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STUDENTS HONOR ELDRIDGE, STOESER ON GOVERNOR'S DAY

NEW MEMBERS INITIATED INTO HONOR SOCIETY

At a student assembly February 11, nine seniors and four juniors were initiated into National Honor Society by Maureen Sorenson. The students were selected on the basis of their scholarship, leadership, citizenship and character by the members of the high school faculty.

The new members are: Jim Feeney, Jane McEachron, Jill Spargur, Juanita Tusa, Lois Schmitz, Richard Tunnison, Joyce Kirley, Constance Tjaden, and Ann Wilkinson, seniors. Juniors are Helen Hyde, John Murphy, and Bill Robbins.

Maureen Sorenson, Jeri Linn, Lawrence Lindquist, and Hal Westover are last year's members, and Mr. Thompson is acting as advisor.

B.P.W.'s CHOSEN

The Business and Professional Women's Club has again chosen two outstanding high school girls to attend their meetings. The representatives this month were Jerilyn Linn, senior, and Darlene Fenley, junior.

Assembly Activities

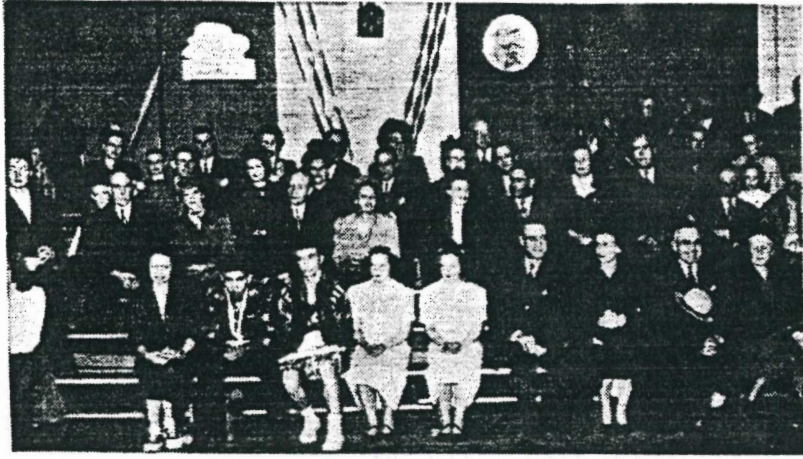
A humorous play was presented by Miss Tisher's eighth grade home room in the assembly Wednesday, February 23. "Midge Goes to the Movies" was a take-off on "little sisters" date thievery.

Members of the cast were: Betty Jo Longland, Alan Liffengren, Wilma Fenley, Tommy Leighton, Bobby Mostert, Jo Anne Grandle, Betty Banghart, Harriet Hulse, Charles Swafford and David Sweet.

Following the play, a movie was shown featuring "The Public Life of Abraham Lincoln."

On February 12, the students heard W. O. Knight, who spoke on the life of Abraham Lincoln. Mr. Knight is the State Director of the rural Credit Board.

At the same assembly the 13 new Honor Society members were announced.



Governor's Day celebrities include: (back row-1. to r.) Governor and Mrs. Mickelson and Speaker, Secretary of State Riff, Treasurer Buehler, Judge and Mrs. Roberts, Comm. and Mrs. Doherty and Pat, Auditor Anderson and Miss Capeus, Attorney General and Mrs. Anderson, Emcee Don Gambrel, Judge and Mrs. Sickel, Comm. and Mrs. Merkle, Comm. and Mrs. Linn, Secretary of State Patty Fluharty, Lt. Governor Harlan Pigsley, Governor Bernie Stoesser, Usherettes Beverly and Belva Fenely, Judge and Mrs. Smith, Judge and Mrs. Rudolph.

DEBATE SEASON IS WELL UNDER WAY Council Sponsors School Party

Pierre debaters came home Saturday, February 19, from Winner with one first and two seconds.

Out of eight debates the negative team, John Murphy and Robert Landes, won two, and the affirmative, Phyllis Barry and Ann Wilkinson, won two.

John Murphy tied for high debater with 75 points, and Ann Wilkinson tied for second high with 60 points.

In extemporaneous speaking, Ann received second rating.

Other towns participating were Winner, Vivian and Gregory.

At the Pierre Invitational, the PHS debaters were well represented with John Murphy, Lois Iverson and Ann Wilkinson tying for second high debater. The two teams took four out of eight debates.

Beverly Hallet, Mitchell, placed first in Original Oratory.

In the Extemporaneous Speaking Contest Pat Comstock, Mitchell, won first, and Delores Faatz, Winner, and Ann Wilkinson tied for second place.

A total of \$257.05 was given by Pierre students for the polio drive. The amount collected by each school was as follows: Senior High, \$52.40; Junior High, \$91.00; and the grade schools \$104.65.

Pierre Cagers Win Little Brown Jug Classic 55 to 24

By popular vote of the student body, Bernie Stoesser and Rae Eldridge reigned as Governor and First Lady at the annual Governor's Day Festivities held Friday evening, February 25, at the city auditorium. Rae was unable to attend because of illness.

Junior high elected Harlan Pigsley and Patricia Fluharty as Lieutenant-Governor and Secretary of State respectively.

A short program was held before the traditional game between the Winner Warroirs and the Pierre Governors.

The program opened with a short pep meeting led by the senior high cheerleaders.

The state officials were ushered to their seats and were then introduced to the audience by Master of ceremonies, Don Gambrel.

After a short talk by Governor George T. Mickelson, Belva and Beverly Fenley presented Mrs. Mickelson, Miss Annamae Riff and the girls elected by the student body with flowers. The boys were given scrolls in recognition of their high honor.

During the half of the game, the twirlers entertained the crowd with a military routine.

The Pierre Governors won the annual Governor's Day game by handing Max Becker's Winner Warriors a 55 to 24 defeat to keep possession of the "Little Brown Jug".

Winner gave the Governors a tough battle in the early part of the game but could not connect on their shots to stay in the contest. The Pierre defense held the Warriors to three field goals. The boys from Winner connected on 18 of 24 free throws.

The lead changed hands on every basket in the first quarter before Pierre went ahead 9 to 7 at the end. The Governors then built up a 21 to 9 advantage at halftime.

The Governors held a 28-16 advantage at the end of the third period.

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Beans, brooms, pillows, and pillow cases were the center of attraction at Pierre high's party in the school gym, February 15. Bill Robbins, master of ceremonies, led the students through hilarious games.

Three heats, one of boys, one of girls, and the winners of each, carried beans across the gym with a straw.

Two teams of boys went through the process of putting pillow cases on pillows. The losing team ripped a pillow case in their excitement.

Another attraction was plates, but not to eat on. Five "steadies" and Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs were asked to cross the gym on the two plates, the girl walking on the plates, which were moved by the boy and visa versa on the way back. Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs won.

A three-legged race showed the long and the short of it. LuAnn McBride and Jim Oldaker, two of the greatest opposites, pulled through town.

After the entertainment everyone joined the fun of the circle dance, square dance, and various others. Brooms were given to those who weren't dancing.

Coke and cup cakes were served before the guests left the gym.



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Twice Told Tales

Lady, beware of cupid and list to the lines of this verse, to let a fool kiss you is stupid to let a kiss fool you is worse!
 Stylus---Sioux Falls College.

She was reading birth and death statistics when suddenly she turned to the fellow at her side and said: "Do you know that every time I breathe a man dies?"
 "Very interesting," said he. "Why don't you try SEN SEN?"
 Scotties' Messenger

Time to Conserve
 A middle aged woman lost her balance and fell out of a window into a garbage can. A china-man happened to pass by, and remarked--
 "Melicans velly wasteful, that woman good for ten years yet."
 Hill-Top Flashes

"Will your wife hit the ceiling when you come in late?"
 "Probably, she's a rotten shot."
 Ipswich High Ipsodak

Mother: "Why did you strike your little sister?"
 Bobby: Well, we were playing Adam and Eve, and instead of tempting me with the apple, she ate it herself.
 Hill-Top Flashes

SENIORS LEAD HONOR ROLL



The "A" honor roll is as follows: Clarice Harvey, Jane McEachron, Lois Schmitz, Maureen Sorenson, Juanita Tusa, Dick Hyde, Janet Littlefield, Lavon Mickelson, Marjorie Warne, Helen Hyde, Lois Iverson, and Waverly West.

Those receiving honorable mention are:
 SENIORS: Jeanette Alleman, Phyllis Alleman, Natalie Calkins, Beverly Fry, Elizabeth Goetz, Joyce Kirley, Leotta McLaughlin, June Madison, Mary Schwellenbach, Lexia Serbousek, Louise Tucker, and Ann Wilkinson.
 JUNIORS: Helen Hyde, Lois Iverson, Robert Landes, Bill Robbins, Waverly West.

SOPHOMORES: Kenneth Binkley, Dorothy Husted, Dick Hyde, Janet Littlefield, James Meyers, Lavon Mickelson, Elizabeth Morrissey, Jackie Shangreaux, Marjorie Warne.

Sophomores head the perfect attendance list with 21 names. The seniors follow with 14, and the juniors with 10.

PIERRE HIGH TAKES JOB SURVEY

A student employment survey of Pierre High School students indicates that 36 seniors, 14 juniors, and 23 sophomores are regularly employed after school hours and on Saturdays. Eleven other girls are working for room and board. About 40% of the student body, then, have regular jobs.

These students earn from 40¢ to \$1 an hour with top earning capacity of approximately \$100 per month.

Saint Mary's Hospital and the State House are the largest sources of student employment. Other sources are drug-stores, grocery stores, clothing stores and filling stations.

FHA ORGANIZED

The Future Homemakers of America has been organized in Senior High School for the second semester.

The officers were chosen from the Home-making classes. The one o'clock class chose Dody Snyder, president; Jackie Shangreaux, vice president; Sylvia Sweet, secretary; and Norma Bentley, treasurer.

Officers for the two o'clock class are: June Madison, president; Belva Fenley, vice president; Marilyn Gray, secretary; and Phyllis Alleman, treasurer.

GOVERNOR'S DAY con't.

The Governors were off on their passing enough to foil their attempts at fast breaking.

Jim Dalthorp led the Governors with 14 points and Jim Meyers and Don Dietrich followed with 10 points each.

Only three Warriors were able to break the scoring column. L. Dodson smallest man on the squad, led Winner with 10 points, Hansen had nine points and Lenker had five.

Pierre	fg	ft	pf
Westover, f	1	4	2
Corbett, f	0	1	5
Dalthorp, c	6	2	1
Meyers, g	5	0	2
Feehey, g	2	0	0
Dietrich	4	2	1
Shay	3	0	1
Smith	0	4	3
Stoeser	0	0	2
Robbins	0	0	0

Winner	fg	ft	pf
Hansen, f	1	7	5
Peterson, f	0	0	0
Lenker, c	0	5	4
L. Dodson, g	2	6	2
Daughters, g	0	0	3
Smith	0	0	1

In a return game played at Winner March 4, The Governors again defeated the Warriors 47 to 28.

Jim Dalthorp led his team with 13 points, followed by Hal Westover with 12 points. Don Dietrich had 7 points as a reserve.

For the Warriors, Peterson had 9 points.

AH SPRING!

It's that time again. Nice weather (nice and slushy), little kids skipping rope and big kids wanting to just skip. But wait there's good news for the poor students of PHS. Only 55½ days left of school. Take off a little time for assemblies, spring vacation, and tournaments and things don't look so bad after all!

Speaking of tournaments, that brings us to the Regional to be held at Mitchell this weekend. The more the merrier, so get your lungs in shape, find a ride and we'll see you at the tourney.

MODES IN FASHION.

By Betty Byrnes

What has become of "Sloppy Jo?" No longer is her presence to be seen in the hallow halls of old Pierre Hi-(classrooms too). Has she the mumps? No, no, that couldn't be because she disappeared long before mumps began making a lot of legal absences.

We will have to face it. "Sloppy Jo" has inexplicably disappeared and taken with her the shapeless sweater, dirty jeans, and stringy hair. (This doesn't include the morning after slumber parties). In fact there is little evidence of her having ever existed in Pierre Hi, except around the lockers, but that is beside the point, because there isn't such a thing as a messy locker, is there?

A new character has arrived on the scene to take her place, "Sophistacated Sal." Her good influence is seen in the long skirts, neatly combed short hair, polished shoes (sometimes) and short sleeved sweaters.

"Sophistacated Sal" has poise that never belonged to "Sloppy Jo". She is pleasant, behaves in an adult manner and saves gymnastics for gym class only. She does everything within her ability to get on the honor roll.

Though her influence is just getting a good start among the students of PHS, it is rapidly spreading, which is as it should be.

NOTICE...

Everyone could help Mr. Moline and Mrs. Notmeyer a whole lot if they would quit throwing waste paper and everything else behind the radiators.

IT'S A DATE!

March 10,11,12	Sectional Tourney	Mitchell
March 17,18,19	State A Tourney	Mitchell
March 25	PHS Band Concert	
April 15-17	Easter Vacation	
April 15	End of Six Weeks	
April 16	Pierre Relays	
April 22	School Play	
May 6	Conference Track Meet	Here
May 6	USD Band Concert	
May 7	Prom and Banquet	
May 13	PHS Spring Concert	
May 14	Regional Track Meet	
May 22	Baccalaureate	
May 26	Commencement	
May 27	The End	

Mike Clancy had been working on Ohio River towboats for more than 30 years when he fell overboard and died. Some months afterward a friend of the victim asked her:

"Did Mike leave you well fixed?"
 "I could be dull," the widow replied.

The friend rolled her eyes heavenward. "Tch, tch, tch!" she said. "Think of that! And him that couldn't read now write!"

"Yes," agreed the widow, shaking her head seriously. "I can swim." Betty Bellum, HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA.

PIERRE TO PLAY HURON TIGERS AT SECTIONAL

The drawings for the Central Class A sectional tournament were held in Pierre on February 12. Mitchell will be host to the tourney on March 10, 11, and 12.

The first game will be between the Winner Warriors and the defending state champions, the Mitchell Kernels. The Pierre Governors will play the Huron Tigers in the second game on March 10.

The following day the loser of the first game will play the winner of the second game. In the second game of the day the winner of the first game will play the loser of the second game. If by then any team does not have two defeats the tourney will be completed on March 12.

In the future the tournament will be rotated among the four towns. Pierre will be host to the tourney in 1950, Winner in 1951, Huron in 1952, and Mitchell again in 1953.

MILLER RUSTLERS COP CSD TOURNEY

The Miller Rustlers won the Central South Dakota conference tournament played at Pierre January 27, 28, and 29. Miller defeated the Pierre Governors 56 to 41 in the championship game.

Miller led at the quarters 12 to 10, 27 to 21, and 40 to 28.

High scorer for the evening was Terry Zimmerman with 21 points, and Lyle Hall had 12 to pace the Rustlers' attack. Pierre's leading scorer was Feeney with 11 points. Corbett had 9, Dalthorp 8, and Dietrich 7 to follow in the Governor's scoring.

In the semi-final games Miller squeezed past the Onida Warriors 43 to 40 and the Governors defeated the Highmore Pirates 57 to 38. Dalthorp and Westover had 16 points each.

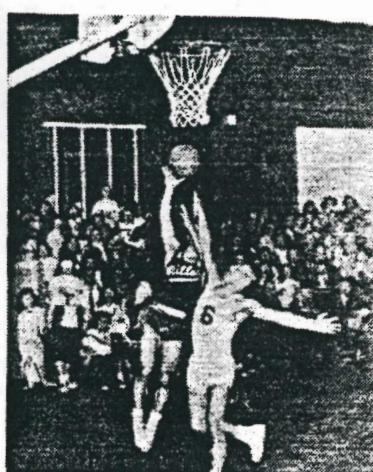
In first round Onida beat Cheyenne 38 to 32 and Miller defeated Gettysburg 48 to 37. In evening games the Highmore Pirates beat Ipswich 47 to 34 and Pierre downed Faulkton 63 to 42. Dalthorp had 15 points and Dietrich 11 to lead the Pierre scorers.

In consolation play, Ipswich beat Faulkton 46 to 29 and Cheyenne beat Gettysburg 44 to 34. Moberge defeated Ipswich 54 to 35 and went on to win consolation honors by lacing Cheyenne 54 to 23.

Pierre played four games. They defeated Moberge in the first game of the tourney 46 to 25. Dalthorp had 12 points.



Jim Feeney drives past Trotman (41) and Carr of Miller for a shot.



Hall of Miller shoots as Corbett tries to prevent his scoring.

PIERRE WINS THIRD GAME FROM PIRATES Miller Wins Title, Downs Pierre

The Pierre Governors nailed down second place in the Central conference by handing the Highmore Pirates a 53 to 36 defeat in their last conference game.

The Pirates held the Governors to a 15 to 15 deadlock at the first quarter stop.

Highmore took advantage of the Governors inability to hit and forged to a 23 to 18 halftime lead.

The Governors came back in the second half and took the lead 31 to 28 at the end of the third quarter. Westover led the second half surge.

Pierre pulled away early in the final canto and the reserves entered the game midway through the quarter.

Hal Westover led the scoring for the evening as he connected for a total of 19 points to pace the Governors. Art Mason had 18 points for Highmore.

Governors Humble Warriors 47 - 34

The Pierre Governors stayed on the Central loop title road as they handed the Onida Warriors a 47 to 34 setback on February 8 at Onida.

The Governors led 16 to 6 at the end of the first quarter.

Pierre pulled away to a 30 to 14 at halftime. Hal Westover led the first half attack with his night's total of 11 points.

Onida managed to cut the margin somewhat to 38 to 25 at the end of the third quarter.

The Governors lost Dalthorp and Corbett via the foul route in the final canto but held the lead to the end.

Jim Dalthorp led the Governors with 14 points, followed by Jim Meyers with 13. Billy Jordan had 10 for Onida.

The Onida reserves defeated the Pierre Bees 41 to 20.

Onida led at the quarter stops by scores of 7 to 6, 21 to 9 at halftime, and 25 to 11.

Miller handed the Pierre Governors their first conference loss 36 to 27, and thus remained unbeaten in loop play to cop the title. The game was played at Miller.

Miller was in command during the last three quarters after the Governors held them to a 10 to 8 first canto lead.

The Rustlers led 17 to 12 at halftime.

The Governors failed to tally in the third quarter and the Rustlers pulled away to a 28 to 12 lead.

Pierre came back in the final frame and brought the score to its final standing.

John Carr, 6 foot 5 inch Rustler center, was the Governors' downfall as he poured 20 points through the hoop. No other Miller player had more than one field goal.

Dalthorp had 11 points to lead the way for the Governors who had their coldest night of the year.

Governors Defeat Braves

The Pierre Governors defeated the Cheyenne Indians 52 to 43 on the Indian floor, February 5.

Pierre led 27 to 18 at half-time being behind 12 to 9 at the end of the first canto.

The Governors could not gain much headway as the hot-shooting Indians kept pace with them.

The Governors held the lead at the third quarter stop with a 37 to 30 margin.

Governor scoring was evenly divided, Dalthorp leading the way with 17 points. Corbett and Dietrich had 12 each, Meyers had 6, and Feeney 5.

PIERRE TRAMPLES GETTYSBURG

Pierre downed the Gettysburg Battlers 56 to 42.

The Governors led all the way as they held leads of 15 to 12, 30 to 25, and 39 to 30 at the end of the quarters.

The Pierre Governors staged a terrific last half rally to defeat the taller Rapid City Cobblers 56 to 41 after a first half deadlock in a two-day stand February 18-19 at Pierre.

Rapid City led 11-8 at the end of the quarter as Pierre missed numerous layups.

Pierre came back in the second canto to bring the score to a 20 to 20 deadlock at half-time.

Jim Dalthorp put on a one man scoring show in the third quarter as he bucketed 13 points to enable the Governors to forge to a 36 to 26 advantage at the end of the third quarter. He wound up the evening with a grand total of 25 points, all but four were scored in the last half drive.

Fitzgerald had 10 points for Rapid City.

In the preliminary contest the smooth playing Harrold Cardinals drubbed the Pierre Bees, 53 to 21.

The Governors came from behind in the closing minutes to edge past the Cobblers, 44 to 43 in a thriller the following night.

Hal Westover sank the free throw that put the Governors ahead with less than a minute to go.

The Cobblers took a 16 to 13 lead in the first quarter. The score at halftime was 28 to 25 for Rapid.

The lead seesawed during the third canto and at the end of the period Rapid held a 38 to 37 margin.

Free throws proved to be the difference as the Governors turned in their best night of the year at the charity stripe by connecting on 12 of 14 chances.

Jim Dalthorp was the leading scorer with 24 points to total 49 points for the two game affair. Jim Meyers connected on five long one handed push shots and two free tosses to help in the Governor victory cause with 12 points.

Singer had a total of 20 points to pace the Cobblers. Fitzgerald had 14 points.

The Governors used only five men.

The Blunt Monarchs won the preliminary over the Pierre Bees, 47 to 29, with a last quarter drive.

Blunt led 7-4, 15-10 and 25-19 at the quarters.

Tall Jim Tays led the Gettysburg Battlers with a total of 28 points.

Don Dietrich had 16 points and Dalthorp 15 to lead Pierre.

The Pierre Indians won a thriller from the Bees in the preliminary 40 to 36.

THE FOOLS FOLLY ----- PHS STYLE PIERRE

HIGH SMELLS

by Liz Goetz

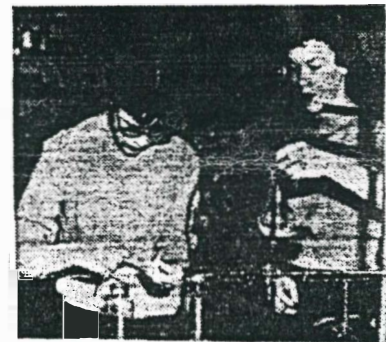
The smell of rotten eggs announced the fact to all Pierre High students that the Chemistry classes are well underway in their experiments.

The smell was the result of a hydrogen sulfide experiment worked by our scientific-minded seniors in a moment of great inspiration.

The students that have to just smell the horrible aroma of rotten eggs are getting off easy. The "scientists" are expected to taste the "results".

So if you see some sick-looking seniors you'll know they're members of Pierre Highs. ---if you'll excuse the expression---stinkiest class.

As if this isn't enough, for the students that survive this experiment they now have a hydrogen sulfide experiment which adds to the smell of the above mentioned by choking them.



Mary Lou Naughton and Rae Eldridge try their hand at a chemistry experiment.

Quiet!

Genius At Work

by Connie

On the night of January 29 I attended the Pierre-Miller championship game in the disguise of a band uniform. Between games, I minded my own business by playing my clarinet.

During the games, I was busily trying to get pictures. It was my first attempt at taking pictures at a game but hanging over the edge of the stage, I snapped a few.

Then I found a good view at last without anyone or anything in the way. I clicked the shutter and "Bang!" My eyes popped out and I looked around to see what happened.

Everyone seemed to be giving me unkind looks. I glanced down at my camera and discovered the flash bulb had broken. By the look I got from a man sitting near me, you'd think I had shot off a firecracker.

Signs of Our Times

Early to rise, Early to bed, Makes a girl healthy But socially dead.



"Hot Shot Ellis" yells for the ball, but she isn't going to get it, as the Pierre Legislatures downed the Rapid City Shoemakers 6-2 in a hard fought battle.

MUMPS FOR ALL

It seems that we have a new fad around Pierre High that isn't enjoyed especially when six weeks tests roll around. What is this new fad? Why, the mumps of course!

It has been estimated that about fifteen students have contracted this "fad". Among them are: Rae Eldridge, Margaret Beckwith, Marilyn Gray, Alice Bentley, Leon Pfothauer, Lois Iverson, Cassel Mosteller, Clayton Mosteller, Dick Hyde, Avis

Fanger, Mary Lou Fanger, Loyal Fry, Marjorie Warne, Pat Mathews, Iva Scarborough and Phyllis Schwellenbach, and Dody Snyder.

Until I knew the danger of a kiss I thought that kissing you would be the nearest thing to bliss. But now that I know my Biology, I sigh, I weep, I moan, Ten thousand mad bacteria, And I thought we were alone.

Personality

Governor's Day Officials

Parade



"I was surprised and very happy," said Rae Eldridge about being chosen First Lady of Governor's Day, "I only wish I could have been there for the ceremony and game."

Rae, who plays a drum in the PHS band, recently attended the Business and Professional Women's Club as a representative of Pierre High.

Lately, much of Rae's time has been spent working on the GUMBO, of which she is class editor.

She has no special plans for the future, but she may attend South Dakota State College.

Rae usually spends the summer on the Eldridge ranch, south of Fort Pierre, but this year she hopes to stay here in town.

Bernard Stoesser, after only 2 years in Pierre High, showed his popularity among the students when he was chosen "Governor" by the student body to reign over Governor's Day activities. The title of "Governor" is one of the highest honors given to a Senior High boy.

Bernie previously attended school in Lafayette, Indiana.

Although this was Bernie's first year out for football, he was on the starting line-up for the Pierre Governors when they opened their season.

Bernie played on the "B" basketball squad last year and this year he is playing on the "A" squad. He is better known to his basketball teammates as "Emotoush."

He is the Vice President of the Senior Class and a member of the band. He is the present Junior Kiwanian.

"Bernie" said that the thing he likes best about Pierre High is "the teachers."

"What's that you got in your button-hole?"

"Why, that's a chrysanthemum."

"It looks like a rose to me."

"No, you're wrong, it's a chrysanthemum."

"Spell it."

"K-r-i-s... by golly, it is a rose!"

Wheel Squares, EDEN-NORTH COLLINS, NEW YORK.

OBSERVATION TOWER

by Louise

Many a senior girl's eye has been roving around on five of Pierre High's most "eligible bachelors", Hal W., Cecil C., Bob S., Jim D., Don D. Come on fellas. Give the girls a break.

The recent C.S.D. Tournament was a reunion for many students from all of the towns participating. The seniors will really miss the out-of-town guests and all the fun next year.

Everyone has been kept busy going to open houses. The main interests seem to center around the card table.

According to reliable reports, the Inaugural Ball turned out to be quite a success.

Attention: Hal has a new fan! It's been rumored that he received a valentine. Who was it from, Hal?

Everyone is going steady these days, including Leonard and Marion.

Fifteen cheers for the pep squad. The girls have really done a wonderful job. By the way, don't those uniforms look swell?

What's this we hear about Natalie, Jean N., and Maxine H. having interests in Ft. Pierre?

Jeepers, Marilyn, it must take alot of gas for "Bung" to come to Pierre so often.

Glad to see Clayton and June, and Ken and Ina are still hitting it off smoothly.

Vivian M. has been wearing a big smile lately, ever since that diamond came back.

If you haven't got your subscription for the Governor yet, get it! There is a pretty big chance that our finances won't hold out for more than one more issue.

February 2 was a day which most of us will look down upon for another six weeks. It was Ground Hog's Day.

The sun came out and the ground hog saw his shadow, so you had better plan on wearing those winter clothes.

Lights Please! The drums roll off. Five twirlers prance out on the floor as the band begins to play "Them Basse's" and what d'ya know?--no lights, just a spotlight in the middle of the floor!

There was plenty of ad libbing in the band, but all ended well.

And Get It!

A well-known statistician once observed that if all the people in the United States who eat at boarding houses were to be assembled at one long table, they would reach--Land o' Lakes BEAVER, MISSOURI.