

# "Bat the Apple"

1948

By near mid-season, the Braves had won three and lost six baseball games, but they showed a decided improvement over last year's squad, and by the time they're another year older and the school has seniors for the first time, they should be a polished outfit.

Playing the Burbank High Jayvees in the season opener, the Injuns whipped out a 6-4 win, after only one week's practice. In the re-match, however, the Warriors ran into a no-hitter and lost by a 14-0 count.

In the first league tilt, the Injuns took it on the chin from Antelope Valley, 8-1, but saved a little face by taking the Jayvee game, 3-1. Playing against Pierce Junior College, the Indians slugged out an 11-7 win, but in their second league venture, they dropped an 8-13 encounter.

Simi slapped the Braves 6 to 2 in an errorful afternoon, and miscues again marked the game against Saint Robert Bellarmine, but the Hart men held out for a 10-8 win.

The diamondmen had a rough afternoon at Fillmore where they dropped another league encounter by a 9-1 score.

Back row: Coach Russell Johnson, Johnny Entriken, Wayne Hamaker, Dean Gallion, Bob Donaldson, Charles Thompson.  
Front row: LeRoy Vineyard, Tom Izuhara, Olen Hull, Maurice Doty, Eddie Kelso, Tom Christie.

