

BECKONER



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THREE

COVERING THE ACTIVITIES AND FUN, FUN, FUN
OF THE ACADEMIC
YEAR of our LORD
1970-71

ST. JOSEPH SEMINARY

600 BURTON S.E.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

BISHOPS

What can one say about Bishop Breitenbeck or Bishop McKinney except that both are truly men of God. I feel that they are doing their best in all that they do.

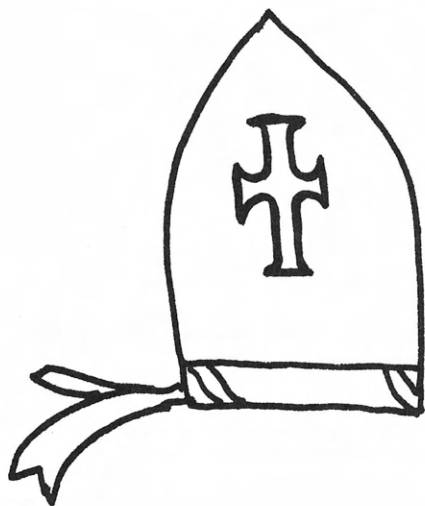
In speaking with the seminarians, Bishop Breitenbeck expressed that he feels that what the Church, the people of God, wants today from its priests are men of God - men who know their religion and can pass it on to the present day Church and to future generations of the Church. So Bishop Breitenbeck is sending priests to Rome for intensified seminars in theology. The Bishop is also encouraging his future priests, the seminarians, to take as much theology in their studies toward the priesthood as possible, and to read religious literature for a fuller understanding of today's Church.

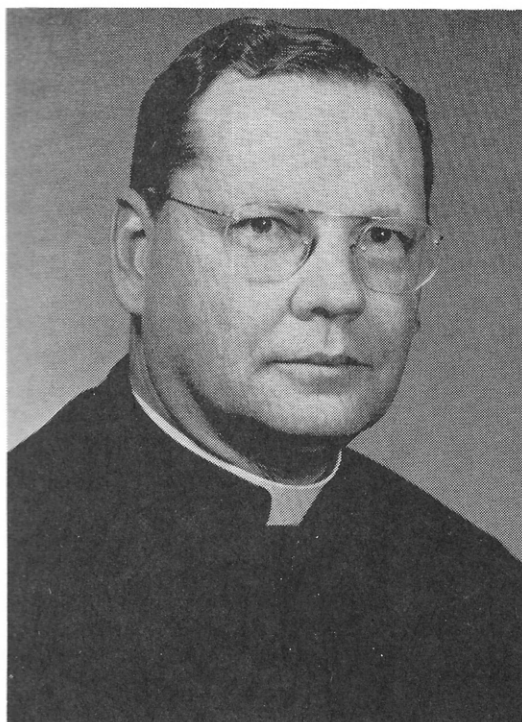
Bishop McKinney has accomplished much in the past few years. He has been traveling to different parishes throughout the diocese and, through formal talks, explaining to many people the changes in modern Church. Now he has his own parish in Grand Rapids, doing much of the work that he has always enjoyed and wants to do.

Both bishops are happy about one thing - they feel that they have the support of the priests in the diocese. Bishop Breitenbeck has said that without this support he could not accomplish most of the work that is being done in the diocese. He hopes that he will have this support from future generations of priests so as to further the Kingdom of God.

Co-editor

Dale M. Hrouda





MSGR JAMES P. MORAN

What do you do when you're responsible for the health and welfare of almost 70 high school guys 28 hours a day, 8 days a week? And what if these guys you're trying to take care of keep trying not to live to the age of twenty? What if they have all-night basketball marathons, water fights, impromptu wrestling matches in the hallways - and God only knows what else that you haven't found out about yet? What do you do? Make a lot of friends in insurance companies? Suddenly remember a business appointment in Algiers? Become Ann Landers' pen pal? Maybe that's what you'd do, but Monsignor Moran, our rector, sits back, smiles, and keeps St. Joe's running on his own custom-blend of patience and action. I imagine he prays a lot, too.



RECTOR

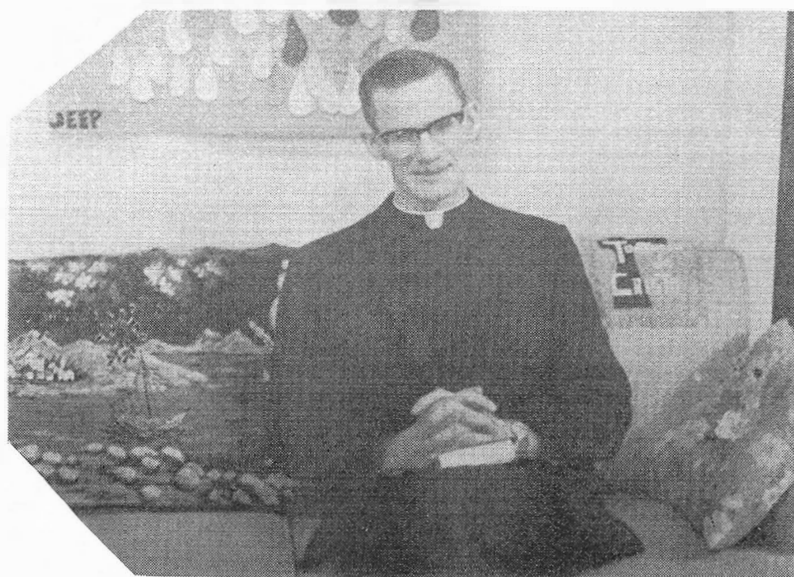


FACULTY

AND

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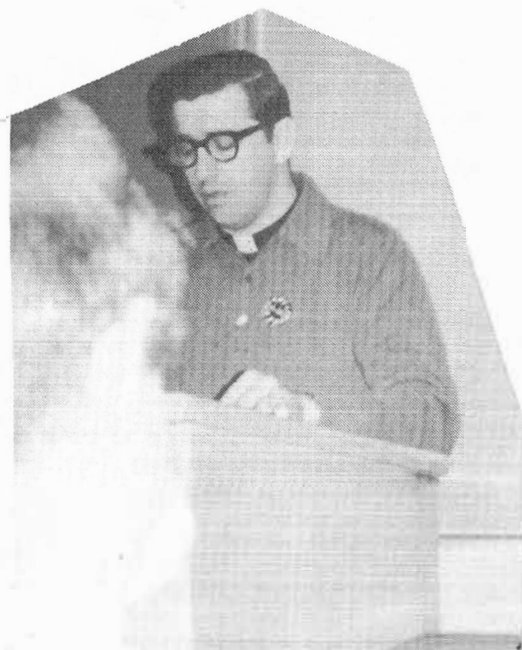
Fr. Don Lomasiewicz
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English III & IV



Fr. Bernie Korson
Spanish
Religion IV

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 Latin I & II
 Choral
 Religion II



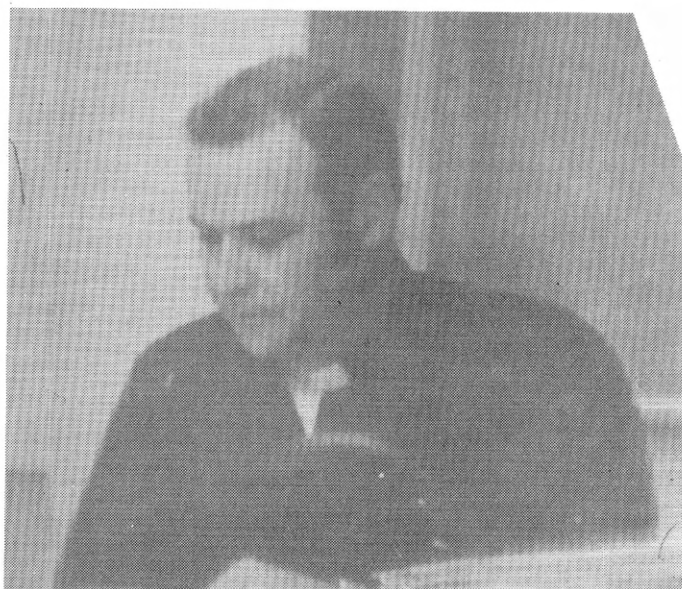
Mr. Phil Paskiewicz
 General Math
 Algebra I & II
 Geometry
 Trigonometry
 Government
 Phvs. Ed.
 ... (Whew!)

Bob Sniegowski - Typical Student



Fr. Joe Flickinger
 Biology
 Chemistry
 World History
 Senior Speech

Sister Jean Catherine
Librarian



Fr. Paul Johnson
English I & II
Sociology
Humanities
Speech I

Fr. Robert Rose
French



Sister Julia (left) and
Sister Ann Terrence



Sister Herman Joseph

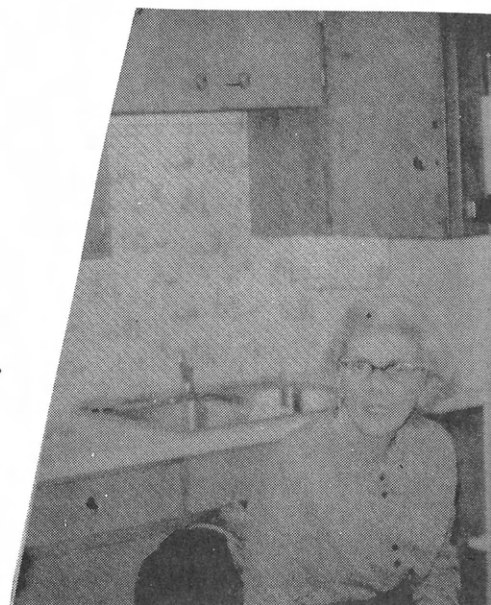


Not pictured: Sister Anna



Anna Budzynski (left)

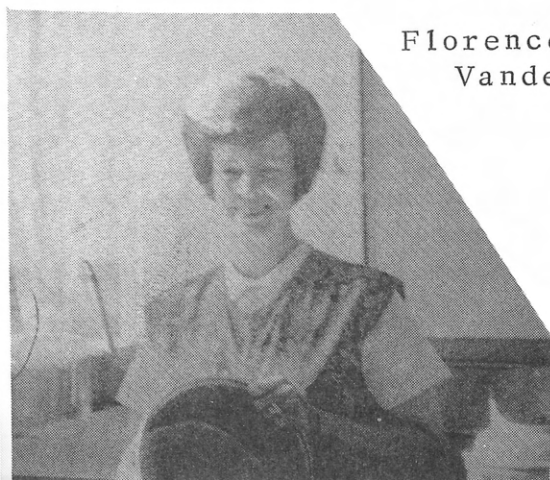
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Mrs. E. Panzone, R.N.



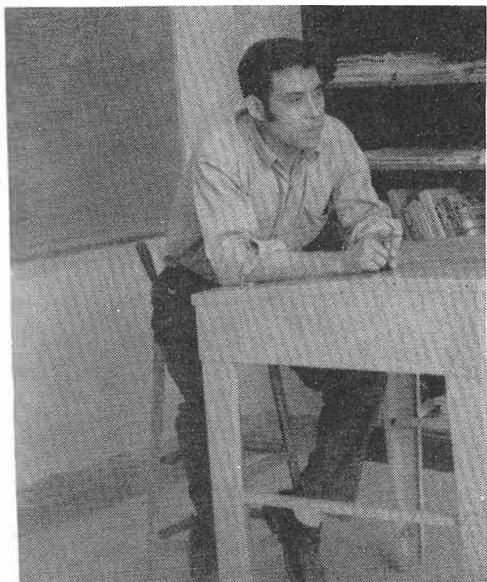
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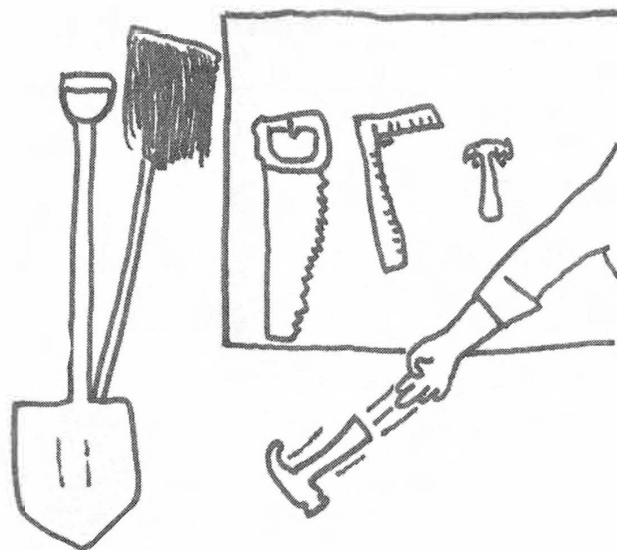
Florence
Vander Leest



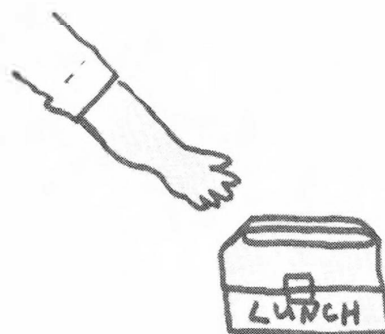
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Pete Rodriguez

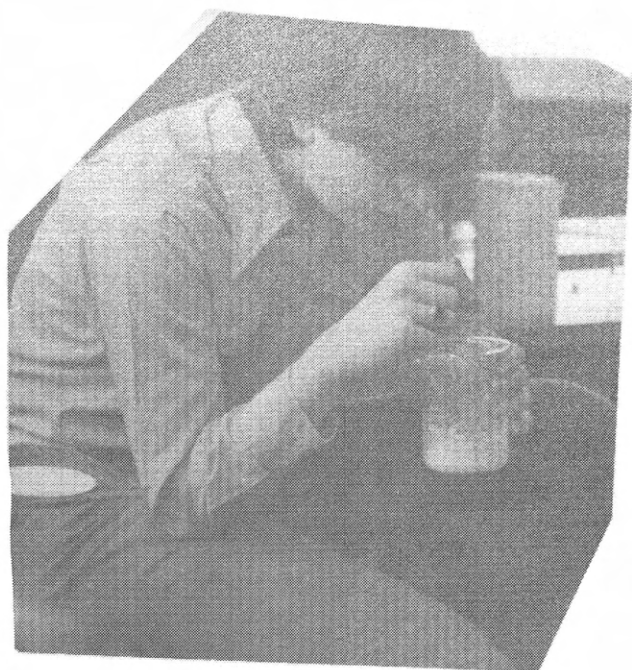


Tom Mattingly



Art Dietrich

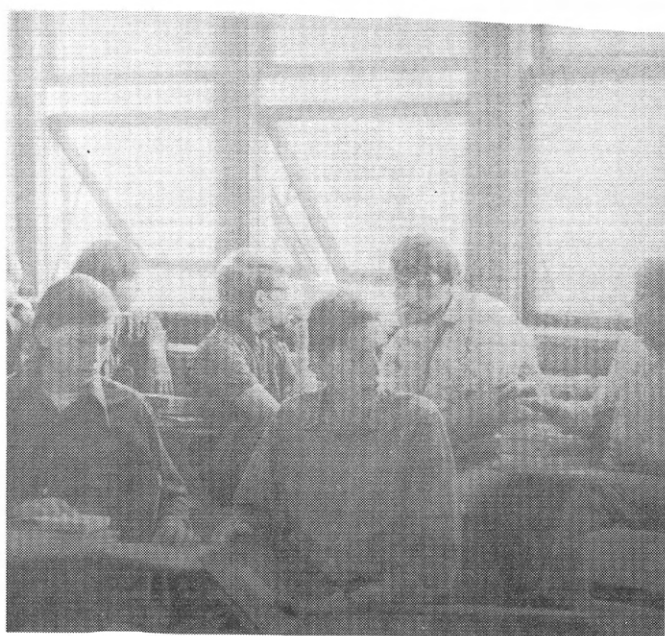




Dr. Dobb prepares dinner for Igor.

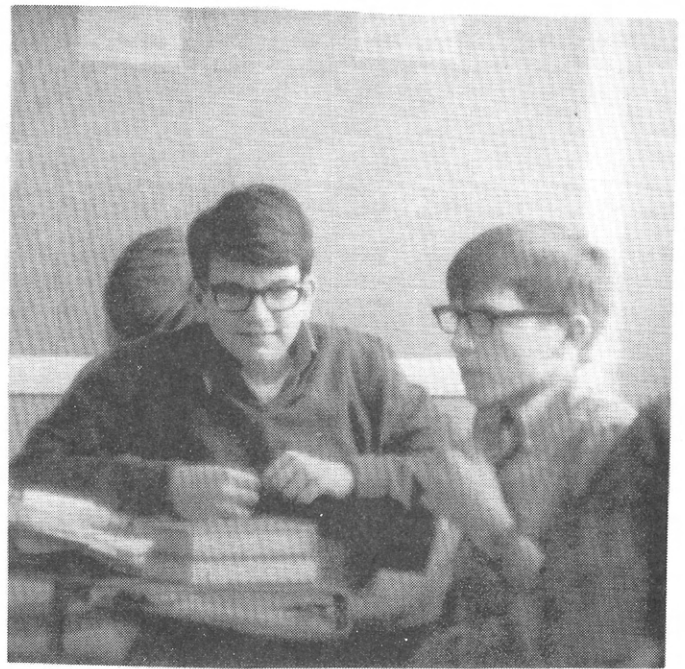


Freshmen anxiously await the arrival of their beloved teacher ...



... and listen attentively when he comes.

"Well, Terry, the way I see it, Latin is just a corrupt form of Italian, and our country has been deporting corrupt Italians for years, so why not deport Latin?"



Albert Einstein (disguised as Joe Ocobock) amazes Mr. Universe (cleverly disguised as Brian Meagher) with some mental wizardry (disguised as tic-tac-toe).

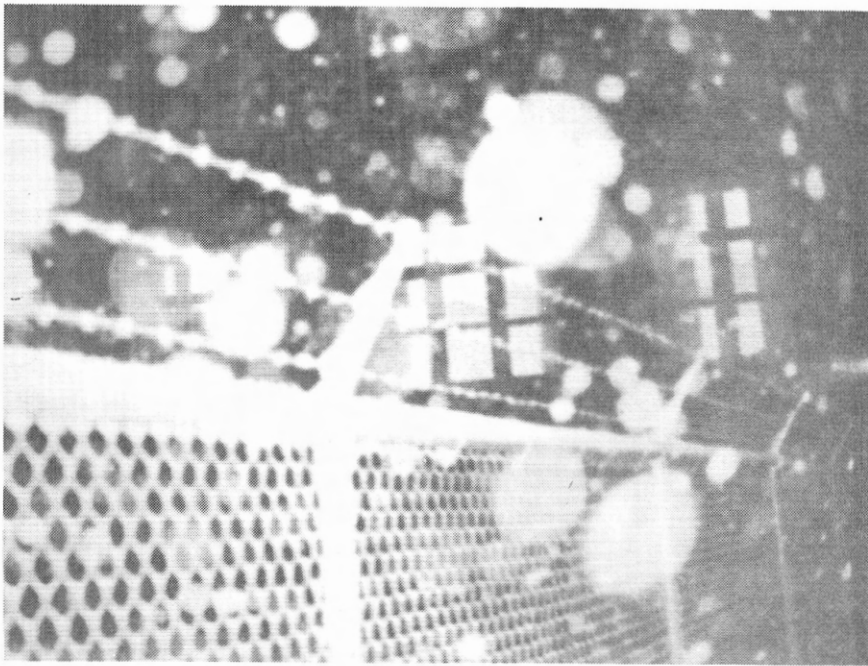
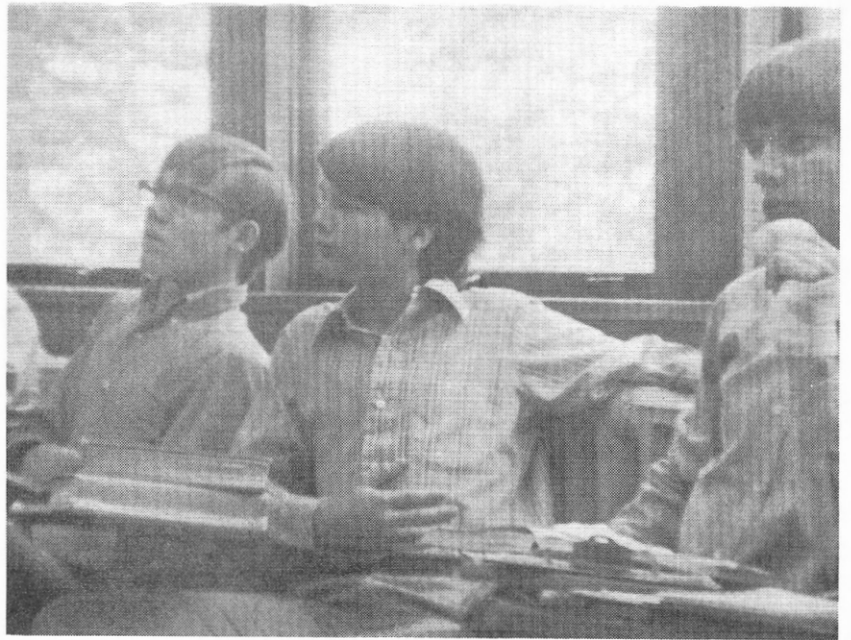


"When the truth is found to be lies,
and all the joy within you dies,"

JUMP!



Mark Antekeier is caught in the first stage of the old "Father, -I-don't-feel-so-good. I'd-better-go-to-the-infirmary" act.



On a cold, snowy night, even the Study Hall looks warm.

Another view of the "Study Hall"





Yes, class, Latin is exciting!

God wants you!



You'll pay! You'll all pay!



ACTIVITIES



RETREAT



Sharing, hoping, laughing, crying, blundering, achieving, loving ... life demands a lot from us. Christ met those demands head on and as a human being, like the rest of us. Christ, our Brother ... human ... like Father Hartwig ... Matt Frank ... the college Seminarians ... Deacon Dick Dayton ... Father Tupper.

Christ found a way through the thick of life ... and He asks us to follow Him ... but we need help from others ... from our brothers ... people who are willing to give ... like Father Hartwig ... Matt Frank ... the college Seminarians ... Deacon Dick Dayton Father Tupper.



Retreat renewals helped us through "Saturday morning".



STUDENT

\$ \$ \$

COUNCIL

Ask a student about subjects and he will probably tell you what the pros think he's learning in history, math, or biology.

Ask Larry Zwier about subjects and he will reminisce about his days as "king" and how, by his "decrees", he involved his "kingdom" in two "carriage washes", which produced more than \$240 for the "royal treasury". Rather than leave all of the money to his heir, he plans on revisiting Brazil, this time taking in aquatic sports around Rio. Serf's up!

Standing: Tim Pieri, Chuck Bullen, Brian Meagher, Frank Schneider, Greg Zinn

Seated: Denny Major, Rick Dutkiewicz, Larry Zwier (Pres.), Tom Zwier (Sec.-Treas.), Ed Kalinka

Keith Theis, Mike Talbot, representatives to the legendary Grand Rapids Student Council





Old Man Sremba recalls his enjoyable Christmases of the past.

Christmas

1970 A. D.

Choral group carolers drop in for the finale.



The pre-Christmas rush bomb exploded in the midst of the community as usual and unearthed the date of the Christmas program, only a week away. From the rabble and ruin, Duane Feldpausch, student coordinator, and Father Vainavicz, faculty coordinator, constructed a program that a panel of New York critics called a bomb. We all thought it was well done and enjoyable. Bomb or no bomb, it went off well.

Steve Leonard calls Wayne "Santa" Wheeler's attention to Ed Simon while a squirrel looks on.

YEERBOOK

Left to right: Greg Zinn, Mike Talbot, Rick Shepard, Dale Hrouda (editor), Mike Popowich, Bob Sniegowski, Dennis Major, Ed Kalinka, Mike Sniegowski (photographer)



STAPH

Left to right: Steve Leonard, Larry Zwier (editor), Mike Dobb, Steve MacArthur, Keith Theis, Marion Rhowmine (photographer), Wayne Wheeler, John Scheid, Tom Zwier

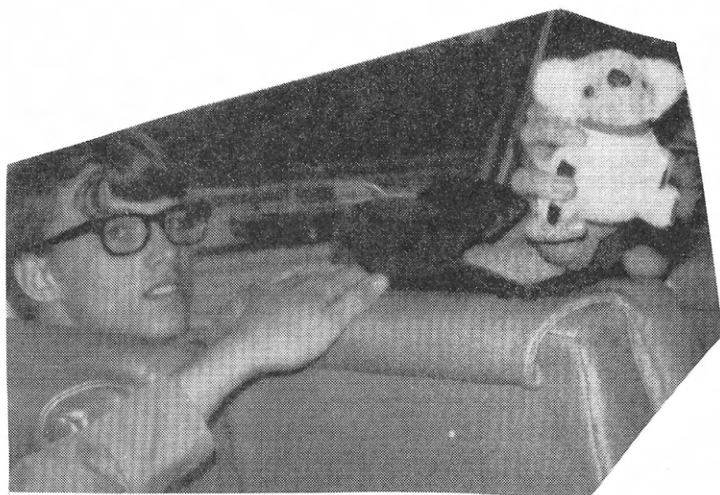


We call these boys our "layout staff". Well, anyway, that's one of the things we call them. Actually, this is the best demonstration of over-staffing since the time we thought it would take two guys to dunk Father Flickinger in Lake Michigan. These guys aren't too smart (the clock in the center has them beat since it can tell time), but we like them that way - they're easier to control. We're happy to let you know who helped us put this yearbook together (now we don't have to take all the blame ourselves).

the editors

P.S. We hate to admit it, but they were a lot of help.

GETTING TOGETHER . . .



... with a Koala in Chicago.

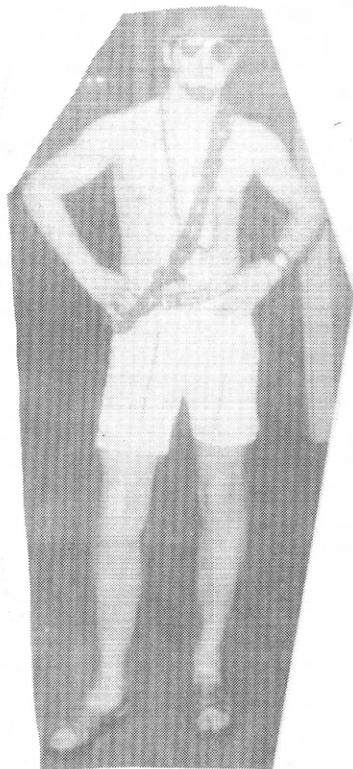


... with a movie in the auditorium.



... with an organ-grinder aloft.

... as a rebel in the hall.



... with a party in LaMora's room.



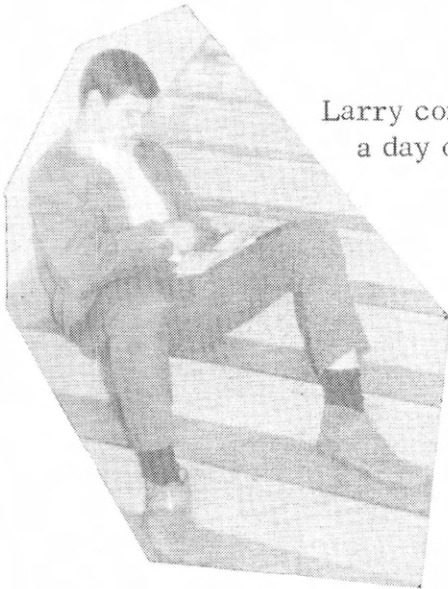


Bob supports his plans in a Risky game.

WOW!



Tom defends himself from the hustler.

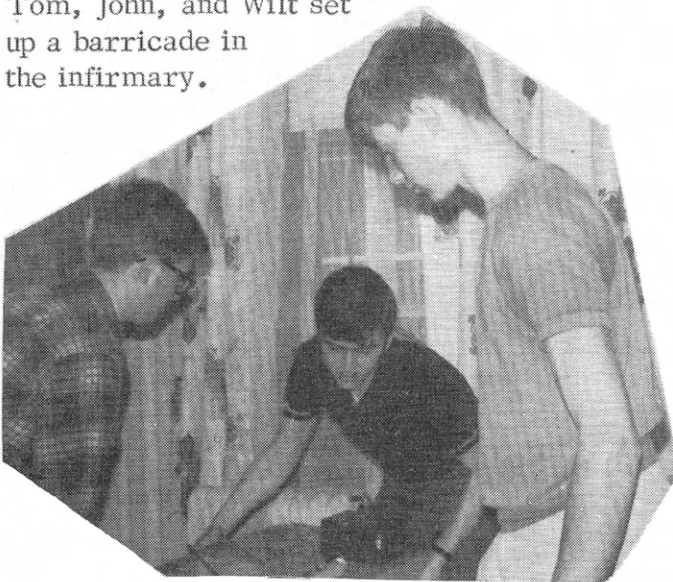


Larry contemplates a day of classes.

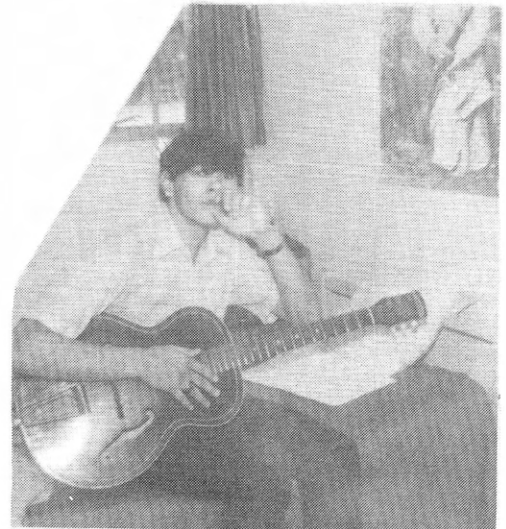


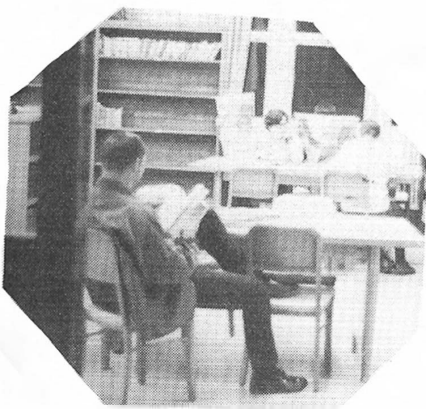
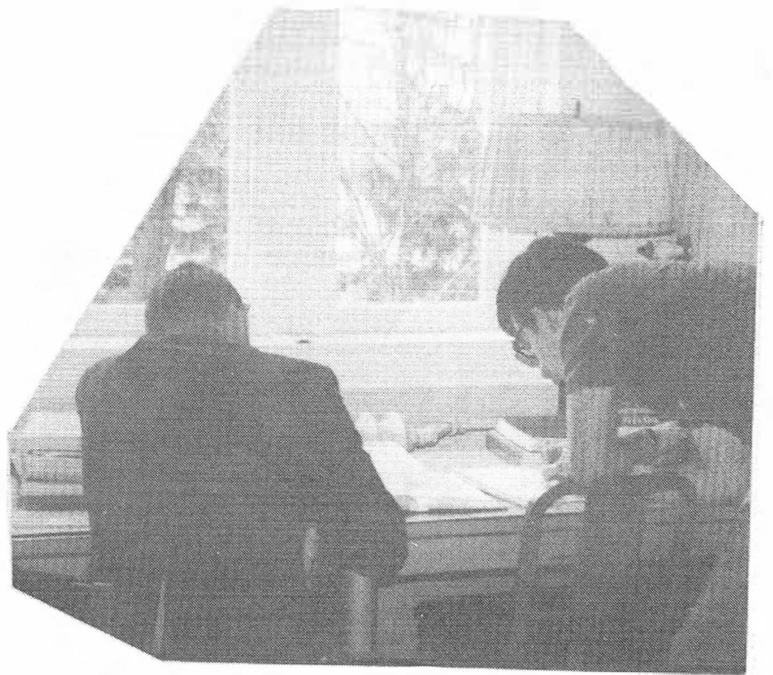
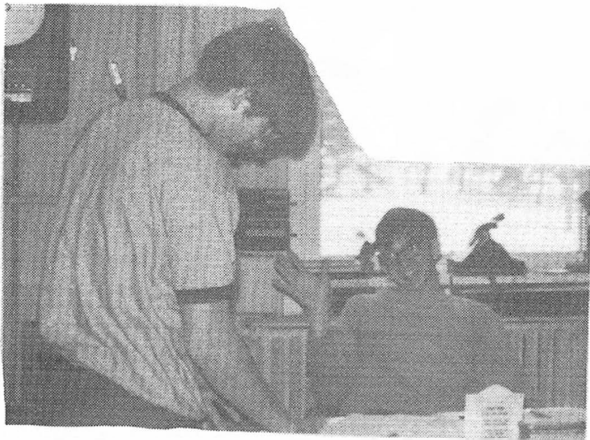
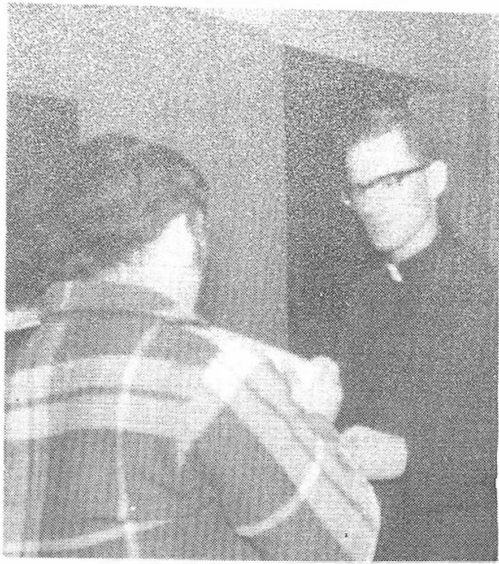
Ed feeds his face.

Tom, John, and Wilt set up a barricade in the infirmary.



Rick picks out a tune.





HOOTENANNY



The men behind the scenes take a break while ...

OUTBURST '71



... Larry thrills the audience with his tales of humor

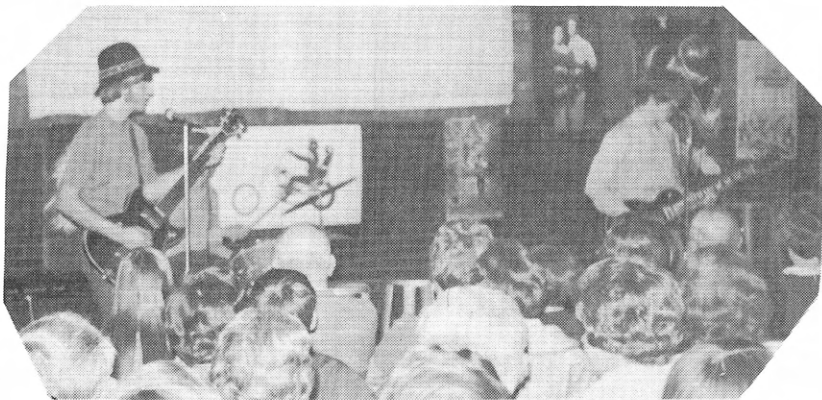


... the choral demolishes another song



... the Flat attempts to do another song

... the Confederation breaks into "Rollin' Stone"

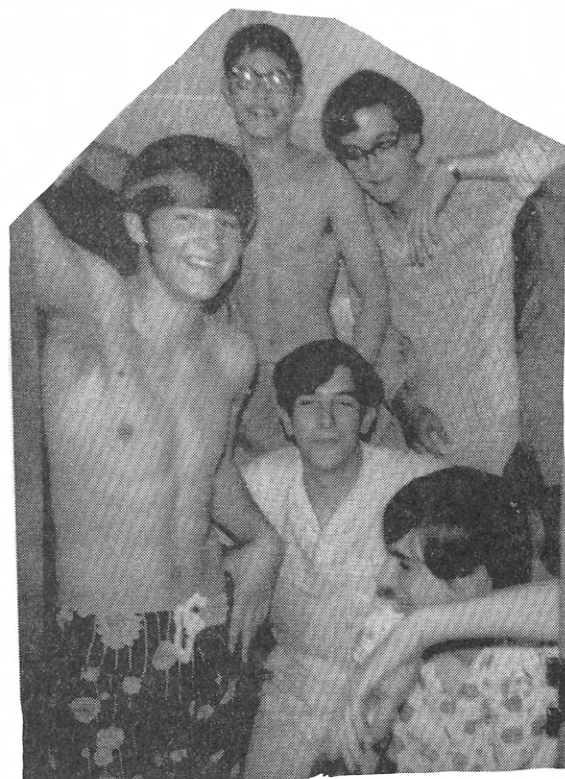


... Basil & Lee reveal ? talents

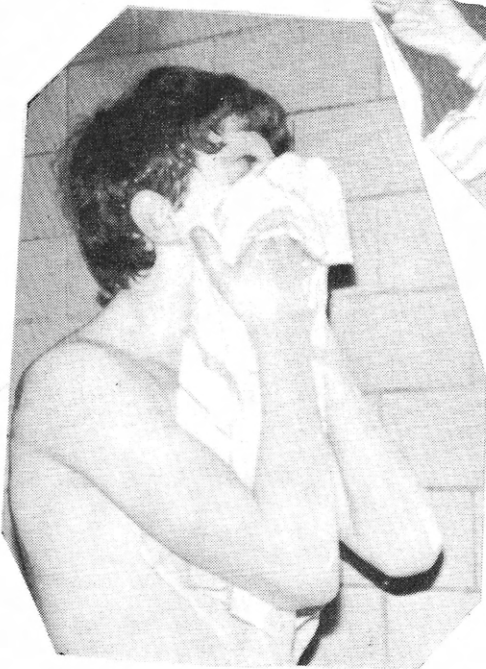
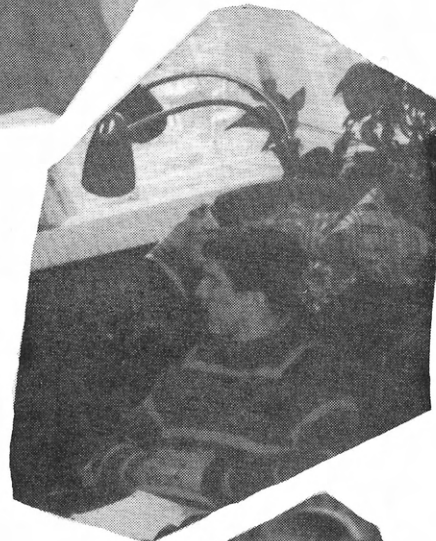
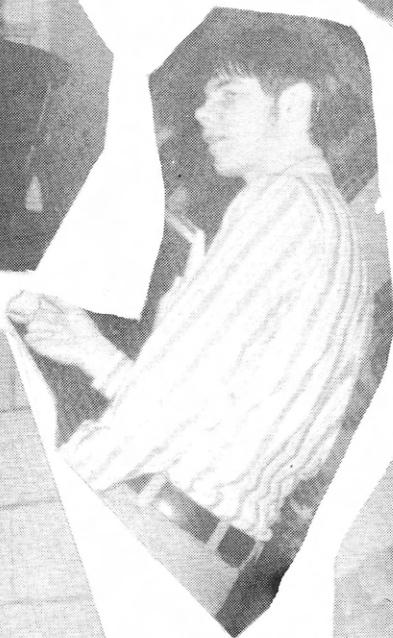
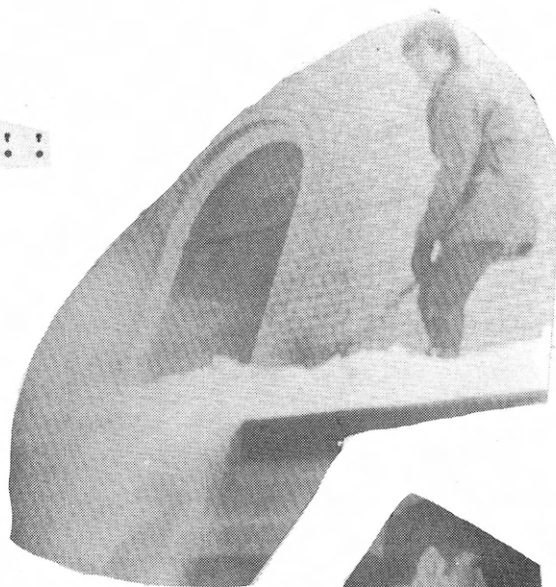
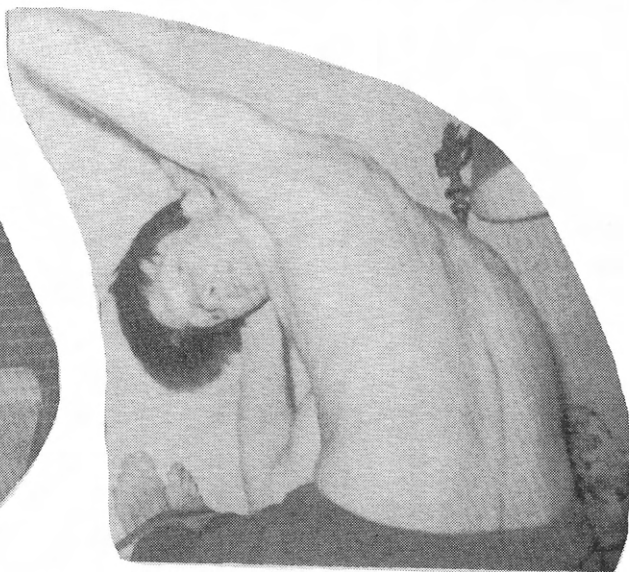
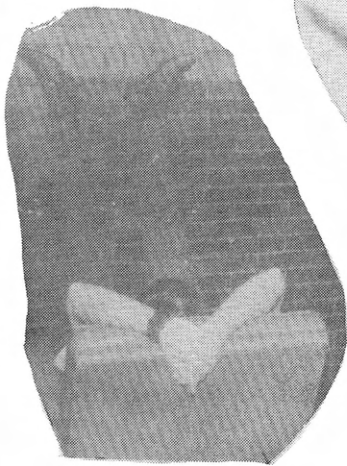




*"Do you guys have to
Pray and study
All the time?"*



Dobb and Kalinka
cram as many pictures as they can
on the last page of the
Activities Section of the Yearbook ! ! ! !





SPORTS

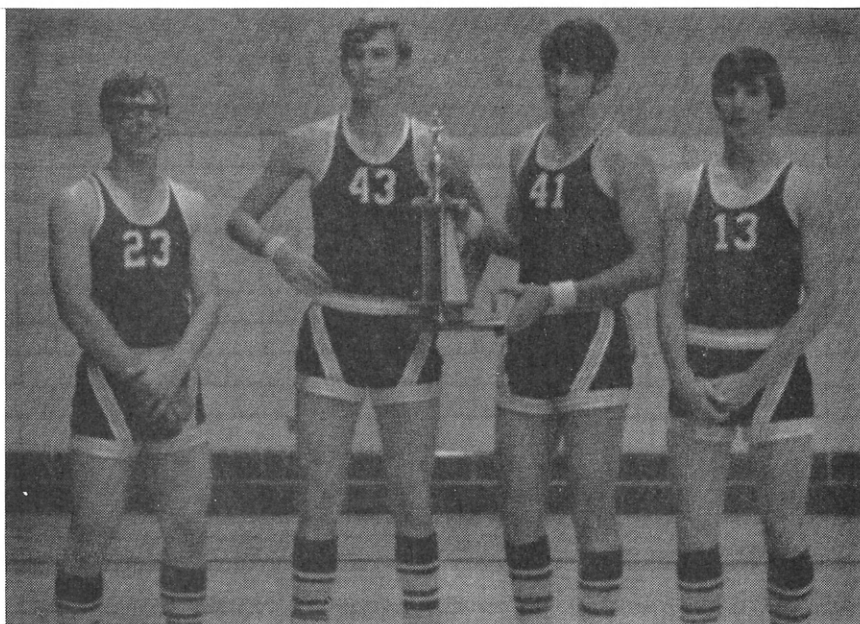
Varsity Basketball

<u>Rogues</u>	<u>Opponent</u>
64	Saranac 51
77	Tri-County 47
65	Walkerville 43
54	Martin 67
83	St. Augustine 48
55	Covenant Christian 68
56	Walkerville 58
54	St. Augustine 43
48	Saranac 56
88	Allendale 57
55	Covenant Christian 62



Front Row: Rick Dutkiewicz, Nick Simon, Jim Blanchard, Mark Zbojnewicz, Mike Talbot, Denny Major, Bob Sniegowski, Ken Yelle

Back Row: Steve McArthur, Coach Dick "Red" Dornbos, Marion Rhowmine, Tom Zwier, Ed Kalinka, Mike Popowich, Keith Theis, Coach Paskiewicz, Don Rewa

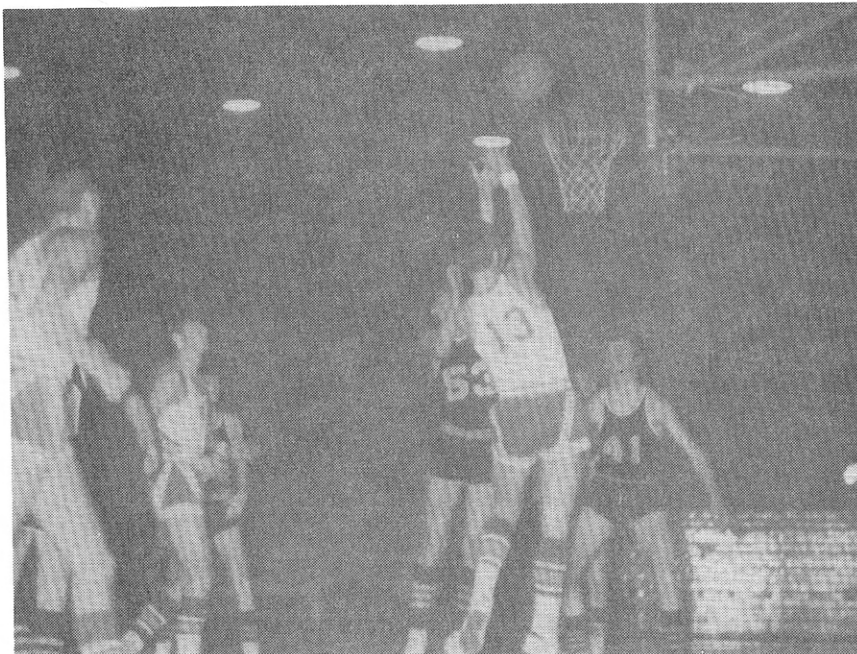


40% OF ALL PIONEER LEAGUE TEAM
All Pioneer League Second Team Nick Simon,
First Team Denny Major and Mike Talbot and
Second Team Mark Zbojnewicz

Coach Dornbos started the season early with a Conditioning Clinic that surely conditioned the team. After all that work was over, the fun was left. Then the Rogues went out and had fun and compiled an 11-7 record.

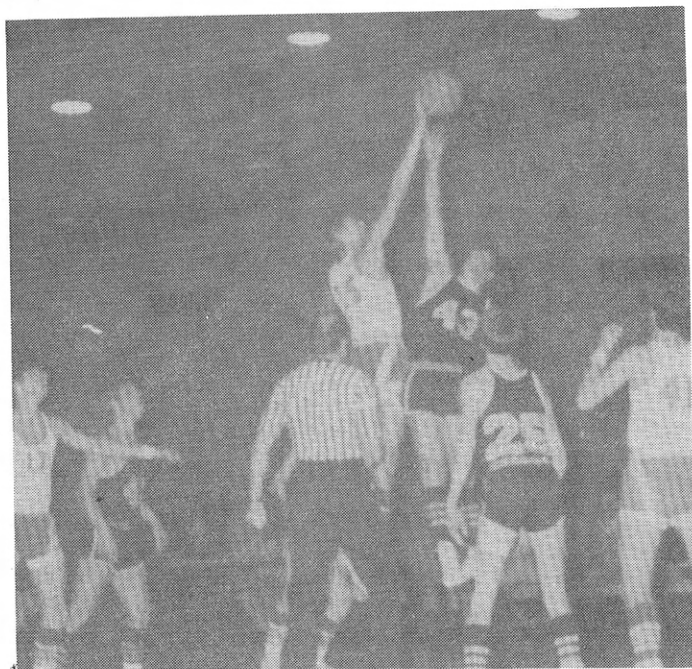
Along with the fun, the Rogues captured the league trophy along with Covenant Christian with a 5-1 record.

Coach Dornbos will not be back next year but his memories will always remain. All his players will remember that "Basketball is like the game of life" or that "The hustler will go places in life." He will always be remembered at the Sem, not only as a basketball coach but as Great Big Red-Headed Man.



Sponge pushes in another two-pointer against Covenant Christian.

THE FUN

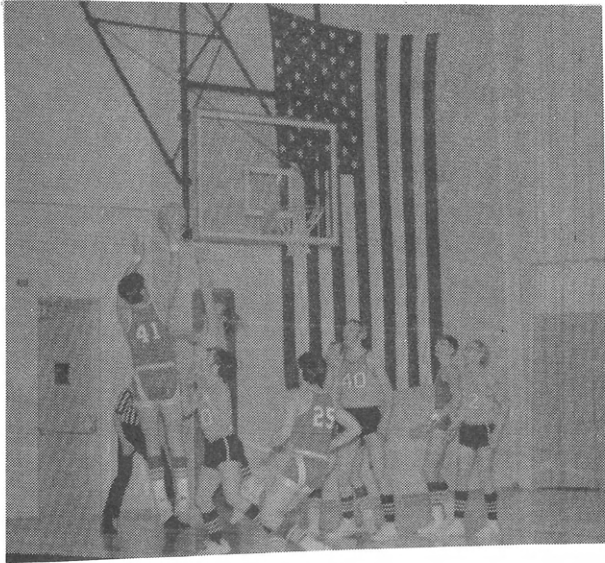


Jim forgets being nice for a moment.

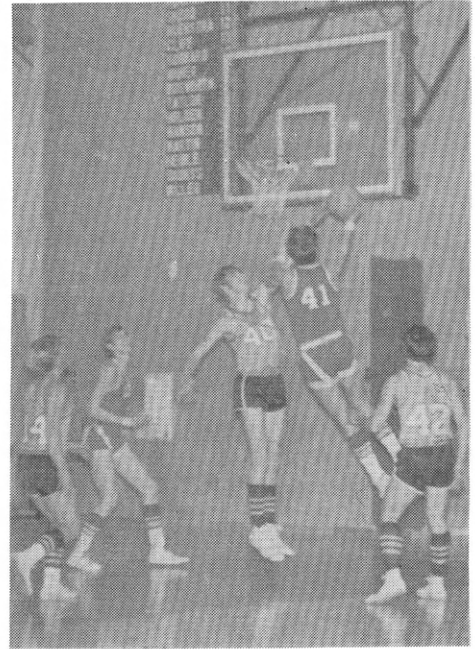


When Si said "Stop", they stopped!

District Tournament



Mike Talbot
tries to warm
Rogue shooting
up.



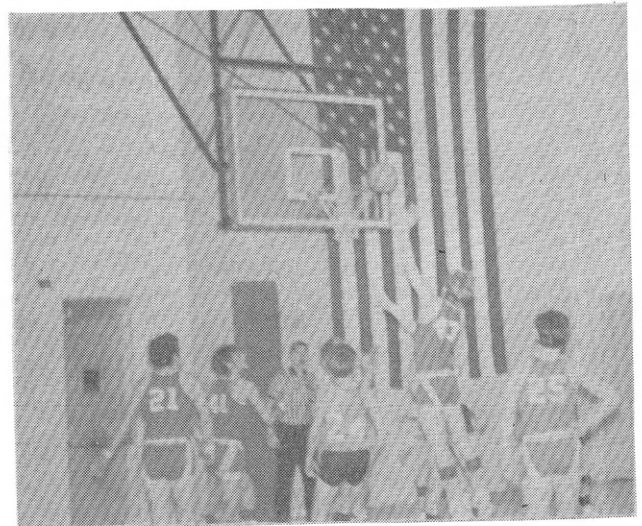
The Rogues went into the tournament after having a cold second-half of the season. They had hopes of warming up quick against Co-Champs Covenant Christian. Somebody had turned the heat on in the first quarter as the Rogues took a 22 - 13 lead. But after that, the heat was off to stay. The results:

COVENANT CHRISTIAN - 62

ST. JOE'S - 55

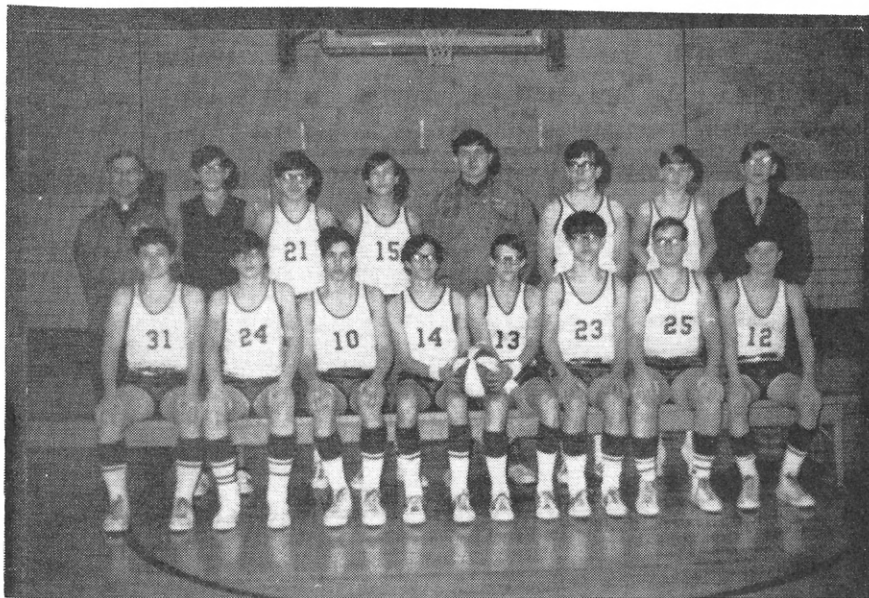


Ken Yelle pushes two through to tie the game.



Denny Major puts in an easy two while Yelle watches with hand on hip.

Junior Varsity



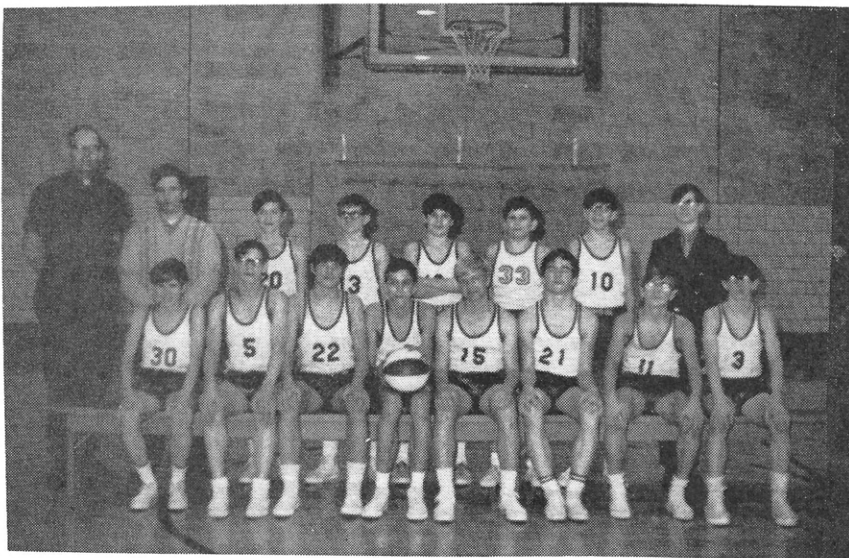
The Junior Varsity, under the coaching of Father Joe Flickinger, compiled a winning record and finished second in the Pioneer League. The team lacked height but made up for it with fine shooting and a good defense. Many of the players will move up to the Varsity next year and help the Rogues Keep Marching to Victory.

Front Row: Ed Flood, Bob Graham, Mike O'Brien, Brian Meagher, Ted Inman, Dave Oseland, Tom Boufford, Paul Mauric

Back Row: Coach Flickinger, Scorer Barry Corbin, Dave Sinclair, Tim Pieri, Ron Helminski, Mike Sniegowski, Chip Hart, Denis Maue

FRESHMEN

What's this? A Freshmen Team? That's right. Under the coaching of Father Vainavicz, the freshmen were able to learn the fundamentals of basketball and to put them into practice. Although they finished with a losing record, the firsties got much valuable experience and will be a great addition to the J. V. Team next year.



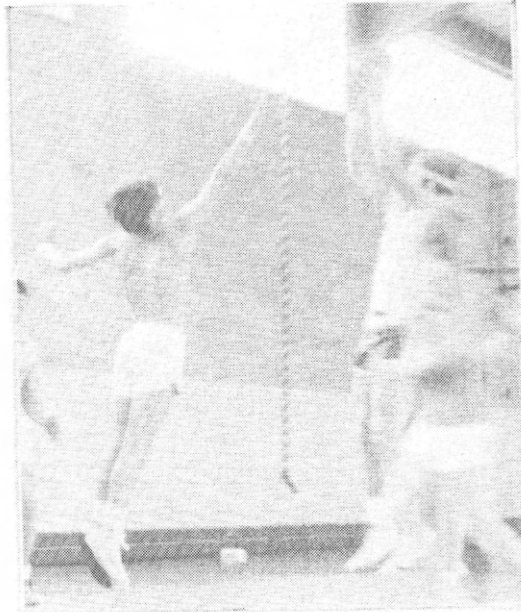
Front Row: Paul Grala, Gary Klein, Jeremy Bell, Bob Bieszka, Jim Zinn, Dan Johnson, Mark Deering, Pete Okhuysen

Back Row: Coach Vainavicz, Doug Goulet, Bill Veneklas, Frank Schneider, Mark Antekeier, Ken Meszaros, Mike Soltys, Mike Jarvis

INTRAMURAL



UP, UP AN AWAY



..... WITH GREAT FORM

He's raising racket



behind you

Theis



Jim throws
the ball at ...



... the Batter.

Varsity

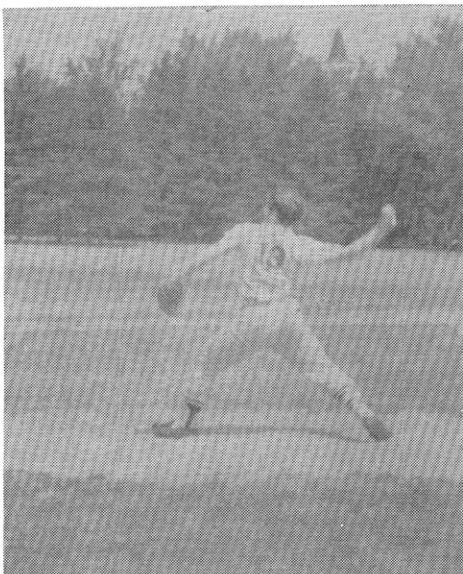
MR. "SIR" PASKIEWICZ
AND HIS TEAM



Standing: Mr. Sir, (son) Brian Meagher,
Paul Mauric, Douglas Goulet, Thomas
Boufford, Greg Zinn, Mike O'Brien, Rick
Shepard, Keith Theis, Jim Zinn, Ed Flood.

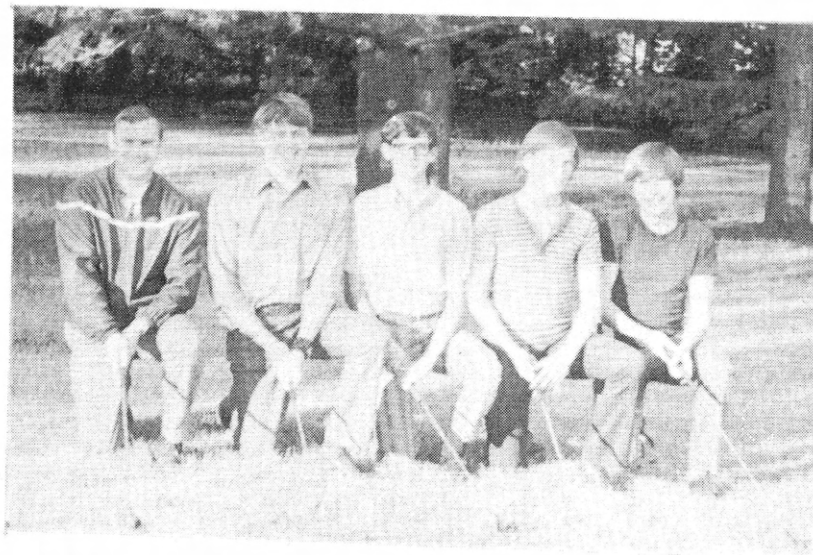
Kneeling: Joe Ocobock, Ted Inman, Jim
Blanchard, Denny Major, Duane Feldpausch,
Nick Simon, Mike Talbot, Mike Sremba,
Ken Yelle, Mark Zbojnowicz.

Baseball



Golf

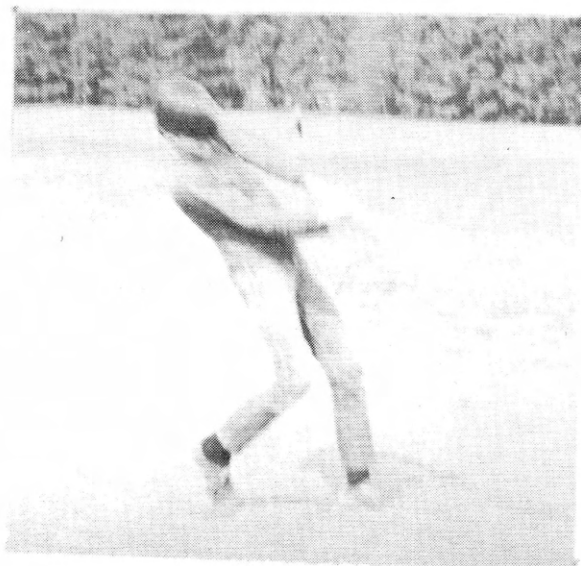
TEAM



Backrow and Frontrow: Father Flickinger, Dale Hrouda, Barry Corbin, Tim Pieri, Dave Sinclair

Record: $\frac{W}{4}$ $\frac{L}{2}$

Five dollars not ...



... FORE!

UNDERCLASSMEN



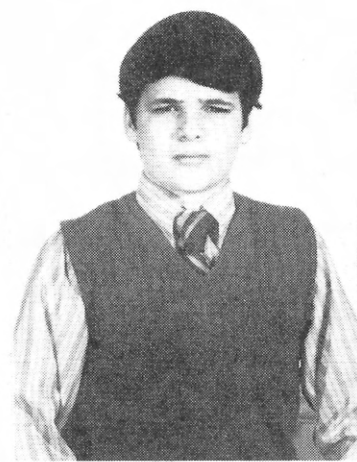
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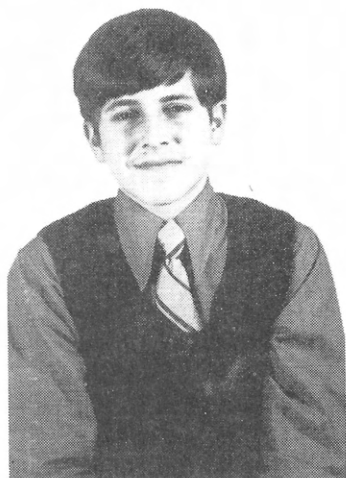
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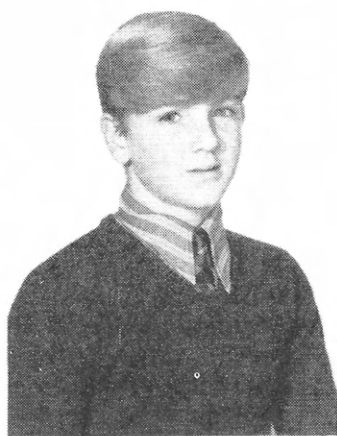
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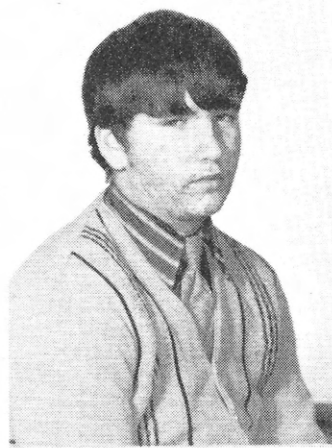
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DAVE SINCLAIR



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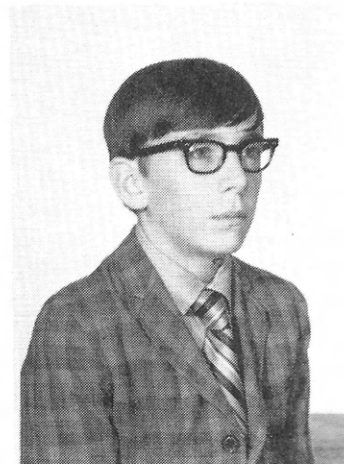
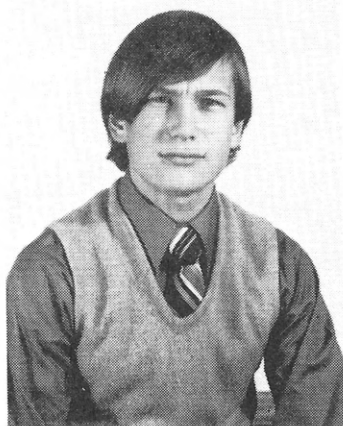
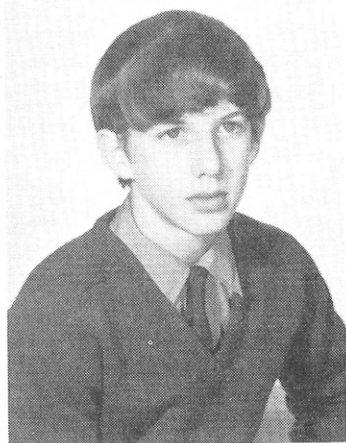
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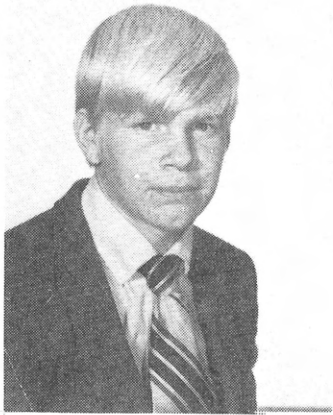
PETE OKHUYSEN

TIM PIERI

FRANK SCHNEIDER

MIKE SOLTYS

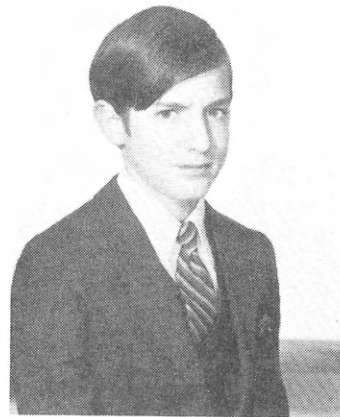




JIM ZINN



TERRY TODISH



BILL VENEKLAŠE



PAUL GRALA



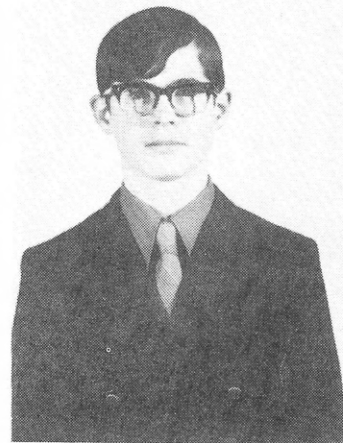
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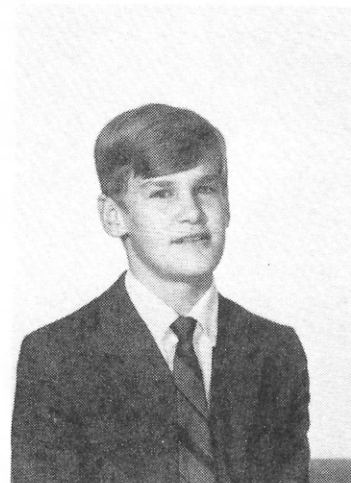
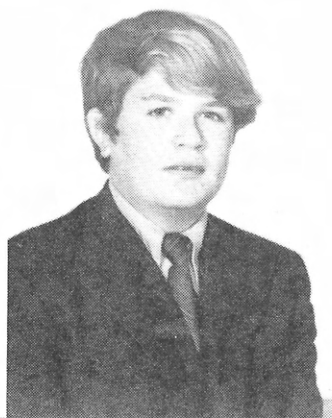
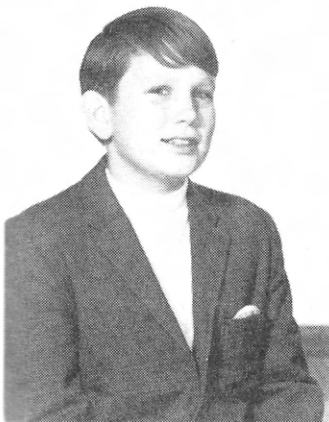
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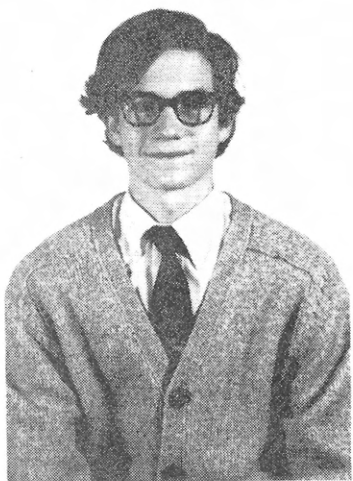
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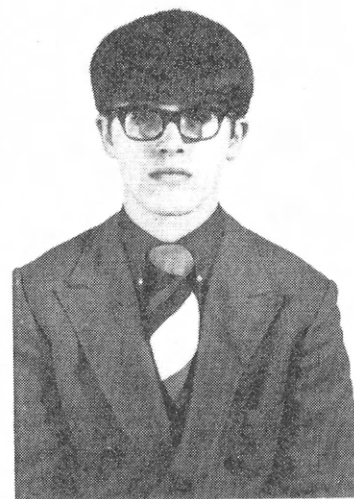
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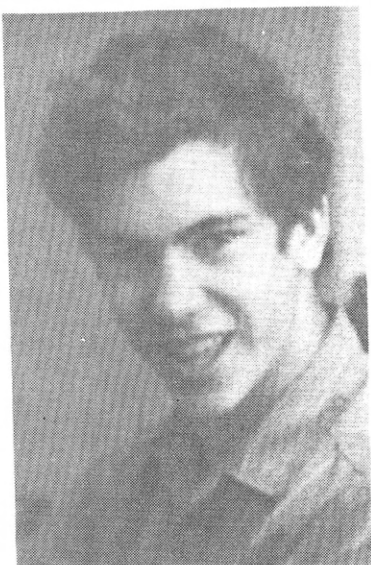
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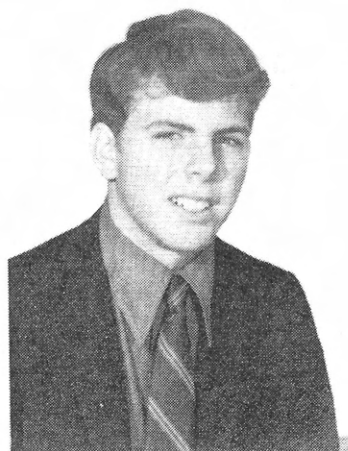
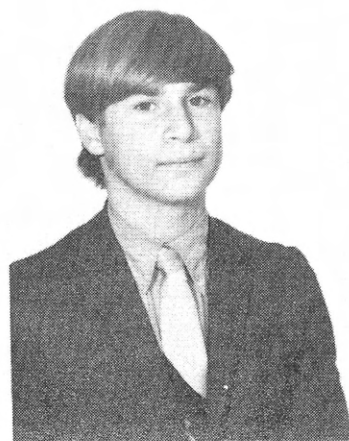
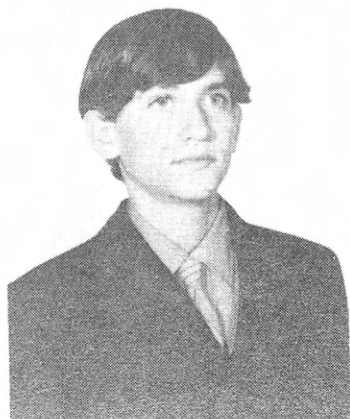
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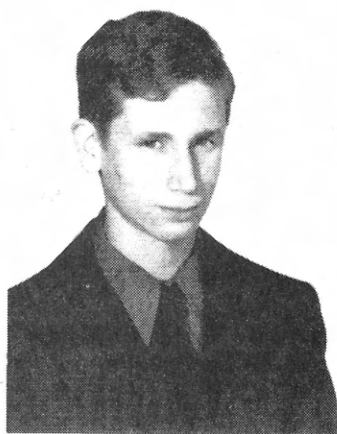


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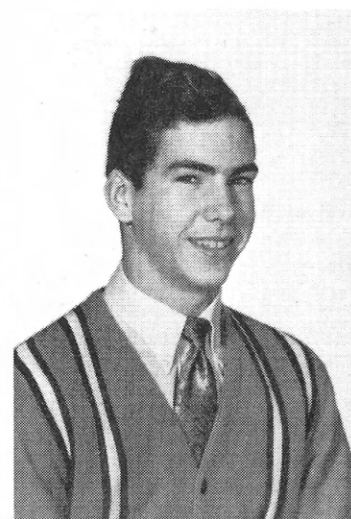


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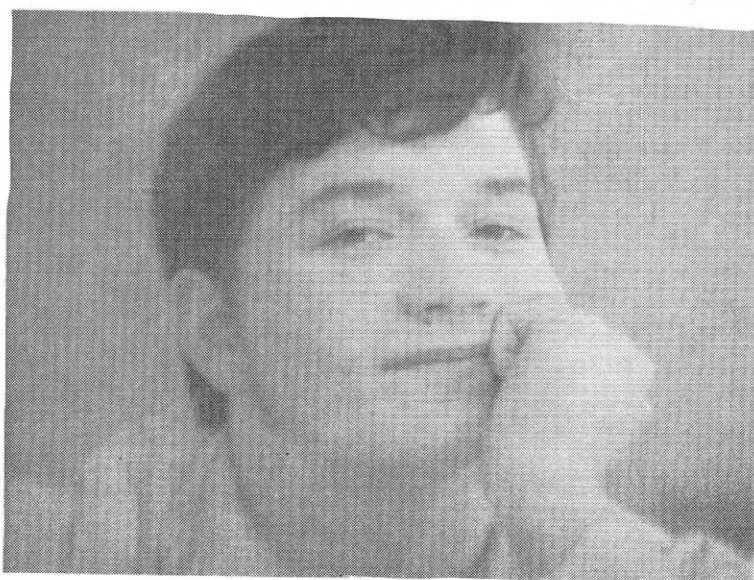
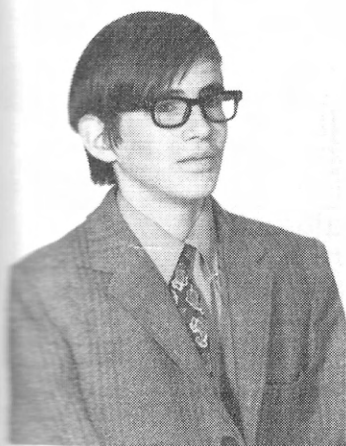


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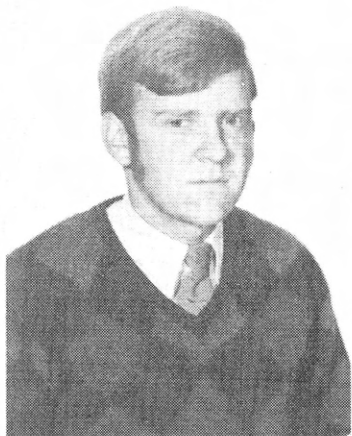
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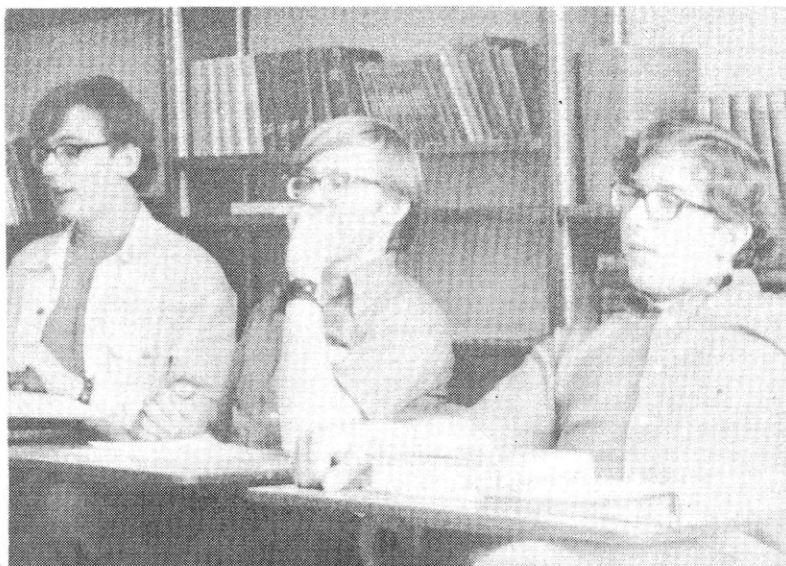


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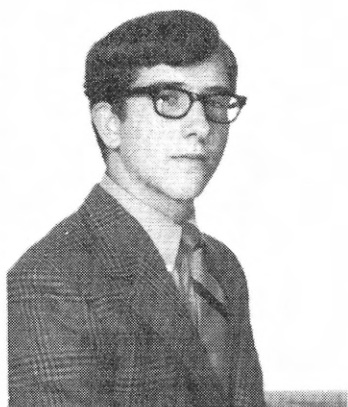
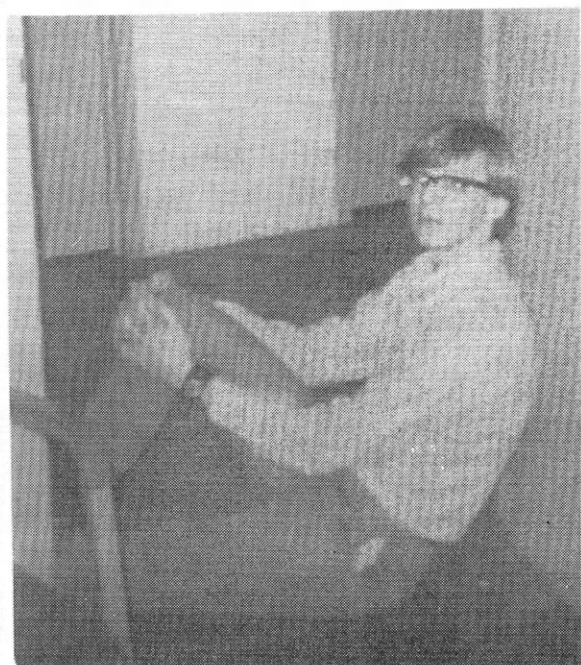




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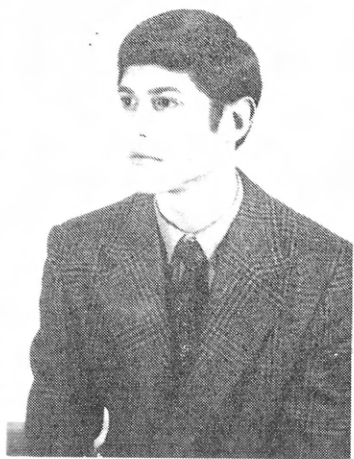
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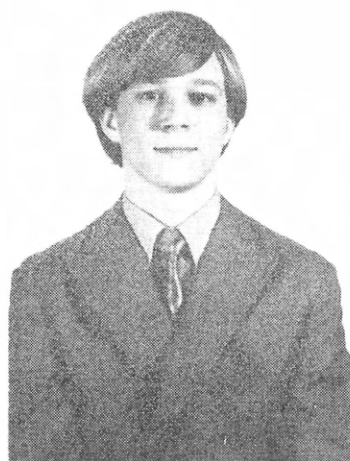
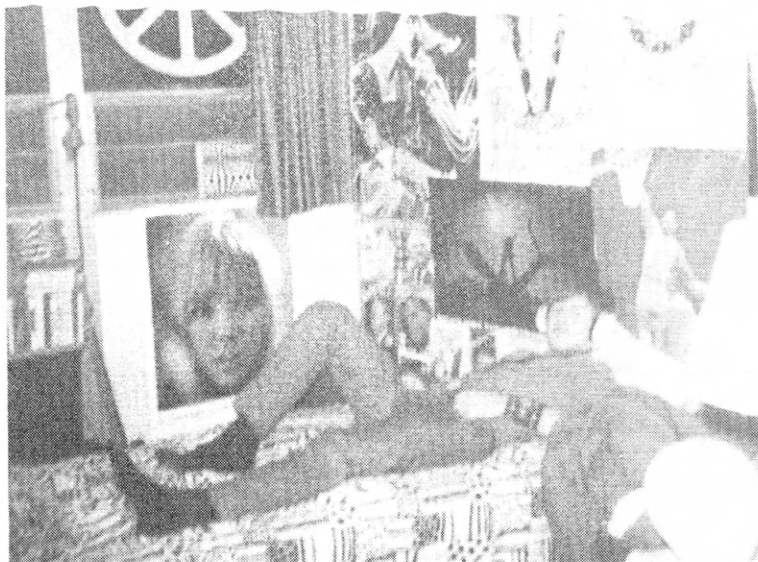


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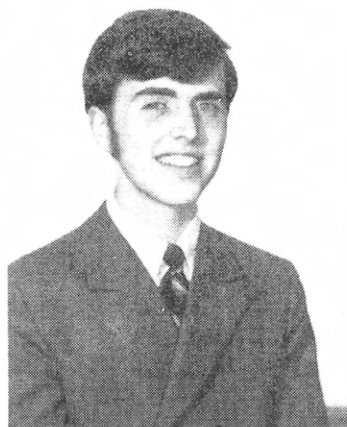


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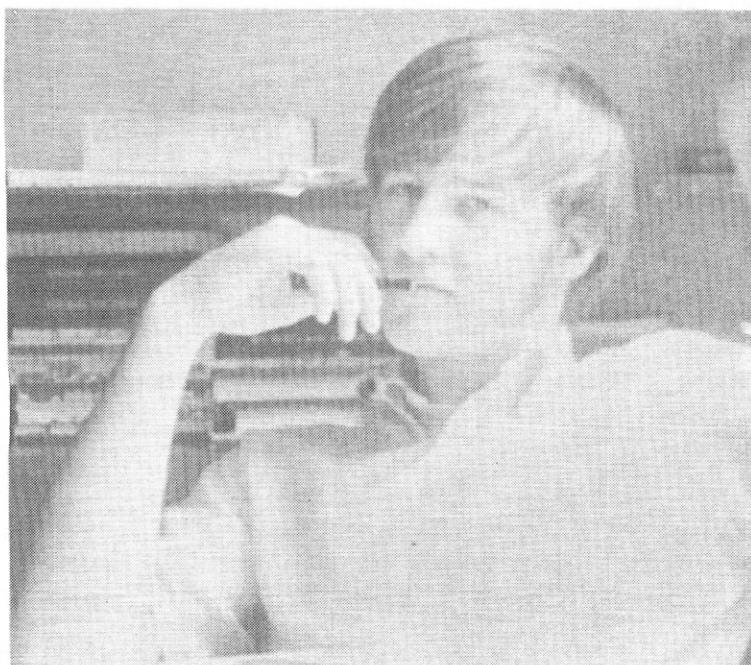
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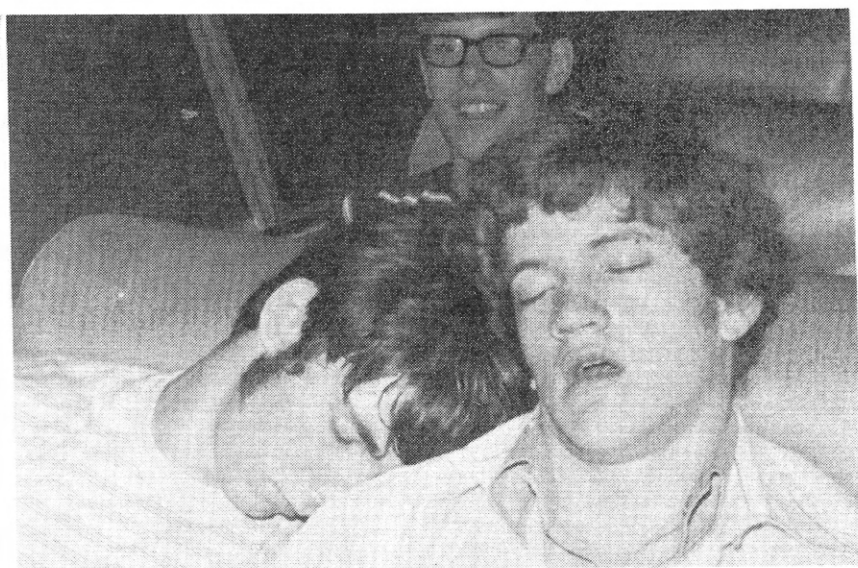
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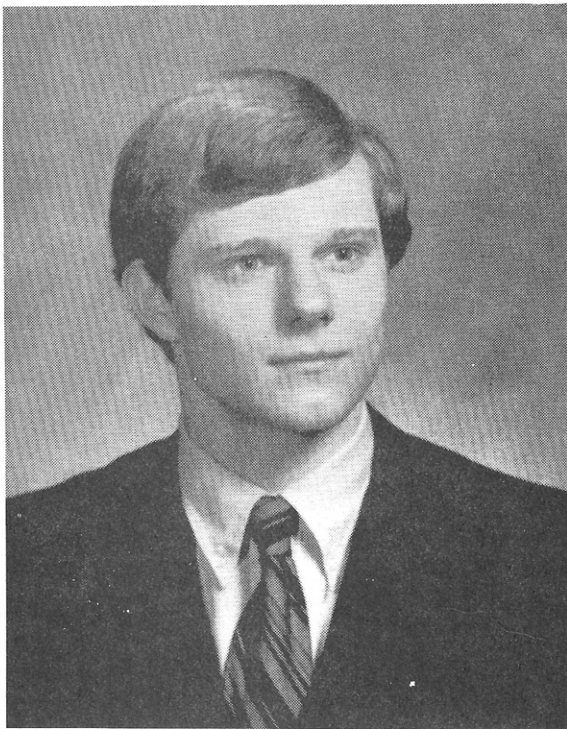
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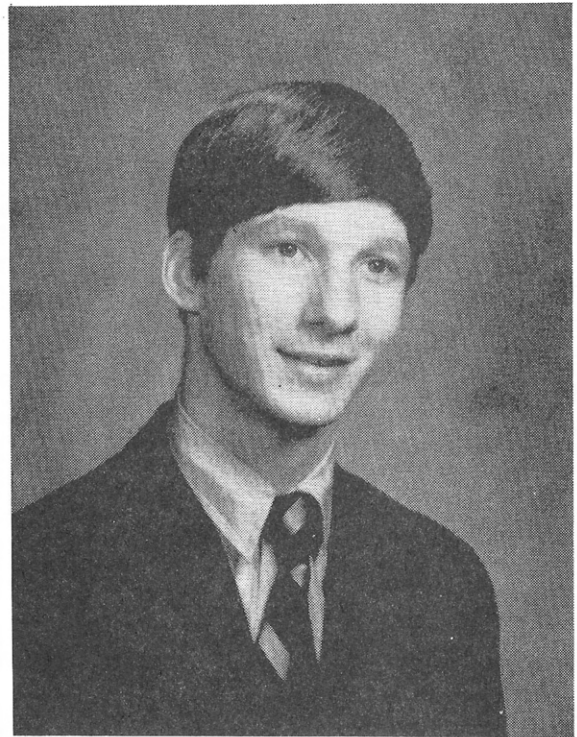
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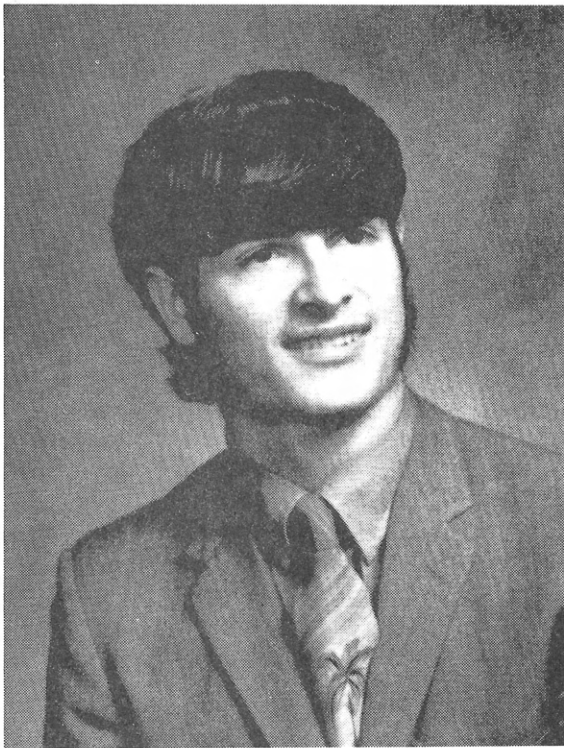
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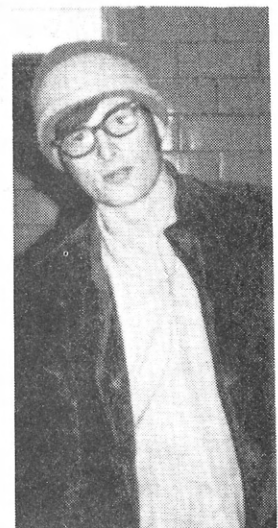
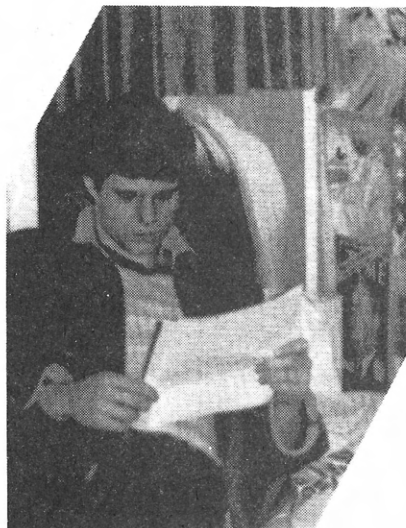
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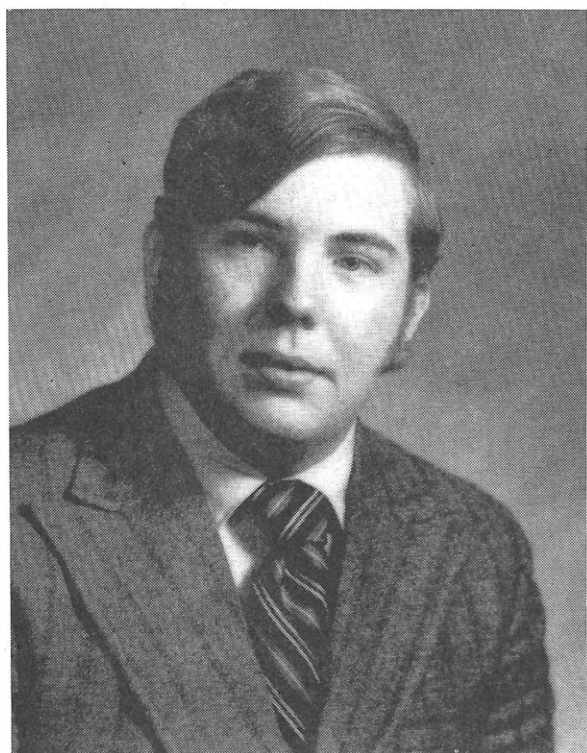


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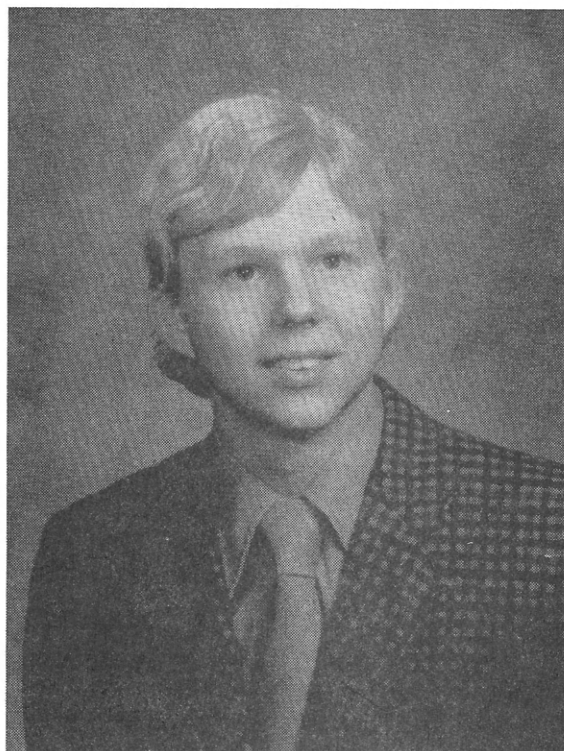


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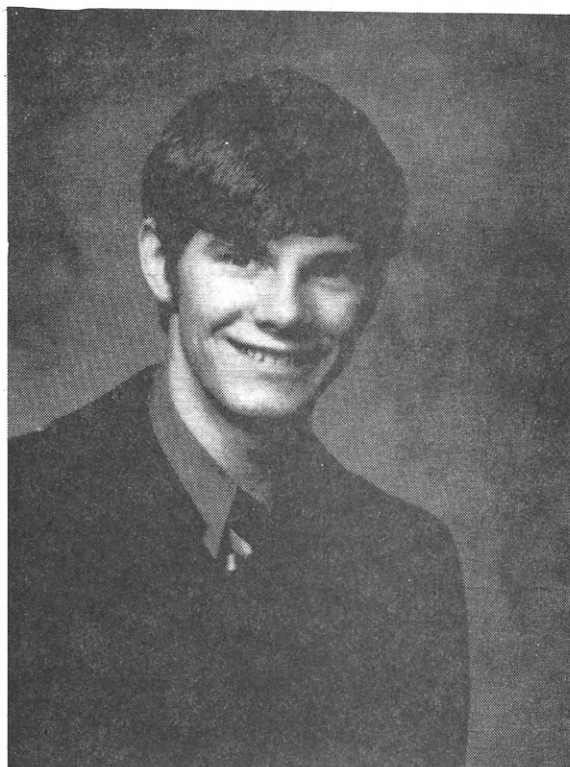
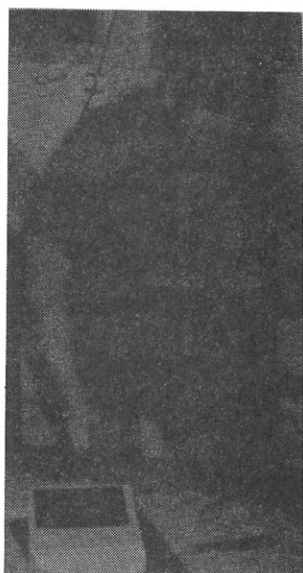
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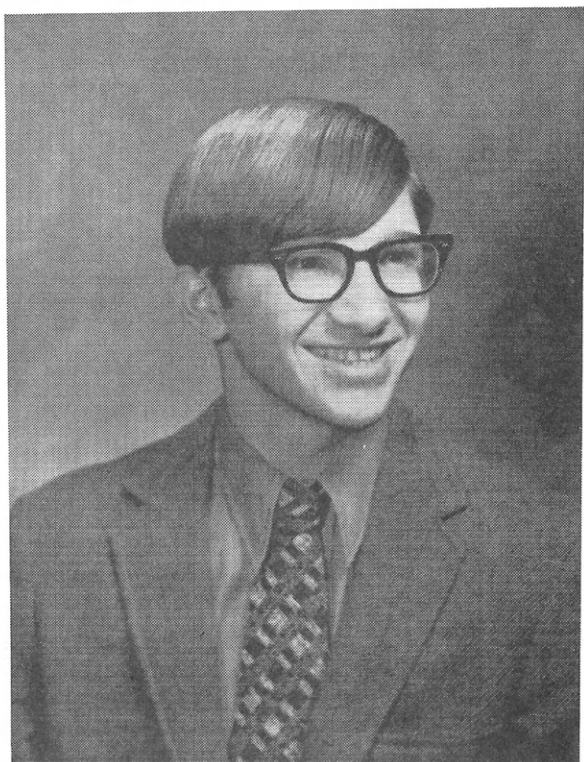
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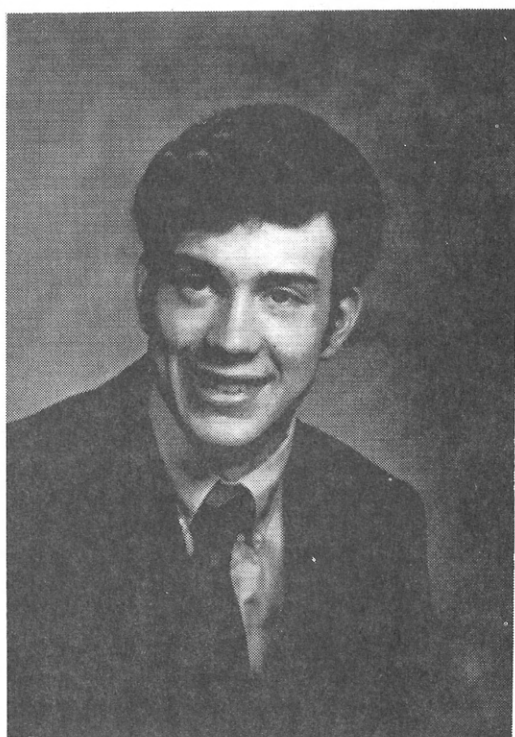
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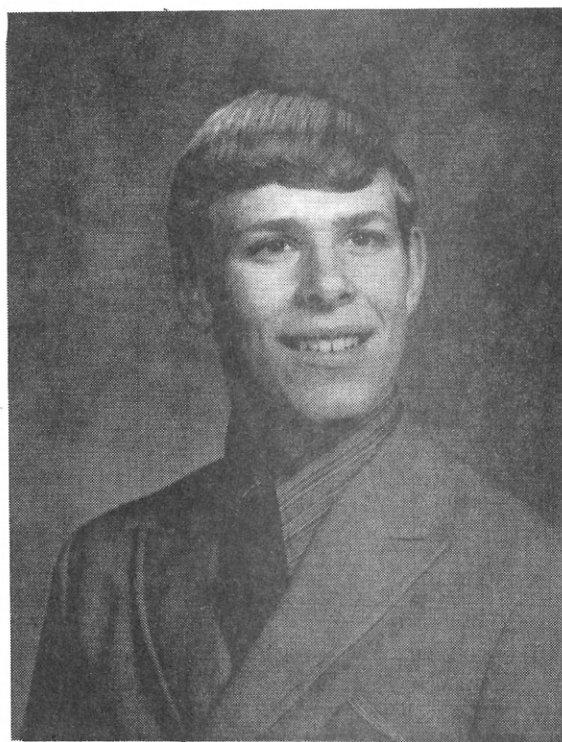
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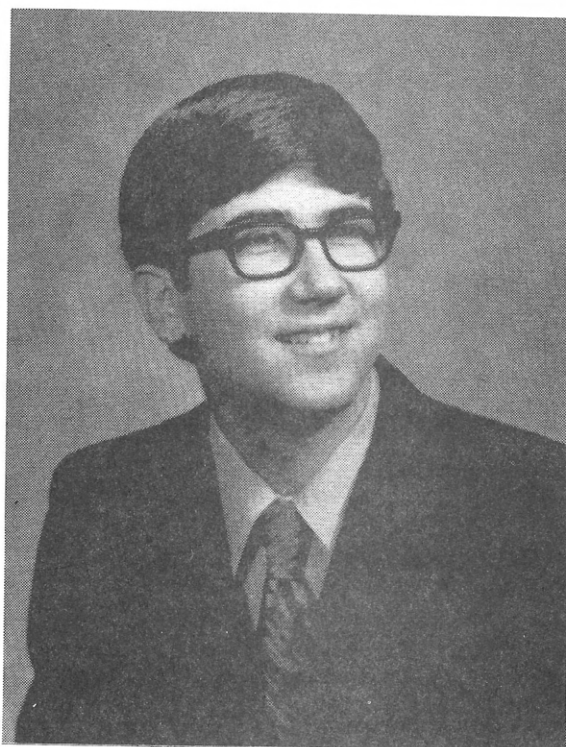
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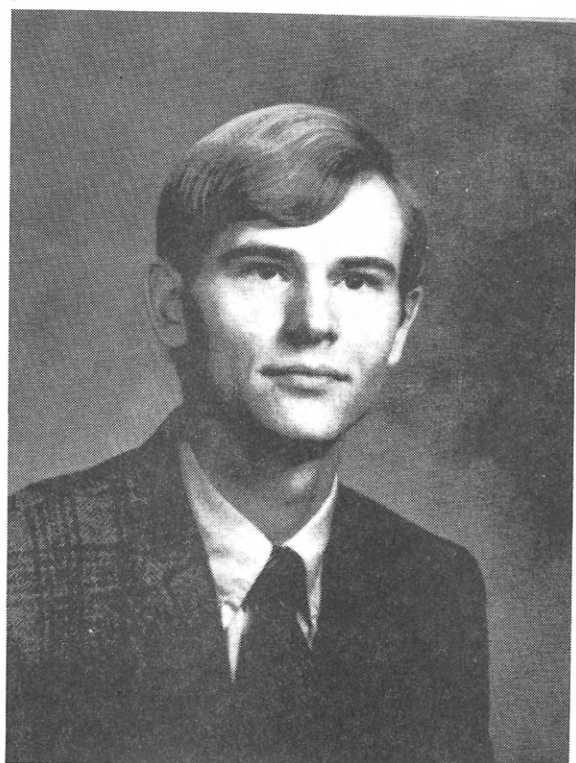
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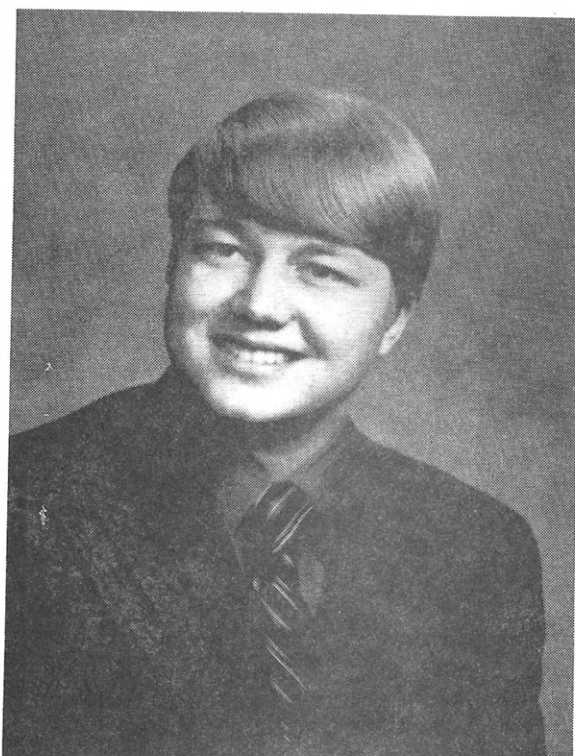
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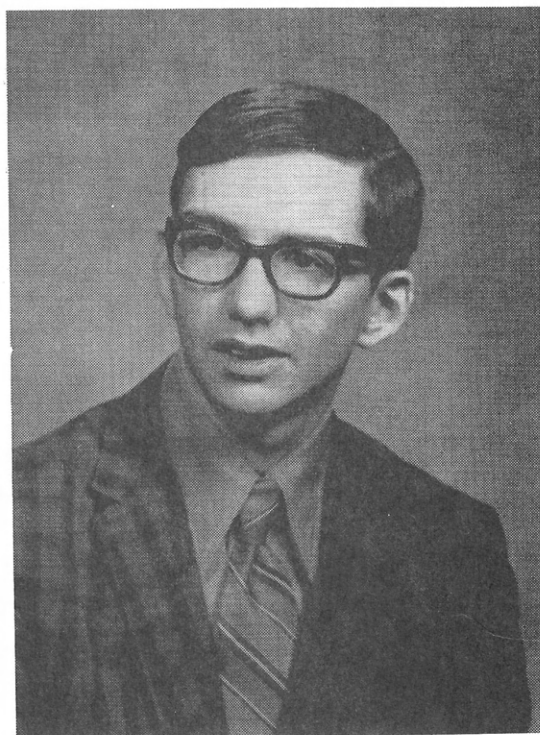
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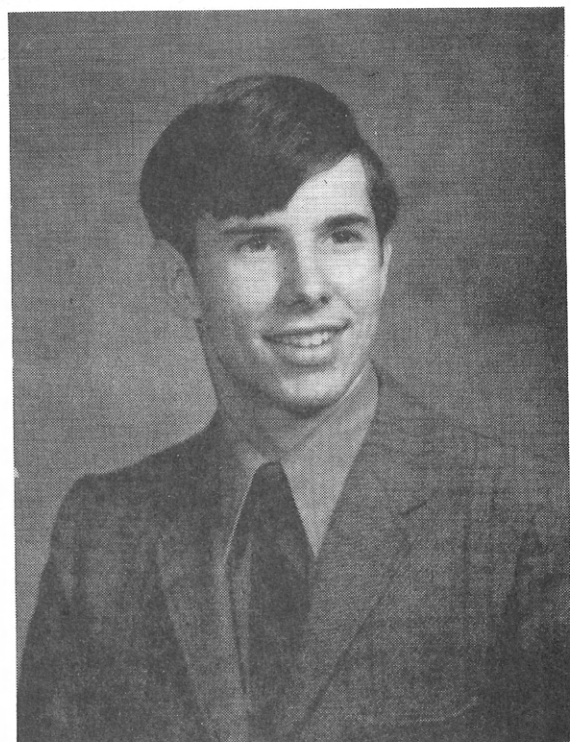
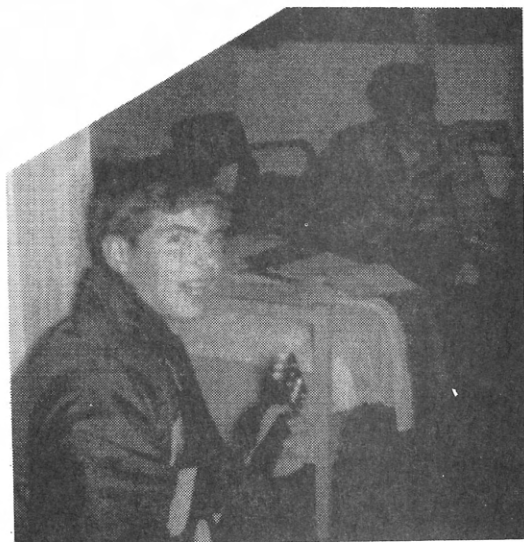
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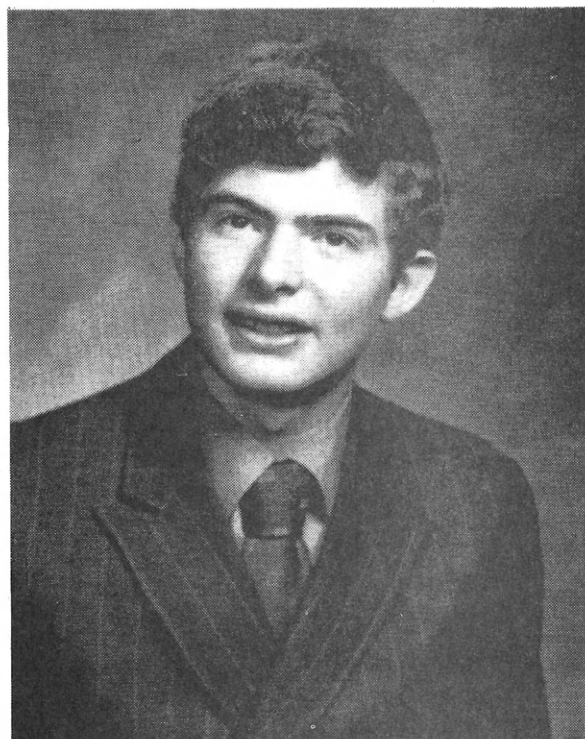
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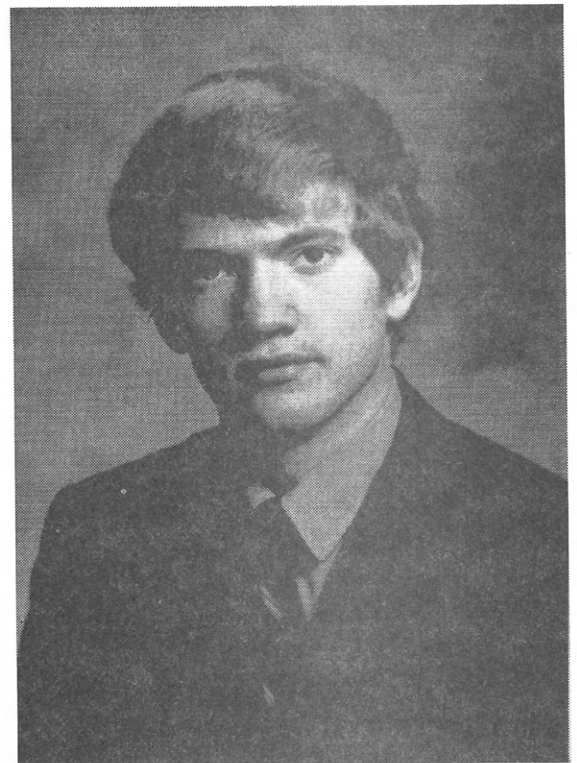
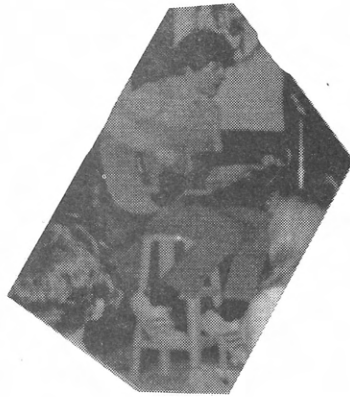
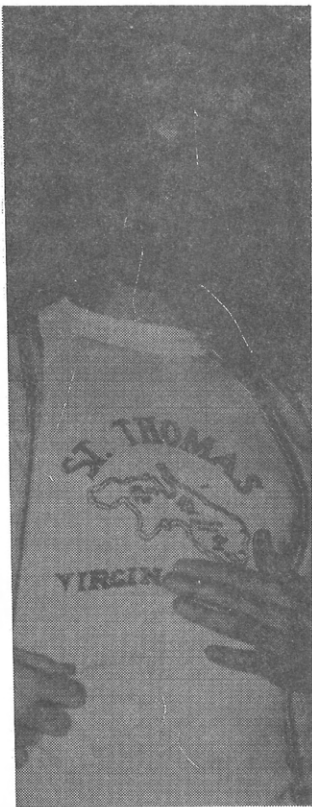
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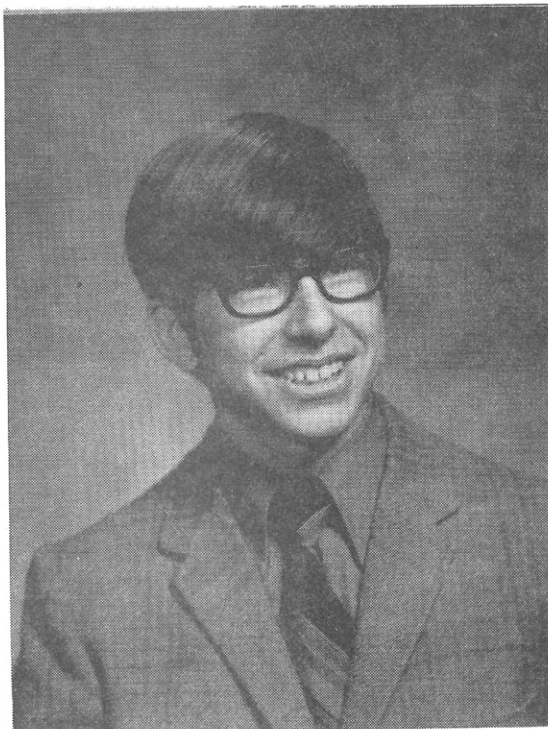
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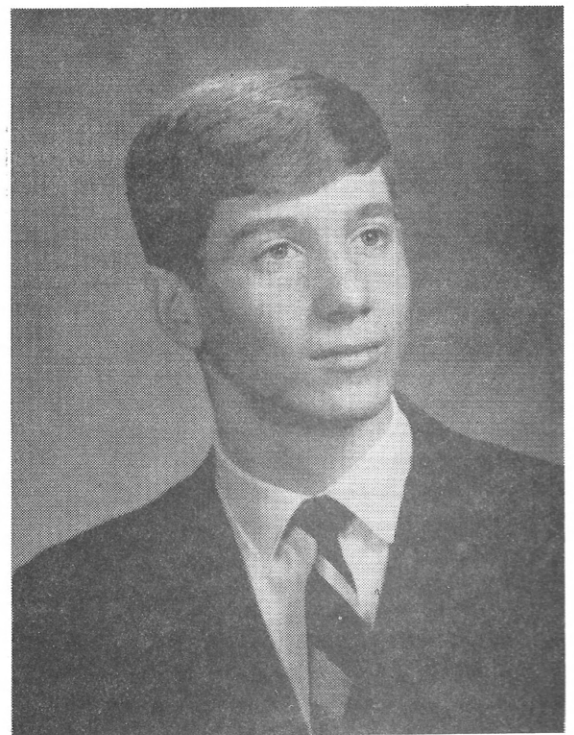
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Smiley 1, 2, 3, 4.

Jeff Dongvillo

Librarian 2 & 3;
Decorations 1, 2, 3, 4;
Maintenance 4; B.S.'er 3 & 4;
Hootenanny 4.

Rick Dutkiewicz (S.L.)

Laundry 4; Cheerleader 2 & 3;
Guitarist 3 & 4; Tennis 3;
Student Council 3 & 4;
Varsity 4;
Procrastinator 1, 2, 3, 4, 5....

Duane Feldpausch

M.C. 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2;
J.V. Basketball 2; Cheerleader 4;
Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4;
Perfect person always;
Christmas Program 4.

Rick Gietzen

Sacristan 2, 3, 4; J.V. 2;
Intramural Star 1, 2, 3, 4;
Assistant Groundskeeper 4.

Charles Hall

Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Lick 1, 2, 3, 4;
Apathy 1, 2, 3, 4; Valedictorian 4.

Dale Hrouda

Librarian 4; Laundry 3½;
Golf 3 & 4; Yearbook Co-editor 4;
Movie & TV Critic 1, 2, 3, 4.

Denny Major

Store 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3 & 4;
J.V. 1 & 2; Varsity Basketball 3 & 4;
Varsity Baseball 4; All-Conference 4;
Star 1, 2, 3, 4.

Don Rewa

Dorrman 1, 2, 3, 4; Doorman 4;
Sacristan - St. Henry's 3, 4;
Varsity Baseball 3,
Varsity Basketball Manager;
Head Chink 2, 3, 4.

Nick Simon

Maintenance 2; Ath 4; J.V. 2;
Varsity 3 & 4; Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4;
Head Si 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Conference 4 (H.M.)

Bob Sniegowski

Maintenance 2, 3, 4; Head Groundskeeper 4;
Choir Director 4; J.V. 1 & 2; Varsity 3 & 4;
Head wop with curly hair 4.

Mike Sremba

Fr. Vainavicz's Kitchen Prefect 4;
J.V. 2; Varsity Baseball 3 & 4;
Head Monkey 2, 3, 4.

Mike Talbot

Bell boy 4; J.V. 2; Varsity 3 & 4;
All-Conference & Co-Captain 4;
Golf 3; Tennis 3; Baseball 4;
G.R.C.W.S.C. Derel 3 & 4

Wayne Wheeler

Liturgy 4; Cheerleader 4;
Librarian 2, 3, 4; Decoration 2, 3, 4;
Class Dictionary 1, 2, 3, 4;
Salutatorian 4.

Ken Yelle

Ath. 2, 3, 4; J.V. 2; Varsity 3 & 4;
Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4;
Wildlife Preserver 2, 3, 4;
President of John Fogerty Fan Club 3 & 4.

Mark Zbojnowicz

Store 2, 3, 4; J.V. 1 & 2;
Varsity 3 & 4; Varsity Baseball 4;
Co-Captain & All-Conference (H.M.)
Student Council 1 & 2;
Mr. Atlas 1, 2, 3, 4.

Laurence Zwier

Maintenance 3; Student Council Dictator 4;
Assistant Dictator under His Majesty
Phil Shangraw 3; Locked up 4;
Yearbook Co-Editor 4;
Monsignor's boy 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.....

Each, the traveler down dusty roads
Stride into the valleys or upon the hills
Of things that were, that are, to what the future spills
In misty clouds, which before his mind explode
And each place in turn becomes the man
Who treads his paths on the road of soul
But times gives rise to other times and goals
So what is present life becomes a travelled land
So it is each man must leave behind
The places and the times that once were home
And with departing tear or smile roam
To search for growing soul of other kinds
Yet the parting is in a sense eternity
And times though gone are still alive in thought
In memory eternal sketches wrought
Carried by journeymen eternally
For each "good-bye" is filled with empty pain
But still the touch of unconquerable joy
Which thoughts of happiness will still employ
Although no man can live those days again.

