EXPLORER WILL HOLD "COKE DANCE"

VISION AND HEARING TESTS ADMINISTERED

Vision and hearing screening was done at LaSalle during the week of February 14. All health classes were screened. A new approach was made using group equipment which allowed an entire class to be tested at one time, "The students seemed to enjoy this method," said Miss Shellenberger, the school nurse.

April 11. All juniors, faculty and staff March 10. will be tested at that time. Representatives from the Tuberculosis Association will be at LaSalle to conduct the tests.

The school nurse, Miss Shellenberger, feels that "these screening tests are important to detect health problems that might go unnoticed for months or even years.

Finance Conference Held At Notre Dame

Last Tuesday Marcia Katz and dents and adults. Ann Shelley attended a conference sponstudents know what kind of Financial The Saints Come Marching In." Aid is available to them. Marcia and introduced.

Education and Labor Committee.

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TB skin testing will be done on Here Mr. Singleton and the band practice for the concert which is to be held

Band Concert To

EXPLORER

LaSalle High School band will give its Panther" theme. first band concert at the Marquette

The Marquette School bands will also sored by the Scholarship Association of play that night. The bands, A and B, Indiana Colleges and Universities. The will play separately, only coming topurpose of the conference was to let gether for their final piece, "When

After this part of the program is Ann were asked to participate in the over, the LaSalle band will begin to conference so that this vital informa- play. They will play a medley of songs tion could be brought back to the stu- from "The Sound of Music." The dents of LaSalle in the Explorer. In medley will be played as one continuous future issues this information will be song but will include "Sound of Music,"

"Climb Every Mountain," "My Favor-The program had many guest speak- ite Things," and "Do Re Mi." The ers, including Congressman John Brad- LaSalle band will also play "Semper Sousa, a novelty called "Train in the will be held at LaSalle.

LASALLE HIGH SCHOOL

SOUTH BEND, INDIANA

Results of the Student Council These candidates were eliminated to be no speeches. Brief articles about

primary elections held on Monday, Feb- two for each office. The candidates why the candidates want to be elected

ruary 21 have been announced. The chosen to run in the final election to are on page three. Ballots will be dis-

candidates for the primary election be held on March 4 are Steve Nyikos tributed in homeroom Friday and each

were Valerie King, Russ Manly, Tony and Paul Sovinski for president, Dave student will be requested to vote for

Menyhart, Steve Nyikos, Paul Sovin- Johnson and Ann Shelley for vice- one student for each office. Mr. Miller

ski, and Fred Tamke for president; president, Kathy Demske and Cindy will be advisor to the Student Council

Dave Johnson, Ken Krzyzaniak, Ann Paxson for secretary, and Connie Dim- after the officers are elected. Rep-

Shelley, and Miriam Weinstein for ich and Mike Scholine for treasurer. resentatives will be chosen shortly

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

Paxson, and Evelyn Polay for sec- Campaigning will be allowed for this

retary; and Connie Dimich, Mike Scho- election. Each candidate may have his

On March 10, at 7:30 p.m. the Night," and Henry Mancini's "Pink

In the concert LaSalle will feature School auditorium. There will be a its first cornet player, Lester Thorngeneral admission of 50¢ for both stu- berg. He will play a solo, but will be afterwards an election will be held accompanied by the band.

> The present LaSalle band has 56 marching, it will add a scarlet overlay the paper, regardless of his position. which will cover the chest back and shoulders of the uniform. The overlay also has a military collar.

MARCH 4, 1966

PAPER CHOOSES BEST "STAFFER"

Explorer staff members are participating in the annual recognition of the Most Valuable Staffer by the South Bend Tribune.

This award is given each year to a member of the school newspaper staffs by a representative from the Tribune at an appropriate ceremony near the end of the school year. The winner of this highly valued award will receive a plaque on which will be engraved his or her name and the name of the school. There will be adequate publicity about it in the Tribune. A list of journalism scholarships available at different colleges and universities will also be given to the winner.

The recipient of this award is to be chosen by the advisor and staff of the newspaper and is to be the person they think has contributed the most to the paper. Sometime in the month of April, Mrs. Nelson, Explorer advisor, will ask for nominations for the Most Valamong the staff.

There are three basic requirements members, but by next year they expect the nominees must meet. 1.) He or she to have about 34 more, bringing the must be a good student. (Explorer staff total to 90. For its members the members must have a "C" average.) band has ordered one hundred new 2.) He must have been a member of uniforms. The uniforms are conser- the staff for at least one year. 3.) He vative. The concert uniforms are black should be the person who has made the with red trim. When the band goes greatest contribution to the success of

SCIENCE CLUB

Science Club members are busy preparing their projects for the Sci-In the middle of May the LaSalle ence Fair. The Club as a whole is emas, who is a member of the House Fidelis," a march by John Phyllip band will give another concert. This one investigating the properties of crystals, their growth and development, and their production of different geometric patterns. They are also working on biological experiments.

ACADEMY PROGRAM PLANNED

On Tuesday, March 29, Midshipman Douglas May will be here to speak to all boys interested in going to the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Mr. May, a student at the Academy himself, will meet with the boys in the library and show a movie at 3:15. He is a graduate of John Adams High School and will talk about student life and activities at the Academy.

CALENDAR

Friday, March 4 Student Council Elections Juniors order class rings

Thursday, March 10 Band Concert-At Marquette School

Friday, March 11 EXPLORER "Coke Dance" End of grading period

Thursday, March 17 St. Patrick's Day

March 18-19 Science Fair

SECRETARY

PHONOGRAPH, OTHER PRIZES TO BE GIVEN

Come one! Come all! to the dance at LaSalle High School. The Coca Cola Company will supply free cokes and Joe Kelly will be our disc jockey. Loads of door prizes will be given and you could win the bonus prize--a fourspeed Westinghouse phonograph. This coke dance" will be sponsored by the EXPLORER staff in the cafeteria Friday, March 11 from seven-thirty to ten. Tickets must be purchased in advance. They will be available from any staff members at school for fifty cents. No tickets will be sold at the door. School attire is to be worn and the dance will be properly chaperoned. Let's make this a whopping success. See you at the dance!!

Science Fair On March 18-19

The 1966 Science Fair will be held on March 18 and 19. Anyone is welcome to enter. An application blank can be obtained from any of the science teachers. If any help is needed or if any students have questions, the science teachers would be more than glad to assist. If you plan to enter, be sure and register now. LaSalle would like to be well-represented. Any high school student may enter; however, any student in the tenth grade or up is required to write a paper on research, data, and conclusion of his experiment. This paper will count considerably in judging the entries. This report may also be entered in the Ford "Future of America" Awards Program and other programs of recognition. Each winner will have the right to go on to the Regional Science Fair to be held at Manchester College on April 16.

A contestant may enter only one exhibit. Credit for help from other students, teachers, or parents must be a part of the exhibit.

Ribbons will be given for best entries, besides the opportunity to go on to the Regional Fair.

Be sure to register soon and help LaSalle be well represented. Everyone has a chance to win! There are several students already planning to enter.

BANQUET PLANNED

An awards banquet may be held in the spring. The banquet will honor the boys who have participated in basketball, wrestling, and swimming. It is proposed to have one banquet next year for all sports; however, awards will be given at a scheduled assembly. This event would take place at the end of each "sport" season for our school.

NAMES OMITTED

The following students were omitted in the last issue of the Explorer on the honor roll: Lucette Janowiak, Carol McClean, Steve McDaniels, Linda Nowicki, and Rita Smith.

TREASURER

line, and Marilee Symon for treasurer. own posters and badges, but there will for Student Council offices.

vice-president; Kathy Demske, Cindy

VICE-PRESIDENT









CYNTHIA PAXSON



CONNIE DIMICH



MIKE SCHOLINE

PRESIDENT

STEVE NYIKOS PAUL SOVINSKI



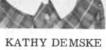
DAVID JOHNSON



after the election of officers.

Pictured below are the candidates

ANN SHELLEY



FRENCHY

Editorial AND NOW A WORD FROM OUR SPOI

Ladies and gentlemen, we take you now to the floor of the convention hall in LaSalle City where the keynote speaker is about to deliver the keynote address, when she forgets her diary. It is at We will return with further coverage of the convention after this message from that point that editors become a our sponsor

"Delegates to the convention, I am honored to be here tonight as the keynote speaker. I always welcome opportunities to express my thoughts about running the government of a large high school such as yours. You students have an especially wonderful chance to begin a tradition of picking the best people to fill the offices on the LaSalle Student Council. At a new school with no stereotypes set up for candidates to follow, you should be able to establish a pattern, a tradition, of finding the best possible students to hold Student Council offices. You should be able to keep the standards of your Student Council high.

"To set this pattern for elections, you will have to review the standards normally used in choosing candidates for Student Council offices. High schools usually insist upon good grade averages and good character traits in the students who wish to run for an office. The faculty and administration want the officers of their school's Student Council to project the right image of the school. They also try to protect the students and candidates; they don't want anyone having problems with grades because the duties of his office are too much for him. Students, too, want the officers of their Student Council to be the kind of person everyone admires; they want someone who can get things done; they want someone who really wants to work for the school and the Student Council, not someone who is running just for the glory of the office.

"I trust that you here at LaSalle have the same standards for your candidates to measure up to and the same ideas as to what kind of person a candidate should be. If your qualifications and standards are the same as those expressed in the preceding paragraph, then you will have to be satisfied with stereotyped candidates. Each voter should add a few qualifications to the list and try to find candidates who measure up to his list of qualifications. Don't be satisfied with yellow chalk? the facts that all the students running for offices have good grade averages, or that the candidates are all nice kids. Don't vote for someone just because he students think so much of him? They a Bachelor of Arts. She teaches two are reading short stories and doing played varsity ping-pong or because she is an old friend. Question each even turned all his maps upside down junior and two sophomore classes. research projects on Shakespeare, candidate's ability to lead the student body. Think about the genuine interest the candidate has in LaSalle High School.

"If you, the voters, exercise your voting privileges wisely, LaSalle could have the finest Student Council in the city. LaSalle could start a tradition by this well known guy from LaSalle? feels that the student body is ambitious tended Columbia University in New having Student Council officers who really think their school is great and who work hard to do their best in their position. The choice is yours,'

Another long-winded keynote address, Chet. Yes, David. Ladies and gentlemen, stay tuned to this network for our regularly scheduled broadcast. Goodnight, Chet.

Goodnight, David. And now a word from our sponsor....

"Hello fun lovers of America!"

is the usual greeting of MIKE MC-CUE on the day before the paper goes to press. I'm not saying that every other Thursday is hectic, but it is not calm especially for Frenchy nuisance. The long hours affect more than one member of the EXPLORER staff. For example, one of the page editors soothes his nerves by sliding down the banisters (after four o'clock, of course).

How many of you LaSalle-ites have noticed the overhead projectors in every classroom? The program schedule for the following week is

Monday: MRS. CARROL -- "You Don't Say"

MR. SINGLETON ---Tuesday: Have Music Will Travel"

ELF Club"

Thursday: MISS JOHNSON -----Where the Action Is"

Friday: MR. RENSBERGER ----World Wide Sports"

if he doesn't wash his blackboards. English class. wonder if he'll ever run out of

ops in basketball odles of fun

an alive

eyilish eyes

ffective on the court asks in the limelight

bit cute

xuberance plus

alented

upercalifragilistic

Must dig into my memory lessons; the gossip union is touchy about those when all good Frenchys celebrate their ancestry.

FRENCHY

P.S. Remember, diary, an arrogant bug is a cocky roach.

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In the back row, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Silverman, and Mr. Merriman. Miss Wednesday: MR. HUGHES -- "The Nykamp, Mrs. Heritage and Mrs. Carroll are in the front row. Not in the picture: Mr. Luebke and Mr. Lewandowski.

REQUIRED READING

It has been brought to my at-largest department at LaSalle. The Bachelor of Science at Ball State and tention, Diary, that MR. HOFFMAN'S staff includes eight full-time English did his graduate work at Notre Dame. German classes are about to revolt teachers and two who teach only one He feels that although the student body

Mrs. Heritage, chairman of the has generated a fine spirit. English Department, was graduated Isn't it nice that MR. MILLER'S from Ball State where she received junior classes. Her sophomore classes so that he would have something to Her sophomore classes are reading while her juniors are working on the read while he was practicing his yoga. Julius Caesar while the junior classes Transcendental Movement. A graduate How many of you Lions recognize are studying western literature. She of St. Mary's College, she also atand very cooperative.

Another graduate of Ball State, Mr. in English. Merriman, teaches three freshman and two junior classes, which are all work-

SURE AN' B'GORRA, IT'S THE LUCK

things. Au revoir until St. Pat's Day March 17 is just around the corner, good and bad points, but that it is This is a special day for all people of mostly very good. Irish descent. Wherever Irishmen live, the day is celebrated with parades, College in Holland, Michigan, received speeches, and dinners. The celebra- her Master's Degree from Michigan tions in Dublin, New York, Boston, and State University. She attended Notre Chicago are sometimes spectacular to Dame last summer and is now doing see, Green, the color of the day, is work at Indiana University, Her classes worn and displayed everywhere, es- are finishing grammar and beginning pecially in the form of the shamrock, work on Julius Caesar. "Curious, lively Legend says that St. Patrick used this and energetic" is the way Miss Nykamp as a symbol of the Trinity. The holiday describes the LaSalle student body. itself is dedicated to St. Patrick, patron saint of Ireland, who lived in the fifth classes are reading Silas Marner and century. Although LaSalle is still a participating in panel discussions, He new school, March 17 will show how attended Valparaiso University, and many full-blooded Irish lads and was graduated from Bethel College, lasses are here.



Another important date that falls in as a time to give up candies, cokes, for next year's pep assemblies. and gum until temptation finally overlong do you think you can hold out? March.

The English Department is the ing on grammar. He received his has had a hard time finding itself, it

Mrs. Carroll teaches sophomore and York. She received a Bachelor of Arts

Mrs. Nelson, a relative newcomer to the teaching profession, has four English classes, two junior and two freshman. Graduating from Ball State, she received a Bachelor of Science in language arts while minoring in journalism and speech. She also attended Franklin College. Before deciding to OF THE IRISH enter the teaching profession, she worked in the business world. She Many of you may have noticed that feels that the student body has both its

Miss Nykamp, a graduate of Hope

Students in Mr. Luebke's English Last summer he attended Notre Dame.

Mrs. Silverman teaches five freshman English classes, which all are studying paragraphs. A graduate of Indiana University, she received a Bachelor of Science in education with a major in English.

Mr. Lewandowski teaches freshman English classes along with developmental reading. His classes are doing book reports.

Miss Dienhart and Mr. Hoffman also teach one English class each.

BOOSTER CLUB

Elections for Booster Club officers March is Lent: It's observed in the will take place in a few weeks. Booster Catholic, Lutheran, Greek Orthodox, Club members will be the only people and other Christian churches. The fast allowed to vote and to run for office. Artists . . Bob Klute, Pat Pritchard begins with Ash Wednesday and extends Committees have also been formed for Photographer Jim Bromley through Holy Week. Some people relate various purposes. One committee is Lent to the 40-day fast of Moses and preparing to write the Booster Club Jesus, while most of us think of Lent constitution while another is planning

Members are also planning a faculty comes our human weaknesses. How basketball game for sometime in

LASALLE

as adapted from "Chicago" by Carl Sandburg

Educator for the district, Mind Developer, Tutor of Trades Counselor with advice for the Community's young blood; Learning, Maturing, Growing, School of the Mighty Lions:

They tell me you are unorganized and I believe them, for I have seen your new clubs struggling to start up and prosper. And they tell me you are without a gym and I answer: Yes, it is true; I see

students who want to exercise and hold assemblies and cannot. And they tell me you have no seniors and my reply is: On the faces of juniors Page one editor Marcia Katz

and sophomores I have seen the marks of able leadership. And having answered so I turned once more to those who sneer at this my school,

and I give them back the sneer and say to them: Come and show me another school with lifted head singing so proud to be alive Reporters . . . Nancy Brewer, Kathy

and coarse and strong and cunning. Playing varsity teams amid the toil of building a fine tradition. Here is a tall bold student body set vivid against the little soft school;

Mighty as a Lion with tongue lapping for victory, cunning as a savage pitted against the wilderness,

Bareheaded,

Striving,

Working,

Planning.

Practicing, Improving, Winning

Inside the halls, Pride over their faces, talking with many friends; Inside, showing each student a fierce school spirit with every action,

Showing as a determined Lion shows his courage, who has never tasted the hunter's bullet,

Bragging and knowing that under this roof is a student body, and inside this body are the future citizens of our city, (or the greatest kids in the world) Knowing!

Knowing the desire, the willingness, the drive, the fierceness of a Lion determined, strong, proud to be the Educator for the District, a Mind Developer, Tutor of Trades, Counselor with Advice, and the Community's

by Bill Lile, Freshman

LHS NEARS COMPLETION

Students Pledge Loyalty To S. C.

All students running for offices in the Student Council election were required to state "why I should be elected" before they were accepted for money-making project, and was organnomination. They appear here in their original, unedited form. Please read them carefully and judge these people before you vote. Pictures are on page one.

Steve Nyikos

If I am elected president of the LaSalle High School Student Council, some of the achievements I would like to make for our school are as follows: 1) to get a held on Wednesday, March 3. At this student directory printed and sold among the students, 2) to have at least one meeting, Mr. James Nicely was the "All School Dance" before the end of the year if facilities permit, and 3) to perform the duties of the office to which I am elected. The purpose of these activities would be to obtain some funds for the Student Council Treasury teaching careers involving this skill. and to get the students of LaSalle better acquainted with each other and other schools. These would also help to promote the "LaSalle School Spirit."

Paul Sovinski

If I am elected to the LaSalle Student Council I believe I can help our school in several ways. Being raised as part of a large family has taught me the principles of unselfishness, togetherness and obedience. While participating in sports I have learned the importance of teamwork and fair play, and the spirit of cooperation. If I can be part of the Student Council and assist in the programming and fostering of these ideals I believe my background will speak for itself. I can help influence good social behavior and can help in the furtherance of our "school spirit."

David Johnson

LaSalle needs something to bring the students closer together into a united student body of LaSalle High School. The student body needs a common source of leadership to follow. I believe the Student Council can be this leadership. The establishment and efficient functioning of a good Student Council could mean a greater unity in the student body, for each student has an equal chance to express his opinion, and if elected a leader of this Student Council I will do everything possible to aid in the establishment and functioning of a successful Student Council.

Ann Shelley

I hate to be so presumptuous as to say that I can help LaSalle, but I know that if elected I will try my best to help build LaSalle into a really "great" school. If I were elected to an office, I would use my position to help make the Student Council a co-ordinated organization which would support all school activities and boost tradition at LaSalle.

Kathy Demske

For a new school you need a hard worker that wants to get involved with the school as well as the students. You are expected to get to the point of any problems that may arise. There should be a desire to push school spirit and to unite the students. They should be shown the way of being our future citizens by the influence of our rules. The established Student Council could make plans for the incoming freshmen in the years ahead, such as having an orientation to introduce the surroundings.

Cynthia Paxson

By being elected secretary, my main job would be to keep accurate records and minutes of meetings. This is by far the most obvious, but there is also correspondence information to be verified, and many other secretarial jobs. Also, as an officer of the Student Council, a great responsibility is placed on the officer for his actions, as he is a representative of his student body. Complete backing of the Student Council and all school-sponsored activities, sports and otherwise, should be backed by any officer. I would try to help communication between school and student as best I could through the Council.

Connie Dimich

As Treasurer, I would give my time and energy to this office as well as to the whole Student Council. I would try my best to participate in all the activities and projects as well as the meetings of the Student Council. Being in this important school office, I would try to follow the high standards of the school and attempt to be a good example to all. My thoughts and ideas will be for the good of the student body. I would keep an accurate record of our money. Also, I would support all projects which I think would be of importance to the student body and council.

Mike Scholine

of LaSalle. I wish to help start school spirit and have people proud of our school. will not cover any injuries incurred by students.

F.T.A. Gains Charter Dedication Is Set For May 1

of LaSalle High School, sponsored by of the Future Teachers of America. Mrs. Heritage, held a paper drive on Thursday and Friday February 24 and 25. This was the organization's first ized by Dick Davison and a committee made up of volunteers from the club. Some more future projects are in the idea stage.

The last meeting of the club was guest speaker. He talked to the group about speech correction and about He mentioned several vocations, involving specialization in speech and speech correction and the opportunity for members of the club to become speech teachers.

Teachers Association has now received customers in the store. its charter with the sealfor 1965-1966. This charter entitles each member of is planning a joint meeting with Jackthe group to be affiliated with the son's French Club. National Education Association and the tional brochures in accordance with end of March.

The Future Teachers Association teaching careers and future benefits



FRENCH MEMBERS HAVE BAKE SALE

"Enjoy getting fat by eating our bake sale goods," was the sentence uttered by all French Club members. On Saturday, February 19 the French Club held a bake sale at Ernie's Supermarket. Many members baked cakes, pies, cookies, cupcakes, and brownies for the sale. Everything was sold, and \$25.50 was made throughout will be completed by the 1st of March, the day. To promote business, several and will be completely finished by The LaSalle chapter of the Future members gave away free samples to

In the near future, the French Club

All LHS French Club members have National Teachers Association. Al- been invited to see a French movie at to be finished by school time in Septemready the group is receiving informa- St. Mary's Academy sometime near the ber.

It won't be much longer now, and maybe too soon for some students. The pool, gym, and auditorium are progressing rapidly. The pool is expected to be completely finished by the 15th of February, and the dressing rooms will be finished by March 1. That is probably the date on which gym classes and swimming instructions will begin.

As for the gym, some students will probably be very disappointed. The gym, as itself being completed, will be ready by February 21 without bleachers. There won't be any basketball games played in our gym this year. It will, however, be opened for school activities. So be PATIENT.

The framework of the auditorium April 1 in time for dedication.

The clearing of the fields and the preparation for a football field, basketball courts, track and tennis courts will begin in the spring and are said

Dedication is set for May 1.



I can help LaSalle have a better student government if I am elected. I am Pictured here are, from left to right; deep end of the swimming pool, unfinished auditorium showing stage and orchestra willing to work hard. I will be present at all the meetings. I will be loyal to my pit, upper deck of gym, hall at west end of gym, gym from door nearest cafeteria, scoreboard, pool from deep end. school and support all its activities. I know that LaSalle has a chance to be This is for the benefit of those students who have not yet seen some of the unfinished parts of the building. Mr. Nelson great and I would like to help make it that way. I also wish to serve the students has asked all students not to enter those sections of the building still under construction as the construction insurance What you have achieved in one year

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Varsity

Here

There

Here

There

Here

Here

Here

Here

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Jackson

Culver

Central

Jackson

Clay

Penn

Riley

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WASHINGTON ROMPS PAST LIONS



Trying to improve--Lion matmen battle each other in practice. At the left, Neil Shambry tops Bob Macon, while Ron Chamberlin checks Jeff Harmon.

For 6 Wins, 3 Losses

LaSalle's matmen have closed their first season, losing to Niles by a score

With six wins, three losses, and one tie, the wrestlers have had an enviable season for any school, let alone a new you were playing it, and this is good. takes other schools two or three years one with its first season.

with twelve meets scheduled.

The lettermen this season are Dave Sims (95 lbs.) 7-3, Jim Statzell (103 sense, you act as miracle workers. still lie ahead. You are not finished lbs.) 8-2, Tom Statzell (112 lbs.) 8-2, Billy Lee (138 lbs.) 8-2, Tony Sims (145 lbs.) 6-1, Jim Johnson (133 lbs.) and Bobby Macon (120 lbs.).

in forty seconds by Dave Sims against hear only the roar from LaSalle's Jackson.

new telephone number is 289-4851. particularly up for this game.

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the agony of defeat, the student body to speak. You become more hungry for four of five from the charity stripe. has supported and still is magnificently winning when you meet cross-town supporting their athletic teams. As rival Jackson. fans, you take part in the sport as if The reason it is good is because you to accomplish. So congratulate your-Next season everyone will be back act as inspiring assistants. You can selves, give yourselves a pat on the make, and you have, a sluggish team back--you deserve it. Keep up the good into a smooth-running one. So, in a work, but remember track and baseball

An example of your loyal backing with a good job yet. In fact, you have was in the South Bend sectional last just made a tremendous beginning. Thursday. You received recognition from local sportscasters as you re-Jim Statzell pinned seven of his peatedly drowned out the Washington ten opponents. The quickest pin was cheering section. Radio listeners could side of the court. You surprised not only the sportscasters by your cheer-The Recreation Department, headed ing, but also the Panthers. Washington by Mr. Paul Boehm, has moved to was wondering how such a young school new quarters at 727 South Eddy Street, could make such a big noise. Both the the old National Guard Armory. The student body and the cagers were

But your enthusiasm for victory isn't only demonstrated at a basketball or football game. During pep as-

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PANTHERS TAME LIONS IN FIRST SECTIONAL

a much taller Washington Panther squad stripe for 67 percent and 35 of 7 for two periods, but finally succumbed field goal tries for 47 percent. to a 30-point third period and dropped an 80-42 decision to the hosts in the foul out in the contest, that coming Lions' initial game of the South Bend in the final quarter. Sectional Tournament.

Clay Colonials.

the field in the first period and finding themselves down by a 9-7 score, the Wamsley's 32 Points Panthers caught fire and outscored the Lions by 40 points the rest of the way.

Led by Charlie "Boxcar" Black's 20 points the Panthers had good balance with nine of 10 players hitting the scoring column. The Lions managed only six. Black scored 10 of his total in the third period when the winners turned the game into a rout. He hit on eight of 16 attempts from the field and

After the Lions' slim lead at the end of the first period Subby Nowicki's defending sectional champions built up a 31-20 halftime lead. Then the Panthers raced off to an insurmountable 61-30 score going into the final eight minutes of play.

Jim (Red) McElhaney, the only letterman from last year's team, was held to only 13 points due to a superb defensive effort by Lions' Tom De-Baets. McElhaney scored on five of 13 from the field and three of three from the free throw stripe. Nine of his 13 points came in the third quarter. The best the Lions could manage

was a 14-point effort by top scorer Lyle Wamsley on seven of 14 field goal attempts. Al Frazier was second HEADLIONS best with eight points.

Washington's Bill Kirk was the game's only other scorer in double figures with 12.

The Lions could only manage two of 11 free throw attempts for 18 percent and 20 of 57 from the field for 35 percent. The Panthers, on the other

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LaSalle's basketball Lionsfought off hand, made 10 of 15 from the charity

Wamsley was the only player to

The Lions in their first season even The Panthers will play their next of varsity basketball ran up a fine 11-6 game Saturday afternoon against the record, one of the best standing in the city, and also were ranked as one After a miserable three of 16 from of the top 30 teams in the state.

Pace Final Triumph

The LaSalle basketball Lions ended their first regular season of play with a 78-69 triumph over Bethany Christian at Riley's gym. A winning mark of 11-5 was recorded by the Lions.

Down by eight points, 22-14, at the end of the first period, the Lions put on a spurt that carried them to a 34-32 halftime lead. Forty-four points were scored in the second half by the

Lyle Wamsley became the first player ever to score 30 points for LaSalle as he tossed in 32 to pace all scorers. Tom DeBaets cushioned the win with 16 points and Jerry Remble had 12.

Bethany Christian dropped below the .500 mark with a 6-7 record. LaSalle also won the B game, 53-43.





In recent games, LaSalle's basketball team has shown tremendous improvement and has impressed even local sportscasters. Last week's sectional proved no different.

Washington made its debut to the sectional with point smorgasbord. La-Salle served as the main dish which Washington gradually gobbled up. But the Panthers discovered that the romp was going to be easy, especially in the first half.

A couple of Panthers looked like runaway tanks. These along with the carrot-top led the assault against our cagers. Despite these advantages, the Panthers express didn't get rolling until the second half.

Looking over the entire season plus the sectional, the LaSalle basketball team was great, not just good. For a first-year team, the Lions demonstrated their will to win by refusing to give up despite the odds against them. In this author's opinion, this young team is going to go far. Already La-Salle has started a winning tradition which would have taken other new schools a couple of years to do. The teams and the student body ought to be congratulated.

The wrestling team has also represented LaSalle well this year. Their record of 6-3-1 demonstrates this fact thoroughly.

So far I have mentioned the teams, but special thanks go to the student body and faculty who supported LaSalle so well. They have done what I call a tremendous job, also. Support your