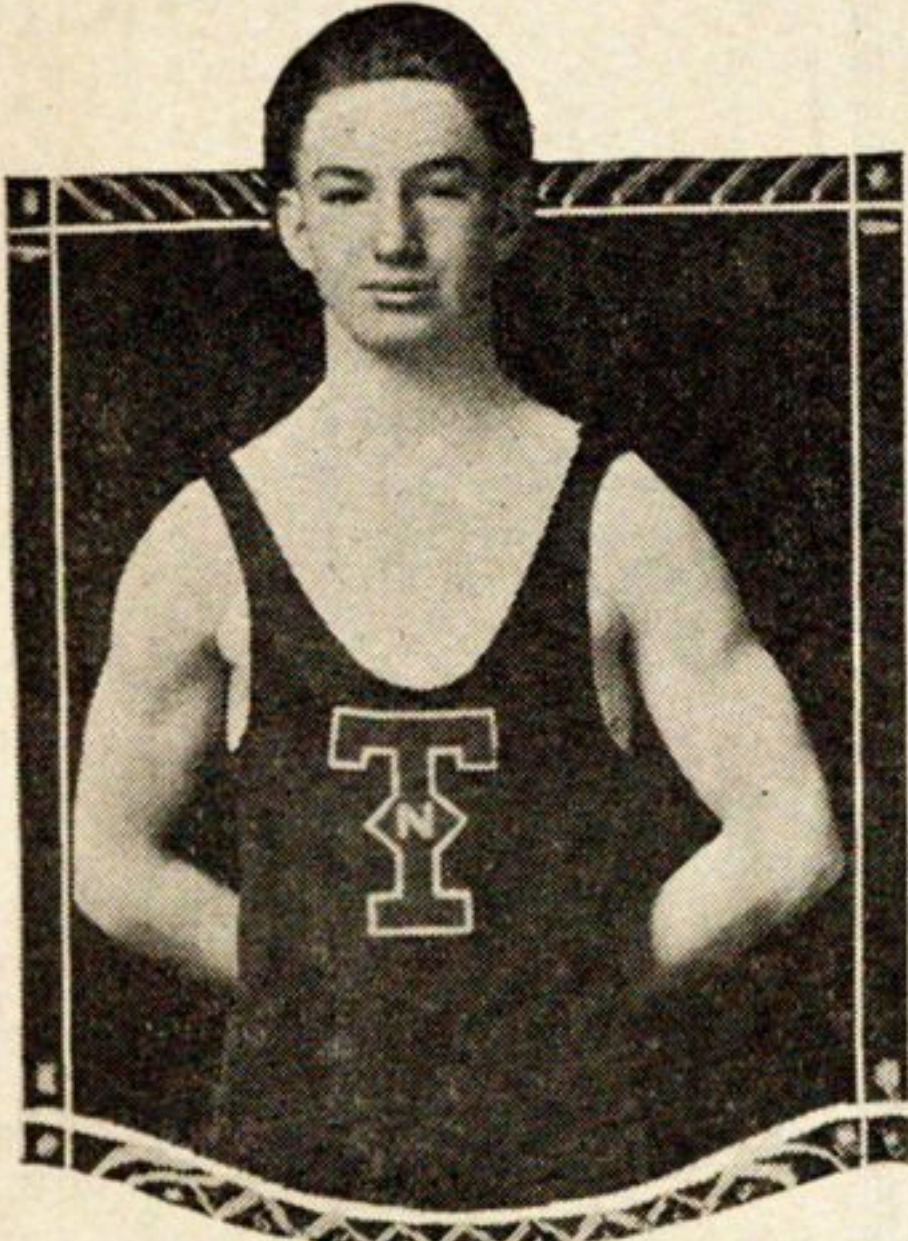


THE NEW TRIER BULLETIN

By Harry B. Kirtland

JACK SEARLE, NEW TRIER WATER WONDER



Jack Searle.

Wise old owls say that victory in any contest depends upon which side brings the greatest surprise. Jack Searle, New Trier's crawl stroke swimmer, springs a surprise at every event in which he takes part. No matter how much he may seem to loiter, how much fatigued he may appear to his opponents, Jack is always "on the job" crossing the finish line. Jack Searle inherits his liking for water sports, together with his strength and skill, from his father, C. H. Searle, chairman of the athletic committee of the Hamilton club and leading member of the Hamilton Seals. From his infancy Jack was taught to handle himself in the water, his first lessons being given by his father with a bath tub for a swimming pool. It was not long until the bath tub had been outgrown and the lad promoted to a regular tank where he soon demonstrated his nerve and superiority over other boys of his age and many older in years. Jack specialized in the crawl stroke and when but ten years old was astonishing the fans at many of the big swimming club meets with his remarkable speed and ability. During his grammar school days he was a star in the Evanston Y. M. C. A. meets, in one race defeating a red-headed youth from Kenilworth who was heralded as unconquerable, with ease and dispatch. Young Searle first came under the notice of Coach Hyatt at the Chicago A. U. championships in the Illinois Athletic club, when the future mainstay of the New Trier championship swimming team was announced for an exhibition crawl stroke swim. The little chap walked boldly out onto the high diving board, paused for a moment, and then made a perfect dive from the ten-foot board. At a later meet he swam 20 yards in :12 $\frac{3}{4}$ and made 40 yards in :28—two records that still stand for boys under 12 years of age. Immediately upon his entrance to New Trier, Searle tried out for the swimming team, making it with his feet tied. Shortly afterward he was compelled to undergo an operation for appendicitis which kept him from participating in water sports for several months. He celebrated his return to the team by beating the Oak Park star, Mott, in the 220-yard race in the interscholastic at the University of Wisconsin. Searle took part in many dual meets, placing in every one and winning the "NT" emblem. Searle has an admirable physique, an immense reserve power, a bull dog determination to win and the aquatic ability to carry out that determination. He is an extremely dangerous rival for any swimmer anywhere near him in class. Jack Searle has always been loyal to New Trier, though tempting offers have been made him by different athletic associations. A long list of honors on might be named but in keeping with his innate modesty Jack is unwilling to enumerate his victories. His private den, however, is decorated with medals and trophies galore—silent testimonials to his ability and skill. For some time Searle has been having difficulty with several of the ancient Romans, including Caesar, and it is only lately that he has been able to persuade them that he is needed on New Trier's "Rubikand." He has one more year at New Trier, however, and will no doubt finish up his high school career in a great splash of glory.

ONE WEEK TO PLAY

New Trier High school will be closed April 2 to April 6, the customary spring vacation period. Monday morning, April 9, the boys and girls will resume their studies with renewed enthusiasm and better prepared, because of the week's rest, to work for honors in the final exams next June.

NEW TRIER NEWS NOTES

Elizabeth Stolp is back at school after dismissing a "case of measles." Sarah Hopkins returned to school Monday, fully recovered from a short illness. On Wednesday of this week the New Trier section of the North Shore May festival held a rehearsal in the auditorium.

FORMER NEW TRIER BOYS WIN HONORS AT COLLEGE

High School Graduates Studying Engineering in Evanston Given High Marks at Semester End.

The honor list of the College of Engineering, dated March 14, 1917, has underscored the names of T. S. Moulding and S. A. Huguenin, graduates of the New Trier High school. The following paragraph, quoted from a notice now on the bulletin board in regard to scholastic records broken in the College of Engineering in the first semester of 1916-17, is interesting: "T. S. Moulding, at the end of the first semester of 1916-17, had an average of 91.2 on 116 hours of credit. This is the highest average mark to date for a senior at the end of the first semester. The best previous record was made by E. A. Anderson at the end of the first semester of 1915-16, an average mark of 90.0 on 126 hours of credit."

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS ENLIST

New Trier Students Answer Call to Colors—Dale Smith Joins First Infantry—Five Go In Navy.

Dale Smith of Wilmette, 17-year-old senior at New Trier High school, has answered the call of his country. Dale is a member of Co. K, 1st Illinois Infantry. Jirah Cole of Glencoe, another New Trier senior, has enlisted in the Navy and is now at the Lake Bluff Training station. Jesse Gathercoal of Wilmette, Gardner Cole, Edward Stackel and Henry Paynter, all of Glencoe, are members of the Illinois State Naval Militia and prepared to answer a mobilization call at any moment. Inasmuch as orders have been issued to the Naval Militia to recruit to full war strength, this branch of the service will undoubtedly be called out within a short time.

PICTURE GIVEN SCHOOL

Sidney Foote Greeley, a former student at New Trier High school and a graduate of Harvard university, has presented the school with a picture of the Harvard campus. It is handsomely framed and will be hung on the library wall.

NEW TRIER NEWS NOTES

Alice Bartz is absent from school, due to a slight illness. Mary Singleton is confined to her home on account of illness. Virginia Lillianfield, better known as "Babe," has left school and gone to French Lick. Charles Boak, who has been absent from school because of an attack of tonsillitis, resumed his studies Monday.

NEW PLUNGE RECORD MADE

George Schaefer Sets New Mark for Sixty Foot Underwater Event—Knebel Back Stroke Winner.

George Schaefer, premier plunger of the New Trier swimming contingent and acknowledged star of the Chicago district, lowered the underwater mark for sixty feet another notch, last Saturday night, when he made the distance in :22 3-5 at the A. A. F. championships meet in Butler house natatorium. New Trier swimmers secured second place in the 160-yard relay event in the senior secondary. The 40-yard back stroke of the junior events was won by Knebel of New Trier in :28 4-5, hanging up a new record.

PUBLIC SPEAKING MONDAY

Professor F. I. Walker conducted General Assembly Monday morning, staging an extempore public speaking contest to decide what two students would represent New Trier at the district contest the middle of May. Preston Kavanaugh, speaking on "The Recent Development of the Prohibition Laws," and Izeyl Phelps, offering "A Solution for the High Cost of Living," were declared the winners. Others who took part were Dale Smith, James Paterson, Elbert Jones and Jean C. Miller.

George Peterson is ill at his home. Gustiva Lindwall is reported ill with measles.

Jesse Gathercoal is recovering from the effects of an operation performed to relieve an injury received in a game of soccer.

TRACK AND TANK TEAMS TO COMPETE AT PATTEN

New Trier Athletes of Cinder Path and Swimming Pool Enter Northwestern Interscholastic Meet.

The New Trier Track and Swimming teams will compete in the Northwestern Interscholastic meet Saturday night at Patten gymnasium. The following entries for the track team have been made: Burtram Hammond, pole vault, medley relay. William Davis, pole vault. Don Pattison, 60-yard dash, medley relay. William Kelley, broad jump, 60-yard dash, medley relay. Roland Gruver, 660-yard dash. Loren Symons, shot-put. Graeme Canning, 60-yard dash, medley relay. Elbert Jones, 660-yard dash.

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING AND ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Legal Voters of the Township of New Trier, County of Cook, Illinois, that the Annual Township Meeting and Election of Officers of said Township will take place

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1917

proximo, being the first Tuesday in said month.

- The Election will begin at the hour of 7 A. M. and close at 5 P. M., in the places designated as follows:
- District 1—Glencoe Union Church, Glencoe, Ill.
 - District 2—Village Hall, Glencoe, Ill.
 - District 3—C. L. Wyman's Store, Winnetka, Ill.
 - District 4—Park's Plumbing Shop, Winnetka, Ill.
 - District 5—James Horn's Livery Office, Winnetka, Illinois.
 - District 6—New Store on Winnetka Ave., east of Milwaukee Electric Station.
 - District 7—Kenilworth Store, Kenilworth, Ill.
 - District 8—Village Hall, Entrance Central Ave., Wilmette, Ill.
 - District 9—Village Hall, Entrance Wilmette Ave., Wilmette, Ill.
 - District 10—Fire Station, W. Railroad Ave., Wilmette, Ill.
 - District 11—Robert Rae's Real Estate Office, S. E. Corner Fifth street and Greenleaf Ave., Wilmette, Ill.
 - District 12—Village Hall, Gross Point, Ill.
 - District 13—Library Hall, Wilmette and Park Aves., Wilmette, Ill.

The officers to be elected are:

- One Commissioner of Highways;
- Five Justice of the Peace;
- Five Constables; and
- One School Trustee.

The Town Meeting will open in Community House, Winnetka, Ill., at the hour of 2 P. M., and after choosing a Moderator will proceed to hear and consider reports of officers, to appropriate money to defray the necessary expenses of the township, and to deliberate and decide on such measures as may, in pursuance of law, come before the meeting.

Given under my hand this 14th day of March, A. D. 1917.

WALTER SCOTT CROZIER, Township Clerk.

FOR SALE

House, garage and approximately one and a half acres of land on the lake, between Winnetka and Glencoe.

House contains on first floor, lavatory, living room, den, dining room (and outside screened dining porch facing the lake) butler's pantry, kitchen, servants' dining room and cooling room. Wide covered piazza on entire east front facing the lake. Second floor contains six bedrooms and three bathrooms. Screened sleeping porch opening off bedroom on southeast corner, and large open porch on west side can easily be converted into sleeping porch. Third floor contains two bedrooms, accommodating four persons, and one bathroom. Basement laundry, drying room and store room. House is heated by Broomell Vapor heating system and is thoroughly warm in the most severe weather. Owner occupies premises all the year round. Garage contains concrete floored wash rack and stand, with room for two cars, with two entrance doors, each admitting one car. Also on ground floor, separated by a partition, there are two stalls and one box stall. Upstairs there is a comfortable flat, consisting of living room, kitchen, bedroom, bathroom and storage loft. Garage is thoroughly heated by hot water system. Grounds include lawn, vegetable and flower gardens, many trees and shrubs, among which are a number of handsome white birches. Bluff and beach improvements are complete and require no additional outlay for protection. There is a crib, triangle crib and concrete retaining wall. Bluff has been drained and planted under supervision of Jens Jensen. Ravine on property is tile drained, with concrete baffle and anchor walls.

About two hundred feet of fine sandy bathing beach, without a stone or pebble.

For further information and appointments to inspect property, communicate with

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