

# RABINOWITZ ELECTED COUNCIL PRESIDENT ..

Student Body Elects  
Choate, Hu, Lee to Posts

Four seniors were elected by Yo-Hi students in a spirited campaign for student council for the 1956-57 school year. Charles Rabinowitz was chosen president, Marion Choate vice-president, Rosemary Hu secretary, and Jane Lee treasurer.

Unsuccessful candidates for the four offices were David Degelman, Peter Büttner, Gretchen Culpepper, and Nancy Ruehlow.

Balloting was held Friday morning, November 9, during the first period classes. This climaxed a week of feverish campaign activities by the candidates. Posters and banners were plastered all over the halls and everyone wore a badge to support some candidate.

Campaign speeches were made by the candidates and their managers at an assembly in the auditorium on November 8.

**GIRLS:** If at first you don't recede, diet, diet, diet again.

## BAND WINS FIRST PLACE TROPHY

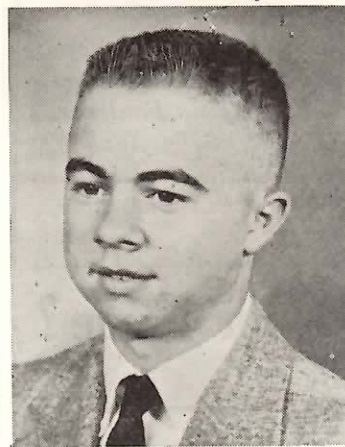
The Yo-Hi Band won the first place trophy in the group instruments division at the International Music Contest.

The finals of the International Music Contest were held Sunday, November 18, at the Kanagawa Prefectural Hall. Competing were Japanese and American schools with the major portion of the program devoted to group instruments, choruses, and instrumental solos.

Kanagawa Prefectural Governor Uchiyama praised the event in that it promoted a better relationship between foreign countries because music is an international language.

The Yo-Hi Band and Chorus were chosen from the preliminary contest of October 27 to compete in the finals. Miss Hulse directed both groups.

## BÜTTNER NAMED EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF ANNUAL; STAFF ORGANIZED



### Advance Sale After Christmas Vacation

Peter Büttner, Yo-Hi senior, has been named Editor-in-Chief of the 1956-57 annual staff. Staff assignments have been made by the editor and the sponsors and work is already in progress to make this another successful production.

The annual office is in Room 111 where the staff meets on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays during the Special Programs Period.

The price for this year's annual is budgeted to be about the same as last year's. Improvements planned include larger sized pages and some colored pictures.

An advertising campaign is scheduled for the week after Christmas vacation, and advance sales will start a week later.

The faculty sponsors this year are Mrs. Morrison and Miss Fischer.

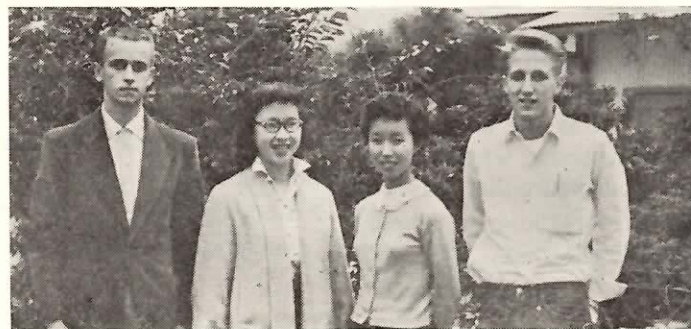
### Special Thanksgiving Assembly Held

A special Thanksgiving Assembly was held on November 23. The program opened with songs by the Junior High under the direction of Miss Hulse.

The featured guest on the program was Chaplain Lindner from the Yokohama Chapel Center, who delivered a very stirring talk.

The Yo-hi Band also participated in the program.

The best way to cheer yourself is to try to cheer someone else up.



Rabinowitz, Hu, Lee, and Choate were elected officers of the Student Council.

### GLEE CLUB CHOOSES OFFICERS

The Glee Club has chosen its officers for the school year. The following were elected: Nancy Ruehlow, president; and Chris Johnson, social chairman.

### STRANDBERG HEADS FROSH COMMITTEE

The officers of the freshman class appointed Bill Strandberg chairman of the program committee. Members of the committee include Richard Geer, Ann Carney, Sharon Widincamp, Gail Gordon, Elaine Weise, and Jeff High.

The Committee is meeting to plan the year's activities.

### SNEEN ELECTED BAND PRESIDENT

Dave Sneen was elected president of the Yo-Hi Band at a recent election. Other officers are Mike Fujimoto, secretary, Dave Sweet, treasurer, and Curtis Martin, social chairman.

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## Shall We Change Our Name? Help Us Decide

We would like to have your ideas on this subject. Please let us know them by filling out the above form. You do not have to sign your name, but if you should suggest a good new name, then we would like to give you credit for it. Just drop your suggestions in the box by the bulletin board. If we do not get any response, we will drop the whole idea. We'd like to hear from you either way.

Even if you do not have an idea for the new name, please let us know if you would like it changed.

Wouldn't YOU be proud to know YOU had started a tradition?

And now concerning the price. The first issue was merely a gift to give you an idea of what the paper will be like this year. (I hope you enjoyed it.) This issue will be bigger and better and we are planning great things for the future. This issue is only five cents. If we cannot meet our expenses, the price will have to be raised.

We hope you will enjoy this issue and the forthcoming ones. Thank you for your cooperation.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

Do YOU want to change the name of the school paper?

CHECK ONE: YES  NO

Do YOU have an idea for a new name?

SUGGESTIONS:

- 1.
- 2.



Charlotte Hutto consults the card catalog while helping a student.

### LIBRARY AIDES PERFORM SERVICE

The library aides shelve books, straighten the books on the shelves, check books in and out, and help students find material in which they are interested.

The girls find the work interesting and a splendid way to get acquainted with other students. Their services are needed because the library is usually quite a busy place. Thus they are performing a worthwhile service to their school.

The girls and the periods during which they work are: Linda Crowder, Third Period; Posie Kennedy, Fourth Period; Charlotte Hutto, Fifth Period; and Charlotte Hutto and Posie Kennedy, Sixth Period.



"Oh, Mr. Sandman, bring me a dream....."

### Investigate Yo-Hi Library

Our library is a very pleasant place in which to study or to find a good book to read. The library is open from 9:00 to 3:30. You may even come in at lunch if you need to study or to select a book. Books may be kept seven days and renewed once.

The librarian, Mrs. Shaw, and her helpers are there to help you find the book or material you're looking for. There are books on every subject imaginable, and many new books are being added to the collection.

No magazines have been received as yet, but soon there should be a good selection of interesting ones.

Every day a list of overdue books will be posted on the bulletin board in the front hall.

See you at the library!

### YO-HI Welcomes "Singing Ambassador"

An international "Hello Song" started the assembly in which Mr. Meyer had the whole auditorium rocking in the aisles.

Walter L. Meyer of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been acclaimed the "Singing Ambassador of the U.S." Mr. Meyer believes that music and laughter are the best means for promotion of international friendship and mutual understanding. To promote this feeling he has visited 35 countries... bringing out the vocal talents of audiences as wide in range as human nature, from England's staid Nottingham University and the 1952 Olympic teams at Helsinki, to grizzled French Foreign Legion troops in Algeria.

This one-man who has done so much in promoting goodwill in the world was self-sponsored and self-backed.

*Hatred stirreth up strifes:  
 but love covereth all sins.  
 Proverbs 10:12*

## Slush

Although cupid's ways may be more subtle the recently celebrated Sadie Hawkin's Day often brings more direct results. At Yokohama, girls caught and married their guys all in a a weekend. Some of the newly-weds are Pickles and Bob P., Sparky and Bob R., and Dennis and Alice C.

A boastful Zamanite was explaining that ZAMA was going to run the school this year. They may have something there considering that three of the four YO-HI classes are headed by Zama Presidents.

Except for a few "remaining" couples, (Mike & Jan, Charlyn & Pat, Tex & Dianne, etc.) all seems quiet on the Yokosukan front.

Bev F. found herself faced with a fate worse than death (at least to all red blooded American females) not so long ago. Her problem? No voice. Solution? To the pencils! And speaking of Bev, Lefty was also in the minus category. All I want for Christmas is...

There is no escaping Elvis Presley! It is said that he is heard from dawn to dusk on the radio "hiccoughing" about being cruel to a tender hound dog" and his name turns up in every magazine and newspaper. So why should we be different? Is it true that there is a "Presley Fan Club" in YO-HI? It is rumored that the club promotes the idea of Private Presley being sent to the Far East.

Even Al Ricketts fears Yo-Hi's desires.

That's all for now, don't forget next issue—same column—new slush.

P. S. How is Buford, huh????

On New York City's Manhattan Bridge while cables were being replaced: "Pardon us while we change our suspenders. We don't want to be caught with our bridges down."

## C. C.'s the Beat ...BBB

The teen-age world is faced with a new crisis: What has happened to Elvis Presley? Why has he changed his style? Is this new change permanent? Frankly the only thing I like about him is his voice. The sideburns, the gyrations, and all the rest are repulsive. But now I'm worried. He is recording some quiet stuff. "Love Me Tender" is a good side, and I'd enjoy it by any other performer. The song is just another ballad and probably wouldn't be Number One if done by Perry Como or Frank Sinatra. It's popularity rests only in the fact that it's Presley.

So here's the problem. Do YOU think that his new style is here to stay? Do YOU like it? If not, why not? Here is a chance to voice your own opinions, pro or con. We will print in this column next issue the best answer that is turned in to the editor. You bought his records. Let's hear what you have to say.

Switching from the male to the female vocalists, in the November issue of Coronet is a condensation of the book, Lady Sings the Blues. It's about America's greatest blues singer, Billie Holiday. Read it and see what the "Best" there is has to say. The cover story of the current issue of Downbeat is about June Christy, who is the best in her own field of jazz singers.

That's it for this time. Remember, we are not joking about Presley. Let's see if you're interested enough to say so.

## Chess Club Chooses Leaders

Russ Kelly was elected president of the Chess Club at a recent election. Other officers named were Bill Cory, vice-president; Paulette Salvo, secretary; and Bob Webster, treasurer.

## ASK MAUD MOONE

Dear Maud,

*I have a mad crush on a darling boy in first period Physics. Do you think I have a chance? A.E.*

A. E.: Possibly it would help if you boned up on your atoms. Then you can recite the Einstein Theory and really throw him for a loop. M. M.

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My dear Maud,

*What can I do about a girl who doesn't even know I exist? B. D.*

B. D.: Try wearing a purple sweater, bright orange slacks, and green socks to school. If she doesn't know you exist then, she is obviously blind and you need not worry any longer. M. M.

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Dear Maud:

*I have met my dream man at last! I am very shy and he is quite bashful so I need your help desperately. Please tell me how I can get a date with this dashing senior. S. S.*

S. S.: He sounds too bashful for a direct approach so I think you'd better try a sneak attack. Find out what his main interest, hobbies, etc., are and bone up on them. This way you can start a casual conversation with him and he will discover what an interesting person you can be and ask you for a date. M. M.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: I shall be happy to forward your problems to Maud Moone. Just address your inquiry to the Newspaper Staff, ATTN: Maud Moone.)

## Feminine Frizzeries

"The Look on a Shoestring" has it this season, so the latest fashions show. This being the case, accessories are high in style.

You're sure to have noticed the matching shoes, belts, and bags (really feminine and so inconspicuous that they're noticeable). Too, there are matching cuff links, hats with the partner bag. Best of all, these can be used in any combination or order. For adding or subtracting any one item changes the appearance of the whole outfit. There's only one "catch-it" to the story. The vogue is small, very dainty, and just a bit striking.

Something else to remember, however, is that the favorite beau usually doesn't like his best pal to have that weighted-down appearance.

Speaking of bows, I'll take a beau. And in doing this many of us find ourselves going steady. Oh! How delightful! It's a wonderful American custom that I've grown so fond of. As a present from him we usually find ourselves swimming in a school sweater won for football, etc., or being strangled by a heavy class ring, a gold football, basketball, or other such charm. Of course we all have our swimming badges and we really don't mind being strangled.

Perhaps you have noticed around Yo-Hi a small coin, cut in half, hanging from a small silver chain. When it is put together with its mate it has a very touching verse on it. We can't begin to list the different ways of recognizing girls and boys going steady but let's keep it up, kids! We all think it's a great idea and you never know what can happen . . . . Do we?

## NEGISHI Elementary School

### SMITHEY'S CLASS HOLDS OPEN HOUSE

Friday, November 16, the children of Miss Smithey's class invited Miss Pfeifer's class to an afternoon open house. The first part of the program was an explanation by Robert Davis and Al Davidoff of the universe on the low ceiling. This project had just been completed by the class.

Following this, a trip around the annex was made which ended on the private playground. The boys of the two classes then had a game of football, while the girls played Flinch.

At the conclusion of the games, the children were escorted into the long room where pink lemonade and cookies were served.

Special guests were: Mrs. Primm, Miss Pfeifer, Mrs. Haney, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Crowder and Mrs. Coskey.

—Alan DuBois &  
Dennis Sheehan

### POST OFFICE SHOWS OFF

Last Tuesday, November 11, the pupils of Miss Coulter's fourth grade visited the U. S. Army Post Office.

Mr. Pope, the Chief Warrant Officer, acted as our host. He showed the cages for the money orders, stamps, and special mail. He also showed the class the mail bags and explained why they were different in color.

The pupils learned how to look up their fathers' cards.

Mr. Pope took the class through the part of the building where they sort the mail and demonstrated how the cancel machine works.

The best part of it is, Miss Coulter said that the class may go on other trips!

—Wendy Watkins



## NEGISHI GLEE CLUB PLACES IN CONTEST

Negishi's fifth and sixth grade Glee Club won second place in the Kanagawa Prefecture International Music Contest held at Kanagawa Prefecture Hall on Sunday, November 18.

### Music Teacher Weds

Our music teacher, Miss Joanne Bingaman, was married to Lt. Col. Charles H. Masters on Tuesday November 13, at the Yokohama Chapel Center. She wore a white and gold sheath dress, made of imported French lamé.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the Colonial Club.

Mr. Harry Frey gave the bride away, and Mrs. Frey acted as mother of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Buxkemper and Mrs. Shivers. Maid of Honor was Charlotte Ratty, who wore a pale green dress. Best man was Col. John Kenderdine.

—Janet Johnson

### PTA Hears Chorus

The third meeting of Negishi PTA met Monday, November 19. The winning fifth-sixth grade Glee Club sang the song which they sang at Kanagawa Prefecture Hall.

The plaque for the largest percentage of parents present was won by Mrs. Shivers's class again. The trophy for the most fathers present was also won by her class. What's the matter with the other classes?

### JUNIOR TOWN HALL NEWS

Negishi School has set up a student body and has named it Junior Town Hall.

Junior Town Hall elected its officers at the October meeting. President is Billy Davis, vice-president Patsy Thomas, secretary Charles Choate.

This student body will discuss all student problems and try to arrive at a solution that will prove best for all the children. Any room may refer any problem to Junior Town Hall. At the November meeting the group voted that all football games should be confined to the rear playground area as a matter of safety. Children not participating in football should use the other parts of the playground.

The goal for November is student rights. Such rights include waiting your turn patiently at the fountains, being careful of smaller children, obeying the safety patrol at all times, and using such small phrases as "Excuse me" and "Thank you" where needed.

Mr. Whalon is faculty sponsor for this group. Meetings will be held at least once a month.

—Charles Choate

### NEW TEACHER TAKES SHUMAKER'S CLASS

*Mrs. Ellen Borzumato took over Mrs. Shumaker's room on Tuesday, November 20. She has been in Japan for one and a half years. She taught in Sudbury, Massachusetts, and Puyallup, Washington, before coming to Japan.*

The chorus was directed by Miss Burke and accompanied by Miss Coulter. The award was made at the end of the contest and was accepted for the Glee Club by Miss Burke.

The Glee Club had first participated in the preliminary contest held at Beach High School on October 26.

The prize is a beautiful golden trophy which at present is in the office for everyone to see. The group was also awarded a certificate.

To celebrate this victory, our Glee Club sang at PTA on Monday night.

—Veronica Mulcahy

### AROUND THE ROOMS

Miss Hinshilwood's room has just completed a mural of American small towns. They have also finished scrapbooks on the same topic.

Miss Coons's class made a trip to the post office also, and were very interested in the postal helpers.

Miss Hatton's first grade made a trip to the commissary last week and learned how food is stored and distributed.

Mrs. Davenport's class has just finished a study of Egypt and is beginning a study of the Fertile Crescent.

**BEACH HAS 17 NEW STUDENTS**

New arrivals in the Nasugbu Beach Elementary School are as follows:

Grade	Name	Teacher	From
1	Julie R. Huddleston	Mrs. Lee	Kobe
1	Henry C. Stone	Miss Gibbon	ZI
1	Edward Ryan	Miss Gibbon	ZI
1	David Carlisle	Miss Gibbon	ZI
2	John Ryan	Miss May	ZI
2	Cynthia Pfeffer	Miss May	ZI
3	Kay Connelly	Miss Centola	ZI
3	Barbara Breyette	Mrs. Allard	ZI
3	Junko Manu	Mrs. Allard	Jap. School
4	Willam Bickel	Miss Hungaski	
4	Harry Stone	Mrs. Quintana	ZI
4	Billie Harrell	Mrs. Quintana	ZI
4	Sharalyn Pfeffer	Miss Stever	ZI
4	Kenneth Carlisle	Miss Stever	ZI
5	Arturo Quebral	Miss Clark	Philippines
6	German Quebral	Mr Stalling	Philippines
6	Anita Pfeffer	Mr Stalling	ZI

**News Around the Classes**

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Miss Eichner Grade 1

A caterpillar came into our room and Tommy put him in a box. The caterpillar made a cocoon. In the Spring we hope to see a butterfly or moth.

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Mrs. Lee Grade 1

Our class has been watching things grow. We have a carrot top, two sweet potatoes, and three pumpkin seeds. A ha-ta, a Japanese insect that looks very much like a grasshopper, has been visiting our garden for several days.

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Miss Marsh Grade 1

We have two fish and a turtle in our room. We are learning how different animal live and where they live.

Writing our own letters and mailing them at the post office was an interesting experience.

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Miss May Grade 2

Thanksgiving season makes us think of the First Thanksgiving when the Pilgrims gave Thanks to God. We remember that they first went to Church and then had a Big Feast with the Indians who came as their guests.

We have made two murals —one called "The First Thanksgiving", the other called, "Let Us Give Thanks."

Our room decorated the main corridor bulletins on the first floor in the main building.

**Science Experiments**

We have planted bulbs and are recording the date when roots or stems appear.

Carrots, sweet potatoes, and pussy willow plants are being watched. We discovered that all plants need soil, air, water, and sunshine.

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Miss Fujita Grade 2

We have a Book Tree in our room.

We put on a leaf for each story we read or hear.

We have many leaves on our tree.

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**OUR PRESENT ENROLLMENT**

Beach Elementary School has grown this year, in comparison to the enrollment of last year. Last year the enrollment was 475 at this time. This year it is 489. Having the new First Grade Annex has helped to relieve the congestion. Now all four grades are located in the new Annex. This has made the classes in the main building less crowded. The teachers are very happy to have the bright, shiny annex.

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Miss Cosgrove Grade 5

We took a trip to the Post Office at North pier on the 16th of November. We went through the package room and received little books about how to wrap a package if you are going to send something to the United States. We also saw a big stamp collection. Mr. Pope said that they had over a million and a half dollars worth of stamps. We looked up our own locator cards. A committee is going to write to Mr. Pope.

Mrs. Adams Grade 3

We have studied about a farm in geography, so we are making a model one in our class. We have learned that farms today are very different from the ones many years ago. The film "Autumn on the Farm" has helped us to know what a farm looks like.

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Miss Centola Grade 3

On November 18th our 3rd grade took part in the International Music Contest. The contest was held at the Kanagawa Music Hall. We sang Home On The Range.

It was cold in the music hall because they did not have heaters there. We had to keep our coats on except when we went up on the stage to sing.

We did not win a prize this time but hope that we will the next time.

**Nasugbu BEACH Elementary**

Jr. Town Hall Activities

The Junior Town Hall has been working on many school activities. At the November 1 PTA meeting it put on a safety skit. All the rhymes and poems were made up by the Jr. Town Hall members themselves. A repeat performance was also given for the student body of Beach School.

At Christmas pupils are going to sell school beanies, banners, and patches in order to get Jr. Town Hall pins,

—Curtis Morris

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Miss Stever Grade 4

**A Bad Accident**

One day in Japan I had a bad accident. I was running in the private rental area when all of a sudden I tripped and fell down. When I got up I saw that a place by my right eye was bleeding. I ran into the house to get Momie. When she saw me she rushed me to the doctor.

Finally, I came to the hospital and when they saw me they gave me four stitches and a shot.

Then I went home. The next day I could not see out of my right eye, but then I went back and got the stitches out and was I happy.

—Bunny Cass

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Miss Clark Grade 5

At the last meeting of the Junior American Citizens Club, Miss Clark's Fifth Grade elected a new group of officers. Those elected were:

President —Rickey Hansen  
Vice-Pres.—Kathy Groves  
Secretary —Bruce Royer

Our class has been studying birds and migration. In class we drew pictures of birds and hung them on the wall.

## JUNIOR HIGH New and Notes

### Students Attend Kabuki

—Diane Romane

On Sunday, November 18, about 30 seventh and eighth graders went to see Kabuki at the Kabuki-Za in Tokyo. Before the show began an American correspondent told the visitors that when they saw a beautiful girl come on stage it was not a girl but a man made up as a girl. Only men are allowed to act in Kabuki. He also explained the coming performance.

The first of the three shows was the "Dance of the Flowers Festival." The stage was draped in purple and white flowers. In the second show two men dressed as fighters did a dance. The third was a story of a blind man and a dog.

After the performance the pupils were taken backstage where pictures were taken. Also, tea and rice cookies were served. The classes arrived back at school at 12:30.

### SPEECH THERAPY AT WORK

The speech therapists who conduct classes at Beach and Negishi schools are Sgt. Holtan and Miss Whitton.

Sgt. Holtan works with bilingual children, teaching them English pronunciation and vocabulary. To promote interest he uses games and picture games which aid greatly in helping these children to acquire a knowledge of English.

Miss Whitton works with children who have speech difficulties. She also teaches lip reading and speech to children who are hard of hearing. Miss Whitton uses the tape recorder and victrola in her work, and conducts audiometer tests.

High school students may be referred to the therapists also.

## A TALL TALE ADVENTURE ONE

by Bill Callahan

Once upon a time in the mountains of Bobo-land, there lived a man and a woman. The man's name was Dopey Dan and the woman's Stupid Sarah.

One day Dopey Dan went hunting. Now in the million mountains of Bobo-land there were a hundred billion dopalopes. The dopalopes are a type of animal that can only run backward and walk forward. Dopey Dan went to kill one.

Dopey Dan is an inch smarter than his name. He set a trap using a picture of a bellobell, an animal that resembles a lion. Now the dopalope was afraid of a bellobell and would run the other way right toward Dopey Dan. However, the dopalope got smart for the first time in its history and started crawling sideways when it saw the picture of the bellobell.

Dopey Dan had lost his prey and had so frightened the dopalope that it called all the dopalopes together. They all flew to another planet named earth. On the way the air was so thin that many died and the rest were changed to the present-day antelope.

### "I Wanted a Pet"

When we first came to Japan, I wanted a pet; but the answer was "No." One day a bedraggled cat came to our door. She was half starved. After we fed her she stayed. About a month later she had kittens. They were a strange bunch. There were four of them; two of them had bob-tails and two had long tails. One was gray, and the rest were black and white striped. They are very playful and full of mischief.

We still have them. Now they are two or three months old. I'm happy, and they are happy because we both got what we wanted.

—Bertina Richter

## JR. HIGH STARTS GYM PROGRAM

### STUDENTS TAKE TO WHEELS

On Friday, November 16, approximately 115 junior high students went roller skating here in Yokohama. They left school at 4:00 and returned about 6:15.

Everyone had loads of fun in spite of the bumps, spills, and crowded rink.

Miss Dyar, Mr. Miller, Mr. Marse Mrs. Ebbs, and Mrs. Sparks acted as chaperones.

### NEWS OF THE CLASSES

Jackie Jackson, Judy Askins, Dottie Heath, and Mary Losure of F-129 are making an Indian village. The people are made of clothespins and have gaily colored blankets. Miss Dyar's class has begun having opening exercises. The morning Pledge of Allegiance is followed by a spelling a short story, or a poem. Two new members of the class are Barbara Jewett and Horace Barksdale.

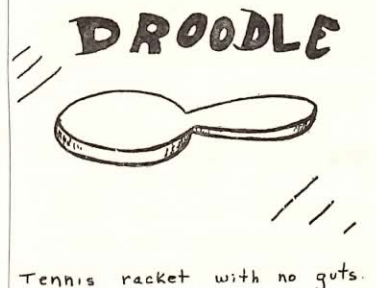
Jim Pollacek of Mrs. Merlin's room has a new sister, Jeanne Marie. Pam Piccolli's new brother is named Louis Piccolli III.

Class F-130 has adopted a dog mascot, Sam by name. Sam is creating a problem in the classroom. The teacher is trying to get rid of him and the pupils are trying to keep him. It seems that Sam can always find his way to school, and his owner, George Hall, wishes he couldn't.

A physical education program has been organized for the seventh and eighth grades. Each girl and boy has two gym periods per week. The girls have physical education on Tuesday and Thursday; the boys alternate on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Miss Dyar, Mrs. Merlin, and Miss Mirault will take turns teaching the seventh grade girls and the girls from Mr. Miller's room; Mrs. Dunlap teaches the other eighth grade girls. Mr. Adams instructs all the Junior high boys.

Thus far both boys and girls have been learning the techniques of volleyball.



Tennis racket with no guts.

### All in a Day's Work

It was 1:40 p.m. I was sitting in my office looking out the window. Suddenly I saw a beautiful girl walk past. She fascinated me. She had blonde hair and blue eyes; furthermore, my office is on the third floor!

—Thomas Hawkins



Jerry works too hard.

---Bob MacLeod

Miss Graves Grade 6

We, in Miss Graves' class, are working on fractions for indoor activity. We have a green flannel board and bright colored felt fractions (of circles and squares) which help us to learn easily. We are enjoying the study of fractions very much.

We have gone to the Post Office, too. There we saw how mail comes to us from the States. We sent these letters from our own class and saw them go through the process; our guide was Captain Williams. We had a very nice trip.



Miss Lowe Grade 2

We have been studying about seashells. In the back of our room we have many seashells. Boys and girls brought them to school for us to see and study. Our science book tells us that water animals used to live in the seashells. The shells were washed up onto the beach. We like to look at seashells. We see pretty colors in them. We like to learn about seashells.



Mrs. Allard Grade 3

Mrs. Allard brought her movies to school and showed us pictures of Japan and of her trip in the U. S. last summer.

Some of the boys and girls in our room participated in the music contest. We all enjoyed our trip to the Kanagawa Concert Hall. We sang "Home on the Range."

We all enjoyed our trip to the Yokohama Post Office last week. We drew pictures of the parts we found most interesting. We also wrote "Thank You" letters.



A Prayer of Thanksgiving  
By George Herbert  
(1593-1633)

"O Thou who hast given us so much, mercifully grant us one more—a grateful heart."



All the children paraded in costume at the Hallowe'en playday....



.....and returned to their classrooms for parties. (Negishi)

Mrs. Quintata Grade 4

Our fourth grade class went to the North Pier Post Office on Thursday, November 15. It was a very interesting trip. We had a very nice trip.

Mikelan Albright and Carol Patterson presented a puppet show, The Rooster and The Salten, Wednesday, November 21, 1956, to both fourth grade classrooms at Beach Elementary School.

WIZARDS RACE HORNETS

Two arithmetic teams from Miss Fitzgerald's room are battling for the highest thermometer reading. The thermometer keeps the scores of the two teams.

The two teams have taken the names of Mahozukai (Wizards) and Kumanbachi (Hornets).

—Vernon Overturf

### TEACHER INTERVIEW

This is Mrs. Fanita Shivers' third year abroad, but her first in Japan. She taught in Naples and Turkey before coming to Yokohama last September where she is a second grade teacher at Negishi Elementary School.

Mrs. Shivers has a home in Arlington, Virginia.

Traveling and enjoying the sights of her travels are a hobby with Mrs. Shivers. In the course of her travels she has collected a charm from each of the countries she has visited and has them on a charm bracelet. She has traveled all over Europe, especially in the countries now endangered by war.

Japan gives Mrs. Shivers the same feeling she had in Turkey: the fascination of

the country and people makes you want to see and do everything. The people and their customs have much in common with the Turkish.

A camera is her constant companion and denotes the usual sign of a tourist. At present her plans are for the big Hong Kong-Bangkok-Manila trip for Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Shivers has no definite plans for next year; but the travel bug, she admits, is not out of her system as yet.



*Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.*

Isaiah 55:7

### JUNIOR RED CROSS REPRESENTATIVES CHOSEN

Junior Red Cross representatives were chosen in most classrooms at Negishi on Monday, November 19.

Once a month there will be a Junior Red Cross meeting to decide what the children can do that month to help with the Junior Red Cross program. This month the children in some of the classrooms made one hundred tray favors for hospital patients for Thanksgiving.

For Christmas we are asked to make two hundred fifty tray favors and two hundred Christmas cut-outs or wall decorations. These will be sent to the 121st Evacuation Hospital in Korea.

Beach School will also be asked to help in the Christmas project.

The enrollment drive in Negishi will begin on November 26. Each child is urged to become a member of Junior Red Cross. He will make a small donation and offer his services to the organization.

Representatives so far chosen are: Brinan White, Allen Stamsbury, Frances White, Rennie Sanderson, Michael Myers, Patricia Mattison, Jill Swenson, Larry Grandia, Brian Sato, Nancy Natland, Conrad Hamako, Patsy Thomas, Sara Haney, Alexander Davidoff, Donald Grandia, Linda Herndon, Linda Pemberton, Trudy Hartzell, Edward Nayatoshi, Gerald Eator, Mary Jane Farren, Jimmy McCandless, Billy McNelly, Leonard Bagnell, Robert Fontin, Theda Stoudemayer, Roger Dodd, Patricia Jones, Jean Crider, Erin Turner, Robert Smith, and Louise Dunlay.



Miss Hungaski Grades 3 & 4

Our fourth grade is just starting a unit on South America. They are taking an imaginary trip by ship from New York to Brazil. It's fun going on a make believe trip!

The third graders are making folders for their farm unit. They are collecting pictures of farms and coloring the vegetables and fruits that grow on the farm.

—Lillian Fittz



BREWER'S  
**BREW**

On November 19, the Yo-Hi football season officially ended. The players had their pictures taken and after that we shook the hand of our coach, who has been a good leader throughout the year. Then we handed in our uniforms which officially ended the season. The team altogether won 7 games and lost 1. We had a good season all the way through.

The end of the football season brings on the basketball season. As you know, last year we won 20 and lost 2 and won the All-Japan Championship but lost the Far East Championship to Okinawa.

We have lost most of our last year's players, such as John Lynn, Pinky Hart, Harold Green and most of the seniors. But returning this year are Dave Degelman, John Foster, Jim Laviene, and other new players. We should have a pretty good team this year and it should go all the way to the top. This year the team is out to win what we lost last year: the Far East Championship.

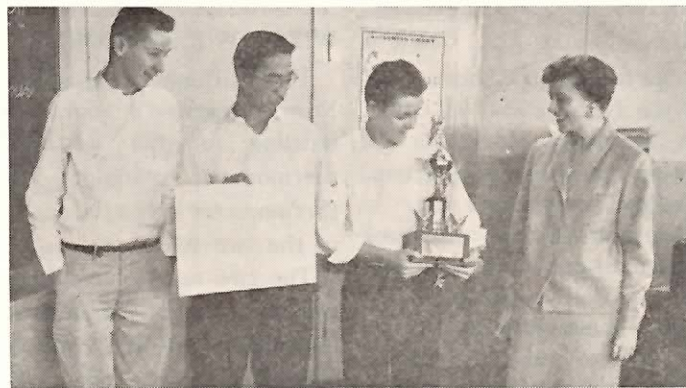
So, I wish the boys who are going out for basketball, **GOOD LUCK AND GOOD HUNTING.** To the J. V., I wish the same.

**CAN YOU IMAGINE ?**

1. Betty Woodrow with an Italian cut?
2. Chemi try classes having all homework turned in?
3. Bev. Forehand without Lefty Olson?
4. What it would be like without "ELVIS"?
5. Japan without "honey buckets"?
6. Chris Amato without her signs?
7. Everyone getting an "A" in Senior English?
8. The glee club staying on pitch?
9. That some girls LIKE going with grads?
10. YO-HI without Pete-san?

**HONEY TO: HONEY BUCKETS FOR:**

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. The 3:30 bell.                                    | 1. Bell system in the annexes.     |
| 2. Ho-Hi Red Devils.                                 | 2. Rocks around the quonsets.      |
| 3. The new sidewalks.                                | 3. Social events—there aren't any. |
| 4. The band and its trophy.                          | 4. The long bus rides.             |
| 5. The 9:00 starting time instead of an earlier one. | 5. The weather.                    |
| 6. The office helpers.                               | 6. Six-weeks exams.                |
| 7. Student council campaigning.                      | 7. Lack of a place to eat lunch.   |
| 8. All our new teachers.                             | 8. Only five class periods.        |
| 9. The cheerleaders.                                 | 9. Lack of pep rallies.            |
| 10. Soft chairs in the library.                      | 10. Supporters to Yo-Hi Staff.     |
| 11. Our new student council.                         |                                    |



**The band officers and director admire the trophy and show the certificate awarded at the International Music Festival. Left to right; Sweet, Fujimoto, Martin, Hulse.**



**The band plays during the 1956 International Music Contest. Miss Hulse conducts.**

**OPINION OF A LIBRARY BOOK:** The sort of book that once you put it down you can't pick it up again.

*"Education makes a man easy to lead, but difficult to drive, easy to govern, but impossible to enslave."*

**MYSTERY SCHOLAR**

*Date: August, 1945  
Place: Manila  
Time: 10:00 A.M.*

**Me**—*"Ah, I could whip you both with one hand tied behind me."*

**Them**—*"Yeah, that's what you think."*

**Me**—*"Yeah?"*

**Them**—*"Yeah!"*

**Me**—*"Yeah?"*

**Them**—*"Yeah!"*

*(Rapid exchange of fist-cuffs, kicks and clobbers.)*

**Result:** *My Mother came and picked me up off the ground. She took me home, glued me back together, and so here I am.*

**Note:** *You are all familiar with me as I am now, but the aforementioned is part of what I was.*

*Who am I?*

**A New Member of Yo-Hi ★ ★ ★ ★ ★**

I'm afraid I'll give it all away when I say that he has a pretty sneaky way of laughing. Just for kicks here are a few more clues: he has a swept-back, wrap-around haircut; his favorite color is blue; he speaks with a southern Maine accent and when we say southern we really mean it—in other words, he's from Georgia; as for the opposite sex, he seems to be a red blooded American boy.

Wow! That reminds me of food. Oh yes, his favorite pastime at the dinner table is FOOD. Had enough clues? Well, I guess I'll give a few more anyhow. His favorite saying is "Karn Sarned!" He claims to be a distant relative of "Zeke."

If you haven't guessed who he is by now, I'd better tell you. The character I'm talking about is CHARLES RABINOWITZ, president of the Student Council at Yo-Hi.



**WHAT IF.....**

- .....Carolyn were Hindfoot instead of Forehand?
- .....Ann were Cowwoman instead of Horsman?
- .....Barbara were a Bunion instead of a Boyle?
- .....Judy were Headweak instead of Armstrong?
- .....Dave were a Corridor instead of a Hall?
- .....Mr. Hill were a Valley?
- .....Dick were Black instead of White?
- .....Faye were Tamer instead of Wilder?
- .....Mr. Spaulding were a Higgins?
- .....Donald were Narrow instead of Broad?
- .....Carl were Heinz instead of Campbell?
- .....Sharon were Barley instead of Rice?
- .....Jerry were Green instead of Brown?
- .....Bill were a Parrot instead of a Crowe?
- .....Dave were Sour instead of Sweet?
- .....Phil were Low insted of High?
- .....Dick were April instead of May?
- .....Dorothy were a Steak instead of a 'Berger?
- .....Russel were Waterbad instead of Bloodgood?
- .....Ricky were a Potato instead of a Berry?
- .....Jim were Rock instead of Wood?

**TEACHER POT POURRI:**

Put these ingredients together: Likes swimming, dancing, music, skating; Thinks Japanese are amazingly facile, dextrous, and capable in comparison with the well-fed, sluggish Americans; Peeved by students who say in ten sentences what they can say in two words; New to Yo-Hi and Japan, but not green; Attended Pepperdine College in L. A.; Has nothing against the institution of marriage, only against the revolting thought of a dominating American shrew; From Connecticut, center of the universe, kingdom of all that is good, fine, and pure. Who's in the pot this time?.....

**ATTENTION FUTURE DRIVERS**

—Judy Tracy

The following letter was taken from the Reader's Digest. It is a true incident and was published in the hope that accidents of this sort could be avoided in the future.

**TO THE MAN WHO KILLED MY DOG:**

*I hope you were going someplace very important when you drove so fast down our street Tuesday night. We would feel better if we knew you were a doctor rushing to someone's aid. If our dog had been sacrificed for some human's sake, we wouldn't mind so much.*

*When all we saw, however, was the shadow of your car roaring down the street and your bobbing tail lights, we knew too much about you to believe this. You saw the dog, you stepped on the brakes, you felt a thump and heard a yelp. Then my wife's scream must have bothered you. Your reflexes are good, we know, because you stepped on the gas again and tore out.*

*You are a killer and, in your hands, your car is the murder weapon. You didn't look back but I'll tell you what you would have seen. It was Vicky, a 16-month old basset puppy. She was small with white, brown and black markings, an aristocrat with twelve champions among her forebearers. She loved people, especially children, and other animals as much as any other dog on earth.*

*I'm sorry you didn't stick around to see the job you did. A dying dog isn't a very pretty sight, and you made our lovable, clean, pretty little animal a dirty, ugly, broken and bloody mess.*

*The sick, dried up feeling we have felt in the past few days makes me hope that you think first the next time you go speeding down a quiet street. The little boy on his first bicycle or the little tot that wanders out of the gate in the moment it takes his father to pull a weed (as I was doing) I hope will be protected.*

Sincerely,  
Richard Joseph

This is not a pretty story or a joyful one, but it is effective. You, as teen agers, on the verge of adulthood, have a large responsibility behind the wheel. Remember to always give the right of way and also that **SPEED KILLS.....TAKE IT EASY!**

**AROUND THE ISLANDS:**

Here is a brief glance at what the students have been doing in other schools around the islands of Japan.

Elvis Presley seems to be main subject of all the music columns in the papers. It seems that he is losing his popularity all over, not only at Yo-Hi.

It looks as if everyone has a smooth running student council now and a squad of cheerleaders.

There are quite a few more members of the "I've got a Fuji stick" Club.

The schools have organized Red Cross councils and their work has gotten off to a good start.

The Junior Class at Narimasu is in the coke business now. The Tokyo school also had its annual Sadie Hawkins Dance. They seem to be having many dances and other social functions at Narimasu.

**QUESTION:**

*If Mr. Johnson picked a potfull of pickled parallelepiped, how many zorch-liners were sold in Bangkok on D-Day, the sixth of June?*

ANSWER: None, the Zorch-liners and pretzel-benders Union was having a convention and business was closed.

It's not the people who tell all they know that cause most of the trouble in this world, it's the ones who tell more.

Small boy to father: "There's a special PTA meeting tonight—just you, my teacher and the principal."

**SAFETY ZONE**



**Homerooms Elect Representatives**

Elections for homeroom representatives to the Student Council were held on Tuesday, November 13, during the first period classes.

Representatives chosen were: David Degelman, Larry Rowe, George Casey, Frank Hall, Gail Fleming, Van Phillips, Hans Besendorfer, Robert Woodard, Mary Temple, Steve Draper, Nancy Peale, Pauline Phillips, Diane Gray, Sue Sober, Charles McIlvaine, and Sharon Rice.

An alternate was chosen in each room also. Those elected were Nancy Ruehlow, Barbara Kasper, Jan Scheurer, Vicki Denton, Anburn Spencer, Mike Smith, Sandy Milwit, Donn Miller, Jim Zinn, Paula Horsman, Margo Jackson, Ann Archer, James Kenderdine, Robert King, Chris Johnson, and Paul Roughsedge.

**CALENDER OF EVENTS**

- Nov. 22-22 Thanksgiving Holidays
- Nov. 24 Neet Nac Dance
- Nov. 26 Resume School
- Nov. 26 PTA Box Supper-Social
- Nov. 29 "One Night on Broadway" by Music Department
- Nov. 30 End, Second six-weeks
- Dec. 5 Report Cards
- Dec. 22-Jan. 1 Christmas Holidays
- Dec. 23 Junior Class Dance
- Jan. 2 Resume School
- Jan. 25 End of First Semester

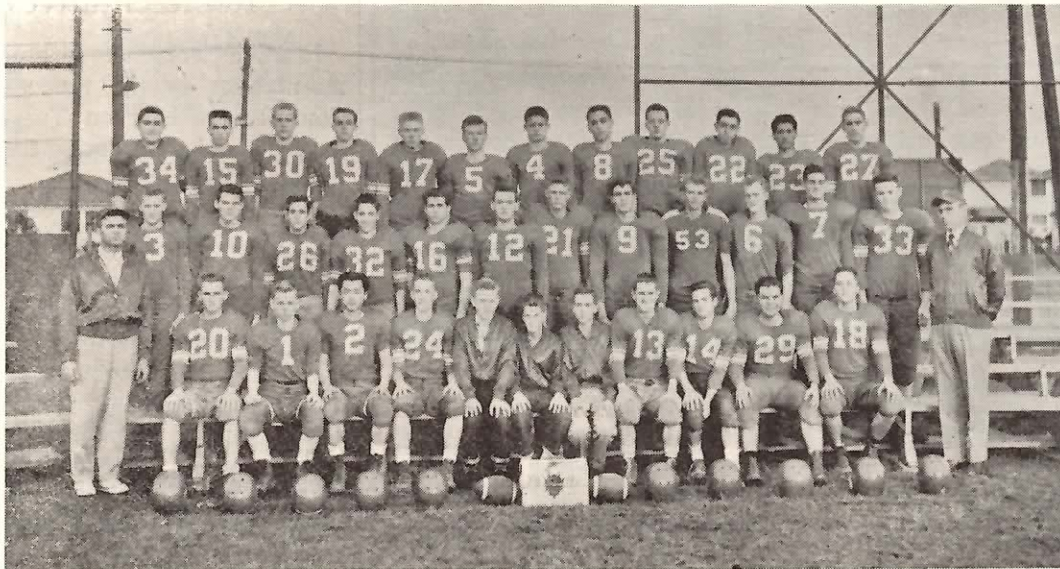
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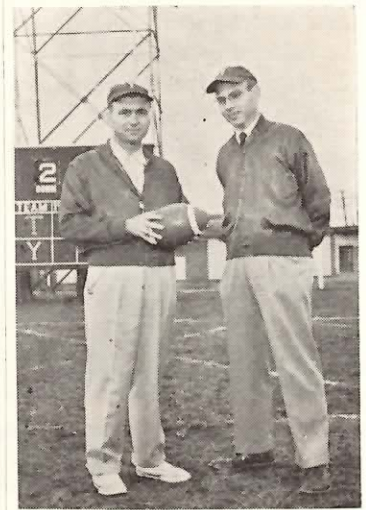
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THINK!

# 1956 FAR EAST CHAMPIONS Yo-Hi Red Devils



**SEATED:** Wood, Jimmy; Stitt; Miyamoto; Eubanks; Gutenkauf, High, Yourtee, Managers; Wood, Jerry; Rowe, Bowman, Rigby.  
**SECOND ROW:** Coach Buxkemper; Beck; Corbin; Milwit, Sammy; Milwit, Sandy; Cherry; Carver; Heggie; Cory; Huddleston; Olson; Esch; Nitz; Coach Swanson.  
**THIRD ROW:** Tracy; Browning; Bohart; Purdum; Degelman; Hall; Diesem; Franklin; Keen; Pestana; Foster; Barker.



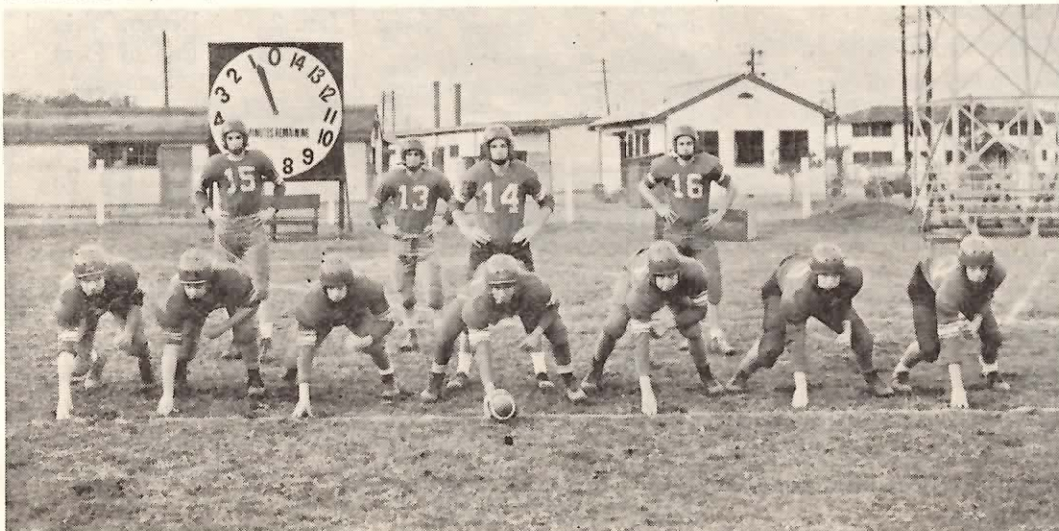
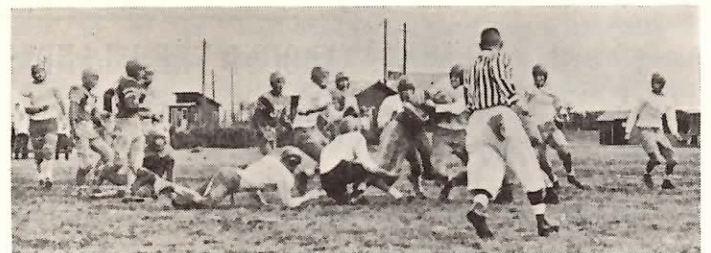
Coach Buxkemper and Assistant Coach Swanson.

## THE 1956 FOOTBALL RESULTS

September 21	Nihon U. (27).....Yo-Hi (20) home
October 5	Narimasu (6).....Yo-Hi (13) home
October 12	Nihon U. (19).....Yo-Hi (19) away
October 19	Narimasu (19) .....Yo-Hi (26) away
October 26	Waseda Hi (0) .....Yo-Hi (49) home
November 3	Narimasu (19) .....Yo-Hi (26) home
November 13	Hosei U. (8) .....Yo-Hi (27) home
November 16	Meiji U. (12) .....Yo-Hi (26) home



**OFFENSE SQUAD:** Front: Bohart, RE; Sandy Milwit; RT; Sammy Milwit, RG; Foster, C; Barker, LG; Carver, LT; Purdum, LE. Back Row: Browning, RH; Cherry, LH; Rowe, QB; Jerry Wood, FB. (Absent for picture: Donn Miller, LT.)



## GAA ELECTS OFFICERS

**Treder, Cornelius  
 Bowl High Games**

The Girl's Athletic Association chose Sally McGarry as president, Judy Tracy Vice-President, and Catherine Doherty secretary-treasurer in its recent election.

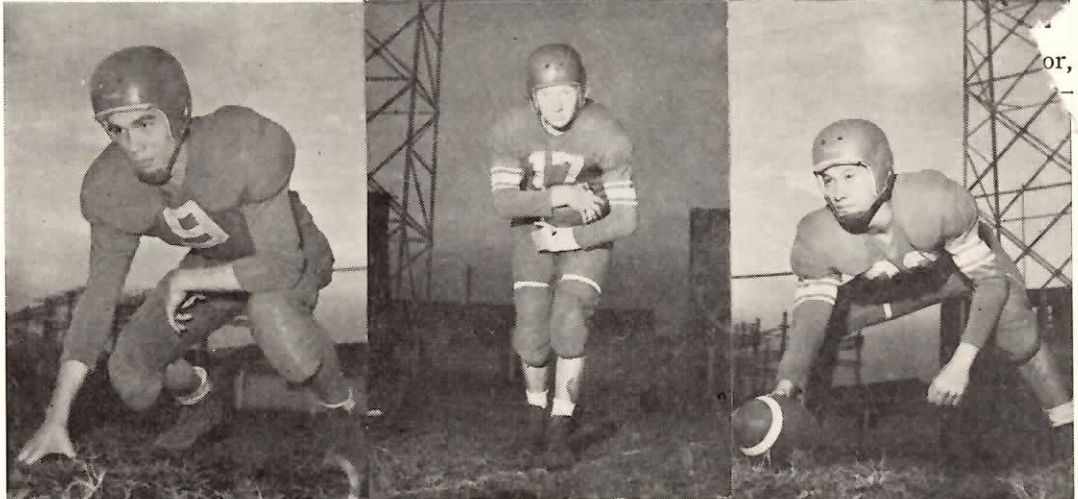
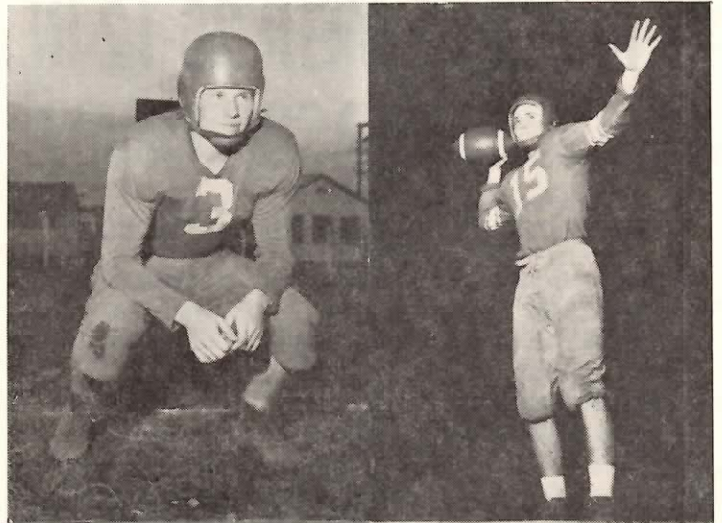
Pamela Treder's 168 leads the individual bowling scores. A 158 game by Ann Cornelius holds down the second spot.

A ping pong tournament is in progress.

# SENIORS FINISH FOOTBALL PLAYING DAYS

Eleven seniors completed their high school football playing days when they turned in their uniforms for the last time on November 19. The players have formed the backbone of the 1956 Yo-Hi squad which compiled a 7-1 record including the Far East Championship,

Beck, Dudley  
Browning, Phil



Cory, Bill  
Degelman, Dave  
Foster, John



Hall, Frank  
Huddleston, Bob  
Miller, Donn



Milwit, Sammy  
Milwit, Sandy  
Wood, Jerry

# YO-HI BEATS MEIJI 26-12 IN SEASON FINALE

## Team Ends Season with 7-1 Record

The Red Devils of Yokohama American High School closed their 1956 football season with a record of seven victories and one defeat, by downing Meiji University 26-12.

The Devils with the combined passing skills of Larry Rowe and Phil Browning downed the stubborn Meiji team.

In the second quarter Jack Purdum intercepted a pass intended for end Sawadate and carried the pigskin to the Devils' 40-yard line. Then Browning passed to Purdum who carried the ball to Meiji's 30-yard line. Jerry Wood then took a hand off from Rowe to go all the way for the TD.

Yo-Hi led by a 6-0 score at the half.

In the third quarter, with the wind to their advantage, Meiji picked up two quick TD's to move ahead 12-6. Meiji's quarterback, Sato, passed to end Sawadate who galloped over the goal to tie the game at 6-all. Sato then completed another pass to Kanazawa to put Meiji ahead.

The Devils really came to life in the fourth quarter when Browning took a hand-off and raced 30 yards for a TD to tie the game at 12-12.

Meiji fumbled after the kick off giving the ball to the Devils. Rowe and Browning used their passing skill to bring the ball down to the six-yard line; then Rowe scored putting Yo-Hi ahead to stay.

Rowe passed to Wood from Meiji's 15-yard line and Jerry carried the ball across for the season's final touchdown. The extra point was good and the final score was 26-12.

One of the most annoying things about weather forecasts is that they're not all wrong all the time, either.

### THE RED DEVILS DO IT AGAIN

The Red Devils of Yokohama High downed the Hosei University team 27-8.

The game opened with Hosei scoring two points on a safety, but soon the Red Devils came back with a safety against Hosei to tie the score.

Jack Purdum later tromped across the goal for the first TD of the game. A pass from Browning to Bohart brought the ball down to the 12-yard line. A quick pass from Browning to Purdum sent Jack over for Yo-Hi's second touchdown. The extra point was good and the score was 15-2.

The kick was received by Saito who ran from his own 15-yard line to the Devils' 35. A steady drive toward the goal gave Hosei their first and only TD.

Hosei's quarterback galloped from his own 30-yard line to the end zone for what looked like a TD, but an off-side penalty against them nullified the score, and set them "way" back.

## ATTENTION ALL GIRLS!

Now is the time to join G.A.A. As we all know G.A.A. stands for Girl's Athletic Association, and by being a member you can obtain, through a point system, a letter "Y" similar to that awarded the boys. If you enjoy sports and are able to take Gym, join the G.A.A. You will enjoy it very much.

Given below is the suggested point system for the 1956-57 G.A.A., which should be of interest to all girls.

	Limit
Volleyball ... .. 5 points per game	none
Basketball ... .. 5 points per game	none
Softball ... .. 5 points per game	none
Bowling ... .. 5 points per game	60
Badminton ... .. 5 points per game	none
Table Tennis ... .. 5 points per game	none
Archery ... .. 5 points per round	none
Dancing ... .. 5 points per session	none
Stunts & Tumbling ... .. 1-5 points per stunt	30
<b>Skill Tests</b>	
volleyball ... .. 5-10	10
basketball ... .. 5-15	15
softball ... .. 5-15	15
Officiating ... .. 3 points per game	30
Officers, Managers ... .. 5 points	5
Special Teams for Playdays, exhibitions, All-stars, etc. ... .. 5 points per game	30
Member of Championship Team, or tournament winner in individual sport ... ..	none
<b>AWARDS:</b>	
Membership card	50 points
Certificate of Participation	150 points
Letter "Y"	250 points

Yo-Hi led at the half, 15-8.

In the final quarter Larry Rowe handed off to Browning who went over for the score. Rowe later passed to Bohart, and Jim galloped over for the last score of the game.

The final score was Yokohama High 27, Hosei University 8.

In the window of a Lima, Ohio, apparel shop: "Our clothes not only make girls look slim; they make men look 'round.'"

In addition to safety belts for automobiles another good idea would be ejection seats for backseat drivers.

**DEFENSE SQUAD:** Front Row: Purdum, RE; Sandy Milwit, RT; Miller, RG; Carver, CG; Sammy Milwit, LG; Franklin, LT; Olson, LE. Standing: Jerry Wood, RH; Foster, RLB; Browning, S; Bohart, LLB; Degelman, LH.

