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Smith To Replace Kelsey

Radio Class Presents Programs Over KXRO

The college radio department, under the direction of Chuck Hoonan, has been recently presenting to the Grays Harbor radio audience, a weekly college program, "Choker Highline."

With the help of Stan Craft, the first broadcast was heard over KXRO on Friday evening, April 23rd, at seven o'clock. The same time and station will be maintained throughout the remainder of the school year.

The second program was heard May 1st and had as its producer, Bob Erickson. Fred Puljan acted as chief announcer.

The program consisted of Grays Harbor College News concerning scholarships being offered to GHC and a briefing on the new college dean, Eddie Smith. The Newscaster was Bob Erickson. The society news, as announced by Gay Little, consisted of the description of Daisy Mae (Donna Van Winkle) and Li'l Abner (Jim Lauritsen) in the mock wedding at the Sadie Hawkins Dance. The floats in the parade and the clubs entering them, were also mentioned. Sports news included track and baseball and was announced by Leo Graham. Gerry Larson gave an account of the Forensic Squad's trip to Ogden, Utah.

College talent included: "Halls of Ivy" and the "Whiffenpoof Song" sung by the men's chorus. Members of this group are: Jack Glasgo, Don Smith, Don Windell, Bill Glenn, Bob Erickson, Jim Middleton, Tom Morrison, John Campbell, and Bob Henry. They were accompanied by Greta Anderson.

P. E. FEATURES TENNIS TOURNAMENTS, FINALS

This quarters physical education classes have been somewhat confused due to the lack of time allotted to instructor Stoddard for his p.e. classes. Because of this, there is no softball class this quarter. Softball has been combined with tennis so that the instructor can be at the courts to give instructions.

Due to this combining of the classes the class has been divided into teams so that everyone can participate. Each doubles team will play and then work into a semi-final and final group. This has been found to be very popular with the students.

TOPPERS CLUB HOLDS ELECTION MEETING

The Toppers Club of Grays Harbor College held their election of officers for the 1953-54 school year in a meeting on Wednesday, April 22. Bill Elsten was elected president for the coming year. Invitations for membership went to the following freshmen: Richard Bloomquist, Bill Dietrich, George Caldwell, Laddie Davis, Bennie Charley, Gordon Drinkwater, John Creelman, Ray Key, Cal Agee, Mike Kuronen, Alf Keire, Richard Bozak, Ron Sanford, Don Windell, Don Linde, Pat Hughes, Jim File, Larry Kelly, Gene DeLorme, Vic Korpi, Bob Christain, Alan O'Conner, Don Oleson.

The Toppers Club is a service organization and has a limited membership of twenty-five.

Past President Don Weisel presented Mr. Douglas McQuaig, advisor to the club, with a gavel which is to be passed on to each new president.

The club is planning on having a dinner-dance in the near future to welcome the new members into the club.

Gay 90's Revived In Spring Play

Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock, May 8 and 9, the Grays Harbor College Players presented their interpretation of an old fashioned melodrama, "Dirty Work at the Crossroads", at the Miller Auditorium. Tickets were sold by college students.

The play featured Dennis Prather as the hero, Darleen Trinneer as the heroine, John Erak as the villain, and Delores Moe as the villainess. Others in the play were Shirley McDougal, Colleen Hanrahan, Jim File, Jackie Himes, and Pat McEwen.

Saturday the stage crew of Jim Lauritsen and Verne Olsen completed construction of the various scenes used in the play. One of their more difficult problems was construction of a railroad set showing the hero tied to the track with the train approaching.

The properties staff, Sarah Ann Entrop and Donna Follin, rounded up some of the antique properties that are necessary for setting the atmosphere for the

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Eddie Smith

SMITH ELECTED GHC PRESIDENT

The Aberdeen board of education has elected Edward P. Smith as the new president of Grays Harbor College. He will succeed Roger Kelsey whose resignation was accepted last month. HOQUIAM GRADUATE.

Mr. Smith was born in Hoquiam on Christmas Day, 1917. He spent his youth on the Harbor where he attended Hoquiam High School. While here, he won letters in basketball and baseball. After graduating from Hoquiam, he enrolled at GHC where he completed the liberal arts curriculum. He then attended WCCE at Ellensburg where he completed the teacher training program. At this time he entered the Navy for five years, three of which were sea duty.

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WHEN YOU COME TO THE END OF A PERFECT ? YEAR

In the final issue of THE TIMBERLINE, as in any college newspaper, it is customary for the editor to write his resume of the year and congratulate the staff for the work they have done. From a journalistic point of view, this has been anything but a perfect year, but I feel that the staff should be applauded for their efforts to make it one.

The first TIMBERLINE was not published until February, 1953, and consequently this late start handicapped our staff. However, they dug in and did their best and progressed remarkably within four editions. I hope that many of these people return to GHC next year, for their experience will aid in putting out a better TIMBERLINE in 1953-54.

Unfortunately, we were unable to cover GHC's terrific football season, but we hope that the articles in the football section of this issue will atone for it.

Your school newspaper, after all, is only a small part of the public relations campaign conducted by the college. A publicity department, under the leadership of Leo Graham, was established by the Journalism class and did an excellent job of acquainting the public with GHC by sending press releases to the area newspapers and radio stations. The Radio class has conducted several "Choker High-Line" programs over KXRO which have boosted the popularity of GHC considerably. It is my prediction that if this happy practice is continued, people in the surrounding area will become more aware of the advantages of attending Grays Harbor College and our enrollment will grow, very definitely resulting in a bigger and better college.

'Behind The Counter'

by Sandy Cole

"Just return your cups and dishes to the Counter," is the only plea made by Mrs. Ollikainen in a recent interview. This is not a complaint, just a helpful plan which all students should abide by.

The task of preparing the likes and dislikes of many students is not easy, but Mrs. Ollikainen feels that the present student cooperation is fine. Waiting your turn, keeping the counter clear and paying promptly, all help in making it a more easily and efficiently run job.

An average day behind the counter might go something like this. Approximately eighteen pots of coffee at an average of ten cups of coffee per pot, serving between six and eight dozen doughnuts, preparing anywhere from thirty to fifty hamburgers, pouring out seventy or eighty cups of orange and a few less cokes. This is only a beginning, for there are milkshakes, maybe twenty or thirty, potato salads, soups, breakfast foods and various other kinds of sandwiches.



The busiest time is between eleven and twelve-thirty, in which most of the orders are handled. After everyone has been served and the counter is partially closed, then the work begins. Everything must be cleaned up and ready for the following day. Completing, by locking up, she goes home at around three-thirty ending a seven hour day, as you can probably guess, somewhat exhausted.

I know we all appreciate the job Mrs. Ollikainen is doing. It's just that we do not stop and realize what it consists of and how much we would miss it if we didn't have a lunch center and a capable person to run it.

New President

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Upon his discharge from the service he entered Notre Dame where he won an M.S. degree after completing his post-graduate work there.

INSTRUCTOR AT GHC

Smith then came to GHC where he taught political science, general psychology, and physical education. He coached the GHC basketball squad through a successful season in 1946-47, and in 1948 he also coached the Aberdeen Bobcats.

Edwin Karshner, school board president, said that the board is satisfied that it has chosen an outstanding man to head the college.

Smith said he is deeply appreciative of the confidence placed in him by the Aberdeen school board.

"It is my sincere feeling," he stated, "that the college has a definite and important place in the Grays Harbor community. I know there is a great deal of work to be done, and I am looking forward to doing it."

He has also completed three-quarters of work on his doctorate at the University of Washington.

Spring Play

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gay old days. They included an old fashioned water bucket and dipper, and a kerosene lantern.

Another of the numerous departments that worked backstage to produce the play was the costume department which consisted of Colleen Martin, Marion Jukes and Carole Kari. Along with the regular wardrobes of the gay nineties such as high silk hats and bustle skirts, they had a striped prison suit for the villain to make his final appearance in.

G.H.C. Students Attend Leaders Conference

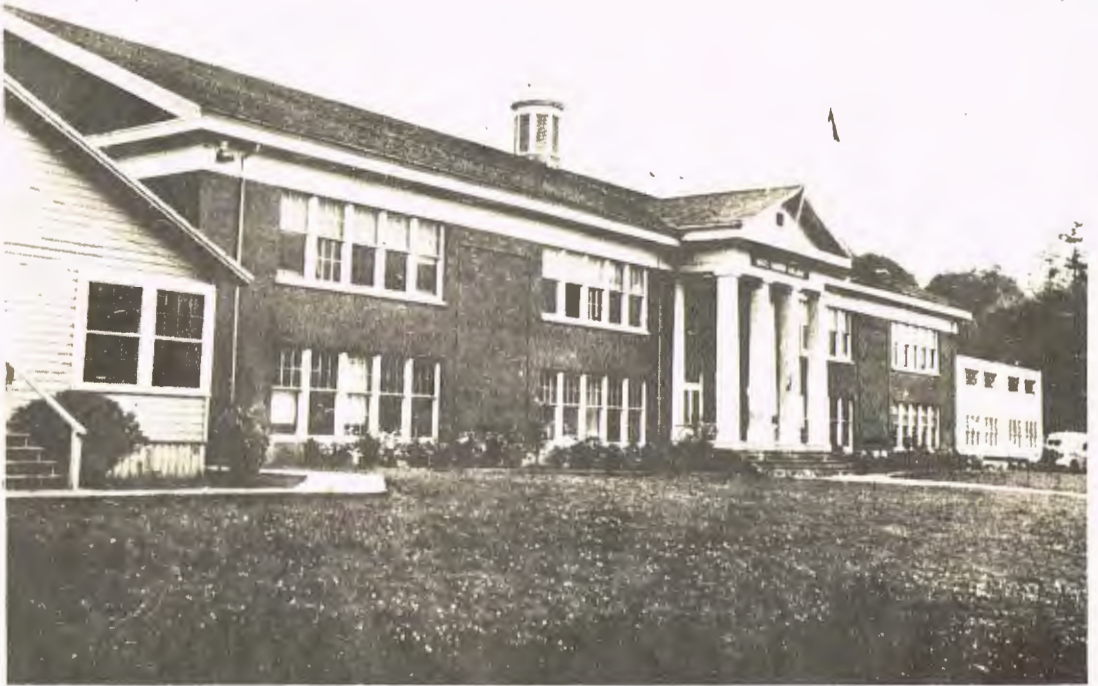
On May 1 and 2, Skagit Valley Junior College played host to the semi-annual meeting of the Junior College Leaders Conference and the annual Drama Festival. Approximately 125 junior college student leaders and actors from the State's nine schools participated.

The leaders conference was attended by Don Egge, Julie Bogdonovich, Leo Graham, Dorothy Dietrich and Marvin Manley from Grays Harbor College. Maurice J. Phipps, director of student affairs, accompanied the group as advisor.

The two day meet included four one act plays from LCJC, Olympic JC, Skagit Valley JC, and Clark JC.

Other social events of the meet were a reception at the college for delegates and a dance at Hillcrest Park Lodge on Friday. Saturday was devoted to leader's conferences.

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CHOKERETTES SUPPORT SPORTS PROGRAM



The Chokerette Club of Grays Harbor College is a women's service organization. During football season the girls sold programs and helped maintain school spirit. They ushered during basketball season.

Leading the Chokerettes this year were Janet Christenson, president; Gerry Larson, vice-president; Jackie Himes, secretary; Marion Jukes, treasurer; and Shirley McDougall, sgt.-at-arms.

At the beginning of the year a semi-formal initiation was held for all new members. However, the club will be dissolved and AWS will take over the duties of the Chokerettes, Mrs. Tom Gordon has been advisor to the club during this past year.

CHOKERETTES First row, left to right, Gay Little, Colleen Hanrahan, Eleanor Butterfield, Carolyn Graham, Mavis Grytness, Darleen Trineer, Janet Christenson, and Agnes Gleason. Second row, l. to r. Carol Christian, Marilyn Wickstrom, Nancy Allen, Ethel Salmi, Sarah Ann Entrop, Carol Kari, and Donna Van Winkle. Third row, l. to r. Jeannie Williams, Colleen Martin, Pat McEwen, Marion Jukes, and Anna Walk. Fourth row, l. r. Beverly Stafford, Billie Fairbairn, Carol Frodel, Karen Cahier, and Shirley McDougall.

PEP STAFF PUTS SPIRIT IN COLLEGE LIFE

In their traditional blue and gray, the Choker's song and yell squads of 1952 generated much pep. Song queens for the year were Colleen Hanrahan, Pat McEwen, Greta Anderson, and Billie Fairburn. Yell leaders were: Dennis Prather, yell king; Gay Little, duchess and Sandy Cole, yell duke.

The worst conditions of weather failed to halt their energy. Their skill as boosters was shown at sport contests, both at home or away.



PEP STAFF: Front Row, left to right; Colleen Hanrahan, Billie Fairbairn, Greta Anderson, Pat McEwen; Back Row, Dennis Prather, Gay Little, Sandy Cole.



AWS OFFICERS left to right; Sharon Mathews, Donna Van Winkle, and Colleen Martin.

AWS Is Active In College Society

Following tradition, the Associated Women Students graduating class of 1953, opened their last year at Grays Harbor College with the presentation of the freshman tea, in honor of the new women students.

The tea was held in the student lounge September 11, with welcoming speeches and talks about the different clubs that girls may join. The AWS advisor, Miss Campbell, and other women faculty were presented. New students were introduced by their big sisters.

The tea was concluded with refreshments which included a beautifully decorated cake inscribed "Welcome to AWS."

During football season AWS sponsored two free dances in the lounge, but their main project for the year was the redecoration of the women's lounge. It was done by two work parties. On the first paint day, the walls were painted and the wall paper was put on one side and the furniture painted during the second day.

For spring activities a slumber party was held and the year ended with the Mother's tea.



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HOMECOMING COURT In their royal coach. Back seat, left to right, Princesses Colleen Hanrahan, Donna Van Winkle, Marion Heiser, and Lucy Hansen. Front, Queen Julie Bogdanovich.

JULIE BOGDANOVICH REIGNS AT HOMECOMING CELEBRATION

The 1952 homecoming celebration, an annual Grays Harbor College event, was held over the weekend of November 1st. Miss Diane Singer, a sophomore coed, served as general chairman for the entire affair.

The festivities were launched with a kick-off rally which was held the Thursday evening of October 30 at the Miller auditorium. Grays Harbor College alumni and the general public were invited to attend. The program was climaxed with the coronation of Queen Julie Bogdanovich, of Montesano, a freshman at GHC. Queen Julie was crowned by Charlotte Chamberlin, University of Washington student who was last year's homecoming queen. Princesses on the royal court were Lucy Hansen, Hoquiam, and Colleen Hanrahan, Donna Van Winkle, and Marion Heiser, Aberdeen, all second year students. The entire one hour show was taped and broadcast to the Grays Harbor radio audience on Saturday evening.

The annual bonfire was lit at 9:00 o'clock at Franklin Field following the kick-off rally.

Classes were cancelled Friday, October 31, to enable students to attend to last minute details for the following day. A parade was held Saturday noon to advertise the homecoming game, which found the Grays Harbor College Chokers defeating the Lower Columbia Red Devils the evening at Stewart Field, and the traditional homecoming dance at the Miller gymnasium following the game.

Committee chairmen for the annual homecoming celebration were Greta Anderson, Colleen Hanrahan, and Marion Jukes, rally; Bill Elsten, bonfire; Doris Mson, parade; Bob McAllister and Donna Van Winkle, dance; Janet Christensen, homecoming court; and Janice Johnson, signs.

The Homecoming court, consisting of Julie Bogdanovich Queen, Lucy Hansen, Donna Van Winkle, Marion Heiser, and Colleen Hanrahan, Princesses, was treated as royalty should be treated during the celebration this year. The entire weekend of activities was highlighted with the courts appearance.

The kick-off rally, Thursday evening, started out the festivities, with the court's processional through the auditorium and the crowning of the queen. The five girls were lovely in their bouffant formals. Along with baskets of flowers and the royal throne which decorated the stage, the girls posed for numerous photographers and their reign began.

The parade the following day found the girls leading the event in their special convertible, decked with court banners, streamers and flowers. They traveled through Aberdeen and Hoquiam.

Saturday evening was a big event for these honored girls with introductions at the game, presentation of the court gifts by Diane Singer, Homecoming chairman, and another ride atop their convertible around the ball field.

The annual Homecoming dance followed the game and the honored five started things off escorted by their dates on a Grand March through the ballroom. Queen Julie wore her crown and the entire five carried Colonial bouquets to match their dresses.

GHC STUDENTS BEGIN OFFICERS TRAINING

Three students of Grays Harbor College will begin training as Reserve Officers for Platoon Leaders in the Marines at Quantico, Virginia this summer.

They are: James Middleton, Aberdeen, George Crocker, Aberdeen, and George Caldwell, Westport. Two more possible candidates are; Bennie Charlie, Moclips, and Jesse Griffin of Hoquiam.

All five are members of the local Marine Reserve here in Aberdeen. They will be in Virginia for six weeks during the training period.



TYEE SOCIETY Front row, left to right; Colleen Martin, Gerry Larson, Marion Jukes, Ethel Salmi. Second row, l. to r.; Miss Anne Holey, Advisor, Janet Christensen, Shirley McDougall. Back row; Jacquie Himes, Donna Van Winkle.

Tyee Society Devoted To School Service

The Grays Harbor College Tyee Society has had many activities during the past year. Officers chosen for the year were: Colleen Martin, president; Ethel Salmi, vice-president; Marion Jukes, secretary-treasurer; and Gerry Larson, scribe-historian. Miss Anne Holey was advisor.

Other members of the honorary service club were: Donna Van Winkle, Janet Christensen, Shirley McDougall, Leona Peffly, and Jacquie Himes.

The group started a new project this year, a scrapbook containing all the newspaper articles concerning the society, members' pictures, and club favors. The scrapbook will be kept from year to year.

Their other activities have included: bake sales, ushering at plays and at commencement, a Halloween costume party, the sponsoring of the college Christmas Assembly, the presentation of a Christmas basket to a needy Grays Harbor family, an alumni holiday luncheon, a dance, and a surprise wedding shower for Leona Peffly. The group also entered a float in the Days of '49 Parade.

Meetings were held on the first Monday of every month at a member's home.

Student Council Directs Activities

The functions of the student council are to take care of all problems which arise in the student body and to regulate the student fund.

Members of the council included the student body officers: Don Egge, president; Harold Warren, vice-president; Ethel Salmi, secretary; and Jack Watson, treasurer; sophomore class president, John Apple and freshman class president, Marvin Manley.

Other members included the student chairmen: Social chairman, Karen Cahier, arranged all school formals and scheduled all social functions at GHC on the school calendar. Bill Elsten led the committee for lounge supervision, and his committee featured the reminder signs for keeping feet off the furniture. Forensics chairman, Gerry Larson, kept an active account of the squad. The Associated Women Students committee presided over by Donna Van Winkle, president, made improvements in the girls' lounge, along with their planning of dances and also a Mother's Day Tea. Athletic chairman, Leo Graham, was responsible for living quarters of visiting teams and in charge of programs for the games and intramural sports.



STUDENT COUNCIL Front row, left to right; Don Egge, Harold Warren, Karen Cahier, Ethel Salmi, Donna Van Winkle, Leo Graham. Back row, l. to r.; John Apple, Bill Elsten, Marv Manley, Jack Watson, Maurice Phipps, Advisor.

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Frosh Complete Year Of Good Work

The freshman class of Grays Harbor College inaugurated the school year with the election of class officers. Named were Marvin Manley, president; A. D. Williams, vice-president; Julie Ann Bogdonovich, secretary; and Richard Bozak, treasurer. The freshman class at the start of the year totaled 127 boys and 29 girls.

The frosh contributed 18 lettermen and a total of 6 starters to the powerful Choker football team. A. D. Williams, end from Santa Monica, California, made All-State in the Washington junior college conference.

In basketball, a total of ten freshman pranced on the maple courts for the Chokers this season. In intramurals, the frosh scored heavily against the sophomores.

Also seven members of the Choker baseball team were first year men, as were seven members of the GHC track squad.

The highlight of the year was when the yearlings humiliated the sophomores in the big battle to light the bonfire during homecoming week. The frosh stymied every second year attack with a powerful fire hose, and according to Mr. Phipps, official timer, held the fire out for the required thirty minutes.

Not only have the frosh been active in the many school organizations, but they have been high in scholastic achievement. Eighteen freshmen were on the honor roll during the winter term.



PHI THETA KAPPA Front row, left to right; John Marvin, Pat McEwen, Harold Warren and Dennis Prather. Back row, l. to r., Alan O'Connor, Ethel Salmi, and John Apple.

Phi Theta Kappa Has Active Year

Phi Theta Kappa is the Honor Society of junior colleges with membership limited to students in the upper ten per cent of the school.

Initiation was held at the first meeting of the year for Tom Hendrickson, John Apple, Harold Warren, Buddy Whiteside, and Dennis Prather.

Election of officers followed the initiation. Those elected were Janet Christenson, president; John Apple, vice-president; and Gerry Larson, secretary-treasurer.

Later the following students were initiated: Bertha Nyberg, Jean Williams, Alan O'Connor, John Marvin, Nancy Allen, Pat McEwen, Dean Baxter, and Marilyn Wickstrom.

Among the activities which Phi Theta Kappa have sponsored throughout the year were: a dance in Hillier Hall; a dinner at Connie DeLine's, and a skating party afterwards. Plans also for a bake sale, May 13, and a picnic, May 17, have been completed.

At the award assembly each year Phi Theta Kappa presents to the school a traditional trophy with the name of the student with the highest accumulative grade point average inscribed upon it. This coveted honor was awarded to Mrs. Leona Peffly Martin.

LETTERMEN'S CLUB BOOSTS COLLEGE

The GHC Lettermen's Club was organized this year under the leadership of Leo Graham. The activities of the group were to boost school activities and to be of service to the school. They set up the bleachers at the games, ran concessions, watched doors to keep non-players out, and performed many other jobs.

The club sponsored a smoker May 6th at the Hoquiam Sports Arena.

Officers of the club were: Leo Graham, president; Robbie Peltola, vice-president; John Marvin, secretary; Maurice Oswald, sergeant at arms; Marvin Harvey, treasurer.

Anyone earning a major or minor letter at GHC could become a member. There were twenty members in the club.

GOOD LUCK GRADS

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CHOKER TRACKMEN MAKE GOOD SHOWING

Coached by Jack Stoddard, the Grays Harbor College thinclads had competed in three meets and at the time of this writing were pointing to the state meet to be held at the University of Washington.

In the first competition of the year, the Yakima Invitational, the Chokers captured fifth place in a field of eight. John Creelman, who has yet to lose a race this season, copped the mile and 880 yard run.

At the Longview Relays, the margin between first and second places in the meet was a scant yard, as the Yakima contingent edged the Harborite's mile relay quartet to win the affair by two points. A blue ribbon was taken home in the medley relay event, Jim Lauritsen, Bob Rosi, Gene DeLorme, and John Creelman made up the winning foursome.

In a four-team meet at Bremerton, the Blue and Gray placed third.

The track squad consisted of Larry Kelly, middle distance man, Cal Agee, sprinter and hurdler, Marv Manley, sprinter and relay, Don Bisland, sprinter, Bill Dietrich, weights and high jump, Leo Graham, weights, Marv Backlund, weights, Don Egge, hurdler and pole vault, Lauritsen, sprinter, DeLorme, middle distances, Rosi, 440, and Creelman, distance runs.



CINDERMEN IN REPOSE: Front Row, left to right; Larry Kelly, Don Egge, George Caldwell, Bob Rosi, Marv Manley, Cal Agee, Jim Lauritsen, Back Row, left to right; Coach Jack Stoddard, Gene DeLorme, Marvin Backlund, Bill Dietrich, Leo Graham, John Creelman, Don Bisland.



LET'S GO! Bob Rosi passes the baton to Gene DeLorme.



"THE BEARDED FLASH," Jim Lauritsen, in action during a relay race.

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Track Men Third in Rotary Relays

Coach Jack Stoddard's small but potent track and field aggregation placed third in the Longview Rotary relays last weekend, but the margin between first and third place was a scant two yards.

The Harbor mile quartet wound up second to Yakima and had to be content with the third spot in the meet.

The junior college division results were as follows: Clark 21, Olympic JC 20, Grays Harbor 19, Yakima Valley 18, Lower Columbia 3

WIN MEDLEY RACE

Grays Harbor won distance medley in 6:31.4, with Yakima second, Lower Columbia third and Clark fourth. The Choker medley team was Bob Rosi, who ran the 440, Jim Lauritsen, 220 man, Gene DeLorme 880 man, and John Creelman, who ran 1,100 yards.

In the mile relay Yakima was first in 3:40, Grays Harbor second, Clark third, DeLorme, Don Egge, Rosi and Creelman represented Grays Harbor in this event.

Grays Harbor was third behind Clark and Olympic in the 440 relay. Yakima was third. The Choker quartet was composed of Marv Manley, Cal Agee, George Caldwell and Lauritsen. Clark finished in 45.5 seconds.

Grays Harbor was fourth behind Olympic, Clark and Yakima in the 880 yard relay. Creelman, Agee, Caldwell and Manley ran this event for the Chokers.



AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS Front row, left to right; Don Egge, Gerry Larson, Leona Peffly, and Colleen Martin. Back row, l. to r.; Don Linde, Shirley McDougall, Janet Christensen, Janice Johnson, Carole Kari, Walter Coston, Donna Van Winkle, and Alan O'Connor.



DRAMATIC AWARDS Front row, left to right; Colleen Martin, Shirley McDougall, Darleen Trineer and Marlene Philbrick. Second row, l. to r.; Gerry Larson, Marion Jukes, Carole Kari, Dennis Prather, and Colleen Hanrahan. Back row, l. to r.; Tom Morrison, Jim Middleton, Gordon Drinkwater, Delores Moe, and John Erak.

STUDENTS HONORED AT AWARD ASSEMBLY

Twenty nine Grays Harbor College students were honored at an award assembly recently for scholarship standings and special activities participation.

Three Schafer Brothers awards covering tuition, were presented to Janice Johnson, Alan O'Connor, and Walter Coston.

Scholarships valued at \$100 each were the Martha Finch award to Carole Kari, the Grace Albertson award to Donald Linde, and the Grays Harbor Medical Society award presented to Shirley McDougal.

The Panhellenic Society of Aberdeen's \$50 scholarship went to Janet Christensen; a Washington State dormitory scholarship covering dormitory costs for one semester was received by Jack Macan.

DRAMA AWARDS

Dramatics pins were presented to John Erak, Gerry Larson, Delores Moe, Jeannie Williams, James File, Richard Bozak, Gordon Drinkwater, Colleen Hanrahan, James Middleton, Dennis Prather, Carole Kari, Marion Jukes, Colleen Martin, Thomas Morrison, Marlene Philbrick, Darlene Trineer, and Shirley McDougal.

A citizenship award, went to Colleen Martin and the Alumni Award, a similar honor, to Gerry Larson.

The Phi Theta Kappa award was received by Mrs. Leona Peffly Martin; a Toppers Don Mason Memorial Award by Don Egge, and the Tyee Award necklace went to Donna Van Winkle.

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Don Egge Receives Neil Eddy Award

Don Egge, all around GHC athlete and outstanding student, recently was the recipient of the coveted Neil Eddy Memorial.

This award is given annually by radio station KXRO to a student at Chokerville who most nearly typifies the characteristics of the late Neil Eddy. Eddy was the first football menter at Grays Harbor College.

Besides being student body president and participating in forensics, Egge earned letters in football, basketball, baseball, and track. Last fall he won all state junior-college recognition for his play at quarterback of the Harbor eleven.



PLACING SECOND in conference play were these gridiron warriors. Front row, left to right, George Crocker, Dick Green, Bob Rosti, Bennie Charley, Marv Manley, Bill Elsten, Don Egge, Game Blaz, George Fairchild, Bob Munro, Garland Stafford, Jerry Smith, and Marv Harvey. Back row, l. to r. Jim Lowe, Glen Best, Ben Sickinger, A. D. Williams, Maurice Oswald, Dan Kaufman, Leo Graham, Frank Calloway, Jack Medak, Tom Smith, Coach's Dan Melinkovich and George Palo are not shown.



Fred Himes

Banner Season Sets Up Chokers As Grid Power

GHC 26, Clark 0.

In offense Glen Best led the attack with spectacular running, Dick Green made a spectacular punt return of 60 yards, reversing his field twice and went all the way for a touchdown. Other scorers were George Crocker who scored on a quick opener over the center, and Best who scored the first one from about 15 yards on a quick opener. Green scored the other two.

Outstanding on the line for the Chokers were Bob Munro and Jerry Smith at the guards, on both offense and defense. Marv Harvey, tackle, also played a top game. Joe Major and Jim Lowe played good ball in their first game for GHC.

GHC 38, Portland State (Vanport) 0

With the addition of several new players the Chokers easily defeated the Vanport Oregon team. Despite the score, Grays Harbor bogged down frequently and missed many opportunities to score. The Blue and Gray line played a very good defensive game and the pass defense was air tight. The contest was a rough game with several players being ejected.

GHC 31, Wenatchee 0

After a rough first quarter in which the Black Knights threatened to score, the Blue and Gray broke Dick Green loose on a 90 yard run. Wenatchee's single wing attack proved no match for the Choker's fast moving T, with Dick Green, Marv Manley, and Gordie Brown, running well.

The big thing that really stopped the threat in the first quarter was the work of the Choker line and particularly the ends. A. D. Williams played outstanding ball on both defense and offense. The Choker passing attack also worked well with Don Egge pitching and A. D. Williams catching. This combination was to prove a big asset in the Choker victories that were to be ahead.

GHC 14, Olympic 13

Probably the biggest upset on the coast took place when the Blue and Gray took the field and defeated the Olympic Rangers of Bremerton 14 to 13.

Fresh from a 52-0 victory over the Centralia Trailblazers, the Rangers took the field confident and taking no chances,

with their legs greased and shered as to make tackling difficult for the Chokers.

Olympic won the toss and elected to receive. Joe Major of the Chokers booted the ball, and the battle was on. The Blue and Gray held for three downs and the Rangers punted, taking the ball on their own 30. The Chokers drove down the field, with Brown and Rosi carrying the ball. A pass from Don Egge to A. D. Williams put the Chokers back on their feet as Olympic held the ground attack for a little while. The pay-off came when Egge pitched out to Bob Rosi who went around left end for 11 yards in the game's first score. The extra point boot by Joe Major was wide, but Olympic was off side, and his next try split the up-rights and the score was GHC 7, Olympic 0.

The rest of the half was a battling turmoil with Olympic ending up on the goal line. Olympic had 4 downs to go 3 yards and didn't do it. Half time score-Chokers 7, Rangers 0.

Olympic started the second half determined to get revenge. After receiving the ball the Chokers failed to get a drive under way and were forced to kick, Brown doing the punting.

Taking the ball on their own 28, the Rangers drove to the Blue and Gray's own 40 yard line where the Choker line got through and stopped the Ranger drives. Then a pass to Adams, an Olympic halfback, scored for the invaders. The kick for the extra point was good, and the score was tied 7 to 7.

Taking the kickoff from their own 30 yard line, the Chokers drove all the way and sent Rosi over from the 7 yard line on a quick opener, and the Chokers were again in the lead. Joe Major's kick for the extra point was good, and the Blue and Gray was ahead 14 to 7.

Olympic again scored before the 4th quarter was half over, but failed to make the extra point and the score was 14 to 13. From this point on, the battered Chokers held on for dear life. Olympic scored on a quick opener for about 40 yards, but it was called back for clipping. From this point the locals never gave an inch, and went on to win the ball game easily.

An underdog Choker eleven played the brand of ball that was inspiring to the whole Harbor area, and for many sophomore lettermen, it was the night of revenge as Olympic last season humiliated the Blue and Gray squad 94 to 0 in a merciless game at Bremerton.

The starting line up for GHC was at ends A. D. Williams and Joe Major; tackles were Marv Harvey and Jack Medak; guards were Jerry Smith and Bob Munro, with Jim Foster at center. In the backfield Don Egge was at quarterback, Bob Rosi and Dick Green at the halfback spots, and Gordy Brown at fullback. On defense George Crocker and Lin Hatten were linebackers with the same line as on offense, with Egge and Foster going out on defense.

GHC 13, Centralia 0

This game was a rough one for the Chokers who were hampered by injuries and not at full strength. The Blazers gave the Chokers a real battle before being beaten. Important in the Choker attack was Bennie Charley. He ran like

a bulldozer all night. Though never really threatening to score, the Blazers gave the Chokers a real game as they had several hard running backs.

GHC 12, Lower Columbia 8

Trying hard to spoil GHC homecoming, the Red Devils got off to a fast start by tackling a Choker back behind the goal for a safety and two points. Then, taking the kickoff, they came right back and scored another touchdown before the Blue and Gray got started.

Everett 33, GHC 20

Playing for the state championship, GHC started off the scoring. Outstanding performers in the Choker loss was Don Egge's passing to A. D. Williams, who made several circus catches both good for touchdowns. Marv Manley made several long gains on good open field running, one being good for a touchdown.

Though behind 20 to 6 at the half-time, the Chokers came back strong and tied up the score 20 all, with Brown, Manley, and Rosi leading the attack on the ground, and Egge to Williams through the air. The Trojans scored at the start of the 4th quarter and again at the end of the game.

Finishing 2nd in the State Junior College League in a field of nine, the Chokers had a very successful season.

GHC 30, Yakima 7

Playing their final game of the season, the Blue and Gray rolled to a 30 to 7 victory over the Yakima Indians at Stewart Field before a good home crowd. The Choker forward wall, playing exceptional ball all season, long should come in for some deserved praise.

AWARDS

Bob Munro got the inspirational award trophy as voted by his teammates. Jerry Smith received the captaincy trophy, and George Crocker was presented the coaches award.

ALL-STATE

Don Egge at quarterback, Bob Munro, guard, and A. D. Williams, end were Grays Harbor's unanimous candidates for All-State team on offense.

Gordie Brown, halfback, Marv Harvey, tackle, and Jerry Smith were all on the All-State defensive team.

Receiving honorable mention were; Dick Green and Marv Manley, halfbacks; George Crocker, linebacker, and Jack Medak, tackle.



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GHC CHOIR ENJOYS GROWTH, POPULARITY

This years' Grays Harbor College Choir has doubled in number since the beginning of the 1952-53 school year. They have adopted a uniform of gray jersey blouses and navy blue skirts for the girls, and gray slacks, navy blue sport jackets with yellow ties for the boys. This choral group has appeared in several assemblies for the college, and has performed for the Weatherwax High School students.

They also visited other high schools in the area and provided entertainment at assemblies. Other audiences included the Aberdeen Kiwanis Club and the patrons at the Drams departments' winter play, "Potpourri," where the choir entertained between acts.



THE 1952-53 CHOKER BASKETBALL SQUAD Which placed sixth in state jaycee play. Front row, left to right, Ray Key, Bennie Charley, Glen Best, Don Egge, Gume Biaz, Alan Kilcup, and Jerry Smith, manager. Back row, Coach Jack Stoddard, Gordie Brown, Ron Aschbacher, Bill Dietrich, John Marvin and Leo Graham. A.D. Williams was absent.

Basketball Team Places Sixth

Grays Harbor College finished sixth in conference play for the 1952-53 season. Coached by Jack Stoddard the Chokers ended up with a season record of 11 wins against 13 losses. The Chokers were an up and down ball club, beating the tough teams, and losing to the weak. The graduating sophomores from the squad are Alan Kilcup, Glen Best, Don Egge, John Marvin, all two year lettermen, and Gordon Brown, Ron Aschbacher one year men. The freshmen on the team were Bennie Charley, Ray Key, Leo Graham and Bill Dietrich, A.D. Williams and Gume Biaz transferred to other schools at the end of the season. Statistics follow:

Individual scores for the season:

Brown	261
Kilcup	245
Best	237
Key	193
Marvin	182
Egge	165
Dietrich	42
Aschbacher	42
Charley	35
Williams	16
Biaz	11
Graham	8



Jim Hendry (22) of Fort Lawton deflects a shot taken by Glen Best (12). Number 35 is Ron Aschbacher, GHC center.



GRAYS HARBOR COLLEGE LETTERMEN'S CLUB Front row, left to right, Leo Graham, Marv Manley, Bennie Charley, Bill Elsten, Don Egge, and Advisor, Dan Melinkovich, Second row, Marv Harvey, Jerry Smith, Bob McPherson, and John Marvin. Back row, Wally Whara, Robbie Peltola, and Maurice Oswald.





Dick Green, Harbor halfback, drives for a first down despite the efforts of two Vanport defenders.



Bob Rosi skirts end for a touchdown against Olympic J.C. Grays Harbor went on to win 14 to 13.

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Choker Nine Suffers Off Year On Diamond

With four lettermen on hand and several other newcomers, Bob Basich's diamond aggregation showed plenty of hustle in the few games in which they participated. Old man weather ruled over most of the season, and the team didn't have much of a chance to show its stuff. With several games being rained out, Basich's batsmen were able to play in six games, and ending with a 0-6 record for the season.

Benny Charley and Fred Puljan carried the bulk of the Choker load, twirling in the first and second games of the doubleheaders respectively. Ray Key was used for relief duty. The well rounded infield was composed of Fred Puljan at first base, the keystone patrolled by Don Smith, with Robble Peltola at shortstop, and the hot corner sealed up by third baseman Aldo Anderson. Ready to fill in at any infield position was utility man. Bill Buchanan.

DEBATE TEAM GOES PLACES IN FORENSICS

The Grays Harbor College Forensic squad completed another successful season. They brought home a total of four trophies to be added to the GHC trophy case, already filled with forensic trophies from previous years. With the excellent coaching of Professor A. J. Hillier, the team distinguished themselves in every tournament attended and had a total of twelve finalists this year. Members of the team were Gerry Larson, Dorothy Dietrich, Jean Williams, Len Odd, Don Linde, and Harold Warren.

Grays Harbor was the only junior college in the state that participated in forensics and climaxed the season with a brilliant showing in the national junior college tournament, Ogden, Utah

SEATTLE PACIFIC TOURNAMENT

In the first tournament of the year for the college speakers, Gerry Larson placed second in mixed oratory against both men and women speakers and reached the finals in interperative reading. Don

Linde and Harold Warren also made strong showing in oratory and extempore.

CPS TYRO TOURNAMENT

The squad hit their high point of the season at the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma. They finished second in sweepstakes competition, 2 1/2 points behind Pacific University. They defeated colleges throughout the Pacific Northwest.

Gerry won first place in women's oratory and placed third in interperative reading. Dorothy Dietrich reached the finals in extempore, and the debate team of Dorothy, and Gerry captured first place in women's debate. The men's debate team of Linde and Warren beat teams from WSC, Lewis and Clark, Pacific Lutheron, and St. Martins College, but did not make the finals. Jean Williams and Len Odd performed well in other events.

LINFIELD COLLEGE INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Gerry Larson was second in women's oratory, and Dorothy Dietrich placed fourth in interperative reading. The men's debate squad again made a good showing taking teams from Gonzaga University, Linfield College, CPS, and St. Martins College. Jean Williams just missed the finals in interperative reading as did Len Odd in oratory.

ST. MARTINS VARSITY TOURNAMENT

The local speakers added more laurels at the St. Martins Tourriament held at St. Martins College early in April. Gerry Larson captured another first place in oratory, and Jean Williams placed third in the women's division. The debate team composed of Linde and Warren finished in the upper 50% of the competition.

NATIONAL JUNIOR COLLEGE TOURNAMENT

The season come to a close at the annual Phi Rho Pi tournament held in Ogden, Utah, April 16-18. The women's debate squad placed third in the nation among women's debate teams and Gerry Larson placed fourth in women's oratory. The men's debate squad of Linde and Warren again were edged out of the final round by one debate, but defeated teams from Carbon JC, Utah; Pueblo JC, Colorado; and Los Angeles City College.

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MEN'S CHORUS SINGS AT LOCAL SCHOOLS

This year's Grays Harbor College Men's Chorus numbered eleven members. The group appeared at several of the local schools and at a college assembly. Much time was spent in learning numbers for the annual tour of schools in the Southwest system.

Members of the organization were Jack Glasgo, Dennis Prather, Don Windell, Ted McElwain, Bill Glen, Tom Morrison, Bob Erickson, Jim Middleton, Robert Henry, John Campbell, and Don Smith. Greta Anderson accompanied the group.



Kangaroo Court in session. Members are (left to right); Deputy "Dangerous" Donna Van Winkle, Judge "Wild Bill" Elsten, Prosecutor "Hang 'em All" Don Egge, and Glen "Bad Man" Best.



THE MEN'S CHORUS appeared at many engagements throughout the school year. They were directed by Eugene Stensager. Left to right, Jack Glasgo, Dennis Prather, Don Windell, Bob Erickson, John Campbell, Tom Morrison, and Bob Henry.

Days Of '49 Revive Spirit Of Old West

The annual "DAYS OF '49" came to a climax with a Sadie Hawkins dance held in Hillier Hall on the college campus. The gala event hit its crowning glory with a Mock wedding of Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae. Unshaven male contestants lined up before a committee of five coeds. Unanimously chosen as Lil' Abner or Whisker King, was Jim Lauritsen. With the blackest, heaviest and longest beard, Jim did fit the pattern of Lil' Abner. Others chosen and presented with Booby prizes were Don Nord, for the Reddest beard, and Marv Manley for the Puniest beard.

Donna Van Winkle, or better known as "Rip", and Dorothy Dietrich were chosen in a student body election as Daisy Maes. Before the mock wedding could take place, a traditional Sadie Hawkins day race was held between the two girls. Racing in barefeet, a tackle made by Donna Van Winkle acclaimed her the honor of Daisy Mae. Hand in hand, Daisy Mae and Lil' Abner took their vows, while Jack Glasgo portrayed "Marryin' Sam." Dorothy Dietrich, loser of the race, acted as Maid-of-Honor with Marv Manley as Best Man.

This year a pair of very orderly Grays Harbor College Versions of Kangaroo Courts were held sessions in the student lounge. Judges Bill Elsten, and Martin Medak, assisted by Prosecuting Attorneys, Don Egge, and Gordon Drinkwater performed many versions of justice and passed on several sentences to the unlucky offenders. Some of the things offered as punishments were: The Firing Squad; which was a line of volunteer students who each received several chances with their squirt guns as the law breaker fought his or her way to freedom; and the notorious stocks of the Chokerville Jail which were guarded by Tom Morrison.

The offenders were issued tickets for committing offenses, by Sheriff Lester Johnson and his deputies Sara Ann Entrop, Donna Van Winkle, Marvin Harvey, Maurice Oswald and Darleen Trinneer.

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Coronation Of May Queen Highlights Mother's Tea

The annual Mother's Tea, sponsored by the Associated Women Students, was an event of Sunday afternoon, May 24th. The tea commenced at two o'clock in the student lounge in Hillier Hall with a welcome address to the mothers extended by AWS president, Donna Van Winkle. Mrs. Robert Van Winkle gave the response on behalf of the mothers.

Highlighting the program was the crowning of May Queen Jacquie Himes by Don Egge, Grays Harbor College student body president. The court was attired in pastel formals, and the girls entered the lounge to the accompaniment of the Coronation March which was played by Nancy Allen. The court, as selected by the popular vote of the women's student-body, included Queen Jacquie Himes and her princesses: Greta Anderson, Donna Van Winkle, Colleen Martin, and Ethel Salmi.

Following the coronation the men's chorus, accompanied by Miss Allen, sang a few selections, and Gerry Larson gave a reading. Sheila Smith sang, and Nancy Allen played a piano solo. Jerry Melseth and Don Egge entertained with three songs. The program was concluded with the introduction of the AWS officers, and refreshments were then served.

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"First Lady" is First Play of Drama Year

November 13 and 14, the Grays Harbor College Players, directed by Mrs. Grace Gorton Peck, presented the three-act play, "First Lady" at the Miller Auditorium.

Leading roles in the annual fall drama production were held by Jeannie Williams, Shirley McDougall, Barbara Alexander, Ian Ellis, Gerry Larson, Ron Laukkanen, Darlene Trinneer, Dolores Bardy, Dennis Prather, Leona Peffly, Colleen Hanrahan, Karen Wold, Tom Morrison, Jerry Smith, Richard Bozak, Jim Middleton, and Don Friend.

The play centered around a secretary of state, who found his friends and wife aspiring to gain him the presidency.

Elaborate Commencement Exercises Planned

Members of the Graduating Class of 1953 have issued their announcements to the commencement exercises which will be held Friday evening, June 5th, in the Miller Auditorium at 8:00.

Speakers for the exercises will be the Honorable Matthew Hill, Judge of the Washington Supreme Court in Olympia. His topic will be "Pioneering in 1953."

The Grays Harbor College Choir will sing "Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor" and "Dear Land of Home." Don Windell will play a French Horn solo, and Beverley Stafford will sing a solo, Bob Erickson will also sing.

Dean Kelsey, will make the presentation of the sixty-two graduates. Awarding the diplomas will be Mr. Ed Karschner, President of the school board.

The new members of the Tyee Society will usher.



TOPPERS CLUB Front row: Advisor Douglas McQuaig, Harold Warren, Bill Elsten, incoming president; Leo Graham, John Marvin and Bill Dietrich. Second row, Buddy Whiteside, Gene DeLorme, Vic Korpi, John Apple, and Bob Dubay. Back row: Jim File, Rich Bozak, and Alan O'Connor.



JOURNALISM CLASS, Front row, left to right; Kirk Adams, Carolyn Graham, Gay Little, Carol Christian., Pat McEwen, Colleen Martin, Donna Van Winkle, and Bill Darkow. Back row, 1. to r.; George Caldwell, Don Linde, Sandy Cole, Leo Graham, Bennie Charley, Bob Rosi, Glen Best, Cliff Dotson, and Robbic Peltola.

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