DEDICATION

We, the Lamoa Staff of 1945 dedicate this Lamoa to our Coach Mr. Lamka who gave our team his special attention.

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FACULTY

Left to right: Alden Warman, Marie Fowler, Dewane Lamka, Alice Hicks, Harold L. Janeway.

   Mr. Warman is a longtime resident and fruit grower of Peshastin. Principal.

   Miss Fowler is originally from Idaho Falls, Idaho.

   Mr. Lamka hails from Auburn. Our Basketball team had a successful season under his coaching.

4. Alice Hicks: History, Economics, Geography, English IV.
   Miss Hicks is from San Francisco.

   Mr. Janeway formerly taught at Leavenworth.
SENIORS

Bette Jo Werner—Lamoa 2, 3, 4; Editor 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Hi-Log 3, 4; "June Med." "The Campbells Are Coming." "Silver Secret," Chorus 2.

Beverly La Rose—Treasurer of Senior Class; Executive Board 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Torch Honor 2, 3; Hi-Log 2; Assistant Editor 3; "Silver Secret," Chorus 2; Lamoa 2, 3.

John Ivins—Basketball 2, 3, 4.

Betty Jean Campbell—Pep Club 3, 4; President 4; Hi-Log 2, 3, 4; "Silver Secret," Chorus 2; Pres. A.S.P.H.S. 4; Executive Board Pres. 4.

Norma Couch—Sec. of Senior Class; Pep Club 3, 4; Chorus 2; Torch Honor 2, 3, 4; Hi-Log 2, 4; Lamoa 2; "The Case of The Laughing Dwarf," Social Chairman of Soph. Class; Yell Leader 2.

Verna Smith—Lamoa 2, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Sec. of A.S.P. H.S. 4; Sec. of Pep Club 4; Torch Honor 2, 3; Hi-Log 2, 3, 4; Editor 4; Sec. of Soph. Class.

Don Bering—Baseball 2, 4; Executive Board 2, 3; Hi-Log 2; Letterman’s Club 4; "The Case of The Laughing Dwarf," Soph. Class Pres; Lamoa 2; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Football 1.

Bob Hauff—Baseball 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman’s Club 3, 4; Letterman’s Club Pres. 4.

Don Simpson—Letterman’s Club 4; Torch Honor 2, 3; "The Campbells Are Coming," "Silver Secret," Basketball Manager 1, 2; Junior Class Pres.; Senior Class Pres.; Executive Board 3; Football Manager 2; Track Manager 1.

Darwin Hills—"The Campbells Are Coming," "Silver Secret."

Mervin Foster—Vice Pres. Junior Class; Basketball 2, 4; Baseball 4; "The Campbells Are Coming," Hi-Log 3; Football 1.

Geneva Lemons—Pep Club 4; "The Panther’s Claw."

James Smith—Torch Honor 1, 2, 4; "The Case of The Laughing Dwarf," Lamoa 2, 4; Assistant Editor 4; Hi-Log 1.
CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of 1945 will be no more. Being of sound mind and body we make this our last will and testament.

Don Bersing leaves his attractive smile to Donald Rudolph and his coming to school late and getting away with it to Buddy Russell.

Bob Hauff leaves his sharp basketball playing to Rodney Gere and his way with all the women to Eddie Pilgrim. Also his speed limits he has broken, he leaves to Ben Kirby.

Mervin Foster leaves his school spirit to the Junior Girls. His way with a blonde he leaves with Harry Warman, after he has left of course.

Darwin Hills leaves his singing ability to George Sauer. His sharp ping pong playing to Norma Foster.

Don Simpson leaves his pint size to Arlene Jeska. His good grades he leaves to Keith Spanjer.

Jimmy Smith leaves Valedictorian to next year’s lucky Senior and his artistic ability he leaves to Bob Heerman.

David John leaves his wolf streak to Lee Corrick and his cars to who ever wants them.

Bette Joe Werner leaves her ability to not get anything done to Lorene Williams. In not making up her mind about the men she leaves to Barbara Smithson.

Geneva Lemons leaves her quietness to the Junior Girls. She leaves her willingness to all the students of P.H.S.

Lorna Matthews leaves her voice to Lygenia Willis. Her weight she leaves to Ester Radke.

Betty Jean Campbell leaves her good personality to Beatrice Hughes and her luck in getting queen to the lucky Senior girl next year.

John Ivins wills his shyness in class to Helen Moody and his way with Leavenworth girls he leaves to Charles Bowen.

Beverly La Rose leaves her way to get a man and keep him to Vera Dodge and her traveling to California to Wenda Scheaffer.
CLASS PROPHECY

As I gaze into the crystal ball, I see the class of '45 living in Alaska.

I see first Darwin Hills driving the bus on the Alcan Highway to and from Alaska. On his way to Alaska he stops at Dave John’s service station and restaurant. Here he lives with his wife and his five kids.

I now see Lorna Matthews as a jazz singer in Jimmy Smith's igloo night club where all the Eskimos dance on the snow.

As I gaze farther, I see Geneva Lemos living in her own quiet manner, humming an old squaw tune.

I see Beverly France La Rose and her husband Dick living on fish that Beverly catches.

A Husky Dog ranch is what I see now. Yes, it’s run by John Ivins. He lives as a bachelor and traps in his spare time.

Mervin Foster is seen traveling through the high mountains with his dog train. He is the mail carrier and also takes his big fat squaw on the sled. She’s a blonde too! How Ginger has changed. He carries the mail to the gold mine that is run by Bob Hauff. He is hiding out in the high mountains to keep away from those two Eskimo gals that have been chasing him.

Norma Couch has married Chink Heimbigner and they are living happily in their sporting lodge. They are training the Eskimos to ski and ice skate. It looks like they are having some pretty good customers.

I see Betty Campbell is with her husband who finally got back from Germany. They are seen skiing down the slope with their 13 children who also are taking skiing lessons.

I see Verna Smith wearing a fur coat for every day of the week. Her tall 6-foot husband traps the furs and makes the coat. She is so lucky.

Don Bering is not seen too often, but I see him now as a seal trainer. He lives by himself and his seals. An Eskimo squaw was in his life but she broke his heart.

As I gaze farther into this crystal ball, I see the last two graduates of '45. Yes, it's the same old story. Don Simpson and Betty Werner. They can’t make up their minds. There is another man in Jo's life and another woman in Don's.
SENIOR SNEAK

One bright, sunny January noon the seniors were already to sneak: The boys brought their luggage to Couch's and the girls gathered there at noon to get ready.

Mr. Campbell took the girls to Leavenworth to catch the train so the Juniors would not catch on. The boys stayed at Peshastin to put the number '45 on top of the depot before they got on the train.

Everybody enjoyed the train ride but thought they were never going to get to Spokane. When they arrived at their destination, Miss Fowler said, "Follow me," so there were the Seniors trudging along through town to the Davenport Hotel with their heavy suitcases.

They were given two rooms on the top floor which was on the hotel's smart side but the poor Seniors rode the elevators until they were seasick. It was either ride the elevator or walk up twelve flights of stairs.

The chaperons—Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Couch, and the adviser—Miss Fowler, were on the seventh floor but the seniors saw quite a lot of them. Worley Burnett stayed in the room with the boys.

After everybody got settled in their rooms they came down stairs and sent a telegram to the Juniors, telling where they were. Then they went to a show. The next day, Saturday, everybody went shopping and Spokane really got a good going over. The kids were really surprised when Betty Jean walked in with a big teddy bear, knowing she is as Scotch as she is. The girls bought shoes and the boys mostly looked around.

Jimmy Smith wanted everyone to try Chinese food so they went and ordered something they could not pronounce. Some of the kids wanted to go roller skating but it was too far to town.

Everyone walked down to the Penny Arcade and looked around. The girls had their pictures taken but they could not get the boys to have theirs taken.

Sunday morning the Seniors got up early and caught the 8:00 o'clock train for home. When they got off the train in Peshastin they stepped into an inch of snow. Some of the high school kids and parents were there to meet them.

The Seniors enjoyed having Mr. Burnett, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Couch and Miss Fowler as their chaperons. The Seniors had a wonderful time in Spokane.
Unconditional Surrender

Sucker

The WPA Gang

Legs Legs + More Legs

These Jr. Girls

Angelic (?)

Bottoms Up

Huba Huba

Rodney
CLASS OF 1946

First row, left to right: Leslie Thompson, Beatrice Hughes, Charlie Campbell, and Lorene Williams.

Second row, left to right: Lorna Matthews, Marilyn Sparks, Bernice Swanson, Florence Betz, Margaret Rudolph, and Pearl Bodeman.

Third row, left to right: Wanda Scheaffer, Eddie Pilgrim, Allie Smithson, Ben Kirby, Duane Steele, David John, Vera Dodge, and Miss Hicks.

Not present in the picture are Betty Mengelos and Beverly Arnold.

CLASS OF 1947

First row, left to right: Barbara Smithson, Helen Moody, Ester Radke, Bernadean Reister, Virginia Campbell, Frances Foster, Lygenia Willis.

Second row, left to right: Marybelle Thomas, Barbara Smithson, Deloris Deeg, Letha Webb, Norma Foster.


CLASS OF 1948

First row, left to right: Nona Myers, Grace Pilgrim, Duane Kinkade, Donna Mae Smithson, and Audrey Moutner.

Second row, left to right: Vonnie Gere, Ronald Avey, Loren Hills, Charles Bowen, Austin Riley, Bob Heerman, Don Cheatham, Ward Dennis, and Darwin Steele.

Third row, left to right: Doris Russell, Julia Lowell, Christina Russell, Anna Ruth Thomas, Louise Lemons, Arlene Jeske, Audrey Williams, Sally Evans, Mae Green, Hazel Moody, and Mr. Lamke.
"LAMOA"

The staff is as follows: First row: Editor, Bette Jo Werner; Assistant Editor, James Smith; and Assistant Co-Editor, Lorene Williams.


Third row: Donna Mae Smithson, Miss Hicks, Adviser; Beatrice Hughes, Virginia Campbell, Sally Evans, Letha Webb, Lygenia Willis, Marilyn Sparks, Florence Betz, Geneva Lemons, Bernice Swanson, Beverly La Rose and Verna Smith.

"HI-LOG"

The Editor-in-Chief, Verna Smith; the Assistant Editor, Bernice Swanson, and the Adviser, Miss Hicks, made the school paper very successful. The art credit is given to the Art Editor, Barbara Smithson, and her assistants, Donna Mae Smithson, and Sally Evans. The staff consisted of 31 members. They are as follows: First row, left to right: Bette Jo Werner, Verna Smith, Bernice Swanson, Beverly La Rose. Second row, left to right: Frances Foster, Wanda Scheaffer, Betty Jean Campbell, Florence Betz, Marilyn Sparks, Lorene Williams, Beatrice Hughes, Vera Dodge, Helen Moody. Third row, left to right: Miss Hicks, Barbara Smithson, Virginia Campbell, Sally Evans, Eleanor Larson, Phyllis Lake, Ella Stockdale, Arlene Jaske, Deloris Deeg, Letha Webb, Lygenia Willis, Donna Mae Smithson. Fourth row, left to right: Darwin Steele, Harry Warman, Charles Bowen, Herb Keihn, Bennie Burnett, George Sauer.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board is made up of the officers of the A.S.P.H.S. and the presidents of the four classes and of the other organizations.

The Executive Board has been very active this year. The members, themselves, decide what should be done with students who have disobeyed our student laws.

The officers for this year were: President, Betty Jean Campbell; Secretary, Verna Smith; Treasurer, Norma Couch.
BASKETBALL

First Team—
Peshastin had a fairly successful basketball season even though the team was hardly ever at full strength. Peshastin had an able coach in Mr. Lamka who did well with practically a new team, since many of the old squad graduated.

First row, left to right: Harry Warman, Bob Hauff, Charles Campbell.

BASKETBALL SQUAD

The second team wasn’t very successful this season. Most of the players started their first season of basketball, and they made a noticeable improvement toward the end of the season.

First row, left to right: John Ivins, Herb Keihn, Harry Warman, Bob Hauff, Allie Smithson, Don Bersing, Charles Campbell.

YELL LEADERS

This year the Peshastin yell leading section was headed by Mae Green and Sylva Fels. These two peppy leaders led our team through many exciting moments. I know we all appreciated them and the part they took in leading our old yells and the new ones they added themselves. We were all sorry to see Sylva leave before the pictures were taken, but let’s give 15 rahs for Mae and Sylva anyhow.
PEP CLUB

The Pep Club of P.H.S. is made up of Junior and Senior girls. To be a member you are judged on many points, two of the main ones are personality and pep. This year the Pep Club was entertained with dinner at Dryden by their Pep Club Girls, and a dinner was given to them in return. We also gave the Basketball team a dinner. The big event of the year was the initiation which took place at Lake Wenatchee. The officers are as follows: President, Betty Jean Campbell; Vice President, Vera Dodge; Secretary-Treasurer, Beatrice Hughes. Adviser, Miss Fowler.

From left to right: Verna Smith, Bette Jo Werner, Beatrice Hughes, Bette Jean Campbell, Beverly La Rose, Geneva Lemons, Miss Fowler, Florence Betz, Bernice Swanson, Lorene Williams, Vera Dodge, and Wanda Scheaffer.

LETTERMAN’S BREAKFAST

The Lettermen of P.H.S. left for Fish Lake for the annual Letterman’s breakfast on March 2. All the cars arrived in good order.

All of them went to the Corral where their supper was served. In the morning, there was plenty of breakfast for everyone and they all enjoyed it.

The party was chaperoned by the coach, Mr. Duane Lamka. Left to right: Donald Simpson, George Sauers, Donald Bersing, Bob Hauff and Coach, Mr. Lamka.

TORCH HONOR SOCIETY

The members of this year’s Torch Honor Society have been active under the leadership of Mr. Warman.

Back row, left to right: Ester Radke, Wanda Scheaffer, Beatrice Hughes, Letha Webb.

Middle row, left to right: Marilyn Sparks, Lorna Matthews, Margaret Rudolph, Deloris Deeg.

Bottom row, left to right: Benton Burnett, Jim Smith, Donald Rudolph, Harry Warman. Not present, Norma Couch.
"THE PANTHER'S CLAW"

The Junior, Senior play, "The Panther's Claw," was presented on Wednesday, March 14, 1945. This three-act mystery thriller was directed by Miss Hicks.

The cast is as follows: **Front row**, left to right: Geneva Lemons, Norma King, Duane Steele, Jake; Benny Kirby, Clifton King; Don Simpson, Jerry Freeman; David John, Tony; Bette Jo Werner, Elaine Standish.

**Second row**: Vera Dodge, Tillie Lish; Allison Smithson, the panther; John Ivins, the spider; Wenda Scheaffer, Hope; Verna Smith.

**Last row**: Miss Hicks, student director; Beatrice Hughes, makeup; Bernice Swanson, Lorene Williams, advertising; Don Bersing, Darwin Hills and Bob Hauff, stage managers; Marilyn Sparks and Beverly La Rose, properties; Florence Betz and Betty Campbell, costumes. Not present, Norma Couch.

"CROSS MY HEART"

This three-act farce, "Cross My Heart," was the annual all-school play given this spring, May 9, 1945. This play proved very successful. "Cross My Heart" was directed by Mr. Lamka until he was called to the Navy and then Miss Fowler very efficiently took over and presented the play. The cast is as follows: David Johnson, Mr. Ross; Allison Smithson, Mr. Adams; Harry Warman, Charley Westover; Leslie Thompson, Carl Young; Duane Kinkade, Bob Adams. **Front row**, left to right: Hazel Moody, student director; Sally Evans, Pauline Adams; Florence Betz, Mrs. Adams; Bernice Swanson, Henrietta Duval; Virginia Campbell, Mrs. Ross; Lorene Williams, Patsy Jones; Phyllis Lake, Lola Pomeroy; Donna Smithson, Eleanor Ross.

Not present: Mr. Warman, Ben Kirby, and Herb Keihn, stage managers.

SENIOR BALL

On the evening of March 31, everyone enjoyed themselves in a beautiful "Winter Wonderland." The most attractive feature was the queen's throne, which was a large dog sled placed on a mound of snow. The punch stand, in the shape of an igloo, and the orchestra pit, which was a huge ice berg with northern lights behind it were also very attractive. Green fir boughs sprayed with silver paint were placed around the sides and gave everything a winterland effect.

Mr. Lamka presented our lovely Queen, Betty Jean Campbell, with the crown and the ball proceeded with the queen's command, "Let's Dance."
SCHOOL DIARY

August
Dear Diary:
August 21—School begins—85 students reluctantly straggled into their places and were sentenced to nine months of hard labor.
August 22—Oh! My new crop of Freshmen arrived.
The green hurts our eyes.
August 30—Gee! That was a short vacation. I'm tired—already it seems to be a steady grind.

September
Dear Diary:
September 1—Poor Fresh, they lead such a life. Today is their reception. What a sight!
September 8—P.T.A. sponsors a Senior Dance. Watch those blonds, boys!
September 15—What a football team, we played Dreden and the score was in our favor. Good going kids!
September 26—What's the matter boys, you let Leavenworth beat you by twelve points. Try and do better next time.

October
Dear Diary:
October 1—We have intermission for awhile. A four-week period for harvest. The apples are in full swing.
October 30—Spooks, did I hear you say? Yes, it's Halloween.

November
Dear Diary:
November 10—Seniors put on a back-to-school dance. It reminded me of old times. Swing and sway!
November 22—Well! Well! If Thanksgiving hasn't come around again. Let's not hear of any illness caused by overeating.

December
Dear Diary:
December 1—Good going second team—even though you lost to Waterville while our first team attended other games.
December 4—Round Robin at Wenatchee. You'd never know there was gas rationing. I think everyone attended. Omak beat us to disgust when they took the game.
December 14—Peshastin defeats Federal Way.
December 15—Peshastin loses game with Auburn.
December 19—Music in the air. Cashmere chorus sang at the church.
December 22—Oh! At last it's here—Christmas Vacation. Candy and nuts for us kids.

January
Dear Diary:

January 1—Basketball team played Chelan and they won. Hard luck, but the boys took it!
January 6—Manson came all the way to be defeated by our Loggers!
January 17—"Senior Sneak" and the Juniors would have to be taking a typing test at the time.
January 19—We played Dryden; it was a fair game and we won. (Close!) January 20—We won another game from Manson.
January 23—Everybody from Leavenworth and Peshastin says, "We'll win because we don't even stand a chance of losing!" We were right because we won with a high score.
January 24—Semester exams. Little grains of knowledge and little drops of sense make a lot of difference when the tests begin.
January 26—Say! Did we ever take Wenatchee on their floor! Big deal kids.
January 27—Here comes our report cards—You know kids—X marks the errors?
January 29—Hathaway—everybody had their ears wide open and their eyes fixed on the stage.
January 30—Congratulations boys! We had faith in your winning the game with Cashmere.

February
Dear Diary:

February—Chelan beat Peshastin by good luck in basketball tonight. The boys really worked but to no avail.
February 6—Entiat journeyed to P.H.S. tonight for a big basketball game. We won!
February 13—Our basketball boys went down to Cashmere to play them in a good ol' basketball game. We came out winners after a very exciting game.
February 16—Here we are at another game. It was a thriller-diller. Everyone was yelling "Get the ball!" Poor Dryden was defeated by our Loggers.
February 23—Well, we played Leavenworth there tonight and we won another game. Our last game of this year.
March

Dear Diary: (Are you still with me?)

March 14—Juniors and seniors gave a thriller of a mystery play, "The Panther's Claw." Good play kids!!

March 23—Yes, the seniors gave a program for the student body today. Our queen was elected. Betty Jean Campbell was the lucky and fair one. Our princesses were Norma Couch and Verne Smith.

March 27—Spring is in the air from the looks of the steadies.

March 31—Senior Ball! One of our most popular school functions. Very good!!

April

Dear Diary:

April 5—Birdman came. Everyone enjoyed him.

April 13—Campus Day. Everyone busy and what fun. Oh boy!!!

April 20—Everyone turned out in cotton dresses and cords at our annual Cotton Ball. Very good dance!

April 26-27—Kids were cramming books in the lockers and forgetting about school for two days. Spring vacation!!!

April 30—Back to school and all the kids are industrious. Wow!!

May

Dear Diary:

May 8—All school matinee.

May 9—Quite a crowd at the grade school gym. Yep, it was the all school play, "Cross My Heart." A three-act comedy and Miss Fowler was the adviser.

May 11—Mother's Tea. A special program and entertainment for all the Mothers. Very good program—all turned out well. "Toto" tonight—the girls did all right. More fun!

May 18—Hear Ye, Hear Ye! Election for student body officers today, congratulations kids!

May 26—The great event, "MINORS AWARD BANQUET."

May 29—Good bye seniors! Graduation night.

May 30—Dedication of Memorial Park.

June

Dear Diary:

June 1—High School picnic. Last day of school, so—good bye and all that!
Beware Wolfesses!

Show-Offs

Hi Teach

Laziness

Coach

After all Bea

Privacy (?)

Those Trash

It's a Crowd

Campus Day

At it Again

Going Places