

# THE ENTERPRISE

Captain Shreve High School

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## The Enterprise . . . A Captain Shreve First

The "Enterprise" was a small boat that played a large part in Captain Henry Miller Shreve's career. Our "Enterprise", we hope, will play a small part in enlarging Captain Shreve High School's life.

Captain Shreve left Pittsburg December 1, 1814, when he was 29 years old. Shreve was in command of the steamer "Enterprise", Daniel French's stern wheeler. He was carrying what he felt to be a precious cargo, a load of ordnance and military stores for General Andrew Jackson's army at New Orleans. Captain Shreve had a double worry, for this was his first trip in a steamboat. The supplies he carried were important and were needed immediately. Within two weeks they were safely in Jackson's camp.

After he was commended by the commanding general, he was ordered to proceed up the Mississippi River and tow three keel boats carrying cargoes of small arms for the army down to New Orleans. He was gone six and one-half days, during which time his steamer ran 654 miles, and he was soon back in New Orleans with badly-needed small arms and ammunitions.

After the Battle of New Orleans, the "Enterprise" was sent to the Gulf to exchange prison-

ers with the British fleet. From there she travelled with troops up the Red River and then made nine trips to Natchez.

In April of 1815, the "Enterprise" became the first steamboat to sail the Red River. The next trip taken by Captain Shreve and the "Enterprise" was to Natchitoches, then navigational head of the Red River.

On May 6, 1815, Shreve decided to attempt the ascension of the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers to Louisville, although all previous efforts to do this had failed.

On May 31, 1815, the "Enterprise" reached Louisville, the first steam vessel that ever performed that voyage.

That man was Captain Henry M. Shreve, who first comes into the picture as commander of the "Enterprise", the second boat made by Daniel French and Daniel Smith. She was launched at Bridgeport on Monongahela in the spring of 1814, and that winter was taken by Shreve to New Orleans, where General Jackson demanded her services.

However, probably the most important part the "Enterprise" played was in helping Shreve break up the Fulton-Livingston monopolists.



Mr. Stanley Powell



Mr. Wayne Hennigan



Mrs. Sarah Rains

## Introducing Captain Shreve Administrators

With all the mass confusion and last-minute changes involved in beginning a new school, few have taken time to acknowledge those who have done the most work and had the most headaches.

To begin with, meet Mr. Stanley Powell, our principal. He enjoys traveling to places of historical interest and, of course, reading about Louisiana and America. He also enjoys watching athletic events.

As head of Captain Shreve, Mr. Powell comes with experience in many fields. Included in the positions he has held are teaching social studies and history. Of the school, Mr. Powell

says, "It's a real challenge to us to establish the kind of tradition we can be proud of."

Mr. Wayne Hennigan, our assistant principal, is a big sports fan who enjoys baseball, football, basketball and fishing. He is active in the army reserve as a major and goes to an army camp in the summer.

His past teaching experiences include coaching at Mansfield High School, teaching algebra for four and one-half years at Oak Terrace, counseling at Woodlawn and assistant principal at Oak Terrace for one year.

As assistant principal, Mr. Hennigan believes that the student body is the main asset of the

school. Our other assistant principal, Mrs. Sarah Rains, enjoys cooking and being with people — a great combination.

Her experiences include two years in Jackson Parish, principal of Claiborne Elementary School for one year, and one year at Queensborough. She also spent 11 years at Byrd, serving as counselor for six of those years.

Mrs. Rains says, "I am very pleased with the progress of our school. Captain Shreve, even though it's new, shows wonderful spirit. The teachers and students have cooperated very well. We will always be proud of Captain Shreve."

Well, now you've met them. Next time you pass them, give them a big smile and a cheerful hello. They'll appreciate it.

## Student Body Names First Student Council Officers

John Schultze, president; Archer Frierson, vice-president; and Ginger Clark, secretary, became Captain Shreve's Student Council's first officers as they were elected Wednesday, October 11.

The campaigns for office began Monday, October 9, at 7:00

a.m. Each candidate was allowed five posters and one banner. Ideas ranged from Peanuts characters to Clarke's Teaberry Gum.

Finally all the candidates were presented to the student body in an assembly October 11. Mr. Powell opened the program with

a few remarks about the improving of school spirit. Miss Inez Franz, Student Council sponsor, introduced each candidate, and then the candidates made their campaign speeches.

David Baker, presidential candidate, based his speech on the

responsibilities of students at Captain Shreve, while John Schultze promised an active school year for the student body.

Tommy Arceneaux, vice-presidential candidate, spoke on tradition, while Archer Frierson captured the group's attention with two stories to relate his qualifications. Richard McKenzie told the group about his past experiences in student councils.

In the secretarial race, Ginger Clark, Janie Owensby and Janet Turner all expressed the idea that this was a very important year to the school, and stated their qualifications and willingness to cooperate with the other officers.

After the assembly, students returned to their third-period classes. There they were handed ballots and voted for the candidates of their choice. The results of the election were announced October 12.

After the election, John, president, and Ginger, secretary, attended the Louisiana Association of Student Councils convention held Sunday October 15, through Tuesday, October 17, at St. Vincent's Academy here in Shreveport. At this convention they were able to meet officers from schools all over Louisiana and gather ideas on student government from these new acquaintances.

Now that they have returned, they will begin work on their all-important job of the student government of this school.

## Candidates Run

On Wednesday, November 1, Captain Shreve students will elect Gator senators for the coming year. This group includes two sophomores, four juniors and four seniors.

Although only six posters are allowed each candidate, a great deal of originality has appeared to gain the votes of the students. However, we should not forget the seriousness of these positions but vote for the candidates best qualified to head our school.

What we need to remember is that the senator election is not a popularity contest. A senator should be a boy or girl capable of individual thinking and the determination to back them up.

## Advisory Group Completes Work

Special thanks should be given to those students who served on the advisory council. They are to be commended for their achievements and fine work. The council succeeded in getting CS's mascot, colors and cheerleaders. The representatives were chosen from each home-room to serve on the advisory council until Student Council representatives could be elected.



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS recently named for Captain Shreve High School are shown discussing their responsibilities. They are: John Schultze, president; Archer Frierson, vice-president; and Ginger Clark, secretary.



# Why Captain Shreve?

What's it to ya? Just another school? It could have easily been Cotton Patch High or Foremost High! So why was our school dedicated to the memory of Henry Miller Shreve? Who? Here's why:

On October 21, 1785, a son was presented to Colonel Israel Shreve, a Quaker hero from the Revolutionary War. This son was Henry Miller Shreve, who one day would be known as the first great western river captain. He was also a soldier, pioneer, trader, explorer and inventor. But here in our town he is known best as a pioneering river captain.

Can you imagine our easy-moving Red River as a tangled mass of logs, brush, snags, mud and sand? It was just that in 1833 — the great raft — a menace to navigation and a splitting headache for the government. Captain Shreve, as superintendent of western river improvements, was called upon to accomplish what seemed an impossible task. He first attacked the raft on April 11, 1833. He advanced only five miles that day; it took three weeks for the next 40 miles and by June 5, Captain Shreve had succeeded in conquering 70 miles. The destruction of the raft was a gigantic and tiresome deed, but,

after two years of hard work, \$157,388 and Captain Shreve, the 100-mile blockade was finally penetrated. Where the raft once had been, a town sprung up and flourished. This town was Shreveport.

So, why Captain Shreve. If it weren't for him, you'd be sitting on a log now.

## Al E. Gator Is Missing

by Rob Bennett

Because Al E. Gator decided to take the law into his own claws, he cannot be found. You see, Al cut his lunch period and walked off campus to find edible turtle eggs. He thought he would only be gone one-half hour and nobody would miss him. His many friends warned him against the perils he faced, but this only increased his desire for adventure.

Al calmly strode off the grounds and was heading down Kings Highway. Well, that was three days ago! As you so vivid-

ly remember, last week we had one of our infamous snow storms with visibility at one-fourth mile and temperatures below zero. The blizzard came up while Al was finding his lunch. We now fear that the worst has happened! His transistor radio was found in a snow drift, but Al is still AWOL. If any of you kiddies see a frozen, blithering gator, call us and we'll thaw him out.

In the meantime, the warning of Al's experience and try to endure lunch at school.

## Traditionally Speaking, We Can't

Hang tradition. Who needs it, anyway? Tradition's just a bother — like learning to tie shoelaces correctly, or to write, for that matter. Sure, it may be necessary and you've got to have it sometime, but not just now. We can just wait and breeze along and wait some more and pretty soon we'll have ourselves a genuine set of traditions — something to be known for, or by, or about. They may not be very good, but look how easy they were to get!

This type of attitude isn't too hard to dig up. Basically, almost everybody's at least a little lazy, and it's not at all hard to sit around and figure that someone else will do the job. But when a whole school has this type of attitude, it's in for trouble.

As you've probably heard a few times around here, Captain Shreve is a new school, and everything we do this year will be a reflection on it for years to come. As the student body, our attitudes and actions can be pointed out with praise or blame, and can elevate the school to the best in the city, or smear it with mud.

Not a very pleasant prospect, is it? Of course not. Everyone here wants to say they graduated from Captain Shreve, and know it means something. If this is hitting home, stop and think — what have you done for the school? Have you attended the games and pep rallies, joined the clubs, or even done something so small as buying a spirit tag? The school needs us just as much as we need it. The impression we give now will stick with the school. If it's a good one, then we've done our best. If it's a bad one, it'll be awfully hard to erase. And it's all up to you, and me, and nobody but us!

## Society Debut of Al E. Gator

by Rob Bennett

What's this? A pep squad member modeling her uniform?

This "thing" is Al E. Gator, and he resents being called anything else. Al is Captain Shreve's mascot and the Big Gator on Campus. He's modest, despite his many attributes. Coming from a long line of famous relatives, Al is proud of his family's traditions. One of his ancestors was a pair of Abe Lincoln's shoes.

Mr. Gator has many hobbies, is an avid reader and has been converted from cannibalism. He especially enjoys going to our games, working at the dances and representing us wherever he can. He is the symbol of our school spirit and pride. It is rumored that in the future, his papier mache statue will be honorably borne to all school functions.



## Library, Center of Attraction

Want entertainment, some help on that research paper due tomorrow or that school work that is giving you such a pain? Then come to your school library. It is the center of attraction on the second floor, so familiarize yourself with its facilities.

Besides all new books, there are individual study carrels, two conference rooms, a periodical room and a work room for processing books. There is room for 150 of you and audio-visual aids to help one and all.

Working hard in the library

are librarians, Mrs. Jane Mason and Mrs. Evelyn Valor.

Mrs. Mason was librarian at Fair Park last year and has had previous elementary teaching experience. She studied art in New York and attended Centenary College, Northwestern and LSU. She holds a BS and MA.

Mrs. Valor comes from the library at Valencia and has also been librarian at Carver High School. She attended Southern University and the University of Wisconsin and holds a BA and MA.

## Wanted: Help!

Ausecuros! Ayudar! Juval! No matter how you spell it, we need help.

It's not that the staff of the ENTERPRISE isn't on the ball or that we're lazy . . . but, if we are to make the ENTERPRISE the finest high school paper in the state, we need cooperation and help from our administrators and teachers — and, most of all, we need the students' help — your help.

A good newspaper needs up-to-date news. The staff is asking you to go out and make news, meet important people. Attend conventions. Join clubs. Work on civic projects. Visit interesting places. Run for offices.

Then tell us about it! We can only print the news that you tell us. The law won't allow us to use listening devices, so we can only listen to you, personally. Contact any staff member or leave a note on Mr. E. A. Wilson's desk in Room 201.

Support us by giving us news and by buying an ENTERPRISE every month.

The purpose of the ENTERPRISE is to interpret school life to the student body and to the community; to sustain unity between student opinion and administration policies; to encourage high scholarship and sportsmanship; and to motivate the true Captain Shreve High School spirit.

The staff pledges to work hard to make the ENTERPRISE the very best.

With your help, the ENTERPRISE will be a paper to which all of us can point to with pride.

## Candy and Cokes, And Everything Nice

Every lunch shift, students have the chance to buy candy and cokes. However, there is a group of students . . .

They deposit wrappers in containers but sometimes miss. Coke after coke after coke is bought, but again near-sighted students miss the containers. Maybe what we need is a few dozen pairs of glasses!

## Light of the Harvest Moon

Our city will soon make its national TV debut with an Buntly and Finkly televise a one-hour special on the upcoming Witches Conference on Halloween night.

The festivities get under way with a special dinner. Our cafeteria has graciously consented to lend their caldron to the chefs. Several famous witches of the past have risen from the dead for the occasion. Many have also come to take ice water back with them. These witches include Lady Macbeth, Mrs. Billy the Kid and her squirrel gun, Snow White and several of our own local witches on their 1968 psychedellic brooms from (General Gore). As an added special at-

traction, Jack the Ripper will cut the cake.

Music will be provided by the Grateful Dead. They will perform such heart-rending hits as: "Bury My Body", "I Ain't Got No Heart", "Help, I'm a Rock", "Chains", "If You've Got a Heart", "Play with Fire", "Everybody's Been Burned", "Eve of Destruction", "Devil in Her Heart" and "Baby's in Black". These numbers will tear at your heart-strings.

The television program will be brought to the nation through the courtesy of Pit and Pendulum Watch Co., and the Salem Witchcraft Tobacco Co., "I'd rather burn than be switched"

## Boost Gator Spirit

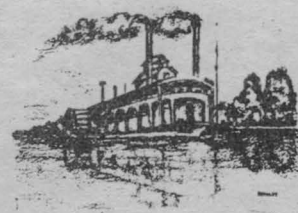
We're from Captain Shreve, couldn't be prouder . . .

A cheer after the Captain Shreve-Byrd game reflects our attitude. A new team, a new school and fresh, new school spirit.

Students from all over the city are here establishing customs and traditions. But don't confine school spirit to just pep rallies or football games.

Practice it at assemblies, give our school a good reputation by being attentive. Use it in classes, don't mar up our multi-million dollar school with your sticky gum or someone's initials. Show it by doing what the faculty asks.

This is the year of firsts, so let it be the first year of student-oriented school spirit and the other years will come naturally.



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**LENNY LYLE (21) BREAKS THROUGH** the spirit hoop to lead the Captain Shreve Gators against the Jesuit Blue Flyers.

## Gator Cheerleaders Elected

Amidst the confusion of beginning a new school, Gator rooters managed to choose their leaders. Cheering for our side this year are seniors Gay McCabe and David Bains, juniors Cindy George and Larry Logan and sophomores Susie Le Sage and Curt Rymer. The spirit banner flies high in the eyes and hearts of these six enthusiastic students.

Our cheerleaders were chosen on basis of "C" average and ability to jump up and down while screaming their lungs out and at the same time be able to manage a faint smile.

Sounds like fun, huh? But it doesn't end there. Besides, cheering at every football and basketball game, the cheerleaders help by assisting the pep squad, painting pep posters, making spirit stickers, planning skits and pep rallies — all done after school and on their own time. Homework, anyone?

Have you ever tried mug or glassware collecting? That's David's hobby. He also enjoys playing basketball and baseball. Along with participating on the chapel committee, he is in the school choir. David plans to major in history and speech and minor in education.

Gay, like David, is a collector, but she collects stamps. She also enjoys skiing, horseback riding, sewing and tennis. Gay is an all-around sports fan and

loves the teen scene. She is an avid worker on the Football Ad Staff and is a senior Interact sponsor. Like all other typical teenagers, Gay craves hamburgers, French fries and malts. Gay plans to attend LSU and work on becoming an interior decorator.

At LSU Gay will probably run into Cindy. Cindy wants to become a bio-chemist . . . hum. Now she is content with being a souvenir snatcher of paper cups and napkins and most anything not attached to the floor of places she has visited. All accumulated junk you will find neatly pinned to her bulletin boards. She loves to read and go to dances. Cindy is basically an outdoor girl at heart who loves traveling, camping and sports, especially football.

Besides girls and anything associated with girls, Larry enjoys skiing, basketball, people and spectator sports. Larry also fiddles around with his ham radio set . . . all hams must stick together. He hopes to be a public relations man for a large electrical engineering firm.

Susie "homebody" displays her creativity in sewing and cooking. She also finds enjoy-

ment in traveling, sports and boy watching. Her other activities include Student Council representative for Room 208 and sophomore Interact sponsor. Susie plans to attend college and then become a teacher or housewife — whichever comes first.

Curt is a teenage boy who enjoys all sports, including girls. Getting along with the rest of the world successfully seems to be easy for this general fun-loving guy. He serves as Student Council representative for Room 216. With a little education and a lot of luck, Curt hopes to be a lawyer some day.

Well, here they are, Gator rooters — your leaders. They willingly render much of their time to upholding the spirit and welfare of Captain Shreve. Think you could spare a little time?

—Donna Dawkins

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## Captain Shreve Students Active in Theatre Group

Seven students have worked at Port Players, a community theatre group, in the past four months. They are Jill Barham, Rob Bennett, Rick Bennett, Rande Herrel, Paula Hubbard, Anne Palmquist and John Palmquist.

They have worked in one capacity or another on "Carousel" or "Mister Angel" or both. One will appear in "The Tempest" in the near future.

Resident director of Port, Robert Lightsey, says "This is a young theatre; we encourage teenagers interested in drama. Port Players demands hard work of these students."

Jill Barham, sophomore, worked as dancer, singer and stage

hand in "Carousel" and as a properties mistress in "Mister Angel".

Rob Bennett, senior, had a small supporting role, was a chorus member and was set artist for "Carousel". He designed the program cover for "Mister Angel" and will be appearing in "The Tempest", starting November 30. His brother, Rick, sophomore, was a member of the stage crew for "Carousel".

John and Anne Palmquist, junior and sophomore, respectively, were part of the stage crew for "Carousel". They danced and sang, and John had a supporting role.

Rande Herrel, senior, played the part of Pearl, an angel, in "Mister Angel".

Paula Hubbard, junior, has worked on the crew of "Carousel", "Mister Angel" and several previous Port productions.

The seven all say that working at Port Players has given them a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction.

Port Players is in its fifth season and is in the midst of rehearsals for "The Tempest". Students from Captain Shreve, Fair Park, Woodlawn, St. Vincent's and that other high school and several colleges have worked at Port. Many have furthered their prowess in drama and art while at Port Players. Those interested in these fields are encouraged and influenced by the talented adults there.

Competition at auditions is intense and once in, the hours are long and strenuous. There is no pay; although not all rewards are measured in terms of money. The actors and dancers also work as carpenters, errand boys, painters — you name it.

## JA Organized For Students

Junior Achievement members have been meeting once a week. They meet Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, from 7-9 p.m. The members are divided into companies where they work to improve their company.

Each member is responsible for selling stock to people. The limit is one share to a person. Then the students make products and sell them to the public. At the end of the year, if the achievers have made any profit, the stockholders will profit also.

Junior Achievement has many objectives to provide the youth of America. Experience in the organization, operation and management of a business; knowledge of the values, freedoms and responsibilities of our business system; and a preview of career opportunities in business are just a few. To accomplish these objectives they provide advisors to guide JA companies, facilities to serve as a business laboratory, information and leadership.

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# Superintendent Perry Resigns; Kennedy Named

Wednesday, November 1, 1967 will mark the close of a 37 year tenure in the Caddo school system for Superintendent C. L. Perry, who will retire that day. Mr. Donald L. Kennedy, assistant superintendent, will succeed Mr. Perry.

Mr. Perry began his career in Caddo Parish as an elementary school teacher and moved successively through the system as elementary school principal, high school teacher and coach and high school principal. He served as assistant superintendent and

was appointed superintendent in 1962.

The largest building program in the history of the school system was completed under Mr. Perry's administration, and many innovations, including central libraries and kindergarten programs for the elementary schools, were made realities.

As a result of Mr. Perry's diligence in upgrading programs at all levels and through the efforts of his staff, Caddo Parish has gained national recognition for its fine educational program.

He has earned the respect and admiration of his colleagues and was named the first recipient of the "Educator of the Year Award", the highest honor accorded an educator in Caddo

Mr. Perry's activities have not been limited solely to education. He is immediate past president of Norwella Council of Boy Scouts of America, first vice-president of the Rotary Club of Shreveport, a director of the Ambassador Club of Shreveport and active in the Masonic organizations.

Mr. Perry has recently accepted a position in the Little Rock, Arkansas, school system in a laboratory situation on the school board. We are sure his diligent and earnest work there will bring him the same respect he has earned through the years in the Caddo school system.

Mr. Perry's successor, Mr. Donald L. Kennedy, superintendent in charge of instruction and curriculum, is well known to students as a result of his work with teachers and principals in schools throughout the parish.

Mr. Kennedy, a native of Union Parish, has been in the Caddo school system since 1946.

He holds both BS and MEd degrees from LSU and the education specialist degree from George Peabody College. He has done further graduate work at the University of Maryland.

He is a member of the Shreveport Kiwanis Club and the Broadmoor Baptist Church.

Captain Shreve extends to Mr. Perry its congratulations for a job well done and to Mr. Kennedy every wish for success in maintaining and furthering the high standards of the Caddo Parish educational program.

# Pep Squad Picks Nautical Theme For Capt. Shreve Cheering Group

With 135 girls yelling for the Gators, the first Captain Shreve pep squad started its first season.

Leading them is Admiral Kathy Williams. Assisting here are Captain Linda Laws and Commanders Mary Beth Tucker and Diane Webber. Junior officers are Lieutenants Jeri Horton, Anne Rigling

and Ellen Tadlock and Ensigns Melanie Noble, Judy Ferron and Ellen Russell. Rowleaders are six senior CPO's and 14 junior CPO's.

The girls practice every Monday and Thursday. Their uniforms are green skirts, white, long-sleeved blouses, gold ties and white gloves, socks and shoes.

The girls are looking forward to a spirited and successful year. Think maybe you could help?

## Al E. Gator Says: Buy A Program

Selling ads for the football programs is only one job of the Football Program Ad Staff. Members also work hard to sell the programs at football games.

Mrs. Loretta M. Gillam, faculty sponsor, remarked that the staff got a late start, but sold enough ads to fill a 32-page book. Managers of the staff are:

Janie Davis, Cindy Wood, Martha Colquitt and Martha Williams. These girls were chosen because they led in ad sales.

Almost 1000 programs were sold at the Captain Shreve-Jesuit game, and leading the program sales are Judy Feron and Dixie Davenport, who also outsold the other members at the Northwood game.

Those students participating on the ad staff are:

Janie Davis, Martha Williams, Cindy Wood, Jan Kendall, Celeste Bland, Camille Grigsby, Diane Greer, D. D. Nurdin, Melanie Wilkinson, Melissa Jernigan, Judy Feron, Dixie Davenport, Cindy Dalton, Debby Williams, Debby Ladymon, Margaret Elsey, Martha Colquitt, Mary Beth Lee, Kitty Tarver, Ann Williams, Linda Levy, Carol Cordill, Ann Rigling, Elaine Waller, Susie LeSage, Gay McCabe and Deanie Wray.

All members join Al E. Gator in urging you to support your school and buy a football program at all home games.

## Yearbook Picks Staff

The names of those students chosen from an interview to serve on the 1967-68 yearbook staff were announced on October 4. They are:

Editorial — Letty Shriver, Freda Epps, F. A. Moore, Jan Kendall, Renee Schneider, Mary Tate, Susie Fitzgerald, Dicky Sandifer, Diane Greer, Ginger Clarke, Claire Goldsworthy, Neil Erwin, Debra Wimberley and Shelby Houston.

Business — Russel Brabham, Doug Smith, Larry Williams, Mike Harter, Sheila Hansen, Ellen Tadlock, Jim Elgin, Sharon George, Patti Page, Becky Ball, Skipper Grady, Mary Helen Williamson and Jeff Miller.

Art supervision — Becky Jordan.

Photographers — Larry Hiller and Randy Oberlag.

Sponsoring the staff are two junior English teachers, Miss Linda Carruth and Mrs. Dennis Smith.

Mr. Fred Elsing, from the Taylor Publishing Co., conducted workshops for the staff members on Tuesday, October 10 through Saturday, October 14.



Mr. C. L. Perry



Mr. Donald Kennedy

## Drivers Ed. Attracts Students

Six seniors, 11 juniors and 231 sophomores are taking drivers education this year under Mr. Raymond Yopp. Classes range from 18 to 71 students.

Each student must complete six hours of behind-the-wheel training.

Chevy Land has donated a 1967 Impala sedan with "everything but the kitchen sink", according to Mr. Yopp.

Mr. Yopp has had many hair-raising experiences during his career at Byrd, and it seems Captain Shreve won't be any different. The common mistake of the student drivers is crowding the center lane.

Another course will be offered later this year.

## Parents, Teachers Support School PTA

The most important meeting of Captain Shreve's PTA was held October 9. At this organizational meeting, by-laws were adopted and officers were elected.

This year's officers are: Mr. Felix Arceneaux, Jr., president; Mrs. John Crenshaw, vice-president; Mrs. William Austin, second vice-president; and Mrs. Charles Burt, third vice-president.

Other officers are: Mrs. Horace Ladymon, recording secretary; Mrs. Milton Williams, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William McWilliams, treasurer; and Mrs. William Colquitt, historian.

The first project the PTA undertook this year was "Back-to-School Night". The open house was held October 16. This gave the parents a chance to meet the teachers and tour the school.

The PTA is planning a very busy year and making it one of Captain Shreve's great organizations.

## Gators Boog-A-Lo

With shouts of "Go Gators! Chomp 'Em!", students jubilantly celebrated the Gators' victory Friday, October 6. The victory dance, held in the gym, featured "The Esymby of Sound", a popular nine-piece showband.

"I think the students enjoyed the dance," said Mr. Wayne Hennigan, assistant principal, "but I am sure the victory had a lot to do with that!" Mr. Hennigan went further to say that since the dance ran so smoothly, another dance will probably be held this school year.

Attendance was estimated between 450 and 500. Many outsiders were turned away at the door. Parents and teachers were invited as guests. Many dropped by to join in the festivities. The teachers who attended were Mrs. Gail Bridger, Mr. Lester Jhonson, Mrs. Edith Bates, Miss Martha Sneed, Mrs. Isabelle Houchin, Mrs. Genevieve Rehkopf, Miss Sandra McCalla, Mrs. Loretta Gilliam, Mr. E. A. Wilson, Miss Linda Carruth, Mr. Russell Pedro, Mr. Jackie Bogon, Coach and Mrs. Wayne Tinsley, Mrs. Mary Lois Landrum, Coach and Mrs. Tommy Powell, Mrs. Denea Knight, Coach and Mrs. Lee Hedges, Coach and Mrs. Billy Jack Talton, Coach and Mrs. Billy Wiggins, Mrs. Mable Walker, Mr. Stanley Powell, Mrs. Wayne Hennigan and Mrs. Comiel Kendall.

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by Tommy Arceneaux

The Gators have done extremely well this year considering that they have already played three state contenders in Kilgore, Byrd and Jesuit.

Although they lost to the Bulldogs, Jackets and Flyers, the Gators really chomped the Northwood Falcons in winning their first game 45-13.

COACH LEE HEDGES showed his great sportsmanship by allowing every player on the bench for Captain Shreve to play in the Northwood game.

END RONNIE HARPER is out for the season with the flaring up of an old shoulder injury.

HALFBACK STEVE BRIAN received honorable mention for "Back-of-the-Week" in the Shreveport Times for his performance in the Northwood game.

TACKLE MELVIN BAZER may possibly see action in at least one more game this year after being injured in the Jesuit game.

The Gators have three games left to play; they are as follows: Thursday, November 2 — Fair Park, here; Friday, November 10 — Woodlawn, here; and Friday, November 17 — Texarkana, there.



THE GATORS' EXPLOSIVE Steve Brian (40) breaks through the Northwood line for a short gain.

## Jesuit Flies High over Gators

The Jesuit Flyers capitalized on many Gator mistakes to pull ahead of the Gators in winning 34-0.

During the first quarter of the game, it looked like the Gators might give Jesuit a genuine run for their money, but as the game progressed, mistakes proved fatal to the team. On the first play from scrimmage, quarterback Stuart Smith rolled to his left for a long gain. However, this play proved to be the Gator's first mistake, for it was nullified by a five-yard offside penalty, however, the Gators managed to keep the Flyers from scoring in the first period.

The rest of the game proved to be an entirely different story, as Jesuit was able to surmount both a strong offense and defense against the Gators. Capitalizing on mix-ups and fumbles, the Flyers took over command of the game from the Gators after the first quarter.

When the final gun sounded, the score was 34-0 in favor of Jesuit.

# Gators Fry Falcons by 45-13

The Gators showed supreme control over every phase of the game as they trounced Northwood 45-13 Friday, October 6, at Captain Shreve stadium.

Northwood won the toss and elected to receive. On the first play from scrimmage, Falcon quarterback Richard Beach lofted a 51-yard bomb to Ray Griffin, which put them on the Gator

17. However, the defense held and the Gators took over on their own 16.

But, on the first play, the Falcons recovered a fumble on the 16 and again posed a threat to the Gators. Again the Gator defense held and they took over on the 10.

The Gators gained first downs on their first four plays, and Stuart Smith capped the drive with a 39-yard scamper into paydirt. Steve Brian kicked the PAT and the Gators were ahead 7-0.

Gator Larry Williams kicked off to the Falcons and they achieved two first downs. However, the Gators recovered a fumbled center and got possession on the 46 of the Falcons.

After losing three yards, Steve scampered 49 yards for a second TD. Brian booted the extra point and it was 21-0.

The fourth TD of the half was scored by end Dean Woods on a 21-yard pass from Denny Duron. The halftime score was 37-0.

The second half went much the same way, until late, when Northwood scored twice to make it 39-13 after touchdowns by Gators Mike Harter and Bill Conly.

The Gators' powerful offense gained 445 yards, and leading rusher, Steve Brian, got 170.

With this win, the Gators proved their great potential to become great.

## Gators Drop Opener To Kilgore Bulldogs

Despite a brilliantly-played second half, the Gators just couldn't seem to overcome the Kilgore Bulldogs on September 17. At the final gun, it was Kilgore 22, Captain Shreve 6.

The Gators made many outstanding defensive plays, but just couldn't seem to keep the Bulldogs from getting the crucial yardage. Tackle Melvin Bazer kept the Bulldog quarterback on his toes all night with fierce pass rushing, along with fair pass defense on the part of the secondary. Unable to sustain any offense in the first half, the half ended 15-0 in favor of Kilgore.

The second half was a completely different story. Tremendous efforts by line and backfield helped the Gators sustain a few drives in the third and fourth periods. Despite spectacular runs by halfback Steve Brian, fullback Mike Harter and quarterback Stuart Smith, the Gators scored only once. That score came when Steve Brian picked up a ball bobbled in the Gator backfield and ran 48 yards for a touchdown. The two-point conversion attempt failed.

Although they lost, the Gators showed their intense desire to win honor and glory for Captain Shreve.

## Gator Gals Presentation Show Slated During Fair Park Game

November 2 when the Gators clash with the Fair Park Indians, the Gator Gals will make their startling debut. They are Kay Pease, Rande Herrell, Donna Dawkins, Cindy Jeeter, Kathy Williams, Linda Laws, Jan Kendall Annette Rogers, Ellen Tadlock, Jeanette Rogers, Kay-Kunkle, Janie Owensby, Janis Williams and Renee Scheider. The

girls were chosen by Mrs. Landrum and Mrs. Tinsley, pep squad sponsors.

The Gals have worked and slaved all to make the dance presentable to the student body. Their costumes consist of a little green material and a lot of gold fringe, topped with a three-foot plume. Tranquilly hysterical, the girls will be presented to you—have mercy, please.

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## Gym Teacher Is Competing For Olympic Team Tryouts

Mrs. Deana Knight, girls' physical education teacher, will be among those women gymnasts competing for positions on the U. S. Women's Olympic Gymnastic Team.

From here, she'll go to Los Angeles for one of many olympic eliminations. The top 15 women will then go to another final in a place announced after the spring tryouts.

In her early teens in San Diego, California, she took dance training in the form of ballet and modern dancing. She was also on a competitive swimming team with no particular specialty stroke.

During her sophomore year in high school, her family moved to Carlsbad, New Mexico. Here her training stopped for lack of teachers.

After graduating from high school, she went to the University of New Mexico. She intended to major in dance, but a gymnastic exhibition by George Gillmore captured her attention. Her interest in gymnastics had begun. She transferred to LSU for a semester. She worked with Vannie Edwards before transferring back to the University of New Mexico to finish out three years there. During her college years she took up dancing again for two years. The very man who, in a sense, started her interest coached her at the University of New Mexico by allowing women gymnasts to work out with the men's gymnastic team.

She was recently seen at Centenary College in the Haynes Memorial Gym during pre-Olympic competition. She competed in parallel bar exercises, one of four olympic events. The others are balance beam, free exercise to music and side horse.

Shreveport is the first city she has taught in. Captain Shreve will be one of her firsts. This will be the first time she's ever lived in Shreveport.

### GIRLS VOLLEYBALL 1967

#### Wednesday, November 1

3:45 Fair Park No. 1 vs. Captain Shreve No. 2

4:45 Captain Shreve No. 1 vs. Woodlawn

#### Wednesday, November 8

4:45 Captain Shreve No. 1 vs. Captain Shreve No. 2

#### Wednesday, November 15

3:45 Captain Shreve No. 1 vs. St. Vincent's No. 1

4:45 Captain Shreve No. 2 vs. Fair Park No. 2

## Jackets Sting Gators 48-0

The Byrd High School Yellow Jackets proved their might Friday, September 22, at Captain Shreve stadium as they swallowed the Gators 48-0.

### Rebels Clip Gators

The North Caddo Rebels capitalized on several Gator mistakes to defeat them 27-20 in a game played October 20 at Rebel stadium in Vivian.

The Gators won the toss and received the opening kick-off. But the possession was foiled by a fumble which was recovered by the Rebels.

After this, the Rebels could not move and missed a long field goal. Then the ball went back and forth between teams the first quarter.

In the second quarter, the Rebels drew first blood on a 19-yard run for the touchdown. The play after the touchdown was good.

The Gators quickly countered with Stuart Smith rolling out 37 yards for the first score. The Rebels blocked the PAT and it was 7-6.

Then North Caddo scored twice on 65 and seven-yard runs, and led 21-6. But with 30 seconds to go, Denny Duron opened up with two long passes, one to Mike Howell and one to Stuart Smith, for a second Gator TD. At that point the half ended 21-13.

In the second half, the Gators' defense stopped the Rebels until they scored in the fourth quarter. Again Denny Duron threw the bomb to Stuart Smith and it was 27-20 at the final gun.

The Jackets' defense was not really spectacular, although it did manage to keep the Gators from scoring. The main factor in the Gators' defeat was the Jackets' powerful offense. The Gators just couldn't surmount a sizable defense against the more-experienced Byrd offense.

This game was one that was sort of a grudge game for both teams. Many players for the Gators transferred from Byrd, which probably caused the tremendous rivalry between the two schools.

After a hard-fought first half, the teams went into the locker rooms with the scoreboard reading Captain Shreve 0, Byrd 27.

The beginning of the second half proved that this half would be much the same as the first. However, the Jackets couldn't move quite as well in the second half as the first half.

The defense showed a great improvement from the first half and caused many mistakes. Tackle John Teasley picked up a hurried, short punt from Steve Brian and ran 40 yards for a touchdown. This and other capitalizations were causes of TD's for Byrd, and the game ended Byrd 48, Captain Shreve 0.

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