

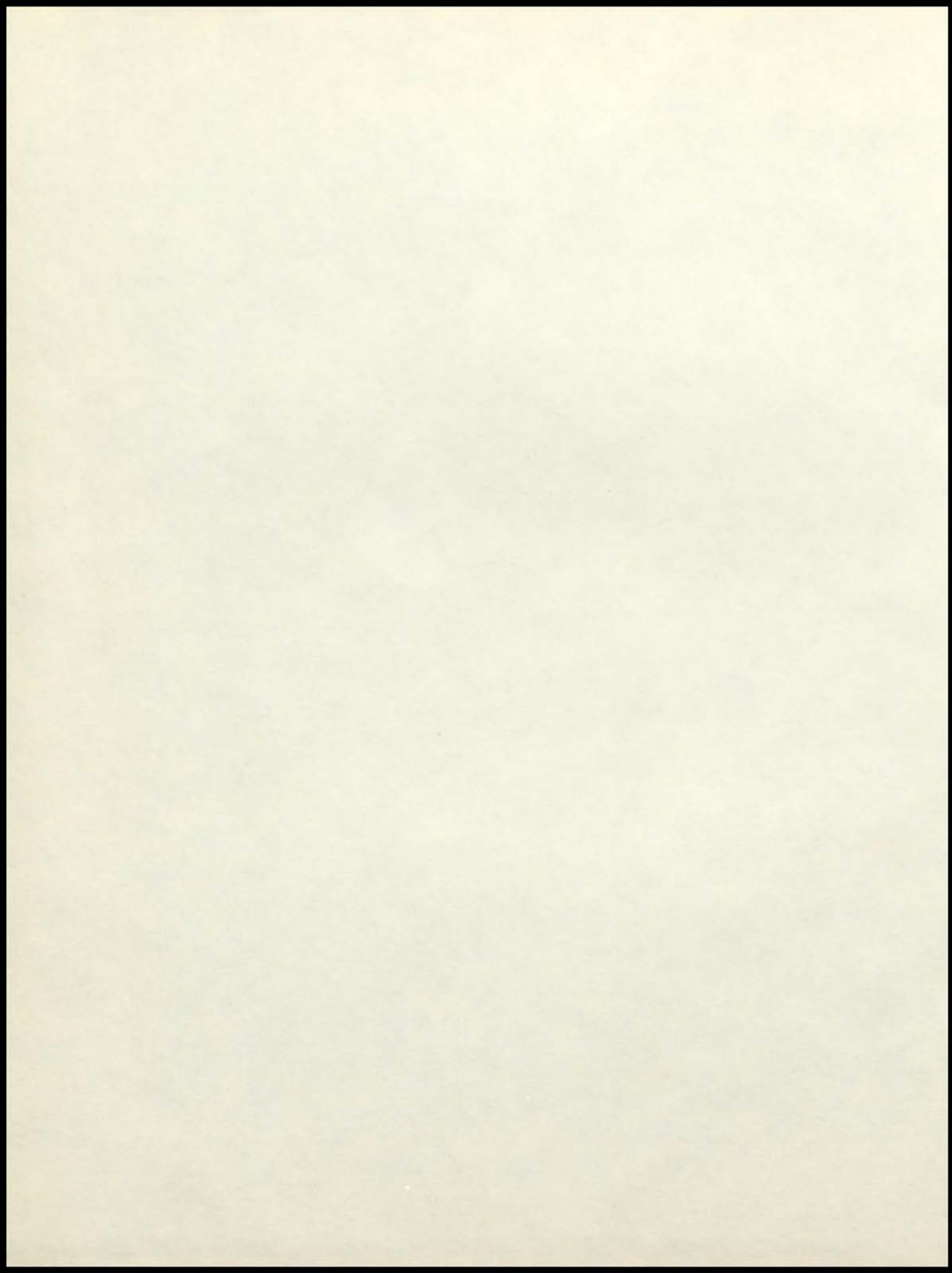


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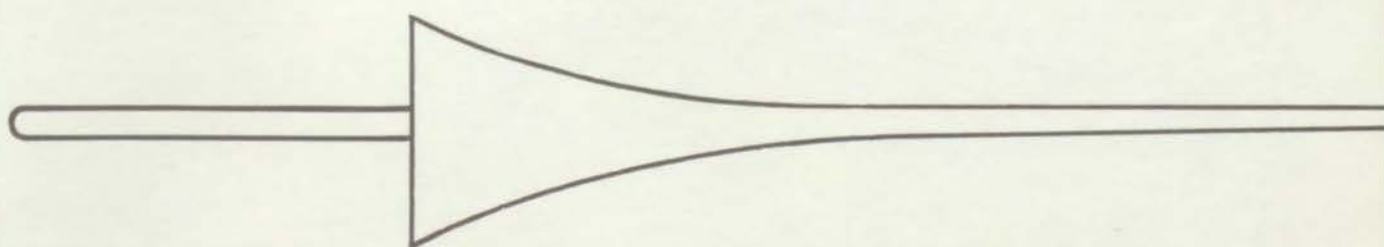






# Lancee '68

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Independence, Missouri  
Volume IV*



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"ST. MARY IS a place where we hope to acquire a Christian education. It is a place where we can learn to live and work together—where we can learn to give of ourselves to good causes, just as we should do in the world of adult living. Our school is a place where we learn to follow Christ as Christians." These ideas helped Carol Luebbert '70, win the Student Council-sponsored Flag Designing contest.

The blue and white background of the triple-sectioned flag, bears a design drawn on a white center and enclosed in a shield. Below the school's initials at the top are three interlacing circles, which form a trinity. In the first circle is a cross with the symbols Alpha and Omega—Greek letters for beginning and end. Below the cross is the Book of Scripture, through which the Church teaches us to follow Christ. This first circle, designating life, interlocks with the second which relates to our Catholic education. Here, the lamp of learning, shedding its light upon a quill and scroll, symbolizes our efforts for knowledge.

The circle designating our Catholic education leads to the third circle which represents the world into which we go at the end of our educational life. To show the guidance of the Holy Spirit through which we establish peace, good-will, and friendship with all men, two different-colored hands are extended in friendship.

# MARY

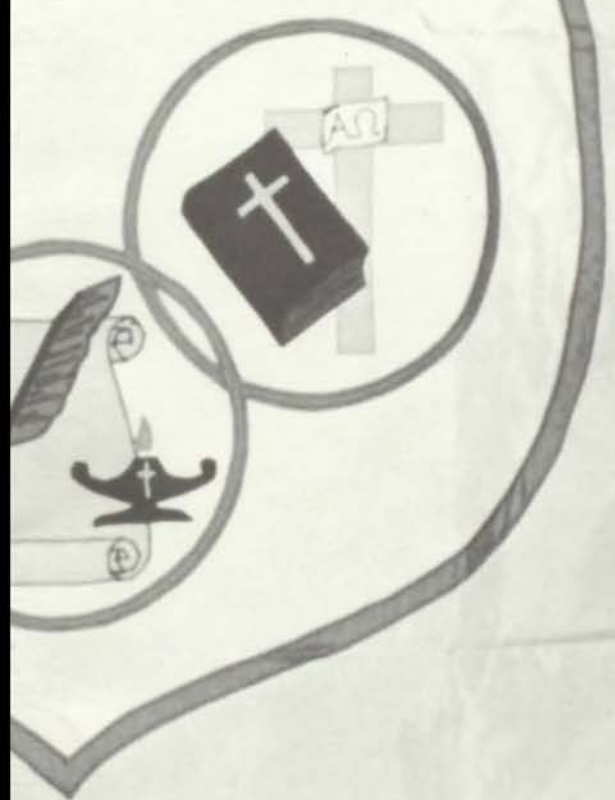


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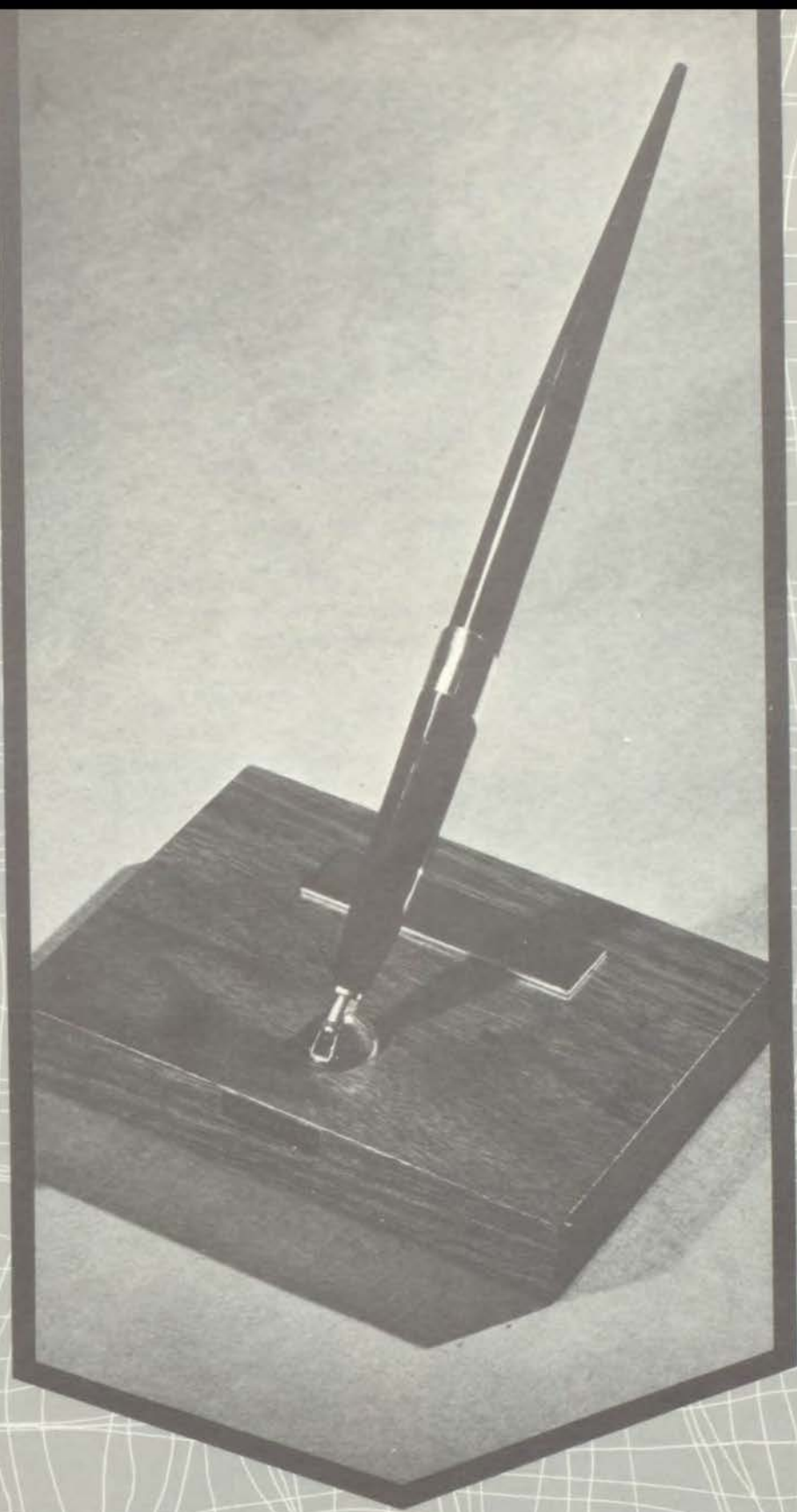
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**ADMINISTRATORS AND**





**FACULTY SET PACE**

# Lilliputian Reigns Supreme Over SMH

## Fr. Cameran, Coach Keep School Rolling

FOR THE FIRST time in the history of St. Mary's his Excellency, Bishop Charles Helmsing appointed a full time diocesan director. Rev. Robert M. Cameran arrived at St. Mary's in the Spring of 1967. Fr. Cameran received his B.A. degree from Forham University in New York (His home state) and his M.A. in Educational Administration from the Catholic University of America in Washington D.C.

Sister Rose Marie, academic principal, despite her petite stature which enables even the freshmen to over-tower her, still manages to guide and direct St. Mary's 217 students.

Mr. William Hopper, vice-principal, keeps in touch with the students while coaching football and wrestling, by teaching four classes and supervising school discipline problems.



Principal Sister Rose Marie, RSM



Director Rev. Robert M. Cameran



Vice-principal Mr. William C. Hopper

Bishop Charles H. Helmsing



Cafeteria Help: Dana Cooper, Floyd Herrell, Mary Kay Thompson, June Martin.



Office Helpers: B. Smith, R. Anderson, P. Daniel, K. Geraghty.

Behind-The-Scenes

## Hidden Activity Gives Life



Secretary Mrs. Lorraine Gietzen

SMILING STUDENTS WALKING down a clean hall between late afternoon classes mean that some important people are on the job.

Bending over hot stoves, pushing brooms, wiping tables, answering the phone, delivering messages, or even doing dishes, these important people make possible those joyful strides down clean halls.



Engineer Mr. Frank M. Bell



Cafeteria Managers: The Madams Norma Knowlton, Marie Weiss, Sue Evans, Juanita Parks.



Mr. Raymond Manuel



Sister Mary Karlanne, RSM



Rev. Richard Ducate

## Faculty Sparks Spirit In Students

NEW FACES MAKE up forty percent of this year's teaching staff. One of the new faculty members, Mrs. Carlene Negus, is majoring in dramatics at UMKC. Srs. M. Loretta, Michon, and Jeannene came from Omaha. Sr. Rose Marie and Sr. M. Alice moved to Independence from other Missouri schools. New faces have meant new programs as in Religion and Music.



Sister Mary Theodore, RSM



Sister Marie Catherine, RSM



Mrs. Carlene Negus



Sister Mary Benita, RSM



Sister Mary Loretta, RSM



Sister Mary Jeannene, RSM



Sister Mary Michon, RSM

## Teachers Turn-on Students' Talents



Coach Walter Tylicki and Son Jeff

CHEERS AND TEARS at basketball games, chaperoning dances, or producing three dozen home-made doughnuts for a bake sale are regular St. Mary faculty feats.

Without neglecting academics, St. Mary's '67-68 teachers launched an all-out effort to promote the personal growth and happiness of each student.

NCMEA, Journalism, Student Council, FBLA, Thespians, and other extracurriculars ticked with activity and joy under the eyes of interested sponsors.

Students, aware of the faculty's interest in activities, manufactured little ways of expressing thanks. Sr. M. dePaul, for example, received a Valentine cake from her senior homeroom. Sr. M. Michon accepted a pair of orange stockings from her French class, for one of her many birthdays.



Sister Mary Alice, RSM

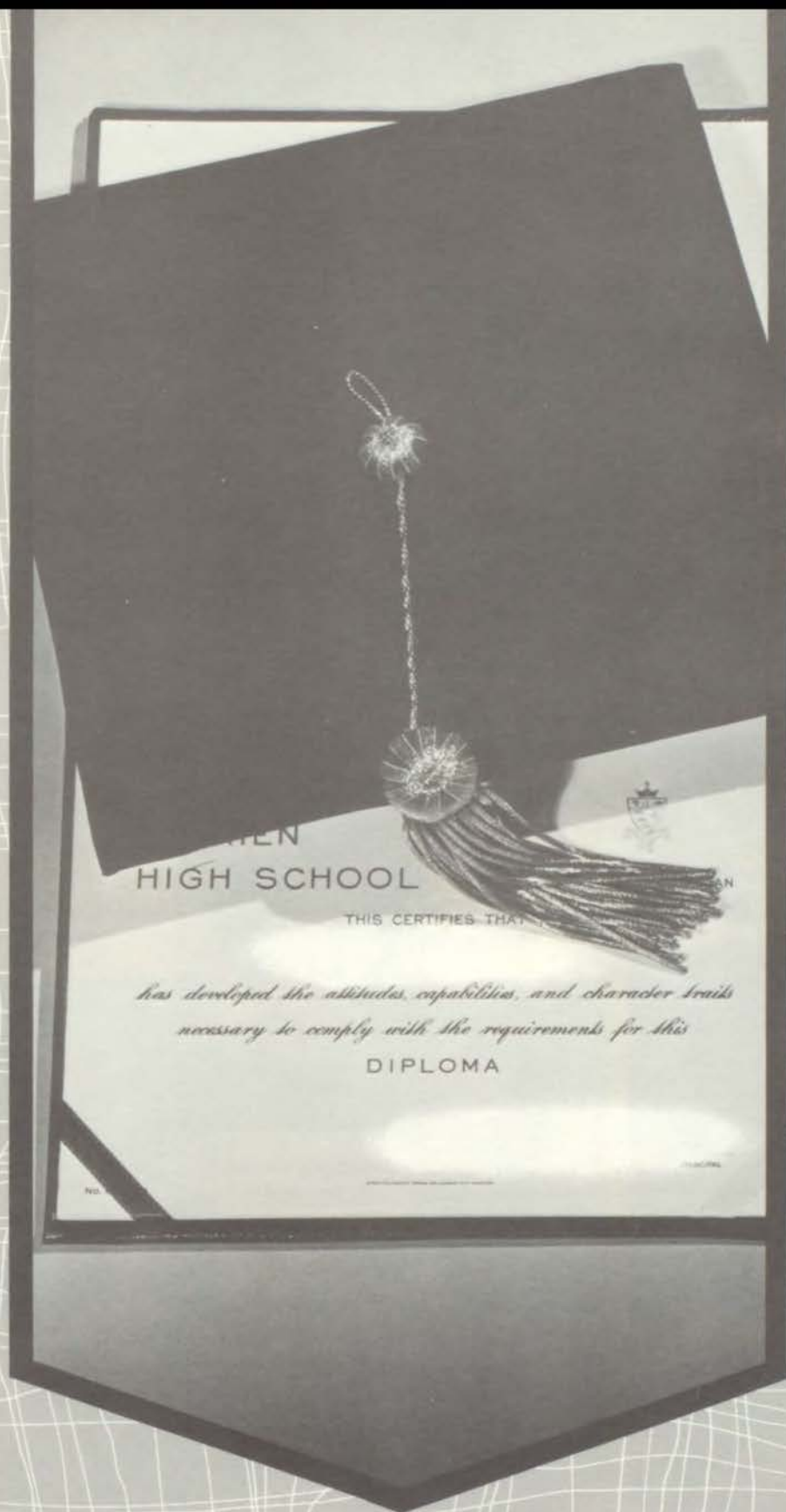


Sister Mary dePaul, RSM



Coach Robert Meyers

**SENIORS**



WEN  
HIGH SCHOOL

THIS CERTIFIES THAT

*has developed the attitudes, capabilities, and character traits  
necessary to comply with the requirements for this*

DIPLOMA

LEAD THE WAY

# Seniors of '68 - Step Out to the Future



Rick Lathrom  
H.R. President



Cheryl Cain  
H.R. President



Preston Strosnider  
SC Vice-President

Rama Anderson  
SC Secretary



Mary Naccarato  
H.R. Vice-President



Kathleen Cascio  
SC President



Robert Aubrecht  
H.R. Vice-President



Thomas Hedberg  
SC Treasurer



Michael Puhr  
SC Corr. Secretary





Robert Albert  
Pamela Biber

Keith Bonkoski  
Robert Bunyar



As the 'great debate' wages on, some sleep, some study, but some display their usual 'attentive alertness' as Coach Tylicki's American Problems class discusses current world issues. This 'active concern' is shown daily by the involved conversations of the senior students.

Richard Champion  
Roger Crain

Dale Crites  
Pamela Daniel

Irene Davis  
Linda Eimer





ENDANGERING the lives of all those who may dare to enter the gym during Social Hour, the 'innocent' senior boys, in their stocking feet, play disrupting games of basketball.

James Farrell  
Marta Fessler

Kathleen Freemyer  
Kathleen Geraghty



Michael Giarrantano  
Steve Gorman

Edward Gross  
Sherry Hallagin

Joseph Heater  
Becky Hennrich

Michael Higbee  
Steven Hoye





Norma Huddleston  
George Indelicato  
Virginia Kearney  
Shiela Kluska

Nina Jasso  
Edward Johann  
Linda Kriz  
Sherri Layden

Anna Mahon  
Theresa Mangold

June Martin  
Linda Mason

THOROUGHLY absorbed in illustrating groovy teen dance movements, R. Puhr, N. Huddleston, N. Jasso, and L. Eimer 'skate' to the psychedelic sound of the fabulous Renegades.





Linda Mikulich  
Kenneth Myers

Rita Novak  
Ronald Novak

Thomas O'Neill  
James Peak

Catherine Powers  
Rose Puhr

Edward Rockers  
Vicki Royal

Bruce Smith  
Linda Smith

"LOADING UP" with books for an evening of study, seniors Virginia Kearney, Mary Lynn Naccarato, Becky Hennrich, and Irene Davis make their final stop before returning home.





Lonna Smith



Kathryn Stine



James Thompson



Frances Totta



Barbara Wiedekehr



Gary Woods



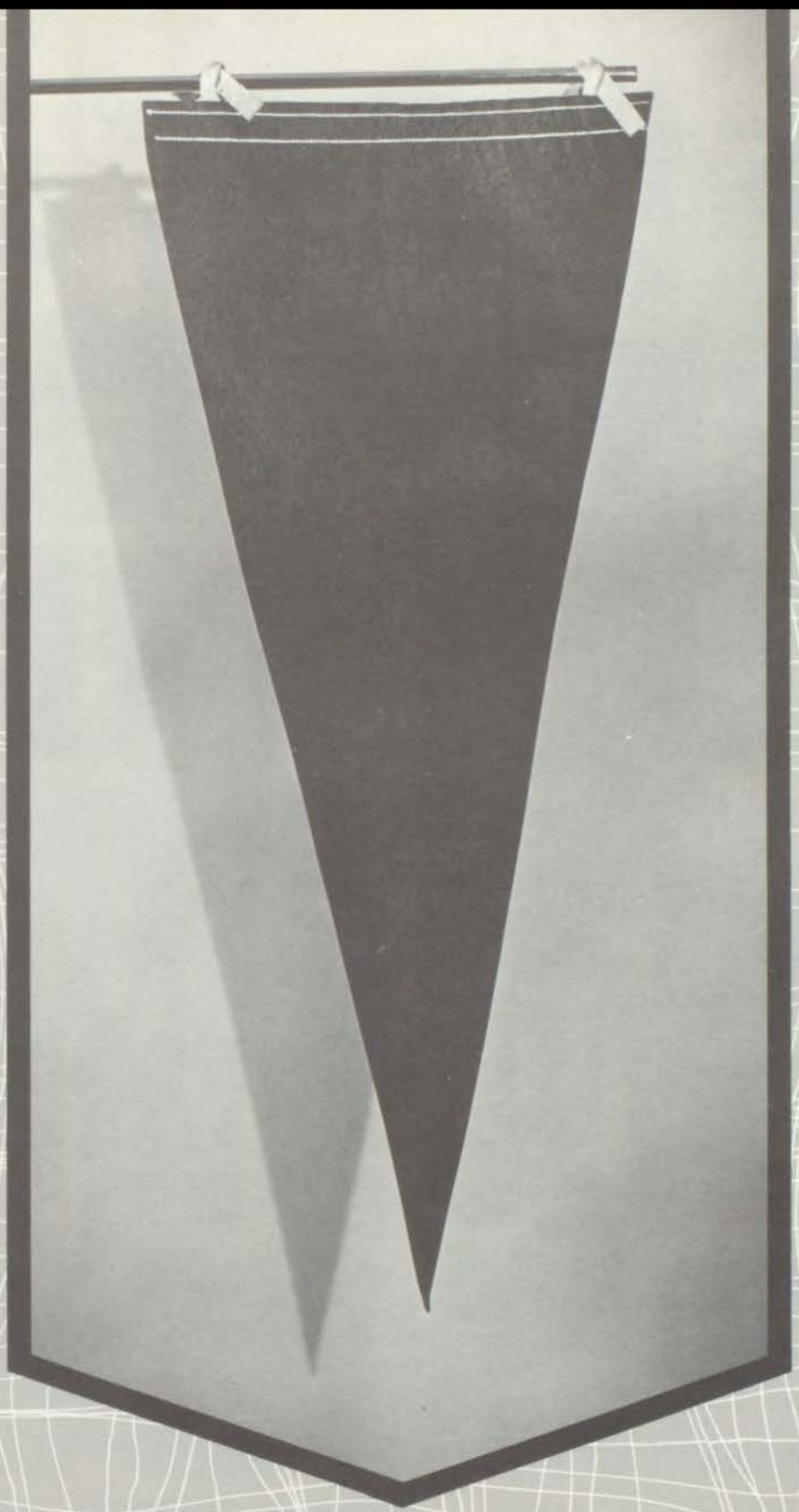
Stephen York

PRINCE Preston Charming and his World's Finest Chocolate came to the rescue of Snow Beige Cheryl and her Seven Hoods in the skit put on by the senior class to herald the beginning of the annual

chocolate sale. By shooting to a 327% victory, seniors not only earned themselves a free day, but also maintained the old senior tradition of "Staying On Top" in sales.



**UNDERCLASSMEN BOAST**



**ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

# '68 Juniors

## One More Year To Go

H. R. Officers:  
Jim Freemyer  
John Mithelavage  
Gretchen Engler



H. R. Officers:  
Mary Schroer  
Dana Cooper  
T. J. Lamb  
Teresa Petrovic  
Helen Myers



Tom Bates  
Marie Baumann  
Linda Beachner  
Marcia Bukaty  
Mike Bukaty

Debbie Ciampa  
Susan Crabbe  
John Dec  
Steve Emmert  
John Gray



Bob Gronniger  
John Hatfield  
Floyd Herrell  
Elizabeth Hill  
Charles Kearney

Vona Kelsey  
Diane Knowlton  
Beverly Layden  
Christina Logue  
Cindy Lynch



CHRIS and Corinne  
swing as John and  
Vince clown to beat.  
T. J., Marcia, and  
George take a break.  
Dana plays hippie.



# Step Up To Future



MMMMM!! Tantalizing goodies sell fast to hungry Junior customers, who dig in as proceeds pay for junior-senior prom.



Roberta Marquis  
Connie Martin

Theresa Messina  
Barbara Moran  
Mary Norman



Patty Ann O'Donnell  
Patty Jo O'Donnell  
Rick Olivares

Corinne O'Neill  
George Owen  
Steve Pallo  
George Pavela  
Mary Peters



Carolyn Puhr  
John Riley  
Rita Robertson  
Charles Rodgers  
Jim Roper

Bill Seck  
Debbie Smith  
Gerry Smith  
Barbara Soetaert  
Gloria Stasi



Dave Steffa  
Vince Totta  
John Trow  
Robin York

# Class of '70 Step Into Juniors Shoes

## Half Way Mark Reached As School Years Whiz By



SOPHOMORE girls work on religion banners; Coach's world history class meets.



Jim Albin  
Kathleen Bennett  
Jeannen Black



Margaret Bock  
Gary Booth  
Tom Callahan  
Bill Champion



Jo Ellen Clark  
Dennis Crites  
Muriel Davis  
Terri Day



Dianne Downing  
Larry Espinosa  
Becky Fox  
Gene Gietzen  
Cathy Grady



Gary Gross  
Tama Heater  
Fred Holtz  
Paul Hughes  
Ronnie Jensen



Robert Kearney  
Bonnie Lamb  
Mike Lamb  
Dennis Lathrom



H. R. Officers:  
 Eddie Dec  
 Nancy Engler  
 Dennis Hooten  
 Carol Luebbert  
 Kevin Eimer



Yvonne Mainhorst  
 Ce Ce Marquis  
 H.R. Officers:  
 Gary Salva  
 Margie Esser  
 Grace Schroer

Susan Meyer  
 Philip Moran  
 Ann Myer  
 Kevin Myers



Becky Perrin  
 Chris Ragan  
 Barbara Riley  
 Michael Stefancik  
 Steve Steffes

Frank Stewart  
 Mike Van Kirk  
 Sherry Wright  
 Jeff Zugaj



SOME soph. students clown  
 during the noon time social  
 hour; others rest and watch.



# Frosh Hop, Skip, Jump

## Freshmen Swing Into Step Behind Sophomores, Upperclassmen

Jimmie Arend  
Margaret Batliner  
Cora Bauman



Joseph Bowles  
John Brodzinski  
Mary K. Butkovich

Denise Collins  
Gary Conway  
Greg Conway



David Emmert  
Mark Emmert  
Christine Engler

LOADS of books can't stop the smiling Freshmen as they eagerly hurry to the cafeteria to be first in lunch-line.

Kathy Fields  
Barbara Freemyer  
John Freemyer



Larry Graham  
John Gutierrez  
Albert Hall  
Debbie Hallagin  
Dennis Hogue

# Up To Future



H. R. Officers:  
Ed Funkhouser  
Gilbert Truman  
Kathryn Myers



H. R. Officers:  
Michael Riley  
Sue Galvan  
Penny Puhr  
Jerry Doumitt  
Don Schmidt

John Hughes  
Paulino Jim  
Mary Ann Kensinger  
Darryl Logue  
Jerry Lynch



Robert Martin  
John Monteil  
Scott Nabors  
Terry Narron  
Pam Neese

Robert O'Donnell  
Dennis Pyle  
Martha Rhodelander  
Gerard Rodriguez  
Daniel Sommers

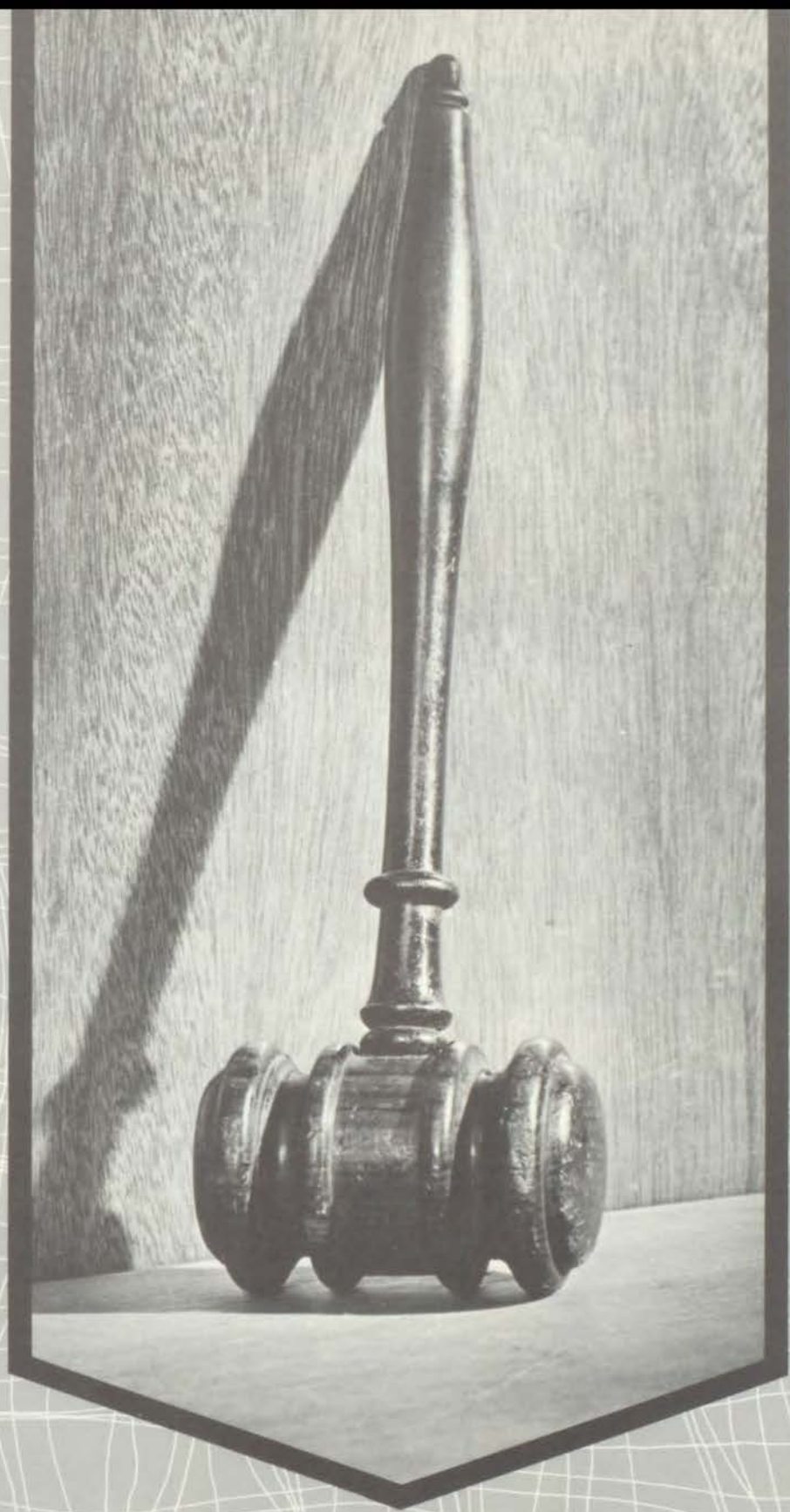


Diana Stasi  
Gary Stewart  
Mary Thompson  
Anna Tortorice  
Brenda Tuohey

Doyle Weishar  
Denise Williams  
Terrence Wright  
Vicki Young  
Nancy Jo Zugaj



**ACTIVITIES ROUND**



**OUT SCHOOL LIFE**

# Movies, Records Dress-up English Classes



CONCLUDING a four-day panel in Sr. M. Alice's Junior English class, Diane Knowlton, Marcia Bukaty, Susan Crabbe, and Elizabeth Hill discuss the morality of war and of the nuclear bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki by the United States.

UNDER THE SUPERVISION of Srs. M. Alice, DePaul, Michon and Theodore Saint Mary English students have enjoyed the department's decision to incorporate more class discussions and audio-visual aids. Classes have probed the literary and social implications of books like Hiroshima, movies like Shakespeare's "Age of Man" and records like Chas. Lamb's "Dissention of a Roast Pig."



DURING the four-day panel on Hiroshima, Juniors Mary Peters, Roberta Marquis, and Vince Totta discuss the morality of dropping the nuclear bomb.



SOPHOMORE English students are digging out their own interpretations of Edgar Allan Poe's "The Raven." Steve Steffas finagles instructor Sr. M. DePaul into helping him with his own interpretation of the poem.



FROSH Mary Kay Thompson looks for some prompting from fellow students during a diagraming quiz.



SR. M. MICHON helps June Martin with a composition during third-hour Senior English class. Preston Stronsnider's not patient enough to wait for Sister; he's conned Lonna Smith into helping with his problem. Could Mike Puhr be enjoying his work.





ANYONE who thinks boys are not expert seamstresses should be around to view the craftsmanship of sophomore and junior boys as they design and construct religion banners from burlap and felt material scraps.



SENIOR sex-education day finds Steve York, Irene Davis and Rick Lathrom enjoying a break between lectures and movies with Sr. M. Christelle, guest lecturer.

No texts, new texts . . . .

## Experiments Highlight Religion Classes



LESSONS in liturgy blossom into student-planned classroom Masses complete with guitars, folksongs, and dialogue homilies.



B. CHAMPION and G. Pavela tune up for junior class mass.

PRESTON Strosnider lights Advent candle at ceremonies.

STUDYING church art prompted this banner design by C. O'Neil.

J. FREEMEYER, B. Gronigger act out psychological defenses.

M. VAN KIRK baptizes P. Moran and B. Perrin acts as sponsor.



# Skits, Scrabble,



MOVING in with a tricky word, Mike Lamb racks-up points by stumping his opponents (Sophomores Nancy Engler, Bonnie Lamb, and Carol Luebbert) in gripping game of Latin "Scrabble".



GERMAN I class, sponsored by Sr. M. de Paul, enjoy adding the final trimmings to a replica of the original "Tannenbaum" which they decorated for the annual Student Council Christmas Program.



DENNIS LATHROM, Anna Mahon, and Mike VanKirk attempt to camouflage the bull (Mike Stefancik) while Kathleen Bennett and Becky Fox continue to write script for the Spanish bull fight.



# Holiday Festivities Captivate Linguistics

## Dwarfs, Bull Highlight Show

LANGUAGE CLASSES ACQUAINT students with the culture as well as the language of foreign countries they study.

Bruno Gustal, French foreign exchange student at Van Horn, introduced French customs to the French I class in September. Jim Bailey '67 visited the German class on his return trip from Germany. Latin students have increased their vocabulary by relating English derivatives with Latin roots. Spanish students spiced SMH's annual variety show with the flavor of Spain as they presented an "authentic" bullfight complete with matador and bull. Latin I frosh learn basic structure from Father Cameron, whose main concern is not teaching, but directing St. Mary's.



SURROUNDED by Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, the wicked queen, portrayed by Mary Schroer, casts her spell on the French I class as they rehearse their annual French interpretation of a well-known children's fairy tale for the April 5 talent show.



BLACKBOARD tactics aid Father Cameron in explaining Latin I grammar rules to Freshmen Darryl Logue and Penny Puhr.

"BONJOUR, Madame," exclaims Mary Lynn Naccarato '68 (la marchande) greeting Lonna Smith '68 (la cliente) and Barbara Moran '69 (sa fille) as they enter her make-believe French food market. Mary Lynn's shrewd sales pitch amuses German class.



# Molecules, Formulas Link Science-Math Chain

SENIOR Ed Johann and junior Gerry Smith test an unknown quantity for  $\text{CuSO}_4$  content.



AS Pres Strosnider removes zinc from boiler, Linda Eimer watches the thermometer. Ed Gross records temp while Sheila Kluska calculates specific heat.



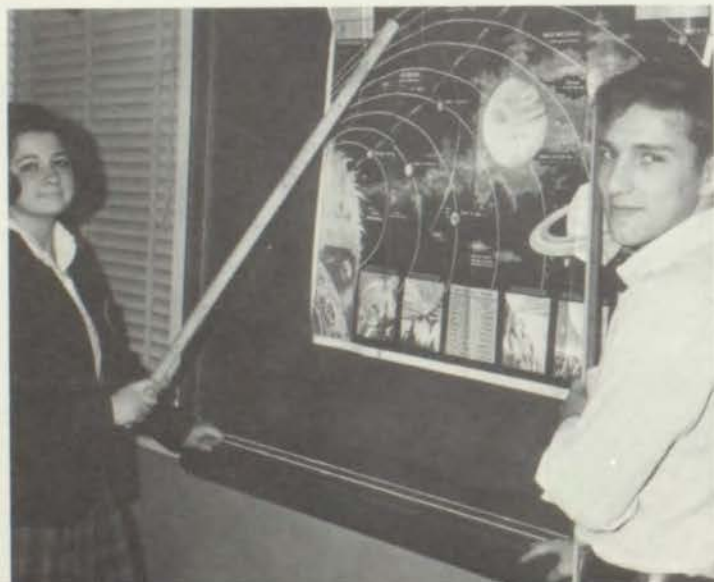
SCIENCE AND MATH serve as a battleground between teachers Sr. M. Karlanne and Mr. Raymond Manuel. Sister thinks math is for math and for enjoyment. Mr. Manuel, a practical mathematician, says math is for the sake of science, to be applied in everyday situations. He dislikes the paper work new math takes. No one finds future arbitration likely.

Even four-year math students find getting involved in this private war beyond their comprehension.

BEWILDERING problems that Algebra II students Dana Cooper and John Trow are solving for national test practice.



STARS, earth and moon are the heavenly bodies that General Science students study. Freshmen Debbie Halligan and Danny Summers are finding distances between earth and stars on an astronomy chart.



SOPHOMORE Ron Jensen demonstrates the advantages of using a king sized compass in drawing and understanding geometric designs in Sr. M. Karlanne's geometry class.



"I'd rather write than switch," cry many junior typing students who have switched from manual to electric typewriters or vice versa. Junior typists under the direction of business teacher Sr. M. Benita are

taking warm up drills to prepare for time writings. Leading the class in typing speeds are juniors Teresa Pertovic, Marcy Bukaty, Rita Robertson, and Chris Logue.



OFFICE practice student June Martin '68 types letters while operating the dictaphone instead of transcribing shorthand.

## P's and Q's of Business Useful Today, Tomorrow

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT PRESENTS opportunities for acquiring marketable skills. Some Students taking shorthand, typing, bookkeeping or office practice utilize their skill at part-time jobs which they hope will lead to a career. Others anticipate positions without formal education after graduation.

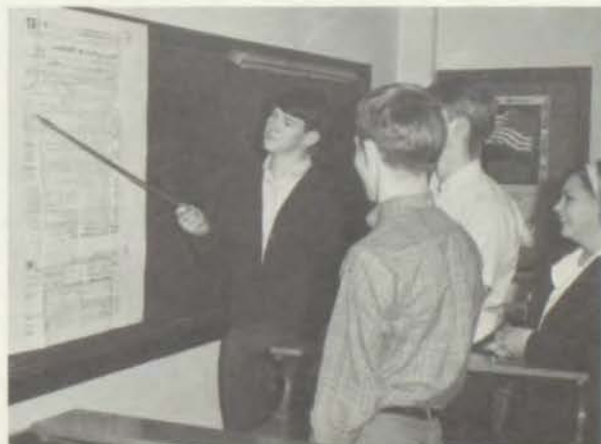
Office practice students type stencils for the quarterly Alumni newsletter. They type labels and the up-to-date mailing list for Inner-City Tutors, Inc., the Alumni Association and the Council on Religion and Race.

Pam Daniel types the most words at a rate of 80 words per minute.



TRANSCRIBING their shorthand with assistance from dictionaries are juniors Marie Baumann, Diane Knowlton, Marcia Bukaty, Cindy Lynch, Debbie Smith, Helen Myers, Barbara Moran and Patty Jo O'Donnell.

AS Jim Farrell explains about deductions on the gigantic income tax form that he filled out for bookkeeping class, seniors Jim Thompson, Roger Crain and Linda Mason listen.



# Social Studies, Fine Arts Open Doors Student Debates Provide



FRESHMEN Larry Graham, Denise Collins, Vicki Young, John Hughes, and Bob O'Donnell study maps in Sr. Marie Catherine's civics class.



FINDING out what makes people "tick" is one of the objectives of Coach Meyers' psychology class. Separate discussion groups are preparing to take turns teaching the class about different psychological processes.

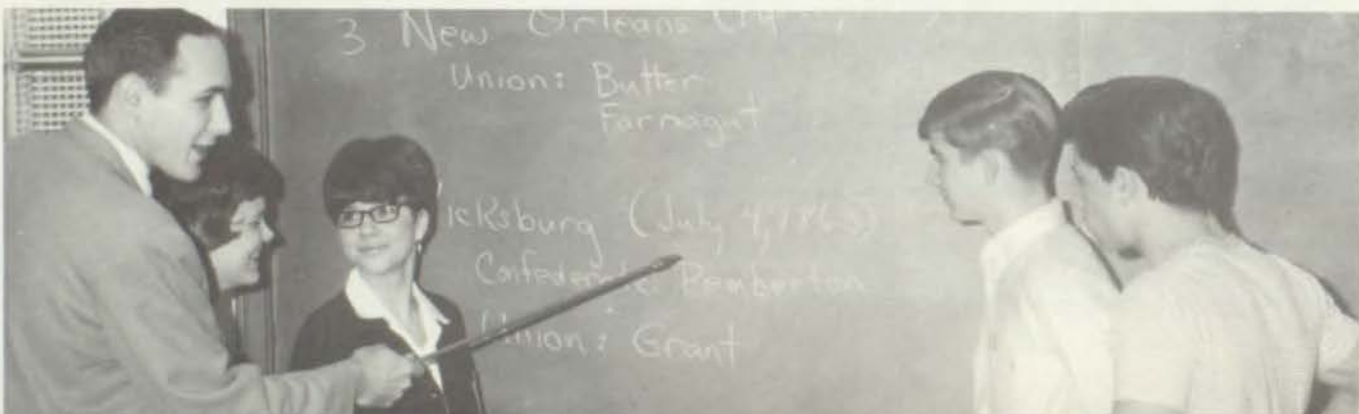


SENIORS in Coach Tylicki's American Problems class, led by Preston Strosnider, debate such topics as the war in Viet Nam and fair housing.




UNSURE about what is on the minds of his world history students, Coach Hopper is assured by a student that "World history has given me an over all view of the past, and a background for the how and why of today."

RITA Robertson, Teresa Petrovic, Charles Rogers and Vince Totta study major battles of the Civil War in Coach Tylicki's U.S. history class.



# of Discovery, Understanding; Challenging Opportunities for Expression



IF "GOOD SOCIAL studies students make good citizens" as Sr. Marie Catherine, civics instructor, believes, St. Marians taking advantage of everything from ancient history to modern psychology should be valuable citizens in a democracy. Students in Mr. Meyers' psychology class are practicing democracy by assuming the role of teacher.

In fine arts classes students express the living concepts learned in social studies.

DRAMITIZING the daily routine to fighting the alarm clock, brushing teeth, and combing hair, D. Lathrom T. Heater, D. Hooten, M. Davis, G. Salva and M. Van Kirk enjoy one of Mr. Carlene Negus' speech class.



FURROWED brows and aching backs keep Steve Emmert, Gerry Smith and Tom Bates from forgetting that drafting class requires tedious, exact work. Nevertheless, the boys come back for more.



AIDED by Sr. Marie Catherine, Bob Albert works on a sketch as Dana Cooper puts finishing touches on one of his paintings. Both have won art award.



UNDER the direction of Sr. Marie Catherine, art instructor, St. Marians practice lettering. Junior Theresa Messina looks on and offers suggestions for bulletin boards and decorations to fellow students.





BINDING current magazines, stamping return dates, and collecting money for overdue books are only a few duties of

library club members. Weekly courses in library science prepared club members to re-catalogue the library's entire collection.



VAST circulation keeps library shelves dustless and seniors Sherri Layden and June Martin busy replacing books.

## Club Members Re-catalogue Library's Entire Collection; Counseling Provides for Educational, Personal Needs



SELENE MARQUIS '70 reviews her achievement test percentiles with guidance counselor Sr. M. Alice.

SPORTING A LARGER membership than ever before the library club, sponsored by Sr. M. Jeanene, keeps the library running smoothly with each member working two hours a week.

For the first time in their history St. Marians benefit from an organized guidance department, established by Srs. M. Alice and de Paul, to provide professional assistance to meet educational and personal needs of students.



PAT MORROW, a '67 graduate, relates his experiences in the US Navy to junior boys.



# National Honor Students Set Goals High

THE MARIAN CHAPTER of the National Honor Society holds as its ideals Character, Leadership, Scholarship and Service. Its seventeen full-fledged and three sophomore probationary members take on the obligations as well as the privileges of belonging to a nationwide society of potential leaders.



NEWLY inducted officers of NHS are: seniors Cheryl Cain, President; Linda Eimer, vice-president; Marta Fessler, secretary and junior Jim Freemyer treasurer.

DURING the NHS initiation ceremony of new members, Senior Lonna Smith and Junior Patricia A. O'Donnell light their candles from the one flame of "Truth" before making their final membership promises.



NHS members with sponsor Sister M. Alice. Bottom: Cheryl Cain, Kathy Geraghty, Kathy Cascio, Marta Fessler, Rose Puhr, Linda Eimer, Lonna Smith, Rita Robertson. Middle: Corinne O'Neill,

Elizabeth Hill, Mary Schroer, Theresa Messina, Patty O'Donnell, Teresa Petrovic. Top: Preston Strosnider, John Trow, Bonnie Lamb, Jeff Zugaj, Grace Schroer and Jim Freemyer.

WHEN Mr. Ackerman and Sr. M. Loretta meet, LANCE and SHIELD staff members can count on more work and longer hours.



AFTER the grueling experience of preparing LANCE and SHIELD copy and pictures for publication, all thirty journalism members know the value of "time and patience". Each member reported for the SHIELD and edited at least four pages in the LANCE.

## SM Journalists Meet Shield, Lance Deadlines

## Banquet Discloses New Shield,



MR. ACKERMAN, Inter-Collegiate Press, Inc. representative, helps staff members solve yearbook paste-up problems.

PASTING up adds from area merchants to help finance the yearbook are Debbie Smith '69 and Steve Gorman '68.



MARY NACCARATO'S tears are tears of joy not sorrow: LANCE layouts are finished. Juniors add last minute touches.



PHOTOGRAPHERS F. Herrell, M. Schroer, S. Gorman, L. Mikulich and G. Schroer inspect shutter speeds on the camera.



CATCHING a breath of fresh air between yearbook deadlines are editors Linda Eimer '68 and Mary Lynn Naccarato '68.



## Lance Editors

DEADLINES, LAY-OUTS, PASTE-ups, and camera techniques introduced journalists to the publication world.

Under the direction of Sr. M. Loretta and the leadership of student editors, staff members studied the theory and art of paper and yearbook publication and learned to calculate F/stops and shutter speeds on the new Yashica Camera.

End of the year activities included tours, a banquet, and a dance. Student journalists visited the Inter-Collegiate Press where the LANCE is printed. Another tour took them to the North Kansas City Dispatch to become acquainted with the off-set printing of the SHIELD.

At a banquet, LANCE editor, Mary Lynn Naccarato and SHIELD editor, Cathy Powers announced the '68-'69 editors. On May 25th, the department sponsored a dance to raise money to defray photography expenses.



BRUCE SMITH '68 one of the 191 subscribers to the SHIELD, receives his issue from sports editor Rose Puhr '68.

ENJOYING a brief recess from the tedious job of editing the SHIELD are: Rose Puhr '68, sports editor; Rita Robertson '69, feature editor; Cathy Powers '68, editor in chief, news editor and Kathy Gerghy '68 culture editor.





DEBATERS: Bottom: Bonnie Lamb, Steve Gorman, Richard Champion, T. J. Lamb, and Jim Freemyer. Top: Sr. M. Karlanne, instructor; Grace Schroer, Margie Esser, John Trow, George Pavela, Gary Booth and William Champion.



DELIVERY and content win a debate. In his speech, George Pavela points out the need for uniform law standards.

## Speech'n Debate Banish Butterflies



'A PATCH OF BLUE' is the selection for Duet Acting competition chosen by Y. Mainhorst and T. Messina.

"DEBATE has given me the confidence to speak before any group with composure and not too many butterflies," commented novice debater Margie Esser '70.

More than twenty speech and debate tournaments provided SMH with a total of ten trophies and twenty-four ribbons. Sr. M. Karlanne coaches debaters, while Sr. M. de Paul and Mrs. Carlene Negus direct speech entrants.

For the first time in its history St. Mary's hosted a tourney for novice debaters. Students learned the exacting requirements of keeping 30 schools and 60 teams moving from round to round and 30 judges supplied with ballots and timekeepers. Chrisman debaters took first place.



JOHN TROW and Teresa Petrovic accept their first place trophies.



MIKE LAMB, Optimist Oratorical Contest winner, displays his trophy.

SEEING that each debate had a timekeeper and judge kept tourney staff George Pavela, Jim Freemyer, Marcia Bukaty and Sr. M. Michon busy.



TIMEKEEPERS Liz Hill, Chris Ragan, and Dianne Downing sort judges' ballots for debate coach, Sr. M. Karlanne.

MEMBERS of Office Practice Class type addresses and check zip codes on 25,000 mailing labels used by the Kansas City Council of Churches.

REMEDIAL classes in English are one of the many tasks of Sr. Mary de Paul at the Zaun Center. Students meet with different teachers twice weekly.



## St. Marians Aid Community

SENIOR Mission Club member Rita Novak sells student-donated goodies for the bake sale held at Safeway, March 16.



PLANNING one of their many visits to the sick in Independence homes are Sr. Mary Theodore and Chauffer Linda Smith.

FACULTY AND STUDENTS have made new efforts this year to serve the needy in the Independence community.

With Sr. M. Benita leading the way three sisters and six students give one evening a week to tutoring the underprivileged at the Zaun Center, a neighborhood education and social house coordinated by Nathan Moreland and aided by OEO. The Mission Club keeps alive the needs of Fr. Phil McGuire's Bolivian parish. Students drive Sr. M. Theodore to visit the sick and aged each week and office practice class types addresses for the KC Council of Churches.



MISSION Club members Irene Davis, vice-president; Rita Novak, president; Nina Jasso, secretary; Sherri Layden, treasurer; consult Sr. Rose Marie about future money-raising activities. All contributions are sent through dioceses to Fr. Phil McGuire.

# Music Department Entertains, Competes;



**CALLED** upon for both school and civic functions, the Student Chapter of the National Catholic Music Educator's Association, sponsored, by Sr. M. Michon, takes

part in almost a dozen events each year. The forty-five members of the NCMEA club meet bi-weekly to discuss musical activities sponsored by the organization.

## OFFICERS



K. Geraghty



N. Huddleston



B. Wiederkehr



E. Hill



**MUSICAL** events would not exist without versatile Elizabeth Hill who also plays the organ and chordavox.



**SR. M. MICHON** pleads for a refill from NCMEA socializers R. Novak, B. Wiederkehr, S. Hallagin, and T. Mangold.



**SR. M. MICHON**, NCMEA sponsor, conducts two choral groups and Glee Club performances.



# NCMEA Superior

A SOCIAL TEA in October, initiated the year's activities for the Music Department. NCMEA members sang for traditional Thanksgiving and Christmas programs; entertained shoppers at the Mall; and accepted many outside invitations like singing for the Young Matrons.

At the St. Teresa Spring Music Festival, the Glee Club earned the second highest possible rating; superior. Participation in six scenes of the spring musical "My Fair Lady," highlighted the club's activities. Next year's plans include voluntary attendance at chorus and music appreciation classes.



SOPHOMORE Voice Class, consisting of forty-eight members, meets twice weekly to develop voices and ability to sight read. Second semester includes research of composers' lives.

JUNIOR-SENIOR Members of the Triple Trio: Rose Puhr, Debbie Smith, Virginia Kearny, Rama Anderson, Gretchin Engler, Linda Mason, Linda Eimer, Theresa Mangold, and Norma Huddleston.



FRESHMEN learn musical concepts and study music history in classroom sessions. Students who master two part choral harmony will be allowed to enroll in Glee Club Membership.

GLEE CLUB repertoire includes a song for all occasions; school programs as well as invitations.



CECILIANETTES carol at the Mall for last minute shoppers on a spring-like December evening.





JUNIORS Patty O'Donnell and Mary Peters make-up guinea pigs Mary Schroer and Debbie Smith.



"COCKNEY'S" the word as director Mrs. Carlene Negus instructs students to act as Londoners.



DISGUIISING students as Roaring 20 flappers or 19th century Southern aristocrats challenges the ingenuity of costumers Terry Day, Susan Meyer and Margie Esser.



CLUB officers are B. Wiederkehr, treasurer; T. Petrovic, vice-president; J. Trow, president; and E. Hill, secretary.

## Thespians Pool Talents

SPOTLIGHTS SHINE ON SM Thespians! Whether in the cast or on stage crews, Thespians rehearse long hours after school dismissal to prepare for opening nights.

Thespianship requires 30 hours working on lighting, publicity, costume, ticket, make-up or scenery crews.

Mrs. Carlene Negus, drama director, coaches beginning as well as seasoned performers in tricks of the trade.



HITTING the nail on the head, Darryl Logue masters hammer technique in making props.

POOLING their talents for play successes are SM Thespians. Mrs. Carlene Negus, play director; inspires her 58 Thespians to meet the challenges of professional work. For the musical "My Fair Lady" Sr. M. Michon, head of

the music department, works with soloists and choruses. Mrs. Negus, student at UMKC, is in the center of bottom row.





# Queens Float in Parade



FLORAL Queen candidate Barbara Wiederkehr ranks third for St. Mary's in competition with five larger area schools.

THE DRIZZLING RAIN and nipping wind didn't keep many St. Marians away from the annual Halloween Parade in Independence. St. Mary's Flame and Floral Queen candidates, Football Homecoming Queen Rose Puhr, freshman; junior varsity and varsity cheerleaders, as well as Pep Club officers and members embarked on a journey around Independence Square, October 31, 1967.

Under the direction of Sr. M. Catherine, Pep Club sponsor, enthusiastic St. Marians secured and skillfully decorated a flat-bed truck for the occasion. Cornstalks, pumpkins, and a yellow quarter-moon gave life to the "Harvest Moon" theme. Efforts of loyal students won a second place beauty trophy for St. Mary's float.



FLAME Queen candidate Pam Daniels resigns as an attendant in competition sponsored by the Kansas City Fire Department.

UMBRELLAS and blankets shelter Pam Daniels, Rose Puhr, and varsity cheerleaders (Rama Anderson, Diane Knowlton, Helen Meyers, and Cheryl Cain) from the elements of the weather as they ride the "Harvest Moon" float.



AS THEY battle the chilly wetness of a Halloween night drizzle to ride the float, Floral Queen candidates take refuge amid the flowers.



# Thespians

## HONORS FOR ACTING AND SERVICE

Best Actors—John Trow and Teresa Petrovic

Best Major Supporting Actors—Dave Steffa and Mary Schroer

Best Minor Supporting Actors—Pat O'Neill and Yvonne Mainhorst

Most Promising Actors—Kevin Myers and Yvonne Mainhorst

Best Thespian—Gerry Smith

Service Award—Elizabeth Hill



"MOVE your bloomin' arse," declares Eliza Doolittle (Teresa Petrovic) at the opening Ascot races as she innocently slips back into her cockney character.

"ORCHIDS" to Mrs. Jerry Negus for the directing of "Call Me Darling" and "My Fair Lady."



BAR BUDDIES and friends give Eliza's father Alfred P. Doolittle (Dave Steffa) a lift through the slum section of London to get him to the church on time for his own wedding.



# Stage "Call Me Darling", "My Fair Lady"



"OOZING charm from every pore" at the Grand Ball, Professor Zoltan Karpathy (Robert Bunyar) waltzes Miss Eliza Doolittle, who dispels his suspicions that she is a fraud.

RETURNING home after a secret enlistment in the service, Billy Haskins (Dana Cooper) presents gifts that he has acquired in his travels around the world to his family.



"READY, aim, fire. . .!" shouts Eliza Doolittle (Teresa Petrovic) during "My Fair Lady."



"IT was nothing, really nothing" exclaims Higgins (John Trow) during the musical "My Fair Lady."



"LET me explain!" pleads Dana Cooper as he portrays Billy Haskins in last fall's "Call Me Darling."



"EEK" cries Aunt Annie (Mary Schroer) fainting at the sight of blood in "Call Me Darling."



"ZOLTAN KARPATY, was he there?" asks Mrs. Pierce (Grace Schroer) who appears in "My Fair Lady."



"HAVE you tried the plain cakes?" questions Pickering (Kevin Myers) as he stars in the spring play.

# Juniors Host Graduates' Farewell Prom



# "L'amour Est Bleu"

AMID SILKS, SATINS, and laces, St. Marians and their dates danced to the music of the "Vibrations" at their 1968 junior-senior prom. The Grand Ballroom of the Continental Hotel set the stage for the April twentieth event. Students and chaperones sat at white-draped tables decorated with wax-dripped wine bottles serving as candle holders. The blue and gold prom booklets, which carried out the "Love Is Blue" theme, remained as souvenirs after the all-night festivities were forgotten.

The junior class their sponsors Sr. M. Loretta and Sr. M. Karlanne financed the prom with projects like car washes, bake-sales, dances, and private contributions.

AT the last formal festivity of their '67-'68 school year juniors and seniors dance to the music provided by the "Vibrations."



HAD Seniors Cathy Powers and Rick Lathrom known the camera bug was near, they'd have stopped 'imitating ducks.'

JUNIORS T. J. Lamb and Vince Totta and seniors Pam Biber and Gary Woods relax with a cup of punch served from a three-tiered gold fountain decorated with ferns and roses.



PROM proves too warm for Kathy Stine '68 as her escort, Joe Portugal, assists her in removing her gloves. Ron Novak '68 and his date look over the memory booklets.



COACHES and chaperones can dance, too. Srs. M. Karlanne and Michon choose to sit this 'one' out, while Bruce and Lonna Smith (not married, just name-alikes) invade the faculty.



## Seniors Don



TAKING the final step, the class of '68, lead by Becky Henrich and Joe Heater, open the graduation ceremony.



SOMBER senior Bob Aubrecht solves tassel turmoil. After receiving his diploma he transfers it to the appropriate side and joins the ranks of St. Mary Alumni. Proud parents and relatives snap photos of graduates as each receives his diploma.

# Caps, Gowns for Climax of HS Years

## Alumni Reception Follows Mass In Gym

ON THE EVENING of May 28 the class of '68 attended their last and most important Mass as students of St. Mary's. Rev. Robert Cameron, director of SMH, celebrated the graduation Mass and extended his blessing to the graduates. Rev. John Leitner, pastor of Immaculate Conception of Higginsville, Mo., delivered the sermon. Msgr. Thomas Crowell, pastor of St. Ann's and representative of Bishop Charles Helmsing, distributed diplomas with the assistance of Rev. Richard Ducate, religion instructor at St. Mary's High School.

Graduates joined the Alumni Association during the reception held in St. Mary's auditorium after Mass.

IF THE looks on their faces mean anything—graduation is a day for '68 seniors. Warm temperatures and drooping roses don't tend to lighten hearts as Mass begins.



BEDRAGGLED Norma Huddleston and Sherri Halligan, after waiting in the stuffy gym with four-hundred thirsty people, reach their final destination—the punch bowl—and quench their thirst at last.



SALUTATORIAN Cheryl Cain thanks teachers, parents for Catholic Education.



TOP scholar, Marta Fessler, delivers Valedictorian speech at assembly.



# Tea,



ALUMNI officers: Richard Schmidt, Pres.; Larry Sandage, V.-Pres.; Sharon Baxter, Sec.; Betty Underwood, Treas.

MR. and Mrs. Glen Park reminisce over high school days while glancing through early copies of the SHIELD.



THE first St. Mary graduates to marry, Mr. Don Underwood and his wife Mrs. Betty Majersky Underwood, meet the most recently wed Mr. Gerald Baxter and his wife the former Sharon Czarev.



MANY Alumni unable to attend the Tea 'arrived' via telegrams and letters. Enjoying the correspondence are Bernadine Rempe Wilson, Dolly O'Renck, Sr. M. Benita, Richard Schmidt, Betty Underwood, Dorothy Doering McDonald, Rev. R. Cameron.





# Dance Highlight Alumni Homecoming



DANCING to the music of Howard Shelton's Collegions are Mr. and Mrs. William H. Teal, one of the 200 couples present.



A HIGHLY ENERGETIC Alumni group climaxed a successful year with the spring induction of 1968 graduates into the Association. In contrast to vain attempts in past years, the group has become active under the direction of Coordinator Sr. M. Benita and President Richard Schmidt '51.

At it's successful Homecoming, held on November 18, over 400 former students renewed friendships. During the afternoon they viewed a renovated and modernized school building. Later that night they gathered at Howard Johnson's for a reminiscent evening of dancing.

The alumni keep in touch through a bi-annual newsletter edited by Dolly O'Renrick and bulletins circulated when needed by Sr. M. Benita's office practice classes.

Future plans for the Alumni Association include the establishment of a counseling service for all students before and after graduation and the founding of a scholarship for a deserving student.

Directors: Mary Higbee Truman '32, Joe Bolger '52, Dorothy Doering McDonald '52, and Robert Schmidt '63 are also members of the executive board with officers shown in the upper left-hand corner.



INDUCTION into the Alumni Association is a happy occasion for '68 graduates Vicki Royal, Roger Crain, Sherri Layden and Patrick O'Neill. Presiding President Richard Schmidt accepts promises of loyalty and cooperation from them.

IT'S milk. Sr. M. Michon joins in the fun as cast members devour potato salad and chicken at a picnic during rehearsal.



A QUAIN village scene brings an art award from the General Federation of Women's Clubs to senior Bob Albert.



AGILITY and ability show up as students perform new-fangled dance steps at the annual Sadie Hawkins dance.

## Raffles 'n Classes, Contests 'n Masses

DOG RAFFLES, DAYS of recollection, talent shows, oratory contests, and many other activities filled the 1967-68 school year. No yearbook would be large enough to include all the activities which students wish to remember. Featured on the following four pages are highlights of the '67-'68 school year.



AFTER completing essays on "The Golden Opportunity of Youth," sophomores Jeff Zugaj, Mike Lamb, and Mike Van Kirk hold second, first, and third place trophies won in an oratorical contest sponsored by the local Optimist Club.



NEVER too exhausted for a party, juniors Gretchen Engler, Bob Groninger, and Mary Schroer relax at a "My Fair Lady" cast and crew party after a successful night's performance.

LOOKING for someone to put in jail, students stampede the football field.



THE American flag flies over SMH through the daily efforts of Don Schmidt '71.





SOPHOMORE boys find meditation and discussion groups add further insights to Fr. Thomas Rear-don's talks on their May 3 day of recollection.

LONG-FORGOTTEN dresses, books, and souvenirs show up again as seniors Lonna Smith and Vicki Royal clean their locker for the last time.



## Highlight School Year



ORDERED in October, delivered in May. Juniors C. Lynch, C. Martin, and T. Petrovic rejoice over class rings.

LANCE and SHIELD staff members and Sr. M. Loretta enjoy their last meeting at a journalism banquet on May 14.



JOE HEATER plunges into a plate of food while other seniors rest atop Bob Albert's car on skip day.





JIM PEAK'S yellow wiffled football intrigues senior boys, Bruce Smith, Bob Albert, Steve Hoye, Joe Heater, Ed Johann as they let off steam between discussions during retreat.

WHAT'S big, green, and shaggy? Raffle winner, Mike Riley's "George". Sr. M. Karlanne, junior homeroom sponsor presents the "green monster" to Mike as he promises him a good home.



BIG SENIOR George Indelicato and little freshman Darrell Logue greet each other on Freshman Buddy Day, Sept. 15.

SENIOR candid's aren't so candid when Sheila Kluska and Steve Gorman spot the "hidden" camera. Or are they, John?



ON THE losing end of the WFC slave challenge the juniors line up for senior owners' torture treatments.



FRIENDS enjoy the post-wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meyers. Students extend good wishes before the wedding.





READY for a day at the beach is Bruce Smith, one of the seven senior boys modeling fashions for the Variety Show.



DANA COOPER sings his original ballad, "Black Rain", in which he relates the deep-rooted pride of the Indian today.



MIKE GIARRANTANO portrays the dramatic role of "Mama" in the senior boys' comedy skit, "And The Light Went Out".

HIS excellency, Bishop Charles H. Helmsing celebrates Mass and speaks to the assembly on religious freedom and responsibility. Serving, is Senior Ken Myers, and receiving communion are Seniors Marta Fessler and Mary Lynn Naccarate.



CLIMAXING their recognition assembly of wills, prophecies, and class histories, seniors sing "Graduation Day".



**SPORTS . . . . WHERE**



**THE ACTION IS**



BOB Aubrecht: 1st Team guard, Honorable Mention center in Catholic-Prep League; All-Area Honorable Mention.



TOM Hedberg: 1st Team offensive end; 2nd Team defensive back in Catholic-Prep League; All-Area back.

## "Coach, Pep



IF THE practice makes perfect slogan applies to Trojans, the everyday blocking practice should make a near-perfect defensive team.



JIM Farrell: 2nd Team Catholic-Prep League linebacker; Jim broke school record for most tackles in one season.



WHILE Bob Albert, 50, Jack Gray, 66, and Mike Puhr, 88, block the opponents; Preston Strosnider, 18, hands off the ball to Rick Lathrom. This play was a vital maneuver contributing to the Trojan victory over their very bitter rival Lillis.



RICK Lathrom: Honorable Mention as an offensive back in both Catholic-Prep League and Kansas City All-Area Team.



PRESTON Strosnider: Honorable Mention offensive back in both Catholic-Prep League and Kansas City All-Area Team.

ROBERT Albert receives Honorable Mention in the Catholic-Prep League as defensive end. This is Bob's 1st year as All-Star.





# Steam" Lead Trojans Toward Victory

FORT OSAGE INDIANS were the first of four teams to fall to the mighty Trojans in the 1967-68 football season. The Brookfield Bulldogs and Rich Hill Tigers failed to score at all.

Disaster followed when the Trojans lost to St. Joe, Hogan (upset of the season) and Pius X by one point.

The Trojans came back to beat Lillis for the second time in history. A loss to Pem-Day ended the season.



VARSITY: Bottom: Johann, Albert, Indelicato, Farrell, Aubrecht, Hedberg, Lathrom, and Puhr. Middle: Coach Bill Hopper, Bonkoski, Mithelavage, Seck, Pallo, Riley, Hatfield, Thompson, Albin, and Gray. Top: Coach Bob Meyers, Steffa, Strosnider, Freemyer, Emmert, Bukaty, Lamb, Woods, Smith, and Coach Walt Tilicki.



JOHN Hatfield and Jim Freemyer (juniors) get Honorable Mention All-Star as tackle and guard.

DAVE Steffa defensive tackle leaves field as offensive team takes over.



JOHN Mithelavage, 34, evades the grasping hands of a Pius X player thanks to the blocking of Jim Freemyer, 35, and Jack Gray, 66.

SCOREBOARD		
St. Mary's	13,	Ft. Osage 7
St. Mary's	24,	Brookfield 0
St. Mary's	20,	Rich Hill 0
St. Mary's	12,	St. Joe 13
St. Mary's	13,	Hogan 14
St. Mary's	19,	Pius X 20
St. Mary's	20,	Lillis 14
St. Mary's	0,	Pem-Day 7



# Freshman, B-Teams



FRESHMAN Dennis Crites learns that rugged and hard hitting tackling practice is only one of the many tedious technical maneuvers included in the rough sporting game of football.



CLEAN clad and smiling, J. Brodzinski, J. Freemyer, G. Stewart, J. Doumitt, listen while Coach Robert Meyers explains the dirty, grim work of the blocking sled.



FRESHMEN: Bottom: G. Conway, G. Rodriguez, D. Pyle, D. Schmidt, P. Jim. Row 2: G. Stewart, J. Brodzinski, D. Weishar, L. Graham, A. Hall. Row 3: S. Nabors, J. Freemyer, E. Funkhouser, D. Sommers, G. Conway. Top: T. Wright, R. Martin, M. Riley, G. Truman, J. Doumitt, (Team Manager), Freshman Coach Robert Meyers.



# Gain Spirit, Experience, Sportsmanship

CO-CAPTAINS GILBERT TRUMAN and Doyle Weishar led the Freshman scoring with 13 and 7 points. The team leaders on the B-squad were Tom Bates and John Dec with 29 and 27 tackles and T.J. Lamb and Dennis Crites with 19 and 13 points.

Opponent	FRESHMEN	Home	Visitor
St. Joseph		7	28
Hogan		0	0
St. Pius		7	27
Lillis		6	28
	B-TEAM		
Fort Osage		0	25
St. Joseph		0	14
Hogan		25	0
St. Pius		0	20
Lillis		13	14



B-TEAM - Bottom: C. Rodgers, R. Gronniger, J. Dec, T. Bates, C. Ragan, M. Lamb  
Middle: G. Salva, T. Callahan, K. Eimer, L. Expinosa, S. Steffes, D. Lathrom. Top: P. Hughes, D. Hooten, M. Stefancik, (Team Manager), Coach Walter Tylicki, R. Jensen, F. Stewart.

MIGHTY Freshman defense brings down fighting Sophomore quarterback Dennis Crites for loss of vital yardage in a B Team Freshman scrimmage despite brave blocking of Dennis Lathrom.



B-TEAM Coach Walter Tylicki discusses strategy with C. Rodgers, G. Salva, T. Callahan, P. Hughes, and concentrates on improvements for quick offensive and strong defensive plays.

# Queen Rose Puhr Reigns at "Harvest

CHECKERBOARD RED SOCKS, hats made of strawberries, and thigh-high army boots for girls may not be pictured in the latest issue of Vogue, but students sported such regalia during the week of October 2-6. The 1968 Homecoming Week featured Crazy Hat and Shoe Day, Jersey Day, Crazy Tie Day, Red Sock Day, and Slave Day.

The game, scheduled for Friday, October 6, had to be postponed due to rain until the following Monday.

Showers failed to dampen spirits, however, and on Saturday, October 7, St. Marians gathered to dance to the music of the Shantay's in the school gymnasium.

Failure to score the extra point after a Trojan touchdown proved fatal to the blue and white as St. Mary's suffered a 14-13 loss at the hands of the Hogan Rams in the Homecoming game played October 9 at Sugar Creek.



TAKING advantage of Slave Day, masters Bob Gronninger, Tom Bates, and John Riley give book carrying, shoe tying commands to slaves Helen Myers, Corinne O'Neill, and Barbara Moran.



PAM BIBER, Lonna Smith, Steve Steffes, Vicki Royal, and Christy Engler model their red socks on Red Sock Day while Debbie Hallagin shows off her hat and shoes on Crazy Hat 'n Shoe Day.

Homecoming royalty reign over the Saturday night dance. Queen Rose Puhr is surrounded by her court and their escorts; Cathy Powers and Rick Lathrom; Cheryl Cain and Mike Puhr; Tom Hedberg;

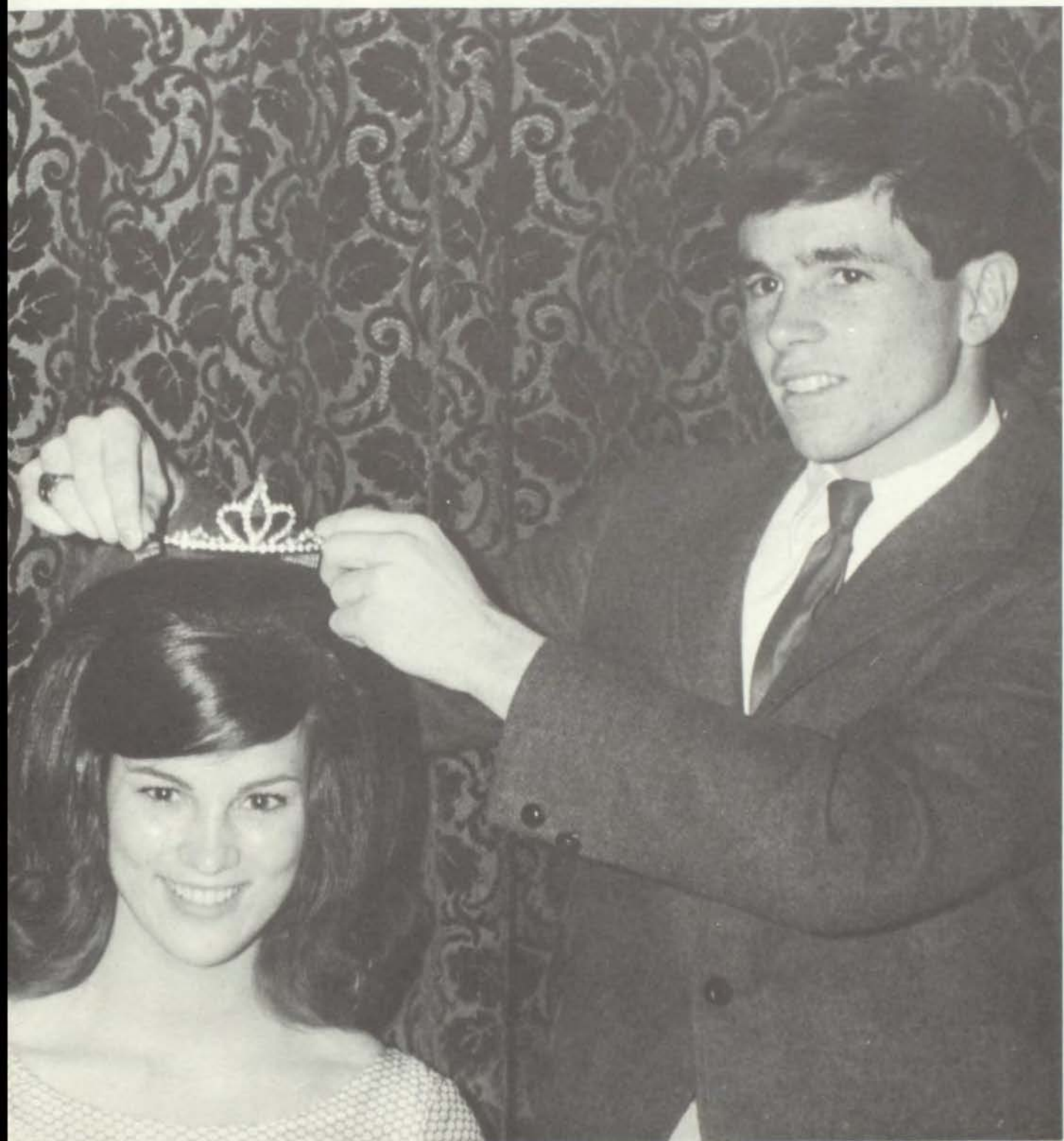
Rama Anderson and Preston Strosnider; and Kathy Geraghty and Bob Aubrecht. Tom and Rose led the traditional queen's dance to the music of the Shantay's.



# Moon" Football Homecoming Dance

TOM HEDBERG, football team captain, crowns Queen Rose Puhr at the dance. The crowning of Rose and the procession of the four candidates with their escorts were the highlights of the dance. The

Harvest Moon decorations included an eight foot gold moon and a scarecrow erected in the midst of corn stalks and pumpkins, all constructed by Pep Club members.





MIKE PUHR steals the ball from Kearney opponent and bolts down the court making a lay-up shot meriting two points.



Hedberg Top Scorer As . . .

## Mighty Trojans Shoot

TROJANS build spirit before the Blue Springs game by joining hands in asking "Mary, Queen of Victory" to make their efforts a success.



TOM HEDBERG springs for a basket, while Jim Roper, Mike Puhr, and Jim Freemyer look on. Though he was fouled, Tom scored two points.



**VARSITY LINE UP:** Rick Lathrom '68, John Mithelavage '69, Preston Strosnider '68, Mike Puhr '68, Jim Freemyer '69, Mike Bukaty '69, Bruce Smith '68, Bob Aubrecht, Tom Hedberg '68, Manager Keith Bonkoski '68, and Coach Walter Tylicki.



**JUMPING** to sink a 10 foot shot, Jim Roper '69, adds two points to the score as Mike Puhr '68, looks on.

## To Chalk Up High Slate

**RICK LATHROM, Jim Roper, Jim Freemyer, Bob Aubrecht, and Tom Hedberg** leap into action when opponent, St. Joe Shawnee rebounds the ball.

**THE STRUGGLIN'** EFFORTS of Coach Walter Tylicki and his team helped St. Mary's Varsity Trojans snatch a second place Trophy at the Kearney Tournament. The Trojans missed the first place Trophy by a fighting four points against Lathrop High School.

High scorer for the year, Tom Hedberg, chalked up 233 points. Tailing him, Mike Puhr tallied up 154 points. High rebounder, Jim Freemyer, bounced up 163 rebounds, while Mike Puhr placed second with 117 rebounds. Four lettermen will return for next year's squad.

### FIRST SEMESTER VARSITY SLATE

Date	Opponent	Score	
		Home	Visitor
Nov. 22	East High School	40	38
Nov. 24	Manual High School	38	63
Dec. 15	Hogan High School	38	70
Dec. 19	Blue Springs High School	67	63
Dec. 23	Van Horn High School	43	58
Jan. 9	St. Pius High School	60	56
Jan. 12	St. Joe Shawnee High School	50	77



# B-Teamer's Battle To Bucket Baskets



B-TEAM—Bottom: Mike Van Kirk, Eugene Geitzen, Dennis Hooten, Ron Jensen, Jim Albin, and Coach Walter Tylicki. Top: Manager Keith Bonkoski, Gary Salva, Mike Lamb, Larry Espinosa, Dennis Lathrom, Steve Steffes, Ed Dec.

FIGHTING SOPHS MAY have chisled out only a 0-15 slate, but they displayed sportsmanship and teamwork. Dennis Lathrom tallied up 77 points and the jumping rebounder, Mike Lamb, chalked up 75. Ed Dec averaged 75% of the free-throws he attempted at the charity line.

Coach Walter Tylicki predicts that next year Dennis Lathrom will be high rebounder. Mike Van Kirk should take over as top shooter, and the '68-'69 season should find Mike Lamb the best all-around player. With the return of three Junior lettermen, Jim Freemyer, Jim Roper, and John Mithelavage, the Trojans will be a "more sound, a taller and a better all-around team."

TENSE moments remain during a game against St. Pius X when possession of the ball is at stake and the opponent is far ahead.



JOHN MITHELAVAGE leaps for basket and chalks up two while St. John opponent misses his chance to block and flies by.





# Freshman Trojans Reach For Victories

TEN TROJANS STRONG, St. Mary's freshman team, coached by Mr. Robert Meyers, chalked up a 4-9 record finishing sixth in league standings. High score honors went to John Freemyer with 91 counters.

The Trojans, winning 19 to 18 in an over time, out-played Lillis in a conference game. Jim Arend shot the victory ball. In their other league victory the freshmen defeated St. John's 41 to 25. High scorer was Gilbert Truman with 15 points. No-league victims were St. Mary's grade school 39 to 18 and Precious Blood School 43 to 32.

For practice the freshman team played two diocesan grade schools.

FRESHMEN—Bottom: John Monteil, Gary Stewart, Don Schmidt, Paulino Jim, Jerry Rodriguez, Coach Robert Meyers. Top: Dennis Pyle, freshman manager; Doyle Weishar, Gilbert Truman, John Freemyer, John Gietierrez. Jim Arend is not pictured.



ATTEMPTING to tip the ball to a fellow freshman Trojan in a non-league contest with St. Stephen's Spartans, John Freemyer '71 leaps for the ball. Other eager Freshman cagers, Jim Arend and Gilbert Truman, anticipate winning the jump ball.

DOYLE WEISHAR '71 jumps for the ball in a non-league game with St. Stephen's. Spartans defeated the Trojans 29-23.



# "Winter Wonderland" Scene of '68

AS Mike Puhr, basketball captain, sets the glimmering crown in place, Norma Huddleston becomes St. Mary's 1968 Basketball homecoming Queen. During half time varsity players cast the ballots that

made Norma queen. The Pep Club presented her with a spray of blue-and-white mums and red carnations. Her parents were first offering congratulations.



# Basketball Homecoming

DETERMINATION AND EFFORT were not enough for Coach Tylicki's starting five to hold back the Blue Streaks of St. Joseph of Shawnee, Kansas, at the homecoming game Friday, January 12. Suspense was added to the closely contested game at half time when the five homecoming candidates nervously awaited the announcement of the queen. After Norma Huddleston was crowned, the game continued and the Trojans were defeated 77-50.

Winter Wonderland provided the setting for the reign of Norma Huddleston and her attendants at the basketball homecoming dance held January 13 in the school gymnasium. The highlight of the evening was the recrowning of Norma by Mike Puhr. To climax the ceremonies, the candidates and their escorts left the blue-and-gold throne erected near the bleachers, to join Mike and Norma in a royalty dance. The evening's entertainment then continued to the music of the Here and After.

ATTENDANT: Rita Novak, four years in Pep Club and president of Mission Club.



ATTENDANT: Anna Mahon, four year veteran of Pep Club and Thespian member.



ATTENDANT: Mary Naccarato, four year member of Pep Club and editor of the yearbook.

ATTENDANT: Linda Mikulich, four year member of Pep Club and photographer for LANCE.



IN royal splendor the Queen and her attendants reign accompanied by senior varsity basketball players: Bob Aubrecht, Rick Lathrom, Mike Puhr, Bruce Smith, and Thomas Hedberg.



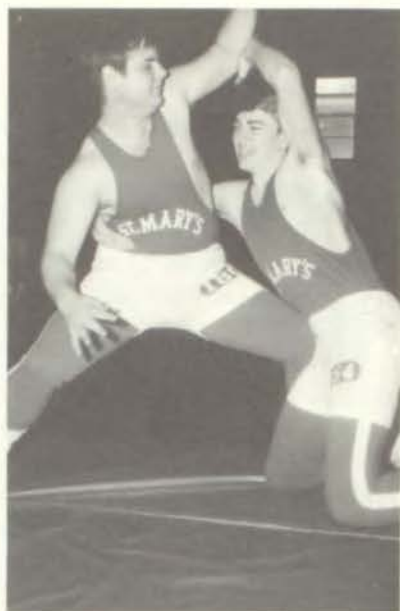
AS nervous as their daughters are the fathers of the queen and her court: Mr. John Mikulich, Mr. Andrew Novak, Mr. George Huddleston, Mr. George Mahon and Mr. James Naccarato.





ALTHOUGH freshman Gary Conway needs an extra moment to plan his next defensive move, he's busy pinning his opponent during a January wrestling match against Westport High School. St. Mary's ended up in the underdog position, bowing 30-26.

NOT a new dance, but one of the many moves employed this year by Trojan wrestlers John Gray and Tom Bates.



## Matmen Tackle Tough Teams

ST. MARY'S WRESTLERS, sparked by the 7-2 winning performances of Joe Heater '68 and John Hatfield '69, met top flight opposing teams. Trojans posted a 2-6 season record defeating DeLaSalle and Hogan, but bowing to Central, East (twice), Northeast, Westport, and Pius X. SMH matmen captured third place in the January 27 Catholic League Tourney. Joe Heater was top scorer.

At the letters-awarding assembly, Co-Captains Joe Heater and Ed Johann received recognition from Coach Hopper for their team coaching abilities.

ONLY Trojan wrestler John Dec knows whether that's a smile or a grimace during an afternoon practice session.



EVALUATING the '67-'68 wrestling season are Senior Co-Captains Ed Johann and Joe Heater with Coach William Hop-



SMH MATMEN—Bottom: Darryl Logue, Bill Champion, Gary Conway, Steve Pallo, Ed Johann, Ed Funkhouser, Dick Champion, Joe Bowles. Top: Coach Hopper, John Gray, Dan Sommers, Tom Bates, Vince Totta, John Dec, Scott Nabors, John Hatfield, Steve Emmert.



THE '68 track team, composed mainly of Juniors, is counting on past experience as a winning factor in the '69 season.



## Trackmen Hustle for Records



CHARLES KEARNEY '69 attempts to make it over the top while competing in the pole vaulting event in the meet at Pem Day.

DESPITE THE FACT that this was a disappointing year for track, SM speedsters bounced back with several record-breaking achievements.

Juniors made up the majority of the team, but Senior Mike Puhr was recognized as the outstanding trackman; he represented SM at the State Meet.

Frosh D. Weisher and L. Graham set new pole-vault and discus records.



J. DECK and Coach Bob Meyer take time out between events at the Catholic League Meet at Pem Day.



CO-ORDINATION counts in running the high hurdles. Senior Mike Puhr became the 1968 choice for the "Athlete of the Year" award.

JIM FREEMYER stretches for extra inches in the broad jump event.



UP and over goes Mike Puhr. Mike tied the previous pole vault record this year by jumping 11'6".



SOPHOMORE Jim Albin purchases a Trojan license plate from junior lettermen T.J. Lamb and Steve Emmert. The M-Club made \$22 from the sale which they banked for future use.



DIRECTING M-Club activities are Vice-President Joe Heater, football co-captain; Secretary-Treasurer Jim Farrell, football letterman; President Mike Puhr, a letterman in 3 sports.

## Lettermen's Club Charges to Fifth Active Year

SPORTSMANSHIP, SCHOLARSHIP, and responsibility are the objectives of the M-Club, sponsored by Mr. Walter Tylicki, varsity basketball coach. To be eligible for the club, a boy must maintain a 'C' average in both scholarship and citizenship, and must earn a varsity letter in one sport or in managing. One duty of the M-Club is the management and supervision of the gym. The club charges rent for the gym used by local groups, and sells Trojan license plates to raise money for awards.



CLASHING colors and crazy stripes on hustle jerseys mean hard work on the gridiron for B. Albert, J. Freemyer, J. Farrell, J. Heater. Top. B. Aubrecht, T. Hedberg, P. Strosnider, M. Puhr, R. Lathrom, Bottom.



M-CLUB 1968—Bottom: B. Bunyar, K. Bonkoski, P. Strosnider, G. Woods, G. Indelicato, J. Farrell, J. Thompson, T. Hedberg, R. Lathrom, D. Champion, Middle: Coach Tylicki, D. Steffa, B. Smith, B.

Albert, M. Bukaty, B. Aubrecht, M. Puhr, J. Freemyer, B. Seck, S. Emmert. Top: J. Gray, E. Johann, J. Riley, J. Hatfield, T. Lamb, J. Mithelavage, J. Trow, S. Pallo, B. Champion, J. Albin.

# Boys Dominate While Girls Retaliate

"COME ONE! COME ALL!" And that's just what they did when intramurals rolled around. Freshmen and seniors alike joined in the competition to provide fun, excitement, and healthy competition.

Dominating the intramurals the boys competed in chess, track, and basketball. The girls managed to tackle their own game of basketball; but never got around to the game the boys seem to enjoy most—volleyball. But that's the way the intramural ball bounces.



NORMA Heddeleston rushes into stop the pass; Lona Smith comes forward to help get the ball from the opposing juniors. Cindy Lynch tries to throw the ball to her colleague, Barb Moran. By winning the game, seniors tied for second place.



MIKE Lamb attempts aerial shot; Ed Dec goes up for block.

LARRY Graham's chess strategy stumps Mike Stefancik's skill.



DANNY Sommers receives the hand off from Gilbert Truman for the final lap in the freshman relay. In the last run, Danny came near lapping his opponent and went on to win.



## Pep Club Features Bake Sales,



PEP CLUB President Sherri Hallagan and Vice-President Norma Huddleston conduct the Thursday night Pep Club meetings.

"WE'VE GOT SPIRIT, we've got spirit, Heh! Heh!" Yelling through a 4-4 football season and 3-15 basketball slate, the Pep Club maintained the infectious school spirit for which St. Mary's is renowned.

Led by officers Sherry Hallagan '68, president; Norma Huddleston '68, vice-president; Linda Eimer '68, secretary; Kathy Geraghty '68, treasurer; Susan Crabbe '69, junior secretary; and Sr. Marie Catherine, sponsor, the Club undertook two Homecomings and engaged in several money-raising campaigns. Members also constructed an October theme float for the annual

Independence Halloween Parade, which won Second Place in the Beauty Division.

Football Homecoming featured the Shantay's. A "Harvest Moon" theme transformed the gym into an autumn scene with a huge yellow moon centered in the floor. The Here and After provided music for the Basketball Homecoming in a gym decorated as a "Winter Wonderland" in blue, gold, and white.

To cover the costs of these activities, the Pep Club charges annual dues of two dollars and sponsors bake sales throughout the school year.

PC girls who showed the most enthusiasm during games receive the spirit stick. Winners are Mary Schroer, Linda Smith, Rita Novak, Sherri Layden, Mary Norman, Becky Hennrich, Jeanine Black, Lonna Smith, Kathy Fields, and Denise Collins.



SECRETARY Linda Eimer, Treasurer Kathy Geraghty and Junior Secretary Susan Crabbe keep Club records and attendance.



PEP CLUB members discuss the new constitution, game conduct, demerit systems and special activities at after school Thursday night meetings. All three squads of cheerleaders introduce and teach new yells to be used at pep rallies and games.





## Floats, Homecomings for '68



JUNIOR Cindy Lynch, Senior Sherry Layden, and Sophomore Bonnie Lamb, voted by the Pep Club officers and cheerleaders as '67 '68 Yell Leaders, inspire the Pep Club to support the Trojan teams, whether losing or winning, with enthusiastic cheers.



SHAKING pompons is only one of Sr. M. Catherine's services to the Pep Club. She's sponsor and artist as well.



SEVENTY-ONE percent of all St. Mary's girls are active Pep Club members. With the help of officers, yell leaders, faculty, and alumni, St. Mary's Trojan Pep Club supported the team at 31 football

and basketball games. The school spirit shown at games won St. Mary's a Sportsmanship trophy given for the first time to a Kansas City Area High School.



ALL sorts of goodies, tempt prospective buyers during a noon hour bake sale sponsored by the Pep Club to raise money for the basketball homecoming. Susan Crabbe, Cindy Lynch, and Bev Layden contribute their services by selling and collecting.

# Practice, Clinic Stimulates



**VARSITY:** Cathy Powers, Rama Anderson, Barbara Wiederkehr, Helen Myers, Cheryl Cain, Rose Puhr, Diane Knowlton.

"YOU had better sit down, Warriors," chant loyal tribesmen as they break the news Trojans are on the warpath.



**PRACTICE! PRACTICE! PRACTICE!**

For two months, five days a week, and two hours a day, the seven varsity cheerleaders practiced for a national cheerleading clinic the week of July 17-22 at Missouri Valley College in Marshall, Missouri.

The girls alternated mass cheers, pompon routines, and tumbling in the mornings. Afternoons, NCA instructors and special guest speakers gave informative lectures on cheerleading know-how.

Competing daily in the large group division, the SM cheerers took two firsts, one of them complimented with the spirit stick, two seconds, and an honorable mention. Overall, they ranked Grand Champs Second and returned with possession of the spirit stick.

Techniques learned at clinic enabled all three squads to improve old cheers and master new yells for the upcoming season.

**FORMING a "V" for victory,** the cheerleaders express hope for a winning sports record in the '68-'69 season.



**SMILES, enthusiasm, and spirit** enable the squad to retain permanent possession of the coveted spirit stick.



# Successful Cheering Year

BOOSTING frosh spirit this year are Mary Kay Thompson, Brenda Tuohey, Mary Puhr (captain), and Sue Galvan.



B-TEAM cheerleaders Becky Ferrin '70, Carol Luebbert '70, Barbara Moran '69, Gretchen Engler '69, and Carolyn Puhr '69 (captain) lead the Pep Club with lively chants and original yells at all Junior Varsity football and basketball games.



BOB Albert makes his debut at the Basketball Homecoming Game appearing as Troy Trojan, St. Mary's mascot.

DURING an afternoon pep rally, loyal Trojan fans exhibit pep and enthusiasm, clamoring for another victory.



VARSITY cheerleaders demonstrate the fan formation that took a blue ribbon at the Marshall Clinic. Barbara Wiederkehr, Cheryl Cain, Rose Puhr (captain), Helen Myers, Cathy Powers, Diane Knowlton, and Rama Anderson attended the clinic.



# Spectacular Elections Climax Fun-Filled



SHIELD editors will be Patty Ann O'Donnel, page two; Rita Robertson, editor-in-chief, page one; Beverly Layden, page four; and Susan Crabbe, page three. Gretchen Engler and Corrine O'Neil will co-edit the '69 Yearbook LANCE.



ELIZABETH HILL, pres; Christina Logue, v-Pres; Grace Schroer, treas; and Marcia Bukaty, sec; will lead SMH music activities as officers of NCMEA.



LIMBERING up for fall sports events are N. Engler, B. Perin, C. Puhr, D. Knowlton, C. Lubbert, H. Myers, B. Moran, S. Galvin, B. Lamb, S. Myers, M. Puhr, B. Riley and S. Marquis.



TRIPLE-J football captains J. Hatfield, J. Freemyer and J. Gray plan now for a successful and spirited football season.



M-CLUB officers Tom Bates, Jim Freemyer and John Gray plan to unite Trojans Athletic teams.

# Experience

## Co-operation Students' Goal

CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION provide opportunities for students to become involved with each other. Student Council, National Honor Society, LANCE and SHIELD editors, NCMEA, Thespians, Pep Club, M-Club, football captains, and cheerleaders all stress the value of teamwork, involvement, and unity.

These clubs and organizations held spring elections for a smooth-running fall term. New scheduling will permit club meetings during the noon hour.

WORKING closely with Student Council are '68-'69 officers for National Honor Society. M. Schroer, treas; C. Logue, sec; C. O'Neill, vice-pres; and R. Robertson, pres. Sr. M. Alice will distribute the NHS pins Christina and Corinne are holding.



HELPING the cheerleaders to bolster spirit during the '68-'69 season will be next year's Pep Club officers, Beverly Layden, treasurer; Susan Crabbe, president; Gretchen Engler, secretary; Cindy Lynch, vice-president; Jeaneen Black, junior secretary.



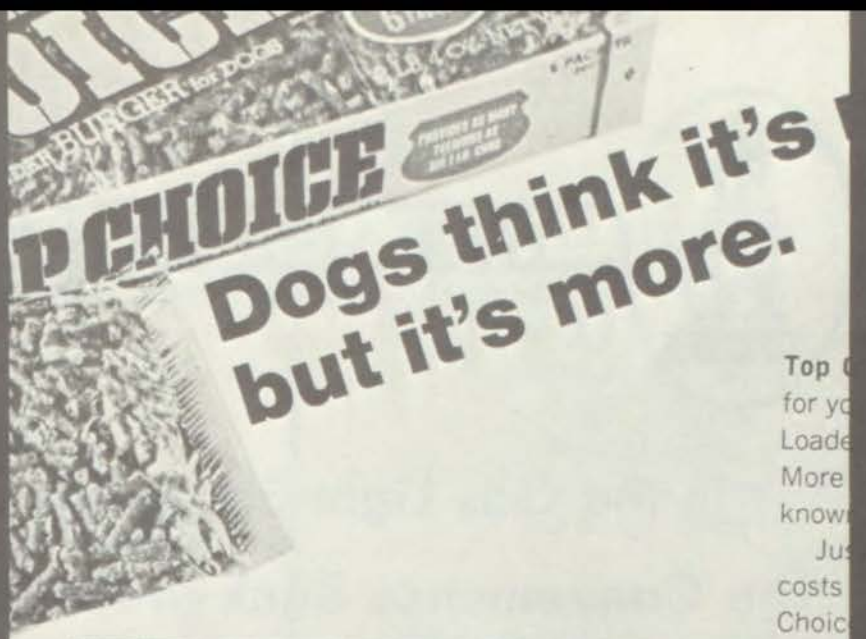
STUDENT Council officers: Jim Freemeyer, vice-president; Teresa Petrovic, president; Mary Schroer, secretary; John Trow, treasurer; through summer preparation hope to unite clubs and organizations for over all student co-operation.



OFFICERS E. Hill, treas; J. Trow, vice-pres; M. Schroer, sec; G. Smith, pres; G. Schroer, rep; guide drama-minded Thespians.



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Old friends among the Class of '50 become reacquainted at the first St. Mary's Homecoming day. Over 400 attended a social tea at the school and a dance at Howard Johnson's. Alumni from 1916-1967 registered to become active mem-

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ball Homecoming Attendant 4, Cheerleader 2,3,4, Girls State 3, HR Sec. 1, Vice-Pres. 2, Treas. 3, Poetry Award 2.

MICHAEL PUHR M-Club 3,4, Pres. 4, Spanish 2,3, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Hon. Men. Cath. League, Football 1,2,3,4, Track 1,3,4, Athlete of the Year 4, Hustler's Award 4, Perfect Attendance 3, HR Pres. 1.

ROSE PUHR Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Thespians 2,3,4, NCMEA 2,3,4, Quill & Scroll 2,3, Glee Club 2,3,4, LANCE 4, SHIELD 2,3, Fourth Page Editor 3,4, Nat. Hon. Soc. 2,3,4, Typing Award 3,4, Shorthand Award 3, Perfect Attendance 2,3, Poetry Award 3,4, Honor Roll 2,3,4, Class Honors 3,4, Football Homecoming Queen 4, Cheerleader 1,2,3,4, captain 1,2,4, Triple Trio 4, HR Vice-Pres. 1, Sec. 4.

ED ROCKERS Typing Award 3.

VICKI ROYAL Pep Club 2,3,4, Spanish Club 2,3, NCMEA 2,3,4, Glee Club 3,4, LANCE 4, SHIELD 2,4, FBLA 3, Honor Roll 2, Speech Meets 2, Transfer Student 2.

BRUCE SMITH M-Club 4, Spanish Club 2,3, Junior Achievement 2, Basketball 2,3,4, Football 4, Track 1, Honor Roll 2,3,4, Transfer Student 2, KUDL 4.

LINDA SMITH Pep Club 1,2,4, NCMEA 2,3,4, Glee Club 3,4, LANCE 4, SHIELD 4, FBLA 3, Red Cross 3, Typing Award 3, Shorthand Award 3, Honor Roll 1,2,3,4, Speech Meets 1.

LONNA SMITH Pep Club 3,4, Thespians 3,4, NCMEA 2,3,4, LANCE 3,4, SHIELD 3,4, Nat. Hon. Soc. 2,3,4, Perfect Attendance 1,3, Honor Roll 1,2,3,4, Transfer Student 4, Spirit Stick 4.

KATHY STINE Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Spanish Club 3,4, NCMEA 1,2, Glee Club 1,2,3, Typing Award 3, Shorthand Award 3, Perfect Attendance 1,2,3,4, Essay Award 3.

PRESTON STROSNIDER M-Club 3,4, Nat. Hon. Soc. 3,4, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3, Hustler's Award 4, Science Award 4, Honor Roll 1,2,3,4, Class Honors 4, Football 1,2,3,4.

JIM THOMPSON M-Club 4, Spanish Club 2,3, Football 3,4, Wrestling 2.

FRANCES TOTTA Pep Club 1,2,3, NCMEA 1,2,3, Glee Club 3,4, SHIELD 2, Transfer Student 3.

BARBARA WIEDERKEHR Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Thespians 2,3,4, Treas. 4, Spanish Club 2,3, Pres. 2, NCMEA 1,2,3,4, Sec. 4, Glee Club 3,4, SHIELD 2, FBLA 2,3, Typing Award 3, Shorthand 3, Perfect Attendance 1,2,3, Honor Roll 1,2,4, Floral Queen 4, Cheerleader 1,2,3,4.

GARY WOODS M-Club 4, German Club 4, Basketball 1, Football 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2, Typing Award 3, Perfect Attendance 1,2,3,4, Intr. Bowling 2, Intr. Basketball 1,2.

STEVE YORK Thespians 3,4, Intr. Chess 4, Transfer Student 3.

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