

Webb, Haun, Martin To Study In Wales

"All aboard for England" will be Becky Webb and Cheryl Haun, juniors, and Betty Martin, a sophomore, when the plane leaves New York, July 15, for Bangor, Wales to spend six weeks in study and travel. Also joining the group will be Cindy Barnes who will graduate from South Central High School in May.

These girls will leave Louisville with a party of twelve or more students from Madison High School. The group will be under the direction of Mrs. Raymond Wingham, an English teacher in the Madison High School.

This group will fly to Bangor, Wales, with high school students from all over the United States who will be going under the "American Institute for Foreign Study" plan.

The girls will attend the University of Wales at Bangor for four weeks. The summer school here is noted for attracting students from all over the world.

During this time, weekend excursions will be planned to Ireland and to the Royal National Eisteddfod (Folklore Festival) of Wales to see the ceremony of the Chairing of the Bard. There will also be numerous day trips to the nearby castles, mountains and the Island of Anglesey.

During their stay at Bangor students will be required to take three courses.

Study Courses

Course A "English Literature"—either 20th Century Poetry, Drama and the Novel, Shakespeare and the Elizabethan Age; or the English Romantics.

Course B "A Survey of British Life and Institutions".

Course C "Special Interest Courses", students will select two courses, each will last two weeks, from the following: Art and Architecture; Painting and Sketching; Music (Choral); Natural History of Snowdonia and Anglesey; Archaeology, (which will include field trips); Britain and America; and Snowdonia in History (a course built around the medieval castles, churches, and towns in the area).

Following their four weeks at Bangor, students will go to Shatford-on-Avon, Oxford University and then on to London for three nights and two days of sightseeing.

From London they will embark on the Thorsen Ferry to Le Harve and then on to LeMans where they will see a light and sound performed at LeLude Castle. In France they will visit the French Chateau country which will include Chambord Castle and the beautiful Cathedral of Chartres.

Two full days of sightseeing in Paris to see all the main points of interest possible to cover in that time will conclude their first thrilling and educational trip abroad.

The group will arrive back in the United States August 22.

NANCY KELLER WILL JOIN U. OF L. GROUP TO EUROPE

Nancy Keller is making plans to join a group from the University of Louisville who will study in Montpellier, France, for six weeks. The group will then travel through Germany, England, Italy, Belgium Spain and Switzerland. The trip will be made by boat and the group will be gone nine weeks.



Standing, left to right: Frank Sandullo, Anita Watson, David Chinn, Roger Mauck, Joe Mattingly, Anita Fisher, John Mathews, Kathy Wilson, Queen, Jim Mathes, Jill Moss, Marc Smith, Bill Baelz, and Mike Miles. (Photo by Brooks Rainbolt)

Kathy Wilson Crowned Queen

Kathy Wilson, senior, was crowned 1965-66 basketball queen at the Charlestown game on December 10.

In her court were Anita Watson, freshman, escorted by Frank Sandullo and David Chinn; Jill Moss, sophomore, escorted by Joe Mattingly and Marc Smith; and Anita Fisher, junior, escorted by Joe Mattingly and John Mathews. Kathy's escorts were Bill Baelz and Mike Miles.

The girls were nominated by the C Club members, but elected by the Booster Club.

Kathy was crowned by Roger Mauck and presented a dozen red roses and a gold charm bracelet engraved with the inscription Basketball Queen, 1965 - 66.

Mona Rothrock Named Talent Contest Winner

Mona Rothrock, a sophomore, won the Hi-Fi talent contest sponsored by the Coca Cola Company. Accompanied by Deanna Miller, she sang "Climb Every Mountain" to win the contest. Runner-up was a trio composed of Carol Miller, Anita Fisher, and Diana Smith, all juniors. They sang The Sound of Music and were also accompanied by Deanna.

Others participating in the contest were Diane Reimold, a freshman, who sang "Tonight" accompanied by Deena Kinkade, and Diana Gibson who played a piano solo. Mona and the trio will go later to Louisville where they will compete in an area contest.

Live music for the dance was by the Centaurs. About two hundred people were present at the dance.

General Motors To Give Program

"Previews of Progress", a non-commercial science demonstration is a General Motors presentation to be given Tuesday, January 11, at an assembly program. This demonstration will be in non-technical language by a specially trained two-man team.

These informative previews give each audience a greater appreciation of the importance of science and engineering. By viewing this program, one cannot help but consider the ever-increasing number of career opportunities open in this field.

Junior - Senior Dance Held December 15

This year's Christmas dance, for juniors and seniors was again a big success. As customary, the dress was semi-formal. The cafeteria and lobby were appropriately decorated for the holiday season. Punch, fancy cookies, and nuts were served from a beautifully decorated table.

Plans for the dance were made by Linda Kirkham, senior class president, and Anita Fisher, junior class president, with the help of the sponsors, Mrs. Gleitz and Mrs. Jones.

Adult Classes To Start Jan. 3

Adult education evening classes will offer occupational information and art starting Monday, January 3, 1966 and will meet two nights a week for fourteen weeks.

Mr. Norman will offer the occupational information course and Mr. Lander will teach art.

All persons interested in taking either course should call RE8-1085 and pre-register.

The school is naturally interested in helping young adults to find work and educational opportunities that will help them reach their goals in life. To help these people plan for the future and the world of work, we offer a course in occupational information.

When we say that an occupation is suitable for a particular person, we mean three things: "that it requires abilities he possesses; that he enjoys the work itself; and that he is convinced, in his case, that its advantages outweigh its disadvantages."

When you think about the preceding sentence, you see that it suggests a good approach to a study in occupational information:

1. Analyze yourself.
2. Investigate different types of work.
3. Balance your characteristics against the demands of the occupation to determine whether the occupation requires abilities you now have or can develop; involves activities that you would probably like; has advantages for you that outweigh its disadvantages.

Students taking this course will have access to a complete vocational guidance library, and individual counseling. All topics from "analyzing yourself", down to "How to get a job and keep it" will be discussed.

Mr. Lander will plan the art course more in detail after he meets with the students enrolled in the course and he finds their special interests.

Drama Club To Give Program

"A Christmas for Kate" will be presented by the Drama Club, December 22. It is a teenage version of Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew". Kate, played by Deanna Miller, was once stood up by a boy, so now she hates all boys. Bob, her sister Barbie's boyfriend, wants to take Barbie to the Christmas dance, but Barbie refuses to go unless Kate goes. Bob persuades Pete, a new boy in school, to take Kate to the dance. At their first meeting, Pete continually insults Kate. After so many insults Kate is finally beaten into submission.

Members of the cast are: Deanna Miller, John Walter, Ellen Olsen, Tim Kirkham, Billy Blair, Mike Miller, Mary Lou Miles, Judy Cato, and Marcia Fey.

Also included in the program are Christmas carols sung by the French Club and Spanish classes.

Students Give Christmas Prog.

The students under the direction of Mrs. Elam, gave a program for the Corydon Women's Club at their annual tea. The program was presented in the home of Mrs. Robert O'Bannon.

The program was made up of music and readings. Spanish carols under the direction of Miss Puryear, "While Christmas", and "Deck The Halls" were sung by Pam Fisher, Becky Webb, Becky Shireman and Debby Wright. The French carolers coached by Miss Nolan, sang, "Un Flambeau", "Il est Ne Le Devin Enfant". The carolers were Kay Mitchell, Elizabeth Ward, Teresa Norman, Debbie Carter, Carol Miller, Susan Curtis, and Ellen Olsen. Max Rusk sang a solo "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas". Max and the carolers were accompanied on the organ by Deanna Miller. Readings were given by Mike Shireman, "I Remember Yule"; "With Frankincense and Myrrh" by John Walter, and by Anita Watson, "The Happy Art of Christmas Giving."

The Harrison County Crusade School received approximately fifty dollars from the students of Corydon Central High. The money, which was collected in the home rooms, will be used to ease the Crusade School's financial burden.

Alice Barks Lends Valuable Assistance To Sesquicentennial

Alice Barks, a senior, is giving very valuable assistance to the Sesquicentennial Committee of Harrison County as well as gaining very worthwhile experience in typing and cutting stencils.

As a member of Future Business Leaders, she is adding up points which each member strives to gain from extra work done in the secretarial field, very rapidly.

Alice is helping Mrs. Jones, who is secretary of the Executive Committee of the Sesquicentennial Committee of Harrison County, to make permanent copies of all the minutes of the Committee since its organization in February, 1964; in addition to minutes, lists of all committees, their members, and their duties will be made and kept. Each member of all the committees will have a complete list of committees and their duties.

Complete copies of all the work done by the Executive Committee will be filed in the Indiana State Library, the Corydon Public Library, high school libraries in Harrison County and the Harrison County Recorder's office.



Holiday Tourney To Be Dec. 21-22

The Salem High School gym will be the site for this year's annual Holiday Tourney, Dec. 21 and 22. Schools that will meet are Corydon, Scottsburg, Salem, and Austin.

Corydon will meet Scottsburg at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, December 21. The Salem versus Austin game will begin at 8:00 p.m. the same night. The losers will meet Wednesday night at 6:30 and the championship game will follow at 8:00.

The price of admission is \$1.00 for students and \$2.00 for adults. Single-session tickets may be purchased at the door, and both student and adult tickets will sell for \$1.00.

Tickets went on sale December 13.

"Easy Does It" Wins U.S. Savings Bond

Steve Haggard, sophomore, won a second place rating in the 29th annual 4-H Livestock Conservation Demonstration Contest. He won the trip to Chicago to compete in the contest by winning first place in the county and district 4-H Demonstration Contest with his demonstration "Easy Does It". He received an A rating in the Indiana finals and a \$25 savings bond.

His demonstration showed how to prevent cattle from being bruised when you haul them.

OPINIONS

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

Recently in a freshman T.V. English class the students were discussing profanity used by the soldiers in the book "Red Badge of Courage", by Stephen Crane. Many of the students felt it was wrong for an otherwise good book to use this sort of language to stress a point.

One of the members of the class spoke then to take up for good books. She summed it up in a way the whole class had to agree. She thought when you read a book which contains vulgar language or profanity it's usually read to help the reader understand a character or characters.

The speaker felt that when high school students walk down the hall and hear students who know better begin every sentence with a vulgar word, then that's when we should protest.

The students agreed that something should be done to stop the use of profanity and vulgarity in our halls.

I thought I'd help by passing the word on to my fellow students that to continually speak in a vulgar or profane manner and to think nothing of using this language gets the student the wrong kind of attention. If attention is really what is desired, then the speaker should try to be cheerful and to speak clean, because a big smile and friendly greeting draw the kind of attention one really wants.

A Concerned Freshman

Dear Editor,

Three years ago a new rule was adopted by the "C" Club in connection with the Basketball and Football Queen contests. Instead of only senior girls being nominated each year, the new rule specifies that the club nominate a girl from each class, freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior.

Besides being unfair to the senior girl in the contest, and the senior class in general, I believe this rule detracts from the honor and lessens the importance of winning this contest. With only senior girls in the contest, the girls would know they have only one chance to become queen. This increases the importance of winning, heightens the desire of the girls to win, and the fact that a senior is queen intensifies the regal status of the position.

This status is borne of an intangible respect which is directed

toward seniors and not underclassmen. This respect is not unwarranted for the seniors are stepping into adulthood, whereas the underclassmen have not yet reached this stage and cannot realize its importance. Besides being respected because of their actions as seniors. Many times, when teachers scold a senior for misbehaving, they say he behaves like a freshman. Naturally, this makes the seniors feel they set the example at the school, they are the young adults, and they are the most important assets of the school.

This feeling of importance and not of superiority, as some people wrongly call it, will be greatly lessened if the school continues to allow underclassmen to take part in the Queen Contest. As this feeling of importance is gradually worn away, the seniors' class spirit will be dampened and, since, in my opinion, class spirit is the most important ingredient of school spirit, the latter will lag as the former decreases.

A SENIOR



(Photo by Brooks Rainbolt)

Journalism sturents who are responsible for the publication of the Pantherette are, left to right, seated: Cindy Steenbergen, Mike Shireman, Max Rusk, Nancy Keller, Linda Kintner,

Eldon Mason, Tim Kirkham, all seniors. Standing: Bertha Ferree, Patty Wiseman, Diana Smith, Mark Wiseman, Jim McGraw, and Frank Ordner, juniors.

HONOR ROLL Who Wants What? LEGEND OF MISTLETOE

2nd Grading Period

Seniors — Academic

Virginia Crosier, Ronald Kellen Nancy Keller, Helen Leffler, Carla Miles, Deanna Miller, Diane Richert, Elizabeth Ward, Kathy Wilson.

General —

Alexa Clements, Beverly Akers, Alma Engleman, Diana Gibson, Linda Kintner, Linda Kirkham, Judy Lillpop, Teresa Norman.

Juniors — Academic

Donald Abbott, Mary Brockman, Judy Cato, Bertha Ferree, Don Harper, John Jackson, Mary Kraft, John Mathews, Sandra McHatton, Carol Miller, Dennis Stepro, Jane Swisher, Nancy Timberlake, Norma Windell.

General —

Lillian Lasley, Denise Melton, Barbara Overton, Becky Webb.

Sophomores — Academic

Tom Alton, Patricia Brown, Virginia Creclius, Susan Curtis, Pamela Fisher, Missy Forsythe, Eileen Hall, Wayne Hannel, Alan Hess, John Kirkham, Betty Martin, Mary J. Mathes, Charles McMonigle, Jack Miles, Jill Moss, Ellen Olson, Nancy Owen, James Pfeiffer, Pat Seipel, Becky Shireman, Steve Taylor, Deborah Wright, Bill Kirkham.

General — Becky Eckart, Barbara Lang, Roy Lasley, Janet Lynton, Joyce Saulman, Carol Smith, Belya Toler.

Freshmen — Academic

Lynn Anderson, Deborah Blank, Bonita Brockman, Mary Fisher, Walter Frank, Janice Gettelfinger, Larry Gleitz, Steven Hurst, Frances Kennison, Pamela Kennison, Sharon Mauck, Pamela Melton, Barbara Pinaire, Judy Pitman, Robert Rothrock, Donald Shewmaker, Betty Sonner, Anita Watson, Howard Webb.

General — Becky Cato, Nancy Crone, Debra Ferguson, Marcia Fey, Joyce Lowe, Diane Reimold, Deloris Sams, Mary Taylor.

Christmas Will Vary For Americans

Christmas is a hectic time for most people in the USA. It is a time of cooking, baking, visiting, partying, and shopping. The people crowd the department stores and fight with each other to buy Christmas presents. The stores are decorated with huge Christmas decorations both inside and out. All of this work is hectic, it is fun. Most people are happy.

But many Americans will not have a Merry Christmas this year. Thousands of our soldiers will spend their Christmas in the hot, steaming jungle of Viet Nam. Only those whose relatives have sent them Christmas presents by Nov. 1 will receive presents on Christmas. Their holidays will not be days of celebration, but days of watching for the Viet Cong. However, this will be a Christmas which is not wasted. By fighting on Christmas Day, these soldiers will be preserving Christmas and its traditions.

The time of year is here when everyone's fancy turns to beautifully wrapped gifts and Santa Claus.

WOW! How times have changed since I was a boy. It used to be a simple thing for Santa to come. All he had to do was leap in his sleigh and say, "On Comet On Cloud."

On the 23rd of December by son Harvey walked up to me and said "Hey Dad you haven't asked me what I want for Christmas yet."

So I said, "I always wanted an electric train when I was a boy so I thought I'd get you one."

"Aw gee, Dad" Harvey replied, "Bill Jones" dad is getting him his own nuclear-bomb do it yourself kit, and Jimmy Miller is getting a real space ship."

By Christmas Eve I was beginning to wonder whether or not Christmas was like I remembered it as a boy, when I heard something on the roof. "That's got to be Santa Claus," I said to myself.

When he came down the chimney I almost fell through the floor. Instead of wearing the red suit I remembered, Santa was dressed all in blue, with a space helmet and T.V. arials.

After Santa accomplished his business, he walked out the front door, put his legs in high-gear ran to his space-ship and yelled to my amazement, "On Saturn, On Mercury."

It was then that I decided this old world was moving too fast for me and the sooner I left the better. I rented a space ship and was last seen heading for the moon yelling, "Merry Christmas To All And To All A Good Night."

Dec. 25 Celebration Began With Pagans

Although Christmas is traditionally celebrated as the birth of Christ, it has not always belonged to the church. Pagan societies celebrated December 25 as the day which the sun began its yearly rebirth. Northern Europeans decorated their homes with evergreens as a symbol of nature's victory over winter.

In Roman times, the people held a festival during the winter solstice in honor of Saturn, god of agriculture. Christians looking for converts combined Christmas with the Saturnalia.

Christmas remained a holiday of the church throughout the Middle Ages and into the nineteenth century. The stern Puritans forbade any public display on Christmas, and Christmas became the same as any other day to them.

Christmas would have remained a holiday of the church except for the influence of Clement Moore and Charles Dickens. Moore wrote "A Visit from St. Nicholas" or "The Night Before Christmas", to entertain his children. Charles

Why do so many people want mistletoe at Christmas time? Everyone knows that mistletoe is connected with love and kissing. The story of mistletoe is based on many legends.

More than a thousand years before the first Christmas, Druid priests of the British Isles gathered branches of mistletoe and used it in nuptial ceremonies. Anyone with a crown of mistletoe had great powers over others in affairs of the heart.

The Scandanavian goddess of love was said to have dipped her arrows in the juice of the mistletoe berries. The effects of these arrows on her targets were remarkable.

The legend that comes from England tells about a friar who found a beautiful maiden trapped in an oak tree and broke his sacred vows trying to free her. The spell of her captivity could be broken only with a kiss. Even though it was against his vows he kissed her. She immediately was free. The friar prayed in repentance for breaking the vow, and a sprig of mistletoe sprang up on the barren oak tree as a symbol of his forgiveness. This is thought to be the origin our story of mistletoe.

It is legitimate for a girl to be kissed while standing under this parasitic plant according to the English legend. The main problem is obtaining mistletoe for such purpose. Geographically, mistletoe has its greatest abundance south of the Mason-Dixon line. This unique plant has become the state flower of Oklahoma because of its widespread growth in that area. Usually mistletoe grows high in the tops of the elm, ash, walnut, maple or oak tree. The plant lives as a host, as many may know from their previous study in biology, upon these trees. The desire and apparent need for this plant has not yet discouraged any group of mistletoe hunters on "safari". Many southern college fraternities make money to finance their Christmas dances by selling this green door-to-door. A very helpful aid in hunting mistletoe is a pair of binoculars. Since the days of Huck Finn, many people, especially little boys, find a slingshot, a .22 rifle, or a sharp eye a great asset in hunting mistletoe.

Mistletoe has proved to be of significant value in making the dreams and Christmas wishes of small boys and big boys as well come true. But mistletoe has no guarantee of spectacular properties. So if your sprig of mistletoe fails you - don't blame it on its legends - blame the mistletoe.

Dickens wrote his famous "Christmas Carol" in 1843.

Many people today are concerned because there is a lack of religion in Christmas. They are worried that Santa Claus is replacing Christ. Today Christmas has become overly commercial.

Christmas In Italy

By FRANK SANDULLO

Frank Sandullo, who attended school in Italy until three years ago, was asked by the Pantherette staff to describe Christmas in Italy. Here is Frank's reply.

"Il Santo Natale" Christmas in Italy is celebrated on the same day as it is celebrated in the United States, but differently. We could say that Christmas there is more a family and church day.

If you were to go to Italy for Christmas it would be like this. You would see in all the churches, small and large, that the people build a very beautiful crib, using moss and statues representing the infant Jesus, Mary, Joseph, their ox, the ass, shepherds, and angels; in many houses also you see beautiful cribs.

Here in the United States it is traditional to have turkey dinner but over there we have capon or lamb.

Starting nine days before Christmas two bag pipes go around town playing Christmas songs and carols. On Christmas Eve, most of the people go to the midnight mass, where they all pray.

At the first light of the Christmas day you can hear the beautiful sound of the bells in all the churches in town, calling the people to mass. After mass, relatives meet at one house, where they have a very big dinner, they eat until the end of the day and then everybody goes to his own home.

NEW YEAR'S DAY

On New Year's Day the boys go to their relatives and wishing them a very happy New Year's, they are repayed with some money.

The sixth of January is the day when the people exchange gifts and it is tradition, that they are brought by "la befana" the Epiphany as in the United States they are brought on Christmas day by Santa Claus.

After the Epiphany the life returns to the way it was before.

Christmas Is Celebrated All Over The World

Christmas is the most universal of the world's many religious holidays. Around the world there is a uniformity to its observance. Christians mark this holy day with special services and specially written music. During this religious holiday there are holiday greetings, family feasts, and gift giving.

At the dawn of history pagan people celebrated a midwinter festival similar to our Christmas season. Green boughs were brought into the house and they were decorated with red berries. Since our ancestors were so superstitious each custom had its own meaning. They believed that these branches housed tiny wood spirits and it would be a shame to leave them out of the festivities.

The festive meal consisted of roast game with vegetables and precious nuts saved from the fall.

The reason for the celebration was the days which had grown shorter were suddenly becoming long again. They were afraid that the sun might disappear altogether and leave the world in darkness. This pagan midwinter feast started about January 1 and lasted for several days.

Only until after the birth of Christ was this holiday made a religious observance not a superstitious pagan holiday.



CORYDON CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

Corydon, Indiana

December 17, 1965

DEAR SANTA

The students and faculty of CCHS are in need of many things again this year. Although the Pantherette staff received many requests, these were all we could find room to put in. The students believe in you, and hope that you will find it in your heart to make their dreams come true.

Jim Hamilton will travel all the way to Virginia for a "Bruce" tree.

Betty Hobbak will have a big "Pow" (ell) Wow around the Christmas tree.

Diana Gibson wants a "Fisher" man to bring her money to pay a "Bill".

Kay Mitchell will "Marc" her parachute jump on Smith's field.

Claude Denbo will buy a "Fur" (gueson) for Debbie to keep her warm.

Diane Emily will have a "Kopp" escort Eddie to her house for Christmas.

Bring Jim McIntire some "Winter-korn" for Christmas, Brenda will do fine.

Kathy Parker hopes it "Rains" Ronnies on Christmas. (Ronnie Rainbolt.)

Kathy Monahan will go to "Wennings" and have Paul help her pick out her Christmas meat.

The Pantherette staff would like some pep pills so they can meet the deadline.

Please bring Bill Kintner an older girl so he won't have to go to the Junior High all the time.

Halleck Mathews wants a new band class that meets only when he wants it to.

Bill Blair is going to get some "Kraft" candy to give Mary for Christmas.

Tom Butt and Harold Higginbotham will be busy getting "Timber" near "Lakes" for Christmas. (Nancy and Sheila.)

Martha Yates wants a Santa named Terry to bring her a "White" Christmas.

Bring Kris Kline a "Harp" (er) for Christmas. (Don.)

Endow Max Rusk with a wider vocabulary to use at the ballgames.

Please bring Jim Mathes a "Taylor" (Mary) for his Panther suit.

Cindy Steenberg would like to have her "Dally" loving from John David.

Try again to bring Alice Harrell a hamster. She promises to name it Phil.

Mark Wiseman will run "Miles"

to be with Mary Lou on Christmas.

Please make Tim Kirkham some Christmas "brew" (Judy Brewster.)

Evelyn Andriot wants a "Jack-in-the-box." (Jack Fried.)

Please tell us "Wats-on" (Sandy) Jim McGraw's mind.

John Walter wants a "Fish" (er) for Christmas dinner, Anita's best.

Janet Conrad wants to go to a "Sutherland" for Christmas. She hates cold weather.

Gary Tyree is going "Fowl" (er) hunting on Christmas.

Peggy Dismang will "Fight" to keep Bob hers.

Alan Hess will have a "Rich" (ards) Christmas this year with Pam.

Joyce Saulman will have a welcome "Matt" (ingly) out for Joe.

Please install cushions on the third row of the boys booster section because the senior boys' back-sides are getting tired from jumping up and down.

Bring Larry Link a whip to beat off the girls.

Please make the lunch hours longer, Santa, because Mike Shireman can't get around to all his girls.

Give Lester Rhoads a faster car. It seems he can't outrun certain blue cars with red flashers on top.

Delbert Hayden would like a portable garage in order to fix his car every time it breaks down.

Give everyone enough forethought to pull off the road when they see Nancy Timberlake coming.

Bring Pat Wiseman a secretary to write all her notes to John Kintner.

Teach Bruce Windell that Hondas aren't made to go 50 miles an hour in first gear.

Give Brooks Rainbolt the courage to get out on the basketball court to take a picture.

Bring Mr. Trueblood a stamp to make his recording of Halleck Mathews' band grades easier.

Jim McGraw wants a four speed, fuel injection wheel chair.

Mr. Windell would like to have a separate class for his "intelligent" boys.

All teachers would like to have a specially trained technician to run all audio - visual equipment.

Please bring CCHS a dragstrip for all people on crutches.

Dear Santa, please clear all roads so Mrs. Wolin can get to CCHS when weather is bad. She is worried to death.

Hoping to see you Christmas, The Students of CCHS

FBLA NEWS

Nuts For Sale

Members of the FBLA are selling assorted nuts and cashews. They have nearly 500 cans to sell all priced at \$1.25 a can.

At the last meeting Darlene Bentley spoke on "Oakland City Business School"; Alma Engleman spoke on "Changing Times in Business" and Sheila Timberlake spoke on "Alice in Wonderland in Business".

Christmas Party

Plans are being made for the Christmas party to be held December 20 at the home of Claudia Pate. The following committees were appointed for the party:

Decorations: Judy Fisher, Connie Rainbolt, Becky Faith, Alma Engleman, Anita Fisher, Cheryl Haun and Sherry Shaffer.

Refreshments: Jeanne Hoehn, Barbara Overton, Teresa Norman, Beverly Windell.

Entertainment: Sheila Timberlake, Diana Gibson, Alice Barks, Darlene Bentley, Lillian Lasley, and Sherry McKim.

Location: Claudia Pate, Patricia Stiles, Carol Sue Longacre, and Rosalyn Brown.

French Club Will Initiate Point System

The French Club has chosen a committee to draw up a point system for members. Points will be given for the following: being on a committee; participating in Club activities, such as being in a play and holding an office. The point system also states that all members must have a total of 15 points at the end of each semester to remain a member. Any member who fails the course any of the grading periods will automatically lose 10 points.

At the end of the year members who have a total of 30 points may attend a project to be given. The committee who drew up the point system consisted of: Mary Brockman, Kathy Kline, Cheryl Haun, Judy Cato, and Carol Miller.

The club has chosen Christmas carols which they will sing during the assembly program given before the Christmas vacation.

ASPIRING COLLEGE STUDENTS TAKE SCHOLASTIC TEST

The Scholastic Aptitude Test was given to thirty-six students on December 4. The students were pupils of Corydon Central High and other schools in Harrison County. Those from Corydon were Judy Cato, Ronald Dietrick, Bertie Godby, Alice Harrell, Marvin Mann, Terry White, Suzanne Windell, Martha Yates and Mary Bill. The S.A.T. is required for admission to virtually every college.

Six students took the Achievement tests, which test the students' ability in individual subjects. They are required by many colleges. The five students from Corydon who took the test were: Judy Cato, Ronald Dietrick, Nancy Keller, Marc Smith, and Elizabeth Ward.

Y-TEENS WILL GIVE CHRISTMAS BASKET

The Y-Teens are fixing a Christmas basket to take to a needy family in the county. Each member is to bring a gift for a member of this family or she can bring food. The club is buying a turkey for the family's Christmas dinner. The basket will be delivered December 20.

The club is planning a Valentine dance for February 9. Each member may invite someone to the dance.

New Rules Adopted By Booster Club

Mrs. Wood, sponsor of the Booster Club, has informed the club of their rules and demerits for the coming year.

Any student who will miss a home game must report his intended absence by 8:30 a.m. of the last school day preceding the game. Bring with you the person that is to take your place. If it is impossible for you to provide a substitute, there is a list of a few people that have volunteered to fill in. In case of an emergency contact Suzanne Windell or Mrs. Wood. A dressing room is available for you to leave your coats, sweaters, and purses. The entire block should be in their seats by 7:00 or half time of the Club's game. Do not leave the block until half time of the varsity game and return by the beginning of the second half.

DEMERITS

5-demerits for each absence with correct substitution procedure.

11-demerits for each absence if student does not have a substitute.

2-demerits for each case of tardiness.

2-demerits for each case of non-cooperation.

5-demerits for not having white gloves.

A total of 18 demerits will disqualify a student from participation in the block for the year.

Boosters Present Christmas Drill At C'town Game

The Booster Club presented a Christmas program at half time of the Charlestown game. While the club formed an outline of a Christmas tree with green lights, they sang "We Three Kings of Orient Are". After that they filled in the tree with different colored blinkin lights and sang "O Christmas Tree" and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas".

Mrs. Wolin Is F.T.A. Speaker

Mrs. Wolin, chemistry and physics teacher, was guest speaker at the Future Teachers meeting. She spoke on the advantages of knowing many different types of people and their ideas so that you would not become too narrow-minded. She explained how being broad-minded helped a teacher to understand students problems. She used three examples to show her points.

One was a man she knew who would go to the bowery in New York and talk to the drunks, just so he could find out more about people. Another was a Chinese orphan who Mrs. Wolin grew up with. Through association with her Mrs. Wolin learned the behavior and thoughts of parentless children. Her third example was a Cuban whom her husband had lived with. Her husband was taught Spanish in turn for helping the Cuban learn English. The Cuban seemed cold natured but he really wasn't because he was in the United States working so that he could bring his family here to live. She learned much about the nature of people through this relationship.

Meeting Planned By Future Nurses

After the holidays the Future Nurses Club will plan a get-together for girls in Harrison County interested in nursing. Committees have been chosen for the meeting.

Club dues must be paid by December 17.

Dr. M. Wiles Keller Purdue Math Expert Talks To Students

Dr. M. Wiles Keller, Assistant Head of the Division of Mathematical Sciences at Purdue University, recently gave a series of lectures to Mr. Reagan's math classes. Dr. Keller is a member of the "Visiting Scientists Lecture Service." This is a joint federal and state government program. Dr. Keller's talk concerned computers. He gave illustrations of the type of informational and instructional input that are necessary to get the correct output or the answer.

Professor Keller's lectures were very timely since they gave some of the reasons why we need to teach "Modern Math". He explained that in programming problems so that a computer can solve them new formulas must be developed. For example, computers can not extract square roots by the methods that have always been taught. Neither can they solve quadratic equations by the traditional quadratic formula. The mathematics used today is quite different from the mathematics of even twenty-five years ago.

The mathematics of computers, of modern business, of today's science or engineering puts more and more stress on the understanding of the properties of numbers, the use of inequalities and the axiomatic structure of a mathematical system. There is urgent need for an "understanding" of mathematics and the ability to develop new formulas. These objectives can only be accomplished by the so-called **Modern Math**.

Math Students Discuss Insurance - Topology

Helen Leffler and Dennis Stepro were speakers at the last math club meetings. Helen gave a talk on how statistics are involved in figuring up a life insurance policy. She figured a relatively simple policy including the death rate at that particular age, the amount for buying insurance, the expenses of the company, and the original value of the policy. Big insurance companies can afford cheaper rates because of larger number of policy holders.

Dennis' talk was on topology. Topology can answer the trick math questions and trick matching games one might come across, such as the seven bridges over the Seine.

Allen Kumm will have the next program and will deal with topology in space.

Cheerleaders Win Outstanding Rating At IU Conference

The varsity cheerleaders, Connie Rainbolt, Judy Fisher, Judy Cato, Brenda Winterkorn and Kathy Kline, with Mrs. Wood, sponsor, attended a cheerleading conference at Indiana University Saturday, November 20.

Over 600 cheerleaders were present at the nineteenth annual "Cheerleaders for Indiana" which is held to teach new techniques. This year's theme was "Explode in Spirit." The Indiana University Pom Pom girls were present to do some of the University's yells.

Each group did a yell on which they were judged. Out of a possible 40 points, the CCHS cheerleaders got a 31.5 rating which was outstanding. They chose their "Panther, Panther" yell for the rating. The winner of the contest was Lawrence Central High School of Indianapolis.

Kirkham's Free Toss Defeats Orleans

Corydon's Bill Kirkham sank two free throws with one second left to give the Panthers their first victory of this young season. With one second showing on the clock, Orleans called two time outs to try and shake Bill but they failed as he calmly sank two free throws to give the Panthers a 60-58 victory.

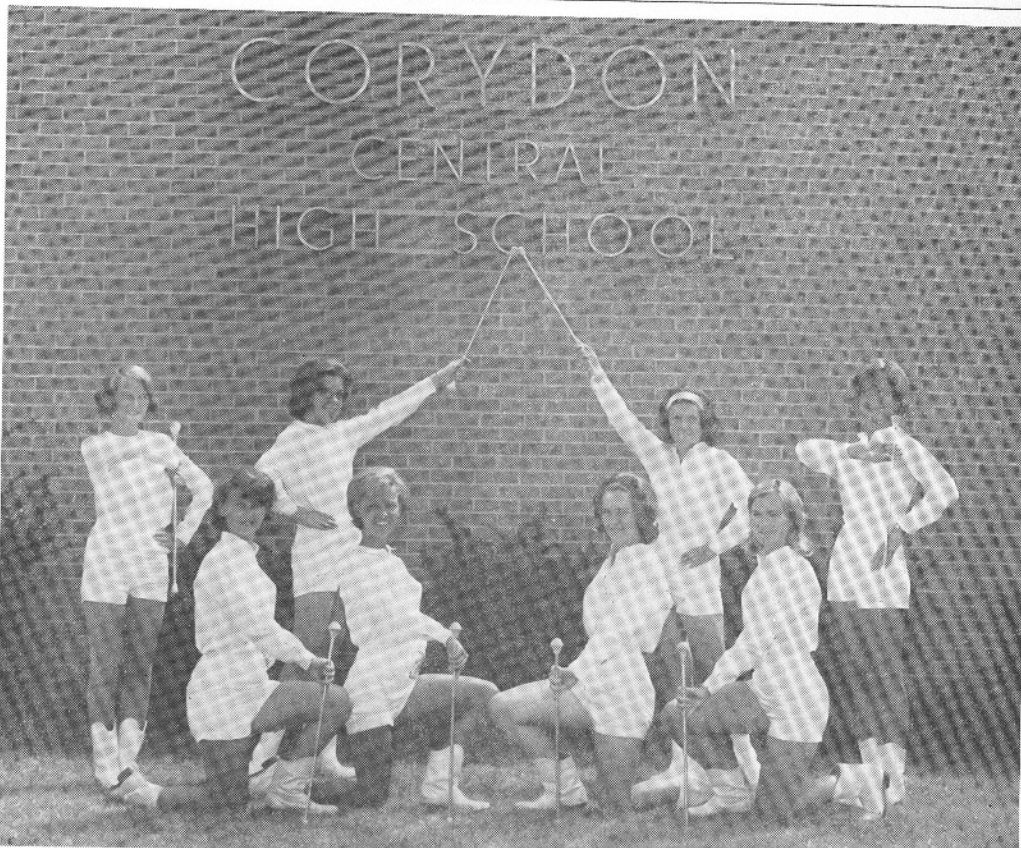
The Panthers led at all stops, at the end of the first quarter it was 22-12, at the half 35-30, at the end of the third 54-50 and at the end of the game it was 60-58.

Game scoring honors went to McCarty of Orleans for 22 points, he was aided by Busick with 13 points. For the Panthers, Hess led with 16 points, next was Bill Kirkham with 15 and Butt with 12. The Panthers hit 43.2% or 19 of 44 shots. The Panthers committed 14 errors. Orleans hit 21 of 63 shots for 33.3%. Orleans hit 12 free throws. The shorter Panthers controlled the boards 37 to 31.

Corydon (60)	FG	FT	TP
Butt	3	6	12
Hess	5	6	16
Scott	2	2	6
Schneider	3	2	8
Kirkham	6	3	15
Bennett	1	0	1
Chumley	0	1	1
Totals	20	20	60

Orleans (58)	FG	FT	TP
Baker	3	2	8
Burton	1	0	2
Busick	5	3	13
McCarty	10	2	22
Freed	3	11	7
Eucaly	1	1	3
Johnson	0	3	3
Totals	23	12	58

Corydon	22	35	54	60
Orleans	12	30	50	58



Majorettes kneeling, left to right, are Sheila Timberlake, Kay Mitchell, Sandy Yeager and Alice Harrell. Standing, are Melissa

Forsythe, Sandra Watson, Anita Fisher, and Brenda Quebbeman.

Cagers Drop Fifth In The Fourth Quarter

In their 5th game of the season, the Corydon Panthers were defeated 47-41 by Bloomington's Univees. The first three quarters of play were extremely close and it was late in the 4th period before the opposing cagers finally managed to pull away to any great extent.

Our starters for this game were Tom Butt, Ireland Scott, Alan Hess, Bill Kirkham, and Monty Schneider. The 1st quarter of play ended with the score tied 8-8. Bennett came in for Butt at the beginning of the 2nd quarter. The Univees got the tip and made it 10-8 Bloomington. Shortly, Hess tossed one in to even it up 10-10. At the end of the half the score was again tied 16 all. The beginning of the 3rd quarter saw Butt back in for Bennett. Near the end of this period the opponents began to gain making it 30-25 their favor. However, the Panthers came back to make it only 30-28 Univees at the buzzer. At the middle of the 4th the opponents led 36-30. We lost Hess to fouls with 1 minute and 18 seconds left on the clock. The game ended 47-41 Bloomington.

Butt was top man for Corydon, tossing in 3 field goals and 5 free throws for a total of 11. Following were Hess and Schneider with 10 and 9. As in the majority of past games, Butt and Scott grabbed the lion's share of rebounds.

Varsity Quarter Scores
 Corydon 8 16 28 41
 Bloomington 8 16 30 47

Corydon (41)
 Butt 11, Hess 10, Schneider 9, Kirkham 6, Chumley 3, Scott 2.

Brownstown Chills Conference Hopes

High point man for Corydon was Alan Hess with 13 points. Following closely was Tom Butt with 12 points. Scott was our best rebounder with 9 followed by Butt with 5.

Saturday's starting line-up was somewhat changed over the two previous ones. At forward were Tom Butt and Mike Bennett, at guard were Alan Hess and Bill Kirkham, and at center was Ireland Scott. Butt made some outstanding fast breaks and freshman Doug Bates saw action late in the 4th quarter.

Brownstown (71)	FG	FT	TP
Ault	5	7	17
Croquart	6	2	14
Mellencamp	4	2	10
Nuss	6	0	12
Stahl	7	0	14
Hartley	1	0	2
Spurgeon	0	2	2
Totals	29	13	71

Corydon (46)	FG	FT	TP
Butt	6	0	12
Scott	2	3	7
Bennett	1	0	2
Hess	6	1	13
B. Kirkham	2	0	4
Schneider	1	0	2
Walter	1	0	2
T. Kirkham	0	2	2
Chumley	0	2	2
Totals	19	8	46

Braves 10 31 43 71
Panthers 12 28 35 46
 Coach Frederick's Cubs also dropped their third game to Brownstown. Outstanding in all-around play were Archie Brown, Sam Eckart, and Charles McMonigle.

J-V Quarter Scores
 Brownstown 13 22 42 55
 Cubs 5 22 32 40

Panthers Lose In Overtime To Senators

The Panthers lost their second game of the season to West Washington, 61-56 in an overtime. At first it looked as if West Washington was going to run away from the Panthers as the first quarter ended 18-6 for West Washington.

In the second quarter, Coach Wood replaced Bill Kirkham with Harold Chumley, but Chumley played less than a minute because of an injury. Kirkham came back in the game and held Ron Chastain to 3 points till the end of the game. Chastain scored 18 points in the first ten minutes of the game. He ended with 21 points for game high honors.

For the inexperienced Panthers it was less number two, but both losses were to seasoned teams. West Washington has one of the toughest teams in the Salem Sectional.

Mike Bennett led the Panther attack with 15 points, Butt was next with 14. Scott, Hess, Kirkham put together 27 points for the total of 56.

In the overtime Goen made a three point play that gave the Senators a 55-52 lead. Butt narrowed the gap with a field goal, but Chastain matched Butt with a 7 field goal to lead 57-54. Alan Hess then hit a field goal to trail by 1. With 53 seconds left, West Washington hit four straight points to win 61-56.

West Wash. 61	56 Corydon
Chastain 21	14 Butt
Brown 12	9 Hess
Knapp 7	7 Scott
Goen 5	5 Kirkham
McNeely 16	15 Bennett
	6 Schneider

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N. Central Shocks Corydon In Upset

The North Central Tigers pulled a major upset of the season by handing Corydon a 74-62 defeat. The Tigers combined a solid defense with torrid shooting to mount up a 19-11 lead at the end of the first quarter. During the first quarter the Panthers shot a bad percentage while the Tigers took advantage of Corydon's mistakes and capitalized an eight point lead. In the second quarter the Panthers had to play catch-up ball and the results were disastrous as the Tigers lengthened their lead to 10 points 36-26 at halftime. The Panthers were led by Hess and Kirkham the first half who each scored 8 points.

The second half was equally disappointing for the Panthers. They could get neither their offense nor their defense working properly. At the end of the third quarter the Panthers still trailed by 10 points with the score 56-46.

In the first part of the fourth quarter the Tigers hit a cold streak and the Panthers managed to come within 4 points of them, but North Central came bouncing back winning by 14 points, 76-62, giving the Panthers their fifth defeat of the season.

Corydon was led by Hess with 18 points.

Corydon (62)	FG	FT	TP
Scott	0	1	1
Butt	3	2	8
Hess	8	2	18
Kirkham	5	4	14
Chumley	5	1	11
Walter	1	5	7
Utz	1	0	2
T. Kirkham	0	1	1
Totals	23	16	62

North Central (76)	FG	FT	TP
Emily	9	0	18
Burgher	7	3	17
Durbin	9	5	23
P. Robertson	3	2	6
Harnon	3	1	7
S. Robertson	0	1	1
Davis	2	0	4
Totals	32	12	76

Charlestown Stops Corydon's Late Rally

After getting the lead early in the play, the Charlestown Pirates were able to down a Panther rally late in the 4th period to emerge victorious. The play was fast and furious from beginning to end, but it was exceptionally rough in the last quarter. John Walter was forced to leave the game after much fine rebounding because of a gash over his eye.

Our top man for the Pirate game was Alan Hess, who tossed in 7 out of 10 free throws and 4 field goals for a total of 15 points. Next, Bill Kirkham and Tom Butt had 11 and 10 points respectively.

At the beginning of the fourth the score was 48-30 for Charlestown. The Panthers began to move and closed the gap to only 5 points. One minute remained on the clock. However, the rally was too late and the game ended 68-59 Charlestown.

We now stand 0-3 for the Mid-Southern Conference and 1-6 for the season.

Corydon (59)	FG	FT	TP
Butt	4	2	10
Hess	4	7	15
Walter	1	0	2
Kirkham	5	1	11
Chumley	2	2	6
Bennett	2	0	4
Scott	0	0	0
Schneider	2	0	4
Utz	2	3	7
Totals	22	15	59

Charlestown (68)	FG	FT	TP
Cooper	7	4	18
Biggers	3	7	13
Glotsbach	7	4	18
Ledbetler	3	3	9
Adams	0	5	5
Bowden	1	0	2
Allen	1	1	3
Totals	22	24	68

Corydon	9	22	30	59
Charlestown	15	32	48	68

Christmas Vacation Begin December 22 At 3:30 P.M.