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Mar. 1, 1955



**FLAPPERS GO RUSTIC**—Down to earth versions of the 1920 flappers are these girls of the Marshall high double sextette who will sing at the Business and Professional Women's Style Show Saturday. From left to right are: Margaret Boyer, Barbara Bebler, Carolyn Nelson, Jeannine Graffunder,

Dorothy Sheffield, Deanna Sneltsjes, Yvonne Graham, Shirley Kidder, Virginia Peterson, Mary Graham, Arlyce Foster and Sue Soucy. G. Orion Lee is their director. The Style Show will be held in the Marshall high auditorium at 8 p.m.—Locy photo.

Mar 1.

## Marshall Drops Close Decision To Granite Falls

Granite Falls scored 11 points in the final 1½ minutes of play Friday night to trounce the Marshall Tigers 65-53.

This was the next-to-the last game on the Marshall schedule and it left the Tigers with a record of nine wins and eight losses.

Strictly on the basis of record so far, the Tigers should be dumped again when they travel to Clarkfield Tuesday. They will be meeting a team which has defeated Canby twice. And Canby, of course, holds two victories over the Tigers.

Granite Falls, incidentally, currently leads the Little Sioux Conference (of which Clarkfield is a part) with a 7-0 record. Yet Marshall put up quite a battle before running out of steam in the closing seconds.

Despite the final score, the game was close. With three minutes left to play, the Tigers were only two points behind—48-46. It was then that Granite Falls began that terrific surge which carried to a 54-48 advantage with 1½ minutes to go.

In those closing seconds, Granite Falls was scoring from everywhere as the surge of power reached its peak.

Four of the Fallsmen finished in the double figures in a great display of offensive power. High man for Marshall was Ron Thompson with 17 points.

### Marshall

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Reuter, f	2	1	1	5
Thompson, f	6	5	2	17
Ross, f	3	1	0	7
Larson, c	3	0	5	6
Tomasek, c	0	0	0	0
Jacobson, g	1	0	2	2
Reese, Bill, g	3	2	4	8
Olson, g	4	0	1	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>53</b>

### Granite

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Peterson, f	6	5	3	17
Fredrickson, f	5	4	0	14
Tjosvold, c	7	0	1	14
Benson, g	5	6	3	16
Leyse, g	1	2	5	4
Anderson, g	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>65</b>

Mar 2

# Tigers Lose 65-51

Coach Glen Moran's Marshall Tigers wound up their season with an even 9-9 record by dropping a 65-51 decision at Clarkfield last night.

Clarkfield, two-time conqueror of Canby, was favored to win and did—but not without a terrific battle from the Tigers.

Although Clarkfield held a lead most of the way, it was a slim one. For instance, they led 14-12 at the first quarter, only 28-25 at the half, and 45-42 at the three quarter mark.

Marshall's chances to win suffered a setback late in the first half when Ron Thompson sprained his ankle, putting him out for the rest of the game. Up until that time, he had been Marshall's scoring leader with 10 points.

However, he is expected to be ready for the Marshall-Ivanhoe contest Tuesday in the first round of the Dist. 9 Tournament.

Marshall will play at Canby at 7:15 p.m. That game will be followed at 8:30 p.m. by the meeting between Wood Lake and the Sub-

District champion to be picked at Cottonwood Friday night.

The Dist. 9 Tourney play will open at Marshall Monday when Canby will meet Milroy at 7:15 p.m. In the second game at 8:30 p.m., Lake Benton will meet the Sub-District champion to be chosen at Tracy Friday night.

Despite the fact that he played only half a game, Thompson was among Marshall's top scorers in the Clarkfield contest. His 10 points was exceeded only by Jim Olson, who netted 11.

The Tigers had a comparatively cold night, shooting only 33 per cent from the floor. But it was their failure at the foul line which cost them the ball game.

They made only 17 of 30 chances while Clarkfield sank 37 of 50. And the difference was more than enough to decide the contest.

### Clarkfield

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Hanson, f	5	13	2	23
Wilson, f	0	1	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>51</b>

Lynne, f	2	5	2	9
Severson, f	0	3	1	3
Haughie, f	0	1	0	1
Berkvam, c	2	4	4	8
West, c	2	2	1	6
Larson, g	3	6	4	12
Johnson, g	0	2	0	2
Mikelson, g	0	0	4	0
Lee, g	0	0	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>65</b>

### Marshall

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Reuter, f	0	2	4	2
Thompson, f	4	2	2	10
Ross, f	0	0	0	0
Larson, c	2	1	5	5
Grue, c	0	2	4	2
Tomasek, c	0	0	5	0
Jacobson, g	4	0	4	8
Reese, Bill, g	0	2	2	2
Robinson, g	1	0	0	2
Olson, g	2	7	3	11
Lanoue, g	4	1	2	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>51</b>

Mar 2

# 4-H Girl Advances To State Contest

Beverley Kramer, winning 4-H radio speaking contest entrant in the Lyon county competition, met success again in the district competition.

Her final trial, for state champion, will be at the University of Minnesota farm campus March 12.

In the district meet, at KMHL Saturday, Beverley competed against five other winners from Redwood, Yellow Medicine, Lac qui Parle, Pipestone and Lincoln coun-

ties. All talked on "What Are My Opportunities and Responsibilities Under Freedom."

Patricia Nelson of Clarkfield in Yellow Medicine county won the reserve championship in the district contest. She is the daughter



Beverley Kramer

of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jacobson and a member of the Tyro 4-H club.

Gilmore Frayseth of Marshall, Mrs. Murial Mitteness of Montevideo and Nellie Dodd of Pipestone were judges. Sylvia Gerhardson, state 4-H club agent, was director.

Beverley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kramer, is president of the Stanley Busy Beavers and district vice president of the Future Homemakers of America.

Mar 9



"I'LL TAKE IT"—Marshall's Ron Thornton (6) and Ivanhoe's Vern Barth (54) go up for a rebound in action at Canby Tuesday night. Dick Larson (9) waits his chance to get at the ball. Marshall won the game 63-42.—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar 2

# Marshall High Declamation Contest Scheduled for Thursday

Marshall High school's declamation contest will be held in three sections Thursday at the school.

Humorous selections will be presented in the Little Theater, dramatic selections in the auditorium, and original and memorized oratory in room 200. Contests will begin at 7:15.

Each group will have its own set of judges, timekeeper and chairman. Admittance will be made only at specified intervals, usually at the end of three selections. Students are rated as superior, very good or good. Those with superior ratings will compete in the district contest.

Adults are invited to attend. Students participating in dramatic selections are JoAnne Caron, Pearl Rasmussen, Becky Johnson, Janet Zimmel, March McChesney,

Joan Schutjer and Sylvia Gates. Manuscript reading: Sally Stearns and Janet Rivard.

Humorous Selections: Karen Jensen, Bonnie Knutson, Janet Priebe, Nicci Pierard, Bob Stauffacher, Barbara Kelson, Doris Priebe and Tom Nehls.

Pantomimes: Sonya Quam, Margie Jensen, Rolland Robinson and Barbara Bebler.

Original orations: Janet Rivard and Shirley Kidder.

Memorized orations: Neil Thorson, Ardyth Heinz, Bruce Roblin, Richard Poffliet, Mary Graham and Beverley Kramer.

Extemporaneous speaking: James Becker, Lee Carlson and Larry Frey.

Mar. 9.

# Marshall, Wood Lake Win

## Tigers Swamp Ivanhoe 63-42; Hendricks Loses

Led by Luther Reuter's 24 points, Marshall romped to an easy 63-42 victory over Ivanhoe in District 9 tournament play at Canby Tuesday night.

In the night's other action Wood Lake swamped Hendricks 65-34.

Action returns to the Marshall floor tonight when Milroy, surprise victor over Canby Monday, meets Lake Benton at 8 p.m. Lake Benton moved into tonight's playoffs by virtue of a win over Hanley Falls Monday.

Marshall and Wood Lake will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday at Canby.

Ivanhoe's Eagles scored first Tuesday night and at one point led Marshall 6-2. With half the first quarter gone, Jim Olson's jump shot gave the Tigers an 8-7 lead and a few seconds later Olson stole the ball and moved the Tigers ahead 10-7. From there on, they never were behind.

Ivanhoe's Roger Krause netted 22 points for the losers, scoring most of his points from well out on the floor.

Marshall led 20-11 at the quarter, 32-23 at the half and 48-40 going into the final period.

Wood Lake was never in trouble as it led 14-4 at the end of the first period in the second game Tuesday. Led by Bob Eye, who netted 21 points on seven field goals and seven free throws, Wood Lake steadily increased its lead, leading by 30-16 at the half and 50-32 at the end of the third quarter.

### Ivanhoe

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Frisby, f	1	0	4	2
Lundberg, f	2	1	4	5
Barth, f	0	0	1	0
Johnson, c	2	3	2	7
Krause, g	11	0	1	22
Anorzeczek, g	1	4	1	6
Total	17	8	13	42

### Marshall

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Reuter, f	9	4	0	22
Thompson, f	1	4	3	6
Ross, f	1	0	0	2
Larson, c	5	1	4	11
Tomasek, c	0	2	0	2
Jacobson, g	1	0	1	2
Reese, g	2	0	4	4
Olson, g	5	2	1	12
Lanoue, g	1	0	1	2
Grue, c	0	0	0	0
Grow, f	0	0	0	0
Total	25	13	14	63



UP AND IN—High scoring Roger Krause (43) hooks in another shot in the second period of the game between Ivanhoe and Marshall Tuesday. Krause's 22-point total was good, but not good enough, as Ivanhoe was ousted from the tourney by Marshall 63-42. Marshall's Dave Ross (7) watches as the ball nears the basket.—Messenger strobophoto.

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### Wood Lake

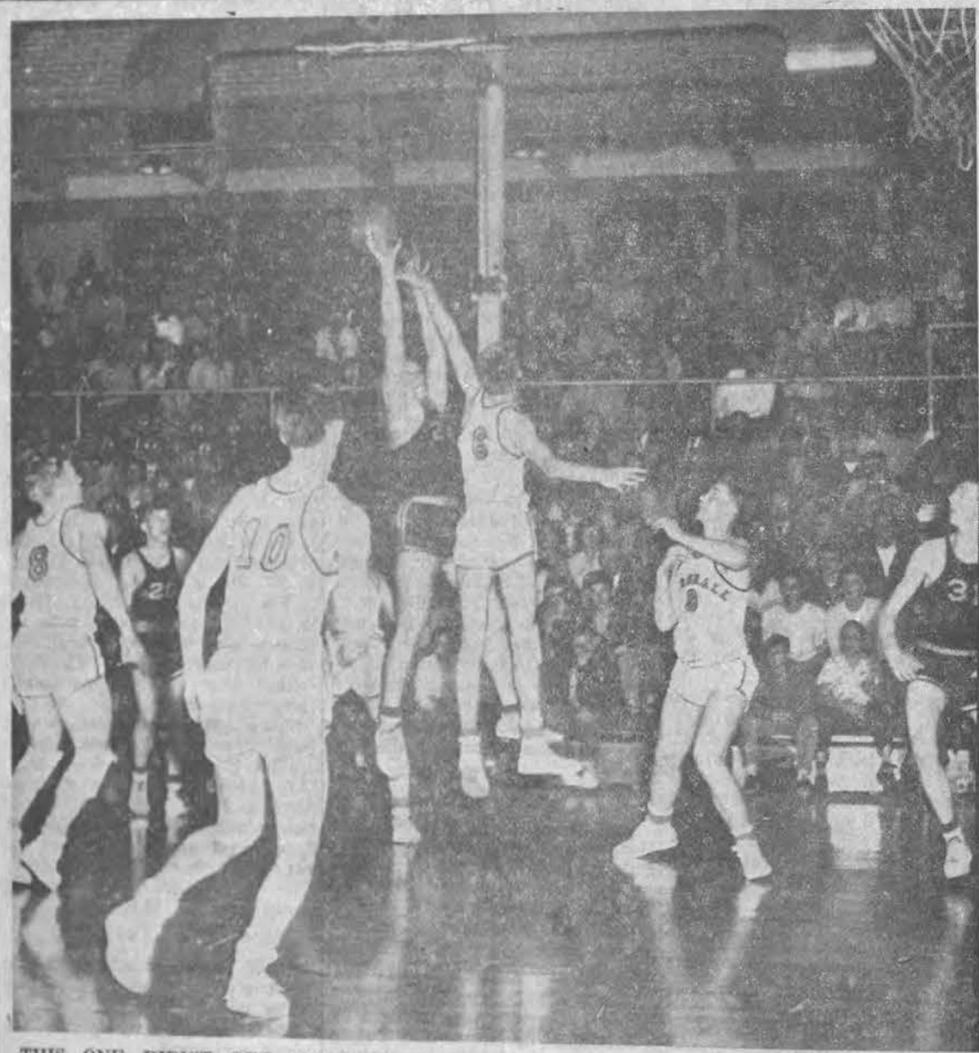
	fg	ft	pf	tp
Klein, f	0	3	0	3
Neuman, f	2	6	2	10
Plath, f	2	1	3	5
Markgraph, f	0	0	1	0
Eye, c	7	7	1	21
Bahn, c	0	0	0	0
Jezeritz, c	1	0	2	2
Wenholz, g	3	5	1	11
Wolff, g	1	0	0	2
Maronde, g	3	1	2	7
Hause, g	2	0	0	4
Total	21	23	12	65

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### Hendricks

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Ness, f	3	2	3	8
Klives, f	0	0	0	0
P. Johnson, f	0	6	1	6
Trulock, f	0	0	0	0
Sagmoe, c	6	0	5	12
M. Johnson, c	0	0	1	0
Peterson, c	0	0	0	0
Cech, g	2	0	3	4
Kurth, g	0	0	1	0
Rosenthal, g	1	2	2	4
Burns, g	0	0	0	0
Total	12	10	16	34

Mar 10



**THIS ONE DIDN'T GET AWAY**—Blocking a jump shot of Wood Lake's Bob Eye, center, is Marshall's Ron Thornton. The Wood Lake Warriors dumped Marshall 69 to 49 at Canby Thursday night to gain a place in the finals of District

9 competition. (See sports page.) Admiring Thornton's good play are Dick Jacobson (8), Luther Reuter (10), Dick Larson (9) and Wood Lake forward Art Plath (31).—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar. 16

### 6 Marshall HS Speakers Earn Superior Ratings

Six Marshall high school students received superior ratings at the district declamation contest at Canby Tuesday.

With their awards they were automatically entered in the regional contest at Redwood Falls March 30.

The superior awards went to the following: Bob Stauffacher for humorous reading; Mary McChesney for dramatic reading; James Becker for extemporaneous speaking; Shirley Kidder for original oratory; Rolland Robinson for discussion.

Nicci Pierard also received a superior rating in humorous reading but fell below the other district entries in this class. Only two students from each district may enter the regional contest.

The one-act play, "Dust of the Road," received an excellent rating. In its cast were Jim Lanoue, Neil Thorson, Janet Priebe and Jim Becker.

Eligible to enter as alternates are: Becky Johnson, drama, Larry Frey, extemporaneous speaking; Beverley Kramer, memorized oratory.

The nine other Marshall high students who participated in the district contest received excellent ratings. These are: Sally Stearns and Jan Rivard, manuscript reading; Neil Thorson and Bruce Rohlin, memorized oratory; Becky Johnson, Mary Graham and Sylvia Gates, dramatic oratory; Marge Jensen and Sonya Quam, pantomime.

Mar. 11

# Wood Lake Bumps Tigers



**ELIMINATED**—Marshall High school's 1954-55 edition of the basketball Tigers was eliminated from championship contention Thursday night when it dropped its game to Wood Lake 60-49. The team meets Lake Benton for consolation honors Saturday at 7:15 p.m. Pictured above,

front row left to right: Bill Reese, Dick Jacobson, Jim Lanoue and Rolland Robinson. Back row: Dave Ross, Denis Grow, Luther Reuter, Ron Thornton, Coach Glenn Moran, Bob Grue, Dick Larson, Jim Olson and John Tomasek.

Mar. 10



**WHO'S THE CLARINETIST?**—The Lake Benton band had an extra musician in the clarinet section Wednesday night when it played at the district basketball game here. Who was it? Leo Yorde, Marshall high school band instructor, donned a Lake Benton band uniform to play first clarinet for the visitors. Seated next to Leo is an unidentified Lake Benton student and at the extreme right (with his back to the camera) is the band director.—Messenger strobophoto.

## Warriors Meet Lake Benton for District Title

Wood Lake added itself to the list of District 9 giant killers Thursday night when the Warriors bounced the Marshall Tigers 60 to 49 to win the semi-final round of play.

Wood Lake's victory moves the Warriors into the finals which will be played at Canby Friday night. It will be Wood Lake vs. Lake Benton.

In Thursday's upset of Marshall, the Wood Lake quint led most of the way by scant margins and forged to a big lead when the Tigers panicked in the final quarter.

### Tigers Cold

Wood Lake, shooting a cozy 37 per cent from the field, actually won the game from the free throw line. The Warriors converted on 20 of 26 charity chances as compared with 9 for 14 for the Tigers. Both teams scored 20 field goals with the Tigers shooting a chilly 29 per cent.

During the first three quarters, Marshall dominated both the offensive and defensive backboards but the Tigers couldn't score consistently against the tight Wood Lake defense.

At the half, Wood Lake held a two-point lead, 30 to 28. The Tigers came back in the third quarter to gain control of the game and snatch a 42 to 40 margin. This lead, a short-lived one, vanished as the Tigers committed several fouls and Wood Lake hit the free throws consistently.

### Thomton Leads Scoring

For Marshall Ron Thomton led the scoring parade with 14 points. Briefly, in the third quarter, Thomton was hot as he hit three straight set shots.

Plath, for Wood Lake, scored 17 points to take the honors for the evening.

The winner of the district tournament will advance to the regional contest at Gustavus Adolphus college in St. Peter Wednesday and Thursday.

The District 9 champion will meet the champion from District 11. Paired in the other first round regional games will be the champions from Districts 10 and 12.

### Marshall

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Reuter, f	6	0	0	12
Thomton, f	5	4	3	14
Ross, f	0	0	1	0
Larson, c	2	3	5	7
Jacobson, g	5	0	1	10
Reese, Bill, g	0	0	0	0
Robinson, g	0	2	0	2
Olson, g	2	0	3	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>49</b>

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### Wood Lake

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Neuman, f	3	2	1	8
Plath, f	6	5	2	17
Eye, c	6	4	2	16
Wenholz, g	1	2	1	4
Maronde, g	4	7	2	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>60</b>

Mar 24



**UP AND OVER**—David Lindblad goes over the low hurdles as he works out for the 1955 track season at Marshall High school. Workouts for spring sports are underway in the old gym.—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar 24



**MARSHALL RECEIVES TROPHY**—When neither of the team's co-captains answered the call, Rolland Robinson accepted the 4th place trophy for the Marshall Tigers after Dist. 9 Tournament play concluded at Canby Saturday night. Making the presentation was L. E. Thorson, district committeeman.—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar 14

## Principal Receives State FHA Award

Merril Olson, principal of Marshall high school, was awarded the honorary state homemaker degree at the Minnesota Future Homemakers of American convention banquet in Minneapolis Friday night. The points that determined Mr. Olson's selection included: development of leadership among Marshall's FHA members, support of the FHA program, standards of family life shown through his counseling and his own family.



Mr. Olson

Under the first point, it might be noted that within the past 10 years, eight Marshall FHA members have held district, state and national offices.

Mr. Olson, Mrs. Olson and their daughter, Judy, were present at the banquet. A telephone call by Miss Marybelle Hickner, Marshall senior FHA advisor, had notified them of the committee's choice.

With Henry Schmidt, executive secretary of FFA, Mr. Olson is the second man in Minnesota to be given the award. The eight other holders are women.

Besides Miss Hickner and 12 Marshall FHA members, the junior FHA advisor Miss Olive Hagstrom and two chapter mothers, Mrs. Donald Thomas and Mrs. William Hammer, attended the convention.

"We were busier than cranberry merchants," said Miss Hickner.

Sonya Quam, co-chairman of the state program committee, and Beverley Kramer, member, went to Minneapolis earlier than the others to meet with their committee Friday morning.

Officially the convention began Friday afternoon. The theme was "Are You a Leader for Better Homes?" In the opening ceremonies, Sonya Quam, Barbara Bebler, Coralyn Nelson and Marilyn Nelson were color guards. Marilyn Nelson attended for Doran Maxson who was ill.

During the business meeting Angela Boerboom and Wanda Thompson acted as voting delegates. Beverley Kramer was elected state candidate for national parliamentarian.

All 12, including Jane Henderson, participated in the discussion of family relationship problems with in the afternoon session. Barbara Bebler and Coralyn Nelson were among the discussion leaders.

All were present in the banquet that night in the Radisson Hotel as Mr. Olson received his award. Miss Hickner had kept her telephone call secret. Not until Mr. Olson stepped forward to receive the award did the Marshall girls know he was present.

They also saw four of their own group receive state homemaker degrees. The four are: Rosemary Boerjan, Dorthea Knutson, Kay Hammer and LaVonne Van Keulen. One thousand FHA members set

### Principal Receives - - -

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at the banquet tables. In addition to awarding degrees, the banquet marked the tenth anniversary of Minnesota's FHA and its growth from 619 members to more than 7000.

Saturday morning the FHA heard a panel of high school foreign exchange students from Denmark, Greece and Germany discuss similarities and differences between American students and those of their own countries.

Mar. 24



**TOURNAMENT BOUND**—Scenes like this one were repeated throughout the state today as busloads of fans headed for the state basketball tournament in Minneapolis. Here Marshall High school's A and B teams boarded a bus tourney-bound at 7 a.m. today. They will return late tonight.—Messenger photo.

Mar. 24



**SINGLES CHAMPS**—Bargara Mills and Neil Thorson, badminton singles champions at Marshall High school, were practicing Wednesday afternoon prior to leaving for Minneapolis today to enter the Midwest badminton tournament at the University of Minnesota. Six players from the school are entering the tourney.—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar. 31

## 9 Schools to Compete in Marshall Invitational Meet

Eight schools have been invited to the 10th annual Marshall Invitational Track and Field meet to be held Saturday, May 14.

Expected to participate in addition to Marshall, are Canby, Pipestone, Clarkfield, Redwood Falls, Granite Falls, Luverne, Montevideo and Tracy.

In the 1954 event, Pipestone and Tracy tied for first with 40.5 points. Marshall was third with 39, just 1½ points behind the leaders.

Each school is allowed three entries in each of 14 events with each contestant limited to two events, exclusive of the relays.

The first event will begin at 1:15 p.m. The championship team will receive a trophy and medals or ribbons will be given to first, second and third place winners.

With a strong field of entrants anticipated, some of the previous met records are expected to fall.

Present records are:  
100 yd. Dash, Lage, Tracy, (1954) 10.3; 220 yd. Dash, Wetherbee, Marshall, (1949) 22.5; 120 yd. High Hurdles, Rubertus, Marshall, (1949) 15.2; 180 yd. Low Hurdles, Frey, Pipestone, (1954) 20.1; 440 yd. Run, Wetherbee, Marshall, (1949) 52.0; 880 yd. Run, DeVetter, Tracy, (1954) 2:07.6; One Mile Run, Gjovig, Canby, (1954) 4:47.4; Relay (Senior High), Montevideo, (1951) 1:37.6; Relay (Junior High), Luverne, (1954) 49.6; Shot Put, Frahm, Pipestone (1953) 45'11½"; discus, Abild, Luverne, (1949) 136'2½"; High Jump, Apolla, Jasper, (1951) 5'10½"; Broad Jump, Erie, Marshall, (1949) 21'4½"; Pole Vault, Peters, Worthington (1949) 12'1".

Mar 28

## MHS's Olson, Ogle Win Badminton Doubles Titles in Midwest Tournament

Two members of Marshall High school's badminton team came through with honors in the Midwest badminton tournament played over the weekend at the University of Minnesota.

Jim Olson, teamed with Larry Leiter of St. Paul Central, won the senior high boys' doubles match. Olson lost out in the finals of singles play, but was awarded the second place medal.

Olson and Jinny Hubbard of Washburn also took second place in the mixed doubles.

In junior championship play, Dick Ogle of Marshall High school and Elizabeth Halloran won first place in the mixed doubles. Coach Stu MacDonald said Ogle was close in the singles finals, but lost out by four points in the third game after being tied for championship play.

Ogle also was on the second place team in the junior doubles.

MacDonald was especially pleased with the local showing because it was the first time the team members had entered a tournament. And they made their showing against 140 other players from throughout the state.

Mar, 23

## 4 MHS Badminton Players Advance In Tourney Play

Three members of Marshall High school's badminton team moved into today's semi-finals of the Midwest badminton tournament at the University of Minnesota. A fourth member enters quarter-final play.

Richard Ogle, Ed Evenson and Jim Olson won opening round games Thursday, although Neil Thorson was ousted when he dropped his second match.

Olson and Evenson will meet in the semi-finals. Ogle's opponent has not been named.

Margie Jensen won two matches to move into the quarter-finals at 3:30 p.m. today. Barbara Mills won her first match but lost out in the second.

Evenson and Olson are entered in the senior singles division. Ogle is entered in the Junior singles, and Margie Jensen is participating in senior singles.

Mar 23

## MHS Badminton Team to Enter Midwest Tourney

Six Marshall High School racketeers will leave Thursday for the Midwest badminton tournament at Cooke Hall, University of Minnesota.

Representing the school officially will be Neil Thorson, school boys' singles champion, and Ed Evenson, runnerup; Barbara Mills, girls' champion, and Marjorie Jensen, runnerup.

Also entering are Jim Olson, an Aquatennial champion last summer, and Dick Ogle, junior high champ, who will play in the junior division for persons 15 years of age and under. All others will be in the under-18 class.

The tournament, sponsored by the National Badminton Association, has been underway since Monday. However, only Twin Cities entrants played earlier this week as all out-state entries were given byes until Thursday.

Elimination events will be played Thursday and Friday with the semi-finals and finals Saturday.

S. E. MacDonald, who has been coaching the entries, will accompany the group to Minneapolis. He said the tourney is held every year during the state basketball tournament. This allows the badminton players to attend state tourney games. The group will return Sunday.

Mar 30

## 5 Marshallites to Compete in Speech Contest

Going to Redwood Falls today for the regional declamation trials are James Becker, Shirley Kidder, Mary McChesney, Rolland Robinson and Robert Stauffacher of Marshall high school. They will be accompanied by their coach, Leonard Johnson, instructor in English at Marshall High School.

All received "superior" ratings at the district contest in Canby March 15. Becker entered in extemporaneous oratory. Shirley Kidder entered in original oratory. Mary McChesney, Robinson and Stauffacher entered in the dramatic, discussion, and humorous classes, respectively.

Mar, 23

## School to Have First Golf Team

Marshall High School will have a golf team this year for the first time.

S. E. MacDonald, manager, said the team will be coached by volunteers from among the better golfers in the city. Players will be selected during a try-out period.

Only definite play date so far is the regional tournament at Montevideo May 28. However, matches are being arranged with other schools, such as Worthington.

The golf team is an outgrowth of a broader golf program which started this winter with classes in golf theory and indoor putting and driving.

This program will be continued in May at the Marshall Country Club. Tenth grade physical education classes will take over the course to try some of the theory. Arrangements for the use of the course were made at a meeting of the Country Club Sunday.

C. J. O'Brien, club president, said members with old clubs which they aren't using might like to loan or give those clubs to the school for use by the students.

"I'm sure it would be appreciated," he said.

Mar. 22



HERE'S ANOTHER BLUE RIBBON!—Loyal McCann, Marshall high agricultural instructor, (extreme left), stands with the team he took to the Future Farmers of America Invitational Livestock Judging contest at Sioux Falls, S. D. March 17. The Marshall team placed among the top 10 of 105 teams from four states. Dale Willard

(third from left), placed sixth among the top 10 of 420 individual judges. After Mr. McCann, the team members are Richard Verdeck, Willard, Tom Dirckx, Dean Nysten and Kenneth Miller. Robert Fifield, who with Dirckx attended the contest as an alternate, was absent when the picture was taken.—Messenger strobophoto.

Mar. 25

## Marshall FFA Places 9th in Judging Event

The Marshall Future Farmers of America judging team ranked ninth in the Sioux City Invitational Livestock judging contest held March 17.

Information that the Marshall team placed among a field of 104, was received today.

Top five teams, listed in order of first through fifth, were: Mountain Lake, Estherville (Ia.), Inwood (Ia.), Howarden (Ia.) and Albert Lea.

Elwyn Burns of Rolfe, Ia. was the highest scoring individual, according to the report. Following Burns were Charles Kermes of Albert Lea, Roger Suhr of Pender (Neb.), Edwin College of Mountain Lake and Jim Merritt of Whiting.

Dale Willard, one of the four members of the Marshall FFA team, placed six.

Loyal McCann, Marshall FFA advisor, said that while the scoring by the Marshall team was not high, he felt that all the team had done good work. McCann pointed out that only fractions of points made differences in rank and that no great range in points separated Willard from Burns.

McCann also pointed out that the judging contest had had a record attendance this year.

Mar 18

## Marshall FFA Judging Team Among Top 10 at Sioux City

Dale Willard, Marshall, placed sixth and the Marshall Future Farmers of America Livestock judging team placed among the 10 blue ribbon teams at the four-state Invitational FFA Livestock judging contest in Sioux City Thursday.

Willard had 767.65 points of a possible 800. A total of 420 boys from high schools in Minnesota,

Iowa, South Dakota and Nebraska participated in the contest. An Iowa boy place first with 769.65 points.

The exact position of the Marshall team among the 10 blue ribbon teams had not been calculated when the team left the Sioux City stockyards Thursday night. Of a possible 3200 points, the team had 2963.30. The Mountain Lake team placed first. A total of 105 teams entered. Scoring next to Willard on the Marshall team was Richard Verdeck with 754.10 points. Other scores were: 733.75 for Kenneth Miller; 707.8 for Dean Nysten. Tom Dirckx and Robert Fifield, who attended the contest as alternates, were not allowed to accumulate scores.

Leaving here at 4 a.m. Thursday with their coach, Loyal McCann, the boys judged four classes of beef cattle, two classes of sheep and two classes of hogs before noon. After lunch in the livestock pavilion, the boys attended an entertainment program on the grounds.

Seniors Willard and Verdeck have applied for the State Farmer degree. Willard is vice president of the Marshall FFA. Verdeck is treasurer.

Both have projects in crossbred hogs, purebred Herefords, and Holstein dairy cows. Willard, who also has a flock of Leghorn chickens, began his projects in his freshman year. Verdeck, a transfer student began in his sophomore year.

Miller, Nysten, Dirckx and Fifield are members of the junior, freshman, senior and sophomore classes, respectively. Dirckx is second vice president of the Marshall FFA.



**BOYS' STATE ELECTERS**—David Ross, left above, will represent Marshall High School at the American Legion Sponsored Boys' State. If he can't go, Douglas Berge, right, will take his place. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ross while Douglas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odin Berge. Below, Robert Marks, left, is the alternate for delegate Bob Lee. The two are examining an issue of the Central Record, of which Lee is editor. Robert's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee.—Messenger strobphoto.



## American Legion Names Boys' State Delegates from Marshall, Central

Boys who will represent Marshall at Boys' State were named today by the Marshall American Legion.

David Ross will represent Marshall High while the Central High delegate will be Bob Lee. Alternates are Douglas Berge of Marshall and Robert Marks of Central.

The boys were chosen from among the upper third (scholastically) of the junior classes at the schools. The choice was not based entirely on scholarship as leadership, moral character and other qualities were considered.

At Boys' State, these youngsters, along with delegates from other communities, will set up a miniature state government with village, county and state offices. Object of the program is to teach the youths how the government operates.

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# School Board Awards Bids in 3 Projects

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## 2 Additions, New Grade School in Work Scheduled

Contracts totalling \$707,171.00 for the three Marshall public school building projects were awarded Monday night at a special school board meeting.

Successful bidders were: Rolph Construction Company of Luverne, general construction contract, \$507,774.00; Wright Plumbing and Heating Company, Minneota, mechanical construction contract, \$134,696; Moore Electrical Company of Marshall, the electrical contract, \$64,707.

Each of the three bids accepted by the school board was low bid for the contract. The Marshall school board considered six other of the lower bids Monday night. It selected the nine for special consideration from the total of 21 bids received when bidding opened March 15.

The three projects are: an eight-room addition to the East Side grade school; an industrial arts shop addition to the Marshall high school site; and an elementary school building to be known as the West Side grade school.

Building will begin as soon as weather permits, said L. M. Frey, Marshall public schools superintendent.

The completion date for the East Side grade school addition and the industrial arts shop addition has been tentatively set at Jan. 1, 1956.

The \$42,829 difference between the sum of the contracts and the bond loan of \$750,000 will be used to cover architect fees and possibly equipment costs, said Frey.

William Culhane, Marshall post commander, said the boys will align into two opposing political factions and will attempt to win an election by securing votes from a third, independent group.

During the week, Governor Freeman and other state officials will address the group which also will attend legislative meetings and tour state offices.

Boys' State will be held June 12-18 on the St. Paul campus of the University of Minnesota.



**DISTRICT 4 FFA POULTRY CONTEST**—Fifty Future Farmers of America were in Marshall Saturday to take part in a poultry judging contest. Shown from left to right are Richard Jacob-

son, James Bloome, both of Marshall; Allan Christensen, Arthur Lee Nissen, both of Tyler. Jacobson won top place among the individual judges.—Messenger strobphoto.

## MHS, Central Track Teams Set First Drills

Trackmen of both Central and Marshall high schools will get down to earnest work early next week. At least, that's what Coaches Tom Warner of Central and Larry Kienholz of Marshall hope will result from their first practices of the track season.

Kienholz expects "somewhere around 60 boys" to turn out for Marshall's first workout Tuesday at the Legion field track. "We haven't been doing much as the weather and spring vacation have held us up," Coach Kienholz said Thursday.

"But we have to be ready for our first meet in a little over two weeks," he added. Marshall high's first meet is the Mankato Relays April 25.

Over at Central, Coach Warner figures 15 to 20 potential cindermen will turn out for the Queensmen's first track team in history. "I think 15 will be out for our first practice Monday, but we're hoping two or more others will come out, too," Warner stated.

Handling all of Central's teams, Warner expects to issue the call for the first baseball practice for Monday, April 18.

## 6 Marshall HS Students Attend Press Convention

Six Marshall high school representatives will attend the Minnesota high school press association convention today and Saturday at the University of Minnesota.

Driving to Minneapolis with the advisor of the Tiger Herald, William Shimmin, are Janet Rivard, Shirley Kidder, Barbara Mills, Marlyce Young, Janet Zimmer and Beverley Kramer.

The latter three have indicated interest in the Marshall high school yearbook, the "Marhian." Barbara Mills is assistant editor of the Tiger-Herald, Shirley Kidder is copy editor and Janet Rivard is staff writer.

The convention opened at 10:30 a.m. in Murphy Hall. Robert Smith of the Minneapolis Star addressed the group on Europe and the Far East.

Sectional meetings will be held Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. The Marshall group will return Saturday afternoon.

## Marshall FFA Poultry Team Tops Dist. 4

The plaque for first place in the District 4 Future Farmers of America poultry judging contest, held at the Swift and Company plant in Marshall Saturday, was won by the Marshall FFA team.

Richard Jacobson, senior on the Marshall FFA team, lead in individual judging.

The four teams ranking next to Marshall were: Okabena, second place; Fairfax, third; Luverne, fourth, and Jackson, fifth.

Members of the Marshall team, lead by Richard Jacobson, took the first five blue ribbon awards for individual high judging scores.

The top 10 high scoring judges were: Jacobson, John Ahlin, LeRoy Syverson, James Bloome, William Schroeder of the Marshall team; Gary Cortright, Harlan Cunther of the Okabena team; Robert Kiceker of Fairfax, and Clifford Odel, and Art Warner of Franklin.

The teams which gained the first five places will represent District 4, which comprises the southwestern half of Minnesota, at the star FFA convention on the University of Minnesota Farm Campus in May.

In addition to Marshall FFA, teams from the following schools participated: Luverne, Franklin, Okabena, Tyler, Pipestone, Jackson, Lakefield, Fairfax and Comfrey.

## School Patrol Members to Attend Follies

Sixty-three members of the Marshall public school patrol will attend the Ice Follies in Minneapolis Saturday, April 16.

The trip is part of the annual outing for the school patrol organized by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Veterans of Foreign Wars and financed through the Community Chest.

Members of the school patrol who did not attend the Shriners' Circus outing in February are eligible for the April trip.

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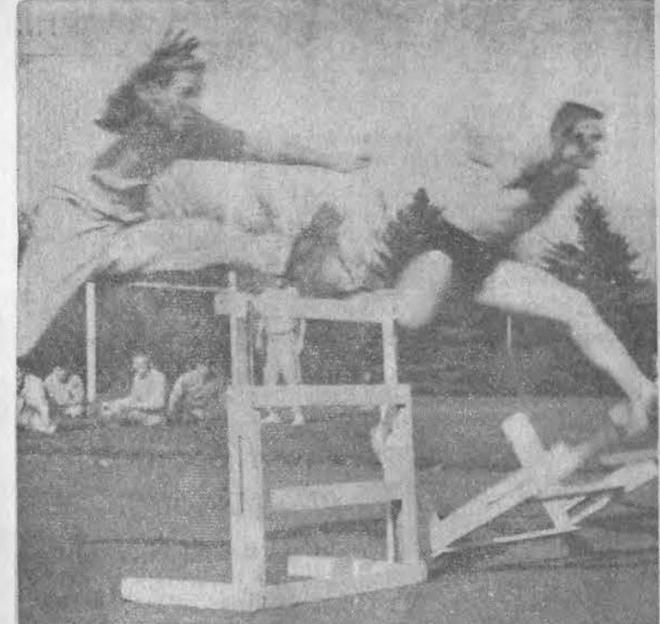
**TROPHIES TO SENIORS**—At Monday's banquet the Lions club honored nine senior lettermen of Marshall and Central high schools with trophies. In front are (from left): Jim Lanoue of Marshall; Dick Jacobson (M); Bob Sullivan of Central; Rollie Robinson (M); and Ward Schuster (C). Standing in back are (from left): Jerry Coutoure (C); S. E. MacDonald, program chairman; Glen Moran, Marshall coach; Charles Lutz, Lion club president; Tom Warner, Central coach; Ron Thomson (M); Luther Reuter (M); and Bob Grue (M).

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**LIFE SCOUT**—Lee Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carlson of Marshall, Wednesday night became the highest ranking active Scout in Marshall when he received the Life Scout award. His mother pins the award on him while Scoutmaster W. W. Hanson looks on. Lee is a member of Jaycee troop 142.—Messenger strobphoto.

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**MAKING IT EASY**—High hurdler Dick Larson (right) of Marshall High's track team kicks over a high hurdle, while teammate Jim Olson is in the process of clearing the third barrier in a race Thursday. Larson went on to win the event. Both boys along with some more promising material should help Tiger Coach Larry Kienholz as the season draws near.—Messenger photo.

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### School Roundup Set Saturday

Children who will enter kindergarten next fall will meet their teachers for the first time Saturday.

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day as the annual pre-school roundup is held in the Little Theater at the High School.

Beginning at 2 p.m., the mothers will learn about health and immunization from the school nurse while the youngsters get acquainted with the teachers.

One of the teachers, Miss Dorothy Burris, will speak on "Preparing Your Child for School."

Children born in 1950 are eligible for kindergarten next fall.

Mrs. Millard Ehlers, chairman of the pre-school roundup committee of the Marshall branch of the American Association of University Women, said there will be a social hour and coffee.

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### MHS '9' Practices Hitting, Throwing, Infield Work

More batting and throwing practice plus some infield work featured Marshall High's baseball workout Thursday as Coach Glen Moran sent the Tigers through their paces. With the District Nine music contest this weekend and with the senior class play coming up, Moran has had to cancel plans to get in

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a practice game before the season's opener April 26 against Balaton.

However, with continued warm weather the Tiger nine should quickly round into shape. All told, Moran has 30 out for baseball, including eight veterans.

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### Seniors Present 'Green Valley'

The Senior class of the Marshall High School will present a play, "Green Valley", Thursday, April 21. A special showing for students

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and children will be presented Saturday, April 23.

The Seniors will be out selling tickets this weekend.

The play is produced by Mr. Leonard Johnson, and has the following in the cast: Jim Reese, Nancy Larson, David Asp, Bob Stauffcher, Doranne Maxson, Barbara Bebler, Neil Thorson, Rolland Robinson, Margit Jensen, Keith Mann, Luther Reuter, Jim Lanoue, Deanna Snelitjes, Sally Stearns, Merlin Wild, Sonya Quam, Bob Skramstad, Sue Soucy, Dick Field, Kathleen Buesing, and Bruce Rohlin.

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### Lee Carlson Receives Life Scout Ranking

Lee Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carlson, became the highest ranking Boy Scout in Marshall Wednesday night when he received the Life Scout award at a court of honor held in the Junior Chamber of Commerce hall. He is a member of Troop 142, sponsored by the Jaycees.

Carlson also received three merit badges; Jimmy Bot, two. Patrol leaders' bars went to Gerald So-

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vell, Robert Driscoll, Darrel Verdeck, Jimmy Bot and Allan Greig. Second class awards went to Robert Chapaut, Barney Pomrantz, Jack Henderson, Darrel Verdeck and Darrel VanDerheyden.

Tenderfoot awards were made to Jim Hill, Gilbert Gates, Allan Greig, Larry Freyseth, Richard Bisbe, Richard Cable, Robert Chapaut, Jack Henderson, John McCallum, Mickey Taylor, Robert Rubertus, Dean Hand, Earl Jackson, Jerry Freed and Victor Marquardt.

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### MHS Ball Club to Play Canby

Weather permitting, Marshall High will unveil its 1955 baseball team Wednesday afternoon in a game with Canby. Game time will be 5 p.m.

Coach Glen Moran plans to open with the following batting order:

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Don Stearns, shortstop; Rollie Robinson, center field; Luther Reuter, second base; Bob Grue, first base; Jim Lanoue, pitcher; Galen Skramstad, left field; John Tomasek, catcher; Leroy Syver-son, right field; and Larry Stengley, third base.

Tonight the club was to take regular batting practice along with a good infield workout before the Lancers come to town.

## Tiger Track Team Members Holding Intra-Squad Meet

Marshall High's track team will stage an intra-squad meet Monday and Tuesday as Coach Larry Kienholz wants to stimulate spirit and see how his thinclads react under the fire of competition.

Original plans called for the meet to begin today, but the District Nine music contest interfered. Dividing the Tigers into three

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groups of a frosh-soph combination, a junior team and a senior outfit, Kienholz and his assistant, Bill Welch, hope to find out exactly what they have on hand.

This year's team is probably below par compared to Kienholz' teams of the past. Since he has been at Marshall, Kienholz' thinclads have won more Region Three championships than any other

school. Since 1933, when Kienholz became Tiger track mentor, Marshall has lost the District only twice, last season being one of the times.

The runners and hurdlers spent most of their time working to get away quickly from the starting blocks at Thursday's practice. Kienholz supervised the runners, hurdlers and jumpers, while Welch worked with the weight men.

Among the bright spots in the Tiger camp was the good weather. Another was the fine work of junior hurdler, Dick Larson. Hurdler Jim Olson is also making steady progress.

Meanwhile, Kienholz hopes to uncover more talent as the Mankato Relay, April 25, draw near. Relays comprise the running events, while the field events are on an individual basis.

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## MHS Track Team Holds First Drill; 5 Lettermen Out

Beginning his 16th year as Marshall high track coach, Larry Kienholz greeted a squad of 25 potential Tiger cindermen at the first workout of the season Tuesday.

In the group Kienholz could count five lettermen. They are broad-jumper Jim Olson, a junior; low and high hurdler Dick Larson, a junior; senior pole vaulters Dennis Grow and Luther Reuter; and relay team member, Marvin St. Aubin, a senior. A sixth monogram winner, senior sprinter Bruce Berg, missed Tuesday's practice due to illness.

Tuesday's work was devoted primarily to team organization. Sprinter, distance runners and hurdlers tried several dashes out of the starting blocks, while the weight men limbered up under the guidance of Bill Welch, Kienholz' assistant.

Perhaps Friday and Monday a class meet will be held so that Coach Kienholz can draw a better line on his Tiger cindermen. Such a meet probably would pit the freshmen and juniors against a senior-sophomore combination.

Marshall's first meet is the Mankato Relays April 25.

"What we lack in experience, we will have to make up in determination and willingness," Kienholz stated Tuesday.

Graduation in 1954 thinned the Tiger ranks, while Don Jensen, a sprinter and hurdler, recently entered the air force.

Kienholz, who has been at Marshall continuously since 1938 with the exception of two years in the service, eventually will turn the freshmen over to Harry Ahlin, the junior high coach. Ahlin and his assistant, George Rindelaub, had approximately 45 junior high prospects going through their paces Tuesday.

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**WE'RE GOING TO THE ICE FOLLIES!**—Members of the Marshall School Patrol who earned 125 points during the year won a trip to the Ice Follies last Saturday. Some of the group find

time to have their picture taken while waiting for the bus to warm up before leaving.—Messenger photo.

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### Superintendent Frey Attends Short Course

Mr. L. M. Frey, Marshall public schools superintendent, attended the 41st Annual University Short Course and Schoolmen's Week, held under the auspices of the College of Education at the University of Minnesota, April 4 through 6.

**OPERA TO BE PRESENTED**—Puccini's "LaBoheme" will be presented in the Marshall High school auditorium Wednesday at 8:15 p.m. One of the scenes from the opera is shown here. The program is being presented by the Marshall Concert Association.

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## Marshall High's 31 Music 'A's Highest Total School Achieved

Marshall High school's 31 "A" ratings, received in the district music contest at Canby and Tracy over the weekend, was the highest total ever awarded to the school. "A" ratings were received by the school chorus, as well as solo-

or; Richard Fifield, bass-baritone; Barbara Bebler, soprano. Vocal ensemble: Girls sextet: Barbara Bebler, Carolyn Nelson, Arlyce Foster, Deanna Sneltsjes, Shirley Kidder and Sally Stearns. Piano solo: Sally Stearns, Arlyce Foster, Dorothy Sheffield.

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ists and ensembles, and the band received an "A plus" rating for two numbers.

Regarding the Marshall band, H. E. Owen, instrumental instructor and band director at Mankato State Teachers College and one of the judges for the contest, said: "It is an inspiration for anyone to have this fine band representing them anywhere."

Owen said it was "thrilling" to see so much effort put forth by both band members and their director in trying to achieve nothing less than the best of musical results.

The complete list of students receiving "A" ratings included:

Solos: Sally Stearns and Doris Priebe, clarinet; Carolyn Nelson and Marlene Eggen, flute; Doranne Maxson, oboe; Sue Soucy, bass clarinet; Barbara Bebler, alto saxophone; Dorothy Sheffield, tenor saxophone; Larry Frey, baritone saxophone; David Ross, trombone; Janet Priebe, baritone; Douglas Berge, tuba, and Don Herring, snare drum.

Instrumental ensembles, clarinet duet: David Asp and Bruce Rohlin.

Woodwind quintet: Carolyn Nelson, Sally Stearns, Doranne Maxson, Sonya Quam and Shirley Kidder.

Saxophone sextet: Barbara Bebler, Mike McEnaney, Dorothy Sheffield, Mary Graham, Yvonne Graham and Larry Frey.

Clarinet trio: Sally Stearns, Monette Strube and Karen Hixon.

Brass Sextet: Marge Jensen, Bob Grue, Sonya Quam, Bob Stauffacher, Arlyce Foster and Marcia Olson.

Trumpet trio: Deanna Sneltsjes, Arlyce Foster and Marcia Olson.

Baritone trio: Marge Jensen, Janet Priebe and Judy Warnke.

Drum ensemble: Kathleen Buesing and Danny Bowman.

Vocal solo: Bob Stauffacher, ten-

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## Marshall High Ball Club Playing First Game Today

Marshall High's baseball team was to open its season today in a 5 p.m. game against Canby's Lancers, weather permitting.

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This game replaces the Balaton tilt scheduled for the Legion field next Tuesday.

Four seniors, two juniors, two sophomores and one freshman were supposed to start today's game. In the lead off spot in the batting order will be freshman Don Stearns,

who will play shortstop.

Following Stearns in batting will be the four seniors: Rollie Robinson, in center field, second baseman Luther Reuter, clean up man Bob Grue at first base and pitcher Jim Lanoue. Then comes a sophomore, Galen Skramstad, left fielder. Following Skramstad are catcher John Tomasek, a junior; right fielder Leroy Syverson, a sophomore; and third baseman Larry Stengley, a junior.

Lanoue and Tomasek are the versatile battery mates. Each can relieve the other, either on the hill or behind the plate. Therefore, Mo-

ran automatically has two pitchers on which to call.

With the possibility of playing three District Nine tournament games in five days during the week of May 23, the Tigers will need to have more than one hurler—should they have the good fortune of staying in the meet by winning each tourney test.

As for the hitting and fielding phase, Moran sent the club through a mild workout drill Tuesday in preparing for today's tussle. Each batter took his licks at the plate, and a brisk infield practice was held.



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**BUILDING YEAR?**—From all indications, Marshall High Track Coach Larry Kienholz (left) and his assistant, Bill Welch, will be counting upon the juniors to lead this year's team. The numbers on the black board under "Juniors" representing the 43 points of a maximum 63 which that class has totaled so far in the Tigers' intra-squad meet. Today Kienholz, beginning his 16th MHS track season, sends the team through final preparations for the Mankato Relays Monday.—Messenger strobophoto.

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## Jim Olson, MHS Athlete, Picked for U. S. All-Star Badminton Play; Can't Go

Jim Olson, a Marshall High school junior, was recently selected to compete with the United States Junior badminton team against Canada in inter-sectional

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matches scheduled Saturday in Winnipeg.

However, Jim, son of MHS Principal Merrill Olson, will not participate with the ten-player team representing the entire country due to a Minnesota State High School League rule forbidding such play.

Five girls and five boys will comprise the all-star teams for each nation. Olson, who was the state high school runnerup in the singles and the mixed doubles events in the Minneapolis meet March 25-26, was informed of his selection by a letter from H. B. Clayton, the president of the Midwest Badminton Association.

Clayton's letter read in part: "As a result of your play and sportsmanship in the recent tournament (state) and by recommendation of your state association, I wish to invite you as a member of the United States team."

Olson's coach, Stu MacDonald, points out that as a senior next year he would have to forego playing with the Marshall High team had he decided to accept the honor. Presently Olson is making a strong bid for a spot on the track team. A substitute will take his place in the Winnipeg matches.

The MSHSL which puts a damper on such play states in effect that to stay eligible for state athletic activity, a high school athlete can't compete on an all-star team or perform against one.



Jim Olson

The penalty for such an offense is the loss of one year's eligibility.

The sectional matches in the international play alternate annually between the United States and Canada. Winnipeg is a good badminton center, and earlier this year was host to the Thomas Cup matches.



**WIN TOP HONORS**—Janet Priebe, right, is valedictorian of the 1955 graduating class at Marshall High school. Evelyn Pagel, left, was named salutatorian. Announcement of the winners was made at a convocation in the school auditorium this morning.—Messenger strobophoto.

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## Janet Priebe Leads MHS Graduates in Scholarship

Janet Priebe today was announced as valedictorian of the 1955 Marshall High school graduating class with a score of 94.5 points of a possible 95.

The announcement was made by Principal Merrill Olson at a convocation shortly before noon.

Evelyn Pagel, with an average of 93.5, was named salutatorian.

In making the announcement, Principal Olson said, "In every case, the ranking seniors have at least six hours of work a day. That means their music and subjects total six hours and their preparation must be made outside of that."

"If you go through the seniors earning this year's honor, you will find that they have been responsible for making the activities operate in this school."

He added that the students have attained a rating which will always remain with them, wherever they go.

Others in the top 10, and the scores attained (out of a possible 95) were: Monette Strube, 93.4; Kathleen Buesing, 93; Sonya Quam, 92; Carolyn Nelson, 91.8; Jim Reese, 91.5; Barbara Bebler, 91.5; Winifred Soucy, 91.5; and Sharon Hodgeman, 90.0.



**SCHOOL AHEAD**—Fifteen youngsters who will attend kindergarten next fall got their first taste of school Saturday at the "round-up" held in the Little Theatre at Marshall High school. Left to right, front row, are: Bryan Broman, Thomas Bjerke, Brenda DeAustin, Diane Bech, Kathleen

Botsford, Holly Timm, Louise Odegaard, Karen Ewing and Betty Jean Johnson. Back row: Cherry Alsweiler, Kerry Running, Randy DeRoode, Jane Hoffman, Christine Watzke and Paul DePover.—Scherling photo.

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## Tiger Trackmen Take 7th Place in Relays

Marshall High's track team made a very creditable showing in the Mankato Indian Relays Monday, taking seventh place be-

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hind six larger schools and helping set one of the meet's 11 new records.

Hopkins won the 17-team Class A title with 34 points, followed by Robbinsdale, with 32 3/16 markers. Marshall picked up 11 11/16, mainly on first and third places by Dick Larson and Jim Olson, respectively, in the high hurdles and a third by Dennis Grow in the pole vault.

In the Class B division Ivanhoe did well, scoring 7 1/2 points in the broad jump and 100-yard dash to place ninth as Garden city won the small-school crown. Gene Lund-

### BASEBALL GAME TODAY

The Marshall High school baseball team is to play Balaton this afternoon at 5:30 p.m. at the Legion Field.

Either Jim Lanoue or John Tomasek was slated to take the mound. The Tigers are seeking their second victory of the season.

In openers last week, Lanoue's one-hit hurling eased the Tigers past Canby, 19-0, while Balaton suffered a 8-0 setback against Milroy.

share the new mark with the Robbinsdale speedster.

In the finals the times were reversed. Helm had Larson's preliminary time of :7.65 to finish second. Olson crossed the line in :7.85.

In the pole vault, two Tigers tallied. Dennis Grow was third, going out at 10 feet 6 inches and Luther Reuter tied for fifth, being eliminated at the 10-0 mark.

The Tigers other points came in the 880-yard relay as they traveled the half mile in 1:42 to tie for fifth place while Hopkins was setting a new record in the event with a time of 1:35.3. Marshall's quartet was Olson, Larson, Marv St. Aubin and Jim Reese in that order.

Coming in sixth, Marshall finished just out of the points for the two-mile relay. Points were awarded on a 5-4-3-2-1 basis in the meet.

An accounting of Marshall's points finds Larson contributing five, Olson three and Grow three. Reuter chipped in with 3/8 and the relay team with 5/16. The total of 11 11/16 was less than five points smaller than the tally of sixth place winner, Edina.

Considering school size, Marshall did quite well. MHS has 307 students, and the next smallest school

placing above Marshall was third-place Northfield which has an enrollment of 575.

Here are the top placings: Hopkins (709 students) 34; Robbinsdale (1200) 32 3/16; Northfield (575) 24 1/2; Faribault (742) 21 1/4; St. Louis Park (2200) 19 3/4; Edina (802) 16 5/16; Marshall (307) 11 11/16.

Next on the agenda for the Tigers is the continuation of the intra-squad class meet in which the juniors have swept to a 43-11-9 bulge over the senior and frosh-soph teams, respectively. Coach Kienholz and his assistant Bill Welch are anxious to finish it up this week before getting the team ready for the Carlton Relays May 7.

Still to be run in the class meet are the 220, 440, 880 and mile races and the half-mile relay. Even by splitting the races, with a good break from the weatherman, the Tigers should "officially" crown the juniors champs by Thursday. The other two class aggregations have been all but mathematically eliminated.

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## Marshall FFA Judging Teams Top District

Marshall's Future Farmers of America meats and livestock judging teams will represent District 6

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at the state FFA convention and judging contest at University farm May 9 to 11.

The teams placed first in the district judging contest held Saturday.

Jim Reese was the highest individual judge in the meats contest and Melvin Stafford was fifth. Richard Verdeck was the highest individual judge in the livestock contest and Dale Willard ranked fifth.

The meats team is composed of Jim Reese, Melvin Stafford, Warren Heinz, Kenneth Driessen and Richard Polfliet. Livestock team members are Richard Verdeck, Dale Willard, Kenneth Miller, Robert Fifield and Dean Nylan.

Poultry team members, who previously won their contest, are Richard Jacobson, John Ahlin, LeRoy Syverson, James Bloome and Bill Schroeder.

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## MHS Track Team, '9' Have Contests

Marshall High's track team is participating in the Mankato Indian Relays today. It is the first Tiger meet of the season which be-

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gins Coach Larry Kienholz' 16th year at the Marshall track helm. Meanwhile, Coach Glen Moran was to send the baseball team through its last practice today before meeting Balaton Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the Legion Field. However, the starting time will be moved up to 5 p.m., providing the Balaton team gets here early.

Either Jim Lanoue or John Tomasek will pitch for Marshall with the other one catching. Last week Lanoue threw a one-hitter against Canby's Lancers as the Tigers opened the season with a 19-0 win.

berg took second in the broad jump and Roger Krause fifth in the 100-yard dash for the Eagles.

Perhaps it was Larson of Coach Larry Kienholz' Tigers who took the meet's spotlight. After losing to Helm of Robbinsdale in the preliminaries of the high hurdles when Helm set a new record of :7.6 seconds for the 60-yard event, to win the event's finals and to

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Rolland Robinson

### Rolland Robinson Wins Scholarship

Rolland Robinson, Marshall High school student, has been named

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one of 28 state winners of Eastern Star training awards for religious leadership.

The announcement was made by Mrs. Jane Topel, Balaton, representing the general grand chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and the grand chapter of Minnesota.

Robinson and the other 27 winners will receive their awards May 5 when the grand chapter session is held in Minneapolis municipal auditorium. Mrs. Ruth A. Jones, most worthy grand matron of the general grand chapter, Waterbury, Conn., will make the presentation of certificates.

Mrs. Dagmar Irgens, worthy grand matron of Minnesota, sponsored the program as her special project, and the total value of certificates to be awarded is \$11,200.

Mrs. Topel said the money is not a loan to the student, but a gift, and will be sent to the school of the student's choice to be used for tuition, board, books, clothing and medical aid. The award winners need not be affiliated with the Masonic or Eastern Star orders.

The program will be continued to assist students preparing to become ministers, missionaries, directors of youth leadership, directors of church music, and religious education directors.

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NEARING THE END—Four students at Marshall High school work on final stages of decorating the gymnasium in preparation for Thursday night's banquet and the junior-senior prom, scheduled

Friday night. On the ladders, left to right, are: Norman Howery, Marv. St. Aubin and Dan Hammer. Carl Carter is on stage.—Messenger strobphoto.

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### Junior-Senior Banquet Features 'Oceans' of Fun, Entertainment

An ocean theme was used in the decorations at the Junior-Senior banquet held last night in the Marshall High School auditorium.

One wall, covered with a mural by Jan Rivard, showed Neptune on

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his throne surrounded by his kingdom. Gaily colored fish hung from the ceiling and bowls of gold-fish and guppies revolved on the points of a glittering white star-fish in the center of the auditorium.

Sea Mistress, Bard Miller, was mistress of ceremonies; Skipper Richard Larson had as his topic "Ship Ahoy"; and Captain James Reese spoke on "Beyond the Frontier." Jack Sholund's "Silent World" was the major talk of the evening.

After intermission, Doug Berge, ocean master, introduced:

Bob Stauffacher in "Cyrano de Bergerac," Karen Jensen and

Jan Rivard, tap dance; Carolyn Nelson, senior class history; Deanne Snelties, Arlyce Foster and Marcia Olson, a trumpet number; Jim Olson, Shirley Kidder, Larry Frey, Marlyce Young, Becky Johnson and Bill Gates, mixed sextet; Kathleen Buesing, senior class will; Becky Johnson, vocal solo, accompanied by Barbara Mills.

Larry Frey, Jim Olson, Bill Gates, Douglas Berge, Tom Maxson and David Ross, boys sextet; Monette Strube, class phophecy; Maxine Quell and Darlene St. Aubin, dance; Merlin Wild, pantomime.

Wild's pantomime of Eddie Fisher brought down the house. He was dressed as a beachcomber and students tossed pennies on the stage. He ignored this gesture but Doug Berge contentiously gathered them up for him.

The juniors presented gifts to Miss Marybell Hickner and Miss Joetta Shogren in appreciation for their help in making preparations for the prom and banquet.

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### Football Schedule Set for '55 Tigers; 5 Tilts at Home

Football season is a long way off but Marshall High's gridgers have no worries about finding opponents for next fall as the eight-game schedule has been completed.

Five home games highlight the

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card which opens at home Sept. 16 against Clarkfield and closes Nov. 4 here against Canby. Worthington, Slayton, and Luverne also will play at the Legion Field. Four of the first five games are at home.

Road games are booked for Pipestone, Redwood Falls and Tracy with the latter two in succession. All eight games for Coach George Rindelaub's Tigers will be on Friday nights.

The Minnesota State High school League prohibits members of its association from holding spring practice sessions. Rindelaub, who is assisting Coach Harry Ahlin with the Junior High track team this spring, will call for the first fall turnout of the Tigers about August 23, which is the opening practice date set by the Minnesota State High school League.

The 1955 Marshall High football schedule:

- Sept. 16—Clarkfield here.
- Sept. 23—at Pipestone.
- Sept. 30—Worthington here.
- Oct. 7—Luverne here.
- Oct. 14—Slayton here.
- Oct. 21—at Redwood Falls.
- Oct. 28—at Tracy.
- Nov. 4—Canby here.

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#### Both Clubs Smash Ball

## Tigers Trip Balaton, 7-3

By BOB HOOKER

"Hit them where they ain't" is a popular baseball axiom.

In belting out six extra base hits and 14 bingles all told, the Mar-

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shall and Balaton high school teams certainly followed the rule to the hilt Tuesday afternoon when the Tigers took a 7-3 decision.

Actually, the wind-swept field wasn't conducive to making the outfielders' jobs easy. However, as it turned out, the right fielders could have stayed home. Marshall slammed three home runs and a double, while Balaton laced a pair of triples. All the blows were to left and left-center fields. In addition, the Tigers picked up seven singles and Balaton one.

While all this was going on, only two outfield flyouts were made—both to Balaton's leftfielder Dave Popowski.

#### Lanoue Hits Homers

Marshall pitcher Jim Lanoue, who hurled three-hit ball, helped his own cause by socking lead-off homers in the third and fourth innings after Rollie Robinson hit for the circuit in the first. Lanoue's first blow broke a 2-all tie and led to a four-run uprising by Coach Glen Moran's Tigers.

The Arthur brothers, Jack and Gary, each tripled for Balaton, and the former lined a single off Tiger shortstop Don Stearns' glove in the seventh inning for the Warriors' other safety off Lanoue.

The game's other extra base blow, Marshall catcher John Tom-



BATTERY MATES—Marshall High's pitcher Jim Lanoue (left) and Catcher John Tomasek talk over the Balaton batting order before Tuesday's game. Then Lanoue proceeded to hit two homers and pitch a three-hitter, while Tomasek doubled and drew walks as Marshall won, 7-3.

asek's double following Lanoue's second homer, unlike the other raps, did not figure in the game's scoring.

With all of the attention on the hitting, Lanoue's creditable mound job was overshadowed, especially as it came right after he set Canby down on one hit and struck

out 18 Lancers last week. Tuesday the right-hander fanned 11, but six walks occasionally got him into trouble.

#### Tying Run at Plate

Balaton had scored once in the seventh with the aid of two Tiger infield errors and had the bases full when pitcher Daly Skaug grounded out to second base to end the game.

Two other Balaton scored—on those two triples. In the first inning Coach Louis Benson's Warriors picked up a run on Jack Arthur's blast and a miscue by Don Stearns on Tom Rolloff's grounder.

After Robinson's first inning sock to tie the score and a go-ahead run in the second by Marshall on consecutive singles by Larry Stengly, Stearns and Robinson, Balaton evened the count in the third.

Gary Arthur's three-bagger brought home Jack Lewis who had walked. But then Arthur was nipped at the plate by Lanoue's perfect toss to catcher Tomasek after fielding Rolloff bunt.

This out retired the side and set the stage for Lanoue's wallop

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### Box Score

BALATON	AB	R	H	RBI
Lewis, 2B	1	1	0	0
a-Nixon	1	0	0	0
G. Arthur, ss	4	0	1	1
J. Arthur, cf	4	1	2	0
Rolloff, c	2	0	0	1
Skaug, p	3	0	0	0
Popowski, lf	2	0	0	0
Fruke, 1B	3	0	0	0
Erickson, rf	2	0	0	0
Wichmann, rf	1	1	0	0
Larson, 3B	3	0	0	0
	26	3	3	2
a—batted for Lewis in seventh.				
MARSHALL	AB	R	H	RBI
Stearns, ss	4	0	2	1
Robinson, cf	4	1	3	2
Reuter, 2B	4	0	0	0
Grue, 1B	4	0	1	0
Lanoue, p	4	2	3	2
Tomasek, c	2	1	1	0
Skramstad, lf	2	1	0	0
Syverson, rf	4	1	0	0
Stengly, 3B	3	1	1	0
	31	7	11	5

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which put Coach Moran's nine permanently ahead. Tomasek drew a walk, Galen Skramstad was hit by a pitched ball and both scored when Skaug overthrew third on Larry Syverson's tap to the mound. Stearns then singled Syverson home.

Lanoue likewise led off the fourth with a homer, but Tomasek's double went for naught except to boost his average to .500 with 3-hits for 6 attempts in 2 games. Robinson now leads the club with 5 for 8 and Lanoue has 4 for 7.

The line score:

Balaton	101	000	1-3	3	5
Marshall	114	100	7-11	3	
Skaug and Rolloff; Lanoue and Tomasek.					

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**BANQUET HELD**—Marshall High school held its annual banquet in the school gymnasium Thursday night. The gym, decorated by students, also will be used for tonight's junior-senior prom. Pictured at Thursday night's dinner are, left to right: Shirley Kidder, junior class secretary; Mary Ehlers, senior class treasurer; Jim Reese, senior class president; Dick Larson, junior class president; Barbara Mills, toastmistress; and Jack Sholund, instructor at the school.—Messenger strobophoto.

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Dale Willard

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**Marshall Youth  
Named District  
FFA Secretary**

Dale Willard, senior at Marshall High school, was named secretary of the District 4 Future Farmers

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of America at the district banquet at Worthington Tuesday night.

Also attending from the Marshall chapter were Richard Verdeck and Donald Landgren, with their advisor, Loyal McCann.

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**LIVESTOCK JUDGE**—Richard Verdeck took top honors in the livestock judging of the district contest Saturday. He and Jim Reese, meats winner, are students at Marshall High school, and will represent the district in the state contest at the University of Minnesota.

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Willard, FFA chapter vice president during the past year, spent seven years in 4-H club work, and served as president, secretary, junior leader and delegates to 4-H club week.

He also was an exhibitor at the Minnesota state FFA fair in 1954. Willard is a member of the Co-op creamery and Minnesota Valley Breeders association.

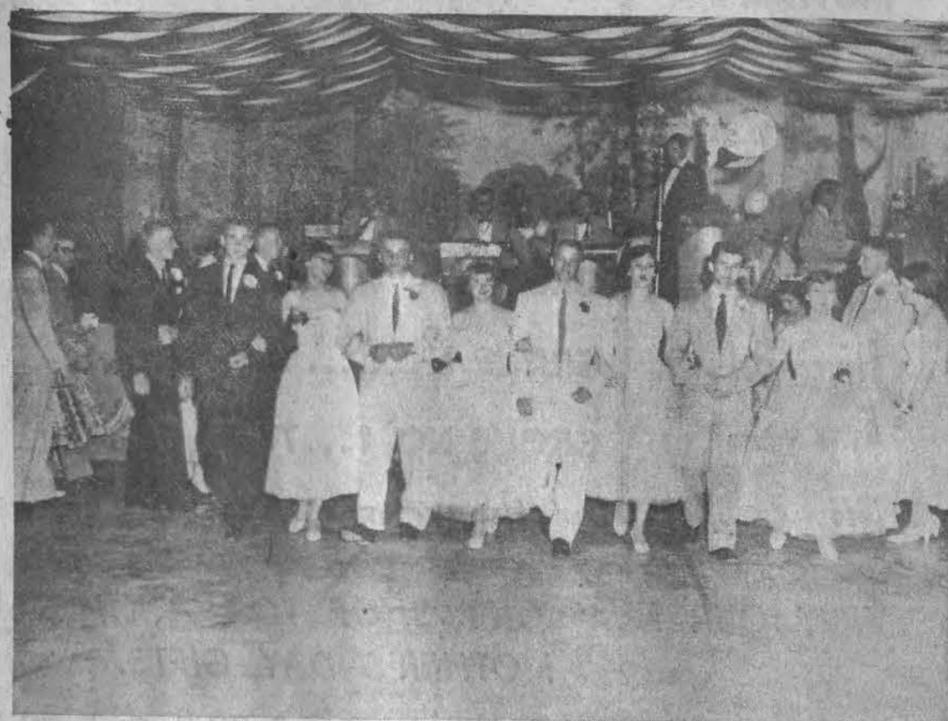
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**FHA Girls to Honor  
Their Mothers at Tea**

The Future Homemakers of America of Marshall High school will entertain their mothers Thursday, May 5, at 7:30 p.m.

This tea, an annual event, will be held in the Little Theatre.

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**CLASS OFFICERS LEAD GRAND MARCH**—Shown leading the Grand March at the Marshall high school Junior-Senior Prom Friday night are: (left to right, front row) Richard Larson, Junior class president; Barbara Mills; Jim Reese, Senior class president; Nancy Larson; Bill Reese; Darlene St. Aubin; Duane Marcotte, and Dorothy Knutson. Shown in the back ground, left to right, are: Keith Mann, Arlyce Foster, Merlin Wild, David Ross, Marlyce Young, Byron Thomas, Corolyn Nelson. Also in this section but not shown are: Sue Soucy, Shirley Kidder, Ronald Thornton, Ruth Haugen and Neil Coyle.—Scherling photo.

May 5



**STUDENTS RECEIVE VFW AUXILIARY ESSAY PRIZES**—Mrs. A. L. Lambert, (right) outgoing president of the VFW Auxiliary, presents prizes to Sue Soucy (left) and Monette Strubé (center) at the auxiliary meeting Tuesday evening. Monette received first prize and Sue, second, in the contest.—Messenger strobophoto.

May 5

**31 Marshall High  
Musical Units in  
Regional Contest**

Marshall High school musicians will participate in the regional music contest at Worthington and Tracy Friday and Saturday.

Small groups will participate at Worthington Friday, and the larger

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groups will be at Tracy Saturday. Included in the Tracy section of the contest are the band, glee clubs and chorus.

Marshall High school will have 31 soloists and ensembles participating in the contest. The 31 received "A" ratings at the district contest held at Tracy April 16.

Other schools represented in the regional contest are Tyler, Ivanhoe, Cottonwood, Echo, Minneota, Ruthton, Lake Benton, Danube, Sanborn, Brewster, Wabasso, Verdi, Fulda, Walnut Grove, Lakefield, Okebena, Storden, Belview, Edgerton and Lamberton.

May 6

**Marshall Leaves  
for Carlton Meet**

Marshall High's track team leaves today to participate Saturday in the Carlton Relays.

All week the Tigers have been grooming themselves for the meet. But time has run out.

At Carlton the Tigers will be up against some of the state's best talent. Competing in the Class S division of a three-division meet, Marshall will be hard pressed to do as well as they did at the Mankato Indian Relays April 25. At Mankato the Tigers finished seventh behind six larger schools.

Along with defending champion St. James in the Class S division will be good teams from Waseca, Garden City, Pipestone, North St. Paul and Waconia.

In the inter-class meet, recent results from the 440 and half mile found senior Ron Thornton and junior Jack Mann alternating victories with Thornton winning the 440. Dave Ross took third in the 880 and tied with his junior teammate, Ted Graffunder, in the 440.

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DEGREES CONFERRED—Marshall High school's Future Homemakers of America conferred honorary degrees on persons who have aided the organization at a Mother's Day tea in the Little Theater Thursday night. Left to right are Bev Kramer, candidate for state office; Miss Lila Malow, state advisor; Dorothea (CQ) Knutson, out-going president; and honorary degree recipients Mrs. William Hammer, Millard Ehlers, Fred Trembley, Mrs. Alfred VanKulen, and Mrs. Arthur Knutson.—Messenger strobophoto.

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OFFICERS NAMED—New officers have been named by the Marshall High school Future Homemakers of America. Left to right are Angeline Boerboom, president; Caroline Dale, historian; Janet Maronde, treasurer; Pearl Rasmusen, vice president; Janet Rivard, secretary; Virginia Peterson, parliamentarian, and Doris Luckow, song leader. Janet Zimmel was named reporter, but was not present when the picture was taken.—Messenger strobophoto.

May 9

### Marshall Seniors Elect Bill Reese Class President

Bill Reese has been named president of Marshall High school senior class for the 1955-56 school year. Jim Cowan was named

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junior class president, and Bonnie Knudson was elected to head the 10th grade.

Other senior class officers named were Don Londgren, vice president; Janet Rivard, secretary, and Wayne Bisbee, treasurer.

Tenth grade vice president is Gary Asp. Nancy Tilbury is secretary and Norman Myers is treasurer.

Students also are voting today to name student council representatives, with eight nominees to be selected in today's primary. No date has been set for the final election, in which four council representatives will be named from each class.

May 9

### Marshall High Ball Club to Host Minneota Tuesday

After suffering their first defeat of the season Thursday, to Wood Lake, 7-6, Marshall High's base-

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ball team goes back to the diamond wars Tuesday afternoon against Minneota at the Legion Field. Game time is 5:30 p.m.

Last Tuesday the Tigers turned back the Vikings, 3-1, at Minneota. Relief pitcher Jim Lanoue stopped Minneota with two hits after he took over in the first inning with the bases full, one run in, and no one out.

Coach Glen Moran said early today Lanoue will get the call to start this time. Minneota Coach Bob Tadsen can pick either Al Christenson or Rod Christianson. Earlier in the season they paired up to throw a no-hit, no-run game against Russell.

Friday Marshall plays its last regular game at Tracy. Then on May 17 the Tigers meet Tyler at the Legion Field in the opening round of the district baseball tournament.

May 9

### Marshall High 5th at Carleton Meet

Marshall High's track team placed fifth in the 22-team Class S division of the 54th Carleton Interscholastic track and field meet Saturday.

Dick Larson's first place in the 120-yard high hurdles highlighted

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the Tigers' efforts. Ron Thompton, running his first 440-yard race, lost by .1 second to Charles of Lakeville and placed second.

Jim Olson took fourth in the broad jump with a leap of 20 feet 1/2 inch. He also won one point with his fifth place in the 220-yard race. Olson failed to qualify in the 100-yard dash as he happened to be in the fastest heat. The same occurred to Bill Reese in the high hurdles.

Two Tigers scored points in the pole vault. Dennis Grow won third and Luther Reuter tied for fourth. Marshall's other 1 1/2 points for its total of 1.5 came on a fourth-place tie in the 880-yard relay.

Garden City won the Class S team title with 30 1/2 points. Wells was runner up with 25 1-10; Lake Crystal had 21 1/2 and North St. Paul 18 to finish ahead of Marshall. Owatonna won the Class M crown by 1/2 point over Northfield, and Minneapolis Southwest won the Class L title going away over Min-

May 9

### Marshall FFA Judging Teams at State Parley

Twelve Marshall High school students, members of the meats, livestock and poultry judging teams, are attending the state Future Farmers of America convention in Minneapolis today through Wednesday.

As a result of placing first in district contests, the 12 are now

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entered in state competition and will be competing with from 34 to 55 teams in the various divisions.

Team members also will attend the convention banquet Tuesday night at which "state farmers" will be named.

Those who made the trip are John Ahlin, Dean Nylan, Kenneth Miller, Melvin Stafford, Richard Jacobson, James Reese, Richard Verdeck, Dale Willard, Jim Bloome, Kenneth Driessen, Warren Heinz and LeRoy Syverson. They are accompanied by their instructor, Loyal McCann.

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### Marshall Musicians Amass 15 'A' Ratings; 42 Medals

Marshall High school musicians amassed a total of 15 "A" ratings and 42 individual medals in the state regional music contest held at Worthington Friday.

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The total was twice as large as the school had received in any previous year.

Twenty-five soloists and ensembles were entered in the sec-

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tion at Worthington. Large groups, such as bands and choruses, did not participate in the Tracy section Saturday.

Students who received "A" ratings for solos were Arlyce Foster and Dorothy Sheffield, piano; Don Herring, snare drum; Sue Soucy, bass clarinet; Foris Priebe, b flat clarinet; Richard Fifield, vocal solo.

Ensembles receiving "A" ratings were: Sally Stearns, Sonya Quam, Doranne Maxson, Shirley Kidder and Corolyn Nelson, woodwind quintet.

Danny Bowman and Kathleen Buesing, drum ensemble.

Deanna Sneltjes, Arlyce Foster and Marcia Olson, coronet trio.

Sally Stearns, Monette Strube and Karen Hixon, clarinet trio.

Barbara Bebler, Mary Graham, Mike McEnaney, Dorothy Sheffield, Yvonne Graham and Larry Frey, sax sextet.

Margie Jensen, Janet Priebe, Judy Warnke, baritone trio.

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Sally Stearns, Arlyce Foster, Deanna Sneltjes, Barbara Bebler, Shirley Kidder, Corolyn Nelson, girls vocal sextet.

Arlyce Foster, Marcia Olson, Marlyce Young, Margie Jensen, Bob Stauffacher, Bob Grue, brass sextet.

David Asp, Bruce Rohlin, clarinet duet.

May 3

### Marshall Junior High Track Team Beats Canby; Midgets Tie

CANBY — Marshall Junior High school won a dual track meet, 60-26, from Canby Monday. In the midget division for boys under 112 pounds a 32-all deadlock resulted.

Results for regulars: 120-yard low hurdles—T. Rubertus (M); Else (M); Berge (M). Time — :16.5.

60-yard dash — Sherland (C); Shepard (C); Coil (C). Time — :7.4.

660-yard run — Coil (C); Carrow (M); Appelon (C). Time — 1:43.

100-yard dash — Ahlin (M); Williams (M); Sherland (C). Time — 11.8.

150-yard dash — Ahlin (M); Williams (M); T. Rubertus (M). Time — 17.6.

High jump — Else (M); Carrow (M); Sherland (C) and Shepard (C) tie. Height — 4-8.

Broad jump — Else (M); J. Rubertus (M); Carrow (M). Distance — 16-6.

Shot put — Appelon (C); Kontz

(C); Meyers (M). Distance — 38-3.

Discus — Ahlin (M); Williams (M); Coil (C). Distance — 100-0.

440-yard relay — Marshall. Time — :51.0.

Midgets' results: 120-yard low hurdles — Hardy (M); Snigowski (C); Asp (M). Time — 18.8.

60-yard dash — Hardy (M); Johnson (M); Salthus (C). Time — :7.95.

80-yard dash — Densbach (C); Salthus (C); Reeder (C). Time — :10.6.

220-yard relay — Canby. Time — :30.5.

High jump — Olson (M); Gech (C); Soderberg (M). Height — 4-4.

Shot put — Delsback (C); Jacobson (M); Hardy (M). Distance — 27-10.

Broad jump — Benson (M); Jacobson (M); Olson (C). Distance — 14-3.

440-yard relay — Canby. Time — 58.8.

May 4

Lanoue Turns Fireman

# Marshall Edges Minneota

By BOB HOOKER

MINNEOTA — Relief pitcher Jim Lanoue stopped a potential Minneota "big" first inning Tuesday and then Marshall High's ball team rallied to edge the Vikings, 3-1.

Everything went badly for John Tomasek, the Marshall starting pitcher. He walked Minneota's first

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batter, John Stalpes, and then hit in succession Fran Moorse, John Brewers and Al Christenson, Minneota's starting hurler, to force in a run.

At this point Tiger Coach Glen Moran called a halt and had Tomasek and Lanoue, who started the game catching, switch positions. To say the least, the strategy paid off as Lanoue got the next three batters and held Minneota to two singles the rest of the way. He walked three and struck out ten.

### Tough to Solve

Meanwhile, Marshall found Christenson very difficult to solve for five innings. In that time the Tigers got only three safeties and two runs. But in the sixth Christenson departed after giving up Marshall's final run on a walk to Lanoue, who stole second, and a single by Tomasek.

Minneota Coach Bob Tadsen called on Rod Christianson to finish the game.

Marshall evened the Vikings' first inning score by countering in the second. Lanoue got aboard when Viking shortstop, John Brewer, dropped a pop up. Lanoue advanced to third on a passed ball

and a wild pitch, then scored as Larry Stengly grounded out to Brewer.

The count stayed at 1-1 until the fifth when Marshall got the go-ahead run on Brewer's error on Stengly's grounder, a single by Galen Skramstad, and walks to Don Stearns and Rollie Robinson.

### In Trouble Twice

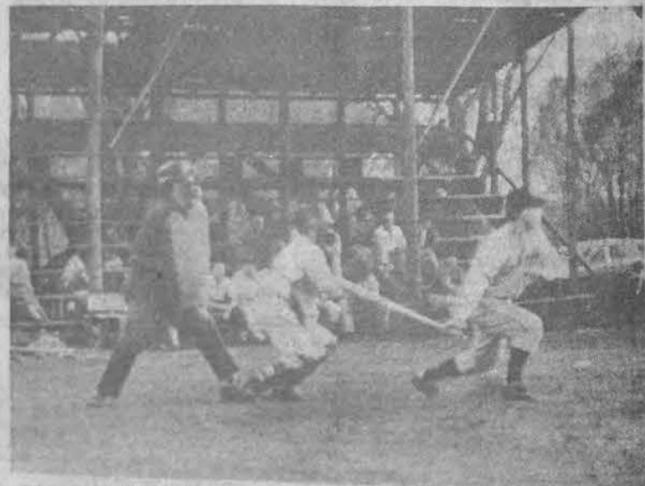
Lanoue was in trouble only twice. In the fourth he gave up two walks after two were out. In the fifth, Brewers drew a walk and Christenson's grounder was bobbled by

Marshall third baseman, Stengly. However, Lanoue struck out Don Stalpes and threw out Jerry Sanders and Jim Geiwitz.

All told, Minneota left nine runners on base, all in the first five innings. Marshall stranded seven. Brewers turned in an unassisted double play on Luther Reuter's line drive in the seventh.

Marshall's next game is against Wood Lake (4-2) at the Marshall Legion Field Thursday. Coach Moran indicated that Tomasek will

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**BELTING THE BALL**—Marshall's centerfielder Rollie Robinson starts toward first after lashing a seventh inning single in the game Tuesday at Minneota. Moments later Robinson was wiped out in an unassisted play by Minneota shortstop John Brewers. Marshall won, 3-1. Watching are Minneota catcher Ron Davidson and Umpire Fred Webb.—Messenger photo.

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start against the Warriors.

The line score:

Marshall	010	011	0-3	5	3
Minneota	100	000	0-1	2	2

Tomasek, Lanoue (1) and Lanoue, Tomasek (1); Christenson, Christianson (6) and R. Davidson.

May 9

## Marshall Junior High Trackmen Win 4-Way Meet

Marshall Junior High school won a quadrangular track meet Friday at Montevideo.

Scoring was: Marshall 72½

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points; Montevideo 51; Benson 28; and Canby 12½.

Coach Harry Ahlin's Marshall team won six first places and tied for two more.

Results (only for first three places):

120-yard low hurdles—Else (Mar.), Soule (Mont.), Rubertus (Mar.). Time—:15.4.

60-yard dash—Rubertus (Mar.) and Marx (Mont.) (tie), Soule (Mont.). Time—:7.2.

150-yard dash—Ahlin (Mar.), Lanes (Mont.), Olson (Ben.). Time—:16.2.

100-yard dash—Williams (Mar.), Ahlin (Mar.), Lanes (Mont.). Time—:11.05.

660-yard run—Coil (Can.), Admundson (Ben.), Carrow (Mar.). Time—1:37.

Pole vault—Admundson (Ben.), Williams (Mar.), Thurn (Mont.) and Olson (Mont.) (tie). Height—7-6.

Shot put—Peterson (Mar.), Carrow (Mar.), Appen (Can.). Distance—50-9.

Discus—Peterson (Mar.), Ashburn (Mont.), Ahlin (Mar.). Distance—117-1½.

High jump—Else (Mar.) and Evans (Mont.), (tie), Ashburn (Mont.). Height—4-10.

Broad jump—Marx (Mont.), Else (Mar.), Sterns (Mar.). Distance—17-9½.

440-yard relay—Marshall, Montevideo, Benson. Time—:49.8.

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## Members of the 1955 Marshall



Linda Olson



Marcia Olson



Evelyn Pagel



Nadine Palmer



Luther Reuter



Rolland Robinson



Bruce Rohlin



Carol Sewill



Sharon Stassen



Robert Stauffacher



Sally Stearns



Monette Strube

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# High School Graduating Class



Janet Priebe



John Priebe



Sonya Quam



James Reese



Dorothy Sheffield



Robert Skramstad



Deanna Snelts



Winnifred Soucy



Byron Thomas



Ronald Thomton



Neil Thoreson



LaVonne Van Keulen

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Richard Jacobson



Marjorie Jensen



Dorthea Knutson



Dorothy Lanoue



Gerald Maertens



Janet Mann



Keith Mann



Duane Marcotte



Beverlee Mosch



Alta Nelson



Carolyn Nelson



Larry Newman

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# Members of the 1955 Marshall



Duane Amundson



Patricia Anderson



David Asp



Barbara Bebler



Lois Bump



Louise Bump



Donna Dandurand



Raymond DeKing



Mary Ehlers



Edward Evenson



Jenyne Fifield



Richard Fifield

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James Becker



Bruce Berg



Rosemaryq Boerjan



Kathleen Buesing



Irene DeMeyer



Thomas Dirckx



Lois Dressen



Mariolyn Dwire



Arlyce Foster



Betty Gillund



Yvonne Graham



Dennis Grow



Robert Grue

Janice Hammer

Ruth Haugen

Sharon Hodgeman



James Lanoue

Nancy Larson

Sally Lawson

Teresa Logue

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Carol Maronde

Doranne Maxson



Joan Van Moer

Richard Verdeck

Merlin Wild

Dale Willard



May 26

IT'LL TAKE BIG PUSH — Marshall High's six trackmen in the Region 3 meet Saturday afternoon at the Legion Field would like to roll over the opposition. However, that will take a lot of "push" as the meet is expected to be a close one. From left are: Jim Reese (relay); Luther Reuter

(high jump and pole vault); Ron Thomson (relay); Jim Olson (broad jump, 100, 220 and relay); Dick Larson (low and high hurdles and relay); (Coach Larry Kienholz; and Dennis Grow (pole vault).—Messenger photo.

# MHS, Wood Lake in Finals

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By BOB HOOKER AND DICK WILLIAMS

Two co-favorites—Marshall (6-3) and Wood Lake (11-2)—won their way into the District 9 baseball tourney's finals Wednesday by beating Ruthton, 18-1, and defending champion Hanley Falls, 4-0, respectively. Friday night at 9 p.m. in Wood Lake, Marshall will try to reverse a May 5 7-6 loss to the Warriors for the right to enter the Region 3 play-off.

## —MARSHALL VICTOR—

Marshall used the big inning four times, while the roof fell in on Ruthton to post its 18-1 victory in moving into the finals.

Coach Glen Moran's club scored all its runs in four innings. After a first inning run by the Vikings on Gary Krall's triple and Duane

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Anderson's single, the Tigers countered with four in the second. Marshall added seven in the fourth, four in the fifth and three in the sixth to win going away.

Bob Grue and Jim Lanoue rapped homers off Anderson, who was tired from hurling Monday against Tracy. Bill Reese and John Tomasek also doubled for Marshall as the club knocked out 15 hits.

Tomasek racked his second pitching win in three days by holding Coach Phil Pfeifle's club to three hits in six innings. Tomasek struck out four, all in the first two frames. Shortstop Don Stearns pitched the last inning, giving up a single to Gary Dather.

Tomasek's job was made easier when he got the side out on three pitches in the third and five in the fourth. Two grounders and a bloop fly to Stearns retired Ruthton in short order in the third. In the next inning with one out Stearns made a shoestring catch and doubled Peterson off first after he had singled.

The two homers came after the damage had been done. Grue's fourth inning blast with one aboard made the count, 11-1. It also led to Anderson's departure. He traded jobs with first baseman Curtis Stensgaard. The fast-balling Anderson noticeably was slow as compared to Monday when he stopped Tracy, 3-0, on three hits.



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RUTHTON 18-1

## Sandberg from A Tile

By Sigurd Pe

RUTHTON Sandberg and daughter last week from Ruthton, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. who spent last week in Tuscon, Ariz. Hans claims years looks with the son.

The social the Tyler wound up 8 p.m. Mr. Ranson

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Falls.  
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It's the blue chip  
Weather  
8 p.m. t

Marshall's championship baseball game scheduled for tonight at Wood Lake.

The game—between Marshall High and Wood Lake—has been moved to Minnesota ball park.

ton, 5-1; and Ruthton, 18-1.

Oddly enough, both clubs have relied on a "reversible" battery this season. Either Eye of Groth catches when the other pitches, and Lanoue and Tomasek have done the same for Marshall.

Marshall's infield is Bob Grue at first, Luther Reuter at second, Larry Stengly at third and Don Stearns at short. Wood Lake will go with Ken Jeseritz on first, Walt Wenholz at second Gordon Giesfeld of Del Maronde at the "hot corner" and Jim House at short.

Outfielders for the Tigers will be Galen Skramstad in left, Rollie Robinson in center and either Bill



**FACING BIG TASK**—Four of Marshall's five power hitters relaxed for a few moments Tuesday before sharpening up their eyes for the 18-1 semi-final win over Ruthton Wednesday. Tonight the boys and Coach Glen Moran (right) hope to take all the marbles in District 9. Players are (from left): Bob Grue, Jim Lanoue, John Tomasek and Rollie Robinson.—Messenger photo.

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**MARSHALL SENIORS PICNIC**—Roasting wieners by a rather damp fireside Friday were graduating seniors from Marshall High school. Despite the soggy weather, they gathered at Camden Park near Lynd for the annual class picnic. Crowding in to the fire are (left to right) Sue Soucy, Neil Thoreson, Monette Strube, Arlyce Foster and Margie Jensen.—Messenger photo.

May 31

# Tiger Trackmen Take Title in Region Meet

After a three-year lapse, Marshall High reins as the Region 3 track champion.

Two new records were set and one tied despite the soft Legion Field track.

Saturday Coach Larry Kienholz' six-man team tallied 26 points to runnerup Springfield's 21½. Twenty other schools scored points as entries from 36 of the Region's 66 schools competed.

Final scoring from third place on down follows: defending champion Hutchinson 21; Morton 19; Madison and Montevideo, 15½ each; Appleton 13; Morgan 9; Glencoe 8½; Ivanhoe 8; Hendricks 6; Gaylord and Franklin 5; Buffalo Lake, Redwood Falls and Tracy, all 4; Sanborn and Walnut Grove 2;

Brownston 1½; Cottonwood, Tyler and Danube 1 each.

Dick Larson won the high hurdles in record-tying time of 15.0 seconds to pace the Tigers. However, he was beaten in the lows by Ivanhoe's Roger Krause whom Larson beat last week in the District 9 meet. Also qualifying from MHS for the state meet June 7 in Minneapolis were Jim Olson, second in the broad jump; and Dennis Grow, second in the pole vault.

Springfield, which tied Morton last week with 36 points for District 10 honors, led Marshall, 16½-14, after nine events. However, Olson's third in the 220 put Marshall ahead for keeps.

Marshall's other points came on Reuter's tie for fourth in the pole

vault and on Olson's fifth in the 100-yard dash.

It was Grow's leap of 10-10 which cinched the meet for Marshall for all practical purposes. All the Tigers had to do in the four-team relay was to make sure that they

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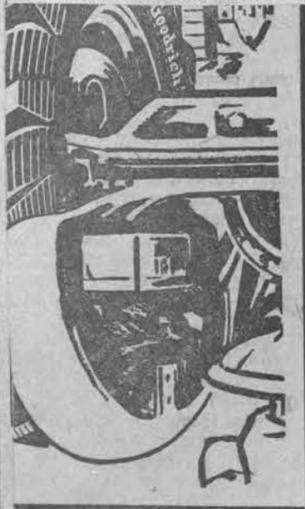
were not disqualified. And the way that turned out they did not even have to do that. Hutchinson, the only team with a chance of winning the meet, finished fourth in the relay when it needed a first to win the title.

One half inch separated the top three in the broad jump. The day's other close events were the lows where Krause nipped Larson by about a foot and the 880 in which Charles Benjamin beat Appleton's Muenchow by about a foot in setting a new record of 2:05.6. The two had raced the last 50 yards neck-and-neck.

Morton's Lee Hofenspirer set the other new mark with his shot put of 49 feet 5½ inches. John Greenslit, also of Morton, won both sprints and ran the last leg on the winning relay team, overcoming a ten-yard lead Marshall's Larson held on him at the start



HE'S OVER—OR IS HE?—Luther Reuter of Marshall High appears to be clearing the 10 foot mark in the pole vault at the Region 3 track meet. But on this try he knocked the bar down, requiring another leap to make it. Ten feet was as high as Reuter went as he tied for fourth. Dennis Grow of MHS won second at 10-10.—Messenger photo.



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# MHS Tips Granite, 6-5

## Region 3 Finals Tonight in Granite for State Berth

By BOB HOOKER

GRANITE FALLS — Don Stearns' lazy pop fly single with one out in the eighth inning gave

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Marshall a 6-5 razor-thin edge over Granite Falls Monday night in Region 3 tournament.

Tonight the Tigers of Coach Glen Moran carry an 8-3 mark into their 8 p.m. title try against Spring-

field's Tigers. Coach Moran indicated that he will go with John Tomasek (4-1).

Al Gisvold, Springfield coach, probably will come back again with Vern Kainz. Kainz beat Glencoe, 9-1, Tuesday in the other semifinal. The winner goes on to the state meet June 15-17 in Rochester.

There was no turning point in Tuesday's game — unless one considers Stearns' game-winning high poke into left-center field as such. Granite Falls, coached by Marland Fierke, had rallied in the seventh with four runs to send the game into overtime after Marshall had apparently wrapped it up with four in the sixth.

Bill Reese led off the Marshall eighth with his third bingle off Harold Leyse. Luther Reuter dumped a bunt to move Reese to

second. Then Stearns hit his high popper which fell between Bill Hoffman and Paul Benson in left-center.

The high-flying Reese had rounded third by the time the ball landed. The game terminated as he crossed the plate since Marshall had won the coin flip for home team.

Jim Lanoue, now 4-2, went all the way for Marshall on the mound. He was supposed to have caught Tomasek, but the latter came up with a sore side just before game time. So the two switched chores for the night — but not without some anxious moments for Lanoue.

The stocky right-hander started strong, setting the first 13 Kilowatt batters down in order. Fierke's club finally broke the spell in the fifth to tie up the game at 1-all.

Mike Halderson's walk and singles by Bruce Swenson and Dave Tjosvold equalized a fourth-inning Tiger run.

Marshall had broken the scoring ice as Bob Grue was safe on Swenson's bobble of his ground ball, moved up on Larry Stingly's ground out and scored on Bill Reese's single.

The Lanoue-Leyse dual continued on 1-1 terms until the Tigers' four run blast in the sixth. Rollie Robinson's bases-clearing double was the key blow. Grue was hit by a pitched ball to begin Leyse's troubles. Stingly walked and then Reese batted home his second run with another single.

After all hands were safe on Luther Reuter's fielder's choice, Robinson delivered a blow almost fatal to Granite's hopes.

But back came the Kilowatts in the seventh with renewed energy. Leyse was hit by Lanoue; Swenson walked; and Tjosvold singled to load the bases. Paul Benson's one-base rap brought in Leyse. After Lanoue fanned Hoffman on three pitches, Jim Erie's single scored two more runs.

With the score 5-4, Lanoue became both a "goat" and "hero" on the next play. Bob Peterson grounded to Grue at first, but Lanoue dropped his throw, allowing the tying run to score. However, Lanoue immediately fired the ball to the plate to Tomasek who tagged Erie coming in.

Not another runner reached base until Reese opened the Tiger's eighth.

Excepting the run-scoring innings, Marshall made the only serious scoring threat. In the first, Stearns opened with a single and Robinson was safe on an error. Then Leyse got Galen Skramstad on a grounder and struck out Lanoue and Tomasek.

All told, Lanoue struck out nine, walked two, hit one and gave up five hits. Leyse fanned seven, passed four, hit one and gave up eight blows.

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Leyse and B. Benson; Lanoue and Tomasek.

June 7

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MORE COMING UP?—Coach Glen Moran holds the District 9 championship trophy which Marshall High won last Tuesday by beating Wood Lake, 6-5. Pitcher-catcher John Tomasek (at left) and first baseman Bob Grue look pleased, but they would like to annex the Region 3 hardware. The Tigers face Granite Falls tonight in the regional meet.—Messenger strobophoto.

June 8

Only Points for MHS

# Larson Places in High Hurdles

Dick Larson fourth in the 120-yard high hurdles was Marshall's only scoring in the state high school track meet Tuesday at Minneapolis.

The only new record which was set came in the pole vault where Stan Morrow of Garden City leaped 12 feet 4 inches, clearing the old mark by more than 2 1/2 inches.

The two points which he earned

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allowed Marshall to tie for 24th place with Franklin, Faribault and Hutchinson. Minneapolis Southwest won the title with 26 points followed by Hopkins with 18.

Larson and Ivanhoe's Roger Krause in the low hurdles and Jim Olson of Marshall in the high jump all failed to qualify for the finals in the morning preliminaries. The three were the only entries from District 9.

In winning the high hurdles in a strong field, Doug Helm of Robbinsdale tied the state record of 14.9 in qualifying and in the finals. Dave Meyers of Southwest also tied the low hurdles mark of

June 6

# MHS Trackmen Leave for Meet

Dick Larson and Jim Olson, Marshall High's two entries in the state track meet, left with Coach Larry Kienholz today for Minneapolis.

In Tuesday morning's preliminaries, Larson will compete in the high and low hurdles, while Olson will participate in the broad jump. Finals are scheduled for the afternoon.

Ivanhoe's Roger Krause is the only other District 9 representative in the state meet. In the Region 3 contest, Krause bested Larson in the lows after Larson had won the highs.

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ALL THAT'S LEFT—Only Jim Olson (left) and Dick Larson (right) of Marshall High's track team will enter the state meet June 7. Dennis Groth also qualified for the finals, but will be working. Olson was second in the broad jump and Larson ran 1-2 in the high and low hurdles. Coach Larry Kienholz goes over the list of state performances with them.—Messenger strobophot.

# MHS Takes Ball Title over Wood Lake, 6-5

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By BOB HOOKER

WOOD LAKE — The roof fell in on both the Marshall and Wood Lake High ball teams here Tuesday night, but Wood Lake got hit the hardest as Marshall overcame a four-run deficit to win, 6-5, and to take the District 9 title.

The title marks Marshall's third. The Tigers won the 1948 and 1950 tiadems.

By winning, Coach Glen Moran's club qualifies for the Region 3 tournament at Granite Falls next Monday and Tuesday. In the first round there, the Tigers will meet the District 11 champ. Granite Falls and Madison were to play for the title in Clara City Tuesday night.

For Coach Perry Doney's losers,

the game was a disappointing wind up to an otherwise great season. Wood Lake carried a 11-2 mark into the game and had beaten Marshall, 7-6, May 5 in the club's only meeting.

But Tuesday night it was Mar-

### Granite Falls Wins

MADISON — Granite Falls won the District 11 baseball championship Tuesday night, beating Madison 10-7 despite a four-run rally by the losers in the final inning.

The Kilowatts, coached by Marvin Fierke, will now meet Marshall in the first round of the Region 3 tourney next Monday at Granite Falls.

shall who played heads up ball after making three errors in the first two innings to give Wood Lake a 4-0 lead. Then the Tigers took advantage of some Warrior miscues to tally three runs in their half of the second and three more in the third for a 6-4 lead.

Then, down the stretch, Marshall pitcher John Tomasek was tough. From the third through the fifth only one Warrior reached base, only to be wiped out by a double play. In the sixth Wood Lake got its final run on Bob Eye's lead-off triple and Art Plath's single sandwiched around two outs.

However, Tomasek, whose curve ball was getting better all the time, struck out the side in the seventh. He fanned pinch hitter Murl Fischer, Walt Wenholz and Dick Wolff to end the game.

Wood Lake got an opening inning run on an error a wild pitch, a ground out and Herman Bahn's single. In the second an error and singles by Ken Jeseritz and Jim House loaded the bases. A pickoff was canceled by a hit batter. Then all three runners scored on Wolff's one-base rap to right field as Bill Reese made a poor throw.

But that ended Wood Lake's offensive show until the sixth. In its half of the second, Marshall, acting as the home team, scored its three runs on Tomasek and Reese's doubles sandwiched around a hit batter and an error.

The Tigers took over the lead in the next inning, driving Warrior pitcher Bill Groth from the mound. Rollie Robinson singled, moved up on Galen Skramstad's sacrifice, and scored on Tomasek's second double. Tomasek then scored on Bob Grue's double, and Grue went to third on the play when the ball got away from left fielder Bahn.

Grue tallied the inning's final run on a dropped third strike. Larry Stengly, the first batter facing Eye after Groth's departure, reached second on the play as Wolff heaved the ball over first base.

Marshall also threatened in the fourth as Robinson and Skramstad drew walks with two out, but Leroy Syverson catching for the ejected Jim Lanoue, struck out. Lanoue got the heave-ho for intentionally blocking the plate in the second during the Warriors' big uprising.

Syverson did a capable job of receiving, throwing out Wolff on an attempted steal in the second and picking Plath off third. In the third inning Syverson nailed Bahn at first with a beautiful pick up and peg of his slow teaser off the mound.

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Tomasek, besides pitching well after the shaky start, helped his cause with his two doubles and by nabbing Wolff's blooper in the fifth. He fell coming off the mound to get the ball, but he held it.

The line score:

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Marshall 033 000 \*-6 7 3

Groth, Eye (3) and Eye, Wolff (3); Tomasek and Lanaue, Syverson (2).

MARSHALL	AB	R	H	RBI
Stearns, ss	4	0	1	0
Robinson, cf	2	1	1	0
Skramstad, lf	0	0	0	0
Lanoue, c	0	0	0	0
Syverson, c	3	0	0	0
Tomasek, p	3	2	2	1
Grue, 1B	2	2	1	1
Stengly, 3B	3	1	0	0
Reese, rf	3	0	2	2
Reuter, 2B	3	0	0	0

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WOOD LAKE	AB	R	H	RBI
Wenholz, 2B	3	1	0	0
Wolff, rf-c	4	0	1	2
Eye, c-p	3	1	1	0
Bahn, lf	3	0	1	1
Geistfeld, 3B	3	0	0	0
Plath, cf	2	0	1	1
Jeseritz, 1B	3	1	2	0
House, ss	3	1	1	0
Groth, p-rf	2	0	0	0
a-Fischer	1	0	0	0

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# Springfield Stops MHS

## Win Nets Region Title, State Berth

GRANITE FALLS — Springfield's well-balanced ball team decisively whipped Marshall High, 15-4, Tuesday night in the Region 3 finals. The win qualified Coach Al Gisvold's club for its third state

tournament trip. Next Wednesday in the state meet at Rochester, Springfield, also known as the Tigers like Marshall, will hook up with tonight's

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winner of the Minneapolis - Washburn - Edina game. Springfield will carry a 15-1 record into the game. With two good pitchers in Vern

Kainz (9-0) and Irvin Plotz (6-1) solid hitting and a strong infield, Springfield should ably represent the region in the state play-off. Marshall closes its year at 8-4 after a late season spurt.

After Coach Glen Moran's Marshall forces scored once in the top of the second inning, Springfield counted five runs in their half on three hits and two MHS errors. In the fifth and sixth the "other" Tigers scored twice in each frame and then exploded for six more runs in the eighth. Marshall tallied once in the eighth and twice in the ninth in the regulation-length championship game.

Plotz had a relatively easy time with a good lead after the first two innings. He held Marshall to five hits. His rival, John Tomasek, also went all the way, but received less defensive help and hitting behind him. Tomasek gave up 11 hits.

Plotz struck out eight, walked two and hit two. Tomasek also hit two batters and walked three. He fanned three.

Marshall got the game's first run in the second when Bill Reese was safe on a fielder's choice, stole second, and came all the way around on Larry Stingly's infield single to the shortstop. The ball took a bad hop.

After going down 1-2-3 in the first, Springfield blew the ball game wide open in its half. Don Weller's fielder's choice, singles by Ed Bittler and Dick Hakes, Charles Hunt being hit by a Tomasek pitch, Plotz' fielder's choice, Darrell Ashton's walk, Dave Kieper's sacrifice fly followed by a throwing error by MHS catcher Jim Lanoue all contributed to the five-run inning.

Although its first two men got aboard in the fifth, Marshall could not cut into the 5-1 Springfield edge. In the fifth the District 10 kings widened the gap to 7-1 on Buzzie Wagner's double, Weller's single and stolen base, Bittler's single and Weller's steal of home

on a cutoff play between Lanoue and second baseman Luther Reuter.

In the sixth, Hunt's being hit again by a pitched ball, Bill Reese's two-base error on Plotz' fly, a passed ball and Wagen's sacrifice fly ran the score to 9-1.

Marshall scored twice in the eighth without the use of a hit. Robinson was safe on Plotz' bobble of his trickler and Skramstad walked. Both scored when Ashton let the relay of Tomasek's long fly get away from him at the plate.

Then Springfield added insult to injury by sending six more runners home in their half. In the 11-batter assault, Hunt, Kieper, Charles Utz and Dick Hakes helped with their singles. Two walks, a sacrifice fly and an error also aided the scoring.

In its half of the ninth Marshall's last feeble try netted one run. Reese, who had singled, tallied on Stingly's ground out.

Besides the game itself, something had to give in the pre-game coin flip for home team. Since district play had started neither club had lost a toss for the home team right. Moran missed the call Tuesday as "heads" turned up on him for the first time since he had started calling "tails" May 17, against Tyler.

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<b>Marshall</b>	<b>AB R H RBI</b>					
Stearns, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Robinson, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Skramstad, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Lanoue, c	4	0	1	0	0	0
Tomasek, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Grue, 1B	3	0	0	0	0	0
Reese, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Reuter, 2B	4	0	1	0	0	0
Stingly, 3B	4	0	2	1	0	0
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<b>SPRINGFIELD</b>	<b>AB R H RBI</b>					
Ashton, c	2	0	0	2		
Kieper, 2B	2	0	0	2		
Wagner, ss	3	2	1	1		
Utz, 3B	5	1	2	1		
Weller, cf	5	2	1	1		
Bittler, 1B	5	1	2	0		
Hakes, rf	4	2	3	3		
Hunt, lf	2	3	1	0		
Plotz, p	4	3	0	1		
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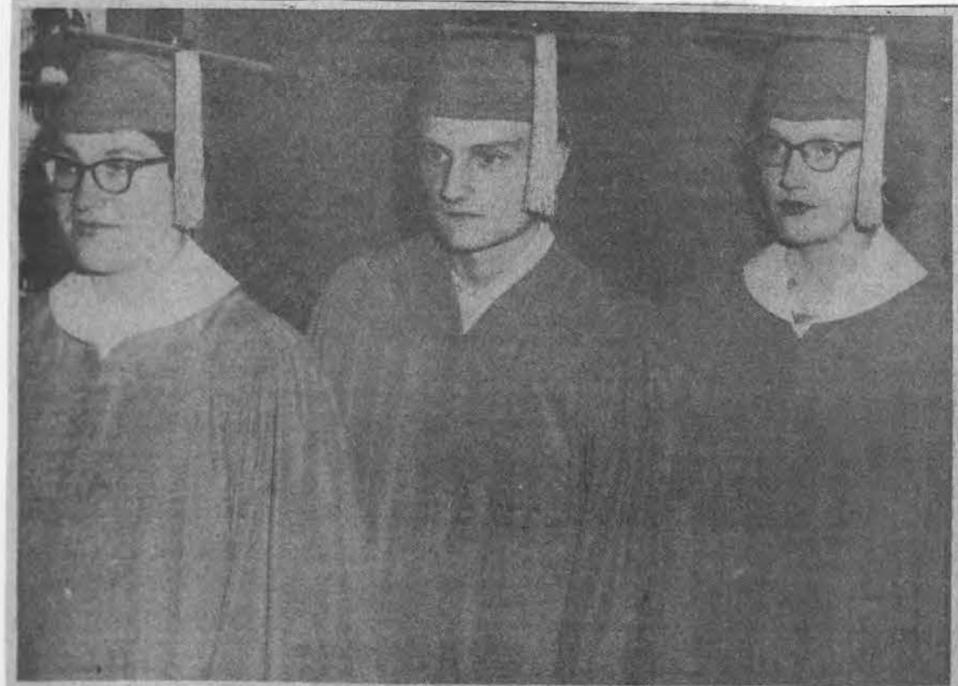
June 3



**AWARD WINNERS SHOWN**—Seniors of Marshall High school who received awards at graduation exercises in the High school auditorium Thursday night are, front row, left to right: David Asp, Shirley Kidder, Sonja Quam, Barbara Bebler, Carolyn Nelson, Nancy Larson. Second row, left to right, Dick Jacobson, Sally Stearns, Kathleen Buesing, Evelyn Pagel, Janet Priebe. Third row, left to right, Bob Stauffacher, Jim Lanoue, Jim Reese, John Priebe, Jim Becker, Arlyce Foster. For further details please turn to story on page one.—Messenger strobophoto.

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**LOOKING TO THE FUTURE**—Graduation day looms Thursday for seniors at Marshall High school, and it means a whole new life for them. Some will go on to college, others will find employment in industry and business. Pictured are Mary Ehlers, Bruce Rohlin and Carol Sewill, who will be among the graduates in the auditorium at the school Thursday night.—Messenger strobophoto.

June 2

## 74 MHS Seniors to be Graduated

Seventy-four Marshall High school seniors will receive diplomas during commencement exercises beginning at 8 p.m. today in the school auditorium.

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F. R. Adams, director of the Minnesota State Department of Education, will give the commencement address; Merrill W. Olson, principal, will present awards; and L. M. Frey, superintendent, will hand out the diplomas.

The program will include the salutatory address by Evelyn Pagel; the valedictory by Janet Priebe; and two numbers by the senior high mixed chorus.

Giving the invocation and benediction will be the Rev. Merland Johnson of the First English Lutheran church.

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Janet Priebe

Janet Priebe is  
Honored by Digest

Janet Priebe, valedictorian of the graduating class of Marshall High school, has been given the Annual Award of the Reader's Digest Association for students who give promise of attaining leadership in the community, it was announced today by Merrill W. Olson, principal.

Miss Priebe will receive an engraved certificate from the editors and an honorary subscription to the Reader's Digest for one year. These are given "in recognition of past accomplishment and in anticipation of unusual achievement to come."

Miss Priebe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Priebe, Marshall.

June 3  
Good Influence is  
Easy, Adams Says

(Editor's Note: See pictures on Area and Society pages.)

Any person, no matter what his position in life, can be a good influence both on the community and on others.

This was the message brought to 74 graduating Marshall High school seniors at commencement

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exercises Thursday night in the school auditorium.

The speaker, F. R. Adams, director of the Minnesota State Department of Education, took ex-

amples from his own life — farmer, plumber, insurance salesman, school teacher — to illustrate his point. All of these, and more, influenced him, he said.

"We are what we are because of the people we have met and dealt with," he said.

Then he pointed out that each of these persons of influence had these characteristics in common:

- Willingness to cooperate.
- Mastery over his own fate.
- Emotional stability.
- Intellectual and physical energy.

The "Standing Room Only" sign was up outside of the muggy auditorium as friends and relatives turned out to watch the seniors receive their diplomas and awards.

The ranking seniors scholastically were: Janet Priebe, valedictorian, with a 94.5 average; Evelyn Pagel, salutatorian, 93.5. Both of these girls gave addresses.

They were followed by: Monette Strube, 93.4; Kathleen Buesing, 93; Sonya Quam, 92; Carolyn Nelson, 91.8; Jim Reese, 91.5; Barbara Bebler, 91.5; Sue Soucy, 91.5; and Sharon Hodgman, 90.9.

The Hall Awards, oldest offered at the Marshall High school and the initiator of the awards system, went to Sonya Quam, a senior, and Shirley Kidder, an underclassman.

Offered since 1923, these awards go to the boy or girl who, in the estimation of the faculty, rates highest in attitude, scholarship, loyalty, activities, leadership and cooperation.

The Melvin Rubertus Memorial Award made by the Lions Club for musical proficiency went to Arlyce Foster and David Asp.

Other winners were:  
The William Osborne, Sr. award for athletic leadership, Jim Lanoue.

The Charles White award, Jim Reese.

Bausch and Lomb Science award Jim Becker.

Weiner scholarships, John Priebe and Nancy Larson.

"Bud" Rose award, Richard Jacobson.

Rotary Club awards, Barbara Bebler and Jim Becker.

Jean Middleton scholarship, Sally Stearns.

Tuition scholarships to any Minnesota state college as ranking boy and girl in the class, Janet Priebe and Jim Reese.

Business and Professional Women's award, Evelyn Pagel and Kathleen Buesing.

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American Legion awards, Carolyn Nelson and Bob Stauffacher.  
Marshall High school scholarship offered by Mr. and Mrs. Erv Seifert, Arlyce Foster.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Persons awards, Judy Carlson and Woody Jewett.

The Rev. Merland T. Johnson, pastor of the First English Lutheran church, gave the invocation and benediction. Awards were presented by Principal Merrill Olson; the diplomas, by Supt. L. M. Frey.

Shirley Kidder and Barbara Mills played the processional and recessional.

June 3



THE LAST MILE—Marshall High School seniors made that long, slow walk down the aisle Thursday evening—the walk that changed them from "high school kids" into young men and women. It was a solemn, somewhat sad occasion as evidenced by the expressions on the faces of those parents and friends who suddenly realized their little boys and girls now had become grownups. There also were tears from the seniors, too, as they realized this truly was an end for them—as well as a beginning.—Messenger strobophoto.

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Mary Graham, Mike McEnaney, Yvonne Graham, Larry Frey, Janet Priebe, Judy Warnke, Bob Grue, Bob Stauffacher, Marlyce Young, David Asp, Bruce Rohlin, Richard Fifield.

DANCE BAND AWARDS: Bob Stauffacher, 4, Barbara Bebler, 4, Deanne Sneltsjes, 3, Sally Stearns, Deanne Sneltsjes, 3, Sally Stearns, 3; David Reys, 3; Mary Graham, 3, Yvonne Graham, 2; Dorothy Sheffield, 2, Mike McEnaney, 2, Dennis Anderson, 2, Ron Thornton, 2, Arlyce Foster, Marcia Olson, Clarence Else.

DRAMA LETTERS: David Asp, 1; Barbara Bebler, 1; James Becker, 3; Larry Frey, 2; Shirley Kidder, 1; Nancy Larson, 1; Doranne Maxson, 1; Marcia Olson, 1; Sonya Quam, 2; Rolland Robinson, 1; Bruce Rohlin, 1; Robert Stauffacher, 2; Sally Stearns, 1.

BASKETBALL: Luther Reuter, 3; Dick Jacobson, 2; Rollie Robinson, 2; Jim Lanoue, 2; Ron Thornton, 2; Bob Grue, 2; Dick Larson, 2; John Tomasek, 1; Jim Olson, 1; Bill Reese, 1; David Ross, 1; Larry Newman, 2, mgr.; Douglas Berge, 1, mgr.

BASEBALL: Jim Lanoue, 3; Rollie Robinson, 3; Bob Grue, 2; Luther Reuter, 2; Don Stearns, 2; Galen Skramstad, 2; Leroy Syverson, 1; John Tomasek, 2; Larry Stengley, 2; Bob DeSchepper, 1; Bill Reese, 1.

TRACK LETTER WINNERS FOR 1955: Dennis Grow, 2; Dick Larson, 2; Jim Olson, 2; Luther Reuter, 2; Warren Roberts, 1; Ronald Thornton, 1; Jim Reese, 1; Bob Peterson, 1; Douglas Berge, 3, mgr.

TIGER HERALD: David Asp; Barbara Bebler, 2; James Becker, 3; Shirley Kidder, 2; James Lanoue; Duane Marcotte, 2; Barbara Mills, Medal; Marcia Olson, Medal; Rollie Robinson; Lynne Schulz; Sally Stearns, Medal.

PATROL LETTERS: Warren Verdeck, 3; Kenneth Pipke, 3; Robert Weidauer, 3; John Berry, 4; Lloyd Grow, 3; Virginia Rasmussen, 3; Donna Johnson, 3; Rita Knutson, 3; Bill Powell, 3; Richard Benson, 4; Jack Fifield, 3; Leonard Kragness, 3; Judy Carlson, 3; Wanda Thompson, 4 star.

LIBRARY CLUB AWARDS: Medals to Angeline Boerboom; Rose Mary Boerjan; Carole Cleveland; Shirley Daas; Carolyn Dale; Lois Dressen; Marielyn Dwire; Ardith Heinz; Sally Lawson; Evelyn Pagel; Janet Priebe; Rosalie Ree; Rosalie Rohrs; Darlene St. Aubin; Joyce Schultz; Nancy Seiler.

USHER LETTER AWARDS: Donna Dandurand, 2; Carol Sewill, 2; Sally Lawson, 2; Lois Dressen, 2; Betty Gillund, 2; LaVonne Van Kuelen, 2; Dorothea Knutson, 2; Angeline Boerboom, 1; Irene Carter, 1; Ardith Heinz, 1; Kathleen Kor, 1; Rosalie Ree, 1; Nancy Seiler, 1; Lois Solberg, 1.

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MARSHALL A SQUAD: Larry Bebler, 1; Dennis Grow, 1; Bob Grue, 2; Danny Hammer, 1; Dick Jacobson, 3; Jim Lanoue, 2; Dick Larson, 2; Jack Mann, 1; Keith Mann, 2; Tom Maxson, 1; Jim Olson, 1; Bill Reese, 1; Jim Reese, 2; Luther Reuter, 1; Marvin St. Aubin, 1; Dick Schmidt, 1; Galen Skramstad, 1; Byron Thomas, 2; Neil Thoreson, 1; Merlin Wild, 1; Jim Williams, 1; Sandy Anderson, 1, mgr.; Eddie Evenson, 2, mgr.

HUFF JONES AWARD—Ninth Grade: Scholarship, Doris Priebe; Activities, Margo Reuter; Athletics, Jim William (boy); Bonnie Knutson (girl).

BADMINTON: Senior High School Doubles Champions: Ed Evenson, Marjorie Jansen. Junior High: Mixed Doubles Champions, June Berg, Dave Berge. Senior High Singles Champions: Boys, Neil Thoreson; Girls, Barbara Mills. Junior High Singles Champions, Boys, Dick Ogle; Girls, June Berg.

1954-1955 AWARDS. FFA. DAIRY: Bill Reese, 3; Harold Burt, 2; Gilbert Boerboom, 2; Noreen St. Aubin, 3; Marvin St. Aubin, 1; Robert Schultz, 1. CROPS: Richard Fifield, 3. POULTRY: Richard Jacobson, 2; Jim Bloome, 2; Bill Schroeder, 2; Le Roy Syverson, 1; John Ahlin, 1; Glenn Stafford, 1. LIVESTOCK: Dale Willard, 4; Richard Verdeck, 3; Kenneth Miller, 3; Robert Fifield, 1; Dean Nylan, 1. MEATS: Jim Reese, 4; Melvin Stafford, 3; Warren Heinz, 2; Kenneth Driesen, 2; Richard Polfiet, 1. SPECIAL AWARDS: DeKalb Award, Dale Willard. FFA Honor Award, Jim Reese, Dale Willard. STATE FARMER CERTIFICATE: Dale Willard, Richard Verdeck. FFA HONOR AWARDS: SPEAKING, Jim Reese. FARM SAFETY: Tom Dierckx. STAR DAIRY FARMER: Richard Verdeck. STAR CHAPTER FARMER: Dale Willard.

AUDIO-VISUAL CLUB: John Priebe, 2; Rolland Robinson, 2; Eddie Evenson, 2; Byron Thomas, 2; Duane Amundson, 2; Jim Beck-

# Marshall High Closes After Award Presentations Today

Marshall High school closed for the term this morning with a convocation at which letters and other awards were made to students for their participation in various school activities from library to football. Numbers after the names generally indicate the number of years

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the person has participated in the particular activity with the exception of music awards which are

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based on the number of A ratings achieved either at the district, regional or state level.

Music letters were given to those who achieved district A ratings one or more times, with the exception of a few seniors who earned theirs through their steady performance over the years.

Music medals were awarded for A performances at the regional and state level.

Here is a list of the award winners:

MUSIC LETTERS—Mary Ehlers, Nancy Larson, Sharon Hodgman, Mary Ellen Dwire, Ruth Haugen, Duane Marcotte, Dorothea Knutson, John Priebe, Neil Thorson, LaVonne Van Kuelen, Luther Reuter, Ed Evenson, Larry Newman, Rollie Robinson, Sharon Stassen, Dorothy Sheffield, Don Herring, Marlene Eggen, Sonya Quam, Kathleen Buesing, Danny Bowman, Sue Soucy, Larry Frey, Doris Priebe, Mary Graham, Mike McEnaney, Yvonne Graham, Janet Priebe, Judy Warnke, Marlyce Young, Doris Berge; (two bars as follows) Ron Thornton, Arlyce Foster, Bob Stauffacher, Richard Fifield; (three bars) Monette Strube, Deanne Sneltsjes, Barbara Bebler, Margie Jensen, Bob Grue, David Asp, Bruce Rohlin; (four bars) Sally Stearns, Carolyn Nelson.

MUSIC MEDALS—Arlyce Foster (the only one in Marshall history to win 4); Sally Stearns, 3; Deanna Sneltsjes, Shirley Kidder, Dorothy Sheffield, Marcia Olson, Carolyn Nelson, Margie Jensen and Barbara Bebler, two each; Don Herring, Sonya Quam, Doranne Maxson, Kathleen Buesing, Danny Bowman, Monette Strube, Karen Hixon, Sue Soucy, Doris Priebe,

er, 2; Neil Thorson, 2; Duane Marcotte, 2; Larry Frey, 1; Donald Londgren, 1.

SENIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS: Ruth Haugen, 3; Judy Freter, 1; Jeanine Graffunder, 1; Dorothea Knutson, 1; Karen Hixon, 1.

SENIOR FHA: Barbara Bebler; Rosemary Boerjan, 3; Marilyn Dwire (letter); Kay Hammer, 3; Dorothea Knutson, 3; Dorothy Lanoue, 2; Teresa Logni, 3; Janet Mann, 2; Evelyn Pagel, 3; LaVonne Van Kuelen, 2.

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RARIN' TO GO—Marshall High sprintman Jim Olson (from left), Wayne Bisbee and Dick Larson "get set" for the 220-yard dash as Assistant Coach Bill Welch prepares to send them on their way in Wednesday's practice. Coach Larry Kienholz'

Tigers will be host to nine schools in the tenth annual Marshall Invitational Track and Field meet Saturday. Tracy and Pipestone tied for the 1954 title.—Messenger photo.

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# FHA Tea Thursday Honors Mothers and Benefactors

The Marshall chapter of the Future Homemakers of America honored their mothers at a Mothers' Day Tea; presented five honorary memberships, and held installation of officers Thursday in the Little Theatre of the Marshall High school.

The program opened by presentation of colors. The welcome was given by Janet Rivard. Marilyn Reese introduced the guests and Mrs. William Hammer, Mrs. Arthur Knutson, Mrs. Alfred VanKeulen, Millard Ehlers and Fred Tremblay were presented honorary memberships for their contributions to the organization.

Beverly Kramer spoke on the 10th anniversary of the FHA; Dorothea Knutson awarded the degrees; and Angeline Boerboom spoke on the goals for the coming year.

Miss Lyla Mallough gave a talk on "Goals in FHA" Fran Kelly Trudeau, formerly of Marshall and the first state president, also was present.

Roses were presented to the mothers.

Outgoing officers installed the following new officers: Angeline Boerboom, president, Pearl Rasmussen, vice president; Janet Rivard, secretary; Janet Maronde, treasurer; Carolyn Dale, historian; Janet Zimmel, reporter, and Doris Lucklow, song leader.

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# Marshall High Musicians Set Spring Concert

Marshall High school's music department will present its spring concert at 8 p.m. May 19 in the high school auditorium.

The concert highlights musical activities of the year, and will in-

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clude selections performed in competition with other schools in the area.

Senior high groups participating include the mixed chorus, girls' glee club, boys' glee club, girls' sextet and the concert band.

There will be no admission charge.

# MHS to Face Tracy Ball Club

Those two ancient Lyon County rivals—Tracy and Marshall—go at it again Friday afternoon in a baseball game at Tracy. Game time is 5:30 p.m.

Presently Marshall High has lost its last two games after winning its first three tilts of the season. Coach Glen Moran will probably start Jim Lanoue on the mound. Lanoue pitched but two innings in Marshall's 11-7 loss to Minnetonka Tuesday.

Next week Tracy meets Ivanhoe and Marshall faces Tyler in the first round of the district tournament. Both are upper bracket games in the tourney draw.

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## Reese Top Judge; 2 FFA Boys Win Advanced Degrees

Jim Reese of the Marshall Future Farmers of America chapter won first place at the state FFA meats judging contest in St. Paul Tuesday.

The meats team, composed of Reese, Warren Heinz and Kenneth Driessen, missed first place in

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team judging by only two points. Two members of the Marshall FFA also were raised to the highest possible state degree at the banquet which was held in connection with the state meeting.

Dale Willard and Richard Verdeck was raised to the State Farmer degree, which can be given to only two per cent of the entire 10,600 FFA members in Minnesota. The degree is awarded for outstanding farm programs and FFA leadership.

Reese received a plaque for being first from among a group of 102 contestants who had won their way to the state contest through regional eliminations.

The Marshall poultry team, composed of Richard Jacobson, James Bloome and John Ahlin, rated fourth in the gold division, and the livestock team, composed of Dale Willard, Richard Verdeck and Dean Nylen, also ranked in the gold division.

All judging teams at the contest were rated into one of four groups, with the gold group being the highest.

The two new state farmers, Willard and Verdeck, are officers of the local group. Willard is vice president, as well as District 4 secretary, and Verdeck is treasurer of the local group.

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## Beverley Kramer Banquet Speaker

STANLEY — (Special) — Miss Beverley Kramer, district vice president of the Future Homemakers of America, and Miss Angeline Boerboom, local president attended the Mothers' Day banquet in the Tracy school Monday evening.

The girls were guests of Tracy chapter of the FHA and Beverley was guest speaker.

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MILE WINNER—Warren Roberts of Marshall High school is aided by classmates after winning the mile run in Saturday's track meet at Legion field. His winning time was 5:10.4—and it left him out of breath.—Messenger photo.

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## Marshall High Classes to End; Exams to Begin

Regular classes at Marshall High school will end Thursday and final

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examinations will begin Friday.

Examination periods will last one and one-half hours.

Seniors will hold a picnic at Camden park at Lynd Thursday afternoon. Buses will leave the school at 12:45, and seniors will spend the afternoon playing ball and other games. A picnic lunch will be served before they return to Marshall.

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# Tigers Second in Invitational

By BOB HOOKER

Worthington's well-balanced track team won the tenth annual Marshall Invitational track meet Saturday, setting the only new record in the process.

The Trojans, coached by Baldy

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Nelson, had 61 7-12 points to runner up Marshall's 44 1-3.

Luverne placed third with 34 points, while the other seven teams lagged behind. Pipestone was fourth with 21½. Redwood Falls, 15¼; Tracy 11½; Clarkfield 2½; Montevideo 2 1-3; and Granite Falls 2. Canby failed to score. Scoring was on a 5-4-3-2-1 basis.

Marshall won the most first places, four,—excluding a win in the non-counting junior high relay and tied for two other blue ribbons but the Tigers lacked the depth to overcome Worthington. Dick Larson won both hurdle events, Jim Olson took the 220 yard dash and Warren Roberts won the grueling mile for Coach Larry Kienholz' team. Dennis Grow in the pole vault and Luther Reuter in the high jump earned first place ties. Olson took second in the broad jump and fourth in the 100.

Bob Peterson's third in the discus, Ron Thornton's tie for third in the 440, a third in the relay, Jim Reese's fifth in the high hurdles and a Reuther's tie for fifth in the pole vault rounded out Marshall scoring.

It was the 880-yard relay mark which the Worthington quartet cracked the nipping Luverne at the tape in the day's closest race. The new time of 1:37.55 bettered Montevideo's 1951 time of 1:37.6. Randy Griffith won firsts for the Trojans in the 100 and broad jump and Ron Long tied Reuter in the high jump. But Worthington won two places in each eight events.

In fact, when Marshall made its big bid to overcome a 13-point Trojan lead as the low hurdles and 100-yard dash approached, Worthington outscored Marshall 12-10 in the two events despite Larson's and Olson's first. Larson, leading all the way, barely staved off the Trojans' George Nasers and Ron Long.

Worthington had pulled away from an 8-8 tie with Marshall by scoring 14 points in the broad jump and shot put to the Tigers' four. After the 880 and 100, Luverne held a 5 point lead on MHS, but Kienholz' team rallied for second place honors.

Coach Art Marben's Tracy team went as the DeVetter's went. Chuck won the 880 in 2:09.4, failing to crack his 2:07.6 meet record set in 1954. Dave DeVetter placed second in the mile for the Scrappers, and Dave Thraen was third in the 880.

(MHS); Long (W); Cunningham (Pipe). Time — :15.7.

Broad jump—Griffith (W); Olson (MHS); Pederson (L). Distance—19-5½.

Shot put—Winkler (L); Burns (W); Boddy (W). Distance—45-2.

880-yard run—C. DeVetter (Tracy) Lindstrom (RF); Thraen (Tracy) and Garcia (L) (tie). Time — 2:09.4.

100-yard dash—Griffith (W); Pederson (L); Arneson (P). Time — :10.9.

Mile run—Roberts (MHS); D. DeVetter (Tracy); Calvin (W).

Time — 5:10.4.

180-yard low hurdles — Larson (MHS); Nasers (W); Long (W) Time — :21.6.

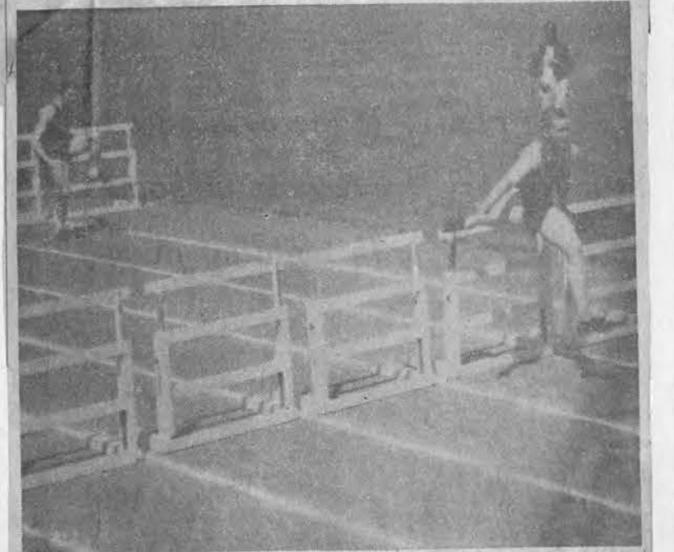
220-yard dash — Olson (MHS); Griffith (W); Arneson (P). Time — :24.5.

High jump—Long (W) and Reuter (MHS) (tie); Shriek (P) and Rogness (L) (tie). Height—5-5.

Discus—Cooney (L); Boddy (W); Peterson (MHS). Distance—135-11.

Pole vault — Grow (MHS) and Vockrodt (P) (tie); Tellinghuisen (P) and Anderson (W) (tie). Height — 11-0.

880-yard relay—Worth; Luverne; (MHS). Time 1:37.55 (new record).



WINNING IN STRIDE—Dick Larson of Marshall leaps his way to victory in the 120-yard high hurdles in the Invitational track meet Saturday. Larson also came back to win the 180-yard low hurdles

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## Marshall High Upperclassmen Elect Council

Marshall High school students have completed election of Student Council representatives from the top three grades.

Seniors elected were Lynn Blad-

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holm, Jim Olson, Pat Sheffield, Janet Zimmer, Dick Larson and Beverly Kramer.

Juniors are Virginia Peterson, Larry Rund, Kenneth Knobbe, Wayne Bisbee and Galen Sramstad. Sophomore representatives are Bonnie Bladholm, Dick Ogle, Dick Addison, Mary McChesney and Margo Reuter.

Class presidents Bill Reese, senior; Jim Cowan, junior; and Bonnie Knudson, sophomore, also serve on the student governing body.

Unearned Runs Galore, But—

# Tracy Tilts Tigers, 6-5

TRACY — Tracy's Scrappers came from behind after blowing a three-run lead to nip Marshall, 6-5, Friday in a loosely played ball

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game at the Tracy field. Both clubs went into the game with 3-2 records.

Perhaps a Friday-the-13th jinx hindered defensive play. In any event, only three of the runs were earned. And two of those three runs—(by Marshall in the third inning)—became earned only after the three subsequent batters singled.

Three errors by Marshall catcher

John Tomasek paved the path for all six of Tracy's unearned markers. In all, the Tigers committed

## TYLER GAME TODAY

In a last minute change of plans, the Tyler-Marshall District Nine game is being played today (rather than Tuesday) at the Legion Field. The Tracy-Ivanhoe game, the last first round game to be set, will be played Wednesday at Tracy.

five misplays as their defense fell down for the first time this season.

Actually Marshall lost the game at the plate. Coach Glen Moran's club pounded out ten hits, including a ground rules double by Jim Lanoue but the Tigers stranded 12 runners on base.

Marshall loaded the bases in the first and sixth innings but scored just one run in the two innings.

On the other hand, Tracy made the most of its five hits off Lanoue, leaving only four on the sacks.

The game's biggest blow, a triple by Tracy's Dave Sammons, did not lead to a score. He was tagged out trying to steal home by Tomasek. Tracy centerfielder Wayne Carter made the best fielding play, somersaulting after catching Don Stearns' long drive for the game's final out.

After Marshall opened the scoring with one run in the first (on three walks and Bob Grue's single) Tracy, coached by Arch Ward, bounced back to score four times. With the bases loaded Tomasek dropped a throw to the plate on a bunt and then overthrew second base, allowing all four runs on one play.

Marshall came back with three runs in the third to tie at 4-all. Two of the tallies came after catcher Elrick Gregoire threw to first base after dropping a third strike. Singles by Larry Stengly, Leroy Syverson and Luther Reuter netted the third run.

Then in the fourth, after Mar-

shall got the go-ahead run, the Scrappers scored twice for the winning runs. Marshall got its run as Galen Skramstad was safe on an error, one of three by Tracy; stole second; and scored on Lanoue's automatic two-base hit which bounced over the left-center field fence.

Tracy scored on Tomasek's wild throw to first on a bunt and singles and Curt Jette and Bob Shaw.

Lanoue, in losing, went all the way for Marshall. He walked three, two in Tracy's big first inning, and struck out eight. He also hit one jatter.

Coach Ward switched pitchers in the third with starter Merlyn Mickelson giving way to Gale Brekken.

The line score:  
Marshall 103 100 0-5 10 3  
Tracy 400 200 \*-6 5 3  
Lanoue and Tomasek; Mickelson, Brekken (3) and Gregoire.

## Box Score

MARSHALL	AB	R	H	RBI
Stearns, ss	3	1	1	0
Robinson, cf	4	0	1	0
Skramstad, lf	3	1	1	0
Lanoue, p	2	1	1	1
Tomasek, c	3	1	0	0
Grue, 1B	4	0	1	1
Stengly, 3B	4	1	2	0
Syverson, rf	3	0	1	0
Reuter, 2B	4	0	1	1
Reese, rf	1	0	1	0
	31	5	10	3

TRACY	AB	R	H	RBI
Shaw, 2B	3	1	2	2
Brekken, ss-p	2	1	0	0
Sammons, 3B	2	1	1	0
Hanson, 1B	3	0	0	0
Carter, cf	3	1	1	1
Gregoire, c	2	0	0	0
Mickelson, p-ss	3	0	0	0
DeVetter, rf	2	1	1	0
Jette, lf	3	1	1	0
	23	6	5	3

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# MHS Eliminates Tyler From Meet

Marshall High school's baseball team, used the big inning—not once but four times—to down inexperienced Tyler, 19-3 Monday, in the first round of the District 9 baseball tourney.

Marshall pitcher John Tomasek

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limited the visitors to two safeties in coasting to victory. In addition, he homered, doubled, and batted in five runs.

Coach Glen Moran's club will tangle with Balaton next in the quarter-final round. According to the tourney pairings Marshall is to play the Warriors next Monday at 1:30 p.m. in the first game of a double-header at Balaton. Another twin-bill will be going on the same day at Minnetota involving four other first round survivors.

Marshall jumped off to a 4-0 lead in the first inning on a hit by Galen Skramstad, three walks, Tomasek's sacrifice and a ground out. Two walks and an error gave Marshall another run in the second.

However, Coach Don Allar's game club rallied for two runs in the third without the aid of a hit. Errors by Don Stearns, Tomasek and Larry Stengley allowed the Danes to cut the score to 5-2.

But it wasn't Tyler's day. The Tigers tallied five runs on four hits in both the fourth and fifth innings and racked up four runs on three blows in the sixth.

\*Rollie Robinson blasted a two-run homer, his second of the year,

in the fourth. He would have had his third the following inning had not he not been flagged at third on a long drive to left. As it was, his triple scored Luther Reuter and moments later Skramstad's single plated Robinson. Robinson also singled in the sixth.

Following Skramstad's one-baser, Jim Lanoue walked—one of three passes he drew off Dane pitching—and then Tomasek belted his homer to deep left field with the ball skidding down the Legion Field track.

Bob Peter's solid double past first baseman Bob Grue ruined Tomasek's bid for a go-hitter. Dan Johnson beat out an infield hit in the seventh for Tyler's other hit.

Tomasek struck out ten, three in the first inning. He walked one and hit one.

Coach Allar, in his first year at Tyler, removed starting pitcher Glen Reinke, one of two seniors in the lineup, in the second. Harley Peterson and Johnson succeeded him to the hill.

For the first time in six years Tyler won a ball game this year. The Danes downed Russell, 12-11 and beat Hendricks.

Coach Allar started three freshmen and two sophomores against the more experienced Tigers.

The line score:  
Tyler 002 000 1-3 2 4  
Marshall 410 554 \*-19 12 4  
Reinke, Peterson (2), ohnson (5) and Goos; Tomasek and Lanoue.

## Box Score

TYLER	AB	R	H	RBI
Jensen, 2B-ss	4	2	0	0
Johnson, rf-p	4	1	1	1
Peterson, ss-p	3	0	0	0
Goos, c	3	0	0	1
Peter, cf	2	0	1	0
Olsen, 1B	3	0	0	0
Faaber, lf	2	0	0	0
Kelley, 3B	3	0	0	0
Reinke, p	1	0	0	0
Anderson, 2B-rf	2	0	0	0
	27	3	2	2

MARSHALL	AB	R	H	RBI
Stearns, ss	3	3	1	0
Robinson, cf	4	3	3	3
Skramstad, lf	4	3	2	1
Lanoue, c	2	4	1	2
Tomasek, p	4	3	2	5
Grue, 1B	4	0	0	2
Stengly, 3B	4	0	1	2
Syverson, rf	3	0	0	0
a-Reese, rf	1	0	1	0
Reuter, 2B	2	2	1	0
b-DeSchepper, 2B	0	1	0	0
Berge, 3B	0	0	0	0
	31	19	12	15

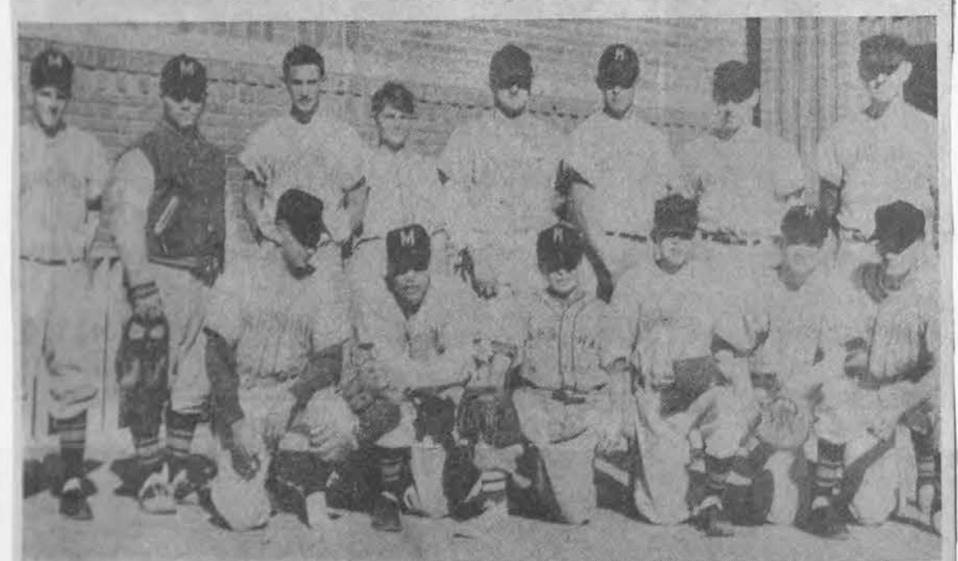
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b—batted for Reuter 6th

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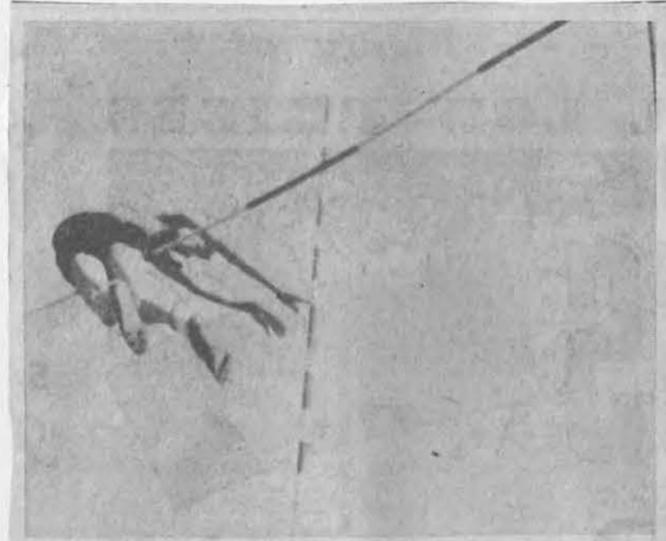
BEFORE TAKING OFF—Marshall High Track Coach Larry Kienholz hopes Saturday's District 9 meet at the Legion Field will be a big day for pole vaulters Dennis Grow (left) and Luther Reuter. Grow tied for first place at 11-0 last week, while Reuter fared better in the high jump where he tied for first. The top two men in each event Saturday will qualify for the Region 3 meet at Marshall May 28.—Messenger photo.

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TIGER TALENT—Marshall High's baseball team plays at Balaton Monday in the quarter-final round of the District 9 tournament. The Tigers and Coach Lou Benson's Warriors will clash in the first game of a double-header at 1:30 p.m. Kneeling (from left): Bob DeSchepper, Rollie Robinson, Roger Lanoue, Dave Berge, Leroy Syverson and Galen Skramstad. Standing (from left): Tom Maxson, Jim Lanoue, Don Stearns, Dwight Jackson, Bob Grue, Luther Reuter, Larry Stengly and John Tomasek. Glen Moran is the Marshall coach.—Messenger photo.

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UP, UP AND OVER—Luther Reuter, MHS senior, clears the nine foot mark in Saturday's Invitational track meet at the Legion Field. Reuter's teammate, Dennis Grow, tied for first place at 11-0 in the event.—Messenger photo.

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# MJHS Track Cubs Win

Two Marshall Junior High school trackmen and the relay team broke the existing records Tuesday in the Marshall Invitational Junior High meet as the Cubs easily won the regular division title.

Redwood Falls glided to an easy

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win in the Midget class for boys weighing 112 pounds and less.

Final scoring in the two divisions: Regular: Marshall 75½; Montevideo 37½; Redwood 22½; Canby 12. Montevideo did not enter a Midget team.

Coach Harry Ahlin's Cubs replace Montevideo as champs. Coach Doug Sawle's little Mohawks did not have the manpower to repeat this year, although the team did well enough to earn runnerup honors.

Marshall took six firsts (plus the relay) in the 11 events. Bob Peterson cracked the discus record set by Don Catton in 1951. Peterson's toss of 114.9 broke the old mark by over 11 feet. The 440-yard relay team beat Marshall's 1953 mark of :50.1 with a time of :49.95.

Jim Kaczowski of the Marshall Middets set the day's other new record by scampering through the 80-yard dash in :9.9 to better Jette of Tracy's 1953 mark of :10.0. Kaczowski tied for first in the 60-yard dash and placed third in the shot put.

### REGULARS

Summary: (first three places only):

110 - yard low hurdles — Else (MJHS); Rubertus (MJHS) and Laner (Monty) (tie). Time — :15.8.

60-yard dash—Sherland (Canby); Rubertus (MJHS) and Marx (Monty) (tie). Time — :7.2.

Pole vault — Williams (MJHS); Watermellon (Canby), Thurn (Monty) and Ramseth (Redwd.) (tie). Height—8-6.

Shot put—Peterson (MJHS); Reed (Redwd.); Carrow (MJHS). Distance—46-2.

660-yard run — Coil (Canby); Car-



**ALMOST THERE**—Jim Kaczowski of Marshall Junior High is in the process of breaking the Midget 80-yard dash record at the Marshall Invitational track meet Tuesday. He covered the distance in :9.9. Jim Knudsen (left) and Leroy Swensen both of Redwood Falls raced to a second place tie.—Messenger photo.

row (MJHS); Laner (Monty). Time — 1:42.5.

High jump — Reed (Redwd.); Else (MJHS) and Marx (Monty.) (tie). Height — 4-9.

100-yard dash — Ahlin (MJHS); Sherland (Canby); Williams (MJHS); Time — :11.5.

Discus —Peterson (MJHS); Ahlin (MJHS); Ashburn (Monty.) Distance — 114.9. (New record.)

150-yard dash — Ahlin (MJHS); Mark (Tracy) and Williams (MJHS). Time — :17.0.

Broad jump — Marx (Monty); Stearns (MJHS); Else (MJHS) and Reed (Redwd.) (tie). Distance — 17-6.

440-yard relay — Marshall; Monty; Redwood; Time — :49.95. (New record.)

### MIDGETS

(First place only):  
110-yard low hurdles — Berge

(MJHS). Time—:17.3  
60 - yard dash — Kaczowski (MJHS) and Knudsen (Redwd.) (tie.) Time— :7.85.

High jump — Soderburg (MJHS). Height —4-5.

Shot put— Reigal (Redwd.). Distance — 30-4.

80-yard dash — Kaczowski (MJHS). Time — :9.9. (New record.)

Broad jump— Cairns (Redwd.) Distance—14-10.

220-yard relay — Redwood —Time — :27.4.  
440-yard relay — Redwood — Time —:56.0.  
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May 25

# Marshall High Baccalaureate Services Set

The Rev. Omer V. Kallevig of the Gospel Tabernacle will deliver the baccalaureate sermon in the

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auditorium of Marshall High school Sunday at 8 p.m.

The program will open with the processional, and the Rev. William R. Brushett will give the invocation. The congregation will join in singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

"The Lord is My Shepherd," will be presented by the senior high mixed chorus, and the Rev. Kallevig will deliver his sermon, "This is Your Hour."

Following the sermon, the congregation will sing "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me." and the senior high mixed chorus will present "Lost in the Night."

The program will close with benediction by the Rev. Brushett, and the recessional.

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# Musical Groups of Junior High Present Concert

The Marshall Junior High School music department presented it's

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Spring Concert in the High School auditorium Tuesday evening.

Under the direction of G. Orion Lee, the Boys' Glee Club presented five numbers, closing with "Oklahoma." The Girls' Glee Club also presented five numbers, including "Now We Sing Thy Praise" and "Blue Room", accompanied by Jane Henderson and Bonnie Bladholm at the piano.

The Prep Band included in its program "Overture Militaire" by Haydn-Skornicka. This is an ambitious number and takes twelve minutes to play. It has never before been included in the repertoire of the prep band. They were able to execute it with a skill to be envied by many Senior High School bands.

Both the glee clubs and band show promise of continuing the high standard of music which we have come to expect from the Marshall High School music department. —S.C.

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**ELECTION HELD**—L. M. Frey, right, casts the first ballot in the election Tuesday night of the Marshall school board. Election judges are, left to right: K. A. Sheffield, Dean Leedom, Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Paul Carrow.—Messenger strobophoto.

# Light Balloting Marks Marshall School Election

Only 96 voters cast ballots Tuesday in the Marshall school district election in the auditorium of Marshall High school.

They returned incumbents C. J. O'Brien and Millard Ehlers to the

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school board. Final results showed Ehlers with 96 votes and O'Brien with 94.

A light vote had been predicted when no opposition appeared for the two men.



**BIGGER PRESENT?**—Roolie Robinson (right), on behalf of the Marshall High baseball team, presented Coach Glen Moran a player-autographed baseball Monday for his birthday. Robinson and the Tigers hope to beat Ruthton today and go on to win the District 9 tourney as an additional gift for Moran.—Messenger photo.

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# 900 Attend Marshall High's Spring Concert

Approximately 900 people attended the annual Senior High spring concert presented Thursday night

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by the music department of the Marshall high school.

The first part of the program consisted of numbers by the senior high chorus, boys' glee club and girls' glee club. Vocal music was directed by G. Orion Lee.

The high school band, under the direction of Leo E. Yorde, played their two contest selections "Prelude and Fuge in F Minor" by Johann Sebastian Bach and "Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy" by Tchaikowsky-Yorde.

"A Warrior Bold," "Bless This House" with cornet solo by Denane Sneltsjes; and "The Kilts March" closed the program.

May 25

# MHS Golf Team to Drill Saturday

Golf Coach Stu MacDonald will take his Marshall High linksmen to Montevideo Saturday morning for a practice round.

On May 21 the Region 3 golf

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meet will be held at Montevideo, and MacDonald wants his team to practice over the Monty course.

Last Saturday Marshall finished fourth in its five-team invitational meet as Worthington won top honors. However, the Tigers' Galen Skramstad shot the day's best nine, posting a 37. He also tied Worthington's Joel Goldfield for medalist honors. Skramstad had a 37-43, while Goldfield got his 80 on a pair for 40s.

June 21



LEAVE FOR BOYS STATE—Four boys left Marshall early Sunday morning to attend American Legion Gopher Boys state in the Twin Cities this week. Left to right are Jim Cleveland, Dan Hennen, Dave Ross and Bob Lee.—Messenger photo.

July 1



NEW SECRETARY — Miss Kathleen Buesing has accepted a position as secretary in the offices of the Marshall High school. Miss Buesing will replace Miss Elaine Grow, who resigned recently.

July 18



TOOTIN' THE FLUTE—Jean Doty, 9, a 4th grade student at Marshall public school, is one of the 214 music students, with band membership in mind, receiving instruction this summer in the Marshall high school band room. Giving Miss Doty special instruction is Leo E. Yorde, director of instrumental music at Marshall high school.—Daily Messenger photo.

July 20



Miss Marjorie Jensen  
\* \* \* \*  
Miss Jensen is Accepted at Augustana

Miss Marjorie Jensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jensen, Sioux Falls, has been accepted for admission to Augustana College, Sioux Falls, S.D. for the fall term of 1955. Miss Jensen is a 1955 graduate of Marshall high school. She was active in music and journalism.

July 20

### Midget Team Routs Ivanhoe

Marshall's Midgets showed the way for Lake Benton, Minneota and Hanley Falls into today's semi-finals by winning the area tournament's opener from Ivanhoe, 19-4 Tuesday.

After that Lake Benton tipped Tyler, 3-1; Minneota disposed of Canby and Hanley Falls routed Tracy 11-0. In today's semi-finals Marshall was to play Lake Benton at 1 p.m. with the Minneota-Hanley Falls tilt to follow at 3 p.m.

Coach Glen Moran's Marshall team tapped 19 hits good for as many runs against Ivanhoe. Don Stearns and Galen Skramstad, who shared pitching duties paced the assault with four for four and four for five, respectively. Stearns and two triples, double and scored four runs, while Skramstad got a pair of doubles and tallied five times. Jim Como also tripled for the winners.

Pitchers Whipple and Lundberg got Ivanhoe's two hits, and Whipple scored three of the runs.

The line scores:

Marshall	442	090	19	19	3
Ivanhoe	201	010	4	2	3
Stearns, Skramstad (5) and Como; Whipple, Lundberg and Andrzejek.					
Tyler	1	1	1		
Lake Benton	3	2	0		
Faaberg and Sonden; Dave Koster and Dale Koster.					
Minneota	111	002	5	8	1
Canby	001	000	1	6	0
Christenson and Davison; Craig-mile and Reeser.					
Hanley Falls	11	9	1		
Tracy	0	4	3		
Bosaker and Rikke; Flategel and Salmon.					

July 7

### School Board Elects Yeager

Dr. W. W. Yeager was elected chairman of the Marshall board of education for the school year 1955-

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56 at the annual meeting of the organization Tuesday evening at the school administrative offices.

M. J. Carrow was elected clerk and A. J. Hardy was chosen treasurer. Other members are C. J. O'Brien, Chet Rewerts and Millard Ehlers.

Marshall board members demonstrated that they preferred to donate their service as members of the board by voting against the \$5 diem fee which was provided for them by the Minnesota State Legislature. This rejection refers to the Marshall board only.

The board voted to accept the low bid of the Marshall Plumbing and Heating Co. for cooling units in the administrative offices in the amount of \$1,035.

The treasurer's report was accepted, showing total receipts in the general fund of \$452,693.75 and disbursements of \$398,688.11 for the past fiscal year.

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The balance in the building fund as of June 30, was \$645,718.39. The hot lunch fund showed total receipts of \$34,515.38, with disbursements of \$28,260.30. Pledged for deposit of Independent Consolidated school district No. 8 funds were as follows: Western State Bank, Marshall, \$204,000 and First National Bank, Marshall, \$300,000.

July 21

### Late Bulletin

Miss Beverly Kramer, Marshall, was elected National Secretary of Future Homemakers of America at the tenth annual National convention at Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. Election of officers was held this morning and installation will take place at a banquet Friday night.

Miss Kramer, and five other Minnesota girls were accompanied by State Advisor, Miss Lyla Mallough, and Miss Elizabeth Franz, Tracy Home Economics teacher.

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Each day is spent in discussion groups and interest groups. A tea on Tuesday and a picnic on Wednesday are also included on the busy schedule. The climax of the convention will come Friday night with a banquet. At this time the newly elected officers will be installed.

I am a candidate for National Secretary and will be representing the central region in the election. Beverly Kramer Marshall High School

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Miss Beverly Kramer  
Beverly Kramer Candidate for National Office

### School Children Continue Their Musical Education Through Summer

Seated around in nooks and corners of the gymnasium of Marshall high school these warm summer days are boys and girls practicing on musical instruments or testing their vocal cords under the direction of Leo E. Yorde, director of instrumental music, and G.O. Lee, vocal music director and instrumental assistant.

Besides individual instruction, the directors hold half hour sectional rehearsals for beginners and for advanced students every week.

On or about August 1, the music department of the high school will begin massed band rehearsals with the advanced students from the Central Catholic high school in preparation for the All-City Festival which will be held Wednesday, August 17, when these groups will be combined with the Municipal Band, and all will present a huge concert in unison at Liberty park. Last year the combined band numbered 133 players and this year it will exceed that number, Director Yorde believes.

July 16

### Betty Zellmer Sets Western Vacation

Miss Betty Zellmer, who is employed in the offices of the Marshall High school, plans to leave on a western vacation this weekend.

She will go first to Denver, Colo. to join Miss Olive Hagstrom, Marshall teacher, who has been attending summer school there, and Miss Jo Nordick of Breckenridge.

They will then drive to the west coast and will stop at Seattle to visit Ruth Sellie, who taught home economics at Marshall.

They plan to be gone three weeks.

July 18

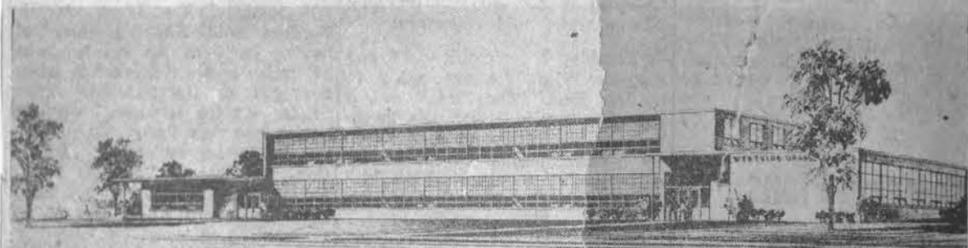
### Marshall Midgets Win

MINNEOTA—Marshall's Midgets whipped Ivanhoe, 19-4, today to advance to Wednesday's semi-final round of the Southwestern Minny tournament.

Heavy hitting by Don Stearns and Galen Skramstad paced the Marshall attack which produced 19 hits and 12 runs the first three innings.

July 26

# Marshall School Construction Months Ahead of Schedule



WESTSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
MARSHALL, MINNESOTA  
PAGE & ROCKEY - BRUCE & GEORGE ASSOCIATE ARCHITECTS

**LAYING STONE**—Workmen started laying the stone at the new West Side grade school this week, and at the rate of progress anticipated that school building should be enclosed by winter. All

of the work on the local school construction projects is running ahead of schedule. This is how the school will look when completed.—Architect's drawing.

## School Addition May Be in Use 3 Months Early

Work on Marshall school construction is running ahead of schedule on what is an extensive program of local school improvements. It was pointed out today by school officials.

Stone laying began this week on the new West Side grade school, and the contractor expects to have the building enclosed by winter. The schedule on this building does not call for completion before July of 1956.

All of the foundation work and the first floor slab has been completed.

The roof has been completed on the shop building at the high school, and it is expected that this building will be ready for use by October, although the completion date was originally set at January 1, showing another fine accomplishment on the construction schedule.

The builders are also finishing the construction in the small auditorium, shower and locker section, and will have that job completed by Sept. 1 at the East Side school. The small auditorium will seat some 250 persons.

The addition embraces eight classrooms and will be ready for roofing by the end of the month.

The school building program also includes the enlargement of an exercise room adjacent to the shop building and tied right in with that structure. This new girls' physical education room providing space for physical education classes.

Not only has the Marshall school system been fortunate in the progress being made on its 1955 school building program, but it has also utilized many advantageous situations which have created opportunities to enlarge portions of the high school building at minimum expense and yet give urgently needed additional space.

This is particularly true of the new girls' gymnasium which was developed out of a small exercise room and is expanded to three times its original size. This was accomplished by the simple process of extending construction from the shop building. So for something like a \$10,000 expenditure, the school got an addition worth three times that much.

Aug 15

Working, Talking, Dating or Fishing

# Bump Twins Stick Together



**WHO'S WHO**—One of the above comely twins—pretty nurse's aids, at Weiner hospital—is Louise. The other is Lois. Which is which? Or how could you find out? One time Lois worked all day and was relieved by Louise that evening, and the latter served the patient during the night shift, the patient swore that one nurse was on the job 24 hours, they look that much alike. So, if they can't tell these identical twins apart at the hospital—about all we can say is they are Lois and Louise Bump, aged 18.—Daily Messenger photo.

Patients at Weiner Memorial hospital are treated to a pleasant surprise these days that should go a long way toward making them well.

There are really two reasons for this observation—and they are Lois and Louise—the Bump twins.

These pretty maids are just 18 and were graduated this year from the Marshall high school. They are both students now at Weiner Memorial hospital as nurses aids, learning to be nurses.

They are designated as nurses helpers but they actually do the same type of work that nurses perform, except they cannot dispense medication or administer inoculations. However, these bright twins, with their natural ability, will be performing such tasks soon as the law allows.

It is always a pleasure to see twins and doubly so to see such twins as these in their attractive white nurses aid dresses. No patient but would feel better when observing these girls.

We have stated what they cannot do. Now let us tell some of the things they can do. They take temperatures, time pulse beats, and tabulate respiration and blood pressure.

They help apply bandages and perform several other tasks incident to the nursing profession.

Born in Sioux Falls, S. D., they came here as youngsters with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bump, who reside on a farm near Amiret. They attended district school 81 before completing the high school course at Marshall high school.

Both Louise and Lois like nursing, and everybody around the hospital is glad of that as they all like the girls. Only it is difficult to tell which is Lois and which is Louise.

They come from a large family and have six brothers and six sisters, the oldest in the family is a girl, 29, and youngest is a girl, 9.

The twins love the farm and while their work keeps them busy and away from home a lot, they used to have time for a lot of fun on the farm. When Dad had horses they enjoyed riding them, but the Bump farm is completely mechanized now.

They still like to go fishing and have "twin's luck"—usually getting their limit. Their favorite fishing haunts are School Grove lake and Lobster lake near Alexandria.

Twins are always closer to each other than ordinary brother and sister because they are the same age and have much the same problems. Lois and Louise think pretty much alike, have the same tastes, like the same foods and enjoy the same type of music, reading, sports and games.

July 15

## Marshall, Minnesota Peewees Win Tilts; to Vie for Area Title Saturday Night

Marshall and Minnesota's Peeewe baseball teams moved into the finals of the Southwestern Minny Peeewe tourney Thursday to set the stage for a repeat performance of their 1954 title game.

When the five-inning championship game gets underway at 8 p.m. Saturday on Legion Field following a five-inning opener between two teams of Marshall City League players, Coach Glen Moran's club will be seeking its fourth straight SWM Peeewe crown. Last year Marshall beat Minnesota, coached by Bob Tadsen, 7-4 in the finals.

In Thursday's semi-final action Marshall brushed aside Clarkfield, 13-4, and Minnesota downed Canby, 7-2. Marshall's Barry Pomerantz hit his third tourney homer in two games in the second with two on and he hurled five-hit ball to get the win. Dan Lanoue also tripled for Marshall in the first with two runners aboard. Pomerantz fanned five and walked six.

Allen set Canby down on two hits, while Minnesota made the most of its three hits which were coupled with four Canby errors.

Marshall	350	14	13	9	0
Clarkfield	101	02	4	5	5
Pomerantz and Kniggs; West and Nelson.					
Canby	100	01	2	2	4

Minnesota 420 1\*—7 3 1  
Debettingness, Gorder (2) and Nomeland; Allen and Askdal.

## Marshall Midgets, Ivanhoe to Play

Pairings were held Thursday for next week's Midget tournament at Minnesota. Marshall's first opponent is Ivanhoe.

The meet, for boys at least 13 and under 15, will be run off Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday with six-inning games scheduled the first two rounds and Thursday's title tilt set for seven innings.

The draw for Tuesday's openers: Upper bracket: Marshall vs. Ivanhoe, 9:30 a.m.; Tyler vs. Lake Benton, 11:15 a.m. Lower bracket: Canby vs. Minnesota, 1:30 p.m.; Tracy vs. Hanley Falls, 3:15 p.m.

Wednesday's semi-finals will be at 1 p.m. for the upper bracket winners and at 3 p.m. for the lower bracket. Thursday's title tussle will start at 2 p.m.

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Again an opportunity presented itself when workmen building in proximity to the rear of the band room, merely began the work of extending the walls out to a point flush with the easterly portion of the same building, and thus they are providing practice rooms and office and storage space, at a minimal expenditure.

When all this is completed, the school system will have added: 1—A new elementary school with 13 classrooms on the West part of the city; 2—An eight-classroom addition to the East Side Grade school; and 3—An addition to the high school providing a new Industrial Arts and Agriculture shop; plus the improvements mentioned.

Aug 14

## MHS Grid Drills to Open Aug. 23

George Rindelaub, Marshall High football coach, Tuesday announced that opening football practice will be Tuesday, Aug. 23.

Physical examinations will be given and equipment issued the night of Aug. 22 at the school.

With daily double drills planned until school starts, Coach Rindelaub reminds his Tiger gridders to report in shape. Practice sessions will be at 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. the first two weeks prior to the start of school.

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They even say the same things spontaneously some times, when they speak simultaneously. That always makes them smile.

Lois is going with a boy who is a twin and Louise used to go with a twin. In fact, they once were going steady with twin brothers.

Both girls think it is fun to be twins. They are amused that people get such a kick out of the fact that they are twins. Lois and Louise are determined to make a success of their chosen profession, and they look like a cinch to realize that ambition without difficulty.

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## Bump Twins - - -

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"In a year" says Lois, "we will go away to college, as part of our nurses training."

"Where will you go to college," we asked.

"Oh, it will have to be Minneapolis or St. Paul for us," laughed Louise, "you know those are the Twin's Cities."

Aug 18

From Marshall

# Reese, Jerzak to Play on All-Stars

With two All-State men selected to play on the South and Minneapolis team in the Aug. 31 American Legion All-Star game, the city of Marshall has really been honored.

For the two boys—Jim Reese of Marshall High and Dan Jerzak of Central Catholic—come out of two high schools with a combined

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JIM REESE



DAN JERZAK

school enrollment of less than 600. To land two All-State team and two All-Star game spots is quite a feat for a town of 6000.

Jerzak, a 5-10, 170-pound half-back for Coach Tom Warner's Queensmen the past two seasons, is both a powerful runner and a very fast scatback. In 1954 he averaged 10.1 yards per carry. That's lugging the mail at a first and 10 clip. His nine touchdowns helped the Queensmen to a 6-1-1 season and landed on the Catholic All-State club.

His 10.1 yard per carry mark was tops among the All-State backs.

Reese, like Jerzak, won two letters on the gridiron. However, Jim switched to end his senior year after being a guard in 1953. At 5-11, 175 pounds, he excelled as a wingman, making 156 yards on 15 end-around plays for a 10.4 average and scoring one TD. He also caught six passes for 66 yards.

Reese also called the defensive singles for Coach George Rindelaub's eleven and did the kicking off. He is a fine tackler and blocker.

Bob Conn, one of the authorities for the forthcoming American Legion game to be held in Minneapolis the last day of August, has said that two of the factors in selecting the boys for the respective South and Minneapolis and North and St. Paul teams were two scholarship and leadership.

It was felt that with the short practice time (both clubs begin drills Saturday) good students and leaders were needed to help make the best team possible.

Reese probably will enter the University of Minnesota this fall to enroll in an agricultural engineering course. Jerzak has not decided whether to enter college or a trade school.

Len Carlson of Sward Kemp Drug store still has plenty of tickets to the game at Parade Stadium. Late Wednesday he had around 35 ducats left. All the seats are choice ones, being on the 45-yard line. Price of the tickets is \$2.40.

Aug 18

## Reese to Report for All-Star Game

Jim Reese will report Aug. 20 at Shattuck School in Faribault to begin preparations for the fourth annual state all-star football game.

The game, which pits St. Paul and the northern part of Minnesota against Minneapolis and the south, will be played Aug. 31 at Parade Stadium in Minneapolis.

Reese just graduated from Marshall High school. A boy must have completed his senior year of high school to be eligible for the game.

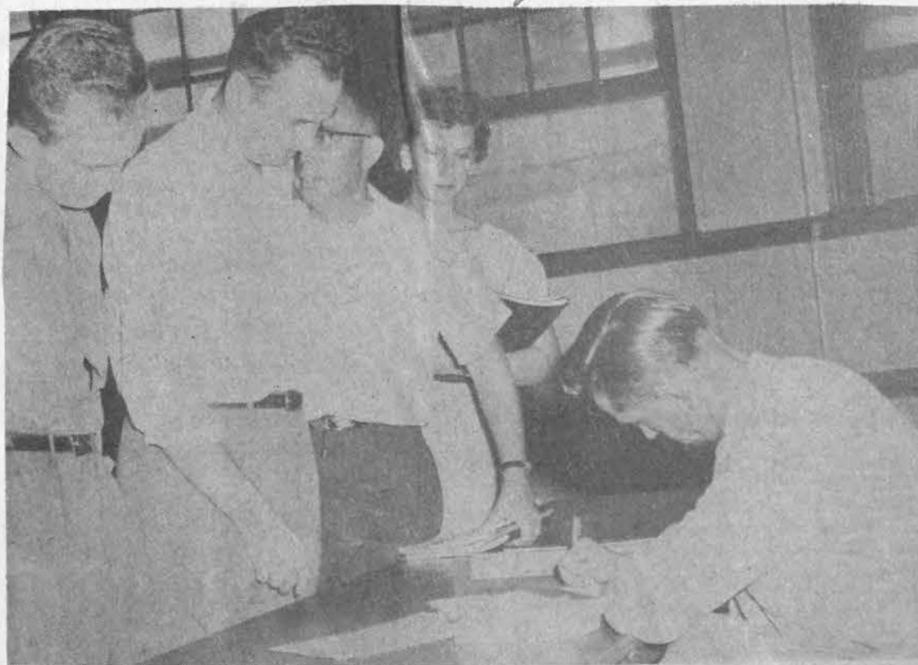
Aug 17



**MASSED BAND TO PLAY**—An all-city band of 190 pieces will present the concert in Liberty Park at 7:30 p.m. Students from Central Catholic and the public school summer program will combine with the Marshall Municipal Band in the second annual event.

Norman Olson will be master of ceremonies for the event which will close the summer youth music program at the public school. This picture, taken Tuesday night, shows part of the group at practice. Leo Yorke is directing.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Aug 30



**(TEACHERS ONLY) PRE-SCHOOL WORKSHOP**—Four members of the Marshall public school system are listening to facts of the Blue Shield surgical plan from Jay Mace, a representative of the plan. A pre-school workshop for faculty

members is being held this week. Left to right are Leford Kohs, Richard Dick, Howard Luehmann and Miss Marlys Krohn.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Aug 31

### New Teachers Feted at Picnic

Members of the Faculty of the Marshall Public Schools will entertain new members of the faculty and their families, also the School Board members and their families at a picnic supper at Camden Park Thursday evening at 5:30 p.m.

The picnic will be held at the first shelter house and serving will start at 5:30 sharp.

Sept. 2



**SOMETHING SERIOUS?**—If so it was one of the few moments during the faculty picnic for new teachers when anything was. Seated from left to right, Len Johnson, English; George Path, social studies and orientation; Howard Pjuehmann, junior high social studies.—Messenger strobophoto.



**EXPLORERS RETURN**—After exploring the paths and lanes at Camden Park, the above teachers were more than ready to eat when they returned. Front row, left to right: Ruth Heuer, grade one; Jean Hillman, grade five; Donna Johnson, grade three. Back row, Caroline Kulla, grade one and Marlis Krohn, grade two.—Messenger strobophoto.



**WON'T BE LONG NOW**—"Almost ready to serve" was the word when this picture was taken. Ready to line up for food: Richard Dieck, Sr. High Eng-

lish and Mrs. Deick; Shirley Scholte, physical education; Mary King, junior high English; and Joan Wagner, grade one.—Messenger strobophoto.

### Reese to Head Marshall FFA

Bill Reese has succeeded his brother, Jim, as president of the Marshall chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

Other officers elected Tuesday were: Melvin Stafford, vice president; Donald Londgren, secretary; Marvin St. Aubin, treasurer; Kenneth Miller, reporter; Vincent St. Aubin, sentinel; Roger Hahn, second vice-president; Linus Horstmann, assistant Secretary; Fred Janzen, assistant treasurer; Ted Graffunder, assistant reporter; and Robert Coquet, assistant sentinel.

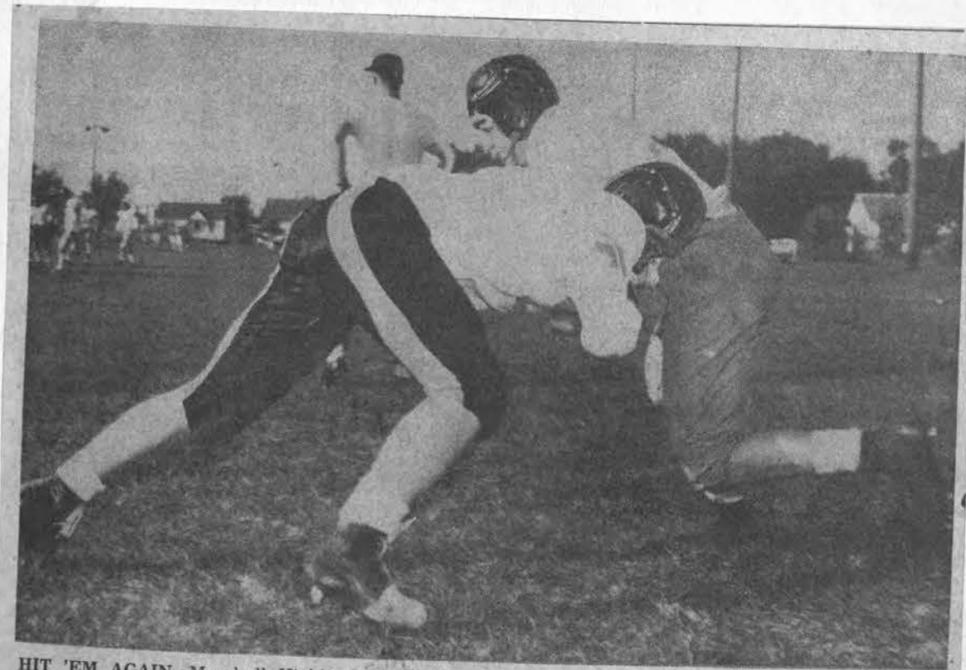
The officers are having numerous executive meetings to appoint their committees and work out their year's program of work.

Sept 1



**GETTING ORIENTED**—Marshall school teachers were meeting together, just like this group, most of this week as they prepare for the opening of school Tuesday. Object of the sessions is to pre-

pare for the school year ahead so that classwork can start off full-speed-ahead on opening day.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



**HIT 'EM AGAIN**—Marshall High's Dick Larson (at left) drives into Bill Reese as the MHS backs practice blocking and defensive fundamentals. In the background Head Coach George Rindelau pauses to look over some line play being conduct-

ed by Assistants Larry Kienholz and Bill Welch. The Tigers have been speeding up preparations for Friday's opener at Legion Field against Clarkfield.—Daily Messenger photo.

Aug 31

On Tuesday, Sept. 6

# Marshall Schools to Open

Marshall schools will open Tuesday, Sept. 6 — at 8:30 a.m. for the high school students and at 8:45 a.m. for the grade schoolers.

With the exception of last year's kindergarten students, all grade school children will report to their last year's home rooms for assignment to new rooms.

Children entering the first grade will be notified where to report. If no assignment has been made, they should report to the superintendent's office on Fourth street.

Parents who have children entering kindergarten should bring them to the building assigned as follows:

Youngsters born between July 1 and Dec. 31, will register between 9 and 11 a.m. at the kindergarten room in the school to which they have been assigned.

Children who become five between Jan. 1 and June 30, 1955, will register between 1 and 3 p.m. Children must become five on or before Jan. 1, 1956 if they are to be admitted to kindergarten.

Any boy or girl entering grades one through six, who has not previously attended the Marshall school and who didn't register during the summer, should report to the office of the superintendent of the East Side Grade School at 9 a.m. opening day.

For those students starting the seventh grade, lists of home room assignments will be posted in the upper halls at the high school building. Each student should check the list and report to the assigned room.

All high school students are asked to pay their registration and activity fees the opening day in their home rooms. Seventh and eighth grade students pay \$4; upper classmen, \$4.50.

This takes care of all football and basketball games, lyceums, movies and the Tiger Herald. It also includes towel service in the shower rooms.

Of this fee, 50 cents is placed to the student's credit. Fines are paid from this balance. If allowed to accumulate (and there are no fines) the \$3 accumulated pays for cap and gown rental at graduation. No refunds are made except when a student leaves the school.

School hours will be the same as they were in 1954-55. The morning kindergarten will open at 8:45 a.m. and close at 11 a.m. The afternoon session will run from 12:45 to 3 p.m.

Hours for the other grades are as follows:

- First grade, 8:45-11:35 a.m. and 12:45-3:05 p.m.
- Second grade, 8:45-11:40 a.m. and 12:45-3:20 p.m.
- Third, fourth grades, 8:45 - 11:40 a.m. and 12:45-3:20 p.m.
- Fifth and sixth grades, 8:45-11:50 a.m. and 12:45-3:25 p.m.
- Seventh to 12th grades, 8:30 a.m. to noon, 12:45-3:30 p.m.



**MHS LIBRARIAN AT WORK**—Mrs. Margaret Eubanks, scissors in hand, opens one of the numerous boxes that contained the 175 new books that arrived this summer. The stack of boxes is almost as tall as she and besides this, she has a table full of magazines that have to be sorted, filed, classified, and catalogued.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

## Magazines, Magazines, Books to Lie in Wait for School Librarian

Magazines, magazines, more magazines, and books too were lying in wait for Mrs. Margaret Eubanks, MHS librarian, when she returned to work two weeks early to get the conglomeration into some semblance of order.

Mrs. Eubanks figures that this is a very legitimate excuse to come to school early.

Thirty magazine subscriptions (such as Newsweek, Time, Saturday Evening Post, Harpers) plus 175 new books make a heap of reading material to be straightened out and placed in file for use this coming school year.

The school also has 70 subscriptions to magazines that are for the instructors' use during the year, and fortunately, says Mrs. Eubanks, they are not published during the summer months.

A graduate of St. Olaf and the University of Minnesota Margaret has been MHS librarian since 1950. Previous to this, she was the Marshall Lyon County librarian four years.

Besides her duties as MHS librarian, she does all the ordering for the East Side Grade school and the Lyon Street grade school. Last year she purchased over 1,000 new books.

To assist her in filing and cataloging all the new books and

Sept 9

## Marshall FFA Team Runnerup in Herdsmanship

Marshall High School's FFA was runner up for the Herdman's trophy at the Minnesota State Fair.

Duane Pagel, James Bloome and Ewald Pagel, who represented the Marshall chapter, received this award by their showmanship and display of their livestock.

Duane Pagel showed his Milking Shorthorn cattle and received junior grand champion, champion and 8th place in the heifer class; champion and second place in the five-year-old cow class; second and sixth places in the four-year-old group; fourth in the three-year-old class; and third in the two-year-old class. He received second place in the pair of calves group, and third place in the best of three female class.

James Bloome had a white ribbon barrow and Duane Pagel had two barrows in the white ribbon group and one barrow in the red ribbon class.

When asked how long the magazines are kept on file, she said magazines such as Newsweek, Time, and Harpers, the most popular magazines with time articles for the students, are kept on file three or four years.

Sept 9

## Beverley Kramer to Attend FHA National Parley

Beverley Kramer, National Future Homemakers of America secretary, will attend the national executive council meeting to be held Sept. 12-16 at Washington, D. C.

Miss Lyla A. Mallough, state FHA advisor, will accompany Beverley on the trip. They will leave Minneapolis via Northwestern Airlines.

Present at the meeting will be the 12 national officers from states throughout the United States. Susan Higbe from Idaho, national president, will preside at the meetings.

The girls will also take tours to the national capitol and visit the Voice of America.

Beverley, as chairman of the national membership committee, will make plans for an increase in the national membership.

Plans will be made for the 1956 national convention to be held at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago.

Sept 14

## Marshall Schools Score High in Dental Health

The Marshall Public elementary school appears on the dental health honor roll just released by the Minnesota Department of Health.

Of the total enrollment of 799 students, 88 per cent returned their dental health cards signed by their dentists indicating that all necessary dental care had been completed during the current year.

Holy Redeemer parochial school had one room, the second grade, with 100 per cent dental care.

The dental health program is sponsored by the Minnesota Department of Health in cooperation with the Minnesota State Dental Association, assisted by the public health nurses and the dentists.

Its aim is to encourage every school child to visit the dentist at least once a year and to have all the necessary dental work completed before the end of the year.

More than 374,000 children in approximately 3,000 Minnesota schools participated in the program during the year 1954-55. Fifty-four per cent of these children finished the year with "O.K. teeth."

Sept 15



**JUST LIKE THIS**—Leo Yorde, director, sets Judy Carlson's uniform cap "right" as the Marshall High school band members were issued their uniforms this week. The unit will make its first appearance of the school year at the season-opening football game against Clarkfield Friday night.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Sept 15



**FINE FEATHERS**—Larry Frey, new drum major for the Marshall High School band fixes a plume in the fancy hat he will wear as he leads the band in parades this year. He seems happy about it, too.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Sept 14

# MHS Host Tonight



**SNARLING TIGERS** — Marshall High's starting lineup against Clarkfield in the 8 p.m. Legion Field opener tonight will be seeking to usher in the grid season on a triumphant note. The line (from your left and the Tiger's right) is Carl Carter, RE; Jim Williams, RT; Marv St. Aubin, RG; Dick Schmidt, C; Bob Coquet, LG; Jim Cowan, LT; and

Dan Hammer, LE. Quarterback Bill Reese is set to take the ball from Schmidt and start a Split T play with Jim Olson, RH (at left); Dick Larson, FB (center); and Larry Bebler, LH.—Daily Messenger photo.

## Tigers Meet Clarkfield in Lidlifter

Tonight at 8 p.m. Marshall High and Clarkfield unveil their 1955 football editions in a game at Legion Field.

Coach George Rindelaub has pronounced his Tiger club ready to go—with the exception of Galen Skramstad who will sit out this tilt with a knee injury. "We'll be hurting if we lose any more quarterbacks," Rindelaub said Thursday. Skramstad, a reserve signal caller, is a fine passer and was due to see action until he re-injured his knee in Tuesday's practice.

Not much is known about Coach Russ Adamson's Cardinals. The club has four returning lettermen to 11 at MHS and consists of eight seniors, nine juniors and seven sophs. Adamson's only returning back is Chris Hauge, a fullback. The Cards are tabbed to finish somewhere in the middle group of the seven-team Little Sioux loop.

Marshall operates from a Split T, while Clarkfield uses a wing T formation, similar to the one Central has.



**GEORGE RINDELAUB**  
Marshall Mentor

Thursday the Tigers held just a brief, light workout. Running plays and brushing up on the passing and kicking games consumed all the time. The club worked out in game suits to get the feel of pads.

With its 11 lettermen, MHS has a good nucleus for this season's team. However, several of the squad are untested, and Rindelaub also points out, "All the clubs we play will be rough for us." Last year the Tigers compiled a 6-1-1 record against the same opponents, losing only to Pipestone, 6-0 and being tied by Luverne, 13-13.

Last year Marshall was hard pressed to beat Clarkfield, 6-0 in a similar season opener for both clubs.



**GETTING THE BOOT** — It's time for the ole' pigskin to get bounced around again as kickoff time is here to start another season.—Daily Messenger photo.

## Moran to head Coaches' Group

Glen Moran, Marshall High basketball and baseball coach, has been elected president of the District 9 Coaches Association for the 1955-56 school year.

At a meeting Thursday Bob Reimler, Marshall Junior High football and basketball coach, was chosen secretary-treasurer of the group.

Sept 26

# Arrows Nab Tigers, 13-0

By BOB HOOKER

**PIPESTONE**—Pipestone's Arrows prevailed in the last quarter Friday to register two touchdowns for a 13-0 win over fumble-struck Marshall High here on a chilly night.

It marked the fifth straight win for the Green and White over the Tigers and gave Coach Earle Teas' club a 2-0 mark in Southwest Conference play. For Marshall it was a second straight defeat and

No less than eight fumbles and pass interceptions plagued Marshall. The Arrows, sparked by Jim Arneson and Lane Johnson each of whom scored a TD, recovered six fumbles through effective tackling of the ball and picked off two passes. Pipestone had fumbleitis as badly as Marshall, but most of the time the Arrows recovered their own bobbles.

Immediately after the Arrows stopped Marshall on the Pipestone 4 late in the third quarter, the Arrows punted out to the 40, recovered a fumble on the return at the Pipestone 36 — and then began a 64-yard drive which climaxed midway through the final frame when the workhorse Arneson banged over from three yards out. His plunge on the PAT play was no good, but Pipestone had a 6-0 lead.

Then Johnson took over. He intercepted a pass on the 50 and returned to the Marshall 43. After a gain to the 39, Arneson bolted 24 yards to the Tiger 15. Johnson worked another first down by going 10 yards to the one foot marker.

On the next play he racked up a six-pointer and Jerry DeMars placekicked the point for the final 13-0. The game ended following the ensuing kickoff.

Marshall's big bid in the third period started with a fumble recovery on the Pipestone 45. Dick Larson picked up nine on a pitch-out to the Arrow 36. After a five yard loss on a fumble, the Tigers rolled to big yardage as Jim Olson took off down the sidelines to the 11. In four downs Larson was able to cover just seven of the required 10 yards.

Then came Arneson's punt and fumble return which switched the game's tide.

Three times in the first half the two evenly matched elevens battled to the other's 18 — two drives by Marshall to that point. However one of Marshall's drives started there after Pipestone fumbled immediately after the opening kickoff.

But on first down Coach George Rindelaub's Orange and Black

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### MHS Marks

	MHS	PIPE.
First downs rushing	5	9
First downs passing	0	0
First downs penalties	0	0
<b>TOTAL FIRST DOWNS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>
Yardage rushing	125	172
Yards lost rushing	16	45
Net yardage rushing	109	127
Yards passing	7	11
<b>TOTAL YDS. GAINED</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>138</b>
Passes tried	4	6
Passes completed	1	1
Passes had intercepted	2	0
Runback yardage (kickoffs, punts, intercepted passes)	60	18
Fumbles—ball lost	6	3
Punts	0	5
Punting average	—	30.6
Penalties	1	2
Yards penalized	5	20

handed the ball over to Pipestone on a return fumble. Early in the second quarter Marshall had a fourth down situation on the Pipestone 18 — but lost four yards then and the ball.

Pipestone's deepest first half penetration came on the last play of the half when Johnson completed the only Arrow aerial of the game. It covered 11 yards with Dan Cunningham being nailed at the Tiger 18.

As in most of the other cases, a recovered fumble had set Pipestone up in business on the Marshall 47. From that point the Arrows controlled the ball until the intermission.

In the second half not once did Pipestone take to the air. More unusual, Marshall didn't punt all night — it didn't usually hold onto the ball long enough to worry about fourth down situations. But when it did reach the fourth down stage, a punt play was out of the question with the ball deep in Pipestone territory.

As far as injuries go, the Tigers seemingly came out of the traditional fray in good shape except for the normal bumps and bruises. Much work is anticipated this week to get ready for a big Worthington club which has a line average of 188 pounds and three straight wins. Friday night Coach Milt Osterberg's eleven whipped St James, 40-12.

## Youth Falls Under Wagon on Hayride, Suffers Leg Fracture

Tom Maxson, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Maxson, 306 S. Sixth, suffered a fractured leg Saturday evening when he fell under the wagon while on a DeMolay hay ride.

According to one of the chaperones, Maxson and his date were

riding in the last of three wagons. They decided to jump from their wagon and run to the one ahead. The girl made the jump safely but the youth evidently bumped something or slipped. In any event, he fell and the wagon wheel passed over his left leg. Both bones in the lower leg were broken about midway between the knee and the ankle.

The accident occurred about three or four miles from town. A nearby farmer was pressed into service to take the youth to the hospital where he arrived at 9 p.m. about 15 minutes after the accident occurred.

Maxson's father was a member of the party. He was driving the tractor which was pulling the first of the three wagons.

Approximately 70 youngsters were in the mixed group. The hayride party woundup with a lunch at Wayside Park.

Sept 26



**DAVE ROSS, Marshall High**  
E Sr. 155 6-1

Sept 27



**TIGER HERALD STAFF** — These five students were elected to publish the MHS Tiger Herald. Left to right in the photo are Don Herring, sports editor; Marlene Eggen, secretary-treasurer; Shirley Kidder, assistant editor; Jeanine Graffunder, circulation manager; and Barbara Mills, editor.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Sept 27



**DENNY ANDERSON**, Marshall High  
Guard Jr. 6-0 146

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**BILL REESE**, Marshall High  
QB Sr. 5-10 149

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**BILL CARROW**, Marshall High  
C Soph. 6-2 173

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**PHYSICAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE**—Miss Shirley Scholten (white shorts) demonstrates a few fundamentals of soccer to three of the 38 girl physical education teachers at an all-day conference held in Marshall Tuesday. Left to right in the back row are Miss Elizabeth Gulbraa, Hendricks; Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Belview; Mrs.

Ruth DeBelser, Hills; and Joe Neal. Left to right in front row are Miss Marion Lindgren, Miss Shirley Scholten, and Miss Kathleen Olson. Kathleen and Marion are two of the eighth grade girls who demonstrated soccer fundamentals.—Daily Messenger photo.



**MARHIAN CO-EDITORS**—Janet Zimmel, left, and Maxine Qunell, right, are co-editors of the Marhian, Marshall High school yearbook. Members of the Marhian staff produced the convocation Wednesday morning in the high school gymnasium.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Sept 30

## Tigers to Face Unbeaten Cards at Legion Field

Maybe Marshall High won't be so crippled after all for its 8 p.m. game tonight at Legion Field against unbeaten Worthington.

Thursday was the brightest day of the week for Coach George Rindelaub's Tigers as the fate's sun began to shine on the club. Quarterback Bill Reese's leg seemed better for the fray, and Bob Coquyt, Jim Williams and Jim Olson all probably will be ready for action.

Coquyt has been bothered by some torn back ligaments since the Clarkfield game. However, he has not been working out for two weeks. Olson suffered bursitis in his shoulder during the 13-0 loss to Pipestone last week, and the halfback was to check today with the doctor to see if he could play.

Jim Cown, however, is still bothered by a bad leg, and Tom Maxson has a broken one. Marv St. Aubin has been shifted to tackle with Williams. Coquyt or Jack Mann and Denny Anderson holding the guard posts. Bill Carrow was the No. 1 center Thursday. Bob Peterson and Dan Hammer are set at the two flanks.

If Olson can't play, then Harold Burt, Bob Fifield and Larry Beller will share the two halfback jobs. Dick Larson at fullback will complete the backfield along with Reese at quarter.

Coach Milt Osterberg will bring a club which was ranked No. 13 in the Minneapolis Tribune's state poll this week. In three outings the Southerners have turned back Fulda, 26-13; Fairmont, 13-0 and St. James, 40-12.

Perhaps Worthington's biggest asset is its heavy line. The seven up front check in at 188 pounds to 158 for Marshall's line. Quarterback Dave Gardner runs the team well, and Lloyd Anderson's 180 pounds at fullback gives the Cards good running. Halfbacks George Nasers and Jim Hutton both must be watched for the long-get-away.

In the backfields Worthington has only a three-pound edge.

The Cards have added incentive, too. Their last win over MHS came in 1946. However, the Tigers always seem to be up for this Southwest Conference clash.



DICK LARSON, Marshall High  
FB Sr. 6-1 180



### FIRECRACKER CLIMAX—

Dick Larson holds aloft some firecrackers which were used in the skit put on by the Marshall High school yearbook staff Wednesday morning at the school convocation. The idea was for the skit to end with the firecrackers exploding under Principal Merrill Olson's desk.



### SWAPS CRUTCH FOR Camera

—Soon after this picture was taken, Jean Olson, who has been on crutches since slipping and pulling some muscles in her legs at the DeMolay Hayride Saturday night, put aside her crutches to take pictures for the Marshall High school yearbook. The staff of the yearbook had charge of the convocation at the school auditorium Wednesday morning.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



**CHALK TALK** — Jan Rivard gave a chalk talk, using pictures to illustrate methods of selling the Marhian, at the yearbook convocation at Marshall High school Wednesday morning.— Daily Messenger strobophoto.

## Marshall 'B's Beat Montevideo

Marshall High's B team scored a 21-6 victory over the Montevideo second team Monday night at Montevideo.

Tom Rubertus opened the game with an 80-yard runback of the opening kickoff, and Clarence Else ran the PAT to give Marshall a 7-0 lead.

Later in the half John Ahlin scampered 50 yards off tackle, and Norm Meyers bucked the PAT for a 14-0 intermission lead. Once during the first half Marshall had stopped a Montevideo march on the Marshall 4.

Opening the third quarter, Montevideo put on a sustained drive for a touchdown to close the gap to 14-6.

However, Don Stearns put the game beyond reach of Montevideo by going all the way on a 40-yard end around play in the fourth quarter. Meyers again ran the point.

Harry Ahlin coaches the B team and is assisted by George Path.

Oct 3

# Trojans Skin Tigers

By DON OLSON

Worthington had too many horses for the Tigers Friday night. The invading Trojans from Worthington trounced Marshall 42 to 6 with a display of powerful running and smooth passing.

The Tiger's lone tally came at the start of the fourth quarter when a series of passes carried Marshall from their own 35 yardline to the Worthington goal.

Bill Reese, Tiger quarterback, passed to Dick Larson, fullback, for 32 yards and then repeated the combination for 16 more yards.

With first and 10 on the Trojan 17 Larson uncorked a pass to Reese who stepped into the end zone.

After losing the opening kickoff on a fumble and then holding the Tigers for downs on the Worthington 28, the Trojans put together a long and several short plunges to drive to the Tiger 30.

Marshall recovered another Trojan fumble at this point to stall the drive. A pitchout that went awry took the Tigers back to their 6 from which they were forced to kick.

In two plays the Trojans scored to take the lead. Doug Smith, fullback, blasted into the end zone for the score. Larry Towe kicked the extra point.

Worthington scored again on a 47-yard pass play from quarterback Dave Gardner to George Nasers at the start of the second quarter and then added another TD on a plunge by halfback Forrest Meyeraan.

A beautiful 56-yard gallop by Nasers set up the score.

Nasers hit right guard at the third quarter to raise the score to

## MHS Marks

MHS WORTH

First down rushing	2	9
First down passing	3	0
First down penalties	0	0
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	5	9
Yards rushing	47	239
Yards lost	43	12
Net	3	227
Yards passing	105	76
TOTAL	108	303
Passes tried	14	11
Comp.	6	3
Had inter	1	0
Runback	56	49
Fumbles	1	3
Penalties	3	4
Yards	15	20

30 to 0. The Tigers took the following kickoff and made their march for their only touchdown.

The Trojans hit paydirt twice in the fourth quarter. Gardner scored from the 8 on a keeper and passed to Norm Carlson, Worthington end, for the final score. The pass play covered 18 yards.

Worthington displayed a powerful running attack Friday night. The Trojans have a big line and at least three backs who can run.

## Future Homemakers Split District 9 into 2 Parts

District 9 of the Future Homemakers of America was split at the district convention held Saturday at Marshall High school.

With 750 members in a total of 24 chapters in a district which extended from Ortonville on the north to Pipestone on the south, it was felt that the district was too large both from the standpoint of membership and from the standpoint of area included.

The delegates to the district voted to divide the district as follows:

North — (now designated Dist. 13) — Boyd, Clarkfield (Both junior and senior chapters), Clinton (both junior and senior chapters), Dawson, Granite Falls (both junior and senior chapters), Madison, Montevideo, Ortonville and Maynard.

South — (to be designated Dist. 9) — Balaton, Canby, Cottonwood, Marshall (junior and senior chap-

ters), Pipestone, Redwood Falls, Russell (junior and senior chapters), Tracy, Tyler, Wabasso and Adrian.

Sharon Kontz, Canby, was elected state vice president to represent Dist. 9 while Grace Gallagher, Montevideo, is the Dist. 13 vice president. They succeed Beverley Kramer of Marshall, outgoing Dist. 9 vice president.

In other business, the group passed a resolution urging all chapters to participate in the \$50 scholarships to be offered each year to a senior girl who is going into the home economics field.

Approximately 400 girls, representing all of the chapters except Adrian, attended the convention.

The program included a report on the national meeting by Pat DeBleeck, Tracy, state FHA president and discussions on various aspects of FHA activities.



**NEW OFFICERS** — Sharon Kontz, Canby, right, and Grace Gallagher, Montevideo, left, are new state vice presidents of the Future Homemakers of America. Sharon will represent Dist. 9; Grace, Dist. 13. The girls were elected Saturday at the Dist. 9 FHA convention in Marshall at which the district was split. The two girls succeed Beverley Kramer (center), out-going Dist. 9 vice president.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



## Cheerleaders Chosen at Marshall High

Karen Hixon, Judy Freter, Jeanine Graffunder, and Sonia Johnson were selected as senior high cheerleaders this year. They will represent MHS at all athletic events and wherever the students gather as a unit.

The girls were selected Friday by senior high school students. Prior to this, all the prospective cheerleaders were notified when the tryouts would be held, and then were given the opportunity to appear before their respective groups. Senior high cheerleaders tried out before the senior high group, and the junior high group before their group.

Each group led the students in yells, and then the students returned to their home rooms and voted for their choice.

**MARSHALL HIGH CHEERLEADERS**—Leading the rooting for the Marshall Tigers this year will be (left to right) Karen Hixon, Judy Freter, Sonia Johnson and Jeanine Graffunder. The Tiger

in front, which hasn't been named yet, is the best addition to the cheerleading staff.—Messenger strobophoto.

Oct 7



**EQUALS THIS**—Within a few minutes of the lighting of the bonfire, called the largest ever, the heat drove bystanders back 60 feet. The base of the bonfire was six feet of straw and boxes.

Boxes and other materials comprised the rest of the pile. About 100 gallons of used crankcase oil from various garages in town and five gallons of kerosene was dumped on the fire to help it along.

And for Homecoming, Too

Oct 6

# Tigers Rap Luverne 13-0

By DICK WILLIAMS

The Marshall Tigers finally did it Friday, dumping Luverne 13-0—and for Homecoming, too.

The man you have to "hand it to" is Dick Larson who piled up yardage like he was storing it away for the winter.

Furthermore, the 180-pound fullback tackled those Cardinals so hard on defense that even the substitutes on the bench were shaken up.

It wasn't that there weren't 10 other inspired Tigers on the field with Larson every minute. He just provided the spark for an injury-plagued unit which was near full strength for the first time this season.

Although much of the Tigers' inspiration probably came from the Homecoming spirit, they also derived some encouragement from two breaks which set up their first touchdown early in the opening quarter.

Marshall kicked off to Luverne and Judd Cooney, an end who plays fullback, returned to the 33. However, Luverne was offside so the Tigers booted again.

This time Cooney fumbled on the 27 and Marshall recovered. Jim Olson, returning the Tiger lineup after being out for two weeks with a shoulder injury, carried for 7; Quarterback Bill Reese ran a keeper for 17; and Larson plunged over from the three-yard line.

Olson went through the line for the extra point and the score was 7-0 almost before anyone had time to work up a good sweat.

However, from that point on nothing much happened, scoringwise anyway, until the fourth quarter. By this time, Marshall was in complete charge of the field and were bending the weary Cardinals at will.

Twice Marshall worked the ball to within the five-yard line only to lose possession because of mechanical errors (OK, so they were fumbles.)

The first time the Cardinals recovered on the two and finally kicked out to the 26 after running 3 ineffectual plays.

The second time, the Cardinals recovered on the five and, with time running short, decided to gamble on fourth down rather than kick. They lost three yards on their running play and Marshall took over on the two.

On the first play, Olson took a hop, skip and a jump into pay dirt. Marshall missed the kick for the extra point and the game ended four plays later.

Actually the game was more lopsided than the score indicates. Marshall had a clear edge in all the statistics—except the ground gained through passing. Luverne had the edge here with four completions for 53 yards compared to two completions for 22 yards for Marshall.

But the Tigers didn't need passes. They ran up 11 first downs

to two for Luverne by sticking to an effective ground game. With Larson going for five or six yards every try, the Tigers rolled up 165 yards—mostly through the middle of the Cardinal line.

In the meantime, Luverne just wasn't going anywhere at all as the Marshall defenders socked them hard. On the ground, the

Cardinals gained only 15 yards net—giving them a total 68 yards on the land and in the air. Subtract from that 55 yards in penalties mostly for holding, and the hapless Cards wind up a only 13 yards of forward motion to show for their night's work.

But evidently the Cardinals weren't playing their best brand

of ball. After one of them made an exceptionally fine tackle, a fan in the stands said something like: "Wow, did you see him hit."

So Coach Arling Anderson, who was nearly gnawing the yard markers from frustration, mumbled under his breath: "Yeah, and he's the lousiest tackler on the team—most nights."



**WHO'S GOING TO WEAR THEM?**—Lynn Bladholm (left) and Pat Sheffield, co-chairmen in charge of Marshall High School's Homecoming festivities, proudly display the black gown and sparkling crown that the Homecoming Queen will wear Friday. From the smiles and their faces, it's sort of evident they know who the Queen is, and are keeping it a big secret.—Daily Messenger photo.

## Marshall High Completes Plans for Homecoming

Queen's Identity to Be Announced Friday Afternoon

Final plans have been completed for Marshall High School Homecoming celebration which gets underway Thursday night at 7:30 with the traditional burning of the bonfire.

This year as in the past the 10th grade students are trying to outdo their predecessors in the size of the bonfire.

Thursday nights program will include music by the MHS Pep Band talks by team members students representing the school and the coaching staff.

Friday afternoon at 2:30 there will be a Junior Senior convocation. Included in the program will be pep talks musical numbers from the band and a band fan fare with the announcement of the queen who will reign over Homecoming.

Following the announcement of the queen the MHS band and the Luverne High school band will parade on Main street with the queen and her attendants.

The Queen and her attendant will have the honor spot at the game that night. They will also be highlighted during half-time ceremonies of the game.

The queen will be crowned after the game during the Homecoming dance.

The announcement of the queen should come as a complete surprise to the entire MHS student body



**THIS**—Sophomore students of Marshall High were busy all day Thursday gathering straw, boxes, etc., for the huge bonfire last night which officially opened MHS Homecoming festivities. The huge pile was 42 feet in diameter at the base, and about 25 feet high. More than 50 sophomores made this heap from stockpiles they had located around town.—Daily Messenger photo.



**PLUS THIS**—Dick Ogel, sophomore, helps light the Homecoming bonfire. Sophomore class officers started the first blaze. Other sophomores assisted by lighting other places around the base of the bonfire.—Daily Messenger photo.

### Marshall High Host to Luverne for Homecoming

With the ball club somewhat sounder with fewer injuries, Marshall High hosts Luverne tonight at Legion Field in the MHS Homecoming game.

The ball game also gives both clubs a chance to post their first Southwest Conference victory of the season. In addition, MHS also will be trying to dent the win column of the season for the initial time.

Halfback Jim Olson apparently has recovered from a bursitis attack in his shoulder and will be on hand. However, Wednesday was Olson's first contact work in two weeks. Also, Bob Coquyt should be ready at guard and Jim Cowan at tackle.

On the dimmer side, Galen Skramstad is still troubled by a bad knee and will not play. Tom Maxson has been lost for the season with a broken leg. Then Dick Schmidt twisted his knee Wednesday.

Luverne won its opening game from Brookings, S.D., 22-0, and then fell to Jackson, 19-6 and Lamars, Iowa, 19-18. The Cards will pose another big line for the Tigers to cope with. The offensive unit checks in at 174 and the defensive at 183. Luverne has fast, breakaway backs.

### MHS Homecoming Plans Started

Activities for Homecoming were discussed at the regular Monday meeting of the MHS Student Council. "No Wild Cards Tonight" was their slogan selection, and will be familiar during the next three weeks.

Committees for homecoming were completed and they are busy setting up the activities connected with homecoming. Richard Addison and Richard Ogle are co-chairmen of the bonfire committee and will collect the material for the bonfire. Jim Cowan, junior class president, is in charge of the field and auditorium decorations. The committee will consist of junior class members Wayne Bisbee, Kenneth Knobbe, Larry Rund, and Galen Skramstad.

The co-chairmen for Homecoming are Lynne Bladholm and Patricia Sheffield. They will act with Janet Zimmer and Beverley Kramer in planning the activities of the queen, both on the field and in the auditorium.



**"I CROWN THEE—"**—Dick Larson, football captain, crowned Shirley Kidder, homecoming queen, at a dance which followed the football game Friday night. Larson was Miss Kidder's escort at the dance.—Daily Messenger photo.

### Shirley Kidder Shivers -- And It Isn't from Cold

**By DICK WILLIAMS**  
Shirley Kidder was shivering but it wasn't from the cold. It was excitement which caused her to shimmy like Sister Kate as she waited for her coronation Friday night. Shirley reigned over Marshall High School Homecoming — and a successful one it was, too. Football Captain Dick Larson led

his teammates to their first victory of the season — 13-0 over Luverne. That was one of the items which contributed to the general elation. The other one was the perfect fall weather which had just enough snap to make everyone glad to be alive.

Shirley certainly seemed excited as she waited backstage at the school gymnasium - auditorium. Sharing the excitement with her were her attendants Jan Zimmer, Jan Rivard, Bonnie Trei and Shirley Knieff. The girls had trouble sitting still as they waited for their football playing escorts to finish showering.

Meanwhile, on stage, Leo Yorde and his selected band members were warming up their instruments.

Finally there was a fanfare from the band and the time had come. Out onto the gymnasium floor stepped Linda Leedom, flower girl. The students in the bleachers hushed.

Linda is a little girl and looked lonesome out on the big floor but it wasn't long before she was followed by Jack Ashling and Verl Charbonneau, bearing the Queen's raiments.

Then came the attendants and escorts — Jan Zimmer with Jim Olson, Jan Rivard with David Ross, Bonnie Trei with Jack Mann, and Shirley Knieff with Bill Reese. And finally, there was Queen Shirley with Dick Larson, football captain, was to do the crowning — which he did, climaxing his performance with a gingerly placed kiss on the queen's right cheek. He then led the lady onto the floor, the dance was underway and Homecoming 1955 was well on its way to becoming history.

Oct 10



**BAND IN FULL DRESS**—Larry Frey, Marshall High school band drum major, leads the band in the Homecoming parade Friday afternoon. Homecoming Queen Shirley Kidder and her four attendants, rode in cars between the MHS band and Luverne High School Band.—Daily Messenger photo.



**BOUQUET OF AMERICAN BEAUTIES**—No roses these, but they are American beauties, nevertheless. Homegrown in Marshall, these girls are the Marshall Homecoming queen and her attendants. Queen Shirley Kidder is the center of this bouquet with attendants (left to right) Shirley Knieff and Jan Zimmer in front and Bonnie Trei and Jan Rivard to the rear.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Oct 17-19

—MARSHALL—

Marshall's Tigers had a good, stiff workout Tuesday, and more of the same was planned for today as Coach George Rindelaub readies the club for the Redwood Falls trip.

"We expect a very tough game," Rindelaub said Tuesday, "and it will take an all-out team effort if we are to come out on top." Last year the MHS crew nudged the Cards, 12-7, after a topsy-turvy struggle.

Guard Jack Mann is definitely out of the game with a badly sprained ankle suffered in the 39-0 victory over Slayton last Friday. Otherwise, only minor bumps and bruises seem to be bothering the local aggregation.

Coach Bob Scholl's Redwood team gave up only two TDs in five of its games—and both of those in a 13-6 defeat to Glencoe. Redwood beat Tracy, 13-0 earlier in the year. The Tigers catch Tracy next week before closing with Canby Nov. 4.

## Marshall B's Belt Canby

Marshall High's B team breezed to another win Monday by whipping Canby, 40-13 at Canby.

Two touchdowns by Norm Meyers—one a 40-yard spurt after hitting off tackle—gave Coach Harry Ahlin's club a narrow 13-7 half-time edge. After jumping to the opening two TDs, the local Cubs allowed Canby to put together a 50-yard march for its TD late in the half.

Jim Ahlin's 40-yard run, two touchdown-bound intercepted passes and a 75-yard pass play gave Marshall 4 more TDs in the second half and a 33-7 lead before Canby got its other score of the game.

Following Ahlin's run, Clarence (Butch) Else and Meyers plucked off stray Canby aerials and raced 50 and 60 yards, respectively, to Marshall tallies. The two teamed up for the locals' final TD with Meyers passing to Else on a play starting on the MHS 25.

Meyers picked up two of the PATs, and Else and Bernard Mathews got the other two.

Coach Ahlin and his assistant, George Path, were very well pleased by the over-all B team performance. Quarterback Tom Rubertus called a good game, and the line was hardcharging. In addition, all 28 boys got into the game to get experience.

## MHS Badminton Tourney Starts

Today the Marshall High school's annual badminton tournament was to get underway for the juniors. The senior event starts Nov. 7.

Both boys and girls singles will be run off plus mixed doubles.

Champs in the senior division last year were: boys singles—Neil Thorson; mixed doubles—Barb Mills and John Tomasek. Junior high winners in 1954 were: boys singles—Dick Ogle; girls singles—June Berg; mixed doubles—June Berg and David Berg.

## Marshall High Singers to Appear in MEA Chorus

Eight members of the Marshall Senior High school chorus will leave for Mankato Oct. 24 to participate in the regional Minnesota Educational Association chorus Tuesday, Oct. 25.

They are Shirley Kidder, Beck Johnson, Sonia Johnson, Rosalie Ree, Jim Olson, Dannie Hammer, Doug Berge and Larry Frey.

The chorus will rehearse two hours Tuesday morning and will sing at 2 p.m. in the afternoon under the direction of Weston Noble, Luther College, Decorah, Ia.

The MEA Conference is being held Monday and Tuesday, but Marshall teachers will attend Monday only. The chorus members will be chaperoned by G. Orion Lee and another member of the faculty.

## Marshall Teachers Attend County Education Association Meeting

More than 50 Marshall public school teachers attended the Lyon County Education Association meeting at Tracy High school Tuesday afternoon.

Vernon Grinde, county president of the association and elementary school principal at Tracy, presided. Committee reports were given for the past year at which time Howard Gordon of Balaton gave a report on the Summer Workshop

at Eshquagama, north of Hibbing.

Dr. V. L. Lohmann spoke on "Johnnie Can Read". It is his contention that more non-readers are produced by trying to teach children to read too soon than by any other cause. He advocates non-grading in the first three grades to overcome the tendency to "push" the child into reading too soon.

Carl Rowan, Minneapolis newspaperman, was the evening speaker. His topic was "Asia".

Norman Olson, elementary principal at Marshall, recorded the talk and the question and answer period that followed for use in social science classes at Marshall and other schools in the area.

During the dinner hour the teachers were entertained by the "Barbarettes" of Tracy. This singing group returned recently from an engagement in Chicago.

More than 200 teachers were present at this meeting which convened at 2:30 p.m. with dinner at 6 p.m.

## Marshall Hosts Slayton Tonight

With the taste of victory fresh, Marshall High's Tigers hope to snare their second straight win tonight at Legion Field after a slow start this fall.

Slayton's Wildcats provide the opposition as MHS plays its last home game until Nov. 4. The visiting Wildcats, coached by Norm Ahrendt, are winless so both clubs are mired in the second division of the Southwest Conference.

However, Coach George Rindelaub's Tigers, finally getting away from the gates, can still make a respectable showing in the SWC race. By whipping Luverne, 13-0, Marshall gained some consolation following loop losses to Pipestone and Worthington.

Moreover, the Tigers seem to be ready physically for this one. Only minor bumps and bruises have hampered the club this week in practice.

Thursday's work was devoted primarily to signal drills for tonight's tussle. The cold wind this week has kept the practices on a snappy keel.

Slayton's key men from reports are tackle Kermit DeBoom, end Jerry Phelan, halfbacks Bob Ast and Phil Frerk and fullback Dale Kasa. Several of the Wildcat losses have been in tight games. Pipestone managed only a 7-0 win, and that came on a fake punt play by the Arrows' Jim Arneson. Last week Tracy downed Slayton, 41-20.

## Audio-Visual Club Sponsors Convocation

Intricacies of audio-visual equipment were explained at Marshall High School when the Audio Visual Club had its convocation.

Sandy Anderson was master of ceremonies; Roger Hanson explained a radio and showed parts of it; Larry Frey talked about tape recorders and the score board. Other members of the club explained the movie projector, slide rule, opaque projector, etc.

The club tapes and records all convocations and sometimes these tapes are used on radio.

New members this year are Dallas Pryzbus, Norman Meyers, Gary Roberts, Glenn Stafford, Wayne Allen, Jim Kazerowski and Dick Engum.

# Tigers Tear Slayton, 39-0

Marshall High's Tigers relentlessly ran over Slayton, 39-0 Friday night to chalk up their second straight Southwest Conference shutout after three opening losses.

Dick Larson and Jim Olson each tallied two of the six-pointers, and Jack Mann and quarterback Bill Reese picked up the other pair of TDs in the romp. Halftime score was 25-0 in favor of Coach George Rindelaub's orange-jersied crew.

Slayton, coached by Norm Ahrendt, was outclassed from the start. The Tigers moved 57 yards to opening touchdown by Larson from 7 foot out to climax a 57-yard drive, in that stretch Larson picked up 30 yards on one play to put the ball on the Wildcat 17.

Olson made it 13-0 for the initial period by rambling 20 yards to paydirt and then place kicking the PAT. It marked the first time this year a Tiger kicker has booted one between the uprights.

In the second period one of three blocked Slayton punts (which lowered Slayton's punting average to 17.5 yards for the night) led to another Tiger score. Reese recovered the partially blocked kick on the Slayton 36, and then he jump passed to end Bob Peterson 16 yards to the 9. Olson boomed across from the 2, but his PAT kick hit the left upright and bounced back to leave it at 19-0.

A bad hop on a punt return put Slayton in a hole on its 2 to set up the fourth MHS marker in the half. Jim Cowan then recovered DeBoom's blocked kick on the Wildcat 5, and Reese dashed across the double stripe on a blast up the middle to make it 25-0 at the intermission.

With reserves beginning to see more and more action as the second half got underway, still the Tiger TD procession continued. Bill Schroeder intercepted a pass by the luckless DeBoom. This led to Olson's three-yard scoring dash and successful PAT run on a fake kick which ran the count to 32-0.

Marshall's final touchdown was chalked up by an "unsung lineman" when Jack Mann pounced on another blocked punt of DeBoom's in the end zone. Reese ran the point to close it out at 39-0.

Fourth quarter play was highlighted by several fumbles and pass interceptions, one by MHS center Bill Carrow who raced 23 yards to the Tiger 48 after plucking off a stray aerial. Several penalties also marked the fourth quarter, especially against the inexperienced Wildcats.

Soon after his touchdown recovery, Mann sprained his ankle. It is doubtful if he will play next week at Redwood Falls. Ken Knobe had the wind knocked out of him, but he recovered to get back

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## MHS Marks

	MHS	Slay'tn
First downs, rushing	7	3
First downs, passing	1	0
First downs, penalties	0	0
<b>TOTAL FIRST DOWNS</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>
Yardage gained rushing	224	77
Yardage lost rushing	0	34
Total rushing yardage	224	43
Passing yardage	16	9
<b>TOTAL NET GAIN</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>52</b>
Passes tried	6	10
Passes completed	1	1
Passes had intercepted	2	3
Punts	2	7
Punting average	36.5	17.3
Runback yardage	69	66
Fumbles—ball lost	3	3
Penalties	6	8
Yards lost penalties	50	60

in the game. Coach Rindelaub was pleased with the work of the hard charging Tiger line. It was its work which kept the Wildcat backs hemmed in all night and which rushed DeBoom quickly on all his seven punts, three of which were blocked.



**PIGGYBACK**—A Slayton player rides on Dick Larson's back as he tries to bring the MHS back down during the Tigers' 39-0 victory Friday. — Daily Messenger strobophoto.

## FHA to Sponsor World Christmas Project This Year

Janet Zimmer and Beverly Kramer will be co-chairman of the "World Christmas" project which the Future Homemakers of America will sponsor this year.

The FHA met in the Home Economics room of Marshall High school Oct. 13. Angie Boerboom brought the meeting to order. The opening ceremony and roll call were dispensed. Janet Maronde gave the treasurers report and reported the finances of the district meeting.

Beverly Kramer gave a report on the World Christmas Festival, (sending packages to some foreign country). This would be a national project and must be in by Nov. 1. Janet Zimmer made the motion, seconded by Phyllis Pagel, that the FHA have a World Christmas. Gifts are due by Oct. 25. Beverly Kramer and Janet Zimmer are co-chairmen of the committee.

The chapter was divided into eight discussion groups. The groups planned activities for the chapter for the coming year. Reports from the groups were given to the program planning committee so they can set up local activities at state and national levels. The ideas were reported back to the chapter.

## Marshall Plays Tracy B's Tonight

Marshall High's B team will try to wind up an unbeaten four-game season tonight at Legion Field in a game against Tracy's B team. Game time is 7:30 p.m. The "Little Skirmish" precedes the Lyon County's Civil War which comes off Friday when Marshall's Tigers go to Tracy for the annual varsity clash.

So far the Marshall B's, coached by Harry Ahlin and George Path, have downed Montevideo, 19-6; Redwood Falls, 19-0; and Canby, 40-13.

## Marshall 'C' Team Playing Contests Now

Marshall High's "C" team is now playing its intra-squad double round robin after several sessions of fundamentals to prepare for the league play. The C team is for seventh and eighth graders.

Early practices were devoted to tackling and blocking, positions, stances, passing and game situations. All told, between 20 and 24 practice days will be held this fall.

Since the C team does not play a schedule against other schools, competition is achieved through the intra-squad playoffs. The three coaches held a player draft, and each has a club.

Coach Stu McDonald's Blacks have clinched the four-game title after beating Coach Bob Reimler's Whites, 19-18, Monday. The game marked the second one-point win for the Blacks over the Whites, the other being 8-7 earlier.

Now the Blacks (3-0) have to beat only Coach Glen Moran's Oranges (0-2) again to finish unbeaten. The Whites stand 1-2.

## Marshall High School Juniors Prepare Play

Marshall High School juniors are practicing for the play, "Home Sweet Home," which they will present November 17.

The cast is as follows: Pearl Rasmussen, Dan Bowman, Judy Freter, Karen Hixon, Denny Anderson, Don Herring, Jim Cowan, Virginia Peterson, Galen Skramstad, Jon Middleton, Margaret Boyer, Larry Bebler, Mike McEnaney.

## 8 Marshall Seniors Vie for Scholarships

Five Marshall high school seniors and three Central Catholic High school seniors are among a group of more than 50,000 students in 10,000 American high schools taking the National Merit Scholarship examinations today.

Prizes are 350 four-year college scholarships for the country's most promising seniors. The winners will receive from \$100 a year to \$2,000 a year to attend any college of their choice. The amount depends entirely on financial need rather than how the students finish in the examinations.

Students from MRS taking the examinations are Barbara Mills, Beverley Kramer, Donald Londgren, Janet Rivard and Shirley Kidder. Central students taking the test are Rose Bailey, William Chalmers and James McMillian.

The students competing were picked by their local principals as the most promising 5 per cent of each senior class. The 4,000 seniors who survive this first test will be eligible for a second examination Jan. 14, 1956. Top scorers on the January test will be screened by a board to pick the scholarship winners.

The National Merit Scholarship Corp., set up last summer with a 20-million-dollar grant from the Ford Foundation and a \$500,000 grant from the Carnegie Corp. of New York, is conducting the program.

## Marshall School Sets Periods for Religious Classes

Marshall Public Schools are preparing release time for religious education in grades through high school.

The time is given on request of many of the churches of Marshall. Release-time excuses are secured from the churches; signed and returned to school; and students are excused during that period.

Students do not miss any class work for students not attending remain in study halls. No outside activity of any kind is scheduled during the release time.

Many schools in southern Minnesota operate release time for students and as many as 95 per cent of the students are released.

The high school release period is 8:15 - 9:15 Wednesday morning with students reporting directly to their church. The first period will be Wednesday, Nov. 2.

Religious instructions will be offered in grades 4, 5, and 6. These classes will meet from 8:30 to 9:25 Tuesday mornings. The first classes will be held Tuesday, Nov. 1st at the respective churches.



**MARSHALL HIGH BAND OFFICERS**—Newly elected Marshall High School band officers for 1955-56 are: (front row, left to right) Nici Pierard, uniform checker; Lyne Bladholm, librarian; Pat Schwartz, uniform checker; Pat Sheffield, secretary-treasurer; and Carol Eberlein, uniform checker. Back row, left to right, Doris Priebe, assistant librarian; Don Herring, equipment man; David Ross, president; and Larry Frey, vice president.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

## MHS Travels to Redwood Falls Tonight

The rejuvenated Marshall High Tigers move into Redwood Falls tonight in quest of their third straight victory. A win would even the Orange and Black's season record at 3-3.

However, Coach George Rindelaub is justifiably worried about the shape of his club. Four boys are injured, and one guard — Jack Mann — will not see any action at all. Mann is out with a sprained ankle.

Dick Larson, hard pounding fullback, tore the tendon in his finger this week and may see only limited action if he is able to play at all. Coach Rindelaub will not know until just before the 8 p.m. kickoff if Larson can play.

Regardless, Larson will have a metal cast on his finger — game or no game.

In addition, Jim Cowan is suffering a charley horse and Dennis Anderson has sore ribs. However, both are expected to be ready for the traditional tilt against the Cards.

Coach Bob Scholl's Redwood club has won three of five plus a tie. In one tilt Redwood took advantage of two breaks—a fumble and a pass interception—to hand Tracy its only setback of the year, 13-0. Next week the MHS crew will journey to Tracy.

The Lindeman brothers, John and Jim, give the Card backfield a big boost at fullback and halfback. Other prominent Redbirds to watch are Jesse Nolting and Jim Kuelbs. It was Kuelbs who stole a Tracy pass and set sail for a 45-yard TD scamper. Redwood has good speed.

Of a possible wet field, Coach Rindelaub says, "It'll hurt them as much as it hurts us." A wet gridiron probably would help Marshall which carries a weight edge of four pounds per man through the seven line positions and an 18-pound average gain throughout the backfield.

Then too, scout Bill Welch's report indicates Redwood has the best passing seen yet this year.

Thursday the Tigers ran through a light tapering off signal drill to polish up the offense. Earlier practices this week were devoted to stopping the Redwood Split T offense which is very similar to the Oklahoma Split T.

All week the Tiger coach and his assistants, Larry Kienholz and Welch, have emphasized that nothing short of an all-out team effort will bring victory to Marshall. "If we are to duplicate last year's 12-7 win, then it will take heads up ball by everybody," Rindelaub has said.

Oct 24-7

At Tracy in Lyon County Civil War

# Tiger-Tracy Tilt Tonight

They'll probably be throwing everything at each other except hammer-and-tongs tonight when Marshall Tigers invade Tracy to take on the Scrappers in the traditional Lyon County Civil War. The fireworks get underway with the 8 p.m. kickoff. The fray also counts in Southwest Conference play.

All records must be thrown out the window for this one. In the past 25 years Marshall holds 20 wins to Tracy's three in the series with two ties. The last Scrapper triumph — plus the last tie — both came in 1944 when Tracy upended the Tigers, 14-13, in the second meeting of the season after the two arch rivals had fought

to a 7-all tie in the first set-off of that year. Tracy, coached by Leo Sebastian, has the better season record behind it for tonight's game — but that doesn't mean much. The Scrappers stand 6-1 to Marshall's 3-3. However, MHS has won its last three, and last Friday Coach George Rindelaub's Orange and Black topped Redwood Falls, 13-5, to even its record. Redwood is the only club to beat Tracy this year.

The Scrappers lost to the Cards, 3-0, on a 88-yard runback of a fumble and on a TD which came on a pass interception. On the other hand, however, Tracy licked Clarkfield, 13-6, and the club oppled Marshall, 12-7, in the season's lidlifter.

So anything goes tonight — and when the gun goes off, it's anyone's guess what the outcome will be. Marshall holds a three-pound per man weight edge in the line, and is 27 pounds per man heavier in the backfield.

Roger Kerr, adept passer and runner, paces the Red and Blue attack. The Tracy half is very shifty and can move. The Tigers could have their hands full with him. Also, halfback Dave Sammons and fullback Milo Stevens are very adept.

But Rindelaub hopes that three lays of hard work with the single wing will give MHS a strong multiple offense to go with the Tigers' basic Split T mechanics.

Injury-wise Marshall High stacks up as good as can be. Except for guards Jack Mann and Tom Maxson, who are out with broken legs, and Galen Skramstad who lost the season with a knee injury, which Tigers are hurt have only minor bumps and bruises. All but the three who must sit it out permanently will be ready to go full-blast tonight.

Despite tonight's outcome, Tracy can "back" into an undisputed Nine Star Conference title if Lambertson drops Fulda tonight. A Fulda win will give it a half-game edge on Tracy in final standings, but the two would be even in percentage at 1,000.

Only one thing is for sure. This is Tracy's final game, and MHS plays one more with Canby next week.

To Wind Up Unbeaten

# Marshall B Team Tops Tracy, 13-7

Completing an undefeated season, Marshall High's B team chalked up a 13-7 victory over Tracy's B's Tuesday night at Legion Field.

were Montevideo, 19-6; Redwood Falls, 19-0; and Canby, 40-13.

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Clarence (Butch) Else ripped off 15 and 10-yard touchdown runs in the first half, the second score breaking a 7-all tie, to give Coach Harry Ahlin's club its winning margin. Then the Cubs fought Tracy on even terms after the intermission to protect the edge.



**TOUCHDOWN** — Clarence (Butch) Else (43) scores his second and winning TD for the Marshall's B's in Tuesday's 13-7 nod over Tracy as left end Bernard Matheys (46) leads the way. Referee Stu McDonald watches.—Daily Messenger photo.

David Carey's 14-yard pass to Ron Johnson netted Tracy a TD early in the second quarter to wipe out Else's first tally. Hollie Holstein's successful PAT try for Coach Al Schultz' club made it 7-all as Norm Meyers had picked up the PAT after the first Cub score.

Soon, however, Marshall put together a 40-yard march for the winning count. But no sooner had Else scored than Holstein ran back the ensuing kickoff 66 yards to the Marshall 11. There the Cubs braced, and a fourth down fumble lost three yards back to the Marshall 6 where the half ended one play later.

After the intermission, the two battled between the two 30-yard lines as Marshall controlled the ball most of the time during the final 16 minutes. (B team games have eight-minute quarters.)

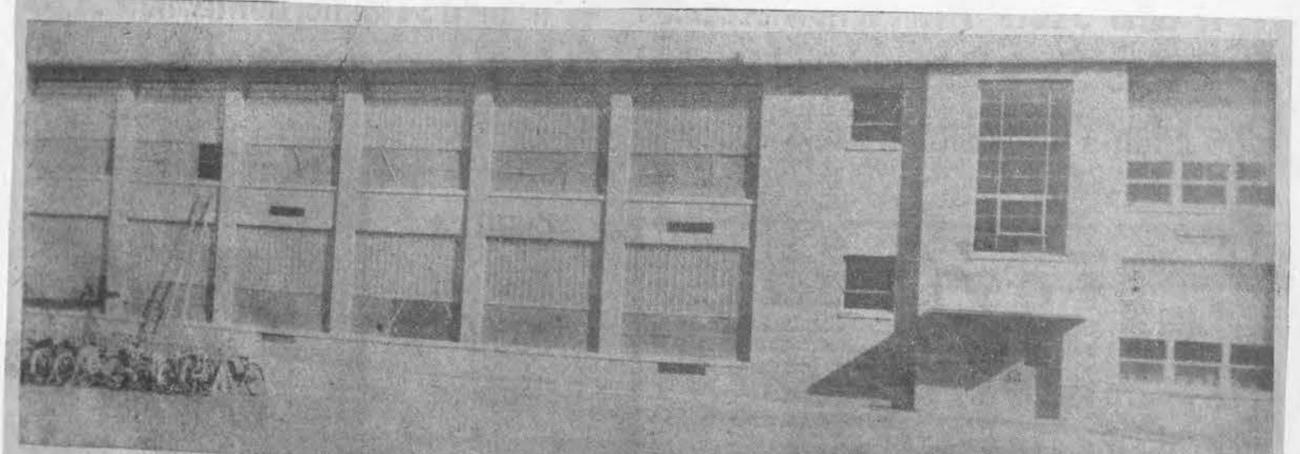
Tracy got one final bid for victory when Holstein intercepted a pass with four minutes left. However, this hope was short-lived as John Berry recovered a fumble, and the Cubs ran out the clock to clinch their fourth straight win.

Other Cub victims this season

Oct 27-8



**LEFT TO RIGHT** are student drivers Jacqueline LePouse, Darlene Ewing, driver instructor Julian Waller, and Shirley Gladis in the new '56 FORD Driver Training car which they started using this week!



**EAST SIDE GRADE SCHOOL ADDITION**—The new East Side Grade school addition has been completely enclosed and temporary sheeting covers the windows. The walls have been plastered and the floors are ready for tile. The ceiling acoustic tile has to be

installed and plumbers are working at present on the plumbing facilities. It is hoped one or two of the rooms will be ready for occupancy the first of the year.—Daily Messenger photo.

## Tigers Travel to Pipestone; Tilt Tonight

Tonight Marshall High will attempt to do what it hasn't been able to do since 1950 — beat Pipestone.

The 8 p.m. game at the Arrow field looms as an even tussle between two slow starting clubs. The Tigers fell, 12-7 last week to Clarkfield, and Pipestone had its hands full before edging Slayton, 7-0.

Coach George Rindelaub's club Thursday was bothered by rain for the second time this week. Nevertheless, the Tigers went through a final tapering down drill, especially on defense to iron out the rough spots.

A revamped lineup may open for MHS. Harold Burt, a 5-11, 143 pound junior, probably will open at left half, replacing Larry Bessler. Burt stood out in Wednesday's heavy scrimmage. Other backfield men remain the same. That means Bill Reese, despite a still sore bruised leg, will be at quarter; Jim Olson at right half; and Dick Larson at fullback.

In the line the middle possibly may have new starters in Bill Carrow, a sophomore, at center and Wayne Bisbee and Dennis Anderson at guards.

Guard Bob Coquyt will miss the tilt when torn back ligaments, and Galen Skramstad, a quarterback, is out indefinitely with a knee injury.

Jim Arneson, a 171-pound senior speed demon, carried the brunt of the Arrow load against Slayton last week. He rambled 44 yards late in the third quarter on a fourth-and-four play to the game's only TD. However, Arneson gets plenty of help from quarterback Ron Bloem, a 137-pound junior who passes accurately.

A fine pair of ends in 6-5 Dale Stoeber and Dan Cunningham and 210-pound tackle John Lohmann spark a better than average line. In fact, the Arrows held Slayton to nine yards on the ground and 32 in the air.

The tilt, besides being one in a long traditional series, counts in Southwest Conference play. Marshall is untested in the SWC, while Coach Earl Teas' club has the Slayton win for a 1-0 mark.



**WHERE NEXT?**—Slayton's Bob Ast didn't quite know which way to turn here as Marshall's Bob Coquyt (at left) and an unidentified Tiger hem him in during the MHS Southwest Conference victory Friday.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



**TOUCHDOWN!** — Jim Olson here is in the process of easily scoring one of his two TDs in Marshall High's 29-0 rout of Slayton Friday at Legion Field.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

### MARSHALL

It's time for the traditional Lyon county civil war again.

Friday Coach George Rindelaub's Marshall High Tigers invade the southern Lyon county city for the "big game." With three straight wins under their belts and now even for the year at 3-3, the Tigers today and Monday practiced for over two hours each day to get ready for the Scrappers.

Since school is out for the Minnesota Educational Association's state meeting, the Tigers took advantage of the break for morning workouts. More time is needed now, too, as the MHS club is adding the single wing to its attack.

By Friday the club hopes to have the power offense down to go with its basic Split T. A multiple offense could come in quite handy against the rugged Tracy team.

Coach Leo Sebastian's Scrappers have won six of seven games, losing only to Redwood Falls, 13-0, early in the year after piling up a substantial statistical edge. MHS topped Redwood, 13-6, last Friday to balance its record.

Tracy also will have its interest in the Fulda-Lamberton clash Friday. The Scrappers and Fulda are locked at 5-0 for the Nine Star Conference title, and a Lamberton win would give Tracy an outright championship.

Last week Tracy tuned up for the Marshall game by rolling over Lamberton, 32-14.

# Olson Heads Marshall HS Student Body

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Jim Olson



Zimmel

Larson

## Larson, Zimmer Take Other Top Posts on Council

Jim Olson has been elected president of the Marshall High school Student Council for the coming school year.

The election results were confirmed as the group held its first meeting Monday. Other officers are Dick Larson, vice president, and Janet Zimmer, secretary.

According to tradition, all of the officers are seniors. Olson is on the Student Council for the second year. He has earned letters in football, basketball and track.

Dick Larson has been on the Student Council for three years and has earned letters in football, basketball and track.

Janet Zimmer is in her second year at Marshall. This is her first year on the student council.

One of the first official actions was to set Homecoming for the Luverne game Friday, Oct. 7.

The new officers and council members will be installed during a convocation at 11 a.m. Friday. The program will include presentations by Lynn Bladholm and Pat Sheffield; Virginia Peterson; and Mary McChesney.

Merrill Olson, principal, will present the members of the Student Council and Rev. R. C. Painter, EUB church pastor, will talk on the responsibilities of elected citizens.

Dick Larson will make the acceptance speech and Jim Olson will outline the plans for the year.

Seniors: Lynn Bladholm; Richard Larson; Jim Olson; Patricia Sheffield; Janet Zimmer; Beverley Kramer.

Juniors: Wayne Bisbee; Kenneth Knobbe; Virginia Peterson; Larry Rund; Galen Skramstad; Judy Knutson.

Sophomores: Richard Addison; Bonnie Bladholm; Mary McChesney; Richard Ogle, Margo Reuter.

Senior Class President, Bill Reese; Junior Class President, James Cowan; and Sophomore Class President, Bonnie Knudson.



Nov. 17



**JUNIORS REHEARSE**—Karen Hixon (left) and Judy Freter rehearse a scene from the Marshall High school junior class play, "Home Sweet Home" to be presented tonight and Friday night in the Marshall High school auditorium. Tonight's performance is for adults; the Friday performance, for students. The scenery was painted by Julian Waller.—Daily Messenger photo.

Nov. 17



**BADMINTON CHAMPS AND RUNNERSUP**—Friday Marshall Junior and Senior High schools' badminton tourneys drew to a close with the above players either winning titles or reaching the finals. The back row consists of just champs, and the front row is for the runnersup. Front row (from left to right) are: Charles Bladholm and Tam Fifield, Junior High mixed doubles and runnersup; Dona Poppick, Junior High girls' singles; Allan Olson, Junior High boys' singles; and Janice Anderson and Dave Lindblad, Senior High mixed doubles (Lindblad also was Senior High boys'

singles runnerup). In the back row are these champs (from left to right): Bill Powell and Judy Carlson, Junior High mixed doubles (Judy also was Junior High girls' singles champ); Terry Rerwerts, Junior High boys' singles; Jim Olson, Senior High boys' singles; and Barbara Mills and Roger Hahn, Senior High mixed doubles (Barbara also was Senior High girls' singles runnerup). Missing from the picture is June Berg, Senior High girls' singles champ.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Nov. 22

—MARSHALL—

Marshall High will award 20 players with letters at the annual banquet to be held Dec. 15 by the MHS Quarterback Club.

Manager Doug Berge and Sandy Anderson also will receive monogram awards from Coach George Rindelaub. The feature of the banquet besides the letter presentation will be guest speaker Murray Warmath, head coach of the University of Minnesota.

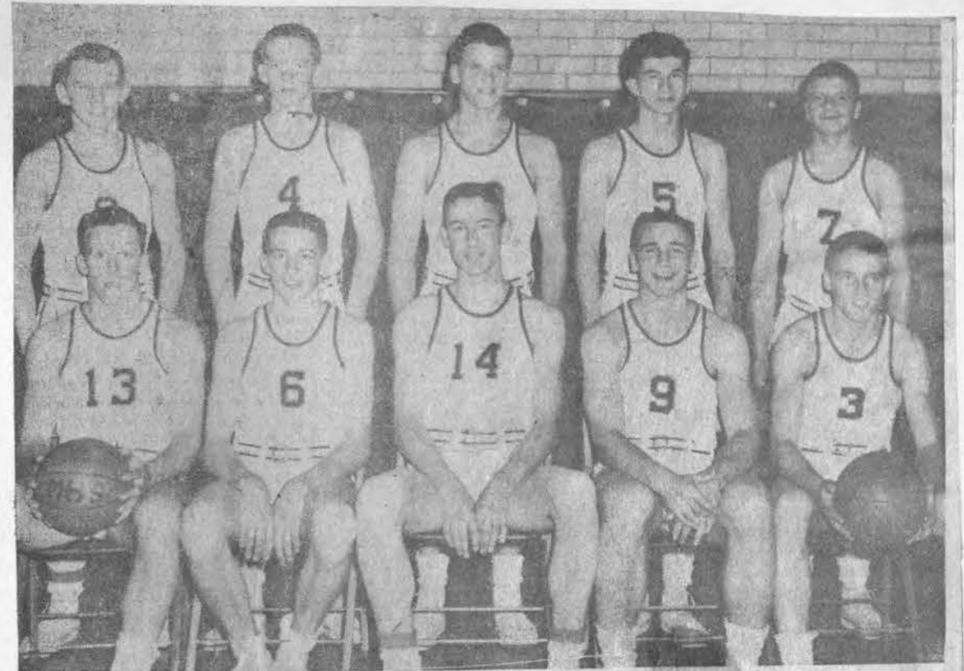
The MHS grid lettermen follow: Dennis Anderson, Larry Bebler, Wayne Bisbee, Harold Burt, Carl Carter, Bill Carrow, Jim Cowan, Bob Coquyt, Bob Fifield, Don Hammer, Fred Janzen, Dick Larson, Jon Middleton, Jack Mann, Tom Maxson, Ken Miller, Jim Olson, Bob Peterson, Bill Reese, Dave Ross, Larry Rund, Dick Schmidt, Bill Schroeder, Galen Skramstad, Marv St. Aubin and Jim Williams.

Nov. 24

**Marshall High Season Ticket Sales to Close**

Sale of season tickets for Marshall High school basketball games will close Tuesday, Merrill Olson, principal, reminded today. Tickets should be purchased from girls in the Future Homemakers of America.

Nov. 29



**TIGER SHOOTERS**—Marshall High's basketball team, coached by Glen Moran, opens its season Tuesday night in an 8:15 game against Tyler at the MHS gym. Here's the Tiger aggregation which rivals will see this winter: Sitting (from left to right) are: Jim Olson, Dave Ross, John Tomasek, Dick Larson and Bill Reese. Standing (from left to right): Larry Bebler, Dennis Anderson, Jim Cowan, Galen Skramstad and Bob DeSchepper.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Nov. 29

**High School Students Have Pictures Taken**

Everyone got into the picture-taking act at Marshall High school today.

Pictures were taken of all 524 students for the school's yearbook, the Marhian. Individual shots were taken of the seniors, and homeroom group pictures of the other students.

Nov. 29  
**Opening Game Tonight at MHS**

**Tigers to Take on Tyler**

Marshall High takes the wraps off its 1955-56 basketball edition tonight at the MHS gym in an 8:15 game against Tyler's Danes.

Both District 9 schools send their B teams against each other, too, in a 7 p.m. preliminary to the main fuss.

Coach Glen Moran likely will go with an all-senior five as the Tigers open a 20-game card. At the forwards will be Dick Larson and Dave Ross, John Tomasek will play the pivot and Jim Olson and Bill Reese will man the guard positions.

Tyler, coached by Don Allar, has four lettermen back from last year's club which closed at 11-10. Three seniors — forward Harold Peterson, center Ronald Nielsen and guard Dale Goos — and sophomore forward Robert Peter are the lettermen which Allar has on hand.

The Danes average 5-10 in height, and will use both the fast break and ball control offenses during the season. Likewise, Tyler has been working on both the man-to-man and zone defenses.

Marshall will have a strong bench to call upon. Behind the first unit are Dennis Anderson, Larry Bebler, Galen Skramstad, Bob DeSchepper and Jim Cowan. Also, Coach Moran will name two sophomores for each game in order to send a 12-man club onto the maple.

Perhaps the Tigers' fate this season hinges on Tomasek's knee. Last year he was injured early in the campaign and was of little use to the club until tourney time. When he came back he helped the Tigers past Ivanhoe in the first round of the District 9 meet before Wood Lake bumped Marshall in the semi-final round.

Tyler bowed out in its first Sub-District tourney joust last season, losing to Minneota, 47-45. However, hopes are high that the Danes will finish high in the Camden Conference behind favored Lake Benton. In District 9 Tyler ranks somewhere around the middle of the 17 contenders.

# Tigers Toss Tyler Team

By BOB HOOKER

With a display of considerable polish for this early in the season, Marshall High's Tigers ripped Tyler, 69-52 Tuesday night in the MHS gym in the opener for both District 9 teams.

Four good scoring bursts protected Coach Glen Moran's Tigers from the outset. Marshall jumped into a quick 8-0 lead and was never headed. Nevertheless, the more inexperienced Danes gave MHS several anxious moments before the night was over.

Coach Moran said afterwards, "I think we will benefit from some of our mistakes in this game when we play at Redwood Falls Friday." There the Tigers expect a tougher time.

The final of the four scoring blasts, beginning near the end of the third quarter, salted Tuesday's game away for the Orange and Black. With Harlan Peterson, whose 20 points were high for the tilt, tallying on a jump shot, Coach Don Allard's Danes cut the Marshall lead to 48-42 with 18 seconds left in the period.

However, sub forward Galen Skramstad countered on a jump shot with four seconds left to make it 50-42 at the buzzer. Then as the fourth frame opened Dick Larson, who contributed 17 for Marshall's top honors, hit Skramstad all alone under the basket with a pass, and Skram's shot pulled the Tigers out of range at 52-42.

From there MHS ran the count up to 58-44, 60-46 and 67-48, the latter with 3:57 to go. Nothing of much importance occurred the final four minutes.

Good scoring balance featured the Marshall attack. After Larson's 17, came 15 by John Tomasek, and 12 each by the two guards Bill Reese and Jim Olson. Dale Goos, Tyler guard, also canned a dozen. Larson got just three gift tosses the first half, adding seven buckets after the intermission.

After jumping off to its original 8-0 lead, Marshall faded slightly as Tyler pared the count to 10-5 on two buckets by Peterson. But Larson's three free throws, a driving lay-in by Olson and hook shots by Reese and Tomasek made it 20-9 at the eight-minute bell.

This reached 28-15 when Reese hit a jumper with 3:45 left in the half. This rally gave MHS an 18-10 margin in a 7:40 stretch for its second scoring drive.

goal edge pretty much tells the story.

Coach Bill Welch's MHS B team beat its Tyler counterpart, 45-33 in the prelim. The Cubs raced off to a 21-8 halftime bulge and coasted home. Don Stearns of MHS checked in with 16, and Leslie Hansen bagged 12 for the Pups.

The box score:

Tyler	9	16	17	10-52
Marshall	20	14	16	19-69

TYLER	FG	FT	PF	TP
Peter, f	3	2	5	8
Kelley, f	0	0	1	0
Peterson, f-c	8	4	0	20
Christensen, f	0	0	1	0
Nielsen, c	2	4	5	8
Goos, g	4	4	1	12
Olson, g	1	2	1	4
Hansen, g	0	0	2	0

TOTALS	18	16	16	52
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MARSHALL	FG	FT	PF	TP
Ross, f	0	0	4	0
Anderson, f	0	0	0	0
Larson, f	7	3	1	17
Skramstad, f	2	1	1	5
Tomasek, c	6	3	5	15
Peterson, c	2	4	0	8
Cowan, c	0	0	0	0
Reese, g	6	0	2	12
Olson, g	6	0	4	12
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0

TOTALS	29	11	17	69
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GET UP THERE!—Tyler's Roald Nielsen (22) goes up for a lay-in shot during the second half of Marshall High's 69-52 conquest of the Danes Tuesday night. Dale Goos (21) and Bob Peter (11) of Tyler look on as Bill Reese (3) of MHS attempts to block Nielsen's try. Tigers Dick Larson (9) and Galen Skramstad (5) watch.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

men single gifters from Skramstad and sophomore Bob Peterson set the stage for Peterson's jumper which turned out to be Tyler's final bid to get back in the game. But between those two MHS free throws crowd bedlam broke loose for 75 seconds due to several loose balls and the score awareness of the oncharging Danes.

When fourth quarter activity opened five players, three on the Marshall side of the ledger, were hanging on the brink of fouling out with four personals. Before it was over three of the five were flagged out with the Tigers' Olson and Ross the only survivors.

Although showing some very fine potentialities often in the game, the Tigers lack polish. However, this may be developed further at Redwood Falls Friday and at the next home game Dec. 9 when Luverne comes to town for some acid action.

Tyler posted a wide edge over the MHS crew in free throws. The Danes connected on 16 of 23, while the Tigers were netting only 11 of 24. However, the 29-18 MHS field

But suddenly the Danes "ran scared" as buckets by Goos and Olson, coupled by a pair of free throws by each, and a jump shot underneath by the crafty Peterson narrowed the gap to 30-25, and brought roars from the crowd after the hot firing two-minute stretch.

However, no sooner had the Danes rallied than the Tigers squelched things on Tomasek's layup on a Larson pass and Olson's jumper for a 34-25 halftime lead.

The third quarter was more or less a see-saw affair, although Larson got two buckets while playing the pivot when Tomasek departed briefly after picking up his fourth of five fouls. Those key baskets by Larson made it 42-30 and after Olson traded swaps with Goos to leave it 44-32, Tyler kept on coming.

Four charity flips from Roald Nielsen and Goos and two jump shot field goals—one a twister—by Peterson pared the count to 46-40 as only Larson's drive down the key paid dividends for Marshall.

# Tigers Whip Redwood

By BOB HOOKER

REDWOOD FALLS—Marshall High's Tigers steamrollered green Redwood Falls, 60-41, Friday night to chalk up its second straight win of the young basketball season.

As Coach Glen Moran cleared the bench after the Orange and Black swept to a 33-14 halftime lead, Marshall toyed with hustling but inexperienced white-shirted Cards who picked a tough opponent to open against.

However, George Sundem connected for seven of the 15 Redwood field goals as the Redwood team battled on even terms at 27-all during the second half against the second and third line Tigers. But for the most part, MHS just had too much class for the home team.

With Dick Larson driving in for a lay-in hook and picking up four free throws and John Tomasek hooking from the left, the Tigers quickly sped to a 9-1 lead. After Redwood closed in to 7-11, Larson, who again was the Tigers' high with 19, dumped a free throw and then rebounded a basket on his own missed shot to make it 14-7. The opening stanza closed out at 17-7 as Jim Olson connected from the floor and Dave Ross from the free throw line.

More of the same followed in the second chapter of the Tiger destruction as MHS won out, 16-7 in the eight-minute stretch. Following a free throw by Gilbert Kohlhof of Redwood, which is being coached by football mentor Dale Scholls during the interim leave of absence of polio-stricken Bobby Greenslit, the Tigers tallied seven straight points in the last 250 of the half to pull away from 26-14.

A bucket by Olson, a free throw by Larson, Bill Reese's jumper from the right and Larson's howitzner from the left corner put the issue beyond the point of no return for Redwood.

Using a patched unit the second half as Galen Skramstad and sophomore Bob Peterson played most of the way for the retiring Tomasek and Larson, the onslaught continued. Reese's bucket with about five minutes left in the game opened Marshall's widest lead of the night at 52-27. From there on in, Sundem sparked a Redwood rally to close the gap.

With two relatively easy wins under their belts, the Tigers now face a vicious schedule the remainder of the month. It begins Friday here against Luverne and Saturday against Owatonna at St. Peter in a preliminary to the Gustavus Adolphus - St. Mary's game. After that comes Canby, Slayton, Mounds View and Alexander Ramsey in December.

In the prelim, the Marshall B club won its second straight as Bill Carrow canned two free throws with 2:30 to go for a 26-23 margin as Coach Bill Welch's Cubs put on an effective stall after that. Halftime count was 14-8 for MHS in the low-scoring fray. Carrow's eight paced the Cubs, and Russell Schmidt got seven for Redwood.

The line and box scores:

Marshall	17	16	10	17-60
Redwood	7	7	10	17-41

MARSHALL	FG	FT	PF	TP
Larson, f-c	5	9	2	19
Peterson, f	1	0	1	2
Ross, f	2	5	2	9
Anderson, f	0	0	0	0
Tomasek, c	2	0	2	4
Skramstad, f	2	1	3	5
Cowan, f	0	0	0	0
Reese, g	3	1	3	7
Bebler, g	0	2	0	2
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0
Olson, g	5	2	2	12
Stearns, g	0	0	1	0

TOTALS	20	10	16	60
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REDWOOD	FG	FT	PF	TP
Drogosch, f	0	0	2	0
Parish, f	0	0	0	0
Corbett, f	1	4	5	6
Roalson, c	2	3	2	7
Knudson, c	0	0	0	0
Kruger, g	3	1	5	7
Kohlhof, g	1	2	2	4
Bjerke, g	0	0	0	0
Sundem, g	7	0	2	14
Barnes, g	1	0	0	2
Knigge, g	0	1	0	1

TOTALS	15	11	18	41
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# MHS Faces Key Tilts

## Tigers at Home Tonight; Travel on Tap Saturday

Luverne's high-flying Cardinals invade the lair of the Marshall High Tigers tonight in what should be a key game to the championship hopes of both in the Southwest Conference cage race.

Tip off time is 8:15 p.m. following a B game prelim between the two schools. In the past four games between the two clubs, three have gone by one point, with Luverne winning two. The Cards won last year, 52-51.

Then after tonight Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black delegation Saturday moves into the Gustavus Adolphus college gym for a fray against Owatonna of Region 1. That game, a prelim to the Gustavus-St. Mary's college clash in St. Peter, will get under way at 6:15 p.m. Saturday.

Getting back to tonight, the Tigers will face one of the fastest clubs in the state. Luverne has whacked Fulda, 66-42 and last Friday ripped Jackson, 98-71, in the highest scoring game to date in the state.

Jim Cooney, who starred on the gridiron for the Cards, sparks the attack of Coach Harry Franz' visitors. In two games he is averaging 34 points, having picked up 38 in the Jackson rout. However, he has some great help in Larry Engelle, who swished 28 in the game at Jackson.

Luverne lacks height with just a 5-9 average, but the club can go.

Luverne stands at the top of the SWC heap at 2-0, while the Tigers will be inaugurating their eight-game loop slate tonight. It is a fact of percentage that MHS can afford to lose only one conference fray and retain a chance for the crown won last year by Windom. In fact, any conference club will be hurting with one loss and most will be out of the picture with two setbacks.

So tonight's game is not a case of over-the-brink-and-out, but it will serve as a key of what is to come later. Last year it was Cooney who gave Luverne the ball game by potting a 15-foot jump shot in the final five seconds for the nod. In 1954 Marshall won by six points, and the two years previous to that the clubs traded one-point nods.

In Owatonna the Tigers will get a further opportunity to test their strength against other top state foes. Albert Lea whipped Owatonna, 68-57, but then the OHS squad outraced Northfield, 69-61. Owatonna is expected to give Austin and Albert Lea a severe struggle in Region 1.



**KEY BASKET**—John Tomasek's (14, white) bucket late in the third quarter of Friday's Luverne game paved the way for an eight-point Tiger blitz. This came with MHS leading 51-47, and by the period's end it was 59-47 as the Tigers raced on to a 79-60 nod. Saturday's 62-55 win over Owatonna left MHS 4-0 for the year.—Daily Messenger strobphoto.

# Tigers Win 2 Key Tilts

By BOB HOOKER

The games hardly make a season, but Marshall High's Tigers served notice over the weekend that they will be a very strong contender for Southwest Conference and District 9 laurels.

By running Luverne into the floor, 79-60, Friday night here and then coming from behind Saturday to outlast Owatonna, 62-55, at St. Peter, Coach Glen Moran's club ran its streak to four straight to set the stage for an all-unbeaten battle this Friday against Canby, another potent District 9 club, at Canby.

## —LUVERNE—

Marshall simply outraced and outfired Luverne Friday as Coach Glen Moran's five-cylinder attack, working on a smooth and even keel, blitzed in 17, 20, 22, and 20 points for the four quarters.

Eight straight points without a Card interruption near the end of the third period salted the contest away for the Orange and Black. That turned a slight 51-47 MHS edge into a 59-47 margin as the final frame got underway.

Galen Skramstad, who played a big role when Dick Larson picked up four early fouls before eventually departing for keeps, scored the game's final bucket for the widest point spread of the night. However, for most of the fourth quarter the MHS crew led from 15 to 18 points as a press by the Cards failed.

The eight-point blitz as the third period drew to a close began with John Tomasek driving in for a two-pointer to make it 53-47. Jim Olson, whose 23 points, including 13 of 18 free throws, sparked Marshall, rebounded one home; Bill Reese popped a set shot; and Dave Ross stole the ball from the Cards and went all the way to put Luverne out of business at 59-47.

Those 12 points were just too much for the Cards to overcome. With MHS holding high-scoring Judd Cooney to 17 points (he had averaged 34 for Luverne's first two games), Larry Engel had packed a great deal of the load for Coach Harry Franz' club in the early going.

But a fine defensive job by Dave Ross, after the Tigers had played a zone in the outset of the SWC clash, kept Engel from getting out of hand. His 22 were Luverne's high and just one point behind Olson for top honors.

However, terrific scoring balance in the Marshall white-hot attack was the difference. As is white heat hotter than red heat, it was simply a case of the white-shirted Tigers steaming more than the red-attired visitors. Marshall hit 26 of 62 shots for .419. Luverne made 21 of 50 for .420, but only got 20 shots the second half.

## —OWATONNA—

ST. PETER — Two features highlights Marshall High's 62-55 verdict over Owatonna, rated as one of the top Dist. 4 clubs, Saturday night here as a preliminary to the Gustavus Adolphus-St. Mary's college game.

They were: (1) A 41-point second half by the Tigers to overcome 27-21 halftime and 44-41 third period leads held by Owatonna to rally for the win; and (2) the sinking of 26 of 40 free throws to wipe out a 22-18 edge by Owatonna in field goals. In winning, MHS hit 18 of 48 field attempts for .375.

Except for one scoring draught of 4½ minutes in the second quarter, the Tigers controlled play most of the time. After Jim Olson canned two free throws for a 17-12 MHS margin with 5:45 to go in the half, the Indians, coached by Ken Bey, tallied 11 straight points before Dick Larson could solo for a layin with 1:15 to pull the Tigers up to 19-23.

As the second half got underway, two buckets by Larson, who tied John Tomasek for MHS high-point honors at 16 while Olson was ringing 15, cut Owatonna's lead to 33-32. Then a free throw by Larson with 3:41 left in the third period pulled the Orange and Black abreast at 35-all.

But then the Indians, who went into the tilt at 3-1 after whacking Faribault last Tuesday, scored six straight points, including a pair of fielders by Dean Jensen, the game high with 22, from the left on a corner set and a jump shot. That put MHS back down at 41-35, but by the period's end it was only 44-41 against Coach Moran's club in the all-man-to-man defensive battle.

Larson's bucket and fielder knotted it at 44-all with 7:35 remaining, and Olson gave Marshall its first lead since the second period on a set shot from the right to make it 46-44. After a rebound by Don Martin gave the Indians a brief 47-46 upperhand, Dennis Anderson sent Marshall ahead for keeps with a pair of gift tosses.

Olson's layup and four free throws by Galen Skramstad and John Tomasek, who canned a dozen as two Owatonna pivot men fouled out in the process of 26 Owatonna fouls to the Tigers' 14, made it 54-49. The closest Owatonna could get after that was 54-51 on Martin's jump and 59-55 on two gifters by Harold Prestegard. However, three free throws by Olson and Bill Reese put it in the ice box for keeps.

After the game Coach Moran said the Tigers came out of the first of the first of the six double-header weekends of play in good shape. Except for the one scoreless stretch in the second quarter when it appeared Friday's barnburner with Luverne might take its toll the Tigers held the upper hand.

The line and box score:

Marshall	13	8	20	21-62
Owatonna	8	19	17	11-55
<b>MARSHALL</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Ross, f	1	0	3	2
Larson, f	7	2	4	16
Tomasek, c	2	12	2	16
Anderson, c	0	2	0	2
Olson, g	5	5	2	15
Reese, g	3	3	0	9
Skramstad, g-f	0	2	3	2
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>OWATONNA</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Wanous, f	2	1	4	5
Schultz, f-c	0	0	2	0
Martin, f	4	2	3	10
DeShane, c	1	1	5	3
Fisher, c	2	3	5	7
Jensen, g	10	2	2	22
Prestegard, g	3	2	5	8
Soukop, g	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>55</b>

After an opening period 17-all standoff the Tigers, who had tried a zone defense, gradually pulled away when they began checking the Cards man-to-man. Luverne briefly held 22-20, 24-20 and 25-22 leads, but Reese's set shot popped Marshall ahead for keeps at 29-27. This grew to 37-31 by halftime. Through the third quarter Marshall maintained its margin until its burst salted the game away.

In the B game Coach Bill Welch's Cubs notched their third straight win — and second consecutive hairline nod — by a narrow 39-37 tally. An opening 10-0 and 15-4 start was just too much for the visitors to overcome. Don Stearns led Marshall with 11, but Larry Rupp's 16 for Luverne was game high.

The line and box score:

Luverne	17	14	16	13-60
Marshall	17	20	22	20-79
<b>LUVERNE</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Jorgenson, f	3	0	3	6
Engel, f	10	2	4	22
Cooney, c	4	9	5	17
Heiden, g	1	0	2	2
Mahoney, g	2	5	4	9
Annenson, g	0	0	0	0
Wiese, g	2	0	0	4
Pedersen, g	0	0	2	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>MARSHALL</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Ross, f	5	1	0	11
Larson, f	2	3	5	7
Skramstad, f-g	3	1	2	7
Peterson, f	0	0	0	0
Tomasek, c	5	5	2	15
Anderson, c	0	0	1	0
Reese, g	6	4	4	16
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0
Olson, g	5	13	3	23
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>79</b>

# Canby, MHS Collide

It's a long time until tourney time, but the Canby-Marshall High basketball game tonight at the Lancer lair will go a long way in deciding who has the upper hand in the cage court's trial run before next March's Dist. 9 tourney takes place.

Both Coach Glen Moran's MHS Tigers and Canby, coached by George Potter, carry identical 4-0 records into tonight's 8:15 p.m. tussle. Both have had to fight hard in the second half only half the time—Canby against Appleton and Clarkfield, and MHS against Luverne and Owatonna. All of those battles were last weekend.

So both have been taxes a little more severely in recent trips to the post. Nevertheless, at the present it is hard to conceive either club being seeded lower than No. 4, considering Wood Lake and Lake Benton's defending crown-bearers, for the district show-down next March.

Following a B team prelim, the two clubs will go at it hammer-and-tongs in what could be the same setting next March—a clash at Canby. The next time the two teams meet in the Dist. 9 tourney, whenever fate so determines, the game will be at Canby.

Offensively and defensively, if all the opposition could be considered on equal terms, the game stacks up as a tossup. Marshall has averaged 67.5 points per tilt to Canby's 66, but defensively Canby has limited its rivals to 44.5 tallies per game to 52 points given up by MHS each time out.

Canby put the clamps to Ivanhoe and Hanley Falls, holding the pair to a combined 70 points. Marshall ran away from Luverne, 79-60, last Friday and came steaming from behind to down Owatonna, 62-55, the next night. Last Saturday Canby threw in 72 against Appleton with nine figuring in the scoring.

Not only statistics but also the coaches themselves rank the tilt as a 50-50 proposition. Both Moran

and Potter point to the other club as being stronger. However, it is a cinch that each wants to play the game to find out just how well his own club stacks up. That way many changes can be made well in advance before the second regular season set to at Marshall Feb. 10.

Height apparently will not be a factor—as here the clubs shape up evenly. Center John Tomasek checks in at 6-3 for the Tigers and will be the tallest player on the floor. Canby's forwards, Gerry Halstenson, Russ Emmons and John Otto are 6-1, 6-1 and 6-0, respectively, and its center Harvey Christenson is 6-0.

It may well be the "little guys" out front who will hold key. MHS guards, Bill Reese, 5-9 and Jim Olson, 5-10, and Canby's playmakers, Dick Blankenfeld, 5-10, and Bob Christenson, 5-7, all like to move. The ones who can set up the plays quicker undoubtedly will have a big bearing on the fracas' outcome. It is also a known fact that all four can move—and move fast.

Marshall's forwards, Dave Ross, 6-1 and Dick Larson, 6-0, will be even with Canby's forwards. But the ones who get to the rebound first will help his club's cause to the hilt.

Regardless of the outcome, the game won't mean too much—not as much as a clash between Mar 5-10 would—but it could be an indication of things to come.

## Marshall Cagers to Play Owatonna at St. Peter

Marshall High School's basketball team will play its second game of the week, Saturday, at Gustavus Adolphus college, St. Peter.

The Tigers will play the preliminary game which starts at 8:15 p.m.

The game finds Owatonna with a 1-1 record so far this year, meeting the Tigers, who have a 2-0 record.

The Tigers will have played Luverne, supposedly the best team in area, the night before.

It is expected that a bus load of students will accompany the team. They will leave about 2:30 p.m. The students will have a chance to watch the St. Mary's-Gustavus game, between teams now considered main contenders for Minnesota State Conference honors.

The bus will be chaperoned by two members of the Marshall High School faculty and will leave St. Peter directly after the college game.

Student admission will be 50 cents. Student activity ticket must be shown to purchase a student ticket. The college game will get under way at 8 p.m. It is expected that student buses will return to Marshall about midnight.

## Public Schools Vocal Music Groups to Present Concert

Vocal groups of the Marshall public schools will present their annual Christmas concert at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the High School Auditorium.

Approximately 250 students from the grades and the high school will appear during the program which will feature traditional Christmas music.

Miss Veda Williams directs the grade school choirs. Orion Lee directs the junior and senior high school groups.

The concert marks the first appearance for most of the participating groups.

The program will include four numbers by the primary choir with Ronnie Raine, Dennis Winge and LeRoy McCoy as soloists for "We Three Kings."

There will be two numbers by a combined choir; four numbers by the intermediate choir; five selections by the junior high boys' glee club; ten numbers by the senior high chorus with Daniel

Bowman as soloist; and five numbers by the junior high girls' glee club.



SHARE YOUR CHRISTMAS—Bill Reese, Dick Larson and Jim Olson are shown packing a box of clothing for one of the 15 families that will benefit from the "Share Your Christmas" project in the Marshall High school.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



GRIDIRON GATHERING — During a break in Thursday's night's Marshall High Quarterback Club's football banquet, highlighted by the awarding of 26 letter certificates to varsity players, this group got together around U M Coach Murray Warmath (seated), the guest speaker. From left to right are: MHS HB Jim Olson, MHS FB Dick

Larson, Quarterback Club president Paul Wilson, MHS Head Coach George Rindelaub, MHS E Dennis Anderson and MHS QB Bill Reese. The four players also spoke during the program on behalf of their teammates.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

# Tigers to Host Slayton

## Tigers Trek for Pair

Marshall High puts its unbeaten status on the block tonight and Friday during a two-game road trip to the Twin Cities' suburban area.

Coach Glen Moran's Tigers and Clarkfield of Dist. 11 join forces as the two Southwestern Minny clubs take on Mounds View and Alexander Ramsey of Roseville in two big twin-bills at the two metropolitan area schools.

Each night Marshall High will play the host school following a game between Clarkfield and the other northern club. Tonight Clarkfield and Ramsey open the fireworks at Mounds View in a 7 p.m. fray, and the MHS club goes after win No. 7 against the host Mustangs in the afterpiece.

Then Friday all four teams move on to Ramsey where the Tigers joust the host team after Clarkfield and Mounds View open the show. Time of Marshall's games will be about 8:30 p.m. both nights. Marshall radio station KMHL plans to broadcast the two Tiger games while the Montevideo station is expected to carry Clarkfield's two games.

Little is known about the two northern clubs. However, they have both been beaten in their rugged competition. Coach Moran feels both games will be tough, but he is looking forward to having another pair of tilts for his club.

Next week MHS puts its Southwest Conference leadership on the line against Fulda and Worthington. Clarkfield, coached by Harold Harris, takes a 2-3 mark into the north. Last year's co-champs of the Little Sioux Conference were depleted heavily via graduation, and are in the process of rebuilding. However, in all their games to date the Cards have provided their rivals an interesting night.

The Tiger regular five is expected to carry the brunt of the MHS load. This unit consists of Dave Ross and Dick Larson at forwards, John Tomasek at center and Bill Reese and Jim Olson at guards.

### Game Tonight Vital in Race

Marshall High's Tigers — the only unbeaten team left in the Southwest Conference — will try for their second SWC victory tonight against formidable Slayton in the MHS gym. Game time is 8:15 p.m., following a B game between the two schools.

Coach Glen Moran's charges, fresh from their fifth straight win last Friday in a 57-50 verdict over Canby, have been drilling hard for the vital conference clash. It is a known fact that one loop setback may obliterate Marshall's hopes for the title, since the Tigers play only eight conference encounters.

Slayton, coached by Don Volk, stands 3-2 on the year after being riddled by Luverne, 80 - 56 Tuesday. However, that game was on the small Luverne court. Marshall beat Luverne, 79 - 60, Dec. 9 here. However, Slayton cracked Pipestone, 51-45 last week. Its other conference loss was to Worthington, 47-36.

Fans will get an idea of what is in for the Tigers later after tonight's game. After Jan. 1 Marshall plays three games with Pipestone and Worthington.

Bolstering Slayton, the defending Dist. 8 champs who lost to state tourney entry Fairmont in the Region 2 meet in 1955, will be six lettermen. Six seniors are on the 10-man team.

Kermit DeBoom, 6-2 senior center, paces the Wildcats. He countered 21 against Pipestone and 18 in the loss to Luverne.

The club, averaging 5-11 in height, both fast breaks and plays ball control on offense and it goes with a man-to-man defense.

Volk rates his Wildcats, who won 20 of 24 last year, as a slow starter. He hopes the club will be tough by tourney time, but he feels Pipestone, Worthington and Luverne are the class of Dist. 8. He expects Fulla to improve as the season progresses into a top-flight contender.

# Tigers Slash Slayton,

By BOB HOOKER

Far too many wide open spots in Slayton's defense—and hardly any in Marshall's—paved the way for the MHS Tigers' 75-51 romp over the visiting Wildcats Thursday night.

By winning, Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black bucket bombers kept intact their unbeaten status, now 6-0 and left them atop the 11-team Southwest Conference at 2-0.

For Slayton, the loss was the second 24-point setback in two nights (Luverne beat Slayton, 80-56, Tuesday) and lowered its loop mark to 3-3 and 4-3 on the season.

However, before the night was over the Tigers went through some anxious moments. The most important of these came near the end of the third quarter as John Tomasek, the agile center, toppled to the floor with an ankle injury. It resulted after he faked and drove under for his final score of an 11-point night to make it 51-37, MHS.

Moran immediately hauled him out, and today Tomasek was to be examined to determine the extent of his injury. First reports believed it to be a severe sprain.

Other troubles came from the Wildcats, coached by Don Volk. Not the least of these was the rebounding and scoring of ace pivotman Kermit DeBoom. Before he fouled out with 1:42 left in the tilt, DeBoom countered 27 points, 19 of which came in the first half.

In that opening session the Tigers canned 15 of 21 field goal tries for a mark of .714. For the night MHS made 25 of 31 free throws on 21 Slayton fouls to only

10 by the Tigers.

DeBoom could not carry the entire Wildcat load. Guard Jack Schwartz, the next highest scorer, could get but eight tallies and Art VandeVelde was third with a mere half dozen.

Meanwhile, Dave Ross, playing a terrific game, ran up 23 points, including nine of 10 free throw attempts. Jim Olson, getting a dozen the last quarter, ended up with 20 and Larson 14 ahead of Tomasek's 11. So the same story continues—the Tigers seem to have plenty of scoring balance.

Perhaps the key factor to the game was defense. Several times the Tigers either blocked or hurried Slayton's shots. Once Tomasek, just before he became injured, blocked Jerry Phelan's try from the left corner, and grabbed the ball in midair to start the Tigers on offense again.

In the second half, DeBoom, in particular, found the Tiger defense perplexing. After getting his 20th and 21st points on two free throws with 6:08 left in the third quarter to cut Marshall's lead back to 10 at 41-31, he went scoreless until 3:46 of the fourth quarter when he got another brace of gifts. But in this stretch of 10 minutes 22 seconds Marshall had boosted its lead to 65-44 on a 24-13 margin.

The game opened up on a see-saw basis with MHS not taking the lead until 5-4 on Olson's free throw on a double foul with DeBoom. Tomasek's drive in put MHS ahead for keeps at 7-6 after Phelan made two free throws for the purple-shirted crew.

DeBoom's twisting jump cut Marshall's lead to one at 9-8, but then the Tigers tallied nine straight points in pulling away. Olson got a gifter, Tomasek hooked, Olson came back with a lay up, Ross flipped one back over his head driving under and then canned a jump back of the key. The quarter closed at 19-10, and late in the second period MHS had upped this to 33-16 before Slayton whittled the lead by halftime.

In the B game prelim, Coach Bill Welch's club won its fifth straight by 34-25 from Slayton after cracking a 13-all intermission standoff. Two final buckets by Bob Peterson clinched the win. He led the Cubs with 14 and Clarence Else got nine. Pryor and Wahlstrom each scored eight for Slayton in a game filled with several wild passes and fouls.

# 75-51

The line and box score:

Slayton	10	17	10	14	51
Marshall	19	18	16	22	75
<b>SLAYTON</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>	
VandeVelde, f	2	2	3	6	
Frerk, f	0	1	1	1	
Brink, f	0	0	3	0	
Johnson, f-c	1	1	3	3	
DeBoom, c	10	7	5	27	
Phelan, g	1	2	4	4	
Kasa, g	1	0	0	2	
Schwartz, g	4	0	2	8	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>51</b>	
<b>MARSHALL</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>	
Larson, f-c	5	4	3	14	
Skramstad, f	1	1	1	3	
Cowan, f	0	0	0	0	
Ross, f	1	9	1	23	
Anderson, f	0	0	0	0	
Tomasek, c	4	3	2	11	
Peterson, f-c	0	0	0	0	
Olson, g	6	8	3	20	
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0	
Reese, g	2	0	0	4	
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>75</b>	

# Tigers Withstand Late Rally

Marshall High's Tigers had to hang on Thursday night during a late Mounds View rally before posting a 47-44 win for their seventh straight victory.

The game, played at Mounds View, was the second of a twin-bill which found Clarkfield outlasting Alexander Ramsey of Roseville, 59-53, in the opener. Tonight the four clubs switch off as all go to Ramsey. Marshall meets the host school at 8:30 p.m. after Clarkfield and Mounds View clash in the opener.

Thursday's Tiger game was a case of the MHS club rolling up the first half points and then not being able to buy a second half bucket. At halftime, due largely to a 16-point half by Dave Ross, Coach Glen Moran's crew held a 30-18 bulge and seemingly was in smooth waters.

However, the Mustangs roared back with Neal Anderson and sub-guard Dave Kudebeh letting the pace. Once in the third frame Mounds View got within four at 32-28 after Dick Kusch bagged two free throws. The frame ended at 36-31 for the Tigers who were never headed throughout the contest. At the period's end Ross had 20 of the 36 points.

Only gifters pulled Marshall through the last period. The Tigers managed only four field goals the second half and the last of these came early in the final stanza as Dick Larson hit to make it 40-33.

After John Tomasek dumped two free throws for a 42-33 lead, Mound View got nine tallies to only two additional gifters by Jim Olson of the Orange and Black. This left the count at 44-42, but Ross canned two more charity flips to wind up a 22-point night.

Kudebeh scored a two-pointer to

## Marshall High Musicians to Hear Scottish Band

The Marshall High school band will hear the famed Scottish Regimental Band in Minneapolis Monday.

Two buses will leave the high school at 1:30 p.m. for the University of Minnesota campus. The students will eat at Coffman Memorial Union and the concert will be presented at Northrup Auditorium, at 8 p.m.

The program will be divided into three parts: the first will be marches woven around ceremonies at Buckingham Palace; the second Highland dancing and other lighter music and the third a concert by the 60-piece concert orchestra.

The buses are expected to be back in Marshall about 2:30 a.m. Leo Yerde and G. Orion Lee will chaperone the students.

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cut it to 46-44, but Olson's free throw wound up the scoring as the scoreboard had no business the final 45 seconds.

Mounds View, coached by Jim Geske, now stands 2-5 as it enters its game with Clarkfield tonight. The line and box score:

Marshall High 16 14 6 11-47  
Mounds View 7 11 13 13-44

MARSHALL	FG	FT	PF	TP
Larson, f-c	3	0	3	6
Skramstad, f	0	0	0	0
Ross, f	7	8	2	22
Tomasek, c	1	6	4	8
Reese, c	2	0	1	4
Olson, g	2	3	1	7

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MOUNDS VIEW	FG	FT	PF	TP
Sweeley, f	3	0	2	6
Schusted, f	1	0	1	2
Gentz, f	0	0	1	0
Kush, c	2	9	4	13
Condiff, g	1	0	0	2
Kudebeh, g	4	0	4	8
Anderson, g	5	3	3	13

TOTALS 16 12 15 44

## Schools Will Observe National Education Week

The week of Nov. 6 through 12, 1955, will mark another year of national recognition of American Education Week. Again this year it is being sponsored nationally by the Nation Congress of Parents and Teachers, Nation Education Association, the United States Office of Education, and the American Legion. Daily themes will include your investment in character building, teachers, classrooms, fundamental learning, better living and a strong nation.

### Daily Broadcast

Through daily broadcasts from 9:00 to 9:15 a.m. on KMHL for the next two weeks, the Marshall Public Schools hope to keep the community informed on their most prized investment—the students of the school. There will be highlights from student convocations, music groups, athletics and, grade programs.

### Evening Programs

There will be several evening programs from 8:30 to 9:00 p.m. The first program will be Thursday, Nov. 3. Others will be given next Monday and Thursday evenings, and will feature highlights from Future Homemakers of America, the building program, guidance program and class work.

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## M. C. Stanwood FHA Speaker

M. C. Stanwood, former director of Civil Defense for Marshall was the speaker at the Oct. 27 meeting of the Future Homemakers of America at Marshall High School. His topic was Civil Defense.

Darlene Hastings gave an emergency kit demonstration.

After opening ceremonies Angie Boerboom, president, introduced a new roll call system. Other business was ordering stationery and decision to give a Thanksgiving basket again this year.

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in the lunch rooms of both schools. Visit the schools—your investment in America.

### Open House

Open house at East Side Grade School will be held Monday, Nov. 7, and at the Marshall High school and the Lyon Street Grade school on Thursday, Nov. 10, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. The teachers will be present, and lunch will be served

Canby Here for Grid Finish

# Tiger Tilt Tonight

Marshall High's Tigers wind up their 1955 grid activity tonight at Legion Field in an 8 p.m. game against a traditional foe—Canby. People are urged to attend the final MHS game of the season.

By winning, Coach George Rindelaub's Orange and Black aggregation can balance the books for the year at 4-4. Canby, still with a chance for a share of the Little Sioux Conference title, goes into tonight's fray with a 4-3 mark.

The game stacks up as an even one to bow out on. Both clubs lost to Pipestone by two TDs, MHS losing to the Arrows, 13-0 and Canby by 21-7 to the southern club. Against Clarkfield, the other common opponent, both teams again came out on the short end. Clarkfield licked the Tigers, 12-7, in the season opener and Canby, 32-0, two weeks after that.

Marshall has bounced back in fine shape from its 28-13 reversal to Tracy last week. The squad has shown tremendous enthusiasm in practice this week and wants to call it finis on a pleasant note.

Canby, although dropping its last chance for an outright LSC crown last week when it lost to Madison, 20-0, would nevertheless finish above the .500 mark by winning tonight. If Appleton beats Madison tonight, then Coach Norm Overland's Lancers will back into part of the LSC diadem.

With a wealth of backs Canby

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presents a strong running game. Jim Dumphy or Dick Blankenfeld can do the signal-calling, while Dave Grengs, Russ Emmons and Stan Lyslo are capable of getting away for the long run.

Marshall will enter with Bill Reese at quarter, Jim Olson, who raced 57 and 60 yards for first quarter TDs against Tracy, at a halfback and Dick Larson, at fullback.



Mary Ellen Marcotte

## Marshall Girl Winner in 4-H Clothing Project

Five Minnesota 4-H'ers will receive \$100 scholarships or sewing machines for their outstanding achievements in the 4-H clothing project. Mrs. Gwen Bacheller, assistant state 4-H club leader at the University of Minnesota, announced today.

The five winners are Alice Huber, Manchester; Mary Ellen Marcotte, Marshall; Lou Ann Restad, Pelican Rapids; Mary Kittelsland, Sacred Heart; Marlene Salmela, Wadena.

The Dayton company is providing the awards.

Mary Ellen Marcotte has participated in the clothing project for 10 years, achieving such honors as nine ribbons on Lyon county clothing exhibits, eight blue ribbons in the county dress revue, and county grand championship in clothing exhibits for four years.

The other girls have also won many awards.



Georgia Lindgren

## Georgia Lindgren Wins Scholarship at Macalester

Georgia Lindgren of Marshall is one of the sixty Macalester college students granted a scholarship for achievement.

Georgia is winner of a \$25 prize for ranking among the second ten in her class. The highest ten of each of three Macalester classes are being given \$50 each, while the second highest ten are being given \$25 scholarships.

Georgia a junior at Macalester, is majoring in elementary education. She is active in the Elementary Education club and a member of the Macalester college choir.

Georgia is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Roy J. Lindgren, Park Avenue, Marshall.



Jim Reese



Judy Bladholm

## More Students Added to University List

In the list published Thursday of Marshall students attending the University of Minnesota, several names were omitted. We are publishing the corrected list of students:

Business Administration: Bernie Coderre, Dentistry: Arlen Snelties Dental Hygiene: Marlene May Catton, College of Education: Beverly Zabel, Gordon Sanders.

Institute of Technology: Robert Grue, Duane Rubertus, Dennis Nelson, Robert Skramstad, James Becker, Vernon Castle, John Ehrreich.

Law: David Appen, Robert Carrow, Robert McGuire, Medical Technology: Janet Milbrandt.

Science, Literature, Arts: Sandra Grue, John Hirmer, Robert Jones, Duane Marcotte, Arthur Ol-

son, Judith Sherman, Robert Stauffacher, Jocelyn Taylor, Neva Wieske, Katherine Anderson, George Eischer, David Asp, John Bailey, Barbara Bebler, Jean Bladholm, Judith Bladholm, Kenneth Catton, George Fischer.

General College: Edward Evanson and William Galle.

School of Forestry, Agriculture and Home Economics: Jim Reese, Kenneth Wilson, Mary Ellen Marcotte.

Medical Technology: Janette Milbrandt.

## Students Write of Projects for Education Week

Marshall Public School is all ready for National Education week and the children have prepared exhibits, bulletin boards, letters, etc. During this week we will run letters and reports each day on this page prepared by the children and their teachers.

### Dental Care Makes Train Grow

The first graders in Miss Heuer's room are in the midst of a health unit on "Keeping Ourselves Healthy." We have two year-long projects which are our "Dental Train" and our "Health Records." In our dental train a new car is added to our train every time a dental card is brought in. Our health records are our means of having our daily check on our personal health habits.

We are also working on a bulletin board of foods. We are making up a day's meals - breakfast, lunch and dinner - from pictures brought by the children. We are trying to make the meals meet the requirements of a balanced diet.

### Little News from Little Students

Our teacher's name is Miss Kulla, and we have a second grade room at East Side Grade school.

Thanksgiving will soon be here, and we are making and decorating big paper turkeys for our room.

We are learning how animals get ready for winter and are making a big book for stories and pictures about them. We are now learning about the bear and how he sleeps all winter.

We are trying to keep up the good health habits we have started, and have a health chart to help us remember. We have had two days with everyone perfect.

### Wormy Apples? How to Prevent Them

We are a second grade at East Side Grade School. Our teacher's name is Miss Krohn.

Let us tell you of an apple tree in our room. Every member of our class has an apple on the tree. We pick a new health rule every day - if we have followed the rule our apples stay safely up in the tree. But!-if we failed to do the rule our apple falls and we put a worm hole in it. So far we have very few worm holes.

We are starting a new unit of "Mail." We have a list of questions concerning things we want to know. We are bringing old envelopes and stamps to school.

We hope you will come and visit us to see our apple tree and to see how our mail unit is progressing.

### Self-made "Movies" A Second Grade Project

The boys and girls in Miss So-

## Marshall Teacher Writes Article for MEA Journal

"Pupils Come First."

That's the message in (and the title of) an article by Miss Anne Schotzko, Marshall sixth grade teacher, in the November issue of Minnesota Journal of Education.

She delineates one of the five P's in the National Education Association code of ethics. These five points are—Pupils, Parents, Public, Position, and Profession. Later articles will treat the other four.

Miss Schotzko points out a child must be understood before he can be guided and to be understood something must be known about his background and environment.

"A conference or a home visit may give the desired information" she writes and points out it is the responsibility of teachers to help promote and develop understanding.

She says: "To better understand a pupil, do something with him, go some place with him, and you will accomplish something for him."

"Show sincere concern in the home and in the outside interests of all pupils."

"Be a friend of all pupils. Be kind and considerate. Forget - yesterday - be prepared to meet - tomorrow - today, do just for today."

"Leave troubles and worries at home - The pupil has troubles of his own."

"Be happy. Happiness is infectious."

"Be a guide, not a ruler. Consistently show a good example. It pays off."

rensen's second grade are studying "Transportation" for Social Studies class.

They are busy gathering interesting things and information about boats, trains, and airplanes.

They are presently engaged in making a movie about the story of "How People Travel." Train and boat stories are being read along with poems of travels.

# Tigers Whack Canby

By DICK WILLIAMS

The score was Marshall 28, Canby 6—of that much we're sure.

But as for the rest of the statistics on the Tigers' final football game of the season at Legion Field Friday night—well, you can't hardly get them there no more.

Almost unbelievable, they indicate the Tigers had a terrific offense as they thoroughly whipped the Lancers as each club ended the season with a record of four wins and four losses.

A quintet of Tiger backs—Dick Larson, Jim Olson, Bill Reese, Larry Bebler and Bob Fifield—rolled up 446 net yards on the ground, another 45 yards in the air for 22 first downs.

That offensive play brought the Tigers some sort of score in every quarter against Canby eleven which used every trick in the book—and a few that weren't—in an effort to avoid a rout.

Marshall's first tally came early in the first quarter when Reese raced 28 yards and Olson traveled 26 to put the ball on the five yard line from whence Reese scooted over for six points. Larson ran over the Canby line for the extra point.

Larson scored again—a touchdown this time—in the second quarter when he scooped up a fumble and ran 44 yards unscorted. The try for the extra point failed.

Then it was Olson's turn. On a beautifully executed play in which

he exhibited some fancy footwork the halfback waltzed, gavotted and sashayed 48 yards to cross the double line. When the kick for the extra point failed the score stood 19-0.

Olson's score, incidentally, came the first time Marshall handled the ball in the third quarter. The next touchdown was set up a few minutes later when center Bill Carrow intercepted a pass on the 29.

There was a lot of monkeying around, though, before that touchdown materialized. First Canby was penalized then Marshall was penalized -15 yards each. But after Bill Reese ran 17 yards to the nine, the touchdown was set up and Larry Bebler carried the ball over from the four. This time Olson went around end for the extra point and the score stood 26-0.

It was in this third quarter, too, that Canby scored when Fullback Clarence Arndt scooped up a Tiger fumble and ran 36 yards. The kick for the extra point was wide.

Canby almost scored again late in the quarter when Arndt recovered another Marshall fumble only 18 yards from pay dirt. But Larson ended that threat by intercepting a pass on the three yard line.

Marshall threatened several times in the fourth quarter but something always happened to prevent the touchdown. Once it was a fumble which Canby recovered on the one-yard line. However, two

plays later Marshall got two points on a safety when Carrow spilled Canby's Ronnie Meade behind the goal line.

Another Marshall scoring threat in the final period was nipped by a pass interception.

As for Marshall's defense, it 84 net yards on the ground although another 64 yards—mostly on passes into the flat—gave Canby a total of 148 for the game. They had five first downs.

An unusual aspect to the stat-limited the Lancers to only ties was the penalties. The officials were calling the game closely with the result that Marshall was penalized 11 times for a total of 81 yards while Canby was penalized 12 times for a total of 92 yards.

However, this wasn't nearly as amazing as Marshall's offensive performance which Coach George Rindelaub says produced the most single-game yardage of any team in his coaching career.

Here's how that yardage was made:

Larson carried the ball 22 times for 171 yards or an average of 7.7 yards per try. Olson carried 14 times for 158 yards or 11.2 yards per carry. Reese ground out 49 yards in 11 attempts for a 4.5 yard average. Bebler carried 8 times for 21 yards or 2.6 a carry; Fifield, 6 times for 37 yards and a 6.1 average; Ken Miller, twice for 10 yards or five yards per try.

In addition, Reese completed five of 10 passes to End Dave Ross for 45 yards total.

## Champs to Enter State Tourney

# MHS Badminton Meet Nears End

The biggest Marshall Junior and Senior High school badminton tournament next March in Minn-climax Friday with the playoff of the championship matches in the several divisions.

Titles to be decided in the final matches which are to get underway at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the high school gym are boys singles, girls' singles and mixed doubles for both the Junior High and Senior High players. Champions will earn the right to enter the state tournament next March in Minneapolis. In 1954 Jim Olson and Richard Ogle of MHS won state crowns.

Ten courts have been busy in pairing the field to the finalists. The Junior High mixed doubles had the biggest entry list with 102 starting out in 51 teams for the opening round. Other figures show: Junior High girls' singles, 84 entries; Junior High boys' singles, 80; Senior High boys' singles, 38; Senior High girls' singles, 32; and Senior High mixed doubles, 30 (15 teams).

Stu MacDonald and Miss Shir-

ley Scholten are tournament directors.

Badminton is not a minor sport at Marshall. From the number taking part and the interest displayed, badminton could very well rank as the No. 1 Sport.

Coming to Marshall after the war, MacDonald, a basketball player while at the University of Minnesota, cast around for a sport that the Physical Education department could develop. Badminton proved to be the sport and interest has developed every year.

In Junior High School over 150 boys and girls are competing for championships in boys singles, girls singles, and mixed doubles. In senior high school, another 100 boys and girls, are competing for the championships in senior brackets.

The bleachers will be full with cheering sections Friday. Adults will be in attendance, but the interest belongs to the students and that gold medal, indicating championships means just as much as any athletic letter.

## National Education Week Revelations

### Commercial in Marshall Public Schools

Parents of Marshall Public School students are noted for the interest they take in their children at school, and American Education Week is a week set aside by education to help students, parents and teachers become even better acquainted with the American System of Education. The phase of education to be dealt with in this article is the Commercial Department of the Marshall Public High School.

In our Commercial Department, the following courses are offered: Shorthand, Transcription, Office Practice, Bookkeeping and Typing. Shorthand and transcription are very useful courses, in that they aid students in acquiring a proficiency in writing word for word just as fast as a person would normally talk. This is done by memorizing a set of symbols and characters which makes use of vocal sounds instead of writing word for word by letter. This subject is useful for any person planning on entering a business profession.

Office practice is very essential for those students planning to work

in any type of a modern day office whether it be here in Marshall or in a much larger city. It acquaints the students with several types of office machines, their uses, and the basic fundamentals of their operation.

Bookkeeping is a subject well worth knowing whether a student plans on a business career, a farming occupation, or the vocation of being a housewife.

Typing is another subject which proves very valuable no matter what the student plans on doing in the future. In the not too distant future, typing will probably be a required subject in the American System of Education.

One of the most difficult problems of Commercial Education is that of getting more boys interested in the value and potential opportunities offered by such courses as Shorthand, Transcription, and Office Practice. The field for men in the business world is wide open but most high school boys fail to see the wonderful openings that are awaiting them.

Marshall High School also has a Commercial Club under the advisement of Miss Doris Drake. This organization does commercial work for some of the downtown offices and received pay for the tasks performed.

Citizens and parents of Marshall are cordially invited to inspect our commercial facilities

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## School Groups Slate Concert

The annual Christmas Musical groups of the Marshall Public Schools will present their annual Christmas music concert Tuesday, Dec. 20 in the High School auditorium.

Vocal groups from the grades, junior and senior high school will take part in the program which will start at 8 p.m.

Miss Veda Williams directs the grade school choirs. The high school groups are directed by Orion Lee.

The program will consist of favorite tunes, carols and folk songs of the Christmas season as well as the traditional Ken Darby's vocal setting of "Twas the Night Before Christmas."

There is no admission charge for this concert. The public is invited.

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## Tigers Prepare for Key Games This Weekend

With their biggest tests to date confronting them, Marshall HIGHS Tigers held a brief—but hard—scrimmage Tuesday as Coach Glen Moran readies the club for two acid foes—Lamberton here Friday and Owatonna at St. Peter Saturday.

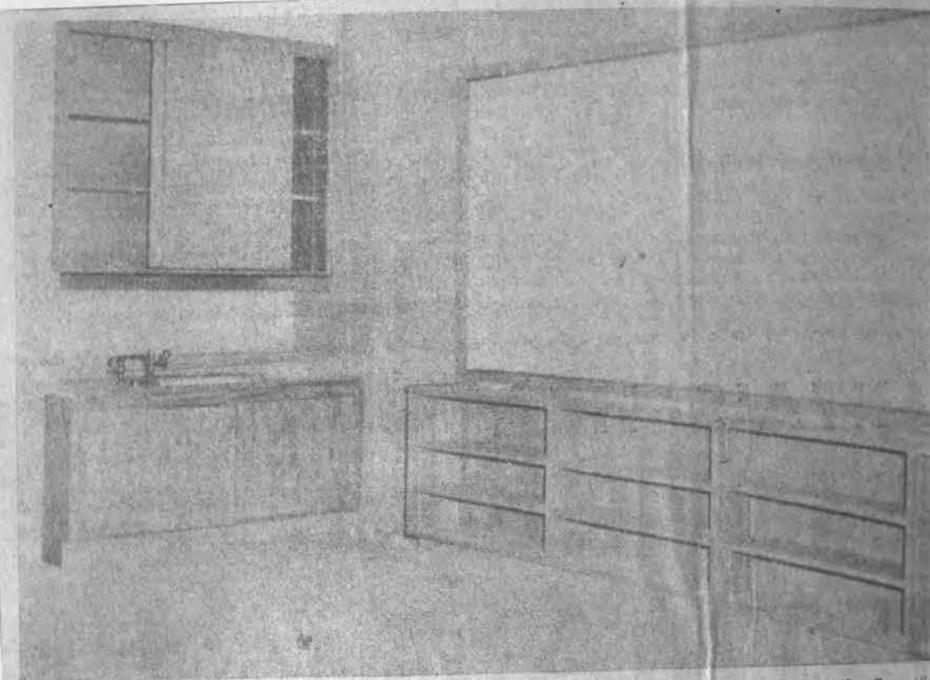
In Tuesday's workout forward Dick Larson was missing due to a cold and sore throat which kept him home from school. Then in Tuesday's workout center John Tomasek sprained his ankle slightly.

Coach Moran called the practice to a halt early after the good workout.

In Luverne Marshall will meet perhaps one of the strongest clubs in the state, if not the highest scoring. The Cards, coached by Harry Franz, whipped Jackson last week, 98-71. Prior to that Jackson has downed defending Southwest Conference champ Win-dom which in turn bowed to Minneapolis Washburn, defending state champ, in a tightly played game at Williams Arena in Minneapolis last Saturday as a prelude to the Minnesota-DePaul game.

Jim Cooney's 15-foot jump shot in the final five seconds gave Luverne a 52-51 win over MHS last year. Presently he is averaging 30-plus points per game in two outings.

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**PROGRESS REPORT**—Millwork is nearing completion at the East Side School addition, which was expected to be completed by Christmas but may not be—depending upon the availability of

materials. Still to be installed is the floor tile and the windows. This picture shows the cabinets in one of the classrooms.—Daily Messenger strobphoto.

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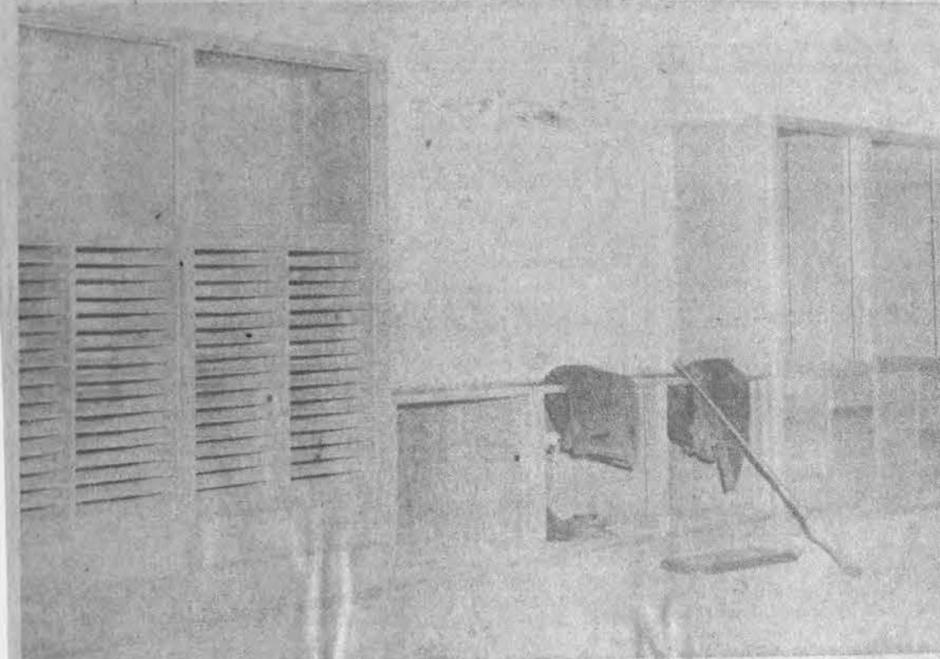


**LAY-IN TRADE**—Here are a couple of pictures of lay-ins from Friday's MHS-Canby game. In the photo at left Dick Blankenfeld (25, white) tallies the game's first basket (after MHS had scored a free throw) while Jim Olson of MHS watches. In picture at right Olson lays the ball in, while Gerry Halstenson (21) and Harvey Christensen (24) watch. MHS won, 57-50.—Daily Messenger photo.

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# 3 New School Facilities to Open After Christmas

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**NEARING COMPLETION**—The new shop addition to the Marshall high school is nearing completion. These are cabinets in the vocational agri-

culture room. The addition will be completed sometime during Christmas School vacation.—Daily Messenger strobphoto.

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**PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT**—These four Marshall High students believe that practice makes perfect, so they are turning up for their part in the music department's annual Christmas

program which will be held the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 20. Left to right they are: David Kirscht, Mary Johnson, Peggy Zellmer and David Powell.—Daily Messenger strobphoto.

## East Side Grade, 2 High School Additions Ready

Marshall public school students will make use of three new school facilities when they return to class January 9 after their Christmas vacations, which start at the close of school, Dec. 22.

A progress report made at the meeting of the Marshall School Board Monday indicates the East Side School addition and the shop agriculture and band room additions at the high school will be ready for occupancy.

Supt. L. M. Frey said only two rooms will be used the East Side addition — both for first grades. Miss Ruth Heuer's first grade, which has been meeting in the library, will occupy one of the rooms while another first grade class, still undetermined, will use the other.

This will free one classroom which will be used for vocal and instrumental music instruction, the superintendent said.

The other six classrooms in the East Side addition will be ready at the same time but won't be used until next Fall.

The band addition at the high school includes eight needed practice rooms plus office and storage space. In the past, musicians have practiced "all over the building," Frey said.

The agriculture and shop addition includes space for the wood-working, metal working and mechanical drawing departments must have an office, farm shop and classrooms for the agriculture department.

The classrooms being vacated by the agriculture department will be used for science classes while the space being vacated by the industrial arts department will be used for storage.

As for the West Side school, that will be enclosed this week and will be heated so that inside work can continue through the winter.

The board also hired Jerry Couture as a part-time custodian for the new shop building and the bandroom addition.



SHARE YOUR CHRISTMAS—Dianne Mork and Judy Jesen are shown making a contribution to the "Share Your Christmas" fund. Pupils in grades 7 to 12 are supporting the project. The proceeds will go into the School's Community Chest fund.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

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### Public Schools Close Thursday for Christmas

Christmas vacation for Marshall public school students begins at 3:30 p.m. Thursday.

Although classes won't meet, there still will be plenty of activity before school reopens Monday, Jan. 9.

An all-school party is set for Monday, Dec. 26 and the basketball team will play five games: Slayton, here, Friday, Dec. 23; Moundview, there, Dec. 29; Roseville, there, Dec. 30; Fulda, here, Jan. 7; and Worthington there, Jan. 7.

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As in Friday's 47-44 victory over Mounds View, Dave Ross again headed the MHS scoring with 16 points. For the two games he bagged 38 points. Russ Rose and Dave Hahn each tallied 17 for Ramsey, but lack of scoring balance cost Ramsey. After Ross, Dick Larson chipped in 13, Jim Olson, 12 and John Tomasek nine for the Tigers.

Coach Moran is expected to hold rugged practices this week as the Tigers put their first places SWC standing on the line both Friday and Saturday. After Fulda's visit here Friday, Marshall will go to

RAMSEY	FG	FT	PF	TP
Ganfield, f	2	2	3	6
Renner, f	0	0	0	0
Rose, f	6	5	4	17
Hahn, c	6	5	3	17
Godfrey, g	0	0	5	0
Bell, g	0	0	0	0
Miller, g	1	0	4	2
Martin, g	1	2	0	4
TOTALS	16	14	19	46



SCRAPPERS FOR BALL — Seen fighting for this loose ball in Friday's Marshall-Tracy game are Tracy's Monge (10 black) and Hanson (4 black) while Bob DeSchepper of MHS (7 white) stands by in the foreground. The Tigers beat the Scrappers, 54-33, in the Lyon county Civil War battle.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

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## Tigers Win Again

Sharp shooting and a tight defense featured Marshall High's 58-46 win, its eighth straight, Friday over Alexander Ramsey at the Roseville court.

The win concluded a successful two-game road trip before the Tigers swing back into Southwest Conference action Friday here against Fulda.

After a see-saw first quarter which MHS led, 17-12, Coach Glen Moran's club salted the game away late in the first half with five straight points. With Marshall leading, 22-16, John Tomasek hit a free throw, Dick Larson whirled in a hook and Bill Reese fired a jump shot home to send the Orange and Black to a 27-16 intermission lead.

It was never close after that. Once during the third frame the Tigers scored 15 points to Ramsey's two. This hiked the tally from 33-23 to 48-25, the latter being the widest point spread of the game. The third period closed at 48-29 and Moran substituted freely in the stretch run.

Worthington Saturday. Marshall is the only undefeated team left in the 11-team field SWC race, but unless all the other clubs lose twice, Marshall will not be able to lose one game and take the crown. The reason for this is that the Tigers play the fewest number of conference frays, eight, which is the minimum to qualify for title consideration.

The line and box score:

Marshall	17	10	21	10-33
Ramsey	12	4	13	17-46

MARSHALL	FG	FT	PF	TP
Larson, f-c	5	3	2	13
Cowan, f	0	0	1	0
Ross, f	5	6	2	16
Anderson, f	0	0	0	0
Tomasek, c	3	3	2	9
Skramstad, f	0	0	0	0
Peterson, c	1	0	0	2
Reese, g	3	0	3	6
DeSchepper, g	0	0	1	0
Olson, g	3	6	0	12
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	20	18	11	58

Jan 3

# Tigers own Canby, 57-50

By BOB HOOKER

CANBY—For the first time in three seasons, Marshall High appears to be out front in King's Row as far as the bestowing of the next District 9 crown is concerned.

Friday night Coach Glen Moran's Tigers drew first blood in an expected three-round bout with Canby by a 57-50 count at the Lancer gym. Both clubs are expected to collide sometime during the March 5-10 district showdown at this same Lancer lair following another regular season trial at MHS Feb. 10.

However, Wood Lake, victor of six straight, and Lake Benton's defending district titleholders are also in very strong contention for laurels in the 17-team district toga chase.

Although taking the lead for keeps at 20-19 on Bill Reese's jumper from the center of the key-hole with 3:02 to go in the half, Marshall was in hot water during the early stages of the tilt's final quarter. Twice Canby, coached by George Potter, almost overcame eight-point deficits (39-31 and 44-36) in this battle of two erstwhile 4-0 clubs.

However, the Tigers had it when the chips were down. As Coach Moran said following the tussle, "It took an all-out, overall good performance to win this one. The game was rough and tough all the way."

Coach Potter of the Lancers praised Marshall's defense. "Their defense beat us," he asserted, "and we didn't move like we should have." Potter also singled out Russ Emmons, in his first role as a starter, for playing a fine game for Canby. He got 10 points, including eight free throws.

Canby's final bid began with 1:20 to go in the third period—but the MHS crew counter acted it early in the fourth period in maintaining the lead to the end. With the Orange and Black Leading, 44-36, following successful free throws by Emmons and Dick Larson of MHS on a double foul, Canby closed the gap.

Six straight tallies in the final 80 seconds of the third quarter on two more free throws by Emmons and field goals by Emmons and Harvey Christensen, who was the game's top rebounder and sharer of high point honors with Larson at 15, narrowed Marshall's margin to 44-42 as the final frame got underway.

After Reese and Christensen traded buckets to make it 46-44, MHS, and seem headed to a victory when Marshall began a rally.

Before the hectic lidlifter was over, Norm Meyer of the Cubs had knotted regulation play at 28-28 all with two free throws with 12 seconds left. In the extra session, Bill Carrow settled it once and for all on a shot from underneath with 11 seconds left and Canby leading 32-31.

Ron Cragmile of Canby got 10, and Lloyd Reeser of the Bombers and Carrow each had eight.

The line and box score:

Marshall	14	15	15	13-57
Canby	14	11	17	8-50

MARSHALL	FG	FT	PF	TP
Larson, f-c	5	5	3	15
Ross, f	3	5	3	11
Tomasek, c	2	2	5	6
Skramstad, f	1	0	3	2
Olson, g	3	5	1	11
Reese, g	5	2	1	12
TOTALS	19	19	16	57

CANBY	FG	FT	PF	TP
Halstenson, f-c	2	1	4	5
Emmons, f	1	8	4	10
Otto, f	0	0	0	0
Salhus, f	1	0	1	2
Christensen, c	5	5	5	15
Christianson, g	6	2	1	14
Kloos, g	0	0	0	0
Blankenfeld, g	2	0	3	4
TOTALS	17	16	18	50

Dec 16<sup>th</sup>

### Marshall High Christmas Fund at Record High

Marshall High school students have made this the best Christmas ever as far as their "Share Your Christmas" campaign is concerned.

The fund, the high school Community Chest, reached \$449.99. This compares with \$328.90 last year.

Individual rooms gave as much as \$51.26 or \$40.53 or \$39.43. Each of these surpass the previous highs.

Checks already have been issued to the Junior Red Cross, the Christmas Seal fund as well as a children's home.

Included in the activities this year were boxes of clothing and Christmas dinners for needy families.

An appeal was made for clothing and a great deal came in. This clothing and the dinners were delivered by members of the Student Council working in teams. One anonymous donor completely clothes six youngsters.

Assisting the Student Council with money gifts were: the Current News club; the Good Times Study club, the Progress club, the VFW Auxiliary, and the Rotary club.

Jan 4<sup>th</sup>

## MHS Faces Big Battles in SWC; Fulda Here First

The blue chips are piled high—and they are up for grabs beginning tonight for the Marshall High cagers.

Coach Glen Moran sends his MHS crew in quest of two vitally needed wins against Fulda here tonight and Worthington there Saturday. Both games open up at 8:15 p.m. following B game prelims.

Although MHS stands 2-0 atop the Southwest Conference and is 8-0 over the season, the Tigers can't lose either game this weekend if they are to remain on their lofty perch in the SWC. Luverne stands 3-1 in the SWC. Worthington is 2-1. Fulda apparently is out of the title chase at 0-2.

Little is known about the two Tiger rivals of this weekend. Fulda lost to Luverne, 68-42, and in turn the Orange and Black routed the Cards, 79-60. That loss may be the only one for Luverne the rest of the way in the SWC, and the team could wind up at 10-1. Marshall plays only eight games and can't afford a conference setback.

Earlier in the year Fulda racked Lambertson, 59-46. The Black Hawks are one of the better clubs of the Straight 14 loop.

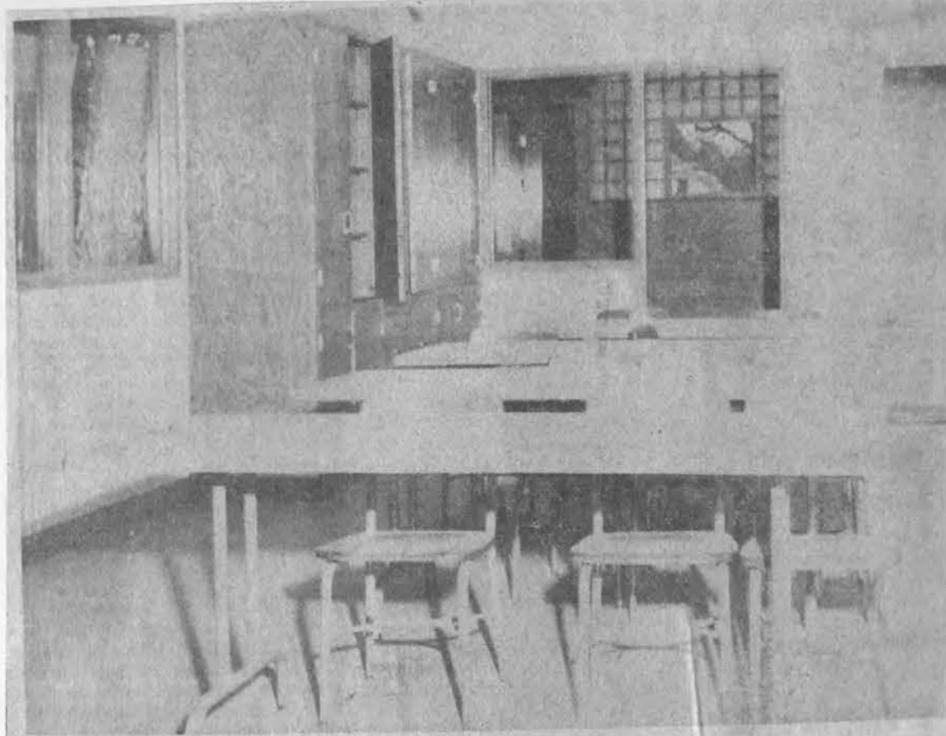
Turning to Worthington, Coach Ken Thompson's team has bowed only to Lakefield, 55-38 in the SWC. The team has whipped Fairmont, defending Region 2 champ, and for the year it is 3-2.

Worthington goes with an experienced — although height-shy — lineup. At the forwards are Butch Meyeraan and Joel Goldstrand. Dave Gardner plays the pivot, while Joe Roberts and Jim Hutton man the guards.

While Marshall High hopes to down Fulda tonight to maintain its place of leadership, Worthington will be at Luverne in an SWC elimination game. The loser with two losses should be on the sidelines the rest of the way as far as the crown is concerned.

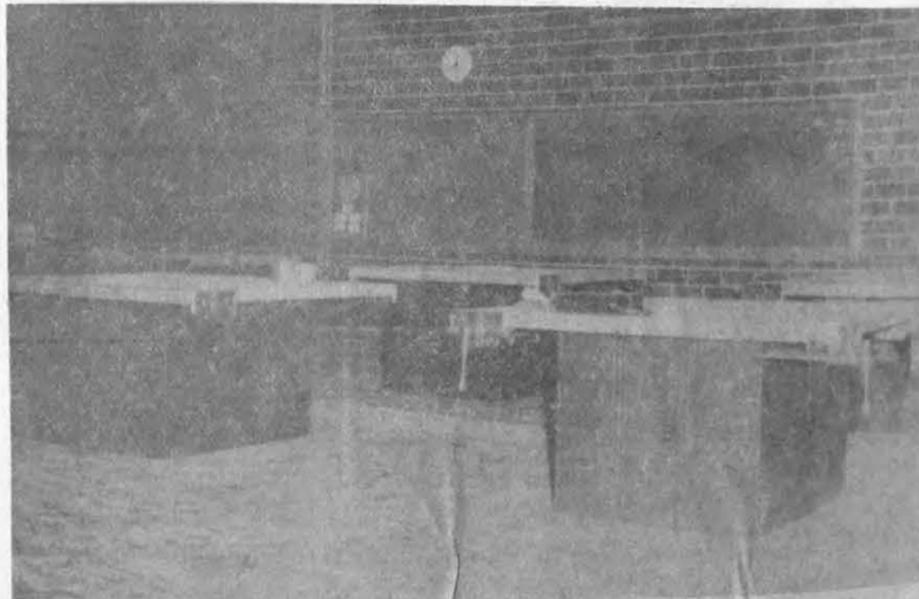
Beginning with the MHS game, Worthington plays seven of its last 11 games at home.

*Jan 6th*



**AG ROOM COMPLETED**—The new agriculture classroom in the addition to the high school is finished and will be ready for use Monday when classes resume after Christmas vacation.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

*Jan 6th*



**WOODWORKING SHOP**—The woodworking shop in the high school's new addition is finished and all power tools are installed. Sawdust will start to clutter the floor when the carpenters-to-be Christmas vacation ends Monday.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

*Jan 6th*



**LEAPING HIGH**—Ken Dothwell, of Fulda, tries a shot while Dave Ross, (6), attempts to block it, as Bill Reese, (3), and Dick Larson, (9) of the Tigers watch. Marshall won Friday night's game 73-58.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

*Jan 9th*

## TB Tests Scheduled Tuesday for Marshall School Children

Marshall public and parochial school children in grades one, two seven and 12 will be administered Mantoux tests for tuberculosis Monday.

Dr. Kathleen Jordan will visit the Marshall schools through the courtesy of Christmas Seals.

She will be at the Lyon Street school from 8:30 a.m. until noon; at the East Side school from 12:45 until 1:45 p.m.; at the Central school from 1:45 p.m. until finished.

Any adults who wish to be tested will be welcomed.

Second graders, who were eliminated from the 1955 spring program because of the polio inoculation program, are being included this time.

The Mantoux test is simple and harmless. It is made in injecting a small amount of germ-free liquid called tuberculin between the layers of skin on the forearm.

The area then is examined 72 to 96 hours later. If there is no reaction, the test is negative which means there are no TB germs in the body.

A red, raised area is a positive reaction. It usually means TB germs are present in the body. However, a positive test is no cause for great alarm. It should be followed by a chest x-ray to determine whether the germs have harmed that part of the body.

Positive reactors will be x-rayed free of charge. There is no fee for the Mantoux test.

*Jan 11th*

## School Hires Math Teacher

Miss Evelyn Cathcart, Glenwood, was engaged as a substitute teacher as the Marshall School Board met Monday.

Miss Cathcart, who majored in junior high school mathematics, graduated from Monmouth (Ill.) college and received her master's degree from Miami (Ohio) University.

In other business the board: Called for bids on stage curtains for the Little Theater at the East Side Grade school and the stage at the West Side grade school. These are to be opened Feb. 13.

Decided to hold an open house at the new industrial arts and vocational agriculture addition at the high school but didn't set any date.

Offered contract continuations to Supt. L. M. Frey and three principals: Merril Olson, high school; Norman Olson, assistant; Ivan Underdahl, elementary.

*Jan 10th*

## 'Civil War' Again as MHS Takes on Scrappers Tonight

With the stage set for the upset of the year, Tracy's winless Scrappers invade the MHS gym tonight for an 8:15 p.m. renewal of the Lyon County Civil War with Marshall High's unbeaten Tigers. Saturday, Minnesota's Vikings

clash. If Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black brigade has anything to say about tonight's tussle, another in a long arch-rivalry series, the local contingent should cop on the basis of past performances this season.

On paper, Marshall stands out. The MHS five has blasted its way to 10 straight wins and has taken the early lead in the Southwest. The Tigers have averaged 64.2 points per game to their opponents 48.9.

On the other hand, Coach Nels Schjel's crew from the southern part of the county has lost seven straight. Tracy is going with an inexperienced team this year and has had only one letterman, 5-11 Curt Jette, to rely upon from last year's team.

Last week Tracy showed great improvement in losing to Pipestone 58-44.

Tonight's game, following a 7 p.m. B team preliminary between the two schools, will count in the SWC standings. The Tigers at 4-0 stands one-half game ahead of Luverne and must sweep the Tracy series and two games with Pipestone in order to remain aloft the 11-team SWC pack.

The incentive is there for both teams. For Marshall, it puts its perfect record and its SWC leadership on the block. Tracy can call the season a success anytime it beats MHS—especially when it sends a winless club against a tough, unbeaten arch rival.

As for Saturday's tussle with Minnesota, Coach Bob Tadsen's Vikings, 2-5 on the year, have dropped some tight decisions in their early games. Last year's sub-district runnersup have bowed to Ivanhoe, 48-46 and to Hendricks, 48-45. Minnesota has whipped Lynd, 62-49 and Cottonwood, 65-41.

Starting time for the Minnesota game Saturday will also be 8:15 p.m. following another B team battle between the two schools. Coach Bill Welch's MHS Cubs stand 6-1. Last Saturday marked their first setback when Worthington hung on to post a 30-23 win after the locals trailed 15- at one time and 18-7 at the half.

*Jan 13th*

# Tigers Crush SWC Foes

By BOB HOOKER

Marshall High won its ninth and 10th straight ball games over the weekend by whipping Fulda, 73-58, Friday and Worthington, 62-38, Saturday.

By Winning the big pair of Southwest Conference games, the all-victorious Tigers protected their leadership of the SWC pack. Now 4-0 in league play, the Tigers need only to sweep two each from Tracy and Pipestone to snare the title. This is the first year that the Orange and Black will play enough games to be eligible for the crown.

Only Luverne (4-1) and Windom (2-1) stand an outside chance of taking the marbles from Coach Glen Moran's club.

## FULDA

Utilizing the fast break to get balanced scoring, the Tigers ripped Fulda, 73-58, Friday here.

A rally late in the first half and 16 of 32 field shots put Coach Moran's crew into a 36-25 intermission bulge. The closest the Raiders, now 3-7, could get in the second half was eight points at 36-44 and 40-48. Marshall's widest margin was 23 points at 69-46 near the end of the fray.

Four first stringers and sub Galen Skramstad all tallied in double figures for the MHS club. Dave Ross led the point production with 18. Skramstad had 14, Dick Larson and Bill Reese a dozen each, and Jim Olson countered 10.

Wayne Meyer of Fulda was tops for the night with 23, his nine field goals coming primarily on hooks. However, Dick Geerdes was far back with 10 as the second highest for Coach Clem Stramel's visitors.

In moving the ball rapidly all night, the Tigers poured on the coal. The opening quarter found Olson twice going the length of the floor for fast break lay-ins. Once Ross drove all the way underneath and then put it away two-handed back over his head.

Later in the second half Reese raced ¾ the length of the court, stopping on a dime at the edge of the key and potting a jump. Skramstad, in a brilliant relief performance for John Tomasek when the latter drew his fourth foul midway in the second quarter, made a pair of sensational buckets.

One came as the third quarter ended when he popped a jumper from deep front court to make the count 56-42 with the buzzer. Another time Skrammie stole the ball and raced in for a lay-in to make it 66-46.

## WORTHINGTON

Marshall, following its pattern in whipping Fulda Friday, set another blistering pace Saturday to blast Worthington's cold Trojans, 62-38 in a foul-filled skirmish.

While the Tigers were connecting on 18 of 39 field attempts for .462, Coach Ken Thompson's club could manage but nine of 45 for .200. MHS got nine for 20 the first half to Worthington's 3- for -19 in building up a commanding 32-16 margin.

Marshall cashed in on 26 of 35 free throws, while Worthington got 20 of 33.

After the half Worthington got within 11 twice at 32-21 and 40-29, but after that second count, the Tigers scored 14 straight points in building up a 54-29 span. The third frame ended at 53-29.

Dick Larson countered 18 and John Tomasek 17 for the MHS team. However, for one of the few times this season the Tigers did not come up with balanced scoring. The third highest was Jim Olson at eight points.

Dave Gardner, the sensational quarter back of last fall, was tops for Worthington with 11 before he fouled out. Next in line for the Trojans was Joe Hutton with nine. After that Worthington was pretty meek in the point-making department. The Tiger defense was just too tough to penetrate plus the fact that the Trojans could not hit.

Next in line for the Tigers is Tracy. The Scrappers are winless, but anything can happen in a Marshall - Tracy "Civil War" battle Friday.

Jan 9th

## The line and box score:

Fulda	13	12	17	16-58
Marshall	19	17	20	17-73
<b>FULDA</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Zins, f	1	1	3	3
Habermann, f	0	0	0	0
Bothwell, f	3	1	2	7
Reusse, f	1	0	1	2
Meyer, c	9	5	5	23
Beckman, c	0	0	1	0
Gunderman, c	1	0	1	2
Geerdes, g	5	0	1	10
Kunz, g	0	2	0	2
Czepa, g	4	1	0	9
Wall, g	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>58</b>

<b>Marshall</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Larson, f-c	5	2	3	12
Cowan, f	0	0	0	0
Ross, f	7	4	1	18
Anderson, f	0	0	1	0
Tomasek, c	2	3	4	7
Skramstad, f	3	8	1	14
Reese, g	5	2	0	12
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0
Olson, g	5	0	2	10
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>73</b>

## The line and box score:

Marshall	15	17	21	9-62
Worthington	9	7	13	9-38
<b>Marshall</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Larson, f-c	4	10	5	18
Ross, f	1	4	2	6
Cowan, f	0	0	0	0
Tomasek, c	5	7	4	17
Anderson, c	2	0	1	4
Olson, g	3	2	3	8
Skramstad, g-if	1	1	1	3
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0
Reese, g	2	2	4	6
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0

<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>Worthington</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Meyeraan, f	0	2	4	2
Grunstad, c	1	0	0	2
Preston, f	0	4	4	4
Greve, f	0	0	0	0
Ehlers, c	1	0	0	2
Gardner, c	3	5	5	11
Kopp, c	0	0	0	0
Roberts, g	0	4	3	4
Johnson, g	0	0	1	0
Goldstrand, g	1	0	1	2
Hutton, g	3	3	4	9
Bixby, g	0	2	0	2
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>38</b>

## Marshall High Students Taking Mid-Year Exams

Marshall High School students are in the midst of mid-semester examinations this week.

One-half of the year's work will be completed with the end of the present six weeks period. Report cards will be going out on Wednesday, Jan. 25.

Changes will be made in the subject matter in the seventh and eighth grades as those who completed music go into art classes or into industrial arts or home economics. No half-year subjects are offered in the local schools.

The seniors have completed two weeks of guidance and now are in the process of making applications for college, trade schools, or business college. Work that they have completed recently covers the phase of guidance which becomes a part of their permanent record in the high school.

In activities, declamation is getting under way with D. R. Dick in charge. More than 60 students are expected to be working daily in this event.

G. Orton Lee is preparing for the Mid-Winter Concert.

Jan 18 '56

# Tigers Slash 2 More

Jan 19th

## MHS 5 Runs Record to 12-0 by Beating Tracy, Minnesota

Although playing rather shoddily, in comparison to past performances, Marshall High's unbeaten Tigers easily hiked their season's record to 12-0 by waltzing by Tracy, 54-33 Friday and then dodging Minnesota, 44-38, in a game not nearly as close as the score would indicate.

Coach Glen Moran's charges used to brilliant quarters to sew up each game. Against Tracy, the second stanza paid off. After a 12-12 start the first eight minutes, the Orange and Black boomed to a 34-17 halftime lead.

In the Minnesota game, just the opposite pattern took shape. The Tigers ran rampant to a 19-6 quarter lead and then played a loose 4-all second period standoff in taking a 23-10 halftime lead.

By winning from Tracy, Marshall stands 5-0 in the Southwest Conference chase with three loop struggles left. Another win over the Scrappers and two over Pipestone will give Marshall the title regardless of what the other two contenders, Windom and Luverne, do the rest of the way.

Tracy	12	5	4	12-33
Marshall	12	22	10	10-54
<b>TRACY</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Paulsen, f	1	0	2	2
Prouty, f	2	0	0	4
Welsh, f	3	3	3	9
Monge, f	1	0	0	2
Hassenstab, c	3	2	3	8
Knutsen, c	0	0	0	0
Hansen, g	3	2	2	0
Jette, g	0	0	5	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>33</b>

<b>Minnesota</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Marshall	6	4	10	18-38
Geiwitz, f	2	4	1	8
Schreiber, f	0	0	1	0
Moorse, f	5	5	3	15
Stevens, f	0	0	1	0
Hanson, c	1	2	2	4
Rafanson, c	1	1	0	3
D. Stalpes, g	1	3	4	5
J. Stalpes, g	0	0	1	0
Flemming, g	1	0	1	2
Christenson, g	0	1	0	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>38</b>

## MHS Ranks No. 3 in Paper Poll

Marshall High Sunday was ranked as the state's No. 3 club by the St. Paul Pioneer Press.

The Tigers were placed behind Red Wing and New Prague. Like MHS, both are unbeaten. Back of Marshall came powerful Willmar and twice - defeated St. Louis Park.

<b>Marshall</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>PF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Ross, f	7	6	2	20
Cowan, f	0	0	0	0
Skramstad, f	4	1	2	9
Larson, c	2	1	3	5
Olson, g	1	1	3	3
Bebler, g	0	0	0	0
Reese, g	2	1	5	5
DeSchepper, g	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>44</b>

After a nip-and-tuck 12-all first period, Marshall High boomed to a 34-17 halftime lead and then went on to whip winless Tracy, 54-33 at MHS Friday.

The Tigers, in winning their 11th straight encounter and fifth in the Southwest Conference to preserve their loop lead, swished the nets at a .481 clip the first half. Coach Moran's club rang the bell on 13 of 27 field tries.

However, the Tigers slowed up the second half getting 10 points in each the third and fourth frames. For the night MHS shot .370 on 20 for 54.

Meanwhile, Tracy had difficulties from the second quarter on. Coach Nels Schjei's Scrappers could get but 14 buckets on 52 attempts for a .269 mark.

Nevertheless, for one period Tracy made this Lyon County Civil War an interesting skirmish. Perhaps it was Friday the 13th, too, when the Scrappers, 0-7 before the game, took 8-7 and 10-8 leads in the first of this season's two games between the arch-rivals.

However, with John Tomasek and Dave Ross scoring 14 points apiece for the night, the Orange and Black soon had the upper hand for keeps.

In the B squad preliminary, Coach Bill Welch's MHS Cubs ran their record to 7-1 in taking a 36-24 verdict from Tracy's B team. Clarence Elise and Bill Carrow led the way for Marshall.

Although John Tomasek, the regular pivotman, was absent from this one with influenza, the Tigers crawled to an easy win over Minnesota, now 2-7 on the year, by a 44-38 count.

With a 35-26 third quarter lead, Coach Moran cleared his bench in this Dist. 9 game against the Vikings. In the second and third periods MHS could only manage 16 points after building up a commanding 19-6 first quarter lead.

Coach Bob Tadsen's team played poorly in contrast to an all-out effort Friday against Lake Benton's defending Dist. 9 champs. But Saturday the Viks were off on the wrong foot to start and they never could get in stride.

A dull second quarter found the two teams going just four points apiece to send the Tigers out with a 23-10 intermission buldge.

With Tomasek out of this one, Dick Larson played the pivot and the No. 6 man, Galen Skramstad, did a capable job of filling Larson's forward spot. He checked in with nine. Dave Ross led the attack with 20. Fran Moorse got 15 for Minnesota.

Again, as in Friday's fray, the Tigers did not burn up the nets—but then they didn't have to. Saturday the club hit at a .333 clip on 17 for 51, while Minnesota was getting but 11 field goals.

In the B team preliminary Coach Bill Welch's Cubs won a 39-30 verdict over Minnesota. Quarter scores were 10-2, 17-4 and 27-19 for the winners. Jim Williams with 12 and Bill Carrow with nine led the Cubs, while Sanders canned 11 for Minneots.

Helped Christians Economically

# Marshall Teacher Ran Mission School

Mission schools, such as the one which Miss Evelyn Cathcart operated in Sialkot City, Pakistan, are helping Christians find a new place in the economy of a new nation.

Miss Cathcart, a native of Glenwood, Minn., currently is teaching mathematics in the Marshall Junior High school.

She said, "Before India was partitioned (in 1947) into India and Pakistan, Hindus and Sikhs were the large landowners and they employed the Christians. After partition, the land was broken into small parcels and given to Moslem refugees from India."

Just how this would work out becomes apparent when one understands that Pakistan now is almost 100 per cent Moslem. Hindus and Sikhs, who held different beliefs, left after the partition for India, where persons of their beliefs were more readily accepted.

With the large landowners gone and with the land divided into small parcels, the Christians had

to find a new place in the economy. Many of them returned to sweeping, one of the lowest of occupations according to the Indian

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Miss Evelyn Cathcart

caste system. "However, with the Christian education program, Christians have been able to compete with the Moslems for better places," Miss Cathcart said. "Christians are teachers, lawyers, nurses, clerks."

She pointed out education has an added importance in India because of the high rate of illiteracy.

For instance, Miss Cathcart was in charge of a United Presbyterian girl's school. Girls were taught from the first grade through high school. In addition there was a teachers school, a two-year course.

"We took girls for teachers' training after they finished the eighth grade so you couldn't call it a teachers' college," Miss Cathcart said.

These girls then would teach the primary grades—one through five. Both Christians and Moslems were educated at the school and all were given Christian religious instruction.

There were 180 girls in the

"boarding department" plus another 225 girls who came in by the day. The staff included 30 Pakistani teachers and two missionaries.

In the same city, which had a population of approximately 100,000, the United Presbyterians maintain a boys' school with approximately 500 students and a hospital.

"Sialkot is a very old city," Miss Cathcart said. "It is mentioned in history at the time Alexander the Great came down into India."

Miss Cathcart has spent 30 years in the missionary field. She now is home on furlough but intends to return. Except for two years in India, she has always been in the area which now is Pakistan.

She has been in educational work for about five years. Prior to that, she was engaged in district evangelistic work. She arrived in the United States in May after her last tour of duty.

This month she officially joined the Marshall public school faculty as a full-time teaching substitute.

## Tigers to Host Redwood Falls Friday Night

It's one 13 after another for Marshall High.

Last Friday, on Friday the 13th, Coach Glen Moran's unbeaten Tigers successfully handled the Lyon County Civil War clash with Tracy, 54-33.

This Friday the Orange and Black tries for its 13th straight win when it hosts Redwood Falls. In a Dec. 2 meeting at Redwood, the Tigers licked a very inexperienced Card Club, 60-41.

However, Coach Bob Scholl's Redbirds have made rapid strides since then. The 'Birds have won three tilts during the course of the season in addition to taking their several lickings. Last week Redwood lost a heartbreaking 56-55 nod to Sleepy Eye. It has been one of several tight games Redwood has played in recent weeks.

As for Coach Moran's club, the Tigers have not been working too hard in practice this week, following the sweep of last weekend's play. Saturday MHS downed Minneota, 44-38, after packing a 35-20 lead into the final frame.

"Redwood has improved a great deal since we played them in their opener Dec. 2," Moran points out. "We have been brushing up on fundamentals this week, but have not held long scrimmages." It had not been decided when the paper went to press today what the Tigers would do tonight in the last workout before going in quest of win No. 13.



IN REHEARSAL — Victor Moeller, Brewster (Minn.) music instructor, led the massed CC band during the district band festival held Saturday at Marshall High school. The CC band included musicians from Balaton, Wood Lake, Hanley Falls, Lynd, Russell, Ruthon, Verdi, Milroy, Cottonwood and Hendricks.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Jan 19th

Jan 30th

# Tigers Stave off Arrows

By BOB HOOKER

PIPESTONE—It was slippery going for Marshall High's Tigers Friday, but a 21-5 last quarter bulge sent Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black band past a stubborn Pipestone team, 60-41. The win was the 14th straight for MHS, which now boasts the longest winning skein in the state.

By winning this fray which was much closer than the final score indicates, the Tigers hurdled one of its last obstacles to a first South-west Conference title. Now 6-0 in the SWC to Luverne's 7-1, MHS needs only to win at Tracy Feb. 3 and to lick Pipestone again Feb. 17 at Marshall. In an earlier meeting the Tigers blitzed winless Tracy, 54-33.

Surprisingly enough, Pipestone, now 6-5 on the season and 3-4 in the SWC, dominated play most of the first half which ended 29-all. Only two buckets by MHS pivot-man John Tomasek in the last 40 seconds before the intermission saved the Tigers from leaving the floor in arrears.

More of the same resistance came from Coach Ken Merritt. Arrows after the third period got underway. With only 2:03 left in the third period, the black-shirted visitors finally managed their third lead—but which turned out to be a permanent one—of the game.

Bill Reese's one-hand set shot from the centered back edge of the key at this point put the Tigers ahead for keeps, 37-35. At the 1:35 mark Jim Olson, Reese's running mate at guard, bagged two free throws, but Pipestone's Ron Bloem, who tallied 16 points, hit a gifter to close a 19-7 MHS third quarter with the Tigers on top, 39-36.

Nine straight MHS points in the first 2 minutes of the final frame broke the Arrows. It was not until only 4:30 was left that Dale Stoerber countered for Pipestone's first score of the period. That bucket closed the gap to only 48-38. Soon, from a 50-39 count, the Tigers rifled home eight more consecutive tallies for a 58-39 count.

The game's final scoring came on one play as Bloem drove in for an Arrow bucket, but in the process Dave Ross was fouled. The Tiger ace wound up a 23-point night by caging two of his seven free throws for the 60-41 final.

In that first half, a very cold one for Marshall, the Tigers led only at 12-10 in losing the opening stanza, 14-12. In the second frame an opening bucket by Ross from underneath and an accompanying free throw sent MHS ahead, 15-14.

However, seven straight markers put Pipestone into a 21-15 lead. The Arrows more or less maintained this lead until Tomasek's two fielders just before the end of the half reversed the trend. Shootingwise, Pipestone locked itself in the second half with only five bullseyes in 34 shots for a mark of .147. Meanwhile, Marshall was dumping 10 of 26 for .385 for its final 19-14 field goal edge.

In the first half, the figures were just reversed. Each made



RECEIVES AWARD — Miss Nancy Seiler, Marshall High school senior is the winner of the "Homemaker of the Future" award for 1956, for Marshall High school. She is eligible to compete for state honors. The gold pin she is wearing was presented her with the award.—Daily Messenger photo.

Jan 31st

Jan 30th

nine baskets, but it took MHS 37 shots to 29 for Pipestone. That left the Bengals at .243 to Pipestone's .310 when they went out at the intermission. When it was all over each had fired 63 times, but MHS was 302 to the Arrows' .222 on the 19-14 Tiger edge from the floor.

Marshall hit 22 of 29 free throws, while Pipestone was getting only 13 of 21, missing many first shots of the "bonus" common foul tries. With 17 personal fouls, Pipestone had one more than MHS.

Only Tracy dots the Tiger schedule next weekend. The Friday game will be at the Scrapper lair where a 14-0 club will tangle with a 0-10 one in the second Lyon County Civil War cage fracas of the season.

The only player to hit in double figures besides Bloem of the Arrows and Ross was Reese of the Tigers. He got a dozen. Tomasek and Olson hit nine, and Stoerber of Pipestone flipped in eight.

In the B game preliminary, Coach Bill Welch's MHS Cubs ran their record to 9-1 by posting a 33-25 verdict, despite hitting only one bucket in 11 tries the second half. It was 26-14 for the Cubs at halftime. Bill Carow with 17 led Marshall, while Curt Roester got 10 for Pipestone.

The line and box score:

Marshall	12	17	10	21	60
Pipestone	14	15	7	5	41
<b>MARSHALL</b>					
Larson, f	2	3	5	7	
Skramstad, f	0	0	1	0	
Ross, f	8	7	2	23	
Tomasek, c	2	5	3	9	
Reese, g	4	4	3	12	
Olson, g	3	3	2	9	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>60</b>	
<b>PIPESTONE</b>					
Bloem, f	5	6	3	16	
Lettow, f	0	3	1	3	
D. Stoerber, f	3	2	1	8	
Reismeyer, f	0	0	2	0	
Arndahl, c	2	0	3	4	
Arneson, c	3	0	0	6	
Benthin, c	0	0	0	0	
Johnson, g	0	0	1	0	
Cunningham, g	0	0	3	0	
Shierk, g	1	2	3	4	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	

Feb 2nd



**HARD AT WORK**—The members of the Marshall high school annual staff are hard at work to produce the 1956 Marhian, the annual year book. Shown here are Janet Zimmer, (seated) co-editor, Val Christianson, Miss Mary King, advisor (seated) and Maxine Qunell, co-editor.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

### Tigers to Tangle with Tracy Tonight; 'Civil War' Clash Could Lead to Title

On the face of it, Marshall High's unbeaten Tigers shouldn't have too much trouble with Tracy, still seeking its first triumph of the season, tonight at Tracy in an important 8:15 p.m. Southwest Conference fray for MHS.

However, this is another battle in the Lyon County Civil War—which means almost anything can happen between the two arch-rivals. For the 1955-56 athletic year the two schools have split. Tracy won the football game last fall, 28-13, and Coach Glen Moran's cagers won the first basketball meeting Jan. 13 at MHS, 54-33.

Both have a lot to gain. With a 6-0 record, Marshall is on the threshold of the SFC loop's throne-room. Only the Scrappers, coached by Nels Schjei, and Pipestone, to be played Feb. 17, stand in the Tiger's path to the title.

Feb 3rd

Luverne, at 7-1, still is a big threat for the title, but the Cards can't do anything but hope that MHS loses one of its final two games. Meanwhile, Luverne will try to take three more clubs while wishing for a favor from Tracy or Pipestone.

Tracy, 10-time losers, certainly would get "Upset of the Year" recognition should it beat the Orange and Black, victors of 14 straight games and currently boasting the longest win skein in the state. But the odds are very much against the Scrappers despite the home floor advantage. A Tracy win would cap an otherwise dismal season.

In the first meeting at Marshall Tracy stood toe-to-toe with the Tigers slightly over a quarter. But from a 12-all opening period standoff, the MHS crew raced off to a 24-7 intermission lead and had stretched this to 44-21 by the end of the third frame.

Inexperienced, Tracy has only Curt Jette back from last season's monogram winner list. While Dave Ross and John Tomasek were netting 14 points apiece for Marshall in the first set - to, Welch got nine to lead Tracy. Dick Larson's eight for the Tigers wiped out one of Tracy's two eight point men, Phil Hassenstab and Hanson.

Going into tonight's game the Tigers carry a victory margin of 16.1 points per game. The Bengals have tallied 62.5 points on the average while giving up 46.4.

A 7 p.m. opener between the two B clubs will find Coach Bill Welch's Cubs in quest of their 10th victim in 11 tries.

### Senior Committees Busy

Four committees in the senior class are busily getting ready for graduation. The committees—flowers, colors, motto, and invitations are each made up of four members including a committee chairman and secretary.

Feb 3

## High School Boys Learn to Bowl



**PINSETTING**—For the past two years, something new has been added to the program—intramural bowling for all boys in the last four years of high school. They meet one night a week. Each boy is required to set pins one game (like Dick Engum is doing here) and is allowed to bowl three games. Because they set their own pins, the boys get a special price.



**MARKING**—Among other things, the boys learn to keep score—a somewhat tricky procedure for the uninitiated. Learning together—and from practice—are (left to right) Merle Hess, Dennis Logue, Kenneth Knobbe and Dave Kirscht. They were among the group which bowled after school Tuesday.



**TEACHING**—S. E. (Stu) MacDonald teaches youngsters such as Ed Luckow (learning the grip) the rudiments of the game. "All we can do is develop an interest," MacDonald says. "The skill comes later." He pointed out the girls have the same type of program under Miss Shirley Scholten. The bowling is done at the Recreation Center. MacDonald says, "Both benefit from the setup. We're developing customers for the Center and the Center is helping our program."—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



**BOWLING**—For seven years, bowling has been a part of the physical education program at Marshall High school. During that period, many boys like Tom Nehls (bowling) have learned the fundamentals of the game. Under the program, they were taught scoring, grip, stance and other parts of the game in their 10th grade physical education classes, then spent five class periods at the bowling alley.

## Tigers Near Title, Travel to Pipestone

Tonight could be the title game for Marshall High's Tigers as far as title hopes of the Southwest Conference race are concerned.

Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black cagers jaunt to Pipestone to battle the Arrows at 8:15 p.m. in game No. 6 of the Tigers' eight-game SWC card. The loop's title quest has boiled down to a two-way fight between MHS (5-0) and Luverne (7-1). The Cards do not play a loop contest this weekend.

Marshall, which enters tonight's tussle with a perfect 13-0 mark, can hardly afford to lose a loop contest if it is to win the Southwest toga. This lies in the fact that Luverne, apparently over the hump of its schedule after dodging these same Arrows, 71-53, last week, plays 11 games.

If the Cards have smooth sailing from now on, then they will come in at 10-1. One MHS loss would leave the Tigers at 7-1, which would not beat Luverne's potential 10-1 mark.

The Bengals have only to play winless Tracy, which they clawed, 54-33, Jan. 13, in a return game at Tracy Feb. 3 and a second tilt with Pipestone, coached by Ken Merritt, here Feb. 17.

Pipestone is already known to some local fans. The Arrows fell to Central Catholic High's Queensmen, 61-49, here that same Jan. 13 when MHS was winning its Lyon County Civil War struggle from Tracy. After trailing badly in the early going, once at 35-20, the Arrows, a top club, bounced back to within four at 45-41 before falling back for keeps.

In the game against Central Dale Amdahl, Pipestone's big pivotman, worked directly under the bucket to pick up his 10 points. Ron Bloem, who hit 11 for the green-shirts, and Dale Stoeber, the biggest Pipestone player at 65, worked out in front court most of the night.

However, Jim Arneson, who sat out the Central battle, is expected to be in the starting Arrow lineup at a forward which means that Stoeber will either move to Amdahl's pivot spot or go to the bench.

In other words, it will be Arneson with either Stoeber or Amdahl. Undoubtedly, all three will not be in the lineup at once as Merritt has been concerned about his club's slowness thus far.

Tonight's game, to be preceded by a B team prelim in which Marshall hopes to run its 10-1, again will be theativity of the weekend for gers. Last week the team started the first of four straight weekends in which only one game will be played. The Tigers, after having a heavy first half-season schedule lowered the boom on Redwood Falls, 75-49 last week.

Feb 8, 1956

## With Flowers MHS Students to Fete Parents

Marshall High school students honor their mothers and dads Friday, Feb. 10.

Each year all the mothers and dads of the A Squad basketball team are invited to attend a basketball game.

Special seats are provided for them on the floor. Between games, each boy's name is called and he pins flowers on his mother and dad — a symbol for every mother and dad in High School.

At the conclusion of the game, the girls in the Student Council will serve a lunch for the parents in the Home Economics room.

The Student Council sponsors this project.

## MHS Student Council Sets Sportsmanship Code

The Marshall High school student Council, after working for weeks, has evolved a Sportsmanship Code.

After securing a great deal of information from available sources and much discussion, the Student Council, arrived at these points:

1. That I will avoid every form of cheating and dishonorable practices.
2. That I will use my power and influence for the common good.
3. That I will take an active part in some activity and try to do my best.
4. That I will follow my team and support them.
  - a. follow the cheerleaders.
  - b. respect the decision of officials.
5. That I will carry on the ideals and traditions of Marshall High School.

Feb 9, 1956

## Montevideo Game Tickets to Be Offered Feb. 17

Marshall season ticket holders will have the opportunity to purchase tickets Friday, Feb. 17, for the Montevideo game, which is Feb. 18.

Montevideo sent over 150 adult tickets and all season ticket holders have first opportunity to purchase these tickets during that day and during the first game at Marshall the evening of the 17th.

Tickets will be on sale in the office. One ticket may be purchased by every season ticket holder. Any tickets left will be available to the Marshall public.

Students get first chance on all tickets going on sale.

Feb 8, 1956



AWARD WINNERS—These four girls, members of the local FHA chapter, will travel to Minneapolis on March 9 and 10 for the state FHA convention. All of the girls will receive their State Degrees in

FHA. The girls are, left to right, Janet Maronde, Beverley Kramer, Nancy Seiler and Carolyn Dale. —Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Feb. 23, 1956

## Marshall FHA Girls to Attend State Convention

Nine FHA members from Marshall will attend the Future Homemakers of America State Convention at the Radisson Hotel in Minneapolis March 10 and 11. Janet Maronde, Beverly Kramer, Nancy Seiler and Carolyn Dale will receive their State degrees.

Jan Rivard will be co-chairman of the State Program Development and will assist in presenting the report of the discussion groups to complete the delegation. She and Beverly will act as heads of discussion groups.

The main event will be the formal banquet Friday evening with Rev. Reuben Youngdahl as guest speaker.

Beverly Kramer will bring greetings from the National office banquet. The honorary members and State Award members will be announced.

There will be about 1,000 girls at the convention.

## Marshall High Students Prepare for Declam

Declamation contest preparation is quietly going forward at Marshall High School while most of the talk is "basketball."

Students are preparing for the local contest Thursday, March 1. All divisions will meet to select the representatives for the district contest.

The divisions are: Oratory, memorized oratory, Humorous, dramatic, extemporaneous speaking, manuscript reading.

The declamation contest works the same as basketball; first the district, then regional, and finally state.

Feb. 22

# A Tiger Canby

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By BOB HOOKER

Marshall High's unblemished Tigers, staggered by Canby in the early going, picked themselves off the deck and then kayoed the Lancers, 91-70, Friday for their 16th consecutive triumph, including a pair over Canby. The 91 points is a new all-time MHS mark.

In Dist. 9, Canby fell back—but not too far—in King's Row which Marshall High obviously leads at this stage. A third game would be "The Big One."

A 56-point second half to snap a 35-all intermission deadlock featured the important Dist. 9 win by Coach Glen Moran's MHS crew. In fact, just before the midway rest point,

the Orange and Black rallied from a 35-25 deficit with 10 straight tallies in the last 1:40 of the half.

This momentum reached its full force in the second half when the Tigers had 24 and 32-point quarters, respectively, the final two frames. In doing this, Marshall connected on 24 of 39 shots for a .615 percentage for the half. That was too much for Canby which was crippled by an abundance of personal fouls from the first half.

No fewer than four players—two on each side—failed to go the limit due to fouls in the hard fought battle, which served as a good indicator who will wear the shoe when the tourney jousting begins in two weeks. All told, Canby was charged with 27 fouls to 21 on MHS.

However, of those 27 fouls on the Lancers, coached by George Potter, 18 came in the first half. The visitors from the north had no alternative but to play more cautiously after the intermission.

At the halfway point, Canby had five players with seven points apiece for all its scoring—but this balance was overshadowed by the number of fouls which put Canby in danger.

And that danger materialized after the intermission when Marshall, as white-hot as its uniforms, sent its unbeaten express over Canby. For the night, the Tigers combined their torrid after-intermission shooting with 9 for 29 the first half for a grand mark of .471 on 33 for 68.

While Marshall was hitting at a hot clip, due, largely to several cripple layins off long passes, Canby was canning 12 buckets each half in 32 and 35 shots, respectively. The Lancers shot .358 for the night on 24 for 67.

Canby's big spurt came late in the first half—and Marshall's boom began in the half's dying moments. After a first quarter lead of 17-15, Canby gradually stretched its margin to 28-22 with 3:08 left in the half as Dick Blankenfeld hit on a drive-in shot and a left corner set.

A pair of jumpers by dependable Russ Emmons and another long set by Blankenfeld gave the Orange and Blue from Yellow Medicine county its 35-25 lead. Then the Tigers clawed back viciously.

Two cripple baskets off the "Indiana" long pass—by Dave Ross who glittered with a 29-point night and by Jim Olson on a pass from Ross as the half ended left Canby gasping as the locals completed their 10-0 spurt with a half dozen

free throws.

After one tie at 37-all, MHS led all the way in the second half, despite rugged and pressure ball by Canby. From 48-41, when Dick Larson soloed for a layin on a pass from John Tomasek—who was shaken up on collision with a Canby player—the Tigers forged their way to a 53-43 bulge. At the quarter's end it was 59-48 MHS.

Never again did Canby threaten—although the club is always a potential threat. Gerry Halstenson's free throw and fielder moments later cut the gap to nine twice at 62-53 and 64-55, respectively. Soon though Marshall was pouring the coal to its fast break, and the count reached 75-61 and 84-67 as the handwriting on the wall became obvious that the Tigers had cleared another hurdle.

Denny Anderson's baseline shot from the left at the final buzzer wound up what was undoubtedly Marshall's best game since Laverne Dec. 9. That one, like Friday, also was a barnburner with a 79-60 finish.

Larson's 22 backed up Ross' 29 before both fouled out of the fray. Tomasek had 14 and Olson 11 and Galen Skramstad, who was the first non-senior to start this year for the Tigers, nine. Skrammie opened at guard for Bill Reese who was nursing a Planter's wart on his heel. Before the night was over Reese got in plenty of action, but Tomasek's fall gave Marshall a great deal of concern.

For Canby, Halstenson's 22 led the way before he departed via the foul route. Harvey Christensen's 15, Dick Blankenfeld's 11 and John Otto, another tooted out of fouls, with nine were next.

Now the Tigers wait for Pipestone and a final, non-vital Southwets Conference game Friday here before going to Montevideo Saturday.



GOOD FOR TWO—Dick Larson (No. 9 in white) at Marshall high rings the scoring bell with a jump shot against Canby Friday as the Tigers licked the Lancers, 91-70 for their second win over Canby and their 16th straight of the season. Lancers watching Larson tally are Harvey Christensen (24), Russ Emmons (22) and John Otto (25), while Galen Skramstad (5) comes to fetch a rebound that never came to be.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Feb. 13, 1956

## Get Dist. 9 Nod, Too Tigers Rank No. 6 in Poll

Marshall High ranks No. 6 in the St. Paul Pioneer Press "Top Dozen" this week.

In Sunday's rankings by writer Ken Murphy of the St. Paul paper, Rochester was listed as tops, followed by New Prague. Also ahead of Marshall were Red Wing, Willmar and South St. Paul in that order.

Murphy also tabbed MHS among 32 teams, by districts, as regional tourney entries. Coach Glen Moran's Tigers were given the Dist. 9 nod along with Walnut Grove of 10, Montevideo from 11 and Glen-ore of 12 to comprise the four-team Region 3 scrap.

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TRIBUTE TO PARENTS—Jim Olson pins flowers on his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Olson, during an intermission at the Marshall-Canby game Friday. Special seats were provided for parents of A squad members, who symbolized the parents of all students. Following the game, lunch was served for the parents in the Home Economics room by Student Council girls. This is a Student Council project.—Marshall strobophoto.

Feb. 13, 1956



**CONTEST WINNERS** — In the Poster contest sponsored by the Business and Professional Women, these three students took the first three places. The contest was to draw posters for the Style Show sponsored by the BPW. Students of the high school art class participated. Left to

right, Richard Polfliet, 1st place; David Lindblad, 2nd place; Judy Arneson, 3rd place. Those who received honorable mention were: Jan Rivard, Kathy Kar, Lynn Schulz, Phyllis Paul and Jeanine Graffunder.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

Feb 13, 1956

### How About Tickets for Montevideo, Marshall Game?

How about tickets for the Marshall - Montevideo basketball game?

That question is one being asked frequently in phone calls to the High School office.

Here is the information: As it is a home game at Montevideo, that school has complete control over the tickets.

Marshall has been supplied with enough tickets for Marshall students plus 150 adult tickets.

These adult tickets will be offered to the 150 Marshall season ticket holders from 9 a.m. until noon Friday — one to a customer.

Any tickets left will be sold in the afternoon.

However, tickets will be sold at Montevideo when the gates open at 6:30 p.m. Friday. The seating capacity is 1,800 and the gym has been full only once this year.

FEB 14, 1956

### Marshall High Musicians Plan Winter Concert

Marshall High School's music department will present its annual midwinter concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 19.

Both vocal and instrumental groups will participate.

Songs to be sung include: "Make a Joyful Noise Unto God," "Ave Verum Corpus," "Bless the Lord, O My Soul," "Hospodi Pomilui," "An Evenings Pastoral," "Just As the Tide was Flowing" and a selection from the Broadway show "Pajama Game." "Hey There."

The band will play a wide variety of pieces, classical selections, marches, folk tunes including "Spiritual"; "Springtime Festival"; a baritone solo by Judy Warnke with band accompaniment, "Flower Song from 'Carmen'"; "Canada on the March"; and last of all "Wotan's Farewell" and "Fire Charm Music."

Orion Lee will direct the vocal portion and Leo Yordj will conduct the band.

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**NIGHTMARE ALICE**—Mrs. Stu McDonald appeared as "Nightmare Alice" at the Marshall High school faculty's Beaux Hearts party Tuesday evening in the Marshall High auditorium. In above picture "Alice" is being introduced to the audience by Julian Waller, master of ceremonies as "The Gaunt Woman." Those attending the party appeared as titles of books or songs or as comic characters.—Daily Messenger photo.

Feb. 20, 1956



**TAKES TWO**—It takes two to tango and sometimes it takes two to play the tuba. Blowing into the horn is John Thompson. That's his regular job. Fingering the valves is Norman Berg, usually a trumpeter. The two musicians were fooling around before the Marshall High School mid-winter concert Sunday.—Daily Messenger photo.

Feb 20, 1956



**WHAT ARE WE DOING?**—These girls were interested in what was to be in the program Sunday as the Marshall High school band and chorus presented a mid-winter concert. The singers didn't know what the band was going to do—exactly, anyway—and vice versa. Left to right are: Susan Bayer, singer, and Bonnie Knudsen and Betty Daas, band members.—Daily Messenger photo.

Feb. 24

## Tigers Seek 19th in Row Tonight in Barnburner (?) with Kilowatts

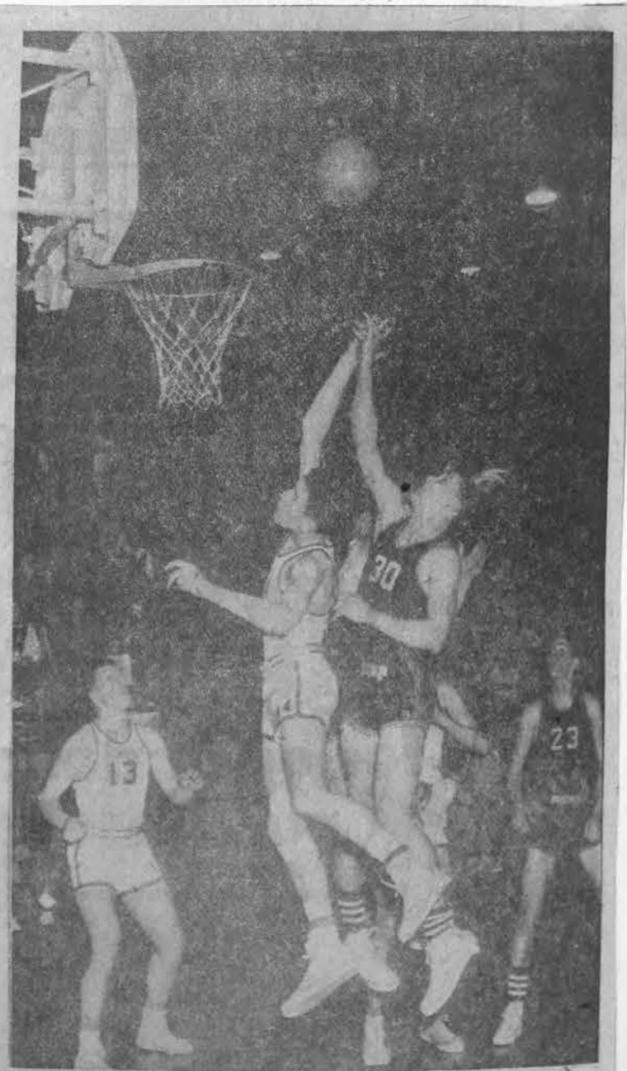
No sooner do the Marshall High Tigers get by a "big one" with a Dist. 11 power than it is time to take on another potentially powerful club to the north.

Tonight, following a B team prelim, Coach Glen Moran's Orange and Black, fresh from a wopping 83-66 triumph over tough Montevideo, will be in their black garb as they visit dangerous Granite Falls. The battle matches the Southwest Conference champion Tigers and Granite's current leaders of the Little Sioux.

More important, a Tiger win would be the 19th in an unbeaten season and leave just one to go Tuesday against Clarkfield, also of the LSC, in order to complete a perfect 20-0 regular season campaign. In addition, a win tonight would add to Marshall's laurels.

The Tigers, the No. 1 seed for the approaching Dist. 9 tourney, only last Saturday ran Montevideo's Dist. 11 favorites into the floor, 83-66. A win over Granite, which threatens along with Dawson to be a mighty obstacle in Monty's district title plans, would further enhance the Tigers role as the most logical contender for Region 3 honors in the race.

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SO NEAR BUT YET SO FAR—John Tomasek, 14, of the Marshall Tigers and Glenn Haughie, 30, of the Clarkfield Cardinals, hang suspended in the air waiting for the ball to come down so one or the other can take possession of it.—Daily Messenger-strobe-photo.

Feb. 28

## Marshall Tigers Meet Clarkfield

Marshall High School's Tigers close their regular playing season tonight by entertaining Clarkfield.

The Tigers, their 18-game winning streak snapped Friday by a 45-43 defeat at the hands of Granite Falls, are favored to return to their winning ways. The first game will open at 7 p.m.

# Tigers Nip Clarkfield

Feb. 29, 1956

## Marshall Stems Late Cardinal Rally to Win

By DICK WILLIAMS

Marshall High School's Tigers defeated Clarkfield's Cardinals 62 to 57 Tuesday night — but it was a near thing.

This is demonstrated by the fact that the Cardinals scored 19 points in the final quarter to only 6 for Marshall. That is what one might call a rally.

What brought about the rally?

In the first place, Clarkfield has a good basketball team. It doesn't have height but it certainly has quickness and speed and shooting ability.

Marshall, of course, has those three too. And in the first three quarters the Tigers also had an advantage in height. But in the fourth quarter, two of Marshall's tall men — Dave Ross and John Tomasek — were resting on the bench. They had fouled just once too often. Dick Larson, with four fouls, also was benched although not so long.

With these three out, Marshall lost control of the backboards. And with that, they lost control of the game.

Another Tiger trouble was fouls. The Tigers kept making them and the Cardinals kept sinking them—23 during the game; 11 the last quarter alone.

It must be said, however, that for the first half the Tigers were a masterful ball club. They were doing most things right and managed to build up a commanding lead.

Dave Ross led the attack in the first quarter contributing nine points to a 21 point team effort to which Dick Larson, John Tomasek and Jim Olson also added their scoring talents.

In the second quarter, Tomasek took over with eight points as the team once again spun the scoreboard in another 21-point effort.

In the meantime, the Cardinals were running with the Tigers but they weren't getting places — at least not as fast.

At half-time, the Tigers had a more than comfortable 42-23 advantage and it appeared the second half would add to that bulge.

However, it didn't work out that way. Doug Trandahl, Clarkfield forward, grabbed the Tigers by the tail and twisted hard — 11 points hard — in the third quarter. His teammate, John Lee, added four more.

Meanwhile, the Tigers slowed down to a walk — scoring wise, anyway — and netted only 14 points for the quarter. Clarkfield had narrowed the bulge some.

Then Ross went out. Tomasek went out. And Glenn Haughie, Cardinal forward, went crazy. In that final period he canned 12 of his 22 point game total. He almost canned the Tigers at the same time.

Both teams had three men in the double figures. For Marshall, it was Jim Olson with 20; Tomasek with 15 and Ross with 13. For Clarkfield it was Houghie with 22; Trandahl with 16 and Jon with 15.

This was the Tigers' final game of their regular schedule. They ended up with a 19-1 record. The only loss came Friday to Granite Falls. That score was 45-43.

The Tigers won't see any game action now until the District 9 tournament opens Monday, March 5. They will meet Russell in the first of two games at Canby. Game time will be 7:15 p.m. The other game at Canby that night will pit Lake Benton against Tyler.

The other round of district play will open Tuesday, March 6, at Marshall. In the first game, Canby will meet the Sub-District II champion. In the second game, Wood Lake will take on the Sub-District I champion.

In the preliminary, the Marshall B squad closed out a successful season with a 55-29 romp over the Clarkfield Bs. Bill Carrow led the scoring with 14 points.



TIME'S RUNNING OUT — Marshall fans are shown here on their feet in the final moments of the Marshall-Clarkfield game held Tuesday eve-

ning in the Marshall gymnasium. Marshall defeated Clarkfield 62-57.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

March 1<sup>st</sup> 1956

## Marshall to Meet Russell to Open Dist. 9 Tourney

Marshall High school's Tigers, seeded No. 1, will meet Russell at 7:15 p.m. Monday in the first game of the District 9 basketball tournament.

Under the district policy to keep the play on neutral floors as much as possible, Marshall will be playing at Canby.

The second game of the opening round will pit Lake Benton against Tyler. This game will be played at Canby at 8:30 p.m. Monday.

The winners of these two games will play at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the semi-final round with the top dog in that one advancing to finals which will be played at 8:30 p.m. Saturday at either Marshall or Canby, depending upon whether Marshall or Canby (or both) will be playing.

That takes care of the upper bracket of the tourney. In the lower bracket, Canby and Wood Lake will be matched against the winners of the Sub - District I and II tournaments which will be concluded tonight.

Balaton 55-44 in the semi-final round.

The Milroy Spartans, on the other hand, drew a first round bye. They then took a thriller from Hanley Falls 71-70 to advance to

the championship round.

Both sub-district finals will be played at 8:30 p.m. They will be preceded by consolation games between the losers in the semi-final rounds Wednesday.

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Milroy will meet Hendricks at Cottonwood and Cottonwood will play Verdi at Tracy. Both games will be played at 8:30 p.m. today.

The Milroy - Hendricks winner will play Wood Lake at Marshall at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday while the Verdi - Cottonwood victor will take on Canby in the first game at Marshall that night.

The winners of these two games will advance to the semi-finals to be played in Marshall at 8 p.m. Thursday. The winner of that one will go into the finals Saturday.

The surprising Verdi Trojans, seeded No. 16 in the district, reached the sub-district finals by pulling two upsets. They dumped Lynd, a team which had beaten them twice during the regular season, in the opening round. They knocked off highly-favored

# Russell Stuns Marshall 59-58

## Favored Tigers Eliminated in Overtime Game

CANBY—A tight zone defense applied by Russell and mechanical errors on the part of the Marshall Tigers set up the first upset of the young District 9 basketball tournament.

Russell stunned the Tigers 59 to 58 in a thrilling overtime finish at Canby Monday evening.

Frank Greve, little Russell guard, who had scored only two points all evening, put the coup de grace on Marshall's title hopes when, with only seconds left, he stepped to the free throw line and casually dunked two charity tosses to win the game.

Marshall had led much of the way although in the second quarter the Bulldogs came from behind 15 to 7 to gain a 27 to 25 halftime lead.

In the second half the fast-breaking Tigers started clicking again and with less than two minutes left in the third quarter had a lead of 46 to 35. The quarter ended with the Tigers clinging to a 46 to 39 advantage.

In the final stanza Wendell Hurst, lanky Bulldog, cashed in two quick buckets to cut the lead to 46 to 45. The Tigers got three free throws while Russell hit another fielder and Marshall still led 49 to 47.

Then, with a minute to go, Hurst broke down the free throw line and tied the game at 49 all. Seconds later Russell scored again, to take the lead, and Marshall had the ball out of bounds with 11 seconds to go.

On a hard drive in, Larson tied the score as about 1,800 people went mad.

In the overtime Russell jumped to a two-point lead almost immediately. John Tomasek tied the score and Olson put Marshall out in front 56 to 53 on a drive in shot and a free throw.

Jim Purdy hit two quick baskets for the Bulldogs and Marshall's Larson hooked in a field goal as the Tiger lead dwindled to one point—58 to 57.

This set the stage for Greve's stirring performance at the free throw line.

He calmly dropped two charity tosses to win the game.

Marshall mechanical errors—traveling, throwing the ball away and failing to cover well on defense—aided the fighting Russell cause.

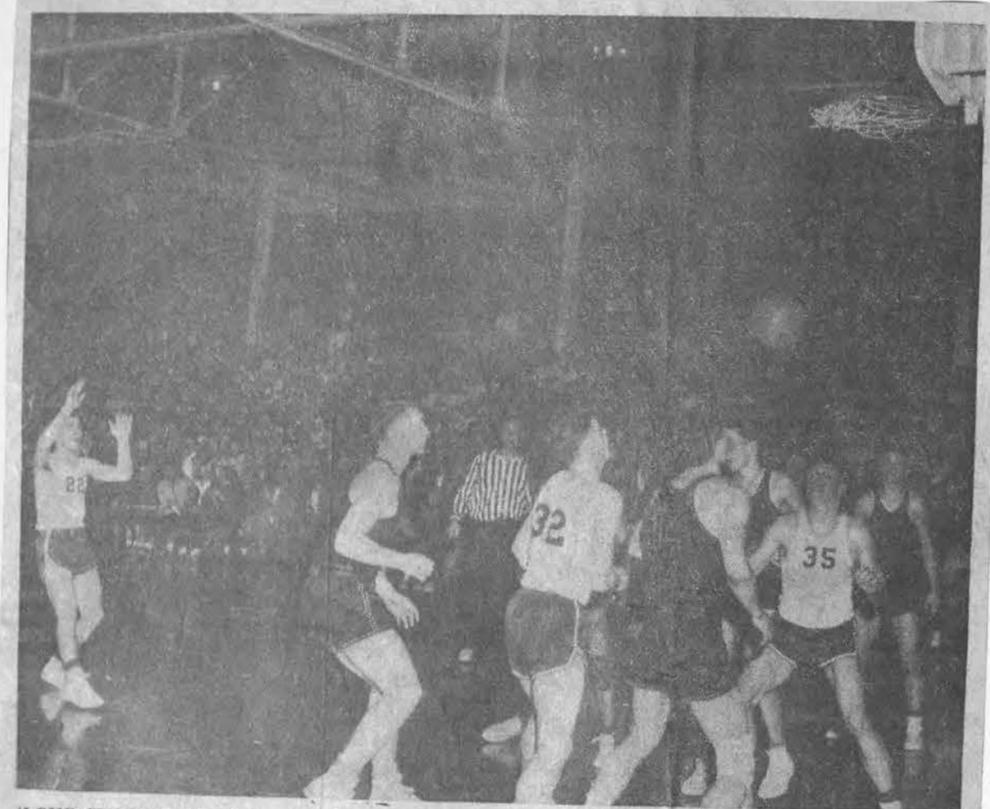
The Tigers had an extremely cold night, but Russell at the free throw line was frigid as a night in the Yukon, missing five straight in the first quarter.

Russell will play Lake Benton at Canby Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the semi-final round.



IT'S A TOSS UP—It's a toss up as to who gets the ball in the game between the Lake Benton Bobcats and the Tyler Danes. The Bobcats took the

Danes 56-49 in the District 9 basketball tournament at Canby Monday night.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.



**'LONG SHOT' WINS**—The net on the basket was still swishing after the ball dropped through the hoop. And as the ball dropped, so did the spirits of Marshall rooters for this freethrow by Frank Greve gave Russell the deciding point in their

59-58 upset victory over Marshall in the District 9 tournament at Canby Monday evening. For details, see the Daily Messenger sports page.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

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Beverley Kramer



Janet Rivard

## Marshall Girls Leave for FHA Convention

Two Marshall High school students, Janet Rivard, co-chairman of the program development committee and Beverley Kramer, National secretary of FHA, will leave by bus Thursday morning for a special pre-convention session of the eleventh annual convention of the Future Homemakers of America at the Radisson Hotel March 9 and 10.

Pearl Rasmussen and Gail Becker are the official voting delegates from Marshall. About 1500 girls from the state are expected to attend the convention.

March 7, 1956

### Marshall High Sets Junior-Senior Prom

The Marshall High School Junior-Senior prom will be held May 10 and 11 with the theme being "Blue Horizon."

Decorations will represent the theme pertaining to the Arctic. The center attraction will be a large ice-berg with lights playing off it to represent Arctic lights. Guy De Leo and his orchestra will furnish the music.

The food committee consists of Virginia Peterson, Pearl Rasmussen, Marjo Stanke, and Janet Maronde.

The entertainment committee is composed of: Dave Powell, Don Herring, Michael McEnaney, Karen Drury, Jon Middleton, Darlene Adams, Phyllis Page, Marlene Eggen and LeRoy Syverson. Also assisting in planning the entertainment will be Leo Yords, Oran Lee and the music department.

Seating committee is made up of Darrell Pollard, Bob Ochocki, Ken Diresen, Dwight Jackson and Margaret Little. Lynne Schultz, Jeanine Graffner, Richard Polliet, Bev Dwire, Francis Loke and Judy Knutson will assist with art work on the walls as well as make up programs and place cards.

In the near future sophomores will be selected to serve.

March 13, 1956



**DECLAMATION ENTRANTS**—The District 9 declamatory contest was held all day Tuesday in the Marshall High school. Paul Gubrud, of Canby, on his knees, is practicing his humorous selection. Left to right behind him are Bonnie Craigmile who entered in memorized oratory and Dorothy Dunn also in memorized oratory. Both girls are of Canby. On the far right, Tom Maxson, a Marshallite, mentally compares the humorous declamation with the discussion group he entered.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

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## 5 Marshall Speech Winners Advance to Regional Event

Five Marshall High school students advanced to the Regional Speech contest as the result of the District 9 Speech Contest held at Marshall High School Tuesday.

Each of the 123 students participated was given a rating ranging from "Superior" to "Fair." From those with "superior" ratings the judges chose two in each category to go to the Regional contest at Olivia March 20.

Those chosen for regional competition were: Humorous — Sonia Johnson, Marshall; Pauline Fox, Minneota; Dramatic — Mary Chesney, Marshall; Marcia Krog, Lake Benton; Original Oratory — Curtis Foster, Tracy; Jan Rivard, Marshall; Memorized Oratory — Paula Gudmundsen, Minneota; Janet Lund, Canby; Extemporaneous Speaking — Harlen Manguson Tracy, Larry Frey, Marshall; Manuscript Reading — Helen Davis, Tracy; Mona Sinding, Tyler; Discussion — Betty Jo Cloud Tracy, Barbara Mills, Marshall; Pantomime — Arlene Olson, Tracy; Janice Kragness, Canby;

Superior alternates were Bob Kelly, Tracy; David Kidman, Ruth-ton; Virginia Van Dusch, Tyler; Pat O'Brien, Marshall; Bonnie Craigmile, Canby; Mary Rogers, Tracy; Pearl Rasmussen, Marshall; Tom Maxson, Marshall; Joyce Mickleson, Canby; Tyson Wander Wildt, Ruth-ton.

Marshall started with 100 students to receive training in the field of speech and now completes the year in speech work with five students going on to Region competition.

March 14, 1956

## Marshall Chooses Entries in State Badminton Tourney

Marshall High school representatives for the state badminton tournaments this year will be June Berg, Barb Mills, Jim Olson and Dave Lindblad.

Also attending on their own are Dick Sieck, Roger Hahn, Don Stearns, Bill Powell, Alan Olson, Terry Rewerts, Judy Carlson, and Donna Poppick.

The tournaments will be run a week later than last year, beginning March 29 through March 31. The finals will be held April 7.

The five divisions are: girls' singles, boys' singles, girls' doubles, boys' doubles, and mixed double. The mixed doubles partners will be Dave Lindblad and June Berg, and Jim Olson and Barb Mills.

March 13, 1956

### Marshall High Seniors Choose Class Play

The Senior class will present the play, "Our Hearts were Young and Gay," late in April or early in May.

Leonard Johnson will be the director.

The story is about the adventures of two 19-year old girls on a trip to France: Cornelia Otis Skinner, played by Barb Mills, and Emily Kimbrough, played by Shirley Kidder.

Other characters include:

Cornelia's parents: Larry Frey, and Beverley Kramer; Steward, Doug Berge; Purser, Jim Olson; stewardess, Lynn Bladholm; admiral, Jack Mann; inspector, Jean Olsen.

Two English girls, Karen Jensen, and Sonia Johnson; two medical students, Dick Larson and John Tomasek; French actor, Dave Ross; landlady, Jan Rivard, landlady's daughter, Darlene St. Aubin; and the window cleaner, Bill Reese.

If you use a pressure cooker for stew, make sure that you brown the meat thoroughly first in hot fat before cooking it under pressure.

March 13, 1956



**SCHOOL BOARD ENTERTAINS**—Members of the School Board of the Marshall Public School, their wives and Supt. and Mrs. Les Frey entertained the teaching staff, members of the personnel and their wives at a coffee party Tuesday afternoon at the school. Mrs. Millard Ehlers, wife of board mem-

ber, Millard Ehlers, serves coffee to C. J. O'Brien (board member), E. Wickstrom (geometry-biology), Margaret Eubanks (librarian), June Perkins (guidance), Larry Kienholz (Ind. arts, coach) and Kathleen Buesing (secretary to Merrill Olson, principal).—Daily Messenger photo.

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March 15

### Schools Schedule Easter Vacations

Planning something for over Easter? Then you'll want to know what the school vacation dates will be. Marshall public schools will close after classes Friday, March 23, and will re-open the morning of Tuesday, April 3. Holy Redeemer grades school classes will be dismissed Tuesday March 27 and will begin again Wednesday, April 24. Central High school will dismiss Wednesday, March 28, and re-open Wednesday, April 4.

March 1



**SERVES COFFEE** — Art Hardy (school board) serves coffee to a group of teachers at a coffee party at the school Tuesday afternoon. Left to right: Glen Moran (history-coach); Howard Leuh-

mann (commercial-orientation); George Path. (geog.-orientation); Stu MacDonald (phy. ed.); May King (jr. high English); Shirley Schloten (phy. ed.).—Daily Messenger photo.

March 14



**HELP WITH DISHES**—Leonard Johnson (English) and Bill Welch (science-orientation-assistant coach) help Mrs. W. W. Yaeger, wife of board member, Dr. W. W. Yaeger, with the dishes, following the coffee party at the high school Tuesday afternoon.—Daily Messenger photo.

April 9

### Donna Foster, Judith Knutson Chosen Girls' State Delegates

Donna May Foster of Central High school and Judith Knutson of Marshall High school will represent

Marshall at the annual Girls' State to be held in June at the Minnesota State Fair grounds.

Miss Foster is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Foster, Miss Knutson's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knutson.

Named alternates were Virginia Peterson of Marshall high and Kathleen Finnegan from Central.

Girl's State is sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary. Object of the program is to teach the girls how government works at the village, county and state level.

At Girl's State, the girls are organized into the various units of government. They go through the mechanics of naming candidates, organizing political parties and electing the various officers at the various levels of government.

April 5

### Skramstad, Como to Represent Marshall Legion at Boys' State

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GALEN SKRAMSTAD

Student delegates from Marshall have been chosen for the Minnesota Boys' State, June 10-16 on the St. Paul campus of the University of Minnesota.

Galen Skramstad will represent Marshall High School and James Como will represent Central Catholic High School.

Chosen as alternates were Roger Deutz of Central and Sanford Anderson of Marshall High.

Purpose of the meeting, Dr. G. S. Wands said, is to arouse interest and give experience in government on the state and local levels. He said the boys are organized into actual legislative bodies which set up platforms and act on bills. They even do some campaigning he said.

Last year, there were 361 boys attending the convention which is sponsored by the American Legion as part of their Americanism program.

April 5

### Shirley Kidder, Lynne Bladholm Top Essay Contest

Shirley Kidder and Lynne Bladholm won first and second place respectively in the annual Veterans of Foreign Wars essay contest.

Essay topic this year was "America, Beacon of Hope."

Miss Kidder's essay has been forwarded to the Third District essay chairman competition. Mrs. James Langin, VFW Auxiliary essay chairman, said.

Miss Kidder and Miss Bladholm will receive their local awards at the next regular meeting of the VFW Auxiliary Monday, April 23.

Contest judges were the Rev. David Davids, F. J. Meade and Mrs. Walter Galle.

March 14

# Glen Moran Resigns as Basketball Coach



Glenn Moran



Miss Edra Gray

## Miss Gray Retires After 27 Years in Local School

Glenn Moran's request to be relieved as head basketball coach at Marshall High school for the coming year was approved by the Marshall Board of Education at a regular meeting Tuesday.

Supt. L. M. Frey said the request was granted because it was Mr. Moran's personal desire that he be relieved from this position.

The reasons for Mr. Moran's action, Supt. Frey said, can best be described by the following quotation taken from his letter to the Board of Education written Tuesday March 6:

"After having given this matter considerable thought, I would like to be relieved of the duties of basketball coach at Marshall. As you know, it has been my intent for some time to step out and I think this is the time to do it. I would, however, like to remain on the school system and carry on my other work."

Supt. Frey said Moran will continue to be employed in the Marshall school system and that no action has been taken by the board regarding a replacement to fill the basketball coaching position.

This will be decided sometime in the future, the superintendent said.

Another teacher, Miss Edra Gray, junior high school social science and English offered her resignation as she is retiring after 27 years in the Marshall public school system.

This resignation, along with six others, were "accepted with regret" by the board, Supt. Frey said. He described Miss Gray's 27 years of teaching in Marshall as very successful.

Other resignations accepted were those of:

Dardinell Danielson, kindergarten; Margaret Sisterman, first grade; Shirley (Rink) Amundson, third grade; Marilyn Evans, sixth grade; Barbara Gruse, junior high social science and English; and Olive Hagstrom, home economics.

With the exception of those resigning, all other teachers have been offered contracts for the coming school year.

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The following new teachers have been employed for the coming year:

Miss Dorothy Van Norman, second grade. Miss Van Norman has four years of college training and will be graduating from Mankato Teachers' college this June. Her home is Bingham Lake.

Miss Barbara Filkins, fourth grade. Miss Filkins has three years of college training and has taught at Litchfield for the past two years. Her home is Tracy, Minn.

Miss Iradell Severson, fourth grade. Miss Severson has four years of college training and has taught successfully in several different communities. She has been at Pipestone for the past two years and her home is Walnut Grove.

Mr. Daren Gislason, sixth grade. Mr. Gislason has five years of college training with a B.A. degree in Elementary education. He has taught at Wood Lake for the past two years. His home is Minnesota.

In other business the board approved the continuing of the "behind-the-wheel" driver training program during the summer months for a period of time not to exceed eight weeks.

Julian Waller will be the instructor, the same as last year. Students will be accommodated first. If time is available adults will be permitted to enroll for the course (with a fee to be charged) on a "first come—first served" basis until maximum enrollment is reached.

This program was carried on the same way last year and further information for adults who might be interested will be forthcoming toward the end of this school year after student registrations have been completed, Supt. Frey said.

### Marshall FFA Team Enters Judging Event

MARSHALL — The Marshall vocational agriculture judging team has entered the contest to be held March 15 at the Sioux City stockyards in Sioux City, Ia.

The team consists of four men who will judge regular stock coming into the stockyards. The judge of the entire contest will be Jim Kiser of Iowa State College.

March 16

April 3



BOYS' AND GIRLS' COUNTY—Seniors from the various high schools around Lyon county attended Boys' and Girls' County in the courthouse Tuesday morning. The meeting was sponsored by the

American Legion to give the seniors an insight into county government and its problems. Addressing the group is C. J. Donnelly, Lyon county attorney—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

April 3

## 84 High School Students Attend Boy-Girl County

Eighty-four boys and girls from seven high schools in Lyon County attended the Boy-Girl County convention in Marshall today.

The student convention was sponsored by the American Legion.

County Attorney C. J. Donnelly explained the functions, rules and regulations and procedure of the county board of commissioners this morning to the students while a board meeting was in session.

Charles Raine, chairman of the board of commissioners also addressed the students.

During the morning session of the convention, the students elected

a student from each school to study an office during the afternoon.

Each student will take notes and report to the students of his school on the functions of the office he studied.

A luncheon was held during the noon hour at the Legion Hall. They were addressed by Judge B. M. Heinzen who welcomed the students and urged them to study county governmental activities.

Represented at the convention were the high schools in Tracy, Balaton, Cottonwood, Russell, Minnesota and the two in Marshall.

April 4

## Kienholz Issues Call for Trackmen

Marshall High school Track coach Larry Kienholz issued a call for track men Tuesday with the expectations of getting an answer from 30 students.

The thinclads will be bolstered this year by Region 3 champ, Dick Larson, and by Jim Olson, who placed in the Regional 100 yard dash.

Larson holds the 120 yard high hurdle record of 15 seconds along with Ohland of Gibbon.

Kienholz said he was speculating on switching Olson to the hurdles to make a good one-two punch in the event.

A third veteran who will be called upon for heavy duty will be Bob Peterson, a discus and shot-put specialist.

Among those expected to answer the call beside the fore-named three are Larry Bebler, Bill Reese, Duane Bisbee, Bob Peterson, Jim Williams and Bill Carrow.

Kienholz said no definite schedule has been arrived upon yet, but the squad will probably participate in the Carlton Relays, the Marshall Invitational Meet, and the district and regional meet.

April 12

## High School Poultry Team in District Meet

Five members of the Marshall High school Future Farmers of will enter the district contest Saturday, Loyal McCann, agriculture instructor said yesterday.

James Bloome, Leroy Syverson, Bill Schroeder, Hon Ahlin and Glenn Safford will judge two classes of four hens for egg production; grade a class of 12 dressed birds; grade a class of 12 live market birds; judge two classes of breeding stock; and grade two groups of eggs.

The meet will start at 9 a.m. at Swift and Company Produce. Teams from other of the 36 schools in the district will participate.

April 3



**BLOOD DONORS**—Worried? Not in particular. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hansen take some refreshment and check the instructions while waiting in line to give blood as the Red Cross Bloodmobile visited Marshall Monday. Lois Koch is waiting for another donor to appear. The Bloodmobile was at the East Side School again today. Other points in the county will be visited this week.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

April 11

## 7 Lettermen Return to Give MHS Strong Baseball Nucleus

Baseball practice started Tuesday at Marshall High school. Coach Glen Moran had the boys warming up and doing individual calisthenics.

Seven veteran players return to give Moran a good nucleus with which to build a strong contender. Returning are John Tomasek, who alternates between pitching and catching and pitching duties and stad and Bill Reese, thirdsacker Larry Stingley, second baseman Bob DeSchepper and shortstop-pitcher Don Stearns.

Moran said one of his problems

was trying to find another pitcher to fill the space left by Jim Lanoue, ace pitcher of last years season.

Lanoue and Skramstad alternated catching and pitching duties and led the squad into the Regional finals where they were beaten by Springfield last June.

The squad is not expected to practice outdoors until the end of this week, Moran said. Depending on whether the ground at Legion Field gets dry enough.

Moran said he hopes to schedule two games next week.

April 12

## MHS Students to Participate in District 9 Music Contest

Marshall High School musicians will participate in the District 9 Music Contests at Tracy and Canby Friday and Saturday. Each group will be graded with those taking top honors entering the Regional contest at Worthington in May.

Fifty-eight students will go to Tracy Friday for the vocal and small groups contest. Judging them will be Ernie Villas, former director of Minnesota University band and Hormel's All-girl orchestra and chorus, and Frederick Hillary, former director of music at Gustavus Adolphus College.

Events include:

**Vocal Solos and Ensembles**

Girls' sextet: Virginia Peterson, Nicci Pierard, Shirley Kidder, Margo Reuter, Jeanine Graffunder, Pat Reese.

Girls' trio: Margaret Boyer, Sue Grue, Marlys Young.

Soprano solo: Becky Johnson, Nicci Pierard.

Alto solo: Virginia Peterson, Sue Grue, Marlys Young.

Tenor solo: Bob Coquyt

Baritone solo: Bob Fifield.

**Instrumental Solos and Ensembles**

Cornet solo: Lee Carlson, Pat Reese, Clarence Else. Piccolo and flute: Marlene Eggen, Marlene Eggen. Oboe: Margo Reuter. Bassoon: Shirley Kidder.

Clarinet: Galen Skramstad, Doris Priebe, Karen Hixon. Alto sax: Judy Carlson, Mike MacEnaney. Tenor sax: Jon Middleton. Baritone sax: Larry Frey. French horn: Virginia Peterson. Trombone: Denny Anderson, Don Longren, Bob Fifield.

Baritone: Roger Hanson, Judy Warnke. Tuba: John Thompson, Jeffrey Eubanks. Snare drum: John Berre, Don Herring, Dan Bowman. Brass sextet: Gary Asp, Roger Hanson, Pat Reese, Dennis Anderson, Jeffrey Eubanks, Val Christianson.

Clarinet duet: Pat Schwartz, Pricilla Johnson. Flute duet: Marlene Eggen, Margaret Little. Clarinet duet: Clarence Else, Nicci Pierard. Clarinet quartet: Mary Rogne, Donna Poppick, Susa Boyer,

Anita Hahn. Saxophone quartet: Mary Graham, Jean Olson, Jon Middleton, Larry Frey. Clarinet trio: Galen Skramstad, Karen Hixon, Sonia Johnson.

Brass sextet: Clarence Else, Lee Carlson, Judy Warnke, David Berge, David Ross, Marlys Young. Cornet trio: Lee Carlson, Pat Reese, Clarence Else. Cornet quartet: Normaann Berg, Pat O'Brien, Jane Henderson, Sharon Snortum. Cornet duet: Gary Asp, Norman Berg. Trombone trio: Gail Becker, Warren Verdeck, Dave Simpson.

French horns: Betty Daas, Judy Knutson. Drum ensemble: Jan Revard, John Berre, Don Herring, Dan Bowman.

Saturday morning, Marshall High school's 75 piece band will compete at Canby. They will be judged by the above named persons.

Selections to be played are "Andante from the Richard Strass Violin Concerto" and the "Finale of the Beethoven Symphony, No. 5.

The mixed chorus will compete in the afternoon at 3 p.m.

April 25



MELVIN STAFFORD

## Marshall FFA Member Wins District Office

Melvin Stafford from the Marshall F.F.A. chapter was elected district F.F.A. reporter at the regular district F.F.A. banquet held at Worthington Tuesday.

Melvin is a senior agricultural student at Marshall High school. He is vice-president of the Marshall F.F.A. chapter. He has been a member of the meats judging team for the past four years.

Regular delegates to the meeting were James Bloome and Warren Heinz. LeRoy Syverson entertained at the banquet and Dale Willard of the local chapter also attended. Dale is retiring secretary of District four. The boys were accompanied by their advisor, L. J. McCann.

April 20

## MacDonald to Coach MHS Cagers

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S. E. MAC DONALD

## School Board Chooses Successor to Glen Moran

S. E. (Stu) Mac Donald, a member of the Marshall public school faculty for 10 years, has been named head basketball coach to succeed Glen Moran, who resigned at the close of the season this year.

Mac Donald has assisted with the basketball program on the junior high school and intramural levels ever since he joined the school system in 1946 following his discharge from the army.

Mac Donald has a strong basketball background. He lettered at the University of Minnesota for three years (1939-1942) under Dave McMillan.

Moran held the Marshall post for five years.

Two new teachers were hired and the resignations of two others were accepted as the school board met Monday night.

The new teachers are Miss Sharon Clark, home economics. A native of Quimby, Iowa, she graduated from Iowa State College at Ames in vocational home economics. For the past two years, she has taught at Britt, Iowa.

Miss Joyse Harter, Madison, S. D. will teach kindergarten at the new West Side school. She taught at Watertown, S. D. for the two years following her graduation from General Beadle State Teacher college at Madison.

Resignations accepted were those of Miss Marlys Krohn, East Side second grade; and Richard Dick, senior high school English.

In another action, the board engaged Gold and Carlson, Marshall accounting firm, to conduct the audit.

April 25

## Marshall FFA Meats Judging Team Wins First

Marshall High school Future Farmers of America took first place in the team competition at the Regional VI F.F.A. meats judging contest which was held Saturday at South Dakota State College at Brookings.

In individual judging Marshall took the first four places and seventh with the five-member team.

Warren Heinz was first among the 74 persons competing with a score of 614 points from a possible 624. Melvin Stafford was second with 546; Richard Polfliet, third with 522; Kenneth Driessen, fourth with 520; Merlin Green, seventh with 444 points.

The same schools that competed in the poultry contest were present for the meats contest. Only the first two teams in each Region advance to the state finals. Marshall had 1682 points and the second place team, Luverne, had 1254.

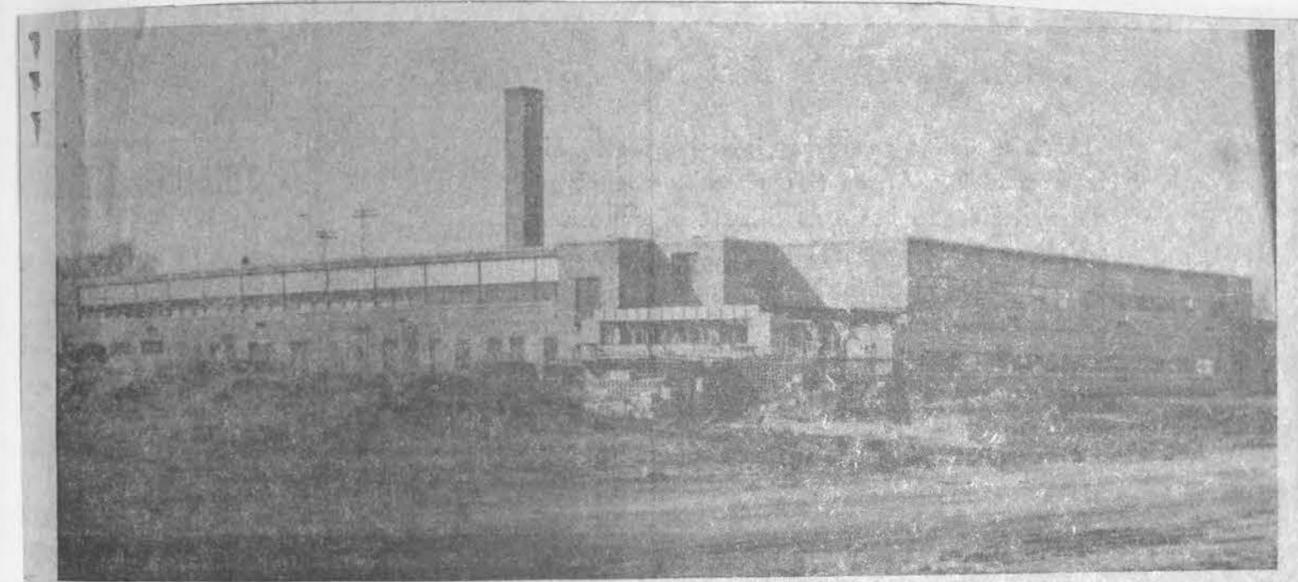
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**100 PER CENT**—This smiling group from East Side Grade School has a record of 100 per cent in the returning of dental cards. They are in the fifth grade taught by Miss Evelyn Jackson. In the front row, left to right, are: Sharon Winge, Mary Kay Strube, Ruth Ann Evenson, Judy McDaniel, Betty Pollard, Susan Reese, Joan Nelson and Sally Ehlers. In the second row left to right, are: Corrine Klockow, Sandra Lanoue, Diane Schultz, Nancy Farr, Kathlene

Fifield, Barbara Bump, Calvin Voss and Vernon Prairie. In the third row, left to right, are: Gary Friend, Geoffrey Caron, Myron Allen, Donald Molter, Mark Fox, Thomas Behrend, Duane Weedman and Hans Johnson. In the fourth row, left to right, are: Bruce Murray, Larry Drager, Michael Wilson, Jay Wiltrott, Bill Ramige, John Nefstead and David Evans.

april 13



**WEST SIDE GRADE SCHOOL** — The West Side Grade school is rapidly nearing completion. Workmen are taking advantage of the

spring weather to put some of the finishing touches on the exterior. Daily Messenger photo.

april 23



**THIS IS HOW IT WORKS**—Ken Knobbe shows Mrs. Roy Williams and her son, Eddie, how one of the new saws installed in the industrial arts department at Marshall High school is operated. The machine is one of the many up-to-date

machines recently installed in the newly constructed department. This department, the agricultural shop, music and physical education departments were open to the public Friday afternoon and evening.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

april 20

### New Departments Open for Public Inspection at MHS

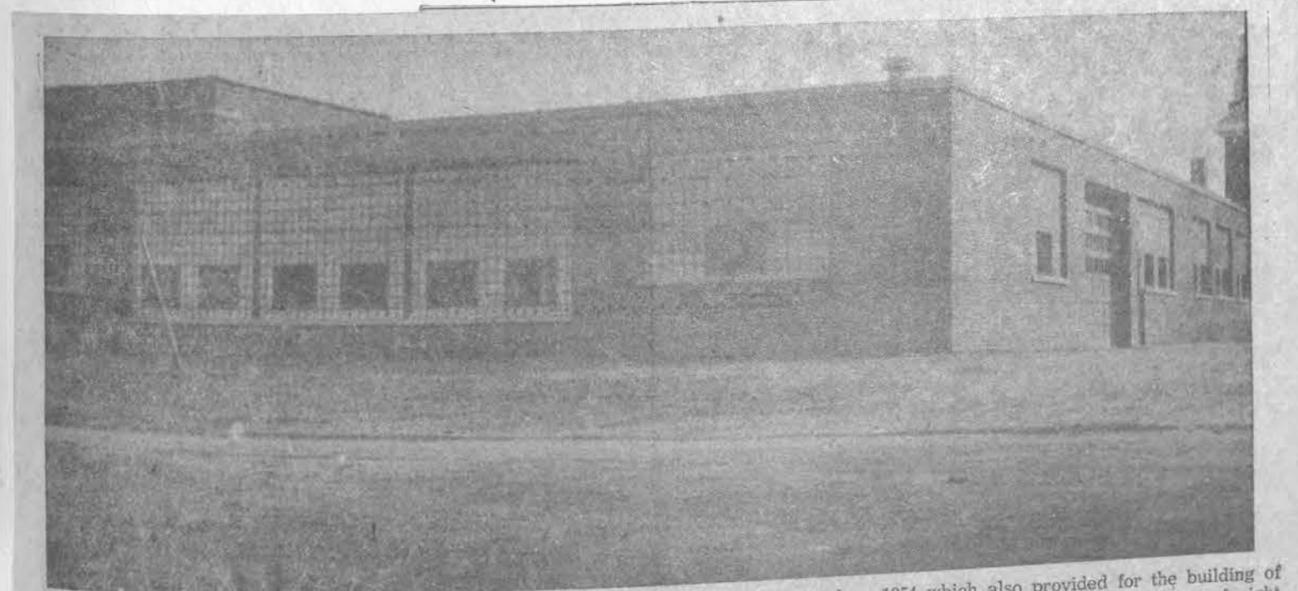
Open house at Marshall High school began this afternoon with many visitors expected to inspect the new agricultural, industrial arts, physical education and music departments.

The doors opened at 3 p.m. this afternoon.

Tonight, the doors will be opened at 7 p.m. and are expected to close at 9 p.m. Merrill Olson, principal, has termed the new additions as the most modern and efficient in the state.

On hand to discuss the departments will be Larry Kienholz and Harry Ahlin in the industrial arts department; Leo Yorke and G. Orion Lee in the music department; Miss Shirley Scholten in the physical education department; and Loyal McCann in the agriculture department.

april 23



**NEW ADDITION**—Marshall's newest addition to the public high school building was open to the public Friday afternoon and evening. The additions include a music department, industrial arts and agriculture departments and a gymnasium for girls' physical-education. The additions are part of the \$750,000 bond construction

approved in October, 1954 which also provided for the building of the West Side Elementary School and for the addition of eight classrooms to the East Side Elementary school. With the high school addition, the school is now able to handle around 700 high school students.—Daily Messenger photo.

april 19

# MHS Ties Canby; Game Called in 6th

Baseball started at Marshall High school Wednesday with a tie game at Canby. The score at the end of six innings, when the game was called on account of the rough weather, was 1-1.

Marshall scored its run in the top of the third inning when Dick Larson got on base on an error, went to second on an overthrow, stole third and went home on passed ball.

Canby scored on a walk and a triple by Christiansen in the bottom of the fifth inning.

John Tomasek started on the mound and pitched three innings giving up no hits and no runs. He was replaced by Dave Swennes who pitched the remaining three innings, giving up two hits and one run.

Pitching for Canby were Armitage, who gave up two hits and one run in four innings; and Plinske, who gave up one hit and no runs.

The game started with a double by Don Stearns and a single by Dick Reese with neither scoring. After that, action was slow except for the outbursts in the third and the fifth innings.

Starting for Marshall were Leroy Syverson as catcher, Dick Larson at first, Bob DeSchepper at second, Don Stearns at shortstop, Larry Stangley at third, Bill Reese in left field, Galen Skramstad in center field and Bill Carrow in right field.

Stearns, Reese and Skramstad divided the hits with one each.

	R	H	E
Marshall	1	3	1
Canby	1	2	1

Tomasek (3) 0-0, Swennes (3) 2-1; Armitage (4) 2-1, Plinske (2) 1-0.



John Tomasek

april 19

# MHS Schedules Game With Canby

Baseball season begins Wednesday for the Marshall High School squad. Coach Glen Moran said he has scheduled a game with Canby there if the weather cooperates.

A second game is scheduled for Friday at the home field with Tyler, Moran said.

Moran has seven veterans back from last year which are expected to start or play a big part in this week's games although no definite starting lineup has been selected.

Back are John Tomasek, pitcher-catcher who alternated with Jim Lanoue last year at the two positions; Galen Skramstad, outfielder; Leroy Syverson, catcher; Larry Stangley, third baseman; Don Stearns, shortstop-pitcher; Bob DeSchepper, second-baseman; and Bill Reese, outfielder.

Moran did not say who would start on the mound. Stearns, Tomasek and Skramstad may all share hurling duties.

Following is a tentative schedule:  
April 18, Canby, there.  
April 20, Tyler, here.  
April 23, Ruthton, here.  
May 1, Minnesota, there.  
May 8, Minnesota, here.  
May 14, Tracy, here.  
May 16 or 17, Lynd, tournament.



Galen Skramstad

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# Tigers Whip Ruthton 9-5; Swennes Starts

The Marshall High school Tigers made it three games without a loss Monday as they trampled a Ruth-ton squad 9-5 in bone-chilling weather.

Dave Swennes started on the mound and lasted 5 2-3 innings before giving way to John Tomasek.

While serving the ball up, Swennes struck out nine men, gave up 4 hits, four walks and hit two men.

Hourscht started on the hill for Ruthton and gave up six hits, struck out five, and walked none.

The game started out with two strikeouts by Swennes, a single by D. Peterson for Ruthton and another knockout.

Stearns, first-man up for the Tigers, singled to left, stole second and went to third on a wild pitch. Reese grounded out, Skramstad struck out, Tomasek walked and Severson struck out to end the inning.

Four men were up for Ruthton in the second inning with only Hourscht getting a single. Stangley, Carrow and Graham went down in order for Marshall.

Kulnstach and Krall went down in order but J. Peterson was hit by a pitched ball. D. Peterson struck out to retire the Ruthton side of the third inning.

Marshall scored in the bottom of the third when Swennes singled Stearns sacrificed, Reese singled to send Swennes home, Skramstad struck out and Severson flied out to the infield to end the inning.

Ruthton came back in the top of the fourth to even the score. Weeks grounded out, Stensgaard fouled out to the infield, Hourscht was hit by a pitched ball, Krall singled and Anderson walked. Hourscht scored on a passed ball and an error on a throw by the Marshall catcher.

The Tigers failed to score in their half of the fourth as Stangley flied out, Carrow grounded out, DeSchepper walked, and Swennes grounded out on a beautiful stop by D. Peterson, Ruthton second sacker.

Ruthton continued its scoring ways with a single by Krall who moved to second when D. Peterson walked. Krall went to third on a passed ball and scored along with Peterson on Weeks' single.

Stensgaard was hit by a pitched ball, Hourscht got on base on an

error, Krall, Kulnstach walked and Peterson singled to add the other two runs. Tomasek was then called in to relieve Swennes and he struck out one man to end the inning.

The big inning started with a fly out by Stearns, Reese getting on base on an error and Skramstad knocking him in with a three-bagger. Tomasek followed through with another three-bagger, knocking in Skramstad and scoring on an overthrow at third.

Severson got on base on an infield error and was knocked in by a triple by Stangley. Carrow walked, stole second while DeSchepper was striking out and scored on a double by Swennes. Through a series of errors, Swennes and Stearns came in to wind up the scoring.

The sixth and final inning ended with Ruthton managing to get a single but not able to get the man around the bases. Tomasek was the winner, Hourscht, the loser.

	R	H	E
Marshall	9	9	4
Ruthton	5	5	5

Swennes, Tomasek and Tomasek, Reese; Hourscht, Weeks and Stensgaard.

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# Annual Pre-School Roundup Saturday

Marshall public schools annual Kindergarten Round-Up will be held in the Little Theatre of the high school at 2 p.m. Saturday.

The parents of children born in 1951 are invited to bring the children to this Round-Up. The youngsters will be registered and the health and immunization program will be explained to the parents by the school nurse.

Miss Marlys Robson, one of the kindergarten teachers, will speak on "Preparing Your Child for School."

The Round-Up is sponsored by the Marshall Branch of the American Association of University Woman. The chairwoman is Mrs. Millard Ehlers.

A social hour and coffee will be part of the program.

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Shirley Kidder

# Shirley Kidder's Essay Places 2nd in District

Shirley Kidder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kidder of Marshall, has won second place in the Third District in an essay contest sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary.

Miss Kidder will receive her award at the Third District meeting to be held at Canby Sunday, April 22. First place winner in the district was Mary Poscy of Granite Falls.

A Marshall delegation will attend the district sessions. The women's program will open at 10 a.m.; the men's, at 1 p.m.

Both Miss Kidder and the runner-up in the Marshall essay contest, Lynn Bladholm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bladholm, have been invited to the Marshall VFW Auxiliary meeting to be held Monday.

Also invited are the essay contest judges: the Rev. David Davids; F. J. Meade; and Mrs. Walter Galle.

April 23

# Tomasek Strikes Out 9 in MHS Win

The Marshall High school Tiger baseball team kept its record clean by whipping a ragged-playing Tyler squad 9-1 Friday afternoon. John Tomasek went the full seven innings, giving up three hits and striking out nine men.

The Tigers crossed the plate four times in the first inning on walks by Don Stearns, Bill Reese and Tomasek and a triple by Larry Stingley. Stingley later scored.

Three more runs were added in the second inning when Bill Carrow doubled, several walks and singles by Skramstad and Stingley.

The other two runs came in the sixth inning off of singles by Skramstad, Tomasek and Leroy Severson, a throwing miscalculation by the Tyler catcher, and a fielder's choice by Stingley.

Tyler got its lone score in the top of the third as Bob Peters singled, swiped second and went home on a hit.

Tyler used four men on the mound during the seven innings with Harlan Peterson showing some nifty pitching before his arm gave out. Other pitchers seeing action for Coach Don Aller's 1956 edition were Lauren Fraaberg, Leon and Don Peterson.

The Tiger squad will face Ruth-ton at Legion field today with the game starting around 4:30 p.m.

	R	H	E
Marshall	9	6	1
Tyler	1	6	2

April 26

## Spring Concert May 15 at MHS

Marshall High school musicians will present their annual spring concert May 15 at 8 p.m. The concert is open and free to the public.

Presenting selections will be the grade school choirs under the direction of Miss Veda Williams; the intermediate choir; the junior high school boys' and girls' glee club; the senior high school mixed chorus; and the high school concert band.

Directing the band will be Leo Yorke. G. Orion Lee will direct the junior high school boys' and girls' glee clubs and the mixed chorus.

April 16

## Marshall High Students Win 26 A Ratings in Music Contest

Marshall High school walked off with 26 "A's" at the District music contests held at Tracy and Canby Saturday. Many of them were in the instrumental class.

They will now compete in the regional contest at Worthington in May.

The band was given high praise by Ernest Villas, former director of Hornel's All Girl Orchestra and Chorus.

"This band plays Beethoven like Beethoven would like to hear himself played. You (the band) demonstrate real character in music and reflect good training, precision and are a real contribution to the quality and ability of high school performance. I thoroughly enjoyed your performance," Villas said.

In all, 15 schools from the Marshall area competed at the two contests.

Winning "A's" for Marshall were:

### Instrumental Solos

Clarence Else, cornet; Marlene Eggen, piccolo; Marlene Eggen, flute; Margo Reuter, oboe; Shirley Kidder, bassoon; Galen Skramstad, Doris Priebe and Karen Hixon, all clarinets; Judy Carlson, alto saxophone; John Middleton, ten-

or saxophone; Larry Frey, base saxophone; Bob Fifield, trombone; Dennis Anderson, trombone; Judy Warnke, baritone; Don Herring, snare drums; and Dan Bowman, snare drums.

### Vocal and Instrumental Ensembles

Woodwind quintet: Doris Priebe, Marlene Eggen, Virginia Peterson, Shirley Kidder and Margo Reuter.

Clarinet trio: Galen Skramstad, Karen Hixon and Sonia Johnson. Cornet trio: Clarence Else, Lee Carlson and Patty Reese.

Brass sextet: Judy Warnke, David Ross, Doug Berge, Clarence Else, Marlys Young and Lee Carlson.

Drum ensemble: Don Herring, Dan Bowman, Jan Rivard, and John Berre.

Girls sextet: Pat Reese, Jeanine Graffunder, Margo Reuter, Shirley Kidder, Nicci Pierard and Virginia Peterson.

Girls trio: Marlys Young, Margaret Boyer and Sue Grue.

### Solos

Piano: Margo Reuter and Doris Priebe; soprano: Becky Johnson; Contralto: Sue Grue and Virginia Peterson.

The Band and Mixed Chorus also received A's.

April 18

## Open House Set at New Public School Addition

Open house will be held at the Marshall Public school Friday, starting at 3 p.m.

The new additions to the high school will be on display. Heads of each department will be on hand with students to show visitors around.

Visitors from the State Department and other schools have indicated that the Marshall shops are the most up to date and well planned of any in the state.

In the agriculture department, Loyal McCann will be on hand. Larry Kienholz and Harry Ahlin will be on hand in the Industrial Arts Department; Miss Shirley Scholten, physical education department; G. Orin Lee and Leo Yorke, music department.

Students will answer any questions about the various uses of the building.

Merril Olson said visitors may inspect the plant Friday from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m.

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# MHS Schedules First Night Track Event

For the first time in the history of Marshall track, the Marshall Invitational Track meet will be held in the evening.

The meet, to be held here May 15, will begin with the preliminaries at 3:30 p.m. The finals will begin at 7:30 p.m. Merrill Olson, principal of Marshall High school, said today.

Olson said that Lyle Else, light plant superintendent, has co-operated to the extent of installing lights on the field which when combined with the lights on the baseball diamond, should assure a well-lighted track.

The reason behind the evening meets, Olson said, is that many spring days are windy in the afternoon and quiet in the evening. If the evening meet should attract enough interest and attendance, the school hopes to make similar events a permanent fixture in the athletic schedule.

The Tiger thinclads are having a tough time getting in shape because of the rough weather conditions suffered by the athletes. The squad has been out on the field only two or three times since the beginning of practice.

From all indications, the team expects to open April 30 at the Mankato Relays and follow this meet up with the Carleton Relays May 5. The Invitational is the 15th and the District Track Meet May 18.

Coach Larry Kienholz is in for a rebuilding job with only hurdler Dick Larson and sprinter Jim Olson back from last year to form the nucleus.

Pointgetters Dennis Grow, Ronnie Thomson and Luther Reuter, who all placed at Carleton, have graduated. The squad took the championships both in the District 9 meet and the Region 3 tournament.

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Jim Olson



Dick Larson

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THREE NO TRUMP—Relaxing at a game of cards a few minutes before curtain time, are members of the Marshall High school senior class play cast and stage crew. They are (left to right): Marlyce Young, in charge of properties; Karen Jensen, an English-woman in the play;

Fred Janzen and Jim Andrzejewski, members of the stage crew; and Barb Mills, who plays Cornelia Otis Skinner. "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" is the name of the play which will be presented again at 8 tonight.—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

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# MHS Tracksters Whip Canby 65-43

Marshall High School's track team trounced Canby 65-43 in a dual meet in windy and miserable weather Tuesday.

Bob Peterson, Jim Olson, Dick Larson and John Ahlin were the main pointgetters for the thinclad squad.

Peterson won the shotput with a toss of 42 feet 3 inches, the discus with a throw of 123 feet 3 inches and the high jump with a leap of 5 feet 4 inches.

Larson took first in the 120 high hurdles with a time of 15.5 seconds; first in the 180 high hurdles with a time of 22 seconds; and second and third in the shot and high jump respectively.

Ahlin ran the 100 yard dash for the first time in competition and won with a time of 10:6 seconds; took first in the broad jump with a leap of 20 feet 4 inches against the wind, and took second in the 220 and third in the discus.

Olson displayed his usual speed taking first in the 220 yard dash and third in the 120 high hurdles.

Meet results:  
120 yard high hurdles—1. Larson (M) 2. Jansen (C) 3. Olson (M). Time 15.5 seconds.

100 yard dash—1. Ahlin (M) 2. Scherlin (C) 3. Lage (C). Time 10.6 seconds.

Mile—1. Otto (C) 2. DeBettigeous (C) 3. Koekelman (C). Time 5.24 seconds.

440 yard—1. Leuders (C) 2. Bisbee (M) 3. Thompson (C). Time 60.4 seconds.

180 low hurdles—1. Larson (M) 2. Tie between Bebler (M) and Emmons (C). Time 22 seconds.

220 yard dash—1. Olson (M) 2. Ahlin (M) 3. Jansen (C). Time 24.4 seconds.

Half Mile—Blankenfeld (C) 2. Drietz (C) 3. Burlingame (C). Time 2 minutes 18 seconds.

Shotput—1. Peterson (M) 2. Larson (M) 3. Tie between Funk (C) and Carrow (M). 42 feet 3 inches.

Discus—1. Peterson (M) 2. Carrow (M) 3. Arndt (M) 123 feet 3 inches.

High Jump—1. Peterson (M) 2. Arndt (C) 3. Larson (M). 5 feet 4 inches.

Broad Jump—1. Ahlin (M) 2. Janson (C) 3. Fifield (M). 20 feet 4 inches.

Relay—1. Marshall 2. Canby. Time 1 minute 59.3 seconds.

April 30



**FUTURE KINDERGARTENERS**—Marshall High school gymnasium was filled Saturday with children who will start Kindergarten next fall. They were separated into groups like the one above, which is listening to the story of George, the Monkey. Left to right: Mrs. George Rindelaub, Daniel Reed, Nancy Jacobson, Douglas Olson, Lorayne Dick, Michael Linn and Steven Tubbs. Barbara Tucker has her back to the camera. In the background are Mary Rindelaub and Rebecca Lens, spectators. Sponsored by the American Association of University Women, the Kindergarten Round-up was considered very successful, 150 registering. Those whose names are on the census but were unable to attend will be contacted by mail. Children born in 1951 may be registered for Kindergarten at the Marshall Public school or parents may call 2217.—Daily Messenger photo.

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**TOP TEN**—Marshall High school named the top 10 scholars of the senior class Tuesday at a special convocation. Beverley Kramer was named valedictorian and Barbara Mills, salutatorian. Above are the honored students in order of their grade ranking. Left to right front row: Beverley

Kramer, Barbara Mills, David Ross, David Lindblad and Don Londgren. Back row left to right: Verlane Willard, Maxine Qunell, Lynne Bladholm, Janet Zimmel and Shirley Kidder. (See story).—Daily Messenger strobophoto.

## Beverley Kramer, Barbara Mills Top Marshall High Senior Class

Beverley Kramer and Barbara Mills were named valedictorian and salutatorian respectively Tuesday at a convocation honoring the top 10 ranking seniors of the Marshall High School graduating class. Gold cords were presented to the students by Merrill Olson, principal. The cords are a symbol, Olson said, of the highest honor given a student at the school.

Following is a list of the students and the activities in which they have participated:

Beverley Kramer—Enrolled in 14 subjects with an average grade of 94.4 over the past three years. Participated in glee club, chorus, student council, Tiger Herald, national officer of the Future Homemakers of America and of class. Plans to attend the University of Minnesota, majoring in home economics.

Barbara Mills—Enrolled in 12 subjects with an average grade of 94. Active in glee club, chorus,

badminton champion and editor of the Tiger Herald. Plans to be a teacher, to attend Macalester College.

David Ross—Enrolled in 12 subjects with an average grade of 93.4. Active in chorus, band, basketball, football. Plans to attend the University of Minnesota and major in engineering.

David Lindblad—Enrolled in 14 subjects with a grade average of 93. Badminton champion. Plans to major in engineering at the University of Minnesota.

Don Londgren—Enrolled in 14 subjects with an average grade of 92.3. Was active in band, movie crew, a member of the Marhian staff and the Future Farmers of America judging teams. Plans to major in engineering at South Dakota State College.

Verlane Willard—Enrolled in 14 subjects with a grade average of

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92.1. Was active in the Commercial clubs and the FHA. Plans to be a secretary after graduation.

Maxine Qunell—Enrolled in 14 subjects with a grade average of 92. Active in Girls Athletic Association, chorus, glee club, FHA, Commercial club, and co-editor of the Marhian. Plans to be a secretary after graduation.

Lynne Bladholm—(Tied with Miss Qunell. Enrolled in 12 subjects with a grade average of 92. Active in band, chorus, glee club and the student council. Plans to be a teacher, to attend Macalester College.

Janet Zimmel—Enrolled in 14 subjects, with a grade average of 91.9. Active in student council, FHA and co-editor of the Marhian. Plans to attend St. Mary's Nursing School at Rochester.

Shirley Kidder—Enrolled in 12 subjects with a grade average of 91.7. Active in chorus, band, glee club, student council and editor of the Tiger Herald. Plans to attend Hamline University.

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**EGG JUDGING** — These three Future Farmers of America are candling eggs in the Swift and Company plant. They are part of a group of about 60 boys representing 14 schools that were in Marshall Saturday for the Region 4 poultry judging contest. Winners of the contest will participate in the state contest to be held at the University of Minnesota farm campus sometime in May.—Daily Messenger strobphoto.

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## Marshall FFA Team Sweeps Regional Poultry Judging

Marshall High school Future Farmers of America took the first five places in the individual judging and first place in the team competition at the Region 6 FFA poultry judging contest held Saturday at Swift and Company in Marshall.

John Ahlin took first place individual honors among the 62 persons competing with a score of 891 points from a possible 940.

Other Marshallites who comprised the top five were: LeRoy Sylverson, 767; Glenn Stafford, 763;

Bill Schroeder, 757 and James Bloome, 746. Alternate for the Marshall team was Warner Babcock.

Next five ranking individuals were Robert Tews, Jackson; John Stanwick, Jackson; Gary Cortright, Okabena; Dennis Thuymer, Jackson; Clifford Odell, Franklin.

Ranking after Marshall in the team competition, in this order, were: Jackson, Okabena, Fairfax, Luverne, Tyler, Franklin, Comfrey, Worthington and Pipestone.

The five highest ranking teams will compete in the state FFA contest in which Marshall already has placed a crops team. This competition is scheduled May 7 at University Farm.

Swift and Company facilities — including breeding stock, hens for production, live and dressed chickens — were used for the regional contest.

Loyal McCann is advisor to the Marshall team.

April 16

## 3 MHS Students Receive Honorable Mention at Fair

Three Marshall High School students received honorable mention awards at the fifth annual Science Fair Saturday at Mankato.

Shaun Stepp received the honor for developing a highway safety device; Alan Olson, for inventing a simplified burglar alarm; Roger Hanson, for the development of a telescope.

Fourteen students and three faculty members attended from Marshall High school. Projects were submitted by the following students:

Alan Hoff and Kenneth Pipke, jet propulsion; Alan Olson, burglar alarm; Dick Foster, electrical demonstration board; Shaun Stepp, highway safety device; Gordon Seick, 22 calibre rifle; Warren Verdeck, movie projector; Virginia Rasmussen, deficiency diet with white mice; Roger Hanson, telescope.

Advising the group were William Welch, Lee Kohs and Robert Reimler.

The Science Fair was sponsored by Science Clubs, Mankato State Teachers College and the Southern Minnesota Science Teacher League. The purpose was to give students an opportunity to compete with other students in southern Minnesota on a basis of scientific interest and ability. This was the first time Marshall High school has participated in the event.

Approximately 28 schools competed. Clarkfield and Walnut Grove were the only other schools from this area.

May 2



**HONORARY MEMBERS**—At the Future Homemakers of America Mother's Tea held Monday evening in the high school Home Economics department, four honorary members were received

into the organization. The members, left to right, the Miss Doris Drake, Miss Olive Hagstrom, Mrs. M. C. Stanwood and L. J. McCann.—Daily Messenger photo.

May 2

## High School Game Called

Marshall High school's baseball game with Minneota Tuesday was called off after the second inning with the score 2-0 in favor of Minneota.

A contest must go 5 innings in order to be called a game. Starting on the mound for Marshall was John Tomasek.

May 3

## Marshall High Musicians in Regional Event

Marshall High school musicians will compete in the state regional contest at Worthington Friday.

Those competing were awarded "A's" at the district contests April 13 and 14.

Groups and soloists competing are:

### Instrumental Solos

Clarence Else, cornet; Marlene Eggen, piccolo; Marlene Eggen, flute; Margo Reuter, oboe; Shirley Kidder, bassoon; Galen Skramstad, Doris Priebe and Karen Hixon, all clarinets; Judy Carlson, also saxophone; John Middleton, tenor saxophone; Larry Frey, baritone saxophone; Bob Filfield, trombone; Dennis Anderson, trombone; Judy Warnke, baritone; Don Herring, snare drums; and Dan Bowman, snare drums.

### Vocal and Instrumental Ensembles

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Drum ensemble: Don Herring, Dan Bowman, Jan Rivard, and John Berre.

Girls sextet: Pat Reese, Jeanine Graffunder, Margo Reuter, Shirley Kidder, Nicci Pierard and Virginia Peterson.

Girls trio: Marlys Young, Margaret Boyer and Sue Grue.

**Solos**  
Piano: Margo Reuter and Doris Priebe; soprano: Becky Johnson; Contralto Sue Grue and Virginia Peterson.

May 1

## Face Minneota Today

## Tigers Try for Third Win

Marshall High school's baseball nine will try for their third win of the season this afternoon as they face Minneota on the foreign diamond.

The Tiger squad holds season victories over Tyler and Ruthton and a tie with Canby.

Probable starters in the infield of local nine are Leroy Severson, catcher; Bill Carrow, first base; Bob DeSchepper, second base; Don Stearns, shortstop; and Larry Stingley, third base.

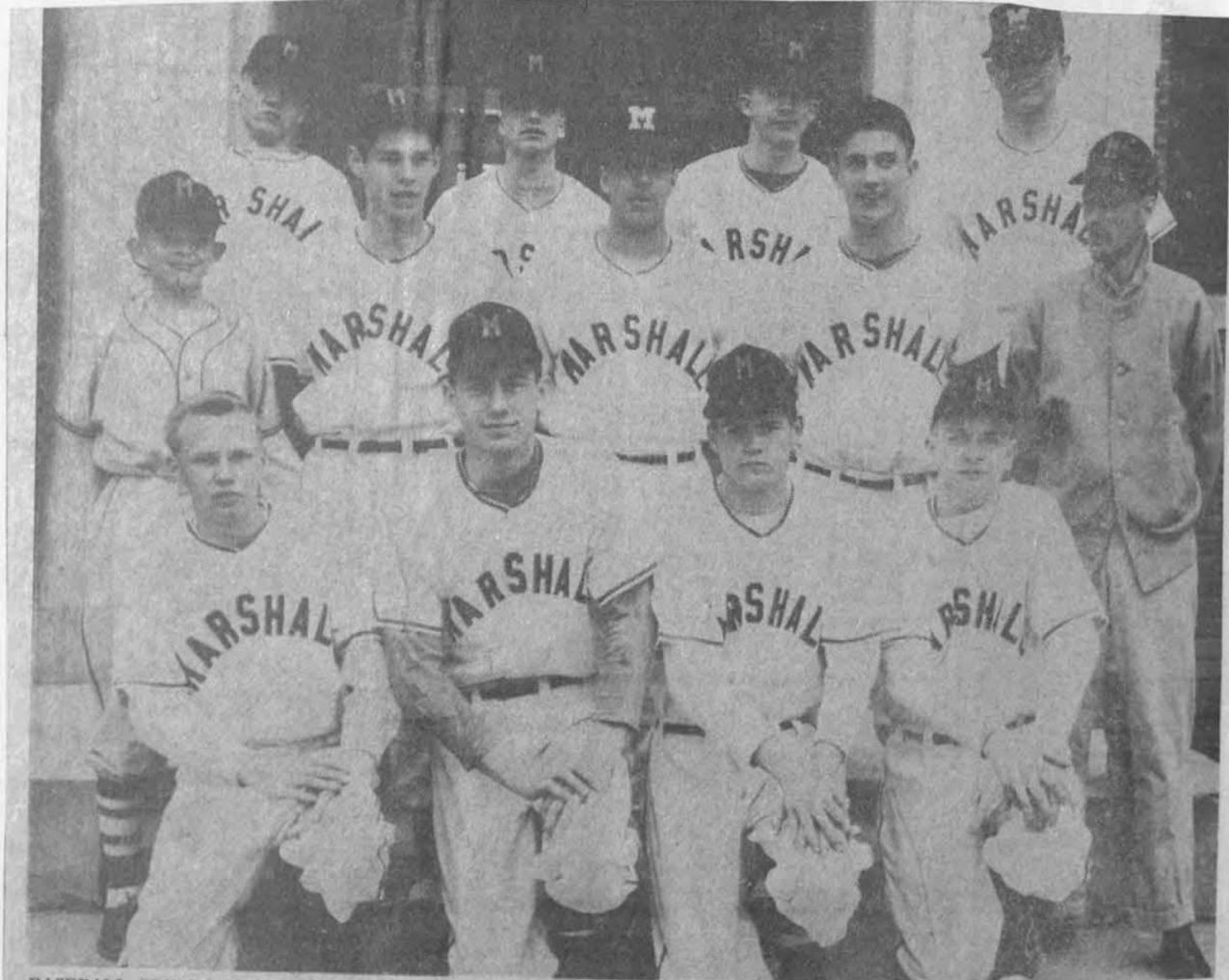
Starters in the outfield will be three of the following men: Galen Skramstad, Dick Larson, Dave Swennes, and Bill Reese.

Tomasek is expected to pitch although Swennes may get the call.



Bill Carrow

May 2



**BASEBALL SQUAD**—Members of the 1956 Marshall High school baseball squad, which has a season record of two wins and one tie, are (left to right) front row: Dave Swennes, John Tomasek, Bob Graham and Leroy Severson; second row (left to right): Norman Berg, Larry Stingley, Dick Ogle, Don Stearns and Coach Glen

Moran; third row (left to right): Bill Reese, Bob DeSchepper, Galen Skramstad and Bill Carrow. The squad played two innings at Minnesota Tuesday before being rained out. Next game for the local nine will be at Legion Field Tuesday.—Daily Messenger photo.

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At Public Schools

## Marshall's New Teachers



**JOYCE HARTER**, Madison, S. D. Kindergarten.



**DOROTHY VAN NORMAN**, Bingham Lake, Grade 2.



**BARBARA FILKINS**, Tracy, Grade 4.



**IRADELL SEVERSON**, Walnut Grove, Grade 5.



**DAREN K. GISLASON**, Minnesota, Grade 6.



**SHARON MARIE CLARK**, Quimby, Ia., home economics.