

## IT'S LATER THAN YOU THINK

### BAND GOES TO FESTIVAL

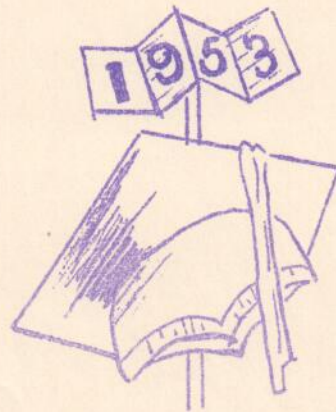
It was a sharp-looking band that represented G.H.S. at the Praire Music Festival in Orofino (April 18) and at that Northern Idaho Music Festival at Lewiston (May 1 & 2).

The band and chorus received criticisms at the festival in Orofino but they were not rated. These criticisms helped to make improvements in the band and chorus for the festival in Lewiston.

At Orofino the band took part in the parade and, also, in the mass band which was directed by Mr. Schwarz of the U. of I. The chorus sang in the mass chorus directed by Mr. Logan, also of the U. of I.

At the Lewiston Festival the band received a II rating and the chorus recieved a II. The band and chorus entered the sight-reading contest. Many solists from Grangeville took part in the festival. Their ratings were:

Jane Heron	I
Deloris Chicane	III
Diane Olmstead	IV
Pat Bell	II
Pat Guass	II
Jim Glenny	III



### Senior Tea

The A.A.U.C. presented the annual senior tea Thursday, May 7 at 2:00 p.m. in the home ec. room. Guest speakers were Miss Ritchie, Dean Carter, and Miss Donna Shively - all of the U. of I. Miss Ritchie is head of the home ec. department at the university; Dean Carter is Dean of Women; Miss Shively is a student at the university and a former graduate of G.H.S.

The senior girls, the mothers of the senior girls and boys, and women faculty members were present.

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Sharon Yabat	III
Marjorie Pauser	I
Nick Andrews	II
Pat Decker	III
Joan Moore	II

The seniors are making last preparations for their graduations exercises which will be held May 17-18-19 in the high school auditorium.

The baccalaureate speaker will be Rev. Nix. Rev. Twist will give the invocation and benediction. Entertainment will be furnished by high school students.

Valedictorian Jean Todhunter and Salutatorian Jane Heron will give their speeches Class Night. Other entertainment will be furnished by members of the senior class. Students will be awarded for outstanding work in their activities throughout high school.

Dr. Graue, head of the economics department at the university, will deliver the commencement address. Rev. Warner will give the invocation and benediction. John Asker, trustee representative of District 241, will present the diplomas.

The high school band will play the procession-al and recessional.

Clarinet Quintet	III
Clarinet Quartet	I
Triple Trio	I
Twirling Team	II
Flute Duet	II
Trumpet Trio	I



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## CALENDAR

May 7-----Senior Tea  
 8-----Sr. Banquet  
 15-----F.H.A. Dances  
 17-----Baccalaureate  
 18-----Class Night  
 19-----Commencement

## BIRTHDAYS

May 9-----Brian Olson  
 9-----Joan Winder  
 10-----Lloyd Litchfield  
 12-----Robert Wiseman  
 14-----Ramona Wynn  
 20-----Dan Hazelbaker  
 20-----Jon Riggs  
 20-----Donald Long  
 21-----Don Kissinger  
 23-----Diane Olmsted  
 24-----Carole Reynolds  
 26-----Jerry Holes  
 27-----Lowell Jarvin  
 28-----Jim Hardin  
 28-----Bob Fisher  
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 29-----Marjorie Cash

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EDITORIAL---This will be the last six weeks of school for the senior class of '53. It is also probably the last time our entire class will be together. We hope for a large class reunion in a few years.

Through our four years in high school we have watched many improvements take place in the school and its facilities, such as the lighting of the Memorial Field, the purchasing of many new desks, new addition to the gym, new commercial equipment, and many others. Although these items have been a great help, we still hope for a new building for the future students of Grangeville.

After graduation we will be on the path of a new and different life. We will assume more and more of the responsibilities as citizens and we will get out of our life only what we put into them. Let's make the best of our futures!

As this is my last edition of the Informer, I wish to thank my entire staff for their co-operation and my advisor, Mr. Bunting, for the help he has given me.

To next years editor, Daine Olmstead, I wish the best of luck with the Informer!

J.A.T.

Dear Editor:

While in Orofino for the Prairie Music Festival, I witnessed a few experiences which I would like to relate to you and the readers of the Informer.

To begin the day, the fourth bus of students had a flat tire on Harpster hill. They arrived in Orofino a minute or two before the band was ready to play for their criticism. That explains the gray hairs in Mr. Lyons head!

The G.H.S. band waits for no one! This was illustrated in the line-up for the parade. To get in their place for the starting line-up, the band marched through the ranks of the NezPerce, Kariah, Reubens, and Ferdinand bands. They wait for no one to get out of the way!

Due to the lateness of the 4th bus the band did not have time to eat before the parade. Consequently, after the parade when they should have been at mass band rehearsal, they were all eating. So all the Grangeville kids walked into mass band rehearsal late.

Seriously, it was a wonderful day, amid all the trouble, confusion and heat. The band and chours enjoyed with other musicians, and the instructors, Mr. Schwarz and Mr. Logan from the U. of I. in the mass band performance.



F.M.A.

Installation

A formal, candle-light installation of the new officer was held in the auditorium April 30 at 8:00.

First on the program was the business meeting. It was decided to have another car washing project to raise money to send Marlene Walker, State Vice President, to the national meeting in Columbus, Ohio.

New officers were then installed. They were:

- Marlene Walker--Pres.
  - Caryl Landreth--V.Pres.
  - Loretta Hagen--Sec.
  - Shirley Lathan--Treas.
  - Karen Landreth--Hist.
  - Alberta Trout--Parl.
  - Pat DeHass--Rep.
  - Shirley Kaufman--Song Leader.
- Con't third col.

JUNIORS  
FETE  
SENIORS

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet was held in the Federated Church, Saturday, May 8, at 6:30. The room was decorated in green and gold, the class colors of the seniors.

Junior class president, Lowell Martin, acted as Toastmaster and welcomed the seniors and honored guests. Senior class president, Carol Sue Ailor, gave the response.

Rev. LaVern Tooley was guest speaker at the banquet. His talk was centered around the senior class motto, "One Step at a Time, But Always Forward." He explained the three steps a person must take in his life.

Entertainment during the banquet was furnished by Pat Pell, who played a clarinet solo, "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes", and Marlene Walker and Joan Weider singing, "Till We Meet Again". The following address was given by Student Body President, Bill Wagner: 312 S. Hall Street.

The meal was prepared and served by the Federated Women.

G.A.A.

The last G.A.A. meeting of the year was held at Shirley Lathan's home, May 5. The main purpose of this meeting was to elect next years officers. The following were elected:  
 Pres.----Mary Rider  
 Vice---Shirley Owens  
 Sec.---Gail Andrews  
 Treas.-Margaret Geary  
 Head of Sports----  
 Ethel Cameron  
 Social Chairman----  
 Karen Jordan

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- Sharon Kobot-----  
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- Ann Schwarz-----  
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# Bulldog Grins!

"Sir, my wife said I was to ask for a raise."  
"Good. I'll ask my wife if I may give you one."

Possible Employer-"h'm so you want a job, eh? Do you ever tell lies?"  
Office Boy-"No, sir, but I k'n learn."

"Yessir, as soon as we married, my wife fired my secretary."  
Why. I thought she used to be a secretary, herself."  
"Yes, that's why she fired her."

Stenographer-"Your little girl wants to kiss you over the phone."  
Busy Manager-"Take the message. I'll get it from you later."

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"y word, Dick, you've got the latest thing in stenographers."  
"She is certainly that, she never gets here till 'en."

"Every time I want you, you're engaged on the phone, Miss Blank!"  
"They were business calls, sir."  
"Well, don't address my clients as darling in the future."

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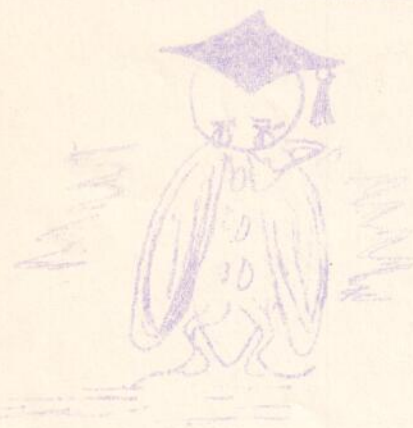
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Best Wishes  
for  
Class of '53

COMPLEMENTS  
to  
Seniors of '53



# Let's Laugh a Little?



"If you are good, Willie, I'll give you this bright new penny."  
 "Haven't you got a dirty old nickel?"

How many times must I tell you, Willie, that one must keep his eyes closed during prayer?  
 "Yes, papa, how do you know I don't?"

"Daddy, who was Hamlet?"  
 "Bring me the Bible, son, and I'll show you."

"Grampa, did you once have hair like mine?"  
 "Yes, my boy."  
 "Well, who shaved it off?"

"To-day, why are you scratching yourself?"  
 "No one else knows where I itch."

Classified ad: "man to work in cyanide factory, must be able to travel"

a woman is only as old as she looks—unless a woman is doing the looking

"Is love so very expensive, father?"  
 "Why, no, what makes you think so?"  
 "Well, mother seems quite disturbed because I spilled some on the hall carpet."



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The person who thinks he can drink alcohol without becoming intoxicated should read this.

I had 18 bottles of whisky in my cellar and was told by my wife to empty the contents of each and every bottle down the sink, or else--! I said I would and proceeded with the unpleasant task. I withdrew the cork from the first bottle and poured the contents down the sink with the exception of one glass which I drank. I extracted the cork from the second bottle and did likewise with it, with the exception of one glass, which I drank. I then withdrew the cork from the third bottle and poured the whisky down the sink which I drank. I pulled the cork from the fourth bottle down the sink and poured the bottle down the glass which I drank. I pulled the bottle from the cork of the next and drank one sink out of it and threw the rest down the glass. I pulled the sink out of the next glass and poured the cork down the bottle. Then I corked the sink with the glass, bottled the drink and drank the poor. When I had every

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thing emptied, I steadied the house with one hand, counted the glasses, corks bottles, and sinks with the other, which were 29 in all, and as the house came by I counted the m again and finally had all the houses in one bottle which I drank. I'm not under the influence of ink-ohol as some tinkle geep I am. I'm not half as thunk as you might drink. I fool so feelish I don't know who is me and the drunker I stand here the longer I get. OH ME!!

Grangeville, Idaho WHO'S WHO'S IT?

Age 16  
Height & weight --- 5' 3" - 92  
Eyes & hair --- hazel & brown  
Actor --- Stewart Granger  
Actress --- Debora Ragen  
Movie --- Searnouch  
Song --- My Don't You Believe Me  
Food --- Roast Beef  
Color --- Red  
Sport --- Basketball  
Ambition --- Singing  
She is a Freshman girl.  
Ans. on page 7.

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Shirley Rhoades  
 Born--Grangeville  
 Favorite Movie---Musicals  
 She has--Hopes of becoming a  
 Secretary  
 Favorite Car---Chevrolet  
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Sharon Rupp  
 Birthday---August 13  
 Favorite Actor--Gordon MacRae  
 Nickname----Blippy  
 Likes-----Moscow  
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Sheri Smurtwaite  
 She has--A curly headed brother  
 Favorite Song----Gomen Nasai  
 Pet Peeve---Stuck up people  
 Biggest Moment---Graduation  
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Jim Middlesteadt  
 Likes-----Food  
 Favorite Actress--Doris Day  
 Favorite Car---Ford  
 Dislikes-----Stuck up people  
 \*\*\*

Roy Powell  
 Born---June 1, 1935  
 He has--Chevy car, Girlfriend  
 job at Howard's  
 Likes--Karen, Macaroni & Cheese  
 Favorite Past-Time---None  
 \*\*\*

Mildred Jenkins  
 Dislikes--Gov't class boys  
 Ambition---To be a nurse  
 Favorite Actor---Gene Kelly  
 Future Plans---Go to nursing  
 school  
 \*\*\*

Estilean Rose  
 Born---Harrison Arkansas  
 Likes---Sports  
 Dislikes---Nothing  
 Biggest Moment---Graduation

Bill Wagner  
 Likes---ports, ice cream, music  
 Favorite Song--Anywhere I Wander  
 He has--Sisters, a saxophone & a  
 Yellow Pickup  
 Favorite Actress--Debbie Reynolds  
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Richard Willey  
 Favorite Car---Ford  
 Hobby---Guns  
 Dislikes-----Silly Girls  
 favorite Food---Cabbage  
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Doug Woodall  
 Birthday---November 18  
 Favorite Movie---Yellow Sky  
 Future Plans---School  
 Favorite song---all songs  
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Carol Smith  
 Born-----Carlton, Washington  
 Likes---Sports  
 Favorite Food---Shrimp  
 Ambition--Physical Ed. Teacher  
 WHOOS WHOSIT

Carol Whittat

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# SENIORS on PARADE

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# MEET YOUR NEW EDITOR

Shirley Tefft  
Nickname---Teffty  
Ambition---Go to California  
Favorite Actor--Stewart Granger  
Likes---Clothes  
\*\*\*

Jean Todhunter  
Birthday--August 17th  
She has a Mean Dog  
Worst Moment--When she was informed she was Valedictorian  
Favorite Song--April in Portugal  
\*\*\*

Tom Vopat  
Height--6'  
Weight---160lb.  
Sports--Baseball & Basketball  
Ambition---To be an Engineer  
\*\*\*

Jim Yates  
Favorite Food--Ice Cream  
Pet Peeve---Senior Girls  
Hobby--Shirley  
Favorite Sport--Football  
\*\*\*

Jan Moore  
Birthday--December 16th  
Hobby--Music  
Favorite Song--Hot Toddy  
Greatest Ambition--Sing  
\*\*\*

Pat Marek  
Height--6'11"  
He has a girlfriend and ford  
Favorite food--Chicken  
Pet Peeve---Senior Girls  
\*\*\*

Junky Lathan  
Birthday--June 22nd  
Favorite Past Time--Pooling around  
Car--Lincoln  
Favorite Movie--Paleface  
\*\*\*

Don Vissenrer  
Born--May 21st  
Height--5'11"  
Sports--Football  
Favorite Car--Harley Davidson

Diane Olmstead, sophomore Student of G. H. S. will assume the responsibility as editor of the Informer for the next school year.

Diane has been an active member of the Informer Staff during her two years in high school. As her father is a journalist by profession, Diane is well qualified for this position as she will have professional advise at hand.

Diane is the first sophomore to be chosen in many years to become editor of the Informer.

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# SPORTS

## BULLDOGS WIN SOUTH

### PRAIRIE CROWN

Starting the conference season with a 13-3 win over the visiting Cottonwood Mustangs the Bulldogs got on the right track in defense of their Prairie Championship. The second conference game saw the Bulldogs play host to the Greencreek Tigers. Glen Johnson pitched the Bulldogs to a 1-0 no-hit no-run victory for the first Bulldog no-hitter of the season.

The second Greencreek contest saw the visiting Bulldogs take a two-hit 3-0 game. A clean single and a blooper single were the only hits off Bulldog pitcher Johnson.

Jim Mitchell cinched the South Prairie Crown for the Bulldogs with his 6-2 victory over the host Cottonwood Mustangs. The Bulldogs were never in trouble until the seventh when two runs were scored.

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### BULLDOGS WIN THREE - LOSE TWO

Playing the role of visitor to the Crofino Maniacs the Bulldogs won their third straight game. The night contest saw the Bulldogs slow in starting as they won by an 8-3 score.

A no-hit game by Ed Rose and a one-hitter by Tom Vopat featured the Bulldog double-header at Lapwai. The first game saw the Bulldogs score three runs in the seventh to break a 1-1 tie for the second no-hit game of the season. The second game the Bulldogs led all the way after a two run first inning to win their fifth straight game, 5-1.

Playing host to the Lewiston Bengals the Bulldogs win streak was stopped at five games when they dropped a twin-bill, 5-1 and 7-3.

### TRACK MEET SCORES

Duel meet--Craigmont first  
 Conference meet " second  
 Invitational meet " third  
 District meet at Moscow:  
 Relay team second  
 Chuck Fries(shot putt)third

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