

The Senior Class of Hillsdale High School

presents

The Death and Life
of
Larry Benson

By Reginald Rose



Adapted from television
by Kristin Sergel

The Dramatic Publishing Company

The Death and Life of Larry Benson

November 17 - 18, 1961

Davis Intermediate School Auditorium

Cast In Order Of Appearance

SUSAN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Rosanne Guttrich
MARY ELLEN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Cheryl Guss
JESSIE BENSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ruthene Dohm
FREDA BENSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mary Lou Piriczky
GRACE WILKEY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Gloria Bond
MABEL POTTER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Barbara Tyler
WALTER POTTER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mike Perrine
SAM BENSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Dave Kilgren
MRS. FITCH	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Karenlee Luke
NETTIE CLARK	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Donna Rosenow
MELVIN CLARK	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Gary Bildner
THE BOY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Terry Greening
GREGORY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Gary Guttrich
BUD MERKEL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mike March

PLACE: The living room of the Benson home in the small town of Oakmont.

TIME: The present.

Synopsis

ACT I A Saturday afternoon in late summer

ACT II Immediately following Act I

ACT III Sunday morning

Production Staff

Production Manager: Ed Minihan

Student Directors: Bill Pennock, Jon Ziegler

Stage Set: Ed Minihan

Stage Crew: Larry Nill, David Good, Grant Baker, Dean Walters, Tim Schobert, Charles Crandall, Dennis Passmore

Lighting: Larry Nill, David Good, Charles Crandall, Grant Baker

Sound Effects: Dean Walters

Make up: Barbara Morrison, Jean Lowell, Charlene Spencer, Sue Stebbins, Diane Burket, Patty Trine, Martha Michelson, Mary Ann Ort, Marjorie Osborne, Trudy Proctor, Ann Falk

Prompters: Dinah Kirby, Diane Burket, Barbara Morrison

Business

Tickets: Bill Moore, Dutch Poppink

Programs: Bill Pennock

Publicity: Dean Walters, Ed Minihan, Tim Schobert, Larry Nill, Diane Kennel, Dinah Kirby

Captain of the house: Mike Fitzpatrick

Ushers: Martha Kaas, Barbara Dodge, Judy Lockwood, Marilyn Bunce, Janet Brown, Patty Trine, Gary Kilgore, Jim Thayer, Milton Bliss, Carl Bolin, John Benzing, Dave Lehman, Sam LoPresto

The Senior Class wishes to extend its sincere appreciation to the Blossom Shop, Montgomery Ward, and The Spinning Wheel for the help and materials given to us.

We would also like to thank the faculty and custodians of both the Senior High and Davis Intermediate schools for helping to make this play a success.



MUSIC BY HILLSDALE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Robert M. Lint, Director

On the Street Where You Live	-	-	-	-	-	-	Loewe
I Talk to the Trees	-	-	-	-	-	-	Loewe
A Trumpeter's Lullaby	-	-	-	-	-	-	Anderson
Thank Heaven for Little Girls	-	-	-	-	-	-	Loewe
Segue Music to Act III from Exodus	-	-	-	-	-	-	Gold

Directed by John Hopkins

Class Advisor, Mr. E. V. Fredlund

JUNIOR-SENIOR RECEPTION
"EMERALD ISLE"

featuring

The Maroon Men

Friday, May 11, 1962

High School Cafetorium

9 'til 12

\$1.25 Single
~~\$2.50 Couple~~

TO THE PARENTS OF HILLSDALE HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS:

The annual senior class all night party will be held at the Hillsdale Country Club, from midnight to sunrise Friday, May 11, following the Junior-Senior Reception.

All seniors and their dates are invited. Dates do not have to be seniors. All seniors should come to the party whether or not they attend the High School Reception.

Many students prefer to change their clothes after the Reception. We suggest school clothes. Traditionally, the students do not 'come and go', at the Country Club party. They leave only to take a date home or to leave for good.

Parents are asked to contribute \$2.00 toward the cost of the party. PLEASE, send this as soon as possible to the High School office. If you would like to help with one of the following committees, they would appreciate your calling:

CO-CHAIRMEN: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brott — HE 7-4848
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foulke—HE 7-4628

FOOD COMMITTEE: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodge — HE 7-7276

ENTERTAINMENT: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sprout—HE 7-4357

DECORATIONS: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walters—HE 7-3204

CHAPERONES: Mr. and Mrs. William Poppink — HE 7-7655

Wont you help us make this a wonderful party?

DICK and DOROTHY ECKERT
(Finance committee)

28th Annual

Spring Concert



Hillsdale High School Band and Orchestra

ROBERT M. LINT, Director

JACK W. LINT, Assistant Director



Davis Intermediate School Auditorium

Wednesday, May 16, 1962

8:15 p. m.

Program

Orchestra

L'Arlésienne, Suite No. 1 *Bizet*

Prélude

*Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring *Bach*

Allegro appassionato *Saint-Saëns*

MELINDA FOULKE, Soloist

EDWYN HAMES, Conductor

*Sinfonietta in G Major, "From the Western World" . . . *Dvorak-Kopp*

Finale

Sandpaper Ballet *Anderson*

15 MINUTE INTERMISSION

Band

*The Pearl Fishers Overture *Bizet*

*First Suite in E-flat for Military Band *Holst*

Chaconne

Intermezzo

March

Porgy and Bess, Selection *Gershwin*

Juba Dance *Dett*

The World is Waiting for the Sunrise, March *Alford*

*State Festival Performance

Orchestra Personnel

1st Violin

*Lila Kahle,
concertmistress
Elisbeth Worley
Diane Schryer
*Johanna Foster
Carol Pattison
Mary Martinen
Judy Scholl
Connie MacDowell
Bonnie Adams
Jennie Palms
Linda Knowles
*Charlene Spencer

2nd Violin

Susan Gambill
Julia Gemmill
Cheryl Perrin
Linda Greiner
Jane Esdale
Sarah Isbell
Bob Fitch
Mike Munsell
Janet Catenhusen
Evelyn Runnells
Stephen Brown
Lynn Poppink
Ann Bond

*Seniors

Viola

Sara MacNeal
Gloria Bond
Ann Falk
Linda Brown
Vicky Fowle
Gail Trapp
De Ann Drake
Marcia Lawrence
Diane Ellis

Cello

*Melinda Foulke
Larry Brown
Mary Ellen Lint
Trudy Proctor
*Lewis Munn
Kay Wallace
Candy Crandall
Diane Ward

Bass

Mary Ellen Laney
Barry Hill
Stephen Schmidt

Flute

Sharon Conrad
Roberta Lippert

Oboe

Kandy Ketrow

Clarinet

*Seibra Salisbury
Patricia Gregory

Bassoon

Donald Smith
Jon Herbener

French Horn

*Terry Greening
*Charlette Dunbar
*William Pennock
Eugene Foust

Trumpet

Dan Ellinger
Lynn Devenport
*Edmund Minihan

Trombone

Leo Phillips
Ron Hart

Percussion

*Grant Baker
Parke Hayes

Piano

Mary Ellen Lint
Larry Brown

OFFICERS

President	-	William Pennock	Secretary	-	-	Sharon Conrad
Vice President	-	Larry Brown	Treasurer	-	-	Trudy Proctor
Manager	-	-	-	-	-	Parke Hayes
Board Members	-	Roberta Lippert, Diane Schryer, Leo Phillips				

Band Personnel

Flute

Sharon Conrad
Kay Linderman
Cathy Brouse
Lorena Cronkhite
Dennis Calligan

Oboe

Kandy Ketrow
Mike Calligan

1st Clarinet

*Seibra Salisbury
*James Nichols
Patricia Gregory
Sue Gresley
Marcia Roan
LaVeta Guise

2nd Clarinet

Carol Dunbar
Sarah Crofts
Mary Wirick
Stephen Wallace
*Bonnie Bates

3rd Clarinet

Phillip Wells
Karin Hewitt
Sherry Braman
Maribel Knight
Linda Riggs

*Seniors

Alto Clarinet

Sharon Applegate
*Rosanne Guttrich

Bass Clarinet

*Donna Rosenow

Bassoon

Donald Smith
Jon Herbener

Alto Saxophone

Diane Kennell
Pamela Dwyer

Tenor Saxophone

Gary Yinger

Baritone Saxophone

Eric Peterson

Cornets

Dan Ellinger
Lynn Devenport
*Edmund Minihan
Keith Sowers
Lewis Tillman
James Osborn

Trumpets

Alan Andridge
*George McClintic

French Horn

*Terry Greening
Eugene Foust
*Charlette Dunbar
*William Pennock
Ross Arnold

Trombone

Leo Phillips
Ron Hart
Tom Payne
Brad Bohner
Chris Bradshaw

Baritone

William Robinson
*Rick Eckert

Bass

*Gary Kilgore
John Rick

Percussion

*Grant Baker
*Barbara Dodge
Rodney Huston
Lynn Riggs
Mike Wilson

OFFICERS

President	-	-	Gary Kilgore	Secretary	-	-	Seibra Salisbury
Vice President	-	-	Jon Herbener	Treasurer	-	-	Terry Greening
Manager	-	-	-	-	-	-	Donald Smith
Board Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ron Hart, Barbara Dodge, Diane Kennell

C L A S S D A Y

Hillsdale High School

Hillsdale, Michigan

June 4, 1962

Processional - Hillsdale High School Orchestra
Robert M. Lint, Director

Invocation - Dave Kilgren

Introduction of the Class of 1962 - Edwin C. Henry
Principal

Mistress of Ceremonies - Dinah Kirby

Class History - Dinah Kirby (9th and 10th)
Johanna Foster (11th)
Melinda Foulke (12th)

Class Prophecy- Marilyn Bunce
Lewis Munn
Michael Hukill
Timothy Schobert

Class Will - Michael Perrine
Richard Eckert
David Kilgren
Michael Fitzpatrick

Presentation of Honors and Scholarships:

Mr. William Wilson	Mr. Curtis Gale
Mr. Vernon Stevens	Mr. Lowell Green
Mr. Lloyd Morningstar	Mr. Robert Gorton
Mrs. Isabelle Cutting	Mr. Robert Lint
Mr. Verne Fredlund	

Representative from Veterans of Foreign Wars
Representative from American Legion
Turner Cup Award - Mr. William Poppink

Women's Club Scholarship - Mrs. Hazel Stock
Hillsdale Business and Professional Women's
Scholarship - Mrs. Elizabeth Russell

Presentation of Class Memorial - Michael Perrine

Transfer of Leadership - James Thayer, President
Senior Class 1962
Robert Storch, President
Junior Class 1962

Class Song written by Michael Hukill & Dinah Kirby

Recessional - Hillsdale High School Orchestra
Robert M. Lint, Director

C L A S S S O N G

Hey, look us over, soon we will sail
Out into life where we don't intend to fail.
We have our goals, our niches to fill,
We've confidence now and it can't increase
Although our wisdom will.
(We're very)sad to be leaving, we'd like to thank
All of our teachers and friends of lesser rank.
It's been wonderful going to school here
And with safety we can say
We'll come visiting some day.

Hey, look us over, we plan to go
Out in the world to discover what we know.
Deep in our bosoms, down in our hearts,
A very slight feeling of apprehension lurks
But soon departs
(Whenever) we realize that we are prepared
To wrestle life, down for action we've been pared.
We'll be auto mechanics and engineers
And some will drive a bus,
In the future look for us.

(Tune - "Hey, Look Me Over")

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Class Motto - The higher we climb,
the better the view.

Class Flower - White Mum

Class Colors - Navy Blue and Silver

**We, the Class of 1962, proudly dedicate this
Class Day to Mr. Verne Fredlund. We wish to
recognize his sincere efforts as a teacher,
advisor, and friend.**

THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL



Commencement

Hillsdale High School

HILLSDALE, MICHIGAN



JUNE 3 - JUNE 7, 1962

JUNE 3, 2:30 P. M. — BACCALAUREATE

Davis School Auditorium

JUNE 7, 8:00 P. M. — COMMENCEMENT

Hillsdale High School Field

In event of inclement weather the program will be held in the Hillsdale High School Gymnasium at Eight-fifteen p. m.

BACCALAUREATE

Sunday, June 3, 1962
Davis School Auditorium
Two-thirty O'clock

PROCESSIONAL: "Coronation March" *Meyerbeer*
Hillsdale High School Orchestra
ROBERT M. LINT, Director

INVOCATION REV. WILLIAM H. SCHOBERT
Bankers Baptist Church

ANTHEM: "Agnus Dei" *Faure*
*Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant them
eternal rest. Let light eternal shine upon them forever with thy
blessed servants, for that thou art gracious, Lord, for that thou art
good. Rest eternal grant them; let light perpetual shine upon them.*
Hillsdale High School Choir
HOWARD J. RIZNER, Director

ADDRESS: "P's and Q's" REV. ROBERT A. MAXWELL
Free Methodist Church

BENEDICTION: "Benediction" *Lutkin*
Hillsdale High School Choir

RECESSIONAL: "Marche Classique" *Von Weber*
Hillsdale High School Orchestra

The audience will please remain standing during the Processional and the Invocation.
Rising for the Benediction they will remain standing for the Recessional until the
seniors have left the auditorium.

COMMENCEMENT

Thursday, June 7, 1962

High School Field

Eight O'clock

Superintendent William A. Poppink, Chairman

PROCESSIONAL: "Pomp and Circumstance" No. 1 . . . *Elgar*

Hillsdale High School Band
ROBERT M. LINT, Director

INVOCATION REV. TRUMAN LOWELL
Assembly of God Church

PRESENTATION OF CLASS E. VERNE FREDLUND

SALUTATORY MICHAEL PERRINE

"Battle Hymn of the Republic" *Howe-Steffe-Ringwald*

Hillsdale High School Choir and Band
HOWARD J. RIZNER, Conductor

VALEDICTORY DIANA KIRBY

ADDRESS: "Frontiers-Unconquered" REV. ROBERT RICHARDS
Dundee Methodist Church

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS EDWIN C. HENRY
High School Principal

"Benediction" *Lutkin*

Hillsdale High School Choir

RECESSIONAL: "Academic Procession" *Williams*

Hillsdale High School Band

The audience will please stand during the Processional and the Invocation. Rising for the Benediction they will remain standing for the Recessional. Please remain standing until the last senior is at the end of the field.

Senior Class of 1962

HONOR STUDENTS

Diana Jean Kirby

Diane Kay Edwards
David Allan Kilgren
Martha Jo Kaas
Lewis Edwin Munn

Michael Van Perrine

Michael Douglas Hukill
Samuel Eugene LoPresto
Johanna Foster
Melinda Jo Foulke
Timothy Terrill Schobert

Marilyn Kay Bunce
Richard Kenneth Eckert,
Barbara Marie Morrison
Michael Damian Fitzpatrick

CLASS ROLL

Mary Jane Anke
Grant Gelzer Baker
Bonnie Jean Bates
John Philip Benzing
Joann Ruth Biechler
Gary Lee Bildner
Milton C. Bliss, Jr.
Sharon Marie Boger
Carl Russell Bolin
Gloria Kay Bond
Prudence Jayne Brott
Connie Diane Brower
Janet Marcelle Brown
Wesley Earl Bumpus
Marilyn Kay Bunce
Dianne Burket
David Earl Clawson
Raquel Cortabarría
Charles Lyndon Crandall
Susan Jane Davis
Daniel Gene Dellinger
Nancy Rae Dempsey
Barbara Marie Dodge
Ruthene Maye Dohm
Charlette Lea Dunbar
Richard Kenneth Eckert, Jr.
Diane Kay Edwards
Delores Jean Fitzgerald
Michael Damian Fitzpatrick
Beverly Ann Flint
Johanna Foster
Melinda Jo Foulke
Thomas Lee Frantom
John Arthur Gambill
Marcia Ann Gemmill
Frances Kathleen Goff
David Lawrence Good
William Walter Gossman
John Terrence Greening
Cheryl Lois Guss
Rosanne Sue Guttrich
Armond Bruce Hagerman II
Richard James Harrington
Sharlene Jean Hoag

Michael Douglas Hukill
Marianne Humont
Loren E. Hutchins
Martha Jo Kaas
Lila Ann Kahle
Gary Martin Kilgore
David Allan Kilgren
Diana Jean Kirby
Frederic Lynn Kissinger
Katherine Rose Knapp
Dennis E. Knight
Sharon Frances Krauss
Julia Christina Kriser
Bela LaBani
Leonard Dale Lambright
Martha Ellen Laubaugh
David Lewis Lehman
William G. Little
Judy Ann Lockwood
Samuel Eugene LoPresto
Marilyn Jane Lovejoy
Jean Louise Lowell
Karen Lee Luke
George Raymond McClintic
Bonnie Lou Mackey
Connie Lee Mackey
Michael Thomas March
Diana L. Miller Marowelli
Roger Duane Marriott
Helen Eugenia Maxfield
Martha Mae Michelson
Lorraine Ellen Miller
Edmond Patrick Minihan
William Roger Moore
Barbara Marie Morrison
Lewis Edwin Munn
James Ora Nichols
Lawrence Eugene Nill
Bonnie Lee Owen
Perry E. Palmer
John E. Paradine
Robert Charles Passmore
William Binns Pennock
Michael Van Perrine

Ralph Waldo Peters
Gordon Leroy Phillips
Mary Lou Piriczky
Marilyn Kay Pontius
James Henry Poppink
Theodore J. Poynter
Kathleen Dee Raser
Cheryl Ann Reynolds
George Gale Richards
Karen Kay Risk
Patricia F. Rose
Donna Jean Rosenow
Seibra Lee Salisbury
Marilynn Kay Sarles
Timothy Terrill Schobert
Molly Dee Scovill
Claudia Louise Smith
Lynda Lou Smith
Diane Marie Spence
Donna Mae Spence
Charlene Kay Spencer
Lynda Marie Spiteri
Larry Clark Sprout
Thomas Norman Stanley
Susan S. Stebbins
Marian Louise Stowell
James Russell Thayer
Lynn Alger Thompson
Patricia Ann Trine
Roma Carman Tucker
Barbara Jane Tyler
Larry Dean Walters
Keith K. Wasnich
Loretta Mae Whiting
Sharon Lucille Weber
Constance Rae Weisgerber
Douglas N. Wilkins
John M. Williams III
Larry Charles Wilson
Larry Levon Wolff
Jean Ann Woodard
Sharon Kay Yoder
Jon M. Ziegler

CLASS COLORS

Navy Blue
and Silver

CLASS MOTTO

"The higher we climb,
the better the view"

CLASS FLOWER

White Mum

President, James Russell Thayer

Vice President, William Roger Moore

Secretary, Sharon Lucille Weber

Treasurer, Marilyn Kay Bunce

Advisor, Mr. E. Verne Fredlund

**Parents
Night**

COLDWATER

VS.

HILLSDALE

Baumgarten Stadium

OCTOBER 6, 1961

Kick-off Time 8:00 p. m.

Price 10c

Leo Keller

DRINK

Coca-Cola

REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

HILLSDALE ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.
11	Dave Kilgren	RH
12	*John Benzing, CC	LH
13	Dan Mullin	QB
14	Frank Waters	QB
15	Tom Williams	RH
17	Mike Wilson	RE
19	John Corey	C
20	Ed Minihan	RE
21	John Williams	QB
22	Mike Perrine	LH
23	Dennis Knight	LT
24	Bill Little	RE
25	Richard Booher	FB
26	Larry Sprout	LE
27	Milton Bliss	LT
28	John Frantom	RH
29	Mike Fitzpatrick	LG
30	Fred Kissinger	LE
31	*Roger Marriott	C
32	Dutch Poppink	RE
33	*Sam Lo Presto, CC	LT
34	Mike Fellows	C
35	*Dave Swift	RE
36	Ernest Saxton	C
37	Allen Kinney	LG
38	Chuck Meyer	LE
39	Eric Peterson	RG
40	*Gary Bildner	LT
41	Larry Nill	LT
42	Jim Voorhees	LG
43	Jerry Pichea	RT
44	*Jim Thayer, CC	FB
45	Carl Bolin	RT

*Lettermen

CC—Co-Captains

COLDWATER ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.
10	Mike Stanfill	QB
11	Richie Barnes	HB
12	Ron Glant	HB
23	Greg Speaker	
24	*Dan Speaker	
25	*Bruce Wood	
36	Melvin Budd	
37	Roy Bregg	
38	Jeff Gates	
40	Randy McNitt	HB
41	Paul Cosgrove	C
42	Terry Henion	G
45	Keith Shafer	G
55	*Doug Miller	C
60	*John Teeter	G
61	Dick Martinson	G
62	Dennis Waters	G
63	Richard Seidler	G
64	*Bob Wilcox	G
70	Sandy Lincoln	T
71	Dick Tackett	T
72	*George Hosek	T
73	Larry Bible	T
74	*Phil Teeter	T
80	*Les Waldron	E
81	Steve Fraley	
82	*Leon Clearwater	
83	George Sims	T
84	Ed Snyder	T
85	Mike Pfozt	E

REMAINING HILLSDALE GAMES

Oct. 13—Three Rivers — Home
(Homecoming)

Oct. 20—Albion — Home
(Field Dedication)

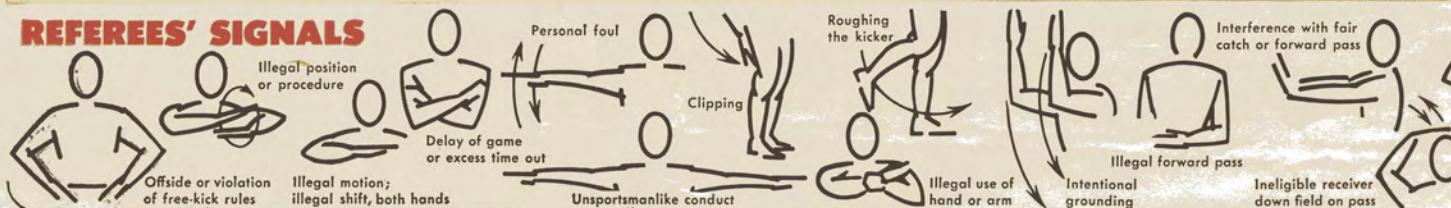
Oct. 27—Sturgis — Away

Nov. 3—Hudson — Away



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REFEREES' SIGNALS



Time out for Coke

HILLSDALE COACHES

PRINCIPAL—Edwin Henry
 HEAD COACH—Marty Brumbaugh
 ASSISTANT COACHES—Tom Arch, John Donnelly, Arvid Erholtz, Don Grey
 JUNIOR HIGH COACHES—Ron Coon, Wayne Kinjorski
 DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS—Jim Inman
 MANAGERS—David Smith, John Masuga
 STUDENT TRAINER—Charles Crandall
 CHEERLEADERS—Melinda Foulke, Capt., Mary Carlisle, Cheryl Guss, Joyce Henry, Kandy Ketrow, Sara MacNeal, Carol Pattison
 CHEERLEADING ADVISOR—Miss Duane Hocking
 BAND DIRECTOR—Robert Lint

COLDWATER COACHES

PRINCIPAL—Kermit Dennis
 HEAD COACH—Pete Sangalli
 ASSISTANT COACHES—Ed Gustafson, Wayne Kellogg, Pat Lowe, Dave St. Aubin, Gerald Weaver.
 DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS—Floyd Eby
 MANAGERS—Mark Hebner, Don Hinson
 STUDENT TRAINER—Steve Pierce

OFFICIALS

Referee—Ernest Meeusen
 Umpire—Pete Hovey
 Linesman—Robert Clark

"COKE" IS A REGISTERED TRADE-MARK



TEAM CAPTAINS AND PARENTS



Left to Right: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thayer, Jim Thayer; Mrs. Midge Benzing, John Benzing; Mr. and Mrs. Joe LoPresto, Sam LoPresto.

Comment By Coach Brumbaugh

To All the Parents:

Thanks for having such a fine boy for us to work with. No matter how good the coaching, the basic ingredient of a good football team is a quality boy. Thanks for all the late meals after practice, the early meals before games, the times when your son's chores were done by Mom or Dad because he was too tired, for arranging your family schedule so that you could function as a "football family" during our season. Our sincere hope is that in some small way we have done the thing that you desire most, "help your son in his struggle to become a fine man."

THE COACHING STAFF