

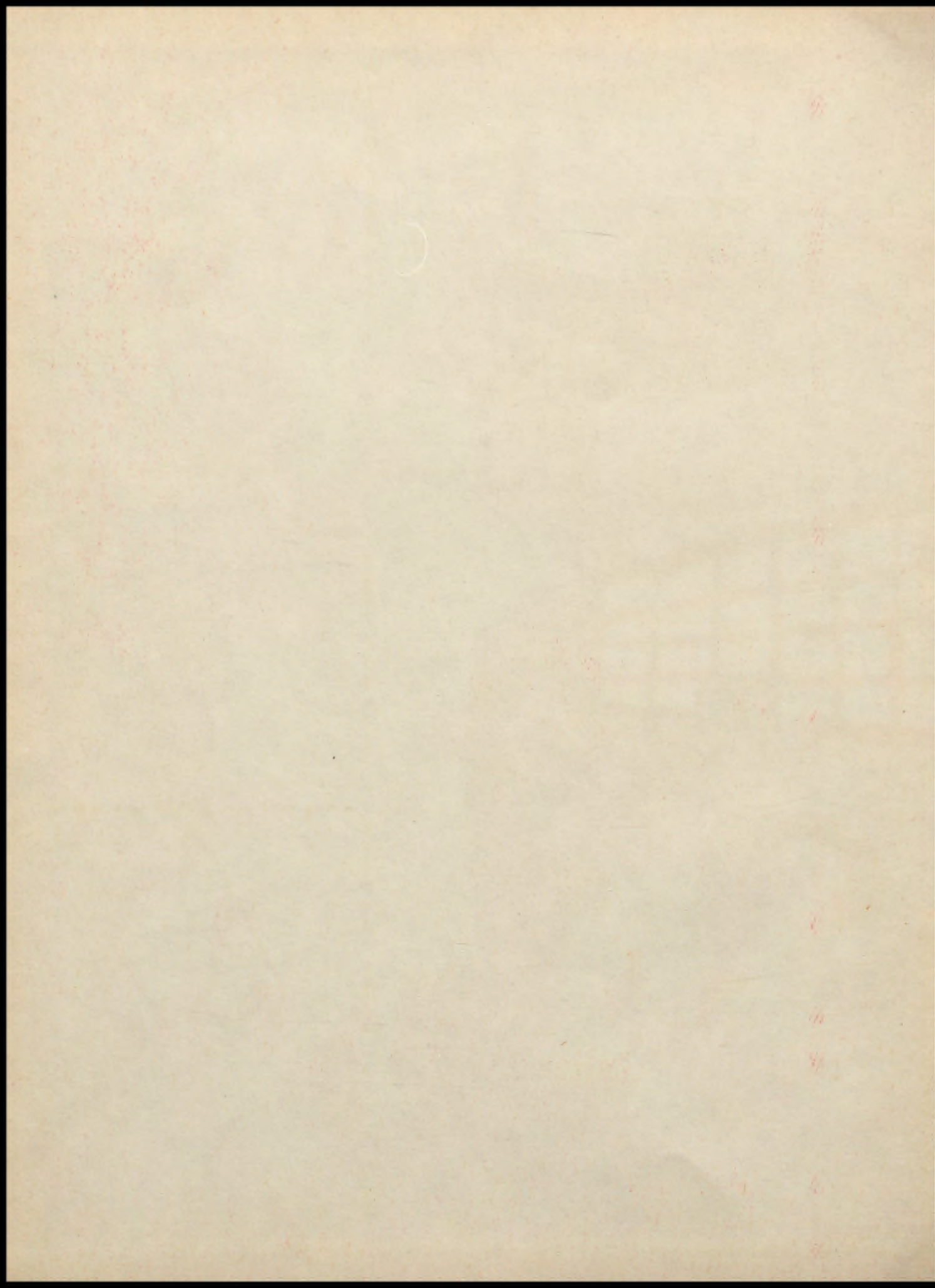


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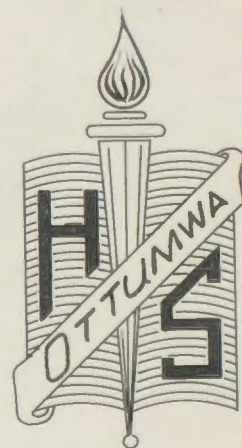
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THE ARGUS '53



OTTUMWA
HIGH SCHOOL
OTTUMWA, IOWA



Presenting...

Your Argus Annual. We endeavor in this book to bring back memories of one of the happiest years of our lives. Friendship and enjoyment in extra-curricular activities will never be forgotten. The joy of bringing honor to our school will be relived as we leaf through this book.

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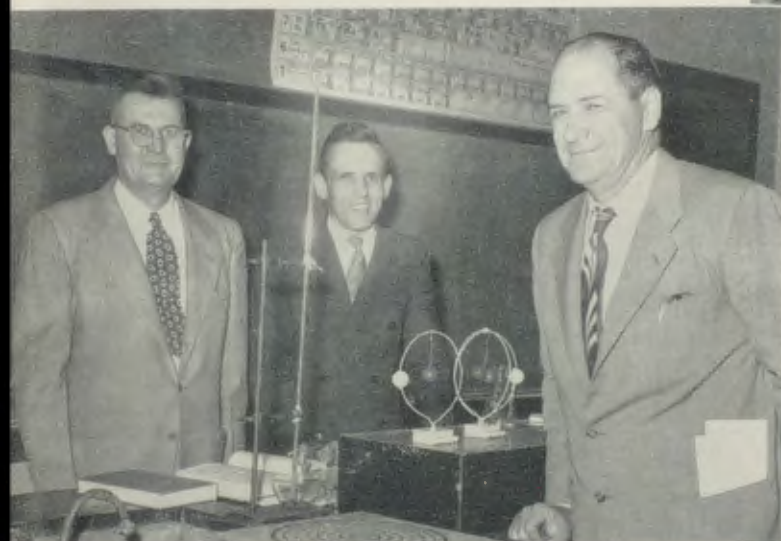
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Senior Class Song

... by Marie Moore and Charlotte Diehn

The musical score is written on ten staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some lines having a dashed line underneath for a hum. The score includes various musical notations such as eighth notes, quarter notes, and half notes, as well as repeat signs and a double bar line at the end.

To-day our class is leaving the halls of O.H.S. We're ready for the
as seniors we are leaving the friends that we have met. The happy moments
future, the world will be our test. Suc-cess is what we strive for, knowledqe we have
of the past we never will forget. This day of graduation marks one more chapter
qained. Our happy school days o-ver. Our memories we'll maintain, Oh
closed. We pray that God will please us. Where-ever we may go h----

O.H.S. We leave you now, We're go-ing but we'll love you still. We'll
hum -----

treasure all the hap-py times we've spent with-in those halls of yours. Our
hum -----

high school days are now completed, we're sad but happy this times Come. THIS
hum -----

Days our high school grad-u-a-tion, We are the Class of Fifty Three

Seniors



KENNETH KITTERMAN
President



LEON KRIDELEBAUGH
Vice-President



KATHERINE WILT
Secretary



SUANNE BATTEYSON
Treasurer

1953

MISS EIGHME, ADVISER



The last chapter of our life at Ottumwa High School is finished. Sometimes it seemed as if we would never reach the end. But, we have finally obtained our goal—graduation.

As we look back on those three memorable years, we find that we were sometimes discouraged. But, above all, we remember the friendly attitude of our classmates and teachers who helped us along the road of learning.

As this year closes, we wonder what the future holds for us. Whatever it is, whether it be college, the service, or a job, we will always remember and apply the knowledge we gained at O. H. S.

Not only is the scholastic phase of high school vital, but the extracurricular activities are also necessary.

We shall not soon forget the many honors we have received: Torch Club, Student Council, class or club officers, or as members of the various athletic teams.

Now as we leave these halls of learning, we, the senior class of 1953, would like to say a sincere "thank you" to the faculty, our counselors, and our class adviser, for helping us to realize our goal.



Seniors

JOANNE LEE ANDERSON
 G. A. A. 2
 Reserve 3
 Y-Teens 3

MABEL ANDERSON
 G. A. A. 2
 Intramural Volleyball 2
 Girls' Glee Club 2-3
 Reserve 2

NORMA JEAN ANDERSON
 Girls' Glee Club 2-3
 Spanish Club 3-4
 Commercial Club 4
 Reserve 4

EDDIE ANDERSON
 Latin Club 2-3
 Reserve 3-4

RICHARD ANDERSON
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Thespians 3-4
 Argus News 4
 A Mixed Chorus 2-3-4

JAMES ANDREWS
 Projectionist 3-4

BOB ARNOLD
 Speech Club 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 2
 A Mixed Chorus 2
 Latin Club 2

MARILYN JEAN AVERY
 A Mixed Chorus 3-4
 Y-Teens 2-3-4

EDWARD BAILEY
 Projectionist 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 Art Club 3-4

JACK BAINBRIDGE
 Projectionist 2-3-4

DONALD BAKER

KEITH BALES



1953

GORDON BANKS

Band 2-3-4
Orchestra 2-3-4
A Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
Projectionist 2-3-4

MARY BANKSON

G. A. A. 3-4

SUANNE BATTERSON

Student Council 3-4
Speech Club 4
Class Officer 4
Reserve Chairman 3-4

RYLAND BEECHUM

Intramural 2-3-4
Graphic Arts Club 4
V.-P. Graphic Arts Cl. 4
Glee Club 2-3

JOANNE BEGGS

Argus Annual 2-3-4
Speech Club 3-4
G. A. A. 2-3
Y-Teens 2-3

LA VONNE BENSON

Band 2-3-4
F. T. A. 4

DONNA BERRY

A Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Girls' Trio 2-3-4
Pep Club 4

NORA LEE BILTERMAN

Dramatic Club 2-3-4
F. T. A. Pres. 4
Spanish Club 3-4
A Mixed Chorus 4

LA VONE BITNER

Projectionist 3-4

JUNE BLACK

BARBARA BLAND

Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Speech Club 3
Projectionist 3-4
Latin 2

JOAN BLOME

Shark Club 2-3-4
Office Helper 3
Sec'y Shark Club 4
Latin Club 2-3



Seniors

MARVIN BOOKIN
 Librarian 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 2
 B Mixed Chorus 2-3
 Speech Club 4

HARRIETTE BRODY
 Dramatic Club 2-4
 Speech Club 4
 French Club 3-4
 Reserve 4

DICK BUTLER
 Band 2-3

SHIRLEY BOWERS
 Band 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Projectionist 3-4
 Speech Club 4

ESTHER BROWN

WILMA CAMDEN
 Orchestra 2-3

AUDREY BREON
 B-Mixed Chorus 2-3
 G. A. A. 2-3-4
 Commercial Club 3-4
 Vice-Pres. G. A. A. 4

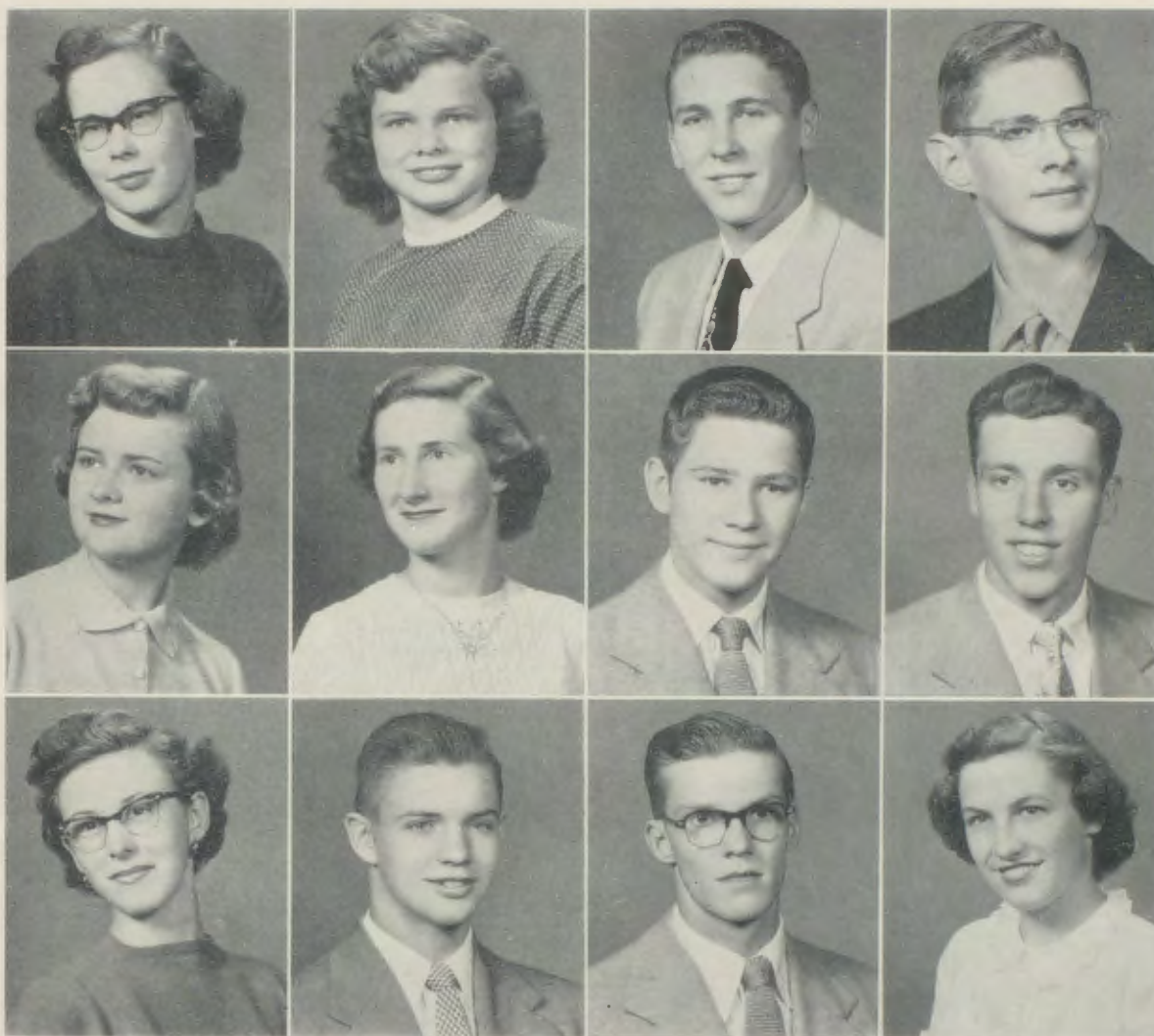
GENE BUCHHOLZ
 Spanish Club 3-4
 Intramural Basketball 2-4

PATTY CARNES
 Ushers' Club 3-4
 Richland, Missouri 2

DONNA BREWER
 Albia High School 2-3
 Latin Club 4
 Glee Club 4

GWEN C. BURTLOW
 Creston and Carroll Ia. 2
 Hammond, Ind. and
 Sterling, Illinois 3
 G. A. A. 3-4

DEWAYNE CARR
 Class Officer 2-3
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3
 Reserve 4
 Football 4



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MARILYN JOAN CARR
Y-Teens 2

JANET CHICKERING
Glee Club 3-4

JIM CHRISTY
Track 3-4
Cross-Country 4
Reserve 4
Intramural 2-4

DICK CLAWSON

VIRGINIA CLINKER
Argus Annual 3-4
Thespians 3-4
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Reserve 2

PHYLLIS CLOUSE
Art Club 4

LEROY CLOYD

RICHARD COBLER

EVELYN JOYCE COFFMAN

JOHNNY COLLINS
Spring Arbor, Michigan 3
A-Mixed Chorus 4
Football 4
Basketball 4

LLOYD COMER

ELIZABETH CONDON
Latin Club 2
F. T. A. 3
Dramatic Club 3
Speech Club 4



Seniors

GARLAND W. CONNER
 Fremont H. S. 2
 Basketball 3-4
 Track 3-4

WILLET CORNELL
 Reserve 2-3
 Art Club 2-3-4
 Iota Alpha Gamma 2-3-4

ART CORTUM
 Football 2-3-4
 Commercial Club 3
 Reserve 2

DONNA COX
 Glee Club 2
 Y-Teens 2

GERALDINE CRITCHLOW
 Band 2-3-4

EDNA MARIE CROUSE
 Cafeteria 2-3
 Librarian 3

JACK E. DAUGHERTY
 Football 2-3-4
 Speech Club 3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 4

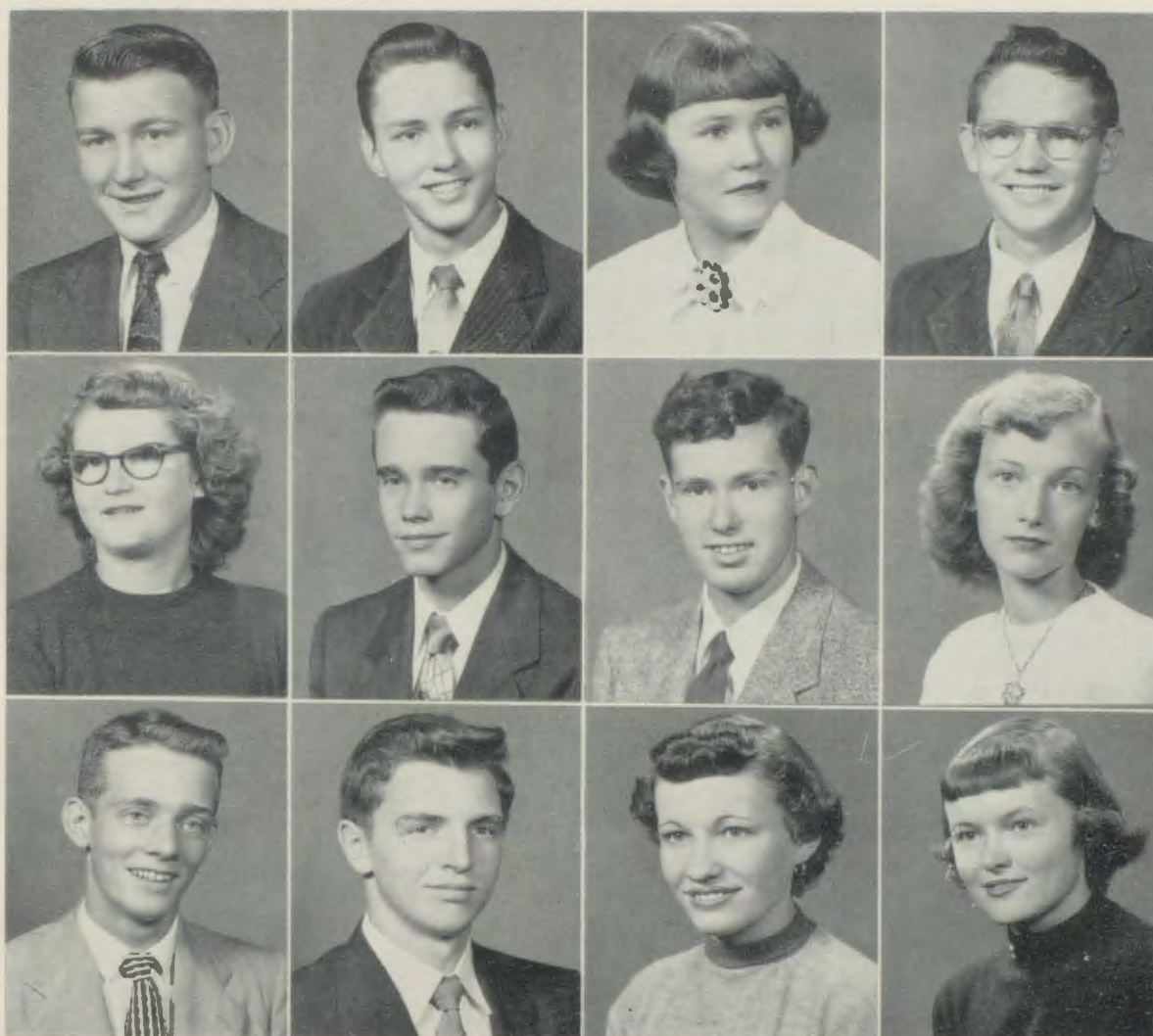
MAX DAUGHERTY

VIRGINIA DAVIDSON

DORIS DENNY

CHARLOTTE DIEHN
 Orchestra 2-3-4
 Concertmistress 2-3-4
 French Club 3-4

DORRELL E. DOLTON



1953

JOSEPH DORN
Football 2

LARRY DORSEY
Reserve 4

MARY ELLEN DOWNS
Orchestra 2-3-4
Argus News 2-3-4
Dramatic Club 2

DAVID DUDLEY

LORRAINE EAKINS
Glee Club 2-3-4

CRAIG EATON
Band 2-3-4
Argus Annual 2-3-4
Hi-Y 3-4

WARREN ECKROAT
El Monte, Calif. 3
Basketball 2-4
Golf 4

MARGARET EDGINGTON
Librarians' Club 4
Reserve 3

PHIL ELLENBERGER
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Thespians 2-3-4
Argus Annual 3-4
Student Council 4

IVAN ENGLE
Reserve 2-3

NANCY ERWIN
Glee Club 2-3

DONNA EYRE
Art Club 2-4
Iota Alpha Gamma 3-4
Reserve 3-4



Seniors

DELOS FAULHABER

KENNETH FINLEY
Reserve 4

BETTY FINNEY
G. A. A. 3-4
Intramural Volleyball 2-3

HAROLD FINNEY

GENE FLEMING

JUDITH FRAHM
Sioux Falls, S. D. 2
Commercial Club 4
Librarians' Club 4
Y-Teens 3

BARBARA FREEMAN
G. A. A. 2
Dramatic Club 4
Varsity Cheerleader 2
A-Mixed Chorus 4

BETTY FRESHWATER
G. A. A. 2
Reserve 2

HAROLD GENE FUNK

HAROLD GASTON
A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4

PATRICIA GESEKING
Y-Teens 2-3

RANCEL GIMONDO
A-Mixed Chorus 4
Girls' Glee Club 3



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BEVERLY GINSBERG
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Argus News 2-3-4
 Orchestra 2-3-4
 Thespians 4

MARILYN GLENN
 Girls' Glee Club 2
 B-Mixed Chorus 3
 G. A. A. 2-3
 Commercial Club Treas. 4

DIANE GRAHAM
 Glee Club 3

KEITH GLADSON
 Projectionist 4

JOYCE GOLDSBORO
 A-Mixed Chorus 4
 Y-Teens 4
 Speech Club 4
 Latin Club 2

JOE GRAY
 Football 2
 Cheerleader 3
 Speech Club 4
 Dramatic Club 4

WAYNE GLASSBURNER
 Reserve 2

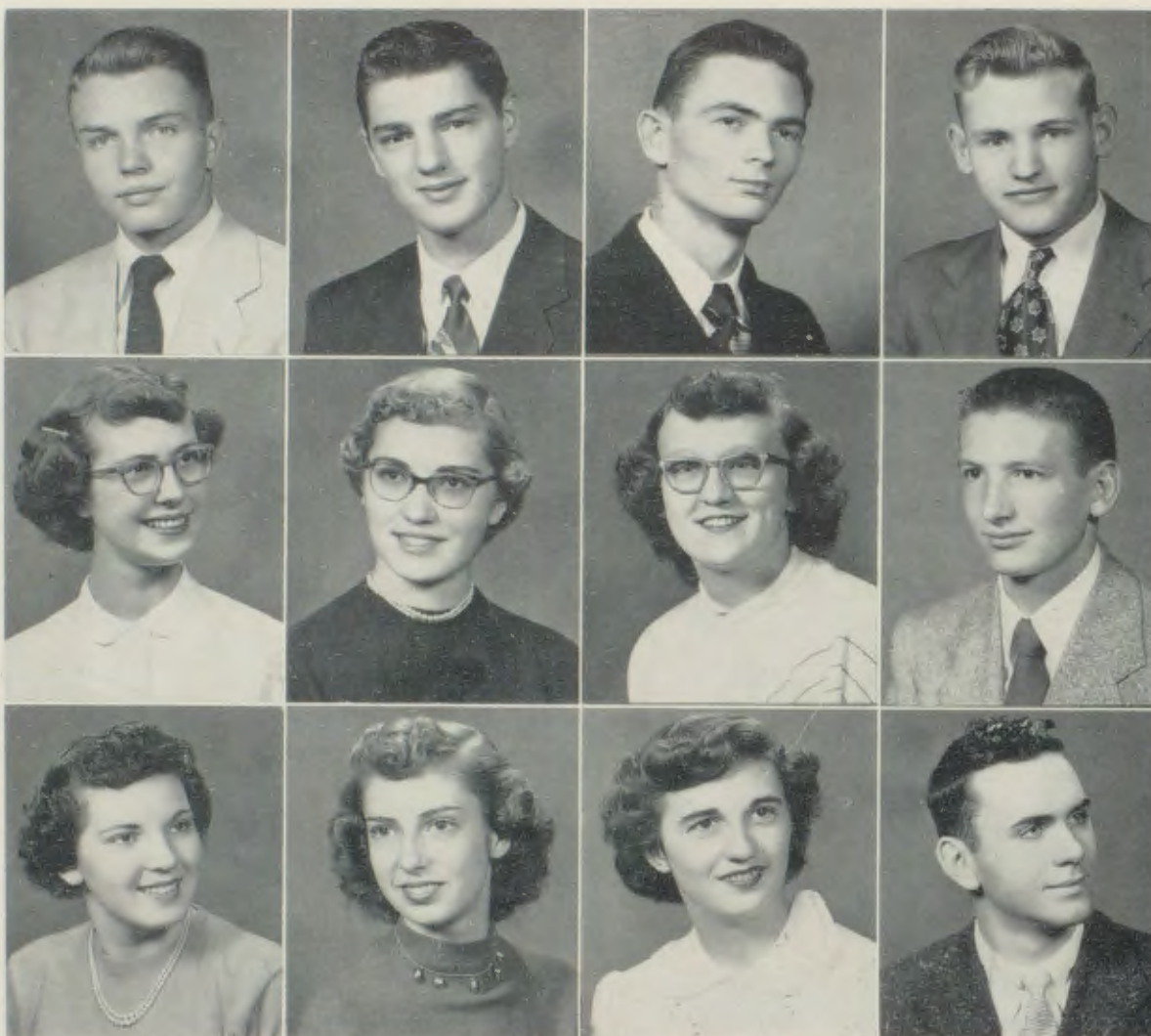
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 Projectionist 2-3-4
 Track 3-4
 Football 2

JIM GRIER
 Debate 3-4
 Thespian 3-4
 Golf 4
 Hi-Y 3-4

DELTA GLENN
 Girls' Glee Club 2-4
 B-Mixed Chorus 3
 Spanish Club 3-4
 Commercial Club 4

GEORGE GOTT
 Football 4

MARY JO GRIFFITHS



Seniors

CHARLES GUSTAVESON
 Football 2-3-4
 Basketball 2-3-4
 Golf 4
 Speech Club 4

RONALD HAMM

DON HANDLEY
 Football 2-3-4
 Track 2-3-4

CHARLES HANDLING

WILLADEAN HARNESSE
 Cheerleader 2-3-4
 Spanish Club 3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4
 Speech Club 4

CAROL HARPER
 Orchestra 2-3
 Librarian 2-3-4

JANICE HART
 Ushers' Club 2-3-4
 Projectionist 3
 Commercial Club 4
 Shark Club 4

DALE HARTMAN
 Football 2-3
 Track 2-3-4
 Cross Country 4
 Reserve 2-3

SHARON HAWKINS

NORMA HAWORTH
 Librarians' Club 4

BEVERLY HECKART
 G. A. A. 2-3-4
 Intramural Volleyball 2-3
 Pep Club 4

TOM HENDERSON



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BOB HINSON

Basketball 2-3-4
A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
Hi-Y 2-3-4
Intra. Volleyball 2-3-4

MARY JO HOFF

F. T. A. 3-4
Latin Club 2

JIMMIE HORTON

TOM HOULIHAN

Argus Annual 3-4
Speech Club 2-3-4
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Reserve 2-4

WAYNE HOWARD

Reserve 2

EVELYN HOWK

Bloomfield 2-3
Glee Club 4

DIANE HUGHES

Shark Club 2-4
Dramatic Club 2-4
Spanish Club 4
Reserve 4

JAMES HUGHES

B. JOANNE HUNTER

Glee Club 2
Dramatic Club 2
Reserve 3-4

JOAN HURLEY

Glee Club 2-3

GWEN HYATT

Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Thespians 4
Argus News 2-3-4
F. T. A. 3-4

ILA JACKS

Ushers' Club 2-3-4
Reserve 2-3



Seniors

HELEN JAMISON
 Glee Club 2-3-4
 Y-Teens 2-3-4
 Art Club 4

DAVID JOHNSON
 Band 2-3-4
 Dramatic Club 2
 Speech Club 3-4

LONNIE JOHNSON
 Football 2-3-4
 Track 2-3-4
 Reserve 3
 Intramural 2-3-4

MADELEINE JOHNSON
 Librarians' Club 4

MELVIN JOHNSON
 Blakesburg H. S. 2
 Band 3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4
 Track 3-4

NANCY JOHNSON
 Thespians 3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
 French Club 3-4
 Dramatic Club 3-4

TERRY JOHNSON
 Football 2
 Basketball 2
 Reserve 2

DEAN JOHNSTON
 Reserve 2
 Intramural 2
 Basketball 2

RONNIE JOHNSTON
 Intramural 3

ELINOR JONES
 Cheerleader 2-3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4
 Speech Club 4
 French Club 3-4

GEORGIA FAY JONES
 Commercial Club 4
 Glee Club 3
 Band 2

MARTHA MARIE JONES
 Art Club 4
 G. A. A. 2-3-4



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RAY JONES

A-Mixed Chorus 3
Commercial Club 4
F. T. A. 3
Girls' Chorus 2

BILLY KALLER

Reserve 2

JOHN D. KENDALL

Reserve 2

ROBERT KINNEY

PETE KITTERMAN

Football 2-3-4
Track 2-3-4
Senior Class Pres. 4

HERBIE KLONTZ

Class Officer 3
Golf 1-2-3-4
Reserve 2-3-4
Hi-Y 2-3-4

JACK KNOX

ALLEN KOUGH

Band 4
A-Mixed Chorus 4

MARVIN KREHBIEL

A-Mixed Chorus 2-3
Reserve 4
Football 4

LEON KRIDELBAUGH

Student Council 2-3-4
Council Pres. 4
Football 2-3-4
Class Officer 3-4

BERNARD KRIEGER

Office Helper 3
Art Club 3
Reserve 4

MARILYN LAPPOINT

A-Mixed Chorus 3
Glee Club 2



Seniors

JAMES LARRABEE
 Thespians 4
 N. F. L. 2-3-4
 Argus News 3-4
 Band 2-3-4

PHYLLIS LEON
 Usher' Club 3-4
 G. A. A. 2
 Shark Club 4
 Glee Club 2-3-4

MARGARET LONGDO
 Dramatic Club 2
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
 Girls' Trio 3
 A-Mixed Quartette 2-4

BILLY LEE
 Mixed Chorus 2-3-4

ALAN LEWIS
 Librarians' Club 2
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Speech Club 4
 Hi-Y Officer 3-4

GEORGIANNA LOUDERBACK
 Fremont 2
 Y-Teens 3
 Glee Club 4

RICHARD LEE
 Basketball 2-3
 Speech Club 3-4
 Dramatics 4
 Hi-Y 2-3

WARREN LEWIS
 Latin Club 2
 Dramatic Club 2
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4

FREDDIE MCBEE

MARY LEEPER
 Richland H. S. 2-3
 Glee Club 4

JANET LOBDELL
 Glee Club 4
 Pep Club 4
 G. A. A. 2-3-4
 G. A. A. Pres. 4

ROBERT D. MCCARTY
 Reserve 3



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WALDO CLYDE McCARTY

RONALD McCARTY

NEIL McCLELLAN

MARY JO McCONNELL

Librarians Club	3-4
Projectionist	3-4
Debate	2
Hi-Y	2-3

G. A. A.	2-3
Ushers' Club	2-3
Glee Club	2-3-4
Art Club	2

DICK McCoy
Boys' Glee Club 2-3

CONNIE McCUNE
Dramatic Club 4
A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
Latin Club 2

SUSAN McDERMOTT
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Argus News 2-3-4
Thespians 4
Reserve 4

RICHARD LEE MACE

JOE MALONE
Dramatic Club 4
Football Mgr. 2
Speech Club 2

MARLENE MANLEY
Dramatic Club 2
Y-Teens 2
F. T. A. 3
Commercial Club 3-4

GENE MARTIN

BEVERLY MERRINGER
Commercial Club 3-4
A-Mixed Chorus 3-4
B-Mixed Chorus 2



Seniors

SHIRLEY ANN MILLER
 Band 2-3-4
 Projectionist 4

ALICE MITCHELL
 Y-Teens 2

MARIE MOORE
 Student Council 2-3
 Thespians 4
 Argus News 2-3-4
 Orchestra 2-3-4

NANCY MOORE
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
 Thespians 3-4
 Latin Club 2

SHIRLEY MORROW
 Speech Club 2
 Y-Teens 2-3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 3
 Commercial Club 4

JACK MUCHOW
 Football 2
 Reserve 2-3

GEORGE MULLEN

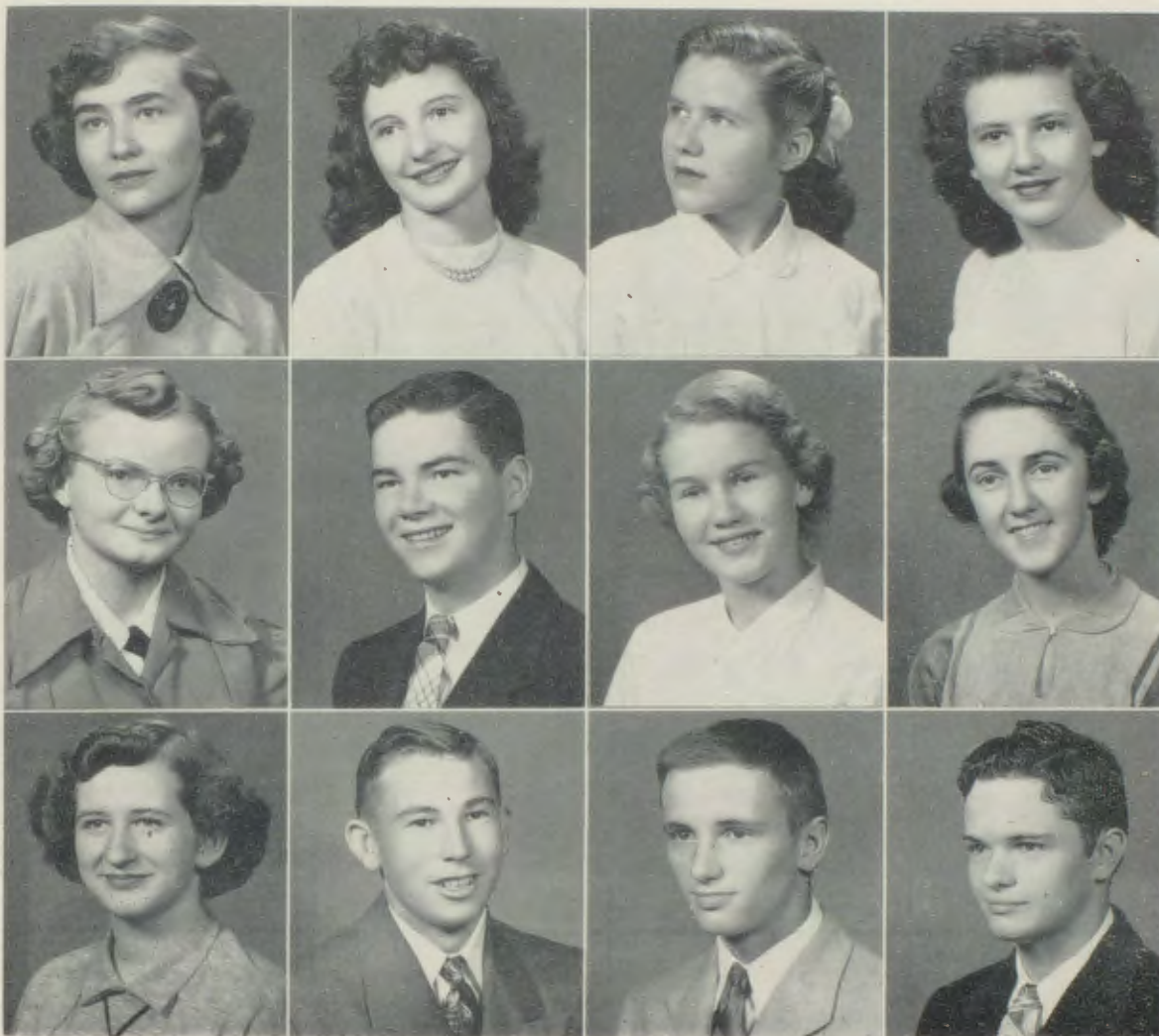
DON MURRELL
 A-Mixed Chorus 2
 B-Mixed Chorus 3

TED MUSGROVE

FREDERICK NEILL

BONNIE NEWEURN
 Dramatic Club 2-3
 B-Mixed Chorus 2-3
 A-Mixed Chorus 4
 Commercial Club 4

GENE OGDEN
 Reserve 2
 Mixed Chorus 2
 Intramural 2



1953

JOAN O'HARA

Student Council 2-3
Thespians 2-3-4
F. T. A. 3-4
Argus News 2-3-4

EDITH ORMAN

B-Mixed Chorus 4
Glee Club 3

JEANETTE ORMAN

Commercial Club 3-4
Dramatic Club 2-3
Speech Club 4
A-Mixed Chorus 3-4

JOYCE ORMAN

RUTH ORMAN

Latin Club 2
Librarians' Club 2-3-4
Librarians' Club
Vice-Pres. 4

CARROLL OVERTURF

Dramatic Club 4
Band 2-3-4
Speech Club 4
Hi-Y 2-3-4

MARY ANN OVERTURF

G. A. A. 2-3-4
Shark Club 3-4
Glee Club 2-3-4
Pep Club 4

PATSY OVERTURF

Student Council 2-3-4
Shark Club 2-3-4
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A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4

DONNA PALMER

Glee Club 2-3-4

RONNIE PARIS

MAX PARKS

A-Mixed Chorus 2-3

RICHARD PARKS



Seniors

BETTY PARSONS
 Dramatic Club 1-2
 Commercial Club 3
 A-Mixed Chorus 3
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DON PARSONS
 Basketball 2-3-4
 Intramural 2-3-4

PATTY PATKIN
 Y-Teen Cabinet 2-3
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ROBERT E. PATTERSON

HAROLD PAXTON

DIANNE PEARSON
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KENNETH PENNINGTON
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SHIRLEY PENROD
 Speech Club 2-3-4
 N. F. L. 2-3-4
 F. T. A. 4
 G. A. A. 2-3

WILLARD PENROD
 Printing Club 4

DUANE PETERSON
 Glee Club 3

JOLEEN M. PETRIE
 Reserve 2

JOANN PHILLIPS
 Commercial Club 4
 Cafeteria Aid 2-3
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1953

SHIRLEY JOY PHILLIPS

JOYCE PILCHER

CLYDE PIPER
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Basketball 2
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RICHARD RECTOR
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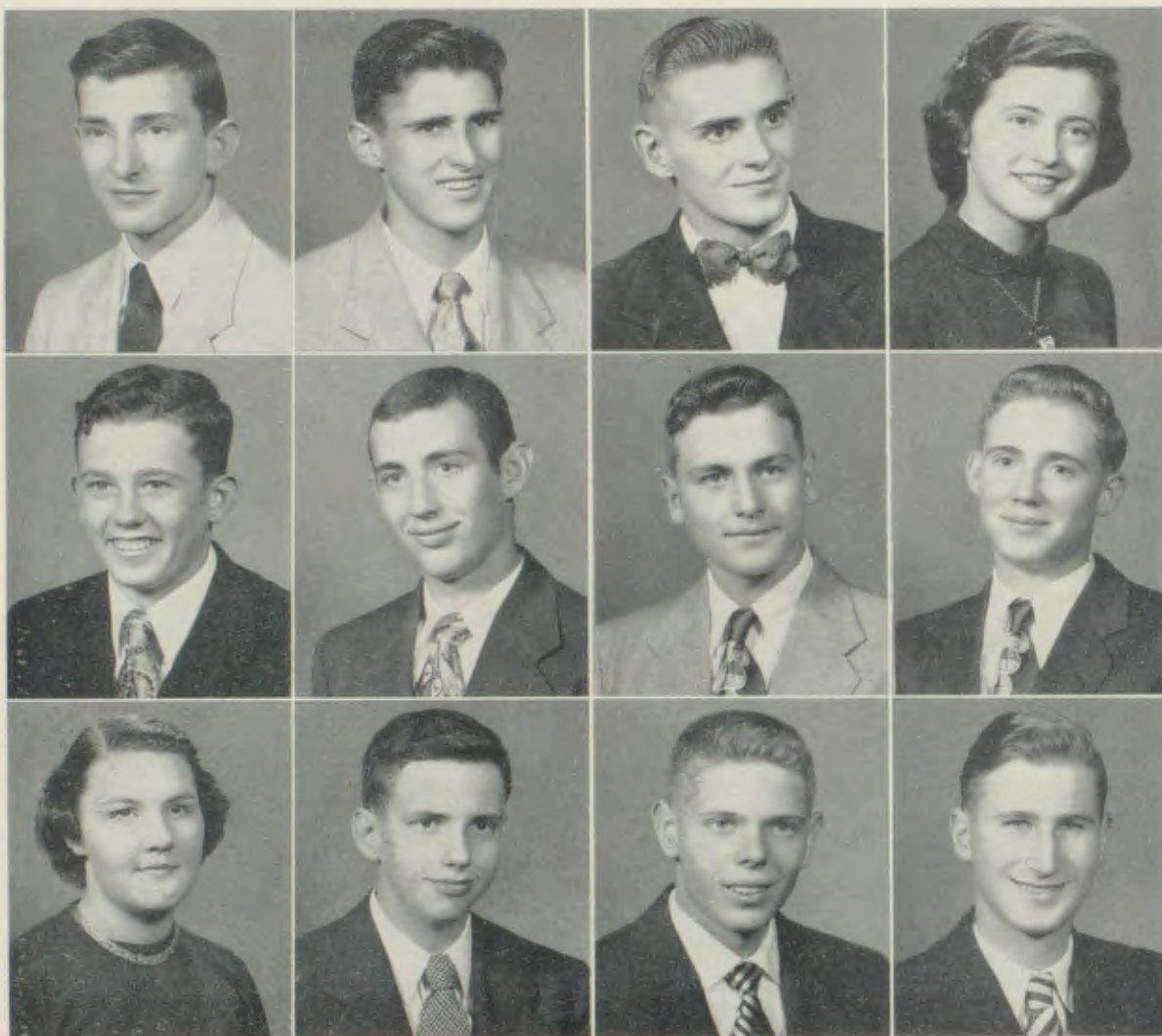
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Seniors

JOHN D. ROLLINS

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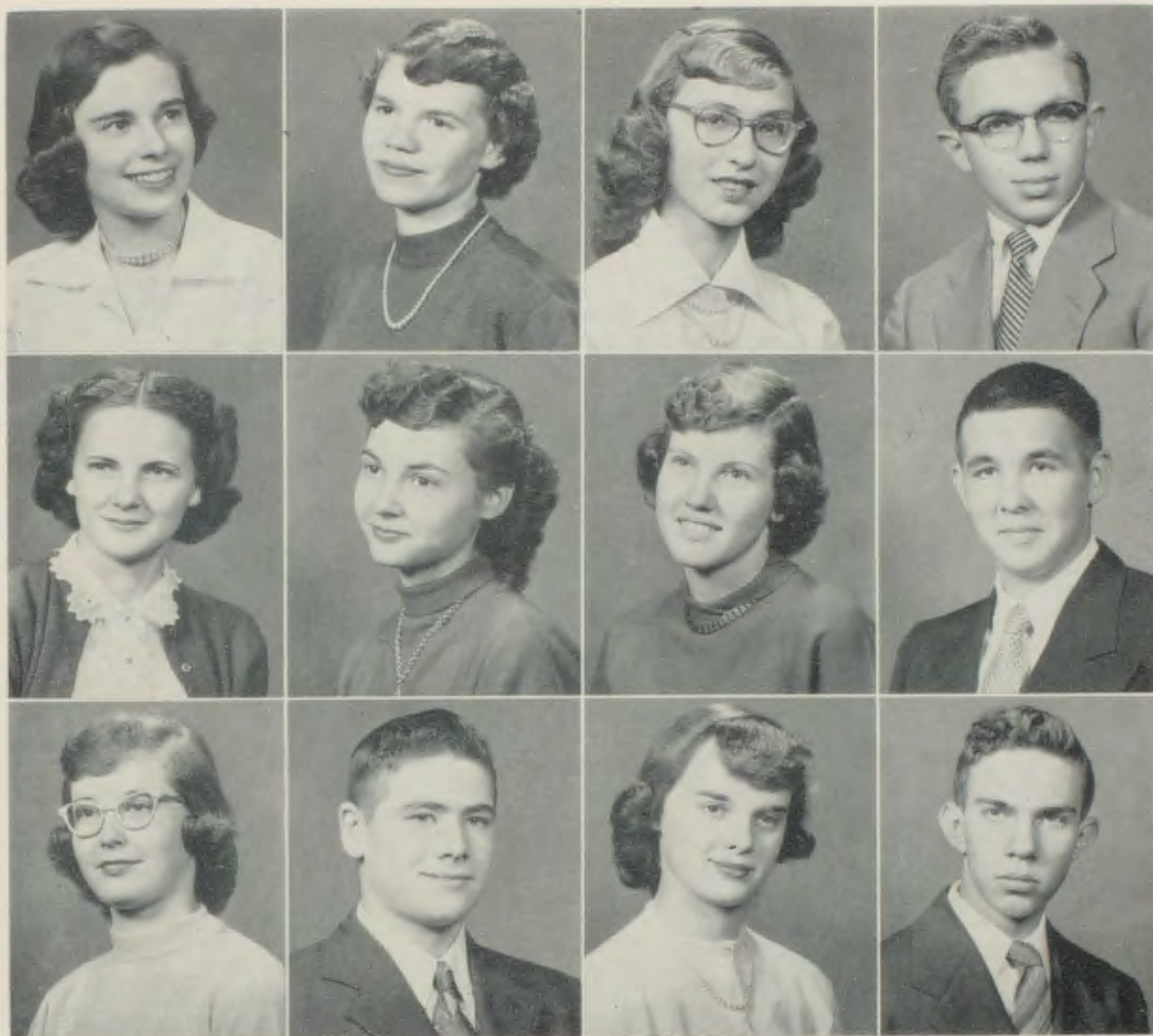
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ALVIN SCHMIDT
Track 2-3-4
Intramural 2
Hi-Y 2

HEINZ HELMUT SCHRAMM
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Student Council 4
Hi-Y 4



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JANICE SECOR
 A-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4
 Speech Club 4
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Girls' Trio 3

BETTY LOU SMITH
 B-Mixed Chorus 2
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SALLY SMITH
 Dramatic Club 2-4
 Speech Club 4
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4

ESTELLA SHEPHERD
 Ushers' Club 2

BEVERLY SMITH
 Reserve

MARVIN SNOOK

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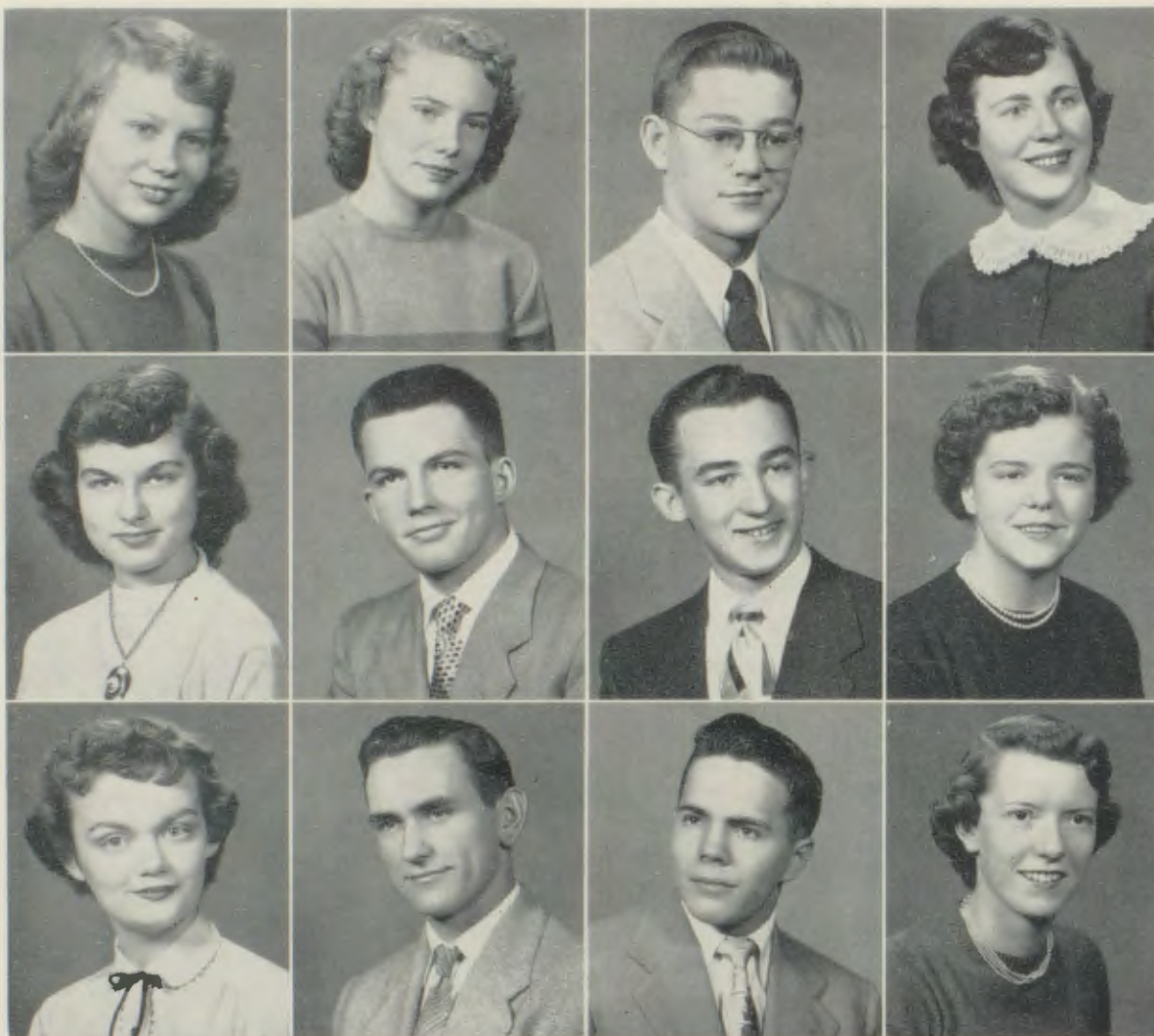
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 A-Mixed Chorus 4
 G. A. A. 2-3

MARILYN JEAN SPARKS
 Reserve 2-4

NORMAN SIGEL
 Track 2
 Dramatic Club 2
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NORLEY SMITH
 Basketball 2
 Football 2
 Reserve 3
 Glee Club 2

LARRY STANSBERRY
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 4
 Band 2-3-4
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Seniors

PATRICIA STANSBERRY
 B-Mixed Chorus 2-3
 A-Mixed Chorus 4
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Speech Club 3

BEVERLY STARK
 Shark Club 2
 Art Club 4

RICHARD STEELE
 Reserve 2-3

MARILYN STEVENS
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 Reserve 3

CAROLE STOCKER
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
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 A-Mixed Chorus 4

EDWARD STOCKER
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DICK STRUNK
 Band 2-3-4
 A-Mixed Chorus 2
 Hi-Y 2-3-4
 Brass Sextette 3

CAROLEE SWANSON
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
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 Librarian 4

JULIA SWANSON
 Dramatic Club 4
 Reserve 4
 Art Club 3-4

THOMAS SYLVESTER
 Bloomfield H. S. 2-3

LELAND TAYLOR
 B-Mixed Chorus 2
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ARLIE JEAN THARP
 A-Mixed Chorus 3-4
 Senior Sextette 3-4
 Girls' Glee Club 2



1953

AMY THOMAS

GENE THOMAS
Boone High School 1-2

HELEN LOUISE THOMAS
Ushers' Club 2
Glee Club 2-3

PATTY THRASHER
Dramatic Club 2
Latin Club 2

CHARLES TIPTON
Orchestra 2-3-4
Marching Band 4
Speech Club 4

MARY LOU TORRENCE
Commercial Club 3-4
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Glee Club 3

NANCY TORRENCE
Orchestra 3-4
Band 2-3-4
Projectionist 2-3-4
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DELORES ANN TUTOKEY
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JOAN TYLER
Shark Club 2-3-4
Shark Club Pres. 4
Band 2-3
Spanish Club 3-4

JERRY ULLMAN
Band 2-3-4
Orchestra 2-3-4

ROSEMARY UTTERBACK
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Class Officer 2-3
Student Council 3-4
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DENNIS VAN GORP
Reserve 3



Seniors

BETTY LOU WALKER
 Glee Club 2-3
 Y-Teens 2-3

IRMAJEAN WARDLOW
 Glee Club 2-4
 B-Mixed Chorus 3

MARILYN WARREN
 Commercial Club 3-4
 Orchestra 2-3-4

JOAN WELLS
 Y-Teens 2
 G. A. A. 2
 Glee Club 2-3-4

JOANN WEST
 Glee Club 2-3
 Y-Teens 2-3-4
 Commercial Club 3-4

WALTER WEST
 Life Saving 3
 Projectionist 3

IDA LOU WHIPPLE
 Dramatic Club 2-3-4
 Commercial Club 4
 Y-Teens 2-3
 Reserve 4

CHARLES WILLIAMS
 Librarians' Club 2-3-4
 B-Mixed Chorus 2-3
 Speech Club 3
 F. T. A. 3

DONALD WILLIAMS

DORIS LOUISE WILLIAMS
 Librarians' Club 4
 Y-Teens 2

DORIS M. WILLIAMS
 Writers' Club 4
 Iota Alpha Gamma 3-4
 Art Club 4
 G. A. A. 2-3-4

ROGER WILLIAMS



1953

CATHERINE WILT
Shark Club Vice-Pres. 4
Student Council 4
Class Treas. 4
G. A. A. 2-3-4

CAROL ANN WINDER
Band 2-3-4
Orchestra 2-3-4
Shark Club 3-4
Trombone Quartette 2-3-4

JANIS WINGER
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Spanish Club 3-4
Projectionist 3-4
B-Mixed Chorus 3

BOBBY WISE
Sophomore Quartette 2-3-4
Band 2-3-4
Spanish Club 3-4

CAROLYN WOOLLUMS
Cafeteria Helper 2-3

MARSHA ANN WORKMAN
Librarian 2-3-4
B-Mixed Chorus 2-3-4

LORETTA MAE WORTH
South Bend Catholic 2
Y-Teens 2-3
Reserve 3

PATRICIA WRIGHT
Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4
Christmas Pageant 3-4

JIMMY YENGER
Reserve 2

MARCIA ZELLERS
Commercial Club 4
Librarians' Club 4

MARISU ZIKA
N. F. L. 2-3-4
Thespians 3-4
Writers' Club 3-4
F. T. A. 4



*We study the college catalogues—*Pat Stansberry,
Melvin Johnson, Marvin Krehbiel.

*Suanne checks her reserves—*Mary Jo Huff, Suanne
Batterson.

*The news is out—*Carolee Swanson, "The Pause that Refreshes"
Jack Daugherty. Ed Anderson, Patsy Overturf.

*The long and the short of it—*Dick Lee,
Norman Sigel.



Mr. Osborne shows us how it is done -Clyde McCarty, Mr. Osborne, Dale Hartman, Dick Strunk.

The lost and found box -Gwen Hyatt, Kate Wilt, Dave Roberts.

Librarians - Charles Williams, Carol Harper.



Locker cleaning time -Susan McDermott.

A chemistry experiment -Fred Neil, Keith Bales.



Take your turn—Dave McMillin, Ed Stater, Janice Swaim.

It must fit—Ruth Wimmer, Mary Maasdam.

Your pink slip please—Jerry Leeling, Jerry Olsen.

Some classes are fun—Nancy Colton, Jody Haw; Barb Chedister.

Juniors



JERRY ZESIGER
President



EDWIN STATER
Vice-President



MARSHA NEWELL
Secretary



GENE GARDNER
Treasurer

1954

MISS FAST, ADVISER



*"Fame and honor we restore,
We're the Class of '54"*

In our first two years at O. H. S. we have tried to fulfill the first part of our motto. We have selected outstanding students for class officers, and Student Council members. Many in our class have become leaders in athletics, and other extra-curricular activities. The others of us have attempted to become good followers as members of these organizations.

Throughout the trials of the past two years we have had the advantage of the friendly and patient council of our advisor, Miss Fast.

Now with one year remaining we take note of our responsibilities as seniors. We realize that all the learning and knowledge which we have achieved through the grades will result in greater accomplishments in this next year. We will endeavor to develop our characters in honesty and courage so that we may exemplify honor as stated in our motto. We trust in doing this we will become promising citizens for a troubled world.



Juniors

1954

Row I—Dixie Bogle, Edna Baugh, Ione Boyd, Linda Broadfield, Marlene Besco, Shirley Bankson, Ruth Blumer, Sue Blackford, Barbara Brunk.

Row II—Gwen Brody, Myrna Burnstedt, Martha Blome, Patty Arndt, Janet Bates, Carol Brooks, Rosemary Bradbury, Marilyn Bruch, Beverly Boyer, Pat Aubrey, Della Brumbaugh.

Row III—Michael Bard, Roger Pipes, Daniel Brown, Leslie Brookes, Colvin Binger, Dave Brody, Ronald Brickey, John Bonella.

Row IV—Bruce Barton, Frank Binder, Don Belford, Dick Bachman, Jerry Bookin, Ted Bisell, Bob Batterson, Larry Burke.

Row I—Yvonne Carey, Jacqueline Coleman, Patricia Daniels, Bernice Canny, Susan Dornsife, Sue Cliff, Sally Chambers, Nancy Colton, Sandra Davis, Mary Dickey.

Row II—Mike Clement, Gerry Cline, Roberta Dixon, Delores Christy, Nancy Day, Janice Carr, Shirley Dixon, Helen Conder, Beatrice Covert.

Row III—Clayton Casady, Garry Cole, Larry Cole, Glenn DeGroot, Robert Colton, Ted Conder, Jack Carr.

Row IV—Denny Daggett, Bill Decker, Harold Connell, Jean Canny, Jerry Coltrain, Louie Curtis, Floyd Chapin.

Row I—Yvonne Gardner, Sarah Eaton, Orpha Gallup, Barbara Griffiths, Ilene Gates, Virginia Eyre, Carolyn Griffiths, Rose Mary Flack, Marilyn Ellis.

Row II—Dean Gruwell, Stanley Fink, Sharon Grooms, Betty Galpin, Dora Fenton, Helen Fleming, LaVonne Forsythe, Wilma Glassburner.

Row III—Duane Glassburner, Ernest Fite, Don Forbes, Ted Eaton, David Goulet, Dan Efner, Paul Fuller.

Row IV—Francis England, Gene Gardner, Ralph Grosvenor, John Fuller, Bill Fleming, Ed Gallagher.

Going home time—Carol Kirkpatrick, Myrna Burnstedt.



Girls play basketball too—Mary Savage, LaVonne Forsythe.





Juniors

1954

Row I—Carol Kirkpatrick, Betty Knierim, Margaret Knierim, Joyce Holteen, Patricia Heiden, Susan Haller, Patsy Hummel, Bette Hammen, Jody Haw, Sara Hightshoe, Alyce Holton.

Row II—JoAnne Kelley, Bette Johnson, Pat Kelsey, Eva Jean Kinney, Donna Hammond, Luella Hancock, Donna Jones, Lillian Johnson, Shirley Jones, Lois Kritzman.

Row III—Larry Harsch, Jewel Hancock, Joanne Johnson, Barbara Kunkel, Melo-Dee Johnston, Margaret Knox, Bill Kutcher, Robert Jones, Jerry Jensen, Gary Jones, Ivan Hartley.

Row IV—Ed Hoxsey, Dave Hampshire, Bob Hiatt, Glen Hall, Gary Humble, Donald Korell, Wendell Jones, Larry Johnson, Gene Irelan, Larry Kelsey, Philip Johnson.

Row I—Virginia McWilliams, Janis Meadows, Mary Lou Leonard, Joyce Luke, Pauline Maston, Shirley McKim, Arliss Martin, Caroline Mirgon, Virginia Lewis, Colleen McSparen, Esther Maring.

Row II—Joe Larson, Al Moffet, Jim McClellan, Nancy McElderry, Mary Maasdam, Barbara Mitchell, Carol Morris, Janice Magrane, Jean Mincks, Maureen McGlothlen.

Row III—Richard McFarland, Gary Merringer, Bob MacLearn, Bill Meeker, Bob McCauley, Glenn McCoy, Alan Loveless, Tom Lewis, LaVerne Long.

Row IV—Bob Mosher, Roger Collins, Larry Knox, Robert McMillin, Dave McMillin, Jim Lawson, Gene LaMaster, Ronald McElroy, Joe McQuerry, Robert McCoy.

Row I—Marylynn Orcutt, Joyce Oliver, Anita Ogier, Mary Ellen Overby, Dolores Mason, Wilma Mason, Norma Norris.

Row II—Russel Powders, Bill Pickrell, Eddie McEroy, George Podratz, Marsha Newell, Shirley Nelson, Shirley Nace, Wanda Nation.

Row III—John Moss, Danny Miller, Ronnie Napier, Wilbur Keeseey, Frank McCoy, Bernard McElroy.

Row IV—Bob McCall, Lloyd Phillips, David Lynch, Steve Overturf, Jerry Olson, Jerry Leeling, Richard Dickerson, Emil Baumgartner.

Library researchers—Marilee Richards, Nancy Terry



Between classes—Patty Arndt, Bill Kutcher.





Juniors

1954

Row I—Marion Ratliff, Shirley Roberts, Marilee Richards, Evelyn Pooler, Will Marie Porter, Joyce Pentzer, Jacquelyn Peel, JoAnn Parks, Kathie Quinn, Peggy Park.

Row II—Patricia Reinert, Barbara Rankin, Roberta Ransom, Vileta Rolison, Mildred Renfrew, Charlotte Porter, Joyce Rounceville, Janice Swaim, Joanne Stout.

Row III—Joyce Schooley, Barbara Randall, Jack Rolison, Tom Peden, Gene Phillips, Beatrice Parks, Evelyn Ritchey.

Row IV—Gerald Speer, Bill Siegrist, Dick Petermann, Don Poline, Frank Rollins, Bob Pappaducas, Walter Rusch.

Row I—Virginia Silcox, Mary Savage, Mary Anne Schmidt, Gloria Smith, Betty Snyder, Beverly Sells, Carolyn Shaw, Joan Schmiedel.

Row II—Connie J. Smith, Betty Smith, Jacquelyne Smith, Aldonna Simmons, Virginia Schwin, Barbara Stafford, Marlene Row, Beverly Sassaman.

Row III—Walter Sage, Kermit Sparks, DeVern Swope, Bill Shaffer, Leighton Smith, Darrell Staats, Clyde Swanker, Dave Steinmeyer.

Row IV—Robert Shoemaker, Dan Salmon, Dale Strong, R. J. Simpson, Eddie Stater, Jerry Strain, Thomas Thrasher.

Row I—Nancy Terry, Annette Tillotson, Carol Vivian, Joyce Tull, Marilyn Weeks, Kay Williamson, Ruth Wimmer, Carol Utt, Donna Welbourn.

Row II—Bud Ware, Gene Wilbanks, Polly Zesiger, Betty Ellen Taylor, Donna Teeter, Ina Munson, JoAnn Wingate, Marilyn Wells, Sue Williams.

Row III—Rodger Van Ness, Larry Wise, James Thompson, Ronald Wilson, Ralph Troutfetter, Jerry Zesiger, Bill Waddle, John Watt, David Terrell.

Row IV—Dick Teasdale, Larry Townsend, Bill Tee, David Treneman, Clifford Whennen, Fred Welch, Gary Van Cleave, Marvin Teeter, Tim White.

The best time of the day—Garry Naumann, John Fuller, Clyde Swanker, Fred Welch, Leighton Smith, David Trenneman.



Artists—Edna Baugh, Bruce Barton.





Admiring trophies of past successes Sylvia Bookin, Ronnie Garrison, Mary Sue Kritzman.

Stage hands Jack Krasowski, Jim Blomme, Jim Beamer.



Biology class Joyce Berry, John Gillstrap, Shirley Anderson.



Just chatting Marilyn Streeby, Roberta Archer, Jeanne Harper.

Sophomores



DENNIS FILLIMAN
President



RUTH ANDERSON
Vice President



SANDRA MURRAY
Secretary



FRANK WOOLIUMS
Treasurer

1955

MRS. KINSELLA, ADVISER



Last fall the class of 1955 silently entered O. H. S., but it wasn't that way very long. We entered into most of the extra-curricular activities with the enthusiasm and vigor of upperclassmen. We have given our all to everything into which we have ventured. We were all pioneers, discovering the wonderfulness of high school and exploring the fields of education.

Through the helpful guidance of our teachers we have climbed a third of the way up the ladder to our main goal, graduation. Our class advisor, Mrs. Kinsella, has been very helpful and a true friend to all those who have sought her help on any subject.

We of the Sophomore class have shown our true qualities in things we have undertaken from shining upperclassmen's shoes to taking an active part in extra-curricular activities. By entering into these activities, we have learned to know many more people than would have been possible in everyday school life.

Our student council representatives are an example of the high calibre of the Sophomore class this year.



Sophomores

1955

Row I—Janice Bainbridge, Shirley Armstrong, Roberta Archer, Shirley Anderson, Diana Bard, Marilyn Benson, Ruth Anderson, Ethelflorence Allen, Marilyn Bitner, Sue Anderson.

Row II—Jack Bosker, Betty Baird, Janet Bower, Norma Belger, Joyce Berry, Patricia Ballard, Marilyn Burton, Marilyn Busher, Margaret Beach.

Row III—Garry Brooks, Jack Arnold, Richard Brunk, Gary Burnstedt, John Butler, Larry Beggs, Richard Bailey, Bill Bell, Patricia Butler, Bonnie Bergmeier.

Row IV—Charles Barker, William Bloss, Don Barnes, Dave Bradbury, Jim Baker, Dale Bishop, Wayne Briggs, Jim Beamer, Barry Barnes.

Row I—Betty Cliburn, Joyce Crowder, Betty Curtis, Sue Copple, Jean Dodge, Connie Critchlow, Rochelle Collins, Louise Boyd, Beverly Collier, Janet Conder.

Row II—Donald Cloyd, Dick Benson, Jerry Clark, Ladora Colley, Janice Crowe, Pat Clawson, Pat Davis, Karen Caviness, Jo Anne Colville.

Row III—Wesley Canny, Wayne Cain, Byron Bower, Jim Blomme, Jack Covert, Al Barwick, Dave Chickering, Dick Barnes.

Row IV—Jim Davidson, Louie Bloomquist, Richard Collins, Bill Cunningham, Ronald Dueland, Deloy Davidsen, Alvin Chambers.

Row I—Sandra Dornsife, Nancy Eaton, Patricia Dalbey, Bui Nita Gay, Patty Davis, Elvona Grosvenor, Myrna Guiter, Cheryl Grooms, Patty Jo Erhardt, Joan Elsensohn.

Row II—Cornelia Eslinger, Merrily DeGrofft, Judy Ellenberger, Charlene Deal, Beverly Goudy, Barbara Drake, Marilyn Dorsey, Evelyn Dyer, Joyce Gates.

Row III—Carl Fisher, Jack Dooley, Don Deborn, Jerry DeFord, Harold Davis, Melvin Fiedler, Dick Fisher, Dick Davis, Jack Freed, Lavon Gee.

Row IV—Ronald Garrison, Ray Galpin, John Farrell, Gary Findlay, Allen Enloe, Dennis Filliman, Larry Gobble, Dick Fisk, Jim Foxx, John Gillstrap, Gene Gardner.

Time to go home—David Bradbury, Tom Mathews, George Zika.

Studying—Rosie Stevens, Bruce Stanford, Jerry Smith.





Sophomores

1955

Row I—Beverly Hollingsworth, Elizabeth Hein, Nancy Hollingsworth, Carol Hummel, Marsha Hawkinson, Charlotte Harness, Mary Dean Hardsocg, Mary Jo Harkins, Joyce Harry, Carol Hirst, Donna Hicks.

Row II—Judy Logan, Joy Larson, Janice Kunkel, Joan Jordan, Mary Sue Kritzman, Jerry Bea Jones, Joyce Hobbs, Betty Kunch, Barbara Hall.

Row III—Eddie Lerche, Bill Hall, Eugene Hite, Jimmy Henderson, Pat Lawrence, Alice Long, Lyn Lewis, Barbara Longdo, Neala Lawrence.

Row IV—Garry Lobdell, Tom Hart, Howard LaPoint, David Hunter, Ed Heckelthorn, Charles Hazelett, Steve Hermann, James Hokanson, John Last.

Row I—Mildred Houk, Arville Lee, Avis Landtiser, Edith Llewellyn, Beverly Kearns, Ruth Landen, Nancy Long, Barbara Lee, Letha Jaster, Nancy Lee.

Row II—Charles Morford, Richard Meier, Betty Jacks, Jane James, Alvena Kent, Leona Kinney, Beverly Manley, Freda Myers, Shirley Jaster, Laura Lee Johnson, Jackie Johnson.

Row III—Larry Minear, Lawrence Jacobs, Tom Matthew, Ronnie Hughes, Ken Mitterman, Lester Kershaw, Delmer King, Frank Kelsey, Davis Johnson, Jerry Moore, Harold Langgin, James Livingston.

Row IV—Ernest Johnson, Harold James, Eddie Morgan, Jim Kitterman, Jerry Miller, John Kepche, Larry Jones, John Jackson, Larry McLaughlin, Jack McLaughlin.

Row I—JoAnn Meredith, JoAnne Moore, Charlotte Osteen, Jolene McCall, JoAnn Mier, Shirley McElroy, Linda Murphy, Peggy MacGregor, Judy Mote, Jean McAllister, Peg McQuerry.

Row II—Shirley Owings, JoAnn O'Dell, Kathryn McGhee, Ruby Monohon, Ramona Newland, Naomi McCall, Barbara Melone, Mary Ann MacKenzie, Beverly Mulgrave, Dee Ann Morrow, Mary S. McCreery, Marjorie McKay.

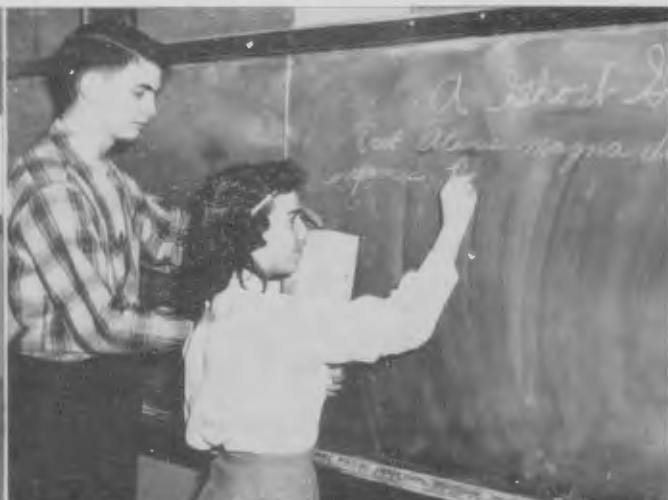
Row III—Wayne McClure, Doris McLaughlin, Nona Rae McGraw, Caroline Mullins, Marilyn McKim, Dixie Martz, Darlene Mitchell, Sandra Murray, Mary Jo Mill, Donna Murphy, Joyce McClure.

Row IV—Harold Middleton, Aubrey Nichols, Duaine Newburn, Bob Miller, Ronald Neal, Gary Orman, Paul Norris, Jim Orr, David Masters.

At the fountain—Ronnie Dueland, Gary Steeples, Bill Cunningham.



Working at Latin—Tom Hart, Shirley Armstrong.





Sophomores

1955

Row I—Shirley Smithhart, Patty Rusch, Lynn Roth, Cynthia Pedrick, Donna Swartz, Carol Paris, Sandra Peiffer, Jean Phillips, Jane Pugh, Margaret Pyle, Loretta Quick.

Row II—Joyce Rose, Beverly Shepard, Mary Ann Scully, Anna Lee Stahl, Geraldine Ratliff, Caroline Reaney, Charlotte Reeves, Rosemarie Patkin, Evelyn Palmer, Waunita Penrod, Donna Rowmines.

Row III—Windle Dean Riley, Donald Stewart, Jerry Raines, Everett Payne, Wayne Rysdan, Larry Roush, Marilyn Sullivan, Jean Snedigar, Shirley Ramsey, Clarice Roberts, Patricia Robertson.

Row IV—Bob Simpson, Jim Parker, Jerome Pregon, Dick Petrie, Jimmy Rowell, Robert Rohner, David Rose, Pat Richmond, Larry Roberts, Charles Runnells.

Row I—Janette Schlunz, Mabel Toopes, Mary Troxel, Rosie Stevens, Patty Shober, Alberta Simmons, Maurine Spain, Nan ylee Shullaw, Jean Sigler.

Row II—Frank Tutokey, Joanne Thompson, Frances Sheldon, Carol Snook, Sandra Sklavos, Marilyn Switzer, Geraldine Scott, Emelie Swaim, Julie Sanders, Kay Swope.

Row III—Bill Sample, Richard Scott, Robert Tipton, John Swafford, Carroll Stater, Don Smart, Jerry Smith, Gary Steepler, David Trotter.

Row IV—Henry Suechting, Bruce Stanford, Larry Stevens, Jim Springer, Dick Reed.

Row I—Marianne Work, Roberta Wood, Rosalie Wisecarver, Carol Walker, Berta Lou Winston, Margaret Watson, Janet Warnock, Rita Wheeler, Mary Yochum.

Row II—Darlene Ullman, Betty Ullrich, Paula Kay Warner, Julie von Schrader, Shirley Winpigler, Gretchen Vail, Marlene Yoder, Barbara Waller, Kay Wells.

Row III—Bud Veatch, Ted Wood, Frank Woollums, Ronald Weeks, David Wood, Richard Wilson, Darrell Wilson, Tom Ward, Barney Winger.

Row IV—Joe Walker, Phil Roe, Verle Weltch, Wayne Wagner, Milford Whittlesey, Jim Whipple, George Zika, Gary Zellers.

Shoe shine days—John Last, Don Deborn, Johnny Collins.



The lunch line—Judy Ellenberger, Mary Jo Mill, Mary Dean Hardsocg.



ACTIVITIES .





Leon Kridlebaugh	Heinz Schramm	Patsy Overturf
Jerry Zesiger	Ruth Anderson	Al Barwick
Suanne Batterson	Sally Chambers	Charlene Deal
Phil Ellenberger	Gene Gardner	Marsha Newell
Don Smart	Dick Teasdale	Rosemary Utterback
Paula K. Warner	Catherine Wilt	Mr. Dodds

Student Council

The Student Council consists of seventeen students selected to this honorable position by the members of their respective classes.

The Council each year endeavors to improve O. H. S. by its suggestions, rules, and activities. Again this year much has been accomplished through the excellent ideas placed in the suggestion box by the student body. The "Teen of the Week" has proved as popular in its second year as in its first, and is one of the highest honors that can come to any student of O. H. S. The reserve system has again been organized and maintained during this year.

The committees have been the Social Committee headed by Rosemary Utterback; the Publicity Committee, which publicized Council activities, headed by Phil Ellenberger, and the "Teen of the Week" Committee which with the faculty selected and posted the Teen of each week. The leader of this group was Patsy Overturf.

The officers who have served this fine organization during the past year are: Leon Kridlebaugh, president; Heinz Schramm, vice-president; Patsy Overturf, secretary; and Jerry Zesiger, treasurer.

Bette Hammen interviews Heinz Schramm, our German student



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Argus News



Row I—Joan Jordan, Neala Kay Lawrence, Darlene Ullman, Mary Ellen Downs, Loretta Quick, Patsy Overturf, Janette Schlunz, Melo-Dee Johnson, Betty Taylor, Sue Blackford. Row II—Nancy Shallow, Gwen Hyatt, Carol Stocker, Marilyn Bruch, Pauline Matson, Sandra Sklavos, Ruth Anderson, Joan O'Hara, Nancy Colton, Sara Hightshoe, Patty Arndt. Row III—Marianne Work, Jo Anne Moore, Susan McDermott, Marie Moore, Arliss Martin, Dolores Christy, Barbara Mitchell, Martha Blome, Jacqueline Coleman, Marilyn Weeks. Row IV—Miss Creswell, Jim Larrabee, Kenneth Pennington, Richard Anderson, Joe McQuerry, Bill Kutcher, Jack Arnold, Dan Efner, Paul Fuller, Rynard Gamache.

"Attention students! There will be a meeting of the . . . Club at three today. All members please be present."

Preparation of the Argus Daily has been an important function of the Argus News staff for years. This year Joan Tyler and Joan O'Hara have been the typists who have gathered up your announcements and bits of information and made them into a bulletin to be read to the student body by Mr. Van Antwerp during the advisory period each day. This important document "The Argus Daily" is simple in structure but it is the News Staff's way of helping all organizations to get their news to the students of O. H. S. It is part of our contribution toward making O. H. S. a school where students contribute their part in the operation of daily affairs.

MISS CRESWELL, Adviser





JOAN O'HARA
First Page Editor



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Second Page Editor



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Third Page Editor



RICHARD ANDERSON
Sports Editor



SUE BLACKFORD
Business Manager



Writing the news—Rynard Gamache, Neala Kay Lawrence, Mary Ellen Downs.



Another issue just out—Melo-Dee Johnston, Patty Arndt.

Extra! Extra! The news is out! And that means the monthly Argus News has again been published. Small groups of students gather around the reserve posts where the papers are distributed, eager to read current stories and views on extra-curricular activities.

On the second page of the edition one finds the "gossip" column, which is probably the most popular and first turned to item. The general school news is found on the first page and the club news on the third. News concerning boys' and girls' sports activities and accounts of the games are on the fourth page.

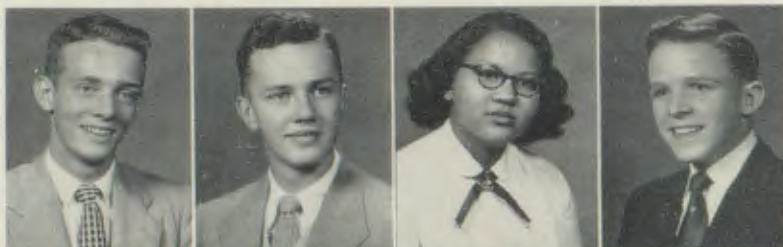
The news is compiled by a student staff and divided into the four sections with the help of the four editors. All of this is accomplished under the capable supervision of Miss Dorris Creswell.

Being selected to the staff is one of the honors that may come to an Ottumwa High student, for only a few of the many who try out are accepted. This position is valuable not only because of the honor it affords but also because of the helpful experience it gives all the staff members who are interested in journalism.

News items are arranged and typed by Argus members to be read over the loud speaker each day during the advisory period.

A news paper is an important part of the program of any high school and the Argus News certainly does its duty completely in delivering news of O. H. S.

Thespians



Phil Ellenberger, President
Kenneth Pennington, Vice-Pres.
Marie Moore, Secretary
Jim Grier, Business Manager



Nancy Johnson, Historian
Bill Kutcher, Stage Manager
Delores Mason, Wardrobe Mgr.
Nancy Moore, Student Director



David Saunders, Set Manager
Richard Anderson
Rosemary Bradbury
Virginia Clinker



Harold Connell
Dan Efner
Beverly Ginsberg
Sharon Grooms



Bette Hammen
Alyce Holton
Jim Larrabee
Susan McDermott



Marsha Newell
Joan O'Hara
Carolee Swanson
Marisu Zika



“The Little Minister”

A PLAY IN THREE ACTS

Dramatized by—Roland Fernand

From the story by James M. Barrie

Directed by Mrs. H. R. Green

THE CAST

Cavin Dishart (the Little Minister).....*Phil Ellenberger*
 Babbie (a gypsie girl).....*Nancy Johnson*
 Margaret Dishart (Gavin's mother).....*Joan O'Hara*
 Rob Dow (a wayward chap).....*Richard Anderson*
 Lord Rintaul (a wealthy landowner).....*Kenneth Pennington*
 Jean McFadden (the new servant girl).....*Bette Hammen*
 Mora McLaren (a neighbor woman).....*Nancy Moore*
 Doctor McQueen (the village physician)....*Jim Larrabee*
 Nanny Webster (on her way to the poor house)
*Marisu Zika*
 Effie (Rob Dow's daughter).....*Mary Lou Leonard*
 Sergeant Halliwell (an officer).....*David Sandersu*

Mob led by Harold Connell,
 Tom Hart and Jack Krasowsk

SYNOPSIS

Place—The parlor of the minister's house in
 Thurms, Scotland.

Time—Spring and Summer of 1860.

ACT I

Scene I—Early evening of a day in spring.

Scene II—Several weeks later, early afternoon.

ACT II

Scene I—The next afternoon.

Scene II—Two months later, late evening.

ACT III

Scene I—Several weeks later, afternoon.

Scene II—A few weeks after the preceding
 scene, evening.



DAVID LYNCH
President



JACQUILINE COLEMAN
Vice President



SUSAN McDERMOTT
Secretary



TOM HOULIHAN
Treasurer

Club

Dramatic Club officers with new club room—
mural in the background.



The Dramatic Club has a diversified program with a job for nearly every interest. The club is known for its numerous fine productions in the past which undoubtedly will continue.

A membership in this organization is easily attained by any interested person. All candidates are interviewed by a Thespian at the first of the year. A file card recording the phase most interesting to the candidate is made. His work is then channeled in that direction. After the initial acceptance the candidate becomes a "plebe" and enters the active list if and when he earns five points before the first semester. To remain active a member must continue at this rate throughout his high school career.

Under the direction of Mrs. Green the actors and the crews have attained the high degree of teamwork that leads toward perfection shown in the final production. Traditionally, the actor holds the limelight, but the fellow behind the scene deserves credit for making the job of the actor much easier and better.

In retrospect we of the dramatic club feel that we can look backward with satisfaction and can look forward with eager anticipation for the bigger and better plays to come.

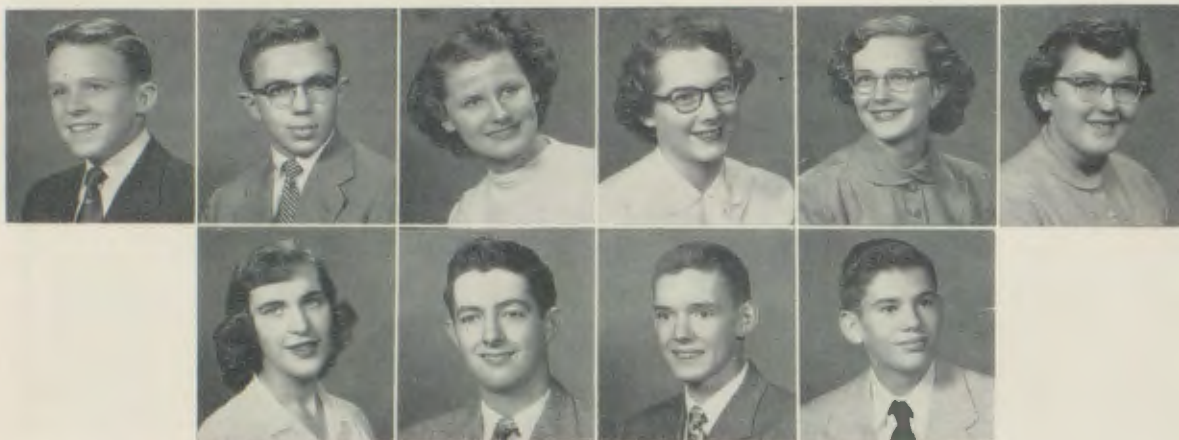


Row I—Susan Haller, Cheryl Grooms, Mary Dean Hardsocg, Marsha Hawkinson, Jeanne Harper, Judy Ellenberger, Barbara Brunk, Sue Blackford, Jody Haw, Nancy Colton, Lois Kritzman, Linda Broadfield, Patty Jo Erhardt. Row II—Barbara Bland, Shirley Bowers, Karen Caviness, Carol Kirkpatrick, Mary Dickey, Margaret Beach, Carol Hummel, Mary Sue Kritzman, Sylvia Bookin, Diana Bard, Nancy Eaton, Bui Nita Gay, Roberta Archer, Marilyn Bruck. Row III—Melvin Johnson, Myrna Burnstedt, Nancy Day, Carol Hirst, Shirley Anderson, Jerry Bea Jones, Ruth Anderson, Joan Jordan, Nora Lee Bilterman, Shirley Armstrong, Joan Elsensohn. Row IV—Jack Krasowski, Wayne Briggs, Jack Daugherty, Jim Beamer, Jim Blomme, Ted Conder, Deloy Davidson, Tom Hart, Wendell Jones, Gary Jones.



Row I—Virginia Silcox, Joyce Rounceville, Mary Anne Schmidt, Janice Secor, Diane Hughes, Judy Logan, Neala Lawrence, Patricia Stansberry, Linda Murphy, Lynn Roth, Julie von Schrader, Peggy MacGregor, Berta Lou Winston, Mary Lou Leonard, Lyn Lewis, Kathie Quinn. Row II—Julia Swanson, Beverly Sassaman, Marilee Richards, Harriete Brody, Sally Smith, Barbara Freeman, Joy Larson, Rita Wheeler, Carole Stocker, Jo Anne Moore, Shirley Winpiger, Sandra Sklavos, Dee Ann Morrow, Mary Lou Torrence, Janette Schlunz. Row III—Jo Ann Wingate, Virginia McWilliams, Ida Lou Whipple, Janis Winger, Barbara Mitchell, Carol Morris, Carroll Overturf, Thomas Ward, Marilyn Weeks, Kay Williamson, Mary Maasdam, Ruth Wimmer, Joyce McClure, Donna Murphy, Mary Jo Mill, Naomi McCall. Row IV—Evelyn Ritchey, Barney Winger, Jim Larrabee, Fred Welch, Jerry Raines, Larry Stansberry, Jack McLaughlin, Alan Lewis, Wayne Wagner, Milford Whittlesey, Barbara Lee, Sandra Murray, Barbara Melone, George Zika, Jim Orr.

Speech Club



JIM GRIER, President
 NORMAN SIGEL, Vice President
 BETTY JOHNSON, Secretary
 JODY HAW, Treasurer
 NANCY TERRY, Librarian
 DAN EFNER, Publicity Manager
 SHIRLEY PENROD, Clerk
 JOANNE BEGGS, Program Chairman
 DICK LEE, Business Manager
 TOM HOULIHAN, Business Manager

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SEATED—B. Winston, R. Brickey, B. Simpson, N. Sigel, J. Grier, S. Cliff, T. Houlihan, T. Ward. ROW I, STANDING—E. Swaim, J. Bookin, J. Harry, B. Johnson, J. Beggs, N. Terry, M. Zika. ROW II—D. Lee, D. Johnson, P. Johnson, C. Willaims, M. Bookin, D. Efner.



Row I—Barbara Brunk, Sally Chambers, Suanne Batterson, Willie Harness, Sara Hightshoe, Ruth Anderson, Ethelflorence Allen, Joanne Beggs, Joan Elsensohn, Jody Haw. Row II—Barry Barnes, Hattie Brody, Martha Blome, Nancy Colton, Janet Chaplin, Cheryl Grooms, Joyce Harry, Barbara Chidester, Marilyn Avery, Joyce Goldsboro. Row III—Wendell Jones, Allen Kough, Tom Houlihan, Merrily DeGrofft, Shirley Bowers, Nora Lee Biltermann, Donna Hicks, Elizabeth Condon, Susan Dornsife, Jerry Bookin, Tom Henderson. Row IV—Bob Arnold, Chuch Gustaveson, Dan Efner, Wayne Briggs, Ronald Brickley, Jim Grier, Philip Johnson, David Johnson.



Row I—Gini Silcox, Janice Secor, Virginia McWilliams, Bette Johnson, Patsy Overturf, Ruth Wimmer, Patricia Stansberry, Berta Lou Winston, Nancylee Shullaw, Shirley Penrod, Mary Sue Zika. Row II—Meredith R. Moyers, Jeanette Orman, Marilee Richards, Joan O'Hara, Lynn Roth, Mary Sue Kritzman, Sandra Sklavos, Elinor Jones, Emelie Swaim, Mary Sue McCreery, Shirley Winpiger. Row III—Charles Tipton, Bob Simpson, George Mullen, Norman Sigel, Mary Ann Schmidt, Margaret Knox, Sally Smith, Carol Walker, David Trotter, Alan Lewis. Row IV—Wayne Rooker, Milford Whittlesey, Tom Ward, George Zika, Jerry Raines, Carol Overturf, Richard Lee.

Radio Club



Row I—D. Efner, V. Silcox, C. Gustaveson, J. Haw, W. Jones. Row II—M. McCreery, C. Grooms, J. Harry, R. Wimmer, N. Colton, L. Roth. Row III—S. Winpegler, E. Ritchey, E. Swaim, C. Walker, J. Chaplin, B. Sklavos.

MISS MOYERS, Adviser



One of the newest organizations of our high school is the Radio Club. It renders an outstanding service and is an important part of the speech department.

The aim of this group is to acquaint the public with the work done in the class rooms as well as with the extra curricular activities. This is done by producing the Saturday morning radio program, "O. H. S. On Parade." This program is arranged entirely by the students under the direction of the program manager, Dan Efner. Working under him are the school news manager, Jody Haw; special feature manager, Virginia Silcox; sports manager, Chuck Gustaveson and music manager, Wendell Jones.

We congratulate the Radio Club on the excellent programs they have presented this year.



"The Hasty Heart"

THE CAST

John Patrick.....	<i>Philip Johnson</i>
Orderly.....	<i>David Johnson</i>
Yank.....	<i>Jim Grier</i>
Digger.....	<i>Alan Lewis</i>
Kiwi.....	<i>Dick Lee</i>
Blossom.....	<i>Bob Arnold</i>
Tommy.....	<i>Tom Houilhan</i>
Margaret.....	<i>Patsy Overturf</i>
Colonel.....	<i>Dan Efner</i>
Lachlen.....	<i>Ronald Brickey</i>

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

ACT I—Early Morning

ACT II

Scene I—Two weeks later.

Scene II—A few nights later

ACT III

Scene I—The next day

Scene II—The following morning

"THE HASTY HEART"

written on shipboard

"The Hasty Heart" was written on shipboard by John Patrick when he was returning from serving in China-Burma-India theatre of war in World War II. Its locale was British General Hospital behind the Assam-Burma front. It is not a war play, but rather the author uses a hospital as a meeting place for G. I.'s of various nationalities to tell his story of friendship and brotherhood between men of different beliefs and countries. To make the play more timely we have changed the setting to Taegu in Korea. The time has been changed from 1944 to 1951.

Student Assembly



TOP LEFT—Alberta Simmons, Ramona Newland.

BOTTOM LEFT—Joyce Goldsboro, Rochelle Collins.

TOP RIGHT—Arlie Jean Tharp, John Fuller.

BOTTOM RIGHT—Jean Canny, Arlie Jean Tharp,
Marilyn Avery, John Fuller.



Row I—V. Silcox, N. Moore, M. Avery, J. Goldsboro, A. Tharp, D. Berry, B. Freeman. Row II—S. Rose, A. Kough, W. Jones, L. Stansberry, G. Banks, M. Orcutt. Row III—J. Fuller, D. Davidsen, T. Hart, D. Saunders, R. Anderson, J. Canny.



MIXED QUARTETTE

J. Collins
N. Moore
M. Longdo,
D. Saunders
Accompanist—
N. Johnson



BOYS' QUARTETTE

R. Dueland
M. Johnson
G. Banks
T. Hart
Accompanist—
M. Avery

State Chorus

Nearly one thousand students from all of Iowa journeyed to Des Moines in November to participate in the State Music Festival. The chorus members are selected in quartettes from preliminary try-outs. These pupils spent two days practicing for the concert, which they presented in the K.R.N.T. theater building.

The chorus was directed by Dr. Max Krone, Dean of Music at the University of Southern California. Dr. Krone was not only an able and talented director, but an inspirational one as well. He and his wife had arranged three of the selections which were presented in the program.



Row I—J. Schlunz, C. Utt, M. Longdo, P. Overturf, B. Merringer, M. Bruch, M. Schmidt, S. Smith, M. Johnston, J. Goldsboro, S. Rose, P. Stansberry, J. Meadows, V. Silcox, J. Secor, M. Orcutt, J. Oliver, B. Freeman. Row II—A. Holton, P. Warner, S. Haller, M. Hawkinson, V. Schwin, B. Smith, C. Kirkpatrick, J. Smith, S. Grooms, G. Brody, B. Parsons, A. Tharp, E. Jones, R. Gimonco, W. Harness. Row III—J. Lewis, J. Darr, B. Simpson, D. Smart, B. Fry, J. Fuller, W. Jones, T. Matthews, R. Garrion, D. Terrell, G. Banks, B. Taylor, R. Dixon, S. Lewis,

A-Mixed Chorus

"A" Mixed-Chorus is composed of ninety-three members. These students are chosen for their excellent tone quality, correct pitch, and the ability to read parts accurately.

From this large chorus are chosen several small vocal groups. Those groups are a girls' trio, a mixed quartette, a boys' quartette, a girls' sextette, and a small madrigal group, which contains nine members.

Both A Mixed-Chorus and the small vocal groups have furnished many enjoyable programs for both school and civic affairs throughout the past year.

Since most of the practicing of the small groups is done outside of school, other students seldom realize the time and effort which is spent to provide worthwhile entertainment.

We sincerely appreciate the helpful and competent leadership of our director, Miss Aas.

GIRLS' SEXTETTE

Melo-Dee Johnston, Marilyn Orcutt, Marsha Hawkinson, Arlie Jean Tharp, Marilyn Avery, Virginia Silcox.





M. Burnstedt, C. Stocker, N. Moore, N. Johnson, Miss Aas. Row IV—C. Walker, M. Wells, D. Lynch, D. Hendricks, M. Whittlesy, R. Brickey, J. Raines, B. Hinson, T. Hart, B. Stanford, J. Canny, D. Saunders, R. Anderson. J. Whipple, D. Gruwell, J. Freed, D. Berry, K. Williamson, N. Long. Row V—N. Bilterman, J. Orr, A. Kough, W. Lewis, L. Townsend, D. Davidsen, D. Poline, J. Daugherty, R. Dueland, L. Long, J. Davidson, D. Miller, B. Newburn, P. Jones, C. McCune, J. Harry.

GIRLS' TRIO

Donna Berry, Joyce Goldsboro, Patsy Overturf.
Accompanist—Sharon Grooms



DOUBLE QUARTETTE

Virginia Silcox, Elinor Jones, Susan Haller,
Barbara Freeman.
Ronald Brickey, Deloy Davidsen,
Richard Anderson, David Saunders





Row I—Jerry Ullman, Nancy Torrence, Susan Haller, Mary Sue Kritzman, Don Belford. Row II—Leighton Smith, Shirley Bowers, Mary Dickey, Larry Stansberry, Pat Clawson, Richard Rector, Jim Hokanson, Beatrice Parks, Jacqueline Smith. Row III—Ronald Garrison, Bill Kutcher, Margaret Beach, Joanne Moore, Orpha Gallup, Vileta Rolison, Eva Jean Kinney, Fred Welch, Bob MacLearn, Bob Fry, Jerry Raines, Gerry Cline, Harold Connell. Row IV—Mark Cropp, Beverly Sassaman, Carol Kirkpatrick, Ed Lerche, Pat Davis, Donna Welbourne, Craig Eaton, Dave Terrell, Ed Stocker, Bill Fleming, Dick Meier.

Band

"Here comes the band." The crowd is all attention to see the sixty piece O. H. S. marching band execute a precision drill. Behind that drill are long hours of home practice and early morning drill sessions.

When the marching season ends, our eighty piece band strives to become a polished concert band worthy of playing for the spring concert and festivals.

During the school year, band members have the satisfaction of playing at football and basketball games, participating in marching contests and presenting the "Stars and Stripes." Added to this satisfaction, there are close friends made and band letters earned.

Under the expert leadership of Mr. Logan Zahn we have an excellent band which is always improving.

THE FRENCH HORN SECTION

Beatrice Parks, Jacqueline Smith, Joan Wingate, Gordon Banks.





Row I—Mary Overby, Sue Williams, Sue Anderson, Connie Critchlow, Myrna Burnstedt. Row II—Joan Wingate, Gordon Banks, Dan Efner, Jack McLaughlin, Carol Walker, Janice Kunkel, Barbara Bandall, Joyce Harry, Harold James. Row III—Harold Langgin, Betty Jacks, Jack Arnold, Jerry Clark, Dick Strunk, Wendell Jones, Wayne Wagner, Barbara Kunkle, John Kepecke, Charlotte Harness, Delores Mason. Row IV—Paul Morris, Jack Darr, Ronnie Brickey, Melvin Johnson, Tom Hart, Mr. Zahn, Evelyn Ritchey, David Johnson, Joyce Rounceville, Deloy Davidsen, Carol Ann Winder, Jerry Critchlow, Bob Wise.

Don Bedford, Jack Darr, Fred Welch, Dick Strunk, Ronnie Brickey, Shirley Bowers, Bob Wise, Ed Stocker, La Vonne Benson, Jerry Ullman.





Row I—Charlotte Diehn, Lois Ann Kritzman, Marie Moore, Delos Faulhaber. Row II—Carol Morris, Mary Ellen Downs, Susan Dornsife, Margaret Knierim, Wanda Stice, Myrna Burnstedt, Connie Critchlow. Row III—Marilyn Warren, Esther Zagres, Betty Knierim, Carolyn Pherigo, Jane James, Nancy Debooy, Jerry Ullman, Nancy Torrence, Mary Sue Kritzman, Mary Overby. Row IV—Joan Thompson, Mary Jo Logan, Berta Lou Winston, Paul Rozeboom, Ramona Newland, Sherry Downing, Joanne Leonard, Dave Terrell, Ed Stocker, Bob Johnson, Ronnie Brickey.

Orchestra

The fifty-six piece orchestra this year is the largest and best since it was organized as an all-city group several years ago. It is composed of advanced musicians from all schools in the city. The aim of every young musician is to become a member of the group.

Each Tuesday evening finds the orchestra diligently practicing under the able direction of Mr. Logan Zahn. Many hours are also spent in home practice to perfect the music.

This well balanced group is an important part of O. H. S. activities and presents many excellent performances at Open House, Dramatic Club productions and Baccalaureate and Commencement. Also this group participates in the State Music Contest as a whole and as individuals and ensembles.

THE DRUM SECTION

Evelyn Ritchey, David Terrell, Ed Stocker.





Row I—Suzan Haller, Dick Covert, Beverly Ginsberg, Nancy Day. Row II—Sue Williams, Carol Walker, Lorraine Smith, Bill Cunningham, Karlene Collins, Yvonne Carey, Charles Tipton. Row III—Beatrice Parks, Joan Wingate, Jacqueline Smith, Gordon Banks, Jerry Raines, Gerry Cline, Fred Welch, Connie Corbett, Marilyn Busher. Row IV—Beverly Sassaman, Mary Dickey, Mr. Zahn, Evelyn Ritchey, Joyce Rounceville, Deloy Davidsen, Carol Ann Winder, Marilyn Vanderbilt, Victor Cox.

Charlotte Deihn, Lois Kritzman, Susan Haller, Nancy Day.

Charlotte Deihn, Lois Kritzman, Carol Morris, Berta Lou Winston, Esther Zagres, Marilyn Warren, Joanne Thompson, Mary Ellen Downs.



Art Club



Row I—Annette Tillotson, Beverly Stark, Rochelle Collins, Donna Eyre, Helen Conder, Peggy McQuerry. Row II—Beverly Sassaman, Mary Maasdam, Edna Baugh, Miss Eighme, Carol Vivian. Row III—Don Murrell, Bruce Barton, Pete Cornell, Shirley Rhoda, Doris Williams, JoAnn Kelley, LaVerne Long.

Iota Alpha Gamma



Row I—Pete Cornell, Helen Conder, Donna Eyre, Shirley Rhoda, Bruce Barton. Row II—Miss Eighme, Edna Baugh, Doris Williams, Annette Tillotson.

Science Club



Row I—M. Clement, J. Rounceville, J. Kepcke, B. Bipes.
Row II—J. McLaughlin, J. Fuller, D. Steinmeyer, Mr. Fields.
Row III—R. Dueland, B. Barnes, W. Briggs.

Under the able supervision of Mr. Fields, students interested in learning about science through their own scientific work and observation in the field of science work together in the Science Club with Joyce Rounceville as president, their only officer. During the school year each member works on one or more scientific projects in his chosen field of endeavor.

Programs this year included visits to places where science is in use, showing movies on scientific subjects, and discussions on science topics and the students own projects.

The aim of the club is to help the students interested in science, and to promote an intense desire to enter some scientific vocation.

Club Officers—John Kepcke and Joyce Rounceville.



Spanish Club



Row I—J. Tyler, D. Hughes, W. Harnes, E. Maring, P. Hummel, J. Meadows. Row II—J. Peel, M. Orcutt, D. Glenn, N. Anderson, S. Nelson, M. Newell, B. Sassaman. Row III—J. Winger, C. Smith, N. Bilterman, B. Wise, C. Murrell, G. Buchholz. Row IV—L. Stansberry, D. Efner, D. Belford, Mr. Hamley.

Club Officers—Joan Tyler, Janice Winger, Diane Hughes and Bob Wise.



A new feature of the Spanish Club, that has never been tried before, has been to invite into membership students who are not taking Spanish, but are planning to take it later either in high school or college. The idea behind this move is to spread interest in a foreign language and an especial interest in our American neighbors. Everyone is interested in such a fascinating country as Mexico, or any of the Spanish American countries. Who will be more interested than the student who will perhaps visit this famed land of flowers, señoritas, music, and colorful costumes? The officers this year were: president, Joan Tyler; vice-president, Janis Winger; secretary-treasurer, Diane Hughes; and program chairman, Bob Wise.

French Club



Row I—S. Williams, N. Torrence, N. Colton, M. Moore, L. Kritzman, C. Diehn, J. O'Hara, S. Hightshoe. Row II—E. Jones, G. Brody, N. Johnson, M. Dickey, B. Johnson, H. Brody, R. Gamauche, P. Fuller, J. Haw, C. Morris, N. McElderry, M. Richards, V. McWilliams.

Club Officers—Jody Haw, Sarah Hightshoe, Marie Moore and Joan O'Hara.

Open to all students who study French in Ottumwa High School is "Le Cercle Francois," a social organization sponsored by Miss Fast.

In regular meetings and in social affairs it is the aim of this organization to give its members a better knowledge of France, French people and customs, and the French language. Once each month the meetings of the club are held in the club room at the high school. Each member, at the end of the year, will at least be able to order ham and eggs "jambon avec des oenfs" and to read the street signs when he next goes to Paris.

This years officers were Joan O'Hara, president; Marie Moore, vice-president; Sara Hightshoe, secretaire; Jody Haw, freasier.



Latin Club



Row I—Patty Jo Erhardt, Roberta Archer, Carol Hummel, Cheryl Grooms, Mary Dean Hardsocg, Wilma Glassburner, Mary Jo Harkins, Neala Lawrence, Sylvia Bookin, Mary Sue Kritzman. Row II—Joy Larson, Jeanne Harper, Ruth Anderson, Sue Anderson, Joan Jordan, Shirley Armstrong, Margaret Beach, Jane James, Joyce Harry, Nancy Eaton. Row III—Donna Brewer, Avelyn Kinkade, Myrna Burnstedt, Marsha Hawkinson, Judy Ellenberger, Joan Elsensohn, Janice Kunkel, Ruth Landen, Donna Hicks. Row IV—Jerry Leeling, Tom Hart, David Lynch, Jack Arnold, Wayne Briggs, Ronald Dulland.

Row I—Nancylee Shullaw, Marilyn Switzer, Cynthia Pedrick, Berta Lou Winston, Darlene Ullman, Marianne Work, Loretta Quick. Row II—Joyce McClure, Carol Walker, Shirley Winpiger, JoAnne Moore, Mary Savage, Mary Jo Mill, Kathryn Miller. Row III—Peggy MacGregor, Julie von Schrader, Lynn Roth, Linda Murphy, Sandra Sklavos, Joanne Thompspon, Emelie Swaim. Row IV—Roger Van Ness, Barney Winger, Thomas Ward, Robert Rohner, Milford Whittlesey.



Y-Teens



Row I—Bonnie Bergmeier, Shirley Jaster, Jean McAllister, Ruth Blumer, Margaret Knierim, Marilyn Avery, Joyce Goldsboro, Connie Critchlow. Row II—Pat Clawson, Pat Davis, Janet Bates, Joyce Luke, Donna Jones, Lillian Johnson, Helen Jamison, Marjorie McKay. Row III—Myra Chapman, Helen Fleming, Joanne Anderson, Patricia Ballard, Marilyn Busher, Marilyn Burton, Shirley Morrow, Pat Aubrey.

Row I—Rosie Stevens, Maurine Spain, Roberta Wood, Jane Pugh, Mildred Renfrew, JoAnn West, Marilyn Dorsey, Marilyn Sullivan. Row II—Patty Shober, Shirley Roberts, Caroline Reaney, Carol Slye, Donna Rowmines, Shirley Smithart, Charlotte Porter, Donna Welbourn, Margaret Pyle. Row III—Connie Smith, Betty Ullrich, Evelyn Palmer, Waunita Penrod, Barbara Randall, Geraldine Ratliff, Barbara Stafford, Marion Ratliff, Rita Klodt.



Commercial Club



Row I—Mildred Renfrew, Alice Mitchell, Marlene Manley, Shirley Rose, Audrey Breon, Bonnie Newburn, JoAnn Phillips, Judy Mote. Row II—Mary Lou Torrence, Janice Hart, Marilyn Warren, Geraldine Ratliff, Bonnie Bergmeier, Rae Jones, Jeanette Orman, Georgia Jones. Row III—Betty Parsons, Patty Rusch, Delta Glenn, Norma Anderson, Marilyn Glenn, JoAnn West, Shirley Morrow, Donna Teeter. Row IV—Marilyn Wells, Pauline Matson, Wilma Mason, Ida Lou Whipple, Marcia Zellers, Marion Ratliff, Mrs. Wilson, Ione Boyd, Beverly Merringer.

The aim of the Commercial Club is to create a better understanding between the high school business department and the business men of Ottumwa. Any student is eligible for membership who is taking two or more commercial subjects.

At the club meetings which are held every three weeks, everyday business problems may be thoroughly discussed. However, the club is not all work. Many social events are enjoyed by its members.

Under the capable direction of Mrs. Wilson the Commercial Club was an outstanding success this year. Officers presiding for this year were: president, Marlene Manley; vice-president, Joann West; secretary, Ida Whipple; treasurer, Marilyn Glenn; reporter, Bonnie Newburn.

Club Officers—Bonnie Newburn, Joann West, Ida Lou Whipple, Marlene Manley, Marilyn Glenn.



Writers' Club



Row I—Doris Williams, Miss Jameson, Berta Lou Winston, Esther Maring.
Row II—Marie Moore, Heinz Schramm, JoAnne Moore.

Club Officers—Marie Moore and Heinz Schramm.



The Writers' Club is organized for the purpose of giving students especially interested in creative writing a chance to share their interests. We write for fun but we sometimes enter our writings in state or national contests. In the past many members of Writers' Club have won honors through these contests. Our adviser, Miss Jameson, is our capable leader in helping us to develop skill in writing. Our club has been made more interesting this year by having Heinz Schramm from Germany as a member. We feel that we have been able to get a better understanding of international relationships by having him in our school and club.

F. J. A. Club



Row I—Jacqueline Coleman, Carol Walker, Joyce Harry, Mary Ann Work, Joan Elsensohn, Gwen Hyatt, Carolee Swanson. Row II—Rosemary Bradbury, Shirley Penrod, Shirley Anderson, Joan O'Hara, LaVonne Benson, Shirley Bowers, Carol Stocker. Row III—Virginia Schwin, Joan Thompson, Mary Jo Hoff, Yvonne Carey, Marisu Zika, Nora Lee Bilterman, Delores Mason.

The Future Teachers of America are trying to promote high school students' interest in the teaching profession and also trying to broaden their knowledge of this field for a career.

Having their regular meetings on the first Tuesday of the month, this club is both educational and social. For the social part they entertained Ottumwa Heights students and went to the state convention at Davenport. They also had a formal dinner in May.

The officers of F. T. A. are: president, Nora Lee Bilterman; vice-president, Yvonne Carey; secretary-treasurer, Charles Williams.

Under the direction of Miss White, this group has learned much that will be beneficial to them, not only now as they approach their profession but also after they graduate.

Club Officers—Nora Lee Bilterman, Yvonne Carey, Charles Williams, Delores Mason.



Librarians' Club



Row I—J. Jordan, D. Ullman, C. Hummel, C. Grooms, M. Workman, J. Carr. Row II—S. Winpegler, D. Williams, N. Haworth, R. Orman, J. Johnson, W. Glassburner. Row III—M. Zellers, C. Swanson, C. Harper, M. Johnson, P. Hummel, B. Klontz. Row IV—T. Bissell, W. Briggs, D. Treneman, M. Bookin, J. Whipple, G. Steeples.

Club Officers—Wilma Glasburner, Ruth Orman, Neil McClellan, Charles Williams, Marvin Bookin.



One of the greatest assets of O. H. S. is the efficient and complete library. It is maintained by the members of the Librarians' Club, which this year consists of approximately thirty members. Their aim is to help the faculty and students in finding books for reference and leisure reading.

Each Librarian devotes one period a day to the library. During this period he checks books in and out of the library, takes care of library slips, types, files, and assists our very capable school librarian, Miss Gallanar.

The officers of the club during the past year have been Charles Williams, president; Ruth Orman, vice-president, and Blanche Klontz, secretary-treasurer.

Ushers' Club



Row I—Mildred Renfrew, Wilmarie Porter, Sarah Eaton, Shirley Ramsey. Row II—Janice Hart, Patty Carnes, Helen Swope, Bonnie Bergmeier, Janice Bainbridge.

Ushers Club is one of the most useful organizations at O. H. S. It is composed of conscientious students who spend much of their time making O. H. S. functions more enjoyable to the public by providing them with programs and directing them to their proper seats.

A big hurdle was crossed this year by the ushers during basketball season. It was the first year that the Evans Junior High School gymnasium was in use and since it has a seating capacity of more than 3500 on two floors, the ushers did a commendable job in seating the crowds.

Much of the credit for the success of this club is due to Mr. Tiede, the sponsor, and to Ila Jacks, the head usher.

The Ushers are the hostesses at programs:—Patty Carnes, Ila Jacks.



Projectionists' Club



Row I—B. Manley, J. Bosker, L. Gee, M. Leonard, S. Bowers, G. Banks, L. Smith, B. Bowen. Row II—C. Paris, B. Winger, N. Torrence, B. Bland, J. Winger, J. Fuller, J. McLaughlin, H. Suechting. Row III—Mr. Tallman, B. MacLearn, K. Gladson, J. Fox, J. Gray, J. Bainbridge, J. Andrews.

Club Officers—Gordon Banks, Joe Gray, Jim Andrews and Janis Winger.



The Projectionists' Club has been very busy this year. Approximately two hundred and fifty films were run besides the numerous slides and film strips. It is the duty of the members, not only to operate the machines, but to maintain them, set up the film strip machines and opaque projector.

This year there were twenty-seven members of the club in the special advisory group, and about eight in other groups. Many classes had members scheduled in them so that very few needed to be excused from other classes.

We wish to thank Mr. Tallman for his excellent assistance this past year. Officers for the year were: president, Gordon Banks; vice-president, Joe Gray; secretary, Janis Winger; and chief projectionist, Jim Andrew.

Pep Club



Row I—C. Brooks, S. Ramsey, J. Bainbridge, K. Miller, J. Haw, L. Forsythe. Row II—B. Baird, C. Morris, J. Logan, R. Wimmer, K. Williamson, M. Maasdam, J. Larson, M. Newell. Row III—J. Ellenberger, S. Armstrong, P. Warner, J. Jones, J. McClure, D. Murphy, C. Deal, S. Anderson, L. Roth. Row IV—Mrs. Kinsells, J. Tyler, J. Crow, M. Yoder, J. Wingate, B. Mitchell, J. Berry.

Club Officers—Mary Maasdam, Kay Williamson, Joan Tyler and Marsha Newell.



A newly organized group this year is the Pep Club. Their chief purpose is to help promote school spirit especially in assemblies and games, and to assist the cheerleaders.

The chief money making project of Pep Club have been selling at games, selling pom-poms, and sponsoring the High School Carnival. The proceeds helped them finance their way to a State Basketball Tournament game.

They hold their meetings the first and third Monday of the month. The executive committee which consists of the elected officers and one appointed member of each class, meets the second and fourth Monday.

The officers of Pep Club are: president, Kay Williamson; vice-president, Mary Maasdam; secretary, Marsha Newell; treasurer, Joan Tyler. Mrs. Kinsella is their helpful adviser.

Reserves



Row I—Suanne Batterson, Virginia Eyre, Jean Dodge, Audrey Breon, Beverly Boyer, Mary Dean Hardsocg, Ruth Anderson, Nancy Colton, Janet Conder, Jody Haw, Donna Eyre. Row II—Eugene Hite, Jack Bosker, David Johnson, Dolores Christy, Pat Aubrey, Patricia Dalbey, Barbara Chidester, Sylvia Bookin, Norma Anderson, Donna Hicks. Row III—Bruce Barton, Gary Jones, Chuck Gustaveson, Warren Eckroat, Tom Houlihan, Jerry Bea Jones, Beverly Goudy, Sandra Dornsife, Nancy Hollingsworth. Row IV—Eddie Anderson, Bob Batterson, Freddy Buske, Larry Cole, Jim Baker, Larry Harsch, Gene Ireland, Jim Christy, Ivan Hartley.



Row I—Shirley Nelson, Dee Ann Morrow, Jean Phillips, Ruby Monohon, Janet Warnock, Mary Ann MacKenzie, Judy Mote, Joyce Schooley, Shirley McKim, Caroline Mirgon. Row II—Pat Kelsey, Ida Lou Whipple, Pat Lawrence, Roberta Wood, Evelyn Palmer, Carol Snook, Shirley Owings, Rosie Stevens, Patty Shober, Nancy McElderry. Row III—Bernard Krieger, James Thompson, Dave McMillin, Dick Bachman, R. J. Simpson, Alan Loveless, Larry Dorsey, Bob Pappaducas, Charlie Roberts. Row IV—Jim Foxx, Wayne McClure, Gary Orman, Jim Beamer, Rodger Van Ness, Jerry Olson, Dennis Filliman, John Gillstrap, Dick Fisk.



Ruth Orman and Miss Jamison won an airplane trip to the Democratic National Convention.

David and John, photographers

Chuck, Alan and Bob just relaxing.

A basketball game is on.

Dave, Don and Ted at dinner.

Sidelight of State Chorus—Wendell Jones, Alan Kough, Gordon Banks.

ATHLETICS

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Coaches



HARVEY WARE



FRED MAASDAM



DON NEWELL



E. W. TIEDE



HARVEY "GABBY" WARE—Head football coach and assistant basketball coach are the duties of a former O. H. S. athletic, Harvey "Gabby" Ware. Taking over the job of head football coach this year his gridders turned in a creditable record. Their success was achieved by his competent and untiring leadership.

FRED MAASDAM—Since becoming head basketball coach in 1947, Fred Maasdam has repeatedly turned out a power in Iowa basketball. In 1949 he led a Bulldog team to the state championship and this year his team gained runnerup honors in the state. His team this year also received top honors in the rugged Little Six Conference.

DON NEWELL—Taking over as athletic director at O. H. S. this past year was likeable Don Newell. Don has showed his ability in the coaching field by turning out top football and track teams. Even though he is head man of athletics at O. H. S. he is still the very capable mentor of track Bullpups.

MR. TIEDE—The man behind the scenes of the athletic department at O. H. S. is its business manager, Mr. Tiede. Serving in this capacity since 1935, he takes care of arranging for meals and travel accommodations for the teams. Thus we can see that his efforts help further the success of our teams.

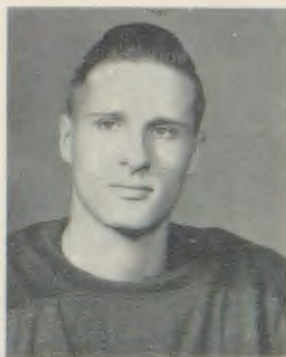
Football Squad



Row I—J. Daugherty, F. Woollums, G. Gott, C. Gustaveson, D. Roberts, Gene LaMaster, L. Johnson, P. Kitterman, D. Tisdale, D. Handley. Row II—Coach Ware, D. Chickering, D. Poline, J. Collins, J. Culbertson, B. Simpson, E. Stater, J. Zesiger, W. Waddle, D. Strong, D. Young, Mgr. T. Matthew. Row III—Coach Maasdam, R. Troutfetter, A. Sales, A. Barwick, D. Bradbury, A. Enloe, D. Smart, J. Pickens, G. Cole, D. Masters, L. Kridelbaugh, Mgr. J. Andrews. Row IV—R. Richardson, J. Parker, T. Wood, J. Fox, L. Cole, B. Anderson, A. Cortum, R. Parsons, D. Bitner, J. Leeling, Mgr. B. Bloss.



Under the new head football coach, Harvey (Gabby) Ware, the O. H. S. gridders turned in a very successful year winning five games and losing four. They were crushed by a power in Iowa football, Newton, in their first outing, but bounced back to down Fort Madison and Mt. Pleasant in succession. They were then toppled by Little Six Conference Champions Fairfield, and upset by Keokuk. They got back into the winning way by mauling non-conference foe, Centerville, but came to fall to a perennial power, Burlington. They closed out their season by upsetting a rugged Muscatine eleven and defeating their old rival Oskaloosa. With the return of many lettermen from this year's squad the football season at O. H. S. for 1953 looks good.



Jerry Zesiger



Pete Kitterman



Ed Stater



Ralph Troutfetter



Dave Young



Richard Parsons



Johnnie Collins



Jerry Culbertson

Football

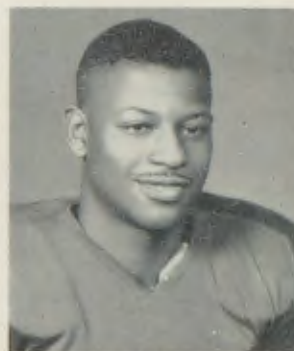
SCORES

Ottumwa	0	Newton	40
Ottumwa	12	Ft. Madison	0
Ottumwa	38	Mt. Pleasant	7
Ottumwa	7	Fairfield	20
Ottumwa	0	Keokuk	12
Ottumwa	34	Centerville	0
Ottumwa	12	Burlington	34
Ottumwa	26	Muscatine	13
Ottumwa	25	Oskaloosa	6





Gene LaMaster
 Don Poline
 Charles Gustaveson
 Dave Roberts



VARSITY

Lonnie Johnson
 Leon Kridelbaugh

Dick Tisdale
 George Gott

Jack Daugherty
 Larry Cole



Bullpup Football



Row I—Coach Newell, J. Fox, J. Davidson, D. Masters, J. Bosker, D. Deborn, B. Stanford, F. Woollums, J. Parker, Mgr. T. Matthew. Row II—J. Krasowski, G. Findlay, D. Smart, Jerold Reck, A. Sales, G. Zika, J. Last, J. Baker, J. Smith. Row III—B. Bowen, A. Barwick, R. Garrison, D. Thrasher, D. Chickering, D. Bradbury, B. Elliott, D. Fillman.



SCORES

Ottumwa	26	Fairfield	7
Ottumwa	12	Oskaloosa	12
Ottumwa	19	Oskaloosa	0
Ottumwa	71	Fairfield	0

Won 3—Lost 0

Golf



Row I—Wayne Glassburner, Wendell Jones, Gene Gardner, Tom Lewis, Herb Klontz, Richard Anderson, Chuck Gustaveson. Row II—Coach Kinsella, Jerry Bookin, Ken Mitterman, Barney Winger, Warren Eckroat, John Gillstrap, Bob Rohner, Jim Baker, Dick Garner, Jim Grier.

Herbie Klontz—State high school champion.

The 1952 O. H. S. golf squad turned in an unbeaten and record-breaking campaign. Coach Paul Kinsella's divot-diggers were able to set marks at the Franklin Cedar Rapids invitational and the Fairfield invitational meets. The 1952 team also set records in both the Little Six Conference and district meets, and missed a new state tournament mark by only three strokes. From last year's state champs George Clark, Johnny Hazen and Johnny Bonella were lost by graduation. With the return of Herbie Klontz, Iowa junior champ, and Tom Lewis another holdover from last year's squad they should spark O. H. S. to another successful season in 1953.



Bullpup Basketball



Row I—Bill Bloss, Al Barwick, Frank Woollums, Jerome Pregon, Dick Barnes, Coach Newell. Row II—Jim Baker, Dave Chickering, Ronnie Garrison, Gary Findlay, Don Smart. Row III—John Gillstrap, Joe Bankson, Bruce Stanford, Denny Filliman, Jim Davison, Joe Smith.

SCORES

Ottumwa	32	Albia	28
Ottumwa	42	Davenport	65
Ottumwa	34	Oskaloosa	26
Ottumwa	40	Muscatine	43
Ottumwa	66	Ft. Madison	44
Ottumwa	46	Washington	31
Ottumwa	49	Burlington	50
Ottumwa	56	Keokuk	43
Ottumwa	59	Mt. Pleasant	23
Ottumwa	66	Fairfield	45
Ottumwa	36	Muscatine	34
Ottumwa	57	Ft. Madison	42
Ottumwa	61	Washington	42
Ottumwa	47	Albia	23
Ottumwa	60	Burlington	40
Ottumwa	49	Keokuk	37
Ottumwa	43	Mt. Pleasant	38
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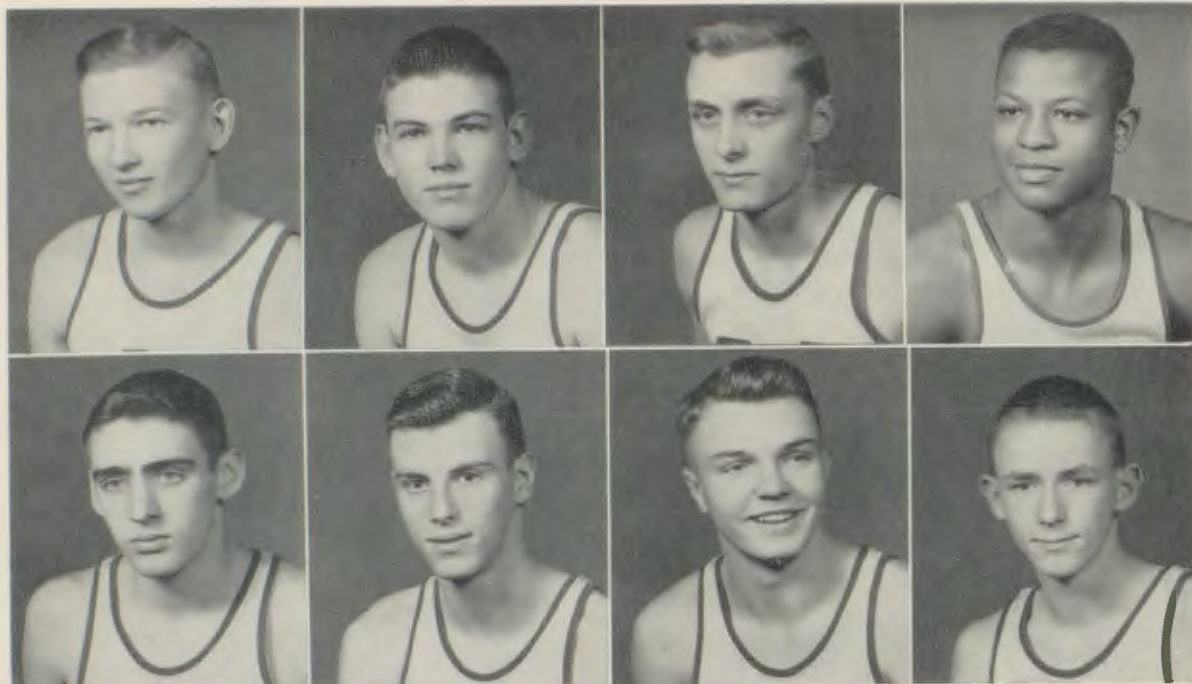


Row I—Coach Ware, Bob Simpson, Dave McMillin, Kenny Williams, Coach Maasdam. Row II—Ralph Troutfetter, Ed Stater, "Doc" Zesiger, Chuck Gustaveson, Dale Strong, Warren Eckroat, Dick Bitner. Row III—Dick Bachman, Bob Hinson, "Butch" Parsons, Don Parsons, Dave Young, Gene LaMaster, Dick Teasdale.

SCORES

Ottumwa	42	Albia	28
Ottumwa	37	Davenport	38 (Ov.)
Ottumwa	30	Oskaloosa	42
Ottumwa	32	Muscatine	44
Ottumwa	63	Ft. Madison	24
Ottumwa	45	Washington	35
Ottumwa	42	Burlington	54
Ottumwa	57	Keokuk	36
Ottumwa	42	Mt. Pleasant	36
Ottumwa	69	Fairfield	34
Ottumwa	40	Muscatine	36
Ottumwa	52	Ft. Madison	38
Ottumwa	59	Washington	42
Ottumwa	43	Albia	32
Ottumwa	57	Burlington	45
Ottumwa	45	Keokuk	49
Ottumwa	59	Mt. Pleasant	44
Ottumwa	52	Fairfield	37
Ottumwa	53	Marshalltown	44
Ottumwa	60	Franklin (CR)	34





Don Parsons

Butch Parsons

Dick Bitner

Gene LaMaster

Dave Young

Bob Hinson

Chuck Gustaveson

Dave McMillin

Basketball



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Cheer Leaders



Wayne Rooker, Willadean Harness, Bette Ellen Hammen, Elinor Jones, Joe Gray.

Betty Ellyn Hammen, Wayne Rooker, Willadean Harness, Joe Gray, Elinor Jones.



SOPHOMORE CHEER LEADERS

Milford Whittlesey, Charlotte Harness, Charlene Deal, Judy Ellenberger.



G. A. A.



Row I—Betty Finney, P. Warner, J. Lobdell, P. Daniels, R. Utterback, D. Berry, R. Stevens, S. Murray, J. Dodge, B. Baird. Row II—B. Heckart, B. Manley, J. Ellenberger, C. Deal, D. Murphy, J. Jones, J. McClure, M. Maasdam, M. Mill, S. Armstrong. Row III—Mrs. Lathrop, V. Rolison, M. Jones, B. Ullrich, M. Bankson, D. Williams, M. Johnson, M. Knox, I. Boyd, J. Phillips, P. Dalbey. Row IV—S. Rhoda, B. Taylor, M. Overturf, G. Cline, P. Shober, K. McGee, R. Wisecarver, C. Smith, P. Kelsey, M. Savage, L. Forsythe.

Row I—Janet Lobdell, president, Audrey Breon, vice president. Row II—Patty Kelsey, student manager, Mrs. Lathrop, adviser, Doris Williams, secretary-treasurer.



The Girls' Athletic Association is open to all girls interested in athletic activities. The goal of all members is to receive a letter which requires five hundred points or a G. A. A. pin or annual Senior Award. Points are obtained by activities at school and during leisure hours.

Besides participating in a variety of sports the girls have initiated a new program this year which consisted of two play days, one basketball and one volleyball. Girls from other G. A. A.'s from out of town joined us in these activities.

Acting under the capable leadership of Mrs. Lathrop the officers for this year have been: Janet Lobdell, Audrey Breon, Doris Williams and Patty Kelsey.

Shark Club



Row I—Barbara Brunk, Lynn Lewis, B. Gay, D. Bard, S. Hightshoe, J. Harper, S. Dornsife, B. Melone. Row II—L. Kritzman, M. Leonard, S. Blackford, P. Overturf, M. Overturf, D. Hughes, J. Tyler, V. McWilliams. Row III—S. Nelson, C. Morris, J. Blome, J. Hart, M. Stevens, B. Mitchell, Mrs. Nydle.

OFFICERS OF SHARK CLUB

Joan Tyler, president; Kate Wilt, vice-president; Patsy Overturf, treas.; Diane Hughes, sec'y.

Organized for the development of the outstanding girl swimmers in our school, the O. H. S. Shark Club has realized its goal. Hopeful aspirants of the club try out in the fall. Each must have reached a high standard of ability for only a few are selected.

During the year the girls practice various routines, which are used in the pageant that demonstrates the club's progress and improvements. This year the girls have acted as hostesses during a swimming meet held here. They also entered the State Swimming Meet.

The capable new advisor for the club this year has been Mrs. Nydle. Officers have been: Joan Tyler, Kathryn Wilt, Diane Hughes and Patsy Overturf.





Row I—Suanne Batterson, Willadean Harness, Sally Chambers.
Row II—Elinor Jones, Joan Tyler, Bette Ellen Hammen.

Homecoming

Homecoming is one of the happiest events of the year at O. H. S. It was fun this year to plan the day, to see our friends who have gone away to college and to work in other places, come back to enjoy with us a day at O. H. S. and a football game. The best part of the day is the end of the first half of the game when we crown the queen. The six lovely girls in the picture were the candidates this year. Willadean Harness was the choice and received the crown. Then to climax the day there was the Homecoming Dance where we all had a wonderful time.

Phil Ellenberger crowns Willadean Harness, Queen of Homecoming 1953.





STATE TOURNAMENT

Don Parsons receives the runner-up trophy for Ottumwa.

Fred plays a hard game too.

Welcome home bulldogs.

Bob's penny and Gene's hat almost won the tournament.

Cafeteria



Row I—Anna Penny, Marie Bottorff, Nola Caster.
Row II—Gladys Harness, Hazel Bankson, Josephine Bankson.

Cashiers—Dick Sample, Peg McQuerry,
Shirley Bankson.

The students assemble to eat and talk of the day's happenings in the cafeteria.

Serving about five hundred fifty students daily, the cafeteria is run on a non profit basis. Food, carefully planned, nourishing, and delicious, is pleasing to all who eat at the cafeteria. In appearance, the cafeteria is always neat, clean, and orderly. A large task it is, but Mrs. Marie Bottorff and her staff have accomplished this successfully.

Students are proud of the cafeteria. It makes a pleasant place for them to eat their lunch. Yes, the cafeteria is "for the benefit of all O. H. S. students."



Engineers



Row I—Charles Leonard, Charles Poncy, Joe Seals, Beulah Downey.
Row II—Ernest Wilkinson, Marvin Steele, Chester Mier, William Fisk, William Lewis.

Chet, the chief engineer.



The Ottumwa High School engineers are a group of people who work hard behind the scenes to make our building a more healthful and comfortable place in which to work.

Seldom do we realize the hard work that is done by this group, as most of it is done early in the morning, or during our class periods. In reality our engineers are very busy the year around. During school they work hard to give our class rooms, halls, and grounds a neat, well-kept appearance. They also operate the heating plant and keep our cafeteria clean. They are kept especially busy during basketball and football seasons. During our summer vacations, the engineers repaint the halls and rooms, refinish desks, and make all other repairs necessary for the upkeep of the building.

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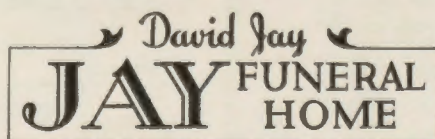
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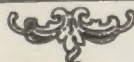
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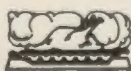
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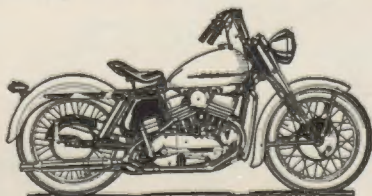
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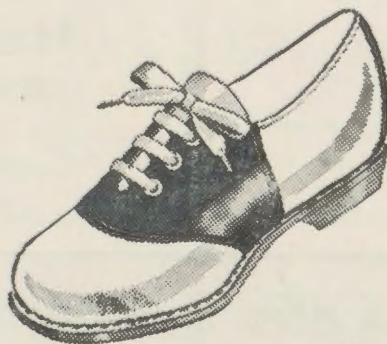
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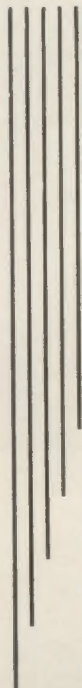
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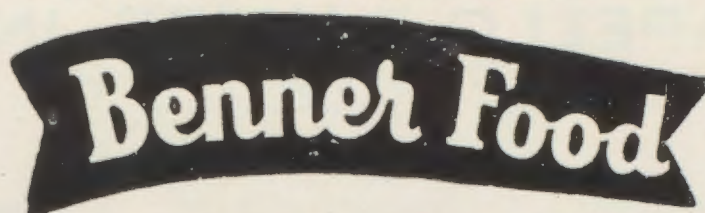
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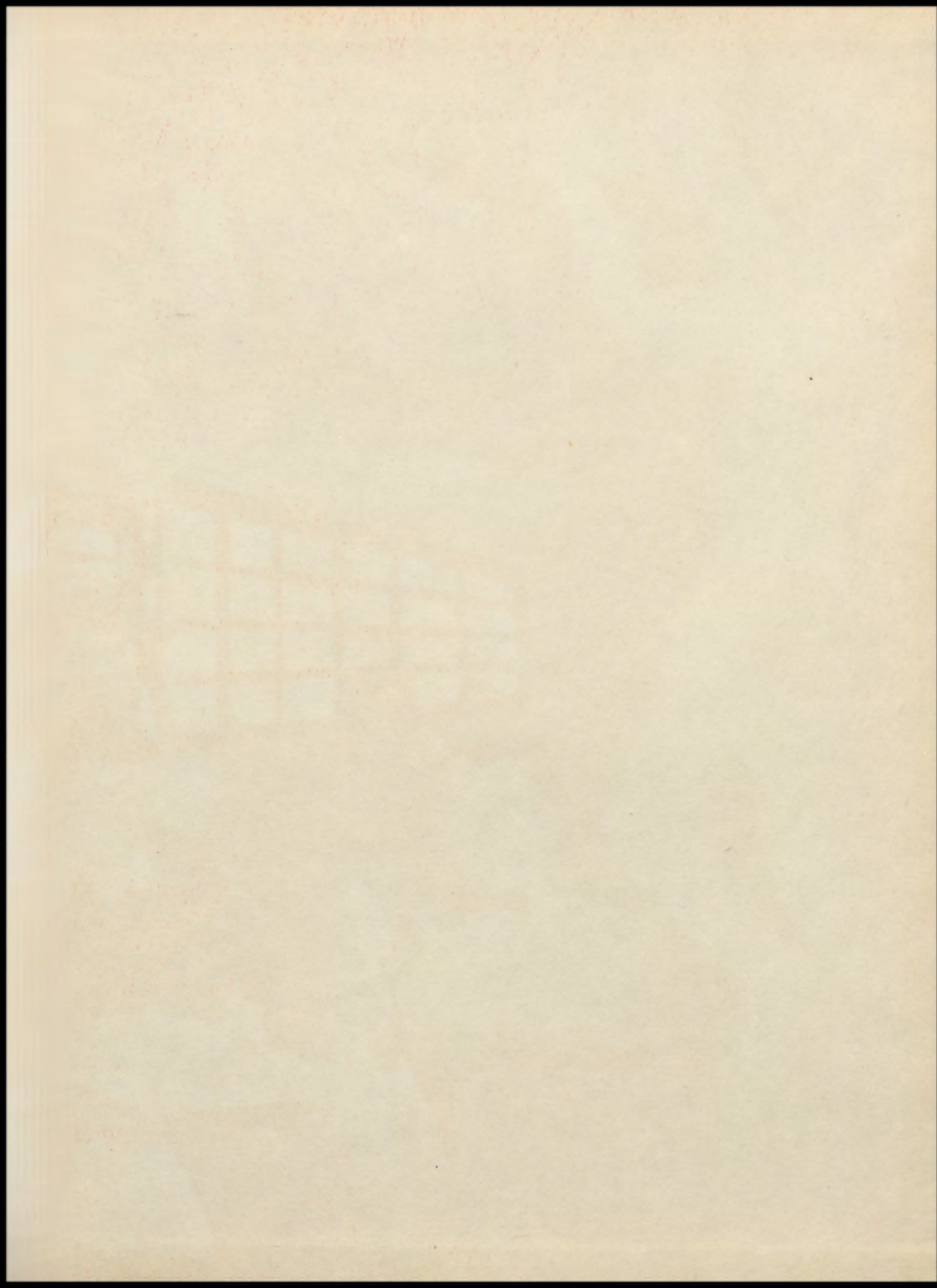
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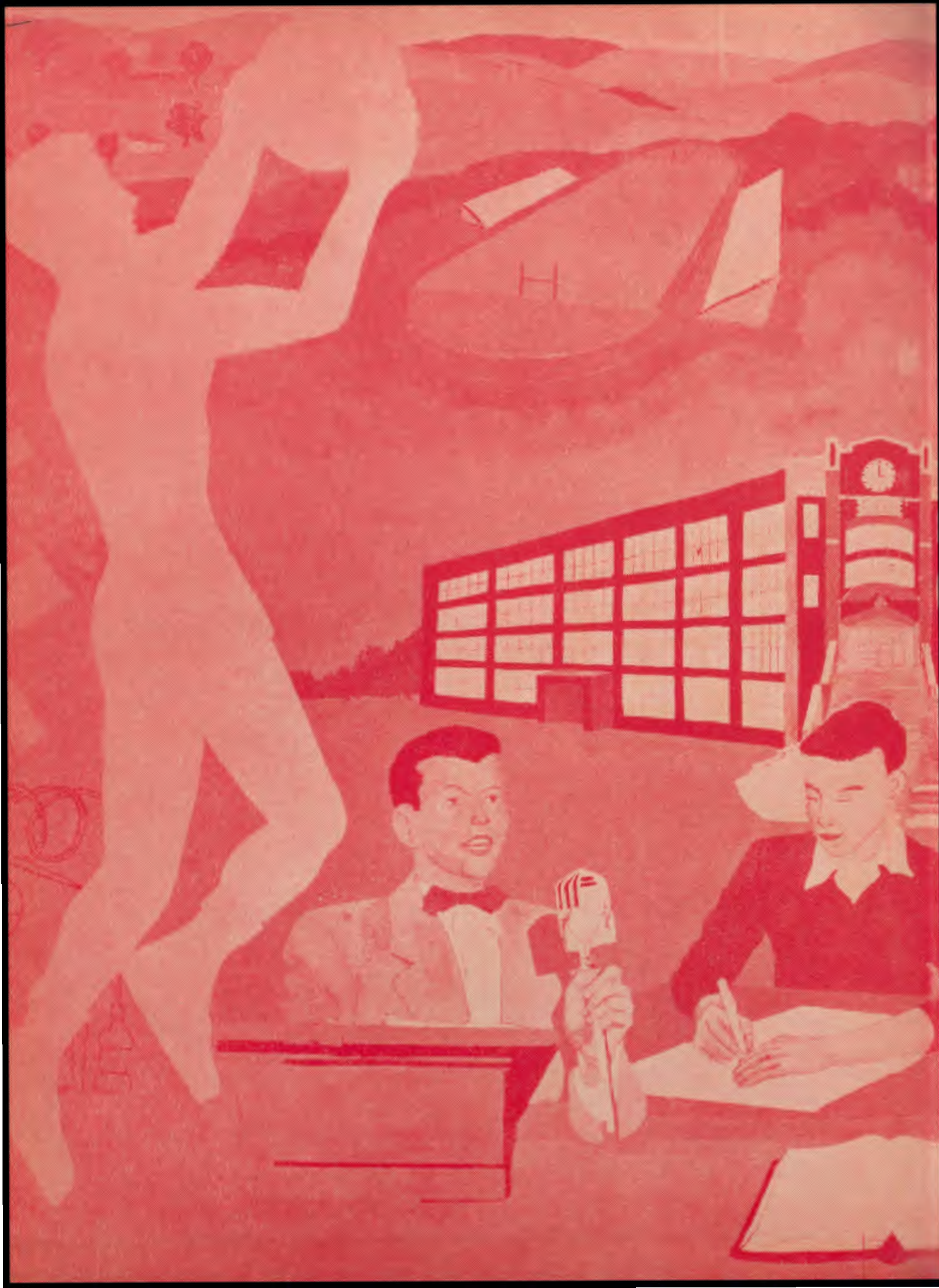
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