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NILEHLITE

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Hi-Y Club Elects Officers



The newly elected second semester officers of the Hi-Y Club watch President George Lockwood read off the club membership roster. Seated at Lockwood's left is Dick Payne, vice-president. Front row (l. to r.) are George Simmons, sergeant-at-arms; Bob Merrill, treasurer; Roger Otte, secretary; and Marv Farwell, chaplain. Standing behind them are the class co-ordinators, Tom Howard, sophomore; Ron Lass, junior; and Irl Ihrcke, senior.

Lockwood Will Lead Hi-Yers

THE HI-Y Club elected its slate of officers for the second semester at a regular group business meeting February 9. George Lockwood was voted president and Dick Payne will handle the vice-president's duties.

Marv Farwell was chosen to be the club's chaplain, Roger Otte will be the secretary, and Bob Merrill will handle the financial angle as treasurer. George Simmons was elected to serve as sergeant-at-arms. Class co-ordinators are Irl Ihrcke, senior; Ron Lass, junior; and Tom Howard, sophomore.

"The new officers hope to maintain the high standards set in the previous years, and accomplish as much as was done throughout the first semester," commented Lockwood.

LAST SUNDAY afternoon the Hi-Yers held their annual formal induction ceremony in the Assembly Room. First semester chaplain John Holmes took charge of the ceremony in which about 60 students officially became members of the club.

Fire Drill Group Maps All Exits

THE OVERCROWDED halls of Nilehi have caused the organizing of a fire drill committee.

The committee consists of the senior monitor board and four faculty members with Miss Grace Harbert, problems teacher, acting as chairman. The committee is drawing up new exit charts which will be distributed to each room in the near future.

Variety Featured at Lunchtime Programs

"Come one, come all. Something new and different every day of the week!" Don't miss the new lunch-time capers performed in the Assembly Room during the last 10 minutes of the lunch periods.

Recently the "Dixie Land Band," composed of Nilehiers, let fly with a jazz session playing many of the latest hit tunes.

Featured every Wednesday will be a movie on various educational subjects. On Fridays Miss Grace Harbert, senior problems teacher, will give lectures on the many trips she has taken to the different parts of the world, also she will show picture slides as an added attraction.

One - Acts Given First Week in March

MYSTERY AND comedy will return to the Nilehi stage March 6 and 7.

Under the direction of Miss Virginia Stemp, dramatics instructor, the major dramatics students will present two one-act comedies, "Alexander Proposes" and "Opening Night." A third one-act play, "Seeds of Suspicion," a mystery, will be presented by a selected group of students outside of dramatics class.

Nilehi Seniors Return From Chicago Trip

BUS LOADS of carefree Nilehi seniors were seen yesterday in downtown Chicago, while they were on an all-day trip.

Half of the group visited the Federal Reserve Bank, the Clearing House, the Board of Trade, and the Stock Exchange in the morning. Meantime, the other students were at the Union Stock Yards. In the afternoon, each group went to see places they had not visited in the morning.

Student Parking Lot Removed With Building of New Wing

WITH THE advent of construction on the new wing at Nilehi a parking problem will arise. As you know the addition will extend eastward from the school along the sidewalk that now separates the two asphalt auto parking lots. It is thought that the entire small lot will have to be uprooted in order to make sufficient room during the actual building process. A section of the 66-car lot may meet the same fate.

The problem posed is this: "Where shall students park, and how will this parking be regulated?" The Student Traffic Council is at the present time working on what they think will be an effective solution to the case. It can clearly be seen that Nilehiers will have to rest their autos on public streets, however what about the surrounding homeowners who also use these same streets for their everyday parking?

THIS DISTRIBUTION of public streets is the main point of study by the traffic council at the present time. So far the students have made a survey of the closest streets bordering Nilehi, and from the facts disclosed have mapped out a suitable parking arrangement.

Letters were sent to other schools who have experienced the same parking problem during their rebuilding programs. From these replies additional features were added to the plan. As it stands now the new mapping of parking areas will provide for about 188 possible spots for automobile parking, which will not greatly interfere with the residents of the nearby homes.

NILEHIERS WILL be requested to register new driving permits in the office, and then windshield stickers will be issued. The area will be patrolled to protect student automobiles and to assure that only cars with parking stickers will park in the assigned area.

Problem: The Senior Dance Solution: A Large Turnout

ONE OF the several types of editorials is the informative variety, and this in an example of one. The NILEHILITE does not go out of its way to advertise, however there are cases when the entire school should be informed about a coming event. In this case we are referring to the coming Senior Dance.

The annual event has in the past few years been plagued by a misconception on the part of the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors. The dance isn't for members of the Senior class only, it is put on by the seniors for the entire school. It seems that somewhere along the way, Nilehi has formed the idea that this dance is for seniors or seniors and their dates alone.

THIS IS not the fact. One of the biggest money making evenings of dancing is the Homecoming Dance, which is also sponsored by the Senior class. Nearly all the students (plus many alumni) attend the affair. It is just the same with the forthcoming Senior Dance. In this case the dance program is again sponsored by the seniors just as the Homecoming celebration. The entire school is welcome to attend.

At the present time, members of the dance committee are trying to decide on the price of the bids, decorations, etc. In former years the dance has showed a deficit after the funds have been totaled up. There are a couple solutions to this problem. You can raise the price of the tickets, the decorations can be eliminated and less money spent in that field, or you can get a great number of people to come to the affair and thus charge a reasonable price and have a nicely decorated ballroom.

IT CAN be clearly seen that a large turnout would be the solution.

The Voice of the Pupil

Dear Editor,

Nilehi's newly-formed freshman activity, the Service Club, has really done a grand job in their various projects throughout the school. I think the members of this organization and their sponsor, Miss Marjory Schwab, English teacher, should be congratulated.

If the freshmen are looking for something else to do, here's a suggestion. Many Nilehi graduates visit Nilehi from time to time and there is no record made of it. So Service Club, how 'bout getting up a guest book for alumni only? Such a book would be helpful for many school organizations as well as being a thoughtful remembrance to our grads. How 'bout it?

Vivian Carlson

Dear Editor,

A problem has come up in our homeroom concerning tardiness. We have found that the school clocks run about five minutes fast. This has been causing some students to receive unnecessary detentions.

This problem should be solved immediately as time is valuable to all.

Homeroom 313

Fast Clocks . . .



NILEHILITE

The NILEHILITE is about the students, written by the students, and primarily for the students. It is intended for the enjoyment of its readers and to stimulate pride in the Niles Township High School, Skokie, Illinois. Mr. Joseph A. Mason, Superintendent-principal.

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New Students Enlarge Nilehi

AS A RESULT of the recent semester registration, students have come to Nilehi from as far as Pennsylvania and as close as Evanston and Chicago high schools. Three students re-entered, and six new grade-school grads have signed at N.T.H.S.

The sophomore class claims the two students who have traveled the greatest distance to Nilehi. Farthest is Lester Frey from Sharon Senior High School, Sharon, Pennsylvania. From Flint Central High School, Flint, Michigan, is Joan Graham, second farthest traveler. Carol Conrad, freshman, from York High School, Elmhurst, Illinois is third.

From the Chicago and Chicago-area high schools are freshmen John Funk, Maine Township; Sandra Pallisard, Immaculata; and Marion Solomon, Senn. Sophomores are Mary Adelizzi, Schurz; Tim Barnes, Evanston Township; Dennis Wooten, Foreman. New juniors are Pat Majesty, Tuley; and Barbara Brown, South Shore.

The re-entry students are Jeanie May, freshman; George Jostock, junior; and Janice DeVries, senior.

MID-YEAR freshmen who recently graduated from grammar school are David Cleven, Jamieson Grade School; Ronald Korsan, Belding; Donna Larson, Gale; Fred Malone, Greeley; Rosemary Nitsche, Sauganash, and Marjorie Vsow, Boone.

McGee Starts New Singing Group

AFTER ONE complete semester at Nilehi, Mr. Hugh McGee, music teacher, has begun a girls' ensemble. This new group, called the "Harmonettes," is patterned after a prize-winning group Mr. McGee started at Urbana High School. The Urbana group, who as Mr. McGee puts it "did excellent work," won first place in the girls' glee club division at the Illinois State Contest last year.

"The Harmonettes will be a flexible organization using different combinations needed for the various occasions," commented Mr. McGee.

WHEN ASKED why he began this group, Mr. McGee replied that he "wanted a group that would appear at in-school and out-of-school functions, and one that would concentrate on perfection."



Kay Baumann and Karilyn Appleton, senior cheerleaders, will be winding up their season with the close of the 1953 cage campaign. Karilyn was captain of the varsity cheerleading squad. The gals end their Suburban League cheering next Friday at Morton.

Girls Work on Water Carnival

IF YOU should happen to glance in on the activities in the Nilehi natatorium during February and March, you would see the Ripplettes, girls' swim club, working on their water numbers for "Calendar Cut-Outs," the 1953 water carnival.

Since the theme for the show has been based on the months of the year, each water number used props depicting a certain month such as hearts for February, and shamrocks for March.

Miss Shirlee Wilson, water carnival director, along with her crew of swim chairmen are planning the general ideas for the carnival.

Each swim chairman, however, is responsible for the routine, costumes, and special effects for the particular month she is assigned.

THE CHAIRMEN are Joanne Ewing, January; Carol Ruether and Joan Wolter, February; Betty Jurasitz, March; Carol Wolter, April; Nancy Egner, May; Sylvia Smith, June; Diane Eberhardt, September; and Anna May Lopina, December.

The Nilehi art department, under the direction of Mr. Wilkins, is working on the scenery for the show.

Nilehi Tower is new Frosh Homeroom

The faint sound of voices drifts down from the Nilehi tower. No, it isn't haunted, it's now a homeroom.

At the beginning of the second semester, 37 freshmen were transferred from the cafeteria to the tower. The tower, which also was used for driver-education lectures, went through a bit of remodeling recently.

Mrs. Albert Roth, who has charge of the highest homeroom at N.T.H.S., confessed that some of her homeroom students who have lockers on the lower floor have a little trouble getting to class on time.



This Smells

Jerry Weissburg, senior, was erasing a mistake on his paper with a green eraser. George Lockwood, senior, asked, "Jerry, what kind of an eraser is that?"

"Oh, it's a chlorophyll eraser."

"What for?"

"Oh," replied Jerry, "It's for all those stinking mistakes!"

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Inflation

Heard at Roundy's:

Student: What ya got for a nickel?

Roundy: Five pennies.

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Amen

Sue Soudan, senior, recently skipped over two stairs and landed at the bottom of the flight on her knees.

As Dr. Arthur Ryden helped her up, he inquired, "What's the matter, Sue? Got an exam next period?"

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Whish-whish

Mr. Hugh McGee, music instructor, was trying to extract more contrast from the choir's singing recently by waving his arms in different motions. As he slowly moved his arms back and forth, he asked, "Now what's that?"

"Windshield wipers," answered senior Wayne Lemke.

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A joke was recently read over the Lynn Burton radio show submitted by Bill Peterson, '52. The joke?

"Knock, knock."

"Who's there?"

"Influenza."

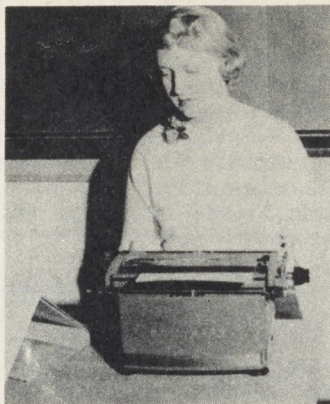
"Influenza who?"

"I opened the door and influenza."

Accompanying his father on a business trip to California is Mike Mullery, senior, who will visit Las Vegas, Los Angeles, and San Francisco.

In 1922 Mr. Robert Mackey, auto shop instructor, was named as All-State end at Murphysboro High School, Illinois.

Two Nilehiers, Jerry Weissburg and Maryann Whitesell, won prizes in the recent Dale Carnegie Speech Contest sponsored by the Junior Achievement Center of the North Shore.



Introducing . . .

**Sandra Seegren
100 Per Cent
Club Prexy**

"YOU HAVE to be nice to people and they'll be nice to you." These words are the philosophy of Sandra Seegren who, besides heading the rapidly growing 100 Per Cent Club, is active in Spotlights and Thespians. Her favorite play was Life With Father, which was presented in her sophomore year. She worked on the makeup crew for this and many other plays. Her favorite occupations, by the way, are making up people for the stage and writing letters. "So naturally," she grins, "I want to be a secretary. I'd like to go to the University of Illinois to major in business education."

When she was asked how she felt about being president of the 100 Per Cent Club, she exclaimed, "I still can't believe my own ears! I've only been in for two years and I never expected it."

THIS BLONDE, blue-eyed senior has also been a member of the Spanish club and an editor of BYLINE magazine, which is published by members of the 100 Per Cent Club. She is an honorary H-Y member, a member of the girls' glee club, and her favorite sports are swimming and tennis.

Sandy's ambition is to someday see the United States and the world. Some of her likes include people in general and ice cream and cake. Her dislikes range from people who complain to kneesocks, which she says, "look very silly. They remind me of my younger days when I had to wear them."

Alumni

Paul Byrd, '52, recently joined the staff of the MARCOLIAN, the newspaper of Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio.

Ed Soergel, '47, who was a football standout at Charleston State College, played for Toronto in the Canadian football league, according to the Chicago TRIBUNE in its "On the Sidelines" column.

Mary Ann Morse, '49, was recently appointed editor of THE DEPAUW, the thrice-weekly newspaper of Depauw University. Mary Ann was co-feature editor of the NILEHILITE. She is an English major at Depauw.

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Caryl Coninx, '51, is a member of the entertainment committee for the "Best-Loved" banquet at Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin. This affair is a 30-year-old tradition at Lawrence in which the four most popular senior women are honored.

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Laureine Johnson, '52, is now enrolled at Bradley University and is taking a course in home economics.

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Ginny Bell, '52, has been chosen a member of the Dolphin Club at the University of Wisconsin.

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Another alumna to be married is Arlene Meyer, '52. She will marry W. Rich Sumner of Northbrook on February 21.

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Caryl Roeser, '52, was married to Wayne Wickless, a New Trier graduate, on January 3. The couple are living in Glenview.

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John Budai, '52, has pledged Phi Kappa Sigma at Illinois Institute of Technology.

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Phil Koser, '52, is a member of the Ripon College wrestling squad, in the 147 pound class. Because freshmen are ineligible in varsity competition, Phil wrestles exhibition. He has wrestled two bouts thus far and won both.

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Bill Peterson, '52, led the North Park quintet to a 58-53 victory over Monmouth by scoring 23 points.

Four Twin Sets Roam Nilehi Halls

FOUR PAIR of twins stroll the halls of Nilehi, but none are identical or resemble each other even faintly. The twins are Anna May and Bob Lopina, Jacquie and Lynne Marshall, seniors; Geraldine and Conrad Bieniasz, juniors; and Kathleen and Kenneth Kay, freshmen.

Anna May and Bob were born on May 13; Bob preceded Anna May by 20 minutes. Although they claim they have no similar interests, they study the same subjects in school.

Jacquie and Lynne, born on August 5, also claim no similar interests. Lynne is four minutes older than Jacquie and refers to her as my "younger" sister.

Conrad Bieniasz, who his twin, Dina, calls Bunchy, was born seven minutes before Dina. Both claimed their interests are parallel. However, when asked their favorite color "Bunchy" replied red and Dina claimed her favorite is blue.

KEN KAY was born five minutes before Kathy on July 20. Both like sports; otherwise their interests vary.



Can you match the twins? The eight people pictured here compose Nilehi's four sets of twins. The twins are (sitting, left to right) Geraldine Bieniasz, junior; Bob Lopina, senior; Conrad Bieniasz, junior; and Kathy Kay, freshman.

Standing, left to right, are Lynne Marshall, senior; Ken Kay, freshman; Anna May Lopina, senior, and Jacquie Marshall, senior.

Cuban Vacation

While Nilehi students were struggling with exams in the cold, damp climate of Skokie, Miss Helen Johanns, Nilehi's administrative assistant to the superintendent, was swimming and basking along the shores of Veradero Beach, Cuba.

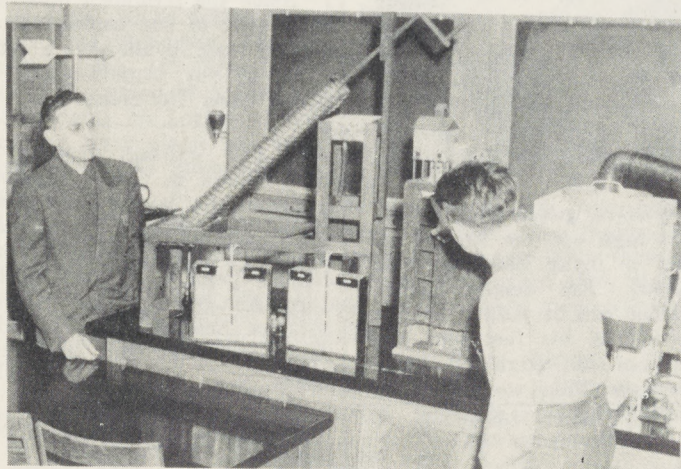
Veradero Beach is a small winter resort about 100 miles south of Havana. According to Miss Johanns, one of the most impressive characteristics of Veradero Beach was the friendliness and trust of its approximately 200 citizens.

Faculty Qualifies For Hall of Fame

PEOPLE THROUGHOUT the centuries have become famous for various reasons. Here at Nilehi, teachers are becoming more and more famous due to the unique expressions of speech which they choose to use.

Among those who have gained fame in this manner is Mr. Ronald Van Arsdale, English instructor, and his theatrical idiom, "Let's put the show on the road." Speaking of shows, journalism teacher Mr. Paul Eberhardt is attached to his "17-ring circus" in addition to advising his journalism students to "polish the journalistic apple." To geometry students, Mr. Thomas Kiviluoma's "Whaaaat" is well known. "We'll have no more or that" or "Watch it!" are comments frequently used in warning to patrons or physiology teacher Mr. Homer Ellis' study halls.

A SUBTLE bit of unspoken action is used by Mrs. Parepa Rice, who is attached to a raised eyebrow as a personal characteristic. The element of being different is the theme of clothing teacher Miss Alice Line who recommends her students to "get something unusual." Mrs. Dorothy Hind, Latin instructor, is in favor of speaking out and proves it by her stirring exclamation, "You're too timid."



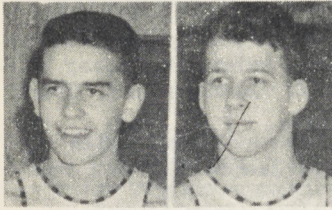
Looking over the numerous science projects made by the freshman boys this last semester are Mr. George Roth, (left) freshman boys' science instructor, and Bill McFarlane, freshman. Displayed here are Bill McFarlane's homemade Archimedes pump, a miniature coal mine made by Robert Godell and an oil burner created by James Pescetto.

Karnatz Heads 58-24 Win; Frosh Win Behind Chevrier

AL KARNATZ dumped in 42 points in the pair of hardwood tussles the underclass Trojans engaged in last week, to maintain his scoring leadership in the sophomore division of the Suburban League.

On February 11, the 6'2" center netted 20 points as Coach James Phipps' lot trampled Highland Park 58-24. The following Friday Karnatz hit for 22, but the locals dropped the game to Oak Park 44-43.

APPARENTLY THE loss of 6'3" forward Kim Stevely injured the play of the sophomore group, because just one or two of Kim's usual number of rebounds or possibly one of the six free



Al Karnatz Kim Stevely

throws he has averaged each game, may have saved the Trojans from defeat.

With the loss of Stevely, along with the vast margin acquired over Highland Park, several sophs were allowed to rise from the bench to see action.

RAY (CHICO) Pasini tallied three times, once on a left-handed hook-shot, rebounded several times, and displayed effective defensive work to be one of the standouts. Jerry Goetteche and Buzz Kenning played bang-up ball at forwards, while Bruce Christensen and Fred Melberg were considerable help at guards.

Not to be overlooked, however, was scoring punch displayed by the two fiery first-string guards Dick Hallam and Jim Elliott. The pint-sized guards were runnerup to Karnatz in scoring, when they totaled 26 and 20 points respectively for the two nights. Bill Schofield moved into Stevely's position at forward, to team up with Shell Mikkelsen at the other forward, and give Coach Phipps a fair rebounding twosome.

TODAY KARNATZ and company will board a bus for Winnetka to invade the New Trier gym, in the next-to-last Suburban League game of the campaign.

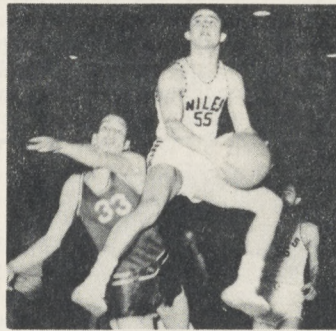
Coach Leo Hoosline's freshman basketball squad plays host to a tall New Trier quintet this afternoon, and meet Arlington's frosh

five next Friday to wind up their season's play.

LAST WEEK the little Trojan warriors claimed their sixth win in eleven games by cutting down Highland Park's first-year aggregation, 34-15.

"Midget" guard Dave Chevrier paced the NTHS attack by dumping in four baskets and three free throws for an eleven point total. Pivot-man Jack Hagman accounted for six of the markers, while forward Joel Febel hit for five points.

PREVIOUS TO this battle, the locals edged out Waukegan's Pup-pies 33-32. It was the second meeting between the two teams that was decided by one point. Guards Jerry Rosenburg and Ken Walter headed the Nilehi scoring, while Febel and Rog Peterson proved valuable assets, through their ability to police the backboards.



Sophomore guard Jim Elliott rises high off the ground to score a layup shot for the Trojans. The height Elliott attained can be judged by the position of his feet and the waist of his Highland Park opponent. Niles won 58-24.

SUBURBAN LEAGUE

February 20, 1953

	W	L	P	OP
Oak Park	11	1	809	682
New Trier	10	2	710	609
Waukegan	8	4	738	684
Morton	6	6	690	693
NILES	5	7	656	677
Proviso	3	9	633	699
Highland Park	3	9	585	696
Evanston	2	10	595	654

Trojanettes

About 100 frosh girls were formally initiated into the G.A.A. last Tuesday night, February 10, in the boys' gym. An exhibition of square-dancing and the Charleston showed one of the G.A.A. activities.

An exhibition girls' basketball game followed. The two teams, captained by Duane Peterson and Shirley Swinyard, ended in a tie. Those who played were Barb Berner, Pat Nixon, Lenore LeClaire, Shirley Steward, Pat Siemsen, Beatrice Schladt, Dona Baumann, Joanne DeLove, Lois Borchers, Ellen Griener, Kathy Shea, Nancy Browall, Shirley Ruesch, Kay Baumann, Marcia Mattner, Carlene Sistrom, Carol Larsen, Cathleen Cleven, Mary Dal Corobbo, Arlene Meyer, and Judy Borchert. Referees were Anna Optieka and Janet Piper. Scorer was Bertie Jorgesen.

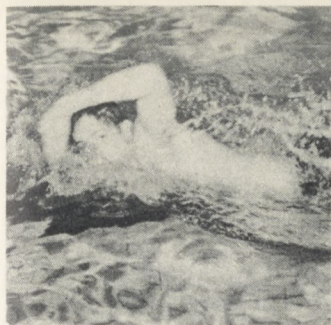
Karen Holmberg was chosen freshman representative at the induction. The winner was elected the day before by the frosh girls. Karen will give the Board the views and opinions of her classmates concerning G.A.A. matters. She will remain on the Board the entire second semester.

"This is the first time we have had the freshmen represented on the board," stated Miss Helen Heitmann, G.A.A. sponsor.

"Since the freshmen make up a large part of our membership, we decided they should have a definite place in our organization," concluded Miss Heitmann.

At this writing, heading the eight teams in G.A.A. basketball is Lenore LeClaire's team consisting of Pat Siemsen, Carol Shewegar, Pat Shirling, Bette Halvorsen, Joanne DeLove, Lenore LeClaire, Carol Asbiornsen, Dona Baumann, Beatrice Schladt, and Pat Nixon. Sandy Howard's team is in second place.

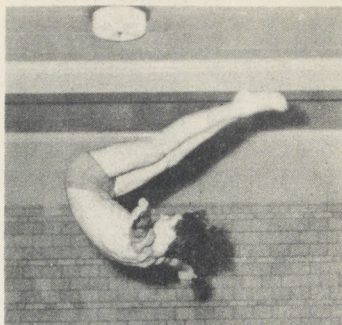
The presentation of a \$100 scholarship to a girl interested in recreation is being considered by the G.A.A. Barbara Berner and Roberta Jorgensen, both juniors, are a committee of two to investigate the possibilities of giving such a scholarship.



Don Larson



George Lockwood



Tom Yocum

Don, George, and Tom Pace Tankers' Attack in S L Meet

THE TROJAN VARSITY tank team faltered in the finals of the Suburban League meet last Saturday evening, to lose out on a possible third, and end up in fifth position in the standings for their '52-'53 swimming campaign.

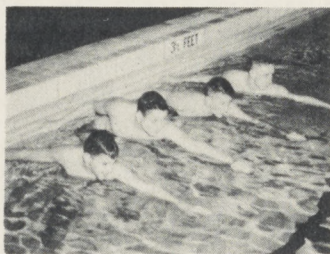
On the other hand, there were several bright moments during the night of the preliminaries (Friday, February 13). The preliminaries proceeded to bring the six fastest swimmers in each of the seven individual events, and the six fastest combinations of the two relay events, into the Saturday night finals.

OF THE NINE event varsity program, six of the former records were bettered. George Lockwood, who holds the NTHS pool record for both the 100-yard breaststroke and the 150-yard individual medley, added another laurel to his prep record, as he bettered the four-year-old Suburban League standard in the 100-breast, by swimming the grind in a time of 1:04.1. In doing so Lockwood not only copped first place, but beat his closest rival, Al Rubenstein of Highland Park.

The following evening didn't prove as profitable for the new SL record-holder, because he failed to maintain the pace of the Friday-night swim, and finished third behind Rubenstein and Jack Smith of Evanston.

DON LARSON turned in his fastest time in the 50-yard free-style, and gained second both evenings behind Jack Powers of Oak Park. By swimming the course in 24.7, Larson established a new standard for future Nilehi mermen to follow.

Later in the evening, during the preliminaries, Larson churned the water in a lightning-like 23.7 for



This quartet of swimmers proved to be the leading scorers on the frosh-soph swimming team. From left to right: Doug Stryker, Bob Bacon, Ricky Jaques, and Bob Peterson. The three former are freshmen.

his section of the 150-yard medley relay, and teamed up with Lockwood and Bob Smoak for a total clocking of 1:24.5. The trio would have broken their former record (1:25.2), and finished second behind the winning threesome from Evanston, but were disqualified for an illegal turn on Larson's part.

DIVER TOM YOCUM was never in better form Friday afternoon, when preliminary spring-board competition was held. Yocum totaled 215.70 position points to gain top honors. The following evening, performing before a capacity gathering, Tommy contracted his usual nervousness, and thus lost control of the favorite position, and barely claimed a fourth place medal.

Dave Hansen, Coach Anton

Frosh-Sophs Place Sixth in Suburban

Coach John Harmon's frosh-soph swimming team couldn't salvage a dual meet victory all season long, but when the big Suburban League meet was held in Winnetka last Saturday night, the lowerclass mermen finished sixth ahead of Morton and Waukegan.

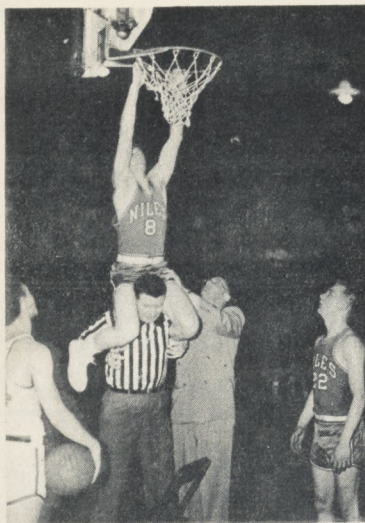
Lester Frey, newly acquired diver from Pennsylvania, claimed the only individual points for the Nilehi troop, when he finished in fourth position in fancy diving. Les performed but once in Suburban League competition on the spring board, and that was exhibition.

The 200-yard free-style relay quartet of Bob Valentine, Bob Petersen, Bob Bacon, and Ricky Jaques tallied the only other points for Niles, when their relay placed fifth.

Schubert's second bid for diving honors, just missed the Saturday night performance when he finished in seventh place, one over qualifying. Hansen later teamed up with Cal Hartly, John Holmes, and Bob Smoak, to salvage two points in the 200-yard crawl relay.

THE ABSENCE of crawl-stroker Dean Ness, who is sidelined with a back injury, was felt in the 100 and 200-yard free-style events. Dean's usual time for the 200 runs about 2:14. If Dean could have swum he would have easily taken third.

After a two-week layoff, the Trojan swimmers will be out to resume their record-breaking habits in the state meet February 27 and 28. The gathering of over 35 schools will once again be set for New Trier's enormous waters in Winnetka.



Ray Riha looks to be "riding" the referee in this pose, but he had a reason for doing it. The net of the NTHS goal had become tangled after a layup shot by Connie Bartels, (extreme right) so Coach John Sheahan and Ref Tony Tortorello had play stopped to "straighten" things out. So being the closest at hand, Riha did the straightening.

SPORTLIGHTS

The new foul-shot rule that was put into effect for the current season has stirred up quite a bit of discussion as to its creation. The new rule gives each player two free shot attempts to score one point each time he is fouled during the course of the first 29 minutes of play. In the last three minutes each athlete takes two shots regardless of whether he made the first one or not.

It was hoped that this ruling would cut down the number of personal fouls, however, all it seems to be doing is raising the scores of the games, as fouls have been just as numerous as before.

According to one referee who was questioned after the Niles-Oak Park game, he thought that the two-attempt ruling is doing the sport more harm than good. He observed that the accuracy on free throws is not as important and therefore the "art" of making charity tosses may well suffer.

consistency it formerly had, forward Connie Bartels and center Dave Baylor retained their position among the top fifteen league scorers, with 136 and 124 points respectively. Guard Jim Foran made his debut among the top-ranking SL scorers, by hitting for 18 points in the Oak Park game.

NILES (62)			HIGHLAND PK. (41)				
	B	F	B	F	P		
Hicks, f	5	2	5	Freberg, f	2	3	4
Johns, f	3	4	1	MacLean, f	0	2	0
Bartels, f	4	0	2	Russell, f	1	1	2
Baylor, c	3	3	5	Phillips, f	2	2	2
Kies, c	0	2	2	Burm'ter, c	4	8	5
Foran, g	3	4	1	DaPonte, c	1	0	1
Riha, g	1	3	1	R. Troy, g	0	0	3
Holz, g	2	0	1	J. Troy, g	1	1	3
McPeak, g	0	2	0	Capitani, g	0	2	3
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SCORE BY QUARTERS				
NILES	14	17	15	16-62
HIGHLAND PARK	4	6	14	17-41

OAK PARK (90)			NILES (60)				
	B	F	B	F	P		
Gustafson, f	2	7	3	Bartels, f	6	0	2
Lehwald, f	1	2	3	Pohison, f	2	3	1
Kinnan, f	2	0	0	Johns, f	2	2	4
Donahoe, c	6	9	2	Baylor, c	3	1	4
Sch'man, c	1	0	1	Hicks, c	1	1	4
Dike, g	7	3	3	Riha, g	2	1	4
Caputo, g	7	2	1	Foran, g	8	2	3
Huseth, g	3	4	0	Holz, g	1	0	4
Iverson, g	0	5	0				
29 32 13			25 10 26				

SCORE BY QUARTERS				
OAK PARK	14	21	20	35-90
NILES	14	13	19	14-60



In what appears to be a scene from a wrestling match, Dave Norris of Evanston High, tangles with Connie Bartels of the Trojans in duel for the "53." The Nilehi five won the recent contest at Evanston, 64-53. Bartels paced the Trojan scoring that evening, when he scored five baskets and seven freethrows for 17 points.

Varsity Five Press Morton Cagers for SL Upper Division

THE VARSITY cagers split a pair of Suburban League contests last week, defeating Highland Park on Wednesday 62-41, and losing to Oak Park Friday evening (February 13) 90-60.

Tonight the NTHS five journeys to Winnetka for a 32 minute engagement with New Trier's second place Indians. The Indians, who own 10 league victories against two setbacks, are undoubtedly the tallest squad in the local area, and claim the Suburban League's leading scorer in Don Davidson.

WITH THEIR 5-7 won-lost record in conference play, the locals are just shy of the fourth position Morton High School holds with a 6-6 mark. The Mustangs suffered their third consecutive defeat Friday night, when New Trier trampled them on their Cicero court, 74-53.

Although their scoring lacks the

Lake Forest Scouts Regional Host to Trojans on March 4

With the Suburban League basketball schedule only two games from completion, thoughts of Nilehians wander to Lake Forest, the scene of the '53 regionals. This year the Trojan five open up with the host school Lake Forest on March 4.

The Scouts have won but two conference games this season, both over last-place Warren (of Gurnee). Nearby Evanston, hoping to revive a dismal season, tangle with the Warren cagers on opening night, March 3.

Because of their upsurge in last year's regionals, the Nilehi cagers became known as the "Cinderella" squad of prep basketball. The Trojans entered the tourney bearing a 3-11 SL record, besides three non-league beatings. The Trojans have already won five league games this year, and can boast of three non-league victories.