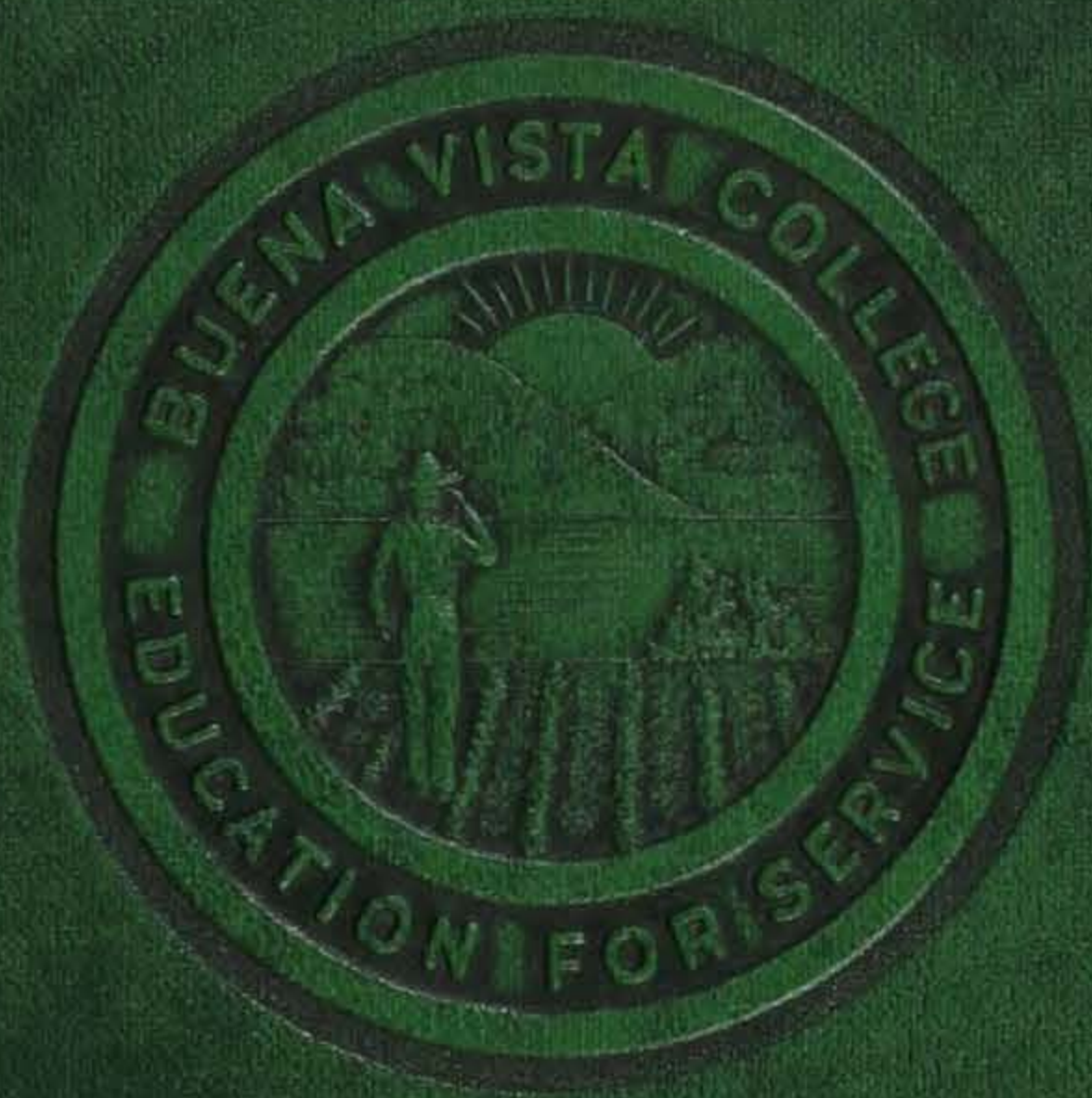
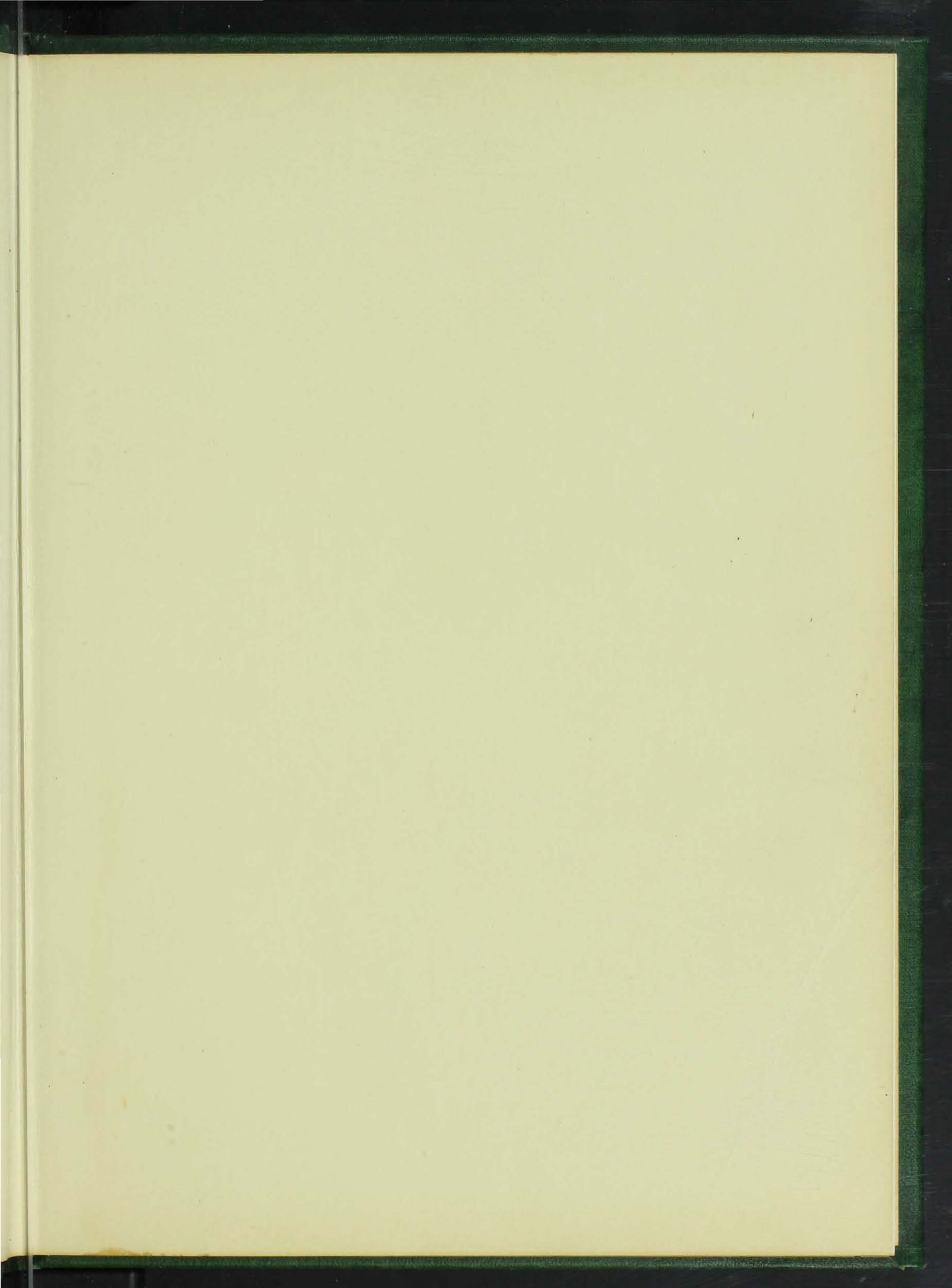
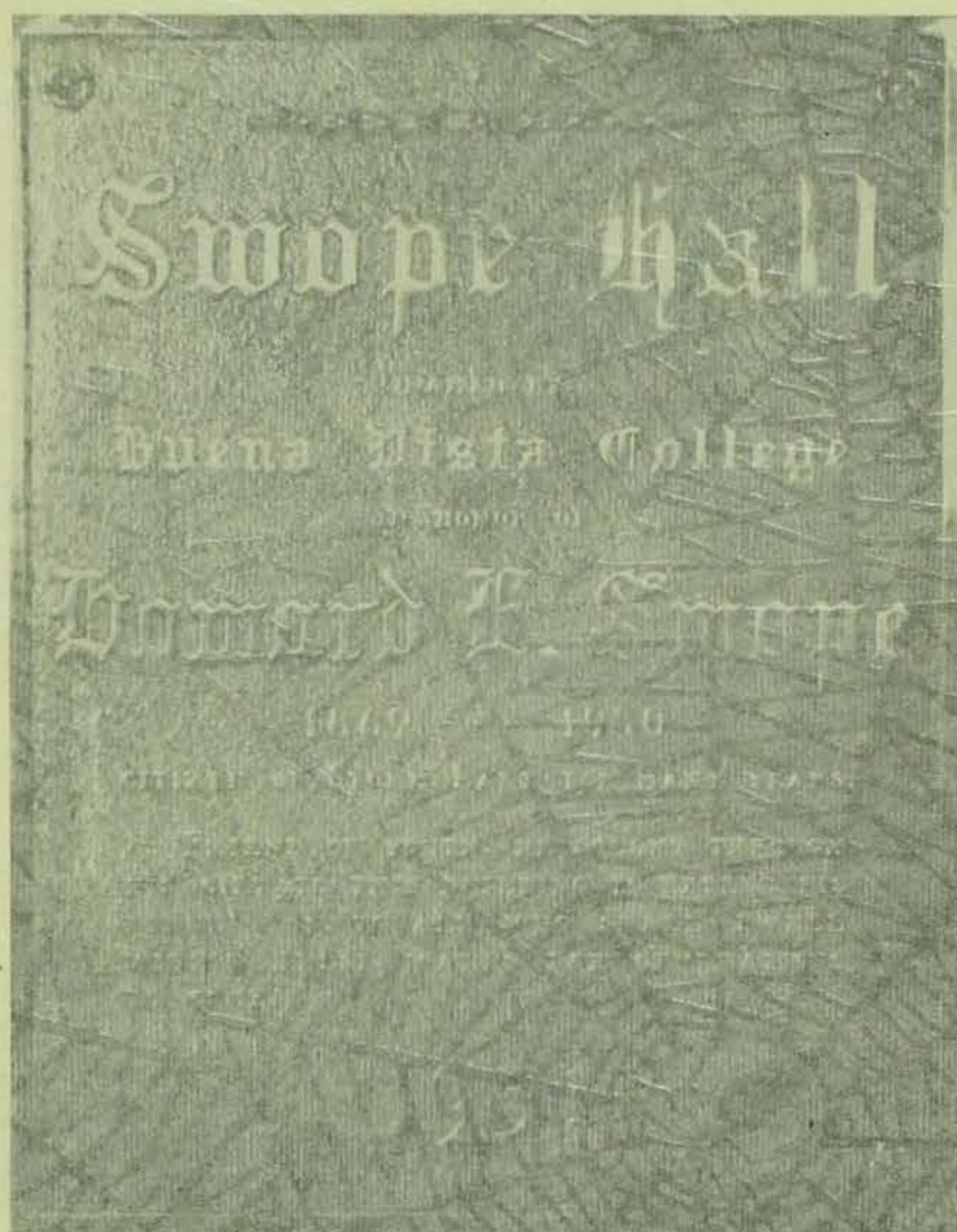




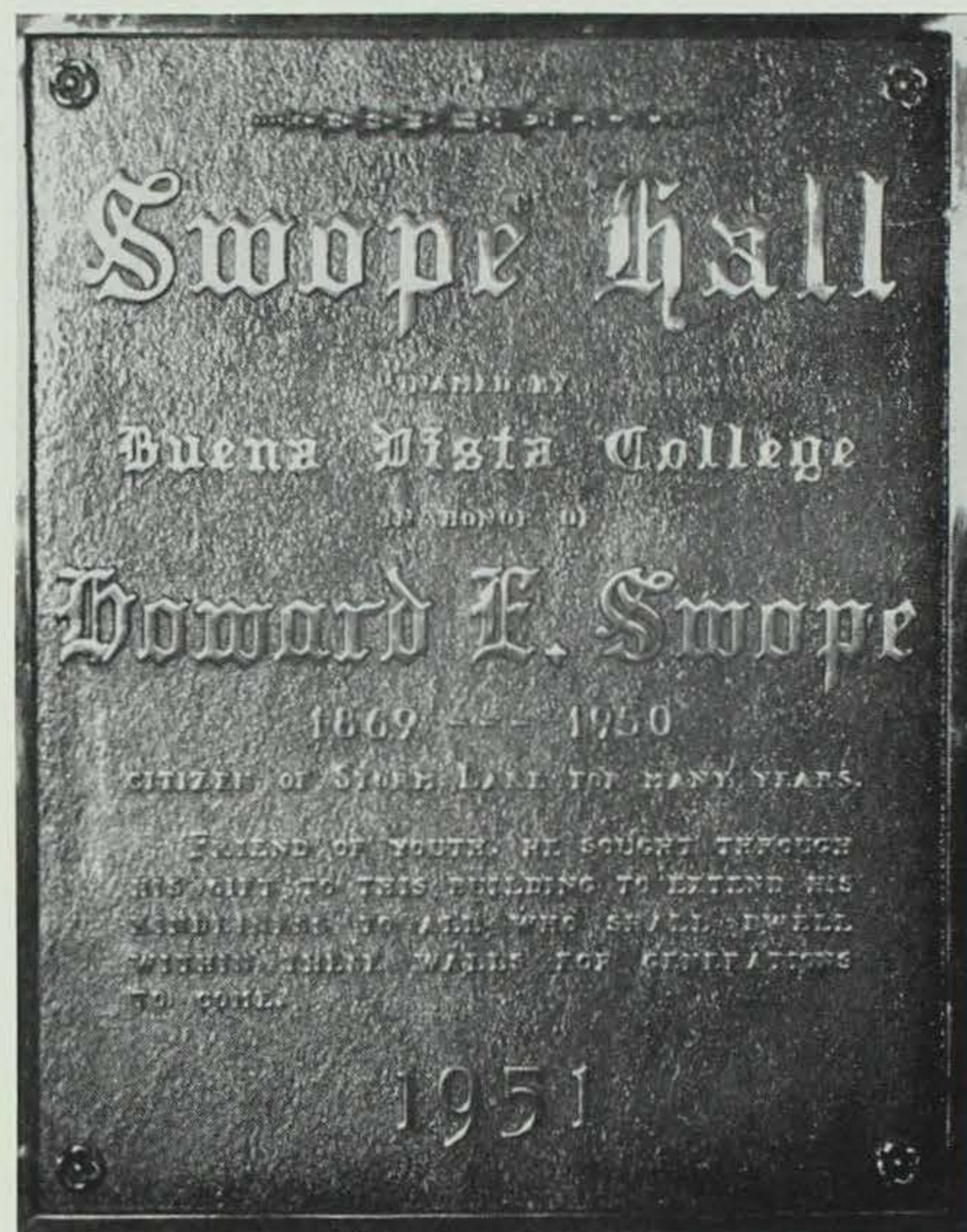
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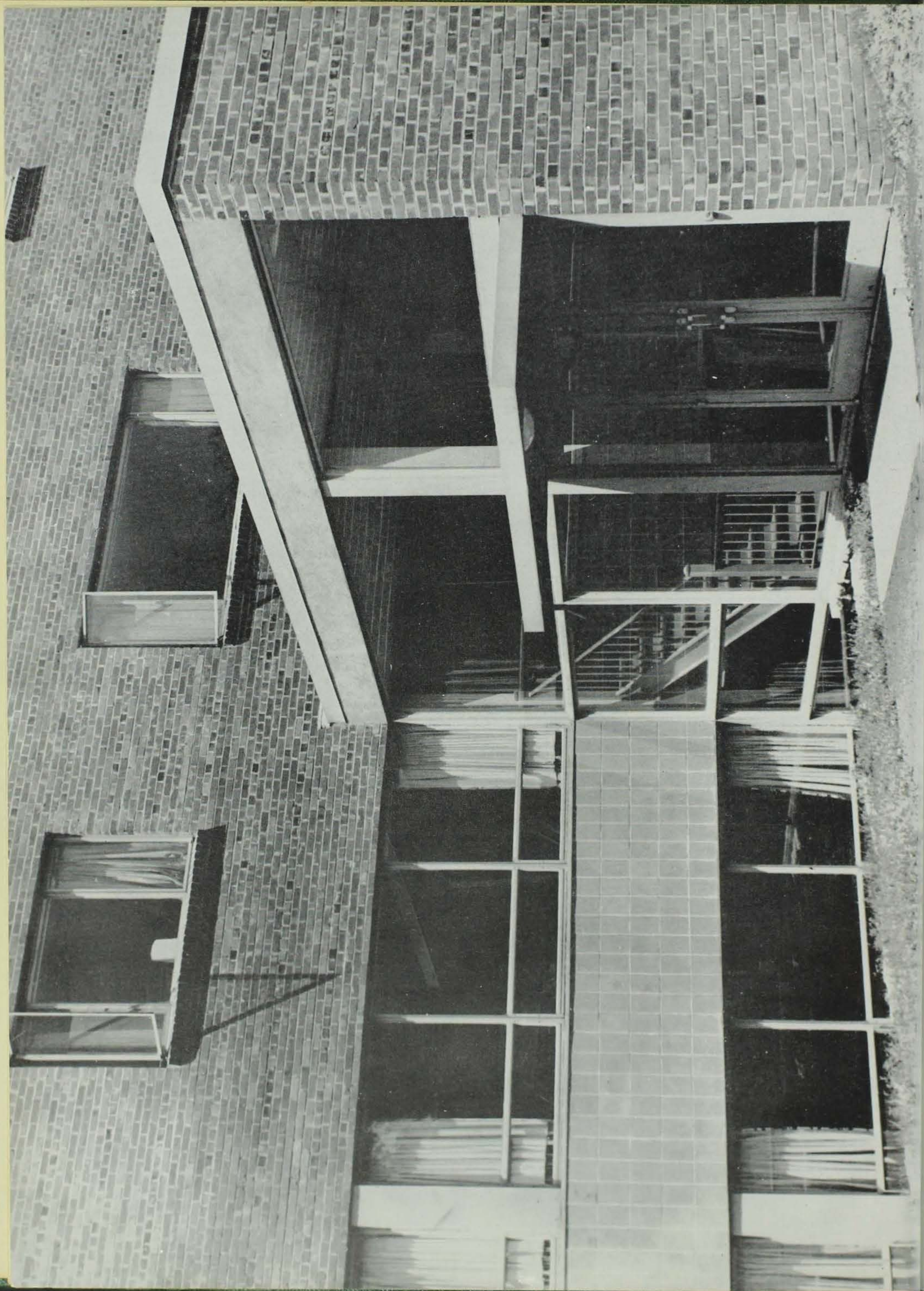
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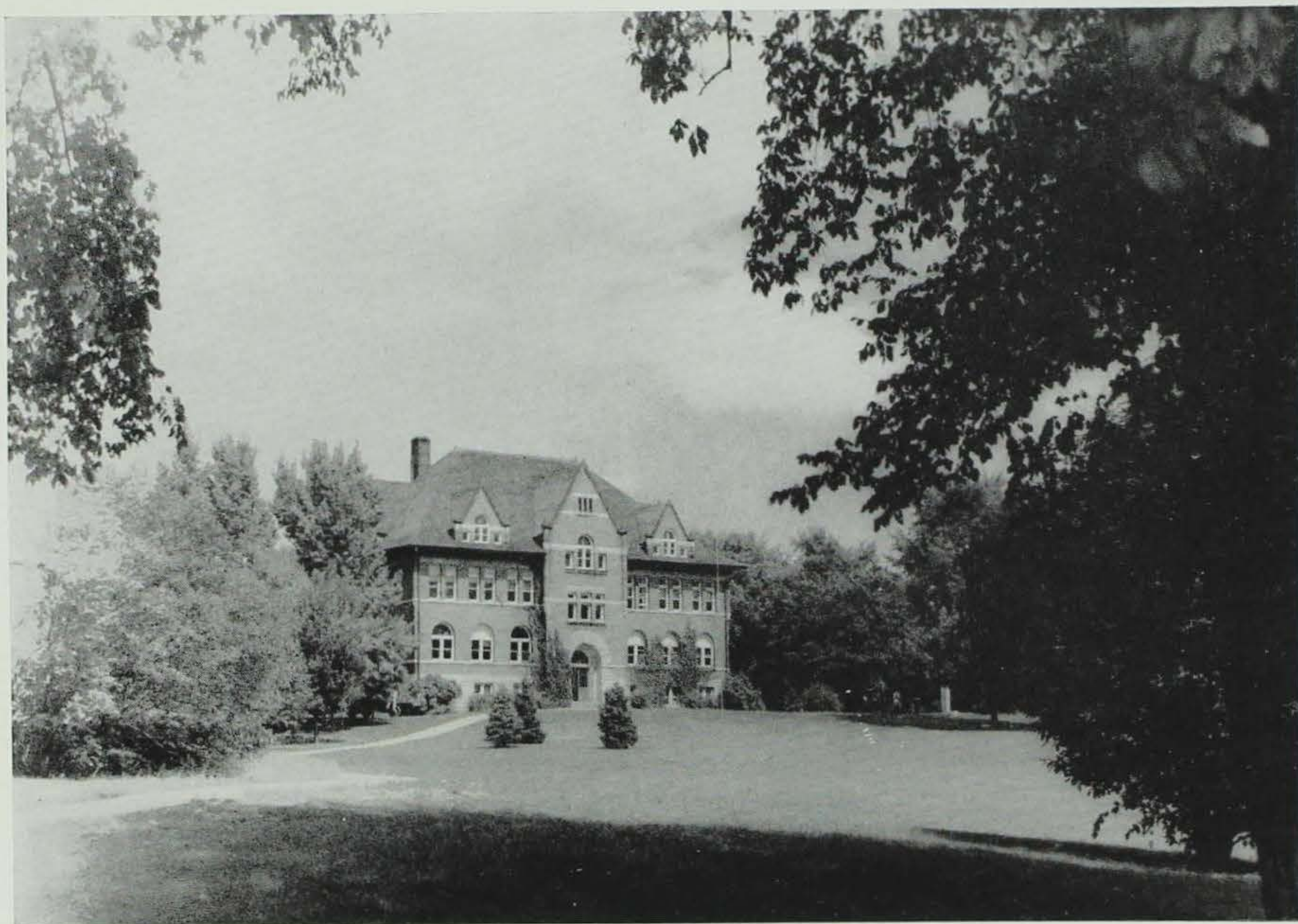
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Dedication



DR. HIRSCH

The success of any educational institution lies in the character of the faculty it is able to attract and it is with this in mind that we can be truly proud of the success of Buena Vista College. In placing the emphasis upon a well-informed and broad-minded faculty this college has succeeded in attracting men and women of high character, ability and renowned scholarship. Chief among these persons, in the hearts and minds of students and faculty alike, is Dr. Albert Frederick Hirsch, head of the division of language and literature and professor of French, German and Greek.

Dr. Hirsch came to Storm Lake from Europe in 1946, and quickly became an integral part of college life. He was accepted by everyone with whom he came into contact as an eminent scholar with a warm and human personality. Students entered his classes with the assurance that they would receive the utmost in sound, usable knowledge and individual attention.

Even faculty members, in their studies toward higher degrees, enrolled in his language courses, confident that the material they would receive would be the best available.

This spring, Dr. and Mrs. Hirsch took their final examinations and were granted their citizenship papers. We should feel honored that people of their caliber have chosen to make the United States their country.

With all of this in mind we have chosen to dedicate this volume of the Beaver Log to Dr. Hirsch. In a sense, it is small recognition for a man who has done so much to advance the causes of higher learning, character building and citizenship. So long as men like Dr. Hirsch continue to devote their lives to these causes, our country, and our college, will grow and become more strong and proud.

Let this, then, be our dedication: "To Dr. Albert Frederick Hirsch, educator, man of character, and good American."

The Campus

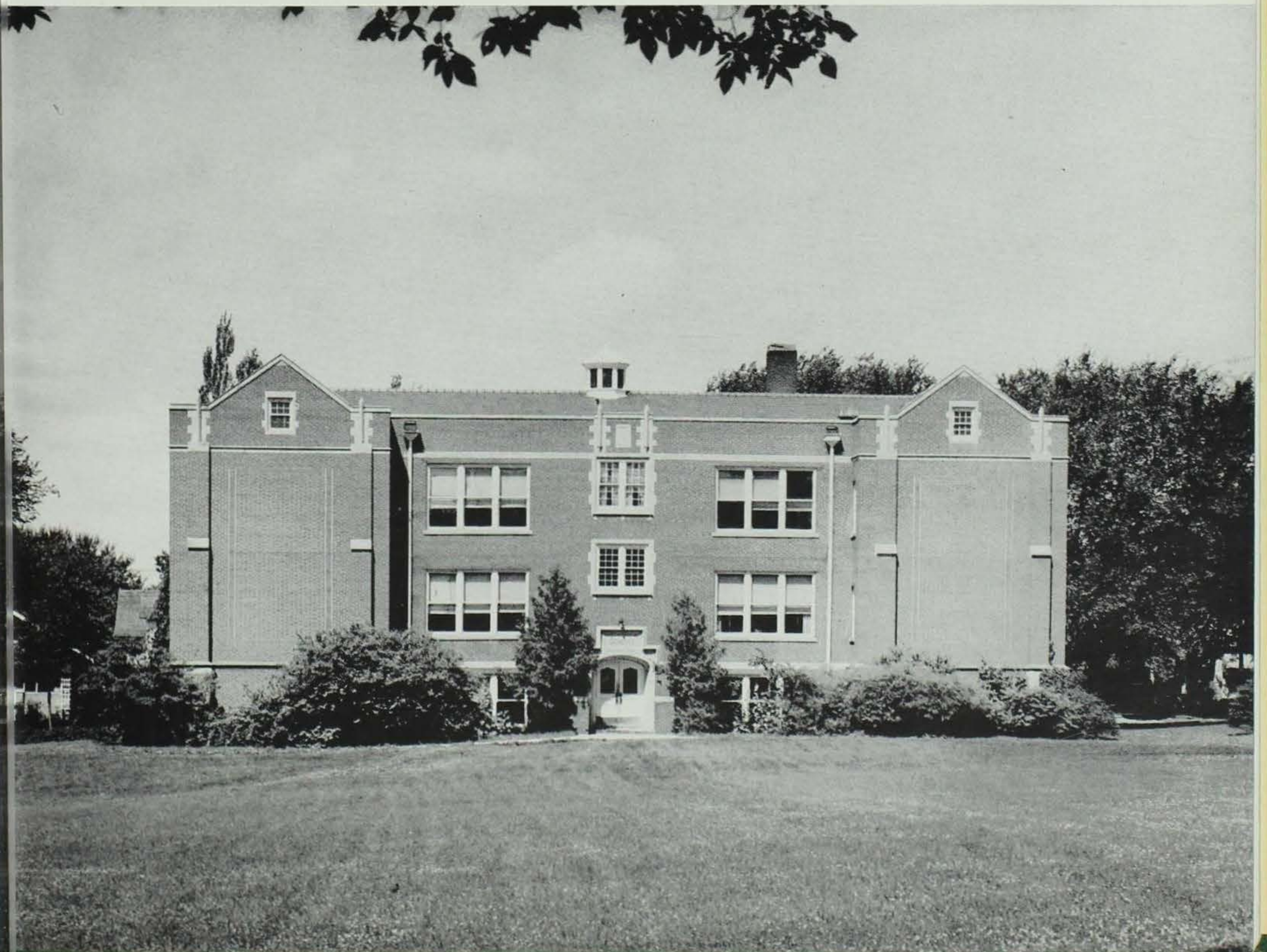
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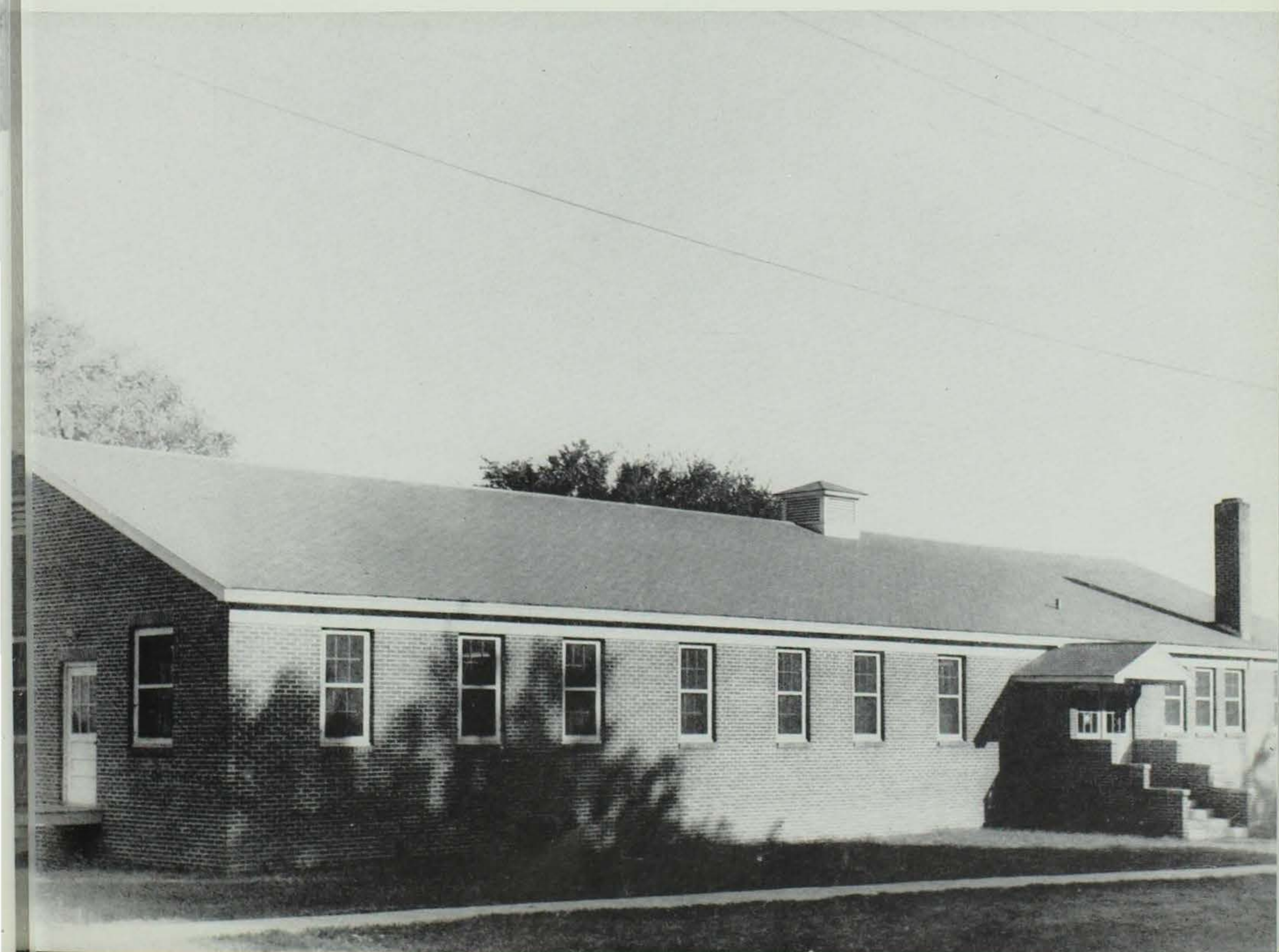
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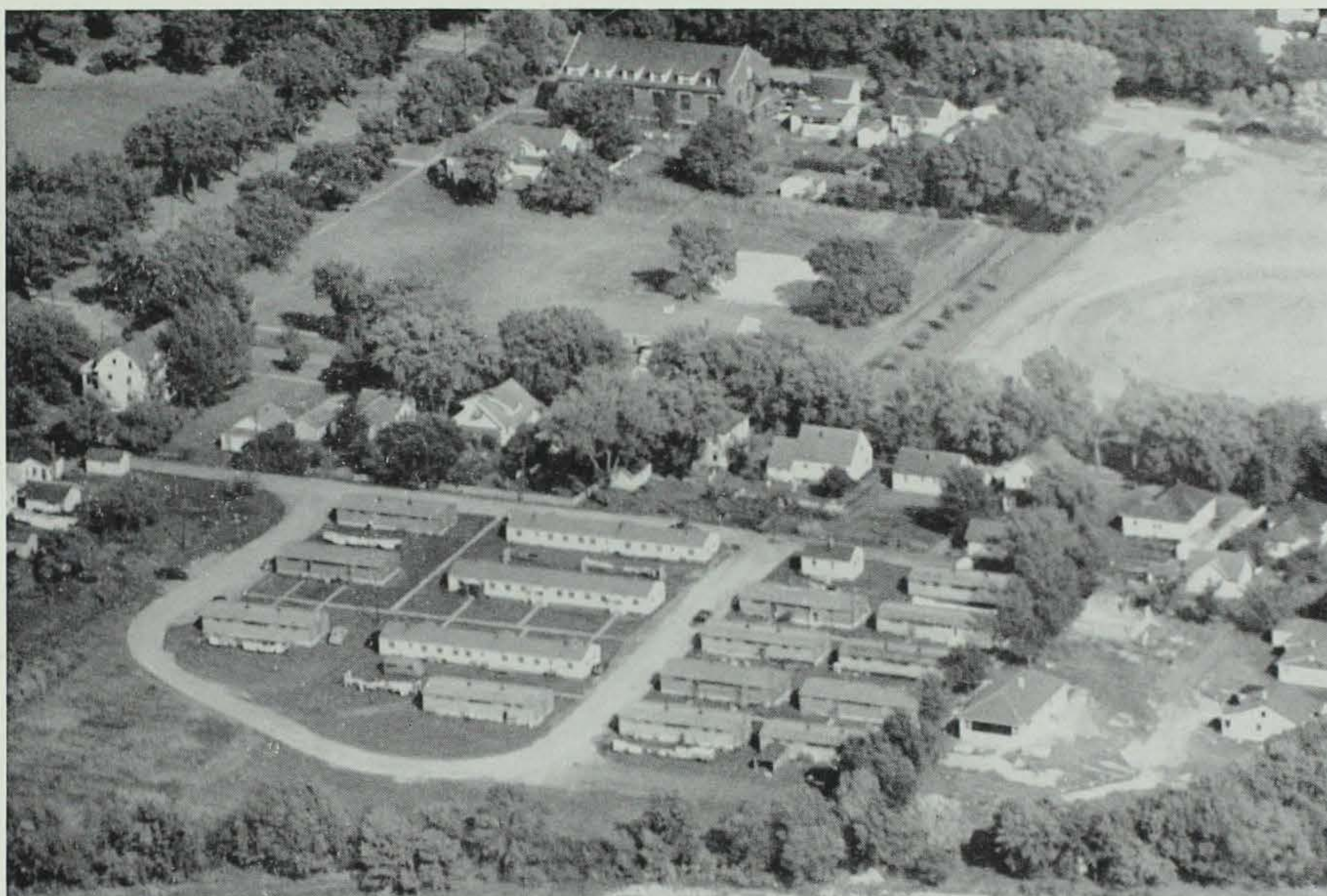
The Mather House

Miller-Stuart House





Lakeside Presbyterian Church



Vista Court

The past year has seen many changes in Vista Court. More and more of the veteran families have graduated from and moved out to seek new jobs and opportunities. As the students have moved out they have been replaced by non-student renters, and as a result Vista Court is becoming less and less of an important part of Campus life. The graduating class of 1952 will leave behind only a few student veterans to carry on.

Once again this year the student wives of the Court organized their "Co-Vets" club. Meeting once a month, the ladies enjoyed many fine evenings of card playing, music, and general talking sessions. The meetings were held this

year in Beaver Hall where lunch serving facilities were available for their use.

The Court saw in the past year several improvements in its road system. New culverts were laid to help the runoff of rain water and melting snow. New speed limit signs and non parking areas were established in the court, their purpose being to protect the many young children who play in the yards.

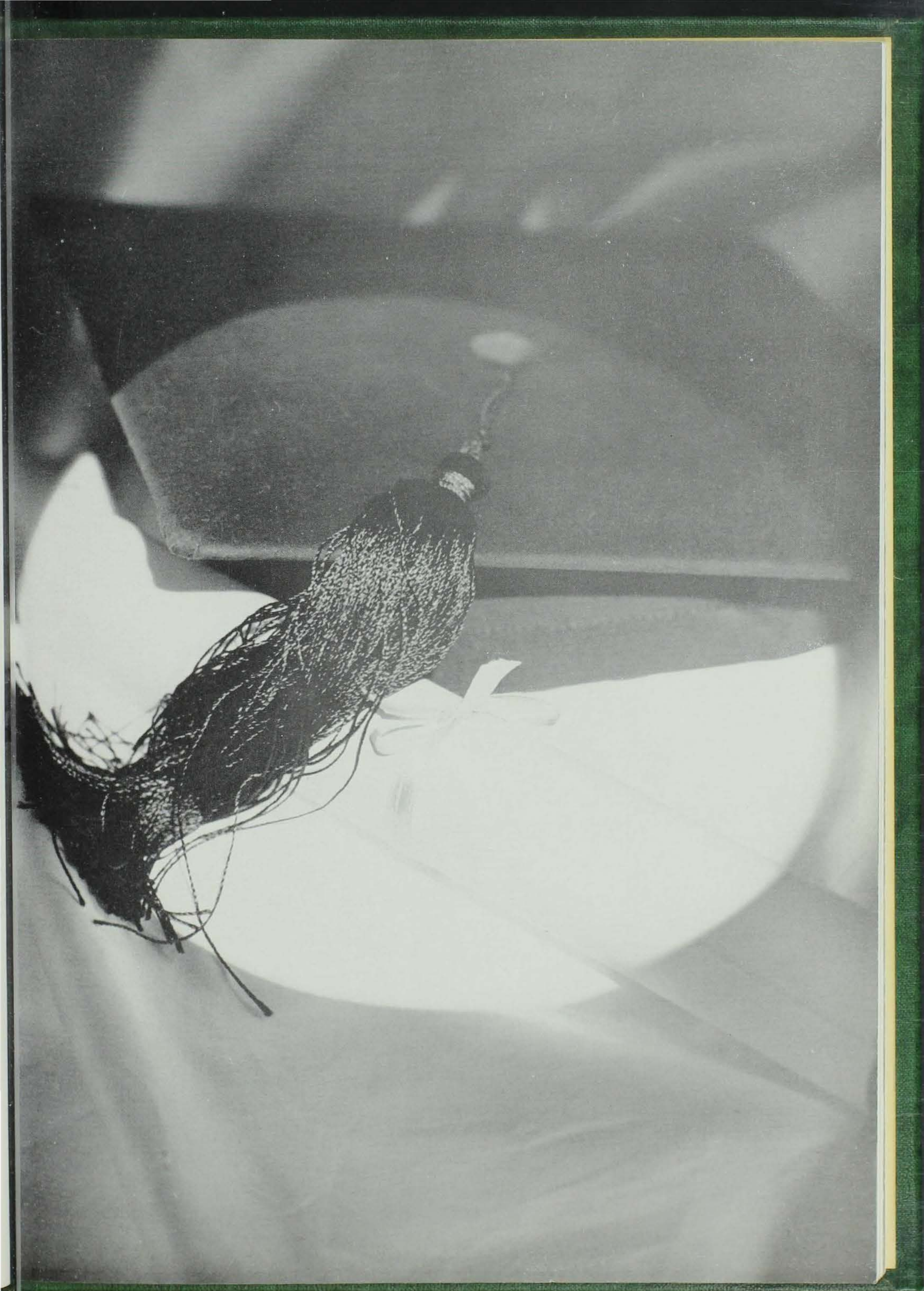
In other respects the year passed much as usual. Babies arrived, more dogs and cats appeared and several families boasted new cars. The residents enjoyed the lake in summer and fought snow drifts this winter. All in all it was a pretty good year.

Part One

Administration

Faculty

Students



Administration



PRESIDENT HENRY OLSON

The year 1952 has been one of large achievement at Buena Vista. The new girls' dorm became an active, organized part of campus life; the financial stability of the college was greatly improved when a former teacher, Mrs. Ansley donated \$50,000 toward the construction of a new music conservatory; the faculty was substantially improved with the addition of five new instructors; the general appearance of the buildings was greatly improved by an extensive program of repairing and painting. These improvements culmi-

nated in the college being accepted for membership in the North Central Association.

Much of the credit for these achievements must go to President Olson. His energy, foresight, and perseverance have brought success to Buena Vista. It has been his responsibility to see that the college not only overcame its dire financial condition but also that it kept pace with the changing needs of a system of higher education. It would seem that the North Central acceptance of Buena Vista is proof indeed of how well President Olson has succeeded.

In his capacity as Dean of Instruction, Registrar, and Teacher, Dean Wesselink has kept in constant contact with the students of the college. Through this contact new students soon become aware of the valuable guidance underlying his friendly manner and cooperative approach to student problems.

Dean Wesselink received his A.B. at Central College with his major in mathematics and his minor in physics. His M.A. was received at the University of Iowa, his master's work being in education. He has taken additional graduate work at the University of Iowa and the University of Minnesota toward his Doctor's degree.

Besides his work as college administrator, the Dean is active in community affairs and responsibilities. He is enthusiastic about football, algebra, hunting and fishing. Woodworking is his hobby, and his home workshop provides enjoyment in his few leisure hours.



WILLIAM WESSELINK
Dean of Instruction

Sooner or later, every student at Buena Vista comes to know F. Merle Sandy, business manager of the college. Mr. Sandy handles the financial affairs of the school, sells books and supplies, and collects tuition and fees. Through his efforts, the monetary wheels are kept rolling smoothly.

Mr. Sandy received both his B.S.C. and M.A. degrees from the University of Iowa. In past years he has served as a professor of economics and business administration.



F. MERLE SANDY
Business Manager



ROBERT STEMME
Vice-Pres. in Charge of Expansion Program

A large share of the credit for the continued growth of Buena Vista belongs to Mr. Robert Stemme, director of the million dollar expansion program. An experienced hand in fund raising campaigns, Mr. Stemme has been instrumental in securing several generous gifts for the college.

To Bruce Alderman also goes a part of the praise for our continued growth, for in his capacity as director of public relations he constantly strives to keep the activities of the college in the public eye. Not a man to be content with one job, Mr. Alderman also serves as the genial and understanding Dean of Men and teaches in the education department.

This year, Mrs. Phoebe LaFoy will complete her tenth year on the Buena Vista faculty. A wealth of tact, patience and charm surround Mrs. LaFoy as she carries out her duties as Dean of Women, and instructor in typing and shorthand.



BRUCE ALDERMAN
Dean of Men



PHOEBE LaFOY
Dean of Women

Division Heads

HAROLD S. MURPHY

Division of Bible

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B.S., Rutgers University

B.D., Princeton Seminary

Ph.D., Yale University

Bible and Philosophy

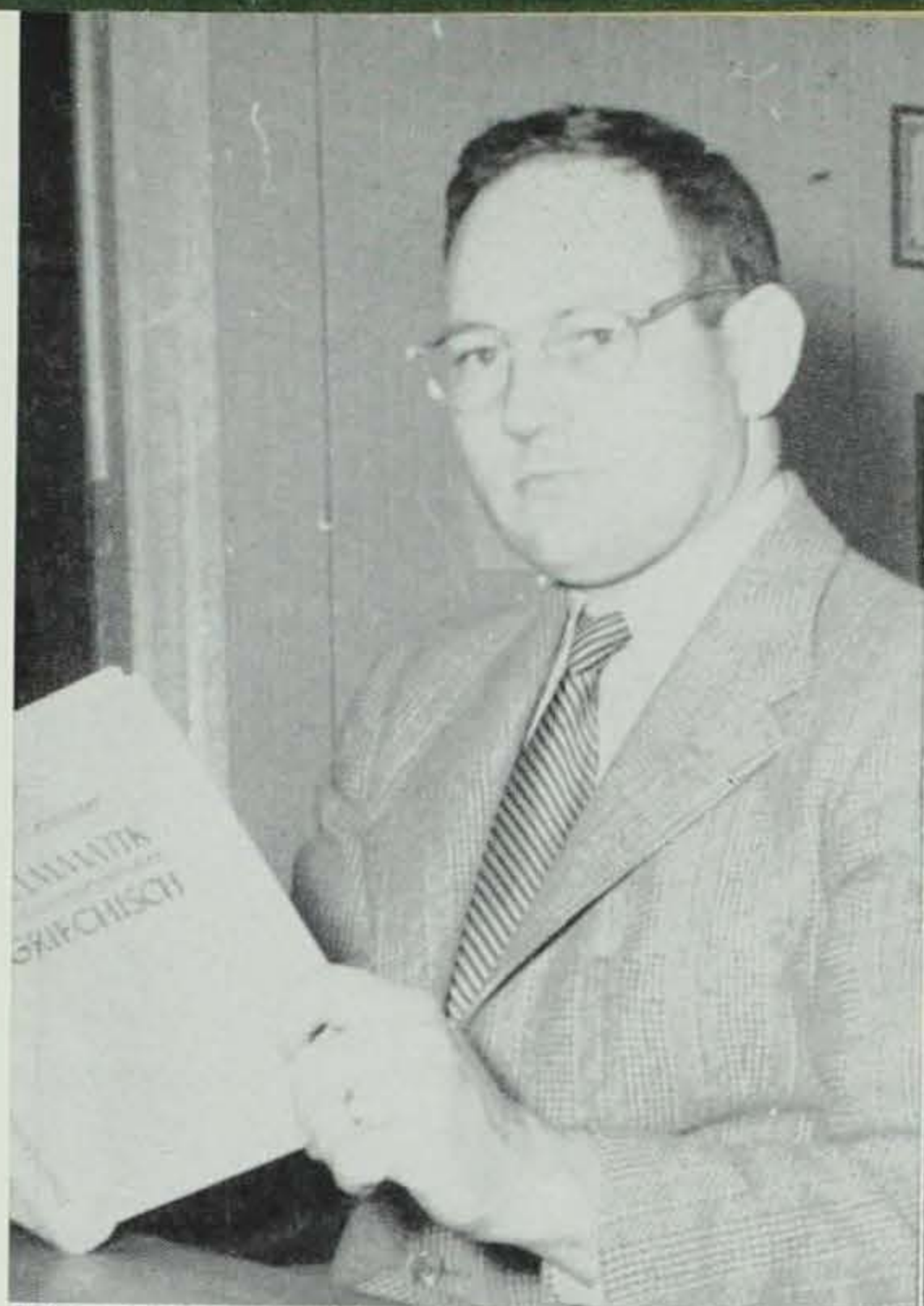
DAVID PLANK

Division of Fine Arts

B.S.M., Kansas State College

M.M.E., Oberlin College

Music



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T. P. KUEHL

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Professional Training

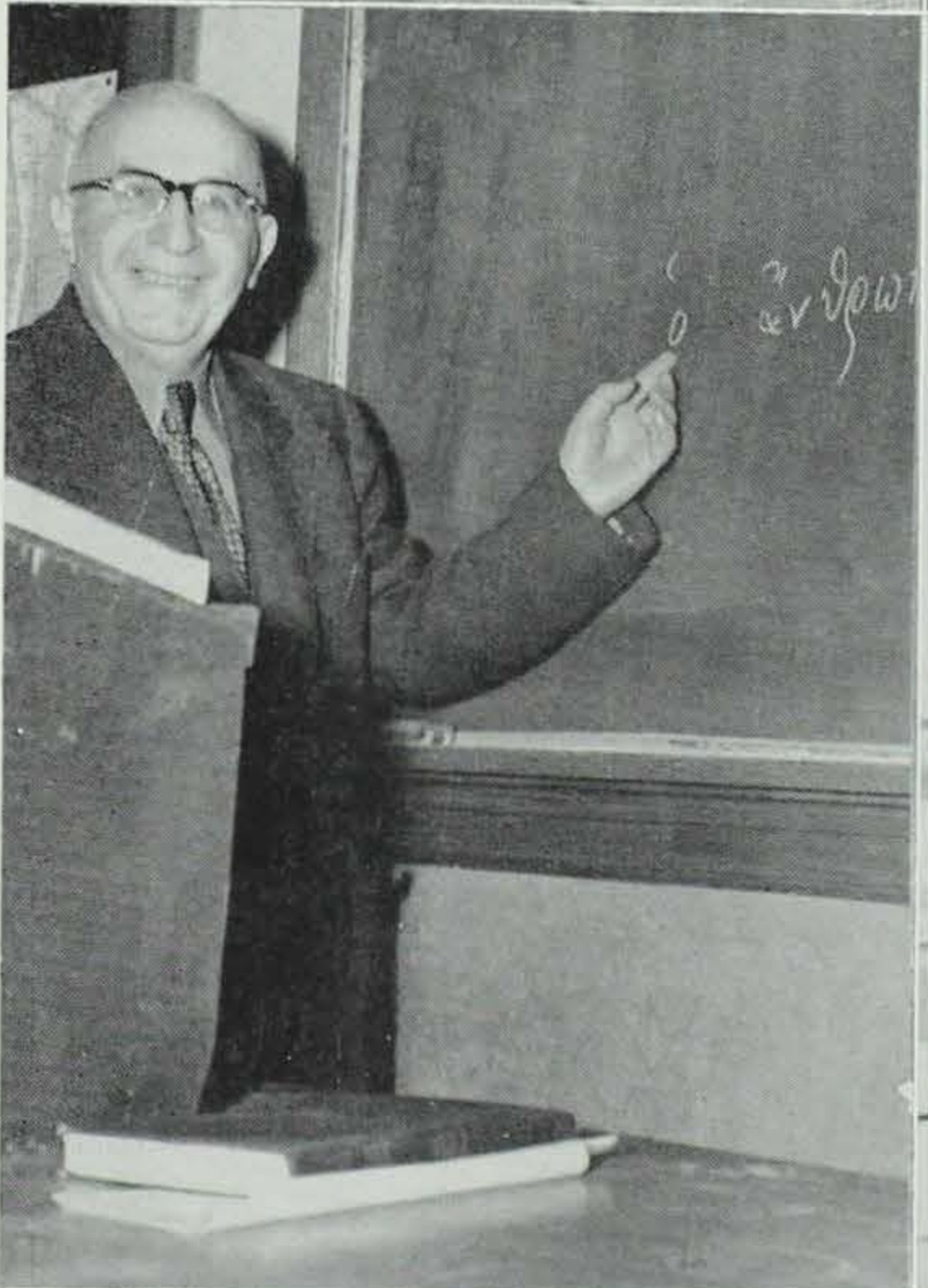
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M.Ed., South Dakota University

Advanced Work, University

of Iowa

Education



LUMAN W. SAMPSON

Division of Social Science

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M.A., University of Iowa

Ph.D., University of Wisconsin

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FREDERIC FRANKLIN SMITH

Division of Natural Science

B.S., Tufts College

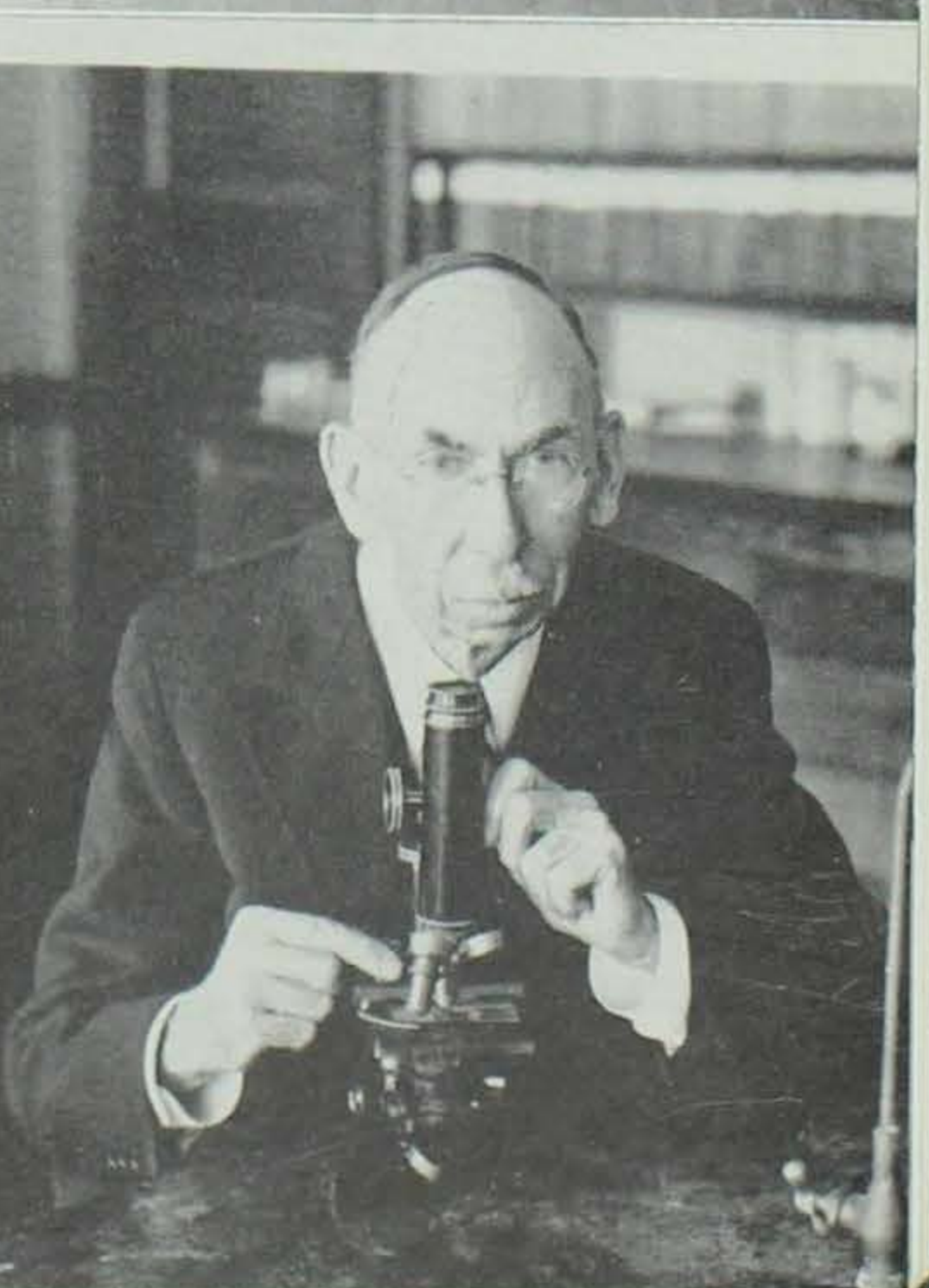
M.S., University of Iowa

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University

Sc.D., Buena Vista College

Biology



Faculty



BRUCE WARREN ALDERMAN

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M.A., University of Iowa

Dean of Men and Education



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M.A., University of Iowa

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M.A., University of Frankfurt
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Ph.D., State University of
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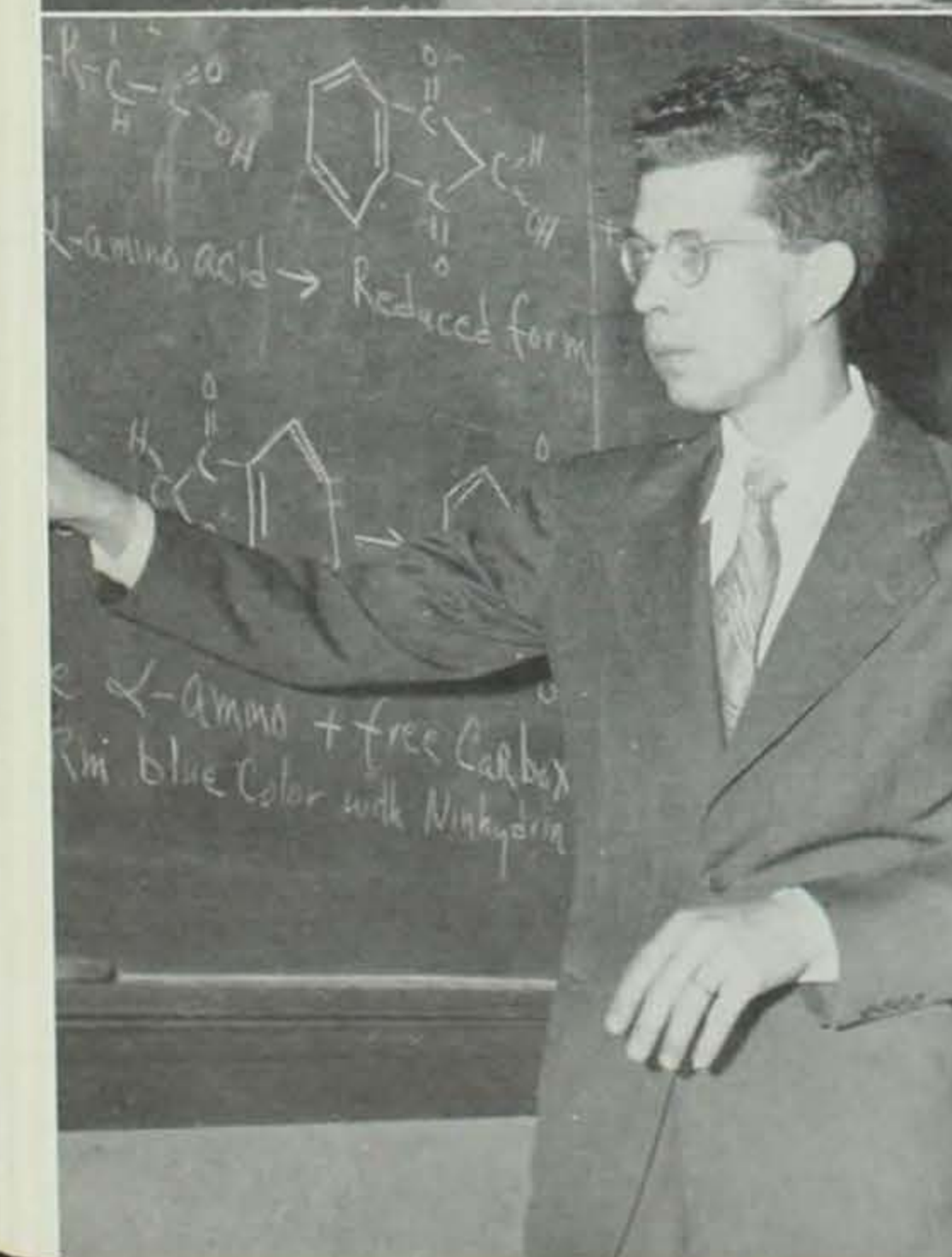
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Columbia University

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B.S., University of Minnesota

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Teachers College

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Commercial, Dean of Women,
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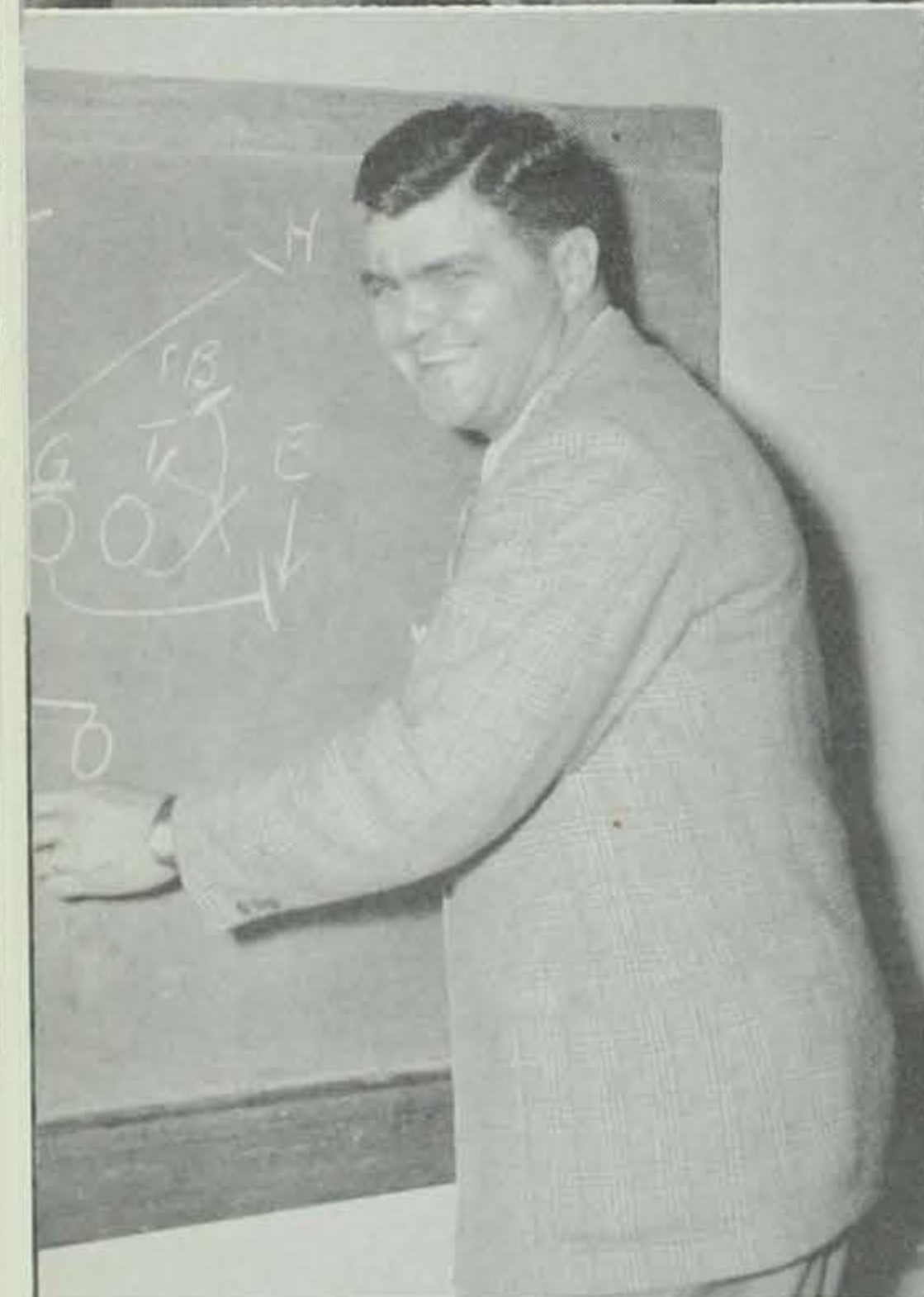
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M.A., Louisiana State University
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of Minnesota
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Advanced Work, University of
Southern California and
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of Iowa
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Th. B., Presbyterian Theological
Seminary
M.A., University of Nebraska
Graduate Work, Washington
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Spanish

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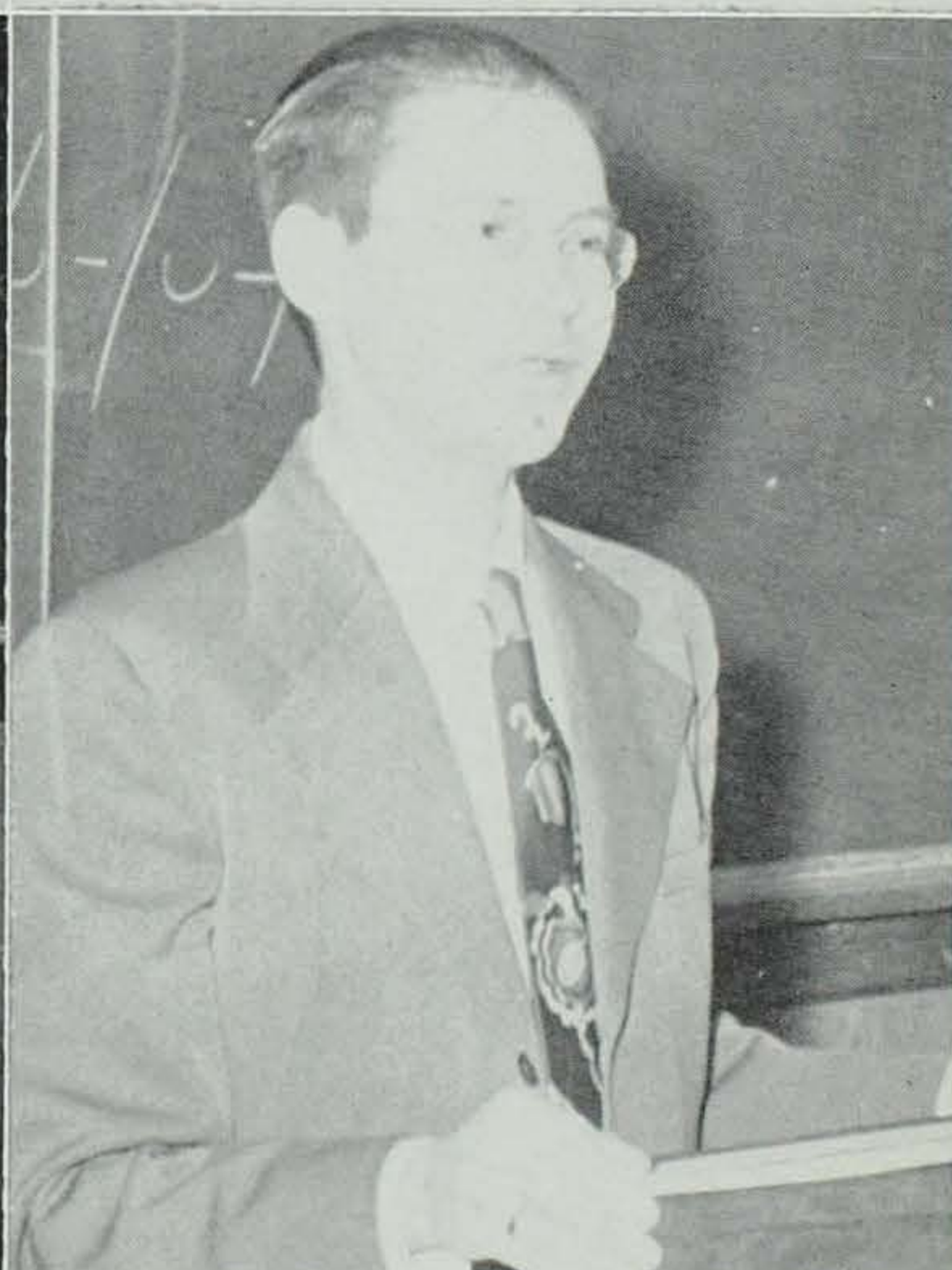
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College for Teachers
Education and Geography

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English

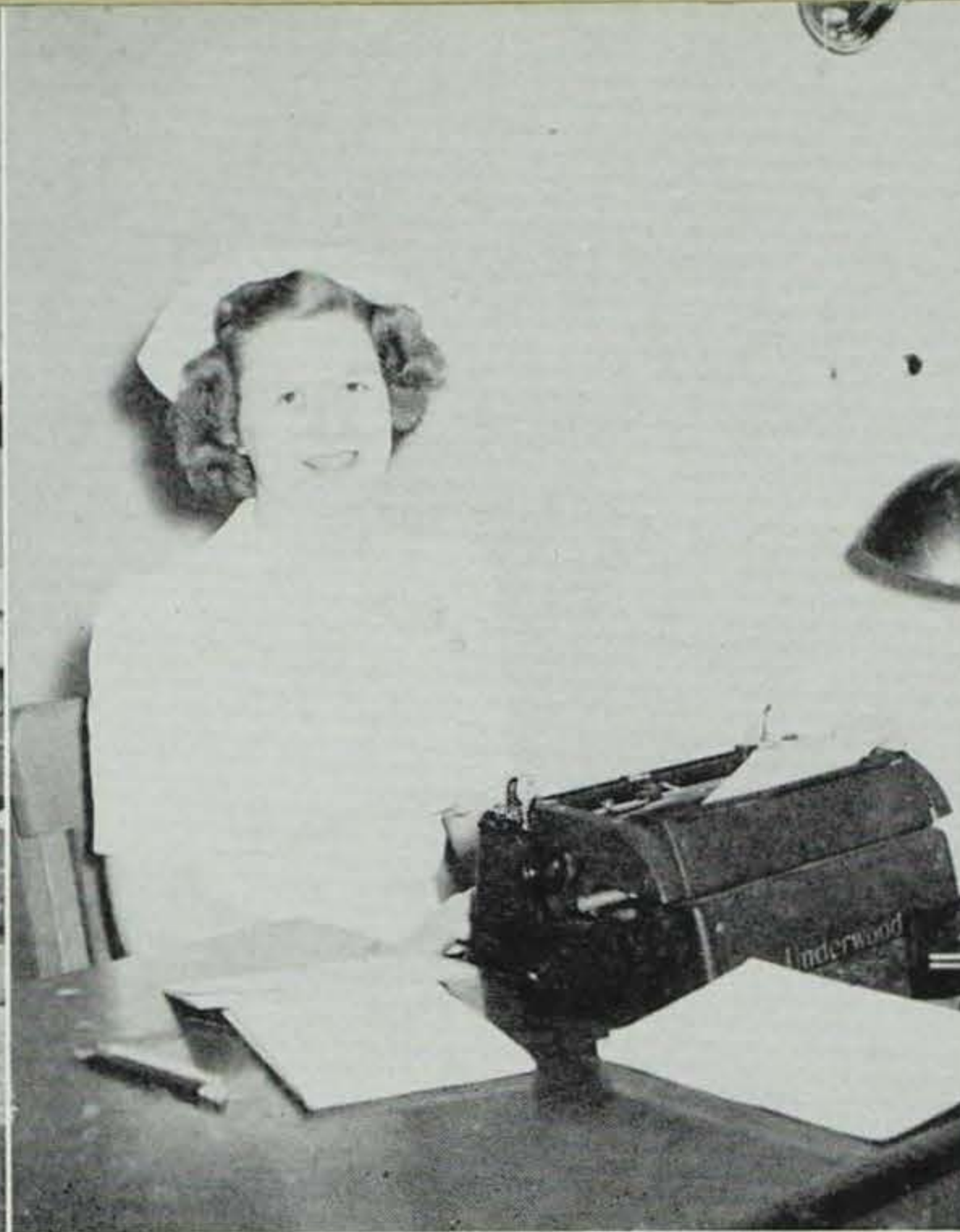
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Iowa, Drake University and
University of Illinois
Business Manager and Economics

BERTHA SUPPLEE
B.A., Fletcher College
A.B., University of Iowa
M.A., Columbia University
Advanced Work, University of
Iowa and Boston University
English





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 M.S., University of Wisconsin
 Advanced Work, University of Wisconsin
Physics

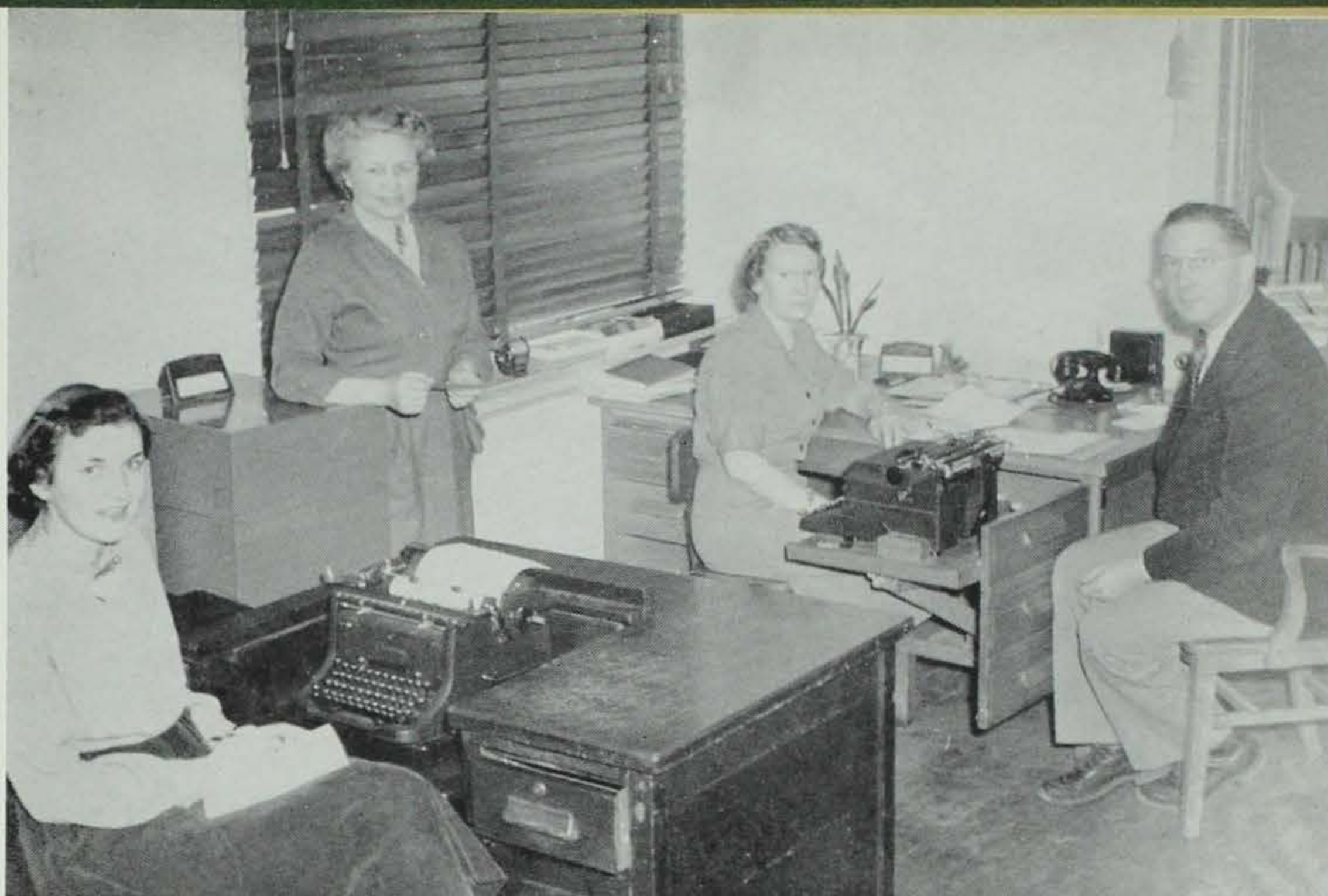


BETTY JEAN NELSON
 R.N., Fairview Hospital, Minneapolis, Minnesota
 B.A., St. Olaf College
Health Service



MRS. RAYMOND J. RUTT
Matron of Swope Hall

Administrative Offices



THE DEAN'S OFFICE

Just as all roads once led to Rome, so it is that all student pathways at Buena Vista eventually lead to the office of the dean. It is here that registrations are made; grades are recorded; chapel rolls checked; courses are changed; transcripts are issued; and the many details of daily college life are taken care of.

Dean W. D. Wesselink presides over the working of this office and serves as registrar with a constant air of patience and resourcefulness. Mrs. Ines Hoffman is Dean Wesselink's personal secretary and carries much of the routine clerical load. She is assisted by Miss Darlene Meyer.

The Dean's office is also the home office of Mrs. Phoebe LaFoy, dean of women. From her desk she gives advice and handles the prob-

lems of college women.

Another place familiar to all students is the business office, in charge of F. Merle Sandy and assisted by Dorothy Grosvenor and Mrs. Nance. In addition to handling the books and supplies necessary to the smooth functioning of the classes, the business office cares for all financial matters of the college, serves as the "bank" for campus organization funds, and handles a volume of mail comparable to that of a small town.

Everyone can be sure of prompt, courteous service and treatment from the team in the business office. The sale of a pencil or the receipt of tuition payments is treated in the same efficient manner by Mr. Sandy and his helpers.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE





The Student Council

The center of student activities on the Campus is the College Student Council. It is the duty of the council to act as the mediator of school problems, working as the go-between among faculty, administration, and student body. The council must act as the centralizing agency for all campus programs, and in the promotion of these activities. At the beginning of each new school year the Student Council begins its work with a well rounded program of instructional and social functions for the new freshman class. The purpose of this program is to orient the new students into campus traditions and customs and to help the students adjust themselves to college social life. During the year the Council presents two formal dinner-dances, one at Christmas time, the other in the late spring. These formal occasions are open to the entire student body and are the highspots of the campus social calendar.

Some of the new ideas of the council this year were: the inauguration of a student movie program; an increased emphasis upon all-student functions; a yearly Student Council report, to the administration and faculty, containing suggested school improvements and campus policies.

This has been a successful year at Buena Vista and the Student Council has contributed well to this success.



Women's Governing Groups

Front Row—Jean Barrett, Arlys Havings, Marilyn Movick, Jo Tyer, Delores Moulds.

Second Row—Jo Mill, Joan Kies, Marjorie Hogge, Joan Chedester, Colleen Anders, Janet Plantz.



The Swope Hall Council, composed of a representative from each suite, chosen by the girls, handles all of the problems of adjustment and discipline of the dormitory girls. The Council, this past year, has engaged in many activities. Each month a birthday party was held for the girls having birthdays that month. The Annual Yule Log Service was held in the Main Lounge of Swope Hall, with a piece of the traditional Yule Log being used to light the New Log. A Christmas Banquet was given with the theme Symphony in the Snow. At some of the all-dorm meetings, speakers were called in to speak to the girls on various subjects. In the Spring a Farewell Party was given. The presi-

dent for this year was Marilyn Movick and Mrs. LaFoy served as the faculty advisor.

One of the most important offices on the campus is the Public Relations Office, under the able direction of Dean Alderman. From this office moves the steady stream of news releases, bulletins, and catalogues which are making Buena Vista one of the best known small colleges in Iowa. On Dean Alderman and his staff rest the responsibilities of handling, with tact and diplomacy, the many school-public relationships which arise throughout the year. Never an easy job, it is being done efficiently by the Dean and his staff.

Dean Alderman and Secretary Mrs. Twyla Rosenberger.

Public Relations Office





Student Health Center

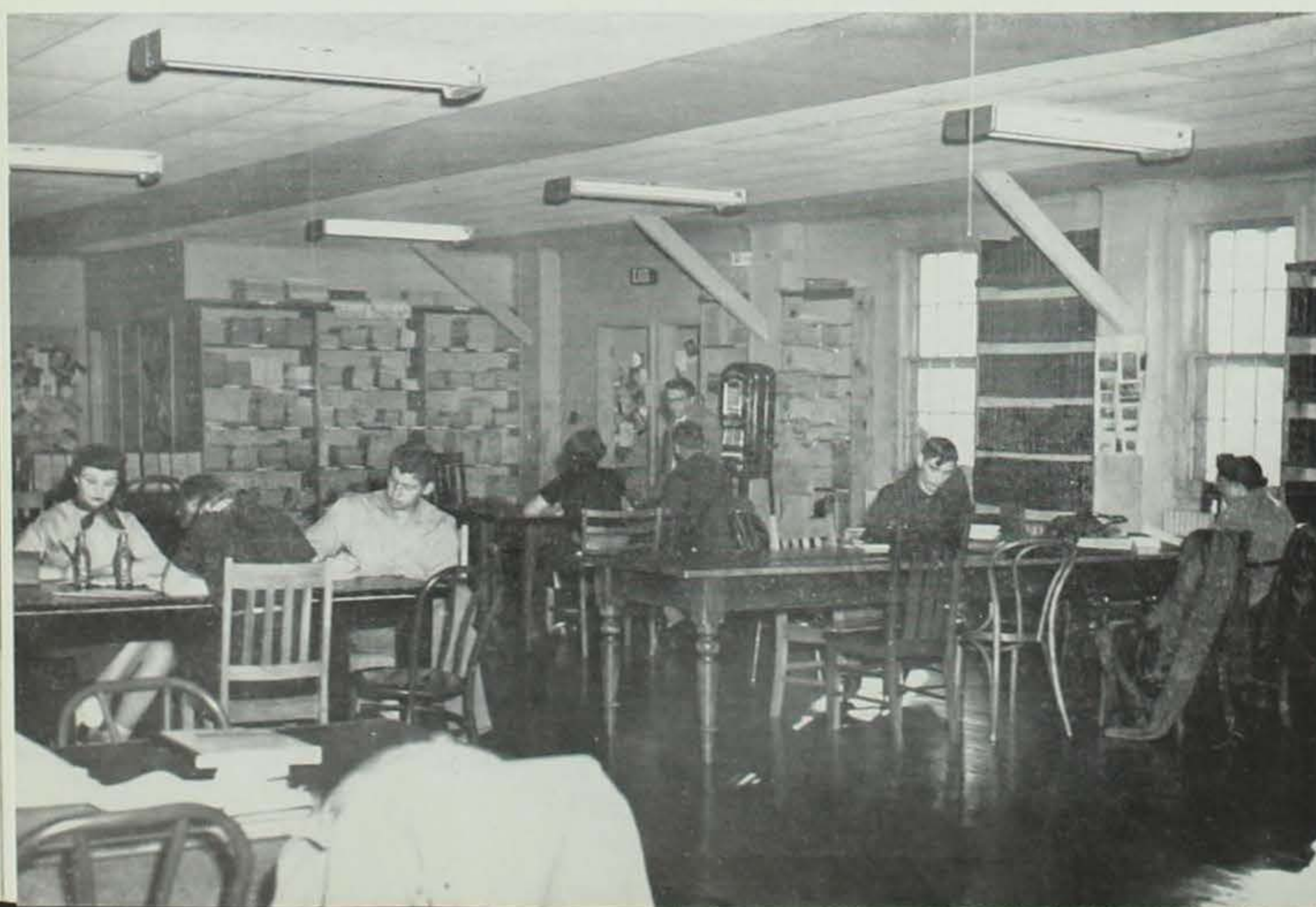
The Student Health Service, under the capable direction of Betty Nelson, R.N., is completing its third year on the Buena Vista campus. Throughout the year this office offers efficient treatment of minor injuries and illnesses, and counseling upon student health problems.

The Health Center again conducted its annual tests for Tuberculosis through the use of tests. All persons having positive reactions to these tests were then checked by the State Mobile X-ray Laboratory.

Fracker Library, under the guidance of Miss Alberta Dwelle, has shown many improvements this year. Many new books and maga-

zines have been added to the shelves; the library staff did much to promote good reading through its many interesting and colorful displays of new materials.

As usual, the Library staff has been active in Campus affairs, especially by donating their time and energy to produce some distinctive wall displays, which did a great deal to promote student programs. Along with these posters and promotional ideas the library has continued its good policy of keeping bulletin boards well covered by many pictures of college life. These pictures are of interest to all and are appreciated.



Fracker Library

\$50,000 Donation to Buena Vista College

To be Used for Construction of New Music Conservatory

Announcement of an estate pledge of 50,000 dollars toward a conservatory of music on the Buena Vista College Campus was received this year.

Mr. Robert Stemme, vice-president of Buena Vista College, made the announcement of Mrs. Ansley's philanthropy at a special meeting of the board of trustees of the institution.

The estate pledge provides the donor the use of the securities and real estate listed on the pledge during her lifetime, while at the same time the college can have the benefit of counting it as an asset.

The gift of Mrs. Ansley is the largest single pledge ever received by Buena Vista College in its 60 years of history.

Believing her many friends will be interested in knowing the reason that prompted this gift, Mrs. Ansley has written as follows:

"The primary reason in giving the greater part of my estate to Buena Vista college is that my parents, the former Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Geisinger, moved their family from Sioux Rapids to Storm Lake because of its educational advantages. The influence of Buena Vista College is far reaching. The clean, wholesome-

ness of its college life, the personal contact of faculty and students, only possible in smaller schools, the beauty of Storm Lake expressed in its environment, churches, homes, gardens and many other factors contribute to the happiness and security of those enrolled.

As piano instructor, my associations were most pleasant with faculty and students. I recall with pardonable pride, I am sure, the packed auditorium and the crowded hall for the recitals given by my pupils oftentimes assisted by students from the violin and voice departments.

I am indeed glad to see the various new buildings supplementing the college, and I hope some day a conservatory of music will add to the cultural aspect.

Since my parents made this money in Buena Vista County, it is my desire to return it to Buena Vista County to serve young people there through the facilities of Buena Vista College."

Mrs. Ansley was piano instructor in Buena Vista College for three years from 1912 to 1914.

Buena Vista College becomes Member of North Central Association



PRESIDENT OLSON RECEIVES
CONGRATULATORY MESSAGES

April 2nd, 1952, was a vitally important day for Buena Vista College and its alumni. On this date Buena Vista College gained membership in the North Central Association of Colleges and Universities.

Buena Vista College has for many years been accredited by all of the colleges and universities in the State of Iowa, the Iowa State Education Association, and by many schools and states in the country. Becoming a member of the North Central Association has given your school the highest accrediting that any college may obtain.

Your degree now has the stamp of approval that will make it respected throughout the

whole world.

On April 3rd the entire student body met President Olson at the train when he returned from Chicago with this wonderful news. Dr. Olson was given the key to the city of Storm Lake and the congratulations of the students, faculty, and townspeople.

The becoming a member of the North Central Association was very definitely the combination of many years of very hard work on the part of President Olson, the board of trustees, the faculty, students, and friends of the college. It is the greatest victory the college has won in its 61 years.

The Senior Class



CLASS OFFICERS

Clayton Liggett President
Tom Rosenberger Vice President
Donna Gard Secretary-Treasurer

"Seniors today—leaders tomorrow" significantly describes the class of '52.

To share in the responsibilities of the graduating class the seniors elected Clayton Liggett as President, Tom Rosenberger as Vice President and Donna Gard as Secretary-Treasurer.

Members of the senior class as leaders of tomorrow are represented in every organization on the campus and hold offices in major organizations.

Leading the student body was Ken Beatty, as student council President. Presidents of cam-

pus clubs were Bob Bargman, Circle K; Graydon Hanson, Forensic League; Clayton Liggett, B.V. Players; Ronald Martin, Sigma Tau Delta; Mike Pappadackis, Phi Delta Chi; Sherwin Sankey, Letterman's Club; and Joanne Unger, Phi Alpha Pi. Heading the literary fields were Ken Beatty as editor of the BEAVER LOG and Don Oberlander as the TACK editor.

Now then, the "seniors today" leave Buena Vista with the best wishes from the other classes and the faculty and administration in their work as—"leaders tomorrow."

Seniors

Marlys Anderson

Rockwell City, Iowa

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Student Christian
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B.V. Players 2,4



Robert E. Bahrke

Correctionville, Iowa

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Bob Bargman

Rodman, Iowa

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Gillett Grove, Iowa

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Kenneth Bauermeister

Ocheyedan, Iowa

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Ken Beatty

Spirit Lake, Iowa

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Jack W. Beckel

Storm Lake, Iowa

Tack Staff 3,4
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Bob Bumann

Schaller, Iowa

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Seniors

Don Carlson

Marathon, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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Basketball 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4



John De Garmo

Early, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Ida Edwards

Buffalo Center, Iowa

EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY



Duane Fonley

Linn Grove, Iowa

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Dale Garlock

Fonda, Iowa

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Graydon Hanson

Storm Lake, Iowa

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William L. Horsman

Rembrandt, Iowa

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Student Christian
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Fred J. Hucka

Storm Lake, Iowa

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Seniors

John Buns
Storm Lake, Iowa
BIOLOGY



Dean Larison
Early, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
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Robert Lee
Storm Lake, Iowa
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Baseball 1
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Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4



Clayton E. Liggett
Spirit Lake, Iowa
ENGLISH

Sigma Tau Delta
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Joanne MacDowell
Storm Lake, Iowa



Wm. McGiboney
Storm Lake, Iowa
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Ronald Martin
Cherokee, Iowa
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Lake View, Iowa
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Band 2,3,4
Future Teachers 2,3,4
Student Christian
Fellowship 2,3,4
Circle K 3,4

Seniors

Wilbur Merrill

Ruthven, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 2,3,4
Basketball 3,4
Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 1,2,4
Future Teachers 4



Maurice Miller

Alta, Iowa

MATHEMATICS

Shirley Miller

Storm Lake, Iowa

MUSIC

Sigma Tau Delta 2,3,4
Delta Phi Beta 2,3,4
Alpha Psi Omega 2,3,4
Entre Nous 1
M.E.N.C. 1
B.V. Singers 1,2
Choir 1,2,3,4
Band 1,2,3,4
Madrigal Group 3
Tack Staff 1
Annual Staff 1
Future Teachers 2,3,4
Spanish Club 1
B.V. Players
Who's Who 4



Lawrence Moritz

Storm Lake, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Melvin M. Neppel

Carroll, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Football 2,4
Circle K 1,2,3,4



Ralph G. Neppel

Carroll, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Business Club 1,2
Circle K 3,4

William W. Nielsen

Dike, Iowa

SCIENCE

Intramurals 3,4
Future Teachers 3,4



Junella Trukken Oatman

Storm Lake, Iowa

EDUCATION

Delta Phi Beta 1,2
Choir 1,2
YWCA 1,2
B.V. Players 2
Haephestes Club 4

Seniors

Don Oberlander

Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Tack Staff 3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Beaver Log 3,4



E. D. Pappadackis

Storm Lake, Iowa

BIBLE AND PHILOSOPHY AND HISTORY

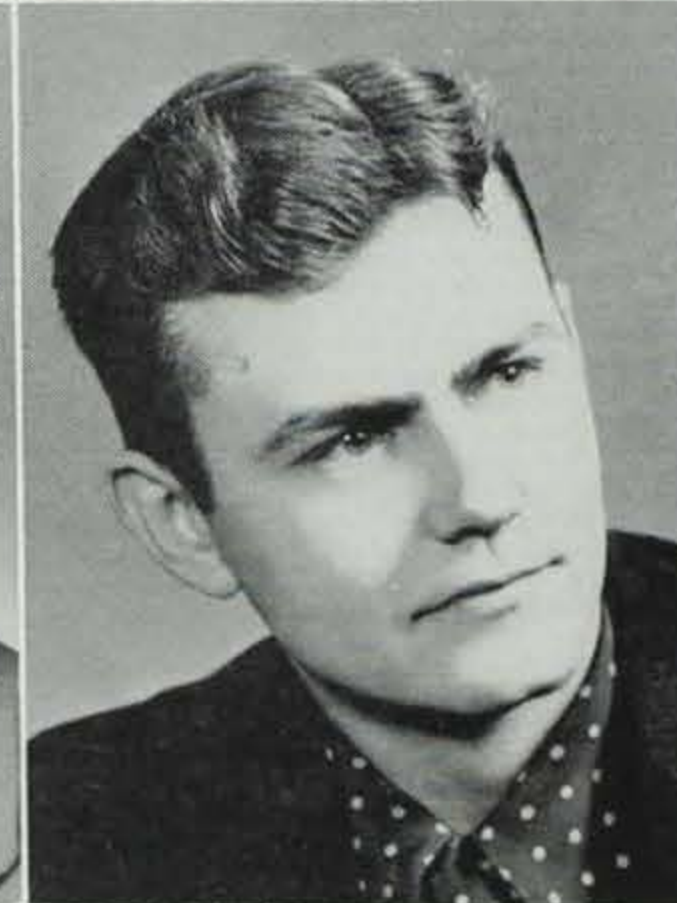
Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Intramurals 3,4
Ensemble 3,4
Boys' Quartet 4
Choir 1,2,3,4
Class Officer 3
Student Council 4
Student Christian Fellowship 2
B.V. Players 2,3
Cheerleader 4
Who's Who 4

Tom Rosenberger

Storm Lake, Iowa

MUSIC

Phi Delta Chi 2,3
Ensemble 2,3
Choir 2,3,4
Band 3
Class Officer 4
B.V. Players 3,4



Sherwin Sankey

Ute, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

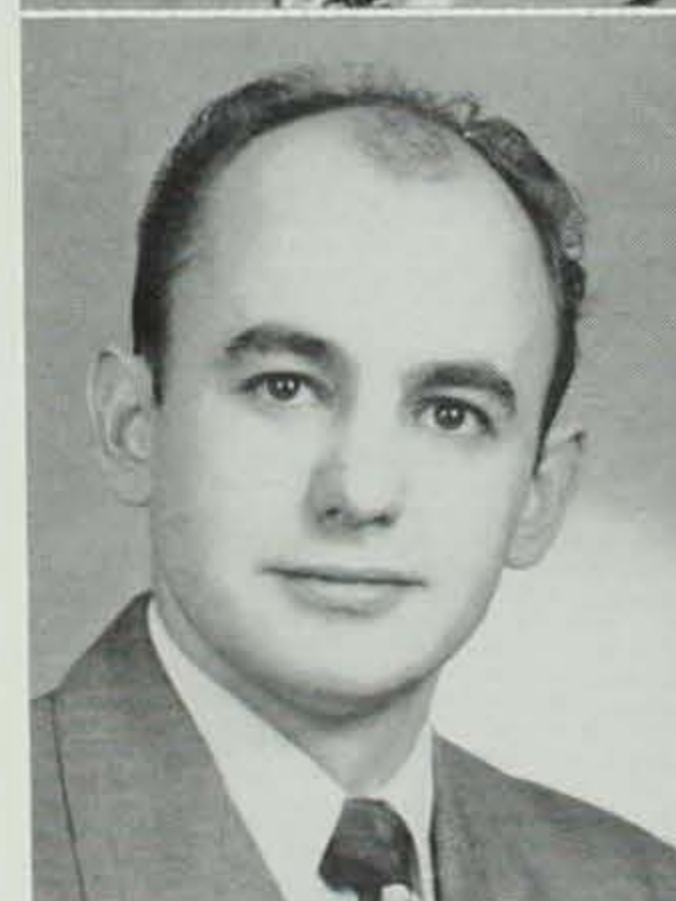
Baseball 2
Basketball 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Who's Who 4

Rodney Satory

Albert City, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Ensemble 2,3
Choir 1,2,3
Student Council 2,3
Radio Production 2



Bruce Saunders

Peterson, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Football 4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Circle K 4

Rodney Schenatzki

Truesdale, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Future Teachers 4



Ben Sievert

Lake City, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Future Teachers 3

Seniors

Dellmer Sly

Davis City, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Future Teachers 4



Darrell Sorey

Logan, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Intramurals 4
Future Teachers 4
Radio Production 3
Vet's Club 2
Circle K 4
Business Club 2

Glen Stabelfeld

Aurelia, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 2,3,4



Robert L. Walrath

Storm Lake, Iowa

CHEMISTRY AND MATHEMATICS

Ralph T. Warner

Glendale, California

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Track 2
Intramurals 2,4
Tack Staff 4
Future Teachers 2,3
Vet's Club 1,2
Circle K 4
Business Club 1,2



Harold Weisbrod

Fenton, Iowa

PHYSICS

Future Teachers 4

Bob Willadsen

Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS

Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2



Dale Young

Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4

Seniors

Donna Gard
Early, Iowa
EDUCATION



Duane Klett
Everly, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Basketball 3
Lettermen's Club 4
Future Teachers 4



James D. Rukes
Storm Lake, Iowa
ENGLISH
Alpha Psi Omega 3,4
Choir 1,2,3
Future Teachers 2,3,4
Spanish Club 1,2,3
Radio Production 2,3
B.V. Players 1,2,3
Vet's Club 1,2,3,4
Circle K 4



Morris Schroeder
Terril, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Jo Ann Unger
Storm Lake, Iowa
EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY
Phi Alpha Pi 2,3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Class Officer 3
Future Teachers 2,3,4
Spanish Club 3
Who's Who 4



Dick Unger
Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION



Francis Urban
Cherokee, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION



Richard Wenger
Albert City, Iowa
SOCIOLOGY
Baseball 1,2,3
Lettermen's Club 2,3



The Junior Class



CLASS OFFICERS

Irene McAlpine . . .	President
Chuck Branstetter . . .	Vice Pres.
Charlotte Lockey . . .	Secy-Treas.

Although the smallest class at Buena Vista during the 1951-52 school year, the junior class proved itself a powerful force in campus affairs and contributed greatly to the welfare of the college.

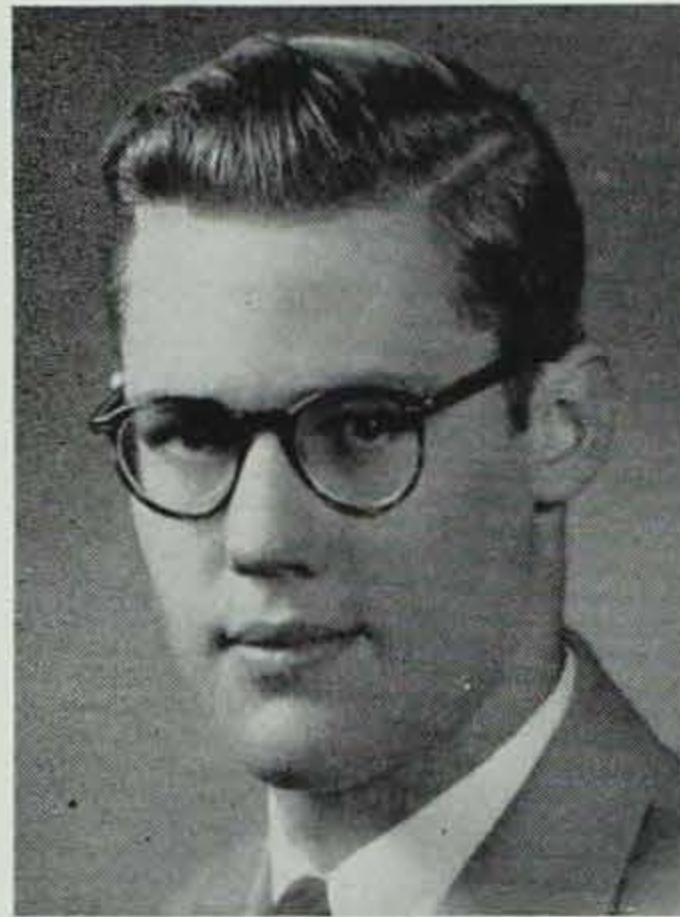
Throughout the year, the class was under the able guidance of Irene McAlpine, who was also an attendant for the Homecoming Queen. Charles Branstetter, outstanding on the gridiron and basketball court, served as vice-presi-

dent of the group and Charlotte Lockey acted as secretary-treasurer. These two students also represented the class on the Student Council.

Many other members of this junior class showed themselves to be outstanding in the various extra-curricular activities on the campus. The contribution of this class has been significant, and these students will be back again next year to do their part in helping Buena Vista to advance even more.

Juniors

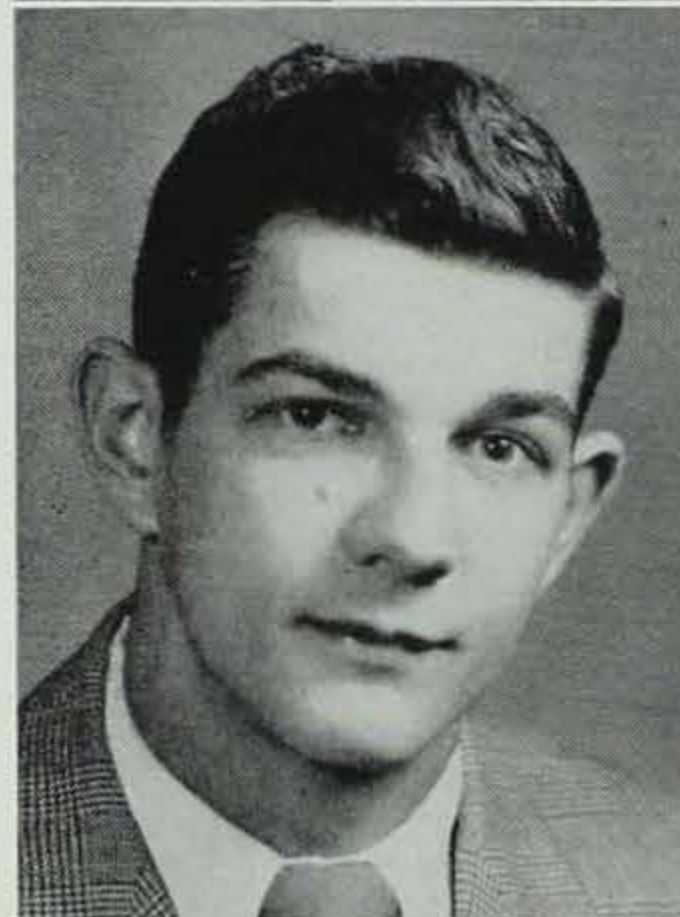
Darold Anderson
Storm Lake, Iowa



Myron Anderson
Marathon, Iowa



Charles Branstetter
Milford, Iowa



James Buenger
Alta, Iowa



Merle Eberle
Scranton, Iowa



Marlene Erickson
Marathon, Iowa



Donna Eng
Grove, Iowa



James Foell
Blairsburg, Iowa



Juníors

Jon Francis
Linn Grove, Iowa



John Graham
Harris, Iowa



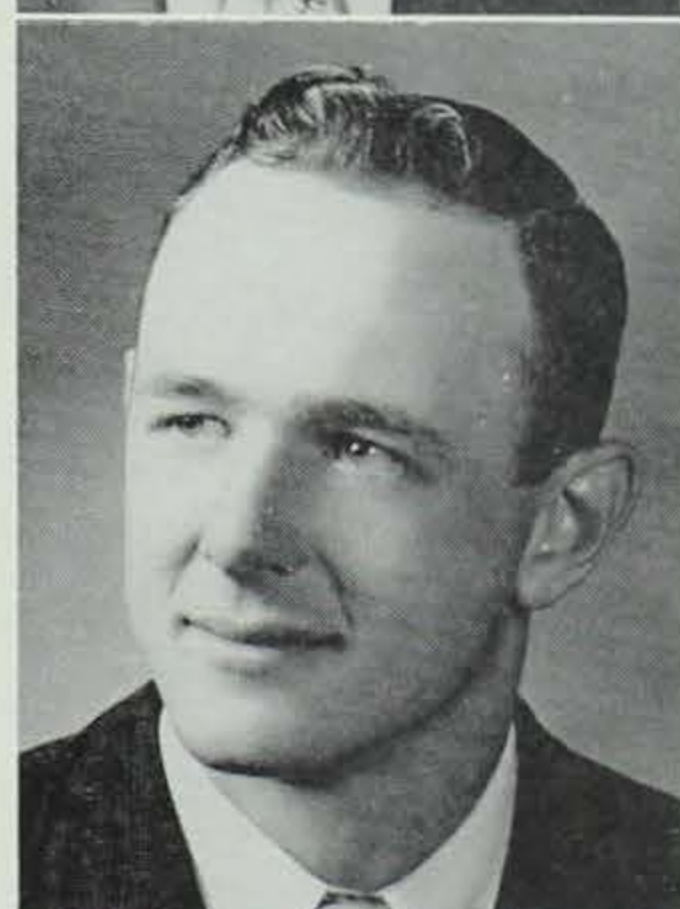
Allen J. Hanafan
Clinton, Iowa



James Hawbecker
Storm Lake, Iowa



Edward Hendrickson
Calender, Iowa



Wm. Hoffman
Storm Lake, Iowa



Julia Hopkins
Early, Iowa



Vernon J. Huffey
Storm Lake, Iowa



Juníors

Rodney Hunter
Correctionville, Iowa



Floyd Isebrands
Jewell, Iowa



Marlyn Johnson
Albert City, Iowa



Don Kamprath
Alta, Iowa



James Lindlief
Alta, Iowa



Charlotte Lockey
Spencer, Iowa



Irene McAlpine
Cherokee, Iowa



Weldon Michael
Dickens, Iowa

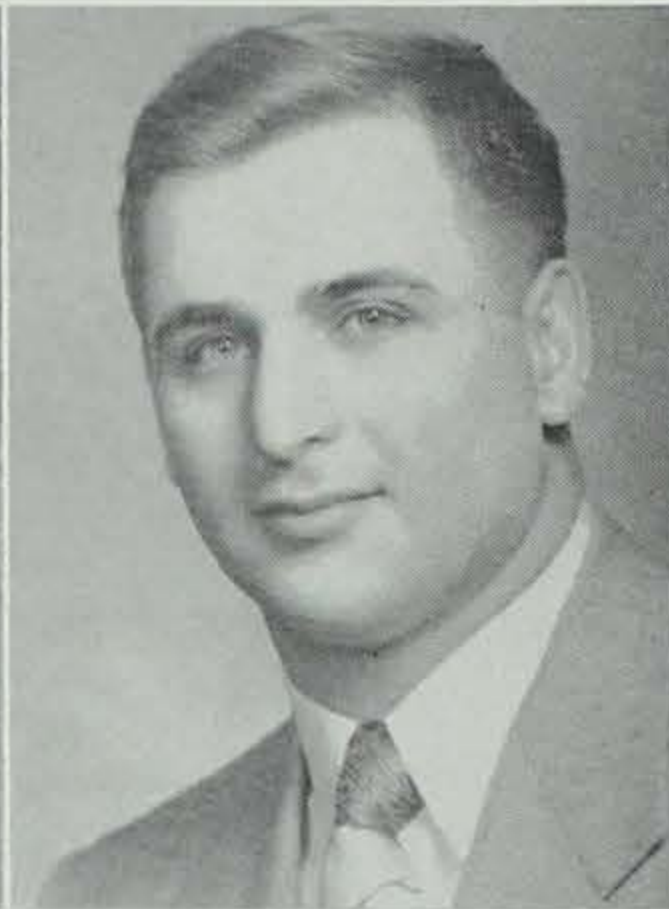


Juníors

Marvin Miller
Washta, Iowa



Stephen Nemeth
Perth Amboy, N. J.



Paul Ohlsen
Schaller, Iowa



John Peterson
Storm Lake, Iowa



Wm. Richards
Storm Lake, Iowa



Charles Rosberg
Marcus, Iowa



Roger Satory
Albert City, Iowa



Jerry Speck
Perry, Iowa



Juníors

Verl Southwick
Kingsley, Iowa



Pat Sullivan
Carroll, Iowa



Mrs. Margaret Weber
Storm Lake, Iowa



Richard Westphal
Rockwell City, Iowa



Delowa Willbrandt
Cherokee, Iowa



Susan Young
Primghar, Iowa



Mrs. Twyla Rosenberger
Lytton, Iowa



Darrell Ziemer
Storm Lake, Iowa



The Sophomore Class



CLASS OFFICERS

Carroll Sawin	President
Robert Johnston	Vice Pres.
Eloise Roegge	Secretary
Ralph Ferns	Treasurer

Many returning students plus several new transfer students swelled the ranks of the sophomore class this year to a total of eighty-two. The class placed itself under the leadership of Carroll Sawin, president, and elected Robert Johnston vice-president. Eloise Roegge was chosen secretary and Bill Ferns served as class treasurer. Doyle Hansen and Beverly McIntosh were voted to represent the group as members of the Student Council.

The sophomores successfully carried out their planned activities during Homecoming, presented acts in the variety show and at Stunt

Night and proved that they had a liberal supply of talent in the fields of athletics, dramatics, speech and music.

Katherine Carr was chosen to reign as the 1951 Homecoming Queen; and four other sophomores: Eloise Roegge, Lois Claussen, Twyla Rosenberger, and Lola Kelsey, served as her attendants.

Many of the members of this class will conclude their education at Buena Vista this year and go into the teaching profession or specialized study. Their loss will be greatly felt on the Beaver campus.

Sophomores

COLLEEN ANDERS
Albert City, Iowa



FARRELL BARNEY
Onawa, Iowa



JOANNE BAUMANN
Storm Lake, Iowa



MARCIA BINDER
Rembrandt, Iowa



WALLACE BOGARDUS



BEULAH BONSER
Arnolds Park, Iowa



DOROTHY BYERS
Primghar, Iowa



ELIZABETH CARTER
Sac City, Iowa



Sophomores

LUCILLE CLAUSEN
Havelock, Iowa



LOIS CLAUSSEN
Schaller, Iowa



JOANN CLEVELAND
Ocheyedan, Iowa



BARBARA DAHM
Early, Iowa



DALE DYSLEN
Aurelia, Iowa



VIC EICKSTAEDT
Storm Lake, Iowa



ROBERT ENGEL
Moneta, Iowa



RALPH FERNS
Anthon, Iowa



Sophomores

MARGARET GINGER
Langdon, Iowa



PATRICIA GLOSS
Larrabee, Iowa



JANICE HADENFELDT
Storm Lake, Iowa



VIRGIL HAMER
Pisgah, Iowa



DOYLE HANSEN
Odebolt, Iowa



JOHN HANSON
Storm Lake, Iowa



BURDETTE HIEKENS
Spencer, Iowa



ARLYS HAVINGA
Kamrar, Iowa



Sophomores

PATRICIA HOFT
Wall Lake, Iowa



CAROL HOLM
Fort Dodge, Iowa



GORDON HOOVER
Marathon, Iowa



ILAH HOUESHELL
Callender, Iowa



KENNETH HULSEBUS
Glidden, Iowa



JOE JAMES
Larrabee, Iowa



PATRICK JENNETT
Sac City, Iowa



ROBERT JOHNSTON
Lake City, Iowa



Sophomores

FLOYD KALKHOFF
Manning, Iowa



CATHERINE KARR
Fonda, Iowa



ARTHUR KOENIG
Laurens, Iowa



LOLA KELSEY
Storm Lake, Iowa



DONALD KENNING
Pomeroy, Iowa



JOAN KIES
Odebolt, Iowa



LA VERNE KLOSTER
Marcus, Iowa



DORIS LEAF
Stratford, Iowa



Sophomores

JACK LLOYD
Coon Rapids, Iowa



DIX LOHMAN
Storm Lake, Iowa



ALICE LOVEJOY
Storm Lake, Iowa



CAROLINE McCULLA
Spirit Lake, Iowa



LEO McCURNIN
Storm Lake, Iowa



BEVERLY McINTOSH
Sac City, Iowa



KEITH McNEIL
Somers, Iowa



VIRGIL MAHN
Cherokee, Iowa



Sophomores

ROGER MAHNKE
Pierson, Iowa



JEAN MOE
Storm Lake, Iowa



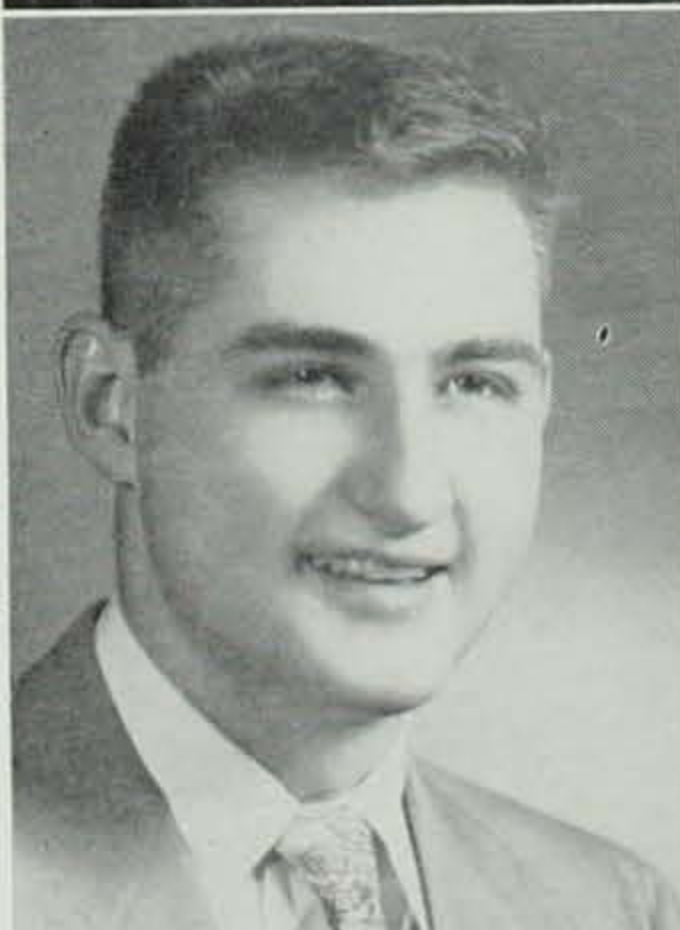
BEVERLY MORGAN
Storm Lake, Iowa



MARILYN MOVICK
Linn Grove, Iowa



CARROLL MUNTZ
Alta, Iowa



MARGARET NICOLAISEN
Storm Lake, Iowa



ROBERT NIELSEN
Cherokee, Iowa



JEAN NIXON
Fonda, Iowa



Sophomores

MARDELLE OATMAN
Storm Lake, Iowa



VERNON RATH
Correctionville, Iowa



MARCIA RAUSCH
Paullina, Iowa



ELLOISE ROEGGE
Pomeroy, Iowa



MARTIN ROEPKE
Washta, Iowa



WM. SAILOR
Lisbon, Iowa



CARROLL SWAIN
Anthon, Iowa



JEANNINE SEAGREN
Curlew, Iowa



Sophomores

ARLAND SIVADGE
Adair, Iowa



FLORENCE STRAIGHT
Newell, Iowa



ADA LEE SMITH
Truesdale, Iowa



CAROL SMITH
Sulphur Springs, Iowa



RICHARD STILSON
Hampton, Iowa



BARBARA TELFORD
Emmetsburg, Iowa



BILLIE TRYON
Glidden, Iowa



JOANNE TYER
Dawson, Iowa



Sophomores

MARTIN WEDEKING
Nemaha, Iowa



JOAN WHALEN
Galva, Iowa



WM. ZWEMPKE
Alta, Iowa



MARION HOLLISTER
Paullina, Iowa



The Freshman Class



CLASS OFFICERS

Kay Mills	President
Kent Adams	Vice President
Joeline Rueter	Secretary-Treasurer

One hundred twenty green beanies appeared on the Buena Vista campus in the fall of 1951. Until the unforgettable Homecoming Day on October 21, the freshmen wearing these beanies underwent many initiation ceremonies and passed their trial period with flying colors.

The abilities of this group of new students began to become more evident as they became accustomed to college life. Many of the boys helped strengthen the Beaver football, basketball, and baseball teams and earned major and minor letters for themselves.

Still other freshmen distinguished themselves by taking active parts in the college band and vocal groups, and several of them had leading roles in the major productions presented by the dramatic department.

The class elected Kay Mills as its president and chose Kent Adams to assist him. Joeline Reuter represented the fairer sex by acting as secretary-treasurer of the group. Richard Lehigh was voted as representative to the Student Council and Janet Anderson served as secretary of that organization. Mr. T. P. Kuehl was chosen as sponsor of the freshman class.



Front Row (left to right)—Phyllis Bischoff, Janet Anderson, JoAnn Cleveland, Kent Adams, Barbara Campbell, Joan Chedester, Dorothy Anderson. **Second Row**—Iona Bahnsen, Fred Burmeister, Roger Anderson, Don Barnes, Charlie Bryant, Frances Castle. **Third Row**—Bob Battern, Jay Coffman, Jack Belcher, Tom Chase, Dick Allen.



Front Row (left to right)—Marlys Frederick, Loes Essick, Donna Fraser, Enid Dornbrack, Lona Hansen, Wanda Enyart. **Second Row**—Martha Dayton, Jerre French, Bob Hoarup, Jerry Hamilton, Bill Fahan, Patricia Gloss. **Third Row**—Bob Griffiths, Charles Davis, Alice Fett, Dick Glidden, Jim Dunn.



Front Row (left to right)—Betty Kruse, Kathryn Kischer, Marjorie Hogge, Betty Kolpin, Donna Lickband, Marjil Holtapp, Anita Lewis. **Second Row**—Ronnie Jenkins, James Lilly, Darrel Huseman, Richard Lehigh, Bryce Kissinger, Jim Hortsell. **Third Row**—Arthur Hoopengartner, Marian Hollister, James Kerns, Maureen Huston, Arlen Hortsell.



Front Row (left to right)—Mavis Marker, Janice Myers, Delores Moulds, Florence Miller, Jo Mill. **Second Row**—Joyce Lorenzon, Beverly Morgan, Darlene Meyer, Phyllis Mehrens, Arlene Mittag. **Third Row**—Leo McCurnin, Lewis Moulton, Ray Murray, Kay Mills, Donald McCurnin.



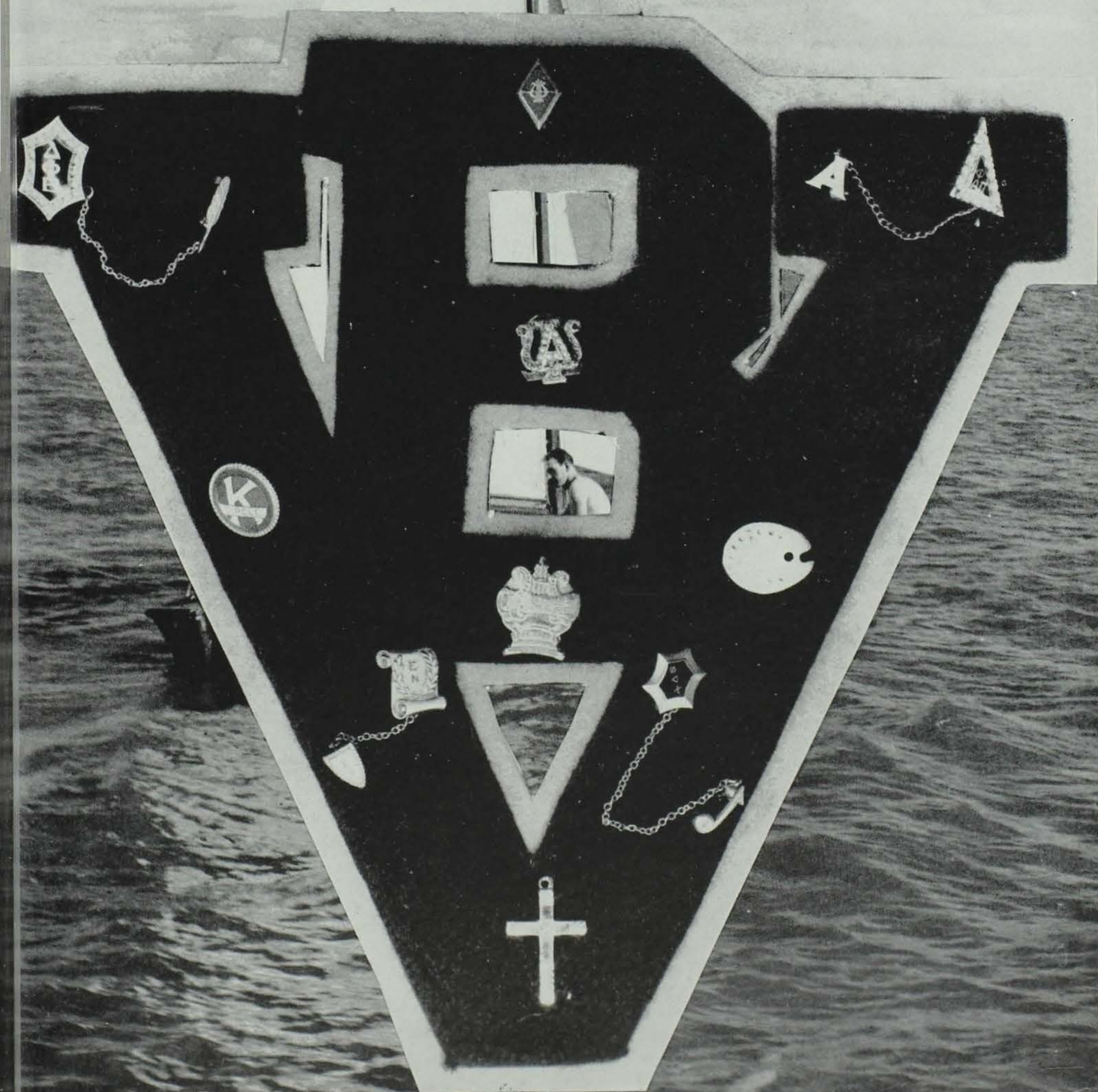
Front Row (left to right)—Vira Pearson, Mary Schroeder, Paula Shellenberger, Beverly Sager, Janice Pickering. **Second Row**—David Preston, Howard Smit, Carroll Tigges, John Schleisman, Gerald Powell. **Third Row**—Marcia Rausch, Joeline Rueter, Phyllis Plog, Nancy Ruhs.



Front Row (left to right)—Marilan Steffen, Marilyn Yager, Connie Tweddale, Ada Lee Smith, Joan Whalen. **Second Row**—Bill Southwick, Charles Wehmeyer, Merlin Stevenson, Roger Trinary. **Third Row**—Donna Sundberg, Jean Swanson, Joan Wagner, Nancy Marnock, Nancy Steig.

Part Two

Organizations





Front Row (left to right)—Dalowa Willbrandt, Janice Hadenfeldt, Prof. Ruth Lathrop, Joanne Baumann, Alice Lovejoy. **Second Row**—Tom Rosenberger, Graydon Hansen, Doyle Hansen, Ken Beatty, Clayton Liggett, Bob Johnston, Dick Westphal. **Third Row**—Connie Tweddale, Margaret Nicolaisen, Mrs. Jean Barrett, Bev McIntosh, Irene McAlpine, Donna Fraser.

B. V. Players

The B. V. Players, one of the dramatic organizations on the campus, was organized for the purpose of encouraging the theatrical abilities and interests of the students. Not only actors and actresses are members of this organization, but people whose interests lie in the production work are welcomed.

The first major production of the year was PEG O' MY HEART. This production was presented on Dec. 6-7.

The second production was THE BARRETTS OF WIMPOLE STREET, presented in conjunction with Fine Arts Week.

Clayton E. Liggett was president of the Players for the 51-52 school year. The other officers:

Tom Rosenberger, Vice President; Jean Moe, Secretary; Doyle Hansen, Treasurer; and Miss Ruth Helen Lathrop, Advisor.

At the spring banquet which was held on May 9, 1951, the following awards were presented to those outstanding in dramatics during the 50-51 school. Best Actor and Actress, Clayton E. Liggett and Irene McAlpine, for their roles in A DOLL'S HOUSE; Best supporting Actor and Actress, James Rukes and Alice Lovejoy, for their roles in the same performance; Best Bit Part, Tom Rosenberger; Best Character Actor, Lester Lewis, for his role as the High Lama in LOST HORIZONS! Best Student Director, Bob MacDowell who directed the one-act play A MIDNIGHT FANTASY.



Front Row (left to right)—Carol Sawin, Jean Barrett, Margaret Nicolaisen, Joanne Baumann, Dix Lohman.
Second Row—Graydon Hanson, Roger Anderson, Ken Beatty, Clayton Liggett, Bill Richards.

Forensic League

For the fifth year since its revival, the Buena Vista Forensic League has gained recognition on its own campus and in intercollegiate competition.

The college discussion question for the year was, "How can we as a nation improve our moral and ethical conduct?" Price and wage controls posed the problem for college debaters throughout the United States. Oratory, extemporaneous speaking, radio broadcasting, after dinner speaking, and poetry reading comprised the various fields of competition.

Under the direction of Mrs. Gladys Kuehl, the members of the league began their 1951-1952 year with the University of South Dakota meet at Vermillion, South Dakota. Exceptional showing was made by the participants in scheduled events.

Before the close of 1951 the college was represented at Iowa State Teachers' College and Morningside College. The second semester was opened with a tournament at Sioux Falls College.

The largest meet of the mid-west was the University of Nebraska conference, where Buena Vista speakers tallied the greatest num-

ber of high ratings in discussion of all schools represented.

Following the University of Iowa meet was the annual Iowa State Forensics Association Conference at Grinnell. The honors bestowed upon Buena Vista consisted of three Superior ratings and nine excellents.

As the highlight of campus activity, for the second year, the Forensics League played host to the Iowa High School Invitational Forensic Conference.

An institute on Practical Citizenship, featuring Attorney-General Robert L. Larson as guest speaker and evaluator, was sponsored by the Forensic group to motivate student interest in civic responsibilities.

The Forensic League also was a student group sponsor for the first of the college's Lectureship series, with Dr. T. Z. Koo as guest lecturer.

Members of the League have been active in community speaking engagements as well as in campus chapel programs. They have included small study groups throughout the area and radio programs of radio station K.A.Y.L.



Front Row (left to right)—Jo Mill, Lucille Clausen, Shirley Miller, Pat Mouritsen. **Second Row**—Jeanine Seagren, Dalowa Willbrandt, Janice Hadenfeldt.

Delta Phi Beta

The Delta Phi Beta Sorority has just one purpose —the influence on the advancement of social abilities of its members. One of the first things that is observed in a job applicant is his or her personal charm and personality. Therefore, an organization such as the "Betas" is most helpful to any girl.

Activities began in the fall of Rush Week. During this week a tea was given in the home of Mrs. Frances Perrings and later in the week a banquet at the Bradford Hotel. The pledges took their first pledge at the home of Mrs. Joseph Crisler. Homecoming was a big week for the Betas too. On Saturday afternoon a luncheon was given for the alliance at Jes Mil. This year, the girls, with the help of the Circle K club, sold the megaphones as favors at the game. Shirley Miller represented the Sorority as a candidate for Homecoming Queen. Our annual Christmas party was held at the home of Shirley Miller. An exchange of gifts and

singing of Christmas Carols were the main events of the evening.

Hell Week found the Beta pledges dressed as gypsies. Throughout strict rules were followed and certain duties performed. Club Manawa was the scene of a lovely candlelight service when the girls took their final pledge.

The two Pan-Hellenic Formals were the social highlights of the year. "Winter Wonderland" was the setting for the Christmas formal. "Pink Masquerade" was the theme for the spring formal held on the 28th of April. Both formals were held at the Cobblestone Inn with music furnished by Tommy Thomas and his Orchestra.

Officers for this year were: Dalowa Willbrandt, Pres.; Shirley Miller, Vice Pres.; Janice Hadenfeldt, Sec.; Lucille Claussen, Treas.; Jeanine Seagren, Historian; Faculty sponsors: Mrs. Bob Otto, Mrs. Joseph Crisler, and Mrs. Joe Nelson.

Phí Alpha Pí

Zest and enthusiasm were dominant in the Phi Alpha Pi sorority this year. Eleven girls were pledged by the actives after Rush Week. The formal tea was held in the home of Mrs. E. H. Melcher, where it has taken place for several years, and final rushing was done at a banquet in the Storm Lake Room of Cobblestone Inn.

Clowns and more clowns were in evidence during Hell Week. The pledges not only dressed in costumes of polka dots and stripes, but they were not allowed to speak to men and were given a task to perform each evening. The girls were given their final initiation at the end of the week after a banquet at the Hotel Bradford. The formal candlelight ceremony was performed by the officers of the sorority. A slumber party at Swope Hall, with the new actives providing the food for the occasion, ended the successful week.

The Phi Alpha Pi sorority not only won first prize for their float in the homecoming parade, but also were represented by two queen candidates: Lois Claussen, who was a candidate for the sorority, and Lola Kelsey, who was candidate for FTA.

Their impressionistic sketch for the Sigma Tau Delta stunt night won first place this year. Directed by Margaret Nicolaisen, the sorority carried out the theme revolving around "Blue Mood" and using blues music.

A Pan-Hellenic dance held at Cobblestone Inn in December carried out the theme, "Winter Wonderland," and a spring formal was held there in April.

Interesting and informative meetings were held twice a month throughout the year, with programs ranging from bridge to perfumes. Santa even showed up at the Christmas party to distribute gifts.

Officers of the sorority were Jo Ann Unger, president; Jean Moe, vice-president; Elizabeth Carter, secretary; and Lola Kelsey, treasurer. Sponsors were Mrs. T. P. Kuehl and Mrs. Bruce Alderman. Actives were Lois Claussen, Joanne Bauman, Margaret Nicolaisen and Florence Straight.

Pledges were Arlys Havinga, Marcia Rausch, Joan Whalen, Joan Wagner, Carol Smith, Nancy Steig, Nancy Warnock, Alice Fett, Jean Nixon, Marjil Holtapp and Lona Hanen.

Front Row (left to right)—Marcia Rausch, Lola Kelsey, Carol Holmes, Jean Nixon, Carol Smith, Lois Claussen. **Second Row**—Florence Straight, Marjil Holtapp, Marlys Havinga, Joan Unger, Jean Moe, Ilona Hansen, Joan Whalen. **Third Row**—Alice Fett, Nancy Warnock, Joan Wagner, Nancy Steig, Joanne Baumann, Margaret Nicolaisen, Jean Barrett.





Front Row (left to right)—Delores Moulds, Janet Anderson, Pat Gloss, Donna Fraser, Joyce Lorenzen, Janice Pickering.

Second Row—Enid Dornbrack, Betty Kruse, Martha Dayton, Marlys Frederick, Betty Koepin, Iona Bahnsen.

Third Row—Dorathy Byers, Wanda Enyart, Anita Lewis, Marion Hollister, Janice Myers.



Front Row (left to right)—Connie Tweddale, Beulah Jane Bonser, Colleen Anders, Marilyn Movick, Eloise Roegge.

Second Row—Vera Pearson, Arlene Mittag, Mary Schroeder, Nancy Saunders, Kathryn Kischer.

Third Row—Phyllis Plog, Donna Sundberg, Caroline McCulla, Margaret Weber, Phyllis Mehrens.

Entre Nous

Entre Nous has enjoyed a very successful year with a membership of thirty-eight. The first activity of the year was the annual tea for all non-sorority girls at the lovely home of Mrs. H. C. Davidson. The girls who wished to become members then attended the initiation held in Beaver Hall several weeks later. The climax of the pledging came when twenty-nine girls were initiated into the organization at the impressive candlelight ceremony held at the beautiful lakeside home of Mrs. Wendell Edson. Eloise Roegge was the Entre Nous candi-

date for Homecoming Queen. In November the group sponsored Sadie Hawkins Week. The candlelight Christmas party was held in the dining room of Swope Hall. The Entre Nous had their Formal Dance in February with the Queen of Hearts Ball at their theme. The year closed with a formal banquet. The officers for this year were: Colleen Anders, president; Sue Young, vice-president; Eloise Roegge, secretary; Twyla Rosenberger, treasurer; and Miss Alberta Dwelle, Miss Bertha Supplee, and Mrs. Walter Peterson as faculty sponsors.



Front Row (left to right)— Connie Tweddale, Pat Sullivan, Rodney Schenotzke, Jack Lloyd, Lola Kelsey, Jo Tyer. **Second Row**—Lorna Ruhs, Dellmer Sly, Duane Klett, Prof. T. P. Kuehl, Ronald Martin, Ada Lee Smith. **Third Row**—Arlene Mittag, Donna Sundberg, Phyllis Mehrens, Joan Whalen, Marcia Rausch, Mrs. Jean Barrett.

Front Row (left to right)—Carol Smith, Paula Shellenberger, Betty Kolpin, Donna Gard, Beverly Sager, Eloise Roegge. **Second Row**—Beverly Morgan, Marjorie Hogge, Phyllis Plog, Florence Miller, Florence Straight. **Third Row**—Katherine Kischer, Barbara Telford, Nancy Saunders, Joeline Rueter, Jeannine Seagren, Delores Moulds.

Front Row (left to right)—Ilah Houdeshell, Marilyn Movick, Beverly McIntosh, Ken Bauermeister, Elizabeth Carter, Prof. Opal Roark. **Second Row**—Carol Holm, Lawrence Moritz, Franklin Mather, Wilbur Merrill, Dean Larison, Vera Pearson. **Third Row**—Catherine Karr, Joan Kies, Marian Hollister, Darlene Meyer, Marcia Binder, Maureen Huston, Caroline McCulla.

Front Row (left to right)—Dale Garlock, Lois Essick, Patricia Gloss, Lona Hansen, Virginia Buxton, Janet Anderson, Jerre French. **Second Row**—Lois Claussen, Marlene Erickson, Enid Dornback, Patricia Hoft, Beulah Bonser, Marlys Frederick. **Third Row**—Jo Ann Cleveland, Margaret Ginger, Lucile Clausen, Dorothy Anderson, Iona Bahnsen, Martha Dayton, Phyllis Bischoff.

Future Teachers of America

The strength of a profession lies in the central organization of its members. This is most certainly evidenced by the size of the F. T. A. organization on our campus. Indispensable benefits are secured through participating in the functions of F. T. A., not only in facts obtained and publicity but also in leadership.

Tuesday, October 17, 1951, Buena Vista College was host to the Northwest Regional meeting of the Future Teachers of America in which eight other colleges sent students to our campus. An interesting day was spent discussing the topic of "Professionalizing Teaching."



Front Row—Bob Johnston, Irene McAlpine, Jean Barrett, Shirley Miller, Bob Bargman. **Second Row**—Prof. Gladys Kuehl, Jean Moe, Clayton Liggett, Graydon Hanson, Marlys Anderson, Prof. Ruth Lathrop.

Alpha Psi Omega

The Chi Cast of the Alpha Psi Omega international Honorary Dramatic Fraternity celebrated its 26th anniversary this year. It is the oldest fraternity on the campus. Alpha Psi Omega is maintained to promote the dramatic talents and interests of college students.

This year there were just eight active members until December when three students, Marlys Anderson, Bob Johnston and Graydon Hanson, were initiated at a progressive dinner. The dinner lasted three hours . . . various parts of the initiation were performed between courses, which took place in six different homes!

On May 13, new members were initiated at

another progressive dinner instead of the usual spring banquet.

To be eligible for membership in Alpha Psi Omega, one must be a member of the B. V. Players, and have gained 50 points. The point system is based on participation in various phases of dramatic productions.

A one act Easter play, **The Portal**, directed and cast by members, was presented on April 6 and 10. Clayton E. Liggett directed the play.

The officers for the 1951-52 year were Irene McAlpine, Cast Director; Bob Bargman, Cast Business Manager; Alice Lovejoy, Worthy Playwright; and Professor Gladys Kuehl, Faculty Sponsor with Professor Ruth Lathrop as proctor.

Consecration Week

Program

MONDAY

- 9:50 — "Really Knowing God"
The Rev. Dr. John H. Olson
Leader: President Olson
- 6:00 — Faculty Dinner
- 7:30 — "Two Views of Man"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Miss Jean Moe

TUESDAY

- 9:50 — "An Adequate Concept of God"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Mr. Kenneth Beatty
- 7:30 — "The Biblical Concept of Man"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Mr. Robert Wilkinson
- 8:45 — Informal Discussion for All College Women
Leader: Mrs. LaFoy

WEDNESDAY

- 9:50 — "An Unrealized Vision of God"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Miss Jo Ann Unger
- 7:30 — "Man — Thermometer or Thermostat — Which?"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Mrs. Jean Barrett
- 8:45 — Informal Discussion for all College Men
Leader: Dean Alderman

THURSDAY

- 9:50 — "When God Leaves Us to Ourselves"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Mr. Doyle Hansen
- 7:30 — "What Makes a Good Person?"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Mr. Emmanouil Pappadackis
- 8:45 — Informal Discussion for All College
Leader: Mrs. Kuehl

FRIDAY

- 9:50 — "A Sense of Mission for God"
Dr. Olson
Leader: Dean Wesselink

Each year Buena Vista College sets aside one week for the special emphasis of the students' spiritual life. This year's programs were given by Dr. John H. Olson of North Presbyterian Church, Omaha, Nebraska.

For the first time in several years, this year's morning services were held in the College Chapel. These services were the main feature of the week's program. Each evening further informal sessions were held in the Chapel. These meetings were devoted to discussions on problems of special significance to the individual. Personal interviews were possible, each afternoon with Dr. Olson for students with special problems.

The program for Consecration Week is arranged each year by the Student Christian Fellowship. The fellowship, faculty, and students cooperate to make the week a success.



Student Christian Fellowship

The Student Christian Fellowship, familiarly known as the SCF, is an interdenominational organization of students and faculty who are interested in Christian fellowship and service. It is affiliated with the Inter-varsity Christian Fellowship, an international organization of Christian students in American Colleges and Universities.

The group is open to all students who wish to join; all meetings and financial contributions are on a voluntary basis. The club meets every Tuesday evening with a varied program of special speakers, Bible studies, hymn studies, and a social event each month. Members of the group receive special opportunities to further their Christian experience by volunteering for deputation trips to churches in the surrounding territory. Daily prayer and Bible meditations are

held to acquaint the students with God and His Word.

The SCF has assisted in preparing and presenting special chapel programs on Mother's Day, Father's Day, Easter, and Christmas. At other times the group furnishes special student moderators for chapel programs. The group also plans and helps to supervise the annual Consecration Week. This week is devoted to a special consideration of Christian life in the college. A special speaker is invited to come to the college and deliver both daily morning and evening services. This year's speaker was Dr. John H. Olson of the North Presbyterian Church, Omaha, Nebraska. Dr. Olson made his morning talks upon Man's relationship to God, and then in the evening services he spoke upon the subject of man's relationship to man.

Front Row (left to right)—Joan Chedester, Lois Essick, Lois Leaf, Marjory Hogge, Mavis Marker. **Second Row**—Bob Wilkinson, Bill Horseman, Marvin Miller, Kay Mills, Arthur Hoopengartner.





Front Row (left to right)—Vic Eickstadt, Jean Barrett, Bill Richards, Joan Unger, Bob Johnston. **Second Row**—Prof. Bertha Supplee, Ronald Martin, Ken Beatty, Clayton Liggett, Prof. Gladys Kuehl. **Third Row**—Shirley Miller, Jean Moe, Bev McIntosh, Colleen Anders.

Sigma Tau Delta

The Nu Delta chapter of Sigma Tau Delta, professional English fraternity, was organized at Buena Vista in 1938. With a membership limited to English majors, minors and instructors, the society is dedicated to the study of masterpieces of literature and the encouragement of literary ability. Entrance requirements demand that each member have a "B" average in the field of English language and literature and submit a piece of creative writing.

During the past year the group has devoted its meetings to the study of literature and problems of the minority groups in our society. As a part of this program, Dr. Sandberg spoke to the members on the American Indian and, on another occasion, Dr. Hirsch reviewed the literary accomplishments of the Jewish people.

Each year Sigma Tau Delta sponsors two all-college events. The first is Stunt Night and has as its only purpose that of giving the student body a night of pure entertainment and a chance to show the talent that is available on

the campus.

The other annual event is the creative writing contest, which aims at the encouragement and recognition of creative ability in all phases of written expression. Winning entries are each year published in the Beaver Log. Much of the material, written by members, finds its way into the **Rectangle**, national literary publication of the fraternity.

Members are accepted into Sigma Tau Delta each year at a Spring Banquet. At this time, prospective members read their individual writing and are officially installed as members. Officers for the coming year are also announced at this banquet.

Ronald Martin served as president of Sigma Tau Delta for the first semester and was succeeded by Bill Richards. Clayton Liggett was vice-president and Joan Unger was secretary-treasurer. Faculty sponsors were Miss Bertha E. Supplee, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl and Dr. E. T. Sandberg.



Front Row (left to right)—Jack Mansfield, Arland Sivadge, Bill Tryon, Jim Kerns, Carroll Sawin.

Second Row—Jerry Nichols, Myron Anderson, Don Kamprath, Vernon Rath, Ralph Ferns.

Third Row—Ken Bauermeister, Bill Sailer, Verle Southwicke, J. Hanafan, Roger Manke, Gordon Hoover.



Front Row (left to right)—Bob Lee, Glen Stablefeld, Don Carlson, Sherwin Sankey, Dale Young.

Second Row—Charles Rosberg, Dean Larrison, Charles Branstetter, Bob Willadsen, Wilbur Merrill, Elwood Theis.

Third Row—Morris Schroeder, Stephen Nemeth, Dick Wenger, Jim Lindlief, Jon Francis.

The Letterman's Club

The Buena Vista Letterman's club is one of the largest and most influential organizations on the campus. They participate in many activities upon the campus, and one can expect a job well done when this group undertakes the task.

The leader of this year's organization was President Sherwin Sankey. Other officers in the club were: Vice-president, Marvin Stille; Secretary-treasurer, Stephen Nemeth.

The biggest project of the lettermen was running the concession stands at the home football, baseball, basketball games. The proceeds from these sales were used to buy the Buena

Vista Letterman jackets given to all Senior Lettermen. They also were available to help at the gates of all football games, handling programs and ticket sales, as well as at the baseball and basketball games.

The initiation party for new members was held at the Cobblestone Inn in December. The theme, well carried out, was "Parade of Sports." The thirteen new members who were initiated at this dinner were: Carroll Sawin, Roger Mahnke, Keith McNeil, Gordon Hoover, Elwood Theis, Verl Southwick, Ken Bauermeister, Jerry Nichols, Jack Mansfield, James Kerns, Wilbur Merrill, and Richard Bengfort.



Front Row (left to right)—Bill Richards, Irene McAlpine, Colleen Anders, Bob Johnston. **Second Row**—Dalowa Willbrandt, Clayton Liggett, Ken Beatty, Ken Bauermeister, Beverly McIntosh.

Beaver Log Staff

The **Beaver Log** staff this year was topped by Ken Beatty as editor-in-chief and Bob Johnston as assistant editor. Dr. Sandberg of the English department served as faculty advisor.

Kenneth Bauermeister was in charge of the athletic division as sports editor again this year. Bill Richards was photography editor and took most of the pictures in this year's **Beaver Log**.

Other members of the staff, who have collected the necessary material and contributed their writing ability, are Irene McAlpine, Bever-

ly McIntosh, Colleen Anders, Jean Moe, Clayton Liggett, Dalowa Willbrandt, Dick Westphal, Dale Garlock, Ronald Martin, Tom Rosenberger, and Mike Pappadackis.

The editor and the rest of the staff wished to present this year an annual full of interesting pictures and devoted to simplicity of construction and presentation. The staff hopes that you will enjoy reading this 1952 **Beaver Log** as much as they have enjoyed creating it for you.



Mike Pappadackis, Doyle Hansen, Dick Lohman, Carroll Sawin.

The Harmaníacs and the Ensemble

Front Row (left to right)—Patricia Hoft, Elizabeth Carter, Janet Anderson, Joan Whalen, Jueline Rueter, Marcia Rausch. **Second Row**—Carol Smith, Pat Mouritsen Mrs. Delores Moulds, Prof. David Plank, Darlene Meyers, Beverly Sager, Eloise Roegge. **Third Row**—Dick Allen, John Graham, Doyle Hansen, Dix Lohman, Roger Anderson, Frank Mather, Carroll Sawin, Mike Pappadackis.





Front Row (left to right)—Marjil Holtapp, John Graham, Lee McGinis, Darold Anderson, Janice Hadenfeld, Colleen Anders, Charles Bryant, Darlene Meyer, Florence Straight, Bill Hoffman. **Second Row**—Jean Swanson, Mrs. W. B. Green, Wanda Enyart, Don Hintz, Bob Hoarup, Shirley Miller, Bill Richards, Marcia Rausch, Joan Wagner, Larry McGrew, Frank Mather, Roger Anderson, Connie Tweddale, Kenneth Gillespy, Dick Westphal, Mr. Plank, Martha Dayton, Paul Price, Marcia Binder, Elizabeth Carter. **Standing Right**—Karl King, Director W. B. Green, Conrad Claussen.

Band

This year the Buena Vista college band began its second season under the capable direction of W. B. Green.

Although Mr. Green only had 35 members in the marching band, they won wide acclaim in their marching and field formations.

The band was always willing to perform at football games and parades. One of the highlights of the year for the marching band was a trip to Le Mars to perform at the Buena Vista-Westmar football game.

The concert band was small but, making up for quantity with quality, began its season with a winter concert given in February. Featured were "The Band of America March" by Lavalley, "Doxology" choral prelude by Leidzen, "Coronation March from the Prophet" by Meyerbeer, Third movement from the "Water Music" by

Handel, "From the South" overture by Issac and Lillya, "American Folk Rhapsody" by Grundman and "Si Trocadero" a mambo by Walters.

The spring concert was given in May to open the Spring Music Festival with the band playing the "Second Movement of the Symphony in B Minor" by Shubert, "From the Delta" suite by Wm. Grant Still, "In a Persian Market" by Ketelby, "Skaters' Waltz" by Waldteufel, and three marches composed and arranged by Mr. Green, "Flying With the Colors", "The Parade Marshal", and "Columbian Festival."

Several concerts were given in the spring at nearby high schools. The college pep band showed great enthusiasm while playing at basketball games and pep rallies throughout the year.



Fourth Row (left to right)—Patricia Gloss, Marcia Rausch, Frank Mather, Ben Boldt, Bryce Kissinger, Roger Anderson, Ed Hendrickson, Dix Lohman, Merlyn Stevenson, Bob Haarup, John Graham, Bill Hoffman, Marlys Anderson, Jean Swanson, **Third Row**—Alice Lovejoy, Darlene Myer, Bob Wilkinson, Carroll Sawin, Dick Allen, Mike Pappadackis, Tom Rosenberger, Doyle Hansen, Darold Anderson, Kent Adams, Charles Bryant, Kay Mills, Florence Straight, Nancy Saunders, Betty Nelson. **Second Row**—Arllys Havinga, Janice Hadenfeldt, Elizabeth Carter, Dorothy Anderson, Nancy Warnock, Joeline Rueter, Joan Wagner, Joan Whalen, Delores Moulds, Jean Nixon, Wanda Enyart, Vera Pearson, Betty Kolpin, Martha Dayton. **First Row**—Carol Smith, Colleen Anders, Shirley Miller, Patricia Mouritsen, Janet Anderson, Marjil Holtapp, David Plank, director; Patricia Hoft, Beverly Sager, Carol Holm, Eloise Roegge, Janice Pickering, Connie Tweddale. **Not Present**—Lois Molgaard, Mardelle Oatman, Phyllis Plog, Larry McGrew, Bill Michaels, Dick Westphal, Clayton Liggett and Janet Plantz.

A Cappella Choir

The Buena Vista College A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Professor David T. Plank, is composed of approximately 60 men and women chosen last fall from more than one hundred applicants. This organization had its beginning in 1929 and has grown to be one of the most popular organizations on the campus.

The choir has acquired an excellent reputation in surrounding cities and communities. The choir presents annually a Christmas concert of varied carols and compositions. The annual

spring concert tour was scheduled April 6 through 12 during which the choir presented programs in LeMars, Primghar, Paullina, all in Iowa, and concerts in Minnesota at Winnebago, Amboy, Belle Plaine; climaxing the tour was a concert on Good Friday afternoon in St. Paul.

It is the aim of our choir to present musical enjoyment and further knowledge of music so that the lives of the listeners as well as the participants will be enriched by the beauty of the music.



Program

PART I

Prayer	Richard Kountz
Adoramus te	G. P. Palestrina
Now God Be Praised in Heav'n	Melchoir Vulpius
O Sacred Head	Matthew Lundquist

PART II

Heavenly Light	Kopylow
Let Thy Holy Presence	P. Tschesnokoff
Blessings of Peace	Arkhangelsky
The Day of Judgment	Arkhangelsky

PART III

Babylon is Fallen	Arr. by Don Malin
He's Gone Away	Arr. by Joseph M. Clokey
Sometimes I Feel Like A Motherless Child	Arr. by Roy Ringwald
Dark Water	Will James

PART IV

Song of Praises	arr. by Griffith T Jones
Men and Angels Sing Hallelujah	John and T. D. Edwards
The Lily	David Plank
Alleluia	Randall Thompson
Benediction	Peter Lutkin



Front Row (left to right)—Dale Garlock, Jean Moe, Dick Westphal. **Second Row**—Robert Johnston, Ken Beatty, Jack Beckel. **Not Pictured**—Don Oberlander, Editor.

The Tack Staff

"The Paper with a Point" was published every two weeks this year under the capable direction of Don Oberlander, editor. In its fifty-sixth year as the campus newspaper, it has become more and more a true reflection of life at Buena Vista College.

This was Don's third year on the Tack staff, and he culminated his career on the paper with a campus paper which was superior in many ways to past years. The use of photographs was increased, the news was timely, and the features interesting. Don, who is a journalism minor, took over the editorship during the summer session and carried on through the school year.

Berto Johnston found a soft place in the hearts of the students with his column which alternated between gravity and gaiety, satire

and nonsense. Cartooning was also Berto's department.

In his third year as staff member, Jack Beckel again filled the position of business manager with efficiency, and Dale Garlock handled the sports section capably.

Without the aid of the STORM LAKE REGISTER AND PILOT TRIBUNE, printer of the paper, photographs and news articles would have been limited. Prof. Kermit Buntrock was advisor for the Tack this year, as he has been in the past, and the staff appreciated his help and assistance.

The Tack staff included Don Oberlander, editor; Jack Beckel, business manager; Berto Johnston, columnist; Dale Garlock, sports editor, Ken Beatty, Jean Moe, Bill Warner, and Dick Westphal, reporters.



Front Row (left to right)—Tom Rosenberger, Mike Pappadackis. **Back Row**—Jim Buenger, Dix Lohman, Doyle Hansen.

Phi Delta Chi

The Phi Delta Chi music fraternity was organized in the fall of 1947 with five members in the original group. Last year the organization had a membership of seventeen but lost all but six through graduation, transfer or marriage. The group did not initiate any new members because they felt that they were too involved in musical activities to do justice to the fraternity.

The group is actively engaged in the music department: band, choir, ensemble and quartet. Within this fraternity are three members of the Harmaniacs; the fourth member, Carroll Sawin, will be initiated with the fall group next year.

The outstanding purposes of the fraternity are to promote true fraternal spirit among its members, promote music in Buena Vista College, and everywhere to encourage loyalty to our Alma Mater.

The present main objective of the fraternity is to pledge Phi Mu Alpha, which is the national Music Fraternity. The fraternity's activities include a "smoker" every semester. At this time all of the music men on the campus are observed for potential membership.

Another social function of the fraternity is the semi-formal dinner-dance, which is usually held at the time the pledges become active members.



First Row Kneeling (left to right)—Bruce Saunders, Patrick Sullivan, Richard Mell, Franklin Mather, Joe James. **Second Row**—Mel Neppel, Don Reinert, Lawrence Moritz, Bob Bargman, Fred Burmeister, Floyd Klakehoff, Donald McCurnin. **Third Row**—Richard Lehigh, Jim Hawbecker, James Rukes, Don Barver, Wm. McGiboney, Chuck Wehmeyer, Jerry Hamilton, Ralph Neppel. **Fourth Row**—Leo McCurnin, Jon Francis, Bob Battern, Bill Hoffman, Ben Boldt, Francis Urban, Fred Hucka, Ralph Warner.



Circle K Club

One of the primary functions of business in our economic system is service. The members of the Business Club had this idea of service in mind when the club was reorganized at the beginning of the 1950 fall term.

The Circle K is a group of students who are majoring or minoring in business administration and are organized into a college service club under the auspices of the Kiwanis International. The local organization was the thirteenth group to be chartered by the Kiwanis.

During the past year, Circle K's membership has tripled from the original thirteen members and has gained the recognition of school and

community. The two main objectives of the organization are to improve college-community relationships and to act as a student service organization. The club's bi-monthly meetings are held in Beaver Hall, and local businessmen are guest speakers. The group has been active in assisting the Student Council and school administration in various functions.

Officers for the past year were: Bob Bargman, president; Don Reinert, vice-president; Melvin Neppel, secretary-treasurer. Larry Moritz, Don McCurnin, Fred Burmeister, and Floyd Kalkoff served on the board of directors.



Front Row (left to right)—Pat Hoft, Beverly McIntosh, Marilyn Movick, Barbara Dahm, Carol Smith. **Second Row**—Dalowa Willbrandt, Tom Chase, Marcia Binder, Chuck Davis, Beulah Bonsor.

Haephesto Club

The Haephesto Club is the newest organization on campus. The club was founded last year for the purpose of increasing student interest and appreciation for the Arts. Membership for the club is restricted to students who have worked in one of the creative arts.

The year began with Bob Johnston as president and Irene McAlpine as Secretary-Treasurer. At the beginning of the second semester new officers were elected: Bob Battern as presi-

dent; Pat Hof as Vice President; Beverly McIntosh as Secretary-Treasurer.

In December a Christmas party was held in the Art Studio. Movies were shown by Dr. George Reynolds and, after a gift exchange, refreshments were served. On May 4th the Club prepared an Art Exhibit to be shown in conjunction with the College Fine Arts Festival. The year closed with a picnic for all members at Chautauqua Park.

Part Three

Activities

The Buena Vista College Choral Department and Physical Education Department

Jessie Cameron, Director of Physical Education
David T. Plank, Director of Choral Groups
Victory Hall
May 8, 8:00 P. M.

Adoramus Te
O Sacred Head

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T. D. Edwards

David Plank

The Buena Vista College Concert Band

Monday Evening, May 5, 1952
Victory Hall, 8:00 P. M.
W. B. Green, Conductor
Soloist, Larry McGrew, Cornet

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The Homecoming Queen



MISS CATHERINE KARR

The student body elected Miss Catherine Karr, lovely sophomore from Fonda, as its Homecoming Queen. Miss Karr was sponsored by the Letterman's Club, winning out over a field of seven Beaver Coeds. Miss Karr was crowned at the close of the annual Activity Night program the day before the Homecoming

game.

On the day of the big game the Queen and her beautiful attendants reigned over the parade in the morning, the game in the afternoon and the victory dance in Victory Hall that evening. Her court was a colorful addition to the Homecoming festivities.

And Her Attendants



Lois Claussen



Lola Kelsey



Irene McAlpine



Twyla Pelley



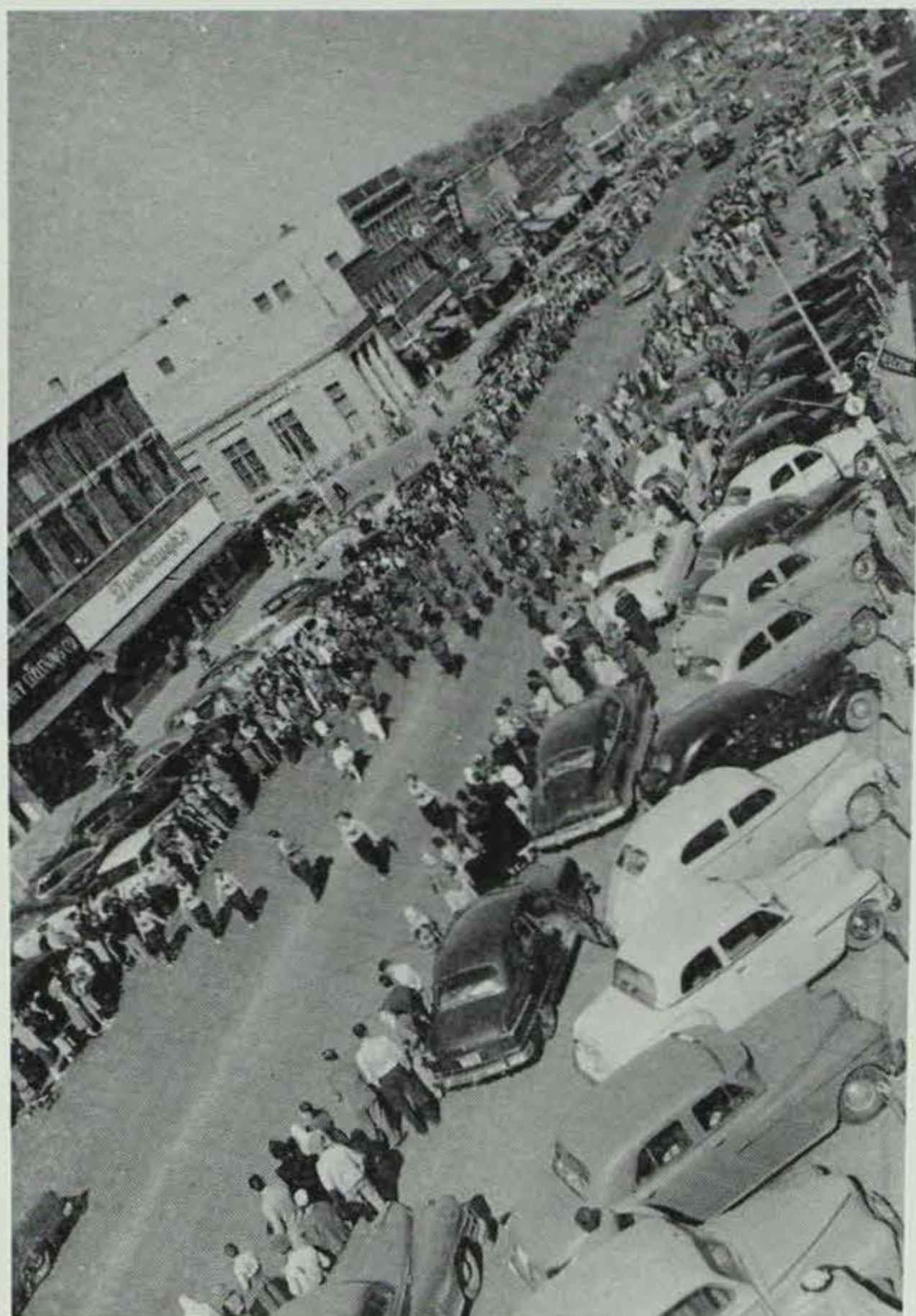
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THE CORONATION



THE QUEEN AND
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Homecoming

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FORENSIC LEAGUE FLOAT



CIRCLE "K" CLUB'S FLOAT

Creative Writing

The following literary contributions originated in the class in Creative Writing at Buena Vista College under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Supplee and were presented in the second of the broadcasts of the college Radio Workshop directed by Miss Ruth Lathrop during the first semester of 1951-52. From among the various types of writing from as many contributors, the following articles, written by Ronald Martin, senior of Cherokee, Kenenth Beatty, senior of Spirit Lake, and Robert Johnston, sophomore of Lake City, lent themselves to the space allowed in **The Beaver Log**. The contributors are members of Sigma Tau Delta at Buena Vista College.

THE GLORY OF THE NIGHTINGALE

A CHARACTER SKETCH IN BLANK VERSE

BY

RONALD MARTIN

She moved about the house with weighted steps,
A red-haired, big-framed woman, with two kids
Who always seemed to be beneath her feet
And into everything they shouldn't be.
Her hands were worn and rough, her body, slack
And loose in faded print that ill-concealed
A shapeless form that work, as well as
Bearing children brought. She cursed the two
In coarse and vulgar tones whenever they
had found some mischief new or stumbled 'neath
Her feet, there, as she moved about the house.
"Git out of there. Now do you hear me? Git!
I'll tan your hides and put you right to bed.
I said to stop it! Damn it! stop or I'll
Give you a lesson you won't forget."

At noon, her husband came to eat, and had
to listen to her loud complaining voice —
A voice once rich and sweet with love and care!
A voice that spoke of love, and home, and him,
But now was raised in bitter, strident tones
Against the world and all that made her live
A wasted life with such a man as he
And those "two brats that never seem to mind."

And so it went throughout the livelong day:
Each minute brought another cause to curse
The fate that thrust her into such a life.

At night she finished up her work, and then
Began preparing children for their beds,
The children who were just as tired as she
From quarreling with each other, and with her.
She tucked them in their beds and sat upon
A chair between them where she then began
to sing a lullaby.

Her voice came out
so low that you could hardly tell if she
Were making any sound at all — a tone
Scarce audible, yet speaking, somehow, to
The inward ear. It rose, and now her face
Was tilted back so that the lamplight shone
Upon her coarsened features and the hair
Like yellow straw. Her voice rose, clear and sweet
In a song that had no words — that needed none.
Still you could say that there were words indeed —
sad words that spoke of suffering and love
And hate and toil and care and all those myriad
Things that we must bear in living out
our years.

With rising accent she continued
Singing: loud, now low, now reaching for
A note that none had ever heard or ever
Would — a note heard only by herself
And God.

The children now had fallen fast
Asleep, and still she sang until she came
To where a tear escaped her tight closed eyes.
The singing died, but started once again
With that same tone with which she had begun.
It rose and fell with living, breathing warmth —
With pathos and with laughter — til she hit
Upon a note — and held it there — which set
The windows rattling in their frames and filled
The little room with all the depth and feeling
That she knew in these brief moments when
Her heart was free.

She stopped, and rising slowly
To her feet she crossed to where the children
Lay asleep. In turn she laid her hand
Upon their brows and brushed away the damp
And tangled curls. She kissed each cheek, and
turned
Toward the door.

Again her face grew hard
As out she went to cruel reality.

Contributions

LONG AND SERPENTINE THE LINE . . .

BY
KEN BEATTY

Long and serpentine the line of weary, silent men plodded on, rising and falling with the rolling fields. Hour by hour the column moved in a silence broken only now and then by a half-hearted curse. The stumbling feet raised great clouds of dust which hung in the still air, shutting off the breath, and coating each man with a gray mask till each man was the same as the next. Sweat soaked, gray coated fatigues; heavy packs; mud splotted helmets, with here and there a patch of scraped metal reflecting the late afternoon sun; a ring of black around the lips and eyes where moisture had turned the dust to mud.

We had started early that morning with muscles still aching from the days before, but refreshed and filled with that sense of gladness that comes with each new day. Each of us refusing to think of the day ahead of us, the coming heavy fatigue. Moving in the early dawn, our pace was quick, our equipment light on our backs. We talked and laughed about things we knew and things remembered; and yelled raucous insults in a language known, and fitting, only to soldiers.

As the hours rolled steadily past, the laughter slowed and finally died away, everyone now concentrating on keeping his breath for the miles ahead. The packs were heavy and their straps cut deeply into the shoulders, deadening the arms. All down the line now buddy helped buddy, the man behind reaching out to lift the weight of the pack off the shoulders of the man in front, letting the blood come surging back, filling the arms with a thousand needles.

But now, as I look at my friends around me, the sun has fallen low in the sky. No more do friends help each other. Each one is saving his strength for himself. Fatigue hangs over us like a blanket, shutting out the sun and dust, shutting tight the mind against all thought or consciousness of aching muscles and burning feet.

At last the sun is down. Our line moves to the side of the road. We search for soft places in the earth where digging will be easier. The packs are taken off and the equipment dropped. Another hour and the holes are dug; the cold cans of meat are eaten; and one by

one we crawl into our damp pits to fall exhausted to sleep, knowing that tomorrow will be the same, and the next day, and the next. Walking, digging, walking till there is no past and little future.

THE JOY THEY FEEL

BY
ROBERT JOHNSTON

Hydraulic pressure slackened and the expanded brake drums exhaled and relaxed into a normal position.

For a second, all time and motion ceased. Then the scimitar-like blades chewed into the air and the roaring thing stumbled, regained its footing, and began to roll down the runway.

His hand pushed throttle and mixture controls to the stops, and he became a part of the machine.

Faster and faster the plane ate up the cement strip until the air whistled by the canopy so fast it seemed to collide with itself and become visible.

Suddenly the uneven jouncing smoothed out and pure power lifted a dozen tons of steel, rubber and glass into the air.

Like a homesick star it headed straight for its firmament. Up and up until he throttled back to keep the powerplant from tearing itself from the airframe.

A new world lay up here. The air was sweeter and sharper and tasted clear when he inhaled it. Invisible air turned blue with the concentration of space.

The earth became a dirty chunk of matter where things called human beings fought a constant battle to prove one was better than another.

But here . . . here a man was free. Free to be with himself and look into his own soul. And to have it cleansed by breathing pure sunlight.

A phrase from the pilot's prayer now took on meaning. He understood clearly now what that forgotten flying man felt when he had written, ". . . and let me know the joy they feel, who ride the realms on birds of steel."



Summer School

Most people will agree that summer is the most agreeable time of the year. To some people it means vacation, but to the teachers and college students it usually means an opportunity to pick up needed extra credits and to keep up with the new developments in their various fields of endeavor.

Summer classes are very pleasant at Buena Vista. Classes begin at seven in the morning and are usually finished by noon, leaving the remainder of the day for swimming, boating, tennis, golf, or just plain loafing. Storm Lake offers unlimited facilities for a very enjoyable summer.

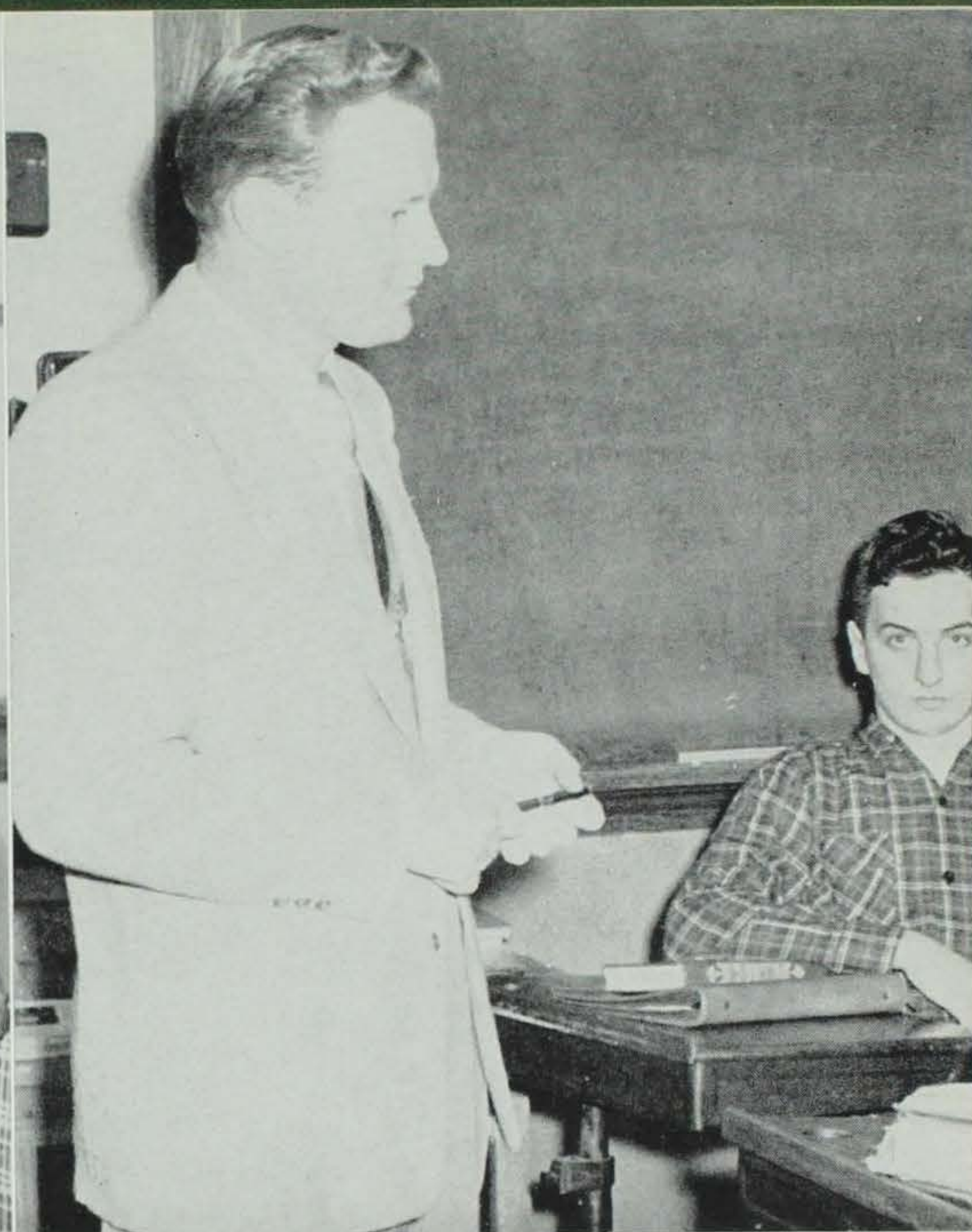
Many of the students combine business with pleasure by acting as life-guards and swimming instructors at the City Beach. Professors tend their gardens between and after classes, and the Vista Court "Anglers" spend their after-

noons tending a rod and reel. By the time August, with its hot days, rolls around, summer school is over and all are able to relax until the fall terms opens in September.

Although the fine opportunities for outside activities often interfere with the diligent pursuit of subject matter, most students do find the concentration of the summer session very helpful in their studies. The daily classes make it possible for the student to accomplish his work with far greater unity than is the case during a regular school year. A distinct advantage for the prospective teacher is the opportunity to have contact with a large number of practicing teachers who return to school for new subject material. The combination of concentration, recreation, and new friends makes summer school a popular part of the college year.



JOAN WHALEN



RONALD MARTIN

Student Teachers

Each semester of school the college department of education places its prospective teachers in a practical teaching situation. Practice teaching is the culmination of the many courses in the major field and in the educational theory.

This year's practice teaching requirements were increased from six to eight weeks. The first two weeks were spent in observing the supervisory teacher's technique, getting acquainted with the students and the facilities of the school. The next five weeks of the period are spent in actual classroom teaching, lecturing, discussing, testing and, of course, making of lesson plans. The final week was devoted to observing the other classes of the school, the study halls, and learning the problems of the school in general.

This year's practice teachers included forty-three in the secondary schools and thirty-seven in the elementary and primary fields. Student teachers were placed in the Storm Lake, Sulphur Springs, Hayes, and Aurelia High Schools. Elementary Teachers taught in the Hayes and Storm Lake systems. Secondary teachers were

under the able direction of Professor T. P. Kuehl. The elementary teachers were under the guidance of Miss Opal Roark.

The college furnishes a cost-free placement bureau for all graduating four year and two year teachers. This Bureau, under the direction of Mr. Kuehl, prepares the students' credentials assists them in writing letters of application and in making personal interviews with the many schools which send requests for teachers to the placement bureau.

As evidence of the good work done by the Placement Bureau, by the end of April this year more than half of the total graduating registrants had been placed in a teaching position for next year.

Plans for next year's practice teachers include an increase in the number of weeks activity. Tentative plans call for a five hour credit course consisting of two weeks of observation and six weeks of actual teaching, followed by two more weeks of observation throughout the school system.

Second Annual High School Forensic Conference

The second annual Invitational High School Forensic Conference held on February 1, and sponsored by the B.V. Forensic League, was a highly successful affair.

One hundred and eight high schools in north-west Iowa were invited to participate in the various events, which included discussion, debate, extemporaneous speaking, radio interviewing and poetry reading.

General arrangements were handled by Graydon Hanson, President of the league, while advanced speech students served as judges. Merit certificates were awarded to all those who received superior or excellent ratings.

A panel of high ranking discussants made a

special broadcast over station KAYL. Other superior speakers summarized the discussion for the final general assembly. Discussion and debate centered around the question of universal conscription as a means of defense in wartime.

A banquet attended by all visiting students and their coaches was held at noon in Swope Hall, with a program presented by members of the college forensic group.

This annual event has proved an excellent medium of extending the interest in forensics to high schools in the area, as well as for providing invaluable experience for college students in directing and evaluating the various phases of forensic activity.

OPENING ASSEMBLY

A DISCUSSION GROUP



ANOTHER DISCUSSION

PRESENTATION OF "SUPERIOR" CERTIFICATES



Cheerleaders



Front Left to Right—Colleen Anders, Joan Nixon, Janet Plantz, Catherine Karr, Ilah Houdeshell, Marion Hollister. **Center**—Mike Pappadackis. **Not Shown**— Bill Micheals.

The eight cheerleaders for this year were chosen by the Student Council to lead the Student body in cheering for both the football and basketball games. A large number of students were present at home games to help cheer the Beavers on to victory. A caravan consisting of the cheerleaders, band, and students journeyed to the Westmar Homecoming Foot-

ball game to help the Beavers bring home another victory. The cheerleaders received their letters at the last home basketball game. Mr. Kuehl was sponsor of the group, and Colleen Anders served as Captain. Janet Plantz was forced to drop from the squad during the basketball season due to illness.

Fine Arts Festival



Fine Arts Festival

The second annual Fine Arts Festival was held at Buena Vista College from May 4th through May 9th. The college instituted this Festival to increase student and community enjoyment of the Fine Arts last year. The week includes programs presented by the college Concert Band, the Choral Groups, the Interpretative Dance unit, the Art Studios, and the College Drama Department. A special feature of the week is the student recital on Friday, May

9. This recital includes student soloists from each of the college's music groups.

In the two years that Buena Vista has held the Fine Arts Festival, the students and the community have shown great interest in the program. It is a special opportunity to see a very fine presentation of the best the college has to offer in its various departments of the Arts.

Program

Sunday Afternoon, May 6, 1952

ART EXHIBIT
Art Room, 3:00 P.M.

FINE ARTS TEA
Swope Hall, 4:00 P.M.

Monday Evening, May 5, 1952

THE BUENA VISTA COLLEGE CONCERT BAND
Victory Hall, 8:00 P.M.
W. B. Green, Conductor

Tuesday, May 6, 1952

THE BUENA VISTA COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF DRAMA
presents
"THE BARRETTS OF WIMPOLE STREET"
High School Auditorium, 8:00 P.M.
Ruth Helen Lathrop, Director

Thursday Evening, May 8, 1952

THE BUENA VISTA COLLEGE CHORAL DEPARTMENT AND
PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
Victory Hall, 8:00 P.M.
David T. Plank, Director of Choral Groups
Jessie Cameron, Director of Physical Education

Friday Morning, May 9, 1952

STUDENT RECITAL
College Chapel, 11:00 A.M.



ENTRE NOUS "RUSHING" TEA
CHRISTMAS PARTY

ALL COLLEGE CHRISTMAS FORMAL
SORORITY PLEDGE DINNER

Social Events



MAIN LOUNGE
AROUND THE PIANO
THE DINING ROOM

THE MAIN DESK
A SOCIAL EVENING
THE KRUEGERS AT WORK

Swope Hall



THE COLLEGE AND STORM LAKE

Campus Scenes

BEAVER HALL
DR. OLSON AND H. S. DEBATORS
VACATION

COACH OTTO AT PHEASANT DINNER
SORORITY PLEDGES
CONVERSATION





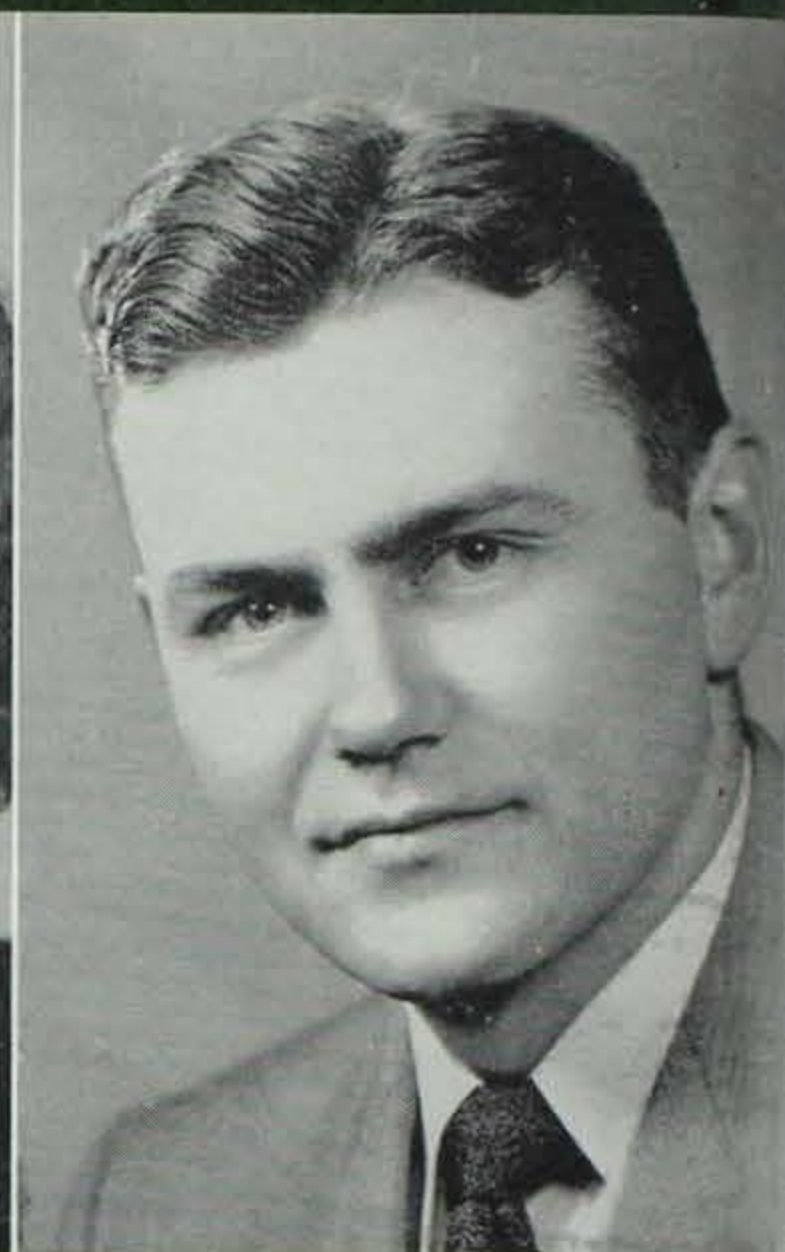
ROBT. BARGMAN



JOAN UNGER



SHIRLEY MILLER



SHERWIN SANKEY

Who's Who

Seven outstanding Buena Vista seniors were selected for the 1951-52 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." The annual publication lists the students from all American colleges and universities who have proven themselves worthy of recognition on their respective campuses.

Bases for nomination are scholarship, leadership, participation and cooperation in activities, general citizenship, and promise of future success. The candidate must be a junior, senior, or graduate student. Official recommendation by the college he is attending, and acceptance by the organizations are necessary for eligibility.

Students selected this year are Kenneth Beatty, Spirit Lake, English major who is edi-

tor of this **Beaver Log**, reporter for the Tack, active in Forensics, president of student council, active in art, English; Mike Pappadackis, Storm Lake, Bible major who is prominent in music groups and member of the student council; Sherwin Sankey, Ute, physical education major who is prominent in basketball and Letterman's Club; Shirley Miller, Storm Lake, music major who belongs to choir and ensemble, FTA, is prominent in dramatic and sorority work; Mrs. Jean Barrett, Gillet Grove, English major who is active in dramatic work, student council, sorority, and FTA; Robert Bargman, Redman, business administration major who is president of the Circle K; active in dramatics and FTA; Jo Ann Unger, Storm Lake, education and psychology major, president of Phi Alpha Pi. Sigma Tau Delta and FTA are other interests.

KEN BEATTY



JEAN BARRETT



MIKE PAPPADACKIS

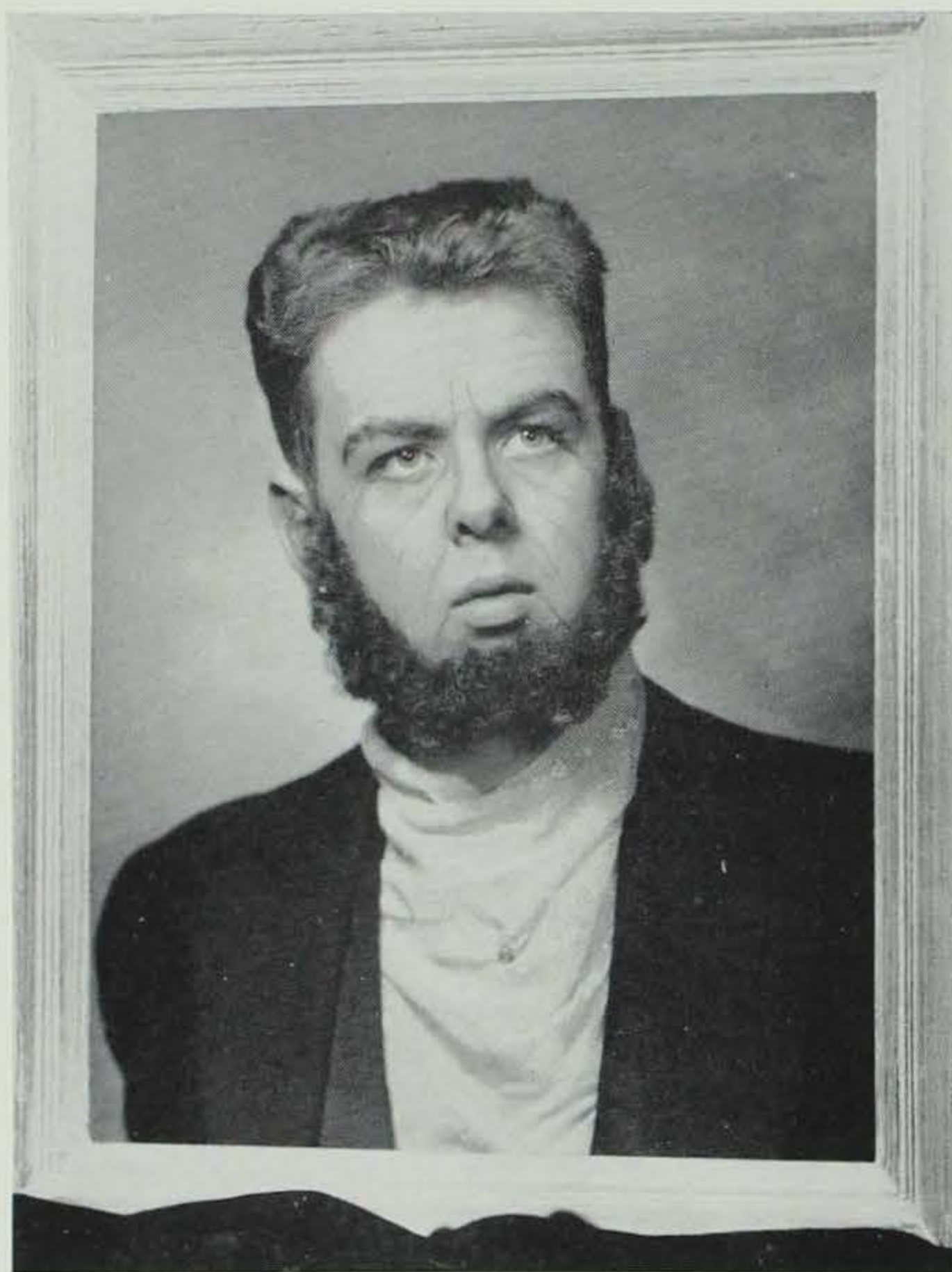


Peg O' My Heart

On Thursday and Friday, December 6 and 7, 1951, an old Broadway favorite, **Peg O' My Heart**, was presented very enjoyably on the stage of Old Main. The title role of "Peg" was handled capably by Joanne Tyer. Robert Johnston was "Jerry," in love with Peg. The aristocratic Chichester family were "Mrs. Chichester," Marlys Anderson; "Ethel Chichester," Jean Moe; and "Alaric," Charley Bryant. Ronald Martin played the role of "Christ Brent," in love with Ethel; and Clayton Liggett was the solicitor, "Mr. Hawkes." Others in the cast included Kay Mills as "Jarvis," the butler, and Connie Tweddale as "Bennett," the maid. This unusual cast also included two dogs, "Michael," enacted by Jughead (owner, Ken Beatty), and "Pet," played by Midget (owner, Harold Krueger).

Matinee performances were presented on each of these days; the evening performances included between-acts refreshments. Director of **Peg O' My Heart** was Professor Ruth Helen Lathrop; Assistant Director was Alice Lovejoy, a speech and drama major at Buena Vista.





EDWARD MOULTON-BARRETT
As Played By
CLAYTON LIGGETT



ELIZABETH BARRETT
As Played By
IRENE McALPINE

The Barretts of Wimpole Street

CAST

Doctor Chambers	William Fahan
Elizabeth Barrett Moulton-Barrett	Irene McAlpine
Wilson	Marlys Anderson
Henrietta Moulton-Barrett	Jean Barrett
Arabel Moulton-Barrett	Donna Fraser
Octavius Moulton-Barrett	Kent Adams
Septimus Moulton-Barrett	Robert Bargman
Alfred Moulton-Barrett	Robert Griffiths
Charles Moulton-Barrett	Graydon Hanson
Henry Moulton-Barrett	Merle Eberle
George Moulton-Barrett	Richard Westphal
Edward Moulton-Barrett	Clayton Liggett
Bella Hedley	Dalowa Willbrandt
Henry Bevan	Jay Shelp
Robert Browning	Robert Johnston
Doctor Ford-Waterlow	Dellmer Sly
Captain Surtees Cook	Melvin Neppel
Flush	Splinter
(Owners: Mr. and Mrs. Bob "Coach" Otto)	



ROBERT BROWNING
As Played By
ROBERT JOHNSTON

The Barretts of Wimpole Street

An outstanding performance of **The Barretts of Wimpole Street** by Rudolf Besier was presented on Tuesday, May 6, 1952, by the Department of Drama, as part of the Annual Fine Arts Festival. The very capable cast of seventeen actors included Irene McAlpine and Robert Johnston in the leading roles of "Elizabeth Barrett" and "Robert Browning." Clayton Liggett played the despotic father, "Edward Moulton-Barrett." Elizabeth Browning's two sisters, "Henrietta" and "Arabel," were enacted by Jean Barrett and Donna Fraser. The six Barrett brothers, "Octavius," "Septimus," "Alfred," "Charles," "Henry," and "George," were most enjoyably played by Kent Adams, Robert Bargman, Robert Griffiths, Graydon Hanson, Merle Eberle, and Richard Westphal, respectively. The Barretts' family physician, "Doctor Chambers," was the role played by William Fahan; and Dellmer Sly was the famous specialist, "Doctor Ford-Waterlow." Henrietta's lover, "Captain Surtees-Cook," was Melvin Neppel; "Bella Hedley," the Barretts' cousin, and her fiancée, "Henry Beaven," were the roles of Dalowa Willbrandt and Jay Shelp. "Wilson," housekeeper for the Barretts, was the sympathetic role of Marlys Anderson. Last, but not least, "Flush," Elizabeth's pet cocker spaniel,

was played by Splinter, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Otto.

Business management of the play was in charge of the Circle K Club, and its members did an excellent piece of work with this, their major project for the year. Because of pre-performance enthusiasm, the facilities of the Storm Lake High School stage and auditorium were used for this production. The Buena Vista College Band, under the direction of Professor Will Green, presented intermission music.

The Barretts of Wimpole Street, first produced in the United States in 1931, was made famous by the many superb performances of Katharine Cornell. In presenting this play, Buena Vista College again cooperated with the aims and purposes of UNESCO, the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization.

Director of **The Barretts of Wimpole Street** was Professor Ruth Helen Lathrop. She was assisted with many details by Janice Hadenfeldt and Alice Lovejoy, play production students. As usual, the successful production of this play included, of course, the whole-hearted cooperation of innumerable individuals, organizations, and business houses.

One Act and Easter Plays

The four minor productions of the dramatic department were successfully produced by students this year.

In January an evening of three one-act plays was presented in the chapel. Members of the play production class proved their abilities in direction, production, and stage managing.

Alice Lovejoy chose **The Monkey's Paw**, which rose to a tense and finely acted climax. Included in the cast were Ronald Martin, Dalowa Willbrandt, Rod Hunter, Jay Shelp, and Dick Mills.

Who Gets the Car Tonight, a humorous comedy about the family car, was directed by Marlys Anderson. Her cast consisted of Gray-

don Hanson, Ida Edwards, Duane Fonley, Donna Fraser, and Day Mills.

Ken Beatty ably directed the comedy, **A Pair of Lunatics**. Irene McAlpine and Berto Johnston were the sane lunatics.

The Easter play, **The Portal**, was sponsored by Alpha Psi Omega and directed by Clayton Liggett. It was presented in the Lakeside Presbyterian church on Palm Sunday as an Easter contribution to the community. Members of the cast were Jean Moe, Bob Johnston, Rod Satory, Jean Barrett, Mrs. Robert MacDowell, Jay Shelp, Margaret Nicolaisen, and Graydon Hanson. Mrs. Joy Pitstick provided the background music.

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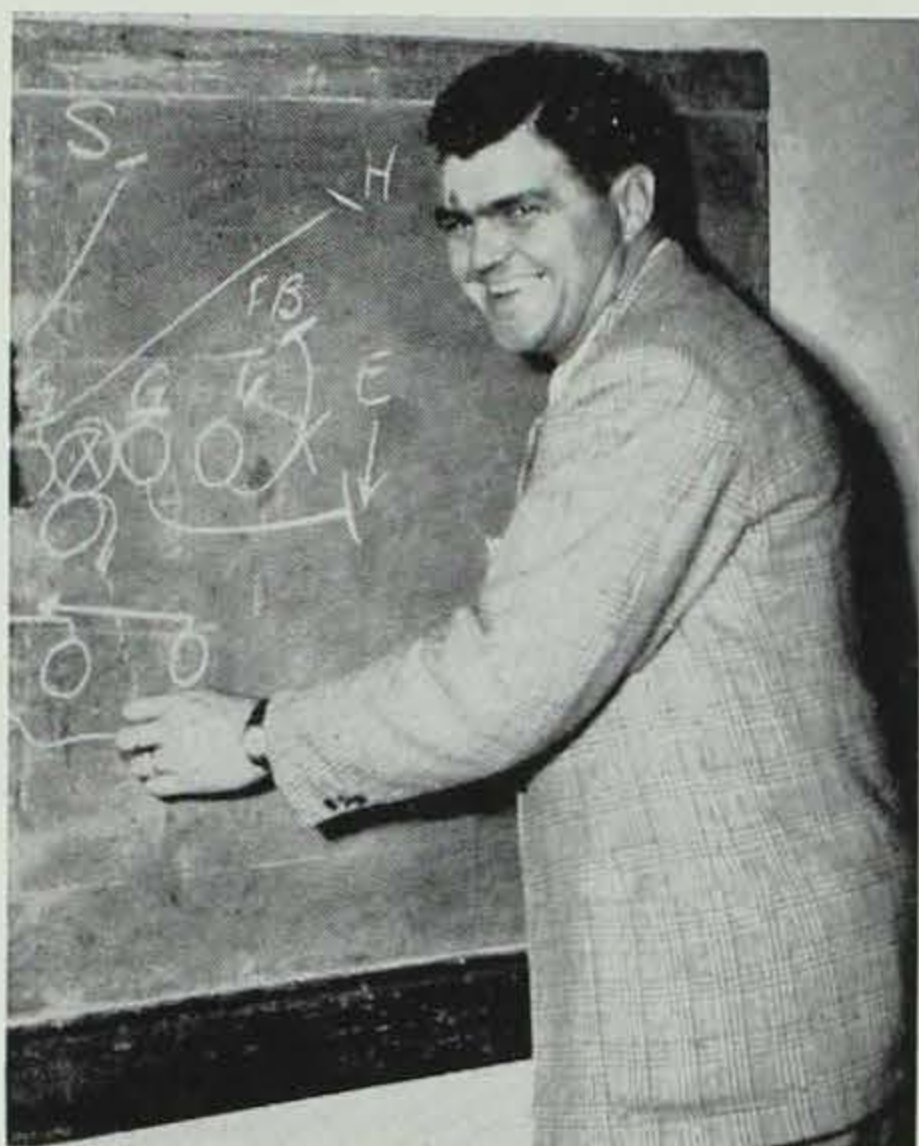
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Athletics

Physical Education



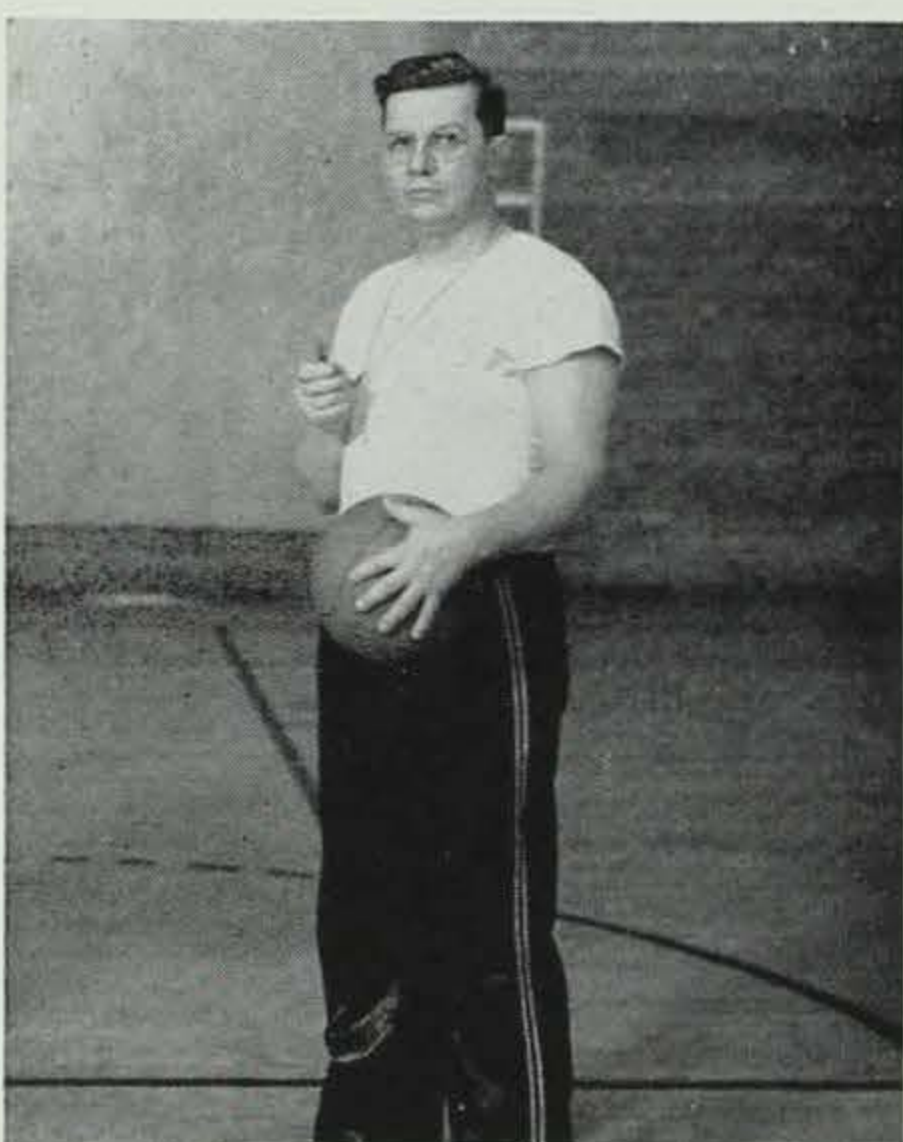
Physical Education Department



J. ROBERT OTTO

James Robert Otto is officially the Director of the Athletic Department. As the head man of the department, he is instrumental in the development and supervision of the athletic activities of the college. In addition to his duties as coach of football and track, "The Big Boy" teaches the various classes in Physical education theory.

Coach Otto believes firmly that ruggedness applies to tests as well as the game of football. His sense of humor, friendliness, and general all-around ability make him a respected member of the B.V. faculty.



JOHN KRAUSE

John H. Krause is the head basketball and baseball coach of the college. Coach Krause came to B.V. last fall, to replace Ken Blackman, from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri, where he held the position of basketball and baseball coach.

Coach Krause has in a few short months made himself greatly respected by sports fans in this community. His basketball team amassed the second best won-lost record in the state for this year. The team also ran up the best defensive record in the state by holding their opponents to a 49.6 point average per game. This is a record the college can well be proud of.

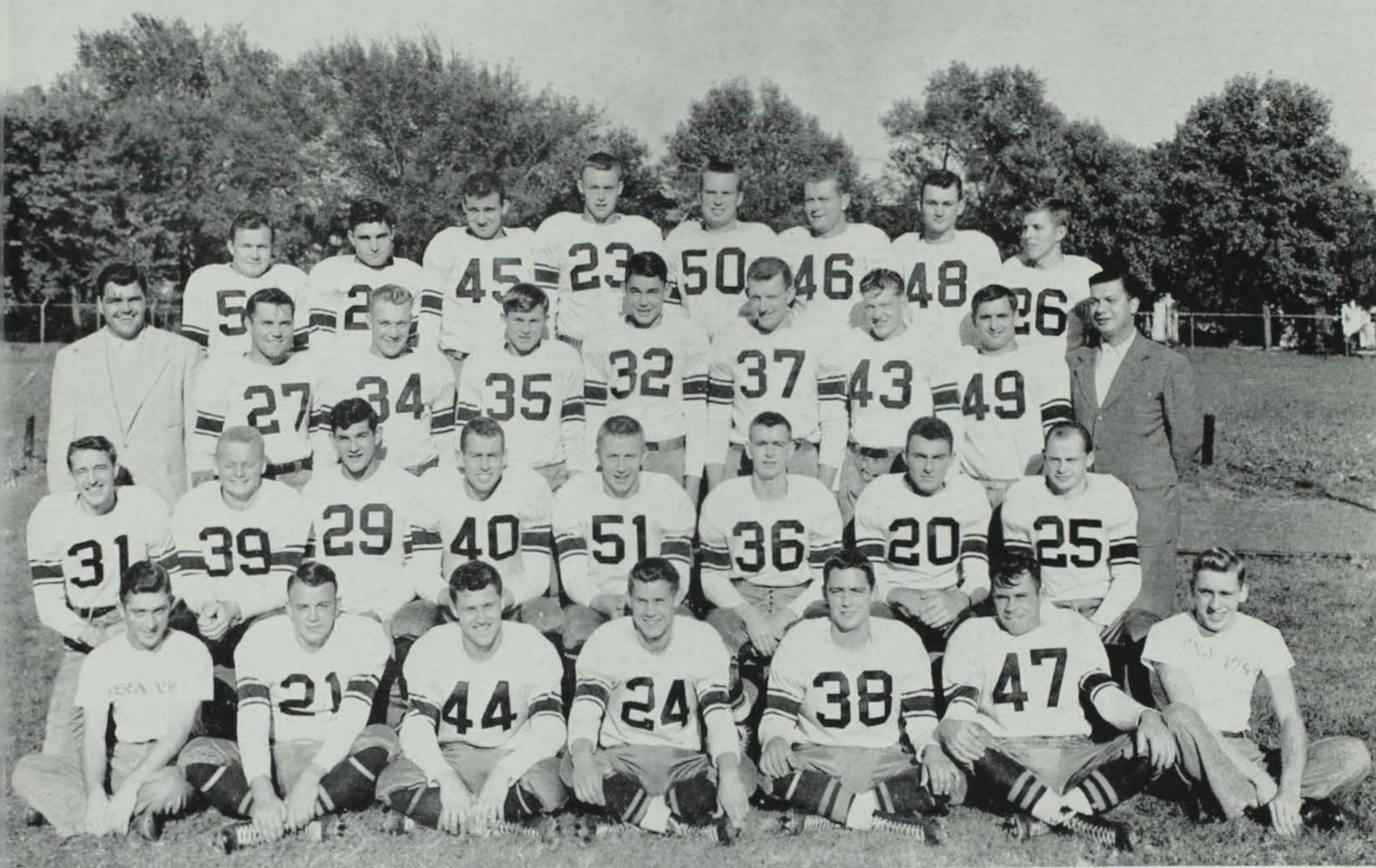


JESSICA CAMERON

Miss Jessica Cameron, Head of Women's Physical Education Department, is a graduate of Columbia University with B.A. and M.A. degrees. Miss Cameron has also studied abroad.

Miss Cameron has worked diligently to further the sports abilities and interests of the women in college. Part of her program has been: archery, bowling, tennis, basketball, volley ball, and soft ball. Such a varied program allows the student to choose the sports which are most valuable to her in regard to need, ability, and desire.

In addition to her varied athletic program, Miss Cameron has a special interest in the teaching of modern dance technique. In this class the women learn the fundamentals of the dance plus the added values of grace and beauty of movement.



Front Row (left to right)—Ken Bauermeister, Jon Francis, Dick Glidden, Bill Tryon, Dick Stilson, Morris Schroeder, Verle Southwick. Second Row—Bob Lee, Charles Roseberg, Charles Branstetter, Don Kamprath, Jim Lindlief, John Schliesman, Dale Young, Bob Willadsen. Third Row—Coach Bob Otto, Gordon Hoover, Bob Buman, Dick Bengfort, Jerry Nichols, Myron Anderson, Arland Sivadge, Stephen Nemeth, Coach John Krause. Fourth Row—Bruce Saunders, Dean Harrison, Mel Neppel, Bob Nielsen, Ralph Ferns, Elwood Thies, Duke Powell, Jay Hooegeven.

1951 Football Squad

THE VARSITY RECORD

Won Five, Lost Four

Buena Vista	7	.	.	.	Peru State Teachers	13
Buena Vista	12	.	.	.	Iowa State J V.	13
*Buena Vista	46	.	.	.	Upper Iowa University	6
*Buena Vista	6	.	.	.	Luther College	14
*Buena Vista	26	.	.	.	Wartburg	7 (homecoming)
*Buena Vista	27	.	.	.	Westmar	7
*Buena Vista	6	.	.	.	Loras	35
Buena Vista	32	.	.	.	Dubuque	6
Buena Vista	31	.	.	.	Central	0

*Denotes conference games

The 1951 Football Story

Faced with a major rebuilding task, due mainly to losses to the armed forces, in addition to the annual graduation toll, Coach Bob Otto and his 1951 gridgers had a remarkable season. Their mediocre won-lost record of 5 victories and four defeats, is an injustice to the Beavers' performance and brand of ball played throughout the season.

With such stars as all-conference performers Virgil Pithan and Waldo Johnson in the service, the Beavers gave away pounds, numbers, and experience but more than made up for their handicaps with determination and teamwork. This fact is evidenced by the season's average statistics which show that the Beavers had an edge in every department, including scoring (22 to 11) and rushing yardage (213 to 125).

The Beavers, who remained in the conference championship race until the final games when they were dropped to third place by the champion Loras, had four players singled out for individual honors. End Don Kamprath, Alta, Quarterback Bill Tryon, Glidden, and Halfback Bob Willadsen, Storm Lake, were named to the all-conference first team while senior Guard Bob Buman gained a second team position.

The Beavers opened their season at Nebraska City, Nebraska, with a 13 to 7 loss to Peru State Teachers in a bitterly fought contest. Trailing 13 to 0 in the final quarter, Jon Francis smashed over from the 4-yard line for the Beavers' only tally. The slugfest saw the officials step off 115 yards in penalties against Buena Vista while the Peru eleven was assessed 60 yards in the contest. The team also suffered the loss of fullback Charlie Branstetter with a shoulder separation which sidelined him until the Luther contest.

The second week of the campaign pitted the Beavers against the talented Iowa State Junior Varsity at Bradford field. The Ames eleven came out on top, 13 to 12, despite a top-heavy statistical edge held by the Beavers. The Buena Vista markers came on a 42-yard romp by Chuck Rosburg and a 9-yard pass from Bill Tryon to Don Kamprath.

Coach Otto's charges opened the conference season by drubbing Upper Iowa University, 46 to 6, at Bradford Field. The team displayed a well balanced running and passing attack against the Peacocks with Rosburg tallying 3 of the Beavers' 7 touchdowns. The Beaver defense limited Upper Iowa to but 35 yards (27 rushing and 8 passing) in the final

period.

Next the Beavers travelled to Decorah where they met Luther in one of the most thrilling contests of the season. The Norse emerged a 14 to 6 victory in spite of one of the best performances of the season by the Buena Vista eleven. Both teams consistently exploded for long gains, and once again the Beavers won the "battle of statistics" despite the loss, rolling up 348 yards by rushing.

The squad celebrated homecoming by defeating the big Wartburg Knights 26 to 7. Feature of the contest was the outstanding play of the Beaver defensive line of Young, Ferns, Lindlief, Kerns, Branstetter, and Kamprath, which limited the Knights to a —28 yards rushing. Branstetter and Bob Willadsen sparked the Beavers offense, each scoring two touchdowns.

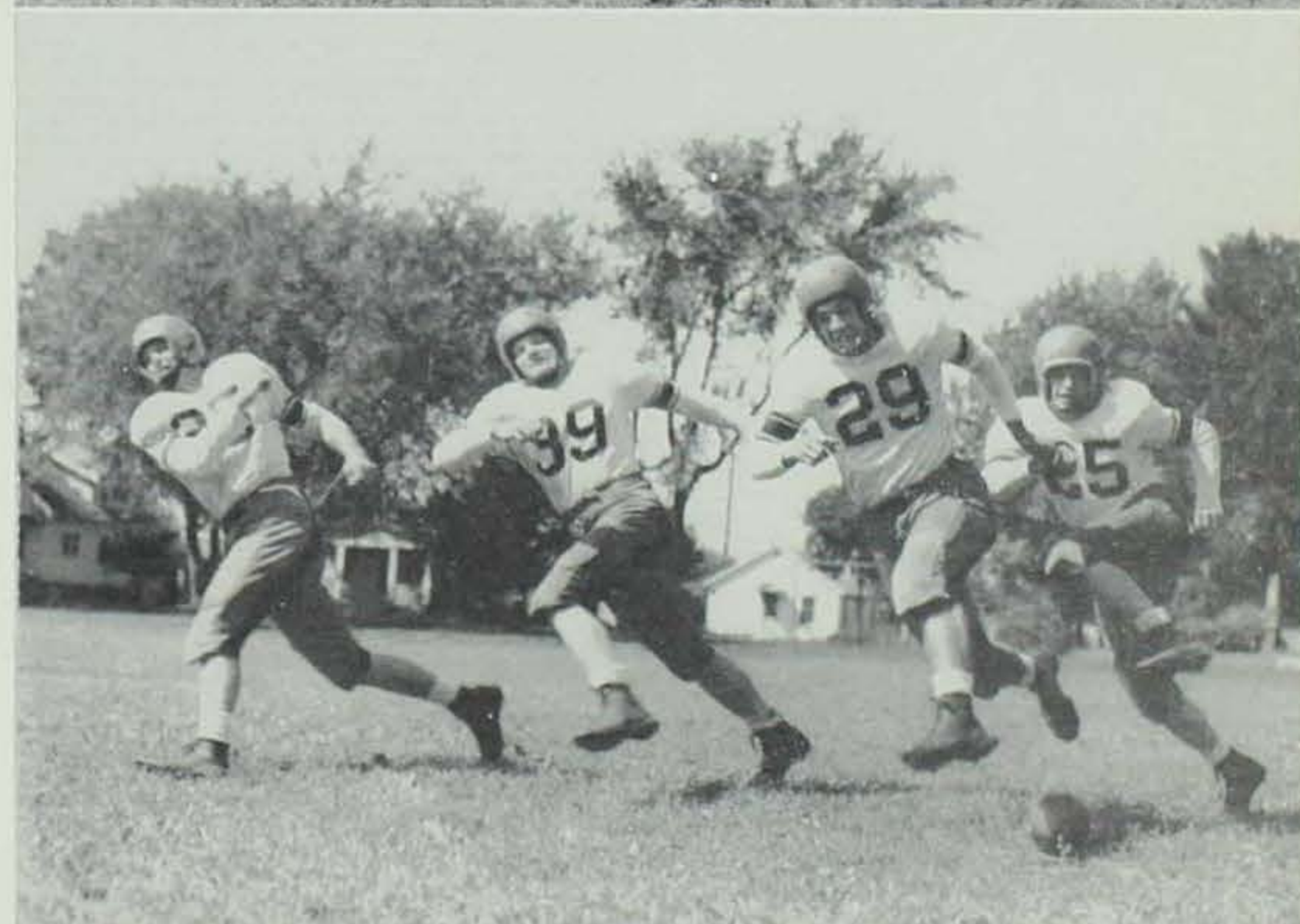
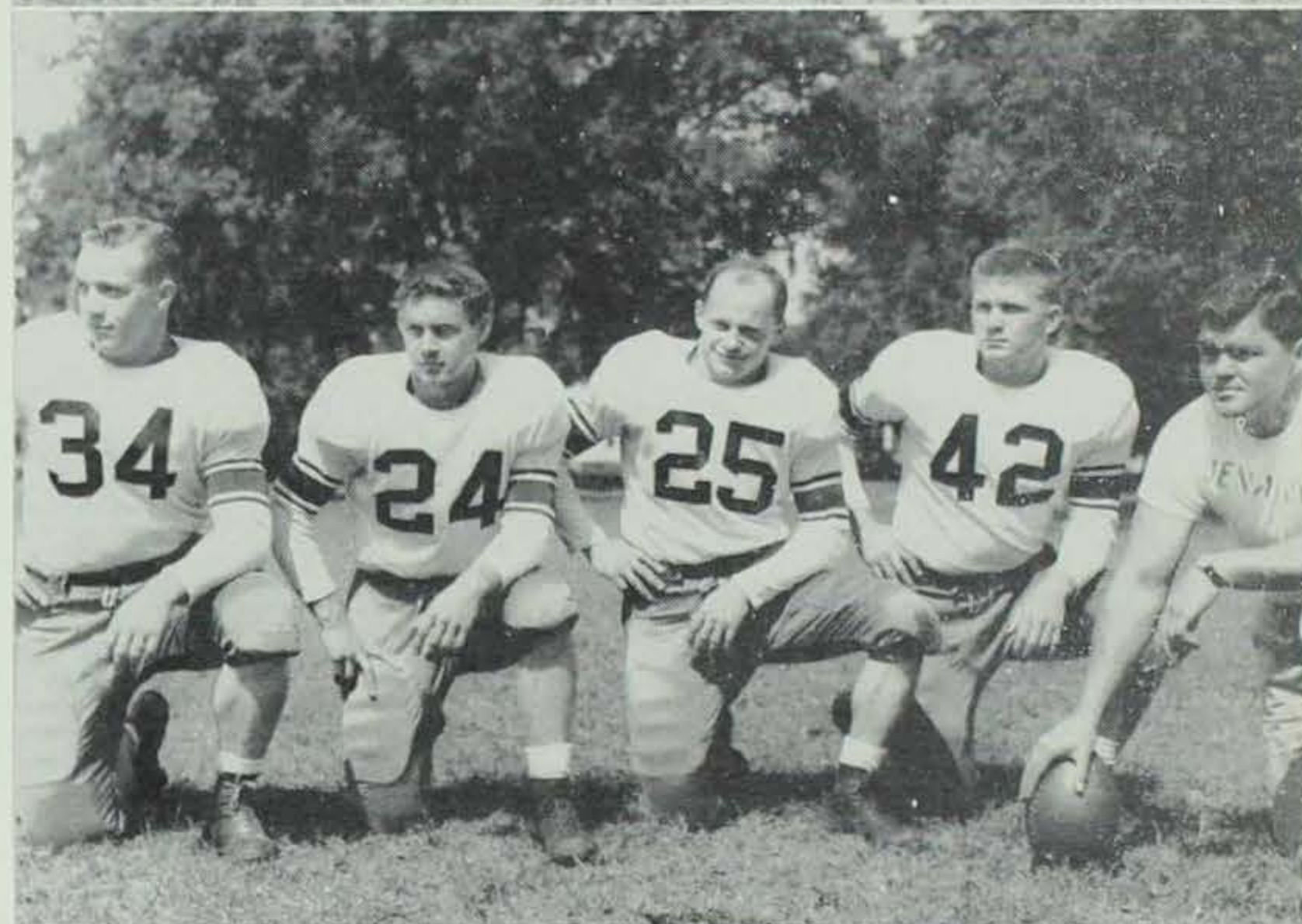
A large number of students followed the Beavers to LeMars the following week to watch the Beavers spoil Westmar's homecoming with a 27 to 7 victory. Kamprath, Willadsen, Mansfield, and Rosburg scored the four Beaver touchdowns while Mansfield highlighted the contest with a 40-yard touchdown run of a recovered fumble.

Loras proved too much for the Beavers in the final conference game and ground out a 35 to 6 victory behind the hard running of halfback Jim Knochel. While a victory would have given Buena Vista a tie for the championship, the loss dropped them to third place behind the Irish and Luther. Bob Willadsen scored his 36th point of the conference season to give him a tie for individual scoring honors in the conference with Loras' Dick Smith.

The Beavers finished out the season with two victories over southern division Iowa Conference teams. Following the loss to Loras, they traveled to Dubuque to take a 32 to 6 snow-swept victory from the Spartans. Playing on a field covered with two inches of snow, four of the five Beaver markers came on runs varying from 20 to 40 yards by Willadsen Branstetter, Francis, and Rosburg. The defense played well in bottling up highly touted Bob Purcill of the Spartans.

The season's finale saw Buena Vista crush Central 31 to 0. Senior end Dale Young, playing his final game as a Beaver, scored his first college touchdown on a 50-yard pass from Bill Tryon in the final quarter. Guard Bob Buman also scored when switched to fullback from his guard position. Buena Vista held a rushing advantage of 191 yards to 22.

The Beavers At Practice





BOB LEE
CHARLES BRANSTETTER
ROGER TRENARY

BOB WILLADSEN
BOB BUMANN
JERRY NICHOLS

MORRIS SCHROEDER
DON KAMPRATH
JIM LINDLIEF

DALE YOUNG
KEN HULSEBUS
MEL NEPPEL

STEPHEN NEMETH
DICK GLIDDEN
BILLIE TRYON

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BILL TRYON
DICK BENGFORT
JAY HOOGEVEEN

JIM KERNS
DICK STILSON
DEAN HARRISON

CHUCK ROSBERG
MYRON ANDERSON
BOB NIELSEN

ARLAND SIVADGE
GORDON HOOVER
JOHN SCHLEISMAN

ELWOOD THEIS
BILL FERNS
VERL SOUTHWICK

the Grídíron



Front Row left to right)—Charles Branstetter, Don Carlson, Don Kamprath, Marlyn Johnson, Sherwin Sankey, Bob Lee. Second Row—Coach Bill Otto, Bill Sailor, Keith McNiel, Bob Nielsen, Ed Hendricksen, Coach John Krause. Third Row—Barry Waters, Pinky Johnson, Roger Manke, Dick Glidden, Jay Hooegeveen.

1951-52 Varsity

Season's Record

Buena Vista	49	—	Harlem Road Kings	51 (overtime)
Buena Vista	55	—	Creighton	61
Buena Vista	65	—	Dana College	35
Buena Vista	49	—	Central	39
Buena Vista	62	—	Parsons	59
Buena Vista	44	—	Central	42
Buena Vista	51	—	Midland	44
Buena Vista	44	—	Nebraska Wesleyan	51
Buena Vista	61	—	Doane	43
Morningside Tournament —				
Buena Vista	45	—	Mankato	48
Buena Vista	52	—	Omaha	44
Buena Vista	67	—	Yankton	47
*Buena Vista	37	—	Westmar	34
*Buena Vista	58	—	Wartburg	48
*Buena Vista	53	—	Loras	55 (two overtimes)
*Buena Vista	47	—	Luther	52
Buena Vista	55	—	Dana	43
*Buena Vista	47	—	Luther	44
*Buena Vista	65	—	Loras	48
*Buena Vista	48	—	Westmar	40
*Buena Vista	50	—	Wartburg	57
*Buena Vista	67	—	Upper Iowa	59
*Buena Vista	62	—	Upper Iowa	59
*Buena Vista	57	—	Luther	54

*Conference games

Individual Statistics

(All Games)

	fg	fta	ftm	pf	tp
Sankey	79	88	52	79	210
Branstetter	37	87	57	57	131
Carlson	61	77	41	72	175
Kamprath	98	105	63	67	257
Lee	69	51	24	82	162
M. Johnson	56	59	36	35	148
McNiel	26	10	10	18	62
Sailor	3	3	1	6	7
Mahnke	2	2	2	8	6
Hendrickson	3	8	5	4	11
Hooegeveen	6	12	6	15	18
A. Johnson	0	2	2	1	2
Glidden	1	0	0	0	2
Waters	3	4	3	5	9
Nielson	5	7	5	14	15
Zwemke	10	20	8	17	28
B.V. Totals	458	534	317	482	1233
Opp. Totals	403	505	295	505	1137
B.V. Average	20	23	13	21	53.6
Opp. Average	18	22	13	22	49.6

The 1951-52 Record

The 1951-52 Buena Vista basketball team had one of the most successful seasons in the school's history. With Coach John Krause in his first year at Buena Vista the Beavers compiled an impressive record of 17 victories and 7 defeats in a rugged 24-game schedule. The record includes 7 victories and 3 defeats in conference games — a mark good for second place in the Iowa Conference North Division.

Coach Krause assembled a sound club which had the best defensive record in the state, holding their opponents to an average of 49.6 points per game. Their offensive average was 53.6 points per game.

Don Kamprath, 6'3" junior center, paced the individual scorers with 257 points followed by senior guard-captain, Sherwin Sankey with 210 points. Don Carlson, Marathon senior forward, scored 175 points, and was second to Kamprath in conference scoring. Bob Lee, tricky Boone senior, and Charlie Branstetter, Milford junior and outstanding rebounder, rounded out Coach Krause's starting line-up. Marlyn Johnson and Keith McNeil provided the Beavers' main reserve strength and will be banked on heavily for the 1952-53 season.

Sherwin Sankey was named to the all-conference five and was rated the best defensive player in the conference while Carlson and Kamprath also received mention for their offensive and defensive play.

The Beavers opened slowly, dropping their first two games to the Harlem Road Kings, 51 to 49 in an overtime, and to powerful Creighton University by a 61 to 55 decision. The Buena Vista quintet got its first taste of victory against Dana, drubbing the Vikings 65 to 35 after holding the visitors to only four points in the first half.

Next the Beavers took a trip through southern Iowa, capturing tilts from Central 49 to 39, and Parsons, south division conference champion, 62 to 59. The Beavers made it two-in-a-row

over Central by capturing the return game at Victory Hall 44 to 42.

The Beavers won their fifth straight game at Fremont, Nebraska, by downing Midland, 51 to 44, but had their string broken the following night by a tall Nebraska Wesleyan quintet, 44 to 51. After defeating Doane, 61 to 43, the Beavers traveled to Sioux City for the Morningside tournament where they captured fifth place. Ousted from the championship contention in the first game by champion Mankato Teachers, 45 to 48, the Beavers rebounded to trim Omaha University, 52 to 44, and Yankton, 67 to 47.

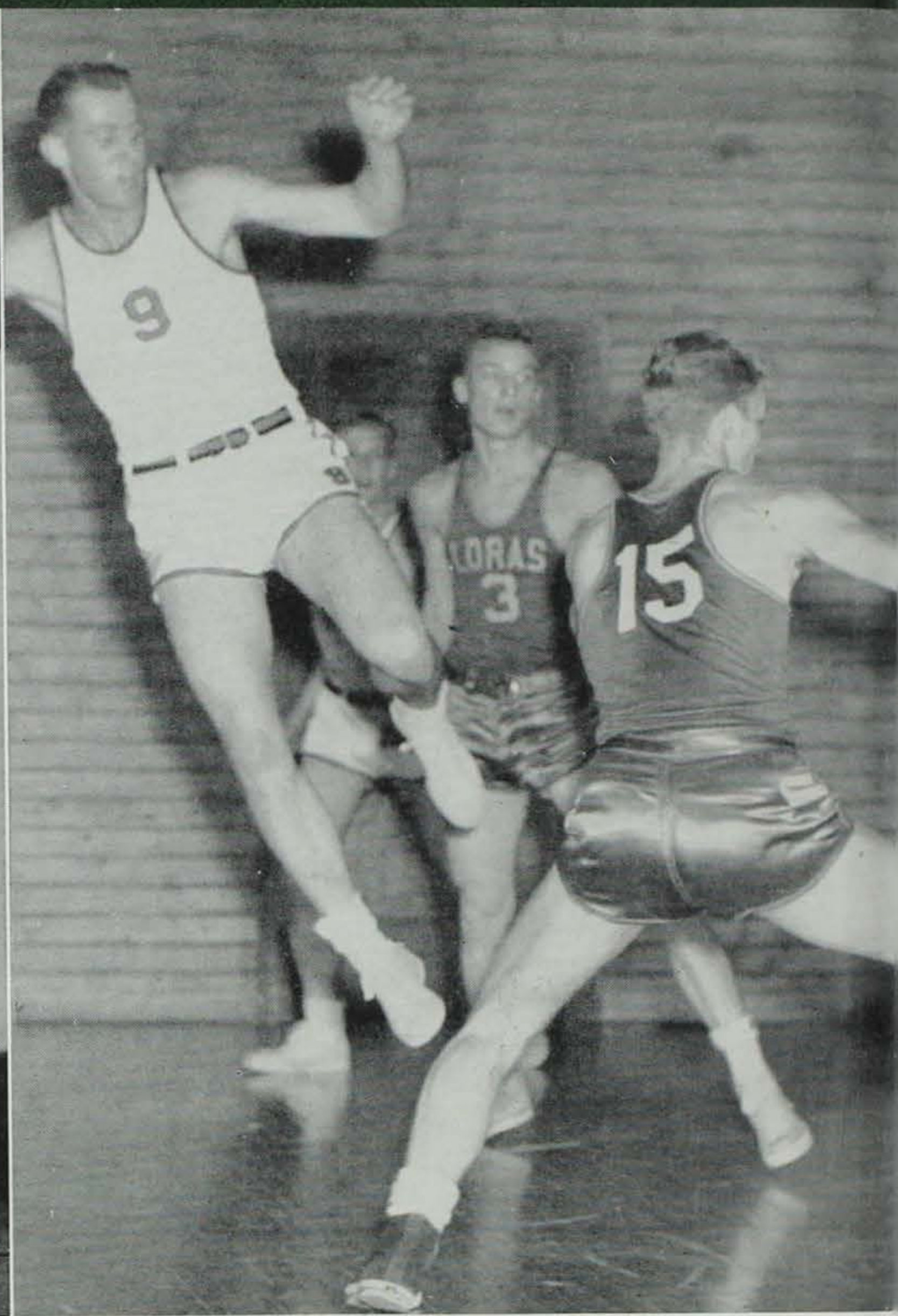
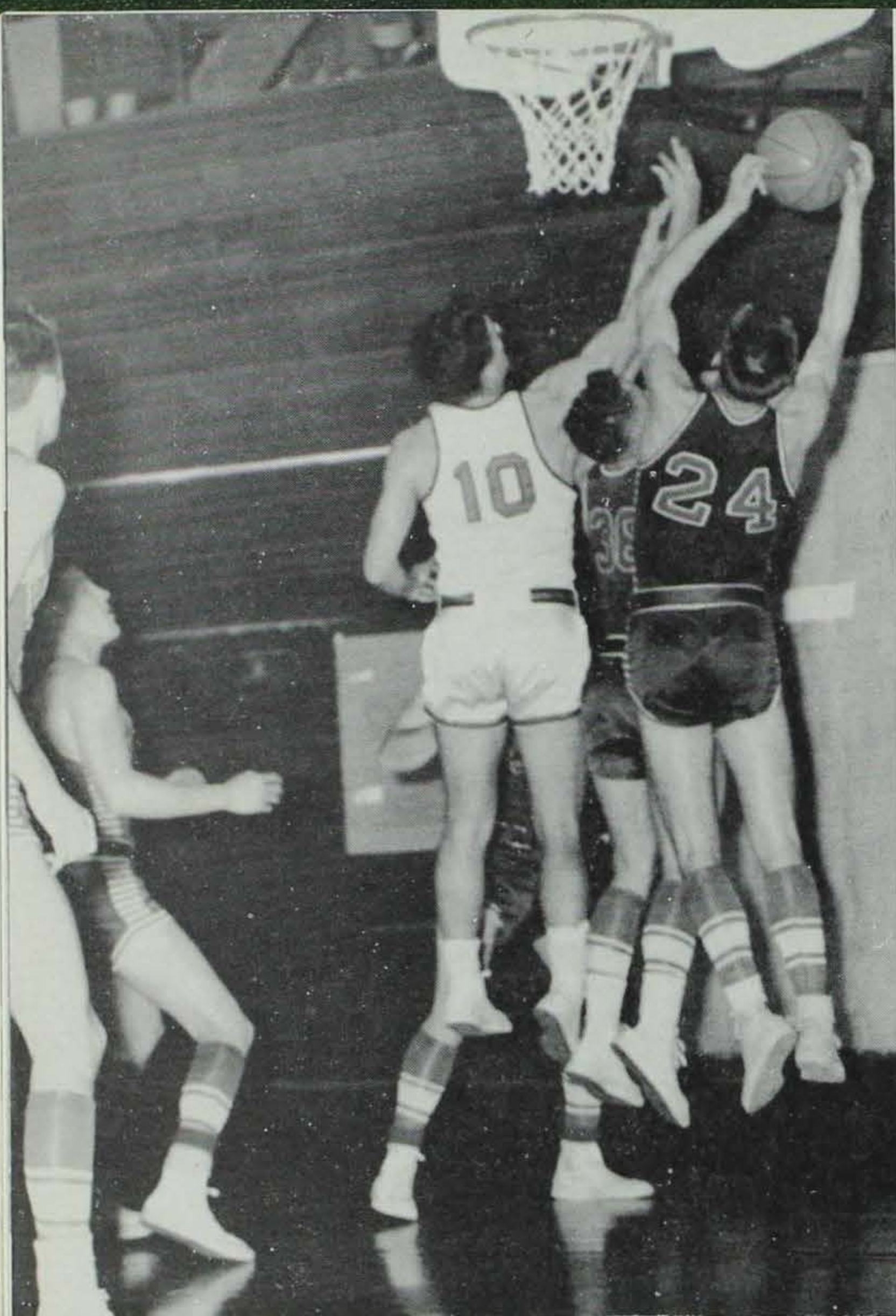
The Buena Vista five opened conference play by beating rival Westmar 37 to 34 in a low scoring contest. Next they handed conference champion Wartburg its lone defeat 58 to 48 despite a 34 point effort by Knight center Bill Adix.

The following week saw the Beavers travel east, losing two conference tilts to Loras, 53 to 55 in two overtimes, and to Luther, 47 to 52. The Beavers then took a break from conference competition to defeat Dana again, 55 to 43.

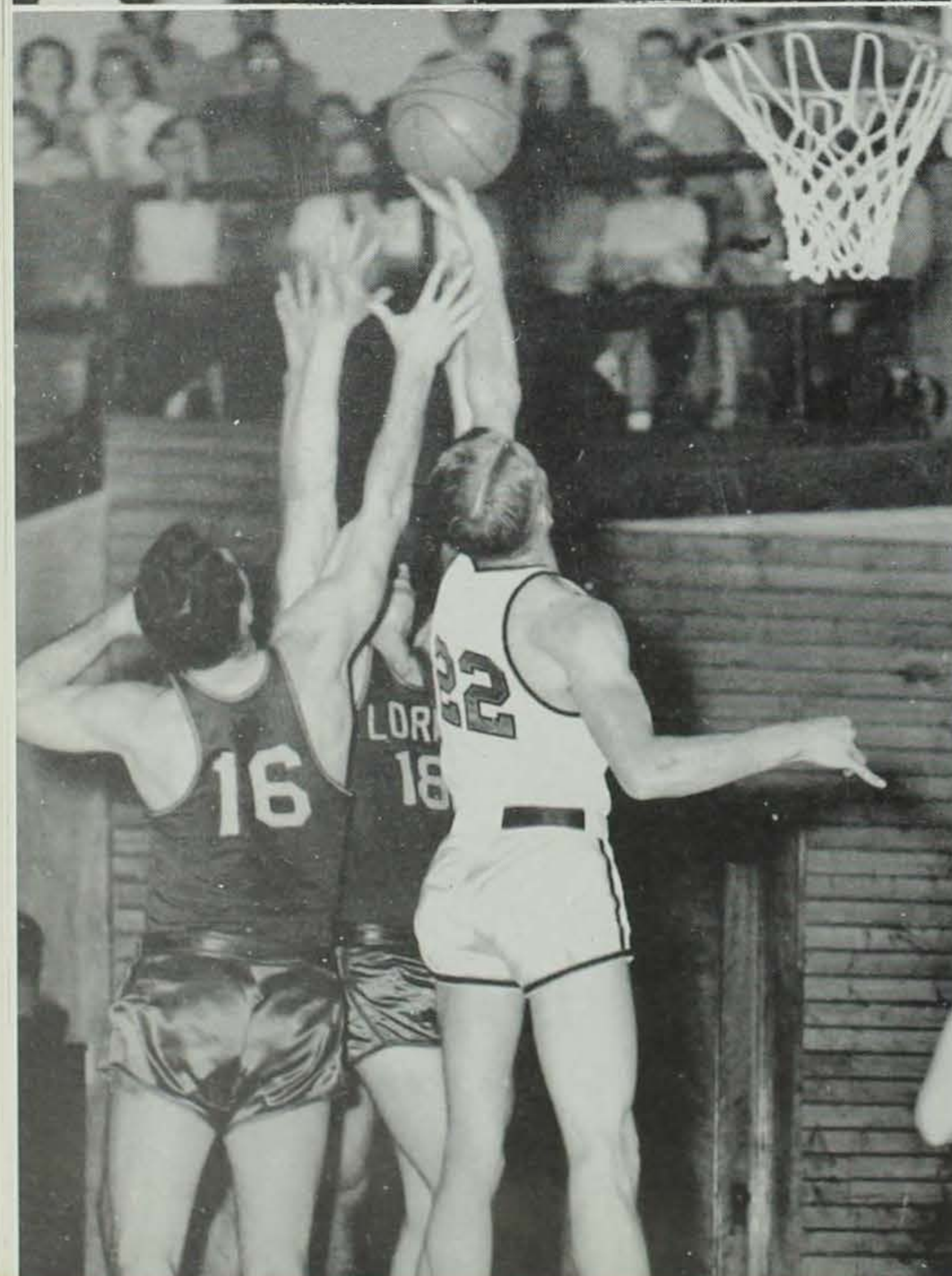
Returning to conference action, the Beavers avenged earlier losses to Luther and Loras with a pair of victories, 47 to 44 and 65 to 48. Then the Buena Vistans duplicated an earlier victory by trimming Westmar 48 to 40 before Wartburg put the squelcher on Buena Vista championship aspirations at Waverly, 57 to 50.

Coach Krause's cagers closed the regular scheduled season with a pair of victories over Upper Iowa's fast-breaking Peacocks, 67 to 59, and 62 to 59. In the first Upper Iowa contest center Don Kamprath scored 27 points, which was the most scored by a Beaver in a single game for the season.

The Beavers won a post-season contest at Bode by coming from behind in the last half to defeat Luther, 57 to 54.



KAMPRATH LOSES CONTROL



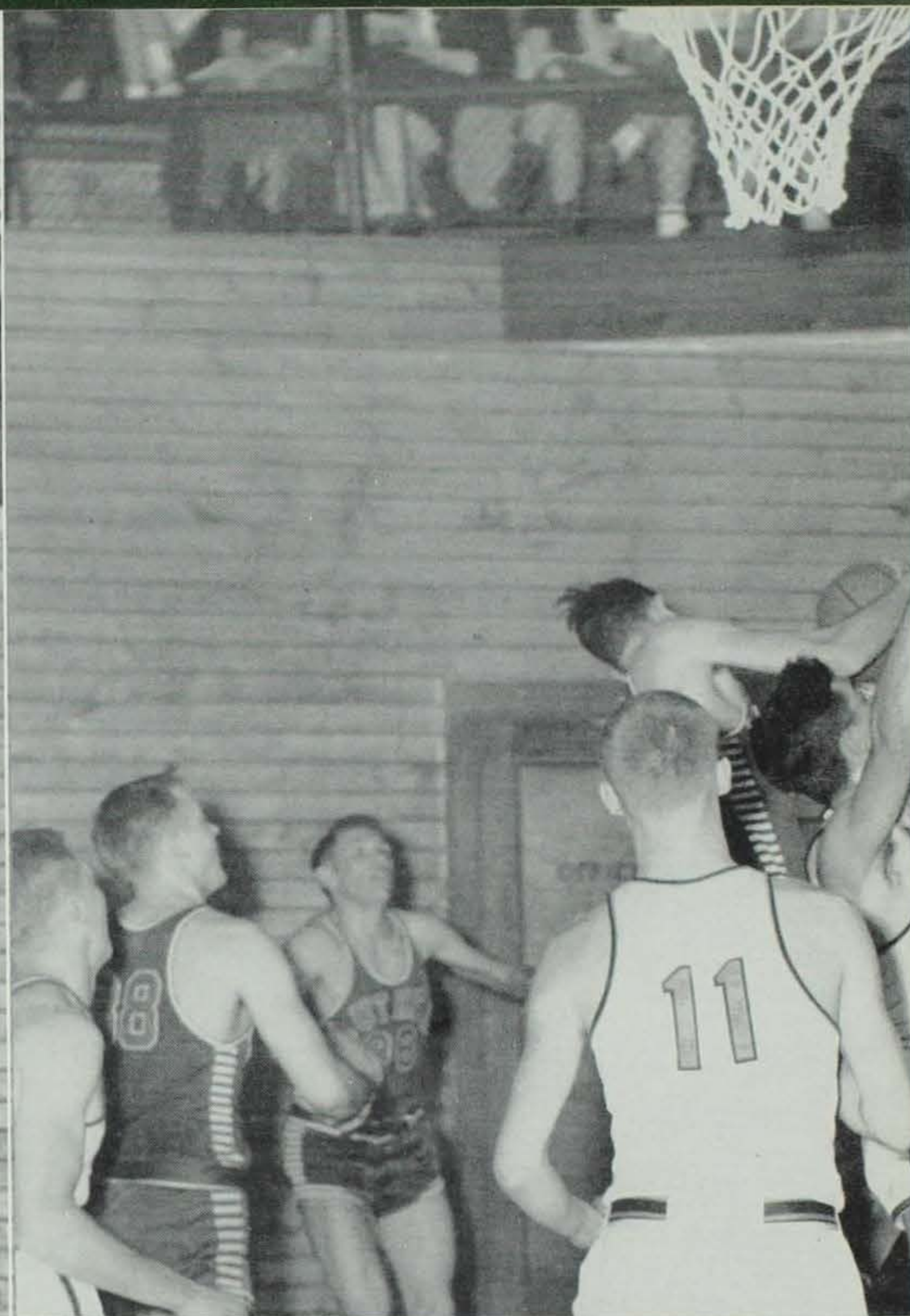
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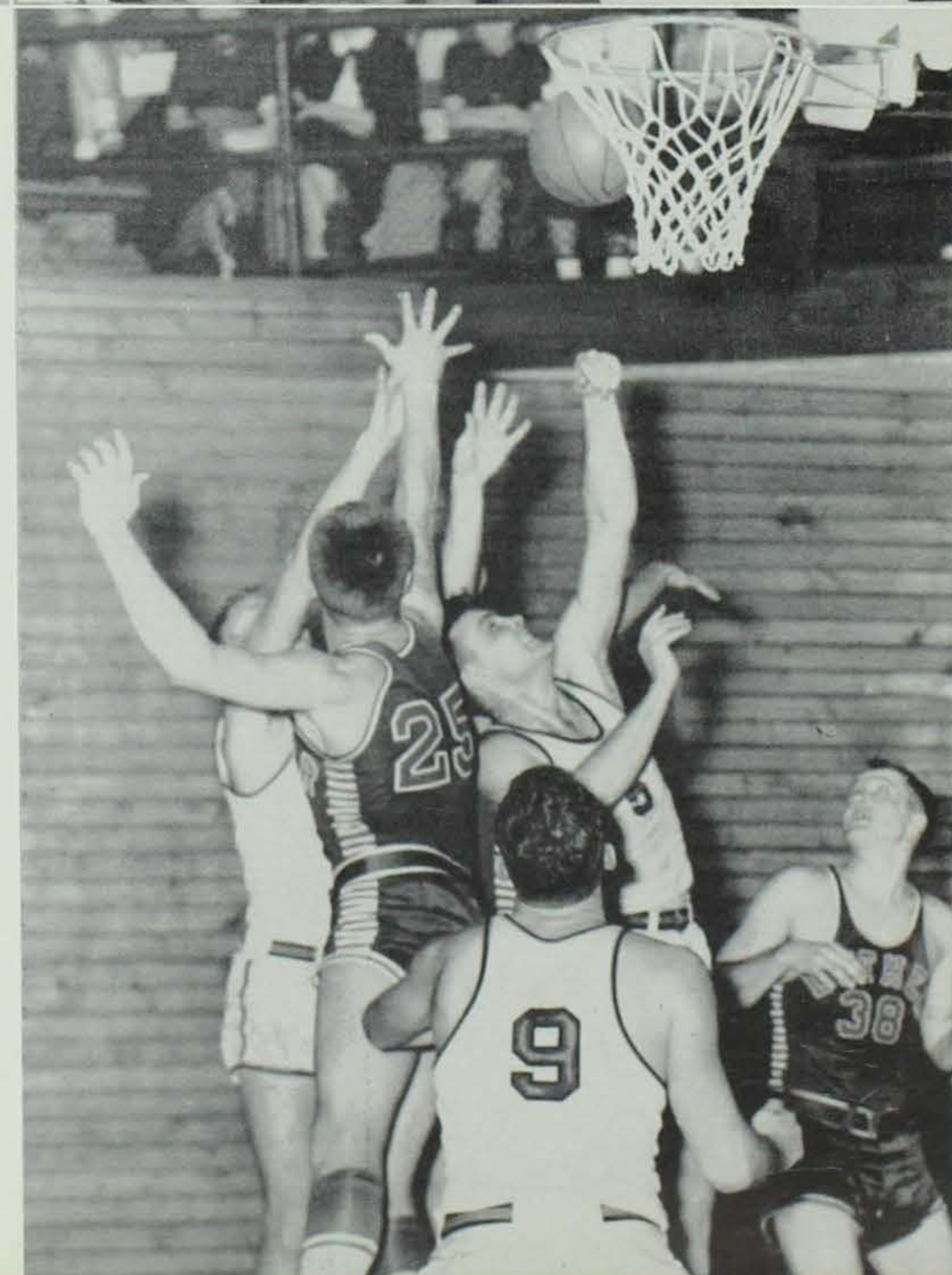
CARLSON GETS A TIP-IN



KAMPRATH SCORES

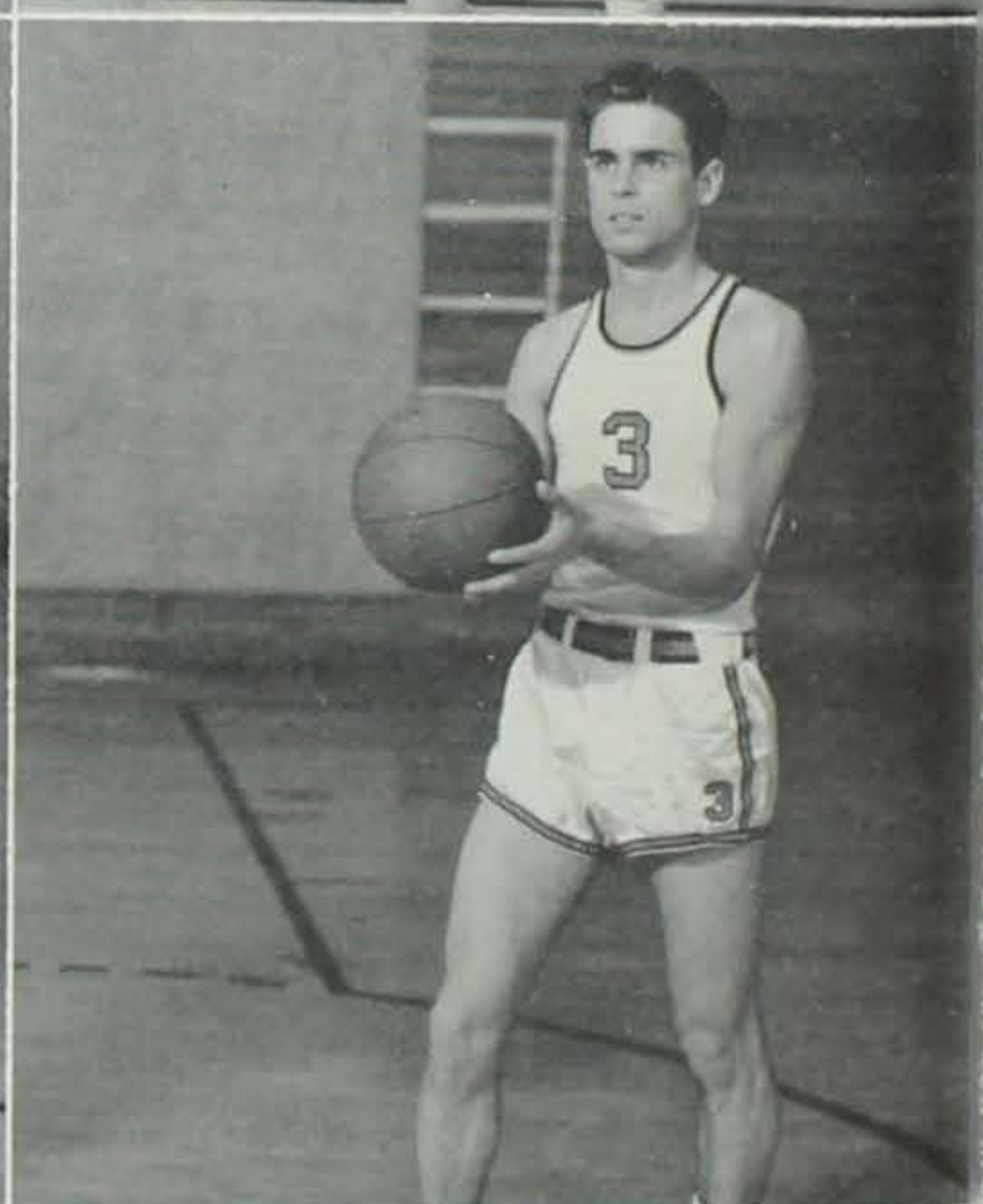
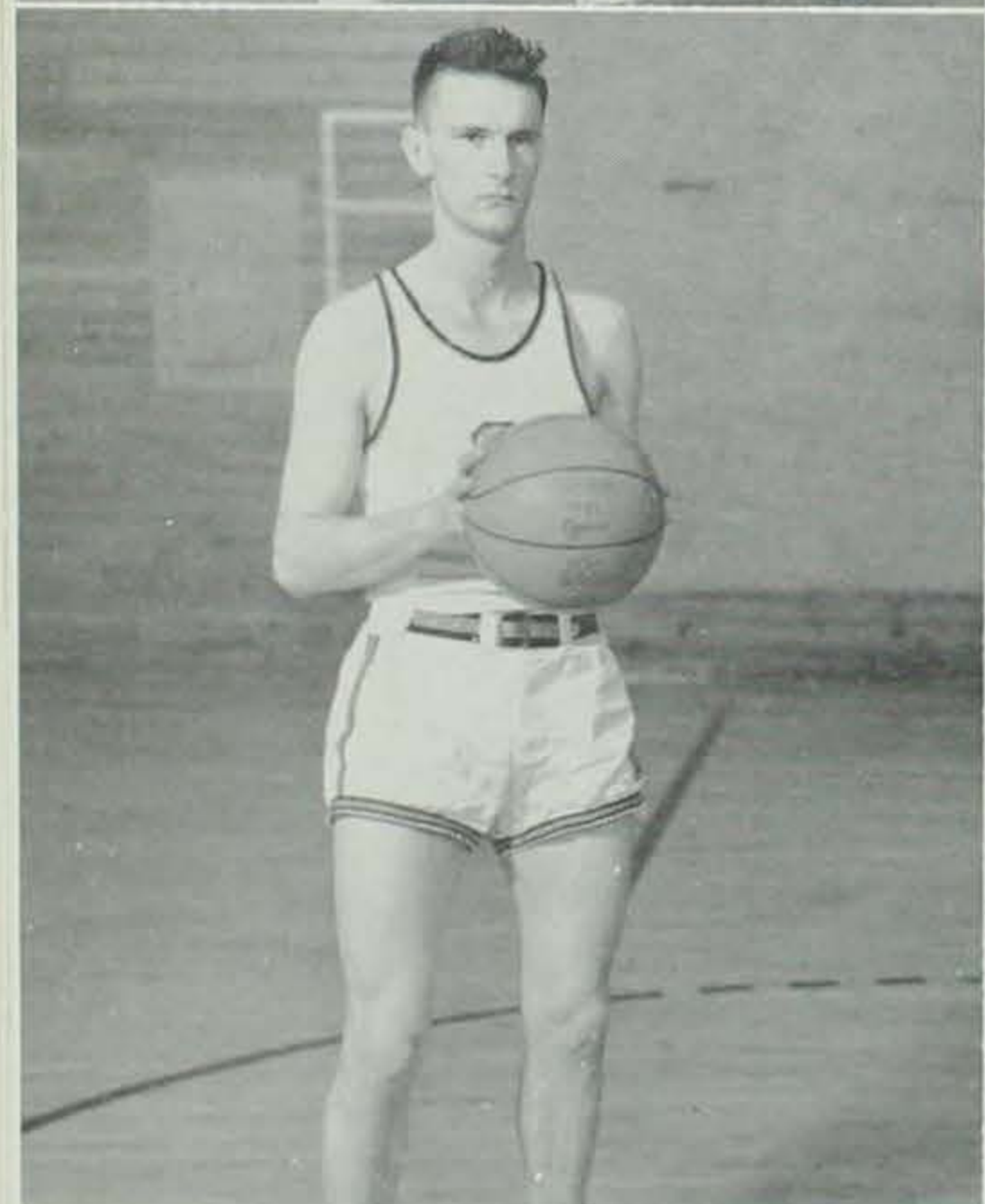
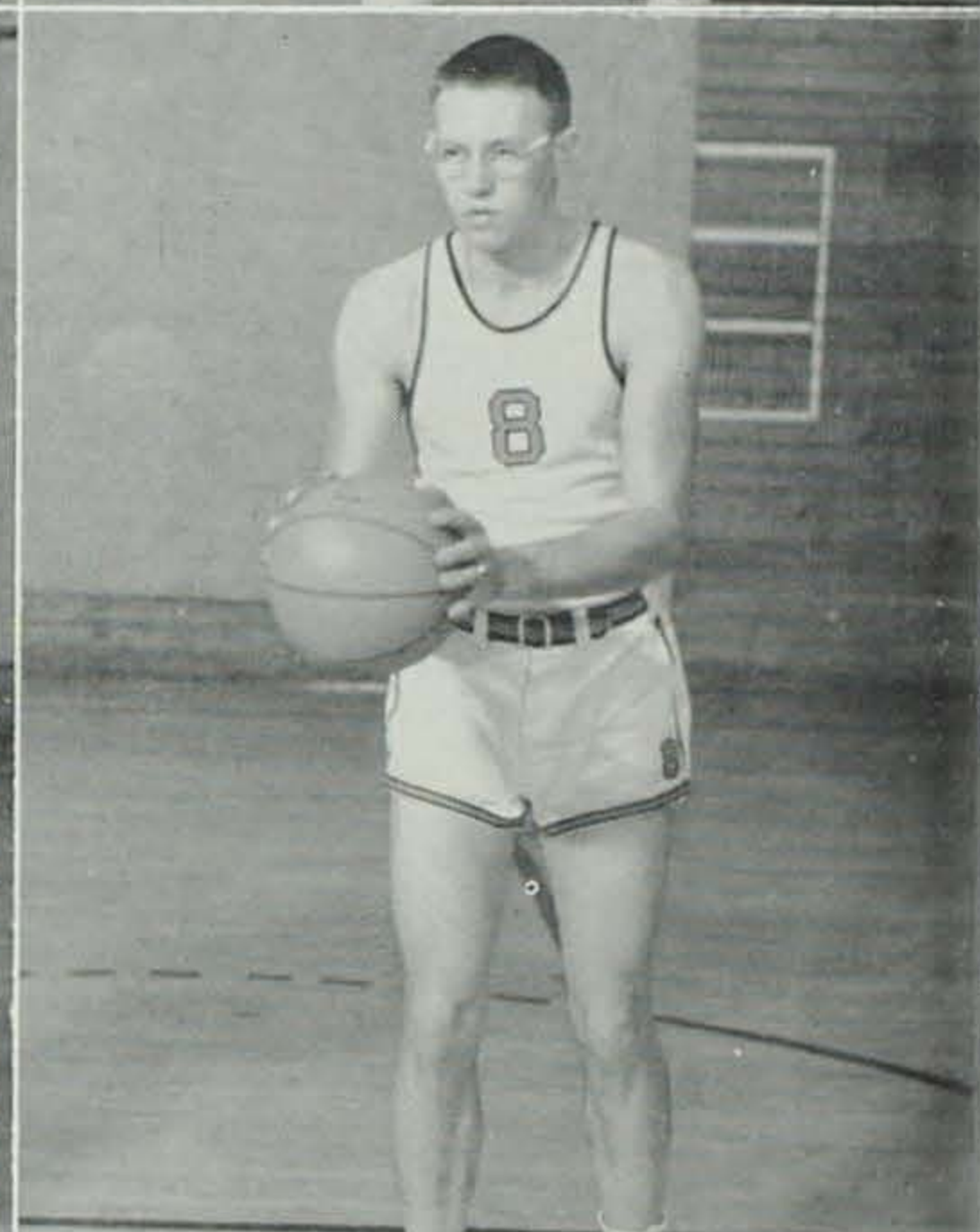
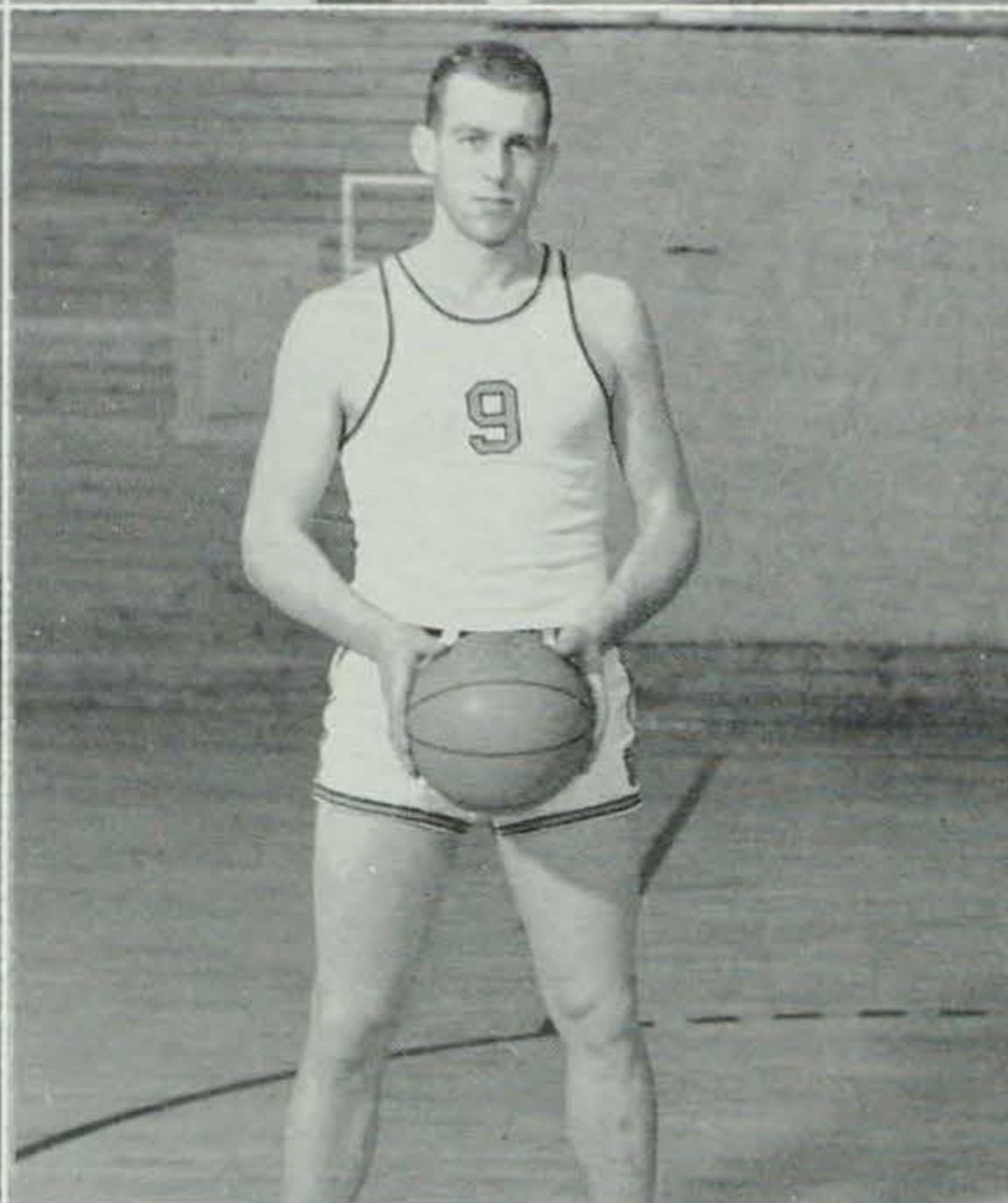
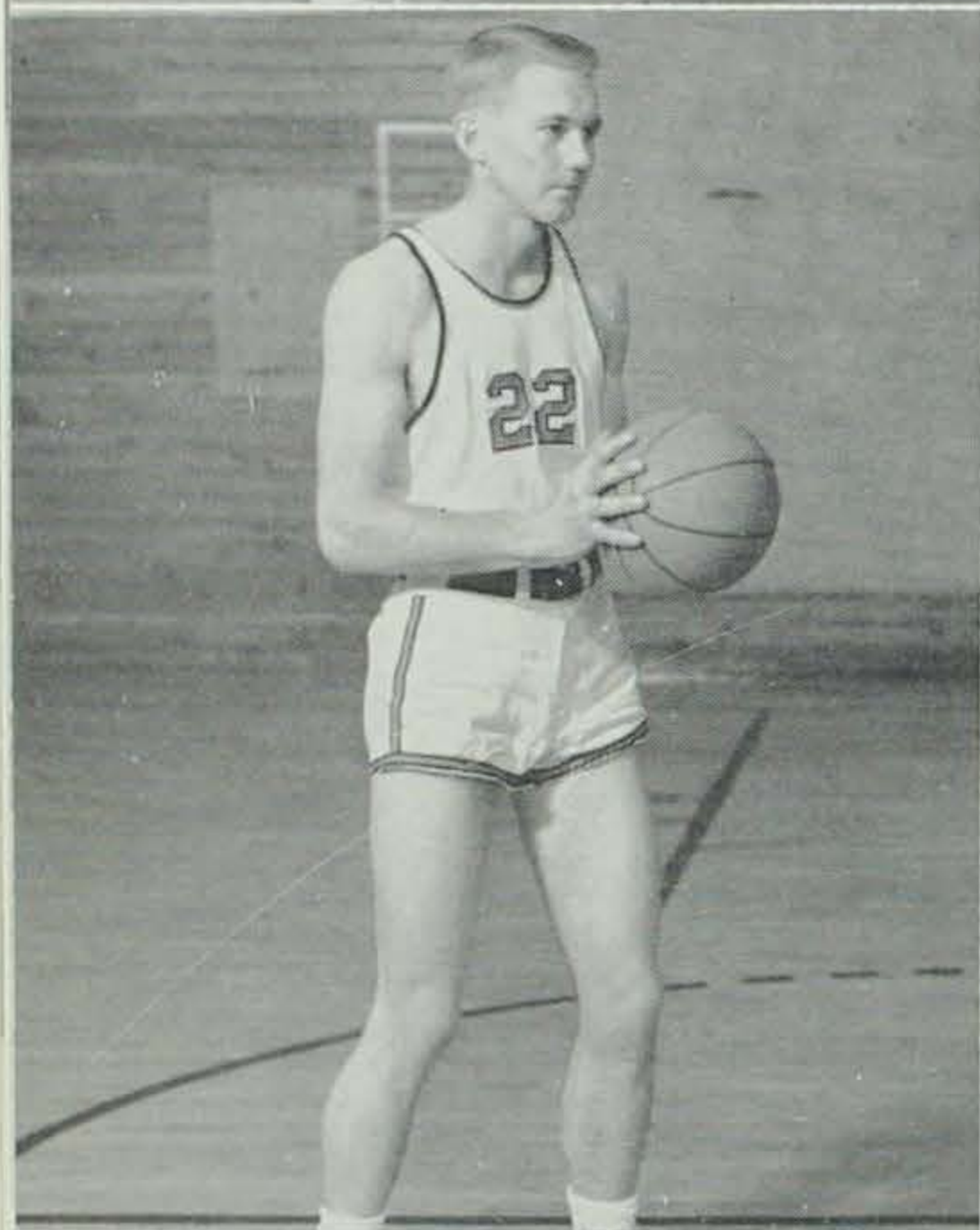
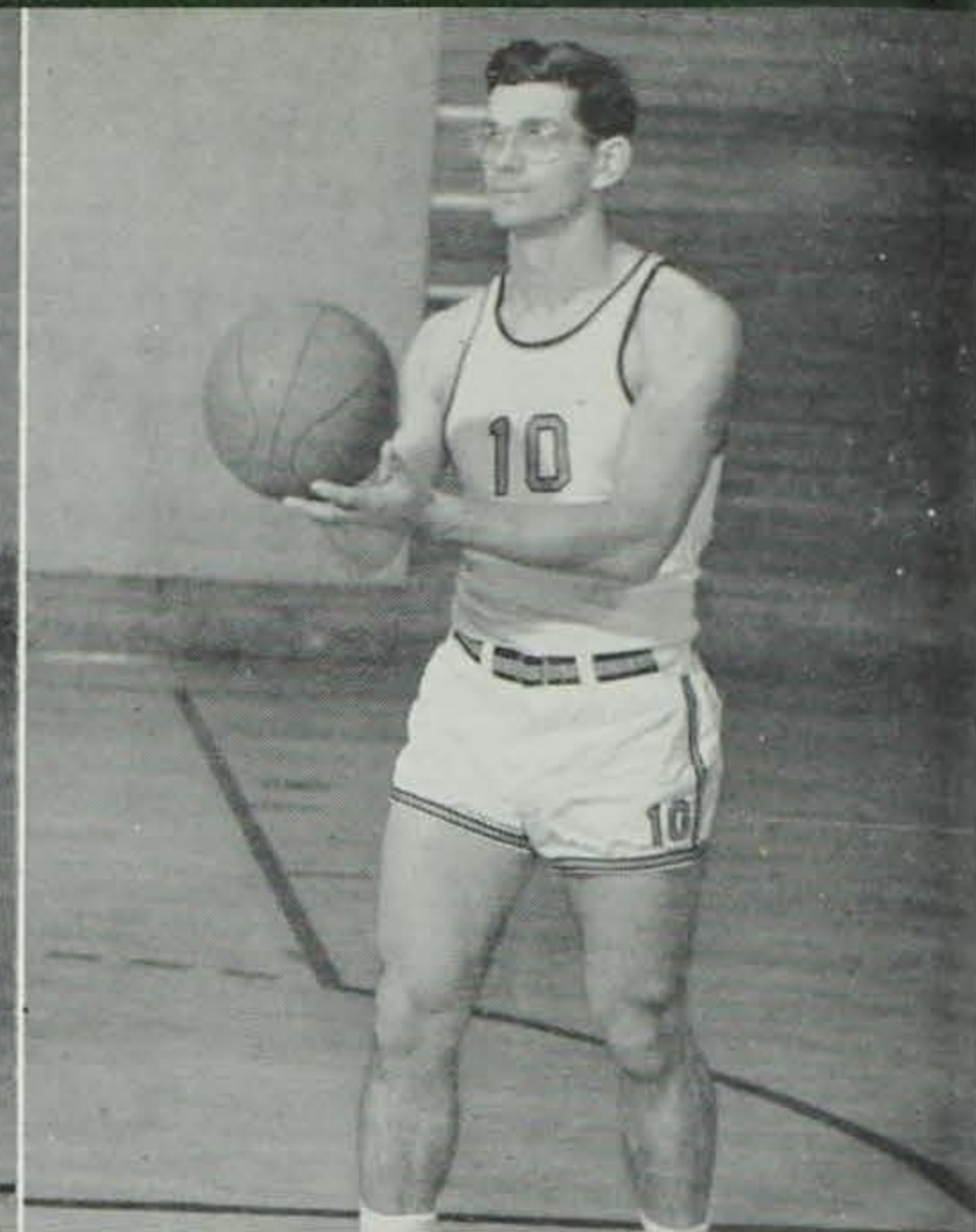
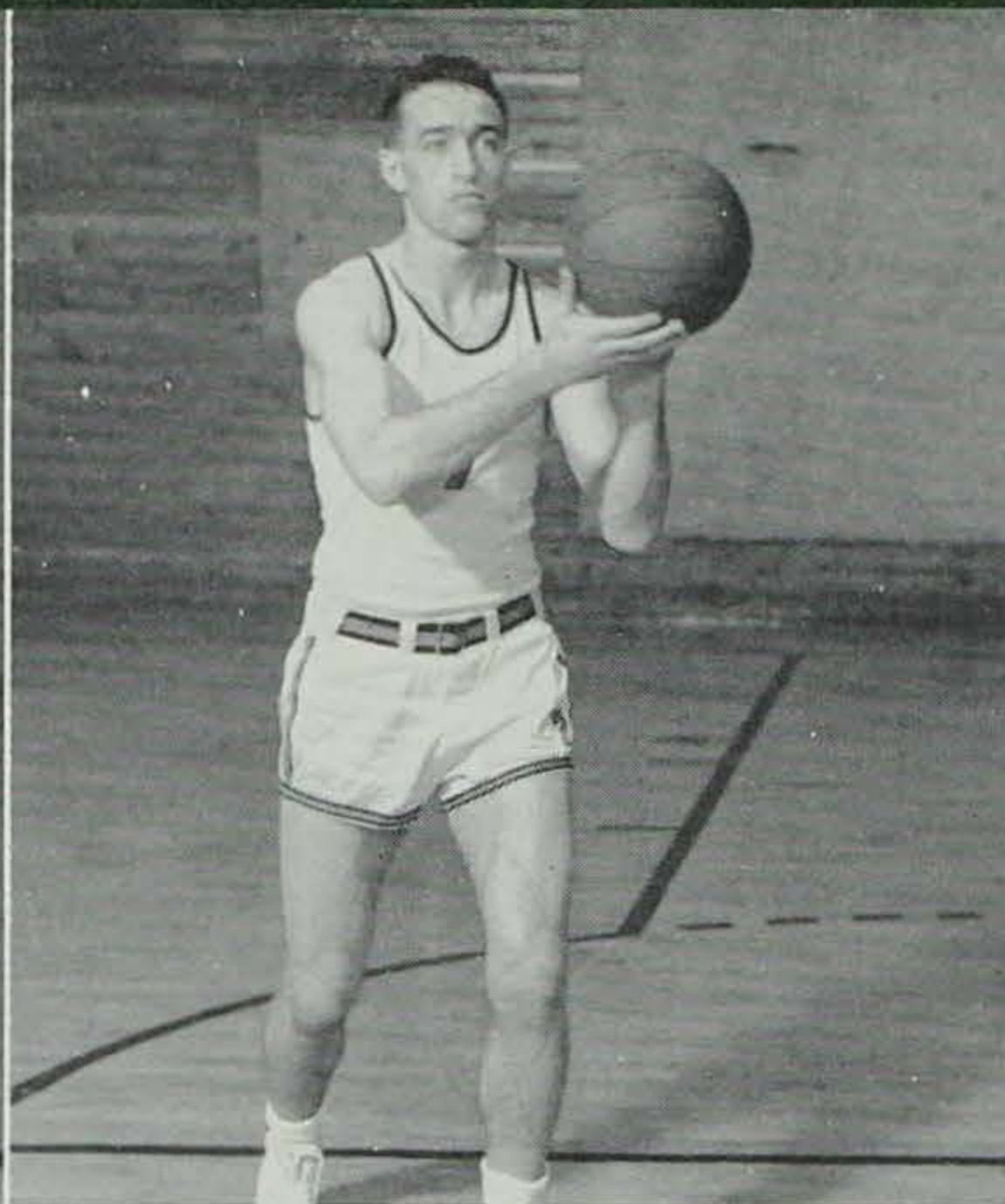
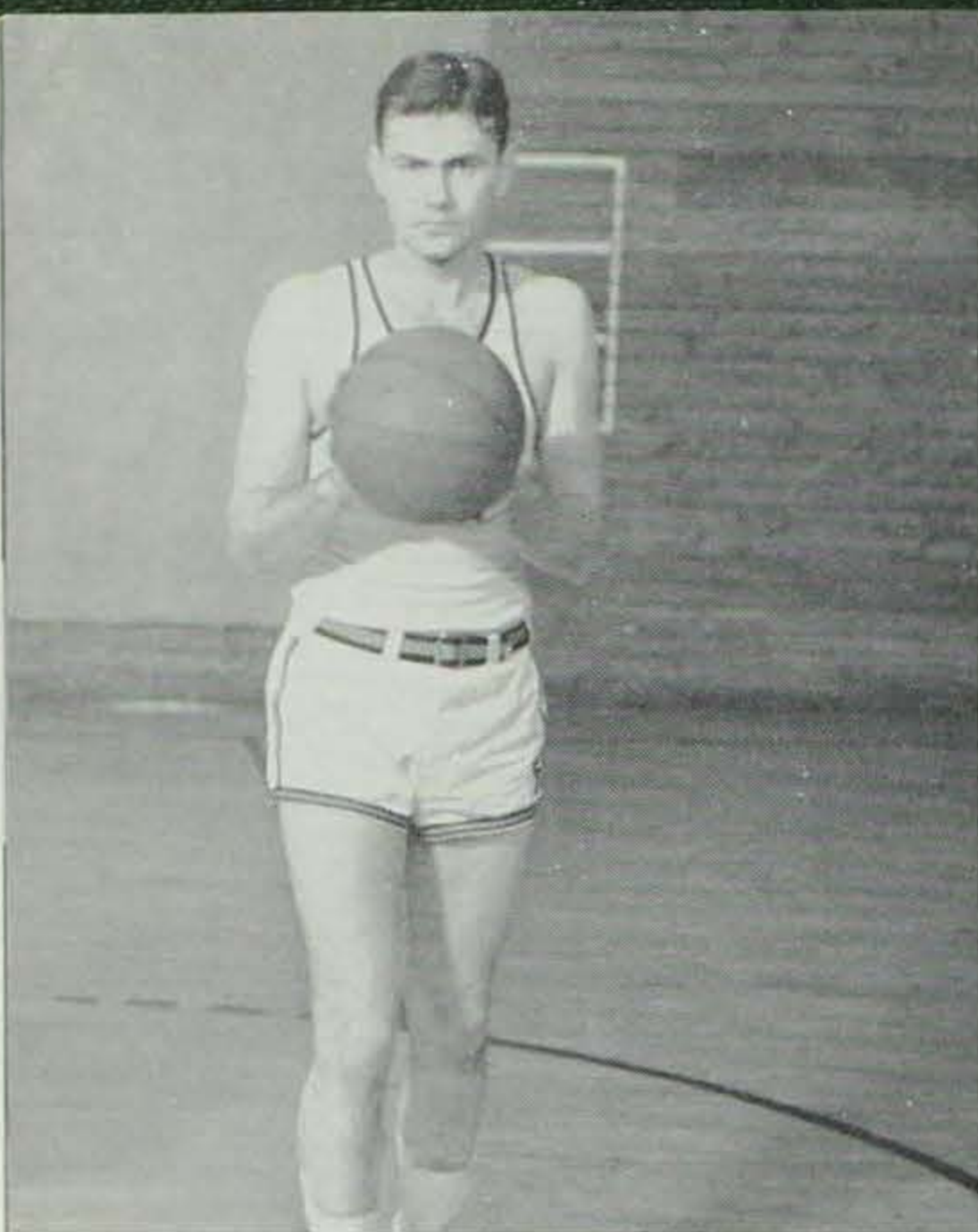


SCRAMBLE



SANKEY SETS IT UP

In Hall



SHERWIN SANKEY
DON CARLSON
KEITH McNIEL

BOB LEE
DON KAMPRATH
JAY HOOGEVEEN

CHUCK BRANSTETTER
MARLYN JOHNSON
BILL SAILOR

The Junior Varsity

THE RECORD

Buena Vista J.V. 63 — Battle Creek 38
Buena Vista J.V. 65 — Battle Creek 68
Buena Vista J.V. 59 — Storm Lake Amvets 35
Buena Vista J.V. 56 — Wartburg J.V. 79
Buena Vista J.V. 70 — Estherville J.C. 56
Buena Vista J.V. 55 — Tryon's Indies 47
Buena Vista J.V. 54 — Westmar J.V. 52
Buena Vista J.V. 47 — Wartburg J.V. 59
Buena Vista J.V. 79 — Battle Creek 43

Playing some of the top Independent, Junior College, and College "B" squads in the section, Coach Bob Otto's Junior Varsity basketball squad came through a nine-game schedule with an impressive record of 6 victories and 3 defeats.

The Jayvee's, composed mostly of underclassmen, opened their season with a 63 to 38 decision over the strong Battle Creek Independents at Victory hall. Following the opener the squad traveled to Battle Creek for a return game where they were defeated, 68 to 65, despite a 22-point effort by center Bill Zwemke.

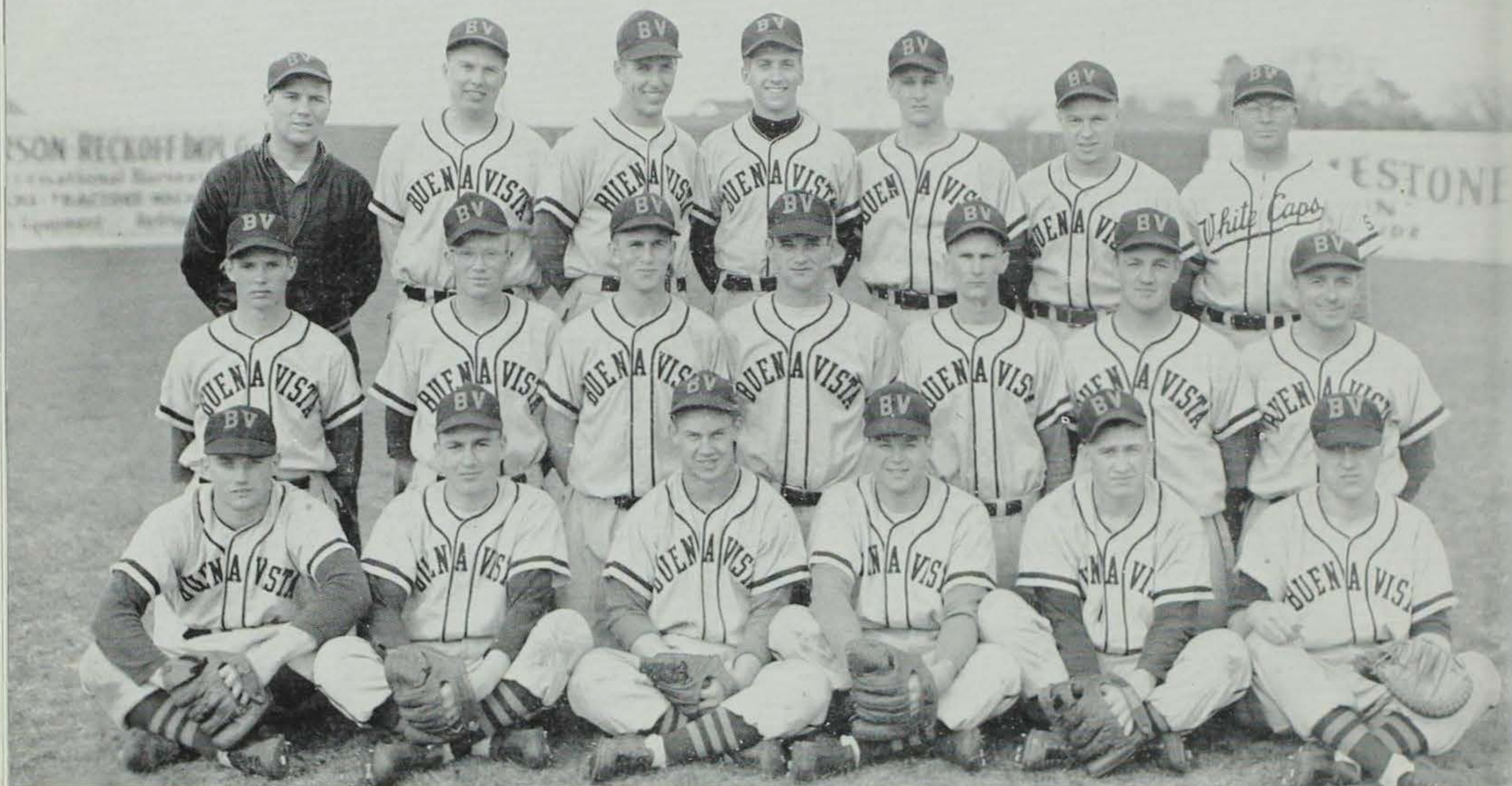
Next Coach Otto's quintet defeated the Storm Lake Amvets, 59 to 35, before losing to Wartburg's Jayvee's, 79 to 56, in a game which saw the Buena Vistans in front at halftime 26 to 24. The Beavers got back their winning ways at Estherville, defeating that city's Junior College,

70 to 56, and moved their string of victories to three straight with decisions over Bill Tryon's Indies, 55 to 47, and Westmar's Jayvee's, 54 to 52.

After dropping their second contest to the Wartburg Junior Varsity, 47 to 59, the Buena Vistans closed their season by capturing their second victory over the Battle Creek quintet, 79 to 43.

Bill Sailor, Lisbon sophomore, led the scoring with a total of 102 points, followed by Bill Zwemke with 87, Roger Mahnke with 83, and Darrel Huseman with 73 points. Zwemke's average of 17 points was tops for the club, with Sailor, who competed in two more contests than did the Alta center, in second place with 15 point average.

As a team the Beavers outscored their opponents 528 to 477 for an average game score of 59 to 43.



Front Row (left to right)—Marvin Stille, Charles Rasmussen, Bill Tryon, Carroll Sawin, Darrell Larrison, Ken Bauek. **Second Row**—Wilbur Merrill, Roger Manke, Ed Anderson, Bob Powell, Kieth McNiel, Glen Stablefeld, Oliver Vogt. **Third Row**—Gordon Hoover, Ralph Ferns, Charley Black, Richard Wenger, Narman Johnson, Dean Larrison, Coach Ken Blackman.

The 1951 Baseball Squad

1951 IOWA CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS

Buena Vista	4	. . .	Arkansas Tech	6
Buena Vista	8	. . .	Arkansas Tech	6
Buena Vista	9	. . .	U. of Kansas	10
Buena Vista	6	. . .	U. of Nebraska	9
Buena Vista	13	. . .	U. of Nebraska	12
Buena Vista	19	. . .	St. Cloud Teachers	18
Buena Vista	8	. . .	Luther	1
Buena Vista	13	. . .	Loras	2
Buena Vista	5	. . .	Loras	2
Buena Vista	5	. . .	Loras	4
Buena Vista	10	. . .	Luther	4
Buena Vista	8	. . .	Upper Iowa	2
Buena Vista	5	. . .	Wartburg	0
Buena Vista	12	. . .	Wartburg	0
Buena Vista	12	. . .	Westmar	2
Buena Vista	7	. . .	Westmar	6
Buena Vista	13	. . .	Duluth Travelers	8
Buena Vista	9	. . .	Iowa Wesleyan	3

The 1950-51 Baseball Story

Coach Ken Blackman, in his last year at the helm of the Beavers, led them through a rugged eighteen game schedule, winning fifteen and losing three. The Beavers were again Iowa Conference Champions as a result of being undefeated in conference competition.

Blackman had available six starting pitchers, who held their opponents to an average of 4.7 runs per game while the Beavers' average was 9 runs per game. The Beavers' offensive attack had a team batting average of .285 led by centerfielder Marvin Stille, Rightfielder Ken Bauek, Secondbaseman Carroll Sawin, Shortstop Bill Tryon, and Catcher Dean Larison.

Highlights of the 1951 season included a southern trip to Arkansas, where the Beavers split games with Arkansas Tech and were defeated by the score of 10 to 9 by the University of Arkansas Razorbacks. In other tough non-conference games, the Beavers split with the University of Nebraska Cornhuskers. Pee Wee Wenger was defeated in the first game by a score of 9 to 6, and Glen Stablefeld, ace of the Beaver staff, beat Nebraska by the score of 13 to 12 on Nebraska day. Eddie Anderson, freshman hurler, set down the St. Cloud Teachers by a score of 19 to 8. In the final non-con-

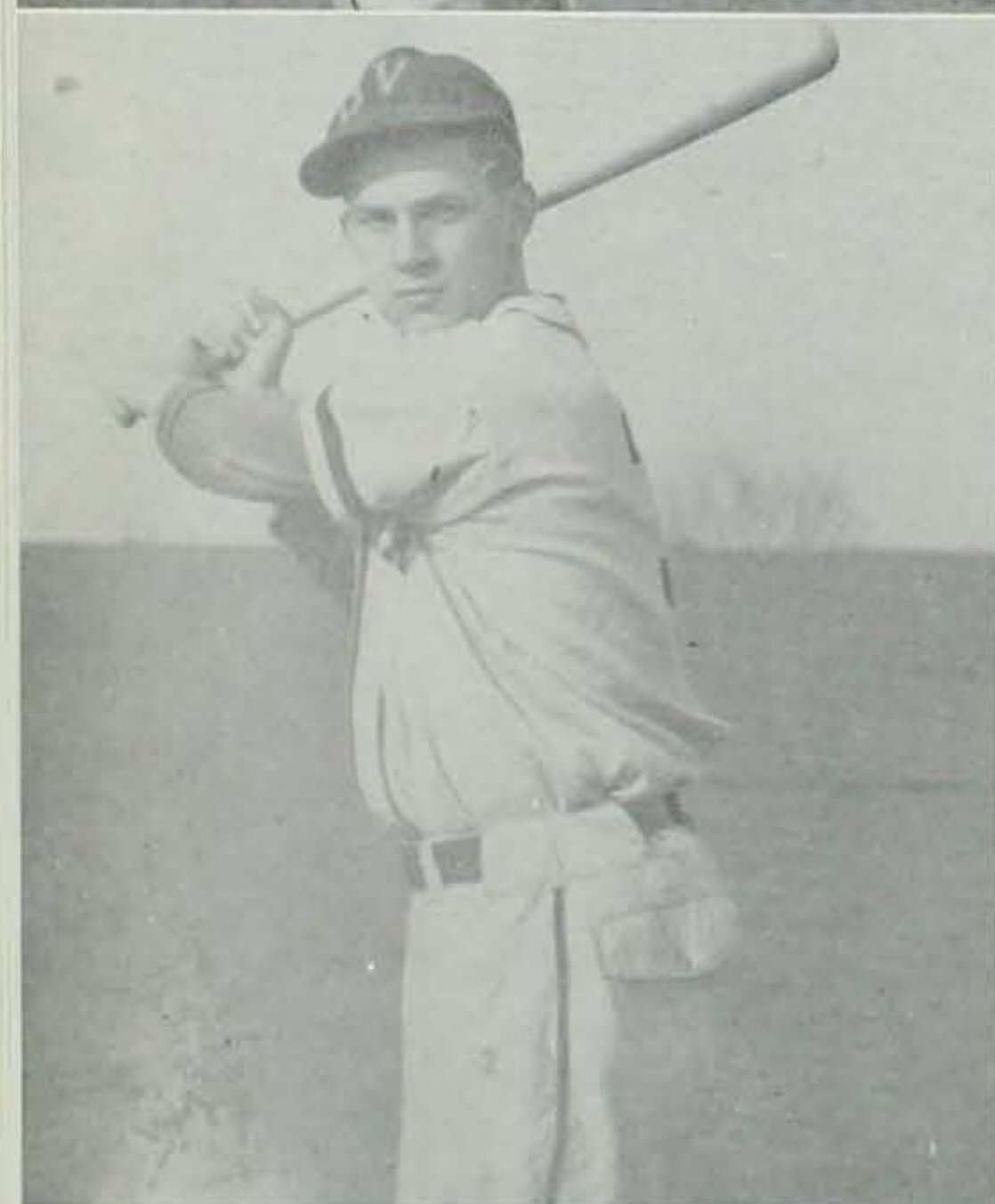
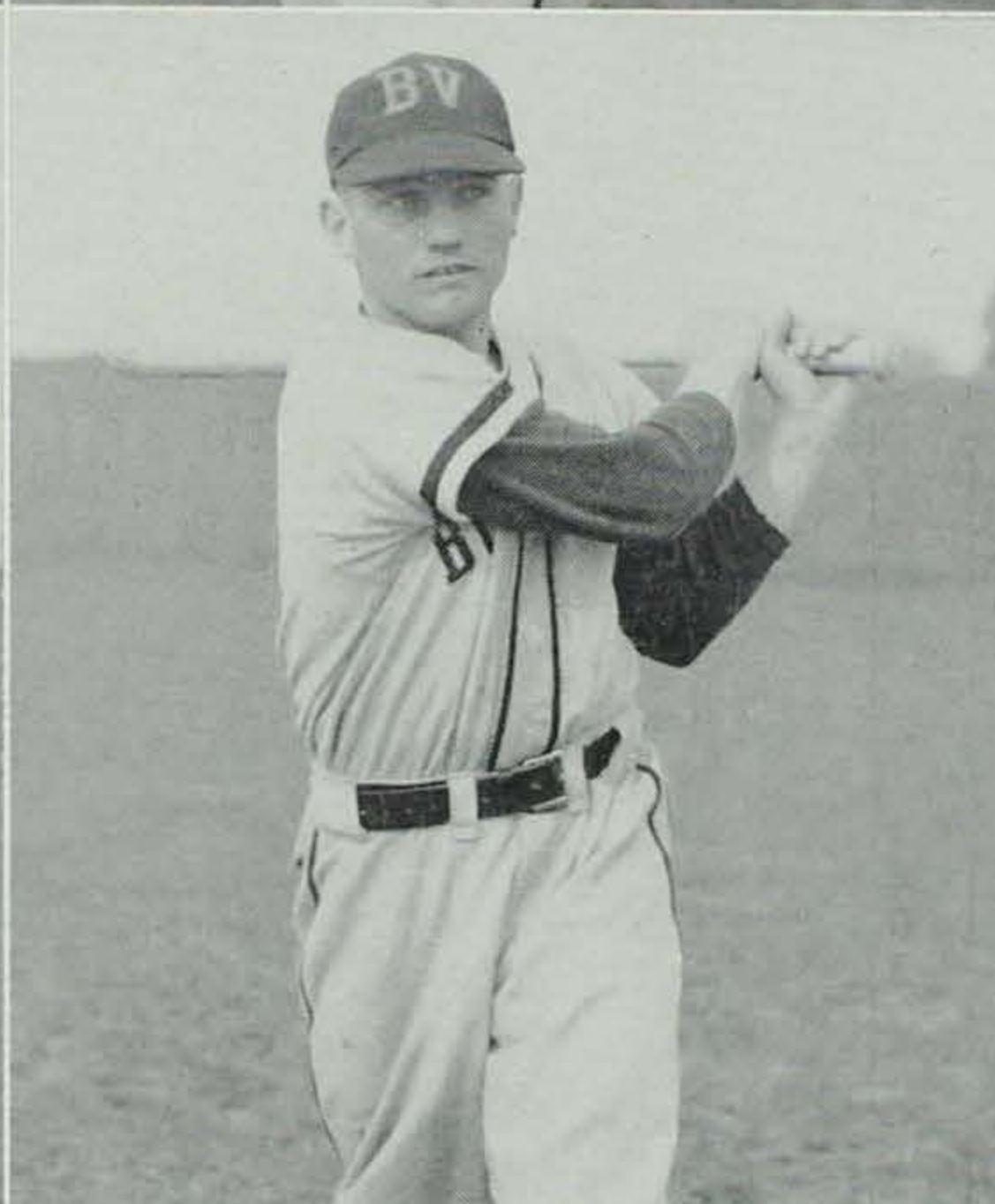
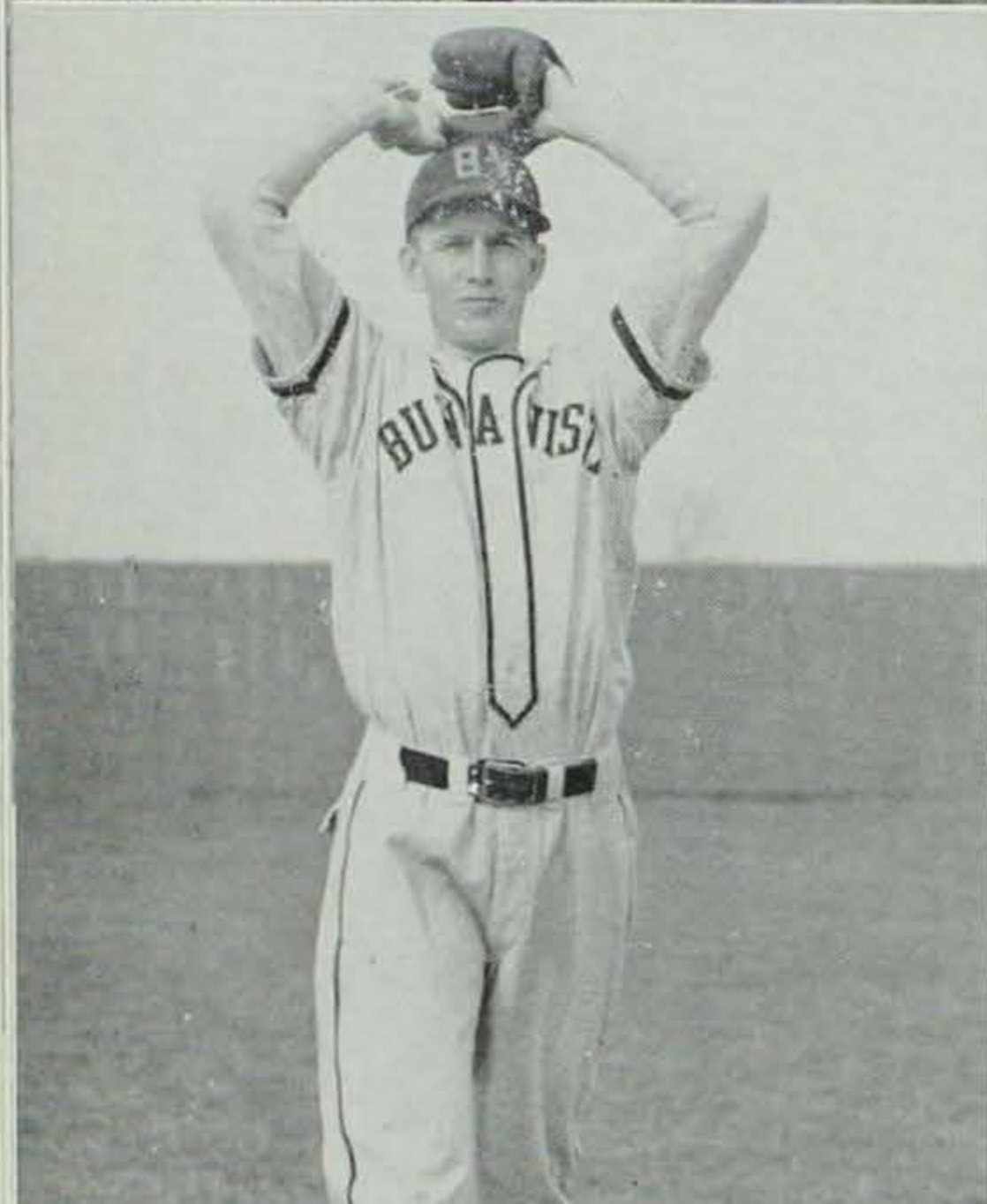
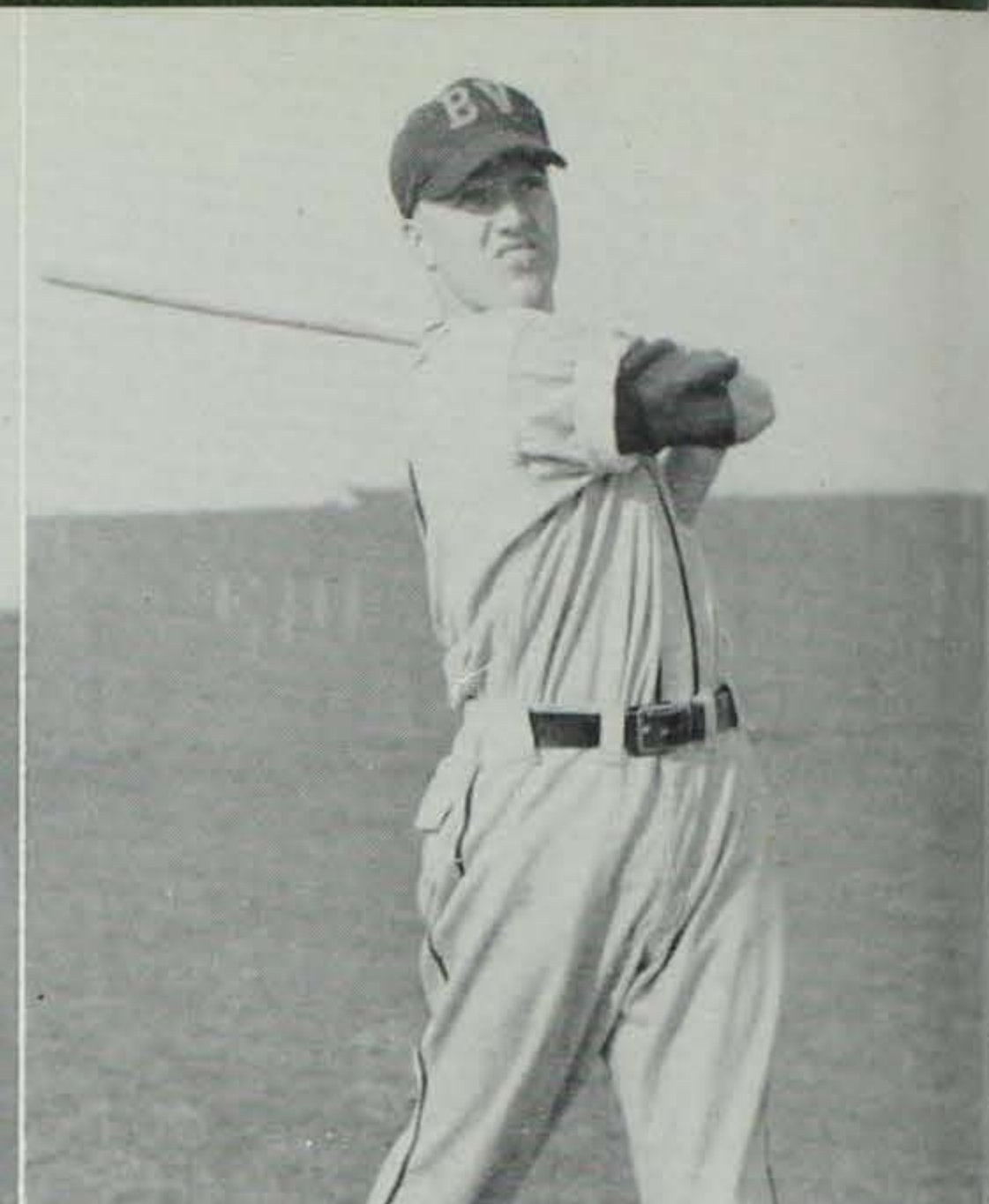
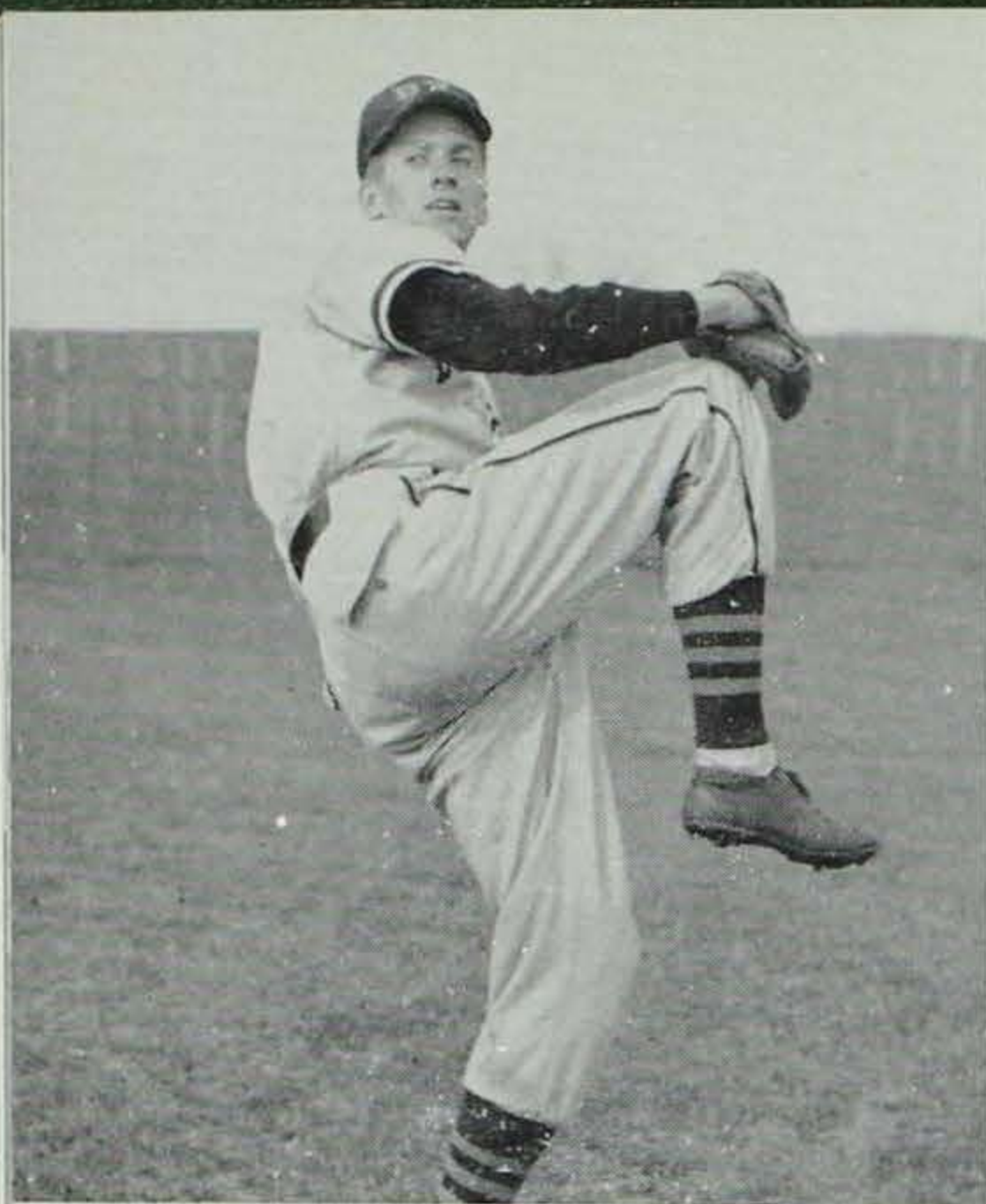
ference game, Ken Hulsebus, freshman from Glidden, hurled an impressive 13 to 8 victory over the Duluth Travelers, a colored traveling team.

The undefeated conference season was highlighted by Glen Stablefeld's nine to three victory over Iowa Wesleyan, Southern Division winner, which gave Buena Vista undisputed possession of the Iowa Conference Crown. Other conference victories notched by Stablefeld were two victories over Luther, the last Iowa conference nine to beat the Beavers, an 8 to 2 win over Upper Iowa, and a 12 to 2 victory over Westmar. Richard Wenger, Junior southpaw from Albert City, won two games over the Loras Duhawks by the scores of 5 to 4 and 13 to 2. Norm Johnson, sophomore hurler from Fairview, held Iowa Conference victories over Loras, 5 to 2, and Wartburg, 5 to 0, when Oliver Vogt, senior leftfielder from Calumet, led the batting attack with two doubles. The final Iowa conference victory was contributed by Eddie Anderson when he hurled a one hit shut-out against Wartburg to defeat them 12 to 0.

The Captain of the Beaver nine was Marvin Stille, Junior Centerfielder from Hayes.

STATISTICS

	AB	H	Pct.		Won	Lost
Oliver Vogt, lf	71	21	.296	Norm Johnson	2	1
Carroll Sawin, 2b	60	21	.345	Eddie Anderson	1	0
Ken Bauek, rf	78	26	.333	Richard Wenger	2	1
Marvin Stille, cf	77	29	.377	Bob Powell	0	1
Bill Tryon, ss	75	25	.333	Glen Stablefeld	7	0
Darrell Larison, 3b	65	19	.299	Ken Hulsebus	1	0
Bob Powell, 1b	79	7	.179			
Charles Black, 1b	22	2	.090			
Dean Larison, c	50	16	.320			
Team Average			.285			



"PEE WEE" WENGER
EDDY ANDERSON
BILLIE TRYON

GLEN STABLEFELD
MARVIN STILLE
OLIVER VOGT

KEN BAUEK
DEAN LARRISON
WENGER AGAIN



Front Row (left to right)—Bill Tryon, Ken Hulsebus. **Second Row**—Jim DeWeese, Carroll Sawin. **Third Row**—Vic Eichstadt, Kay Mills, Keith Sawin.

Boys' Winning Intramural Basketball Team

The boys' intramural program organized by Athletic Director Bob Otto and operated by Bob Bahrke consisted of a basketball conference with seven teams participating. The regular conference play ended in a tie between Sawin's Five and Bauermeister's quintet. A three game playoff for the championship was played with Sawin's team defeating Bauermeister's two games out of three. All three were well played games with Sawin winning the first by the score of 48 to 40. Bauermeister took the second game with the score 58 to 38. In the final playoff game, Sawin won by the score 42 to 40. The championship team received the intramural trophy and the runner-ups received medals.



Third Row (left to right)—Ilah Houdeshell, Marilyn Movick. **Second Row**—Pat Hoft, Darlene Meyer, Donna Sundberg. **Front Row**—Colleen Anders, Jeannine Seagren.

Girls' Winning Intramural Basketball Team

The girls' intramural program organized by Miss Jessica Cameron consisted of a basketball tournament of four teams. The winning team, "the Farmettes" played three games in the final tournament to acquire the championship. The first game was won by the score of 58 to 12, the second by the score of 42 to 8. The final game was the toughest of the three, the team winning out only after a hard fought battle by the score of 37 to 25.

Captain of the "Farmettes" was Miss Jeannine Seagrin. Team members were Ilah Houdeshell, Marilyn Movick, Pat Hoft, Darlene Meyers, Donna Sundberg and Colleen Anders.

Girls' Physical Education

Miss Cameron, head of the girls' physical education department, carried out a full and varied program of games and sports. As in previous years, both team and individual sports were stressed. The Freshmen took part in bowling, tennis, basketball, modern dance, soccer, and softball. Upperclassmen found interests in tennis, badminton, minor games, volley ball, folk dancing, bowling, archery and golf Tournaments were carried out in the classes of team sport. The competition displayed in the tournaments was proof enough that the girls accomplished both knowledge of the skills and performance in the activity. Our physical education classes were held in Victory Hall, out on the practice field, and on the tennis courts. Bowling classes were held downtown at the Mapleways Bowling Alley. During the summer session an extensive swimming program is maintained in which every

swimmer has an opportunity to develop the various strokes and simple dives.

Some of the girls have carried out their desire to attain further perfection by outside practice. A Bowling Club was formed by bowling enthusiasts and met on Friday afternoon. We coeds feel that physical education has broadened our interest and given zest to our life here on the campus.

Freshmen girls were given a choice of basketball and bowling.

Under the instruction of Miss Cameron, the girls who were not already acquainted with bowling learned the fundamentals and acquired apt skills. Classes were held in the Mapleways Bowling Alley. By the end of the unit, the girls ranked with students in other colleges as far as skill and scoring are concerned.

Modern Dance Club

A group of enthusiasts has initiated a new organization on Buena Vista campus this year. This is the Modern Dance Club, a club for students interested in dance as an excellent means of extending their experience in dance beyond that available in regular class work. Like any other school club, it is an organization not to give special privileges to a talented few, but instead, one which welcomes all those who have the interest and the will to improve themselves in the given activity. This particular club exerts constructive leadership in interesting others in dance and in helping beginners.

Agreement is probably assured that the dance class has certain aspects which are unique, even to the rest of the physical education program. Perhaps the most obvious of these is the fact that the content of the dance

activity is almost completely concerned with the individual member, her body, her ideas, and her relationships to the other members of her group. The member is free to think only of her own expressive movement and that of other members of her immediate group. Success and satisfaction in dance are dependent upon ability to formulate ideas in terms of individual and group movement. Dance participants become aware of the expressive quality of movement as a means of communicating ideas as well as a way for their personality to speak.

Recreation, release of tension, a widening scope of appreciation and study are all found through body movements. This club is unique in that it develops student leadership, initiative, and the actual assumption of responsibility.

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