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CLASS HISTORY

We entered Uni High as Sub-Freshmen in 1948. For officers we elected Pete Stearns, Dick Pogue, Judy Cleary, Anne Colwell, and Karlyn Kettelkamp. In our eyes, the most important event of the year was our trip to New Salem.

The next year we became Freshmen, and began to enter the school's activities. Our all-school party was recognized as the most successful party of the year. Our class officers were Maggie Casserly, Caroline Stoddard, Anne Colwell, Mike Yohe, Dan Fraenkel, and Cookie Cohn. Three of our members were in the operetta.

We became Sophomores the following year. Our leaders, Jack Wills, Karlyn Kettelkamp, Shirley Beaty, Mike Yohe, Caroline Stoddard, and Dan Fraenkel, guided us in planning the Spring Fling. The class was well represented on the football, basketball, track, and other teams.

As Juniors, we elected Cookie Cohn, Polly Harper, Pat Petry, Bill Pickard, Jim Gillespie, Nancy Working. In addition to participating in many activities, the Juniors gave the Christmas Dance, and the highlight of the year, the Junior-Senior Prom.

At last we became Seniors. Our officers were Caroline Stoddard, Jim Gillespie, Pat Lawder, Bill Pickard, Pete Stearns and Polly Harper. We were leaders making 1952-53 a better-than-average year for such activities as dramatics, athletics, and G.A.A.
seniors
SHIRLEY LEE BEATY  "Shirley"
"There's so much homework!"

Class Secretary 2; G.A.A. S,1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; Girls' Chorus S; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Terrapin 2, 3, 4; Orchesis S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Wardrobe Chr. 4; Commencement Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; Spring Fling Attendant 2; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4.

WILLIAM THEODORE BECKER  "Bill"
"My heart bleeds"

Boys' Sports Editor of U AND I 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2; Co-Chr. of Commencement Committee 4; U-Club 4.

SHARON JANEAN BILBREY  "Sharon"
"I know a good game!"

JUST-US Staff S; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3; TROJAN WOMEN 1; Will Committee 4; Orchestra S; County Music Festival S.

ANNE MATLOCK BOYS  "Anne"
"The light's on for Daphne."

Co-Chr. of Lost and Found Committee 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Secretary 4; Girls' Chorus 2; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Operetta 4; Uni High Players 4; OUR HEARTS 4; Red Cross Council 3; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.
PATRICIA ELEANOR BUTLER "Pat"
"Cackle, Cackle, Cackle"

Girls' Sports Editor of U AND I 4; Carnival Committee 3, 4; G.A.A.S 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Manager 3; President 4; Terrapin 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1; Uni High Players 4; Junior Red Cross Council S, 2, 3, 4; President 3, County Council 4.

CHARLES EDWARD CAIRNS "Chuck"
"Oh, how hairy!"

Football Manager 1; Class Night Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; TROJAN WOMEN 1; YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU 2; AARON SLICK 3; OUR HEARTS 4.

MARGARET MARY ANNE CASSERLY "Maggie"
"...and then he said...and then I said..."

Class President 1; Just Us Staff 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Red Cross Council 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; County Music Festival 1, 2; Carnival Committee 2.

JUDITH CATHERINE CLEARY "Judy"
"Just a minute!"

Class Secretary S; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3, 4; Honorary Member of Orchesis 3, 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Madrigals 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Chr. of Class Night Committee 4; QUALITY STREET S; Tri High Council 3, 4; Chr. 4; All State Music Festival 3, 4; County Music Festival S, 1, 2, 3, 4.
REINA MARILYN COHN "Cookie"  
"Say it a little louder and we'll dance!"

Student Council Representative 1; Class President 3; Chr. of Elections Committee 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Terrapin 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Treasurer 1, Secretary 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Madrigals 4; Uni High Players 4; AARON SLICK 3; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Commencement Committee 4; Operettas 2, 3, 4; D.A.R. Award 4.

ANNE ELIZABETH COLWELL "Anne"  
"To tell you the honest-to-goodness truth..."

Class Treasurer S; Class Secretary 1, Assistant Editor of U AND 14, G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Publicity Chairman 1, Treasurer 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1, 2, Librarian 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Operettas 3, 4; Skip Day Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; QUALITY STREET S; Spring Fling Attendant 1; All State Music Festival 4; County Music Festival S, 1, 2, 3, 4.

CARYL SUE DUNN "Caryl"  
"I hate men!"

Champaign Junior High School 1; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 2; County Music Festival 2.

DAVID EMERSON "Dave"  
"Is it pot-metal?"

Photography Club 2, 3, 4.
MARY IDABEL EVANS "Ide"
"All right, already!"
Just Us S, 1, 2, 3; Typist 2, 3; G. A. A. S, 1, 2, 3; Girls’ Chorus 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls’ Ensemble 3, 4; Operettas 3, 4; Prophecy Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; Red Cross Council 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

ANNE MARIE FJELDE "Anne"
"Seriously, now..."
G. A. A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4, Council Representative 5; Terrapin 1, 2, 3; Orchesis 1, 2; Girls’ Chorus S, 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls’ Ensemble 3, 4; Librarian 3, 4; Chr. of Skip Day Committee 4; QUALITY STREET 5; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; Tri-High Council 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 5, 1, 2, 4.

DAN GABRIEL FRAENKEL "Dan"
"That’s a lot of piffle."
Student Council Representative 1, 2; Chr. of Student Policy Committee 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 4; Operetta 1, 4; Orchestra S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Uni High Players 4, Commencement Committee 4.

DOROTHY HUTCHISON GARLAND "Dorothy"
"I know I can’t!"
Co-Chr. of Lost and Found Committee 3; Co-Chr. of Milk Committee 1; G. A. A. S, 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls’ Ensemble 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Orchestra S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Uni High Players, Secretary 4; OUR HEARTS 4; Red Cross Council 3; All State Music Festival 3, 4; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4.
JAMES RANDALL BROWN GILLESPIE "Jim"
"I have to fill the candy machine."
Student Council Representative 3; Class Vice President 4; Chr. of Candy Committee 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Skip Day Committee 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

GREGOR GREGORIC "Greg"
"Here, I'll draw it for you."
Oberrealschule, Fussen, Germany 1; Football 4; Mixed Chorus 4; President 4; Madrigals 4; Operetta 4; THE TEMPEST 3; Photography Club 3, 4.

MARIANN HARPER "Polly"
"Come, come, now, don't be bitter."
Class Vice President 3; Student Council Representative 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Publicity Committee Chr. 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Terrapin 4; Girls' Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Madrigals 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Commencement Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; AARON SLICK 3; OUR HEARTS 4; Photography Club 2; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Just Us Staff 2.

JOSEPH EDGAR HASSELL "Joe"
"But I have an excuse this time!"
Champaign Junior High School 1; Champaign Senior High School 2; Football 4; Basketball 3, 4; Track 3, 4; U-Club 4.
J. RICHARD HENRY "Dick"
"I was robbed!"

Urbana High School 1; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Track 2, 4; U-Club President 4; Skip Day Committee 4; Spring Fling Attendant 3; Will Committee 4.

THERESA JEAN KAPLAN "Terry"
"Carry me out!"

Just Us Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Terrapin 3, 4; Orchesis 1, 2, 3, 4, Wardrobe Chr. 3; Girls' Chorus S; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3; Uni High Players 4; Photography Club 2; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2.

KARLYN RAE KETTELKAMP "Karlyn"
"Let's!"

Student Council Representative S; Class Vice President 2; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchesis 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, President 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1, Vice President 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Uni High Players 4; QUALITY STREET S; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

JEROME RICHARD KIRK "Jerry"
"I'll sue!"

Photography Club S, 1; Just Us S, 2, 3, 4; News Editor 4; Chr. of Assembly Committee 3; Honorary Member of Orchesis 4; Uni High Players 4; QUALITY STREET S; YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU 2; LIFE WITH FATHERS; ALCESTIS 3; OUR HEARTS 4; Technical Director of ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4;
PATRICIA ANN LAWDER "Pat"  
"Let's go on a field trip."

Class Secretary 4; Literary Editor of U AND I 4; Just Us 2, 3; Production Editor 3; Carnival Committee 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Terrapin 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Uni High Players, Social Director 4; All State Music Festival 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; TROJAN WOMEN 1.

WILMA NETTIE LIBMAN "Wilma"  
"I don't know."

Just Us Staff 2, 4; Carnival Committee 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 4; Girls' Chorus 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Uni High Players 4; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; Red Cross Council 4; County Music Festival 3.

WILLIAM IRVIN MARTIN "Bill"  
"It's a helluva world!"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Operetta 4; Will Committee 4.

DIANA MOSELEY "Dee"  
"We wore bloomers in England."

Friends' School, Essex, England 1; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Librarian 4; Operetta 3, 4; Madrigals 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Uni High Players 4; THE TEMPEST 3; OUR HEARTS 4; Red Cross Council 3; All State Music Festival 3, 4.
PATRICIA ANN PETRY "Pat"
"Well, it's too late now!"
Class Secretary 3; Circulation Manager of U AND I 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Publicity Chr. 3; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 4; Operetta 3, 4; Commencement Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; TROJAN WOMEN 1; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; Red Cross Council 4, County Council 4; Tri High Queen 4; All State Music Festival 4; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4.

WILLIAM EARL PICKARD "Bill"
"I always like a good party!"
Islington Public School, Islington, Ontario 1; Class Treasurer 3, 4; Business Manager of U AND I 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Carnival Committee 4; Chr. Records Committee 4; Basketball Manager 2; Class Night Committee 4; Uni High Players, Treasurer 4; YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU 2; THE TEMPEST 3; OUR HEARTS 4; Football 3; U-Club 4; All State Music Festival 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

ERICK ARTHUR REICKERT "Erick"
"I don't like it!"
Champaign Junior High School 1; Tennis 3, 4; Photography Club 2, 3, 4, President 3, 4; Photographer of U AND I 4.

HELMUT J. REHDER "Helmut"
"Let's scratch off!"
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Track 4.
CAROLYN ANN SCHULTZ "Pepper"
"But Hon-eeey..."
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Co-Chr. of Commencement Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; County Music Festival 1, 2, 4; Operetta 4.

JOANN ELAINE SCOTT "Joann"
"I REALLY mean it!"
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Council 3, 4; Terrapin 2, 3, 4, President 3, 4; Orchesis 1, 2, 3, 4; G's Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3; Chr. Prophecy Committee 4; Spring Fling Attendant 3; Uni High Players 4; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3.

ALBERT EUGENE SHELTON "Al"
"Man, I've been doing it for years!"
Football 1, 2, 4; U-Club 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4.

GERALD HENRY SIEWERT "Jerry"
"Wanna have a hayrack ride?"
Wrestling 2; Mixed Chorus 1; Skip Day Committee 4; Spring Fling Attendant 2; Prophecy Committee 4.
PETER NATHANIEL STEARNS "Pete"
"It was simply Hilarious!"

Davies' Tutors, London, England 1; Class President S; Student Council Representative 4; Student Council President 4; Just Us S, 2, 3; Chr. Elections Committee 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Basketball 2; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Madrigals 4; Boys' Ensemble 3, 4; Uni High Players 4; QUALITY STREET S; LIFE WITH FATHER S; YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU 2; ALCESTIS 3; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; Orchestra 3, 4; All State Music Festival 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; U-Club 4.

CAROLINE STODDARD "Caroline"
"I thought I'd die!"

Class Vice President 1; Student Council Representative 2; Class President 4; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Terrapin 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Madrigals 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1, Secretary 1; Uni High Players 4; Spring Fling Attendant S; County Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARGARET ANNE THOMPSON "Margaret"
"Did you get a letter?"

Just Us Staff 4; Girls' Chorus 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Chr. of Milk Committee 4; Prophecy Committee 4; Uni High Players 4; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

LENORE JEAN WEATHERFORD "Lennie"
"Let's go to the coffee shop."

Champaign Junior High School 1; G.A.A. 2, 3; Red Cross Council 2; Chr. of Will Committee 4.
JOHN ELLIOT WILLS, JR. "Jack"
"Where's your copy?"
Class President 2; Just Us 3, 4; News Editor 3; Editor-in-Chief 4; Carnival Committee S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Boys' Ensemble 3, 4; Uni High Players, Publicity Chr. 4; Calendar Editor of U AND I 4; QUALITY STREET S; PRIDE AND PREJUDICE 1; THE LATE GEORGE APLEY 1; YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU 2; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4; Red Cross Council 2, 4; Photography Club S, 1; All State Music Festival 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

NANCY JOAN WORKING "Nancy"
"I'd love to!"
Student Council Representative 3; Secretary 3; Just Us Staff 3; G.A.A. S, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchesis 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Girls' Chorus S, 1, 2; Librarian 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Art Editor of U AND I 4; Class Night and Skip Day Committees 4; Uni High Players, President 4; QUALITY STREET S; PRIDE AND PREJUDICE 1; TROJAN WOMEN 1; ALCESTIS 3; OUR HEARTS 4; Photography Club S, 1, 2; All State Music Festival 3; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

JAMES MICHAEL YOHE "Mike"
"Let's shoot the bull!"
Class Treasurer 1, 2; Editor-in-Chief of U and I 4; Sports Editor of Just Us 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Boys' Ensemble 3, 4; Photography Club S; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4, Manager 1; ANNIE GET YOUR GUN 4.

ROBERT LOUIS HENRY "Bob"
"Wanna go to St. Joe tonight?"
Urbana High School 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Track 3, 4.
ALFRED INSELBERG "Alfred"

Athens Model Lyceum, Athens, Greece 1, 2; Whittingehame College, Brighton, England 3.

CLIFFORD L. MURPHY, JR. "Cliff"

"How about a game of snooker?"

Champaign Junior High School 1; Football 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Wrestling 2; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4, President 3; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Madrigals 3, 4; Boys' Ensemble 3, 4; County Music Festival 3.
CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of 1953, do hereby bequeath our characteristics and mannerisms which have made us well known among the teachers and underclassmen of Uni High, in hopes that they will profit by them and never forget our class.

To the class of 1954 we leave our "quiet" parties.
To the class of 1955 we leave our wonderful teachers. You can finish them if anyone can.
To the class of 1956 we leave our polite manners and good looks.
To the class of 1957 we leave--and doubt if you'll ever miss us.

I, Shirley Beaty, leave my gracefulness and ability to dance to Larry Farlow.
I, Bill Becker, leave the Uni High girls with NO regrets.
I, Sharon Bilbrey, very regretfully leave my trig class and all those boys.
I, Anne Boys, leave. Sorry, Mr. Potter, I'm taking my poodle with me.
I, Pat Butler, leave my laugh to Miss Fujita to liven up sixth hour P.E. class.
I, Chuck Cairns, leave my checkered hat to Mr. Swanson.
I, Maggie Casserly, leave my long red underwear to Miss LaRocque.
I, Judy Cleary, leave a "few minutes" late.
I, Cookie Cohn, leave to go on a cross country tour to visit the men in my life.
I, Anne Colwell, leave my worldly ways to Jane Prosser.
I, Caryl Dunn, leave chemistry class--thank goodness!
I, Dave Emerson, leave my Rube Goldberg inventions to Mr. Rubendall.
I, Ide Evans, leave my curls to Mr. Laska.
I, Anne Fjelde, leave my hour-glass figure to Phil Kellogg.
I, Dan Fraenkel, leave my mathematical ability to Dan McCollum.
I, Dorothy Garland, leave my blush to Karl Norton.
I, Jim Gillespie, leave my ability to make a fool of myself in class to Ruth Emerson.
I, Gregor Gregoric, leave. Who will do the drawing now?
I, Polly Harper, leave my singing voice to Pete Weiler.
I, Joe Hassell, leave in a hurry. This time I won't have to think of an excuse.
I, Bob Henry, leave my glamorous legs to Marilyn Bryant.
I, Dick Henry, leave my quiet ways and manners to Kent Karraker.
I, Terry Kaplan, leave my ability to write poetry to the Junior English class.
I, Karlyn Kettelkamp, leave my cheerleading sweater to Mr. Potter.
I, Pat Lawder, leave my weight and height to Coach Lacky and his oncoming football team.
I, Wilma Libman, leave my neat locker to Ann Simpson.
I, Willie Martin, leave nothing to nobody. I'd sell it first.
I, Cliff Murphy, leave again, never to return.
I, Diana Moseley, leave my English accent to the Southern gentleman, Jack Fields.
I, Pat Petry, leave my winning smile to the Juniors to charm the teachers.
I, Bill "Do you have a receipt?" Pickard, leave with what’s left of Uni High’s finances.
I, Erick Reickert, leave with my one remaining flash bulb. I used the rest on yearbook pictures.
I, Helmut Rehder, leave with my oboe reed still in my mouth.
I, Pat Petty, leave my winning smile to the Juniors to charm the teachers.
I, Bill "Do you have a receipt?" Pickard, leave with what's left of Uni High's finances.
I, Erick Reickert, leave with my one remaining flash bulb. I used the rest on yearbook pictures.
I, Helmut Rehder, leave with my oboe reed still in my mouth.
I, Carolyn Schultz, leave, still combing my hair.
I, Al Shelton, leave the physical science room quiet for once, and hope that Mr. Seaman survives.
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I, Jerry Siewert leave my red truck to Mr. McCleary. If the underclassmen skip school, they can always spot him coming.
I, Joann Scott, leave my swimming ability to future Terrapin members.
I, Pete Stearns, leave my love of arguing to Linda Cone.
I, Caroline Stoddard, leave to go where I'm unknown.
I, Margaret Thompson, leave my many perfume bottles to the chem lab.
I, Lenore Weatherford, leave with the will to the U AND I.
I, Jack Wills, leave with speed no one thought I had.
I, Nancy Working, leave my love of modern paintings to the sub-freshman art class.
I, Mike Yohe, leave a pile of old casts to next year's football team. They're cheaper that way.

Signed, sealed and witnessed on this sixty-third day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.
I. M. Frustrated
U. R. Crazy
CLASS PROPHECY

The Class of 1953
Has spread from there to here,
Directly below this you will find
A report of each career.

Shirley Beaty is putting her talents to good use. She's juggling plates in the coffee shop.
Bill Becker is the head man in Macy's lingerie department.
Sharon Bilbrey is still sitting in Mr. Beberman's office working Algebra problems.
Anne Boys is feeding and caring for the dogs at the Hollywood Dog Kennels.
Pat Butler is president of B.A.A. (Boys' Athletic Association) in the state of Illinois.
Charles Cairns is a judge in the juvenile court.
Margaret Casserly manufactures long red underwear.
Judy Cleary set a new record in flagpole sitting. She is afraid to come down.
Reina "Cookie" Cohn is still in medical school.
Anne Colwell is the best-dressed women in the Fiji Isles.
Caryl Dunn has a fourteen-week engagement singing in Elmo's Hot Spot in Mayview.
David Emerson has been making those well-known pocket telescopes.
Ide Evans was recently elected Apple Blossom Queen of Calhoun County.
Anne Fjelde is exhibiting her new painting, "The Liver and The Spleen."
Dan Fraenkel is conductor of the local jazz band.
Dorothy Garland is modeling hats at Rene's
Jim Gillespie is Complaint Manager at Kresge's
Gregor Gregoric is cover designer for Esquire.
Polly Harper is guest singer for the American All-Male Chorus.
Joe Hassell is working for the Illinois Central Railroad. His favorite saying is "Anaheim, Asuza, and Cuc---amonga."
Dick Henry just sailed for South Africa where he will be a missionary. Bon Voyage!
Terry Kaplan is teaching recreation to the Flathead Indians in Idaho.
Pat Lawder has just earned her Eagle Scout badge.
Wilma Libman just won third place at the Indianapolis Speedway.
Willie Martin is head bat boy for the Pittsburg Pirates.
Diana Moseley is the world's best paid skywriter. She writes with an English accent.
Pat Petry just set a new record for underwater swimming.
Bill Pickard is in charge of the University greenhouses.
Erick Reickert is working with the movie-making industry. He splices film.
Helmut Rehder has just figured out a new carburetor attachment to be made from old oboes.
Carolyn Schultz has the largest living collection of snakes.
Al Shelton won $25,000 for the best cake recipe of the year.
Joann Scott is now in the chorus line of an underwater show at the Hippodrome.
Peter Stearns has just opened his new beauty salon, "Pierre's."
Caroline Stoddard is captain of a fishing boat in Chinatown, San Francisco.
Margaret Thompson is a bookie at Santa Anita.
Lenore Weatherford is the head of Burnham City Hospital School of Nursing.
Jack Wills is a traffic policeman at the corner of State and Madison.
Nancy Working is now writing advice to the lovelorn for the News-Gazette.
Mike Yohe is finally off the scorers' bench. He referees Uni High games now.
classes
FIRST ROW: John Braswell, Joe Foulk, Dave Anderson, Torrey Brown, Phil Douglass, Jack Fields, Fred DeBoer,
SECOND ROW: Martha Davison, Jerri Carter, Mary Bradbury, Ruth Emerson, Linda Cone, Barbara Garrett, Marcia Bourgin, Harriet Head.
ABSENT: Shirley Koch, Jim Pursley.

JUNIOR CLASS

CLASS OFFICERS

President ........................................... Fred DeBoer
Vice President ..................................... Maryhelen Ryan
Secretary .......................................... Carolyn Manley
Treasurer ............................................. Mary Bradbury
Girls' Representative ................................. Jerri Carter
Boys' Representative ................................. Clem Pierce
Although the methods of the Junior Class in dealing with problems were not endorsed by all of the teachers, including their sponsor, Miss Fedder, they contributed a good deal to the general welfare of the school. The Juniors gave a very nice prom for the Seniors in May. They also sponsored the Christmas Dance and two hops. They were famous for their many class parties.
FIRST ROW: Eddie Tepper, John Rund, Steve Webb, Jack Marvel, John Sanford, Gene Plymire.
THIRD ROW: Jackie Sowers, Sarah Tate, Kate Shattuck, Mary Siebert, Ann Simpson, Nicole Guinier.
ABSENT: Kim Simpson, Jane Kemmerer, Gust Papadalos.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

CLASS OFFICERS

President ........................................... Steve Webb
Vice President ...................................... John Rund
Secretary ........................................... Nancy Forsyth
Treasurer ........................................... Jack Snader
Girls' Representative ............................. Kate Shattuck
Boys' Representative ............................. Kit Bannister
The members of the Sophomore class were as wise and as foolish as their name implies. Gaining experience for their future years, they participated in almost every extra-curricular activity the school offers.

The class, sponsored by Mr. Snader, had four class parties. On May 16, they held a picnic at Kickapoo. The Spring Fling, sponsored by the Sophomores on April 11, was a great success.
FIRST ROW: Tom Kearns, Fred Brightbill, Fred Fjelde, George Wesley, David Lantz, Roland Dekkor van Ghyl.
SECOND ROW: Kathy Garman, Linda Bennett, Isola Newbill, Carol Cope, Lorraine Kirk, Lorna Klorfine, Ann Cleary, Katie Almy.
THIRD ROW: Jim Bardeen, Bob Jones, David Broadbent, Emily Fessler, Virginia Haworth, Dean Wallen, Marlin Ewing.

FRESHMEN

CLASS OFFICERS

President ............................................. Tom Kearns
Vice President ....................................... David Lantz
Secretary ............................................ Laurel McClure
Treasurer ............................................. David Broadbent
Girls' Representative .............................. Emily Fessler
Boys' Representative ............................... Fred Brightbill
The class of '56, sponsored by Mr. Brown, shows signs of becoming a very original class. They thought up a motto, "Navigatum iubet vicissum", which means in Freshmen lingo, "Now we got them, you bet we kiss them". They sponsored a class party on October 18, two hops, and on April 25, they gave an all-school party. There were several Freshmen boys on the reserve basketball team, and they were also represented on the football field.
FIRST ROW: Emil de Antonio, Bill Capel, Bill Bestor, Grant Fairbanks, Kevin McRimmon, Dave Norton, Lindsay Black.
SECOND ROW: Bob Parker, Dan Yohe, John Buley, Sue Colwell, Marilyn Bryant, Sally Stearns, Barbara Foley, Roberta Anderson, Richard Newmark, Marc Rhoades, Mike Morrell.
THIRD ROW: Frank Miles, Ron Link, Phil Kellogg, Steve Knapp, Fred Hubbard, Dave Hulett, John Williams, Ken Laitinen.
ABSENT: Judy Speed, Linda Mowrer, Virginia Garrett.

CLASS OFFICERS

President ................................................. Ronnie Link
Vice-President ........................................... Bill Bestor
Secretary ................................................... Grant Fairbanks
Treasurer .................................................... John Buley
Council Representative ............................... Sally Stearns
G.A.A. Representative ................................. Roberta Anderson

The Sub-freshmen class started the year with a picnic in late September. In place of a Halloween Party, the Subs had a Thanksgiving party and presented their sponsor, Mr. McCleary, with a gift certificate.
activities
STUDENT COUNCIL

President ............................................. Peter Stearns
Vice-president ........................................ John Rund
Treasurer ............................................. Steve Webb
Secretary ............................................. Mariann Harper

Student Council accomplished several things during the first months of the school year. Many of these were financial; the Carnival was an unprecedented success. Council was able to grant additional funds to many activities. Matters of policy which had not been dealt with before were acted upon in an attempt to establish a better foundation for the school and its activities. A trip to visit another council, with hope of a reciprocal arrangement, was planned. Suggestions relative to various school problems, such as telephone use, were presented to the faculty. In addition, the usual lesser problems which arise annually were satisfactorily solved. Many other improvements were discussed during the year.
Editor in Chief ........................................... Jack Wills
Copy Editor .................................................. Mike Hudson
Business Manager ......................................... John Braswell
Sports Editor ................................................. Mike Yohe
Art Editor ................................................... Sarah Tate

For the first part of the school year, improvement of the weekly ditto editions of JUST US, the student newspaper, was emphasized. Particular attention was paid to increasing completeness of coverage of the school, quality of writing, and the appearance of the paper. Believing that the paper had improved sufficiently to make this venture worthwhile, the staff brought out the first printed paper in Uni High's history on February 3rd. The paper was sponsored by Miss LaRocque.
The Photography club met on Monday afternoons with Mr. Laska as the sponsor.

The club had no all-inclusive program, as each member chose some aspect of photography in which he was interested, and proceeded to study the topic at his own speed.

Because darkroom work is the foundation of photography and since it must be learned early to master the art, the darkroom was a popular spot for photo enthusiasts throughout the year.

Many people were active in the club this year. Club members were Kit Bannister, David Emerson, Dan Fraenkel, Gregor Gregoric, Lorna Klorfine, Don Polly, Erick Reickert, and Bob Working.
Uni High's newest activity, the U-Club, was organized in December under the sponsorship of Mr. Dale Lacky. It got off to a good start by sponsoring an all-school dance on March 14, and an assembly in the first part of April.

On the more serious side, the club standardized the system of awarding letters and the types of awards which were to be made.
G. A. A. COUNCIL

OFFICERS

President ................................................. Pat Butler
Vice-President ........................................... Reina Cohn
Secretary ................................................ Judy Cleary
Treasurer ............................................... Anne Colwell
Intramural Manager ................................. Maryhelen Ryan
Terrapin President ......................... Joann Scott
Orchesis President ......................... Karlyn Kettelkamp
Orchesis Representative ................. Anne Simpson

The annual Big-Little Sister picnic, held at Hessel Park, inaugurated the year’s activities for G.A.A. Soccer, basketball, volleyball and baseball intramurals were held, and the All-Stars were selected. G.A.A. sponsored their first Play Day in four years on February 21. The Star Dance, held on March 7, proved to be a great success. For the first time in G.A.A.’s history at Uni High, all of the classes were represented on the council. Those serving as representatives were: Jackie Sowers, Sophomore; Katy Almy, Freshman; and Roberta Anderson, Sub-Freshman. Miss Fujita served as G.A.A.’s advisor.
Soccer All-Stars

FIRST ROW: Marilyn Bryant, Ann Cleary, Arlene Schoenburg, Lorna Klorfine.
SECOND ROW: Sally Stearns, Nancy Simon, Jean Simpson, Jerri Carter, Mary Bradbury, Ruth Emerson.

Basketball All-Stars

Arlene Schoenburg, Maryhelen Ryan, Mary Bradbury, Carolyn Manley, Jean Simpson, Kate Shattuck
Terrapin started practice early in the year for their annual show. Two performances of "Aqua-Gems", the theme for this year's show, were given in early February. For the remainder of the year the girls further perfected their skills, and trained the Junior Terrapin members. Try-outs were held in early spring. Anne Colwell was general chairman of the show. Mary Ruth Tate, a Terrapin alumna, and Miss Fujita served as Terrapin's advisors.
President ........................................ Karlyn Kettelkamp
Secretary ........................................ Nancy Working
Treasurer ........................................ Martha Davison
Wardrobe-Mistress .............................. Shirley Beaty
G.A.A. Representative ............................ Ann Simpson

Orchesis, the modern dance group, was very active this year. It started out on its program in December on 1952 by presenting “The Juggler of Notre Dame” at Wesley Foundation. The annual concert was presented in the Spring of 1953. The concert consisted of quartets, trios, duets, solos, and several large group dances. Mrs. Rosen was sponsor and instructor for Orchesis.
Something new was added to Uni High's dramatic activities this year. The University High Players was launched under the leadership of Mrs. Hinze and Mr. Gillette. The club served as a production group of the season's plays, OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND GAY and ANNIE GET YOUR GUN, and the spring one-acts.

During the fall, over sixty club members journeyed to Chicago to take in a live radio broadcast, tour a costume house, and see a matinee of GUYS AND DOLLS. In April the group again headed for Chicago. Club activities also included movies on the subjects of acting and production, and sessions in make-up technique.

OFFICERS

President ............................................ Nancy Working  
Vice President ....................................... Mike Hudson  
Secretary ............................................. Dorothy Garland  
Treasurer ............................................... Bill Pickard  
Social Director ....................................... Pat Lawder  
Publicity Chairman .................................... Jack Wills
"OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND GAY"

OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND GAY was presented on November 1 under the direction of Mrs. Hinze. The play, written by Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough, describes adventures of the two girls on a trip to Europe.

CAST

Steward .................................................. Charles Cairns
Mrs. Skinner ............................................. Dorothy Garland
Cornelia Otis Skinner ............................... Nancy Working
Otis Skinner ............................................. John Rund
Emily Kimbrough ..................................... Linda Bennett
Purser .................................................... Kent Karraker
Stewardess ............................................. Jackie Sowers
Dick Winters ........................................... Jerry Kirk
Admiral .................................................. Jack Wills
Harriett St. John ...................................... Diana Moseley
Winifred Blaugh ....................................... Mary Schramm
Leo McEvoy ............................................. Mike Hudson
Inspector ............................................... Polly Harper
Therese .................................................. Ann Simpson
Madame Elise .......................................... Anne Boys
Monsieur de la Croix ................................ Bill Pickard
Window Cleaner ...................................... Bob Becker
ANNIE GET YOUR GUN, a straight play based on the book by Dorothy and Herbert Fields, was given February 14. The play, directed by Mr. Gillette, had a total of nearly sixty cast members and extras. For his performance in ANNIE, David Broadbent was offered a scholarship to the Children's Theater at Shurtleff College.

CAST

Annie .......................... Martha Davison
Frank Butler .......................... Pete Stearns
Dolly .................................. Pat Petry
Charlie .................................. John Rund
Winnie .................................. Anne Fjelde
Tommy .................................. Mike Hudson
Foster Wilson .......................... Robert Gammill
Conductor .......................... Robert Gammill
Buffalo Bill .......................... Bill Swinford
Pawnee Bill .......................... Roy Swanson
Man .................................. Mike Yohe
Sitting Bull .......................... Jack Wills
Minnie .................................. Judith Speed
Jessie .................................. Jane Bartlett
Little Jake .......................... David Broadbent
Mrs. Adams .......................... Mary Siebert
Mrs. Porter .......................... Michele Wood
Mary .................................. Arlene Schoenburg
Jane .................................. Sally Stearns
Little Girl .................................. Marilyn Bryant
George .......................... George Wesley
1st Boy .......................... Robert Gammill
Mac .................................. Stephen Webb
Mrs. Yellowfoot .......................... Wilma Libman
Mrs. Littlehorse .......................... Peggy Lawder
2nd Boy .................................. Al Shelton
Waiter .................................. Al Shelton
Girl .................................. Ann Cleary
1st Girl .................................. Polly Viens
2nd Girl .......................... Laurel McClure
Lady Guest .......................... Dorothy Garland
Male Guest .......................... John Brock
Footman .......................... Robert Working
Coolie .......................... Robert Working

EXTRAS

Uni High's Junior Red Cross Council carried on a number of activities during the year along with the other schools in the county. Their activities included a party at the Chanute A.F.B. Hospital, caroling at nursing homes, and work on the Red Cross Fund drive.

Pat Butler served as vice-president of the County Council and Margaret Casserly acted as the group's secretary. The County Council sent John Braswell and Margaret Casserly to the Junior Red Cross Training Camp in the summer of 1952.

Margaret Casserly served as president of the Uni High Council, John Braswell as vice-president, and Ann Simpson as secretary. Miss LaRocque was the group's sponsor.
music
MIXED CHORUS

President .......................................................... Gregor Gregoric
Secretary .......................................................... Anne Boys
Librarians ............................................................ Jack Wills
                                             Diana Moseley
The Mixed Chorus met regularly on Mondays and Tuesdays in the North Attic. Warren Schuetz was director and Maribeth Hamp accompanist. The annual Christmas concert had a fixed theme for the first time in Uni High's history. The program consisted mostly of Christmas songs, accompanied by tableaux on the stage.

Many of the chorus members participated in the Champaign County Music Festival in April. Chorus members also played host to members of the West Aurora High School chorus when they presented several concerts in the Twin Cities.
This year, for the first time in Uni High’s history, Boys’ and Girls’ Ensembles combined their efforts, and sang two numbers arranged for mixed voices. Orchestis took advantage of this combination in the Christmas Assembly, picturing "The Twelve Days of Christmas," accompanied by the Ensembles. Girls’ Ensemble sang several of Benjamin Britton’s arrangements of "The Ceremony of Carols," which provided the background music for "The Juggler of Notre Dame." This dance was presented in the Christmas Assembly, and also at Wesley Foundation. Both groups sang in the tableaux in the Christmas Concert—the boys were street carolers, and the girls sang around the Christmas tree. In addition, they gave several programs for civic groups in the community.

Membership in the Ensembles, directed by Mr. Warren Schuetz, is restricted to juniors and seniors because of the sixth hour practice time. Caroline Stoddard accompanies Girls’ Ensemble, and Anne Fjelde is librarian.
FIRST ROW: Anne Fjelde, Carolyn Schultz, Anne Boys, Idabel Evans, Anne Colwell, Shirley Koch, Shirley Beaty, Terry Kaplan.
SECOND ROW: Reina Cohn, Judy Cleary, Karlyn Kettlekamp, Caroline Stoddard, Diana Moseley, Dorothy Garland, Mariann Harper, Nancy Working, Pat Petry, Mr. Schuetz.

FIRST ROW: Cliff Murphy, Rolland Kelley, Jim Purseley, Kent Karraker, Mike Yohe, Mr. Schuetz, John Braswell.
SECOND ROW: Bill Swinford, Joe Foulk, Bob Neuman, Jack Wills, Torrey Brown, Nick Logan, Pete Stearns.
SECOND ROW: Ellen Hamp, Mara Taub, Michele Wood, Emily Fessler, Gleam Swanson, Jane Prosser, Sue Colwell, Marilyn Bryant, Sally Stearns, Virginia Garrett, Icola Newbill, Mr. Schwalbe.

GIRLS' CHORUS

The Girls' Chorus met twice a week under the direction of Miss Barbara Nicely during the first semester, and Richard Schwalbe during the second semester. The girls participated in the annual Christmas concert and also the Champaign County Music Festival. Jane Bartlett and Michele Wood represented the group in the operetta.
SEATED: Martha Davison, Mariann Harper, Judy Cleary, Diana Moseley, Caroline Stoddard, Reina Cohn.
STANDING: Mr. Schuetz, Peter Stearns, Gregor Gregoric, Chris Kuhne, Clifford Murphy.

MADRIGALS

Madrigals were again Uni High's most outstanding musical group. They improved their program this year by memorizing their music and adding many new numbers. The group made recordings which were broadcast on station WILL. They also sang at the University Lincoln Day ceremonies. On May 7 they made their annual weekend trip. The group climaxed the year by singing at Commencement.
Frederic, the pirate apprentice, has served out his years of indenture, and urges the pirates to join him in a more lawful calling, but they refuse. Ruth, however wishes to become his wife. Having seen but few women, he does not know if she is as pretty as she says she is; but finally he consents to marry her.

Just then the wards of General Stanley happen upon the scene. Frederic sees their beauty - and Ruth's plainness - and renounces her. Of these girls, Mabe takes a particular interest in Frederic and he in her. The other girls are seized by the pirates and are threatened with marriage. When General Stanley arrives, he dissuades the pirates, who themselves are orphans, by telling them that he is an orphan. This so works upon their sympathy that they let him and his wards go free.

Later this lie bothers the General's conscience; he sits brooding over it at night in a Gothic ruin. He is consoled by his wards' sympathy and Frederic's plan to lead a band of police against the pirates.

Meanwhile, the Pirate King and Ruth appear at the window and beckon to Frederic; they have discovered that his indentures were to have run until his twenty-first birthday, and, as he was born on February 29th, he has really had as yet only five birthdays. Obeying the dictates of a strong sense of duty, he immediately rejoins the pirates. He tells them of the deception that has been practiced on them, and they seize and bind General Stanley.

But the police come to the rescue and charge the pirates yield "in Queen Victoria's name." This they do. Ruth explains, however, that these men who appear to be lawless pirates are really all "noblemen who have gone wrong," and they are pardoned and marry General Stanley's daughters.
Cast

Major General ......................... Peter Stearns
Pirate King .............................. Nick Logan
Samuel .................................. Chris Kuhne
Sergeant ................................ Joe Foulk
                                  Gregor Gregoric

Mabel .................................... Polly Harper
Edith ..................................... Nancy Working
Kate ...................................... Reina Cohn
Isabel ................................... Martha Davison
Ruth ..................................... Diana Moseley
Frederic ................................ Cliff Murphy

PIRATES AND POLICEMEN—Francis Barker, John Braswell, Joe Foulk, Dan Fraenkel, Jim Gillespie, Gregor Gregoric, Mike Hudson, Kent Karraker, Rolland Kelley, Chris Kuhne, David Lantz, Stuart Mann, Bill Martin, Benno Philippson, Bill Pickard, Frank Reeves, John Rund, Bill Swinford, Steve Webb, Jack Wills, Mike Yohe.

WARDS—Jane Bartlett, Shirley Beary, Anne Boys, Judy Cleary, Anne Colwell, Isabel Evans, Dorothy Garland, Terry Kaplan, Karlyn Kettelkamp, Shirley Koch, Carolyn Manley, Pat Petry, Mary Schramm, Carolyn Schultz, Kate Shattuck, Ann Simpson, Caroline Stoddard, Sarah Tate, Michele Wood.

Accompanists ........................................... Emily Fessler
Director ...................................................... Warren Schuetz

Maribeth Hamp
THE ORCHESTRA

The Orchestra had another good year under the leadership of Mr. Warren Schuetz; Benno Philippson, president; Ann Cleary, secretary; Bob Working, property manager; and John Rund and Peter Stearns, librarians. Some of the members also played in the newly founded Community Orchestra. The Orchestra participated in various events during the school year, including the Christmas Music Assembly and the Christmas Concert. The year was brought to a close with a concert on April 26. Accompanists were Reina Cohn and Ruth Emerson.
athletics
FOOTBALL

THE SEASON

Uni High had a football team to be proud of this year. We welcomed back our coach, Dale Lacky, after a leave of absence in the Navy and gave him the best football season any team has ever had at Uni High. Our season record was five wins, one loss, and one tie.

We started out the season with a small team and the number did not increase very much throughout the season. At one time the number was down to a very meager seven. We were hurt early in the season when Dick Henry suffered a shoulder separation and Mike Yohe broke a bone in his hand. At times coach wondered if we would win even one game. Practices were slow and sluggish, but after the Mansfield game Coach saw that the team really did have the spirit and will to win.

The morale of the players was given a boost by the strong backing from the students and friends of the school. School spirit was much greater than it has been in past years.
THE LETTERMEN

CLEM PIERCE (RE) Clem was always there to get that long pass when we were in the hole and needed it to bring us out. He was named to the second team on the Conference All-Stars and elected co-captain on next year’s team.

PETE WEILER (RE) Pete specialized on defense and broke through the opposing line several times to send down their men with large losses.

JACK FIELDS (C) Jack wasn’t the biggest center in the conference but other teams had a lot of respect for his hard tackling. He was named to the second team on the Conference All-Stars and elected co-captain on next year’s team.

BILL SWINFORD (C) Bill stepped in when Jack got hurt and did a very creditable job. When the situation called for a punt we didn’t worry because we knew Bill would get it back there.

PETE STEARNS (LE) Pete, our captain, was always in the open to get those short passes as well as doing stellar work on defense. Whenever our morale was down during a game it was Pete who brought it up.

"DOC" SHELTON (RH) Doc was our sidelines runner. When he got past the scrimmage line, there wasn’t an opposing backfield man who could catch him. He had a phenomenal 15.0 rushing yard average.

JOE HASSELL (LH) When there were a few yards to make up the middle, Joe was called on. He was perhaps even better on defense. I don’t think anyone who saw the Fisher game will forget one tackle he made, spinning a man several feet through the air.

NICK LOGAN (LH) Nick was a hard driver for yardage who improved steadily throughout the season. He will be back next year and should bolster the team considerably.

WILLIE MARTIN (QB) Willie was the boy who always held the team together. In a game he could be found all over the field, tackling, running, blocking, or passing. Willie was named to the Conference All-Star team for the third consecutive year.

BILL BECKER (QB) Bill stepped in when Willie Martin was moved to halfback, due to injuries at that position. For the second year in a row he was the smallest man on the team, but that didn’t dampen his spirit.
We won this one 50-6. Our play was better than the most optimistic person visualized. Willie got four touchdowns, while Doc and Joe got two apiece. The team was surprised about the good following they had at the game. It was this that made the team play as spirited as they did. The first team played steadily only until the end of the first quarter, after that Coach cleaned the bench and everybody got a taste of football.

The score of the St. Joe game was 25-6 for us. The team showed that they were to be reckoned with in the conference. The team had a lot of spirit. The blocking and running of our backfield was really something to watch. One of the most startling plays came when Al Shelton stole a pass right out of a St. Joe player's hands and returned it for a touchdown.

We were a little over confident before the Homer game and it took the team a full quarter to realize that they had a hard game on their hands. At the end of the first half the score was 25-12, mainly because of the lack of pass defense. After the half this was remedied, but the final score was still in favor of Homer, 31-25.

This was the seventeenth win in a row for Homer.

Rumors circulated before this game that Fisher was going to have a track meet. The team was keyed up after they heard that! We worked hard on pass defense all week and it paid off in the game. Uni was ahead 14-7 in the third quarter, but in the fourth quarter the Bunnies pushed over one more touchdown and made the extra point, ending the game in a tie. It was the first tied game in the conference.
We were definitely down in spirit for this game after our loss to Homer, but Sidell just did not have enough to beat us. When the final gun sounded the score was 39-8. This was another game in which everybody got to play. In all, seven players from Uni High entered the scoring column including extra points. Sidell scored one lone touchdown, the other points coming when Willie stepped back out of the end zone when he attempted to punt.

We were without the trusty services of Joe Hassell for this one and at times it looked as if Mahomet might be on top at the end of the game. We led 6-0 at the half on the basis of Al Shelton’s 58 yard jaunt around end. Mahomet scored and kicked the extra point, giving them a temporary lead, but Clem Pierce rushed behind the Mahomet Line, knocked down a pass, and ran for a touchdown, making the score 12-8.

We closed the season against Longview. Everything we did seemed to go for a touchdown. It was now how we would score, but how many we would score. Final count was; Shelton, four; Hassell, four; Martin one; Pierce, one. Extra points were counted by Stearns, Weiler, and Hassell, bringing our final point total to 63, while we held Longview to a lone safety.

THE ILLINI VALLEY STANDINGS

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FIRST ROW: Clem Pierce, Willie Martin, Captain Dick Henry, Jim Gillespie, Joe Hassell, Kent Karraker.
SECOND ROW: Coach Lacky, Chris Kuhne, Bill Becker, Fred DeBoer, Torrey Brown, Rolland Kelley, Manager Steve Phillips.

BASKETBALL

LETTERMEN

Captain Dick Henry. Dick was never one of the leading scorers, but it seemed like he made his points when they counted the most. Dick was one of our best rebounders, and although he was only 5’11”, he was the tallest regular on the team.

Clem Pierce. Clem played out in front in our zone defense and because of his quick reactions was able to deflect passes and start a fast break for two more points. We will see more of Clem next year.

Jim Gillespie. Jim was a player who never got excited and always seemed to keep the other players cool and collected. When Clem started a fast break, Jim was already near the basket to lay the ball up.

Joe Hassell. Joe was our leading scorer, sporting a 18.0 average, which put him among the top ten in East Central Illinois. Joe had a jump shot that was deadly and very hard to block.

Willie Martin. Willie was our second high scorer and also did a large part of the rebounding. He was named to the Illini-Valley All-Star team for his fine all-around playing.

Kent Karraker. Although Kent was short he worked around the pivot feeding the ball to the guards breaking around for a shot. He will be back next year and should bolster the team.

1952-53

VARSITY SCORES

OPPONENTS   UNI   HIGH
Mansfield   64   61
St. Joseph  52   54
Homer       65   61
Fisher      49   50
Sidell      72   41
Bellflower  61   54
Mahomet     38   46
Ogden       50   48
Mansfield   48   53
Chrisman    49   56
Longview    61   63
Schlarmann  72   55
Ogden       58   47
Unity       65   61
Longview    54   58
St. Joseph  74   52
Mahomet     48   53
Homer       96   98

* denotes conference game

Total
won 8 lost 10

Tournament Games
OPPONENTS   UNI   HIGH
Champaign County
Homer       77   56 L
Monticello Holiday
Monticello  75   51 L
Regional Tournament
Unity       61   44 L

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THE SEASON

At the beginning of the season Uni High looked as if they might be a contender for the conference title, but it seemed as if Lady Luck wasn't with us. After our first four games we lost our center, Al Shelton, for the rest of the season because of illness. Although Al played in just four games, he was still one of the leading scorers when statistics were compiled at the end of the season. The flu claimed just about everyone on the team at one time or another. Things were at their worst when we were scheduled to play Ogden when four of our first five were sick, but Ogden had the same difficulty and at their request the game was cancelled.

At the end of the season our conference record was seven wins and six losses which put us in fifth place, which was the highest a Uni Basketball team has been in many a year. The difference was so small between the places that if we had won our last game we would have been in third place. The conference was made up of very well matched teams this year and the winner was often the team who had a good night at the basket.
HIGHLIGHTS

After our loss to Mansfield we were keyed up very much for the St. Joe game. St. Joe has been named the team to beat for the conference crown and we felt that we could do it. The game was nip and tuck all of the way. The score was 52-52 with about 30 seconds to play. St. Joe stole the ball and Bushboom drove down the floor for an easy layup. AlShelton came from nowhere to tie Bushboom up. We got the tip and Joe Hassell dropped in a 25-foot one-hander just before the gun sounded, making the score 54-52. St. Joe went on to win the crown with just one more defeat after our upset.

We were the underdogs at Fisher the next weekend, but we pulled our second upset, beating Fisher 50-49. The score had again been tied, 49-49, with ten seconds left when Shelton was fouled. He missed the first free throw, but made the second, giving us a one-point lead. Fisher took one shot, but they missed and Shelton got a jump ball and batted it way down the court. Fisher didn't have time to get another shot, giving us the ball game.

We made our longest trip of the season to Chrisman, a distance of about 50 miles. We won 56-49 playing on a new court. The school is about our size, but they have a scoreboard giving individual players' performances! It was a happy bunch that made the trip home that night.

Near the end of the season Unity beat us 65-61, but not without a struggle, Joe Hassell netted his season's high total of 33 points trying in vain to win the game.
Track

Coach Lacky welcomed back several members of last year's squad. They were: Joe Hassell and Kent Karraker in the hurdles; Al Shelton and Jack Snader in the dashes; Bill Becker in the 440; Phil Douglass in the 880; Hassell in the high jump; Clem Pierce, Shelton, and Hassell in the broad jump; and last year's conference champion frosh-soph relay team consisting of Pete Weiler, Snader, Karraker, and Pierce. The members of this relay squad bolstered our dash strength this year. We were weak in the weight events, but good performances in the running events compensated for this.

At the first meeting of the year 26 thin clad hopefuls turned out, but this number increased to about 35 after operetta and basketball conflicts ended.
Uni High's 1953 tennis team was bolstered by the return of the two lettermen from the 1952 season, Pete Stearns and Bill Martin. In addition to these two, team prospects included several players who had gained experience in exhibition matches last year. Among these people were Jim Gillespie, Erick Reickert, Dan Fraenkel, and Karl Norton.

The netmen, competing with larger schools than Uni does in most sports, included among its opponents such stalwarts as Danville, Decatur, Champaign, Mattoon, and Bloomington.
An innovation in Uni High Cheerleading this year was the addition of two reserves to the usual varsity contingent of four. All six girls cheered together at football games, but divided into the two groups for basketball. The varsity foursome cheered for the varsity, while the two reserves cheered for the junior Buckeyes.

Varsity Cheerleaders were Anne Fjelde, Shirley Beaty, Jackie Sowers, and Karlyn Kettlekamp. Reserves were Linda Bennett and Arlene Schoenburg.
2. School opens earlier and the subs get smaller every year. The faculty decided against prolonging the agony and started off with a full day of classes.

3. Prospects began looking up for Uni High dramatics as Mr. Gillette held a meeting of what was eventually to be the Uni High Players. About fifty people attended.


6. Howdy Hop. What's your middle name? It seems the whole contest had to be called off because someone cheated. Well, now, Patricia Zenobia Butler was a little far-fetched.

17. Mrs. Hinze had to pick fifteen people out of fifty-one who tried out for "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay".

18. The biology classes took the day off to go to Kickapoo State Park and hunt insects. Rain and gray skies kept many insects hidden, and some eager students took to digging under old logs.

19. Hey, look what happened to our football team! Uni's fast trio of Bill Martin, Joe Hassell, and Al Shelton led Buckeye athletics out of the doldrums, out-running Mansfield, 50-6.

22. Jerry Kirk now holds one of the most unique positions in Uni High. He is the only male member of Orchesis. He was initiated in recognition of staging work on last spring's concert.

23. Mrs. Hinze announced the cast for "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," with Nancy Working and Linda Bennett taking the leading roles. What, Jerry in a romantic role?

25. New chemical equation discovered this morning; potassium plus water equals one severely damaged lab sink. It seems the label said phosphorus.
3. Dreams of a conference championship were brought down to earth by a 31-25 loss at Homer. This year's Carnival got off to a good start at the sign-up assembly this morning. Why, oh, why, will people sign up to be four places at once?

6. Those are SOME stories we've been hearing about the Uni High Players' field trip to Chicago last Saturday. The highlight of the day was a visit to a matinee of "Guys and Dolls" and a trip backstage to meet the stars of the show.

9. Big parade today to advertise the Carnival. Maggie stood in the back of a convertible in an Arabian costume, while a brass band played the same tune again and again. Mr. Taylor, who was roped into the group at the last minute, analyzed the situation keenly: "I have a distinct feeling I'm being watched."

10. Now, look, boys, we can celebrate an upset, but there's a limit. A bunch of Uni High students and alums tore down Fisher's goal posts after the 14-14 tie tonight.

11. "Arabian Daze" was crowded with customers all evening. When we added up the figures on the adding machine, the final profit was a whopping $403. Say, who was that babe in the Opium Den?

25. What will this school ever do without the seniors? We gave our last all-school party in the gym tonight.

29. "Petrus Stearnius" was named "Imperator" (emperor to us illiterates) of the new Latin club. Reason? He's the only fourth-year Latin student.

30. The students almost broke the faculty's jinx in the annual touch football game, but had to settle for a 12-12 tie. Bill Hug, the University Chief Illiniwek and a Uni practice teacher, was one of the faculty's leading lights.

31. Uni High wound up its best football season with a 63-2 slaughter of Longview. Imagine, full sets for a Uni High play! If the old stage superstition about bad
dress rehearsals making good plays holds up, this one doesn't have a chance. Linda Bennett ad-libbed for two minutes until Nancy finally yelled, "My zipper's stuck!"

NOVEMBER

1. That old superstition fell through. Uni High dramatics have certainly come a long way from past years.

3. Election fever hit Uni High today, with results of the poll strongly favoring the Democrats.

4. Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery, so they say. The French classes recently published a newspaper, "Seulment Nous", and the Latin classes planned a "Nos Soi" in the near future. JUST US staffers are still trying to figure out what it all means.

6. There is no rest for the wicked. Mr. Gillette opened tryouts for "Annie Get Your Gun" today.

11. A time for remembering and two minutes of rare, solemn silence. Armistice Day seems a little more personal with three Uni High alums in Korea.

13. The seniors finally found out what the librarians go through with misplaced and misused magazines. They spent two hours sorting the library magazine stacks.

14. A chant of "We want Yale" from the junior and senior boys greeted a Harvard representative who came to tell them about the college.

15. Pat Petty was a credit to Uni High as she reigned as Uni High’s queen of the Tri-High Dance. Entertainment was emceed by Mr. Gillette.

21. Now, boys, this isn’t football. Three firststringers fouled out as Uni High lost its opener at Mansfield, 64-61.

26. I will never be able to talk again. Joe Hassell made the winning shot with two seconds to go to give Uni a storybook 54-52 victory over St. Joe. The crowd went beserk in the last quarter.
29. Sixteen Uni Highers cut their Thanksgiving vacation short by attending All-State music activities. Did you ever try to sing with a stomach full of turkey?

DECEMBER

11. How's that for an assembly? Ensembles, Madrigals, Orchesis, and the Orchestra combined for a gala program of Christmas music. Shirley Beaty's solo performance in Orchesis' "The Juggler of Notre Dame" was the high point of the program.

13. New lesson in how to attract attention: drive a convertible with the top down in a snowstorm. The method behind all this madness was the transportation of scenery for the Christmas Concert.

14. The new look in Uni High concerts came off without a hitch. The tableaux shifted smoothly, and they tell me the music was up to its usual standards. I was too worried about the tableaux to notice.

17. The civics class finally got through arguing about where to go and went on a long-promised field trip to the International Harvester plant in Chicago. Heard from one worker as the students passed by: "I wish I was young again." The general class opinion was that the remark referred to Bill and Carolyn.

18. Our money-grabbing Student Council is at it again. It's not enough that every one of their financial ventures so far have surpassed all expectations. Now they're asking us to take part in a new magazine sales campaign.

20. The operetta cast and choruses were announced at the Christmas Dance tonight. Lots of old friends from years past turned the dance into one big gab session.

22. Ah, sleep, sleep, sleep. Two more weeks of this should make me completely ready for three months of the old grind. That studying doesn't really have to be done over vacation.

25. Once again, Merry Christmas.
1. Just after midnight somebody realized that our graduation year had finally arrived. It certainly looked far away back in 1949.

5. The last morning of sleeping late for quite a while. Oh well, it couldn't last forever.

8. JUST US staffers groaned under assignments for a very special project. Okay, kids, you asked for it!

10. Chrisman gave Uni High a fine lesson in the arts of sportsmanship and being good hosts. They entertained us in a fine new gym, and acted more like gentlemen than any school Uni had ever played. Uni High won the game, 53-46.

16. Who, who, who loaded that rifle? A small hole in the ceiling will be a lasting reminder of "Annie Get Your Gun."

20. Some of Uni High's unreconstructed Democrats were seen wearing black armbands today. Come, now, let's not have any hard feelings.

21. The new exam system didn't do much to relieve the students' suffering. It's surprising how much can be asked in just two hours.

22. I think I can graduate without biology.

23. Gee, a whole day and a half of vacation! Even that tiny amount was denied JUST US staffers, still hard at work on that big project.

FEBRUARY*

3. The old rag has finally come into its own. The first printed edition of JUST US was distributed this morning.

5. The Terrapin show was highlighted by such beautiful special effects as flash-
lights under water and candles along the edge of the pool. Cookie and Pat convulsed the crowd as coal miners.

13. Dress rehearsal for "Annie Get Your Gun." We began to consider stacking extras three deep so we could find room for everything backstage.

14. A near-capacity crowd cheered "Annie", and not a single set fell over in the middle of the show. One "rifle shot" turned out to be a cap-gun "pop".

16. And another performance. Scenes from the play were well received by a Campaign High exchange assembly audience.

18. Mr. Lewenstein, the new history teacher, had quite a time learning people's names in the American History classes. It seems that Bill Becker answered to Cliff Murphy, and Cliff claimed he was Bill.

22. Our G.A.A. played host to girls from nine schools at the annual Playday. A wide assortment of games filled both attics and the gym. Mr. Schuetz was even forced to retreat to 206 for operetta practice.

24. The chemistry class raised its annual big stink today. Hydrogen sulfide permeated every corner of the third floor with a delightful fragrance of rotten eggs.

27. How can you beat a team like that? Uni High lost its last regularly scheduled basketball game to a sharp-shooting Homer team, 96-73. The Freshmen sponsored the year's last hop after the game.

MARCH

4. Some of the Uni High fans made up for our dismal end of the season by helping cheer Deland-Weldon to victory. Unity beat the Bucks, 61-44.

7. Leap-year came back to us for one day for the Star Dance. The old "cracker-box" didn't look like the same place with those new lights.

14. The U Club dance tonight was graced by a number of bleary-eyed seniors, who had spent the day taking those STIMULATING College Board exams. "A one
year high school course should be ample preparation. " Just who do they think they're kidding?

18. Mr. Lacky called the track team out to start working out this afternoon. "Blue-fingers" Becker furnished us with some unprintable testimony of the joys of early track practices in this climate.

25. Francis Barker darn near broke Bill Pickard's back in operetta rehearsal today. He decided it would greatly increase the effectiveness of "We triumph now" if he put both feet on Bill's back.

27. The operetta's first night performance ran smoothly, even with the new contents for the mugs of "pirate sherry". Our nice, blue uniforms were marked for posterity with the pirates' footprints.

28. Life won't seem the same without the songs of "The Pirates of Penzance" ringing in our ears. Oh, well, it couldn't last forever. A full house caught us unawares by calling for some encores we hadn't prepared.

APRIL

1. It seems that some of the junior boys thought those stories in the JUST US April fool edition were the real thing. That item about switching the girls' and boys' locker rooms had particularly interesting results.

2. Just as we were beginning to get tired of school, the teachers were beginning to get tired of the students, and everybody was just plain pooped, Easter vacation stepped in and saved the day.

11. That "talented" sophomore class put on a Spring Fling to end all Spring Flings. All the music was tape-recorded, and the floor show had a strong flavor of Bob Buddemeier.

15. The biology class visited the museums in Chicago today. The day's activities were called to a halt when Terry got lost, only to be found peacefully asleep, leaning against a dinosaur skeleton.

18. What, another field trip for the Players? This one took fifty people to Chicago for a matinee and a television show.
County Music Festival. Why will all those darn fools try to squeeze into such a small space in this hot weather? Hey, what am I talking about? I'm one of them!

Our much-improved Orchestra showed what can be accomplished with a lot of hard work. As usual, we were treated to the individual offerings of Uni High's State Contest musicians.

Slowly but surely we're being forced to turn control of the school over to the juniors. Student Council elected its officers today, and petitions are starting to come in for yearbook posts.

MAY

Unihigh's speedsters showed up very well in the County Track Meet, considering their lack of depth. Why did they always pick the coldest night in May for this meet?

Don't worry, boys, it's legal this time. The seniors skipped off in the early morning hours for Turkey Run, Mr. Goessling failed in a valiant attempt to keep his pipe lit while swimming, and "Dan'l Boone" Shelton gave free lessons in mountain climbing.

Something new was added to the annals of Uni High dramatics, as the Flayers celebrated the end of a fine year with experiments in arena staging and a rousing party.

All those names we called the juniors certainly don't apply to their sparkling Prom. We had never seen such a collection of beautiful girls and beautiful formals before.

It looks like next year's athletes will only need to look over to the sidelines to get all the inspiration they need. Next year's cheerleaders were elected today.

The Orchesis concert lived up to its usual standards. The music and stage effects enhanced the grace of the dancers.

The juniors finally got the hatchet tonight, but not in the way that certain seniors had proposed to give it to them. Organized cheering sections made life
This is the beginning of the end. The baccalaureate service was a fittingly solemn start for an eventful week. It served to remind us of the real source of all the blessings we were celebrating.

JUNE

1. The last day of classes. Mr. Potter sent us out into the world with these cheering words: "If you remember everything I taught you, you'll have a fighting chance to pass college rhetoric."

2. The faculty just keeps on juggling the exam schedule, and the students keep on juggling the answers, and neither of us seems to come out ahead.

4. I was the fortieth senior to ask Mr. Potter how I came out on the exam. I got the same answer as the others; a fierce glare and an angry gesture toward the office door.

5. We entered to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance," out of step as usual. The class got its signals crossed once, and left Jim Gillespie standing when everyone else was seated.
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