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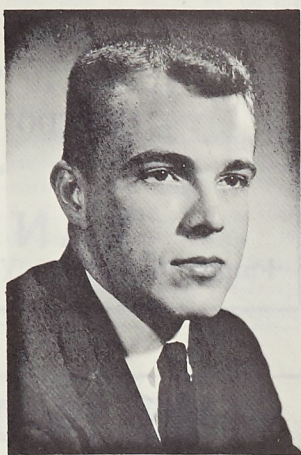
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Ken Shader Elected May "Man-of-the-Month"

Ken Shader was elected Blue Key man of the month for May at the last meeting of Blue Key on May 11, 1961.

Ken, a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, has served as secretary and treasurer of his fraternity, and is now president. He has also served as president of the Interfraternity Council and secre-



KEN SHADER

tary of Blue Key. A few of his many other campus activities include, Theta Tau, Alpha Phi (Continued on page 5)

Pi Tau Sigma Elects Officers and Gives OEA

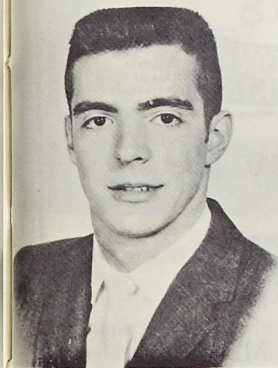
The Missouri Tau Lambda chapter of Pi Tau Sigma, national Honorary Mechanical Engineering Fraternity, recently elected its officers for the fall semester. Those elected were: President Alan Stephenson, Vice President Jim Yost, Recording Secretary Dave Mitchell, Corresponding Secretary Rich Brockmann and Treasurer Frank Speckhart.

We would like to congratulate these men and wish them success in their offices and to thank the past officers for the fine work that they have done this semester.

Each year Pi Tau Sigma selects an outstanding sophomore from the Mechanical Engineering Department and presents an award. This award consists of an engraved pocket slide rule and is awarded on the basis of scholastic ability, personality and activity in school organizations. The recipient of the award, which will be presented by President Stephenson, is James Heinzen. Jim is a member of Phi Kappa Theta and is active in both the Pershing Rifles and the Newman Club. We wish to congratulate Jim and hope that he keeps up the good work.

Bill May to Do Graduate Work

William Lawrence May will begin graduate study in Mathematics at the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis. May received an Honorable Mention in his application for a National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship in addition to an National Defense Education Act Fellow-



BILL MAY

ship at North Carolina State College which he did not accept. Active at MSM, May has been a member of the Math Club, the United Campus Christian Fellowship, Phi Kappa Phi, was elected to the Miner Board, has served as President of Sigma Pi Sigma, has served as Corresponding Secretary of Tau Beta Pi, has received a Phi Kappa Phi Award, has received a Gold Key Award, and has been on the honor list since entering School. He is a graduate of Rolla High School.

The Missouri MINER

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Rolla Smith Elected New President of the Student Council

Tuesday, May 9 was the last meeting of the Student Council for this year. It was also the first meeting held by the new Council and the new officers.

The officers of the new Council are:

Rolla Smith - President
Jim Hornsey - Vice President
Bib Tidmore - Secretary
Bill Butcher - Treasurer
Les Blumberg - Executive Committeeman

This first meeting was primarily concerned with forming the new council. All standing committees were formed and ideas for the coming year were discussed.

It was also pointed out that the school was considering the passage of two new traffic rules that were suggested by the council.

These rules are:

1. Any student over the age of 21 may register a car regardless of his scholastic standing.

2. Any student may drive a car in Rolla providing he is accompanied by one or more of his parents.

It should be noted that these rules have not yet gone into effect and any student found breaking the existing rules will be punished.

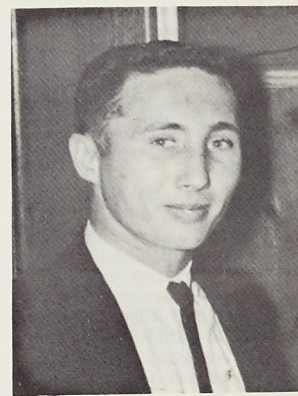
Tom Gresham Elected President of the IFC

Ken Shader, President of the Interfraternity Council, reports that approximately one-half of the money saved from a washed-out Greek weekend will be sent to Boy's Town of Missouri located at St. James. This will amount to about one hundred dollars. The I.F.C. is to be congratulated on their charitable donation and their fine action reflects the fine fraternity system at M.S.M.

The Queen's Trophy and the Game's Trophy were presented as scheduled, however the trophy for the best booth and over-all traveling trophy will be held over until next year.

At the last meeting of the IFC officers for the fall semester were elected, Tom Gresham from Kappa Sigma was elected President and Gordon Hunter from Triangle was chosen Vice-President, Doug Pinner from Pi Kap-

pa Alpha and Todd Jester from Acacia were elected to the of-



TOM GRESHAM

fices of treasurer and secretary respectively.

MSM's Rifle Team Ends Season With 24 Victories

The M. S. M. Varsity Rifle Team has finished a very successful 1960-61 schedule of competition in which it won twenty-four out of a possible thirty-five postal and shoulder to shoulder matches. The season, which ex-

graduating senior and top scorer was close behind with a season average of 282/300 points per match. Kilburn also earned the additional distinctions of placing second in the SAME national

MSM's Rifle Team



tends throughout the entire school year, was marked by unprecedented team and individual achievements.

Jack Wright, a June graduate and team captain led the team with a 284/300 points per match average. Darrell Kilburn, another

trophy matches and being selected to fire with the United States Fifth Army rifle team. Other consistent top scorers were: Ron Hayden (280/300), Steve Gans (278/300), and William Boje (Continued on page 3)

George Shillinger Elected Editor of the "Rollamo"

Elections for the 1961-62 Rollamo board were held on May 15, at 4:00 p.m. The following men were elected: George Shillinger, Editor-in-Chief, who served as Associate Editor the past year, Bill Hallerberg, Business Manager, who served as Classes Editor, and Bob Sieckhaus, Associate Editor, who served as Literary

Editor. Valuable experience was attained the past year which will influence next year's Rollamo. Two sophomores, Jack Limberg and Bill Crede, were appointed to the positions of Classes Editor and Literary Editor, respectively. Bob Hoffstader has been retained as the Head Photographer.

Peace Corps to Test Candidates May 27-June 5

Candidates for the Peace Corps who want to begin their service this summer will be tested May 27 or June 5 for their fitness for one project already announced and others now being explored.

The Peace Corps is actively recruiting for engineers, surveyors, geologists, teachers of English as a second language, community development workers and agricultural extension workers.

Candidates who have a questionnaire on file with Peace

Corps Headquarters will be notified of the time and place of examination by the middle of May. With few exceptions, they will not have to travel long distances to a testing center.

To be sure of an opportunity to take the Peace Corps Entrance Test, candidates must have submitted their questionnaires by mid-May. The forms are obtainable at any post office, from members of Congress, from county agricultural agencies, and from (Continued on page 3)

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WE SINCERELY THANK ALL THOSE PEOPLE
WHO HAVE HELPED US IN ANY WAY
DURING THE PAST YEAR.

— THE STAFF

Have a Good Time

Summer vacation is fast rushing upon us. Everyone is making his plans to while away the three months of vacation. Some are obtaining jobs, others will go to summer school. Still others will spend some time at summer camp to prepare for their future as officers in the Army, and some will just relax and travel.

Many of these students wish to make money for the coming school year. Some of them simply want a vacation from the worries and drudgery of school. Those that go to summer school are trying to make that day of graduation a little closer. Those that go to summer camp will partially fulfill their military obligation.

A select few will leave school this year with that cherished sheepskin, to seek their fortune in the world. Some students will go to another University for graduate work. Still others will enter the armed forces.

There are many ways in which you can spend these summer months. The MINER wishes each and every student a particularly pleasant and profitable vacation.

Peace Corps

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Those who have not filled out a questionnaire may do so at the testing center and will be allowed to take the test if circumstances permit. Preference, however, will be given to those applicants who have submitted their forms by May 8.

The May 27 examination will be for volunteers who wish to work as elementary school teachers, teachers of English as a second language, in agriculture or animal husbandry, as engineers, surveyors and geologists. After the administration of this first test there will be a special testing of liberal arts and teacher's college graduates for teaching of English, biology, chemistry, physics and mathematics in secondary schools.

Peace Corps candidates can take one or both tests. The second test will be given June 5.

Candidates will take the Peace Corps Entrance Test for a measure of intelligence and learning ability, for knowledge of American history, institutions and values, for language aptitude or achievement and for job competence.

They will complete a biographical data blank and a health inventory.

Optional tests will measure

their skills in such areas as teaching ability, farming and animal husbandry, basic mechanical engineering, basic health and child care.

There will be no such mark as a passing score. Different projects will require different abilities and someone who scores low in one area may score so well in others that he becomes the ideal person to pick for assignment.

Nicholas Hobbs, Director of Selection for the Peace Corps, said, "A Peace Corps volunteer must first of all be competent. He must be able to do a job well. These tests will measure job competence. Later tests and interviews will assess personality qualifications."

"The tests are designed to measure an individual's capabilities regardless of the extent of his schooling. Indeed, the Peace Corps wants practical people with basic skills."

The total testing time is estimated at five and a half hours. The results will be scored by the Educational Testing Service.

The Waldorff-Astoria staff still talks about the time Hughes told a room clerk, "Hold onto my suite for me. I'll be back in a few days." Back he was, too, exactly seventy-two hours later. In the meantime he had flown completely around the world.

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E.E. Professors Attend Work Shop

Professor Robert H. Nau and Assistant Professor John B. Peatman of the Electrical Engineering Department attended the Midwest Symposium on Circuit Theory and the Work Shop in Graph Theory at the University of Illinois on May 6, 8 and 9. The papers presented and discussed at the meeting dealt mainly with new developments in linear graph theory, the topological approach to circuit theory. Participants came from Japan, Italy, England, Canada and the U.S.A. All of the big names in circuit theory, such as E. Guillemin of MIT, Sid Darlington of Bell Labs, Lou Weinberg of Hughes Aircraft, Myrit Reed of Michigan State and many others, attended.

Rifle Team

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(275/300).
The matches are fired in three positions; standing, kneeling, and prone, with a thirty minute time limit imposed upon the thirty rounds which each marksman must fire. Postal matches are fired here at M. S. M. on the same date as the competitor fires and scores are mailed to the opposing school.

The Military Department which sponsors the team in cooperation with the Athletic Department, provided a very able coaching staff headed by Col. F. K. Vogt and including, Captain N. O. Schmidt, Captain J. D. Bennett, Sergeant Roth, Sergeant Pitt, and Sergeant Mayberry.

In order to develop marksmen

for the varsity team a successful basic training program was instituted for freshmen men. This program allowed freshmen marksmen to receive instruction and practice time during the full school year.

Although the team is losing its top scorers this year the prospects for next year's team look good because of greater scoring depth and a larger squad.

Two buzzards were lazily winging over the desert when Howard Hughes' jet-propelled plane suddenly went hurtling by. The buzzards silently watched it disappear into the western sky, and then one of them found his voice. "Holy carrion," he said, "Was that bird in a hurry!" "Listen Lucius," opined the other, "you'd be in a hurry too if your tail was on fire."

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Elections at Sig Tau, Outing for Beta Sigs

SIGMA TAU

Elections for next semester were recently held, with the following results: Bob Boschert, President; Gary Wiles, V.P.; David Lum, Sec.; and Bill Erickson, Treas. Other Officers were: Tom Coyle, House Manager; Ron Ragland, Rush Chairman; Harry Morgan, Steward; Publicity Chairman; Don Brewer, Social Chairman; Scholarship Chairman; Gary Downey, Activities Chairman; Alumni Corres., Mike Norman; Joe Rydlund, Athletic Chairman; Bill Becher, Corres. Sec.; Charles Martinek, Sentinel; and John Brown, Chaplain. Representatives recently elected were: John Brown, Student Council; Paul Ray, IFC; and Joe Rydlund, St. Pat's Board.

BETA SIGMA

To somewhat alleviate the tense waiting period until finals, Beta Sigma Psi will hold an out-

ing Saturday, May 20, on the farm of one of our honorary members, Mr. Emil Mesko. Tentative plans call for a football game, a great amount of refreshments, and lots of socializing.

SIGMA NU

This coming weekend, following a last minute rush to get the house into order, Sigma Nu will be host to rushees from the Springfield, St. Louis, and Kansas City area. At the present we are expecting a turn-out of approximately 20.

Lewis Browne, a famous and successful author when he died, began his career as a rabbi on the West Coast. When an envious competitor heard this, he inquired sarcastically of Browne at a dinner, "A rabbi once, eh? Were you defrocked?" "Not at all," answered Browne calmly. "I was unsuited."

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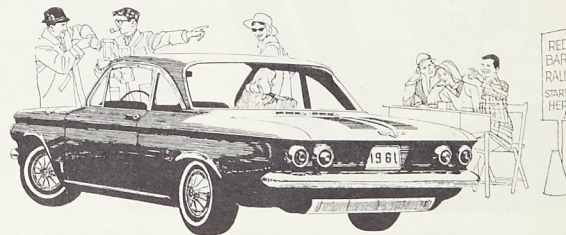
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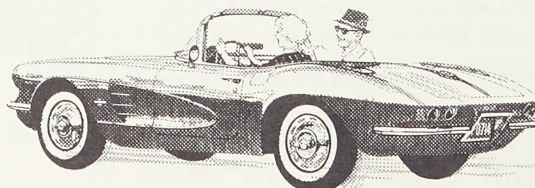
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MIKE KEARNEY



Mike, who was featured as "Who's Who in Intramurals" last month has been selected as the outstanding intramural athlete for 1960-61. Besides being active in sports, Mike is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon, Theta Tau and Blue Key.

Intramural Athlete of the Year

This year's selection for outstanding intramural participation is Mike Kearney of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Beginning early in high school, where Mike played three years of basketball, sports have always been high on his list. Here at Missouri School of Mines he actively participates in football, swimming, basketball, volleyball, softball, rifle team, track, boxing and wrestling, mainly as a referee.

Along with this active participation in the intramural system, Mike has also taken a firm position in campus organizations. Besides serving as Sig Ep rush chairman, chaplain, and historian, Mike has attained membership in Blue Key and Theta Tau, where he is presently serving as president.

Rounding out Mike's term here by adding an intellectual note, he has been a member of AIEE-RE and is a distinguished military student.

Now a senior in electrical engineering, Mike will graduate in May of this year.

Kappa Mu Epsilon Holds Elections

Kappa Mu Epsilon Math Society, in their monthly meeting Wednesday, May 3, elected officers for the following semester. Elected were Arthur Duke, President; James Miller, Vice-President; Virgil Meredith, Recording Secretary; John Bosnak, Treasurer; and Clellen McPheeters, Historian.

Faculty members, Dr. Charles Johnson and Professor Erkilelian were elected as Faculty Sponsor and Corresponding Secretary, respectively.

Drip: "Can you stand on your head?"

Drip: "Nope. It's too high."

Mr. John Vickers is Initiated Into Theta Xi

Theta Xi Fraternity has initiated Mr. John Vickers, assistant professor of Engineering Drawing. He obtained his Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Illinois in 1950 and

his Master in Education Degree in 1952 from Texas A&M College. He came to the School of Mines in 1952 as an instructor and was promoted to Assistant Professor in 1957. Mr. Vickers has chaperoned many of the parties at the house.

Alpha Sigma Mu Elects Officers for Next Year

Alpha Sigma Mu, Honorary Metallurgical Fraternity, held its monthly meeting Tuesday, May 9, 1961 in room 103, Fulton Hall.

The meeting was called to order by President David Furnish. The main item on the agenda was the election of officers. Those elected to serve for the forthcoming fall semester were: President, Gary Welch; Vice President, Peter Otten; Secretary, David Delling; Treasurer, Bill Hal-lerberg.

After discussing tentative plans for next semester the meeting was adjourned.

Man-of-the-Month

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Omega and membership on the Rollamo Board. Ken has been a honor list student while at MSM and last year was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

Our congratulations go to Ken on a job well done during his four years at MSM and our best wishes go with him in the future.

warbled.

Just then a man began to sob softly, and the president of the Student Council noticed him. He tiptoed quietly down the aisle and whispered, "Ge, I didn't know you were Irish."

"I'm not," he sobbed. "I'm the new music director."

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MINER SPORTS

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THE MISSOURI MINER

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1961

Miners Topple Drury; Heeger and Steiner High Point Men

by Ed Divine

Sunny skies brought the Miner Trackmen out of the locker room with victory in their eyes for on April 29th they defeated Drury 95 to 35 in a dual meet here at Jackling Field.

The Miners took first in all but the 220 in the track events. Bob Steiner took first in the mile with a time of 4:35.1. Lee Brown took first in the 440 with a time of 53.5 seconds; Dennis Heeger won the 100 yard dash with a time of 11.1 seconds. Geary Leger won both the high and low hurdles with a time of 16.2 in the highs and 26.1 in the lows. Bob Steiner also took first place in

the 880 with a time of 2:07.6, John Brown took first in the 2-mile race with a time of 10:43, and the Miner 880 relay team made up of Ravens, Heeger, Brown and Steiner won with a time of 1:37.8 and White from Drury won the 220 yard dash with a time of 24.5 seconds.

In the field events Pearce from Drury won both the shot put and the discus throw with a distance of 44'9" in the shot and a distance of 140'9" in the discus which broke the old track record of 139'8½". Jay Alford from MSM won the high jump by jumping 5'8". In the broad jump Dennis Heeger jumped 20'

11½" to take another first for the Miners. Terry Wargo pole vaulted 11'6" to take first and Lumpe from Drury took first in the javelin throw with a distance of 163'2".

Dennis Heeger and Bob Steiner were high point men for the meet with a total of 10.25 points each.

The Miners in the meet chalked up 11 firsts, 11 seconds and 7 thirds for their total of 95 points.

Helgeson, Link Win Tennis Doubles Representing Lambda Chi Alpha

The results of the intramural tennis doubles are in and it is plain to see it was a great year. All of the twenty-four campus organizations were entered and received intramural points ranging from thirty-six points for the champions to seven and a half points for the nine teams in the cellar.

Lambda Chi Alpha are the champions this year receiving thirty-six intramural points. The two boys playing for the champs were Helgeson and Link.

Taking second place were McCune and Terry of Delta Sigma Phi and getting thirty-four and a half points for their fraternity.

The third place team was the Tech Club and they got thirty-three intramural points for their efforts. Phi Kappa Theta held down the fourth place spot and gained thirty-one and a half points.

The fifth and sixth spots are held by the Prospectors Club and

Kappa Alpha who tied with twenty nine and a fourth points. In the seventh and eighth places are Kappa Sigma and Phi Kappa Alpha with each one getting twenty-six and a fourth points.

Shamrock Club, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Acacia, and Triangle took ninth through twelfth places with twenty one and three fourths points.

Getting thirteenth through fifteenth places were the Dorms, Sigma Nu, and Phi Alpha with each one racking up sixteen and a half points for their organizations.

In the last place were nine teams each receiving seven and a half intramural points. The organizations in the last nine places are Theta Xi, Tau Kappa Epsilon, Fifty-Niners Club, Engineers Club, Beta Sigma Psi, Sigma Pi, Wesley Club, Sigma Tau Gamma, and the Baptist Student Union.

Miners Down Kirksville Golfers

On Wednesday, May 10, the Miners evened the score by putting down Kirksville's golf team. The M.S.M. vs. Kirksville score was 11.5 to 8.5.

Bob Gollhofer picked up four points for the Miners by defeating Gary Barhart 75 to 77. Hubert Jones defeated Mike Goederis with 36 strokes on the first nine and 42 strokes on the second half, giving the Miners 3 more points and adding 1 point to the Kirksville cause. Jim Allison

added three points to the victory by defeating Bill Branscom 74-79. Tom Konkie lost to Jim Murphy by a score of 77-75, while adding another point to the Miner victory. Toby Hafeli was defeated by Gary Barnhart 76-75 and gained .5 of a point for M.S.M.

Now that the weather is clearing up the Miners can remove their boots and keep the ball rolling.

SIDELINES

by Gary Strebel

Looking back over the 1961 track season we see another winning record for the cindermen. This record consisting of 5 wins and 2 losses. The win-lose record is as follows:

Lost Sat., April 8 to Warrensburg.

Won Wed., April 12 over Harris Teachers.

Lost Sat., April 15 to Cape and Springfield.

Won Wed., April 19 over Washington University.

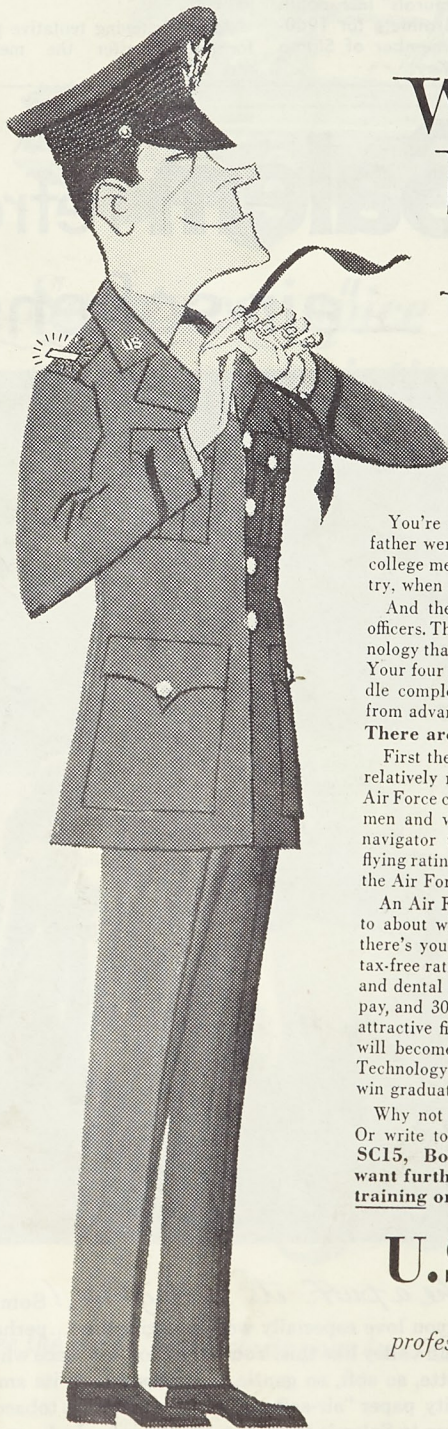
Won Sat., April 22 over Evangel.

Won Tues., April 25, over Westminster.

Won Sat., April 29 over Drury.

The cindermen as a team did remarkably well this season. Individual records of many of the players are even better. Leger, Steiner, and Van Horn were the high point men for the team this season. Steiner leading the group pointwise and in the long distance runs. Bob won first place in the 880 yd. dash in most of the meets. Leger started the season off winning seconds then to break the school record at the Washington U. meet at 15:5 in the high hurdles. Geary ran both the high and low hurdles for the cindermen this season. Van Horn, the Miners 440 man took a large number of firsts in this event. Although the trackmen got off to a bad start at the M.I.A.A. Indoor Conference at Columbia this year, they buckled down and really came through the rest of the season. The outstanding meet, in my estimation was the Washington U. meet. Here the team displayed their talents best and really came out on top. If the team hadn't put out their all as they did, this might have been a loss but everyone tried the mark to put down our old rivals from Washington U. The last meet of the season held last Friday and Saturday at Cape was the M.I.A.A. Outdoor Conference. Even though the team placed only fifth and won over Maryville, they made some very good times. Dennis Hedger came within an inch of breaking the school record at this meet to win second. Dennis at the beginning of the year was missing the mark by six and seven inches. Our mile relay team consists of Van Horn, Leger, second; Lee Brown third with Steiner as anchor man, came with 9/10 of a second of the seconds of the school record. Joe Gay won second for the team, a second in the high jump and tied the school record. A good season very well completed.

The 1961-62 season should be an outstanding season for the trackmen. All the Miners will be back and with experience under their belts. This undoubtedly will help the team to have an even better season next year. Coach Bullman should be sitting fine for next year unless the other schools pull something out of the blue.



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