Evanstonian Newspaper

With the arrival of our fall term in September, this year's editors assumed the task of preserving the high standards of our newspaper. The senior managing editors, who have the responsibility of placing a weekly news sheet before the eyes of E. T. H. S., have been William Ketchum, editor-in-chief; Ray Ingham, associate editor; Dorothy Cook, news editor; Martha Carman, feature editor; Charlotte Gunton, Marilou Van Bergen, and Jane Schram, copy-desk editors, and Robert Howat, sports editor.

Several changes have been made both in appearance and organization. Literary supplements have placed the outstanding literary achievements of students in print. Then in the organization of the staff, an innovation was introduced. A press bureau was created to supply the local and metropolitan papers with news of Evanston High School. The efforts of this bureau have been responsible for the extensive publicity given school affairs. Betty Bradt has been in charge of this bureau assisted by Jack Phillips, Bill Altmeyer, and Carol Hood.

In the spring the juniors were given the opportunity to try out for positions on next year's newspaper by working on trial staffs, each of which produced an issue of the newspaper. At the end of the tryout period, the publications board selected the staff for next year. Announcement was traditionally made at the annual journalists' banquet in the spring.

Not all the interests of the budding journalists lie in news-gathering. The newspaper is noted for sponsoring one of the best dances of the school year. The staff this year was faced with the problem of equalling the success of the two previous balls. After the Ben Franklin Ball and the very collegiate Harold Teen Hop, a reputation for originality had to be maintained. The Five Star Final Ball brought them through with flying colors. Novel decorations, good music, and an all-star floor show made the affair one of the high points of the social year.

Another diversion from journalistic cares was the annual Christmas party held as usual just before the Christmas holidays. Editors forgot page make-up and reporters their deadlines to enjoy an afternoon of fun. The feature of the party was charades on the personalities in the news, each staff attempting a dramatization of a news event. Gifts from the old gent in whiskers, ably portrayed by Mr. Charles MacConnell of the faculty, closed the program.

And so passed another eventful year for the newspaper.

Third row: William Hosier, Jeanne Lane, Ronald Webster, Evelyn Horder, Warren Ward, Phyllis Murphy, William Bristow, Barbara White, James Harney.

Second row: John Phillips, William Altmeyer, Norman Williams, Mary Breeden, Elizabeth Bradt, Robert Swenson, Janet Hudson, Carol Hood, Chester Polad.

First row: Robert Langewisch, Martha Carman, Robert Howat, Dorothy Cook, William Ketchum, Jane Schram, Raymond
Ingham, Marilou VanBergen, William Crosman.

William Ketchum
Raymond Ingham

