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# FLASH

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## SUMMER FUN FOR OUR BAND

The last week in August our school band enjoyed a week at Camp Lake, Ortonville. This camp gave the band members an opportunity to benefit from 5 1/2 hours a day of marching and of concert playing. Camp activities were enjoyed, too. Such as, swimming, boating, tennis, archery, baseball and many other sports.

Given by the students themselves, there were a talent show, a campfire, a puppet show and other social activities.

## WEDNESDAY: THIRD HOUR

During Wednesday's third hour period, the Juniors and Seniors were assembled in the cafeteria to listen to a lecture given by an associate of the Junior Achievement which was accompanied by a film, "Step Ahead." The lecture provided information on the enrollment in and activities of the organization. At its conclusion, the gentleman in charge distributed application cards to all students present.

## ATTENTION JUNIORS

Time to empty out the piggy-bank again. Come September, and it's time for rings.

Class rings will be ordered on September 26; a five dollar deposit is required for coverage at this time.

A selection of choice styles will be made by a few Juniors. Later, this selection will be voted on by your class.

## SCHOOLS FIRST PEP-RALLY OF THE SEASON

Today a half hour will be taken from our regular class time in order to have our first pep-rally of the season. Let's all cheer as loud as we can; giving our support to our team and cheerleaders.

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Thursday afternoon, at 1:45 p.m., representatives from the General Motor Corporation gave a Science Progress Program.

We are sure that this assembly was certainly an education advantage to all attending.

Tonight our football squad will engage in a battle to the finish with L'Ance Creuse at the big L'Ance's field. We expect as many students at the game tonight as possible. Let's help our cheerleaders cheer our Fraser Ramblers on to VICTORY tonight. As usual, the price of the game and bus ticket will be 75¢. See you at the game. By giving our team all the spirit we can, I think that our team will be on a winning surge throughout the year.

## VOTE

Attention, all students. In the near future voting for fellow student officers will be here. We encourage you to think about whom you want to be elected.

NEW TEACHERS:  
NEW STUDENTS:

New teachers are:  
Miss Cavas, Mr. Vaara,  
Mr. Garlets, Mr. Kirby,  
Miss Keidel, Mrs. Kranz,  
Mr. Maloney, Mr. Warren.

Fifty-eight new students make the total over 700.

*Teachers 40 Copies  
Class 30 "*

67  
100

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## EDITORIAL

"Aku-aku"

Having a good time means different things to different individuals. You, as a student, have already observed that people find enjoyment in doing varied things. To most of us this is probably our primary goal in life, that is, just to enjoy ourselves in our daily life. Too often though, we find this good feeling.

I would like to suggest a different kind of "having a good time" for your thought. Did you ever have the feeling of satisfaction and relaxation that comes with doing a job well and having it recognized by others as a good-piece of work? Did you ever go to class with your assignment completed and sit back and relax with the knowledge that you are prepared and ready?

For the vast majority of students, their sole responsibility to society as a whole is to prepare themselves so that they are able to contribute. The questions I would like to have the students of Fraser High School ask themselves are:

1. Am I doing my daily work in school sufficiently so that I enjoy my educational experiences?
2. Am I assuming my responsibilities in preparing myself to contribute to the people who depend upon me now and in the future?

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## The Secret of Easter Island!

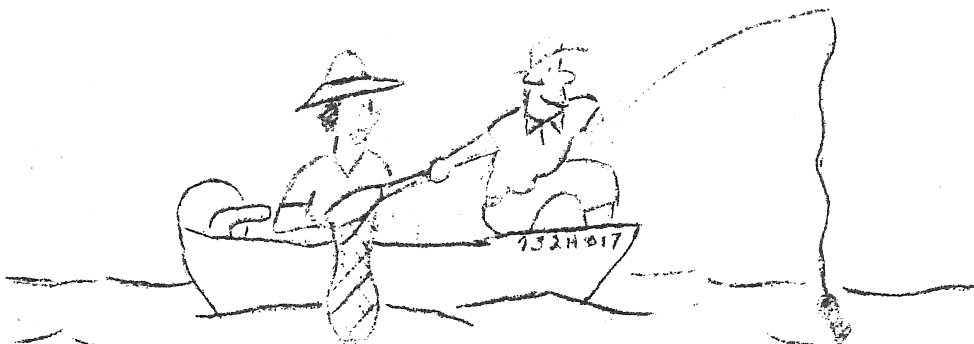
In "Aku-aku," Thor Heyerdahl, the author seeks to prove the fact of migration of man from Peru to the South Pacific. It is a vigorous adventure story with all the lure of mysteries to be solved which keeps one reading and longing for more. "Aku-aku," becomes more intriguing because of the archaeological finding of the great carved and erected statues on Easter Island.

The author set out for a year's research to explore the declined civilization on the island. During this exploration he pried out of the Easter Islanders various superstitions, traditions, their inherited abilities.

Heyerdahl tells a story well, and your interest is increasingly fascinated in its science, adventure, human warmth, excitement and suspense.

QUOTABLE QUOTE

Miracles sometimes occur, but one has to work terribly hard for them.



"IF HE RAMS THE BOAT, WE'RE FINISHED"

# ALUMNI NEWS

Three of the graduates of the class of 1961 are attending South Macomb Community College. They are Lolly Manthei, Cheryl Bloomer and Victor Accivatti. ... Carol Spearman is working as a secretary in Chicago ... Darryll Matthews is stationed at Lowry Air Force Base in Colorado and is now an Airman 3rd Class... Awaiting their departure for the U.S. Army on September twentieth are Ron Rybicki, and Leslie Fraekevelt.... Gail Lindoren is now married and working at the Dwayne Gerlich Insurance Company. ... Bucky Steffens and Skip Dobrei are soon to become freshmen at Michigan State University. Skip is going to major in mechanical engineering. ... Bill Hutge is attending Western Michigan University and is also majoring in engineering. Boyce Toffolo is now working for his Dad and is a tile setter.... Ken Engelbert is going to hit the books again this year. He will be attending Port Huron Junior College..... Tom Nicolai will also be back in school. He will be attending Kalamazoo College. ... Carol Balch, graduate of the 1960 class, now an elevator operator in the Book Building in downtown Detroit... Lynn

Schmitz graduate of the class of 1960 has been working for the Fraser Board of Education.. Rex Balch graduate of the class of 1959 is looking forward to his junior year of college at Wayne State University. Rex is majoring in Physical Education .... Joanne Oehmke, graduate of the 1960 class, is now working in the Mount Clemens China decal division. .. Donna Woloson, graduate of the 1961 class, is attending Western Michigan University. She has not as yet decided what her major will be. Nancy Sossi, graduate of the 1961 class also, is looking forward to her freshman year at Wayne State University. Karin Rorig, Donna Kollmorgan, and Kathy King are now attending the Thomas Secretarial School.... Donna also works for the Macomb Board of Education... Marion Zwar is doing secretarial work at the Milko Corp... June Haist is now working for General Motors as a secretary.

## AMERICAN KNOW HOW

In seventeen hundred and seventy six

A group of American mavericks

Renounced a yoke of tyranny

The tax on stamps, the tax on tea.

Our fathers felt that we were fit

To tax ourselves and you'll admit

We have been very good at it.

## YOUNG IDEAS

A teen-age boy, who was not overly fond of girls, decided to ask one to the big dance of the season. He'd been saving his allowance and working hard to earn enough to buy a coveted camera; when he'd have to dip into his saving to buy his date a corsage, he was steeped in gloom. Finally he brightened. "What have you decided to do?" his mother asked. "Give her some flower seeds and tell her it's a do-it-yourself package," he replied.

## BASIC ARITHMETIC

A six-year-old girl informed me that two plus two does not always make four. "Two raindrops plus two raindrops," she pointed out, "make a puddle."

## QUOTABLE QUOTES

Too many folks go through life running from something that isn't after them.

To him who is in fear everything rustles.

INTRODUCING  
NEW  
TEACHERS

Mr. Kirby:

Mr. Kirby was born in Dowagiac, Michigan. He obtained his B.S. degree at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan. His comment as to his first impression of Fraser High was, "I think you have a very friendly school which is very attractive to look at." His hobbies and interests are sports and collecting records. His advice to those wanting to enter his profession would be:

"To work in my profession you should have a genuine interest in people and a love of poverty."

Mr. Maloney:

Mr. Maloney attended Assumption University of Windsor, Ontario and also the University of Detroit. He has taught at Mt. Clements and at Centerline before coming to Fraser. Mr. Maloney commented on the order, and courteousness of the teachers and students. He likes to oil paint in his spare time. His idea of a good student is "One who realizes that school is his main job right now, and doesn't let anything else interfere with that job."

Miss Keidel:

Miss Keidel is a graduate of Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Mich. Fraser is her first experience in teaching. When asked what her first impression of Fraser was, she commented: "A nice looking building and a friendly atmosphere within." Miss Keidel's idea of a good student is "One who is courteous and shows a genuine interest in learning."

Miss Cavas:

Miss Cavas was born in Detroit, Michigan. She attended Wayne University. Miss Cavas commented on the naiveness and restlessness of our students. This is Miss Cavas first teaching experience. Miss Cavas takes an interest in horseback riding, skiing, modern and ballet dance. Miss Cavas also is a graduate of Case Tech of Detroit.

Mr. Garlets:

Mr. Garlets was born in La Grange Indiana. He attended Ball State Teacher's College, Indiana. His reason for becoming a teacher was probably due to the fact that both parents were teachers. Mr. Garlets likes all sports but especially enjoys playing basketball and soft or baseball. When asked what he would like to be if he were not a teacher he replied, "A dentist."

Mrs. Kranz:

Mrs. Kranz comes from Portland, Oregon. She received her first degree from Willamette University in Salem. Mrs. Kranz has many interesting stories concerning her teaching on the Island of Guam where she taught for one year. She is looking forward to our Michigan winter and the sports it will bring.

Mr. Warren:

Mr. Warren was born in Trinidad, British West Indies. He attended Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti. Mr. Warren commented that he likes Fraser, but hasn't had much time to form much of an opinion. Mr. Warren's favorite sports are high school football, tennis and swimming. Outside of being a teacher, Mr. Warren would also like to be a "Millionaire."

Mr. Vaara:

Mr. Vaara went to college at Northern Michigan with no previous teaching experience, he came to Fraser. When asked about his first impression of Fraser, he replied, "I think it is a very good school!" Mr. Vaara has a great interest in sports but his main interest and experience is in basketball and track. His hobby is Stamp collecting. His idea of how students should be sincere and honest. We hope our students are trying to obey this.

Co-Captains  
?'s & Answers

Coaches  
?'s & Answers

J.V. & VARSITY  
PLAYERS

1. How do you feel about the responsibility of being elected co-captain?

Tom Sayer... "I think its a great honor."

Bill Michaels. . . "I'm glad they thought enough of me to pick me."

2. What teams do you think will give us the most trouble?

Tom Sayer . . . "There are three (3) really tough teams. Lincoln, Lakeshore, and Centerline."

Bill Michael. . . "They are all pretty tough, but Centerline is our greatest problem."

3. What is our weakest point of the team?

Tom Sayer... "Inexperience."

4. Do we have enough school spirit?

Tom Sayer... "Very good, better than last year. The spirit of the team is very good, too."

Bill Michael... "I agree with Tom."

5. Do we have a better chance than last year?

Tom Sayer... "I think so. We're small in numbers, but we'll make it up in hustle."

"The team and everybody connected with it say that we have the greatest coaches in the league."

Bill Michael. . . "Yes, because we have a great line."

1. What are our chances this year compared to last year?

Mr. Nelson. . . "Overall improvement."

2. Do you think the team would do better with more support from the student body?

Mr. Nelson . . . "very much so."

3. Do the boys play as a team or individually?

Mr. Nelson.. "The players have great team co-operation."

Mr. Kennedy..... "We've got a good string team this year, and we should do all right as long as we don't have any injuries."

Mr. Ellison, coach of the Fraser J. V. team, said that the team of this year compared with last year has a better and bigger and better line and that the back-field is strengthened considerably. The addition of Lance Kollmorgen on the line and Steve Stratton in the back-field makes a big difference.....

HELP!

The Varsity cheerleaders for 1961-63 school year:

Elaine Maesso, Captain  
Liz Mack

Maurene Strubel

Judy Whipple

Sandi Napior

Janet Armstrong

The J.V. cheerleaders for this year:

Judy Heins, Captain

Ricky Trickett

Sharon Balch

Lois Reindel

Carol Faleris

Karen Pawlovich

Jackie Moase

Bob Accivatti

Gary Aubert

Mel Banks

Art Bond

Ted Bowman

Tom Brakewelt

Walter Brys

Dave Burkhart

Ken Carlson

Rich Daly

Darrell Davies

Rich Del Pappa

Tom DeNardi

Cary DeRoy

Bob DeVolder

John Dumas

Joe Eterno

Dave Fisher

Bruce Garbe

Ralph Garbe

Jerry Gregory

Fred Grunow

Al Harris

Doug Harms

David Hayes

John Helgeson

Norman Hitton

Louis Johnston

Kassin.....

Jeff Kless

Lance Kollmorgan

Al Lambertz

Tom Lane

John Lesnau

Larry Manthei

Howard May

Bill Michael

Mitchell Michael

Marshall Mittleman

Larry O'Bryan

John Osborne

Ralph Peck

David Perkins

Tom Pruett

Harold Rak

Mike Sayer

Tom Sayer

Walter Smits

Jim Stirling

Steve Stratton

Jim Schwark

Charles Tesh

Tim Tomaszewski

Mike Tozer

Bill Vandevigate

Bob Walker

Rich Whipple

Jim Zalewski

Mike Zupan

Roger Jennings