

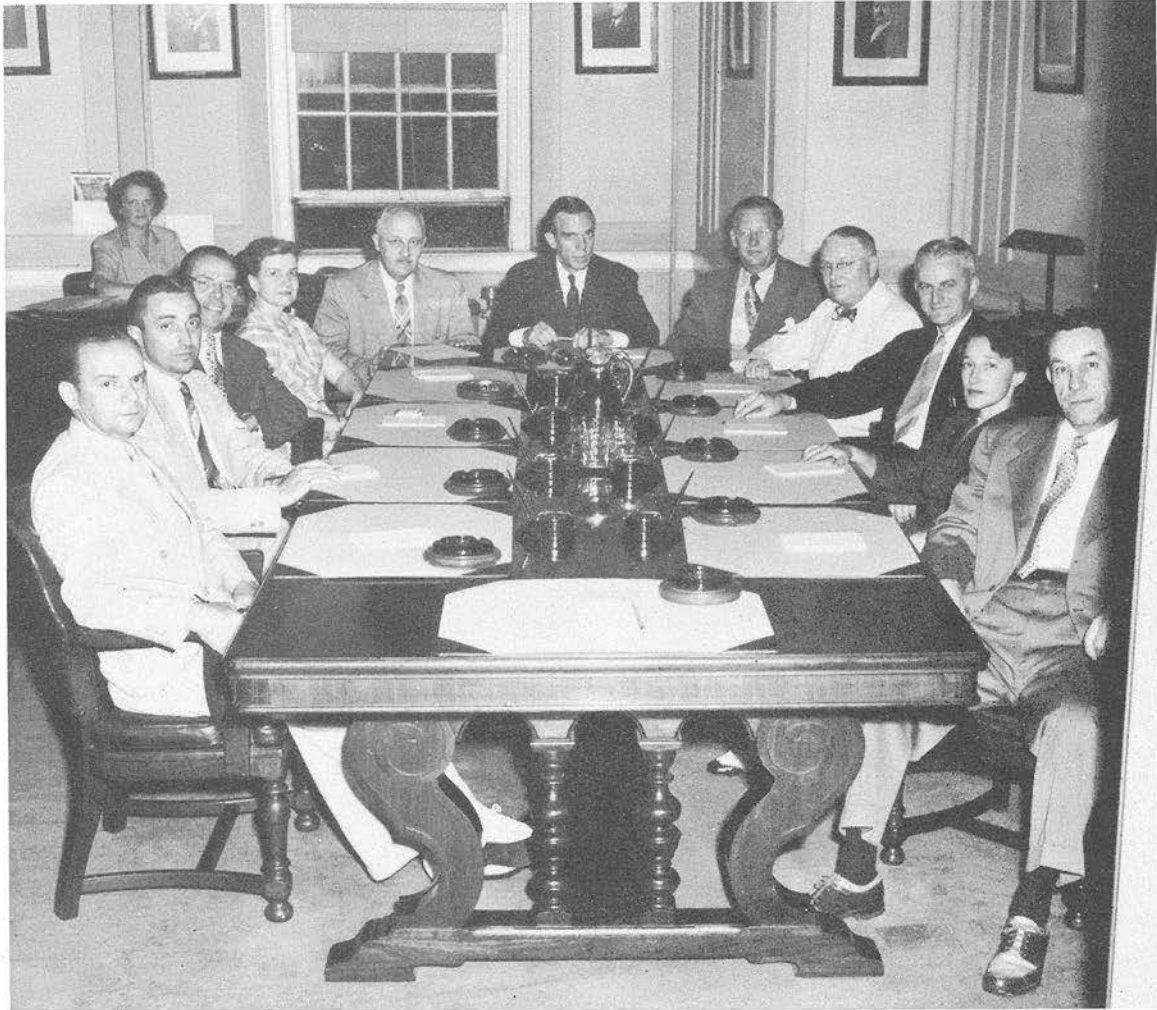
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A PICTORIAL
Annual Report



ON THE NUTLEY
NEW JERSEY
PUBLIC SCHOOLS
JUNE, 1950

Showing... Our History, Growth,



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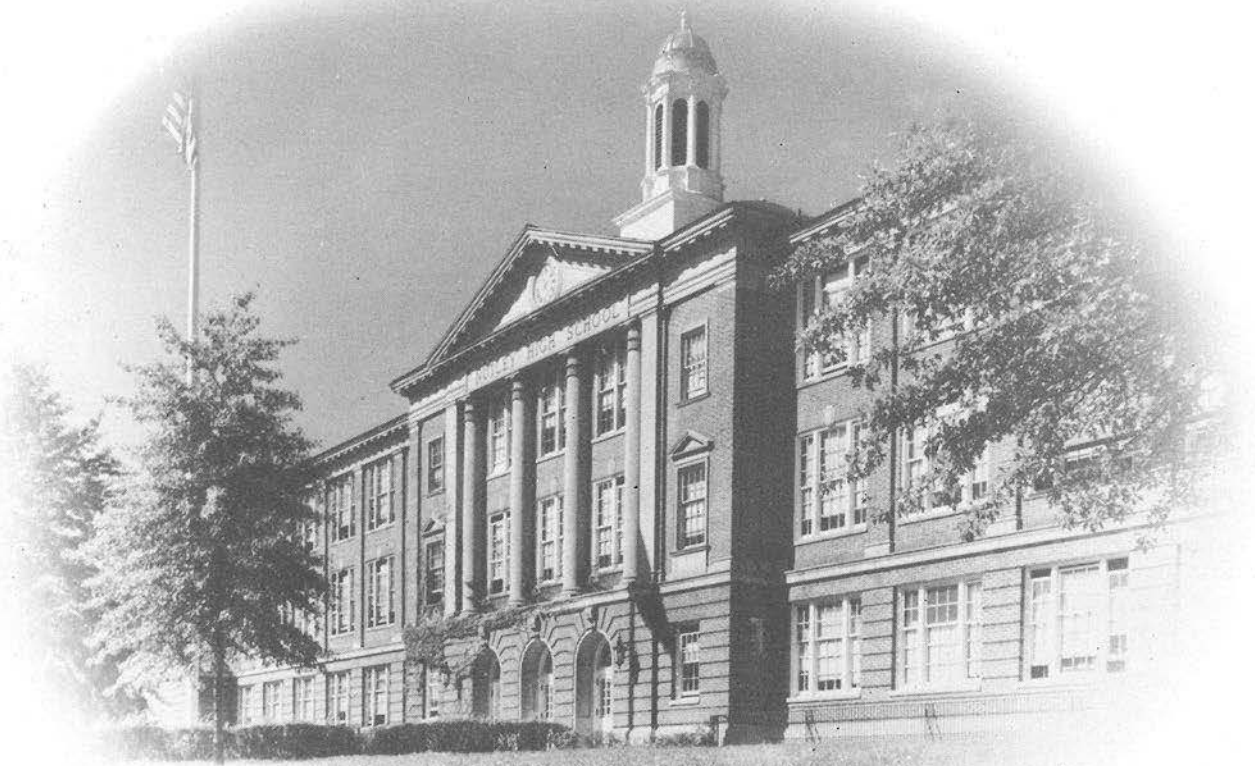
● *ELEMENTARY*

● *JUNIOR HIGH*

● *SENIOR HIGH*

● *ANNUAL REPORTS*

THE PURPOSE of this report is to combine a bit of history, such as was done in 1930 by former Superintendent Paul R. Radcliffe, with a report, in word and picture, of the present-day school system. Such a report should appeal to those who like to know backgrounds or beginnings. It is always entrancing to consider the place from whence we came, because such a view adds much interest when appraising our present-day position.



"Our High School" A Symbol of Our Growth

A Brief History

NUTLEY, or what is now the Town of Nutley, was at first, and for many years after its first settlement, a part of the original Dutch grant known as Newark. In 1812 the area was separated from Newark and made a part of Bloomfield. This arrangement continued until 1839, when the eastern section of Bloomfield was separated and became Belleville Township. At this time the Nutley section was called North Belleville. In 1874 Belleville became a town, and this section became Franklin Township. In the township three areas had local names, i.e., Avondale, Nutley Center, and Spring Garden. Finally in 1902, Franklin Township became the Town of Nutley.

There seem to be no pictures of the first schoolhouses in this area, but the 1930 report records that the Third River, or Yantacaw, divided the area into upper district and lower district. The western part was referred to as

the "upper" and the eastern called the "lower."

To quote further from the 1930 report:

"The first schoolhouse in the Lower District was the 'Old Stone Schoolhouse,' located at Passaic Avenue and Avondale Road, now known as Park Avenue. It was built about 1794 on land given for 'school purposes' by Mr. John K. Spear. This building consisted of two rooms which were heated by a wood fire in a large pot stove, the fuel for which was supplied by the boys. The water supply was merely a bucket of well water, and everyone drank from the same dipper. The expenses of the school were covered by the renting of one of the rooms for living quarters and the quarter-yearly tuition payment of \$1.56 per capita. Later a district tax on the basis of each family's attendance was levied.

"On the other side of the river, in the Upper District, a one-story frame building containing one room with a few windows and an entrance was erected on what was called 'Water Cress Patch' at Bloomfield Avenue and Centre Street. This was called the 'Old Red Schoolhouse.' In 1844, after years of service, it was moved to the southwest corner of William Street and Franklin Avenue. Some years later it was moved to New Street where it now stands facing the Park School, remodeled into a two-family dwelling. No definite date as to the beginning of this school is available, but there is a record that Mr. Albert Chappell taught in this school as early as 1825, and the school had then been in existence a number of years.

"About 1850, a frame building was erected on the site of the 'Old Stone Schoolhouse,' and was later remodeled. This was called the 'Passaic Avenue School.'

"The next school was built on land donated by Mr. Henry Stager in 1856. This was a two-story frame building on Church Street facing east, and hence was known as the 'Church Street School,' with a separate entrance for boys and girls. The Church Street School burned in 1874—the year that Nutley separated from Belleville and became the Township of Franklin—and in 1875 a two-story brick building was erected and used until the Park School was built in 1894. It lay idle for a few years and then was used for a manual training school.

"The Upper and Lower Districts consolidated in 1889 and formed a high school department which was held in the first floor of the Passaic Avenue School. The second floor was occupied by primary classes.

"Mr. Richard W. Booth, who for nearly a generation was a member of the Board of Education and its president for nineteen years, while still young in the town's service, envisioned a school site and campus and in 1890 suggested to Mr. John Rusby and Mr. William H. Boardman that they arrange to purchase twelve acres of land for \$15,000. A part of the purchase now forms the beautiful campus facing the Park School, as well as the site of that building. It extended from Franklin Avenue and Chestnut Street to New Street, back to Elm Street and along that street to Chestnut Street. Several mills and a residence stood on this property and one of the mills, a two-story brick building, was remodeled for school purposes and in 1891, the High School and Intermediate Departments were moved there from the Passaic Avenue School, using the second floor, which was partitioned, separating the two departments.

"In 1904 this building was partially destroyed by fire, and after rebuilding, was used exclusively for municipal purposes—housing the town's offices and the post office, fire department, and, in its infancy, the Bank of Nutley.

"In 1893 the voters of the school district rejected a proposition to remodel the High School and directed the trustees to build a new school at a cost not to exceed \$30,000. The trustees invited competition among the architects and of the plans of twenty-seven architects, those of Mr. E. R. Tilton of Nutley were chosen. The plan as adopted was the simplest solution that could be made of the problem of an eight-room schoolhouse with an assembly room.

"Mr. Downing Vaux, a distinguished landscape gardener of New York, was engaged in 1894 to suggest possible improvements for the School Park. His plans included a driveway, walks, tennis courts, football and baseball grounds, a grand stand and a band stand.

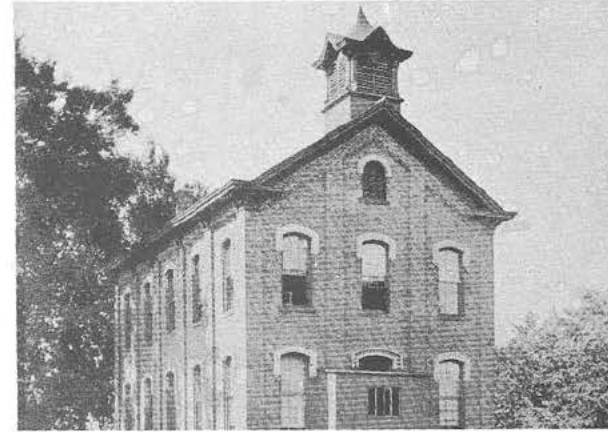
"During 1898 and 1899 primary classes were held in the private residence of Mr. William Duncan on Elm Street, where the library now stands. This was part of the property bought in 1890."

We have no pictures of the "Old Stone Schoolhouse," the "Old Red Schoolhouse," or the original "Church Street School." Our first pictorial record is of the "Passaic Avenue School" which replaced the "Old Stone Schoolhouse" in 1850.

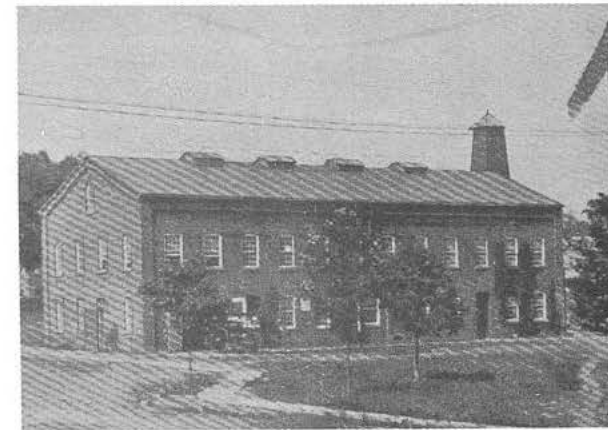
Just before the turn of the century these were the units in our school plant: Passaic Avenue, Church Street, Park, Duncan Homestead, and Park Hall.



PASSAIC AVENUE SCHOOL



CHURCH STREET SCHOOL



PARK HALL SCHOOL



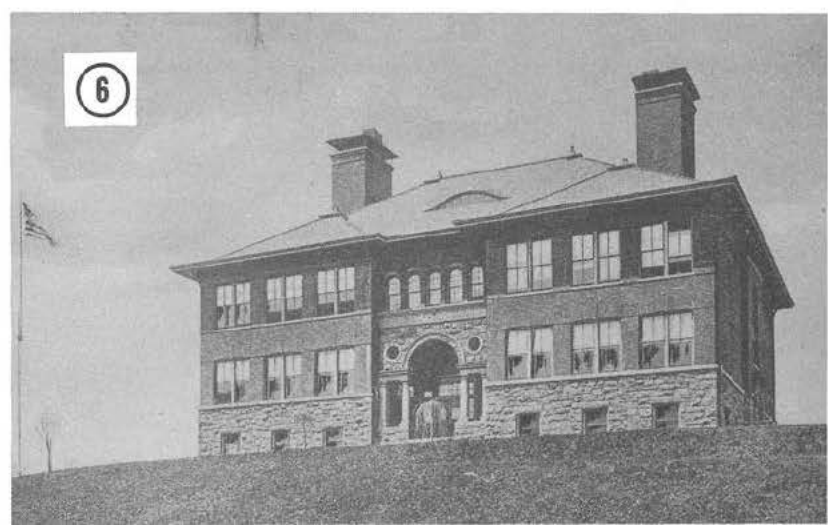
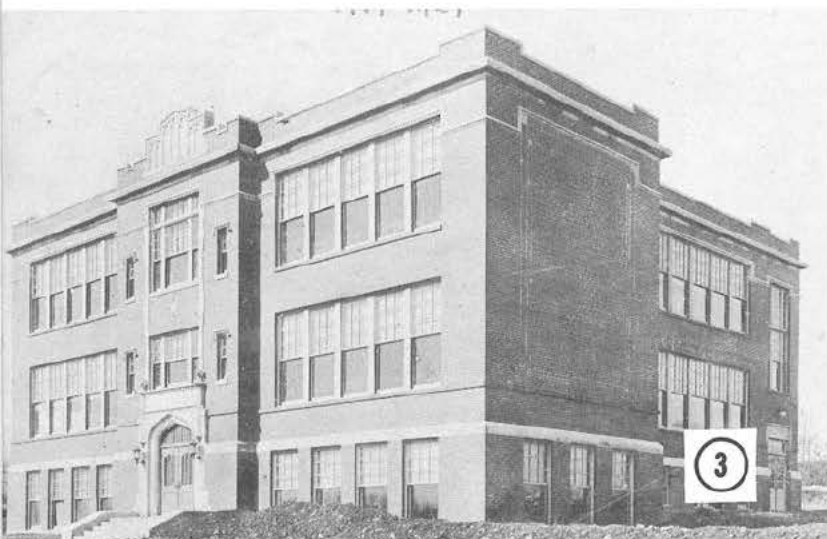
PARK SCHOOL



THE HOMESTEAD SCHOOL



NEW WASHINGTON SCHOOL, NUTLEY, N.J.

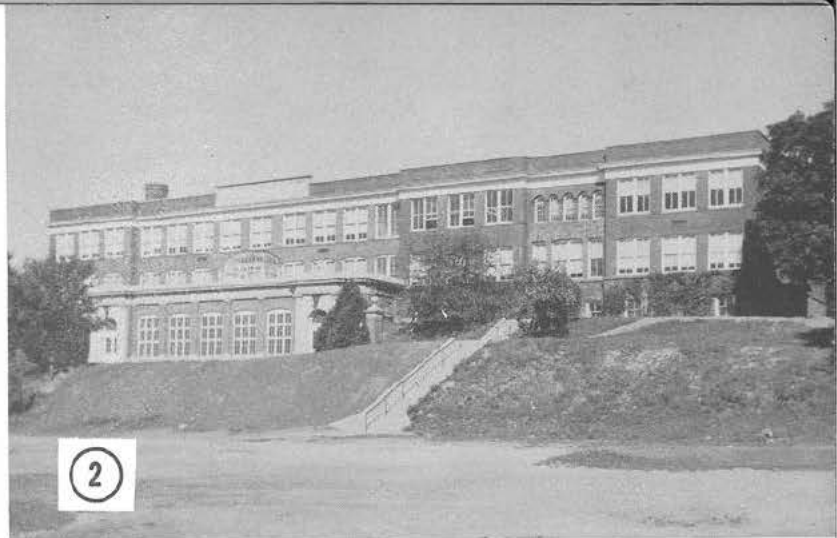


As these buildings became seriously crowded, the Yantacaw building was added in 1902. This building consisted of eight classrooms, two teachers' rooms, and a library. Again crowding forced the town to build the second part of the front of Park School in 1907. Park Hall had been partially destroyed by fire in 1904, and the Homestead was vacated in 1902 as Yantacaw was completed. The school plant then consisted of Church Street, Yantacaw, and the enlarged Park School.

The Town of Nutley was now growing rapidly, and in six years three new buildings were erected, i.e., Washington in 1911 with nine rooms and auditorium; Lincoln in 1915 with eight rooms, two play rooms, nurse's and teachers' rooms; and Spring Garden in 1917 with eight rooms. So in 1917 our school plant consisted of Park (front section complete), Yantacaw, Washington, Lincoln and Spring Garden (original sections), and Church Street.

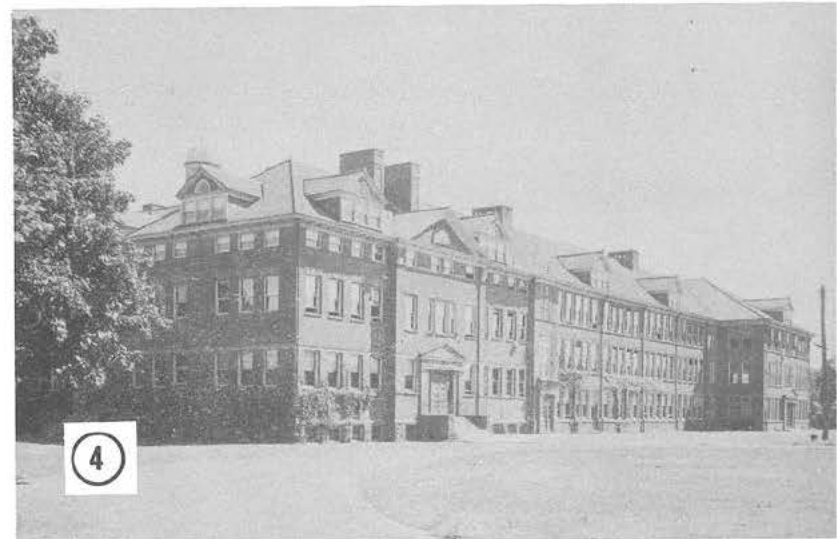
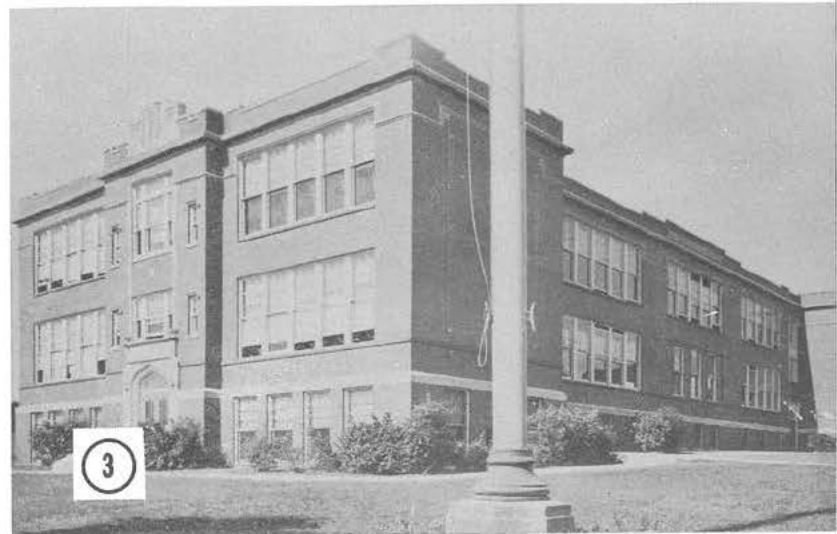
- 1 WASHINGTON
- 2 CHURCH STREET
- 3 SPRING GARDEN

- 4 PARK
- 5 LINCOLN
- 6 YANTACAW

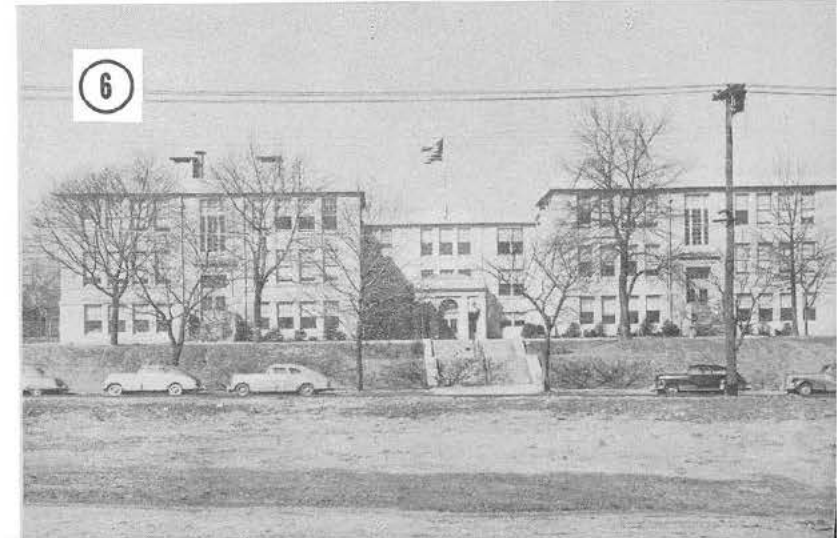


As the town continued to grow, additions were necessary at Park in 1923 (rear of building), at Spring Garden and Washington in 1927, and at Lincoln and Yantacaw in 1929. This completed the present elementary buildings. While these developments were underway, the new High School building was being erected, and was occupied in October, 1927. At this time the Church Street School, which had been used as a trade school during the decade 1917 to 1927, was closed.

Therefore, Nutley's present plant, in use for more than twenty years, consists of Park (now the Junior High School), Yantacaw, Washington, Lincoln, Spring Garden, and the High School.



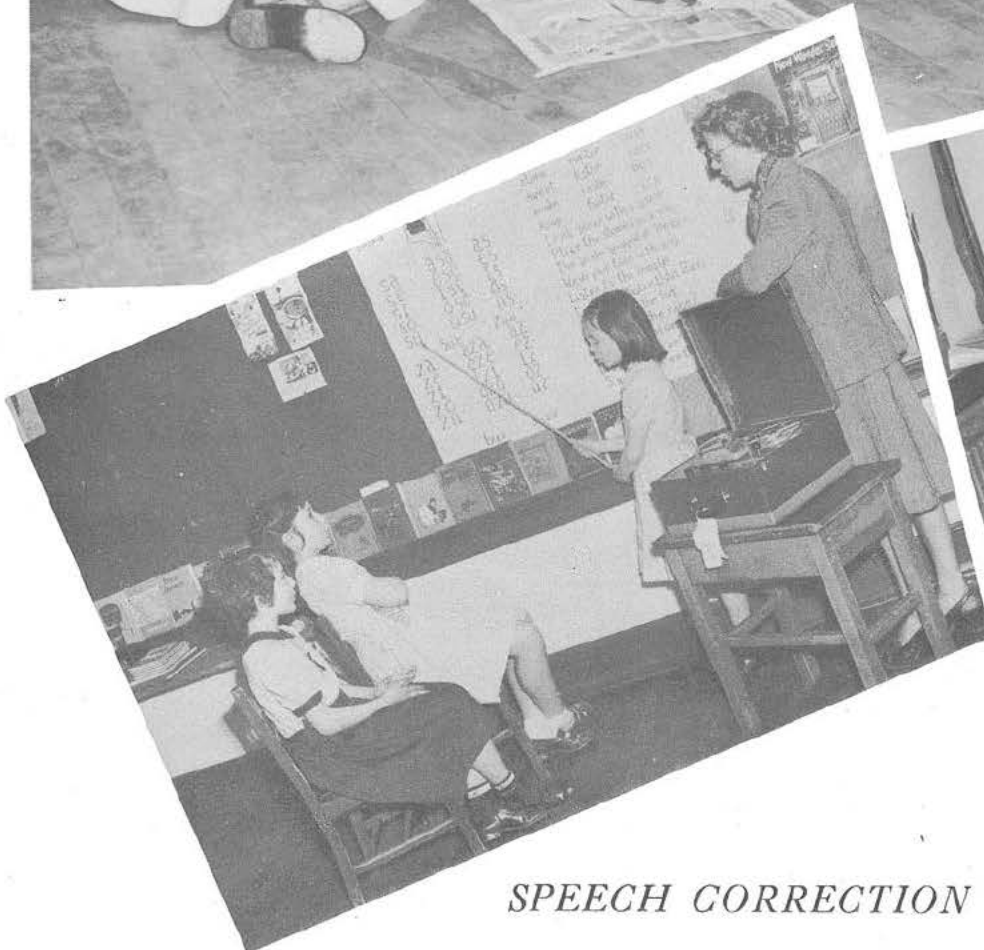
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| 2 YANTACAW | 5 LINCOLN |
| 3 SPRING GARDEN | 6 WASHINGTON |





HOW MUCH?

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SPEECH CORRECTION



Elementary Schools

A wide selection of activities seek out your child's potentials; the "three R's" are still the acknowledged foundation for life.



THE KEYBOARD



SCIENCE

- *MATH—SCIENCE*
- *READING—SOCIAL STUDIES*
- *PHYSICAL EDUCATION*
- *ART—MUSIC*
- *ACTIVITIES*
- *SCHOOL COMMUNITY*



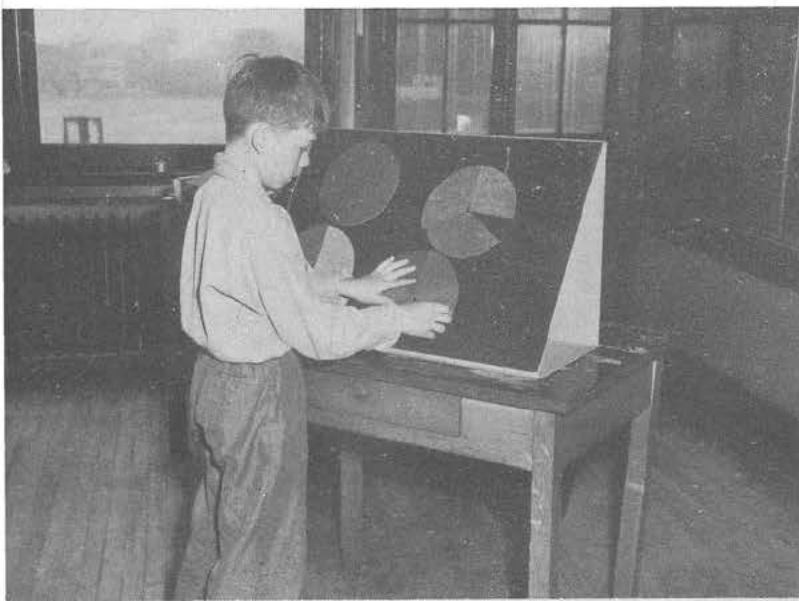
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SOCIAL STUDIES

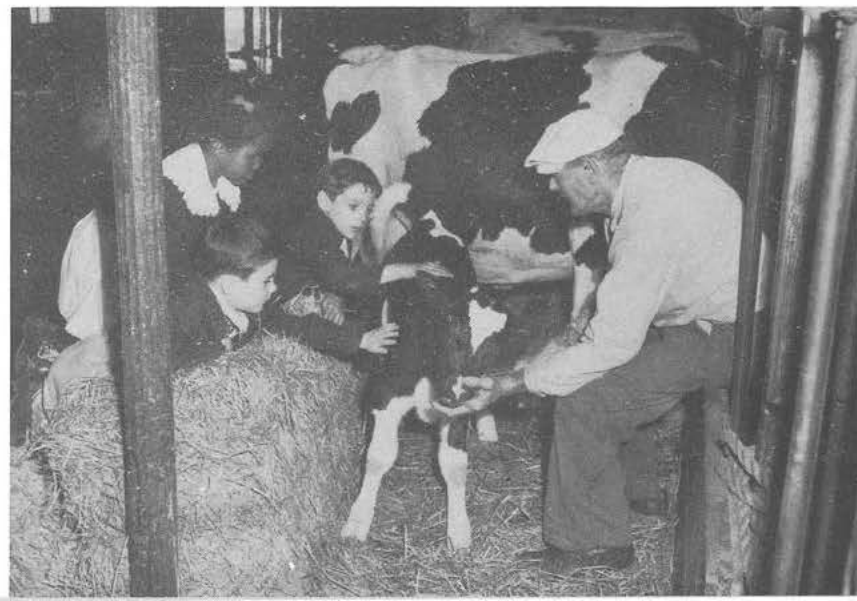


READING

MATH



SCIENCE



Health Physical Education

DANCING

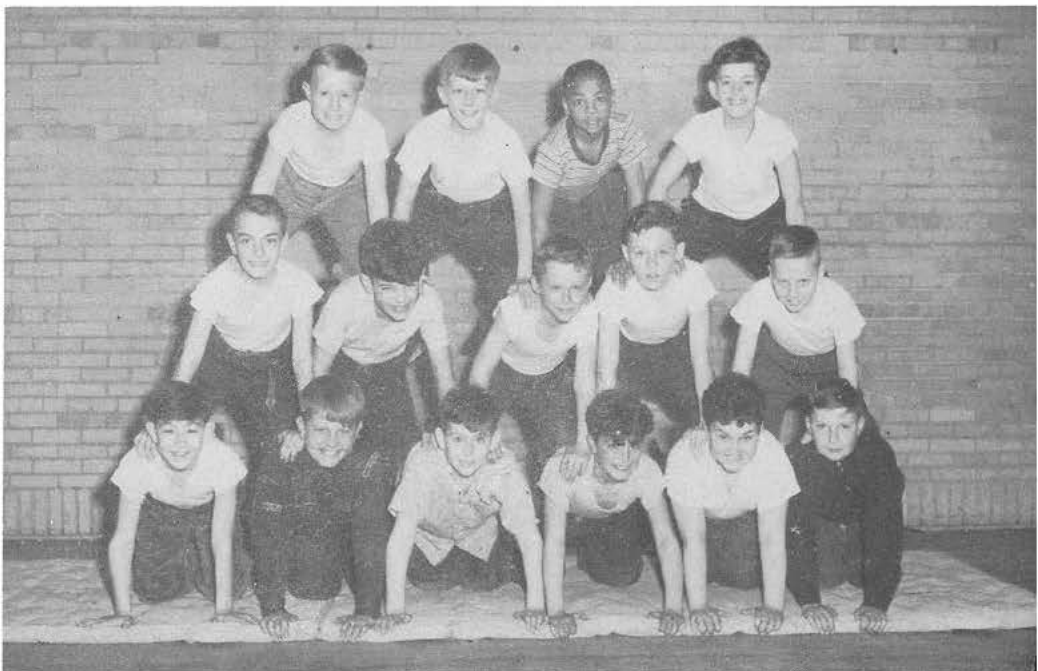


TESTING EYES



SAFETY LESSONS

GYM CLASS





IN THE ART ROOM

Art & Music



SERIOUS BUSINESS



CREATIVE HANDS

MUSICAL HOBBIES BY STUDENTS

STRING QUARTETTE



School Activities



LUNCH TIME

RED CROSS



CHRISTMAS SILHOUETTES



WINDOW AWARD

LUNCH ROOM





Junior High School

Besides the usual academic subjects, the Junior High School curriculum provides activities that are valuable for children who are "growing up"; and affords a gradual transition to the greater freedom they will find in their High School life.





- *HILL BILLIES*
- *PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB*
- *DENTAL CLINIC*
- *LITERARY HOUR*
- *SOCIAL DANCING*

The Junior High School is primarily a guidance school.

It is the function of the counselor to discover talent, to create character in the child possessing that talent, and to inspire that child in such a way that he will make the necessary effort to realize his life dreams and aspirations.

—HERBERT HOOVER



Junior High Activities

SAFETY



HEALTH



FIRST AID



ASSEMBLY ENTERTAINERS



MUSIC



SHOP



HEARING TEST



SQUARE DANCE

ART

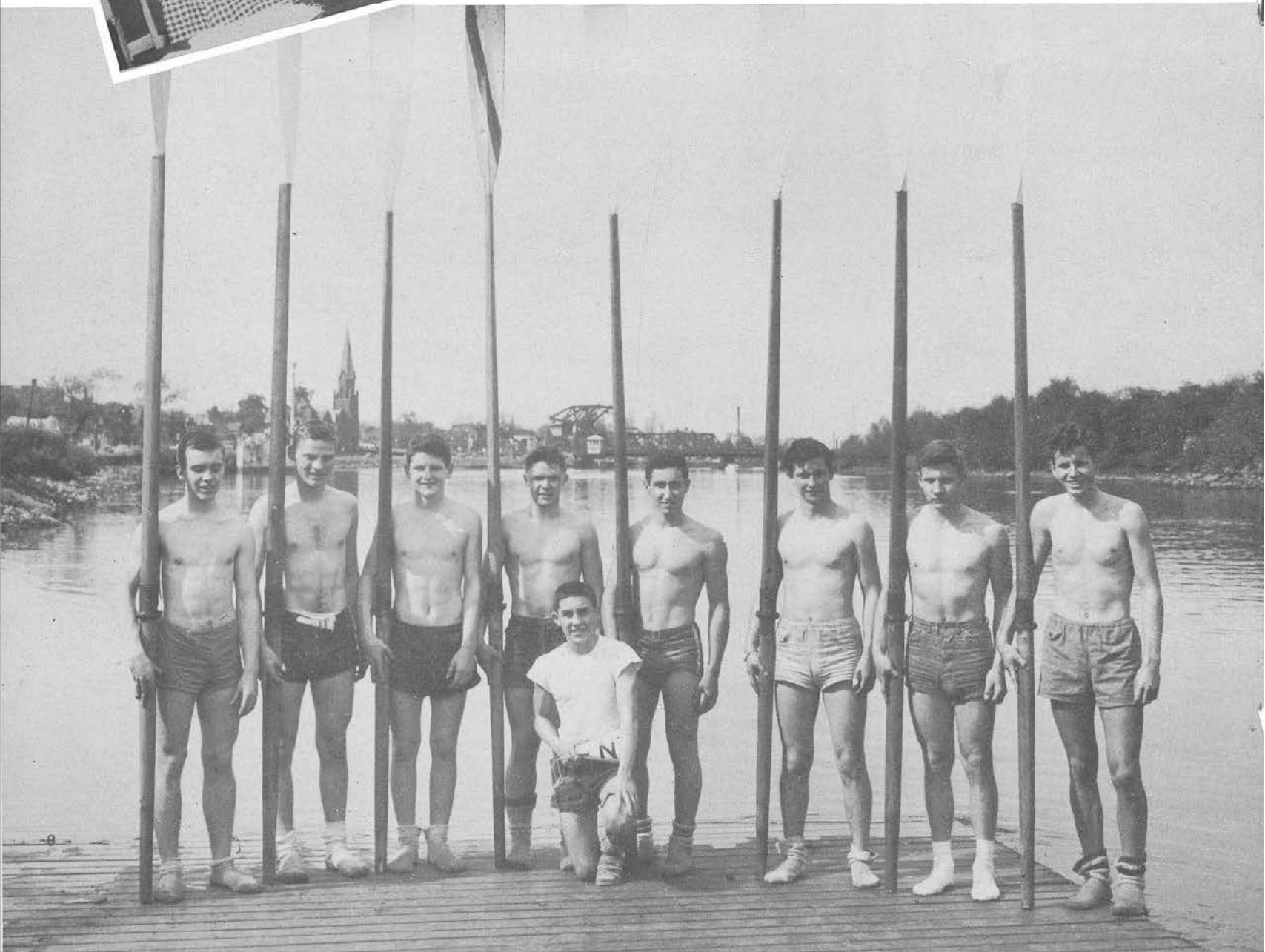




SEWING

Senior High School

The Senior High School curriculum provides academic experience as a prelude to life or higher learning, as well as activities that parallel life situations giving valuable experience in living.



CREW



HEALTH EXAMINATION

HOME VISITOR

● *ACADEMIC*

● *SPECIAL SUBJECTS*

● *GUIDANCE & ADMIN.*

● *HEALTH*

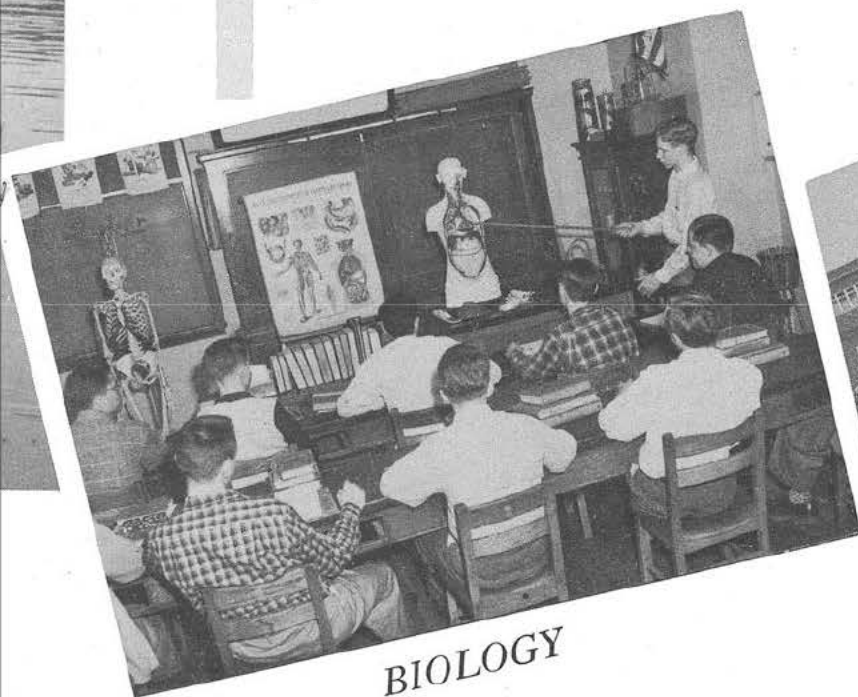
● *SPORTS*

● *ACTIVITIES*

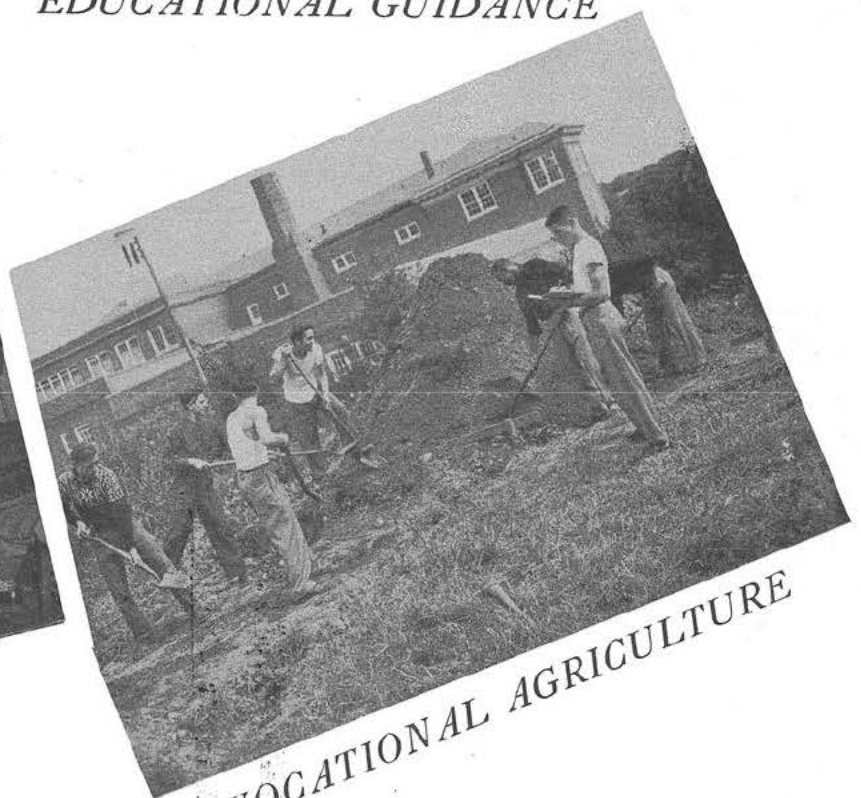
● *MATERIAL
(CAFETERIA, ETC.)*



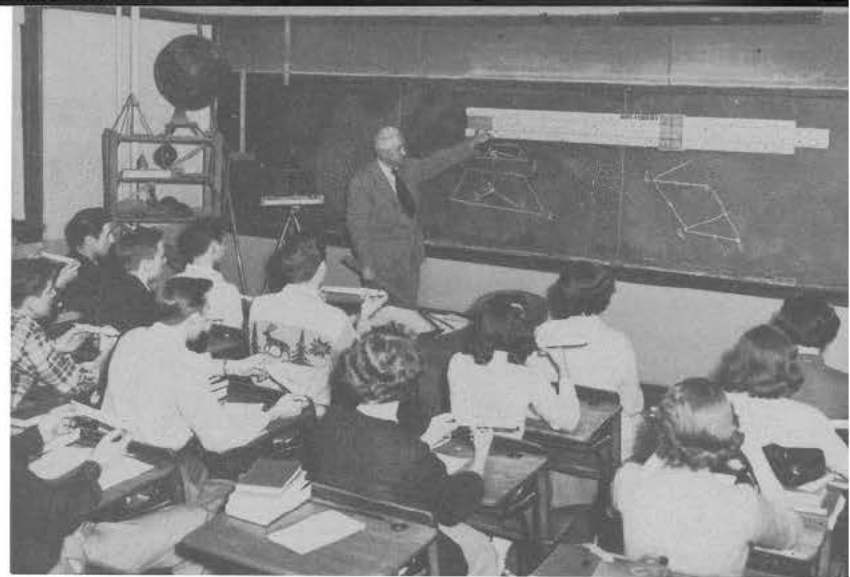
EDUCATIONAL GUIDANCE



BIOLOGY



VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE



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Senior High School

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1 LANGUAGE

2 HISTORY

3 MATHEMATICS

4 OFFICE PRACTICE

4

5 BROWSING IN LIBRARY

6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

7 MECHANICAL DRAWING

8 PRINTING

9 VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE

10 SHOP

11 ART

12 MUSIC — CHORUS

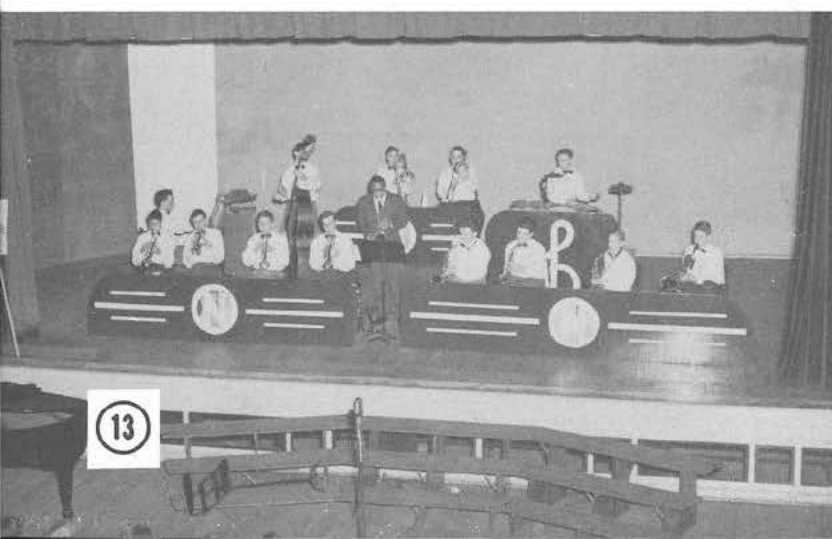
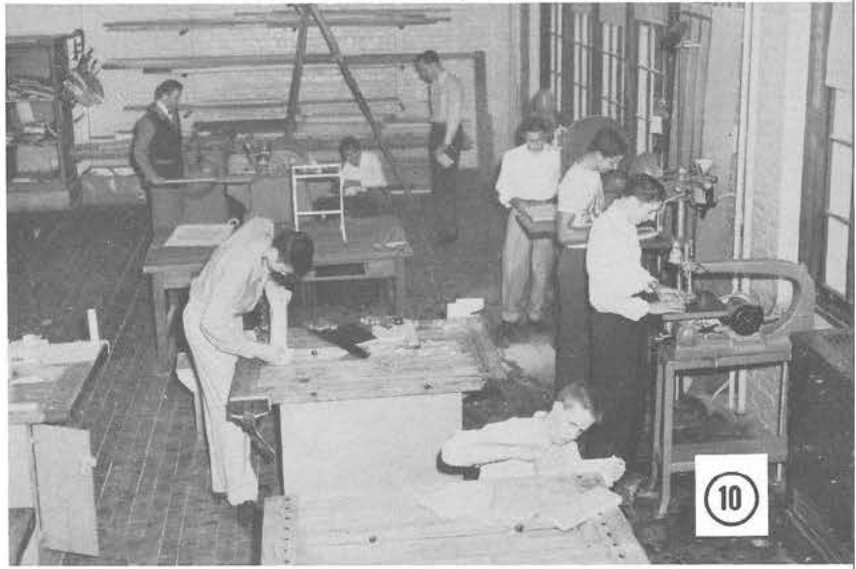
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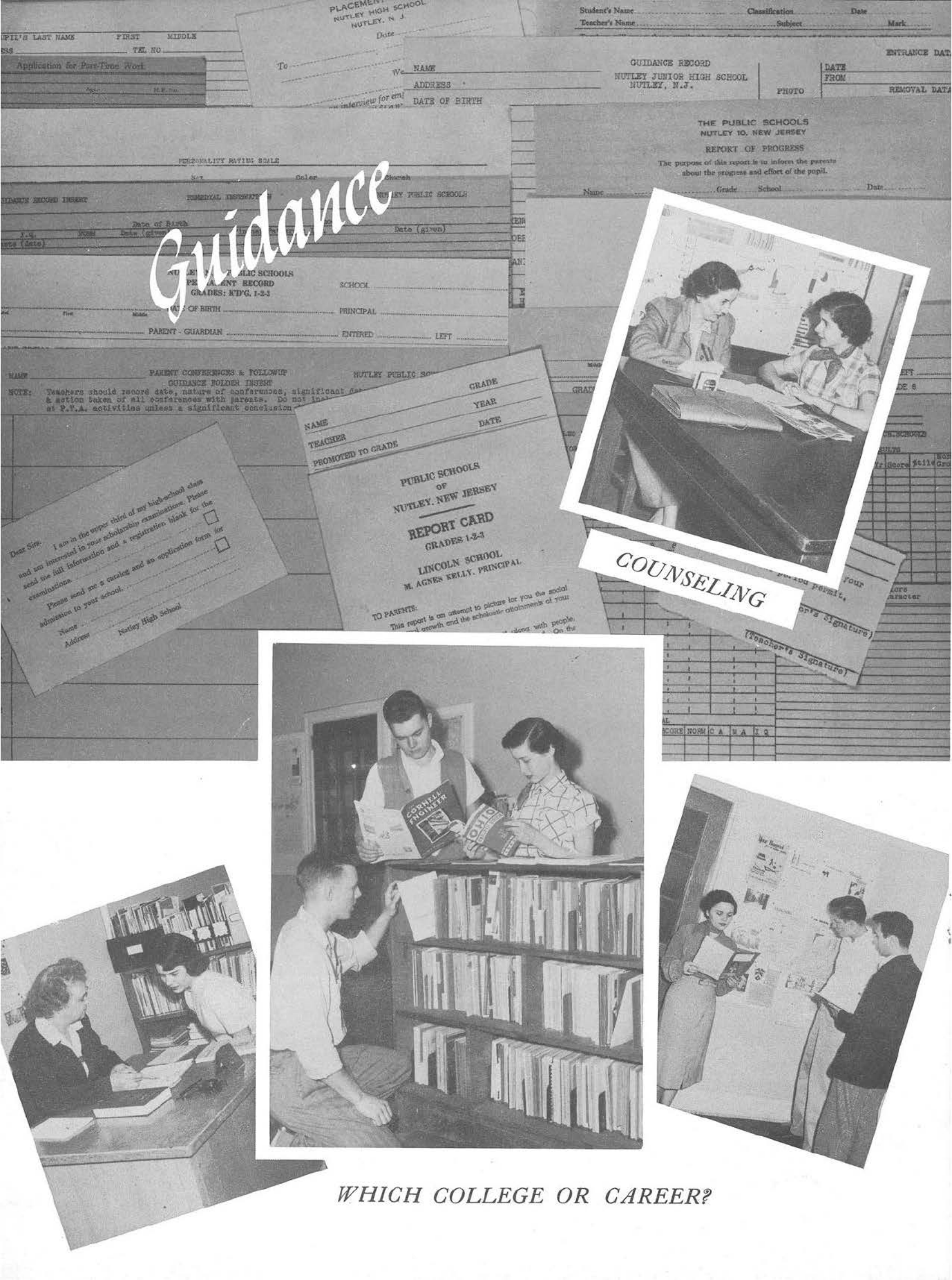
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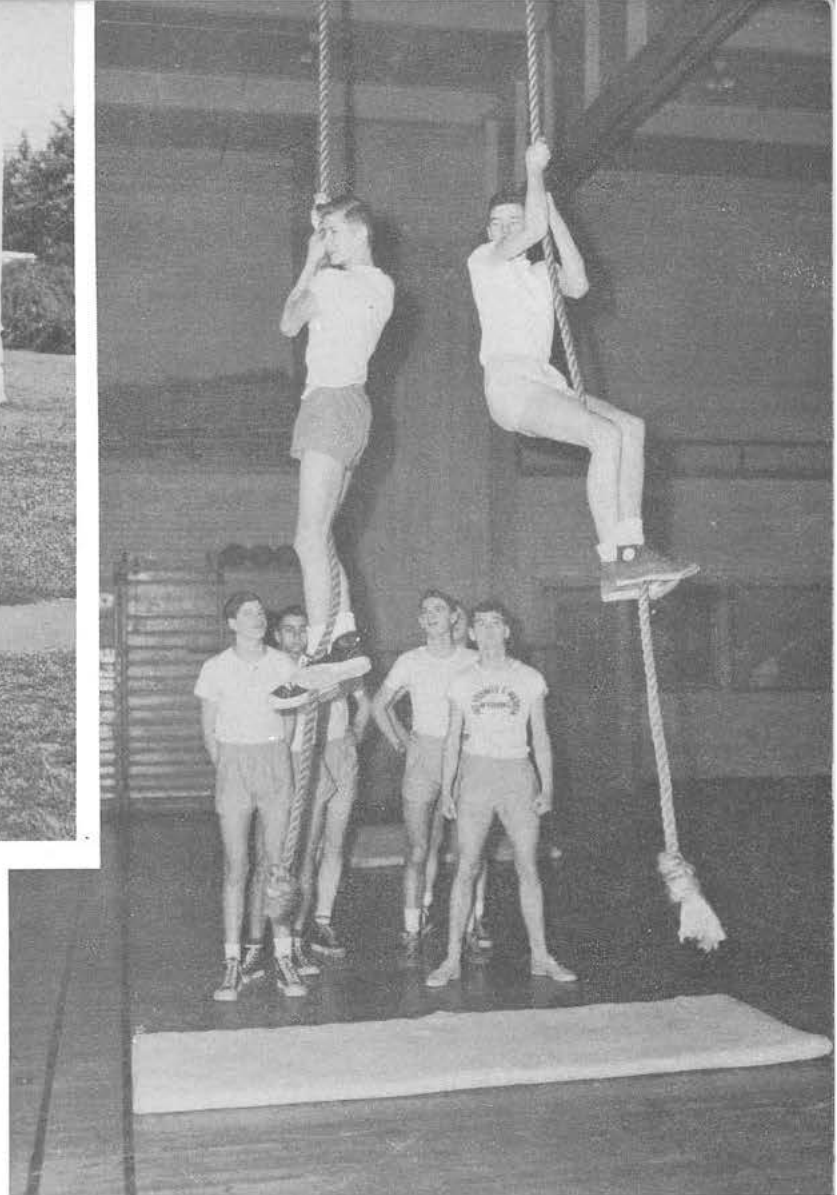
Guidance

COUNSELING

WHICH COLLEGE OR CAREER?



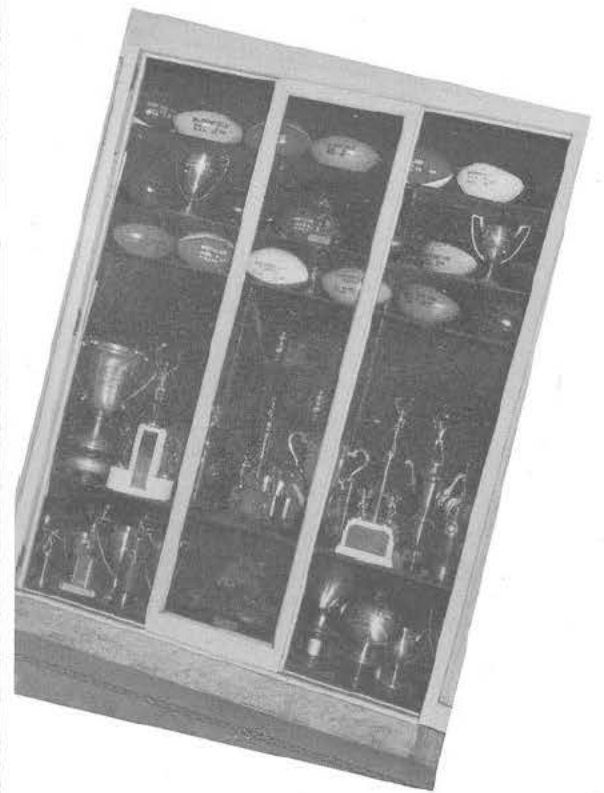
Physical Ed



Nursing



Athletics

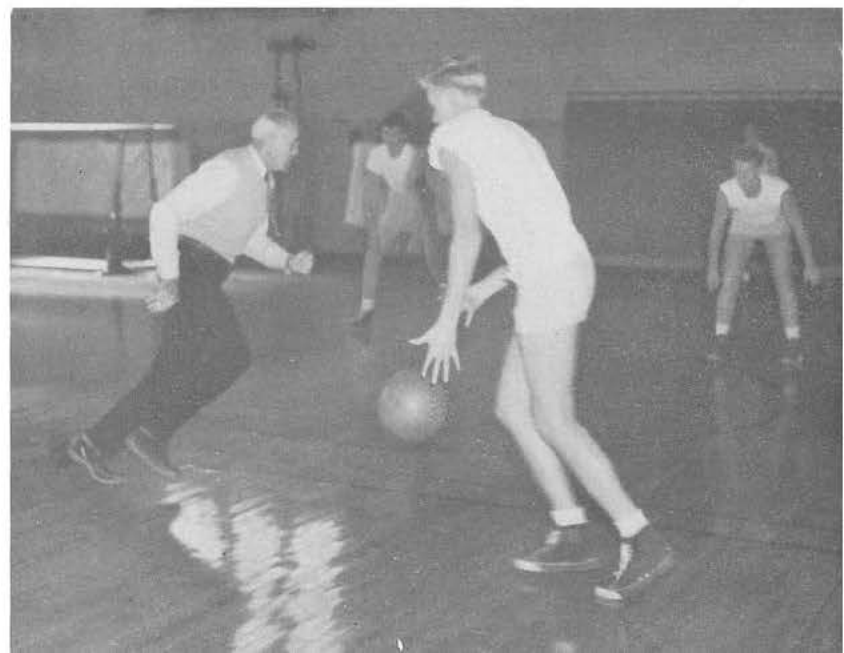


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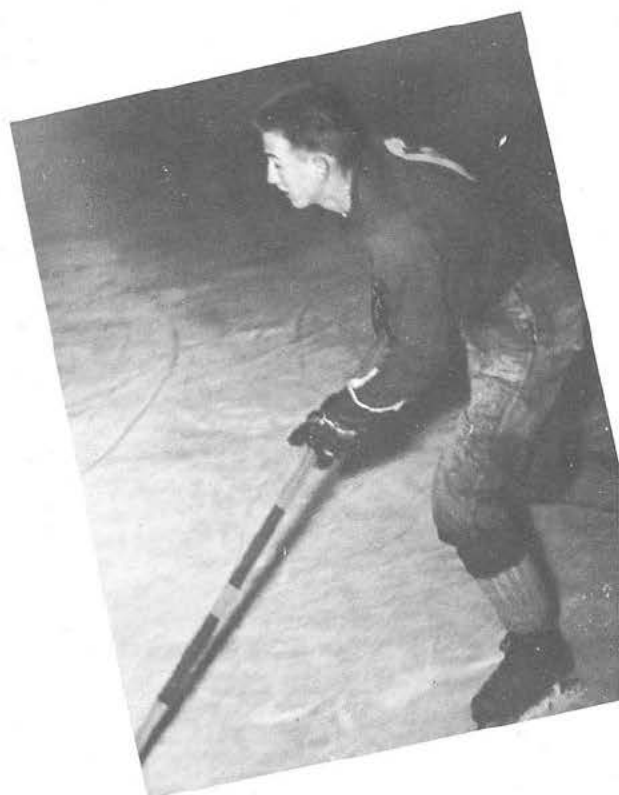
FOOTBALL

TRACK

BASKETBALL



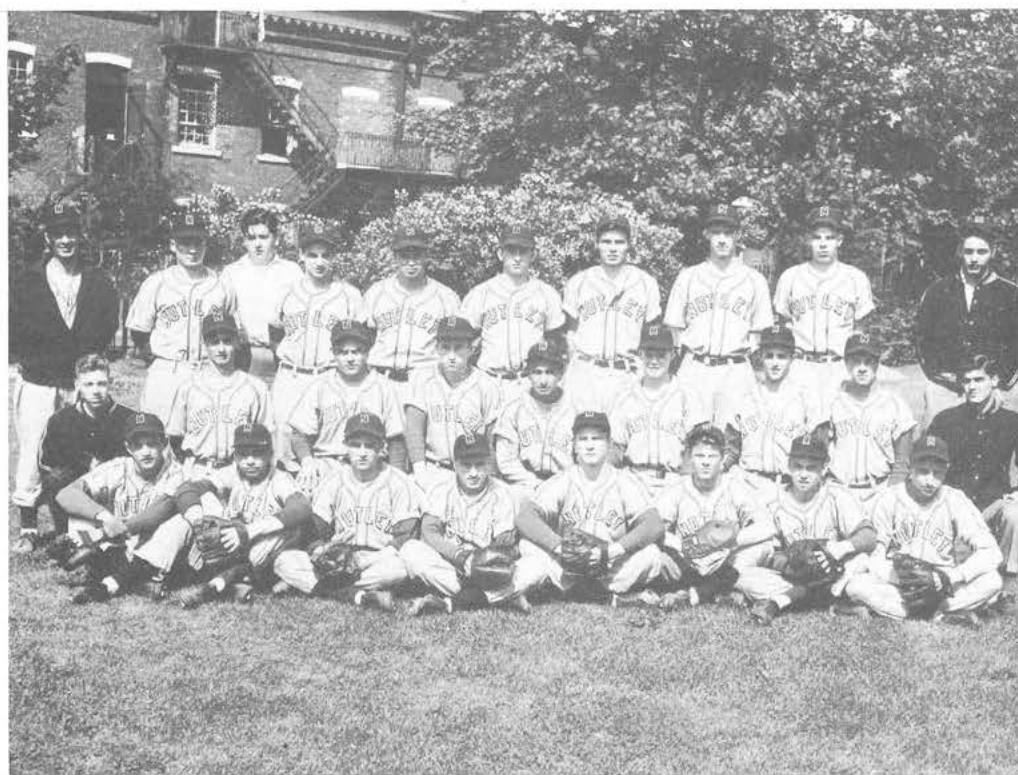
VARSITY EIGHT



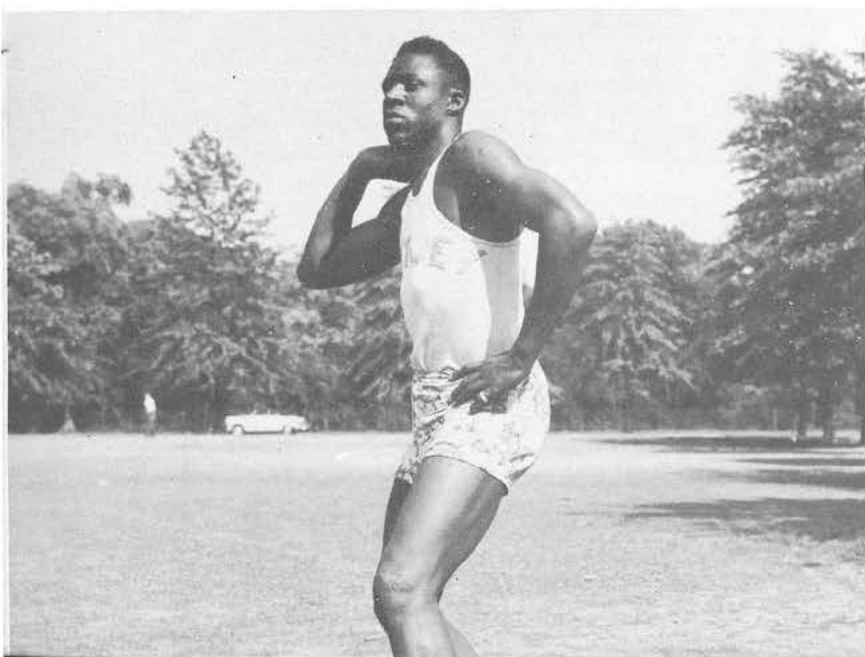
ICE HOCKEY



BASEBALL



FIELD EVENT



CROSS COUNTRY



The Nutley High School Athletic Report—1949-50

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Number who participated—30

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Sept. 24	Central	26	7
Oct. 1	Orange	19	12
Oct. 8	West Side	33	7
Oct. 15	Montclair	13	33
Oct. 29	East Orange	6	19
Nov. 5	Clifton	13	7
Nov. 12	Bloomfield	31	7
Nov. 19	Belleville	0	7
Nov. 24	Kearny	12	7

J.V. FOOTBALL

Number who participated—40

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Sept. 26	Central	20	7
Oct. 3	Orange	19	6
Oct. 10	West Side	33	7
Oct. 17	Montclair	6	31
Oct. 24	Passaic	6	2
Oct. 31	East Orange	6	0
Nov. 14	Bloomfield	16	13
Nov. 21	Belleville	0	27
Nov. 26	Kearny	0	33

VARSITY B. FOOTBALL

Number who participated—including above

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Oct. 3	Orange	6	6
Oct. 17	Montclair	6	13
Oct. 31	East Orange	13	6

CROSS COUNTRY

Number who participated—16

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Oct. 4	South Side-Montclair	27	38-54
Oct. 7	St. Benedict's Prep	28	17
Oct. 10	Bloomfield	20	35
Oct. 14	Montclair	25	30
Oct. 17	Clifton	15	40
Oct. 21	Rutherford	22	33
Oct. 25	Clifton	15	40
Oct. 28	Englewood	15	40
Nov. 1	East Orange	15	40
Nov. 4	Kearny	30	25
Nov. 8	Essex County Meet	(Nutley placed 6th)	
Nov. 12	State Meet	(Bordiuk placed 11th; team did not place)	
Nov. 16	Rutherford	22	33
Nov. 19	Seton Hall	Invitation Meet (Nutley did not place)	
Nov. 22	Belleville	16	39

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Number who participated—15

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Dec. 13	Clifton	45	49
Dec. 14	North Arlington	44	51
Dec. 16	Newark Tech	62	30
Dec. 20	Columbia	38	40
Dec. 23	Alumni	57	54
Jan. 6	Kearny	49	47
Jan. 10	East Orange	33	38
Jan. 11	North Arlington	42	43
Jan. 17	Belleville	35	48
Jan. 20	Central	42	60
Jan. 24	Columbia	40	51
Jan. 27	Belleville	44	67
Jan. 31	Montclair	44	40
Feb. 3	Bloomfield Tech	47	64
Feb. 7	West Orange	44	55
Feb. 10	Bloomfield	48	57
Feb. 14	Irvington	44	54
Feb. 16	Kearny	51	47

Newark News Tournament Games

Feb. 18	Barringer	53	30
Feb. 21	Irvington	49	48
Feb. 25	West Orange	41	47

J.V. BASKETBALL

Number who participated—15

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Dec. 13	Clifton	38	28
Dec. 14	North Arlington	45	32
Dec. 16	Newark Tech	50	32
Dec. 20	Columbia	49	53
Jan. 6	Kearny	41	37
Jan. 10	East Orange	30	41
Jan. 11	North Arlington	41	39
Jan. 17	Belleville	32	46
Jan. 20	Central	33	37
Jan. 24	Columbia	37	48
Jan. 27	Belleville	33	60
Jan. 31	Montclair	37	26
Feb. 3	Bloomfield Tech	34	36
Feb. 7	West Orange	23	35
Feb. 10	Bloomfield	23	33
Feb. 14	Irvington	49	71
Feb. 16	Kearny	52	36

ICE HOCKEY

Number who participated—18

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
Dec. 20	Cranford—played at Princeton	3	2
Jan. 23	Peddle—played at Princeton	0	8
Feb. 11	Princeton Day School—played at Princeton	0	6
Feb. 12	Peddle—played at Princeton	1	2
Two Practice Sessions—Dec. 10 at Greenwood Lake Dec. 17 at Highland Lakes			

VARSITY BASEBALL

Number who participated—23

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
April 8	Panzer J.V.	6	4
April 11	West Orange	8	1
April 13	Montclair Academy	4	2
April 15	Seton Hall	2	4
April 19	Montclair State Frosh.	7	7
April 22	Irvington	2	7
April 27	Dickinson	0	6
April 28	East Rutherford	(Rain)	
May 2	Bloomfield	9	2
May 6	Asbury Park	(Rain)	
May 9	Orange	9	6
May 11	Belleville	17	6
May 13	Clifton	8	10
May 16	Boonton	2	4
May 17	Lyndhurst	3	1
May 20	Passaic	5	3
May 22	Clifford Scott	4	0
May 24	East Orange	4	3
May 27	Columbia	3	11
May 30	Kearny	3	2
June 1	Garfield	(Rain)	
June 2	Montclair	3	7

Newark News Tournament Games

June 5	Summit	10	1
June 12	Montclair	4	5

J.V. BASEBALL

Number who participated—25

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
April 17	Kearny	2	1
April 19	Lyndhurst	5	1
May 3	Irvington	5	6
May 8	Kearny	11	2
May 10	Belleville	15	7
May 11	Lyndhurst	3	3
May 17	Irvington	0	1
May 22	Clifford Scott	4	3
May 23	Montclair	2	8
May 31	Belleville	8	7

CREW

Number who participated—50

Date	Opponent	Race held at	Result
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QUAD

May 20	St. Joseph H. S., Philadelphia	Philadelphia (Stotesbury Regatta)	Nutley won
	Nutley won permanent possession of the LaSalle Memorial Trophy		

VARSITY EIGHT

April 12	Rutgers U. Freshmen	New Brunswick	Nutley lost
April 22	Yale U. Freshmen	Darby, Conn.	Nutley lost
May 5	Princeton U. Freshmen	Princeton	Nutley lost
May 12	Lower Merion H. S., Ardmore, Pa.	Philadelphia	Nutley lost
May 19	Geo. Washington H. S., Virginia	Philadelphia (Stotesbury Regatta)	Nutley lost
May 30	Washington & Lee H. S., Virginia	Princeton	Nutley lost
	(National Schoolboy Championships)		
	Ecorse H. S., Michigan		
	St. Catherine's H. S., Canada		
	LaSalle H. S., Philadelphia		

VARSITY FOUR

May 6	St. Andrew's School, Middletown, Delaware	Belleville	Nutley won
May 27	Roosevelt H. S.	Poughkeepsie	Nutley won

SENIOR DOUBLE SHELL

May 20	Roxboro H. S.	Philadelphia (Stotesbury Regatta)	Nutley lost
May 30	Roxboro H. S.	Princeton (National Schoolboy Championships)	Nutley lost

J.V. EIGHT

April 22	Yale U. Freshmen	Darby, Conn.	Nutley lost
May 12	Lower Merion H. S., Ardmore, Pa.	Philadelphia	Nutley won
May 19	Northeast H. S., Philadelphia	Philadelphia (Stotesbury Regatta)	Nutley won
May 20	LaSalle H. S.	Philadelphia (Stotesbury Regatta)	Nutley lost
	West Catholic H. S.		

J.V. FOUR

May 6	St. Andrew's School, Middletown, Delaware	Belleville	Nutley lost
May 12	Lower Merion H. S., Ardmore, Pa.	Philadelphia	Nutley lost
May 27	Poughkeepsie H. S.	Poughkeepsie	Nutley won
	Roosevelt H. S.		

FRESHMEN

May 27	Arlington H. S.	Poughkeepsie	Nutley lost
June 10	Belleville H. S.	Belleville	Nutley lost

GOLF

Number who participated—7

Date	Opponent	Played at	Scores	
			Nutley	Opp.
May 11	Belleville	Hendricks	1½	16½
May 12	Hillside	Upper Montclair	10	5
May 15	Bloomfield	Upper Montclair	1½	16½
May 18	Belleville	Hendricks	0	18
May 23	Montclair	Montclair	1½	16½
May 26	State Meet	Jumping Brook	15th out of 22 teams	
May 29	Montclair			(Rain)
May 31	Hillside	Galloping Hill	12	6
June 1	West Orange			(Rain)

TENNIS

Number who participated—8

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Nutley	Opp.
May 1	West Orange	1	4
May 5	Kearny	2	3
May 10	Clifford Scott	1	4
May 12	Belleville	4	1
May 15	West Orange	0	5
May 16	East Orange	0	5
May 19	Belleville	4	1
May 31	East Orange	0	5
June 2	Kearny	0	5
June 5	Bloomfield	2	3

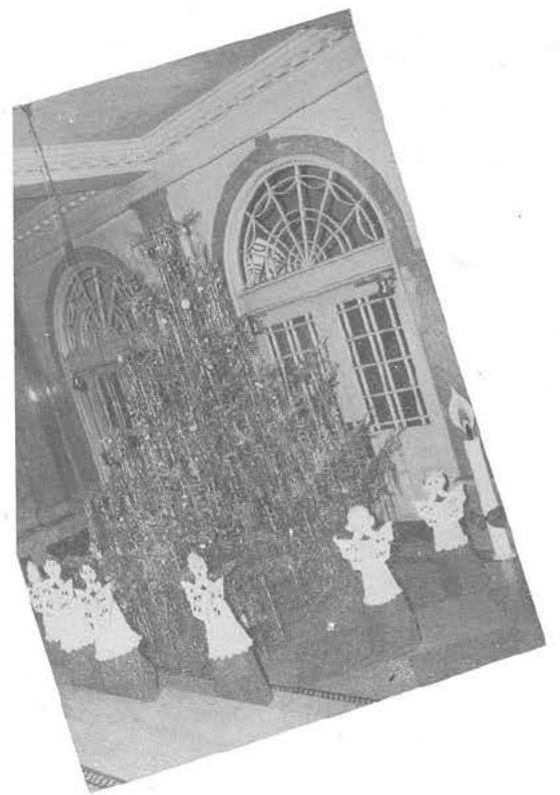
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April 17	Lyndhurst	30	60
April 19	Glen Ridge	56	52
April 21	Seton Hall Relays	(Nutley placed 3rd)	
April 25	Ridgewood	58	54
April 29	Penn Relays	(Cancelled)	
May 1	Bloomfield	(Cancelled)	
May 4	Montclair Academy	64	17
May 10	Triangle Meet		
	Columbia		103
	Central		11
	Nutley	29	
May 15	Montclair	40	74
May 20	North Arlington Invitation		
	Nutley	23½	
	Fairlawn		16½
	Hasbrouck Heights		8
	Lyndhurst		56
	North Arlington		15
	Woodbridge		5
June 2	Clifton	37	35
June 5	East Orange	46	71



SENIOR PROM



*SOCIAL &
CLUB
ACTIVITIES*



DEBATING CLUB



*STUDENT COUNCIL
DANCE*



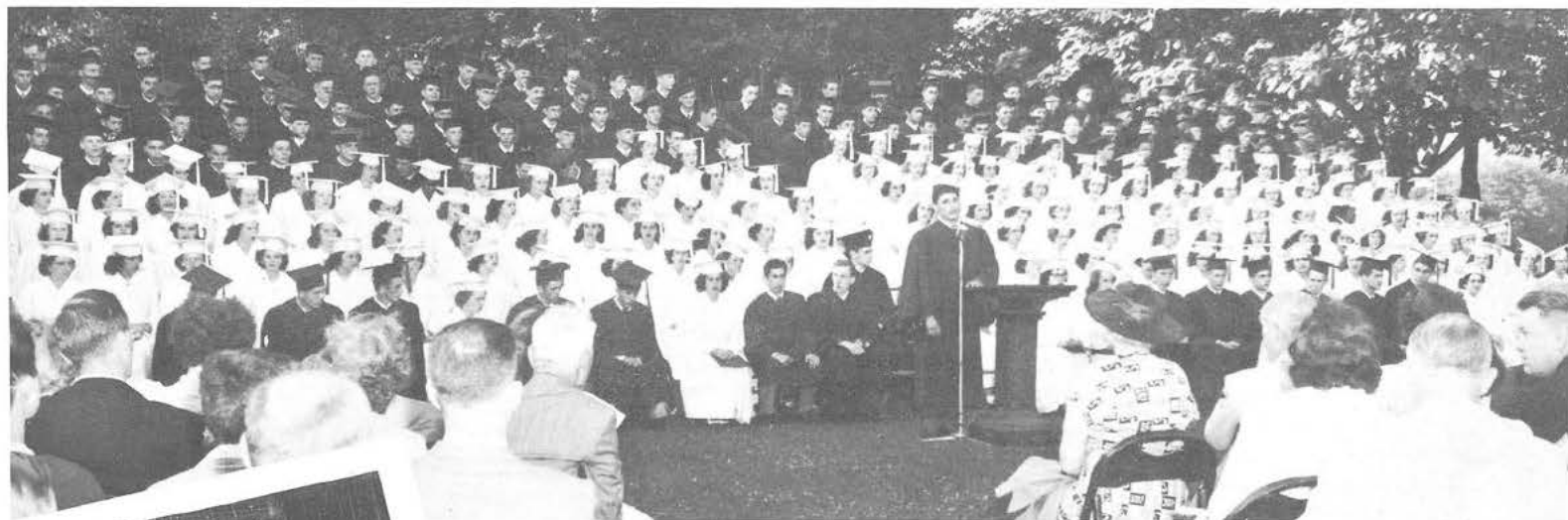
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LATIN CLUB



UNITED NATIONS DAY



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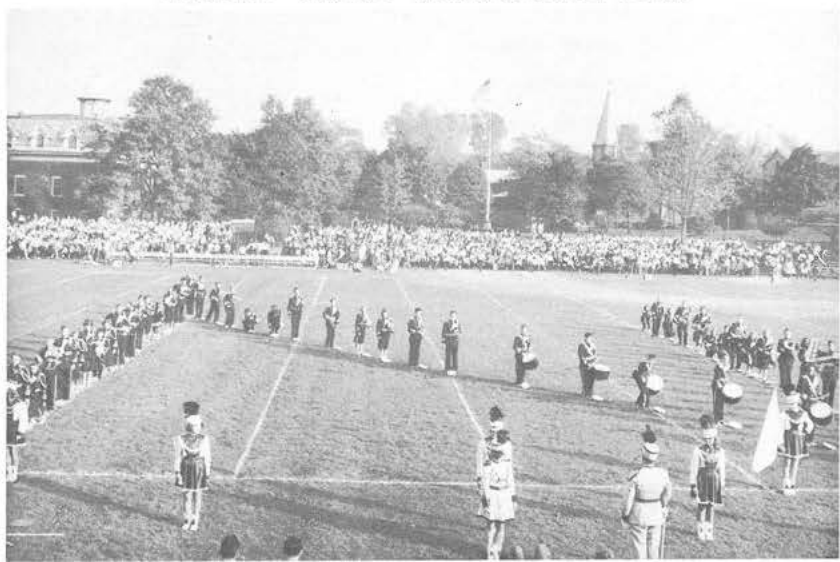
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*SENIOR
PLAY*

HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION



BAND AND MAJORETTES



Report of the District Clerk

In compliance with the provisions of the School Law (Article 5, Section 63), I herewith present a full itemized statement for the school year ending June 30, 1950, as shown by the books of the Board:

RECEIPTS

Equalization Aid, Chap. 63 PL 1946.....	\$ 43,929.00
Transportation Aid, Chap. 63 PL 1946.....	611.81
Deficiency Aid, Chap. 63 PL 1946, Sec. 14	4,992.03
Dependent Children Aid, Chap. 63 PL 1946	3,690.00
Additional State Aid (Cigarette Tax) Chap. 66 PL 1948.....	55,378.74
Special State Aid for Crippled Children.....	1,698.50
State Library Commission.....	60.00
State Appropriations for Manual Training and Home Economics.....	5,000.00
State Appropriations for Agricultural Classes	2,497.50
Federal Appropriations for Agricultural Classes	1,728.36
Municipal Aid, Chap. 63 PL 1946.....	59,978.97
District Taxes	822,116.12
District Taxes to pay Bonds and Interest....	107,541.94
Tuition Fees (Out of Town Pupils)	930.00
Veterans Housing Project	1,339.80
Sale of Books and Book Fines.....	362.38
Telephone Collections	114.71
Gasoline Tax Refunds	45.48
Sale of Furniture and Equipment.....	107.50
Rental of School Buildings.....	1,288.65
Refund from Athletic Association.....	500.00
Rental of Towels and Other Collections....	171.00
Insurance Refunds	3,059.01
Library Fines	48.92
Miscellaneous Refunds and Collections.....	110.17
Sale of Supplies & Refunds (Vocational, Agricultural)	37.70
Sale of Manual Training Supplies & Equip- ment	375.07
Transfer from "W" Account.....	190.67
Dental Clinic	39.50
Rental of School Musical Instruments.....	272.65
Total Cash Receipts for the Year.....	\$1,118,216.18
Cash Balance on Hand, July 1, 1949	39,023.24
Grand Total Receipts	\$1,157,239.42

EXPENDITURES

Current Expense

Salaries, Superintendent, Supervisors, Prin- cipals and Teachers	\$ 715,073.03
Salaries—Office Clerical Service— All Schools	19,839.00
Office Expense — Department of Supervi- sion	1,932.62
Traveling Expense—Department of Super- vision	699.57
Text Books	11,676.33
Supplies and Other Expense of Instruction	13,556.49
Library Books	1,073.67
Library Apparatus	204.13
Magazines, Periodicals, Newspapers, etc...	333.95
Athletic Activities, Supplies, etc.....	4,023.26
Transportation to Vocational and Special Schools	759.72
Compulsory Attendance Department, Sal- ary and Expense	2,872.64
Medical Inspectors Salaries	2,000.00
Nurse Service—Salary, Expense and Sup- plies	2,959.91
Dental Inspector and Assistant—Salaries & Expenses	1,148.49
Community Centers	250.00
Salaries—Janitors, Engineers, Maintenance	64,970.64
Janitor and Engineer Supplies.....	9,213.34
Fuel	12,828.55
Light and Power	10,256.01
Telephone	2,569.74
Cartage and Other Expense of Operation..	1,335.46
Insurance Premiums	6,121.00
Tuition—Special Schools	1,309.39
Pension Payments	3,216.64
School Programs	360.00
Cafeteria Director—Salary & Expenses.....	4,199.70
Board of Education and Business Division	20,573.00
Rental of Garage	216.00
Total	\$ 915,572.28

Manual Training and Home Economics

Teachers' Salaries	\$ 34,800.00
Supplies	3,400.33
Total	\$ 38,200.33

Vocational Agriculture Classes

Teacher's Salary	\$ 4,150.00
Janitor's and Other Salaries.....	255.65
Supplies	116.71
Fuel	316.88
Other Expenses and Mileage.....	161.05
Text Books	121.22
Rent	1.00
Total	\$ 5,122.51

Maintenance, Repairs and Replacements

Building and Grounds	\$ 44,057.22
Janitor and Engineer Equipment.....	3,526.84
Educational Equipment	22,001.15
Office and Other Equipment.....	789.28
Manual Training and Home Economics Equipment	892.34
Other Expenses	304.24
Total	\$ 71,571.07

Debt Service

Redemption of Serial Bonds.....	\$ 72,000.00
Interest on Serial and Term Bonds.....	35,092.50
Sinking Fund Requirements.....	—o—
Total	\$ 107,092.50
Grand Total Expenditures.....	\$1,137,558.69

SUMMARY

Total Cash Receipts and Balances for the Year	\$1,157,239.42
Total Cash Disbursements for the Year.....	1,137,558.69
Cash Balance on hand June 30, 1950	\$ 19,680.73

Distribution of Costs

Total Expense of Operating the Schools for the Year 1949-50 apart from Debt Serv- ice and Capital Outlay.....	\$1,030,466.19
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Distributed as follows:

A. Instruction — All Phases, Kindergarten, Grades 1-12, Manual Training, Home Economics, Agriculture, etc.....	\$ 798,149.88
B. Operation — Janitors' and Engineers' Salaries, Fuel, Light, Water, Power, Cartage of Ashes.....	101,173.74
C. Maintenance — Repairs and Replace- ments to Grounds, Walks, Fences, and Buildings; Educational Equip- ment, including Repairs to Manual Training and Home Economics Equip- ment	71,571.07
D. Coordinate Activities—Compulsory At- tendance Department, Medical In- spection, Nurse Service, Medical Sup- plies, Dental Inspection and Health....	8,981.04

E. Auxiliary Agencies — Librarians' Sal- aries, Books, Supplies, School Athlet- ics, Cafeteria, Transportation to Vo- cational Schools and School Programs	19,154.43
F. Fixed Charges — Insurance Premiums, Opening Day Luncheon, Tuition and Old Age Pension Payments.....	10,863.03
G. Administration — Expenses of Board of Education Members, Salaries, Office Expense and Expenses of the Business Division	20,573.00

Figures for:

	1949-50	1948-49	1947-48	1946-47	1945-46
A	77.45	80.00	80.47	77.78	77.12
B	9.82	9.91	10.63	11.72	13.51
C	6.95	4.52	4.39	5.46	4.13
D	.87	1.00	1.03	1.19	.67
E	1.86	1.59	1.01	1.23	1.67
F	1.05	.84	1.04	1.16	1.11
G	2.00	2.14	1.43	1.47	1.79

Average Enrollment for the Year 1949-50..... 3968

Cost of Education Per Pupil Based on Average
Enrollment \$257.70

Figures for:

	1949-50	1948-49	1947-48	1946-47	1945-46
Average Enrollment	3968	3824	3731	3710	3673
Cost of Education	\$257.70	\$238.93	\$211.39	\$202.17	\$166.61

It is interesting to note the analysis of combined Instruc-
tion and Operation costs during a five-year period:

1949-50	87.27%
1948-49	89.91
1947-48	91.10
1946-47	89.50
1945-46	90.63

Bonded Indebtedness

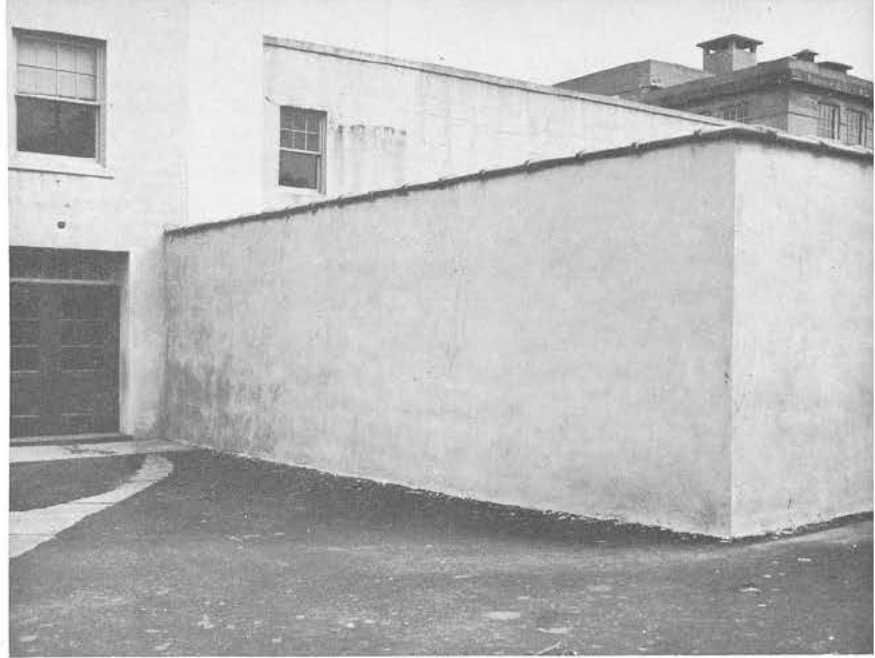
Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness at Close of Year	\$ 699,000.00
Amount of Sinking Fund for Redemption of Term Bonds	41,009.61
Net Debt	\$ 657,990.39

Value of School Property

Land Based on Original Cost.....	\$ 105,800.00
Buildings Based on Original Cost.....	2,431,000.00
Equipment Based on Original Cost.....	130,000.00
Total Cost	\$2,666,800.00

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT ZABRISKIE
District Clerk



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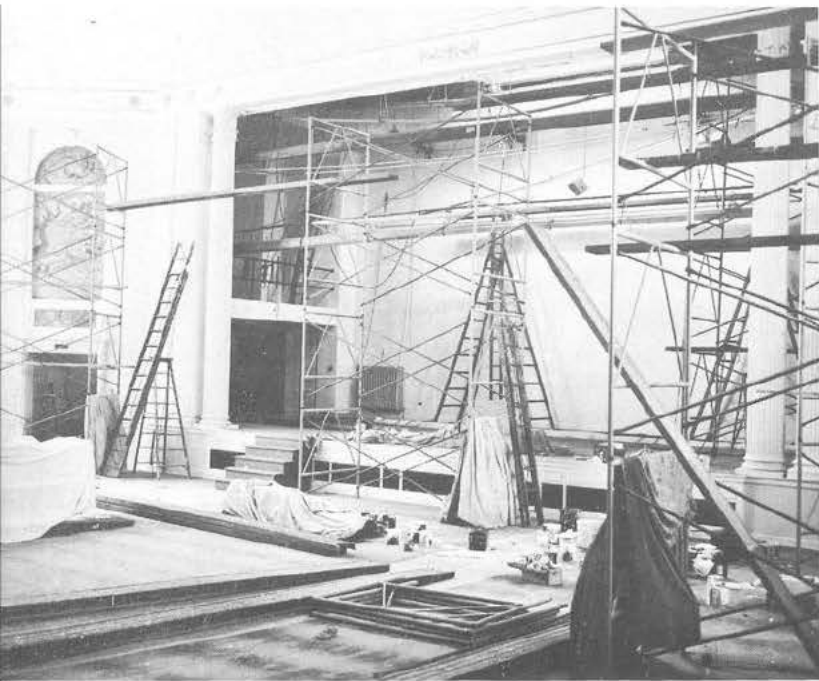


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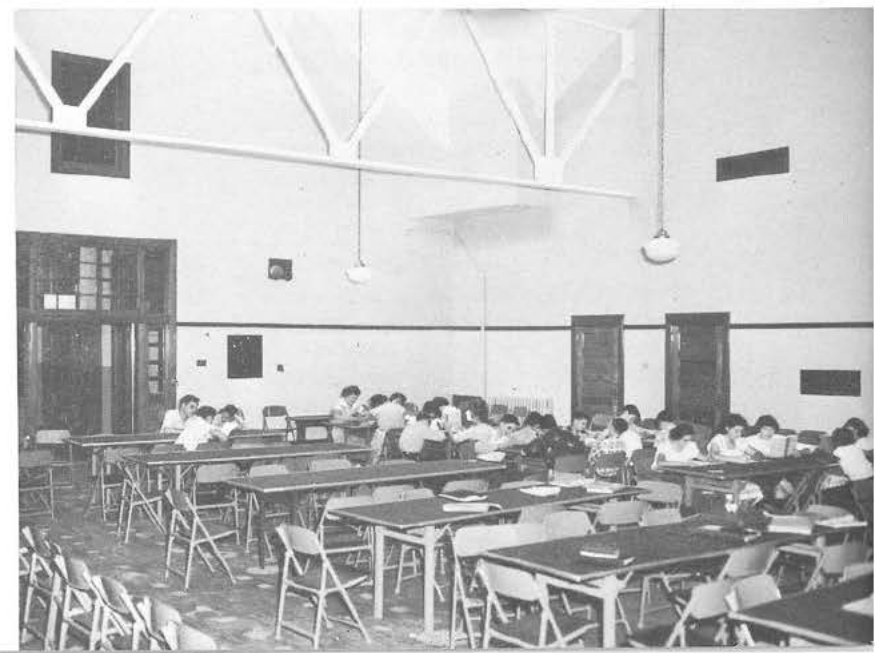
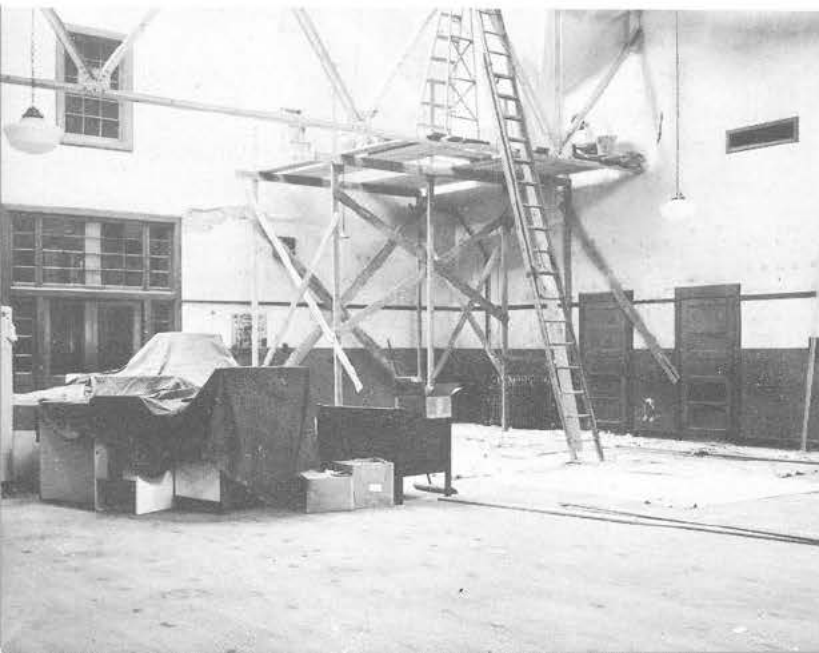
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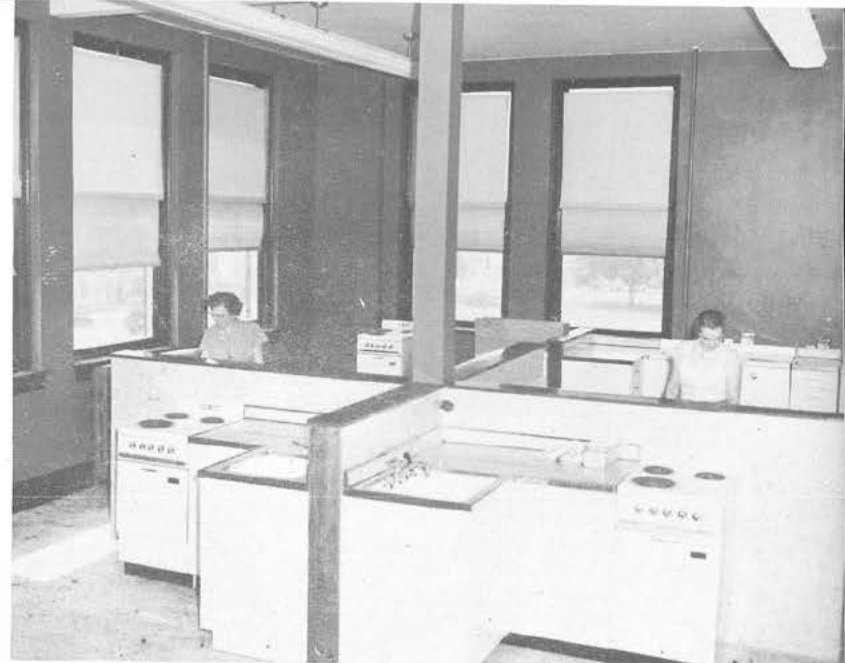


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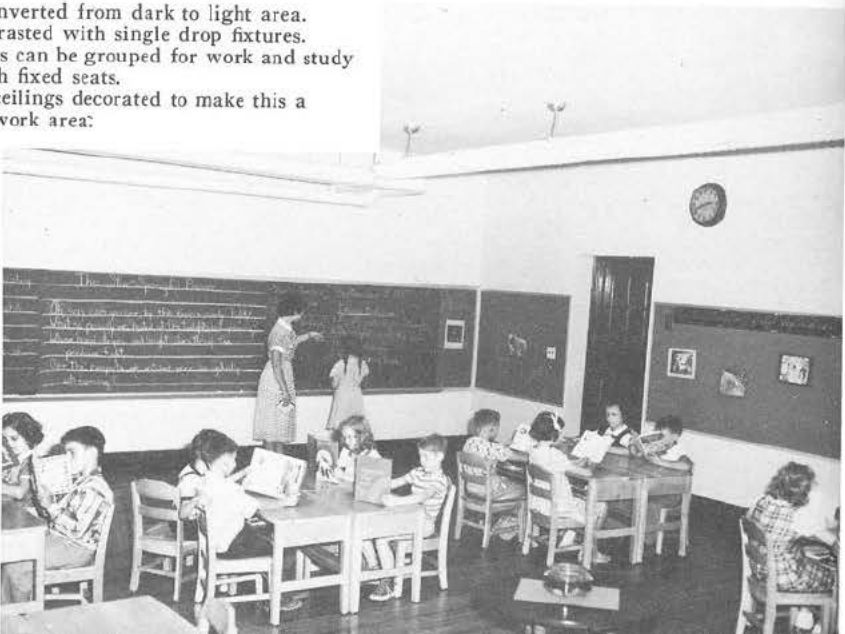
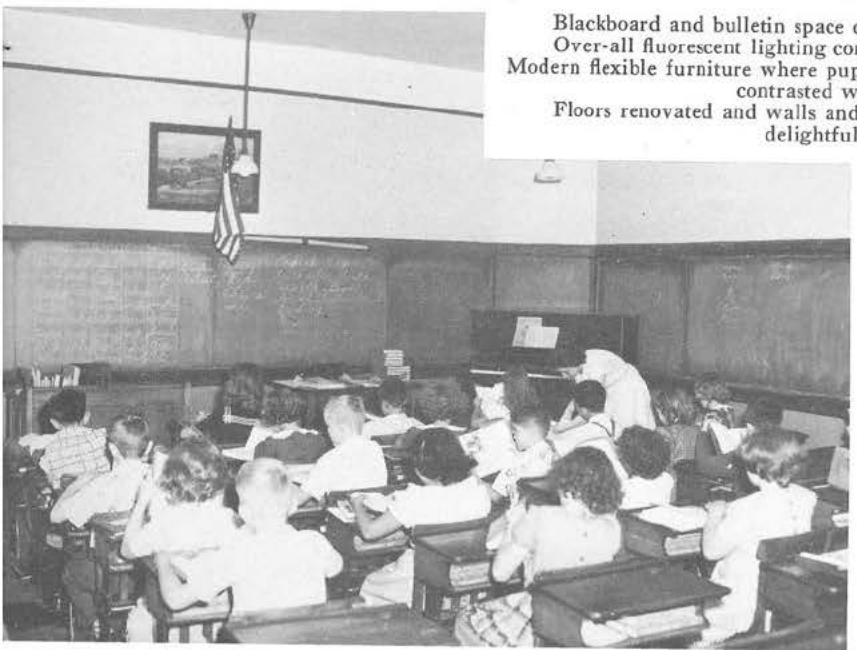
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RENOVATION OF BASEMENT SPACE, YANTACAW SCHOOL



MODERNIZATION OF A CLASSROOM, LINCOLN SCHOOL

Blackboard and bulletin space converted from dark to light area.
Over-all fluorescent lighting contrasted with single drop fixtures.
Modern flexible furniture where pupils can be grouped for work and study
contrasted with fixed seats.
Floors renovated and walls and ceilings decorated to make this a
delightful work area.



PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Since the Organization of the Town of Nutley, 1902

JOHN F. CLARK.....	From 1900 to 1902
JOHN VERNON BOUVIER.....	From 1902 to 1904
GEORGE B. PHILHOWER.....	From 1904 to 1906
HENRY W. GOODRICH.....	From 1906 to 1909
GEORGE A. HILL.....	From 1909 to 1911
HORATIO W. ST. JOHN.....	From 1911 to 1912
RICHARD W. BOOTH.....	From 1912 to 1931
HORACE TANTUM.....	From 1931 to 1933
MARY P. AMES.....	From 1933 to 1935
JOHN D. DEWITT.....	From 1935 to 1939
FRANK G. SIMMONS.....	From 1939 to 1940
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JOHN H. LUCY.....	From 1941 to 1944
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EDGAR W. WRIGHT.....	From 1946 to 1949
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SUPERVISING PRINCIPALS

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ALBERT B. MEREDITH.....	From 1901 to 1910
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DISTRICT CLERKS

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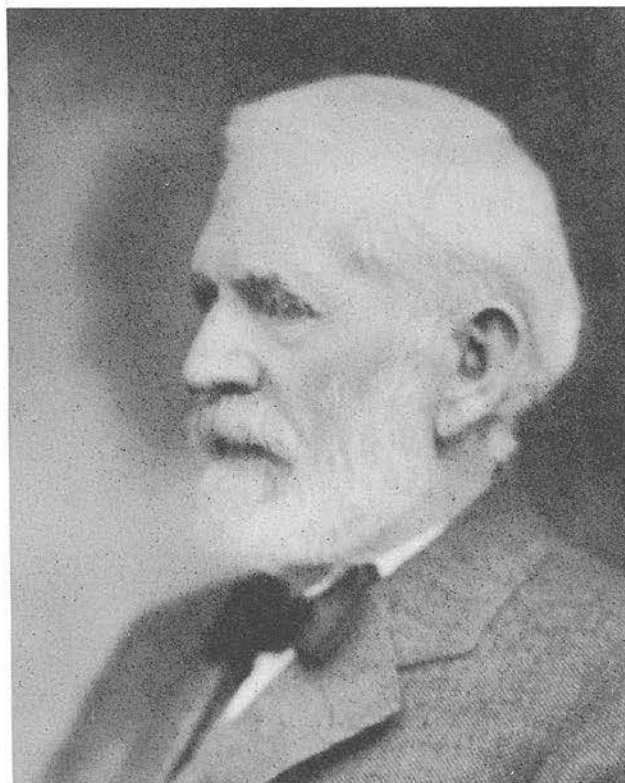
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WILLIAM H. ARNOLD.....	From 1905 to 1906
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GEORGE A. HILL.....	From 1906 to 1912
PERLEY A. PRIOR.....	From 1907 to 1912
HORATIO W. ST. JOHN.....	From 1909 to 1912 From 1915 to 1918
JOHN M. SATTLER.....	From 1910 to 1920
ALMON G. CALKINS.....	From 1910 to 1913
ALFRED B. STURGES.....	From 1910 to 1913
HENRY T. DAKIN.....	From 1912 to 1915
WILLIAM J. KINSLEY.....	From 1912 to 1915
WM. HINCKLEY MITCHELL.....	From 1912 to 1915
GERTRUDE M. LITTLE.....	From 1913 to 1916 From 1927 to 1930
WILLIAM LONGFELDER.....	From 1913 to 1915
MARION L. LEWIS.....	From 1914 to 1926
EDWARD M. CONE.....	From 1915 to 1921
NILS O. LINDSTROM.....	From 1915 to 1919
WILLIAM C. SLAVIK.....	From 1915 to 1918
CHARLES FENDRICH.....	From 1916 to 1919
ABIJAH C. FOX.....	From 1916 to 1919
SARA S. PROAL.....	From 1918 to 1924

HORACE TANTUM	From 1918 to 1933
ALBERT E. HOWE	From 1919 to 1922
CORA N. PRIOR	From 1919 to 1922
EDGAR M. SERGEANT	From 1919 to 1922
GEORGE M. GOTTFRIED	From 1920 to 1923
CHARLES N. CALDWELL	From 1921 to 1927
EMIL C. MILLER	From 1922 to 1925
THOMAS NICHOLS	From 1922 to 1925
FRANK L. RUSBY	From 1922 to 1925
BENJAMIN HURD	From 1923 to 1929
FRANK H. WHITENACK	From 1924 to 1927
MARY P. AMES	From 1925 to 1928 From 1930 to 1936
ANDREW MACCORKINDALE	From 1925 to 1928
RALEIGH S. RIFE	From 1925 to 1928
LOUISE H. GOTTFRIED	From 1926 to 1932
WALTER F. REINHEIMER	From 1927 to 1932
HARRY H. HALSTED	From 1928 to 1934
OLIVE C. SANFORD	From 1928 to 1934 From 1937 to 1943
FREDERICK H. YOUNG	From 1928 to 1932
CHESTER A. SHANNON	From 1929 to 1932
LEILA M. DAVIS	From 1932 to 1938 From 1943 to 1946
ARTHUR P. DICKINSON	From 1932 to 1935
JOHN M. MACKAY	From 1932 to 1933
FRANK H. PIERSON	From 1932 to 1934 From 1936 to 1942
JOHN D. DEWITT	From 1933 to 1942
LEWELLYN E. PRATT	From 1933 to 1936
THOMAS W. CROWLEY	From 1934 to 1937
WALLACE H. GIBSON	From 1934 to 1937 From 1940 to 1946
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HELEN H. REINHEIMER	From 1936 to 1939
RICHARD W. BOOTH, JR.	From 1937 to 1943
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RICHARD W. BOOTH served on the Board of Education, 1896-1934.

Superintendent's Comment

IN ADDITION to this historical and pictorial report of the schools, a few highlights of recent actions of the Board of Education should be recorded here.

A previous report recounted the disapproval of the proposed new Junior High School. Accepting the decision of the legal voters as a challenge to seek some other solution to expected overcrowding of school buildings the Board held several conferences which resulted in a decision to seek outside expert help in solving the problem. The Institute of Field Studies, Teachers College, Columbia University, was finally employed to conduct a survey of present facilities and future building needs of the school district. After several months of intensive study the results of the survey were reported to the Board in a ninety-page book plus maps, charts and tables supporting the conclusions and recommendations of the Institute.

The Institute found a definite need for, and community ability to pay for, a new elementary school near the center of town, to be erected at once; added space for junior high school by September, 1955; and space relief at the senior high school by September, 1958. The recommendations were based upon averaged enrollment figures after the peak loads expected. Crowding of classes was advocated at the peak to prevent over-building.

It is notable that the survey stated Nutley's population would approximate 27,000. The national census figure recently released places it at 26,746.

The Board proposed a new elementary school as recommended in the survey on June 27, 1950. The proposal was disapproved by the legal voters.

Next steps will be considered at an early date and alternatives will be proposed if found feasible and educationally sound.

For the past several years the Board has been working on salary guides for all employees. The past year saw completion of a program which should insure adequate salary provisions and the best in employee-employer relationships.

Three years ago the Board instituted a long-range program of building maintenance which has meant much to education in Nutley. The District Clerk, Mr. Everett Zabriskie, is in charge of all maintenance. He has made major repairs to one or more buildings each year and by renovation and decoration has achieved a result which makes our buildings second to none in this area.

Replacing worn and obsolete furniture and equipment, adding modern educational equipment, improving methods of building care, and creating classroom space from unsightly basement areas has been a part of this long-range plan. Each move has been conducive of improved building use for education.

During the past several years the faculty of the schools has been at work on improving courses of study. High School biology, the course in modern civilization, elementary reading, arithmetic, and social studies have all received attention. For the past year science from first to ninth grade has been thoroughly revised. A tentative course of study is ready for use for next year. It will be tested and revised during 1950-51. The result should be a course including every modern trend in science teaching. In each field studied faculty committees have examined available textual material, appraised it and recommended the materials which best suit our purposes.

In addition to the highlights mentioned, annual reports have been submitted by each school principal and by supervisors and directors of physical and health education, music, guidance, English, and other special fields. Such reports are too voluminous to include in this type of book. They are, however, on file in our offices and are available to anyone who should care to examine them.

The years as your superintendent have been pleasant and busy ones. Associations with our Board have been stimulating and very cordial. Cooperation has been the keynote of our efforts. For these relationships I am deeply grateful and look forward to further years of service and mutual confidence.

Respectfully submitted,

Floyd E. Harshman

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