

# TORCH

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## Yearbook Staff Attend Workshop

The highpoint of a trip made on April 30 by several members of the yearbook staff was reached when our VIEW staff won first prize in a page planning and lay-out contest against the competition of 14 other schools. The prize was a very valuable book, Creative School Photography.

Several speakers were featured at the workshop attended by Mr. Chronister, Mr. Chancellor, Kathy Mahler, Gail Robinson, Brenda Brightwell, Donna Tye, and Bill Brueckman, co-editors of the 1965 VIEW. Among them were Mr. David Ramburg, director of publications for the American Yearbook Company, Mr. Earl Webb, our school photographer, and the yearbook staff from Hazelwood High School, which won first in the state last year for their high quality yearbook.

The workshop, which was held at Berkeley High School was very rewarding and it will help the staff to have a better and more successful yearbook next year.

## "Spectacular" Sound Of FJHS on Record

Record for sale! This could have been a sign in the Music room the last few weeks. Mr. James Hay came to our school one Tuesday night and made a recording of the Band and Concert Orchestra performance. Microphones and a huge mass of recording equipment were spread around the room while the orchestra played "When Johnny Comes Marching Home" and "Park Avenue Hoedown." The band members came later and set the room ringing with "Horizons West" and "Thundercrest."

In a very short time the RPM records which cost \$1.00 apiece will be given to the students who ordered them. So don't be surprised if sometime this summer you hear the familiar sounds of FJHS musicians pouring forth out of someone's open window!

## LIBRARY NEWS

Here they are: the results of the National Library Week Contests.

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|       | 7th Grade         |
| 1st — | Judy Jacobs       |
| 2nd — | Curt Price        |
|       | 8th Grade         |
| 1st — | Polly Reineke     |
| 2nd — | Cathy Carpenter   |
|       | 9th Grade         |
| 1st — | Sue Essock        |
| 2nd — | Richard Christman |

The prize-winning posters are on display on the bulletin board outside the library.

Mrs. Ehrlich would like to thank all the students and teachers who cooperated with her in making this a successful year for the library.

## Yearbooks And Bermudas On Same Day

If the student and faculty members appeared somewhat odd on Monday, May 24, it's probably because it was our annual Bermuda Day, and students were allowed to walk around in cut-offs, Bermudas, sweatshirts, or in regular school clothes. No hats were allowed to be worn, as our new assistant principal, Mr. Dodson, announced over the P.A. system. Also, the yearbook, VIEW, was given out to students who purchased them at the start of the year. Pupils went directly to their home-room for about 20 minutes until they were handed out, and then went back to their usual first hour class.

## Clyde Gets Well Fed

Clyde, our friendly wastebasket, got a royal mouthful on May 25th as students participated in their bi-annual locker clean-up and dumped trash into Clydes situated in the halls.

Earlier this month students and faculty helped in FJHS's clean-up campaign, and Clyde was made the official trash-basket for the campaign. Some of the slogans for the campaign were — "Stash That Trash," "Clyde's Hungry" "Feed Clyde," and "I'm Hungry Clyde."

# New Student Council Elected

## Honor Awards To Be Given

Outstanding students in many fields will be recognized at the Honor Assembly on Thursday morning, June 3. Pins will be given to the top ten students of all three grades. Those boys who received letters will be given certificates and the Student Council officers will also receive awards.

Drama Club members and winners of out-of-school prizes in home economics and art will be honored. The Concert Orchestra will play at the beginning and during the middle of the program.

## R-2 Again Offers Summer School

For those students who plan to take summer school this year, they have a day of waiting ahead of them as those who took it last year know. The wait is in the registration line on June 10 from 9 to 12 for R-2 students. All others on June 12 from 9-12, both at McCluer High School.

Mostly the same subjects are being offered as last year, but with a few new ones.

The most popular subjects taken by 8th graders are citizenship and health. With these out of the way, students have room for more electives.

The ninth grade seems to be leaning toward typing and driver training, which allows students to get their practical arts credit out of the way.

The fees for courses are \$20 per course, with the exception of driver training, IBM, key punch, and French.

The place where summer school is held is McCluer for secondary students and Walnut Grove for elementary. The summer program lasts from June 14 through July 23.

## GUIDANCE NEWS

Guidance counselors are, at present, busily engaged in selecting students for the new industrial arts program. This course will be offered only for boys in the ninth grades who have indicated vocational interest in this field. The period will be extended to two hours instead of the usual one. There is a limit of sixteen to this class. Another sixteen boys are also being selected for architectural drawing class. Mr. Geisler will be the teacher.

Students who require special reading assistance are being sought out and will be placed in a special class next year. This class will be limited to eighteen.

The results of the Student Council elections, held on May 24, are as follows: Sue Ameling, Jane Bentley, Debbie Bergfield, Pam Bronson, Dave, Cartwright, Tom DeGeare, Jane Mansfield, Jean McKenzie, Ken Rahm, Ron Thompson, Joe Waltz, and Barb Witzke, all freshmen-to-be. Jim Branahl, Bryan Finkelstein, Mike Fisher, Elizabeth Foote, Karen Giebe, Rose Leon, Doug Parker, and Joyce Skelton were elected for the eighth grade. The seventh grade elections will be held next fall.

Well, the year has about ended, therefore the Student Council hasn't too much to do this month since the dance is over. The dance went very well and the band was quite successful. We hope everyone enjoyed it and also liked the decorations.

The only thing the Student Council has been doing is planning the picnic for the members at the end of the year. It will be Friday the 4th of June, at Holiday Valley. Mr. C. Meyer, Mr. Spindler, Mr. Lager, Mrs. Murphy and Mr. Cates will drive.

The Student Council would like to wish all you new and old members good luck in the future. Mr. Cates and Mr. Ferguson would like to congratulate this year's Student Council on the fine work they've done, "especially Mr. Cates."

## New Cheerleaders Chosen

Cathy Carpenter, Ruth Ingerson, Jackie Jaspring, Sally Litzsinger, Marta Rallis, Pat Scott, Sharon Warner, Cheryl Williams, and Mary Liz Woodall for the eighth grade, and Susan Burns and Barb Downs from the seventh grade were announced as the new Ferguson cheerleaders.

They were chosen by Miss Burgess, Mr. Blattell, Mrs. Fox, Miss Kilgore, and Mr. Chancellor.

The try-outs were held on May 10. The seventh grade finals took place on May 12, and the eighth grade finals were on May 13.

## Tax Increase Passes

In a special election an increase of \$.34 in the tax levy for the R-2 School District was passed on May 4 with 9890 yes votes, and 4716 no votes. This is a 67.7% majority and the first increase in the operating levy in 3 years.

FJHS wants to thank all the parents for voting and also the faculty and students for their enthusiasm and cooperation.



## Question-Answer Assembly Held For Ninth Grade

"You and the Law" was the subject discussed at the recent 9th grade assembly. This was the first assembly ever attempted at FJH where only one grade was involved and it proved to be successful.

It was conducted on a "question/answer" basis, between two panels, with Mr. Schopp serving as moderator.

The first panel consisted of several gentlemen from Ferguson: Mr. Meyer, attorney and former School Board President; Sgt. Schaeffer, Ferguson's Juvenile Officer; Mr. Grimm, Chairman of the Public Works Committee, and Mr. Fathman of our Guidance Department.

The second panel was made up of 8 students; 2 from each of four citizenship classes. They were: Pam Wing and Jack Bouldin, representing Mr. Swift's classes; Dale Yoman and Greg Baker, representing Mrs. Broholm's classes; Susan Field and Mark Roholt, representing Mr. Lochmoeller's classes, and Brenda King and Nancy Evans representing Mr. Schopp's classes.

Mr. Schopp would like to congratulate the freshmen on their courteous and orderly conduct.

Also, the pamphlet, "You and the Law" is available, in the library to any students who are interested.

## New Torch Staff Selected

For the 65-66 school year the Journalism class will be larger than ever before by enrolling 37 students. The students filled out applications which were approved by their English teachers and Mr. Ferguson.

Some students who applied but were not accepted may still have a chance to get into Journalism by seeing Mr. Swift next September.

Students who have been accepted into the class and will be on the Torch staff are:

Sue Ameling, Jane Bentley, Joyce Bierman, Mary Beth Burlison, Chris Chase, Sharon Chastee, Kathy Copeland, Janice Crader, Candy Cromer, Nancy Day, Jeanne Fischer, Patricia Fox, Barbara Garvey, Judy Harte, Karen Herbst, Ruthe Ingerson, Dolores Lamb, Karen LaVielle, Jane Marsfield, Susan McCol, Jean McKenzie, Ramona Millican, Barbara Patient, Deborah Persels, Mary Underhill, Carol Waldvogel, Steve Frayn, Douglas Goff, David Green, Bob Hinklin, Niles Mincher, Mike Skeen, Gordon Snyder, Ron Thompson, Donald Tipton, Tom Wallace, Bob Wright.

## Class and Club Clippings

### Glee Club

There are no more performances scheduled for the Glee Club this year so the girls have been listening to and singing popular songs. The highlights of the past year include the Vespers in which the Glee Club presented a Ceremony of Carols accompanied by a harp (a first for our school), a concert at Bermuda School the County Festival, in which the Glee Club received very high grades, a Florissant concert and our own Spring Concert, at which Miss Gagnepain received a bouquet of roses from the girls. For these she wishes to express her sincere thanks to the Glee Club.

Next year Miss Jacqueline Lampert will direct the Glee Club since Miss Gagnepain is joining the Peace Corps. She will be training at UCLA this summer and going to Chile in September.

### Shop Classes

An act of carelessness caused Rich Millekin two cracked ribs on May 19, 1965, 4th hour. Rich was just standing around when someone turned on the drill press with the shunt key in, which flew out and hit Rich in the ribs.

### Art Classes

On another of their reknown field trips went the ninth-grade art classes. This time the art students went to Washington University, for a tour of the art galleries there.

They sketched architecture, toured the University and ended up in the zoo and sketched the animals.

After this they walked to the Jewel Box, sketched, and meditated upon landscape scenes.

### History Teacher Receives Apple Award

Had you been listening to radio station WIL on Wednesday April 21, you would have heard the salute to our well-known, well-liked history teacher, Mr. Schopp. He was the proud recipient of the WIL A&P "Apple for the Teacher" award! He won on the basis of a letter submitted by Millie Nahlik which stressed the fine work Mr. Schopp is doing to educate the youth of this area. Mr. John Cline of the A&P Store located at 407 Dunn Road personally delivered two bushels of apples to Mr. Schopp which were distributed among his history students.

Mr. Schopp was not only extremely pleased by this honor but also was highly appreciative of Millie Nahlik's efforts in his behalf.

### Bowling Club BOYS

The Wild Ones won all three games in the last week to beat the Bowl-Rites by one game and take first place. The first and second place teams received trophies and Ralph Rockmann received a trophy for High Average. Rick Wedle received a trophy for High Series, Barry Wall received a trophy for High Game. The Most Improved Bowler was Keith Fieldhammer.

### GIRLS

The Screwballs finished 4 games ahead of the Eight Balls to take first. First and second place teams received trophies and Karla Stone received a trophy for High Average. Judy Beeman received a trophy for High Series. Pat Holt received a trophy for High Games. The Most Improved Bowler was Dana Rees.

The boys teams finished as follows:

- 1st — Wild Ones
- 2nd — Bowl Rites
- 3rd — Rolling Pebbles
- 4th — Odd Balls
- 5th — Rugged Ones
- 6th — Pin Boys

The girls teams finished as follows:

- 1st — Screwballs
- 2nd — Eightballs
- 3rd — Lucky Strikers
- 4th — Odd Balls
- 5th — Gutter Dusters
- 6th — Pin Spotters
- 7th — Comets
- 8th — Ten Pins

### Aquarium Club

Taking apart the aquariums which they had put up earlier in the year has kept the Aquarium Club busy.

They took home the fish but left the aquarium equipment to add to the rest of the equipment they have been collecting to use for next year's club.

### Spanish Club

A Pinata party ended the meetings of this year's Spanish Club. The party began with the members singing Spanish songs. Then they were invited to taste enchiladas, tacos, and tamales. After eating, the group played a game of broom hockey. The Mexican hat dance was then taught and the party ended with the traditional breaking of the pinata.

### Science Teacher Gets Heir

It looks like Mr. John Meyer, science teacher, might have a little scientist on his hands. His new daughter, Julie Beth, could turn out to be a good one.

The seven pound, thirteen ounce girl was born at St. John's Mercy Hospital on May 12.

## French Club Takes Annual Trip

The Old Holy Family Church in Cahokia was the first stop along the way for those who took the French Club trip on May 15th. It is an old French building erected when Indians still roamed the countryside. Also in Cahokia is the Jarrot House, built by the man who also built Fort Chartres; the Cahokia Courthouse, once a private residence is the oldest home in Illinois and possibly the oldest private dwelling in the Midwest.

Fort Chartres with its powder house and stone gate is the very place where Pierre LaCade spent the winter before his establishment of a trading post on the site of St. Louis. Fort Kaskaskia, where the group ate lunch, is so named because it is the location of the old fort which no longer exists.

Near Kaskaskia they toured the Menard home built by the first Lieutenant Governor of Illinois. And in St. Mary's the saw a beautiful hand-carved altar and the Liberty Bell.

St. Genevieve was the last stop before the group went home. Being the oldest town west of the Mississippi it has many old houses belonging to the French families that settled the area. Bouldac house is one of these. The church there is extremely ornate and a fine example of the beauty of earlier times. Mrs. Finney and Miss Merrick accompanied the group and Mrs. O'Neil was the guide.

## Choir, Madrigal Perform

One performance was given this month by the Choir and Madrigal Singers. It was the Spring Concert: "An Evening of Choral Music" on May 14. In this concert the Madrigal did "He Is Good and Handsome," "Down In A Flowery Vale," "Downe a Downe," "All Ye Who Music," and "Summer Is A Coming In."

The Choir did such selections as "Choose Something Like A Star," "Adoramus To Christe," "O Light Divine," "Hi Lili, Hi Lo," "When Love Is Kind," "Gloria Patri," "Verdant Meadows," "Ifca's Castle," "Three Hungarian Folksongs," "Good News" was sung after an announcement that the tax levy had passed.

The choir also did "Ladaute Dominum" with soloist Cindy Burns. She did two other songs in the program. One was a love song by Bach and the other was "Musette's Waltz." In spite of the tremendous heat, the performance went quite well.



## Some Will Not Return

It seems that next year, as always, some of our teachers are not returning. Those departing are:

Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Gallagher are leaving to have more time with their families. Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Hanweck are leaving for personal reasons.

Mrs. Fox, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Permutt, and Mr. Townsend are planning to teach at other schools; Mrs. Fox at Hazelwood High, where she will have girls PE classes and the GAA. Mr. McKinney at a junior high in Lincolnwood, Illinois; Mrs. Permutt at a school in Woodridge, Connecticut; and Mr. Townsend at McCluer High School, where he will teach plane geometry and general math.

Miss Klein is planning to attend Cornell University, in New York, where she will work for her master's degree, while Miss Gagnepain has joined the Peace Corps.

## Chowtime

by Brad Robinson and Sue Gore

Did you know that in one week of school an estimated 1000 pounds of food are consumed? Surprising, isn't it? For instance, on February 24 at Ferguson Jr. High, 100 lbs. of hamburger meat was used, 170 lbs. of French Fries, 59 dozen buns, 120 lbs. of cabbage, 684 half-pints of milk, and 57 dozen Woder Bars were eaten. Not to mention so many pounds of spices, seasonings, sauces, and shortening that went into the making of these things.

The deliveries of all foods, except those that are canned or that will keep indefinitely, are made on the day before it is to be used. Even if a delivery is late, the lunches must be made. Using French fries as an example, whipped potatoes would be substituted, since they are made from instant potatoes and will keep indefinitely. The French fries are used in place of whipped potatoes a few days later.

Little of the extra food is wasted from days when the number of lunches is overestimated. Meat can be frozen and used in a similar dish a few days later. Vegetable can be frozen too, and either added to others or occasionally used in vegetable soup. Milk must be used in cooking. Salads and slaw however, will not keep and are among the few things that must be thrown out.

Getting hungry?

## Be Kind to Subs

by Pat Babbitt

Do you think yourself a courteous person? Well, if you do, ask yourself this question: "Am I courteous to substitute teachers?" If you can answer yes to that question, then you are courteous, but if the question brings a guilty blush to your cheek, then you'd better turn over a new leaf.

Too few students appreciate all a substitute teacher goes through for them. Just think how much they must really enjoy teaching to be willing to give up their whole day on an unexpected phone call from a principal asking for his or her assistance.

The teacher may have had an exciting day planned but she gives it up and takes a fellow teacher's place in front of a class of unfamiliar faces. She's probably completely unaware of how the class is used to being taught, but, never-the-less she does her best to help these students understand the subject matter.

And what does she get in return? She's ignored, taken advantage of, and laughed at because a group of rude children don't know how to behave properly. They think that just because the teacher doesn't know them, they can do anything they want. To them having a substitute means getting a holiday.

Do you think these substitutes get a good impression of your regular teacher and even of your school? Certainly not!

Next time there is a substitute in your teacher's place, when you walk into class, instead of thinking of ways to take advantage of the situation, think of ways you can let him or her know that you are grown up and know how to behave. Think also of the impression you want the substitute to carry with him or her of your teacher and school.

Hamburgers seem to be the most popular meat item in our Snack Bar although at Florissant Jr. High, hot dogs are tops. Milk is the favorite drink at FJHS and we're glad that it is. Either students know what is good for them, or else they are just being thrifty. It's bet-pinchers than under-nourished ter to have healthy penny-pinchers than under-nourished big spenders. The best selling ice cream is yup, you guessed it — the Wonder Bar.

## Teachers Will Go To School

Again this summer several of our Ferguson teachers will attend classes as students.

Mr. Lager, English teacher, has received a National Defense Education Act grant to the University of Illinois. This is for a workshop in English Composition.

Miss Klein, who will be teaching this summer, has received a two year scholarship to Cornell University in New York. She will go there in September to work on her master of Fine Arts in the field of painting.

Mr. McCormack, choir teacher, will attend a Choral Conductors' Workshop at Oakland University in Michigan. The four week's workshop will include work with high school students and singing in an adult chorus under the direction of Robert Shaw. In the last week of July the groups will perform Stravinsky's "Symphony of Psalms" and Beethoven's "Missus Solennis" with the Detroit Symphony.

Mrs. Ehrlich, librarian, will work on her Master of Library Science Degree at the University of Denver, Colorado. There she hopes to combine a vacation with studying.

## Washington Univ. Host To Freshmen

Washington University was visited on May 13th by the members of the FJHS College Club. The 84 boys and girls left school at about 9:15 a.m. Upon arrival at the campus the club members walked to Brookings Hall where they were introduced to the Dean of Admissions. She answered various questions about the requirements for and the cost of attending the university.

The group was broken into four parts, each being taken on a tour of the campus by a student guide. Olin Library, the Women's Building, the Fraternity Houses, Graham Chapel, and the dormitories were seen by the students.

At 12:00 everyone went to Wohl Cafeteria for lunch. Since the time scheduled for departure was 1:30, many students took advantage of the free time by going to the Quad Shop, Brookings Hall, and buying such items as Washington U. Sweatshirts, and theme paper tablets. They returned to school in time for 6th hour and all agreed that it had been a very enjoyable day.

## The Best or Most

Ninth graders have chosen the following girls and boys as being the most or best according to a survey:

<b>Athlete</b>	
Cathy Tschannen	Tony Gschwendner
<b>Personality</b>	
Chris Dillon	Jim Schmuck
<b>Dressed</b>	
Jill Mead	John Kasten
<b>Sense of Humor</b>	
Debbie Stout	Barry Rinderknecht
<b>Dancer</b>	
Pat Cramner	Jack Bouldin
<b>Intelligent</b>	
Carol Frost	Rich Spillenkothen
<b>Popular</b>	
Kathy Olson	Tony Gschwendner
<b>Well-Liked</b>	
Chris Dillon	Keith Lewis
<b>All-around Student</b>	
Chris Dillon	Rich Spillenkothen
<b>Active</b>	
Cathy Tschannen	Tony Gschwendner
<b>Congenial</b>	
Chris Dillon	Walt Parker
<b>Singer</b>	
Rita Cruz	Steve Brammeier
<b>Attractive</b>	
Fran Caleca	Kevin Roberts
<b>Wit</b>	
Debbie Stout	Barry Rinderknecht
<b>Cutest Couple</b>	
Kevin and Karen	
<b>Well-liked Couple</b>	
Rich and Kathy	

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The survey also showed these as the

## Most Likely To •

<b>Succeed</b>	
Kathy Olson	R. Spillenkothen
<b>Work for Government</b>	
Sandy Branahl	Rich Spillenkothen
<b>Get Married First</b>	
Sandy Pavletic	Wayne Stephenson
<b>Be the Best Mother</b>	
Chris Dillon	
<b>Be the Best Father</b>	
Barry Rinderknecht	
<b>Get Married Last</b>	
Sue Turner	Neil McCall
<b>Have Most Kids</b>	
Sandy Pavletic	Wayne Stephenson
<b>Get Rich Quick</b>	
Helen Boyce	Jack Bouldin
<b>Travel Around the World</b>	
Kathy Olson	John Kluge
<b>Be In High Society</b>	
Cheryn Johnson	Jack Bouldin
<b>Be Famous</b>	
Sue Essock	Larry Kurtz
<b>Be a School Teacher</b>	
Joan Walker	Kurt Larson
<b>Couple to last the Longest</b>	
Larry and Helen	



## Custodians of The Month



Mrs. Hulbert, matron

Horace Bedsole and Oma Hulbert are this month's custodians.

Oma has worked in the R-2 District for five years. In her opinion FJHS has been the nicest. Oma has three grandsons and her favorite pastime is gardening.

Water skiing, archery, art (drawing) and cars are Horace Bedsole's hobbies. He has worked here since the latter part of April. His advice to students is obtain as much education as possible, for it is the doorway to success.

We were unable to get Mr. Bedsole's picture.

## QUIZITOR

Question: What's the first thing you want to do when you get out of school?

BERNIE BRADER: stay in bed all morning and stay up all night.

FRANK VANDERKRAATS: Leave

RON FARRIS: Say bye-bye

JUDY BROWNE: Go twimming in the twimming pool.

CAROL ROBERTS: get married

HILL CRAWFORD: Go to Australia to collect Australian pocket fuzz

SUE GRIMSLEY: Wouldn't you like to know?

RUTH CARTER: Play tiddly-winks with sewer lids.

LAURA LONG: Go to Africa and wrestle a gorilla.

JANET DAUWATER: Wrte poison-pen letters to my teacher.

DOUG GOFF: Go to the moon and stick my tongue out at the Russians.

DIANE ORDELHEIDE: Go to kiddie land on my tricycle.

ALAN PATTS: What do you think?

SHARON WARNER: Take a guess

JIM MARCO: Pretend I'm playing hooky

LINDY NUGENT: Wish I was back in it.

GORDON SNYDER: Sleep, sleep, sleep.

MIKE WHALEY: Eat, eat, eat.

JERRY BLACKWELL: Kiss the ground

KEN ARCHIBALD: Punch my brother

REGGIE BOMAR: Go girl hunting.

KAREN GIEBE and KAY FOOR: Go boy hunting

JOYCE SKELTON: Take the air out of Mr. Long's tires.

PAT WHEELER: Go into hibernation

MR. McKINNEY: Take a deep breath of fresh air, relax, go fishing — then back to work and move to the "Windy City"

RICKY FREDERICKSON: Teach Mr. Essmann about the birds and the bees.

TOM SCHULTZ: Take a week of vacation and knock myself out in summer school.

MR. SHERIDAN: Train cobras in Africa so I will be prepared to handle the lunch shift next years.

ANN MONNIG: Goof off

ANONYMOUS: Mug Mr. Long

LINDA STIRES: I just want to get out

JANET GEORGE: I'll never tell

CHRIS FRICKE: Keel over from exhaustion

KEVIN BASSINSON: Step on Mr. Blattel

DEBBIE DAUSSMAN: Live

MR. ESSMANN: Take six tranquilizers; sleep 23½ hours; then journey to the Mojave Desert.

BOB MILLER: Go home to my mommy.

MARY WARREN: I'm going to raise minks and make Mr. Lager a toupee and send it to him next year.

CHUCK SABATINO: Go get some "be-bop".

MARTIN SOBELMAN: Get some Mountain Dew and have a party

KEITH BANGRUM: Chew gum and talk (and not get caught)

RICHARD KNIGHT: Put on my shades and tear.

## Odds & Ends

To commemorate the ending of a wonderful year filled with genius, intelligence, great ideas, award-winning sports, and great freshmen; Greg Baker has graciously consented to throw a big party for all of the freshmen including these couples:

Rich S. & Kathy O.; Ron L. & Sandy B.; Wayne S. & Janis D.; Kathy C. & Gary J.; Kevin R. & Karen K.; Larry H. & Helen B.; Keith L. & Carol J.; Jim S. & Carol H.; Ron G. & Cathy T.; Jerry C. & Robbie B.; Connie E. & Glenn; Jim W. & Paula E.; Ritchie G. & Kathy M.; Jack B. & Cheryn J.; Steve M. & Claudia L.; Barry G. & Pat C.; Fran C. & John G.; John K. & Sue A.; Stu J. & Sue K.; Tim R. & Sheryl F.; Steve B. & Barb M.; Dean C. & Carol F.

The party will be held June 16, at 7:30 at Nantucket Gardens swimming pool.

Chuck Sabatino is also giving a party for the 8th grade couples. The theme is "come one, come all."

Vic M. & Barb W.; Steve S. & Debbie B.; Ron G. & Sharon W.; Mike S. & Ruthe I.; Mark R. & Fairrel B.; Jerry B. & Kathy W.

Seventh graders are too young to have parties, but we imagine they'll get together somehow.

Bob W. & Kay F.; Jim C. & Carol L.; Brian F. & Sue H.; Kevin H. & Rose L.; Dan D. & Sue B.; Dave B. & Mary D.; Doug G. & Debbie J.

Congratulations to Coach Meyer and to Mrs. Meyer on the recent birth of their daughter.

All the freshmen wish Kathy O. the best of luck in Indiana.

Kathy Benne just can't keep from choking herself on the lab earphones! She's wound up in French!

There's no better way to sign yearbooks han to have a sit-down after school in the halls.

A word of thanks to the yearbook staff for the great year book! By the way, did you forget to put the names in?

Don't be surprised if you see Carol Jeffares modeling at Stix.

We want to make a special announcement: No hats can be worn in school at any time.

Debbie Stout gets this year's award for getting kicked out of class the most.

## Ecstasy & Agony

Ecstasy is seeing your name on the Honor Roll

Agony is finding that its misspelled.

Ecstasy is being excused from your hardest and most boring class.

Agony is finding that you have to do the homework anyway.

Ecstasy is taking the spiral out of your notebook.

Agony is tearing all the paper out, too.

Agony is getting caught chewing gum and having to write five hundred sentences.

Ecstasy is knowing that you should write one thousand.

Ecstasy is wearing your new blue sweatshirt.

Agony is finding that someone wrote "Kiss Me" on the back.

Ecstasy is being taller than your worst enemy.

Agony is knowing that he can beat you anyway.

Ecstasy is finishing all your health study sheets.

Agony is finding out that the guy you copied from was all wrong.

Ecstasy is getting a difficult Algebra assignment done all by yourself.

Agony is losing it before class.

Ecstasy is a well-dissected worm. Agony is finding out that it was only a rubber tube.

Ecstasy is being asked to the dance.

Agony is finding that you have to pay your own way.

Ecstasy is finishing a really good book in time for a book report.

Agony is discovering that it's not on the booklist.

Ecstasy is seeing all "A's" on your report card.

Agony is discovering you've got the wrong report card.

Ecstasy is finding that your crayfish in biology class is put together just like the diagram in the dissecting book.

Agony is the smell.

Ecstasy is being in the Choir Agony is having to wear a choir robe in hot weather.

Ecstasy is a well-done homework assignment.

Agony is finding out that you did the wrong page.

Ecstasy is having three boyfriends.

Agony is chickenpox the day of the dance.

Ecstasy is being a fabulous freshman.

Agony is saying goodbye to FJHS



# Last Wills and Testaments

The last wills and testaments of many freshmen have been made out, following things they have left for teachers or future ninth graders:

- Dan Farris — I will to the 8th graders my 7th grade brother.  
 Gayle Mohart — I will the hungry Clyde signs that are on all the trash cans.  
 Becky Youngberg — To Jeanna Jobe I will my note passing technique in English class.  
 Carol Wright — Mr. Dodson to all 9th grade (unfortunate?) General Business students for next year.  
 Linda Gebhards — My dirty gym suit, with matching shoes.  
 Tarry Bartholomew — I will to Jo Wheeler my great ability to play the baritone.  
 Chris Heflin — I leave Mr. Sheridan to next years art students.  
 Stephen Aubuchon — I leave my good looks and great ability to Bob Miller.  
 Pearce Neikirk — I leave my worn out gym shoes and dirty smelly socks to Steve Hobbs.  
 Connie Scates — All my luck with 8th grade boys to some other fortunate girl.  
 Fred Irvin — Mrs. Riemer to all the 8th graders (poor kids)  
 Joyce Spotswood — My used gum to the lucky person who sits on it.  
 Rita Wilmes — Mr. Kimpling to all 8th graders. Especially study hall and all the sentences he gives out.  
 Sherry Tate — The gory health movies to the poor unfortunates who get to see them next year.  
 Vicky Rullkoetter — My round-toed gym shoes to Joan Crocker.  
 Laura McClelland — Crowded buses to Linda S. and Mary M.  
 Don Dempewolf — Me  
 Jackie Barnes — The A.I.B.S. films from Biology  
 Linda Cope — My five wheeled tricycle.  
 John Kmucha — A few strands of hair on Mr. Simmon's desk.  
 Norma Robinson — Two ice cream tickets and several tootsie roll-pop wrappers.  
 Karla Stone — I will Mr. Spindler my "super dooper" hair tonic, for baldness.  
 Peggy Peters — All my old notes to Clyde.  
 Linda Sease (and the TORCH staff) — All the fun of ninth grade.  
 Judy Gisburne — to Candy Cromer I leave my dirty and holey sweatsocks.  
 Joe Ford — Nothing; I'm taking it all with me  
 Rick Gudiswitz — My great algebraic ability to Vic Meldrum.  
 Mike Martin — Mr. Ferguson to Jill Crawford all next year.  
 Ralph Rockamann — Leave my ability to pick on Neil McCall to Fairel Branch.  
 Kathy Loy — Mr. Chronister to anyone who is real desperate to take him.  
 Glenn Cragg — W. L. gets my brains. Frank H. inherits my great swimming ability and my great knack of being able to be in the right place at the right time goes to Mr. Ferguson.  
 Linda Boettner — All my old books and teachers to my sister who is coming into 7th grade.  
 Keith Walher — All my pairs of ripped pants and Tarzan books to Mr. Schopp.  
 Joe Russo — Key to the girls locker room.  
 Diana Sheperd — To Mr. Blattel, all the English I didn't learn.  
 Barb Schmidt — To Mr. Meyer my leaf collection.

## A SHORT STORY by Barry Rinderknecht

I wasn't very handsome,  
 I was no good at sports,  
 What really won the girls for me  
 were my bermuda shorts.

I couldn't win at tennis,  
 At golf I missed the tees  
 But nothing mattered to the girls  
 When they could see my knees.

I tried my hand at horseshoes  
 But couldn't hit the pegs,  
 Teh girls didn't even notice  
 Their eyes were on my legs.

Turned on my personality  
 Tried out all my grins  
 The only thing that phazed  
 the girls  
 Were my gorgeous shins.

The ripples in my muscles,  
 My tendons firm and strong  
 Brought the girls a running,  
 To my arms where they belong.

So fellows if you're homely  
 And you're no good at sports,  
 Do not despair, take my advice  
 Go out and buy some shorts.

# Freshmen Class Prophecy

- CHRIS DILLON — Dietician  
 WAYNE STEPHENSON — Censored  
 NEIL McCALL — On the spot reporter  
 CATHY TSCHANEN — Professional babysitter  
 RON GABBARD — baby  
 GAIL BUSS — advertiser for freckle remover  
 TONY GSCHWENDER — understudy for Baby Huey  
 PATSY POHTOS — understudy for Tony G.  
 JODY LOMBARDO — Weiner dog trainer  
 CAROL JEFFARES — tackle for Notre Dame Football team  
 KEITH LEWIS — Notre Dame Football  
 JIM SCHMUCK — Father  
 CAROL HADDENHORST — Mother  
 RITCHIE GORCZYCA — treasurer of lonely hearts club  
 CHERYN JOHNSON — only her hairdresser knows  
 JACK BOULDIN — professional caddy  
 SANDY PAVLETIC — fashion editor of Missouri Wildlife catalog.  
 SUE ALBACH — moon maid  
 JOHN KASTEN — man in the moon  
 SUE SCHWENDENER — understudy of "Lassie"  
 RICH SPILLENKOTHEN — bookkeeper  
 KATHY OLSON — book  
 ROSIE MANNINO — died of embarrassment  
 TINA STALLONE — Head of Tiny Tot Riding School

## — TORCH BOX —

Dear Torch Box,

Where did all the "Clyde likes Trash" and "feed Clyde" and "Clyde's Hungry" signs come from? And who in heaven's name is Clyde?

Clyde Hater

Dear Clyde Hater,

The highly effective "Clyde" signs were put up by Mr. McKinney's science classes, who were participating in National Clean-up Month. By the way, if you have seen the signs, then you surely know who Clyde is. . . don't you?

Dear Torch Box,

Through you, I would like to know how my picture got into the seventh grade section of the View? I am particularly interested because I am in the eighth grade.

R. Guenther (humiliated)

Dear Humiliated,

Don't feel too disappointed because if you'll look carefully, you will see that all the other 7th grade students were put in the 8th grade section (except you). So tthe 8th graders were put in the 9th grade section and the 9th graders were all put in the 7th grade section. So you are in the right place and everybody else is in the wrong place.

To all of you who will still be here at FJHS next year,

Good Luck, and write to Torch Box. It was somewhat neglected

## 7th Grade Personality

This month's seventh grade personality is Maureen Roberts. She went to Sts. John & James. There's no doubt how Craig Prater could like her with her height of 5' 3". Maureen's favorite teacher is Mr. Johnson and favorite subject is gym. She enjoys daily swimming and eating pizza.

## 8th Grade Personality

Let's all get out our hankies and wave goodbye to Alan Evers, this month's personailty, as he is moving to New Orleans June 7. We sure hate to see him go. To be sure you're waving to the right person, he is 6' 3" with green eyes and light brown hair and his hobbies are collecting stamps and coins. His favorite subject is gym and Mr. Townsend is his favorite teacher. Before coming to FJHS, he went to Lee Hamilton. March 13 was his fifteenth birthday.

## 9th Grade Personality

This month's personality, who we think deserves it very much, is Debbie Stout. She was born December 30, 1949 and previously went to Bermuda School. She is 5 foot 6 inches with brown hair and blue eyes. Her favorite color is blue and she enjoys all sports. Don't ask Debbie who her favorite teachers are because she won't say but we secretly know it's a tie between Mr. Lager and Mr. Meyer.

this year. You wouldn't want it to feel left out, now would you?

Happy Vacation

Torch Box Editor





Shown here is Fran Caleca in her dance dress.



Jill Mead (left) and Sheryl Spotswood are modeling casual school fashions.

## Fads 'n' Fashions

The Spring Dance was accented with lace as is Fran Caleca. Fran's dress is white lace with a sheered lace collar. She completed her outfit with pink shoes and a pink hand bag.

Jeanie Fischer represents the eighth grade fashion in her pink and white dotted swiss. It is empire styled with a A line skirt completed with a long bow hanging from the neckline. Her accessories include white gloves, shoes, purse and pearls.

School fashions are modeled by Jill Mead and Sheryl Spotswood. Jill made her outfit of blue denim. It is an A line skirt zipper. The popular styles of unmatched tops and bottoms is shown by Sheryl. Her empire-waist dress is orange with a plaid top. A boy's neck tie accents the outfit.

The shorts seen on Bermuda Day were mostly madras with the next popular being cut-offs. Look-alike shirts seem to have hit here, too. Surfer shirts are seen everywhere on everyone.

Swimsuits are made of madras cotton and knit. The two piece seems to be here to stay, but the over-blouse is coming popular. "in" as far as the boys at FJHS are concerned. While the girls seem to like small madras purses.

This is about all for this year. But styles will soon change, you'll hear all about them next year. Have fun this summer!



Jeanie Fischer models the dress she wore to the dance.

## — THE TORCH —

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### Torch Staff Tours Post

The Post-Dispatch was the destination of the journalism classes on Wednesday, May 19. Upon arrival, the students were taken to the Conference Room where they looked at pictures of old newspaper fronts dating back to 1878. A member of the public relations department gave us tour books of the Post and

explained what is done in each department. He then led us on a tour in which we saw the printing presses, the mail room, the newsroom, and the A.P. room. We received the May 19th Post, slugs of type with our names printed on them and a free soda! We returned to the Conference Room where all of our questions were answered.

## Track Comets Crush Berkeley

Berkeley Jr. High was crushed by our track team by the score of 79-16. The meet was held here on May 6.

The results were as follows:

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
100 yd. dash	Rinderknecht	Courtois	Richards
220 yd. dash	Pesek	Berkeley	Courtois
440 yd. dash	McGowan	Owen	Boelhauf
880 yd. run	Schmuck	Berkeley	Harold
440 yd. relay	Ferguson	Berkeley	
60 yd. L. hurdles	Kluge	Berkeley	Berkeley
Broad Jump	Rinderknecht	Pesek	Gorczyca
Pole Vault	Berkeley	Berkeley	Young
Discus	Berkeley	Bouldin	Wilson
Shot Put	Gschwender	Wilson	Bouldin
High Jump	Kasten	Freeman	Berkeley

### CHAMPIONSHIP BOWLERS



Barry Wall, Boys' High Single; Fariel Brauch, Member girls' championship team; Ralph Rockamann, Boys' High Average; Karla Stone, Girls' High Average; Missing: Rick Wedle, Boys' High Series; Judy Beeman, Girls' High Series; Pat Holt, Girls' High game; Dann Rees, Linda Finnnern, members girls' championship team.

## TILLY TORCH

Dear Tilly,

My boyfriend has a bad habit of sucking in air in his mouth every time I talk to him. This bothers me. What can I do about it?

Disgusted

Dear Disgusted,

Get him a pacifier,

Dear Tilly,

My hair keeps falling out. What can I do about it?

Baldy

Dear Baldy,

Lay off the Nair and get a bottle of Elmer's glue

Dear Tilly,

I like a boy very much but I am six inches taller than he. What can I do?

T.T.

Dear T. T.,

Kneel.





Seventh Grade Intramural Award Winners, left to right, first row: 1st place, J. Maurer; 2nd place, M. Moore, who also won the Decathlon; 3rd place, D. Bregenzer. Second row: 4th place, T. January; 5th place, E. Case; 6th place, S. Smith.

## Girls' Sports

The last ball has been bounced, the last finger jammed and the last Girls' Sports article read after you finish this!

The girls PE classes have finished their last sport; softball. About a month ago the Physical Fitness tests were completed. After these all classes participated in softball and tennis if they so desired.

The seventh and ninth grade girls played intramural softball games after school. The reason why the eighth graders didn't was because there were not enough teams to compete.

The results were thus:

### NINTH GRADE

- 1st — Les Soeurs Genre  
Kathy Loy, captain  
Loretta Kramme, Penny  
Daukas, Kathy Reber, Joan  
Buschart, Linda White,  
Cathy Chase, Linda Hale,  
Barb Frahm, Kathy Roy,  
and Cheryl Lee  
2nd — Darn Yankees  
Debbie Stout captain  
3rd — J. D.'s  
Sue Essock, captain

### Seventh Grade

Seventh Grade girls had a new addition to their intramural program. It was a special physical fitness program. There were 7 events: broad jump, sit-ups, pull-ups, shuttle-run, softball throw, 600 yard run-walk, and the 50 yard dash. Each girl could participate in any or all events. (Nine points for first place, 6 points for 2nd place and 3 points for 3rd place).

Approximately 30 girls participated. The winners were:  
1st place: Colleen McGrath  
2nd place: Susan Hadfield  
3rd place: Mary Hayden  
4th place: Peggy Pruitt

Mrs. Fox said that she was surprised but happy that so many girls had an interest in individual intramurals.

## Tennis Team Takes Three Out Of Four

### Comets Victorious

Our Ferguson tennis team made it their third win in a row, with a smashing victory against Clayton on Clayton's courts. The final score was a rousing 4-0-1; the tie being made by Richard Spillenkothen. The meet was held on April 28 under cloudy, threatening skies.

#### Singles

G. Fluri, won 6-4 6-4  
D. Dunlap won 7-5 7-5  
R. Spillenkothen tie 9-11 6-4

#### Doubles

G. Smith and B. Krueger won 6-0 6-0  
D. Warner, and T. Nolde won 6-0 6-4

### Netmen Win Again

The 65 tennis season continued to be a good one for our Comets as they took their match from Parkway Central on April 30 on Parkway's courts. This made four in a row for our Comets. Gene Fluri made it his fourth consecutive win, Don Dunlap also did well in singles. The final score was 3-2.

Here are the results:

#### Singles

R. Spillenkothen lost  
G. Fluri, won 6-2 6-0  
D. Dunlap, 6-3 2-6 6-4

#### Doubles

B. Krueger, S. Smith won 6-2 6-3  
M. Kruske, J. Wallace lost 7-9 0-6

### ... And Again

Gene Fluri again was the backbone of the tennis team as our net men took their fifth win, this time by trampling their opponents from John Burroughs in a meet held at J. B.

## Ferguson Wins Third Straight

Ferguson out-scored Hazelwood P.M. by 66 to 29 to register its third straight victory in track.

Jim Schmuck just missed tying the school record for the 1/2 mile by 1/10 of a second.

The meet was held here on April 30. The results were as follows:

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
60 yd. L. hurdles	Hazelwood	Kluge	Hazelwood
100 yd. dash	Rinderknecht	Courtois	Kasten
220 yd. dash	Courtois	Rinderknecht	Kasten
440 yd. dash	McGowan	Owen	Boelhauf
880 yd. run	Schmuck	Bowles	Austin
440 yd. relay	Ferguson	Hazelwood	
Broad Jump	Rinderknecht	Pesek	Hazelwood
High Jump	Kasten	Hazelwood	Hazelwood
Pole Vault	Gorczyca	Hazelwood	Young
Discus	Pesek	Bouldin	Gschwender
Shot Put	Gschwender	Bouldin	Wilson

## Comet Trackmen Lose To Hoech

Ferguson suffered its first defeat in track in three years to Hoech Junior High by the score of 64 to 31.

The meet was held at Hoech on May 4.

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
60 yd. L. hurdles	Hoech	Hoech	Kluge
100 yd. dash	Hoech	Rinderknecht	Courtois
220 yd. dash	Hoech	Courtois	Hoech
440 yd. dash	Hoech	Hoech	Hoech
880 yd. run	Schmuck	Hoech	Hoech
440 yd. relay	Hoech	Ferguson	
Broad Jump	Pesek	Hoech	Hoech
Pole Vault	Hoech	Gorczyca	Hoech
Discus	Hoech	Pesek	Bouldin
Shot Put	Gschwender	Hoech	Bouldin
High Jump	Hoech	Hoech	Hoech



Eighth Grade Intramural Award Winners, left to right, first row: 1st place, D. Williams, who also won the Decathlon; 2nd place: T. Fluri; 3rd place, R. Barrett; not here, 4th place, R. Deuser. Second row: 5th place, D. Harting; 6th place, T. Wolfe; not here, 7th place, T. Satterly; 8th place, V. Meldrum, 9th place, R. Doerman; not here, 10th place, D. Akins.

on May 5. The final score was 4-1 with Don Dunlap suffering the only Comet defeat.

#### Singles

G. Fluri won 6-2 6-4  
S. James won 6-3 3-6 8-6  
D. Dunlap lost 1-6 1 6

#### Doubles

B. Krueger & Smith 6-2 6-4  
T. Nolde & D. Warner 9-7 6-3

### Racket Squad Takes Fall

The winning streak by our Ferguson net men of five meets was abruptly snapped on May 12

when they ran up against Parkway South. The final losing score was 3-2 under sunny skies though things didn't seem so sunny for the Comets. Gene Fluri continued to roll on by winning his sixth match which made his record a perfect 6-0.

#### Singles

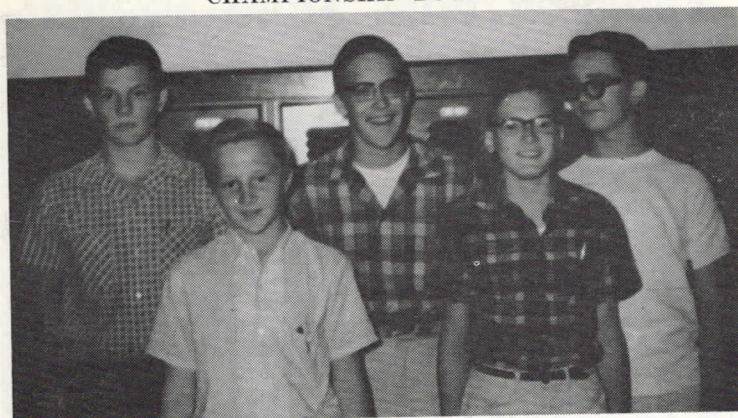
G. Fluri won 6-2 6-2  
D. Dunlap lost 2-6 1-6  
S. James lost 3-6 5-7

#### Doubles

B. Krueger & Smith 6-1 6-3  
T. Nolde & Warner lost 4-6 7-9



## CHAMPIONSHIP BOWLERS



Boys' Championship team, left to right, back row: Wayne Booher, Dennis Lutz, Dennis Wall. Front row: Don Marshall, John Muench.

## Hanley, Hazelwood, Normandy Fall Fifth, Sixth, Seventh Victims of Dashing Comets

### Hanley

Hanley Jr. High became the track team's fifth victim by the score of 75½ to 19½.

The meet was held here on May 11.

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
60 yd. L. hurdles	Kluge	Richards	Hanley
100 yd. dash	Courtois	Rinderknecht	Richards
220 yd. dash	Pesek	Courtois	Rinderknecht
440 yd. dash	Lineback	Owens	Boelhauf
880 yd. run	Schmuck	Hanley	Harold
440 yd. relay	Ferguson	Hanley	Kasten
Broad Jump	Pesek	Rinderknecht	Stephenson, tie
High Jump	Kasten	Freeman	Young
Pole Vault	Hanley	Hanley	Wilson
Discus	Hanley	Bouldin	Bouldin
Shot Put	Gschwender	Hanley	

### Hazelwood

By running over Hazelwood A.M., the track team ran their record to six out of seven meets as they won by the score of 60-35 in their meet held here on May 14. The results were as follows

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
60 yd. L. hurdles	Hazelwood	Richards	Hazelwood
100 yd. dash	Hazelwood	Courtois	Rinderknecht
220 yd. dash	Hazelwood	Courtois	Hazelwood
440 yd. dash	Boelhauf	Lineback	Owen
880 yd. run	Schmuck	tie: Harold and Hogland	
440 yd. relay	Hazelwood	Ferguson	Hazelwood
Broad Jump	Rinderknecht	Hazelwood	Gorzcyca
Pole Vault	Hazelwood	Young	Wilson
Discus	Bouldin	Gschwender	Wilson
Shot Put	Bouldin	Hazelwood	Hazelwood
High Jump	Kasten	Freeman	Hazelwood

### Normandy

In their last meet of the year, the track team defeated Normandy Junior High in a meet held here on May 17 by the score of 68 to 27.

Jim Schmuck set a school record in the 880 yd. run with a time of 2:07.8.

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
60 yd. L. hurdles	Normandy	Normandy	Richards
100 yd. dash	Rinderknecht	Normandy	Courtois
220 yd. dash	Rinderknecht	Courtois	Richards
440 yd. dash	Owen	Lineback	Boelhauf
880 yd. run	Schmuck	Normandy	Normandy
440 yd. relay	Ferguson	Normandy	Normandy
Broad Jump	Pesek	Rinderknecht	Normandy
Pole Vault	Normandy	Freeman	Gorzcyca, tie
Discus	Normandy	Wilson	Gschwender
Shot Put	Gschwender	Bouldin	Wilson
High Jump	Freeman	Kasten	Stephenson tie

## Track Letters To Twenty-Six Boys

Twenty-six boys received letters and 5 boys received patches as the track team finished its season with 7-1 record. Jim Schmuck and Steve Courtois were elected the co-captains.

Among the schools that they beat were Riverview East, Normandy, Ritenour, Hazelwood AM and PM, Berkeley, and Hanley. They recorded their only loss of the season against Hoech.

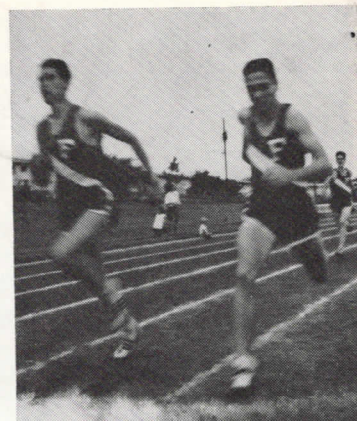
The only record broken this year was by Jim Schmuck in the one-half mile run which he ran in 2:07.8. He also was undefeated in the one-half mile run in all eight meets.

The following boys received letters:

Austin, Bouldin, Boelhauf, Brazill, Bowles, Courtois, Freeman, Gschwender, Gorzcyca, Hogland, Harrold, Kluge, Kasten, Lineback, Owens, Pesek, Roberts, Rinderknecht, Schmuck, Richards, Stephenson, Wilson, Young, Brooks, mgr., and Behle, mgr.

The following boys received patches:

Broyles, Hogan, Miller, Paschall, Williams.



Jerry Boelhauf and Ned Lineback running the 440 yard dash.

The new office boy reported to work at 9:00 sharp. His boss told him "I want this number looked up in the phone book. The name is Arnold Zigenheimer."

Four hours later his boss came back and said sarcastically, "Find my number yet?"

The boy said "No, but I'm doing pretty good. I'm already down to the J's."

## Comets Win Over Clayton 4-1

Our netmen finished their season on May 17 with a bouncing victory against Clayton. The final score was 4-1 on our own courts. Gene Fluri was able to make it a perfect season by winning the last of his seven straight matches.

### Singles

G. Fluri	6-3	6-0
S. James	6-2	2-6 6-3
R. Spillenkothan	4-6	3-6

### Doubles

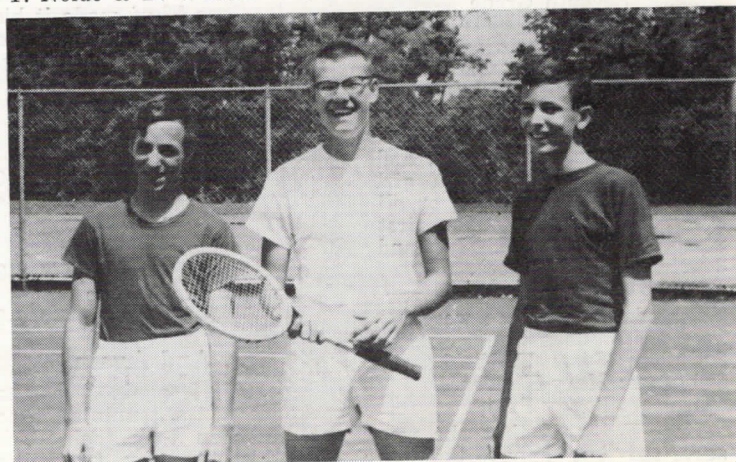
B. Kraeger & S. Smith	6-3	6-3
T. Nolde & D. Warner	6-0	6-0

## Eight Letter In Tennis

Lettering this year in tennis were eight boys of the 14 on the team. The other six did, of course, receive patches. The awards were given out Monday the 24th. Congratulations to the tennis team for a tremendous record of 6-1.

Letters were awarded to Gene Fluri, Skip Smith, Bill Krueger, Larry Kurtz, Ted Nolde, Don Dunlap, Rich Spillenkothan, and Stuart James.

Patches to Mike Kruske, Larry Kurtz, Walt Parker, Rich Christman, Terry Mee, and Doug Neiberding.



Undefeated members of tennis team are Bill Krueger, Gene Fluri, and Skip Smith.