


## INTRODUCTION AND DEDICATION

This year's theme and dedication are quite closely related since both involve teachers and education.

In past years we have dedicated annuals to well loved students who met untimely and unfortunate deaths, and to such worth while ideas and ideals as the search for peace or the extension of man's physical and mental universe. Last year we dedicated the annual to a number of people, not faculty members, who have served the school well.

This year we hope our annual presents a fair picture of the studies and activities which we believe make for well rounded individuals. Our theme, then, is an education theme presenting the year and the day of the student. It is dedicated by the staff to our teachers who have made this school year and school day a rich and satisfying experience.

In making this dedication to our teachers, we would like to mention three individuals who have served the school and students well--two are former teachers and one is a former janitor. Miss Olive Smith and Mrs. Kathryn Wardman taught for many years in this school. They lavished the kind of love and the kind of teaching upon the young people of Deadwood which has made for at least three generations of fine citizens. The janitor mentioned is John Chovaniec. John Chovaniec loved his work. He often said, "Work is my life." His years of service helped Deadwood to have an unusually neat school and all of us know that students do better work in clean surroundings.

The students' year and day are just ahead. Please join us on this trip through them.

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ADMINISTRATION


MR. and MRS. H. S. BERGER and PETS "BOBBY" and "FRECKLES"
Lucille Berger, the grade school art teacher, has been with us since 1944. She received her B.S. degree at Black Hills Teachers College, Spearfish. H. S. Berger, Superintendent of Deadwood High School since 1928, received his B.S. degre at Northeast Missouri State Teachers College and his M.A. degree at the University of Missouri

MR. and MRS. R. H. KRUG Elsie Krug came to Deadwood High School in 1936 as the Girl's Physical Education Instructor. At tending the University of South Dakota, Mrs. Krug received her B.A. degree. R. H. Krug, principal, came to Deadwood High School in 1925. Mr. Krug received his B.A. degree at North Central Col lege, Naperville, Illinois, and his M.A. degree a the University of Wisconsin

MISS LOLA KERSTEN and MR. KERSTEN
Lola is the Secretary of Deadwood High School and has given fine service since 1935.

MR. and MRS. FRANKLIN E. BRAINARD and FAMILY
Franklin Brainard came here in 1946 and at the present time is teaching English, social science, and journalism. Mr. Brainard also has the big job very nice annuals. He received his B A degree at Jamestown College, North Dakota and his M.A. degree at the University of North Dakota


MR. and MRS. GLENN BURGESS and FAMIL Glenn Burgess started teaching in Deadwood High School in 1952. He is the head coach in basketball and assistant coach in football. Mr. Burgess also teaches physical education. He received his B.S. degree at Black Hills Teachers College

MR. and MRS. LAVERN CLARK
Lavern Clark came to Deadwood High School in 1949: He received his B.E. degree at Black Hills Teachers College. Mr. Clark is Deadwood's instru mental music teacher

MR. and MRS. GEORGE CONKLIN and FAMIL George Conklin began teaching at Deadwood Hig School in 1948. Mr. Conklin teaches science and received his B.A. degree at Mount Union College Alliance, Ohio.

MISS MARY CRAIG and MRS. CRAIC The music and dramatics department has been under the splendid supervision of Mary Craig since 1929. Miss Craig received her B.A. degree at Black Hills Teachers College and her M.A. degree at the University of Wyoming

MR. and MRS. STEWART FERGUSON and son FRED with cat "BOMBER" Edna Ferguson came to teach here in 1944. Mrs Ferguson is the English teacher and also has charge of the library. She received her B.A. degree at Arkansas A. \& M. Stewart Ferguson, our head football coach and assistant basketball coach came to Deadwood High School in 1944. Mr. Ferguson received his B.A. degree at Dakota Wesleyan and his M.A. degree at Louisiana State. He also teaches social sciences.

MR. and MRS. ELDON GRAN and daughter ROBERTA
Eldoy $G$ ran became the high school commercial teacher in 1953. Mr. Gran has been teaching at Deadwood since 1950. He received his B.S. degree at Black Hills Teachers College.

MR. and MRS. ORA HORSFALI
Ora Horsfall has given us his services as manual arts teacher since 1929. Mr. Horsfall attended Plattsville State College, Plattsville, Wisconsin where he received his B.E. degree.

MR. and MRS. HOWELL and FAMILY Margot S. Howell, Latin teacher, started her teaching at Deadwood High School in 1953. She received her B.A. degree at Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota.


Someone once said that variety is the spice of life. Any annual editor is willing to agree to this but will be quick to add that variety in yearbooks requires a lot of thought

In previous years we have pictured our teachers in school surroundings. This year for the sake of variety we took pictures of our faculty members in their homes with their families. We hope you like them



The cream of the crop,
But, the cream supreme:
Our class history goes back to the year 1950 A Alarge group of "green" freshmen was ushered into DHS 56 to be exact. Our newly elected class officers were: Kay Roberts, president; Dick Dunwiddie, vice-
president; and Carole Rypkema, secretary-treasurer. Student Council Representatives were David Klein and Carole Rypkema. Canolit eypkema was chosen as the frosh queen to reign over her "Bronc Stew,"
the theme of the float. Bonnie Roebuck won the English award. the theme of the float. Bonnie Robbuck won the English award.
When we were sophs, we were really on our way to the top. At that time, we chose Jeannine Cowles to sit atop oor Condi. Officers of the class were: Eddie Morris president; Reece Palmer, sophomore clas in Student Council. officers of the class were: Eddie Morris, president; Reece Palmer, vice president,
and Jeannine Cowles, secretary-treasurer. Then came the proposition of making money for our future
 idea for a dance: a Sadie Hawkins Day Dance. Spring came at last, and guess what! Our team went to the
state " A " basketball tournaments. On the team were: Eddie Morris, David Klein, Reece Palmer, Johr Smiley, and Biil Jones. Kay Roberts was elected drum majorette by the band; and, at the awards sassem-
bly in May, Enen Morris received the sophomore English award, while Bonnie Roebuck and Kay Shama bly in May, ELlen Morris received the so
received the Home Economics awards.
We made it: We were finally juniors! The class chose for their "Oueen of Hearts," Ann Jordan, Student Council representatives were Dick Dunwiddie and Gail Williamson, while our class officers were: Daveni
Klein, president; John Smile on the basketball team consisted of junior boys
Our class play, "The Little Dog Laughed" was senior banquet was rather good. The juniors chose as their theme of the banquet, "Springtime in Paris." Many awards and achieverments were earned this year. Kay Shama was assistant editor of the Bruin while
her colleague, Kay Roberts, was assistant editor of the Bear Log. Carole Rypkema, (with Marie Beshara) her colleague, Kay Roberts, was assistant editor of the Bear Log. Carole Rypkema, (with Marie Beshara)
went to the semi-finals'in the regional debate tourney at Philip. Ellen Morris won the English Award and Bonie Roebuck was chosen as the 1953 Girls' 'State representative. Boys' State delegates were Eddie
Morris and Reece Palmer. --Time Passes--
We had only 37 members in the graduating class. But, remember, there isn't quality in numbers. "Jean-
nine My Queen" at football time was the popular melody Bear Day. Jeannine Cowles, all school queen nine My Queen" at football time was the popular melody Bear Day. Jeannine Cowles, all school queen of
1953, and her attendants, Carole Rypkema and Gaii williamson served such a fabulous reign that the 1953 1953, and her attendants, Carole Rypkema and Gail Williamson served such a fabulous reign that the 1953
football squad (of which six were seniors) went on to win the Black Hills Conference Football Championfootball squad (of which six were seniors) went on to win the Black Hills Conference Football Champion-
ship. Not only that, but they became the only team in DHS history to remain undefeated during any on season.
Frances Tur class officers was the senior queen and became a vivid memory in our book of "Memories of DHS." Our class officers were Reece Palmer, president; Cal Geary, vice-president; and Frances Wagner, sec-
fetary-treasurer. Student Council representatives were Eddie Morris and Carole Rypkema who were president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of this group.
president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of this group.
Fame was equaly shared by members of the basketball and debating squads in their 1954 season. The
basketball team placed second in the Black Hills Conference race. Four seniors: Bill Tones Recece Pall
 mer, Eddie Morris, and David Klein helped make this possible. Incidentally four of the five cheerlead
this year were seniors: Frances Wagner Kay Roberts, Marcia Pavlich, and Jeannine Cowles.
The debate team composed of Carole Rykema The debate team composed of Carole Rypkema and Bonnie Roebuck (negative side) and Marcia Kay Pav-
lich and Gail Williamson (affirmative side) were awarded a trip to the state NFL tournament in March tich and Gail Williamson (affirmative side) were awarded
as a result of their a rduous work throughout the season.
The Christmas Ball, sponsored by the senior class, carried out the theme: "Over the River and Through the Woods."
Kllent wors and Betty Wells, co-editors of the Bear Log and Kay Shama, editor of the Bruin, all did excellent work.
Bonnie Roebuck was winner of the local and Lawrence county DAR Good Citizenship award. Bonnie Roebuck was winner of the local and Lawrence county DAR Good Citizenship award.
The senior class has participated in all of the music fetstivals and Christras plays. The pep band played
at the Section 8 tournaments. The class colors are red and white, the cla ss flower the red and white carnation, and the class motto is "Finshed; ready to begin., and we extend our best wishes to you-the
We've had a wonderful time during our four years at $D H S$, and future senior classes.
arlene may beringer"Snookey" Ba sketball 1, , , ,3,4;
 umbling 3,4; G.A.A. $1,2,3,4 ;$ .A.A. Officer 4; Pep Club
Bruin Staff 3,$4 ;$ Class Play $3,4$.

TEANNNE COLLEEN COWLES-Nean" General Giee Club 1,2;
pecial Glee Club 1,$2 ;$ Christmas Special Clee Club 1,$2 ;$ Christmas
Plays 1,$2 ;$ Student Council $2 ;$ Class Officer 2; Sophomore Queen 2 Al Al
School Quen 4; Cheerleader 4 School Queen 4; Cheerleader 4;
Pep Club 3,4; Library 2,3,4; Latin Pep Club
Club $1,2$.

LMER RICHARD DUNWIDDIE-Cick Claristmas Pays 1,2,4;
 ager 3,4; "D" Club 3,4; Student
Councii 3; President Student Council 3; Class officer 1; Debate 1; Mixed Chorus 4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Music Festival

ERRLLL JEAN DYVIG--.-*Terry Cheral $1,2,3,4$ Special Glee Club
 eette 3; Duet 4; Trio 4; Quartette
4; Sextette 4; Dulcet Dozen 4; Mix ed Cuartette 4; Music Festival 1,2, 3.4; Drematic Club 1 ; Declamatiory
3.4; G.A.A. $1,2.3$; G.A.A. Officer
. it; G.A.A.A. $1,2,3 ;$ G.A.A.A. Office.
$2 ;$ Volleyball $1,2,3 ;$ Basketball 1,2, 3; Basebail 1,$2 ;$ Tumbling $1 ;$ Bad-
minton Tounament 2; Ariai Ten minton Tournament $2 ;$ Aerial Ten-
nis
is Twirling $1,2,3,4 ;$ Pep Club
 Editor 4; Class play, 3,4; Christ-
mas Play $1,2,4$.


LORETTA ELANE EATHERTON"Lorett" Bruin Staff 3,$4 ;$ Declam

DONALD WILLTAM GABEL---Football $1,2,3,4 ;$ Track
georgia hilda gabel Georgia" Basketball $1,2,-2,-4 ;$
Softball 3,$4 ;$ Volleyball $1,2,3,4 ;$ Cumbling 1, 1,3,4; Aerial Tennis
Champion 4; C.A.A. $1,2,3,4 ;$ G.A.A.
 3; Special Glee Club 1,2,3; A
Capella $3 ;$ Class Plays 3,$4 ;$
Cristmas Plays $1,2,4 ;$ Bruin Christmas plays $1,2,4$,



## SENIOR WILL

1, MARLENE BERINGER, will my guard position in the senior basketball team to Elaine Fish I, JEANNINE COWLES, will my black cheerleading pants to anyone who is willing to rip them out again while doing the cart wheel:!: Also my $1 / 5$ share in "Peppy" to the future D.H.S. Cheerleaders!!:! DICK DUNWIDDIE, will all my blond, boo--the best.
will my ability to go through stop signs and my ability to stay out of trouble to Sue , LORETTA EATHERTON, will my ability to keep out of trouble with my teachers to my brother Joel. He's in bad need of it already.
I, DONALD GABEL, will my broad field of knowledge to the junior class.
, GEORGIA GABEL, hereby will my ability to get to glee club on time to anyone who doesn't quite make it before the door is locked.

列 in physics to Jim Hutcherson and my bass voice to Dale Allen.
, VIRGINIA GNIRK, will my ability to sing alto and second in glee club to Jo Anne who wonders what she is going to do without me next year.
1, RAYMOND HOBBS, will my basketball ability to Jerry Sargent.
, AL JOHNSON, will my Friday nights in Spearfish and trips to Hot Springs and favorite path from Literature 11 to study hall to Larry DiSanto
I, BILLY JONES, will my ability to get along with coach Burgess to Woody and I will my literature to Bill Beshara
SHIRLEY KAN, will Nugget to anyone who can make friends with him
I, DAVID KLEIN, will my parking place to Gene, better known as "Peanut," my basketball uniform to anyone who wants it, my quiet disposition on basketball trips to Hank and Rich, and my long eyelashes to Mary.
I, KENNETH LESTER, will will my will to will good luck to the willing underclassmen
I, DOUGLAS MIKLETHUN, will my ability to get on the deliquent list to anyone who will take it
I, EDWARDO FRANCISCO MORRISSEO, will my small pair of basketball shoes and my ability to shovel sidewalks to the great big Jerry Hardy, an up and coming boy. (Eat well, son:)
I, ELLEN MORRIS, hereby will my superior shouting voice at basketball games to one Paula Neavill. (May you never get hoarse again) I also will my wonderful yoyo ability to Dale Allen. Good luck:
, CARL MOSER, will my ability in football to Donald Gray. I'm kinda little and didn't use it very much.
I, FRED ARNOLD MOSER, am willing to will my drawing ability to anyone who will take it and put it to
very good use.
ability to read, will my "unusual" ability in shorthand and typing to the remaining B.B.G.'S and the
I, REECE PALMER, will by ability to get along with the referees in basketball to Gene Whitelock, also,
I will my false teeth to Larry Farhni and my ability to sing and foul up a yoyo to Larry DiSanto. MARCIA KAY PAVLICH, will my cheerleading outfit to anyone who is short enough and my share $(1 / 5)$ of "Peppy" to the next years cheerleaders. I also will my debating ability (??) to the future
debaters in D.H.S. and my ability to read? poetry in literature 12.
KAY ROBERTS, hand over with great pity the editorship of next year
Allen. (Really, you'll have fun.) Also my cheerleading position to Suzanne Litz. My part of "Peppy" goes to next years cheerleaders. My uniform goes to sixth grader Susie Gilbert, whom I hope will
someday be either "A" or "B" cheerleader.
I, BONNE ROEBUCK, being of sound mind and having no material wealth, do will my height to the freshmen boys to be equally distributed among them, and my unequaled clarinet ability to Flea.
an Antique and Like $\mathrm{It}^{n}$ to Sue Ditz; some clothes that eds something to get that Ford going!)
, RONNIE SARGEN, will my
I, JACK SEMMONS, will my ability to waste time to Mickey R. Larson and to Dale Allen, I will my secret of starting a cold Chevy on a long steep hill.
, KAY SHAMA, will my Bruin editorship to Sherill Person and my dimples to anyone who likes to smile.
JOHN SMILEY, will my quiet (??) voice and curly hair to Rich Sears.
I, GEORGE TAPKEN, will my great bass voice in glee club to Patty Williamson and my great hook shot
CHARLENE VARES, will my profound interest in chronological archaeology to those people who are able to comprehend the decisively intricate pattern of this systematized knowledge.
1, FRANCES WAGNER, will my "A" cheerleading position to Marcia Moore. I will my old uniform to a freshman or sophomore who will make a cute "B" cheerleader. Also I will my share of "Peppy" to next years cheerleaders. Last, but not least, I will all the fun and wonderful times I had this year tor all the Seniors of " 55 .
in art to next year's annual staff.
1, GAIL WILLIAMSON, will my "excellent" debating ability to my sister, Pat, and my ability to play guard, in basketball, to my "little" brother, Woody.





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## JUNIORS



The junior class of 54 brought the first meeting of the year to order and adjourned after electing Rich Sears, president, Henry Frawley, vicepresident, and Jim Veiti, secretary-treasurer Later on the home-rooms met and elected Dale Allen and Jim Veitl to represent the junior in the Student Council.
The theme of the float in the Bear Day parade was "Pearl of the Junior Class." The pearl was Mary Rotter. The float placed second.
A dance and the play, "Cheaper by the Dozen" were the two very successful presentations of the class.
Dale Allen and Jim Veitl were elected to rep resent Deadwood at Boys' State. At the time this was written no announcement had been made con cerning the girl elected to Girls' State.

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right--Jim Veitl, Henry Frawley, Richard Sears




CLASS HISTORY

The Brash Sophisticates had an interesting year. We elected lovely Joanne Deatherage for our queen. Wenda Harmon won first in the Americanism Essay Contest. For class officers we chose Woody Williamson, president; Melvin Meverden, vice-president; and Diane Heine, secretarytreasurer. Jim Hennen and Arne jomeling were elected to represent us on the Student Council. Of Course, working on our Bear "Clean Sweep." we called it "Clean Sweep."


SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right---Melvin Meverden, Diane Heine, Woody Williamson.


SOPHOMORES: 1st row, left to right--Peggy Huhta, Jolyn Kimble, Katherine White, Gail Willuweit, Joan Hoy, Virginia Cooper, Sylvia Scissons, Donna Albin. 2nd row--Elmer Farnsworth, Leon Stalder, Richard Davis, Suzanne Litz, Belva Burtzlaff, JoAnne Pringle, Marilyn Jones, Jerald Sargent, Mr. Burgess, Class Sponsor. 3rd row--David Aijala, Arthur Jupratt, Bob Sjomeling, Charles Hendrickson, Melvin Meverden, Marvin Lester, Jimmy Hennen, Ronald Bernard. Not Pictured--David Schopen.

## SOPHOMORES

SOPHOMORES: 1st row, left to right--Joanne Deatherage, Geraldine Clauser, Janice McKain, Joanna Francescato, Carolyn Johnson, Paula Engebretson, Shirley Ruth, Marilyn Rotter. 2nd row-Mrs. MacArthur, Class Sponsor; Donald Lantz, Marvin Reznicek, Wenda Harmon, Joyce Shostrom, Margaret Ferris, Diane Heine, Arne Sjomeling. 3rd row--Donnie James, Duane Schuster, Tom Gorder, Merno Stalder, Charles Crotty, Don Gray, Woody Williamson, Willis Steinlicht. Not Pictured--E. J. Haney.


## frESHMEN



CLASS HISTORY

FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right--Ronnie Hennen, Leona Marshall, Larry Mitchell.


FRESHMEN: lst row, left to right--Jerry Harmon, Joseph Eckart, Jeannie Cleveland, Leona Marshall, Mary Eilers, Jean Maki, Sandra Gravelle, Frances Cordova, Jerry Hardy, James Buckmaster. 2nd rowMarlyne Kuykendall, Y vonne Hobbs, Shirley Hendrickson, Lois Pringle, Nancy Newell, Judy Semmons Roberta VanDerVorst, Kathryn Pahkamaa, Margaret Slack, Mr. Clark, Class Sponsor. 3rd row--Rober Mack, Joel Eatherton, Charles Edmondson, Donnie Gross, James Collins, Jerry Pontius, Larry Mitchell Larry Fahrni, Robert Stead.

## FRESHMEN

FRESHMEN: 1st row, left to right--Jerald Perrett, Jimmie Scott, Mary Sue Beshara, Roberta Oliver Shirley Pahkamaa, Carolyn Jacobson, LaRee Redinger, John Burkhart, Paul Redinger. 2nd row--Mr. Horsfall, Class Sponsor; Patricia Williamson, Carolyn Collins, Marlene Hansen, Yvonne Lee, Hazel Pahkamaa, Judy Schuster, Maria Klein, Marion Moses, Myrna Killum. 3rd row--Jimmie Young, Roland VanDerVorst, Gale Fox, Keith Bergstrom, John Wescott, Arthur Nelson, Ronnie Hennen, Jerald Karns.

The freshmen began thei first year at Deadwood High School with 56 enrolled. For their contribution to Bear Day they picked vivacious Leon Ronnie Henne
Ronnie Hennen and Larry Council were chosen as Studen presided respectively as presi dent and vice-president of their class with Leona as secretary treasurer.




## G. A. A. STARS



Starting at the left and going around the star---Diane Heine, Janice McKain, Marcia Kay Pavlich, Janet Chyba, Frances Wagner, Mary Eilers, Georgia Gabel, Kay Roberts, Marlyne Kuykendall, Judy Semmons, Mary Rotter, Marie Klein, Elaine Fish, Joanna Francescato, Marion Moses, Joyce Shostrom, Roberta Oliver, Roberta VanDer Vorst, Myrna Kellum Jean Maki, Helen Brandt, JoAnne Pringle, Lois Pringle, Bonnie Roebuck, Caroly Johnson, Marlene Beringer, Nancy Newil, Peggy Hha, Caroly Co mon, Shirley Hendrickson, Belva Burtzlaf, Phylis Gordon, Judy Schuster, Maxy Jane Drake Sue Litz, Janice Mathieu, Jolyn Kimble, Shirley Kettelhut, Gail Wirnamson, Annette Kitle
 Gra, M, Krug, center.

" $D^{n}$ CLUB: lst row, left to right---Dick Dunwiddie, Larry DiSanto, Bill Beshara, Woody Williamson, Tom Gorder, Jim Veitl. 2nd row---Donnie James, Al Johnson, Richard Sears, Hank Frawley, Eddie Morris, Don Gail

PEP CLUB: 1st row, left to right---Marcia Pavlich, Frances Wagner, Kay Roberts, Mary Rotter. 2nd row---Joanne Deatherage, Katherine White, Frances Cordova, LaRee Redinger, Pauline Neavill, Mary Sue Beshara, Gail Willuweit, Carolyn Jacobson, Leona Marshall, Annette Kittleman, Donna Albin. 3rd row---Mary Eilers, Sandra Gravelle, Janice McKain, Gail Williamson, Kay Shama, Shirley Kettelhut, Jolyn Kimble, Janet Chyba, Marilyn Rotter, Sherill Person, Loyola Moser, Sylvia Scissons, Jeanne Cleveland, Georgia Gable. 4th row--Diane Heine, Carolyn Johnson, Helen Brandt, Joan Hoy, Joanna Francescato, Frances Kunsman, Judy Schuster, Maria Klein, Marion Moses, Yvonne Hobbs, Elaine Fish, Marlene Kuykendall, Paula Engebretson, Peggy Huhta, Marcia Moore, Virginia Gnirk. 5th row--Betty Cooper, Myrna Kellum, Virginia Cooper, Florence Lauer, Marlene Hansen, Phylis Gordon, Judy Ann Semmons, Wenda Harmon, Mary Lou Lanphear, Yvonne Lee, Margaret Ferris, Marlene Beringer, Joyce Shostrom, Patricia Williamson, Margaret Slack, Mrs.Elsie Krug. 6th row--Terry Dyvig, Carole Rypkema, Sue Litz, Ann Jordan, JoAnne Pringle, Bonnie Roebuck, Ellen Morris, Marilyn Jones, Belva Burtzlaff.



CHEERLEADERS: Left to right--Marcia Kay Pavlich, Frances Wag-
ner, Kay Roberts, Mary Rotter, Jeannine Cowles.

PEPPY
( Lauer, Bonnie Roebuck, Kenneth Lester, Jimmie Young, George Clerk, Marlyne Kuykendall, Willis Steinlicht, Jimmie Hennen, Marjorie Bell, Jack Sears, Patsy Steinlicht, Herbie Clark, Floyd Iwan, Lois Pringle, Wenda Harmon, Ronnie Hennen, Karl Bentz, Dick Dunwiddie, Jerry Pontius, Larry Mitchell

BAND: Ist row, left to right--Judy Klein, Helen Pontius, Wenda Harmon, Lois Pringle, Arlene Jacobson, Marlys Lester, Karen Shockey, Stanley Wells, J. D. Smith, Patty Whayland, David Roesler. 2nd Bonnie Roebuck, Geraldine Clauser, Flossie Lauer, Diane Clements, George Auer, Kenneth Lester, Ronnie Hennen, Marvin Lee, Jack Sears, Patsy Steinlicht, Herbie Clark, Floyd Iwan. 3rd row-Darlene Lester, Nancy Newell, Julie Clark, Hans Nubert, Gloria Johnson, Arne Sjomeling, Jimmie Young, George Clark, Karl Bentz, Dick Dunwiddie, Richard Sears, Jerry Pontius, Larry Mitchell. 4th row--Marcia Moore, Terry Dyvig, Kay Roberts, Elaine Fish, Janet Chyba, Mr. Clark, Band Director; Marjorie Bell, Marlyne Kuykendall, Willis Steinlicht, Jimmie Hennen





BOYS GLEE CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Larry Mitchell, Ronald Bernard, Gene Whitelock, Jim Hennen, Fred Moser, Donnie Gross, Bill Beshara, Arne Sjomeling, Ronnie Hennen. 2nd row--Miss Craig, John Smiley, Dick Dunwiddie, Tom Gorder, Dale Allen, Larry DiSanto, John Fillmore, Jim Veitl, Woody Williamson. 3rd row--Reece Palmer, Al Johnson, Richard Sears, Cal Geary, Henry Frawley, Monte Widdoss, Michael Larson, Karl Bentz, David Klein

## BOYS AND A CAPPELLA

A CAPPELLA: 1st row, left to right--Marcia Kay Pavlich, Katherine White, Betty Cooper, Gail Williamson, Sherill Person, Kay Shama, Shirley Kettelhut, Janet Chyba, Marilyn Rotter, Loyola Moser, Shirley Ruth, Pauline Neavill. 2nd row--Miss Craig, Leona Marshall, Virginia Gnirk, Frances Wag-


MIXED OCTET: Left to rightShirley Ruth, Monte Widdoss, Kar Bentz, Peggy Huhta, John Sn-iley, Marilyn Rotter, Tom Gorder, Pat ricia Williamson


TRIOS: Left to right--Marilyn Rotter, Bonnie Roebuck, Janice McKain, Mary Rotter, Terry Dyvig


SPECIAL GLEE CLUB: Ist row, left to right--Jeanne Cleveland, LaRee Redinger, Joanne Deatherage, Donna Albin, Jolyn Kimble, Marlys Windedahl, Janice Mathiew, Geraldine Clauser, Sylvia Scissons, Annette Kettleman, Gail Willuweit, Mary Sue Beshara, Frances Cordova. 2nd row--Miss Craig, Margaret Slack, Virgina Cooper, Myma Kellum, Peggy Huhta, Patricia Wi hamson, Y vonne Hobbs, Ma, Pa Yvonne Lee, Suzanne Litz, Carolyn Johnson, Shirley Hendrickson, Joan Hoy, Maria Klein.

ECLAM: lst row, left to right--Margaret Ferris, Terry Hoy, Carolyn Jacobson, Carole Rypkema, Joyce Shostrom. 2nd Rypkema, Jia Kay Pavlich. Lor etta Eatherton, Mrs. Ferguson, Elaine Fish, Sherill Person.

DRAMATIC CLUB: lst row, lef to right--LaRee Redinger Katherine White, Jolyn Kimble Leona Marshall, Carolyn Jac obson, Jeanne Cleveland. 2nd ow--Miss Craig, Margaret Slack, Patricia Williamson Marlyne Kuykendall, Mary ilers. 3rd row--Yvonne Hobbs, Wenda Harman, Nancy Newell, Judy Semmons, Lois ringle



## BLACK HILLS CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS



FOOTBALL: 1st row, left to right--Willis Steinlicht, Coach Burgess, Coach Ferguson. nd row--Don Gabel, Richard Sears, Don Sonne, Jerry Sternad, Bill Beshara, Larry DiSanto, John Smiley, Eddie Morris, Reece Palmer, Bill Jones, Gene Whitelock, Al Johnson. 3rd row--Gale Fox, Woody Williamson, Melvyn Meverden, Donnie Gross, Edmond 4, Hom Gorald Perrett, Jerry Harmon, Herbie Clark, James Buckmaster, Arne Sjomeling.


SENIOR FOOTBALL BOYS AND TROPHY: Left to right--John Smiley, Reece Palmer, Eddie Morris, Al Johnson, Billy Jones, Coach Stewart Ferguson. Not pictured: Don Gabel.

## FOOTBALL REVIEW

The Bears turned in their most successful football season this year. They were and won the conference championship for the first time in the school's history. During the season the Bears won five and tied one. The Bears scored a total of 195 points and only had 59 points scored against them.

Six seniors are leaving this year's team and they can certainly feel proud of their record. These seniors are: Reece Palmer, Bill Jones, Eddie Morris, John Smiley, Don Gabel and Al John son.

Bill Jones, one of the Bears, had a great honor bestowed on him. He was made captain of the All-State Team.

1953 Football Schedule

| OPPONENT | WE | THEY |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Gillette | 24 | 7 |
| Hot Springs | 13 | 7 |
| Belle Fourche | 33 | 7 |
| Spearfish | 12 | 0 |
| Sturgis | 26 | 26 |
| Custer | 42 | 6 |
| Lead | 45 | 6 |

## BASKETBALL REVIEW

The Bears were very successful in their basketball season this year fo they set an all time record for the school. The Bears also won the Sturgis Invitational Tournament which the Scoopers have won for the past 8 years.

Staying near the top all during the season the Bears ended second place in the conference with three defeats, two losses to Rapid City and one los to Belle Fourche. The Bears won a total of 18 out of 22 games in the season Their conference record was 11 wins and 3 losses. The Bears were also rated as third in the State

Other than the conference games the Deadwood Bears traveled to Miles City and Forsythe, Montana and to Pierre, South Dakota

The top honor for this year's team came when they defeated Belle Fourche hin enabled the Bears to trave the State Tournament. Results were not available at present time.
four seniors in their starting lineup. They are Reece Palmer, David Klein, Eddie Morris and Bill Jones.


BASKETBALL "A": lst row, left to right--Larry Mitchell, Tom Gorder, Bill Jones, Woody Williamson, Gene Whitelock, Donnie James. 2nd row--David Klein, Richard Sears, Eddie Morris, Henry Frawley, Charles Crotty, Reece Palmer, Coach Burgess.


BASKETBALL "B": lst row, left to right--Larry Fahrni, E. J. Haney, Larry Mitchell, Willis Steinlicht, Robert Mack, Donnie James, Charles Edmondson, Marvin Lester. 2nd row--Dick Dunwiddie, Donnie Gross, Jerry Pontius, Darrell Stoneberger, Charles Crotty, Merno Stalder, Keith Bergstrom, Bob Sjomeling, Bill Beshara, Coach Ferguson.


SPORTS REVIEW

11. No matter what the sport may be, the pep club is a firm supporter.

## BEAR DAY

Although we couldn't possibly know it when we were celebrating our 1953-54 homecoming, we were to go through the football season undefeated for the first time in fifty years. Of course we knew we had a lovely queen and charming attendants------

Carole Rypkema
Attendant



Gail Williamson Attendant

## THE CORONATION

Jeannine Cowles All School Queen




1. ALL SCHOOL FLOAT: Jeannine Cowles, Queen; Attendants, Gail Williamson, Carol Rypkema. 2. JUNIOR CLASS FLOAT: Mary Rotter, Queen; Nancy Lee Waters, crown bearer. 3. FRESHMAN CLASS FLOAT: Leona Marshall, Queen; Sharon Bissell, crown bearer. 4. SENIOR CLASS FLOAT: Frances Joanne Deatherage, Queen; Lillian Newell, crown bearer.

Left to right--Sylvia Berry, Gene Whitelock, Sherill Person, Mary Jane Drake, Bill Beshara, Larry DiSanto, Henry Frawley, Dale Allen, Richard Sears, Karl Bentz, Janet Chyba, Mary Rotter, Monte Widdoss, John Fillmore, Betty Cooper, Marcia Moore.

## JUNIOR PLAY

Left to right--Sherill Person, Janet Chyba, Mary Jane Drake, Mary Rotter, Gene Whitelock, Bill Beshara, Dale Allen, Richard Sears, Henry Frawley, Karl Bentz, Betty Cooper, Sylvia Berry, Monte Widdoss, Marcia Moore, John Fillmore. Front: Larry DiSanto.


CLASSROOMS: ALL IN A DAY'S WORK



Al's Pharmacy
Allen Lewis, Roofing \& Sheet Metal Works Auer Service
George V. Ayres, Inc
Ben Franklin Store
Black Hills Amusement Company
Black Hills Laundry
Black Hills Mercantile Co.
Black Hills Novelty Co.
Black Hills Power \& Light
Black Hills Studios, Inc.
Bodega Cafe
Butler Jewelry and Souvenir Shop
Kate Callahan, Your Jeweler
Clark's Real Estat
Clark's Real Estate Company
A. A. Coburn, Insurance

The Cupboard
Dakota Creamery, Lilly Ice Cream
Dakota Typewriter Exchange
Daniels Floral Shop
Deadwood Motor Sales
Dick's Sinclair Service
DuPratt Motel \& Service
Eddie's Sales \& Service
Ellis Insurance Agency
F. \& M. Bootery

Finola's Clothing Store
First National Bank of the Black Hill Fish \& Hunter Company Dr. T. H. FitzGibbon
Fountain Electric Service
Franklin Hotel
Franklin Grill
Gaughen's Dairy \& Shamrock
Grab It 'N Growl
Harold's Rollarena
Guy H. Hemminger, Insurance
Hendrie \& Bolthoff Co.
Homestake Mining Co.
Home Service Texaco
Dr. F. S. Howe
The Hub Clothing Store
Independent Bindery*
Jeffrie's Cleaners
Katon's Korral
K. W. Motor Co.
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Kelley's Dairy
Kersten's Drive In Cleaners
Carl H. Kubler, Insurance Lampert Lumber Company LeMar Motor Co.
Leo's Shoe Shop
Mapleway Bowling Lanes
Martin's Sinclair Service
Merritt's Grocery
Dr. N. E. Mattox
Midwest-Beach Company
The Mint Cafe
Morris Jewelry
Newell's Drug Store
The New York Store
Northwest Wood Preserving Co
Odou Motor Co.
Parker \& Parker, Lawyers
Peg's Beauty Sho
The Pick Up
Porter's Lumber Co.
Dr. T. H. Procto
Robley's Grill
Roesler \& Island Feeds Ruth Brothers Machine Works Safeway Store
Schultz's Refrigerated Lockers
Schwarzwald Furniture Co
The Seaton Publishing Company
A. H. Shostrom, Insurance

Shostrom Conoco Service
Spud Page Plumbing
Dr. J. C. Smily
Stearns \& Shedd
Carl Stoneberger, Lumber \& Building
Sunnyside Grocery
F. L. Thorpe \& Co.

Twin City Motors
Wagner Cafe
Dr. W. P. Wasner
Wells Funeral Hom
Wistor,
ore \& Applicance Co
Shama's Grocery-Open Sundays


