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Academy to Undergo Evaluation Next Spring by Middle States Association

Next Spring Farragut is going to be evaluated by a committee representing the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The Asosciation's certification is one of the highest honors that may be bestowed on a school.

Middle States is the School's regional accrediting association and its function is to visit, evaluate, and certify that a school is doing the calibre of work which, as fully as possible, meets the needs and develops the potential of the student body.

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The school is evaluated with regard to its own education philosophy, based upon its individual needs. In our case this stamp of approval accredits Farragut to the colleges to which its students apply.

The maximum time between evaluations is ten years. This is to insure against the standards of a school declining after they have been cartified.

clining after they have been certified. The school is evaluated in six basic areas. They are: The school's educational philosophy, the academics, the student activities, the physical plant, the library, and the guidance system.

In addition, each member of the faculty must complete a self-analysis form. This form requires the teacher to state his educational background, his work load, the type of teaching he employs, and his past experience. Also, the evaluation board attends at least one of each teacher's classes, in order to check the teacher's statements about his method of teaching.

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Farragut has been subjected to this evaluation before, and the Headmaster, Captain Raven O. Dodge, has said, "I have no concerns at all, for it is not a new experience for us."

Corps Completes Fall Schedule of Parades

The Corps of Cadets participated in its annual fall parades with the Third Company starting the season by winning the first parade on October 18. This parade was reviewed by the Academic Board. Fate took a turn on the following Sunday and the Second Company won, the parade being reviewed by the Battalion Commander. This parade was of special interest, for it took place on Parents' Day. On November 1 the First Company took its turn at testing victory and won. The following Sunday the Second Company won again. This was a special parade, for it was reviewed by Captain Perry, the commanding officer of Lakehurst. The Third Company won the final parade on October 15.

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"The parades were of a very high calibre this year," Captain P. C. Crosley, Director of Naval Science, reported, "and all hands are to be congratulated."

Parents' Day Held Oct. 25; 600 Attend

On Sunday, October 25, Farragut sponsored its annual Parents' Day. This day is looked forward to by many Cadets, for in many cases it is the first time they have seen their parents since the beginning of school.

As usual, the day began with the chapel services at 0945. During the service Cadets T. Travis, T. Tyler, F. Mandia, and J. Bunnell were inducted into the Cum Laude Society. Reverend A. G. VanDyke, the school chaplain, conducted the services.

Also, as part of the services, a Hammond organ, donated by Mrs. John Ireland Brush, was dedicated to the memory of her late husband. A beautiful organ, it will be housed permanently in the DuPont Hall Auditorium

After the chapel services, the parents attended a meeting of the Association. After this session, Catain Dodge held a special meeting for the parents of first classman. He spoke on the important subject of college admissions.

After these two meetings were concluded the decks were opened for inspection and the parents visited their sons' rooms. Then the cadets whose parents were at school were permitted to dine out with them.

At 1:30 p.m. all of the teachers were in their respective rooms, and parents were encouraged to visit with their sons' advisors, as well as any other teacher they might want to see.

At 4:00 p.m. the Corps paraded for their guests. Upon the conclusion of the parade the cadets were free to dine out with their parents until 7:15 p.m., when evening study hall began.

A great point of interest during the day was the Emma C. Berry, the oldest sailing ship in the world, which is presently berthed here at Farragut and which was open for inspection for all visitors.

Corps Hears Tyrolean Song and Dance Program

On Saturday, Sept. 26, the Corps was entertained by a singing group from Austria known as the Tyroleans. During the course of the evening they sang and danced to many of their native tunes. They were dressed in the picturesque costumes of their native lands, and told the Corps the meaning of history of each costume. The quartet consisted of students about thirty years old who were working for degrees in different fields in this country.

At the end of the program there were two curtain calls.

Inter-Company Standings (As of November 30)

FIRST COMPANY 309 SECOND COMPANY ... 364 THIRD COMPANY 305

R. Hughes '66 Takes Academic Honors

Cadet Roger L. Hughes, Jr., a Second Classman, took top academic honors, according to an order released on November 27, by earning a 96.5% average. He was followed by two Cadets, Jeffrey Grossman and Robert C. Micklewright, who tied for second place with averages of 92%.

Hughes, who lives in Clearfield, Pa., was an outstanding defensive player on the varsity football team this fall, and he is currently trying for a starting berth on the wrestling team. He is a member of the 2nd Co.

Micklewright is a First Classman, lives in Toms River, N. J., is in the 3rd Co., played varsity football, and is a member of the Glee, Chapel, and Dramatics Clubs.

Grossman, 2nd Classman, is from West Caldwell, N. J. He is in the 2nd Co., and is a member of the Hop Committee and the Dramatics and Chapel Clubs.

Cadets passing all subjects with an average of 80% or more, are:

*FIRST CLASS — Siegeltuch, Bunnell, Tummons, Travis, Scott, Bower, McGee, Weisleder, Hode, Alvarado, (Continued on page 2)

Alumni Observe Day At "AFA"—Oct. 31st

October 31 marked the date of this year's fall Alumni Homecoming Day, and Dame Fate smiled happily on the large number of returning graduates who once again visited the campus to take in the day-long schedule of events. In the words of Alumni Secretary W.

In the words of Alumni Secretary W. Masciangelo, the Day was a perfect one from every point of view. Mr. Masciangelo added that the ingredients of glorious weather, the 20-7 victory over Pingry School, and the number of guests on hand, were factors that would make any reunion a successful one.

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The day began with registration in Farragut Hall at 10:00 a.m., followed by the annual meeting of the Association in DuPont Hall at 11:30. At this session retiring president Wm. A. Bruno Jr., '45, gave his report of the 1963-64 alumni year, Captain R. O. Dodge, Headmaster, reminisced by citing the many improvements and changes that had taken place during the twenty years of his administration, and the election of a new set of officers and class trustees to the 1964-66 Executive Board was held. Reverend Robert C. Bonar '37 delivered both the Benediction and the Invocation, while Mr. Masciangelo (of the Class of 1937) read a statement of assets of the Association for the benefit of the audience.

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Walter B. Hutchinson '35 took over
the presidency from Mr. Bruno just
before the meeting ended and pledged
to continue the good work that had
heen accomplished before him. A moment of silent prayer was also observed
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BUSY SCENE — Parents shown registering and joining the Farragut Parents' Association on October 25 are part of the large numbers who were on hand for the annual Fall Day. Photo was taken in the DuPont Hall Lobby.

Six New Members Added to Faculty

Farragut's faculty was reinforced this year by six new members, two each to the science and English departments and one each to the language and history departments. These new men all have a fine educational background, and will contribute greatly to the Corps.

Mr. Z. Farag is the new biology teacher. He was born and raised in Cairo, Egypt. He studied in Lebanon and came to America to finish his studies. He obtained his Master's degree at the University of Maryland and hopes to earn his Doctorate soon. Mr. Farag and his wife plan to make the United States their home. In his leisure time Mr. Farag dabbles in photography, cycling, water sports, and classical and chamber music.

Mr. Cameron Fisher is the new World History instructor. Originally, Mr. Fisher taught at Fairleigh-Dickinson University. Recently, he spent three years in Iran, working with the under-privileged. He is also an ordained minister. He came to Farragut in order to return to the field of teaching. Before settling down to teaching, Mr. Fisher played semi-pro baseball and had the honor of turning a Yankee contract down. Finally, it is pertinent to the Corps that Mr. Fisher is the proud father of four charming daughters.

The new Spanish teacher is Mr. Raphael Laserna. He was born in Madrid, Spain. He attained his BA and BS at the University of Madrid. While at the University, he played soccer. Also, during his college career he raced sports cars for the Alfeo-Romeo Company. After college he attended the Army University, which is equivalent to our reserve program Mr. Laserna has adjusted well to the U. S. and to Farragut, as is evidenced by the many Cadets who list him as one of their favorite teachers.

Mr. Charles Loeber, the new physics teacher, is perhaps the gayest of all the new teachers. After having attended the U. S. Merchant Marine Academy he is very much at home at Farragut, and in many ways, such as Saturday afternoon basketball games, fits in more like a Cadet, than a member of the facutly. Academically speaking, Mr. Loeber has done six years undergraduate work in physics, and holds a Bachelor's degree in that subject. He is also a member of the Naval Reserve. This summer he plans to sail with the Merchant Marine, but he will continue teaching in the fall.

Mr. Larry Smith, the new English III teacher, is the youngest member of the faculty at the age of 24. He is a native of North Carolina and studied at Davidson College. He did graduate work in philosophy and English at the University of Buffalo. Also, he studied abroad in France. He worked as a substitute teacher in Philadelphia before coming to Farragut. Here at Farragut, Mr. Smith is active in the Dramatics and Debating Clubs. Mr. Smith is to be comended for the zeal he has displayed in his work.

Major James Walker, new English II teacher, previously taught at Staunton Military Academy, in Virginia. Speaking of Virginia, Major Walker did graduate work at the University thereof. Here at Farragut he is very active in extra-curricular activities. He is domitory supervisor of DuPont Hall and head of the Dramatics Club. Strangely enough for a man of his charm, Major Walker is still single. Much to his dismay, Major Walker is well liked, primarily because he

has a habit of "accidentally" doing such nice things as giving the cast of the Dramatics Club a party. Aside from his rotund joviality, he is most noted for his Mustang by the Corps.

Bainton Appointed Top Capstan Spot

This year's Capstan staff is headed by veteran member John Bainton, who will assume the duties of Editor for the current school term. He will be assisted at the various key positions on the staff by A. Aldi, Managing Editor; B. Greenspan, Sports Editor; G. Bell, News Editor; F. Mandia, Humor Editor; E. Siegeltuch, Features Editor; C. Cloud, Photography Editor, and W. Olinger, Distribution Manager.

Staff reporters include F. O'Barski. F. Ambrose, D. Koza, R. Sugermeyer, G. Hancock, D. Winer, T. Travis, F. Fox, D. Calve, R. Bower, and R. Rosen.

The Capstan is prepared and mailed to all members of the Alumni Association, to Past Parents, and Present Parents, prospective students, and to a large number of friends and exchange schools. It is distributed to all members of the Corps here at the Academy. The approximate circulation is 5300 copies.

LCDR W. Masciangelo and Mr. John Noble are the advisors.

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for the sixty-nine known Farragut Alumni who are deceased. Each of their names was listed on the program of the meeting.

Facilities of the Academy were opened to visitors between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., and the Alumni Luncheon was held in the Fararagut Hall Reception Room at 12:30 p.m. Mesdames W. K. Russell, R. O. Dodge, N. F. Reinhard, F. S. Guy, and W. R. Masciangelo were hostesses at this event.

At 1:30 p.m. a photograph was taken of those Alumni from the special reunion classes, after which all grads assembled and marched to the football field, where they reviewed a special parade by the Corps of Cadets. Of interest this year were the paper, foreand-aft hats made by the Corps and



GOOD LUCK — Retiring Association president Bill Bruno '45 (right) transfers gavel of office to newly elected president Walt Hutchinson '35 at the annual meeting on Oct. 31.

worn by the Alumni during this particular event.

Presentations of awards and gifts were made immediately following the parade, and included:

(1) the Alumni Long Distance Award—to Rogelio Carillo '59, Caracas, Venezuela, and M. Robert Frazier, Clemson, N. C.

(2) the Theobald Alumni Fund Trophy — awarded to Walter B. Hutchinson '35 for the Class having the highest percentage of participation in the 17th Alumni Fund, and presented to him by the trophy donor, George Theobald '39.

(3) a set of new National colors and a School flag to the Academy, presented by Mr. Bruno to the Headmaster.

After the victory over the Pingry School and an interesting half-time skit, Alumni gathered at the Ye Olde Cedar Inn for the traditional Post Game Huddle, From 5:30 until 9:30 p.m. there was informal dining and dancing. Prizes were also awarded during this particular time.

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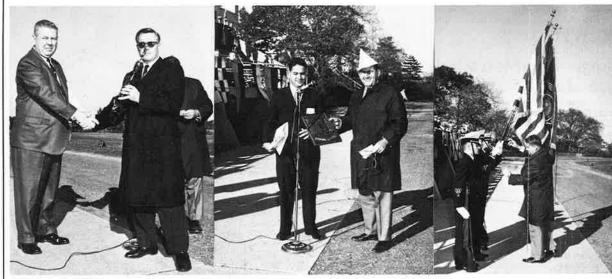
Mandia, Winer, Brothers, Brown, B. C., Hinkle, Aldi, Grimaldi, W., Meagher, Wedekind, Wise, Dunne, Isbrandtsen, Williams, R. Sasso, Basley, Vollherbst, and Bainton.

*SECOND CLASS—Donbroski, Uribe, Kohn, DiPane, Jones, B. Price, Statts, Swaab, Good, Lorenz, Sugermeyer, Rohde, McGeoch, Livoti, Williams, J. Winslow, Gettschling, McCormick, Beard, Bechtel, Malzone, Pforsich, McCann, Sandford, Calve, Rinderenz Huff, W. H. Stevens, Kinemond, Sutton, Ginter, Howe, and Skiba.

*THIRD CLASS — Laler, Fisher, Bedford, Whitehill, Read, Iliades, Walker, Tribble, Dilzer, R. J. Garcia, Kaiv, Sissler, De Seta, Weisbecker, Giles, Wolfe, Wynkoop, Copenhaver, Ciasulli, Citta, and Nilsen.

*FOURTH CLASS—Zekowski, Yoho, Fernandez, Rabida, Buckman, Cantore, Pearsall, Spania, Chasko, Shulimson, Fitzgerald, McNiel, Cramer, Grimaldi, S., and Huff, W. I.

*Listed according to Class Standing.



AWARD TIME — Awards made during the Alumni Homecoming Day parade included (1) George Theobald '39 is shown presenting Theobald Fund Trophy to Walt Hutchinson '35 who, as Class Trustee for his Class produced the highest percentage of participation with an 88% record. (2) President Bill Bruno '45 congratulates Rogelio Carrillo '59 for winning the long distance award by returning from Caracus, Venezuela. (3) A new set of colors and school flag is presented to the Academy by President Bruno as gift from the Alumni Association.

'65 Trident Has High | Four Inducted Into **Hopes for Edition**

The 1965 Trident is well underway under the direction of Tom Travis, editor. Already, the members of the Corps have had their individual pictures taken, as well as many other candid shots by a professional. This year's pictures are excellent as a group. LCDR. W. Masciangelo, faculty advisor, says, "This year's set of proofs is the best I've seen in twenty years of working for the Trident."

Many pictures are yet to be taken of clubs and athletic teams. Any cadet who might have taken a good picture of some Farragut function, even if it's only a picture of a "bull session," is urged to show the picture to Cadet R. Rosen, the photography editor, in hopes of it being included in the annual.

This year's staff is as follows: Editorin-Chief, Tom Travis; Assistant Editor-in-Chief, George Bell; Managing Edi-tor, Eric Siegeltuch; Photography Edi-tor, Bob Rosen; Sports Editor, Andy Aldi; Business Manager, Rich Bower; Assistant Business Manager, Jay Pen-dleton; Advertising Manager, Frank Mandia; Assistant Advertising Mana-ger, Dan Winer; Promotion Manager, Bob Williams; and Circulation Man-ager Cary Hancock ager, Gary Hancock.

Any Cadet who knows of someone who might be interested in advertising in the Trident, should contact Cadet Mandia, for it is absolutely necessary to obtain these ads in order to be finan-cially capable of sending the "Trident"

"Puns" Describe New Improvements

This past September, when the old Cadets returned to Farragut, they no-ticed many new improvements.

Last year, the Class of 1964 had the "bright" idea of trying to "shed a new light' on the campus by presenting the School with two old fashioned street lamps. They were to be placed at each end of the walk in front of Dupont Hall. In addition to these two, the School added eight more lamps of the same style, which were placed along the walk between the football field and the tennis courts. They have field and the tennis courts. They have also "paved the way" to better formations by re-cementing the general formation area.

Farragut must have been in a very romantic mood because they "courted" the Clark Hall Gymnasium with a new tile floor, replacing the old cement one. They also painted the exterior of Robison Hall, the main gymnasium. The former method of eating was a real "mess," However, it is all "in ""." line" now because a new cafeteria style was installed. This way of dining is much faster, easier and fairer than it was before.

Probably the biggest improvement that has been "seen or heard" is the new Audio Visual unit in the basement of Shepard Hall. It contains a television set, stereo radio, tape re-corder and a phonograph. It also has an automatic screen for showing movies or slides. Donated by the Parents' As-sociation, it was used for the informal dance held on October 24th.

Despite these feeble attempts at puns, all these improvements are greatly ap-preciated by the Corps of Cadets which would like to express its gratitude toward those who made these improvements possible.

Cum Laude Society

During the chapel services on Parents' Day, October 25, four new members were inducted in to the Cum Laude Chapter here at Farragut. They were Cadets Frank Mandia, Thomas Tyler, John Bunnell, and Thomas Travis.

Cum Laude was established in 1938 to recognize scholastic excellence on a secondary school level. It is com-parative to Phi Beta Kappa at the college level. The Society is very selective in deciding in which schools to establish their chapters. Farragut was given its chapter in 1960, and it is one of only three military schools in the Country that has a chapter.

Members are chosen not only for their academic achievement, but their general character as well. However, to be eligible for admittance in the fall, the candidate must rank in the top ten per cent of his class.

During the graduation exercises in June additional members will be inducted. They will have to meet the

same requisites as their predecessors, however, they will be permitted to rank in the top twenty per cent of their

Cum Laude is one of the high points of Farragut and it helps to encourage an attitude of scholastic excellence.

Academy Adds New Bus To Fleet; Seats Twenty

Among the changes around campus Among the changes around campus is the replacement of the conveyor which the Corp of Cadets knew as the "Blue Angel". The new bus is made by Chrysler Corp. and has a seating capacity of 20. Along with the increase in seating, comfort has also been improved to make the long trips more proved to make the long trips more desirable for the passengers. It goes without saying that this addition to the method of transportation at the Academy will be greatly appreciated by the entire Corps.

The new bus joins the fleet of vehicles, which now includes a large 40 passenger bus, a Volkswagon (9 passenger), a 15-passenger Dodge Conveyer, plus two trucks and two smaller vehicles for maintenance works.



HONORED — Cadets Tom Travis, Tom Tyler, Frank Mandia, and John Bunnell receive congratulations from Captain R. O. Dodge, Headmaster, and Captain N. F. Reinhard, Director of Activities, after being inducted into the Cum Laude Chapter on Oct. 25. All are First Classmen.

Three Cadets To Try For West Point

The Headmaster announced on Nov. 10 that Cadets Robert M. W. Eadie, Ian J. Ferris, and Thomas W. Tyler have been designated to compete for appointment to the U.S. Military Academy under the provi-sions established for Honor Naval Schools.

All of the candidates are First Classmen and all will have been here two or more years at the end of the current school term.



TAPS — Cadet Robert Sugermeyer plays taps at Veterans Day ceremony held at the George P. Vanderveer Post, Toms River, on Nov. 11.

Parents' Program for 1964-65 Is Adopted

If members of the Farragut Parents' Association are successful in all of their scheduled ventures during the 1964-65 school year, the Corps will be in for a round of benefits that should add immeasurably to the School, as well.

At the fall business meeting of the Association on October 25, Judge A. M. Livoti, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, offered the following proposals, which were subsequently approved by the general membership in attendance: in attendance:

(1) to purchase three new stations for the foreign languages laboratory in Clark Hall; (2) to appropriate a minimum of \$500 to the Headmaster's Discretionary Fund for his unrestricted use in applying it for the express benefit of the Cadets Corps; (3) increase athletic facilities, such as an outdoor basketball area, batting cage, and out-door skating rink; (4) purchase an electric scoreboard for the football field; and (5) upgrade and improve the Upper Athletic Field.

In making the proposal Judge Livoti asked Parents themselves to show school spirit, for if they do, it will generate to all Cadets in the Corps. He stated that Admiral Farragut Academy is a great school, and since it is, why not lend a little effort and help raise the money for the benefit of the School and the Corps.

Judge Livoti stated that the Ways and Means Committee hopes to raise the estimated \$11,000 to meet the approved objectives via the Christmas Dance for Parents, a June Ball Dance for Parents, membership fees, and the possible raffling of a 1965 Cadillac. Judge and Mrs. Livoti are also hosting their own Cocktail Party and Dance in New York for the benefit of the program.

Individualism at Farragut

In this present world in which we live we often ask ourselves where is the genuinely independent individual? He is not a member of the "in-groups" that are too often in the majority on campus, nor is he in the group that finds pleasure in ostracizing the non-conformist for having beliefs different than those considered by too many as acceptable.

This School, as an outpost of military training, is subordinated to a strong policy of academic excellence. Therefore, the maturing Cadet should strive for the best possible grade in any given test, even though his buddies might have attained a passing seventy. He should try constantly to do his personal best in every endeavor, and be content only when he has attained it. Only in so doing, on the basis of his personal capacities and not in group status alone, will he have made a respectable place for himself in our community.

J. J. B.

Want an Honor System?

It has been suggested to the Headmaster and a certain small group of Cadets that an honor system, more or less identical to the one employed at the Naval Academy, be initiated here at Farragut. It is the opinion of these persons that such a system would benefit the Corps, individually, as well as collectively. The opinion of a minority, however, with regard to a subject as this is immaterial, because an honor system here at Farragut would work only because each individual Cadet wants to make it work. Therefore, before we devote any more time to the proposition we want an answer to the following question from each member of the Corps. "Would you not only solemnly swear not to steal, cheat, or lie, but because you feel so strongly against cheating, stealing, and lying that you promise to report any infraction thereof to an established honor council, which would deal with the violator in a way which it determines correct? Please submit your answer to the Conduct Report Box in Lt. Burke's office, with your signature.



MATH CLUB SESSION — Arthur Mierisch '55 (second from left) chats informally with members of the Math Club following his lecture to that group on Oct. 29. Shown (l to r) are Mr. Robert Hunt, Mr. Jay Shafa (advisor), Cadets K. Vollherbst, Tom Tyler, Bob Micklewright, and John Bunnell.

Club Programs Off To Busy Schedule

During the opening months of the current school year, there have been several clubs either originated or reformed. All clubs have elected officers and all are under faculty supervision.

The Hop Committee this year has elected Bob Williams as president, George Kinemond as Vice President, and Jeff Grossman as Secretary. The faculty advisor is Mr. Stanley Darby. The Hop Committee has already supervised one informal dance held on October 24 in Shepard Hall. The theme of the dance was the past general election. The club is planning to sponsor two other informals in February and April, as well as the traditional Christmas Formal and the June Ball.

The Chapel Club this year is directed by Rev. A. G. Van Dyke, the Academy Chaplain. As in the past, it will continue to conduct the Sunday morning Chapel services, with Cadet Bonopane as pianist.

This year the Dramatics Club is under the auspices of Messrs. J. Walker and J. Light. The club staged its Fall production, "No Mother to Guide Her," on Tuesday night, November 24.

Mr. D. O. Newton has established the Glee Club again this year, and it has already performed in public at the Parents Day Chapel Service for the dedication of the new organ. It is presently preparing for the Winter Concert to be held on December 17. Mr. Newton is also sponsoring the Music Club this year, which meets in the Band Room every other Wednesday.

Some of the other clubs yet to be formed are the Drill Team and the Senior Seminar.

Officers Are Elected For Underclasses

The national elections weren't the only voting news on campus this year, as the First, Second, Third, and Fourth classes elected their officers in October. Each class nominated its candidates and the voting was done by a sealed ballot. When the votes were tallied, the following found themeselves in office:

1st CLASS

President—J. Pendleton Vice-President—F. Mandia Treasurer—T. Tyler Secretary-Historian—R. Dilzer

2nd CLASS

President—P. Kettle Vice-President—G. Kinemond Secretary—J. Williams

Air Medal Awarded To To W. Petterson '43

LCDR Warren Petterson, USCG, and a member of the Class of 1943 here, received the Air Medal from the President of the U.S. for meritorious achievement on May 11, 1963.

While serving as pilot of a CG helicopter, engaged in towing the fishing vessel, Pirate II from a position of great peril near Seal Rocks, San Francisco, Cal., LCDR Petterson found the ship dragging anchor in a heavy surf, approximately 50 yards off the beach. After placing a strain of 2000 pounds on a line he passed to the vessel, he increased the tension to 3100 pounds. Slow progress was noted and for 47 minutes he continued this operation until the Pirate II had been towed into deep water.

When Douglas Dillon presented the medal for the President, he said it was given because of his expert airmanship, and skill throughout the rescue mission, his courage, sound judgment, and unwavering devotion to duty.



BRAVO — RADM C. C. Knapp, 14th District Commander of the USCG, pins Air Medal on LCDR W. S. Petterson, USCG.

3rd CLASS

President—E. DeSeta Vice-President—W. Walker Secretary—H. Smith Treasurer—G. Giles

4th CLASS

President—I. Zekowski Vice-President—D. Yoho Secretary—G. Rabida Treasurer—G. Fitzgerald

Wm. A. Johnson, Board Member, Died October 5

Mr. William A. Johnson, a member of the Board of Trustees of Admiral Farragut Academy for the past twenty years, died in Philadelphia on October 5.

He was the senior partner of the firm, William A. Johnson & Co., certified public accountants.

Mr. Johnson had been actively associated with Farragut since its founding in 1983 as accountant, tax advisor and trustee for both the New Jersey and the Florida schools.

Surviving are his wife and daughter; two brothers and two sisters.



PASS 'N REVIEW — Corps passes in review before the inspecting eyes of Captain Perry, Commanding Officer at Lakehurst NAS, during one of the regular Sunday afternoon ceremonial parades held in the fall.

Cadets Attend Three Dances This Fall

On October 17, the members of the Third and Fourth Classes were guests of the young ladies of the Hartridge School. The group departed from the Academy at about 1500 Saturday afternoon, and returned to School immediately upon the conclusion of the dance, which ended at 2200. The group was chaperoned by Mr. H. S. Alwine and Cadet Lt. (j.g.) John Bainton. The party was treated to a buffet dinner which made the evening all the more enjoyable.

on the following weekend the annual fall informal was held. The dance was decorated by the Hop Committee and had the current general election as its theme. This dance, held in Shepard Hall, was more enjoyable than those in the past because the new sound system, donated by the Parents' Association, was used for the first time. All hands were reported as having had

a marvelous time.
On the seventh of November the members of the Third and Fourth Classes attended a dance at the Kimberly School for girls. This dance was along the same lines as the one at Hartridge, including a buffet supper. This dance was chaperoned by Mr. Alwine and Cadet Lt. A. Aldi.

Library Is Always Popular With Corps

During almost every study hall there's a rush to the front of the auditorium to sign up for the library, for the library is one of the favorite spots on the campus. The enthusiasm for it is well-founded. This year the Academy has already added a large number of new books to the shelves. Also, provided, is a collection of fofty periodicals to which the library subscribes.

In addition to the books and periodicals purchased by the School, there have been numerous donations. The donors' names will be included in the next edition, for all are not presently because

known.

The librarian this year is Lieutenant Alfred Lesser. Mr. Lesser has been at Farragut for twenty-four years. During his stay at Farragut he has taught biology, algebra, and some foreign lan-

guages, when called upon to do so. Another point of interest about Mr. Lesser is that during the summer recess he is employed by the New Jersey State Mosquito Commission. His prime function is to identify samples of mosquitoes, thereby guarding against any unknown influx of contagious mosquitoes. Mr. Lesser has an assistant this year. She is Mrs. Diane Lee. Mrs. Lee is a librarian of great experience, having served in the past in many high school and college libraries. Presently, she is head librarian for the Lakehurst Naval Air Station, and has been kind enough to donate her day oft, Monday, to helping Farragut improve its library facilities. Both she and Mr. Lesser have already had a marked effect upon the facilities and atmosphere in the library.

Cafeteria System Meets With Favorable Reaction

This year the Corps is experiencing a new system in the Mess Hall. It is cafeteria styled and streamlined, and was installed just before last year's Summer Camp. A various number of Cadets and faculty have said that the system is good and is one of the best things that ever happened at the School. The galley reports that it saves time and money, and is much better than the previous system of using Cadet waiters. On the whole, the Corps thinks it is very modern and should continue in the future.

Professor Gives Photos Of Farragut to Academy

The Academy was recently presented with six original photographs of Admiral D. G. Farragut, which are to be added to the memorabilia the Academy has on its namesake.

The donor of the photographs is Charles Lee Lewis, professor emeritus of the U. S. Naval Aacdemy, and author of a two volume biography of the famous admiral. Mr. Lewis donated a copy of his works to the library some years ago.

Mr. Lewis visited the Academy this past summer for the first time, and promised then that he would send the authorities something of value concerning the Admiral.



GEE DADDY — Dawn Lee 5, and Lori Jan 3, look up in admiration at their father, Capt. George R. Rubin '50, after he was awarded the Army Commendation Medal by LTGEN Garrison H. Davidson (right), First U. S. Army Commanding General, for his part in the funeral services for General of the Army Douglas MacArthur. His wife, Mimi, also looks on. The commendation cited Rubin for executing with extreme distinction the duties of the First Army Mortuary Officer, and for the meticulous care given in detail, the unfailing logic of critical decisions made and the dignity throughout to bear ample testimony to the magnificent manner in which he performed this unique and important duty.



PASSING THE KEYS — Mr. James C. Pendleton, Parents' Assoc. president, hands over keys to the new Audio-Visual Wall Unit that the Association built and had installed in the Shepard Hall Recreation room, to Captain R. O. Dodge, Headmaster. The complete stereo sound center costs approximately \$6,000.

'48 Farragut Grad Holds "Most Traveled" Title

An article in the Air Force Times claims that Eugene R. Hoffstadt '48, a T/SGT, is the most traveled man in the Air Force in countries visited. As of September 26 he had been in 73 countries and 14 island groups, with 8000 hours representing one and a half million miles flows.

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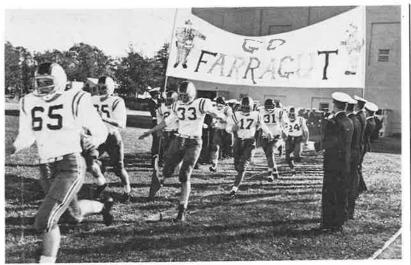
In September Sgt. Hoffstadt was stationed at Dover AFB, Del., with the 39th Air Transport Sqdn. He is a weight and counter-balance technician. He is married and has two children.

Quotable Quotes From a Freshman

"The very most important function, as prep school students and college aspirants, is — and mark my words — to learn to take efficient notes. At today's colleges and universities there is no place for an immature person. One is considered an adult upon matriculation!"

Steve Myers Class of 1964

SUPPORT THE TRIDENT!



GO! GO! GO! — The varsity football squad receives encouragement from Corps prior to the start of the Pingry game on Oct. 31, the date of this year's Alumni Homecoming Day. The Middies won 20-7 to please the returning grads.



OUTSTANDING — Cadets Kurt Vollherbst (left) and Bill Olinger are flanked by Mr. James C. Pendleton, president of the Parents' Assoc. and Coach Stan Slaby following their awards as the outstanding back and lineman respectively at the Fathers-Sons Football Dinner, held on Nov. 21.

ACTING CADET OFFICER LIST (24 November 1964) BAND CO. III CO. I CO. II Winer BATT. CDR. BATT. EXEC. Bower BATT. AJD. Pendleton BATT. ENS. BATT. ENS. BATT. CPO CO. CDR. Dilzer (Lt. JG) Travis Mandia Williams, R. (Ens.) CO. EXEC. Meagher **Bainton ENSIGN** Brown, BG Isbrandtsen Siegeltuch Hinkle Kinemond CPO Bechtel Grimaldi, W Williams, J. Rosen Dudley 1 PO Rinderer Alvarado Eadie Malzone Harman Morey 2 PO Winslow Carlo Ferris Wise 2 PO Cimicato Schroeder Lorenz Kunzelman Barr Calve Frazier 3 PO Doherty Rohde McGee Sugermeyer Bunnell 3 PO DeSeta Livoti 3 PO Walker Hageman Fisher 3 PO Vollherbst Warble 3 PO Stern GUIDON Sandford Shelly Adamo Grein CG 2/C McClure CG 2/C Tummons Matthies Wilson GM 3/C HC 3/C Grossman YEO 2/C Koza

Second Half of Season Showed Real Potential of Team Despite Record

The Middies failed to unite as a team, which resulted in the loss of the opening three games. Although there was a great deal of talent, the Gridders had no experience working together. Farragut dropped the opener against Peddie 13-0, on Oct. 10, as a result of a long touchdown pass and a Peddie-recovered fumble in the Farragut end zone. The Blair game the following week showed the Middies much improved defense, giving up only a two point safety, but the offense failed to click. The Big Blue then traveled to Morristown, N. J., to meet with Delbarton School. An experienced, undefeated Delbarton crippled the Middies by a score of 21-0.

The second half of the season showed on Homecoming Day, Oct. 31, the Farragut line blitzed the Pingry quarterback again and again, and the heavily favored Pingry team was defeated 20-7. Middle scoring was done by the tallies of fullback Corky Mandia, a one yard run by halfback Harvey Kohner, and a thirty yard pass to end Ken White. Kurt Vollherbst also kicked two extra points.

A fired-up Farragut team travelled to New York state and defeated New York Military Academy 12-6, in the "Little Army-Navy game." of the 1964 season. Farragut played a ball-control rupe and come out on the Fullback game and came out on top. Fullback Mandia tallied on a one yard plunge over right tackle. End Ken White again tallied by a 36 yard run, from a pass by Vollherbst. New York scored in the third quarter on a 24 yard run by fullback Reed. The fourth quarter showed no scoring and the Middies left victorious.

The last game, although a loss, saw the Big Blue go down in a heroic stand. Out-weighed on the line by 15 pounds per man, the Middies fought hard, but succumbed to a 7-9 defeat. Halfback John Fritzinger tallied for Valley Forge on a fumble in the Farragut end zone. Farragut saw its chance for a score within inches as a pass from Vollherbst tipped fullback Man-dias fingers in the Valley Forge end

The season ended, 2-4, but the Middies fought hard and have nothing to be ashamed of.

Program Lists Alumni on Navy Varsity

In the special 75th anniversary program book prepared for the 1964 Army-Navy game, the complete roster of former Navy midshipmen who played on the varsity teams since the beginning of the series, included seventeen former Farragut footballers. These include:

Ronnie Andresen '44	in vivenim Essenti anni il si	1947, 49
Frank Brady '48	В	1951, 52
Bob Cameron '49	В	1950, 51, 52
Steve Sisenhauer '50	G	1951, *52, *53
Dick Fedon '40	C	1941, 42
Fred Gambke '46	C	1949, 50
John Gurski '49 (Captain)	\mathbf{E}	1950, 51, 52
John Hansen '42	E	1943, 44
Phil Hurt '38	В	1940, 41
George Knotts '50	В	1953
Bob Lowell '48	G	1950, 51, 52
Al McCully '45	В	1946, 47, 48
Warren Montgomery '40	T	1942
Bill Pellett '37	\mathbf{T}	1940
Walt Schifferli '48	С	1949
Fred Schnurr '40	T	1941, 42
Bob Zastrow '48	В	1949, 50, 51

*First Team All-American

We'll be glad to hear from any Farragut men whose names were not

Sportsman Of The Month

Kurt Vollherbst, of Brick Town, N. J., attended football and basketball camps this summer to help him gain experience in these sports.

Kurt, who is a Senior this year, holds varsity letters in football, basketball, and baseball. He is varsity quarterback

and baseball. He is varsity quarterback and one of the tri-captains on the football team, and also does the punting and place-kicking for the Middies.

Football camp was held at Wilmington, Delaware, and each of the 90 boys enrolled was instructed by coaches from Princeton, Pittsburgh, Bucknell, and East Stroudsburg. There were three

two hour sessions each day, and at night, there was a touch football league. While there, Kurt kicked a 59 yard field goal, and was voted the best back in camp for his all-around ability.

Kurt is looking ahead to fine seasons in the three sports in which he participates, and he believes that these camps gave him the experience he needed.

Correction, please . .

Alfred Thomas Ferrante was the vinner of the Arion Foundation Music Award last June, not Roland V. Ferrante, as printed in the past summer edition of the Capstan.



SPECIAL CLASSES — Seen here in front of Shepard Hall are some SPECIAL CLASSES — Seen here in front of Shepara that are some of the members of the special anniversary classes who attended Homecoming Day this year. Front row (l to r) are Stewart Sennett '39, All Second row — Ray Hoehn '44, Harvey Gladstone '49, Wayne Smith '54. Third row — John Lamb '54, Lou Bardfield '54, Murray Fine '54. Fourth row — Don Davis '59, Rogelio Carrillo '59, Mel Hellem '59, John Van Schoick '59. Fifth row — Ron Krantz '59.

Alumnus Addresses Math Club, Arranges Tour

Arthur Mierisch '55 was the guest speaker at a meeting of the Math Club on Oct. 29. The meeting was held in the DuPont Hall Auditorium at 7 p.m.

Mr. Mierisch, an electrical engineer employed by the Electronic Associates, Inc., Long Branch, N. J., spoke on the

use of analog computers, which his firm manufactures, and the practical application of mathematics to these and other similar items. He also showed color slides.

On November 23 the Club visited the plant and toured its facilities through the courtesy of Mr. Mierisch.

Mr. Jay Shafa, Club advisor, accompanied the group on its trip.

Hutchinson '35 New Association Prexy

The results of the election of officers to the 1964-66 term of the Alumni Association's Executive Board, were announced at the annual meeting on October 31, by Election Committee Chairman Joseph Esposito '52. The results are as follows:

President—Walter B. Hutchinson '35; 1st Vice President—Jack Van Gelder '37; 2nd Vice President—Thomas Mullane '41; 3rd Vice President—Walter Dapkunas '42.

Class Trustees-Robert Osborne '34, Carl Erickson '36, Burton Harris

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David Sherb '47, Richard Halpern '48, James Wight '49, Nathan Israel '50, Albert Nitterour '51, Oskar Huber '52, Robert Plennert '53, Thomas Detscher '54, Arthur Mierisch '55, Ronald Morris '56, Michael McBride '57, Frank Maiorano '58, James Bower '59, Peter Mauer '60, Joseph Greco '61, Thomas Black '62, Victor Saitta '63, and James Dietz '64.

A tie vote of the mail votes cast was broken by those Alumni attending the meeting to give Bob Plennert '53 a vote over his opponent, John Stockel. The Class of 1935 did not have a candidate nominated this year

Stockel. The Class of 1935 did not have a candidate nominated this year because of the inability of the Nominating Committee to obtain acceptance from at least one member of the Class to have his name considered. President Hutchinson will have to find someone from the Class who will accept an appointment to the office for the next two years.

Johnson '48 Makes Amazing Comeback After Accident Nearly Takes Life

When W. Robert Johnson '48 was almost fatally injured in an accident last April, the odds were definitely against his recovery and gradual return to the society in which he lived prior to it. A letter from his wife, Shirley, tells the brave story of what happened and how Bob is fighting to make a comeback to the life he knew. We print her letter primarily so that his classmates may read it and possibly drop him a note of cheer.

"Since Bob isn't real good at writing with his left hand, I thought I'd write and let you know how he was doing.

Yes, a terrible thing happened to Bob, yet we can't help but feel we learned a great lesson from it all. We both go around happy all the time now because we know how much life means and how many wonderful people are in this world.

Bob loves races as a hobby and had quit driving and had been flagging for three years. April 11th one of the cars went out of control and the back end hit him. His right arm went through the back window and was cut off, all but the bone. They sewed it on but infection set in and after five days they had to remove it in order to save his life. His right leg had four breaks. They put a pin from his knee to his ankle. He will have a cast on it up to 18 months. His left leg had a break and a dislocated ankle. He had a broken collar bone and cuts and bruises all over his body.

He is in a wheel chair, but far from helpless. Even the doctors can't get over his attitude. They told me he would be in the hospital three or four months, and in five weeks they sent him home because he was doing so well.

Bob never turned a friend down, ever forgot anyone's name from the boy who worked at the grocery store on up, and all these people remembered Bob when he needed them. There was someone visiting from morning to night every day. The telephone center at the hospital said they had never had so many calls about any one patient.

Yes, I'm bragging like a real Texan about my husband, but he is a wonderful person. He was working hard trying to get trucking business, but now we don't know what the future holds, but we have learned to take it day by day and we know everything will work out."

Bob and Shirley have four children,

Bob and Shirley have four children, he attended Georgia Tech, and he was in the trucking business. He spent four years in the Navy. While at Farragut he was C.O. of the First Company, captain of the Track team, and a member of the Cotillion, Glee, and Sue Hawks Clubs. He currently lives at 10801 Mayfield Dr., Corpus Christi, Tex. The '49 Trident (he spent an additional year as a Post Grad) staff knew what it was doing when they used the

what it was doing when they used the following quotation to describe him: "A merry heart doeth good like a

SUPPLEMENT CONTINUED

is at Fenn College and will graduate in December '65. He has been working for Republic Steel as a foreman trainer.

We haven't learned the results, but MIKE PERO, an ensign in the Navy, prepared for the Olympic rowing tryouts last summer as a member of a fourman shell. He is attending Purdue U. at the present time to obtain a master's degree in civil engineering. He is married to the former Eleanore Nilsen of Union, N. J.

PETE RUZILA graduated from Bryant College in 1962 with a B.S. He was working for E. J. Korvette when he was called

into the Army. He is presently at Ft. Devens, Mass.

TONY SMITH is still hard at work trying to generate sufficient interest to have the Government issue a coin honoring General Douglas MacArthur. He now has 2500 names on a petition that he is circulating around the country, and he plans to come out with bumper stickers to publicize his cause.

1961

On Sept. 29 DOUG BORGEN wrote that he completed his last cruise aboard the N. Y. State Maritime College training ship. He visited England, Denmark, Netherlands, France, and Spain. He reports that he has seen BOB DONAHUE and GENE DE TONE. Bob is returning to Liecester College, while Gene just finished a two year hitch with the Navy.

TOM CHIOMENTO was PMC's leading pass receiver this season in football. Maryellen Goldsmith and ALLAN GUSSACK announced their engagement last July. Al, who was here for Homecoming, is attending New York U.

BILL HAMMERSLEY and his dad are now operating the Constitution Shoppe, Somers Point, N. J. They specialize in sportswear. Bill is doing evening work at the U. of Penn's Wharton School. He reports that DAN BALL is back at La Salle College, and JIM ELLIS is working for an insurance firm in Hartford, Conn. and going to college at night.

An exceptionally active Republican on the West Coast is E. J. HINKLE, who was elected to that State's Central Committee on June 2nd. He is still a student at the U. of S. Calif.

MIKE KOLCHIN hopes to finish his studies at Miami U. of Oxford, Ohio, in June of '65 with a degree in Economics. Recently initiated as a member of Alpha Delta Phi, he plans to go on active duty with the Navy upon graduation, Mike reports that HoWIE SWAIN, at Yale, plans to become a Marine Officer when he finishes.

In Sept. KEN WOLTZ wrote that he had spent the summer in Europe, acting as a 2nd Lt. with the Sö9th Airborne, He said that TOMMY REYNOLDS was playing at the Worlds Fair at the Carribean Pavillion, and that TOMMY HAYES spent the summer training Plebes in Beast Barracks.

1962

BILL ANDELMAN is a junior at Ohio State, w

State, where he holds a part time 100 in the Research Lab. He is also in the Naval Reserves.

RICK BRITTON is a student at Nichols College, and he and his wife now live at 8 Barnes St. Webster, Mass. Rick writes that "we have a beautiful five room apartment and would welcome any of my former classmates to stop in and see us if they should be in Mass."

BOB FULLER is now attending Northrop Inst. of Tech., Inglewood, Cal., in the College of Engineering.

ROG HEMBROUGH is a student at the U. of Miami where he is majoring in Management. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta and a member of the Homecoming Dance Committee.

DICK WELDON and Charlotte Norvell pronounced their vows of marriage on August 15th. Dick is associated with his father in business in Westfield, N. J.

1963

Until he dislocated his shoulder, BRY-ANT CROUSE was making an impression on Princeton's varsity football coaching staff. Moose played frosh football and was captain of the freshman wrestling team.

BOB KURZ writes that he is a sophomore at the U. of South Carolina, is a 3rd classman in the NROTC, and a member of the rifle team. He is also a member of the rifle team. He is also a member of the rifle team. He is also a member of Phi Epsilon Pi. Bob says that JEFF GOLZ, JIM GANO, and JACK SNYDER are also at S.C. with him. (How about a picture of the Farragut gang, Bob?)

JEFF MILLER has been transferred to the Naval Security Station in Wash., D. C.. where he expects to stay for the duration of his enlistment. We've been seeing Jeff quite a bit these past few months since he has a heart attachment to a cute little chick from T.R.

JEFF NESSE is at the U. of Vermont where he is majoring in pre-veterinary medicine.

Now is his second year at Morrisville Agricultural & Tech Institute, New York, majoring in food service, is DICK WILLS. Dick finished his freshman year with a 3.1 accumulated index and became a member of Phi Theta Kappa, Lambda Xi chapter.

1964

A survey of the Class of '64 will be published just as soon as all returns are received at the Alumni Office. If you haven't yet sent yours in, please do so

CELEBS SENIOR



Tom Tyler

Tom Tyler entered Farragut in September, 1962, as a Third Classman. In his second year he became a 3 P.O., and this year he is the Second Com-Executive Officer, with the rank of LTJG.

Tom was recently inducted into the Cum Laude Society and he is Vice-President of the Math Club, as well as Treasurer of the Senior Class. He also participates in the Chapel Club, Monogram Club, and Weightlifting Club, and he holds the school record for the 100-yard low hurdles in varsity Track.

Tom's ambition is to be "happy and successful". Uncertain of his field of study, he wants to go to either Annapolis, Tufts, Tulane, Duke, or Brown University.

Tom's advice to underclassmen is, "Work hard now, your senior year is too late.'



Jay Pendleton

Jay Pendleton came to Farragut as a Freshman in the Fall of 1961. Last year as a junior, he was a 1 P.O., and he presently holds the rank of LTJG., serving in the capacity of Battalion Adjutant Officer.

Jay is President of the First Class, and a member of the football team, Dramatics Club, Hop Committee, and Weight-lifting Club. He is also assistant business manager of the Trident. The rest of his spare time is spent in Sick Bay.

Jay looks toward the Navy as a career, and has "set sail" for the Naval Academy.

His advice to underclassmen is, "Your reputation is formed in your first year, so work hard to make it a good reputation and a good year.



Gary Hancock

Gary Hancock mustered into the First Company in the Fall of 1961. As a Junior, he held the rank of 2 P.O., and this year he is the First Company Chief Petty Officer.

Gary is very active in school activities. He has been on the football team for two years, earning a varsity letter as a Junior. Gary also belongs to the Hop Committee, Dramatics Club, Music Club, Chapel Club, Monogram Club, and the Capstan and Trident Staffs. He devotes his full time to being a call the call this pain architical. jolly friend to all. His main ambition in life is "to become successful and live life to its fullest capacity." Gary sets his sights on either Albright or Bethany College, majoring in Business Administration.

Among his favorites are Coach and his set of trains. His advice to underclassmen is, "When the going gets rough, just grin and bear it."



Bruce Greenspan

Bruce entered Farragut in September, 1961. Since then he has been in a whirlwind of activities. He is most noted for his prowess in baskethall, as he played varsity in his sophomore year. Last year he was leading scorer for Farragut. He hopes to be able to continue to play in college, and there is little duobt that he will. In addi-

tion to basketball, Bruce is also an excellent baseball player. One of the major attributes in this sport is his ver-satility, for he can play any position

Besides sports, Bruce is also active in the Music Club, Monogram Club, Booster Club, and a member of the staffs of both the Trident and the Capstan.

Militarily, he should not be forgotten, for last year he was a member of the Color Guard and this year he is chief of the Third Company.

"Greenie's" advice to underclassmen, "Make no buddies while here at Farragut, but many friends.

********* THE CHOPPING BLOCK **********

Who else knows what else about this?

Don't be silly! A taxi cab driver

Can't get you into college.

We've got to beat those Russians!

Nice cousin, Tribble!!!

Don't sniff it too long, JO Jo!!

Blame it all on da girls, all on da All right, so I'm nuts, I still say I

saw a walking watermelon. If Major Walker wants me to stay, I'll stay!!!

I can't wait until summer so I don't

have to wear an undershirt. And now we get to the worst room

in the 2nd Company. Who's that dignified cadet starting

a riot in the canteen?

Ah, Stout, how about picking up your equipment and isolating yourself for the rest of the year.

The topic for today will be Denmark! But Pankewycz is the best player on my soccer team.

Let's choose it out - heads I teach Biology, Tails you do.

Put that in the Capstan this month and I'll make it hard for you guys

What are you going to tell her to-night, Motor mouth?

If we get any more of them in this school they'll have to read the announcements in both languages.

Combat Joe has changed his name

to Right Guard. Farragut's answer to the Colt 45 is its ALVO REVOLVO.

If it wasn't for Goldwater his name wouldn't be plastered on the bumper of my Mustang.

But Mom, all the C. O.'s are my

Who's Who

How many can YOU identify?

Jingles Corky Commander Rat Stubby

A. V. Micklemoose Filthy Pierre Major Joloppolo

Combat Joe Whizzy Jio-Jo

Boobsie Munk Bunna

Grimes Bones Brahma Ronnie Rifle

Big Foge Barnacle Bob Woody

Leader of the Pack Mr. Duh Farmer Kurt

Brothah Jack the Gypper Dreamy Eyes

Ollie Ogre Puckster Alvo Revolvo

The Jolly Green Giant The Town Fink

Since this is the year of the poll-ster, The Capstan has decided to enter their ranks, and hence we have the Totem Pole.

The burning question for the month: "Do blondes have more fun?"
Yes: 66%

No: 30% Undecided: 3% Redheads do: 1%

Some of the answers: Swaab: "What are you asking me for? Do I look like a blond?" Raynor: Jane does!

Pforsich: Yeh, I have lots of fun. Stern: Redheads get more blondes! Mr. Alwine: The blondes I've gone with have,

