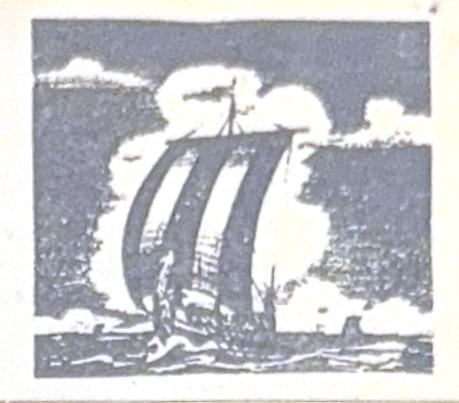
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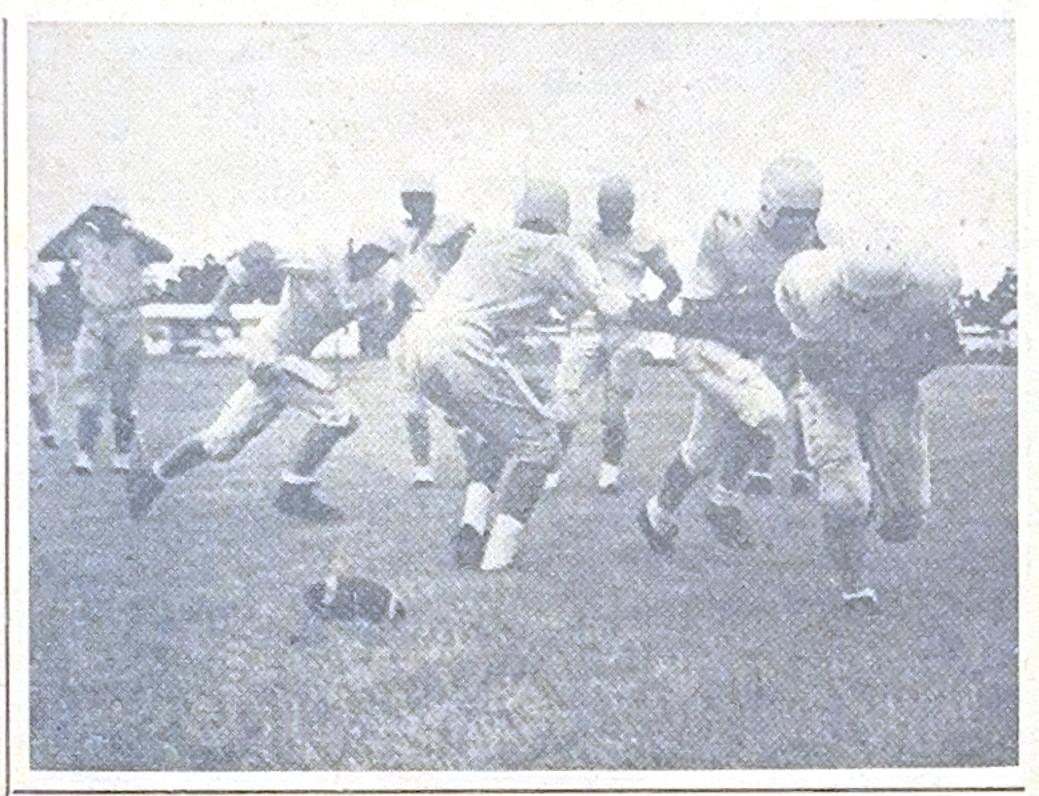
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Vikings Plot To Wash Out Spongers In Opener

VIKINGS IN ACTION



Plans Being Made for Voyage to Europe

historic, beautiful!! All these ing. words describe that lovely group of countries called Europe. But, can words describe the rides in the gondolas, down Venician canals, the quiet, pious atmosphere of the Cathedral of Notre Dame, the wealth of the French Riviera? Sound interesting? Read on dear friends, read on . . .

This tour can be for you. Twenty-five lucky students will have the opportunity to go to Europe! Mr. and Mrs. Sexton plan to leave St. Petersburg with these students in tow as soon as school gets out this summer. Just you can go to Europe. The cost most fortunate in losing only imagine—how would you like to for the twenty-five lucky students three men from their entire take this trip? from St. Pete to is \$1050-a mere fraction of an- squad. The Spongers are the only the head of the group will be your point of embarkation, climb other tour. This fee will cover all non-conference game we're Shirley Atkins, assisted by coaboard a beautiful, transoceanic meals, tips, hotel accommodations, scheduled to play; nevertheless, it leader Margie Shay. Other cheerliner, and you're off. First stop, fee, charges — everything! And will be an important victory leaders are Karolyn Bagg, Sandra merry old England - London. with the Sextons as your cha- against a strong team. Shakespeare's home; Warwick perones-Ooh! the fun you'll Castle. Then, off again, to Bel- have. Your reservation can be gium this time, seeing Bruges, obtained for a \$100 deposit. Ghent, the Hague, and Holland. Have you ever seen the way the Dutch dress? Quaint, similar to the way their ancestors dressed.

Have you ever wondered what Germany is like? You'll see, and how! You'll see Cologne, might be one of the "elite". travel down the Rhine along the

Europe! Fabulous, romantic, Black Forest . . . man, that's liv-

So many Floridians have never seen snow. The Swiss Alps have snow (at their peaks) all year round.

Then there's Italy-Milan, Venice, Rome-the Vatican. This is some trip. You'll climb (sideways) the Leaning Tower of Pisa.

Monaco—the city of Grace—the Grace! That's not the only French speaking land you'll visit either. Where did French originaté. France, of course! Gay Paree, the Eiffel Tower, Louvre, Versailles.

For further detail on this fabulous, glamorous vacation see Mr. Sexton, or contact Travel Consultants, 601 Rutland Building, St. Petersburg (ph. 7-6145). Honestly, kids, it's well worth looking into. Just think-YOU

YOU may go to Europe.

TARPON WON LAST YEAR

INEXPERIENCED VIKINGS MEET VETERAN SPONGERS ON STEWART FIELD AT 8 P.M.

Springs, on our home ground, in this and all our games. Stewart Field, tonight at 8:00 p.m. The cheerleaders will be jumping, the band will be playing, and the crowd yelling to cheer our beloved team to victory.

Debt Of Honor

The Tarpon Springs Spongers will be Viking bait tonight. We have a "debt of honor" to repay the Spongers, who had squeezing by with a 13-12 victory.

City Champs

The Spongers had an unusually successful season in 1955, winning nine games while losing only one. Northeast won four football contests, lost six, and captured the City Football Championship, an honor everyone expects our team to regain again this year. It was not a poor showing for Northeast, considering youth and inexperience.

Five Lettermen

The Vikings have five returning lettermen this year, including Butch Stewart, fullback, the only regular from last year; Bob Childress, halfback; Phil Gorley and Stan Neri, guards; and Jim This tour can be yours! Yes, Parrish, end. Tarpon Springs was

New Coaches

Loran Ward and Bob Kahler, the rose, alternates. head coach.

Kahler In Rose Bowl

ball player. We are lucky to have team to Victory!

Bang! The football season is on him and Coach Ward here to put with Northeast playing one of its their experience to good use in toughest opponents, Tarpon training the Vikings to be victors

Band Gives Support

Giving moral support to our hopeful Vikings is the band, with Mr. Eugene Beeman, faculty leader, and Captain Jack Miller. Their happy, victory inspiring music will be supplemented by our human jumping-jacks, the majorettes. They will be led by Gail Long, head majorette. Her cosome "real gone luck" last year, working girls include Deanne Hagan, Rochelle Sturm, Carol Ruppert, Rose Cruz, Mary O'Berry, Edith Teece, Peggy Vetter, Linda Stumpff, and our own mascot, Nancy Slusser. John Eddy will serve as drum major.

Vikettes Perform

The Vikettes, our girls' drill team, may perform during the halftime activities with the band. They have worked extremely hard to appear good. Under the sponsorship of Mrs. Melda Van Fleet and student captains Nancy Lackey and Missy Adcock, the girls will practice to become very outstanding this year.

"Rah-Rah" Girls

We fans will be in the grandstands, standing, shouting, yelling, cheering our team on, and we'll be led in our wild, victorious cheer by our "rah-rah girls," the cheerleaders. In the position at Creitz, Carol Curran, Barbara Kogerman, Shirley McClendon, Helping bring our boys to vic- and Barbara Wells, regulars, and tory are our new varsity coaches, Carley Freck and Barbara Mon-

Cheer For Victory

We want to see you—the guy Coach Kahler, a native Ne- with the pink shirt, red hair, and braskan, has played in the Rose red face, and you-the girl with Bowl, "the grand-daddy of all the the chartreuse dress, honey blond bowls," and has had four years hair, and lavender eyes,-and you, experience as a professional foot- and you, and you, cheering our

EDITORIALS

Various comments heard the past couple days ("Are you going to the game Thursday night?" "Northeast is sure to beat Tarpon for Stephenson or Eisenhower and why? This question was recently Springs!" and "The boys and coaches have surely worked hard in asked students of another high school. Would you have had an inpreparation for the coming game.") indicate that everyone is looking | telligent answer if it had been asked you? forward to and thinking about the big game tonight.

hard in preparation for the coming game," is surely no understatement. Every afternoon they practice several hours, and they suffer many aches, pains, cuts, and bruises. It takes a really hard-working, willing-to-suffer, brave boy to become a football player. The coaches, also, have a tremendous job and responsibility,

Our ten cheerleaders have truly done their share of practice in getting ready for the football season. Cheering is very strenuous work, therefore, the cheerleaders also suffer many aches and bruises.

Rehearsing many hours a day is our band, larger than ever this year, and our high-strutting majorettes. Perfecting their many routines is a job for students who have the "stick-with-it-until-perfect" ability, a characteristic which will always benefit them.

Credit from every angle should be extended to the drill team. Though they have been criticised severely, they continue to work extremely hard. I feel sure that this year we will all be proud of our girls' drill team.

The above remarks include many students . However, many of us have also been excluded. We must not really feel left out, because we, too, play an important part in the football season. It is up to us to support the football team, cheerleaders, band, majorettes, and the drill team. We should never sit in the stands and criticise because those students have worked as hard as they possibly could to put on a good show for us. Never forget that. To support them is our job. Let's make them as proud to claim us as we are to claim them!



SUNBEAMS TO

- .. Shirley Atkins and the other cheerleaders,
- .. The majorettes and our new head majorette, an answer. Gail Long.
- ... The football team who play their first game located outside C-5. This column is for you; use it!
- .. Anne Bradley, editor of the annual, and her fine

SHOWERS TO



... Tarpon Springs whom we play tonight. The students who don't attend the game tonight.



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If voting for the President of the United States, would you pre-

The presidential campaign is an extremely important issue, and The latter comment, "The boys and coaches have surely worked one in which each of us should take an interest. Many of us will actually be voting in the next election (1960), while the rest of us will have an opportunity to vote election after next.

> Every day the newspapers contain campaign news and issues. Only devoting several minutes a day to reading such articles would increase our knowledge of the election considerably. It will be our duty as citizens to not only vote, but to encourage others to vote and make them aware of the prominent issues and campaign platforms.

> Not only the presidential elections, but gubernatorial, senatorial, and representatives, county and city races also deserve our attention. Many of us will eventually enter politics, and nothing is more important than a good background knowledge of government

> An interest in politics and other world affairs shows that we are intelligent, well-read students. By displaying our knowledge, we represent our home, school, and community well.

Letter To The Readers

Dear Readers:

How can we improve the school paper without knowing what's wrong with it? We can't, so it's up to you to help us.

Take advantage of the "Letter to the Editor" column. Don't complain to your classmates about the faults of the paper, but write to the staff. If you want your letter published, it will be. However, if you don't want it published, it will be read and the suggestions put to good use.

The column is not devoted entirely to criticism of the paper, but also to the school, the faculty, and the students. If you feel you have a just complaint, let everyone know.

Also, the column is for praising-the hard work of the annual staff, the work of the Nor'easter staff, the helpfulness of the guidance staff, the co-operation of the teachers, or any other people or things you feel deserve special recognition.

If you have a question regarding some phase of school life which you would like answered, your letter will be published along with

You may place your letters or suggestions in the suggestion box

The Editor

Are You A Poet?

A literary column will appear regularly in the Nor'easter, Any student at Northeast may sub- what you can do today?" It may mit poems, essays and short mean the difference between life stories. Bring contributions to and death, or being paralyzed for Miss Christian in Room C-6.

Drummer Boy

Sling your straps over, Fasten them tight; Stretch out the calfskin, Springy and light.

Let a stick frolic A minute or so; Buck up your shoulders, lad-Seconds to go.

Rest the tips lightly, Lift them and then-Put your heart to it, boy-Drummer, begin!

-Ann Bradley

Don't Take A Chance

"Why put off until tomorrow the rest of your life.

Taking the Salk polio shots is an opportunity no one should miss. The United States Public Health Service has reported that in 1955 paralytic polio was cut by at least 80 per cent in vaccinated children as compared with those who had received no vaccine.

Only 25.4 per cent of those eligible in Pinellas County have taken advantage of the shots, and children from six months through nineteen years and all expectant mothers are eligible. August and September being the peak months of the polio season, it is urgent that shots be taken immediately.

The three shots, which are not at all painful, are given over a period of one year and may be obtained from the family's private doctor or the County Health Department,

Student Council Starts Operations

Thursday, September 20, 1956

The Student Council will go into operation soon with two goodsized lists to its credit: one of the past year's activities and one of tentative plans for the coming

Heading the list of activities of the past year is the organization of the point system which will be introduced this year. The system prevents students from neglecting school work by participating in too many extra-curricular activities and allows more students to hold positions of responsibility.

Another system organized was the homeroom point system, which provides competition among homerooms for the plaque awarded at the end of each school year.

Last year the Student Council again sponsored the hall monitor system. Monitors patroled the halls each lunch period to prevent students from running and making excessive noise.

was conducted which all clubs, boasting many new trimmings, present Linda Hobbs with the class, and student officers and but there is one addition of which emblem of our country, this cheerleaders were required to at- we may all be proud. It is the beautiful flag of the United tend. Also successful were the flag in the above picture. It was States of America, which is to spring carnival and the back-to- presented to Northeast by Mrs. be raised outside the main office."

dent council meetings.

A student council dence was held September 14, and plans this year include introduction of clubs assembly for freshmen and new students and the annual banquet honoring dean's list and honor roll students at the end of the school year.

Those at the head of the Council this year are Linda Hobbs, president; Jim Brickley, vice president; and Phyllis Wade, secretary. The treasurer has not yet been elected.

Freshmen Honored At Tea

Northeast's own Alma Mater at 11:00 p.m. presented to our new freshman turned out some good music for affair were Judy Akins, Phyllis ley, publicity. Wade, Linda Hobbs, Carolyn Appearing in the floorshow Alderson, Deanne Hagan, Ro- were Jackie Isaacs, Ken Stephens chelle Sturm, Wilma Young, Am- and Weyman Kessler, Sandra ber Little, Carol Kapocsi, Glen- Pellerin and Glenda Powers, and

Flag Presented To Ne-Hi By American Legion



Left to right: Jim Brickley, Rose Brissette, Mr. Sexton, Linda Hobbings, Mrs. Giddings.

Northeast Gladly Receives Flag

Northeast opened its doors this may be quoted as saying, "It is A successful leadership course year to many new students, and our great privilege and honor to

"September Swing" Draws Crowd

Well, gang, Ne Hi really started the year off with a bang!

Our first big event was the Student Council Dance, "September Swing," which was a big success. The Student Council really worked hard to make this event go over.

Best of all, the dance was free Just showing one's C.I.M. fees receipt admitted him.

High's gym on September 14, last sist of manipulation and a gener-Friday night. The doors opened at 8:00 p.m. and the dance ended

young students and their parents Carolyn Alderson and Sarah attended "The Wel-Kum Inn" Emery were co-chairmen for the get together from 2:30 to 4:30 dance. Other committees were p.m. Refreshments were served headed by Jimmy Wilson and under the planning of our Stu- Glenda Powers, decorations; Judy dent Council. Hostesses for the Harlow, floorshow; Shirley Mose-

da Powers, and Judy May. Judy Harlow, and Jim Miller.

J. S. Hockhouser and Mrs. L. N. The flag is the most revered The Council, sponsored by Mr. Gidings on behalf of the Ameri- symbol of our country; so on be-Thomas Rothchild, became affil- can Legion Auxiliary Commit- half of our principal, Mr. John iated with both the Florida and tee of Unit Fourteen. Mrs. Hock- Sexton, the officers and members National Associations of Student houser is chairman of the flag- of Student Council, and students Councils and sent representa- presentation committee and Mrs. of Northeast High School, we oftives to district and state stu- Gidings is Unit Fourteen's presi- fer our grateful and humble "Thank you!" to the American The officers of the organization Legion Auxiliary, Unit Fourteen.

Seniors Look For **Bright Future**

Seniors who do not plan to attend college after graduation high school. have a bright future. On September 24, the Florida State Employment Service will give the General Aptitude Test Battery otherwise known as the G.A.T.B.

The tests will be used in place-Our annual "get acquainted" ment of graduating seniors in dance was here in Northeast future jobs. The tests will conal written test.

> These tests were responsible to offer its youth?" for placing almost all of our

and interests. The Florida State facilities should be provided. Employment Service does most at Northeast.

Do as well as you can today, and perhaps tomorrow you may be Sciver. able to do better.

DCT Interview

With: Miss Alexander When: By appointment Where: DCT Office, C-5

What kind of jobs are open? You may train in the job of your choice. Who gets the job for you? Your DCT Coordinator, Miss Alexander, will find your job for you.

When is the interview? At a convenient time for you and the employer. What help do I have on the job? Your coordinator is responsible for all job adjustments. Your classwork and training from your employer helps you to learn on the job.

What is a DCT class? Studying about your particular job, how to hold a job, and business relations.

What is the average salary? In June, 1956 the average trainee was earning \$.819 per hour; some * more, some less.

What determines salary? DCT is for training, not making money. The more you know about your work, the more valuable you are to your boss.

Who can take diversified cooperative training? A student who can get along with people, is 16 years old or over, is interested in working, and is approved by the coordinator and administrative staff of Northeast High School.

What hours will I work? It depends on your job. Usually from approximately one to five-thirty each day; always a minimum of twenty hours a week.

What other classes will I take? All required subjects of the school and any other elective subjects of your choice. Requirements for graduation are the same for all students.

Can I go to college later? Yes. Your credit for DCT is three credits per year. It is an elective subject for juniors and seniors in

Times Conducts Interview

A Times reporter came to Northeast to interview six boys and six girls about the opportunities available in St. Petersburg. The question was stated, "Do you feel St. Petersburg has enough

Some of the answers were that and welcoming speeches were Harry Newell's Band surely seniors last year in present jobs. St. Petersburg had enough to of-After the tests are graded and fer, but enough people didn't on Sunday, September 16. The enjoyable listening and dancing, checked, students are called in take advantage of it. Other stuand counseled on their ability dents felt that more recreational

> The students asked this quesof the vocational guidance here tion were Carolyn Alderson, Wesley Amend, Lee Baynard, Mike Craft, Luise Doubleday, Jean Haeseker, Linda Hobbs, Judy May, Glenda Powers, Bob Rhodes, Stan Stattinger, and Steve Van

> > Their answers appeared in last Sunday's Times.

Ne-Hi Cheerleaders Anticipate Exciting Years



Back Row: Left to right: Margie Shay, Carol Curran, Shirley Atkins; Front row: Barbara Monrose, Barbara Wells, Sandra Creitz, Shirley McClendon, Karolyn Bagg, Carley Freck, Barbara Kogerman.

The things most people want to know about are usually none of their business.

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"Gosh, Bill, I'd love to, but how are we going to get there? You haven't a car."

Haven't you heard? There are going to be chartered buses like we had last year. All you have to do is pay Mr. Jenkins a week in advance and you get your seats. Now will Bill and you go?

"Surely, with Bill you've got yourself a date."

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Football Has

A Past

The crowd cheered as the ancient Roman players fought out a grueling 4-3 game. Football started there you know, in the days when amphitheaters were in the rage. Football was next played in Great Britain; for we have on record a mention of it in Firzstephen's "History of London," in 1175. It next entered America with a bang, where the first intercollegiate game was played in 1879, between Rutgers and Princeton. Then in 1883 at a roaring convention held by Princeton, systematic intercollegiate play was organized. Today, both amateur and professional games rank among the most popular spectator sports in America.

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Know What Football Is

Football consists of eleven players, two ends, two tackles, two guards, a center, quarterback, two halfbacks, and a fullback. It is played on a field 120 yards long counting the end zones. There is an offensive and defensive team.

The ball is snapped, kicked, and the game is on; the offensive team moves up the field in an attempt to reach the defensive goal line. while the defensive team tries to hold them back from it. The playing consists of a series of four downs. If the offensive does not make a first down in four downs the ball is taken over by the defensive. A smart team like the Vikings will usually kick on the fourth down to prevent the other team from taking the ball over where it is, while the punt or kick might set the defensive team 20-40 yards back. At this point the detensive team becomes the offensive and the game goes on as before. The ends catch passes, but that's not all. Many of you think of a tackle as just a big guy, but he must be fast and intelligent as well as big. The guard is the bulk of the line. The center is the anchor man of the line. The fullback and halfbacks do much of the running. The quarterback is the most important man on the team and directs it. We think Doug Hotalen will fill this need for us. See you at the game tonight!

Band Looks Good For '56

This year your band is bigger and better than ever. We have a total of 96 members and all of them are looking forward to a most prosperous and enjoyable year. We will participate at almost all the football games. Our purpose in attending these games is to cheer and support our team on to victory.

Rutgers, Columbia, and Yale, systematic intercollegiate play was organized. Today both conse

Congratulations to all of the new band members. They will surely try to live up to traditions and standards set in the past two years.

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Between The Bookworms

Are you having a slump in your personality problems? Well, if you are, here are just e few books that should help you to get back on the right foot. "On Being a Real Person" by Fosdick, tells of such things as shouldering reponsibilities for ourselves; using all there is in us; and mastering depression and the principle of self-acceptance. "Your Dating Days," by Landis, discusses the personal problems of teen-agers in family living, courtship and marriage. Other books with good tips are: "How to Improve Your Fersonality," by Newton; "What's Your P. Q.," by Daly; and "Your Manners are Showing," by Betz.

For the girls who are interested in romance, here are just a few of the love stories that are in the I brary: "Double Date," by Du Jardin, is just just one of the popular series of books on the Howard twins, Penny and Pam. In this book, vivacious Pam, and serious, quiet Penny, start high school in a new town and discover, through a year of fun, boys, and school activities, that being one's self is better and much more fun. "Stub, a College Romance," by Bro, tells about Stub Larsen's freshman year at college which is complicated by girls, romance, bull sessions, world problems, and family problems. How Stub goes about solving these problems makes an interesting book. Other books which might catch you interest are: "Going on Sixteen," by Cavanna; "Come be My Love," by Davis; "Big Doc's Girl," by Medeares.

For the boys who like adventure we also have adventurous books. Some of these are: "Road Race," by Harkins, which tells about Dave Neil, a sixteen year old high school student in a small New York town, who eventually turns his efforts from a witless showingness and defiance of the law, to a safer, more organized means. But this is not easy. Dave has to go back to the dare-deviling of Max Werner and the Hot Rod Club. You will find all this and more in this exciting book. "Go, Team, Go," by Tunis, is a thrilling story of a basketball team and how they were disqualified from a crucial game by charges of gambling. But everything works out for the best because the B team proves their ability and brings victory to the school.

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NE-HI-NOTABLES





Linda Hobbs

sentence heard from Linda Hobbs, president of Student Council.

It seems that Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs celebrated their Fourth of July by having Linda enter the world as their fire works.

This fireworks has plenty of spark, too, since she is also a member of Civanettes in addition to carrying a heavy schedule of English IV, home economics, physics, trigonometry and Spanish II.

Linda will more than spark when you set fried shrimp or play the record, "True Love" before her.

She simply explodes when boats are mentioned and loves being a true mariner.

The expression, "I think I'll just die" is a good way to identify her. But her 5'51/2" height, hazel (Continued in Col. 4)

(Continued from Page 5 Col. 2) Showing lots of good old school spirit, Butch's opinion of Northeast is that Ne-Hi is great!

And that is just what we of Ne Hi think of you, Butch Stewart!

Lee Baynard

"The meeting will come to or- July twelfth was the bang-up der." This will be a familiar day for the Baynard's since it was Lee's day of reckoning.

Lee would only say his most picture and a girl. Just ask him plosive. all about it.

This fireball picked red as his favorite color and also thinks orchids should go to food and life, while onions should go to brussel sprouts.

"Control your emotions," is a common expression, while his hobby is photography. Other activities include Student Council, Junior Exchange, and National Honor Society; he's also a member of the tennis team.

Brown hair, brown eyes, six feet tall, and a hard schedule of English IV, Current World Affairs, world history, trigonometry, and physics will identify one of the fine boys who thinks "Northeast is just the best, most terrific and great!"

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Directly Across from High School

Club, published a literary magazine, "Soundings". This is an annual magazine of creative writing containing poems, short stories, and essays. Prizes are awarded in each division. Last year was the first year of this

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Last term the English Depart-

ment, through the classes and

with the help of the journalism

classes and the Creative Writing

publication, but it achieved the All Florida Rating, which is the highest award that can be received. We should all recognize the

English Department as a main body of a school. It is designed to make each and every person know about our literature and grammar so that when we "step out into the world," we will become better citizens.

"I'm worried, doctor. He hasn't moaned or complained once!"

(Continued from Col. 2)

embarrassing moment was in the eyes, and her favorite color blue seventh grade and dealt with a will also help identify this ex-

> Ask what she likes and she'll probably reply, "All kinds of music, football, singing, swimming, and a Junior College freshman."

> But she'll shake her finger at uncooperative people, and those who don't attend Northeast activities. She also frowns on mosquitoes, spiders, and folks who gossip.

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Meet The Freshmen

Do you remember reading in the August 6, 1954, Collier's an article about a boy golfer who was attracting national recognition? This sun tanned blond is now a Viking. Bruce Haskell has won such titles as National Pee-Wee Champion, West Coast Junior Champion, Suncoast Junior Champion, Middle Florida Junior Champion at Sebring, and St. Petersburg Junior Champion. Not only has he won youth championships, but he was runner-up in the Sunset Men's Tournament here, shooting a score of 74. He accomplished all this in just the year of 1956.

dent of the Lealman Student Council last year, as well as his home room in seventh grade and secretary in the eighth.

Rizzuto, Mickey Mantle, or Yogi Berra make friends with Bruce! He plays golf with them all.

Bruce is not only a good athlete but makes A and B grades and enjoys dancing and music.

He is happy at Northeast and thinks that it has an excellent faculty.

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Ne-Hi Welcomes Exchange Teacher



Mrs. Whittier

Northeast has received the services of several new teachers This outstanding boy was Presi- this year, but perhaps the most unusual of these is the woman who presides over classes in room school representative for the In- C-11. This charming, vivacious dependent. He was president of person is Mrs. Joan Whittaker, and she hails from "merry old England." She's an all-around teacher, too, having taught just If you would like to meet Phil about every subject. Here at

part of Mrs. Whittaker's life, trict secretary and treasurer, Also Some of the many activities the During the war, she worked two last year the State Convention boys participated in for the past years in a refugee camp. But, was held right here in our own two years include assisting in the on the brighter side of her life, city. Can't you just imagine 400 City Wide Clean-Up Campaign, her out of school time is taken girls all interested in some field up by her husband Leslie (who's of medicine, all getting together in Ann Arbor, Michigan) and her at one place? This place was our hobbies, cooking, playing hockey and tennis (each in season), coaching net ball, and collecting Chinese paintings. (The life of an English teacher is full, and must be more than interesting.)

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KLUB KORNER

Well, here I am again!

I thought that I would select two This year, the crew will be clubs and tell you of their past, headed by the president, Amber future, and of their officers for Little and the vice-president, Bilthis year. I am hoping this will lie Louise Coddington. The other help you in choosing the club officers of the crew are: secretary, which would most satisfy your Martha Hays; treasurer, Judy interests.

One of our many active and use- and historian, Deanna Jones. This ful girls clubs, is the "Future year there will be a board of dir-Nurses of America. The Future ectors with a representative from Nurses Club was organized the each grade. The schedule for the first year of our school with the crew this year, is about the same help of Mrs. Walters, who was as the past two years with a few the school nurse. During the Fu- new things added. At each meetture Nurses first voyage, there ing there will be a speaker and were many storms, but the strong this year there will also be a crew weathered them all.

club has undertaken many pro- pin. jects and each one has been suc- The Future Nurses would like cessful. The girls have worked to extend an invitation for you at Mound Park Hospital and the to join their Club if you are in Community Day Nursery. The any way interested in medicine. club also sold Tuberculosis Seals One of the very active boys at Christmas time and helped in club is the "Hi-Y." The Hi-Y Club the Annual Orange Day Sale.

Northeast she's teaching World honor of serving as the host throughout the school and com-History and-you guessed it- school to the District Convention munity; high standards of Christ-English. She attended colleges at which was held in the Mound ian character. Liverpool and Manchester, and Park Auditorium. At this Con- The platform of "Hi-Y" is clean has her Bachelor of Arts degree. vention, Miss Amber Little, from speech, clean sportsmanship. Of course teaching is only a our school, was chosen to be dis- scholarship and clean living. very own Juniors College.

> a speaker who is in some field of medicine, such as a doctor, a nurse, a stewardess, and a lab technician. Each of these speakers to Camp Ma-Wi-An. The boys

tells about his own work and Since there isn't any club news, some of his experiences.

Turner; chaplain, Ellen Van Nest, point system so that each girl During the past two years, the will have a chance to earn a state

was organized two years ago to Last year, the club had the create, maintain and extend

supporting the Polio Drive, sending baskets to needy families at Thanksgiving and Christmas. The Club also holds an annual Turkey At each club meeting there is Trot for the whole school. Last year, through the sale of nuts and bolts and bake sales, the Hi-Y Club earned sufficient money to enable some of its members to go also helped to secure the foundation for a new camp building.

This year, the boys are planning a busy schedule packed with many activities. If you boys are interested in joining a very active club, I would recommend the Hi-Y Club.

I hope that this will help you choose the right club. I hope you will enjoy your club, no matter which one you choose.

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The Loud Mouth

Turn up your hearing aid nates. The loud mouth column s getting underway. Please help out by dropping all choicy tid bits in the gossip box outside C-5 during school.

You might see Mr. Sharpe's dog Missy wandering in the hall these days. She has just returned home from her summer vacation in West Virginia .

Miss Butler changed her name to Mrs. Hoffman while in New York this summer. Other females planning to take to the center aisle are Betty Henry, Pat Thomas, and Aideen Padgett.

There are a few Viking mates going together. They're Edith Teece and Joe Dill, Judy Akins and Larry Hawkins, Terry Reichelderfer and Eddie Stinson, Sue Akins and Mike Reed, But wait, what's this that's goin'around about a preacher, Sue?

Jackie Isaacs decided against New York and is back for the school year.

Ask Glenda Powers, Sandra Harlow, and Shirley Moseley about their four great days on the of Future Teachers, Red Cross, Suwannee and something about five seats. Was there anything floating down the river that scar- ing the list is twirling, which has ed ya kids?

Barbara Wells shorts ripped one day at cheerleading practice this summer. Sandy Creitz had a towel in her car, so it ended up by to attend Florida Southern or Shirley Atkins giving Barbara her shorts and then wrapping the towel around herself. What reer, Gail. (Continued next column)

records, and get the lastest hit, a complete line of hi fi and hit 2435-5th Avenue North which has to the Skyway Record Shop at "Flying Saucer" and fly down "My prayer" is to hop in my

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Gail Long

Northeast.

Gail has a very busy schedule which includes band, shorthand, English, public speaking, and psychology. Also her many activities Pellerin, Joan Puryear, Judy include church work, Keyettes, National Honor Society, president and treasurer of the senior class.

> She has many likes, but headbrought her the position of head majorette. Her main dislike is

As for the future, Gail plans Junior College and become a barrassing one. teacher. We all hope you will be happy and successful in your ca-

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watched for a while. Was any- of luck to a well deserving girl. one embarrassed?

Girls! Here's some handy tid "dn 11 diy, of Sujos wil pur ply bits. Buy the boy of your choice ulynoT vanoH', a m'I "livod some arale socks and knit Aont out used and in the toes. When the -əq .,[00] əuL,, w.I ., aw sənor romance ends be an Indian-giver, ələqi dn Apoqəwog,, ji alləl ilim take them back, stuff them and

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Shirley Atkins

Gail Long. Head Majorette, Shirley Atkins, who was born to Northeast"; may your stay made her presence known in Ak- October 12, 1939, in Peoria, Illi- here be as pleasant as it is for us ron, Ohio, on November 14, 1939. nois. Since moving to St. Peters- to have you." She and her family moved here burg, Shirley has attended St. nine years ago. She then attended Paul's, Mirror Lake Junior High, Pinellas Park Elementary School, and now Northeast. She is a mem-Lealman Junior High, and now, ber of the Viking Talent Club and president of the Anchor Club. during our first year was Bob's Shirley has been a cheerleader for five years, her favorite cheer being "Red Hot."

Her likes include the latest in records, of which her favorite is "True Love", night swimming at Sunset Country Club, the movie, "Seven Year Itch", dancing, and soon-to-be paratrooper. Her only dislike is freshmen girls who wear earrings.

Being chosen as the Northeast homework, which is something we head cheerleader was her most all have to force ourselves to do. exciting moment, and being forced to wear a towel to cheerlead- ple and people who wear their ing practice was her most em-

will find Shirley in American ida. Best of luck and success to government, physical science, a really swell guy. Senior Social Studies, English IV, and journalism.

Future plans include going to do you suppose happens? A nice Florida State University and then little man in a gray Plymouth and becoming an airline stewardess X on his license drove up and for Pan-American Airline's. Best

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When asked for a contrast between English and American students, Mrs. Whittaker said that Northeast is similar to the newer English schools, but that she can't get over how attractive are the American girls. She remarked she can sit all day and look at them. In her homeland, girls wear no make-up in school and must wear uniforms. (It must be . . . well, different, to say the least.)

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Mrs. Whittaker likes Northeast, and thanks our teachers and principal for being so kind to her. She says she's grateful to us all for being so helpful. Well, to you Mrs. Whittaker, from all the students and teachers of our wonder-Introducing head cheerleader ful high school, we say "Welcome

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Defeating Jefferson in football most exciting event.

Of Northeast, Bob says, "I think just because we were rated eighth in the conference doesn't mean we're going to have a bad season. We'll do well this season, because we have two coaches that know their stuff!"

"My Little Angel" and "Forever Darling" are Bob's favorite songs, while Tony Martin and Eddie Fisher are his favorite singers.

Dislikes include conceited peocollars up and smoke.

Following graduation Bob plans On a typical senior day you to attend the University of Flor-

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The hard work of a track coach and the elbow grease of many students resulted in the Stewart Field track which Vikings will use later in the year.

Coach Frank Philpot, now assistant track coach of the University of Florida, was personally responsible for the construction of the track in 1939, while SPHS students helped build it.

The track, one of the best in Florida, was the scene of many a state track meet before Gaines-ville was chosen as the permanent site.

Stewart Field was in its glory during the war years when football was the only entertainment for many of the town's citizens.

It was in 1943 that the arena, with a capacity of 7800, stretched at the seams one night with a record crowd of 8700.

The field, which has an interesting past, also has a present that is not so wel known. Much work goes on "backstage" to prepare the field for the football season and to keep it in trim condition.

"Stage manager" Walter Haas, who has a year-round job, puts in about 44 hours of work each week taking care of the field.

He's saved the headache of planting grass seed each year, because the field is covered with a green carpet of Bahia grass, a variety that reseeds itself.

The turf is cut with a machine that looks somewhat like a large economy-size power mower and watered with a pipe system and two large sprinklers.

A sample list of his duties include: checking bleachers and replacing loose boards, marking the field with 50 pounds of marble dust for each game, edging around the curbings, straightening the goalposts, and spraying weeds with weed killer.

On game night, Mr. Haas is usually the first to arrive and the last to leave. He turns on the lights, opens the ticket office and sets up the scorer's equipment, and, being an avid sports fan, has a keen interest in the game.

The suntanned, congenial caretaker, with a family of three girls and a boy, and wife who operates a Central Avenue beauty shop, has a busy life indeed. He plays an important part in the Stewart Field story.

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Class advisors at Northeast are as follows: Mr. Clinebell and Mrs. Evans, senior class; Mr. Dardenne and Mrs. Adams, junior class; Mr. Morgan and Mrs. Robinson, sophomore class.

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Advice To The Lovelorn Dear Miss Rilly Proper

This column is published for the sake of all the teenagers who have problems. Miss Proper will acknowledge all letters with personal interest.

If you have a special problem that has been bothering you, send it in to Miss Rilly Proper, via the gossip box in front of room C-5. Dear Miss Proper,

My best friend's boyfriend likes me and I like him. We don't know how to tell her, and not have her hate us both. Please tell us how to solve our problem.—Confused.

Dear Confused,

If your friend is a true friend she will forgive both you and the boy. She should remember that fate falls in the wrong direction and it is no ones fault that you and the boy like each other.

The boy should explain to the girl that he feels he should tell her in all fairness. This friend should understand.

Miss Proper

Dear Miss Proper,

I was embarrassed when my mother walked into the room and my date said nothing to her or made no move toward getting up. How can I get the boy to acknowledge my parents when they enter the room.—Embarrassed.

Dear Embarrassed,

It is obvious that the boy doesn't realize that he should treat a girl's parents with much respect.

Sometime when you're with this boy casually mention that you think it is too bad some boys don't know to stand up the first time the Mom or Dad enters the room.

Maybe he is just shy. In this case explain to Mom and maybe she can make the forward move the first few meetings.

Miss Proper

This Is A Wide Wide World

Kids, it's finally going to happen! Yep, I'm talking about threedimensional stamps! Next month you'll need special glasses to appreciate them, but it should be worthwhile.

Then there was the lady in Dallas, Texas, who wanted a new dress for a command appearance, so she stole the article of clothing she wanted. As for the command appearance—she had to appear in court, where she was to be tried for theft! Ink-adentally, she got two four-year terms!

Who was it who said, "I love those broadening trips — you know, the ones at midnight to the refrigerator!"

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(Continued from Page 8 Col. 4) curricular activities for he thinks that they make school a lot more fun.

Bruce has not made up his mind yet whether he wants to be a professional golfer, or be a lawyer, or an engineer.

If you come across a boy in the hall swinging his books like a golf club, you'll know it's Bruce Haskel, and he isn't crazy.

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