders. "Eat the best for less"

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sophomore, recently discovered an secretary; Debbie Senterfit, treas- Español provides a very informaerror in the American Medical As- urer; Dale Wyatt, chaplain; Jimmy tive and interesting club," states "Everyone is familiar with the Sandra Morris, club reporter. tral's dramatic pro-tral's dramatic pro-tral assistance of matics at Central," Mrs. Sanders why this symbol was used isn't age club is now in the process of resent various plays
resembly," states skits and visiting numerous college god of healing, has only one ser-

> Mythological signs used today are studied and, in turn, are re-"Meeting every Wednesday, the ported and discussed in the class-

Students Gain Experience Through JA Participation

management, sales, and production the goal of Central students who the goal of Central students who intercorp — Jimmy Mahoney, re participating in the Junior Achievement program this year, according to Mr. Ronald G. Emery, Wayne McCoy; JAGilco — Glenda xecutive director of the program. Thomas and Charles Young.

to accept stedamet, sarety direction, and maintain obstantion, and Marcial Green; C. & L. Co-lance — James Barger, Sandru Sheng, vice-president of sales; Cave o Martha Hughes, treasurer, and Belinda Butler, sales treasurer, and Belinda Butler, sales

Censo-Annette Pell, president, and Susan Brock, secretary; Com-Board-Wally Sanders, president, nd Janet Hannah; Combusto -Marjorie Hammonds.

Comco Jeannie Dulin and David Housley; ConcorA-Pauline Boyd; Coring — Terry Tuell, president; Paulletta Carson, treasurer; Albert assett and Guy Liner.

dent, and Michael Turnmire, as-sistant treasurer; DMSCO—Law-

Officers and members of the Pepco-Betty Dedmon, vice-pre companies are as follows: Atchem-ident of sales, Jerry Fortner, Clif-ton Glenn, and Phillip Stancil;

co - Tommy Jenkins, promotio

manager; and Telco-Jeanne Roy Sponsored internationally by busness organizations, the program

seeks to give teen-agers an oppor-tunity to learn more about the free enterprise system, Members will organize and operate a miniature business under the guidance of experienced adult directors

Deka-Plak—John Overton, presithe finances which are essential to

Business and operation of the rence Wilbourn, president, Alfea companies are conducted weekly Gay, and Georgia Jordan; Dupco- during a two-hour session in the Ronnie Carter and Debbie Spain. JA building on Dodds Avenue Fabco-Becki Linder, secretary; across from Central High

Spanish Club Elects Officers To Preside In Sixtieth Year

Senior Jack Haddock was re-|planning several projects for the ently elected president of El Cir- year. culo Español, Central's Spanish According to Miss Rice, the club club, for the current year, an- will soon be celebrating its sixtleth nounces Miss Mary Ellen Rice,

For example, Manning Boyd, a ino, vice-president; Susan Spears, speaking countries, El Circulo

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He added that possible starters

Coach Smith also stated that the boys have a lot of spirit and a real good attitude and that "they seem

Central's weakness lies in the squad's lack of bench strength. "None of the other players have any experience at all," he added.

The reserves, who practice with

the varsity, are guards Gary Brooks, Mike Morgan, and Jim Indermill; forwards Ronnie Harden, Steve Guinn, and Lynn Carr; and center Ronald Milton.

Sophomores on the team are Anthony Crutcher, Nathaniel Hunter, Donald Hicks, Jesse Murphy, Tommy Hyler, Bobby Rogers, and Jim

Assistant coach Ed Test said that

Assistant coach and Test said that "depth is the (team's) problem; re-bounding will be stronger, the shooting better. The big question is whether our man-to-man defense

to be hustling real well."

Page 4 CHS Meets Howard In Season Opener



BASKETBALL DRILL-Practicing for the upcoming seaso



Seasons Change

As football season comes to a close, fans will move indoors for the year's second spectator sport—basketball. The first game will be played today with the Howard Tigers, a possible contender for HIL honors. Pep Club tickets are valid for this game, which will be preceded by a B-team battle beginning about 7 o'clock. The Pounders need your support. There is nothing more heartening than a cheering throng of fans.

The last chance for the fans to support the 1967 football team will be the Thanksgiving Day game with Brainerd.

The Pounders, still feeling the death of senior Mike Perkins, have honored him in the best way possible. The team now wears black crosses, a suggestion made by teammate Jimmy Long, and are playing the type of game that would have pleased Perkins.

The drinking of intoxicating beverages at the Central athletic events should not become a problem. ROTC ushers have been asked to report anyone they see drinking. I think that a Centralite should have enough pride to do the same. Drinking has no place at a football game, where it can give Central and its students a really bad name and reputation.

Congratulations

With the close of a season I congratulate the cheer-leaders for doing such a fine job during the football season, The band and majorettes for their performances at halftime on the nights of the games,

The football team and the coaches for having such a fine season, and Martha Hollis, the 1967 Homecoming Queen.

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Purples Wrap Up Season

With Thanksgiving Game By Jake Arbes

tral's Purple cagers will clash with the Howard Tigers at 8 o'clock to-On Thanksgiving Day the Purple 20-6 loss. Perry Hicks piled by Pounders will match strength and points for the Tigers. Crasskill with Brainerd in the closing lost bouchdown came on a the skill with Brainerd in the closing lost bouchdown came on a the skill with Brainerd in the closing lost perfect the control of the con night in the opening battle of the The Tigers, according to Central's head coach Gordon Smith, have some good material but are less experienced than last year's team, which trounced the Pounders game of the regular season to be played at 2:00 p.m. at Chamberlain

The game, the first played on Thanksgiving since 1952 when the Pounders tied Oak Ridge, will cap another successful football season

"The only starters returning from last year's Pounder quintet are Choate, forward; Carson Mc-Cord, center; and Larry McGill, guard," said Coach Smith. for the Central grid squad. Central opened its football season by trouncing Riverside 26-0. Mike McCoy, Jimmy Mullican, and Rick Holder each hit paydirt with runs. Central's late ace end, Mike Per-kins, caught a Pat Chadd toss for another touchdown. He added that possible starters for the other two positions are forward Rudolph Chambliss, guard Wayne Anderson, and Wilbur Wilks, a versatile player who can play at both positions.

The City-Central tilt, classic played in a driving rain storm, was a hard fought defen-sive game. Central's only touch-down came when half-back Reuben Justice sprinted four yards around

left end early in the first quarter. Central tasted its first defeat as Baylor bombed them 23-0 for the worst loss since 1952. The Raider's worst loss since 1952. The Raider's grid ace, Rob Healy, sparkled as he scored three touchdowns for Baylor. Despite the efforts of backs McCoy and Justice, Central's deepest penetration was to the Baylor 20.

Trying to bounce back from this defeat, the injury-ridden Pounders did not find the revenge they sought as Howard handed them a

Perry Hicks piled up

The Pounders ended their to The Founders ended their has game losing streak by dropps Bradley 26-7. The Pounders play a crushing ground game as Market and the strength of lican ran for two touchdowns a Justice for another. Bill Ric caught a Chadd aerial for another Pounder score.

Still mourning the death of the teammate, Mike Perkins, the p squad battled a determined Bank team to a 7-7 draw, Go Hamrick scored Central's touchdown on a six-yard sprint

East Ridge was next to fall the Pounders as Central snatched 21-0 victory from the Pione Ridge, Justice, and Chadd a scored for the Purples.

The Golden Hawks of Kirks were the next victims of Pounders as Hamrick ran for points, and McCoy and Mullo piled up six points apiece is 27-13 victory.

The Pounders smashed the No. game with offensive stars Jus-McCoy, Hamrick, and Dexter Fe ing scoring the touchdowns.

During the season, sophocicking specialist Jim Barr kicking specialist Jim Bas-booted 16 of 18 extra point tempts.

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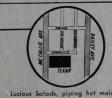
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'64 Graduates Study Methods Of Instructions

sity of Chattanooga, including two Central graduates, are gaining teachers at Central.

These future teachers are Brena Sherrill and Joanna Duggan, English Department; and Sharon Brumlow, Home Economics De-

The three will observe teaching ethods and procedures and as sist their resident teachers in checking rolls and papers, recordings grades, and doing typing and ditto work. In addition, they are to experience actual classroo

Assisting Mrs. Mildred Sanders is Brenda Sherrill, a secondary English major. "I think teaching is one of the most rewarding and important professions. An English teacher has a great deal of responsibility, since English is essential in our everyday lives," commented Miss Sherrill.

Joanna Duggan, 1964 valedictorian at Central, also an English major, is aiding Miss Marjorie Ogle in English and journalism classes. Miss Duggan was on the classes. Miss Duggan was on the Digest Staff while at Central. "I am glad to be here and hope to teach at Central after graduation. Inspiring appreciation for literature and encouraging appropriate expression in students is my goal in teaching," stated Miss Duggan.

Sharon Brumlow, also a 1964 Central graduate and a former Digest Staff member, is helping Mrs. Janie Shropshire. Her college major is home economics.

Tri-Hi-Y Planning School Directory

By Lynn Button

"Hello Central," the student telephone directory published an-nually by the Tri-Hi-Y, will go on on, according to club sponsor Mrs. Dorothy Stone.

Previously containing only the name, address, and telephone num-ber of each student, the 1967-68 version includes a listing of all the school clubs and their officers.

"The books are only 50 cents, and they are very helpful, especially now when it's time to address Christmas cards. It's so much easier to find a student's name in 'Hello Central' than it is to find it in the city directory," states Lynn Button, club president.

Compiled, edited, and typed by the Tri-Hi-Y with help from the Guidance Staff, the books will be sold during December at lunch and

"Hello Central" is one of the Tri-Hi-Y's main service projects for the year. Before the Christmas holidays the group plans to entertain the elderly people at one of the area nursing homes.



THERE, THERE, OSWALD—With glasses askew and heart aflutter, Tomm

CHS Alumni Group Holds Annual Banquet, Election

Fellowship, door prizes, entertainment, and election of officers were all part of the annual Alumni Banquet held on Thursday, November 9, in Nelson Hall from 7-9 p.m.

Mr. Terrell Fugate was elected to serve as president of the association and Mr. Floyd Fuller, a past president, was elected as ex officio president.

Others included in the list of newly elected officers were Mr. Ernie Feagans, Mr. Floyd Keith, Mr. Jerry Summers, Mr. Clyde Willhoit, and Mr. Jim Woods, vice-presidents; and Mrs. Flora Ware, secretarytreasurer. Mrs. Ware has served as secretary-treasurer since 1951.

Mr. Feagans was master of ceremonies and, along with Central students, provided the entertain-ment for the evening.

Central's majorettes were featured in two routines. Nancy Averitt, senior, sang an original com position and accompanied herself on her guitar. Senior Elaine Stoner also sang and was accom panied by junior Mike Lees at the

Food for the approximately 190 people was prepared by the cafeteria workers. Members of the Tri-Hi-Y, one of Central's service clubs, set tables and served the alumni group.

According to Mrs. Ware, the association strives "to help in any-way to further the advancement of Central High School."

Various projects are undertaken each year to fulfill this purpose, including a scholarship presented annually on Awards Day to a deserving senior. Alumni members on the faculty select an outstanding boy and girl to receive the alumni medals, which along with several athletic and band awards are also provided by the associa-

Senior Play 'Tiger House' To Be Presented Tonight At 8 PM In Auditorium

play, will be presented tonight at 8 p.m. in the Central High auditorium.

High auditorium.

The cast for the play includes rline McGlohon as Erma Lowrie; Ruth Lee, Aunt Sophia; Pam Lin-ville, Peggy Van Ess; and Susan Huddlestun, Mrs. Murdock.

Sharleen Gribble as the Mystery Woman; Vann Cunningham, Yami; Tommy Jenkins, Oswald Kerins; Paul Faulkner, Thompson; David Sharp, MacIntosh; and Tim Landress, Arthur Hale.

Tiger House, directed by Mrs. Mildred Sanders, is a three-act mystery-comedy centered around "Mystery Manor," a house willed Erma by her eccentric Aunt Sylvia

Along with the house, Erma has inherited the mystery of the phan-tom tiger which is searching for the diamond collar that was stolen from his neck years before.

Besides portraying characters in one dollar.

Tiger House, this year's senior | the play, Ruth Lee and Susan Hud-

Ruth comments, "Tiger House is really exciting, and the thrill of the play will have you on the edge of your seat or may have you rolling on the floor, laughing."

"Don't miss this play. If you come tonight, you'll enjoy a delightfully entertaining evening," Mrs. Sanders advises. "The cast has done an exceptional job, and the interpretation of characters is

Mr. Hillman Mayfield, head of production, adds, "This is one of the funniest plays I have ever seen, not only because of the way it's written but because of the cast's interpretation of the characters."

Tickets may be obtained from members of the cast and production staff, from the booth on first floor, and at the door. All tickets cost

Society Plans Induction Of New Senior Members

Seniors will be tapped for membership into the Annie Mae Shelton Chapter of the National Honor Society during assembly December 8, Mrs. Flora B. Ware, sponsor,

Relating the ideas for which the society stands will be Lynn Button, Scholarship; Ruth Core, Leadership; Carolyn Moss, Character; and Nancy Averitt, Service.

Tapping the new members from the audience will be Jay Maveety, Jack Haddock, Frank Goforth, and Jimmy Mullican.

First semester officers who will present pins and congratulate new members are Glenda Masengil, president; Jane Meyer, vice-president; Brenda Isbell, secretary; and Rhonda Blevins, treasurer.

To be qualified for membership in this society, a student must be in the upper third of his class, must have a B average throughout his high school years, and must have no conduct grade below A. Students are also chosen for leader-ship good moral character, and school service.

Following the induction program, a reception will be held in honor of the new members and their parents in the reception room. Members of the society and the faculty are invited to attend.

Carolyn Moss, social chairman, is in charge of refreshments. Serving on her committee are Ruth Core, Jane Meyer, Lynn Button, Rhonda Blevins, and Glenda Mas-

The telephone committee, will notify the parents of the inductees, is composed of Glenda Masengil, chairman; Ruth Core, Rhonda Blevins, Phyllis Adkins, and Jan Rider.

"Membership in the Honor Society calls for responsible and trustworthy students," comments Glenda. "To uphold the ideas the society stands for, members are carefully selected on a scale rang ing from 1 to 5 points."



Ernie Feagans, Mr. Terrell Fugate, Mr. Jim Woods, Mr. Jerry Summers, Mr. C. L. Willholf, Mrs. Flora Ware, and Mr. Floyd Keith.

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He hopes to attend Mi

nessee State University to

high school.

music so that he can teach !



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I am an American!
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the—they were all Americans.

As an American, I have religious freedom. This is a basic freedom for every American and one on which

our country was founded.

I am a free individual — free to live without the

I am a free individual — free to live without the fear of waking up one morning in prison for expressing an opinion. As an American, it is my right to say what I feel as long as it doesn't injure another.

I have opportunity. Nothing hinders me from making the most of myself. If I let my talents and initiative work together, there is little I can't do. "All men are created equal" in America.

I am an American. I am, along with all of you, a vital part of this great country. It is through us that the world judges our nation.

We are America!

More Than A Minimum

Central recorded this quarter the smallest number of students on the star and honor rolls since the first quarter of the 1946-47 school term. The exact number was 81, which contrasts with the average of 150 com-piled by the senior high division in the last few years. What is the cause of this decrease in high scholastic

An apparent cause would be a lack of interest and a

An apparent cause would be a lack of interest and a lack of initiative to strive for excellence in studies.

Students have become accustomed to merely taking information offered them and feeding it back in the form of rote recitations and test questions and sometimes not even giving their best at this.

They have lost the interest to dig deeper, beyond the obvious, for hidden meanings and go on to form new ideas themselves.

Without striving for scholastic achievement, they

Without striving for scholastic achievement, they will only be pricking the surface of their potential and will be, by no means, meeting the challenge to achieve

Spotlight on Seniors.

"It is thrilling to be able to play

A year book is pictures, and both Champion editor Debbie Climino and school photographer Doug band. Iradshaw do a lot of work getting in the Swing Band and know you make people really happy with your music." it ready.

Debbie feels that working on the yearbook is exciting. "The most exciting thing was when Mrs. Williams told me that I had been chosen editor. Even though putting yearbook together is tough work, I really enjoy it, because I like to know that I'm helping to put to-gether something that will be uniue with the Class of '68."

Debbie is an Usher, a member of the Student Council, chaplain of the Future Teachers of America, and vice-president of the Spanish Club.

She plans to attend Ambassador College in Big Sandy, Texas, and then UT to prepare to teach phychology or sociology.

Doug's predominant activities

enter on music and photography. Playing saxophone Doug is a econd lieutenant in the band and a first lieutenant in the ROTC band. He also plays the saxophone in the Swing Band.

Doug has wanted a career in

Lone Corridors

Lead To Thought

By David White

the columns and walls and were

Suddenly, I thought that my words would have little significance

among the many voices of the past.

the opinion of others like an ap-

parition, I saw what Central had

given me. But what had those

corridors recorded of me?

IN MY OPINION

left. I was alone.

their meanings.

PICTURE THIS—Deciding on shots for the CHAMPION are Doug Bradity school photographer, and Debbie Cimino, CHAMPION editor. Rehearsal Goots Comical

The building seemed empty as I neared the rotunda. Everyone had

It was about sunset, and the only natural light was lingering atop the rotunda's skylight. Here, with no bright lights, no crowd of people to obscure my view, and no shadowy sense of

spirit, I observed the buildings. It was old and worn, but I uncovered something the crowd had seemed to hide. There was an echo-like enchantment as if all the from a table. words ever spoken here clung to

Heroine Earline McGlohon had a bad time in those first few reawaiting a quiet time to recount nearsals of the second act. Just as David Sharp was about to kiss her, Earline "forgot her lines" and jerked her head away to see her playbook. It made a very touching As I silently stood, isolated from

> An unsuspecting Digest reporter, Beth Jeffers, went above and beyond the call of duty in covering

ould Red China Be Admitted | United Nations. The UN seeks In a play such as Tiger House is easy for an actor to be know topic of the Senate debate to be this." off his feet. Although Paul Far given next Thursday, December 7, This is the first of several pro-

assembly, according to Jane grams by the Senate on citizenship Meyer, president. Arguing the affirmative will be also hopes to have speakers on unior David Alonso and sophomore patriotism in late February.

Pam Linville once was so Steve Meyer. The negative side grossed in taking her coat off, will be presented by juniors Barnot well informed on current isbara Button and Patricia Sheetz. sues. Through these programs we forgot she didn't have one or Which is funnier - the pla "Now that China has nuclear can give them a better knowledge the rehearsal blunders? Con

eapons, we must let her into the of the world around them," Jane United Nations so that we can ex- explains. ise our powers of influence to made her to use these weapons or the good of the world," David

Patricia comments, "I definitely e China's getting into the

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ALL SMILES—Posed with Key Club Sweetheart Jackie Camden are, from left,



FOUR MORE—Pictured above arc calendar girls, fro-left, Tammy Ray, Taffi Ray, Jan Rider, and Nancy Aver

Tri-Hi-Y Attends Conference For East Tennessee Clubs

Bearden High School.

Dee Dee Moore, Janis Willicombe, ernment Conference in Nashville." Julie Painter, Rodena Cook, Donna Leading the club's 36 members

hest the Central group for the best the Central group for the veckend activities. The girls will "To create, maintain, and extend "Last year's East Tennessee Stone

Senate To Hold Debate:

By Gwen Frisbee

will leave today for Knoxville School," commented Barbara Butnd the annual East Tennes- ton, Tri-Hi-Y member. "We learned H-Y and Tri-Hi-Y Conference how to plan better money raising and service projects as well as Attending the weekend confer-nce will be Tri-Hi-Y members club at the State Youth and Gov-

Sarris, Linda Westbrook, and are president, Lynn Button; viceudie Pruitt.

Knoxville Tri-Hi-Y members will Martha Hollis; treasurer, Elaine

articipate in discussion sessions throughout the home, school, and on dating and teen-age problems. Also, two dances and a banquet tian character" is the purpose of the club snonsored by Mrs. Deserting the club sponsored by Mrs. Dorothy

Calendar Features Nursery Rhymes

Jackie Camden, Key Club Sweet- | King, June.

Calendar girls and the months Featured in a full-length formal, they represent are Jo Smith, Jan- Jackie will appear on the front uary; Beverly Choate, February; cover of the calendar, while the Jane Meyer, March; Ruth Core, other 12 girls will appear on the

April; Nancy Averitt, May; Janine page with their respective months. Club members and calendar girls

Bible Club To Aid Needy Through Stamp Collection Band the annual key Club

Striving to develop quanties of a trace in the strict part in helping combat (Key Club is planning include members, the Bible Club is currently this major world problem," employees a ponsoring the Vocational Guidrently sponsoring a stamp project phasized Betsi. to aid the hungry throughout the This group also sponsors morn-schedules, and buying needed world, according to Betsi Phillips, ing devotions, which are open to equipment for the school. club president.

Cancelled stamps - air-mail, 8:20 to 8:40 in room 307. Argue On Red China, UN special delivery, foreign, and rare United States stamps - are collected and sent to the Washington-Northern Idaho Council. Later, "Should Red China be Admitted to the United Nations?" is the peace, and China wouldn't promote they are sold to stamp dealers.

> For each dollar the club receives 220 pounds of food is sent to and patriotism. This organization foreign countries.

"We, as a service club, feel a definite need to help others; and "We feel that the students are through this project we can fulfill our Christian stewardship.

Striving to develop qualities of | urge all students to donate stamps

all students each morning from Leading the Key Club this year

and Paul Faulkner, song leader.

Miss Margaret Winslett sponsors this Christian organization

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gin, August; Tammy Ray, September; Jan Rider, October; Sue Navel, November; and Taffi Ray,
popularity, appearance, school
bis month. service, character, and scholarship The girl receiving the most votes becomes Key Club Sweetheart.

> Calendars will be sold by Key before the Christmas holidays, according to Mr. Ed Hoover, club sponsor. Profits from the sale will help finance the annual Key Club and the sweetheart.

Other service projects which the ance Program, printing basketball

8:20 to 8:40 in room 307.

Assisting Betsi are John Overton, Mullican, vice-president; Jay Mavice-president; Glenda Masengil, veety, secretary; Frank Goforth, secretary; David Brown, treasurer; treasurer; and Courtney McInturff,

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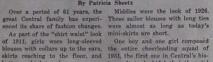
Changing Trends Influence Student Fashions



outton-up high-top shoes. tory. It is doubtful that they did For the boys, high-heeled shoes, much jumping, because the girl button-up high-top shoes.

boys no longer wore knee-pants.

Basketball boys wore "shorts" popular in 1937; and in 1940 boys that came slightly below the knee, stopped wearing suits every day, while basketball girls wore black and the first majorettes wore full,



knickers with leather leggings, and wore a long skirt will a single long coats composed the everyday pleat in the front. Other highlights are included in By 1914 girls' dresses were short Central's fashion-change list: girls enough to reveal their ankles, and started wearing shorts for gym in

bloomers with black stockings that knee-length skirts.

completely covered the legs.

All these items were fashionable The high-collared trend switched in their time. Yet they are a far around 1925. Boys wore stiff ones cry from pierced ears, mini skirts while the girls had lower, softer and monogramed levis. But somenecklines with lace collars with frill day even these will be trends of







While Centralites watch the the play. At one rehearsal, senior play tonight, they will see took Tim Landress' part in a hea only the comedy on the stage. They rending scene in which she had have no idea of the humorous hold Earline's hand and tell events that took place during re- that she loved her.

The audience rarely realizes that recorded sound effects of a v the cast practices for weeks with- storm, Betsi Phillips inadvert out a set. Too bad the prop used put on the side with train so as a fireplace wasn't set up very

Another prop that caused trouble up and run the other way. Wo was the sofa. Lumpy, over-stuffed his shins when someone left cushions tended to slide off, exposing bare springs, just as Tommy Jenkins made a daring leap onto it

the play tonight and find out. The Central Biges

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

In a scene which called for

Tommy Jenkins, upon seei

solemn Hindu, is supposed to

ner is supposed to fake a pun

Vann Cunningham, that wasn't

ways the case. Vann has knot

suitcases in his path.

his head to prove it.

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FREE FOR ALL—Shown during a typical seventh period practice members of Central's wrestling team.

Purple Cagers Face Lions In HIL Contest At 7:30

Central's Cagers will hit the Central's defense will have to hardwood tonight as they battle cope with Riverside's better-than-HIL opponent Red Bank on the average speed.

Tonight's probable starters for the Pounders will be Carson Mc-Cord, center; Rudolph Chambliss, forward; and Larry McGill and forward; and Larry siconi and Wayne Anderson, guards. The sec-end forward position, vacant tem-porarily due to Captain Kin Choate's being ill, has not been an-

The game tonight will be the The game tonight will be the Pounders' second run-in with a league team so far this season—the first being with Howard. As yet, it is still too early to pick a favored team in the HIL since some of the teams have not yet met.

"Red Bank has a real fine ball club this year with most of their starters returning," stated Coach

WADE AUTO PARTS

the region tourney, swamped the Purple five three times — twice in the regular season and once in the Round Robin Tournament.

Of the Central team, McGill states, "This year, I believe the team has more spirit than ever. We ought to go far in the HIL

of the teams have not yet met. "Red Bank has a real fine ball club this year with most of their starters returning," stated Coach Gordon Smith. Last year, Central edged the Lions 49-42 and then crushed them	1/6 1/6 1/9 1/12 1/16 1/16 1/23 1:25	Notre Dame Howard Bradley Kingsport City Tyner City Notre Dame	Central Central There Central There Central There
Next Tuesday, the Pounders will host the Trojans of Riverside in their third HIL test, also at 7:30. The Trojans, like most of the	2/9 2/13 2/16 1:00 2/20	Riverside Kirkman Brainerd Red Bank Howard Tyner	There Central Central There Central
league teams, lost some of their starters from last season but have some capable ball-handlers moving up.	March 4-9- ment	Regional Basketball State Basketball Tone Games: B Team. (Varsity, 7:	Tourna- urnament

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Wrestlers Begin Work For Season

By Wayne McCey Striving to better last year's slate, the Pounder matmen have begun exercises and road work in

preparation for the 1967-68 wrest-

With five starters returning With five starters returning from last year's squad, which placed fourth in the Region 2 Wrestling Tournament, Coaches Jack Archer and E. B. Etter view the up-coming season with en-

Grapplers who saw action on last year's squad are juniors Glenn Rievley, who was runner-up in the Rieviey, who was runner-up in the 98-pound weight division in the tournament; David Ashley, who wrestled in the 127-pound class; and team captain Gary Locke, who and team captain Gary Locke, who placed third in the state in the heavyweight division.

Seniors include David Sharp, who-wrestled in the 138-pound division, and team co-captain Jim Long,

154-pound man.

This marks Central's fifth year of participation in organized wrestling, a sport which is quickly gain-ing prestige in Tennessee high schools and which is sanctioned by the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association.

Contrary to the belief of many, wrestling is not just tangling with wresting is not just tanging with someone your own weight. Many factors besides 'just tangling' are required of a good wrestler," one member of the team states.

"For example, this relatively young sport at Central, which on young sport at Central, which on occasion has been known to pro-duce mathurns and pulled muscles, besides total exhaustion, also re-quires skill, agility, quickness, and determination," he added.



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Sharp Coverage

By David Sharp

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The armory of Central High School is a strange place, full of odd-shaped equipment and various rooms. One of the strangest of these is the supply room, and attending to this strangest of these is the supply room, and attending to this area is a little-known and seldem-appreciated cadet officer—the supply officer is in charge of this room and the supply officer is in charge of this room and the his major duty. When uniforms need to be replaced, he is his major duty. When uniforms need to be replaced, he is the person who is responsible for seeing that they arreplaced promptly and that any lost articles are paid for. When the uniforms were issued at the beginning of the year and havoe reigned in the armory, the supply officer was the one who issued the uniforms and saw that every boy got one and that each uniform was a good fit. Uniform exchanges must also be made through these officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. These are five in all—one in each of the five ROTC officers. They are Larry Curtis, A Company; Lamar Grimes, B Company; Russell Riddle, C Company and Support; David Remembered Mementos

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This year, for the first time in Central's 61 years, as athlete died, following an injury in a football game; and for the first time, a jersey and its number has been retired from the team. Mike Perkins' number 80 will not again be issued to a player as a regular number.

Mike was honored in other ways, too. His jersey was placed in the stands by itself during the Central-Notre Dame football game. It has also been announced that his shee will be bronzed, and one will be displayed in the trophy case for all to see. The other shoe will be presented to his family. Then on November 10, he was honored by WDXB as Playe of the Month for September. Mike's sister, Carol, received the trophy in behalf of his family.

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GROUND-BREAKER—Scooping up a shovelful of dirt at the site of the

County Breaks Ground for Central: To Be Completed for '69-'70 Term

By Barbara Button

An informal ground-breaking cipals from schools with future ceremony for the new Central High Central students.

Sam P. McConnell, superintendent of county schools; Mr. Carlyle El-

ceremony for the new central High Central students.

School was held at the future site on Highway 58 near J. B. Brown Junior High School on December 8 dlumin Association, and Student Council. School and local news.

Attending the ceremony were Dr. sonnel were on hand to cover the

Actual construction began Deliott, assistant superintendent; Mr. cember 11. The T. U. Parks Com-Chester L. Frost, county judge; Mr. whose bid was accepted, is W. Hobart Millsaps, Central High building the school for about two principal; the County Council and and a half million dollars, accordthe Board of Education; and prin- ing to Principal Millsaps.

National Honor Society Taps 24 Seniors into Membership

By Wayne McCoy

Twenty-four seniors were inducted into Central's Annie Mae Shelton Chapter of the National Honor Society in a tapping ceremony on December 8.

The scholars include Elaine Barger, David Brown, Anna Chapman, Beverly Choate, Peggy Commander, Gary Fischer, Arlene Fuson, Almeda Gossett, Sheila Harmon, Paula Hart, Martha Hollis, Susan Huddlestun.

Bob Johnson, Mike McCoy, Doug McVey, Jane Massey, Sandra Morris, John Overton, Joyce Parson, Betsi Phillips, Debbie Potts, Gary Reynolds, Lynda Steinburg, and David Wood.

The choosing of new members is by secret ballot of the present Honor Society members, who choose and rate the qualified seniors from a list of those with a B average and in the upper third of the class The students are then voted on by the faculty. A committee made up of Mrs. Louise Caudle, Dr. Edward Owens, Mr. W. Hobart Millsaps, Miss Mildred Major, Mrs. Reba Fults, and Mrs. Flora Ware makes the final decision.

A high scholastic record and conmembers must also exemplify the scholarship, leadership, and service.

Although the new school will not contain the half-million dollar auditorium originally planned, this facility wiil be added as soon as Until then, assemblies will be held in the commons area or in the gymnasium.

If the building construction re mains on schedule, the school will be completed for the 1969-70 school

The decision to construct a new Central was first made when the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools threatened the 60-year old school with a loss of accreditation unless major repairs were made on the old building or a new

Since the warning in April, 1964, architects, the Board of Education, faculty members, alumni, PTA representatives, and the University Tennessee School Planning Laboratory have worked co-operatively in ascertaining the needs and in formulating the final plans for a new Central High School.

Glee Club Presents Cantata Today; Relates Christmas Story at 2 P.M. Presenting its annual Christmas and bass Paul Faulkner, "Then accompany the soloists and the

usical today at 2 o'clock, Cen- Herod when he had come," Varsity Glee Club, directed by Mr. K. W. John, will sing an Alexander Matthews' cantata entitled "The Story of Christmas," From the 16 students who tried out for solo parts, eight will be featured in the program, along with a quartet.

The soloists chose the selections which they will present. Senior oloists and their selections are soprane Betsi Phillips, "The angel Gabriel was sent from God"; soprano Jo Smith, "And the angel id unto them glory to God in the soprano Elaine Stoner, "For the Lord hath comforted His

Tener Tommy Jenkins, "And it ame to pass, when the angels were gone away" and "And when they were come into the house"; baritone David Wood, "Behold, there come three wise men from the East";

Schedule of Events

hristmas Holidays.

December 21 - January 2 (School re-opens January 3) Round Robin Tournament

December 28, 29, 30

ster Examinations January 24-25

a-Service Day......January 26 Report Cards January 29 Note: All library books must be ed before the holidays be-

Junior soloists and their selec-Junior soloists and their serec-tions are Susan Hayes, soprano, "O lovely voices of the sky"; alto Linda Griffith, "Sleep, Holy Babe! In slumber lie"; and Phillip Stan-cil, tenor, "And when they had heard the King."

The quartet is composed of sen iors Ruth Lee, alto, and Jo Smith, junior Terry Toole, tenor, and baskets on the stage from each sophomore Steve Creswell, bass. homeroom, will be featured in the Mike Lees and Steve Walker will afternoon assembly

In addition to the selections by

the soloists and quartet, the chorus will sing ten numbers. "This is one of the most diffi-cult Christmas cantatas," Mr. John comments. "However, I think they'll

handle it in good style." The program, to be accented by the Student Council's array of food

duct grades of no less than A are the qualifications of those considered for membership. Prospective society's standards of character,

Council Sponsors Food Basket Drive

tional project at Central, have been filled and decorated by the homerooms, according to Miss Mildred Major, sponsor of the Student

Each homeroom was responsible for filling at least one basket for the drive which began December 4. Today, the baskets will be collected and displayed on the stage during the annual Christmas program presented by the Varsity Glee Club.

Following the program, the baskets will be delivered to needy families by members of the faculty and council, according to Jay Maveety, Student Council president, Each year the council also shows appreciation to the janitors by giving them food baskets.

"I think this is one of the most worthwhile projects that the Stu-dent Council has," commented Jay,

The homeroom filling the greatest number of baskets will be awarded five dollars.



FOOD FOR NEEDY—Adding food and finishing touches to the food basic. in Miss Roberts' homeroom are Brenda Wimpee. Diane Cross, and Brenda

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ROTC Dance January 25 At Armory

Tickets for the annual Military Ball will go on sale January 3 in the ROTC Department, according to Sergeant Major Robert L. Hall, Senior Army Instructor.

Admission at 50 cents per couple will be charged for the dance, which will be held from 8-11:30 p.m. on January 25 at the National Guard Armory on Holtzclaw Avenue. Highlighting the evening will be the crowning of the Military Queen, who will be chosen by the cadets from the 17 military sponsors.

The voting will be held in early January after students return from Christmas holidays, said Sergeant Hall.

He stated that proper dress for cadets will be winter uniforms worn with white shirts and black fourin-hand ties. Girls are to wear after-five attire.

Cadets who wish to bring dates from other area secondary schools must present a form signed by the students' principal. These question aires are available in the school

Cadet Colonel Mike McCoy and his sponsor, Jackie Camden, are in charge of all arrangements. Music for the dance will be provided by a local group.

Sergeant Hall stated that cadets are to buy no flowers for their

Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served at the dance, which will be chaperoned by

SANTA'S HELPERS-Dressing dolls to send overseas

assembly on November 22.

ative charges which create static,

Mr. Copp asked junior Cheryl Reed

to assist him. When Cheryl put her

hand on a generator, 300,000 volts

Four other students-Sid Hearn,

An explanation of atomic fission

was given with an actual explosion

to enliven the program. Each of

several props on the stage was used

Jim Long, Jim Mullican, and How-

ard Thomas-also aided the scien-

tist during the program.

projects are Regina Lewis, Kathy Moss, and Starlena Baile

Oak Ridge Scientist Talks

On Atom's Peaceful Uses

Spotlight on Seniors.

volving music, are Betsi Phillips solos in the Glee Club Christmas and Paul Faulkner. were in the cast of the musicals of

cated sound effects. They both have program today.

Also along musical lines, Paul members of the Varsity Glee Club plays the guitar and sings folk of which Paul is president. They songs. He played violin for four years in the string ensemble at school. Betsi considers singing and the last two years. Paul was a school. Betsi considers singing and the member of the senior play cast, playing the piano as her hobbies.



TREE-TRIMMING-Betsi Phillips and Paul Faulkner reflect the yuletide spirit

Shaken Follower Writes 'Dear Santa' Wishes By Barbara Button

For the last ten years, since I was six, I have written to you each Christmas (despite rumors of your demise) and offered suggestions about my presents. You obviously have been ignoring them because during this time I have received none of the requested gifts, only lame substitutes. Therefore, I feel it is my duty to bring this to your attention.

For instance, last year I requested a medium-sized, green pet alligator to keep my bathtub spotless and to serve as an ironing board. Did I get my wish or even something to take its place? No, instead you brought clothes! Ugh!! They IN MY OPINION weren't even permanent pressed. I

had to iron them myself.

I remember the year when my

dream was to be an astronaut; nat-

urally I listed a space capsule as my first preference. But what did

you bring me? A learn-to-knit kit.

Some of my friends think you're

old-fashioned, and they rate Charlie

Brown and Granny Goodwitch their

umber one heroes. But even

though it seems you have failed me

in past years, I want you to know

you're still tops on my list; so

All I ask of you this year is to

send me what I really want most-

a live band to play at my Christ-

mas party. It doesn't matter how

good they are; I'd be satisfied with

the Dave Clark Five. Just don't

Before I end this letter, I must

warn you of one difficulty. Since

last year the chimney on my house

send me a guitar pick instead.

watch your step.

By David White

every year. It is really amazing to what length some companies will go in sales promotions.

Many sales departments strive to be first with their Christmas displays. An unidentified sales manager remarks, "We're going to beat the pumpkin this year; I want to see some Santa Halloween costumes." Another competing com pany's campaign is, "Beginning with the Santa swimsuit, we're going to corner the market this year.'

man who has everything - an he also has an ivory tooth pick, fear not, for most stores carry

Sales slogans fill the Christmas air. Some of the following are typ-Santa Drops In; and last, Some Of The Most Regular Fliers Fly P. S. I'll leave some fruitcake and United ... Ves. Mr. Claus We. Have Flights To Over 1,000 Cities some hay on the roof for the

with children are other a of Betsi's. For the last two mers she has worked with children in the Word of Life in New York. She also spend day afternoons helping with dren for Christ.

Staff, president of the Bible and a member of the Masou the Word of Life youth group

Paul is song leader of the Club and treasurer of the Club, He is a member of Wor

force in my life is Jesus Christ. living through me is like His ing my whole life for me.

effects my life the most is my fa

Rotunda reflections

By Doug McVey

Central's Spanish Club will be selling CHS pins to raise for for its sixtieth anniversary celeb tion to be held next April, acco ing to Miss Mary Ellen R

The former Miss Maxine Benz English teacher and Champion viser, married Mr. Morris Will on November 10 at her sist

Major William S. Kelly, for head of the ROTC department Central, was involved in the fe day battle on Hill 810 at Dak South Viet Nam. He is one of Chattanooga officers to receive special salute from the local Arm Forces committee.

. . . Seniors Barbara Hinchey Ruth Lee received five dollars e for their record sale of ser

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Cenior Home Economics Girls Compete in Homemaker Test

nemaker of Tomor- high school teachers, examir they took the Betty homemaking knowledge and aptimaker Test on De- tude," stated Mrs. Shropshire. according to Mrs. Janie Betty Crocker All - America head of the home Homemaker of Tomorrow and sec-

ond, third, and fourth place winner naking the highest score will be chosen from all the state will be named Central's Homemakers by the Science Re of Tomorrow, subject search Association of Chicago, Sewal of Principal W. Ho- lection is on the basis of the regns. She will then receive | ular examination, personal oband become eligible for tion, and interviews with the ee Homemaker compe- candidates.

Scholarship awards for this con naker test, designed test range from \$500 to \$5,000. te home economics as a Last year's school award winn enhance the dignity and in this competition, instituted by the American home, to General Mills Incorporated, wa terest in homemaking, Mary Alice Willhoit

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dlestun, and Debbie Senterfit.

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Crowning of Royal Couple Highlights Holiday Prom

ckie Camden and Mike McCoy reigned as king and the annual Student Council Christmas Prom tht at the Hamilton County Park Pavilion.

ted by the Student Council on December 6, the ouple was chosen from a list of 25 nominees. Last he king and queen were selected by the students

Maveety, Student Council president, commented, "I had every that the prom would be the success that it was, judging response of the Homecoming dance." were explained with a "hair-raising of energy. Assisting Jay in preparations for the dance were Susan Brock, Janet dance were susan Brock, Jane

ald \$500 Profit Sue Navel, Rodena Cook, Susan Huddlestun, Nancy Averitt, Jackie

ush sales cleared a and Chris Keefe on the decorations er \$500, announces Miss Morgan and Miss Marco-chairmen of the sale. ed of Joyce Parson, Ginger Nye,

nglish class, were reunior class officers | Providing the music for the event r distributors.

s feel that this year's a rewarding one. MELLO KREME contacts, and the





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Clubs Spread 'Holiday Happiness'

By Patricia Sheetz ears a smile-it's Christmas At Central, this is a time for something for someone else See Editorial

During the traditional ceremony Hanging of the Greens, members of the Y-Teens decorate the halls, eception room, and dorm of the YWCA and present a program for

Members of the Tri-Hi-Y find time to bring cheer to the elderly people of the Alexian Brothers

Central's Bible Club celebrates Christmas in still another way. It providing a Chinese-English Bible for Central's Formosan dent to aid him in learning English.

Dress Dolls The FH and FBLA are doing

mething special for children Each FH member is dressing four dolls for the Marine's Toys for

The FTA has found another Largin, John Kelle, Martha Hollis, Atomic Energy Commission present canals and atomic heat to run ships piness. Members are collecting old Sue Navel, Rodena Cook, Susan ed This Atomic World to a special by steam, killing bacteria in food eyeglasses for Alpha XI of Delta with radiation, and generating Kappa Gamma, an honorary teachthen showed its composition and varied uses, one being a fuel. He

Student Council food baskets proconstruction by using stage props. related that there are 68 atomic-vide an opportunity for all students to participate in helping others. whose record for submersion is Through this traditional project, 62 days. He also added that scien- homerooms contribute food for the tists are working on a submarine needy; and Council members diswhich can remain submerged for tribute the baskets following the special Christmas program.

of static electricity passed through her body, causing her hair to stand the Science Department, arranged the program.

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Peaceful uses of atomic energy to illustrate a different property Tots Campaign, while FBLA girls experiment" and an "atomic cock- The peaceful uses of atomic ener- tributed to the needy.

The Ohio State University graduate first described an atom as "the tiniest building block," and standard that atomic energy has many the underprivileged.

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life. This gitt of love is the meaning of Christians. We should give freely for just the joy of giving. Giving is an appropriate example of unselfishness and concern to bring a bit of pleasure to others. The greatest gift we could give anyone is a part of ourselves. Whether in our time or our effort, secrificing our wants for the wants of others should be the Christians spirit. Senior Play . . . 'Tiger House' Success By Lynn Button

Christmas Is Giving!

It is fitting that today at Central we celebrate Christ-

mas by distributing food baskets to the needy. Some years ago, this Central tradition replaced class and group parties and the exchange of gifts. Christmas at Central means giving, part of a tradition begun long ago.

Almost 2,000 years ago in a small Rome-conquered country in the Middle East, a miracle took place. Since the beginning of time, it has been necessary to make sacrifices to God for the pardoning of disobedience to His laws. But this changed here. God sent His Son, Savior of mankind, to give the supreme gift, His life, to pardon all sin. Since then, this is the gift Christians have been commenced that the state of the s

have been commemorating by the giving of themselves

Over the centuries traditions have cropped up, de-picting certain aspects of the first Christmas. The

Christmas tree, being an evergreen, is a symbol of the everlasting life brought us by the Savior. Down through the years it has collected various ornaments. It is appropriate.

propriate to see a star or an angel atop the Christmas tree as was above the stable at the birth of Christ.

the traditional giving of gifts in memory of that gift God gave us, His Son, through whom we have eternal life. This gift of love is the meaning of Christmas. We

But the most outstanding symbolic observation is

night, December 1, the cast of the senior play gave sighs of relief and felt pride in their work and a peculiar twist in their hearts in having ended weeks of work.

enthusiastic applause and laughter the audience gave the players showed that they were enjoying every scene. Members of the cast and production staff had worked and reworked each detail of stage design and cues in an attempt to make the production of Tiger House excep-

In the play Earline McGlohon didn't just "play" Erma Lowrie; she "lived" her part on the stage. Each of the other characters seemed to fill their parts

The audince especially watched Tommy Jenkins (Oswald) as he flew through the bookcase in his underwear, scattered his tried to insult Tim Landers with in the picture over the mantle.

As the curtain closed Friday "The caustic remarks of the ig-

norant should be ignored." Ruth Lee stole several scenes with her portrayel of tipsy Aunt Sophia. From the rollers in her silvered hair to her loose "uppers," Ruth played the part con-

Production of the play would not have been possible without Mrs. Mildred Sanders, the director, who is to be commended for her tireless work on Tiger

play was the production staff, headed by Mr. Hillman Mayfield. This staff is to be commended for the set, which was difficult to construct because of the secret panels and openings. seemed realistic as well as well-constructed. Members of the staff worked long hours trying to get the design completed

dress rehearsal. The lighting and sound effects moved smoothly from the thunder of a storm to the red lamp Christmas Bells Ring Up Sales

that is, comes earlier and earlier

Most outlandish of the Christmas gimmicks is the gift ad for the ivory tooth pick. If it happens that electric ties in assorted colors.

ical: Santa's Number One Helper Good Santa's Give Green Stamps Have a Bottle On Hand In Case

has been rebuilt to a smaller size. When you bring in the band, please wrap them up in blankets so their tuxedos won't get dirty. See you next week, Ardent Fan of Santa Claus

and the Elves eggnog on the hearth for you and

Betsi is chaplain of the

Next fall, Betsi will be ing Tennessee Temple to m elementary education or voice wants to major in music studies there. He hopes choral director in high sch

Betsi says, "The most in

Paul believes, "The thing

oothbrush Sales

fter seven weeks, the Camden, Taffi Ray, Elaine Stoner,

m this sale are used not Jane Ashmore, Elaine Stoner, Taffi e the Junior-Senior Ray, and Jackie Camden. o to help pay for the Refreshments were provided by off. This is the third Debbie Senterfit, Debbie Phillips, classes have pre- Ruth Lee, Ruth Core, Martha Holfor a mural to be lis, Jane Ashmore, Elaine Stoner, new Central High. Chris Keefe, and Ginger Nye. In charge of tickets and noon expenses are paid breaks were Ricky McDaniel,

to Miss Morgan, 23 George Love, Jane Meyer, Sue s, one in each junior Navel, Sharon Neal, Susan Hudthe distribution of Janine King, Student Council and the collection of program chairman, composed the heir respective classes, date list.

was Mr. Morris Bales, band ors of the junior and





Gridmen On All-Star Rolls

Central's star end, Mike Perkins, had he lived," stated Charles H. pions, held December 1 at Knoxes been posthumously awarded a Smith Jr., publisher and president
wille's Senators Club, and were
the on the third annual Knoxof The Journal. "and we feel now weekend guests of The Journal." Central's star end, Mike Perkins, had be lived," stated Charles H. has been posthumously awarded a Smith Jr., publisher and president berth on the third annual Knox- of The Journal, "and we feel now ville Journal All-State football team, according to Russ Bebb, team,"

Beath of the Company of the Company

The all-state plaque to Perkins, michael, was also chosen for the who died October I of injuries received in a football game, will be presented to Central at a later date in an assembly program.

"We felt that young Mik Perkstates fins was a clich to make our team attended the Banquet of Cham,

Brainerd's ace end, David Car-michael, was also chosen for the

weekend guests of The Journal.
The 27 players are the standouts
of an original list of nearly 100
players who were nominated for
the team early in the fall. The
team is a culmination of several
weeks of work by members of the
Journal Sports Department, who watched players in action, scanned game reports, and talked with coaches and sportswriters from across the state.

Perkins was also honored as WDXB's Best Athlete of the Month for September. The award was presented to his family.

Besides Perkins, Central has Besides Perkins, Central has placed six other gridiron stand-outs on special teams this year. Gary Locke, 240-pound tackle, has been named to the Times All-City and the All-HIL football squad.

Other players honored include fullback Gary Hamrick and guard Jim Long, Times All-City; and end Bill Ridge, tackle Tim Thornhill, Hamrick, and halfback Mike Mc-Coy, All-HIL

The All-State, All-City, and All-HIL team members were chosen because of their agressiveness on the field and their attitude towards the game of football.

Vie For Top Place

two months of volleyball play.

boys' gym class also entered

stated.

"Volleyball gives the girls as well

The captains of each team were

some included the Fearless Fifteen

Mrs. Hammack, Mrs. Virginia Cox,

also a gym teacher, and members of the Gym Staff.

"This sport gives each girl a chance to participate in at least one

activity in the gym class since all girls are on teams," Mrs. Ham-mack added.

All the games were refereed by

and Cecil's Dirty Dozen.

In Gym Tourney For the last three weeks the



ALL STARS-From left are Mike McCoy, Bill Ridge, Gary Hamrick, Jim Long, Gary Locke, and Tim Thornhill. Mike Perkins, in insert, was named all-state posthumously.

Purples Clash With Irish In Home Tilt January 2

battle the Purple quintet in an HIL AA contest at 7:30 p.m. This will be the fourth meeting

of these two teams in less than a year. Notre Dame defeated the Pounders 66-40 and 43-35 in last year's season, while Central stopped the Irish 54-36 in the Round Robin

With the Pounders out to better last year's season, they started well as they defeated Kirkman's Golden Hawks by the score 64-52 in their opening game in the Kirkman gym.

Pacing the Pounders were juniors Lynn Carr with 20 points and Larry McGill with 15. The Pounders, who were behind at the end of the first period 16-14, overcame the Kirkman lead and outscored the Hawks 20-12 in the second period. From then on the Pounders stayed

In the Red Bank game, the Pur-ple five, paced by senior Wayne Anderson and Carr, defeated the

Lions on the opponent's floor.

This was the first game for forward Kin Choate and center Caron McCord. Choate, who was hos

On January 2 Notre Dame's Irish | pitalized with hepatitis, missed the will invade the Central gym as they | Kirkman game but scored four Kirkman game but scored four points against Red Bank. McCord, who suffered a knee injury and also missed the Kirkman game, collected nine points against the

> The probable starting line-up for the Notre Dame game will be Choate, forward; McCord, center; McGill, guard; Rudolph Chambliss, forward; and either Anderson or Gary Brooks, guard.

> The cagers lost their third game to a quick Riverside team who dropped them 60-34. McCord lead the Central club with 11 points and Anderson scored eight, while Charles Sloan netted 13 for the Trojans and Richard Fuqua had 11. The leading scorers for the Pounders after their third contest are Carr with 36, Anderson with 35, McGill with 34, and McCord

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UP AND OVER-Players on one of Mrs. Cox's third period volleyball teambattle to return the serve.



Sharp Coverage

By David Sharp

Grapplers

As the gridiron uniforms are packed away for the season, football players find other activities to occupy their seventh period.

Many players, such as Jim Long and Gary Locke use

this time to concentrate on another stamina — wrestling.
Then there are some underclassmen such as Reuben Justice, Tim Thornhill, and Rick Holder who want to stay in shape for football and to help the school's athletic competition by participating in a sport like wrestling.
And then there are some who are too small to play football—David Ashley, Glenn Rievely, Garry Dake, and Tommy Sedman, for instance — who are athletic and want to participations.

girls' gym classes have been in-volved in a double elimination volleyball tournament, culminating The teams in each period competed against each other. During second period Coach Stan Farmer's

4 S's and a W

Wrestling is not just a game of strength and weight although these do play a large part in a winning season, it is also a game of speed, skill, and condition.

as the boys a chance to participate in intramural sports," Mrs. Mar-garet Hammack, gym teacher, as also a game of speed, sain, and conductor.

A wrestler oftentimes faces a man as strong as he is.

How does he manage to hold him to the mat? There are certain techniques that a wrestler must learn — movements that are just as important as knowing whom to block or where to run in a football game. selected by their classes, and the captains in turn selected their teams. Each team had a name;

Wrestling is an individual sport; a wrestler can not make a mistake and have other members of the team cover-up his blunder. One mistake can cost the team a match, or it can

Strength, speed, weight, skill, and shape are the four S's and a W that are the key to wrestling success.

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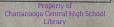


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ATIBNION! — With chins up and eyes to the front, the military queen candidates, from left, are Martha Hollis, Jane Ray, Sue Navel, and Jackie Camden.

Frank Goforth, Jimmy Mullican Vie For National Engineers Scholarships

By Barbara Button

Applicants for the seven scholar-

ships given each year are inter-

viewed and judged on their mathe-

matic achievement, leadership, school service, professional atti-

Frank's school activities include

Club president, Key Club treasurer,

tude, and personal appearance.

rs, have been chosen from Technology.

Jimmy w ooo scholarships award- tional ocean engineering scholarship National Society of

Frank is competing for the Arhling Scholarship in engi-If he wins the national will use the funds to at-

Office Releases First Semester Exam Schedule

first semester examination for January 24 and 25 n announced by Principal art Millsaps. ednesday, January 24

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....10:30-12:00 1:30-3:00 Thursday, January 25 and fifth periods 8:45-10:1510:30-12:00

.... 12:00-1:30

are qualified for exempsemester examinations following provisions: A a maximum of four ex-ences; B, three absences; absences; and D, one

d absence will constiforfeiture of exemptions. service absences do not inst exemptions.

classes will be conducted muary 29, when students t to receive their grades. past, students will be early from seventh perport to homeroom to turn

Front Geforth and Jimmy Mulli- tend the Massachusetts Institute of and National Honor Society, and captain in the ROTC battalion. Jimmy who hopes to win a na-

Jimmy serves as Intercontinental Club president, Key Club vice-president, Math Club parliamentarsponsored by the Ramsey Company, is Tennessee's finalist for the award. He plans to attend the Uniian, and a member of the Student Council, National Honor Society, and football team. versity of North Carolina or Georgia Tech.

Frank has won the state mathematics contest twice and is a Merit Scholarship semi-finalist; Jimmy has also placed high in the state mathematics contests. Both boys have attended summer programs sponsored by the National Science Foundation. Frank studied at Rolbeing senior class marshal, Math lins College in Florida in 1966, and Jimmy worked at the University of a member of the Student Council North Carolina in 1967.

Counselors Advise Students To Apply for College Aid Now

By Gwen Frisbee

"Any student who needs financial | aid to attend college next year should complete his applications for aid immediately," emphasizes Mrs. Mirvine Okrasinski.

Financial need for students constitutes the most prevalent reason for a college scholarship award, according to Mrs. Okrasinski.

"Most colleges choose the recipient of their funds in early spring. Any further delay could cancel a student's eligibility for college," she stated.

According to Mr. James Wood, assistant guidance counselor, "There are several ways in which a student can be helped through college without a financial drain on his parents.

"These include various types of scholarships, government supported loan and grant programs, and work-study programs," he explained.

has a student loan designed to help needy students pay their college tuition and other necessary fees, Mr. Wood commented. The loan has an interest charge of three per cent. Repayment begins one year after college studies have been com-

"Many industrial and business scholarships are available to students who will just take the time to write various companies to find out about them," remarked Mr.

"Many colleges participate in a work-study program, which enables the participating student to work for 15 hours per week while in school and 40 hours per week when out of school, at a rate of \$1.25 an hour," he added.

More information about college scholarships and financial aid can be obtained in Rhepguiylance office. Chattanooga Central High School

Cadets Elect Five Girls As Candidates for Queen Of Annual Military Ball

By Tommy Mathis

Hollis, Jane Meyer, Sue Navel, and Tami Ray have been chosen as military queen candidates, announces Sergeant/Major Robert Hall, Senior Army Instructor.

Escorting the candidates will be the cadet officers whom the girls sponsor. They are Colonel Mike McCoy, Captain Frank Goforth, Captain Eddie Sheley, Captain David Sharp, and Captain Kin Choate, respectively.

ROTC cadets elected the five candidates from the seventeen mil-itary sponsors on January 3. Final elections for military queen were held this week, according to Sergeant Hall. The queen will be crowned at the Military Ball in the National Guard Armory, Janu-

Mike, Jackie, Lieutenant Colonel James Brackett, and his sponsor, Elaine Barger, are in charge of all arrangements.

David Sharp and sponsor Sue Navel head the decorations committee; Captain Ricky Taber and give our full support."

Seniors Jackie Camden, Martha | sponsor Elaine Stoner are in charge of entertainment; and Captain David Brown and sponsor Janice Stout head the refreshment committee.

Captain Bill Mathis and sponsor Glenda Goins are in charge of tickets, and Major Jay Maveety and sponsor Jan Rider are in charge of publicity. Mr. Morris Bales will provide the music.

Sergeant Hall said the proper cadet dress for the affair will be winter uniforms worn with white shirts and black four-in-hand ties. Girls should wear after-five attire. No flowers are to be worn.

Tickets for the dance, which will last from 8-11:30 p.m., are 50 cents per couple. Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served.

"In the past, the military ad-"in the past, the mintary survisers have done most of the work.

This year it will be organized by the officers," stated Mike.

"Since this is the only military

dance during the year, the Military Department feels that we should

The East team will meet the

West All-Stars in the TSSAA-

sponsored game in Cookeville on

Among their other achievements,

Kin is captain of the Central bas-

ketball squad; and Mike, halfback and captain of the Central grid

squad, was named to the All-HIL

football team. Mike has also ac

cepted a grant-in-aid scholarship to the University of Georgia.

At the All-Sports Banquet, more

Kin Choate, Mike McCov Receive Athletic Honors

By Jake Arbes

July 26.

Central seniors Kin Choate and | chosen by the selection committee Mike McCoy have won local and which is responsible for choosing regional recognition for their ath- the 30 member team. tic achievements.

Kin was named Chattanooga's top baseball player at the Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce's fifth annual All-Sports Banquet held at the Patten Hotel, December 13.

Mike has been awarded a posi-tion on the East All-Star football team released December 13 by the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association

Kin, Central's ace hurler, led the baseball team to second place in the state, hit .433, slammed eight home runs, pitched a no-hitter, and than 60 nominees representing 15

finished the high school season with sports, coaches, teams, sportsmen a 13-1 won-lost record. and contributing organizations vied Mike was one of eight backs for the trophies in 19 categorie



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From The Editor's Desk . . .

Tradition Ends, Begins

In two years a new Central High School will be standing on a hill overlooking Highway 58 in Harrison, and many changes will have taken place. Probably the most profound change will be made by the faculty and students, for they must alter their routines and cur-riculum to make use of the opportunities offered by the new circular structure.

new circular structure.

As a beginning for the long-awaited, carefully planned project, approximately 75 people watched the hill-top groundbreaking ceremony December 6. There were different feelings about the culmination of years of work and the actual beginning of the construction. The architects saw it as the materialization of the light of the light

ideas they had put together on paper. Members of the school board viewed it as a tremendous addition to an accomplishment for the Hamilton County Department of accomplishment for the Hammion county Department of Education. The PTA representatives watched with pride, aware that students and community were getting a bet-ter facility. The faculty and students saw it as the reali-zation of many hopes and as a great challenge in teach-

ing and learning.

Although these are only some of the feelings which Although these are only some of the feelings which were reflected on the faces of those present, each person had a common adness in knowing that in two years part of Central's sixty-four years of tradition will be

broken.

But with this knowledge also comes excitement. This old building with its creaking floors and crumbling plaster is obsolete. The new Central High will be a showplace er is opposite. An new Central High win be a snowpace with modern facilities and more serviceable space. It will be a building to which the faculty and the community can point with pride. And much of the tradition will remain—the spirit, loyalty, and honor.

The ground-breaking ceremony was the beginning of the end for the old building; but Central High is not of the end for the out bullening; but Central High is not just a building—it is the alumni, patrons, faculty, and students. The new Central High will be as much a part of the old as we make it, for it is up to us to make sure that Central continues to be the best in all phases of

An Athlete's Example

Central has been blessed with a host of athletes who meet and exceed the challenge and qualifications of outstanding sportsmen. It is they who spearhead the un-

ceasing Central spirit.

Pounder baseball hurler Kin Choate recently ex-Pounder baseball hurler Kin Cheate recently exemplified the qualities of an athlete by being named top baseballer of the year at the annual Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce All-Sports Banquet. Obtaining recent recognition in the football world, Gary Locke listed on the All-City and All-HIL teams; Central's grid captain, Mike McCoy, earned a position on the ALL-HIL and All-East teams; Gary Hamrick ranked on the All-City team; and Tim Thornbill and Bill Ridge placed on the All-HIL. Centralites were deeply touched when the late Mike Perkins was appointed to the All-State team after losing his life battling for his goal in the sports world. Admittedly, scholarship is the main purpose of a high school or any institution of learning. Students have as their primary objective obtaining the knowledge available to them through textbooks and teacher experience.

able to them through textbooks and teacher experience. Still, for the development of the complete individual, it is essential that the physical training not be neglected.

School athletes develop their strengths in training

to pit their skills against closely matched competitors. Yet it takes more than physical strength to be an athlete; it takes the strength to accept the agony of defeat. It takes the power to overcome or to accept the pitfalls which accompany any athletic contest. Clearly, skill and physical qualifications are essential and in no way should be degraded; but without the qualities of sportsmanship, these characteristics would be useless.

It is these athletes who demonstrate the quality of sportsmanship to other students. It is their example of good sportsmanship which makes other students aware of correct sports behavior.



Spotlight on Seniors.

While many consider sports to be strictly extracurricular, others think it is an essential part of education, teaching young people to work together and developing physical prowess, Joyce Parson and Kin Choate are two seniors who

are vitally interested in sports. Joyce's interest in sports stems from being in a family with three older brothers. "With three boys in the family, I was trying to keep up with them, so I played football with them. I like the competition. Sports brings out what a person is really like."

She is a member of Central's girls, volleyball team, the FBLA.
Office Force, and the Tri-Hi-Y. In
the Senate, she is social chairman and is an executive member of the Student Council.

A girls' basketball team is one of Joyce's dreams for Central. "Girls need to know they are part of the school as much as the boys. Boys know they can try out for basketball, but girls can only try out for volleyball."

Joyce wants to go to Middle Tennessee State University to major in physical education in order to teach in high school,

Kin is captain of the basketball team and a member of the baseball team. He was named Baseball Player of the Year in Chattanooga by the Chamber of Commerce. He is vice-president of the senior class, vice-president of the C Club, huddle group leader of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at Central,



TWO POINTS—Perfecting a new basketball strategy, guaranteed to cline victories, are Kin Choate and Joyce Parson.

Council and a member of the Key IN MY OPINION

Kin likes sports because "well, you can't get into trouble. Sports levelop the body and are just plain

"I think the girls should have a basketball team because it would be good for the school spirit, I think even the boys would support it."

Although undecided about college, Kin wants to major in drafting so that he may go into archi-

Resolvers Make Promises To Improve Themselves Royce Howell, junior: I'm going

Resolutions are made and broken their share of broken resolutions and stop jumping to conclusions. and those that are kept. Elaine Barger, senior: I resolve

that I will not grow another inch Jake Arbes, junior: I resolve to

start doing everything I said I was going to do last year. Cindy Cooper, senior: I resolve to get all of my homework in on time

for Miss Major's English class. Julia Massey, sophomore: I re-

solve not to trip any more referees on the basketball court.

Rodena Cook, junior: I resolve to lose 15 pounds in the coming year. Jay Mayeety, senior: I resolve to make my '58 Edsel famous because nobody knows what a great and marvelous car it is.

Paula Hart, senior: I resolve to learn how to read my shorthand

Beth Jeffers, junior: I resolve not to bat my eyes at more than three

boys a day. Lenita Queen, senior: I resolve

to break all of my New Year's resolutions within two weeks. Ginger Nye, junior: I resolve to

do all my shorthand and all my reading for Miss Shearer everyday. Cheri Moss, junior: I resolve to get my homework at least once or

Becky Rievley, junior: I make a resolution not to make any more resolutions because I break all I

Linda Griffin, junior: I am going to let my hair grow out for my

Diane Cross, senior: I resolve not to sleep late and come to school at least during the dog food com-looking like Haggie Maggie. at least during the dog food com-mercials.

each year; and Centralites have to try to be more sure of myself

Nancy Averitt, senior: I resolve to keep a copy of my combination in my pocketbook so I won't forget it again.

Harold Tyber, junior: I resolve not to take more than four honor courses in the same year.

Joyce Smith, sophomore: I re-solve to try to catch a boy friend. Becky Evans, senior: I resolve up." to make the star roll again.

Janice Myhan, sophomore: I resolve, as a "newspaper boy," to please all my customers by getting their papers on the porch in stead of in the bushes.

Sanda Barnes, junior: I resolve to keep my cool and to pass English and American history in the

Lynn Button, senior: I plan to go on a bread diet-that is, to eat no bread except at breakfast, lunch

Becky Braddock, sophomore: I resolve to stop saying, "Bonjour, ademoiselle" to my Spanish

Becky Burns, sophomore: I reolve to listen instead of gossip. Amy Hackney, junior: I resolve to stop having lunch with a Nutty Buddy everyday.

Brenda Isbell, senior: I resolve not to jump off the rotunda because of term paper depression. Julia Painter, junior: I resolve to stop playing basketball with

Mrs. Cox's new volleyball. Marilyn Underwood, junior: I re solve to try to get my homework-

Fail or Cheat. Ouit or Endure? By David White

fooled around last night and d study for the test.

"He's passing out the n What am I going to do? Fa Wait, that bright girl is si ncross the aisle. Nobody will

I'm sure many people have b faced with similar circumsta What would you do? Chances no one would have known th except you. The girl might not he thought of it as stealing had s known your situation. but would have. A teacher I used to know g

me one of the best reasons for cheating or at least as good any: "When you admit anoth work is better than what you do if you made the effort, it's t to stop worrying about it and quit because you've already

The Central Bines

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FIRST IN FASHION

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Sophomore Leads Club n JA Sales Barbara Button Jimmy Barger, a Junior Achievement's my, has joined the ales Club after only in the program, acat Jimmy had turned the sale of a "trouble

TRADITIONAL SYMBOL—Decorating Central's first Chrism are Bible Club members Barbara Hinchey and Betsi Phillip

Bible Club's Chrismon Tree Introduces New Tradition

Another Christmas tradition was introduced this year when a Chrismon tree was erected at the first floor rotunda r-all sales surpass by Central's Bible Club.

Chrismons, which are silver and gold symbols that rep- and nuclear, as in creating the how far they had rolled. Central from resent incidents in Christ's life, were fashioned by members atomic bomb. High as a freshman. of this service organization and were used to decorate the mber of the basket- tree.

"Silver Chrismons represent Christ's purity, while gold symbols in the Science Club refer to His majesty and glory," explains Miss Margaret Winslett, de archive class. "The experiments we

sented Central's Formosan stu- ing in his arms. Script for Hollywood Movie dent, Eugene Tai, with an English One experiment measured acceltranslation of the Bible. Kasper's father, Mr. | Stuart Udall, Secretary of the In-

joy to many who normally would

not have had a merry Christmas,

stated Betsi Phillips, president.

"But through this work, we too re-

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ceived a blessing."

Kasper, Chattanooga terior, who said, "The poem regisr. has been selected ters the agony, terror, and fear motion picture that is felt by the foot soldier." ects by giving a party for a local pendulums. te the script for a Postponing work on three novels needy family of seven. Along with presents, the club also presented a through one cycle, the balls rolled set in Atlanta and in order to meet his May 11 deadline, Mr. Kasper will do research food basket to the family. said the contract for the script in Atlanta, "These holiday projects brought

o receive approxi- Speculating on the script, Mr. o for his script, Kasper concluded, "I feel that it d on the late Carl is time for a story of this type to "Elizabeth Ump- be written for a better understanding of the genuine, realistic feelwho admires Sand- ings that people can have for one visited the Pulitzer another."

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Senior Gym Staff Girls Cap Ten 'Little Sisters'

Easily identified by their green | the staff at the beginning of this

The new additions and their big | The little sisters will wear the

Junior Vicki Marsh, Susan Hud- ficiating in games. ilestun; sophomore Becky Cook, Little sisters are chosen by sen-Glenda Masengil; sophomore Mir- ior staff members, subject to the

Staff, since she was appointed to lead."

Easily identified by their green the start at the beginning coefficient with orange question marks school year. If necessary, other on the front are the newly selected members will be named next year. ttle sisters of the Gym Staff. according to Mrs. Cox

The new auditions and their tile sisters are as follows: sophomore beanies until the annual Sweet-kerry Upton, Lynda Bolus; sopho-heart Banquet in February, when more Becky Braddock, Lynn But-ton; sophomore Jan Templeton, bilities. These duties include filing Cindy Cooper; junior Sanda Barnes, records, stamping cards, checking

Olemon atlasengii; sophomore Miriam Clopton, Jane Massey; junior Debbie Senterfit, Sue Navel.

Sophomore Tricia Pyle, Jo Smith;
Sophomore Thicia Pyle, Jo Smith;
Sophomore Baron McGill, Betsi
Phillips; and Mary and Martha

Snyder, Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, advisers. | leadership and personality." She further explained that these quali-Although sophomore Susan ties are necessary because "the Spears is not a little sister, she is Gym Staffers need to have the relso a new addition to the Gym spect of the classmates they must

Physics Provides Variety Through Experimentation

By Lynn Button

Physics is the study of all types | across the floor. At the end of the of energy including mechanical, as cycle time, the experimenters in using a wheel barrow; heat ener- stopped the balls and determined gy, as in operating an automobile; their acceleration by measuring

class, though," says one member of ran across the room, dragging a Mr. James T. Roger's sixth period long, thin piece of white paper. do are instructive but fun, too."

Work on the club's surprise projRogers climbed upon a stool and "While studying acceleration, we ect was completed at the Christmas began to spin around, regulating learned how to shoot monkeys out meeting when the organization pre- his speed by extending and draw- of trees," said one student. "It's

eration due to gravity, as each stu- boys and 1 girl. In relation to the Christian goals dent rolled lead balls down cardof fellowship and stewardship, the board ramps onto the floor. As the "Physics is fun except when they club climaxed its Christmas proj-balls hit the floor, students started start talking about cars; that's

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Another experiment measured "Physics isn't a cut and dried each student's rate of speed as he Along with these experiments

o are instructive but fun, too." the physics classes see movies re-For example, the other day Mr. lated to the units they study.

easy. You just aim at them." Combined, the classes contain 18

The only girl student stated

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aphers. Jimmy Brackett, Ga er, Richard McDaniel, Mike Con Mickey Liner, Hoyt Cor Bobbie Dickerson, Gloria Pere John Shackleford, Joel Jacks n Charles Dempsey, Floyd Will Jerry Pelham, Suie Ta

Cagers Tally 1-2 Record In Round Robin Thrillers

Central's cage squad returned the game, Kin Choate hit a lay-from the eighth annual Round Robin Basketball Tournament at Red Bank's attempt to bring t the City High gym with a victory over Notre Dame and losses to Red Bank and City.

On December 28, first day of the three-day event, the Pounders rap-

ped Notre Dame, 53-43. Central led 30-20 at the half; and, with 2 minutes remaining in the third period, they were ahead 42-26 as the Irish went cold from

In the second night of play, Red Bank's David Mabe, city junior golf champ, hit on two foul shots with 20 seconds remaining in the game, which proved to be the winning margin as the Lions edged Central, 57-56

Central, 57-56

The Pounders jumped off to an City, recovering its poise, hit seven but couldn't hold it. However, the Lions came back to trail at the half and then go on to take the lead during the third stana.

With eight seconds remaining in 2-1, and Notre Dame finished 0-3.

turned | the game, Kin Choate hit a lay-up

Red Bank's attempt to bring the ball inbounds after the score was stopped as Carson McCord deflected the ball toward the Lions basket and raced after it. However, he didn't gain actual control of the ball and was forced to take an off-balance underhand shot which ricocheted off the backboard as the buzzer sounded.

In the final game of the tourney, City stopped a last quarter rally to defeat the Pounders 46-38.

With 2 minutes left in the tilt, City held a 39-30 lead; but Cen-tral's Steve Guinn registered eight points to narrow the margin to 39-38 with 70 seconds remaining. City, recovering its poise, hit seven

Matman Lose; Rievley Places In Tournament

Central's matmen, paced by heavyweight Gary Locke and 105pounder Glenn Rievley, led the opening session of the Red Bank Invitational Wrestling Tournament, December 29 and 30, only to be dropped to last place in the final

Rievley, who was runner-up in his division in the state tournament last year, was the only Pounder to post victories in each bout, capturing the individual championship for his class. Rievley was voted third place in the Best Weartler Poll.

Central wrestlers participating in Central wreatlers participating in the tournament were seniors Jim Long, Locke, David Sharp, and Jimmy Sedman; juniors Rievley, David Ashley, Courtney McInturff, and Ricky Holder; and sophomores Tommy Sedman and Randy Fin-

Teams participating in the tournament were Red Bank, which placed first with 82 points; Father Ryan of Nashville, second with 74 points; Notre Dame, third with 63; Brainerd and City, fourth with 45 each; and Central with 41.

The Best Wrestler Award went to Father Ryan's Frank Baltz. He came back from a first period takedown, near-fall, and predicament, which placed him in a 7-0 deficit, to gain a 13-10 decision over Central grappler Long for the 167pound championship.

lost talley is 5-2.

REST, SWEET REST - Sitting this one out, Steve Meyer waits while Ling

Cheerers Find Job Hard Without Junior High Fans

tain the spirit of Central fans; but without the junior high, it's hard," stated Martha Hollis, one of Central's head cheerleaders.

Other members of the squad are seniors Sue Navel, Taffi Ray and David Deerman; Debbie Phillips and Debbie Senterfit, juniors; and Tricia Pyle, Linda Westbrook, Steve Meyer and Julia Massey, sophomores. Mrs. Margaret Hammack, gym teacher, is their sponsor.

According to Taffi, new squad Rievley now has a 7-0 record in members are chosen at the end of season matches, while Locke's wonmembers are chosen at the end of letters announcing the trials to

"The cheerleaders try to help main- | each junior high school in the arra so that any ninth grader may try

Every night for a week or two the cheerleaders practice with the applicants; and, with the help of Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, gym teachers, they choose the new squad members.

Cheering for the Pounders is not their only job, for they also decorate the field for home football games, paint signs for both football and basketball games, and work with the Pep Club.

During summer vacation, the cheerleaders practice twice a week learning new cheers and teaching the sophomores all the cheers and

Last summer, six of the girls attended a four-day cheerleading camp in Florence, Alabama. Out of 250 girls, Central's representatives received top honors.

Besides competing for award they also learned chants, song, cheers, and jumps, and attended sessions on subjects such as school spirit and cheerleader behavior.

Cheerleaders are required to maintain a C average and must make A's in conduct. If a member accumulates eight detentions, he is

dismissed from the squad.

Tri-Hi-Y Volleyball Team Captures Championship

Central's Tri - Hi - Y volleyball | techniques and learning to team won the YMCA volleyball a team. tournament held December 22.

Participating in the competition held at the downtown branch of the YMCA were seniors Joyce Parson and Elaine Barger, co-captains, and Lynn Button; juniors Barbara Button, Rodena Cook, Janet Maveety, and Susan Purnell; and sophomore Becky Braddock.

Coached by Mrs. Jenny Cox, gym teacher, the Central team defeated Red Bank "Alpha" 15-3, 15-2 in the first match and Red Bank 15-2, 15-1 in the last "Beta"

Prior to the tournament, approximately 20 girls practiced after school for two days, developing

Each team was allowed six players on the court at one time. Central's team used a substitution system which put tall players on the net positions and shorter, quicker girls in the recovery areas. With this arrangement each of the girls Three members of the team

Joyce, Elaine, and Becky-played on the Central girls' volleyball team last spring.

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The boys practice every day from seventh period until-five o'clock and some times even later. They also practice on Saturdays and Sundays. Unusualness

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Round Ball

With basketballs in the air again there are certain things that everyone knows—basketball takes time, effort, and sacrifices on the part of the players.

But there are some things about the team and players that are not general knowledge. While this year's team may not be championship quality, it has spirit and hustle. Coach Smith stated, "We won't lose many games because the boys don't hustle. We have a lot of spirit, and the boys are really averbine head."

Coverage

By David Sharp

Some of the players have different stories, too.
Kin Choate, called one of the best baseball players in
the Chattanooga area, also has talent in basketball. He
scored 43 points in the Round Robin Tournament to lead
the Central cagers.

And speaking of leading, Kin is captain of the basketball team for the second year, vice-president of the senior class and a captain in ROTC. He is the type of ballplayer the late Bobby Burns was—he gives it everything he has and is a real team player.

Then there is Wayne Anderson, another senior. Wayne failed to make the team his Junior year after playing B-team as a sophomore. This year he started at the guard position along with Larry McGill, junior, who is first string for his second year.

These players and many others help to make Central's basketball team, if not a champion, a formidable competitor in any game it plays; a competition with spirit and the will

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MAKER AWARDEE-Marthe Hollis, Central's 1968 recipient of the Betty Crocker Award, and Mrs. Janie Shrop

Mr. Jack Archer Heads Committees For Annual Senior Day Ceremonies

By Barbara Button

Mr. Jack Archer, biology teacher and coach, has been selected as general chairman of the 1968 Senior Day program to be held on March 22, according to Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Guidance Office Sets February 6 For College Day By Tommy Mathis

College Day, an annual event for tral juniors, will be held Febru-6, announces Mr. James Wood, ant guidance counselor.

cording to Mr. Wood, the sem-will be held in the afternoon ad of the morning as has been e in previous years. Juniors talk with representatives from e colleges or universities. Stuthe third will be assigned,

The counselor added that this entation, which previously place during several activity ds, will be shortened. Orientaording to Mrs. Mirvine idance counselor, inthe student about such de as college entrance examina-financial aid, and college

The Guidance Department com d a list of colleges which parated in the program last year; juniors, through English classre allowed to add any colleges ere interested in attending.

ked about the purpose of Col-Day, Mr. Wood replied, "The e idea is to give our juniors a insight to what specfic colre like - concerning admitsocial life " Faculty committees for the event

Program: Miss Marjorie Ogle, chairman, Mrs. Renate Hufft, as-sistant, Miss Margaret Winslett, Mr. J. J. Fletcher, Mrs. Reba Fults, Mrs. Margaret Hammack, Mrs. Mildred Sanders, Mr. Hillman May field, Mrs. Valene Webb, Sergeant/ Major Robert Hall, and Mrs. Maxine Williams.

Costumes: Miss Lavene Roberts, chairman, Mrs. Virginia Cox, Mr. James Wood, Mrs. Flora Ware Miss Mary Ellen Rice, Miss Pauline Shearer, Mrs. Nancy Stiefel, and Mrs. Dorothy Stone

Stage: Mr. Bill Ashley, chair-man, Mrs. Frank Robbins, and Mr. Ed Hoover

House: Mrs. Rebecca Haskins chairman, and Miss Bobbie Ruth

Hodges.

Music: Mr. Kenneth W. John.

Invitations and Flowers: Mrs Virginia Summerour, chairman, and Mrs. Clarone Hughes.

Reception: Mrs. Louise Caudle, chairman, Mrs. Mirvine Okrasinski, Miss Ellen Mullennix, Miss Minnie Lee Morgan, Mr. Sam T. Ston er, Sergeant/First Class Warren Luttrell

Luncheon: Mrs. Janie Shrop-shire, chairman, and Mrs. Patricia Williamson.

Welcome: Mr. E. B. Etter, chairman, Mrs. Eva Spaulding, Mr. Morris Bales, and Mr. J. Pope Dyer.

Traffic: Mr. J. M. Seaton, chair-Mr. Robert Wharton, Mr. Stanley Farmer, Mr. Gordon Smith Mr. Edward Test, Staff/Sergeant Willard Blalock, Mr. James Rogers, and Dr. Edward Owens.

Publicity: Mr. Everett Fields, chairman, Mrs. Louise Caudle, Miss Morgan, Mr. C. G. Towery, and Miss Ogle.

Speeches: Miss Mildred Major. chairman, Miss Morgan, Miss Ogle and Mrs Sanders

Balloting: Mr. Archer, chairman Miss Ogle, Miss Hufft, Miss Roberts, and Mr. Fields.

Senior Day, an annual cerem since 1933, honors Mr. and Miss Central as well as the class of 1968. Included in the program will be speeches from the recipient of the 1968 Champion dedication and the class presidents.

Chosen from the upper third of of the senior class, Mr. and Miss Central and members of the court are elected on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, and service.

Following the ceremony, a re eption for seniors and their parents will be held in the study hall. A luncheon honoring the royal couple their court, and the Champion dedicatory will be given after the reception.

The senior procession will be led by the four class marshals, while the school orchestra, conducted by Mr. John, will provide the music.

Subscribers

Homerooms having 100 per cent annual Digest subscriptions must have the \$2.00 paid in full by February 9 in order to be eligible for free tickets to the faculty basketball game. This an-nual event will be played after the close of the regular basketball season.

For five years, the Digest has sponsored this game between students and faculty members All proceeds will be used to help pay for publication of the news-

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Lynn Button, Mike McCov Lead Senior Superlatives For '68 Central Champion

annual.

have been named Torchbearers of David Deerman and Sue Navel. the 1967-68 Senior Class, announces Miss Minnie Lee Morgan, senior class sponsor, and the Champion Staff.

Other senior superlatives revealed for the first time today are Leadership, Jay Maveety and Jane Meyer; Service, Frank Goforth and Martha Hollis; Dependability, Jimmy Mullican and Brenda Isbill:

Most Likely to Succeed, Vann Cunningham and Betsi Phillips; Most Athletic, Kin Choate and Joyce Parson; Best All Round, Bill Ridge and Jackie Camden. Most Courteous, Wayne Anderson and Nancy Averitt:

Wittiest, Tommy Jenkins and Earlene McGlohon; Most Talented, Paul Faulkner and Elaine Stoner; Neatest in Appearance John Kelle of Chattanooga's scenic spots.

Lynn Button and Mike McCoy | and Sheila Smith; and Friendliest,

The Champion Staff is responsible for the recognition and feat-

ures the students in the annual. Torchbearers exemplify each of the superlative traits. The inscription, "He who beareth a torch shadoweth himself to give light to others," will appear with the pictures of the Torchbearers in the

Scholarship superlatives are chosen by popular vote of the senior class through their English classes After the votes have been counted and verified, the selection of each superlative must be approved by the administration.

Pictures for the Champion will feature each superlative pair in one

Miss Derryberry Retires After Serving 38 Years



NEW ART TEACHER-Mr. Bill Ashley consults with Miss Mary Lou Derryberry

By Wayne McCoy

After 38 years of service at Central, Miss Mary Lou Derryberry, head of the art department, retired on January 26.

Mr. Bill Ashley, a graduate of Tyner High School and the University of Chattanooga, succeeded Miss Derryberry on January 29 and will serve in this position for the remainder of the year.

Miss Derryberry, who came to Central in 1930, taught Latin for ten years before transferring to the Art Department, where she served as the head for 28 years. A graduate of George Peabody College, Miss Derryberry described her work here at Central as "most enjoyable. The friendships I made couldn't have been more interesting."

With more leisure time, Miss Derryberry plans to continue her art and craft work. She stated, "I have two looms, over 200 pounds of yarn, and various oil paints. I also plan to draw a lot and spend much of my time landscaping my vard. Reading will also occupy much of my time as I have collected quite a library over the years."

Mr. Ashley, who will be entering his first position as a teacher, graduated from the University of Chattanooga in 1965 where he served as president of the Art Club. Since his graduation he has served in the Marine Corps and Merchant

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Page 2 What's the next STEP ??

College Decision Ahead

Deciding on the colleges to which you wish to apply is a difficult and time-consuming task, and yet it is one of the most important decisions you have to make.

of the most important decisions you have to make.

There are so many schools from which to choose and
so many types to consider. Large schools offer a wider
variety of subject matter and are especially helpful to
those who haven't decided on a specific vocation. Small
schools offer more individual attention, and the change
from high school is not as a received. from high school is not so great.

Specialized schools offer more intense courses of study in specific fields, but the cost is sometimes more than the average student can afford. State schools offer a good basic education at minimum costs.

are good colleges in every income bracket; and scholar-ships, work-study programs, and loans minimize this problem. Cost is another important consideration; but there

Next Tuesday, College Day, juniors will meet and hear representatives from many of the best colleges in the South. Carefully consider the information presented about each institution so that you will be able to narrow your choice to those colleges which will best comply with

Outstanding in '68

What does it take to be Torchbearer of the senior class? What is a superlative? These questions come to mind as 24 seniors are named as the superlatives of the Class of '68.

Torchbearers are in a special position on the list of superlatives. These people are selected as being representatives of the class, the ones we would want to point to as an example of our student body.

Anyone elected to any of these honors possesses superior qualities. He is outstanding enough for his classmates to recognize his characteristics. His friends respect and wish to honor him.

A superlative is one who surpasses others, who works a little harder, who goes a little out of his way to help other people. His special quality is one he has developed, something in his nature. He has earned the distinction day by day, not by one sweeping effort.

Highest Central Honor

As the time to vote for Mr. and Miss Central draws near, the thought enters many students' minds—who are Mr. and Miss Central? Mr. and Miss Central are part of a tradition which has been handed down through the years and has become a part of Central's history. But what is the significance of being Mr. and Miss Central?

It should be the highest honor bestowed on any student in our great school. It should be awarded to the most outstanding and hard-working senior boy and girl in our student body. Sometimes we let these things slip our minds, and we forget the entire meaning of Mr. and

When choosing someone to bear the title of our school, we should be sure that they have the outstanding character symbolic of this honor.

In choosing Mr. and Miss Central this year, may we all keep these things in mind and choose people who are deserving of the honor of Mr. and Miss Central.

Spotlight on Seniors.

COLLEGE CONTEMPLATION—Mulling over various Southern

Happiness Is . . . By Patricia Sheetz and Jake Arbes

To Centralites

going steady with three boys

listening to the sound of rain

getting sick on Monday morning

a room at Central without holes

knowing the Bank Staff has

a big brother with lots of friends.

not realizing that almost every-

thing you are learning today will

a calorie-free hot fudge sundae.

the room most of the period filling

having a teacher who is out of

be outdated in a few years.

who don't know one another.

falling through a leaky roof.

instead of Friday afternoon.

a pencil that has an eraser.

a straight fork.

from failen plaster.

her coffee cup.

a substitute teacher.

learned how to count.

jors their last. Most upperclassmen are thinking of what they will be doing next year at this time, Jackie Camden and Wayne Ander-

Jackie wants to attend Middle Tennessee State University, per-haps starting with the winter term. She hopes to study to be a social

"I am interested in working with delinquents. Too many people won't give them a chance; they don't try to help them. I just want to help."

Jackie is a member of the Stu-dent Council, the Intercontinental Club, and Future Homemakers and is a majorette. She is a military sponsor, candidate for military queen and Homecoming queen, Key Club Sweetheart, and Christmas Prom Oueen.

Wayne is a guard on Central's varsity basketball team. He is also in the Pep Club, the Student Council. and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

After graduation, Wayne wants to enlist in the Navy. He says, "They offer so many fields from which to choose. You pick your trade and they train you. Later I can study it further in college. Also the GI Bill will help pay for

Wayne is interested in going to South-East Alabama College on Sand Mountain, possibly to study business administration.

IN MY OPINION

There Remains Shadow of Doubt By David White

Me and my shadow . . . Don't confuse this with a popular tune, for in actuality it is the theme of a furry creature whose shyness is the topic of much concern this

His method of weather predic-

tion is considered accurate though

far from foolproof. His predic-

tions are relied upon by a ma-

jority of the people but still in the

ninds of some there remains a

knowing someone who understands the Pythagorean theorem. knowing that your history teach-This timid introvert, known as a er is an English major and your woodchuck or commonly called a English teacher is a history major. ground hog, is rumored to appear finding Ralph Neal. February 2 each year for the purpose of predicting winter's end. The

speaking in an accent your language instructor doesn't underrenowned meteorologist otherwise throughout the year resumes his natural habit of hibernating in his being five pounds thinner.

knowing that the Driver Education car has good brakes. fifteen minutes of overtime

n assembly.

"fraternizing" in the halls,

discovering that no one else kept his New Year's resolutions either. being able to keep your hands in

Lunch Show Quiets Halls

Central's halls during lunch are of 30 films, which, after approval which may not be the ideal situa-

Shaker Heights High School in Shaker Heights, Ohio, has a solution. The Shakerite reports that Shaker High opened its own lunch hour theater in early December as part of a program to provide stuents with something to do during the two lunch periods. Feature length films will be shown over five sibilities, as well as speakers. or six consecutive lunch periods.

The Shakerite said:

"The Noon Hour Activities Committee headed by Crystal King and -Tommy Jenkins Ellen Bernstein has made up a list has already begun."

cluttered with people and noise, by a panel of teachers, was given to Robert Mohney to order. Some of the proposed movies, good bargains at 30 cents per movie, are Ipcress File, Slender Thread, and

"This is only one of the committee's many ideas. Seminars, which have been popular so far, will continue on Mondays. Jazz concerts and student entertainment are pos-

"Ellen and Crystal hope to provide a varied noon program which will occupy the students during the long period of bad weather which

Cadets Elect Sue Navel Queen of Military Ball

By Glenda Masengil

Senior 1968 Military Queen by cadets and officers of the ROTC cadets and officers of the ROTC program. She was escorted by



Senior Sue Navel was crowned didates, Sue was chosen by the annual Military Ball, January Captain David Sharp, whom she Vice-president of the Gym Staff,

ecretary of the FBLA, and social chairman of Central's Student Council constitute some of the queen's activities. She is also a cheerleader, a member of the Senate, and a senior representative to Lovemans Teen Board.

Sue was also a candidate for Homecoming Queen and for Christmas Prom Queen.

"Stars and Stripes Forever," the dance was held at the National Guard Armory and was organized by the officers themselves. Mr. Morris Bales, band instructor, pro-

Dr. John Drakeford Talks On 'Love and Marriage'

ort Worth, Texas, during a special period. nference held on January 12.

cal sociology students, centered dy Daisy. youth and family problems.

mished that the teen years is a

me of diversion and a time to de-

v permanent commitment. "Ma-

rity is the capacity to postpone

a period for great change, it's

"You can't turn back the clock."

e added. "Our greatest temptation

to rush ahead; but the best ages

marriage are 22-23 for girls and

In conclusion, Dr. Drakeford re-

lied "If you get married before

m're 20 years old, there are three

Mr. J. Pope Dyer, head of the

ented "Dr Drakeford is one of

be four or five leading authorities

seling. We felt exceeding

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arriage will fail."

es more possibilities that your

lish to make a commitment," he

re. Since the teen-age years

having state championships Dr. Drakeford noted, "In the football, basketball, wzes velopment of our personality, it track, baseball and volleyball. important that we focus our love getting dismissed before Engli the appropriate time." He exbecoming a merit scholar nined, "Love is a growth and is ry often an insanity." a clean piece of paper in the h The counseling authority ad

of your notebook. winning an argument with teacher

sitting down to eat lunch doing unto others. enough extra pennies to buy

your pockets during ROTC on co

icy roads.

an escalator to the third floor,

passing your driver's license to

that's where you'll be.

a warm, wiggling puppy.

realizing that wherever you ;

ice cream. no homework in math for a d

telling an Usher she is go down the wrong stairs. a fire drill in the middle of the

istry lab. turning a library book in

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ing someone," stated Dr. John ham led seniors Bob Johnson, John rakeford, director of the Marriage Kelle, Earlene McGlohon, and Paul nd Family Counseling Center at Faulkner in a question and answer Other schools participating in the these machines," she added.

The conference, sponsored by the conference were Brainerd, City, rial Studies Department for Tyner, Hixson, Riverside, and Sod-

the trip, states, "This trip will

summarize a unit on grooming.

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important factor of the trip."

Home Economics Students

correct behavior for the city is one student, stated, "This trip will

The girls will be able to learn tunities available to girls in the

about the many career opportun- field of home economics."

New Selectric Machines Versatile

"Typing is a skill which requires patience and work; but now, it can be completed faster and with ess effort than ever before with our iew selectric typewriters," com mented Miss Lavene Roberts, typing instructor

Eleven IBM typewriters were reently bought for the Business Department. Instead of the standard key board and a moving paper carciage, the selectric typewriter feaures a small globe-shaped printing element which contains the typing

Select Type

Offering more benefits than the former models, the selective element allows the student to choose Revolving around the theme, typing job, she explained. Also, because there are no type bars, key clash and bar pile-up are complete-

According to Miss Roberts, the new machines are precision writing instruments. Costing \$450 each. they have been engineered to provide more speed with a greater amount of accuracy.

Secure Touch

The typewriters, which are compact and versatile, feature sculp tured keys which provide a more confident, secure touch, she stated

"Students can expect their typing to be smoother, faster, an automatically more error-free with

One student replied, "The machine seems like it knows what it's to Mr. James Wood, guidance

They will also attend a style show.

make us more aware of the oppor

The trip costs \$4.25 per person

Each girl is taking extra money for

lunch and for shopping at the store

Beth Jeffers, home economics

TYPING EASE—Demonstrating an IBM selectric, one of the new additions in Miss Robert's room, is Pathi Romans.

Summer Jobs Available Through Early Application

Though summer vacation is five | or manual jobs; while clerking and months away, now is the time to semi-clerical jobs are available for apply for summer jobs, according girls "A job is basically a good experience in that it teaches a better

"High school students need to get ahead of college students who with money," he explained. apply during spring vacation," he explained. "So many teen-agers want jobs and so few get them.

"Of the 2,000 applicants for neat because physical appearance summer jobs through the city's makes a big impression." home economics students invade the Atlanta. At Rich's they will attend Youth Opportunity Center, only 200 a luncheon and visit the decorator are filled," he related. "However, Mrs. Patricia Williamson, home studios, the bakery, and the reconomics teacher and sponsor of ceiving and marking department.

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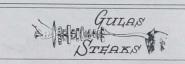
To Tour Rich's Next Friday Rich's Incorporated in Atlanta | Leaving Central at 7 a.m., the may become chaotic when about 76 girls will spend the entire day in

through Central's guidance office." According to Mr. Wood, high

chool boys may apply for unskille

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ON YOUR MARK-Studying the target before rifle practice are, from left,

Juniors Lead Rifle Team To Early Season Victories

Although firing against fewer teams than in previous years, the Central squad defeated Johnson City twice and Tennessee Military once and lost only to Columbia Military Agademy Military Academy.

The Central marksman began the eason by defeating the Science Hill firers 920-901 on October 21 in the Central High Armory, Leading the firing for the Pounders was Wilbourn with 247.

Central lost its second match November 11 to Columbia Military Academy by a 970-920 margin. Wilbourn again led the Central marks men with a 242.

With a 1-1 record, the shooters defeated Tennessee Military Insti-tute 912-897 on November 18 with Wilbourn again claiming top honors with 235.

In their next match on December 2, the Central firers posted a vic-tory over the Johnson City marksmen. Howell lead the Purple firers with 247. This gave Central the edge in defeating 950-939. When Sergeant/First Class Wil-liam Luttrell was asked about there

being fewer matches this year, he

Coming Events

February 2-Central vs. Bradley, 7:30, home

February 6-movie-Harum Scarum

College Day Central vs. Riverside, 7:30, away

February 9-Central vs. Kirkman, 7:30, home

February 13-Central vs. Brainerd, 7:30, home



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Led by juniors Lawrence Wil- replied, "Lack of money is the rea-bourn and David Howell, Central's son. The government used to fur-Rifle Team has claimed top honors nish transportation on all the road in three of four matches this year.

Although firing against fewer teams than in previous years, the

The rifle team's next match will be February 13 with Columbia Militeam will probably be composed of sophomore Craig Brothers and juniors Wilbourn, Howell, Howard Thomas, and Lynn Patterson.

With an explosive third quarter and Kin Choate's 20 points, Central Early (Control of the Control of the C

Central, Bradley in Cage Action Tonight

avenge an earlier 42-41 defeat.

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The Bears, a small but speedy
team, rely on the sharpshooting of
seniors 5-7 Billy Stowe and 5-0
Steve Williams. They also use a
strong pressing zone defense.
On the other hand, three of Cen-

On the other hand, three of Central's starters are over 6 feet tall; and the Pounders use a sticky man

In the first game between the rivals earlier this year, a free throw with 19 seconds remaining in the game was the winning margin as Bradley snapped a string of Cen-tral victories which included wins ver Notre Dame, Maryville, and

One Point Edge

Williams sunk the decisive foul shot and led Bradley's final surge to give the Bears a come-from-behind 42-41 victory over the Purple

With one minute of action left. Central had a six-point lead, but a strong pressing zone defense and foul trouble set the stage for the

Bradley rally.
Rudolph Chambliss sparked Central with 16 markers while Larry
McGill added 11.

Irish Defeat

In its first cage contest since the Round Robin Tournament, the Pounders stymied a fourth quarter rally to down Notre Dame 48-43. With an explosive third quarter

Pounders Post Three Wins In Five Wrestling Outings

By Wayne McCoy

Hixson, Baylor Bream, and a rid; a tie with Brainerd; and a Rebels scored four pins as opposed to one by the Pounders.

The Central-Hixson battle ended 30-25 in favor of the Pounders as Glenn Rievley and Tommy Sedman sparked the victory by pinning their opponents in less than one minute, while co-captain Gary Locke pinned his man in 1 minute and 10 seconds.

Central accumulated 16 points against the 34 rounded up by the Golden Hawks in its second bout of the season. The top match of the card featured Pounder David Ashley and Kirkman's Ricky Dillard as they battled to a 4-3 decision in favor of Dillard.

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In their first five matches of the dent in the Central-Brainerd enseason, the Pounder matmen compiled a 3-1-1 record with wins over Hixson, Baylor B-team, and Howword T of the 12 matches, the

In their fourth match of the season, the Central matmen handed the Baylor B-team a 36-16 loss with pins from Pounder wrestlers Rievley, Sedman, Randy Finnell, Ashley, David Sharp, and Reuben Justice. The top match of the event pitted Pounder heavyweight Locke against National Prep heavyweight champ John Hannah, Hannah pinned Locke 52 seconds prior to the end of the match

In the Central-Howard tangle, the Pounders rolled to a 58-0 victory with seven pins, four for-feits, and a decision, while the

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Central's Purple Quintet will hit downfall of the Irish as they comthe hardboard tonight against mitted 34 fouls, and Central conthe 24-point lead into an uncomfe
visiting Bradley in an effort to verted 20 of 39 from the charity table three points.

Central managed to outlast a determined 25-point final period shooting spree to trip Maryville

Choate bombarded the baske with 19 points as the Pounders n corded their seventh victory again five losses by trouncing Howar

After three periods, the Pound-ers held what appeared to be a comfortable 42-18 lead. Maryville's to post the victory.



TIGHT SPOT—Junior Larry McGill stalls for an opening in the Kingsport games an opposing player guards effectively.

Steve Carroll Standout On Top Ranked Vol Squad

Central students have a special jured Derrick Weatherford as de interest in the record of the Tennessee Vols this year.

As UT achieved the status of second in the nation, a former Pounder was in there fighting. Steve Carroll, a defensive star at Central, is now battling for the state supported squad.

After a fine senior years at Central in the middle defensive guard position, Steve made the 1965 High School All-American, All-State, and football."

started on the Vols' freshman team.

This past year Steve moved to the varsity team, replacing the in- ly a sophomore.

of seeing through an offensive play he remained at the position and handled it capably.

Acknowledging the Central coach ing staff as one of the best, Stere said, "I learned most of the blocking fundamentals in high school but I had to learn a new tackling method. In college ball, one has to be much faster than in high school

Yes, Central has a special is After graduation, Steve signed terest at UT-pride in a forme a football scholarship with UT and athlete who, although he didn't make the first team in the South eastern Conference last year, is on

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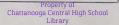
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Rourbon Street Preacher To Speak on Experiences

By Patricia Sheetz

Mr. Bob Harrington, "Chaplain the devil ever had a heaven, Bour f Bourbon Street" in New Or- bon Street is it," he added. eans, will be the guest speaker for assembly next Tuesday, according Principal W. Hobart Millsaps. The 250-pound former insurance

salesman received his honorary title from the mayor of New Orleans and was later commissioned by the New Orleans Police Department.

Truant Officer

Mr. Harrington describes his job as minister and spiritual counselor on Bourbon Street. "I'm sort of a spiritual truant officer out here, catching folks playing hooky."

The fast-talking Southern Baptist preacher further explained, When people get in trouble, they call on someone who has something to believe."

Pre-med School

The native of Sweetwater, Alama, spent four years in pre-med school and later studied for the ministry at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. He also served for a time as assistant pastor to Dr. J. D. Grey of the New Orleans First Baptist Church.

In 1961 Mr. Harrington arrived at Bourbon Street and opened up his office between two saloons. "If

March 1 Deadline For Local Entries In Youth Arts Fair

By Wayne McCoy

March 1 is the deadline for entries in the annual Chattanooga Regional Youth Arts Fair, spon sored by the University of Chatta-100ga and the Junior League.

activity in the humanities and social sciences by giving public recognition for work of outstanding quality. The Youth Arts Fair committee emphasizes to teachers and students that only work of the highest caliber should be submitted.

The fair is divided into two dions. The junior division will include grades 7, 8, 9, and the senior division will be composed of grades 10, 11, 12. All students who attend school within a 60-mile radius of Chattanooga are eligible to participate.

Judges will be selected by UC and prizes will be awarded in each subject area. Honorable mention is also awarded in each area of both junior and senior divisions.

Students who place first in each subject and grade division will be awarded books and certificates by Dr. William H. Masterson, presiident of the university, at a ceremony to be held April 28, at 3 p.m. in Maclellan Gymnasium.

No Hypocrites

Brother Bob, as he prefers to be called, can often be seen on his way to the nightclubs and saloons of Bourbon Street wearing a red tie and red socks and carrying a Bible tucked under his arm. "I've never met a hypocrite on Bourbon Street," he declared.

Mr. Harrington believes that of all the people he counsels "show business people are the easiest to deal with. I'm not here to tell them how bad they are but how good they can be."

The remarks in Mr. Harrington's speech vary from "People don't want to die in a funeral home" to "Most folks have just enough religion to bug 'em and not bless

Faculty Show March 14

will combine their talents to present a show in assembly on Thursday, March 14.

Junior English teacher Mrs. Frank Robbins and Assistant Principal Everett O'Neal are assembling and co-ordinating the acts for the faculty-sponsored program.

Mrs. Jenny Cox, girls' gym instructor, and Mrs. Dorothy Stone, junior English teacher, also aid the planning committee.

Coach Jack Archer will again act as master of ceremonies for the show, which was presented last year for the first time in several years. According to Mr. O'Neal, the show was at one time an an-

One of the many highlights of the program will be a male quar-tet consisting of Principal W. Hobart Millsaps; Mr. R. S. Wharton, printing instructor; Dr. Edward A. Owens, head of the science department; and Coach E. Etter.

Mr. Hillman Mayfield, English instructor, will present a novelty magic routine.

Other routines planned for the event will not be revealed until the performance.

An admission fee of ten cents will be charged and the proceeds will be used to equip the teachers' lounge in the new Central building.

Students To Elect



ONE MORE TIME—Rehearsing for the faculty talent show are, from left, Mr. Millsaps, Mr. Wharton, Dr. Owens, Coach Seston, and Coach Etter.

Principal Releases Semester Lists; Seniors, Sophomores Head Rolls

13; and the sophomore class with Jan Rider. 34 leads the honor roll on the first semester listing, according to Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

The number on the star roll rose from 16 last quarter to 29, an in- tun, Brenda Ingle, Sandra Morris, crease of 13, while this quarter's Carolyn Moss, John Overton, Joyce Donna Harris, Martha Hughes, 76 students meeting the require- Steinberg. ments, compared to last quarter's

Star Roll - Phyllis Adkins, Rhonda Blevins, Lynn Button, Ruth Core, Arlene Fuson, Frank Go-The purpose of the fair is to forth, Sheila Harmon, Martha Hol- ecourage and stimulate creative lis, Glenda Masengil, Jimmy Mul- Jake Arbes, Sanda Barnes, Shir-

Honor Roll-Elaine Barger, Larry Beaty, David Brown, Beverly Byron Dalton, Rebecca Duggan, Choate, Cindy Cooper, Gary Fischer, Gail Freeman, Susan Huddleshonor roll was larger by 10, with Parson, Faith Radford, Lynda Julie Painter, Mike Puryear, Becky

Star Roll - David Ashley, Bar- Steven Watson. bara Button, Susan Davenport, Gwen Frisbee, Tommy Mathis, Pa tricia Sheetz, Mike Turnmire, Harold Tyber.

Seniors head the star roll with | lican, Betsi Phillips, Debbie Potts, | ley Blevins, Pauline Boyd, Belinda Butler, Shelba Camp, Rodena Cook, Linda Cooper, Sharon Crabtree, Linda Franklin

Barbara Gardner, Linda Griffin, Amy Hackney, Betty Hardison, Rievley, Geneva Roberts, Phyllis Scoggins, Sybil Smith, Eugene Tai,

Sophomores

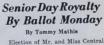
Star Roll - Denise Bacon, Brenda Ballinger, Pam Bishop, Kay Clark, Nancy Lewis, Steve Meyer, Brenda Sewell, Jimmy Stratigos.

Honor Roll-Vicki Alden, Javne Arnold, Gwen Ashburn, Linda Ault, Jim Barclay, Becky Braddock, Becky Cook, Anthony Crutcher, Kenneth Earnshaw, Nancy Foster, Vicki Harris.

Jerry Hendrix, Sandra Hickman, Don Howard, Diane Jones, Rhonda Kennedy, Jane Leonard, Wilma Nell McCollough, Sharon McGill, Julia Massey, Tony Metcalf, Karen Morgan, Garry Phillips.

Tom Phillips, Debbie Price, Amanda Rhodes, Martha Snyder, Martha Schultz, Susan Spears, Marianne Tinker, Kerry Upton, Ola Wood, Terry Woods, Gayle Young.

is a scholastic and conduct average of A in all subjects. In order to be eligible for the honor poll the student must receive three A's, that homeroom teachers collect the have no grade below B, and have ballots and take them to room 322 all A's in conduct.



will be held Monday during first period, announces Mr. Jack Archer, general chairman of Senior Day.

Candidates, who must be in the upper one-third of the senior class to qualify, are to be "elected on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, and service," Mr. Archer stated. "The election should not be considered a popularity contest.'

Seniors eligible for the honors must have completed seven semesters and not more than eight se mesters of high school work and they must expect to graduate with

"Mr. and Miss Central and members of the court, subject to faculty approval, will be elected on the first ballot unless there is a tie," explained the chairman.

"The boy and girl receiving the highest number of votes will be Mr. and Miss Central," he added. "The four boys and four girls receiving the next highest number Requirements for the star roll of votes will make up the court."

Green ballots will be used for Mr. Central and white ballots for Miss Central, Mr. Archer requests no later than 9:30 a.m.



HOLD THAT POSE-Drawing a sketch of Sybil Lusk for the Youth Arts Fair

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Average, But Uncommon

When students apply for admission to college or for When students apply for admission to college or long a job, the interviewer asks for recommendations from people who know the individual. These letters often make the difference between being accepted or being turned

down.

The following is an actual letter written by Principal Millsaps. Could your name be filled into the blanks?

graduate of Central High School, has requested that I write you a letter of recommendation since she is applying for admission.

spent her junior and senior high school years here at Central, and I know her and her family. I think she is a lovely young lady who is extremely courteous. She is a most sincere person and always exhibited the best in school citizenship.

In a class of, she placed in the upper quartile. Although tests indicate that she has average abstract intelligence, her grades are above average. In my opinion, was able to do above average academic work because she disciplined herself whereby she could make

Therefore she is to be highly commended, and I think she would discipline herself in your program so that she would work up to ability. I am glad to recommend sincere students who have a desire to work and are willing to exert sacrificial effort to attain. I place in this category.

Most colleges require the records of an applicant at the end of his junior year. This means that any junior who is dissatisfied with his record as it stands now has one semester left to alter it. Even an effort this late would show that the student has gotten down to work. Sanjoys have only one more agreements, but a record

Seniors have only one more semester, but a record showing hard work during this last term could persuade showing hard work during this last term could persuade a college to reconsider an applicant. The potential re-vealed in a commendable output of work and study is part of what a college looks for in prospective students. With the first semester barely behind, emphasis should be placed upon improvements. Looking ahead has

always been thought to be the best attitude for a person always been thought to be the best attitude for a person to take, especially so for one who is dissatisfied with his past record; for even though he is unhappy with his record, he cannot change the past. He can only hope to out weigh his past record with a better performance.

But finally, as in anything involving affort, the final

But finally, as in anything involving effort, the final decision is left to the individual.

decision is left to the individual.

Are you satisfied with the record you have made? If not, are you willing to do something about it? The opportunity is now; the decision is now; and most import-

Gratitude—Her Memorial

With deep regret Central loses a most devoted facwith deep regret Central loses a most devoted fac-ulty member, Miss Mary Lou Derryberry. Her thirty-eight years of service is one of distinction and accomp-lishment.

Miss Derryberry was enthusiastic about her stu-dents' art work and her other assignments at Central. She delighted in the colorful spring art exhibits through which young artists could receive recognition. She en-couraged them to enter the Youth Arts Fair, where they consistently won honors for themselves and the school.

Miss Derryberry enjoyed working on May Day and Senior Day backgrounds. Her originality complimented these festivities.

The numerous years which Miss Derryberry contributed to Central cannot be easily forgotten. Her desire and willingness to help her students earned her a living memorial—their gratifude.



Spotlight on Seniors.

there is always the need to work ter game, even harder to keep it. Vicki Mc- "Central

"Central will always be great," even harder to keep it. YERI 315-Canless and David Deerman have some definite ideas about this building is falling down. I hope we can keep the spirit up as it always has been."

David wants to attend UT next



SNOW FEVER—Seniors David Deerman and Victi McCanless contemplate the

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President of the Hi-Y, David also a member of the Studen Council and the Senate.

Any sport interests David, a fishing and swimm During the summer he plays in fast-throw softball league Warner Park Vicki thinks, "Central undout

has the best spirit of a school I've visited. But a lot of e ceptional people around here don up to their potential. It seen like doing your very best has lot to do with spirit."

Vicki wants to attend MTSU study elementary education, teach a Sunday School class three-year-olds. I love kids; th are so imaginative; so I want teach second grade."

Vicki is president of the Futu Teachers of America and a memi of the Spanish Club and Unit Staff. As military editor of Champion Vicki says, "It is a n challenge to meet deadlines. It is lot of individual responsibility. there is also teamwork !

Being a Candy Striper and the

Dreams Interrupt Concentrated Study To Jumble Historically Accepted Facts

While burning the midnight oil, many students of history may find that "while they nodded, weak and weary, over many quaint and cur-ious volumes of historical lore," facts somehow rearranged themselves, causing disaster in class

"A school isn't great only be-

Benedict Arnold, first President of the United States, was called the Great Emancipator. In the Revolutionary War, he was given battlefield commission at the "Battle of the Little Big Horn."

The second President, John Fulton, was a famous steamboat pilot

IN MY OPINION

Boy Washington Lies To Father

By David White

Cut down the cherry tree

The following is a legendary account of an incident in the life of our first President. Sometimes referred to as the Cherry-Tree Incident, the occurrence depicts young George Washington's honesty.

Trying out his new hatchet, George chopped down one of his father's cherry trees. His father, seeing the fallen tree, asked if George was responsible, and thereupon George uttered the reply that many years: "Father, I cannot tell-

a lie; it was L." The present generation is wary of this "good-guy" version and have excepted another. It goes something like this:

"George, my son, Father of Our

"Yes, Father." "Did you cut down my cherry

Arnold Bended it."

"I. Father?" "Father, I cannot tell a lie.

before his election. He repeatedly flooded the East Room of the White House for his Sunday after-

Jefferson Davis became the third US President after the South won the Civil War of 1812. It was Davis who sent Lewis and Clark on their goodwill tour of the Dominican Republic. Also he became known as the "Great White Father of the Indians" because of his Gettysburg

Isaac Newton, a famed poet, became the fourth President. He was known for introducing the fifth, or Prohibition, amendment of the Mayflower Compact. It was during his term that the Declaration of Independence was written by the Continental Congress.

Patrick Henry was elected the fifth President in 1821. He was famous for his inaugural address, climaxed by the great words "Give

Orchids & Onions

Orchids to . . . boys who bought Valentine candy for their girl-Military Queen Sue , all honor roll and star roll students . . . the brakes of the driver education car . . . no more semester tests-for a while . long assemblies . . . chairs in the Americans have believed for so cafeteria . . . clear, warm school days . . . being snowed in on school days . . . more parking places . Senior Superlatives . . . Gym Staff Sweetheart.

, failing semester Onions to . . library fines exams . . broken pencils . . . alarm clocks report cards . . . term paper deadlines . . . drill days . . . cold oatmenl . . . flat tires . . . flat oatmeal . wallets . . . late buses . . . homework on warm weekends "Son, did you cut down the twisted knees and ankles from tumbling . . . historical dates to remember fallen biscuits in

Next was Samuel Clemens. architect, scientist, and mather tician. His famous home, Me cello, can still be seen in Roxbar New York. The seventh President, Rob

E. Lee, was general of the Univ army in the War Between th States. His brave words at t "Battle of Bunker Run" are famous-"We have only begun fight.

Paul Revere, who led the spun group called the Raiders in Cuban crisis, was the eighth Pre ident. Revere's favorite hobby w using his talents as a blacksmi

"As I pondered, really nappi suddenly there came a tappi suddenly there came a rapp all a dream and nothing more

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Council Members Form Chapter at J. B. Brown

By Barbara Button

Central's Student Council is by the faculty. Any changes they playing a major role in the organisation of a council at the new J. B.

At the first meeting of the junior ation of a council at the new J. B.
Brown Junior High School on Highhigh council, which is scheduled for
high council, which is scheduled for
later this month, four of Central's

et the requirements of their later in the year.

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tions for changes in the tentae constitution are Lynn Button, Rarger, Debbie Phillips, and George ove. Nancy Averitt typed copies

B. Brown, and are to be approved Rider, treasurer.

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By Gwen Frisbee

visits to eight countries.

ly, France, and England.

students have already signed up

the tour; but there are places

invone interested in going or

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European tour should contact

13 additional students

council officers will go to J. B. The new group will be composed Brown to meet with the new group of J. B. Brown students who were An explanation of the club's actiar high executive members at vities will be given; and after and after adopting the constitution, they will Central last year. They will use a adopting the constitution, they will probably elect officers. Nominaturion which has been altered to tunion which has been altered to

Jay Maveety, council president. explained that Central's objective is "to give them any assistance that they might need" in organizing a student body govern

Other officers of this year's council who will aid in the project are The typed copies have been sent Jimmy Indermill, vice-president Mr. Henry Colston, principal of Jane Meyer, secretary; and Jan

Girl's Gym Staff Names Jo Smith '68 Sweetheart

Jo Smith was named Sweetheart of the Gym Staff at annual Sweetheart Banquet on Tuesday night. Crowned by last year's Sweetheart, Lynda Sedman, Jo

was chosen by popular vote of the staff. Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, staff advisers, jointly and inced the winner.

Each year the junior members of the staff entertain the Sweet-

art and senior staff members at the banquet, which this year was at the Town and Country Restaurant As part of the evening's entertainment, the senior girls assigned

various acts for the little sisters to perform. Songs, dances, and stunts ended their six-week initiation European Holiday

In charge of the affair were Jo Smith, arrangements; Gail Coley, For Second Time and Rodena Cook, decorations and and Ginger Nye, little sisters. Again this summer, Mrs. Mildred

ders, sophomore English teach-Staff, Jo illustrates the month of ing with no United States aid." will chaperon a European tour Central students which will in- January as a Key Club Calendar Girl, is on Miller Brother Teen The tour, which begins June 9 Board, is a member of the Student d lasts until July 1, will feature Council, and was a candidate for s to Holland, Germany, Swit- Christmas prom queen. Also belonging to the Varsity Glee Club, on canals to Saigon because "the and. Austria, Liechtenstein, she was a soloist in the Glee Club's region has only one paved hightal cost of the European holi- Christmas program. Jo has been way. active in Girls Battalion and Deb wis \$777 with a \$25 deposit payble by March 1. The remainder of Club.

p must be paid by May 15, Mrs. a very wise choice. Jo is sweet, "We won't win until we can pacify and she's worked hard for the Gym reording to her, approximately Staff this year.

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closer, especially to some of you,"

According to the Chattanooga stated Mr. Martin Ochs, editor of editor, pacification teams are now

The Chattanooga Times, during an working in about 500 of South assembly on January 30. Vietnam's 12,000 hamlets. Outlining his recent three-week Mr. Ochs declared, "The last part tour to the Far East, Mr. Ochs re- of my trip was the most reward- to teen-agers. lated several events of his ten-day ing." This part included a visit to

stay in Vietnam. and Rodena Cook, decorations and The Mekong Delta is see accepted and Becky Hollis battleground of the war," he asserted. "This is the only place A three-year member of the Gym where South Vietnamese are fight-

He noted that although this area, composed of approximately 30,000 square miles, is the center of food production, food must be inconveniently transported by sampans had stayed a month instead of ten

Mr. Ochs also suggested reasons he by March 1. The remainder of the cest may be financed, although Mrs. Cox commented on the "The average South Vietnamese total amount of money for the Sweetheart, "I think they've made doesn't care who wins," he start.

Included in the exhibit are pamphlets on smoking as well as set of lower teeth, apparently stained by tobacco smoke. According to Almeda, these articles illus trate the results of the smoking Miss Ellen Mullennix, head libra-

Hoping to influence the atti-tudes of Centralites on smoking, three members of the Library Staff have assembled a display en-titled, "Every Little Puff Hurts."

The aim of the exhibit, according

to Almeda Gossett, senior staff

member, is "to give teen-agers an idea of what they are doing to

themselves by smoking," Aiding

Almeda in the display were senior

Phyllis Adkins and junior Carl

Smoking Results

rian, mentioned that the display helps "to publicize the pamphlets that we have secured for student use on this subject."

Timely Subject

The idea for the February dis-play was taken from a pamphlet in the library in which plans for vari ous projects are outlined. Almeda chose smoking as this month's topic because of "the timeliness of the subject in regard to lung cancer." According to Principal W. Ho bart Millsaps, smoking is a problem which requires immediate at-tention. "This display brings home in a visual way the inevitable result of smoking," he emphasized

Interest to Teens

Miss Mullennix stated that in the future the monthly display will emphasize timely subjects of interest

Located outside the library the the Marine base at Da Nang and a display case is also available for "The Mekong Delta is the key Christmas Eve stay at Dong Hoi, any department wishing to show which is located ten miles from the work by students.

Before Christmas the Bible class-A Christmas Day visit with sev- es decorated the case, and later on eral area soldiers at Con Thien and this year the Foreign Language nany trips to Saigon also high- Department will show results of their periodic study of French Concerning his stay in Vietnam, fashions

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Pounders Seek Revenge with Red Bank In HIL AA Cage Battle at 1 O'clock

By Jake Arbes

and Kin Choate will match wits ment 57-56 with Red Bank stars Pat Renfro and Donnie Kell as the Lions travel to the Pounder court this Howard in their next-to-last regafternoon for an HIL AA basket-

Red Bank relies on the sharpshooting of Renfro and Kell and a have proven in the past to be the strong zone defense. The Pounders, Hustlin' Tigers' main asset. In on the other hand, put their faith their last meeting Central over-in a strong man-to-man defense, powered Howard 67-44.

The teams have met twice before, Central coming out on top proved to be the point which broke in the first game 67-59 and bow- a two-year, six-game Central los-

Next Tuesday night, the Purple quintet hit the hardwood against

ular cage encounter.

The shooting and rebounding of James Looney and Robert Caudle

Central cagers Carson McCord, ing in the Round Robin Tourna- ing streak at the hands of the City

McGill, after hitting a field goal with only three seconds left to tie the score, added a foul shot on a technical foul with only one second remaining as Central shaded City 49-48 on January 28.

Kin Choate set up the vital bucket by snagging the rebound of a missed Mike McKelvey foul shot with nine seconds left and by toss ing it to McGill, who scored on a jump shot from about 15 feet out.

Before the Dynamos could put the ball in action again, a City player called time out, City had already used all five of its allotted time-outs, however, and had beer so informed by the officials. This resulted in the mandatory technical

Center McCord paced the Pounders with 21 points and 10 rebounds, while Rudolph Chambliss starred for the Pounders on the boards collecting 12 of Central's 36 re-

City won the two previous s sonal cage encounters 46-38 in the Round Robin and 60-37 at City.



STRONG HOLD-Grappler Terry Farmer pits his strength against a Cleveland onponent as he attempts to break his grip.

Purples Post Two Wins In Four Mat Encounters

Two victories and two losses in recent mat action brought Central's wrestling record to 5-3-1, as the Purple grapplers overpowered Riverside and Cleveland and lost to East Ridge and Notre Dame.

In a home match, the defending state champion East Ridge Pioneers downed the Pounders 27-15.

East Ridge stars Jim Booker and Barry Goss recorded pins over Rick Holder and Gary Locke, respectively, to boost their team's total Central junior Glen Rievley and senior David Sharp won their

sixth straight dual victories to pace the Pounders Following the loss, the Purple

Volleyball Team Begins Season With Twelve New Additions

Striving to improve last year's participate, only a select few may volleyball record, Central's 1967-68 fill positions on the team," stated girl's team will include 24 new Mrs. Cox. team members besides eight veterans from last year's squad. The new members include Geri

Gray, Tricia Pyle, Pam Rogers, Belinda Douglas, Margie Bradford, Deborah Wiley, Vicki Harris, Cindy Jackson, Taffi Ray, Janine King, Tami Ray Marcia Wimpee, Becky Burns,

Becky Cook, Rodena Cook, Mary Snyder, Martha Snyder, Charlotte Rennew, Sanda Barnes, Diane Brewer, Becky Linder, Debbie Ed-wards, Susan Nelson and Sandra

Returning from last year's team are Linda Partain, Charlotte Forester, Cindy Cooper, Elaine Barger, Joyce Parson, Gail Coley, Vicki Marsh, and Becky Braddock.

According to Mrs. Jenny Cox, their coach and gym instructor, the girls will be divided into two teams, one manager, and a relief player.

"Since volleyball is the only intramural sport in which girls may LOOKOUT

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In addition to practice sessions held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, the team keeps in shape by playing practice games as well as in tramural games with other schools which challenge them.

"While competing for a position on the volleyball team, we not only played volleyball but also did a variety of strenuous exercises in order to get in shape," stated Debbie Edwards.

Last Saturday nine members of the team placed first in an invitational tournament at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. The single-elimination contest involved sixteen team from various parts of east Tennessee

squad 42-8. Rievley, Tommy Sed. man, Jimmy Sedman, David Ash ley, Reuben Justice and Jim Long each scored pins for Central. Apparently enjoying the taste of victory, the Central wrestlers defeated Cleveland 25-18 on Jan-

matmen trounced the Riverside

uary 25 in a match which veterar grappler Ashley described as "one of our best; we worked like a team and won."

Next to battle the Pounders wen the undefeated, untied Notre Dame matmen. The Purple twelve fell to them 26-16.

Pezavan Whatley, Notre Dame's 212-pound heavyweight, increased his victory skein to 12 by decis-ioning Central's Locke 1-0.

Steve Hamond ended Sharp's dual meet perfect record in the 147-pound match 3-2 on riding

Rievley, however, remained un beaten in nine outings by pinning Bob Hines in 3:18 in the 105.

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Girls' Classes Participate In Gymnastics Training By Betty Hardison

For the first time in its history, tinue to provide the knowledge For the first time in its history, climate to provide the knowledge. Central will offer gymnastics for needled for the girls to overcome girls, according to Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Virginia Cox., agym instructors.

To learn the fundamentals of Mats. a springboard, and other gymnastics, Gali Coley and Becky. Mats, a springboard, and other

modern equipment acquired by the department are used to demonstrate forward rolls, stridestands, handstands, walkovers, backbends, and other aspects of tumbling and balancing

As the students learn mounts and dismounts, foreward and backward rolls, and cartwheels on a balance beam, they become more agile,

According to Mrs. Cox, they also learn that in order to become poised much effort must be put forth, for agility does not come naturally.

"We hope to create an interest in gymnastics by providing the basic fundamentals while introducing more advanced work.

"Our major concern is the fact that students dread tumbling. I hope our present program will cor



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Burns, accompanied by Mrs. Cox, attended a conference at Oak Ridge High School on January 22.

Those who attended were divided into groups for different activities which included the use of balance beams and parallel bars.

This conference also illustrated the proper way to supervise tumbling and balancing and the procedure of teaching gracefulness on balance beams

According to Mrs. Cox, this pro-gram will be continued next year, involving more and varied activities and more new equipment.

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ROYALTY CANDIDATES—Seated, from left, are Beverly Choate, Ruth Core, Lynn Button, Martha Hollis, and Jane Standing, from left, are Frank Goforth, Mike McCoy, James Brackett, Jimmy Mullican, and Jack Haddock

Key Club To Sponsor Vocational Days In Activity Periods March 12, 19, 26

By Tommy Mathis Mike McCoy, president of the

helped with the planning.

Club, secretary Jay Maveety,

The Key Club, in cooperation with the Guidance Department and

representative."

Vocational Guidance Days, an | rather than someone who is only a annual event for juniors and senjors, will be held during activity periods on March 12, 19, and 26, secording to Mr. Ed Hoover, sponand Mr. Hoover, are in charge of organizing the program. Members of the Key Club and calendar girls sor of the Key Club.

During these three days, experts from 62 vocations and professions will speak on their specialties. Students will be allowed to talk ingiving them a chance to obtain first-hand information about varis careers.

On a choice form issued in the English classes by members of the Key Club, students picked five fields which were of interest to them. They will hear talks on three of these choices.

During these periods sophomores will assemble in the auditorium for a program planned by the Guid-

ance Department.

According to Mr. Hoover, the purpose of the guidance days is to present to our juniors and seniors a wide variety of career fields. This program is designed so that our students may talk directly with people who are cur-rently employed in these fields,

Attention Seniors

Senior class meeting will be held in the auditorium March 6, at second period. The purpose of the meeting is to elect the Class Representative, who is a Commencement speaker, and four Class Day speakers.

Mike McCoy, class president will officiate at the meeting. Mr. Sam T. Stoner, Miss Mildred Majors. and Dr. Edward A. Owens, senior teachers, and a member of the Bank Staff will tabulate the votes.

of the downtown Kiwanis Club are

Other projects of the club are placing nameplates above the teachers' doors, ushering at Kiwanis travelogues, and publishing the Key Club Calendar. The group also has a fund that will be used to place a sign in front of the new Central

NHS Elects Nancy Averitt Second Semester President

Chapter of the National Honor Miss Mildred Major, Dr. Edward A. Society for the second semester, Owens, and Mrs. Flora Ware. announces Mrs. Flora B. Ware, club

Other second semester officers Staff, Publicity Staff, Masque Club. include Jack Haddock, vice-president; Susan Huddlestun, secretary; Elaine Barger, treasurer; Betsi Phillips, chaplain; Ruth Core, social chairman; and Peggy Commander, program chairman.

The major duty of the second semester officers will be to plan for the induction of new members into the society. Each May juniors are tapped during an assembly program, according to Mrs. Ware

To be eligible for membership in the organization, juniors must possess a 3.5 scholarship average based on a points system. Along with scholastic achievement, membership is based on character, leadership,

Juniors who have the necessary requirements are voted on by the faculty and the present members of the society. After these votes are tallied, the Honor Council makes the final decision concerning the induction of junior members.

Members of this committee are

sponsorin gthe career seminar.

Nancy Averitt has been elected | Principal W. Hobart Millsaps, Mrs. president of the Annie Mae Shelton Reba Fults, Mrs. Louise Caudle,

Some of Nancy's other activities include membership in the Usher

Students Choose Court: Ten Seniors Candidates For Mr., Miss Central

By Barbara Button

by the studient body as candidates the seniors superlatives. Homecome for Mr. and Miss Central to be ing and military queen candidate, crowned March 22, according to Principal W. Hobart Milisaps.

The candidates and their activities are as follows:

Lynn Button: Digest editor-inchief, senior Torchbearer, valedictorian, Tri-Hi-Y president, Bellamy delegate, four-year honor student, Honor Society, Student Council, Senate, Gym Staff, Math Club, Girls State delegate.

Beverly Choate: Guidance Staff resident, Usher Staff, FTA, FH, calendar girl, Honor Society, Stu-

Ruth Core: Homecoming queen andidate, four-year honor student, Honor Society, calendar girl, Senate, Tri-Hi-Y, Miller's Teen Board, FH, Usher Staff. Champion Staff, one of the ten prottiest girls, military sponsor.

Martha Hollis: FH president, Tri-Hi-Y secretary, senior class secretary, Honor Society, cheerleader, Homecoming Queen, Service in the senior superlatives, Student Council, Gym Staff, Senate, Betty Crocker Homemaker Award, Lovemans Teen Board, Girls State delegate, military sponsor.

Jane Meyer: Senate president, senior class treasurer, Student

Ten seniors have been selected | Council secretary, Leadership in Honor Society, Bank Staff, four-year honor student, Girls State delegate, military sponsor, Glee Club

James Brackett: ROTC lieute ant colonel, Student Council, ROTC departmental representative, Digest Printing Staff.

Frank Goforth: Merit Scholar-ship semifinalist, Service in the senior superlatives, Math Club senior superlatives, Math Club president, Key Club treasurer, Rifle Team captain, senior class marshal, four-year honor student, Student Council, Honor Society, Lack Haddock, Scanick Club

Jack Haddock: Spanish president, Honor Society vice-president, Key Club. Student Council, four-year honor student, Gover-nor's Cabinet at Boys State, Outstanding Junior Boy Award.

Mike McCoy: Senior class presi-

dent, Torchbearer, Key Club president, ROTC colonel, football captain, Honor Society, Boys State delegate, Christmas Prom King, C Club.

Jimmy Mullican: Intercontinental Club president, Key Club vice-president, Dependability in the senior superlatives, four-year honor student, football team, Student Council, Honor Society, Math Club, Student Science Club, Boys State delegate

Administration Announces Four-Year Honor Group

By Tommy Mathis

Class of 1968 have been named four-year honor students on the basis of scholastic achievement, announces Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

They are Phyllis Lucinda Adkins. Nancy Elaine Averitt, Rhonda

members of the Lynn Blevins, Helen Lynn Button, Ruth Jane Core, Frances Arlene Fuson, Frank James Goforth, II.

Jack Dale Haddock, Susan Lynn Huddlestun, Brenda Carol Isbell, Glenda Jean Masengil, Jay Ronald Maveety, Elizabeth Jane Meyer, Sandra Jean Morris, Carolyn Kay

James Neal Mullican, John Samuel Overton, Joyce Lynn Parson Elizabeth Ann Phillips, Deborah Lee Potts, Janet Marie Rider, and Lynda Jayne Steinberg.

To be eligible for the honor, seniors must have attended Central for at least two semesters and must have maintained at least a 3.5 average from their freshman year through the first semester of the senior year. They also must have made no lower than A in conduct.

Grade averages are compiled by the point system in which A counts four points; B, three; C, two; and D, one. All grades are converted into numbers, totaled, and averaged by Mrs. Pauline Ellis Central reg-

Said Mr. Millsaps of the hone students, "We are always delighted when students attain achievements of this nature, for when they do they are going above and beyond the call of academic duty.



HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS—Standing from left the new officers are Jack Haddock, vice-president; Elaine Barger, treasurer; Susan Huddlestun, secretary; and Nancy Applitepresident.

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Delegates will also be given a

son, Terry Tuell, and Lynda

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son, secretary; Janice Stout, treas-

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In Annual State Contests

Sixteen members of Central's Judi Pruitt will represent Centra

"The main purpose for the state words which are taken from a pre-

vention is to allow competition pared list of 500 words. An oral

business skills and abilities," examination will follow the written

explains junior Julia Painter, tests for competing semifinalists.

Each of Central's participating Representing Central in this di-

nembers will be entered in a con- vision will be senior Janice Stout

test in one of five general cate- She will be featured in a piano

envention will be the crowning of | Earline McGlohon will enter the

ennessee's Miss FBLA. Contest- public speaking contest. Contest-

ants will be judged on the basis ants are required to have memor

of neatness in appearance, skill in ized a five minute speech.

FBLA chapter and Mrs. Clarone in this contest. lughes, club sponsor, will repre-

school at the annual

Enter Contests

Senior Honors

be revealed as the school year draws nearer an end. These commendations and awards are a product of at least three years of concentrated effort on the part of the

Honor and recognition are given at this time of the year for meritorious achievements. Some juniors and sophomores will receive awards and these are no less important, but in light of the length of time the seniors have had, it is fitting that their awards should have

prominence.

Some of the senior awards consist of SAR, Sons of the American Revolution: DAR, Daughters of the American Revolution: four-year honor students; and departmental honor students. There are also various alumni and organization awards to seniors.

There are possibly many who meet the standards of excellence and quality; but those who are honored are chosen for having the most evident record of achievement. Outstanding, they deserve to be cited.

Why Get Involved?

One segment of American society is moving in a dangerous direction. It seems that we no longer care about our fellow men as we should; we don't usually concern ourselves with their problems-only our own.

One result of this attitude is a dwindling of some of the concepts which are the basis of our democratic way of life. One of the most overwhelming is the loss of our freedom to go places and do things when we want to, for we fear that harm will come to our homes, our possessions, and most of all to ourselves.

Locking doors has become automatic-students lock their cars during the day; teachers lock their rooms property. Even with these precautions we live in dread of trouble.

Through this fear, we have become less eager to become involved in the problems of others. Hundreds of people are robbed, attacked, and murdered every day while people watch, afraid to become involved.

According to John Donne, "No man is an island"— we are part of a whole; and if we are to regain personal freedom, we must insure it for all. The only regain our rights and to insure our freedom is to become involved, to become more aware of our committments.

Monograms, Fish Nets Part of Club Outfits

By Beth Jeffers

nesday.

in purple.

Thursday.

girls wear the outfits on Wed-

Central's colors are the ident-

ification of the Guidance Staff

Fridays, Gold shirtwaist dresses

are stitched and monogrammed

An apricot A-line dress with

Office Force girls wear their

short sleeves and a stand-up col-

lar is the Library Staff uniform.

Navy blue monogrammed jump-

ers and light blue blouses on

Gold buttons on a navy blue

double-breasted vest over a

white, long-sleeved blouse, and a

They are worn Thursdays.

Traditionally, those of the collars and short sleeves. The weaker sex have done everything in their power to dress entirely differently from one another; but a number of Central's clubs are breaking this rule by wearing uniforms.

Paper money is the basis for the color scheme of Bank Staff uniforms. Worn on Friday, these dresses have a solid dark green top, monogrammed in white, with a green and white plaid collar and matching swinger skirt.

Blazers that are either red, white, or blue with blue skirts make up the Tri-Hi-Y uniform. which is worn on Tuesdays.

White fish net stockings are the trademark of Y-Teens members who wear them with their sky blue uniforms - A-line dresses which have stand-up Staff uniform Spotlight on Seniors...

the time when they will be given the right to vote. Peggy Commander and Vann Cunningham think that teen-agers should take an active part in politics.

Peggy says, "I believe we should olved. We can't vote now, but someday we will. We need to know what is happening now so that we can keep abreast the issues we involved in. The debates that the Central Senate has given us are an excellent opportunity. Vann says, "I think if we get

involved now we can gain valuable experience before the time that we are responsible for the leadership f the nation. With this experience with the needs of the country. Peggy is assistant head Usher,

program chairman of the Honor Society, Student Council, Tri-Hi-Y. and Library Staff. In her spare time, Peggy plays

the piano, sews, and swims. She also enjoys singing in her youth

Next year, Peggy plans to go to

Vann hopes to be at UT next fall, "I'm going into liberal arts because I really don't know what I want to do later.

President of the Honor Platoon, Vann is also a member of the Masque Club, Bible Club, senior play cast, first lieutenant in ROTC, and chairman of morning devotions of the Bible Club. Vann says, "The first love in my life is Jesus Christ." He was voted Most Likely to Succeed by the senior class.

Vann likes to read "almost anything I can get my hands on," swim, and play ping-pong.

IN MY OPINION

Dollies Seek Single Sirs By David White

Ladies longing to lure men into holy deadlock (rather wedlock) have the sanction of Cupid this year Since it is Leap Year, Stupid (rather Cupid) lifted all restric tions which heretofore protected the male species.

Women armed with perfume fluttery lashes, and scented wigs are out to bag a catch. The Mating Game Commission has set a limit of one catch per woman, although there is no regulation regarding size qualifications.

It seems that there isn't a place where a man can escape the onslaught of altar-awaiting women. Little girls begin their pursuit in kindergarten and continue the chase until they are successful or

Rumor has it that many wellknown single men have gathered to organize a unified effort to ward off the husband hunters' attempts, The theme of the rally is "Run For Your Life," and posters and Comco Company in the contest. plaques depict the male sentiment; "Rather Dead Than Wed" and "Where would man be without

woman? In the Garden of Eden!" Though resistance is a little bet- dean's list this past semester. Pegnavy and white plaid skirt with ter organized than in the past, it a matching tie make up the Gym is evident that women are superior in waging wedding "war-fair?"



LOCKER LARKS-Peggy Commander, assistant head Usher, leaves class five minutes early to stash her books. Vann Cunningham, what's your excuse?

Owner of Lower Locker Tells Saga of Experiences Under Pain of Tardiness

er? If so, do you realize the risk top of your locker. Or he does you take every day between

If you're like me, you rush to your locker, knowing the bell may ring any time, and you discover the combination lock won't work. Frantically, you begin to kick it, knock it, and tell it off. Then after the bell rings, you limp away because you broke your foot trying to get the locker open and fractured your knee after you discovered you had the wrong locker.

Or maybe you have a messy upstairs locker owner? He is one

Rotunda reflections

By Doug McVey

Both Russell King, past Central Senate president, and Miss Jan Milner, practice teacher at Central last year, have been awarded \$1,000 Experiment in International Living (EIL) grants. In exchange for the grants, the participants will share their experiences with local schools, community groups, clubs, and friends. Russell will go to Italy, while Miss Milner will stay in Sweden.

Senior Susan Brock placed first runner-up in the Miss Junior Achievement Contest held on February 3. Susan was sponsored by the Ansco Company, as one girl represents each division of the Junior Achievement program. Junior Brenda Henley represented the

Peggy Sprayberry, last year's valedictorian and Charles Sedman. senior class noet of 1963, made the gy is studying at Middle Tennessee State University and Charles at

Are you one of the unfortunate who can't resist dropping his che udents assigned to a bottom lock- ing gum down the little hole in t close his pickle jar tightly enoug and when it falls over, pickle in drips down on your hair, coat, an books. This isn't so bad until reacts chemically with your hai

> The worst kind of bottom locke is the one by the auditorium do You rush to your locker, bend over just as some one opens the aud torium door, and you fall into the locker head first. All this could be endured unle

you're the tallest man on the ba ketball team, and the locker con up to your knees. Only then ca you really know the agony cracking your head on the loc door above you while strugglin on your knees with a locker han that comes off in your hand.

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Auto Class Gives Boys Experience

"Auto nuchanics is a service to obers as well as an aid to the subent," states Mr. J. J. Fletcher, su mechanics teacher.

The program, which instructs

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According to Mr. Fletcher, the

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or the parts and save labor costs.

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These subjects are beneficial to

student, Mr. Fletcher asserts,

or they will enable him to main-

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MECHANICS AT WORK—Searching for loose wire connections, Gary Jones | handling people and business sit- uations, a d general knowledge. | Participants in the general business contest incise contest inci

CHS Smokers Average 16 Per Cent; Number Below National Average each school will present a display to be set up in the hotel's audi-

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survey sponsored by the Digest re- tion smoke, making Central seniors while out of the parents of nonveal that 21 per cent of the seniors 12 per cent below the average. smokers, 61 per cent smoke. on the other hand," he added, in the poll admitted that they concerning the amount of cig- On the question of the dangers will be the theme of Central's dis to the other hands to enter smoke cigarettes compared to 17 arettes bought every week, the of smoking, 76 per cent of the play. The red, white, and blue bul-

According to the recent national buy 4 packs. good background for further survey of smokers, 33 per cent of

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Drama Club Creates Suspense By Enacting Mystery 'Fright'

high stools, five members of Cen- night approached, John's friend, nted the one-act murder mys- killed him. "Fright" in assembly on Feb-The mystery play ended in sus-

Members of the cast included Wike Lees portraying John Fairide: Betsi Phillips, Martha Fair-Steve Creswell, Howard ass; Carol Chaney, Eva Fair- ident, the production was backed do not approve of the habit.

kins, heads of production; Chris-Presented in chamber theater tine Tacklind, manager of sound Presented in Chamber of the Unusual presentation effects; and Peggy Palmer, promp-survey shows that 70 per cent stained no movement except for ter. Mrs. Mildred Sanders is club

Simply constructed, the plot inred a successful business man was betrayed and killed by s alleged best friend.

Throughout the drama, the ec etric John Fairbride, almost inone with fear, tried to discove





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By Barbara Button Results of the recent smoking the high school seniors in the na- of the smokers' parents smoke, and general appearance.

Out of the 16 per cent at Central harmful. that smoke cigarettes, there are only 15 girls who smoke,

students have smoked. Eighty per these in the last two years. cent of the sophomores who smoke Of the non-smokers. 71 per cent participants will be this year's of started in high school, while 73 have never smoked before, and 97 ficers may Masque Club created an at- Howard Cass, suddenly revealed per cent of the juniors and 70 per per cent plan to remain nonmassphere of suspense when they his long-felt hatred for John and cent of the seniors began during smokers. their high school years.

The mystery play ended in suspense as Mrs. Fairbride found her about their smoking, 79 per cent hope to quit in the father about their smoking, 79 per cent future, while 57 per cent of the smilers and 54 per cent of the husband dead and screamed, ter- of the juniors' parents, and 86 per cent of the seniors' parents; how-Directed by Ruth Lee, club pres- ever 69 per cent of their parents

ass; card Commy, Jenkins, the by Rusty Riddle and Tommy Jenkins, heads of production. Chrisparents, it was found that out of the entire student body, 64 per

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the student chooses as a per cent of the sophomores and 11 senior smokers average 5 packs, smokers felt that it was harmful letin board will feature Snoopy while the juniors and sophomores to health, and 96 per cent of the climbing the ladder of success other students felt it was also American busines

Statistics of the survey show innately 15 college professors, high that about half of the smokers school teachers, and business Another reaction of the survey was the length of time that the have tried to quit, 85 per cent of leaders

> Officers for the 1967-'68 school term are Jan Rider, president; Jud Pruitt, vice-president; Joyce Par

Out of the sophomore smokers Among the smokers, 62 per cent 68 per cent hope to quit in the urer; and Brenda Bowers, chaplain seniors and 54 per cent of the

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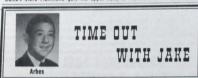
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TOURNAMENT CONTENDERS—David Sharp is caught off balance as Notre Dame's Steve Hammond gets the upper hand in the match.



State Champion

It's rather difficult to get hold of Glenn Rievley. I called few Sunday afternoons ago but couldn't talk to him until that night.

The day before, in Nashville, Glenn had won the 106-pound class of the 1968 State High School Wrestling Crown before his parents, his girlfriend, and a few thousand other

Central's only state champ's real triumph came on Friday, however, during the semifinals when he upset Tom Williams of Science Hill 6-4. In the regional tournament,

Williams of Science Hill's only wrestler and last year a Science Hill's only wrestler and last year a Science Champion of California, edged Rievley 2-0.
Glenn admitted he was out for revenge. "Williams used a lot of riding techniques which surprised me. Coach Archer worked with me, though, and I thought I was ready for him

Standing Switch

Glenn was especially grateful for a hold Neil Barnes, Glenn was especially grateful for a noid Neil Barnes, a former Auburn and Central graduate who assisted the wrestling team on his own time after school, had helped him perfect — the standing switch. He used the hold in both the regional and state tourney.

To win the championship the junior overpowered Tom Allen 7-4. "I felt that Allen was in better condition than I, but this was just his first year. I had the experience on him,"

Yes, Glenn Rievley is a state wrestling champion, and it's hard to get hold of him. Ask Tom Williams and Tom

Coming Events March 4-9: Regional basketball

March 5: Election of senior class

speakers

March 14: Faculty talent show



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Glenn Rievley Captures Grappling Championship

By Wayne McCoy

the 106-pound state wrestling maxed his undefeated season with championship on three decisions, a pin over City's Vic Hood. Fol- and the Central team compiled 23 lowing Roberts were East Ridge's points to finish sixth in the Ten- Jim Booker, who claimed the 183points to these sixth in the ren- jum booker, who claimed the 183-nessee State High School Wrestling pound title, and Lonnie Clark, also Tournament held February 16-17 at of East Ridge, who placed third. Donelson High School gym in Nashville

Rievley's victories came from decisions of 6-3 over Wade Judkins of Maplewood; 6-4 over Tom Williams of Science Hill, who recently mams of Science Hill, who recently won the 106-pound Region II championship; and a 7-4 champion-ship decision over Tom Allen of Tennessee School for the Blind.

Other Pounder matmen who gained entry in this annual event were David Sharp, placing third in the 148-pound division; Reuben Justice, placing third in the 157pound division; and Jim Long, 168pound class.

Notre Dame, which recently captured the Region II championship, placed first in this 20-team even placed first in this 20-team even with 59 points. Defending state champion East Ridge placed sec-ond with 46 points; Donelson of Nashville, third with 40 points; Father Ryan, 38; Red Bank, 30; and Central, 23.

The hest wrestler award went to the action out.

Central's Glenn Rievley captured | Joe Roberts of Donelson, who cli-

These berths came as a result of the Region II High School Wrestling Tournament, which was held recently at Red Bank Junior High, in which the Pounders placed fifth with 16 points, only 1 point behind the defending region champions, Red Bank.

In these events Notre Dame captured first place with 29 points; former state high school champion East Ridge followed with 23 points; the City High Dynamos were next with 19, followed by the Red Bank Lions with 17.

In other matches Central's mat-men finished the '67-'68 season with a 28-16 victory over the Tyner Rams. The win was sparked by a pin from 168-pounder Long, who at the time of this match was unbeaten and untied in team competi-

Long's pin came only 51 seconds after the match began as he stopped Paul Wofford. Rievley, who also has a perfect record, sat

Marsh, and manager Earline Mc-

Glohon, accompanied by Mrs. Mar-

garet Hammack and Mrs. Jenny

Having attended last year's con-

test, the team only went again this

major contender for the honors.

and a better season.

won first place in the University of Tennessee sponsored high school

invitational tournament. February

10, and returned February 24 to

play the winners from the upper

The Pounder squad, aided by vet-

erans from last year, had to battle

Having defeated Alcoa, Rock-

wood, Maury County, and Newport, the girls entered the finals against

Cocke County. It took the Pounder-

ettes all three regulation games to

down Cocke and capture first place.

The games, by process of single elimination, consisted of eight min-

ute matches. The winners were de-

termined by the best two out of three games of 15 points. A team had to lead by at least two points

in order to win. Students of the University of Tennessee girl's phy-

sical education department were

The members who participated

include Elaine Barger, Charlotte Forester, Cindy Cooper, Joyce Par-son, Gail Coley, Becky Braddock,

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Central Girl's Volleyball Team

By Betty Hardison

Central's girls volleyball team | Becky Burns, Linda Partain, Vicki

Places First In UT Tourney

Cox, coaches.

Purples Tounce Red Bank Squad: Slate Stands 15-9

Carson McCord and Rudolph Chambliss each collected 16 mark. ers as Central trounced Red Bank 66-53 in an afternoon game on the 66-53 in an atternoon game on the victor's court, February 16. Larry McGill and Wilbur Wilks

also starred for the Pounders. David Eldridge and Pat Renfro each had 11 points in a losing effort for the Lions.

The Purple Quintet in an explosive third quarter used a tight defense to outscore Red Bank 21-7 for its fifteenth victory in 24 out

Cut Winning Streak

Paced by guard McGill's 16 markers, the Purple Pounders overcame a late Brainerd rally for a 48-45 decision to end the Rebel's seven game winning streak on Feb.

Wilks hit seven of his eight points in the final period while Chambliss added 10 to aid McGill

On February 9 the cagers sparked by Wilks, rolled past the Kirkman five 60-49. Wilks ripped the nets for 25 points, 18 of which were in the last quarter.

Determined Team

Riverside staved off a last period rally of a determined Pounder team to emerge victorious 33-30 on the Trojan's floor, February 6.

Trailing by nine going into the last quarter, Central battled to within three points of the Trojans, when its rally was cut short by the final buzzer.

Kin Choute and McCord contrib

uted 12 points each to the effort, On Central's court, the Purple five raced by the Bradley Bears 57-48, with Choate bombing the

buckets for 26. McCord was next in the scoring column with 16. The Pounders were hot at the line, converting 17 of 23 free

Squeak By Irish

year in order to learn new and dif-Led by a combined McCord-Choate 37-point attack, Central's quintet squeaked by the Irish of ferent skills and were not con-sidered by other schools as a Notre Dame 50-47

Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Hammack commented that they were pleased with the team and they hoped that Midway through the fourth quarter, Central pulled to a six-point this achievement would serve to lead. But the Irish battled back cutting the margin to 48-47. With 17 seconds remaining, Choate was boost the team to more victories "The team played much better fouled. The free throw was wide than they ever had because they but McCord tipped it in to "ice" had an awareness of what they the game.

The tall center hit the hoops for points, while Choate followed result, obtained the championship." with 23.

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Two Receive Citizenship Recognition

Seniors Lynn Button and Jimmy Mullican have been selected as r dpients of the annual citizenship wards presented by the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolation, announces Miss Minnie Lee Morgan, co-ordinator of the elec-

Character, leadership, and patriotism are the determining qualities upon which the election was held according to regulations set up by the local chapters of the DAR and SAR.

The nominees were chosen in the senior English classes. With the approval of the office, the four bys and four girls receiving the highest number of votes made up the ballot. The faculty selected the winners from these names.

Digest editor-in-chief and Senior Torchbearer, Lynn is valedictorian and Tri-Hi-Y president. A four-year honor student and vice-president of Key Club, Jimmy is president of the Intercontinental Club and Dependability in the senior superlatives.

On Senior Honors Day in May, both seniors will be given a bronze medal and a certificate. Lynn's name will be engraved on a plaque outside the office that contains the

names of other DAR winners.
Senior English teachers, Miss
Morgan and Miss Mildred Major, were in charge of this year's vot-

Last year, Houston Kilgore and Mary Hawk won these awards, which are open to all seniors meeting the requirements.



Lynn Button



Jimmy Mullican



SENIOR SCHOLARS STUDYING-Doing research work for term salutatorian Glenda Masengil and valedictorian Lynn

Freedoms Award Gives Central Valley Forge Trip

By Barbara Button

won the principal school award Institute, according to Mr. Dyer, which is given by the Freedoms Foundation and entitles the school to send two delegates, a teacher and student, to the Valley Forge Pilgrimage.

Also receiving an award was Also receiving an award was Russell King, a 1967 Central grad-uate, for his letter to the editor, "Awake, Americans!" which ap-peared in the April 14 issue of last year's Digest. Russell will receive the George Washington Honor Medal and a monetary reward.

Cooperative Project

According to Mr. J. Pope Dyer, head of the social science department, Central received the award through a cooperative project accomplished by the department last

Included in this program were exhibits of Chattanooga's corporation products and several conferences on safety and the problems of youth.

Defended Democracy

Another project conducted by Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, American history teacher, was composed of student essays on outstanding Americans who had "defended democracy."

Mrs. Reba Fults, social science teacher, took a survey from congressmen and senators on what they believe is the best way to promote the American way of life.

Mr. Sam T. Stoner, American history teacher, compiled a report on the reactions of students to famous speeches in history.

Tour Landmarks

On their trip to Valley Forge, Central's representatives will tour famous landmarks of the city including Independence Hall, the

For the tenth time Central has | home of Betsy Ross, and Franklin

Commenting for the Social Science Department, said," We feel exceedingly fortunate in being able to be among the high schools in the United States that teach freedom and the American way of life."

All the information from the projects was assembled in a booklet by Mr. Dyer and sent to the foundation. The entries were judged by 30 Supreme Court judges, presidents of civic organizations, and the commander of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Two Senior Girls Attain Highest Academic Ranks Of '68 Graduating Class

By Patricia Sheetz

and salutatorian, respectively, of Council, National Honor Society, the graduating class of 1968, according to Principal W. Hobart ment Council, she is also a four-Millsaps.

a senior class of 282, Lynn has Girls State, maintained an over-all average of Academics

These girls will speak at the Commencement exercises along with the Faculty Representative and the Class Representative, who field of chemistry. are chosen from the four-year honor students.

Based on the average of grades during the first seven semesters of high school, the ratings were compiled by Mrs. Pauline Ellis, registrar. A point system was used to Tri-Hi-Y, Student Council, and determine the average in which an A is four points; B, three; C, two; and D. one.

Lynn, a Central student for the past six years, is editor-in-chief of Glenda plans to attend Middle Ten-the Digest, president of the Tri-nessee State University where she Hi-Y, Senior Torchbearer, and chaplain of the Senate.

Lynn Button and Glenda Masengil have been named valedictorian Math Team, Gym Staff, Student year honor student and served as a Attaining the highest honors in Bellamy delegate and a delegate to

Academically, Lynn has majors 3.986 and Glenda has an average in math and science and minors in of 3.970. journalism. She plans to attend the University of Tennessee, where she will further her education in the

Glenda's activities include serv ing as first semester president of the National Honor Society, secretary of the Bible Club, news-feature editor of the Digest, four-year honor student, and a member of the

With majors in history and social science and minors in journalism, business, mathematics, and science,

Frank Goforth, Jay Maveety Merit Scholarship Finalists

By Wayne McCoy

Seniors Frank Goforth and Jay Maveety have qualified as finalists for National Merit Scholarships to be presented later this year, according to Mr. James Wood, assistant guidance counselor.

Frank and Jay are now among other finalists who are being considered for approximately 1000 National Merit \$1000 Scholarships and additional scholarships which will be presented according to the amount of funds available.

recipients of the \$1000 scholarships are chosen by a selection committee which evaluates academic records, leadership qualities,

extracurricular activities, and various other information submitted by the students and their schools.

The winners may choose their college and course of study and will receive the scholarships immediately after their enrollment as a full-time student in an accredited

United States college or university. Frank and Jay will be eligible for other sponsored Merit Scholarships awarded by various industrial firms, foundations, colleges, professional groups, unions, trusts, and individuals. These are renewable scholarships covering full time study for four years or the completion of undergraduate degree requirements.

Last year 1,825 Merit Scholarships were presented by sponsors whose scholarships are usually named for the organizations financing them.

Former Central students Ava Wilhite and Paul Core are scholarship winners.

In the event that either Frank or Jay wins a scholarship, Jay plans attend MIT or Georgia Tech while Frank also hopes to attend



MERIT FINALISTS—Taking a breather from busy schedules are Frank Goforth and Jay Maveety, finalists on the National Merit Scholarship Test. Property of

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for freedom and democracy.

It didn't enable George Washington to interpret
the Constitution and establish a strong government in
a newly-conceived nation.

It didn't inspire Americans such as Cooper, Irving, Hawthorne, and Poe to create for America a literature

It didn't prepare Abraham Lincoln for the task of

It didn't prepare Advantage that was necessary for It didn't create the unity that was necessary for Americans to emerge as victors in two world wars.

It didn't launch America into the Space Age with a

desire to explore and conquer outer space. It didn't bring Americans to the aid of South Vietnam when Communists sought to uproot democracy

in that tiny land. INDIFFERENCE INDIFFERENCE
It is not part of our American heritage.

-P. S.

Jack Haddock

Irish Luck

Misfortune

By David White

Day, the subject to be considered

phrase itself has come to be as-

Since March 17 is Saint Patrick's

the Luck of the Irish. The

sociated with misfortune. Irish

legend is very much a part of the

For instance, isn't it the little

leprechaun that takes the tooth

from under your pillow and leaves something from the pot of gold?

(Perhaps a sandwich quarter.)

Then, of course, you've heard of

people who've kissed the Blarney

stone only to find they have

It is a part of our heritage to

believe that there is a pot of gold

at the end of the rainbow. Still

digging there is an Irish potato.

Irish good luck symbols are

numerous. There is the four-leaf

clover which is found only after

knees for three or four hours.

alone is used to describe the char-

and greenbacks. Even with all the

what ancestry one has, everyone

Orchids to . . . flower lovers

ouchless hand aids.

Onions to . . . cancelled snow

. hoarse cheerleaders

. finding out your

. . Champion dead-

. . . long words like

res of most everyone.

chapped lips.

(This is luck??)

IN MY OPINION

Duty — Honor

It is one thing to be brave during peacetime, but it quite another to be cited for outstanding courage while fightling in a seemingly endless war. Major William Kelly, who taught in the Central ROTC Department and is now serving in the army near Saigon, was awarded this recognition by the Chattanooga Sertoma Club.

Major Kelly was selected because, in the opinion of the club, he best understands and helps to maintain the American way of life.

While at Central, Major Kelly was strict. His in-

struction was firm in an attempt to instill in each of his cadets true military discipline and respect for themselves, their homes, and their country. He knew what his responsibilities were as a teacher, for he worked the boys to near perfection.

we join the Sertoma Club in paying tribute to a man who is truly an example for future generations.

—L. B.

More Than A Word

Citizenship is more than a word. It is an attitude, a governing force that makes a person outstanding.

A good citizen does not have to be one who makes very speeches or runs for office, but he may. He weighs the issues and votes and urges others to do the

A good citizen does small things with little comment. He doesn't litter and asks others not to. He keeps an even temper, and tries to see things

from the other person's view.

A good citizen follows the rules and requests of the

administration of the school, whether he agrees with

A good citizen is a good sport whether he is playing, watching or officiating. A good citizen practices good citizenship all the time,

not just when it is convenient.

Chosen by vote of the senior class and faculty, the

DAR girl and the SAR boy are good citizens.



Spotlight on Seniors...

year, many seniors are reflecting in the past three years. Jo Smith and Jack Haddock believe if they had it to do over again, they would do things a little differently.

"I wish now I had applied myself more," Je says. "If I had really applied myself at the first, I might not have as much trouble in my senior year. Also, I wish I could have been more out-going." "I wish I had tried to make more

friends." Jack says. Jack was a delegate to Boys State where he was Secretary of Highways in the governor's cabinet. He is president of the Spanish Club, vice-president of the Honor Society for the second semester, candidate for Mr. Central, member of the Key Club and Student Council, and a four-year honor

Last year, Jack was awarded the Sewance Award for the most outstanding boy in the junior class.

Jo is president of the Gym Staff, which recently named her Sweetheart. She is a Key Club Calendar Girl, member of the Student Council, Miller's Teen Board, and glee club and was a candidate for Christmas prom queen. On Senior Day Jo will sing "Sweetheart of

Dalton Junior College. After finishing there, she hopes to become an airline stewardess.

Her hobbies include swimming singing, watching football and bas ketball games, and sledding. She also takes private voice lessons

In his spare time, Jack plays basketball and baseball. He plays in a fast-pitch softball league at arner Park in the summer.

Jack will be at UT next year t study engineering, either civil or



Students Say Drug Users 'Seeking Something New'

By Tommy Mathis

pills, and similar drugs, a question be called square. arises-why?

the most one usually finds after opinion poll

Patricia Sheetz, junior-The macrawling around a field on your jority of the teen-age drug addicts are seeking something new and different. They try to accent their in-Another Irish symbol of good luck is the color green. The word dividuality when actually they are emphasizing their inability to be acteristics which destroy the vir-

tues of mankind: green-eyed envy David Brown, senior-I think every young person wants someoad fortune related with the Irish, thing special out of life and those seems that on Saint Patrick's that turn to drugs do so because Day everyone is Irish or of Irish they can't find anything else. ancestry. It seems that no matter

Karen Morgan, sophomore-They use drugs so they won't think about all of their worries and

Cheryl Reed, junior-Teen-agers use drugs because they want to see if their reaction to the drug is what it's built up to be.

Clifford Crownover, senior They feel like it will make them a "big shot." Also, they want to try a new experience - without thinking of the danger involved.

Steve Creswell, sophomore -They don't want to face reality.

Barbara Button, junior-I think that most teen-agers who take drugs do so because their friends say it's new and exciting and inhaving an army of snails cross the fluence them.

David Alonso, junior - They can't cope with the problems of the world by themselves, so they use drugs as crutches.

Diane Brewer, junior - I think many teen-agers go on drugs be-

With more and more young cause they think it is the big people turning to heroine, mari- thing in the world. If they don't juana, LSD, amphetamines, pep get with the "in crowd," they will Debbie Williams, junior - Most

Central students voiced their of these teen-agers try drugs beviews on this subject in a recent cause they think everyone else is, so why shouldn't they?

Jane Penley, junior - Some young people take drugs because they want others to think they are

Barry Odom, junior - I think they have lost their sense of responsibility and cannot face the realities of life. They try to get away from their problems but only create a greater one.

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The class is open to junior girls

and sophomore and junior boys

subject to Mr. Towery's approval.

All Phases of Picture-Taking

By Beth Jeffers

-Looking at the schedules for was indicated for the vocational have been chosen to represent Centhe Vocation of the music departm of the music department of the m

March 15, the ambitions of Cen- the medical field-doctors, nurses, gs idea of the students are kuth Lee and trail's juniors and seniors," stated x-ray technicians, medical tech- Ola Wood, second altos; Susan tal's juniors and wood, second altos; Susan slike McCoy, president of the Key nicians, dental assistants, and Hayes, first soprano; Betsi Phil lips, second soprano; and Linda Other students designated social Griffin and David Wood, alternates,

welfare work and the ministry as their choices.

Some students chose industrial, each day during activity period electrical, and aeronautical engi- "Frostiana," "Infant Holy." "Cor neering as their prospective career, Work in the field of mathematics

are interested in teaching physical accounting, data processing, the Priest" are a few of their banking, and financing-is the goal Also, student interest in men's of many Central juniors and ad women's military organizations seniors.

Chaplain Discusses Youth: Emphasizes Life, Reality

Vocation Days' Schedules

Vocational Guidance Days, clinic.

"The list of careers represented

s made up of the students' choices;

it shows fairly well what voca-

cons they plan to enter," he added.

The prepared list shows that

several of this years' Centralites

By Patricia Sheetz

"We're developing people today that don't know what they are," declared Mr. Bob Harrington, "Chaplain of Bour-bon Street," in assembly on February 20.

The former University of Alabama football player also practice at the First Christian stated, "Today's teen-age boys look like Tarzan, talk like Church on April 3, 4, and 5. Jane, and act like Cheetah.' The annual TEA concert will

Punctuating his speech with other bits of humor, the Baptist reacher's quips ranged from "Little thinkers become big stinkers" to scher's quips ranged from Listue timiners become oig actives.

A record, which will include the metimes the devil is blondheaded and only the hairdresser knows."

A record, which will include the songs featured in the concert, will Mr. Harrington's speech also emphasized the seriousness of life. also be made by the group.

though "everyone may not bewe in heaven or hell, everybody Photography Students Learn lieves in death," he asserted. To further emphasize the reality life, Brother Bob, as he prefers

be called, asked these questions How far off is heaven? How far off is hell? How far off is school in Tennessee has a photog- credit course, the class now works His reply was accented by the raphy class set up like ours," com-

his reply the mented Mr. C. G. Towery of his the "Camera Club Presents" extillness of the auditorium. "Just third period class. me heartbeat," he answered, "just ne heartheat "

20 students in the class can learn Mr. Harrington, dressed in his every phase of photography instomary attire-red socks, red tie, and red hankerchief—and carying a red Bible, also spoke to tures; enlarging, processing, and udents at other schools and ap- making prints; coloring portraits; eared nightly for one week at and caring for the cameras. the Tyner High School auditorium. A calendar is set up in class so In addition to his Chattanooga the students may rotate in shootsit, he has made several local TV ing pictures, working in the darkearances and will appear on a room, and doing class work. tionwide TV program in the fure. The "Chaplain of Bourbon treet" also has two records in graphs for the Champion, the reulation and has had a book ritten about him.

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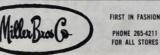
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Digest, school publicity, and local

According to Mr. Towery, the

cluding taking and developing pic-





Four To Sing in All-State Chorus Reveal Student Ambitions | Four Varsity Glee Club members



CHORUS MEMBERS—Getting ready for the all-state chorus rehearsals is Rut Lee, while Betsi Phillips, far left, and Susan Hayes listen. Not pictured is Oli Wood.

resented Friday, April 5, at Me-Presidents for '69 Term

Junior Barbara Button and soph- | Club secretary-treasurer. nore Bart Slatton have been assistant chaplain, and a mem elected to lead next years' Tri-Hi-Y of the Gym Staff and Digest Staff and Hi-Y clubs, respectively, ac- Bart began the football seaso ording to Mrs. Dorothy Stone and as an end and has been a Hi-Y

One of their first duties as presdents of these service organiza- for the Youth and Government Contions will be to give the devotions on Senior Day.

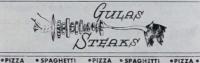
The remaining Tri-Hi-Y officers will be elected in two weeks and group will write a bill and submit will be announced at the annual it to the student legislative body. "Many of my students have gone banquet in April, according to ficers will be eligible to attend an into the service as photographers; Lynn Button, club president. Other officer training camp sponsored by others are now in business," noted Hi-Y officers will be revealed later Mr. Towery. He added that three this month.

of his former students are now Barbara's activities include be ing Student Council chaplain, Intercontinental Club secretary, Math "Although the photography class

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Mr. James Wood, club sponsors. | member for two years. Both clubs are now making plans

ference to be held in Nashville on April 3, 4, and 5. In preparation for the convention, the Central

the YMCA this spring at Ocoee

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Volleyballers Place Third In Tourney

Central's girls' volleyball team captured third place in the State High School Volleyball Tournament held at the University of Tennessee February 24 with a 5-4 tourney

Winners were selected in a round winners went from the four regional winners — Chattanooga Central, Knoxville Doyle High, Knoxville Rule High, and Church Hill High. Each achool played every other

school in a match consisting of three games. The winner was decided on the total number of games won. In case of a tie, a sudden death play-off of only one game was planned.

Doyle came in first place with Rule close behind for second, Cen-tral slid to third place, and Church Hill followed for fourth.

During the tournament, all teams used a box-rotation system. This enabled the girls to rotate to different positions in order to strengthen the team.

The volleyball team is coached and instructed by girls' gym class instructors, Mrs. Margaret Hamack and Mrs. Jenny Cox. Earline McGlohon serves as manager.

The tournament was sponsored by the UT School of Health and Physical Education, which present-ed the first and second place team trophies.

A few weeks earlier Central re-

The Pounder thinclads, hoping to

better last year's 1-7 record, have

This year, which marks Central's second in HIL competition, will again find the Pounders competing

With the loss of speedsters Sam-

my Lee and Buzz Adams, stand-outs and graduates of last year's

squad, the Pounders will be at a

Coach Smith stated, "We are

looking for boys who are willing

to pay the price and work hard at track." He continued by saying,

"We have pretty good material here at Central, but lack of inter-

est and facilities have greatly hin-

Coming Events

March 12-Movie (Glenn Miller)

March 13-Prisonaires in

assembly

in the A Division because of its lays.

Gordon W. Smith.

track inexperience.

slight disadvantage.

dered us."

By Wayne McCoy

begun preparations for the 1968 the field and track events offered." track season, according to Coach Track events include the low and

high hurdles, the 100-yard dash,

the 440 and 880-yard runs, the

mile, and the 440 and 880-yard re-

Included in the field events are

the shotput, high jump, pole vault, and broad jump. Concerning the field events, Coach Smith empha-

sized the great need for jumpers

Track, a relatively new sport introduced at Central seven years

ago, has until recently received lit-

tle student support or recognition.

Few, if any, boys tried out for the

team in previous years; and the Pounders did not even field a team

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and pole vaulters for each event.



Baseball Season Begins; Team To Rely On Pitching

Returning from the 1967 state runner-up team are seniors Kin Choate, Charlie Rogers, and Craig Odman and juniors Larry McGill, Tim Thornhill, Ronnie Holder and

Choate, selected by the Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce as the top area baseball player, and Rogers will handle the mound duties

hitting comes through, we'll do

However, Coach Test doesn't McCoy

Coach Smith also commented, problem. "We didn't start hitting "We need participants in many of until late last year; we relied on our pitching," he explained.

Although Central lost some big hitters last year in Denny Painter, Gary Matlock, and Donnie Leonard, Coach Test explained that the

The diamondmen are planning some road trips this year, the first of which will be to Jefferson City.
"This trip will be the only one on which we will stay overnight,"

The coach also commented that all the teams in the HIL will be tough competitors this year, but the most trouble is expected from Red Bank, Brainerd, and City. The Pounders will hit the turf for their first game sometime at the begin-

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With seven returning lettermen, the Pounder diamondmen are hopeful for another winning seaso

Steve Wehmeyer.

A few weeks earlier Centrar received a trophy for winning another UT-sponsored match in which they won regional honors.

the top area baseball player, must not be the properties of the Purple nine.

When Coach Eddie Test, in his second year as head baseball mentance with the properties of the purple nine.

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On the purple nine with the properties of the purple nine with the properties of the purple nine.

For Second Season in HIL okay.

team will have hitting power in Choate, Thornhill, and McGill.

stated Coach Test.

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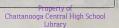
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Overheard At The Game At the Tyner game on Central's court a few weeks ago,

At the Tyner game on Central's court a few weeks ago, I overheard these comments from a few Tyner alumni one or two rows behind me. "Where's all that great Central spirit I've heard so much about?" one of the men asked his thend as he gazed over the small crowd of students. "I don't know," his friend answered, 'but it's sure not here today. This couldn't be all the students."

Minimum Expense

"It just costs 25 or 35 cents to come to the game doesn't

it," asked the first man.
"Yes, I think that's about right," his companion answered.

Tyner had just asked for a time-out. The cheerleaders bounced onto the floor and started one of their yells. The crowd just laughed, and the cheerleaders simply sat back

down.

I don't want to give the impression that everyone was quiet. As Tyner pulled within a few points of the Pounders, the men behind me went wild. They were screaming so hard I was afraid they'd have heart attacks. These men, who I'm sure got off from work to see the game, knew each Ram player by name and shouted encouragement to him.

Arounsed From Deep Sleep

And then like a giant dragon who had just waked after a sleep of five centuries, Central's cheering section stirred. The Pounder ouintet, thanks to clutch shooting by Carson McCord and Wilbur Wilks, slowly pulled ahead—2, 4, 6, 8

However, not everyone was happy. "Wait until next year," warned two Tyner alumni one or two rows behind me.

ROTC Department Plans Drill, Rifle Competition

Central's ROTC rifle and drill | bourn, Thomas Howell, Howard squads are preparing to compete Thomas, and Craig Brothers. with other state teams during March and April, according to David Sharp, captain of the drill

Two meets are scheduled for the drill team, one with the Johnson City firers, featuring fancy drill, and one in Nashville involving a 22.5 or conventional drill in addition to fancy drill.

"Whether the team goes to the matches or not will depend on the kind of shape it's in. The two meets are tentatively set for March and April," he explained.

The Pounder marksmen lost their first meet to Columbia Military Academy 996-883.

Participating in the match were Lynn Patterson, Lawrence Wil- funerals and marching in parades WADE AUTO PARTS

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With a 2-5 slate, the rifle team is planning two more matches, the second with McCallie.

Members of the drill team include Captain Sharp, Van ningham, Hubert Chapman, Jimmy Phillips, Richard Key, Byron Dal-ton, Buddy Childers, Barry Cole, George Love, Larry Ellison.

Edward Pell, Doug Choate, Gary Jones, Ronnie Blewer, John Holt, Larry Wilks, Chuck Leaghty, Dawson Little, Anthony Holderfield Ronnie Kelly, Frank Key, Steve King, John Neff, Jody Skiles Charles Young, and John Cooke. Among the drill team's other ac

tivities are officiating at military

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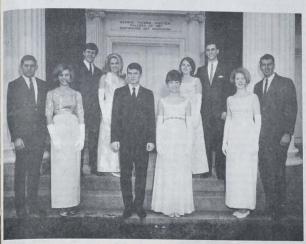


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SENIOR DAY ACTIVITIES TODAY



SENIOR ROYALTY—Members of the Senior Day court are, from left, Mike McCoy, Ruth Core, Frank Goforth, Beverly Cleate, Jack Haddock, Martha Hollis, Jane Meyer, Jimmy Mullican, Lynn Button, and Jimmy Brackett.

Senior Class, Champion Staff Select Mr. Sam T. Stoner '68 Dedicatory

ary of the 1968 Champion by the enior class.

A Central graduate, Mr. Stoner holds an AA Degree from Tentessee Wesleyan College, BS Depee from Middle Tennessee State University, and a MA Degree from George Peabody College. He also received a Civilian Aviation Education Potential Officers Certificate from the University of Tennessee.

At Central, Mr. Stoner sponsors the Cinema Club, a service group which aids in showing films and filmstrips to student groups and

Also every year, Mr. Stoner ditects the clothing drive in cooperation with the Hamilton County Department of Education. Through is efforts the amount collected has exceeded the goal each year.

Presently serving as president of the Social Studies Teachers of Tenlessee, Mr. Stoner is also president d the East Tennessee Social Studies Teachers.

As president of the Tennessee Social Studies Teachers, Mr. Stoner a planning the state meeting for the group which will meet in Chattanooga on April 5.

Active in local, state, and naimal education organizations, he

acher and director of audio-visual ETEA, Hamilton County Educaducation, has been selected dedica- tion Association, State Audio-Visual Association, National Audio-Visual Association, National Council for Social Studies Teachers, Hamilton County Preview Committee, and the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Middle Tennessee State University Alumni Association.

Mr. Stoner has also held offices among the journalism teachers of Tennessee, Hamilton County Social Studies Teachers, and East Tennessee Social Studies Teachers and is the past president of an American current events fraternity.

He has toured fifteen foreign



Mr. Sam T. Stoner

Mr. Sam T. Stoner, senior history | is affiliated with the NEA, TEA, | countries and forty-eight of the fifty United States and has lectured to political, social and religious organizations. An amateur writer, he wrote "The Haunted Coffee Pot," a short story which was published.

Mr. Stoner will be the featured speaker in the annual Senior Day ceremonies today at which time Mr. and Miss Central will be crowned. The topic for his address is "The Power of the Mind."

Central Royalty Reigns In Morning Ceremonies

By Gary Reynolds

Millsaps, highlighting the 1968 Senior Day program which begins in the auditorium at 10 o'clock this morning.

Members of the royal court are Jane Meyer, Frank Goforth, Bev-erly Choate, Jack Haddock, Ruth Core, Jimmy Mullican, Lynn Button, and Jimmy Brackett.

Seniors will be led into the auditorium by class marshals Bill Ridge, Jim Long, John Crawford and John Kelle. The marshals will also assist in seating the seniors. Sophomore pages Jim Barclay, Manning Boyd, Steve Brown, and Roy Willhoit will roll out the aisle cloth for the procession. Candace Luttrell and Alex Wil-

liamson will be the flower girl and crown bearer, respectively. Alex is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williamson, and Candace is the daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Warren Luttrell

Central High." A quartet com-posed of Susan Hayes, Carolyn honored at a luncheon.

Mrs. Stone notes, "I hope the

Last year the total amount col-

drive is a success because the

Martha Hollis and Mike McCoy Chaney, Michael Lees and Steven will be crowned Mr. and Miss Creswell will perform during the Central by Principal W. Hobart ceremonies. Ginger Nye will preceremonies. Ginger Nye will present the annual crown dance for the royal couple.

Devotions will be by Barbara Button, in-coming president of the TRI-Hi-Y, and Bart Satton, in-

coming president of the Hi-Y.
Mr. Sam T. Stoner, Champion
dedicatory, will be the featured
speaker of this morning's cere-

Representing their classes will be presidents Larry McGill, junior, and Steve Meyer, sophomore, and Kin Choate, senior vice-president.

Juniors serving as ushers for Senior Day are Gail Coley, Brenda Cook, Rodena Cook, Susan Davenport, Gwen Frisbee, Amy Hackney,

Brenda Henley.

Martha Hughes, Debbie Jordan,
Georgia Jordan, Janet Maveety,
Sharon Neal, Julia Painter, Delores Passmore, Becky Rievley, and Patricia Sheetz.

Following the Senior Day pro-gram, a reception will be held in Jo Smith will honor Miss Central the study hall for seniors, guests, by singing "The Sweetheart of and parents. Afterwards Mr. and Central High." A quartet com-

18 Upperclassman To Receive Departmental Honor Awards

By Gwen Frisbee

Departmental Honor Students have been selected and

Departmental Honor Students have been selected and consist of 18 seniors who will be recognized at Commencement, announces Mrs. Maxine Williams, Champion sponsor. Students selected for this honor from the individual departments are as follows: Art—David Brown; Physical Education: Girls—Joyce Parson; Boys—Jim Long; Band: Service—Lynda Steinburg; Music—David Wood; Business Education—Jan Rider; English—Glenda Masengil.

Foreign Language—Jimmy Mullican; Home Economics—Beverly Choate; Industrial Arts: Auto Mechanics—Jim Long; Mechanical Draft-

ing-Mike Harvey; Architectural Drafting - David Wooten; Blue Drafting - David Print Reading - Ronnie Borden;

Woodworking-Bobby Wheeler. Printing — Charles Dempsey; Mathematics — Frank Goforth; Music: Vocal-Ruth Lee; Instrumental — David Wood; ROTC — Mike McCoy; Science—Lynn But-ton; and Social Studies — Glenda Masengil.

Mrs. Williams said that these students, chosen by members of the respective departments, have performed admirably in their ende for knowledge in a particular field. "A departmental honor student is one who has achieved academic excellence in a field of study, accord-

will read the names and departments of each senior representative on Commencement night, following the speeches and preceding the presentation of the senior class to the school board members.

Bible Love Offering Drive Opens Monday, March 25

By Glenda Masengil

The Bible Love Offering Drive, over the city, will be used to pay sponsored by the Tri-Hi-Y, will Hamilton County Bible teachers begin Monday, March 25, and will who do not receive regular salaries. continue until April 10, announces Mrs. Dorothy Stone, club sponsor.

Coordinating the drive will be money goes to a worthy cause; it's Tri-Hi-Y members Julia Painter, wonderful to be able to have Bible Patricia Sheetz, Barbara Button, teachers in our schools." and Becky Rievley.

Jan Rider, Becky Braddock, lected was \$1,370.39, which ex-claine Stoner, and Becky Rievley ceeded the goal by \$370.39. The Elaine Stoner, and Becky Rievley are in charge of designing the goal of \$900 is slightly lower this hing to the standards set by the rotunda bulletin board display and year because of the loss of the host of posting the contributions on it. Junior high division, Lynn Button. Each morning members of the club president, stated.

club will go to the homerooms to collect the money.

This will be placed in a fund, which, along with church and individual contributions of collected of the drive last year.

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To Honor An Entire Class

Thirty-five years ago the Digest began the tradition of selecting a girl and a boy to bear the names of Mr. and Miss Central and of honoring the senior class. There have been innovations to the original Senior Day program, but the purpose of this solemn ceremony has

For many seniors this is their sixth pageant; as seventh graders they sat in the balcony and marveled at the beautiful processional. Through the years each Senior Day has been more outstanding and more meaningful than the previous one. The 1968 program will be particularly memorable one for the 282 members of

the senior class. It is their Senior Day.

As seniors watch the pagentry, listen to the speeches, and witness the crowning of Mr. and Miss Central, their thoughts will turn to graduation, Class Day, and the other final activities which are only two months away. Although today is especially to recognize the senior

candidates, it is also to honor the entire class. A Drive of Love

Love involves attraction, unselfishness, attachment,

As the drive for the Bible Love Offering draws near,

devotion, and delight; but the most significant of these

Central students can express this phase of love. A large

part of this task remains in the students' hands; they possess the power to prolong the teaching of Bible in

public schools or to forfeit this privilege to hundreds

this annual drive become successful. Determination,

devotion, and unselfish contributions are the essential ingredients that will enable Central to achieve this goal.

They collected \$1,370.39 to exceed the goal of \$1000.00.

They truly exemplified the spirit of giving. The challenge was made and met.

obviously decrease the amount collected. Nevertheless.

the senior high division can and must determine to focus

their love on this gratifying drive.

A Puzzling Predicament

Only through the willingness of Central students can

Last year Central students accomplished this aim.

is unselfishness.

Spotlight on Seniors..

excuses to skip studies. Ruth Core and Jimmy Brackett have good reasons why books shouldn't be

THE CENTRAL DIGEST

"Study is necessary in high school," Ruth says. "It really pays off in the long run because you need good grades if you want to get into a good college, and it pays off in money later."

Jimmy says, "If I had hit the books a long time ago, I would be better off now. Don't worry about saving work until you're a senior because there is plenty to do then."

When she isn't studying, Ruth likes to sew and "talk on the phone." She makes almost half of her clothes. Modeling for Miller's gives Ruth a chance not only to meet people but to keep up with

Ruth is a member of the Champion Staff, Tri-Hi-Y, Senate, and Honor Society and is a four-year honor student and military sponso Ruth is a candidate for Miss

Central, who will be crowned today. Jimmy is being honored as a candidate for Mr. Central. Jimmy says, "I wouldn't want to go to any other school. It has al-

ways seemed great to me." He is lientenant colonel in ROTC, Student Council depart-



SENIOR EXCITEMENT — What! Chivalry on the rotunda steps? No, just Jir Brackett and Ruth Core practicing for Senior Day.

and a member of the Digest Print- IN MY OPINION ing Staff. Jimmy enjoys playing basketball and softball. "I also like to mess around with my motorcycle."

Ruth hopes to be at UT next fall to study home economics. Jimmy is uncertain whether he is going to college; but if he does, he

The first step was to limit the was the seventeenth, eighte and nineteenth centuries After number of ideas, I hit upon

task of taking notes. (By the way, the Top Flight Paper Corporation lesales notecards by the hale) After three weeks of note taking, I was ready to write my rough draft. (It was so rough you could sand cement with the outline

In Springtime Adventure

sunshine. He noticed that the the Winter(s)."

This year will bring still another and greater challenge, for the absence of the junior high division will Choate him what was going on.

swer," he demanded.

Fearing that something had hap- you," the Jay replied with Lively pened while he was asleep, the g-Lee. "Don't you know? It's the Stout bear, King of the Wood(s), real McCoy; its spring! Mey-er Cam-den out of his Chambers and you dumb if you don't know that. Doug his Way(ne) through the That's why Jack Frost left last thicket to view the scene. Over the week. Like I Sed-man, your brain Ridge he could see a White Ray of must Harden like a rock during

> Wood(s). I am only an animal." the bear said Sharp(ly)." "How Kin(ny) one know what time it is unless someone tells him? By the way you might Mar-tha reputation of an important public figure if anyone learns of this."

"Have Faith in me," the Jay inswered. "I'll Button my lips and "I'm more Cunning(ham) Vann Gary your secret forever."

mental representative for ROTC, attend Middle Tennessee. Seniors Prominent Figures

Phil him in on the news and to

Chris-p leaves and Moss were Green instead of Brown. Curious to know the Frank t-Ruth about this puzzling day. the bear asked a nearby Jay to

"Give me the Key to the an-

"Even as the Commander of the

Preschoolers Eye Proceedings with Few Qualms

It takes hours of painstaking of 1200 people. Here they inevitapractice and quite a few sticks of bly proceed to enjoy themselves. ery before the flower girl and flower basket in the lap of the Day; but as ceremony time aptiny white gloves, and begins to proaches, these two preschoolers flirt with Mr. Central. proaches, these two presents who show little evidence of nervous qualms little less cautious with his actions.

affair, one year she did get a decorations. When he discovers little nervous when it was her time that the white paper is fastened Central, she had to be led by Miss collection.

Central. But generally they feel Finally the affair is over; the

marshals and are seated in front dolls.



First he deposits his pillow on the Although the flower girl is floor beside him. Then he promptsually quite composed about the ly starts to examine the nearest to walk down the long aisle. In- by tape, he decides to add a few stead of leading the way for Miss pieces of it to his miscellaneous

Central. But generally they see Finally the ariair is over, in no qualms about the processional. flower girl is short one glove; the After both children arrive at the crownbearer has his pockets full of front of the auditorium, hopefully decorations and his shirt tail hangat the same time, they are gingerly ing out. They may happily return lifted onto the stage by two husky to the world of toy trucks and





Term Paper Post Script By David White

Beginning with a suggested topic, a deadline, and a 343-page book entitled Ten Easy Steps to Term Papers, I, along with 281 fellow sufferers, embarked on the Magical Mystery Tour of Term

subject. My suggested subject area subject, Antidisestblishmentarian. ism, or Freak-Out 1776. It was a title appropriately fitting my subject-the American Revolution

The next step was the tedious

Finally finished.1

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Thirteen Boys Volunteer a broken hip. N MEMORIAM-This rotunda bulletin board display illustrates the planned Mike Perkins Memorial, erected by

Central Students Contribute \$940.46 For Mike Perkins Memorial Fund Seniors Receive Letters

dass and the Student Council, of- Averitt. das and the Student Council, of School service proved rewarding to faily ended March 6, according to faily ended more for the fund in their failure and failure Thirty-seven students who col- Barnara Busin, 1877 Bus

Debbie Potts.

Totaling \$940.46, the Mike Per- | - Jan Rider; Fields-John Kelle; | ley - David Deerman; Williams -Memorial Fund, which was Fults — Sue Navel; Shropshire — Jim Long; John—Vicki McCanless gighty sponsored by the senior Joyce Parson; Williamson—Nancy Major—Kin Choate; Mayfield— John Crawford; Morgan - Carson

Major, respectively.

According to Jay, this plaque will

be mounted on a slanted marble

place at the new Central.

laughed at them . . . we used to call hibited on the main bulletin board.

Star Medal for heroism in Vietnam stand and placed in an appropriate

dy Cooper; Webb-Ricky McDan-Wharton—Gary Reynolds; Dyer iel; Archer—Jackie Camden; Ash-

Two Alumni Receive Honors For Action in Vietnam War By Gary Reynolds

Spec. 4 Thomas Edward Goff, a continued. It was seven hours be-president. 366 graduate of Central, and Spec. fore he could receive aid from fel-Kenneth R. Pack, class of 1964, low servicemen. vere recently awarded honors for beir Vietnam war duty.

"We'll never quit; we'll never strations against the war, he added, This memorial is a bronze plaque, a are selected carefully," stated Mr. eave Vietnam," stated the youthful "The men with me, I won't say replica of which, along with the off during a recent visit to the boys there are no boys in Vietnam, exact wording, was recently ex-

The Army infantryman was them stupid . . . they made us fight warded the Purple Heart after beng wounded January 31 (January in the United States) while serving as a security guard in Saigon. ing as a security guard in Saigon.
He was wounded as he rode shotto save his patrol's wounded point run in a jeep with two other serv- man

e left cheek and in the left shouler by a .45 caliber round as the hicle was attacked by snipers "We were able to return fire



Pack received the Army's Bronze

last August 18, when he deliberate-





Blood for Mrs. Robinson The true Central spirit of giving | Mrs. Robinson requested the do was exemplified March 7, when 13 nations from Central students be-central boys volunteered to donate blood to the Memorial Hospital on Central High students to supply Blood Bank to replace blood used it."

for Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, a re-tired Central teacher.

As a member of the Central fac-ulty for 42 years, Mrs. Robinson Mrs. Robinson suffered injuries taught senior high English and when she fell down the County creative writing.

Court House stairs on February 27. At that time she sponsored the Doctors used two pints of blood local chapter of the Junior Red during the resulting operation for Cross and assisted in the activities of the Central chapter.

a broken hip.

Dexter Fearing, Harry Robinson,
Dale Gore, and Stave Cordell were
selected at random to give one pint
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at Moccasin Bend Hospital, where
the Moccasin Bend Hospital, where
the Robinson Hospital Proposition of the Moccasin Bend Hospital
the Robinson Hospital
th The other volunteers who were toured countries in Europe, South

Bettis, George Love, and Gary I could thank each donor person-

By Wayne McCov and Tommy Mathis

School service proved rewarding | Stoner, "Because of the lack of un-

the Student Council are Miss Minme Lee Morgan and Miss Mildred
Major, respectively.

All Stoner, cub sponsor, cally outstanding in their service.

Major, respectively.

All Stoner, cub sponsor, cally outstanding in their service and skill in the handling of Each club member has a regular udio-visual materials." "We were very happy about the

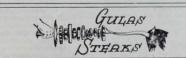
students' response to the Mike Per-Stoner has sponsored for 12 years, various duties. kins Memorial Fund and the large amount of money that they contribis designed to aid teachers in showuted," stated Jay Maveety, council ing films, film-strips, and slides, classmen, especially those with au-The purpose of the Mike Perkins other audio-visual machines, order interested in joining the Cinema Memorial Fund was to pay for a and mail films, and repair and Club, contact him in room 319. When asked about the opinion of memorial to honor Mike, who died maintain the equipment.

U. S. troops in Vietnam to demon- last October of a football injury. "Each year, new club members

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The other volunteers wno were toursed countries in Europe, South not selected to donate blood are Mayne Anderson, Jerry Pinkle, Robert Gannaway, Billy Kilgore, Joe Downs, Mac Clopton, Steve Mrs. Robinson stated, "I just wish

For Cinema Club Service

Mr. Sam T. Stoner, club sponsor, Larry Howington have been espe-

staff period in his daily schedule The Cinema Club, which Mr. during which time he performs his

Mr. Stoner requests that under Club members also operate various dio-visual aid experience, who are

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Team Picks Tim Thornhill To Lead '68 Grid Squad

Tim Thornhill and Rick Holder Mike McCoy captured the Best-were selected to lead the 1968-1969 Pounder grid squad as cap-sented to the player who is the tain and co-captain, respectively, at the All-Sports Banquet at Provident Cafeteria, Tuesday, March

State Wrestling champion Glenn Rievley and David Ashley were named captain and co-captain, respectively, of next year's grapplers.

Winners of the coveted football awards and the past season's ath-letic lettermen were also honored at the annual affair.

Mike Perkins was posthumously awarded the Outstanding Player Award originated by the late Gordon Gambill. Though Perkins played in less than half the games, the coaches stated that his dedication and skill in football qualified him for the award.

Reuben Justice was presented the Best Attitude Toward Football Award, Radio station WAPO presents the award annually to the underclassman who has shown, through regularity in practice and willingness to learn, his dedication

This year's Bill Penney Coaches Player Award went to the player selected by the coaching staff who represented best the characteristics which coaches hope to find in every boy-Jim Long.

Five Girls Reach Finals in Tryouts For Majorettes

Five girls are competing for positions on the Pounder majorette squad, stated Mr. Morris Bales, sponsor.

Chosen from 15 applicants on Chosen from 10 applicants on February 21, the prospective twirl-ers, whom Mr. Bales describes as some of the best majorette pros-pects Central has had in recent years, will replace graduating seniors Janet Largin and Jackie

The possible selections include sophomores Ann Smith, Jane Leonard, and Vicki Harris and freshmen Debbie McClain and Karen Askew.

On February 20 and 21 contestants performed memorized routines that consisted of the basic fundamentals of baton twirling. Head majorettes Cheryl Reed and Michelle Tinker and Mr. Bales selected the finalists.

The present majorettes will teach the finalists several routines which will be used when they tryout again in May. Mr. Bales will announce the results of the competition at the end of the school year.

In July, the girls who are selected will begin regular practice with the other majorettes: juniors Cathy Rooks, Michelle, and Cheryl and sophomore Javne Arnold.



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most active participant in all phases of student activities.

The Best Team Man Trophy was won by Gary Locke. The award, sponsored by Dayle-May Jewelers, is given to the player, who in his teammates' estimation, put forth the most effort for the team's benefit.

Harry Robinson, overcoming a football injury in his sophomore year, won the Ned Thaxton Trophy, presented to the most improved player.

The Best Blocking Trophy was presented to Bill Ridge, lineman, and for the second straight year to Gary Hamrick, halfback.

Jimmy Mullican, with an average of 3.755, was presented the Scholastic Award.



ATHLETIC HONORS — Award winners at the annual All-Sports Banquet are seated from left, Rick Holder, Harry Robinson, Jim Long, and Gary Hamrick, and, standing from left, Reuben Justice, Tim Thornhill, Bill Ridge, Jimmy Mullican, Mike McCoy, and Gary Locke.



TIME OUT WITH JAKE

In the Locker Room

"Boys, the only way we'll lose this one is if you just let them beat us," frowned Coach Smith as he paced the floor.

It was halftime during the Central-South Pittsburg Region 3 basketball game, and the Pounders had just left the hardwood with a not-too-comfortable six-point advantage.

"Even though not under great defensive pressure, we are booting the ball and throwing it away," he continued. "Their press isn't hurting us, but we're missing the easy shots."

And with grim, determined expressions the team sat on the long benches and listened. Players like Carson McCord, Kin Choate, Larry McGill, Wilbur Wilks, Wayne Anderson, and Rudolph Chambliss listened and cringed at the thought of missing that one lay-up, the easy foul shot, or taking the long shot when they could have driven in for the crip.

Flicker of Pride

"We're not all going in after the rebounds. The only one really watching the ball is McCord," explained the mentor. A small flicker of pride and pleasure flitted across the lanky center's face.
"Okay, boys, let's play some ball," the coach grinned. Players stopped for a drink of water and patted each other,

Players stopped for a drink of water and patted each other, said how good everyone was the first half and how much better they'd be in the second. Out they walked through the locker room to the screaming mass of fans.

The Pounders had listened in the locker room. Final score: Central 55, South Pittsburg 54.

Two nights later the spirit was still there but the victory wasn't. After the game Coach Smith summed up, "We started out with a team which I thought would have a losing season; but, through their spirit and determination, they went all the way to the quarterfinals of the District 3 Tournament.

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Pounders Go To Region: Lose In Second Contest

Athens, Tennessee, recently to par-ticipate in the Region 3 Basketball and Wilks with 3. Tournament but were defeated in their second game with McMinn Central High School 38-36.

Going in to the second night of play, the Pounders had one win, overcoming the South Pittsburg Pirates 65-54.

Top performers in Central's first region encounter were Carson Mc-Cord, Wilbur Wilks, and Kin Choate. McCord led the Pounders' scoring with 21 while Wilks tallied 17. Choate was cited for his defense against South Pittsburg's high scorer, Terry Siler.

Good Defense

Pounder coach, Gordon W. Smith said, "Choate did a tremendous job on defense guarding that Siler boy. Siler had been averaging around 20 points a game, and Choate let him have only 9."

Central's second and not so suc cessful encounter came against the runner-up team of the District 10 Team while Assistant to the District 9 coaches.

were Larry McGill with 10, Choate

Held Edge

In this head-to-head defensive battle, McMinn grabbed a 2-0 lead and held an edge throughout the game even though the Pounders did tie the score at several points

The McMinn Chargers' victory foul line, converting 14 of 19 at tempts, while the Pounders managed only 6 of 17.

Central's eligibility to participate in the region tournament resulted from their fourth place standing in the District 9 Tournament held earlier at the University of Chat tanooga's Maclellan Gymnasium In this series Central's cagers earned wins of 60-25 over Red Bank and 52-42 over Hixson and losses of 55-43 to City and 56-40 to Brainerd.

McCord and Choate were nam to the District All - Tournamen Team while Assistant Cage Coach Ed Test was elected president of

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GROOYY GURU—Contemplating his schedule for next year, which will include a daily session in meditation. Coach Archer practices the techniques which he hopes to put into use.

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an avid member

by

The latest figure to emerge on | the Presidential scene is Central's Earline are such achievements as own starlett Earline McGlohon, a vice-president of the Pep Club, fourth or fifth pary candidate.

Mr. Archer

If elected, Earline, running on the "What! Me Worry?" ticket with Alberta E. Newman, will be the first woman President of the United States since the husband and wife team of Mr. and Mrs. G. W.

She feels herself qualified for the position because of her lead in the senior play. Earline stated that this entertainment experience put her in the political class with such Hollywood figures as Ronald Raining, George Mumpy, and her curly-haired opponent running on the Good Ship Lollipop ballot.

Also in the plus column for manager of the volleyball team, and a charter membership in the

Earline made her decision to enter the race shortly after Robbie Kennerly made his intentions known. She thinks that her chances are just as good as any of the other possible candidates, and that she has more than enough support with Central behind her.

The optimistic Earline commented that she hoped to win the Wauhatchie primary, go on to victory in the national elections, and move on to the White House.



Sports Flashlight

Today's calendar reveals Today's calendar reveals a pupil versus professor contention on the basketball court. Tickets for the grudge bout will be obtained free with a donation of 35 cents to the Tired Teachers Fund. Mr. R. S. Whatton and Coach Stan Farmer will coach the respective teams.





Coach Gordon Smith Collects 'Treasures' From Gum Packs for Perfect Ball

By Barbara Button After many years of tireless work, Coach Gordon Smith has finally reached his ultimate goalcreating a perfect sphere. The huge ball is constructed out of silver gum wrappers that he has collected since his boyhood. Mr. Smith proudly displays this achieve-

ment in room 309 At the age of 10 he collected his first silver "treasure" as payment for carrying the books of a girl with red pigtails. Recently his methods have changed, however. Since coming to Central he has run from desk to desk in his classrloom after school to see if anyone has

arter school to see it anyone has carelessly dropped a silver covering. When he finds a "treasure," he immediately pastes it to his ball and measures the circumference to

see if it is yet round.

His silver sphere reached the perfect stage on March 29 at 11:30 ONE a.m. when he chewed a piece of gum himself and attached the silver wrapper to the ball with that

Don't knock it 'til you try it. plenty of meaty, green fruits and a delicious combination of Pi and square root juice. To keep in shape for the contest, the mathletes eat

By Jake Arbes

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By Jake Arbes FOOT THLETE'S

Gigantic Cageman Proves Mad Doctor in Compact Disguise



Pushing the beams at 74s", Dr. "Big E" Owens plays baskethall (for the Chattanooga Ghoo Choos, a championship team that has been defeated only 70 times in its last

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Dr. "Big E" comments, "Son times in class I have trouble w high altitude gas particles, p ceeding from the fiendish expp imentation carried on in the di geon of Frankenstein Hall."



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on students and teachers alike. The staff of the Un-Digestible would like to see this flaw in our school corrected so as to remove the strain

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Quarantine Blue Plague

'Roadrunner' Sanders Evades Fuzz

By Barbara Button

and more powerful than a locomo-tive is "Roadrunner" Sanders, English teacher at Central.

This speed demon is noted (by the police) for her daily trips down McCallie Avenue at record-break ing speeds. On school days she arrives in the parking lot only sec-onds before the tardy bell rings.

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By Dim Wit

Once out of her car she assumes

When interviewed recently, Mrs. Sanders revealed this story to the press. "After watching many Road runner cartoons on television, I began imitating this hero of mine while I was driving."

"Now," she stated, "I've de-veloped a 'Roadrunner' complex. I always try to see how many different ways I can fool the traffic cops like Roadrunner does the fox."

Although the police know that "Roadrunner" Sanders is still on the loose and makes the same trip a faint "Beep, beep." and any nevertheless, ran into some difficulty; midray through the midrates in appeared that he needed where the property is the property of a lape ahead of Huratburg, the Edael lost the awheel! Huratburg swered his volkwagen to avoid a crash but ended downside up on the grass. Jay managed to reach his pit, where his mechanics, sider Janet and his father, made quick repairs. The Edael's 1957 Ford tailpipe was dragging, costing the Bird

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every morning, they still have been unable to catch her.

Several times they have waited on a side street to stop her red Volkswagen bus. However, as soon as she spots them in her rearview mirror, she releases a cloud of tear gas through the exhaust pipe of sprays grease over the congested street

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Orchids & Opinions

By Charles Collins

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In accordance with our policy not to take a stand on certain issues, the following is an editorial My friends, now is the time for all good men to rally to the cause Our purpose is one of the utmost credibility. The time has come to speak on this controversial issue.

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Like our brave forefathers it is our prerogative. It is our choice. It is our responsibility to act, to alleviate the injustice imposed upon us. We must in unity combat this foe of freedom and liberty. We must break the chains that bind us. In the words of a great statesman, "It is the duty of the high-minded How long can we allow this descrepancy to continue? How long can we endanger the freedom of men? The time is now. We must be committed to the cause. The call to action is echoing across the nation. Finalizing, I ask you never to forget — Forest Fires Prevent

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to soberly face the issues."

Due to lack of interest, tomor row has been canceled.



COMPETITION FOR MR. ARCHER? Not to be out-hippied, Mr. C. G. Towery swings to his own. Is this beat-fad spreading to all the teachers?

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ONE TO REIGN—Candidates for May Queen are, from left, Jo Smith, Sue Navel, Betsi Phillips, Jane Meyer, Lynn Button, and Martha Hollis.

Math Team Members To Compete In Twelfth Annual State Contest

Ten mathematics students will | comprise the 1968 math team that will participate in the Twelfth Annual State High School Mathe-matics Contest on April 16 stated Gordon Smith, head of the mathematics department.

Central will send three seniors as entrants in the comprehensive math test and seven sophomores and juniors in the geometry test.

Four seniors and 11 sophomores and juniors are presently competing for positions on the team. Participants will be chosen on the basis of scores received on trial tests in their respective math

Each contestant will be awarded a Certificate of Participation. Those entrants who place in the top ten in the city and the region will ive Certificates of Merit and Achievement.

Those participants from Chatta- geometry division in 1966. nooga and the surrounding area will be tested at the University of Chattanooga.

I in 1964. The following year, top six in geometry, ir Frank Goforth placed first in Alplace in each division.

to the top three students in the ton placed second in Algebra I. regional divisions and in the state. Frank again won first place in the

Central has also captured local awards in recent years. Last year, Central has had several state Central had six winners in the top winners in recent years. Hank
Mosberg placed first in Algebra I; five of the top
six in Algebra II; and four of the top six in geometry, including first

The purpose of the convention

will be to elect district officers for

Key Club Elects '69 Slate; Two Travel To Convention

By Barbara Button

Juniors David Ashley and Larry | Convention in Lexington, Kentucky. McGill, newly elected Key Club president and secretary, respectively, will leave today to attend the Kentucky-Tennessee Key Club

which everyone attending is a member. Also, workshops are planned for the delegates during Other new Key Club officers are Tim Thornhill, vice-president; Jake Arbes, treasurer; Tommy Mathis, chaplain; and Glenn Rievley and

> These new officers will be formally installed at the annual Key Club banquet to be held at the end of this month, stated Mike McCoy, club president. Mr. Ed Hoover, club sponsor, and the Kiwanis adviser will also be recognized at this semi-formal affair.

Jimmy Indermill, sergeants-at-

During the banquet the Key Club Sweetheart, Jackie Camden, will be presented with a charm; and the calendar girls wil be honored. Property of

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Gym Classes Choose Six As Candidates for Queen Of May Day Ceremonies

By Barbara Button

Six candidates have been elected | senior superlatives, candidate for Homecoming queen, by the girls' gym classes for May Queen to be crowned on May Day, April 25, announces Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, gym instructors. sponsor, and glee club. The candidates and their activi-

Lynn Button: Digest editor-inchief, valedictorian, Senior Torchbearer, DAR recipient, Tri-Hi-Y president, Miss Central candidate, science departmental honor student, Bellamy delegate, Honor Society, Student Council, four-year honor student, Senate, Gym Staff, Mu Alpha Theta Math Club, and Girls State delegate. Martha Hollis: cheerleader, FH

president, senior class secretary, Tri-Hi-Y secretary, Miss Central, Honor Society, Homecoming Queen, Service in the senior superlatives, Student Council, Gym Staff, Sen-ate, Betty Crocker Homemaker Award, Girls State delegate, and

Awirn, Oris State deegate, and military sponsor.

Jane Meyer: Senate president, senior class treasurer, Student
Council secretary, Leadership in the gym classes

and Military queen, Honor Society, Bank Staff, four-year honor student, Girls State delegate, military

Sue Navel: cheerleader, Military Queen, secretary-treasurer of the Inter-county Student Council, Gym Staff vice-president, one of the ten prettiest girls, military sponsor, Key Club Calendar Girl, Lovemans Teen Board, and Friendliest in the senior superlatives.

Betsi Phillips: Bible Club president, all-state chorus, Honor Society chaplain, four-year honor student, Gym Staff chaplain, Most Likely To Succeed in the senior superlatives, and glee club.

Jo Smith: Gym Staff president and Sweetheart, Millers Teen Board, Student Council, and glee

"Seasons of the Year" will be the theme of this year's May Day program. Each season will be in-terpreted with dances by the girls'

Junior Play Cast To Present 'The High School Mystery'

three-act mystery comedy, will be and Gary Jones, student production presented by the junior class on manager, will assist Mrs. Sanders. April 26 in the auditorium at 8:00 p.m., announces Mrs. Mildred

Members of the cast include Julia Painter as leading lady Laura Crowder; Sanda Barnes, Miss Fielding; Norma Miller, Dorothy Russell; Annette Pell, Mary Lee; Linda Griffin, Miss Jeffries.

Beth Jeffers, Mrs. Reed; Steve Watson, Earl Sayles; Mike Lees, Jason Shaw; Buddy Childers, Jack selected by a House of Delegates of Howard; Carl Stone, Joe; Courtney McInturff, Victor; and Robert son and may be obtained soon from members of the cast and produc-

Mr. Hillman Mayfield, chairman tion staff.

"The High School Mystery," a | of publicity and stage properties

Taking place on the stage during a dress rehearsal of the "House of Terror," the action begins when Laura faints after being warned by a mysterious voice to leave the cast or suffer the consequences. The director, thinking this to be a prank, orders the cast to continue work.

Members of the cast are thrown into panic when they discover someone is out to ruin their play.

Tickets will sell for \$1 per per-



SCRIPT READING-Rehearsing for the junior play. "The High School Mystery, are, from left, Julia Painter, Robert Jackson, Courtney McInturff, and Sand.



NEW OFFICERS—Recently elected to lead the 1968-69 Key Club are, fro left, David Ashley, president; Larry McGill, secretary; Jake Arbes, treasure and Tim Thornhill, vice-president.

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Two Things In Common

Academic honor is earned. The winners aren't apple polishers or procrastinators; they are students who do the work required of them, do it well, and maybe do a

Students are different. Their interests vary; their home environments vary; and their intellectual potentials vary. But they all have two things in common—ability and initiative.

In the Student Council's Academic Awards Day pro-In the Student Councils Academic Awards Day pro-gram, achievement in all phases of education is rewarded. There were awards for accomplishment in music, mathe-matics, auto mechanics, physical education—every subject area. As the awards were announced and the nominees came forward, some of us probably asked what made them successful in their work? Did they put forth that little touch of extra study time when we had shut our books as soon as we had finished skimming the text? Are they just more talented than we are, or would we like to believe that?

We can easily make excuses for ourselves, but excuses indicate defeat. Each of us has talents which, if we use them in the best way we can, will bring us honor and satisfaction in a job well done.

Everybody can't be a winner, and everybody can't be a runner-up; but those who really try to do their best receive recognition whether it's a pat on the back oror a plus by a grade.

Congratulations to the senior and underclassmen winners and also to the the runners-up. They have earned recognition through their interest and advancement in their classes and through their ability and initiative.

The Last Lap

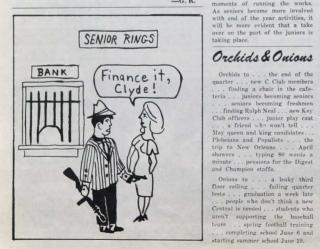
Seniors are now on the last lap of their basic educa-tion. Drawing to a close is 12 years of hard work. These years of toil are the ones that will prepare the seniors of today to be useful citizens of tomorrow.

The path to becoming a senior is filled with many pit-falls. Some have been swayed by temptations; others have foolishly fallen by the wayside.

Those who have broken under the burden of hard work will never know the sense of accomplishment that fills each member of the Class of '68. They will not be able in years to come to look back on their high school days with pride and joy.

But the 282 members of this year's graduating class will know this pride and sense of accomplishment. For them this closing of the first chapter in their book of education is a joyous one. It is now their time to be recognized after their endeavors. Past now is Senior Day; the future points to Class Day, Senior Awards Day, and, of course, Commencement.

For many this will end their formal education, but a great number will go on to various institutions of higher learning. Whatever the future pursued by the members of the Class of '68, they will be able to look on their days at Central as a good investment in their lives



Spotlight on Seniors...

of the future for a number of Cen- The individual has to decide tralites, Beverly Choate and Bill himself what to make of his life. Ridge agree that it may not be No one else can do it for him."

"People have different reasons Beverly says, "It is up to the for going to college," Bill says. person, depending on what he "Some go to learn; some go just wants to become later, as to for fun."

Bill belongs to the Key Club, C



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whether he should go to college.

IN MY OPINION

Junior Class

Takes Over

substituted for seniors. As the sen-

ior class hows out from the posi-

tions which they have held, the

juniors will be faced with the re-

passed them by the seniors and

carrying Central tradition a little

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The Class of '68 has had its

moments of running the works.

As seniors become more involved

with end of the year activities, it

will be more evident that a take

over on the part of the juniors is

Orchids & Onions

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tests . . . graduation a week late

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people who don't think a new

SPRING SPRITES-Doing a little benchsitting and skylarking are seniors Beverly

Although college is a big part. Not everybody can make it through. Club, the football team and is a Bill's main interest, but he also water skis and goes boating.

Reverly enjoys water skiing and sewing. At school she is president of the Guidance Staff, Key Club Calendar Girl, a member of the Future Homemakers, and home omics departmental hone

Beverly also belongs to the Hon-Society, FTA, Student Council. Usher Staff, May Day guard and was a member of the court for Mr and Miss Central

Reverly doesn't plan to start col lege until the winter quarter at Middle Tennessee. She will study home economics to teach in high school

Both Beverly and Bill came to Central as sophomores from Lookout Valley Junior High. Beverly says, "When I first came to Central, I was rather shy and did no make friends easily. I wish I had been more outgoing, because here the people are really great. learned a little late that if you want something, you've got to go after it."

Bill says, "I wish I had kept my studies up. It is easy to let them go. I've lost a lot by not working,

Students Name Choices For Upcoming Elections

By Tommy Mathis

By David White Again, the line of succession to up, the following students were the senior class seems to be taking asked to name their choices for President and to give reasons for The junior class in many ways their favoring the candidates:

has started to secure senior spots. Don Howard, sophomore - I'm They have, on certain occasions for Robert Kennedy. I like his views and in the absences of their peers, about the war in Vietnam. I liked "hung around the rotunda," sat his brother when he was President. on the grass during lunch, sat in and Bobby reminds me of him. the senior section, and all-in-all

Jay Maveety, senior - Richard Nixon is the lesser of the various evils. He wants to win the war, and he will not give in to pressure groups over domestic policy. He has the kind of conservatism that this country needs right now.

Sybil Smith, junior-I'm supporting Robert F. Kennedy because he says he will end the war, and I

Gwen Frisbee, junior-Robert F. Kennedy, I think, will undoubtedly nut a snotlight on youth and their roblems and rights.

Janet Blevins, junior - I'm for Richard Nixon because of his views on Vietnam and his ideas on controlling racial riots.

Beth Jeffers, junior-Although I was for Nixon when he ran against President Kennedy, I am for Robert Kennedy now. If he can do as well as his brother did, he will make a good President.

Ronnie Carter, senior - George Wallace stands up for what he be lieves more than any of the other

Arthur Finch, sophomore - I'm for Kennedy, I don't know anyone who can do a better job. Sandra Morris, senior-I'm supporting Nixon, I just think he

would make a better President than any of the others. Myra Paine, junior-If we could team . . . spring football training have someone in office who could , completing school June 6 and help to win the war and improve starting summer school June 10. the general world situation, it

With national elections coming would be better than what we have Ruth Lee, senior-Richard Nixo

will put prayer and Bible back i the schools Steve Ray, junior-I'm satisfied with Johnson

Jay Boyd, sophomore - I like Robert Kennedy. I like to hear him speak. I also liked to hear his brother speak. That's why I like

him. I also think that he'll do a better job than Johnson. Marty Shope, sophomore-Nixor think he's eager to go. If he doesn't succeed, he'll try again He won't quit until he gets some-

David Alonso, junior - George Wallace. We need a fired up lead er, and he is a fired-up leader.

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'Law Enforcement' Topic For Conference April 16

By Gwen Frisbee

"Youth and Law Enforcement" | The Reverend A. B. Coyle, paswill be the subject for a confer- tor of the Signal Mountain Baptist Studies Department, April 16, at C. McDonald, Consultant Tenness the Ridgedale Baptist Church, an- Highway Patrol, and John Kelle. nounces Mr. J. Pope Dyer, department head.

Following Mr. Anderson's speech, judge, and Sue Navel.

the students will be divided into dent as chairman. Senior Vann Cunningham is gen-

eral chairman for the conference. group chairmen are Mr. Lamar ments.

Royd, head of the Chattanooga Safety Council, and Glenda Masengil; Mr. Irving Richmond, di- and county high schools will be in

onsored by Central's Social Church, and John Overton; Lt. E.

Ralph Bradbury, director Court ment nead.

The keynote speaker for the conKen Hammond, Juvenile Court pro-The Reynord speaker of the Anderson, bation officer, and Paul Faulkner; erence will be the Chattanooga News- and Judge Riley Graham, city

Concluding the conference will be seven discussion groups. Each the president of the Chattanoor group will be led by a prominent Bar Association, the Honorable itizen and will have a Central stu- John Morgan, who will speak or youth law enforcement.

After the session Jackie Camden Beverly Choate, Dee Dee Moore Discussion leaders and student and Ruth Core will serve refresh-

Mr. Dyer stated that all area city ctor of the Big Brothers, and vited to send delegates to the conference

Senate To Elect Leaders: Present Debate April 18 By Beth Jeffers

Central's oldest service club, the Senate, will select new officers for next year in its annual campaign which will end with a debate in assembly on April 18.

Running for president on the Populist ticket is junior David Alonso and for vice-president is junior Jake Arbes. Campaign manager for this team is junior Eddie Nethery. For the Plebeians, junior Harold Tyber is bidding for the president.

ency and junior Tommy Mathis, the vice-presidency. Amy Hackney or, serves as their campaign manager.

Senate members, except the present officers who remain neutral divide and support the party of their choice during the one-week Junior Boy Wins campaign, noted Jane Meyer, club In Essay Contest: Visits Washington Whether or not it is constitutional to deliver speeches that might

By Wayne McCoy Junior David Alonso was recently incite riots is the issue for the Junior David Alonso was recently debase, along with 29 other students, to tour Washington, D.C. as result of his winning essay the constitutional right, and the the constitutional right, and the result of his winning essay, Populists will argue that it is un-

This contest, open to members of constitutional. the Youth In Government Council, faculty members and students will Mountain, and other points of inthe Youth In Government council, faculty members and students will mountain manifer that they considered to be the most important issue facing the most important visue facing visue facing visue facing visue facing visue fa

contemporary world.

This program was sponsored by vice-president, and their campaign to vice-president, and their campaign the Railway. Total cost of the trip manager will have his choice of is \$79.50 per person, excluding the

Some of the highlights of David's any other office. rip, which lasted from March debate will be announced at the debate will be announced at the Senate picnic, said Mrs. Rebecca Secretary of State Dean Rusk, Su-Haskins, club sponsor. reme Court Justice Byron White, |

and Senator Baker. Among other activities were ours of the Capitol Building and the Senate. He also visited the White House, National Archives

uilding, and Ford Theater

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Club To Celebrate 'Mexican Fiesta'

Celebrating its sixtieth annive sary, El Circulo Espanol will e max a "fiesta week" with a bar quet on April 18.

"To go with the theme, 'Mexical Fiesta,' the tables at the banque will be decorated with a 'south-ofthe-border' atmosphere," said Miss Mary Ellen Rice, club sponsor "The affair will be a 'Spanish smorgasbord,' so to speak," she

A program of music and skits. climaxed by the cutting of a large birthday cake, will constitute most of the evening's entertainment.

Award Prizes

best club member, best costume and best "picaro" (rascal).

Miss Rice said, "During the week, bulletin boards and displays will be set up in the library and the classroom, and, along with "picaros" attired in bright ponchos, they should make for a colorful celebration."

"This is the oldest club at Central, and it is fitting that the members celebrate with a gala anniversary week," the sponsor added. New Orleans During Easter Sandra Morris, chairman of the

Carol Dykes and Jimmy Barger.

nembers who will take the tour are of arrangements. said the purpose of the trip is "to this year's officers: Jimmy Mulacquaint the students with the most lican, president; Phyllis Adkins, sists of chairman Amy Hackney,

make them aware of the French secretary; and Karen Morgan, vearbook committee and will be Mrs. Hufft stated, "I think the aided by Debbie Turner and Arthur

French outside of a classroom are Gloria Tolmie, chairman, Pa-

In addition to these activities, the situation." After the debate is presented, of Birmingham, Alabama, Iron Miss Mary Ellen Rice, Spanish in Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hufft and structor, will chaperon the group

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SPANISH PROJECTS—Getting fiesta plans underway are, seated, from left, Debbie Senterfit, Susan Spears, Debbie Cimino, and Sandra Morris. Standing are Jack Haddock and Jimmy Indermill.

By Patricia Sheetz

Easter holidays, April 11-14.

heritage and culture."

Mrs. Renate Hufft, club sponsor

Plans for the tour include a visit

o the French Quarters, a boat ride

group will receive a guided tour

terest before they arrive in New

The group will travel by South-

cost of meals and spending money

in the Sheraton-Charles Hotel.

Intercontinental Club To Tour





Prizes will be awarded for the

Gala Anniversary

program committee, is aided by Approximately 30 members of money for the project, the club has

Central's Intercontinental Club will sponsored four doughnut sales, two On the banquet committee, Jimvisit New Orleans during the rummage sales, and a paper drive. my Indermill is in charge of the Included in the number of club menu, and Jack Moore is in charge

European town in this area and to vice-president; Barbara Button, Debbie Breon, and Vicki McCanless. Debbie Cimino will chair the

trip will prove to be educational Finch. on the Mississippi River, and a stay in that we will be able to study On the bulletin board committee

tricia Pyle, and Gwen Frisbee

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High School

Diamondmen Meet Lions In HIL AA Loop Opener

first with the HIL opponent Lions.
Handling the mound duties will
be senior Kin Choate, ace hurler

from the 1967 squad. Because of conflicts with other sports, Central got a late start this season, baseball Coach Ed Test

	BASEBALL S	CITED	
APP	RIL		
1	TYNER	Away	4:00
	(Pitner Field Eas	t Brainerd)	
2	RINGGOLD	Home	4:30
4	RED BANK	Away	
10	CITY	Away	4:00
	(Engel Sta	dium)	
18	HOWARD	Home	4:00
19	JEFFERSON CITY	Home	
23	SODDY DAISY	Home	4:00
25	RIVERSIDE	Home	4:00
26	EAST RIDGE	Away	4:00
27	FRANKLIN CO.	Home	2:00
MA	1		
2	BRAINERD	Away	7:30
4	ENSLEY	Away	1:30
	(Birmingham,	Alabama)	
7	KIRKMAN	Home	4:00
9	NOTRE DAME	Home	4:00

football season.

three-hour workout.

The Pounder training sessions were held at the practice field in

Preparation

Each day's practice was detailed

and strenuous. When they arrived at the field house, the players donned their uniforms, taped their

ankles and wrists, and headed to-ward the field.

Team captains Tim Thornhill and

Rick Holder then led the gridmen in various calisthenic exercises after which the team practiced

planned drills and played scrimmage

games. The team also worked on

basic plays and some new plays

added by the coaching staff. Cen-

tral's coaches include Head Coach E. B. Etter; Jake Seaton and Jack Archer, backfield coaches; and

Perfect Plays

As the players scrimmaged, the coaches showed them the offenses

Stan Farmer, linemen coach.

The Pounder diamondmen travel to Red Bank this afternoon for their third baseball contest, the the baseball team who were involved in this. Also, because the Purple quintet advanced to the regional tournament, basketball coaching duties occupied some of the mentor's time.

Coach Test also mentioned that cagers Choate and Larry McGill got a late start because of their basketball play. He added, how-ever, that they are in good phys-ical condition, but "they have had had to get their arms in shape."

Central's next opponent will be City, another HIL opponent and a strong contender for the league

When asked whether opening the season with two of the Pounder's toughest foes, Red Bank and City, would affect the team psychologically, the coach replied that it would have little effect on them. He explained, "Of course, we would like to win the HIL championship; but what we're really playing for is the district, a chance to get to the state tournament."

Coach Test thinks that Brainerd City, and Red Bank will be the Pounders' biggest competitors. They all have "a combination of good pitching, good hitting, and good

An inter-squad game can also re

veal the players who would per-

perform better in the backfield or

Sacrifices Pay Off

As one former Purple Pounder sees it, "The hard work, the long

hours, and all the planning and sacrifices pay off in large divi-

dends. The experience keeps re-

warding a person throughout his

life, giving him a sense of satisfac-

lettermen, consisting of 13 up-

Central will have 20 returning

tion for a job well done."

Dedication, **Determination**

By Wayne McCoy

Central's gridmen, along with | and defenses that may be used other Hamilton Interscholastic Scrimmaging also helped the play-League teams, have just ended spring training for the up-coming same time develop a sense of

confidence.

on the line.

Exemplify Grid Practice



THE PITCH-Kin Choate unwinds as he and teammates limber up during a



TIME OUT WITH JAKE

Be Tough

"Be tough. Volleyball is not a 'sissy' game. If you want to win, and I do, you will have to be able to take bruises and criticism," Mrs. Hammack and Mrs. Cox told their netters at a practice for the upcoming city-wide volleyball tournament.

I've seen girls do a lot of things before, but at the practice I saw 25 girls stay quiet for 90 minutes. No kidding, boys, 90 minutes; I timed them. They didn't look sick or The girls were just concentrating on trying to

anything. The girls were just concentrating on trying to better their team and game.

The practice was so well organized, and the girls so in-tent in their drill that, if it wasn't for obvious reasons, I would have thought that I was sitting in on a football practice.

Quick Five Laps

After a well-spirited scrimmage, the 25 girls did a quick five laps around the gym. They were so happy about running and so fast that I had to look twice to make sure they

Glenwood where the boys met at seventh period Monday through friday and remained for about a ful in locating the proper position and so last that I had to look twice to linke sure they weren't chasing a boy.

Next, the girls did line-volley and passing-through exercises. The ball was thrown up by one and spiked by her partner. Before a player hit the ball, she yelled "mine," to practice avoiding confusion during a game.

The highlight of the practice seemed to be Mrs. Cox's "label tecrise" in which she went over previous game errors. for a player, determining whether he should play offense or defense, and determining whether he would

"skull session" in which she went over previous game errors

"skull session" in which she went over previous game errors and introduced new game plans. Fat girls, slim girls, girls with knee pads—all listened to their coach. Funny, though, I didn't see one sissy.

Netters Vie In Tourney April 15-20

Central's girls volleyball team i training for the Eighteenth Annual Girls Volleyball Tournament, which will be held April 15-20 at Hixson High School, announces Mr. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jen ny Cox, coaches.

Central will be allowed to send only 16 to the tourney, which will see 18 high schools competing for honors. The tournament will be played by the process of double elimination. No team will play more than two succeeding matches.

The games will consist of 15 points, and the match will be determined by the winner of two out of three games. A team must lead by at least two points in order to

All-tournament Team

An all-tournament team, composed of 16, will be chosen. Members of this team, which will be chosen by the coaches, will receive miniature silver volleyballs, Also trophies will be presented to the first and second place teams,

Students from the University of Chattanooga will act as referees. The annual event is sponsored by The Chattanooga Times in conjunc-tion with Martin-Thompson and Lookout Sporting Goods.

In order to develop their skills for the city tournament, the girls practice after school on Monday through Friday in the gym.

Practice Games

Practice games are also played after school with various area high schools. "The purpose of these matches is to get game participation against different teams," added Mrs. Cox; "however, these matches do not affect their record since they are for practice only.'

Central played Kirkman, Soddy Daisy, East Ridge, and Ooltewah, losing to all of them.

Besides return matches with the previous foes, the Pounders will also battle Rossville, City, Hixson, GPS, Lafayette, and Brainerd.

Several weeks ago, Central won an East Tennessee district championship at the invitational tournament held at the University of Tennessee. In a second tournament the team was defeated in its re-

COMING EVENTS

April 5-TEA; no school April 9-movie: Charade April..11-15-Spring holidays;

April 16-ACT registration deadline April 18—Senate debate in

assembly

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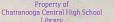






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MAY DAY ROYALTY—Chosen from the May Day Court above will be the royal couple. First row, from left, are Jo Smith, Jane Meyer, and Martha Hollis; second row, Wayne Anderson, Gary Hamrick, and Jim Long; third row, Lynn Button, Bath Thillips, and Suc Navel; and fourth row, Kin Choste, Mils McCoy, and Bill Ridge.

Juniors To Present Play at 8:00 Tomorrow Evening in Auditorium

By Gwen Frisbee

Steve Watson, Earl Sayles; Mike

Jack Howard; Carl Stone, Joe;

Courtney McInturff, Victor; and

Mr. Hillman Mayfield, publicity

and stage chairman, related, "This

is a delightful, hardworking cast

who will produce an excellent

Jeffers, Mrs. Reed.

Robert Jackson, Raul.

The High School Mystery, Cen- to continue work. Cast members tral's junior play, will be presented tomorrow night at 8:00 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from the cast and the production staff for 75 cents. At the door all tickets will cost one dollar per person.

A prize will be given to two juniors-one associated with the play and one not connected with it-who sell the most tickets to The High School Mystery.

This play - within - a - play takes place on the stage during a dress rehearsal of the House of Terror. The action starts when leading lady Laura Crowder, portrayed by Julia Painter, faints after being warned by a strange, mysterious voice to leave the play cast or face the

The director, Miss Fielding, played by Sanda Barnes, thinks this is a joke and orders the cast

Attention Seniors

The following are revised dates for end of school senior activities. Revision of this schedule is due to the closing of schools during inclement

Senior Picnic.. Thursday, May 30 Senior Grades ... Friday, May 31 Baccalaureate Sunday, June 2 Class Day......Monday, June 3 Graduation.....Tuesday, June 4

The production staff which has become fearful when they discover constructed the scenery and fur-nished the stage, will also aid with make-up for tomorrow's someone is out to ruin their play. Other members of the cast inperformance. clude Norma Miller, Dorothy Russell; Annette Pell, Mary Lee;

"I think this will be one of the Linda Griffin, Miss Jeffries: Beth better plays that have been pre sented at Central. It's fun doing the play, but it takes a lot of time Lees, Jason Shaw; Buddy Childers, and patience," Julia commented.

"This is a play all students will enjoy, adults as well," Mrs. Mildred Sanders, play director, stated

"I think the play is really exciting because the atmosphere, which is mystery mixed with comedy, keeps you guessing all the time,"

May Day Program Monday; 'Seasons of the Year' Theme of Annual Ritual

By Barbara Button

the theme of Monday afternoon's May Day ceremonies, highlighted by the crowning of the May King and Queen

Candidates for queen are Lynn Button, Martha Hollis, Jane Meyer, Sue Navel, Betsi Phillips, and Jo Smith. King candidates, chosen from the C Club, are Wayne An-derson, Kin Choate, Jim Long, Mike McCoy, Bill Ridge, and Gary Hamrick

Portraying the four seasons, the girls' gym classes will perform a program of tumbling, dancing, and winding the Maypole.

First period will represent the summer season with a circle dance to the tune of "In the Good Old Summertime." In the center of their circle the seventh period class will portray flowers.

After the circle dancers have

left, the seventh period will perform a modern dance routine, wearing long green pant-dresses with

artificial petals on their heads.

Second and third periods will portray spring with umbrellas and colorful dresses. Their music will be "April Showers."

Tumbling and dancing performed by part of the fourth period class | music

"Seasons of the Year" will be will represent the fall season the theme of Monday afternoon's Tumblers will be dressed like fall leaves and will execute their stunts to "Autumn Leaves."

The remaining part of the fourth period class will dance to "Shine on Harvest Moon,"

Representing the winter se will be the sixth period class. Part of the class will be ice skaters, wearing red skirts, while the other members will twirl cardboard snowflakes and wear white dresses.

Maypole dancers, all junior girls, will wear apricot and green spring dresses. The court, selected by the queen candidates, will be dressed in lime green formals; and the guard will wear blue and yellow formals.

Tricia Pyle will assume the roll of court jester while Debbie Senterfit will announce the "changes of the seasons.

Crownbearers will be Susan Byles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Byles, and William (Skip) Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs William Webb. Coordinators for May Day are

Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, girls' gym teachers. Central's band will provide the

Champion Night May 2; Swing Band Heads Cast

By Tommy Mathis

Champion Night, Central's annual | variety show, will be presented next Thursday night, May 2, at eight o'clock in the auditorium

Under the direction of Mr. Morris Bales, the Swing Band will present most of the music for the affair. "We play mostly in the style of the dance bands, but we're plan-

bers especially for Champion Night," said one member.

Senior Doug Bradshaw said that playing in the Swing Band "is a big pleasure for most of the guys. It gives us a lot of practical experience that we may one day use. And it's a lot of fun."

The group studies the history of jazz and plays the music of the "big bands, such as Benny Goodman, Glenn Miller, and Duke Ellington," said Doug. He added that playing jazz is a lot different from playing other music in which "you play just what's there.'

"You have to feel jazz," said Rick Taber, another senior member of the group.

These young musicians enjoy their ad lib sessions, "just playing what comes into your head." Doug said that Rick, Wayne Lee, and Ted Dickerson are very good on the ad lib solos

Susan Hayes, the only girl member, plays the piano, and David Wood plays the bass violin. The drummers are Dick Schmidt and David Johnson.

Trombone players are Mike Foust, Raymond Burnette, and Richard Westbrook. On the saxophones are Rick, Doug, David Moore, Mike Robertson, James Ellison, and Steve Creswell.

Trumpet players are Ted, Wayne, David McClure, and Charles Westbrook.

Juniors To Attend Girls, Boys State

Delegates to Boys and Girls State and their alternates, selected from members of the junior class, were recently announced by Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Representing Central at Girls State will be Barbara Button, Becky Rievley, Julia Painter, and Debbie Senterfit. Their alternates are Rodena Cook and Gloria Porter.

Boys State delegates are David Alonzo, David Ashley, Mathis, Jake Arbes, and Larry Shadrick. Billy Christian, Charles Collins, Bill Crowder, Harold Tyber, and Douglas Hilton will serve as alternates.

A committee, headed by Mrs. Reba Fults, selected the Girls State delegates on the basis of leadership, character, scholarship, cooperativeness, and physical fitness. Boys State representatives were chosen for their qualities of honor, courage, and leadership.



GIRLS AND BOYS STATE—Delegates are, from left, David Alonzo, Barbara Button, Jake Arbes, Debbie Senterfit, Tommy Mathis, David Ashley, and Becky Rievley. Not pleb@edityrefJulia Painter and Larry Shadrick.

Chattanooga Central High School

From the Editor's Desk . . .

Spring - A Lesson in Living

As one listens to fliting robins, gazes upon newly sprouted flowers that peer through emerald green lawns, and smells the fresh breeze that blows endlessly under the blue sky, no other conclusion could be drawn except

Spring has arrived.

Spring has been the inspiration of poets, composers, and authors down through the ages. Its majesty compelled Gerald Manly Hopkins to write, "Nothing is so

beautiful as spring."

In its freshness and magnificence, this season is a time for new growth and new life, the transitional period between the bleakness of winter and brightness of summer. For man, however, spring tempts its admirers to

DE IAX and non-productive.

Instead of admiring spring aimlessly to escape the realities of life, man should be inspired by this season to develop a new growth of learning. He should be inspired to become better informed about this world that affords the pleasures of spring.

For in all its beauty and magnitude, spring should

be a teacher as well as a pleasure.

To the Editor:

groups or activities.

However, two people inform

me that there is too little em-

phasis on athletics other than

football. Why are there no per

meetings for the basketball and

baseball games? Are not these

sports as deserving of recogni-

the students exercise little con-

trol over such things as this, but

the administration discriminate

against the students' support of

When you've been used to look

ing at your teacher in a suit and

tie every day and then he gets

out in front of the student body

in a dress, fish net hose, and

heels, you begin to wonder. It

seems that the teacher who al-

ways was so serious and con-

scientious has a sense of humor.

talked with feel the same way

that I do about their perform-

ance. They loved it and appreci-

ate the teacher's spending the

time and effort for them. We

also hope that this program will

continue to be an annual pre-

-A Student

All of the students that I have

these sports?

Dear Editor,

question is: Why does

-Ray Slatton

tion as football? I realize that

Students Speak Out . . . On School Affairs

After taking an opinion poll While participating in the senjor play, I came to the realiza- of a cross-section of the students and instructors, I have concludtion of how different it is to ed that Central High School is, sit back and enjoy the play when for the most part, run to the it is being present from spendsatisfaction of the majority. Most people told me that ing long hours on the stage, memorizing and rehearsing for they had no real criticism (lethe big event to come. gitimate complaints) of the administration or of any student

Knowing now what is behind a production such as a school play and just how much it means to the amateur actor to know that his school and class are behind him. I would like to say that the participants in the junor play would be very grateful if we show an interest in their work by coming to the performance. The small amount of money that is asked is no comparison to the amount of man hours that is put into this endeavor.

So if anyone misses the High School Mystery, he is missing a lot of good suspenseful and comical entertainment.

Paul Faulkner

Dear Editor:

As the year draws to a close, the thoughts of summer and graduation increase while a joy that school is almost out becomes more evident. But the seniors pause, and for the first time in 12 years, they almost

Soon graduation will be here and excitement will reach a peak. As the seniors sing the alma mater for the last time, the words will stick in their thoughts -"What a wonderful school, Central High!"

-Tom Jenkins



Spotlight on Seniors...

Approximately eight hours a day are spent in school, two hours eating, seven hours sleeping and one or two hours doing homework, leaving a few hours for leisure.

se this "abundant" spare time for Nancy plays badminton, the piano, and the guitar and writes nd sings her own songs. She is the only girl in a folk group called

Nancy Averitt and Jimmy Sedman

About her ballads, Nancy says, "When something very sad or really great happens, I feel like I might burst if I don't write down my feelings. My songs come from real experiences though sometimes I take a feeling and try to imagine w it would affect someone else. Then I write it."

Jimmy enjoys all sports but basketball is his favorite. He plays at the Boys Club. "I like sports because I just enjoy being with other people. Some day I would like to try spelunking. Not many people know much about caves.'

Jimmy is a member of the Senate, Student Council, C Club, Key Club, and wrestling team. He hopes to be at UT next fall to major in



CRITICAL MOMENT — Jimmy Sedman listens with a critical ear to one Nancy Averith's soulful ballads.

Nancy may major in math or president, and a four-year honor business at UC. She is on the student. Usher and Publicity Staffs and is military sponsor, Honor Society of the senior class.

She writes Central's Teen Tempo column in the Times and Post and Student Council corresponding sec- was chosen to be a Key Club Calretary, Tri-Hi-Y vice-president, a endar Girl and Most Courteous girl

Rules Require Goggles for Chemists; Students Oppose Safety Measure

By Patricia Sheetz

fog was coming from the test tube

and which was on the inside of my

Despite the tendency of all the

young chemists occasionally to

avoid obeying the state's iron clad

Goggles are defined in the dictionary as "large, close fitting spectacles to protect the eyes," but students taking chemistry have different ideas about the atrocious headgear they are required to wear during lab work.

The most outspoken critics of the goggles are the girls. One female student commented, "It's almost impossible to get a boy to look at you twice when his first glance ves him with the impression of a girl with her hair sticking out and with a red streak across her nose from wearing goggles with a tight elastic band."

The male students analyze the problem in a different light, One explained, "At first I thought chemistry would be my favorite class especially since my lab partner was a girl. The only trouble is that my goggles stay fogged up most of the time and I can't even

Other students also complained that their headgear fogged up too easily. "I didn't mind it until we started studying the process of

rule for safety, most of them agree IN MY OPINION Exert Effort

goggles.'

For the Finish By David White The similarities between life and

a race have often been cited. In the same light, is it not possible to compare academic life to a foot

The essentials in competing with others for academic grades are a strong footing and a good stride. A student must pace himself so that he will not tire before the final lap. This can be accomplished by his developing a thirst for knowledge, a drive that will stay with him till he reaches his ultimate goal, education.

For seniors this is the last lan of the first big race. Their placing in this race will determine what starting position they will take in those to come. Principal Millsaps in addressing the senior class said that a person would be foolish to quit at this stage of the game when with only the slightest effort he could stumble across the finish

Continuing along this line, if, with the slightest effort, one could stumble across the finish line, would it not be better for the student to exert a stronger effort and break the ribbon with his head back and with a feeling of accomplishment in his heart?

evaporation," one student stated. that it is usually a better policy to "That's when I couldn't tell which wear the goggles than to get caught without them. One student, for example, took

his goggles off when the teacher wasn't looking. His only mistake was that he placed them too near the Bunsen hurner and the plastic melted.

Of course, one way to get rid of the bothersome headgear would be to place them in the sterilizer and turn it on too high. But the school board would just buy more of them.

So it seems that there is no es cape, and the chemistry classes will "Among the variety of outfits to have to solve their problems in e modeled are two and three piece some other way or stick it out until suits, culottes, short and slack sets, the experiment is over. and the modern pant-dresses, stated Regina. Mrs. Shropshire added, "As many girls finished their outfits before

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High School Chattanooga Centi

Seniors Vie In Pageant On May 11

Seniors Sue Navel and Jo Smith are semifinalists in the Miss Chattanooga pageant to be held on May 11 at the Tivoli Theater.

Chosen from approximately 60 applicants, Sue and Jo will be among 30 semifinalists who will compete on the basis of talent, personality, and appearance.

In the talent competition Jo, a member of the glee club, will sing "Miria." Sue will perform a modern dance routine. Personal interviews were con-

ducted to determine poise and personality. The interviewers posed such questions as, "What would you do if you saw a flying saucer?" related Sue. Candidates are judged on grace,

posture, and general appearance during a bathing suit competition. The girls receive points in three categories, and the one with the most points is named Miss Chattanooga.

"You never know how many points you get," Jo commented. "The finalists aren't announced until the last night."

Miss Chattanooga will receive a new Oldsmobile, several hundred gallons of gasoline, a scholarship, clothes, and other prizes donated by local companies. She will also compete in the Miss Tennessee pageant held later in the year.

Applicants for the Miss Chattawork in Chattanooga.

ing assembly for girls on May 8.

Lewis the program will feature

student models who will displa

the clothes they have made this

the style show, they made children's

clothing which will be modeled by

Along with the fashion show

BROCK

Mrs. Patricia Williamson's cook

the girls' vounger sisters."

semester in the home economics

Commentated by senior Regina

Girls To Model Clothes;

By Janet Blevins

sent their annual style show dur- friends of the girls in the home

aconomics classes

department



Tommy Mathis Vice-President Of High School Press Group Opera Guild To Present

Junior Tommy Mathis was recently elected East Tennessee vice-president of the Tennessee High School Press Association at the two-day conference which members of the Digest and Champion Staffs attended.

Digest representatives who attended the conference, which was held March 29-30 at the Hotel Patten, are juniors Janet Blevins, Barbara Button, Patricia Sheetz, Beth Jeffers, Charles 100ga contest must be between the Collins, Wayne McCoy, Betty Hardison, Jake Arbes, and Tommy ages of 18 and 26 and must live or Mathis and senior Lynn Button, editor-in-chief.

Members of the Champion Staff who attended include Amanda

Rhodes, Brenda Cook, Ginger Nye, Susan Spears, and Debbie Cimino editor, Miss Mariorie Ogle, Digest

adviser, accompanied the students. Hold Tea for Mothers 8 a.m. Friday morning when approximately 600 young Tennesse journalists registered. Arrayed in gay apparel, the ing classes will host the annual concurrent sessions, which covered ewing classes, under the direction mothers' tea and will serve re- a variety of subjects, lasted of Mrs. Janie Shropshire, will pre- freshments to the mothers and throughout the day.

In addition several student opera groups, including members of the Digest Staff, presented panel discussions. Central's panel led a student group in discussing special stories. Lynn Button organized the dis-

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cussion of each of the topics which student for the foreign language were presented by Jake Arbes, Barbara Button, Beth Jeffers, and The honor students are Betsi Phillips, classical language, and Phyllis Adkins, modern language

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Digest, Jim Mullican was er-

roneously listed as the honor

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Sixty-Two Students Gain Honors on Awards Day

By Patricia Sheetz

Sixty-two students and under-| Janet Wingo, home economic classmen received trophies, pins, Barbara Button, mathematics; Sus-or certificates of recognition for an Hayes, music; Gail Coley, physscholastic achievement during the ical education (girls); Johnny Vanannual Student Council Academic dergriff, physical education (boys);

Senior trophy award winners in their respective fields are David for their academic achievements in Brown, art; Jan Rider, business each field of study. education; Glenda Masengil, English; Sandra Morris (Spanish), for- the senior girl and boy with the eign language; Beverly Choate, highest scholastic averages. Rehome economics

Frank Goforth, mathematics; David Jim Mullican with a 3.755 average. Wood, music; Bill Ridge, physical Along with the student awards

Underclassmen winners who re- The master of ceremonies for the Linda Franklin, business education; Central graduate. Also included in David Ashley, English, industrial the program was an address by

Awards Day program on April 3. and Harold Tyber, social studies.

Runners-up received certificates

Top honors were also given to cipients of these awards are Lynn Jimmy Brackett, industrial arts; Button with a 3.986 average and

education (boys); Elaine Barger, given, an engraved plaque was prephysical education (girls); Mike sented by Jay Maveety, Student McCoy, ROTC: Lynn Button, Council president, to Principal W science; and Arlene Fuson, social Hobart Millsaps for his assistance with Student Council projects.

eived pins are Janice Myhan, art; program was David Parker, a 1957 arts, ROTC, and science; Susan Floyd Delancy, vice-president of Davenport (Latin), foreign lan-cuare. Interstate Life Insurance Company and a graduate of 1924.

the magician Faust. In this version,

pheles, the devil, in exchange for

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'Faust' Free on May 2

By Beth Jeffers

Area students are invited by the | director of the glee club, Mrs. Stout Chattanooga Opera Guild to attend stated. the opera "Faust" which is to be Written by J. Barbia and M. resented free of charge at the Carre, the opera is created around ivoli Theatre, May 2 at 7 p.m. Goethe's drama and set to music by

Celebrating its twenty-fifth an- Charles Gounod. ersary, the opera association, in The plot of the opera is different conjunction with with the Tennes- from the original folk tales of see Arts Commission, is sponsoring his performance exclusively for Faust is an aged philosopher who junior high, high school, and col- requests youth from Mephistoege students.

Mrs. Donald Stout, chairman his soul. of school reporters, emphasized, The French authors added a love "Mark your calendar now and plan affair between Faust and Marguerto attend this special performance ite as a change from the century of one of the world's most famous old ideas about Faust.

Tickets for the performance may be obtained from Mr. K. W. John

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THE SWINGER—Larry McGill, second man on the golf team, scans the course after a long drive during the Central-Red Bank match.

Pounders Host City Golfers On Valleybrook Course Today

By Charles Collins

returning lettermen, will face the city High Dynamos this afternoon plays baseball it will be supported by the city High Dynamos folds and plays baseball it will be supported by the city of the city try Club.

In their opening match of the season, the Pounders tied Red Bank 8-3 on the Lion's home course.

Fielding an all junior team, the Central clubbers took the lead as Wes Gilliland claimed top medalist honors by firing a two-over-par 38 on the tough Rivermont course and handing Red Bank's number one man, David Mabe, a 4-3 defeat.

In other contests Larry McGill shaded Harry Anderson one up while Lion Jim Davenport defeated Central's Pat Chadd two up. Eddie Nethery came close to a win with three down to tie on the eighth hole. His drive, though, fell short as Bill Young edged him one up. Despite the tie the golf team is

out to defend its regional crown won last year.

The City four, defending their 1967 HIL crown, defeated the Brainerd Rebels 51/4-1/4 in their opening match of the se

When the golf team's third man, Eddie Nethery, was questioned about playing City and about Central's chances of winning, he re-plied, "If Pat and I come through and back up Larry and Wes, we may have a good chance of winning or tving

Coming Events

April 26	Junior Play		
May 1	Bible Awards Day		
May 2	2Tri-Hi-Y Induction;		
	Champion Night		



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When asked whom he thought Central's toughest opponents will be, Coach Jack Archer replied that Red Bank, Brainerd, and City should give the most trouble.

The golf team practices after school at the Brainerd Golf Course, where all the home matches are played. Tee-off is usually about

Wes Gilliand (C) d. David Mabe, 4-3; Larry McGill (C) d. Harry Anderson, 1-up; Bill Young (RB) d. Eddie Nethery, 1-up; Jim Davenport (RB) d. Pat Chadd, 2-up

McGill-Gilliland (C) d. Mabe-Anderson, 3-2; Young-Davenport (RB) d. Nethery-Chadd, 2-1

GOLF SCHEDULE

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TIME OUT WITH JAKE

Well, this is the next-to-the-last time you'll be able to withdraw little pearls of wisdom from this column. So, to

make sure these pearls were not given in vain, I've made a Grade your own paper. All answers are on page 5.
Graded papers should be returned to room 415.

Pop Test

 When the football team enters the stadium, the crowd (a) roars (b) laughs (c) roars with laughter.
 The track team needs (a) more support (b) more men (c) help.

3. If Bobby Crabtree wins a wrestling match, it will be
(a) a happy day (b) an unusual day (c) by forfeit.
4. The coaching staff does a lot of (a) training (b) yell-

ing (c) crying.

5. The volleyball squad needs more (a) recognition (b) support (c) development.

After all, it can't get any worse.

6. Wes Gilliland shoots a lot of (a) aces (b) eagles (c)

ourdies.

7. Track "star" Wayne Anderson runs a mile for (a) five points (b) the exercise (c) a Camel.

8. The cheerleaders are our best (a) athletes (b) supporters (c) athlete supporters.

9. Coach Archer has a new (a) car (b) daughter (c)

10. (Extra Credit)—After this column comes out, the Digest will need a (a) lot of luck (b) lawyer (c) new sports

Cage Encounter Displays Faculty Athletic Ability

By Wayne McCoy

in the annual faculty-student basketball game, seven members of the faculty proved that age is not necessarily a handicap.

Heading the faculty team was Coach Jack Archer who played football, basketball, baseball, and track while in high school, Because of his ability in football, he was awarded a scholarship to Ohio State University, where he played in the 1955 Person Porch in the 1955 Rose Bowl.

Another top performer was Coa Ed Test, a former Centralite, who previously served as guard on the basketbal lcourt and first baseman on the baseball diamond. Coach Test went on to play college basketball at the University of Tennessee and was named All-American in 1958.

Wearing a different uniform than usual was Sergeant Major Robert Hall of the ROTC Department, who participated in basketball, wrestling, and track at Walla Walla High School in Washington, D.C.

The team's two lefthanders were Mr. Ed Hoover, shop teacher, and Mr. James Wood, guidance coun-selor. Mr. Hoover attended Mc-

By defeating the student team | Minnville High School where he lettered in basketball, football, and baseball. Although Mr. Wood did not participate in any high school sports, he follows the different athletics and enjoys the competitive spirit.

Rounding out the faculty squad were Mr. Bill Ashley, art teacher, and Mr. James T. Rogers, chemistry and physics teacher. While Mr. Rogers is a former basketball coach, Mr. Ashley has never participated in organized play.

The student team was composed of seniors Jim Mullican, Bill Ridge, Gary Hamrick, John Kelle, Ronnie Hardin, Harry Robinson, Jack Haddock, Jim Sedman, Chris Bevil, David Deerman, and Jim

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Purples Rip Rams 10-2 In Opener

The Purple diamondmen peared to live up to their high area paseball rating as they coasted to a 10-2 victory over Tyner in th

Central batmen pushed six runs across the plate in the first inning and took advantage of eight Ram errors for the win. The Pounders committed no field mistakes and ollected nine hits from the Tyner pitching staff while holding Ram batters to only a pair of hits.

Hurler Kin Choate led the way with a home run in the first in-ning, a two-run double in the fourth single in the sixth. He pitched the first four innings, fanning four and walking two. Junior Steve Wehmeyer belted a homer to account for another Pounder talley.

Tyner collected its two hits from Choate and Stan Cox in the sev-enth inning. The two Ram scores vere made on passed balls.

Kin Choate smashed a three-run first-inning homer and Charlie Rogers fanned nine Owls as Central downed Ooltewah 7-2, April 12.

The Pounders collected four more runs in the fourth-inning out on a walk, a single by Choate, and five Owl errors.

The Purple Pounders, who finished third in the 1966 state tournament and second in the 1967 meet, lost several players from last year's team but still have Choate to pitch, play first or outfield; Larry McGill at short; and Tim Thornhill at first.

Charlie Rogers, a star in 1967 state meet, is back to bolster the mound corps, as is Wehmeyer, a southpaw who can pitch or play outfield

Red Bank is expected to be on Central's main problems. Pat Renfro, husky pitcher-outfielder, and Steve Rains, a lefty, combined for seven victories and no losses for Red Bank last season.

Catcher Steve Miller and Monte Wilson, an outfielder, are other stalwarts for the Lions.

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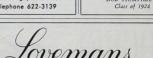
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Honors Day Next Friday: Seniors Receive Awards In Afternoon Assembly

By Tommy Mathis

for May 24 at 2:30 p.m. announces Miss Mildred Major, chairman of the program.

The awards and the representatives presenting them are Annie Mae Shelton English Award-Minnie Lee Morgan; Bausch-Lomb Science Award - Dr. Edward A. Owens; Business Education Award Mrs. Virginia Summerour.

Crandall Art Club Award-Mr. David B. Ashley; Home Economics Award-Mrs. Janie L. Shropshire; Library Award-Miss Ellen Mullennix; Perfect Attendance Awards -Mr. Everett O'Neal; Publications Awards: Digest — Miss Marjorie Ogle; 'Champion — Mrs. Morris Williams.

Tennessee Temple Bible Awards Dr. Wendell Evans: Woodmen of the World Award-Mr. R. R. Webster; Alumni Awards: Scholarship Mr. Floyd L. Fuller; Medals -Mr. W. E. Ballinger.

Balfour Award; Citizenship on Sunday, June 2, a

Juniors Barbara Button and

Brenda Cook were named editors-

in-chief of the Digest and Cham-

pion, resepctively, for 1968-69 last

night at the annual Publications

During the program, Barbara

named her new staff and their po-

sitions. They are Patricia Sheetz,

associate editor; Jake Arbes, sports

editor: Tommy Mathis, editorial

Banquet.

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Of '69 Digest, Champion

Senior Honors Day has been set DAR-Mrs. Stanley Lane; John or May 24 at 2:30 p.m. announces Sevier Chapter SAR-Mr. Earnest A. Clevenger; Danforth Awards— Mr. J. Pope Dyer; National Merit Scholarship Awards - Mr. W. Hobart Millsaps.

Parent-Teachers Award-Mrs. C. W. Sedman; Read Magazine Award -Mrs. J. C. Robbins; Readers Digest Award-Miss Minnie Lee Morgan; Rotary Award; University of Chattanooga SNEA Award—Miss Jane Denton; and Mike Perkins Athletic Memorial—Mike McCoy.

Mike, senior class president, and Jay Maveety, Student Council president, will be in charge of unveiling the Mike Perkins Memorial Plaque. Senior Jane Meyer will sing a solo, "Anyone Can Move a Mountain" (Marks).

Junior Barbara Button and sophomore Bart Slatton will give de-

The baccalaureate service the graduating seniors will be held on Sunday, June 2, at 3 p.m. in

The staff dedicatories, Miss Ellen

Mullennix, for the Digest, and Mr.

Sam T. Stoner for the Champion,

were recognized. Miss Mullennix

was the featured speaker at the

See Adjoining Story

and planned by the Digest Staff,

the banquet is an annual affair for

members of the Digest, Champion,

Entertainment, planned by Jako

Arbes, included a guitar solo by Doug McVey and "Michele," sung

Printing, and Business Staffs.

Held at the Lake Shore Marina

Graduation Set for June 4



SENIOR ORATORS—Speakers for Commencement are, seated from left Glenda Masengil, Jim Mullican, and Lynn Buthon. Standing, same order, are the Class Day speakers Jay Maveety, Gery Reynolds, Susan Huddlestun, and Ray Slatton. Not pictured is Frank Goforth.

Class Day Speakers Use

'Kaleidoscope' as Theme

marches.

Senior Class Day, with the theme | Life," and Elaine Stoner, senior, "Kaleidoacope," will be presented will present "The Impossible June 3 at 2:00 p.m., announces Dream."

Miss Mildred Major, program Other musicians who will par-

Commencement exercises for the Class of 1968 will be held June 4

at 8 p.m. at Memorial Auditorium.
"No Man Is An Island," the theme for the program, will be the subject of four speeches to be given by the salutatorian, class representative, faculty representative, and valedictorian.

Class Speakers

As the first speaker, Glenda Masengil, salutatorian, will pre-sent "Our Link to the Past." Class representative Frank Goforth will discuss "Our Link to Others."

"The Link to Ourselves" will be The Link to Ourselves" will be the subject of the speech by Jim Mullican, faculty representative. Lynn Button, valedictorian, will de-liver the final address to the senior class, "Our Link to the Future."

Music for the ceremony will be provided by the Central High band, conducted by Mr. Morris Bales, and the Varsity Glee Club, directed by Mr. K. W. John.

Recognizes Achievement Principal W. Hobart Millsaps will recognize the four-year honor students and departmental honor students. He will then present the s ior class for graduation.

Accepting the graduates will be Mrs. Jerry Perry, chairman of the Hamilton County Board of Edu-cation. Mr. James Barger, a member of the board of education, will

Dr. J. R. Faulkner, vice-president of Tennessee Temple Schools and father of senior Paul Faulkner, will give the invocation.

Closing the ceremony with the benediction will be Reverend George D. Earnshaw, a professor at Ten-nessee Temple College and father of seniors Jean, Jane, and Kenneth

Musical Accompaniment

Senior Betsi Phillips will sing a solo, "Calvary." Accompanists for the glee club will be juniors Rodena Cook, Susan Hayes, Mike Lees, and Steve Walker.

Corresponding to the theme of Commencement, the glee club will sing "No Man Is An Island" and

Miss Mullennix Receives Dedication

ticipate in the program are juniors

Susan Hayes and Mike Lees, piano

accompanists. Members of the or-

chestra, under the direction of Mr. K. W. John, will play during the processional and recessional

sophomore Bart Slatton, incoming

presidents of the Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-

Y, respectively, will give the de-

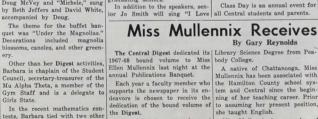
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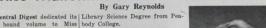
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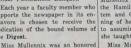
A native of Chattanooga, Miss Mullennix has been associated with the Hamilton County school system and Central since the beginning of her teaching career. Prior to assuming her present position, she taught English.

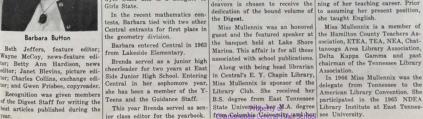
Miss Mullennix is a member of the Hamilton County Teachers Association, ETEA, TEA, NEA, Chattanooga Area Library Association, Delta Kappa Gamma and past chairman of the Tennessee Library

In 1966 Miss Mullennix was the delegate from Tennessee to the American Library Convention, She participated in the 1965 NDEA









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graduating seniors.

Speakers for the occasion include

Jay Maveety, historian; Susan Huddlestun, poet; Gary Reynolds, reader of the will; and Ray Slat-

Mike McCoy, president of the Class of 1968, will present the gift to Mr. W. Hobart Millsaps, school

principal. Following the acceptance

of the gift, Mr. Millsaps will de-

liver his parting words to the



ior class editor for the yearbook.



Miss Ellen Mullennix

Library

Finalizing . . .

Our Debt of Gratitude

Approaching with astonishing speed is the end of the school year 1967-68. Upon completion of this term, all students will inherit a grave responsibility—that of repaying a debt owed to Central High School.

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It is not a matter of dollars and cents, but one of success. Much effort, expense, and time have been spent on every student. The total number of years teachers have spent preparing to be educators, the expense of their education, the cost of the building and school supplies to the state and county, coupled with the hours teachers spend each day, would be staggering.

This therefore heavesthe is debt to all Centralities.

This, therefore, bequeaths a debt to all Centralites. It demands that the expenditures allotted each student are not in vain. For underclassmen this debt consists of using the knowledge they have gained to its greatest possible extent for the remainder of their high school

For seniors it involves a much greater payment the success of their future. They must dedicate them-selves so that the effort to prepare them for life not be wasted in failure. In order for education to be of any value it must be a stepping stone to future accomplish-

Further education, or tangible success, is not the only means of repaying this debt. Also to be considered are the priceless traits of character, honesty, and leadership that have been instilled into each student. No greater installment could be paid to Central than if all her graduates became useful and respected members of

The responsibility of this debt has been given to students since 1907. Some alumni have exceeded it tenfold; others have forsaken their teaching to be the "bankruptcies" of society. Will this year's seniors pay

From the Editor's Desk . . . What Next?

With Commencement only two weeks away, seniors are nearing one of the most important times of their lives and an extremely important decision—what next? Graduating from high school is like opening a door,

not knowing what lies behind it. From a sheltered, dependent existence, each person emerges into a new rolefree but also burdened with new responsibilities and new

One such challenge is that no matter what one decides to do, he must do it well. Those who will go on to college must work diligently for their diplomas. But those who go to work must also be conscientious in their efforts. For each person will make a place in the community-a lawyer, a secretary, or any of hundreds of roles. Individually, they will either succeed or fail in their singular endeavors; but as a whole they will decide the fate of the county, state, nation, and world.

"No Man is an Island," the theme for Commencement, reflects a need in each person for others to whom he may go for help or encouragement.

The role played by one man affects the whole. In this way, each individual will help to shape the future. The independence which graduation brings is momentary; greater responsibilities will present themselves

The Class of '68 has a unique position. Most of the students were born in 1950, exactly midway through the twentieth century. Most of them will live to see the year 2000. What the twenty-first century brings will depend upon how well they accept their responsibilities as the leaders of tomorrow.



Spotlight on Seniors...

he ability to compile a good acanumber of things together with al for getting things done. Lynn Button and Frank Goforth fit this

One proof of this is that Frank came in first place in the Chattanooga Regional Math Contest in omprehensive math and Lynn tied for second place with another Centralite. This was Frank's fourth

Frank is president of the Math Club, captain of the rifle team, treasurer of the Key Club, class representative for Commence a member of the Senior Day court, Service in the senior superlatives, and an executive member of the Student Council. He was a finalist for a National Merit Scholarship.

Accepted for admission at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Frank received a four-year scholarship. He also has a loan to help him toward a degree in aeronautical engineering. Later he will work for a doctorate in mathe-



chemistry on a \$200 Merit Award. Valedictorian of the senior class, she is editor of the Digest, president of the Tri-Hi-Y, Senate

Lynn is entering the liberal arts Miss Central candidate, executive ollege at UT and plans to study member of the Student Council, member of the Math Club, and representative to the Bellamy Award ceremony in Tuscon, Ari-

Senior's Reflections Recall Bad Times of Good Year

By Vicki Attaway

the way around (omitting week days). Fearing that I might forget the trivial incidents which make up my humdrum life, I have recorded each day's events on my

September 6 - Foul play was committed by the Guidance Department today. I was placed in a class of grimy boys working on grimy cars. A grease spot on my plaid dress won't come out.

Orchids & Onions

Orchids to . . . the junior play cast . . . June 4 . . . everyone who went to the Junior-Senior Prom . . getting out of school . . new members of Tri-Hi-Y and FBLA . . . teachers who don't assign homework for weekends . . . the baseball team and its fans . . new Digest Staff . . . new Champion editor . . . a superior paper.

Onions to . . . three more weeks of school . . . postponing anything Melville and Nathaniel Hawthorne . skipping school to go to the

It was a perfect school year all October 12 - Mr. Stoner called me by my first name. I blushed.

November 23-I lost two nickels and a penny today. I collided with Miss Rice in the cafeteria, and I was too embarrassed to sort my change out of her lima beans.

November 23-I lost two pounds sweating out the Central-Brainerd football game.

January 8 - Today there was an opinion poll on smoking. I was confused and marked in favor of drinking strong tea.

January 15 - After trudging 2 hours and 15 minutes through a blinding snow-storm, I crawled up Central's steps and found a sign which read "out for snow."

March 22 - Senior Day was today. I advised the underclassmen to listen carefully to their president's words of wisdom on us outstanding seniors.

April 1 - Today in drivers ed I ran over Coach Farmer while he was demonstrating hand signals.

April 30 - I was supposed to be in one of Mrs. Cox's dancing routines for May Day today, but summer school . . . Herman I brought my little brother's cowboy outfit by mistake. Maybe if I had brought his horsestick too . .

lake . . . low scores on the Merit Yes, when I was a senior, it was Scholarship exam . . . overdue a very good year. Dooby, dooby,

Rotunda Reflections

By Doug McVey

Central's class of 1918 will stage its fifty-year reunion at 7 o'clock tonight at the Downtown Holiday Inn. Mr. Robert Condra, class president, will act as master of ceremonies at the reunion dinner.

In celebrating National Library Week (April 22-27), the Library Staff recently presented a one-year subscription of Sports Illustrated to Sp/4 Charles O. Overton, who is serving in Viet Nam. The recipient is brother to staff member Sharon Overton. Funds for the gift came from the staff's dues.

The Central High PTA, under the direction of Mrs. M. E. Indermill. honored the faculty with its eighth annual appreciation dinner on April 29 in the school cafetoria

IN MY OPINION

Seniors Pause To Remember By David White

At this time it would be well to look back over the past year and inisce over the activities that have taken place.

Scattered throughout the months were activities and events worth recalling. Nostalgia over such events as Presentation of Sponsors, Homecoming, and Senior Day i seconded only by the pep rallies and the assemblies which have helped to bind us as a family.

Central has displayed some aspects of an actual family. We have felt a concern which has enabled us to share the accomplishments of individuals and also to display our grief at the loss of those we love

Soon the friendships we, as seniors, have formed will be interrupted. The time for good-bys is all too near and with it comes the end of another year.

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13 Seniors Head Rolls For Quarter The senior class led the third

quarter star roll with 13, while the sophomore class topped the honor roll with 40, announces Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Compared to last quarter's honor roll of 76, the third quarter listing

Star Roll—Phyllis Adkins, Rhon-da Blevins, Lynn Button, Beverly Choate, Arlene Fuson, Sheila Har-mon, Susan Huddlestun, Glenda Masengil, Jimmy Mulican, Joyde Parson, Betsi Phillips, Debbie Dotte and Jan Rider. Parson, Betsi Phil Potts, and Jan Rider. Honor Roll-Elaine Barger, Lar-

ry Beaty, David Brown, Richard Chambers, Ruth Core, Craig Dos-cher, Kenneth Earnshaw, Gary Fischer, Gail Freeman, Frank

Almeda Gossett, Martha Hollis, Jane Meyer, Patricia Moore, Car-olyn Moss, Faith Radford, Susan Rodman, Lynda Steinberg, and

Juniors
Star Roll — Jake Arbes, David
Ashley, Barbara Button, Brenda
Cook, Susan Davenport, Gwen Frisbee, Amy Hackney, Donna Harris,
Patricia Sheetz, and Harrold Tyber.
Honer Roll — Mitzi Anderson,
Pauline Boyd, Belinda Butter, Shelby Camp, Gail Coley, Rodena Cook,
Linda Cooper, Sharon Crabtree, Rebecca Duggan, Linda Franklin.
Beth Jeffors, Jennifer Ledford

Beth Jeffers, Jennifer Ledford, Sanda Barnes, Gail Schrock, Debbi Hose when those who fill out applications. The Morris January and Sparty Group and Sphill Schrock, Debbi Hose who fill out applications. The Morris January and Sphill Sphill Schrock, Debbi Hose who fill out applications. The Morris January and Sphill Sphill

Sophomores

Star Roll — Jim Barclay, Pam Bishop, Jerry Hendrix, Jan Tem-pleton, and Marianne Tinker.

Honor ROH—VICKI Alden, Jayne Arnold, Gwen Ashburn, Linda Ault, Denise Bacon, Brenda Ballinger, Becky Braddock, Kay Clark, Mir-iam Clopton, Anthony Crutcher, Betty Dedmon, Patti Dukes.

Mike Faust, Nancy Foster, Greg Goza, Michael Haggard, Sandra Hickman, Don Howard, Diane Jones, Jane Leonard, Nancy Lewis, Sharon McGill, Tony Metcalf, Steve Meyer, Karen Morgan.

Janice Myhan, Sharon Overton, Gary Phillips, Larry Phillips, Tom Phillips, Brenda Sewell, Joyce Smith, Martha Snyder, Susan Spears, Jimmy Stratigos, Judy Stroud, Kerry Upton, Linda West-brook, Ola Wood, and Gayle

Seven Teachers Earn Recognition For CHS Service

Seven Central faculty members were honored for their service to the school in an annual awards program on May 6.

Miss Mary Ellen Rice received 40 years at Central. Mr. J. Pope Dyer, having served for 35 years, earned a two-diamond pin.

For 25 years of service, Mrs. Reba Fults, Miss Pauline Shearer, for 20 years.

at-law in Nashville.



MATH WHIZZES—Stationed at the board are first place math winners, from left, Frank Goforth, Patricia Sheetz, David Ashley, and Barbara Button.

Math Team First Again, Four Claim Top Honors Senior Frank Goforth and junior Other underclassmen who p Barbara Button captured two area ticipated in the geometry cont

Frank's fourth consecutive win and Ola Wood, who also scored in the

in their divisions of the local con- Gordon Smith. test, Frank won the comprehensive examination this year while Bargeometry test.

and Patricia Sheetz, who placed Barbara for top honors.

place. Roth have also placed high year's scheduling.

East Tennessee region and then state. The University of Chattawill be compared statewide.

first place mathematics awards - were sophomores John Neff and Barbara's third in the annual con- city's top ten, and junior Harold Tyber and sophomore Bill Kennedy Since 1965 they have placed first All entrants are students of Mr

bara outscored students in the now attend J. B. Brown Junior High, placed first and second, re-Two other juniors, David Ashley spectively, in Algebra I.

Central did not enter anyone in second and third last year, tied the Algebra II division because of a changeover in the Mathematics The only other seniors who en- Department in which sophomores tered from Central, Jim Mullican take geometry and juniors study and Lynn Button, tied for second Algebra II as opposed to last

in the local standings since 1965. Sponsored by the Tennessee
The papers of the top three students in each division were mailed the annual contest is held in varto Knoxville to be rated in the lous testing centers throughout the

Tri-Hi-Y Inducts 15 Girls Into Membership for '69 Fifteen girls were inducted into at a reception. On May 13 the Central's Tri-Hi-Y on May 2 dur- group also held an informal initia-

ing the annual induction ceremony tion and picnic at the Provident n assembly. recreation area.

They are juniors Donna Norris, anda Barnes, Gail Schrock, Debbie those who fill out applications. The omores Jayne Arnold, Becky Cook, clude a high scholastic average and Tricia Pyle, Julia Massey, Mary Snyder, Carolyn Chaney, Jan Tem-

During the ceremony the 1968- ficulty is limiting the number to Sikhop, Jerry Hendrix, Jan Tem-leleton, and Marianne Tinker.

Honor Roll—Vicki Alden, Jame Arnold, Gwen Ashburn, Linda Ault, Look, vice-president; Becky Riev-Becky Rievley, secretary; Julia Painter, treas- that often we don't know some of

urer; and Patricia Sheetz, chaplain. the girls. Those upcoming juniors Following the program the club who were not selected this year honored the senior members and will have another chance next the new members and their parents spring."

Snyder, Carolyn Chaney, Jan 1empleton, Becky Burns, and Susan girls who apply that our main dif-"There are so many wonderful

ONE FOR YOU-Red carnations were exchanged for bright smiles as the new Tri-Hi-Y members were inducted. At left is senior member Diane Cross

Seniors Make Plans for College Study; Most To Remain In Tennessee Schools

By Barbara Button

As graduation draws nearer, Also attending UT is Peggy Two seniors will attend Hiwassee some of the seniors have finalized Commander, a future teacher, and Junior College. John Crawford will plans for college and have received a math and science major, Jimmy major in industrial arts while Larry study in assembly on May 1. aid and awards in the form of Sedman. Eddie Sheley will major Beaty plans to begin his studies in scholarships.

Attending the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be Frank Goforth, a National Merit Finalist. His \$5600 scholarship Another college wh from MIT will be used to study aeronautical engineering.

Also going out of state will be Jim Mullican and Jay Maveety. They plan to study engineering at Georgia Institute of Technology, a three-diamond pin for teaching where Jim will use his Naval ROTC scholarship.

> University of Georgia, where he will play football.

don W. Smith received ruby pins University of Tennessee is Lynn science. Button, valedictorian. She is the Peggy Standefer plans to study

graduate, delivered the keynote ad-crownover, David Sharp, Gary Harvey McCoy plans to study po-nician is Arlene Fuson, who will John Crawford was presented a dress. Mr. Gober, a former Mr. Fisher, and Jack Haddock, who litical science. Central, is presently an attorney- plan to become engineers; and

in physical education; Susan Hud- engineering. dlestun will train for a career in Gary Reynolds will take pretelevision broadcasting; and Ruth medical training at the University

Hinchey. Studying to be missionaries are

Mike McCoy plans to attend the Queen will major in history. Planning to study physical ed- Stout.

awards by Mr. W. Hobart Millsaps, Award.

Vicki McCanless and Beverly he signs up for drafting classes. award.

Principal, Mr. Gary Gober, 1957

Other UT supporters are Clifford Chate want to major in business. Preparing to be an X-ray tech-

David Lipscomb College in Nash-Faith Radford, Paula Hart, Patti ville will receive two Central grad- Technical Institute will be David

of Chattanooga, Other Chattanooga Another college which several supporters will be Martha Hollis, seniors will attend is Tennessee who will study home economics; Temple Planning to become teach- John Kelle, who is as yet undeers are Jane Earnshaw, Paul Faulk- cided as to his major; and Bob was Reverend James Davenport, ner, Linda Holland, and Barbara Johnson, who plans to major in assistant pastor of the Second political science

Using a \$1000 scholarship to-Betsi Phillips, Pam Linville, and Mary Ann Shultz, Steve Bettis Isbell will attend Carson-Newman plans to study Bible, and Lenita College. A future teacher attending Lee College in Cleveland is Janice

ecation at Middle Tennessee State | Diane Cross will major in busand Vice-Principal Everett O'Neal The largest number of seniors University are Elaine Barger and iness at Dalton Junior College. were awarded sapphire pins. Mr. are going to "Big Orange Country." Joyce Parson. Glenda Masengil, Aspiring to be a lawyer is Windy College.

Award to Junior For Achievement

Bible Club Gives

Junior Linda Guffey was recognized for excellence in Bible

This award, a new Bible, is pre sented annually by the Bible Club to the underclassman in the Bible classes who they feel has shown outstanding qualities in both study and Christian character.

Guest speaker for the program Presbyterian Church. A trio, consisting of Betsi Phillips, Peggy vided the music.

The Rible award is presented in memory of Miss Rachel McAllister, who taught Bible at Central for 20 years until her death in 1957.

Miss Mary L. Moore, superin-Stanley J. Farmer and Mr. Gor- Included in this group attending the salutatorian, will major in social Saffles, who will attend Columbus tendent of Bible teaching in public Cleveland State Community Col-schools in Chattanooga and Ham-Following the presentation of recipient of a \$200 Merit Alumni home economics at MTSU while lege will gain David Wooten as ilton County, is the donor of the

attend Mid-State Medical Academy. new red Bible from the Fellowship Studying at the new Chattanooga of Christian Athletes. As Central's Music for the program was arranged by Miss Bobbie Ruth
Hodges, American history teacher.

| Faith Radford, Paula Hart, Patti ville will receive two Central gradville will receive two Central g

Chattanooga Central High School

DIGEST NAMES SPORTS ALL-STARS Diamondmen Fall to Rebels Golfers To Defend Title











Not the Best . . . It hasn't been the best year for Central in football, has-

ketball, or wrestling. It hasn't even been a fair year for

track or golf. The fact is, though, that it has been a season of which the players or fans could be proud.

champions with two losses (9-2 record).

captured Central's only state crown for 1968.

I mean that the Central gridmen finished the season

The Pounders started with what many observers thought

was a losing basketball team. But, as Coach Smith com-

mented, "Through their spirit and determination, they went

Starting with an inexperienced squad, Coach Jack Archer.

squad which captured sixth place in the state. Glenn Rievley

Players Can Be Proud

Trying to better the 1967 1-7 track slate has proved to

Wes Gilliland, placing fourth in the City Prep Golf

The outlook is better for the diamondmen. Having lost

This year, though, is as good as gone, and it's time to

Tourney, seemed to be the golf team's spark of light in its

only one game, the baseball team has high hopes for a state

start thinking about next year. For reasons like Tim Thorn-

hill Rick Holder Larry McGill Glenn Rievley, Wes Gilliland,

Pat Chadd, Reuben Justice, and Anthony Crutcher I'm not

worried. These athletes will return next year heaping more

over, but it has been a season of which the players or fans

And next year . . . Well, just you wait!

This past season hasn't been anything to click your heels



Anthony Crutcher Wes Gilliland

Eight Central sports standouts have been named by their coaches to the eighth annual Digest All- two-year letterman, has been leyball team, has been chosen as its Star Team

Larry McGill, Wes Gilliland, An- McCord and Kin Choate outscored thony Crutcher, and Joyce Parson. Larry; but he has played fine ball

are only a few of the attributes held by this year's team.

has been picked posthumously.

Perkins: Honorary Football played only half the season at Golf Tournament, the time of his death, the football coaches stated that his dedication football banquet, a spot on The nucleus of the 1969 squad. Knoxville Journal's All-State footlete of the Month for September.

McCoy: Football

Mike McCoy has been chosen by Coach E. B. "Red" Etter to rep resent the football team. Coach Etter confessed difficulty in picking | Sports-minded boys at Central first, second, and third basement a place on the All-HIL team. Choate: Baseball

crown on the three decisions and is in his track shorts. This wasn't so roles of some coaches. captain of next year's team. bad until he tried to hurdle the Maybe one day . . .



By Jake Arhes

McGill: Basketball

chosen to represent the basketball representative by Coaches Mar. all the way to the quarter-finals of the Region 3 Tourna-They are Mike Perkins, Mike Mcteam by Coach Gordon Smith. "ToCoy, Kin Choate, Glenn Rievley, wards the end of the season Carson Speed, strength, skill, and desire consistently through the year." good ball the most consistently." Gilliland: Golf

For the first time a volleyball Gilliland has been selected by were Coaches E. B. Etter, football; star has been named to the squad. Coach Archer as top linksman. Also for the first time, one star Gilliland is first man on the golf track; Jack Archer, wrestling and be a dream for the Pounder thinclads. Considering a track team which last year won the re- golf; Eddie Test, baseball; and team needs at least 30 members. Coach Smith and Coach gional golf tourney. He recently Margaret Hammack and Jenny Cox, Farmer and their "Tramping Twenty" have courage just Although Mike Perkins had came in fourth in the City Prep volleyball.

Crutcher: Track

Anthony Crutcher, a 220-yard

Parson: Volleyball

"It was a difficult choice," stated the coaches; "but Joyce played through constant practice sessions, built the matmen into a

All-star selection were made by For the second straight year Wes the head coach of each sport. They Gordon Smith basketball and

In 1961 and 1962 the Digest featured only three All-Stars - football, basketball, and baseball. The and skill on the gridiron qualified dash specialist, is this year's track him for a place on the team. Per- all-star selected by Coach Smith. following year wrestling and golf kins has been awarded Central's The speedster is high point man were added and then in 1967 track. Outstanding Player Award at the for the track team and will be the This year honors also go to a

ball team, and WDXB's Best Ath-Perplexing Predicaments

this year's honoree but stated Mc- have recently discovered that al- after hitting a home run. Coy's consistency and spirit were though it's fun to play on several A golf and baseball enthusiast

Trophy at the football banquet and are involved in the baseball, golf, keep his left arm stiff, one golfer and track as well as spring football practice. Since all these ac- the outfield and got a hole-in-one "I think he is the best baseball tivities are held seventh period and teacher's windshield. "I think he is the best baseball livities are nein sevenin period and player in Chattanooga," Coach after school, the fun is to try to Eddie Test said of baseball all remember what to do and where have a rough time adjusting to

ter and hurler is tops on the major One junior boy was entering dis-Commerce as the top area baseball baseball practice one day he in for a tackle.

different rules in other sports. league's scout list. He was selected by the Chattanooga Chamber of second base at the same time. At think he can tag his man, he runs

twirled around twice and released Maybe some day we will have

Joyce Parson with only two losses. In 1946 the Pounders were state

Larry McGill, a junior and a Joyce Parson, captain of the vol

Coy's consistency and spirit were inough its fun to play or served the determining factors. McCoy teams, it can often be confusing, captured Central's Best-All-Around During the spring several boys which. Remembering that he must Shooters Place in Top Third;

sharpshooter David Howell, placed which were held May 3. 14 in a field of 69 in the Third When asked how he felt about

to appear on the cinders.

championship.

honors on Central

Rievley: Wrestling
Junior Glenn Rievley has been
amed by Coach Jack Archer as the event has never been recorded.

An absent-minded senior once pounder won the state wrestling founder won the state wrestling from the state

Quality for National Match Central's rifle squad, led by compete in the National Matches

Army Postal Matches held in the the Pounders' placement in the competition, Sergeant Warren Lut-These matches were open to all trell, rifle team instructor, replied, schools in the Third Army District "I am not satisfied with the team

pounder won the state wrestling found himself at baseball practice confusion is caused by the dual Lawrence Wilbourn, Howard Thom- teams in the past, consists solely as, Lynn Patterson, and sophomore of underclassmen because of their Craig Brothers, became eligible to high qualifying scores.



SLIDE. CHARLIE, SLIDE—Kicking up dust as he slides into home. Charlie Rogers ties the score in a practice. He ha

the ball toward someone," com- HIL AA victory. Central's 2-1 loss to Brainard

Elaine Barger One of 16

until I read my name in the paper Glohon, manager.

was chosen by the coaches.

through the process of double-

In this, the eighteenth annual

tourney, 18 teams from various

area high schools tried unsuccess

fully to dethrone defending cham-

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By Betty Ann Hardison

Jackson.

played one of our best cracked a two-run homer with two diamondmen have compiled an 8-2 games defensively and everyone out in the bottom of the seventh, over-all slate and a 3-2 HIL AA was hitting real well—we just hit May 2, to give Brainerd the vital record. In their first league encounter, Central held the City High counter, central sea the Chy right counter, central sea the Chy right counter, central strack and field team showed much improvement with mented ace hurler Kin Choate, fanning 14, had a no-hit Dynamos scoreless for four innected the 1968 season winless but Central defeating Booker T. Wash-Central's 2,1 loss to Brainerd.

1-0 game going before Jim Elliott ings; but three City men loaded with a much improved team." stated ington in the track events but fallthe said that the single that stroked a single with two out, the bases and Monty Jolley drove Coach Gordon W. Smith, track ing in the field events. The final ruined his no-hit game did not Burroughs stepped up, worked the them in with a triple to right cen-mentor. terfield. Central threatened in four In their first meet, the Pounders registered by Pounders in the high innings, leaving a total of nine fell to Kirkman 78-32. Central's hurdles mile relay, mile run, 880bother him. "It's winning the game count to 2-2, and then belted the terfield. Central threatened in four are simportant.

At this writing, the Pounder men on base; but they failed to Wayne Addreson, Archie Griffin, yard relay, 440-yard dash and 220.

were victorious as they trounced run, 880-yard run, and 220-yard ing Tyner proved disasterous as Soddy-Daisy 9-0. Junior Tim Thorn- dash, respectively. Although the the Rams trounced Central 112-16. On Volleyball Star Squad hill blasted a home run in the first Pounders lost this contest, by mid- Jim Mullican and Crutcher capinning with one man on to spark season Central was turning in bet- tured first places to lead the the team, Moundman Rogers, who ter times in the events than Kirk- Pounders' scoring. struck six men out in three innings, man. Elaine Barger was recently | Starting line-up for the Pounder had a solo homer in the third. named to the all-tournament team volleyballers consisted of Elaine,

in the area high school volleyball Joyce Parson, Charlotte Forrester, tournament at Hixson, as Central Gail Coley, Becky Burns, Pam run each, paced the Pounders in the up against Hixson and trailed the tournament at Hixson, as central out Cotey, Beeky Burns, Pam, ended its season with a place in Rogers, Linda Partain, and Cindy he ton eight to grant out the ston eight t

ance in all the tournament games, and instructed throughout the sea-Elaine was awarded a silver minia- son by girls' gym class instructors, Jim Nelson and Thornhill as they cindermen were led in this event Ooltewah. Again Central's mile reture volleyball. "I did not know I Mrs. Margaret Hammack and Mrs. cach smacked two-run homers. The by the mile-relay team which cap lay team, defeated only once in had made the all-tournament team Jenny Cox, assisted by Earline Mc- contest was called after only five tured first place with a 3:56. innings of play.

on Sunday morning. I was very The girls developed their skills In the Pounders' 5-1 victory surprised and happy," Elaine for the tournament by practicing Red Bank on April 4, Choate after school Monday through Fri- fanned 14 batters and allowed only This team, composed of 16 girls day in the gym. one hit. Rogers led the scoring with selected from the top eight teams, The tournament is sponsored a home rur

each year by The Chattanooga In his fifth straight victory Although Central's eight-girl Times, Martin-Thompson and Look- Rogers pitched the Purple nine to squad had wins over Cleveland Day out Sporting Goods. Students from an 8-3 win over East Ridge or School and Sale Creek, they were the University of Chattanooga April 26. Choate, with a triple and eliminated by Red Bank and Tyner acted as referees. a single, paced the batmen.

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In Regional Golf Tourney

Central's golfers will try to re- | downed Collins 5-4; and Richard

firing a five-over-par 77. In golf action up to May 6 the Pounders Palmquist handed Gilbiland a 1-up loss: and Allen Brown defeater accumulated a 2-5-1 record

Leading the way as the Pounders Chadd 4-3. Leading the way as the Pounders downed the Tyner Rams 4-2 was 316-216 for the Purple's third downed the Tyner Rams 4-2 was 315-215 for the Purples third Gilliland as he defeated Terry Straight loss. In this match Gilli-Ziegler 4-3. In other matches Pat land defeated John O'Neal 1-up; Ziegler 4-S. In other matenes Isal land defeated John O'Near Loup, Chadd tied Gary Cathy; Eddie McGill tied Boyd Dethre; Netherry defeated Tommy Sheets 4-3; and Gary Stevens of Tyner Quinn Smith dropped Chadd 5-4. dropped Charles Collins 2-up.

again led the way, defeating Kirk Mabry defeating arch enemy Gill tied Dan Thompson

tain their Regional crown as they Parkinson beat Nethery 4.3. battle on the Brainerd Golf Course Trying to bounce back from the Joseph the Buleamon fell to Raylor

on this same course, junior Wes 51. Leading the Red Raiders with Gilliand captured fourth place in the City Prep Golf Tournament by fring a five-over-par 77. In golf dropped Scott Akers 1-up; Bobby

The Pounders then faced the In another contest Central shad-City Dynamos and were blanked ed Hixson 3½-2½ as Gilliland 6.0 This match found Mickey Smith 2-up, Owl Arlin Grant de-land 1-up, Gary Chazen defeating feated McGill 1-up; Chadd dropped McGill 4-3. Coy Mabry dropping Terry Madwell 4-2; and Nethery Chadd 2-1, and Tony Sams of Cit

tied Dan Thompson. squeaking past Nethery 4-3.

Cleveland shut out Central 6-0 Gilliand was the only individua in the Pounders' second match. Pounder victor as Central fell to Scotty Hannah defeated Gilliland Brainerd 5-1, Brainerd's Allen Winston Prince dropped Smith took medalist honors for the

Purple Thinclads Finish Slate Winless But Much Improved

"Central's track and field team | showed much improvement with

and Anthony Crutcher were able yard dash. In the next contest the Pounders to capture first place in the mile | Central's match with league lead-

Unaware of the field events date, have been with Soddy-Daisy, was Rogers and Choate, with a home the Purple thinclads failed to show postponed. Because Central was not Chosen for her over-all perform- The volleyball team was coached Leading the squad to a 19-0 win cumulated 13 points, and the Wild-

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tally 70-57 included first places

The next meet which was to informed as to the new date, the

In the Doundard' last encounter regulation meets, captured first The Pounders' third encounter place to lead the Pounder scoring

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Senator Baker Advises Students To 'Speak Up'

By Barbara Button

"No matter how brilliant your | American dream ideas may be, you can be assured they won't amount to a thing unou speak up," Senator How-

less you speak up, Senator How-ard Baker, Jr., stressed as he spoke in assembly on May 3. Sponsored by Central's Senate, the program, which featured Ten-nessee's "favorite son," was the last in a series on citizenship and natriotism

Senator Baker mentioned the most important aspects of human concern in America today and challenged youth, "the collective genius of this generation," to con-tribute their ideas to the future of

"You face a time of great peril," the young Senator related. "I have

The learned statesman also reviewed the people's role in governmant

"The checks and balances between the executive, legislative, and judicial branches are just the machinery of our government," Mr. Baker reminded. "People themselves are the real govern-ment and will direct this ma-

After relating the ideals of American democracy, Mr. Baker suggested that every student be-come active in voicing his political

"The two-party system was es-"You face a time of great peril,"
"In the young Senator related," I have tablished so every man could give infinite confidence . . . that you his ideas," noted the Senator. "Be lead to the realization of the self-government," he urged.

Love," "The Shadow of Your Smile" and "Love is Blue."

During the 30-minute intermis

sion, junior girls — Diane Evans, Vicki Funk, Julia Painter, Becky

Thurston, Ginger Nye, Debbie Phil-

lips, Cathy Rooks, and Janet Maveety — served refreshments.

After the break, officers of the

junior and senior classes were pre-sented for the lead out, "Wonder-

The dance was co-ordinated by

Larry was in charge of distribut-

ing the tickets; while Reuben Jus-

tice, junior class vice-president, compiled the date list. Ronnie Holder, treasurer, and Barbara Button worked on publicity.

Ginger, secretary, Debbie, Jenay Bradford, and Gwen Frisbee planned the decorations which re-

flected the "wonderland" theme

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Wonderland By Night' Theme of Annual Prom

Twinkling stars, a flower-bordered fence, and candel-abras turmed Hamilton County Pavilion into a "Wonderland by Night" as the junior class hosted the seniors at the annual Junior-Senior Prom last Friday. Couples were welcomed by the receiving line, which con-sisted of Assistant Principal and Mrs. W. Everett O'Neal, Miss Bobbie Ruth Hodges, senior class president Mike McCoy, Sue Navel, Junior class president Larry McGill, and Debbie Phillips at 8 Nave.

8 p.m.

Creating a "wonderland" mood, Mr. Morris Bales' band played such numbers as "When I Fall in

Central Students Get Recognition For Work in JA

By Tommy Mathis Three Central students were

recently recognized by Junior Achievement for their work in the organization. Senior John Overton was granted

land by Night," a \$100 scholarship by the Chattaa \$100 scholarship by the Chatta-nooga Optimist Club, which works cooperatively with JA. Commenting on his scholarship, John said, "I think that being twenty-second in the class and parthe junior class officers with the assistance of Miss Marjorie Ogle, class sponsor, Mrs. Frank Robbins,

ticipating on the track team helped me; for they were looking for a good all-around student."

In her second year in JA, Susan Brock was also presented a \$100 scholarship. She said that aca-demic achievement was considered in selecting the recipient, but "the most important item was the work I had done in JA."

Susan was recently first runnerup for Miss Junior Achievement and received the Achiever Award and the Junior Executive Award.

Junior Jeanie Dulin said that her JA company, Comco, had given its surplus funds to the Orange Grove







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Seniors Jo Smith, Kin Choate Reign During Annual May Day Ceremonies



Limestone Formation Slows Construction of New Central

By Tommy Mathis

"Although construction workers | the site preparation is finished and preparation for the new Central is underway." High School is progressing rather satisfactorily," states Principal W. Hobart Millsaps.

Commenting on the difficulty. Mr. Millsans said, "The first step in constructing the new building was to remove approximately 12 to 15 feet of soil from the top of the hill. However, as workers began leveling the hill, they dug into a huge limestone rock formation."

He stated that since tests had failed to show this formation, no allowance was made for the cost or time of removing it. "The extra cost totals approximately \$47,000," the principal commented: "but as far as I know, the plans are still to open the new building in September of 1969."

He added, "Just about all of

uncovered an unexpected obstacle, construction of the new gymnasium The original estimated cost of

the new school, which will be located off Highway 58 near J. B. Brown Junior High School, was about two and a half million dollars

The T. U. Parks Company began work on the site in December, 1967, three days after the county held an informal ground-breaking cere-Active plans were made for the

new Central after the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools threatened the loss of Central's ac

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By Patricia Sheetz

Perhaps it's only a coincidence that Jo Smith's first name is Royal; but she, along with Kin Choate, reigned over the 1968 May Day Festival on April 30.

At the annual ceremony, which was held on the front lawn, other queen and king candidates—Lynn Button, Wayne Anderson; Martha Hollis, Jimmy Mullican; Jane Meyer, Jim Long; Sue Navel, Bill Ridge; and Betsi Phillips, Mike McCoy were presented.

Junior Debbie Senterfit an-nounced the "Changes of the Seasons" as sophomore Tricia Pyle, dressed in a turquoise court jester suit, provoked laughter with her playful antics. Romping Characters

Scattered throughout the pro-gram, other girls also provided en-tertainment. Springy Jack Frost, portrayed by Pam Bishop, painted the autumn leaves, while a bouncing pumpkin, Patty Hall, followed her. In addition, two girls—Char-lotte Forester and Norma Miller dressed as a horse and galloped around the dancers. Each gym class honored the

royal couple and the court with a dance routine which characterized the seasonal changes. Mrs. Mar-garet Hammack and Mrs. Jenny Cox, gym instructors, arranged the Queen's Activities

Included in the list of Jo's senior

activities are Gym Staff president and Sweetheart, member of Millers Teen Board, Key Club Calendar Girl, semi-finalist for Miss Chattanooga, and member of the Student Council and Varsity Glee Club. Kin has been the captain of the

basketball team for two years, captain of the baseball team, vice-president of the senior class, vicepresident of the C Club, member of Student Council and Key Club, and huddle group leader for Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

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