

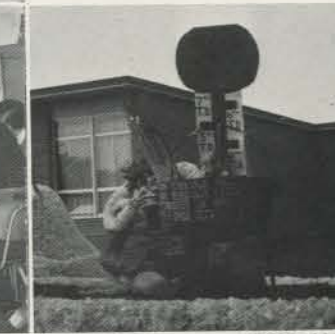
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MR. C. H. MILLER, Principal

I enjoy my work here at Springfield, due to my close ties with so many students and parents. The people of the community have been good to me. In turn it is my sincere belief that I have done my best for them. One cannot work with a community for two and a half decades without a feeling of pride and satisfaction.

My work here at Springfield is very rewarding because it gives me a great opportunity to work with teenagers. I enjoy helping them because I'm also able to get to know many of them better.

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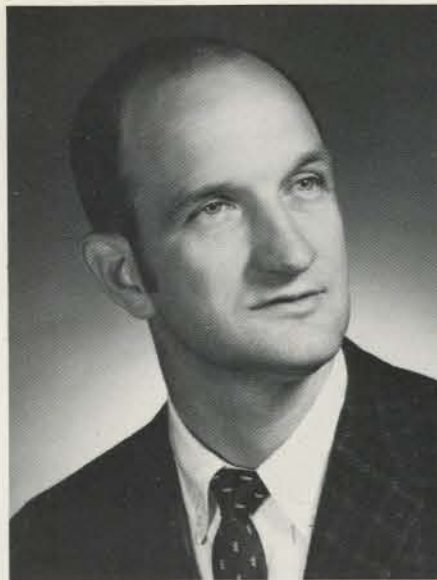
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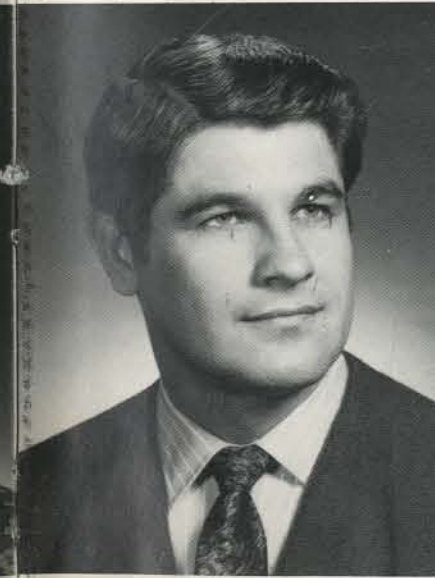
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And their secretary,
MRS. ZIDAREVICH

CAUGHT IN THE ACT OF . . .



Won't you step into my den?



So this is what goes on in the teachers' room during noon hour!



No comment.



"We're SGT. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band . . ."



I assume you have a hall pass.



Now where did those boys go?



Now for our next enlightening film.



Will I get a better grade now?

FRESHMEN



Our cooks, Mrs. Savio and Mrs. Britton.



Day Custodian, Mr. Hyde



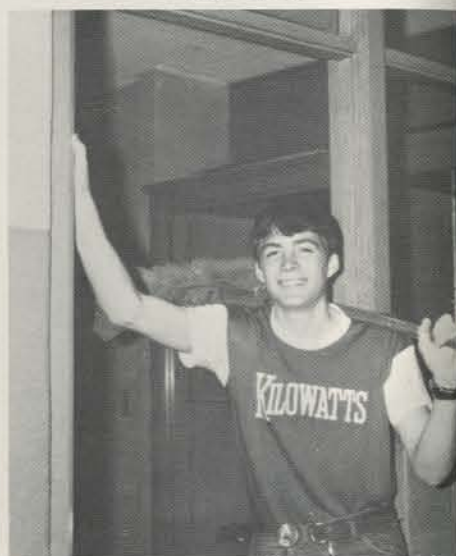
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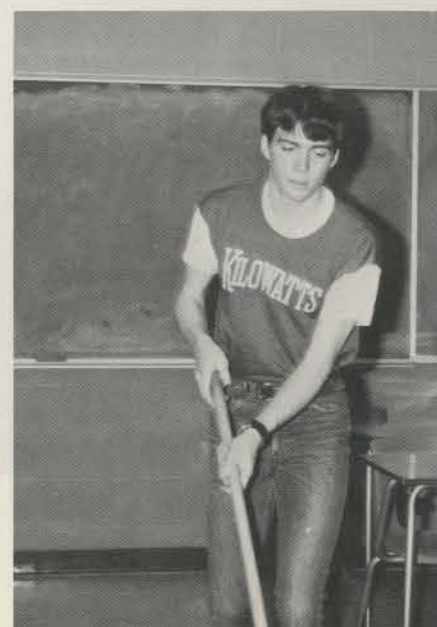
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Student custodian, Sam Conklin.



Super Janitor at work.





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Babic, Mike



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Baklund, Rose
Baldwin, Debra
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Beaty, Debbie



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Worm, Steve



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Here she comes . . .

Henry is lookin' good.

We're skipping class !!!

Chapter 3 THE BEGINNINGS OF GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES

The years of American government reach deep into the past. Our system of government did not suddenly spring into being as of the year of some political imagination. Nor was it pulled out of thin air by the

Founding Fathers of Philadelphia in the summer of 1787. Rather, it has developed through long centuries of experience, tradition, thought, and

thought of these beginnings.

These beginnings are the roots of our government. They are the roots of the American way of life.

1.1 The Early Concept of Limited Government and Civil Liberties

These beginnings with them, too, the twin ideas of limited government and civil liberties. "That is, that government is not all powerful, that government is limited in what it may do, and, secondly, that it is limited in the sense

that each man has certain rights that government cannot injure or take away. These great principles of freedom were proclaimed in such historic English documents as the Magna Carta in 1215, the Petition of Right in 1628, and the Bill of Rights and the

Act of Toleration of 1689.

1.2 The Concept of Representative Government. A third vitally important concept brought to America in English ships was that of representative government. For centuries there

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SEAFARERS AT WORK. Early Americans had to live together in harmony, or they would not survive. This was called "government in order to live." The beginning of our government today.

of which are to be found today — courts, through 1063, death, coronation and justice of the peace, for example. And all of these were well known in England long before the first English colonies were born in America.

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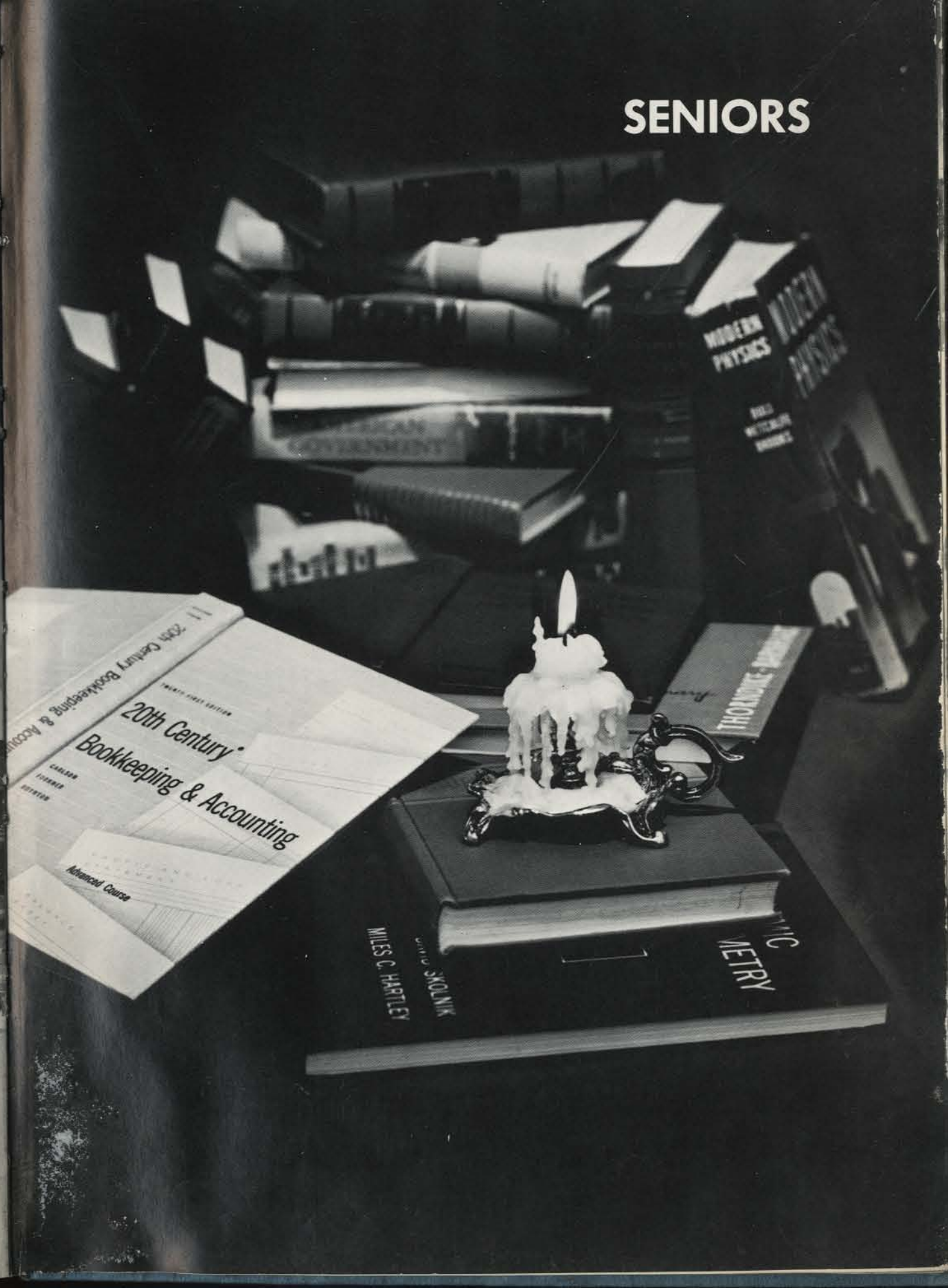


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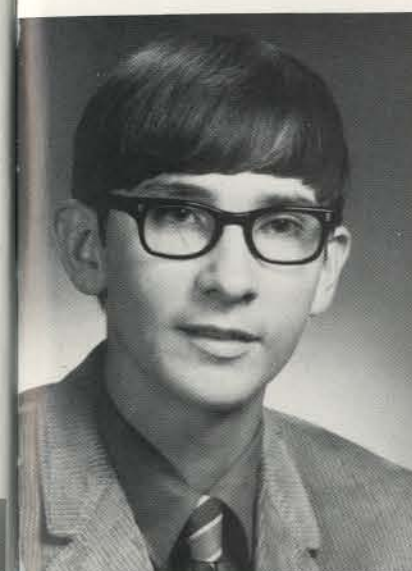


PATRICIA E. BAKER

EXCHANGE STUDENT



Junko Urano, an exchange student from Japan, has been a welcomed guest at Springfield. Throughout her visit, Junko stayed with Sue Carey.



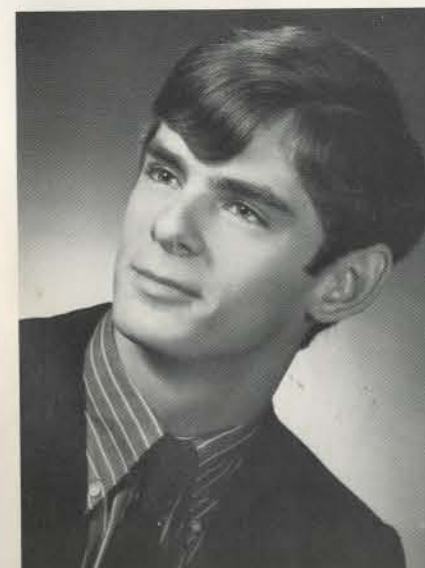
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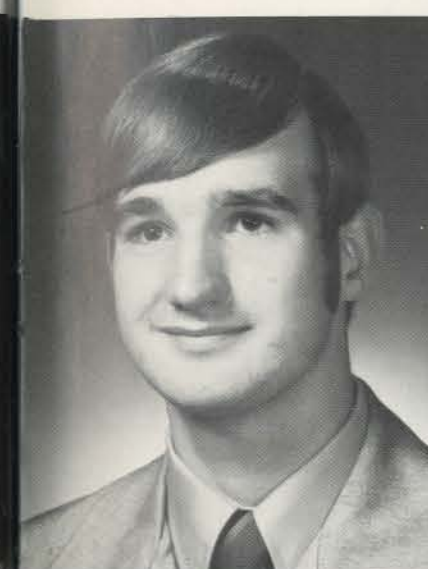
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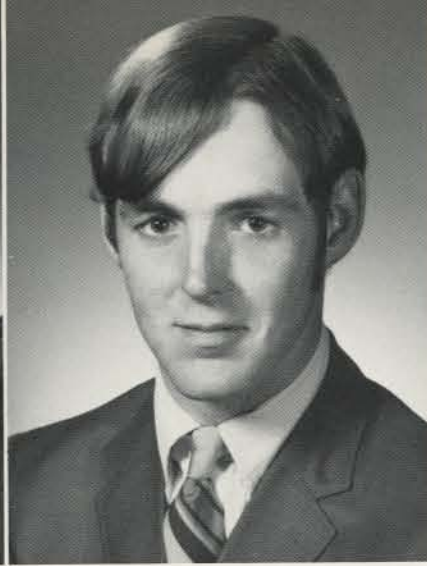
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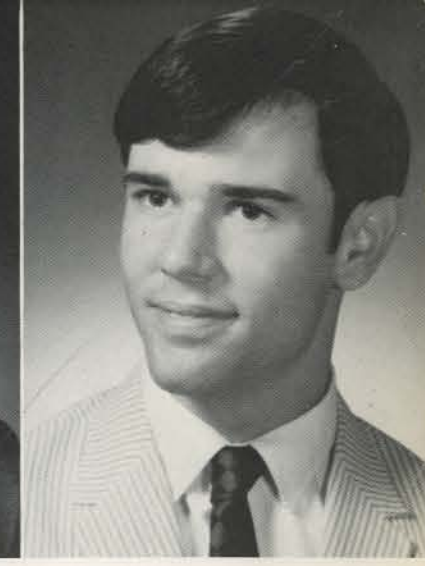
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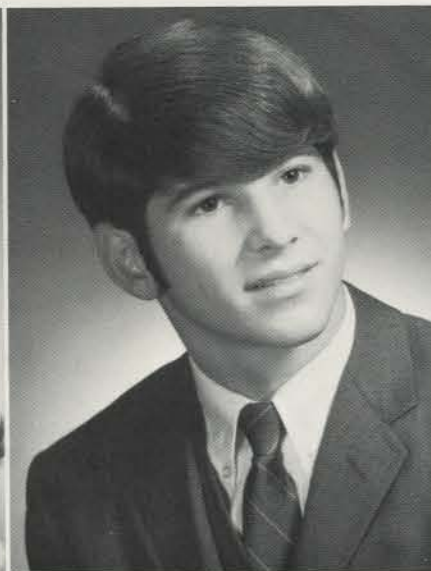
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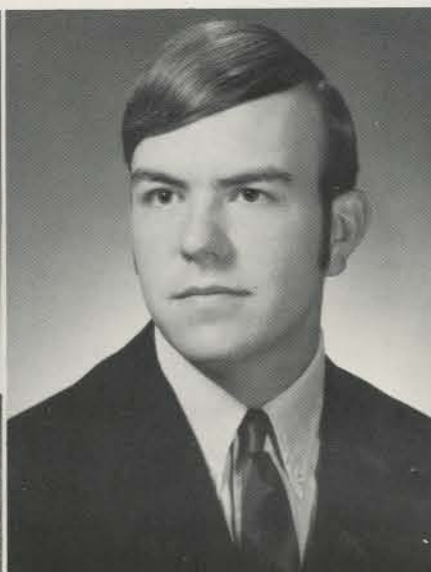
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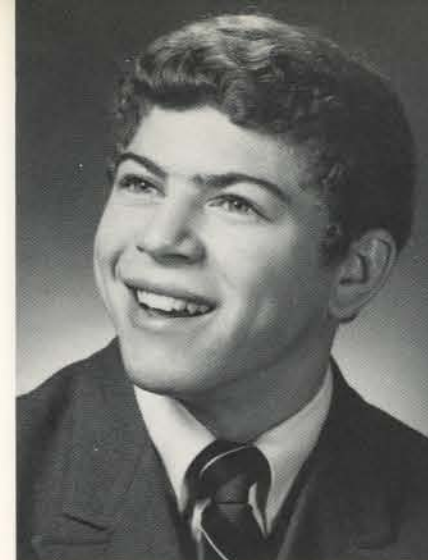
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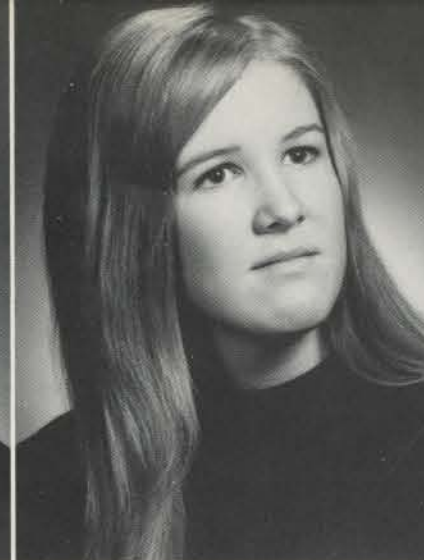
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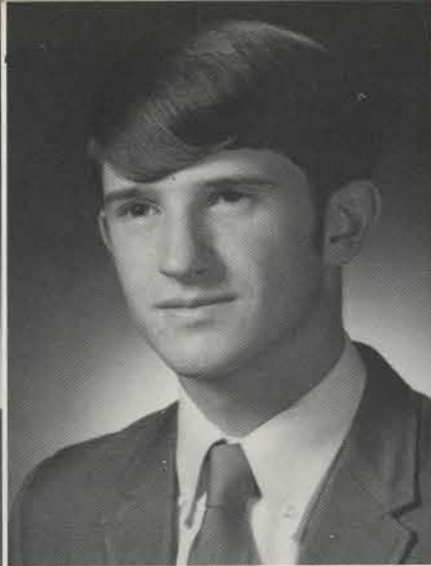
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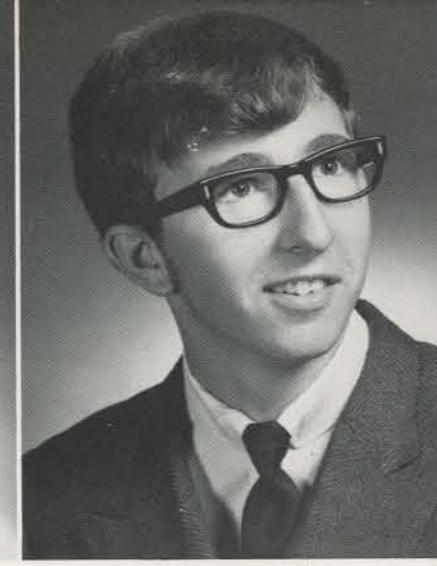
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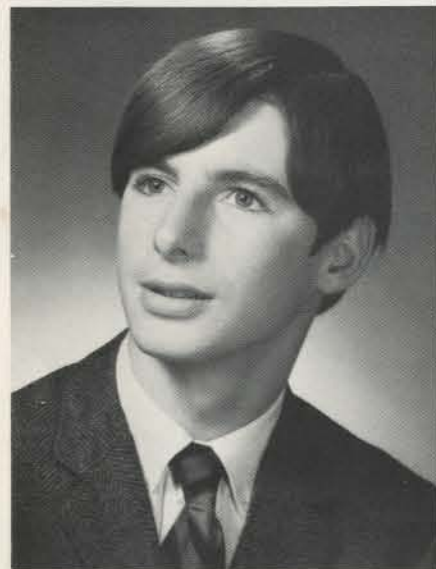
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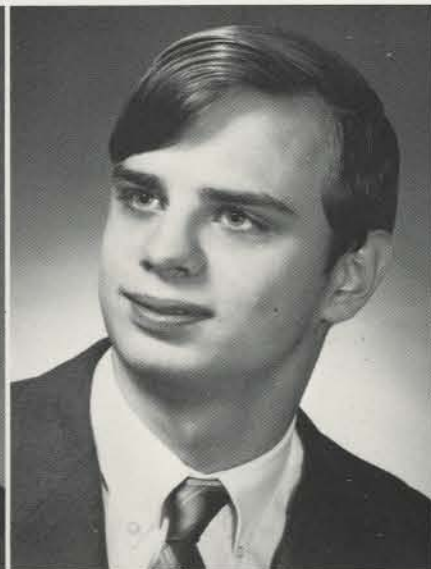
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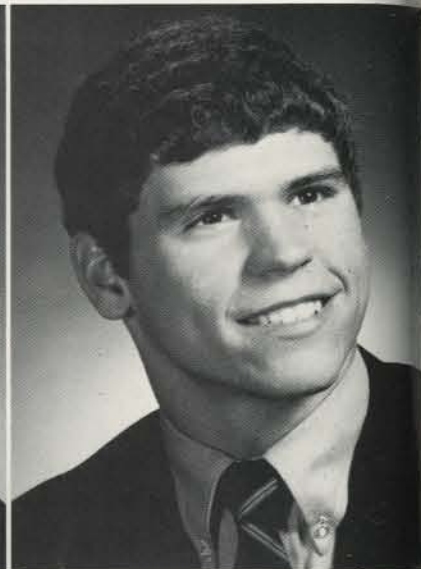
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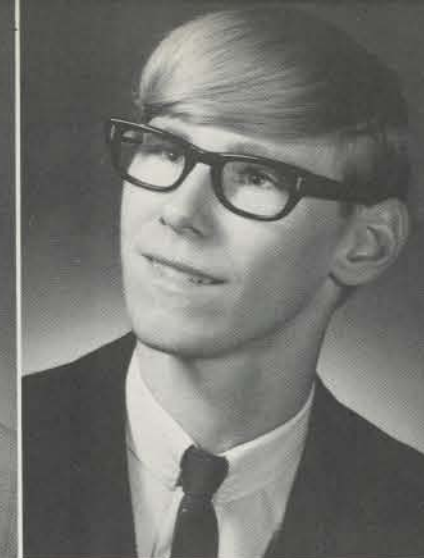
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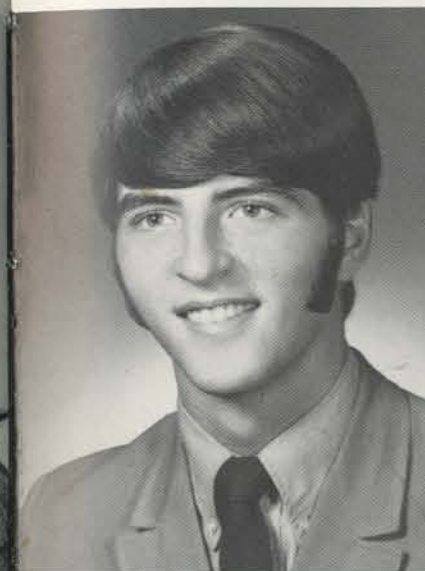
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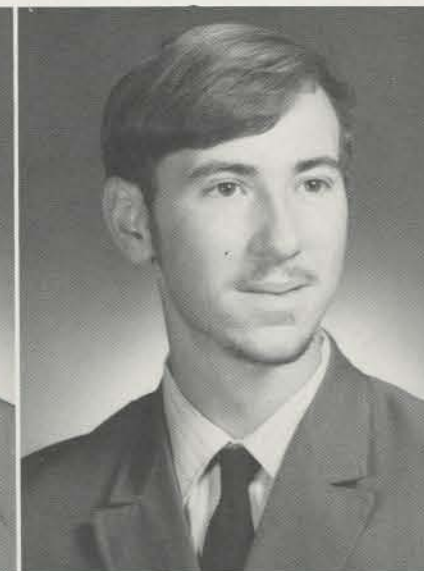
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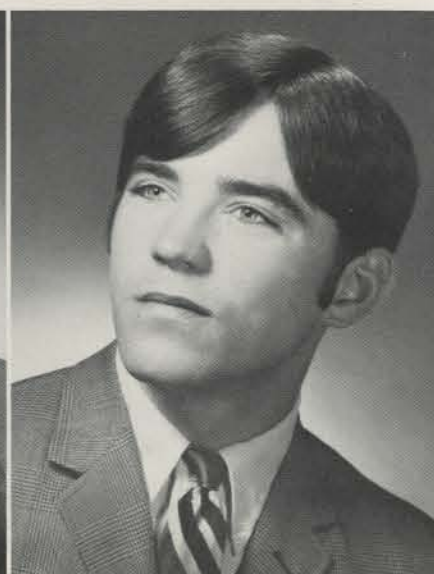
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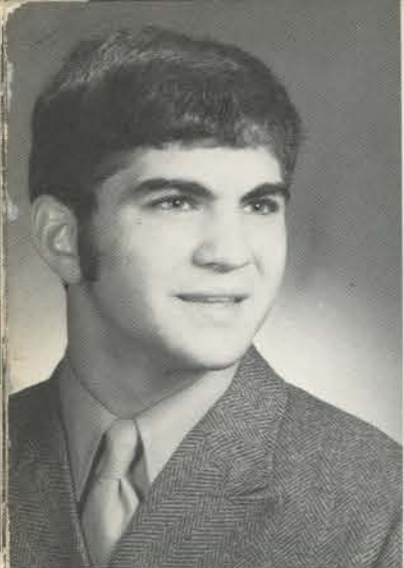
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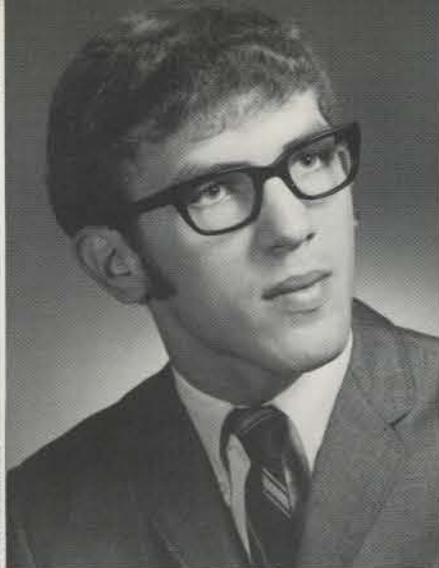
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VARSITY SCORES

| | <i>we</i> | <i>they</i> |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| PENNFIELD | 12 | 20 |
| MATTAWAN | 33 | 0 |
| BANGOR | 45 | 0 |
| FENNVILLE | 34 | 0 |
| DELTON | 15 | 14 |
| PARCHMENT | 28 | 13 |
| GALESBURG | 6 | 28 |
| BELLEVUE | 46 | 6 |





Top Row: Jim Merrill, Mike Knapp, Rick Pollack, Bob Coplin, John Bauer, Chuck Evans, John Morgan, Martin Curtis, Mike Jones, Gary Morgan, MGR. Bill Saxman. *2nd Row:* Coach Alan Fischer, Glen Sims, Ron Roy, Bruce Christensen, Dave Becke, Mike Eplee, Rick Hartman, Gary Cummins, Steve Sellen, Doug Johnson, Bill Cosgrove, MGR. Al Williams, Mgr. Larry Barker, Coach Wayne Chapman. *Bottom Row:* Ross Ramer, Mike Zidarevich, Gene Brewster, Ron Haske, Mike Speck, Phil Britton, Steve Jones, Gary Lynn, Greg Larson, Mike Jones, Charlie Douglas.



From Left to Right: MOST VALUABLE BACK—Gene Brewster, LEADING TACKLER—Bob Coplin, MOST IMPROVED PLAYER—Mike Zidarevich, MOST VALUABLE LINEMAN—Ross Ramer, also HONORARY CO.-CAPTAINS—Mike Speck and Ross Ramer.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- SECOND LEADING TACKLER —
Dave Becke
- ALL K. V. A. TEAM —
Ross Ramer — Tackle
John Bauer — End
Gene Brewster — Back
Mike Jones — Tackle
Mike Speck — Safety
- Honorable Mention —
Mike Knapp — Linebacker
- U. P. I. ALL STATE TEAM
Honorable Mention —
John Bauer — End

VARSITY RAMS



SENIORS

First Row: Charlie Douglas, Mike Jones, Ross Ramer, Garald Lynn, Steve Jones. *Second Row:* Mike Speck, Phil Britton, Gene Brewster, Ron Haske, Grey Larson, Mike Zidarvich.





BEAUTIFUL, BEAUTIFUL



WE WON!



I know Something you don't know.

FUN AND GAMES



GET OFF MY BACK!



KILL?



HELP!



J.V. TEAM: Top Row: Stan Jones, Al Wightman, Rick Gordon, Hugh Jolley, Mark Graybill, Steve Smith, Randy Kipp, Greg Lewis. Second Row: Tom Thacker, Bill Akins, Don Byers, Stuart Noble, Mike DeCoe, Doug Reed, Wilber Moore, Bob Hall, Pat Hogan. Bottom Row: Coach Holcomb, Manager Doug McNeil, Kevin Carson, Pete Steinbacher, Rick Moore, Henry Lyko, Ron Bowan, Joe Araki, Tom O'Sullivan, Manager Steve Griener, Coach Isaacson.



FROSH TEAM: Top Row: Coach Rodocker, Kim Abbot, Bruce Becke, Kurt Ploehn, Gary McDaniels, Coach Coe. Second Row: Steve Cracoli, Mike Ambes, Ron Carter, Randy Hempton, Dave Porter, Greg Herr. Front Row: Mike Hill, Dave Strong, Ken Christensen, Bob Sellers, Kevin Lindauer, Ross Noble, Dave Myers, Bruce Wilson.

BASKETBALL 69-70



VARSITY SQUAD:
Standing: Mike Speck, Mike Knapp, Charlie Douglas, Chuck Evans, John Bauer, Dave Sellers, Larry Ross, Rick Pollack, Coach Chapman. *Kneeling:* Ron Roy, Gene Brewster, Ed Colby, Don Byers, Bruce Christensen.



MANAGER: Tom Kennedy Special Recognition.



Bruce leads the team watched by smiling Christy.



Rick hooks it up.

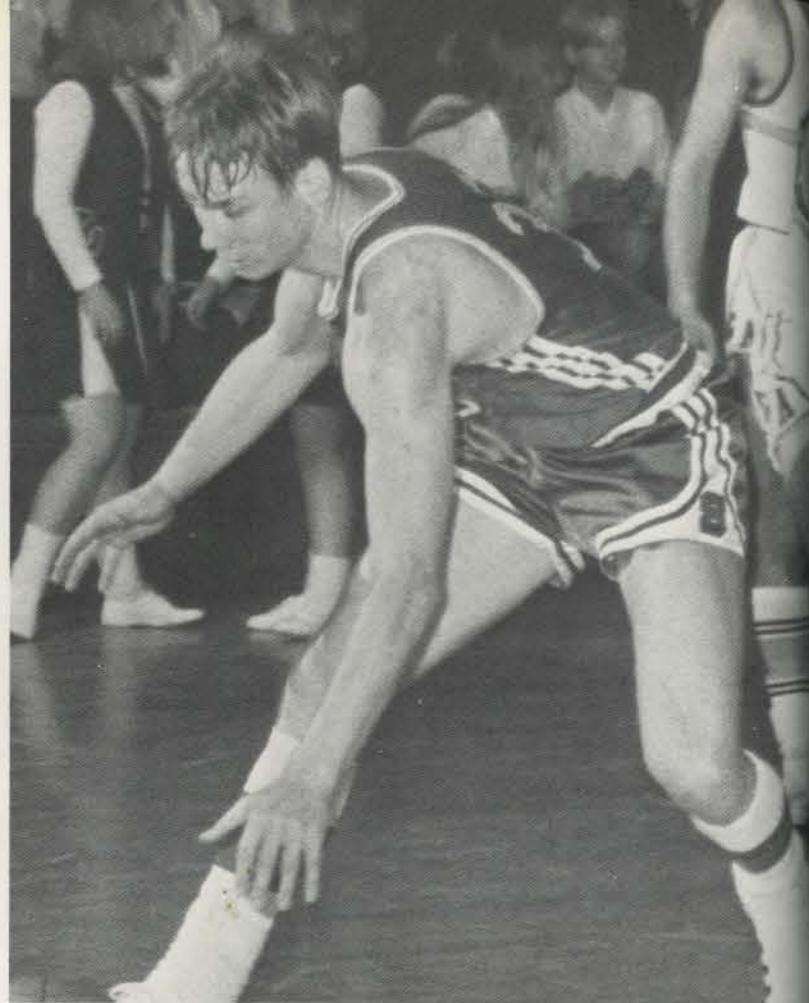


Rick watches as Dewey makes two.





Ron Roy was chosen most improved player on the Varsity Basketball squad. Mike Speck, (right) was voted team co-captain along with John Bauer, who was also voted most valuable player.



"Dave blocks, while John scrambles for the ball in game against Harper Creek."



"Above: Don Byers"



Below: Bruce scores.

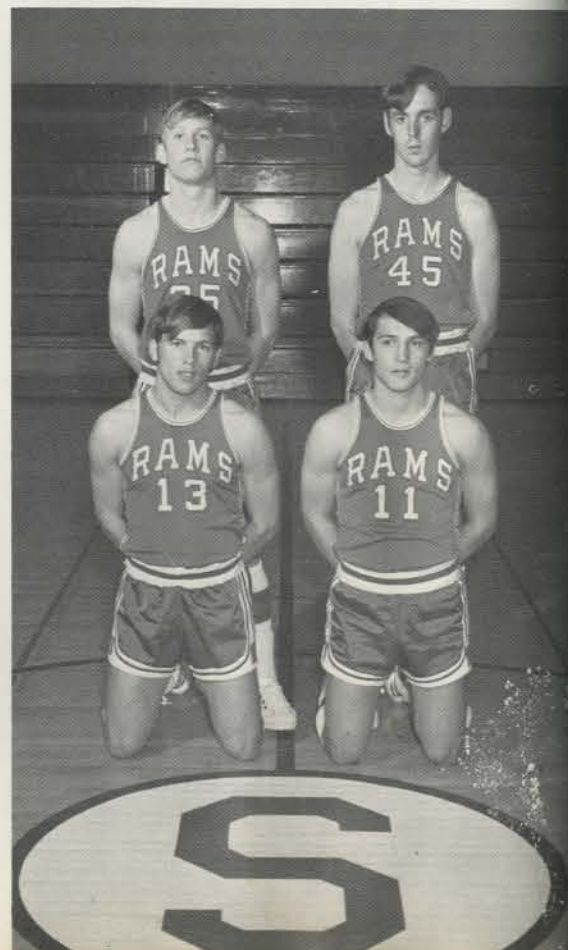


"Chuck passes off"

"Below: Rick Pollack"



SENIORS: Mike Speck, Charlie Douglas, Gene Brewster, Eddy



VARSITY WRAP-UP

| School: | We: | They: |
|--------------|-----|-------|
| PENNFIELD | 51 | 45 |
| GALESBURG | 74 | 54 |
| FENNVILLE | 90 | 59 |
| MATTAWAN | 80 | 79 |
| HARPER CREEK | 58 | 53 |
| PARCHMENT | 54 | 82 |
| ST. PHILLIP | 56 | 58 |
| BANGOR | 52 | 79 |
| DELTON | 67 | 61 |
| GALESBURG | 64 | 60 |
| PENNFIELD | 76 | 46 |
| FENNVILLE | 69 | 71 |
| MATTAWAN | 65 | 62 |
| PARCHMENT | 79 | 65 |
| ST. PHILLIP | 79 | 78 |
| BANGOR | 74 | 99 |
| DELTON | 72 | 56 |





J. V. TEAM: Back Row: Coach Wiler, Bob Sellers, Pete Steinbacher, Eric Colby, Bill Dowell, Owen Thompson, Stuart Noble, Steve Cracolici, Manager Tom Thacker. Kneeling: Henry Lyko, Ken Christensen, Rick Gordon, Dave Myers, Mike Thomas.



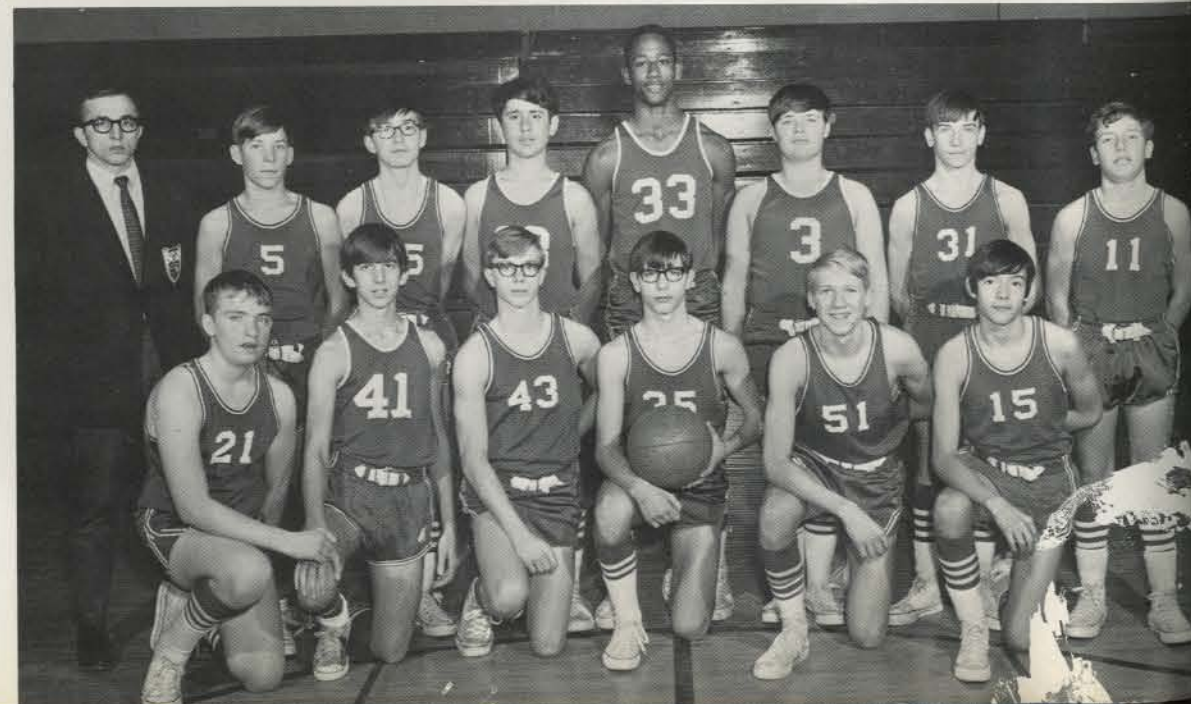
Mike Knapp works for two!



"WILD BALL"



The J. V. Bench

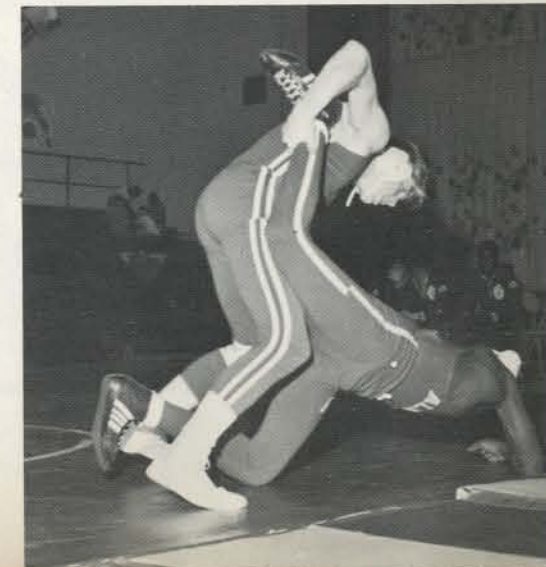


FRESHMAN TEAM: Coach Cummings, Doug Morse, Terry Cryer, Bruce Becke, John Beaty, Phil Davis, Mitch Babic, Scott Fisher. Kneeling: Mike Ambs, Bruce Arnold, Bob Conrad, Dave Strong, Rick Millard, Rick Ramon.

WRESTLERS FINISH WITH PERFECT SEASON 16-0!



Row 1: Phil Britton, Wayne Edmonds, Dave Porter, Coach Peterson. Row 2: Gary McNickle, Mike Zidarevich, Bob Coplin, Doug Johnson. Row 3: Martin Curtis, Ron Haske, Ross Ramer, Mike Jones, Stan Jones.



Graduating Wrestlers at Right are: Ron Haske, Mike Zidarevich, Mike Jones, Ross Ramer, Phil Britton and George Weidlich.



Seniors Phil Britton and George Weidlich team up to demonstrate a "chicken-wing."



VARSITY WRESTLING SCORES

| | | | |
|--------|----|--------------|----|
| S.H.S. | 46 | COLDWATER | 8 |
| S.H.S. | 27 | G.A. | 17 |
| S.H.S. | 34 | GULL LAKE | 14 |
| S.H.S. | 33 | PENNFIELD | 16 |
| S.H.S. | 30 | HARPER CREEK | 15 |
| S.H.S. | 54 | PARCHMENT | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 35 | BRONSON | 9 |
| S.H.S. | 45 | DELTON | 3 |
| S.H.S. | 32 | MARSHALL | 14 |
| S.H.S. | 33 | VICKSBURG | 11 |
| S.H.S. | 41 | UNION CITY | 3 |
| S.H.S. | 45 | FENNVILLE | 5 |
| S.H.S. | 44 | COMSTOCK | 5 |
| S.H.S. | 37 | MAPLE VALLEY | 9 |
| S.H.S. | 39 | ALBION | 9 |
| S.H.S. | 24 | HARPER CREEK | 20 |

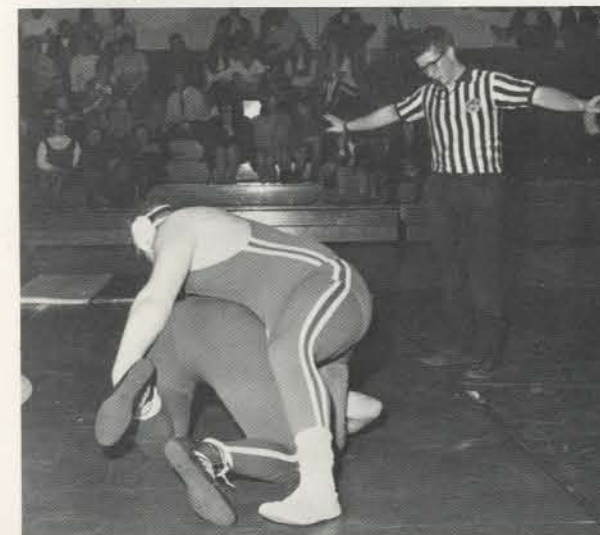
KVA CHAMP — Mike Jones

REGIONALS

| | | |
|-----------------|------------|-----|
| Mike Zidarevich | — 137 lbs. | 1st |
| Mike Jones | — 85 lbs | 1st |

STATE

| | | |
|-------------|-----------|-----|
| Dave Porter | — 98 lbs. | 2nd |
|-------------|-----------|-----|



Mr. Miller and Mr. Peterson exhibit stamps collected for our new wrestling mat.



JUNIOR VARSITY WRESTLERS: Back Row: Gary Morgan, Ron Warner, Steve Sellen, Kevin Lindauer, Bob Hall, and Fred Campbell. Second Row: Coach Holcomb, Bill Sterns, Ross Noble, Steve Morgan, and Greg McDaniels. Front Row: Doug McNeil, Marty LaRouche, George Weidlich and Kim Abbott.



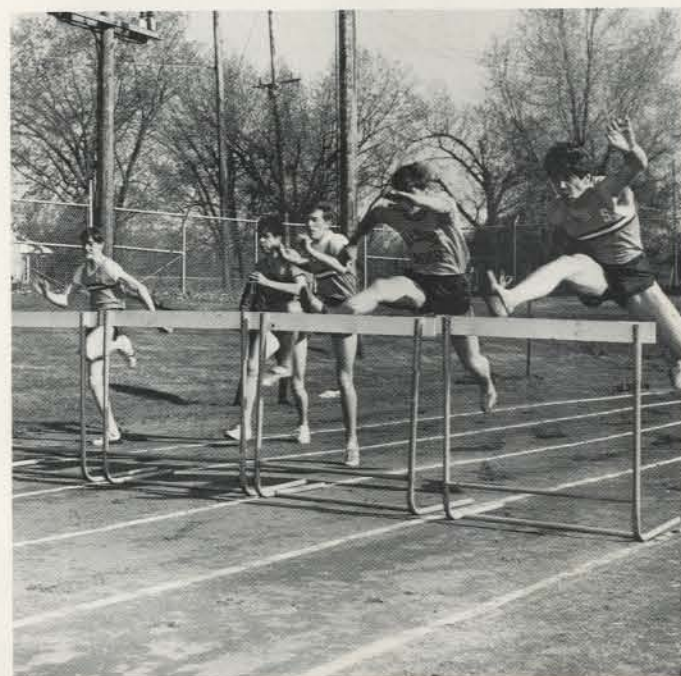
TRACKMEN SUCCESSFULLY DEFEND TITLE



Back Row Left to Right: Coach Pape, Bruce Christensen, Bill Searns, John Beatty, John Bauer, Dave Sellers, Steve Sellen, Stan Jones, Tom Thacker, Mike Jones, Ron Roy and Rick Gordon. Front Row: Greg Herr, Mike Hill, Larry Phillips, Marty LaRouche, Dave Myers, Rick DeBow, Rick Moore, Al Wightman, Mike Zidarevich and Henry Lyko.



Pictured above is Dave Sellers coming in first in a running event. He also qualified for State in the high jump.



John Bauer, Larry Phillips and Marty LaRoche running the high hurdles.



At the All City Track Meet, Springfield's 880 Relay Team of Mike Jones, John Beatty, Dave Sellers and Bruce Christensen broke the old 880 relay record with a time of 1:35!



Henry Lyko shows above, just what it takes to qualify for the State Meet.



This picture explains why Al Wightman had a fine season with the Rams this year!

| WMU INVITATIONAL—S.H.S.—7th PLACE | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|------------|----|
| S.H.S. | 47 | FENNVILLE | 71 |
| S.H.S. | 88 | MATTAWAN | 30 |
| S.H.S. | 90 | DELTON | 27 |
| S.H.S. | 59 | BANGOR | 59 |
| S.H.S. | 88 | PARCHMENT | 29 |
| LIONS RELAY — S.H.S. — 3rd PLACE | | | |
| S.H.S. | 76 | GALESBURG | 40 |
| S.H.S. | 38 | ST. PHILIP | 80 |
| REGIONAL — S.H.S. — 5th PLACE | | | |

K.V.A. CHAMPS!
... AGAIN!



VARSITY BASEBALL 1970



Back Row Left to Right: Coach Rodocker, Mike Speck, Ross Ramer, Charles Douglas, Bob Sellers, Charles Smith, Fred Campbell, and Jim Merrill.
Front Row: Bob Coplin, Ed Colby, Gene Brewster, Ron Haske, Phil Britton, and Don Byers.

BASEBALL '70

| | | | |
|--------|----|-----------------|---|
| S.H.S. | 7 | UNION CITY | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 6 | ST. PHILIP | 4 |
| S.H.S. | 10 | COLON | 4 |
| S.H.S. | 9 | BANGOR | 5 |
| S.H.S. | 2 | DELTON | 4 |
| S.H.S. | 7 | GALESBURG | 2 |
| S.H.S. | 2 | MATTAWAN | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 0 | PARCHMENT | 1 |
| S.H.S. | 3 | ST. PHILIP | 4 |
| S.H.S. | 6 | DELTON | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 10 | GALESBURG | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 7 | FENNVILLE | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 4 | BANGOR | 3 |
| S.H.S. | 12 | MATTAWAN | 4 |
| S.H.S. | 2 | PARCHMENT | 0 |
| S.H.S. | 1 | PORTAGE CENTRAL | 8 |
| S.H.S. | 3 | FENNVILLE | 1 |

KVA CHAMPS !!



SENIORS: Back Row: Ross Ramer, Ron Haske, Charles Douglas, Mike Speck and Fred Campbell. Front Row: Ed Colby, Gene Brewster, and Phil Britton.



SENIOR PITCHER Ross Ramer.



SECOND BASEMAN Jim Merrill and SENIOR SHORTSTOP Gene Brewster.



Bob Coplin and SENIOR FIRST BASEMAN Mike Speck, MOST VALUABLE PLAYER.



SENIOR CENTER FIELDER
Ron Haske



PITCHER
Charles Smith



SENIOR CATCHER Phil Britton and SENIOR THIRD BASEMAN Ed Colby. Phil was voted by his teammates as the most improved.



SENIOR LEFT FIELDER
Fred Campbell



SECOND BASEMAN
Don Byers

J.V. BASEBALL



SENIOR PITCHER
Charles Douglas



Back Row Left to Right: Coach Coe, Dave Eddy, Ron Carter, Ron Warner, Kevin Lindauer, Kurt P'ohen, Mike Ambs, Steve Smith, and Tom O'Sullivan. Front Row: Eric Colby, Hugh Jolley, Doug McNeil, Bob Conrad, Kim Abbott, and Junior Akins.

VARSITY TENNIS

Front Row: A Williams, Dave Howlett, Ken Christensen, and Dave Becke. *Back Row:* Don McNeil, Mike Knapp, Bill Dowell, Dick Gallagher, Stuart Noble, and Tom Kennedy, Mgr. *Not Pictured:* Rick Pollack, Loy Harris, Jim Phillips, and Coach Ryor.



TEAM CAPTAINS
Rick Pollack, Mike Knapp

MOST VALUABLE
Dave Becke

MOST IMPROVED
Al Williams

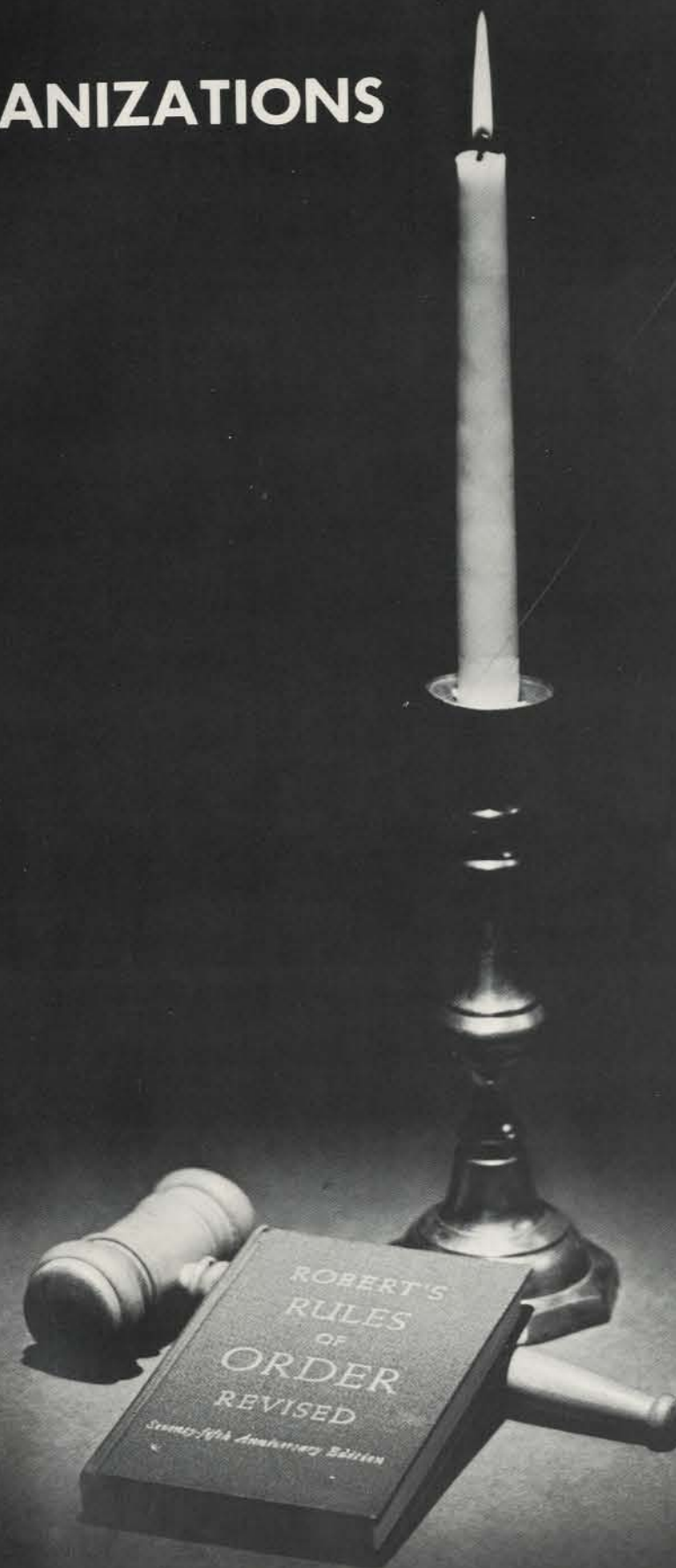
SENIOR
Loy Harris
Don McNeil
Jim Phillips
Rick Hinds



J.V. TENNIS

Front Row: Rick Millard, Dave Strong, Steve Cracolici, Mike Thomas. *Back Row:* Terry Cryer, Larry Barker, Rick Hinds, John Morgan, Paul Jensen, Coach Cummings. *Missing:* Dave Porter, Doug Morse, Bob Hall, Martin Curtis, and Doug Reed.

ORGANIZATIONS



STUDENT COUNCIL



Front Row: Mike Speck, Jan Christensen, Sue Wenger, Joni LeFebre, Gary McNickle. *Second Row:* Joe Araki, Bob Hall, Randy Hempton, Steve Cracolici, Bob Conrad, Marty LaRoach, Larry Phillips, Sherry Hauser, Ron Haske, Lynn Holcomb. *Third Row:* Celeste Meredith, Brenda Childers, Pat Baker, Chris Vanderpoel, Pat Roy, Laurie LeFebre, Leigh Worm, Diane Boland, Janine Reed, Debby Curtis, Karen Seawater. *Fourth Row:* Bill Dowe, Bruce P. Wilson, Bruce Christensen, Greg Larson, Dick Gallagher, Ron Roy, Mike Knapp, Francis Wright, Peggy Grider, and Debby Grider.

NEW ADDITIONS



First Row: Kathy Steinbacker, Linda Hill. *Second Row:* Kathy Merrill, Sandy Washburn, Pam Boyd, and Lonnie Hicks.

The people at the right became student council members about the first of second semester.

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

PRESIDENT—Mike Speck
VICE-PRESIDENT—Jan Christensen
SECRETARY—Sue Wenger
TREASURER—Gary McNickle
HISTORIAN—Joni LeFebre
SPONSOR—Mr. Jim Christensen

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



SENIORS: Front Row: Sandy Shook, Barb Simmonds, Paula Gilbreath, Kathy Steinbacher, Susie Wenger, Linda Crofoot, Lynn Holcomb, Brenda Smith. *Standing:* Phil Clay, Phil Britton, Sandy Buckner, Dianna Jenkins, Jan Christensen, Sherri Howe, and Pat Baker.



SOPHOMORES: Front Row: Teresa Bunce, Mary Zidarevich, Diane Christensen, Chris Vander Poel. *Standing:* Martin Curtis, Sponsor of N.H.S.—Miss Lacey, and Paul Jensen.



JUNIORS: Front Row: Debbie Herr, Claudia Edwards, Kathy Spranger, Gail Noble, Sera Colby, Debbie Titus, Marie Mrak, Janine Reed. *Standing:* Kathy Andres, Mike Knapp, Diane Boland, Christy Drikakis, Bruce Christensen, Ron Roy, Dick Gallagher, Jim Merrill, Larry Ross, Don Byers, Carla Winton, and Peggy Grider.



To The Left: Miss Betty Lacey presents Sherri Howe and Sue Wenger with the Miss Savage Scholarship. Two were given this year instead of one.



OFFICE GIRLS



Left to right: Linda Ross, Cindy Carrigan, Rita Carter, Cindie Slack, Pat Rohrig, Pat Boyd, Susie Wenger and Vicki Pancoft.

SOUNDING BOARD



Standing: Susie Wenger, Mr. Christensen, Sera Colby, Roy Holland, Mr. Ryor, Mr. Inman. Sitting: Chris Vander-Poel, John Cleary, Mike Knapp, Tony Scott, and Hugh Jolley.



ART CLUB

The officers of the art club this year are John Bauer, president; Kay Shotwell, vice-president; Claudia Edwards, secretary and treasurer. Miss Bray is the sponsor.

The art club has become an active group at Springfield High School. They meet each Thursday to make plans for various field trips and projects. For their annual trip they visited the Detroit Art Center.

Many things were made to be sold at the Winter Carnival. Their "Psychadelic Shack" proved to be a favorite booth.

Other members of the club include from front to back: Mike Jatoff, Bill Saxman, Dave Howlett, Kay Shotwell, John Bauer, Claudia Edwards, Ken Christensen, Bruce Christensen, Henry Lyko, Christy Drikakis, Diane Boland, Brenda Shannon, Edith Brady, Sue Walsh, Janet Postula, Brian Wank, Bob Sellers, Sheila McMillian, Miss Bray (sponsor) Vanessa Edgington, Deb Titus, and Rick Pollack.

SPANISH CLUB

Officers of the Spanish Club are Kathy Steinbacher, president; Mike Knapp, Vice-president; Lori Lefebvre, secretary; and Diane Boland, treasurer. Kathy Andres was chosen secretary to replace Lori who moved. Sponsor is Mr. Shiflet.



Other members are Second Row: Lillian Stamper, Peggy Gibson, Nancy Greenlow, Sue Jensen, Cristy Drikakis, Kathy Andres, Cindy Wilson, Teresa Cima, Linda Cleary, Debbie Senior, and Tonja Smith. Third Row: Janine Reed, Valerie Reed, Tina Valient, Sue Wenger, Sera Colby, Sherrie Howe, Sue Boyer, Deb Gillette, Donna Foley, Charlene East, Debbie Hicks, Linda Lyko. Fourth Row: Ben Dameron, Marie Mrak, Pat Baker, Peggy Hector, Joni Lefebvre, Dick Gallanger, Celeste Meredith, Diane Christensen, Debbie Stots, Debbie Baldwin, Jody Propp, and Robin Thorngate. Fifth Row: Rick Moore, Jim Merrill, Don Roy, Bruce Christensen, Mike Johnson, Kathy Merrill, Pat Araki, Marcia Bush, and Sue Roscoe. Sixth Row: Mike Smith, Dave Myers, Bruce Wilson, David Greenlow, Sarah Jones, and Dale Wilson.



VARSITY CLUB



Left to right, Front Row First: Phil Clay, Phil Britton, Doug Johnson, Ross Ramer, Ron Roy, Gene Brewster, Ed Colby. *Second Row:* Don Byers, Bruce Christensen, Greg Larson, John Bauer, Mike Knapp, Mike Speck, Chuck Evans, *Third Row:* Bob Coplin, Rick Hartman, Mike Jones, Mike Jones, Martin Curtis, Ron Haske, Gary Lynn. *Last Row:* George Weidlich, Wayne Edmonds, Stan Jones, Tom Kennedy, Al Williams, and Larry Barker.



PEP CLUB



And this is our Pep Club, with a life-span of exactly one day--the day the picture was taken. On the whole, however, the group pictured above makes up a great deal of our cheering section, giving support to our Rams.



JETS CLUB



Left to Right, Front Row First: Celeste Meredith, Chris Vander Poel, Debbie Perkins, Teresa Shook, Lucinda Wilson. *Second Row:* Lori Le Febre, Bob Gable, Dick Gallagher, Mike Knapp, Mr. James Mullins (sponsor), Jim Merrill, Larry Ross, Tom Kennedy, and Leigh Worm.

F.H.A.



Front Row: Pres. Diane Jenkins, Vice Pres. Eva Beaty, Sponser Mrs. Miller, Sec. Chris Vanderpool, Treas. Nancy Carter. *Second Row:* JoAnn Jenkins, Sue Walsh, Diane Cooper, Cindie Shump, Kathy Maes, Roxanna Campbell, Sue Babcock, Sue Boyer, Tony Potter, Penny Hogan, Roxanne Yatalese, Nancy Padzer, Linda McDonald, Debbie Everett. *Third Row:* Gale Miller, Linda Cleary, Pam Newburn, Sharon Chase, Shelly Fitch, Kathy Gothard, Diane Korkinsky, Leigh Worm, Celeste Meredith, Jill Utley, Sherri Hudson, Becky Wilson, Debbie Gillette, Marilyn Sellen.

G.A.A.



Beginning With Front Row: President Kay Shotwell, Vice-President Paula Gilbreath, Sponsor Miss Lacey, Productions Secretary Susie Wenger, Recording secretary Gail Noble, Treasurer. Second Row: Dianna Jenkins, Pat Baker, Mary Zidarevich, Diane Christensen, Theresa Shook, Leigh Worm, Sera Colby, Kathy Steinbacher. Third Row: Deb Coplin, Pat Royce, Chris Vander Poel, Betty Buckner, Tina Valient, Claudia Edwards, Christy Drikakis, Mollie Smith, Shelly Fitch. Fourth Row: Peggy Gibson, Barb Simmonds, Bertha Childers, Gale Miller, Vanessa Edgington, Carla Winton, Kathy Spranger, Evelyn Saren.

YOUTH GOV'T WEEK REPRESENTATIVES



Front Row: Kathy Steinbacher, Pat Rohrig, Susie Wenger, Paula Gilbreath, Sherri Howe. Second Row: Lynn Holcomb, Joni Le Febre, Brenda Childers, Brenda Davis, Jan Christensen, Joan Van Nocker. Third Row: Barb Simmonds, Pat Baker, Mike Jones, Steve Jones, George Willbrandt.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

1970



Front Row, L. to R: Dianna Jenkins, Paula Gilbreath, Jan Christensen. Second Row: Debbie Coplin, Jill Utley, Mollie Smith, Miss Lacey, Coach. Third Row: Marilyn Sellen, Diane Christensen, Pat Royce. Fourth Row: Shelley Fitch and Peggy Gibson.



Peg starts the game off for the Rams!



Paula Gilbreath and Deb Coplin in action.



J. V.'s in the huddle for some advice from Coach Lacey.

Paula sinks it!



Front Row, L. to R.: Cathy Berthiaume, Jackie Jones, Kathy Wetzel. Second Row: Coach (Miss) Lacey, Karen Seawater, Gloria Howe, Sera Jones, Gail Larson. Third Row: Toni Potter, Sue Boyer, Debbie Curtis. Fourth Row: Paula Demaso and Lonnie Hicks.



LIBRARY ASSISTANTS



Left to Right: Becky Campbell, Mrs. Swineheart, Librarian, Steve Lane, Rick Hinds, Cindy Wilson, and Linda Cleary.



HEALTH CAREERS CLUB



Back Row: Left to Right: Debbie Titus, Vanessa Edgington, Kathy Spranger. Second Row: Becky Ramon, Jan Newton, Gary Cummins, Mr. Mays, Nancy Meinke, Peggy Hector. Third Row: Shiella McMillian, Diane Morse, Marie Mrak, Jackie Chamberlain, and Mike Knapp.

CO-OP



MORNING

Standing left to right: Mike Findley, and Gary Lynn. Sitting left to right: Brenda Davis, Renea Wolf, and Pat Boyd.



AFTERNOON

Standing left to right: Nadine Sango, Sandy Thompson, Gloria Burgess, Roy Holland, and Cindy Carrigan. Sitting left to right: Cindy Moats, Debby Hogan, Diane Jenkins, and Toni Starring.

ARIES 1970



Back Row, left to right: Mr. Shiflet, advisor, Lynn Holcomb, Robin Harrison, Debby Herr, Denise Scars, Sera Colby, Tom Kennedy, Al Williams, Sue Walsh, Gail Miller, Christy Drikakis, Diane Christensen. *Middle Row:* Cheryl Wood, Rick Hartman, Tony Bennett, Barb Simmonds, Joanie Van Nocker, Claudia Edwards, Doug McNeil, Celeste Meredith, Pat Rohrig, Chris VanderPoel, Joni LeFebre, Mike Jatoft, Brenda Shannon, Leigh Worm. *Front Row:* Debbie Coplin, Brenda Davis, Brenda Childers, Kathy Steinbacher, Editor; Susie Wenger, Business Manager, and Gail Noble, Assistant Editor.



Kathy Steinbacher
Editor-in-Chief



Gail Noble
Assistant Editor

RAMPAGE

The Rampage, under the direction of Mr. Shiflet had a very productive year. The students put forth a lot of time and effort to make this year's Rampage one of the best. Students holding key positions are Greg Larson, Editor, Claudia Edwards, Co-editor, Carol Lydick, Assistant Editor, Susie Wenger, Copy Editor, Tina Valient and Mike Speck, Sports Editors. Denise Scars and Linda Ross are Exchange Editors.



Standing Left to Right: Linda Ross, Diane Holmes, Gary Lynn, Tina Valient, Carol Lydick, Joni LeFebre, Denise Scars. *Seated Left to Right:* Claudia Edwards, Greg Larson, Susie Wenger, Mr. Shiflet, Sponsor, Debbie Scott. *Missing Are:* Ross Ramer and Mike Speck.

BAND



Front Row: Left to right: Gary McNickle, Dave Babcock, Gloria Howe, Ron Bowen. Second Row: Janet Holmes, Cathy Beaty, Ladera Schrynmakers, Bill Saxman, Gary Morgan, Richard Polich, Scott Carr, Mark Lindauer, Kathy Berthiaume. Third Row: Carolyn Hewitt, Debbie Curtis, Jeff Rice, Sylvia Thurman, Joe Hinton, George Weidlich, Mike Thomas, Doug McNeil, Bill Dowell, Dave Howlett, Tom Cain, Kevin Lindauer, Greg Lewis, Karen Seawater, Bob Hall, Don Byers. Back Row: Bob Wilson, Tony Scott, Scott Fisher.



FLAGBEARERS: Janet Postula, Sheryl Hudson, Becky Wilson, Leigh Worm, Debbie Gillette, Shelly Fitch.



MAJORETTES: Golden Girl, Sherri Howe, Head Majorette, Gloria Howe, Diane Byers, Debbie Coplin, Peggy Gibson, Jackie Jones.

BAND DIRECTOR

Tom Strickler



Springfield High School Band went to Lakeview Marching Band Festival and received a good rating. The band has helped create school spirit at games and pep assemblies.

CHOIR



Back Row: Jan Holmes, Gale Miller, Evelyn Saren, JoAnn Jenkins, Rex Blowers, Dan Raines, Steve Lydick, Joe Glover, Linda Thomas, Betty Buckner, Tina Valient, Renea Wolf, Diane Morse, Carol Lydick, Edie Wilson. Third Row: Rick Miles, Chuck Bowers, Dale Wilson, Deb Everett, Judy Hicks, Marlene Goodrich, Marty Hansen, Kathy Staton, Terry Cryer, John Cleary, Brian Wank, Steve Bunce, Rick Slack, Gary Glover, Bruce Wilson, Rick Wagner, Donna Pursell, Jean Smith. Second Row: Donna Jones, Junko Urano, Judy Kissinger, Christi Wood, Rhonda Griffin, Vicki Zull, Nancy Carter, Terry Thacker, Sandy Washburn, Marcia Bush, Carol Storm, Linda Cleary, Colette DeMott, Debbie Goodrich, Debbie Chase, Pat Rush, Diane Cooper. Front Row: Charlene East, Gail Noble, Toni Bennett, Pat Boyd, Cindy Carrigan, Janet Postula, Roxanna Campbell, Sheilla McMillon, Casey Bogarth, Chris Savio, Theresa Bunce, Sharee Traver, Angela Jones, Kathy Spranger, Sylvia Thurman, Shirley Yonkman, Mr. Pickell.

Springfield High School Choir, under Mr. Pickell, began their year by electing new officers. The choir's first and most profitable activity was their candy sale in November and December. The money raised will go towards music scholarships. In December, there was a fine turnout for the annual Christmas concert. In January, the school Musical tryouts took place. The cast was made up of Senior and Junior High students. The play was put on in March and proved to be very enjoyable. A trip to Western Mich. University for the Spring Festival came in April. This is always one of the favorite activities of the choir. The choir party was held in May and the choir concluded a very active year by performing at Baccalaureate.



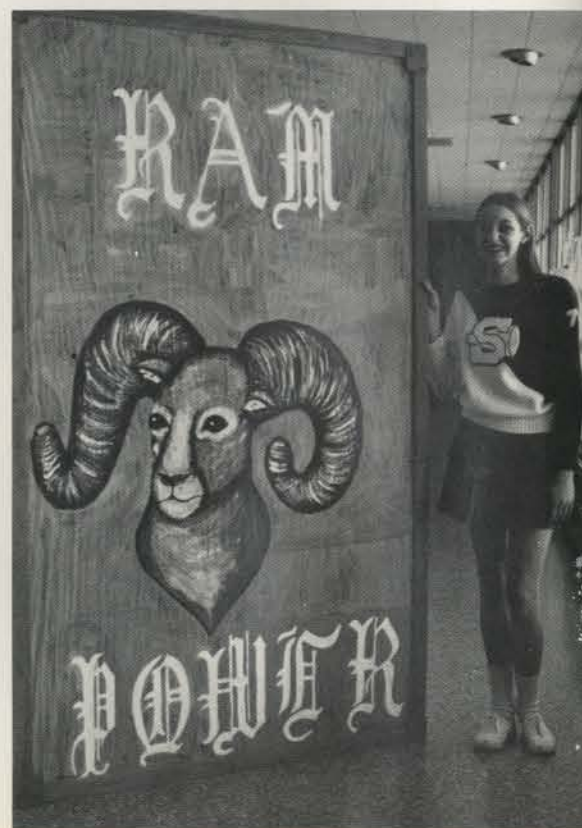
VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



Back Row: Claudia Edwards. Middle Row, left to right: Pat Baker, Kathy Steinbacher, Chris Vanderpool. Front Row: Susie Wenger, Christ Drikakas, and Paula Gilberth.



"Hang 'em High"



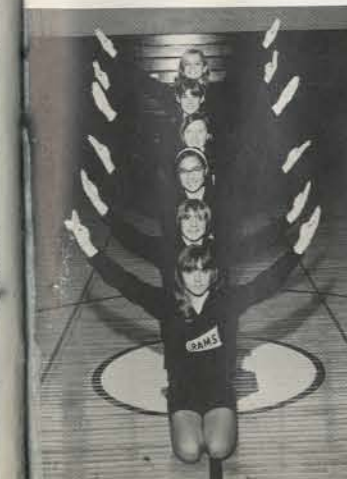
JUNIOR VARSITY



Left to Right: Celeste Meredith, Laurie LeFebre, Jill Utley, Gail Noble, Sera Colby, Carla Winton, and Pat Royce.



The Junior Varsity Cheerleaders have added a lot of spirit to Springfield High School during the year 1969-1970.



FRESHMEN



Back Row: Left to Right: Debbie Scotts, Pat Araki, Gail Larson. Front Row: Christi Wood, and Linda Hicks.



STAGE CREW

The Stage Crew this year was small but complete. Pictured at right are sound engineer Mike Johnson, Stage Manager Rex Blowers, Lighting Director Tom Kennedy, and kneeling, Gary Morgan, assistant sound. Below are two new members who joined during *Finian's Rainbow*. They are Lighting assistant Terry Cryer and Engineer-in-charge of Spotlights, Gary Glover.



The stage at S.H.S. is not used a lot during the year, but when it is, it's something special. Plays, concerts, and faculty productions are presented in co-operation with our Stage Crew. For example, Rex Blowers and Tom Kennedy (below) have worked technical for the Jr. prom since they were freshmen. Examples of student-teacher productions are also pictured below. Sue Bishop and Chris VanderPoel sing, and Mr. Holcomb helps Mr. Behnke pass out candy canes at Christmas.



New Cheerleaders?



General Motors assembly



S.H.S. PRESENTS FINIAN'S RAINBOW



"Og, the leprechaun, thinks alone in peaceful Rainbow Valley."



"Senator Rawkins reviews one of his many speeches to his and, Buzz Collins."



Left: Sharecroppers bring in the tobacco harvest.

Right: Og talks to Sharon about her father, Finian.

Finian's Rainbow is all about how Finian McLonergan steals a crock of Gold from Ireland and hopes to become rich with it in America. But with the doings of Og the leprechaun and others in Rainbow Valley, his plans are foiled.

The sheriff talks to a geologist.

Woody, Finian and friends.

*** CAST ***

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| <i>Finian McLonergan</i> | Greg Lewis |
| <i>Sharon McLonergan</i> | Janet Postula |
| <i>Susan Mahoney</i> | Cindy Slack |
| <i>Woody Mahoney</i> | John Cleary |
| <i>Og, the leprechaun</i> | Teresa Bunce |
| <i>Senator Rawkins</i> | Steve Lydick |



"Finian and Sharon arrive in Rainbow Valley."



ACTIVITIES





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JAN REIGNS IN '69



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Principal Mr. Miller; Pat Baker, Senior; Dave Sellers, former Queen Carol Popenhagen; Reigning Queen Jan Christensen, Senior; Dave Mazzei, Kathy Steinbacher, Senior; Dick Gallagher, Robin Harrison, Junior; Ted Hicks, Debbie Wetzel, Junior; Larry Ross.



SENIOR FLOAT — 1st Place



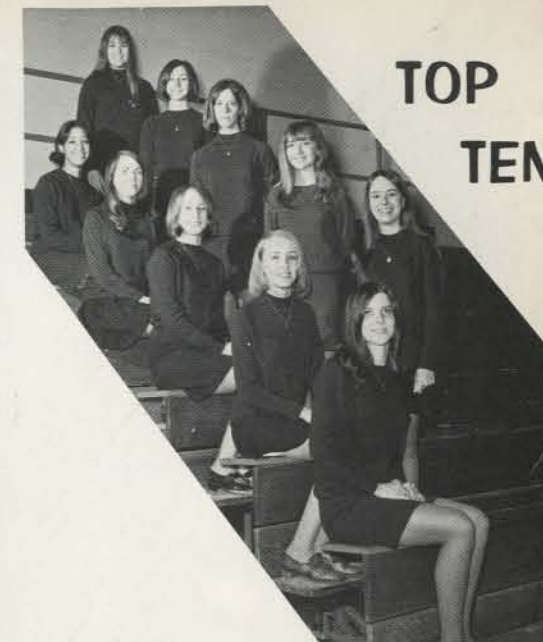
Paula Gilbreath Senior Class President receives trophy.



JUNIOR FLOAT



Debbie Wetzel and her driver from the Battle Creek Corvette Club.



TOP TEN

Back Row: Peggy Hector, Senior; Robin Harrison, Junior; Jill Utley, Sophomore; Linda Hicks, Freshman; Debbie Wetzel, Junior. Front Row: Pat Baker, Senior; Diane Boland, Junior; Jan Christensen, Senior; Lori LeFebre, Sophomore; Kathy Steinbacher, Senior.



Drum Major Gary McNickle shows how to lead the band.



SOPHOMORE FLOAT



FRESHMAN FLOAT





OCTOBER 4





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QUEEN—Gail Larson
KING—Dale Wilson



Whisper something soft and sweet in
my ear . . .



'Takin' it easy . . .

WINTER CARNIVAL



The Winter Carnival is an annual event at Springfield High School. The day is filled with games and, at night, the students return for the dance.

The big event was the crowning of Queen Pat Baker and King Rick Pol-lack. Those on the court included Deb Wetzal, Ron Roy, Susie Wenger, Ross Ramer, Joanie VanNocker, Mike Speck, Kathy Steinbacher and Mike Knapp.



Rick and Pat are all smiles.



The theme of the Carnival Dance was "Iced Illusions."



The "Klass" from Kalamazoo was a hit.

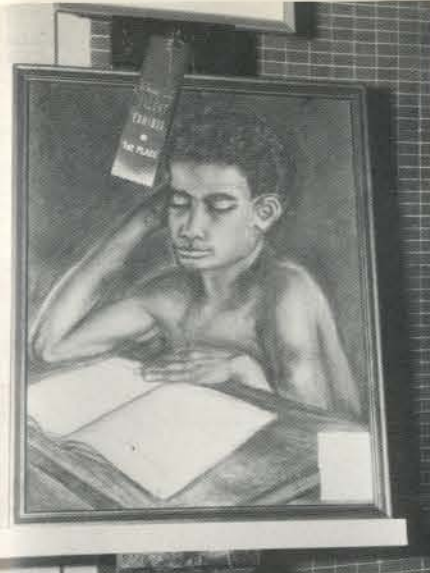




SPORTS AWARDS



Athletic
Director
Don Pope
presents the
"Coaches
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Phil
Britton.



Claudia Edwards' 1st place Art Exhibit.

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Dale Beaty's painting of "The Band."



Kathy Baklund's 1st place Home Ec. Project.



Dick Gallagher's 1st place Science Project.



Pete Steinbacher's Honorable Mention project in Industrial Arts.



Andy Worm's 3rd place, Industrial Arts Project.

1970 JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM



As has been traditional, the Junior Class sponsored the Prom. The Class of 1971 did a tremendous job on the decorations this year, which is much to their credit since they made all their own. It was evident that many days of hard work went into making this year's Prom one of the loveliest ever.

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STUDENT AWARDS



The above students are given their awards for the Springfield Talent Exhibit.



Above: The Student Council officers are acknowledged.



Gail Noble and Christy Drikakis were chosen to represent Springfield at Girls' State.



At Left: Mr. Rvor presents Kathy Steinbacher with the Math Award.



To The Right: Cheryl Wood receives the Crisco Award. She was also recognized as the Most Outstanding Senior Home Economics Student.



The students at the left are honored as the top ten Senior scholars.



Valedictorian Kathy A. Steinbacher



Salutatorian Paula K. Gilbreath



Mr. Miller, Principal, presenting the Class of 1970.



Dr. L. Dale Faunce giving the Commencement Address.

GRADUATION 1970



Mr. Sellers, Superintendent, introducing the speaker.

After a brief explanation of the honor associated with Springfield's most coveted award, the Paul Dodge Award, Mr. Miller presented the 1970 recipient SUSIE WENGER with the award.

Each year the award is given to a senior who is outstanding in citizenship and in their contribution to school life. The award is in memory of Paul Dodge from the first senior class at Springfield High School.





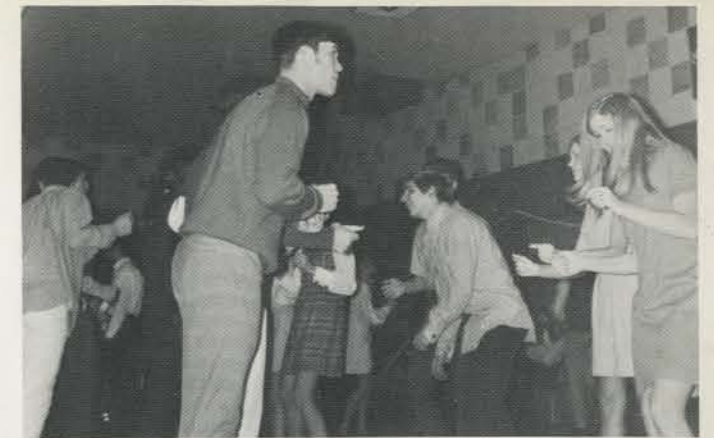
SENIORS HAVE A NEW KIND OF BACCALAUREATE



The Seniors this year updated the Baccalaureate service. To make the service more enjoyable, it was celebrated as a folk service. Chris Vander Poel and Sue Bishop provided the music and Reverend Donald Van Hoeven was the speaker. This event was very meaningful for all and will assuredly be remembered.



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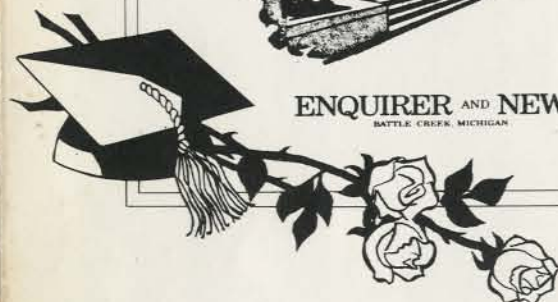


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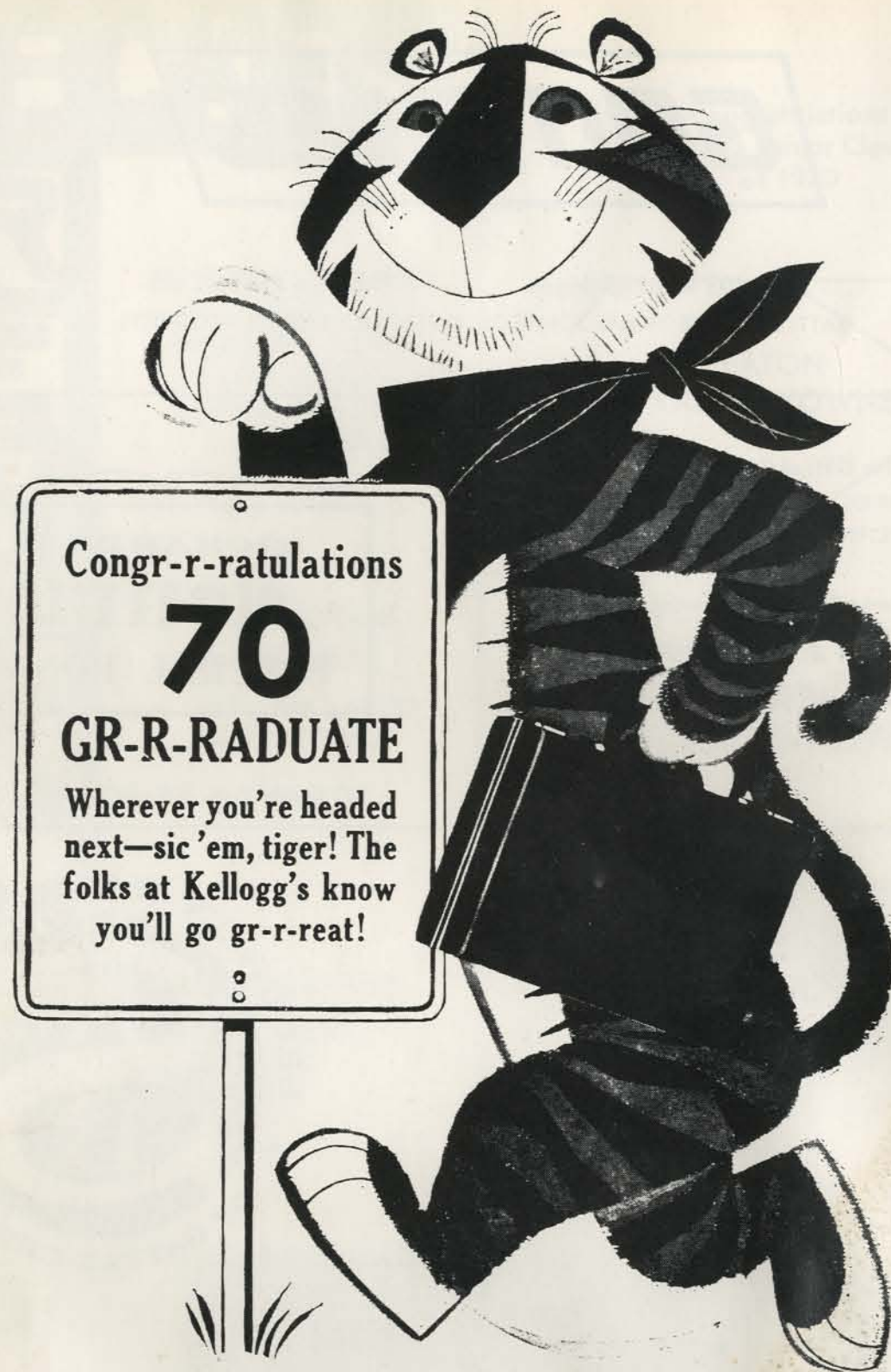


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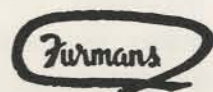
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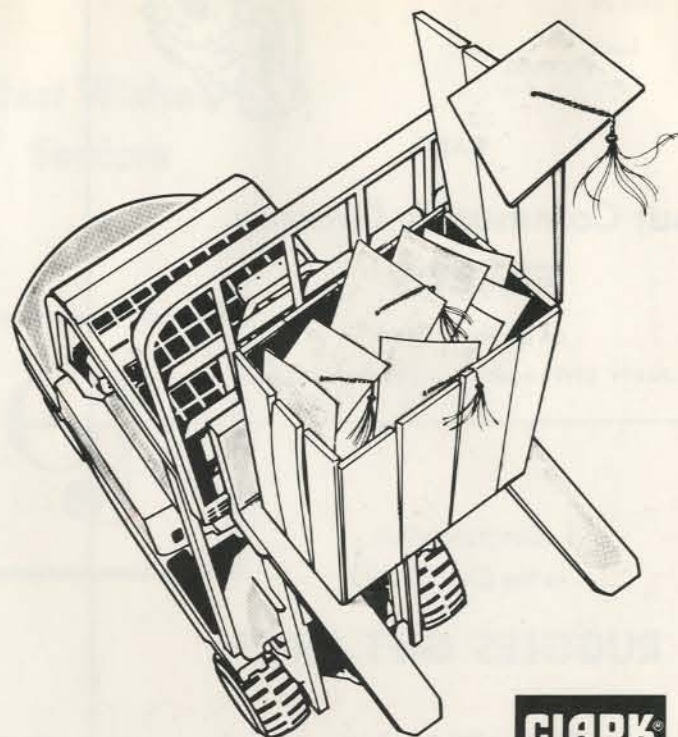
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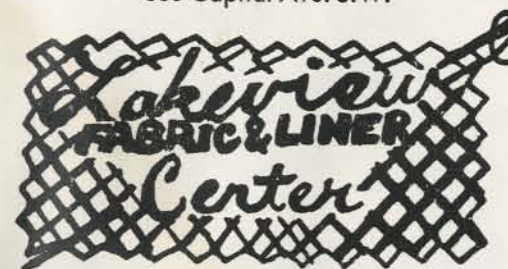
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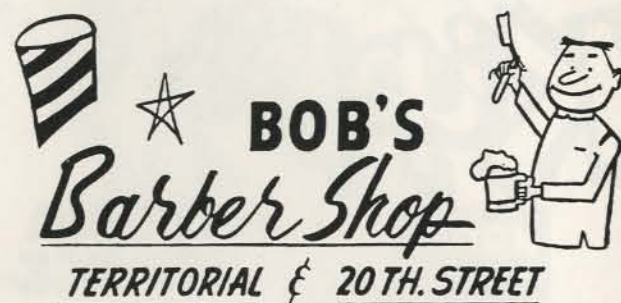
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the future with the
Boys and all you do.
Valerie
Perkins
"74"

AUTOGRAPHS

To Charlene,
To a very nice,
and sweet girl
who is a good
friend & hope we
will always be
good friends
D.B. "73"

To Charlene,
I hope you find a
cool guy tomorrow. But believe
me you won't find one at
this school. Charles had a
little lamb, we tried to
to the water. But everything
he turned around he turned
no little water. Hail! I
was am glad I have had
the opportunity to know you!
I will never forget all the
fun we have had. I hope
we will continue to have
fun together! Good luck
finding that special guy.
We ya "73"
D.B.

Charlene,
To a very nice
friend of mine. You
very sweet and kind
to everyone Charlene.

Love
D. Most

Charlene,
Good luck
in everything
Debbie
Hicks
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Charlene,
To the most
Sweetest Kid I
have ever known.
Don't play around so much
with the boys (okay).
Good Luck Always

Judy
Kissinger
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Charlene,
you are the dumb
kid I have ever saw.
you are also retarded &
selfish. you are stupid.
you are also brainless.
Not really but you
are brainless. You forget
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