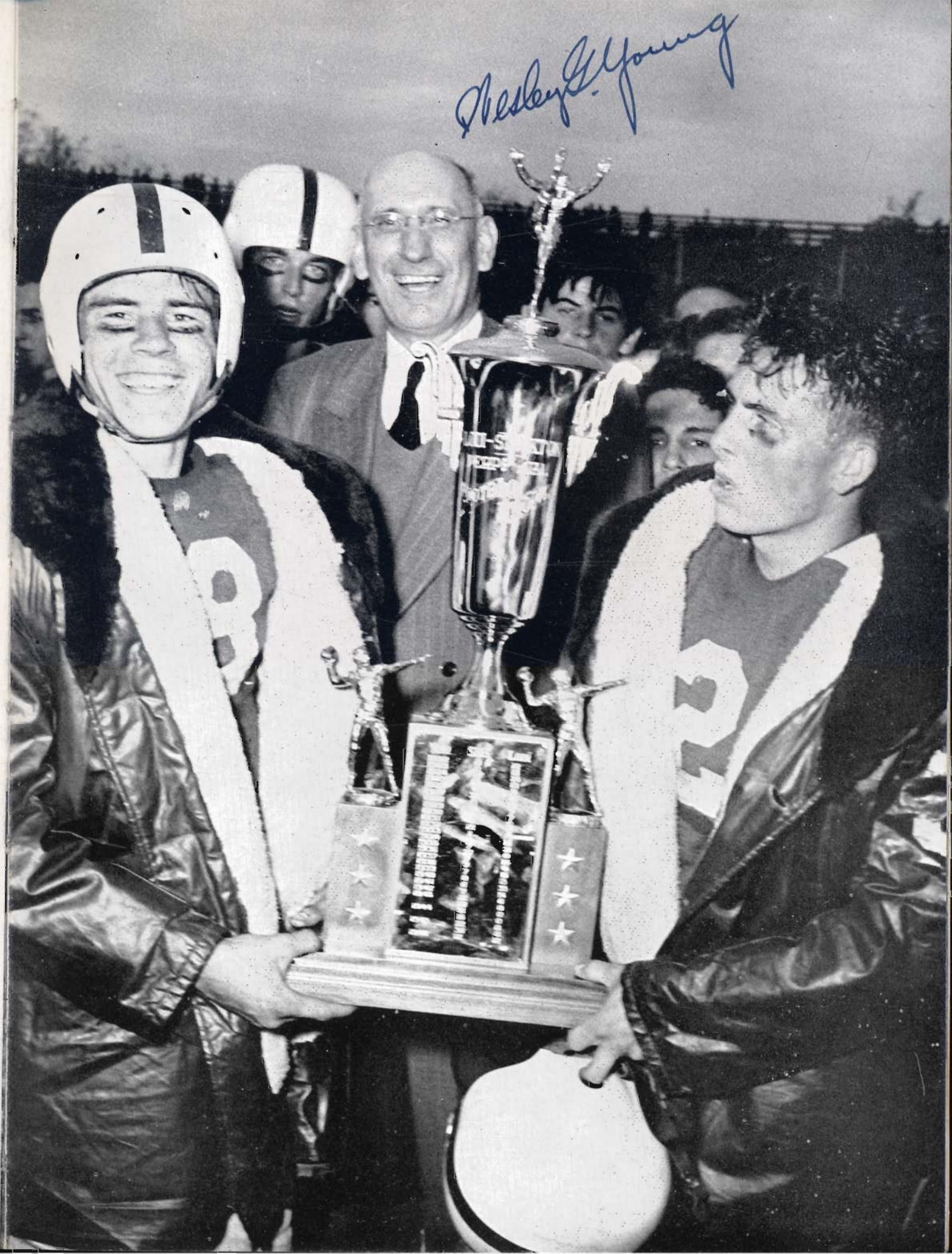
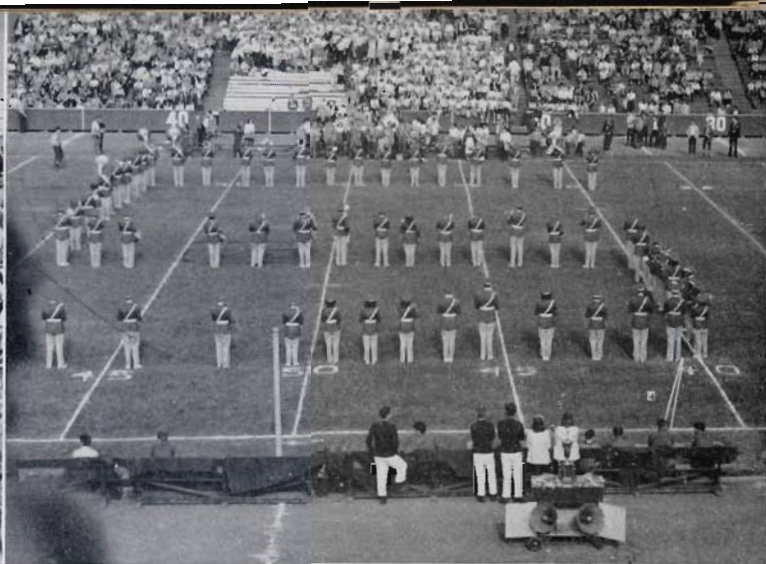




Sports

Wesley G. Young





Above is pictured part of the crowd that witnessed the Stockton High football team defeat their traditional rivals, the Lodi Flames, in the Grape Bowl on Thanksgiving day by a score of 15-0.

Half-time entertainment is being furnished by the S.H.S. Band during the Lodi-Stockton classic as they form an "S" in front of the Stockton rooting section.

Pat Tracy

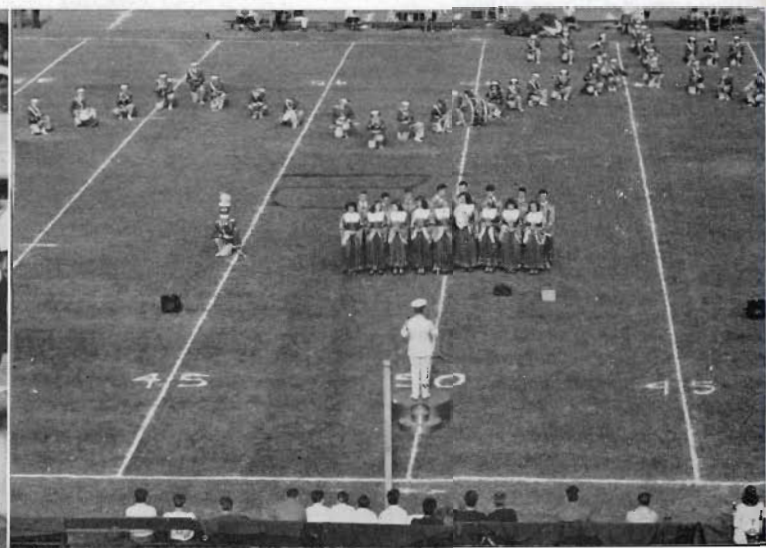
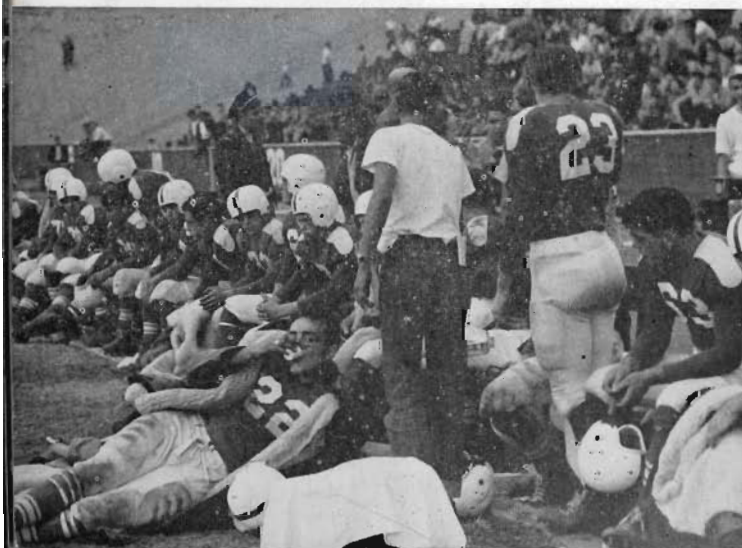
Football

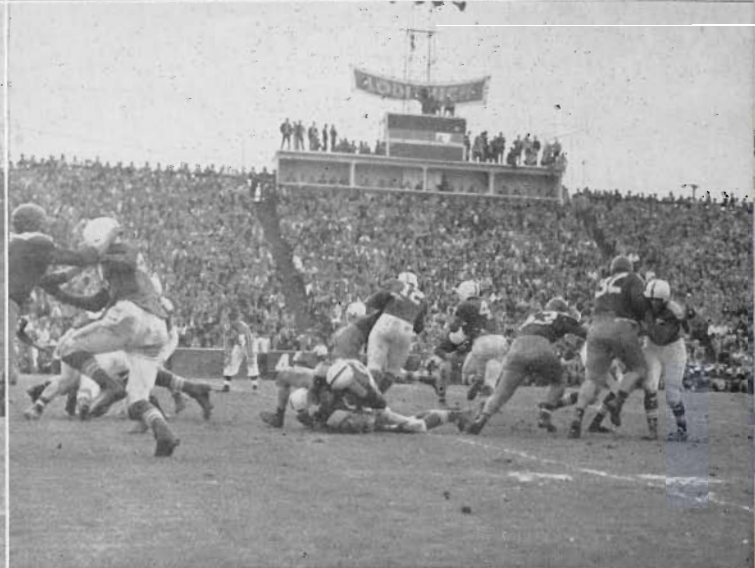
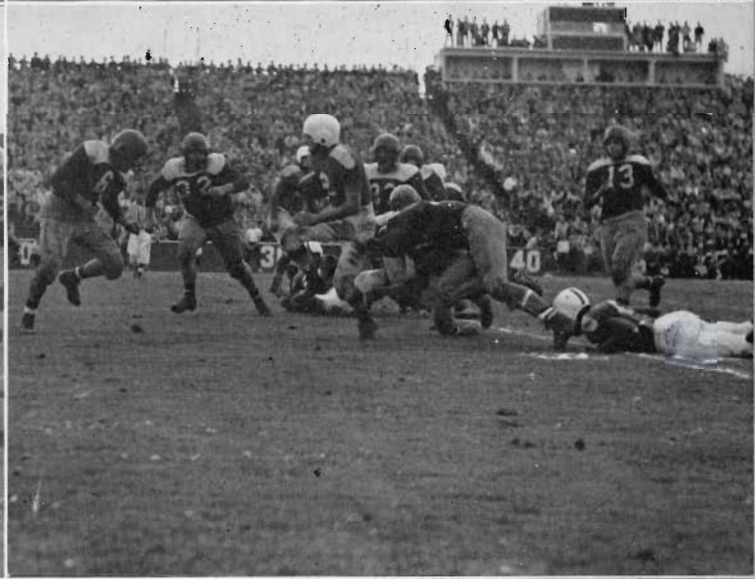
Hampered from the start of the season by the loss of all but two of the 1946 football team, Coaches Fred Solomon and George Caviglia had to take green material and mold it into a football squad capable of taking third place in the Sac-Joaquin League.

With Mel Schmid and Wes Parsons the returnees, the Varsity eleven opened the season against the power-laden Berkeley Yellowjackets and were defeated by an 18-0 count. The Tarzans took their first victory at the expense of the McClymonds Warriors in a tight 16-14 contest. League play opened with Stockton facing the favored Grant eleven. In a sea of mud the Tarzan held the Grant machine to a scoreless tie. Modesto fell before the Tarzan attack when they met the Blue and Whites in Baxter Stadium. Halfback Johnny Ellison went over for the games lone touchdown as the Tarzans scored a 6-0 win. Backed by a rooters train of over 1000 students, the Stockton team faced the McClatchy

Our camera man catches the Tarzans resting before starting the second half of the Big Game with the Lodi Flames on Thanksgiving day in the Flame Stadium.

More entertainment put on by the Stockton Troubadours as they sing Thanksgiving hymns in front of the Lodi cheering section.





Hard-driving Fullback Orville Grimes is shown scoring the second touchdown in the Lodi-Stockton game from the five yard line to make the final score Stockton 15, Lodi 0.

A Flame on the loose! Stop him somebody! Don't worry, the Tarzans are rapidly closing in on this hapless Flame as the Tarzans take a 15-0 decision from the Flame eleven.

A pass intended for Mel Schmid is being stolen by a Flame defender deep in Lodi territory when the two teams met on Thanksgiving Day in their traditional game.

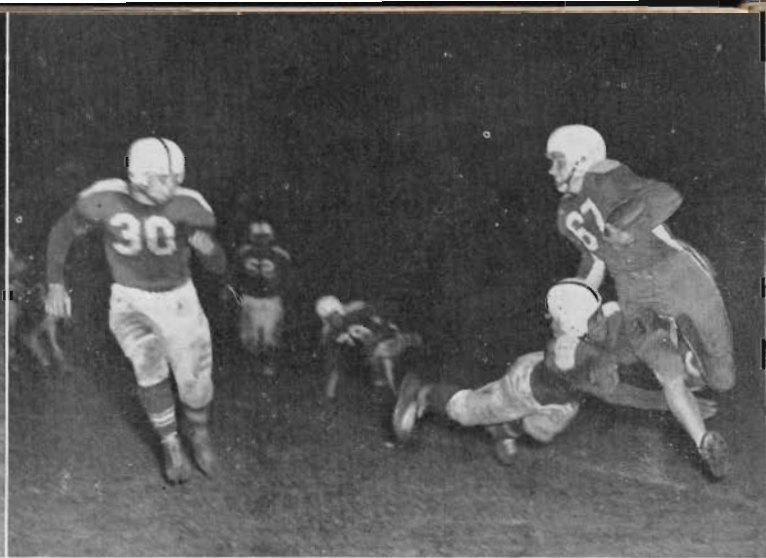
Gum's try for the point after the last Tarzan score is shown as it was partially blocked by one of the Flame linemen, but the Tarzan gridders won the game 15-0.

Speedy half Mel Schmid is really picking up yards as he moves for the Flame goal in the Big Game on Thanksgiving Day.

Fleet-footed John Ellison was smothered for a short loss as the right side of the Flame line broke through the Tarzan stonewall late in the fourth period of the Big Game in Lodi.



It's Mel Schmid on the loose again as he drives for yardage against the Modesto Panthers, who fell before the Tarzans in a hard fought 6-0 contest.



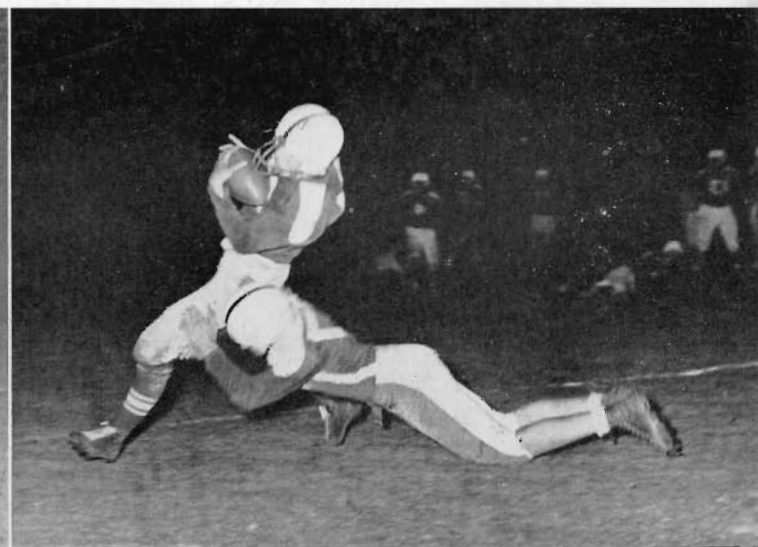
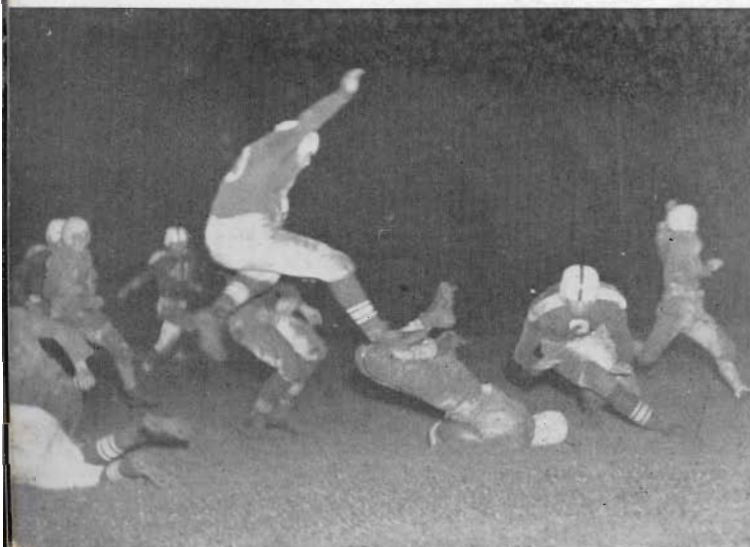
John Ellison saved the day for the Tarzans on this play as he pulled this Panther down with his flying tackle.

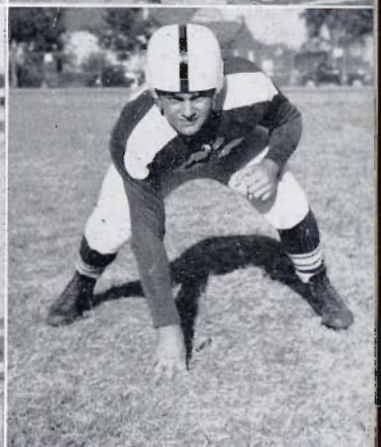
Lions in Sacramento. The speed and experience proved too much to cope with and the Tarzans bowed 33-0. Then the Sacramento Dragons defeated the Tarzans 12-0.

In their game with the pre-season favored Turlock Bulldogs, the Stockton eleven snagged a 19-14 decision as they showed their true form for the first time in the season. The final game of the season was the traditional tilt with the Lodi Flames. With the newly established Lodi-Stockton trophy at stake, the Tarzans plowed the Flames under and rolled home to a 15-0 victory. The Tarzans scores came when Mel Schmid returned a Lodi punt 48 yards to the end zone and Orville Grimes cracked the Flame line for five yards and another score. An automatic safety and a conversion accounted for the other Tarzan points.

This is one Pacer that bit the dust hard in the League opener in the sea of mud in Baxter Stadium, the game was a scoreless tie.

After taking this nineteen yard pass from Quarterback Jerry Griffin, End Carl Carlson drove for a few yards before being stopped in the Modesto tilt.





Top row:
Mel Schmid
Jerry Griffin
Jack Kreis
Orville Grimes

Second row:
Joe Roberts
Jim Brown
Wes Parsons
John Cima

Third row:
Mary Bargagliotti
Al Rica
Bob Graziani
Al Pecchenino

Bottom row:
Carl Carlson
Francis Gum



First row: Gianunzio, Hardy, Tulsi, Matthews, Neuvert, Jensen, Donnell, Boone, Derevi, Reed. Second row: Moore, Garcia, Krebs, Caporusso, Lusk, Dilbeck, Beach, Morgan, Rowe, Ford, Garrow, Hall. Third row: Kirby, Schmidt, Mensinger, Gibson, Horton, Harris, Foster, Sweet, Pratt, Buck, Garibaldi, Bolinger, Herring, Soo.

J. V. Football

Inexperienced, small and light are the three adjectives that best suit the Tarzan Junior Varsity football squad. Due to the weight and experience of their opponents Coach Dom George's team won no games this season, but gained valuable experience. The J. V. team dropped their first two games to Modesto and Lodi by scores of 18-0. The next games were lost to Sacramento 12-0, Modesto 12-0, Lodi 18-6, Sacramento 12-6, and Oakdale 12-6. In the final game of the season, the J. V. fought the Oakdale team to a scoreless tie.

Although they did not establish an outstanding record, the J. V. squad will be heard from again as they don the football suits of future Stockton Grid Squads.

Foster
Caporusso
Matthews

Hardy
Rowe
Lusk

Morgan
Horton
Nuevert

Kirby
Soo
Dilbeck

Donnell
Tulsi
Jensen



Varsity Basketball

The return of six of last year's hoopsters gave the Stockton High Basketball team a bright outlook for the 1948 season.

In their preseason games, the Tarzan Five took games from Lodi by scores of 29-20 and 47-28, from Oakdale 58-30 and 52-25. Sacramento, Grant, and McClatchy also fell before the Tarzan onslaught.

League play found the Stockton cagers grabbing wins from Turlock by 41-35 and 31-28 counts. Modesto bowed to the Tarzans twice by scores of 58-32 and 52-42. The series with Lodi saw the Stockton team win one and lose one. The first game went to Stockton 46-42 and the second to Lodi 31-30. In the playoff game Stockton took the title 56-54.

The Sac-Joaquin title also became a Tarzan accomplishment as the McClatchy Lions were defeated 40-35. Post season play saw the Blue and White lads take second in the Shasta Tournament, Consolation Honors at the Tournament of Champions in Berkeley, and defeat the Armijo High School Champions.

Bee Basketball

Under the tutelage of Varsity Coach Mike Garrigan, the green inexperienced Bee squad led by veteran pivot Jack Ursainqui, settled down to some serious work as the positions of ten of last years first thirteen men had to be filled.

Ursainqui and Don Hall were the only two returnees, but some capable hands were found in Jack Farley, Don Thompson and Larry O'Reilly.

In pre season play the Lightweight team took decisions twice from Sacramento, once from Oakdale, once from the Pacific AC reserves, and dropped two games to Lodi, and one each to Grant and McClatchy. In league play the Tarzan babes took double wins from Turlock and Modesto. The Flame Juniors split with the Bees, but the Blue and White five grabbed off the play-off game, and then polished the Grant bee team to establish themselves as League Champs.

The Champs

First row: Willard Cummings, Tom Klinger, Lou Wentzel. Second row: Glen Onizuka, Jack Sandman, Rolly Dean, Bill Stites. Third row: Caryl Oranges, Bill Swenson, Ron Knight, Jerry Griffin, Jack Waldron.



Rolly Dean
Jerry Griffin

Bill Swenson
Ron Knight

Tom Klinger
Jack Sandman

Jack Waldron
Willard Cummings

Lou Wentzel
Garold Singer





Larry O'Reilly
Milas Gaines

Don Hall
Charlie Wooten

Jack Ursainqui
John Jiminez

Don Thompson
Ray Willis

Jack Farley
Elmer Sanguinetti

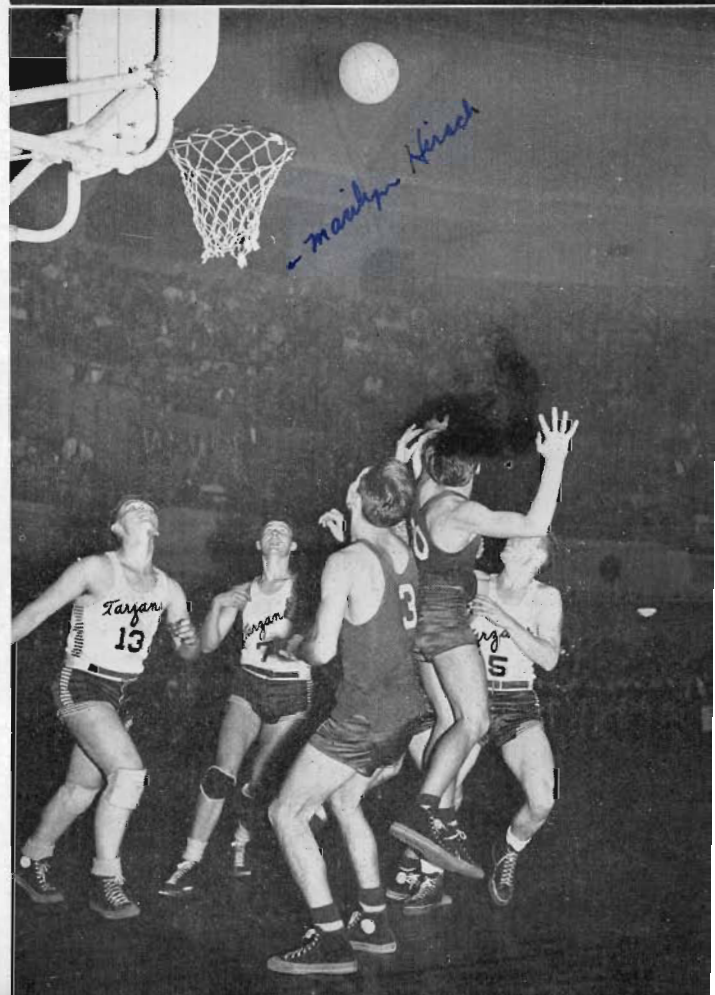
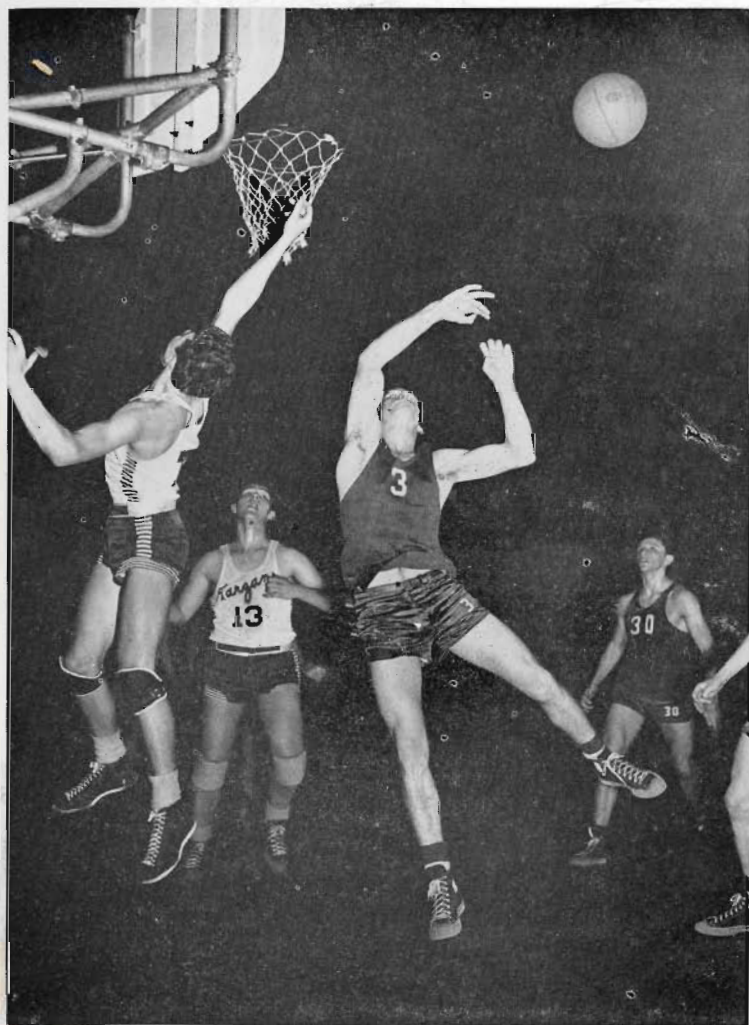
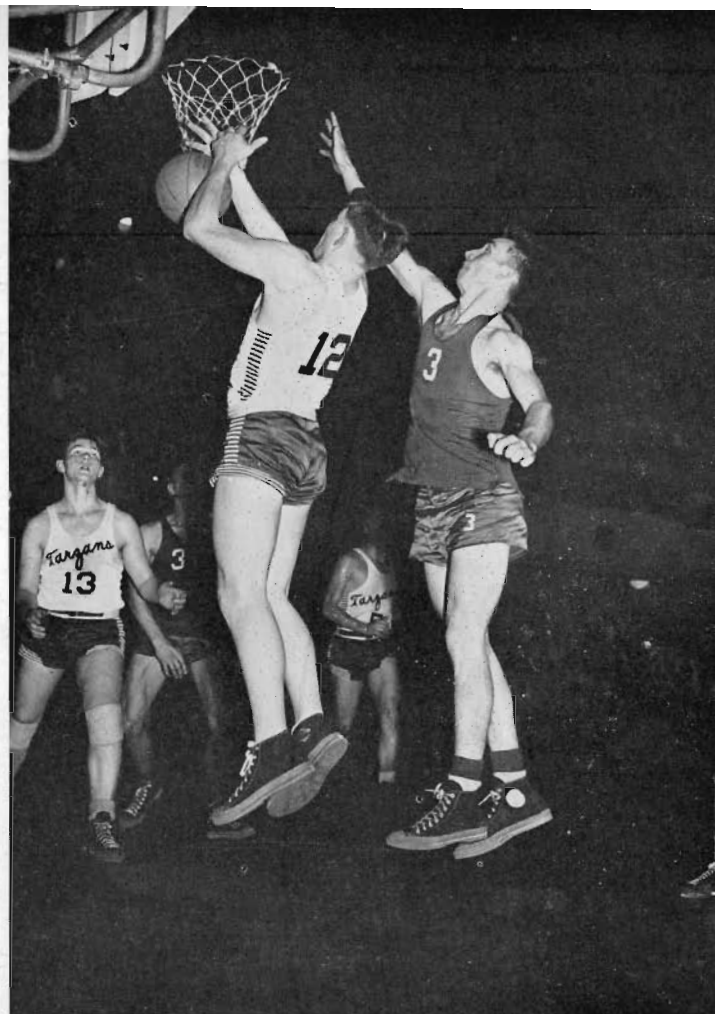


Bees

First row: Willard Moore, Elmer Sanguinetti, Lee Bussey, Ray Willis, Frank Morgan. Second row: Coach Garrigan, Jack Farley, Milas Gaines, Bill Smith, Charley Wooten, John Jiminez, Don Thompson, Lloyd Naasz. Third row: Richard Orr, Ira Herring, Reis McKee, Lou Ferretti, Bob Perkins, Larry O'Reilly, Don Hall, Jack Ursainqui, James Geiger.

The Big Series

When the Tarzans were handed a surprise defeat by the Lodi Flames, it threw the title race into a tie. The Tarzans met the Flames in the Civic Auditorium in a game that was to decide who was to represent the south in the league play-off. The Game was a nip and tuck battle from start to finish with the lead changing hands often. At the end of the Game, the score was tied at 48-48. The first overtime found the score still tied 54-54, and the second period saw no change in the score. But in the third period Jack Waldron sank a twenty foot field to put the game on ice for Stockton.



Top right hand corner: Swenson goes into the air to drag down a Flame shot from the backboard in the third game of the Stockton-Lodi series. Waiting to give "Bert" a hand are Rolly Dean, Lou Wentzel, and Jack Waldron.

Middle left hand side: Jack Waldon and Rolly Dean wait to follow a long shot in the deciding game with Lodi. Flames seen in the picture are Cox, Wes Schimke and Otto Goehring.

Bottom right hand side: Flame Johnny Mendez has just taken a long shot and Tarzans Rolly Dean, Jack Waldron and Lou Wentzel await to "retrieve" the ball.



First row: Coach Caviglia, Lytton Lewis, Jerry McDonnell, Joe Ferriola, Clark Nuevert, Bob Graziani, Bob Zunino, John Toronto, Henio Alvarez. Second row: Ward Tyler, Carl Carlson, Jack Sandman, Jim Brawley, Bob Fox, Don Leonardini, Jerry Griffin, Rolly Dean, Jim Gallet, Bill Crowe.

Baseball

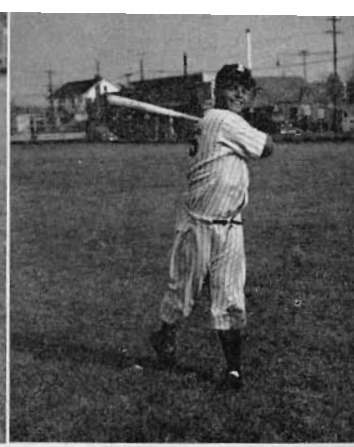
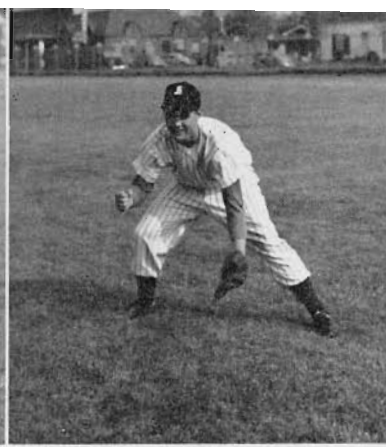
Under their fourth coach in as many years, the Stockton High baseball team under George Caviglia had a hard time getting their season moving as seven of their first eight games were rained out. Stocked with veterans, the squad finally opened against the Oakdale Mustangs and came home victors by a 26-2 score. Modesto lost two games to the Tarzans by 6-1 and 5-4 counts. The second Modesto game was won on Jerry McDonnell's homerun. The Turlock game was rained out, but a game was scheduled with the undefeated Christian Brothers High School who went down in defeat before the Tarzans by a 7-5 count. Lodi handed the Stockton lads their only early season defeat as they dropped the Tarzans 6-1.

The Tarzan squad was made up of Jerry Griffin on first base, Bob Zunino at second, Don Leonardini on short, Rollie Dean on third, Scoop Tyler in left field, Carl Carlson in center, and Jerry Mc Donnell in right. Bob Graziani was the catcher and the pitching staff consisted of Lytton Lewis, Jack Sandman, and Bill Crowe.

First row: Jack Cowan, Lee Branstool, Bill Anderson, Charley Seach, Ivan McAfee, Don Chambers, Tony Martucci, George McCollum. Second row: Coach Carpenter, Bill Graziani, Dick Garibaldi, Bob Eyers, Bill Kester, Richard Lange, Ray John, Don Hall, Larry O'Reilly, Jim Gammon, Mgr. Dan Boone.



Jayvees



Carl Carlson
Bill Crowe
Bob Graziani
John Toranto

Jerry Griffin
Lytton Lewis
Bob Fox
Joe Ferriola

Rolly Dean
Jerry Mc Donnell
Bob Zunino
Jim Brawley

Ward Tyler
Jack Sandman
Don Leonardini
Henio Alvarez



First row: Mountz, Fox, Saiz, Trenalone, Schneider, R. Pecchenino, Williams, Johnson, Jose, Borelli, Chin, Donnell, G. Minford, Guertin, Delucchi, Nelson, Church, Berry, Guzman, Garcia, Takechi, Hargis, Weaver, Engle, Moreno, Lowe, Marsh. Second row: R. Minford, Horn, Shimasaki, Pearce, Patterson, Munsinger, Haley, Gulick, Prater, Robley, Jones, Potter, Karim, Davidson, Bonzo, Gianunzio. Third row: Rodgers, Niles, Signorelli, Pualin, Escotto, Archer, Rigg, Wyatt, Roberts, Thompson, Ellison, O'Neal, Hardy, Hanks, Allin, Womble, Newell, Forbes, Wright, Rameriz, Smith, Parks, Beanland, Evans.

Track

The track team under Coaches Rogers, Beanland, and Evans was hard hit by graduation. With only six varsity lettermen returning, the Varsity proved to be a threat to all the teams in the league.

In their first meet, the Tarzan thin-clads pressed the Panthers to the limit but were defeated 46-56. Some of the promising tracksters were Pete Raggio, hurdler; Walt Paullin, polevaulter; Bill Hardy, sprints; Bill Hanks, sprints; Dick Newell, 880 man; Escotto and Wyatt, milers; and Archer in the high jump.

The lightweight teams were on par with the other league teams, and the Cee squad was loaded with promising freshmen and sophomore students.

Top picture: Williams, Haley and Hardy practice taking the hurdles in preparation for a meet.
Bottom picture: Moreno, Shimasaki, Robley, Pearce, Gulick, and Williams are caught by our cameraman in flight around the track.

Top picture: G. Minford, Borelli, and Thompson churn the low hurdles in a practice session in the spring.
Bottom picture: Horn, Womble, Hanks, Shimasaki, Mensinger, and Haley are shown practicing the sprints.



Track

Top: Wyatt, Archer, Paullin, Moreno, and Thompson "taking" the track. Middle row: Smith, 880 man, and Niles, distance man. Bottom: Archer, jumping over five feet. Escotto, R. Pecchenino, Wyatt, Allin, Rigg, Wright, Minford, distance men.

Top: Mensinger, Haley, Patterson and Horn finishing a race. Middle row: Newell, middle distance man. Signorelli, 880 man. Bottom: Paullin hits ten feet in the pole vault event.



Tennis

Another bright spot in the Tarzan sport world was Tennis, coached by Wallace McKay. Two of last year's four man squad, Pete Brown and Lou Wentzel, and two newcomers from the J. V. team, Larry Bingham and Paul Bramwell, made up this season's varsity net squad. In their spring matches, the team was defeated by the Modesto Panthers, but defeated Oakdale.

First row: Pete Brown and Lou Wentzel. **Second row:** Robert Armstrong, Larry Bingham, Hal Caton, and Paul Bramwell.



Swimming

Entering their second season of competition, the Stockton High mermen were in good shape as the season progressed. Under their Coach, Darrel Hall, the swimming team lost their first dual meet to the Lodi Flames.

Kneeling: Coach Hall. **First row:** Bob Heil, Jerry Johnson, Rex Batchelor, Norman Harris, Eddie Lazereski, Elton Grotelueschen, Ed Herkovich, Charles Sikora. **Second row:** Bob Adams, Don Sorenson, Al Light, Bill Connor, Richard Goodman, Tom Thornton, Benny Beach, Ralph Hickinbotham, Jack Fox, Walt Mizer.



Golf

After losing their first two matches to the Modesto Panthers, the S.H.S. Golf team settled down to have a successful season. The team had been hurt by the loss of last season's star Stan Dinkle, but had the rest of the squad in tact. Russ Shepherd was top man on the squad, but was hard pressed for that honor by Ed Mallett, Walt McGillvray, Stan Songer, and Bill Solomon.

First row: Russ Shepherd, Bob Oliva, Don McGillvray. **Second row:** Bill Solomon, Walt McGillvray, Ed Mallett, Stan Songer.