

VOCATIONAL WORKSHOP

In the last week of June, a group of eighth-graders arrived at our school to participate in the VOCATIONAL WORKSHOP which was held from June 29 to July 2. Beautiful days and a well-organized program made this venture a huge success, and a time long to be remembered.

A program balanced between the formal and the informal, between spiritual activities and sports made the time and days pass very rapidly. Conferences, question and answer periods, and movies on the religious and priestly life comprised the spiritual activities; swimming, basketball, trampoline, gymnastics, etc. comprised the sports activities. It was a time well-spent.

Another Vocational Workshop will be held in the last week of this coming June. It will be opened to future eighth-graders and high school boys interested in the priesthood or religious life. If any boy is interested in this future Workshop for June 1965, he can already send in his name, address, and grade. His name will be put on our files, and information will be sent to him at the beginning of May. For more information, please write to:

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FORMER PADUANS IN SEMINARY

God blessed the class of '64 with three vocations to the Franciscan priesthood. Members of the class were invested with the habit of St. Francis on Aug. 14, 1964, at Queen of Peace Monastery, Lake Geneva, Wis. They are, Joseph Bialoncik (Frater Emmanuel), William Brzoska (Frater David), and Robert Zito (Frater Jonathan).

Other former Paduans who completed their Novitiate Year took simple vows on August 15. They include Fra. Alan (John Tulko), Fra. Demetrius (Henry Lukowski), Fra. Lloyd (Stanley Czarnecki), and Fra. Christian (John Drexler). All were members of the class of '63.

There are also former Paduans studying at the House of Philosophy in Burlington, Wis., and at the Theological Seminary in West Chicago, Ill.

The total number of Paduans ordained is now six.

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John Lomnicki '63 gives an informal speech to the students during Career Day

CAREER DAY

The fifth annual Career Day, sponsored by the Alumni Association, was held on November 14. The day was a big success. It consisted of lectures on various careers. The master of ceremonies for the day was former alumni president, Frank Czajowski '53, who spoke about the legal profession. Other speakers included John Lomnicki '63, who spoke about the life of a night school student; Joseph Lomnicki '63, who spoke on opportunities for a young man interested in the stock market; and Thomas Zwolinski '64, who expressed his views of college life as a freshman. A question-answer period followed the lectures.

In the afternoon, the alumni challenged the student body to a touch football game. Age showed and the students were victorious with a final score of 12 to 0. To conclude the program, that evening, a performance of basketball talent was exhibited by the former Paduans. The alumni was divided into two teams, the married and the unmarried. After a tough battle, the married men, with combined teamwork, emerged as victors, despite the great efforts of Tim Clouser of the single men, who was high scorer of the day. When the buzzer sounded to end the game the final score was married men 46, single men 39.

MASS OF CONCELEBRATION

The annual Thirteen Hours Devotion was concluded with a sung Concelebrated mass. The main celebrant was Fr. Cherubin Drag, who was assisted by Frs. Bertrand Bluma, Roland Jaskulski, Brendan Wroblewski, and Mel Baran. Fr. Cajetan Bogdanski was the Master of Ceremonies.

After the Mass a Litany of the Saints was sung while Fr. Cherubin bore the monstrance through the chapel. The Thirteen Hours and the Concelebration Mass were then concluded with a Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

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The Paduan reaches many seventh and eighth graders in the East. If you are one of them and would like to know more about Padua Prep and the educational opportunities, send a note to—

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THIRD ORDER NEWS

On December 7, members of the sophomore class were admitted into the Third Order as novices by Fr. Cajetan Bogdanski, the Reverend Prefect. The former novices were professed on the following day.

Padua's Third Order consists of members of the sophomore, junior and senior classes, who are interested in achieving Christian perfection by following the rule of St. Francis.

BROTHERS HONORED

On November 13, the feast of St. Didacus was celebrated as Brothers' Day at Padua.

On this day the brothers were given the day off from their hard labor and Fr. Brendan entertained the brothers by having the Padua chorus honor them with some songs.

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ALUMNI PARTICIPANTS AT CAREER DAY

	Graduated
Mr. Francis Czajkowski	'53
Mr. Leonard Dmuchowski	'55
Mr. Robert Killigrew	'56
Mr. Michael Uss	'58
Mr. Albert Snopek	'60
Mr. Peter Teutchmann	'61
Mr. Walter Kurpiel	'62
Mr. Zbigniew Maciek	'62
Mr. Walter Snopek	'62
Mr. Michael Asiello	'63
Mr. Edward Sudol	'63
Mr. Dennis Springer	'63
Mr. Richard Regula	'63
Mr. John Lomnicki	'63
Mr. Joseph Lomnicki	'63
Mr. Robert Szypula	'63
Mr. Timothy Clouser	'61
Mr. Joseph Czermak	'61
Mr. Walter Tracey	'64
Mr. Louis Czubachowski	'64
Mr. Thomas Bekempis	'64
Mr. Thomas Zwolinski	'64
Mr. Thomas Kello	'64

CAMPING CLUB NEWS A SENIOR JOB FOR JUNIORS

Five years ago, the camping club was formed by Fr. Austin, the reverend moderator, in order to offer additional recreational facilities to the student body. Over the years, however, little progress can be seen, since most of the work is done manually. The huge stone fireplace was one of the group's earlier achievements. It provides heating and cooking facilities within the big top. A pond has been added to the camp site, which at one time was just a piece of marshland. It has not been completely finished. A slate bottom has to be laid and landscaping has to be done. On the old tent site, a new 50 foot tent has been erected which provides the campers with shelter. The newest project of Fr. Austin and his group is the hope of adding a lake to the new camping grounds. Already ground tests have been taken by skilled engineers and surveying of the proposed site done. This lake may someday be a tremendous asset to the school, making the grounds more attractive and providing the school with water sports and other recreation. It will also be an aid in prevention of forest fires, since it would serve as a water supply. The only thing the project lacks at the present time is financial aid. There also has been much criticism and opposition to the group and very little, if any, credit has been given to its accomplishments.

The seniors, as in past years, received a few extra days for their Thanksgiving Holiday and in keeping with the custom of the school the juniors then "gained control" of the student body. The juniors ruled for 5 days. To them it was a holiday in paradise.

In a boarding school such as ours, taking over the job of a senior entails a little more respect and responsibility and the students must accustom themselves to this every year. And so it was with some rebellious tones of disagreement that the lower classmen objected to the switch. The juniors, however, received their punishment in the form of work — the work that the senior class has been assigned.

ANNUAL RETREAT

Following the semester exams, the students of Padua look forward to the annual mid-year retreat which lasts three days. Fr. Bert Pepowski, O.F.M., was Retreat Master. Father Bert gave four conferences a day and the rest of the day was spent either in reading, meditating or in other pious activities. Under Father's capable direction the retreat was well received by all the students. His novel method of approaching the topics of Spirituality and Vocations aroused the interest of all. During the entire program the students displayed commendable zeal and attention. The amount of interest shown during the conferences was indeed gratifying.

minutes before the rigorous test started. Five minutes later all the boys were sent to their assigned places. The test started at 8:00 A.M. and lasted until 12 P.M. After the test the boys explored the city of Ithaca until 5:30 P.M. At 5:45 they boarded the bus for the return trip to Padua.

S. A. T. TEST DEC. 5

After attending an early morning mass, celebrated by Father Bertrand Bluma, o.f.m., twenty seniors boarded the school bus and embarked on a trip to Cornell University in Ithaca, N. Y. The reason for the trip was the long awaited S. A. T. test taken by seniors who intend to go to college. The test was held on the Cornell College Campus. The bus arrived at Cornell at 7:50 A.M., ten



John Poplawski, John Nodar and Vic Bachynski relax in Elmira during Picture Day

CLASS RINGS

Each year the juniors anxiously await the night when they will gain the privilege of wearing the cherished school ring. December 8th was this night for the class of '66. In chapel, Fr. Mel, their moderator, delivered a short talk on the meaning of the ring. He then blessed the rings and 24 happy juniors approached the altar rail to receive them.

At dinner after chapel services the juniors were the center of attraction for the underclassman who incessantly "bugged" the juniors to let

SIGUAERIS REPORT

The first sixty pages are due on Jan. 20, and are already completed. Approximately \$2,300 of ad money has been collected but we still need \$1,200. The staff is working hard to raise the needed money so that the senior treasury will not have to be exhausted. There are many letters yet to be written in the hopes that we will soon raise a total amount of \$3,500 to meet our minimum quota of ads to publish our yearbook.

them examine their rings.

A word to the juniors — Wear your rings with pride and dignity.

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Yearbook editors Byron Nied and Stanley Orłowski work late to meet a deadline

STUDY HABITS

It is said that study broadens the intellect and makes one think clearly. I will not repeat the numerous hackneyed phrases about study for by this time you should realize what it means to study.

In classes you may be able to glide through or cheat your way through to your senior year in high school or your freshman year in college. At this time you will find that all you knew was discarded into the garbage can when you got rid of that cheat sheet, or maybe you will be hopelessly lost and it will be too late and perhaps there will be too much to cover. In your freshman year you should not only cultivate an attitude but also develop study habits that will be firmly established by your senior year.

You may feel that the pressure is tremendous and that it is quite difficult to keep up and I agree with you. You may find that you've flunked a test that you really studied for. You may ask yourself "Why am I doing this? Is it worth it?" Well, remember, tomorrow is another day and things will look a lot better and if they don't brighten up tomorrow there is always the day after. Let's take a look at a boxer before the big fight. He trains and works long hours. He may also feel disgusted and may want to give up. Suppose his sparring partner knocks him out or hurts him, he may temporarily lose his confidence, but afterward he will strive to better himself in order that he may gain his goal. Like him you should strain and try in order to reach your goal . . . that career. Mentally as well as physically you must work and strain or you will get nowhere. Sure there are better things to do than study but you must persevere and have will power!



Sig Malinowski and Joe Jurewicz receive their class rings from Father Mel in chapel ceremony

FACULTY PROFILE

FR. TERENCE PINKOWSKI, o.f.m.

Father Terrence entered the Franciscan Novitiate in 1941, at Pulaski, Wis. He studied at the House of Philosophy in Burlington, Wis. for three years, after which he went on to study Theology for two years at Cedar Lake, Ind., and another two years in Green Bay, Wis. He was ordained on June 11, 1949 — the start of a noble and unselfish career. His first assignment was at Saginaw, Mich. after which he went to Toledo, Ohio and then to Padua in '51. In 1956 he was granted permission to study at St. Bonaventure University where he received a Master of Arts Degree in English.

Fr. Terrence felt that a more noble cause awaited him in the Philippines, so he started out for what would be one of the greatest and most satisfying jobs given to priests, helping the poor and the uneducated who wanted to find peace and security in God. A few months ago Fr. Terrence returned from the Philippine Missions to Padua.

We can be sure that this is a man of devotion and sense of duty. All who have had the chance to meet him have taken a natural liking to him. We all hope that Father will find his stay here as happy and as profitable as we do.

NOTICE!

Just a reminder to all. There are only three weeks left for you to bring in your Siquaeris ads. After that, no more ads will be accepted.

For the benefit of the freshmen. You cannot buy a yearbook, the only way you are able to receive one is to bring in your assigned number of ads.

To the first three classes: \$30.00 worth of ads is not hard to bring in. Even your parents would be willing to purchase at least a \$25.00 ad.

It's going to be **your** yearbook, and it's only going to be what **you** make it. If the required amount for the yearbook is not met, there will be **no** yearbook. We hope that this has occurred to you.

Out of the whole school, only **thirty-eight** have brought back ads, the majority by seniors. This yearbook isn't only for the senior class, it's for all, so get a move on and try to have your ads sent in before the deadline.

Remember, a yearbook is a priceless thing to look back to in your later years of life.

The Siquaeris Staff

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VARSITY RECORD

Hammondsport	61	—	Padua	53
Romulus	88	—	Padua	48
Trumansburg	58	—	Padua	53
Watkins Glen	72	—	Padua	89
Interlaken	74	—	Padua	54
Notre Dame	85	—	Padua	78
Odessa	63	—	Padua	65
Dundee	69	—	Padua	52
Notre Dame	106	—	Padua	45
Ovid	55	—	Padua	47
Watkins Glen	83	—	Padua	60
Hammondsport	73	—	Padua	65
Romulus	57	—	Padua	47
Opponents' Avg.	75.1		Padua	59.7

JUNIOR VARSITY RECORD

Hammondsport	46	—	Padua	25
Romulus	37	—	Padua	50
Trumansburg	42	—	Padua	32
Watkins Glen	47	—	Padua	42
Interlaken	52	—	Padua	35
Notre Dame	50	—	Padua	41
Odessa	62	—	Padua	45
Dundee	53	—	Padua	62
Notre Dame	49	—	Padua	23
Ovid	57	—	Padua	36
Watkins Glen	48	—	Padua	46
Hammondsport	44	—	Padua	44
Romulus	40	—	Padua	56
Opponents' Avg.	48.2		Padua	39.4

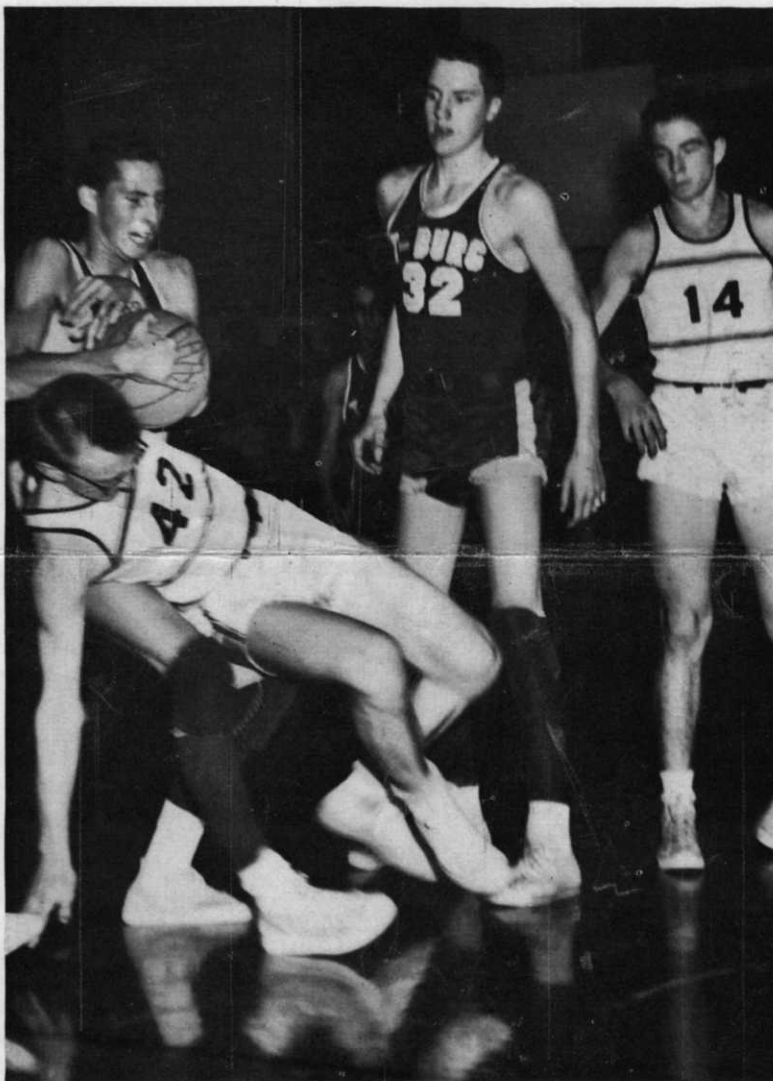
CHRISTMAS PARTY

Traditional to Padua's calendar is the annual Christmas Party. The fundamental purpose of this yearly event is to instill into the hearts of the student body the true meaning of Christmas. December 17th was chosen as the date for this year's festive party.

The whole night's activities began in the student chapel with the adorning of the child Jesus. The smallest member of the freshman class, James Murray, led the procession from the chapel to the dining room, carrying the statue of the child Jesus in his arms. After reaching the refectory he placed the Child in the manger.

After grace was said, the breaking of the Christmas wafer between the faculty and the officers of the four classes took place. A delicious banquet prepared by the Brothers was next on the agenda.

The night's entertainment consisted of songs by the student body under the direction of Fr. Brendan. Fr. Mel delivered the Christmas message, since he is the youngest member of the faculty.



Stan Orlowski is down but not out in a struggle for the ball; Joe Jurewicz (14) is at the right

PADUA GYM TEAM PERFORMS AT CORNING

On Dec. 16, the returning and experienced members of the Padua gymnastic team, aided by two new freshmen, boarded the bus for a short trip to Corning, N. Y., to perform before the pupils of St. Patrick's Grammar School. Even though handicapped by narrow accommodations and a low ceiling, the

show proved to be a tremendous success.

After the exhibition, an enthusiastic group of boys and girls thrilled with the idea of performing primary feats themselves. Under the direction of Fr. Emil and the coaching of the experienced members of the team, the juveniles learned much about the sport and they enjoyed it tremendously.

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A DISAPPOINTING SEASON

As the basketball season approaches its end it looks like another year of poor playing to add to the record. There was a good deal of optimism before the Christmas holidays as the team seemed to be developing a fairly good offense led by Ed Smolenski and Joe Jurewicz. After the holidays the team suffered a serious setback when two team members didn't return. Ed Smolenski was then averaging 21 points per game and he was the key to a strong offense. Illness claimed others. Team morale was very low and it showed on the scoreboard.

Father Roland coached the first half of the season and he tried his best to put together a winning combination. Probably the highlight of the season was the upset victory over Padua's traditional rival, Watkins Glen H.S. After the second Watkins game Mr. Chamberlain replaced Fr. Roland as coach. The team showed more spirit in the return game against Romulus. The Cascaders led through a good part of the game but fell behind at the end, 57-47. Everyone is hoping that the last third of the season will be a new page in the book. The team's record now stands: 2 won, 11 lost.

WINTER SPORTS

The cold, brisk winter has settled upon the Padua campus leaving the hills and countryside covered with snow and giving the students the opportunity for many enjoyable winter sports and hours of fun. Skiing, skating, sleighing and tobogganing are the favorites.

Skiing is rated as the most popular by the students because of the thrilling ride one receives when gliding down the hills. Another popular sport is ice skating. The ice skating rink has been set up on the athletic field and is cared for faithfully by Brother Timothy.

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