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WINNERS OF the Senior Service and Danforth awards congratulate each other on their honor. Debbie Jackman, left, and Steve Craig are the Service winners and Ellen Beigler and Sam Schulman the Danforth recipients.

10 Teachers Chosen So Far To Replace 21

Ten new faculty members have been secured to replace 21 leaving U-High this year.

Mr. Ronald Westrate, replacing Mrs. Anita Pisciotte as college counselor, will receive his M.S. from Purdue this year. He taught at Okemos, Mich., in 1966.

Also joining the counseling department will be Miss Karen Robb, who has taught at Robbinsdale (Minn.) high, and Miss Judith Farhling, who taught at Ford junior high, Baria, O.

MISS JOANNE Grau, new P.E. instructor, taught at Sumner (Ia.) high school.

Mr. Henry Keil, replacing Mr. John Baumhardt as drama instructor, taught at Barrington (Ill.) high school. He took over direction of U-High's senior play, "The Lark," when Mr. Baumhardt was called away from school because of his father's death.

Mrs. Mary Johns, new Russian teacher, has taught at New Trier East high in Winnetka.

MISS SUZANNA Ehrman, also coming here to teach Russian, has been studying at Antioch college.

Miss Judith Olson, new German teacher, was a practice teacher here this year.

Mr. John Klaus, who will teach music, is director of the University of Chicago Concert Band and president of the college orchestra.

MR. JOHN Weingartner, who will replace Mr. Stephen Hazlett as administrative assistant to Director Francis V. Lloyd Jr., studied at Princeton university.

Departing faculty members and their plans follow:

Mrs. Pisciotte, University of Illinois at Urbana; Mr. George Richardson, math, Stanford university; Mrs. Monica Omari, science, study at University of Chicago; Miss Margaret Mates, physical education, travel.

Miss Karen Elson, social studies, marriage; Mrs. Vaunita Schnell, senior counselor, homemaking; Mr. David Bathrick, German, 1 year of study at the Free University of Berlin on a scholarship.

Mr. Paul Kadota, sophomore counselor, Crane junior college; Miss Andrea Pontecorvo, social studies, marriage; Mrs. Sylvia Auton, geometry, graduate courses in math at U. of C.

Mr. Baumhardt, New Trier West; Mrs. Ellen Schwartz, social studies, Bethesda,

Historian Boorstin To Address Graduation Of 156 Seniors

Daniel J. Boorstin, professor of history at the University of Chicago, will speak at the graduation of (at present) 156 seniors, 2 p.m. Friday, June 16, at Rockefeller chapel, 59th street and Woodlawn avenue.

Principal Philip Montag will deliver remarks. Director Francis V. Lloyd Jr. will hand out diplomas.

The reception for the parents will take place after the ceremonies (about 4 p.m.) in Scammons garden. In case of rain, it will be moved into the cafeteria.

An evening dinner will be given for seniors and their parents 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Quadrangle club. Reservations are required.

Dr. Boorstin has been at the U. of C. since 1944. He is at work on the third and final volume of a widely-acclaimed American history

series, "The Americans."

He also has written books of social criticism and political theory.

Organist Kenneth Rehage will play and the a capella choir will sing "Now Set Every Tongue Adore Thee" by J. S. Bach and "Hallelujah, Amen" by Handel during the ceremonies.

The audience will be invited to join in the alma mater.

In gowns — white for girls, maroon for boys — the graduates will walk in pairs in the processional and recessional to "Pomp and Circumstance."

Senior Class President Lance Hunter will present the class gift.

Graduation rehearsals are scheduled for 12:30-3:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 14. Mr. Montag requested "all senior girls wear heels." Sec-

ond rehearsal is scheduled for 8:30-11 a.m., Thursday, June 15.

Each senior will be given four to six tickets for the commencement, and extra tickets will be distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis. No one will be admitted without a ticket.

At the ceremony, June 16, girls are asked to wear light-colored dresses and no flowers. Boys are asked to wear dark suits.

Ushers will be juniors selected for excellence in curricular and co-curricular work as follows: Delia Pitts, Margie Horwich, Carl Becker, Charles Tang, Suzy McCleary, Jennie Zesmer, Jim Rosenheim, Larry Carroll, Gail Stern, David Levi, Dan Meltzer, Sue Suchocki, Larry Samelson, Audrey Kavka and Beth Fallers.

On The Midway

SIDESHOW

Overheard in Sunny gym—Teacher: We're going to split into teams. Half of you go to that side; the other two-thirds go to that corner.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Today, June 7 — Officers' dinner, 6:15 p.m. at Hyde Park YMCA. Friday, June 9 — Yearbooks out after school in the cafeteria.

Friday-Saturday, June 9-10 — "Glass Menagerie" Belfield 342, Friday at 4 p.m., Saturday at 8 p.m.

Sunday, June 11 — Popular music concert, choir and vocal ensemble, 3:30 p.m., Judd 126 (subject to change).

Monday, June 12 — Finals begin. Wednesday, June 14 — Graduation rehearsal at Rockefeller chapel, 1-3:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 15 — Graduation rehearsal, 9-10:30 a.m. at Rockefeller chapel.

Friday, June 16 — School ends with commencement, 2 p.m. at Rockefeller chapel. Reception for graduates, their parents and friends afterward in Scammons garden (in case of rain, in the cafeteria). Dinner for graduates and parents by reservation, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Quadrangle club.

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COMING ATTRACTIONS

This issue of the Midway is the last of the school year. The new staff will publish its Midwayette the first day of school in September.

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THE OVERWHELMING GRANDEUR of Rockefeller chapel will come alive with rustling maroon and white gowns and the sounds of pleased family and friends when U-High graduates more than 150 seniors June 16. Alone in the solitude of the waiting chapel, this senior tries to imagine what the close of his high school career will be like.

Departing Seniors Glad, Sad

By Dan Pollock

Most seniors have mixed emotions about graduation: they are looking forward to a change but are sorry to leave their friends behind.

Michael Fogel summed up the views of many seniors when he stated "Thank God!", but added, "I have gotten attached to some

people."

Mark Reed agreed, "I don't mind leaving the institution, but I do mind leaving my friends."

BARTLETT HO added that he was looking forward to college for a chance to round himself off and further his education.

Beth Page expressed the apprehension of departing seniors when she said, "I haven't been to college, so I don't know what it's like. Two places can't be exactly the same."

Thor Anderson considers high school a "conglomeration of kids who have to go," but expects college to be more discriminating and thus foresees the students having "more to offer" each other.

SENIOR Leonard Bogorad anticipates lack of contact with teachers

in college to be a major difference from U-High. He stated that "they (the teachers) probably won't know me or my name."

Both Mike and Bartlett expressed some concern over the work load in college. They expect it to be "a lot tougher" than high school requirements. Bartlett looks forward, however, to greater academic freedom.

SEVERAL SENIORS are planning to stay on at U-High for a fifth year of work. This extra work makes up for the year lost in the combined 7th- and 8th-grade prefreshman year and enables them to take courses at the University of Chicago as well as U-High.

David Mond, a senior planning to stay on for the additional year, will be taking two-thirds of his

courses at the University and, therefore, feels he will not tire of U-High.

John Stout, also planning a fifth year, believes the program will enable him to take more courses and spend more time on them and thus better his chances next year of getting into the college of his choice.

JOHN SAID he decided against going to a prep school because "it would be like going to college for one year, but all the things that you build up would end so soon."

Chuck Gelman also will take the fifth year, though he feels four years at U-High is enough and will go to a prep school. "If anything, however, the extra year will not hurt me," he reflects, "and it may help me get into a better college."

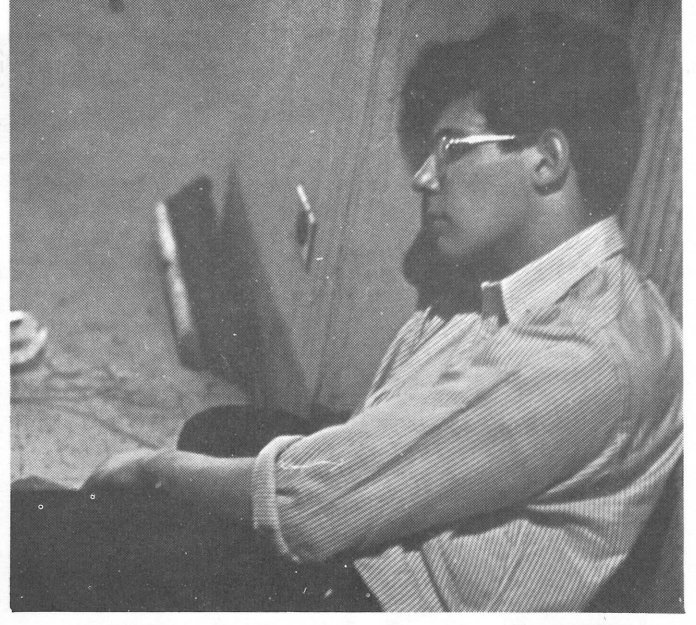
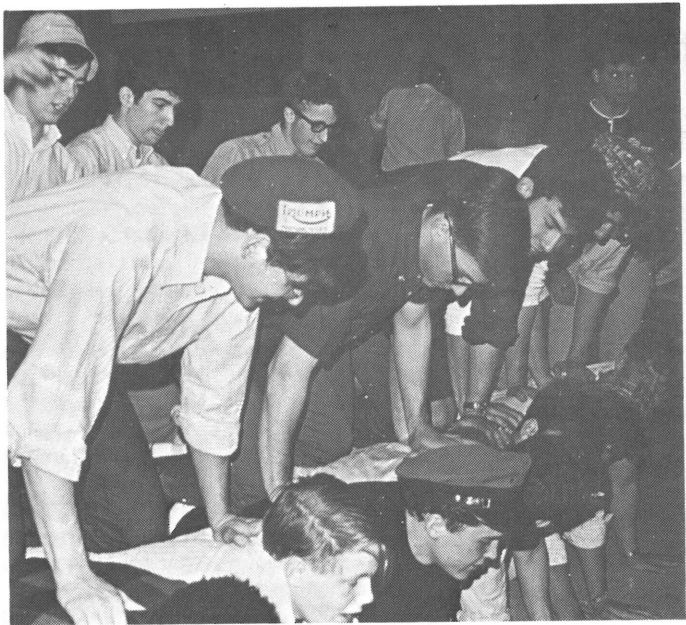


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Shocked Pair Gets First Service Award

"I was utterly shocked," exclaimed Debbie Jackman after receiving U-High's 1967 Senior Service award at the honors assembly May 17.

She had reason to be surprised, for the award had been created only days before the assembly and keep secret. A faculty committee approved it to recognize outstanding service by a senior boy and girl without special previous recognition.

STEVE CRAIG, male recipient this year, likewise was astounded by the honor, announced by Mr. Herbert Pearson, Student Council adviser.

Also expressing surprise, Seniors Ellen Beigler and Sam Schulman accepted the 1967 Danforth awards for outstanding mental, social, physical and leadership qualities.

Principal Philip Montag made the announcements.

The Danforth winners will receive the book, "I Dare You." Award for the Service winners has not been decided on.

ACTIVITIES of the four honored students are as follows:

ELLEN — Student Council representative, Interscholastic League chairman and secretary-treasurer, Arts Week chairman, Junior Prom publicity chairman, Audio-Visual center, graphics artist assistant, Senior Play sound director, U-Highlights layout editor, Midway artist, 1967 Bazaar poster and tickets designer, freshman magazine poetry editor, TAC in social studies office.

SAM — Drama club, Student Council representative, Bazaar committee and booths, sophomore class and senior class treasurer, College Conference committee

chairman, Senior Play role, assemblies usher, Student Board monitor.

DEBBIE — Foster Child committee co-chairman, Senior Prom bids and signups chairman, TAC in Dean of Students office and library, Spring Social decorations chairman, girls volleyball team, girls field hockey team, Student Union representative, class intramurals, Bazaar, Senior Play costumes committee, German club, Drama club, Arts Week fashion coordinator, Orientation.

STEVE — Snack Bar manager, German club, TAC in Dean of Students office, entrance exam proctor, Student Union executive board and refreshments chairman for all student and parents functions including Bazaar, Orientation, class parties, pre-freshmen graduation, Open House and senior party.

MR. MONTAG also announced that Eugene Chiu would receive the 4-year, full-tuition Crerar scholarship to the University of Chicago, given annually to a U-High senior who has distinguished himself academically and co-curricularly.

Jewel Tea Company scholarships were announced for Eric Williams and Fred Wilson.

Awards for outstanding service to student publications were presented to six seniors by Publications Adviser Wayne Brasler, as follows:

ENGRAVED gold medals from Columbia (university, N.Y.) Scholastic Press association, for yearbook, to Paul Stamler and, for newspaper, to Debbie Gross.

Star pins from National Scholastic Press association, for newspaper, to Nancy Selk, Judy Kahn and Ted Bornstein, and, for yearbook, to Ellen Jarow.

Other journalism awards presented at the assembly have previously been announced in the Midway or included in a story on page 12 this issue.

ADDITIONAL awards presented and not previously announced in the Midway follow:

Reishauer award for outstanding achievement in science and math, Ray Finkel; and Fifth-Grade Assistants, Linda Baskind and Cindy Beriman.

TAC students were honored at a banquet instead of the assembly this year (separate story this page).

Class Officers

Look To Autumn

September weighs heavy on the mind of newly-elected class officers, planning for the new school year. When the Midway went to press late Friday, most of the offices remained in contention for lack of a majority vote. The slate was as follows:

JUNIORS — President, David Levi; vice president, John Block or Mary Scranton; treasurer, Bruce Baker or Eric Lewis; secretary, Bobbie Green.

SOPHOMORES — President, Leslie Jones; vice president, Lorna Sultan or Mark Zisko; secretary, Rachell Cropsey or Laurie Epstein; treasurer, Ray Anderson or Debbie Gordon.

FRESHMEN — President, Jim Epstein or Karen Goetz; vice president, Steve Pitts or Doug Swanson; secretary, Betsy Bergman or Val Leopold; treasurer, Susan Colby or Bob Jaffe.

ROVING CAMERA AT SENIOR PRANK—The day: Monday, May 8. The time: 7 a.m. Enthusiastic senior boys are building a pyramid (left photo) symbolic of the lighthearted spirit of this year's senior prank, for which the class locked itself in the cafeteria. Boys, from left, top row: Mark Kostecki, Scott Lewis, Jeff Stern; middle row, Barry Levine, Gus Lauer, Alan Manewitz, Bob Bergman; bottom row: Mike Fogel (head cut off), Rick Thompson, Neils Melo, David Bloom, Norman Epstein, Don Reitzes and Dan Rosenberg.

SENIOR GIRLS (center) newspaper the doors so underclassmen can't peek in, then await late arrivals. From left, Judy Kahn, Emily Kuo, Margaret McCaul, Beth Page and Becky Hatch.

FIVE O'CLOCK arrival (right) to claim the cafeteria took the toll of many seniors such as Barry Levine, who slept despite the considerable noise around him. At 11 a.m. as lunch periods began, the seniors left school for the Point and parties and an unofficial Skip Day. The school cancelled the scheduled Skip Day that Friday.

Dinner To Honor Officers, Advisors of Council, Union

Officers and advisers of Student Union, Student Board and Student Council will be honored this evening at a dinner 6:15 at the Hyde Park YMCA, 53rd street and Blackstone avenue.

Principal Philip Montag and Dean of Students John Thompson will be guests. In past years, retiring and incoming presidents of school clubs and their advisers also have been invited. Who will be invited this year still was being formulated last week.

About 40 members of the Teacher Assistants Corps (TAC) and 12 teachers who worked with them were honored last Wednesday at a buffet dinner at the Y. The TAC students follow:

Ron Weiss, Leslie Smith, Ugis Sprudzs, Karen Kleppa, Scott Gurvey, Kathy Garland, John Deering, Jethroe Smith, Claudia Highbaugh, Paula Fan, Julie Scranton, Marcia Archer, Fred Belmont, Joel Garber, Debbie Jackman, Sue Powell, Nancy Lawrence, Hazel Singer, Lynda Herman, Sue Suchocki, Danica Hurley, Beth Fallers, John Lowe, Janet Spargo.

Summer Study Claims Juniors

U-Highers with interests ranging from music to computers to archaeology are planning to attend a variety of institutes for study this summer.

Students and the programs in which they will participate follow (list subject to change):

Carl Becker, debate at National High School Institute, Northwestern university; Mike Dawson, Stage Band Camp, Indiana university; Sue Epstein, "Adventures in Physics," Cornell university.

Kathy Garland, drama program, University of Calgary; Bobbie Green, Journalism, Northwestern university; Sue Hecht, Colby School of Languages; Steffen Kurz, archaeological "dig" in Arizona under the direction of Dr. Paul Martin of the Chicago Natural History Museum.

Glenn McDavid, math and computers, Illinois Institute of Technology; Barry Spengel, Field Ecology studies, University of Montana; Steve Turner, sociology and psychology, University of Florida; and Jennie Zesmer, junior law institute, Syracuse (N. Y.) university.

Betsy Shapiro, Debbie McNeill, Helen Anastaplo, Beth Page, Jan Carson, Judith Conserve, Jill Deutelbaum, Laurey Hirsch, Barry Finkel, Kathy Sloan, Raphael Finkel, Richard Tresley, Peter Haroutunian, Milla Strasburg.

Alumni Show College Talent

Two former U-Highers have gone on from clubs and activities here to develop their talents in drama and sports at the college level.

Joe Belmont, '66, one of U-High's top varsity baseball catchers, has been named catcher of the frosh-soph team at the University of Illinois.

FROM Drama Workshop experience, Margy Cohen, '65, has moved to the lead role, Marion, in "The Music Man," playing through June 25 at the In-The-Round dinner theater, 6062 South Archer avenue.

Attending the University of Wisconsin, Margy commutes between Madison and Chicago.

In other alumni news, commencement day was May 26 for Marion Meyer, '63, at Grinnell (Ia.) college. An English major she was named to the Dean's List for outstanding academic achievement before receiving her B.A.

PLANNING A career in social work with children, Mari Teitelman, '63, has received a full scholarship to the Graduate School of Social Service at the University of Chicago. She is being graduated from the University of Michigan this month with a bachelor of arts.

A Woodrow Wilson fellowship has been awarded David M. Stameshkin, '63. A history major and one of 17 students at the University of Chicago to receive the award, he will receive tuition for a year of graduate training for teaching and a 2,000 stipend.

David Williams, '64, is a member of the George Williams college tennis team.

All Depts. But One To Offer New Courses

All departments except social studies will be offering new courses as part of the 1967-68 school curriculum.

The English department will introduce the most new courses, though many of these have been offered in previous years. They are as follows:

Rhetoric; Modern Short Stories and Poetry; Close Study of Significant Novels 1 and 2; Selected Plays; Shakespeare; Satire; Individual Reading Course; Creative Writing; Survey of 18th and 19th Century English Literature; Expository Writing; and Herman Melville: The Product of American Agony.

ONLY NEW course the Science department will offer is 'Matter, Energy, Radiation and Man.'

New in the foreign language area will be French 4-D, a course designed to improve speaking skills.

Math department will offer Math HIJK, a preparatory course for calculus; and Math UVW, an overview of the methods, history and applications of mathematics. Also, a third quarter of math will be offered to freshmen and sophomores who took only two quarters this year.

NEW IN THE Music department will be four courses: Ancient and Medieval Music; Renaissance, Baroque and Classical Music; Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Music; and Twentieth Century Improvisation.

New art courses will include Design Workshop; Painting and Drawing Three-Dimensional Forms; Documentary Photography; Design and Construction of Photographic Equipment; and Photography As An Art Form.

The two new crafts courses will be Drawing and Printmaking, and Jewelry.

Plans for the drama department still are being formulated.

Class Gives Show To Model Outfits

Modeling spring outfits which they made, students in clothing classes of Mrs. Dorothy Szymkowicz staged a fashion show May 23 in the drama room.

Outfits include pantsuits, jumpsuits, tent dresses, "after-five" outfits, suits and "town" dresses.

Debbie Jackman was coordinator.

Odds 'n Ends

• New varsity cheerleaders elected May 4 are Bonnie Bowell, Harriet Epstein, Ronna Goldman, Laurey Hirsch, Sherry Medwin, Gloria Rogers, Margaret Webster.

• Freshman Daniel Starr also traveled to the New York Peace March reported in the May 10 issue, the Midway staff has been informed.

• Three art reproductions have been purchased by the library from a gift to the school by the University of Illinois Mothers Association in recognition of "superior academic achievement in the first semester at the University" by David Schimel, '66.

• Forest View cancelled its exchange with the U-High because an open day wasn't available in its calendar.

• Faculty continues to consider a revised set of rules for U-High, but no final decisions are expected until the fall.

Officers Now Must Fulfill Platforms

Fulfilling their campaign planks is the next step for victors in U-High's Student Council and Student Union elections. All the winning candidates pledge they will follow up the promises they made at the elections assembly or informally during their campaigns.

Next year's Student Council President, James Steinbach, intends an "open" Council to whose meetings anyone will be welcome to bring ideas.

SOME OF James' other ideas include allowing prefreshmen to vote in all High school elections; voting in homeroom rather than at ballot boxes around school; retention of Arts week and interschool exchanges; after-school forums; and re-securing of Ida Noyes hall as a recreation spot for U-Highers.

Lynda Herman, winner of the Council Vice Presidency, hopes to apply the lessons she learned from her work on this year's Council, especially in regard to the Clayton exchange.

Lynda sees her major job as assisting the president in coordinating, planning and unifying the Council.

HUGH PATINKIN, Council Secretary, hopes the new Council will revise the dress code so shirttails can be worn out; secure driving privileges for any student with parental permission; and eliminate parliamentary procedure from meetings as much as possible.

Linda, however, says she believes such procedure will be found to be necessary.

Newly-elected Treasurer Brian Jack intends to keep Council funds in order and working to their fullest use. He sees communication with the student body as the new Council's biggest challenge.

"NEW IDEAS" will be the hallmark of next year's Student Union,

believes President-Elect Beth Fallers. Social events other than parties, such as a College Bowl; new ideas for parties, such as a Battle of the Bands; and a "better Bazaar" are among her ideas.

New Vice President Bonnie Boswell says the Union's big challenge is to satisfy the wishes of the Student body. Bonnie will be in charge of the Toy Drive next year.

Other new Union officers follow: Secretary, Carolyn Kent; treasurer, Margot Webster; publicity coordinator, Elana Winsberg; social coordinator, Alvita Spaulding; and sports coordinator, Gloria Rogers.

Senior Play Inspires Audience

Portrayals Highlight 'Lark'

By Delia Pitts

Outstanding individual performances marked a well-received but overly-long (3 hour) senior class production of Lillian Hellmann's translation of Jean Anouilh's "The Lark," May 19-20 in the Law School auditorium.

The story, set at the trial of Joan of Arc, was told through a series of flashbacks depicting St. Joan's visions, triumphs and, ultimately, her death at the stake.

The play ended with Joan's "happiest day," the coronation (after her death) of Charles, the Dauphin, as King of France.

AS JOAN, Amy Wright was splendid. Her expressive hands and eyes captured the joy, despair and piety of a simple girl caught up in a religious revelation which drove her to lead the armies of France against Great Britain.

An appreciative Saturday night audience gave Amy a standing ovation. She never lost character in a part which required her to be on stage almost constantly.

Sam Schulman, as the old priest Cauchon, gave a surprisingly strong performance for a newcomer to school drama.

HAMPERED BY ludicrous makeup which set Friday night's audience laughing, Sam was believable

as a man caught between his concern for Joan's soul and his own interests.

Barry Levine's portrayal of the blustering Robert de Baudricourt provided the play with needed comic relief and brought appreciative laughs from the audience. Barry's knowhow as a professional actor was obvious as he expertly sketched his character.

Warwick, the haughty Englishman, was masterfully interpreted by Lee Turkevich.

Tom Kohut's naturally boyish grin served him well as the weak Dauphin.

SCOTT LEWIS as the fiery promoter and David Boorstin as the more controlled Inquisitor portrayed two sides of evil.

Other members of the cast handled their parts equally well.

Lighting, especially during Joan's visions and her burning, and music provided through clever use of recordings, were effective and enhanced the action on the stage.

The intricate costumes evidenced hard work, craftsmanship and attention to detail by the costume committee.

THE STAGE CREW was applauded by Friday's audience after a



APPROVING preview copies of the cover for this year's U-Highlights, to be distributed Friday, Editor-in-Chief Ellen Jarrow, seated, shares with members of her staff the pleasure of seeing the attractive results of their hard work. Associate editors, from left, are Ellen Beigler, layout; Franny Fantl, index; and Miriam Cohen, activities.

'67 Yearbook Out Friday

"The 1967 U-Highlights will be distributed Friday after school in the cafeteria," announces Editor Ellen Jarrow. If any delay in delivery occurs, she adds, students will be informed ahead of time.

Students are asked to line up by classes as indicated by signs which will be posted before tables in the cafeteria.

This year's book — the theme still is secret — doesn't have much resemblance to its predecessors, according to Ellen. "First of all, it's bigger in page size," she explains. "We've added color photography, included more action shots throughout the book, introduced Life and Look magazine layout for more attractive pages and easier reading, strived for better-written and more-lively-to-read copy, done some picture stories and provided a complete index."

Since March-to-March sports coverage begins in the '68 book, spring teams won't appear in the volume being distributed Friday.

Each student is entitled to one copy of the yearbook, Ellen says. Teachers and other staff members can claim remaining copies while they last during finals week.

high school production unusual in its successful presentation of serious and inspiring subject matter in a manner which captured audience respect, despite occasional giggles and snickers which are always a danger with this kind of play.

Just A Bit Late

A lady telephoned the publications office last week to ask if she could have a yearbook for her son, who was absent the day they were handed out. Yearbook Editor Ellen Jarrow said she'd see what she could do, but that the lady shouldn't expect too much. As it turned out, Ellen was able to send the woman a copy of her son's picture in the book. A copy of the volume itself wasn't available, however. "She was talking about the 1927 edition," Ellen explains.

Inner Tension Drove Author To Choose Writing Career

Need to express inner excitement led Saul Bellow to be a writer and motivates him in writing today, the award-winning author told seniors in response to questions at a homeroom assembly, May 18.

Mr. Bellow, a professor of English at the university, is the author of such bestsellers as "Herzog" and "The Adventures of Augie March" and has written several successful short stories and plays.

STUDENTS' questions covered such areas as censorship, the literary scene today, effect of society and literature on each other and the writing profession.

Mr. Bellow's remarks included the following:

Censorship is bad, but books that incite murder or violence should be carefully watched.

Current complaints that no good books are being written mostly are unfounded because it takes dozens of years to recognize a great book, and the feeling that "our time is worst" is always present.

A standard, uniform way of life produces fewer authors than a troubling or different one.

Often young authors feel they have something to say to everyone, but the outlines of morality become harder and harder to see.

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Troubled World Challenges Class of '67

The world which the Class of '67 faces is one of unprecedented problems. Although the nation outwardly is prosperous, it inwardly is troubled as never before.

Though many previous graduating classes have moved from the protective walls of the high school into a world involved in conflict, none before has had to weigh the merits of that conflict. There was no question in the minds of the graduates of the early 40s, for example, as they prepared to go battle in World War II. And there was little question in the minds of those who later faced a trip to Korea, though there was debate over that conflict.

Americans today, however, are violently divided over the merits of a war. Vocal groups oppose the conflict in Vietnam and are fearful of its growth into an internationalized battle. Equally-vocal factions push for escalation of the fight.

The graduates of '67, because of this unprecedented division of popular opinion beyond academic debate, cannot claim the luxury of facing military service with unquestioning duty. Their minds are too full of questions. Too many of them oppose the war and the draft which may require them to fight in it.

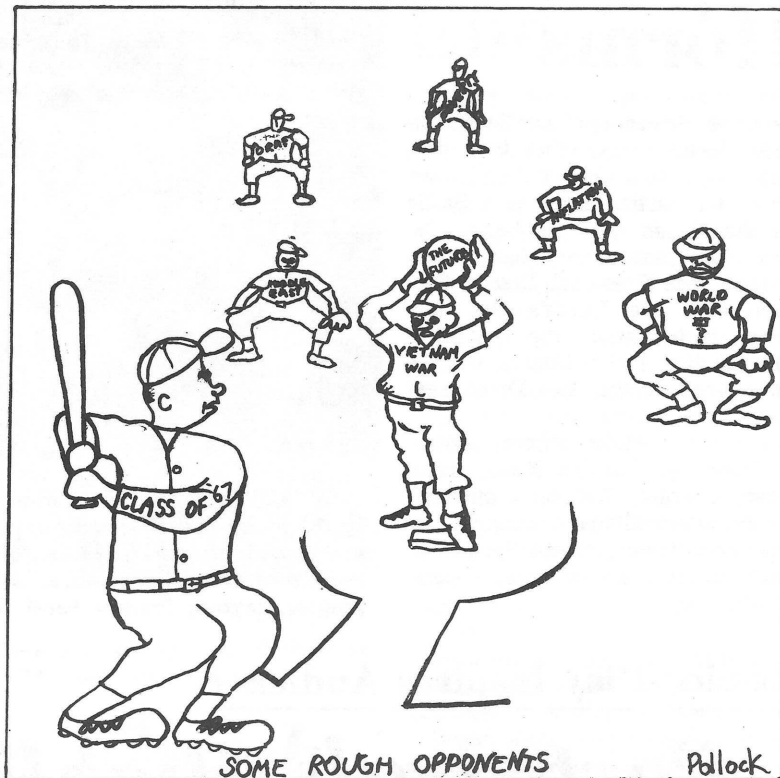
And too many of them are aware of a growing war fever as dissenters are attacked as traitors. The graduate of '67 must weigh this brand of patriotism against his own feelings of what is right for his country and humanity.

But a country split over war is just one problem faced by the Class of '67. Civil rights appears a more inflammatory issue than ever, with the rights movement split between leaders who favor a nationalistic "black power" approach and those who preach nonviolence. The poverty program, another problem, faces a cutback.

The crime rate is spiraling, LSD has been born and a new moral code — especially among young people — is in the making. Air pollution, birth control and a cold, computerized society have become major concerns.

It is this kind of complex society, with no easy answers, which the Class of '67 will inherit. Whether it is ready for that responsibility is the question. As were their predecessors, today's graduates — despite their reputation for rebellion — largely are complacent, materialistic and willing to accept the status quo. Active participation in the change of society is pursued by a small but vocal group of young people who as adults can be expected to assume leadership.

U-Highers, whose communities and school have encouraged such activism, hopefully will be among these leaders intent on solving the nation's problems, even if they have not always grasped their opportunities as students. The world which faces the Class of '67 is complex, unsteady, frightened and frightening. If today's bright young graduates hope to conquer it, they must meet it head on.



Jottings

By Nancy Selk

There is an old saying: Always Leave Them Laughing. But when I decided to write my last column on the one weakness I would want corrected at U-High, I came up with an idea that might make students cry, but not with joy.



Nancy Selk

I think that my suggestion is valid, based on four years of observation as a student.

I THINK we could be learning more here. It's not that the teaching at U-High is lacking but that the material to be covered is insufficient in many classes. In talking with Clayton exchange students, for example, I found their fresh-

man reading list was broader than ours for four years.

It's not busy-work or restriction of freedom that is needed here. But I do think that more material can be covered in a semester than attempted in most classes now.

A U-High student does not feel that he will miss any important work if he attends a class only two or three days a week. Like soap opera, you can come in a few days later to a class here and pick up the story line because nothing much has happened.

MANY STUDENTS feel they are wasting a day or two or more each week, and that adds up to a great deal of time.

This situation leads to boredom and eventually discontent. After four years here a good student is aware of the lack of material he has covered and the ideas he has not been exposed to. He feels cheated.

No class should be dull at U-High,

Suggestion: Cover More In Classes

but many are, due to lack of material to fill a 45-minute period four times a week.

A STUDENT graduated from U-High should be more than adequately prepared for college. He should be able to compare reading lists with any student, even those from prep schools. Some of us who have compared requirements have received quite a shock.

Every graduate should be secure that he has been exposed to enough knowledge to meet with the best minds and put in a good show. Four years is a long time. They should be as productive as possible.

U-HIGH MIDWAY

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the Council also celebrated its 50th anniversary with an assembly last year.

Clayton Students

Express Thanks

Dear Lab School Students,

Please accept this delayed note of gratitude for the warm welcome you gave us during our stay in Chicago. The week was very enjoyable and educational as well.

We hope that the exchange this year was as fruitful for you as it

was for us, and that it will be an experience we will all remember in the coming years.

Cliff Librach,
Barbara Silverman,
and the CHS students

(Editor's note: U-High's visitors were most impressed, according to an article in their school paper, by the "wide variety of courses, an academic atmosphere, and an individualistic student body." They were disappointed, however, to find U-High "very similar to Clayton." They observed that U-High social life "is like that of a junior high" and that "both boys and girls have longer hair."

Roving Reporter

Seniors Contemplate Regrets

By Judy Kahn

U-High's seniors agree that, if they could start their four years over again, they would make changes.

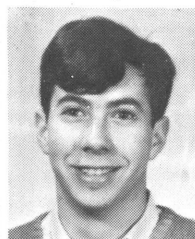


Miriam Cohen

Miriam Cohen says she would become more involved in more activities in her freshman and sophomore years.

"I'd also not slough off in my freshman year and I'd worry about college at the end of my junior year, not later," she adds.

Miriam also wishes she had gotten more involved in Student Council earlier and tried out for Drama Workshop.



John Colburn

John Colburn agrees that, if he had the opportunity to start again he would give more thought to what activities he would join. John explains that he wishes he had

stuck with track team and Student Union all four years instead of giving some time to Student Council.



Charlotte Miller

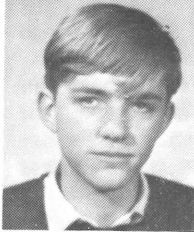
As for what he would do differently in the field of academics, he says, "I would have studied harder in math and worked harder in my junior year."

Charlotte Miller agrees that, "I would have caught

on earlier and taken more advantage of this school and what it has to offer. I'd exercise my brain power to get a lot with a little."

Some seniors, like Robert Storr, aren't sure what they would do differently if they could start over.

"It's very hard to analyze the last four years," he explains, "and it would take a lot of time to decide the necessary changes."



Robert Storr

10-second editorials

● Journalism at U-High was conceived two years ago as a prestige course offering for juniors and seniors, but the adviser has allowed anyone who wishes to join the Midway staff.

As long as students are allowed to serve the Midway on an extracurricular basis, they and their parents will continue to regard it as just another club open to anyone. It is intended to be a vehicle for serious academic study of contemporary communication.

There is little value in any U-Higher merely playing journalist. Any student who desires a meaningful journalism experience will take the trouble to enroll in journalism.

● The 1966-67 Midway staff wishes Publications Adviser Wayne Brasler luck in the future. We appreciate what he has taught us about journalism and all the extra hours of work he put into the Midway. We hope next year's staff members take advantage of what Mr. Brasler has taught them and have an adviser as dedicated.

Newcomer Approves 'Suburb In The City'

"A suburb within a city" is the way brochures term Marynook, the area on the south side of Chicago where I live. As far as the people of Marynook are concerned, however, "suburb" is only the place where the majority of its people moved when Negro families first began to move in 6 years ago.

Highrise Can Mean Solitude For Teenager

Living in a downtown highrise has many advantages. The disadvantages are perhaps not at first noticeable to the casual onlooker.

The beauty of the exterior seen from a passing car, and the magnificent view from the apartments themselves provide some of the advantages. The location in the center of Chicago's business district means less traveling time for businessmen.

THE VAST NUMBER of shopping places provides a daily pastime for the wealthy women of the area. When you're a teenage high school student, however, you're not yet ready to devote the majority of your time to daily shopping or going to your office in the center of a noisy, crowded city.

Sometimes you miss living in the house your family once owned. Corny as it may seem, you miss being able to hear the noises from outside, sitting in your own backyard, or being able to play a radio or television as loud as you want.

INSIDE THE beautiful exterior of a highrise can be a very lonely world. You're not really part of any neighborhood except for the one composed of the 20 other families who live on your floor. But somehow you don't know them, even though you've seen their faces on the elevator for four years.

It gets kind of rough when your friends live 10 miles to the north of you and you go to a school 10 miles to the south. You spend the week-days traveling south and the week-ends traveling north.

Downtown, you're kind of in the middle torn between two poles.

WHEN YOU LOOK out the window the city looks like it lies at your feet. But the separation from a real neighborhood can be lonely for a kid.

Fancy buildings in downtown areas are great for adults, but when you're young there's nothing like knowing a close friend lives down the block.

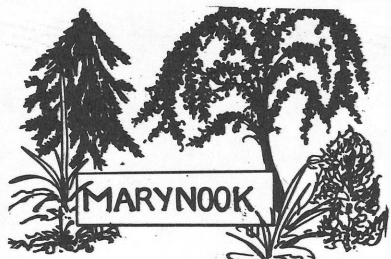
Well, Marynook's not at all like a suburb. What happened in Marynook has yet to occur in a Chicago suburb.

As the people who wanted to left, white families continued to move in, at an almost equal rate with Negroes (the racial makeup is now 50-50).

NEW WHITE homeowners were largely faculty members from the University of Illinois and University of Chicago. Negro homeowners came primarily from areas like the one I grew up in — middle or upper-middle class neighborhoods that were 85-100 per cent Negro.

I'll never forget the day we moved in almost 4 years ago. It was an awful hot day yet not really so bad. Our minds were preoccupied with questions like: How would we be treated? What were our new neighbors like?

That very day we were welcomed "aboard" by the president of the Marynook Homeowners' Association



Art by Grunwald

and some of our new neighbors came to meet us.

EVEN IN A neighborhood like Marynook, there was a name-calling incident during our first week. Hardly a major racial incident but a bad start.

Other people who lived in Marynook more than made up for one incident. Within a month Marynook was more than the area I had just moved into. It was the neighborhood I lived in.

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The Varied U-Higher

Four U-Highers from four neighborhoods portray their feelings in the essays on this literary page, the first of a series to be continued next year in the Midway. Though written by members of the journalism class, the thoughts expressed here might be echoed by any U-Higher, and so the authors' names have not been given.

Gung-Ho South Shore Not For Him

South Shore has made a lonely person of me. Even though I live there I feel isolated and cut off from the community. I have few friends and those I do have are more likely to come from Hyde Park than South Shore.

In South Shore, if you don't go out for athletics, you just don't make it . . . and I don't go out for athletics. I can't run more than 30 feet without feeling like I'm about to die.

ADD THIS to the fact that I'm what you'd call a "klutz" and you see why I don't go in for JFK Jocks.

However, in South Shore if you aren't interested in sports you're apt to be pretty lonely because the playing field affords almost the only opportunity (outside of school) for human contact.

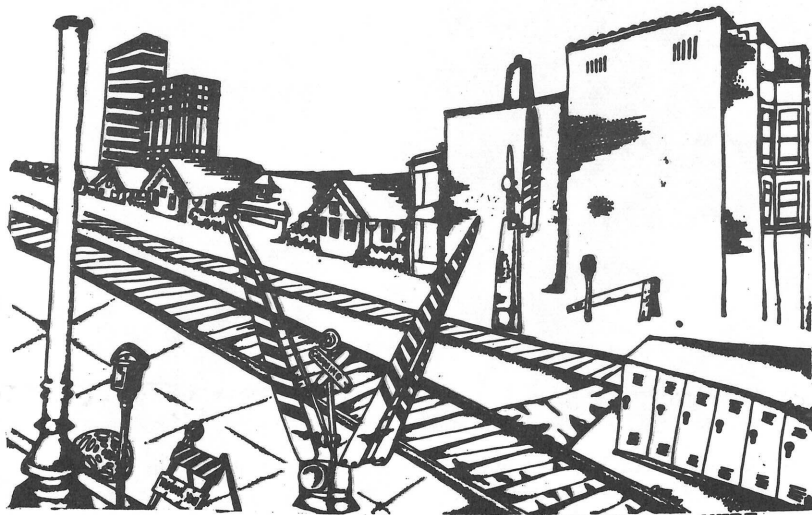
Instead I'm a more intellectual type. I used to spend most of my time reading, contemplating or toying with mechanical and scientific apparatus before coming to U-High and being swamped with work.

THIS SERVED to further isolate me from the people around me because South Shore is a most un-intellectual place.

There are no coffee shops where people can discuss the meaning of life (or the price of cheese) and few bookstores. Those there are specialize in bestsellers and wrapping paper.

There is no intellectual ferment in South Shore either. No SDS meetings, civil rights marches or peace demonstrators. It is a rather middle-of-the-road community.

These two facets have combined to turn me inward and make me a reflective, contemplative person.



Art by Tang

Offbeat Freedom Is Vogue In Bubble Called Hyde Park

Why, sure I'm from Hyde Park. With the exception of 14 years, I've lived here all my life. And I suppose I've acquired a certain amount of neighborhood disdain for the rest of the city outside of Hyde Park (all those little minds that elect our political leaders). I get the feeling occasionally that I live on a tiny island of enlightenment in a sea of muddled minds.

This . . . crazy neighborhood! It has ninety-seven nationalities at the moment and it's creating a dozen more every year!! And the fringe groups that constitute the bulk of the credit (or blame) for Hyde Park's reputation as an oddball's paradise are draped decoratively in, on, or around every coffee house in the area.

As I age, I wonder: "Am I beat? Am I cool? Or am I six-sided cube? Eh, do I care? I have the classy title of Lab School Student behind me, and the draft ahead of me, but in the meantime my manners and morals are being tempered by Hyde Park.

Though I don't personally use them, I see nothing shocking or

Art by Katzman

wrong in students or adults using pot if they want to. Other neighborhoods have taken a harmless stimulant and overexposed it, making it a popular commodity — and fashionable to use. The same situation with the Blackstone Rangers. Just another Negro gang until the papers made them a vast network of crime destined to destroy the city.

I USED TO belong to a group called the Streaking Eagles, but as I grew older, and saw how stupid a gang can get I dropped out. And it's a funny thing. I might have stayed in and become a punk if I knew we were getting national coverage.

The air of the community is permeated with permissiveness. A "you can if you want to" feeling. So, promiscuity and protesting supposedly abound and everyone goes around feeling uninhibited. And this feeling is good because the people don't concern themselves so much with popular opinion as whether or not they feel what they are doing is right.

ABOUT THE ONLY thing one can't get away with here is bigotry. Baby, ya gotta love your neighbor, or he'll beat you up 'crots the haid!!! There are so many united leagues in Hyde Park that they criss-cross each other. You can be in the Anti-Defamation League, the Citizens for an Integrated Chicago, the Anti-Pollution League, and the Advocates For Topless Waitresses Group. Heaven help the poor man who discriminates, for his soul will be burned at dawn!

So that's my Hyde Park in a nutshell. An offbeat sunburst of feverish activity and devout committee members who comprise a neighborhood that feels it chic to have an open mind.



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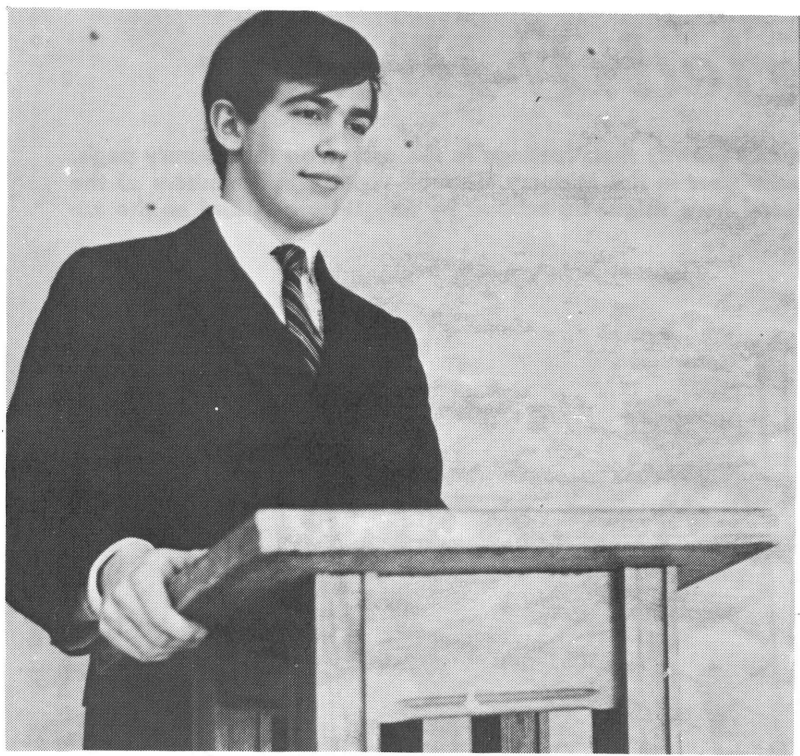
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Seniors Select Ten Most Popular

From Gamut Of Studies



MARK KOSTECKI (photo above) was not only one of the most active boys in his class but also one of the most versatile. For starters, he spoke four languages: Italian, French, Polish and English, an ability which might account for his high Latin contest scores.

Mark was president of the Latin club as a junior and active in French club. He was president of his class in his junior year and also elected one of its two most-popular boys (there was a tie). This year he was chairman of the Student Board.

An energetic sportsman, Mark served on the track team three years and played baseball in what spare time he had.

Planning to major in chemistry at Brown university, Mark hopes eventually to return to live in his native Italy, a colorful-enough setting for such a colorful person.

ENTERING U-HIGH this year as a newcomer from Massachusetts, enthusiastic Carol Mann (photo at right) exited as the school's 1967 Queen and the most-popular girl in the senior class. Between her entrance and exit, she did not seem to have a spare moment. Carol was past news editor of the Midway, served on the yearbook staff and Drama Workshop crew, was a member of French club and a Student Council representative.

IN SELECTING its five most-popular girls and five most-popular boys, traditionally featured in the graduation issue of the Midway, the Class of '67 demonstrated again that it can't be typed. The honored ten range from activity-minded personality girls to pleasantly studious young ladies, from exhaustless sportsmen to an admitted classical music lover.

Some of the chosen few have been at the Lab Schools since kindergarten, one just arrived at U-High in September. Four of the boys have been chosen most-popular as underclassmen but only one girl makes a repeat appearance from previous years.



Tennis, skiing, French, travel and art occupied her time outside school. Saturday afternoons found her tutoring children for STEP. Although Carol likes the excitement of Chicago, September will find her back in Massachusetts, attending Smith college, where she plans to major in American Studies.

As the American high schooler grows more sophisticated and less gung-ho about the puzzle of how and why a person succeeds, Money, social contact in the community, an overwhelming list of activities, proper grades and a gleaming smile may be necessary, but they don't guarantee it.

At U-High, in fact, these reasons can explain why certain people emerge as the most popular.



THOUGH SHE ONCE suspected she was known primarily as her older brother Don's little sister, Margo Reitzes finally is satisfied that, as a senior, she has gained an identity all her own. Margo has participated in both Student Union and Student Council. Secretary of the German club, she took part in a school trip to Germany and found it "quite rewarding." Skiing and horseback riding claim her out-of-school hours.

Margo plans to attend Earlham college and major in psychology. She hopes eventually to go into pre-school education.



"I'M JUST A normal girl," insisted Margaret McCaul, though her lofty positions in student government indicated her classmates rated her as someone special. Performing the duties of both senior class vice president and Student Union secretary kept Margaret hopping this year. In her spare moments she pursued skiing and drawing, her favorite pastimes. Margaret says she doesn't try to figure out what lies ahead and doesn't believe in making blueprints for the future. But she does know she will attend Whittier college, where she probably will continue her course of "normalcy."

WHEN A '65 Cobra drove by, soul music blaring from its radio, U-Highers could be fairly certain the driver was Norman Epstein (photo right). Proud of his extensive collection of soul records, Norman is a loyal (and loud) fan of radio station WVON. An outstanding athlete, he was twice captain of the soccer team during four years of participation.

Most Popular Boys, Girls

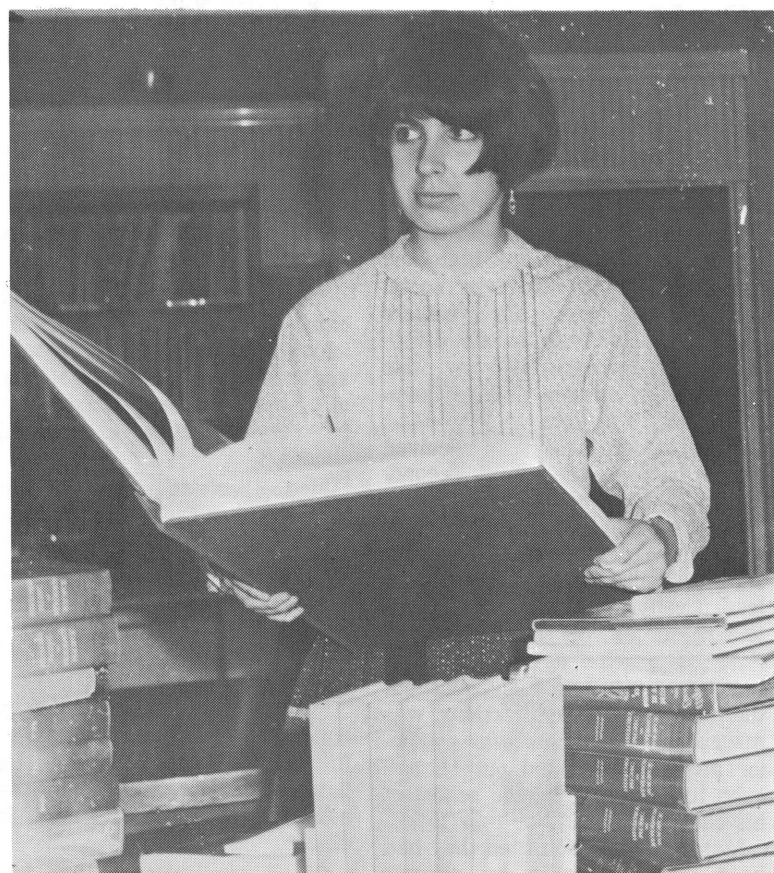
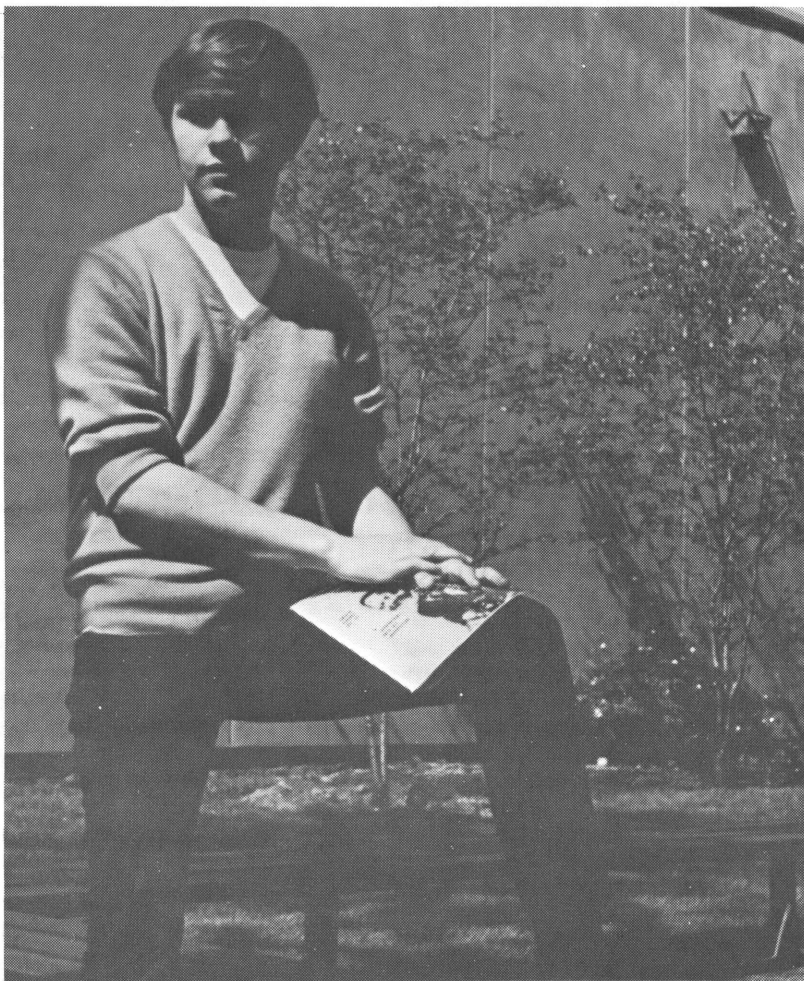
Student Personalities

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ge from the crowd as class favor-

ites. And has been pointed out in several Midway articles, the
most popular students themselves are least able to explain how
they got that way, or at least that's what they say.

While winners of scholastic honors and achievers of out-
standing classroom work have increasingly displaced the ranks
of Homecoming Queens in yearbooks, the Midway staff still is
content to open its pages to that delightfully enigmatic group —
the most popular boys and girls of the senior class. Here they are
in photos taken by staff photographers Debbie Olson, Edith
Schrammel and Jennie Zesmer.



"STUDYING HAS been my main concern at U-High," asserts Eliana
Hutalarovich (photo above). A high grade point average and early de-
cision acceptance at the University of Chicago attest to her scholastic
dedication. Class treasurer in her junior year and a member of the jun-
ior prom committee, Ellie has devoted out-of-school time to classical
piano, tennis and kite-flying. This year she was on the publicity commit-
tee for the senior prom. Combining top scholastic work with a variety of
extracurricular interests, Ellie is proof that a book lover need not be
a book worm.

THE OUTDOORS have always had a strong attraction for pretty,
blonde Sue Calero (photo far left). Weekends often find her horseriding
and as soon as the weather turns warm she grabs every opportunity to
pursue her favorite sport, surfing. In September Sue will head for Cali-
fornia and Whittier college, where she'll be able to fully enjoy her interest.

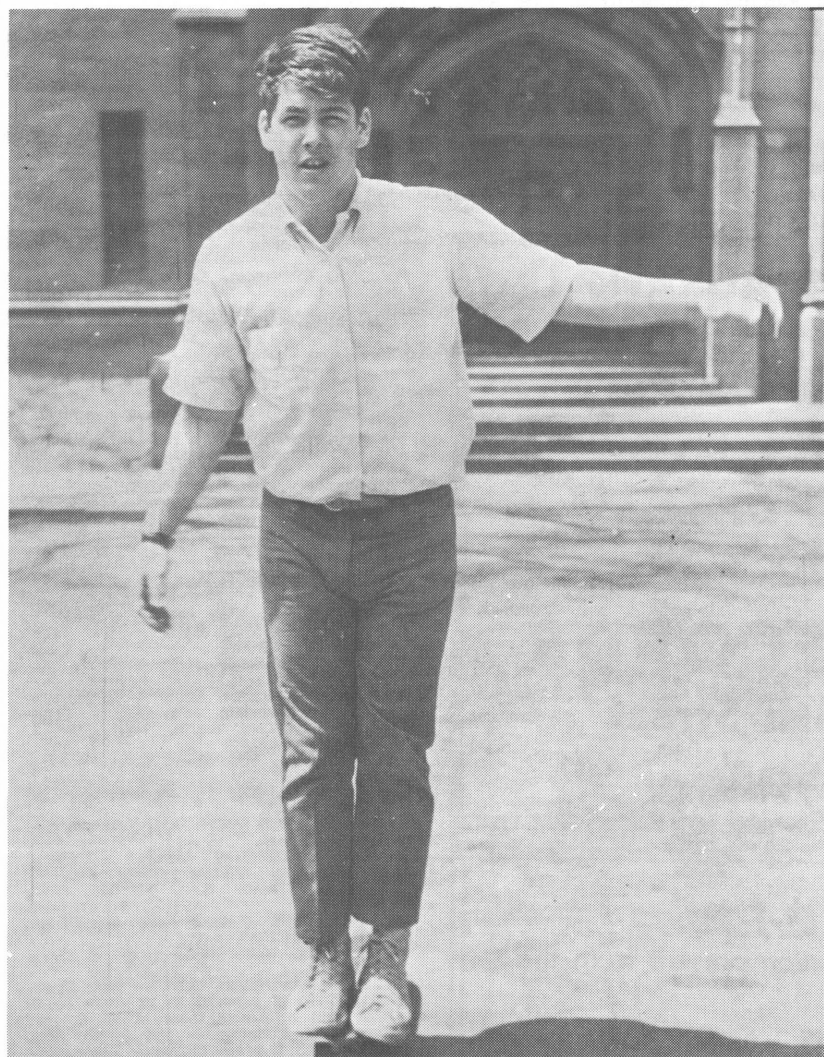
Active in Student Union and French club, Sue has devoted much of
her free time to a foster child in Portugal. Outgoing as well as outdoorsy,
she was elected one of the two most-popular girls in her class (there was
a tie) in her junior year.

A LOVER of classical music, Rick Fisher (photo left) wasn't con-
tent just to listen. He collected records and was a popular attraction at
Lowe's record shop, where he was a salesman on weekends. As the Mid-
way's record reviewer, Rick became an authority on the pop music
business and his copy of Billboard magazine was a familiar sight around
school.

German club in school and pool after school were among Rick's in-
terests. He also took a role in the senior play. Next year Rick will attend
the University of Chicago.

A SPORTSMAN supreme, Gus Lauer (photo below) could boast four
years in baseball, three years in basketball, three years in soccer and
one year in track. He also found time to be vice president of his junior
class and chairman of the senior prom. In his sophomore year his class-
mates elected him most-popular boy.

Attending Ripon college next year, Gus hopes one day to become a
professional football coach, a role for which he obviously will be su-
premely suited.

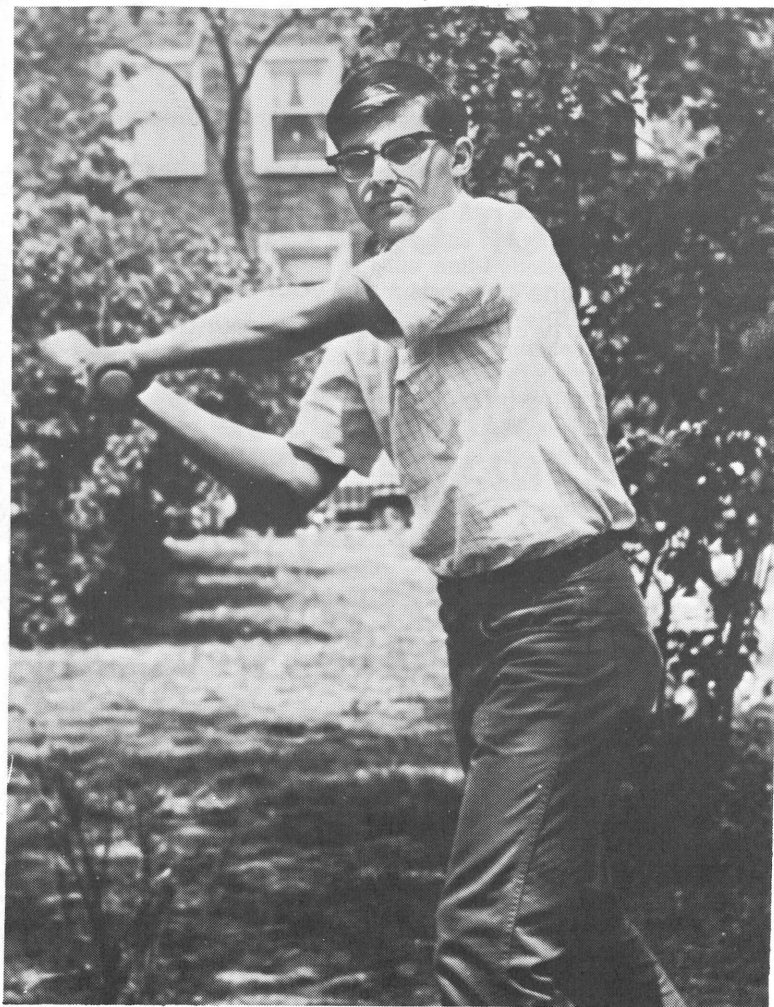


He also served four years on the swim team, played frosh-soph baseball
and wore out the concrete around school with a skateboard. Chairman of
the student board as a junior, this year he was chairman of the assem-
blies committee and in the senior play. In his freshman year, his class-
mates elected him most-popular boy. Norman's devotion to WVON will
be interrupted by his college career. He plans to major in business at
Harvard. Friends hope the station survives his departure.



ARRIVING AT U-High in his
sophomore year, ebullient Dan Ro-
senberg (photo above) was elected
one of the two most-popular boys
in his junior year (there was a tie)
and most-popular boy his senior
year. A soccer enthusiast, Dan is
also an Indiana State Champion
horseman. Owner of a horse, he
has been jumping them for five
years.

U-High's 1967 King, Dan has been
a member of German club and Stu-
dent Council and a member of the
soccer team. He plans to attend
the University of Rochester and
take a five-year program of En-
gineering and Liberal Arts.



College Counselor Warns

'Glamour' Schools Can Sabatoge Seniors

By applying to all schools whose academic standards are high and not just to those who offer social prestige, too, next year's seniors may avoid the admissions disappointments experienced by this year's class, advises College Counselor Anita Pisciotte.

Some seniors this year received rejections from their first-second-and even third-choice schools. Mrs. Pisciotte believes many U-Highers made the error of refusing to consider as fallbacks the schools with less prestige but plenty of room and resources for able students.

APRIL 15, the day most of the nation's prestige schools sent out their decisions on applications, was marked by gloom this year as senior after senior found out he had been turned down by the school of his choice.

Many students admitted they had been told repeatedly by parents and friends that their high school is one of the best in the nation, that they are superior students, and that they could expect college boards to be fairly lenient toward them.

Mrs. Pisciotte felt that the students did not overrate themselves. She traced the many disappoint-

ments this year to the policies of the colleges themselves.

"A GREAT DEAL of rejections came from the Ivy League schools, which receive a great amount of applications for a limited number of places," she said, "and thus can be very selective in who they choose."

Mrs. Pisciotte urged U-Highers to remember that "private schools no longer have a monopoly on the Ivy League and other highly selective colleges. These institutions are seeking to diversify themselves, which puts U-High students at a disadvantage."

DENYING TALK that this year was an especially disappointing one for U-High seniors, Mrs. Pisciotte pointed out that many seniors were admitted to the college of their choice.

Of all applications made by U-High students to colleges rated by "The Comparative Guide to American Colleges" as "among the most selective in the country," 47 were accepted, 49 rejected and 14 placed on waiting list, a 42.7 per cent acceptance rate, as compared to the national average of about 25 per cent.



Photo by Schrammel

A FAMILIAR scene to every senior this year: talking over the dilemma of college selection and application with College Counselor Anita Pisciotte.

School Seeks to Remedy

Lack Of Alumni Information

U-High's administrators say they feel that the success of U-High as an experimental school must be determined by results, one of which is how well her graduates succeed in college.

**What
The
News
Means**

In 1961 a program to determine those results was begun by Former Principal Willard Congreve and members of the Guidance staff.

They mailed letters to more than 15 colleges, requesting transcripts of U-High alumni enrolled there. No replies were received.

"WE DIDN'T have the personnel to develop a systematic approach," remembers Mr. Congreve, now supervisor of a U. of C. program dealing with problems of inner city education.

He was able, he added, to make trips to colleges to talk with U-High graduates.

"These students expressed the feeling that they were unprepared in English composition," he said. "That is why we now put so much emphasis on writing in the junior and senior years."

TO IMPROVE contact with alumni the school created this year the post of alumni secretary, which is filled by Mrs. Alison Ruml.

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U. of C. Tops College List

University of Chicago has displaced the University of Wisconsin as the school more U-High seniors plan to attend than any other, a Midway survey reveals. Wisconsin held top spot in 1965 and 1966.

By schools, seniors plan to attend the following colleges and universities:

ANTIOCH, Yellow Springs, O. — Thor Anderson, Bill Bardbury, David Yngve.
U. OF ARIZONA, Tucson — Becky Hatch, Allen Gordon.
BELOIT, Wis. — Madelynn Brown, Ruth Jones, Mark Reed, Don Reiffes, Sharon Wang, Amy Wright.
BENNINGTON, Vt. — Barbara Weiss.
BLACKBURN, Carlinville, Ill. — Bob Chamberlain.
BOSTON U., Mass. — Ann Rosenberg, Laura Shilen.
BRANDEIS U., Waltham, Mass. — Steve Swardlow.
BROWN U., Providence, R. I. — Mark Kosacki, J. D. Weiss.
COLLEGE CLEVELAND, Chardon-sur-Lignon, France — Bob Storr.
U. OF CALIFORNIA, Los Angeles — Barry Levine.
U. OF CHICAGO — Phillip Burstein, Eugene Chiu, Mary Davis, Rick Fisher, Steve Herbst, Eliana Hutalarovich, Eml Ito, Judy Kahn, Jane Taylor, Eric Thompson.
CENTRAL STATE U., Wilbur, O. — Evelyn Johnson.
CHICAGO MUSIC COLLEGE — Donald Friedman.
COE, Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Douglas Tave.
COLGATE U., Hamilton, N. Y. — Mike Fogel.
U. OF COLORADO, Boulder — Beth Page, Mark Rubert.
COLUMBIA U., New York — Ed Boyer.
CORNELL U., Ithaca, N. Y. — Winni Fallers, Dave Orden.
DARTMOUTH, N. H. — Lee Turkevich.
DRAKE U., Des Moines, Ia. — Andrea Anderson, Alan Daniels, Deborah Levy.
U. OF DENVER, Colo. — Steve Craig, Shirley Jefferson, Eugene Tang.
DEPAUL U., Chicago — Carl Nawrot.
DEPAUL U., Greencastle, Ind. — Kevin Kenward.
EARLHAM, Richmond, Ind. — Margo Reitzes.
ELMHURST, Ill. — Howard Savage.
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ILLINOIS STATE U., Normal — Margie Calm.
ITHACA U., New York — Robert Klauber.
JOHNS HOPKINS U., Baltimore, Md. — Sam Schulman.
KENT STATE, O. — James Nierman.
KNOX, Galesburg, Ill. — Mary Barclay, Lance Hunter.
LAWRENCE U. — Bartlett Ho.
LINCOLN, Ill. — Debbie Jackman.
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NASSON, Me. — Marlene Ekstein.
U. OF NIRVANA (Liberal School of Thought), San Francisco — Maria Feinberg.
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SMITH, Northampton, Mass. — Carol Mann.
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U. OF WISCONSIN, Madison — Cheryl Gaines, Jerry Meitzer, Emily Kuo, Al Manewitz, Nancy Selk, Stephen Weinstein.
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WORCESTER, Mass. (College of) — David Wells.
YALE U., New Haven, Conn. — Scott Lewis.
UNDECIDED at deadline as to which school they will attend of those at which they have been accepted — Tom Hirsh, Anne Jack, Rich Lubran, Charlotte Miller, Eva Mehberg, Debbie Olson, Richard Tresley.
PRECOLLEGIATE YEAR AT U-HIGH — Joel Golt, Tom Kohut, David Mond, Hugh Patinkin, John Stout.
PRECOLLEGIATE YEAR AT HEBRON ACADEMY, Me. — Chuck Gellman.
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WORK — Tom Aldrich.

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Admissions Director Leaving

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Mrs. Vickman feels that in the past several years more emphasis has been placed on individual thinking at the Lab Schools.

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In 1955 the 12-year school system which had been dropped in favor of a 10-year system was reinstated.

Since that time the school has grown larger each year, Mrs.

Vickman observes.

She is looking forward to her retirement, she says, although she admits, "When I first thought

about leaving I had an emotional reaction. Now I feel I will be happy for some time to meditate and relax."

was encouraged by the bright, eager faces of the youngsters."

So observes Admissions Director Lillian Vickman, retiring after serving the Laboratory Schools

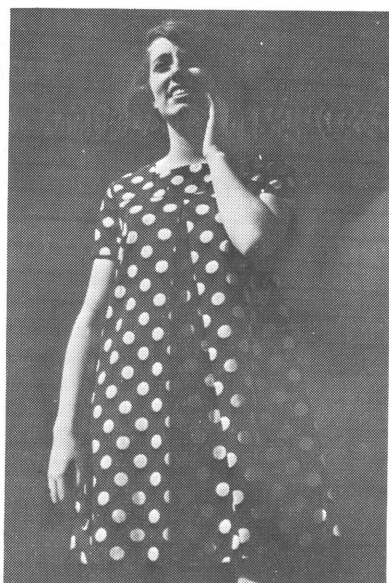
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The two U-High teachers, who were on leave of absence, are Mrs. Eunice McGuire, English; and Miss Stella Tetar, physical education.

The other teacher is Mr. Dennis Duginske, shop, who will teach in the industrial arts room for younger children in Blaine hall. He replaced High School Shop Teacher Herbert Pearson the two years Mr. Pearson was dean of students.

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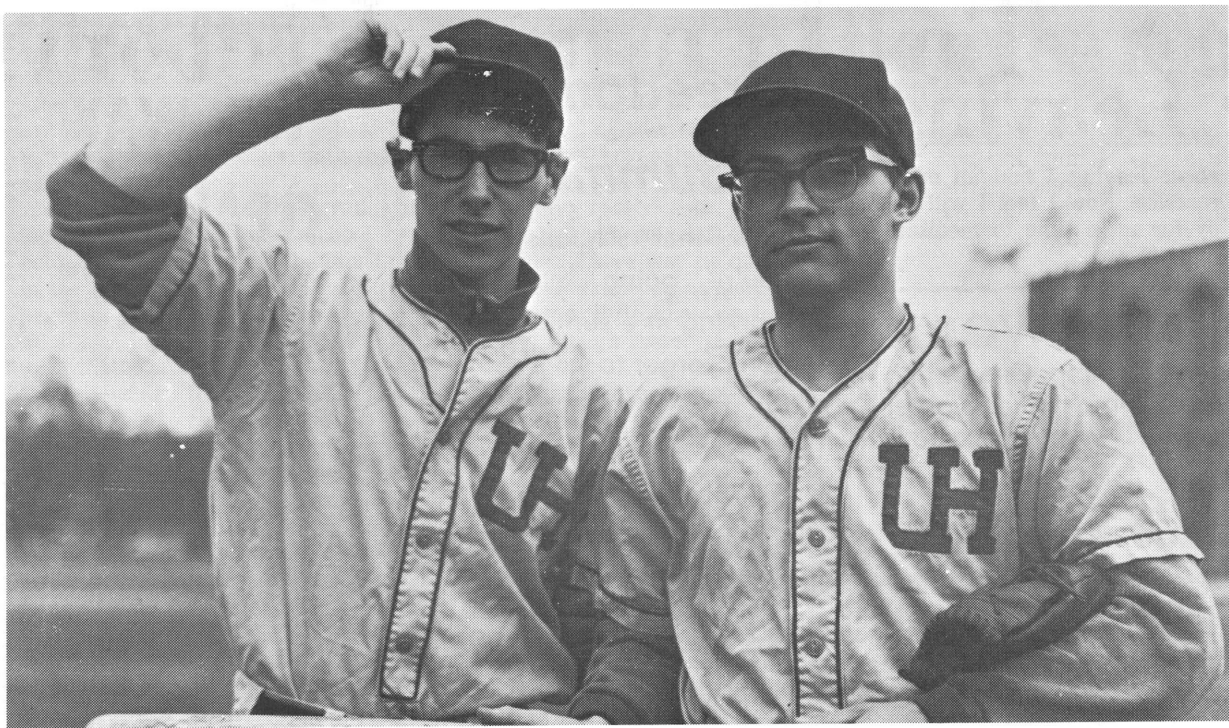
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BASEBALL COCAPTAINS Ron Lessman and Gus Lauer stand proud of the championship-cut performance their team brought off the second half of a 4-6 season. They are also proud of their respective .389 and .342 batting averages.

Photo by Becker

Varsity Diamondmen Finish Routine Season Like Champs

By Ron Lessman

For a team to finish a baseball season with a 4-6 record is not considered impressive, but the Maroons did finish the second half of their 4-6 season like champs.

After a dismal start, losing the first four games, the diamondmen rebounded to win four of their last six games.

Final Independent School League standings were not determined as this story was written.

THE TEAM finished with a .242 team batting average. Top three hitters and their averages were: Bill Haas, .454; Ron Lessman, .389; and Gus Lauer, .342.

Glenwood game, May 2, there, looked like a three-ring circus as the U-Highers toppled their opponents 22-1.

Dave Jacobs and Gus Lauer held Glenwood to three hits as "Jake" picked up his first win of the year. The Maroons collected nine hits and worked the opposing pitchers for an unbelievable 17 walks. It was a complete reversal after an early season 10-8 loss to Glenwood.

JACOBS PITCHED a magnificent two-hitter in a losing cause as Morgan Park shut out U-High 2-0 May 5th. Gus Kumis was the winning pitcher.

Maroons got five hits, but could not get a timely hit when they needed it.

A makeup game against Francis Parker May 8, here, ended after five innings due to the 10-run slaughter rule.

MAROONS WOUND up on top, 11-1. Gus Lauer hit a home run for

the victors and shared the pitching chores with Dave Jacobs and Mark Zelisko.

Parker came back for another beating the following day, losing once again by an 11-1 slaughter, there. The Maroons amassed a 12-hit attack while Gus Lauer and

Mark Zelisko gave the losers only two hits. Gus suffered a spike injury in the fourth inning trying to rather than events," he explains. steal third base and had to be removed from the game.

Victory over North Shore, May 12, here, looked like a World Ser-

Cold Day But Warm Crowd

An Afternoon With U-High Sluggers

By Jackie Thomas

Varsity team members began boarding the bus for the diamond at 48th and the Lake at 3:30 p.m., the time the baseball game against Morgan Park academy was supposed to start May 5.

The frosh-soph game had been cancelled.

One team member ran on the bus half-dressed. Obviously surprised to see this female reporter and her female friend on the usually all-male bus, he ran back into Sunny gym to complete his outfit.

AFTER THE BUS started rolling conversation ranged from the Copolino murder trial to the evils of a team member arriving late.

One player observed in a disgusted tone, that there had been an average of 12 people at games during the year. Discussion turned to why.

Jimmy Rosenheim suggested that the playing field is too far from school or some people find baseball boring. Stew Weltman pointed out the need for stands. Dale Garber blamed poor turnout primarily on

the weather (42 degrees that day) and the season being "too early in the year" for baseball fans.

COACH TOM TOURLAS speculated that spectators who do turn up usually are "kids who live nearby."

A roll of tape, used to hold up socks, flew from the front of the bus to the back.

Before the game got underway (a half-hour late), Gus Lauer gave the umpire last-minute instructions. "Use your discretion, but on the field, I'll help you," he advised.

A smiling man, the Illinois High School Assn. umpire just didn't fit the stereotyped picture of an old grouch behind the catcher.

TO THE SPECTATORS from U-High and Morgan Park — all eight of them as the game got underway — M.P.'s team stood out on the overcast day in their pale blue uniforms trimmed with red and their red windbreaker jackets. U-High's team, by comparison, looked pretty grubby, with players in everything from a blue velour shirt to a checked lumberman's jacket.

"Go Jake babe" was the yell directed to Sophomore Pitcher Dave Jacobs and heard most frequently from team members and spectators . . . along with groans and four letter words when someone muffed a play.

AT ONE POINT a Morgan Park player was called "out" when trying to steal home base, and their coach, players and spectators, who by that point outnumbered the Maroons', began screaming at the umpire. The coach finally realized the futility of screaming, saying to the umpire, "You oughta read up on the rules." Then he retreated to the bench.

Volleyball Teams End 2-2, 1-3 Year

With 2 wins-2 losses varsity and 1-3 junior varsity records, U-High's girl volleyball players ended their season May 17 with a game against Timothy Christian, here.

Varsity squad lost two games of the three-game match, 15-2 and 15-3. Frosh-soph squad was defeated 15-8 and 15-11.

Varsity girls won their second game partly through the efforts of Junior Linda Young, who played "one of her best games ever," according to teammates.

Aquinas defeated U-High's j.v. team here May 5, 15-6 and 15-15. The varsity team lost its match 15-3 and 15-8. Player Kathy Garland blamed the defeats on girls "not picking up their serves and fumbling."

Interclass volleyball tournament began May 2 but was cancelled because of lack of participation.

Boys', girls' and mixed doubles' badminton tournament began the week of May 22.

Girls' softball team was scheduled to play its only game May 26

ies win. The jubilant Maroons came out on top 10-9 in a seesaw thriller.

THE U-HIGHERS pushed across two runs in the last inning to overcome a 9-8 deficit, knocking North Shore out of first place in the ISL.

Season finale at Latin resulted in a 5-4 score, with Latin the winner in eight innings and moving into temporary first place in the league.

against the faculty at the Student Union sports party.

Swimming and tennis team plans were uncertain as this story went to press.

Maroons Take Third In ISL Golf Tourney

As earlier results ominously hinted, U-High's golfers failed to capture the Independent School League golf tourney May 22 at Elgin.

Morgan Park's 318 and Elgin's 337 were too good for the Maroon's 348. They wound up in third place.

Fourth and 5th places went to North Shore and Francis Parker, who had 368 and 385 respectively.

MAROONS WERE underscored May 4 at Waveland by now champion Morgan Park. Final score: M. P., 169; U-High, 197.

The golfers lost to Lake Forest May 16. The winners shut out the Maroons 8-0. Totals in that match were computed by awarding a point for the lowest score on each hole and a point for winning the most holes.

In the Illinois State Districts May 12, the Maroons placed a weak 11th out of 13. From that match, 1st-place La Grange went on to capture 4th in the state.

Cage Crowd Response Poor As In Past, Say Cheerleaders

All the while, Tourlas remained cool and stood near the fence.

About halfway through the game, rain and sleet began falling, but the undampened spirit of the unexpectedly-growing crowd of fans still produced occasional cheers as Jake struck out four batters in a row.

ONE CHEER was so loud that a player on the bench, deep in concentration, looked around and commented, "We've got more spectators than ever."

Cage Crowd Response Poor As In Past, Say Cheerleaders

By Bobbie Green

Crowd response to basketball games was as poor this year as it has been in the past, agree varsity cheerleaders. They are Annette Rosenberg, Gloria Rogers, Terri Zekman, Margot Webster, Marilyn Kutzen and Ronna Goldman.

Annette, Gloria and Terri found that underclassmen, especially the prefreshmen, cheered the most. Juniors and seniors, they complained, didn't show much pep and many didn't even bother to come to games.

Those upper classmen who showed up did cheer, according to Margot, Ronna and Marilyn.

ALL THE GIRLS agreed that the response was much greater on everyone's part when the team was winning. "If the game was bad, even we were pretty dead," admitted Margot.

If a cheer was catchy and well-known, people always responded to it, Marilyn and Gloria asserted.

At one point the number of U-High spectators topped 30, more than twice the average at previous games this season.

THE FANS INCLUDED Shanie, a terrier belonging to Junior Ronna Goldman. And there was U-High's youngest fan, 1½ year old Billy Tourlas, son of the coach. He's been a U-High fan "all his life," according to his father.

The Maroons lost the game 2-0. But the added spectators kept the match from being a total loss, the players agreed.

"When we did 'Two Bits' even at a game we were losing, everyone yelled with us," Gloria added.

Annette found that fans from other schools displayed considerably more spirit than U-Highers.

"The few people from the visiting schools always managed to make more noise than a whole bleacher full of U-Highers," she commented.

THE GIRLS engineered a number of devices for combatting lack of response.

Annette used "eye contact" to pick out one person in the crowd and "embarrass him into cheering."

Gloria and Ronna asked friends and anyone nearby to cheer.

MARILYN started doing "Two Bits" and other favorites, and Terri said she just "kept trying."

"You have to think of some subtle trick to get the crowd cheering," Margo commented. "After all, you can't beat it out of them."

Jr. Baseball Team Narrowly Averts No-Victory Season

FROSH-SOPH BASKETBALL q,

Walloping 13-3 win over the Harvard-St. George varsity team May 18 saved U-High's frosh soph baseball squad from a winless season. Mat Saidel hit two homers in the hastily scheduled game.

Maroons began their three-game season with losses to Chicago Christian, April 11, here, and North

Shore, April 25, there.

Christian had no trouble hitting Maroon Hurler Dave Shopiro and won 10-0 in three innings.

Mark Zelisko replaced Dave as starting pitcher against North Shore. After pitching five hitless innings, he lost the game in the 7th and final stanza. Final score: North Shore, 5; U-High, 4.

Trackmen Sweep To League Victory

Five first-place finishes highlighted U-High's sweep of the first Independent School League track championship May 20 at Stagg Field.

Maroons' 62 points (40% of which

were scored by sophomores and juniors) were way ahead of second-place Glenwood's 48.

Scoring was led by Peter LeFevre with 13½ points, followed by Douglas Tave's 12. Oscar Ratten-

borg was a double winner with wins in the mile and high jump.

Other first-places were won by Ed Taylor in the low hurdles and LeFevre in the high hurdles and mile relay.

OUTCOME OF the meet and the season represented a great reward for Coach Elmer Busch.

"When your boys go out and win the conference and hold a 10-2 record, you can feel nothing but pride," he said.

Voicing his outlook for next year, Mr. Busch expressed optimism.

"When such a great percentage of the scoring comes from underclassmen, your chances for repeat next year are excellent."

WITH A freshman reserve of Jerry Carr, Joey Harper, David Cooley and Ed Alpert, Coach Busch feels that the Maroons have great back-up.

The team will lose to graduation Douglas Tave, Dave Orden, Alan Manewitz and Fred Wilson, all of whom have played big roles for the thinclads.

Tave led team scoring this year with 88½ points.

ANOTHER WIN was chalked up for the Maroons May 15 when they massacred Morgan Park and Elgin 83-56-9. Again Tave led scoring with 13 points.

Oscar Rattenborg shattered his

own record for the 2 mile with a 10:13 May 9 against Walther Lutheran and Chicago Christian.

Final score saw Lutheran with 74, Maroons with 54, and Christian with a meager 22.

IN THE ILLINOIS State District meet May 13 at Bloom Township high, the Maroons failed to place.

Coach Busch, however, was impressed by Douglas Tave's 52.6 quarter-mile which placed 7th in the event.

U-High runners (with 59) succumbed to Lake Forest (with 83) here May 5, but also outscored Mount Carmel, who finished with 6 points.

Mostly Sunny

Improving Sunny Gym;

Is This How It Works?

By Dick Dworkin

The Midway's first sports column of the '66-'67 school year dealt with the possibility of a new Sunny gym.

One item which could have an effect on supposedly existing plans for an addition to Sunny is that the University of Chicago has acquired the house next to the present gym. The owner, who had absolutely refused to sell the building and the land around it, died midway through the year, and her children sold the estate to the University. This development opens up the possibility of building a new gym just north of the old one, perhaps the most logical place to put it.

But according to Lab School Athletic Director William Zarvis, the University is "considering" plans for new gym facilities, but nothing definite has been decided on. He says that the school outgrew Sunny gym about 13 years ago when U-High became a four-year high school. The University is aware of the problem, but hasn't yet taken definite action. Lab School administration has been meeting with University for many years to discuss plans for a completely new, lavishly-equipped addition to Sunny, but a few improvements on the old facilities are all that have materialized.

THE GREAT PRODUCTIVITY of these mysterious conferences suggests that they must run something like this:

At one end of a long table sit a huddled bunch of Lab School Faculty — at the other end, bedecked in a long robe sits THE UNIVERSITY.

He bellows, "Just what is the matter with the gym."

"Well to start with, there are bugs in the locker rooms, there is no place to treat injured athletes, there aren't enough seats in the gym, the lighting is inadequate, we don't have any workout rooms and the natatorium is a giant pressure cooker."

"I THINK WE can take care of some of those problems. A few cans of Raid should take care of the roaches. I'll order a couple of cots for you, too. Why not put them in the equipment room. There's not much in there, right?"

"Right."

"A few folding chairs will alleviate the seating problem, and a couple of good, bright flashlights could brighten up Sunny. Oh, and as far as a workout room . . . let's see . . . it wouldn't be too hard to turn the pool into a sauna bath. I'll get someone started on all these things."

"NOW ALL THAT should really be of great help to you."

"Thank you VERY much for all you've done, but the one thing we really need is a completely new and lavishly . . ."

"How can you ask more? I've granted almost a half-dozen improvements and you want MORE!! Completely out of the question!! I will not grant anything else this year!! You must think I had \$360 million or something."

Tennis Squad Tops League

Improved play of First Singles Man John Wachtel made the difference between the complete victory won by U-High and a possible three-way 1st-place tie in the Independent School League tourney, May 22-24.

John's easy win in the finals squeaked U-High by Francis Parker and Latin, who tied for 2nd place, both 1 point shy of Maroon's 12 points.

"John wouldn't have stood a chance against that man a month ago," says Coach Ed Pounder. "He's gained a lot of confidence in his ability since then, and it's greatly improved his game."

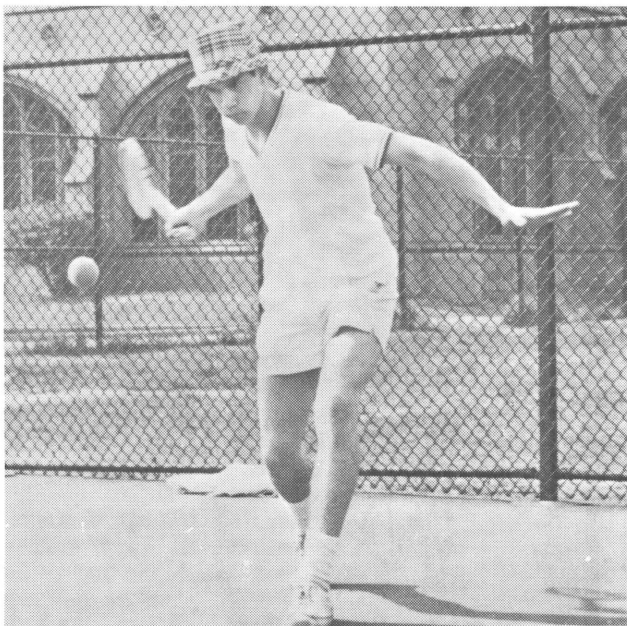
U-HIGH WAS represented in the finals of three out of four events. Third Single Player Steve Keith was eliminated in preliminary competition. Both the doubles team of Dan Meltzer and David Levi as well as Second Singles Man Ron Greenwald lost finals matches in the third set.

After taking the second set 13-11 to knot the match, Meltzer and Levi lost the decisive round, 6-4.

Greenwald lost 2-6, 6-4, 3-6 to Kevin Phillips of Francis Parker in a hotly-played match. After several conduct infractions by both players, the official told them that further violations would result in forfeit of the match. The remaining games were played without incident.

THE LOSS WAS Ron's first of the year. His regular season victories helped the Maroons to capture the regular season league title with 8-1-1 mark.

The Maroons avenged their early season loss to Francis Parker May 9, defeating the Colonels 3-1 on the opponent's court.



TENNIS CAPTAIN John Wachtel, a junior, practices his forehand on the U-High court.

Only dual meet tie came against Latin, May 16, away, as Steve Keith and the doubles team both lost.

Maroons played one nonleague contest. A 3-2 win over South Shore, May 19, here, brought U-High's overall record to 9-1-1.

Sports Awards

Douglas Tave, sports editor of the Midway, received the 1967 Monilaw medal at the sports award dinner June 1.

The Monilaw is presented to the most outstanding senior in the areas of athletics, citizenship and scholarship.

Doug was the leading scorer in indoor track this season and in outdoor track both this season and last. He was a member of two record-breaking relay teams.

Doug also received the Roberts-Black trophy, presented to an outstanding trackman.

Paul Derr award for the outstanding senior track team member went to Captain Dave Orden.

Letters or shields were presented to 161 U-High athletes at the dinner.

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ENJOYING their last few minutes of leisure before beginning planning for next year's Midway is the newly-elected staff which includes, from left, standing, Raph Pollock, Joel Raven, Bobbie Green,

Edith Schrammel, Jon Raven and Bob Katzman. Seated, from left, Jackie Thomas, Laurey Hirsch, Carolyn Kent, Mike Berke and Delia Pitts.

Photo by Hanvey

New Editor Strives For Lively Yearbook

A yearbook which is literate, contemporary in appearance and interesting to students is the goal of Junior Mia Takehita, selected by the outgoing staff as editor-in-chief of the 1968 U-Highlights.

"Although I don't know much about my job at this point, I'm willing and eager to learn," Mia says.

AFTER ATTENDING seminars supervised by this year's staff, most of which will be lost to graduation, Mia has several ideas about the book she will edit.

"We will play up action stories and pictures and play down the formal shots and album section," she says.

MIA ADDS that she is interested to hear from students what they want in the book, "but I realize there are certain features which we can't have because of legal precautions, such as senior quotes. No school aware of the consequences will allow them."

Some of the innovations proposed for next year's book include moving the Student Life (story of the year) section to the front and expanding it; running more photo stories such as appear in Life magazine; adding a faculty section separate from classroom coverage; and getting more youthful action into copy and cutlines.

MIA ALSO plans to retain the innovations which will appear in the '67 volume, scheduled for distribution Friday.

Other editors on the new staff, by position, follow:

Makeup, Gary Kaplan; copy, Debby Gordon; photo, Jennie Zesmer; office manager, Paula Kaplan.

Section editors — Student Life, Margie Horwich; academics, Ellen Irons; activities, Sue Fiske; boys sports, Harold Lauber; girls sports, Debbie Mulstein; seniors, Audrey Kavka; and underclassmen, Jennie Zesmer.

Kent; page 3, classroom news, Joel Raven; page 4, editorials, Jackie Thomas; page 5, features, Bobbie Green; page 6 and page 7, sports, Jon Raven and Laurey Hirsch; page 8, pictorial features, Bobbie Green. Special features editors — Student personalities, Bob Katzman; entertainment mediums, Mike Berke; public opinion, Jackie Thomas; school life commentary, Bob Katzman; humor, staff members; boys sports, Dick Dworkin; girls sports, Carolyn Kent; alumni, Raphael Pollock; community development, Scott Davis.



Photo by Hanvey

LOOKING FORWARD to a year of work completing the 1968 U-Highlights, the newly-elected yearbook staff includes, from left, standing, Sue Fiske, Harold Lauber, Margie Horwich and Debbie Mulstein.

Seated, Audrey Kavka, Debbie Gordon, Mia Takehita, Ellen Irons and Jennie Zesmer.

Hopes To Play Up People

Editor Plans Human Paper

A livelier Midway with increased emphasis on people and their place in events, more photography and sketches, sports coverage which will interest not only fans but all readers, new columns and a literary page is planned by Junior Dick Dworkin, recently selected editor-in-chief of next year's paper by the outgoing staff.

"A paper students will like is the same as a paper journalists will find professional," Dick believes. "There is no use in the

Midway winning awards if it is not read and enjoyed by most students."

The journalism class with the aid of Mr. Wayne Brasler, who is leaving, has planned a new type of paper for the next year, the kind he believes will dominate the daily and school fields in a decade.

"IT'S A humanized paper, one which puts the emphasis on people rather than events," he explains. "We got the idea from a high school paper in Rochester, Minne-

sota. I proposed this kind of paper because I thought it most suitable for U-High, where people and controversy are of most interest to students, rather than routine news items."

Weeks. Brasler has spent several weeks planning next year's publications with their staffs and he is leaving extensive handbooks to which they will be able to refer.

ANOTHER IMPROVEMENT planned for next year is an increase in the number of issues. The staff hopes to publish 18, six a quarter, if the Student Council is willing to provide the estimated \$500 increase in funds necessary.

OTHER STAFF members follow, by position:

Business manager, Mike Berke; advertising manager, Delia Pitts; copy editor, Mike Berke; office manager, Joel Raven; political editor, Delia Pitts; photography coordinator, Edith Schrammel; art coordinator, Bob Katzman; cartoonist, Dan Pollock and other staff artists.

Associate editors — Page 1, future news, Carolyn Kent; page 2, past news, Carolyn

Midway Staff Receives 'Best in Midwest' Award

"Congratulations on winning the coveted Mid-West award presented to the outstanding publication submitted from the Midwestern United States."

This message, accompanying a large, polished gold plaque, informed the Midway staff it had won for the second consecutive year the Best in Midwest award at St. Bonaventure (N.Y.) university's Press Day.

The staff was unable to send a representative to the university for the presentation, May 4.

The Midway staff won a record 13 individual awards in the contest, which drew more than 3,200 entries from 20 states. U-High winners were as follows:

AWARD OF EXCELLENCE — Associated Press Yearbook for editorial writing, David Boorstin.

SPECIAL CITATION — Book award for photography, Bill Bradbury.

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT — Book award for column writing, Douglas Tave.

NEW YORK TIMES CERTIFICATE OF MERIT — Art, Ellen Beisler; column writing, Dick Dworkin and Judy Kahn; sports writing, Dick Dworkin and Ron Lessman; feature writing, Roberta Green and Jacqueline Thomas; news writing, Carolyn Kent; editorial writing, Judy Kahn; photography, Mike Hanvey.

TAKING 1ST PLACE in all but two divisions in its category and receiving the Best Overall Excellence plaque for the third consecutive year, the Midway won more honors than any other newspaper at the Northern Illinois School Press Association conference May 6 at DeKalb.

Midway Adviser Wayne Brasler, so popular a speaker on editorial pages that an extra room had to be opened for his talk on editorials, was named to the 1967-68 board of directors of the Assn. to be in charge of public relations.

Seniors Judy Kahn and Debbie Gross accepted awards for the Midway staff (most of whom could not attend because of S.A.T. test conflicts). Certificates later were presented at the honors assembly here as follows:

FIRST PLACE — News story, Scott Davis; feature story, Jackie Thomas; advertisement, Carolyn Kent; cartoon, Dan Pollock; sports story, Dick Dworkin.

SECOND PLACE — Photo, Michael Hanvey; editorial, Jackie Thomas.

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