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DEDICATION

To the two new teachers of Langlois High, Mr. Thetford and Mr. Mitchell, who have been our freinds and our guides through these last weeks of school, we respectfully dedicate this book.



STUDENT BODY

Front row: Dorothy Storm, Donna Hofsess, Beverly Mermiliod, Barbara Seeber, Jonna Apling, Patty Boice, Greymarie DeHaven, Mary Sabin, Arthur Sypher. Next row: Betty Moad, Shirley Phillips, Morrene Bruchler, Lois Wise, Anne Kreutzer, Mary Mermilliod, Charles Clarke, Wylie Hale. Next row: Bertie Britton, Lewila Kamp, Bert Britton, Nancy Moore, Betty Loshbaugh, Clydo Quigley, Noel Martin, Lee Hale, Mr. Croston. Back row: Kenneth Thompson, Bill Stoem, Kermit Horn, Darrell Price, Norman Holycross, Kenneth Kreutzer.

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Le Ella: "In the bus this morning, three men jumped up and

offered me their seats."

Patty: "Did you take them, dear?"

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Barbara: "I didn't accept Jack the first time he proposed."

Nancy: "Of course not, dear. You were't there.

ADMINISTRATION





Mr. Croston, Principal Math.9, Algebra, Mechanical Drawing and Home Living.

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General Science, Biology,
English III and IV, and Girls
P. E.





Mr. Whitbeck
World History, Typing, U.S.
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SENIORS





Betty Loshbaugh---class officer 2,4; Panther staff 2,3,4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3,4; three-act play 3,4; one-act play contest 3; band 1,2,3,4; volleyball 2,3, 4; girl's athletic manager 1; carnival committee 3; Cat's Meow co-editor 4; carnival princess 3.

Norman Holycross---class president 3; class officer'l; student council 3; Panther staff 2; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; basketball 1,2,3,4; baseball 2,3,4; band 1,2,3,4.





Nancy Moore---Transferred from Gold Beach High School 2; class officer 4; student council 4; Panther staff 2,3,4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; three-act play 3,4; one-act play contest 2; carnival committee 2,4; Cat's Meow co-editor 4; girl's athletic manager 2; volleyball 3,4.

Kermit Horn---Panther staff 2,3,4 baseball 2,3; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4 projector operator 1,2,3,4.





Wylie Hale---class officer 1,3; student body president 4; Panther staff 3; Lettermen's Club 2,3; basketball 3,4; Panther editor 4; baseball 2,3; carnival committee 4.

Dorothy Sypher--Transferred from Lindrith High School, Lindrith, New Mexico 2; class president 4; class officer 3; student council 4.





Kenneth Kreutzer---class president 1, 2; class officer 3,4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; president of Lettermen's Club 3, 4; basketball 1,2,3,4; baseball 2,3; Captain of basketball team 4.

Everett Smith---Band , cheer leader, basketball, TROUBLE.



SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

When the class of 1950 entered the hallowed halls of Langlois Union High in September 1946, we were 14 strong. We had a week or two of bowing and scraping before our three superior classes; and there was one humiliating day, initiation day, when we were made to dress up in all sorts of wierd costumes and we had to do some pretty foolish things. After initiation we became full-fledged members of Langlois Union High School.

During our Sophomore year, our membership was still 14 but many of the members were different. Benny Miller, Dick Galbreth, Bert Walker, Ruth Hiley, and Jerry Casey were lost while Dorothy Sypher, Nancy Moore, Everett Smith, Rosery Sypher, and Edgar Kinnett were gained. Initiation was done away with so we didn't have a chance to extract our revenge for our own humiliating experience of the previous year. We took a large part in school activities this year as our class was represented on all the athletic teams, in the oneact play contest, and on the Panther staff.

We finally reached the year when we could become known as upper classmen. We began the year with 12 members but lost Rosery Sypher to the seniors. Jackie Horner and Edgar Kinnet had been lost during the summer and Niel Storm left during the year. This left us with 10 members. This year initiation was resumed and we extracted a year's revenge on the sophomores. Once again we were well represented in all activities such as the athletic teams, Panther staff, and the plays. We also gave a banquet and prom for the seniors.

At long last we entered our senior year in September 1949. We had only eight members, having lost Jean Clawson and Betty Apling to the institution of marriage. Everett Smith left after only about two weeks of school. In our last year we were well represented in all the activities of the school, one member being both Panther editor and student body president. On May 19, 1950, after four difficult and fun-filled years of high school, Dorothy Sypher, Wylie Hale, Kermit Horn, Nancy Moore, Betty Loshbaugh, Kenneth Kreutzer, and Norman Holycross graduated from Langlois Union High School.

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"Darrell, can you tell me what a waffle is?" Mr. Croston: "Yes sir; it's a pancake with a nonskid tread." Darrell:

"What is your occupation?" Bill: "I used to be an organist." Norman: "And why did you give it up?"
"The monkey died." Bill:

Norman:

SENIOR CLASS

PROPHECY

Shortly after her graduation Nancy Moore went to New York where she obtained the obscure job of a clerk in the large newspaper office of the New York Daily Jabber. She held this position for about a year and then the editor sent her out to cover the story of a fire. He sent her because all of his regular reporters were gone and she was the only person left in the office. Nancy surprised her editor and wrote up the story in such an interesting manner that many of the other large papers copied it. The editor offered her a job as regular reporter but she had already been given a job on the national magazine, Gabby. Nancy worked on this magazine for about two years. In her spare time she wrote a book about her high school days. The book, titled Bedlam on the Lose, became a best-seller and was chosen by the Book of the Year Club as the best book printed in the last ten years. Nancy retired on the royalties from this 1950, Langlois High, in her book which was published in 1970. Following is some of the information she gives about them in her book.

Wylie Hale attended the University of Oregon for three years and then won a scholarship of one year at each of three large European universities. He attended Oxford, the University of Vienna, and Moscow University. While in his last year of school he received an offer of a position on the teaching staff at Princeton. He taught there for two years and then became head of the Science Department at Yale. After five years in this position, he was appointed Chief of Operation HB and FS by the President of the United States. (Operation HB and FS was the perfection of the hydrogen bomb and the flying saucers.) Under Wylie's wise guidance, Operation HB and FS was soon completed and adapted to peacetime use. Wylie then went back to teaching, this time as president of Hale University, which is located in the thriving metropolis of Langlois, Oregon.

When you hear the name, Norman Holycross, you think of good things to eat. Norman hadn't made up his mind when he graduated as to what his life work would be. He worked for a few months at a variety of jobs, doing everything from deep-sea diving to hair dressing. Then one day he remembered what a good cook he had been when he took home econimics in high school so he decided to open a restaurant. He started with a small hamburger stand located just in front of the Langlois High School. After about a year in this location, he moved to a larger building the one that used to be the high school gym. His business soon became so large that he had to build his own building. This he did and it is on the site of the old high school building in Langlois, directly in the center of the city. Norman has autographed pictures of his famous classmates decorating the walls of his new restaurant.

Betty Loshbaugh has had a most interesting career. She went to Hollywood on a vacation the summer after her graduation and spent her time drinking sodas in all the soda parlors. While she was drinking her fifty-first soda, a talent scout finally saw her. Within a year she was the most famous actress in the world; she was receiving proposals from all over the world. So many of them were desirable that for sometime she was thinking of going to Arabia where she could have a harem of Husbands, but she gave up this idea when she figured out how much it would cost her to feed all of them. Betty was the first person ever to receive seven "Oscars" in a row which she did in the years 1960 through 1960. She then retired from pictures so that someone else could have a chance at this award. Betty left Hollywood and went to New York where she planned to become a star on Broadway, but on the war she met a man who captured her heart. She is now married to thie man and helping him run his pig farm.

Dorothy Sypher went to a nursing school, where she received the highest grades ever given at any school. After her graduation she had offers from every large hospital in the world, but she refused them all saying she would rather go to India and have a small mission school. She went to a small community in India and established the school where she gained a marvelous reputation not only as a nurse but also as a teacher. She had devised a system whereby she would teach English to the Indians in less than one year. Many of her pupils went out into the world to become famous men and women, and they all say that, if not for her, they could never be what they are today. Several towns in India have been named Dorothy in honor of her.

Kermit Horn went looking for a photographer's job after his graduation and he soon found one with the national magazine, Life. He took pictures of everything--wars, animals, famous persons, sports, etc.--and his pictures were so good the within ten years he was the highest paid photographer in the United States. He was receiving \$500 for each ordinary picture and \$1000 for each special picture, plus expenses. He took at least one picture every day so he soon became very wealthy. Kermit resigned from Life and became a free-lance photographer when he was a bout 32. His big desire was to take pictures of the earth from the moon so he left for the moon in 1967 in a rocketship piloted and constructed by Kenneth Kreutzer. Neither Kermit nor Kenneth have been heard of since their take-off.

Kenneth Kreutzer became tired of cows so he went to Chicago to get a job in an automobile factory. He worked as a mechanic for a few years but soon his ability as a designer of cars became apparent to his employers. He was given the job of chief designer for Ford, Inc. but had a argument with the owner about whether the ford car should have a plastic top. Kenneth resigned and started his own company, the Super-Kreutzer Company Inc. His own design, the Super-Kreutzer soon became more popular than any other car on the market. Kenneth made so much money that he had to buy a big store house just to keep his money in. In 1965, he started to construct a rocket ship to take him to the moon. It would have taken anyone else at least ten years to construct a good ship but Kenneth did it in just two short years. He took off for the moon in 1967, accompanied by Kermit Horn, and has not yet returned.









GOOD CITIZEN

We, the 1950 Senior Class of Langlois High School, being of, sound body and nearly sound mind, do hereby will and bequeathe the, following possessions to those we leave behind us.

to the teachers, a little peace and quiet.

To the freshmen, our ability to stay out of trouble.

To the sophomores, our ability to stir up a little excitement.

To the juniors, the fortitude to go through thirty-six weeks of school without our guiding hands.

Individually we bequiath our most prized possessions in the

following way:

I, Dorothy Sypher, will to LeElla my ability to keep quiet and, my share of the locker to Donna. (You may have to clean it out first, Donna)

I, Kermit Horn, will to Darrell Price my ability to think up excuses for getting out of school. To Art Sypher my ability to make flying trips to see the Bandon girls without wrecking my car.

I, Wylie Hale, will to Arthur Sypher my ability to have a cold

whenever I am called upon to read in class.

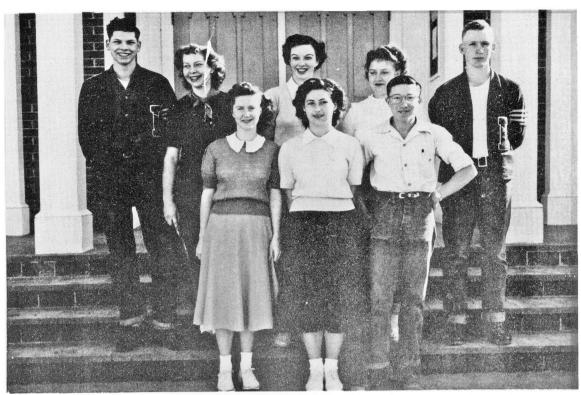
I, Norman Holycross, will my ability to get dates with five girls at once to Bill Storm.

I, Nancy Moore, will to Nelda my ability to learn lines in plays. I, Betty Loshbaugh, will my interest in Bandon to Beverly Mermilliod in hopes that all of her attention will be directed toward the North instead of being divided between to North and South.



UNIORS





Back row: Darrell Price, Barbara Seeber, Bertie Britton, Morrene Bruchler, Bill Storm. Front row: Donna Hofses, Beverly Mermilliod, Arthur Sypher

JUNIORS

The junior class consisted of eight members this year. Morrene Bruchler was the only new member. She transferred from Tulelake, California.

The juniors went all out in athletics this year. The three boys in the class--Darrell, Art, and Bill--were on the basketball team.

Beverly and Barbara were on the volley ball team and Donna Hofsess was a sub.

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Kenneth (in the telephone booth) "I want a box

for two."

Charles (at the other end): "Sorry, but we don't

have boxes for two."

Kenneth: "But isn't this the box office of the

theater?"

Charles: "No. We are the undertakers."

SOPHOMORES





Back row: Mary Sabin, Mary Mermilliod, Greymarie DeHaven, Front row: Dick Everest, Charles Clark

SOPHOMORES

After suffering the terrible experience of being freshmen, we welcomed the idea of making the initiation of the incoming freshmen as gruesome as possible. After initiation was over we settled down to the usual proceedure of school.

The sophomore class has taken part in most of the school activities. Greymarie DeHaven and Mary Mermilliod earned their volleyball letters, and Mary Jean Sabin earned her volleyball Managers letter. One of our boys, Dick Everest, earned his basketball letter.

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Beverly: "My husband has been marvelous to me lately."

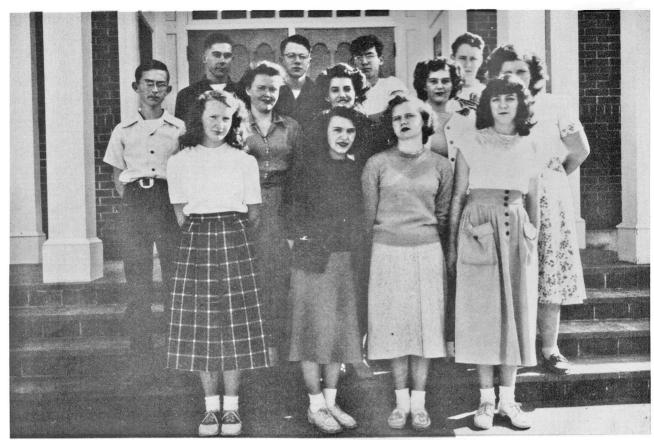
Donna: "Whom do you suspect?"

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Betty M: "May I have my next week's salary in advance?"
Ken. T: "No, I promised my wife not to make any advances to you."

FRESHMEN





Back row: Lee Hale, Clyde Quigley, Noel Martin, Kenneth Thompson. Second row: Bert Britton, Betty Moad, Anne Kreutzer, Lois Wise, LeElla Kamph, Front row: Dorothy Storm, Donna Apling, Patty Boice, Shirley Phillips.

FRESHMEN

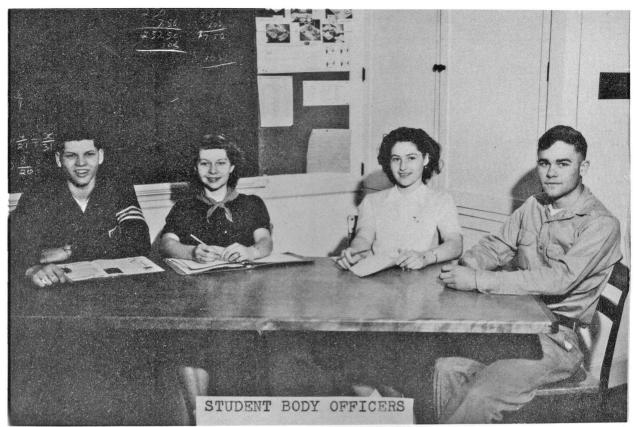
President	Albert Britton
Vice President	
Secretary	Nelda Bierman
Council member	Lois Wise

We started out this year scared stiff, but as time passed by we became more familiar with the teachers, students, and ways of doing things, and found high school wasn't nearly as bad as we had expected.

Most of us took part in sports. Nelda Bierman, Anne Kreutzer and Donna Apling played on the volley ball team. Patty Boice was a sub. Bert Britton, Lee Hale, Kenneth Thompson, and Noel Martin played basket ball for the second team. Donna Apling took part in the school play.

ACTIVITIES





President--Wylie Hale, Vice President---Darrell Price, Secretary--Barbara Seeber, Treasurer--Beverly Mermilliod.



STUDENT COUNCIL

Beverly Mermilliod, Lois Wise, Mary Sabin, Wylie
Hale, Barbara Seeber, Nancy Moore, Mr. Croston.



ANNUAL STAFF

Standing: Anne Kreutzer, Kermit Horn, 3etty Loshbaugh, Morrene Bruchler, Wylie Hale, Dick Everest. Sitting: Donna Apling, Mary Sabin, Donna Hofsess, Kenneth Kreutzer, Nancy Moore, Barbara Seeber, Beverly Mermilliod.

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Feature Editors Betty Loshbaug Nancy Moon	gh
Art Editor Kermit Hon	rn
Typist Donna Hofses	33

FRESHMEN INITIATION

On the first day of October the freshmen had the opportunity of being initiated into Langlois High School. The initiation was carried on in a different manner this year than the previous ones by the freshmen students putting on a program of singing and short plays. Later the sophomores played some tricks on them and then the rest of the evening was spent in dancing with refreshments served afterwards.

CARNIVAL

The Langlois High School students held their annual carnival on October 28 with a good sized crowd considering the rainy weather. All the various booths which held the games and entertainment were very attractivly decorated with bright colored crepe paper. At 10:00 the queen of the carnival was crowned and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

CHRISTMAS DANCE

Our first dance was held in the gymnasium on December 17 with a very large crowd. The theme of the dance was Christmas with a large Christmas tree in the center of the dance floor. Charley Jensen's orchestra provided the music for the occasion and everyone reported of having a good time.

SENIOR DANCE

On March 11, the senior class sponsored a dance in the gym. The gym was gaily decorated in bright colored crepe paper and many daffodils. Jensen's orchestra favored us with their music. Refreshments were sold. The proceedings went to the senior class.

JUNIOR AND SENIOR PROM

The Junior and Senior Prom was held on March 25 in the Langlois High School gym. The junior class who had charge of the decorating chose "STARDUST" as the theme. The gym had a solid mass of streamers for the ceiling and then a rock garden was placed in the center of the dance floor. Charley Jensen's orchestra played for the dance.

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Rumpty: "Shay, when's zish place closhe?" Proprietor: "Never."

"I'll (ic) wait!" Rumpty:



CHEER LEADERS



COOKS



JANITOR





ALASKA?



EDITOR



Not Missing But Mrsing

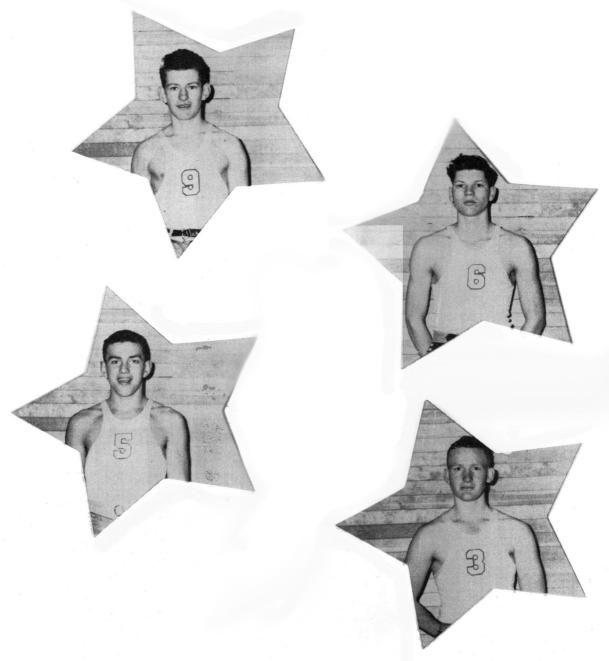


ATHLETICS





BASKETBALL TEAM





BASKETBALL TEAM

Standing: Mr. Whitbeck, Norman Holycross, Dick Everest, Darrell Price, Kenneth Kreutzer, Wylie Hale, Bill Storm. Front row: Arthur Sypher, Kenneth Thompson, Bert Britton, Lee Hale, Noel Martin, Clyde Quegley.

SEASON SCORES

Dec.	5	Langlois33	Powers6	2
		Langlois18	Port Orfordl	
Dec.	16	Langlois24	Powers3	
Dec.	20	Langlois60	Ophir3	2
Jan.	6	Langlois17	Gold Beach4	
		Langlois50	Port Orford3	
Jan.	25	Langlois44	Brookings5	L
Jan.	31	Langlois6j	Bandon3	
Feb.	3	Langlois36	Gôld Beach5	(
		Langlois34	Bandon	2
		Langlois28	Brookings	1
		Langlois52	Coos River6	6
Feb.	1/1	Langlois45	Ophir3	2

TOURNAMENT

Feb.	16 Langlois27	Gold Beach41 Ophir55
Feb.	17 Langlois22	Ophir55



VOLLEY BALL

Standing: Mary Mermilliod, Barbara Seeber, Anne Kreutzer, Beverly Mermilliod, Donna Apling, Betty Loshbeugh, Nancy Moore, Miss Ranken, Front row: Donna Hofsess, Patty Boice, Mary Sabin, Shirley Phillips, Greymarie DeHaven.

SEASON SCORES

Dec. Jan. Jan. Jan. Feb. Feb.	20 6 13 16 3	Langlois39 Langlois21 Langlois38 Langlois20 Langlois21 Langlois21 Langlois18 Langlois24 Langlois19	Port Orford23 Ophir29 Gold Beach41 Port Orford20 Brookings45 Gold Beach30 Brookings35 Coos River21
Feb.	14	Langlois24	Ophir38 Bandon29

INDIVIDUAL SEASON SCORES:

Barbara Seeber
Beverly Mermilliod33
Betty Loshbaugh32
Mary Mermilliod27
Nancy Moore25
Anne Kreutzer23
Nelda Bierman22
Donna Apling20
Grey De Haven
Shirley Phillips
Donna Hofsess04



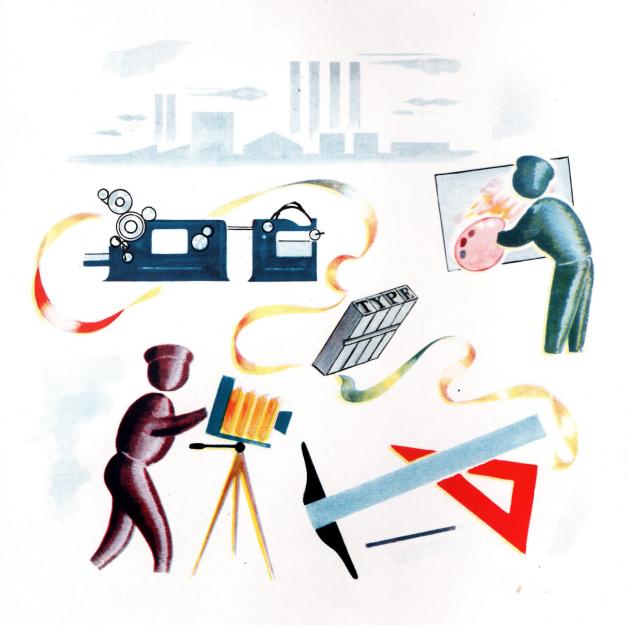
LETTERMEN'S CLUB

Back row: Dick Everest, Donna Hofsess, Beverly Mermilliod, Barbara Seeber, Wylis Hale. Next row: Greymarie DeHaven, Mary Mermilliod, Nancy Moore, Betty Loshbaugh, Mary Sabin. Front row: Kermit Horn, Bill Storm, Kenneth Kreutzer, Norman Holycross, Darrell Price, Arthur Sypher.



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