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## 4 Get 'All A's'

### Sophomores Lead School In Honor Roll Results

The sophomores lead the rest of the school in the first honor-roll computations with exactly 25 per cent of their members on the select list.

The Juniors were a not-too-distant second with 22.9 per cent, while the seniors were third with 20 per cent. The freshmen brought up the rear, as they landed 17 per cent of their members on the honor roll.

Four students, including two seniors, made the four-point mark. A total of 183 students are on the three-point roll.

#### 4-point honor roll

Donna Cocca, Judith Gordon, Joel Greenisen, Curtice Loop.

#### 3-point honor roll

##### SENIORS

Dorothy Alek, Carol Joe Byrns, Barbara Cameron, Sandra Church, Charles Dahms, Helen Dicu, Wendell Dunn, Nancy Fife, Jack Gottschling, Janice Groves, Margie Hannay, Marilyn Hart-sough, Dale Horton.

Jim Howell, Marjorie Jensen, Richard Journey, Margaret Ann Kelly, Tim Kennedy, Helen Kornbau, Hildegard Kropat, George Kubas, Jerry Martin, Betty Moore, Barbara Patterson, Gary Paxson.

Marlene Schmidt, Barbara Tolson, Dave Wiggers, Ann Zuber.

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## Debate Finalists Chosen By Guiler

The debate squad, which is a member of the Ohio School Speech League, sponsored by Ohio State University, has been selected by John Guiler, debate coach. Twenty students tried out by writing speeches on debatable subjects.

The eight finalists are Ann Baker, Nancy Lloyd, Rita Piscitani, Nancy Swartz, Richard Journey, John Deagan, Ronald Slutz and Gary Whitsel, four of whom will be regular speakers.

The topic for debate this year is "How to Elect the President of the United States." Practice debates with area schools will be held next month.

## Publishers Of 'File 13' Seek Your Contributions

Hear ye! Hear ye! "File 13" is now open for contributions.

The Creative Writing Club is again sponsoring "File 13", a magazine of student literature authored by SHS pupils. Last year over 25 articles were preserved for posterity in "File 13".

A box is now in the library to hold the fruits of your genius. Shake your tree of knowledge and drop the golden fruit in "File 13."

## Likable Senior Secretary, Marge Jensen, A Busy Gal, Looks Forward To Nursing Career

By Jeanette Harris

"It is with great pleasure that we present this diploma to Miss Marjorie Jensen, along with the award for being the most outstanding student nurse." This scene may take place at some graduating exercise at the Salem City Hospital in the future.

No wonder that girl looked familiar to you -- she was the senior class secretary when you graduated

from high school. But as your mind drifts back remembering those days, you recall that she was always so busy that you hardly caught a glimpse of this friendly gal.

You recall that she had light brown hair, twinkling, hazel eyes, was five feet, seven inches tall and always deep in some school activity.

This likable senior gal was in the Latin Club, the Slide Rule Club and was president of Hi-Tri. We

## COMING UP

- Nov. 6—Football — East Liverpool—There
- 10—Mrs. Hilda Koch from the U.N. speaks to U.S. history and government classes
- 11—Armistice Day — No School!
- 12—Representatives from State Highway Patrol work with driver education classes
- 13—GAA square dance in gym
- 14—Football — Lisbon — There
- 18—Senior play for the junior high
- 19—Senior play for the high school
- 20-21—Senior play for the public
- 26-27—Thanksgiving vacation — No School!

## Student Pilot Hurt In Crash

A junior in Salem High School, John Finnigan of Kensington, sustained a possible skull fracture when the plane he was piloting crashed Oct. 25. He crashed about 300 feet from the runway as he tried to land at the H & B Airport on the Ellsworth Rd., State Highway patrolmen reported.

Although he was knocked unconscious and had to be removed from the wreckage by the airport crew, John returned to school Tuesday morning.

## Deadline Is Two Weeks Away

### Government-Sponsored NROTC Program Open To All Senior Boys This Year

The Navy again has offered its Officers' College Training Program to any male citizen of the United States who has passed his 17th birthday and not yet passed his 21st on July 1, 1954.

An accepted student having passed the required aptitude test is permitted to enroll at any one of the 54 colleges and universities where the NROTC program is provided.

The government pays for textbooks, the tuition and other fees of instructional nature in addition to 50 dollars per month for room and board.

Applications for the aptitude test, which will be given in Youngstown or Warren, must be in the mail before Nov. 21, 1953.

For other important requirements consult the NROTC pamphlets at the office of the Dean of Boys.

## Three Boys Selected To Lead Frosh Class

Three boys have been chosen to lead this year's freshman class. Elected were: president, Ted Jackson; vice-president, Bob McArtor; secretary, Tony Layton.

Election was held after the freshmen heard four presidential nominees give campaign speeches. Five nominees ran for the office of secretary.

This is the second straight year that all boys have been elected to freshman offices.

## Ann Baker Tops County In Ohio History Test

Ann Baker, a Salem High School senior, is the Columbiana County winner of the Ohio University-sponsored Ohio history, government and citizenship test, which was recently given to all interested students in the state.

Ann is one of 98 winners from the 5000 state-wide entrants. Twenty-eight Salem High School students took the exam.

## 'Different' Seems Prevalent Theme Of 'Melody Jones'

"Different" seems to be the keyword of the senior play, "Melody Jones," for that is how Melody's fellow students describe her.

It seems people begin to get suspicious of her when she rides a horse up the mountains to see if the dogtooth violets are in bloom, and doesn't return until late at night.

Donna Cocca, portraying Melody Jones, expresses her desire to look like "an apple tree in bloom" for the senior prom, while her Aunt Laura, Martha Brown, tries in vain to talk Melody's mother, Sandra Church, into disciplining her.

Melody seems to have just reasons for doing what some people label as "different," but there are times when even her best friend Jennifer, Carol Joe Byrns, can't quite understand her.

In a jealous rage Mel's cousin, Elaine, Mickey Lyons, is soon to destroy all the happiness in Melody's world.

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## Makeup Tryouts Excite Freshmen

"I wonder if I made it." "Gee, I don't know; there were so many who tried out." "I hope we did." These are some of the remarks you might have heard if you had been outside the make-up room where the final tryout for the make-up committee was being held.

It was learned from Miss Weeks that more freshmen tried out this year than any other since she has been director of our plays.

All told, 40 tried out, five of whom were boys. It was difficult for the committee and Miss Weeks to choose the winners, but finally after four preliminary tryouts, two semi-finals and two finals, Gunhild Nyberg and Sandra Enemark were chosen. They will serve on the committee four years.

This honor enables her to spend the weekend of November 13 and 14 at Ohio University. Ann will be the University's guest for a tour of the campus, theatrical production and the Ohio University-Bowling Green football game.

Her all-expense paid stay will also include participation in an essay-type examination at the University. Valuable cash prizes will be awarded to the students placing highest in the test.

Last year two Salem High School students, Joan Schuller and Jim Schmidt, tied for first place in Columbiana County and Joan went on to win an honorable mention for her score on the final examination at Ohio U.

## Boone Appointed To Replace Miller

Joseph B. Boone, former science and physical education instructor at the junior high school, has assumed the high school faculty duties of former Basketball Coach Robert Miller.

Miller's last day here was Friday, Oct. 23. He is now the head basketball mentor at Walnut Township High School at Buckeye Lake, O.

Boone will take over Miller's full schedule of driver education classes and homeroom 101. He will continue to fulfill his athletic duties at the junior high for the present.

## OSU Psychology Test To Be Given Here Soon

The OSU psychology test will be given to the sophomores and all seniors and juniors who have not taken it, sometime during the month of November.

The test will be given in the morning and the students may take as long as they wish. In order to prevent rushing and interruptions the students are required to stay in the study hall until the beginning of the fourth period.

Regular classes will be resumed in the afternoon.



MARGE JENSEN

D. B.

wonder how she ever found time to be class secretary. She said she was "surprised" when she received this honor.

Marge used to like to listen to Eddie Fisher songs while she ate a delicious steak at the Corner. And of course she liked to go there for a coke, her favorite drink, if her activities ever permitted her.

We marvel at the fact that this busy gal had no pet peeve, but that wasn't hard to believe, because she was never seen frowning. Naturally she was interested in sports.

Football was her favorite and she showed her school spirit by faithfully attending all the games.

And now we see her receiving her diploma and about to embark on the realization of her dreams.

## Schoolmaster Club Meets

Members of the Columbiana County Schoolmasters' Club met last night in East Liverpool for a dinner meeting. Superintendent of Schools E. S. Kerr and other school men from Salem attended.

THERE'S A MORAL TO THIS STORY

Guests Of SHS Council Express Enthusiasm For Library, Classrooms

"The thing that impressed us most is your wonderful library." That was the sentiment of four East Palestine Student Council members who were the guests of the Salem council at the school last Tuesday.

The four visitors arrived about 10 a.m. spending the whole day in Salem. They had lunch at the Corner as a treat from the local council.

They toured the entire building, visiting several classes and seeing most of our facilities.

A vivacious junior girl, Mary Lou Smith, noted that SHS is somewhat larger than East Palestine High. "I think the outstanding thing that I've seen is your beautiful library."

"It's much better than ours," added Gary Davis, a likable sophomore. "Especially the floors," grinned Paul Rauch, a handsome, stocky senior, as the group laughed.

The fourth member, Carol McConahy, was

especially impressed by the chorus classes. Carol, a cute Irish lass, commented on the "nice kids" they had met.

"They were all so friendly and cheerful," Paul added. "And so were the teachers," said Mary Lou, vice-president of the Palestine council.

Gary pulled a copy of the Quaker Weekly out of his pocket commenting, "I sure like this paper."

Paul was greatly impressed by the wood and metal classes.

"You have so much more here, so many more facilities than we have," he commented.

All in all, our visitors were highly impressed with SHS, taking back to East Palestine glowing reports about their neighbors to the west.

Being right in the midst of it, we sometimes fail to realize how fortunate we are to be going to a school with as much to offer as SHS. Stop and think about it for a second.

Maybe you'll be impressed with what you find.



Merry Notes

by Mary

You, You, You

Merry Notes will bring you items of interest in the music world in and out of SHS. This column is for you and any suggestions you have will be welcome.

Oh!

Did you know the band selected for its prexy Wendell Dunn, the baritone player, who not only copped first chair at B.W. Band Clinic, but also first chair in the Ohio State All Boys Band? Drum major Duane Bates is the new vice-president; Carol McQuilkin, secretary-treasurer; and Don Sebo and Mary Mercer, librarians.

Any Time

... between 3:30 and 5 p. m. at Reilly Stadium you may hear shouted commands such as; "Attention," "Roll-off drums," "Count," "Raz-a-ma-taz," and occasionally a resounding thud, which is merely the director's drill-formation notebook dropping to the ground—and not by accident! Personally we wonder how drum major Duane Bates and marching band director Richard Howenstine, can show the patience they do. With the football season nearly over, we think a vote of thanks should go to the marching band, directors, majorettes and all who have worked to make this a successful season. The snappy step, precision columns, band music and the half-time performances enjoyed by football fans at the games are the result of much serious practice.

Relax

... is the theme song of the chorus prexys, Jerry Roberts, Mike Lutsch, Janice Maxim and the robed chorus secretary, Jackie Welsh, who have worked hard during the magazine drive taking care of all records and money. SHS vocalists say, "Thank you," for a job well done!

Platter Patter

The top popular recordings in Salem are in tune with the nation's tops. Locally we like "You, You, You" (3) by the Ames Brothers and the Les Paul-Mary Ford rendition of "Vaya Con Dios" (2), followed by "Oh" (8), "I'm Walking Behind You" (12), and "Eh, Cumpari" (5), while our most popular novelty number is "St. George and the Dragonet" (1). The numbers following titles of local favorites indicate last week's popularity rating in the nation. Other titles among the top ten are "Ebb Tide," "Crying in the Chapel," "Rags to Riches," "Dragnet" and "Many Times."

With Christmas records having a rush release, we'd like to suggest that a new record to watch is "I Just Can't Wait 'Til Christmas," sung by LuAnn Simms.

"So Long for a While."

Friday Has Off-day; Investigates SHS

It was Wednesday, 8:15 a. m., Sept. 9. My name is Joe Friday. In fact it is Joe any day of the week. I was working school detail out of home.

8:16—I received a call—it was from my partner. The minute I got it I knew something was wrong—I have no phone. My partner informed me that strange people were milling around in front of a big, deserted building on Lincoln Ave. This called for action (do-dodo-do).

8:19—I arrive on the scene, where I met my partner. It was then I noticed something strange. My partner has three eyes. There was something odd about the place—the clock was on time. While talking with my partner it struck me—a car, that is. It seems one of the strangers was parking his car on the sidewalk so he would not need to put any money in the meter.

8:25—most of these strange folk had disappeared and this had me worried—my bubble gum business would come to a stand still.

8:29—everyone was gone, even my partner. This was a case for the police. What was I doing here?

I finally entered the building, realizing that I might not walk out again—I figured they would throw me out. I quickly made my way to the main office. I entered the office and removed my hat and placed it on a chair. Immediately I began searching for clues. I could not find any, so I began looking for my hat.

8:29—Oh, great! My watch had stopped! Well, anyway, he appeared—a tall man with a broad smile on his face.

Slyly I strode over to him (I wish I could have walked) and said, "Who are you?" He answered grimly, "I am the boss of this outfit." I said, "All I want is the facts, that's all; just the facts." And his reply was, "Son you've come to one of the best places on earth to get the facts—Salem High School." (do-dodo-do)

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party line

by mary & carol

Care To Dance?

The noon dances are a good idea in our opinion. We enjoyed Mr. Callahan and Mr. Zellers' joining in on the bunny hop. Miss Kelley's lessons are certainly paying off!

Hop-a-long

Crutch and cane makers are surely getting a good business from SHS boys! Get better real quick Dave Bowles, Lowell Fleischer, Gary Paxson, Jerry Martin and Eddie Sullivan.

Yea, Salem!

The students and cheerleaders deserve a pat on the back for the swell school spirit they are displaying by going to all the games and cheering the boys on to victory.

Have you noticed the sharp new drums the band used at the Youngstown North game? They add a great deal to their appearance.

File 13

Get out your papers and pencils and start thinking about an article to write for "File 13." The box is in the library now.

Mrs. Cox, Founder Of Biology Lab, Returns After Two-Year Absence

Back in the frontier days when Ohio was a little known, unexplored wilderness, there settled in what is now Guernsey County the pioneer families of Samuel and Kathryn Smith and Joseph and Anna Doudna.

Many years later in the same county, but in different surroundings, a baby girl, the granddaughter of these two sturdy families, was born. Her parents named her Ella Thea Smith and for two and a half years she lived and played on a farm in the territory first inhabited by her ancestors.

When the Smith family pulled up stakes



Photo by Dave Bush MRS. ELLA THEA COX

in Guernsey County they planted them again in Salem which has been the home of this familiar and well-liked teacher ever since.

Ella Thea Smith graduated from Salem High School, then furthered her education at the University of Chicago where she obtained her Bachelor of Science degree and put in a year's graduate work. With a definite yen for science and biology she returned to Salem and a thirteen-year career as a part-time hospital laboratory technician at the Central Clinic. While this job kept her busy a great deal of the time, she managed to devote her days to teaching biology at the high school.

Her classes were held in 303 which contained "only students, desks and books. There were no laboratory facilities and since experimenting and research are my special loves, Mr. Allen and I made the plans for the biology lab which, at the time, was one of the most modern in the state."

During this time she wrote the textbook, "Exploring Biology," which is read by students in every state in the Union.

Everyone enjoyed the talent assembly Oct. 28. Criminals are surely getting talented these days!

Social Notes

Betsy Moore, Nancy and Dick Miller, Barbara Young and Jere Hochadell all had parties after the Youngstown North game. A good time was had by all.

Acquaintance Corner

The two freshmen we are introducing this week are: Rita McArtor, a member of the SHS band, and Tony Layton, secretary-treasurer of their class. Both belong to homeroom 307.

A small boy was hurrying to school, and as he hurried he prayed, "Dear Lord, don't let me be late. Please don't let me be late." Suddenly he stumbled and said, "Well, you don't have to shove!"

The Party Line is down from here to East Liverpool, so we don't know what to expect in surprises at tonight's game. Good luck guys!

"When I dedicated the book in an assembly, I dedicated it to the biology students of the past, present and future," she says.

A two-year leave of absence in 1951 and '52 gave her the opportunity to revise her book which is now going into the fourth edition.

In the year 1933, Miss Smith became the wife of Marion Cox, an artist, master electrician and dealer in old and rare books. Both share enthusiasm for nature and biochemistry.

Besides her many teaching chores, Mrs. Cox served as Quaker adviser, property manager for plays and chaperone for the girls' basketball team for five years each. For 17 years she held the position of sophomore class adviser.

And so, after two years away from the familiar halls and rooms of SHS, Mrs. Cox has returned to instruct algebra I and health classes and to keep a kindly but watchful eye on homeroom 112.

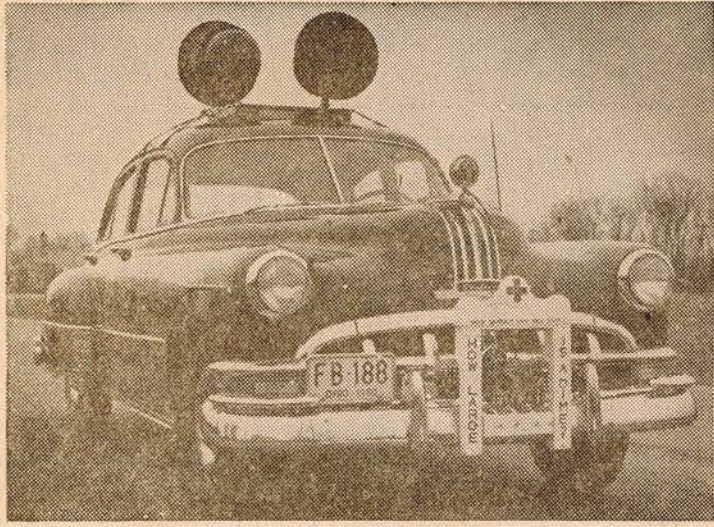
Easily recognized by her bright smile and the pleasant greeting she always has for the students, Mrs. Cox reflects her attitude toward teaching in these words:

"I love to teach; in fact I'm crazy about it. The thing I'm impressed with this year is the initiative and personality of the senior class. They seem to have the ability to go ahead and get things done."

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Like many seniors, John Chester wanted to graduate but didn't expect the time to roll around so soon. English IV, American history and government, economics and farm management are among his final studies in SHS. "Bino's" favorite meal at his favorite restaurant, the Corner, is two toasted cheese sandwiches, a bowl of chili, french fries and milk. As for movieland, John Wayne and Marilyn Monroe are "tops." Golf being the favorite sport of "Bino," he claims, "As long as there's golf in my future plans, I'll be happy."

Ray Anthony's band, Jeff Chandler and June Allyson are on the "favorite list" of Sally Risbeck. She is studying English IV, Spanish II, American history and health. After graduation she plans to enter nurses' training. Sally, a three-year chorus member, thinks the school should be more friendly as a whole and not so "cliquey," but nevertheless the "kids" are what she'll miss most when she leaves SHS.



Above is the test car that demonstrated to SHS students Nov. 3 the dangers of the automobile. In a safe-driving demonstration under the direction of Frank Laderer, safety engineer for the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, this specially-equipped car was used to indicate the reaction and breaking distances of both students and teachers.

This program is part of a long-range traffic safety project. The driver education classes sponsored it here.

The entire student body witnessed the demonstration held on Third St.

### Robed Chorus Tops Magazine Drive

The robed chorus topped the beginning and girls' choruses in their recent magazine sale which lasted from Oct. 14 to Oct. 29. The total amount received from the three amounted to \$650.

Sometime within the next two weeks word will be received from the Curtis Company indicating the amount that the choruses will receive from the sale.

### Club Decides To Hold Bi-Monthly Meetings

The newly elected president of the Latin Club, Dick Hunter, announced that meetings will be held bi-monthly, alternating with the French Club meetings.

The following officers were elected by the 37 members: vice-president, Matt Klein; secretary, Ann Hansteen; treasurer, Florence Rea; and sergeant-at-arms, Bill Phillis.

### 3 Win Prizes In Bingo As Spanish Club Meets

At the third meeting of the Spanish Club Sandra Bailey, Duane Bates and Arnold Ping were given prizes for winning bingo games played in Spanish. Carol Joe Byrns presided as program chairman.

President Donna Cocca announced that Carol Debnar will be in charge of the program for the next meeting.

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### MELODY JONES

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The play rehearsals are coming along smoothly, according to Miss Weeks, play director.

In rehearsal for three weeks the cast has spent one full week working on each of the three acts. Next week they will spend running through the entire play.

The dress rehearsals will be Monday and Tuesday, November 16 and 17, with the first performance listed for Wednesday, November 18 for the junior high school.

The high school will see the play in assembly the following day.

Most of the play committees have already been chosen and will be announced in next week's **QUAKER**.

### JRC Undertakes Campaign For 100 Per Cent Membership

The annual membership drive of the Junior Red Cross began Monday, Oct. 26. The goal is 100 per cent enrollment.

"Operation Santa Claus" has made a successful start. Clothing has been collected by Jerry Yunk and Jim Irej and mended and ironed by the girls of the JRC.

Some of this clothing was packed and mailed this week.

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## Frosh Classes Buy Projector

The projector ordered by the freshman English classes has arrived. For the past several years the classes have been saving tax stamps to raise the amount necessary for the Bausch-Lomb opaque projector.

The machine will be used by the freshman classes to give illustrated talks and show pictures of things related to current work. Even a page from a book can be thrown on to the screen with clarity sufficient for reading.

Curtains to black out light from the windows and a stand for the projector will be purchased with the remaining \$59. Mrs. Bessie Lewis, the sewing teacher, has agreed to help make the curtains.

### Showcase Features Santa Claus Project

"Operation Santa Claus" was the theme of the library showcase last week.

There were thank-you letters from children in Germany who had received gift boxes from the Junior Red Cross at the Fourth Street School. A few articles collected in the clothing drive were displayed.

A sample membership role, poster, a membership card and a picture taken at the American Red Cross Convention last summer in Washington, D. C., were also exhibited.

### Dean Strain To Begin Senior Girl Meetings

Within the next two weeks Mrs. Leah Strain, who has been substituting for Miss Ala Zimmerman, dean of girls, will begin individual conferences with all senior girls.

These conferences are intended to help students plan for work or college after graduation.

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## HONOR ROLL

(Continued from page 1)

Jean Yarian, Barbara Young, Bonnie Zimmerman.

### JUNIORS

Duane Bates, Jim Beard, Barbara Beery, Robert Boals, Becky Bonfert, Robert Brantingham, George Buta, Mary Campbell, Sandra Chandler, Gloria Colananni, Nancy Cosma.

Betty Day, John Deagan, Carol Debnar, Jim Fife, Lloyd Fitzpatrick, George Goodman, Kathleen Hamilton, Anne Hansteen, Nancy Heidenreich, Sue Hill, Jeri Jackson, Janice Jeffries.

Patricia Jurczak, Janice Lieder, Bill Lipp, Marilyn Litty, Carol Luke, Jim Madsen, Curtis McGhee, Andy Menegos, Medith Morningstar, Ruth Mountz.

Vickie Paporadis, Arnold Ping, Mary Ellen Reed, Janet Reeder, Ed Rice, Gloria Rowlands, Sharlene Sanlo, Grace Stratton, Jo Anne Stumpo, Rosemarie Sulea, Wendy Townsend, Shirley Werner, Sylvia Wiess.

### SOPHOMORES

Jack Alexander, Sally Allen, Jim Barcus, Bill Bennett, Donna Blender, Carolyn Buckman, John Buta, Paula Carlisle, Evelyen Copacia, Dick Coppock, Jerry Cosgrove, June Dick.

Willard Dunn, Bob Early, Max Ehrhart, Barbara Erath, James Fisher, David Freshly, Irene Hall, Mable Lou Hannay, Jeanette Harris, Marcia Henning, Jackie Houts.

Dick Hunter, Sally Hutcheson, Rita Joseph, Sally Kirkbride, Matt Klein, Carol Knepper, Joanne Lewis, Faye Lippiatt, Lois Lippiatt, Rosalie Lisi, Nancy Lloyd.

Gail Loschinsky, Cathleen Lott, Kay Lutsch, Marlynn Mallery, Barbara Miller, Richard Miller, Tom Mulford, Howard Pardee, Florence Rea, Betty Ritchey.

Barbara Saltzer, Marilyn Schaefer, Barbara Schebler, Don Sebo, Joan Sell, Don Stamp, Arland Stein, Barbara Tausch, Marilyn Theiss, Gary Whitsel.

### FRESHMEN

Glenda Arnold, Richard Aubill, Joyce Bailey, Kathleen Baker, Janet Bates, Donald Brunner, Joe Bryan, Dick Buta, Marilyn Cameron, Barbara Cobourn, Nancy Conley, Sandra DeJane, Mark Fenton, Judy Fisher.

Marsha Fleischer, Joan Frank, Donna Fronk, Neva Greary, Sandra Gray, Nancy Greenmyer, Dave Hanna, Brenda Hawkins, Bill Hoppes, Marilyn Kloos, Virginia Lane, Carolyn Lewis, Marilyn Lipp, Gwen Lutz.

Robert McArtor, Beverly Mercer, Gunhild Nyberg, Carolyn Paxson, Jennie Pittsrock, Helen Potter, Edna Rea, Cora Reed, Edwin Saltzer, Albert Schnorrenberg, Sally Steffel, Fred Stewart, Linda Tame, Peggy Walker, Marie Wilson, Bill Windle, Mary Ann Windle, Roy Yeager, Fred Ziegler.

### Club Elects Layton To Edit 'File 13' Book

Melissa Layton was elected editor of File 13 at the latest meeting of the Creative Writing Club. Barbara Shepard is assistant editor.

A committee composed of Darlene Greenfield, Bobbie Lou Wilms and Barbara Cobourn was appointed to place a box in the library for contributions to File 13.

Vice-president Melissa Layton presided at the business session when the next meeting was scheduled for Monday, Nov. 9.

Edward Harris is adviser of the group.

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# Quakers In Search Of Sixth Victory Of Season

## Travel To East Liverpool; Potters Have Five Losses

In search of their sixth victory of the season in eight starts the Salem Quakers travel to East Liverpool tonight to face Coach Bobby Gibson's Potters.

After winning their first two games of the season and losing the next two, the Quakers have come through with three consecutive wins. The Potters won their first game, defeating Youngstown South, then lost five in a row and last week won their second game at Martins Ferry.

Gibson, in his first year as head grid mentor at East Liverpool, has been faced with a graduation-starved team this year at Pottertown.

Last year East Liverpool was the number three team in the state under Wade Watts with a record of nine wins, no losses and one tied contest.

The Blue and White will go with a lighter line than the Barrettmen, with both backfields about the same.

Mark Sandford, Miller Bailey and Art Adkins lead the Potter attack with Adkins doing the Liverpool passing at the quarterback slot.

The last time the Quakers were able to come up with a win over the Potters was in 1948. In 1949 the Blue and White defeated the Barrettmen, 35-14.

The Salem-East Liverpool game was cancelled due to the polio epidemic in 1950. Two years ago the Potter eleven won over Salem 20-7, and last year the Quakers were defeated, 33-6, in a mud-fought battle at East Liverpool.

## Frosh Gridders Drop Two Tilts

The Salem freshman squad was defeated in its first two games of the season by Canfield and Leetonia. Canfield won over Salem, 6-2, and Leetonia squeaked by with 2-0 victory.

Freshman Coach Vince Crawford says that the squad has some very good prospects for the future, but that they need more practice in blocking and tackling.

"Winning isn't the essential thing," stated Crawford. "The main purpose of freshman football is to give the boys much needed experience for reserve and varsity play."

Two of the freshmen who show promise are Butch McArtor, who fills the fullback position, and Skip Yeager, quarterback. Dick Hunter, a right halfback, injured the muscles in his leg and the coach is alternating Nick Costa and George Burrier, a defensive line-backer in his position.

## Quakers Defeat Wellsville Bengals, Youngstown North

The Salem Quakers edged the Youngstown North Bulldogs, 6-0, last week at Reilly Stadium after defeating the Wellsville Bengals, 13-0, the week before.

Salem's big break came on the first play of the second half when John Baker recovered a North fumble on the Bulldogs' own 19-yard line. In five plays Salem drove to the one-yard line where a penalty moved them back to the six and ended the threat.

Early in the second half Captain John Baker again recovered a fumble on the North 15-yard line. Tom Swetye went to the two-yard line and from there Jim Beard took it over. Mordew's extra point attempt was off to the left, leaving the score, 6-0, in favor of Salem.

Late in the fourth quarter North drove to the Salem 32-yard line. Their drive then stalled for three plays but on the fourth down Charles Moore passed to Jack Arnett to the 17-yard line. With one minute left Moore again attempted to pass to Arnett, but he was outside the end zone when he caught the ball, nullifying the potential touchdown.



## LEISCHER'S FLASHES

by Lowell

● **WHEW!**—was the comment made by many Quaker fans after last week's exciting contest with Youngstown North, even though, because of bad weather, it wasn't a very large crowd that watched the last home game of the '53 season.

● It's always good to hear Ray Reasbeck announce the "DAD'S NIGHT" game every year. "Reasy" calls most of the plays and penalties before the officials get a chance to toss down their flags. Ray should know though, for he is still an active football official and several years ago was president of the district officials.

● Senior Tommy Swetye is not only a defensive standout but can also carry the pigskin, as we found out last week. Junior back Jim Beard was also a Salem offensive stalwart.

● Congratulations to F. G. Baker, father of football captain John Baker. This was the seventh straight year that Baker sat in line with the Dads at the stadium. Before John there were Fred and Bob.

● This may be the last year the Lisbon Blue Devils will appear on the Salem football schedule. For several years the Lisbon tilt has been the last game of the season for the Quakers and Salem athletic officials want to move the date of the game up, but so far all three dates suggested by faculty manager Fred Cope conflict with other Lisbon opponents.

● Our apologies to Margie Hannay for forgetting her name while we were naming the band seniors at the halftime festivities last week . . . Nat Walken, manager of the State Theatre, invited all of the football squad to another movie last week. . . We were glad that for the last home game the squad made it through the two lines of SHS band members. . . The East Liverpool and Lisbon games are always the season's biggest for the Quakers, traditionally speaking. . . We hope that Liverpool isn't like it was two years ago—with mud a foot deep.

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