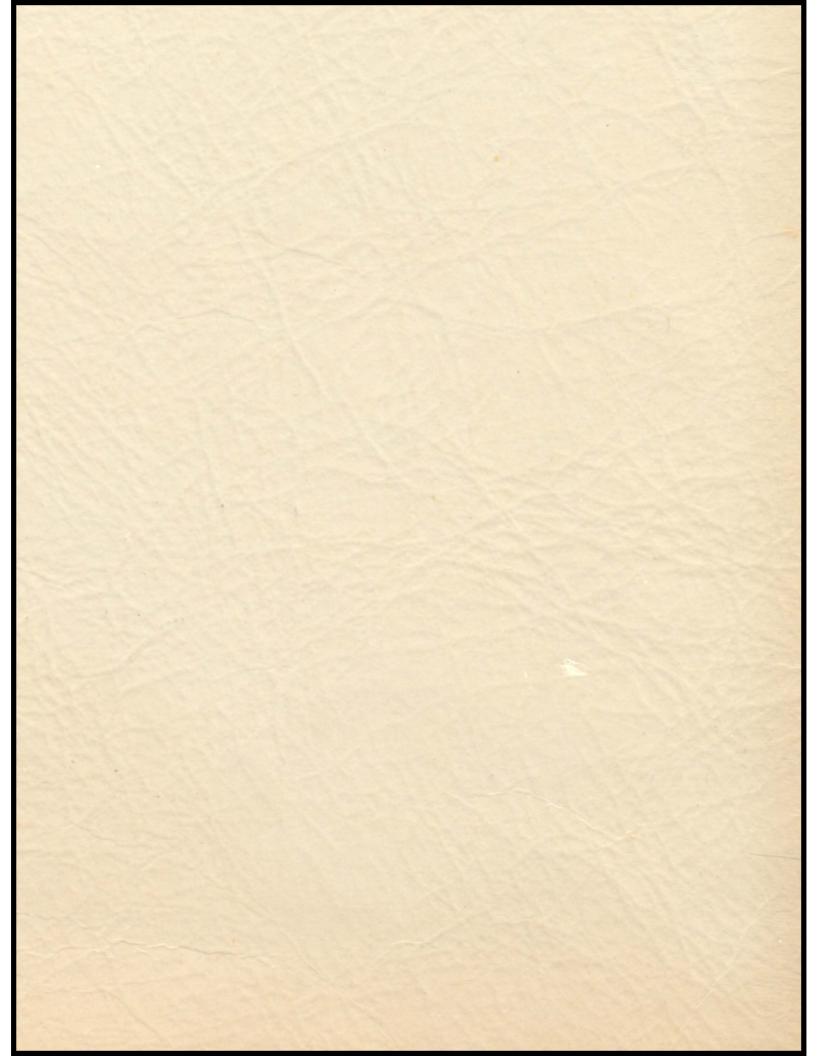




COLOME HIGH SCHOOL



The *COWBOY* 1950

Presents a remembrance of your friends and activities at Colome High School during the school year of 1949-50.

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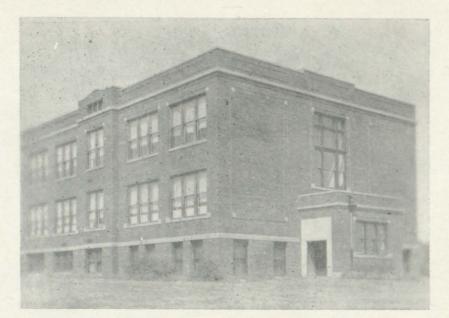
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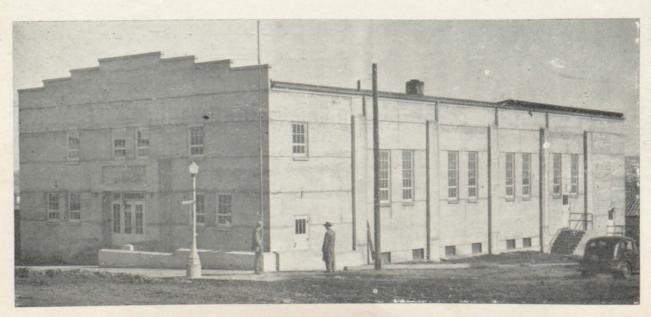
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Senior Class Officers

Jack Koenig, Vernon Fischer, Fred Vosika, and Paul Guerard

Seniors

CLASS COLORS—Maroon and White CLASS FLOWER—Carnation CLASS MOTTO—"The past forever gone, the Future still we own."



On September 16, 1946, forty-five freshmen entered Colome High School. Superintendent Farrell was the class sponsor. The class officers were: president, Darrel Berendes; vice president, Hugh Eastridge; secretary, Lois Vawser; and treasurer, Darlene Eckstaine.

In 1947, thirty-four sophomores returned to C. H. S. The chosen class colors were maroon and white. Mrs. Guerard was the class sponsor. The class officers were: president, Margaret Jerred; vice president, Ray Elliott; secretary, Meda Meyer; and treasurer, Hugh Eastridge.

The sophomores won the intra-mural traveling trophy from the juniors.

Twenty-eight juniors enrolled in the fall of 1948 under the sponsorship of Mr. Smith and Miss Dedlow. Class officers were: president, Donna Bjornsen; vice president, Leila Kinzer; secretary, Margaret Jerred; and treasurer, Ray Elliott.

A three-act comedy play, "The Life of Riley," was successfully presented under the direction of Mr. Smith and Miss Dedlow.

The first prize on the Veteran's Day floats was presented to the juniors. The theme of the float was "Atomic Energy."

The juniors were hosts to the seniors at the Junior-Senior Banquet, the theme being Oriental Gardens. Paul Guerard acted as toastmaster.

The intra-mural traveling trophy was kept in the class when the juniors defeated the seniors of '49.

September 7, 1949, twenty-five seniors began their final year at C. H. S. Mr. Tobin and Mrs. Johnson were the class sponsors. The class officers were: president, Paul Guerard: vice president, Freddie Vosika; secretary, Vernon Fischer; and treasurer, Jack Koenig.

The seniors were presented with first prize for their float on Veteran's Day. The queen and her attendants were the center of attraction on the float.

The juniors edged the seniors to gain the intra-mural traveling trophy after the seniors had held it for two consecutive years.

We have spent many happy and profitable hours during our four years at Colome High and it is with much regret that we depart.





PAUL BARCUS

"Study? Never heard of the word." Track 1; Basketball 1; Pep Squad 1; Lariat 3, 4; Football Manager 1, 2, 3; Declam 2.

DARREL BERENDES

"What a shame there will be no talking in his next world" Class President 1: Basketball 2, 3, 4; 'C' Club 2, 3; Football 3, 4.



DONNA BJORNSEN

"A conscientious student and a willing worker" Pep squad 1, 2, 4; mixed chorus 1, 2, 3; library 2, 3; band 2, 3, 4; class president 2: National Honor Society 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4; accompanist 3, 4.

LILA DYKEMAN

"To know her is to like her." Play 3; glee club 3, 4; mixed chorus 2, 3; pep squad 3; Lariat4.

DARLENE ECKSTAINE

"It's nice to be nice when you're naturally nice" Class treasurer 1; pep squad 1, 3; mixed chorus 1, 2, 3: play 3, 4; National Honor Society 4; D.A.R. 4; Queen attendant 4; Lariat 4; Cowboy 4.

RAY ELLIOT

"He's forgotten more chemistry then the rest of us ever knew."

Basketball 1, 2; track 1, 2, 3, 4; football 2, 3, 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; class treasurer 3.

VERNON FISCHER

"There's never a dull moment when he's around" Band 4; glee club 3; mixed chorus 3; basketball 1, 2, 3: "C" Club 2, 3, 4; class secretary 4.

PAUL GUERARD

"Boxing and his personality has won him fame and friends."

Dallas 1; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; basketball 2, 3, 4; football 2, 3, 4; boxing 2, 3, 4; Annual Business Mgr. 4; Assistant Business Mgr. 3; class president 4.

EDNA HOLDEN

"She does her own work and does it well." Library 4; pep squad 3.

MARGARET JERRED

"Life is short but sweet and so is she." Pep squad 1; cheer leader 2, 4; Lariat 1; declam 3; mixed chorus 2; glee club 2, 3; play 3, 4; library 3; Cowboy 4; Queen attendant 4; class president 2; class secretary 3.















ROBERT JORGENSON

"Love is too simple a game for a brainy man to indulge in."

National Honor Society 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Lariat 4; Cowboy 4; track manager 3, 4; football manager 4; Basketball manager 2, 3, 4; Play 4.

HAROLD KAISER

"When studying interferes with education cut out studying."

Football 2, 3, 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; track 1, 2; boxing 1, 2, 3, 4.

IRMA KEOGH

"Her Irish eyes are always smiling." Play 3, 4; declam 1, 2, 3, 4; glee club 1, 2, 3, 4; mixed chorus 1, 2, 3; sextet 2; soloist 4; Lariat 4.

LEILA KINZER

"Her nature is as sunny as her tresses." Pep squad 1, 2, 3, 4; band 3, 4; glee club 1, 2, 3, 4; mixed chorus 1, 2, 3; Lariat 2, 3, 4; Lariat editor 4; Cowboy assistant editor 3; Cowboy editor 4; National Honor Society 4; Queen attendant 4; library staff 3; class vice president 3; play 3, 4: Girls State representative 3.





JACK KOENIG

"A finer student and sportsman cannot be found" Cody High 1, 2; band 3, 4; glee club 3, 4; mixed chorus 3; soloist 4; duet 4; mixed octet 4; boys octet 3; basketball 3, 4: football 4; Lariat 3, 4; Cowboy 4; National Honor Society 4; declam 3, 4; "C" Club 4; play 3, 4; class treasurer 4.

LAVERNA LARSEN

"A likable girl in a likable way." Glee club 2, 3, 4; mixed chorus 2, 3; Lariat 2, 4; Cowboy 4; band 3, 4.

ERNEST LOVELL

"What would school be like without him?" Football 2, 3, 4: basketball 1; track 1; "C" Club 3, 4; play 3, 4; library 4, glee club 2, 3, 4; mixed chorus 2, 3.

ALICE PIETZ

"Study is all right but play is more fun." Band 3; library 3; pep squad 3; play 3, 4.







ELLEN SOLES

"She does her own thinking and needs little advice." Glee club 2, 3, 4: mixed chorus 1, 2, 3; pep squad 2, 3; Lariat 2, 4.

DORIS SHULTE

"A busy and cheerful student." Library 3, 4; glee club 3, 4; mixed chorus 3; pep squad 3, 4.

RICHARD SWARTZ

"You may not be aware of his presence until you get to know him." Gregory 1; basketball 2; boxing 2; "C" Club 3, 4.

BETTY STEFFEN

"Silence is the great art of conversation." Lariat 4; library 4; glee club 2, 3, 4; mixed chorus 2, 3; pep squad 2, 3.

JOHN TAGGART

"An atheletic ability well known in football." Football 2, 3, 4; track 1; play 3, 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4.

ALLAN VAVRA

"Work has taken the place of his idle time." Basketball 2, 3, 4; football 2, 3, 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; Boys State representative 3.



FREDDIE VOSIKA "It's such an awful care to be so handsome." Football 2, 3, 4; "C" Club 2, 3, 4; glee club 3; mixed chorus 3; vice president 4.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Lillian Jerred, Ruth Harter, Russell Kinzer, and Joan Haukaas

JUNIORS

In September, 1947, thirty-four freshmen walked up the steps of Colome High School to begin their high school career. Under the direction of Mr. Ekberg the class elected JoAnn Keever, president; Lillian Jerred, vice president; Merna Barcus, secretary; and Glen Huddle, treasurer. Maroon and gold were chosen as the class colors.

Twenty-seven full fledged Cowboys and Cowgirls returned to the saddles of C. H. S. in the fall of 1948. Elgin Lovell was elected president; Ruth Woolhiser, vice president; Joan Orel, secretary; and Joan Haukaas, treasurer. Mrs. Guerard and Mr. Cumpston were class sponsors.

In 1949, twenty Juniors returned to C. H. S. Miss Dedlow and Mr. Peters were class sponsors. Class officers for the year were president, Russell Kinzer; vice president, Joan Haukaas, secretary, Lillian Jerred; and treasurer, Ruth Harter.

Highlights of the year were the three-act comedy play "Dream Stuff," and the Junior and Senior Banquet and Prom. The play was under the supervision of Miss Dedlow and Mr. Peters.



Junior Class

LEFT TO RIGHT: TOP ROW: Donald Cahoy, Joan Harter, Ruth Harter, Joan Haukaas, Larry Hodgins. SECOND ROW: Allan Holden, Luella Holden, Glen Huddle, Lillian Jerred, Dick Johnson. THIRD ROW: JoAnn Keever, Russell Kinzer, Maurice Korb, Elgin Lovell, Delores McKinney. FOURTH ROW: Lyle McKenzie, Loretta Miller, LeRoy Modine, Joan Orel, and Ruth Woolhiser.



Sophomores

LEFT TO RIGHT: TOP ROW: Bob Berendes, Joyce Bertram, Dolores Chambers, Lois Couch, Ruby Couch, Bernita Dykeman. SECOND ROW: Ruth Dykeman, William Emme, George Fairbanks, Marjorie Farris, Wayne Hermsen, Dale Jackson. THIRD ROW: Raymond Jorgenson, Jim Koenig, Richard May, Leland McFarland, Edward Nebola, Dale Peterson. BOTTOM ROW: Mavis Pettit, Marie Pravecek, Rober Roby, Vaughn Smith, Marcella Vroman, Colleen Woods.

The class of '52 began its high school career with 28 members under the leadership of Mr. Ekberg. The class officers were: Bob Berendes, president; Dolores Chambers vice president; Colleen Woods, secretary; and Bernita Dykeman, treasurer. Green and gold were chosen as class colors.

Twenty-seven sophomores returned to the halls of C. H. S. Wayne Hermsen was elected president; George Fairbanks, vice president; Clifford Cork, secretary: and Vaughn Smith, treasurer. Mrs. Guerard acted as class sponsor. The class sponsored several all-school parties and its members participated in sports and all other activities.

Sophomore Class Officers

George Fairbanks, Clifford Cork, Vaughn Smith and Wayne Hermsen





Freshmen Class

LEFT TO RIGHT: TOP ROW: Blalin Bellander, Vergie Bjornsen, Delila Brezina, Delores Cahoy, Daisy Clark, Marcella Delfs, Mavis Eisenbraun. SECOND ROW: Joan Fischer, Don Hoefer, Charles Hrabanek, Clayton Jerred, Darol Kinzer, Ben Koenig, Keith Leighty. THIRD ROW: Delores Miller, Ruth Pietz, Ralph Peterson, Lyola Pettit, Virgil Pochop, Clata Roby, Jim Schwartz. BOTTOM ROW: Sadie Shedeed, Marlene Shippy, Irene Spinar, Donald Teel, Peggy Vavra, Merle Woolhiser, Fritz Zimbleman.

On the fifth day of Sept. 1949, 31 freshman boys and girls marched up the stairs of Colome High School. At the first class meeting, under the supervision of Mr. Leighty, Irene Spinar was elected president; Vergie Bjornsen, vice president; Marcella Delfs, secretary; and Ruth Peitz ,treasurer. After being duly initiated by the seniors, they became full-fledged members of the student body. The class was well-represented in athletics, band and other activities. Green and grey were chosen for the class colors.

Freshman Class Officers

Irene Spinar, Vergie Bjornsen, Ruth Pietz and Marcella Delfs





1st and 2nd Grades

LEFT TO RIGHT. Top row: Lura Dolphin, Bernard Peoples, Rosie Rajewich, Russel Bowers, Carol Leighty, Minnette Walthoff, Jimmy Wagner. MIDDLE ROW: Bobby Tarr, Lillian John son, Billy Holden, Phyllis Weber, Jimmy Flakus. BOTTOM ROW: Jimmy Flakus. BOTTOM ROW: Jimmy Peitz, Viola Nieman, Jerry Koenig, Myrna Manzer, Raymond Aubert, Judy Smith.

Not in the picture: Janice Read, Larry Welch, Larry Hammon, Shirley Stahlecker.

3rd and 4th Grades

LEFT TO RIGHT: Top row: Mrs. Amende, James Smith, Jack Holden, LeAnn Holden, Marvin Teal, Arnold Teal, Donna Nieman. MIDDLE ROW: Dorothy Bower, Edward Wagner, Judy Flakes, Marlin Janas, Roberta Welch, Merle Hammon Donna Larson, Billy Manzer. BOTTOM ROW: Joyce Wolthoff Leonard Peters, Mayme Cowherd, Michael Smith, Karen Bjornsen, David Wagner, Evalena Teal.





5th and 6th Grades

LEFT TO RIGHT: Top Row: Mrs. Gitchell, Marjorie Teal, Monty Woolhiser, Betty Holden, Daryl Jackson, Shirley Welch, Shirley Modine. MIDDLE ROW Deanna Weber, Shirley London, Jack Cork, Mary Holden, Connie Aubert, Anita Spinar, and Al McKenzie. BOTTOM ROW: Sharon London, Paul Peitz, Marva Koenig, James Manzer, Karen Wales and Stan Stenson. Not present: Vera Kaiser and Linda Nieman.

7th and 8th Grades

LEFT TO RIGHT: Top row: Mr. Boswell, Reinhold Kaiser, Wilma Janas, Larraine Keever, Marlene London, Shirley Walthoff, Vern Modine- MIDDLE ROW: Ray Hammon, Idalee Johnson, Clifford McKenzie, Sharon Aubert, Monty Wales. BOTTOM ROW: Edith Schoonhoven, Ray Fairbanks, Bayone Stenson, Robert Korb, Nedra Weber.





MAIN DORMITORY BUILDING

The dormitory was again opened to all of those who care to make their home there during the school year. The dorm was under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Cork and it was a successful year. Twenty-nine students stay at the dorm, and several others including some of the teachers eat meals there.

Some of the improvements in the dorm this year was the installing of a deep freeze and the painting of several rooms.

Activities held at the dorm this year was the football banquet and the Christmas party.

Forms of recreation include music, reading, sewing and social events. There is never a dull moment.



Our Dorm Staff



Working Hard?



A Moment of Relaxation



Must Be Good!



Library Staff

LEFT TO RIGHT: Standing: Betty Steffen, Doris Shulte, Ruth Harter, Loretta Miller. SITTING: Robert Jorganson, Darlene Eckstaine, Irma Keogh, Ernest Lovell, Joan Haukaas, Joan Keever, Lillian Jerred.

Staff in Action

Miss Dedlow, advisor, Larry Hodgins, Irma Keogh, Raymond Jorgenson, Frank Taggart





Senior Band

LEFT TO RIGHT: STANDING: Bob Berendes, Vernon Fischer, JoAnn Keever, Sharon Aubert, Lillian Jerred, Ruth Pietz, Ruth Dykeman. SITTING: Marlene London, Leila Kinzer, Vergie Bjornsen, LaVerna Larsen, Colleen Woods, Ruby Couch, Mavis Pettit, Donna Bjornsen, Richard May, Bernita Dykeman, Edward Nebola, Joan Haukaas, Jack Koenig.

Band

The senior band had a membership of sixteen students, under the direction of Mrs. Johnson.

The group made performances at all home football and basketball games. They also took part at the Veteran's Day celebration.

Beginners

Ralph Peterson, Joan Fischer, Marcella Delfs, Virgil Pochop, Shirley Walthoff, Shirley Welch, Betty Holden.





Drum Majorette of the Band Sharon Aubert



Twirlers Bayone Stenson and Sharon Aubert

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High School Cheerleaders

Irene Spinar, Margaret Jerred, and Delores Chambers



Grade School Cheerleaders Marlene London and Sharon Aubert





GIRL'S GLEE CLUB

LEFT TO RIGHT: TOP ROW: Bernita Dykeman, Leona Ring, Ruth Dykeman, Collen Woods, Joyce Bertram, Delores McKinney, Ruby Couch, Irma Keogh, Darlene Eckstaine, Betty Steffen, Mavis Pettit, Loyola Pettit, Marcella Vroman. SECOND ROW: Lois Couch, Marjorie Farris, Joan Haukaas, Leila Kinzer, Ellen Soles, Vergie Bjornsen, Alice Pietz, Doris Schulte, Donna Bjornsen, Ruth Harter, Joan Orel, Delores Miller, Peggy Vavra, Marcella Delfs, Lillian Jerred. BOTTOM ROW: Delores Cahoy, Ruth Pietz, Delores Chambers, JoAnn Keever, Loretta Miller, Marlen Shippy, Joan Fischer, Irene Spinar.

VOCAL

Beginning the year of 1949 and 1950 the various vocal groups were organized and well represented. These sections under the direction of Mrs. Johnson, made several local appearances.

BOY'S GLEE CLUB

TOP ROW: Donald Cahoy, Glen Huddle, Russell Kinzer, Lyle McKenzie, Elgin Lovell, Richard Johnson, Ernest Lovell, Jack Koenig. BOTTOM ROW: Ralph Peterson, Edward Nebola, Vergie Bjornsen, accompanist, Vernon Fischer, Maurice Korb.





SOLOISTS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Donna Bjornsen, accompanist, Jack Koenig, Irma Keogh, Delores Cahoy, and Delila Brezina.

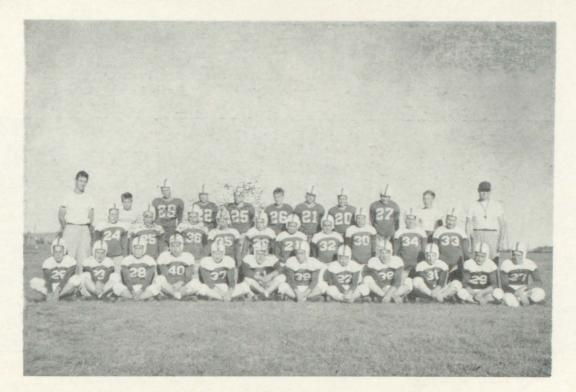
MIXED OCTETTE

LEFT TO RIGHT: Lillian Jerred, Jack Koenig, Leona Ring, Lyle McKenzie, Joan Haukaas, Ernest Lovell, Vergie Bjornsen, accompanist, Donald Cahoy Delores Chambers.

FRESHMAN OCTETTE

LEFT TO RIGHT: Marlen Shippy, Delores Cahoy, Ruth Pietz, Peggy Vavra, Vergie Bjornsen, accompanist, Marcella Delfs, Joan Fischer, Irene Spinar, Delila Brezina.



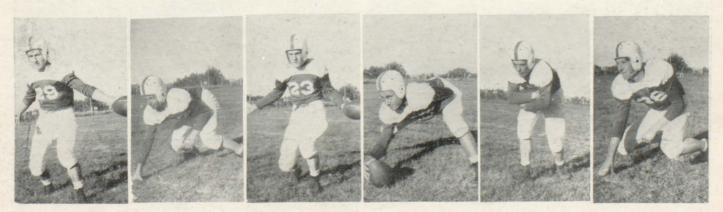


LEFT TO RIGHT: BACK-ROW: Dale Jackson, Manager, Franklin Bertram, Charles Hrabanek, Keith Leighty, Jim Koenig, Clayton Jerred, Edward Nebola, Virgil Pochop, Dale Peterson. SECOND ROW: Coach Peters, Russell Kinzer, Vaughn Smith, Elgin Lovell, Donald Teel, Jack Koenig, George Fairbanks, LeRoy Modine, Ernest Lovell, Merle Woolhiser, Raymond Elliott, assistant coach, Joe Tobin. FRONT ROW: Glen Huddle, Paul Guerard, Donald Cahoy, Darrel Berendes, Lyle McKenzie, Wayne Hermsen, Richard Johnson, Allan Vavra, John Taggart, Frank Taggart, Freddie Vosika, Harold Kaiser.

Football

One of the youngest and lightest teams in Cowboy history played a 7 game season. The Cowboys won from Spencer and Springview. They lost to Gregory, Winner, Burke, Ainsworth and Onida.

Seven lettermen graduate this year, but Coach Peters has much pleasing material for next year. Paul Guerard and Fred Vosika were elected Co-captains.



Freddie Vosika

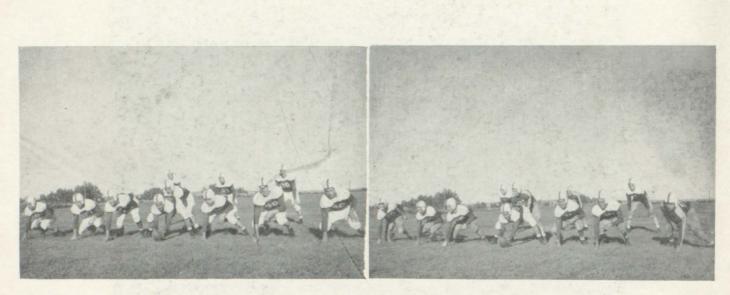
Allan Vavra

Paul Guerard

LeRoy Modine

Glen Huddle

John Taggart



First Line-up

LEFT TO RIGHT: BACK: Harold Kaiser, Freddie Vosika, George Fairbanks and Donald Cahoy. FRONT ROW. Darrel Berendes, Lyle McKenzie, Wayne Hermsen, LeRoy Modine, Allan Vavra, John Taggart and Ernest Lovell.

Second Line-up

LEFT TO RIGHT: BACK: Jack Koenig, Jim Koenig, Edward Nebola and Elgin Lovell. FRONT ROW: Ray Elliot, Russell Kinzer, Donad Teal, LeRoy Modine, Merle Woolhiser, Vaughn Smith, and Clayton Jerred.

George Fairbanks

Wayne Hermsen

Donald Cahoy

Lyle McKenzie

Frank Taggart

Richard Johnson







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FIRST FIVE 'A' SQUAD

BACK ROW: STANDING: Darrel Berendes, Dick Johnson, Jack Koenig. FRONT ROW: Donald Cahoy, Coach Peters, Maurice Korb.

Basketball

Twelve games were scheduled for the 1949-1950 season of which one game was cancelled and one forfeited. They played in three tournaments—the Conference tournament at Colome, A-B-team tournament at Winner, and the District 28 tournament at Burke.

The Cowboys were hindered by their small size but made up for it by their speed. From the 1949-1950 basketball season three players will be lost. They are Jack Koenig, Darrell Berendes, and Paul Guerard.

Group Basketball

BACK ROW: Standing: Manager Robert Jorgenson, Jack Koenig, Wayne Hermsen, Lyle McKanzie, Dick John son, Darrel Berendes, Vaughn Smith, Russell Kinzer, Coach Peters. FRONT ROW: Manager George Fairbanks Donald Cahoy, Bob Berendes, Jim Koenig, Edward Nebola, Dale Jackson, Paul Guerard, Maurice Korb.

Grade Basketball Team

BACK ROW: Standing: Darrel Jackson, Virgil Pochop, Clifford McKenzie, Clayton Jerred, Allen Zimbelman.

FRONT ROW: Bothy Korb, Darol Kinzer, Ben Koenig, Ray Fairbanks, Ralph Peterson.





Basketball "A" Squad

Donald Cahoy, Bob Berendes, Russell Kinzer, Darrel Berendes, Dick Johnson, Jack Koenig, Maurice Korb, Paul Guerard, Edward Nebola, FRONT: Coach Peters.

BASKETBALL ACTIONS







The Champ

Paul Guerard

Leather slinger, Paul Guerard, began his boxing career three years ago, This year he was a finalist in Sioux City Journal-Tribune Golden Gloves at Sioux City, Iowa.

He fought champions from five different states and has fought in four different states. Paul is the third best boxer in South Dakota.

His only means of training is what he does himself and what his sparring partners, Dale Welch and Harold Kaiser, teach him. The three of them travel around a lot together and fight with all who wish to fight in their division.

Paul won the lightweight division (135 lbs.) at the Mitchell Tournament and Dale Welch won the feather weight division (126 lbs.).

Harold Kaiser hasn't done much fighting in tournaments but he has fought a great deal in other fighting cards. He is also a great fighter.

We are all proud of the great progress that Paul has made in these last three years.

Harold Kaiser





"C" Club

LEFT TO RIGHT: BACK ROW: Paul Guerard, Maurice Korb, Lyle McKenzie, Russell Kinzer, Jack Koenig, Vernon Fischer. MIDDLE ROW: Harold Kaiser, Richard Johnson, Ray Elliot, Frank Taggart, John Taggart, Ernest Lovell, Paul Barcus. FRONT ROW: Glen Huddle Allan Vavra, Robert Jorgensen, Darrel Berendes, Elgin Lovell, Donald Cahoy.

"C" CLUB

The "C" Club is an organization of Cowboys who have earned their letters in any of the athletics made available by the school. Every year new members are admitted. This year we welcome and initiated 7 members into the club.

The officers elected by the Cowboys were Paul Guerard, president; Richard Swartz, vice-president; Dick Johnson, secretary-treasurer.

Track

There are 17 boys out for track this season but only two of them are lettermen. The material is light but there are prospects of a fair season.

Those representing the Cowboys in the different track events are: 100 Yard Dash—Cahoy, Leighty, Koenig; 220 Yard Dash—Cahoy, Leighty; 440 Yard Dash—Huddle, Guerard; 880 run—Nebola, Fairbanks; Mile run— Fairbanks: High Jump—Hofer, Kaiser; Broad Jump—Huddle; Pole Vault—Koenig; Hurdles—Kaiser, Koenig; Discus—Kaiser, Johnson, Guerard; Shotput—Johnson, Huddle; Relays (440, 880, and mile)—Vosika, B. Koenig, D. Kinzer, Taggart, Hrabanek, Roby, Peterson, and others.

The Track team was hindered by bad weather but they attended the following meets: Winner Invitational, Rosebud Relays at Colome, Rosebud Conference at Colome and the regional at Yankton.



COWBOY STAFF

LEFT TO RIGHT: STANDING: Mr. Leighty, advisor, Robert Jorgensen, Elgin Lovell, Dolores Chambers, Darlene Eckstaine, Leila Kinzer, Bernita Dykeman, Vergie Bjornsen, Margaret Jerred, Paul Guerard. SEATED: Jack Koenig, Loretta Miller, Ruth Harter, Ernest Lovell, Joan Haukaas, JoAnn Keever, Ruth Pietz.

Publications

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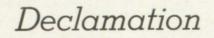
The Cowboy is the annual put out by Colome High School. The juniors elected Ruth Harter as assistant editor and Elgin Lovell as assistant business manager to assist Leila Kinzer, editor and Paul Guerard, buisness manager. There were twelve other members on the staff. The Lariat was a monthly school paper run off of a ditto machine. Leila Kinzer and JoAnn Keever were selected as editor and assistant editor. There were twenty members in the staff with Mr. Tobin as faculty advisor.

LARIAT STAFF

LEFT TO RIGHT: STANDING: Clifford Cork, Robert Jorgensen, Lila Dykeman, Irma Keogh, Betty Steffen, Doris Shulte, Joan Orel, Ruth Harter, JoAnn Keever, Paul Barcus, Loretta Miller, Joan Haukaas, Bob Berendes- SITTING: Jack Koenig, Darlene Eckstaine, Ellen Soles, Leila Kinzer, Marcella Delfs, Vergie Bjornsen, Lillian Jerred.



Lariat





Delores Chambers

Five contestants participated in the declam work this year. All four divisions were represented—poetry, dramatics, humorous, and oratory. In the local declamatory contest, the first place winners were: Dolores Chambers with a selection of twelve poems; JoAnn Keever with the dramatic reading, "Afraid of the Dark"; Irma Keogh with the humorous reading, "My Sister Eileen and Future Admirals";; and Jack Koenig with the oratorial selection, "The Negro and the Constitution". Irene Spinar received second place in the dramatic division with the reading, "White Licacs". The first place winners participated in the district contest held at Burke. Their ratings were: Dolores, superior; Jack, superior: Irma, superior; JoAnn, excellent. Making 18 of the possible 20 points the Colome declam team won the team trophy and set the record of making the most points of any school in the record of the district.

Dolores, Irma, and Jack were all eligible for the regional contest held at Wagner. Dolores won the superior rating in the poetry division, Jack and Irma received excellents.

Dolores was then eligible for the state contest held at Pierre where she received a good rating.

Irene Spinar, the second place winner in the local contest, was sent to the Rosebud Hickory Stick Contest at Dallas where she received a good rating.

DECLAMATORY CONTESTANTS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Dolores Chambers, Irma Keogh, Jack Koenig, Irene Spinar, Jo Ann Keever.





VALEDICTORIAN Donna Bjornsen

> SALUTATORIAN Darlene Eckstaine



D. A. R. Representative Darlene Eckstaine



BOYS AND GIRLS STATE REPRESENTATIVES

JoAnn Keever Lyle McKenzie



Homecoming Day

The annual homecoming festivities of Colome High School was held on Veteran's Day at Fetzners Feld, between the halves of the football game with Onida.

It was a formal ceremony with the queen of last year attending to present the throne to the new queen. The queen, Donna Bjornsen, was crowned by the Co-Captain Paul Guerard.

Donna Bjornsen was chosen as Homecoming Queen by votes of the entire school. The four girls who were runners-ups and served as her attendants were Lila Dykeman, Darlene Eckstaine, Margaret Jerred, and Leila Kinzer.

The queen and her attendants participated in the parade of floats, receiving first prize for having the prettiest float.

Carnival King and Queen

The annual school carnival was held in the Veteran's Memorial Hall, December 7, 1949. Candidates were chosen from each of the classes, to compete for the king and queen of the carnival. The candidates were: Freshmen, Delores Cahoy and Jim Swartz; sophomores, Marjorie Farris and Vaughn Smith; juniors, Joan Orel and Leonard Barlond; and seniors, Leila Kinzer and Paul Guerard.

After a close race, which ran until midnight that night, the freshmen came out on top. They were crowned by the senior candidates who were close behind them. The crowning of the queen and king is the main attraction of the carnival.

The National Honor Society

Leila Kinzer, Jack Koenig and Robert Jorgensen were chosen as members from the Senior Class. JoAnn Harder was elected this year from the Junior Class to continue the society. Donna Bjornsen having been elected the preceding year is acting as president of the society. The members of this society are chosen on the basis of leadership, scholarship, character and service.

C. H. S. Calendar for the year 1949-50

September

2-Teachers Meeting

- 6-School begins
- 9—Assembly program—Bajans 19—Teachers Meeting
- 20-Freshman initiation
- 23—Football game. Burke here 30—Football game with Spencer
- here

October

- 1-Football game with Onida here 7-Get-To-Gether
- 12-Assembly Program-Van Caval
- 13-Football game with Winner here
- 19-Sophomore class party
- 21-Football game with Gregory
- here
- 25-Juniors started magazine drive
- 26—Assembly program—Wheelers
- 28-Football game with Ainsworth here.

November

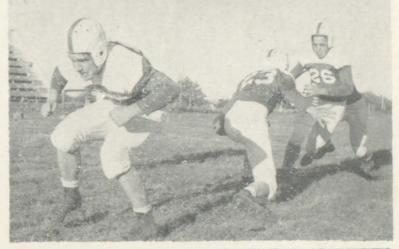
- 4-Football game with Spencer there
- 11-Football game with Springview here
- 23-24-25-Thanksgiving vacation
- 30-Local declam contest

December

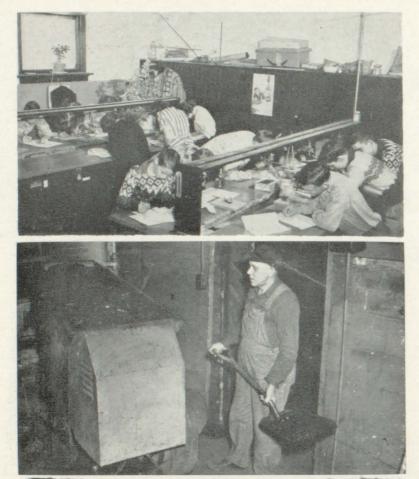
- 1-Assembly program-Archers Football banquet
- 5-Hickory Stick contest at Dallas
- 6-Basketball game with Winner here
- 7-School carnival. Regional declam meet at Wagner
- 9-Basketball game with Mission there
- 13-Basketball game with Burke here
- 16-Basketball game with Dallas there
- 20-Basketball game with Bonesteel there
- 22 to Jan. 2-Christmas vacation
- 26-27-Conference Tourney here
- 1. Our office.
- 2. Typing I class.
- Cowboys in action.
 High School cheerleaders giving a yell.















January

- 6—Basketball game with Gregory here
- 6-7-Colome Invitational Basketball Tournament
- 10—Basketball game with Burke there
- 12—Basketball game with Dallas here
- 16—Basketball game with Bonesteel here
- 18-Freshmen class party
- 20—Basketball game with Fairfax there
- 24-Senior movie
- 26-27-Conference Tourney here
- 31—Basketball game with Fairfax here

February

- 2-Basketball game with Mission here
- 7-Basketball game with Gregory there
- 15-Senior movie
- 16-Assembly program
- 17-18--B Team Tourney at Winner
- 23-24-District Tourney at Burke
- 2.-Senior movie

March

- 3-Sinior Scholastic test given
- 8-Assembly program- Magic
- 15-Senior moives
- 22-Senior movies
- 24-Junior play "Dreamstuff"
- 29-As embly program-Nelson

April

- 13—Grade School Basketball Banquet
- 12-'C' Club initiation and party
- 19-Senior movie. Assemb.y program
- 20-Senior Day at Gregory
- 22—Invitational track meet at Winner
- 27-Rosebud Relays
- 2. Senior play-"The Groom Said No"
- 29-nural track meet

May

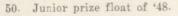
- 5-Conference track meet have Skip day for seniors
- 10-Junior-Senior banquet and prom
- 13-Regional track meet at Yankton
- 14—Baccalaureate Services
- 16-Commencement
- 19-Last day of school

1. Cutting frogs.

- 2. Julius at work.
- 3. The other team scoring.
- 4. Grade cheerleaders.

SNAP SHOTS

- 1. Margie, strutting.
- 2. Pals from way back.
- 3. Isn't she heavy Pee Wee?
- 4. Two initiated freshies.
- 5. Donna and her sax.
- 6. A senior girl.
- 7. Idalees stride.
- 8. Mutt and Jeff.
- 9. Fred seems happy.
- 10. Coachs' back.
- 11. Surprised.
- 12. Legs.
- 13. Feet!
- 14. Jack's Hand.
- 15. Three buddies.
- 16. Posing.
- 17. Balin's smile.
- 18. Pretty boy.
- 19. Daisy Clark.
- 20. Always together.
- 21. Interesting, Margie?
- 22. Smile, Joan.
- 23. Pretty hair, Darlene.
- 24. Just her size.
- 25. Lillian, again.
- 26. The Koenig brothers.
- 27. Is it windy, Irma?
- 28. Chums.
- 29. Tired, Jim?
- 30. A good kid.
- 31. Another good kid.
- 32. Marcella Delfs baby face.
- 23. What are you pointing at Ruth?
- 34. Jack and Lyle.
- 35. Clayton taking pictures.
- 56. Whats the matter, Lillian?
- 37. Three seniors' backs.
- 38. Joan Fischer half.
- 39. Take a big bit.
- 40. Drink it down Mavis!
- 41. What a face!
- 42. Bobby's frown.
- 43. Mr. Leighty.
- 44. What a smile.
- 45. Act your age.
- 46. Delores Cahoy.
- 47. Three senior pals.
- 48. Is it that bad Joan?
- 49. Arms.



51. Riding high.

52. Childhood days.







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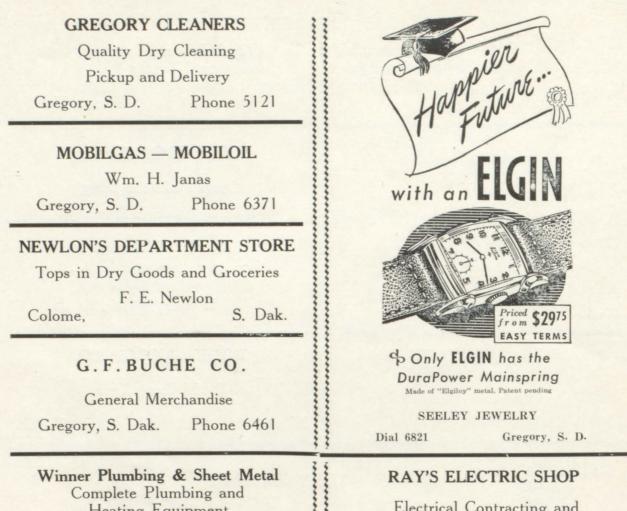
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