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THE QUESTION

What have you noticed NEW in Washington High School since you came back?

Betty Walorski-The surprising football team.

Marie Ann Cholasinski-The enthusiastic cheerleaders.

Darlene Schoen-More boys wearing tapered pants. (About time.) Bob DeCook-"Women".

Bob Cronkright - DeCook (try-

ing to grow a beard.) Maurice Ranschaert - All the new colored shoes floating around lately.

Bernice Olivet-The loud cheering in the assemblies. It rocks the building! Looks like last year's lost cheering section has been found!

Joan Kwasniewski - So many new sharp dressers (especially the boys).

Ben Reima I noticed the new teachers for one and also the new students. (The good looking girl students, that is).

Rita Klosinski-I'm surprised at the new Ben Bejma.

Lyle Snyder - The new underclassmen, specially the Females.

Bob Cichocki-the new name for our 2nd hour, driving class. The "Laughing Class."

#### **Attention, Male Students**

### **Navy** Announces NROTC Exam

The Navy announced recently that the fourth nation-wide competitive examination for its College Training Program has been scheduled for December 3, 1949, and will be open to high school seniors or graduates within the age requirements. Successful candidates will be given a four-year college education at goverment expense and will be commissioned as officers of the Navy or Marine Corps upon graduation.

The program is open to male citizens of the United States between the ages of 17 and 21, and quotas have been assigned to each state and territory on the basis of its high school population. Those who are successful in passing the aptitude test will be interviewed and given physical examinations; then,

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### **Ruler for a Night Morris** Crowned **Round-up** Queen

Stephanie Morris, senior of home room 114, was crowned Washington Queen of the Washington-Riley Round-Up at the celeday, September 23. Members of her court were Janine Banicki of 116. Wanda Swizek of 125. Dorothy Olivet of 108, and Joan Kwasniewski of 102.

At the Riley-Washington game on Saturday evening, Stephanie accompanied by her court, met the Riley Queen, Pat Gaffigan, on the field between halves and exchanged bouquets as a symbol of the friendship and good wishes of the schools. The Riley queen was accompanied by her court of Julia Szabo, Juanita Wuthrick, Norma Denny, and Mary Valenti.

The Washington Queen was escorted by Eugene Kaczynski. Escorts for the members of the court were James Hecklinski, Maurice Ranschaert, Stanley Jackowiak, Ranschaert, Stanley and Bob Ogorek.

This year marked the third occasion when the Student Councils of the two high schools sponsored the Round-up.

#### **BEITLER CHOSEN** JUNIOR ROTARIAN

The 12A class selected Don Beitler as Junior Rotarian for this semester, at their meeting on Monday, September 12. Don will attend the Rotary Club luncheon meeting every Wednesday noon with Mr. Schoeppel. It is held at the Oliver Hotel. Don's membership in Rotary is made possible by the business men of South Bend. Each of the six high schools in town have such junior members.

#### STUDIO DISPLAYS **QUEENS' PICTURES**

Pictures of Stephanie Morris and Pat Galligan, Washington and Rilev High Schools' football queens. are being displayed in the east window of the McDonald Studio on West Colfax Avenue. The pictures are sixteen by twenty inch prints, oil tinted and framed in wide white They stand on easels frames. drapped in white with streamers of the two schools' colors. A pair of footballs complete the window display.

The pictures will be on display until about October 4.

## **Departamental Heads Named To Produce Yearbook**

On Monday, September 19 the planning committee of "Memory Lane" for the Class of 1950 selected the committees on the Class Will, Prophecy, and the Underclassmen Soliciting. The planning committee meets Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday during the first hour and con-

. "Memory Lane" Trail Forming

This issue of THE HAT-CHET is the first of the new

of the change in price of the paper and of its need for your support. But we want

In order to make possible a subscription from everyone, the price is being reduced to \$1.50. In order to make both ends meet at this figure, we MUST have 250 subscribers in the building. This is not an unfairly large number. Indeed, it is fewer than we would have if everyone gave to THE HATCHET the support that a school paper deserves.

three 50c installments. Everyone who has paid 50c, re-ceives this issue. The full ceives this issue. The full price must be paid in the next four weeks. Represen-tatives of THE HATCHET will call in home rooms each Tuesday morning for the next three weeks to make collections.

### Congratulations, Bob!

## Student Council **Organizes**

The first weekly meeting of the Student Council was held Wednesday, September 14. The members are as follows: Bob Ogorek, 102; Barbara Vakarich, 108; Joseph Bykowski 110; Julius Sarmer, 114; Janine Banicki, 116; Ann Kopczynski, 117; Richard Grontkowski, 118; Nancy Landuit, 119; Carl Zwierzynski, 120; Josephine Handler, 121; Sally Wawrzyniak, 125; Darlene Golubski, 126; Betty Wogatzki, 202; Melvin Lesniewicz, 203; Betty Davis, 205; Frances Urban, 124; Shirley Gwynn, 123.

From this group we chose the following as our officers: Bob Ogorek, pres.; Sally Wawrzyniak, vice pres.; Janine Banicki, secretary and Hatchet reporter; Julius sists of Stephanie Morris, Rita Klosinski, Mary Krzyzaniak, Rita Reiter, Marie Schultz, Rosemary Szabo, Betty nn Toth, Joan Wasielewski, Loretta and Ray Zielinski, Don Stepniewski, Eugene Karnafel, Gene Kaczynski, and Joe Chrzan.

#### The Will

The Will will be written by Lucille Walczak, Pat Grunert, Rosemary Scott, and Joe Chrzan. The Prophecy

The Prophecy will be under the care of Barbara Hamilton, Evelyn Sanders, Rita Klosinski, and Marie Schultz.

#### Sales Staff

The Committee to sell to the Underclassmen is Rosemarie Graczyk, Pat Cesavice, Greta Grall, Betty Wachowiak, Rita Reiter, Joan Wasielewski, Wanda Swizek, Irene Nagy, and Pat Bartkowiak.

A diary of the senior year will be kept by Elizabeth Trzaskowski. James Stemm has been appointed to keep athletic records.

#### FIFTY SIGN FOR PANDA CLUB

About fifty senior girls have signed up for membership in the Panda Club. They will probably hold their meetings on Wednesdays at noon. The Panda Club has many plans for this school year. few It will probably sponsor a Also, the members will dances. sell buttons, pom poms, and streamers at the various football games. The Panda Club is sponsored by Miss Fortin and is for senior girls only.

#### SENIOR PLAY SELECTION SOON

Miss Fortin has announced that several plays have been taken under consideration for the Senior Play and are now being read. The final selection wil be announced in the next issue of THE HATCHET.

#### Sarmer, treasurer.

The main discussion was about the Riley-Washington Round-up. Sally Wawrzyniak, Janine Banicki, Melvin Lesniewicz, and Josephine Handler were chosen to meet with Riley.

#### STUDENTS!

subscription year.

You have already been told to repeat it:

This sum may be paid in

#### \_\_THE HATCHET\_\_\_

### School Spirit

Have you ever wondered what makes your life worth living? Think about it seriously before you read the next sentence. What makes life worth living is the little part you play in the home, gang, and school. Knowing that you are a part of the plans being made, you receive a sensation of joy. This joyful feeling forces you to work, to retain your place, thus a more interesting life.

Considering the above truth, I have seriously wondered how interesting is the school life of the Washington High School Students (grades 9-12). I don't mean you; since we are conversing, let us discuss the ills of our school spirit. We can outline the discussion as follows:

Athletic — where are the fellows of the future teams? If they were offered to be fed their dinner by dad they would be highly insulted. This would show he still considered you as helpless babes.

The same fact applies when one has to continuously talk and coax you about joining the squad. Don't be a shrinker or Washington's reputation will fall. Get in and dig; you'll be surprised what you'll discover.

Cheering Club — This doesn't mean a certain few organized students; it means every student from 9B through 12A. Get in there and cheer as loud as you can; a good place to practice is pep assembly. After all, the cheer leader only represents the student body. You own the power. Use It.

Clubs — Please don't forget there is more to school than just books. Sure, they are the foundation and hold first place, but there is the social side also. Joining clubs adds to your education and makes books more interesting. Get to be a member of the club of your choice and do the things you like.

We hope we have given you some encouragement and ideas. We hope to see new faces among the future varsity, hear louder cheering and meet new members in the clubs.

Remember: Washington School's rating is where WE put it. Let's use our last ounce of energy and be on the list of people that find school life worth living. G. A.

#### Let's Get Back

#### LIBRARY CLUB BUSY AT WORK

Washington Record Gets Setback

Washintgon High School's excellent record in South Bend's Safe Driving League received a severe setback Saturday, September 24, when Robert DeCook of home room 108, had a serious automobile accident at the intersection of Prairie Avenue and Ewing Street.

Robert, accompanied by two boys and a girl, was driving his father's car when he lost control. The car is reported to have turned over several times. He suffered a brain concussion and is now in Memorial Hospital. His companions were badly bruised and shaken up. The car was almost demolished. Witnesses are amazed that any of the group lived.

Until last spring, Washington's record in the Safe Driving League was almost perfect. It suffered its first serious blow when a '49 senior had his license suspended following an accident on U.S. 31 in which speeding was charged. Robert's accident gives the record its second really black mark in less than a year. The record is further damaged by the fact that he was driving without his father's permission and without a driving permit.

Girls, the first step in the art of cooking is to learn how to bring some man you'd like to cook for, to a boil. The Library Club has met three times since the beginning of the semester. It has the following officers directing it this year: Barbara Tschida, president; Adeline Ciesielski, vice-president; Florence Waggoner, secretay; Geraldine Austin, treasurer; and Josephine Przybylski and Ann Szucsits, program committee.

The three new members who have joined the club are Helen Nagy, Evelyn Hill, and Betty Trzaskowski.

Each member of the Library Club must put in two hours of work in the library every week. Working at the circulating desk, returning incoming books to shelves, keeping shelves in order, shellacking books, sending out overdue notices, decorating bulletin boards in the library, and helping with much of the typing that has to be done are some of the things that are done by its members while they work in the library.

#### Y-TEENS NEWS

The Y-Teens have elected Jeanette Gorczyca as secretary. Jeanette is replacing Rosemary Scott, who resigned.

The Y-Teens are planning a Pot Luck for October 11, at 5 p.m. The Pot Luck will be at the YWCA on the second floor.

Correction Please! The Inter-Club Council representatives are Fides Hojara and Evelyn Sanders instead of Fides and Jeanette Gorczyca as previously announced.

### Eye Openers High School Fashions

Students!! Have you seen the glamour chicks walking around our school? Well - you haven't? We'll give you an idea of what we mean. For instance, Sally Wawrzyniak was the first at Washington to wear a tweed sweater (she was a little embarrassed because the boys called her a speckled trout). Joan Kwasniewski has a new green wool-jersey blouse (she received it as a birthday present-Happy Birthday, Joan). Marie Shultz has been seen with a new corduroy coat (she looks sharp in it). Wanda Swizek is sewing a brand new wardrobe of tweed and plaid skirts (Wanda make us a couple, too).

Darlene Schoen has been seen in a beautiful new corduroy ensemble (she hasn't worn it to school as yet). Jeanette Gorczyca also has a wool jersey blouse and a new corduroy skirt which makes a cute outfit. Carol Guzowski was seen in a rust color corduroy dress (one of the latest styles).

Eileen Lubinski, a sophomore, has a brown plaid suit which is very attractive Darlene Golubski has some very neat looking skirts and sweaters (keep it up, Darlene). Carol Wentland, Helene Van Hulle, Fae Ford, and Margaret Toth have wardrobes of attractive clothes and look pretty sharp. Last, but not least, we have Elma Lee PaSma, who always looks neat and attractive.

I'll be looking for you in the next issue readers; then we can scrutinize the boys of Washington High.

#### **HI-Y MEETS**

The Hi-Y boys at their recent meeting decided to discuss "boy and girl relationship" at meetings this fall and plan joint meetings

#### NAVY ANNOUNCES NROTC EXAM.

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if they are found in all respects qualified, their names will be submitted to state and territorial Selection Committees composed of prominent citizens and naval officers. The Navy expects to enter about 2,000 students into the program commencing with the fall term of college, 1950.

The students selected by these competitive examinations will be assigned to the 52 Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps units which are located in various universities and colleges in the United States. If accepted by the college, they will be appointed Midshipmen, U.S.N.R., and will have their tuition, books, and normal fees paid for by the Government. In addition they will receive pay at the rate of \$50.00 a month for the four-year period. Upon graduation they may be commissioned as officers in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps and required to serve on active duty for two years. At the end of this time they may apply for retention in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or transfer to the Reserve and return to civilian life.

Applications are available at high schools, colleges, Offices of Naval Officer Procurement, and Navy Recruiting Stations.

. Miss Goppert, who is acting as the Navy's local civilian representative, will be pleased to provide specific information about the program, including the time and place of the competitive examination, the method of making appliation, and the specific age and scholastic qualifications.

with the girls of the Y-Teens.

A Hi-Y encampment at Camp Eberhart will be held October 21 and 22. The officers will probably be the ones who will represent the Hi-Y. They include Bob Ogorek, Ray Zielinski, Don Bietler, Ray Haluda, Dan Buzduczy, and Marvin Bethel.

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#### Just Nosing Around

## **Observation** on a Pep Assembly

Have you ever made the statement "It takes all kinds of people to make the world?" If so, why don't you join me while I take notes on all the different types I discover at the Washington "pep" assembly.

Sitting to our left we find Miss Dignity, whose voice was tuned softly only for Prince Charming to hear and understand. She can't afford to let Tommy see her behaving like a typical football fan. But where is our prince - I can't seem to locate him now, but I do see another odd specimen in the sophomore section to our right.

Hmm-mmm—I would call him the "Night Owl". He seems to do his visiting at night and his sleep in the auditorium. What an impression he must be making on the team and faculty. Let's not linger here too long, for Miss Martindale seems to have him under control with her surprising jabs in the back.

To the left of the "Owl" we may witness the "hen party" going on, where all the chicks flock to hear what Mary had on at the dance last night or what Johnny said to Lil at 8:00 o'clock last night.

ret while the Owl **1**5331103405474 and the hens are cackling, we see "Lazy Bones" trying to catch up on his last week's civics assignment and next to him sits "Nosey Rosey" herself. If she doesn't be careful, she'll find herself in Miss Cooney's office taking treatments for a strained neck.

What's that odor I smell? Potato chips? Yes, I can see "Late Date" forgot to eat his breakfast this morning, so now he can't join in with the cheering because his mouth is stuffed full of trash. Let's not stay and watch "Late Date" acquire a tummy ache. Suppose we study the freshman group.

Ah-just as I thought. Nothing but a lot of "bumps on a log," who haven't taken time to learn the vells or what cheerleaders stand on the stage for.

It's a sad story, isn't it? If you agree, why don't you do something about it-if any shoes of these sizes fit you?

Why not join the small few who really have the school spirit? Stop thinking about how dignified you are because Tommy's sitting over there with "School Spirit."

Go to bed on time, so your throat and lungs will be ready to join the "small few."

Eat your breakfast at home in order to yell and avoid a tummy ache.

Don't treat the auditorium as a farmyard where all the hens gather to dig the gossip up.

Why break your neck trying to

### **PANTHERS' FOOTBALL ROSTER 1949**

(Green and Blue)	Pos.	Weight	Age	Year
John Landuit	L.E.	175	17	Sr.
Joe Radecki	L.T.	195	16	Jr.
Jeff Rush	L.G.	155	18	Sr.
Don Beitler	C.	155	18	Sr.
James Zmudzinski		190	17	Jr.
Ben Bejma	R.T.	210	17	Sr.
Julius Sarmer		170	17	Sr.
David Kasznia	Q.B.	155	18	Sr.
William Robertson	L.H.	180	18	Jr.
Robert Johnson	R.H.	140	18	Jr.
John Easton		170	17	Jr.
Vince Nagy		185	18	Sr.
Daniel Kruszewski	L.E.	165	17	Jr.
Gerald Malicki	L.T.	195	16	Jr.
Donald Lukasiewicz	L.G.	150	17	Jr.
Melvin Lesniewicz	C.	150	17	Jr.
Mandor Vargo	R.G.	150	14	Soph.
		175	17	Freshman
William Gilkey	R.E.	160	17	Jr.
		140	16	Jr.
LeRoy Katona	L.H.	160	18	Sr.
Nathaniel Roberts	R.H.	155	18	Sr.
Richard Bagarus	L.E.	150	16	Soph.
James Berta	L.T.	210	16	Soph.
Art Lootens	L.G.	150	16	Soph.
Ed Pietrzak	C.	135	15	Soph.
Harry Niespodziany	R.G.	150	17	Sr.
James Finch	R.T.	200	16	Jr.
Steve Sabo	R.E.	150	16	Soph.
Richard Grontkowski	Q.B.	140	16	Jr.
		150	15	Soph.
Bob Hegedus	L.H.	130	15	Soph.
Harry Ganser	R.H.	140	16	Soph.
Ernest Kish	F.B.	160	16	Soph.
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### New Books In The Library

West of the Hill	Carroll
Tree of Freedom	Caudill
Paintbox Summer	Cavanna
Cannon Hill	Deasy
Senior Year	Emery
Bush Holiday	Fennimore
Vison the Mink	
Bob Clifton	Hogue
Kentucky Derby Winn	
Mystery of the Eight	

	Poston
Sign of the Golden	FishRobinson
Marian and Marion.	Selleger-Elout
Bright Design	Shippen
Purple Tide	Silliman
Running Thread	
Especially Father .	Taber
Mystery of the Gull	sWhitney

Two men were talking about women drivers.

First: How long has your wife driven a car?

Second: As long as I can remember, but only in an advisory capacity.

see what your friends have on?

If you're freshmen, why not start out right by learning that you'll have more fun if you're participating in the yells rather than being spectator. a

Come on gang! Have fun by joining "School Spirit" and backing your team this year. They can't lose with your rootin' for them. E. S. them.

#### **Senior Secrets**

Pickle is courtin' a cat from Riley--Annette Lambert.

SPICE

Sally - Have you landed your man yet?? Namely, John Landuit?

handsome guy, but Joan Wasielewski needn't worry - she's going

this time with Margie from Central.

**Junior Gossip** 

going steady. Hope it lasts.

with a boy from Riley.

Pauline Watson has a crush on

#### .:0::-

#### Sophomore Scoops

What's this between Mary Ann P. and a certain Jim from Central?

helping Leroy K. in Foods I???

a certain Don from Central. Correct, Pat????

K.? She has a new one again? Who is it this time. Mary?

something between Leon and Pat

Who's Ho-o-o

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### Washington's **Radio Characters**

Our Miss Brooks—Miss Fortin. My Friend Irma—Pauline Watson.

Superman—Vince Nagy. We, the People—The students at

W. H. S. The Fat Man-John Pavich.

Suspense-9 weeks final test. Beulah-Lilli James.

Sherlock Holmes—Mr. Covert. The Saint—Joe Siderits.

It Pays to be Ignorant -Wegner's History I Classes. - Mr.

Capt. Midnight - Don Lukasiewicz

People Are Funny - The teachers.

Sing it Again - Miss Unger to her Glee Club. Junior Miss—Jeanne Nagy.

Take It or Leave It --- The students who steal lunches. Corliss Archer-Joan Kwasnie-

ski.

Grand Central Station - The gym at noon. Stop the Music—Mr. Meyers to

his band.

Let's Pretend --- We're not in school.

Red Skelton—Gene Long. Queen for a Day — Stephanie Morris.

Inner Sanctum-Mr. Schoeppel's office.

Jack Benny-Ed Pietrzak.

Sam Spade, Detective-Mr. Weg-r, spying on other school's plays.

What's Cookin'-The boys in the foods classes.

The Shadow-Ray Zielinski.

Joan Davis — Mary Jean Slabaugh.

Spike Jones and his City Slick-rs — Capt. Ben Bejma and the ers

football team. Joe Boland on Sports - Bob Si-

korski. The Quiz Kids-Gene Karnafel,

Pat Kus, Steve Horvath. Road of Life — Twelve years of school.

Louella Parsons - Mary Jane Nowak.

Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Per-ns — Mr. Wright. sons -

Luncheon Club - 114 during the noon hour.

Young Love --- Olma Pasman & Harry Ganser.

#### **ALUMNI NEWS**

Ervin Wierzbinski, '48, was a recent visitor in the building. Ervin is a finger-print technician with the F.B.I. in Washington and a student in American University there. He expects to work for a degree in law.

Marion Pilarski, '48, brother of Mr. Edward Pilarski, is due to report tomorrow to the F.B.I. in Washington for training in the finger-print division.

John Vukovits, '48, a member of the marine corps was selected to be a member of the presidential guard of honor during the visit of the President to Philadelphia during the convention of the American Legion. John has been stationed at Camp LeJeune.

from Mishawaka. Work on him, Eleanor.

Norm from South Bend Catholic. You, too, better work hard on him, Pauline.

Why is Betty Jane O. always

All's fine between Pat Kruk and

What's this I hear about Mary

A little bird told me that there's C. How about it, Leon?

Pat Gillion, from Riley, is sure a

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Dan R. and Dorothy F. are now

Marie C. is now going steady

Eleanor R. has a crush on Earl

steady, with him. Heckle is again going steady --

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#### Vince and Willie, Plus

## Panthers Trim Eagles' Wings

Behind the splendid running of fullback Vince Nagy and halfback Willie Robertson, Washington's still strong Panthers defeated an encouraged Adams eleven by the score of 33-14 at School Field Stadium on Saturday, September 17. Robertson, who scored three of the Panthers five touchdowns, did some fine break away running as did Vince Nagy. Meanwhile, in the line Ben Bejma and John Landuit stood out, Bejma with his rugged line play and Landuit with his pass receiving and running. The Panthers jumped to an early 6-0 lead in the first period, on Robertson's toss to Landuit who streaked over the goal. However the determined Eagles came right back to tally and take a 7-6 lead.

Washington exploded in the second period for three scores, one by Nagy on a pass interception and two by Robertson. This enabled the Panthers to hold a 26-7 halftime lead.

The starting eleven was around in the third only long enough to score their fifth and final touch-At this point Sam Wegner down. began putting in a flow of substitutes. Watching these subs per-form was enough to convince any fan that Washington will still be strong in the years to come. Adams tallied once more in the third period and thats the way the score stood until the final gun. Don Beitler converted three out of five in the game, to place his conversion averaged at .750, six conversions in eight attempts. The game marked Washington's second victory of the season in as many games. The victory over Adams, however, was the Panther's first in conference play. The other came at the expense of Elkhart 21-6 on September 9.

Score by quarters:

Wash. \_\_\_\_\_6 20 7 0—33 Adams \_\_\_\_\_0 7 7 0—14 Scoring TD's: Adams: Daugherty, Lahey.

Washington: Robertson 3, Nagy, Landuit.

Pts. after TD's Adams: Downer 2; Washington: Beitler 3.



### Moving Along Panthers Defeat Wildcats 13-7

Paced by the surprising performance of Nate Roberts, Washington's Panthers downed a rough and rugged Riley team by a 13-7 count at School Field Stadium on September 24. A crowd of 10,000 watched the always-strong Panthers overcome a 7-0 first period deficit.

Riley tallied their only score in the first quarter when Willie Robertson fumbled on his own seven. From here Riley's fullback Eldon Motts slashed his way to the four. On the next play Jim Altic powered to the two and then Motts plunged over for the score.

Washington wasted no time getting back into the game, however, for they scored on the very first play of the second period, when Willie Robertson heaved a 35 yard aerial to Roberts, who raced to the goal from the thirty. Don Beitler then converted the point after touchdown, which at the time seemed all-important.

About ten minutes later Nate intercepted a Ken Sult pass on Riley's forty and streaked over for the second tally. Beitler missed his try for the extra point this time.

In the third period John Landuit raced 53 yards on an end around play, only to have Washington lose the ball on downs on the Riley 10.

The second half turned out to be a defensive battle with the Panthers controlling the ball the majority of the time.

Riley's line proved themselves to be tough to the last when they held the Panthers from scoring in the final seconds. Vince Nagy

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crashed the line three times and gained each time, but the clock ran out on the Panthers with the ball on the Riley one-foot line.

The entire Panther squad showed a lot of fight throughout the ball game.

The win was Washington's third of the season and second in N.I.H. S.C. competition.

Score by quarters:

Washington \_\_0 13 0 0—13 Riley \_\_\_\_\_7 0 0 0— 7 Scoring: Riley touchdowns: Motts; point after touchdown: Geraghty (placement).

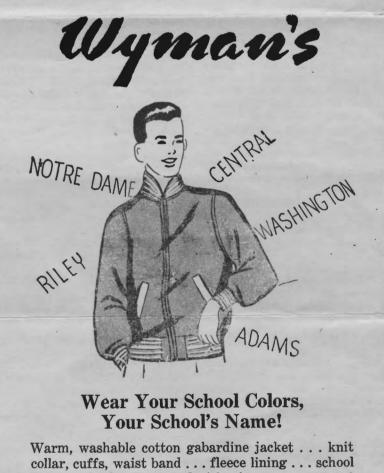
Washington touchdown: Roberts, 2; point after touchdown: Beitler (placement).

### Look Out, Elkhart!

I was lingering around in the hall after school (hard to believe, isn't it?) when all at once a most terrifying noise made me think of "Leo the Lion." Frightened out of my wits, I finally regained my courage and decided to find out the cause of my scare. Knowing that those big, gruff sounds came from the field in back of the school, I went there. To my great surprise, who should I see but Sammy Wegner, bending over his charges. Their pale, innocent faces were uplifted and listening to every word he uttered. As I couldn't see anybody else on the field, I knew then from where that magnetic sound had come. Of course, it had to be Sam. Who else?

Do you know what those boys were listening to? It was a pep talk! This is about the way it went. "MEN!! We just HAVE to beat Elkhart! If you DON'T you know what that means? That's RIGHT. You'll eat nothing but BREAD AND WATER — for a week!!! Let's get down to work. Do you want to STARVE? Beat those BLUE BLAZERS or ELSE!."





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