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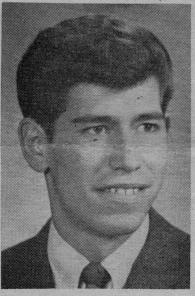


"Pile in," smiles sponsor Greenman, and the Senior officers take off for their coming out.



Gary Amundson, President four years at P.V.A. Other leadership positions Gary has held inpresidency of Boy's Club.

One of Gary's favorite things is his choice of a life work—he plans to become a medical doctor.



For three of his four years at P. the class of 1967, comes to P.V.A. V.A., Phillip Contreras has held a from Sheridan, Wyoming. Gary has class office—his sophomore and been a leader in his class and has junior years as president and this held a class office for three of his year as class parliamentarian. If rank denotes skill in tumbling, Phil leads the show for he has clude being an MV leader and the been captain for both his junior and senior years.

Other offices Phil has held in- all four of her years here. chemistry and this might suggest clude president and parliamentarian of Boys' Club and a class rep- ed between becoming a secretary resentative in the student council. or home economist.

Class of 1967, we salute you on reaching your goal of successfully completing twelve years of schooling. You have achieved a mark toward a successful life, and we, the Sundial staff of 1966-67, extend our congratulations to you for your achievements.

P.V.A. will remember many things about the class of "67" for, since arriving as freshmen four years ago, you, the Senior class, are partly responsible for what

Platte Valley Academy is today.
Will each of your triumphs and defeats, each success or embarrassing failure be remembered after you leave? No! But one thing will live on, even as your freshmen class was formed and has grown. The spirit of the class of "67" will remain to inspire others to even greater accomplishments.



From the proverbial land of sky blue waters comes Cherrie Hill. Hailing from Madison, Minnesota, Cherrie has played in the band one year and has sung in the choir.

One of Cherrie's "likes" are animals, all kinds, shapes and sizes (even little tiny ones without tails).

Cherrie has a record of being one of the first to arrive at Platte Valley Academy each fall and being one of the last to leave school

Cherrie's future plans are divid-

This issue we dedicate to you to remind you of moments of success, of happy times, and . when you were at your funniest, too!

Seniors, once again, CONGRAT-ULATIONS! -and may God ever be your guide as you accomplish your aim of The Past Forever Gone, The Future Still Our Own, and your motto of After the Clouds the Sunshine.

Graduation will be the end of school days for some and an entrance into adult life for all. How you respond to the challenge of Elder Sanders and Mr. Vonhof on your graduation weekend will help determine how much success will be yours.



If Sharon Bachmann could live where she would, would she live in Wood, South Dakota?

Sharon has attended P.V.A. three years and has been chosen class secretary each year. Starting with choir her sophomore year, Sharon has become more involved in music each year by adding Balladaires her junior year and band and Senior Trio her senior year.

In Girls' Club Sharon has been both secretary and treasurer plus holding the same office in the Temperance Club. In the reorganized Student Association Sharon was elected cultural vice-president, and her physical culture is exercised in two years of tumbling team experience. Sharon was also a Student Week of Prayer speak-



For both of her years at P.V. A., Judy Moore has been elected to a class office, first as secretary and for her senior year she was chosen as treasurer. She also served as Girls' Club vice-president.

Maybe Judy's future plans will include becoming a secretary for she has been chosen as secretary of Temperance Club, of S.A. this year, and of Sabbath School for two years.

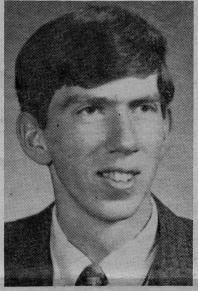


Our nightingale, Penny Person, came to P.V.A. last year and we surely enjoy listening to her sing! This year Penny has been in Balladaires, the Senior Trio, choir and has been chorister for Girls' Club first semester.

In the Voice of Youth meetings this year in Grand Island, Penny was one of the speakers. Cheyenne, Wyoming is Penny's home.

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A sportsman from Sheridan, Wyoming, Richard Osborn, has participated in athletics both of his years at P.V.A. Richard is a basketball captain this year.

The boys have assigned two offices to Richard, those of sergeantat-arms and vice-president of Boys' Club.

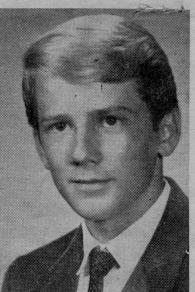
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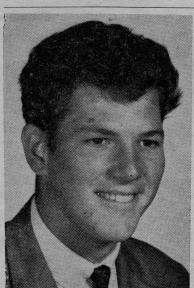
GOAL After the Clouds the Sunshine

One of the most athletic of the class of "67" is Gary Muenchau, who has been on many winning teams, This year Gary was a bas-ketball captain.

Besides being a choir member for three of his four years at P.V. A. Gary was in Balladaires and Boy's Quartet this year,

Gary has held offices his senior year in Boy's Club as pastor and secretary, and he was elected as Social vice president in the Stu- "Carl, tote that barge! Lift that dent Association. Gary is also serv- bale!" ing as Senior class pastor.





#### **SENIORS**



Not only was Richard the Best Player in his junior year, but he was the best (ouch) hand shaker!



#### SENIORS



Smiling - Sherry - Senior - Sharon Singers - Penny.



"Hey Gary, did you hide the can opener? Sharon is hungry!



"Lulluby dear Louie" . . . and he was off to dream land.

A faithful "four-yearer" and a busy one at that is Louis Littrell, coming from Grand Island. Louis was in M.C.C. his freshman year as private and as corporal in his jun-

He has shown his interest in music by being in band four years, choir three years, and Balladaires two years. This year he is choir president.

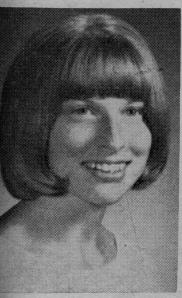
He moved from parliamentarian in his sophomore year to pastor for his class as a junior. Louis has also held club offices-dorm council as a sophomore, parliamentarian as a junior, and president and parliamentarian as a senior.

S.A. used his talents as student council member when a junior and as parliamentarian in his senior vear.

#### **SENIORS**



ary says, "Open wide," and Sharn complies at the Senior Benefit.



P.V.A. is the home of Joan Persen, so, of course, she has been ere all four years.

Joan's biggest feather for her t as a senior is being editor of e Aquila. She worked up to this sponsibility by working as a rerter for the Sundial her first o years and being "in" on the quila as a typist her junior year. Joan has also been in choir evy year except as a junior and is year she is in Balladaires. She is in band her first two years.

Joan's talents don't stop with urnalism and music though. She s MV secretary her sophomore ar, S.S. secretary her junior ar, and S.A. treasurer this year. Joan believes in active life too, d was on the tumbling team as junior. Joan has participated in the Voice of Youth and Student eek of Prayer as a speaker. Jos hobbies are music, writing, d sewing. She plans to be a stenrapher or secretary.

A busy senior from nearby Kenesaw, Ron Torske, has responsibilities in many organizations.

Ron is a member of both Choir and Balladaires. Well liked for his friendly nature, Ron has been elected to two Boy's Club offices this year, both as treasurer and

Ron has participated in all sports at P.V.A. and this year he was captain of both a football and a basketball team.

Maybe Ron's experience as the Aquila business manager will be a valuable experience in training to become a computer operator.

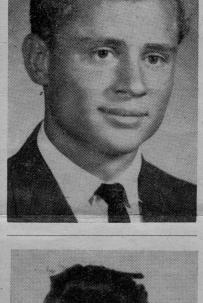


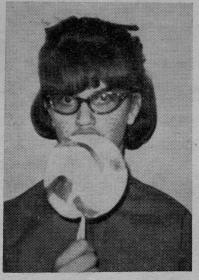
Shirley whispers, "Where did you go?" Joan confides, "Out." "What did you do?" "Nothing."

Miss Muscial Minded Sherry Hobbs came to P.V.A. from Omaha and being "Musical Minded" she has been in Band and Choir all of her three years of attending school here. Her Junior and Senior years she has also been in Balladaires.

She has been Girls' Club (Phi Veta Alpha) President first semesters of last year and this year.

This year she spoke in our Voice of Youth meetings and was a student Week of Prayer speaker. Also, Sherry held a Temperance office.





class when she was a Sophomore. BUT — Um! Yum! — The lolly- nurse. pop!



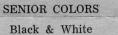
A full four year student from Omaha, Shirley Sutter adds a sparkle to the class of "67".

Shirley has been in all three musical organizations; Band, Choir and Balladaires for all four of her years at P.V.A.

Besides participating in the musical organizations, Shirley has led out in Missionary Volunteers as a Master Guide Leader for two years; and this year she was chosen as one of the MV Leaders. Shirley spoke in the Student Week of Praver.

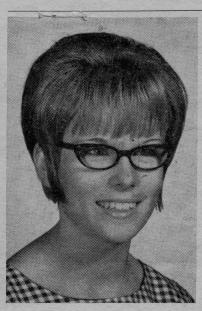
This year, other leadership positions Shirley has held are Vicepresident and President of Girl's Club. Shirley helped both school publications at P.V.A. by being a typist on the Aquila and a Senior reporter for the Sundial.

Shirley's good grades will help Sherry was Vice-president of her Sherry didn't like the measels - her attain the goal of becoming a



SENIOR FLOWER Cymbidium Orchid



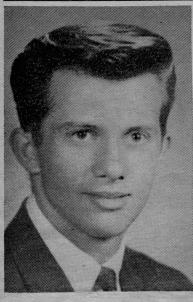


Broken Bow, Nebraska, sent to us Karen Sanders, who helped lead the Freshmen-Senior City Slickers to victory in our Bus Campaign.

Karen has been in choir each of her three years here at P.V.A. and in band her junior and senior years. She is a Balladaire member this year.

Karen is active in Girls' Club, acting as religious vice and cultural vice her junior year, and as pianist and chorister this year. S.A. claimed Karen as secretary last year, S.S. as superintendent this year, and the Senior class as vicepresident.

Karen is a Sundial and Aquila supporter too, having been a Sundial reporter for two years and Aquila assistant editor last year.



Coming from Grand Island, Carl Schobring has developed his interest in becoming a minister by being a speaker both in the Voice of Youth and the S. A. sponsored Student Week of Prayer. Other speaking experiences included an oration in this year's American Temperance Society contest.

Carl has been here two years and has included choir in his schedule for both of them. As a junior he was corporal in M. C. C., Senior. He was also S. S. superinand was on the tumbling team as a tendent as a Senior.

Marilyn Zerbe, a full four year student from Harrison, Nebraska, has participated in and won prizes in the American Temperance all four of her years at P.V.A.

Marilyn's hobbies include reading and collecting all kinds of things and her active hobby is swimming.

Marilyn's future plans include earning her cap and stripes as a registered nurse.



### Booths an Added Attraction for 8th Grade Day The skies portrayed the tradi- Woodworking, American Youth for

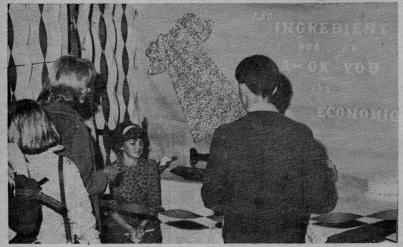
tional Eighth Grade Day weatherand a chilly wind. Before the day ciety and Music. was over, however, besides snow Despite the elements over 120 future students came to P. V. A. for the activities.

After registration they were directed to the booths which por-

Better Living (formerly Tempera gray sky looming with clouds ance), Home Economics, M. V. So-

Then P. V. A students gave them falling, the sun did some shining, tours which included the Broomshop, Old Administration Building, Girls' and Boys' Dorms, and the Dairy and Cafeteria.

Back in the gym, the Mesic Department under the direction of trayed aspects of various depart- Mr. Baker and Miss Hessong favorments here at P. V. A. These in- ed the visitors with music. The cluded the Library with the Sun- Club Presidents, S. A. President dial and Aquilla, the Spanish De- and President-Elect, and Temperpartment, Remedial Reading, ance President each encouraged

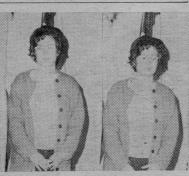


The ingredient for a successful Eighth Grade Day was the booths protraying campus life.

#### **SENIORS**



Sophomores "Amos 'n Andy" know real? I, Judy Moore, a junior AND better than to experiment with that type of make-up now that they are Seniors "Karen 'n Phil-



Which twin has the toni, Marilyn Z. or M. Zerbe?

guests to make P. V. A. their school.

Preceding a delicious dinner ty. they were taken on a special tour

## **SENIORS**



"Could it be true? Could it be -a queen!"



Cherie reports to headquarters, "Yes, all the hamsters are in bed and Hamletta is already fast asleep."

through the New Administration

Building by members of our facul-

### Alumni Weekend Off to a Surprise Start

come you as official alumni of (42), president; Mr. Bob Laeger Platte Valley Academy." With (53), Western vice-president; Miss these words Mr. Marvin Anderson, Janis Bascom (44), secretary-treas-President of P.V.A. Alumni Asso- urer; and, chosen for the first ciation welcomed the 16 seniors as time, Dr. Melvin Glanz (43), Eastalumni during Homecoming exer- ern vice-president. cises Friday evening, April 21.

"Due to the circumstances beyond our control and contrary to our carefully laid plans, our weekend speaker and former principal, Elder Adam Rudy, is not here, so Mrs. Hill has graciously consented to be a last minute replacement and she will read a story." stated Mr. Anderson.

Our Homecoming weekend had an unusual beginning this year, but approximately 400 former students and faculty came back to see the old and the new P.V.A.

Honor class this year was the "class of 42" whose homecoming classmates had a reunion with their former principal Elder Adam Rudy, the weekend speaker. The class of "65" was honored by having the most members present.

Re-elected for another two year ed this year.

"Senior Class of 1967, we wel- term are Mr. Marvin Anderson



Mr. Anderson, re-elected Alumni President, stands with others from the class of 1942 which was honor-