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AWARDS MADE AT ASSEMBLY | 78 SENIORS WILL RECEIVE DIPLOMAS TONIGHT

In the final student assembly held this morning, students of PHS received the awards they have won during the 1948-49 school year.

Jerilyn Linn was presented with the D.A.R. citizenship award which she won earlier this year.

Declamatory winners were: Ann Wilkinson, Joyce Kirley, Nancy Ellis, Helen Hyde, and Jill Spargur. Letters are given for three years participation or to a first-place local winner.

The winners of debate letters were Ann Wilkinson, Robert Landes, Lois Iverson, and John Murphy. Each student must participate in five decision debates and win at least one.

The four senior cheerleaders received their letters for two years participation. They are Lois Floyd, Pat Pashby, Jill Spargur and Maureen Sorenson.

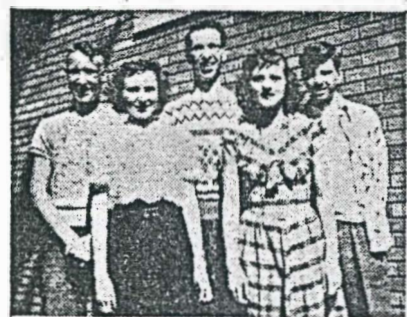
Coach Beryl Bethke awarded 40 letters to 25 Governor athletes for participation in football, basketball, and track.

Three earned letters in all of the sports. They were James Feeney, James Dalthorp, and Donald Dietrich.

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BOYS' AND GIRLS' STATERS PICKED

Helen Hyde and Lois Iverson were proclaimed representatives of Girls State; John Murphy, Robert Landes and Bill Robbins were named representatives of Boys State at an assembly.



The girls are selected on the basis of scholarship, cooperation with teachers, loyalty, and ability to get along with fellow-students. The boys must meet the same qualifications as the girls.



SENIORS ATTEND

The Rev. J. M. Falconer gave the sermon to the graduating class of Pierre High School for the Baccalaureate services at the city auditorium on Sunday, May 22, at 3:00 P.M.

Mrs. Carol DeRoos played the Senior Processional after which the Rev. E. C. Antrim read the invocation.

The Rev. William C.

Junior - Senior Prom and Banquet Have "49ers" Theme

The Senior Class of 1949 were guests of the Junior Class on Saturday, May 7, at 7:00 at the annual prom and banquet. The theme for the banquet was the "49ers. This was cleverly portrayed in stage coach center pieces, gold bricks for place cards and old fashion bar on one end of the stage.

HELEN HYDE IS EMCEE

Junior Class president, Helen Hyde, was toastmistress. She opened the program by introducing the old prospector, Larry Fluharty, who gave the welcome. He was answered by Don Gambrel, Senior Class president. Miss Nancy Ausman, accompanied by Miss Betty Ausman, sang "A Gold Mine in the Sky". A skit was put on by Don Dietrich, Bill Robbins, Delbert Dittman, and Jerry Miller.

The waiters, Larry Sheppard, James Meyers, Dick Hyde, Monte Curry, Duanne Sommer, and Steven Tusa, sang "Clementine," while the waitresses, Ena Aasen, Ina Garrett, Lavon Mickelson, Marion Gambrel, Marilyn Miller, and Joan Frazee, danced

BACCALAUREATE

Deer read the scripture.

The High School Chorus sang two selections, "Dedication", by Robert Franz, and "Psalm 150", by Cesar Franck. The Motet Choir sang "An Evening Pastorale" by Shaw.

The benediction was given by Mr. Antrim after which Mrs. DeRoos played the Senior Recessional.

CLASSES DISMISSED FOR SCHOOL PICNIC

Farm Island was the scene of the Senior Class picnic, Friday, May 13.

Homeroom softball teams were organized with Mrs. Spitzer's homeroom winning the two gallons of strawberry ice cream.

Following the ball games, lunch was served. After lunch, bingo, croquet, and volley ball were played.

The picnic broke up at 1:30 P.M. with the students going back to town or swimming.

UNDERCLASSMEN GO TO OLD FT. PIERRE

No, their black eyes weren't the result of a fight! John Murphy and Barbara Schmit were casualties of the softball games played at the underclass skip day picnic at "old Ft. Pierre" on Friday the Thirteenth.

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in the old fashioned bar room.

REYNOLDS SPEAKS

The speaker for the evening was Superintendent M. L. Reynolds.

The "Collegions" of the State College played for the prom.

Seventy-eight seniors will march up the aisle to "Pomp and Circumstance", played by Mrs. C. E. Robbins, in the city auditorium to hear their own commencement exercises on Thursday, May 26.

An invocation by the Rev. David Boxrud will open the program. A cappella choir will present two numbers, "Praise Be to Thee" and "Hallelujah Chorus."

The 49'ers will hear as their main speaker Dr. R. F. Patterson, dean of the School of Business at the University of South Dakota.

The Pierre High School Band will play "Colossus of Columbia March" and waltzes from "Wedding of the Winds."

Principal A.A. Thompson will read the honor roll and Dr. T.F. Riggs will present the diplomas.

The Rev. Mr. Boxrud will close the service with the benediction.

ESSAY WINNERS ANNOUNCED

James Feeney was awarded top honors in an essay contest sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary. His essay entitled "My Part in America's Future" has been submitted for state competition.

Second and third prizes were won by Jane McEachron and Georgia Owens, and honorable mention was received by Dick Hyde. Mrs. Elda all presented the awards.

Essays were written as class projects in English.

Guest speaker at the presentation assembly was Sigurd Anderson, Attorney-General, discussed vocational guidance, after which students were dismissed to attend guidance conferences.

GIRLS' MONOGRAM BANQUET

The annual Girls' Monogram banquet was held May 20, at the St. Charles Hotel. Officers were elected for next year.



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Guest Editorial

Why don't we have some boys entering Short-hand classes? Some "Big Men" who use shorthand are: Leon Henderson formerly of the Russell Sage Foundation . . . Fulgencia Batista, former Pres-ident of Cuba . . . A. Harry Moore, world-renown-ed physicist . . . Macwell Lein, production vice-president of Jacobs Brothers, Inc., manufacturers of precision instruments.

Nearly all of the 200 Word a Minute Diamond Award winners have been men. All of the top rank-ing court reporters are men. Whether you use shorthand as a career in itself or as an entry into a business or profession, you will find it an invaluable asset.

Ask any attorney what he would give to be able to write shorthand. Ask any student of Med-icine how shorthand would help him while going through school. In fact, show us any college course where a student who writes shorthand does not have a distinct advantage over the longhand writer.

Come into the Comercial Department and let us tell you more of the advantages of knowing shorthand. We will explain the course and show you why we think you should not miss this op-portunity.

Mrs. Tice

The STUDENT SPEAKS

Since this is the last edition of the GOV-ERNOR, we turn our thoughts back to the e-vents and activities that made PHS what it is. To find out what the seniors liked most, we asked them: "What did you enjoy most in PHS?"

To get a good cover-age of this, we asked the underclassmen: "What are you looking forward to most in PHS?"

LOUISE INMAN: Graduating.

DON GAMBREL: Summer vaca-tions.

JUANITA TUSA: Too many to name.

LEXIA SERBOUSEK: No home-work.

LOIS SCHMITZ: No Chemis-try.

MARLENE HARTER: Yet to be--graduation night.

NORMA GOULD: Graduating.

MARILYN GRAY: Robert Hysch Jr.

WAYNE COLE: Sleeping.

DODY SNYDER: Going steady.

HAL WESTOVER: Staying after school with Mr. Schooler.

MAUREEN SORENSON: Going steady.

RAE ELDRIDGE: The last party out at the Island.

ANN WILKINSON: Roger! ***

WALT EHLERS: Good grades, lenient teachers, girls and brilliance.

DARLENE HURST: Get into more school activities.

LLAYLL FRY: Get a diplo-mas on anybody's work. Have fun on anybody's dough.

JANET AASE: Lots of fun and good grades.

BARBARA SHERWOOD: School friends that won't talk about you the minute your back is turned!

BILL HICKEY: A jeep and \$5000.

IVAN HILLMER: Pretty girls, good grades and lots of fun.

BILL HINRICH: A diploma at the end of the year. Also a girl or two.

MARY ANN MORKIN: To get out of school, also the fun we will have.

BILL ROBBINS: Graduation night and wild parties.



Twice Told Tales

Baby Stork: "Mamma where did I come from?"

If wisdom ways you truly seek,
Five things observe with care;
Of whom you speak, to whom you speak,
And how and when and where.

IT'S QUITE A LIFE
Razors pain you;
Rivers are damp
Acids stain you;
And drugs cause cramp;
Guns aren't lawful
Nooses give;
Gas smells awful;
You might as well live.
Aberdeen-Blue & Gold.

I put my faith and trust in you
I though I could rely,
But now I'm disillusioned--
I wish that I might die.
I made you my ideal you see,
And so I copied you.
I should have copied someone else---
Now I'm flunking too.

A squirrel looked at a sophomore,
His mother's eyes did meet,
"Yes, darling" said his mother,
"But it's not the kind we eat."

Morey: "Where do all the bugs go in the win-ter?"
Jim: Search me.
Morey: "No, thanks, I just wanted to know."

NOTICE:
Jane McEachron and Barbara McMullen were BPW representatives for the last six weeks.

BPW, KIWANIAN CHOSEN BY COUNCIL

Elizabeth Goetz and Mary Crow were chosen during the fifth six weeks to represent the junior and senior girls at the Business and Pro-fessional Club.

Leon Pfotenhauer was selected by the Kiwanis Club to represent the school at their meet-ings during the fifth six weeks as Junior Ki-wanian. Richard Tunison was chosen for the last six weeks.

All the Junior Ki-wanians for the present school year "took over" the Kiwanis meeting on Monday, May 16. Leon Pfotenhauer was program chairman.

Farlene Hurst sang and Coach Bethke gave a talk about the Recrea-tional Program in Pierre.

SKIP DAY
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Beside softball and volleyball, hikes con-tributed to the enter-tainment.

Everyone brought his own lunch, and ice cream was furnished by the junior and sopho-more classes.

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Bethke award two let-ters to nine athletes. Cecil Corbett, Milo Smith, Bill Robbins, Bernard Stoesser, and Bill Peterson earned letters in football and basketball. Jim Meyers earned his in basket-ball and track. while Dick Hyde, Tom Saffel and Bob Werckman were a-warded letters in foot-ball and track.

Thirteen received letters in one of these three sports. Football claimed eight of these: Luther Peterson, Lloyd Pugh, Leon Pfotenhauer, Don Gambrel, David Ol-son, John Murphy, Ray Neuhauser, and Marvin Nystrom. Track has three: Steve Tusa, Ken Binkley, and Harlan Pigsley. Bas-ketball has two: Hal Westover and Bernard Stoesser.

Nine athletes were a-warded four year pins for participation in a sport. Football leads the parade with four: Ray Neuhauser, Don Gam-brel, David Olson and Lloyd Pugh. Track had three: Tom Saffel, Rich-ard Tunison, and James Feeney. Basketball has two: Cecil Corbett and Milo Smith.

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D.A.R. Citizenship Medals were presen-ted to Jerilyn Linn and James Feeney at the Awards Assembly today.

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The winners of the Gregg typing and short-hand awards also re-ceived their certifi-cates. They were: Lois Floyd, Maureen Sorenson, Ann Wilkinson, Jean Neu-hauser, Lois Olson, Mary Schwellenbach, Louise Inman, Susan Corcoran, Darlene McIlravy, Mary Pietrus, Lois Schmitz, Beverly Fry, Belva Fen-ly, Phyllis Hughes, Patricia Mathews, Luther Peterson, Phyllis Schwel-lenbach, Robert Landes, Hal Westover, Elizabeth Goetz, Ray Neuhauser, and Lawrence Lindquist.

Those who received shorthand awards were: Alice Bentley, Jean Dircks, Belva Fenly, Lois Floyd, Beverly Fry, Norma Gould, Clarice Har-vey, Darlene McIlravy, Jean Neuhauser, Pat Pashby, Mary Pietrus, Lois Schmitz, Mary Schwellenbach, Leona Serbousek, Mary Rita Werckman, Jean Zigler, Marilou Schmitt, Marlene Harter, Barbara Vance, Elizabeth Goetz, Shirley Wine, Darlene Fenly, Waverly West, Lois Iver-son, Phyllis Hughes, and Robin Kayser.

Lois Schmitz re-ceived an award pin for the greatest accuracy in 60-word shorthand test. Jean Neuhauser received an award pin for accuracy in the 80-word shorthand test and also in the typing a-ward tests.

JOHN MURPHY ELECTED MAYOR FOR NEXT SCHOOL SEMESTER

POTTER, MARTELL REIGN OVER SPORTS DAY

Darlene Martell and Jack Potter were crowned King and Queen of Sports Day in a special ceremony on Wednesday, May 11, in the Junior High School Assembly.

Runners-up in the student election who participated in the coronation were: Yvonne Jones, Shirley Speese, Bertha Parks, Larry Vance, James Gerlach, and Larry Staub.

Mayor Lynn Wilder read an introduction to the ceremony. The King and Queen were crowned by junior high's candidates for next fall's mayor, Sherrill Price and Alan Liffengren.

Miss Georgia Morse presented the royalty with scrolls signifying their reign over Sports Day activities.

Darlene and Jack were chosen on the basis of sportsmanship, personality, popularity, ability in sports, courtesy, and scholarship.

Citizenship Award Presented In Jr. Hi.

Patricia Porter and Jerome Liffengren were presented the D.A.R. awards for good citizenship at a Junior High School assembly on Wednesday, May 18. Mrs. H. A. Brooking made the presentation.

Sherrill Price was selected as the outstanding history student in junior high. Mrs. Brooking presented Sherrill's medal.

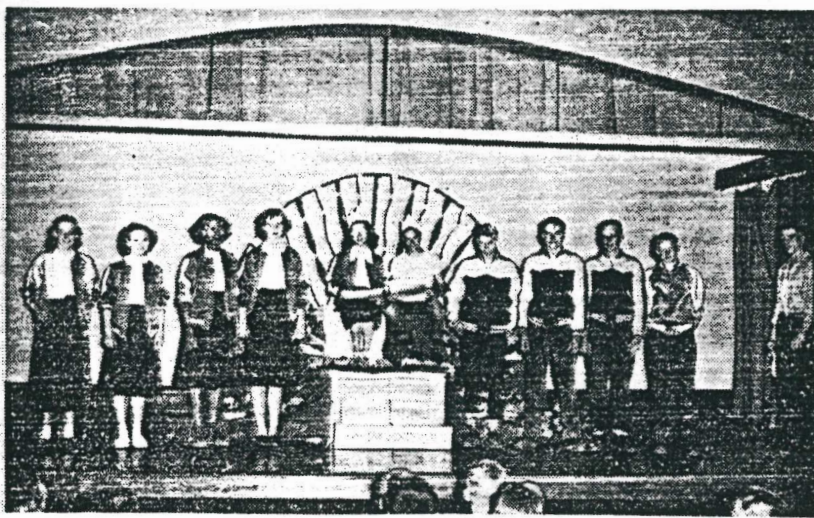
Sigurd Anderson addressed the students on the value of good citizenship.

GAA WINNERS RECEIVE LETTERS

Three seniors have won nine-hundred point letters in G.A.A. They are Lexia Servousek, Beverly Fenley, and Belva Fenley.

Three different types of letters are being awarded this year in Senior High. These are the 300-point emblem, the 600-point chenille letter, and the 900-point regular 6 inch size felt letter.

MOTHERS' USE MAY THEME



SPORTS DAY ROYALTY INCLUDES: left to right, Sherrill Price, Bertha Parks, Shirley Speese, Queen Darlene Martell, King Jack Potter, Larry Vance, James Gerlach, Larry Staub, Alan Liffengren, and Lynn Wilder.

SENIORS HONORED WITH BANQUET

The theme "May Day" was carried out in full detail at the Mothers' Banquet, Tuesday, May 17 at the Legion Cabin.

Following the banquet, the program was opened by master of ceremonies, Mr. Heckart. Luther Peterson sang "Because" accompanied by Maureen Sorenson, and everyone joined him in singing "It's A Grand Night For Singing."

Don Gambrel gave a short thank you and farewell to the mothers and students.

Mr. Reynolds gave a short speech on "Weaving a Pattern of Life."

Ann Wilkinson took over the program and called on several students and mothers for their observations on the last year in PHS.

Darlene Fenley gave a twirling performance, accompanied by a march on the phonograph.

The school song, led by PHS cheerleaders and accompanied by Mrs. W. G. Sorenson concluded the annual Mothers' banquet for the '49'ers.

Dancing was held later.

The letter winners of 600 points are: Jill Spargur, Jean Zigler, Leona Serbousek, and Darlene Fenley. Those who have earned 300-point letters are: Jean Dircks, Lois Floyd, Lu Ann McBride, Maureen Sorenson, and Mary Rita Werckman.

GRADUATION 8:00 TONITE

Seniors Present Faculty Meeting

The 1949 GUMBO was presented to students at an assembly held May 18.

The Program opened with the reading of the dedication by GUMBO editor, Jeri Linn.

The PHS faculty then "saw themselves as students see them."

Amid flying papers, snakes, gossip, and, wise-cracks, a mock faculty meeting was presented by the seniors. The skit was written by the journalism class.

Those included in the cast were:

Mr. Reynolds-----Don Gambrel
Mr. Thompson---Cecil Corbett
Mr. Bethke-----Jim Dalthorp
Mr. Heckart-----Jim Feeney
Heckler-----Berni Stoesser
Mr. Flannery---Richard Tunison
Mr. White-----Don Sturm
Mr. Burroughs----Luther Peterson
Mr. Schooler----Bill Maher
Mr. Paulson-----Hal Westover
Mr. & Mrs. DeRosa---Leon Pfotenbauer & Jill Spargur
Miss Brooking---Jean Dircks
Mrs. Spitzer-Mildred Clark
Mrs. Tice---Alice Bentley
Mrs. Clark---Louise Inman
Miss Fenner---Deloris Snyder
Mrs. Holm-----Jeri Linn
Miss Betty Ausman---Lois Floyd
Miss Nancy Ausman---Nancy Ellis
Miss Pat Whitesell---Mary Lou Naughton
Miss Tisher---Natalie Calkins
Sylvia Nolz---Vivian Marso.

After the skit, Jeri read the prophecy. At 3:15, GUMBOS were passed out in homerooms.

BEST OF LUCK TO THE CLASS OF '49.

The students of senior high elected John Murphy as mayor for the semester beginning September 5, 1949.

"Big Jahn," as his fellow students call him, was elected to Boys' State, has been a debater for two years, is a member of the "A" basketball squad, and has cartooned for the GOVERNOR. He played tackle on the '48 football squad.

Lois Iversen was John's running mate in the election. Lois will attend Girls' State this year.

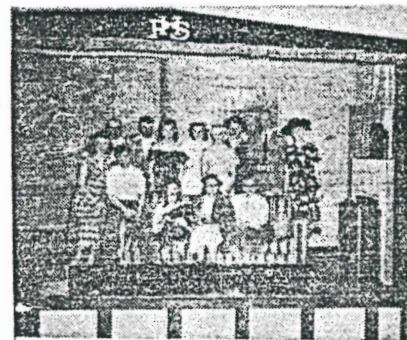


ALL SCHOOL CAST PRESENTS COMEDY

A three-act comedy, "A Little Honey," by Wm. Davidson, was given by an all-school cast, April 22, at 8 P.M. in the senior high assembly, directed by Clyde I. Heckart.

The comedy centered around Diana Minton, who tried to be intellectual with the help of her mother. The disgust of her father and Grandmother Thornton almost managed to lose her boyfriend. The complications of Diana's mother were made to realize that she couldn't be the domineering element in the family always. Diana's nine-year-old sister's pet frog, Pegasus, caused all sorts of embarrassment, and the cook's frequent decision to leave gave another touch of comedy. Grandma Thornton, Mrs. Minton's mother, was a realistic element and somewhat of a balance wheel for the rest of the family.

Diana "got her man," but not exactly as Grandma and her father had planned it.



The cast was as follows: Jerry Minton-Helen Hyde; Albert Parker-Leon Pfotenbauer; "Scoots"-Jill Spargur; Diana-Nancy Ellis; Delores Magglehammer-Darlene Hurst; Tom Corning-Bill Robbins; Roger Minton-John Murphy; Eve-Tyler-Waverly West; Martha Minton-Joyce Kirley; Mrs. Simmons-Lois Iversen; and Grandma Thornton-Ann Wilkinson.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1949

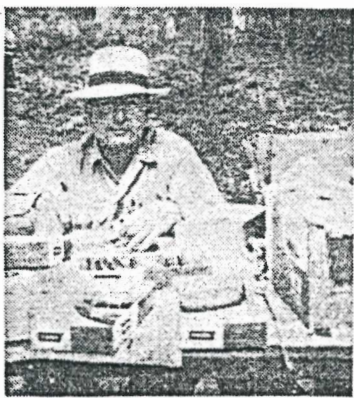
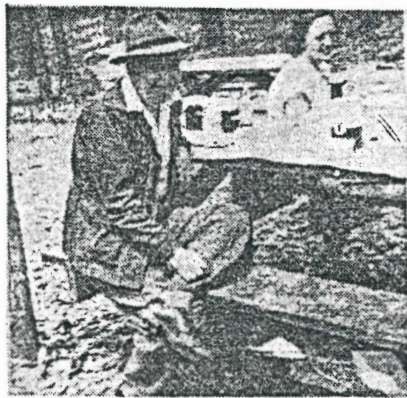
- JEANNETTE ALLEMAN - wills her sailor to Barbara Sherwood.
- PHYLLIS ALLEMAN - wills her wiggle to Darlene Hurst and hopes she won't lose it.
- MARGARET BECKWITH - leaves her honor roll privileges to John Paulson and hopes he appreciates it.
- ALICE BENTLEY - wills her giggle to Norma who seems to be doing okay with it.
- NATALIE CALKINS - wills her black hair to Mr. Heckart.
- MILLY CLARK - leaves her many sleepless nights to Marion Gambrel.
- PINKY COLE - wills his red hair to Janet Aase.
- CECIL CORBETT - leaves Mary Ann Morkin to sophomore boys.
- JIM DALTHORP - wills his ability to tackle to Waverly West.
- JEAN DIRCKS - wills her brown eyes to Lois Iverson.
- DON DOUGLAS and ROGER UECKER. - will their booth in the Casino to Iva Scarborough and Dorothy Towne.
- RAE ELDRIDGE - leaves her gum behind her ear so she won't have to write an essay on the "Vicissitudes of Education."
- NANCY ELLIS - wills her method of keeping a man for five years to Ena Aasen.
- JIM FEENEY - wills his "Vaughn Monroe" voice to Dick Hyde.
- BELVA and BEVERLY FENLEY - leave their twinlike features to Sylvia Sweet and Janet Littlefield.
- LOIS FLOYD AND MARILOU NAUGHTON BEVERLY FRY - will their sunlamp to Helen Hyde who knows how to use it.
- MAURICE FRAZEE - leaves Robin Kayser to travel to Blunt alone.
- JANE GALLUP - wills his trips to Ft. Pierre to Cassel Mosteller.
- DON GAMBREL - leaves galloping.
- LIZ GOETZ - wills his dancing ability to Bill Peterson.
- NORMA GOULD and MAR'LYN GRAY - leaves to be the first woman president.
- MARLENE HARTER - will their budding friendship to Phyllis Douglas and Jody Kelly.
- CLARICE HARVEY - wills her rosy cheeks to Mrs. Nutmeyer.
- ROBERT HOFFMAN - leaves her studying candle to Lorraine Lemcke.
- BETTY HUEBNER LOUISE INMAN - leaves mumbling, "I can't believe I made it."
- LORNA KING - leaves. - wills her friendly disposition to Esther.
- JOYCE KIRLEY - wills her spats with Mr. Heckart to Lavon Mickelson.
- JOHN LINDQUIST - wills her art ability to anyone who can use it as well as she has.
- JERI LINN - wills the street by the corner drug to someone else to sweep.
- JANE McEACHRON - wills her forgetfulness to "Sub" Sommer.
- DARLENE PHAN - leaves her "jug" at the Green Fountain.
- LEOTTA McLAUGHLIN - leaves her scientific discussions with Mr. Paulson to Edna Hageman.
- JUNE MADISON - wills her job at Penny's to Barbara Vance.
- leaves her love for Clayton to Ken and Ina.

- BILL MAHER - leaves his Cassinova-like attitude to Larry Sheppard
- VIVIAN MARSO - wills her big shirts to Patty David.
- JEAN and RAY NEUHAUSER - will their apartment to anyone who wants to throw parties.
- JIM OLDAKER - leaves his Van Johnson features to Morey Williams.
- LOIS OLSON - leaves----Happy.
- DAVID OLSON - leaves his naps in study hall to Mrs. Spitzer.
- GARY PARSONS - wills his bachelor-like ways to Glen Sandal.
- PAT PASHBY - wills her ability to play the trombone to Shirley Wine.
- LUTHER PETERSON - leaves his salesmanship to Dick Potter.

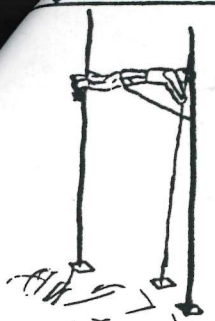


- LEON PFOTENHAUER - leaves his height to Larry Fluharty.
- MARY PIETRUS - leaves her book on "How to Shrink Sweaters" to Patty Potter.
- LLOYD and LEONARD - will their ability with out-of-town girls to Norman Vander Plaats and Wayne Kirkpatrick.
- HARVEY ROBINSON - wills the Fenleys.
- TOM SAFFEL - leaves with his "Satchel."
- MARY L. SCHMITT - leaves the police force to Melvin Johnson and hopes he can get along with it as well.
- LOIS SCHMITZ and MARY SCHWELLENBACH - leave their quiet dispositions to Beverly Jones and Beth Lindeskugal.
- LEONA and LEXIA SERBOUSEK - will their sisterly arguments to Avis and Mary Lou Fanger.
- MILQ SMITH - wills his "ornery nature" to Deb Dittman.
- MARY SMITH - leaves her inquisitive ways to Lou Ann McBride.
- DODY SNYDER - wills her corny jokes to Pat Devine.
- JILL SPARGUR - wills Billy to the Junior class.
- BERNIE STOESER - leaves his car wrapped around a telephone post.
- DON STURM - leaves his trips to Harrold to anyone who has a car.
- TOM TELFORD - wills his good looks to Walter Ehlers.
- CONNIE TJADEN - wills her big Chrysler to Jim Schiedel who hasn't room enough in his.
- LOUISE TUCKER - leaves her pessimistic attitude toward marriage to Joanne Gurnsey.
- RICHARD TUNISON - wills his freckles to Phyllis Hughes.
- JUANITA TUSA - stays to keep Mr. Thompson company.
- LORRAINE WAGNER - wills her roller skating to Morris Kayser.
- MARY RITA WERCKMAN and JEAN ZIGLER - leave their friendly chats with Mrs. Spitzer to Betty Jyrnes.
- ANN WILKINSON - leaves her false tooth for Mr. Paulson's biology classes.
- HAL WESTOVER - leaves before Mr. Schooler catches him.

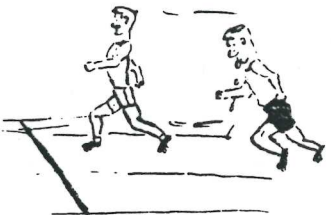
SENIOR ADVISORS



Mr. Heckart, Mrs. Spitzer, and Mr. Schooler relaxing, skip day.



SPORTS



WELCH WINS IN SPORTS DAY

Junior high held their annual Sport's Day on Thursday, May 12, with the two seventh grade homerooms running against each other, and the two eighth grade and the three ninth grade homerooms doing the same.

Mrs. Welch's sevens nosed out Mr. Crance's nines for the championship.

Three records fell, all in the girls' events. Sherrill Price broke the eighth grade 100-yard dash mark with a time of :13.3 seconds. Kay Kayser set a new eighth grade basketball throw record of 48 feet 3 inches and Elsie Harris did the same with the seventh grade basketball throw with a toss of 46 feet 10 inches. Jill Michaelson tied the seventh grade 50-yard dash mark of .7 of a second.

INTERCLASS MEET WON BY SENIORS

The annual inter-class track meet was held during the last week of April with the seniors copping the honors with 72 points. The sophomores were close behind with 65½ points. The juniors were third with 42½ points and the freshmen tallied 26.

The seniors had only four men, Jim Feeney, Jim Dalthorp, Tom Safel, and Richard Tunison. The sophomores had Jim Meyers, Dick Hyde, Bob Werckman, Ken Binkley, "Sub" Sommer, Steve Tusa, and Larry Sheppard. Don Dietrick, Marvin Nystrom, and Bill Peterson competed for the juniors. The freshmen who placed were Jack Potter, Harlan Pigsley, and Bob Corcoran.

Miller Thinclads Win CSD Meet

The Central South Dakota Conference track meet was won by the Miller Rustlers in a down to the wire fight with the Mobridge Tigers. Miller had 65 points to 61½ for the Tigers.

The Governors ended with 33 points followed by Cheyenne 19½, Ipswich 16, Highmore 11, Faulkton 8, Onida 6 and Gettysburg 5.

Jim Tays, Gettysburg, broke the high jump mark by 2 inches by going up 5 feet 11½ inches.

Mobridge broke the 770 record with a time of 1:36.7. Highmore set a new Sprint Medley Relay record by running it in the time of 3:58.8.

Miller set a new Mile Relay mark with a time of 3:47.2.

Augie Zimmerman, Miller, set a new quarter mile record of 5:54.4.

This gave Miller a clean sweep of Central Conference athletics as they had won the football and basketball crowns prior to the track meet.

Warriors Rosebud Win Pierre Relays

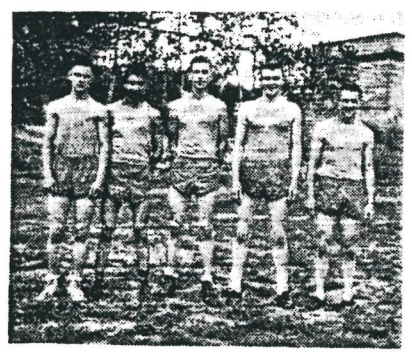
The Pierre Relays were held in Pierre on April 16 with the Sioux Falls Warriors winning the Class A trophy and Rosebud capturing Class B honors.

The Governors were held to their lowest total in recent years when Jim Feeney was the only greenclad to place. He was third in the 100 yard dash.

THE BOYS' MONOGRAM

The Boys' Monogram banquet was held May 25 at the Marine Grill.

FIVE MEN QUALIFY FOR STATE



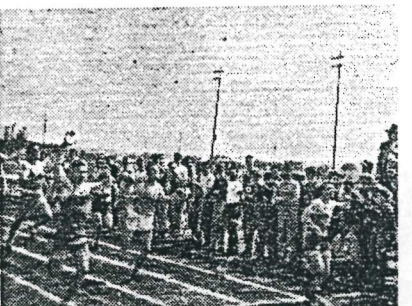
Left to Right: Dick Hyde, Harlan Pigsley, Jim Meyers, Jim Dalthorp, and Jim Feeney.

FEENEY NAMED TRACK CAPTAIN

James Feeney was elected captain of the 1949 track squad by the 10 track letter winners.

"Beamo" has lettered in track four years and ran on the two Pierre State Championship squads. Jim started his track career in the eighth grade, but missed last year due to an injury.

He was outstanding in football for Pierre Hi, winning three letters. Jim also played guard on the basketball team, lettering this year.



Feeney breaks the tape in the 100-yard dash at the Conference Track Meet. He is followed by Butler, Faulkton; Clapsaddle, Mobridge and Olson of Mobridge.

SPORTS REVIEW

by Milo

1948-49 IN REVIEW

The Pierre Governor athletic teams had a very successful season. To start things rolling, a squad of inexperienced football aspirants had one of the best seasons in many years, winning five, losing two, and tying one game.

The victories were over Onida, Winner, Gettysburg, Redfield, and Mobridge. The losses were to Rapid City and Miller, both undefeated teams. The tie was with Huron, who had come from behind to salvage a tie with the inspired Governors.

James "Cube" Dalthorp was elected captain of the 1949 gridiron eleven.

PIERRE FOURTH IN REGIONAL

The Pierre Governors went to Redfield May 14, to compete in the Region IV track meet. Six men qualified for the State meet to be held May 20 and 21 at Watertown.

James Feeney qualified in the 100-yard dash by taking third, after being out front until his leg muscle tightened and slowed him down. Feeney came back to win the shot put and then anchor the half mile relay team to a qualifying second place.

Jim Meyers and James Dalthorp qualified in the high jump with "Duce" taking second and "Thorp" tying for third. They also ran on the 880 yrd relay team. Dick Hyde was the fourth member of the relay squad, and placed second in the 220-yard dash.

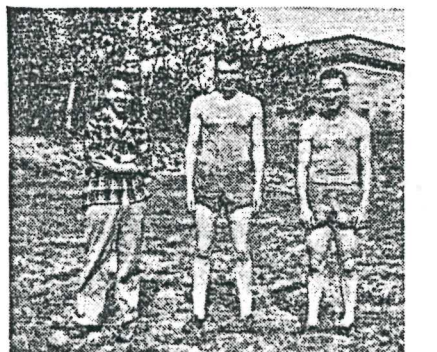
Harlan Pigsley qualified in the mile run by placing third. Tom Safel would have been in the state meet except for a new rule which has only the first two placers in the half-mile run going to the state. Tom finished a close third.

The varsity Green and White cage squad won 15 games while losing ten against the state's best.


The hardcourt quintet lost six of their first seven games but lost only two of their next 16 games. Both of these were to the Miller Rustlers who went undefeated in 29 games and copped the Class B tournament. Pierre was second in the conference tournament and also the conference standings.

The Governors lost a heart-breaker to Huron in the sectional and then, weary and tired, lost to the Mitchell Kernels the next night. (Cont'd on page 6)


HONOR CAPTAINS




Left to Right: Cecil Corbett, Basketball captain; Jim Dalthorp, Football captain; and Jim Feeney, Track captain.



ALTHOUGH HE LACKS HEIGHT, "KESO" MAKES UP FOR IT IN FIGHT AND HIS SMOOTH BALL HANDLING. A DEAD SET SHOT ARTIST, HE IS A CONSTANT SCORING THREAT.



HE HAS WON LETTERS IN FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL



Cecil Corbett
-CAPTAIN OF THE PIERRE BASKETBALL TEAM
FOR HIS FINE WORK THROUGHOUT THE COURT SEASON, HE WAS ELECTED THE HONORARY CAPTAIN BY HIS TEAMMATES AT THE END OF THE YEAR.

OBSERVATION

THE TOWER

As we again survey the "playgrounds" of the Pierre high school students, we find nothing!-----except-----

We keep wondering why Maureen Sorenson keeps wanting to vacation at the U, and it isn't because of her mother, Merle!

If the country seems a little torn up, you will know it's just the '49ers digging again--- and not for gold either!

We wonder why in the world the fellas go charging over to "Unc's" between classes! Could it be for candy bars?

Since "Johnny Belinda" appeared at the local theatre, Mr. Heckart must now use sign language to explain his 2,000 word themes.

Jean Neuhauser seems to be getting her directions crossed. Her slogan now is "Come West, young man! come West!"

Since none of the mothers' "children" returned home after the prom, they were relieved of their "bed-making chores"! How about a few more proms?

The Junior Class deserves an orchid for their swell banquet, but they'll have to wait, since we can't afford one!

It seems as though the Island has become a very popular place. It isn't for the water either!

Why didn't some of the sophomore girls go to the prom? Higher interests?

Josephine (Ann's Buick) is bucking pretty badly lately. We wonder if Jerry and Ann have saddle sores yet? At least they're bow-legged!

Marilyn Gray is sporting a diamond. Is the lucky man former student, Robert Hirsh?

Speaking of diamonds, where did Roger Uecker get his?

Flash!--Kirley beats Wall with the aid of Pugh and Stoesser, Pashby and Snyder, Sunday after the prom!

Before we depart, we have a thought to leave with you-----
The victory of success is half won when one gains the habit-----
of work.



THE VALEDICTORIAN

Personality

Relay Queen

Parade

"The best part of it all was giving all those handsome men their medals," said Phyllis Douglas, the Pierre High School relay queen.



Phyllis, who was very surprised, because the contest was close, first knew she was relay queen when Charles Hyde came for her in a new shiny convertible.

Phyllis' favorite sport is swimming, but she likes all sports.

She plans to work this summer in Pierre. After her graduation next spring, she wants to go either to Yankton or Aberdeen and become a nurse.

Five gifts were presented to Phyllis by the business firms participating.

SPORTS REVIEW...

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Mitchell placed third and Huron fourth in the State "A" Tourney.

Cecil Corbett was elected captain at the close of the season.

At the end of the season, the seniors played the underclassmen and defeated them 57 to 52. Cecil Corbett put on a show of his excellent ball handling.

SENIOR SONGS

Jeannette Alleman	"Forever and Ever"
Phyllis Alleman	"I Miss You So"
Margaret Beckwith	"Doin' What Comes Naturally"
Alice Bentley	"None Like You"
Natalie Calkins	"A Thing of Beauty"
Wayne Cole	"I Got Rhythm"
Cecil Corbett	"Sunflower"
Jim Dalthorp	"Let's Roll Out The Barrel Once Again"
Jean Dircks	"Dark Eyes"
Don Douglas	"Tired Teddybear"
Rae Eldridge	"How Dry I Am"
Nancy Ellis	"Feudin', Fussin' and Fightin'"
Jim Feeney	"Two Loves Have I"
Belva Fenley	"You're Going to Get My Letter in the Morning"
Beverly Fenley	"Memories"
Lois Floyd	"I've Got A Crush On You"
Maurice Frazee	"A Fellow Needs A Girl"
Beverly Fry	"School Days"
Jane Gallup	"The One I Love Belongs To Somebody Else"
Don Gambrel	"Cuddle Up A Little Closer"
Liz Goetz	"Faraway Places"
Norma Jean Gould	"I Ride An Old Paint"
Marilyn Gray	"Home On The Range"
Marlene Harter	"I Love Life"
Clarice Harvey	"After Graduation Day"
Robert Hoffman	"Driftin' and Dreamin'"
Betty Huebner	"A Pretty Girl"
Louise Inman	"Then I'll Be Happy"
Lorna King	"Take Me In Your Arms"
Joyce Kirley	"A Song in My Heart"
Myrtle Leach	"There's Something About A Soldier"
John Lindquist	"All In Fun"
Jeri Linn	"Love's Got Me In A Crazy Mood"
Jane McEachron	"Show Me The Way to Go Home"
Darlene McIlravy	"Isn't It Romantic"
Leotta McLaughlin	"I'll Get By"
June Madison	"It's You or No One"
Bill Maher	"Nature Boy"
Vivian Marso	"Wedding Bells Are Breaking Up That Old Gang of Mine"
Jean Neuhauser	"Stormy Weather"
Ray Neuhauser	"Lying In The Hay"
Jim Oldaker	"Now Rest Beneath Night Shadows"
David Olson	"Suspense"
Lois Olson	"I Still Get Jealous"
Gary Parsons	"Ask Me No Questions"
Pat Pashby	"Linger Awhile"
Luther Peterson	"As You Desire Me"
Leon Pfotenbauer	"Surrey With The Fringe On The Top"
Mary Pietrus	"Fun And Fancy Free"
Lloyd Pugh	"Ain't Misbehaving"
Harvey Robinson	"Ah! Sweet Mystery Of Life"
Tom Saffel	"Let's Take The Long Way Home"
Marilou Schmitt	"In My Merry---Ford"
Lois Schmitz	"Bid'n' My Time"
Mary Schwellenbach	"Friendship"
Leona Serbousek	"I Don't Know Why"
Lexia Serbousek	"Sweet And Lovely"
Mary Smith	"I Wish I Knew"
Milo Smith	"One Meat Ball"
Dody Snyder	"I'll Love You In My Dreams"
Maureen Sorenson	"In Love In Vain"
Jill Spargur	"I Got Lost In His Arms"
Bernie Stoesser	"Three O'clock In The Morning"
Donald Sturm	"Turn Back The Clock"
Thomas Telford	"Women, Women, Women"
Constance Tjaden	"Lady Be Good"
Louise Tucker	"One Alone"
Richard Tunnison	"Three Little Fishies"
Juanita Tusa	"The Secretary Song"
Roger Uecker	"Annie Get Your Gun"
Lorraine Wagner	"Take Me Out To The Ball Game"
Mary Rita Werckman	"Sweet and Low"
Hal Westover	"Darktown Poker Club"
Ann Wilkinson	"My Fickle Eye"
Leonard Winckler	"Lazy Bones"
Jean Zigler	"Body and Soul"
Mary Lou Naughton	"Just A Girl That Men Forget"

In track, the Governors qualified five men for the state and placed fourth in the regional meet. In the conference event the Green and White tracksters placed third behind Miller and Mo-bridge.

The Governors also completed in the Pierre Legion Relays and Aberdeen Relays.
