

# WASP WINS EXCELLENT AWARD, THIRD TIME

At a Journalism at the University of Conference in Tucson, Arizona, May 3, 1952 at the University of Arizona, THE WASP, our school paper, won an "Excellent Award," from the Pi Delta Epsilon, Honorary Callegiate Journalism Fraternity

at the University of Arizona. All Arizona high school papers can enter the contest. This year one copy of the January issue was entered in the contest. There are two classes of papers in Arizona

schools: commercially printed and mimeographed classes. THE WASP is a mimeograph paper. One of the speakers at this conference was Clayton Smith, editor of THE EPITAPH.

# THE WASP

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## GRADUATION WEEK

Baccalaureate Service was given in the Tombstone High auditorium for the graduating seniors and the eighth graders May 18, at 8 p.m.

While the band played "Pomp and Chivalry" the seniors and eighth graders marched in. An invocation was given by Rev. William Barker. The Glee Club sang "Jesus, Priceless Treasure." Then an excellent address was given by Father Francis J. O'Reilly.

The Glee Club sang "God So Loved the World", and a benediction was given by Rev. Ferris.

TO THE STUDENT BODY-GOOD-LUCK-CLASS OF 52

## NEW TROPHY

The track team has won a new trophy to put in the trophy case down by the office. The team has done exceptionally well this year and they deserve, along with Mr. Wyeatt, a vote of thanks.

## TO MISS MORALIS

Since we have come to the end of our high school careers it is time to pause and take



## SENIORS TRAVEL

Friday, May 9, eleven seniors went to Carlsbad Caverns for ditch day. They left at five on Friday morning; that evening about four they arrived. The next morning they went for a tour of the Caverns. There was a walk of three miles through the gigantic rooms of the spectacular cave. A box lunch was served down under the ground at one time during the trip. After they came out in the elevators.

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stock. Who has done the most for us, our class? Who is our all around favorite? Miss Moralis, and to her we dedicate this issue of THE WASP. Even as bad as we've been, she has always stood by us. She is full of fun, a marvelous sport, and as young as the kids. She is the one who will always give you a another chance. Generous and charming is the best way to describe her and the senior class wishes to thank her for all she has done for us.



# THE WASP

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## ADVICE TO UNDERCLASSMEN

- PAUL LUKE: Follow the advice of others.
- LILA MAE PYEATT: Go to all the games, concerts, dances, or anything they have in school. Don't blow up the chemistry lab.
- MAX FUNK: Never give up no matter how tough things get.
- HERB HARDIN: Make going to school fun and enjoy it while you can.
- BOB BURROWS: Work hard and get all you can out of school.
- PAULINE ZEPEDA: Obey the teachers and advisors.
- MARY ELLEN PEROTTI: Take part in club and class activities. Get along with your classmates.
- FRANK GARCIA: Let the Student Council lead you. Follow their suggestions.
- NANCY HUNT: Get work in on time. Do the things well as you can. Don't be afraid to be different and be as individual as you can.
- HORTENSIA GONZALES: Don't talk back to the teachers or act smart.
- LOTTIE HILL: Mind your own business.
- JOHNNIE ELLIOTT: Co-operate with everyone. Help other people out, and learn everything you can while you are in school.
- MARGOT WINTHROP: Co-operate with the teachers and you'll get reward for it.
- BANK BAKARICH: Learn to keep your mouth shut.
- ANGELIO ALCANTAR: Think of other people when making a decision.
- ARMY WALLACE: Get along with everyone next year.
- ISRAEL ABRIL: Keep up your studies and finish school.
- BETTY JANE ROSSETTE: Do your work in school, obey the teachers and mind your own business.

## WE THE SENIORS

We the Senior class wish to thank the Juniors for climaxing our last year of high school with an excellent banquet and prom. It will leave a great impression on all of us throughout the years to come. We also thank the Sophomore girls who served this fine well planned banquet.

We personally want to thank the faculty, the school board, and Mr. Meyer, for their guidance and co-operation among all of us in the past four years work.

To our future seniors we wish to best of luck and the advice to always get along with your teachers.

We now say goodbye to TUHS, there will always be memories of our teachers, friends, and the good times we had together.

## HAPPY VACATION

Now that summer vacation is here, many of us will be making plans on how to have an enjoyable time.

Some of us will stay in our own home towns and fine things to do there. There will be swimming, picnics, dancing, and just plain loafing.

Others will make trips to different states, or maybe even different countries.

Whatever you may do have a good time and come back next year refreshed and raring to go, you are all well come at TUHS.



### JA GO SWIMMING

Splash! Brr! I can't swim. Is the water cold? Can you guess what this is all about? No? Then I'll tell you the junior class and their sponsor Mrs. McNulty were just starting on their semester picnic.

The whole class went to the park at St. David for an evening of swimming, fun and frolic. After swimming the kids ate a picnic lunch and drank soda pop. At 7:30 p.m. they came home all tired out.

All this took place on May 7, 1952 and was their last school activity for this year.

### SCHOOL IS OUT

The freshmen are looking happy, school for them has shined, but they are glad and snappy, to have left a year behind.

The sophomores think it's a hard job for them to keep going, and on the run.

The juniors and so ever glad, to look behind and see.

the work and toil they always had and say "They did it all for me."

They seniors will be going into the world of hard facts, but the wind won't cease blowing

### EX CHANGE

The Parker, Arizona High School has started a new De Molay Club. The club is to fit the members to the way of clean living and better citizenship. Also the election of student officers for next year has been held.

From Scottsdale we learn that their high school paper "The Beaver", has won its eighth consecutive All American rating. The April 25 issue of The Beaver was published without any help at all from their advisor.

A chinaman walking on a mountain trail happened to glance back and see a grizzly bear sniffing his foot prints. The chinaman turned to the bear and said, "You likee my tracks? I makee some more."

The Badger

I want to be a senior  
 And with the seniors stand  
 A fountain pen behind  
 my ear  
 A note book in my hand  
 I wouldn't be an angel  
 For angels have to sing

I'd rather be a senior  
 And never do a thing.

The Badger

when they look into  
 their past.

The juniors, they  
 leave behind,  
 with hopes and fears.  
 The sophomores, and  
 freshmen  
 with hardships and  
 tears.

By a fellow classmate.

### BOYS STATERS

The American Legion has selected two boys from the Junior class of THIS to go to Boys' State.

They are selected every year and Johnnie Escobedo and Bob Watson were the honored ones.

They are chosen on their leadership, dependability, honesty, and should be in good health and good scholastic standing.

The purpose of Boys' State is to make for better citizens and to be able to get along with other people. They will leave May 30 and will return June 6. A full week of excitement will be planned for the boys.

### FLAT TIRE

Get a horse! Have a nice walk! The kids who ride the port bus thought they were going to have to do these things. For the first time this year the bus had a flat. However, it did a good job and had two flats in one day. The first was in Tombstone, the next at Buena school. The time between, twelve and four o'clock and again at five o'clock on the first day of May.

With help of a few of the husky boys who ride the bus the driver soon had the tire changed and was on his merry way. By this time part of the kids were home.



# EIGHTH GRADERS Look To H.S.

The eighth grade has now finished their long term of eight years in Grammar School. They are now entering their high school years, which will determine their future.

The eighth grade has had an active school year with their active officers, which are: Rosie Cons, president; Barbara Baldenegro, vice-president; and Charles Dickson, secretary-treasurer. Their class dues were 25 cents for every six weeks.

Their activity was a picnic, held at Walnut Gulch. They were accompanied by Gleason school bus driver, Mr. H. Mars, and sponsor Mr. Webb. They had all sorts of eats, and for transportation they used the Gleason school bus.

They have also decided what will be done for graduation. The girls will wear blue dresses, white shoes, white gloves, and white carnations. The boys will wear blue suits, white shirts, ties, and white carnations. The Salutatorian will be Wanda Lee Johnson.

The eighth grade consists of the following members; Barbara Baldenegro, Tomma Ballestero, Rosie Cons, Charles Dickson, James Fish, Steven Hockstad,

# GREAT SUCCESS

"Garden of Friendship," the theme of the Junior and Senior Banquet and Prom, was a big success and enjoyed by all present. The Banquet and Prom were held in the high school cafeteria.

A garden wall over which flowers hung lined the walls. There was a "Wishing Well" in one corner filled with different colored ballons. The table decorations carried out the theme.

The menu was: fried chicken; vegetables; potatoes; salad; preserves; hot rolls; strawberry shortcake; ice tea; and nuts.

"Somewhere Over the Rainbow," and "Moonlight and Roses," were sung by Sandy Alandar, Shirley Elliott, Socorro Castro, Guenn Bakarich, Pat Reagan, Pat Felland, Nancy Ward, and Mary Jane Doll. They were accompanied by Lila Mae Pyeatt on the piano.

After the banquet the juniors, seniors, board members, faculty, and guests enjoyed the prom. Music was furnished by the "Fort Huachuca Band."

Frances Kellar, Pete Kieffer, Wanda Lee, Richard Lopez, Arthur Martinez, Rina McKay, Bill O'Brion, Bill Peterson, Gloria Quiroz, Stuart Ross, Joetta Sanders, Tommy Simmons, Richard Smith, Ramona Valerio, and Geraldine Wright.

# LAST SPANISH MEETING

The Spanish Club, met April 30, which was the last meeting of the season. It was one of the best meeting the Spanish Club has had during the school term.

The members decided to have a Spanish supper at Miss Moralis's, home May 14, as the last activity. A food and entertainment committee was appointed by the president of the club. Mary Ellen Perotti, Hortensia Gonzales, and Macie Ann DeVere, were appointed for the food committee. Pete and Pauline Zepeda were appointed for the entertainment committee.

Pins were ordered for the twelve new members of the club.

Officers for the coming year were also elected, they are as follows: President, Pete Zepeda; Vice-president, Socorro Castro; Secretary, Guenn Bakarich; Treasurer, Pat Felland; Reporter, Rose Mary Moffett; and Historian, Nancy Ward. The meeting was than adjourned by the President of the club, Lila Mae Pyeatt.

What would happen if we didn't have these?

- P-----inal exams?
- L-----eaving seniors?
- J-----ups and downs?
- N-----uts?
- K-----idding?
- E-----nd of school?
- D-----itch Day?



# WASP SPORTS

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## JACKETS BEAT ST. DAVID BENSON BOWS TO TUHS

Herb Hardin pitched Tombstone to a to 1 victory over St. David Friday night. He allowed only one hit but gave up numerous base on balls. The one run for St. David came when McRae walked with one out, he stole second. When Hardin tried to pick him off at second base he threw the ball out of reach of the second base man. McRae went to third and came on home when the out fielder also missed the ball. Hardin settled down after that and got the side out.

Tombstone scored first in the first inning on three hits. With two outs George Smith singled, stole second and third then Hardin singled to left scoring Smith. Max Funk also came through with his second hit of the season but then the men died on base. They scored again in the second and third innings. The last run was scored when Max Funk, with one out, tripled to center field then he was scored on a squeeze play.

The totals for the two teams:

For St. David one out, eight free passes and their pitcher struck out five Tombstone batters.

George Smith with a little help from Andy Escarcega limited Benson to five hits and beat Benson 3-2.

Tombstone had to come from behind to win going into the top of the sixth inning Benson led 2-0. Larry Gardner started off for Tombstone got on base with an error then stole second and third.

At this point A. Escarcega relieved G. Smith the starting pitcher. Andy gave up two hits but no runs in the two innings he pitched.

Andy singled then M Funk singled him to third then Smith got on base by being hit, Gardner singled in the tying and winning runs.

Tarazon singled and Smith was tagged at home trying to score.

For Tombstone eight hits, Max Funk's triple being the longest blow of the game. And Hardin struck out 16 St. David batters. Max Funk, left fielder, for Tombstone had two hits, a single and a triple in three times at bat. Merrill got the only hit for St. David.

## MARTINEZ WINS CLASS B MILE

Ciriaco Martinez

Wok the mile run in the class B state meet with a time of 4:37.4. This is the fifth mile run he has won in this years competition, Junior, which is his nick name in school, came within 7/10 of a second of breaking the record. He also ran the mile faster than they did in the class A meet.

Next track season, "Junior" will not be able to compete in track. His place will be hard to fill.

## TRACK TEAM PLACES

Tombstone track team placed second in a tri-meet held in Benson May 10, with 45 points.

Frank Garcia racked in 14 points for Tombstone, Ciriaco Martinez was second for TUHS with 10 points.

Tombstone thinclads placed in the following events: C. Martinez first in mile and 880. F. Garcia second in low and high hurdles, second in 100 yard dash first in 220 dash.

H. Hardin third in broad jump and high jump, M. Funk fourth in broad jump, A. Escarcega third in high hurdles, fourth in mile run, J. Escarcega third in mile run.

F. Tarazon second in the 440 dash and 800 run, J. Raasveld, second in shot put, second in discus.



# LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the senior class of Tombstone Union High School, County of Cochise, and state of Arizona, being in sound mind, do hereby on this twenty-second day of May, 1952, publish and declare this to be our last will and testament.

I, Manuel Abril, will the braces on my teeth to Andy Escarcega and my sure cure for old age to David Burrows.

I, Aurelio Alcantar, will my ability to be late for school to Ruben Dominguez.

I, Lila Mae Pyeatt, will my poodlè hair cut to Nancy Ward and my baritone to Ciriaco Martinez.

I, Johnnie Elliott, will my lady like hands to Larry Gardner.

I, Nancy Hunt, will my ability to be bad in Glee Club to Macia Ann DeVere.

I, Pauline Zepeda, will my little feet to Mike Werstlein, and my ability to cooperate to Sandra Alandar.

I, Max Funk, will my incessant chattering to Socorro Castro.

I, Frank Garcia, will one of my low hurdles to Herman Fischer.

I, Mary Ellen Perotti, will my reducing pills to J. Daley Goodman.

I, Paul Luke, will my ability to play football to Beverly Banks.

I, Margot Northrop, will my long hair to Humbert Federico.

I, Herb Hardin, will my ability to play first base to Gene Nunnally.

I, Hortensia Gonzales, will my ability to play tennis to Coco Guertin.

I, Betty Jane Rossette, will my tenor saxophone to Frank Tarazon.

I, Bob Burrows, will my ability to ditch school without being caught to Donna Fleming.

I, Lottie Hill, will my ability to be a cheerleader to Ester Montijo.

I, Tommy Wallace, will in sound mind and beat up body, my low made pants to some up and coming freshman, Joe Haire.

I, Fred Bakarich, will my ability to go on all the class picnics to Bob Watson.

## LETTERING SENIORS

The graduating class of 1952 has 10 lettermen that participated in sports through out their four years of high school.

Frank Garcia has lettered three years in football, three years in basketball, two years in track.

Fred Bakarich lettered three years in football, one in basketball, and one year in track.

Paul Luke has earned six major letters.

Three in football, two in basketball and one in baseball.

Manuel Abril lettered twice in football; once in basketball, and twice in baseball.

Bob Burrows has earned three major letters in basketball. One here and two in Illinois.

Herb Hardin earned two letters in football, two in basketball, two in baseball, and one in track at Douglas. One in basketball, one in baseball, and one in track in Tombstone.

Max Funk lettered

in baseball this year.

Aurelio Alcantar lettered one year as manager of the football squad.

Johnnie Elliott lettered in football in Tombstone.

Tommy Wallace has earned 13 letters in his high school career. At Exeter, Calif. he lettered three years in football, basketball, two years in baseball and one year in track. In Tombstone he lettered in football, basketball, baseball, and track.

GOOD LUCK SENIORS



# CLASS PROPHECY

WERR HARDIN In France, training the girls, his speciality, to be models or have the figure he thinks every female should have.

NANCY HUNT We will find her in Daguer's Place in New York, sporting a "boodle hair cut". She has blond hair and is seen in TV twice a week.

FRANK GARCIA Finally got his National Guard discharge and is now head football coach of Stanford University.

BELORES HILL Her dream was fulfilled. She now lives in a castle over-looking the Med. Sea, living in complete comfort.

BOB BURROWS His outstanding talent in Jr. Sr. Play of '52 got him to Hollywood. His next picture is "The Troubles of a Bachelor".

TOMMY WALLACE Became a Pharmacist and now owns the Wallace Drug Store Chain. His main drink each day is the famous "Hadacol".

HILA MAE EYBATE After her part in the "Secret Door", she became a woman Sherlock Holmes. Her latest case is that of the robbery of the Blarney Stone.

MARY ELLEN PEROTTI Decided to do something about her dancing. She is now President and founder of the Twinkle Toes Dancing Studio Has ninety per cent of Arthur Murray's customers.

PAUL LUKE Remember the great American Problem's Republican? Everything is top secret and very few people know what he's been doing. He is now raising Mascots for the Democratic Party.

MARCELLO ALCANTAR As a '52 graduate, he has worked at Notre Dame, West Point, and Texas A&M (all men colleges). Lately he's been saving money, he figures its never too late to enter much less learn.

BETTY JANE ROSSETTE In South America, living in complete luxury

She became a nurse and married a doctor who was then a Colonel in the Air Force. Bet she hasn't given Arizona a thought.

HOFIENSIA GONZALES She's behind the Iron Curtain. Yes, she is our first lady ambassadoress to Moscow. The Professor's machine shows she is showing the Russians what Democracy really is.

FRED BAKARICH Owns a ranch in western New Mexico Big cattle king now and has a big interest in several big business deals. He spends his time raising, cain, whoopie, and kids.

MARGOT NORTHROP Yes, that gal always wanted to be someone to serve her country. After graduating from several large colleges she became an Admiral in the Navy and is now roaming the high seas.

PAULINE ZEBEDA Remember how well she played the violin? She now plays for the Boston Soudphory Orchestra. In the Professor's machine, we can hear her playing the latest. Kichadorski's "Burstin' Bubbles Blues."

MAX FUNK He preferred New Jersey, so he left Tombstone as soon as he graduated. He is now a big wheel and has installed the Funk and Company Contractors Co. Their next contract is to build new airplane landings on several New Jersey's skyscrapers.

MANUEL ADRIEL After graduating from the Northrop Aeronautical Institute, he now owns one of the same name. Just lately he is getting ready to fly to Mars. Last week he made a trial run to the moon.

JOHN ELLIOTT Nope, he would never think of leaving good old Tombstone. He became a professor of inventions and if it hadn't of been for him, we could never have told you where all the '52 graduates are. He was class president.

BEST WISHES TO INCOMING SENIORS



# WHO'S WHO?

Who is the senior boy that gets all the attention? Could it be Tom Wallace? Some people have all the breaks.

He seems to have all the comforts of home, even a bed in American Problems, class! He doesn't have a thing to worry about but to recover from his operation, which he hopes will be real soon.

Everyone is getting Tommy's idea now and complaining about all sorts of aches and pains. Well, kids maybe you could trade places with, Tommy.

don't from Page 1 they climbed up on an observation tower and looked around at the mountain. Then about 1 p.m. that after noon which was Saturday; they headed back for El Paso which had delighted them. Finally they found a lovely motel there where, they spent the night. It was supposed to be the second largest in the world and it had a swimming pool, but no one had brought their swimming suits. That night about half of them went to a show and the rest amused themselves at a carnival. Sunday morning they all went to El Paso; across the border from El Paso. After a pleasant hours shopping they returned for lunch in El Paso, then started for home.

# GLEE CLUB ENTERTAINS

The TUNHS Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. George Allister entertained at the Community Church, May 1, 1952, for the Ladies Aid Society.

There selections were: "Some Enchanted Evening," "Make Believe," and "Beautiful Savior." They were accompanied by Lila Mae Pyeatt.

The Glee Club enjoyed refreshments after they had sung.

# TOM IS IT

There is a bronze placque down in the hall which was presented to TUNHS in 1948 and every year the senior with the highest high school average has his or her name put on this placque. For 1952 the senior whose name is going to be put there is Tommy Wallace. This is a great honor, perhaps the greatest one that can be won in high school.

- G-----graduation
- R-acket-----Glee Club
- A-ntique--Band Instruments
- D-ainty-Gay Lee Steadman
- U-rchin-Norman Darnell
- A-dorable----Gowns at Prom
- T-exas---John Copeland
- I-independent----Sandy Alandar
- O-bservant---Mr. Meyer
- N-uts-Humbert Federic

# LAST SUPPER

The last Spanish Club supper was served Wednesday night, May 14. The group had their delicious supper at Miss Moralis' home. A meal consisted of beans, salad and tortillas, with ice tea as a beverage.

After the meal the group sang Spanish songs and tried to talk as much Spanish as possible. The group left Miss Moralis' at 8 p.m.

# FAMILY RECORD

Donald F. Mendell, a former student of Tombstone, was enlisted to the Air Force. He was also a university student.

Mendell is the third member of his family and represents the third generation to enlist in the Air Force.

Both his grandfather, E. F. Mendell, joined the Army in 1902, and was transferred to the Army Air Corps in 1921, as a pilot, his uncle, J. A. Mendell was commissioned in 1941, as a pilot, and they have both retired. They hold many decorations and awards.

# EX CHANGE

The Bisbee journalism class will have bound volumes of a complete set of this year papers for sale after the last issue is out.