

Moi POLL

PREP PLAYERS PRESENT "INHERIT THE WIND"

LOVELL DAY

On February 23, Captain James Lovell returned to his home town of Milwaukee and was greeted with great adulations and awards. Many of his proud supporters lined Wisconsin Avenue as a parade in his honor paved its way through the great crowds. A light snow fell throughout the day but it didn't seem to dishearten either Lovell or the spirited crowds.

Later in the afternoon, forty-five students from each of the Milwaukee area schools attended a movie and a short description of the flight at the Riverside Theatre. Lovell received a standing ovation from the great number of Milwaukee students. The Captain was then asked a series of questions concerning the Gemini 6/7 flight by a selected group of students. The movie of the flight was very beautiful and very much enjoyed by the young audience. Captain Lovell urged the students to continue to study since he realized how important this was in this day and age.

The day was topped off by a dinner held in Lovell's honor at the Pfister Hotel. It was telecast around parts of the state, including Milwaukee, and Lovell again received great applause and honor. He presented a picture of an American flag to the city of Milwaukee which had been put in the suit of Captain Lovell before the flight and which he had carried with him throughout the mission.

February 23, 1966 will be a day both Captain Lovell and the city of Milwaukee will long remember.

"Inherit The Wind," based on the famous "Monkey Trial" at Dayton, Tenn., in July, 1925, will be staged by the Prep Players March 11, 12, 13. The play pits two of the most famous and influential lawyers of the century against each other: Clarence Darrow for the defense; William Jennings Bryan for the prosecution.

The playwrights, Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee, give Darrow and Bryan the stage names of Henry Drummond, played by Nick Studzinski, and Matthew Harrison Brady, played by Bert Poole. The clashing of the lawyers was caused by the accusation of a young schoolteacher, John T. Scopes (in the play, Bertram Cates) portrayed by Russ Gonnering.

The trial brought "wicked attacks from the North" with newspapermen combining with Drummond to expose to the world the conflict between fundamentalist religion and science. In the trial Bertram Cates is accused of teaching Charles Darwin's "Origin of the Species," a theory of evolution which was illegal to teach in the schools of Tennessee.

E.K. Hornbeck, a critic-reporter, and Drummond were sent by the Baltimore Herald to Dayton, known as Hillsboro in the play. Dick Bradish plays Hornbeck.

The set is on a platform, thus placing it above the Courtroom and overshadowing it. This places the townspeople, representing all the narrow-minded people of yesterday, today and tomorrow, on trial. The construction of the bi-level stage has been done under the supervision of Bro. Michael Frost, S.J., sometime carpenter, and John Hannan, sometime stage manager.

The job of production is being undertaken by Mr. John Suehr, S.J., in co-operation with Fr. Thomas Brennan, S.J. and Fr. Edward Larkin, S.J., moderator.

The production is the result of hours of work of a cast of forty and a sizable stage crew. It promises to be an action-filled presentation, skillfully portrayed and worthy of your support on the evenings of Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 11 thru 13.



The CORNER DRUGSTORE

(You can find almost anything in the corner drugstore, from A Batman comic to Zipper-slick.)

The Hoi Polloi, in conjunction with the Dirigible Society, is sponsoring a petition asking channel 18 to again present "I Bombed Pearl Harbor," starring Toshiro Mifune, in order to accommodate those unfortunate ones who missed it on every one of the eight times it has been shown in the last three weeks.

We would like to apologize for not having an apology in the last issue of the HOI POLLOI.

The Corner Drugstore has finally given in to the pressure and raised its pressures, but you can still hang around for free.

While hanging around the corner drugstore we heard that the fireman, brakeman, and engineer of a train are Smith, Robinson and Jones, but not necessarily in that order. Three of the passengers on the train are men with the same names --Smith, Robinson, and Jones. Given the following information, can you determine the engineer's name? Passenger Robinson lives in Detroit. The brakeman lives exactly halfway between Chicago and Detroit. Passenger Jones earns exactly \$20,000 a year. The brakeman's nearest neighbor, one of the passengers, earns precisely 3 times a much money per year as the brakeman. Trainman Smith beats the fireman at billiards. The passenger whose name is the same as the brakeman lives in Chicago.

Again, what's the engineer's name? (If you've been dumb enough to read this far, turn to final page for answer to this problem: it's for real.

OUR WEBBIES WIN

You are probably asking yourself over and over, "Just how is the Webster Club doing?" Well, you will be happy to know that it is doing fine! Our varsity teams have compiled fantastic records with 75 wins and 23 losses. This record is one that any school should be proud of: it is one of the best in the state. The teams of Mulvanny-Collinge (affirmative) and Theis (rhymes with niece)- Nordberg (negative) have also gone on to state honors.

First these orators qualified for the N.F.L. championship by beating their opponents in a 5-1 decision. Next Theis and Nordberg brought their winning style to the quarter finals. Again Marquette creamed St. Kates in a unanimous 3-0 decision. But our winning streak was halted in the semi-finals were we lost to West Bend 2-1. Still after all these trials Marquette placed fourth in a district of 23 teams.

Then our team went to the state finals. In the regionals M.U.H.S. outlasted all schools and came off with a 5-1 record. In the sectional tournament at Fort Atkinson the home team brought the bacon back with another 5-1 romp. Then it happened, in the finals, at Madison. Slowly by surely our team went through all the obstacles but came out in third place. Rheinland took first.

The cape-able Crusaders have only one more varsity tournament to win. And you can be sure that Marquette will follow the winning tradition again.

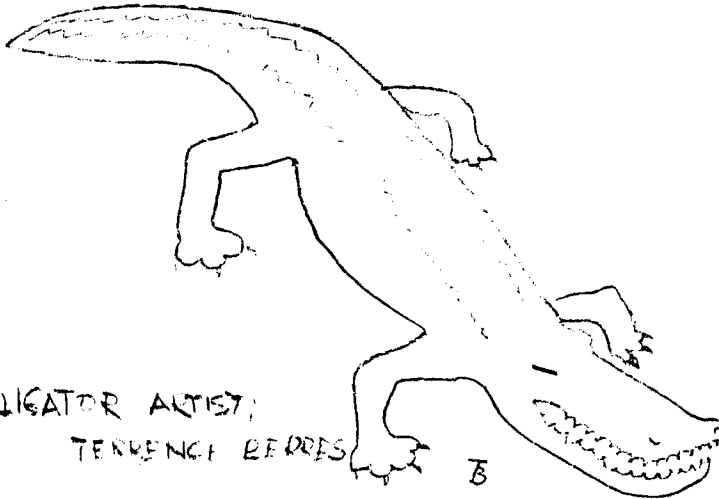
FOOD PRICES RISE

Because of the rising cost of food, and decreasing Federal subsidy, the cafeteria has raised the cost of lunch to 45¢ and the cost of milk to 3¢. In an exclusive interview with cafeteria manageress Mrs. Hosh, a HOI POLLOI reporter discovered that although food prices have risen at an incredible rate in the last year, the Federal lunch program subsidy has been lowered. The subsidy for milk has been totally eliminated. Mrs. Hosh said that these factors have forced the cafeteria to work under a deficit and now to raise the prices.

Since congress will not consider lunch programs appropriations until July, prices will remain at present levels for the rest of the year (and according to the HOI POLLOI's political editor, most of next year).

MODERATORS

This year's Gators finished the official season with a 13 and 3 record, and in only one of the three loses were we beaten by ability. All of the school records were set this year except the 100 yd. butterfly which was set by senior Jim Luetttgen last year. This year Luetttgen, Jim Bonifas, Pat Quinn and Dave Reichl all set school records, the first three setting two apiece. Also this year the W.I.A.A. ranked Marquette with the public schools. Jim Luetttgen ranked first in the 50 and 100 yd. free styles and fourth in the butterfly. Pat Quinn ranked fourth in the Individual Medley and fifth in the backstroke. Ed Kult ranked tenth in the 50 yd. free style. All that remains for this year's team is an A.A.U. meet on March 12 and 13th.



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THE BRAKEMAN

... Well, you see, it's this way. The brakeman, who lives half-way between Chicago and Detroit, lives near passenger _____, who earns three times as much as he (the brakeman) does. This passenger can't be named Robinson, since passenger Robinson lives in Detroit. It also can't be passenger Jones, as his \$20,000 a year income cannot be precisely three times any other. By elimination, the brakeman's neighbor has to be passenger Smith.

We know that the passenger who has the same name as the brakeman lives in Chicago. He can't be passenger Robinson, who lives in Detroit. He can't be passenger Smith, the brakeman's neighbor, who lives halfway between Detroit and Chicago. Therefore the passenger from Chicago must be named Jones. Thus the brakeman's name is Jones.

Trainman Smith beats the fireman at billiards, so the fireman is neither Smith nor Jones. The fireman, then, must be Robinson; and the engineer must be Smith.

And this is the sort of thing you can hear at the Corner Drugstore.



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MARCH

11, 12, 13

RASPUTHIK

SPORTS

FROSH FINISH 3rd

The Freshman basketball team won twelve games while losing only four, good for second place in conference play. After winning ten games in a row, the Frosh had a chance to tie for first place with Pius with a victory in their last game of the season--against Pius.

The Popes led by four to six points throughout most of the championship game until late in the fourth quarter when the Toppers came on strong, tying the game at 35-all on a shot by Pat Cannon. Then, only fourteen seconds remaining and the ball under their own basket, the Popes called time-out. Pius got the ball inbounds, passed it around and finally took a shot with about four seconds left, a shot that swished the net, making the final score Pius 37, Marquette 35.

However, team leader Al McGuire set a new freshman scoring record of 263 points, breaking the one previously held by varsity player Tom Sonnenberg. And the ten game winning streak prior to the two point loss to Pius seems to indicate that Marquette will have another strong basketball team in the future.



TOPPERS TOPPLE BOYS BOUNCED BY BOSCO

They say all good things have to come to an end, sooner or later. Marquette's reign as State Catholic Champion came to an end last Friday night at Pius, as Don Bosco did the honors. Actually the Toppers shouldn't have lost at all. In the first quarter, Bosco was shooting erratically and Marquette controlled the boards thoroughly. But a rash of mechanical errors hit near the end of the quarter, as Bosco cut the margin from 9-2, to a 9-9 tie with Marquette leading 11-9 at the quarter. Neither team looked especially good in the second quarter, with Marquette leading 20-17. Don Bosco opened the third quarter with two field goals to lead 21-20. After a Topper free throw the Dons realed off 9 straight points, to hit high tide at 30-21. In fact, field goals by Bill Michuda were the only thing that prevented a Bosco runaway at this point, as the score was 32-28 at the quarter. The Toppers closed the gap and began trading buckets with Gary Grzesk of Bosco. But 2 missed free throws hurt and Bosco took the lead for good at 43-41 and another Don bucket made it 45-41. The Toppers made a bucket, but missed a gift free throw. Two more Don buckets and it was too late. Gary Grzesk of Bosco led all scorers with 21 points, while Marquette's Bill Michuda made 15 in a fine performance. A large number of turnovers combined with the loss of board control as the game progressed spelled Marquette's downfall.

--Bill Kurtz

Other state regional play saw Pius beaten by Messmer, and Messmer going on to take the regional, defeating Memorial. St. Catherine and Bosco round out the area's contestants. Other teams competing in the tournament which will begin tomorrow are Madison Edgewood, Eau Claire Regis, Oshkosh Lourdes, Marshfield Columbus, and Green Bay Premontre.

Among these the coveted crown will be fought for and one among these will follow the '65 Marquette team as the best in the state.

Congratulations to Bill Michuda on his selection for placement on the Milwaukee Sentinel's All-Conference team.