

Optomists Sponsor Search: 'Who Is Typical Teenager?'

ARE YOU A TYPICAL TEENAGER? The Skokie Valley Optimist's Club wants to know. In observance of a national Youth Appreciation Week, November 4-10, the Optimist's Club is conducting a search for the typical teenage boy and girl in Niles Township.

Typical Teenage Girl

What makes a teenage girl typical? Is she short or tall? Does she have a pageboy or a pixie cut? Is she built like Sophia Loren or does she lean toward the Audrey Hepburn type? Are there buckles on her shoes? Does she go steady?

What about this typical Miss X in school? What kind of grades does she get? Are her evenings spent studying or watching television? On Saturday will you find her at a football game or the library? What kind of clubs does she join? And after she joins them, does she hold an office? Does she like school?

What kind of morals does she have? Does she plan to go to college? What does she want out of life? What is she really like?

Typical Teenage Boy

What comprises a typical teenage boy? Is his hair light or dark? Does he have curly hair or a crewcut? Does he wear a crew-neck sweater or does he refuse to go along with a fad? What kind of a girl does he like — the sweet, shy type or the independent girl-about-town? Does he go steady?

What kind of a student is this typical boy? Does he



Is this scene typical? Could this be you on a weekday evening or a Sunday afternoon? Would you be wearing this type of clothing?

take metal shop or physics? Does he carry home a lot of books? Does he go out for athletics? Must he be a

football hero? Is he active in school organizations? Does he like school?

What are Mister X's beliefs about himself? Does he care what people think of him? Is he planning for his future? What is he really like?

These questions are not intended to direct anyone's thinking or suggest pre-requisites for nominating a "typical teenager." Says Mr. Roger Schonberger, co-chairman of Youth Appreciation Week activities of the Optimist Club, "This is not a popularity contest. The kids should not get together and decide to 'back' someone."

Contest Rules

The rules of the contest are simple. Any teenage or adult resident of the township may nominate any boy or girl, 13-19 years of age, who is also a resident and not a relative of the person who is doing the nominating.

Nominations should be made by letters of 500 words or less. The letters must be sent to the Skokie Review, 5045 Oakton, and postmarked not later than midnight, Thursday, October 31. The nominee's name, age, address, and parents' name must be included. No letters will be returned.

Selections will be made by the board of the Skokie Valley Optimists' Club and the boy and girl winner will each receive a \$25 bond. The contest and observance of Youth Appreciation Week are under the sanction of the local governments.

New Nilehi Cast Of '57 Fall Play Acts 'Stage Door'

REHEARSALS FOR the fall play *Stage Door* by George Kaufman and Edna Ferber, are now in full swing in the Assembly Room! "To present a sparkling performance on November 21, 22, and 23 in the Assembly Room at 8:15 is the goal of the cast," said Miss Virginia Stemp, director.

The story behind "Stage Door" concerns nineteen girls who live in a brownstone tenement in New York, 'The Footlights Club'. These girls are of assorted sizes, ages, and backgrounds, but have one common dream: to see their names in lights.

The plot gradually centers on Terry Randall, a talented young

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Teachers Are Linguists

NILEHI'S MANY-FACED faculty had a chance to demonstrate its linguistic ability at the first meeting of the West Division Language Club. More than 150 freshmen and sophomores attended the meeting on October 16.

Mark Peppercorn, chairman, told the origin of languages and then introduced the teachers who were to speak. Each teacher said the following in his foreign

language: hello, boy, girl, mother, father, I love you.

Conversations were held between: Mr. Harry Sortal and Dr. Bernard Zagorin in Russian, Mr. Henry Doren and Mr. Nick Odlik 'in Polish, Dr. Nick Mannos and Miss Angeline Panos in Greek, Miss Norma Barts and Dr. John Betts in German, and Mr. Andrew Maggio and Mr. Gene Da Rosa in Italian.

The following persons also

spoke to the students, Mr. Anthony Schubert, Bohemian; Miss Helen Heitman, Norwegian; Mr. O. T. Hendrickson, Finnish; Miss Betty Jo Bullard, southern dialect; Dr. Bernard Zagorin, Hebrew; Dr. Arthur Ryden, Swedish and Latin; and Mr. Earl Auge, French.

The meeting was attended by Mr. John Gach, principal of the West Division, and West Division foreign language instructors.

Students Launch Magazine Drive; Money for Clubs

THE 1957 MAGAZINE Drive will be held during the week of November 4-8, according to Mr. Marvin H. Ihne, assistant principal of the East Division.

This year's drive will be used to help support club treasuries, instead of yearbook discounts, as in the past. Seven organizations will take part in this drive in order to raise money for their various activities.

THE GROUPS taking part in the drive include the Golden Galleon, Hi-Y, Latin Club, 100% Club, Pins and Pans, Student Council, and the Varsity Cheerleaders.



Judi Godell, student chairman of crews for fall play, directs Vicki Averbach and Barbara

Krumseig in the placement of props.

Autumnal Theme Sets Scene For Halloween Union

PUMPKINS AND cornstalks will provide a Halloween atmosphere for this month's Student Union, October 26, 8 p.m., in the boy's and girl's gymnasium and the assembly room.

The music of the "Offbeats," ping-pong, a movie, and refreshments will furnish entertainment and refreshment for the three-hour event.

Costumes may be worn by Union Board members and masks by any one holding a Union card.

"The first Student Union held this year was a big success (more than 1,000 present) and an even larger turnout is anticipated on October 26," stated Dan Lang,



Alex Spiegel, Gloria Mengarelli, Diane Courtright, and Dick Benson are not above

a little "fooling around" as they decorate for the Halloween Union.

actress who is involved with Keith Burgess, an eccentric playwright, and David Kingsley, a Hollywood movie producer, "You see, Terry—but better yet, wait until the performance of *Stage Door*," said Miss Stemp. "You'll get a peek into the complex trials and tribulations of the theater."

THE CAST INCLUDES Bobbie Davison as Terry Randall, Holly Freeman as Jean Maitland, Paula Rudich as Mrs. Orcutt, Gwen Johnson as Mattie, Elaine Pass as Big Mary, Jan Chester as Little Mary, and Sue Levin as Kaye Hamilton. Murray Averbach is cast as David Kingsley, Mike Skol-

nick as Keith Burgess, Joel Aaronson as Adolph Gretzy, and Mike LeVine as Dr. Randall.

Others in the cast are Carole Povlo, Bobbi Young, Gayle Siemund, Barbara Barabas, Jackle Faust, Liz Wood, Marilyn Barnett, Bobbie Deitch, Marilee Mottis, Sharon Richman, Ruth Ann Morton, Tom Connors, Ron Raben, Russ Koefed, and Ray Cohen.

The assistants appointed to the director are Judith Godell, assistant director; Bill Ruyle, stage manager; and Margo Calamaras, assistant-in-charge-of-cast.

Looking Forward To...

- Oct. 26 - Football at Proviso
- Oct. 26 - Student Union, 7:30 p.m.
- Oct. 29 - Cross Country here with Waukegan
- Nov. 2 - Cross Country State Final
- Nov. 2 - Football here with Waukegan
- Nov. 6, 7 - Illinois State-Wide Tests (Junior)
- Nov. 11 - No school, Veterans' Day

vice-president of the Board.

Recently appointed Student Union Board Monitors, upperclassmen who will assist at the Unions, include Jack Kaplan, Betty Farwell, Judy Bolin, Margo Calamaras, Chuck Kadish, and Suellen Mills.

THE UNION, sponsored by Mr. John Hallberg, represents a student social organization whose aim is to provide a recreational center for all class levels.

The Board, run entirely by students, was established for the purpose of planning, managing and

financing the Unions.

Annual Student Union membership cards are still available at a cost of \$.75. A charge of \$.25 will be made to students, per union, who do not possess a membership card.

Presentation of a Niles Township High School identification card will be necessary for admittance to the Union.

"Dates will present no problem at this festive event. Whether you come hag, stag, or drag, fun and fellowship will be in store for all," concluded Mr. Hallberg.

Of Cabbages And Kings

MODERN SOCIETY is returning to idol worship. We worship the atom. We worship science itself. But "Man cannot live by science alone."

In the recent past, it was decided that we Americans did not place enough emphasis on science; now the pendulum is swinging and we are going to the other extreme.

Young children, instead of learning about Alice in Wonderland, are taught the meaning of words like "satellite" and "reactor." Eighth-graders are urged to spend all their spare time working with chemistry sets and white mice. But the real tragedy lies in the fact that high school students are led to believe that a scientific career is the only course worth pursuing.

For instance, among the scholarships offered to seniors by the National Merit Scholarship program, approximately 60 per cent were limited to students planning to enter scientific fields. This in itself would not be wrong except for the fact that there was only one scholarship for students interested in public service, one for those interested in journalism, and none for prospective teachers!

WHERE WILL this future generation of scientists be if there is no government to insure their rights, no journalists to tell and sell what they have invented, and no teachers to teach their children and train another generation of scientists?

What Other Editors Think

The Lion, Lyons Township High School, La Grange, Illinois
"THEY NEVER MISS 'EM"

"FANS" go to the football games and never know what took place. They parade to the refreshment stand, not noticing the score.

The cheerleaders practice almost every day and no one follows their cheers.

The team works long and hard and nobody in the stands knows what they're doing.

Four yards to go for a touchdown and everybody is looking at wallet pictures.

And yet, no one would think of missing a game.

The Kenews, Bradford High School, Kenosha, Wisconsin—
"WORLD SERIOUS"

IF WE WERE to ask you what two teams clashed in the World Series or who Hank Aaron is, every one of you would probably be able to give us the right answers. But if we were to ask you who is the present secretary-general of the UN or who Elizabeth Ekford is, most of you would rate a zero.

Now again let us quiz you. Who is Marilyn Monroe or what is Ricky Nelson's latest platter? The answers are obvious. But who is Pineau and what is the greatest issue of the day? Same zero.

All this leads up to the point that we want to make. So many young adults, and adults too, are more concerned with inconsequential issues that attract them than with vital and important issues that should interest them.

WHY SHOULD THESE issues interest us teens? Mainly because they are not only current events that are happening all over the world and all around us, but they are issues that concern and influence us so deeply that they may alter or affect the entire course of our lives. As the future leaders and citizens of America and of the world, we should all be informed on those matters which are so vital to us.

Remember that America's two greatest enemies are ignorance and indifference, and their effect can be more devastating and dangerous than our most lethal enemies with their deadly weapons.

Be interested in the fun which is about you. Hank Aaron, Marilyn Monroe, and all the entertaining things make life exciting and thrilling, but we also need to be aware of the course of human events which will affect us.

So that we may be more enlightened, active, and interested citizens, we owe it to ourselves to take advantage of our educational opportunities and to keep up on the current world events. If we do this, we shall be preparing ourselves for the adult tasks which lie ahead.

Nilehiers Attend Press Conclave

THE ILLINOIS STATE High School Press Association convention will be attended by representatives of the NILEHILITE and REFLECTIONS staffs.

The annual affair is being held at the University of Illinois in Urbana during the weekend of October 25-26.

Nilehi representatives include Barbara Norris and Beth Kurti, co-editors; Nan Plotnick, news bureau chief; Ray Cohen, sports editor; Paul Carder, editor of the yearbook; and Lillian Hoffman of the yearbook staff.

Miss Mary Konstans, Nilehilité sponsor, will chaperone the students.

THE STATE CONFERENCE, directed by Professor Glen Hanson, will cover information regarding high school newspapers and annuals. Both phases will be presented by panels, talks, and movies, all of which will be held in Gregory Hall, the School of Journalism.

A general session will open the program Friday morning at 11:00. A traditional party and banquet, honoring the counselors, will highlight Friday evening. By 3 p.m. Saturday, the 1957 ISHPA convention will be completed.



This issue's Inquiring Reporter asked boys the question, "What is your pet peeve about girls?" He asked the girls, "What is your pet peeve about boys?" He apparently started a minor battle of the sexes.

GARY KRAUS, senior: "There aren't enough neat girls around Niles."

GAIL BRAVERMAN, senior: "They don't know a neat girl when they see one."

GLENDIA ANDERSON, senior: "They call at the last minute to ask for a date."

MARILYN BERGSMAN, senior: "They think girls are their slaves."

STEVE ADELMAN, sophomore: "They tell secrets."

LYNN HICKE, junior: "They all think they're neat."

LINDA BURKHART, junior: "They show up wearing two different colored socks."

BILL DUTTON, senior: "Some of them dress sloppily."

SANDY GOLDSTEIN, junior: "They don't realize when a girl likes them."

BRUCE FYFE, senior: "They throw themselves at boys."

VICKI AVERBACH, senior: "Three brothers—no comment."

DIANE HALSTEAD, senior: "On a date, they always talk about their 'other' girls."

ALAN JOHNSON, senior: "Just girls in general."

PAM RUSSELL, junior: "They're too undependable."

GEORGE LEVISON, sophomore: "They never come on time."

SUE HANSEN, freshman: "All the cute ones are taken."

PAUL CARDER, senior: "I can't think of anything I don't like about girls."

ANITA LUDWIG, senior: "They never have the car when you need a ride home."

DON SAMUELSON, senior: "Girls who smoke."

MRS. PAREPA RICE: "Boys who lack good grooming and good manners."

MR. DAVID BURGETT: "I don't like when a girl starts to tell me something and changes her mind halfway through."

JUDY SHAKMAN, senior: "Boys who don't smell nice."

CHUCK TUROFSKY, sophomore: "I don't like heavy make-up."

DIANA SHENFISH, junior: "Some boys are too flirty and some aren't flirty enough."

STEVE KARAS, sophomore: "They make a dent in my wallet."

Future Teachers Choose Officers

THE JUNIOR-SENIOR Future Teachers Club met for the first time this year on Wednesday, September 25, in the Assembly Hall. Presiding at the meeting were the new board members Bonnie Martin, president; Gerda Halbreich, vice-president; Karen Rosenquist, secretary; and Denise Kariolich, treasurer.

Nilehi Talks Back

Dear Editor,

Last year, the Student Council, representing the students, passed a recommendation that all collection cans be outlawed in school unless officially recognized by the administration. The administration accepted the recommendation of the Council and stated that only basic funds (such as the National Cancer and March of Dimes funds and some collections for school activities) should be collected.

Recently, Nilehi students have been soliciting funds individually on behalf of certain clubs and organizations. Examples of this are the Mert Davis Fund and club drives for contributions to the Cancer society. These unauthorized collections should cease immediately.

A disgruntled Senior

Dear Editor,

I think Mr. Carrell and the whole Student Council ought to get a pat on the back for starting the new Homecoming Queen and Court tradition at Niles. I'm sure the ceremony will be better and better each year and will really give Niles something to be proud of.

Pat Circle
Senior

Dear Editor,

Please, please, please, can't we do something to let our teachers know how "snowed-under-with-homework" so many of the students are? It seems we are given assignments on top of projects and many seem unjustly so. It's true that, with shorter periods, there is a need for more homework but not that much work.

We're not afraid of a little work but neither can we take so much pressure. Maybe if the student-teacher relationship were built up a little, things would work themselves out.

A Senior

Dear Editor,

What ever happened to the Student Directory that was sold two years ago? I thought it was a great little book and I'm sure that everyone misses it.

Telephone Tess

Editor's Note—

Jim Tansor, of the Student Council, announced that there will be a Student Directory published in the very near future.

Dear Editor,

I would like to take this opportunity to make a proposal to the Student Council. I feel that in the future Homecoming floats should be judged, not only on the bases of originality, eye appeal, and strength of construction, but also on amount of work represented.

It is not fair for a float which has been covered with sheets of ruffled paper, a matter of a few hours, to compete with stuffed floats representing weeks of work.

Fair-minded Frieda

Dear Editor,

Isn't there something that can be done about the clocks in this school, especially the one in the Cafeteria? One can never tell how long he has to finish lunch and, having a class in the afternoon, I usually cannot get out in time for the 12:30 bell. This means I have to wait for 12:45. In order to get through the crowd I have to rush at breakneck speeds.

"TARDY TRUDY"

Karen Lucas

Nurses Sponsor New Girls' Club

The Future Nurses' Club held its elections during their first meeting on Thursday, October 19. The club is divided into two groups because of the East-West division this year.

The officers of the Junior-Senior group include Kay Naylor, president; Mary Rae Kimberlin, vice-president; Beverly Laing, treasurer; and Sharon Hunt, corresponding secretary.

The officers of the Frosh-Soph group are: Susan Getman, president; Judith Emerson, vice-president; Wendy Belgarbo, secretary; June Kay, treasurer; and Karen Webster, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Eileen Springer and Miss Jean Massman serve as the club's advisors with Mrs. Fred Tworoger as sponsor from the Chicago Medical Association from the Auxiliary Irving Park Branch. A total of 43 girls have joined FNA, 28 Frosh-Soph and 15 Junior-Senior. The two groups will meet separately but will work together on all big projects. The club's first project was to aid the Mobile Chest X-Ray Unit during the week of October 14.

Many College Bound Seniors Take Tests, Register for National Merit Scholarships

The scholarship qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarships and other affiliated scholarships was given to seniors on Tuesday, October 22. Lasting more than two hours, the test was based on scholastic aptitude.

Five per cent of the senior class, chosen as particularly meritorious candidates by the administration, took the test free of charge. Other interested seniors paid a \$1.00 testing fee.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS from all over the nation participated in the examination, and those achieving qualifying scores will be in-

Science Group Does Research

The Science Seminar at N.T.H.S. is a special class meeting every Wednesday evening for the purpose of giving students who are interested in science an opportunity to do research into various areas of science. Ideas are shared with other students through reports, discussions, and demonstrations.

Several community leaders, each a specialist in a different science area, meet with the students every week to counsel with them and to contribute ideas which direct the thinking of the group.

The class is sponsored by N.T.H.S. and directed by Mr. Jacob Shapiro, a former science teacher, who is assisted by Dr. Evelyn Tyner, a research chemist and former Westinghouse scholarship winner.

Sophomores, juniors, and seniors will have an opportunity to try out for membership in the Science Seminar soon. The entrance test will be given Saturday, October 26, in Room 220 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. A change has been made in the method of selecting students this year in that anyone may come to try out without an invitation.

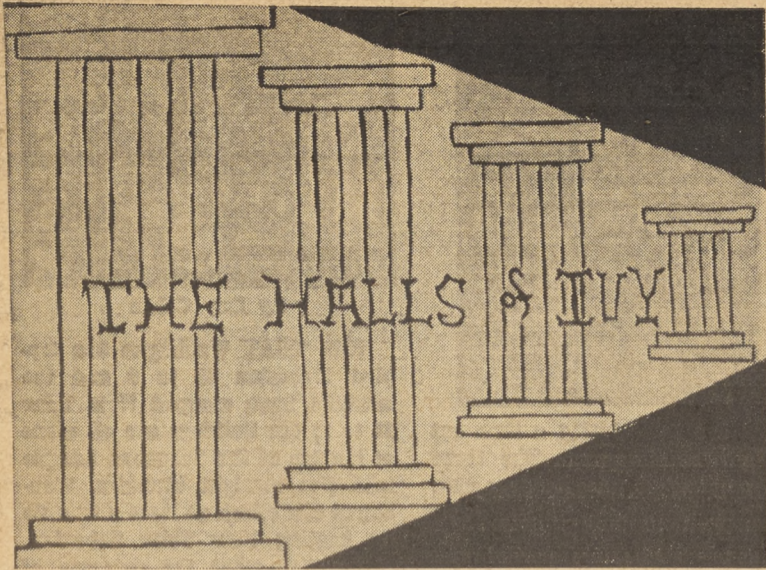
More than 800 scholarships are being offered by the National Merit Scholarship Foundation this year.

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NOW THAT the Homecoming excitement has quieted, the first six weeks of the semester have passed, and report cards have gone home to our parents, the school year is officially in full swing.

At a recent West Division foreign language club meeting (see page 1) Dr. John Betts told his audience, "The only reason I'm speaking at this meeting is that I'm an old friend of Mrs. Schwabb's." Then he added, "Of course after she hears the way I speak German, I won't be her friend anymore."

When it was time for Dr. Bernard Zagorin to address the group, he began, "I'm supposed to say 'I love you' in Hebrew, but it's difficult to pronounce and not very romantic. There are better ways of getting the idea across."

ONE POPULAR Nilehi senior girl was giving advice to her freshman sister and to her sister's friends. She cautioned them, "If he looks you straight in the eye, you'd better do something about your figure."

Dr. Bernard Zagorin said to his first period United States history class, "We will now continue with our discussion of Washington."

"George?", queried a student. "No, his brother Liberace," laughed a witty pupil.

An excited teacher came hurrying into the office one day. It seemed that when he went to park his car in the parking lot, he found a huge tree growing in the middle of his assigned spot.

THERE'S AN INTERESTING little room on the first floor on the north side of the building. Room 116, in the shape of a right triangle is the place Mr. George Roth, sponsor of the Student Service Organization, and his central committee call "home." "And it's a mighty crowded one," say SSO officers.

In this 11 by 9 foot triangle are two desks, four chairs, two file cabinets, and 39 mailboxes. When six or seven monitor captains and study hall supervisors try to hold a meeting, they have quite a time.

When Mr. Roth says that SSO works closely together, his central committee knows exactly what he means.

THOUGHT FOR THE ISSUE... "It's what you learn after you know it all that counts."

THE BIG DAY

Queen's Coronation Climaxes Nilehi Homecoming Activities

OCTOBER 12, the morning of Homecoming, dawned bright and sunny. The brisk morning air smelled of autumn.



THE BIG BLACK seal with a red ball bouncing on his nose

won first place in Class A division.

The parade assembled at 9 a.m. in Oakton Park. The floats were judged by Mr. Henry Erickson, Mr. Leroy Faust, Mrs. Phillip Steiner, Mr. Rex Martin and Mr. Roland Moore.

The Nilehi P.T.A. donated \$225 for prize money. The floats were judged on the basis of construction, eye appeal, slogan, and color contrast.

THE PARADE traveled at a lei-

judging were announced.

First place in Class A went to G.A.A.'s seal, in Class B to Frosh-Soph Tri-Hi-Y's dog, and in Class C to the Frosh-Soph Art Council's Trojan Head.

THE FOOTBALL games were played against Oak Park: the frosh game at 9 a.m., the frosh-soph game at 12 noon, and the varsity game at 2 p.m. Nilehi clubs sold peanuts, balloons, and "Go Niles" buttons. The prize-winning floats displayed at half time along with the queen and her court.

The homecoming dance, "Crowning Glory," was held in the school gymnasium, decorated as a queen's castle. Marty Roberts provided the music to which students, guests, alumni, teachers, and administrators danced.

The co-captains of the football team, Ron Chez and Tom Baumann crowned Queen Adrienne Lee, who was attended by Marlys Johnson and Phyllis Bronis, sen-



ADRIENNE LEE, 1957 Homecoming queen, flashes the bright smile she wore at Homecoming festivities.

surely pace through town, obstructing traffic and attracting crowds. It was led by the Homecoming Queen, Adrienne Lee, and her court in new Edsels donated by Fergus Edsel of Old Orchard. The parade returned to the high school at 11 a.m. where the results of the children."

ONE OF THE incidents Jill recalls with a blush occurred when she was in a troupe on a dancing tour. In order to appear uniform, all the girls wore chignons. In the midst of a graceful waltz Jill's bun went rolling across the stage!

Dancing is one of Jill's favorite activities. She also likes eating, driving, traveling, and skiing. Her dislikes include red and green peppers, parsley, and getting up early.

Her favorite subject in school is Spanish, because, she says, "I think it would be intriguing to be able to hold a conversation in a foreign language."

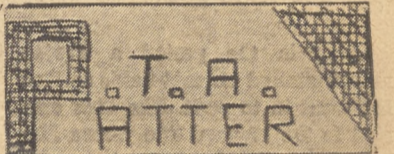
Jill's advice to freshmen: "Apply yourself to your studies and get out and meet people by joining activities."



Karen Carlson, '57, was elected treasurer of the freshman class at Ripon College in Ripon, Wisconsin. She is on the news staff of the school newspaper College Days... Joel Michael, '57, was chosen from among hundreds of applicants for admission to the California Institute of Technology...

Bill Froeschle, '54, was visiting Nilehi this week. He is an ex-serviceman just back from Alaska... Alva Sholin, '57, and Philip Bennet, '54, were recently married... Karen Kent, '57, has been pledged to membership in the Terrapin Club, the women's swimming club at the University of Illinois...

Sherrill Horn, '55, has joined the ranks of United Air Lines stewardesses. She attended Drake University where she was a member of Chi Omega... Julie Stockmar and Betty Smice, '57, are studying for careers in nursing... Beth Williamson, '57, is a secretary at Allstate Insurance Company on Cicero Avenue.



NEITHER THE RAINY weather nor the flu epidemic could prevent Nilehi parents and teachers from attending the P.T.A. meeting of October 16. More than 800 people were there. One of the highlights of the program was a panel discussion. The topic: "Candid Reactions of Parents to Many Focal Areas of the School Program."

The parents' questionnaires have been studied, and the replies have been tallied. Answers to this survey were discussed at the October 16 meeting. Most parents (638) felt the discipline was right; the detention was (612) an effective punishment; education at Niles (710) is about right; a Parent-Teachers conference should be started (534) in addition to report cards and it could be held once or twice a year (605) during school hours; their children had no difficulty in studying (509) and they knew how to study (530); but their child should still receive instructions (561) in how to study. These are just a few of the questions.

THE P. T. A. is full of plans for the future. There will not be another regular meeting until March. November 6 is the faculty dinner. There won't be a meeting in December because of the holidays, nor in January because of mid-term examinations. The Nilehi P. T. A. will have an Open House in February.

GETTING TO KNOW ...

Bruce Fyfe

Jill Linn

"MY SECRET AMBITION is to visit a Mau-Mau camp in Africa," laughed senior class president Bruce Fyfe. But the smiling, curly-haired senior added that his real ambition is to major in psychology and business administration in college and then enter the field of publishing.

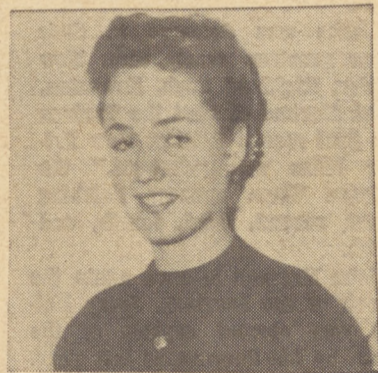
Bruce is active in many facets of Nilehi life, but he says that his most embarrassing experience in three years was being interviewed for the Nilehilite.

Homerom president in his freshman year, Bruce went on in his junior year to be an SSSH chairman, junior cabinet representative, and member of the Student Council executive board. He was one of six juniors to receive a nomination for the Hi-Y citizenship award.

This year, in addition to being the senior class president, Bruce

JILL HAS A BROTHER named Jack, but Jack and Jill do not spend their days fetching pails of water. Jack is 26 years old, too old to fetch water and tumble down hills, and 17 year old Jill is too busy.

She is the president of the Blue Tri-Hi-Y, a member of the Student Union Board, and the director



of this year's musical. Talented Jill is also accompanist for Vivace and she used to accompany choir and Boys' Glee.

Last year she was a nominee for the Hi-Y citizenship award, a co-dance director of the musical, and an initiate of National Honor Society. In her freshman and sophomore years she served on the Student Court. Jill received three music awards, and has sung in Vivace and Choir.

"If I could have three wishes," said Jill, "I would first travel around the world in 79 days, then I would produce a successful Broadway musical, and finally I would get married and have six



is a member of the monitor board and secretary of N-Club. He has won two major letters, one in cross-country and the other in baseball.



A HUGE PINK octopus with innocent eyes was built by Hi-Y.

iors, and Mary Lee Isel and Sandy Brumley, juniors, who were elected by their respective classes.

MR. O. T. HENDRICKSON, senior class sponsor, commented, "Nilehi students conducted themselves as young ladies and gentlemen. All the tickets to the dance were sold, and the dance was a success."

Bruce Fyfe, president of the senior class, expressed the opinion of many Nilehi students when he said "This year's Homecoming, the parade, and the coronation were great. The Student Council did a fine job."



"WE'LL QUACK 'em up," is the slogan on the ivy-league duck built by the junior class. It won second place in Class A.

Niles Tips Morton 20-14 As Berg Scores Twice

NILES' VARSITY FOOTBALL team won their second Suburban League game of the season beating Morton 20 to 14 at the Mustang's home stadium last Saturday. This loss avenged last year's homecoming defeat by Morton as this was Morton's homecoming game.

The hard running of Ed Jaster, the accurate passing of Barry Mink, pass-catching of Jack Berg, and the play of both Niles lines were the main reasons for the triumph.

An interception by co-captain Tom Baumann set up the games' first score. The interception gave Niles the ball on the 30 of Morton late in the first quarter. In three plays they drove to the three yard line as the period ended. On the first play of the second quarter, Jaster plunged over for the score. Henrici's kick was good but for the second time this year a penalty nullified the point. The second kick failed.

Later in the period a Trojan march stalled on mid-field, so Ron Lis went in to punt. The kick carried to the 17 yard line where Jim Bejna caught it and zig-zagged down the field to the Niles 11 where Jaster bumped him out of bounds.

Four plays later Brazda went over from the one to knot the score. Then Bejna came back in the game to haunt the Trojans again as he kicked the tie-break-

ing point, which wobbled between the uprights to give Morton a 7 to 6 lead as the teams left the field at halftime.

The first time Niles got their hands on the ball in the third period they marched 53 yards in 10 plays for a touchdown. The score came on a 10 yard pass from Mink to Berg. Henrici's conversion made the score 13 to 7 Niles' favor.

Then Morton began a march from their 28 and drove to Niles' 28 where the stiff Trojan forward wall rebuffed their advance. It took Niles 12 plays to move the necessary 72 yards for their final touchdown of the game. This one also came on a Mink to Berg pass. The play good for 23 yards succeeded thanks to a reaching over the shoulder catch by the senior end. Henrici's kick made the score 20 to 7.

With only 27 seconds remaining a 13 yard Brazda to Grego pass gave the Mustangs a score. The extra point made the final score: Niles 20, Morton 14.

This moved Niles into a fifth-place tie with Proviso with a record of two wins and three losses. The Trojans will seek to clinch this spot by beating the Pirates in Maywood tomorrow. SCORING:

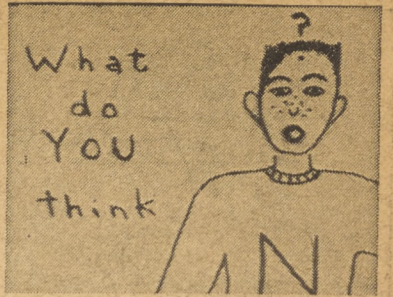
	1	2	3	4	F
NILES	0	6	7	7	— 20
Morton	0	7	0	7	— 14

TD — Jaster, Brazda, Berg(2), Grego.

PAT — Bejna(2), Henrici(2).



HERE THREE of Niles' cheerleaders Adrienne Lee, Karen Jensen and Marilyn Barnett, and the varsity football team's stalwart manager, Jack Cooper are seen during a time out at a recent game. The three non-pictured cheerleaders are: Diane Jefferson, Natalie Johnson and Ginger Golden.



By Ray Cohen

NOW THAT Waukegan has topped Evanston 13 to 0 and the Wildkits have stopped New Trier 13 to 7; the Bulldogs are all alone at the top of the Suburban League with five straight victories. Waukegan can clinch at least a title tie by beating New Trier Saturday. No matter what the outcome of this battle is, Niles is in a key position as they meet Waukegan here in the season's finale November 2.

In Saturday's "big" game between Waukegan and New Trier, I look for the unbeaten, untied, unscored upon Bulldogs, who are now rated as the top team in the area to defeat the Green Wave. Although New Trier had many players ill for the Evanston clash, the Wildkits faced both Waukegan and New Trier without the services of Galloway and James, their top backs.

The Trojans journey to Maywood to take on the dethroned co-champions Proviso. Currently Niles is tied with the Pirates for the fifth slot in the league with a two and three record. The winner no doubt will take the fifth position as Proviso has little chance of beating New Trier. I think the Trojans will rise to the occasion and drop the Pirates.

Evanston should have very little difficulty in beating the winless Mortonians. The strength of the Suburban League as compared to the Chicago Public League is evident, or Morton currently tied for last in the Suburban League fought a very close battle with Austin in their opening game before falling to the Tigers by one touchdown. Austin is rated as the Public League's top team who up until last Saturday was undefeated and untied.

In th remaining game the on-again off-again Huskies of Oak Park should easily whip the weak Highland Park little Giants.

With their victory, Oak Park will clinch fourth — an improvement over last year.

This has been one of Niles' most successful seasons as they have already matched their previous high for wins in the Suburban League by whipping Highland Park and Morton. The mark was set in 1955 with triumphs over Morton and Proviso. A victory Saturday or a week from Saturday could make this the Trojans' most successful season in the Suburban League.

The varsity's success can be attributed to many things. First the great coaching—Mike Basrak has done a swell job rounding the boys into shape physically and mentally. Nick Odlivak has got the line men tackling and blocking viciously. The ends under the supervision of Harry Sortal have been snaring those passes on offense on rushing the passer hard on defense. Bob Frala has Niles backs rushing, blocking and throwing terrifically.

ED JASTER, Niles fullback, should be a cinch for all league honors as he is averaging over 5 yards per carry. Jack Berg on offense and Ron Stone are leading candidates for honors at end. Niles' fine guards Ron Chez and Don Samuelson should also garner many votes when the playing of all-league players is done.

Proviso Wins; Niles Fourth In SL Cross-Country Meet

NILES' VARSITY CROSS-COUNTRY team took fourth place in the SL meet at Thatcher Woods Friday, October 18th with Oak Park acting as host.

Niles Loses To Oak Park 22-0

THE OAK PARK HUSKIES did not cooperate with Niles homecoming as they handed the Trojans their third league defeat 22 to 0 October 12. Fumbling by Niles, passing of Fort, and the running by Garafola spoiled the homecoming fete.

Oak Park's first tally came in the opening period when after Niles had stopped a Huskie drive on their 10, Willard fumbled on the 17, Oak Park recovering. Ron Kadon went over on the next play. The conversion was blocked leaving the score 6 to 0.

In the second quarter, Niles began a drive on their own 24 yard line. In 11 plays, they moved to the Oak Park 19. Here the march ended as Mink was unable to hit the target with three passes. The half ended with the Huskies still leading 6 to 0.

In the third period a fumble by Savas gave the ball to Oak Park on Niles' 15. On the next play Garafola went up the middle for the second touchdown. Hutchison's kick made the score 12 to 0 in favor of Oak Park.

At the outset of the last quarter, Oak Park made a first down on the Trojan one yard line. After two thrusts by the fullback failed, the Huskie quarterback took over himself to make the score 19 to 0. The extra point made it 20.

Soon after, Oak Park intercepted a pass and once again drove deep into Niles territory. With the ball on the 10 yard line, Oak Park drove to the one before the Trojan defense stiffened. On the first down Mink was trapped in the end zone for a safety to give the Huskies a 22 to 0 lead. With only seconds to play, Niles moved to the one yard line but were unable to push across the score, so the game ended: Oak Park 22, Niles 0.

SCORING:

	1	2	3	4	F
Oak Park	6	0	7	9	— 22
NILES	0	0	0	0	— 0

TD — Kadon, Garafola, Fort
PAT — Hutchison (2).

Safety — Mink tackled in end zone.

Proviso, the defending league and state champions, won the meet with a score of 23. Their five runners all finished in the top seven with Don Budz winning for the Pirates in 9:53.7, a new course record. Their other finishers were Ken Peterson (4th); Bill Wise (5th); Janis Peterson (6th); Ron Wauer (7th).

Captain Jerry Keidel was Niles' top man, finishing 12th. Other Niles finishers were, McGinnis (16th); Nack (17th); Lund (24th); Stein (37th).

The Suburban League cross-country championship, however, is not determined by the outcome of the league meet, but by the dual meets among the SL teams.

Varsity point standings:
Proviso, 22; New Trier, 55; Evanston, 101; NILES, 106; Morton, 112; Oak Park, 137; Highland Park 146.

Jerry Keidel Sets New Harrier Mark

JERRY KEIDEL set a new Niles school cross-country record against Oak Park at Niles. The blond senior ran the course in 9:51 — three seconds under the old mark set last year by Don Peters. John McGinnis finished second for the Trojans. Despite the fact that Niles finished one-two, they still lost the meet to Oak Park 30-31.

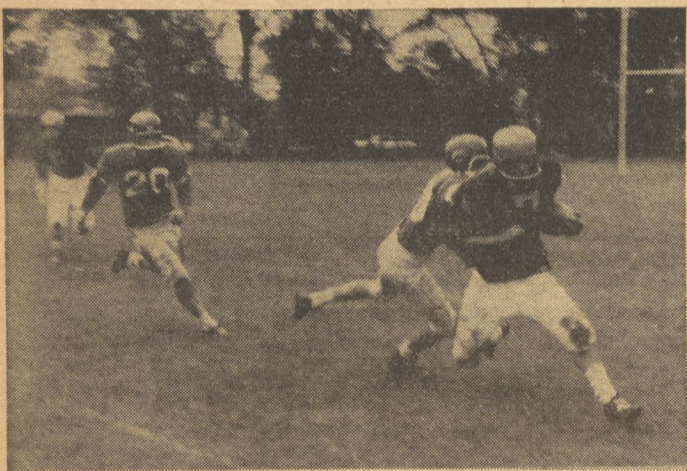
Niles was defeated in their four previous meets also. New Trier, Highland Park, Evanston, and Morton all beat the Trojans in dual meets. Against New Trier Niles was "shut-out," the Green Wave runners finishing first, second, third, fourth, and fifth.

John Harmon is once again the coach of the harriers. Jerry Keidel was elected captain of the team by his teammates last year.

LOOKING BACK

ONE YEAR AGO: Morton led by their all-nation quarterback Ron Miller routed Mike Basrak's varsity football team 33 to 7 to spoil Niles' homecoming. This was one of six defeats Niles suffered in Suburban League competition while gaining only a tie and one non-league triumph.

FOUR YEARS AGO: Niles' varsity cross-country team came up with their best effort of a winless campaign by tying Evanston 54 to 54.



BILL SAVAS is caught from behind by a New Trier tackler in the New Trier game which Niles lost 28-0.

What's In A Name?

Recently, three senior girls who were trying to promote a little more school spirit came out with some catchy sayings to be yelled at football games. Included were:

Fullback, halfback, end, guard
All of Niles plays real hard.

Bomb 'em with Baumann.

Opponents won't dicker
When tackled by Wicker.

Faster with Jaster.

They'll die with Brei.

Break their bones
With the Stone.

We'll win easy
With Henrici.

We'll win surely
With Haerle.

Beat 'em with Berg.

By George — We'll win with
Willard

Our winning link is Barry Mink.

The crowd sez —
We want Chez.

Leban's our man.

You'll never miss
With Ronnie Lis.

Our victory path
Is led by McGrath.

They'll yell "save-us"
When we send in Savas.

They'll hit the dirt
When they see Herkert.

They better not mess
With Les.

Or they'll get a bang
Out of Lange.

The game is a farce
Till they send in Lars.

And last but not least
Our team is real super
When managed by Cooper.