


The Yearbook Staff would like to dedicate the 1972-73 edition of the Sabre to our sponsor, Mr. Rick Mackie. Without Mr. Mackie's help the yearbook wouldn't have been possible. The staff greatly appreciates all of his efforts and encouragement.

This was the first year that any of the staff (and Mr. Mackie) had ever worked on a yearbook from the diagram of pages to the final copy. There were many problems, frustrations, and long nights spent after school trying to create interesting pages and meet deadlines. Fortunately, everyone pulled through without losing sanity.

We hope the yearbook reflects Union'si student life and that you enjoy it.



English
Stresses
The
Need
For
Communication

## experimenting -

observing exploring -
learning


Larry Carner mixes a special creation for blowing up the Chemistry lab.

Students were faced with new terms and concepts as they strove for a better understanding. Trying, failing and trying again were common procedures in Chemistry labs. Some Biology students found dissecting interesting, others just got sick. Such things as field trips and surveying were taken up by the Physics class.
"I hope he's better looking inside than he is outside."

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## Business

Ed. -

## Careers

Ahead Are

Planned

It's got to be right!


I pushed the wrong one again!

$2+2=4,4+4=7 ? ?$


Typing II class, hard at work again.



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## Our

 Celebrated
## Artists

Art 1 and 11 provided our struggling artists an outlet for their talents. Photography and leathercraft were added this year along with the regular choices of painting, drawing, and crafts. Light bulbs, milk cartons, and pistons found their way into many projects, but the pencil and brush retained their position as the most popular medium.

Contests and weekly displays in the halls brought comments from faculty and students. The town and country Art Show topped off the year with two entries going to regional competition.


## U.S. History -

## The Past Mirrors

## The Future

To everyone's delight this is a required course that will survey the social, cultural, and economic developments in our nation's past.

A new format will be followed in the 7374 school term, which will include a brief study of the colonial period so that the U.S. and State Constitutions can be examined in depth. After the completion of the Constitution test, we will move to the area of major emphasis, the 1850's through the 1970's. Films frequently are shown in order to promote a visual concept of the various periods being studied.



## Is

## It Soup Yet?

The Home Economic classes taught with modern equipment and facilities. The first and second year classes leamed the fundamentals of cooking and sewing. Food services met for 2 periods each day. This class was structured to prepare students for employment in a wide range of occupations related to the food industry. A new class opening this year was Decisions for Contemporary Living. This was an individualized program where each student chose a topic they were interested in and spent one semester studying it in depth.


## learning by doing

Industrial Arts classes provided boys with vocational experiences and technical skill needed by many for a future job. Others elect Industrial Arts classes because they like working with their hands making furniture, repairing cars, designing house plans, welding metals, or working with electric currents.


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Union's music courses provide entertainment and variety, not only for the spectators, but for the performers. ABOVE is a shot of the chorus' spring concert and to the RIGHT Bill Allman tries out a new instrument during study hall.

## Chorus And Band Display Their Talents



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## Figures Were The Main Attraction

Mathematics offered a wide variety of classes from geometry to advanced math, and with them came the usual problems. Students sweating out the night before exams and arguing whether or not 2.999 $=3$ with the teachers were a few. However with the problems also came the triumphs their faces showed when their papers came back with "A's" on them.


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"Where'd it go?"
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"Funeral Tea"
by Pat Wilson

Place: A village in Yorkshire, England Time: Present

Mrs. Ellis
Mrs. Murgatroyd
Miss Starkie Miss Parker Mrs. Booth

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## "School Of Darkness"

by Stewart Boston
Place: Any 'ultra-modern' city
Time: October, 1993
Ms. Conrad
Roberta Davilla
Miss Peterson
Betty Perry
Parker
Gary Watson
Chairman of the Committee of Enquiry
Steve Gray
Committee Members:


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# "Emil's Leap" 

by Thomas Terefenko

Place: The side of a mountain just before a cliff Time: A pleasant autumn afternoon.
Emil
Gary Watson Leon Dan Smith Joyce Betty Perry
Edna
Becky Torrance


## Congratulations, N.H.S.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Kathy Gibb, Carol Swanson, Larry Carner, Debbie Janssen, Lynn Gustafson, David Koopmans, Janice VanTine, Betty Perry, Mark Holford, Roberta Davilla, Jana Lox, Dennis Dehner, Debbie Heller, Jody Graham, Gary Watson, Amy Boyer, Barb Randall and Dan Smith.


Food!
A reception was held for the new initiates and their parents after the program. The refreshments were served by Mrs. Griffitts and the Food Services class.

This year's National Honor Society was an honorary organization. A more active group is planned for next year when the society will try to encourage its four ideals of scholarship, leadership, character, and service.


Congratulations, Kathy!

OFFICERS
Pres. - Gary Watson
Vice Pres.-Janice VanTine Sec.-Roberta Davilla
Treas. -Jana Lox


Homecoming Dance was held in the gym, which was decorated with streamers and balloons. Inside Front, a band from Champaign, set the mood. The night reached its peak when King and Queen candidates were escorted to the stage. SHOWN ARE: TOP, Kathy Gibb and Clark Kelly. MIDDLE, Barb Randall and Lyle Jones. BOTTOM, Amy Boyer and Mike Ruberg.

## MAKE

## MINE

## RED

WHITE

AND
BLUE



UPPER LEFT: our junior attendants Teri Henson and Rick Olson. UPPER RIGHT: sophomore attendants Ann Melvin and Ronny Ferguson. CENTER: freshman attendants Connie Meloan and Rick Ferguson. LOWER LEFT: 1971 King and Queen, Sherrie Smith and Bob Bailey. LOWER RIGHT: Crown bearers Jamie Graham and Scott Wegman.




UPPER LEFT: 1972 Homecoming court waiting to see who will become King and Queen. LOWER LEFT: Here's the Attendants doing "The Royal Court Shuffle. " LEFT: Barb and Mike enjoying the "cheek-to-cheek" music. ABOVE: The crowning of the King and Queen. Don't look so surprised Mike!

## Sweet Moments Pass



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"Oh-
Mrs. Griffitts"


Janice Booten-Sr. Adv. Janet Saben-Adv. at Large Betty Rogers- Treas. Kathy Carner-Sec. Barb Stevens-V.P. Janis Stoneking-Fr. Adv. Linda Jones-So. Adv.


## Student Action For Education



The S. A.E. started off its year with a cookout and organization meeting at Delabar State Park. A group later went back to Delabar to clean up the park. In February the S.A.E. club visited Yorkwood with the most impressing part being the modular system and their lounge.


1972-73
Officers

Kathy CarnerTreasurer Leigh OlsonSecretary
Roberta Davilla-
V. President

Janet Saben-
President

THE MODEL

## Can We Meet The Deadline?



FRONT ROW: Mr. Mackie, Janice Van Tine, Marlene McChesney, Kevin Barker. SECOND ROW: Jan Shappel, Roberta Davilla, Deb Heller, Donna Means. THIRD ROW: Andrea Frank, Patti Ohler, Joni Hultgren, Linda Jones, Pat McGraw. FOURTH ROW: Marla Miller, Terri Bruscia, Cheri Bruscia, Cindy Louck, Debbie Davis, Terry Krow. FIFTH ROW: Gary Watson, Gail Hamilton, Randy Hale, Dan Smith, Janet Saben, Donna McGraw, Jayne Thompson, Kathy Carner, Bev Nelson, Connie Peterson, Debbie Janssen.


THE RIVERLINE
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We would like to give special thanks to our most dedicated yearbook workers. Our sponsor, Mr. Mackie, our editor and co-editor, Janice Van Tine and Marlene McChesney, our photographers, Gary Watson and Kevin Barker, and the following people whom we could always depend on when help was needed: Deb Heller, Jan Shappell, Deb Janssen, Randy Hale, and, Amy Boyer.

## Monotony Staff Brings Us School News



FRONT ROW: Jack Olson, Chris Robbins, Barry Cisna, Clark Kelly. SECOND ROW: Betty Perry, Barb Randall, Deb Brokaw, Joyce Siegfried, Roberta Davilla, Gail Hamilton. THIRD ROW: Karen Lumbeck, Karen Peterson, Dana Meloan, Cathy Douglas, Jody Graham, Janice Booten, Jana Lox, Deb Janssen.

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"Hard at work, girls?"


FIRST ROW: Ann Melvin, Kim Johnson, Melanie Koopmens, Janer Saben, Barb Randall, Debi Brokaw, Pat Olson, Connie Meloan, Kim Lewis, Janice Stoneking, April Steele, Dathy Burgdorph, Rhonda Sheppell, SECOND ROW: Diane Meyer, Jane Torrance, Peggy Bigger, Ann Zurmeglem, Jeanne Graham, Merri Curitss, Sue Hendirckson, Jody Graham, Terri Bruscia, Debi Jansenn, Linda Jones, Carla Holford, Rita Simpson, Janis Shappell, Patti Ohler, Cheryl Link, Jana Lox, Marla Miller, Cindi Louck, Cheri Brusciza. To the RIGHT: Kim Lewis, Pat Olson, Melanie Koopmans, Cindi Louck, Jana Lox, Jody Graham, Marla Miller, Rhonda Sahppell, Merri Curtiss, Barb Randall, Cheryl Lkuk, Kathy Gibb, BACK ROW: Mrs. Spreitler, Linda Jones, Jeanne Graham.



ABOVE GAA OFFICERS, FIRST ROW: Cheryl Link, Barb Randall, Pat Olson, STANDING: Jeanne Graham, Linda Jones, Rhonda Shappell.


BACK ROW: Rick Ferguson, Jim Brant, Louie Lloyd, John Miller, Mike Torrance, Bill Allaman, Bill Hurka, Larry Carner, Mark McGriff, John Stevens, Lavern Lain, THIRD ROW: Dennis Boyd, Steve Lox, Phil Torrance, Steve Higbee, Gene Kelly, Matt Gray, John Lozier, Byron Sebastin, Jerry Carnes, Pat Wilson, Tom Adair, Rick Olson, Bruce Smith, SECOND ROW: Fim Rogers, Tim Ebert, Rusty Johnson, Mike Bailey, Mark Beal, Tim Allaman, Mike Blint, Darrell Beilser, Brad Clark, Jim McKiney, Gary Koopmans, Robert Allen, FIRST ROW: Mr. Chaffer, Officers are: Dave Koopmans, Charlie Purett, Clark Kelly--President, Steve Gray, Dennis Dehner, Dennis Gibb.


Chess Was
Their Game

THIRD ROW: Marcella Cisna, Kevin Booten, John Wegman, Phil Torrance, Sam Bigger, Jim McKiney, Robinn Scott, Tracy Hawks, Dan Purtile, Bill Allaman, Mike Bowman, Mickey Bishop, David Spanglar, Ron Bigger, Ron Ferguson, Victor Vice, Chris Robbing, SECOND ROW: Kathy Burgdorf, Rita Hays, Bob Ransdom, Rod Slover, Don Mickey, Mike Henry, David Spurlock, Matt Gray, Rick Renard, Gene Kelly, Steve Hibgee, Mary Hastings, Mary Allaman, FIRST ROW: Mark Beal, Tim Ebert, Mike Bailey, Tim Allaman, Marty Victory, Kathy Gibb, Mark Shaffer, Dennis Boyd, Darrell Beilser, Chalesr Peterson, Mike Blent and Mr. Shimmin as sponsor.

## The Library Club



FIRST ROW: David Spangler, Kevin Slover, Betty Ditto, Cindy Wolkenhauer, Cathy Burgdorf, Kevin John. SECOND ROW: Miss Mannes, Darlene Beard, Rick Pullen, Barb Stevens, LuAnn Knotternerus, Gail Mickey, David Spurlock, Charlie Peterson, Tom Wilson.

The Library Club consists of students interested in learning about the library. The practical experience of working in it enables them to quickly and easily assist students seeking materials.

Student Librarians assist the librarian in maintaining the upkeep of the library by performing such duties as straightening the shelves, checking out books, periodicals, and vertical file materials and reshelving those returned, neatly for easy accessibility.


Miss Mannes and the Student Librarians' Officers.

K \& G SEWING CENTER

## Hardworking Student Council Members



THE CHORUS LINE OF UNION HIGH SCHOOL'S STUDENT COUNCIL! They are: Janice Van Tine, Sheryl Link, Lori Hultgren, Barb Randall, John Wegman, Dick Bigger, Mike Jacobs, Gary Watson, Dan Smith, Ron Ferguson, Leigh Olson, Roberta Davilla.


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## Chorus At U.H.S. . . . A Happy Place!



FRONT ROW: Mrs. Riley, Ann Melvin, Marla Miller, Donna McGraw, Brad Clark, Tim Allaman, Robin Scott, Mark Beal, Mary Stewart, Rita Hays, Patii Ohler, Diane Sells and Betty Perry. SECOND ROW: Melanie Koopmans, Annette Kelly, Diane Dehner, Mike Blindt, Larry Carner, Victor Vice, Mike Bowman, John Darrah, Dan Smith, Gary Watson, Deb Janssen, Charlotte Rice, Pam Martin, and Beth Guenther. THIRD ROW: Deb Brokaw, Pat McGraw, Becky Torrance, Mary Allaman,


Chorus officers are Betty Perry, Gary Watson, Steve Gray and Roberta Davilla.


Our accompianists are Roberta


Rodney Hale, John Wegman, John Lozier, Bill Allaman, John Carner, Steve Hibgee, Cathy Carner, Joyce Siegfried, Charles Rice, Linda Jones, and Cathy Burgdorf. FOURTH ROW: Ann Zurmuehlen, Gail Hamilton, Leigh Olson, Lon Simpson, Paul Carner, Steve Gray, Darlene Beard, Mary Hastings, Jane Torrance, Cathy Douglas, Terri Bruscia, Deb Heller, Chris Cooper, Roberta Davilla and Barb Stevens.


Davilla and Leigh Olson.


FRONT ROW: Melanie Koopmans, Debi Brokaw, Betty Perry, Leigh Olson, Karen Lumbeck, Deb Heller, Roberta Davilla and Cathy Carner. BACK ROW: John Wegman, John Carner, Paul Carner, Steve Gray, Victor Vice, Gary Watson, Mike Bowman and Larry Carner.

## The Band



The 1972-73 Marching Yankee Band was quite active during this term. The band provided pre-game and half-time ceremonies at Yankee home football games and between game music at Yankee home basketball games. The band endeavors to put on a different show or marching drill with different music at each of its public appearances.

The Marching Yankees also participated in the Prime Beef Festival Parade in Monmouth; Burlington Band Days Festival; Western Illinois Homecoming Parade in Macomb; the Burlington Holiday Parade and the Steamboat Days Parade.

The Concert Band was limited in scope to presenting a Christmas Program, participation in IHSA solo and ensemble contest and IHSA organization contest, and playing at UHS Graduation Ceremonies.


## Marches On



This year's twirlers were: Merri Curtiss Rhonda Shappell Cathy Douglas Ann Zurmehelen Debbie Oaks (not pictured)


## Vacacione



TOP: Arriving in Mexico City


On April 14 from Monmouth, Ill. 9 students from Union and 25 Yorkwood students -along with 3 chaperones-embarked on a
 bus and train trip to Mexico. Arriving on Tuesday., April 17, in Mexico City, the group began a 5 day sight-seeing and shopping tour of Taxco, the Aztec Pyramids, Cuernevaca, as well as Mexico City. There was a lot of fun-and a lot of sickness but the new experiences and new friends made the trip unforgettable.

## A Mexico

Students from Union
Carla Holford Janice Stoneking Pam Martin Kathy Carner Roberta Davilla

Becky Torrance
Betty Perry
John Wegman
Leigh Olson
Mrs. J. Tomlin (chap.)

BELOW: The Aztec Pyramids, RIGHT: The Swimming Pool at the Univ. of Mexico.


Gardens
At
Cuernevaca


FIRST ROW: Pam Martin, Melanie Koopmans, Charlene Rice, April Steele, Roberta Davilla, Mary Guenther. SECOND ROW: Reta Hays, Betty Spiker, Becky Torrance, Leigh Olson, Betty Perry, Mary Hastings, Ann Zurmehlen, Merri Curtiss, Tina Alecock, Mrs. Tomlin.

Spanish
Club
Moves
Onward


## Cheering Just a Few Years




## VICKROY'S OF MONMOUTH

J. V. Cheerleaders

LEFT TO RIGHT: Jane Torrance, Cindy Louck, Ann Melvin, Jeanne Graham, Chris McCabe.

## Freshman Cheerleaders

TOP: Diana Dehner. MIDDLE: Kim Lewis, Susan Link, and April Steele. FRONT: Carla Holford.

## but millions



## varsity cheerleaders

Varsity Cheerleaders
FRONT: Amy Boyer-Sr.-4th yr. LEFT: Dana Meloan-Jr. -2nd yr. RIGHT: Barb Randall-Sr. -3 rd yr. BACK: Janet Saben-Sr. 1 st yr.


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## of cheers



Vickie Keever.
She has been a dedicated alternate.
She worked very hard, was needed several times, and did the job well.

BELOW: One of the cheerleader's weirdest of 23 skits.


WADE MELOAN, DRUGGIST
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## and buckets of tears.

The Varsity Cheerleaders brought a new spirited look to Union with new uniforms, new cheers, and two pompom routines which they learned at the Rockford Cheerleading Camp.

The J. V.'s attended the Monmouth Cheerleading Clinic and brought home several new cheers. In order to make money for next year they sponsored a slave auction, sold pizzas, and sold helium balloons at Homecoming.

Our Freshmen were a new addition and with them brought something needed at Union--acrobatics.

All three squads had a lot to offer in spirit, skill, and sportsmanship. They strove always to make cheering a worthwhile experience.


Connie Meloan, Fresh. Alt.


i just love to dance

## yankee gridiron " 72 "


the last tango


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## Varsity



TOP: Coach Campbell, Terry Krow, Steve Gray, Bill Hetrick, Dan Smith, Jack Olson, Gary Watson, Clark Kelley, Mickey Albin, Mike Ruberg, Coach Dye. MIDDLE: Bill Hurka, Bruee Ruberg, Bob McGriff, Dan Pirtle, Lon Simpson, Dan Millar, Mike Torrance, Kevin Shauman, Don Peek. BOTTOM: Sam Bigger, Rod Slover, Gene Kelley, Shane Parsons, Ronny Ferguson, Ron Bigger, John Wegman. (not pictured) Mark Holford.
move that ball


Bill Hetrick, Lon Simpson, Clark Kelley, Mike Torrance, Terry Krow, Ronny Ferguson, Dan Millar, Rod Slover, Gary Watson, Kevin Shauman, John Wegman.

hold 'em yanks

Don Peek, Ron Bigger, Bruce Ruberg, Jack Olson, Gene Kelley, Mike Ruberg, Gary Watson, Bill Hurka, Mickey Albin, Bob McGriff, Sam Bigger.


## Junior Varsity

BACK ROW: Coach Campbell, Sam Bigger, Dan Pirtle, Bruce Ruberg, Bill Hurka, Bob McGriff, Ron Bigger, Ron Ferguson, Phillip Torrance, Matthew Gray. FRONT: John Wegman, David Spurlock, Shane Parsons, Gene Kelly, Rodney Slover, Mike Blindt, Jim McKinney, Darryl Bielser.

union's
experience leaves

Bill Hetrick, Dan Smith, Jack Olson, Gary Watson, Clark Kelly, Mickey Albin, Mike Rubert. (not pictured Mark Holford.)

## co-captains

gary watson and clark kelly led the team
under coach dye


## "OUR COACH DYE"

The 1972 football Yanks finished with a 1-6-1 record. The Yanks were just steps and inches away from winning a majority of their games. However, the record in no way indicates the pride, poise and sportsmanship continually demonstrated by the Union football players on and off the field. It is easy to show these characteristics when a team is winning; but, when these attributes are demonstrated during a losing season no one need be ashamed.



Oh, Not Again.


Terry Krow sets to block as Ron Ferguson watches the play develop.

Managers Steve Higbee and Mark Griff.


The Yanks get set for another try.

##  <br> 





"You've got to be kidding!"


Here Jim, let me help you up.

"Don't go away mad-just go away!"

## THE TEAMS

Dennis Dehner out-jumps Rough Rider.


STARTING FROM THE LEFT: Craig Rima, Greg Smith, Steve Thompson, Paul Carner, Ronnie Bigger, Coach Dye, Mike Torrance, Coach Rima, Jim Olson, Lon Simpson (manager), Dennis Dehner, Bill Seitz, Ronny Ferguson, Mike Ruberg, and Rod Eaton.


## STAND PROUD



5:1-Ruberg style.


Oh no, not again!


FRONT ROW: Shane Parsons, Ronny Ferguson, Craig Rima, John Miller, John Wegman, Don Mickey, and Rod Slover. BACK ROW: Coach Dye, Sam Bigger, Greg Smith, Ron Bigger, Kevin Barker, and Bill Seitz.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Robin Scott Manager, Sam Bigger, Rick Ferguson, Tracy Hawks, Matthew Gray, Eddie Sharp, Philp Torrance, Coach Shimmin, Craig Rima, David Spurlock, Mike Bailey, Steve Lox, Ricky Pollen, Dick Bigger.



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The Backstroke

## Thinclads Take



Track at Union started on March 5, 1973, in the gym, with twenty-one boys reporting, including returning lettermen Lyle Jones, Marc Olson, Mike Ruberg, Terry Krow, Dan Millar, Kevin Shau-. man, Bruce Ruberg, Rod Slover, and John Wegman. After two weeks of conditioning, practice moved outside as weather permitted, and work was started on individual events.

On April 3, we traveled to Burlington for a dual meet with Notre Dame, and the start of another winning season. When we climbed back on the bus again, we did so with a 82 to 41 victory, having won every event except the 120 high hurdles, mile run, pole vault, and 440 yard relay.

Two days later we were in West Burlington for another dual, and this time the weather was slightly warmer. Of the nineteen events we won thirteen of them, and finished with a score of 88 to 63 over Falcons. During this meet Rodney Slover set a school record in a new event for us--the triple jump--with a distance of $34^{\prime} 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

On April 13 we were at Keokuk for one of our favorite meets. We finished with 33 points for third place in a field of thirteen schools in the Class C Division. Only Rushville and Mediapolis outscored us.

On the 19th we were at Yorkwood for a new meet--the Blue \& Gold Olympics--where we finished in fifth place. It wasn't one of our best nights. In the Penthalon, our entry--Bruce Ruberg--scored 2196 points to take second place; quite an accomplishment.

At the Carthage Relays during the Spring Vacation break, we scored 23 points to get us sixth place out of a field of eighteen schools. Lyle Jones won the 100 yard dash with a time of 10.5 seconds, and placed second in the 220 yard dash. Rod Slover placed second in the 180 low hurdles, and our 440 and 880 yard relay teams placed fourth and Rod Slover picked up a fifth in the long jump. Due to the vacation we were minus some members, including John Wegman who was in Mexico.
Our meet with Southern on the 26th found us still minus some members, but we still won with a score of 70 to 57 over the Rebels. The meet was held on the one/fifthmile track at Media, and this took some getting used to on the long races.
The highlight of the 1973 season was our May 1 winning of the Bi-County conference meet with a score of 52 points. The meet was held at Sciota on the Northwestern field, and the weather was cloudy, cold, and wet. This was the second time we have won the Bi-County meet in three years, having missed winning it in 1972 by two points. We also won the 880 yard relay again for the third straight time to bring the traveling trophy back to Union.

## Bi-County



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Track cont'd. Our other first place winners included Marc Olson in the pole vault with a height of 10'6", and Lyle Jones in the 100 yard dash with a time of 10.5 seconds-- good for the weather. Terry Krow placed second in the shot put, Kevin Shauman second in the discus, Lyle Jones was second in the 220 yard dash, with a time of 23.4 seconds for a new school record, and John Wegman placed second in the mile run. Other point getters included Rod Slover, Bruce Ruberg, Dennis Dehner, Dan Millar, and our mile relay team of Mike Ruberg, Rod Eaton, Dan Millar, and Dennis Dehner. The mile relay team placed a contested second place behind Warren, and Dennis ran approximately 430 yards of the anchor leg with one shoe off.
In the Freshman Division our four freshman, Sam Bigger, Steve Higbee, Darrel Bielser, and Jim McKinney, did their best, but this wasn't our year.
Three days later we were at Yorkwood for a triangular meet. Final score was Union 76 points, Yorkwood 58 points, and Dallas City 22 points. We won all but five of the varsity events.
May 8 found us at Roseville for the Relays where we finished with 37 points to place us fourth out of sixteen schools. For the 2nd time in a week we had beaten all the Bi-County schools; this time the closest one was 11 points behind.



## Decisions, Decisions!



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Larry Sterett
Nancy Krey


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Janet Tomlin
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John Dye


Rick Mackie


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## The People That Keep Things Going


"Where did ya say that leak was?"


UPPER LEFT: School nurse, Nancy Hendrickson. UPPER RIGHT: Janitors, Earl Johnson and Irvin Burke. LOWER RIGHT: The cooks, Paula Bailey, Bernice Elston, and Marge Johnson.
(20)

## "Crocodile Rock" Comes To Life





Did you really?


I'm yours baby!

How do you like my sexy new tennies?



I don't care if they never get that alarm fixed--as long as I keep getting out of class.


Does this belong to you?


Whap! ! Barb how about displaying your muscles on somebody else!


Beauty and the Beast--but which is which?


Krow gets his feathers ruffled!


Marty Victory has been a big help to the yearbook this year. When we were trying to sell year books to raise more money, he was there ready and willing to help. He sold 20 yearbooks. Also Marty sold so many, many candy bars that we lost count. His help was greatly appreciated by Mr. Mackie and the staff.


Take me, I'm yours.


FRESHMEN

## Class of ' 76



Mary Allaman Tim Allaman Mike Bailey Jody Baumgardner Mark Beal

Darrel Bielser Carol Bigger Peggy Bigger Richard Bigger Sam Bigger


Michael Blindt Dennis Boyd Roger Brockett Cheryl Bundy


Doyle Bundy Cathy Burgdorf Paul Carnes Peter Carroll


Rose Christofferson Brad Clark

Chris Cooper
Pat Costello

Darla Cox
Tina Decker



Diana Dehner Wendy Dye Tim Ebert

Rick Ferguson Brad Frank Matthew Gray


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Gerald Kelley Rita Kennedy Latoska Knottnerus Annette Kobus Melanie Koopmans

Karen Krow Larry Lain Kim Lewis Susan Link Patricia Lox

Steven Lox
John Lozier
Pamela Martin James McKinney Connie Meloan


COMPLIMENTS OF


Reta
Simpson
Kevin
Slover


David
Spangler
Cynthia Spiker


David Spurlock April Steele

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David Thacker Phil Torrance

Thomas Wilson Lavonna Winchel

Cindy Wolkenhauer Ann Zurmuelen


Marty Victory
Dora Villarreal



## Class of ' 75

Valerie Adkins William Allaman Robert Allen Cindy Barker Kevin Barker

Darlene Beard Ronnie Bigger Thomas Boothe Kevin Booton Donald Bothwell

Mike Bowman James Brant LeRoy Brent Bonnie Brockett Connie Brockett



Andrea Frank enjoying an exciting lunch hour at U.H.S.

Jeff Brockett Daniel Brownlee Cheri Bruscia

Terri Bruscia Marsha Bundy Brian Carlson

John Carner Kathy Carner lerry Carnes

John Darrah Debbie Davis Marcella Ebert


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Bruce Smith
Greg Smith Barbara Stevens John Stevens

Jayne Thompson Jane Torrance Randy Tracy Victor Vice


John Wegman
Pat Wilson



## Juniors

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Becky and Jake Are Our Leaders for the Year.


Thomas Adair Tina Alecock Larry Allen Carl Bersch Merle Bishop

Debra Brokaw Robert Carner Barry Cisna Hazel Copeland Merri Curtiss

Roberta Davilla Betty Ditto Cathy Douglas Philip Dye
Tom Dye

Dennis Gibb Randy Grafton Larry Granneman Stephen Gray Mary Guenther

Randell Hale Gail Hamilton Deborah Heller Mike Hendrickson Teri Henson

Joni Hultgren Michael Jacobs Deborah Janssen Vickie Keever David Koopmans


Terry Krow Ronnie Kruse Debra Lox
Karen Lumbeck
Marlene McChesney

Donna McGraw
Patty McGraw
Mark McGriff
Dana Meloan
Karen Meyer

Dean Meyer
Dan Millar
Marla Miller Debbie Oaks
Rick Olson


Don Peek
Betty Perry
Karen Peterson
Charlene Rice Charlotte Rice

Chris Robbins
Diane Sells
Sandra Seymour
Rhonda Shapell
Kevin Shauman

Lon Simpson Jenny Seins Joyce Siegfried Debbie Shipley Vickie Shipley

You Devil
You!


Did you see Opie?


Randy Simpson Alan Smith

Becky Torrance Mike Torrance Steve Thompson Steve Tomey



Don Waterman


Dave Hyde
not pictured
Janice Van Tine
Terry Manes

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Benediction
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## Music

Sermon

Benediction

## *Recessional

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Rebecca Torrance, Organist
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* Audience will please rise for Processional
* Audience please remain standing after Benediction for Recessional


## CLASS FLOWER - Yellow Rose

## Class of 1973



MYRA JEAN BELL
"What did ya say Myra?"


AMY LOU BOYER
"Two-mey from John"

ANGELA SUE BOUGHTON
"Where's the party?

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DAVID LYNN BRUNER "Swahili"


KEVIN PAUL BURGDORF
"Carol who?"

EARLA BROCKETT CURTIS
"The 'Earla' bird catches worm. "


LAWRENCE EVERETT CARNER "Flyboy"

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GOFF'S
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## Class of 1973




DENNIS ALLEN DEHNER
"What's for Dehner?"


RODNEY GENE FRANK "Wadney"


RODNEY WAYNE EATON
"What ya been 'Eaton'. "


KATHY MARIE GIBB
"Unholy Roller"

## ... Awaiting Graduation



JOHANNA GRAHAM
"I've already been baptized. "

CYNTHIA LYNN GUSTAFSON
"Lynnerd"


MICHAEL LYNN HENRY
"DuRock"


CHARLES WALTER HENDRICKSON "Punkin Sue"


WILLIAM HERMAN HETRICK
"Little Billy"

## Class of 1973

MARK ALAN HOLFORD "Mr. Cool"


LYLE LAVERN JONES "Flash never Teris"


CLARK BOYD KELLY
"Corky"
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## Says Goodbye

MARK KENNETH LUMBECK "10-4 Huck"


JACK WAYNE OLSON
"Wanna hear a joke?"


BEVERLY ANN NELSON
"She keeps moo-ving along. "

JANA SUE LOX
"Moose"


APRIL TERESA OAKS "I don't want a pickle. "

## Class of $1973 \ldots$




MARC JAN OLSON
"I de-CLINE fishing. "


CHARLES ELDON PRUETT "Chuck"


TERRY RAY POLSON
"Wanna lobster?"


BARBARA KAY RANDALL
"Tree"

## Heads for the Future



RANDY WILLIAM RICHARDSON "Barney Google"


MICHAEL ROSS RUBERG
"I get a kick out of Yorkwood. "


WANDALEA SCOTT COOK "I'm a good COOK. "

## Class of 1973 ...



BRADLEY RAY SHAFER "Rice a Roni"


BETTY SUE SPIKER
"Confuscious say--"


KENNETH DANIEL SMITH
"What's a girl???"


CAROL MAY SWANSON
"Mole"


CAROL ANNETTE SPANGLER "Star Spangler Girl"


DAVID LaVERNE THOMPSON
"No, No, Nanette"

Reminiscing


DELBERT LeROY THOMPSON "Dopher"


BYRON IRVING WHITTLESEY "Byrrrrron"


GARY STEWART WATSON "Wats-on tonite?"


EDWARD WILLIAMS
"Fast Eddie"

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