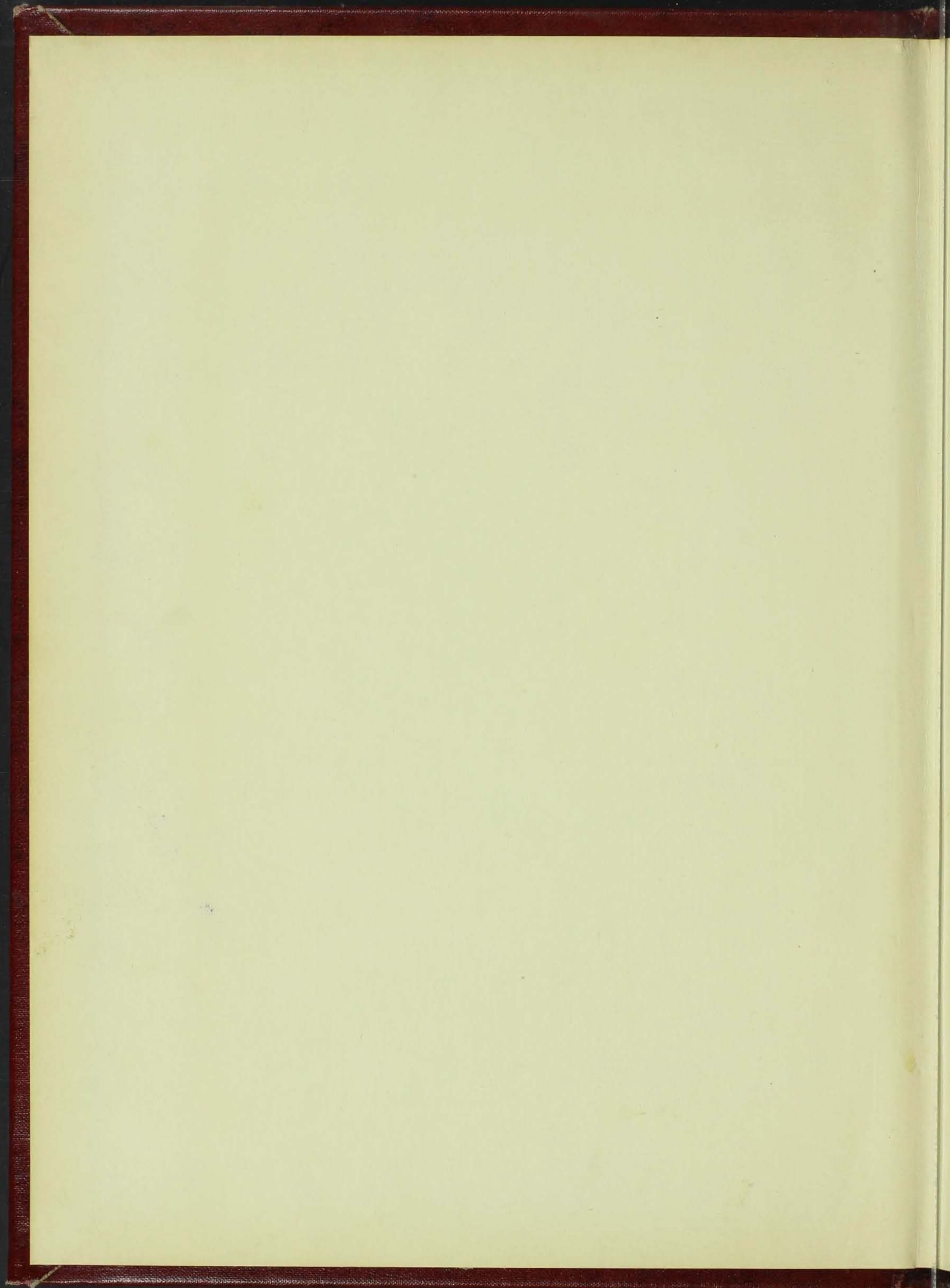
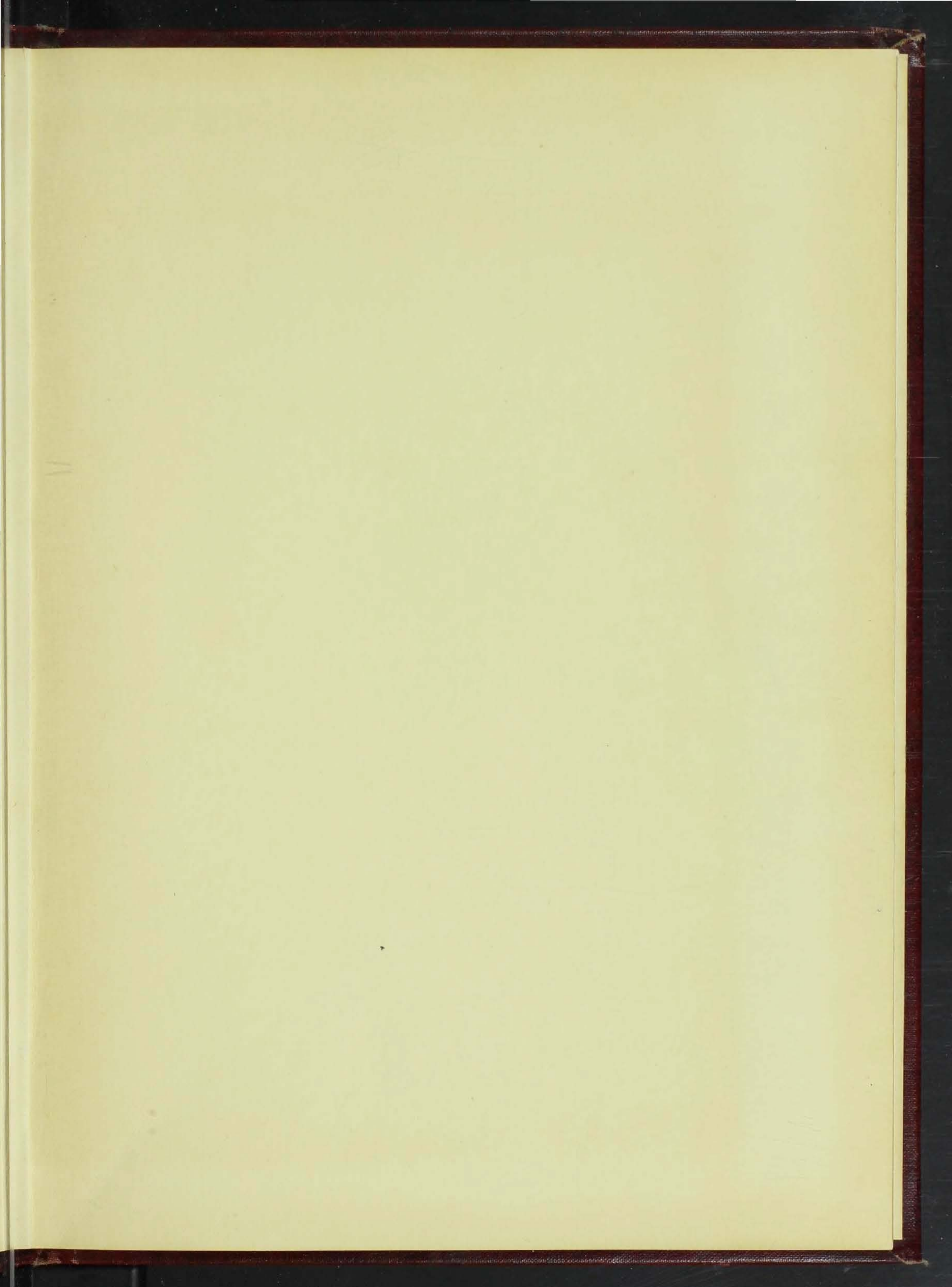
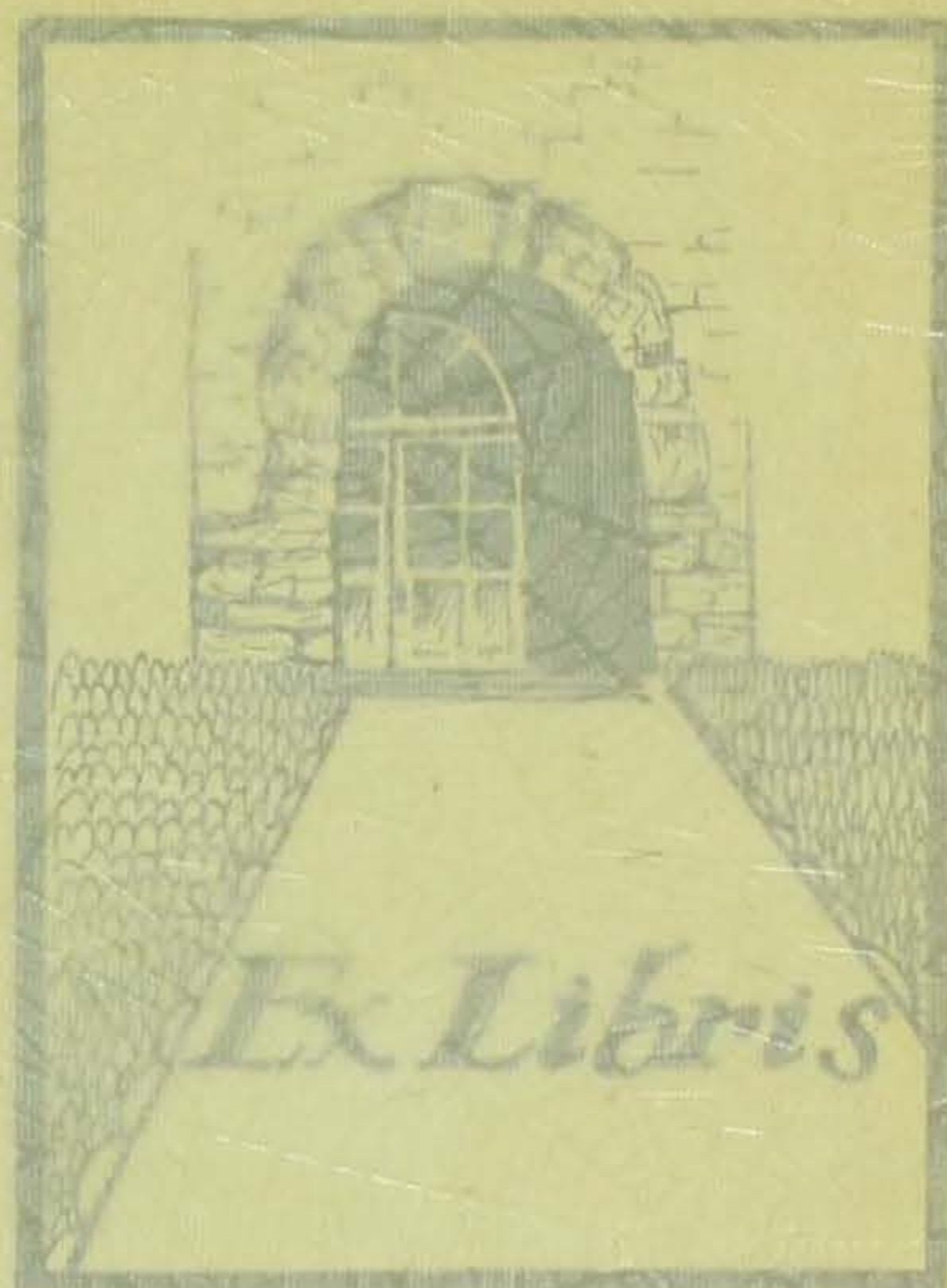




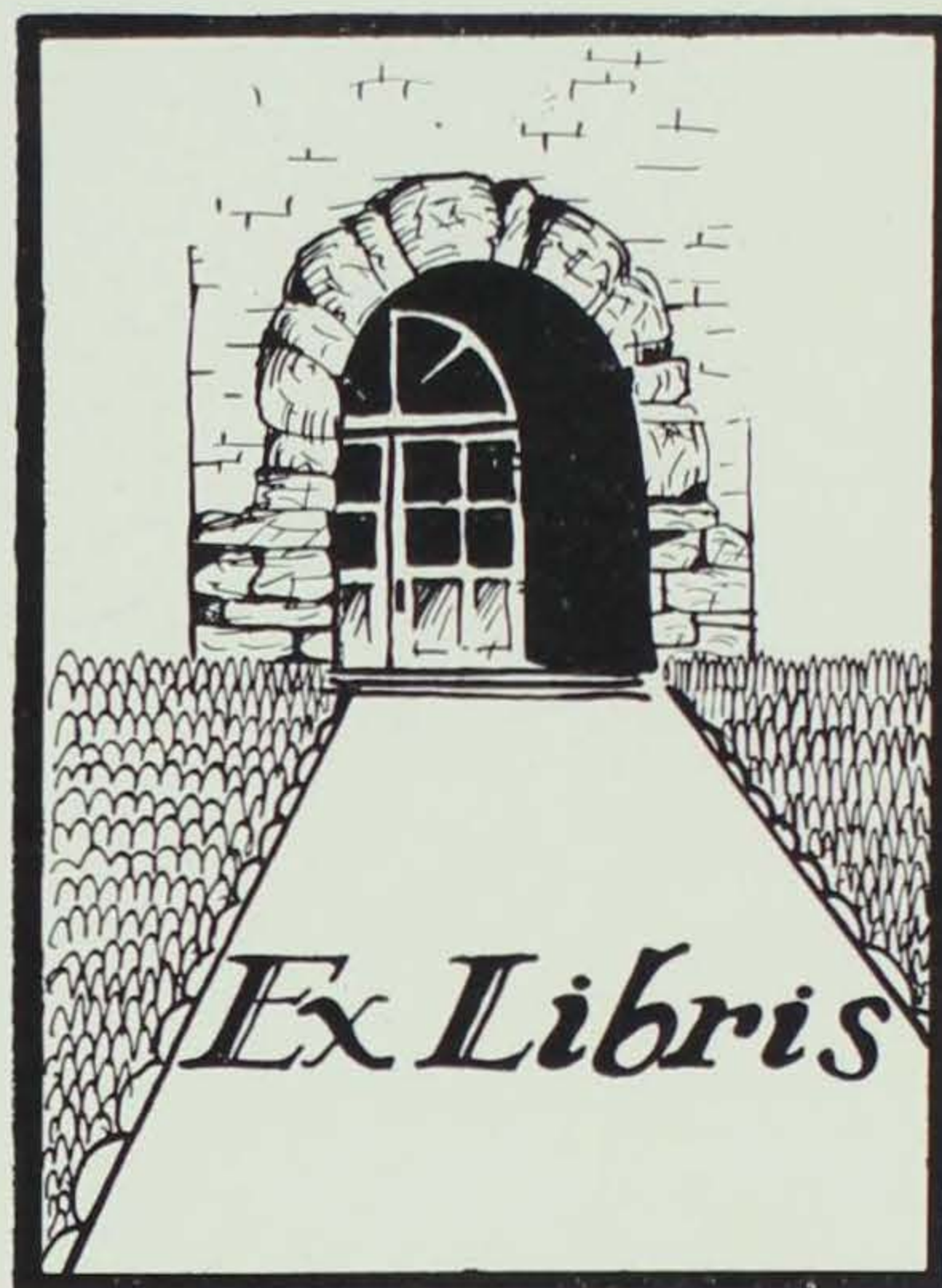
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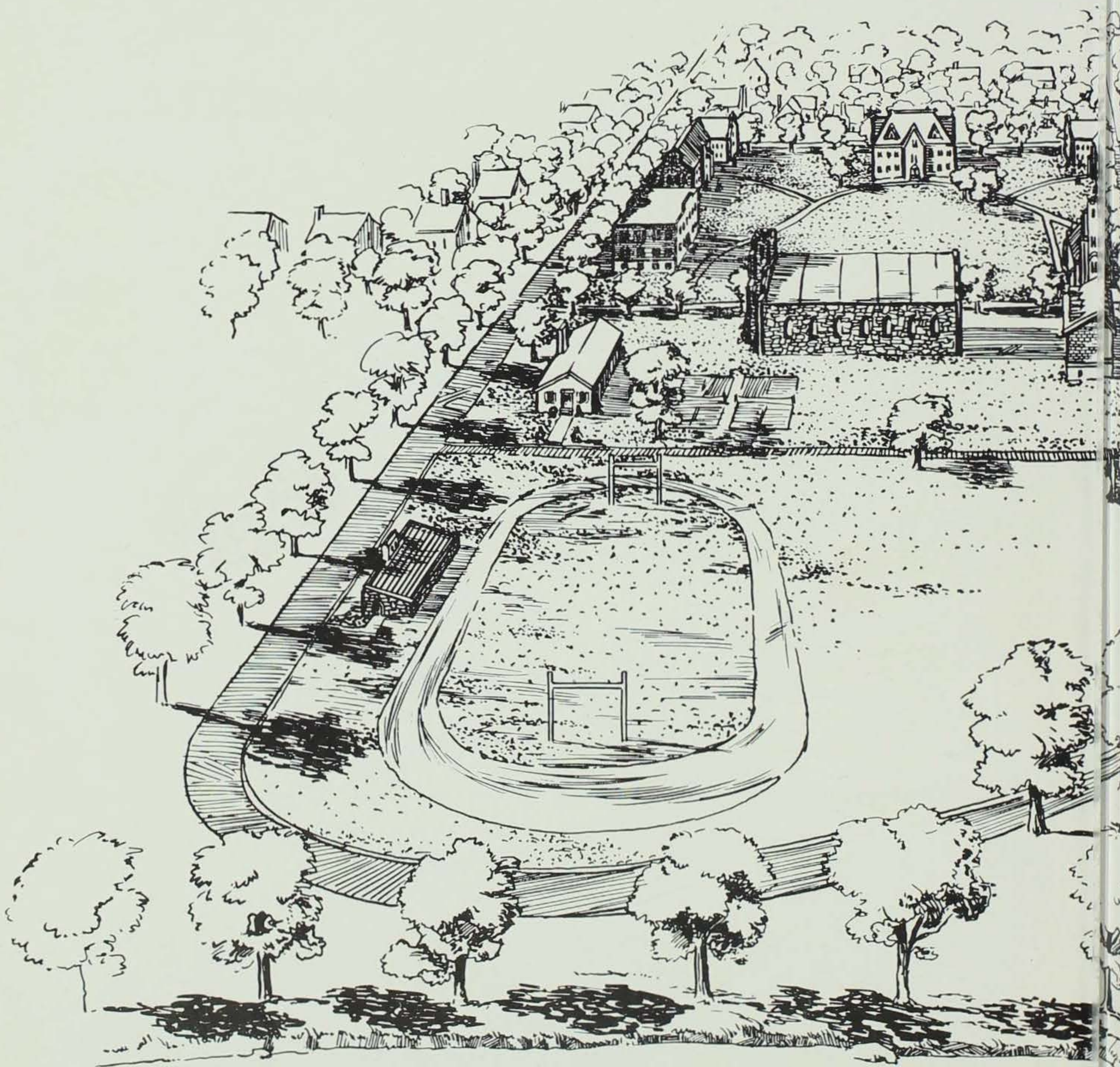


QUEEN VISTA COLLEGE
STORM LAKE, IOWA
Presents
THE
1949 BEAVER LOG



BUENA VISTA COLLEGE
STORM LAKE, IOWA
Presents
THE
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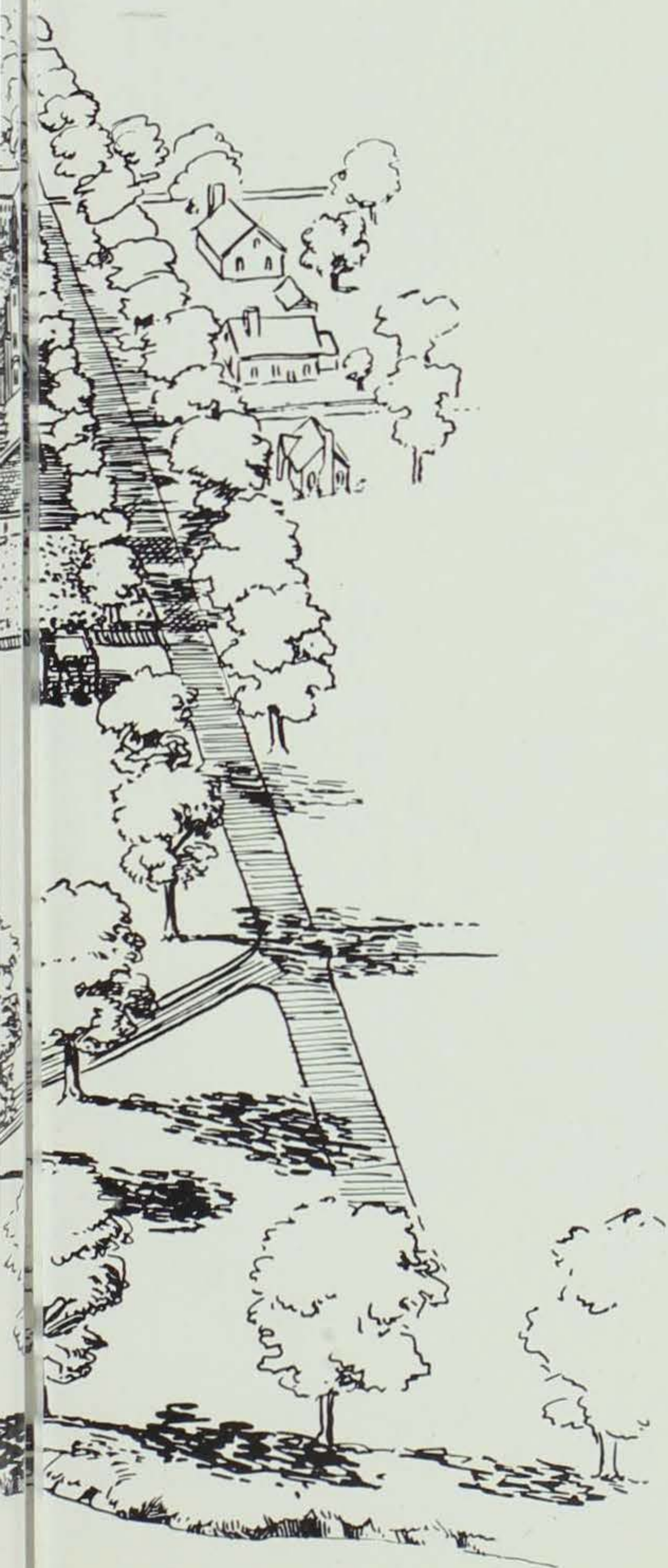
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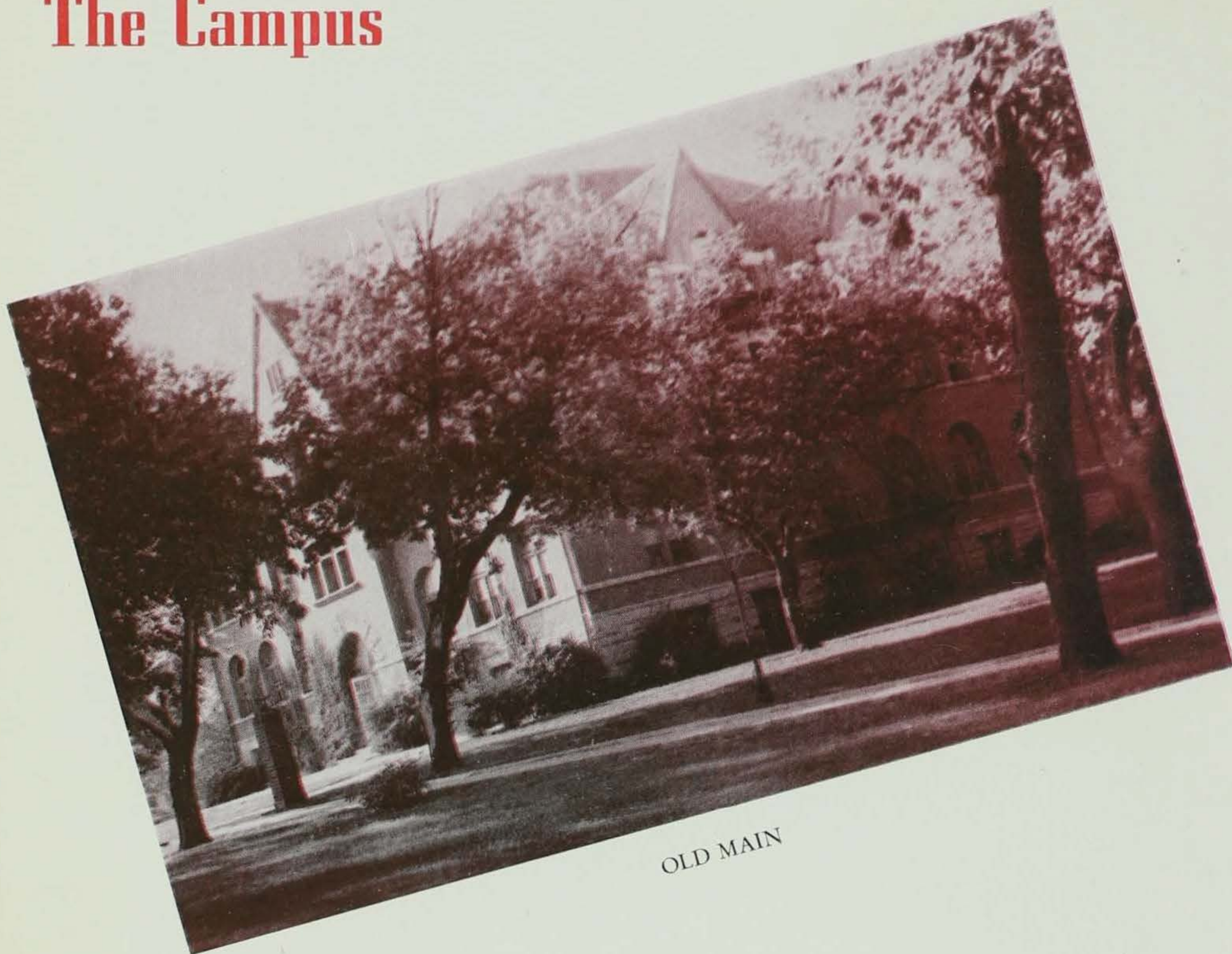
Moves Forward

Dedication

The Annual Staff dedicates the Beaver Log of 1948-49 to the people who have given materially, intellectually, and financially to the expansion and betterment of Buena Vista College.



The Campus

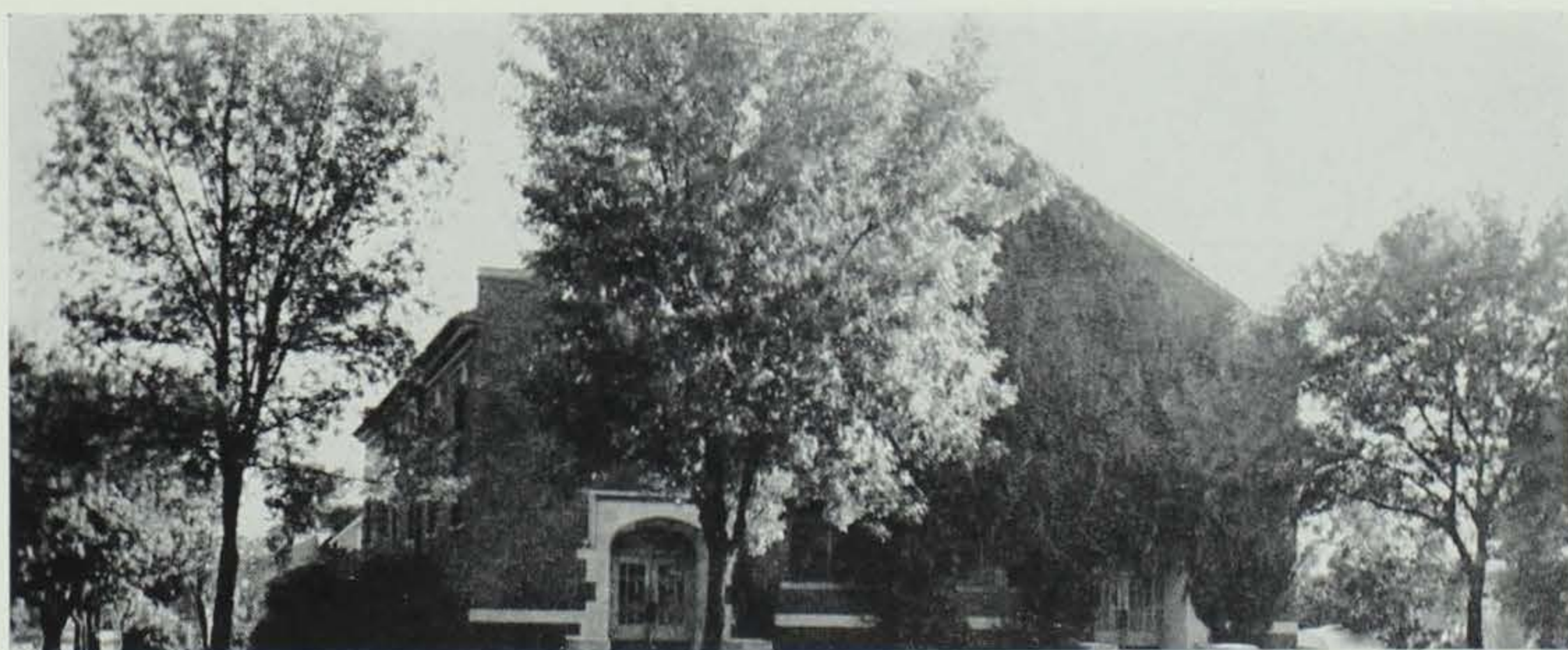


OLD MAIN

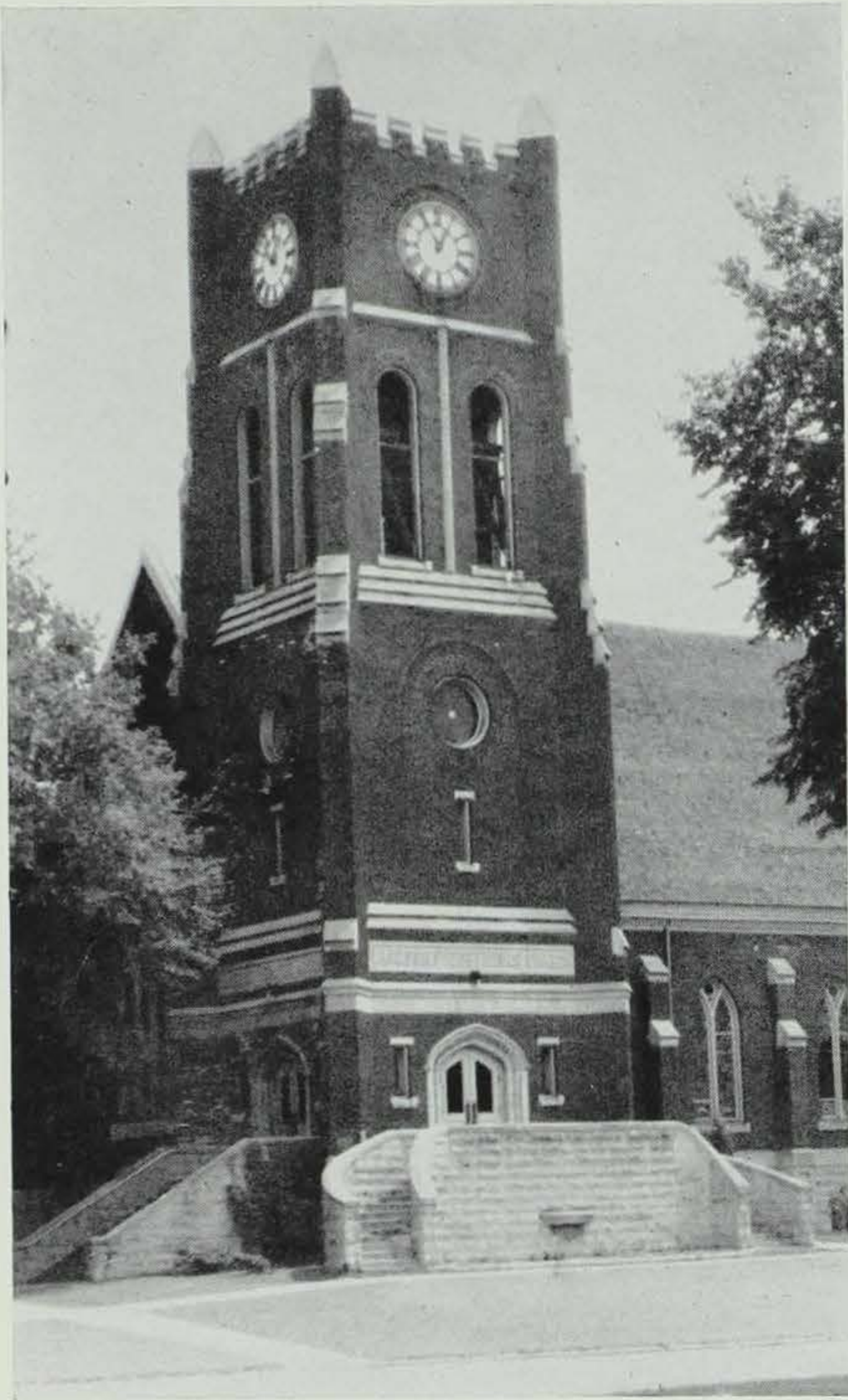
Old Main is the oldest building on the campus and the center of college activities. It contains the administrative offices, chapel, lecture rooms, and the music studios. Beaver Hall, recreation center on the campus, and the college cafeteria are located in the basement.



SCIENCE BUILDING

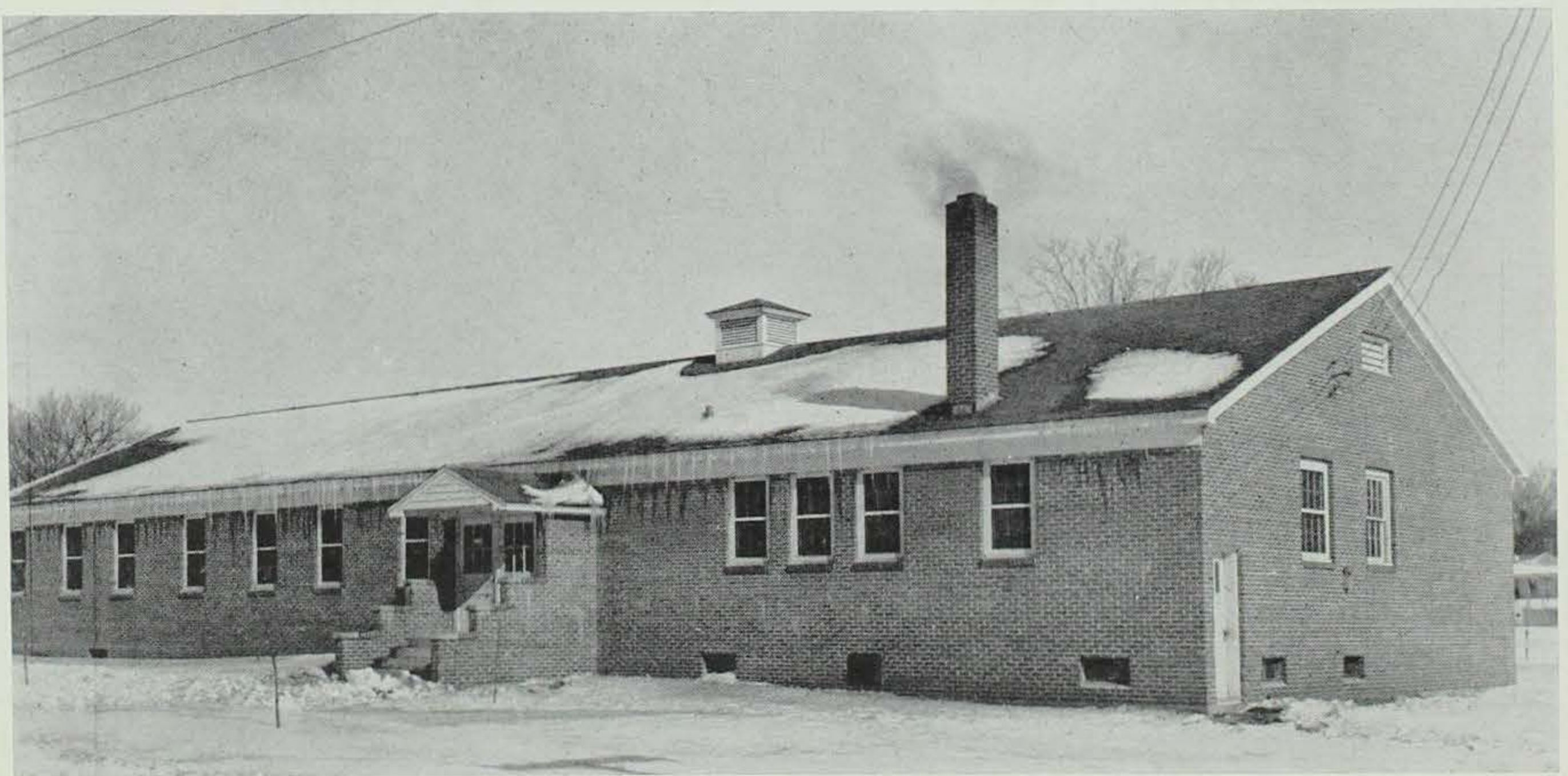


GYMNASIUM



LAKESIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The church that tells the time of day, that sets the hour for our pace at Buena Vista College, is the Lakeside Presbyterian. From its place on Third and Lake Streets, the Church watches over the town and campus. It is a College Church, and Sunday mornings find many worshippers from both faculty and student body coming to its doors to praise their Maker. Clarence C. Richardson, D. D., and his assistant, Alfred Schlorholtz, who is a sophomore at this college, are ever ready to serve either the college or the individual as the occasions arise. It is their consideration and the friendliness of the congregation that bind the Church and the College even closer than normal bonds demand.



LIBRARY

Proposed New Women's Dormitory



At last the dreams of many years are coming true. A new dormitory for women is being built this year. The plans, prepared by Architects Ingemann and Bergstedt of St. Paul, Minnesota, are now ready. The three story building will be a completely modern, fireproof structure located on the northwest corner of the campus facing Old Main. One will enter from the front into the spacious lounge into which will open a library and a game room. An office and a small apartment for the house mother are nearby. All other rooms on the three floors are grouped into suites with seven sleeping rooms, a lavatory, a storage room and a lounge in each suite. All the furniture will be built in except the beds. The lower floor will house the large dining room which will serve the entire student body.

SWOPE HALL

In appreciation of the large gift given by Mr. H. E. Swope of St. Paul, Minn., the dormitory will bear his name. Mr. Swope is a former resident of Storm Lake. The entire college community is deeply grateful to him for this expression of civic interest.

The estimated cost of the dormitory is \$200,000.00. Eighty per cent of this sum is now pledged. An analysis of the pledges reveals that former students or their families have pledged over \$25,000.00 Surely the Alumni have a growing sense of appreciation for their Alma Mater. Also, the churches of the Fort Dodge, Sioux City and Council Bluffs Presbyteries who sponsor Buena Vista College, have shown their sincere loyalty. Members of these churches have given most generously in order to provide funds for individual rooms which will be named for the church. Dr. Robert Stemme, Vice President of the College and Director of the Expansion Program, reports that Swope Hall is but the first building of the expansion program. The others in the plans are a Men's Dormitory, a Chapel, a Conservatory of Music and a Library. Buena Vista College is just beginning its new look.



We Increase In Numbers

A few short years ago America was engaged in a death struggle with ideologies that chose war as the only means of settling international problems.

Finally, after much sacrifice and bloodshed, America won the cherished victory. Peace reigned again, and the American people turned to the pursuit of peace-time interests. Among these interests was a greatly enhanced desire for higher education. College and university enrollment figures soared as returning veterans eagerly accepted governmental educational benefits offered them.

American colleges and universities were now faced with an unforeseen problem. Educational facilities were not adequate in view of the increased enrollment. The problem was met squarely, however, and the result is without parallel in educational history.

Buena Vista college, too, was confronted with the same problem. Our college accepted the challenge and has come through with flying colors.

In 1946, the critical year for all colleges, Buena Vista's enrollment including summer school totaled 1,059. Compared with the 1945 figure of 582, this was a tremendous increase. There is more to the story, however. At the close of 1948, the total was approximately 1,300. Thus statistics show that enrollment has more than doubled since 1945.

Paralleling the rapid growth of the student body is the increase in the number of faculty members. In 1945, the teaching staff numbered 26 while in 1948 it is listed as 56.

We increase in numbers yearly and will continue to increase according to present indications. Soon a new women's dormitory will be erected, further enhancing prospects for an ever-increasing enrollment.

Today World War II is past history. Buena Vista college has met and surmounted problems which arose after the turmoil of war. We are now looking ahead to a prospective future—a future which gleams brightly on the horizon of a greater America.



Administration



PRESIDENT HENRY OLSON

Under the leadership of Dr. Henry Olson, Buena Vista has made a record ranking it with other denominational colleges of similar size. Since Dr. Olson succeeded Dr. Everett Leon Jones in 1931 as head of our college, it has increased five-fold in numbers. Expansion and improvement of Buena Vista materially, intellectually, and spiritually are prime objectives of Dr. Olson. Indeed all students and alumni are proud of our College and its president.



Business Manager
F. M. SANDY



Dean
WILLIAM D. WESSELINK



Vice President
DR. ROBERT STEMME



MRS. PHOEBE LAFOY
Dean of Women

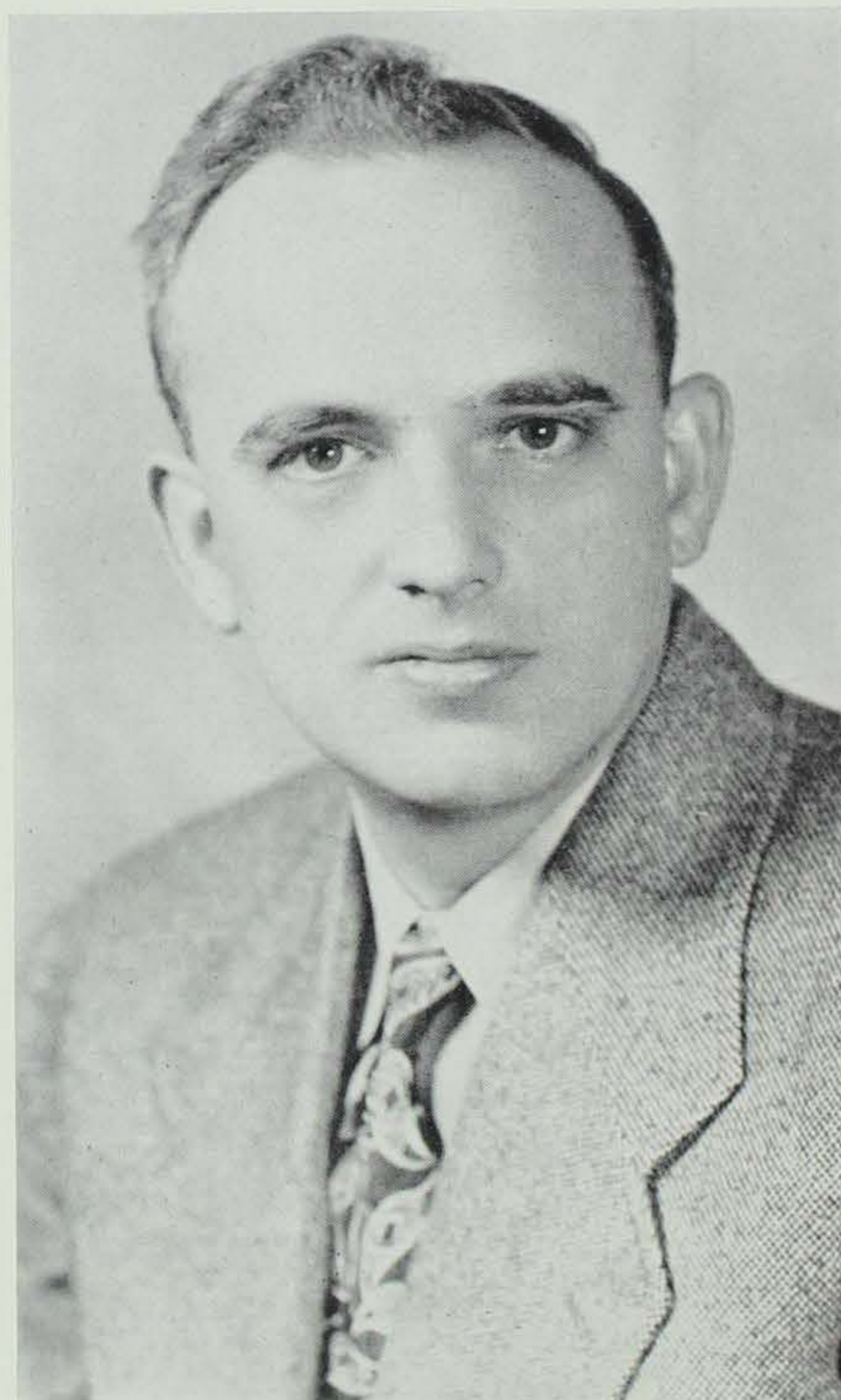
DONALD L. GRAHAM
Dean of Men

Professor Donald Graham, our popular history professor, is serving in the capacity of Dean of Men for the first year. Since his arrival on the B. V. Campus he has achieved notoriety for his interesting classroom lectures. Following his appointment as Dean of Men, it is concluded that he not only excels in class lectures but in firm counsel, required of a Dean. The men respect his judgment, which he extends to personal student problems. His office, a familiar place to most male students on the campus, is a respected source of advice. Prof. Graham who succeeded Prof. Blackman as Dean of Men is continuing the fine policy of direction established by Prof. Blackman.

PHOEBE LAFOY
Dean of Women

Serving in the capacity of Dean of Women, Mrs. LaFoy has performed the duties in a highly commendable manner. Not only does she give her time devotedly to the formal requirements of the position but does that added bit, which increases her popularity. Her soft-spoken voice and understanding way of counseling wins the admiration and friendship of the upper class women and coeds. To know her is a privilege, and her friendship is inspiring.

Through her duties as Dean of Women, Assistant Registrar, and commercial instructor, her acquaintance is made by nearly every student on the campus.



DONALD GRAHAM
Dean of Men



KENNETH M. BLACKMAN
B.A., University of Iowa; Graduate
work, U. of Iowa
Athletic Director, Physical
Education



KERMIT BUNTROCK
B.A., M.A., University of Iowa
Journalism



JESSIE CAMERON
B.A., M.A., Teachers College
Columbia University
Women's Physical Education

Faculty

JOSEPH P. CRISLER
B.S., M.A., West Texas State
College
Chemistry

ALBERTA DWELLE
B.S., University of Minnesota
Librarian

DONALD L. GRAHAM
B.S. in Education, M.S., Kansas
State Teachers College; Graduate
work, University of Chicago
History and Government





GERALD E. GREELEY
B. A., University of Minnesota;
M.M., University of Michigan
Piano and Organ



WILLIAM B. GROBE
Th.G., Northwestern Bible School
and Seminary; B.A., Macalester
College; Princeton Theological
Seminary
Bible



E. WAYNE HILMER
B.A., Morningside College; M.A.,
State University of Iowa
Education and Psychology

Faculty

ALBERT FREDERICK HIRSCH
Ph.D., University of Munich
French and German

FAY HOFFMAN
B.A., Augustana College; M.A.,
Indiana University
Art

T. P. KUEHL
B.A., South Dakota State; M.Ed.,
University of South Dakota; Grad-
uate work at University of Iowa
Head of Education Department

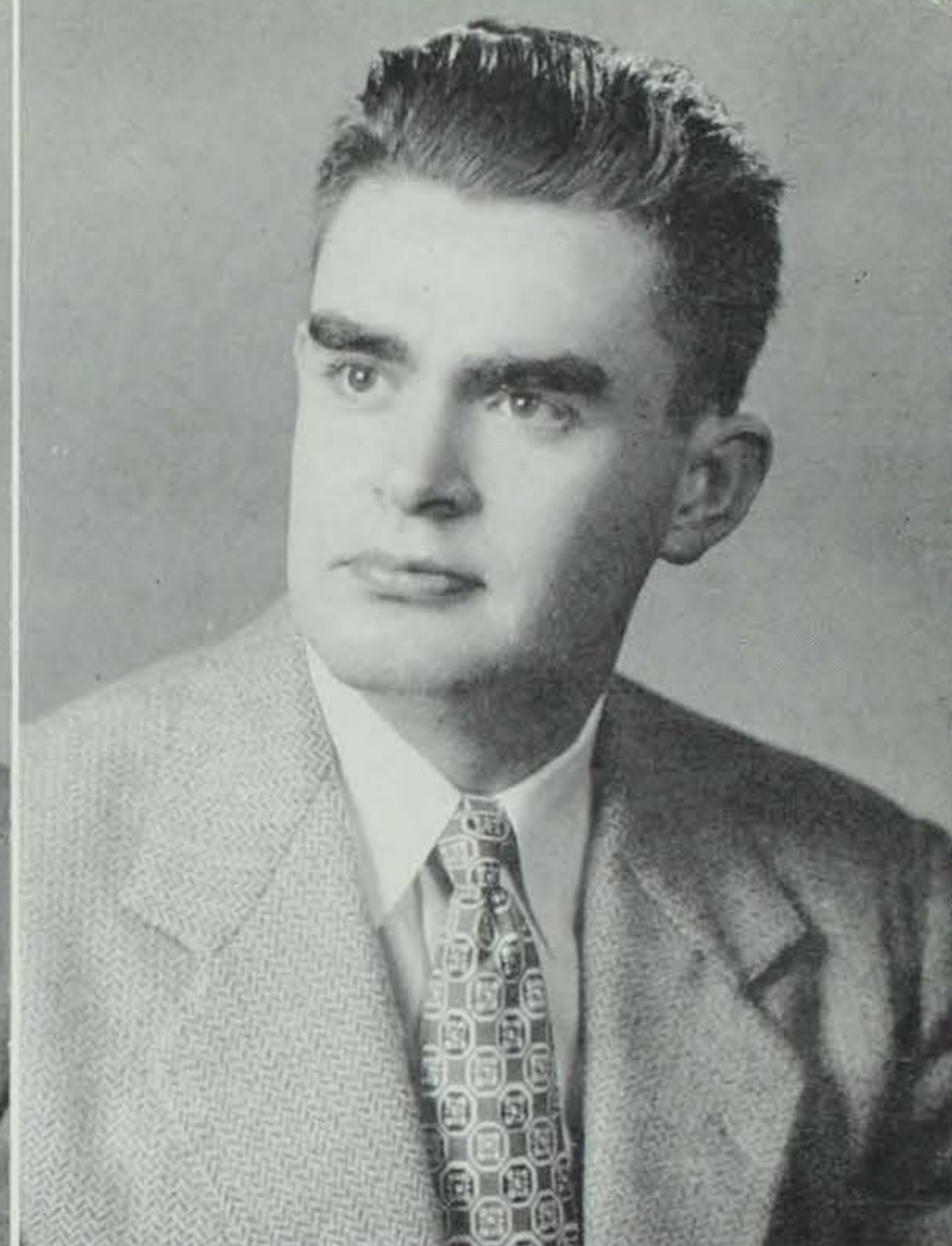




GLADYS M. KUEHL
B.A., Huron College; M.A., University of South Dakota; Graduate work, Black Hills Teachers College Speech



PHOEBE C. LAFOY
B.A., Grinnell College; Graduate work, University of Wisconsin Commercial, Dean of Women, Assistant Registrar



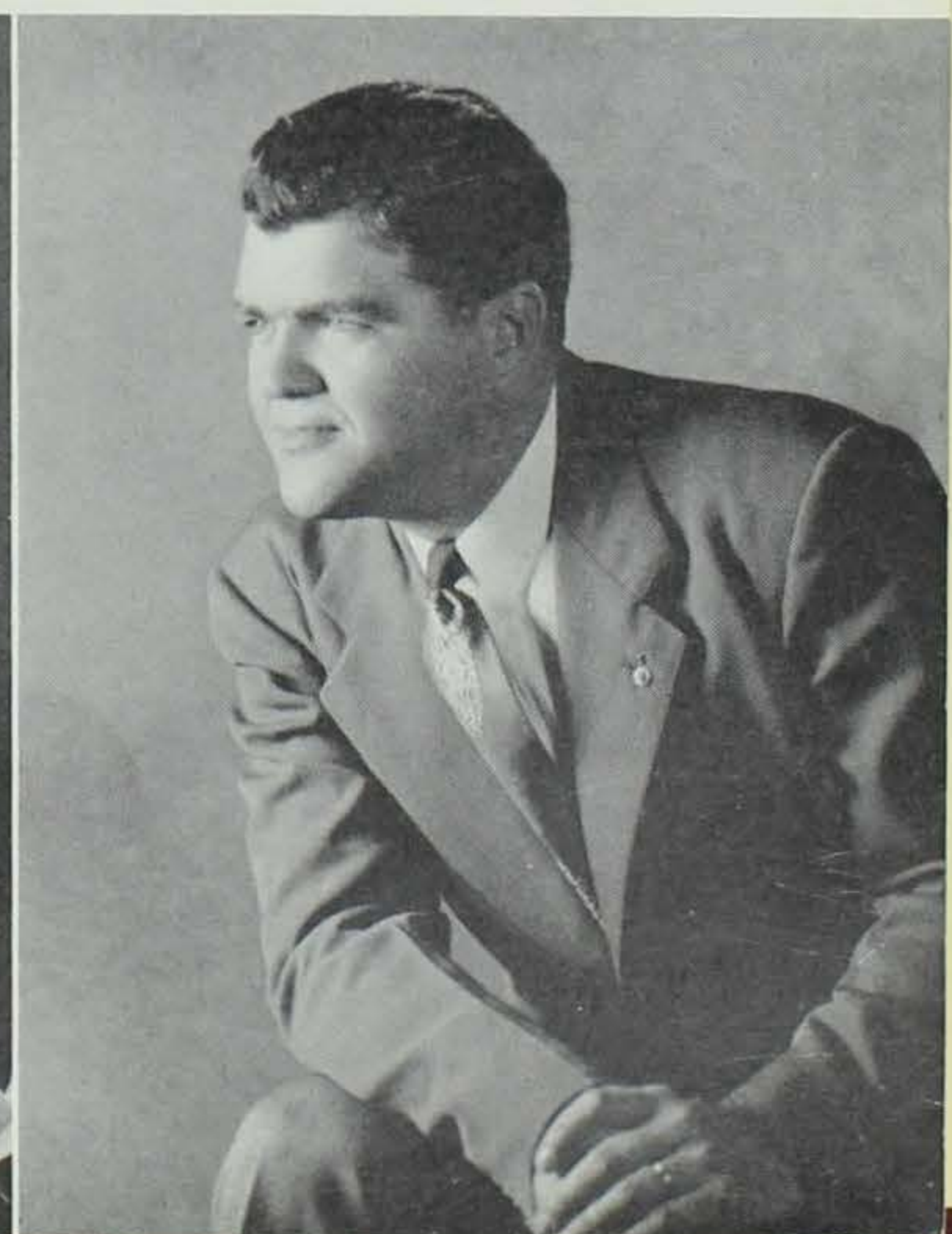
RICHARD LANDES
B.M., M.M., University of Illinois Band, Instrumental

Faculty

RUTH LAWRENCE
B.S., Northwest Missouri State Teachers College; M. A. Columbia University Voice and Public School Music

JOHN MAHARG
A.B., Capital University; Graduate work, Oberlin Conservatory of Music Choir, Voice

ROBERT OTTO
B.S. in Education, M.S., University of Iowa Physical Education

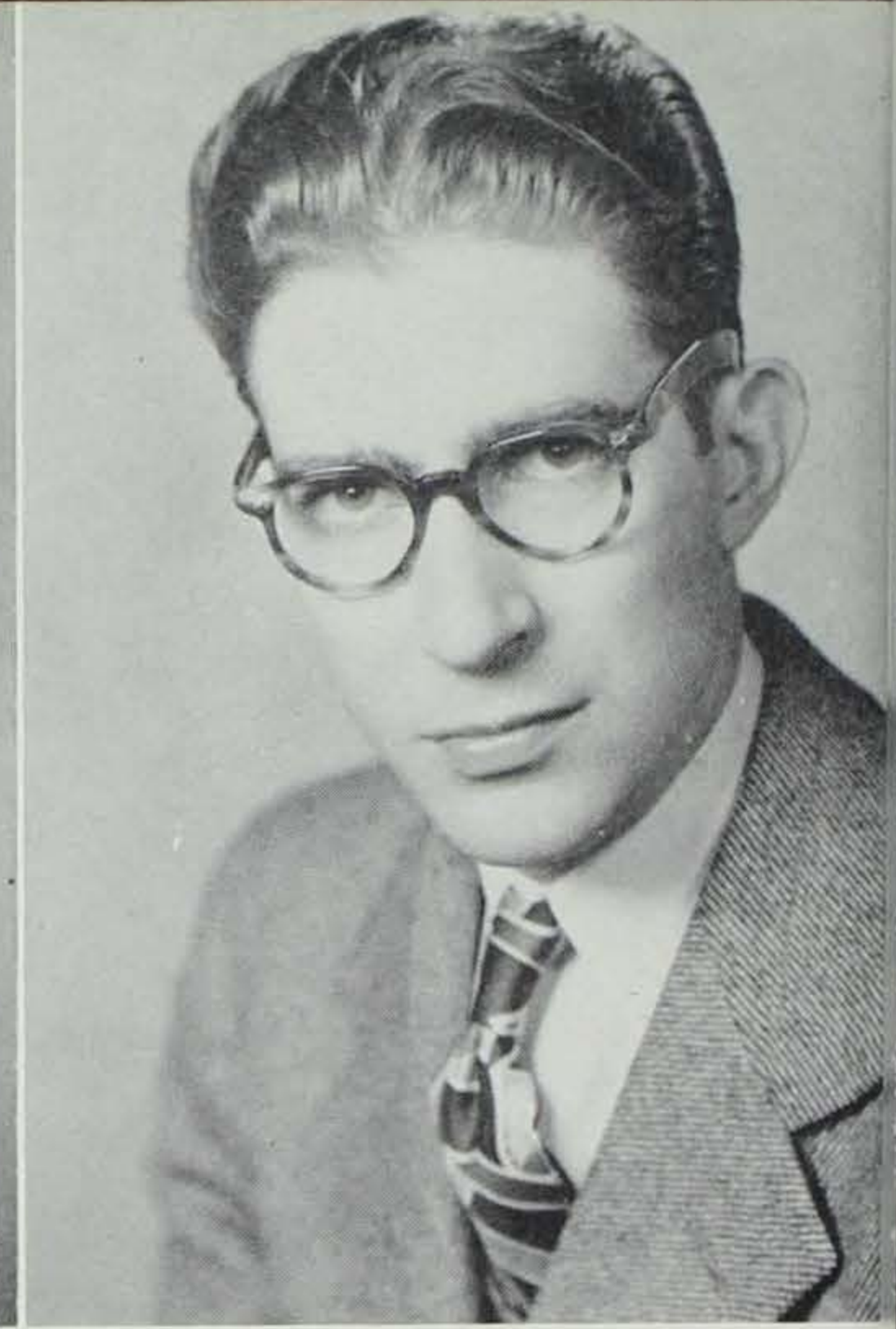




DAGGMAR PETERSON
B.A., University of Nebraska;
M.A., University of Nebraska
Biology



ANTONIO RAMIREZ
A.B., Park College; Th.B., Presby-
terian Theological Seminary; M.A.,
University of Nebraska; Graduate
work, Washington University
Spanish



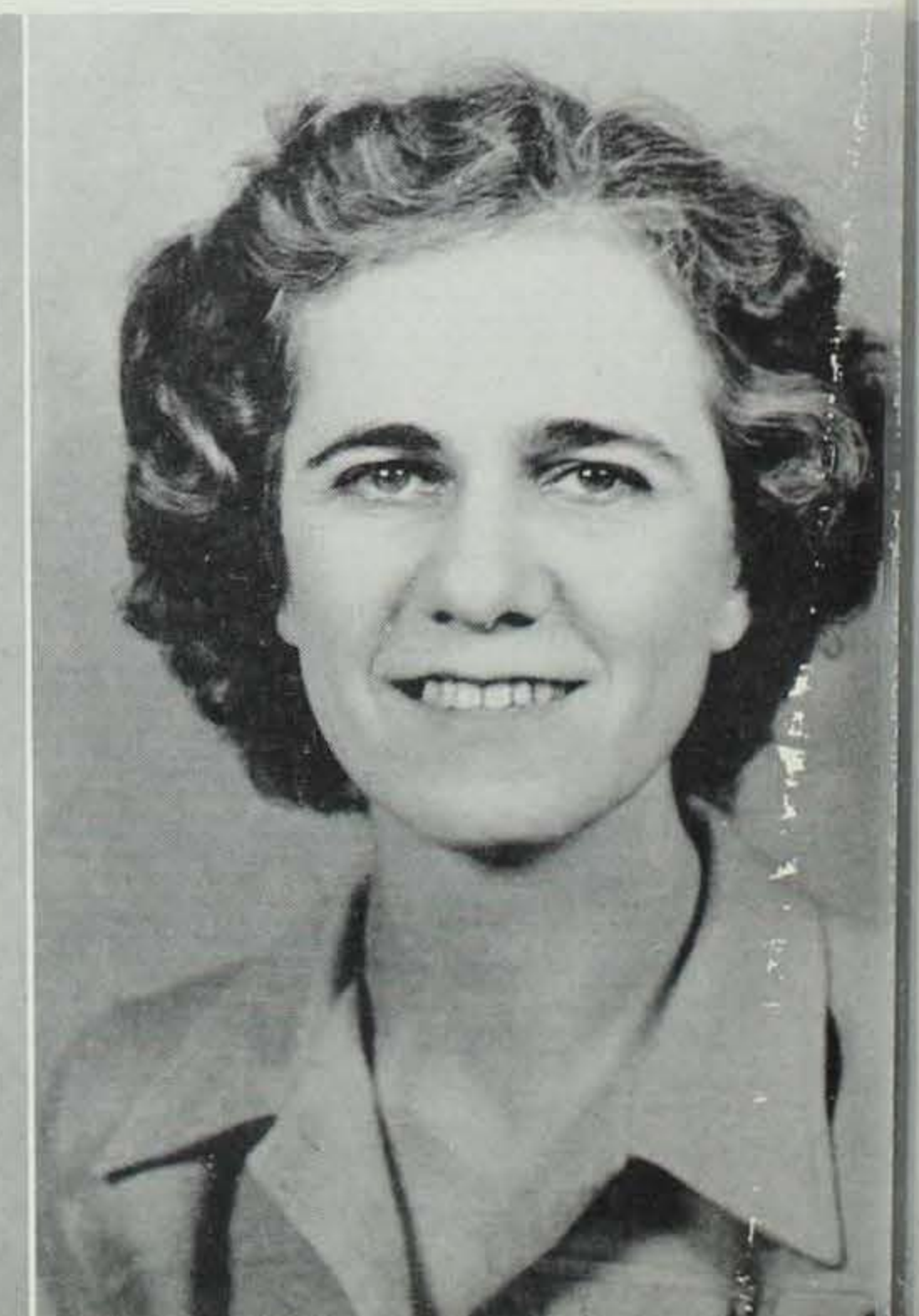
JOHN REED
Spanish
B.S., in Education, State Teachers
College, Slippery Rock, Pa.; M. A.,
University of Pittsburgh
English

Faculty

GEORGE F. REYNOLDS
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Iowa
Government and History

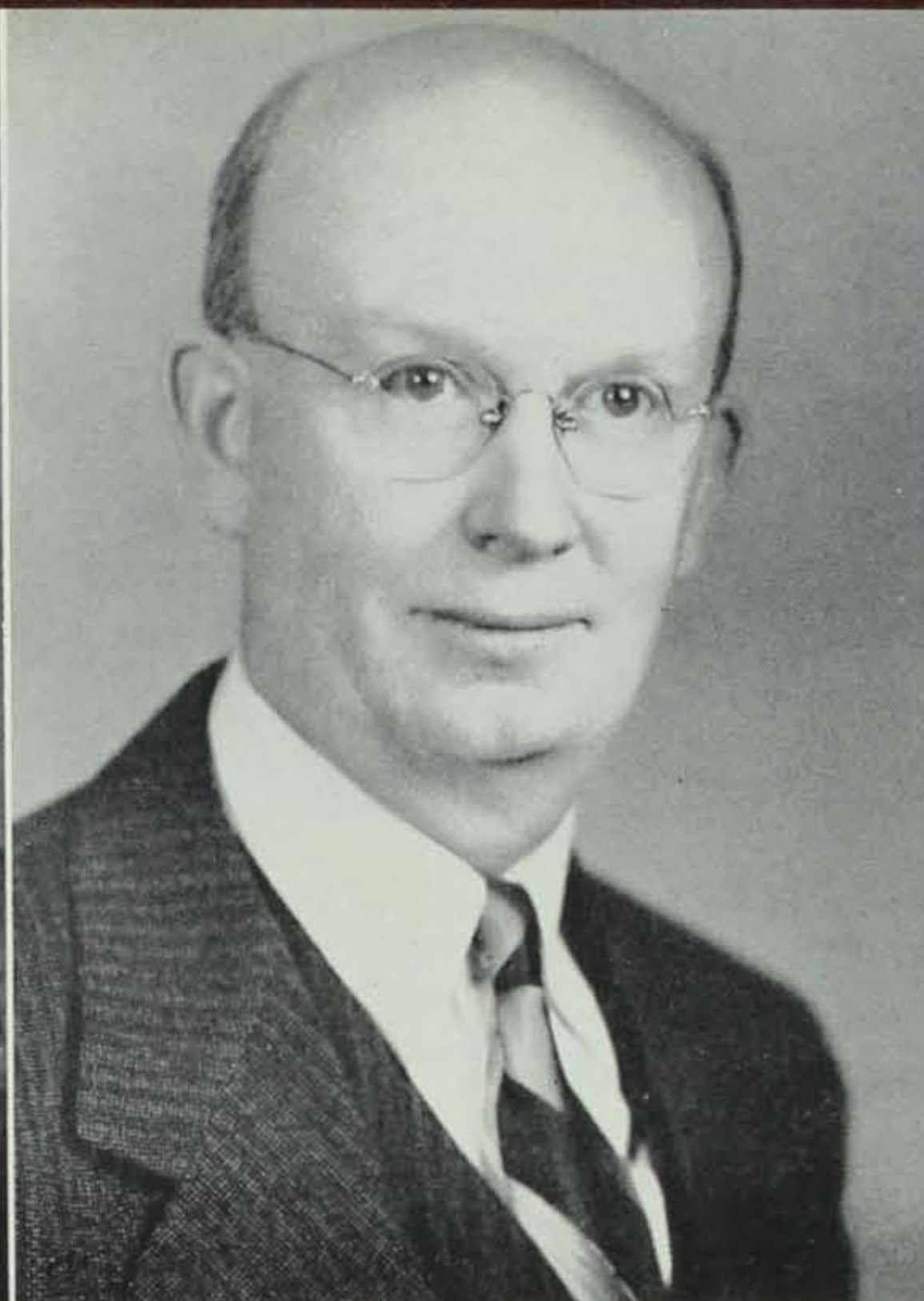
ETHEL M. RICKE
B.S., in Commerce and Certificate
of Education; M.A., University of
Iowa; Graduate work, Drake Uni-
versity, Pittsburgh University
Economics and Business
Administration

ETHEL ROORDA
B.A., Central College; M.S.,
University of Iowa
Mathematics

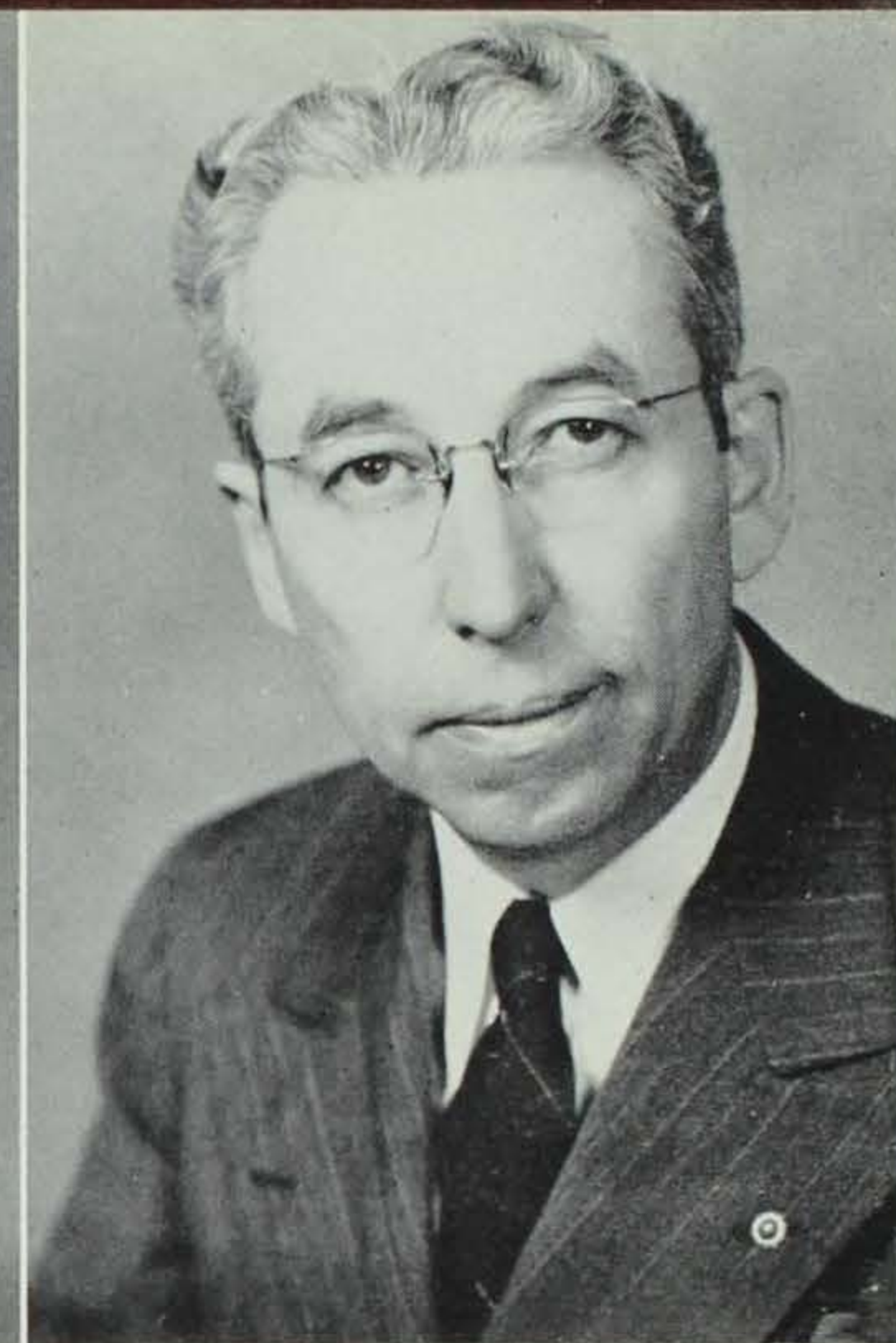




OPAL EULALIE ROARK
B.S., Central Missouri State Teachers College; M.A., George Peabody College for Teachers
Education and Geography



LUMAN W. SAMPSON
B.A., Upper Iowa University; M.A., University of Iowa; Ph.D., University of Wisconsin
Sociology



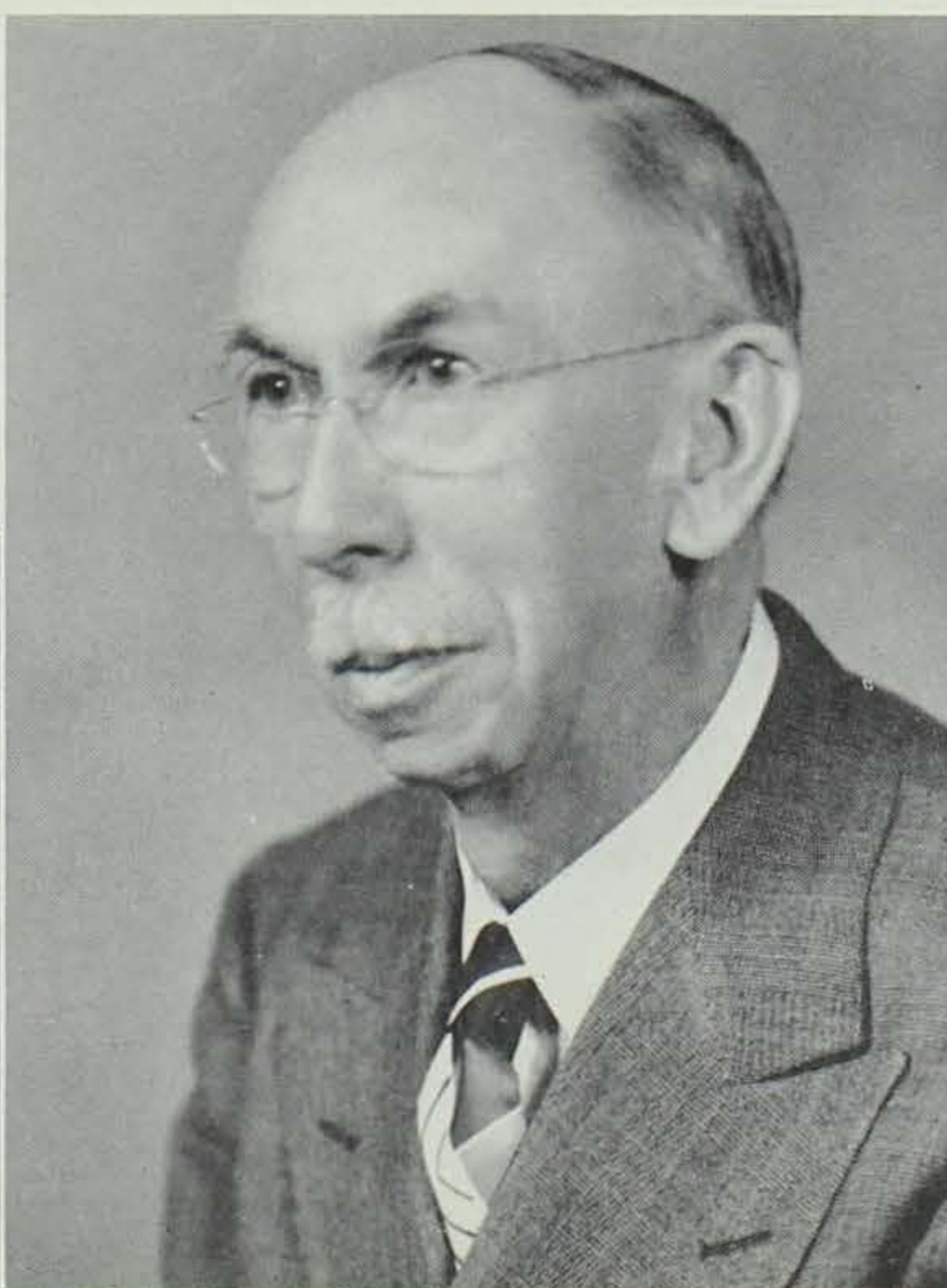
F. M. SANDY
B.S.C., M.A., University of Iowa
Business Manager, Business Administration

Faculty

PAUL L. SHAFER
B.A., Upper Iowa University;
Oklahoma A. & M.
Mathematics

FREDRIC FRANKLIN SMITH
B.S., Tufts College; M.S., University of Iowa; Graduate work Harvard University; Sc.D., Buena Vista College
Biology

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





PROF. WAYNE G. WILD
B.S., South Dakota State; M.S.,
University of Wisconsin; Graduate
work at University of Wisconsin
Head of Physics Department



BETTY WILSON
B. A., M.A., Marquette University
English, B.V. Players

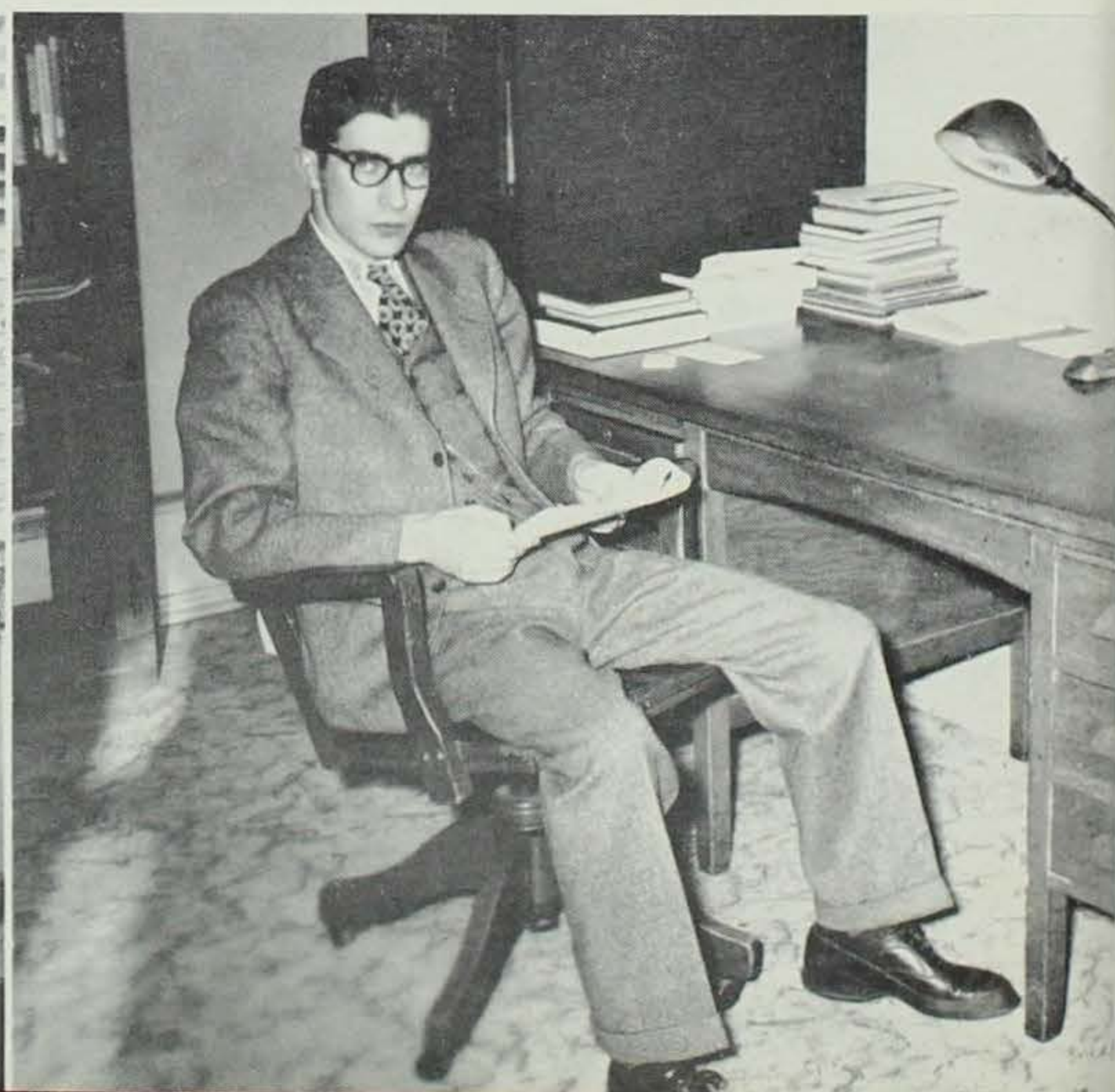
Faculty

HARD AT WORK

DEAN W. D. WESSELINK



PROF. JOHN REED



Shirley Vorland—Mrs. Vorland—is personal secretary to Dean Wesselink. Her duties are many and varied, including sending out correspondence, registering students, recording grades and transcripts, and checking chapel roll. She also acts as full time receptionist to say, "Sorry the dean is out." In her position she readily sees B.V. move forward.

Vera Franzene and Wanda Weesner, well known students on the campus, spend their would-be leisure time helping out. Taking on some of the secretarial duties of Mrs. Vorland, their beaming faces can be seen almost any time in Dean Wesselink's office.



THE DEAN'S OFFICE

Left to right: Shirley Vorland, Mrs. LaFoy, Vera Franzene, Dean Wesselink, Wanda Weesner

Administrative Offices

Mr. F. M. Sandy acts in official capacity as business manager of the college. Always lost in business transactions, recording balance sheets, and bills, he has a friendly smile and eagerness to serve you over the book store counter. In his position "Sandy" truly sees B.V. move forward.

Mrs. Sandy graciously acts as a secretary in the absence of a regular girl. Her duties are to fill the "material needs" of our studying.

Jerry, wife of student Albert Allen, comes into the office in her extra hours to help out with typing book work and almost anything that needs to be done. Her smile is usually seen any busy Saturday beaming out over books, records, or a hot typewriter.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE

Left to right: Mrs. Sandy, Mrs. Allen, Mr. Sandy



Public Relations Office



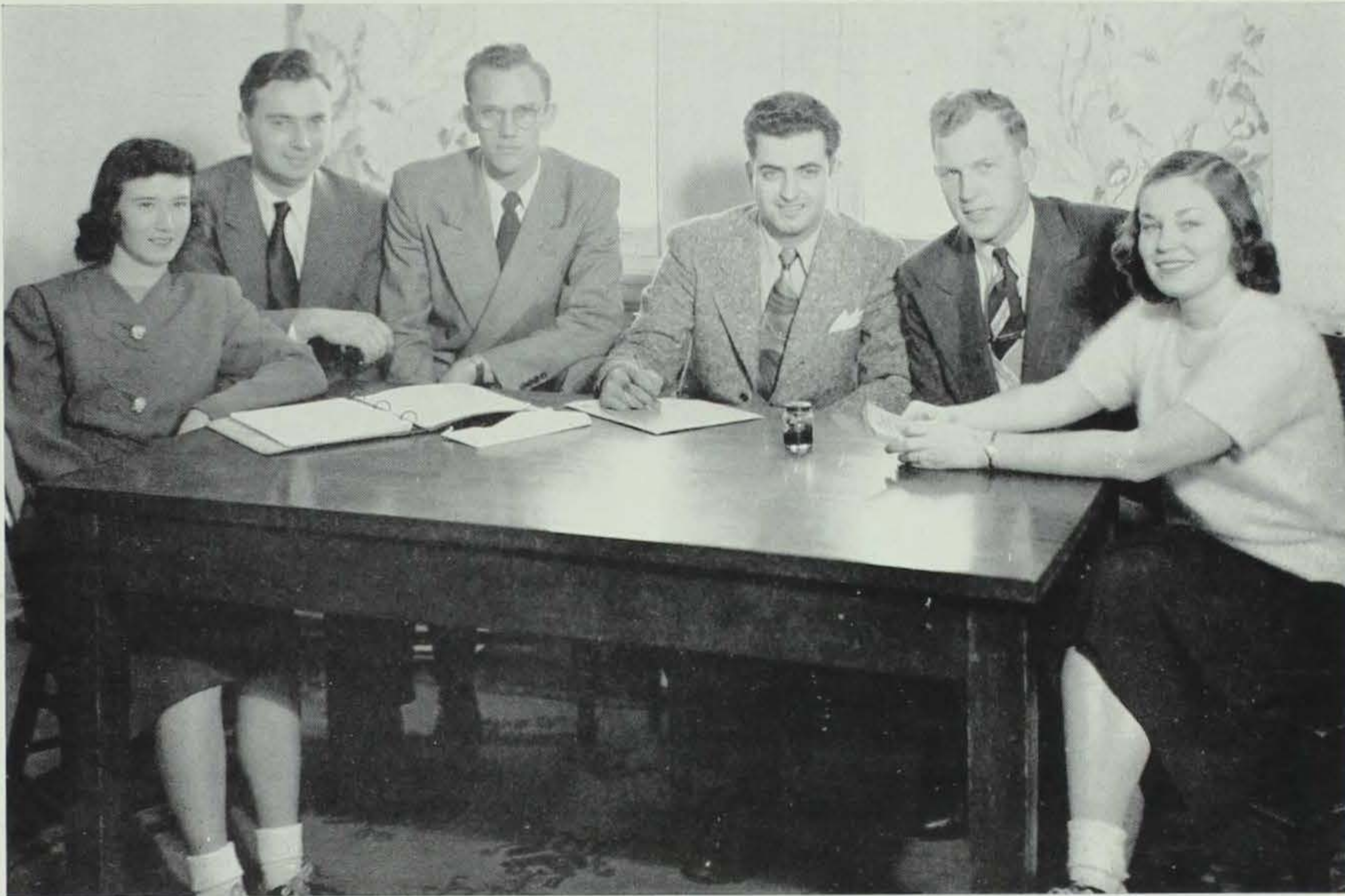
JOHN U. BARBOUR

DONNA VANDESTEEG

This newly organized office, a separate unit this year, is the home of the Public Relations Department. Under the able direction of John U. Barbour, the department has charge of all the college public relations, publications, and assists the placement bureau in finding positions for students. The office has on file over one hundred and fifty schools receiving the college's semimonthly paper and publications bulletins. Alumni records and students records of the current enrollment are available to facilitate the placement bureau. Mr. Barbour as director publicizes all college activities, including the agenda of events appearing on the sports calender.

Mr. Barbour and his secretary, Donna Vandesteeg, have made Buena Vista a familiar institution to colleges, high schools, and the public of a wide geographical area. It has contributed immensely to the expansion of Buena Vista.

Student Council



Left to right: Wanda Weesner, Jim Skaar, Robert Woody, Morgan Thomas, Jack Henneberry, Mary Tryon.
Not present: Dick Bunker, Clair Abbot.

The first steps in the student government were implimented when student council representatives were elected during the first week of school. They included Jack Henneberry, senior representative; James Skaar, junior representative; Mary Tryon, sophomore representative; and Clair Abbot, freshman representative. In the next two weeks a campaign for student council officers was carried on. Each class nominated the candidates for one office. In the spirited campaign some of the candidates gave away gum, book matches, and napkins with appropriate campaign literature printed upon them. The climax of the campaign was a political rally at Victory Hall the night before election. Each campaign manager introduced his candidates, who in turn gave an election speech. The polls were open all day, Thursday, October 7. When the votes were counted, the results were as follows: Morgan Thomas, president; Bob Woody, vice-president; Wanda Weesner, treasurer; and Dick Bunker, secretary.

The student council has been rather quiet this year, for many of the activities were carried out by individual organizations rather than by the school as a whole. But the Student Council worked behind the scenes by allotting dates for dances, working on Homecoming, preparing for the Spring Prom, and arranging other activities. The Student Council, with the aid of the faculty, also considered and enacted some rules necessary for order, progress, and safety on the campus. The Student Council received special assistance from Professors LaFoy and Graham.

The Library



Librarian Alberta Dwelle and two of her assistants, Dee Ann Carlson and Lowell Wilbur

This is a part of college life that some of our less industrious students never participate in. It may be said that some students have graduated without ever using the services of the library. With the added improvements and facilities of the library, it is able to accommodate more students, and as a result more students are taking advantage of the library's services. The library, which was new last fall, is proving to be an asset to the education facilities of the college. During the past two years the opportunities for more efficient library service have increased with the addition of the vertical file system, a more adequate card catalogue system, the addition of new reference books, bound volumes of magazines, and better physical surroundings such as new and better lights, new tables and chairs, and the heating system. The library at the present time has approximately 23,355 volumes of books and 150 magazine subscriptions which are at the constant disposal of the students. The reading room is spacious and is capable of holding from seventy-five to one hundred students. The librarians office is adequate, and the students find the librarian, Alberta Dwelle, very helpful in helping them find references on various subjects. The new library is fast proving itself invaluable on the campus.

Beaver Cooks and Custodians



Mrs. Avis Harrell, Mrs. Caroline Tryan, Mrs. Margaret Jacobsen.

Beaver Hall, situated in the basement of Old Main, is the center of all extra-curricular activities. Under the brightly striped awnings, friends gather for coffee and the latest gossip or help with a difficult subject. Not only does Beaver Hall serve as a meeting place for friends, but as a business establishment in which many college students do part-time work. Eating in the college atmosphere is a pleasure when one is able to eat the delicious, low-cost food prepared by Mrs. Avis Harrell and her staff. "Beaver" is used by many of the campus organizations for parties at which gay decorations and pleasant staff add pleasant memories to the students leaving Buena Vista.

Glancy Highland, William J. Hase, James Aylward



Head Custodian: Glancy Highland at work

Seniors



Officers

- President,*
Dick Toohey
- Vice-President*
Jack Bunnelle
- Secretary*
Don Cox
- Treasurer*
Clyde Powers
- Student Council*
Jack Henneberry
- Faculty Advisor*
Dr. George Reynolds

Left to Right: Dr. George Reynolds, Clyde Powers, Jack Bunnelle, Dick Toohey

The seniors, having a wealth of experience to draw on in addition to much natural talent, were the leaders of many of the Beaver activities and organizations. John DeVolder, as editor and Frank Smith as Business Manager, guided the activities of the school paper, *The Tack*. DeWayne Ehlert, with help of his staff, put the annual together. Ed Lashier, as captain, Wilbur Johnson, Dick Toohey, and Herman Decker as lettermen contributed much to the successes of the football team. Dick also served as president of the Letterman's Club, while Jack Bunnelle, and Dick Gaffney served as secretary and treasurer respectively. Don Madsen and Marlin Wise contributed greatly to the success of various plays on the campus. In addition to acting, both directed one-act plays and Don served as president of the B.V. Players. Morgan Thomas acted as president of the Student Council and also as president of the M.E.N.C. He was helped by John DeVolder and Henry Gorman as vice-president and secretary of that organization. Boyd Granzow, Ruth Morrice and Francis Davis supplied the guidance for the Student Christian Fellowship. The music fraternity, Phi Delta Chi, was under the leadership of Norman Hoft. We see by this imposing list that the seniors really were the guiding influence of the college. They will be greatly missed. We all hope they will continue to meet with the success that they achieved in Buena Vista.

Seniors

Robert Anderson
Marathon, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Track 3,4
International Relations 3
Vets Club 2,3



Vernon Anderson
Buffalo, Minnesota
BIBLE



Earl Baker
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermans Club 4
Intramurals 2
Football 4



Dorothy Barbour
Oakland, California

ROMANCE LANGUAGES

Spanish Club 4



John Bunnelle
Rakin, Illinois

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermans Club 1,2,3,4
Class Officer 4
Vets Club 1,2
Basketball 1,2,3,4



Max Burch
Fort Dodge, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Seniors

Walter Christensen
Greenfield, Iowa
MATHEMATICS
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Victor Christenson
Greenfield, Iowa
MATHEMATICS
Intermurals 3,4



Alvin Cleveland
Linn Grove, Iowa
MATHEMATICS
Student Council 3



John Cook
Glidden, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE
Vets Club 1,2
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Donald Cox
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Frances Davis
Deep River, Iowa
ENGLISH
Phi Alpha Pi 2,3,4
B.V. Players 2,3
Sigma Tau Delta 4
Student Christian
Fellowship 3,4
Choir 1,2
Band 1,2
Class Officer 3



Seniors

Herman Decker
Linn Grove, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 2,3,4
Football 3,4
Basketball 1



John DeVolder
Pomeroy, Iowa
MUSIC
Band 1,2,3,4
Choir 1,2,3,4
Ensemble 2
Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
M. E. N. C. 2,3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 2,3,4
Tack 2,3,4



DeWayne Ehlert
Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Tack 4
Y.M.C.A. 1,2
Student Council 3
Annual 4
Basketball 1,2
Intramurals 1,2



Robert Fastje
Denison, Iowa
MATHEMATICS



Darold Faulkner
Marathon, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Football 3
Intramurals 3,4



Gordon Fett
Storm Lake, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE
Football 2,3
Basketball 1
Track 2,3
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 2,3,4



Seniors

Ellis Francis
Linn Grove, Iowa
ECONOMICS-BUS. AD.



Richard Gaffney
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Baseball 2
Basketball 2,3,4



Henry Gorman
Kenmare, N. D.
MATHEMATICS
M. E. N. C. 4
Choir 3,4
Quartet 1,2,3,4
Boys Ensemble 1
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Boyd Granzow
Algona, Iowa
BUSINESS AD.
Student Christian
Fellowship 3,4



Roland Gustafson
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Basketball 2,3
Vets Club 2
Intermurals 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4



Don Hamann
Aurelia, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Basketball 1
Football 1
Lettermen's Club 4



Seniors

Lowell Hendricks
Sac City, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.V. Players 4
Spanish Club 4
Vets Club 1,2
Track 1



John Henneberry
Truesdale, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Alpha Psi Omega 4
B.V. Players 1,2,3,4
Tack 2,3
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Vets Club 1,2
Y.M.C.A. 1,2
Student Council 4
Basketball 1
Football 3
Intramurals 2,4

Burdette Hoepner
Calumet, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Band 1
Intramurals 1



Norman Hoft

MATHEMATICS

Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4

Robert Jacobson
Marathon, Iowa

HISTORY

Choir 1,2,3,4
Phi Delta Chi 4
B.V. Players 2,3,4
Alpha Phi Omega 3,4
Tack 1,2
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Stanley Johnson
Alta, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.V. Players
Alpha Psi Omega 4
International Relations 3
Band 4
Annual Staff 2,3
Tack 2,3

Seniors

Wilbur Johnson
Storm Lake, Iowa

PRE-MEDICAL

Football 2,3
Band 3
Intramurals 1,2
Vets Club 1,2,3



Ed Lashier
Early, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Class Officer 3
Vets Club 2,3
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 4
Basketball 1
Football 1,2,3,4

Floyd Latta
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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

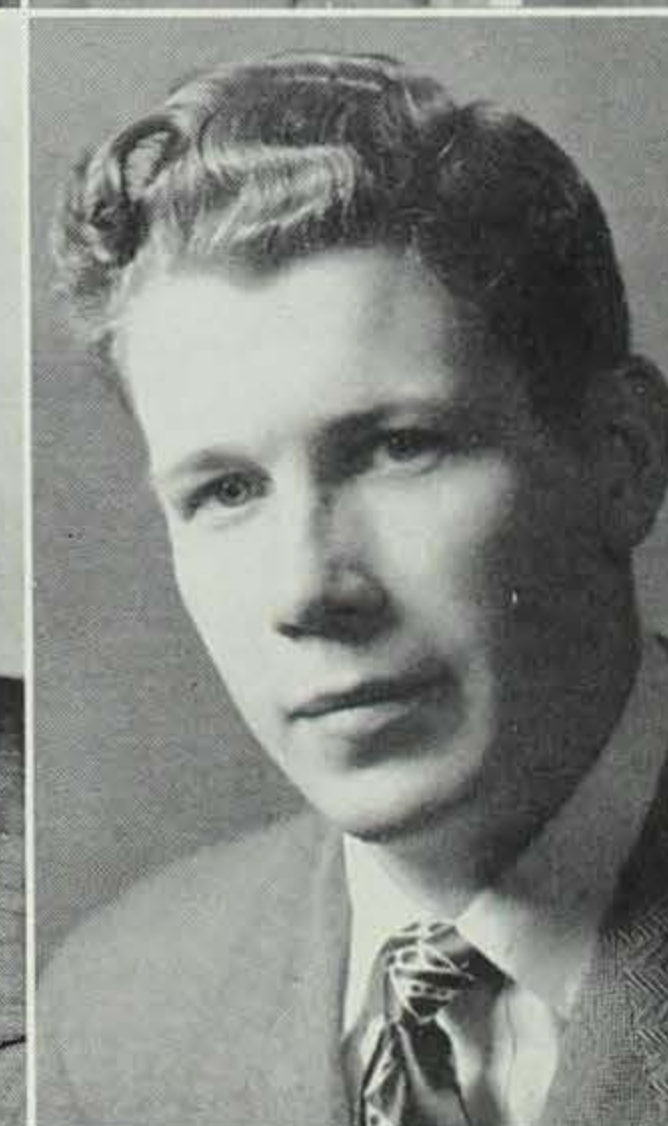


Donald Lehigh
Sioux Rapids, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.V. Players 2,3
Choir 1
Student Christian
Fellowship 3,4

James Lyman
Cherokee, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCES



Francis McCabe
Storm Lake, Iowa

HISTORY

B.V. Players 2
Annual Staff 4
Class Officer 2
Intramurals 2,4

Seniors

Paul Maaske
Logan, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Basketball 4
Baseball 4



Don Madsen
Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCES
B.V. Players 1,2,3,4
Alpha Psi Omega 2,3,4
Choir 1,2,3,4
Student Christian
Fellowship 1
Class Officer 1
M. E. N. C. 3
Vets Club 1,2



Emily Lou Noyes
Wall Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Sigma Tau Delta 4
Delta Phi Beta 3



Ruby O'Connor
Swea City, Iowa
MATHEMATICS
Tack 2
Vets Club 1,2
Choir 1



Wayne Peters
Manson, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Sigma Tau Delta 4
Football 1,2,4
Intramurals 2,4



Clyde Powers
Ocean Beach, Calif.
**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**



Seniors

Donald Rehnstrom
Linn Grove, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Choir 4
Tack 1
Basketball 1,2
Baseball 1,2
Intramurals 2,3



James See
Laurens, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Intramurals 2,3



Laverne Shannon
Storm Lake, Iowa

ENGLISH

Delta Phi Beta 4
B.V. Players 2,3,4
F.T.A. 2,3,4
Student Council
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4



Don Smith
Storm Lake, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Sigma Tau Delta 4
Tack 3,4
Annual Staff 3
Intramural 1



James Stewart
Webb, Iowa
PHYSICS



Maxine Strampe
Storm Lake, Iowa

**EDUCATIONAL
PSYCHOLOGY**



Seniors

Russell Tallman
Clarion, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

International Relations 4
Band 2
Vets Club 1,2
Intramurals 3



Morgan Thomas
Cherokee, Iowa

MUSIC

B.V. Singers 1,2,3,4
Boys Quartet 1,2,3,4
Vets Club 1,2
M. E. N. C. 3,4
Student Council 4
Band 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 2,3



Robert Thompson
Royal, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Charles Toohey
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Richard Toohey
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermen's Club 3,4
Vets Club 1,2
Football 3,4



Marlin Wise
Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS

ADMINISTRATION

B.V. Players 2,3,4
International Relations 4
Sigma Tau Delta 4



Seniors

William Wolter
Calumet, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Baseball 1,2,3
Intramurals 1



Charles Wood
Webster City, Iowa
HISTORY
Forensic 4



Leslie Wade
Alta, Iowa
MUSIC



Lawrence Adkins
Laurens, Iowa
**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**



Summer School Seniors

Albert Allen
Marshalltown, Iowa
**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**
Tack 3,4
International Relations 3
Vets Club 3
Intramurals 3



Harvey Beek
Little Rock, Iowa
**EDUCATION and
PSYCHOLOGY**

William Bibow
Spirit Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Vets Club 1,2
Football 1



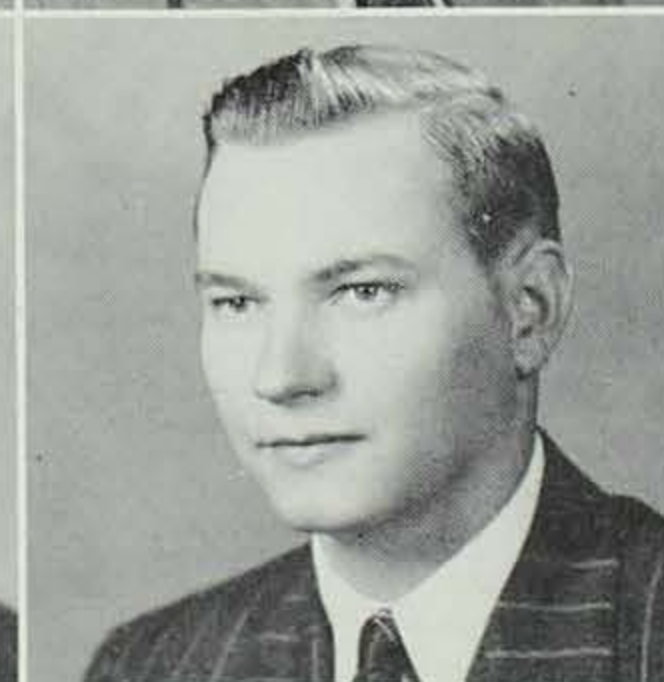
Bruce Cranston
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Vets Club 1
Intramurals 4

Gunnar Frey
Austin, Texas
**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**
Spanish Club 4



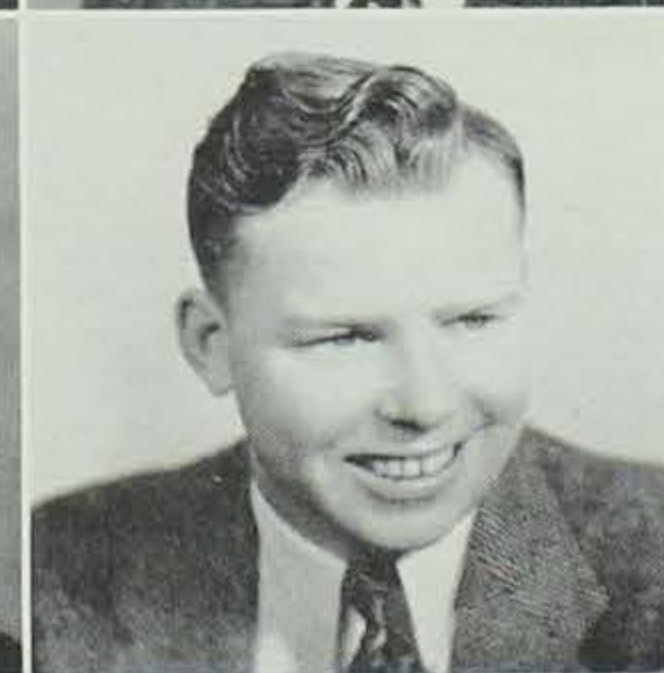
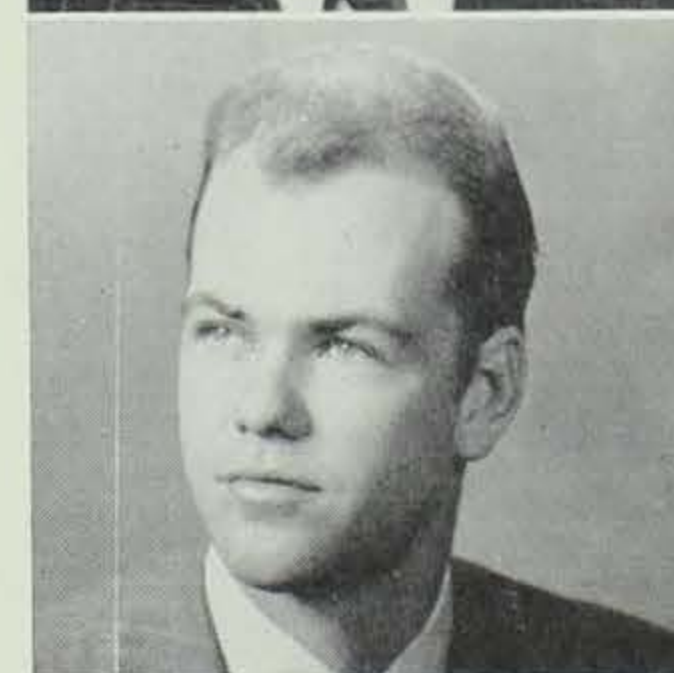
Vernon Gring
Rembrandt, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Wallace Hamann
Aurelia, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Basketball 1,3,4
Football 3,4
Baseball 2,3
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Robert Hansen
Dedham, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE
International Relations 4

LeRoy Hensley
Exira, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Vets Club 2,3
Intramurals 3,4
Football 3
Baseball 2,3,4



Virgil Holmes
Storm Lake, Iowa
ENGLISH
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Tack 3

Summer School Seniors

Leonard Johnson
Eagle Grove, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCES



Virgil Lichtenberg
Alta, Iowa

ENGLISH
B.V. Players 2
Vets Club 1
Track 3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
International Relations 4

Richard Logan
Havelock, Iowa
SCIENCE



Jerome Lehr
Correctionville, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Basketball 1,2
Football 1,2
Track 1,2,3

Donald C. Madson
Hawarden, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Vets Club 1,2
Intramurals 1
Football 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4



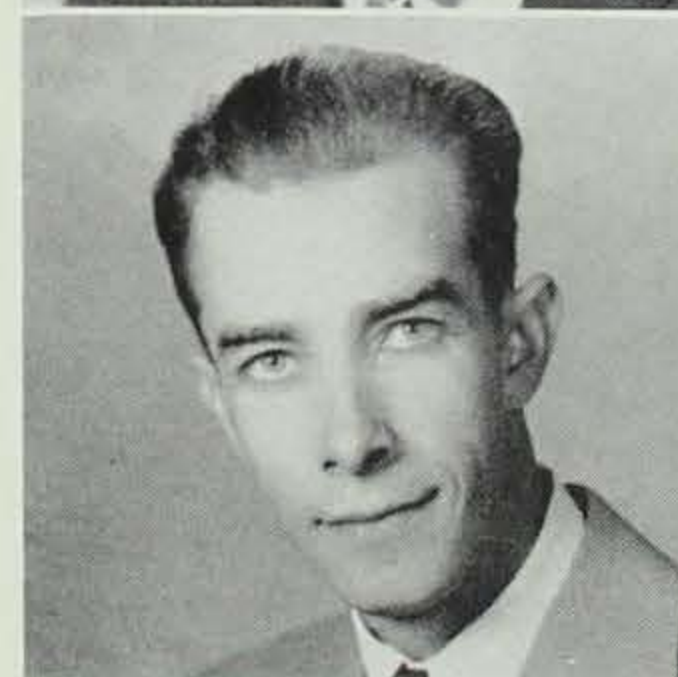
Joan Meyers
Fenton, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE
Band 3
Entre Nous 1,2,3,4
Student Christian
Fellowship 1,2

Donald Oviatt
Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE
Vets Club 1,2
Intramurals 1,2,3,4



Dale Reding
Newell, Iowa
CHEMISTRY

Marvin Rees
Storm Lake, Iowa
**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION
and ECONOMICS**
Choir 2,3,4
Ensemble 4
Quartet 2,3,4
B.V. Singers 1,2
Phi Delta Chi 3,4
Vets Club 2



Joanne Rice
Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE
Phi Alpha Phi 1,2,3,4
Annual Staff 1
B.V. Players 1,2

Summer School Seniors

Bernie Saggau
Denison, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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



George Slater
Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE

Malcolm Stanford
Larrabee, Iowa

**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**

Intramurals 3,4



Mrs. Maxine Steig
Storm Lake, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Alpha Psi Omega 1,2,3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 1,2,3,4
B.V. Players 1,2,3,4
International Relations 2
Annual 4

Harlan Strampe
Paullina, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Intramurals 1,2
Football 1,2,3



Catherine Farnsworth
Storm Lake, Iowa

Lois Vogel
Clare, Iowa

MUSIC

Madrigal 2,3,4
Entre Nous 2,3,4
M. E. N. C. 3,4
Choir 1,2,3,4



Howard Vorland
Hardy, Iowa

**BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**

B.V. Players 2,3,4
Alpha Phi Omega 3,4
Class Officers 3
Vets Club 1,2

James Waters
Havelock, Iowa

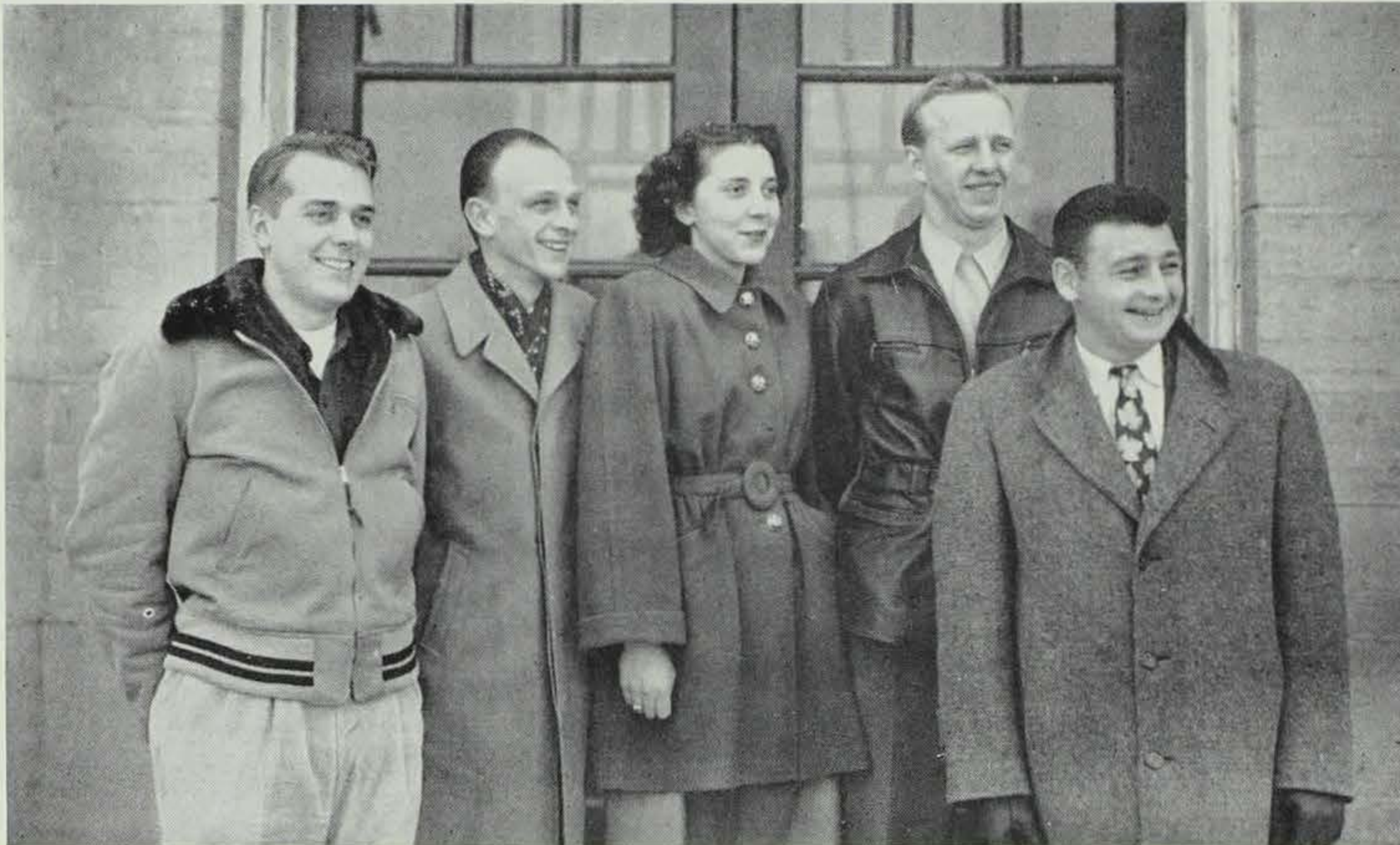
SOCIAL SCIENCES

Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Track 4
Vets Club 1,2
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4



Richard Utter
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Juniors



Left to Right—Jim Mittelstadt, Prof. Maharg, Lois Vogel, Maynard Thompson, Howard Vorland.

President
Howard Vorland

Vice-President
Maynard Thompson

Secretary
Lois Vogel

Treasurer
James Mittelstadt

Student Council
James Skaar

Faculty Advisor
Prof. Maharg

The Junior Class began the year under the leadership of Howard Vorland as President and Maynard Thompson as Vice President. Lois Vogel kept the record as Secretary, and Jim Mittelstadt handled the financial record. James Skaar was chosen as the class representative on the Student Council. At the beginning of the second semester Howard became a senior and was replaced by John Paulson. James Skaar and Robert Woody were elected to the Student Council. Robert served as Vice President. Professor Maharg served as class sponsor.

The Juniors participated in the various social functions on the campus. Their contribution to stunt night was a very humorous impersonation of a "Hilly Billy" band, carried out by means of phonograph and a good pantomime. The float that represented the class in the homecoming parade received honorable mention. Its theme was "We'll mow them down," and it consisted of a machine gun manned by a Buena Vista football player and a golden eagle representing Westmar.

The Juniors played a big part in the extracurricular activities on the campus. In the roll of those outstanding in athletics, we find many juniors. The football team depended greatly on the services of Bill Klinker, Fred Lawson, Don Madson, Bernie Saggau, John Naughton, Glen Oatman, Gordon McKinstry, Everett Grapenthin, and Wayne Peters. Among those who carried the Buena Vista colors on the basketball court we list Gene Bunnelle, "Wally" Hamann, Ralph Shriner, Jim Waters, John Paulson, Gerald Corey, John Naughton, and Glen Oatman. The Buena Vista Players was a better organization because of the services of Ed Peters, Helen Gaherty, and Gloria Westerberg. Jim Skaar and Robert Woody were outstanding in music. Robert also played a part in publishing the "Tack" and the "Beaver Log."

Yes, to the Juniors, "Well Done!" Keep up the good work next year. To those who will graduate at the end of the summer session, Good-bye and Good-luck.

Juniors

David Alexander
Exira, Iowa



Virgil Beyer
Carroll, Iowa



George Bezoni
Spencer, Iowa



Dale Udem
Walnut, Iowa



Donald Burton
Fairmont, Minn.



Kewin C. Genthor
Kew Gardens, N. Y.



Donald Castle
Correctionville, Iowa



Fred Chute
Fairmont, Iowa



Darold Veerhusen
Fonda, Iowa



Roland Dawson
Washta, Iowa



Juniors

William Erps
Arcadia, Iowa



Robert Eshbaugh
Rockwell City, Iowa



Boyd Cammach
Lake City, Iowa



Roy Fell
Walnut, Iowa



John Gannon
Pocahontas, Iowa



Paul B. White
Jefferson, Iowa



Neola Grodahl
Rembrandt, Iowa



Eileen Gunderson
Rodman, Iowa



Joseph Hermesen
Carroll, Iowa



Thomas Kirby
Spencer, Iowa



Juniors

William Klinker
Royal, Iowa



Robert Warner
Los Angeles, Calif.



Mrs. Gloria Westerberg
Storm Lake, Iowa



Patricia Whiteside
Storm Lake, Iowa



James Whitty
Clarion, Iowa



Gordon LeWarne
Pomeroy, Iowa



Earl Linden
Kiron, Iowa



Ralph Locke
Storm Lake, Iowa



Thomas McCabe
Storm Lake, Iowa



Gordon McKinstry
Milford, Iowa



Juniors

Frank Mack
 Logan, Iowa



Charles Miller
 Storm Lake, Iowa



Frank Miller
 Manning, Iowa



James Mittelstadt
 Storm Lake, Iowa



Ruth Morrice
 Cushing, Iowa



Mrs. Persis Murray
 Storm Lake, Iowa



John Naughton
 Cedar Rapids, Iowa



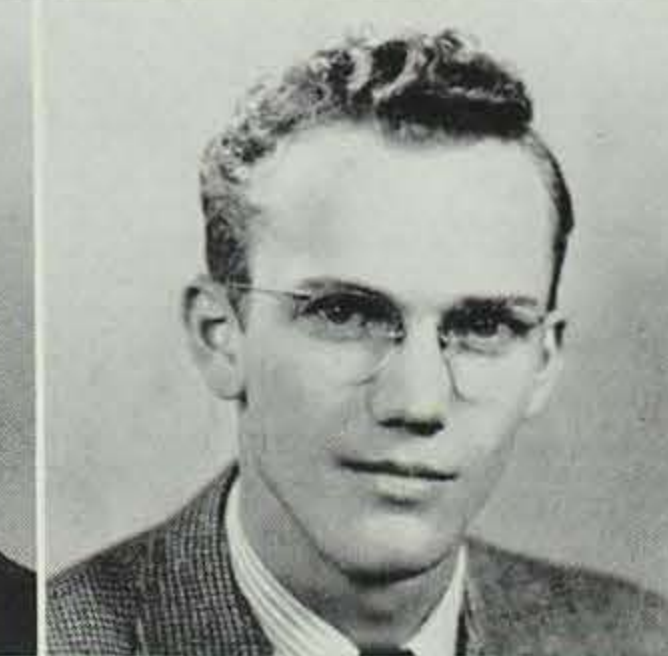
Carmen Ness
 Peterson, Iowa



John Nickelson
 Havelock, Iowa



Robert Woody
 Des Moines, Iowa



Juniors

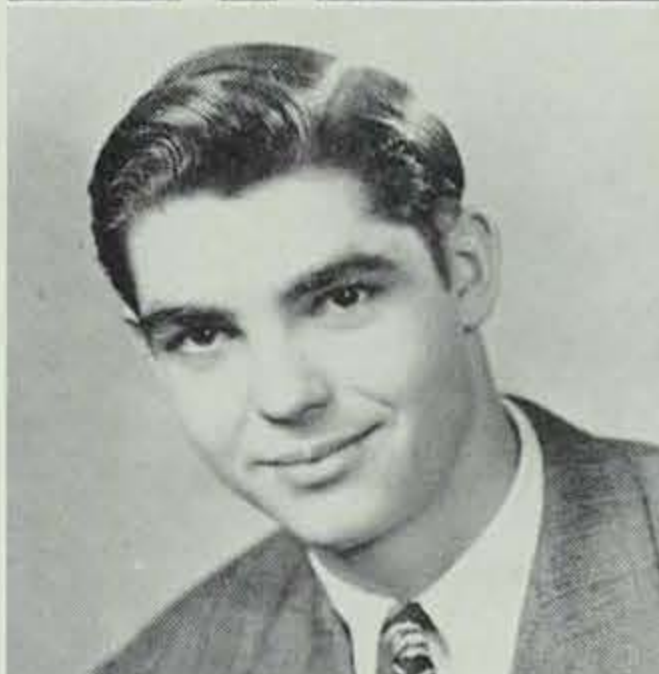
David Olson
Storm Lake, Iowa



John Oltman
Storm Lake, Iowa



Edward Peters
Denison, Iowa



Patricia Phipps
Storm Lake, Iowa



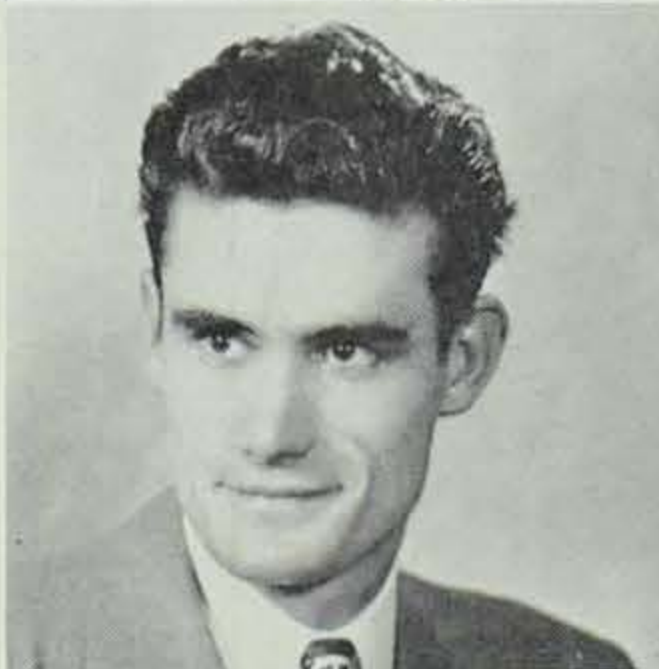
Richard Piper
Greenfield, Iowa



Richard Ploeger
Schaller, Iowa



John Paulson
Newell, Iowa



Roger Rader
Storm Lake, Iowa



William Redman
Walnut, Iowa



Robert Rosburg
Denison, Iowa

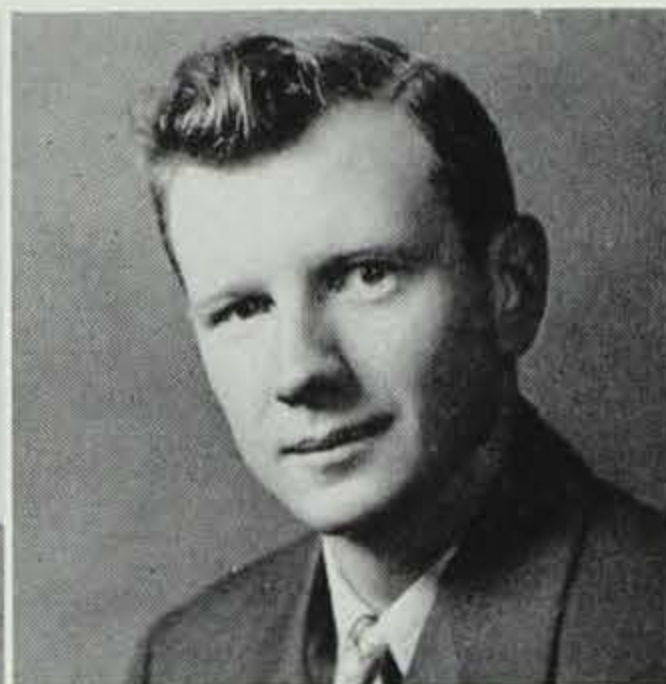


Juniors

Blair Rosdail
 Truesdale, Iowa



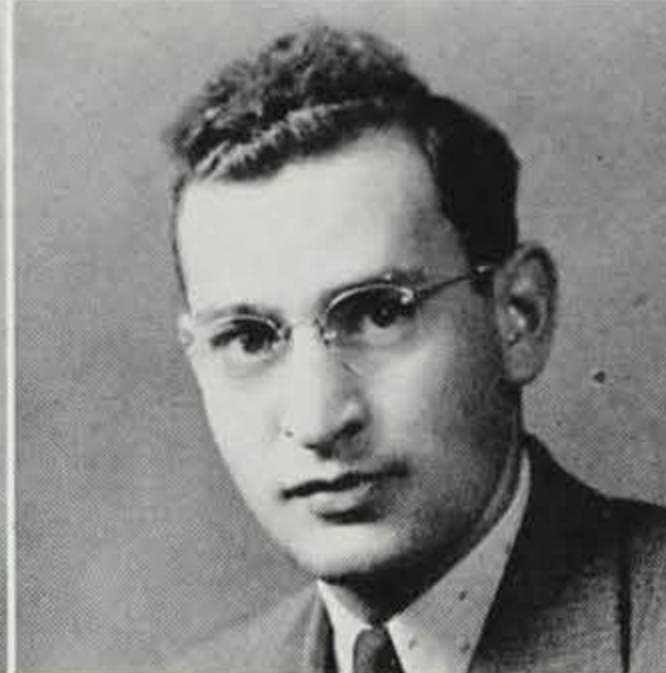
John Shelp
 Auburn, Iowa



James Shirk
 Ida Grove, Iowa



Ralph Shriner
 Rodman, Iowa



Ardith Sievers
 Newell, Iowa



James Skaar
 Primghar, Iowa



LaDon Sorenson
 Early, Iowa



Dean Teague
 Lytton, Iowa



Edna Thomas
 Elgin, Illinois



Maynard Thompson
 Eagle Grove, Iowa



Juniors

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Gerald Lloyd Corey—Greenfield, Iowa

Carl Greiser—Manson, Iowa

Glenn G. Oatman—Storm Lake, Iowa

Leonard Kromendyk—Ireton, Iowa

Marion Larson—Marathon, Iowa

Donald Larsen—Sioux Rapids, Iowa

Fred Lawson—Storm Lake, Iowa

Clifford Bloemandaal—Nemaha, Iowa

Sophomores



Front Row—Mary Tryon, Mrs. Kuehl, Helen Gaherty, Wanda Weesner.
Second Row—Dean Stille, Alfred Green, Frank Fujimoto.

President
 Dean Stille

Vice-President
 Al Green

Secretary
 Helen Gaherty

Treasurer
 Frank Fujimoto

Class Representatives
 Mary Tryon
 Wanda Weesner

Faculty Advisor
 Mrs. Kuehl

The Sophomore class started the year by electing Dean Stille as class president, Alfred Green as vice president. Helen Gaherty as secretary, and Frank Fujimoto as treasurer. Mary Tryon and Dick Bunker represented the class on the Student Council. Dick served as secretary of this organization. The class chose Prof. Gladys Kuehl as their faculty advisor.

The sophomore class, having much talent and a year of experience, was well equipped to help carry on a part of the extracurricular activity on the campus. Norman Thies, Gerald Miller, Jim Fanning, "Ollie" Vogt, and Glen Thuelen made use of their athletic ability for the benefit of Buena Vista. The musical activities depended deeply on the services of Dean Stille, Charlotte Straight, Rose Ann Mortenson, Keith Miller, Richard Thompson, Charles McClintock, Wayne Roepke, Conrad Cooper, Floyd Schnirring, Reynard Satory, Robert MacDowell, Alfred Schlorholtz, Peggy Kissinger and Betty Spindler.

The talent in the sophomore class is matched by beauty also; emphasized by the fact that four sophomore girls were chosen as candidates for Buena Vista's Homecoming Queen. The four chosen were Rae Cejka, Peggy Kissinger, Rosemary Whitcanake, and Betty McKinstrey. Betty was chosen Queen by a general election of the student body, proving that she is popular as well as pretty.

Many of the sophomores will be back next year as juniors carrying an even bigger load of the extracurricular activities.

Sophomores

HELEN ANDERSON
Sioux Rapids, Iowa

JOHN ANDERSON
Correctionville, Iowa

MARLYS ANDERSON
Lohrville, Iowa

RICHARD BAKER
Lawton, Iowa

JACQUELINE BATTERN
Storm Lake, Iowa

RICHARD BECK
Carroll, Iowa

WAYNE BLEWER
Avon, New York

JAMES BRADLEY
Marcus, Iowa

EDWIN BUCKENDAHL
Storm Lake, Iowa

GENE BUNNELLE
Rankin, Illinois

DELBERT CARLSON
Aurelia, Iowa

RAE CEJKA
Laurens, Iowa

HAROLD CHRISTENSON
Linn Grove, Iowa

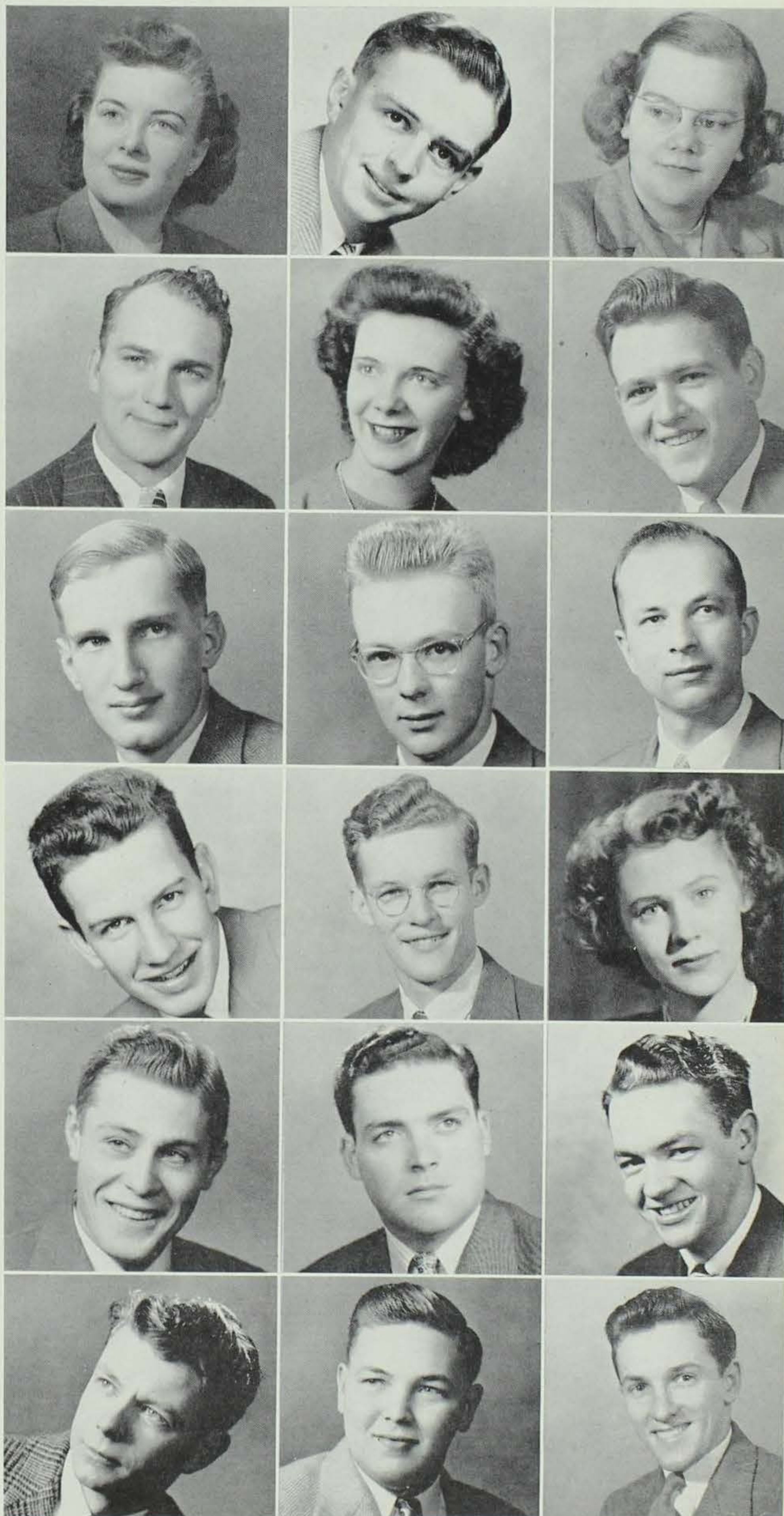
JAMES COLE
Storm Lake, Iowa

CONRAD COOPER
Storm Lake, Iowa

LARRY COVEY
Dayton, Iowa

THEODORE CRAIGMILE
Lake City, Iowa

DON DANDY
Storm Lake, Iowa



Sophomores



ARTHUR DANIELS
Aurelia, Iowa

RUSSELL DONALSON
Marathon, Iowa

GORDON DOWD
Ames, Iowa

RUSSELL DREOSCH
Rodman, Iowa

NORMA DuBOIS
Sioux Rapids, Iowa

JOE DUNCAN
Des Moines, Iowa

JAMES FANNING
Moneta, Iowa

HUGH FARGUHARSON
Peterson, Iowa

VERNON FITCHETT
Newell, Iowa

PAUL FRICKE
Pomeroy, Iowa

CARL FRYE
Storm Lake, Iowa

RICHARD FRYE
Storm Lake, Iowa

FRANK FUGIMOTO
Acampo, California

HELEN GAHERTY
Storm Lake, Iowa

VERMAYNE GARD
Early, Iowa

LANCE GARLOCK
Fonda, Iowa

GERALD GERBER
Storm Lake, Iowa

EVERETTE GRAPENTHIN
Linn Grove, Iowa

Sophomores

ALFRED GREENE
Storm Lake, Iowa

PATRICIA HAGERSTRAND
Cherokee, Iowa

JAY HAMIEL
Washta, Iowa

RAYMOND HEATH
Correctionville, Iowa

MARY HEIKENS
Everly, Iowa

JOYCE HILLIARD
Spirit Lake, Iowa

BEVERLEE HUGHES
Rolfe, Iowa

HAROLD HUGHES
Storm Lake, Iowa

REESE HUGHES
Primghar, Iowa

BETTY HUSEBY
Havelock, Iowa

GEORGE JACOBS
Dunlap, Iowa

LORETTA JENSEN
Holstein, Iowa

RICHARD JESPERSON
Rockwell City, Iowa

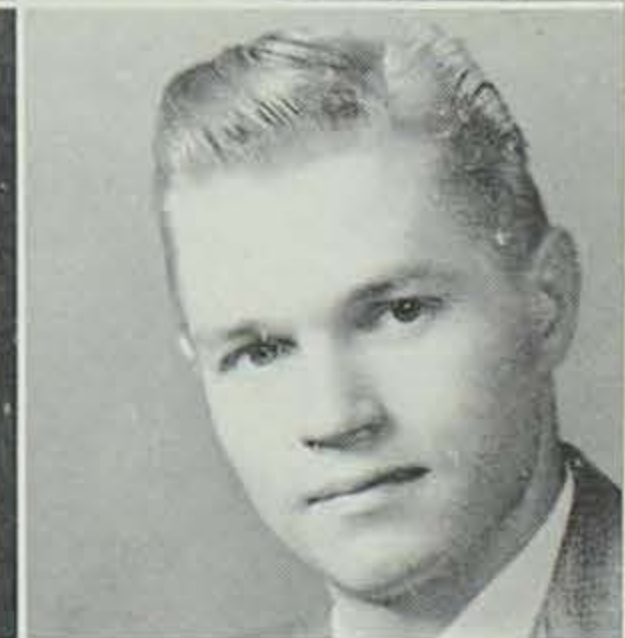
NORMA JOHNSON
Albert City, Iowa

ROGER JORGENSEN
Audubon, Iowa

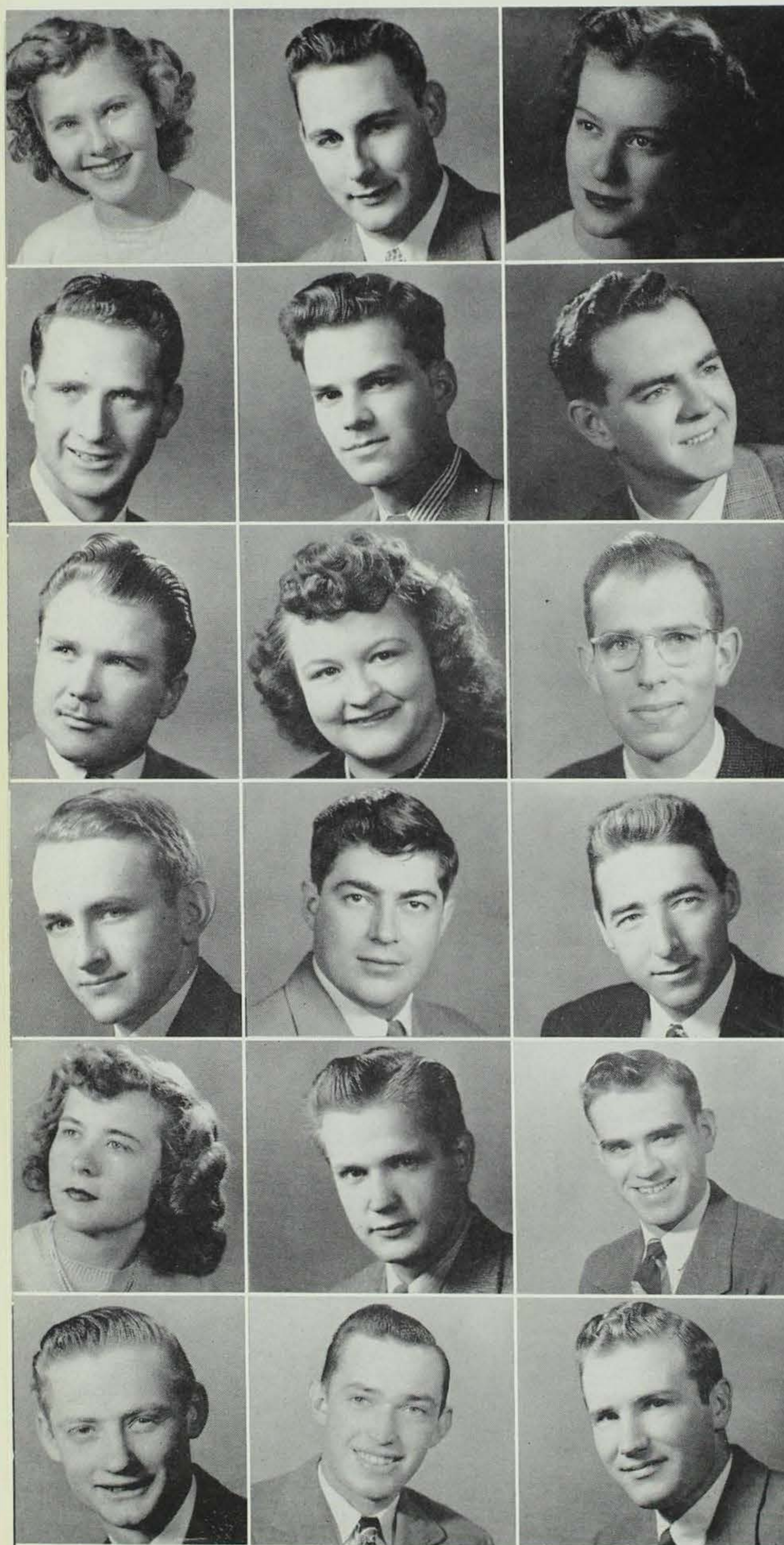
RUTH JUFFER
Ireton, Iowa

JACK KANE
Clinton, Iowa

PEGGY KISSINGER
Washta, Iowa



Sophomores



EVANGELINE KITTLES
Ceylon, Minnesota

TERRANCE KNOTT
Denison, Iowa

JOANNE KOLB
Holstein, Iowa

JOHN KREBS
Varina, Iowa

ROBERT BECKEL
Storm Lake, Iowa

WESLEY LARSEN
Marathon, Iowa

LAVEENE LARSON
Washta, Iowa

BONNIE LUFT
Sac City, Iowa

ROBERT MacDOWELL
Fort Dodge, Iowa

CHARLES McCLINTOCK
Spirit Lake, Iowa

RICHARD McCOMBES
Niagara Falls, New York

ORTAN McKENNA
Storm Lake, Iowa

BETTY McKINSTRY
Milford, Iowa

KEITH MAYFIELD
Fort Dodge, Iowa

LAVERN MERTZ
Walnut, Iowa

GERALD MILLER
Alta, Iowa

KEITH MILLER
Storm Lake, Iowa

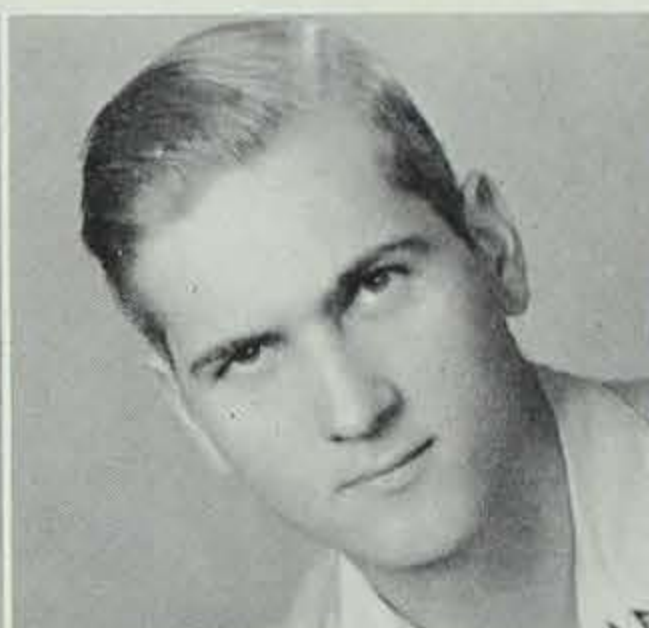
RICHARD MORRIS
Marathon, Iowa

Sophomores

ROSE MORTENSON
Shelby, Iowa

OMER MULLEN
Arlan, Iowa

KEITH MYERS
Perry, Iowa



LLOYD NELSON
Webster City, Iowa

JEROME NIBOUR
Lourdes, Iowa

FLOYD OGLE
Spirit Lake, Iowa



HAROLD PEARSON
Newell, Iowa

BRADLEY PETERS
Akron, Ohio

WILLIAM PITTS
Alta, Iowa



ARMAN PRESSEL
Storm Lake, Iowa

KENARD ROBERTS
Storm Lake, Iowa

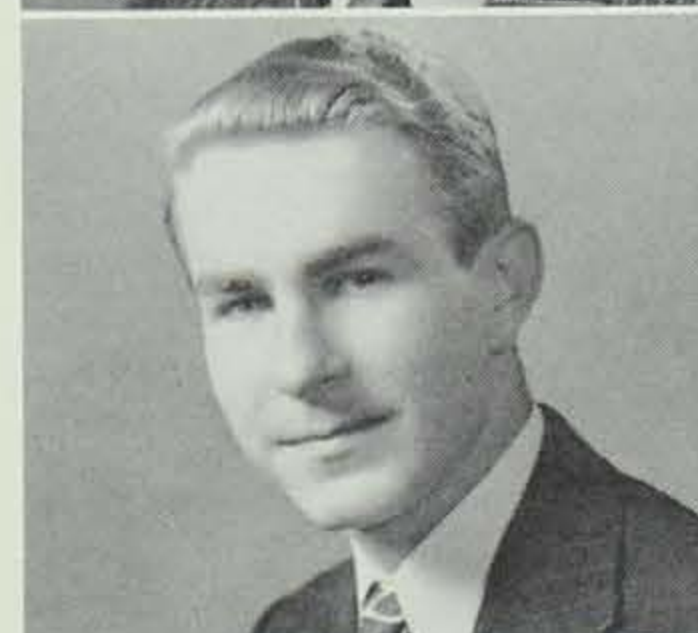
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Washta, Iowa



EDWARD ROSENHAUER
Early, Iowa

DAVID ROSS
Pine Bush, New York

REYNARD SATORY
Albert City, Iowa



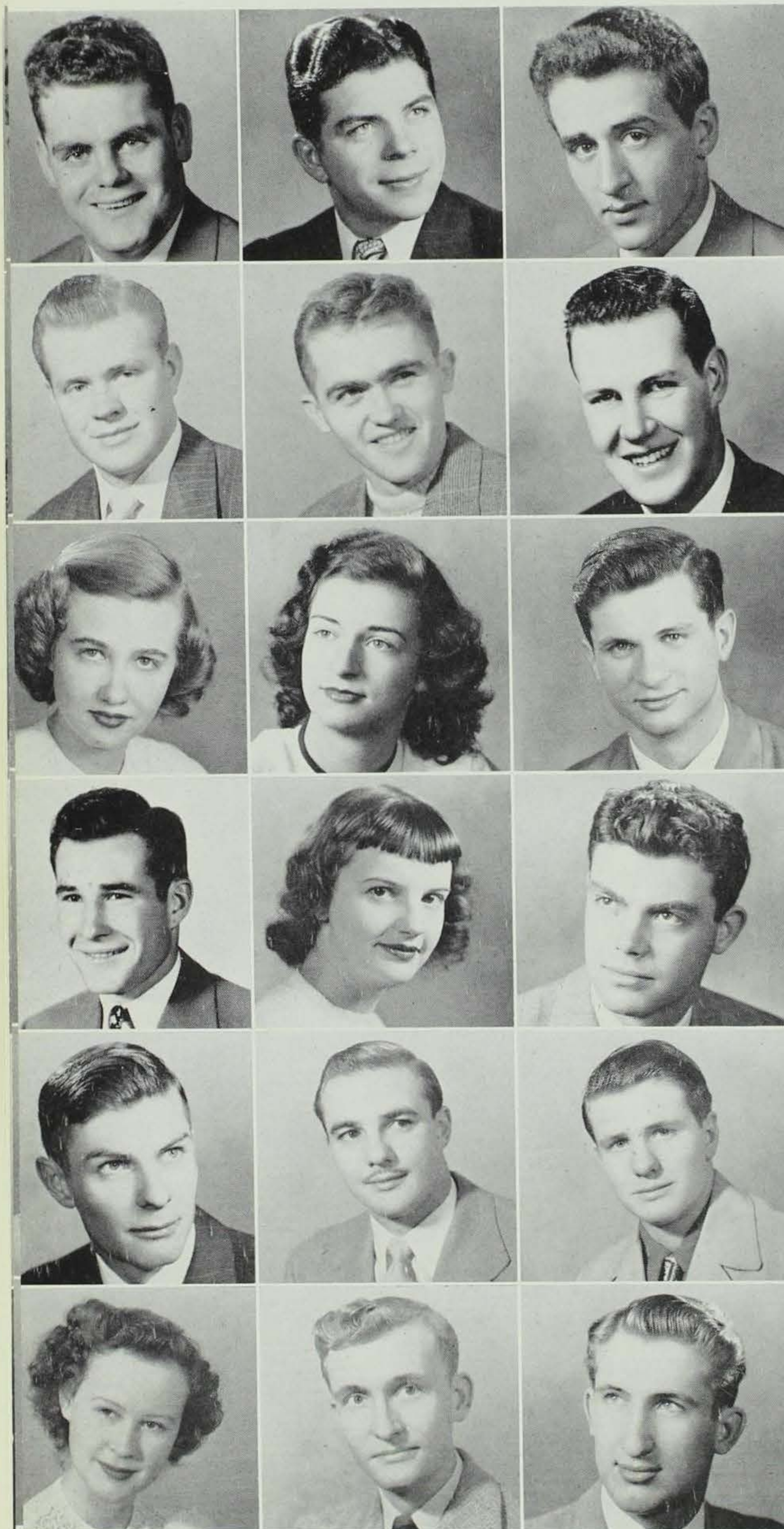
NORBERT SAUTER
Storm Lake, Iowa

ALFRED SCHLORHOLTZ
Breda, Iowa

FLOYD SCHNIRRING
Sac City, Iowa



Sophomores



WILBUR SCHNIRRING
Sac City, Iowa

ELMER SCOTT
Jefferson, Iowa

MICHAEL SMITH
Storm Lake, Iowa

WILLIAM SAYLOR
Greenfield, Iowa

JOHN SMITH
Carroll, Iowa

THOMAS SOUTH
Greenfield, Iowa

LEATRICE SPAHN
Storm Lake, Iowa

BETTY LOU SPINDLER
Schaller, Iowa

VICTOR SPINDLER
Schaller, Iowa

EARL STAFFORD
Storm Lake, Iowa

BARBARA STALEY
Denison, Iowa

ROBERT STEVENS
Ida Grove, Iowa

ROBERT STEWART
Webb, Iowa

DONALD STILES
Bagley, Iowa

DEAN STILLE
Storm Lake, Iowa

CHARLOTTE STRAIGHT
Newell, Iowa

NORMAN SWANSON
Albert City, Iowa

NORMAN THEISS
Storm Lake, Iowa

Sophomores

GLENN THEULEN
Perry, Iowa

RICHARD THOMPSON
Detroit, Michigan

MARY TRYON
Schaller, Iowa



MARK VanVOOHRIS
Storm Lake, Iowa

GEORGE VIBBERT
Niantic, Conn.

OLIVER VOGT
Calumet, Iowa



RAYMOND VOLKERT
Washta, Iowa

WANDA WEESNER
Earlham, Iowa

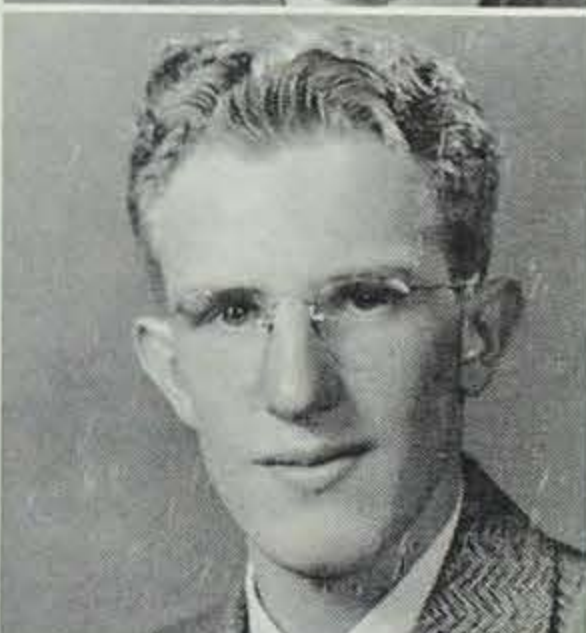
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Perry, Iowa



ROSEMARY WHITCANACK
Schaller, Iowa

LOWELL WILBUR
Peterson, Iowa

MELVIN WILBUR
Storm Lake, Iowa



JOSEPH YAMBER
Omaha, Nebraska

GLENN DRISCOLL
Cedar Rapids, Iowa

MARY JANE GRAY
Calumet, Iowa



EVA KRACHT
Westside, Iowa

JOHN SPARAPANY
Albany, New York

LISLE HARRIS
Aurelia, Iowa



Sophomores

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Edward James Edson—Storm Lake, Iowa

Milford Allen Fleig—Cherokee, Iowa

Dale Heppler—Harris, Iowa

Jean McClintic—Spirit Lake, Iowa

Florence Klute—Niles, Michigan

Jerry Parker—Coon Rapids, Iowa

Earl G. Schmidt—Sac City, Iowa

Lester H. Smith—Storm Lake, Iowa

Robert Spies—Merrill, Iowa

Jim Thynne—Sac City, Iowa

Richard Unger—Cherokee, Iowa

Richard J. Wheelock—Algona, Iowa

Freshmen

President

Vernon Rath

Vice-President

Jean Waisner

Secretary

Gretchen Jorgensen

Treasurer

Marge Barlow

Faculty Advisor

Kenny Blackman

Class Representatives

Claire Abbot

Dick Bunker



Left to Right—Marge Barlow, Gretchen Jorgensen, Jean Waisner, Vernon Rath.

The freshmen class, the largest on the campus, lost no time "getting into the swing of things." A check of the rolls of the various organizations and activities show that members of this class played an important part in most of them. On the gridiron Vern Rath, Bob Williadson, and Tom Gaines, gave excellent accounts of themselves. On the basketball court Bob Lee, Jerry Speck, Bill Thieman, and again Vern Rath helped considerably. Looking over the musical organizations, we find a great many freshmen. Some of the outstanding ones are Verne Schipull, Shirley Miller, Wayne Straight, Jack Woods, Dale Flentje, Darlene Haden, Joyce Petty, Doris Foell, Bonnie Omtwedt, Janet Anderson, Dee Anne Carlson, Gretchen Jorgensen, Sharlotte Hunter, Lois Kretzinger, Jean Hughes, Ione La Frentz, Bonnie Harrell, and Don Hintz. Besides having a wealth of talent, the freshman class is not lacking in beauty, judging from the freshman candidates for Homecoming Queen and the Buena Vista candidates for the Drake Relays Queen, Gretchen Jorgensen represented the college in the contest for Queen of the Drake Relays, while Myra Haradan, Vera Franzene, and Mabel Ferguson were the freshman candidates for our own homecoming queen.

Vern Rath was elected president, and Jean Waisner was chosen to assist Vern as vice-president. Gretchen Jorgensen was elected to the office of secretary and Marjorie Barlow to the office of treasurer. Wanda Weesner and Claire Abbott represented the class on the Student Council, and Wanda served as treasurer of that organization. Coach Kenneth Blackman served as faculty advisor.

The freshman class did an excellent job during the past year, and we are expecting even greater things from them next year.

Freshmen



First Row—Ivan Shimon, Bill Thieman, Marvin Stille, Leslie Oatman, Ronald Martin Rodney Schenatzki, George Lamb.
Second Row—Verne Schippull, Claire Abbott, Richard Wenger, Jim Waggoner, Robert Walrath, Dean Smith.
Third Row—Lyle Foster, Jack Wood, Jack Beckel, Donald McKenna, Richard Olsen.

First Row—Pat Clark, Virginia Fertig, Vivian Smith, Patricia Dunn, Doris Foell, La Vonne Shaveland, Janet Anderson, Shirley Miller.
Second Row—Dorothy Menke, Ione La Frenz, Dee Ann Carlson, Lois Kretzinger, Coral Clark, Donna Jean Nordstrom, Mary Allen.
Third Row—Phyllis Schultz, Wayne Young, Tom Patten, Fred Hucka, Mike Pappadackis, Bonnie Bezoni.



Freshmen



First Row—Lloyd Galbraith, Herbert Bode, Wilbur Merrill, Bob Herrig, Robert Bargman, Jim Malone.
Second Row—Dick Bunker, Norman Neilsen, Vernon Rath, Bob Lee, Robert Dennis.
Third Row—Allen Hanafan, Waldo Johnson, Graydon Hanson, Bob Allen.

First Row—Jean Hughes, Bonnie Omtvedt, Mitchell Connoy, Fred Wessendorf, Joan Fobes, Frank Freeney.
Second Row—Roy Moody, Gail Hansen, William Horsman, Hurley Hughes, Bill Brown.
Third Row—Don Andrew, Don LeGore, Dean Sheets, Dick Sobotka, Darrell Sorey, Bill Rasmussen.



Freshmen



First Row—Mary Parker, Doris Flora, Mary Gray, Ken Baumeister, Maydell Gustason, Joyce Elwanger, June Elwanger.
Second Row—Andy Mikula, Dwight Day, Bob Piper, Jake Rubsam, Merlin Davis, Don McNeil, George Peirce, Fred Kearney.
Third Row—Clarence Bland, Clayton Liggett, Duane Evans, Neil Irwin, Harold Ingan, Rex Hensman, Earl Egli.

First Row—Marjorie Barlow, Rodney Satory, Lorna Essing, Bob Echelbarger, Geraldine Drennen, Lawrence Mortz, Donna Anne Gard.
Second Row—Don Driscoll, Ben Sievert, Pete Jepson, Dale McCubbin, Charles Lee, Don Kakazu.
Third Row—Don Weberg, Jim Rukes, Robert Onnen, Dick Donaldson, Al Drew.



Freshmen

First Row—Darlene Barrett, De-
lores Challand, Myra Haradon,
Duane Fonley, Lorna Bailey, Dar-
lene Carlberg, Marilyn Kreft.

Second Row—Margaret Kiley,
Burdette Bjorklund, Marilyn Cal-
vert, Glen Stabelfield, Bonnie
Harrell, Helen Lovrien.

Third Row—Don Hintz, Dick
Chaplin, Ethel Van Vickie, Fred
Chaplin, Don Carlson.



First Row—Jerry Doyan, Jean
Waisner, LaVonne Petty, Ruth
Erickson, Shirley Lane, June Fitch-
ett, Darlene Haden, Gretchen
Jorgensen.

Second Row—Vera Franzene,
Ruth Heckman, Charlotte Hunter,
Joanne Lovejoy, Betty Markuson,
Marilyn Skaar, Mary Beth Chris-
tensen.

Third Row—Maurice Miller, Viv-
ian Franzene, Victor Otto, Dale
Flentje, Russell Meeks, Leona
Wehmeyer, John DeGarno,
Wayne Straight.



Front Row—Bob Willadsen, Bill
Salmon, Tom Gaines, Iris Kisher,
Jack McMullen, Robert Bumann,
Bruce Saunders.

Second Row—John Kruse, Cody
McKenna, Darrell Morris, Paul
Stephenson, Darold Mohr, Paige
Carroll.

Third Row—Gene Ferber, Robert
Stemme, Jerry Speck, Bernard
Veehoff, Gerald Miner.





We Stimulate Cooperation

The mechanism of a fine clock is made up of many fine parts. These parts must all work together in perfect unison if the clock is to run smoothly and efficiently. College life, like the clock, can run smoothly only if the individuals work together for the good of the group and not for personal or selfish ends. In order to work together students must cultivate fellowship. It is not difficult to develop fellowship; all it requires is a sincere interest and a firm faith in ones fellow men. A desire to understand, the willingness to lend a helping hand in time of need, a respect for the views and opinions of others, a tolerant attitude, and the willingness to listen to both sides of a subject—these are the qualities of good fellowship.

The campus of a small college like Buena Vista provides excellent opportunities for learning to work together with ease and dignity. Here it is possible for a student to know every other student on the campus. Here, too, the students and faculty are able to work hand-in-hand in solving problems and in constructive projects. The cold, impersonal atmosphere of the large university is entirely missing. Fellowship and team work are part of the American way of life. They are vital in a democracy. We here at Buena Vista College are helping to preserve that tradition.





First Row—Jean Hughes, Rosemary Whitcanack, Jackie Battern, Joanne Rice, Pat Hagerstrand, Jean Weisner, Ione LaFrantz, Gretchen Jorgensen.

Second Row—Loretta Jensen, Norman Johnson, Frances Davis, Patricia Dunn, Charlotte Straight, Mary Tryon, Helen Gaherty.

Third Row—Leatrice Spahn, Betty Spindler, Joanne Kolb, Pat Phipps, Doris Foell, Pat Whiteside.

Phi Alpha Phi

The Phi Alpha Phi sorority began their 1948-49 season with eleven active members: Joanne Rice, Helen Gaherty, Betty Lou Spindler, Jackie Battern, Francis Davis, Pat Hagerstrand, Rosemary Whitcanack, Norma Johnson, Charlotte Straight, Pat Phipps, and Leatrice Spohn. Miss Rice was elected president, Pat Hagerstrand, vice president; Jackie Battern, secretary; and Betty Lou Spindler, treasurer.

Phi Alpha Phi held their annual tea at the home of Mrs. E. H. Melcher. At this time the new members were chosen. They were as follows: Gretchen Jorgensen, Ione LaFrantz, Jean Waisner, Jean Hughes, Doris Foell, Joanne Kolb, Loretta Jensen, Pat Whiteside, Mary Tryon, and Patricia Dunn.

On December 1, 1948, the sorority held a formal dance at the Cobblestone Ballroom. Hell Week opened with the pledges dressed as Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy. The week of fun ended with a banquet at the Bradford Hotel. At this time the pledges were sworn in as active members.

A second formal dance was held May 6, at the Cobblestone Ballroom. This ended the sorority's activities for the 1948-49 school year.

Delta Phi Beta

Rush week found the Delta Phi Beta sorority happily looking forward to a bright and successful year. Having only three members left, namely Edna Thomas, Emily Lou Noyes, and Ardith Sievers, the Betas hopefully received many pledges at two afternoon teas and at a banquet at the Bradford Hotel. Six new pledges were accepted by the sorority, and they performed various initiation duties throughout the first semester. During Hell Week they had to wear bright red bows and were refrained from speaking to boys. The Beta stunt for Stunt Night was put on by the pledges. Only four pledges took the final pledge at the close of Hell Week. They were Mary Allen, Shirley Lane, Donna Nordstrom, and LaVerne Shannon.

In spite of their limited number, the Betas had their share of the many social events of the year. The Alliance Luncheon on Homecoming was held at the Jes Mil Club. It was attended by many former members who renewed old friendships with the current members and extended many hearty welcomes to the new pledges. The members of the Pan Hellenic Council were Edna Thomas and Donna Nordstrom. They worked with the council members of the Phi Alpha Phi sorority in putting on two formal dances. The Christmas Formal was held on December 16 at the Cobblestone Ballroom, and the Spring Formal was held in April. The Homecoming float performed in the parade and proudly won second prize. The float theme was "Time Marches On—So Does Our Team." Myra Haradon was one of the Homecoming Queen's attendants. In order to raise additional funds, several bake sales were held, and the Betas had charge of a tradition with the group.

Several of the Betas were kept busy throughout the year in various other organizations. Mary Allen was a member of the A Cappella Choir, F.T.A., and B.V. Players; Donna Nordstrom belonged to B.V. Players and F.T.A. She and Rosemary Whitcanack, of the Phi Alpha Phi sorority, were sent as delegates to an F.T.A. convention held in Des Moines. Shirley Lane belonged to S.C.F. and B.V. Players; and Edna Thomas belonged to B.V. Players, the Spanish Club, Sigma Tau Delta, and she was also a reporter for the Tack.

Edna Thomas was president of the Betas, Emily Lou Noyes was secretary, and Ardith Sievers was treasurer. The faculty sponsors were Miss Faye Hoffman and Mrs. Kenneth Blackman. Patronesses were Mrs. R. W. Brown, Mrs. M. E. Whiteside, Mrs. B. H. Johnson, and Mrs. Francis Perrings.

Sitting—Miss Hoffman, Emily Noyes, Edna Thomas, Ardith Sievers.

Standing—Donna Jean Nordstrom, Mary Elizabeth Allen, Myra Haradon, Bonnie Harrell, Shirley Lane.





Sitting—Helen Anderson, Mable Ferguson, Wanda Weesner, Bonnie Omtwedt, Marilyn Skaar, Mary Gray, Joanne Lovejoy.
First Row—Bobbie Staley, Marjorie Barlow, Mary Parker, Jerry Doyen, Pat Clark, Margaret Kiley, Doris Flora, Joyce Ellwanger, June Ellwanger.
Second Row—Mary Beth Christensen, Bonnie Luft, Eva Kracht, Iris Kischer, Dee Ann Carlson, Marilyn Culver, Joyce Hilliard, Helen Loverin, Peggy Kissinger.
Third Row—Lucille Houdeshell, Bonnie Bezoni, Lorna Essing, Rae Cejka, Betty Markeson, Evangeline Kittelson, Betty McKinstry.
Fourth Row—Coral Clark, Ethel Van Vickie, Leona Wehmeyer, Rose Mortensen, Ruth Juffer, Betty Huseby, Lois Vogel.

Entre Nous

Entre Nous, a social organization for girls, is one of the largest on the campus, consisting of forty-eight members. The faculty sponsor is Miss Bertha Supplee. The patronesses who helped make the year a more pleasant one are Mrs. Wyatt Yon and Mrs. Harrison. The officers for the year consisted of the following: President, Rose Mortenson; Vice-president, Lois Vogel; Secretary, Peggy Kissinger; Treasurer, Rae Cejka; and Reporter Betty Huseby.

The first event of the year was a tea given for the girls desiring to join Entre Nous. This tea was October 8, 1948, at the home of Mrs. Wyatt Yon, Storm Lake. On this occasion, the active members, dressed in formals, provided the entertainment, served the refreshments and acted as receptionists. The refreshments consisted of the traditional tea, cakes, mints, and nuts. The Entre Nous colors were cleverly carried out.

Other activities sponsored by Entre Nous during the year were the initiation of new members at a party in the basement of the Lakeside Presbyterian Church on November 1, 1948, the annual Christmas party in Beaver Hall on December 14, 1948, and a meeting especially to entertain our patronesses on March 28, 1949, in the Lakeside Presbyterian Church basement.

At the initiation party the new members were given the obligation by candlelight and were then properly initiated by performing certain duties and wearing the Entre Nous pin, which is a blue ribbon with the letters E.N. in white on it. The active members served a lunch at this meeting, and ping-pong and various other activities supplied the entertainment.

The annual Christmas party in Beaver Hall was very gay with games and other activities constituting the evening's fun. Refreshments were served instead of a gift exchange among the members, it was decided to give boxes containing food and toys to needy families so that Christmas might be merrier for them. The names of these families were provided by the courthouse.

Another activity that Entre Nous participated in was Homecoming. The float was a huge pencil to represent the slogan, "Draw a line through Westmar." Entre Nous' queen attendant was Peggy Kissinger, a sophomore.

On Stunt Night, Entre Nous was awarded first prize for the outstanding satire on the Chesterfield Supper Club. The name of the satire was "The Fag Room." Every detail of a radio program was cleverly arranged. The leading character was Heldegard, as well as other characters such as the cigarette girl, the announcer, Dickie Delinquent, his mother, a movie star, and the quartet.

Entre Nous sponsored a Sox Hop this year for all college students. This was quite new to everyone, and a large crowd filled Victory Hall. Admission was charged according to the size of feet, one penny for each inch. Sweat sox were sold at the door. The valentine theme with red and white as the colors was carried out. Music was provided by records. Howard Vorland gave a reading entitled "Congo." The four notes and a sharp provided some lively songs. Several circle two steps and square dances were part of the fun.



Sitting—Virgil Lichtenberg, Virgil Holmes, Professor John Reed, John DeVolder. **First Row**—Edna Thomas, Emily Lou Noyes, Frances Davis, Helen Gaherty. **Second Row**—Professor Gladys Kuehl, Professor Supplee, Marlin Wise, Mrs. Steig, Professor Betty Wilson.

Sigma Tau Delta

Sigma Tau Delta is a national English fraternity organized with a four-fold purpose: To advance the study of our chief literary masterpieces, to encourage worthwhile reading, to promote the mastery of written expression and to foster a spirit of fellowship among the students of our language and literature.

Buena Vista College was granted a charter in April 1938; the chapter here is Nu Delta. Membership is limited to upperclassmen with a high scholastic standing and a special interest in literature. This chapter is limited to a maximum of twenty-five members. This year there are twenty members. The officers are Virgil Lichtenberg, president; Edna Thomas, secretary-treasurer; and Miss Bertha Supplee, faculty sponsor.

The most important work of Sigma Tau Delta is the sponsoring of the creative writing contest each year. Cash prizes are given to writers of prose and poetry adjudged the best. The prize-winning selections are printed in the Beaver Log and also in a booklet, the Nu Delta, that the Sigma Tau Delta publishes every second year.

In this booklet appears the work of each member of the fraternity as well as the contest winning pieces of the two years. In addition to writing for Nu Delta, each member is expected to submit a piece each year to the Rectangle, which is the official publication of the national organization.

Stunt Night is sponsored in the second semester of each year by Sigma Tau Delta. Every organization on the campus prepares a stunt, and there are also individual stunts. Prizes are given for the best in each class. The faculty stunt always tops off the hilarious evening. This year the faculty presented the first television show to be given in Storm Lake with Professor Donald Graham as announcer and master of ceremonies.

There are two banquets a year to welcome new members. The program attempts to carry out the purposes of Sigma Tau Delta. The original work of members, papers of critical discussion and great poems or passages of prose are read. The first banquet of this year was March 16 at the Bradford Hotel. Sixteen were present.

The programs of the monthly meetings are planned to add to the understanding and appreciation of the literature of the contemporary scene as well as of the past.

Sigma Tau Delta stands for sincerity, truth and design and these are emphasized in all of the fraternity's undertakings.

Alpha Psi Omega



First Row— Helen Gaherty, Mrs. Steig, Conrad Cooper, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl, Rosemary Whitcanack.

Second Row— Stanley Johnson, Don Madsen, Robert Jacobson, George Vibbert.

In 1925 the B.V. Players group received a letter from Acadia College in Wolfville, Nova Scotia, which told of the organization of a new honorary fraternity, the purpose of which was to promote interest in and improve the quality of acting. The B. V. Players were asked to consider membership in this new fraternity.

Under the very strict qualification it was found that Buena Vista had twelve students eligible for membership, and they decided to form Chi cast of this fraternity. Buena Vista was the fifth college to enter the fellowship; the first after the four colleges which were charter members. By the end of 1926 there were twenty-one colleges in the United States and Canada which had casts.

The fraternity was not to take the place of the college's own active Dramatic Club, but rather to be an honorary society for those who had done outstanding work in dramatics and who seemed to have above average acting ability. Eligibility was to be on a point basis depending on participation in college production.

It is interesting to notice that even in this honorary society, initiation was on the social fraternity level with the same kind of pranks that are expected in those organizations. This has gradually changed until the informal initiation is entirely in keeping with the purpose of the organization and the later, formal initiation sets forth the high ideals of the fraternity.

This year the membership of Alpha Psi Omega is about fifteen. A pledging service is conducted in the spring each year. The formal initiation is at the spring banquet at which time recognition is given for meritorious performances during the year.

Officers for 1948-49 are as follows: Grand Director, Howard Vorland; Grand Business Manager, Don Madsen; Grand Playwright, Rosemary Whitcanack; Faculty Sponsor, Mrs. Kuehl. Last fall Alpha Psi Omega was given a small room on the third floor of Old Main for a meeting place.

This year there has been some interesting correspondence with the cast of Alpha Psi Omega at Roanoke College, Roanoke, West Virginia, telling of a system of pre-testing plays before they are presented in public performance. This is the amateur equivalent of the out-of-town performance of a play before its formal opening in New York City. The plan provides for a carefully picked group of critics attending dress rehearsal and making suggestions as to changes in lighting, costuming and timing, with a view to strengthening the play.

Invitation to membership in Alpha Psi Omega provides a suitable and satisfactory reward for outstanding work in drama on a college level.

Spanish Club



Sitting—Lowell Hendricks, Mrs. Dorothy Barbour, Bonnie Bezoni, Edna Thomas.
Standing—Joanne Lovejoy, Gunnar Frye, Prof. Ramirez, Shirley Miller.

The Spanish Club truly embodies the Spanish-American spirit as expressed in the club's name, *El Alma Espanola*. Under the advisorship of Professor Antonio Ramirez, the club was newly organized this year with a three-fold purpose: To promote an understanding of the civilization and culture of Spanish-speaking countries, to learn to use idiomatic Spanish by conversation and practice of the language, and to awaken a desire to better understand our Spanish-American neighbors.

While the club is primarily a cultural one, helping the members to understand the language and the customs of the Spanish-speaking countries, much fun and entertainment was enjoyed by the members in their enthusiasm to speak the language and to sing Spanish songs.

Dorothy Barbour is president; Lowell Hendricks, vice-president; and Edna Thomas, secretary-treasurer. The membership, which grew to thirty members during the year, is not confined to college students, but also includes interested town members. Bi-monthly meetings were held in the language office of Old Main. The regular business meetings were followed by refreshments and entertainment.

During the first few organizational meetings in the fall, emphasis was placed on learning Spanish Christmas Carols in preparation for the Christmas party, which was held in Beaver Hall before Christmas vacation.

Among the highlights in the year's activities was a Spanish dinner prepared by Mrs. Antonio Ramirez, served in Beaver Hall. Spanish games were played after dinner. In March, Professor Antonio Ramirez gave an inspiring talk on Puerto Rico, its history and culture, while he displayed the many mementos of arcraft he brought back with him from that interesting country.

At another meeting, Mexico took the spotlight. Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Harrison, the club's most faithful town members, spoke about Mexico, where they had lived for a year. Their discourse was enhanced by the showing of hundreds of slides they had taken, picturing the colorful life of Mexico. Marco Salerno, a Panamanian student, held the members in awed attention with his native accent during his discourse on life in Panama.

Other programs included Latin-American films which were rented by the club so that the members might see other Spanish-speaking countries, including Argentina, Columbia, Venezuela, and various Central American Republics. During the year the members also learned Spanish songs, which were sung to records played at the meetings.

International Relations Club



Sitting—Marlin Wise, Pat Hagerstrand, Mrs. Kuehl, Earling Rasmussen.

Standing—1st: Charles Wood, Andrew Michula, Fred Wessendorf, Bob Maxwell, Virgil Lichtenberg.

Standing—2nd: Wayne Blewer, Jim Waggoner, Neil Irwin, Lloyd Nelson.

The International Relations Club has made a definite contribution to the educational activities on the Buena Vista Campus. The club, composed of more than twenty members, meets twice each month when current problems in international relations and American foreign policy are discussed. Through the participation in discussions carried out at the meetings, considerable interest is aroused in current phases of our history. The International Relations Club has also proved a safety value in that members are given the opportunity to expound their opinions on world affairs. The Carnegie Endowment for International Peace provides the club with much valuable literature.

Special projects sponsored by the club have included guest speakers who spoke on World Government before the group and at Chapel convocations, a panel discussion on world peace movements, a series of talks on various aspects of Russian foreign policy. A reading nook has been provided in the library where material on pertinent topics has been available throughout the year.

Officers are: Claire Abbot, President; Virgil Lichtenberg, Vice-President; Robert Hanson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Faculty sponsors are Prof. Gladys Kuehl, George Reynolds, Don Graham, and A. G. Hirsch.

B. V. Players

B.V. Players were organized on this campus in 1924. The first year they called themselves the Dramatic Club. In 1925 the name was changed to B.V. Players, and since that time the group has been one of the most active on the campus and is probably the best liaison between college and town.

The aims of the B.V. Players are set forth in the pledge for new members "To stimulate progress in and to encourage such dramatic activity as may serve to enrich the traditions, honor, and fame of Buena Vista College."

The Club has been very active this year. Having secured a large room on the third floor of Old Main, the players painted the walls and floor, refurnished it, replaced the light fixtures and have made it into a very nice meeting room and workshop.

Membership this year is about sixty members. Initiation for new members requires that each present something that shows special ability and the older members were gratified this year at the surprising amount of talent shown. Officers for 1948-1949 are president, Don Madsen; vice-president, Howard Vorland; secretary, Rosemary Whitcanack.

Members of B.V. Players make up the cast of the plays presented to the public for the most part. Members also direct and present a program of one act plays from time to time. This year before Christmas, three successful one acts were given, "Pop Reads the Christmas Carol," directed by Marlin Wise, "By-line for St. Luke," directed by Bob Jacobson, and "Dust of the Road," directed by Don Madsen. The two major productions of this year were "Outward Bound" and "I Remember Mama."

At the Spring Banquet, certificates of award are given for the best actor, best actress, best supporting actor, best supporting actress and the person most valuable in production. The autographing of these certificates by each member of the B.V. Players who are present makes them valuable keepsakes for the ones who receive them. Election for the awards is held the week before the banquet, but the winners are not announced until the awards are given.



Sitting—Rosemary Whitcanack, Helen Gaherty, Prof. Wilson, Don Madson, Ed Peters, Mabel Ferguson, Prof. Kuehl, Patricia Dunn, Shirley Miller.
Second Row—Edna Thomas, Loretta Jensen, Janet Anderson, Katherine Farnsworth, Donna Nordstrom, Mary Allen, Vera Franzene, Jean Weesner, Pat Clark, Jean Hughes.
Third Row—Mrs. Steig, Betty Spindler, Lorna Essing, Pat Phipps, Doris Foell, Marlys Anderson, Joanne Lovejoy, Pat Hagerstrand, Charlotte Hunter.
Fourth Row—Floyd Schnirring, Russell Dreosch, Jim Skaar, Marlin Wise, Lowell Hanride, Bob Jacobson, Verne Schipull, Bob Maxwell.
Fifth Row—Clayton Liggett, Neil Irwin, Harold Engson, Bob Woody, Bob McDowell, Jack Henneberry, Tom Paton.

Lettermen's Club



Sitting—Herman Decker, Darold Faulkner, Bill Walters, John Bunnelle, Ed Lashier, Bill Bibow, Floyd Latta, Roland Gustafson.
Second Row—Roger Jorgensen, Bill Saylor, John Naughton, Gordon McKinstry, Wayne Roepke, Jim Waters, Don Rehnstrom, Dean Teague, Willie Schnirring.
Third Row—Virgil Pitham, Ralph Shriner, Everette Grapenthin, Dale Young, Dick Toohey, Don Sparapany, Dick Utter, Gerald Miller.
Fourth Row—Omer Muller, Wally Hamann, John Nickelson, Fred Lawson, Tom South, Carmen Ness, Jim Fanning, George Jacobs.
Fifth Row—Gordon LeWarne, La Don Sorenson, Jack Henneberry, Vernon Rath, Robert Eshbaugh, Waldo Johnson.

The Lettermen's Club is one of the most powerful groups on the campus. Composed of nearly one hundred members this organization has continually been a leader in campus activities.

The Lettermen's Club annually sponsors the two outstanding social events of the year—the Fall Dinner Party and Spring Formal Dance. The fall party was a gala success. Entertainment was provided by B.V. talent, including such fine entertainers as Morgan Thomas, Bill Redman, The Quintet and Johnson's Imperials. Full particulars on the Formal Dance are not available at the time.

The Lettermen's Club, capably led by President Ed Lashier is a self-supporting organization. The finances for both dinner and for the letter jackets given by the club to every graduating senior letter winner, were earned by the promotion of the House of David basketball game and by the pop and hot dog concession booths that were present at every B.V. athletic contest.

All in all, the B.V. Club had a very satisfying year and promises to keep up its good work in the years to come.

Future Teachers of America

The Future Teachers of America, a club for the benefit of prospective teachers to learn about the profession, the requirements of a good teacher, and the like, consists of fifty-nine members.

The faculty sponsor for F.T.A. is Miss Opal Roark, and the officers for the year were the following: President, Rosemary Whitcanack; Vice-president, Charlotte Straight; Secretary and Treasurer, Helen Anderson; Reporter, Marlys Anderson; Librarian, Joyce Hilliard.

F.T.A. meets once every month in the school year which is every third Monday of the month. The colors of F.T.A. are red and white, and the motto is "The future is in our hands."

F.T.A. was represented in the Homecoming festivities with a float in the traditional colors. The theme was teaching Westmar how to play football. The attendant for the queen from F.T.A. was Rae Cejka.

During the year, F.T.A. was honored with several speakers at the meetings. The first speaker of the year was Professor Kuehl who spoke on "What a Superintendent Expects of a Teacher." This was interesting as well as helpful to the future teachers. Mrs. Harrison spoke on the subject "Teaching Profession as a Calling," which was indeed enjoyable. Professor Hilmer gave some helpful points in his talk on "How to Apply for a Position."

The initiation ceremony, conducted by candlelight, was impressive with little red lighted candles for each member. The president gave the obligation.

F.T.A. sponsored a Shamrock Party in Beaver Hall, March 11, 1949. The room was gaily decorated in favor of the Irish. Green shamrocks were placed around the room, and green and white crepe paper added brightness to the decorations. Music was provided for dancing by records. Henry Gorman favored the party with several Irish songs. A large crowd truly enjoyed themselves.

At the end of each year, F.T.A. has a banquet to climax a pleasant year.

Sitting—Ruth Heckman, Evangeline Kittleson, Helen Anderson, Loretta Jensen, Rosemary Whitcanack, Norma Johnson, Joanne Kolb, Mary Tryon, Myra Haradon.
Second Row—Marjorie Barlow, Mary Beth Christenson, Dorothy Menke, Helen Lovrien, Darlene Haden, Mabel Ferguson, Peggy Kissinger, Joyce Hilliard, Jerry Doyen, Jean Waisner, Pat Clark.
Third Row—Bobbie Staley, Phyllis Schultz, Lorna Bailey, Doris Foell, Mary Allen, Rae Cejka, Dee Anne Carlson, Charlotte Straight, Donna Nordstrom, Bonnie Harrell.
Fourth Row—Margaret Kiley, Mary Gray, Vivian Franzene, Marilyn Culver, Lorna Essing, Lois Kretzinger, Doris Flora, Joyce Ellwanger, June Ellwanger.
Fifth Row—Marlys Anderson, Bonnie Omtwedt, Ethel Van Vickie, Leona Wehmeyer, Ruth Juffer, Betty Huseby, Betty Markeson.



Student Christian Fellowship

The Student Christian Fellowship is a voluntary organization made up of students who know Christ as their personal Savior, and who are interested in making him known to others. The basic premise of the group is that all men need a Savior and that Jesus Christ is the only one who can redeem the individual and the world. They are actively interested in promoting a well-rounded Christian way of life.

Weekly meetings are held for Bible study and prayer, special programs, discussions, and wholesome social times. Brief prayer meetings are held daily.

The group also sponsors religious activities which are participated in by the whole college. Special programs are arranged for chapel services including Thanksgiving, Christmas, Dads' Day, Easter and Mothers' Day. Consecration Week is a time set aside when students, faculty, administration and the community unite in a special emphasis upon spiritual things. The S. C. F. organization also directs Christmas caroling for the sick and shut-ins.

The group has made financial contributions to various organizations furthering the cause of Christ.

The Student Christian Fellowship is associated with the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, an international organization among Christian students in institutions of higher learning.

The faculty advisor is the Rev. William B. Grobe.

II Corinthians 5: 14-20 expresses the basis of the group.

"For the love of Christ constraineth us, because we thus judge that if one died for all, then were all dead. And that He died for all, that they which live should not henceforth live unto themselves, but unto Him which died for them and rose again. Wherefore henceforth know we no man after the flesh: yea, though we have known Christ after the flesh, yet now henceforth know we Him no more. Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away. Behold, all things are become new. And all things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation. To with that God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them; and hath committed unto us the work of reconciliation. Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God."

Sitting—Boyd A. Granzow, Lorna Bailey, Bonnie Omtvedt, Phyllis Schultz, Ruth Morrice, Marlys Anderson, George Bezoni.

Second Row—June Ellwanger, Joyce Ellwanger, Doris Flora, Frances Davis, Ruth Erickson, May Della Gustafson, Dorothy Menke.

Third Row—Dick Thompson, Donald Lehigh, Rev. Grobe, Robert Stemme, Alfred Schlorholtz, Ethel Van Vickie.



Consecration Week

DAILY PROGRAM

*Theme for the Week—
"Faith to live By"*

MONDAY

- 11:30—"What is the New Birth?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader, Donald Lehigh.
- 6:00—Faculty Pot-luck supper—Library.
- 7:30—"Foundation for Faith"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Alfred Schlorholtz.
- 8:45—Student Christian Fellowship.

TUESDAY

- 11:30—"How Good is the Bible?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader Betty McKinstrey.
- 2:00-4:00—Personal conferences.
- 7:30—"Our Great Redemption"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Lisle Harris.
- 8:45—Informal discussion for all college women—Beaver Hall. Faculty Leader: Mrs. LaFoy. Student Leader: Frances Davis.

WEDNESDAY

- 11:30—"What is a Reasonable Sacrifice?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Robert Woody.
- 7:30—"Supernatural Living"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Shirley Lane.
- 8:45—Informal discussion for all college men—Beaver Hall. Faculty Leader: Dean Wesselink. Student Leader: Boyd Granzow.

THURSDAY

- 11:30—"Do We Need Another Army?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Edward Peters.
- 2:00-4:00—Personal conferences.
- 7:30—"Sunset or Sunrise?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Dean Stille.

FRIDAY

- 11:30—"Can I Be Sure?"—Rev. Anderson. Leader: Rev. William B. Grobe.



REV. ARCHER E. ANDERSON

"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."

Consecration Week is a time set apart when students, faculty, and administration, and community unite in special emphasis on spiritual things. Consecration means to set apart for sacred use. As we come to Consecration Week we set apart our time for God, we set apart our minds to think seriously and deeply on the things of Christ, and we set apart our hearts afresh to the control of the Holy Spirit. The college schedule is lightened in studies and other activities to encourage all to take full advantage of the week of spiritual emphasis.

This year our speaker for the week was Rev. Archer Anderson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Duluth, Minnesota. His spark of spiritual truth, his understanding of human nature, with young people made his messages most helpful and inspiring to all who heard him.

Consecration Week was arranged by the Student Christian Fellowship. The student leaders for each meeting were chosen because of their leadership ability and their interest in wholesome endeavors on the campus.



Sitting—Kenneth Bauermeister, DeWayne Ehlert, William Schnirring, Robert Beckel, Bill Thieman.
First Row—Mary Parker, Shirley Miller, Shirley Lane, Pat Hagerstrand, Betty Lou Markeson, Norma Johnson, Jerry Doyan.
Second Row—Ione LaFrantz, Coral Clark, Ed Peters, Bob Woody, Jerry Speck, Francis McCabe, Thomas McCabe, Betty Spindler, Helen Gaherty.

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Tack Staff

The year was 1895. The place was Buena Vista College. The scene was enacted during the first staff meeting of the new student newspaper. The purpose of the meeting was to select a name for the paper. The editor settled himself in a chair but only for a very short while. As he arose, rather swiftly he brought with him a tack that had managed to choose the same chair. The eyes of the staff members gleamed with a new light and thus the Buena Vista Tack, "The Paper with a Point," was born.

The Tack is distributed to students, alumni and friends, and is mailed to other colleges and universities in the Middle West. It features campus news and announcements and views of national and local topics. Vista Court, little village of the veterans, keeps students posted on "Vista Views." The ever popular gossip column is presented to the readers as "Peepin' Tom."

The staff consists of the editor, the business manager and numerous reporters. Membership is not limited to students taking journalism courses, although most of the staff members are journalism students. The paper is published semi-monthly.

The student newspaper plays an important role in every college. It reflects the thought and spirit of its school. It is a beginning for journalism students, some of whom may be future Lippmans or Gammacks.

The Tack is one of the oldest traditions of Buena Vista College, and as the college grows and progresses, so may the "Tack".

The Tack staff is as follows: Editor—John DeVolder; Business Manager—Frank Smith; Copy Editor—Willie Schnirring; Sports Editor—Jim Waters; Reporters—Albert Allen, Bob Anderson, Russell Donaldson, DeWayne Ehlert, Virgil Lichtenberg, Joanne Lovejoy, Betty McKinstrey, Shirley Miller, Jim Mittelstadt, Ray Satory, Floyd Schnirring, Edna Thomas, Morgan Thomas; Faculty Advisor—Kermit L. Buntrock.

Sitting—Virgil Lichtenberg, John DeVolder, Virgil Holmes, W. Schnirring, Jim Waters.
First Row—Edna Thomas, Shirley Miller, Joanne Lovejoy, Lois Kretzinger, Charlotte Straight.
Second Row—Prof. Kermit Buntrock, DeWayne Ehlert, Bob Woody, B. Anderson.





First Row— Catherine Farnsworth, Sharlotte Hunter, Vera Franzene, Janet Anderson, Charlotte Straight, Shirley Miller.

Second Row—Jeanne Lovejoy, Leona Wehmeyer, Miss Lawrence, Betty Spindler, Lois Vogel.

Third Row—Russell Donaldson, Morgan Thomas, Bob Woody, Jim Skaar, Donald Hintz, John DeVolder.

M. E. N. C.

The Music Education National Conference, better known to students as MENC, is a student Chapter of the regular National Organization of Music Educators, affiliated with the National Education Association. The organization itself is only in about its second year of existence, and the student chapters are a new idea, begun not more than a year ago, but so rapidly has the project grown that it has reached further limits than was ever expected by the regular MENC. At the present time there are approximately one-hundred eighty chapters in the United States, consisting of more than 4,500 members. Our own Chapter No. 28, a group of eighteen members, has enjoyed a year of at least nine varied and interesting programs, besides sponsoring informal recitals. The December meeting, for example, consisted of reports on the Christmas customs in the various foreign countries in comparison with our own and, in April a film was shown. In March, six members and Miss Lawrence attended a conference in Davenport.

Each member of MENC is issued the *Music Educator's Journal*.

"They blend SO beautiful"

Vera Franzene, Neola Grodahl, Vivian Franzene, Janet Anderson



"Beat it Out Fellas"



Band

This year the Buena Vista College Band has been a big part of the activities on the campus. This was the first year for the marching band which played at all of the major sports events.

Later in the year, turning to the more serious side of things, the band presented a spring concert, on April 27, 1949. Some of the compositions of the heavier mood included "Mirella" by Charles Gounod and J. S. Bach's "Arioso." In the gayer mood, they presented "Mexican Hat Dance," "South Wind Overture," and "Baker Street."

Morgan Thomas, solo cornetist, did justice to Herman Bellstedt's bright "Napoli," taken in variations from "Funiculi, Funicula."

The concert would not have been complete without the brilliant marches. The Spanish march, "El Abanibo," aroused much interest as did "Colonel Bogey" and Al Sweet's "Ringling Brothers Grand Entree" March.

Encores used for the program were "Pavanne" by Morton Gould and Meacham's "American Patrol." The closing was appropriate with the playing of the college "Alma Mater."

Sitting—Charlotte Straight, Darlene Haden, LaVonne Petty, Doris Foell, Rose Ann Mortenson, Bonnie Omtvedt, Janet Anderson, DeeAnn Carlson, Gretchen Jorgensen, Sharlotte Hunter, Lois Kretzinger.
Second Row—Jean Hughes, Dean Stille, Jim Skaar, Gordon LeWarne, Dale Flentje, Bonnie Harrell, Stanley Johnson, Morgan Thomas, Keith Miller, Shirley Miller, Ione LaFrentz.
Third Row—Richard Thompson, John Anderson, Charles McClintock, John DeVolder, Verne Schipull, Wayne Roepke, Don Hintz, Russell Donaldson, Wayne Straight, Prof. Landes.



A Cappella Choir



From Left to Right, Bottom Row—Jean Hughes, Pat Clark, Ione LaFrentz, Shirley Miller, Carol Anderson, Janet Anderson, Charlotte Straight, Prof. Ruth Lawrence, Catherine Farnsworth, Betty Rees, Mabel Ferguson, Sharlotte Hunter, Vera Franzene, Wanda Weesner, Gretchen Jorgensen, Prof. John Maharg.
Second Row—Bonnie Omtvedt, Rose Mortensen, Doris Foell, Helen Anderson, Lois Vogel, Mary Allen, Lois Kretzinger, Vivian Franzene, Patti Dunn, Leona Wehmeyer, Bonnie Harrell, Mary Jane Gray, Joanne Lovejoy, Marilyn Skaar, Betty Lou Markenson, Peggy Kissinger, Ruth Juffer, Marlys Anderson.
Third Row—Mike Pappadackis, Ray Satory, Dick Baker, Don Rehnstrom, Tom Patten, Jim Skaar, Gordon LeWarne, Arthur Daniels, Robert Woody, Jack Wood, Conrad Cooper, Verne Schipull, Floyd Schnirring, Chuck McClintock, Wayne Straight.
Fourth Row—Richard Thompson, John DeVolder, Norman Swanson, Dean Stille, Alfred Schlorholtz, Mark Van Voorhis, Henry Gorman, Dale Flentje, Robert MacDowell, Bob Jacobson, Ed Peters, Don Madsen, Russell Donaldson, Marvin Rees, Keith Miller, Don Hintz. **Not Pictured** are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Landes.

A blending of more than seventy voices in harmonious interpretation of songs, old and new, sacred and secular, compose the Buena Vista A Cappella Choir. Under the capable direction of Professor John Maharg, this collection of talented students has reached new heights in music. The number of members has steadily risen from a very small mixed group at its beginning, to the present number, which is the largest in the history of the college.

The annual all-sacred concert, given during the Yuletide season, was the first appearance that the choir made in Storm Lake last year. Previous to this, however, they had appeared before members of the Kiwanis club, at which time a portion of the Christmas concert was presented, and also in Lake View, Iowa, where the full concert, in all its glory, was given. Everyone had worked long and hard on the various selections, and their labors were rewarded by a very successful and enthralling performance.

Perhaps the most looked-forward-to event by the members of the choir, was the spring tour, made every year by the choir. This itinerary covered territories in Iowa, Nebraska, and Minnesota, where the choir was enthusiastically received by all. It was quite an adventure for the more recent members, who had never hoped to have such an experience; and even those who had previously traveled with the organization were inspired as never before. Soloists Betty Spindler, Vera Franzene, Lois Vogel, Henry Gorman, Mable Ferguson, Chub Cooper, and Verne Schipull helped greatly in furthering the choir's popularity.

Another great event on the choir's agenda was the spring festival, in which the students received much inspiration, even though the primary purpose was enjoyment. And last, but not least, came the spring concert, a program of many different types of songs, including those used in the tour.

At the close of another inspiring and worthwhile year, the choir can proudly say that it is indeed better than ever before, besides being larger than it has ever been, and having a more expansive repertoire.

Men's Ensemble

The Men's Ensemble, composed of sixteen masculine songsters, from the choir, is a comparatively new group on the campus. Probably the youngest of all musical groups, its origin dates back only two years, when a few interested and talented young men decided to form a men's quartet, calling upon all those wishing to belong to try out for it. At the appointed time eight volunteers appeared; so well did their voices blend that an octet was formed along with the quartet. Since that time the men have so enlarged their number, that at the present time there are approximately twice as many voices, blending together in melodies that represent anything from barbershop harmony to negro spirituals and hymns.

Various appearances in Storm Lake, including BPW, Kiwanis, PTA, and Chapel, besides broadcasting on "College Capers" over Radio Station KAYL a few Saturday mornings, and visiting such surrounding territories as Sac City, Calumet, Paullina, Nemaha, Truesdale, and Albert City, help to keep the Ensemble the talented organization that it has proved to be. During the choir tour, the fellows presented a few concerts of their own, singing in a number of territories visited by the choir, which bolstered their popularity even further.

Professor Maharg, sponsor of the group, is greatly encouraged at the outcome of the year's work. There is an outlook ahead for a good future, full of adventure, and, above all, more accomplishments than have ever before been realized by the Men's Ensemble.



Front Row—Verne Schipull, Dean Stille, Roy Satory, Wayne Straight, Prof. Maharg, Dick Baker, Floyd Schnirring, Marvin Rees, Russell Donaldson.

Back Row—Robert MacDowell, Gordon LeWarne, Henry Gorman, Jim Skaar, Jack Woods, Ed Peters, Bob Woody, Dale Flentje.



Prof. Lawrence, Verne Schipull, Floyd Schnirring, Alfred Schlorholtz, Lois Vogel, Morgan Thomas, Shirley Miller, Peggy Kissinger, Dean Stille, Betty Spindler.

B. V. Singers

The Buena Vista singers, under the direction of Prof. Ruth Lawrence, is composed of nine college students. The group has had an altogether busy season, singing between the acts of college plays and also at graduation exercises.

They finished their season by singing at several high schools in the surrounding area.

Members are as follows: Peggy Kissinger, Lois Vogel, Betty Lou Spindler, Shirley Miller, Floyd Schnirring, Morgan Thomas, Dean Stille, Albert Schlorholtz and Verne Schipull.

Men's Quartet

The Men's Quartet was made up of Henry Gorman, Jim Skaar, Marvin Rees, and Morgan Thomas.

They had a very busy season this year. They sang at several college functions and also made three trips to surrounding high schools. Their first trip was to

Highview and the second and third performances were held at Sac City.

The quartet was fortunate enough to perform over the KAYL Radio Station.



Prof. Lawrence, Marvin Rees, Jim Skaar, Morgan Thomas, Henry Gorman.

Phi Delta Chi



First Row—Prof. Greeley, Russ Donaldson, John Anderson, Prof. Landes, Floyd Schnirring, John DeVolder, Prof. Maharg.
Second Row—Reynard Satory, Russ Droesch, Ed Peters, Jim Skaar, Dean Stille, Marvin Rees.
Third Row—Donald Verhusen, Gordon LeWarne, Bob Woody, Bob McDowell, Bob Jacobson, Bud Spindler, Norman Hoft.

An organization of music lovers on the campus, Phi Delta Chi is active and always eager to promote good music, fellowship in music, and any activity which helps good will manifest itself in the students and the college whatever or wherever that activity might be.

Phi Delta Chi was organized on the crest of a mammoth wave of students to fulfill the need of a brotherhood of common interest and build up, as a natural consequence, certain of the social aspects of a true college life so badly lacking at that time. The fraternity sponsors dances and parties from time to time to round out the student's education and to enhance its own coffer.

As time rolls by Phi Delta Chi strains and flexes to bring favorable attention to the Alma Mater from young and old alike in the surrounding area. The majority of its members are in the popular Buena Vista A Cappella Choir. Others are active in small vocal groups and in band and sports. Yet all are working as a unit to "push" the college.

The men in the fraternity find pleasure in singing together and in a true fraternal spirit are more than likely to strike a harmonious chord of a favorite tune whenever and wherever they group together. As these men leave the campus, sweet memories will still linger of the fellowship in music and the bountiful experiences in learning "by the beauteous lake resplendant." Man for man they will see to it that "Buena Vista moves forward."



We Foster Friendship

Man is a social being. His life is not complete without friends. Friendships enrich our lives. We need people to share our successes and to comfort us in times of sorrow or disappointment. We enjoy personal contacts with others who have the same ideals and interests as ourselves. Such relationships stimulate us and spur us on to greater achievement. Many, many lifelong friendships are made on college campuses all over the world.

Here at Buena Vista there are many opportunities to make deep and lasting friendships as we work and play together. We are one big, happy family. We study together in classes, work together on plays, enjoy ourselves together at parties and dances, cheer together at athletic contests, and dine together in Beaver Hall.

Because of a huge enrollment and a lack of facilities, social life on the campus is not what it should be. We must do the best we can with what we have. However, our Million Dollar Expansion Program should change the picture in the next few years. The building of the Women's Dormitory alone will be a big help to our social program. In the next few years we hope to develop on our campus a program of social activities which will equal that of any college in the state of Iowa.



The Homecoming Queen



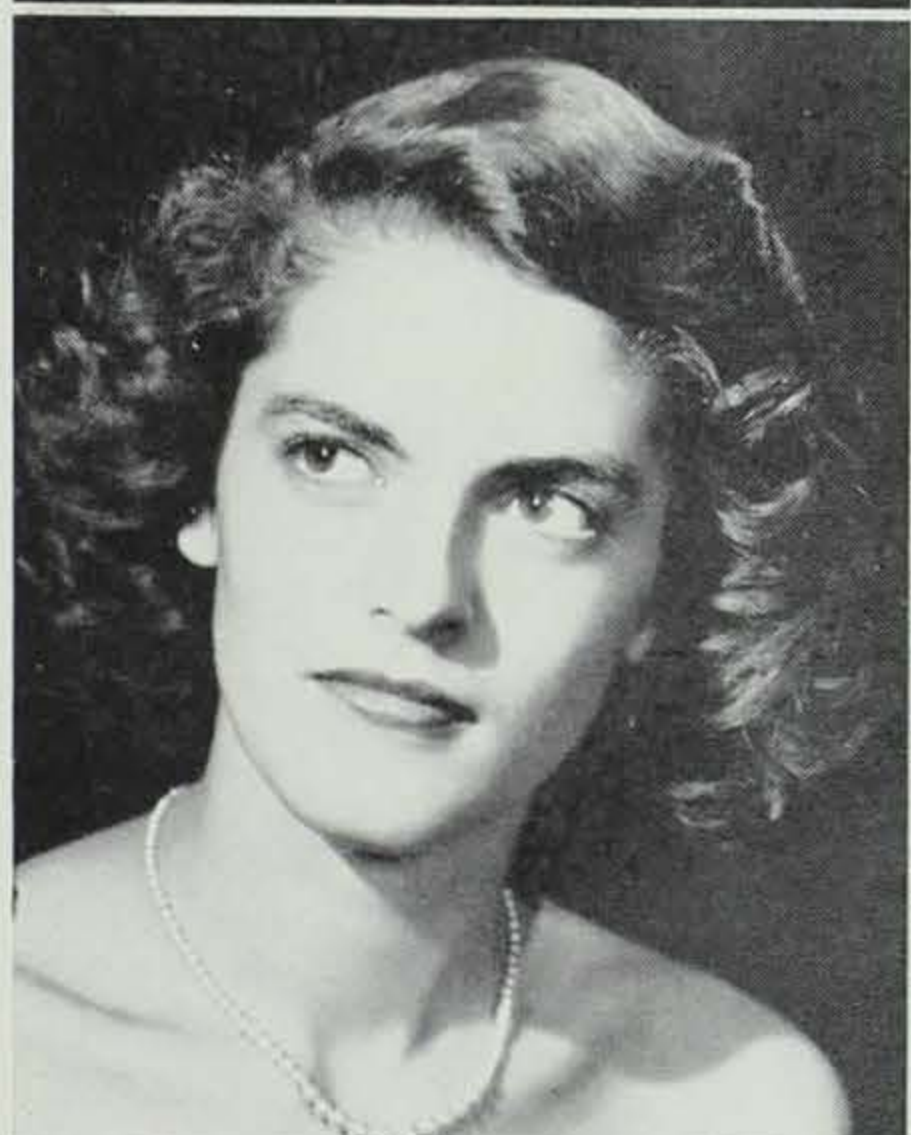
BETTY McKINSTREY

Homecoming Queen



Beauty reigned supreme in the week preceding the Westmar game, for the campaign was on to elect the queen of them all, the Homecoming Queen. The candidates who were nominated by the various organizations on the campus were Betty McKinstrey, Milford; Rosemary Whitcanack, Schaller; Rae Cejka, Laurens; Peggy Kissinger, Washta; Myra Haradan, Early; Vera Franzene, Rembrandt; and Mabel Ferguson, Lake View. The campus was buzzing with speculation as to who would win the crown right up until coronation time. At half-time ceremonies, Queen Betty McKinstrey was crowned by student-council president, Morgan Thomas, and reigned, with her attendants, for the remainder of the day. The Queen and her court were graced by excellent weather and a victory over Westmar. Her reign was drawn to a climax by an all-college homecoming dance that evening.

And Her Attendants



Rae Cejka
Myra Haradon

Mabel Ferguson
Peggy Kissinger

Vera Franzene
Rosemary Whitcanack

Homecoming Program

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

Variety Show	7:00—8:00 p.m.
Pep Rally	8:00—8:30 p.m.
Snake Dance	8:30—9:00 p.m.
Free Movies	9:00

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

Parade	10:00 a.m.
Sorority Luncheons	12:00 noon
Phi Alpha Pi	
Delta Phi Beta	
Football Game	2:00 p.m.
Westmar vs. Buena Vista	
Open House	after game
Phi Delta Chi Fraternity club rooms	
All-College Dance	9:00 p.m.

Homecoming Is A Big



Winning Homecoming float
sponsored by
Phi Delta Chi



Pep rally
the night before
Homecoming



Float
sponsored by
Alpha Psi Omega

Event On The Campus

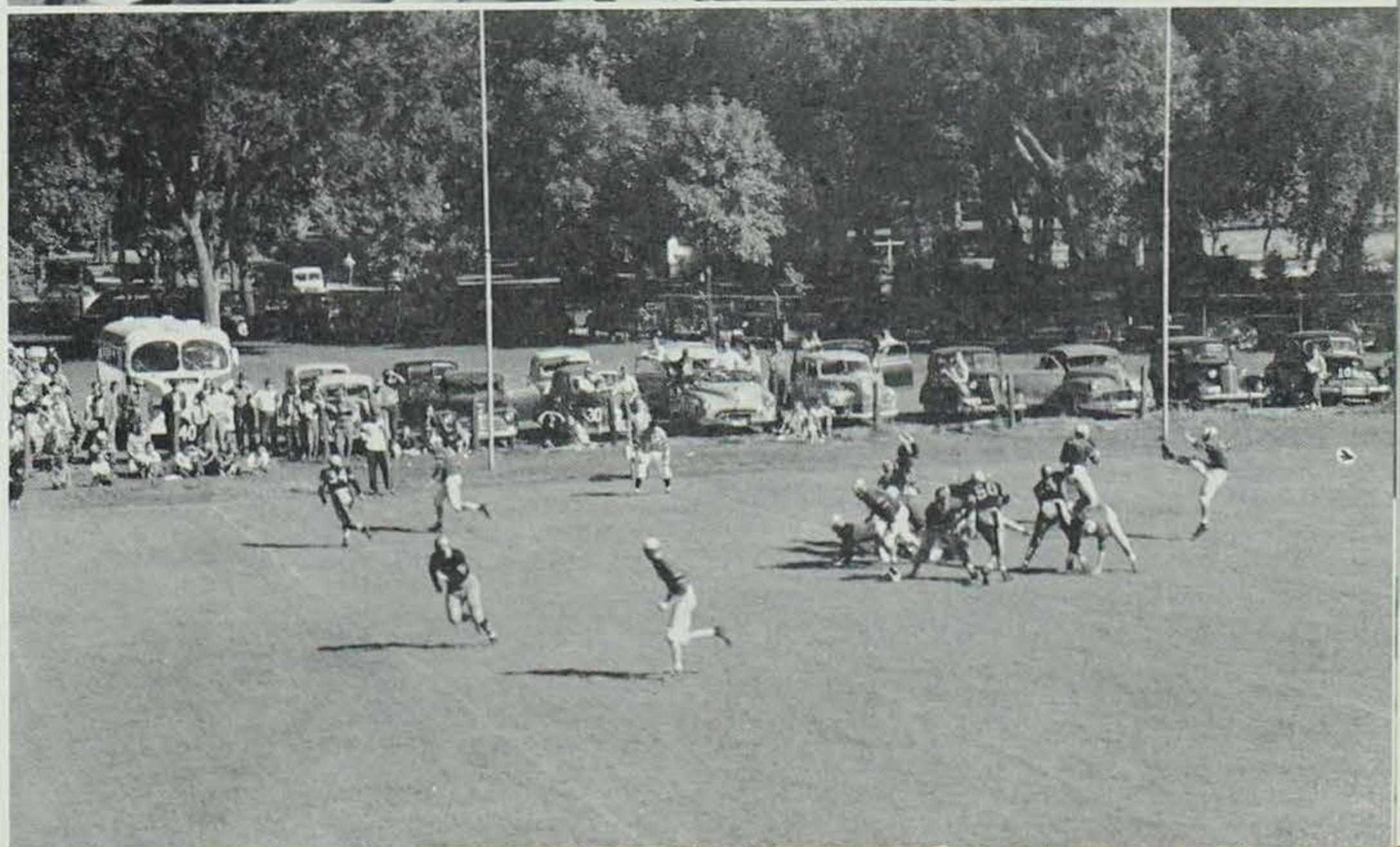
Beaver beauties
in
Homecoming parade



Homecoming parade
through
downtown Storm Lake



Buena Vista
Homecoming game
B.V. 18
Westmar 6



Life On



B.V. COEDS
DORM LIFE
DORM SCENE
WHAT A LIFE



PEP RALLY
PARTY
CONCENTRATION

The Campus



SLIPPERY ICE
NO LETTER TODAY
CUTE KIDS



TOM AT WORK
ANOTHER PARTY
ART DEPARTMENT
TWSOME



Marjorie Barlow, Jean Waisner, Rosemary Whitcanack, Betty McKinstrey, Jean Hughes.

Pep Leaders

Early in the year, tryouts were held to select the new cheerleaders. The final selections were Betty McKinstrey, Rosemary Whitcanack, Marjorie Barlow, Lavonne Petty, Jean Waisner, and Jean Hughes, with Rosemary Whitcanack and Betty McKinstrey as the head cheerleaders.

These six girls were in charge of the pep activities, yells, and rallies this year. They were always present at the football and basketball games, leading the student body in both new and old yells.

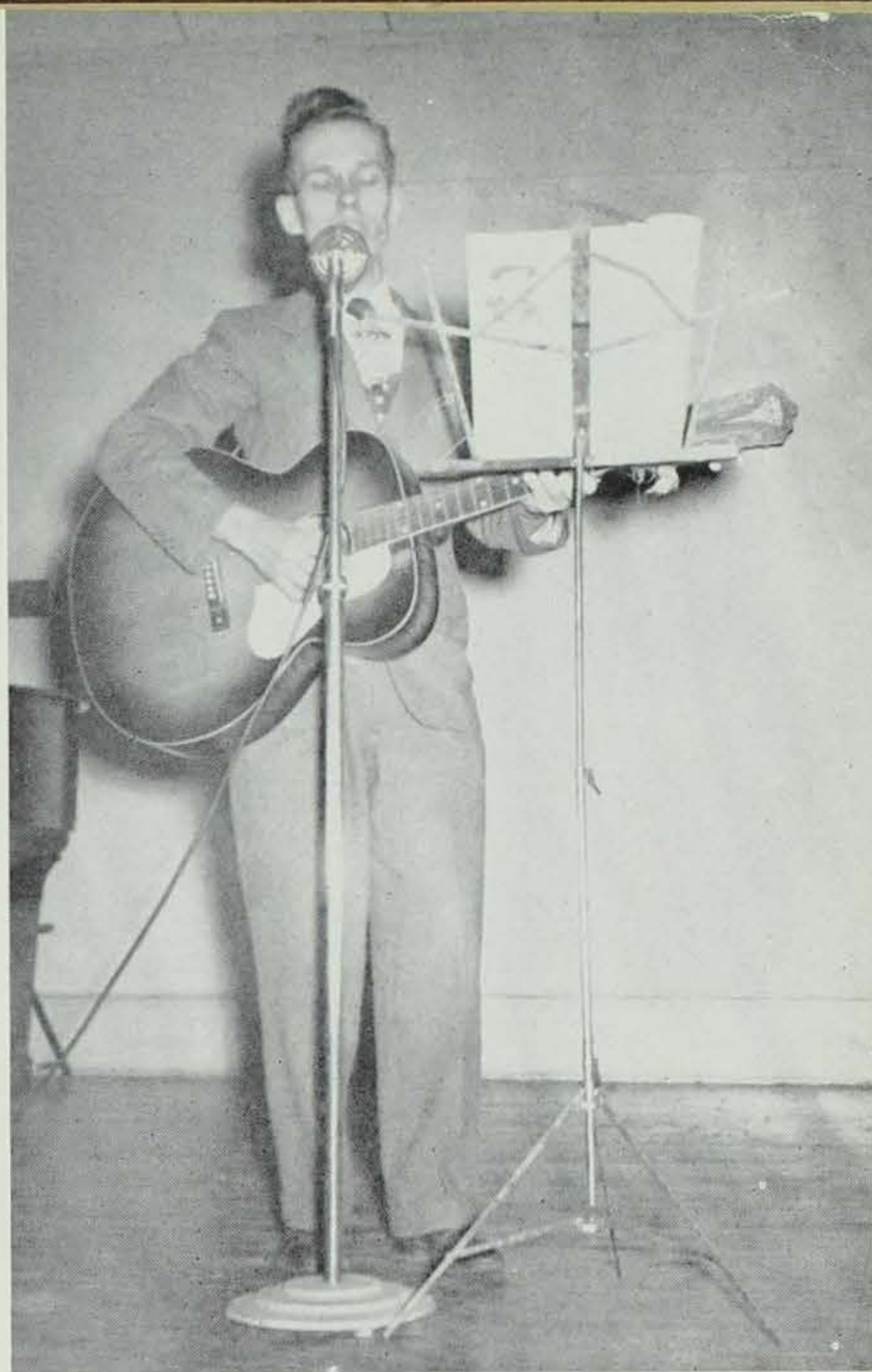
At the beginning of the Homecoming festivities the cheerleaders directed a lively all-college pep rally around a blazing bonfire. After the program they led the students in a snake dance which ended with all going to a free movie.

This sextet also helped organize the Pep Club. This club hopes to be very active next year. The cheerleaders will also have new uniforms of the blue and gold colors.

Stunt Night

Each year Sigma Tau Delta sponsors traditional stunt night, a night of dramas, comedies, musicals, and imitations performed by individuals and organizations on the campus. This year the performers played to a sell-out crowd, which delighted in a varied lengthy program. Doors opened at 7:30 P.M. the night of February 16 and by 8:00 P.M. standing room only was available. A total of twenty organizations and six individuals portrayed their talent in a variety of acts. Thus the competition was keen for the cash prizes awarded to the first and second winners in each class of competition. In the individual class Virgil Lichtenberg won a unanimous first rating with his fancy guitar strumming and yodeling, with the crowd demanding two encores. Henry Gorman and "Chub" Cooper won second with a duet of singing. In the organization class, Entre Nous, with a radio skit placed first and Phi Delta Chi, with an imitation of traveling with an old-time car placed second.

—Not competing in the hot competition but doing a swell job of closing the evening festivities in fine style, was the faculty's contribution with a wee bit of vaudeville, imitation, and humor combined.

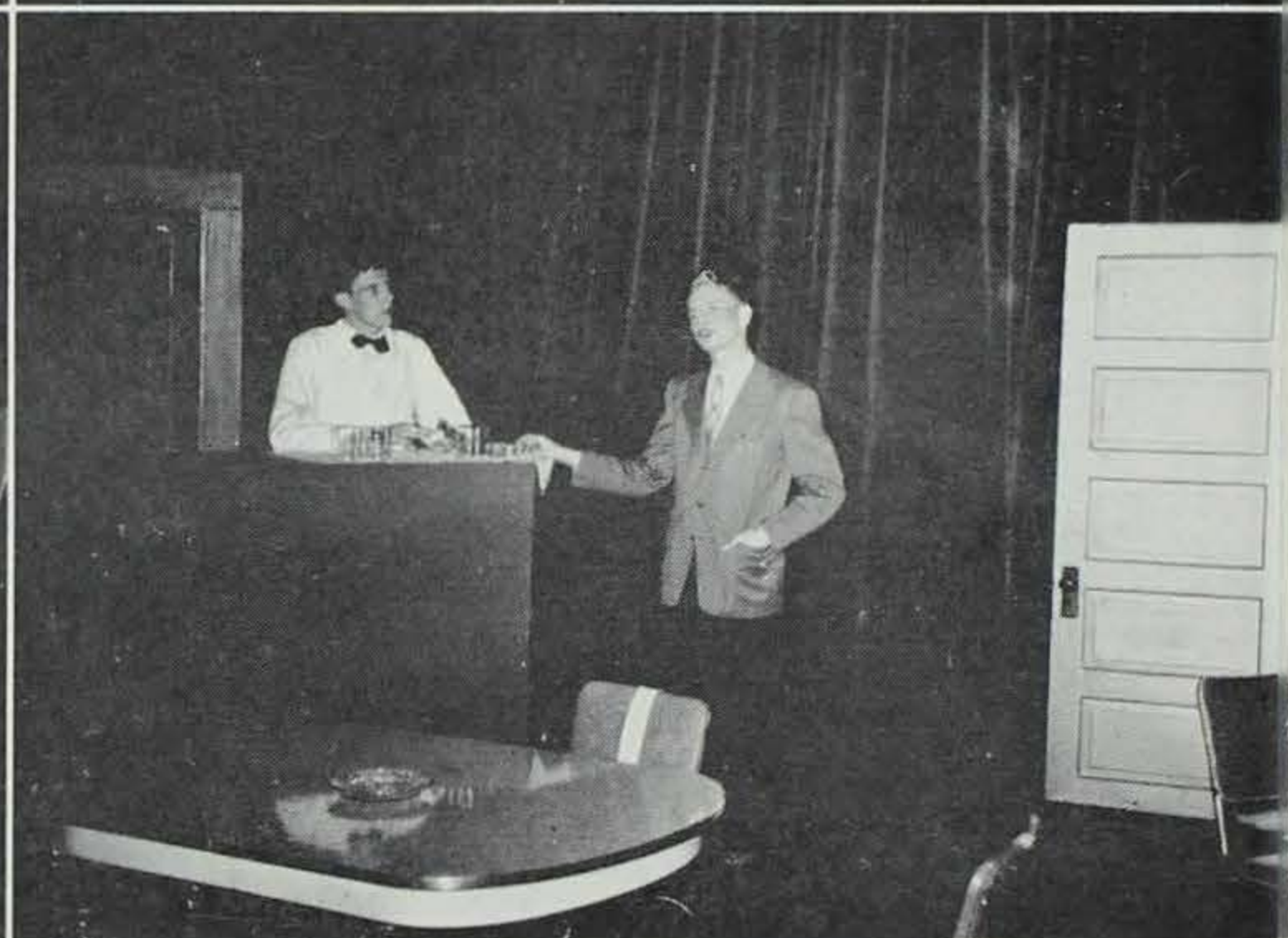


Virgil Lichtenberg, winner of first prize in the individual competition.

Entre Nous first place winner, with their radio skit.

Phi Delta Chi, second place winner, with their replica of a merry "Oldsmobile."





Outward Bound

A responsive audience was kept in suspense and laughter Thursday evening, March 10, as drama and comedy were mixed together, forming the recipe for a good time for those who attended the B.V. Player's presentation of "Outward Bound."

"Where are we sailing?" "To Heaven—and to Hell too—it is the same place, you know." This is the keynote of "Outward Bound" by Sutton Vane, presented by the B.V. Players at the Storm Lake High School.

"Outward Bound" is a weird, mystical drama, dealing with the philosophy of the flight of the soul after death. Vivid in its portrayal, and thought-provoking in its presentation, it is one of the most dramatic and original plays ever seen on the stage. The scene is laid on board a ship outward bound, but whither? It is gradually learned that all characters (except two) are dead.

Bob Jacobson played the part of Scrubby, the bartender of the ship headed for an unknown destination. Mable Ferguson and Joe Furfaro played the parts of Ann and Henry, the young lovers who were "half-way" passengers.

Don Madsen, as Tom Prior, kept things moving at a lively pace, especially during his conversations with Mrs. Cliveden-Banks, played equally well by Gloria Westerberg.

Marlin Wise looked like the real thing as portrayer of the Rev. William Duke, and Robert McDowell realized his lifelong ambition as Rev. Frank Thomson.

Jean Waisner took the part of Mrs. Midget, the old lady with the English accent. Neil Irwin played the part of Mr. Lingley, who didn't fare very well with the Examiner.

The play was under the direction of Prof. Betty Wilson.

The first public performance of the B.V. Players was Monday evening, December 6, in the college chapel. The players presented three one act plays, displaying a varied program of comedy and drama in the Christmas spirit, featuring many new faces behind the foot-lights. The student-directed plays were also given the following evening of December 7.

"By Line For St. Luke" a comedy-drama, was directed by Bob Jacobsen. The play, which took place in a newspaper office, combined just the right amount of comedy and drama to produce the real Christmas spirit. The cast included such veteran actors as Ed Peters and Betty Spindler and the newcomers included Verne Schipull, Jean Hughes, Vera Franzene and Joanne Lovejoy.

"Dust of the Road," a more serious drama, was under the direction of Don Madsen. The characters were excellently portrayed by such veterans as Stanley Johnson and Helen Gaherty, while Joe Furfaro and Mark Van Voorhis were new actors.

"Pop Reads a Christmas Carol," a comedy under the direction of Marlin Wise, took place in the home of an ordinary family on Christmas Eve. With many interruptions from all members of the family, particularly Junior, Pop unsuccessfully tried to read the Christmas Carol. The cast included all newcomers to the stage. They were Harold Engen, George Pierce, Janet Anderson, Shirley Miller, Doris Foell, Paige Carroll and Don LeGore. The play was also given at the Dad's Day Chapel Exercises.

One Act Plays



Students

An
Experiment
in
Chemistry
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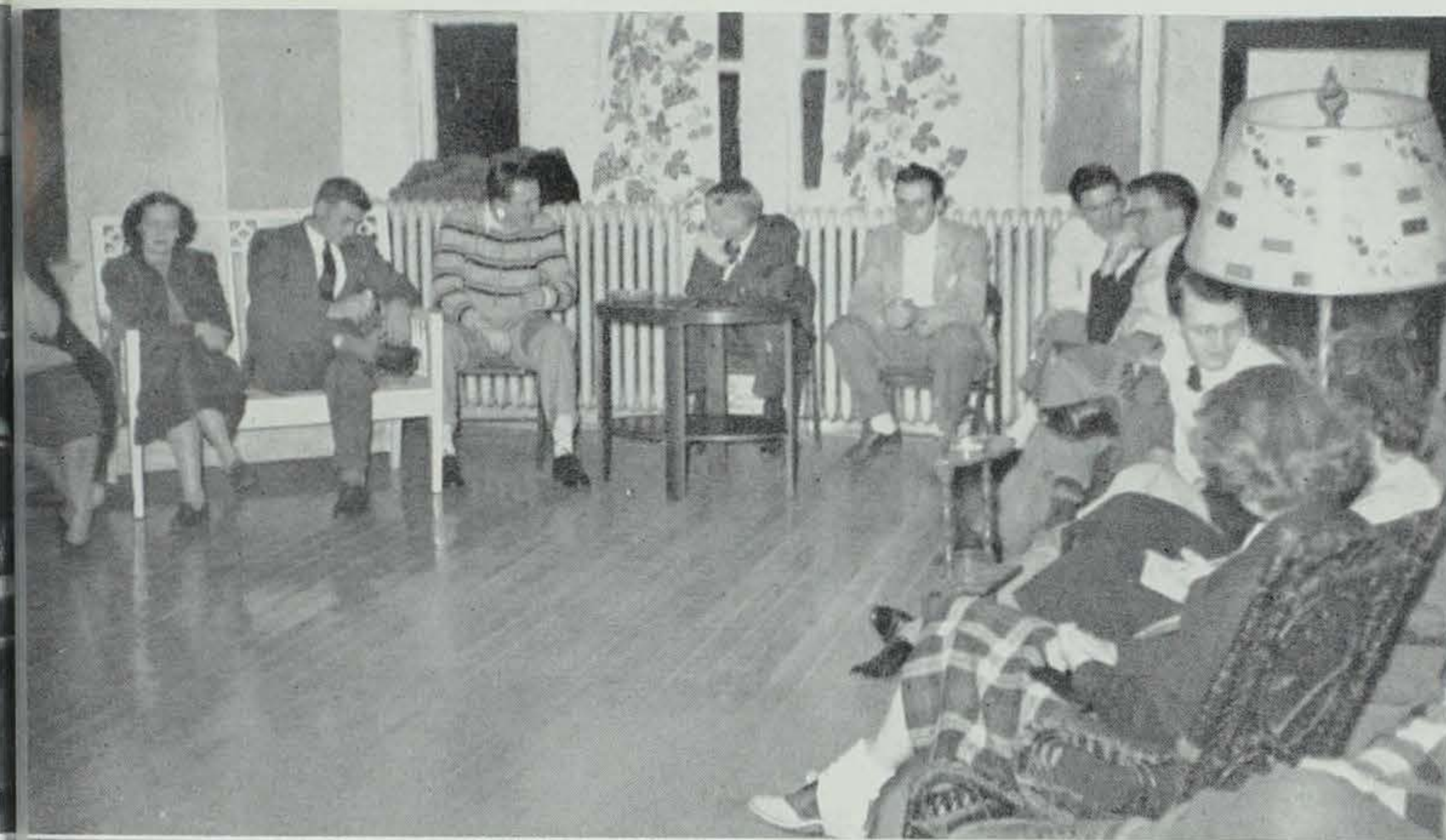
Students relax
between
Classes



Zoology
students
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At Work



B.V. players
relax in
club rooms



Delving into
the Unknown



Classroom lecture
on the
fundamentals
of our government

We Live And Learn



Consecration week services
under the leadership of
Dr. Anderson



Sigma Tau Delta
accepts
pledges



B.V. Lettermen
dine at
dinner dance

Queen Drake Relays



GRETCHEN JORGENSEN

Gretchen Jorgensen was selected as Buena Vista College's candidate for the Drake Relays queen. The announcement was made Wednesday, March 30, by Morgan Thomas, president of the student council.

Gretchen was selected by the Freshmen class as their candidate for representation, and the final decision was made by the student council who rated each girl on her beauty, personality, and scholarship. Attendants to Miss Jorgensen who represented their classes for the honor of queen were: Lois Vogel, senior; Pat Whiteside, junior; and Rae Cejka, sophomore.

Last year, Gretchen won the Connor Award at Alta, an award presented each year to the senior who best shows traits of scholarship, leadership, and personality.



Rae Cejka



Lois Vogel



Pat Whiteside

Forensic League



Left to right—Claire Abbott, Dale Flentje, Gloria Westerberg, Charles Wood, Marlin Wise, David Olson, Pat Hagerstrand, Helen Gaherty.

Buena Vista this year resumed an active interest in inter-collegiate forensics and renewed her affiliation with the State Forensic Association, an organization of sixteen colleges and universities in Iowa.

Under the direction of Professor Gladys Kuehl, speech students who excelled in debate, discussion, extemporaneous speaking, original oratory, and interpretative reading, were chosen to represent Buena Vista in inter-scholastic competition at invitational tournaments. A fine showing was made at the Westmar invitational tourney in February.

At the state forensic meet in Des Moines, March 11 and 12, Buena Vista had entrants in the following divisions: Men's Debate, Dale Flentje, Claire Abbott; Women's Debate, Pat Hagerstrand, Gloria Westerberg; Discussion, Marlin Wise, Charles Wood, David Olson; Original Oratory, Charles Wood; Extemporaneous Speaking, David Olson; After Dinner Speaking, Gloria Westerberg; Poetry Reading, Conrad Cooper, Helen Gaherty.

Outstanding honors in the state finals were won by Claire Abbott and David Olson who were awarded excellent ratings in Debate and Extemporaneous Speaking.

The college debate question for the year dealt with "Federal Aid to Education." Two discussion questions were used for statewide competition: "How can civil rights be guaranteed to all citizens living in the United States?" and "How can we make students on our Campuses become aware of their responsibilities as citizens?"

Mr. Wood, in his oration entitled, "While We Sleep," proposed changes in American diplomatic policy which might insure world peace.

Topics for extemporaneous speaking were drawn from current national and international problems. At the state meet Mr. Olson chose to speak on the adoption of the North Atlantic Pact.

Mr. Cooper's contest selection was "The Walker" by Giavonnitte; Miss Gaherty read "The Laughers" by Untermeyer.

After dinner speaking, in which Mrs. Westerberg participated, was the featured entertainment at the convention banquet.

Members of the forensic league have also presented programs at chapel convocations, for P. T. A. groups, and over local radio station KAYL.

Who's Who



Front Row (left to right)—Jack Henneberry, Truesdale; Norman Hoft, Wall Lake; John DeVolder, Pomeroy; Virgil Holmes, Storm Lake.
Second Row—Donald Madsen, Storm Lake; Morgan Thomas, Cherokee; Jack Bunnelle, Rankin, Ill.
 (The above students are seniors at Buena Vista.)

Seven Buena Vista students were accepted for recognition in the 1948-1949 edition of *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*.

The role that veterans are playing on college campuses throughout the United States seems to be proved by the fact that all seven students named for *Who's Who* are World War II Veterans. They are John Bunnelle, John Henneberry, Virgil Holmes, Donald Madsen, John DeVolder, Morgan Thomas, and Norman Hoft.

Recognition by *Who's Who* means that the student was, first, officially recommended for the university or college he attends, and then accepted by the organization. College juniors, seniors and students enrolled in graduate courses are eligible for nomination. Selection of nominees is conducted by the campus committees.

Nominating committees are requested to consider the student's scholarship, his leadership and cooperation in education and extra-curricular activities, his general citizenship, and his promise of future usefulness.

Students becoming members of *Who's Who* receive a certificate of recognition awarded by the organization.

Practice Teachers



TYPICAL CLASSROOM SCENES OF OUR PRACTICE TEACHERS RECEIVING TRAINING TOWARD THEIR TEACHING PROFESSION.

Buena Vista College is fortunate in being able to use throughout the winter and summer sessions the students and facilities of the Storm Lake, Hayes, Truesdale, Rembrandt, Alta, and Aurelia schools for practice teaching. Personal supervision for the elementary teachers is under the direction of Professor Opal Roark. For the secondary teaching the supervision is under the direction of Professor E. Wayne Hilmer and Professor T. P. Kuehl.

A course in practice teaching is required for all Iowa Certificates.

Before practice teaching each student shall have completed all the required education courses with the exception of the course in special methods which may be taken concurrently.

Graduates of the college and the two year teacher training students are in such demand by employing school officials that each year's graduating class is placed in teaching positions.



Guess Who??????
Yes, it is Marvin Reese and his wife.

Surprise Candid Shots

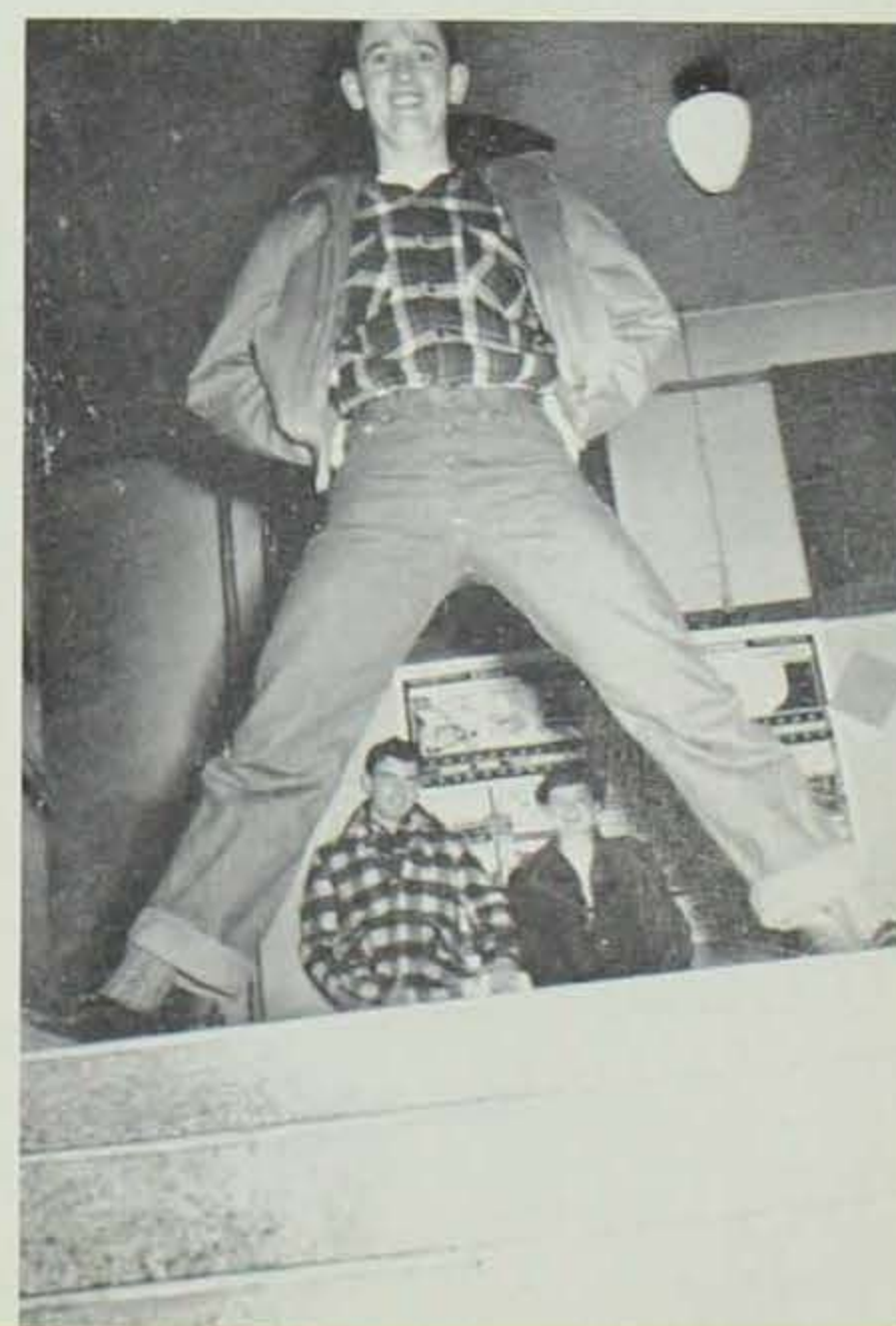


Jitterbugs, professional style.
Dick Baker spins Donna Gard.

Yes, this is a scene from Stunt Night.



That's Steve and Lois behind or under
Les.





We Increase In Strength

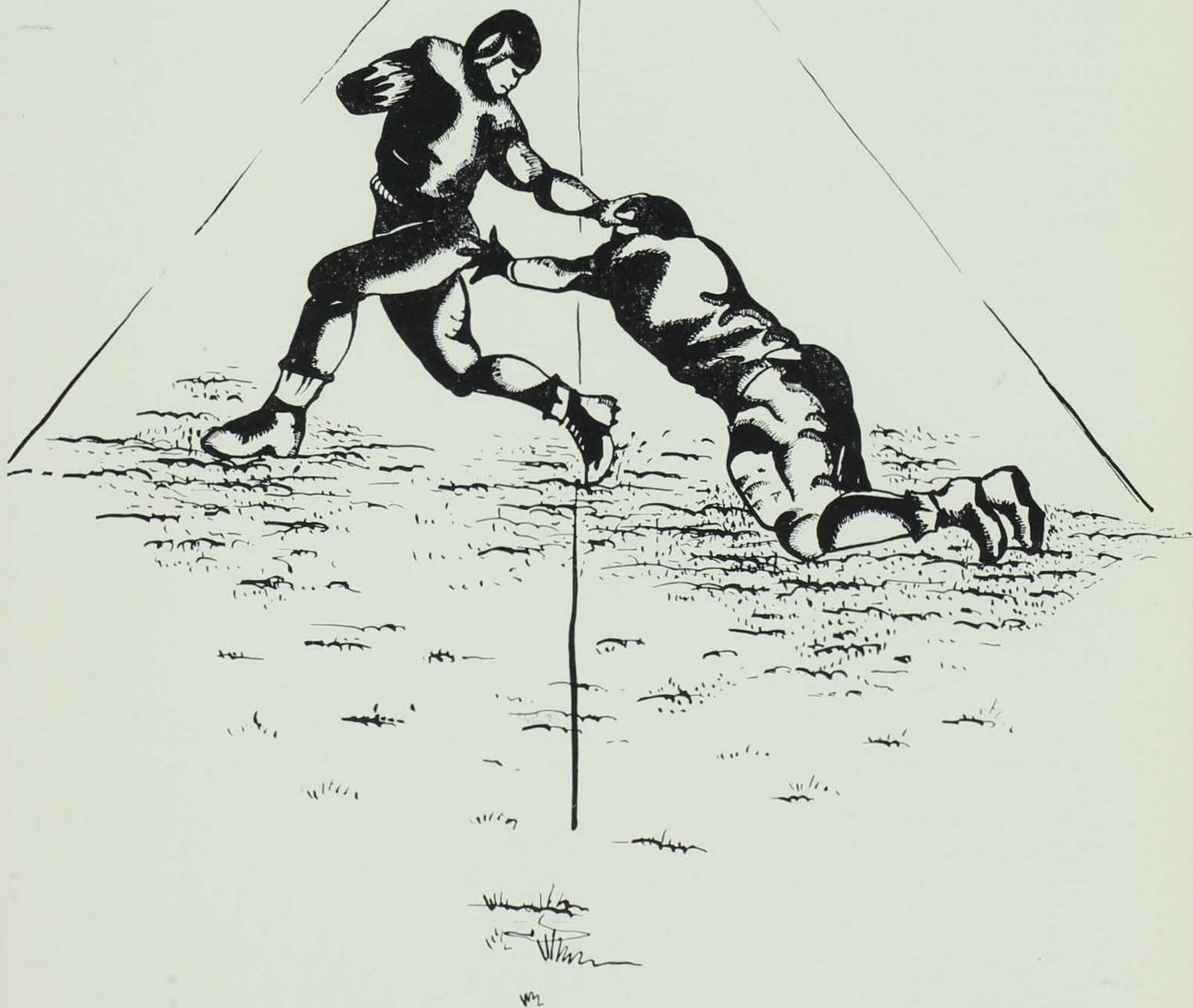
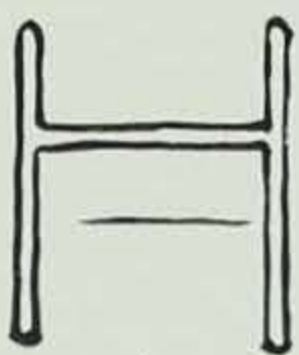
Buena Vista has been a member of two conferences since World War II—The South Dakota-Iowa Conference, being disbanded this year, and the Iowa Conference, separated in north and south divisions this year. From a squad of thirty to a squad of seventy in football, from fifteen to eighty in basketball, from eighteen to eighty in baseball, and from a track squad of six to a track squad of fifty shows the progress on the gridiron, the hardwood, the diamond, and the cinders.

The athletic program includes also an active intramural program in which almost every man on the college campus participates. Girls also come in for their share of the intramural program and have a regular schedule.

In the fall of 1947, Buena Vista was the co-champion of the South Dakota-Iowa Conference in football. In 1948 the coveted championship was Buena Vista's alone.

The enthusiasm in the community toward our athletic program has increased with the size of the squads. Bradford Field will soon be too small to handle our football crowds and Victory Hall too small to handle our basketball crowds. Baseball is played on the new Memorial Field, one of the best lighted fields in the country.

Eligibility rules are strict so that the athletes must be apt scholastically. The coaches insist on rigid training rules. The physical Education Department is doing its best to build a bigger and better Buena Vista.



B. V. Coaches



Kenny Blackman

KENNETH BLACKMAN
Director of Athletics
Head Basketball and
Baseball Coach

In the personages of Mr. Kenneth Blackman and Mr. Bob Otto, Buena Vista has two outstanding coaches. The college and student body can consider themselves fortunate to be able to acquire the services of these two coaches. Both men have years of experience and admirable backgrounds qualifying them for their positions. Mr. Blackman as head baseball and basketball coach has years of professional baseball playing and managing experience. Mr. Otto played

in the tough Big Ten conference with such notables as Mike Enich and Nile Kinnick. Mr. Otto in his first year at Buena Vista guided his boys to winning the Dakota-Iowa Conference and a good rating in the Iowa Conference. At the present time he is tutoring his thin clads for their opening meets, while Mr. Blackman is directing his baseball squad in opening drills for an expected championship season.

BOB OTTO
Head Football and
Track Coach



Bob Otto

1948 Football Squad - Winners of Dakota-Iowa Conference

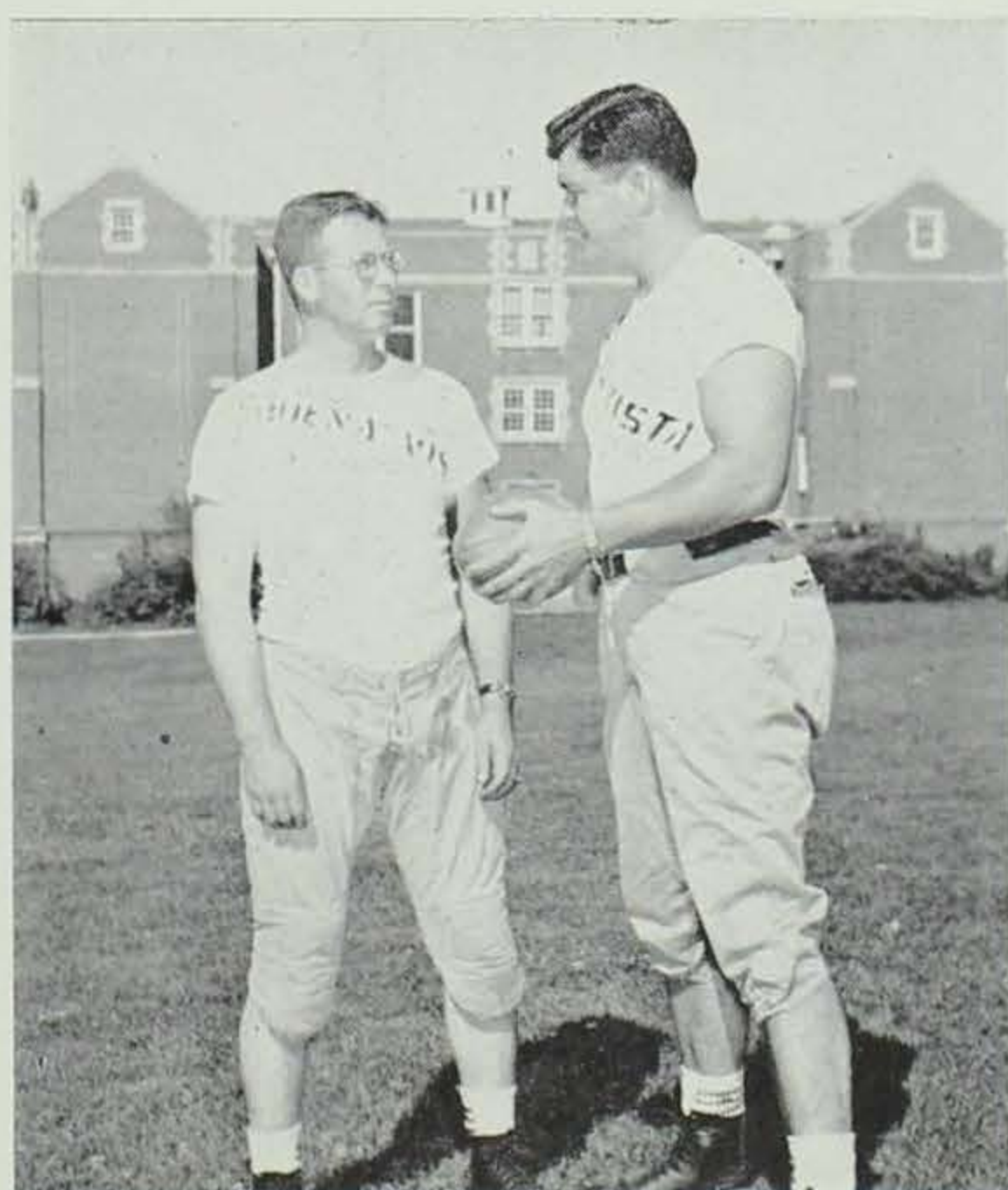


Front Row—Bob Willadsen, Bernie Saggau, Bill Salmon, Tom Gaines, Gordon McKinstrey, Jim Malone, Everett Grapenthin, Wayne Peters.

Second Row—Coach Bob Otto, John Naughton, Bill Schnirring, Virgil Pitham, Norman Theiss, Vern Rath, Glenn Oatman, Fred Lawson, Ed Lashier, Bill Klinker, Director of Athletics Ken Blackman.

Third Row—Stuart Eischeid, Dick Toohey, Don Madson, John Nicholson, LaDon Sorenson, Waldo Johnson, Tom South, Dick Beck, Carmen Ness, Dale Young, Herman Decker, Robert Maxwell.

Fourth Row—Darold Faulkner, Wayne Roepke, LeRoy Hensley, Russell Meeks, Allan Hannafan, Earl Baker, Richard DeBrul, Gerald Miner, Bob Allen, Robert Lee, Robert Bumann, Arthur Nowack.



"Ken" and "Bob" talk things over.



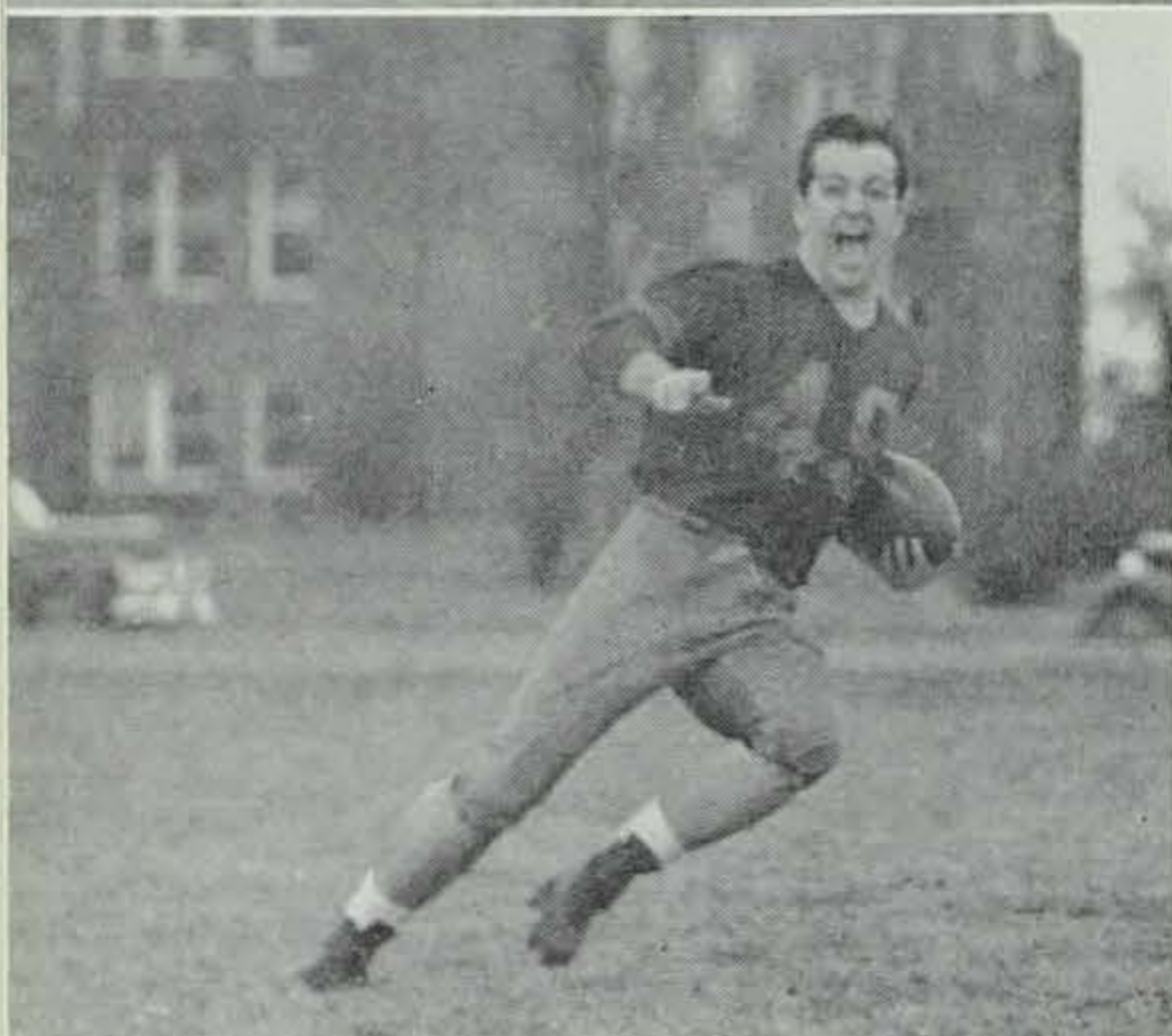
Is their a center jump in football?

Gridiron



ED LASHIER
Guard 190

WALDO JOHNSON
Tackle 185



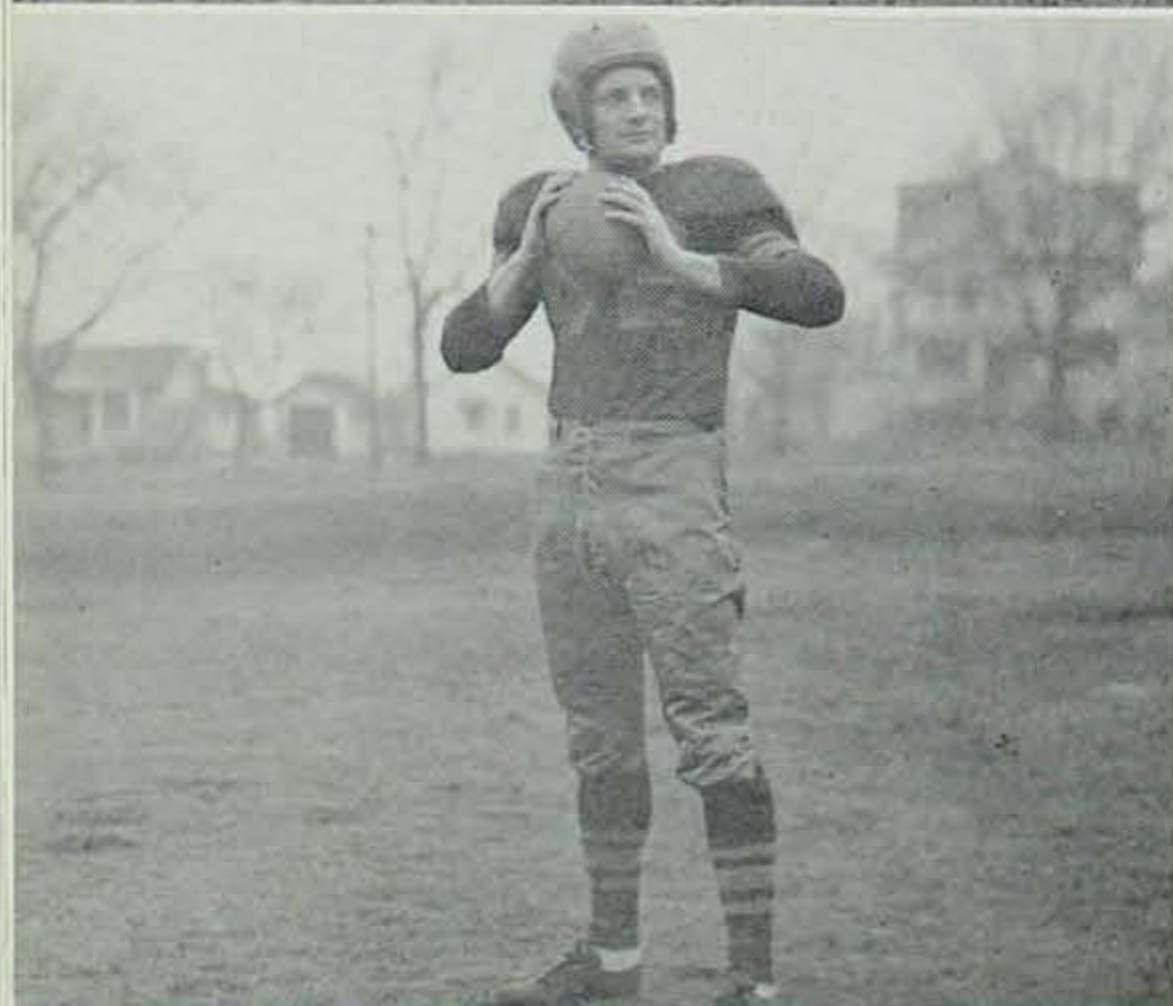
TOM GAINES
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BERNIE SAGGAU
Halfback 145



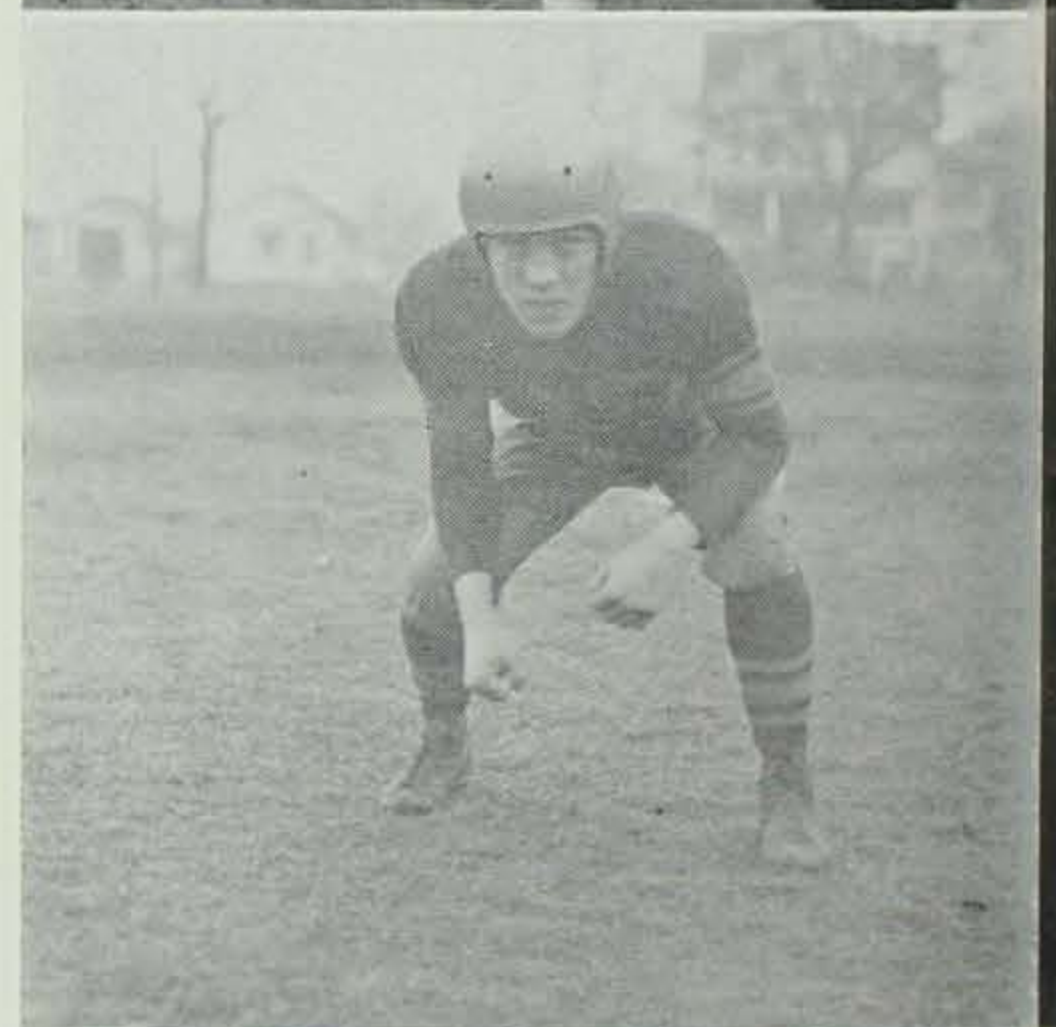
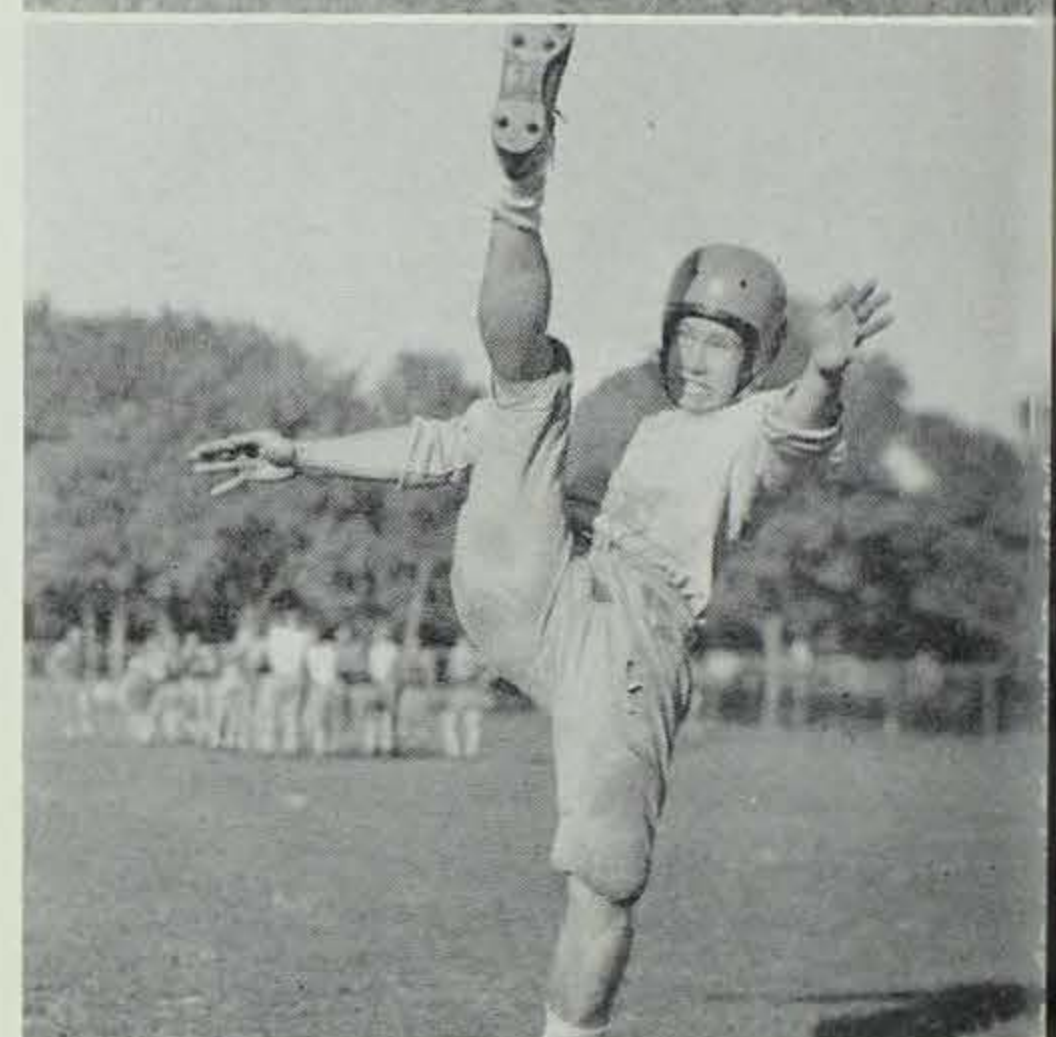
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DICK TOOHEY
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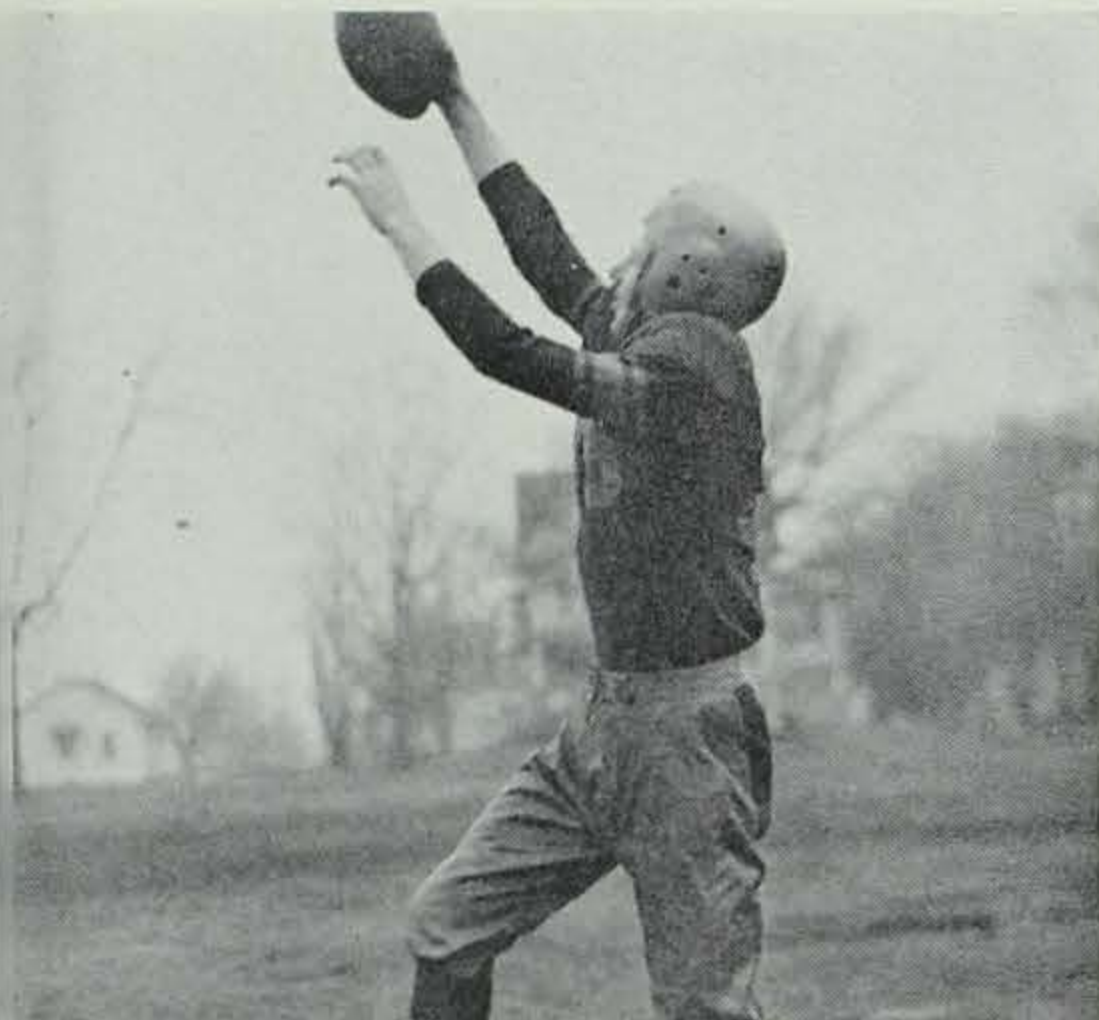


WAYNE PETERS
Fullback 170

DON MADSON
Guard 205

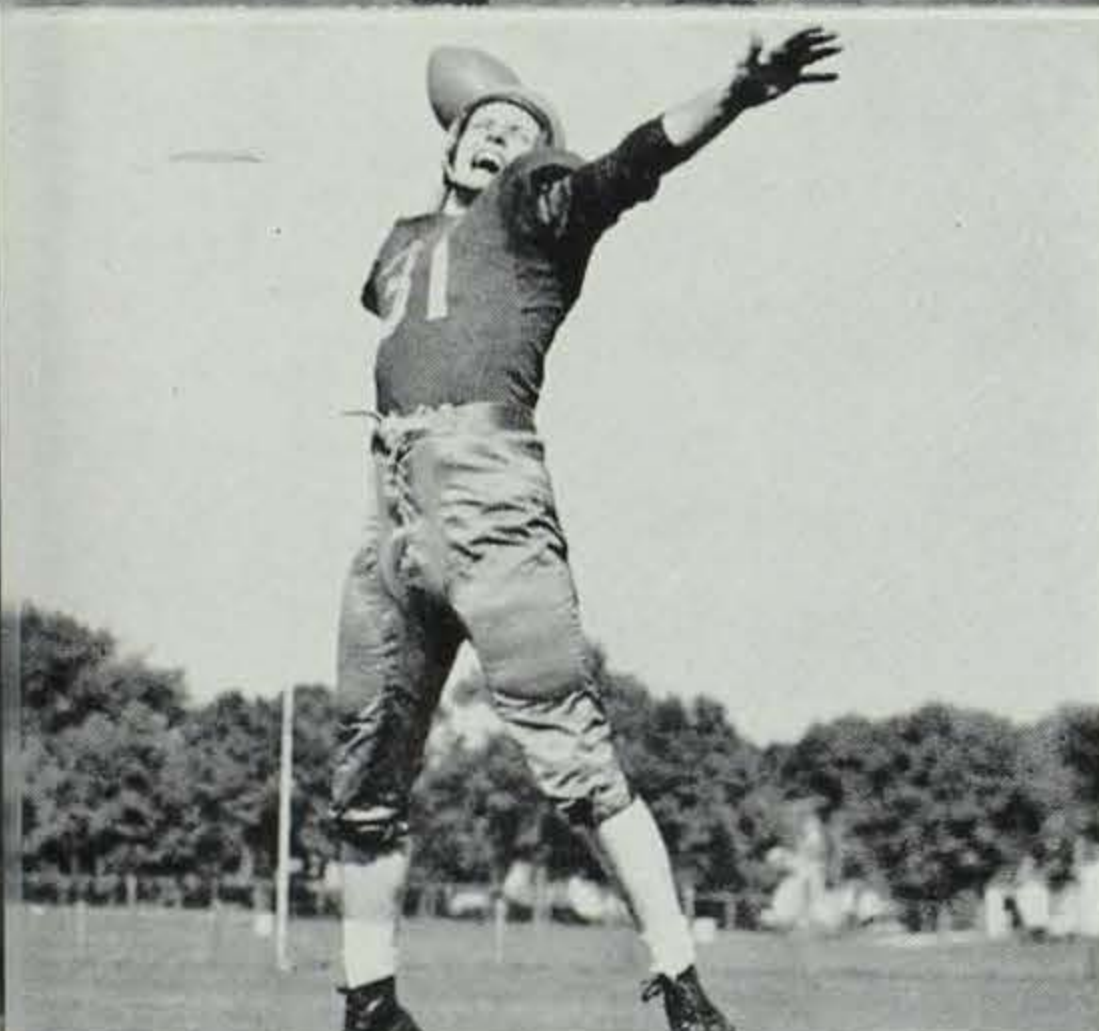


Crownbearers



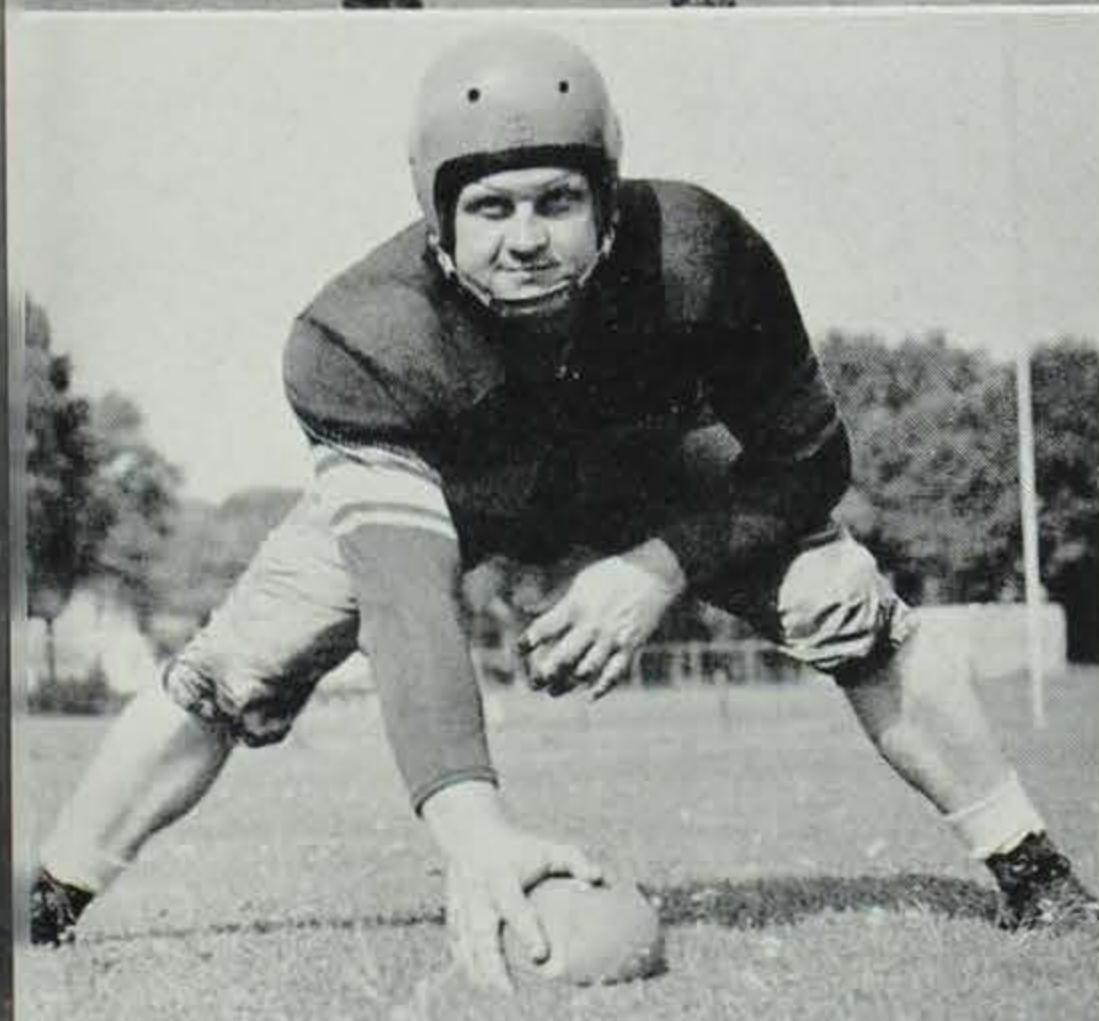
EVERETTE GRAPENTHIN
End 170

WILLIE SCHNIRRING
Center 185



JOHN NAUGHTON
Quarterback 165

FRED LAWSON
Guard 195



BILL KLINKER
Center 215

BOB WILLADSEN
Halfback 160



GORDON MCKINSTREY
Quarterback 175

NORMAN THEISS
Tackle 210



1948 Football Story

The football men of 1948 compiled one of the best records the college has had in several seasons. Running from a tricky T-formation, the boys won four games, lost three, and tied one. Coach Bob Otto, in his first year at Buena Vista, led the Beavers to top honors in the Dakota-Iowa Conference. The Beavers placed three men on the first Dakota-Iowa Conference honor team and two on the second. Captain Ed Lashier, a senior from Early, earned a guard spot by his consistently rugged line play, and Everette Grapenthin, a hard-charging end from Linn Grove, was picked at that position. Wayne Peters of Manson was named the all-conference fullback. "Pete" was a consistently hard driver and was one of the best defensive men and hardest tacklers on the squad. At the close of the season he was chosen as the "most valuable man on the squad" by his teammates. Bobby "Scooter" Willadsen, the Storm Lake speed boy, and Vern Rath of Correctionville were placed on the second team as a halfback and tackle, respectively.

The Beavers opened the season against York College of York, Nebraska, on September 17. A large crowd was on hand at Bradford Field, and they saw the game team from York fall before the overwhelming power of the B.V. grid machine 26-0. The Beavers scored twice in the first half. The first came on an 18 yard toss from Don Castle to Bernie Saggau, and the second on a 20 yard pass from Gordon McKinstry to big Glen Oatman. In the second half Tommy Gaines broke loose beautifully and skirted 65 yards for a third touchdown. The final marker came on a 38 yard off-tackle jaunt by Bobby Willadsen. York never threatened and Buena Vista was in command all the way. Near the end of the game Coach Otto cleared the bench, and every man on the squad got a chance to play.

The Ottomen lost their first game of the season to a big and rugged Dubuque team 7-6. The first half was an even affair with neither team getting far over the midfield stripe. Early in the fourth period the Spartans scored on a 74 yard run by Purcells. The Beavers took the kick-off and went straight down the field. An interference penalty gave Buena Vista a first down on the Dubuque one, but another penalty put them back on the seven. Naughton passed to Saggau the last seven yards for the touchdown, but Theulen's attempt for the extra point was blocked. Two treks to pay dirt were later called back and the Beavers lost 7-6. Tom Gaines was lost for the rest of the season when he tore the ligaments of his knee.

Sparked in a last half rally by Bobby Willadsen, the Beavers came from behind to defeat Huron

19-13. Buena Vista trailed 13-0 in the first half until Castle returned a punt 95 yards for a touchdown. This cut the lead to 13-6 at halftime. Willadsen consistently broke loose for nice gains in the second half and scored one touchdown. Wayne Peters also bucked one over from the two yard line.

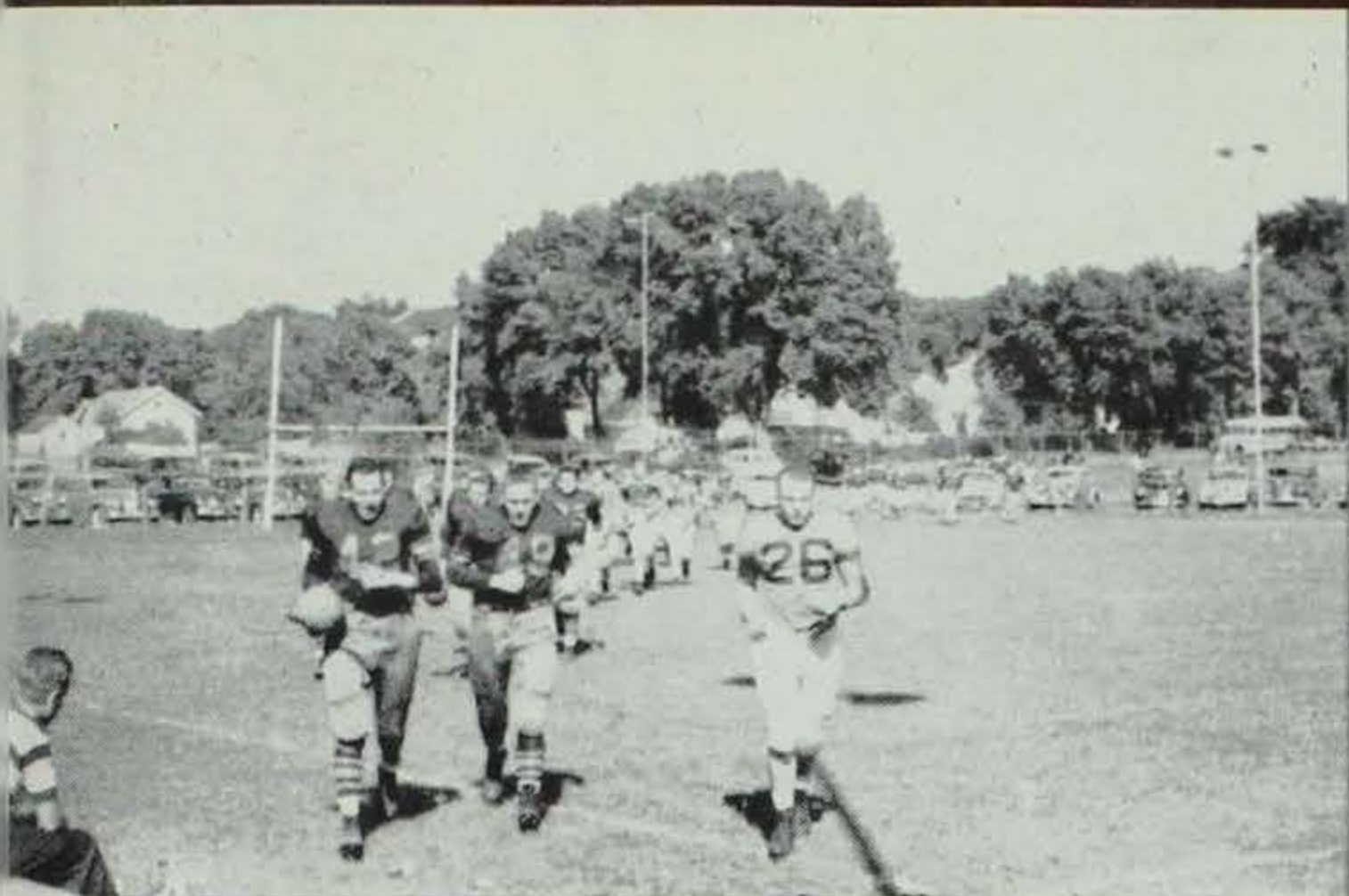
In a game that was featured with very hard tackling B.V. lost a tough one to Wartburg 19-14. The Beavers ground attack was fairly well bottled up so they took to the air. Everette Grapenthin recovered a fumble on the Knight's 19 yard line and from there Castle passed to Willadsen to the five. On the next play Bobby carried it over. Later Castle passed to Saggau good for 25 yards and a second touchdown. In the second half B.V. penetrated deeply into the Knight's territory twice, but Wartburg held and came from behind to win 19-14.

The Beavers fell before Doc Dorman's Upper Iowa Peacocks 20-0. The breaks again went against the team and the razzle dazzle offense of the Peacocks was exceptionally hard to stop. The only form of a Beaver threat came in the first half when they penetrated to the 30 yard line. Gordon McKinstry averaged 43 yards a punt in this game.

In the homecoming game the Beavers used a flashy running attack to down Westmar 18-6. Bobby Willadsen scored two touchdowns and Dick Beck, the other. Gordon McKinstry again was outstanding with his punting and Herman Decker played a great game on defense.

Playing on a mud coated field at Yankton, the Beavers had to be content with a 6-6 tie. The Greyhounds scored first, but B.V. retaliated with a 52 yard touchdown run by Willadsen. Buena Vista threatened twice near the end of the game, but both attacks bogged down in the mud. Wayne Peters played a good game gaining 89 yards through the mud in 13 attempts.

In the final game of the season the Beavers defeated Dakota Wesleyan 21-9 and won the Dakota-Iowa Conference Crown. Gordon McKinstry passed to Vern Rath for two touchdowns, and Wayne Peters bucked over from the two for the final marker. Bernie Saggau was the most consistent gainer for the Beavers gaining a total of 80 yards from scrimmage. Six men played their last game for Buena Vista. They were—Captain Ed Lashier, Wilbur Johnson, and Don Madson, guards, and Bernie Saggau, Wayne Peters, and Herman Decker, backs. They will be greatly missed, and it will be no easy task for Coach Otto to replace these rugged individuals next fall.



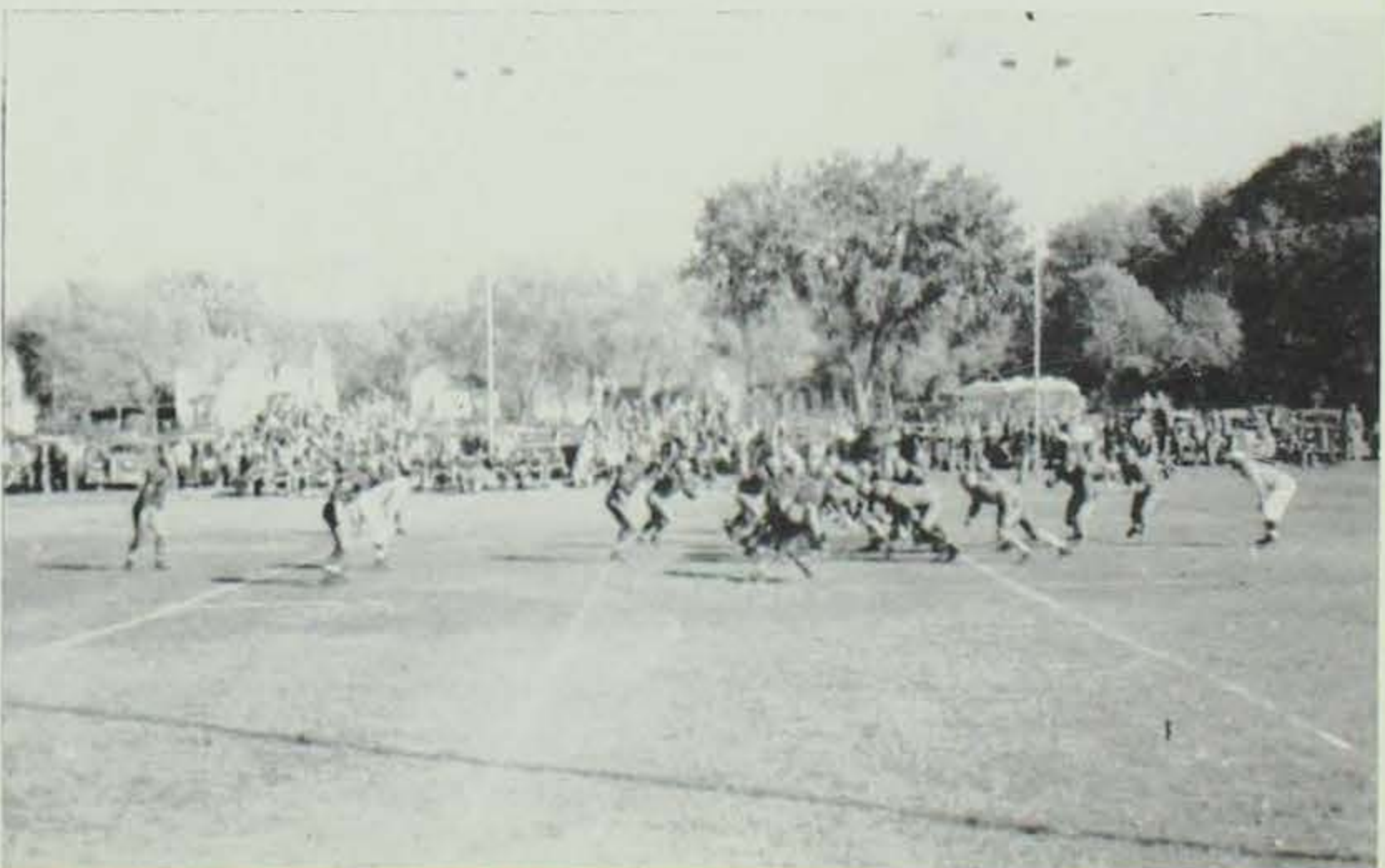
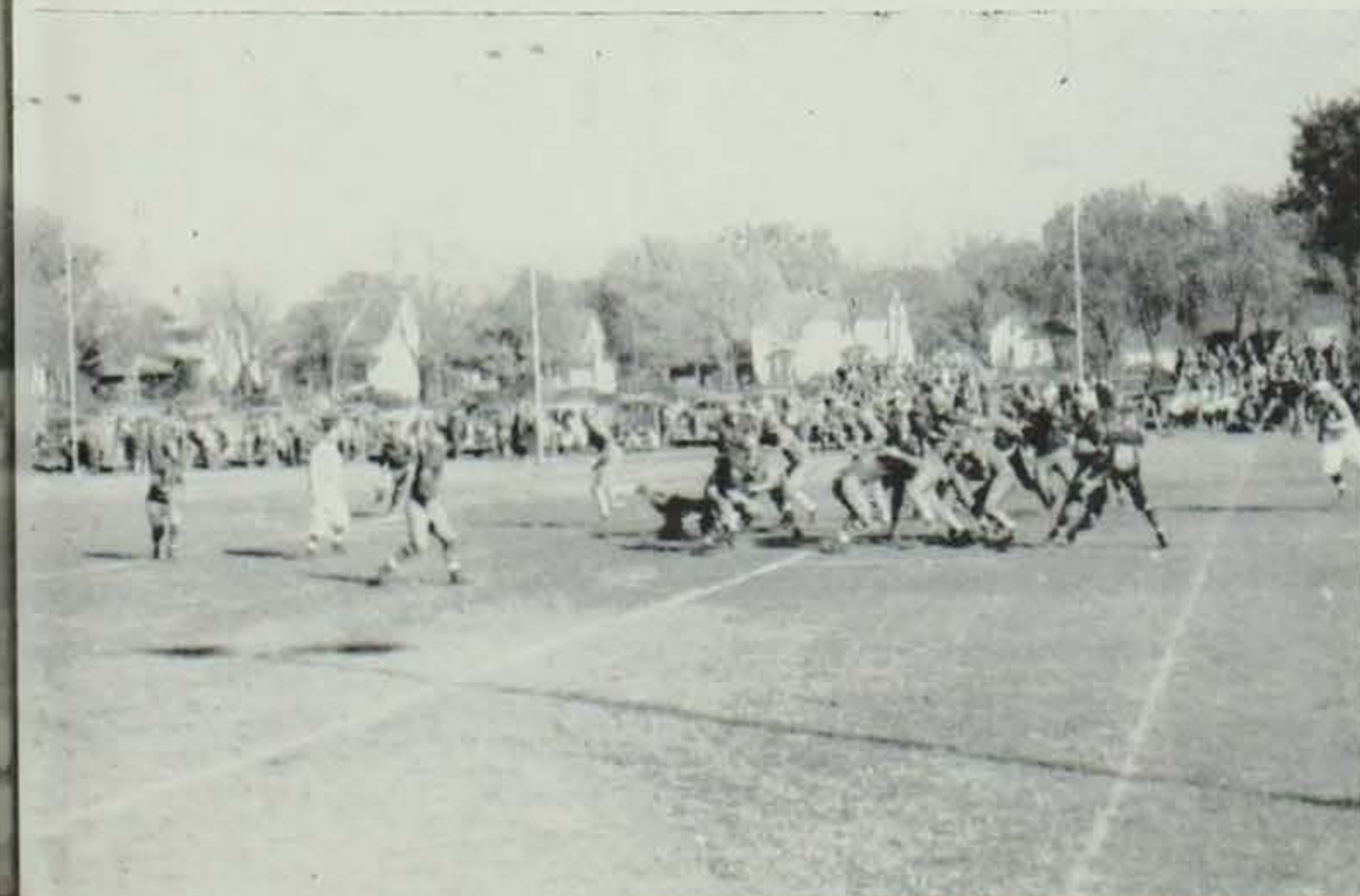
Beavers onto the field



Willadsen "scouting" around end

Teamwork Contributed To Successful Season

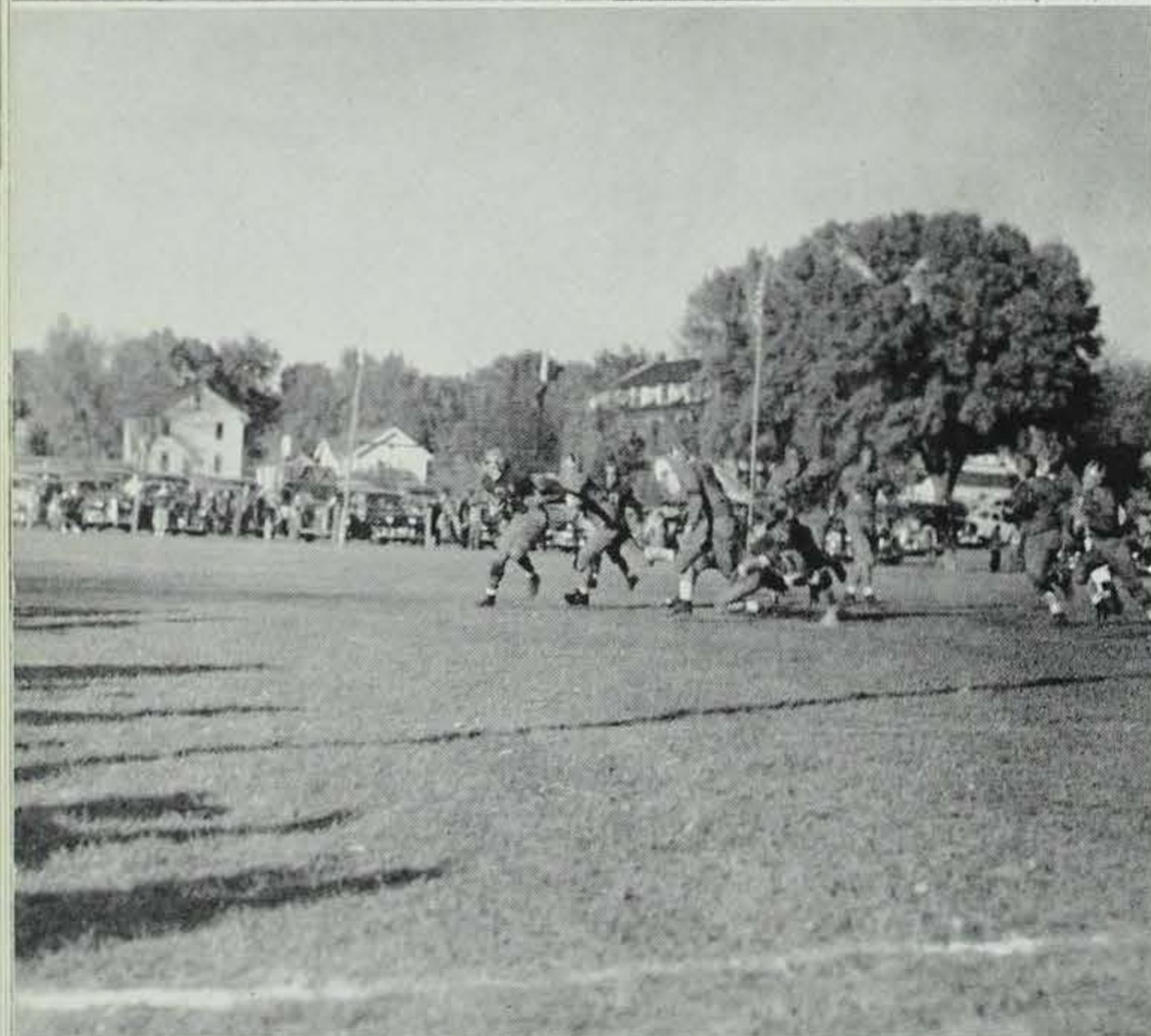
Buena Vista "Hold that line"



Power and Speed Were Plentiful



Guess who?



Buena Vista on the loose.



What kind of football is this?

The Records Speak For Themselves

VARSITY RECORD

SEASON SUMMARY

Dakota-Iowa Conference

B.V. 26	York 0	B.V. 19	Huron 13
B.V. 18	Westmar 6	B.V. 6	Yankton 6
B.V. 21	Dakota Wesleyan 9		

Iowa Conference

B.V. 6	Dubuque 7
B.V. 14	Wartburg 19
B.V. 18	Westmar 6
B.V. 0	Upper Iowa 20

Dakota-Iowa Conference

(Final Standing)

	W.	L.	Pct.	TP	OP
Buena Vista	3 1/2	1/2	.875	64	34
Dak. Wesleyan	2	1	.667	27	33
Huron	2 1/2	2 1/2	.500	71	34
Westmar	1 1/2	2 1/2	.275	28	21
Yankton	1 1/2	2 1/2	.275	38	33
Sioux Falls	0	2	.000	0	72

Iowa Conference

(Final Standings)

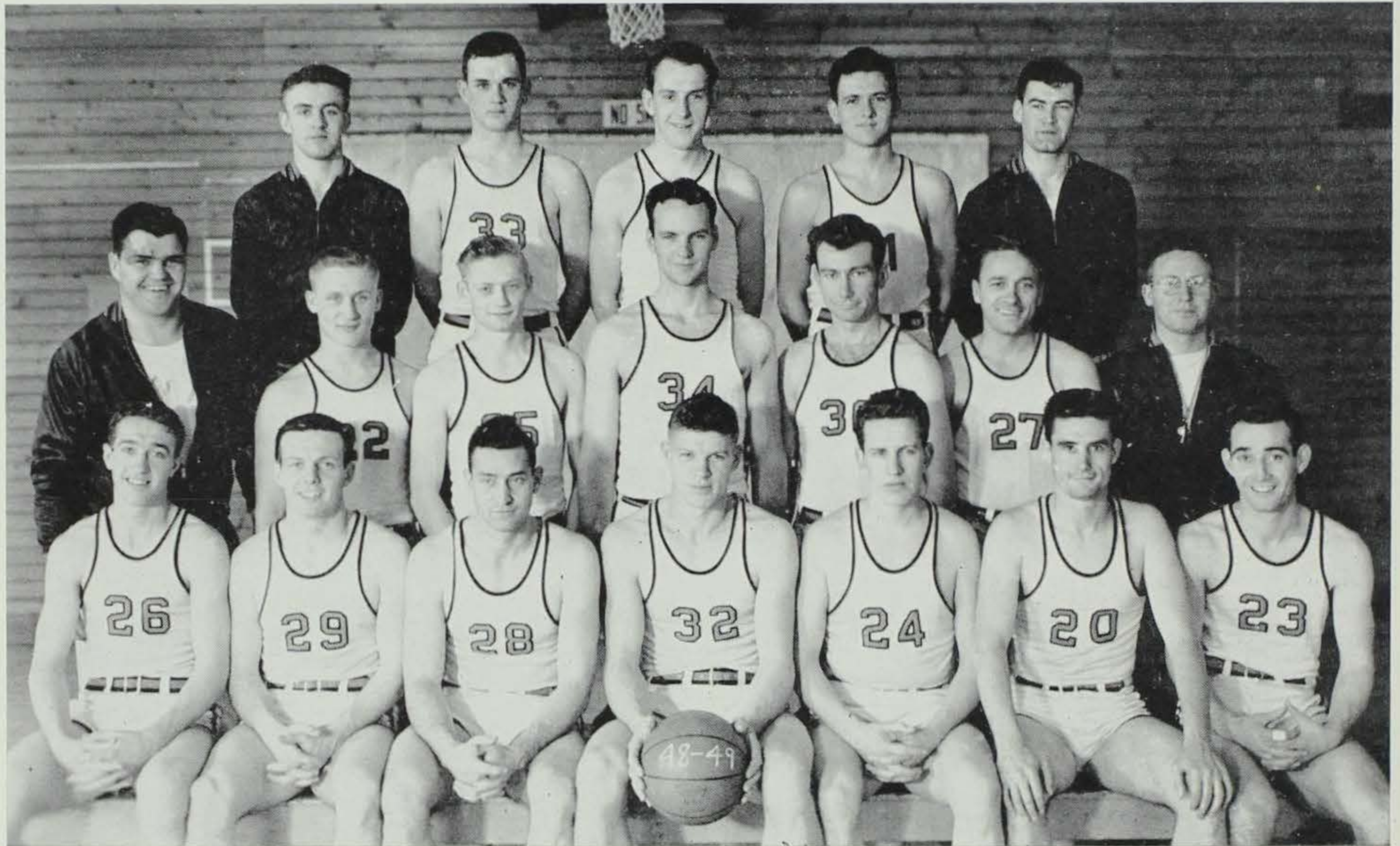
	W.	L.	T.	Pct.	TP	OP
Dubuque	5	0	0	1.000	98	46
Upper Iowa	4	0	0	1.000	93	6
*Loras	2	0	0	1.000	56	6
Wartburg	5	2	0	.714	162	108
Central	3	2	0	.600	118	39
Parsons	3	3	0	.500	131	88
Luther	3	3	0	.500	42	83
Buena Vista	1	3	0	.250	38	46
Ia. Wesleyan	1	4	0	.200	72	117
Simpson	1	5	0	.167	53	98
*Westmar	0	1	0	.000	6	18
*St. Ambrose	0	1	0	.000	6	28
Penn	0	4	0	.000	24	210

*Did not play enough games to qualify for championship.

JUNIOR VARSITY RECORD

Buena Vista	0	Estherville Junior College	12
Buena Vista	20	Sheldon Junior College	0
Buena Vista	7	Emmetsburg Junior College	0
Buena Vista	21	Wartburg (B. Team)	0
Buena Vista	28	Eagle Grove Junior College	7

Varsity Cagers



Sitting—Bob Lee, John Naughton, Ralph Shriner, Vern Rath, Gene Bunnelle, John Poulson, Jim Waters.
Second Row—Coach Bob Otto, Bill Theiman, Gerald Miller, Jerry Speck, Jim Fanning, Oliver Vogt, Coach Ken Blackman.
Third Row—Norman Eels, Bob Powell, Glenn Driscoll, Dick Beck, Gerald Corey.

	GPI	FG	FT	PF	FTA	TP	AV		GPI	FG	FT	PF	FTA	TP	AV
Lee	22	86	34	60	78	206	9.36	Bunnelle J.	11	10	4	27	16	24	2.18
Naughton	27	54	62	62	103	170	6.3	Miller	9	10	3	9	8	23	2.55
Waters	20	60	35	35	67	155	7.75	Vogt	7	9	3	8	7	21	3.
Oatman	17	30	37	50	75	97	5.7	Corey	3	8	1	1	3	17	6.33
Rath	24	29	31	68	71	89	3.7	Eels	3	6	4	7	6	16	5.33
Speck	22	24	26	55	49	74	3.36	Fanning	7	5	3	7	3	13	1.86
Bunnelle, G.	24	27	13	44	44	67	2.79	Gaffney	13	5	2	22	4	12	.92
Thieman	14	24	8	23	27	56	4.	Powell	3	4	3	2	4	11	3.66
Theulen	21	20	1	39	10	41	1.95	Driscoll	2	3		4	2	6	3.
Lehr	10	16	8	13	11	40	4.	Parker	2	2	1	10	5	5	2.5
Poulson	20	17	6	19	8	40	2.	Carlson	2	1	2	2	2	4	2.
Lawson	15	9	10	22	18	28	1.86	Maaske	3	2		4		4	1.3
Shriner	12	6	13	31	21	25	2.5	Hamann	1		1	2	3	2	1.

Basketball Story

A look at the record will show that the Beavers had rather a dismal season, but it must be taken into consideration that the hard court boys played a long, tough schedule. Buena Vista played more games than any other college team in Iowa. Two factors which lost a number of games for B.V. were the team's inability to make charity tosses and too much fouling. The Beavers opened the season against three consecutive North Central Conference teams. Morningside, which compiled the best record of any college in the state, defeated B.V. in the opening game of the season on November 22, and a week later Coach Blackman took his squad on the first road trip. A return game with the Maroons at Morningside was also dropped, and the Beavers fell before a hot-shooting South Dakota State team at Brookings. At this point in the season Jerry Speck, six foot, three inch center, was injured in a hunting accident and was lost for a month. The team couldn't seem to get going and dropped the next four games including a heart breaker to the Simpson Redmen 55-54. In a definite upset Buena Vista entered the victory column by defeating last year's Iowa Conference champs, Dubuque, 46-37. This defeat eventually cost the Spartans another conference title, as it was their only conference loss in ten games. In the next game the Beavers came from behind to defeat Huron 46-33. Johnny Naughton played brilliantly, leading the team in a last half rally which outscored Huron twenty-two points. Here the Beavers hit another terrific snag, losing six straight games. Another great upset occurred when B.V. dumped the league leading Parsons quintet 55-51.

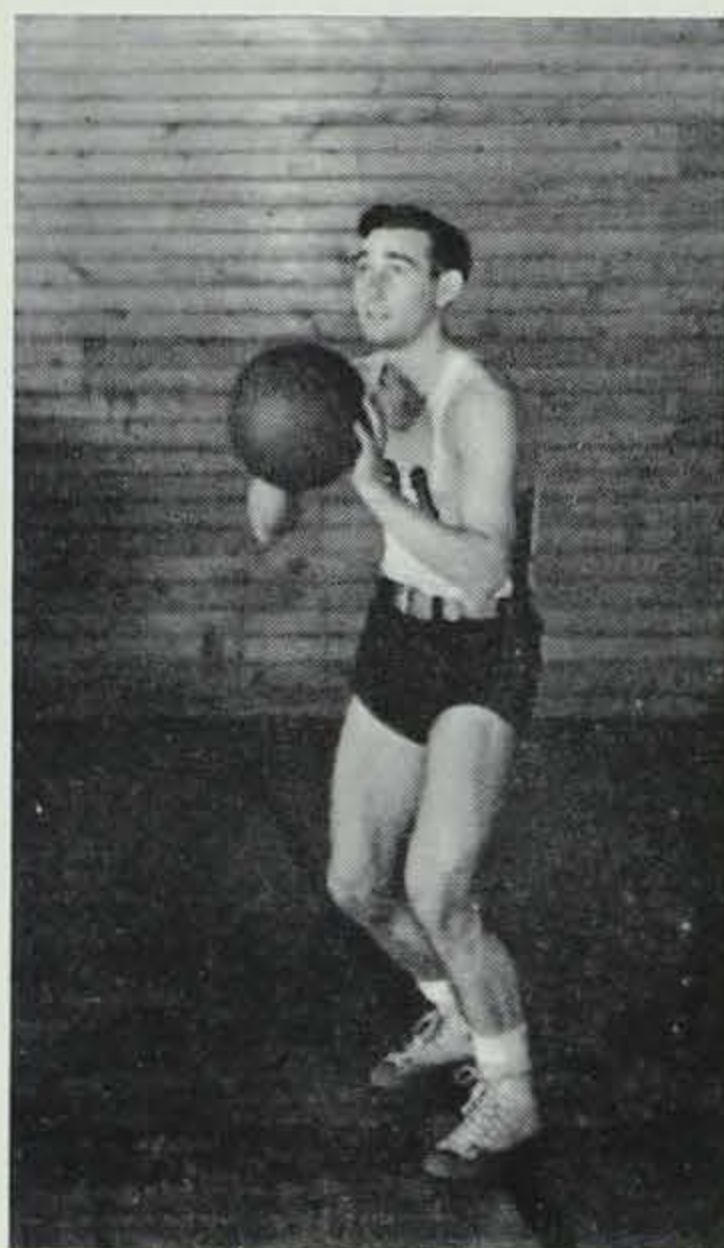
Ollie Vogt led the team to this victory with his constant ball hawking, and he added thirteen points to the Beaver total before fouling out. After losing to the Yankton Greyhounds, the Beavers came back to defeat Wartburg and then Huron for the second time. Everyone played good ball in these games, while John Naughton was probably the most outstanding player. His deceptive ball handling had the boys from Wartburg completely baffled. Bob Lee played nice ball and frequently hit with his lefthand hook shot. He and Naughton put on a great show in the closing minutes of both games with their stalling tactics. A third disastrous slump of the season left the Beavers reeling with six more losses. The boys came fighting back and won the last two games of the season defeating Iowa Wesleyan and Dakota Wesleyan. The Iowa Wesleyan game was probably the

most thrilling ever played in Victory Hall. Both teams were hot, but Buena Vista trailed through most of the first half. The Beavers continued the uphill fight and at the half time intermission led 33-31. The lead changed hands frequently in the second half, and finally just seconds before the buzzer, Vern Rath tied the score 58-58. In the five minute overtime period Iowa Wesleyan pulled to a commanding 65-60 lead with only two minutes remaining. The Beavers cut the deficit to two points, and with only thirty-five seconds left, "Dutch" Shriner hit from under the basket to tie the game once more. B.V. got control of the ball through a traveling violation, and ten seconds before the end, Jim Fanning hit from the side to make the final score Buena Vista 67, Iowa Wesleyan 65. In the Dakota Wesleyan game, another thriller, the Beavers trailed at half time 32-30. Finally in the second half a basket by Corey tied the score at 42-42, and the team went on to win 58-47. In the Dakota-Iowa Conference tournament the Beavers traveled to Yankton and lost to Sioux Falls College 55-49. Buena Vista made four more field goals than the tall Sioux Falls team, but were outscored from the free-throw line. John Naughton again played exceptional ball and also notched ten points for the evening. Even though Buena Vista played only one game in the tournament, Johnny was picked on the all-tournament team. He deserved this honor, and he probably was the most consistent ball player on the squad.

On an all Iowa Conference team, picked by the coaches, Glen Theulen was named as one of the two best dribblers in the conference. Glen at times during the season also hit exceptionally well from far out. In one game he hit five successive long shots from near the center stripe. John Naughton, Bob Lee, and Jim Waters were also mentioned in the all conference selections for ball handling, shooting, and dribbling.

Coach Kenny Blackman used several players in attempting to find a winning combination, and as a result eighteen men earned major letters. As there are only five senior letter winners, prospects for next year are indeed much brighter. The seniors are Captain Jim Waters, Jack Bunnelle, Jerry Lehr, Dick Gaffney, and Paul Maaske. Underclassmen who won letters are John Poulson, Gene Bunnelle, Freddie Lawson, Bill Thieman, Jerry Speck, Vern Rath, John Naughton, Glen Oatman, Dutch Shriner, Jim Fanning, Bob Lee, Ollie Vogt, and Gerald Miller.

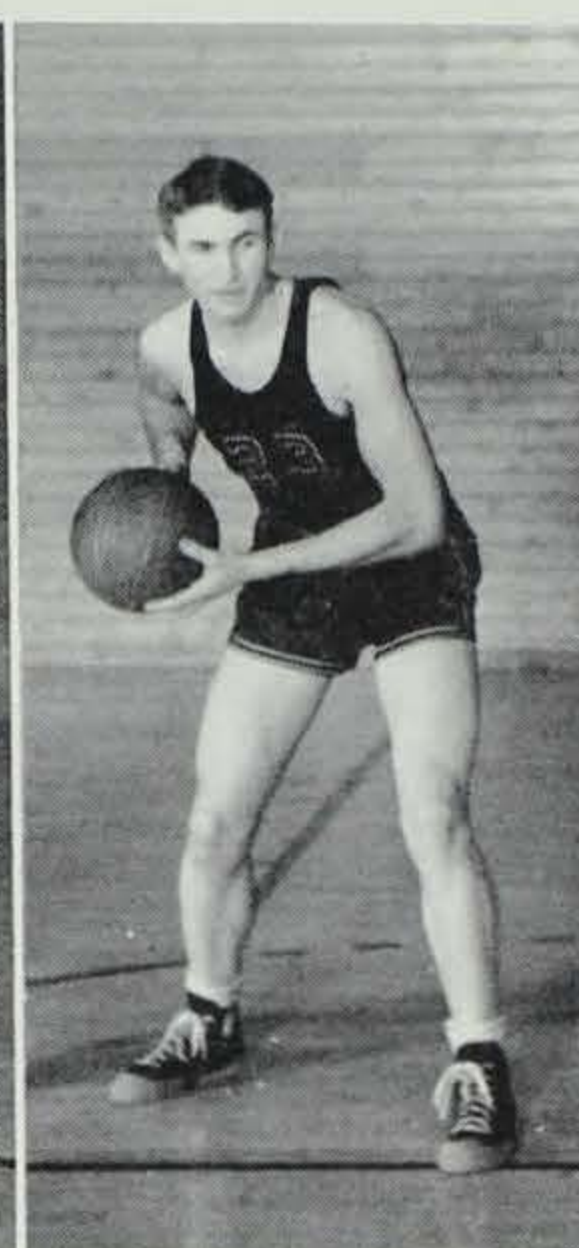
Hardwood



Jim Waters
Forward
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John Naughton
Guard
5 ft. 11 in.

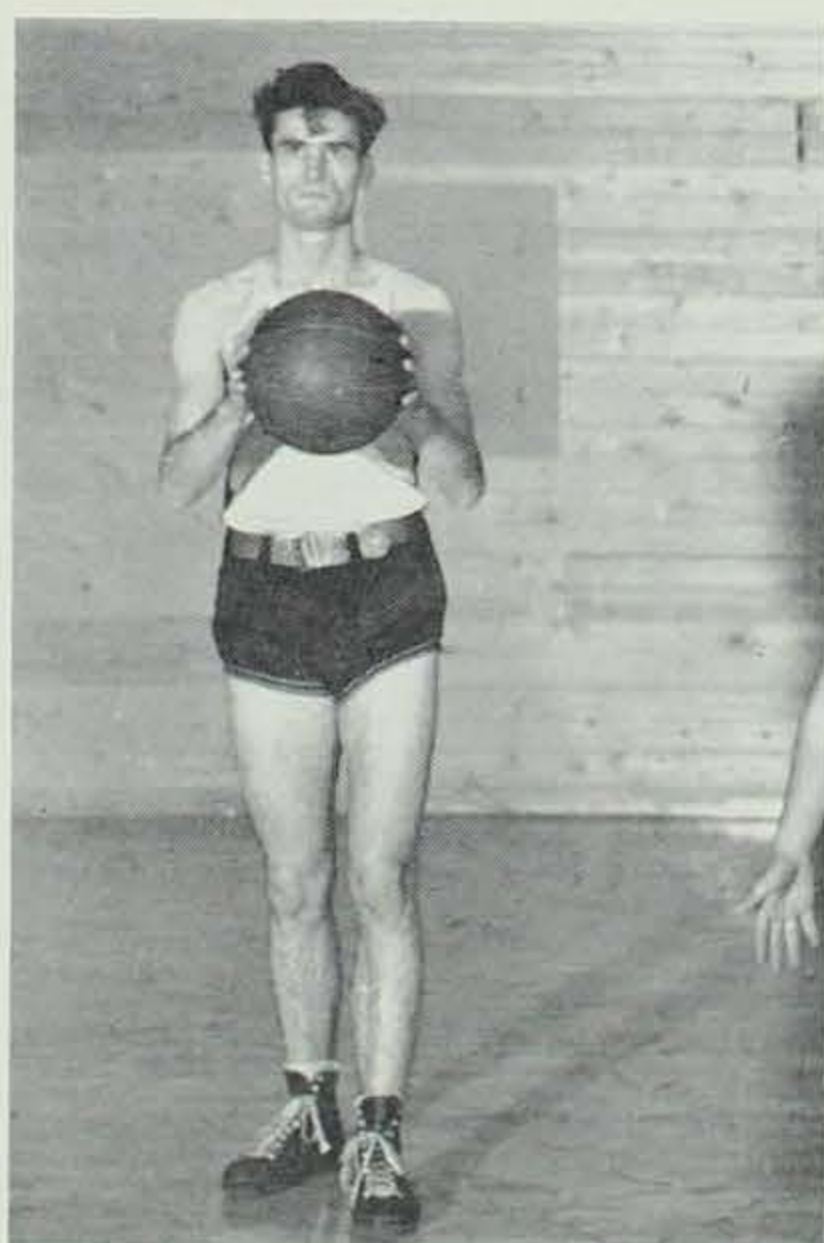


Wally Hamann
Center
6 ft. 1 in.

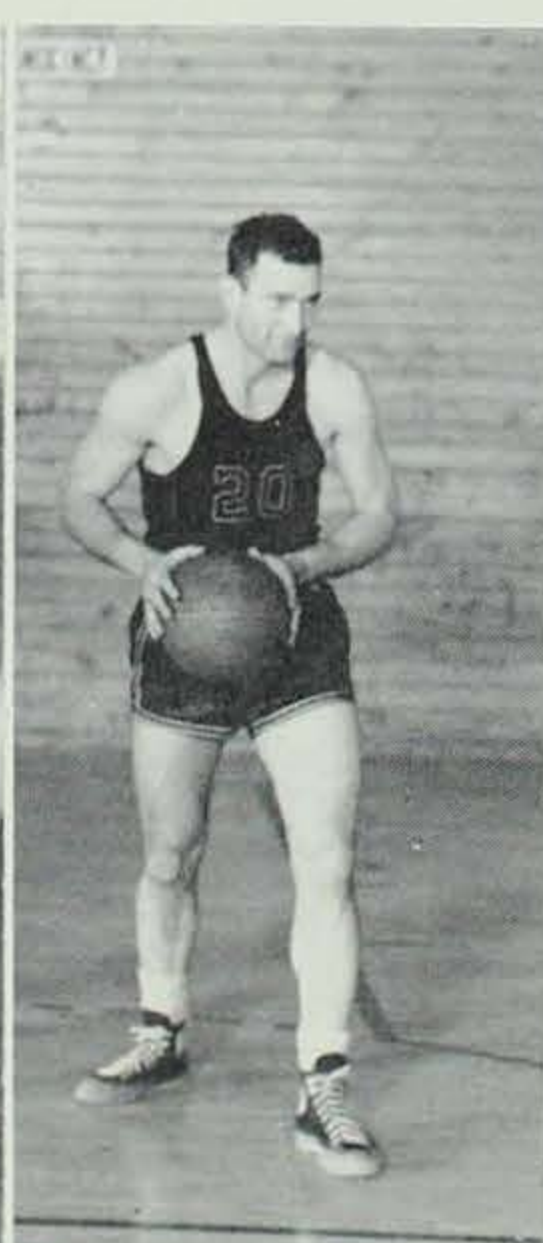


Gene Bunnelle
Forward
6 ft. 1 in.

John Poulson
Forward
5 ft. 10 in.



Ralph Shiner
Guard
6 ft.



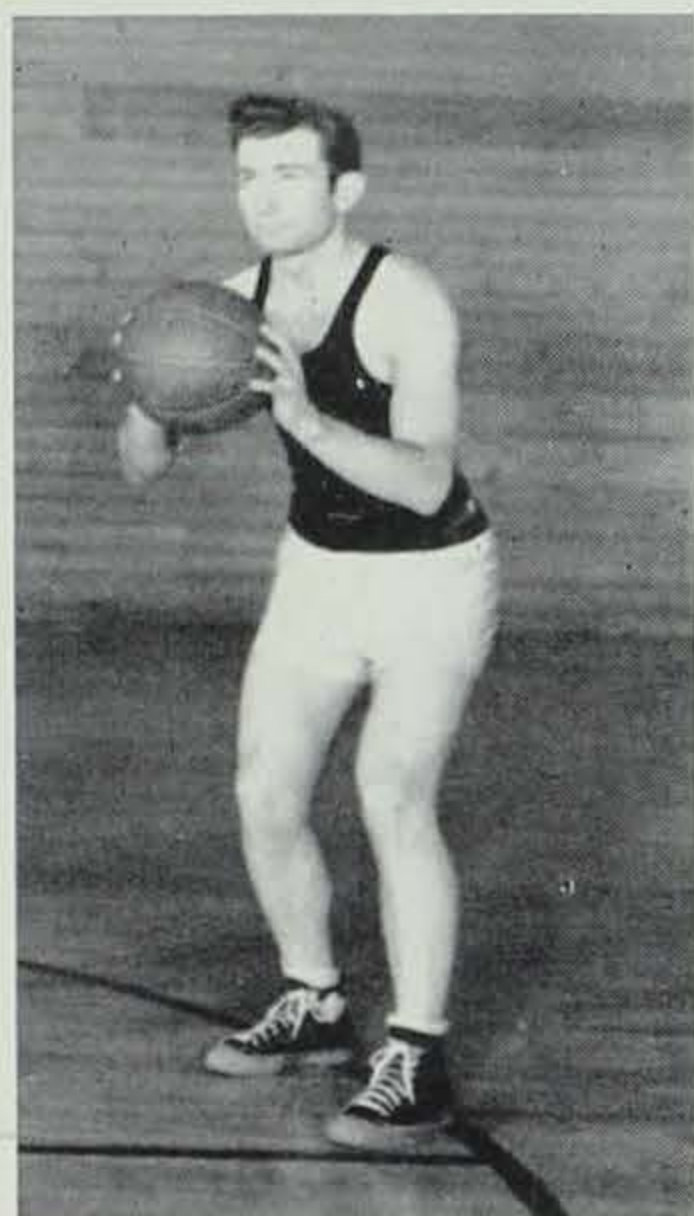
Gerald Corey
Forward
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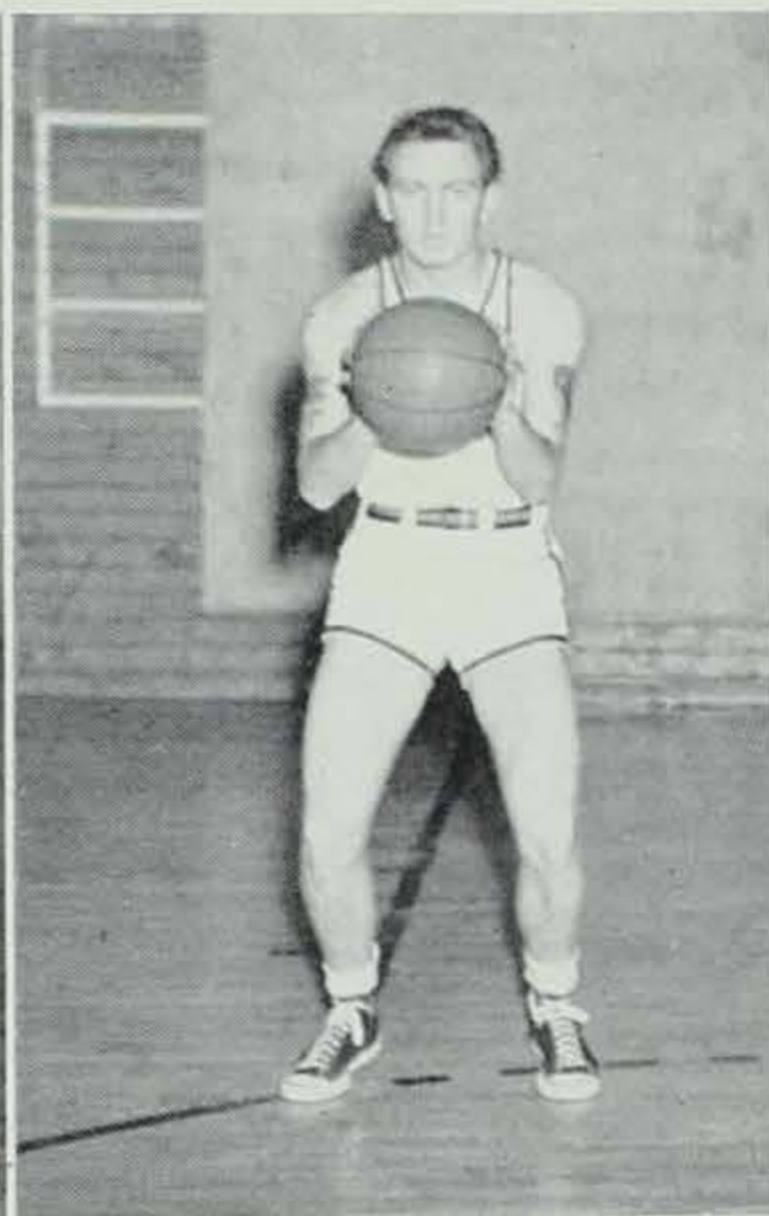
Glenn Oatman
Center
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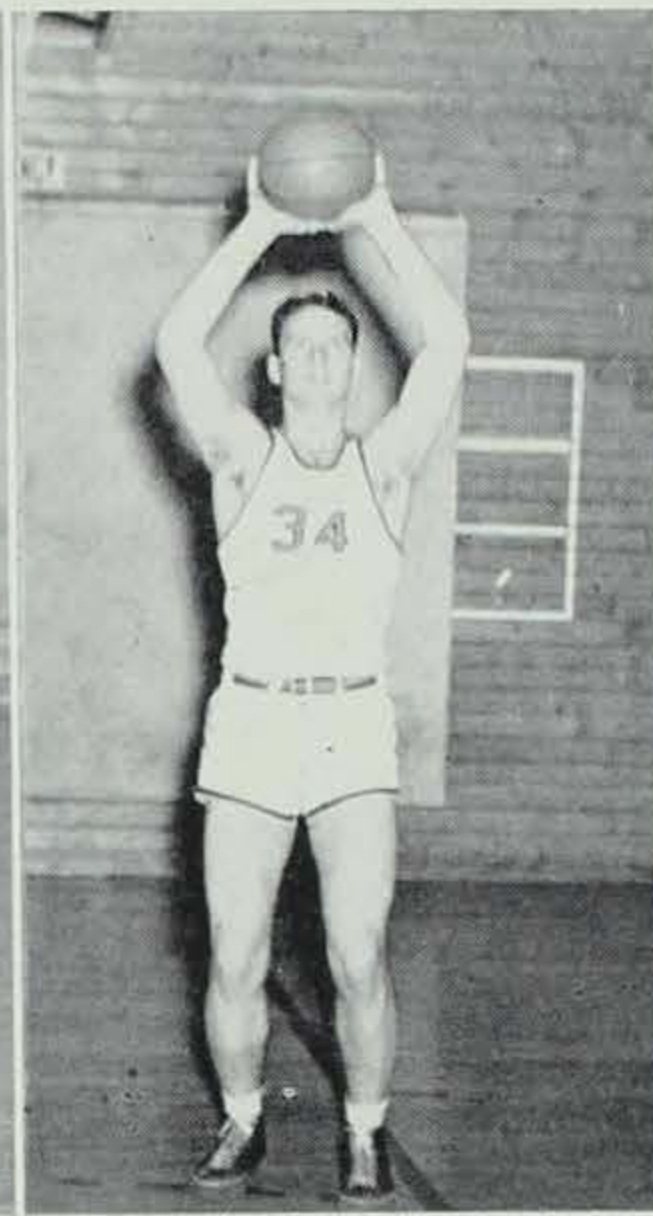
Aces



Jim Fanning
Guard
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Glenn Theulen
Forward
6 ft.



Jerry Speck
Center
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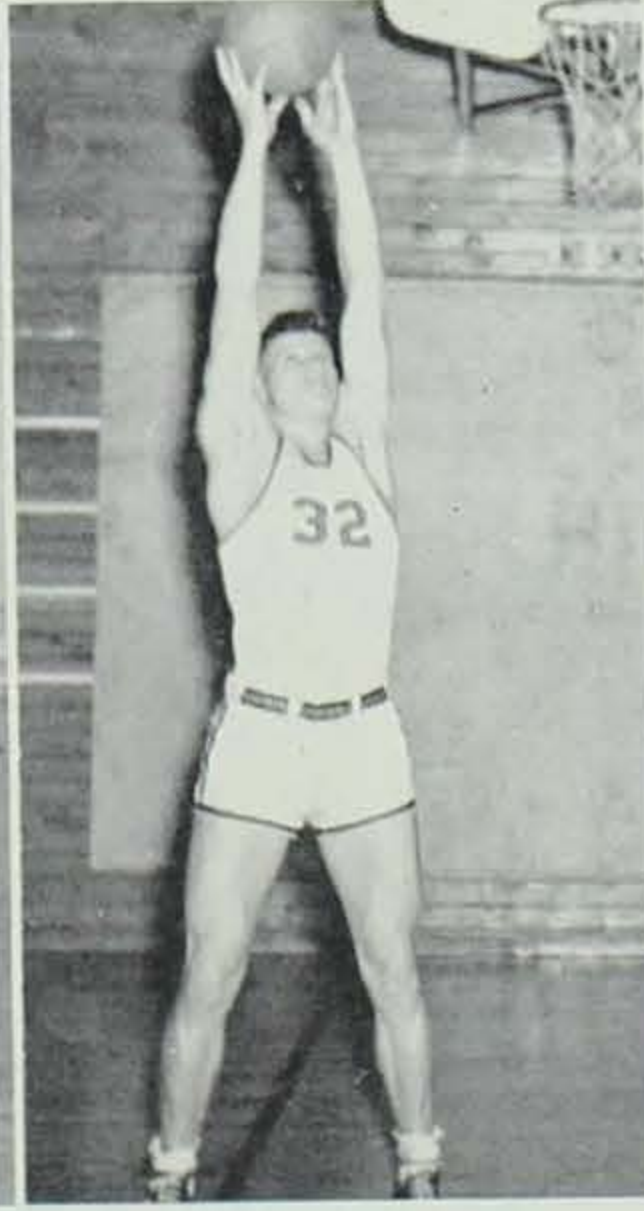
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Oliver Vogt
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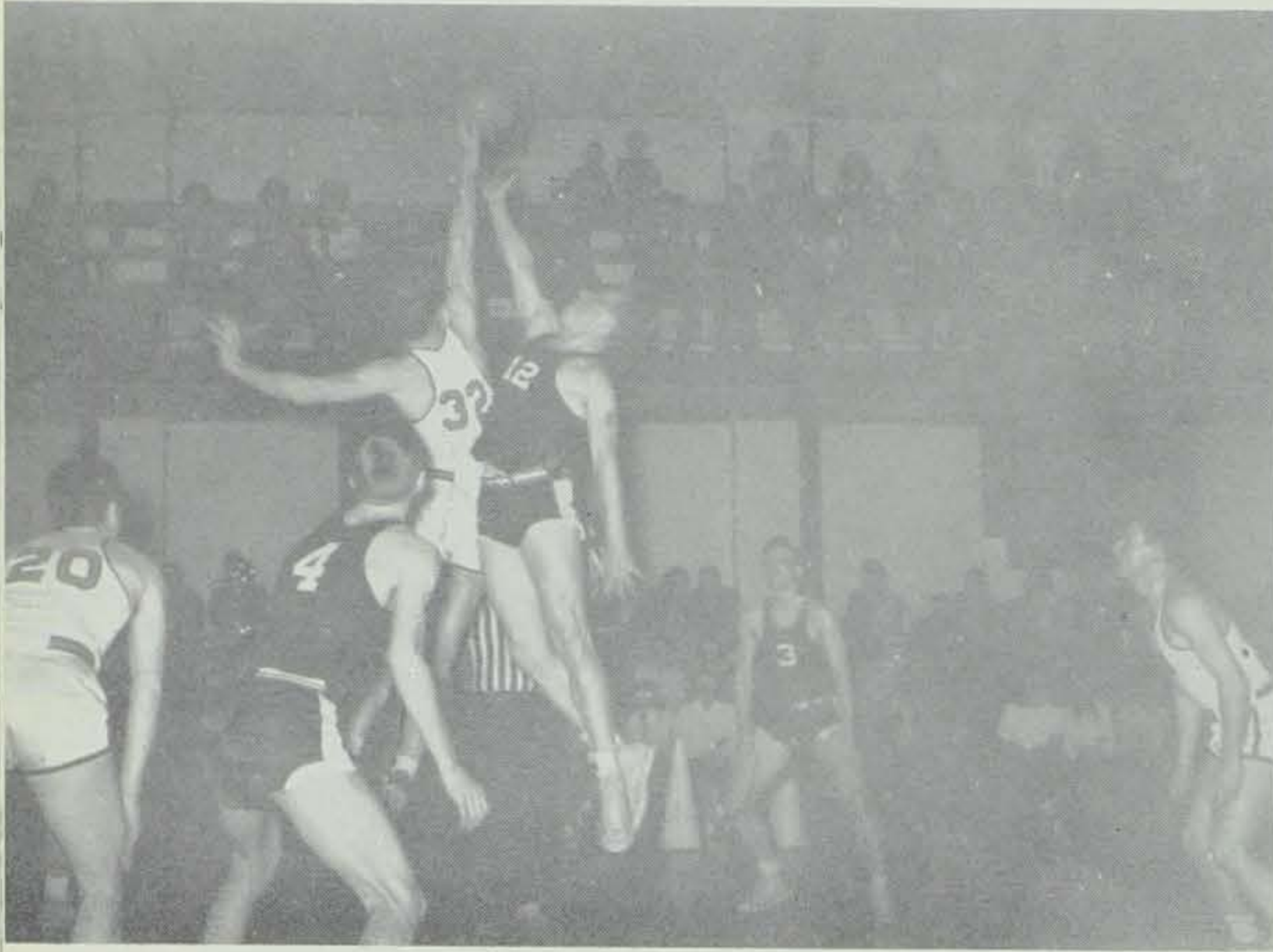
Gerald Miller
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Vern Rath
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Bob Lee
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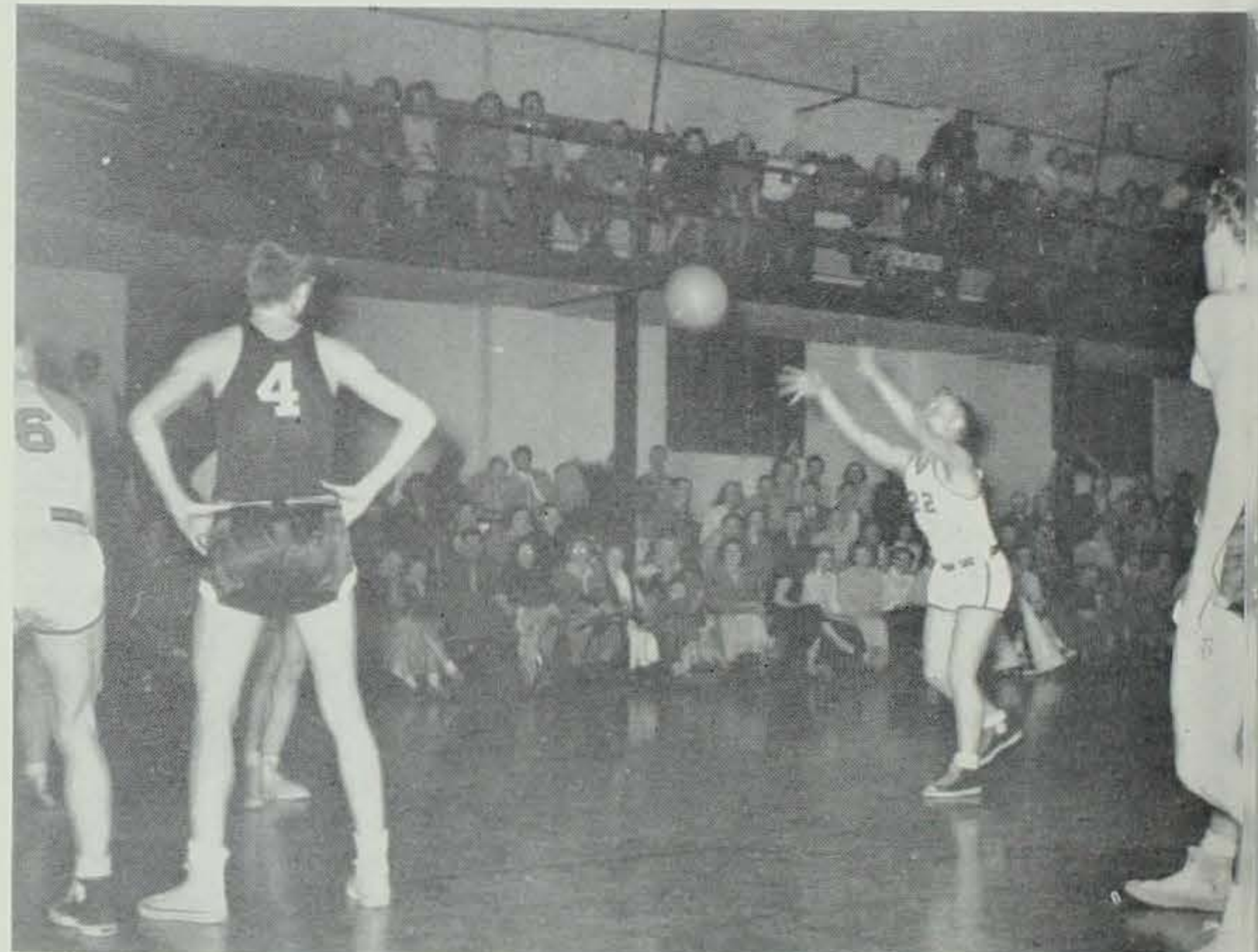


Inside Dope



Big Vern Rath goes high in the air to get tip on jump ball.

Thieman tosses in gift shot.



Shriner 28, Thieman 22, Thulen 27, and Speck with No. obliterated wait for rebound.

At Victory Hall



Naughton up and over with a one-hander.

Eyes on that rebound.



Rath shoots a long two-hander with Poulson ready for the tip-in.

Varsity Record

Buena Vista 54	Morningside 58
Buena Vista 39	Morningside 58
Buena Vista 35	South Dakota State 53
Buena Vista 37	Iowa-Wesleyan 49
Buena Vista 39	Dubuque 58
Buena Vista 54	Simpson 55
Buena Vista 49	Parsons 58
Buena Vista 46	Dubuque 37
Buena Vista 46	Huron 34
Buena Vista 42	Dakota Wesleyan 49
Buena Vista 50	Central 57
Buena Vista 53	South Dakota State 55
Buena Vista 46	Upper Iowa 54
Buena Vista 34	Luther 54
Buena Vista 41	Westmar 60
Buena Vista 55	Parsons 51
Buena Vista 48	Yankton 57
Buena Vista 53	Huron 42
Buena Vista 55	Wartburg 47
Buena Vista 58	Westmar 70
Buena Vista 38	Concordia 44
Buena Vista 47	Loras 64
Buena Vista 47	Wartburg 57
Buena Vista 47	Upper Iowa 61
Buena Vista 45	Yankton 55
Buena Vista 67	Iowa Wesleyan 65
Buena Vista 58	Dakota Wesleyan 47

Reserve Power



Sitting—Stuart Eischeid, Waldo Johnson, Glenn Driscoll, Dick Beck, Gerald Corey, Paul Maaske
Second Row—Norman Eels, Don Carlson, Norman Theiss, Coach Bob Otto, Dave Dean, Bob Powell, Paul Maaske.

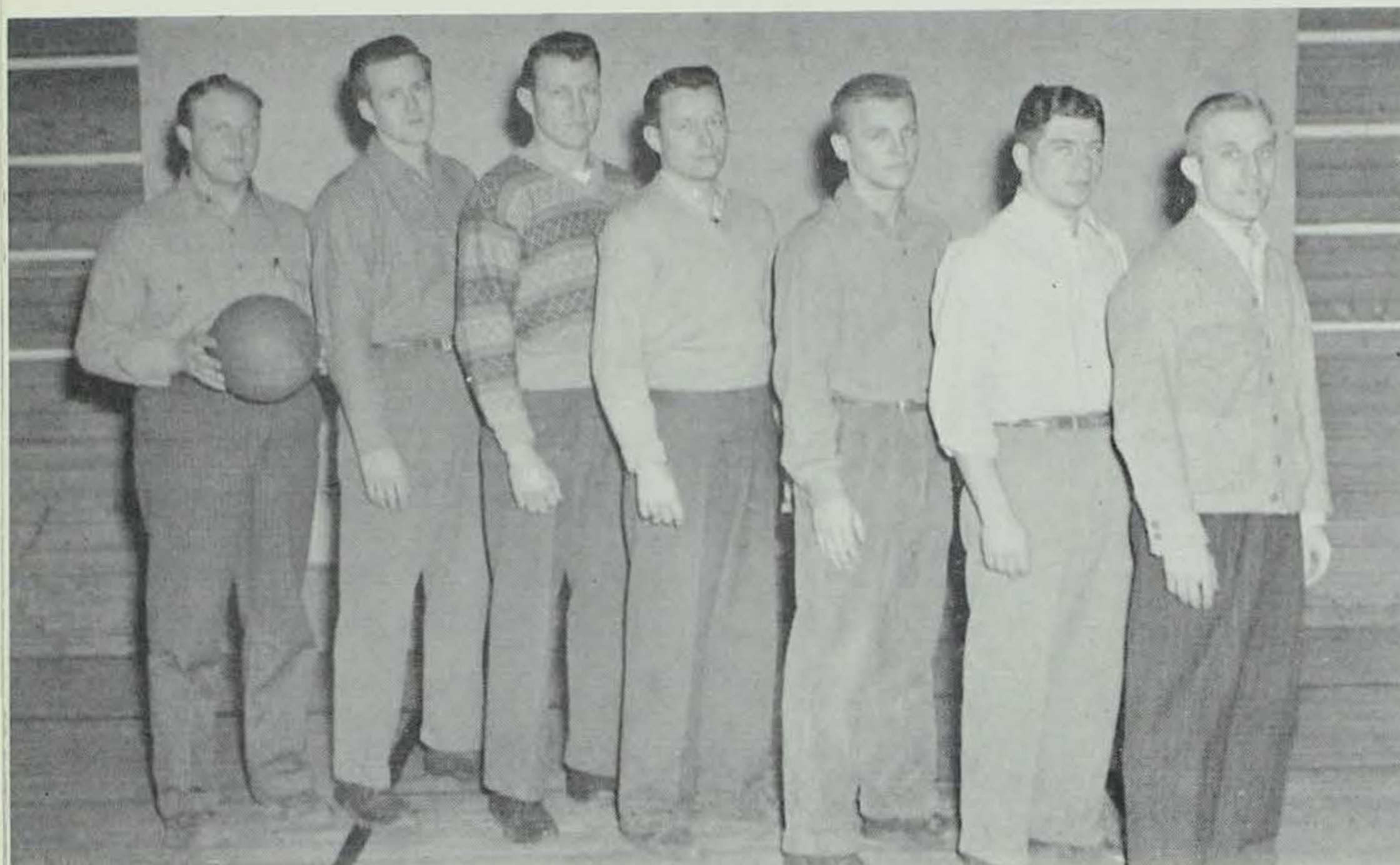
Bee's Season's Record

33	Battlecreek Eagles	34
64	Amvets	36
50	Newell	27
51	Westmar	37
70	N. B. T.	44
57	Amvets	38
50	Sheldon J. C.	53
50	Westmar	43
50	Sportsmen's	40
43	Varina	28
518		340

8 Wins
 Offensive Average 51.8

2 Losses
 Defensive Average 34

Intramural Basketball



CHAMPIONS

Bill Klinker, Frank Miller, Bob Hughes, Reese Hughes, Joe Yambor, Elmer Scott
Burdette Hoepner.

RUNNER-UPS

Hurley Hughes
Jack Henneberry
Don Dandy



BASKETBALL

League Standings

National League

	Won	Lost
Klinker	3	0
Hannafan	2	1
Ogle	2	1
Cooper	1	1
Shirk	1	3
Van Voorhis	0	3

American League

	Won	Lost
Henneberry	3	0
Pitham	3	1
Guenther	1	1
Nickelson	1	2
Stanford	0	2
Cranston	0	3

CAMPUS INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Participation in intramural sports provides an opportunity for all the students on the campus to participate in athletic contests. The intramural sports program for boys are under the direction of the students in the physical education department and Athletic Director Kenneth Blackman. A touch football leagues was conducted in the physical education classes during the fall. A very good intramural basketball organization was conducted during the winter. The twelve teams were put into two different leagues, six teams in both the National League and the American League. Each team played all the other eleven teams, but only the games with the teams in the same league counted on the league standing. The winner of each league at the conclusion of the season played for the championship. A basketball league was also held in the physical education classes. An intramural softball schedule has been planned for the spring as well as class track tournaments. A pinochle tournament was held in March which was co-educational. The girls athletic program was under the direction of Miss Jessie Cameron. Their contests were composed of volleyball, badminton, and softball tournaments. Intramural sports are very popular on the campus and are being participated in by the majority of the students.

1948-1949 "B" Basketball Story

The little beavers closed out a very successful basketball season February 11, at Victory Hall, by dumping a fast independent team from Varina 43 to 28, leaving their season's record at 8 wins to 4 losses. Two of the losses were of the one point variety administered by a good Battle Creek team and the other two losses coming at the hand of a strong Sheldon J. C. team.

In the finale Saturday night, there were many new faces who a year ago starred on the varsity. Dotting the lineup of the little beavers were Jerry Lehr, Dick Gaffney and Jack Bunnelle, all seniors, leading the attack.

Jack Bunnelle joined the B's midway in the season and paired with Gary Corey and Glenn Driscoll to give the little beavers an explosive front line scoring attack that dumped many a team before its charge, with Lehr and Gaffney joining the squad for the last two games.

Another senior, Dick Utter, was a defensive stalwart at guard. He paired with Dick Beck, Waldo (Horse) Johnson, and Norman Eels to form the defensive backbone of the team.

Paul Maaske, another senior who shuffled back and forth between the varsity and little beavers, teamed with Ollie Vogt, a junior forward, and Bob Powell, a freshman center, to form a hot scoring combination behind the starting five.

Jerry Miller and Dick Sobotka were two other high scoring forwards who shared in the victory parade. Don Carlson, another freshman forward from Marathon, was lost to the team midway in the season when he broke his wrist during a scrimmage game.

The four leading scorers for the little beavers were as follows:

Gary Corey, 72 points; Jack Bunnelle, 71 points; Paul Maaske, 59 points; and Glen Driscoll 55 points.

Diamondmen



Sitting—John Nickelson, Paul Maaske, Bob Powell, Glenn Stabelfeld, Roger Jorgenson, Marvin Stille, John Poulson, Jim Waters.
Second Row—Dick Wenger, Oliver Vogt, LeRoy Hensley, Bill Wolters, Gordon LeWarne, Jim Fanning, Ralph Shriner, John Naughton, Joe Yambor.
Third Row—Coach Ken Blackman, Bill Theiman, Verne Schipull, Bob Hughes, Dick Sobotka, Erling Rasmussen, Don Carlson, Russell Meeks, Marco Salerno, Bob Bumann, Reese Hughes, Manager Roland Dawson.

DIAMOND DUSTERS

INFIELDERS

Poulson
 Waters
 Yambor
 Theiman
 Nickelson
 Bob Hughes
 Reese Hughes
 Salerno
 Rasmussen
 Carlson

OUTFIELDERS

Hensley
 LeWarne
 Nickelson
 Maaske
 Stille
 Naughton
 Sobotka
 Schipull
 Meeks

PITCHERS

Shriner
 Wenger
 Stabelfeld
 Jorgenson
 Wolters
 Powell

CATCHERS

Fanning
 Vogt
 Naughton
 Bumann

Baseball Story

Baseball Schedule

APRIL

Friday	8	Westmar	There
Saturday	16	Wartburg	There
Monday	25	South Dakota State	There

MAY

Tuesday	3	Westmar	Here
Friday	6	Upper Iowa	There
Saturday	7	Luther	There
Wednesday	11	South Dakota U.	There
Friday	13	Wartburg	Here
Tuesday	17	Morningside	There
Thursday	19	South Dakota U.	Here (night)
Friday	20	Upper Iowa	Here (night)
Saturday	21	Luther	Here
Tuesday	24	South Dakota State	Here
Thursday	26	Morningside	Here (night)

TENTATIVE GAMES

APRIL

Monday	11	Concordia Seminary	There
Tuesday	12	Shurtluff, Alton, Ill.	There
Thursday	14	Omaha, U.	Here

BASEBALL

A southern trip into Missouri and Illinois featured the 1949 Buena Vista baseball season. The journey was the first of its kind ever attempted by the Beavers.

The twenty-seven man squad scheduled eight Iowa conference games as well as others in the former Dakota-Iowa loop. Another pioneer move was made by the college as they delved into night baseball in Storm Lake's Memorial Park.

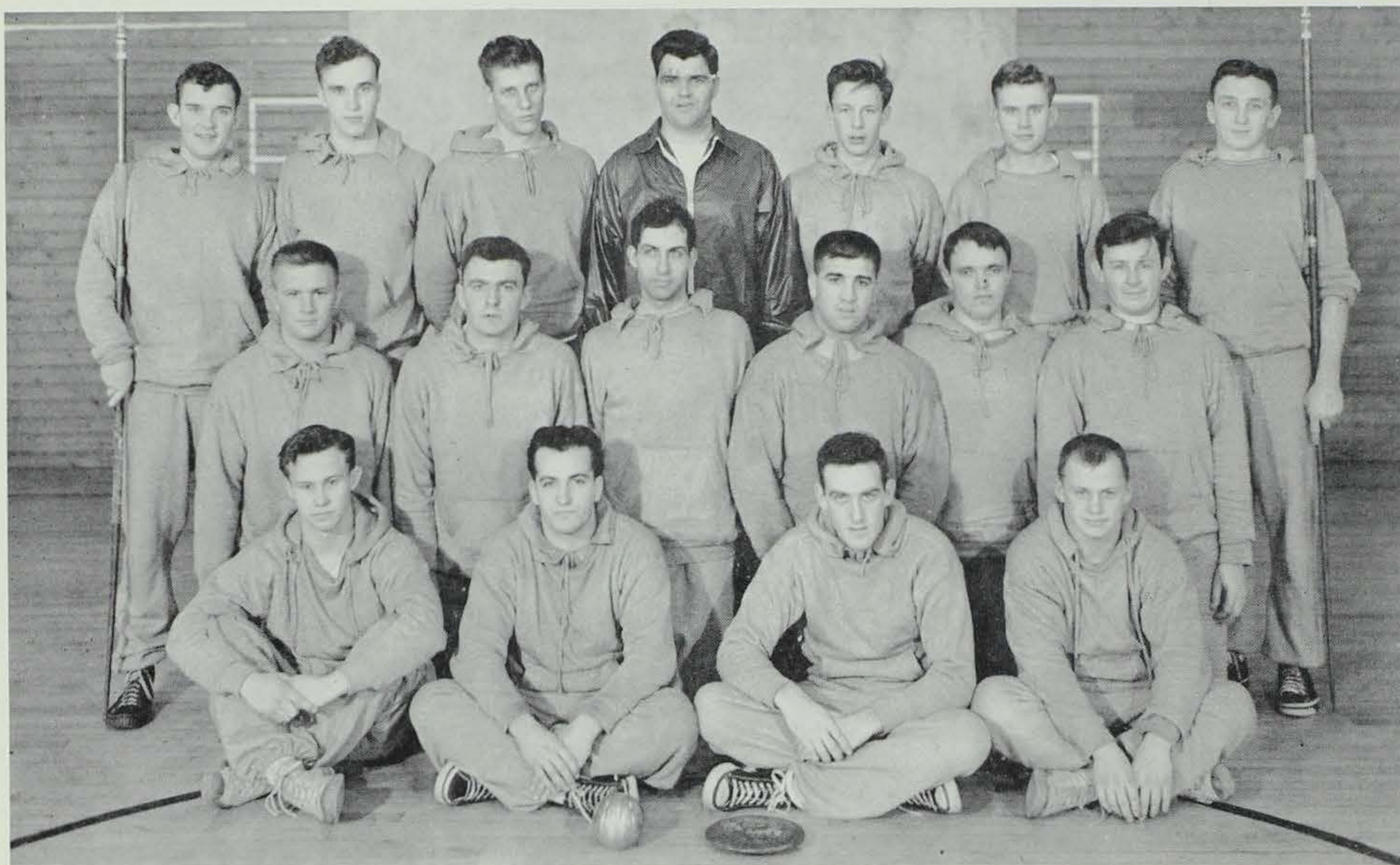
Coach Blackman moulded his team around ten returning lettermen. Those winning numerals prior to the season just ended were Ralph Shriner, Roger Jorgenson, and Bill Wolters, pitchers; Jim Fanning, catcher; Jim Waters, John Poulson, Ollie Vogt, and John Nickelson, infielders; and Gordon LeWarne and LeRoy Hensley, outfielders.

Shriner, who was voted the most valuable player on the 1948 squad, also led that team in hitting with a .415 mark and hurled seven Iowa conference wins with no losses. His season pitching record was 8-0.

Rounding out Coach Blackman's squad are such summer league stars as Joe Yambor, hard hitting infielder; Glenn Stabelfeld, White Cap hurler; John Naughton, White Cap receiver and Paul Maaske, outfielder.

High school standouts included pitchers Dick Wenger, Jerry Speck, and Bob Powell, infielders Bob Bumann, and Bill Theiman. Outfielders in this group were Reece and Bob Hughes and Marvin Stille.

Track



Sitting—Bernie Saggau, Tom Gaines, Jerry Lehr, Bob Willadsen.

Second Row—Pete Jepson, Dale Young, Bob Eshbaugh, Wayne Roepke, John Gannon, Kevin Guenther.

Third Row—Allan Hanafan, Mark Van Voorhis, Waldo Johnson, Coach Bob Otto, Bob Allen, Norman Neilsen, Don Castle

DASH MEN

Saggau
Willadsen
Gaines
Lehr
Warner
Castle
Johnson

FIELD EVENTS

Guenther
Roepke
Hanafan
Castle
Jepson
Young

DISTANCE MEN

Eshbaugh
Van Voorhis
Johnson
Neilsen
Young

Track Story

TRACK SCHEDULE

- April 5.....Dual meet, Westmar vs. Buena Vista, here
April 23.....State Teachers Relays, Cedar Falls
April 23.....Sioux City Relays, Sioux City (Split teams to both relays)
April 30.....Drake Relays, Des Moines
May 14.....Iowa Conference District Meet, Decorah
May 21.....Iowa Conference finals (If any placed at district meet)

The date for the Dakota-Iowa conference meet has not been set as yet, however, Buena Vista will attend the meet if possible.

TRACK

Twenty-four men have answered Coach Bob Otto's call for track. With seven returning major letter winners and a group of talented freshmen, the hopes for a good track team are high. The Beavers should stand out best in the dashes and short relays. Three sprinters returning from last year's squad are: Bernie Saggau, Jerry Lehr, and Don Castle. Castle will participate in the hurdles. Among the leading frosh dashmen are Bobby Willadsen, last year's century winner in the Class B state meet, Tom Gaines, Waldo Johnson and Ralph Warner. There are three letter winners back for the distance runs. They are: Mark VanVoorhis, a miler and halfmiler, Robert Eshbaugh, a two miler, and Omer Mullen, also a two miler. In the field events the only returning letter winner is LaDon Sorenson, a high jumper. Participating in the pole vault will be Allan Hanafan, Floyd Ogle, and Glen Theulen. Theulen is also a good dash prospect. John Gannon, Wayne Roepke, and Keven Guenther will handle the shot-put department, and Dick Beck will toss the discuss.

Coach Otto has worked these boys hard in preparation for a tentative eight meet schedule. The Beaver thinclads will open here at Bradford Field in a dual meet with Westmar on April 5. They will also participate in the Sioux City Relays (April 23), State Teachers' Relays (April 23), the Drake Relays (April 30), the Iowa Conference meet (May 14 and 21), and also the Dakota-Iowa Conference meet for which the date has not yet been set. On April 23, Coach Otto will split his squad, taking half to Cedar Falls for the Teachers' Relays and half to the Sioux City Relays. Both the squad and their coach have taken an optimistic view as to the results of the coming meets. The Beavers will probably not break too many records, but it is expected that they will score a lot of points.

Creative Writing Contest

In the Creative Writing Contest sponsored by the Nu Delta Chapter of Sigma Tau Delta two types of writing were featured, poetry and essay.

Miss Ruth Morrice, junior from Cushing, Iowa, won first place in the essay contest with her essay: "Do You Know Me?" In the poetry contest the judges appraised the poems "God's Wonder" and "O Little Man", by Clayton Liggett, freshman from Spirit Lake, as worthy of second and third places respectively. Mr. Virgil Lichtenberg won first place with his human nature lyric "Twice Shed Tears."

Mr. Virgil Lichtenberg, senior from Alta, Iowa. Winner of first place in poetry division.

TWICE-SHED TEARS

A mother is softly crying
As taps gently sound
Over the last remains of a soldier
Being lowered into the ground.

Twice-shed tears are these,
And what a pity to trace
The memories reawakened
Which show on a mother's face.

The first sad tears flowed free
On a wire which buntly read,
"Your boy was 'killed in action',"
And is listed among the dead.

Now tears are flowing again,
Tears that would not be—
If the body were left at rest
In its grave far over the sea.

Twice-shed tears are these,
And I turn my steps away;
For sad indeed is the scene
Which I have witnessed today.

As I walk down the path alone
Homeward wending my way,
I think of the folly of war
And the price that mothers pay.

For twice-shed tears are these,
Tears that would never be shed—
If war were abolished forever,
And peace reigned in its stead.

Clayton Liggett, freshman, from Spirit Lake, Iowa. Winner of second place in the poetry division.

GOD'S WONDERS

At twilight I sit by my window,
Gazing at all God's wonders of nature;
How mystifying, the sleeping buds,
How glorious, the sunset;

Oh, Lord, when Thou didst create the carth,
Didst Thou paint the sky?
Oh, Lord when Thou didst create the earth,
Didst Thou tutor each bird in its seasonal flight?

Each tiny blade of grass,
How perfect!
Each petal of a rose,
How exact!
Each bird, each flower,
Each insect,
All made with such measures of tact!

DO YOU KNOW ME?

Ruth Morrice, junior, Cushing, Iowa.
Winner of first place in essay division.

Do you realize that I have been longing to get acquainted with you for a long, long time? You see, I live quite near you and see you daily. I'm delighted if you even condescend to give me a nod of recognition. Yesterday when I saw you pause and glance at the gorgeous sunset, I thought that you were going to speak and I held my breath, but the moment passed and you walked away.

Often down through the years, I have waited with eager expectancy for that first intimate conversation which would start us on the long road of friendship. I've watched you while you, in an idle moment, have paused to ponder upon an incident of life that has moved you, in the gay surging crowd when a thought flickered across your face, and in the late evening when you were alone and had forgotten or were unable to draw the blinds of sleep, and felt certain in these varied moments that you would decide to make my acquaintance. However, these precious moments have passed and we have remained—strangers. Sometimes I have found you wounded by bitter sorrows, bereaved by death, grieved by disappointment, or betrayed by a friend, and in pity I have stretched out my hand to apply the healing balm of faith, but you have pulled rudely away and only made the wound more ragged so the torn bleeding edges have grown together leaving an ugly scar on the interior and the exterior of your life. Again I distinctly remember having underlined a phrase in some book as you carelessly perused its pages but you have impatiently thrust the book aside, called it "boring" and chased away the memory with a fickle bauble in gaudy print. Once, I touched your elbow and pointed to the face of a friend from whose eyes shone the light of a great soul, and you looked away and mocked him as "strange." Another time I found you in pious pose sitting in the soft diffused light of a beautiful cathedral listening to the "Messiah", but alas, I found your mind busy with the cares and problems of tomorrow. When the discourse on the Scriptures was over, I whispered, what did it all mean, and you shrugged your shoulders and

went out to spend the afternoon in heartless mirth. So at last I have become desperate, and have decided to put our story in print hoping you will read it and think.

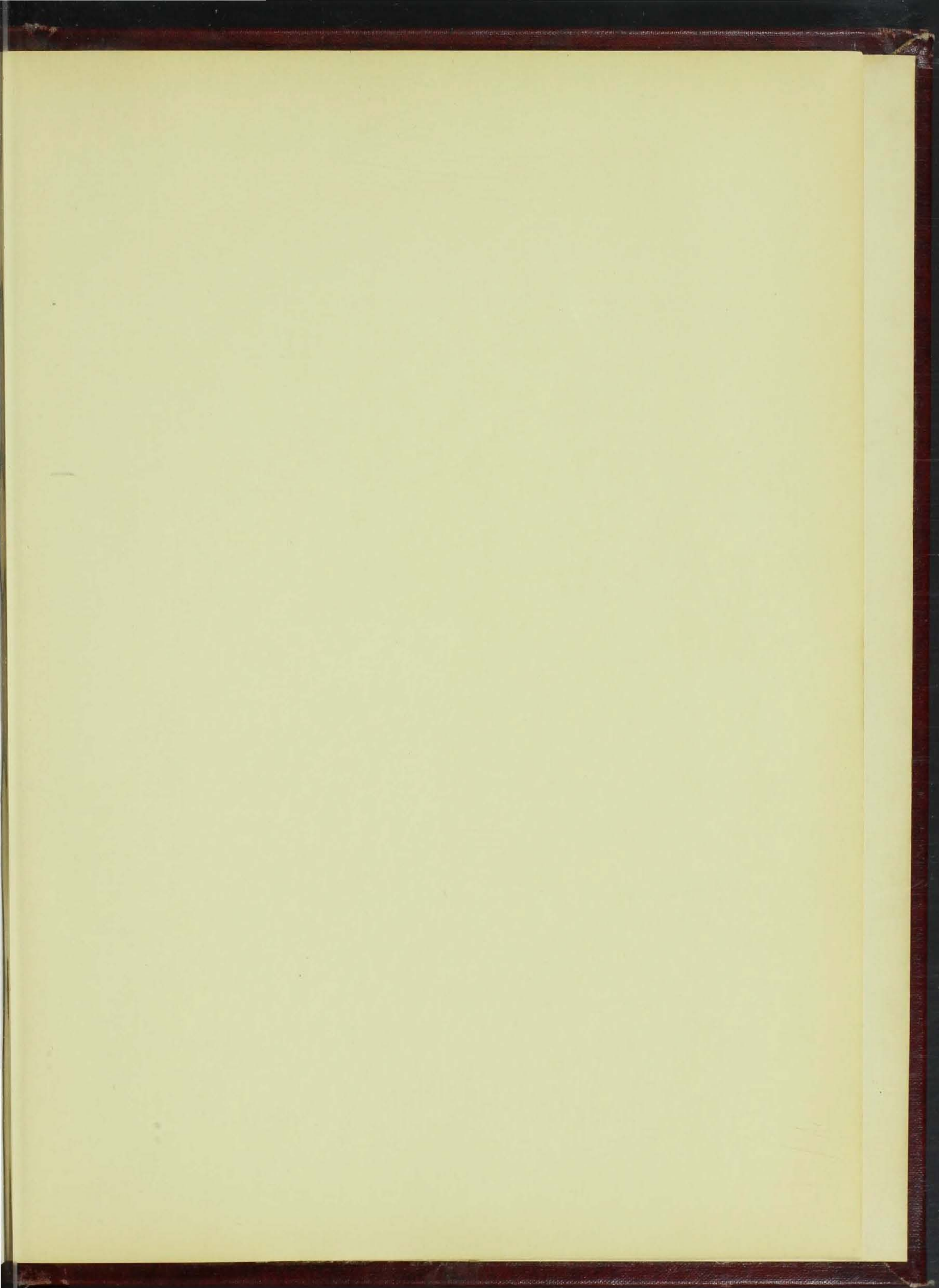
You see, I am a dwarf. Withered, sad, and condemned to remain in this state until you awaken to your condition. I am entirely invisible when you refuse to think and so I patiently follow you in hopes of just a chance- - -. And you, you are an empty shell of humanity whose house is gaily plated with false gold, a house without a light. The living room is empty and the library is filled with dust. All the books are filled with questions which you have never taken time to consider. The table is set but you have failed to provide yourself with the proper food or the equipment with which to prepare it, and strangely enough you do not have a comfortable resting place in this abode.

You need to ponder the path of your feet for I am crying for a transformation. Your house needs to be my home. Your recognition of me and my helpless, useless existence could suddenly break the enchantment, and I would become the beautiful daughter of a king who would renovate the house, drop peace over the resting place and understanding over the scars, dust the library and seek out Truth for its shelves. I would delight in preparing fruit for the table and would give first place to the Living Bread. I would wash off the guilt, decorate your abode with simplicity, and light the lamps of love.

But you see, I am just a dwarf and you do not recognize me. Each year I grow a trifle smaller, older, and more handicapped, my steps more feeble and my voice more useless. The irony of it all is that some day we are going to face death together, either as a dwarf holding hands with a crumbling mansion facing living death, or as a radiant bride possessing the materials for a palace in life eternal. So won't you please stop- - -, listen- - -, think- - -, and seek my transformation for just now I am pleading at your elbow because I am YOUR soul.

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