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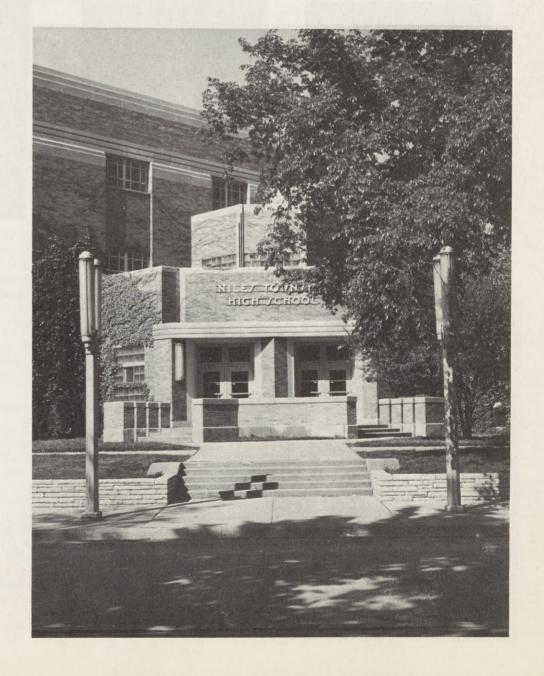
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Most Likely to Succeed





Most Athletic



Best Cowlick



Pee Wee

"YOU MUST OF BEEN a beautiful baby . . ." go the lines of an old-time favorite tune. Sensing that the Class of '66 must have had more than its share of beautiful toddlers, the NILEHILITE decided to conduct a Pee Wee Poll to determine the notables of this year's graduating class.



Best Build

AND WHO are these seniors, disguised as mild-mannered babes in a great metropolitan high school, fighting a never-ending battle for truth, justice, and the abolition of diaper rash? Answers on page 3.

"... but baby look at you now."

Best Dressed



Poll

Most Mature



Prettiest Hair



The Swinginest



Best Sense of Humor



Most Enthusiastic





Most Likely to do a Doublemint Commercial

NOW THAT SCHOOL IS OVER and I'm safe from

persecution, I've decided to disclose my personal

memoirs of my senior year so that they may be placed in the time capsule in the cornerstone of the

student lounge which is going to be built one of these

remaining between the toes, the smell of the spicy odors of Coppertone, Bain de Soleile, and Noxema,

still lingering, entered the newly lit halls of Nilehi and were greeted by the smiling faces of their

friendly gym teachers, the crippling smell of Taglia-

roni (first meal), and two hundred administrative forms in assorted colors to be filled out . . . SSO

promptly announced its "year for a change" by

remaining the same . . . Nilehi cafeteria upset the

New York Stock Exchange by announcing a 5 cent

increase in its type A (cold) and B (colder) lunches.

Art," was the scene of great excitement when Jun-

ior Mildred Mock, clad in a triangular, tetrahedral,

pyramidal, diagonal babooshka, was lost for the

evening amid the pop-art decorations. Homecoming

officials are still looking. (Come back, Mildred,

wherever you are!) . . . The Nilehi football team

won its first Suburban League game in five years.

That night, the team, celebrating a victory party,

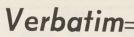
got smashed and never did recover for the remain-

festivities ended on a sad note when Senior Priscilla

NOVEMBER: The Thanksgiving Day celebration

OCTOBER: The Homecoming dance, "Pop-Op-

SEPTEMBER: 1900 effervescent students, sand



days.

Baby It's All Over Now or Over the Bridge and To the Tower If I'm Late Today That's Another Hour

by Jeff Bonner



Forum

'Try To Remember The Kind of September

TRY TO REMEMBER THE KIND OF SEPTEMBER . . ." When you first entered as a nervous and shy freshman. Being "in" playing ping-pong in the Student Lounge. Trying desperately not to look freshman. Ratted hair. Painful embarassment when your voice decides to change in the middle of your Non-Western oral report.

"Try to remember the kind of September . . ." When you knew your way around school because you were an "established" soph. Knowing who the initials on your program card stood for because you looked them up in the yearbook. Behind-the-Wheel. Save '66.

"Try to remember the kind of September . . ." When you felt every inch an upper classman. Being in "senior" classes. Noticing the grotesque minuteness of freshman. Detesting cafeteria food. Fighting off an acute case of premature senioritis.

"Try to remember the kind of September . . ." When you could yell "Seniors, Seniors." Skipping down the halls because no one could laught at you. Not needing a pass. Not caring.

"Deep in December it's nice to remember and follow."

From the Ivory Tower

'For I Am Weary Unto Death'

ing less, complaining more, and fun. caring less than ever before. Because of these things. I have been of senioritis.

I am merely tired.

I am tired of serving my time in school as if it were a prison, of attendance slips and hall passes, of cutting school and of having to. I am tired of having to choose between my schooling and my edu-

1 AM TIRED of grades and report cards. I am tired of gold pins and silver pins and bronze pins and gold certificates and blue certificates. I am tired of standing up when my name is called. I am very, very tired of being expected to work for colored ribbons and like it.

LOT LATELY. I've been doing as- contests to see which class can voices. signments more infrequently, study- make the most uproar. I am tired ing less, sleeping more, conform- of being subjected to good, clean

called a troublemaker, I've been monies, of football games, school all the people who don't under- youth, whose name is not known, called a lazy bum, and I've been spirit, and other absurdities. I am stand that everybody is different prided himself on his reputation called a victim of an extreme case tired of two-hour speeches designed from everybody else. to Guide the Young Student along the Pathway of Life. Even in an-But actually I am none of these; ticipation I am tired of Commencement Exercises.

> I AM TIRED of trivia. I am tired of having to worry about sideburns and belts and home rooms and detention halls. I am tired of the meticuluous stringency of The Sys-

I'm tired of being treated like a mindless nonentity that must be forced into the mold of the normal, typical citizen, with the normal, typical citizen's opinions, beliefs, prejudices, goals, and standards. I'm tired of being told "This decision is entirely up to you, David. But I'll be very disappointed I am tired of pep assemblies, of if you don't do the Right Thing."

I'VE BEEN SLOUGHING OFF A singing "Nilehi," of asinine skits, of I am tired of listening to faceless

else, and you have to be treated

'The past four years have had many good moments, but - I don't know. I'm just kind of tired.

Answers to Pee Wee Poll:

Most Likely To Succeed, Marcia Jacobson and Mark Davis; Most Athletic, Vicki Dunn; Best Build, Jim Rathmann, Best Cowlick, Rhona Berkowitz; Best Dressed, Gary Baim; Most Mature, Darina Ward; Prettiest Hair, Joe Gordon; The Swingingest, Ian Gilson; Best Sense of Humor, Rick Nitti; Most Enthusiastic, Ira and Henry Buch; Most Likely to do a Doublemint Commercial, Joe and Phil

in post-graduate life. However, most Americans ic misconception that Phi Beta Kappa, because

it is an honorary nature, is the provided for reverent opening and and discloses many interesting by any rival society. mysteries concerning the origin of Beta Kappa."

year 1776 marked the beginning of ticipating colleges and universities Phi Beta Kappa at William and in the United States with a living Mary College in Williamsburg, membership of nearly 140,000. AND I'M TIRED of being told, Virginia. The society was not for "You're no different from anybody med by the officials at William and Mary, but was the result of a I am tired of meaningless cere- like everybody else." I'm tired of disappointed college student. This as a Hellenist. This youth become disturbed with a fraternity known as P.D.A. which the Hellenist considered "beneath the reputation of the Greek letters." This youth, ei- Vol. 28 - No. 13 Saturday, June 11, 1966 ther rejected by P.D.A. or unwilling to join, was determined to form another society in opposition, and in conformity with his own reputation formed and adopted the Greek Phrase "Phi Beta Kappa," meaning "Philosophy (is) the Guide of Life."

> ORIGINALLY, Phi Beta Kappa was a secret organization formed as a median of "social and intellectual iintercourse." The founders of Phi Beta Kappa named friendship, morality, and literature as essential characteristics of membership. Student relationships were not to end with college days. Laws

Prinsky, president of the Hungarian Club, was quietly taken to the hospital due to an acute attack of ptomaine poisoning incurred after she had eaten her specialty: Hungarian Goulash a la baked beans at the annual Hungarian day breakfast.

DECEMBER: Rock Knock and Sophie Wham, popular Nilehi lovers, stunned friends when they were suspended from school for their obscene and disgraceful display of affections in Nilehi halls they were holding hands (naughty, naughty!).

FEBRUARY: The administration was shocked to discover that boots are made for wearing.

APRIL: Student Council, after years of tears, finally persuaded someone?? to allow a potato chip machine in the cafeteria. All was fine until students discovered there were never and potato chips to be found in the yellow machine.

MAY: Senior couple disqualified from prom King and Queen running when a member of their troupe took "doing what comes naturally" literally . Seniors are still talking about classmate Marvin Flagle, valedictorian, who hurriedly packed his Teddy bear and copy of "Walden," quit school, and set out a chasing loons. (We'll miss you Harv).

JUNE: Eight couples, missing and presumed dead, returned to classes after their extended prom

Yes, friends, 1966 certainly was "that wonderful

Phi Beta Kappa . . .

der of the season.

A Fraternity That Selects

WHILE MANY OF TOMORROW'S of superior colcollege freshmen will consider join- lege students who ing fraternities and sororities for display potential purely social motives, there is one unique co-ed fraternity — Phi Beta Kappa — dedicated to intellectual maintain the basdevelopment.

Phi Beta Kappa, similar to the high school National Honor Society, is an honor society composed

by David Urman

PHI BETA KAPPA HANDSHAKE

origination of university officials. conduct at meetings, encouraged Dr. Oscar M. Voorhees, Phi Beta sobriety, and demanded ethical Kappa historian, refutes this myth ideals superior to those manifested

Gradually Phi Beta Kappa began Phi Beta Kappa in his text, "Phi granting an increasing number of charters to other universities. To-According to Dr. Voorhees, the day there are more than 170 par-

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450 Seniors To Graduate



PROUDLY DISPLAYING their graduation caps and gowns are Seniors Marcia Jacobson, Janis Schectman, Ellen Shapera, Mark Davis, Jim Rathman, and Mark Lazar.

Top Students Share Platform With Dr. Parker, Mr. Tyler

p. m. in the Trojan football stad- nize those students who have at- the processional and recessional ium, 450 work-weary seniors will tained outstanding scholastic marches- "Pomp and Circummarch up to School Board Presi- achievement. dent Francis J. Saunders, in order to claim their well-deserved diplomas. Dr. Saunders will be assis- uation class," declared Mr. Tyler, With the Voyager," "Black Is the ted in the presentation by mem- "has done more than its share to Color," and "Ain't That Good bers of the School Board.

Speeches by Superintendent Dr. Clyde Parker, Principal R. G. Tyler, Senior Class President Paul Gustafson, and the valedictorian, and salutatorian will preceed the presentation of diplomas. Dr. Parker will present the various platform guests and Paul will welcome the guests and audience to the

Class Upholds Standards

uphold the exceedingly high aca- News." demic standards set by its predec-

pride in receiving a diploma from forced to be held inside the contest Niles East.

Music Groups Perform

exercises themselves will be pro- dents are to wear their caps. Stuvided by the Niles East Concert dents may wear casual clothes, Orchestra and Choir under the dir- but it is impressive that girls wear ection of Mr. Earl Auge.

SUNDAY AFTERNNON at 5:30 ceremonies. Mr. Tyler will recog- The orchestra will play both stance" and the "Triumphal March From Aida," while the "I believe that this year's grad- choir will sing "The Stars Are

> All seniors will receive four gold tickets and one blue ticket for the He added that members of the ceremony. If inclement weather Class of '66 can certainly take prevails, and the exercises are an academic institution such as gym, only the gold itckets will be valid.

Graduation rehearsal is Satur-Entertainment at the graduation day, June 11, at 1 p. m. All stuheels.

Dr. Betts Co-Authors History U.S.A.' Textbook

next fall may be the time of hope enthusiastic," Dr. Betts said, "I to it, Besides doing my work at for many students, it is also full of found out later that it was nothing school, I had to come home and hopes for Dr. John Betts of the more than work. You sort of have go to work on the book. Writing History Department. His first to marry yourself to the book. All was a challenge that I had to book, "History U.S.A.," is scheduled to be released during the late summer or early fall.

Dr. Betts, who is co-authoring the book with Dr. Jack Allen of George Peabody University in Nashville, Tennessee, has been working on it since the fall of 1962 when the American Book Company asked him to write a textbook.

"Although when I was first

Charles Selected As Boys' State Rep.

JUNIOR CHARLES MAGES has been chosen along with four other boys from Niles North and West, to attend Boys' State in Spring- "History USA," which is to be published field, Illinois this summer.

Boys' State, which takes place from June 19 to the 25, gives boys a chance to organize city, county, and state governments. They choose their own officials in accordance with regular election various city, county, and state of- institutes this summer. ficials, and introduce and argue their own bills in the legislature.

other state officials. Also, some of the boys will spend a week in tion, where the same activities man, Illinois Junior Engineering will occur on a national level.

Phil To Make P. A. Announcements **Next** Year

with the personal touch? That's what Phil Brushaber next year's P. A. announcer, has in mind.

"I'm going to try to make announcements more interesting than the somewhat dullness of past years," Phil admitted.

from the Niles East Choir. "Mr. ior Gail Shandler, Northwestern voice through proper breathing." western University; Freshman



working on his DILIGENTLY history textbook, soon, is Dr. John Betts of the History

ALTHOUGH THIS summer and asked to do the book I was very of my free time had to be devoted meet."

Dr. Betts came to Niles East in 1946 with Masters Degrees in Education from Northwestern University and in the history from the University of Chicago. He received his Doctoral Degree in United States history from the University of Chicago in 1954. He was Social Studies Department chairman from 1954-1962. He has had one article published in "Illinois Education" magazine and "a half dozen rejection slips are his battle scars."

When asked if the book would be used at East, he chuckled, "I hope that they will give it consideration, because it may be my last book. I've made up my mind that the next book I write will be for my psychiatrist."

Select Students To Attend Summer Institutes

WHILE THE MAJORITY of Nilehi students relax on the beach, procedures, learn the duties of a select group of Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors will be attending

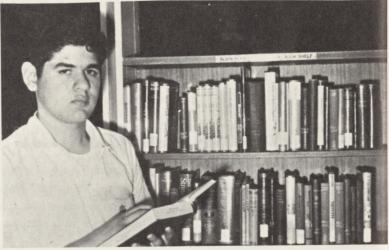
Students selected to attend the Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. Washington, D. C., at Boys' Na- institutes are Junior Mark Feld-Technical Society, University of Illinois; Senior Karen Johnson, Junior Achievement Leadership Award, Indiana University; Sophomore Barbara Kruglick, Allerton Art Camp, Skokie Women's Club; MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS Junior Karen Margolis, Junior School Workshop, Art Institute, Chicago; Junior Mark Muzio, Junior Engineering Technical Society, University of Illinois.

Also Junior Arlene Rotkin, Northwestern Summer Institute in Mu-Phil's only training has come sic, Northwestern University; Jun-Auge taught me how to project my Summer Institute in Music, North-Phil, who plans to go into broad- Davida Shiffman, Honorary Apcasting, feels that the P. A. an- pointment, Institute of Far Eastnouncing will help him further his ern Studies, Evanston Township STILL SMILING High School; Sophomore Jeffrey Gold."

"We are extremely happy that Sonheim, an alternate to Rollins so many students are taking adMathematics Summer School, Winbey Baren, assistant director; Junfloats; Junior Joyce Ellis, game The highpoint of the week occurs vantage of the numerous opportument the boys get to spend an af-inities open to them," said Mr. da Rafferty, Girl's Athletic Asso-ior Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, treasurer, will parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, will be parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, will be parade panorama; and Freshman in Jim Heinsimer, will be parade panorama; ternoon with Governor Kerner and Ronald Hunt, guidance counselor. ciation State Leadership Camp, meet throughout the summer and Merle Shapera, publicity.



a week later are Dick Shallcross and Sue Swartout, king and queen of this year's prom, "A Touch of



JUNIOR GARY KURC, president of Thespians, browses through the newly dedicate! Alvin Schwartz Memorial Library. The PTA donated the money for the library, and Thespians will make the book selections.

Homecoming Commence

well as committees and their chair- the Homecoming Queen and court. men have been chosen.

into next fall with all committee

REMEMBERING WELL "The chairmen to select a theme for Year For A Change," Senior Joan next year and choose a class to be Chojnowski, director of Homecom- honored at the alumni tea. They ing '65, will hand over her position will also plan the pep rally, the to Junior Ilene Corman, newly Saturday morning parade, the afchosen director of Homecoming ternoon football game, and the '66. Although Homecoming '66 is Saturday evening dance which will not until next October, the date as be climaxed by the crowning of

The committee chairmen for next On Saturday afternoon, October year include Junior Sandy Neu-8, the Niles East Trojans will take kirch, alumni; Junior Helene Zimon the Mustangs of Morton East. merman, art; Junior Cyndee Mel-Ilene, along with Sophomore To- as, buttons; Junior Al Rosenfeld,

Summer School Deadline Dates **Approach**

MANY STUDENTS from the three Nilehi schools will attend summer school at North and East Divisions, where a large selection of courses will be offered.

"Saturday, June 18, is the last possible date for a refund," according to Mr. O. H. Ruyle, director of summer school.

Guidance counselors will be available to students throughout the entire seven weeks, bus service will be provided for a nominal fee, and the libraries will be

Students' decisions to take summer school courses for audit or for credit will be due on Tuesday, June 28.

Most Popular



Paul Gustafson



Kathy Capettini

BEST SENSE OF HUMOR Dennis Ryan and Sheryl Geman

BEST PERSONALITY
Scott Siegel and Kathy Capettini

Most Service



Elliot Hartstein



Jean Harris

FRIENDLIEST Rich Gershenzon and Diane Burdeen

MOST AMBITIOUS

Mike Gerber and Iris Paul

Best Looking



Jeff Bonner



Marjorie Schrier

BEST SPEAKING VOICE Dave Urman and Lynn Stein

PRETTIEST EYES

Barry Wolpoff and Janis Schectman

Ideal Spouse



Scott Siegel



Diane Burdeen

Most Likely To Succeed



Mike Gerber



Renee Porter

MOST TALENTED Roger Malitz and Nancy Shonkwiler

BEST DRESSED

Jeff Bonner and Marjorie Schrier

Most Masculine - Feminine



Jim DeGraffenreid



Debbie Day

MOST ATHLETIC Stu Widman and Kathy Guerrero

BEST SMILE
Scott Siegel and Janis Schectman

Best Build - Figure



Andy Gutter



Linda Skolnik

MOST MATURE
Stu Widman and Renee Porter

BEST LINE - CONVERSATIONALIST

Jeff Bonner and Sue Schatzman

Most Intelligent



Mike Alpern



Nancy Shonkwiler

Seniors Spread Over Nation

Free University of Amsterdam: Hanny Mentel.

CALIFORNIA

Valley Junior College: Sheila Lieberman.

COLORADO

Southern Colorado State College: Barbara Baren.

CONNECTICUT

Yale University: Michael Alpern. FLORIDA

University of Miami: Alan Ludmer. Florida State University: Loren Illinois Institute of Technology: Comitor.

ILLINOIS

American Conservatory of Music: Michael Gershberg.

Bedes College: Dennis Ryan. Bradley University: Penny Barach, Bambi Cooper, Carol Gordon, Karen Kabot, Pete Lanners, Loyola University: James Gallai, Warren Seigel.

DePaul University: Jerry Berger, Garry Buzil, James Gumbiner, Michael Kleiman, Alan Klein, Lynne Rockowitz, Bob Shuman, Carol Speigal, Mike Witkov.

Fraternities: Necessary

students feel about donning a Greek letter pin?

"Academic and social advantages," explains Senior Dennis Bai-

good, plentiful food and fraternal

Kendall College: Howard Barnett, National College of Education: Greg Johnson, Pat Schepko, John Sheryl Geman. Tiffin.

Illinois State University: Richard Liebman.

Illinois Teachers College: Cindi Becker, Esther Brenner, Helen Dragon, Sue Ekstrom, Susie Katz, Rose Kovarsky, Shari Lachman, Nancy Phlaum, Zach ary Pinas, Elyse Rosenberg, Shelli Rosenthal, Michael Sher, Kay Strum, Fern Zucker.

Louis Lazare, Darina Ward, Alan Weiner.

Harastany, Cliff Rudnick.

Loop Junior College: Steve Van, Craig Weitzman.

Karen Johnson, Mike Kane, Dawn King, Allen Kutchins, Herb Spore, Howard Seigel, Gavin DaRosa.

Ron Lake, Harvey Melamed, Mayfair Junior College: Bonnie Yelner, Harvey Rabin, Linda Ratsman.

In a Large University?

by Jeff Bonner

lent task for many of today's Nilehi graduates as the '66 seniors be-

gin contemplating future pledging of a fraternity or sorority. How do

RECITING THE GREEK ALPHABET BECKWARDS will be a preva-

Northern Illinois: Avery Baron, Ellen Bernat, Terri Boyer, Allan Brachman, Diane Burdeen, Howard Fine, Mary Fian, Don Fink, Mark Fisch, Stacie Gellar, Paul Gustafson, Sandra Hirsch, Kathy Jones, Martin Kogan, Linda Nelson, Karen Perelgut, Bruce Rabin, Myra Schneiderman, Marjorie Schrier, Susan Swartout, Terry Terchin.

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lett Watts.

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line Shaffer.

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> Washington University: Donna Blacker, Larry Miner.

> > **NEBRASKA**

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son.

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Stadelmann.

SENIOR MIKE GERBER enjoys the Midwest's beautiful spring

season.

atmosphere which are also important." Senior Terry Hirsch agrees that socially, fraternities "can't be beat." "Sometimes," smiles Terry, "belonging to a fraternity forces you to go on dates when you may have otherwise done something else - like study."

Senior Wally Lazar, attending the University of Illinois next Septem- everlasting relationship with other ber, wants to join a fraternity with girls that you may have otherwise "smart, cool heads." Wally rebuffs the idea that fraternities are academic hindrances. "The social activities are confined to the weekends and studying is done during the week." Wally concludes that "fraternities guarantee a social life. It's pretty tough meeting a need." Al admits that membership girl in class over a bunsen burn- in a fraternity is a prestige factor, er."

grade point average, usually above enough action without a fraternity." a C, in order to stay in the fratermake grades."

Senior Larry Miner who will atlen, "are the main reasons why I've tend Washington University in St. pledged a fraternity downstate. Louis, feels that "pledging a fra-There are other minor things like ternity is entirely dependent on what school is involved. The bigger the school, the greater the necessity a fraternity becomes. At a big university a student feels he has lost his identity and thus has the urge to become a member of a group of boys that everyone associates with." Cost seems to be no problem for Larry because "at Washington, the cost of living in a fraternity is less than the cost of living in a school-run dormitory."

Senior Janis Schectman, who will attend the University of Illinois at Champaign, in true Hellenist concern, feels that "because downstate is a Greek campus, membership in a frateriity or sorority is a social necessity." In a joking manner Jan confides that joining a fraternity would be more to her lik-

Ellen Shapera, senior, explains that she is going to pledge a sorority because it "serves as a means of developing a close and known only casually."

SENIOR AL SUTTON doesn't anticipate joinging a fraterniity next year at Indiana University because 'first I'd like to get a taste of college life on my own. My dorm is beautiful - it's all the home I'll "but this is not important enough SENIOR CHERYL Greenberg for me to join." David Urman, secomments that fraternities and so- nior, agrees that fraternities are rorities are good because "mem- not as significant as they're played Marlene Bennett, Angie Doering, bers have to maintain a certain up to be. Says Dave, "I can get

Most of the graduating seniors, nity or sorority." Sue Schatzman, in weighing the pros and cons of senior, adds that it "is more im- fraternities and sororities, have deportant for boys to join a frater- cided to wait at least one semester nity than it is for a girl to go sor- before making any definite deciority. Confidentially, I think I would sions. The general concensus among rather date a boy in a fraternity the seniors is that for a boy, the because I know he has had to Greek order is much more important than for a girl.

Geri Ahonen, Benita Brod, Marcia Calkins, Helyn Doner, Pat Ferri, Vicki Fisher, Jo Ann Frank, Dawn Gaffen, Mary Graefman, Paula Hamilton, Julie Harris, Paulette Heche, Janet Johnson, Mike Lee, Susan May, Linda Nilsson, Sue Schneider, Carol Schwander, Jill Simon, Michele Tannen, Lee Macaluso, Linda

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Forces, Work Armed



SENIOR BIKE DAY is enjoyed by one and all, including Lorey Comitor and Susie Dine

'We'd Rather Not Fight . . . '

Two Photo-Finishes in Class of '66

THE OLD ADAGE "Share and share alike" must have had a profound effect on the four top ranking seniors. Ken Schubert and Joe Gordon quite willingly share place number one, while Mike Alpern and Mike Gerber share not only names but also rank number three. Never before at Niles has there been a double tie for the two highest places. Because there are two ones, the next rank automatically becomes number three.

Although the "race" is close, none of the boys feels and rivarly. "After all," explained Ken, "we're all good friends and we understand each other. We are happy enough that we are where we are; no

one's trying to beat anyone else out." Mike Alpern, who has kept up his grades despite being ill the past two months, added that "flaunting grades is ridiculous."

ALL FOUR BOYS belieive that we live in a dogeat-dog world where competition — for the biggest houses, the prettiest cars - rarely stops. None of them wants to bring that unceasing rivalry to Niles.

The boys treat their A plus averages nonchalantly. "Ranks and grades are important because they give a college some indication of a student's ability," admitted Mike Gerber, "but they can't be considered the ultimate criteria of a person."

> Joe added that all four had decided long ago that studying to learn is much more important than studying for grades. "We don't want to be bogged down by gradegrubbing in college," Joe pointed out.

Accepted under the early decision program, Joe will attend Amherst College where he will take a liberal arts program. Also undecided about their fields, Ken, attending Oberlin, and Mike, studying at Yale, will enter liberal arts. Only Mike Gerber knows exactly what he wants to be - a doctor and will begin his training at Cornell University.

pennies," chuckled Ken. "You'll need every cent for college. Seryou've got to learn to study."

But the boys don't spend all their time pouring over textbooks. Mike Alpern is interested in architecture and right now iis designing his future home. Also enjoying au- every day. tomotive design,, he sketches and "especially," he added, "girls."



GRAPPLING for first place is a friendly game, say Joe Gordon and Ken Schubert

Clean Crusaders

Behind the Scenes

ing a large utility belt with many approachiing fall semester. TO THOSE who won't be attend- tools and devices, a man hurriles ing college yet, these seniors un- off to his next assignment. Who is trim outside and everything inside animously urge "Study hard. This it? Batman? No, the answer is one in workiing order, the maintenance may sound awful at first but it's of Niles East's maintenance men who, with all his duties, probably "Stop buying milk and save your has a harder job that the Caped halls and removing all the waste-Crusader himself.

Tending several acres of lawns, iously, though, if you want to learn, trees, and hedges; keeping over 100 rooms supplied with heat and light; and keeping the entire building and stadium in general repair are just some of the jobs which the maintenance staff attends to

WITH THE ONSET of winter designs cars. Ken is "interested in comes the added job of shoveling everything" and reads voraciously. over 3 tons of snow from the school An integral member of school ac- walks which is usually completed "We're still a little stunned. It'll tivities, Joe has been co-editor of by 8:00. School is almost over for "Reflections" for two years. And us, but summer brings the most won," explained Sue. "They pro- stand what happened," laughed Mike Gerber likes meeting people, work for the grounds staff when grass must be cut, bushes trimmed

DRESSED IN BLUE and wear- and the school prepared for the

In addition to keeping the school man has the year-round dutiles of washing floors, blackboards, and paper and rubbish left behind by our active population of 1,000 litterbugs.

"BUT NILES EAST is one of the cleanest schools I've seen," said Mr. H. Rustiberg, one of the staff. "Of course, there are some kids who don't care, but most are neat and respect school property.'

The task of keeping Niles East running is a 24-hour a day job, the major part of which begins after students leave the building at 3:20. Then, classrooms must be cleaned for the next day and most minor repairs, such as replacing lights, are done.

But with all the work to be completed, the maintenance crew work around the clock. Several men work on the night shift and serve a dual purpose by keepinig watch over the campus. The school requires a staff of 12 men to keep the building in order.

Cleaning the building, keeping the their parents," said Mark Lazar, are making rules for students all grounds neat and in repair, the "they take advantage of their new- over the country. And those rules men of the maintenance staff are found freedom. The same type of which the colleges make are just the behind-the-scenes technical thing undoubtedly happened on the advance precautions against acts workers who keep the school runwhich can lead to moral wrongs." ning.

Question of New Freedom Besets College Students

spent planning for their "Good Guys" theme, were real and often "'IN LOCO PARENTIS' is an outlandish abortion of the law" . . . "Down witih campus curfews" . . . "Students should possess the right

for third place are Seniors Mike Alpern and Mike Gerber.

Royal Pair Part

Of Storybook Tale

"WE'VE NEVER been part of a winners," remembered Dick. "As

"I didn't even know that we had take a few weeks to really under-

fairy tale before," smiled Sue we walked we really started get-

Swartwout and Dick Shallcross, ting nervous."

nounced my name wrong, so I Dick and Sue.

felt sure we'd have to quit," con- cropping up on banners, posters merely a product of awareness. and in colleges across the nation as part of what contemporary sociologists and journalists term Campuses."

sex in their dormitory rooms."

AS POTENTIAL college freshmen, members of the Class of '66 must naturally formulate their own opinions on moral standards to fol- sed Dave. low. The question still remains, however, is there in actuality a 'moral revolution' underway at colleges, or just a flurry of strong protest and publicity? Several graduating seniors express their than they have in the past." riews on this pressing topic.

ther than a revolution, the moveis so much pressure for grades, staying in college, and staying out of the army, that the students

"WHEN KIDS GET AWAY from marized Marcia Jacobson, Colleges

Anita Wolff and Dave Jaet agree Protests such as these have been that the so-called "revolution" is

"I think that people in general today are more aware of morals "The Sex-Revolution on College and immorality, and these are discussed openly. Thus it seems that a revolution is going on, when in truth, college students are just more aware of morality today," expres-

> "THE AMERICAN PRESS has recently placed great emphasis on a 'moral revolution,' " agrees Anita. "People just talk about it more

Terry Hirsch attributes the moral Larry Miner believes "that ra- revolution to a sense of anonymity. "When a person feels that he is an ment is a release of tension. There insignificant number out of 3,000 he is naturally going to rebel."

"When the PX at every girl's must have a way of releasing their dorm at a certain Bit Gen school tension." Protest is the easiest sells contraceptiive devices, you know a change is coming up," sum-



STUDENTS entering college must decide how they will handle their new freedom.

"We made a movie for our skit, and the day we picked to film it was awful. It was about 30 degrees, and it kept raining," said Sue. The pair was surprised the film was to entertain members of the other college campus of 30 years ago." ever finished.

Niles' prom queen and king.

thought they meant someone else.

Only when they called Dick did I

Although the night of prom was

quite ethereal, the weeks before,

hectic.

understand what had happened."

"Then the Friday of our rehearsal we couldn't get a piano and tinued Sue. "Fortunately, Mr. Kent let us try out another day." SUE AND DICK agreed that these incidents added to the excitement of prom preparations. But the best moment came when the king and

queen were about to be named. "The kids formed an aisle, and we had to walk down what seemed miles before they announced the

> Coming Up Underclass Exams

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Period 7 TUESDAY, JUNE 14

Periods 1, 3, 4 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15 Periods 2, 5, 6



"HERE I COME TO SAVE THE DAY . . . " yells Ira Upin (21), as he vaults over grounded team-mates to aid ball-handler Jim DeGraffenreid.



KNOCK-KNEED, BOW-LEGGED, pigeon-toed but happy, Seniors Ed Chalfie, Wally Lazar, Rich Block and Terry Hirsh prepare for a dash to their bicycles on Senior Bermuda-Bike Day.



ENTHUSIASM . . .

Photos Focus On Memories

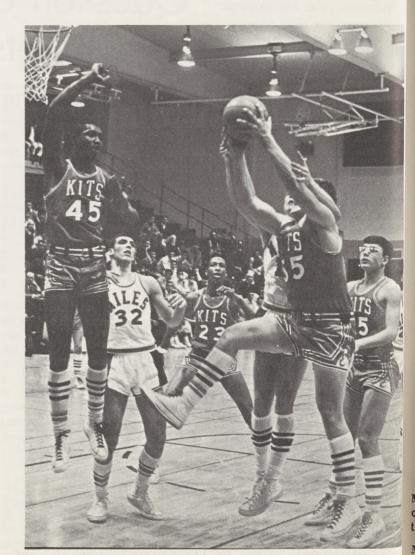
Of '66



"WE'VE GOT THE Trojan on our team" eagerly shouts Kathy Capettini, Senior cheerleader.



SMILING WARMLY at their subjects are Homecoming Queen Inger Haualand and her court of Seniors Linda Brown and Kathy Capettini and Juniors Helene Zimmerman and Betty Stein.



with an Evanstonian for a rebound is Senior hoopster Danny Nielsen. Team-mates Steve Plotkin and Jeff Gendelman

Seniors Recall Fond Memories

REMEMBER? Walking Into the Wrong Washroom Freshman Year...

Staying up All Night to Work on the Homecoming Float...

When We Won... Almost Blowing up the Chemistry Lab...

and almost being kicked out of to New York." school for a three minute kiss on stage."

said it couldn't be done."

Mike Alpern: "My most memorable experience occurred this year when some joker asked me for my autograph after seeing Galleon's 'Walden' Movie at the Panic '66 Carnival."

Alan Weiner: "Eating lunch at school. I never thought food could be so bad."

Kay Strull: "My most memorable experience was being married to Sue Schatzman in Mr. Egger's Family Living Class."

Clifford Rudnik: "Doing my darn-

League in the past five years."

Warren Siegal: "The sheer delight got out of kicking by brother off Sue May: "I think it was when I pected it."

Harvey Melamed: "Hearing Mr. Miller say it was his fault and not Jeri Ahonen: "Mr. Palm's English

Lynn Rockowitz: "Mr. Palm — he derful person."

or less."

Bob Blitstein: "Getting a phone Sheryl Geman: "Dancing 'old Uiversity of Pennsylvania, inform- at Prom." ing me that I was accepted there."

Marlene Bennet: "My most memorable experience will be getting were." through Niles in only four years."

Ron Lake: "Dating Iris Paul. They I found Mr. Bottof and Mr. Tyler morning at 10:30." sitting and eating lunch."

called me "moose."



Roz Yagoda: "Being sent to Mr. Bottof for getting a birthday kiss (on the cheek) from Scott Siegal which was described as 'a scene from the Riviera."

Pete Lanners: "Winning the first Lori Comitor: "Going swimming in football game in the Suburban the Skokie Lagoon with Marjorie Schrier, Barry Wolpoff, and Diane

his monitor post when he least ex- received a reward in my junior year for being the most athletic

> class Junior year when Dennis Ryan sat on seven tacks."

is a great step towards maturity, Al Ludmer: "While walking in sintrue individual and a truly won- gle file in gym I felt someone around with my elbow aimed for flections '65, '66, and Shindig." Lee Schlesinger: "I have no mem- the person's stomach, I found I orable experiences in forty words just missed hitting Coach Odlivak. He was nice and didn't hit me.

call from the track coach at the fashioned dances' with Mr. Pirok

Kathy Jones: "When someone forced Bill Ronan to ask me to Homecoming. I wonder if someone is still forcing him?"

Bruce Rabin: "Watching Mr. Ramgren telling my class how to hold a bottle of hydrochloric acid with- by!!!" out spilling it and seeing him promptly spill it all over himself."

Sue Mannheimer: "The time Ron Lake pulled the chair out from unscience table."

Gail Solberg: "Learning that I was Ellen Shapera: "Meeting Harlan." chosen as an alternate on the cheerleading squad. Well, its better than nothing I thought."

Dennis Ryan: "My field trip to a Howard Bain: "The days I wasn't downtown burlesque show with 64 at Niles but at Central YMCA." other guys. The bus trip down there was unreal."

Marty Garb: "Not having gym for a week because the heating system was malfunctioning."

Lanny Malfar: "The day I cut school with a few friends of mine and a certain person chased us across Edens Highway near Niles West through sticker bushes and under the viaduct. Also the day he called in everyone who was absent and tried to find out who we

Sue Schatzman: "Leaning against Myra Schneiderman: "Going for Lanny Malfar in biology class and paint for my sophomore homecom- watching his heart beat increase ing float and returning with a boy- on the electrocardiogram ma-

Rhona Berkowitz: "Being Lolita Karen Waysdorf: "Kissing my Marcia Jacobson: "Leading my Diane Burdeen: "3:30 a. m. in the first day of school my freshman Nymphette in the Driver's Educa- journalism teacher, Mr. Frey, Senior homeroom in the "Boy Can Winnetka Police Station with Bar- year." Nymphette in the Driver's Education formalish todated, at the state of theme song."

period and going to Roundy's where mother call me every Tuesday in front of an audience during Remiddle of an assembly."

Jim Rathmann: "Getting pushed Dan Clouser: "Sleeping in fourth Jim Gallai: "When we were play- into the Des Plaines River by an period Russian Class for the past ing football in gym class and they opponent in a cross country meet." Mike Gerber: "The day I found an empty beer can in my locker. Mmmmmm."

> Alen Klein: "Getting an official referee's shirt for my birthday from a few of my friends." Shelly Gaffen: "Being the Senior Class "Matchmaker."

ience for the NILEHILITE."

Prom Queen."

and Mr. Schrier."

flections '65."

Barb Weiner: "Passing Senior Cari Glenn: "Having My Eyerman physical education."

Andy Gutter: "Walking into the girls' washroom and not realizing it until I walked out."

Sue Dine: "Performing Shindig and none of the dancers showed

Marcia Levitan: "Homecoming '65 Howard Siegel: "Not being able to at Gussie's house when Roger Petthink of a most memorable exper- erson and I were the center of attraction."

Sue Swartwout: "Running for Rose Kovarsky: "Reflections '65 and my costume which didn't fit."

Remember Henry David-Who?

Dick Shallcross: "Falling in love." Donna Brown: "Bobbi Meyers and Roz Dorf: "Putting tassels on I were picked up by Niles Police homecoming bids because Paul for running away from home. The Gustafson forgot to order tassels truth was we were coming home Stan Bedows: "Finally making the for them."

Elliott Hartstein: "Sleeping in Inger Haualand's garage until her Mike Lee: "Having a fight with garbage and saw me."

Marcia Swider: "When I almost ran into Mr. Pirok's car and he promptly proceeded to give me a driving lesson."

shove me from the rear. As I spun Mike Gershberg: "Putting on Re-

Eileen Glutzer: "Going to the drive-in with four girls and then throwing eggs at hitchhikers on Sheridan Road."

Inger Haualand: "Becoming Homecoming Queen of Niles East."

Renee Porter: "My first date with Ron Kozlicki."

guys and J. Dayton in Lake Forest When I came to school with 3 monand watching the train go

Ron Rabin: "Discovering that during Senior year you can get away with almost anything."

cial Beaver Patrol Leader."

Murrette had no more clean sets."

cases and pillows.'

mother came out with a bag of Mr. Pooley when I was on crutch- Gary Baim: "Going to the beach es and had a cast on my leg."



Dennis Bailen: "Homecoming '65 when I rode on the Junior Cabinet Harvey Harris: "Taking first place float with blood shot eyes. Guess in the state fencing meet." what from?"

Scott Siegel: "Being with all the Bruce Meyer: "Grease Day '66. key wrenches, dressed from head to toe in black, and then the admin- Marlene Shapiro: "The time I reappropriately."

Shari Lachman: "I'll always remember when Mr. Yursky asked der me and I landed under the Bonnie Pogodin: "Being the offi- me to rough my hair in Algebra Lynn Stein: "I remember Prom done."

Jim DeGraffenreid: "Junior year I, and happy, too." Bob Shuman: "Finding out that when we beat Niles North 14-0 in Linda Brown: "June 12, 1966, 5:30 a football game."

orable experience was Freshman Carl Brakman: "Cutting 5B lunch Mark Davis: "Listening to my Bobbi Meyers: "Losing my skirt year, falling down the stairs in the

Walter Schneider: "Yes."

for physical science when he used to use a whistle to stop a lab."



Wayne Abramson: "When I told Mr. Miya that I couldn't read his handwriting."

Neil Baskin: "Seeing Mr. Tyler doing the twist during the skits for prom."

from a p. j. party carrying suit- basketball team my Senior year." Richard Block: "Homecoming night in Gustafson's garage."

> 2nd Period instead of picking up chicken for the S. S. O. Banquet."

> Gayle Bridge: "I'll never forget having fencing in gym. The first time I made a legal touch, I apologized."

> Cheryl Gold: "Boycotting Senior Prom because my prom candidates were disqualified."

> Jerry Gilman: "Having Coach Ferguson for gym and hearing him say those famous lines: 'Take

Norm Meadoff: "Graduation."

Renee Reynolds: "Elected to the National Honor Society."

istration told me I wasn't dressed ceived two hours of detention for attempting to visit a home for unwed mothers for a psychology project."

class so he could see how it was my junior year. I had my first long dress; it was beautiful, so was

Remember the Alamo

Prom."

Pete Lanners: it." orable experience Pooley's head." at Niles was winfootball game in in one day." the Suburban years."

will occur June umns."

Karen Kabot: Ruth Kaufman: "The day I walked "Crowning the into the Girl's Swimming Locker King at the 1965 Room while the boys were using

"My most mem- Tom Sorg: "Feeling the top of Mr.

ning our first Iris Paul: "Taking two AP exams

League in five Al Sutton: "Getting reprimanded by yMr. Yursky for one of my ear-Gary Buzil: "It lier and more controversial col-

Howie Barnett: Sue Murphy: "The time I swal-"When I won an lowed some chemicals in chemistry and Mr. Ramgren stuck my Mary Fien: "The head in the faucet."



BEHIND STARTING PITCHERS Gary Lindley and Jeff Gendelman, seniors who both made the all-SL team, was Senior Steve Ricci. The varsity made an impressive showing at the beginning of the season when it was tied for first place, but soon faltered and fell to fourth.

RICK NITTI (BELOW) collides with Huskie defender while going up for a pass in the homecoming game with Oak Park, Troy lost that contest 44 to 0, but came back the next week to roll over Morton East 46 to 25 for their only win of the season.



THE TROJAN tennis team was led by Sophomore Mark Bishop. Although no seniors competed for the netmen, a 13 and 5 overall mark was compiled by the varsity. Going downstate for the team was the doubles pair of Juniors Barry Lampert and Al Rosen-



That Wonderful (?) Year

Year of Trojan Sports Through Camera Lens



STEVE PLOTKIN (33) should be one of the mainstays of next year's varsity basketball team .Though this year's team compiled a poor 3 and 18 record, next year's team will be bolstered by a soph team that finished with a 9 and 5 SL record.

LEADING THE HARRIERS to

their most successful season was Senior Pete Lanners. After taking third in the district meet at Deerfield, Pete placed ninth in the state meet at Champaign, Next year's team should be paced by Juniors Steve Epstein and Bob Schab-

Bleacher Beat

by AL SUTTON **Sports Editor**

Sports fans, here's the year-end Trojan athletic wrap up.

FALL

BRINGING HOME state honors for Easthi in the state log rolling contest was Senior Ken Schubert. After a tough final match with Billy Bumpkin of Midvale High, Ken said proudly, "I'm glad that Niles East has such great school spirit. Without the student's support, I never would have had the desire to win.

However, our blackboard erasing team proved a tremendous disappointment this year. When Seniors Dan Nielsen and Larry Miner were put out of action because of excessive dust inhalation, the Trojans faltered to a seventh place SL finish.

WINTER

THE REALLY BRIGHT SPOT in the '65-'66 season was the showing of our ice cube crunching team. With only three of our seven members available for action during the league meet, the team completely froze out the rest of their competition.

Unfortunatly, our mermen couldn't get underway this year. Forfeiting all of their home meets this year because a runaway octopus decided to take up residence in the Trojan pool, the team sank (ha, ha) to the bottom of the league.

Although the Trojan basketball team couldn't quite get off the ground this year, next year's outlook is bright. Transferring to East from Walden Pond High are 5 foot 3 inch guard Smedley Athlete who can stuff backwards and 7 foot 4 inch center Ferguson Glunk who can't even stuff frontwards.

Also, supporting next year's team will be all the Senior members of this year's team. They will be going for an unprecedented fifth year in basketball.

SPRING

The spring sports season got off to a whale of a start when our first 31 baseball games were rained out. Senior Mike Dissen, in a jocular mood after finding out that our whole schedule had been postponed, said, "There's one thing you can cay about this year's team, they certainly made a big splash in the league race."

THE HIGHLIGHT OF the wrestling season came on February 25 at McGaw Hall in Evanston when Senior Bill Pauss won the Illinois State crown at 154 pounds. Also placing for the Trojans in the meet was Senior Ron Pontecore, 180 pounds, who placed fourth. The team took eighth in the state meet and finished in the first division in the SL with a record of 4 and 3.



the team to a fourth place fin-

ish behind Evanston, New

Trier and Proviso East.

