

# Glendale High School Explosion

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## Traditions Unite To Play Big Part in Glendale High's Student Life

Traditions at Glendale, as in nearly every school, play a very important role, and new students will learn the GHS traditions, which not only unite the classes, but give each student the feeling of belonging.

One of Glendale's oldest traditions is the annual Oratorical. Each October students prepare

### YWCA Welcomes Girls to Fun Fest

The Glendale YWCA will hold a "Y Welcome" for all girls interested in joining Y-Teens, September 30, from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Glendale YWCA.

Mrs. Zelma Bogue, mayor of the City of Glendale, will be made an honorary Y-Teen, highlighting the evening of fun and enjoyment. Refreshments, provided by the various Y-Teen clubs, will be served and entertainment will be provided.

Sophomores, juniors and seniors are all welcome to come and join in the festivities.

for this event. Each class selects a speaker and presents a tableau which symbolizes a highlight of the speech.

Class spirit is tested by the class song and yell leaders leading their respective classes in one song and two yells.

The Girls' Stunt Show, sponsored by Girls' League, is also traditional. Once again class competition is the highlight, as each class presents a skit and is later judged on spirit. Of course, a very important feature is the fact that no men are allowed.

The hallowed grounds of the Senior Glen have proved disastrous for many uniformed juniors or sophomores who have been caught on the premises during lunch period. Seniors feel this is their place and therefore anyone else must be eliminated. This is done by a thorough dunking of the intruder in the fish pond.

Speaking of fish ponds — Glendale's also put to use as a "going away present" for outgoing student body presidents. However, tradition has been somewhat broken with the addition of a swimming pool at Glendale. It seems this too is a likely spot for

dunking ex-presidents.

Last but not least is the GHS tower. It is truly one of the most traditional land marks at Glendale, as it symbolizes the spirit of the whole school.

### Counseling Office Welcome Pupils

Students counseling under the guidance of Miss Nyla Chapman, head counselor, is conducted in office 107 at GHS.

Each student enrolling in his sophomore year is assigned a counselor through his English class. This counselor will guide him through his three years at Glendale High and assist the student in any problems he may have.

"I wish to stress the importance of regular attendance, for 15 days absence during a semester are grounds for failure if the work is not made up." Miss Chapman said.

"Also, sophomores especially, listen to the bulletin carefully for opportunities to join clubs and other activities. Many clubs require only attendance to the first

## Record 2800 Students Enter Glendale High

This year 2800 students are enrolled at Glendale High School, the largest enrollment since 1928, when GHS was a four-year high school. When Glendale High was established in 1901 at the corner of Louise and Green Streets, the number of students in attendance was 29. The building which housed the school was a resort hotel. Glendale has come a long way since that beginning. In 1903 the school was moved to the corner of Broadway and Brand and served several communities.

Glendale Union High School was again transplanted in 1908, to what is now Central Park. Finally in 1924 GHS reached its present site, and by 1932 has evolved into what it is today. In the same year the word "union" was dropped from the name.

The largest class ever to enter Glendale High in its 58 year history is the Sophomore Class with 1086 students. The juniors number 939 and the seniors 775.

For the first time in the school's history there will be a double lunch period in addition to the double assembly, according to Mr. Harry Beck, boys' vice principal.

Twenty-eight teachers have joined the GHS faculty, which now numbers 117, and students will be glad to hear that more buses have been made available to handle the increased enrollment.

### Old, New Students Given Welcome By Principals Golder, Jackson, Beck

Principal Donald T. Golder welcomed all incoming sophomores and new transfer students this week with these words: "The administration, faculty, and your fellow students extend a hearty welcome to all new students of Glendale High School. There are many school activities and extra-curricular activities that you can participate in. We hope that you will take the opportunity of doing so, and that it will help you to have a more enjoyable time at school."

### Students Observe GHS Howdy Day

More than 1200 new students got the welcome mat Tuesday, according to Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, Girls' League adviser.

Purpose of the "Howdy Day" was to get the student body off to a friendly start.

Signs with "Howdy" printed on them were passed out to the first period classes.

Then, by tradition, everyone said "Howdy" to everyone else whether or not he knew him. Of course, this is supposed to last all year.

Another example of Howdy Day is the "Big Sister" duty. New students coming in are escorted through the day to their classes by the Girls' League members. This is to give the new students a feeling that they belong.

# Murray Grant Named Soph Adviser For Glendale High's Largest Class

Mr. Murray Grant, named Sophomore Class adviser, today expressed complete confidence in the future success of the largest class in Glendale High history. "I am looking forward to a good year, in fact to three good years," stated Mr. Grant. Although he has not had the opportunity of meeting many of the sophs, Mr. Grant said his impressions of those he had met are "very favorable."

He also made it clear he believes in teamwork and co-operation, and that success will be "a result of all the class members working together." The new adviser feels that participation and effort by everyone in the class will fulfill his desire that the Class of 1960 will be one of Glendale's best.

Mr. Grant is not new in student activities. He was faculty adviser for the Junior Statesmen for the past two years. He will also be a member of the counseling staff in Room 109 this year, and his interest in student activities has been evident for the three years he has been at Glendale.

To the various students who have been members of his United States and world history classes, he has also been an interesting teacher.

# Boys' Girls' League Open to All

Ready-made membership in Boys' and Girls' League is every Glendale High student's privilege upon entering the school. Purpose of the Boys' League is to encourage active participation of all boys in student body activities.

The purpose of Girls' League is to further the interest in social and philanthropic work and to en-

# Glendale High Student Government Under Leadership of Bill Dawson

Glendale High's student cabinet, back in session this week, has long been acclaimed as one of the school's most outstanding groups.

Lead by Bill Dawson, student body president, this group of representatives of every phase of campus life meets each morning, second period in room 111, under the guidance of Mr. Wallace Rankin.

## Post-Game Dance Set

Climaxing the El Monte football game will be an after-game dance featuring Dick Slavitt and his band.

Admission will be 25 cents per person. The dance, sponsored by Cabinet, will be held from about 10 p.m. to midnight in the Green Room of the girls' gym.

courage and stimulate girls' interest in one another. The motto of this organization in "Friendship, Loyalty, and Service."

Officers of Girls' League include the president, vice-president, program chairman, secretary, treasurer, decoration chairman, publicity chairman, social chairman, friendship chairman, regulated dress chairman, sophomore rep-

resentative, junior representative, senior representative, welfare chairman and philanthropic chairman.

The counseling officer also urged students to check with teachers as to their make-up nights after school.

If absent, students are advised to telephone the school and get back assignments so they will not be behind in their work on returning to school.

The cabinet consists of elected members, such as president; vice president; director of assemblies; secretary; comptroller; director of publicity; co-ordinator of fine arts; co-ordinator of speech arts; junior, senior, sophomore classes; and ROTC representative.

Also included are director of boys' athletics; director of girls' athletics; song leader (one of the six elected song leaders); co-ordinator of organizations; head yell leader; and director of student court.

Student court consists of three boys and two girls. Two boys and one girl are elected and they choose the remaining members. Their purpose is to decide whether a student is guilty of the charge against him and, if so, to punish him by taking away merits.

representative, junior representative, senior representative, welfare chairman and philanthropic chairman.

The sophomore representative for the first semester will be elected toward the end of the first week of school. Girls' League president is Kathy Murphy, and Boys' League president is Miles Haskin.

meeting and regular attendance to meetings thereafter for membership."

students in building school spirit to an all-time high. May all of you have a good year."

Mrs. Dorothy G. Jackson, vice-principal in charge of curriculum, invited all girls to take part in Girls' League activities during their school years at Glendale High.

There are many different kinds of activities in which each girl can participate, she said. Mrs. Jackson also welcomed all new students and hoped for a good year.

Mr. Harry Beck, vice-principal in charge of student relations, urged all students to get off to a good start in their classes and to keep their merit records high.

"We hope new students will show the spirit GHS is famous for, and that they will back their athletic teams by coming to the games and other athletic activities."

# ASB Card Prices Raised One Dollar

Increasing enrollment and rising costs have this year boosted the price of Glendale High School student body tickets from the usual \$3 to the new price of \$4.

"Student body tickets are the backbone of our extra-curricular program and it is vital that the majority of our students join," Bill Dawson, ASB president said today.

Nearly 130 admissions to athletic events are paid for with this ticket, not including many other activities such as dances. Last year 2300 students joined the student body out of 2400, one of the highest percentages of any high school in Southern California.



ON THE DEFENSE is Mr. Harry L. Beck, as Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, vice-principal in charge of curriculum, and Principal Donald T. Golder usher him into his new role as vice-principal of Glendale High. Mr. Beck replaces Mr. William B. Murphy, who is now principal of Hoover.

# Seniors Invite Sophs For Dip in Fish Pond

Oh you wouldn't, now don't dare step a foot in there! Such nerve, such thoughtlessness, such . . . such . . . and what's more, don't let anyone see you get near there!

Sound mean, cruel, puzzling? Have no fear, it's only a sweet,

## Harrison Retires After Long Career

Students and teachers both are starting this semester without one of the most popular teachers at Glendale, Mr. Arch P. Harrison, who retired during the summer vacation.

Most Glendaleites will not recognize this name, for most persons knew him as Pop.

Pop has seen 18 classes graduate from Glendale High in his long stay at the school. Prior to this he taught nine and one-half years at Wilson Junior High, making a total of 27 years in the district.

Pop has spent his last six summers taking Glendale students around the country. During their two month tours they traveled 12,000 miles by chartered bus. Needless to say these outings did not lessen Mr. Harrison's popularity.

Pop's place on the faculty will be filled by Mr. John Barends, who formerly taught history at Clark Junior High.

## Sophomores Given Helpful Pointers

Sophomores, beware — juniors and seniors are at large! A few

considerate warning from the future seniors. Well sophs, the mystery subject is the sacred Senior Glen.

The truth is that seniors take refuge each year in the glen. Tradition is that only seniors shall inhabit the glen during snack and lunch periods.

For the sake of those students who may have a while before their visit to the glen is permitted, a description may be needed.

### Sneak Peek for Sophs

Surrounded by a strong, secure, protective concrete wall lies a beautiful, crisp, green carpet. Bordered by beds of flowers, spots of shade are provided by overhanging branches of small trees. Within such a setting stand the cherished fountain and pond. This probably sounds a little poetic, foolish and exaggerated. Maybe it is, but if so, so are many seniors, for it has a great deal of meaning to them.

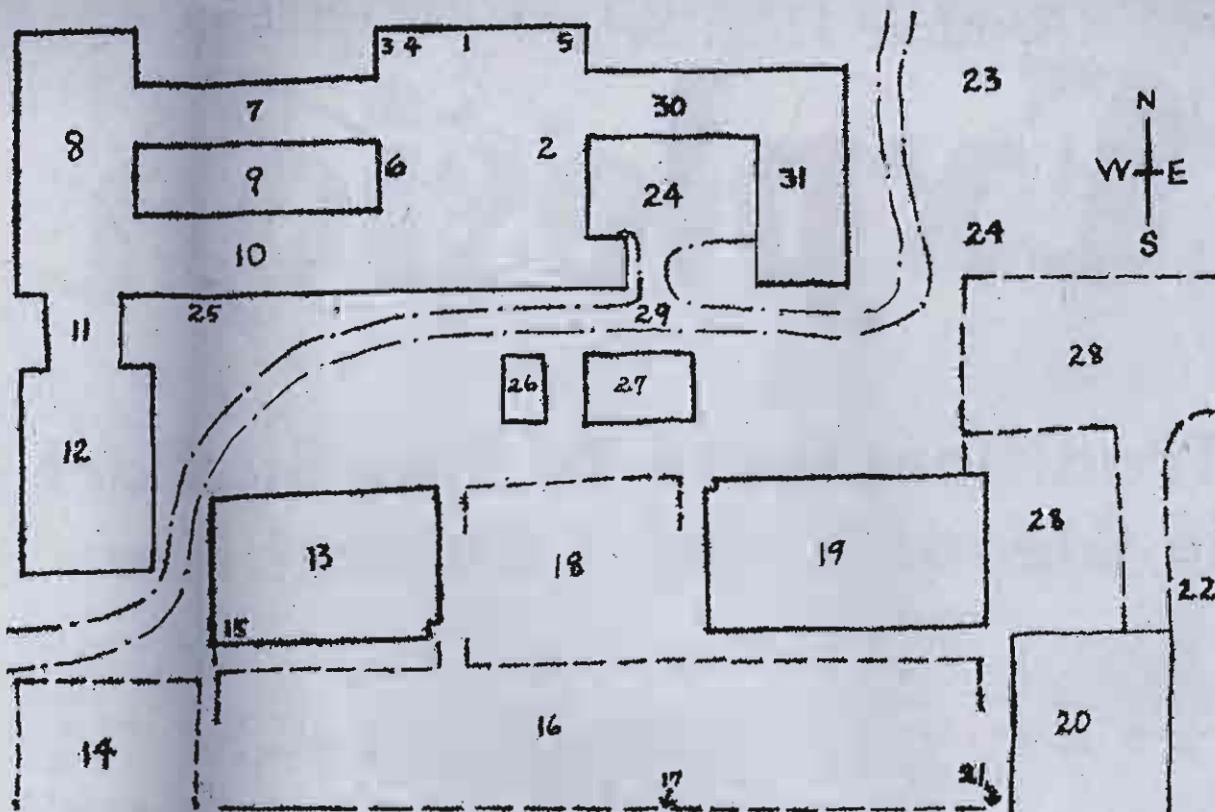
### Peace Destroyed

Ordinarily the glen is peaceful and quiet, gurgling with the muffled murmur of the upper class students. Once in a while, though, these peaceful brutes are aroused, bringing grounds to stage a native uprising. Now comes the much-heard-about "slaughter."

### Another Soph Bites Dust

Naturally, one or two curious, bug-eyed sophs chance to wander into the glen. Suddenly, as if by some magnetic force, the wanderer is drawn further into the glen, and then, alas-alas, into the pond! Ol' nasty, wet water! The seniors don't even have the courtesy to let their victim change into a bathing suit!

The glen is cherished by the



1. Main Entrance 2. Auditorium 3. Counseling offices 4. Attendance office 5. Administration 6. Nurse's office 16. North field 17. South field 18. Black top (site of swimming pool) 19. Boys' gym, rooms 600-699 20. ROTC, bleachers 21. Shops, room 700-799 22. Football field 23. Student parking 24. Faculty parking 25. Entrance 26. Lunch stand 28. Boys' gym play area 29. Moyses Boulevard 30. Junior Arcade 31. Science Building, rooms 300-399.

## Down to Earth With Sod

# Large Sophomore Class Enrolls To Serve Three Year 'Sentence'

Sophomores, this year will begin the most wonderful and memorable three years of your entire life. This is the year you start feeling the true meaning of fun and education.

Your first real thrill will be the annual Oratorical, presented each year by all the classes in competition. Your first Oratorical is the most inspirational moment of your short stay at Glendale. The self-control, silence, and the general stillness make for an impressive picture. *Spirit* plays the main role in this event. *Sportsmanship* is another very important

## Beck Moved Up To Murphy's Slot

The Explosion staff joins the entire Glendale High Student Body in congratulating Mr. William B. Murphy on his appointment as principal of Hoover High.

Mr. Murphy, formerly vice principal at Glendale, succeeds Mr. Robert O. Sprague, who resigned.

Additional recognition goes to Mr. Harry L. Beck who has been

to take.

**Senior Glen**

This obstacle is the root of your few troubles. Seniors are waiting to pounce on any unsuspecting sophomore. Seriously, this is a thing not to overlook unless, of course, you like a nice soggy swim . . . The rule is: Do not invade the glen at snack or lunch.

**Obliging Seniors**

Being cordial and helpful is the motto of upper classmen the first week of school, not that this is the only time; but here's a little clue. If you are lost, discouraged, and generally fatigued — don't ask an overly-eager senior; try a teacher.

**Cafeteria**

Apparently the only way to arrive with a lunch, all arms and legs accounted for, is to run to the cafeteria with all your might after the bell. Of course, you will get a meal, and a good one at that. But it will take time, so be patient.

**Parking Lot**

As you are backing into the curb and a hundred cars are pounding down on you, do you feel frustrated? Fortunately, a well organized system has been organized in which the ROTC helps with this problem. Follow these simple rules and surprisingly enough things will work themselves out.

If you, the sophomores, will obey and co-operate with these rules and regulations, the Classes of '58 and '59 will thank you.

# Glendale Merit System Explained

Merits are an important matter at Glendale High School. At the beginning of each school year 100 citizenship points are given to each student. Any serious offense may result in a loss of merits. These demerits will be noted on a student's record.

Students whose records fall below 85 merits will become ineligible for any school office, club office, athletic event or any other activity until they restore the

students, but can only be truly loved by the seniors who "know" it.

## Large Enrollment To Improve Spirit

**By Babette Kreitzer**

With a record number of student body members, Glendale High's school spirit should surpass all previous years during its 1957-58 season.

The traditional junior high colors of red—Roosevelt, blue—Wilson, and green—Clark will now blend together to form the glorious shades of red and black, the colors of GHS.

Glendale, being the largest school in the Foothill League, should have the spirit it will take to cheer our team to victory. With wholehearted support from the students, the team will be urged to the dazzling heights scaled by their predecessors.

Last year in student body elections Sue Barlow was elected head song leader. Aiding her will be Vicki Fliedner, Carol Green, Judianne Marshall, Ricky Blanchard, and Rene Romano.

In the noisier department Big John Sipple will act as head yell leader. The remainder of the trio consists of Dick Denny and Bob Johnson.

merits. Those whose merits are below 85 at the close of each semester are ineligible the following semester. Students whose merits fall below 90 will be called into the Student Court and will be warned.

Merits falling below 80 will require a conference between parents and one of the vice-principals. All students whose records fall below 70 will be placed on probation. Such probation will be main-

factor which every class must possess.

Four main dances take their place throughout the school year. The first is the Junior Prom, and the rest in order are the Cotton-Cord, which is the sophomore contribution, the Backward Dance, which is the girls' treat, and the ever-big Senior Prom.

Clubs and offices are wonderful to belong to, and the sophomore year is the best start for such a plan. It stands to reason that running for office in this first year will be to your advantage, as people will eventually get acquainted with you.

It's up to you, the Class of 1960, to build your class to the highest of your abilities and to make it the best class ever to attend Glendale High. Good luck, sophomores.

## Purchase of Card Smart Investment

Going to school at Glendale is not a hard grind, as some students would have others believe, but quite enjoyable.

A full calendar of events, including athletic contests, dances, assemblies, and plays supplies one with constant entertainment.

All of these are completely or partially dependent on funds coming from student body card sales. Without these cards school would be that often pictured torture.

tained until the person has achieved a merit record of 85 or better for a complete semester.

A total of 45 citizenship points can be earned by each student during his three years in high school. These 45 points can all be earned in one semester or throughout the three years. These points can be earned only to restore those lost. Means of restoring merits will be organized and controlled by the vice-president.

## Grades Stressed At Year's Start

We go to school to learn! Many persons might say this is an accepted fact, but it does not seem so.

In today's high schools, learning and the grades received as reward for effort and accomplishment sometimes lose their importance. The extra-curricular activities keep many potentially good students from making the grade.

The beginning of each year seems an appropriate time to consider these facts and decide individually what to do about them. Numerous plans have been suggested both by teachers and former students.

A student might work out his schedule allowing a certain amount of time for phone calls, dates, and meetings, with a definite daily period for study. Time devoted to each subject could be determined on its difficulty for the individual.

Another important factor in "making the grade" is getting the proper amount of rest and food. Studying until 2 a.m. with only a coffee pot for a friend is not only unnecessary, it is dangerous.

A third item is being at school whenever possible. Grades are often lowered and failures may result from excessive absence.

Beck previously worked as boys' counselor and assisted Mr. Roy Vujovich as a varsity football coach.

Mr. Beck came to Glendale High in 1955 after teaching at Fremont School for three years. He is a graduate of Glendale College and was a standout football player for San Jose State. He is also a top rugby player.

Mr. Gene Haas will fill Mr. Beck's shoes in counseling, while Mr. Ted Andrews takes up the coaching chores.

## Paper To Accept Letters to Editor

This year the Explosion will feature a letters-to-the-editor section. Purpose of this column, which will appear in each edition, is to give students a chance to be heard.

Letters will be accepted on any subject pertaining to school and will be published along with an answer if a reply is warranted. All entries should be placed in the red Explosion mail box in the book store. Writers must sign their letters, but names will be withheld by request.

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LEADING DYNAMITERS in the semester sports activities are the song leaders for this year. Left to right: Carol Green, Renie Romano, Ricky Blanchard, Sue Barlow, Vicki Fleidner, and Judianne Morshall. They will appear for the first time tonight at the Glendale-El Monte game.

## Nine GHS Song and Yell Leaders To Lead Students Through Season

Six songleaders and three yell leaders will be leading the student body for the football games, assemblies, and other numerous activities.

Elected last year at the end of the school semester, both the yell and song leaders have been working hard during the summer months to give Glendale some new routines.

Sue Barlow, head song leader, was active in her sophomore and junior year as Sophomore Class vice-president. She was princess on the sophomore court, and was in charge of the Cotton and Cord.

Ricky Blanchard, second head song leader, was princess in the junior court. Vicki Fleidner was junior representative in Girls' League and has helped on the junior and sophomore dances.

Carol Green was Sophomore Class yell leader and princess on the sophomore court. Judianne Marshall was on the sophomore court and was Sam Barry basketball queen in her junior year.

Rene Romano was secretary of the Sophomore Class, princess of the sophomore court, and Sam Barry princess.

John Sipple will be student body yell leader for the first semester.

## Annual Interclass Oratorical Contest Involves Speech, Tableaux, and Spirit

The interclass Oratorical contest, an institution peculiar to Glendale High School, is held during the first semester of each year, and preparations will get under way soon.

Bill Dawson, was awarded the trophy.

The Oratorical is 50 years old. Other opportunities for participation in public speaking are offered as extra-curricular activity.

This contest involves excellence in oratory, tableau and school spirit. On this occasion speakers representing the sophomores, juniors, and seniors, respectively, compete with one another in oratory.

## School Offers Many Courses

Courses offered at Glendale High are of a wide variety intended to fill as well as supplement the student's program. When in doubt the student should consult the handbook or his counselor. All art courses are elective. with

## CLUBS OPEN TO ENTIRE SOPH CLASS TO AID COMMUNITY, SPORTS WORK

Serving both community and school are GHS' many service clubs.

### SERVICE CLUBS

Civinettes and Civitans: These are individual groups: Civinettes is composed of girls, while Civitans is represented by boys. These groups promote fund-raising projects to help those in need in the community.

Glenettes: Girls who provide ushering for plays, musicals, and other performances given at school.

### SCHOLASTIC CLUBS

California Scholastic Federation: This club is open to any senior who has been a member of the Honor Society for four semesters. Other scholastic clubs are first, second, and third semester honor societies.

### STYLUS

Two main sections make up the stylus staff: photography and the editorial division.

These two branches of this organization are responsible for the coverage and editing of the Stylus, which is distributed at the close of each school year.

Representatives are chosen from each class to organize information and material for the year. Besides these representatives other sections and departments are necessary. Those included are editor-in-chief, laboratory assistant, boys' and girls' sports, recreational, and organizational sections.

Producing the Stylus is a hard job, but seemingly rewarding, not only to the staff, but the entire student body.

49'ers: This group of boys helps maintain the right procedure in the halls and on the campus. Other are the Red Cross and the Key Clubs, which also aid the community.

### SPORTS CLUBS

Many different sports opportunities are offered during the year.

Not only activities for boys are provided, but also a wide category of sports clubs for the girls. These are the swimming and diving clubs, dance, archery, softball and volleyball clubs, plus tennis and badminton clubs.

Following football, which is categorized as varsity, J.V., and Bee in order, comes every other type of sports for the boys. Included in these are basketball, track, baseball, cross country, tennis, and swimming.

## Twenty-eight New Teachers On Campus To Fill Vacancies for Absent Profs

The widespread teacher shortage was evident at GHS too until last week of summer. Coming to the rescue at the last minute for the print shop was Mr. Ed Harrington, graphic arts teacher.

Other additions to the teaching staff this year are Robert V. Alhauser, music; June Arford, home economics; John Barena, history; Barbara Caneday, English; Ruth Carruth, English; Richard Davis, health and safety; Jeanette Day, commerce; Carl J. Derksen, mechanical drawing; Donald Duncan, health and safety; and Eloise Edmonds, English.

Others include Merwyn Philippon, health and safety; Gerald T. Calhoun, Spanish and Latin; and...

is the basis on which the judging is done.

An announcement of the class winning the tableau and school spirit competition is made at the close of the assembly. A trophy is presented to the winning speaker. Last year, student body president,

## Attendance Office Holds Many Jobs

The attendance office at Glendale is an important office to everyone.

When a student has been absent he must present a written excuse from his parent or guardian giving the date of absence and the reason for it. If a student fails to present this excuse within three days after returning to school, the absence is counted unexcused and his parents are notified by the supervisor of attendance.

More than 15 days absence from school in one semester will result in a failure, except in the case of serious illness.

Any unexcused absence filed in attendance office will be considered cutting. A report of this cut will be made on the student's citizenship record.

After a student has been absent from school ten times, a form letter will be mailed from office 106 reminding the parents of the 15-day absence ruling.

The best way to avoid getting into trouble with the attendance office is to get to class on time unless otherwise excused, says Mr. Ted Andrews, attendance officer.

The attendance office, 106 is where students may find the locker key department. Locker keys, when lost or forgotten, may be rented for 5 cents a day. Also, lost articles may be claimed at the attendance lost and found.

Mr. Ted Andrews, Mrs. Ouida Rowbbins, and Mrs. Babel Ganz work in the attendance office to help students who may need them.

class work in the fine arts. Subjects vary from crafts, such as jewelry, to drawing and painting.

If a student's interests are in business, the Business Education Department is organized to offer a definite three year plan of work. Practical information courses can supply a fundamental knowledge of business which every student may use.

English is set in semester courses, with a requirement of four semester credits and senior composition suggested for those students planning to attend college. Dramatics is offered under the English Department and in some cases may be substituted for English.

Foreign languages, elective courses, are designed to provide entrance requirements for college and broaden the student's scope of interest.

Another elective department is Home Economics, open to all girls with subjects intended to help improve knowledge of home life in many forms. Cosmetology, both personal and vocational, is found under this department.

Mathematics Department courses are elective, but Algebra I and II and Geometry I and II are generally necessary for college. Boys interested in the mechanical arts will find a wide selection of courses covering prerequisites for engineering, vocational welding, etc.

Glendale's Music Department features instrumental as well as vocal classes, all on the elective basis. Students may enjoy such courses as music appreciation in this department.

Physical education is required of all students, but any types of courses are offered. Boys may enjoy regular gym ROTC, or swimming, while girls may choose from gym, Nitroettes, Sparklers, dance, or swimming.

One year of laboratory science list of courses for college-bound ics and chemistry are high on the list of courses fo crollege-bound students, but again many courses are offered.

Bob Johnson, second semester head yell leader, was the junior yell leader and has helped in the Class of '58 plans. Dick Denny is the only junior on the team.

Both the yell and song leaders believe that this will be the most successful year, with the help of the student body, of course.

## Local Bank Offers Practical Training

Shortage of money is a common problem in the lives of sophomores, juniors, and even seniors. With this in mind, Dynamiters can consider themselves lucky. Glendale High offers them the Student Bank; its services, that is.

This little room which does so much is located next to the teachers' boxes in room 140-A.

Funds of every organization are channeled through this organization. Mrs. Alma Hall is in charge.

Borrowing is permitted at the bank on the chance of gaining it back once more. Special functions especially deserve loans.

Practical experience for students is offered by the bank for Mrs. Hall's helpers. Treasurers from Cabinet and Girls' League are chosen for this help.

Hicks, history; Clifford W. Hooper, mechanical drawing; Grace House, mathematics; Walter Lauxen, mechanical arts; Charles B. Lebold, art; Matthew Lynaugh, health and safety.

Also Arthur Osterveen, Spanish; Margaret Petersen, mathematics; Ralph S. Wernle, mat, science, and Driver's training; Leslie A. Wood, English; Shane Wilson, English; and Louis E. Malenowski, mechanical drawing.

## Breakfast Served To Early Arrivers

There's something new in the food business at Glendale High this year: Breakfast!

The catch is that only students who live in La Crescenta-Montrose area get this special deal. It works like this: People who live in the designated areas can take the bus down to school and eat breakfast there.

The menu consists of a waffle, fruit juice, and hot chocolate, all for only 40 cents. A big eater can get ham and eggs extra.

The good ol' cafeteria and lunch stand will be open during snack and both lunch periods. They serve everything from frozen freezes to hot pizza, hamburgers, malts, soft drinks, cake, ice cream, and everything else fattening.

All seems good, but it's so good that you have to beat the "Battle of the Bulge" every day to get to the food.

If you're hungry enough you'll fight. It's the survival of the fittest or the hungriest.

But in all, it makes good eating for all. That's all.

## Fall Semester Sees New Time Schedule

Good things come in twos, and this year's schedule has proved just that.

Two lunch periods have been arranged, the first designated for approximately 700 sophomores, while the second is scheduled for the remainder of the school. The schedule is as follows:

First period	8:30-9:20
Second period	9:25-10:15
Snack	10:15-10:30
Third period	10:35-11:20
Activity period	11:25-11:50
1st Lunch	11:50-12:25
Fourth period (A)	11:55-12:50
Fourth period (B)	12:30-1:25
Second lunch	12:50-1:25
Fifth period	1:30-2:20
Sixth period	2:25-3:15

## Death Takes Former Teachers

Glendale's faculty reports to work this semester without two of its finest members, Mr. John S. (Jack) Gaines, and Mr. Russell T. Cripe.

Mr. Gaines died June 23 in the UCLA Medical Center Hospital of complications resulting from a brain tumor. Soon after, Mr. Cripe suffered a fatal heart attack.

Mr. Cripe, as juniors and seniors will remember, was a science teacher. But before that he was a highly successful coach, winning the CIF championship in both

football and in track in 1937. That team was led by All-American Frankie Albert, who now coaches the San Francisco 49'ers, and the famed Reinhard brothers.

Mr. Cripe was one of the finest athletes ever to graduate from Wabash College, Indiana, where he participated in football and basketball.

Later in his life Mr. Cripe officiated at football and basketball games for the PCC.

From 1942 through 1945 he was an intelligence officer with the

14th Air Force in the China-Burma-India Theatre.

Mr. Cripe left his widow, Josephine, his son Russell Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. Joanne Nicholayson, of Pacoima.

Mr. Gaines who had been in the Glendale Unified School District for 28 years, was formerly director of boys' athletics. He also had won the state amateur golf championship in 1925 and 1928 and coached varsity baseball and basketball.

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## Dynamiters Open '57 Football Season Tonight Against 'Light' Lion Varsity

Tonight at 8 o'clock on Moyses Field, Glendale's Dynamiters open their 1957 grid schedule against El Monte. Last year the fired-up Lions upset the Dynos, 13-6. Coach Bill Samarin's Lions placed third in the strong Pacific League although he had only five returning lettermen. This year presents a similar problem to Samarin, as he has only four returning lettermen, two on the first string. The Lions have an extremely fast, light team.

Heaviest players are lettermen Allen Modale, guard, and Rich Loken, 170-pound tackle, the heaviest man on the team. The line will be further strengthened by Bruce Snyder, a promising sophomore tackle.

Because of the team's lightness, El Monte will rely on a passing attack from the spread formation, with tailback Marvin Holmes, doing the throwing. Holmes threw for two touchdowns in the Lions' win last year. One was a 72-yard toss for their first score, and another came in the fourth quarter to clinch the game.

Holmes' brother, Curtice, last year was named to the All-Pacific League team and was named "player of the week" by the Los Angeles Times. Holmes will be backed up by another promising sophomore, Bill Gaydosh.

Coach Samarin is pointing to a fourth-place finish, and predicts that Whittier will finish first in the league, followed by Mark Kep-

## Mustang Gridders League Favorites

by Dick Kreck

Foothill League followers will have the opportunity to view one of the closet battles for the championship in many seasons. One glance around the league will pretty well size up this year's teams.

### MUIR

This year's edition of the Mustangs will be one of its best in years. Muir will have 12 lettermen returning this season, including two lettering players at each position in the backfield. The Mustangs will have outstanding backs in Dick Scott and George Williams. The only bad note at Muir is the need for several good linemen.

### HOOVER

Hoover will be much stronger this season because many boys, outstanding as Boos will be play-

## Glendale To Field 'Green Gridsters'

Sophomore varsity football candidates may have a better chance of making the squad than they've had previously.

According to Coach Ray Vujovich Glendale will field a "green team." This means that one of the biggest barriers for sophs, lack of experience, will not greatly decrease their chances.

A torrid battle is shaping up for the tailback position. The three hopefuls are Bob Hensler who was second man at this spot last year behind the incomparable Gordie Hess; Tim Rice, ex-JV tailback; and Bob Manscar, a transfer.

### Battle Rage for Top Spots

Other familiar faces on the practice field are Miles Haskin, back; John Brennen, tackle; Skip Hudson, linebacker; and Laddie Potts, end.

Barry Bottrell and Bill Jencks, both of whom played Bee football last year, are making strong bids for first-string berths.

Coach Vujovich tabs Muir to win the league crown, with Hoover as a possible dark horse.

### Bees Pose "Lighter" Side

On the "lighter" side Coach Leo Arranaga greeted a large array of prospective grid stars.

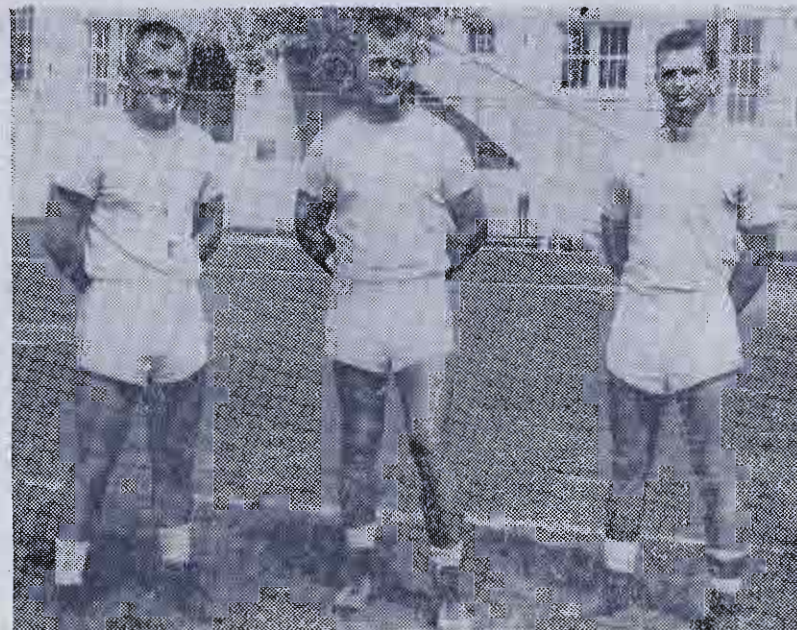
One of the most pleasant sights on the Blaster practice sod is the pin-point passing of last year's number one quarterback, Harold Coons.

Seeking the "honor" of accompanying Coons in the backfield are returning gridders Bob Hines, Steve Little, Ken Boone, Gary Logan, and Bob Serin.

Making strong bids for the line positions are Carl Forbes, Neal Hooker, Norm Nason, Gary Bratcher, and Bill Brostoff.

### Non-letterman Try Again

Returning members of last year's team who did not letter are lineman Ed Prono, Darrell Wright, Gary Nelson, Dick Danney, and



VARSITY FOOTBALL MENTORS Ted Andrews, Roy Vujovich, and Bill Gelsing slow down their 1957 plans long enough to have their "portrait" snapped for the Explosion.

## Head Grid Coach Vujovich Reveals Varied Athletic, Coaching Careers

As the 1957 football season dawns upon local fans, it calls to mind Glendale's fine varsity coach, Mr. Roy Vujovich.

Mr. Vujovich had his own athletic career before coming to Glendale. He played end for Garfield High School in Los Angeles on an "unsuccessful" football team. He also was a pole-vaulter and shot-putter on the track team.

Upon graduation, he attended

Chaffey J.C., where he played end for the college's 1948 Junior Rose Bowl team which defeated Cameron Aggie of Oklahoma, thus gaining the national JayCee title.

He also played end under Henry "Red" Sanders at UCLA on a team which had a 6-3 record. In the PCC track meet, he placed second in the pole-vault competition.

Mr. Vujovich started his coaching days at Harvard Military Academy as football and track mentor while doing graduate work at UCLA. In 1952, he came to Glendale and became head football coach, bringing a Foothill League championship to the school.

The popular coach rates the 1955 league championship as his biggest coaching thrill. The Nitros beat Hoover, 14-12, and then defeated Chaffey, 14-13. Their CIF play ended in a lose to Anaheim.

## Well, It's This Way

by Dick Kreck

WELCOME SOPHS! This week marks the beginning of what will be the most unforgettable experience in your life, high school. You will see unfold before your eyes an unbelievable amount of spirit and pure backing of the at-

ria, and Arcadia, in that order. Samarin is optimistic despite the loss of his offensive and defensive first teams from last year's squad. Last year, he performed one of the finest coaching jobs in the CIF-Southern Section, considering the player material available to him.

## Girls Join GAA For Sports, Fun

Girls' Athletic Association, known as the GAA, a special gym class held sixth period for girls interested in sports, is open to any girl with a grade of "B" or better in posture and gym.

GAA sports clubs are also held after school. Any girl may belong to one of these clubs, as long as she is regular in attendance. After-school clubs open to girls this semester are basketball, badminton, volleyball, swimming, diving, archery, dance, and Nitroettes.

Anyone who has belonged to GAA for three semesters may receive a letter and may belong to the "G" Club.

Some of the special activities of GAA will be two playdays held at GHS and other playdays held at other schools in Southern California, and the annual Mother-Daughter Installation Banquet.

In charge of GAA this year is Cece Lash, director of girls' athletics. Assisting her are Carol Gilbert, first vice-president; D. J. Tugby, second vice president; and Gretchen Clemmons, third vice president.

Other officers are sports manager, Sandra Barondess; basketball, Betty Broom; tennis, Carol Mason; dance, Carol McSween; badminton, Carolyn Johnson; volleyball, Sally Evans; swim, Sue Locke; assistant swim, Ursula Spilger; yell leaders, Ann Hendricks, Joan Henderson, and Sue Mariette; Nitroette, Regina In-sley; and past president, John Wahl.

Two outstanding prospects so far this year are full-back Don Workman and halfback Ralph Hollister. As is the general problem around the league, the Tornados will be a little green.

### GLENDALE

Biggest news at Glendale is the three-way battle being waged for the tailback slot. Bob Hensler, last year's second stringer behind Gordie Hess, will be trying to fight off Tim Bice, last year's JV tailback and Bob Manscar, a transfer. Because they have only seven returning lettermen, the Dynos will be very inexperienced.

### BURBANK

Although they are the defending champs, the Bulldogs are much weaker this season. Twenty-eight of 36 lettermen were graduated last June. As a result, Burbank's biggest weakness this year will be lack of experience and little depth.

### BURROUGHS

The Indians will be building an offense this year. Eight lettermen will be returning, but only one of the eight played any offense and he was a guard. The Indians will have a new mentor this season, Lee Shortenhouse, who will have to scout a new league.

### PASADENA

It appears that the bulldogs are going to have rough sledding again this season, although they will be pushing the rest of the league very hard.

Well, there it is, a Foothill League roundup. Anyway you look at it, it is going to be a great football season for the fans.

# LYNCH THE LIONS

Larry Edwards.

## Dyno Pigskinners Face Nine Games

### GRID SCHEDULE

- Sept. 20—El Monte (Bee) 3 p.m.
- Sept. 20—El Monte 8 p.m.
- Sept. 27—Santa Monica (JV)\*\* 3 p.m.
- Sept. 28—Santa Monica (Bee) 6 p.m.
- Sept. 28—Santa Monica 8 p.m.
- Oct. 3—Alhambra (Bee)\*½ 3 p.m.
- Oct. 4—Alhambra (JV)\*\* 2:45 p.m.
- Oct. 5—Alhambra 8 p.m.
- Oct. 10—California (Bee)\*\* 3 p.m.
- Oct. 11—California (JV)\*\* 3 p.m.
- Oct. 11—California 8 p.m.
- Oct. 17—Pasadena (JV) 3 p.m.
- \*Oct. 18—Pasadena (Bee)\*\* 6 p.m.
- \*Oct. 18—Pasadena\*\* 8 p.m.
- Oct. 24—Hoover (JV) 3 p.m.
- \*Oct. 25—Burrroughs (Bee) 6 p.m.
- \*Oct. 25—Burrroughs 8 p.m.
- Nov. 1—Burbank (JV)\*\* 3 p.m.
- \*Nov. 1—Burbank (Bee)\*\* 6 p.m.
- \*Nov. 1—Burbank 8 p.m.
- Nov. 7—Muir (JV) 3 p.m.
- \*Nov. 8—Muir (Bee)\*\* 6 p.m.
- \*Nov. 8—Muir\*\* 8 p.m.
- Nov. 15—Upland (JV)\*\* 2:45 p.m.
- \*Nov. 16—Hoover (Bee) 6 p.m.
- \*Nov. 16—Hoover 8 p.m.

\* Denotes league games

\*\* Denotes home games.

## Graf Greets X-Country Hopefuls

The Glendale High harriers, winners of Foothill League championships the past three years, will open the 1957 schedule with an intra-squad meet at Verdugo Park today.

Foothill League dual meets be-

gin October 11, and competition will continue each Friday through November 15.

Returning lettermen from the 1956 championship squad are Morris Brown, Stephen King, and Don Uhl.

Other candidates from the track squads of last spring are Bob Kumpe, Jerry Liebersbach, Joel Miller, Dennis Parrett, Charles Rea, Gerald Saulvester, Bill Thomas, Dan Tyler, Don Walsh, Reed Webb, Gorrett West, Gary Yuhl, and John Zennaiter.

Most students will remember, more than any other thing, the football games they attend. On a cool autumn night students flock to Moyse Field to take part in the excitement of a high school football game.

Undoubtedly Mr. Lon Graf will continue to produce victorious track teams as he has done for many years in the past. Maybe there will be another great sprinter like state champ Ken Overholser of last year's fame. In any event Glendale should still be able to wax Hoover.

Basketball runs a close second in drawing crowds. This year, as last, Glendale will be right in the thick of the Foothill League fight for first place. Such returning lettermen as Darrell Sutherland, Lewis Stoddard, George Beattie and many others should help the Nitros into the top spot.

Of course, once again, the coaching staff will look toward the incoming sophomores for athletic aid. Each year there is an outstanding sophomore.

Last year there was more than one. Darrell Sutherland made first-string varsity basketball and was one of the outstanding pitchers on the Glendale baseball team. Another outstanding player was Bob Hensler, who played basketball, football, and baseball.

So remember, sophs, without your help Glendale's teams may flounder. Participate in sports; and if you can't make the team, at least go to the contest and give the Dynamiters the moral support needed by any team.

## Girls' Gym Outfits To Turn Patriotic

Girls' gym classes will be patriotic this year, with seniors in red shorts, juniors in blue, and sophomores in white.

In the past the colors have been red, blue, and gold, but the gold shorts didn't hold up well enough, according to Mrs. Margaret Campbell, head of the Girls' Physical Education Department.

There is a great variety of courses offered, including badminton, archery, tennis, Nitroettes, Sparklers, swimming, dance, and regular gym.

"We believe we have a varied enough program so each girl can find an activity with which she is pleased," Mrs. Campbell said.

Many swimsuits were reported missing last year, and it is because of this that the physical education teachers are working on a new system for swimmers.

Sparklers, which is a training class for Nitroettes, will work on drills for next year and the half-time activities for the Glendale-Hoover games. Girls wishing further information should see Mrs. Campbell.

This year's sophomore girls' group is the largest girls' gym class in Glendale High history. Because of this, a new part-time teacher, Mrs. Beatrice Haig, has been added to the staff.