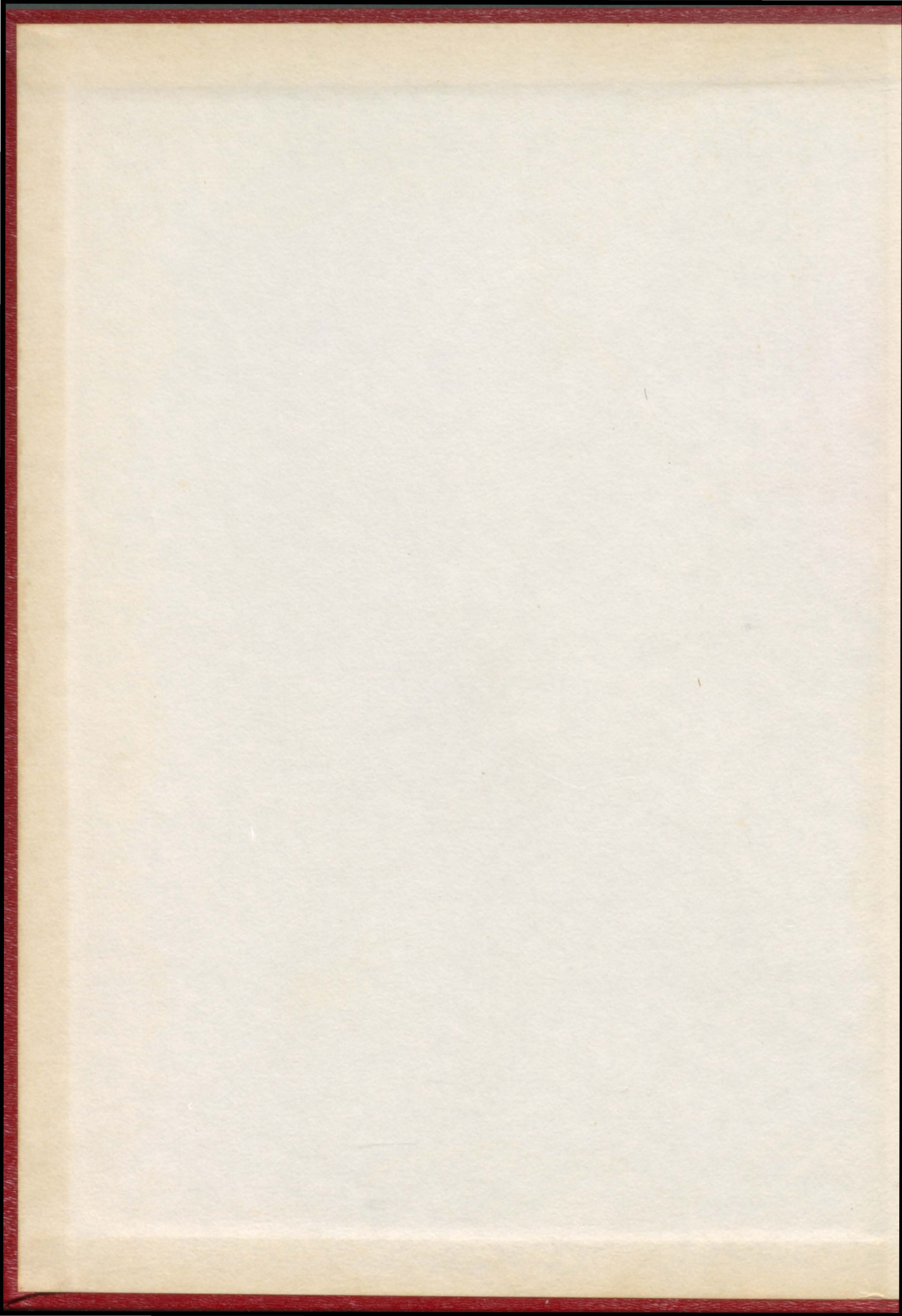
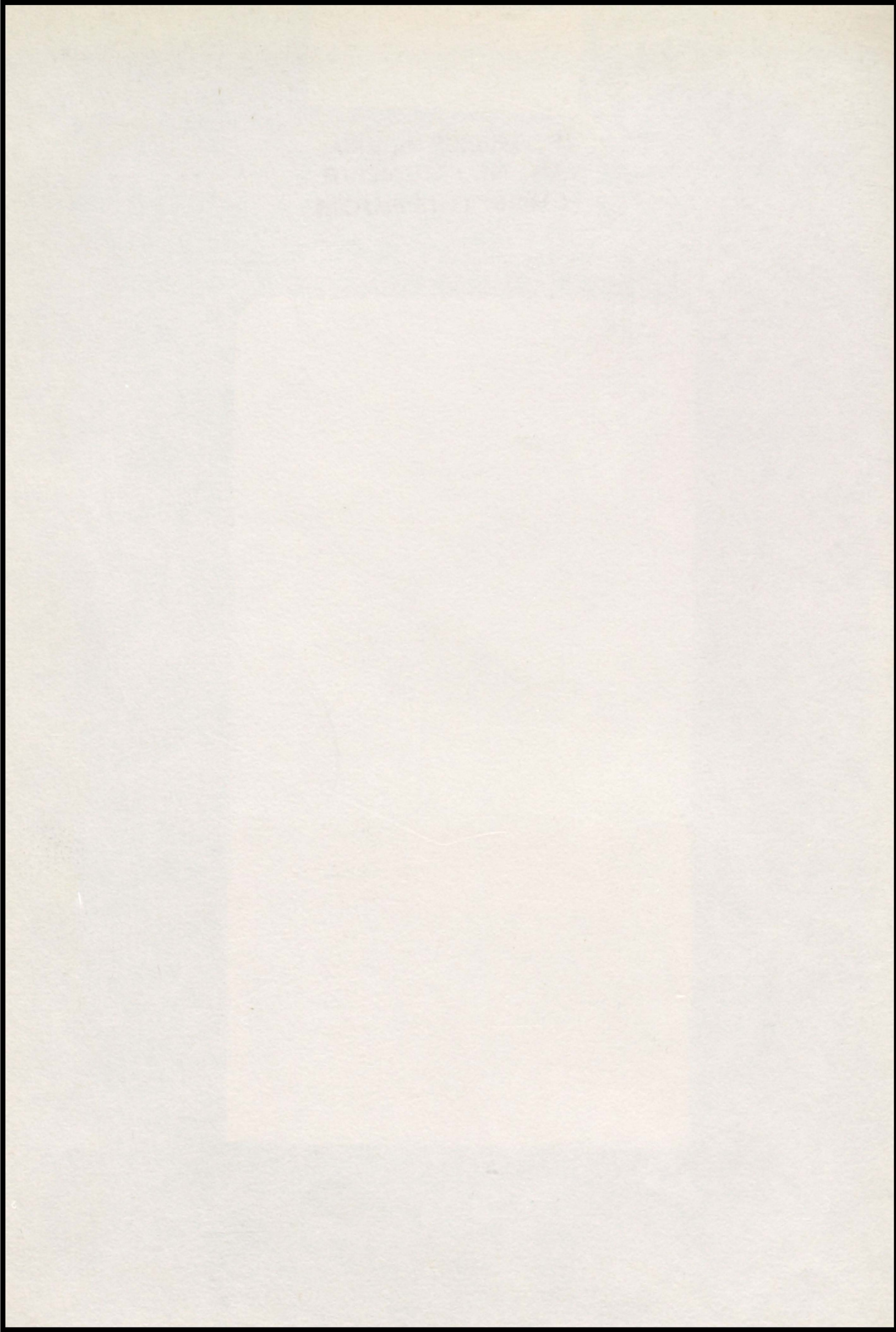




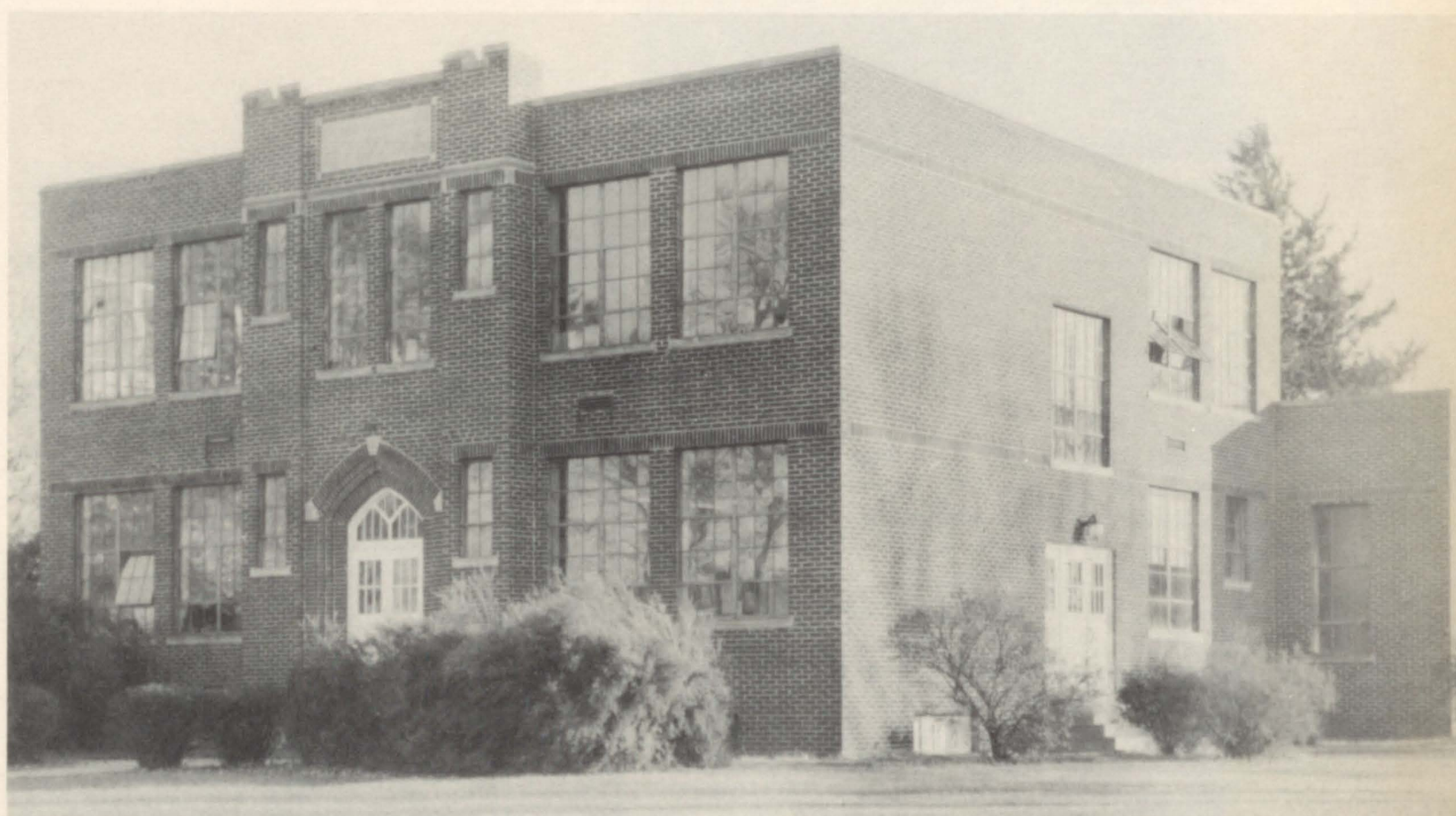
THE WEVER





THE WEVER 1957

Presented by the
SENIOR CLASS



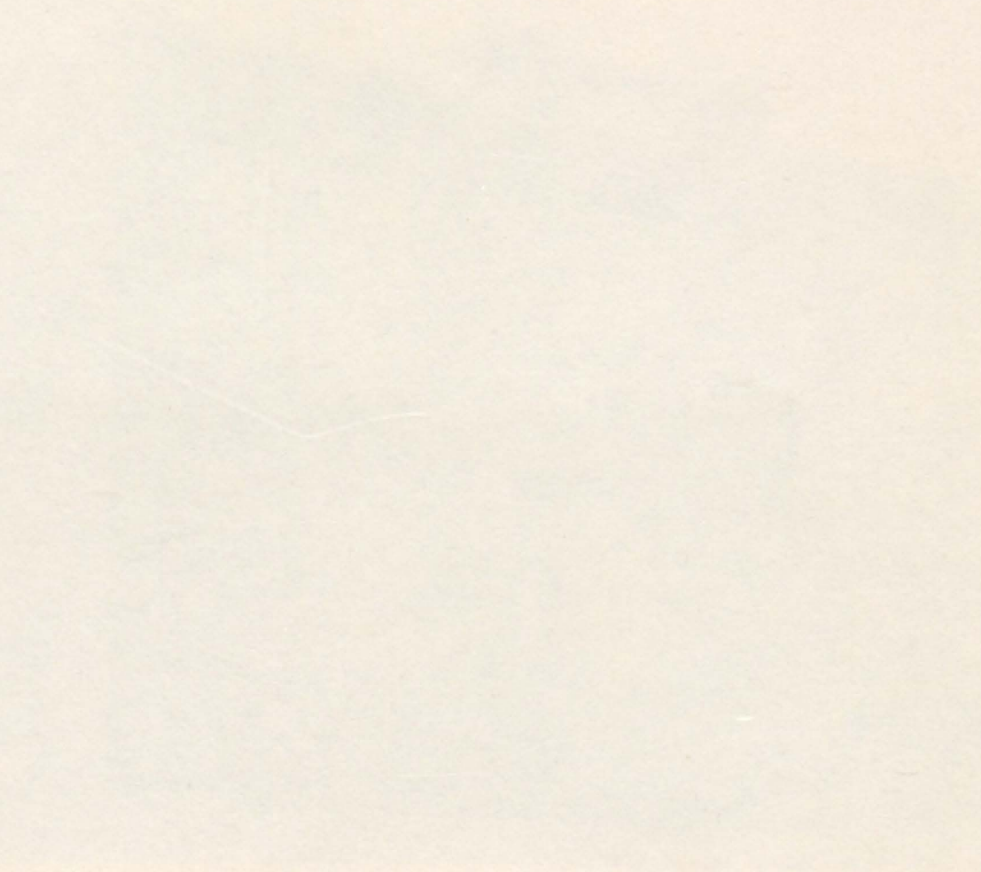
OUR SCHOOL

We are proud to be associated with this progressive school , a school that has been interested in us as citizens as well as students.

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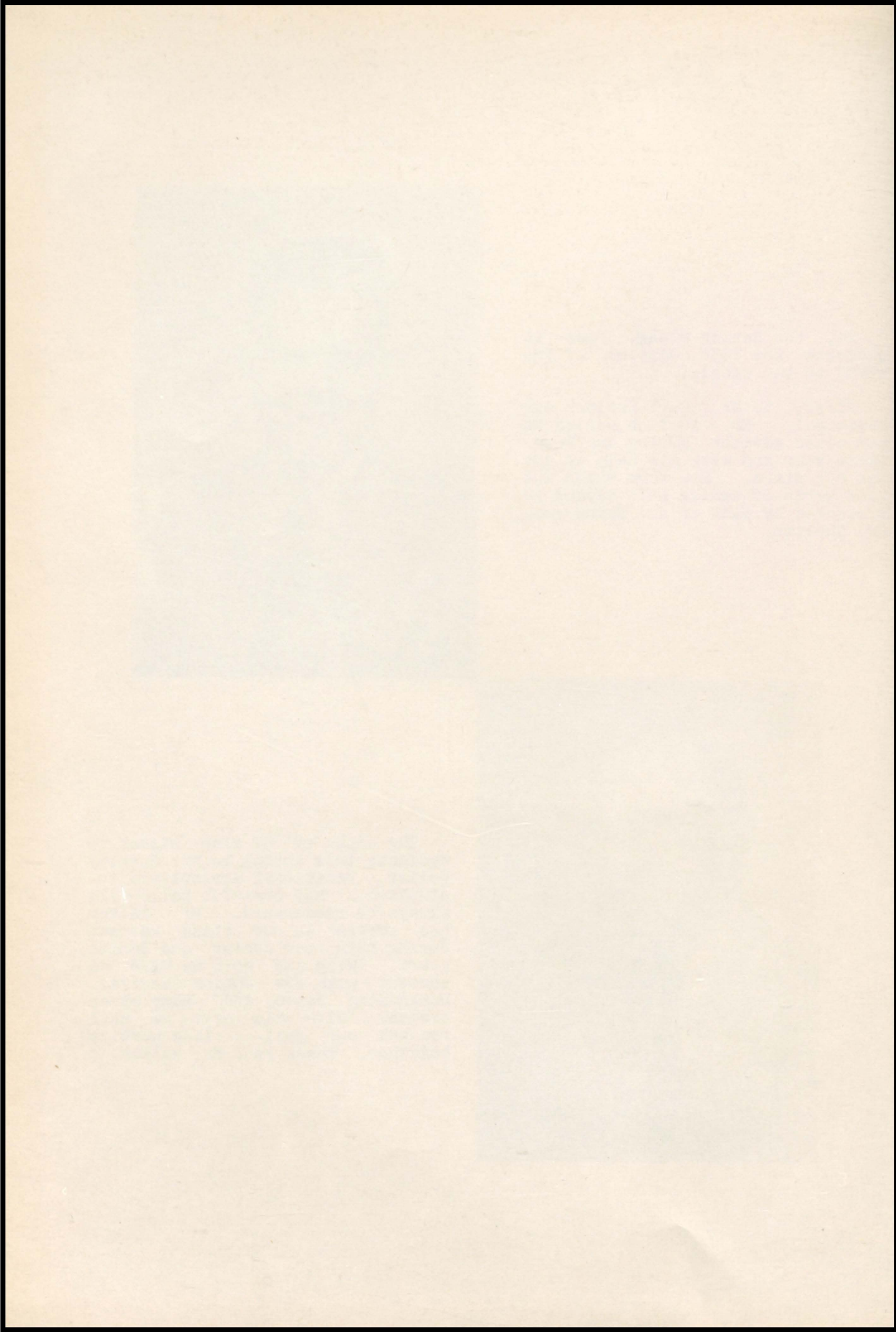
OUR SCHOOL

We, the Senior Class, wish to dedicate the 1957 edition of the WEVER to two people.

First, to Mr. Carl Shelton our principal. Mr. Shelton served as our class advisor during our Sophomore year and with his help we got our big start. His warm smile and kind words of advice will always be treasured by each of us. Thank you, Mr. Shelton.



The class of '57 also wishes to dedicate this annual to Mr. Stanley Walker, vocational agriculture instructor. His cheerful hello will always be remembered. Mr. Walker has served as our class advisor during both our Junior and Senior years. With his help we have had success with our Junior Carnival, Homecoming Dance, and many other events. With his help we have reached our goal--a class working together. Thank you, Mr. Walker.





School Board

Mr. Kenneth Lyon, Pres.
Mr. Keith Galbreath, Secy.

Mr. Charles Berg
Mr. Doren Bricker

Mr. Lyle Brokaw
Mr. Dallas Gipe
Mr. Harold Heller



Faculty



CARL SHELTON, PRINCIPAL



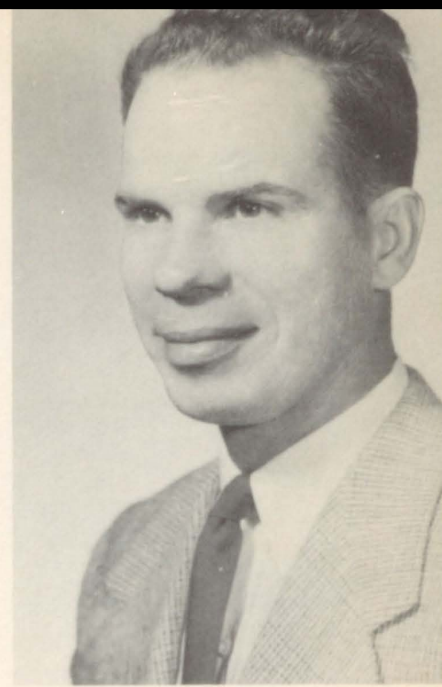
CAROL BODEEN



MARIANNE DIETZ

CARL SHELTON - Algebra, Biology, and Trig.
B.E.M.A. Western Illinois State College;
Colorado State College. CAROL BODEEN -
English and Speech A.B. Culver-Stockton
College, Grad. Work, University of Missouri
MARIANNE DIETZ - Commerce B. S. Oklahoma
Baptist University, Grad. Work, Western
Illinois State College. LOUISE MAYHEW -
Home Economics B.S. Western Illinois State
College, Grad. Work, Northern Illinois
Teachers College.

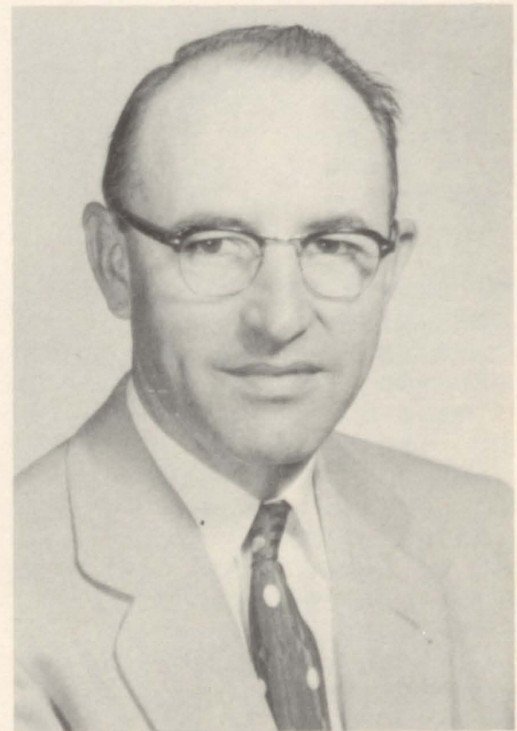




HAROLD BOWEN

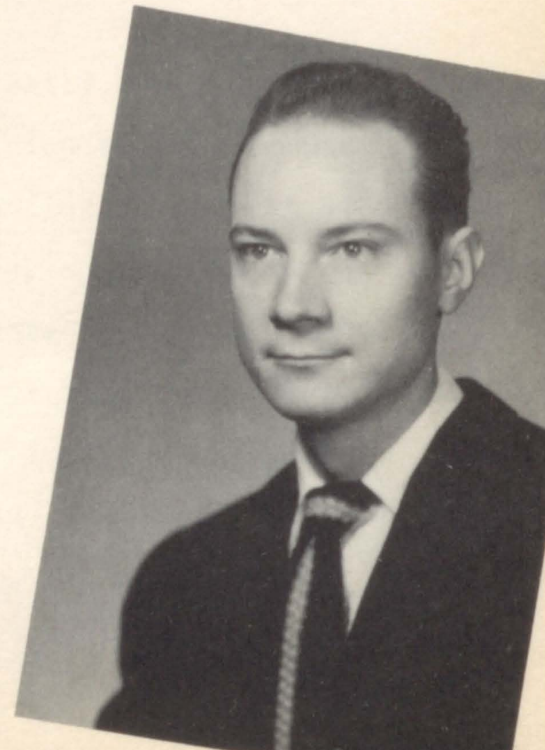


MARGARET DUNCAN



STANLEY WALKER

HAROLD BOWEN - Athletics, Driver Training
Gen. Science, Physics, and Math. B.E., M.
A. Western Illinois State College.
MARGARET DUNCAN - History and Girls P.E.
A.B. Knox College, Grad. Work, University
of Michigan, University of Colorado,
University of Wisconsin. STANLEY WALKER
Agriculture B.E. Western Illinois State
College, Grad. Work, University of
Illinois. ROBERT SIBBING - Music B.M.
M.A. University of Iowa.



5 ROBERT SIBBING

Senior Class History

In 1953 fifteen green Freshmen entered the doors of Media High School. For our class officers we chose Ronald Melvin--Pres.: Charles Lindgren--V. Pres.: Donald Rankin--Sec.: Vern Shelton--Treas.: Danuta Lipiec--Reporter. We were initiated by the Sophomores on September 10. In return we had a party for them on September 28. Our class advisor was Mrs. Palmer. This was the end of our Freshman year and we were all looking forward to three more years at Media High School.

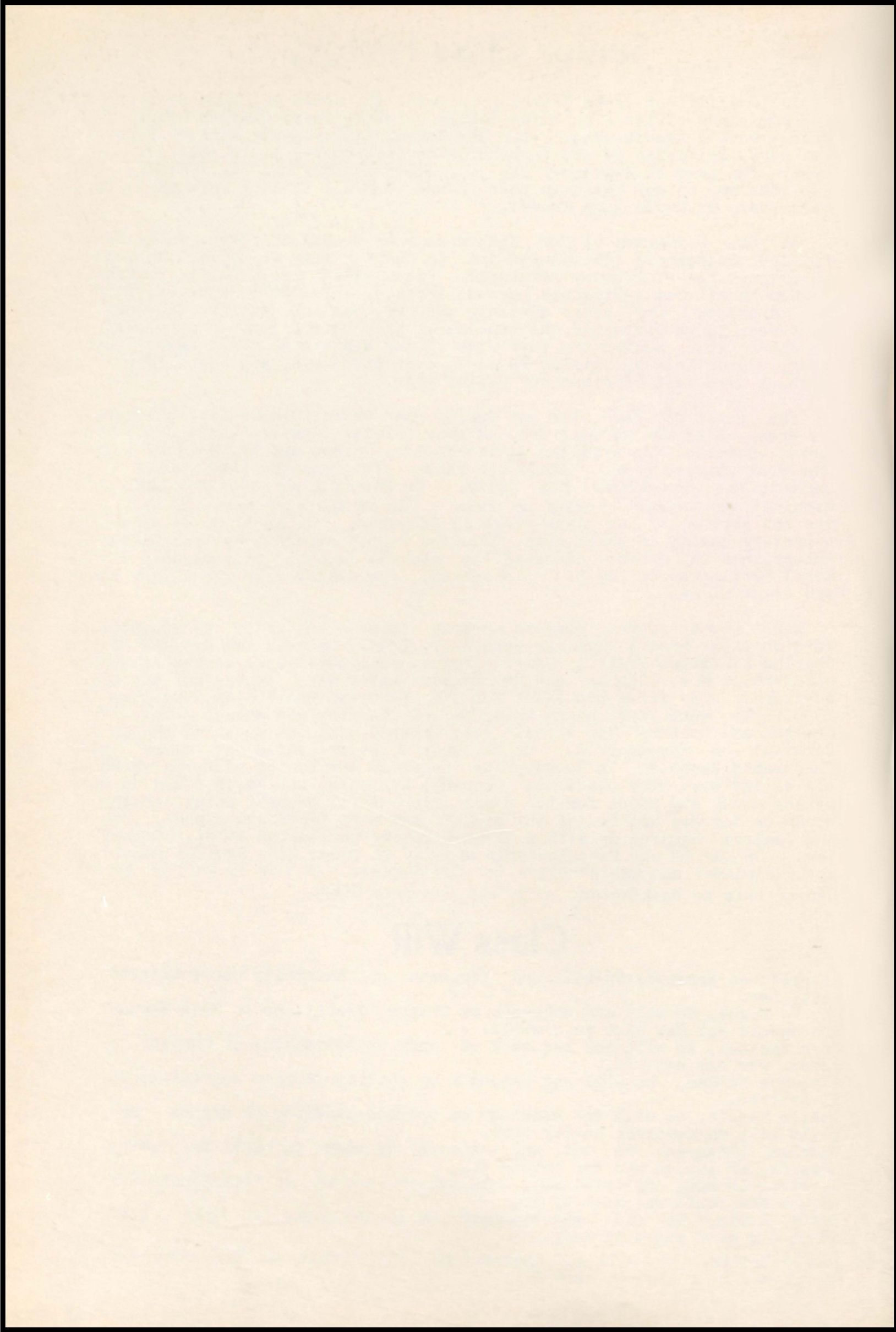
At the beginning of our Sophomore year we had thirteen enthusiastic "Silly" Sophomores looking forward to another year at Media High School. We elected the following officers: Pres.--Alta Mae Harden; V. Pres.--Donald Rankin; Sec.--Virginia Larson; Treas.--Larry Zang; Reporter--Dolores Van Arsdale. Our class advisors were Mr. Shelton and Mr. Sibbing. On September 10 we initiated the Freshmen. They entertained us at a party on November 16. During the year five of our classmates moved away: Larry Zang, James Kelsey, Shirley Passage, Jean Stevenson, and Jean Link. Nine members were left to start our Junior year.

The class officers for our Junior year were: Pres.--Virginia Larson; V. Pres.--Alta Mae Harden; Sec.--Ronnie Melvin; Treas.--Gladys Lant; Reporter--Dolores Van Arsdale; Advisors--Mrs. Duncan and Mr. Walker. During the year Charles Pogue joined our ranks. We received first prize on our skit in the Homecoming Pep Rally. In November we sponsored the Junior Carnival and enjoyed picking up corn. One of the high spots of this year was the arrival of our class rings in December. On April 6, we presented a mystery-comedy in three acts, "Nowhere Fast," directed by Miss Bodeen. We entertained the Senior class of '56 and the faculty at a banquet at the Hotel Burlington on May 5. To sum up, our Junior year was a very happy and eventful one.

Nine sophisticated Seniors were at last on the trail to graduation. Vern Shelton--Pres.: Alta Mae Harden--V. Pres.: Dolores Van Arsdale--Sec.: Charles Lindgren--Treas.: Charles Pogue--Reporter, were chosen as Senior officers. Mrs. Duncan and Mr. Walker again were chosen as our class advisors. Our first big event for the year was Homecoming, October 26, 1956. We were very happy when Charles Lindgren was chosen king. Vern Shelton and Dolores Van Arsdale were crowned king and queen of the Junior Carnival on November 2. On November 9, we presented our class play "Hangman's Noose." In December we received our Senior pictures which we all agreed were very handsome. January, February, and March found us busy making money and plans for the class trip. April brought about our annual clean-up day. May was one of the biggest and most important months. May 18 the Juniors honored us with a banquet in the Burlington Hotel, Burlington Iowa. On May 19 was Baccalaureate and May 24 found nine Seniors receiving their diplomas and making plans for the future. On May 31 we left on our Senior trip to Washington, D. C. and New York City.

Class Will

- I, Dolores Van Arsdale, do will and bequeath my naturally curly hair to Patty Lee.
- I, Chuck Pogue, do will and bequeath my fierce disposition to Neal Brokaw who should get mad once in a while.
- I, Vern Shelton, do will and bequeath my vast understanding of English to anyone who may need it.
- I, Alta Mae Harden, do will and bequeath my ability to keep secrets to J. D. Bricker.
- I, Donald Rankin, do will and bequeath my private thoughts to anyone who would like to consider having them.
- I, Charles Lindgren, do will and bequeath my chair in band to Terry Edwards, or anyone who can handle it.
- I, Virginia Larson, do will and bequeath my height to Rita Pinson who thinks she could use some of it.
- I, Betty Davis, do will and bequeath my stubbornness to Janet Pulse who has a good start already.
- I, Ronald Melvin, do will and bequeath my curly hair to Sam Waterman who thinks he'd like to have it.



Seniors



VIRGINIA LARSON

G.A.A. 1,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. Rep. 2; F.H.A. Treas. 3; F.H.A. Pres. 4; PC 1,2,3,4; SC 2; Libr. 2,3,4; Christmas Play 3; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Secy. 2; Pres. 3; Sp. 2,3,4; Sp. Play 2; Sp. Rep. 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Carnival Att. 3; Homecoming Att. 4; Flag Raiser 4; Spotlight 2; Wever 2,3,4; Asst. Bus. Manager 4; Art Ed. 4.

We all enjoyed working in the eat stand, especially since the money we made helped finance our trip.



ALTA MAE HARDEN

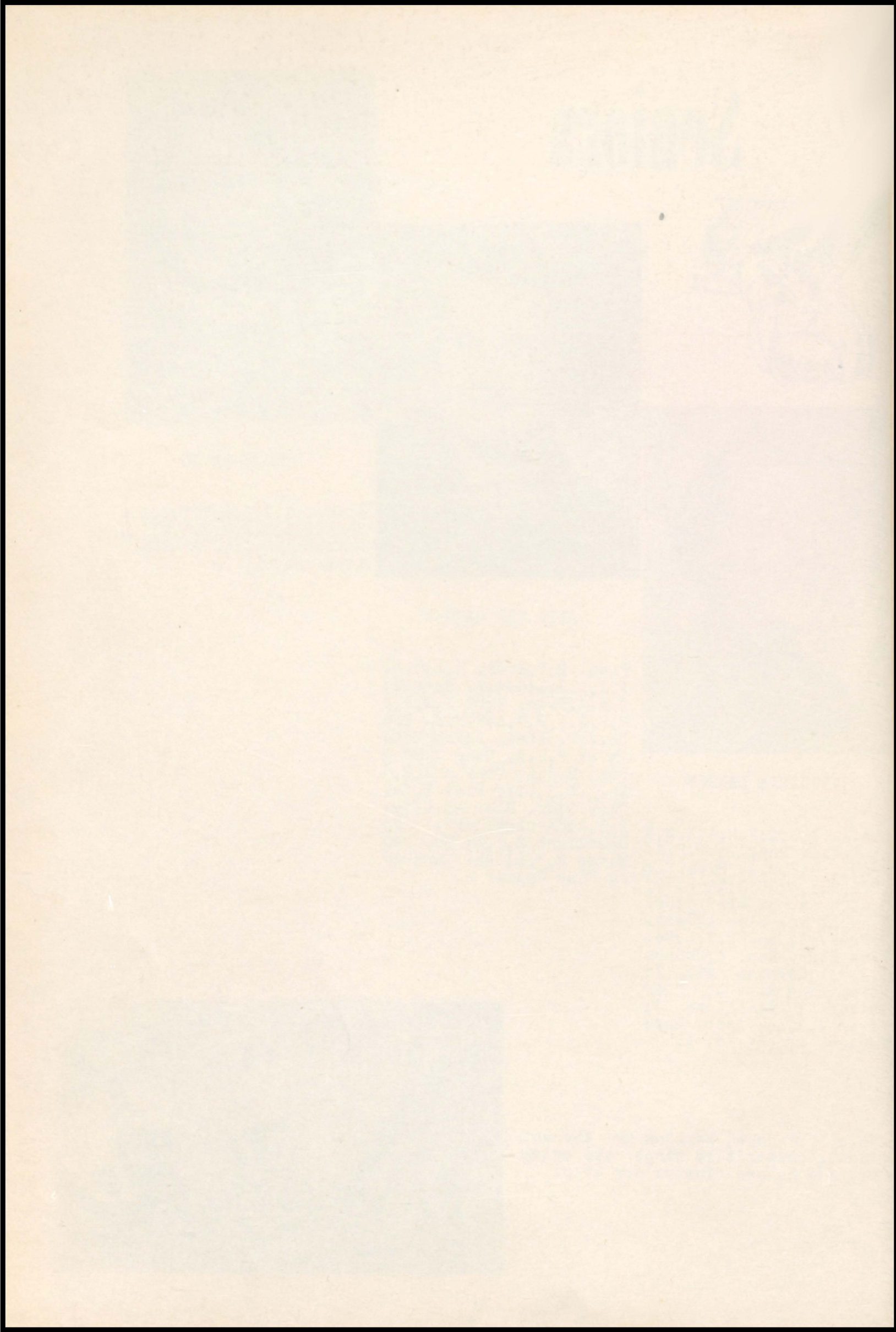
Pres. 2; V. Pres. 3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Secy. 2; G.A.A. Pres. 3; PC 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. Pro Ch. 2; V. Pres. 3; Projects Ch 4; F.H.A. Camp 2; SC 2; Band 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Sp. 1,2,3,4; Sp. Play 2, Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Libr. 2,3,4; Carnival Att. 2; Spotlight 2,3,4; Ed. 4; Wever 2,3,4; Bus. Manager 4; Flag Raiser 4.



BETTY DAVIS

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; PC 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Att. 3; Spotlight Ed. 4.

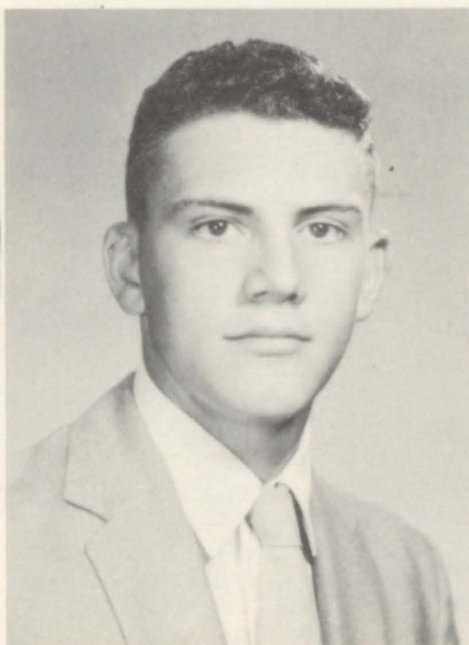






CHARLES LINDGREN

V. Pres. 1; Treas. 4; F.F.A. Pres. 4; SC Pres 4; Band Pres. 4; BB Capt 4; BB 1,2,3,4; FB 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; M Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Libr 4; Sp. 1,2; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Wever 4; Homecoming King 4; Carnival Att 2; F.F.A. 1,2,3.



RONALD MELVIN

Pres. 1; Sec. 3; SC Treas. 3; SC Sec. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; V. Pres. 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Sp. 2,4; Sp Pres. 4; FB 3,4; BB 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; M-Club 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,4; V. Pres. 4; Jr. Play 2,3; Sr. Play 2,4; Wever 4; Carnival Att. 2; Christmas Play 2,3



CHARLES POGUE

Mooreton #Pak 1,2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 3,4; F.F.A. 3,4; F.F.A. Rep. 4; Class Rep. 4; FB 3,4; Christmas Play 3; Jr. Play 3; Sr Play 4; BB 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Att. 3; Track 3,4; Sp. 4; V. Pres. Red Masque 4; M Club 4; St. F.F.A. Convention; Nat'l F.F.A. Convention.



Virginia, Dolores, and Alta Mae put the finishing touches on "Tinker Bell" for homecoming decorations.



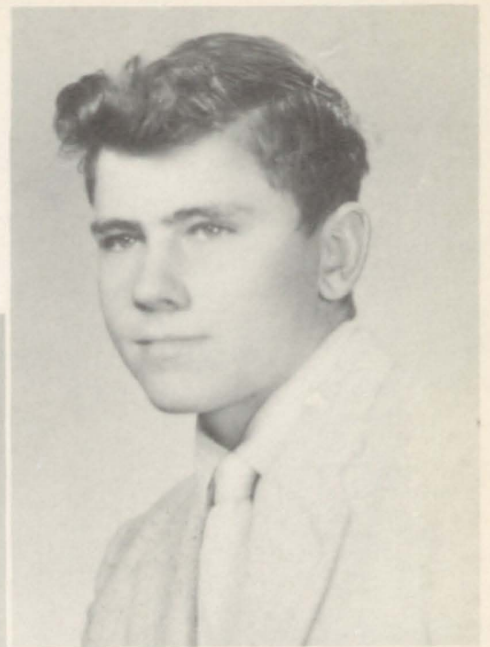
DOLORES VAN ARSDALE

Rep. 2,3; Secy. 4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Secy. 4; PC 1,2,3,4; PC Treas. 3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. Rec Leader 2; F.H.A. Parl. 3; F.H.A. Treas. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Band Solo 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Sp. Prompter 1,2,3,4; SC 3; SC Reporter 3; Libr. 1,2,3,4; Reporter 1,2,3; Jr. Play 2,3; Sr. Play 4; Sp. Play 2; Band Queen 4; Carnival Queen 4; Homecoming Att 1; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Wever 1,2,3,4; Ed. 4; Flag Raiser 4; Scarlet Masque 4; S. M. Secy. 4.



VERN SHELTON

FB 1,2,3,4; Captain 4; BB 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; M Club 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2; Jr Play 2,3; Sr. Play 4; Pres 4; Treas. 2; Sp. 1,2; Wever 4; SC 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Carnival King 4; Homecoming Att 1; Band Rep 4



DONALD RANKIN

Secy. 1; V. Pres. 2; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. Reporter 3; F.F.A. Sentinel 4; FB 1,2,3,4; BB 2,3,4; Track 1,2,4; Carnival Att. 3.



We were proud of our candidates for Homecoming king and queen, Virginia and Charles.

Class Poem

"Twas the fall of '53, four years past
That we entered Media High at last.
As our freshman year flew by
We felt our spirits soaring high.

When, as sophomores, we were so gay
We wouldn't have had it another way.
We initiated the Freshmen with great delight,
They'll remember that for many a night.

Our junior year was very busy,
What with play and carnival we were quite dizzy.
The Junior-Senior Banquet was quite a chore,
But no one can say that it was a bore.

Our first three years went very fast.
We were Sophisticated Seniors at last.
First graduation and then the class trip,
Into many interesting things we did dip.

The good times we had by the score
Will be remembered forever more.
To classmates dear and teachers, too.
Dear Media High farewell to you.

Class of 1957

Row 1: Mrs. Duncan, A.M. Harden,
B. Davis, C. Pogue, D. Van Arsdale,
V. Larson, Mr. Walker
Row 2: R. Melvin, C. Lindgren, V.
Shelton, D. Rankin



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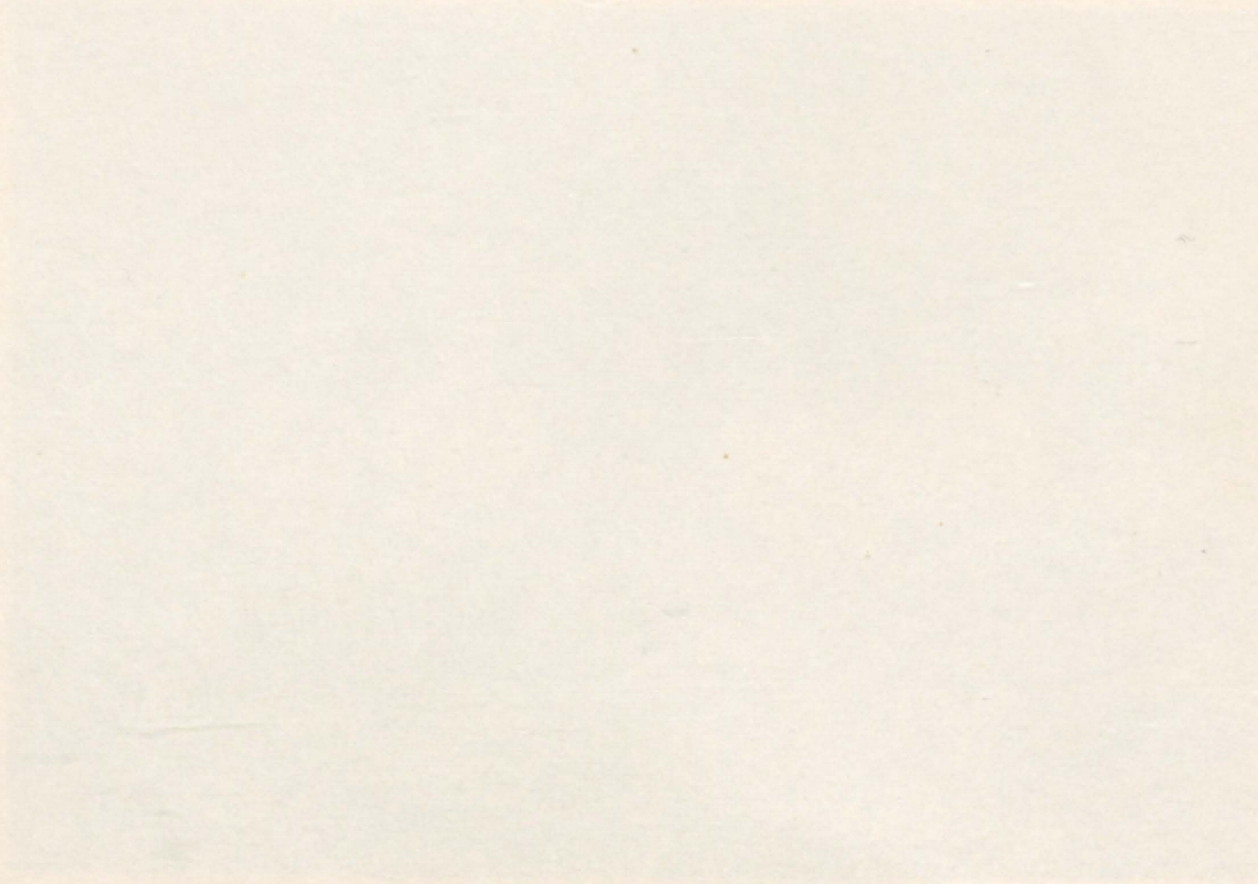
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Vern Shelton



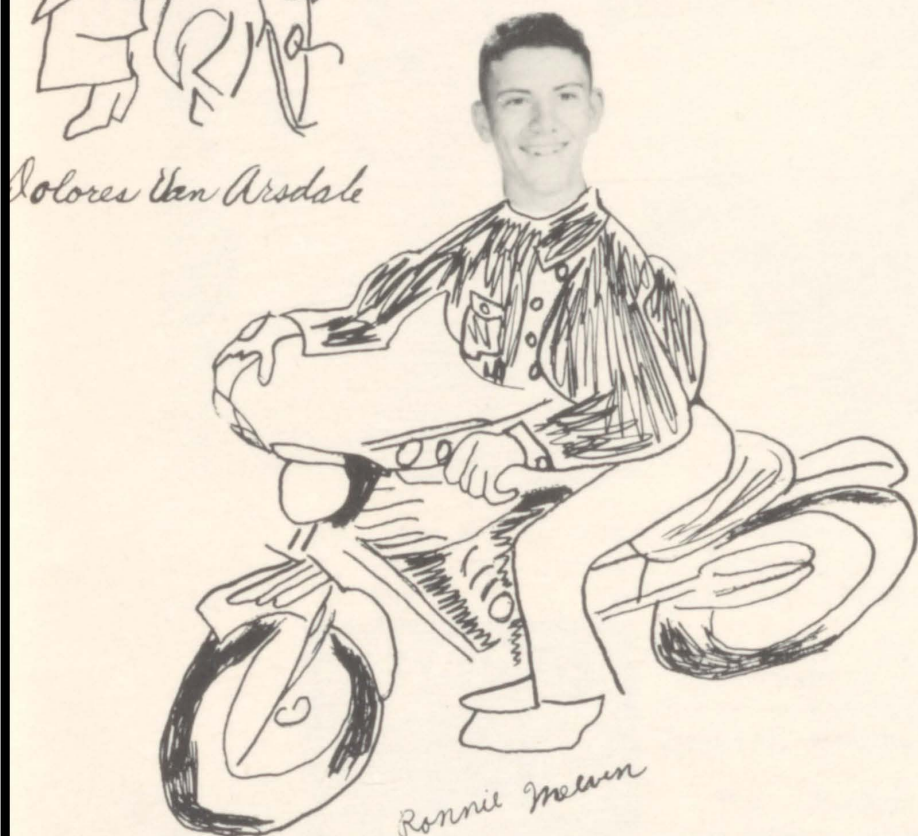
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Dolores Van Arsdale



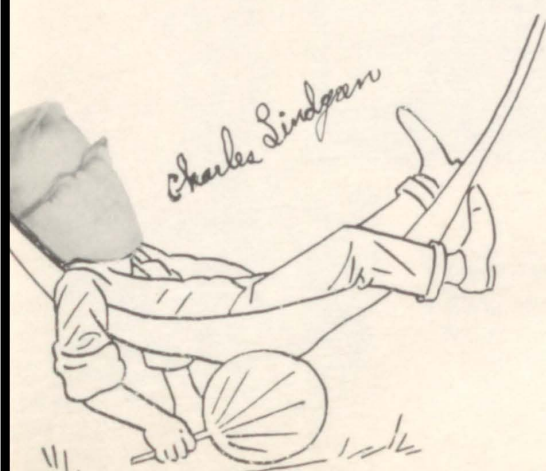
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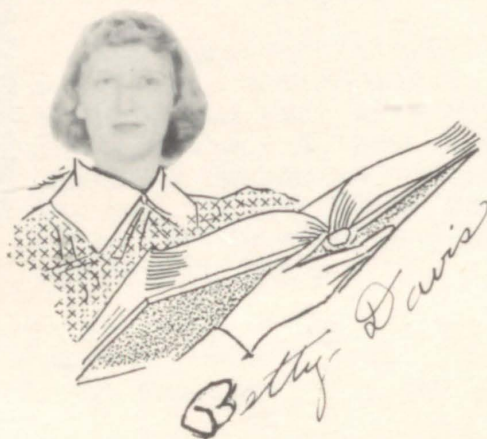
Ronnie Melvin



Donald Rankin



Charles Lindgren



Betty Davis

Alta Mae Harden



Juniors

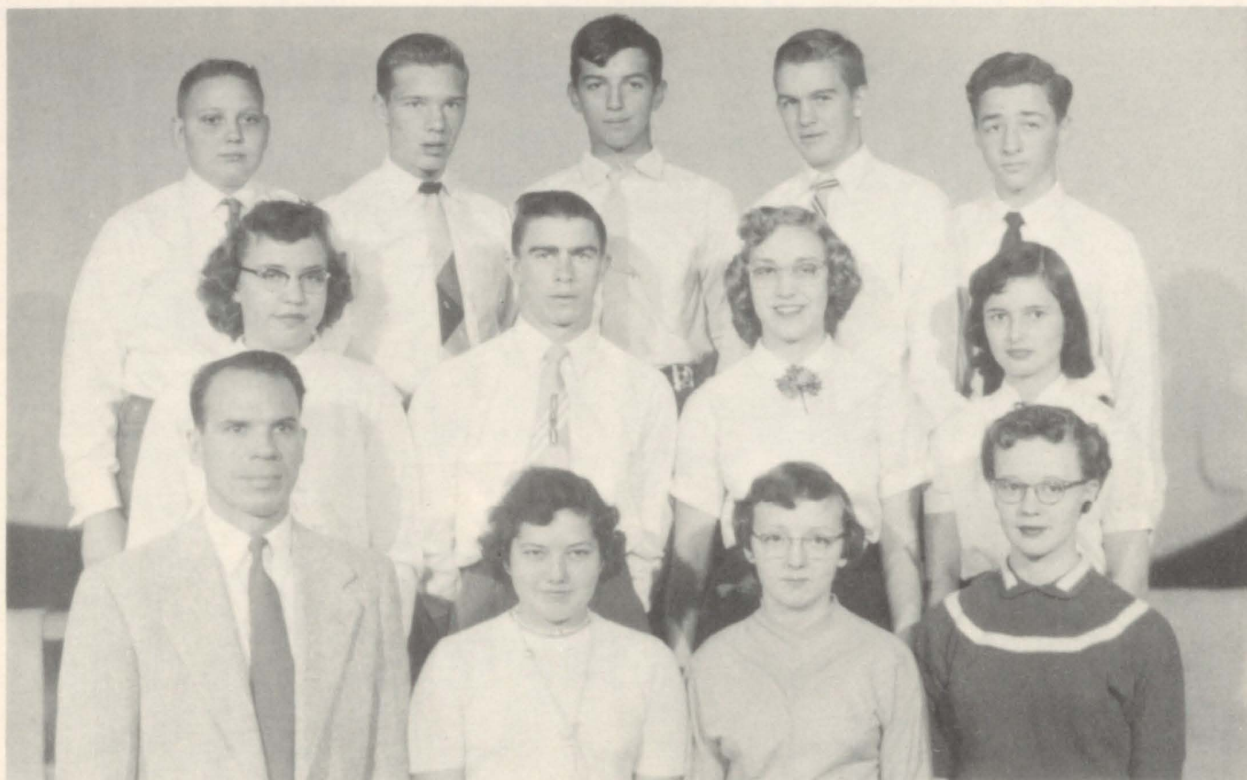
Our Junior year really began when we received our rings. Having ordered them in the spring of our Sophomore year, they arrived shortly after the opening of school.

Our class officers this year were: Pres.--Norma Berg; V. Pres.--Ray Carlson Sec.--Linda Reynolds; Treas.--Linda Kemp; Reporter--Joyce Reid; and S C Rep.--- Jean Anders and Ray Carlson. Miss Bodeen and Mr. Bowen served as our advisors.

This year Joyce Reid and Linda Reynolds were chosen as varsity cheerleaders.

The Homecoming Pep Rally, which was held October 25, was enjoyed by us all especially since our skit "The Viper" won second place. Our homecoming king and queen candidates, were Ray Carlson and Linda Kemp. The class was very proud when Linda was crowned queen.

The Junior Carnival, which was held November 2, contributed a sizeable sum to our class treasury. The Junior king and queen candidates for this event were Gerry Lenz and Jean Anders.



Row 1: Mr. Bowen, L. Kemp, J. Anders, Miss Bodeen
Row 2: J. Reid, G. Lenz, N. Berg, L. Reynolds
Row 3: B. Parrack, R. Carlson, R. Rosenbalm, S. Waterman, M. Jacobs

On March 22 the class presented a three act farce-comedy play, "Grandad Steps Out" by Felicia Metcalfe. It was directed by our English teacher, Miss Bodeen.

The Junior-Senior Banquet, which our class sponsored, was held May 18.

The class of '58 felt they had successfully completed their Junior year. The Juniors started the year with eleven members including Bob Parrack, a new student in school, and welcomed Gwendolyn Inghram into our class at the end of the first semester; which increased us to twelve anticipating students anxious for our Senior year.

Homecoming Celebration! Ray Carlson washes window in our skit and the next day Linda Kemp, Sam Waterman, and Gerry Lenz decorate the goal post for the game with G. & O.



Sophomores

On August 30 thirteen Sophomores entered Media for their second term. We elected the following officers to lead our class onward; Pres.--Russell Coburn; V. Pres.--Neal Brokaw; Sec.--Bonnie Swanson; Treas.--Bill McCollum; and Reporter -- J.D. Bricker. Curtis Flatt and Gary Harden were chosen to represent us at Student Council. Mrs. Dietz and Mr. Shelton were selected as our advisors.

We were proud when Janet Pulse was chosen as a Junior-varsity cheerleader.

Our carnival king and queen representatives were Jeanette Arnold and Neal Brokaw. We were glad the Juniors let us have two stands at their carnival.

During the first semester we lost Eddy Lenz and gained and lost Terry Wilson. This leaves us twelve classmates to look forward to our Junior year at Media High.



Row 1: Mr. Shelton, B. Swanson, R. Pinson, Mrs. Dietz
 Row 2: J. Pulse, C. Flatt, E. Lenz, P. Lee, J. Arnold
 Row 3: J. D. Bricker, B. McCollum, D. Overstreet, R. Coburn, N. Brokaw, G. Harden.



Bonnie and J. D. were our candidates for Homecoming king and queen.

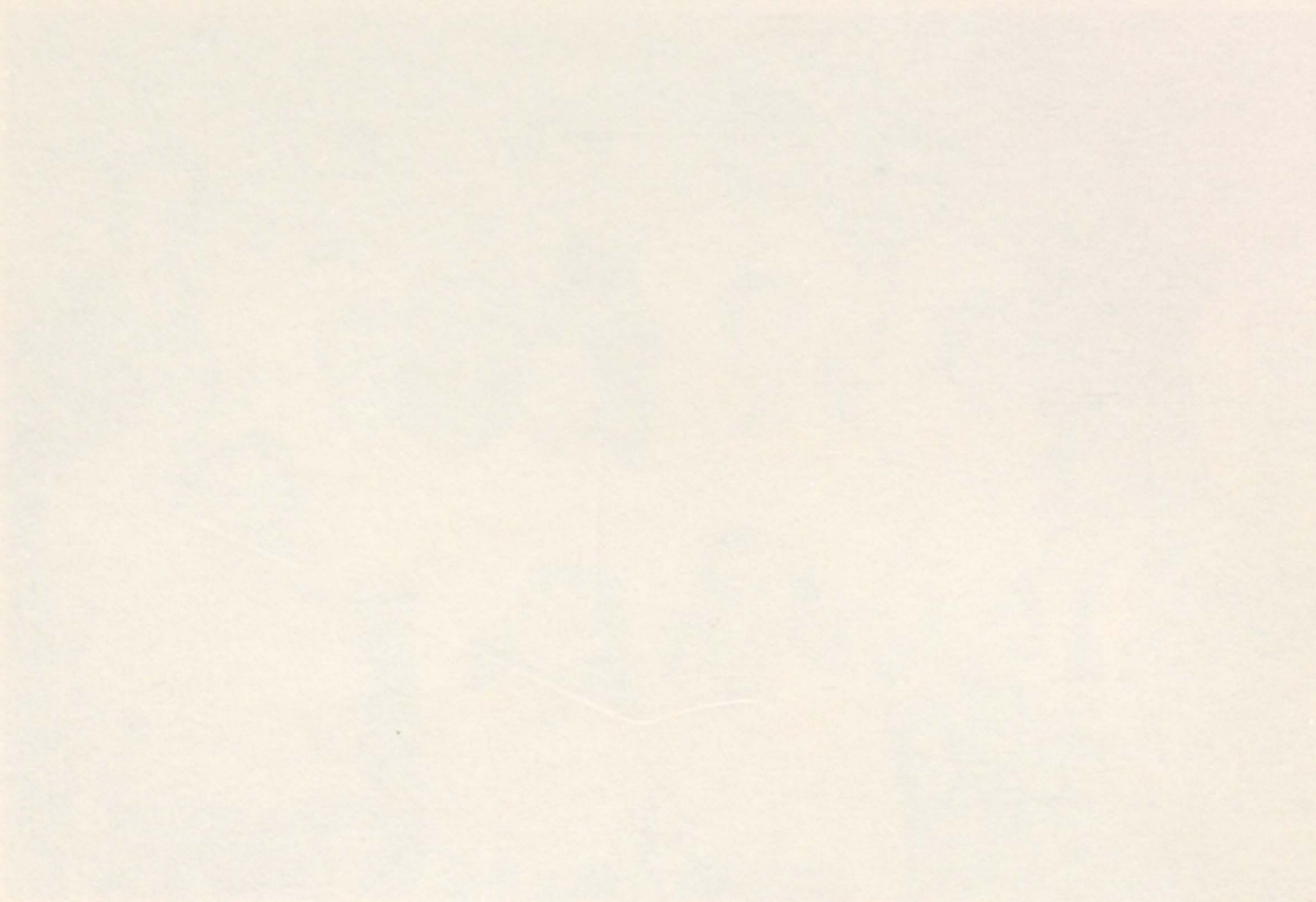


Appendix

The following table shows the results of the survey conducted in the year 2000. The data was collected from a sample of 1000 respondents, and the results are presented in the following table.

The table shows the percentage of respondents who answered 'Yes' or 'No' to each of the questions. The questions are listed in the first column, and the percentages are listed in the second and third columns.

The data shows that a majority of respondents (65%) answered 'Yes' to the question 'Do you support the current government?' and a minority (35%) answered 'No'.



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The data shows that a majority of respondents (60%) answered 'Yes' to the question 'Do you support the current government's actions?' and a minority (40%) answered 'No'.

Freshmen

On August 30 twenty-one Freshmen entered Media High School. We chose our officers and advisors as follows: Pres.--John Carlson; V. Pres.--Terry Myers; Sec.--Susan Stevenson; Treas.--Bill Corzatt; Reporter--Marilyn Heller
Our advisors: Mrs. Mayhew and Mr. Sibbing. Mrs. Mayhew resigned March 1 and Miss Willner replaced her.

For initiation the girls had to wear bib overalls and old shirts on backwards, and the boys had to wear women's clothes and two odd shoes. We all had to wear a nylon stocking with onions, grasshoppers, and a boiled egg.



Row 1: Mr. Sibbing, S. Lenz, C. White, M. Heller, Mrs. Mayhew
Row 2: R. Arnold, M. Berg, J. Kemp, K. Gipe
Row 3: S. Stevenson, J. Carlson, J. Knapp, D. VanArsdale
J. Isaacson, J. Cox
Row 4: T. Edwards, L. Braun, B. Powell, K. Hulett, T. Myers, B. Corzatt

Our home-coming king and queen candidates were Bill Corzatt and Diana Van Arsdale. Terry Myers and Marilyn Heller were representatives for the carnival.

We gave the Sophomore Class a party on February 13. We went to the movie in Monmouth and had a dance and refreshments afterwards.

We all hope to be together for three more years at Media high.



S. Stevenson, C. White and J. Isaacson
M. Heller, S. Waterman, J. Cox
K. Gipe, R. Arnold, and D. Van Arsdale

S. Lenz, J. Kemp, M. Berg and Mrs. Mayhew



Eighth Grade

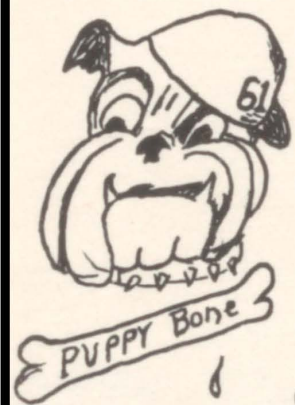
From Media, Raritan, and Smithshire



Row 1: L. Hull, T. Mixer, M. Lindgren, H. Reid, H. Shelton
 Row 2: B. Schaefer, R. Galbreath, P. Cox, R. Rothzen,
 R. Hilton, C. Corzatt
 Row 3: L. Johnson, J. Heap, L. Paulsgrove, D. Garrison,
 E. Bodeen, L. Thompson
 Row 4: R. Duncan, C. Samson, K. Saben, J. Sherman, G. Adams,
 R. Jacobs



Our Christmas program was a big success,
 especially since Santa was so friendly.





STUDY HALL

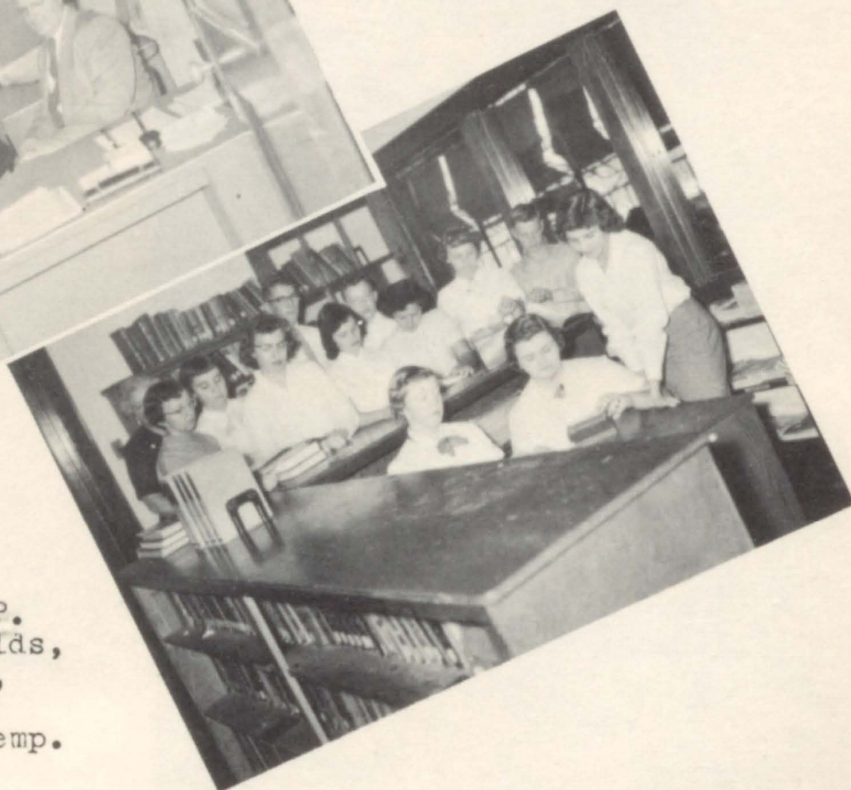
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 Row 2: J. Cox, D. Van Arsdale, C. White, T. Myers, J. Carlson, K. Gipe, B. McCollum, N. Brokaw, V. Larson, C. Flatt, J.D. Bricker, D. Overstreet.
 Row 3: R. Rosenbalm, E. Lenz, J. Knapp, G. Harden, B. Powell, R. Pinson, L. Kemp, L. Reynolds, A. Harden, R. Coburn, C. Lindgren, R. Melvin.
 Row 4: B. Corzatt, K. Hulett, B. Swanson, J. Pulse, J. Arnold, J. Reid, J. Anders, D. Van Arsdale, N. Berg, C. Pogue, V. Shelton.
 Row 5: P. Lee, B. Davis, V. Laws, B. Parrack, D. Rankin, M. Jacobs, R. Carlson, G. Lenz.
 Standing: Mr. Bowen, Mr. Walker, Mr. Dietz, Mrs. Duncan, Mr. Shelton, Miss Bodeen, Mr. Sibbing, and Mrs. Mayhew.

Office

Mr. Shelton and Joan Heller are in a happy mood.



Library



Standing: Mrs. Duncan, J. Anders, P. Lee, J. Reid, C. Lindgren, L. Reynolds, B. Corzatt, L. Kemp, D. Van Arsdale, J. Carlson.
 Seated: V. Larson, A. Harden, J. Kemp.

Classes

ENGLISH III

M. Jacobs, L. Reynolds, S. Waterman, R. Rosenbalm, J. Reid, J. Anders, B. Parrack, N. Berg, L. Kemp, R. Carlson, G. Lenz, Miss Bodeen



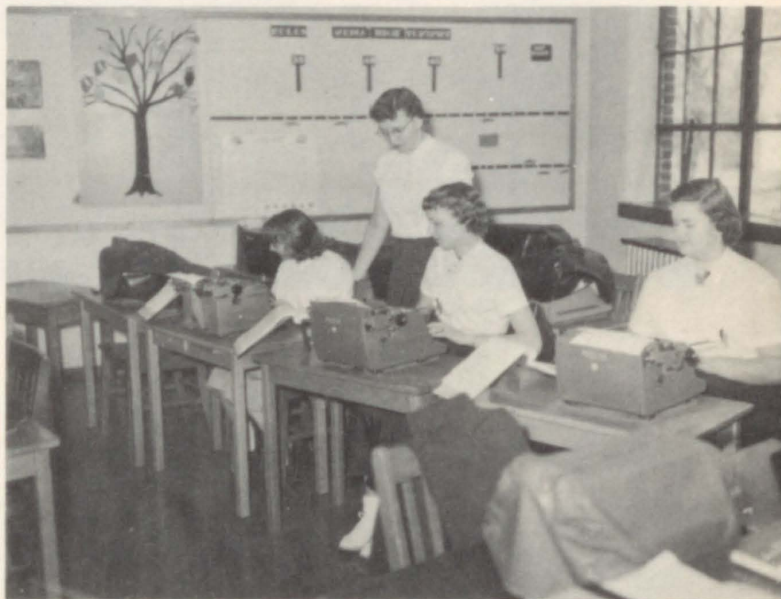
AMERICAN HISTORY

D. Van Arsdale, V. Larson, A. M. Harden, B. Davis, C. Lindgren, D. Rankin, V. Shelton, R. Melvin, C. Pogue, Mrs. Duncan



OFFICE PRACTICE

Mrs. Dietz, B. Davis, D. Van Arsdale, A.M. Harden



BIOLOGY

(Seated) N. Brokaw, B. McCollum, J. D. Bricker, (Standing) J. Pulse, P. Lee, D. Overstreet, J. Arnold, Mr. Shelton, C. Flatt, R. Coburn, R. Pinson, G. Harden, B. Swanson, E. Lenz



AERONAUTICS

Seated: S. Waterman, R. Rosenbalm,
G. Lenz, M. Jacobs, B. Parrack
Standing: D. Rankin, R. Carlson,
Mr. Bowen



ACCOMPANIST
Mrs. Eulalie Campbell

MUSIC
Mr. Sibbing, K. Gipe



SHOP

Foreground: J. Knapp, T. Myers,
V. Laws, T. Edwards, B. Corzat, J.
Carlson
Background: K. Hulet, L. Braun,
B. Powell



STUDENT COUNCIL
C.Flatt, G.Har-
den, J. Kemp, J.
Anders, C.Lind-
gren, V.Shelton
Mr. Shelton, R.
Melvin.



FLAG RAISERS
A.M. Harden, V. Larson, and D. Van Arsdale

DRIVER TRAINING

J. D. Bricker, B. McCollum, D. Overstreet
E. Lenz, G. Harden, Mr. Bowen (in the car)
B. Swanson, J. Pulse, J. Arnold, R. Coburn
P. Lee, R. Pinson, C. Flatt (behind car)
N. Brokaw.





The cafeteria is always a busy place at noon.

Hot lunch cooks Gladys Heap and Mary Cavins feed us exceptionally well!



Jerry Thompson
Donald Roach Loren Van Doren
Our bus drivers



Our janitor, Harold Brouse, keeps Media High School nice and clean for us.

Annual Staff



Seated: Mrs. Dietz, D. Van
Arsdale, L. Reynolds
Row 2: A.M. Harden, V. Larson,
B. Davis
Row 3: C. Pogue, R. Melvin, V.
Shelton, C. Lindgren, D. Rankin



Advisor, Mrs. Dietz; Editor, Dolores
Van Arsdale; and Asst. Editor, Linda
Reynolds make big decisions concerning
our 1957 WEVER.



A group of faithful typists.
J. Reid, J. Anders, D. Van
Arsdale, B. Davis, L. Reynolds,
A. M. Harden.



We had a sock dance to raise money after our
home basketball game with G. & O.

Speech



Seated: C. Pogue, J. Pulse, D. Van Arsdale, J. Cox, J. Arnold, S. Stevenson
Standing: A.M. Harden, Miss Bodeen, D. Overstreet, J.D. Bricker, R. Melvin, P. Lee, D. Van Arsdale, V. Larson, B. Swanson.

The speech activities of 1956-57 were begun by a meeting of the Scarlet Masquers in the fall. We elected officers who were: R. Melvin--Pres.; C. Pogue--V. Pres.; D. Van Arsdale--Secy.; and V. Larson--Reporter. The first Contest was the local contest, which was held February 7, 1957. Thirteen students presented entries in eight fields at this contest with the first place winners advancing to future contests.

Those students participating were: Humorous play reading--J. Arnold, J. Cox, R. Melvin; Dramatic play reading--J. Carlson, J. Pulse; Original Cration--J.D. Bricker; Oratorical declamation--D. Overstreet, C. Pogue, D. Van Arsdale; Original monologue--B. Swanson; After dinner speaking--P. Lee; Verse reading--B. Swanson, S. Stevenson; Radio speaking--C. Pogue, A.M. Harden. Mr. Don Lemmer of Macomb High School was the judge of the local contests.

The District Contest was held at Roseville High School on March 2, 1957.

The Bi-County Contest, which was held at Alexis, March 4, was a great pleasure to us all. Media and Kirkwood tied for first place, and each school received a trophy.

On March 11, 1957, the Valley Speech Contest was held at Kirkwood High School. Media placed third in rank for the trophy.

On the whole, we have had a very profitable year with a lot of first, second and third place ratings at the contests. Miss Carol Bodeen was the director of the speech team, and Dolores Van Arsdale and Virginia Larson served as prompters for the year.

Newspaper

Row 1: Mrs. Dietz, A. M. Harden, D. Van Arsdale, B. Swanson
Row 2: C. Pogue, J. Reid, J. Berg, J.D. Bricker, P. Lee
Row 3: J. Anders, L. Kemp, J. Reynolds, J. Arnold, B. Swanson, M. Heller



Martha
Oliver Keep
Caroline Keating
Gail Keating
Phil Lassiter
Lorna Keating
Ella Norris
Polly Moore
Henry Gordon
Gareth Keating

Jean Anders
Charles Pogue
Judy Isaacson
Betty Davis
Vern Shelton
Alta M. Harden
Virginia Larson
Dolores Van Arsdale
Charles Lindgren
Ronnie Melvin

Class Plays



Senior

HANGMAN'S NOOSE by G. Batson is a mystery-comedy play about an eccentric woman who fears her death and the tomb in which she is to be buried. In order to detect the murderer of her brother, she calls a meeting of her relatives and closest friends for the reading of her will. All the relatives appear and spend the evening in the horrible old house. During the evening two murders are committed. The murderer of them all is finally detected.

Junior

GRANDAD STEPS OUT, a 3 act farce-comedy by F. Metcalfe, takes place in the home of Mrs. Laura Morton. Her father who is an invalid, lives with her and her niece and nephew come for a visit. An old friend of Grandad's appears and the two men make arrangements to have an evening out. There is much confusion with the disappearance of Grandad and all sorts of horrible things are considered. In the end Grandad reappears and all is well.



Mrs. Laura Morton---Norma Berg; Grandad-Raymond Carlson; Tilly---Joyce Reid; Betty Shaddock---Cwen Inghram; Kip Shaddock---Bill McCollum; Trudy Norwood---Linda Reynolds; Judy Norwood---Linda Kemp; Ludie Norwood---Jeanette Arnold; Jack Norwood---Darvis Overstreet; Jim Mahoney---Ray Rosenbalm; Mis Abby Higgins---Jean Anders; Mrs. Jose Feeney---Patty Lee; Police Detective---Bob Parrack Friends of Grandad---Martin Jacobs, Gerry Lenz, Sam Waterman.



Mixed Chorus

Row 1: B. Swanson,
J. Cox, J. Anders,
S. Stevenson, K.
Gipe, L. Reynolds,
J. Arnold, M.
Heller, Row 2: R.
Arnold, M. Berg,
J. Reid, V. Larson,
N. Berg, J. Isaacson,
J. Pulse, Row 3: C.
Pogue, C. Lindgren,
R. Melvin, Mr. Sibbing,
D. Overstreet, R.
Coburn, R. Carlson



Band

Row 1: C. Lindgren, D. Van Arsdale, J. Isaacson, J. Anders
Row 2: M. Heller, N. Brokaw, V. Shelton, R. Pinson, R. Melvin, T. Myers,
A.M. Harden, N. Berg
Row 3: T. Edwards, K. Gipe (standing) J.D. Bricker, C. Pogue, R.
Carlson, Mr. Sibbing, B. Swanson, J. Reid, L. Reynolds, D. Overstreet.





SAXAPHONE DUET
N. Berg, L. Reynolds
District - 2nd

WOODWIND DUET
C. Lindgren, J. Anders
District - 1st
State - 1st

CLARINET TRIO
C. Lindgren, D. Van Arsdale,
N. Brokaw
District - 1st
State - 2nd



GIRLS' TRIO
N. Berg, J. Anders, L. Reynolds
District - 2nd

WOODWIND QUARTET
N. Brokaw, T. Edwards, K.
Gipe, M. Heller
District - 1
State - 2nd



SOLOS
Seated: D. Van Arsdale, D. 1 S. 2; S. Stevenson, D. 2; J. Pulse, D. 2; K. Gipe, D. 2; Standing: J. Isaacson, D. 2; D. Overstreet, D. 1, S. 3; M. Heller, D. 1, S. 1, Vocal Dist. 3; L. Reynolds, D. 1, S. 1.

BRASS QUARTETS
A.M. Harden, J. Reid, R. Pinson, P. Shelton
District - 2
R. Melvin, T. Myers, J. Isaacson, C. Corzatt
District - 1st
State - 2nd





Row 1: G. Ienz, C. Pogue, D. Rankin, R. Carlson, N. Brokaw, S. Waterman, R. Coburn, C. Lindgren. Row 2: K. Hulet, V. Shelton, R. Melvin, D. Overstreet, J.D. Bricker, B. McCollum, V. Laws, G. Harden, C. Flatt, M. Jacobs. Row 3: Mr. Bowen, T. Edwards, B. Powell, T. Myers, B. Corzatt, J. Knapp, L. Braun, R. Rosenbalm, B. Parrack.

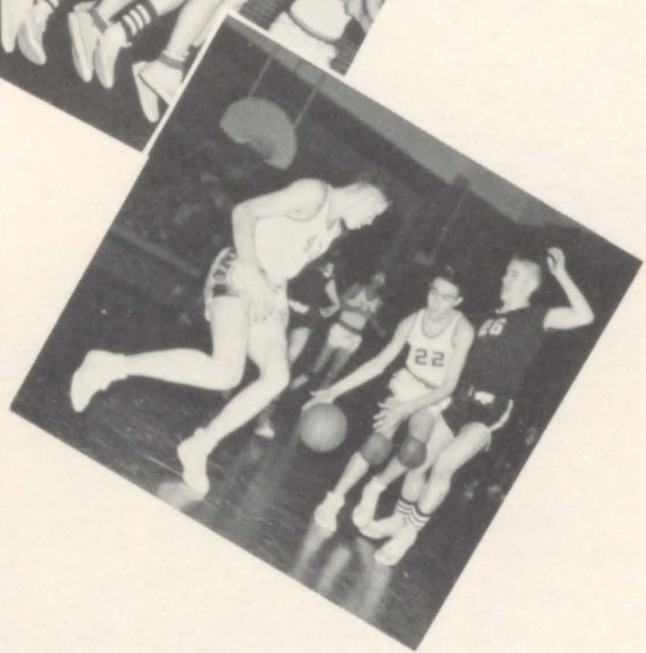
Football



Basketball



Row 1: L. Braun, R. Melvin, C. Pogue, V. Shelton, C. Lindgren, D. Rankin, Mr. Bowen
 Row 2: M. Jacobs, R. Carlson, T. Edwards, B. McCollum, T. Myers, G. Harden, B. Corzatt, J. Knapp
 Row 3: J.D. Bricker, R. Rosenbalm, R. Coburn, V. Laws, D. Overstreet, B. Powell, K. Hulet, N. Brokaw, S. Waterman.



Track

Row 1: B. Corzatt, M. Jacobs, G. Lenz, J. Knapp, R. Melvin, V. Shelton, D. Rankin
 Row 2: L. Braun, T. Edwards, J.D. Bricker, B. McCollum, R. Carlson, C. Flatt, T. Myers, Mr. Bowen
 Row 3: G. Harden, R. Coburn, V. Laws, D. Overstreet, B. Powell, R. Rosenbalm, K. Hulet, N. Brokaw, S. Waterman



Activities



M Club



Mr. Bowen, R. Rosenbalm, S. Waterman, C. Lindgren
R. Melvin, R. Carlson, V. Shelton

Future Farmers of America

The Media Chapter of the Future Farmers of America carried a membership of twenty-five during the year, with approximately forty-five productive enterprises. The officers were as follows: Pres.--Charles Lindgren; V. Pres.--Ronnie Melvin; Sec.--Neal Brokaw; Treas.--Ray Carlson; Reporter--Charles Pogue; Sentinel--Donald Rankin; Advisor--S. M. Walker.

Our forestry project finally gave our treasury a boost in the sale of ever-green prunings, furnishing over \$100 in clear profit. Complete meeting room equipment was purchased and plans made for a nice parents' night supper.

The Chapter furnished stage settings for class plays and a Christmas nativity scene for the school lawn. Favorable publicity was in several papers because of this holiday decoration.

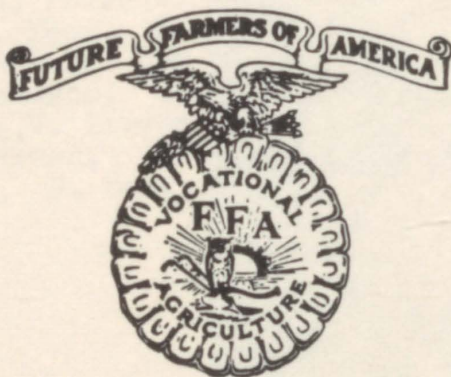
Our shop was busy during the year, many metal and wood-working projects being completed.



Row 1: D. Rankin, R. Carlson, R. Melvin, C. Lindgren, N. Brokaw, C. Pogue
 Row 2: Mr. Walker, J. Carlson, B. Corzatt, L. Braun, T. Edwards, J. Knapp, E. Lenz
 Row 3: T. Myers, G. Lenz, G. Harden, C. Flatt, M. Jacobs, B. Parrack
 Row 4: J.D. Bricker, D. Hulet, R. Coburn, B. Powell, D. Overstreet, R. Rosenbalm, B. McCollum



We chose Linda Kemp as our F.F.A. queen.



Future Homemakers of America



Mrs. Stanley Walker, Chapter Mother



The girls in Home Ec. III, V. Larson, A. M. Harden, D. Van Arsdale, N. Berg, L. Kemp served at the Christmas Tea.

All twenty-six girls in school this year were members of F.H.A. We chose "Stepping Stones to the Future" as our theme. Our advisor was Mrs. Mayhew and our meetings were scheduled for every Wednesday.

Officers elected prior to summer vacation were: Pres.--V. Larson; V.Pres B. Swanson; Treas.--D. Van Arsdale; Reporter--J. Arnold; Parl.--L. Reynolds; Rec. Leader--P. Lee; Program Chairman--J. Reid.

We elected Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Walker to serve as our chapter mother and father.

We were all very proud when Bonnie Swanson was elected Section IX Vice President at the Spring Rally which was held at Industry this year.

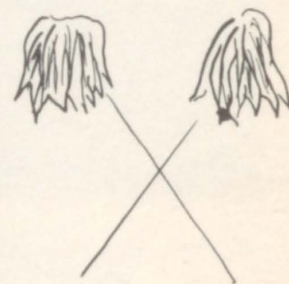
Some of the activities sponsored this year were: Mother's Get Acquainted Night, Christmas Tea, Daddy Date Night, Board-Faculty Banquet, Initiation for new members, and installation and style show.



Row 1: M. Heller, S. Lenz, J. Cox, R. Pinson, B. Davis, Mrs Mayhew; Row 2: L. Kemp L. Reynolds, C. White, J. Arnold, J. Anders, B. Swanson; Row 3: P. Lee, D. Van Arsdale, J. Pulse, K. Gipe, J. Kemp, M. Berg, R. Arnold; Row 4: J. Isaacson, D. Van Arsdale, V. Larson A. M. Harden, S. Stevenson, N. Berg, J. Reid.



Pep Club



Cheerleaders: S. Stevenson, J. Pulse, M. Heller, L. Reynolds, J. Reid, D. Van Arsdale

Row 1: B. Davis, B. Swanson, J. Anders, P. Lee, K. Gipe, M. Berg, L. Kemp, J. Arnold, Mrs. Duncan.

Row 2: C. White, S. Ienz, J. Kemp, J. Isaacson, A. M. Harden, V. Larson, N. Berg, D. Van Arsdale, R. Arnold, R. Pinson, J.

Cox.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

This year our twenty-six Pep Club members elected the following officers: Pres. P. Lee, V. Pres.--J. Arnold, Secy.--L. Kemp, Treas.--J. Reid, and Reporter--B. Swanson. The purpose of our organization is to promote better sportsmanship and more school spirit.

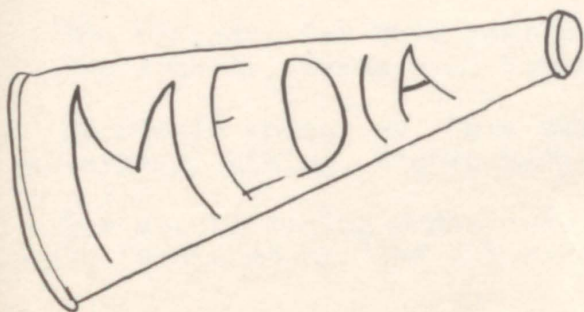
Throughout the year we planned numerous programs for short pep assemblies designed to arouse school spirit and good team play.

On October 25 we sponsored a Homecoming Pep Rally with the classes and other clubs presenting skits. Prizes were awarded to the three best skits.

On Award Night Pep Club felts were awarded to those girls who were active participants throughout the school year.



JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



G. A. A.



Row 1: B. Swanson, L. Reynolds, N. Berg, D. Van Arsdale, P. Lee, Mrs. Duncan
 Row 2: R. Pinson, S. Lenz, J. Arnold, J. Cox, M. Heller, B. Davis
 Row 3: C. White, J. Anders, K. Gipe, M. Berg, J. Kemp, R. Arnold, L. Kemp
 Row 4: S. Stevenson, J. Reid, A.M. Harden, V. Larson, J. Isaacson, J. Pulse, D. Van Arsdale



The girls in G.A.A. use exercises to keep fit as a fiddle.

The purpose of the Girls Athletic Association is to promote good sportsmanship and interest in athletics, both as a spectator and as a participant, and to encourage good health habits.

Any girl is eligible for membership and allowed to join by accepting the rules and by laws of the organization and taking an oath of membership. Our chapter is a member of the Illinois state organization.

We have had twenty-five active members in G.A.A. this year.

The officers for this year were: Pres.--N. Berg, V. Pres.--B. Swanson, Secy.--D. Van Arsdale, Treas.--L. Reynolds, Reporter--P. Lee.

Sports in which we have participated this year are: basketball, softball, volleyball, hiking, and archery.

Our annual Spring Dance was held April 12 in the high school gymnasium with music furnished by "The Hit Paraders" of Burlington, Iowa.

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which is the most common
and is used for the
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Homecoming



(Floor) D.Gipe, B.Corzatt, J. D. Bricker, R. Carlson V. Shelton, C. Gipe, A. M. Harden, V. Larson, B. Swanson, D. VanArsdale, R. Gipe

Everyone enjoyed dancing to the good orchestra music at the Homecoming Dance.

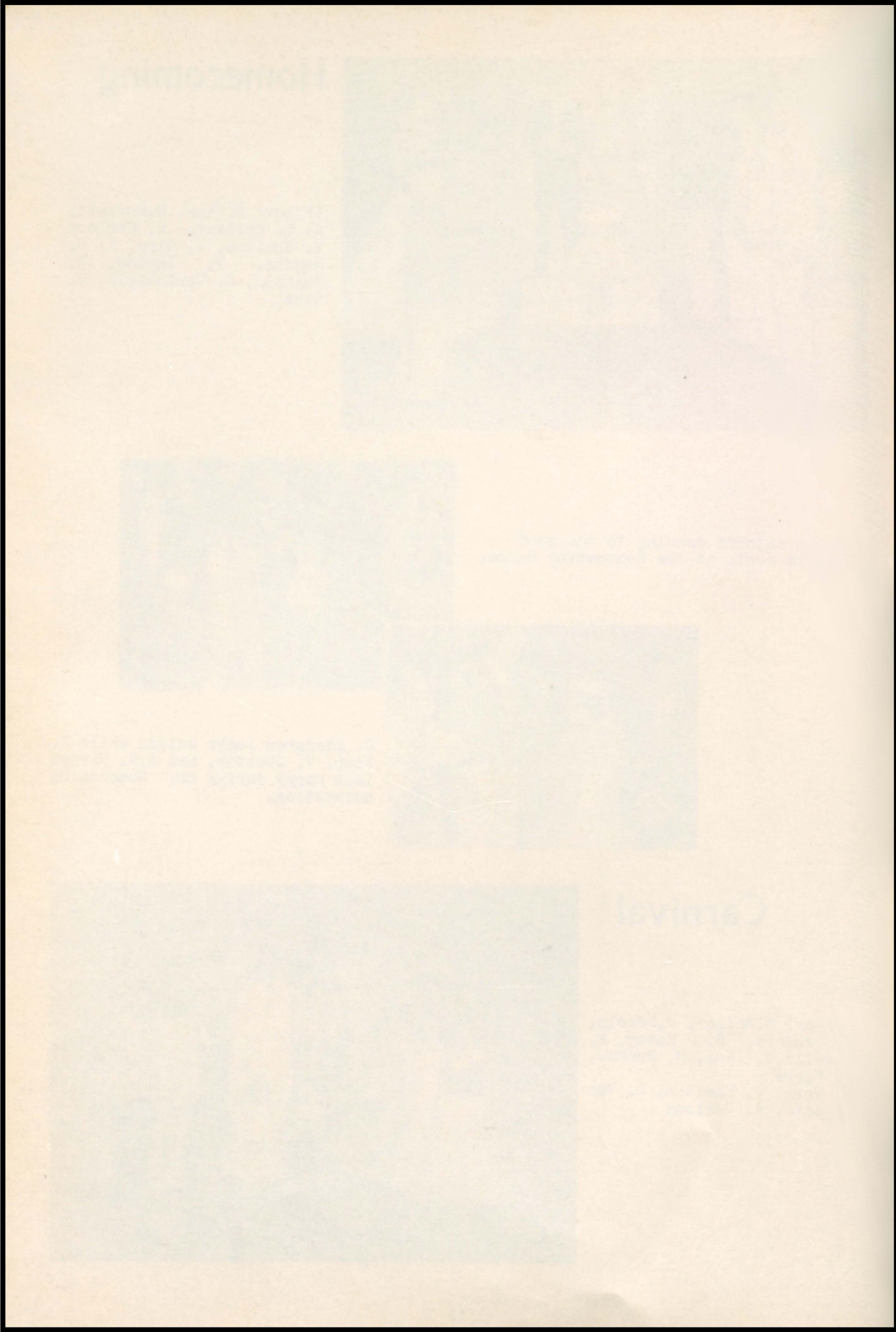


C. Lindgren looks solemn while L. Kemp, V. Shelton, and A.M. Harden look happy during the Homecoming coronation.

Carnival

(Floor) M.Heller, J.Arnold, J. Anders, R. Hobby, A. Lavelle, G. Lenz, N. Brokaw, T. Myers N. Berg, V. Shelton, D. Van Arsdale, R. Carlson







Junior

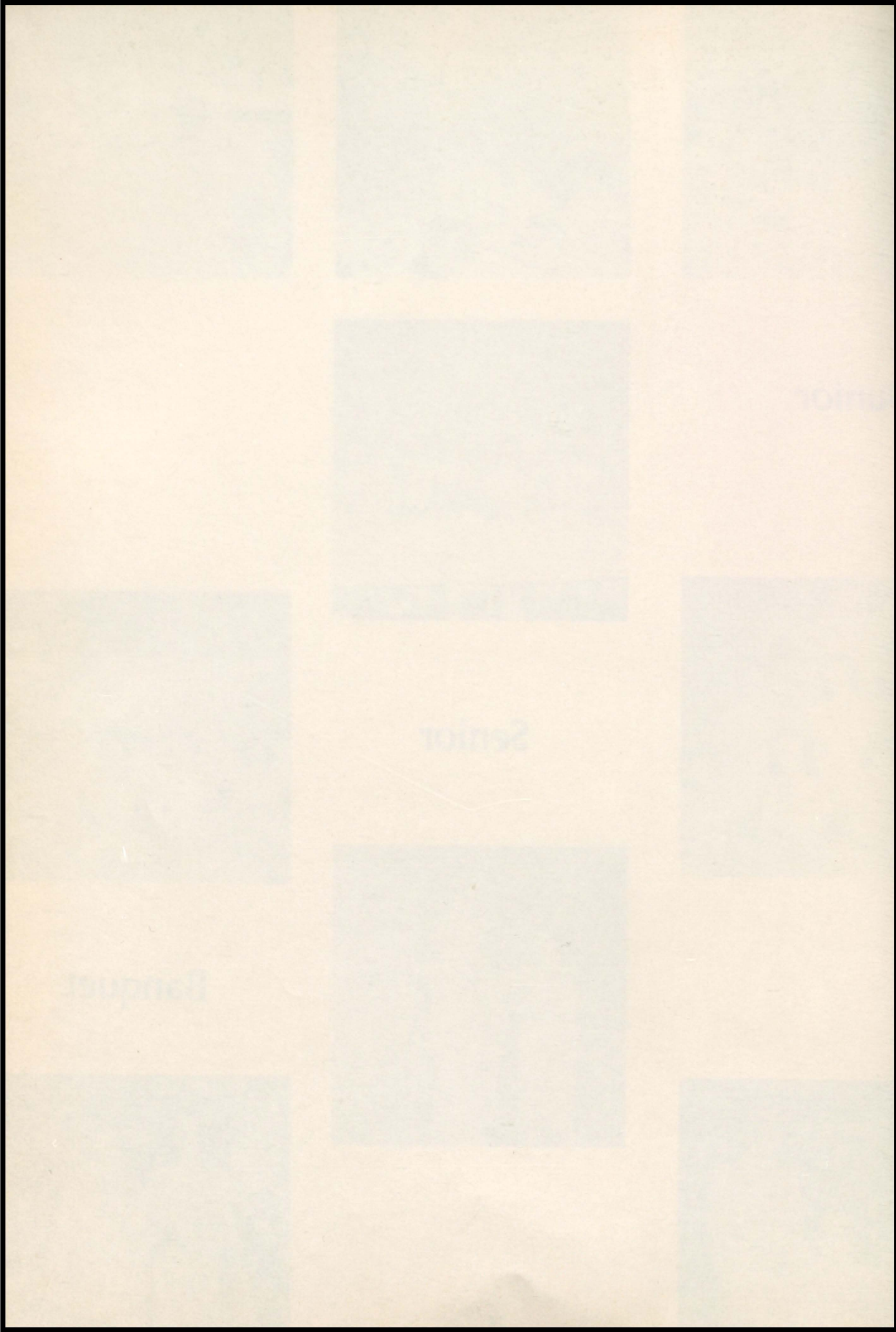


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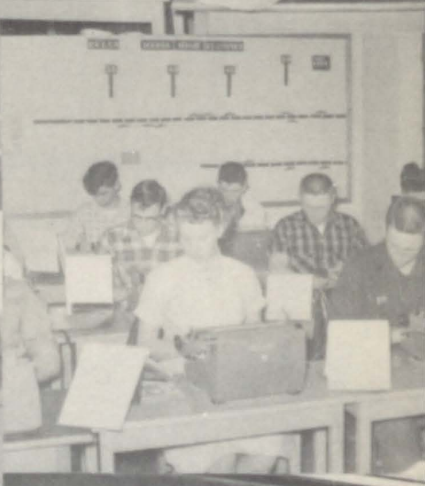
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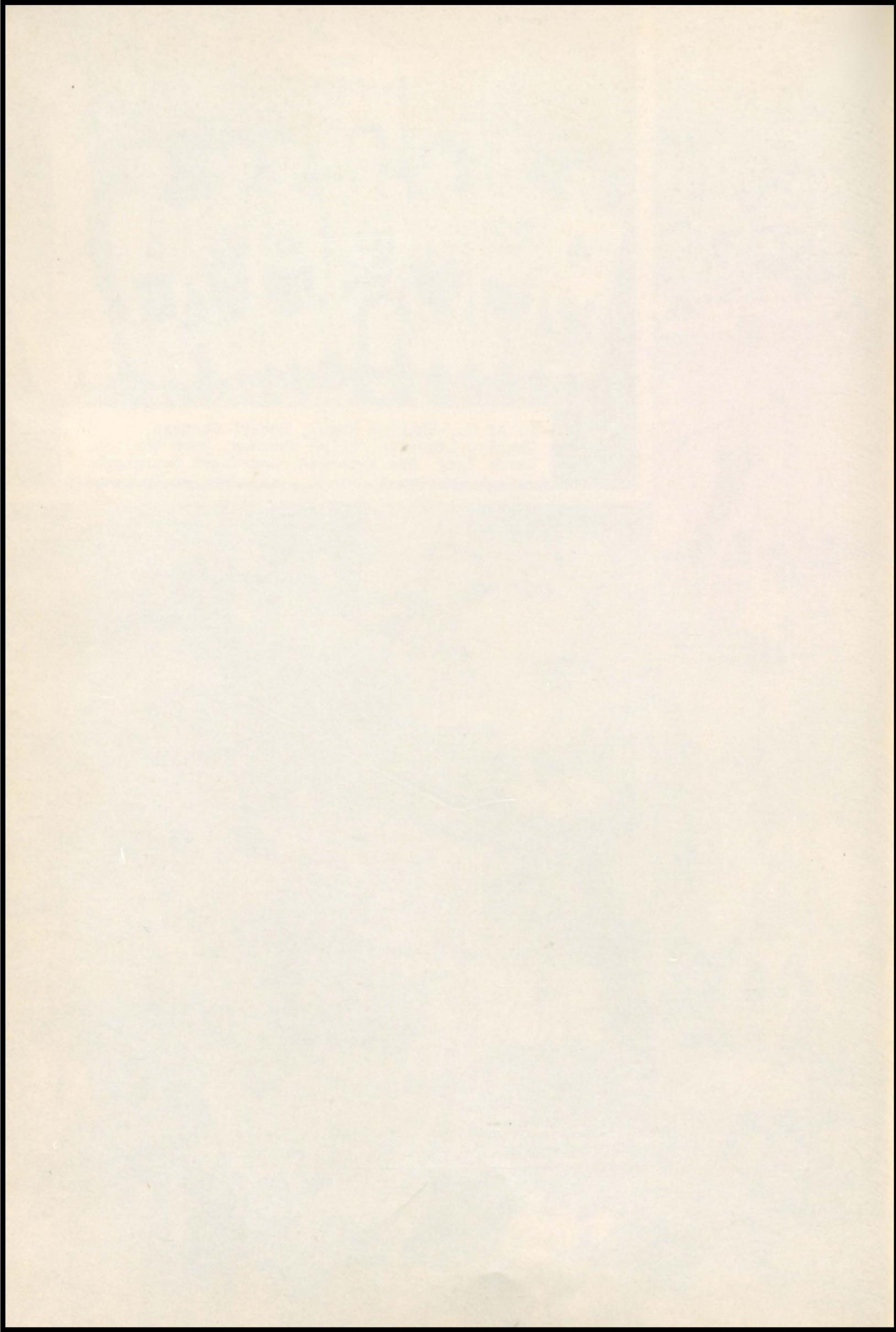






L. to R.--Charles Pogue, Robert Carmean, Charles Lindgren, Ralph Sherman, Vern Shelton, Larry Zang, Sam Waterman, and Coach Cunningham.







Awards

The following students received awards for having the most activity points:

Row 1: D. Van Arsdale, N. Berg, A.M. Harden, J. Anders, B. Swanson, L. Reynolds, M. Heller

Row 2: D. Overstreet, R. Melvin, C. Lindgren, N. Brokaw, V. Shelton, C. Pogue, R. Carlson, J. Reid, Mr. Shelton



Quite a distinguished group!

The "Hit Paraders" played for the G.A.A. spring dance.





Co-Valedictorians: Charles Pogue
and Vern Shelton
Salutatorian: Virginia Larson



Commencement



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Calendar

AUGUST

- 30 - School Begins
- 31 - Teachers' Institute

SEPTEMBER

Gabby Boynton displays athletic equipment for Chuck Pogue. WETHERBEE SPORTING GOODS COMPANY, Athletic Supplies and Toys, Galesburg Illinois.

- 13 - Freshmen Initiation
- 19 - F. H. A. Training Conference at Yates City
- 21 - Biggsville - Here
- 28 - Keithsburg - There

Owen Nall is giving Dolores a delicious loaf of HOBO bread from HOWE-ANDERSON BAKERY Galesburg, Illinois.

OCTOBER

- 2 - F. F. A. Initiation
- 4 - F. H. A. Mothers' Get Acquainted Night
- 5 - Wayland - Here
- 6 - Band Festival at Burlington
- 8 - Liquid Air Program
- 9 - G & O Frosh. & Soph. - There
- 11 - Senior Pictures Taken at Macomb Little York - Here
- 12 - Teachers' Institute Western Division
- 13 - Band marched at Macomb
- 17 - Junior Hayrack Ride
- 19 - Kirkwood - There
- 22 - Kirkwood Frosh. & Soph. Here
- 25 - Homecoming Pep Rally
- 26 - Homecoming Dance G & O - Here
- 30 - Stronghurst Frosh. & Soph. There

Donald Rankin learns about insurance from Jerry Thompson. GERALD C. THOMPSON, Agency Insurance of all kinds, Raritan Illinois.

NOVEMBER

- 2 - Carnival
- 9 - Senior Class Play
- 11 - American Education Week
- 14 - Visitation Day
- 16 - Terre Haute - There
- 27 - Northwestern - Here
- 30 - Keithsburg - There

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DECEMBER

- 7 - Kirkwood - Here
- 11 - Little York - Here
- 12 - F. H. A. Christmas Tea
- 14 - G & O - There
- 17-22 - Valley Conference Basketball Tournament
- 21 - Christmas Vacation Begins

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JANUARY

- 4 - New Boston - Here
- 8 - Avon - There
- 11 - Stronghurst - There
- 15 - Biggsville - There
- 18 - Keithsburg - Here
- End of First Semester
- 22 - 1000 Voices Assembly
- 25 - Kirkwood - There
- 28 - F. H. A. Initiation
- 29-31 - Bi-County Basketball Tournament



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FEBRUARY

- 1 - Teachers' Institute
- 5 - Little York - There
- 7 - Local Speech Contest
- 8 - G & O - Here
- 12 - New Boston - There
- 13 - Freshmen & Sophomore Party
- 15 - Stronghurst - Here
- 19 - Band Concert at Stronghurst
- Alexis - There
- 21 - F. H. A. Daddy Date Night
- 22 - Biggsville - Here
- 26-2 - District Basketball Tournament



CLASS OF '57 Compliments of MELLOR'S Stronghurst, Illinois

MARCH

- 2 - District Speech Contest
- 5 - Bi-County Speech
- 9 - Solo & Ensemble Contest at Monmouth
- 12 - Valley Conference Speech Contest
- 14 - Board-Faculty Banquet
- 15 - Stronghurst Band Concert at Media
- 16 - Athletic Banquet
- 20 - Jr. & Sr. College Day at Macomb
- 22 - Junior Class Play
- 29 - Bi-County Music Festival



John Twomey of TWOMEY GRAIN & FEEDS of Smithshire, Illinois.

APRIL

- 6 - District Band Contest
- 9 - Career Day at Stronghurst for Juniors & Seniors
- 12 - G. A. A. Dance
- 16 - Triangular Track Meet
- 18 - Avon Relays
- 28 - Spring Band Concert
- 29 - M Club Initiation
- 30 - F. A. A. Parents Night



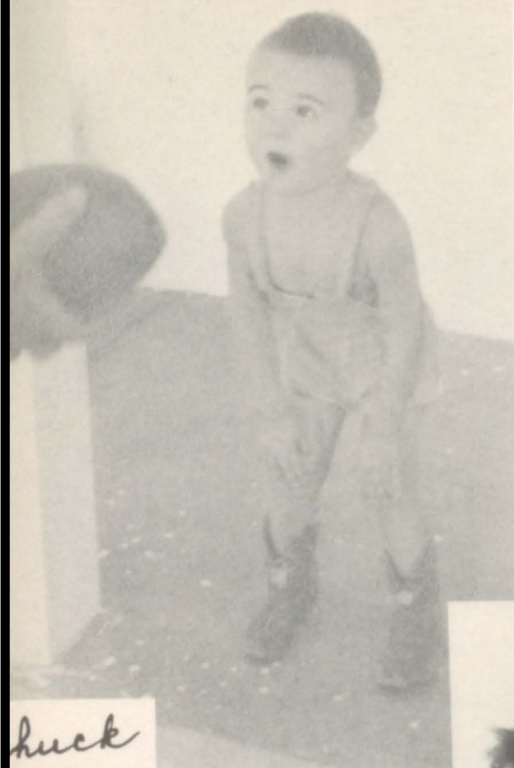
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MAY

- 1 - F. H. A. Tea
- 2 - Bi-County Track Meet
- 3-4 - Valley Conference Track Meet
- 8 - F.H.A. Style Show & Installation
- 10-11 - District Track Meet
- 13 - Henderson County Track Meet
- 15 - Award Night
- 16 - Junior & Senior Banquet
- 19 - Baccalaureate
- 21 - Roseville Relays
- 24 - Commencement
- 29 - School Ends
- 31 - Seniors leave for New York and Washington



Donnie & Dolores



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Diana



Susie



Linda



Virginia Kathy



Mrs. Blair ?



Carol



Alta



