

REUNION MEMORIES AND HIGHLIGHTS

Candy Cool--like myself a Barrington Rd graduate--walked up to me at our recent reunion and asked if I remembered when I gave her a dime [or a nickel] to go into the drugstore and up to the counter (Culter's at Lane Ave, or Kemper's on Arlington Ave, or Colley's also on Arlington) and buy her a Coke. She said I refused to do that myself: afraid of being seen buying a Coke for a girl.

That probably happened 55 years ago and what a bum I must have been! I told Candy that as much as I respect good manners today, I was so sorry she held that memory of me. But we laughed and I apologized graciously. Best of all, we're still true friends.

What a wonderful time I had at the reunion! 100,000 thanks for all who worked on it.

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