# New School Dedication Sunday



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# BIE Day Thursday

Business, Industry, and Education Day is set for next Thursday, November 9.

Representatives of local business and industry and members of the school administration will meet other representatives and join them in a morning visitation period at 8:30, visiting Plainville, Elnora, North Daviess, Odon, Montgomery, WCHS, and Barr-Reeve where lunch will be served.

A discussion from 3-4 will follow at WHS on problems of the various school systems.

A 6:30 banquet will be held in the cafeteria for approximately 400 persons, including Chamber of Commerce personnel and members of the school instructional staff. Speaker for the evening will be Mr. Clyde Gentry, a noted educator and lecturer of Crawfordsville, Indiana.



ENTERING the south east door of the new building on the Seventh Street side, one is greeted by a colorful and comfortable waiting lounge. The beautiful greenery accents the lounge chairs and table that is to be used by visitors.

Sunday afternoon will climax the building program, started some years before, as the new double unit high school building will be dedicated at 2 in a service in the gym.

Open house will follow the dedication from 3 to 5.

The program will be: Star-Spangled Banner.Band Pledge of Allegiance. . . Mike Loudon

Rev. Burl Shinkle Music for Ceremony . Band

Recognitions......

Supt. Roy S. Stuffle

Presentation of Building,
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Acceptance and Presentation
to WHS Chester Spillman,
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Acceptance and Service of

Dedication.David Hastings, Pres. School Board

Prayer of Dedication. . . . . Dr. Charles Tyler

Introduction of Speaker. . . Supt. Stuffle

Dedication Address. . . . . . . . . Robert Martin

Benediction. . . Rev. Shinkle
Student Council members
will be assisting with the
program and serving as guides
during the open house tours.

### **Building Statistics**

Among the many facilities not included in the various department accounts, but general to all, are: A total of 50 class rooms; 42 pupilteacher work, project, and conference areas; superintendent. principal, health, and physical education suites; activities office; study hall with adequate seating; laundry facilities for physical education department; five shower and dressing rooms; four concession areas; visitors waiting (Continued p 5, Col. 1)

# How Good Are Your Schools?

The dedication of the new school building Sunday will give an opportunity for a public answer to this year's National Education Week theme, "How Good Are Your Schools?" This event will open the week's activities for Washington High School.

In considering the theme we realize that few privileges have become so fundamental to a person as a good education. We have come a long way in this field since the days when Lincoln had to borrow books from his neighbor, and the time when the one room school house was the pride of prosperous communities.

Now we are reaping the fruit of this progress here with a new school building which has facilities for many courses. welcome additon. Preparation Many schools do no offer so many opportunities as they lack was completed and the pole adequate facilites. Usually, however, whith the set pace of was progress, students do receive an excellent education. As a Boonville game last week. matter of fact "excellent" does not express the right degree of comparison when our national level of education is compared with populous India or Red China and many other countries of the world.

If we take advantage of our unlimited educational opportunities and use them to the best of our ability, we may look foward to a pleasant, comfortable future.

When compared to citizens of one of the illiterate countries who can only look forward to lives of toil and manual labor, poverty, and discontentment, one can see just how very fortunate he is.

An education is open to all alike just for effort in study and a desire to succeed. How greatly blessed are Americans!

"TO BE ABLE to be caught up into the world of thought -that is educated." Edith Hamilton - Sat. Eve. Post

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### **New Courses** Give More Careers

This is a great year for WHS students as many new courses have been added making more career fields possi-

The industrial arts department has expanded the most, with five new courses added. This will enable the boys interested in the field to have a very good start on their college work. More and more are finding this a rewarding field.

The language department is now providing more study for students to face college entrance requirements better by adding French and German to the already established lang-C. D. Wittenmyer added greatly to the music and

## Legion Contributes Flag and Pole

A 60 foot flag pole has erected by the local Birch-wood post 12 of the American Legion at the west end of Hatchet Hollow. The Legion has also contributed a flag which has flown over the White House through the courtesy of Congressman John Meyers of this district.

The field has not had a flag for some years. It is a in place



art department.

Business majors are pleased to have business law, salesmanship, and Bookkeeping II to make a complete business career possible. Demands of industry and private enterprise are heavy for business majors who need to be versatile in all business applications.

Physical science and applied math have been added to the science and math depart-

In the future, other courses will be added, such as graphic arts and electronics, all of which help prepare the students for the vocations they will follow.

THE HUMAN MIND is our fundamental resource.

-- Pres. Kennedy

# New Classes And Classrooms Aid Study



STUDENTS like the in the new carrels for indivilibrary and more dual study concentration.

"We're starting out slowly, but the library will pick up as we go along," states Miss Mary Knowles, school librarian,

The first few weeks of school were spent in arranging the books and getting the file cards in order. Much work remains to be done, but with her helpers, the student librarians, things are getting done.

One of the many new additions to the library is the book return slot. This is located at the front desk and prevents returned books being mixed with other books.

There are three conference rooms that can be used for class and individual study on speeches and oral assignments. Miss Knowles has recently been using the room for explaining the use of the library to freshman classes.

For students who want more privacy, the library now has individual study carrels for this purpose.

In the future, a listening area for music appreciation and languages will be in use.

There are a workroom, a storage room and an office for Miss Knowles and her help-

The library within 12 days had: 9 sections practice rooms. Two storage of freshman classes taught rooms are provided on the lower library usage; 8 classes to level along with the band ofissued; 472 recorded books in instrument storage circulation and 27 teachers Nearby in unit B are the unito visit on the open house form and days for teachers.

### Music

Harmony, could well be the theme of the music department, with its new facilities.

The department consists of three divisons, instrumental, vocal, and a combination of music appreciation-theory instruction. Classrooms are adjacent to the auditorium on the first floor.

The vocal suite in rooms 13 and 14 has permanent risers for choral work, Regular classroom seating is provided with armed chairs for testing and writing. Other features are the choir office, storage closets, and robe storage room.

The newly formed music appreciation course is given in room 14. with Mr. Thomas Lewis as instructor. Twelve students are enrolled in the one-semester course with its counterpart, music theory, to follow next semester. The course is a very necessary college preparatory for music study. The students are curently studing the Baroque and early Classical era.

BAND IN NEW QUARTERS LAST YEAR

The 116 member band, directed by Mr. T. B. Pegler moved into its new room last year. This room, too has permanent opened for risers, a balcony overhead prostudents on October 9 and vides access to most of the 13 tour the library; 351 passes fice, music library, and three rooms. large instrument storage rooms.



Becky Bateman finds lab work easier in the new biology room.

### Science

Students in science classes have new and bigger room to work in as well as new equipment to aid them in their work.

A special projects center has been added and may be used by the entire department. Special equipment available in the center is an incubator. a freezer and a refrigerator.

Even if the sun does not shine plants will grow in the biology room, Special lighting equipment has been installed in the new growing area which furnish the ultra violet rays used by plants in growing.

New students' tables have recently been installed in the advanced biology room. Also three microscopes of medical school quality, eight binocular microscopes, and six student grade microscopes have been added to the new equipment.

Chemistry classes have the advantage of a combined laboratory and classroom this year. As of yet, the lab has not been used due to a delay in obtaining safety glasses for each student. A state law requires each student to wear protective glasses while working in the laboratory.

A preparation room has also been added to aid students.

INFORMATION on the science department will be continued in the next issue.



PRINCIPAL VICTOR DICANIO in his new office on the first floor, east side of the building.

Mr. Victor DiCanio recently attended the North Central Association Drive-In Conference. Washington High School was the honored host of this meeting, which included both junior and senior high schools.

The meeting took place at the local Elks Club with about 40 members from District 5 attending. Following a luncheon, proposed policies and criteria were studied, and suggestion's made. The meeting began at 10:30 and ended at 3 o'clock.

### WHS HOSTS CONFERENCE

"LET'S TALK SHOP" was the title of a guidance conference held October 18, in the new home economics room.

Representatives from four state colleges: Ball State, Indiana University, Indiana State University, and Purdue University invited guidance counselors from the schools in this area.

The purpose of the meeting was to give counselors information on how to apply, on admittance, and new courses offered at the college each represented.

THE TRUE BUSINESS of liberal education is greatness.

Pres. N. Pusey, Harvard



ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT, Mr. Ron Frette, is a very busy person with many details of the new building.

College Night To Be Wednesday

Approximately 200 juniors, seniors and their parents will attend the annual College Night next Wednesday.

Fourteen college and career school representatives will be introduced in the opening session in the cafeteria. Two 40 minute sessions will follow where students and their parents will learn about the different schools and their facilities.

Representatives from the following colleges will be present: DePauw University, University of Evansville, Indiana State University, Indiana



SUPT. ROY S. STUFFLE busily makes plans for National Education Week which starts with the building dedication this Sunday.

University, Oakland City College, Purdue University, Vincennes University, Lockyear's Business College, Vincennes Business College, United Electronics Laboratories, Sams Technical Institute, Inc., Indiana College of Business and Technology, Vincennes Beauty College, and Protestant Deaconess School of Nursing.

Student Council members will serve as hosts for this annual event.

EFTATION maketh a full man.



THE STAGE of the new auditorium was used for the first time by this year's senior class with their presentation of "Ghost Wanted." Jon Pitman (left) played the part of the ghost and Linda Baker, the maid.

STUDENT

TEACHER

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TRAINING

HERE



Physical Education Student teacher Miss Myra Verbal, is receiving on the job class training under Miss Evelyn Hilbert. A student of Indiana State University, Miss Verbal is majoring in physical education and has a minor in English. She will remain here until November 10 at which time whe returns to college to finish work on her degree in time for graduation next June.



"TRY TO TOUCH your head to your knee." That is what the girls physical education class is doing along with many other exercises to keep them "slim and trim."

Not only do they have exercises, but they also have soft ball games and tests, to be followed shortly by folk dancing and a bowling instruction class.

STATISTICS (from p 1 area; and maintenance work areas.

The building represents a total cost of \$2,591,934.44 with \$64,079.81 of moveable equipment. The building has a total floor area of 222,171 square feet.

MAKE IT SIX WINS, HATCHETS!

# Hatchets On Top 5 Wins; 4 Loses

Defeating the North Knox Warriors 22-13, the Hatchets won their fourth in a row and fifth for the season.

Due to the fog which covered Hatchet Hollow, the night was exceptional. After scoring twice in the first six minutes, the Warriors were halted. The Hatchets went ahead in the second quarter to take the lead and win.

Larry Wise scored first with a four yard run early in the second period.

Pat Dant scored the second touchdown as he made a splendid catch from Jim Hastings to complete a 26 yard pass.

The final TD was scored by Dave Cannon on a six yard play. The TD was Dave's eleventh for the season.

Rick Cosby kicked two extra points to account for 20 of the 22 points.

The final two points came on an 81 yard safety against North Knox. A Warrior took the ball from one of the backs and ran the wrong way to give the Hatchets the two points.

HATCHETS DROP TWO

After defeating the North Knox Warriors, the Hatchets dropped games to Vincennes and Boosville.

In the Alice game, the A division team beat the Hatchets 30-0. Although they fought throughout the game, the Hatchets could not force through the rugged Vincennes team.

Another blow was delivered



by the Boonville Pioneers. In the closing minutes, the pioneers crossed the goal line for the seven points needed to win. The Hatchets, with only one minute and thirty seconds to go, started a drive only to have the clock run out while on the two yard line.

Scoring in the contest was Dave Cannon on runs of 47 yards and 5 yards, and Bob Grow on a 3 yard plunge. Rick Cosby added the final points on 2 PAT. Tonight the Hatchets play their last game of the season against the Linton Miners on the Linton field.

SENIORS WIN INK-OVATION SUBSCRIPTION HONOR

The senior class has won the honor of having its name engraved on the Ink-Ovation trophy for having the highest percentage of subscriptions. The trophy has its place in the trophy case which will be moved to the new building soon.

DAWN ROSE, member of Ink-Ovation staff, won a season basketball ticket for the highest subscription sales.



### **TFACHERS** NEW



Mrs. Margaret Baker, one or the new teachers seen as one nears the English department, is from Folsomeville, a small town near Boonville. She graduated from Boonville High School where she was a member of the Glee Club and the Drama Club.

Following graduation, Mrs. Baker attended Oakland City College where she received an AB and an MS degree. While attending college, she was a member of APO, a dramatic club; and APG, a journalism club.

Mrs. Baker has taught English, Latin, and has had charge of the libraries in both the Elnora Montogomery and schools.

Mrs. Baker is teaching senior literature and enjoys working with seniors very much. She also is Jr. High librarian.

Mrs. Baker and her husband, a Ford salesman, attend the First Methodist Church and plan to remain in Washington.

In the future she would like to further her education in the German language.

VAUGHN. HISTORY AND HEALTH

Mr. William Vaughn, a native of Gauley Bridge, West Virginia has joined the teaching staff.

Mr. Vaughn, a physical education major at West Virginia Technological Institute, has previously taught three years in the North Knox school.

> Mr. Vaughn is teaching



Mr. Vaughn in Audio-visual room.

U. S. History and health here. During the year he will become a familiar person to sports fans as the head track coach and assistant coach of football and basketball. He is also the supervisor of the audio-visual department.

The department, adjacent to the library on the second floor, handles such teaching aids as films, projectors, and record players.

He sees that teachers have the proper equipment and that necessary maintenance storage are provided.

Mr. Vaughn plans now to move to Washington from his present home at Bicknell as soon as a suitable residence can be found.

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"I was not able to speak English until I was eight," states Mr. Otto Buchhorn who teaches German in high school and social studies in junior high this year.

Mr. Buchhorn was born in Georgetown, Texas, where most of the people spoke only in German. He first learned to speak English in school when he was eight years old. His family later moved to Illinois where he graduated from high school. Then he attended Oak-(Continued on p 7)

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### CONNAUGHTON'S

"THE MEN'S SHOP"

#### Economics Home



A VIEW of one corner of the home economics kitchen is shown above.

Food and its nutritional value is one of the main topics taught by Mrs. Hazel Gill and Mrs. Mary Scheid in home economics this year.

Four new class rooms are on the first floor in the southwest wing. Room number 6 is for textbook study. In the rear of this room are storage space and a combination dressing table and wash basin. To the right, is a sliding curtain which opens a room for practical nursing.

Across the hall and to the left in room 5 is sewing equipment, consisting of new tables and chairs, and two new sewing machines. Room 7 is the living room and laundry. The living room is furnished in shades of gold with the French Provincial furniture and a turquoise rug. The laundry room has space for a washer and dryer.

Next door in room 8 is the six unit kitchen with all new equipment. With the new equipment and space, classes can be conducted in an atmosphere more comparable to a regular home situation.

HOURS for the library are five days a week from 8:10 in the morning until 4 in the afternoon.

### Mathematics

MR. DONALD SCHWEIKARTH. new math instructor, is a graduate of Wadesville High School and received his BA degree at Evansville University.

Before coming here, he taught at Castle High School and was student teacher at Central High School in Evansville.

Subjects taught by Schweikarth general math and Algebra I.

He spends most of his time camping, traveling, enjoying photography. His wife is the former Jill Yates, a WHS graduate.

MR. BUCHHORN (from p 6)

land City College where he majored in social studies.

ment was at St. Peter's Lutheran School near Vincennes where he taught the upper four athletic teams, church organist, choir director, and youth leader.

Before coming to WHS, Mr. Buchhorn went back to school for a year to complete requirements to teach on the secondary level. He says he had not used his German for more than 30 years, but decided to teach because of the need for foreign language teachers.

Mr. Buchhorn is married and

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WILLIAMS DRUG STORE



has a daughter teaching at South Knox Junior High School and a son attending Murray State College in Kentucky.

Mr. Buchhorn is not a total stranger at WHS as he has been score keeper at many of the sectional basketball games. His last teaching assign- He is very pleased with his job and his classes.

EDUCATION is the ability grades, was coach for all the to listen to almost anything without losing your temper or your self-confidence.

Robert Frost-Reader's Digest





Pat says, "You don't have to be a big football star to look great in a sport coat from the Bell"

(But it HELPS!)

### StaffReceives International First TWO CONVOCATIONS NEXT WEEK

Looking with pride at the Quill and Scroll International First Place award given to Ink-Ovation for last year's publications are staff members (left to right) Jeff Mayhorn, business Manager: Melissa Leonard, photographer; and John Overbay, editor.

The top certificate pictured is also honor -- an Award of Merit

for a high level of performance in competition conducted by Eastern Indiana Journalism Day sponsored by Ball State University.

The three students pictured were on Ink-Ovation staff last year and contributed to the winning of the awards. They are in their second year of journalism.

The Quill and Scroll honor is presented to high school newspapers of substantial achievements. Quill and Scroll an international honor society for high school journalists who are in the upper third of their junior or senior class scholastically and have done outstanding work on the high school newspaper. WHS was granted its Quill and Scroll charter in 1952.

About 60 interested seniors have signed for the SAT tests with Mr. C. D. Wittenmyer, guidance counselor. The tests featured in Issue No. 3 will be given on Saturday, November 5, at either Vincennes University or Vincennes High School.





INK-OVATION staff will be present during Open House to explain steps of production.

FUTURE FARMERS PLACE SECOND IN DISTRICT CONTEST

The Future Farmers of America soil judging team, coached by Roger Williams. VoAg teacher, and consisting of Joe Kendall, Jerry Barber, Darrell Alford and Don Kendall won second place in the district FFA soil judging contest in Gibson County, Saturday, Octo-

Gibson County won by 10 points with a total of 512 points and the local FFA had 502 points. Jerry Barber was named second high individual in the contest.

The team competed in the state soil judging contest last Saturday.

OTHER departments will be

### EASY TERMS

RENTAL OWNERSHIP PLAN

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A Veteran's Day convocation will be given next Friday. Naval Captain Crisman from Crane NAD will be the guest speaker with Mike Loudon leading the salute to the flag and the band playing Star Spangled Banner. Two speech students give Veteran's will speeches.

A National Education Day convocation will be given Monday by class representatives Ruth Ann Dougherty, freshman; Kim Smith, sophomore; junior; Laurie Chickedantz, and Mike Loudon, senior.



(left to right) Roger Williams, Joe Kendall, Jerry Barber, Darrell Alford, and Don Kendall

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