

FHA Court And Beaux Told

by Ann-Lynn Shackelford

The Court for 1967 includes; Seniors, Carla Lanzen, Mary Jo Roten and Linda Neider;; juniors Beulah Kopecky and Jeanne Criswell; sophomores Connie Cox and Karen Andrews; and freshmen Bobbie Criswell and Carla Pollock.

The Queen, not yet announced, will be crowned at the FHA Ball on November 4 at Canyon Creek Country Club, by last year's queen Joy McNeil.

The girls were nominated at the October 3 FHA meeting, and were voted on at the "polls" in the Homemaking room, on October 17. The girls must be of good character, contribute to the good of the club, and they must be good students.

The 1967 FHA beaux are: Senior, Bruce Nagel; Junior, Gary Caswell; Sophomore, John Garner and Freshman, Steve Wilson.

The four boys were chosen as outstanding members of their class, by the FHA members, from twenty-four other nominees.

An overall goal of the FHA is "to help individuals improve personal, family, and community living." As projects the FHA supports an orphaned girl in Pakistan, sends Christmas cards to the local TB Hospital, and will be working for UNICEF this Halloween.

The FHA Ball has been a tradition at Mac for the past six years and is the annual formal held in the Fall.

Bids for the Ball will go on sale October 23-October 27 for \$3.50 and only FHA members and their escorts may attend.

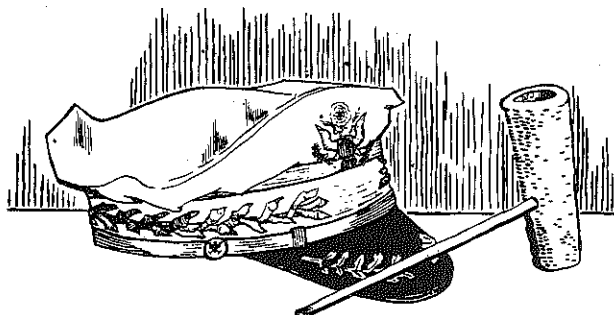
The Ball will begin at 8:00 in the evening with the "Hooker's Green" providing the music.

WOW FHA Beaux, Gary Caswell, John Garner, Bruce Nagel and Steve Wilson prepare for trick-or-treat with many thanks to Gibson's Costumes for all their help.



Photo by Liz Rubinstein

Brahma



Tales

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Annual Shots Begin Nov.6th

Hold it—Click!

November 6 to 9 dawns the activity of photographing student pictures for the annual. This year's pictures will possess a distinct variation from those of last year.

Photographer Fred Harding will be in the auditorium from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. each

day to take student pictures during their Study Hall hour. The price for the sitting is \$1.00, with a balance of \$2.00 to be paid at a later date.

From a choice of three different proofs which will be provided, the one of the individual's choice will be retouched.

Boys are asked to wear coat and tie, and girls, nice dresses.

Picture taking will begin with the seniors on November 6 and will end with freshmen on November 9.

"We want everyone to have their pictures taken by photographer Fred Harding. No personal pictures will be accepted," commented the journalism teacher, Mrs. Jones.

ZOOM

Seen around the Mac track is a certain coach who has found a way to bridge the gap between the older and younger generation.

Word is that he has taken up cycle riding, helmet and all.

It seems though that he hasn't quite caught the hang of it. He fell off.

BRAHMA SALE ENDS OCT. 31

According to the annual staff, there are no tricks to buying an annual on October 31, only treats.

Tuesday will be the final day to secure an annual through the purchase of a publication packet at \$8.50.

To receive *The Brahma*, it is only necessary to pay a down payment of four dollars. The cost of the *Brahma* and the other two publications may be paid in full at that time also.

Songsters Make Choir

Nine students won places in the Regional Choir on Saturday, October 14. Seniors Sarah Robbins, Kathy Hamby, and Holly Dean, Junior Donna Patterson, Sophomores Kerri Kamperman, Tom Butters, James Webster, and Beverly Eldridge, and Freshman David Kamperman have made the first step toward All-State Choir, which will be held this February in Austin.

This year twelve MacArthur students, eight girls and four boys, more than ever before, were sent to the tryouts. Seniors Doreen Fry and Charlotte Marsh are alternates.

The choir members sang Palestrina's "Sanctus" at the tryouts. MacArthur

placed three sopranos, three altos, two tenors and one baritone, who will compete on December 4 for places in the district tryouts. The Regional Choir of 80 voices will sing four numbers as a part of the Youth Symphony Program.

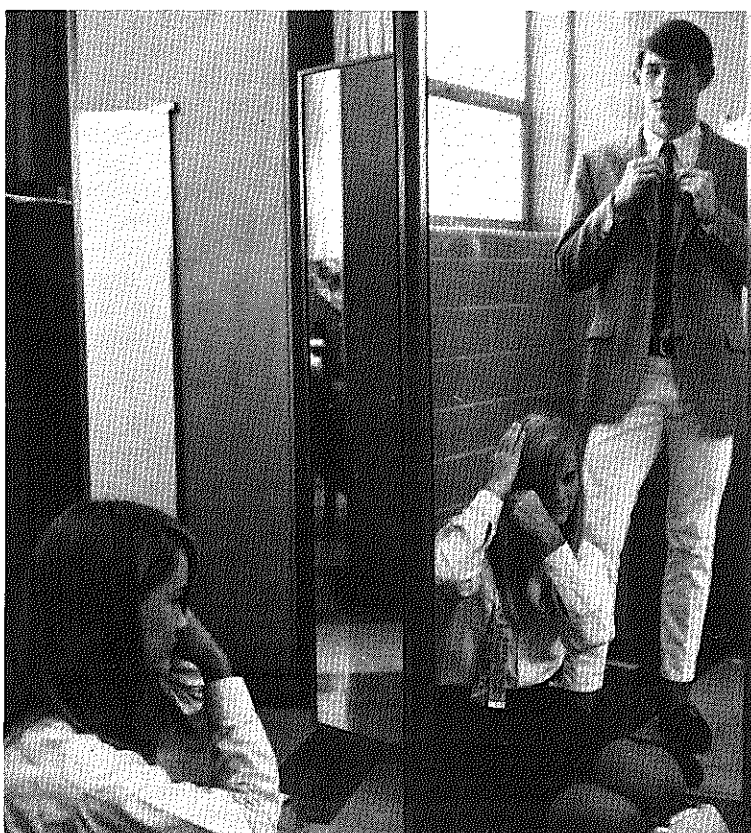
The 32 students chosen in the district tryouts will compete in January to participate in the All-State Choir, for which 16 students will be selected from this district. The All-State Choir will sing at the convention of the Texas Music Educators Association in Austin in January. The choir will have a guest conductor, Dr. Howard Swan, of Occidental College in California.

For one extra dollar, any annual may be personalized, with the owner's name imprinted on the cover in silver. The advisory with 100% of the packets sold will receive this service free.

Commenting on the progress of the annual sales, Zora Speert, editor, remarked, "I'm surprised that the student body is not concerned with the time element in buying an annual. Only six hundred annuals have been sold, and there will be no extra annuals available to buy after the deadline."

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Sarah Hine and Ted Bates "spruce up" for class picture, November 6.

Photo by Liz Rubinstein

Editorials

Vampire Gnats

Are you being eaten alive by a purple-striped, green-eyed, winged monster? If so, you are certainly not alone!

Maybe this monster is not purple-striped, with green eyes, but he is winged. His name is the ever-terrifying "Mr. Mosquito" (or "Miss Mosquito" whichever the case may be).

It seems "Mr. M" takes his "Time to attack" magic pill just about the time the Lassies and the band stagger out to the field each morning. Though many of the participants know "Mr. Mosquito," for some reason, he does not seem to be very popular.

After he has had his fling with the Lassies, he attacks the P.E. classes. He does not limit himself, though, to the outdoors; he gets other transfusions from the rest of the student body and faculty by merely flying through open windows to the nearest victim.

All those people interested in exterminating these pesty pests, contact Getz Gets Em who lives at 9010 Swamp Drive.

What is spirit?

Webster defines spirit as "enthusiastic loyalty."

School Spirit, then, could be defined as enthusiastic loyalty to all school activities. Can we say, truthfully, that MacArthur has that thing . . . "school spirit"?

Let's ask the debate team, the AFS, the golfers, the speech contestants, the annual staff or the newspaper staff.

Last week the Brahma Tales staff published a Spirit Issue as its contribution to Spirit Week, and offered it for sale at 5c. Student purchasing totaled 473 papers and to those students the staff says "Thank You."

But the general student attitude expressed in outbursts like, "Don't buy that, they'll give it way at the end of the year," and "Would you like to buy my copy back?" tend to be more indicative of the support.

The Brahma Tales staff has given away its first two issues at our cost of \$276.00

has distributed its third issue to 621, subscribers, and attempted to sell an Extra, not included in the publications packet.

The total cost of the Extra was \$84.00. Merchants supporting MacArthur advertised in that issue for \$24.00. Sales totaled \$23.65. Total loss on this issue is easy to figure.

It might be compensation for the staff if they could expect occasional good response from their student body. But there is no assurance that support will be forthcoming.

The Brahma Tales staff will do their best to support MacArthur High School. We offer our newspaper services to you.

In return, we ask for your interest. If you haven't reserved a Publications Packet, we ask you to do so.

If you don't know about all of the various student efforts at your school and don't support them, we ask you to do that, too.

L. R.

Reagan Thanks

Dear Miss Rubinstein:

Please allow me this opportunity to express to you and each member of your staff my deep appreciation for the outstanding journalistic effort which was one of the prime factors contributing to the success of our recent bond issue campaign. I hope this experience has provided you with an example of democracy in action. I feel that if citizens will exercise their right and privilege to participate in all phases of government our nation will remain strong. I encourage you to continue in your acceptance of the responsibilities of citizenship in your community, city, state, and nation.

I know that you realize that the acceptance of our proposals is one of the most significant events in the history of our

young district. The successful completion of this improvement program will permit North East to continue its pursuit of excellence in education. The fruits of your labor should be revealed in the lives of thousands of your classmates as well as those young people who will follow you in the future.

Again, "thank you" for a job well done. It is my intention to express this to you personally before the year is over. My best wishes to you in your wonderful life that lies ahead.

Sincerely,

Billy R. Reagan
Superintendent of Schools

P.S. As a special favor, would you convey my appreciation to the entire student body of your school.

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Many Macsters have excelled in various ways during the first six weeks of school. The National Merit Finalists are people we are proud of. They have worked hard and deserve the recognition they have received. The people who got Letters of Commendation, too, worked hard for their honor. MacArthur is noted because of the excellence these students have achieved.

People who made the honor roll show their leadership academically and their drive to make MacArthur known for its brain power as well as its physical power. The members of the Regional Choir are also Macsters that have worked hard to obtain the prestige that goes to them for their efforts. Many hours of studying and practice show how these people care about fulfilling to the best of their abilities the field they want to excel in.

P. S.

Tis but a Dream

By Liz Rubinstein

It was a cold wintery night. The wind lashed at the house as if to blow it down. Not a soul was around except for me.

It was about eleven o'clock when I decided to go to bed. I had been reading till then so I could catch up on the homework I had missed, when I was absent from school with a cold.

Before settling down for the night I checked all the doors to make sure they were locked. Now I could get a good night's rest.

As I remember now, I had only been asleep a couple of hours, when I heard a continuous faint knocking at the door. I thought it was the family home from their trip. But why didn't they use their key?

I got up to answer the door but as I approached the foyer the knocking stopped.

I asked, "Who's there?" but no answer. I climbed upon the couch to see who it might be. No one was there.

I jumped down from the couch and slowly opened the door. Still no one was

there. A piercing gust of wind dashed by me as I closed the door. Chills went up and down my back.

I couldn't breathe, someone was choking me. HELP! I couldn't scream, I tried to fight it off, but my body was paralyzed with fear. I opened my eyes.

There standing at my bedside, with his piercing red eyes, was a horribly deformed creature. He looked like he had been in a fight with his mangled body torn in many places exposing the inner flesh and the red hot blood. The thing was terrifying and frightening.

I jumped from my bed and began to run. It started after me.

Like a tornado I ran around the house uprooting everything in my path. I could almost feel its nails digging into my body. I ran into the bedroom and locked the door. Before I knew it, it had vaporized and slipped under the door and was standing behind me. Its hot breath on my neck sent beads of fire down my back.

I took out like lightning.

Slowly he backed me into the corner of the kitchen. I grabbed a knife and started stabbing and slashing madly at the grotesque object. Just outside the front door my knife made contact. The creature went away screaming.

I slammed the door and locked it. I ran to my bed and huddled, in sobs, under my blankets.

The next thing I remember is waking up in the morning. Oh, what a terrifying nightmare! It was so real, but as I walked around the house there was no sign of disturbance. Everything was in its place.

I thought to myself, what an imagination I had. I promised myself never to let my mind run wild.

I decided to read the morning paper. I bundled up to go outside.

I opened the door and the sun shone in brightly. I walked out the door and stooped to pick up the paper.

There like a nightmare, three footprints . . . in blood.

Test Schedule for October and November

October 31—DIFFERENTIAL APTITUDE TEST (DAT)

A.M.—Soph. Adv. 1-8 (except A band)

P.M.—Soph. Adv. 9-15 (plus A band)

November 1—DIFFERENTIAL APTITUDE TEST (DAT)

A.M.—Soph. Adv. 9-15 (except A band)

P.M.—Soph. Adv. 1-8 (Plus A band)

November 2—MAKE-UPS ON DAT

November 4—CEEBS (Designated Center — MacArthur)

8:30 A.M. — Cafeteria

November 7—SRA—ACHIEVEMENT SERIES

A.M.—Freshman Advisories 1-8

(except A band)

P.M.—Freshman Advisories 9-16
(plus A band)

November 8—SRA—ACHIEVEMENT SERIES

A.M.—Freshman Adv. 9-16 (except A band)

P.M.—Freshman Adv. 1-8 (plus A band)

Happiness Is... Buying From School Store

The school store carries all the frequent needs in school supplies such as notebook and typing paper, pencils, pens, compasses, protractors, erasers, dividers, graph paper and steno notebooks.

Special reference books like the English Reference Book, Hytome Reference Index and the Webster Dictionary Note book can be purchased there; so can workbooks that are required for chemistry, Typing I and II, and bookkeeping and accounting.

Besides the school supplies, the school store also sells long and small sheets of car decals Mac pens, antenna pennants, Mac tablets and spiral notebooks and Senior '69 Dolls.

Located in the store is the

lost and found. Many biology books, articles of clothing and other lost items that have been found this year are waiting to be claimed. All things that are not claimed before the end of the school year will be given away.

All these articles and others can be bought in the morning before school and at lunch.

The Student Council, who sponsors the school store uses the profits to help pay for their many expenses in connection with the TASC presidency. Since a large sum of money will be needed to put on a successful convention and program for next year's candidates, students are urged to support the Student Council by buying at the school store.

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Presiding at the Second Annual "Young Adult Conference on Birth Defects" was Mac's own Mike Burk who is Bexar County Chapter Young Adult Chairman, for the National Foundation—March of Dimes.

The conference was to let teenagers know more about birth defects. This conference was sponsored by the Bexar County Chapter of The National Foundation—March of Dimes.

On the agenda for the conference were special talks given by qualified persons about birth defects. Mrs. Jud Taylor, South Texas Volunteer Advisor, spoke on "The Problem of Birth Defects, Startling Statistics." Warren A. Ross, M.D. from Austin, was very informative on "The Special Child: Early Detection And Treatment of Birth Defects." Before lunch a film, "Texas Centers for Birth Defects," was shown. It gave some cases of children with known birth defects and how they were treated at the hospital and cared for after the detection. Af-

ter the general session that was held, there was a "Panel Discussion, Questions and Answers" with Thomas A. Woods, as the moderator.

Who will be Miss Teena Texas? No one knows, but there are five girls at Mac-Arthur who will vie for the title along with 50 other girls from schools all over San Antonio.

On Saturday, October 14, at the Pusi-Kat, approximately 400 girls from the Alamo City met to try for a position on Joske's Teen Board and the eventual title of Miss Teena Texas.

Mary Beth Watson, Laurie Langston, Sherry Hanks, Denise O'Connor and Sallie Wheeler were selected as representatives from Mac by a panel of judges to serve on the Teen Board.

As members of the Board, the girls will have an opportunity to win the Miss Teena Texas crown. The 67-68 Miss Teena Texas will receive a \$500 scholarship to the college of her choice plus an entire wardrobe from Joske's.

Highlighting the new business of the FTA meeting October 17 was the upcoming election of Miss FTA.

Miss FTA will be chosen from members of the all girl club and, as a contestant for Miss Texas FTA, the Mac representative will be eligible for scholarships.

Also discussed was the mum sale for the Lee Game. The mums will cost \$2.00 or \$2.50, depending on the added decorations. They will be delivered in boxes after school on Friday, November 17.

The Vocational Drafting Department has planned a series of field trips for the students enrolled in the drafting programs, announced Mr. Al Pieper. The trips will be taken by the classes for the purpose of expanding the knowledge of the students in such fields as construction and construction materials.

The field trips will take the classes to cement and concrete plants at which students will learn the basics of the mixture and manu-

facture of these two building materials.

Another field trip will take the students to a limestone crushing plant in Ogden, Texas, so they will be able to view at first hand the way in which this raw material is processed. Still another trip will take the classes to Seguin where they will tour a tile manufacturing plant.

Other field trips will be made by the Vocational Drafting classes to the Southwest Research Foundation's laboratories, San Antonio College's Architectural Department, and to the construction now underway at HemisFair.

Is \$5,000 worth of magazines easy to sell? Ask the members of the band. This was the requirement set in order to reach a goal of \$1,800 profit in its annual fund raising campaign held from October 9 to the 23rd.

The money will be used by the band to pay for the bus transportation and lodging on the annual trip to the Musical Festival.

The MacArthur band has received superior ratings for the past four years in this contest which features bands from five states.

For those interested in figures, the Math Club meets on the third Thursday of every month in room 308. Mr. Keils, sponsor, said active members must have either completed a year in Algebra II or be presently enrolled in an Algebra II class, and have a B average. An interest in math is the only requirement for associate membership.

Who can explain the solution of the innkeeper's problem in the Last Brahma Tales? Mr. Keils is curious.

Officers Mike Essmyer, Martha Newton, Mel Cohen and Susan Alles meet each month to discuss business matters. Future plans include the possibility of membership in the national math fraternity, Mu Alpha Theta.

Small Talk

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PLANS for TASC

This past month a whole new trend in Student Government was introduced to MacArthur. A student Assembly was set up by the Student Council to be composed of club presidents, advisory presidents and Student Council members, the purpose of which is to bring students' problems out in the open so a more successful effort may be made to alleviate them. Many difficult situations may now be avoided by listening to the views and suggested solutions of the Assembly.

As President of TASC, the MacArthur student body has a momentous job before it. Many responsibilities have been heaped upon its shoulders and already the load has lightened due to the many exciting plans being considered by our Student Council.

Its main project, and the most important is still deep in the planning stages. If it becomes a reality, it will be held in June 1968 on the Trinity campus and consist of TASC members and Texas AFS Foreign Students. They will compose a Simu-

lated U.N. Assembly, its purpose being to discuss the major world problems, especially those aimed at young adults.

Mac Arthur has also been chosen to host the Texas Conference of Student Councils to be held April 4-6, 1968. It's our job to get the speakers, plan the program, and house the visiting delegates. Roosevelt High School is to be the home base.

The MacArthur Chapter of TASC plans this year to establish a journal which will be distributed to the 700 Student Council members in Texas. It will cover all the news bulletins from the State Association and will also feature articles by the different participating schools.

In addition to the journal, the Student Council will also try to develop a safety program not unlike the Alamo Heights branch. Materials and facilities will be available to all State Student Council districts to enable them to stage similar Safety Programs throughout the state.

SMALL TALK — Continued from page 3

The aroma of milk chocolate, the crunching of candy bars, and the rustling of empty candy wrappers will be sensed and sighted in the school during November.

Sophomore class president, Ted Alexander, has received the stamp of approval to conduct the sale of Nestle's candy bars as a class money-making project.

This will be the class' second money making project. The first was a September Coke sale.

After the Highlands football game, the evening of October 27, a Sophomore

Class sponsored dance will be held.

On Wednesday, September 27, the French Club, sponsored by Mrs. Adelia Moynihan, elected its officers for the 1967-68 school year. The results are Richard Oakey, President; Mary Cole, as Vice-President; Cindy Ince, Secretary; Kathy Couser, counting in as Treasurer; and Nancy Rumbel as Reporter.

Many exciting activities are planned for the coming year for members of the French Club.

One big event in store, is that of the French Sympo-

Library Gets 300 New Books

During the month of September, over 300 new books were processed and put on the library shelves.

Many new books have been acquired just for pleasure reading in all categories. These include books of fiction, science fiction, teenage stories and philosophical books.

Two of many geography books are *Canada: The Uneasy Neighbor* and *This is Antarctica*.

Worlds Without End and *Of Time & Space & Other Things* are informative pieces of work in the science category.

Students taking government classes will be interested in the following titles. *Ideas of American Foreign Policy*, *Freedom, When?*, *Equal Justice Under Law*, *Supreme Court in American History*, and *United Nuclear Navy*.

Sea Years of Joseph Conrad and *Language on Vacation* are two new books to help students in the English language, both literature and grammar.

The Newspaper, Propaganda Comes of Age, *Peace Corps and Press in the Jury Box* help to explain phases of civics.

History, from ancient to the present, is covered in the new books. *Rome of the Caesars*, *Pioneer America*, *War Within a War* and *Missile Crisis* explain the events of long ago to recent times. *The Crippled Tree*, by Han Suyin is very interesting and informative both in China's geography and history.

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The Photography Club clicked off the 67-68 school year by holding an impromptu meeting Monday night, October 16, to improve darkroom techniques.

Conducting the demonstration was Mr. Finch, camera club sponsor. Six students were on hand to observe the "hows" and "how-nots" of printing and enlarging.

Regular meetings of the Photography Club are held each second Tuesday of the month. Admission to the meetings will be a photograph taken by the member to be entered in a monthly contest among the members of the club.

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The Editors of the BRAHMA TALES and the BUGLE CALL, of MacArthur and Lee high schools respectively, have been cited for their proficiency in the field of student journalism.

The Interscholastic League Press Conference favored MacArthur's Elizabeth Rubenstein, October 17, with a Proficiency Citation for her editorial on LSD in the September 5 issue of BRAHMA TALES.

Max R. Haddick, ILPC Director, lauds this editorial, "Mind Expanding Drugs A Threat to Youth," as "interesting, clear, and useful." Elizabeth presently holds the position of Editor in Chief of the BRAHMA TALES.

The San Antonio Press Club awarded a journalism scholarship, October 20, to Sharon Edmunds, Editor in Chief of Lee High School's BUGLE CALL. Miss Edmunds received the \$500.00 scholarship during an SAPC meeting at the Pearl Corral.

The San Antonio Press Club is composed of many professional journalists from the San Antonio area. This year's endowment marks the ninth anniversary of the club's annual bestowal.

Miss Edmunds, a senior at Lee, plans to major in journalism while attending Southern Methodist University.

Student Congress Held

Taking high honors at a two day Student Congress at T.M.I. were Chris Caran, Kathy McHugh, Tom Quirk, Ronnie Wong, James Bibb, and Zia Gipson.

Participating with students from ten other schools at the workshop on parliamentary procedure, our representatives got one bill passed out of the three bills which reached the floor.

Individually, Chris was rated superior in committee, Kathy, Tom, and Ronnie rated excellent in com-

mittee, and James and Zia rated excellent on the floor.

Other Mac Students attending this October 21, 22, workshop were Margaret McCracken, Ann Bence, Pat Carlson and Jeff Harmon.

Students interested in participating in a Student Congress should contact Mrs. Pat Gartman in Room 512.

"Many of our representatives in government got their experience at a Student Congress," noted Mrs. Gartman.

Towering Possibilities

Teen-agers are proverbial job-hunters, and San Antonio's teens have probably thought of jobs at HemisFair. This reporter decided to look into the details of jobs at the fair and the following story resulted.

Thousands of job opportunities are opening up at HemisFair for people with the right qualifications. What are these qualifications and how will the typical high school student fit in?

SUMMER JOBS

The jobs that most MacArthur graduates would be interested in would be in the summer, but Mr. B. F. Agee, the Personnel Manager of HemisFair, said that no summer job could be guaranteed at the present. The outcome of the fair will determine how many extra part-time and full time help will be hired. These jobs

would consist of ticket booths, concessions, gift shops, rides, and extra jobs in the private pavillions such as ushers.

BASIC REQUIREMENTS

The four main requirements are as follows: the desirable employee would have to be eighteen years of age at a minimum, a high school graduate, and be able to work from the first of April to the end of October. The only job that requires two languages would be hostess work in one of the foreign pavillions. The age limit for the job of hostess would be 20 to 24 years.

These positions will only be offered if the Fair hits its high time in the summer months. If you are interested in summer employment, it may be wise to send your applications in for an interview.

Tyros Tutor Teachers

Six juniors from Mrs. D'Ann Stall's English III class will participate in a program on KLRN-TV Channel 9 demonstrating

the use of transformational grammar. Mrs. Stall and a member of the Roosevelt faculty will act as teachers while the students will portray themselves. The program is designed to aid teachers by showing them the "HOWS" of teaching transformational grammar.

The "students" on the program will be Marcy Prince, Harry Edwards, Ann-Lynn Shackleford, Gini Criswell, Janet Summers and Kathy Vinklerek. It may be seen this afternoon at 3:45 and on Thursday night at 9:15 P.M.

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Edison Boxed

Edison High School's junior varsity football team fell prey to the Brahma J. V.'s, October 5, 18-0. The game was played on MacArthur's field.

John Garner highlighted the first half as he caught a Steve Collins pass to count.

Second half honors go to Brahma Doug Andrews who recovered an Edison fumble and later intercepted an unbearable pass. Andrews' actions brought about another Garner touchdown.

The victory over Edison rendered MacArthur's junior varsity record 3-4-1.

BRAHMAS THROTTLE OWLS

BOOST Record 4-1

The eve of October 27, MacArthur's Brahma's clouted the Owls of Highlands 22-19. MacArthur's and Highlands' records are now equal at four wins and an done loss each.

Joey Baker of Highlands cast the first stone early in the first quarter on a 50-yard pass from Terry Peel. Peel converted and hiked the count to 7-0, Highlands.

Rick Oberlies and Mike Cole racked up 56 yards in the second quarter, setting the scene for Charles Mahone to bang over for the tally. Mike Bunger, on the good old fake kick trick, went over for a two point conversion, 8-7 Brahmas.

Later in the second quarter, Dan Terwelp blocked an Owl punt. Bunger then passed to Terwelp, who wrestled over two defenders for the TD. Don Haines kicked the point, raising the roofbeam, 15-7.

Peel of Highlands passed to Mike Robinson for the last score of the half. The conversion attempt failed, 15-13.

Receiving the second half kick-off, the Owls sent 220 pounder Charles Barnes over for a bull's-eye endowing Highlands with a temporary four point lead.

Gary McCaffrey handled a Highlands fumble, allowing Mike Cole, 4 plays later, to streak six yards to pay dirt. Haines converted. MacArthur kept the ball on the ground till the game's end and ousted the Owls 22-19.

First Downs	17	14
Passes	8-15	5-14
Fumbles Lost	4	2

Beginning last week end, North East Swimming Pool will be open to the public from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. The heated pool is located in the Virgil T. Blossom Athletic Center at 1503 Bitters Road and admission is 50c for adults and 25c for students.

Fins Pick Pilots

New captains and a new coach grace the girls swimming team this year.

Susan Alles and Joc Truet, seniors, are the captains who were elected the week of September 11 by popular vote of the team members.

Lee Slips By

THE L E E VOLUNTEERS slipped by MacArthur's junior varsity on October 14, 10-6.

Lee advanced early in the first quarter when they bingoesd from the five yard line. A successful conversion rendered the tally 8-0.

Gene Hickey caused Lee to involunteerily surrender six points during the second half. The Brahmas' conversion attempt then failed, clipping the count 10-6.



David Ylitalo (23) looks on as Mike Bunger (25) stretches a point during Jefferson game. Photo by Charlie Mims

Mr. Don Deal will be coaching both boys and girls swimming teams. From Los Angeles, California. Coach Deal was a member of that city's Aquatic Club.

Miss Marla McCarty, Girls Physical Education teacher is the MacArthur sponsor again this year.

The Boys Swimming Team is off to a "splashing" start with the election of their two new captains.

Rick Denman, captain, and Houston Browning, co-captain, have been elected for the 67-68 season. Both captains are lettermen along with three others, Court Thieleman, Dusty Randolph and Jim Kerly.

Coach Carter is the sponsor and a new coach, Mr. Don Deal, will be working with the boys' team.

Out of a total team of 24, Twelve are new members. This group meets from 2:30 to 4:00, while the lettermen and more experienced swimmers will be meeting from 4:00 to 6:00.

J.V.'s Turn Central

CENTRAL CATHOLIC'S FOOTBALL team kneeled to the MacArthur junior varsity, October 12, 39-8.

Teddy Watson, Bill Barnhill, Bob Berry, John Garner and Rick Shelton insured the victory.

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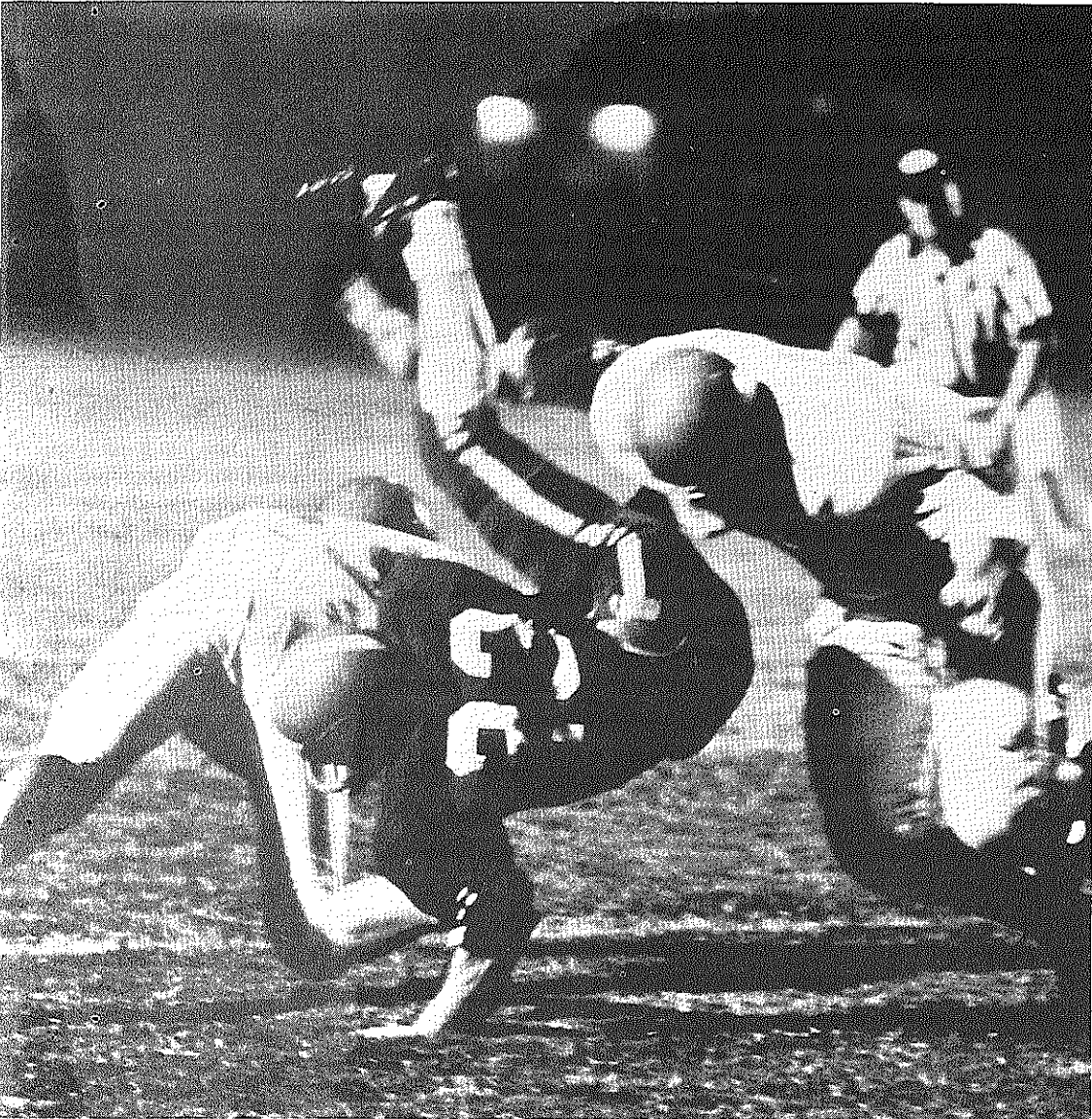
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David Ylitalo (23) hit hard by Jefferson defenders.

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Brahmas Trample Jeff, Hold District Chance

By Mark Maxfield

MacArthur's hopes for the district title were kept alive last Friday night as the Brahmas dominated the Jefferson Mustangs to a resounding 21 to 6 victory.

Tim Alexander's recovery of a Jefferson fumble deep in Mustang territory after the opening kickoff set up a well guided touchdown drive by Mike Bunger who carried the ball in for the tally from the 10 yard line. Don Haines' conversion kick was good to make the score 7 to 0.

The Mustangs were unable to move against the quickly closing MacArthur defensive line and were forced to punt soon after they received the ball on the next kickoff. After eight plays covering 40 yards the Brahmas again drew blood from the Jefferson defense by scoring on an 11 yard end sweep by wing back Mike Cole. Once again the conversion kick was good and the first quarter closed with MacArthur in the lead 14 to 0.

The Brahmas were about to score 10 seconds from the end of the half when a pass from Mike Bunger was intercepted by David Fluitt of the Jefferson defense. In wide-eyed disbelief MacArthur fans looked on as the Jefferson player raced 97 yards for a touchdown virtually untouched. The unsuccessful attempt made by Jefferson for the extra point made the score 14 to 6 in favor of the Brahmas at halftime.

Early in the third quarter, Rick Oberlies fell on a Jefferson fumble on the Mustang's 33 yard line. The final MacArthur touchdown of the evening was made eight plays later on a three yard end sweep by Mike Bunger. The kick for the extra point, although made more difficult by a penalty against MacArthur, was made by Dan Haines making the score 21 to 6.

The Mustangs were able to mount only two offensives which could be considered strong drives against the savage fury of the brutally efficient Brahma defense. The Jefferson defense, however, remained a stubborn and unyielding unit which frustrated a good many of MacArthur's drives.

The brilliant and powerful ground campaign which MacArthur was able to mount against Jefferson's defense was led by the hard running of fullback Charles Mahone who managed to account for 107 of 246 yards in the rusing category.

	Jeff	Mac
First downs	7	16
Rushing yardage	90	246
Passing yardage	45	65
Return yardage	181	59
Passes	4-7-0	5-8-1
Punts	4-44	3-41.3
Fumbles lost	3	0
Penalties	3-30	3-35

Mac Tracksters Triumph

MacArthur, Roosevelt, and Churchill High Schools crossed swords in the fierce competition of a cross country meet Saturday, October 14 here at MacArthur. The participants ran in three divisions; varsity, junior varsity, and boy's P.E. MacArthur came out on top in all three divisions.

Bringing home the honors for MacArthur's varsity were Bill Ray in first place and Pete Johnston in second place. Other Macsters placing highly in the race were Mike Essmeyer, Dan Somerville, and Mike Larkin.

First place in junior varsity division went to Bill Spence, third place to Hal Vagtborg, fourth place to Chad McHugh, seventh place to Phil Babel, and tenth place to Tom Berry.

Gary Swimmang won first place in P.E. division. Second place went to Ray Dunham.

The next meet will be held at 10 a.m. October 21, at San Antonio College.

Churchill Stopped

The MacArthur Junior Varsity football team Met the Churchill High School J. V. on September 28 on Churchill's field. Mac's J. V. triumphed, 14-0.

An early pass interception by Ken Pape enabled Vince Covert moments later to steal 32 Churchill yards to the 1. Kevin McMaughan shot across the line to grab a 6-0 Brahma lead. Covert then converted for 2.

A tough Brahma line held back all Charger attempts through the second half.

During the fourth quarter Billy Gremmel bagged a wayward Churchill pass and scored the last counter of the game. The conversion attempt failed, but the score proved ample, 14-0.

Netters Rehearse

This week, members of the tennis team will be engaged in practice matches with neighboring district schools as arranged by Coach Frantzen.

Coach Frantzen, presently scheduling matches, is waiting for confirmation of a Roosevelt contest within the next few days.

Six boys and six girls will compose a group of two doubles and four singles.

Moseley Hopeful

Two months of steady school practice plus summer practice have put the basketball team in top shape for their first game against Holmes on November 21.

"The team is further ahead right now than they have ever been in the past years," states Coach Moseley, varsity basketball coach. The team practices every day from 2:30 to 8:30, six days a week. In addition, all team members have worked very hard this summer practicing on their own, according to Moseley.

The 1968 team includes lettermen Bruce Nagel, Roger Crosier, (centers) Mike Stephens, Steve Beck, Glen Perkins, and Ron Means (guards and forwards). Bruce Nagel and Roger Crosier are the captains for the coming season.

Other players on the team include Jeff Burwell, John Pond, Rick Celaya, Thad

Ziegler, Bret Cottam, Mike Davis and Charles Cardenas.

Coach Moseley feels that the team has a good chance district if it hurdles Jefferson and Alamo Heights.

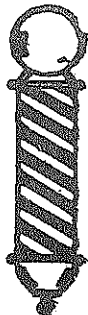
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