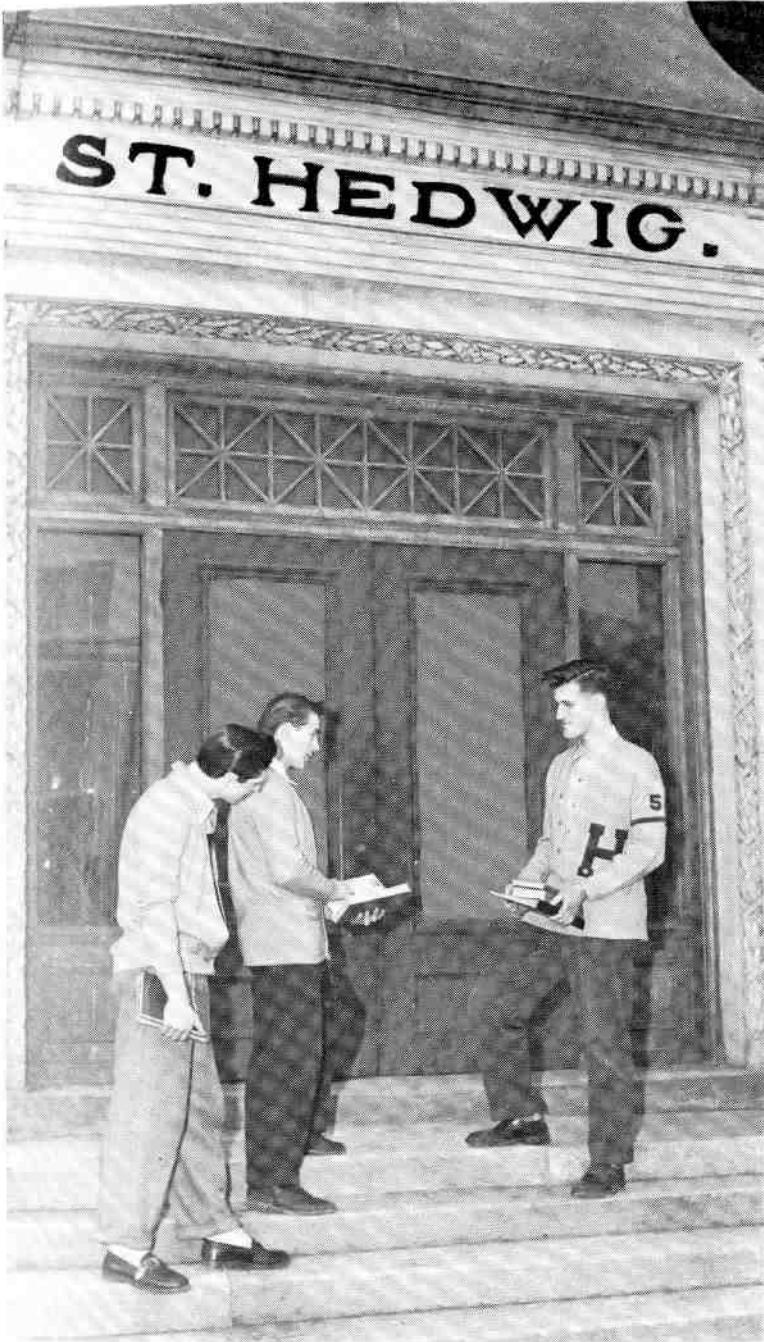


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*Our Alma Mater*



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 WITH reverence and humility, we dedicate this annual to the Vicar of Christ, who proclaimed 1950 a Holy Year to make mankind more conscious of the Creator in the all-important daily business of saving their souls, and spreading His Kingdom on earth.



# To Rome

## The Heart of Christianity



FROM every corner of the world our gloriously reigning Holy Father invites all to Rome, to expiate their faults and those of the world, and to acquire virtue and holiness.

And so, we, the Class of 1950, faithfully make our pilgrimage in desire only by way of true Christian spirit, learning, prayer, sacrifice, and example. May we by our faith, action, and courageous virtue share in the great spiritual reawakening, and make Christ better known and loved in the hearts of millions throughout the world.






*Good Will*



His Eminence  
EDWARD CARDINAL MOONEY

 In our beloved Cardinal we have an outstanding leader of Catholic Action, a faithful and earnest successor of the Apostles who is entrusted with the guidance of Christ's flock in the vast Archdiocese of Detroit.

We feel the great power of Catholicity emanating from the tireless endeavor of our Shepherd; we are grateful to our Heavenly Father for the Spiritual Leader He has appointed to lead us especially during this memorable Holy Year.



The students of St. Hedwig High have been most fortunate in having such a zealous priest, leader, and educator. His undaunted spirit and generosity confined to the school and parish have proven a big factor in our success. He spared no pain, cost, or rest to help us realize our possibilities and attain our ultimate end. By his prayer, work, and sacrifice to save souls, he endeared himself to the hearts of all the students, especially to us who have so greatly benefited from his kindness.

May God bless our Pastor is our prayerful response; may He favor him with His blessings for many years to come.

REV. CALLISTUS WINIARZ,

O.F.M. CONV.

Pastor

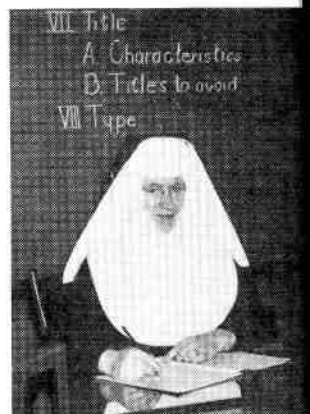




SISTER MARY LUCY, F.S.S.J., B.A., M.A.,  
Principal

# The Guiding Lights in Every Phase of Work

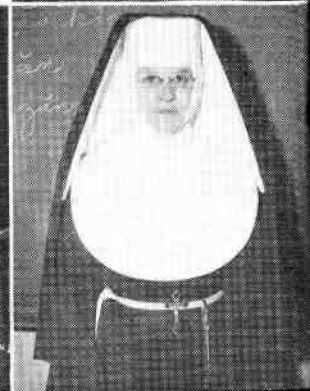
Symbols of gentleness, inspiring confidence, and solicitude are our principal and beloved teachers. Growth in the knowledge, love, and imitation of Christ is what they have striven to instill into their pupils. Throughout our high school career, they aimed to strengthen our love for God and country, and endeavored to show the honor of being God's child, and the joy of living in the Church.



Sister M. Adeline  
English II, Religion I-II

Sister M. Daniel  
Typing I-II, Shorthand II

Sister M. Adalbert  
Sociology, American History





**Sister M. Laura**  
Economics, Religion IV, English III



**Sister M. Irmina**  
Latin I, Religion II



**Sister M. Ethelburga**  
Music Appreciation, Glee Club,  
Religion III



**Sister M. Clementine**  
Drafting, Algebra I, Modern History



**Sister M. Viventia**  
English IV, Physics, Typing II



**Sister M. Lucien**  
Algebra I-II, Plane & Solid Geometry,  
Trigonometry



**Sister M. Armelia**  
Religion I, English I, Latin II-III



**Sister M. Honoria**  
English I, Biology, Religion III



**Sister M. Cantia**  
Chemistry, General Science



**Sister M. Virgilia**  
Shorthand I, Bookkeeping



*Joyfully we commence our pilgrimage  
by way of Christian spirit...*



United in spirit and thought, each Hedwigan endeavors to love what Christ loved and carry out what He taught.





*Unity*

# Senior



Bernard Harold Holowicki

— St. Hedwig

Student Council President 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 3, Sports Editor 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, President 4; Altar Boy 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; 8th grade C.Y.O. Coach 4.

*An all around fellow with a winning smile . . . informality is the keynote to his popularity.*

Natalie Theresa Mikula

— St. Hedwig

Student Council Secretary 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4.

*Her flashing features and smile blend into a carefree and serious personality.*



Joan Margaret Watroba

— St. Francis

Class Treasurer 2, 3, President 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 1, 2, 3, Editor-in-Chief 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*Possessor of an inexhaustible sense of humor . . . manages everything with a dazzling skill.*



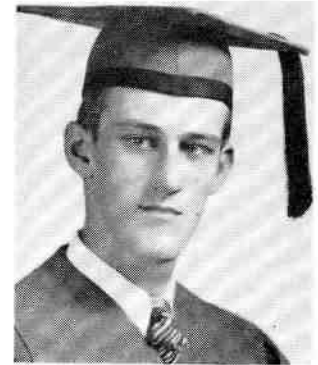
# Officers

Leonard Walter Mier

— St. Hedwig

Class Vice-President 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Varsity 2, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Altar Boy 1, 2, 3, 4.

*Sensible nature... sensible mind... finds delight in mastering the x, y, z of Math.*



Mary Ann Helen Ratajczak

— St. Francis

Class Secretary 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, Secretary 4; Yearbook Editor-in-Chief 4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Library Assistant 2, 3, 4.

*One whose knowledge is seasoned with laughter underneath a stack of books... always agreeable with her temperament.*

Helen Veronica Misckowska

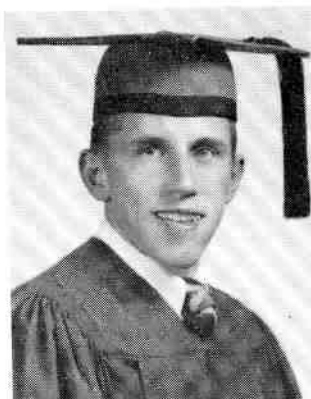
— St. Francis

Class President 3, Treasurer 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, President 4; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 1, 2, 3, Associate Editor 4; Yearbook Co-Editor 4; C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Volleyball 3.

*A jewel personality... her whole-heartedness reaps rewards in scholastic fields.*



# Seniors...



Raymond Alphonse Beyer — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Sodality 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Reserve 1; Baseball 4.

*A sporting fellow with hidden talents... a real pal.*



Wanda Jeanne Borylo — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Good Counsel Club 2; Sodality 2, 3; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2.

*A girl who is on her toes in more ways than one.*



Vincent Joseph Brozoski — St. Cunegunda

Class Secretary 2; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Football 4; Reserve Basketball 2, Varsity 3, 4, Intramural 2; Baseball 2.

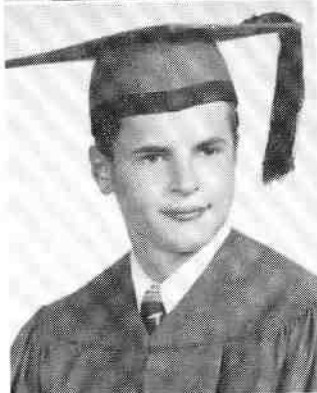
*One whose thoughts are always noble and intelligent... agrees to any plan that will make others happy.*



Constance Ann Cedlo — St. Hedwig

Yearbook Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Honor Roll 1.

*A charming Miss with serenity... tosses everyone a smile as she gently goes on her way.*



Francis John Chalk — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*Surprising energy unequalled by his size... known for his wit.*



Dorothy Ann Cislo — Our Lady Queen of Angels

Class Secretary 1; Honor Roll 1; C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Good Counsel Club 2, 3; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Girls' Basketball Cheerleader 4.

*An eye for the future... hopes for an R. N.*

# ...Seniors

Stephen Joseph Ciesla — St. Hedwig

Dramatics 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 3.

*A wonderful companion... a gay hearted, dependable friend in need.*

Lucille Frances Czapski — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club Secretary 3; Basketball 4; Baseball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 2, 3, Captain 4.

*A real variety girl... a good cheerleader... Popularity Queen.*

Frederick Robert Drapala — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*A lad with quaint and quiet ways... interested in a business career.*

Richard Edward Gierucki — Assumption

Football 4.

*Tact is his... likewise an over-abundance of mirth.*

Florence Dolores Henger — St. Francis

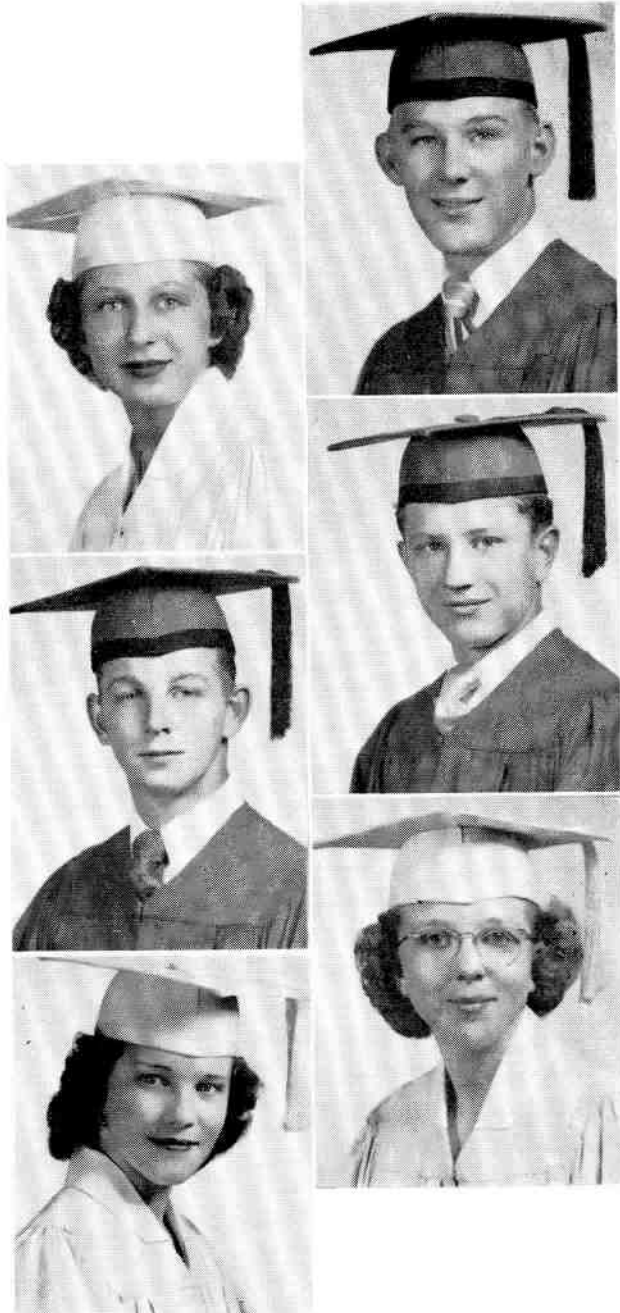
Honor Roll 1, 2; C.S.M.C. 3, 4.

*Competence goes hand in hand with her studies... whatever she does, she does it well.*

Christine Theresa Misiewicz — St. Hedwig

National Honor Society 3, 4; Yearbook Co-Editor 4; C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Choir 4; Sodality Treasurer 3, Prefect 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Volleyball 3, 4.

*Our sweet and sedate prefect... "Chris" personifies the ideal Hedwigian-intelligent... ambitious... efficient.*





# ...Seniors

Walter Leonard Jacek — St. Francis

*A good sport... a willing chauffeur for his friends.*

Edward John Jankowski — St. Hedwig

*He is just that quiet type whose nature never varies... always reserved and efficient.*

Richard John Jayko — St. Hedwig

Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Reserve Basketball 1, 4. Intramural 1, 2, 3; Student Manager 3.

*A merrymaker in every crowd... alert for a good joke.*

Richard Albert Jedro — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Dramatics 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

*His quick wit and grin have made many moments enjoyable for us.*

Jerome Francis Jodloski — St. Hedwig

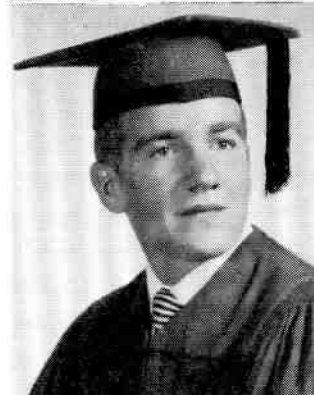
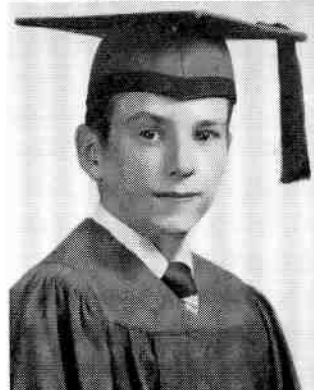
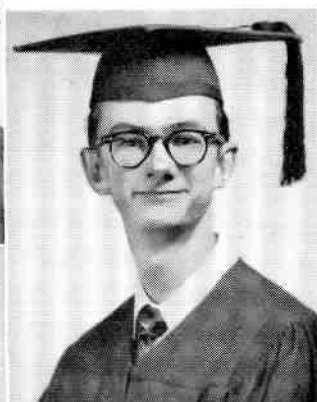
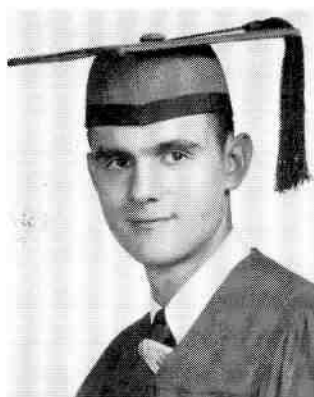
Glee Club 1, 2; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, Reserve 1, 2, Varsity 4; Football 2, 3, 4.

*An athletic leader... a happy-go-lucky fellow who never experiences a dull moment.*

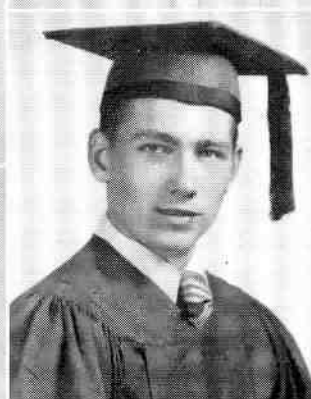
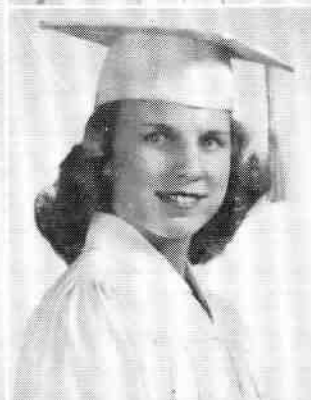
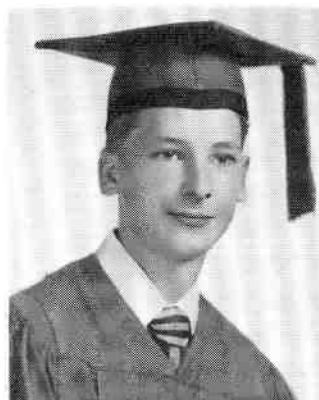
Jeannette Margaret Jeszka — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Sodality 2, 2; Good Counsel Club 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 4; Library Assistant 2, 3.

*A girl with shades of fasion... shows appreciation for all types of music.*



# Seniors...



Bernice Veronica Kaliszuk — St. Hedwig

Honor Roll 1; C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2; Dramatics 3; Sodality 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 4.

*A poised and gracious lady with an excellent example of style.*

Richard Matthew Kevnick — St. Hedwig

Class President 1, 2; Honor Roll 1; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 2; Cheerleader 4.

*A character that is quite impressive... advocate of a good school spirit.*

Dorothy Alvina Kolasa — Assumption

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 2, 3; Cheerleader 4.

*One who is always ready for a good time... our baton twirler.*

Joan Theresa Kolosza — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 3; Dramatics 3; Choir 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Girls' Basketball Cheerleader 4.

*A firm admirer of St. Joseph... in happy harmony with everyone.*

Edward John Kozlowski — St. Hedwig

Glee Club 2, Treasurer 4; Sodality 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Football 4.

*An even disposition and good nature make "Ed" one of our outstanding Senior boys.*

Joan Maria Krych — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; Volleyball 3.

*Her even disposition and good nature make her a desirable friend.*

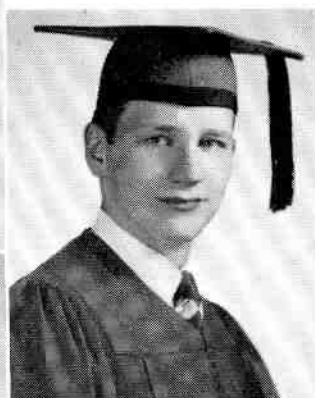
# Seniors...



Virginia Ann Literacka — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 3; Volleyball 3.

*A figure of strong opinions and a warm friendly nature.*



Stanley Francis Lipinski — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 4; Sodality 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, Varsity 3, 4.

*One whose mind dwells on the higher things of life.*



Lillian Joanne Macek — St. Cunegunda

C.S.M.C. 1, 4; Glee Club 4; Dramatics 3.

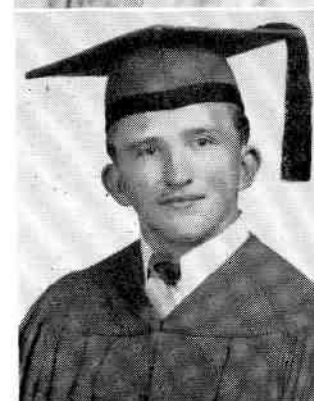
*Outdoor type... cheery disposition... an ardent lover of horses.*



Celestine Felicita Machowicz — St. Hedwig

Yearbook Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Good Counsel Club 2, 3; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*A marvel of self-control... her sweetness and daintiness combine to form perfection.*



Bernard Louis Marek — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

*A gay-hearted friend in need... always aims to please.*



Conrad Ted Michalski — St. Hedwig

Altar Boy 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*His quick sympathy makes him ever popular... always ready to dash to fun.*

# ...Seniors

Leocadia Mary Miskowski — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Sodality 4; Volleyball 3.

*A figure who delights in making others delighted.*

Lawrence Joseph Mistor — St. Hedwig

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

*Larry has an intriguing way of overcoming difficult situations... always contributes gently to an argument.*

Cecilia Sophie Monkowska — St. Francis

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Civic Department 3, 4.

*One who fills her day with many interests scholastically as well as socially.*

Joseph Michael Musavage — St. Barbara

Glee Club 1; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, Reserve 1, 2, Varsity 4; Baseball 3; Football 2, 3, 4.

*An able athlete in our march for success.*

Mary Ann Rose Narkun — St. Hedwig

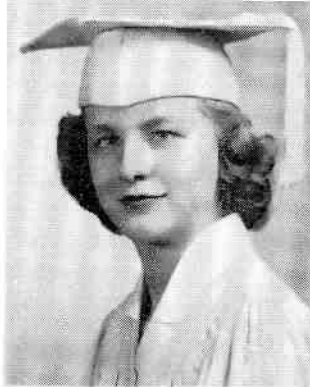
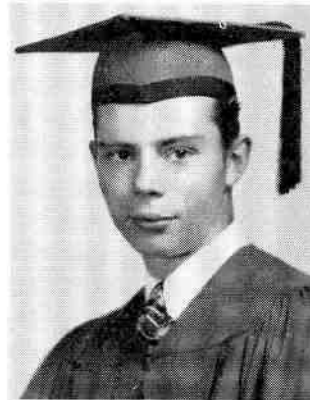
C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Sodality 3; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Basketball 1; Volleyball 2, 3, 4.

*A modern Miss who is always cheerful, obliging, and helpful.*

Rose Mary Ann Narkun — Assumption

Yearbook Staff 4; Hedwigian-Hi Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*A winning personality in a wee, winsome form... sincere in all her relationships.*

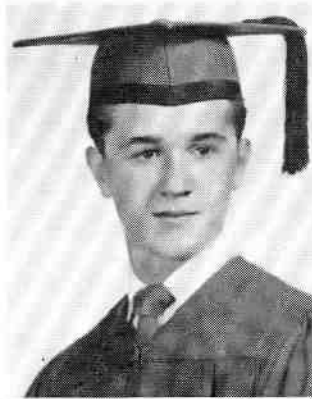


# ...Seniors

Robert Andrew Panek — St. Hedwig

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

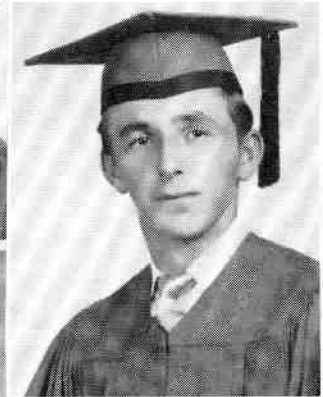
*An able person... highly regarded by all his classmates.*



Henry James Pilat — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3; Sodality 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 4.

*A personality bound with timidity... at all times friendly.*



Bernadine Marie Polak — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 1, 3.

*One with a friendly shy look... a select few are acquainted with her hidden charms.*



Irene Barbara Puskarz — St. Cunegunda

C.S.M.C. 4.

*Her gentility and sweetness is tied in with a deep sense of unintentional humor.*



Anthony John Ronewicz — St. Francis

Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4.

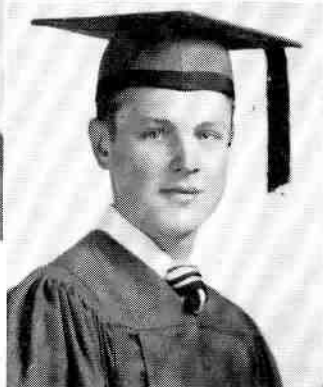
*Good natured... mission-minded in the feminine field.*



Robert Edward Ruppenthal — St. Francis

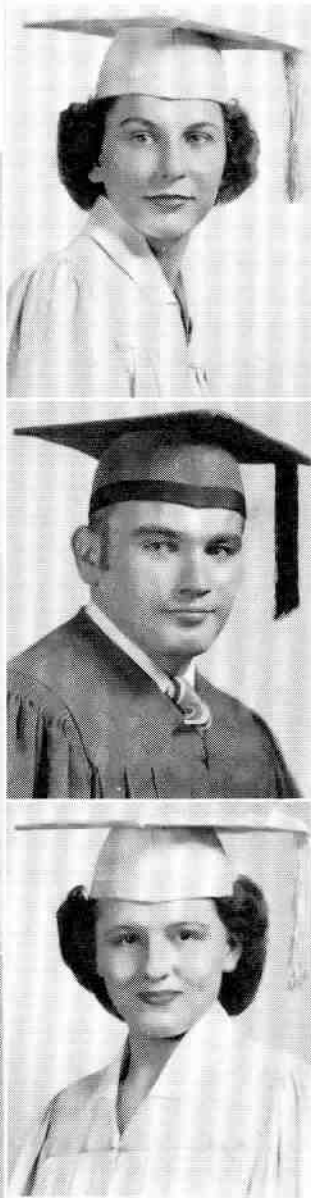
Lettermen's Club 3; Reserve Basketball 1, 2; Intramural 1, 2, Varsity 2, 4; Baseball 4.

*A lad in whom are found lasting qualities... a jovial comrade.*





# Seniors...



Joan Theresa Sandel — St. Hedwig

Choir 1, 2, 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Dramatics.

*Always a helping hand... loyal to all.*

Frances Veronica Sobania — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3.

*Sweet tempered... sparkling eyes... refreshing voice.*

Stanley John Slowik — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Football 3, 4.

*Our best artist... loves anything involving paints and brushes.*

Joan Theresa Stafiej — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Vice-President 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Basketball 4; Baseball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2, 3.

*Jovial... friendly... her kindly manner has endeared her to the Hedwigians.*

Rose Marie Cecile Staseff — St. Hedwig

Sodality 4; Hedwigan-Hi Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4.

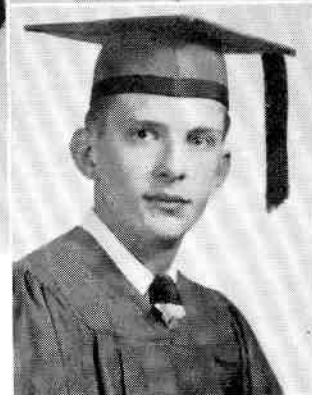
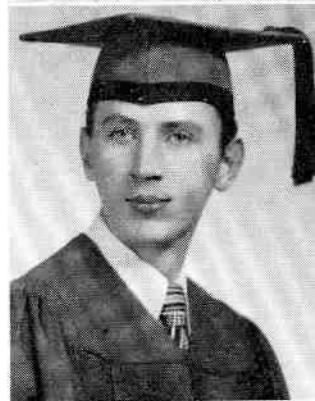
*A completely poised and unique individual... an excellent typist.*

Patricia Ann Staszal — St. Hedwig

Yearbook Staff 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4.

*A winsome Miss with an abundance of ability including captivating eloquence.*

# Seniors...



Lorraine Cecille Sucharski — St. Hedwig

Yearbook Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3.

*A symbol of good taste in attire... bud of loveliness on a stem of grace.*

Helen Victoria Syjut — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2; Sodality 3; Glee Club 1, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 1, 2.

*Tireless worker... takes everything, hard or easy, in her stride.*

Mary Bernadine Syjut — St. Hedwig

Sodality 4.

*Though tiny, she has a heart big enough for all.*

Geraldine Bernadette Tront — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*A friend to everybody... everybody's best friend.*

Stephen Anthony Turzewski — St. Hedwig

Honor Roll 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

*Desirable friend... always obliging... never aggressive.*

James Perceval Uram — St. Hedwig

*Magnetic personality... never gets in anyone's way... happy and gay.*

# ...Seniors

Gertrude Helen Weiss — St. Francis

Honor Roll 1; Yearbook Staff 4; C.S.M.C. 3; Good Counsel Club 2; Basketball 1.

*A logical thinker... ready for any occasion with one of her tales.*

Richard Jerome Wilamowski — St. Francis

Glee Club 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*Enthusiast in the sports world... highly interested in model boat and airplane racing.*

Lorraine Patricia Zaborowski — Our Lady  
Queen of Angels

C.S.M.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, Captain 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

*Her rhythmic feet capture the beat of any melody... infused with a tireless sporting spirit.*

Virginia Elizabeth Zbiciak — Our Lady  
Queen of Angels

C.S.M.C. 2, 3, 4.

*Always seeking a new adventure in a novel old or new.*

Richard John Zboch — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.S. 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 2.

*Jack of all trades... musically inclined... analyst of traffic problems.*

Geraldine Edith Zdanowski — St. Hedwig

C.S.M.C. 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; Volleyball 2.

*Observant and happy... banishes all care.*



# Juniors

# Room 107



**First row: left to right**

- D. Adamczyk
- L. Bartol
- J. Biraga
- S. Boguslaski
- R. Dedeluk
- M. Dymkowska



**Second row:**

- B. Jaje
- V. Jarosz
- E. Jasinska
- C. Kaczanowski
- B. Kolano
- E. Krzeminski



**Third row:**

- J. Mardeusz
- F. Ormaniec
- P. Popowska



**Fourth row:**

- J. Roman
- E. Siembor
- D. Sniechowska



**Fifth row:**

- H. Starcowska
- M. Szczygiel
- P. Tafelska



**Sixth row:**

- P. Tomczeszyn
- L. Wondolowska
- H. Zawisza



**Seventh row:**

- I. Ziemba
- T. Zuzga



**Virginia Jarosz, National Honor Society Treasurer**



# Juniors

# Room 105

**First row: left to right**

- R. Bieniek
- A. Boduch
- B. Bojczyk
- B. Chmura
- G. Clements
- B. Dusman



**Second row:**

- R. Fisher
- I. Gorny
- E. Hojnowska
- F. Kanopka
- J. Korona
- J. Litak



**Third row:**

- D. Malek
- F. Michalik
- D. Pawelek



**Fourth row:**

- R. Ronewicz
- C. Rozanska
- N. Snyder



**Fifth row:**

- M. Sosnowski
- J. Stanisiz
- M. Suchowska



**Sixth row:**

- R. Szumlanski
- E. Taube
- R. Tumidanski



**Seventh row:**

- C. Wegrzyn
- R. Wilczynski
- D. Winiarski



**Eight row:**

- V. Zychowicz



Barbara Chmura, Secretary  
Alice Kieltyka, Treasurer





# Juniors

# Room 109



**First row: left to right**

J. Czapska  
N. Czarnecki  
R. Gniewek  
D. Groszka  
T. Kevnick  
J. Klusowska

**Second row:**

L. Kostrzewa  
S. Kupczak  
J. Lewandowski  
D. Luszczyk  
M. Marek  
P. Marte

**Third row:**

F. Nowak  
A. Nowinska  
D. Okraj

**Fourth row:**

L. Puszkarz  
E. Ratajczak  
T. Ribikowska

**Fifth row:**

D. Sokolowski  
M. Szafarz  
G. Tamczeszyn

**Sixth row:**

A. Zdanowska  
E. Zielinska  
D. Zonca

Geraldine Zawisa, President  
Conrad Bist, Vice-President



# Sophomores

# Room 121

**First row: left to right**

J. Bak  
R. Bielenda



**Second row:**

R. Bobbit  
I. Bochenek



**Inset:** R. Strzemppek  
Secretary



**Third row:** V. Bodziak, A. Burch, L. Dudek, E. Dusman, F. Forystek, E. Grzynowicz

**Fourth row:** R. Jankowska, C. Januszkowska, L. Kolosza, S. Lasky, C. Maruszak, E. Nabozny

**Fifth row:** P. Nogafski, L. Slowinska



**Sixth row:** J. Swiantek, F. Wisniewski



# Sophomores

# Room 123

**First row: left to right**

- I. Czajkowska
- D. Dudek
- A. Dziubek



**Second row:**

- J. Fabian
- L. Franczek
- T. Jagodzinska



**Inset:** H. Pilat, Treasurer  
R. Ziemba, Vice-Pres.



**Third row:** T. Kaczmarczyk, G. Kulesza, D. Kurdziel, G. Kutz, M. Mardausz, C. Nabozna

**Fourth row:** C. Novock, L. Papa, P. Ruppenthal, R. Starbowska, J. Syper, A. Taube

**Fifth row:** L. Wieczorek, C. Winiarz

**Sixth row:** J. Wojtas



# Sophomores

# Room 219



**First row: left to right**  
 J. Blach  
 A. Blak  
 J. Drapala



**Second row:**  
 J. Farley  
 M. Fron  
 R. Gdowski

**Inset:** B. Zamoyski, President



**Third row:** S. Kopeck, S. Krofchok, P. Lepak, R. Lesinski, S. Lewandowski, B. Mistor

**Fourth row:** J. Muczynski, S. Ochalek, D. Ostrowski, G. Pakula, D. Sobczak, D. Stachelski

**Fifth row:** C. Stonik, E. Tumidanski

**Sixth row:** E. Waske



# Freshmen

# Room 125



**Inset:** M. Holowicki, Secretary  
L. Sobota, President

**First row: left to right**

D. Bist  
I. Ciesla  
D. Czajkowski

**Second row:**

T. Czubaj  
J. Duda  
H. Dziedzic

**Third row:**

R. Hojnowski  
R. Ignas  
P. Kalza  
R. Katnik  
B. Kroll

**Fourth row:**

J. Kuczajda  
E. Mis  
A. Narkun  
L. Pasciak  
S. Peglowski

**Fifth row:**

T. Roniewicz  
D. Schultz  
P. Serafin  
P. Siepierski  
R. Siepierski

**Sixth row:**

L. Slivoska  
R. Sobczak  
L. Szura  
K. Urbanczyk  
M. Waske

**Seventh row:**

C. Zajac  
B. Zelek  
R. Zielinski





# Freshmen

# Room 122

**Inset:** J. Czaplą, Vice-President

**First row: left to right**

P. Bajor  
E. Bara  
R. Baran

**Second row:**

B. Bielenda  
J. Bieniek  
C. Chalk

**Third row:**

B. Cybulski  
C. Dollan  
A. Grabowski  
V. Janus  
R. Kaczanowski

**Fourth row:**

R. Korona  
J. Kozłowski  
E. Krauziewicz  
J. Krogulecki  
P. Lempicka

**Fifth row:**

G. Löch  
A. Luczynski  
G. Macek  
E. Maruszak  
W. Orzechowski

**Sixth row:**

P. Podracky  
S. Racinski  
J. Slomba  
R. Sroka  
T. Stasiewicz

**Seventh row:**

E. Syjut  
L. Szelag  
R. Zamoyska  
D. Zuzga



# Freshmen

# Room 124



**Inset:** W. Gardocka, Treasurer

**First row: left to right**

D. Bragiel  
F. Dziedzak  
J. Dziewit

**Second row:**

S. Filipowski  
R. Gajecki  
L. Galicki

**Third row:**

I. Grzesiek  
D. Jacek  
M. Kewnik  
I. Kuczynska  
S. Maksymiuk

**Fourth row:**

G. Michalik  
C. Michalski  
J. Milewicz  
J. Misiewicz  
F. Mistor

**Fifth row:**

B. Mlot  
D. Nowicka  
R. Osip  
S. Pacosz  
V. Pelc

**Sixth row:**

J. Pieknik  
C. Podeszwa  
B. Schmidt  
P. Studzinska  
E. Szewczyk

**Seventh row:**

B. Wojcik  
F. Zonca



# The National Honor Society



**LEFT TO RIGHT: — First row —** C. Miesiewicz, M. Ratajczak, F. Michalik, H. Mischowski, V. Jarosz, B. Chmura. **Second Row —** L. Mier, E. Ratajczak, P. Staszal, J. Mardeusz, J. Watroba, I. Ziembra, C. Bist, A. Nowinska. — **Standing** S. Boguslowska, A. Kieltyka, G. Zawisa.

The stimulation of scholarship, leadership, character, and service in High School are the objectives of the St. Thomas Aquinas Chapter of the National Honor Society. It also strives to impart in its members a love of learning, the desire to develop good citizens, well balanced personalities, and the achievement of higher ideals.

One of the outstanding projects accomplished by the society this year was a tour through the Edison Institute.

The officers chosen for the year 1949 - 1950 are: Helen Mischowski '50, President; Florence Michalik '51, Vice-President; Mary A. Ratajczak '50, Secretary; Virginia Jarosz '51, Treasurer.



*We continue our happy journey  
by the path of learning...*



To reach the goal of a perfect Christian, the Hedwigian blends knowledge and practice of Faith with a mastery of secular knowledge, thereby, making use of the talents with which God endowed him.





*Knowledge*



*To train the powers of the mind...*



UPPER LEFT: "A group of future draftsmen" are interested in a problem. Trying to find an answer to the question are: N. Czarnecki, R. Szumlanski, J. Mazur and R. Tumidanski, while G. Tomczeszyn looks on interestedly.

MIDDLE: R. Fisher and A. Kieltyka gain confidence in mastering the mysteries of  $x$ ,  $y^2$ , and  $z^3$ , by the encouraging word of their Mathematics teacher, and the helpful Junior classmates.



LOWER RIGHT: Leonard Mier explains "level bombing" as Stanley Lipinski and the class listen in.



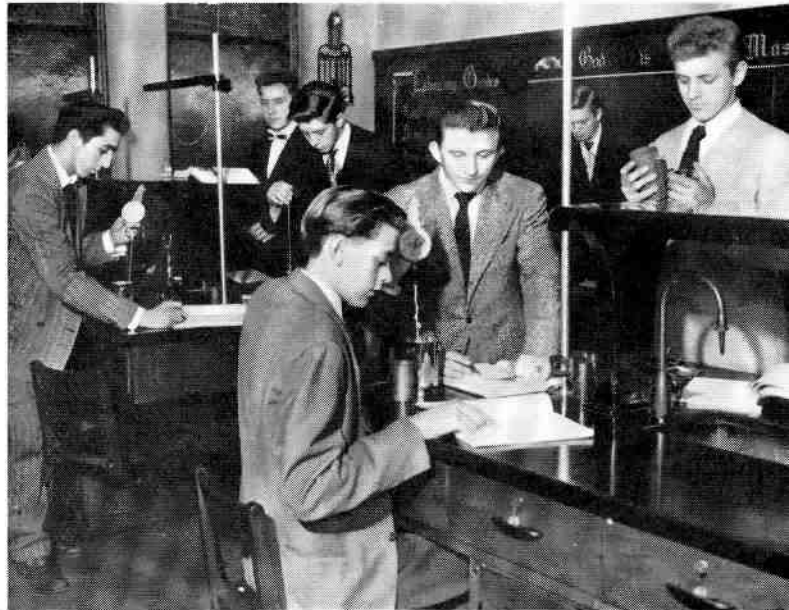
## *Mathematics*

Mathematical training develops in the individual not only self-reliance but also the ability to analyze complex situations, and the ability to recognize logical relations.

# *To enlighten the intellect...*

## *Science*

To train the students in observation, in exact reasoning, and in the scientific attitude of the mind, are the aims of these Science Courses.



UPPER RIGHT: Physicists, R. Ronewicz, D. Winiarski, B. Marek, J. Lewandowski, R. Fisher, C. Kaczanowski, and R. Deduluk, find great interest in performing an experiment to determine the specific gravity of metal.



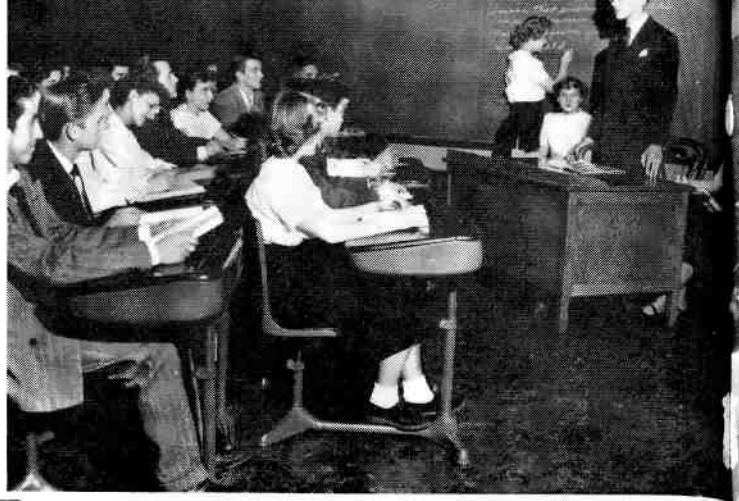
MIDDLE: Chemistry students are constantly occupied with test tubes, beakers, and flasks in order to observe the marvels of matter.



LOWER LEFT: Spring brings out these eager Biology students, T. Kevnick, M. Hryczyk, B. Jaje, I. Tomczeszyn, L. Bartol, and M. Dymkowski, to observe and study the structure of the blossoms under the tutelage of S. M. Honoria.

# English

These courses aim to develop in each student an understanding love of good literature, a knowledge of correct writing and speaking, and a genuine proficiency in the use of the language.



The Juniors learn parliamentary law with Norman Snyder as chairman, Bernadine Dusman as secretary, and Betty Ratajczak as treasurer.



Diligent Seniors, C. Misiewicz, J. Watroba, F. Sobania, J. Sandel, and M. Ratajczak (standing) delve into various sources for term paper information.

Choral reading in the Sophomore English Class makes poetry more appreciative and enjoyable.



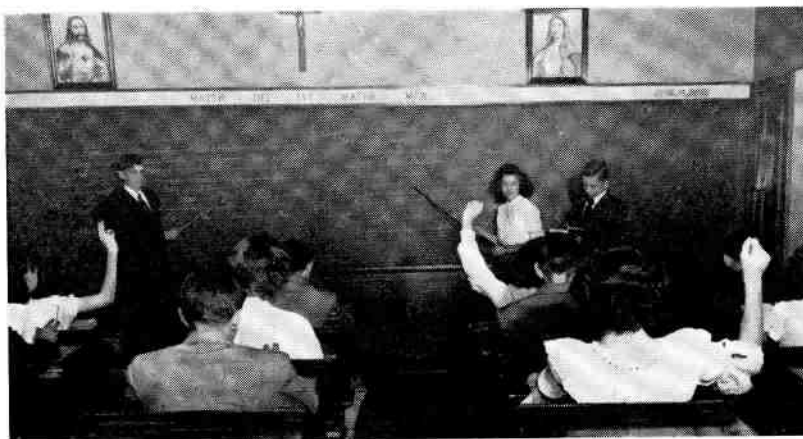




C. Bist, B. Dusman, G. Zawisa, J. Mardeusz, J. Lewandowski, and T. Kevnick (seated) listen attentively while N. Snyder (standing) impersonates Cicero in his Orations against Catiline.

# Latin

In the teaching of Latin, the Hedwician is acquainted with some of the great Latin thinkers and is shown the effects of the thought on our own way of thinking.



The reading and translation of "De Schola" prove no stumbling blocks to Freshmen Latin students as they are questioned by G. Loch and J. Czaplá for possible errors.



Sophomore Latin students show their ability to express their patriotism to their country even in the Latin language.

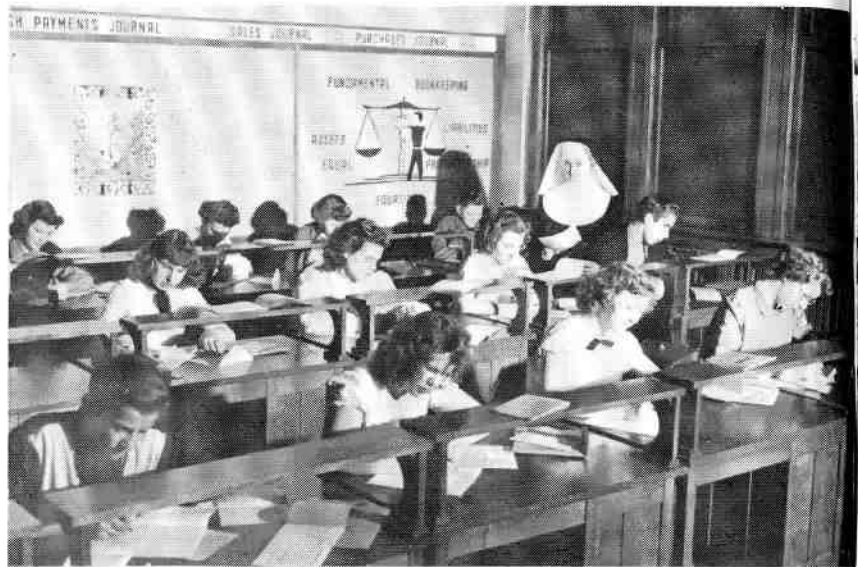
# Business Training

Commercial courses train the students to adapt themselves in today's business offices as accurate bookkeepers, alert secretaries and conscientious office workers.



Huddled in close Shorthand transcription are the ambitious students — S. Machowicz, P. Staszek, R. Narkun, N. Mikula, M. Narkun, and V. Zbiciak.

Deep in the maze of figures, the accountants of tomorrow are working on their bookkeeping sets.



Commercially-minded Seniors concentrate diligently on good typing techniques.





# Social Sciences

Political and social problems of the past and present are studied to give the Hedwician an idea of his future responsibilities as a good citizen of the United States.

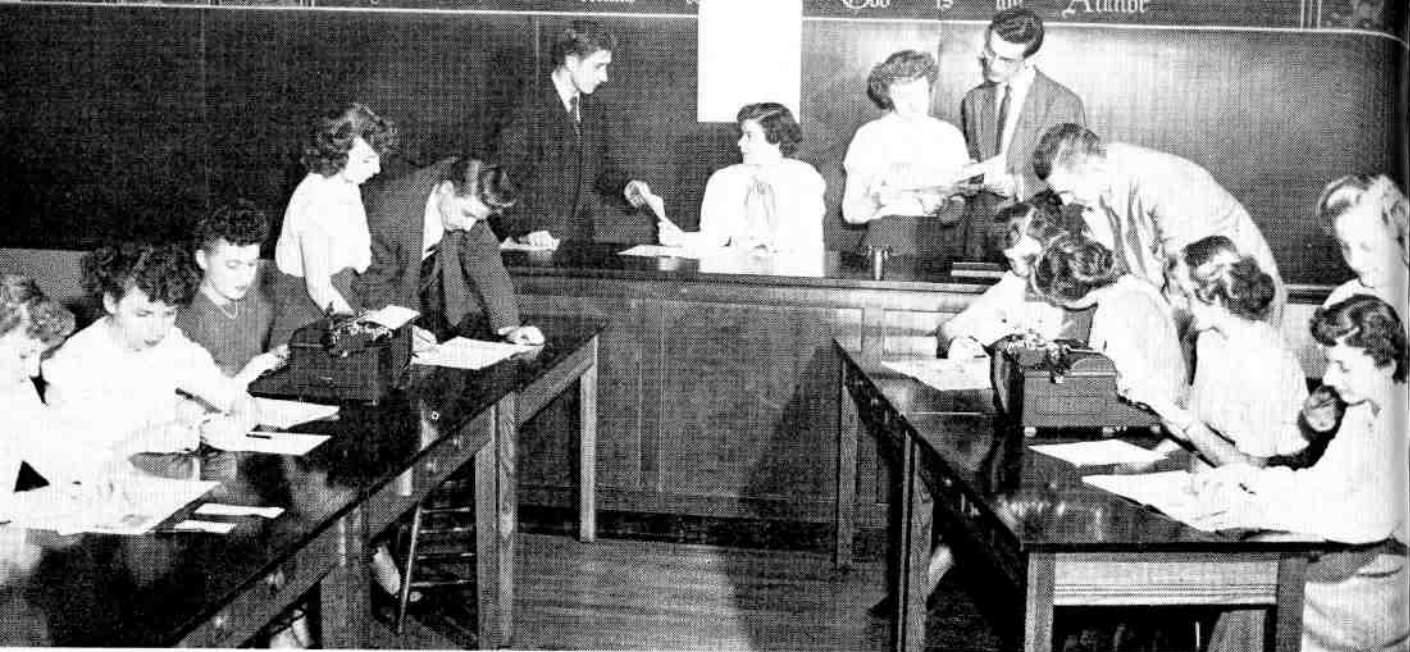
*"Management is an important factor in business,"* says Fred Dropala to an attentive Senior Economics Class.



The "Age of Autocrats" proves an interesting topic for this Modern History Class. L. Paja clarifies a point for the students, while T. Jagodzinska is ready to lend a helping hand.

With the help of the "American Observer", American History students unravel the intricacies of the present world conditions.





The newspaper staff of the Hedwigian Hi works together diligently to bring forth a top-notch issue each month.

## *Extra-Curricular Activities*

We're on the air! J. Mardeusz, P. Popowski (affirmative) and N. Mikula, N. Snyder (negative) discuss juvenile delinquency. Mr. Dale McIntyre is the presiding chairman.





Music Appreciation students, L. Slowin-winska, J. Wojtas, E. Chrzaszcz, and S. Le-wandowska discuss works of the masters.

Patricia Nogafska (seated) Lorraine Won-dolowska, and Robert Fisher find fun in their Golden Book of Song.



Clutched around a library table, a group of Student Council members carry on a discussion with their sponsor, S. M. Adeline.





*We overcome the roughness of our voyage  
by the help of God...*



The Hedwigan not only lives and acts with the Church in her Mass, her sacraments, her calendar of feasts, but also is imbued with a spirit of sacrifice and willingness to do for love of Him, Who gave all.

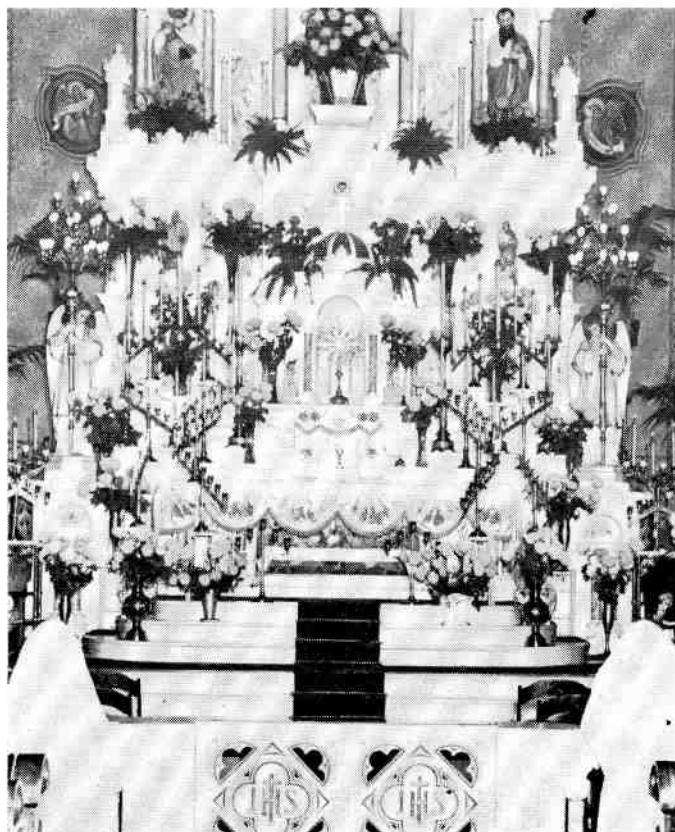




*Faith*



## *To grow richer in grace...*



Since life is a continuous struggle against the powers of evil, man must always be prepared to battle for his eternal reward. He can only do this through spiritual training.

Before the exposed Blessed Sacrament, Sodality members recite the Rosary for world peace.

"Holy God we praise Thy Name..." In every Mass and devotion, the High School Girls' Choir raise their voices in proclaiming their love for God.



# *To increase our faith...*



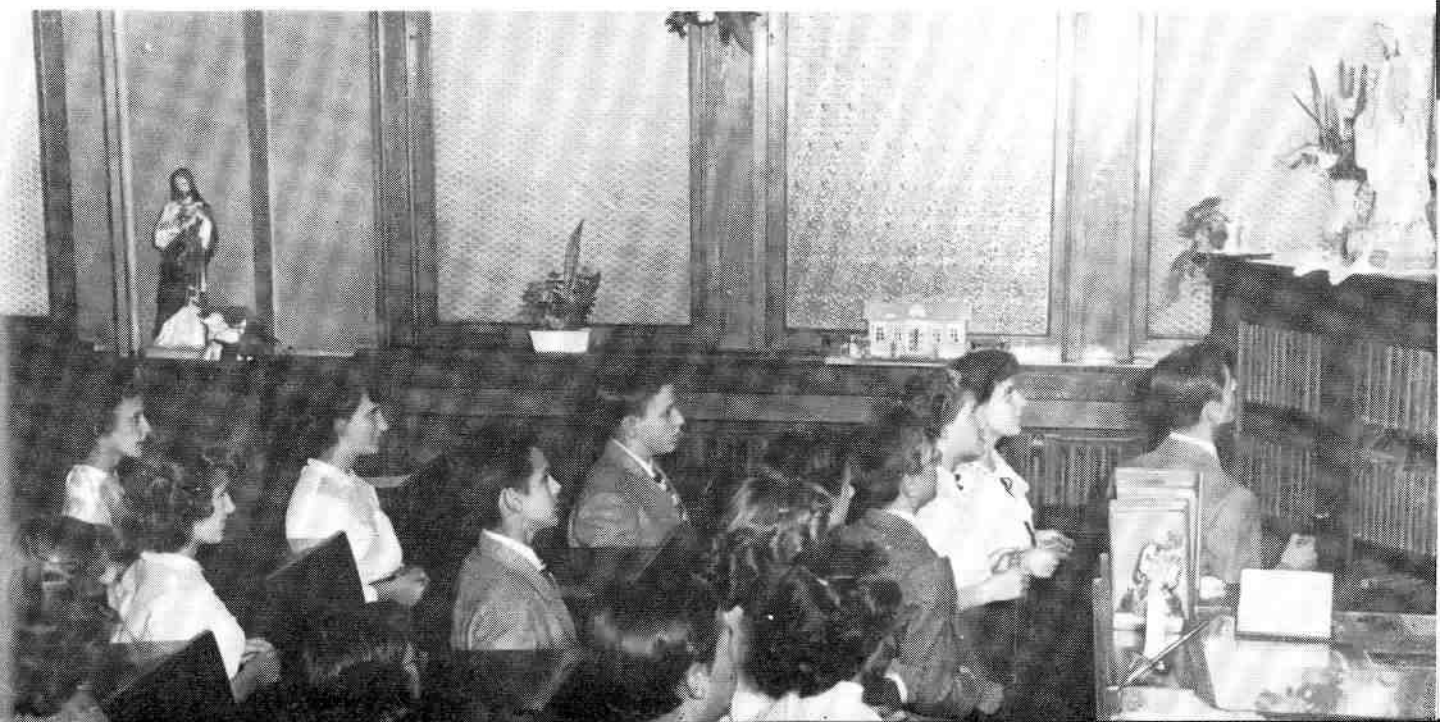
The Retreat Master holds this attentive audience spiritually spellbound as he tells them of the peace and happiness of a holy life in God.



Rev. Justinian Pawelek  
Retreat Master



"Hail Mary, full of grace . . ." begins the daily Religion period in Room 125, where Freshmen students learn to pray the rosary devoutly through practice.





A solemn occasion — the traditional May Day Procession. L. Sucharski deposits her lily while G. Tront and B. Kaliszuk wait to do likewise.

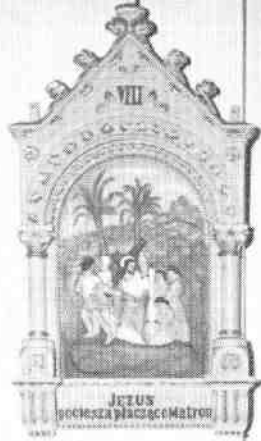


The beauty of the chapel, the music, and the celebration of the Holy Mass by Fr. Boniface, make the students look upon their "Ring Day" as their "Heavenly Day."



"O Mary! we crown Thee with blossoms today." The coronation of the Blessed Virgin by Prefect Christine Misiewicz climaxed the Sodality projects of the year.





Bob Panek piously says the Stations of the Cross during the penitential season of Lent.



Jeanette Jeszka and Stanley Lipinski have their throats blessed on St. Blase's Day by the Rev. C. Winiarz, Pastor.

The C.S.M.C. members offer the Holy Sacrifice of Mass and Holy Communion for the promotion of the Mission Apostolate.



Altar servers, R. Baran (left) and K. Urbanczyk (right) assist Rev. John Chrobak in the celebration of the Holy Mass.



Matthew, XX, 16. "For many are called, but few chosen," is the topic discussed by this group of aspiring Sophomores during the Vocation Month. Left to right: P. Lasky, P. Lepak, B. Waske, P. Nogafska, chairman, B. Dushman, J. Farley, L. Wiczorek.



Joan Krych takes time out to bid farewell to the Infant Jesus.



All for the greater glory of God! Prayer unites the Hedwigians to Mary and Her Son.



## *To bring a bit of happiness...*



Deeds of charity, prompted by the spirit of service, for the young, old, and destitute tend to better the Hedwigian in the temporal field as well.

The Glee Club brings Christmas cheer to the aged.



The Glee Club sings carols in Chadsey High School Auditorium at the Polish Goodfellows Program.

Carolers, Natalie Mikula, Joan Stafiej, Celeste Machowicz, Francis Ormaniec, and Felix Konopka add to the joys of Christmas.



To reach her quota for the annual, C. Misiewicz takes time out to solicit an "ad" from Mr. John Mateja.



P. Nagafska, Sophomore, and P. Bajor, P. Lempicka, B. Cybulski, Freshmen, have for their major task the cutting and sorting of stamps for the Missions.



In the midst of the Christmas holidays, G. Kulesza, C. Stonik, S. Lasky, R. Lesinska, T. Jagodzinska, and E. Nabozna, all thoughtful C.S.M.C. members, prepare packages of religious articles for the foreign Missions.



Glee Club members smile as they pose at St. Mary's Home for the Aged, happy to experience that, "It is better to give than to receive".



Service that gives cheer. P. Staszal (left) and R. Narkun (right) sacrifice time to do clerical work.

Generous with their talents, Virginia Jarosz and Sylvia Boguslaska add to the Christmas spirit through their artistic work.



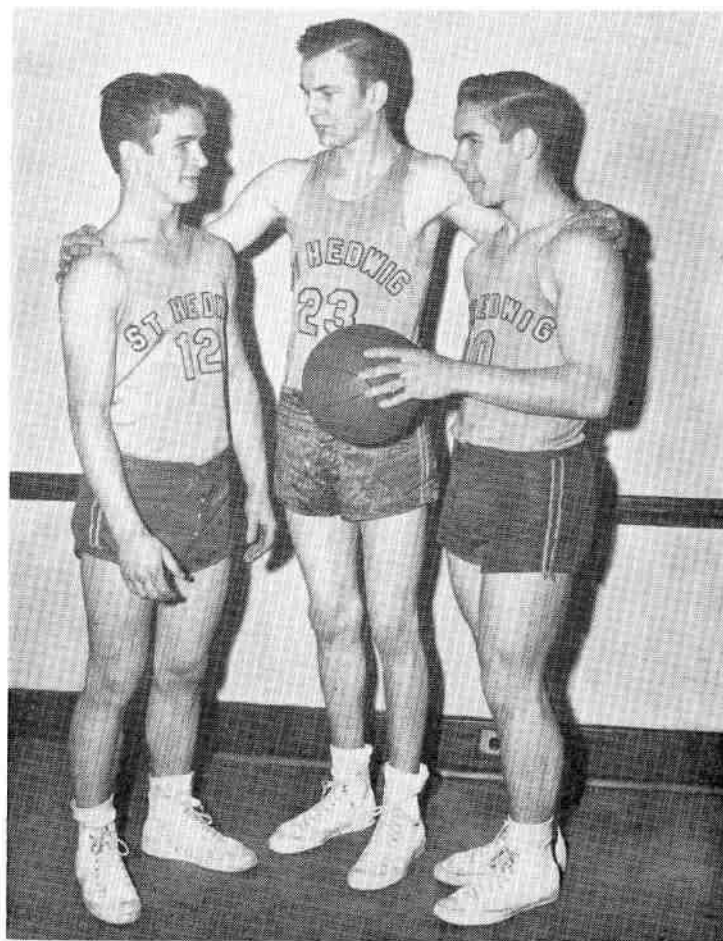
Sally Machowicz smiles proudly as Lorraine Zabrowski puts the final touches to her wreath — the symbol of holiday greetings.



Richard Gierucki collects the generous donations contributed toward the "March of Dimes" by Wanda Borylo (left) and Joan Sandel (right).



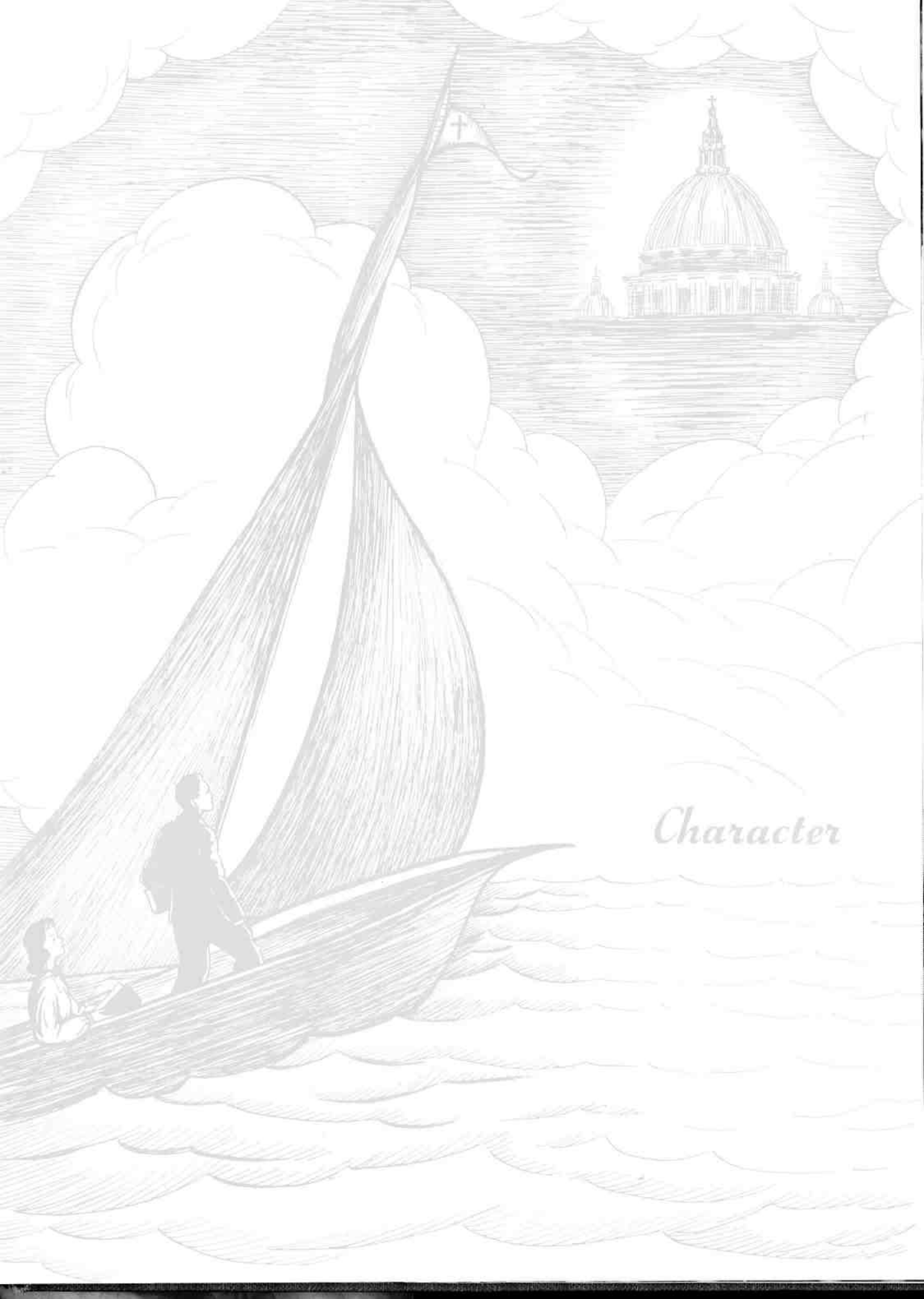
*We wend our way courageously  
by the virtuous route of good  
character training...*



The image of Christ is so deeply imbedded in the heart of the Hedwigan that he, too, learns to be another Christ spreading love, and kindness, wherever he goes.







*Character*



# To build a spirit



## Varsity



Led by Dorothy Kolasa, the school's cheer leaders lift the spirit of the crowd.

When the first call for football came, a host of fresh, new players attended the opening practice session. Under the efficient and genial guidance of the two newly selected coaches, "Chet" Gawronski and "Chuck" Szumlanski, as they are affectionately called, the Knights developed into a well-balanced fighting "eleven". Due to the lack of experience the team completed the season with one victory in five starts.

The season opener was played at Dingeman Field. The two rival teams clashed terrifically, and the Knights were edged out by St. Andrew, 13-12.

Possessing a powerful running attack, the Comets of Mt. Carmel triumphed over an improving St. Hedwig Team.

Playing under the lights for the first time, the Knights lost a real close one to a spirited Xavier squad.

Next we met our arch rivals, St. Patrick, at Dingeman Field. A very large and enthusiastic crowd was on hand. The Blue and Gold were out to upset the Irish apple cart. But St. Pat's had too much power and reserved strength, so the Knights tasted defeat.

The final game of the season saw a much improved St. Hedwig win over Sacred Heart, 6-2. Fullback, Jerry Jodloski, plowed over for the winning fall. Richard Gdowski, Sophomore half-back, picked up huge chunks of yardage throughout the game.

At the close of the season, Jerry Jodloski received honorable mention in the voting for the All-City Team.

The season marked the end of competition for 6 Seniors. With a majority of the lettermen returning next year, the Knights will definitely be in the thick of the race for league honors.

*of fair play...*

# Football



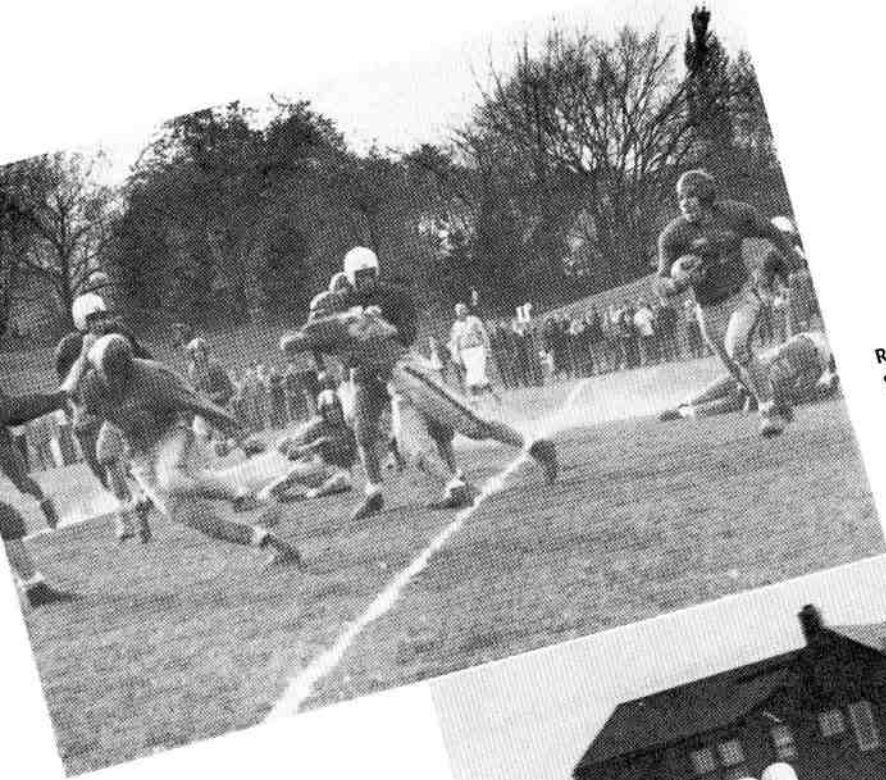
Watching the Knights football team in a tense game against St. Andrew are some of the faithful fans of St. Hedwig.

## SEASON'S SCORES

St. Hedwig	12	—	13	St. Andrew
St. Hedwig	6	—	39	Mt. Carmel
St. Hedwig	0	—	39	St. Francis Xavier
St. Hedwig	0	—	44	St. Patrick
St. Hedwig	6	—	2	Sacred Heart

LEFT TO RIGHT: — Kneeling — R. Fisher, J. Lewandowski, D. Jacek A. Dziubek, R. Szura, B. Kowalski, J. Stanis. Standing — J. Mardeusz, R. Krol, M. Szczygiel, C. Kaczanowski, E. Bara, J. Blach, R. Gdowski, J. Wojtas C. Michalski, A. Boduch F. Ormaniec, R. Zabawa.





With fine interference paving the way, R. Gdowski goes for a first down against Sacred Heart.



Displaying fine broken field running, Joe Musavage breaks into the open.



Coach "Chet" Gawronski

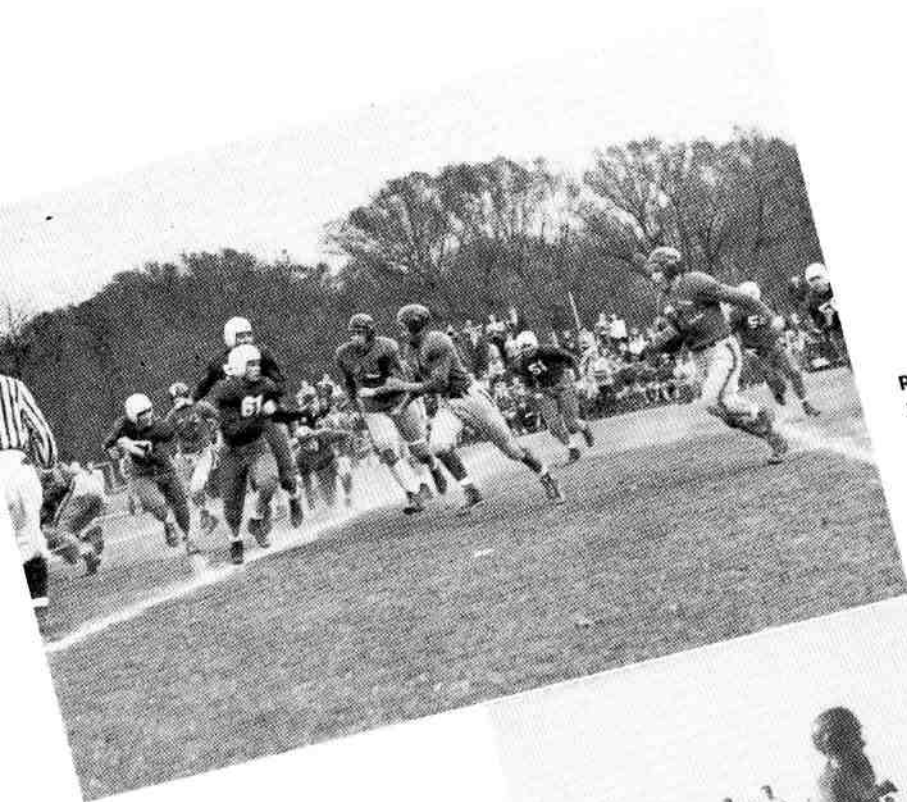


Coach "Chuck" Szumlanski

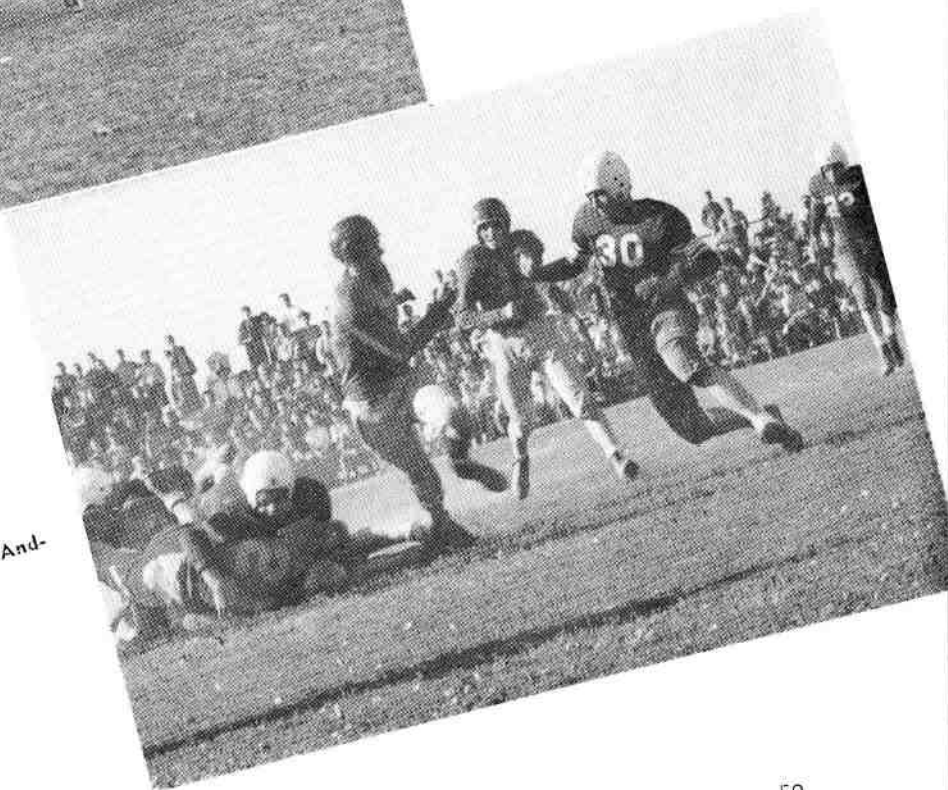
Credit for generous services and high enthusiasm is due to our Athletic Director, who labored untiringly to turn out a well-rounded and finely developed team in every field of sports. His helpful hints and words of encouragement were always appreciated.



Rev. John Chrobak  
Athletic Director



Richard Gdowski skirts Sacred Heart's left end for a considerable gain.



Jerry Jodloski is hit hard by the St. Andrew's forward wall.

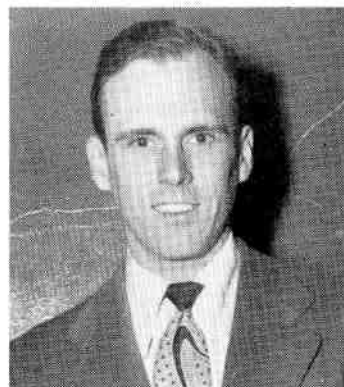




*To acquire a se*

## *Varsity*

Displaying some of the enthusiasm which marked each game, the Varsity Cheerleaders help lead the Knights to another victory.



Coach "Ed" Bartz

LEFT to RIGHT: — Kneeling — R. Ruppenthal, C. Bist. (Student Mgr.), V. Brozski, A. Dziubek.

STANDING — R. Fisher, R. Gdowski, (Captain) D. Zonca, M. Szczygiel, S. Lipinski, L. Mier, J. Mardeusz, F. Zonca, B. Holowicki, J. Wojtas.



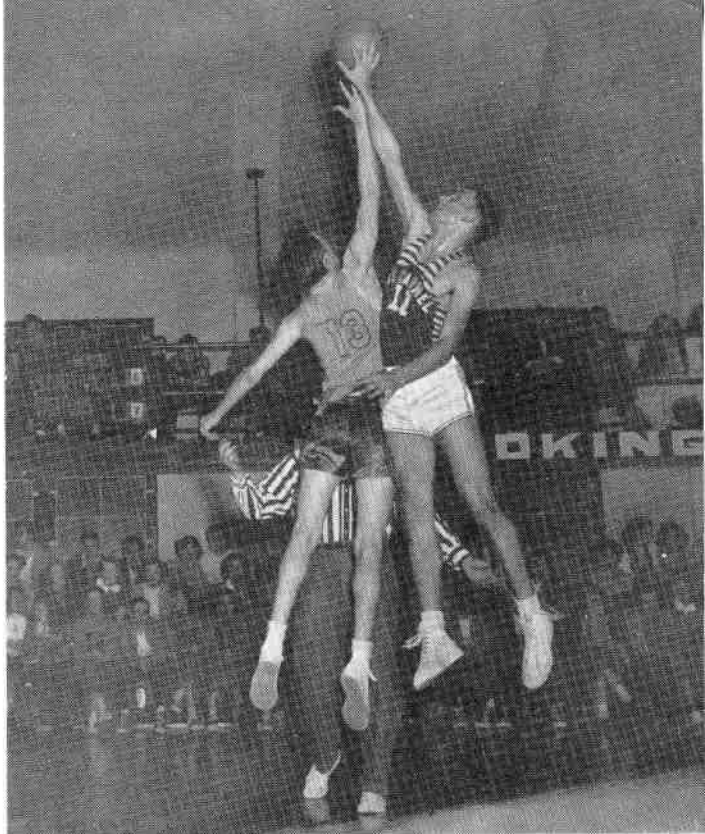


*sense of loyalty...*

## *Basketball*

Due to the genial and capable tutelage of Coach "Ed" Bartz, the St. Hedwig Cagers looked forward to a good season. Weeks of strenuous practice produced a hard fighting team — one that was to be a strong contender for the divisional title. Paced by John Mardeusz and Don Zonca, the Coach saw the Knights post a successful season of four wins and four losses. The high points of the year were the Knights triumphs over St. Francis Xavier and Sacred Heart.

Closely guarded, Bob Fisher tries to break loose.



"Specs" Mardeusz tries vainly to out-jump his foe in a close encounter.

### SEASON'S SCORES

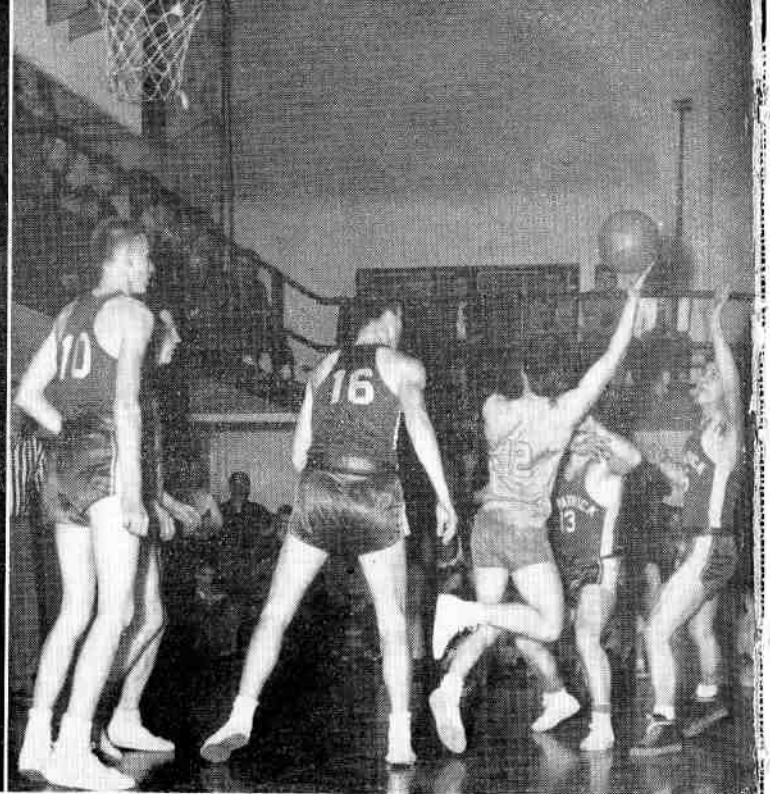
St. Hedwig 41 — 38 Mt. Carmel  
St. Hedwig 45 — 18 Sacred Heart  
St. Hedwig 75 — 12 St. Francis Xavier  
St. Hedwig 35 — 54 St. Patrick  
St. Hedwig 37 — 54 Mt. Carmel  
St. Hedwig 48 — 36 Sacred Heart  
St. Hedwig 90 — 34 St. Francis Xavier  
St. Hedwig 38 — 49 St. Patrick

### TOURNAMENT SCORES

St. Hedwig 36 — 22 St. Casimir  
St. Hedwig 51 — 50 St. Anne  
St. Hedwig 56 — 35 St. Josephat  
St. Hedwig 47 — 44 Visitation  
St. Hedwig 45 — 31 St. Casimir  
St. Hedwig 54 — 27 Sweetest Heart  
St. Hedwig 42 — 59 St. Andrew

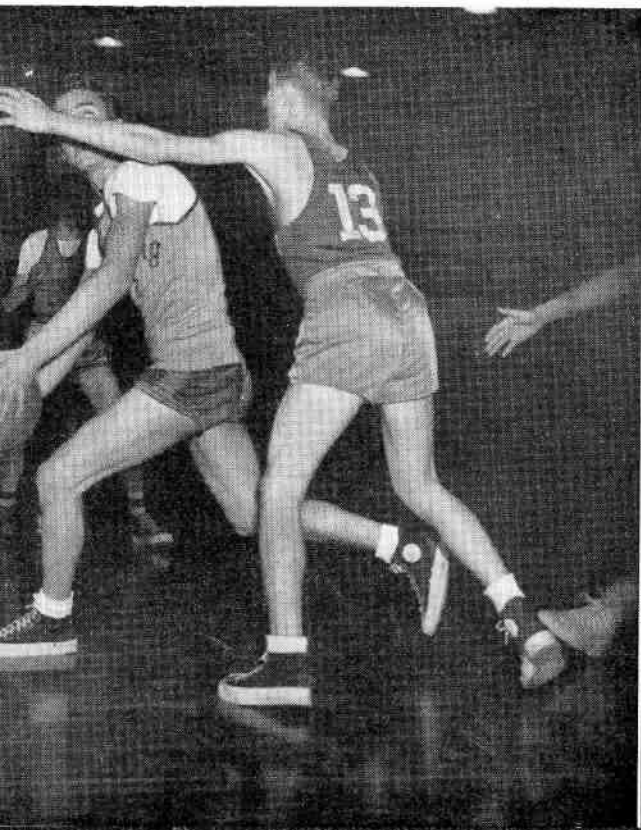


Jumping high, Stan Lipinski outreaches a St. Patrick player as John Mardeusz and John Wojtas look on.



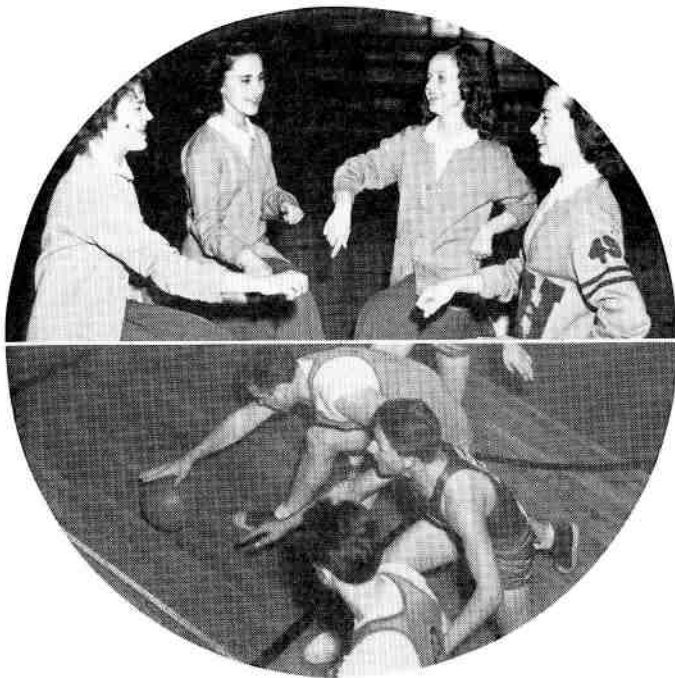
Surrounded by a host of St. Patrick players, Don Zonca manages to get off his shot.

Ernie Szewczyk sets himself up for a hooked shot.



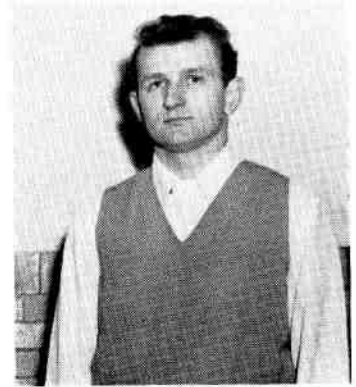
Stan Lipinski goes in for a lay-up shot in pre-game practice as John Wojtas prepares to play the rebound.





# Reserve Basketball

With their spirits raised high by the lively Reserve Cheering Squad, John Blach outscrambles an opponent as Tom Bieniek looks on.



Coach John Lepak

The task of building a championship team was placed upon the shoulders of Coach Johnny Lepak. Under his watchful guidance, the St. Hedwig Reserve Cagers ended their season with a praiseworthy record in season play. These prospective varsity players displayed fine, competitive spirit and the determination to win.

Composing the first team were Tommy Ronewicz, Don Grosko, Ray Dedeluk, and the mainstays, Richard Jayko, guard, and pivotman, Ernie Szewczyk.

Our best wishes for the future go to these players that they may blaze their way to higher honors.

LEFT TO RIGHT: — Kneeling — T. Ronewicz, R. Jajko, R. Baran, R. Pedlowski.  
 Standing — D. Groszko, E. Bara, E. Szewczyk, J. Bak, R. Dedeluk, J. Blach, J. Stanisz.







Richard Jajko, mainstay of the Reserve Team, looks for an opening.



Stopped by the Mt. Carmel defense, Tommy Ronewicz passes to Ed Bara.



Tom Ronewicz prepares to shoot as he is pursued by opposing players.

### SEASON'S SCORES

St. Hedwig 10 — 11	St. Casimir
St. Hedwig 34 — 37	Mt. Carmel
St. Hedwig 24 — 11	Sacred Heart
St. Hedwig 39 — 9	St. Francis
St. Hedwig 19 — 34	St. Patrick
St. Hedwig 18 — 53	Mt. Carmel
St. Hedwig 34 — 27	Sacred Heart
St. Hedwig 25 — 11	St. Francis
St. Hedwig 28 — 39	St. Patrick
St. Hedwig 34 — 21	St. Josephat
St. Hedwig 27 — 35	Visitation



LEFT to RIGHT: — First Row — G. Zawisa, C. Rozanski, C. Novock, J. Litak, L. Czapski, A. Kieltyka.  
 Standing — J. Stafiej, B. Kaliszuk, D. Adamczyk, A. Nowinska, L. Zaborowski, (Captain) C. Misiewicz, A. Taube, B. Taube, D. Malek.

## Girls' Basketball

As "Lolly" Zaborowski eagerly watches, Joan Stafiej and Lucy Czapski jump with an opposing player for a free ball.



This was the first year that the girls' basketball team entered the West Side Third Division of the C.Y.O. League to compete against several worthy opponents. The Hedwigians found such teams as Mt. Carmel, St. Casimir and Holy Redeemer not very easy to subdue. However, the highly heralded St. Hedwig spirit aided the girls to gain respect from their opponents, regardless of the outcome of their encounter.

Altho a championship team was not produced, still the girls thrilled many a spectator with their hard fighting. Hopes are high for next year since the majority of the girls will return to form the nucleus of the team for '50-'51.

Laurels for fine training and good sportsmanship go to Coach Irene Lazar and her entire team.

### SEASON'S SCORES

St. Hedwig 29	—	27 Sacred Heart
St. Hedwig 15	—	30 Mt. Carmel
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St. Hedwig 22	—	26 All Saints
St. Hedwig 22	—	22 St. Andrew
St. Hedwig 15	—	19 Holy Redeemer
St. Hedwig 32	—	47 St. Casimir





Joe Musavage prepares to take his place behind the plate.

## To cultivate initiative

### Varsity

To improve last year's mediocre record, Coach "Ed" Bartz labored arduously to mold a powerful team for divisional honors.

Blessed with fair weather, the 1950 baseball squad rounded into fine shape rapidly. Constituting the nucleus of the team were J. Mardeusz, first baseman, J. Wojtas, second baseman, D. Zonca, shortstop, R. Deduluk, third-socket, J. Jodloski, R. Ruppenthal, E. Kozlowski, outfielders, B. Holowicki and R. Gdowski, pitchers. On the sidelines ready for action were Max Szczygiel, Don Groszko, Ed Bara, E. Szewczyk, J. Mazur, B. Fisher, and J. Bak.

Being well supplied with a raft of good material, the Knights seemed to produce one of the best teams in St. Hedwig's baseball history.

So far this season, they have three wins and one loss. Their victories were over Sacred Heart, 9—0, St. Vincent, 7—3, Mt. Carmel, 8—7, while the heart-breaking loss was inflicted by St. Patrick, 1—0.

Assisting the hard working and unassuming Coach, was the affable Father John, who not only served the unheralded role of an athletic director, but that of a spiritual adviser as well.

Front Row: — Left to right: — D. Zonca, J. Musavage, J. Mazur, C. Bist, Student Manager, R. Ruppenthal, M. Szczygiel, and J. Jadowski.

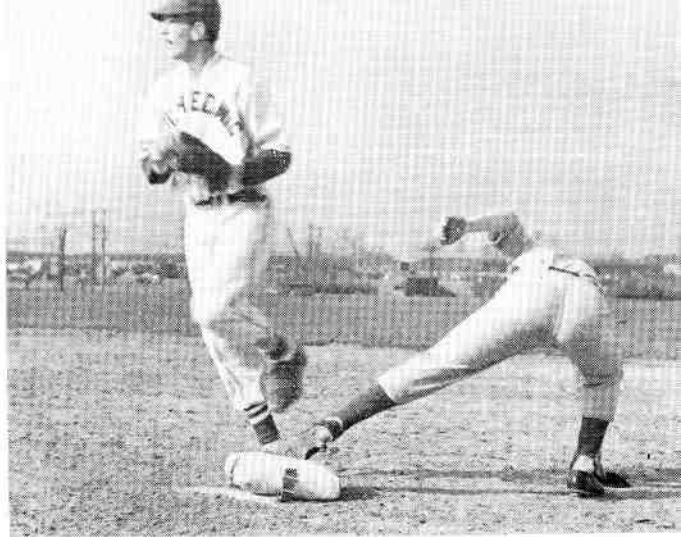
Middle Row: — J. Wojtas, R. Dedeluk, J. Fisher, D. Groszko, R. Gdowski.

Back Row: — B. Holowicki, E. Bara, J. Mardeusz, Rev. John Chrobak, Athletic Director, Coach "Ed" Bartz, E. Szewczyk, E. Kozlowski, J. Bak.



*and good-fellow-ship*

## *Baseball*



With the opposing player safe on an attempted pickoff, John Mardeusz takes a step forward toward the pitcher's box.

### SCHEDULE

April 25 — Mt. Carmel at St. Hedwig  
April 28 — St. Hedwig at St. Vincent  
May 2 — St. Patrick at St. Hedwig  
May 5 — St. Hedwig at Sacred Heart  
May 9 — St. Francis Xavier at St. Hedwig  
May 12 — St. Hedwig at Mt. Carmel

May 16 — St. Vincent at St. Hedwig  
May 19 — St. Hedwig at St. Patrick  
May 23 — Sacred Heart at St. Hedwig  
May 26 — St. Hedwig at St. Francis  
June 1 — Tie Game  
June 5 — Play-Offs

Batting in the clean-up slot, Ray Dedeluk awaits the first pitch to him.



## *To activate the imagination...*



On May 15 and 16 the graduating class in collaboration with the Glee Club presented the operetta, "The Count and the Co-Ed." The story centers about the antics of Kenneth (Snooze) Andrews, (N. Grezlik) a comedian with the Harden College Glee Club who has a sad tendency to get into trouble, thus incurring the displeasure of Dr. McSpadden, (G. Szarama) President of the College. This is unfortunate because Snooze is in love with Dolly McSpadden, (J. Meyers) and is anxious to gain the good will of her father, who is wor-



UPPER LEFT: Arabian fiesta during a siesta in "The Count and the Co-Ed."

CENTER: Disguised as the German Count, "Snooze" (H. Sucharski) manages to deceive Dr. McSpadden (G. Szarama).

LOWER LEFT: Lively Mexican dancers entertain the guests during the Festival.



# To cultivate a sense of good humor...

ried over the necessity of raising \$50,000 for the college endowment fund.

Other members of the cast included Birdie Boggs, (V. Smith), Amy Arnold, (M. Ratajczak), Mrs. Agatha Lockstep, (F. Sobania), Mrs. McSpadden, (I. Cwik), Mark Watson, (E. Paja), Hamilton Hunter, (C. Mastalski), Marjorie Blackwood, (D. Pawelek), and Dan Flanigan, (J. Franko).

Various folk dances added gaiety to the highly enjoyable entertainment.



**UPPER RIGHT:** Edwin Dollan and Bernadine Dusman perform the gracious ballet dance.

**CENTER:** Dan Flanigan (J. Franko) the traffic officer, relates his Zanzibar adventures to the collegiates.

**LOWER RIGHT:** A gay, colorful Polish dance, "The Krakowiak", captivates the guests.





Sophomores on parade! The Pageant of Fairyland, in which J. Farley reigned as Queen, was presented by Room 219 at the annual Halloween Party.

## Strolling along

Diversified activities and social events afford the students opportunities for cooperation,



"Do we have the fun," say the delightful smiles of the initiated Freshmen, B. Kroll, M. Waske and P. Siepierski.



Bernadine Dusman dances to the strains of a Viennese Waltz.

The Ring Ceremony was followed by a breakfast in the cafeteria. Seated at the table are: H. Miskowski, M. Ratajczak, Rev. Boniface Nowakowski, J. Watroba and L. Mier.





# Memory Lane

achievement, and the development of good citizenship so as to become better Americans.



Caught in the act! Weary travelers rack their brains to solve the "solution" to their problem.



B. Holowicki, Pres. of the Student Council, hands to Rev. C. Winiarz a program for the Student Council Induction Ceremony.



Full of the Yuletide spirit, M. Narkun and C. Cedlo mail Christmas cards to fellow classmates.



The officers smile as Conrad questions the wearing of the gown for the Skaters' Ball. Left to right: — A. Kieltyka, B. Chmuro, G. Zawisa, J. Litak and C. Bist.

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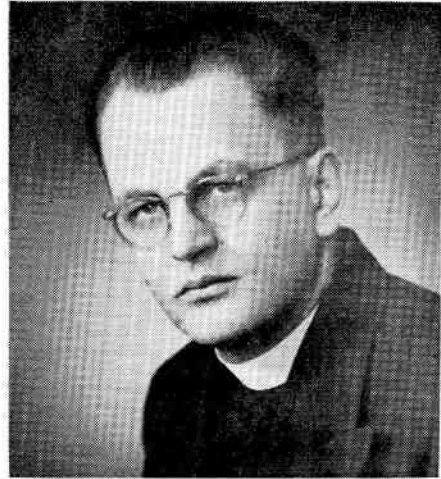
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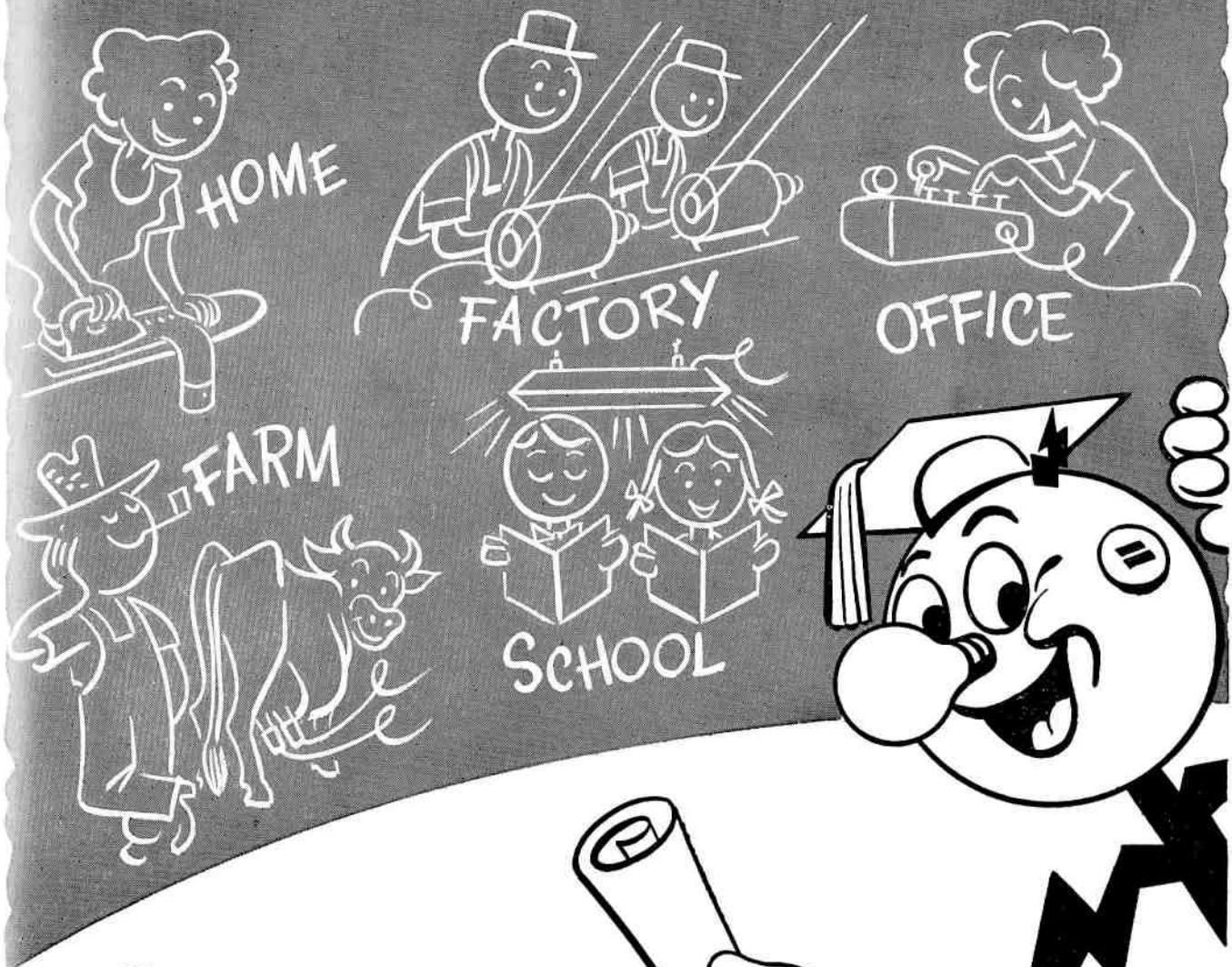
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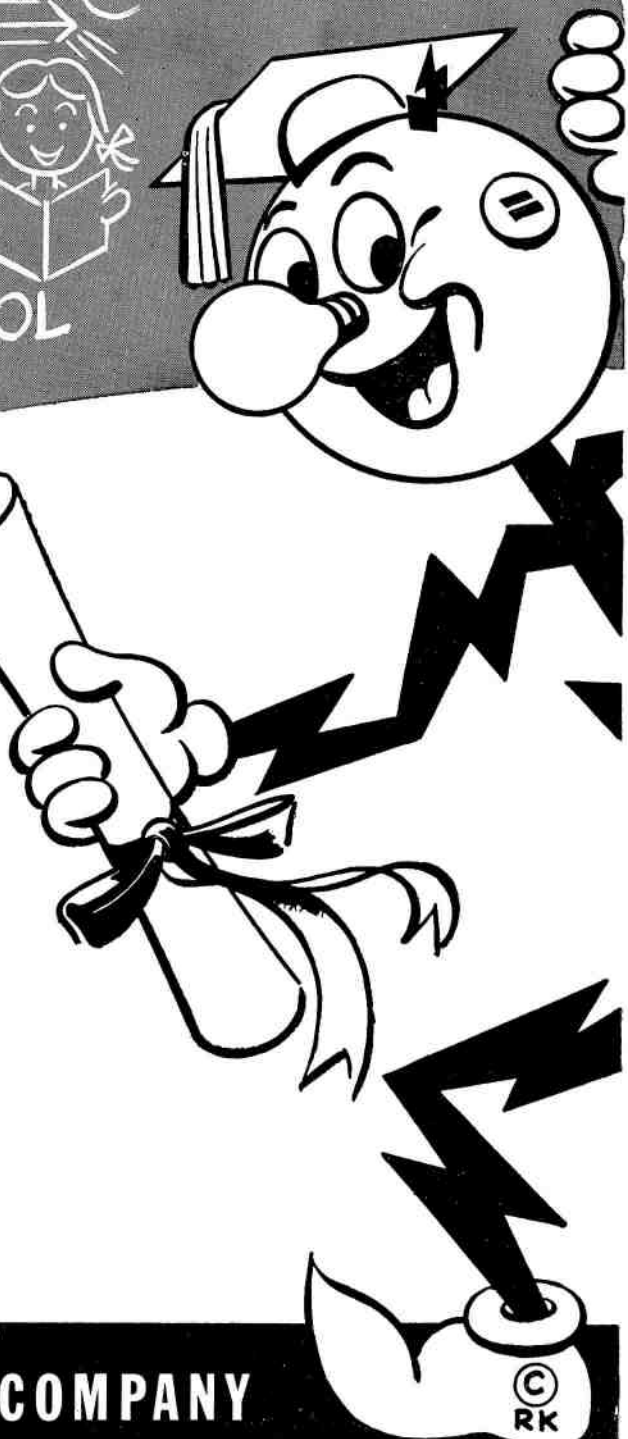
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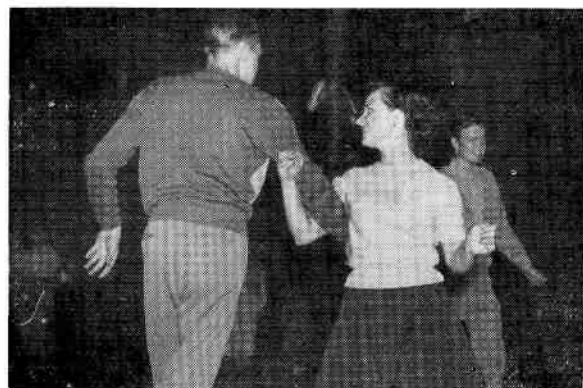
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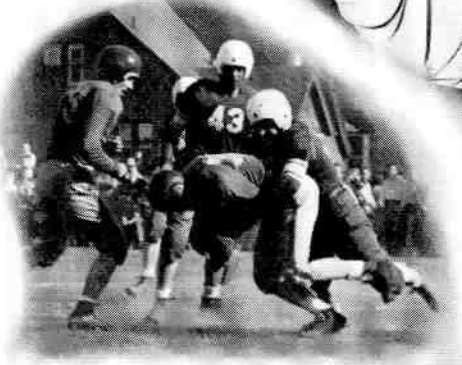
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