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CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club has started playing chess games every Thursday in room 208. These games are for practice to prepare members for the tournament coming up. A tournament which will probably last all year will be held after Chess Club officer elections.

MATH CLUB

On Tuesday, October 24, there will be a meeting of the Math Club. At this meeting elections of the officers of the club will be held.

The members can be only juniors and seniors in their 3rd or 4th year of math.

JR. HIGH S.C. RESULTS

The result of the Junior High Student Council election held on Friday, 13 October, is as follows: President--Carl Johnson, Vice-President--John Daniel, Secretary--Diane Yamato, Treasurer--Lillian Fittz.

LIBRARY

After moving from the bottom floor to room 211, the library will be open either this Friday or the first of next week. New shelves have been installed and on the 4th of November new tables will be received.

IT'S TEST TIME AGAIN

Last Tuesday from 12:45 to 2:30 all juniors and various seniors racked their brains on the PSAT, Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Tests. The object of these tests was to see if the juniors will be eligible for the college board exams, and it serves as a record of the seniors' knowledge to be sent on to the colleges of their choice.

The one-hundred and thirty juniors and seniors will get the returns of their tests sometime in December. The juniors were all required to take this test but the seniors who took it elected to do so. Students were required to pay one-dollar to take these tests.

Other candidates running were Mike Weidemann, Jim Bronson, Ed Weise, Kathie Saito, Judy Tucker, Nancy Nixon, and Marilyn Raley.

AND NOW MR. TROY

For all those brilliant students at our fair school, Yo-Hi, who aspire to startle the world with their great scientific achievements in the future, or those less dedicated individuals who merely aspire to graduate and need biology or chemistry credits to do so, Mr. Troy's is a familiar face. Working behind a Bunsen Burner or a typewriter, he is known to possess unrelenting good humor and unpredictability (ask anyone about his pop quizzes).

Mr. Troy, who was born on September 19, 1930, in Chicago, Illinois, attended St. Procopios Academy at Lisle, Illinois, and graduated from there in 1948. He then entered the U.S. Navy, where he served Uncle Sam for four years, from 1948 to 1952. After receiving a discharge from the Navy, Mr. Troy enrolled at Upper Iowa University in Fayette where he had biology as his major, and his minors were chemistry and English. Immediately after leaving college in 1956, with a Bachelor of Science degree, Mr. Troy began his teaching career in Waterville, Iowa. After two years, he left there to accept a position with Navy Operation Dependents' Schools in the Far East.

Arriving in the Orient in 1958, Mr. Troy went to Sasebo, Japan, where he taught at the Ernest J. King school for two years. Following this tour of duty, he taught for one year at the Johnathan M. Wainwright school in Taiwan, Taiwan. After spending the summer in the States, he arrived in Yokohama, "in the middle of the hottest August ever experienced."

Mr. Troy thinks Yo-Hi is a wonderful school with a wonderful group of students.

S. C. ELECTIONS HELD

On Friday, October 13, the student body of Yo-Hi elected officers for its Student Council for the coming year after an assembly in which all the candidates gave their campaign speeches.

Wayne Burr was elected president; Mike Douglass, vice president; Sherry Ryner, secretary; and Patsy Simonson, treasurer. (continued on first column.)

DEVILS TIE ZAMA 0 TO 0

The Yo-Hi Devils' inconsistent offense and efficient defense eeked out a 0 to 0 tie in play that was anything but spectacular against the Zama High School Trojans, at Zama.

If Yo-Hi loses any one of its remaining games, the team will be eliminated from the league championship race--unless Zama happens to beat one or more of the Air Force schools.

Yo-Hi's biggest scoring threat came within three yards of paydirt and lost the ball on downs. The combination of intercepted passes, penalties and fumbles saw the ball changing hands often. The Yo-Hi defense held Zama to seven first downs, and the Red team was held to seven downs also.

TINY TERMITE

I am at present confined to my penthouse recuperating from a ruptured metathorax, a lacerated tympanic membrane, and a busted jaw. My slight brush with Fate occurred one morning, while I was vegetating with my copy of "30 Days to More Powerful Masticating" on the ramparts of the school. Before I could even enter deeply into my subject, I was irreverently deperched and carried to the ground by a falling one gram mass. Newton triumphs again.

My days of convalescence haven't been idle, however, since I've had my spy system going full force to pick up the sounds of Yo-Hi in time to play them back for this paper. Here goes. . . "You mean we have to use books from THAT (censored) institution up North?!?" . . . "On this basis we have just, very simply, derived" . . . Z-Z-Z-Z-Z . . . "Oh, joy" (emitted by teachers assigned to buses for the Yamato game). . . "A strike for double pay for school bus drivers? Ridiculous! . . . "Have you heard about those two juniors who are plotting to hang a certain English Teacher?" They contend that they don't want to show up Poe. . . and then we have three members of our illustrious senior class who were so infatuated with Tokyo night life that they almost didn't come back. . . à bientôt.

NEW TITLE FOR NEWSPAPER

The title contest for the newspaper ends today. The Echoes' ballot box has stood in the hall in front of the office for a week and contains a variety of suggestions for the name of the printed newspaper which will come out every month.

The newspaper staff will have a conference and select the best title submitted. A cash prize will be given to the winner of the contest.

ING DIFFERENT

that people today elves because it might turn out that they are different from everyone else. They become part of the masses that are trying to get someplace, or go somewhere, or do something--they are not sure what, just so it isn't odd or "different." How dreaded a fate--to be different!

In high school, important meaning is too often connected with the way a person dresses, uses the latest slang, and what kind of activities he likes. These are all pretty much dictated by the crowd, unconsciously or consciously. Whether or not something seems wrong, it's acceptable since "everybody else is doing it."

Who is this "everybody else," anyway? It's only one student, multiplied by hundreds. Who wants to be a carbon copy? How can anyone accomplish anything, unless he tries something new?

Don't get me wrong--I'm not saying that I think everyone should become a beatnik or start a revolution. As a matter of fact, the individual knows enough to conform, and he still stands up for his own principles and defends his ideas.

There can always be crowds but there must always be individuals who are ready to say what they believe, for it is only they who can run out world.

NEW SENIOR PRIVILEGES ANNOUNCED

New privileges for the seniors were announced by Mr. Spaulding, vice-principal of the high school. Added to the list were 1) a senior class dress-up day, 2) a senior slack or Bermuda day, 3) coming back to the library for work during the lunch hour, 4) senior field trips to various educational activities, 5) easy chairs in the library (with the provision that the seniors find the easy chairs.) Another surprise privilege is under consideration and may be announced later.

The seniors may come to work in the library during the lunch hour as long as this permission is not violated by poor behavior. The field trips will be to such instructive places as Kabuki, the museums in Ueno Park, and other informative places.

ANNUAL PRICES RAISED

Keep a lasting memento for posterity! Show them what you did and looked like while you were on an overseas tour in the Far East!

The 1961-1962 annual has been sold for \$4.50 until today. Starting Monday, October 23, the annual will be sold for \$5 until November 16, when the price will be raised to \$5.50.