



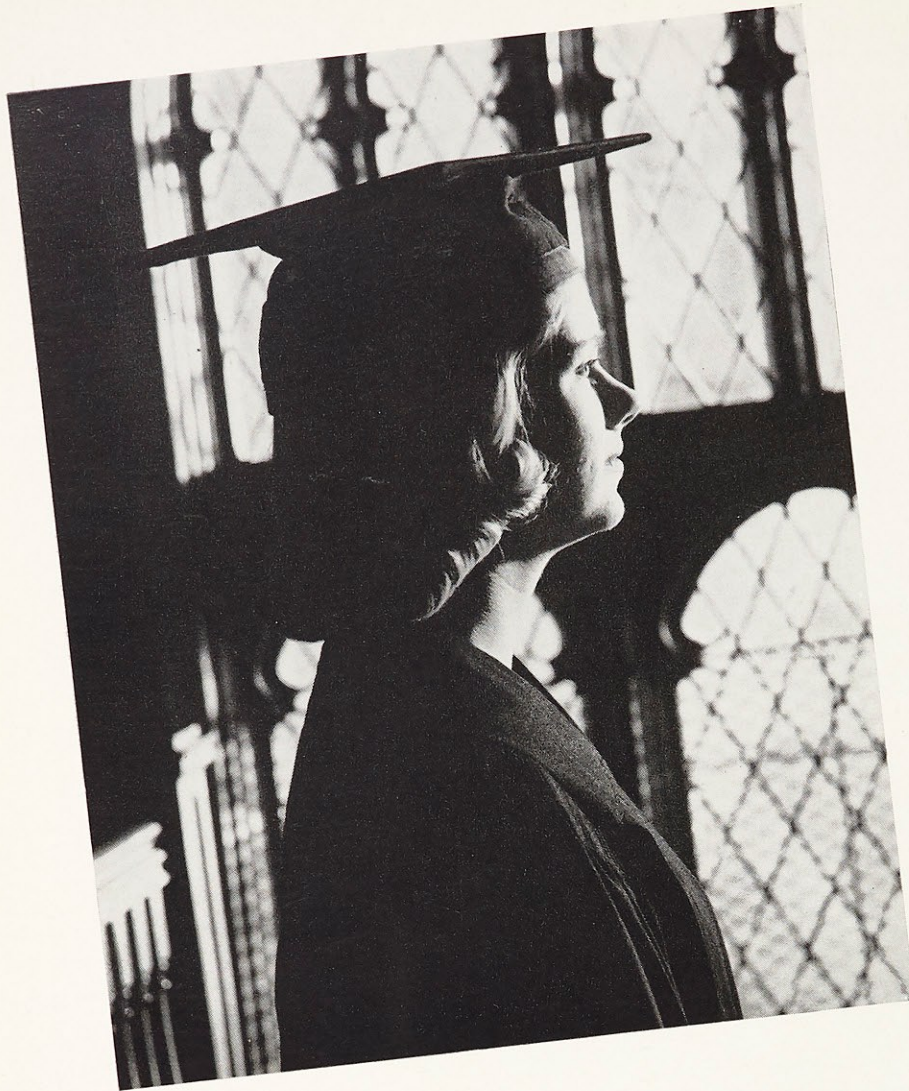
LAURETANUM
'58



The Lauretanum

WEBSTER COLLEGE
WEBSTER GROVES, MISSOURI

1958



Theme

The aim of Webster College is to make of her daughters true Catholic women with the qualities of scholarship, leadership, and social responsibility which should characterize a Webster student.

Under the guidance and wisdom of skilled teachers in a Catholic college, our intellects begin to ripen; we learn to think, to reason properly, to know, and to love. We develop *scholarship*.

Realizing the need for Catholic leaders, we gain valuable experience through membership, active participation, and office-holding in the organizations on the Webster campus. We are trained in *leadership*.

In many ways we become aware of the needs of the world and of the Webster-world. We loyally support activities, trying to develop responsibility and discernment as we do so. We acquire *social responsibility*.

These three qualities—scholarship, leadership, and social responsibility, characterizing the true Catholic woman—are our goal at Webster. They, too, are our theme, embodied in

THE WEBSTER STUDENT

Dedication

We dedicate the 1958 Lauretanium to those who have led us up the path to wisdom and goodness, thus helping us to reach true Catholic womanhood.

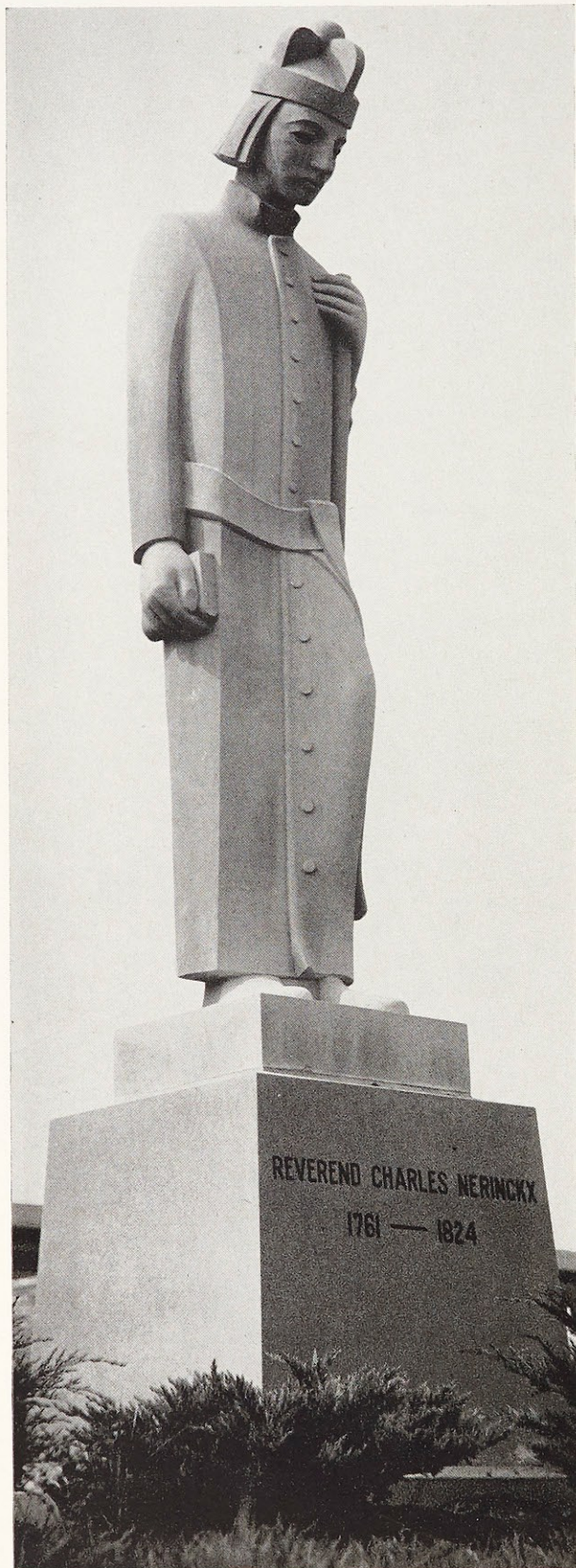
For their understanding guidance . . .
their continued encouragement . . .
their abiding interest in us . . .
we are grateful.

We dedicate this, the 1958 Lauretanium, to

OUR FACULTY, RELIGIOUS AND LAY



Faculty



Administration

Sister Mariella, A.M., President

Sister Rose Maureen, A.M., Dean

Sister Mary Cecily, A.M., Dean of Students

Catherine Barnicle, M.S.S.W., Assistant Dean
of Students

Sister Alexander Marie, A.M., Registrar

Sister Marie Eymard, A.B., Treasurer

Chaplain

Reverend Robert F. Coerver, C.M., S.T.D.

Librarians

Sister Mary Clotaire, B.S. in L.S., Librarian

Nelka Mooney, Library Assistant

Resident Nurse

Helen Stadelman

Faculty

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Sister Mary Cecily, A.M., English	Sister Mary Adaline, M.M., Music
Nancy Costello, A.B., English	Sister Mary Joecile, M.M., Music
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Sister Ann Kathleen, M.S., Biology
Julia Collier, M.S., Biology
Sister Alonza, Ph.D., Chemistry
August Manier, M.S., Chemistry
Birute Miniatas, B.S., Chemistry
Sister Helen Clare, M.S., Mathematics

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Sister Helen Jean, Ph.D., Education	Sister Henry Marie, M.Ed., Home Economics
Sister Mary Georgiana, A.M., Education	Sister Thomas Mary, M.Ed., Home Economics
Sister Margaret Mary, A.B., Education	Sister Mary Felicia, Ph.D., Sociology
Sister Helen Terese, A.M., Education	Sister Ann Patrick, A.M., Maj. in Sac. Sc., Theology
Helen Cronin, A.B., Education	Sister Mary Francisca, Ph.D., Philosophy
Eloise DuBois, A.M., Education	Reverend Gerard Glynn, A.M., Philosophy
Sister Mary Fredric, A.M., History	Michael F. Manley, Ph.D., Philosophy
Sister Mary, A.M., History	Lisbeth Hoops, Modern Dance
Clarence Hohl, Ph.D., History	Janet Landzettel, A.B., Physical Education
Philip Saliga, A.M., History	

Scholarship

To be students is our vocation while at Webster. As students, we are part of the three-fold structure of education: administration, faculty, students.

The first group plan and administer the college program. The second group direct us in our search for knowledge. And we, the third group, are the seekers for truth.

These three divisions form the community in which we live, from which we gain, to which we contribute. Through our years of living in this community, we take an ever-maturing pleasure in the search for truth, an ever-growing satisfaction in acquiring knowledge.

This striving for scholarship is above all else the vocation of the Webster student.

Classes



Scholarship

Leadership

Social Responsibility



Barb, Doctor, Mary Joan, Mary Alice

BARBARA ANN WESTHOFF

Elmhurst, Illinois

A. B. Sociology, Student Government President.

"Her future is radiant with promise."

MARY ALICE KRINGS

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Education, Senior Class President.

"Beauty is the mark God sets upon virtue."

JEAN BUCKLEY

Dixon, Illinois

B. S. Biology, Hall President.

"An apple a day keeps the doctor away."

MARY JOAN DE COSTER

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Sociology, Sodality Prefect.

"She walks in beauty."

Senior Class



Dianne, Nancy, Jackie, Mary Anne

JACQUELINE BACKER

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Physical Education.

"Her generous spirit and friendliness make the path before her always bright."

NANCY BECKER

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Sociology.

"Eyes of pure woman, wholesome stars of love."

MARY ANNE BAUER

Belleville, Illinois

B. S. Chemistry.

"Of loyal nature and of noble mind."

DIANNE MARIE BOLASINA

Rock Hill, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"Her voice was ever soft and low."

Senior Class



Helen Mary, Miriam, Toni, Barbara

ANTOINETTE B. CAPLIS

Bossier City, Louisiana

A. B. Art.

"Life is a gamble, so bet wisely."

BARBARA CORNELL

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. History.

*"Good nature is the cheapest commodity in the world,
and the most gratifying."*

MIRIAM CHEN

Formosa, China

A. B. Home Economics.

"Wise to resolve, patient to perform."

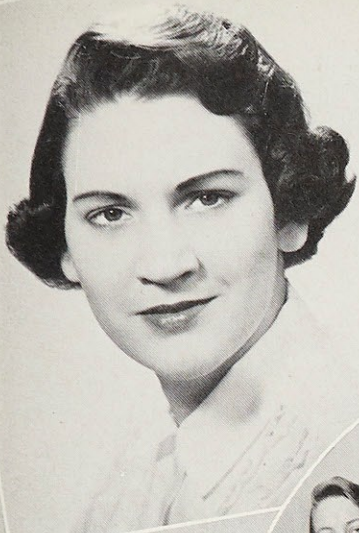
HELEN MARY D'ARCY

Kansas City, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"There was a star danced, and under that was I born."

Senior Class



Ann, Mary Jane, Deggie, Marcia

MARY ELLEN DEGNAN

Richmond Heights, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

MARCIA DUFFY

North Bergen, New Jersey

A. B. English.

"No man but a blockhead ever wrote except for money."

MARY JANE DWYER

Brentwood, Missouri

A. B. English.

"Fair and softly goes far."

ANN ELIZABETH FERGUSSON

Shreveport, Louisiana

A. B. English.

"Wisdom of many and the wit of one."

Senior Class



Sue, Mary Anne, Joy, Flo

MARY ANNE FILLA

University City, Missouri

A. B. History.

"Good-natured, good sport, full of fun."

FLORENCE GRANGER

Webster Groves, Missouri

A. B. Home Economics.

"Personality is the secret of the universe."

JOY-ANN GENTRY

Bowling Green, Missouri

A. B. History.

"Joy is the echo of God's love in our hearts."

SUZANNE GREWE

Wardell, Missouri

A. B. History.

"She's always laughing, for she has an infinite deal of wit."

Senior Class



Loretta, Dee, Barbara, Pat

PATRICIA ANN HARVEY

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. English.

"The quiet mind is richer than a crown."

LORETTA MARIE HERMAN

Galveston, Texas

A. B. Sociology.

"I have watched the night, ay, night by night."

DONNA JEAN HEMANN

High Ridge, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"The ideal of courtesy, charm, and grace."

BARBARA ANN KAULLEN

Sikeston, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"A smile for all, and a gentle heart."

Senior Class



Marilyn, Mary Kay, Sandy

MARILYN KEENE
 University City, Missouri
 A. B. History.

"How we laughed as we labored together."

SANDRA KLESNER
 Fort Madison, Iowa
 A. B. Education.

"The mildest manner and the gentlest heart."

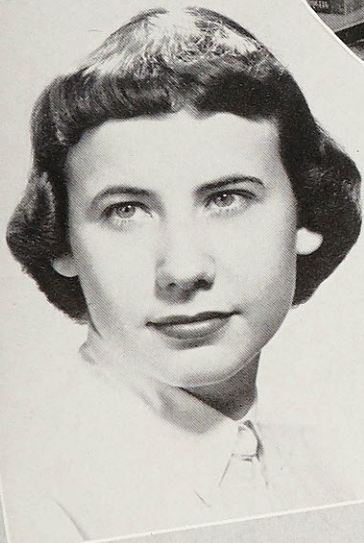
PATRICIA KINGSLEY
 El Paso, Texas
 A. B. English.

"Given to jest, yet ever in earnest."

MARY KAY MC DERMOTT
 North Little Rock, Arkansas
 A. B. Sociology.

"Sweet, small, loved by all."

Senior Class



Catherine, Carmen, Dee Dee, Ellie

VIRGINIA GRANT MC GUIRE

Chesterfield, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"The sense of humor is the just balance of all the faculties of man."

ELEANOR ANNE MEYER

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature."

MARY CATHERINE MAZELY

Jamaica, British West Indies

A. B. Spanish.

"A scholar, and a good one; exceeding wise, fair-spoken."

CARMEN NAVARRO

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. History.

"Those about her, from her, shall read the perfect ways of honor."

Senior Class



Mary Alice, Anne, Rose, Carole

CAROLE ANN NEMETH

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. Home Economics.

"A sunny disposition is half the battle."

MARY ALICE O'BRYAN

St. Paul, Kansas

A. B. Home Economics.

"She's as white as a lily, and as small as a wand."

CECELIA ANNE NOWERY

Idaho Springs, Colorado

A. B. Speech and Drama.

"Just merry enough to be gay, and thoughtful enough to be a friend."

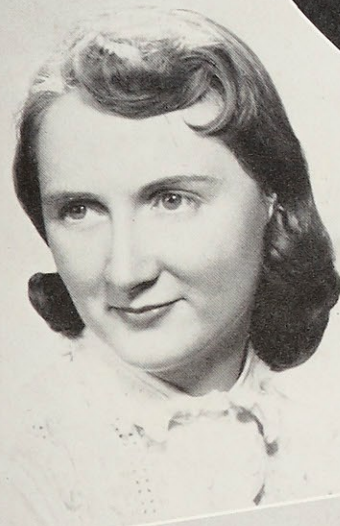
ROSE AILEEN POLYS

Kirkwood, Missouri

A. B. Education.

"When silence speaks for love, she has much to say."

Senior Class



Nance, Rosie, Maggie, Janet

JANET RASTBERGER

Maplewood, Missouri

A. B. Sociology.

"Well-timed silence hath more eloquence than speech."

NANCY JOAN REES

Hamilton, Ohio

A. B. Home Economics.

"A lovely lady, garmented in light—from her own beauty."

MARGARET ALICE REILLY

University City, Missouri

A. B. Speech and Drama.

"The little foolery that wise men have makes a great show."

ROSEMARY ROHAN

St. Louis, Missouri

A. B. English.

"Measured in quality, not in quantity."

Senior Class



Bev, Catherine, Simone, Bev

SIMONE ROYER

Quebec, Canada
A. B. Sociology.

"She possessed an imp or two, and what she'd do next no one knew."

BEVERLY ANN SHERWOOD

Normandy, Missouri
A. B. English.

"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart."

CATHERINE RUDELIC

East St. Louis, Illinois
A. B. Education.

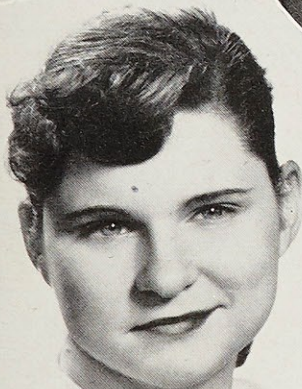
"In quietness and confidence shall be your strength."

BEVERLY ANN SCHROEDER

St. Louis, Missouri
A. B. Art.

"'Tis wise to learn; 'tis God-like to create."

Senior Class



Boog, Pat, Barbie

MARY LOUISE TLAPEK

Ste. Genevieve, Missouri

A. B. Sociology.

"May merry maidens be blessed with laughing lovers."

LORETTA MAE WALTER

Affton, Missouri

A. B. History.

"Genius is the infinite capacity for taking pains."

HELEN VIRGINIA WARREN

Webster Groves, Missouri

B. S. Chemistry.

"Variety is the very spice of life."

BARBARA ANN WELSH

Gays, Illinois

A. B. Sociology.

"Here is the place where loveliness keeps house."

Senior Class



Susie, Ann

SHIRLEY ANN WELSH

Fornfelt, Missouri

B. S. Medical Technology.

"The highest of distinctions is service to others."

ANN WONG

Hong Kong, China

A. B. Art.

"A sweet, attractive kind of grace."

SUE WILKINSON

Olney, Illinois

A. B. Art.

"He that has patience may compass anything."

Senior Class



A Commencement

Webster years of study, prayer, and varied activities have been the beginning of the beginning for the seniors. For commencement is the real beginning for them.

Now, in the years after graduation will the character-

istics of scholarship, leadership, and social responsibility assume their greatest importance. With these three qualities, lived fully and developed steadily, helped by the grace of God, each senior can be "the girl most likely to succeed" in the way that success counts most.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Kay Quinn, Treasurer; Billie Vandover, Representative; Helen Shepherd, Vice-President; Joan Senhausen, Secretary; Nancy Nunn, President.



Marilyn Cropper, Lucy Caylor, Nancy Coad, Mary Edith Jones, Nadine Frett, Clare Del Heyne, Susie Knox.

Junior Class

Joan Borgwald, Mary Ellen Weber, Jane Blome, Cathy Cahill, Betty Alvey.

At left: Pat Barrett, Carol Hannon, Judy Burke. Behind piano: Alice Martinez, Sally Dobson, Bev Brumm, Martha Armes.





Sandy Mangan, Betty Hawkins, Carol Lucchesi, Jane Spencer, Georganne Lacy, Patsy Sheahan.



Front: Jody Scherrer, Sylvia Tonkovich, Ann Hartman, Mary Ellen O'Brien.
Back: Rosalie Saputo, Mary Brown Wathen, Libby Werner, Florence Parnell.

Junior Class

Front: Mary Ellen Troupe, Margaret Aldrich, Mary Louise Scally.
Back: Mary Wentker, Marcia Hale, Wilma Vignocchi.

Standing: Ann Mahoney, Sallie Kimble.
Seated: Ann Woodward, Judy Rudolph, Judy Michaelis, Ann Stephens, Joan Smith.



Sophomore Class

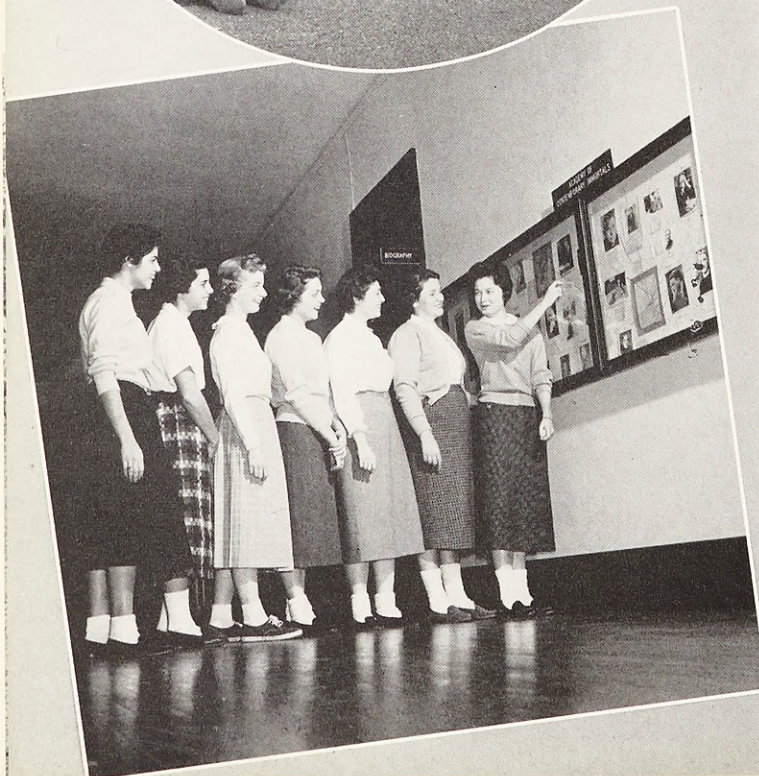
SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Bette Rae Karst, Vice-President; Mary Sue Conrads, President; Chepi De La Garza, Treasurer; Janet Turgeon, Class Representative, S.G.A.; Mary Henegar, Secretary.



Front: Dorlene Vogel, Ann Jackson, Mary Ann Bach, Joan Jans, Sally Julius.

Back: Janice Meyers, Frances Morgan, Carol Hirth, Mary Lou Sites.



Rosalie Filippone, Jo Micotto, Helen Murry, Joyce Fehrenbach, Joyce Centenio, Peggy McDaniel, Kathy Conley.

Sophomore Class

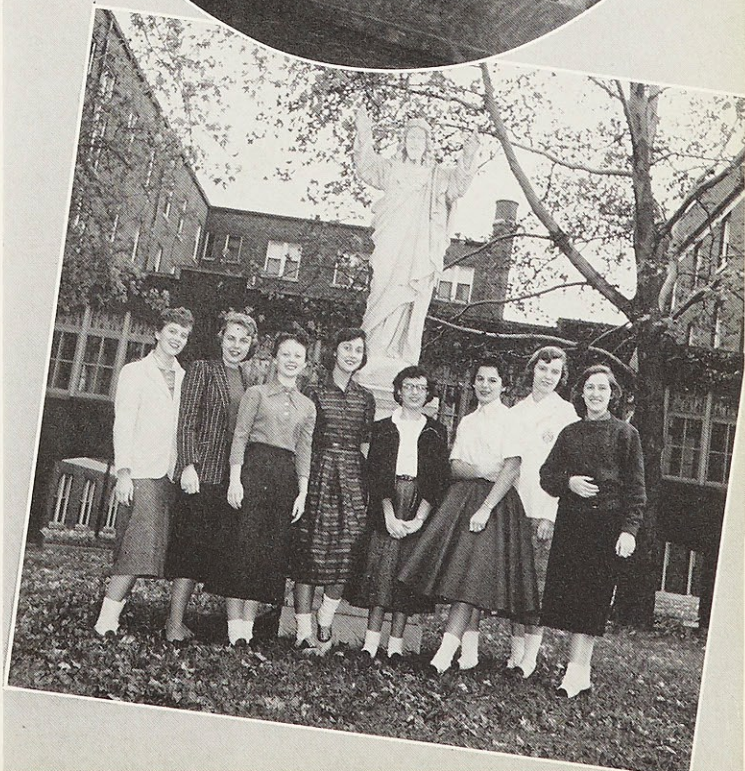
Judy Guedry, Betty Eckles, Anna Marie Sandoval, Mary Jane McGuire, Floraine Bell.



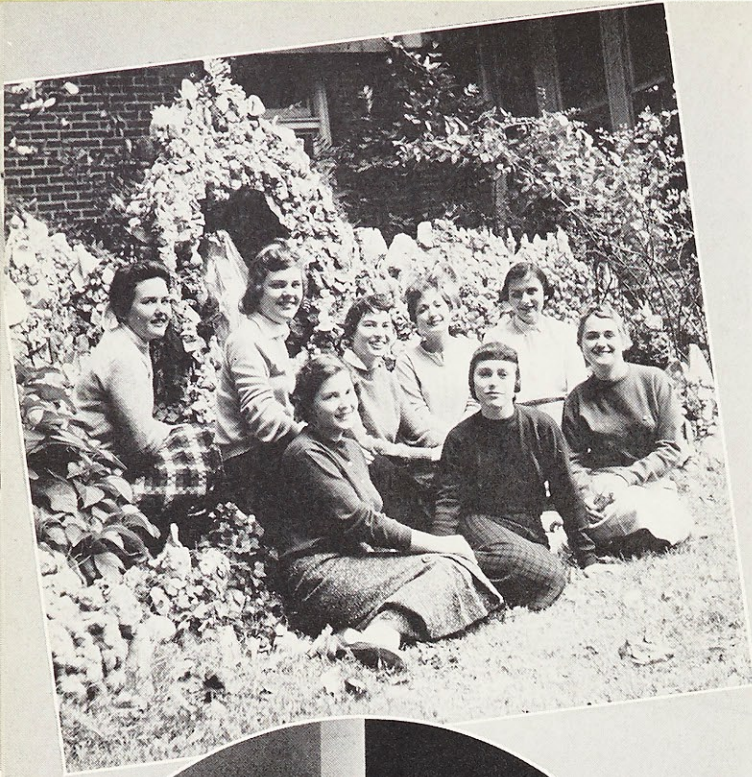
Marilyn Whitecotton, Patricia McCarthy, Regina Schwartz, Joe Ann Lovato.



Mary Ann Lossos, Mary Ellen Marschel, Mary Ellen Stevens, Carol Marlo, Anna Belle Steinbach, Dena Robilio, Sally Meyer, Linda Sharp.



Sophomore Class



Front: Mary Ann Baum, Mary Lou Wiget, Carol Alexander.
Back: Ann Washle, Joan Blase, Mary Elizabeth Scott, Terry Schreiber, Betty Witthoff.



Janet Donahoo, Betty McGrath, Peggy Fitzgerald, Tissie D'Arcy.



Front: Sharon Carmody, Jean Saettele, Joanne Simon, Mary Jo Hannefin, Jane Schmidt.
Back: Marian Lorenze, Carol Ahlers, Carol Schmidt, Annetta Drone.

Sophomore Class

Virginia Young, Barbara Antonelli, Judy Seep, Jean Troy,
Carole Natter.



Front: Barbara Herlt, Babs Hemann, Marilee Gerwitz.
Back: Gail Danahey, Eva Lou DeSutter, Sue Kirchdorfer,
Barbara Kulla, Sharon Cowell.



Lucy Rawe, Ana Maria Santizo, Celeste Pensrum, Pauline
Tamborello, Shirley Barry.



Freshman Class

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Sandy Stephens, Treasurer; Carol Jokerst, Representative;
Frosty Krings, President; Sheila Dick, Vice-President;
Rosalie Carmichael, Secretary.

Front: Pat Craig, Linda Kelly, Carolyn Davit, Judy Pfeiffer.
Back: Lenore Janovac, Doris Holtkamp, Doris Halbert,
Lynne Cento.



Front: Sandie Cunningham, Mary Ferrara, Betty Adermann.
On Steps: Yvonne Condon, Helen Becker, Diane Fraser,
Margarita Bazdresch, Dode Collette, Barbara Fortman.

Front: Lee Foote, Shirley Thames, Janice Crovetti, Judy
Wesner.
Back: Margy Weber, Geraldine Medcalf, Dot Auberry,
Betty Anne Close, Matilde Escobar.

Freshman Class

Seated: Judy Huxel, Jo Brooks.

Standing: Mary Burke Voll, Mary Frances Trueblood, Mary Dee Ingino, Kathryn Grimm, Olga Stege, Peggy Scherrer.

Seated: Kathy Polys, Mary Ann Clark, Toots James, Carolyn Dulle.

Standing: Punkin Tamborello, Judy Cassidy, Mary Kay McReynolds, Lorelee Teigen, Margaret Goldman.



Mary Ann Parrino, Jeanette Odorizzi, Leah Lauf, Marian Dooling, Mary Catherine Rollison, Erika Puetz, Karleen Miller, Dolores Lessard, Audrey Maes.

Front: Mary Bea Couch, Kathy Cox, Mary Blair, Natalie Seitz.

Back: Carol Mueller, Theresa Ruggeri, Jean Brookman.

Freshman Class

Sitting: Catherine Mitchell, Helen Graves, Joan Kuehnlein.
 Standing: Margaret Rogers, Maureen Morrell, Dot Schmitz,
 Nan Smith, Janet Luehrs, Jeanette Hauser.



Front: Pat McAvoy, Jo Ann Quintana.
 Back: Stevie Comstock, Sally Barry, Judy Robertson, The-
 resa Bauer.



Standing: Marilyn Holmes, Janet Cyrier.
 Bottom Bunk: Plinky Coughler, Theresa Zitt, Martha Dues,
 Verlene Daniel.
 Top Bunk: Sarah Gettelfinger, Mary Ann Greenwald, Ann
 Finger.



On Floor: Lynn Hunt, Rosemarie Nebl.
 Back: Barbara Vaughan, Jeanne Marsh, Judy Poss, Sue
 Kribs, Peggy Slewitzke, Pat Schwendemann, Butch War-
 ren.

Freshman Class

Front: Mary Stier, Doris Jones, Jeanne Strangi, Sheila Samter.
Back: Joan Thomas, Carol Ramsay.

Standing: Janice Wacker, Brenda Mills, Ana Rosa Paredes.
Seated: Bobbie Bereswill, Peggy McGrath, Martha Weiss, Mary Bray.



Linda Cahill, Sharon Cassel, Nancy Meehan, Marie Morrissey, Anne Wahle, Georganne Carlisle, Harriet Koester.

Seated: Patsy Willard, Judy Thorworth, Roberta Hudlow, Bunny Griesbaum.
Standing: Shirley Weidlich, Ruthie Willenbrink, Linda Lyons.

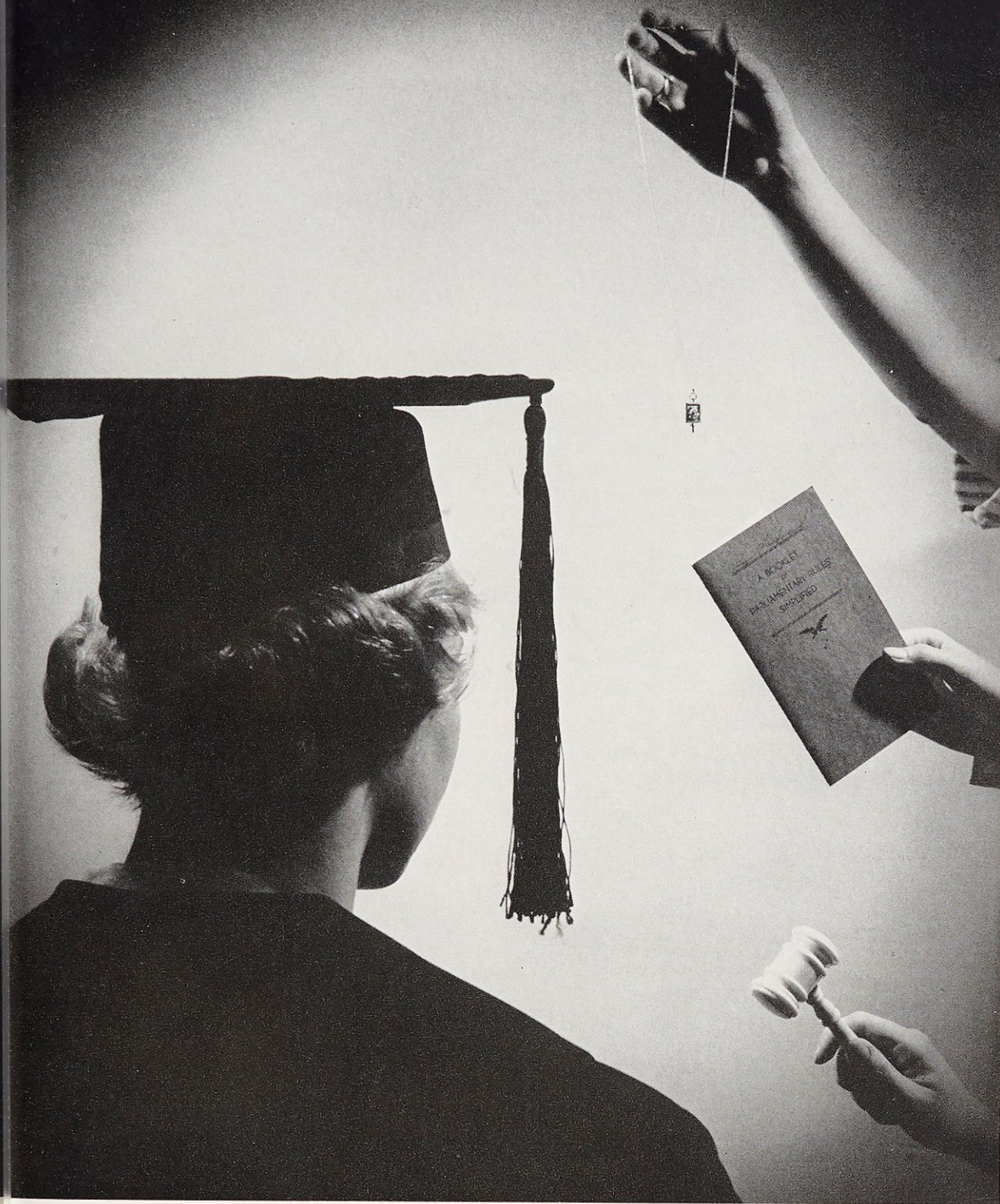
Leadership

Through the organizations here at Webster, we try to answer the widely-asked questions: Where is the Catholic leader? Where is the leadership that should come from Catholic colleges? We must answer these questions. We must *be* the answer.

The opportunity for, and encouragement toward leadership are offered; the initiative must come from us. Here we must choose correctly, act accordingly, lead well, and follow well.

Through our campus organizations, we develop intellectually, spiritually, and socially. We become like the "good and faithful servants," returning two talents for every one given.

Organizations



Scholarship

Leadership

Social Responsibility



STUDENT GOVERNMENT BOARD

Clare Del Heyne, Nadine Frett, Jean Buckley, Mary Alice Krings, Nancy Nunn, Mary Sue Conrads, Frosty Krings, Barbara Westhoff, Carol Jokerst, Janet Turgeon, Billie Vandover, Pat Harvey, Mary Kay McDermott, Mary Joan deCoster, Joan Smith, Martha Ames, Mary Ellen Degnan.

Student Government



Barbara Westhoff, Student Government President

The specific aims of Student Government for this year were threefold: first, the fostering of the intellectual life of the students; second, the realization and execution of the role of Student Government in a liberal arts education; and third, the fostering of a Christian atmosphere to pervade every aspect of Webster life.

Organization and efficiency were keynotes of this year's activities. Particular achievements were the investigations of the honor system and the feasibility of a judicial board, and the revision of the Constitution.



LORETTO HALL HOUSE COMMITTEE
 Mary Bea Couch, Jean Buckley, Loretta Herman, Carol
 Lucchesi, Sally Meyer.



Jean Buckley, Hall President

Student Government

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF CATHOLIC COLLEGE STUDENTS

Junior and Senior Delegates, Dena Robilio and Joan Smith.



NATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Senior and Junior Delegates, Nadine Frett and Barbara
 Swaby.



Student Government Activities

THE SOS PROGRAM

The Student Orientation Service is a Student Government project designed to welcome the incoming freshmen and orientate them to college life. Below, Susie Knox, the SOS Chairman, meets with her crew on the back campus.



THE BIG SISTER-LITTLE SISTER PROGRAM

Every freshman has a Big Sister, an upperclassman who takes a special interest in her, and helps her in whatever way she can. Below, Brenda Mills becomes an official Websterite, as she is "capped" by her big sister, Judy Burke.



THE STUDENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

On September 28 and 29, interested students attended the annual Student Leadership Conference at Camp Don Bosco. The purpose of this conference was to promote leadership, as well as interest and enthusiasm for the aims and activities of Student Government. Above, a buzz group discusses with Father Glynn, "The Role of Sanctity in Student Government."

THE IVY ROOM COMMITTEE

The Ivy Room Committee is responsible for closing the Ivy Room each day, and for seeing that it is kept in order. The members of the committee pictured above are Lu Chiaro, sophomore, Toni Caplis, senior, and Pat Kingsley, senior. Toni Caplis is chairman of the committee.

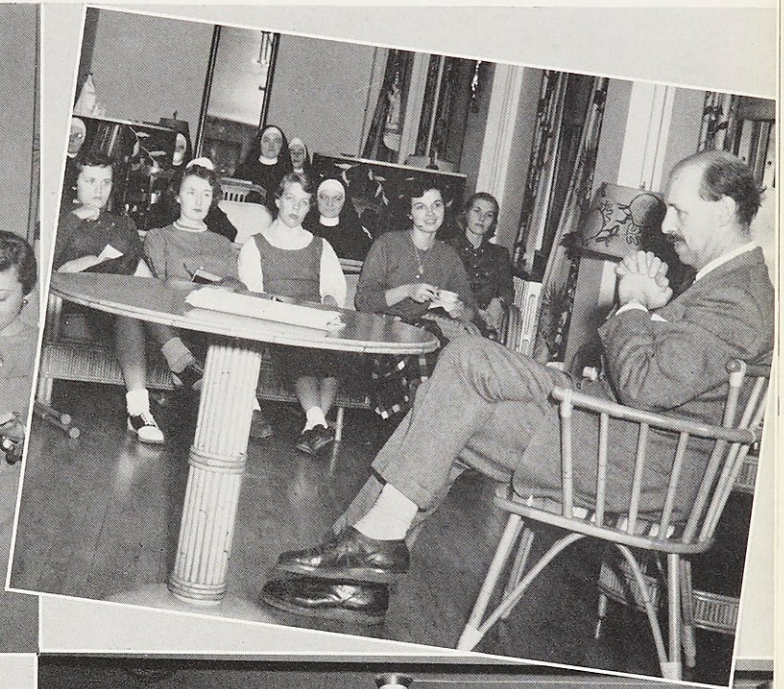
Student Government Activities

MIXERS

Mixers are perhaps the best known of the social activities sponsored by the Student Government. The Social Planning Committee, Marcia Hale, Chairman, was in charge of the planning of the eight mixers given this year.

OPEN FORUMS

The Student Government encourages the intellectual life of the students through such activities as Open Forums. Below, Dr. Leddihn, a distinguished Austrian lecturer and writer, speaks to students and faculty members at the Open Forum on November 13.



LIC CONFERENCE

The annual Loretto Intercollegiate Conference was held this year at Loretto Heights College in Denver, Colorado. Members of the Webster Student Government Board journeyed to Denver to discuss "The Role of Student Government in Loretto Higher Education" with the Student Council of Loretto Heights.

FRESHMAN WEEK

During Freshman Week members of the freshman class fill all school offices, and are given the opportunity to learn the responsibilities of office and to become acquainted with the workings of school organizations. Above are the Freshman Week Officers for 1957-1958.



Barbara Westhoff, Mary Alice Krings, Margaret Reilly, Jean Buckley, Anne Nowery, Mary Joan de Coster.

Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities

The faculty and students chose these seniors for membership in *Who's Who* because of their achievements in scholarship, their exemplary leadership, and their social responsibility in campus life. Since our theme of leadership, scholarship, and social responsibility is so well exemplified in these girls, we of the staff have chosen to give them a place of honor in the *Lauretanum*.

Barbara Westhoff, a sociology major from Elmhurst, Illinois, was elected president of the Student Government Association and chairman of the Student Government Board. Webster chose her to represent it as junior and senior delegate to NSA. In this Association she was chairman of the Missouri-Kansas Region, a member of the National Executive committee and a member of the Advisory Committee for the Student Body Presidents Conference.

Mary Alice Krings, an education major from St. Louis, has held the offices of freshman class secretary, junior class vice-president and senior class president. In the Sodality she has been elected to the offices of secretary, treasurer and senior representative. She represented her class as May Maid in her sophomore year.

Margaret Reilly, a speech and drama major from St. Louis, has been chairman and assistant chairman of the all-student musical, secretary and president for two years of Loretto Players. She was also chairman of the Kiddie Karnival and corresponding secretary for Alpha Gamma Omega (National Drama Fraternity).

Jean Buckley, a biology major from Dixon, Illinois, held during her sophomore year the offices of class vice-president and president; in this capacity she was also general chairman of the Spring Banquet. In her junior year she was elected representative to the House Committee, and in her senior year, Hall President.

Anne Nowery, a speech and drama major from Idaho Springs, Colorado, was treasurer of Loretto Players, sophomore May Maid, on the Nominating Committee for two years, and junior and senior delegate to NFCCS. As NFCCS delegate, she was president of the Central Midwest Region, and chairman of the National Policy Resolutions Committee.

Mary Joan de Coster, a sociology major from St. Louis, was sophomore representative to the Sodality Board, sophomore representative to the Student Government Board, and vice-prefect of the Sodality. In her senior year she was elected to the office of prefect of Our Lady's Sodality.



LEGION OFFICERS

Marilyn Cropper, President; Peggy Fitzgerald, Treasurer; Anna Marie Sandoval, Vice-President; Wilma Vignocchi, Secretary.

Legion of Mary

MEMBERSHIP THROUGH PRAYER

Auxiliaries contribute to the work of the Legion through the prayers they offer for its success. Shown at right are Patsy Willard, Ana Rosa Paredes, and Mary Brown Wathen.

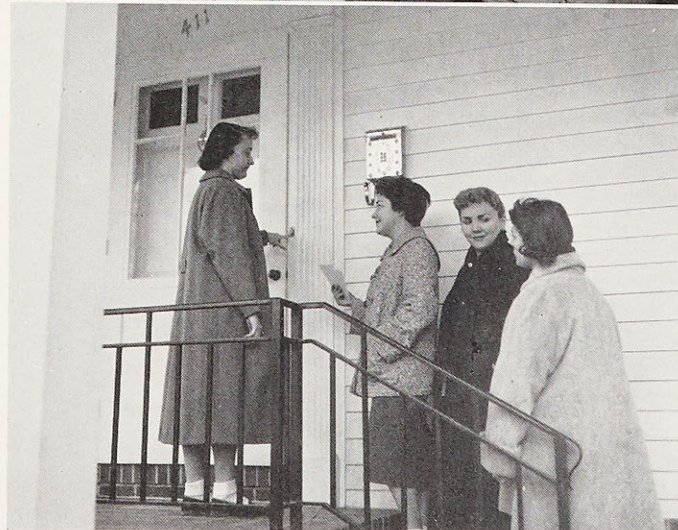
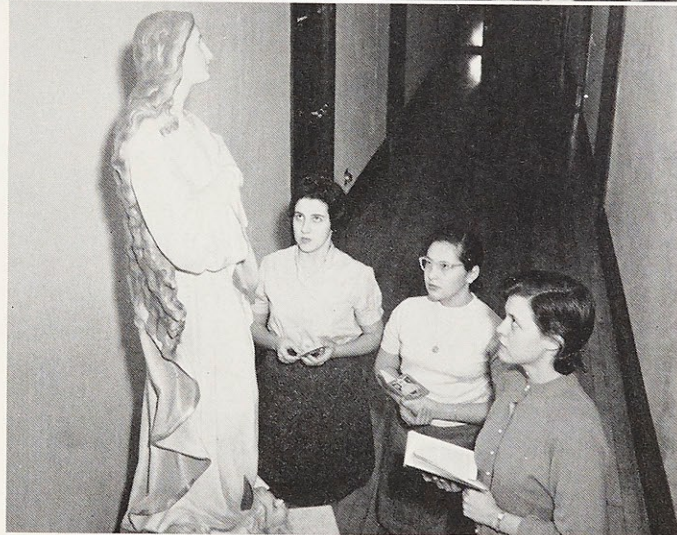
“Confer, O Lord, on us, who serve beneath the standard of Mary, that fullness of faith in Thee and trust in her, to which it is given to conquer the world.”

CENSUS TAKERS

Barbara Fortman, Jo Ann Quintana, Joe Ann Lovato and Kay Prehn take part in one of the many active works done by the Legionaries.

VISITING THE SICK

Carole Natter, Judy Seep, Joan Jans, and Tissie D’Arcy bring cheer to an Infirmary patient.



Sodality



Mary Joan de Coster, Sodality Prefect



SODALITY BOARD

Mary Alice Krings, Bette Rae Karst, Jeanne Dueber, Mary Joan de Coster, Susie Knox, Flo Granger, Mary Ann Lossos, Ann Mahoney.

Ad Jesum per Marian

COMMITTEE HEADS

Bev Schroeder, Mary Wentker, Margaret Reilly, Billie Vandover, Cathy Chaffin, Ellie Meyer.



The Sodality is the main spiritual organization on campus. Its members aspire to become lay apostles and accept the Sodality as their way of life, by consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Through unit activity, through the Apostolic Action, Christ-Life, and Marian Committees, and through their spiritual program, they aim to accomplish their threefold purpose—sanctification of self, sanctification of neighbor, and defense of the Church.

Sodality Activities

COUNSELING

Mary Bea Couch, Judy Robertson, Francey Daniel.



C.S.M.C. OFFICERS

Mary Anne Filla, Marilyn Keene, Sally Meyer, Francey Daniel.



SAYING THE LITTLE OFFICE

MAINTAINING THE PAMPHLET RACK

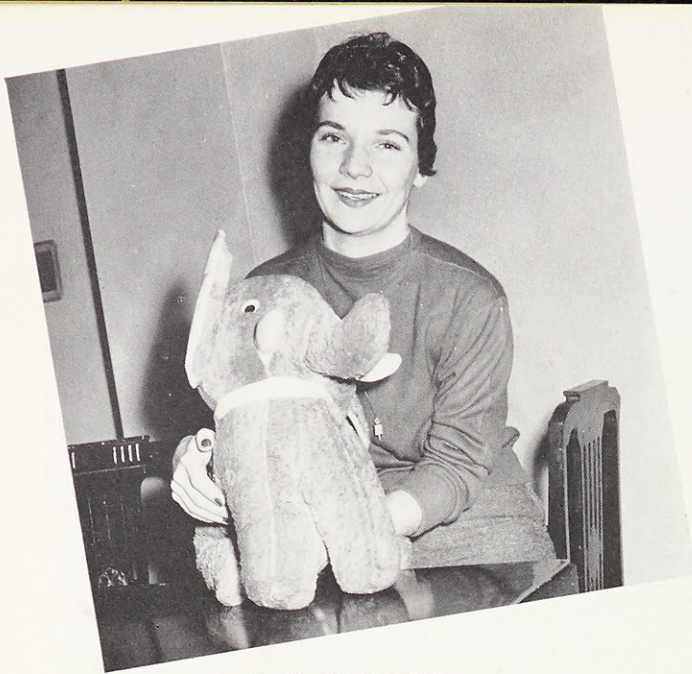
Anna Belle Steinbach, Joan Borgwald, Billie Vandover, Rosalie Filippone.

WORKING ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

Kathy Conley, Janet Turgeon, Jeanne Dueber, Janet Rastberger.

INSTRUCTING THE CANDIDATE CLASS

Jeanne Dueber with a group of probationers.



Athletic Association

The Athletic Association strives to develop the complete Webster girl through social and competitive athletics and activities. Through various aspects of sports it aims to develop in the student a sense of co-operation, good-sportsmanship, fellowship, and physical development, and, oh, yes — just plain fun.

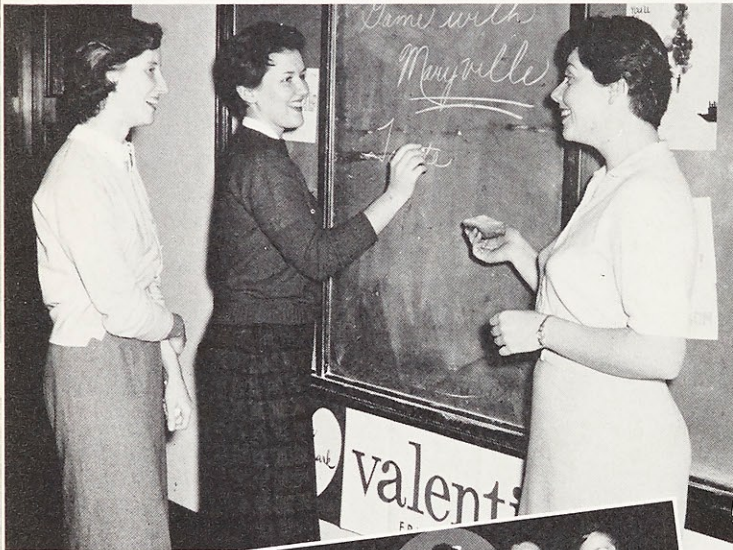
Mary Kay McDermott, President

CLUB CHAIRMEN

Sue Grewe, Modern Dance Club; Ann Washle, Hockey Club; Betty McGrath, Swimming Club.

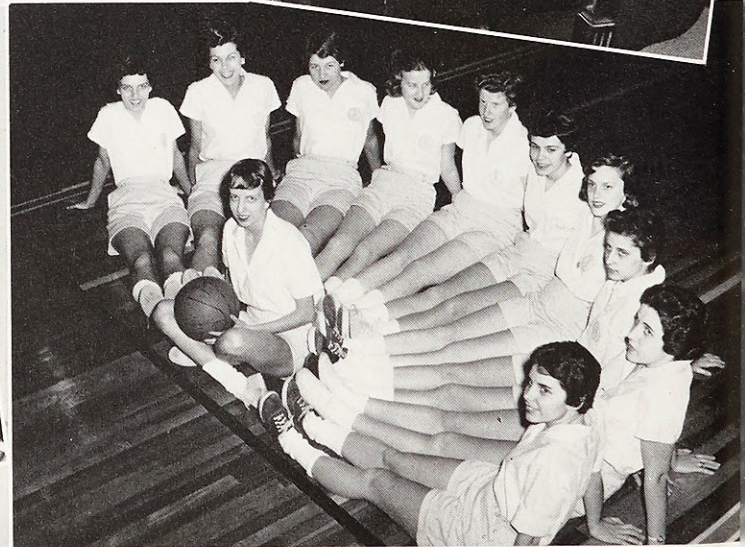
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION BOARD

Georgianne Lacy, Lou Sites, Marilyn Cropper, Mary Kay McDermott, Ann Finger, Jo Micotto, Ann Washle, Simone Royer.



VOLLEYBALL VARSITY

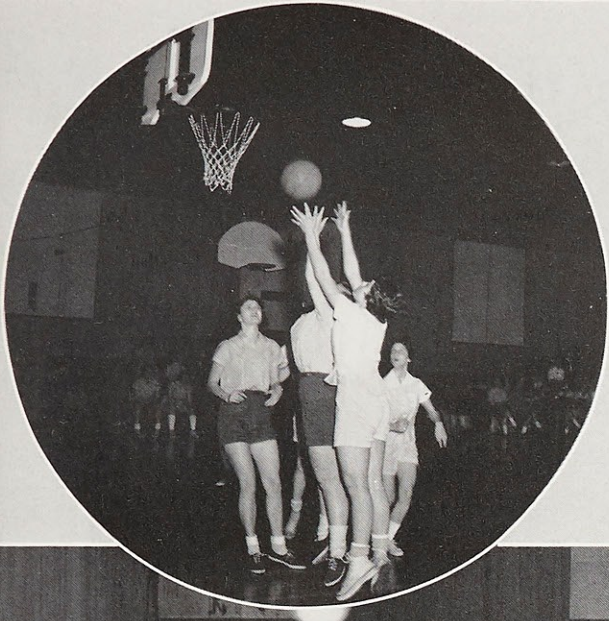
Front: Punkin Tamborello, Butch Warren, Jo Micotto, Marilyn Coppinger, Janice Croveti, Mary Ann Parrino. Back: Carol Mueller, Jean Saettele, Ann Finger, Miss Landzettel, Jeanette Hauser, Bette Rae Karst, Judy Burke Marian Dooling.



BASKETBALL VARSITY

Center: Jackie Backer. Marilyn Coppinger, Pat Schwendemann, Ann Finger, Ruthie Willenbrink, Jeanette Hauser, Mary Ann Parrino, Marian Dooling, Barbara Antonelli, Pasty Willard, Jo Micotto.

Basketball varsity game



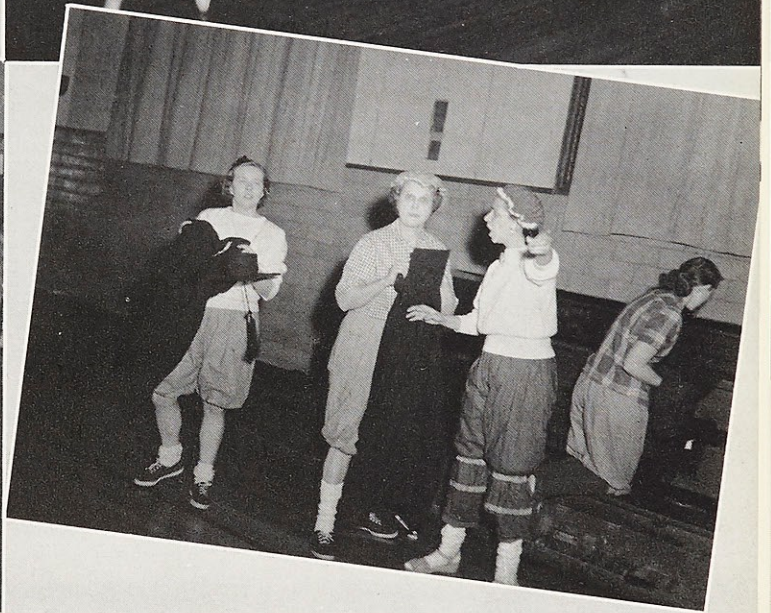
Cheerleaders: Kathy Polys, Carolyn Dulle, Dode Collette, Harriet Koester.



Mary Kay
e, Simone



The never-say-die seniors at intramurals

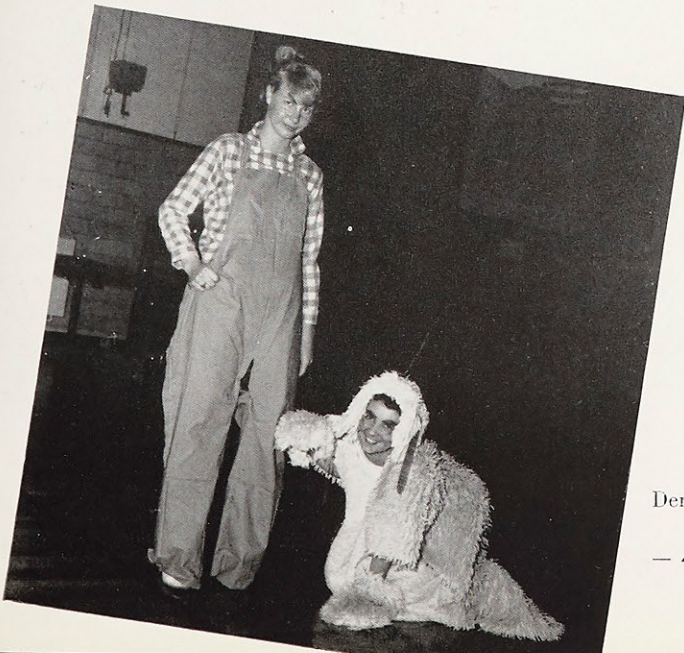


Junior-Faculty game: "Go show 'em, Mrs. B."

Athletic

Association

Activities



Dennis and Ruff—winners for the best costume at the volleyball intramurals.

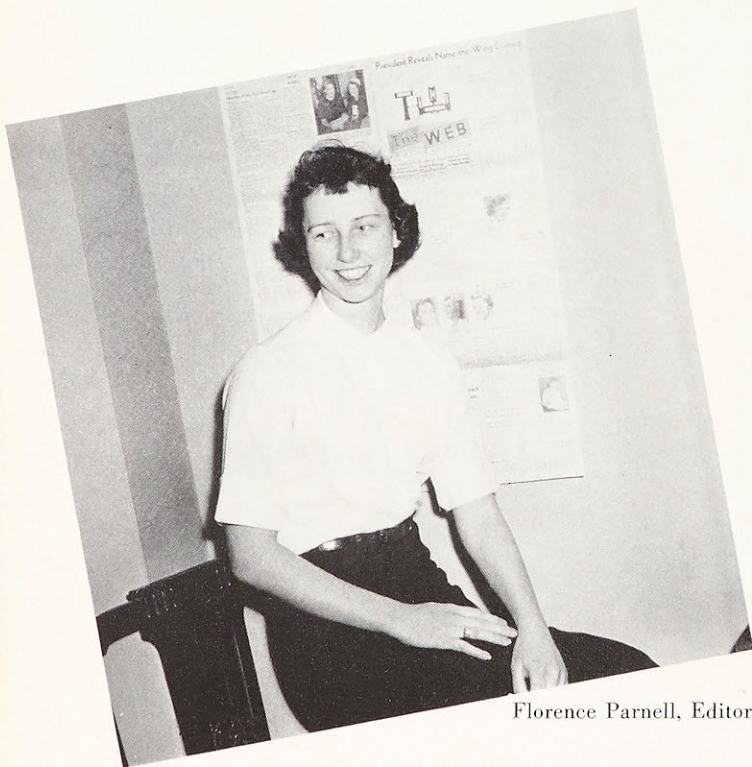
Publications



WEB STAFF

Nancy Nunn, Helen Murry, Barbara Kulla, Florence Parnell, Margaret Dashman, Billie Vandover, Chepi de la Garza, Ann Washle.

The Web



Florence Parnell, Editor.

The *Web* is the student newspaper published six times throughout the year. That the *Web* was a successful medium of student opinion was evidenced by the number of controversial letters to the editor published this year.

The aims of the *Web* staff were to report both past and future events of interest to the students, to provide feature articles for information and entertainment, and to consistently encourage and promote student opinion.

Publications



LORETTINE STAFF

Ann Fergusson, Bev Sherwood, Babs Hemann, Mary Ann Lossos,
Pat Kingsley, Bev Schroeder.



Bev Sherwood, Editor

THE LORETTINE

The *Loretine* is a literary magazine published three times annually. The purpose of the *Loretine* is to present creative and interpretative writing in the fields of poetry, essays, reviews, and short stories by the students of exceptional literary ability. Students in fields other than English have been particularly encouraged this year to contribute to the *Loretine*.

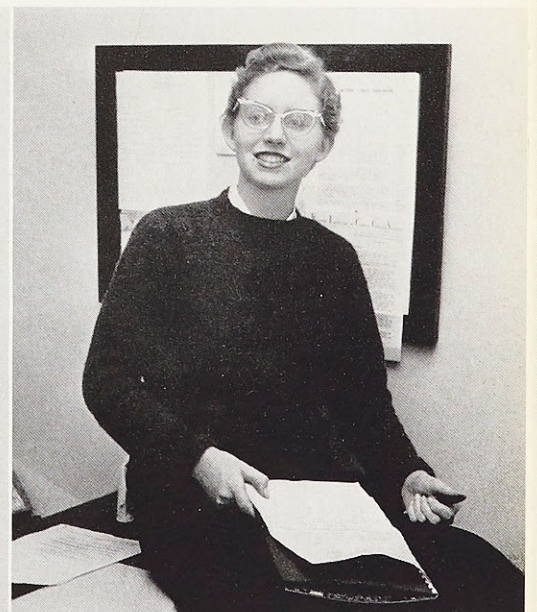
THE LAURETANUM

The *Lauretanum*, through its theme of the Webster student, has attempted to unite its aim with the aim of the Student Government: the encouragement of intellectual life on campus. The *Lauretanum* has also emphasized the importance of the qualities of leadership and social responsibility for the full development of the Webster student.



LAURETANUM STAFF

Joan Senhausen, Nadine Frett, Mary Ellen Troupe, Sandy Mangan, Bev
Brumm, Ann Woodward.



Sandy Mangan, Editor



Clubs

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

Mary Ellen Stevens, Secretary; Catherine Mazely, President; Judy Guedry, Vice-President; Jane Schmidt, Treasurer.

The function of the I.R.C. is to promote an interest in international relations. Well-known speakers talked on topics of current interest at the club's monthly meetings.

SCHOLA

The Schola is composed of a group of boarders who sing the Mass on Sundays and special feasts throughout the year.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Mary Henegar, Treasurer; Nance Rees, President; Mary Alice O'Bryan, Vice-President; Lu Chiaro, Secretary.

The Home Ec Club, for its project this year, helped the Sisters make stuffed animals and dolls for the Fall Festival. During Home Ec Week, the club sponsored a display of the various aspects of home-making in the Pink Room.

Clubs

MODERN DANCE CLUB

Martha Weiss, Ellie Meyer, Sue Grewe.

The Modern Dance Club, under the direction of Mrs. Lisbeth Hoops, offers an opportunity for creative expression in dance.



CHORAL CLUB

Helen Shepherd, President; Joan Senhausen, Vice-President; Linda Sharp, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Choral Club is open to all students interested in good choral music and group singing. Several concerts are given yearly.



LORETTO PLAYERS

Margaret Reilly, President; Ellie Meyer, Vice-President; Bev Brumm, Secretary; absent: Mary Ellen O'Brien, Treasurer.

The Loretto Players as a club endeavors to bring to its members a greater enjoyment and appreciation of all phases of drama and theatre, and to support dramatic activities and productions at Webster.



Social Responsibility

An integral part of college life is formed by the activities in which we participate. An integral part of our development here at Webster is the social responsibility which grows from this participation.

No year would be complete without its calendar of productions, banquets, parties, and projects. How many of our memories are concerned with paint, costumes, glue, rehearsals, anxious moments! How much closer together we have grown through planning, working, singing, and going without sleep — together!

We learn responsibility by being able to say *yes* when we can and *no* when we must. For time is a precious element in a student's life, and first things do come first.

This is the real joy of college activities — to do all things well, to offer loyalty and support to Webster, to grow in responsibility.

Activities



Scholarship

Leadership

Social Responsibility



"Knock 'em down and win a prize."



Mary Ann Lossos, Chairman.



"Goodies" for one and all.

Kiddie Karnival

The annual Kiddie Karnival was held October 17, 1957, on the back campus. Children from all parts of St. Louis came to try their luck at the various booths. The Kiddie Karnival is the students' special project for the Fall Festival.

Freshman Halloween Party

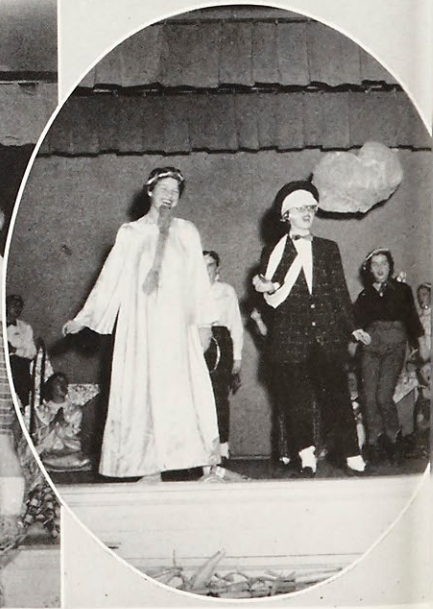
The Halloween Party was the first class project for the freshmen. Frosty Krings was chairman of the event, for which a heavenly Halloween theme was used. Following the entertainment, refreshments were served in the cafeteria.



Matilde dances for the heavenly court.



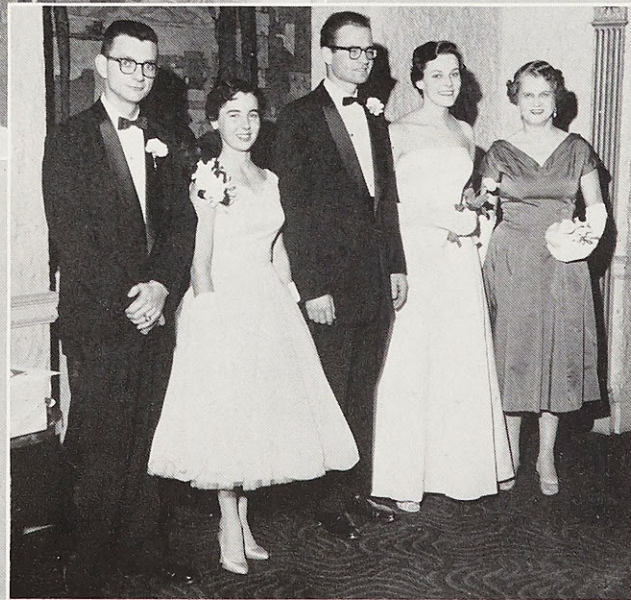
"The angels sing"



St. Peter and a new arrival.

Webster Cotillion

The Webster Cotillion was held November 19, 1957, at the Coronado Hotel.
Chairman of the event was Mary Lou Tlapek.



Introduction of Freshman Class Officers

Dancing in the *Club Caprice*

The Receiving Line

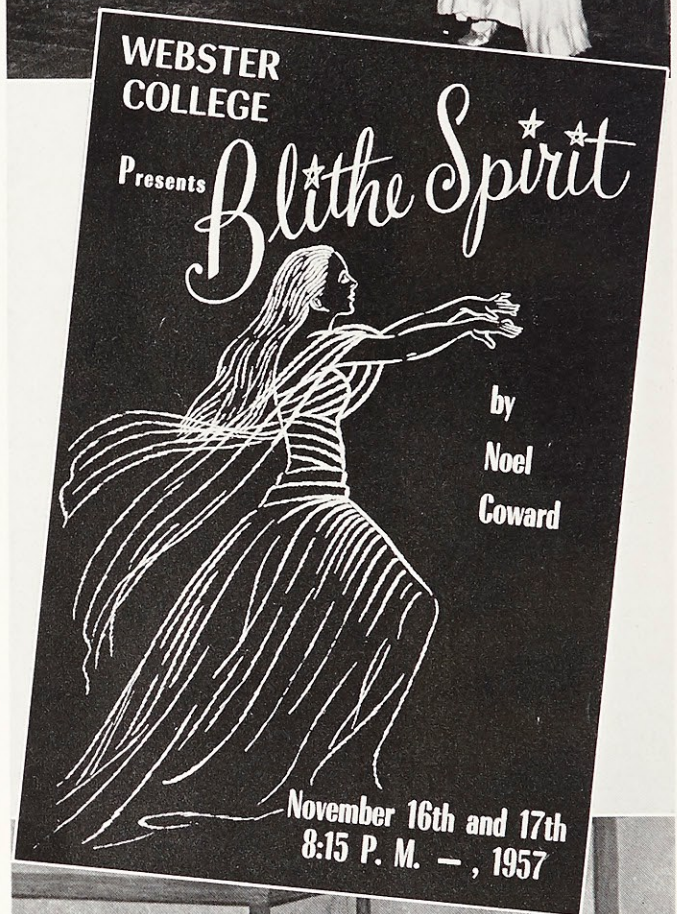
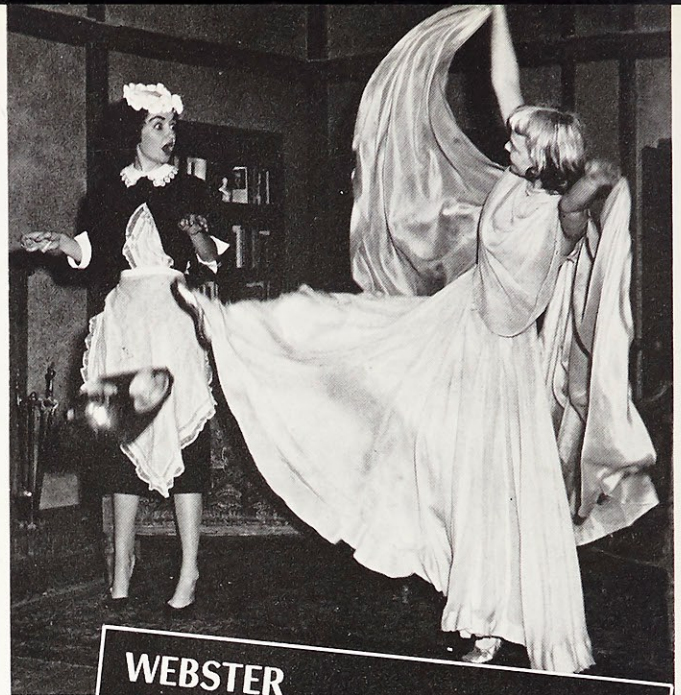
Blithe Spirit

Strange things are happening when Elvira, the "Blithe Spirit," returns to earth to visit Charles, who had been her husband while she was alive. She delights in perplexing everyone in the household, including the maid, Edith.

CAST

Edith Nancy Coad
Ruth Condomine Anne Nowery
Charles Condomine Gene Devine
Dr. Bradman Dennis O'Neil
Mrs. Bradman Mary Sue Conrads
Madame Arcati Margaret Reilly
Elvira Mary Ellen O'Brien

Attempting to establish contact with the spirit world is Madame Arcati, a slightly eccentric medium. Amused and disbelieving participants in this seance are Charles, his second wife, Ruth, and Dr. and Mrs. Bradman.



Christmas at Webster

SENIOR ASSEMBLY

"In the beginning was the Word . . ." These words formed the theme of the Christmas assembly presented by the seniors December 16, 1957.



JUNIOR ENTERTAINMENT AND DECORATIONS

"Winter Wonderland" was representative of one of several numbers which comprised the annual junior entertainment.

By their decorations throughout the school, the juniors added another contribution to the permeating Christmas spirit at Webster. The theme of the decorations was "The Gifts of the Magi." To the freshmen the juniors gave Gold, the Meaning of Christmas, through the crib scene of the Reading Room. To the sophomores they gave Frankincense, the Spirit of Christmas, as illustrated by the angels' and carolers' songs in the Pink Room. The Cafeteria was the juniors' domain; here, the Magi themselves were depicted. Dedicated to the seniors was the Ivy Room. Here, the gift from the juniors was Myrrh, the Last Webster Christmas.



BOARDERS' PARTY

The sophomores brought Christmas to the boarders' home away from home through their entertainment and exchange of gifts.

Musical



"A Sailor's Got a Gal in Every Port"



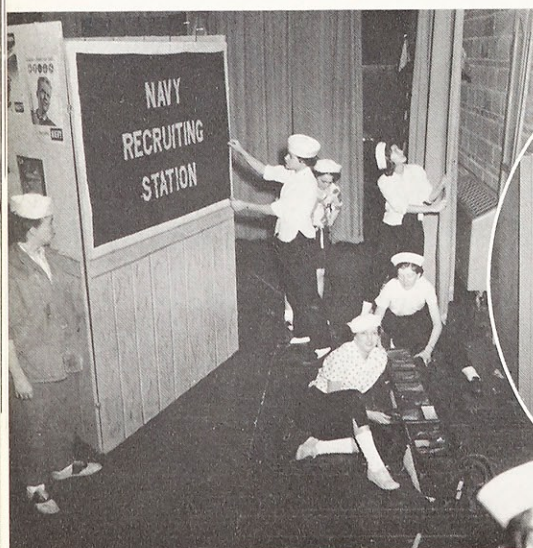
"This Is the Night"

The

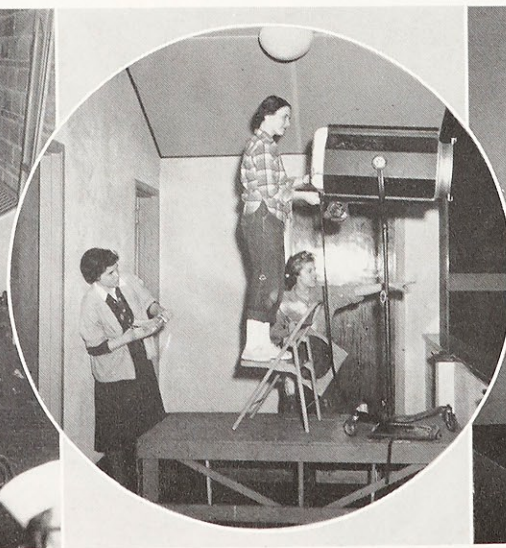
Navy

Blues

The Capable Crew



Lights — Action!



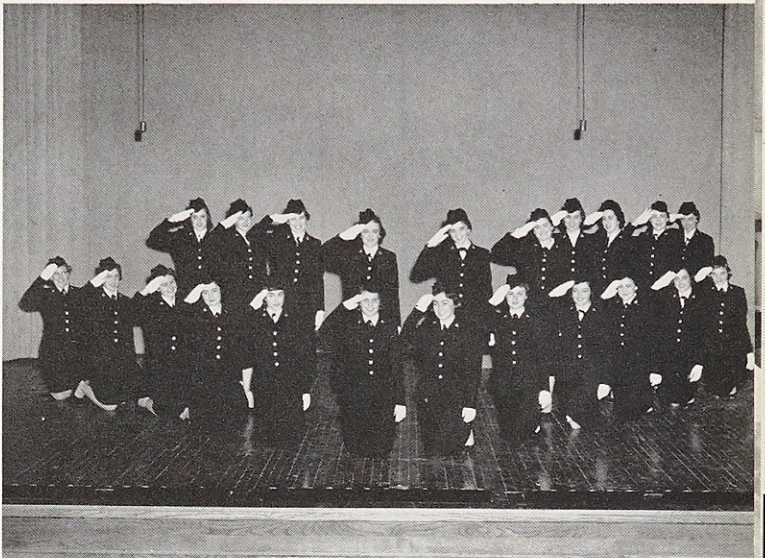
Make-up Magic



Musical



"Sign Your Life Away"



Webster's crack drill team.

The stage was set, and the curtain was rising; the Webster girls were ready to make their debut, singing, dancing, and having fun in "The Navy Blues." The all-student production was written by Margaret Reilly, and directed by her and her as-

sistant, Mary Ellen O'Brien. Original words and music were written for the show by Doris Coughlin. Another familiar figure was Mr. Larry Gallagher, of KETC-TV, who was technical director. More than 180 students were in the cast.

For me? Aw, kids!



Last-minute check



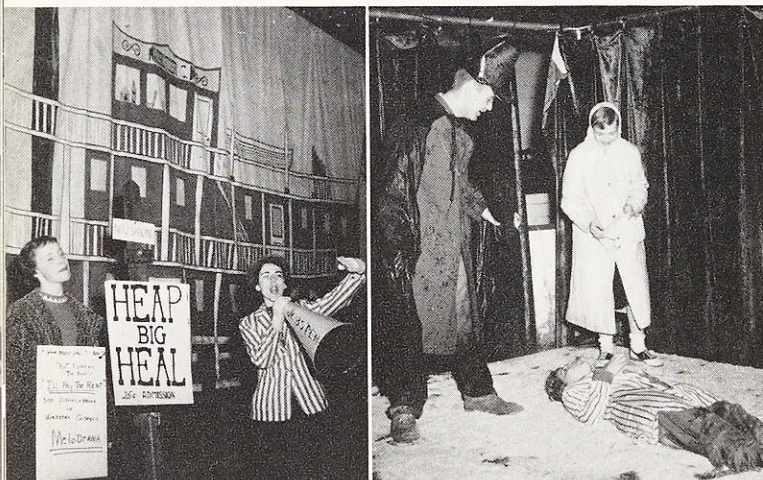
Between the scenes



Exam Time

BEFORE

AFTER



"Come one, come all, to the Webster Showboat!"

"Now, my proud beauty, I have you in my power."

Student Union Carnival

St. Louis University organized a Carnival to raise funds for the building of a Student Union. Webster participated in the affair by sponsoring a melodrama booth and selling tickets. The goal was to promote good relations and cooperation between the College and the University.

Though this was the first year in which Webster has taken part in the Carnival, the melodrama booth, under Chairman Carol Lucchesi was the fifth highest money-maker out of thirty-two booths. The ticket sales, under Chairman Carol Hannon, exceeded \$500.



It takes more than moral support.

The plot thickens!



May Day

The May Queen of 1957 was Mary Kay McDermott, a sociology major from North Little Rock, Arkansas. The May Queen is elected each year from the Junior class by the student body. As Queen, Mary Kay crowned the Blessed Virgin on May Day, and reigned over the Spring Prom.



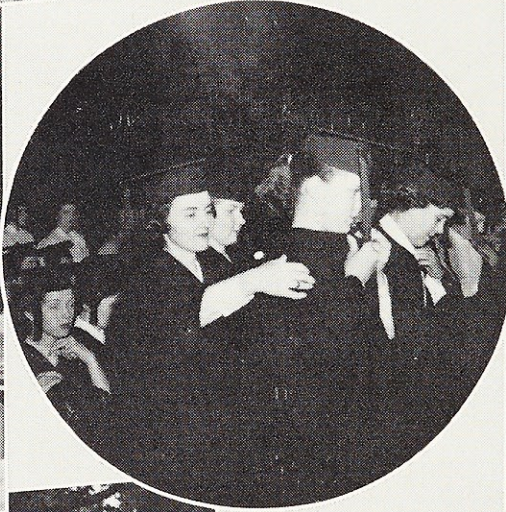
Father - Daughter Banquet



A corsage from dad to daughter
Dancing in the beautiful Khorassan Room

Dining with dad at the Chase
Afterwards — more excitement

Ain't We Got Fun!



Nice weather for Eskimos.

Our own Grand Central Station.

"Tell me, dear Webster . . ."

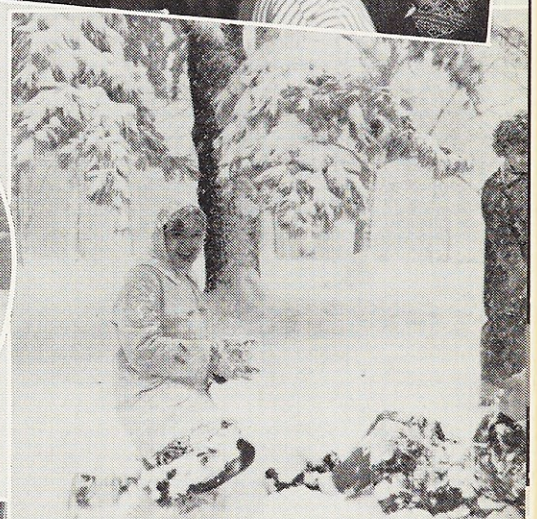
Freshmen receive caps and gowns.

May the best team win!

LIC'ers picnic on a Colorado mountainside.

"Mixing" it up at a Webster mixer.

In the Meantime



Energy for the varsity between halves.

An Ivy Room song fest.

Fun in the snow.

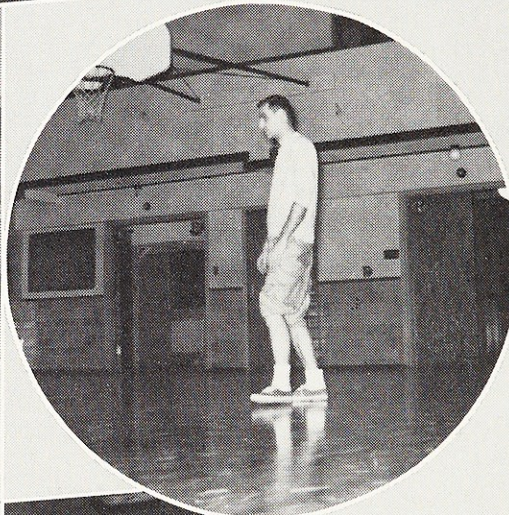
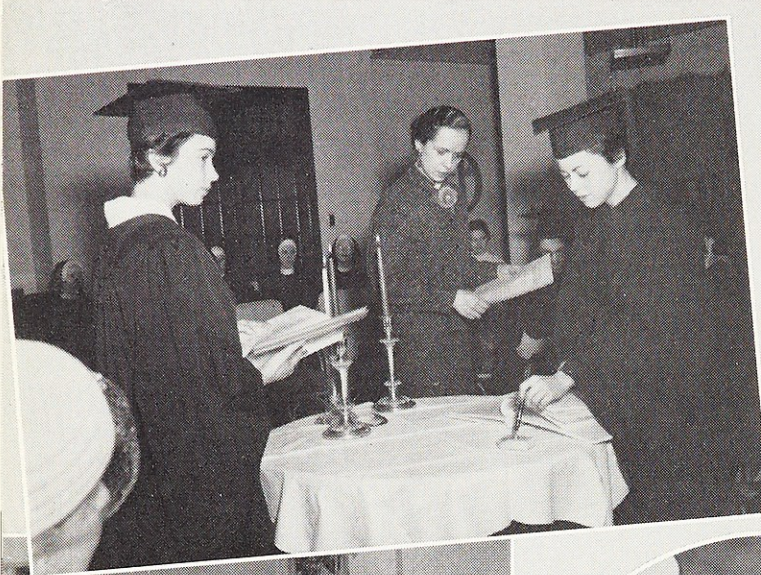
Our man!

"Watch it! I'm making a snow ball!"

"Happy Birthday, Nance!"

It'll look good on stage.

In Between Time



Reception into the French Society. Oui, oui!

Shower for the bride-to-be.

Musical try-outs.

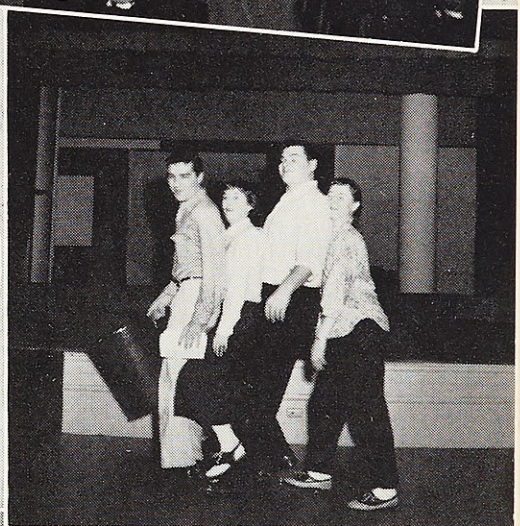
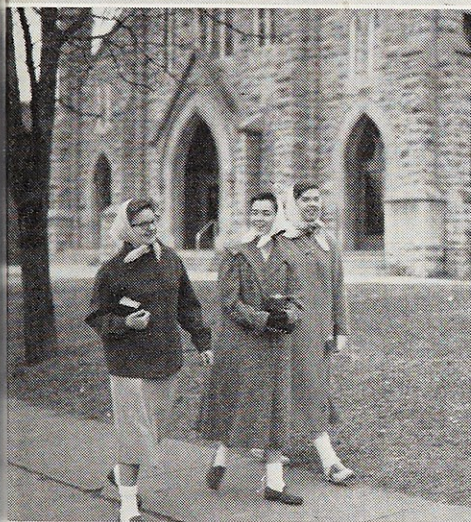
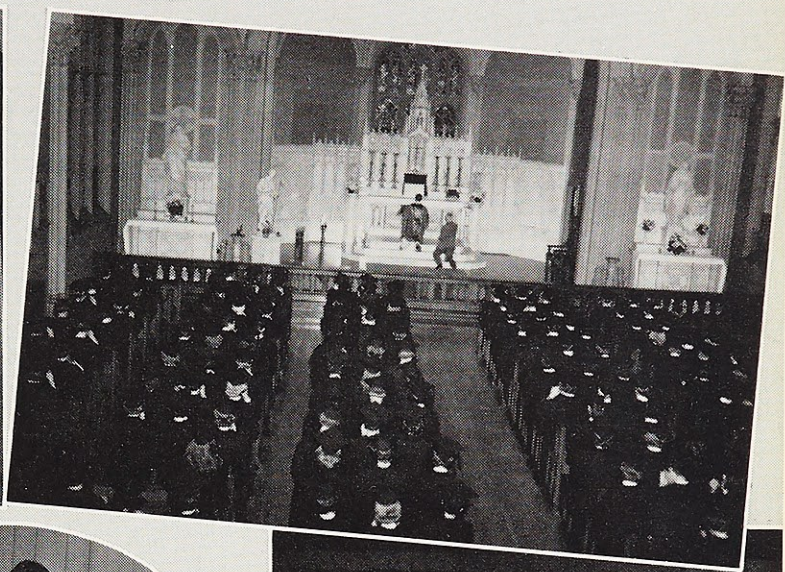
Added Attraction.

"Twenty-One."

The "Big Four."

What a shot!

Ain't We Got Fun!



"Be the Captain of Your Ship!"

Student-Faculty Mass.

Returning from daily Mass at Holy Redeemer.

"A Midsummer-Night's Dream"—in the rough.

Is this play practice?

Hurrah for Webster!

Preparing for the Fine Arts Festival.



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