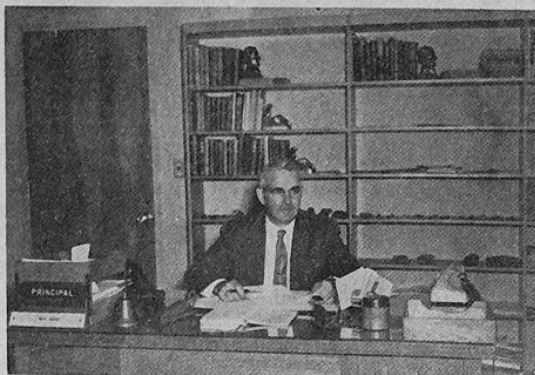


FACULTY NEWS



Principal Barnes

This year Mr. Barnes starts his 14th year as principal of Eau Claire High School. Unique among administrators our principal has spent his entire teaching career in Eau Claire.

Mr. Barnes graduated from Eau Claire in June 1926 and attended Wisconsin State Teacher's College here where he received a Bachelor Degree.

His first teaching position was at Eau Claire Junior High where he taught mathematics, general language, and English. In 1937 Mr. Barnes became principal of Mt. Washington Grade School. There he also taught fifth and sixth grade. Continuing his education he received a Bachelor of Philosophy Degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1938.

Mr. Barnes was appointed principal

of Eau Claire Senior High in 1941 and has served in that capacity since that time except for the period 1943-1945 when he was in army service.

Though a most capable administrator Mr. Barnes is still a willing student. This past summer he attended conferences at the University of Minnesota and the University of Wisconsin.

When asked about the new school Mr. Barnes remarked that the two things hardest to get used to are the short noon hours and the long distances between classes.

Mr. Barnes stated that a major project this year is readying everything for the Central Evaluating Committee that is coming to evaluate our school.

Stanwick and Barbara Johnson, record column; Marcia and Mary Olson, roving reporter column.

Reporters for the NEWS are Carolyn Johnson, Linda Sprague, Mary Johnson, Patricia Robillard and Rosemary Schulze.

Advisors Announce Journalism Staffs

Mr. O'Brien, Kodak Advisor, has announced that Anita Olson will be Editor-in-Chief of this year's Kodak. Saron Vorce will act as Managing Editor.

Other appointments include: Betty Patrow and Clarice Amble, Business Managers; Fred Belden, Sports Editor; Sharrise Shaw will make up the Index; Barbara Harmon, Photography Editor; Barbara Deline, Barbara Kildahl, Virginia Lippin, and Katy Paulson, Pictures and Typing; Lynn Nelson and Kay Furrer, Copy and Proof Reading Editors; Eileen Minto, Proof Reading Editors; Eileen Minto, and Jean McCloskey, Underclass Section.

The first deadline is December 15 and the last one is set for March 1. Spring activities will be compiled into a supplement.

Kodak subscriptions will be sold in the hall for the fee of \$3.00 or one dollar down and the balance in January. Students who purchase a Booster will automatically receive one.

The NEWS staff for 1958-59 school year will be headed by editor Wayne Sarguy it was announced by NEWS Advisor Mr. Frisbie. Len Friede is the assistant editor.

Other staff members include: Tom Garnett and Craig Carlson, sports editors; Joy Borum, first page editor; Joyce Jensen and Georgiann Schaaf, second page editors.

Trudy Moehle and Barbara Burr are fourth page editors and also act as advertising agents. Marcia Olson is the exchange editor.

Columnists for this year's NEWS will be: Sharon Leskinen and Nancy Julson, fashion column; Joyce Jensen, club news and news briefs; Tom Garnett and Craig Carlson, sports column; Bev Van Gorder and Bonnie Whitney, gossip column; Barbara

Enrollment Increases

Assembly Features Wizard Wallace

Next Tuesday, September 30, at 8:30 A.M. the students of Memorial High will get to test their wits against those of William Wallace as he presents his "Marvels of Memory" in our first assembly of the school year.

Gifted with an amazing natural memory, he has been declared the top memory wizard of this country and has astounded viewers with his program of mental feats. Just one of the many feats he will accomplish will be the addition test. It will include thirty to forty numbers taken at random and written on a blackboard in groups of five to form a column of numbers ranging from six to eight lines deep; then he mentally totals the entire amount. Easy? Try it sometime!

Since 1946, William Wallace has offered "Marvels of Memory" to thousands of clubs, schools, and colleges. He also has been featured by John Hix's, "Strange As It Seems", Ripley's, "Believe It Or Not?", and Dave Elman's, "Hobby Lobby" CBS radio show.

"PREVIEW"

- Sept. 26 Menomonee Michigan*
- Oct. 3 La Crosse Central*
- Oct. 9 Teacher's Convention
- Oct. 10 Teacher's Convention
- Oct. 13 8:30-Assembly
- Oct. 31 Sioux Falls*

* At Home

Record Sets All-Time High; New School Planned Soon

By JOY BORUM

Memorial High School was built to hold 1500 students. This year's sophomore class shot our enrollment from the 1576 mark set last year to an all-time high of 1664.

With a junior class of 288 boys and 270 girls, a senior class of 237 and 227 boys and girls, respectively, and a sophomore class of 358 boys and 284 girls it is obvious that Memorial High has an overabundance of students.

At the opening of the 1958-59 school year the enrolling sophomore class numbered 642 compared to 572 last year.

The following facts from the Board of Education Office continue the story of our increasing enrollment: (figures to nearest 50). The next school year's sophomore class, estimated to be 600, is slightly smaller than this year's figure, but from 1960-62 the new tenth-graders will number approximately 650. These years are the "lull before the storm," for in the school year of 1962-63 Eau Claire High School's enrollment will take a gigantic jump to 1850 students. A long range estimate puts our enrollment ten years from now at 2250.

The following material is condensed from a report by Mr. Homer DeLong, Superintendent of Schools, to the members of the Board of Education and City Council.

This enrollment is steadily increasing and two alternatives have been proposed. The first plan proposes the building of a combined junior-senior high school in the Sam G. Davey Grade School area. The school would cost an estimated \$3,000,000 and hold approximately 1200-600 junior high age students and 600 senior high students. All the rural students would continue attending Memorial High.

An opinion from our Assistant Principal, Mr. Thorngate, is that the new school should be started at once to relieve the increasing pressure on Memorial High and before the situation becomes much worse than it is.

The second alternative is unavoidable if the new building is not built. That is: Eau Claire Memorial High School and Eau Claire Junior High will start the "shift system" no later than the fall of 1960.

News In Brief

Applications are now available for the Navy's thirteenth annual competitive examination for its nationwide Regular NROTC college training program, according to a recent announcement by the Navy Department. The mental examination is scheduled for December 13, 1958, and is open to all high school seniors and graduates who can qualify.

Applications for this program are available from Mr. Kunz, class advisor.

The Chamber of Commerce held their annual modeling contest, two girls are picked from every school. Seniors, Joni Brown and Judy Mautz were entered from Memorial High. They appeared on television Sept. 22.

Mr. Helleloid has returned to the faculty at Memorial High after a prolonged illness.

CONGRATULATIONS: Two new members of the faculty have recently received additions to their families.

On Aug. 30, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fried, she weighed 8¼ lbs., and was 19 inches long. She was named Alice Marie and is their 1st child.

On Sept. 4, a daughter was born to Mr. & Mrs. Frederick, she weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz. and was 19 inches long. She was named Gretchen Lynn and is their 2nd child.

The Home Ec. Department has announced the Betty Crocker Search for The Homemaker of Tomorrow Contest. All high schools in the 48 states and Washington D.C. are eligible. Girls entering the contest must be seniors. The test will be given on December 2, 1958.

Senior Class Rings will arrive this week.

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- EYE CATCHERS 2 (The latest fashions)
- SPORT SHORTS 3 (Garnett covers the scene)
- STUDENT SPOTLIGHT 4 (Two active seniors featured)

Typing, Tumbling Classes Offered

This year a new class has been added to the curriculum, along with a class which has been offered in previous years but dropped.

The new class is personal typing. This class is for those students who want to learn typing for their own personal use. It is made up primarily of future college students, whom it will help tremendously in the line of manuscripts and term-papers. It is a half credit course and is under the direction of Miss Hanatsch. The class meets on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for the first semester, with gym held on off typing days.

Tumbling is also offered as a class again. It is held sixth period every day of the week. The classes are made up of sophomores, juniors and seniors. A test has been taken to determine whether the students are in advanced or beginning tumbling. Swimming is also a part of this class and is held on certain days throughout the entire year. The course is under the direction of Norman Bussell.

FAVORITE SONGS

In a recent survey Memorial High students have chosen these songs as their favorites:

1. It's All in the Game
2. Bird Dog
3. Just a Dream
4. Volare
5. Devoted to You
6. Rockin' Robin
7. Susie Darlin
8. Tears On My Pillow
9. Summertime Blues
10. La De da



Hannelore and Karin Berg

Hannelore and Karin Berg, Find Memorial Interesting

"School must be entertaining for kids here," remarked Hannelore and Karin Berg, who are making their home with Miss Ivy Olson, 317½ N. 9th St.

The school subjects taken at MHS may be compared to Germany's middle school, although they find it quite difficult here because of the American language and reading.

The sisters, who were born in Lodz, Poland, left Germany on June 29 and arrived in Eau Claire on July 3.

They are both juniors this year and are taking speech, typing, English, United States History, music and physical education. They acquired most of their education in Uslar, Germany.

The girls' father was a teacher in a German school in Lodz, but was drafted into the Nazi Army after the German invasion. In 1944, their mother, grandmother, Karin, Hannelore and two other sisters fled to Ger-

many. The grandmother and one sister died in the flight. At about the same time the father was captured by the Russians. In 1950, they received word their father had died. In 1954 their mother died. Hannelore and Karin lived with a German Lutheran Pastor until their arrival here.

Both girls enjoy music and singing. Hannelore plays the guitar and Karin just started playing the piano. They prefer classical music rather than the rock 'n' roll.

"The boys have better manners in Germany," said both girls after attending the MHS dance.

"The boys always ask the girls for a dance," added Karin; "It is a disgrace for two girls to dance together."

The Tea Dance, which is the only regular dance, is held every Sunday afternoon.

Although they have been here only a short time, they find it very different but interesting and enjoy going to MHS.

...Editorial...

Are you by any chance an iconoclast, or perhaps a marplot? Is it your life's ambition to become one?

Those two questions, applied to you, the student body, are one of the main concerns of the custodians, Mr. Barnes and the taxpayers of Eau Claire.

What do they mean? Well, both iconoclast and marplot mean an evildoer, a destroyer.

Why do those questions worry every one? Look around you as you sit in class, walk down the halls, and go to assemblies and other activities here at school. You'll see why.

This is the second year that this building is being used. It's still new, still beautiful and still in very good condition.

The age of the building can never be helped, but you are the determining factor in whether or not the building will stay in its present condition.

Last year most students cooperated very well. Little damage was done; the worst being the flicking of lights off and on, and the unhooking of the lights from the sockets. Very few desks were marred.

Let's keep it that way this year. With a very little effort we can keep this building looking like new for many years. Of course most of us won't be in it then, but we will be paying for it in taxes.

It's up to you. Memorial High will stay like it is only with your help.



Len Friede

Active Senior Boy Is First Uthrotar

Every month a senior boy is chosen by recommendation from his teachers and Mr. Thorngate to be Uthrotar of the Month. He will attend the Rotary meetings throughout the month, and at the last meeting, he will give a report on what he has learned from his visits. He will also introduce next months Uthrotar at that time.

Chosen the first Uthrotar of the year was Len Friede. "Len" has been very active throughout high school, with probably the most outstanding achievement of his, being our A. F. S. student to Germany this summer.

Len has many other responsibilities; among these are, Senior Class President, of which he is automatically Prom Vice King. He is also the Assistant Editor of the NEWS, and was on the varsity debate team which was the State Champ in 1957-1958.

Some of his sport interests are tennis, swimming, and golf. Len is also active in the youth group at Epiphany Lutheran Church and serves as Vice President of the District Council.

After graduation from High School he plans on attending the University of Southern California or Iowa State.

Len's goal is that in 1960 he may go back to Germany for a visit.

"What's the matter Elmer, you look terrible."
"My wife is on a diet."

Then there was the college football player so dumb when he won a letter someone had to read it to him.

Club Promotion Week

Do you want to join a club, but are perplexed as to what is being offered? Worry no more, for here is a complete list of clubs for this school term. Why not pick one of several to be added to your extra curricular activities.

1. Ushers Club ---- Miss Tjoflat
2. Girl Reserves -- Miss Otterson
3. Lyceum ---- Mr. Berg
4. Mike & Platter -- Mr. Krammes
5. Footlighters ---- Mr. Webber
6. French Club ---- Mrs. Chatterson
7. Ski Club ---- Mr. Nelson
8. Home Ec. ---- Mrs. Peterson
9. Girl Athletics ---- Mrs. Pratt and Miss Uldrich
10. Future Farmers of America ---- Mr. Cordes
11. Block Club -- Sr. Cheerleaders
12. Latn Club ---- Miss Berg
13. Stump Club ---- Mr. Lystrup
14. Conservation ---- Mr. Novak
15. Rifle Club ---- Mr. Haig

Let's all try and make this club promotion week a success. Our slogan "Be A Joiner"!!



Here it is school days again, and time to be brought up to date on the top fashions for this season.

Mary Catlin made a grand entrance in her perky white chemise. A sleeveless sheath effect with a loose draped back, which turned out to be a real eyecatcher. Real cute Mary!

Say gals, what do you think of those Perry Como sweaters the guys are wearing. Pretty sharp, huh!

Connie Fuels was no doubt whistling a gay tune of school days as she appeared on the scene in her coral shirtwaist dress, which stimulated attention to her coal black hair.

You don't have to go to the zoo to see likenesses of the monkeys and elephants. Eau Claire Memorial High has its own special ones built in the form of straw monkey and elephant purses, recently seen toted by Lynn Everson, Sherrie Shaw, and Bonnie Clark. Real novel, don't you think?

"Simplicity is the keynote of good grooming." This was neatly emphasized by Carolyn Patrow, as she was noticed in her bright royal blue sheath, characterized by a round collar and short sleeves. A mighty cute trick if you can do it, girls!

A gay swish of can cans turned our eyes to see Jane Atkinson in a buffant white skirt topped off with a gaily printed white blouse with splashes of orange roses. Her outfit was accentuated by the matching trim around the bottom of her skirt. A real eyecatcher on any continent!

SWEATER SPECIALS OF THE WEEK :

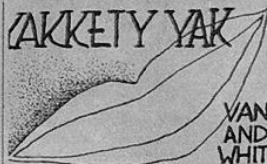
Roger Thorson proved to be a good representative of the boys of MHS in his gay appearing red sweater neatly trimmed with silver thread. It's the most, Rog!

Crewnecks are coming with the same dynamic popularity as when they were last seen in '58. To start off the season Punky Schwartz was seen in a blue, gray, and black striped crewneck. This style will no doubt be predominant this term. Also seen around the halls in crewnecks were Gary Thompson, Louie Arnold, Jim Hanson, Jim Allen, and Steve Williams, and they all looked real sharp.

Well, kids this is Shay and Nanc tuning out for this time.

She: "Did you get hurt while you were on the football team."
He: "No, it was while the football team was on me."

"Youth must be served."
"Yeah, then carried out."



Hi kids! Well, we guess we'll start out by formally introducing ourselves. I'm Van and she's Whit. No, I'm Whit and she's Van. Well anyway, we're Van and Whit, bringing you up to date on the latest gossip around MHS.

It sure was funny watching the sophomores trying to find their way around our big school. Speaking of sophomores, they aren't the only ones who made mistakes the first week of school, as Gary Thompson soon found out. (His face turned as red as his hair!)

After getting a look at the sophomore girls, we see the competition they're giving the senior girls.

What about that sophomore boy who gives Mr. Pratt a hard time in fourth period?

What was Mark Atkinson's car doing parked by Dorothy's house at 6:30 Sat. morning. Weren't they at the Soph-Senior dance Friday night?

Has anyone seen Sherrie Shaw lately? It seems she's grown a bit. She's a mile tall, and weighs three tons! Chemistry sure is hard on a person!

Janice Sewall looks beyond MHS for her love life. Can't say we blame her!

Say, Della, have you heard from that college guy yet?

QUESTION OF THE MONTH:

What color will Connie Tauger's hair be next?

John Schaff decides to leave his juvenile girl friends at Jr. High. He's finally found one his own age!

LOST: ONE PED ON SECOND FLOOR BY JANET QUICK!

Mary Ramsey goes on a two month vacation and comes back with an accent!

Earl White had quite a hard time with Karen this summer by the looks of it. How about it Earl?

Blakeley and Sorenson have found an inseparable friendship in each other since summer. Now they won't speak to Barb or Bev for some odd reason. Guess they don't like to share their "friendship".

A little bird told us that Erma White found a beau in Chetek this summer.

Rush, rush, rush, that's what Buckshot was doing the morning that she dropped her can-can slips and blouse in a mad dash for her school bus, coming late for marching practice.

It seems a certain history teacher bought a new pair of shoes when school started, and decided to try them out by sliding across the floor. He's now breaking them in by pacing the floor in front of his classes.

We've been noticing that the girls aren't the only ones that borrow clothes from their friends. So do the boys! Right Hagen?

The victory over Marinette proved to be quite a "smacker", especially for Jim Van Gorden and Mary Catlin. How about it, you two?

The Pachio sisters don't get along together, but man, do they get around.

That should teach Diann Thorson to keep her fingers out of the doors! Who's the boy Judy Klawiter keeps looking at in chemistry class?

Glen Neubauer just didn't like going steady, did he, Barb?

SUMMER BREAK-UPS:

- Karen Zutter ---- Fred Turk
- Barb Yarrington ---- Glen Neubauer
- Sue Drury ---- Pat O'Mara
- Sharon Leskinen ---- Jack Hoard
- Marcie Olson ---- Stan Pitt
- Betsy Draper ---- Bob Steidman
- Patsy Ingelbretson ---- Gene Davis

Seems like Suzie Linton was in quite a hurry to get to school one morning. You'd better be careful with that hot bomb of yours.

This is Van and Whit saying so long for now and we'll see you next issue.



Row two: Mr. Frisbie, Mr. Fried, Mr. Friederich. Row one: Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Pratt, Mr. Pratt.

Six New Teachers Added to Faculty

Pleasant smiles and pleasing personalities, best describe Memorial High School's new teachers. To help the students get to know their teachers better, the NEWS has written a bit about each of them.

If you happen to be passing the Home Economics rooms, don't be too surprised if you see the boys ironing their shirts or manicuring their nails; these are only the boys home-making classes, which are being taught by two of MHS's new teachers.

The first is Mrs. Peterson, who teaches both boys and girls home-making. Before coming to Eau Claire, she taught at several South Dakota high schools, and also for several years at Altoona.

She received her education at the University of South Dakota, where she majored in Vocational Home-making.

When asked how she liked it here at Memorial, she replied, "I like it very much. The students have a very fine attitude, and it's a wonderful school."

The other newcomer to the Home-making Department is Mrs. Russell who is a part-time teacher. Before coming to MHS, she taught at the Vocational School, at Superior, and in Southern Minn. She attended St. John's Military Academy in Delafield. His comments on Memorial are, "I enjoy the beautiful building and the equipment provided."

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When asked how he liked teaching at MHS, his reply was, "It's rather new, but I like it a lot."

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degree in Music. Here at Memorial, he teaches Choir, Orchestra, and Girls Glee Club. His comment on how he liked it at MHS was "I like the students."

Mrs. Pratt, the new Physical Education teacher this year, is not an entirely new face at Eau Claire. She taught at the old high school four years ago.

During her absence from Eau Claire, she taught the Eighth Grade. Her comments on how she likes MHS are, "I like it very much especially the physical education facilities, and I'm glad to be back."

Memorial High School has two new history teachers this year. The first is Mr. Frisbie, who is in his first year of teaching. Mr. Frisbie is a graduate of Wisconsin State College of Superior, where he majored in history.

Here at MHS, Mr. Frisbie teaches history and is advisor to the NEWS classes.

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Old Abes Meet Menominee Tonight

SPORTS SHORTS

BIG RIVERS BEGINS PLAY:

With three teams almost even from the '57 season, a fourth which could be the surprise team and a perennially strong squad weakened extensively by graduation, the Big Rivers Conference opened the season. Wausau with 9 lettermen, and last year's title under their belt opened their season in fine style, rolling over Menominee's Maroons at Menominee 33-0. With 14 lettermen returning from last year's club, which finished third, Menominee was considered a strong contender for the crown, but were completely baffled by the Wausau's single-wing.

Eau Claire with 15 lettermen returning opened its season with a 20-19 victory over jinx rival Marinette, to tie Wausau for the conference lead.

La Crosse, although never a power in football, could be the surprise team. The Red Raiders have 13 returning lettermen. La Crosse also has an oddity in 5'4" quarterback Ardi Ross who despite his lack of size, handles the job sufficiently.

BIG RIVERS CONFERENCE STRONG:

Since its organization three years ago the Big Rivers Conference has proven to be as tough a conference as any in the state. The five members of the conference include such perennial athletic powers as La Crosse, Wausau, Marinette, Menominee, Michigan, and Eau Claire.

Proof of the conference's strength can be found in the record books. Big Rivers has had a representative in every major tournament held in the state in the past two years.

For two consecutive seasons Wausau and Eau Claire have journeyed to the state basketball and baseball tournaments, and Eau Claire has topped top baseball honors both times.

La Crosse and Wausau annually turn out fine track teams while Marinette's football squad is annually one of the toughest in the state.

Comparing the powerful Milwaukee suburban area, and the Big "Eight" Conference of the Madison area, the Big River Conference in a much shorter time has established itself as one of the top conferences in the state.

PROMISING "BEE" SQUAD

With three good showings against varsities from neighboring cities, an opening game victory over Blair, a split-T offense that has shown good speed and crisp blocking, the Memorial High "BEE" Squad is off to a fast start.

Coach Gordie Poquette's young Abes have scrimmaged Stanley, Osseo, and Cornell, and have shown well in all three contests. In their first game the Abes rolled over a defensively weak Blair team 33-14. A week later the Abes, hosting a perennially strong Greenwood team found the going a little rougher, and after being held scoreless the entire first half, the Abes came back to score three times in the second and win going away.

With only three days of practice after their victory over the Indians, the Abes played host to the Wausau Bee squad, the Lumberjacks scored a hand-fought 18-8 victory.

Outstanding thus far for the young Abes have been George Bowman, a Sophomore halfback, Pat o'Mara, Jr. fullback, Bill Lind, Jr. quarterback, and Mike Cambell, Pat Dennis, Bruce Emberson and Bill Schreiber in the line.

TIETGE AT ACADEMY—

Mike Tietge, last year's All-State, Wigwam All-American and end from Memorial High is now continuing his education on the payroll of Uncle Sam at the newly established United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Considered by coach John Gallagher the best end he has ever had, Tietge is now one of two freshmen working out with the Varsity. The 6' 2", 205 lb. Tietge while in high school was virtually unstoppable. As an Ape Tietge ranked 1st. in the conference in pass receiving, along with blocking a total of 8 punts, winning the tackling trophy, and constantly a staunch performer in an injury riddled Abe line. Here's hoping Mike will continue in college where he left off in High School.

A gal and an automobile are much alike. A good paint job conceals the years, but the lines tell the story.



Top Row—left to right: Betty Patrow, Carolyn Gabrielson, Janet Targart, Emmy Horstlick, Mary Catlin, Donna Walker, Bottom row—left to right: Carol Bliss, Leah, La Page, Gloria Staberg, Betsy Draper, Joni Brown, Barb Anderson.

Introducing Our Cheerleaders

Try to imagine what our games would be like without our cheerleaders on the field aiding us in supporting our team!

As usual the cheerleaders will put in another full year of work. Besides helping Sophomore and Junior girls learn proper cheering techniques, they must also concentrate on keeping their individual forms perfect.

Cheerleading at Memorial High is a highly competitive honor. Junior girls compete against one another for the honor of representing our teams

as junior cheerleaders. The junior cheerleaders will be chosen in the later part of October, or the first part of November.

The senior cheerleaders will be sporting new uniforms for this year. The officers have been elected, and they are: president-Gloria Staberg; vice president- Emmy Horstlick; secretary- Carole Bliss; and treasurer- Betty Patrow. Other cheerleaders are: Janet Targart, Joni Brown, Betsey Draper, Donna Walker, Barb Anderson, Leah LaPage, Mary Catlin, and Carolyn Gabrielson.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA HIGHLIGHTS

By Wayne

Once again the FFA, under the guidance of Mr. Cordes, is getting in swing for its full year of meetings, programs and events.

In this column you'll find the who, why, where, when and what of each and every happening, plus some items on ag. and JDA.

This year the FFA has as its officers: Jack Powell, President; John Soley, Vice President; Leon Schretenthaler, Secretary; Lyle Bien, Treasurer; Richard Jarosch, Reporter; and David Day, Sentinel.

FFA meetings will be held on the first and third Thursday of every month. The JDA, with Lyle Bien as President, will meet the second and fourth Thursday of every month.

One of the first events of the year will be a livestock judging contest. This will be held at the Eau Claire County Fairgrounds, located southeast of the city. The date is September

29-30 and October 1.

Showing for Eau Claire will be James Warden, George Orth, Jefferey Smisky, Robert Riekemann, Doug Bushendorf, Bill Jackson, Jefferey Smith, Jack Powell, and Lloyd Sorenson. They will show a total of 15 hogs and six beef animals.

This contest ties in with the Sophomore ag student's studies, which include the various aspects of livestock judging.

The Juniors are finishing up on projects constructed in the ag workshop. Some of the projects include hay racks, picnic tables, feed bunks and grain elevators.

The Seniors are studying vocations in ag, and are selecting the field that they'll go in.

On September 22 the annual Officer's Training School was held at Black River Falls. All FFA officers attended.

Hangover: What you go through after you've gone through too much.

What most of us need is more horsepower and less exhaust.

Old Abes To Risk Conference Lead

The Old Abes will risk their half of the Big Rivers Conference lead tonight when they play host to the Menominee, Michigan Maroons at Carson Park. Kickoff time is 8 p.m.

The Abes are currently tied with last year's champion Wausau, with a 1-0 conference record, and an overall season mark of 2-0.

The Abes opened their season with a 20-19 victory over jinx rival Marinette, and last week made this season's home debut a success with a 19-0 win over Stevens Point.

Menominee enters tonight's game with a 2-1 season record, and features several members of last year's squad which dealt the Abes a 7-0 loss.

The Maroons suffered a 33-0 loss to Wausau in their season opener, but bounced back to down Escanaba 16-7, and last week evened their conference mark at 1-1 with a 16-6 victory over Lacrosse.

Missing from the Maroons' lineup are Don Hofer and Bark Cooney, star backs who led Menominee to their upset victory over the Abes last season.

Leading this year's Maroon squad are quarterback Tom Payne and halfback Al Axtel.

Coach Gallagher's Abes, off to their best start since 1940, worked hard to overcome team weaknesses in drills this week and should be ready for tonight's contest.

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REPORT CARD					
Subjects	Grade	C	B	B	A
English					
History		C	C	B	B+
French		C	C	B	B
Algebra		B	B	B+	A
Science		B	B	B+	B+
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New Rec Center To Open Soon

Eau Claire is to have a recreation center to open tentatively in early October. Managers Jim Ganther and Jim Nowak of this yet-to-be named center, will require every person wishing to use its facilities to purchase a membership card for a moderate price.

Included as part of the \$10,000 game equipment will be three or four shuffleboard courts, ping-pong tables, bumper pool, bowling and floor tennis. One of the best features of the new center, is its 160-selection jukebox which may be played constantly.

One of everyone's main interests in such a place is food, and this is well taken care of at the "Rec. Center." The food dispensed by the popcorn machine and seven-choice hot sandwich machine will be supplemented by hot chocolate, coffee or pop from one of the pop stands.

A few special features of the center that should be very popular are dances every Friday and Saturday nights, featuring an orchestra on Friday and the new jukebox on Saturday. It's also possible that there may be roller-skating two nights a week on the Terrazzo Tile floor.

The center wants a name and so a contest is being run for that purpose. All Eau Claire and surrounding area people are eligible to enter, and the prize awarded the winner will probably be six months use of the center's games free of charge. A hint to you contestants: don't submit names similar to "Teen Arena," etc, because the center is not a center solely for teenagers; but is a center for all ages.

One night a week the center will be restricted for college-age students and one night for all adults. Any special groups, church groups, private parties, etc. may use the center if they contact the managers in advance.

The supervisors of the center would like to form a Teen-Council composed of students from Memorial, Junior High and Regis. This council would help with the center's problems and make suggestions to the center's leaders.

The center will be open and accessible to all teens from 2:00-11:00, seven days a week, and from 2:00-12:00 on the days of dance-nights.

Student Spotlight



Carolyn Gabrielson

Pep, service, and enthusiasm are words which well describe Carolyn Gabrielson, a senior at MHS.

"Gabe" as she is called by her friends has served on the Student Council for two years and is Junior Class Business Manager. This year Carolyn will serve the Senior Class as secretary.

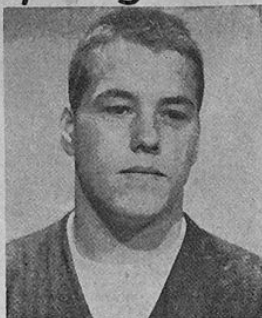
Varsity Cheerleading also occupies a lot of Carolyn's time.

"Never too Busy," says Carolyn, as she is now serving as Honored Queen of Job's Daughters and the De'molay Sweetheart of 1953.

"Gabe" also represented our school this past summer at the Wisconsin Badger Girls State.

Besides all her extra activities Carolyn has maintained a high B average and states, "all subjects are my favorites!"

After graduation Carolyn plans to attend the University of Iowa Nurses School.



Curt Hutchens

Football, wrestling, and skin diving are among the few activities of busy senior Curt Hutchens.

Curt has played four years of football for M.H.S. and has also wrestled for four years.

Among his many activities at M.H.S. are Lyceum Club and Latin Club.

Outside interests include: skin diving, as a member of the Eau Claire Club; a deep interest in Hot Rods, hunting, fishing and water-skiing.

After graduation, Curt plans to attend the University of Wisconsin, and probably study medicine.

"Grandpa, why don't you get a hearing aid?"

"Don't need it, son. I hear more now than I can understand."

"Did you pass your exam?"

"Well, it was like this-you see."

"Shake! Neither did I."

If all the cars in the world were laid end-to-end, it would be a Sunday afternoon.

OLD ABES, Cont. from Pg. 3, Col. 5		
Old Abes	Maroons	
Curtiss	LE	Chaltry
Soley	LT	Sharkus
Garnett	LG	Smiltink
Hansson	C	Kubik
Turk	RG	Nerat
Dennis	RT	Pisard
Rebeck	RE	Pesmark
Van Gorden	QB	Payne
Sch'yer	LHB	Astrankas
Kent	RHE	Boettcher
Zurbachen	FB	Axtel
Coaches: John		Coach: John
Gallagher,		Knispel
Cy Berg		

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Home Games
 September 26.....Menominee, Mich.
 October 3.....La Crosse Central
 October 31.....Sioux Falls, S. D.

Games Away
 October 10.....Wisconsin Rapids
 October 17.....Chippewa Falls
 October 24.....Wausau

Intramural Slate Heavy This Year

INTRAMURAL SPORTS 1958-59

MHS has a very exciting program for Intramural Sports this year. The September program includes: football, tennis, and bowling, which are directed by Mr. Adams and Mr. Novak.

Bowling, badminton, basketball, and swimming will be organized in November. Basketball includes three leagues: sophomore, junior, and senior.

Fly-tying Club will have its first meeting in December. Hockey leagues will also begin then.

Mr. Nelson's skiing club and Mr. Adams' checkers and chess plan to run in January through February.

Volleyball and table tennis, directed by Mr. Friederich, as well as bait and fly casting, supervised by Mr. Novak shall proceed along with softball in March.

Track, field, golf, and baseball will commence in May.

All in all, this year's program ought to be quite a success.

What a magician! He took a handkerchief, waved it over an elephant and it disappeared.

The trouble was, he wouldn't let us examine the handkerchief.

Cross-Country Team Features 8 Lettermen

A record number of 35 trackmen reported for cross-country practice on September 8.

When asked what he thought of the team, Mr. Bussell, cross country coach, said, "We have a better balanced team this year with eight returning lettermen." They are: Dennis Ross, Don Anderson, Bob Nelson, Gary Thompson, Frank Mooney, John Mattson, Mike Mc Curdy, and John Paulson.

These men are expected to fill the vacancies left by graduates, Bruce McDonald, Neil Ricky, Gene Park, and Hud Gellen, who were big guns for the team last year.

Eau Claire's schedule for the 1958 season includes the following meets:

Wausau. September 30 Here
 Wausau. October 4, There
 Wausau. October 24, There

The state meet will be held on or about November 1. The local meet this year will be held at Eau Claire Country Club.

He: "It says here that man is most cheerful when has no money."

She: "What you are when you are broke is of no interest to me."

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