This beautiful side pose shows Steve's powerfully developed arms and legs. Steve is young and will greatly improve to become one of the finest built men of all time. We will show other photos of him from time to time showing his continued improvement. All large photos by Constantines.

His before and after measurements are as follows:

BEFORE: Weight 166 lbs. Height 6 feet. Neck 13½ in. Chest normal 37

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In the following story we have tried to give you a word picture of the Senior National Lifting Championships and the "Mr. America" contest so that you who did not have the privilege of attending can thrill to some of the experiences we had.

We had for long anticipated this event being one of the best, due to the great interest recently developed in our sport. We were not disappointed and came away wishing that more of you had been there to enjoy the meet. However, we are going to try to give you the story of the Championships and a story of the "Mr. America" contest.

It was necessary that I leave a day early on the train due to the floods between here and Chicago which had washed out much of the track. I traveled over considerable detours and the Editor arrived in Chicago the day before the meet was to begin. From what we heard the 12th, Mrs. Radner, who usually goes with us and helps so much, was unable to attend because of duties here at home. Therefore I was lost without her companionship.

I at once went out to the Lane High School and looked over the wonderful layout available for this meet. This school takes up several city blocks and has a tremendous and beautiful lawn that was made good use of during the day in sunbathing and posing for the photographers who swarmed the place. I heard one fellow remark that there must have been 1,000 people on the lawn watching the contestants pose and taking photos. A record number of pictures were probably taken of this event this year. We will probably be showing some of them to you for some time. This high school, we understand, is the largest in the world and they have so many graduates each year that graduation exercises must be held on the athletic field. It is filled with all kinds of machinery and special equipment for teaching young men vocations that they might follow for a lifetime.

It is our belief that if we had more such schools we would have fewer misfits in our social life and that a high school education would mean something other than just a diploma.

Mr. John Dolce, the Meet Director,