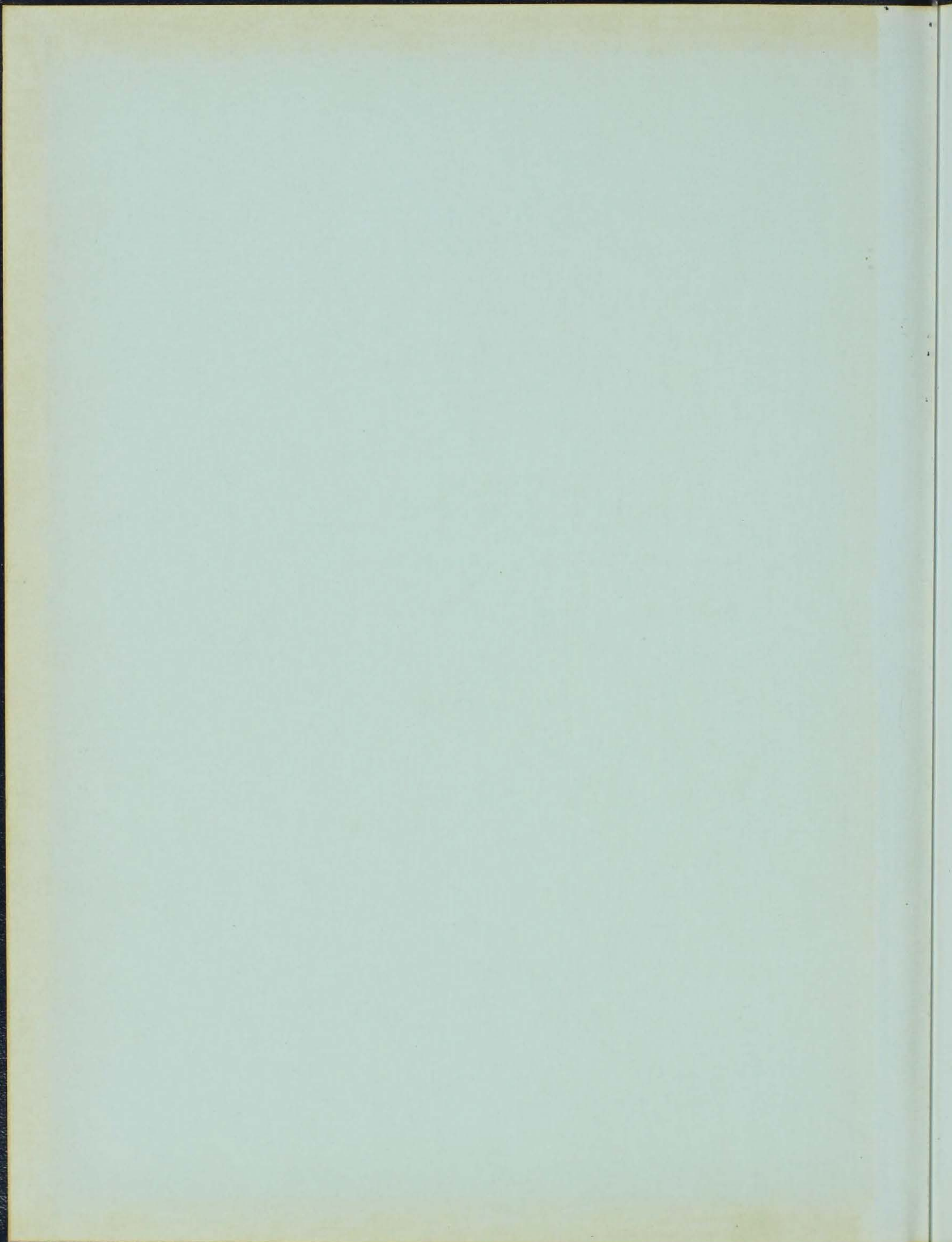
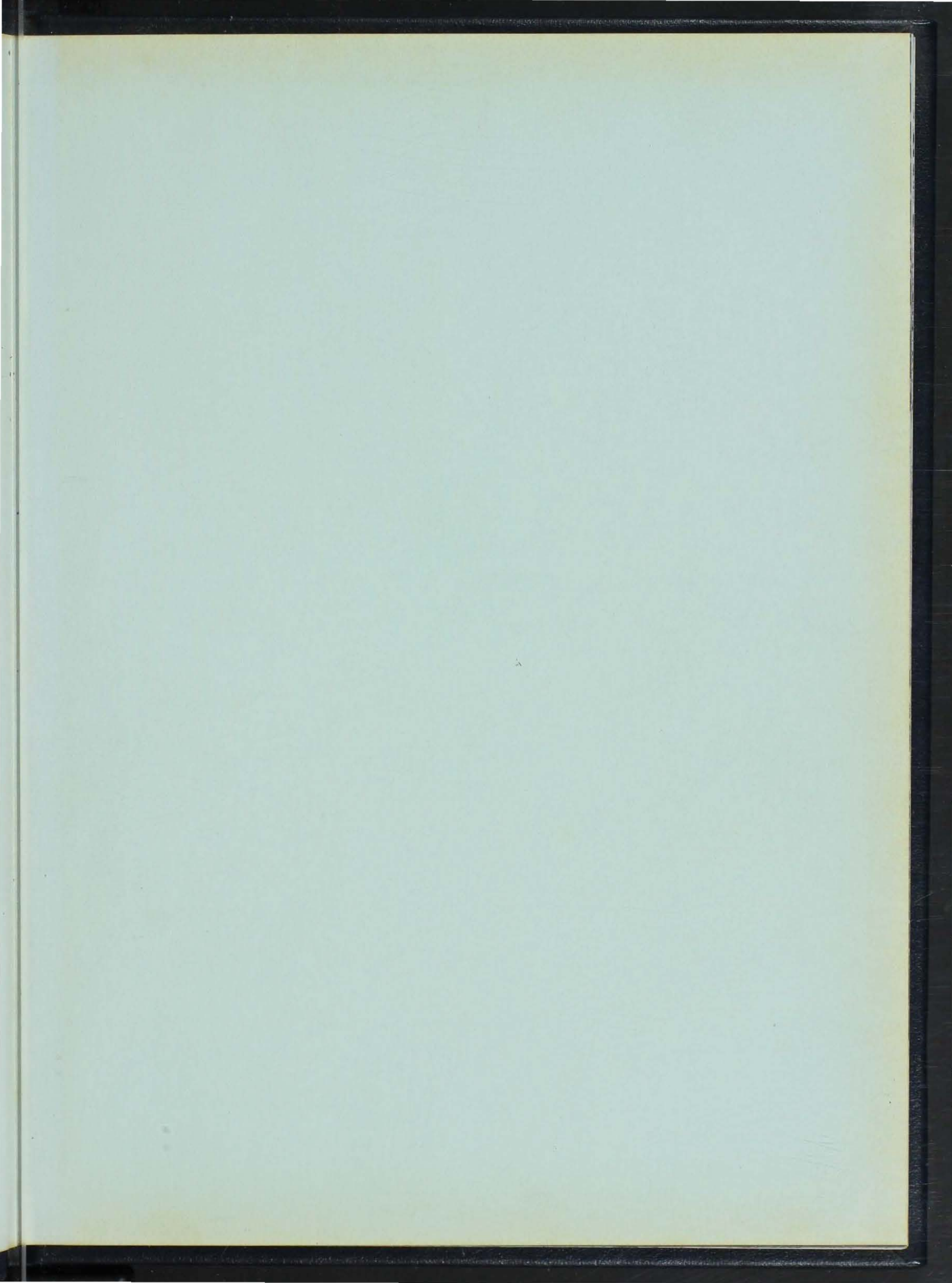
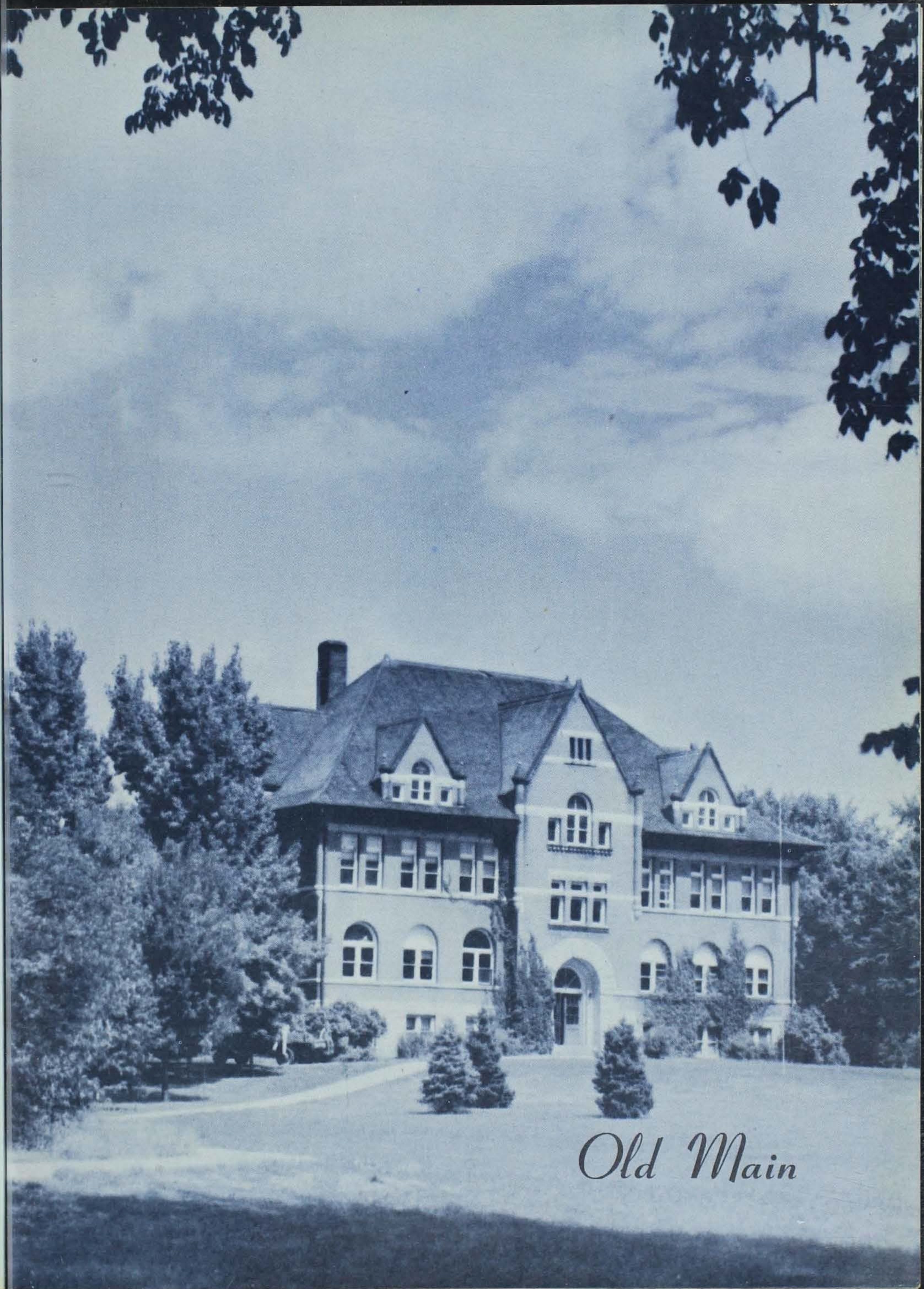




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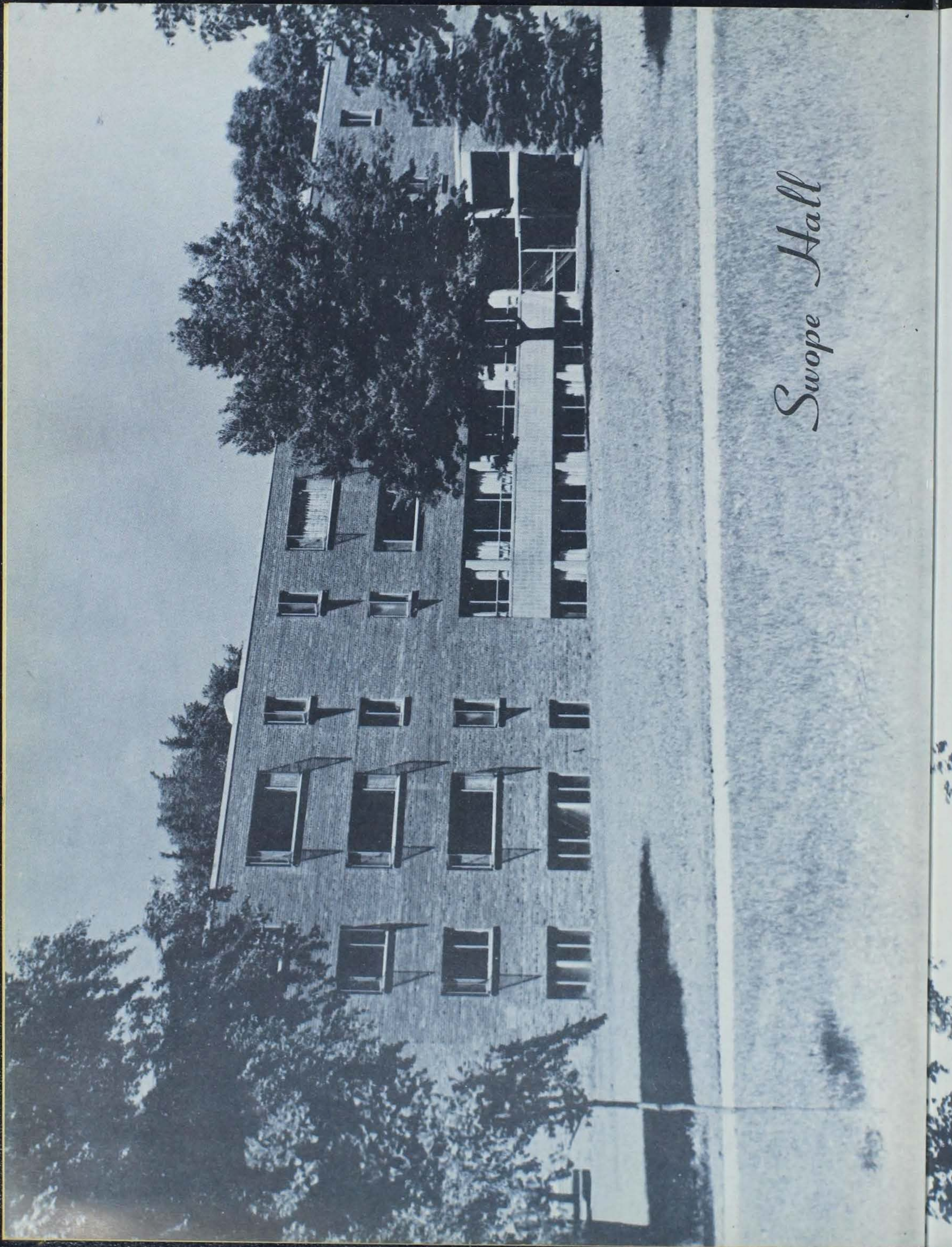






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Swope Hall



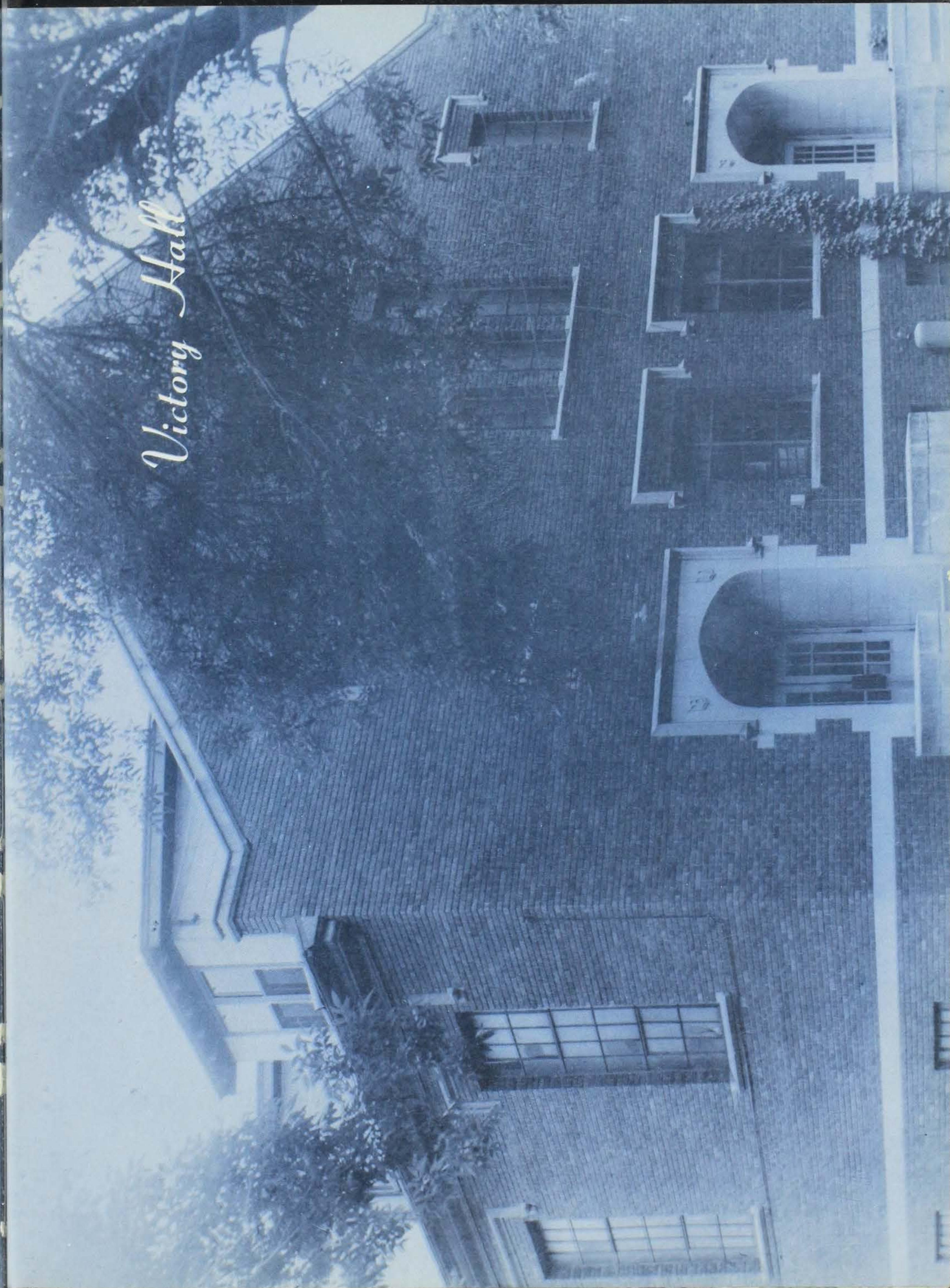
Smith Hall



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Victory Hall





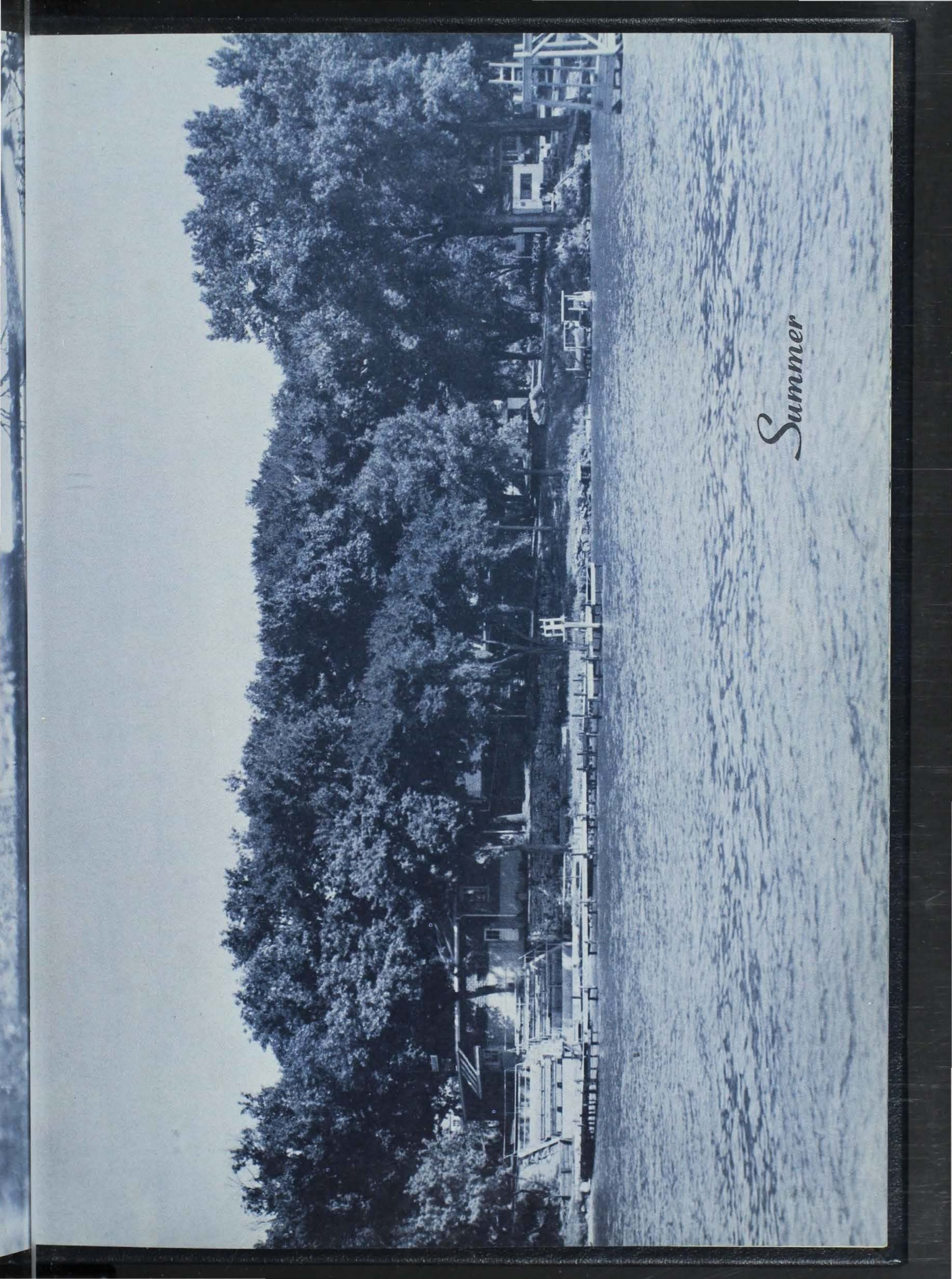
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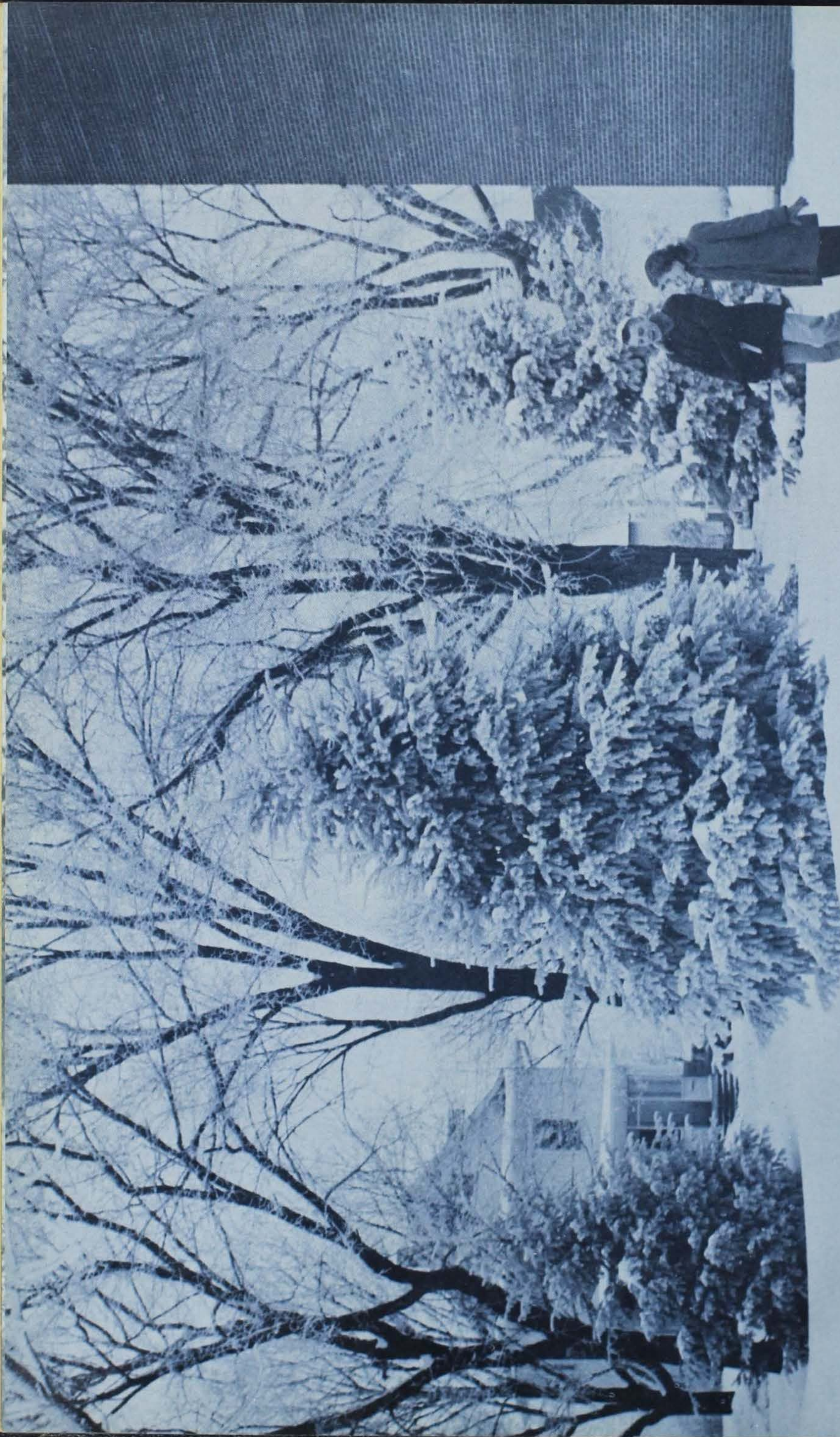


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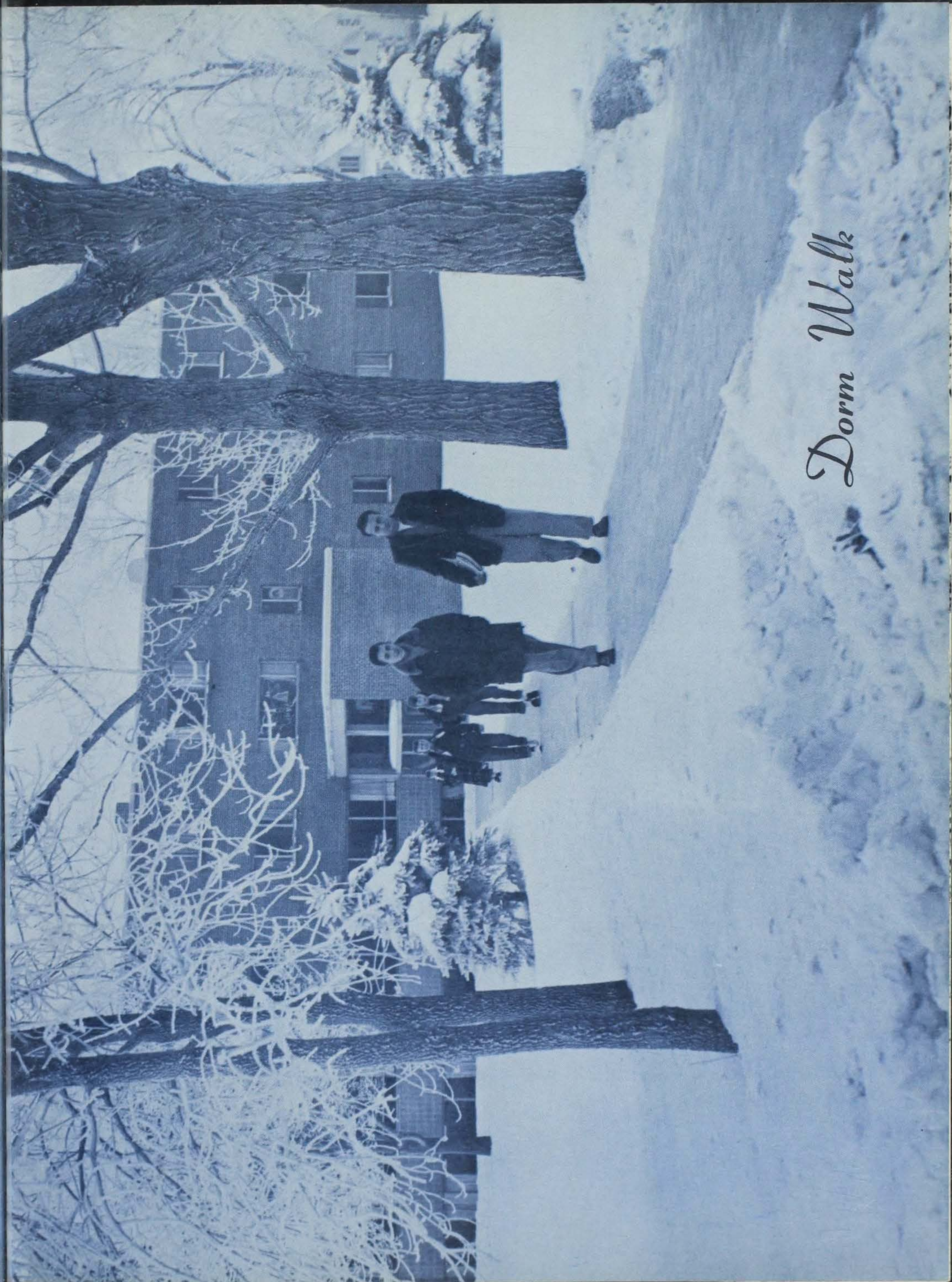
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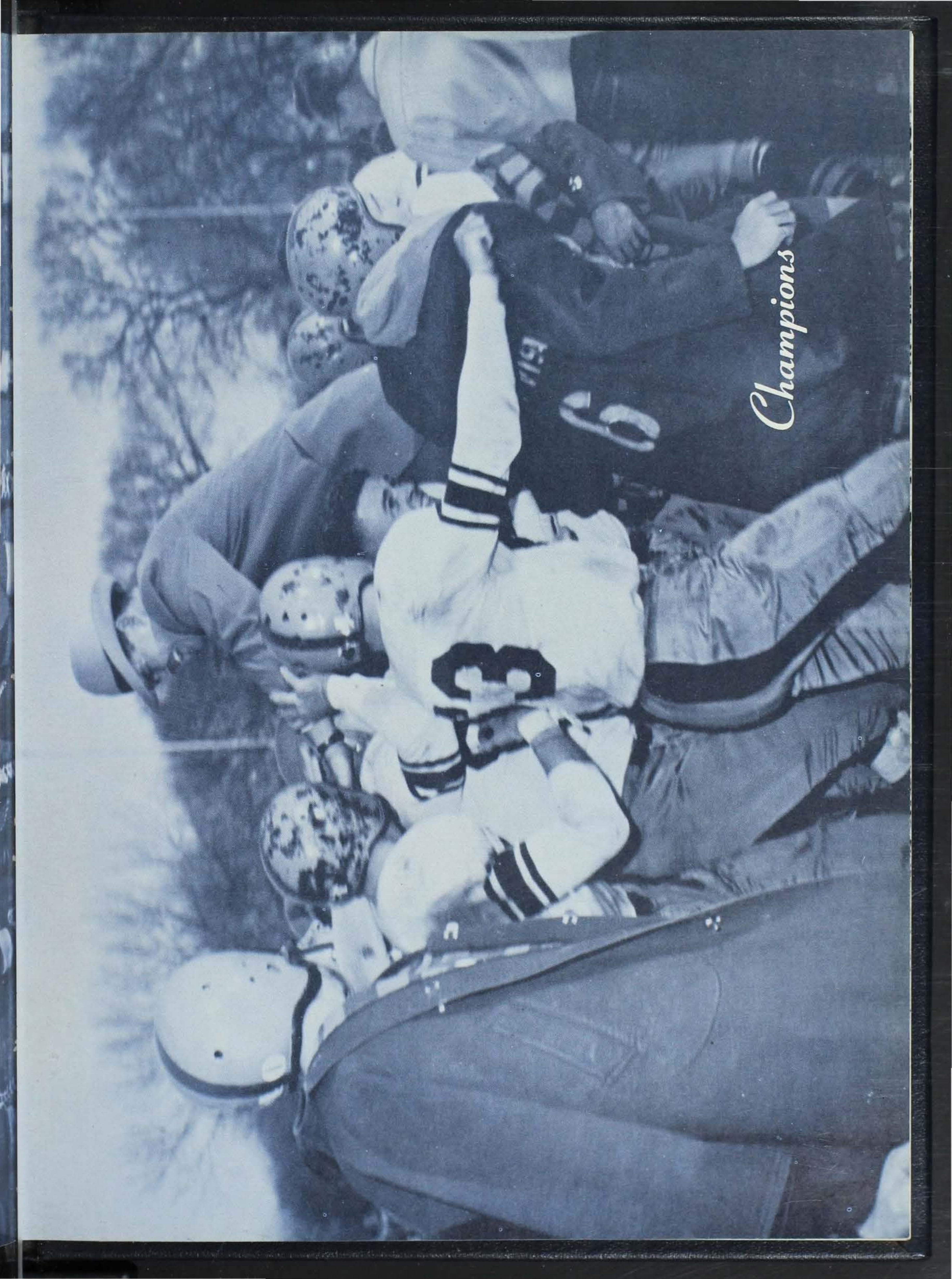
Dorm Walk



Iowa Conference



Champions



*Winter
Formal*



Homecoming Floats



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**BUENA VISTA
COLLEGE**

CLASS OF 1951

Buena Vista College
1953 Beaver Log





IRENE McALPINE

Beaver Log Staff

The staff of the 1953 Beaver Log, headed by Irene McAlpine and Margaret Nicoliasen as co-editors, worked the entire year to give the students of Buena Vista a publication that would review the year's activities in a way that they would like to remember, and something to look at in the years to come.

The staff of the Beaver Log would like to thank the people of Buena Vista who helped in their way to make this year's Beaver Log possible. A great deal of appreciation is due the photographers who devoted a good deal of their time to taking the pictures. To Dick Westphal, Donna Fraser, Marlene Erickson, Darlene Meyer, Kay Graff and Tom Chase, a vote of thanks for their contributions.

It's for you to decide how successful we were. It's yours now!



MARGARET NICOLIASEN

An View of Campus





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Dedication



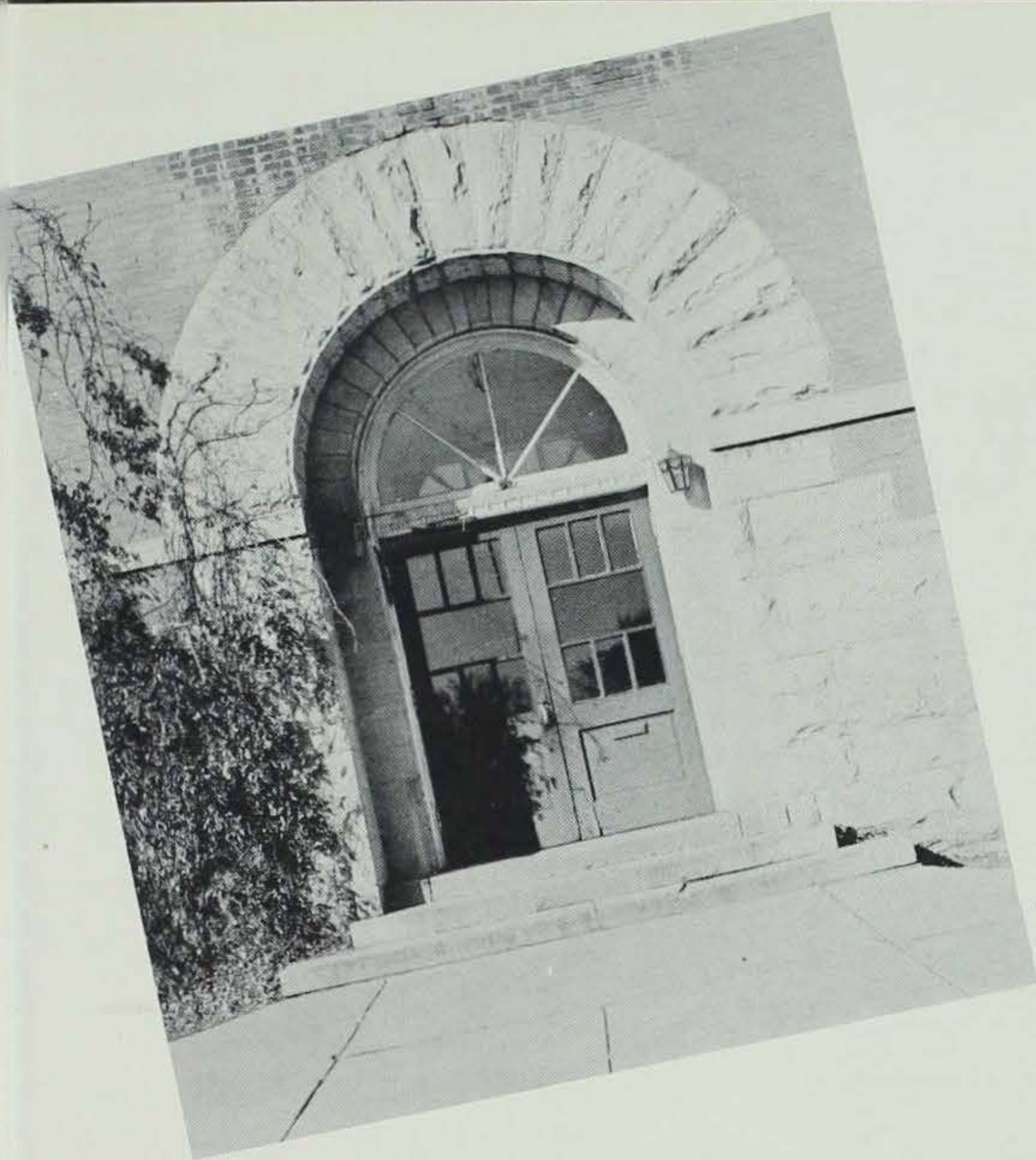
DEAN WILLIAM D. WESSELINK

"Learning is an Activity," and it is through activities that we learn. On the Buena Vista College Campus, we find many of these activities which aid in learning, both in, and out of the classroom. We, of the Log Staff feel that the person who directs activities, lends guidance, and counsels is perhaps the most important man on the campus.

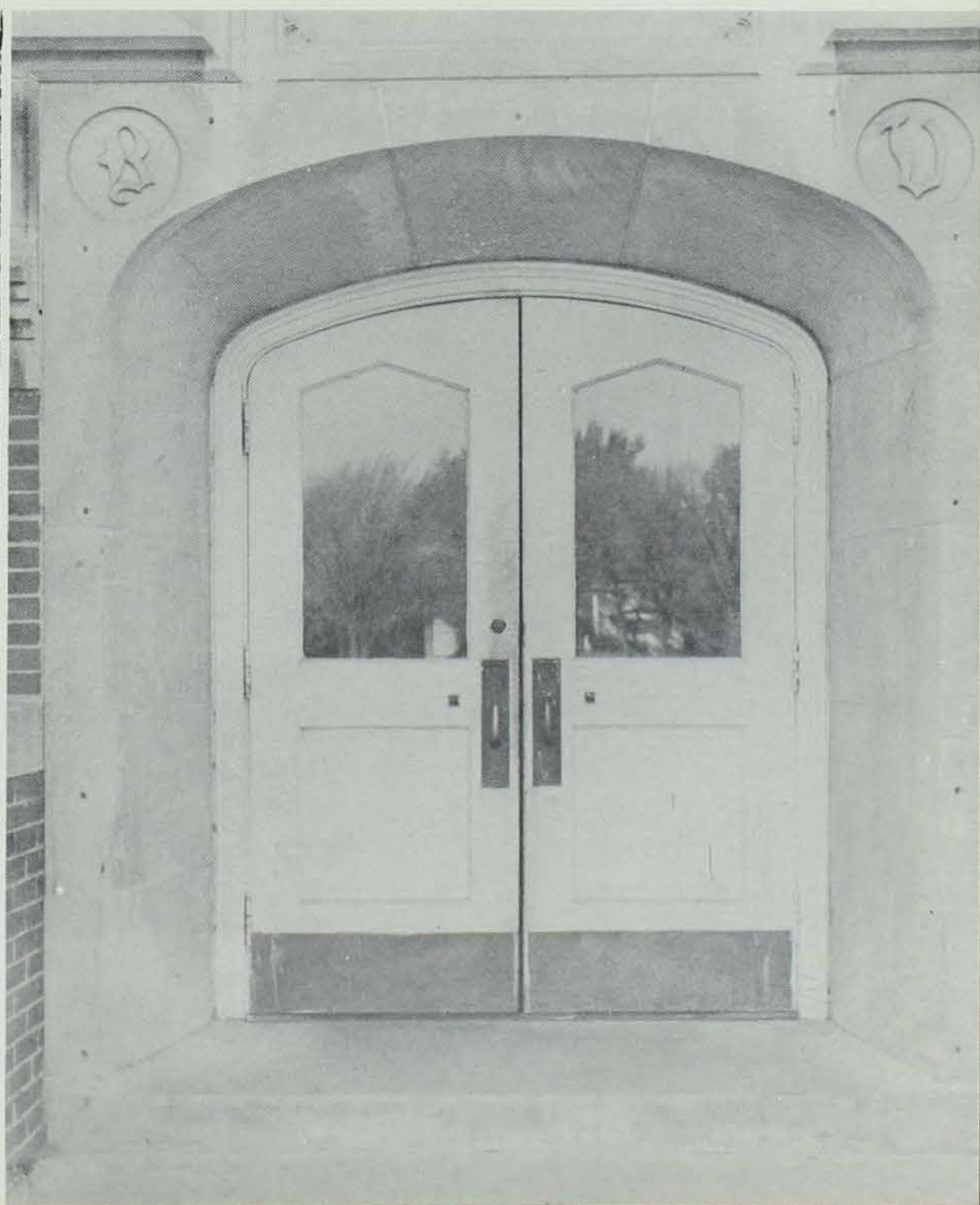
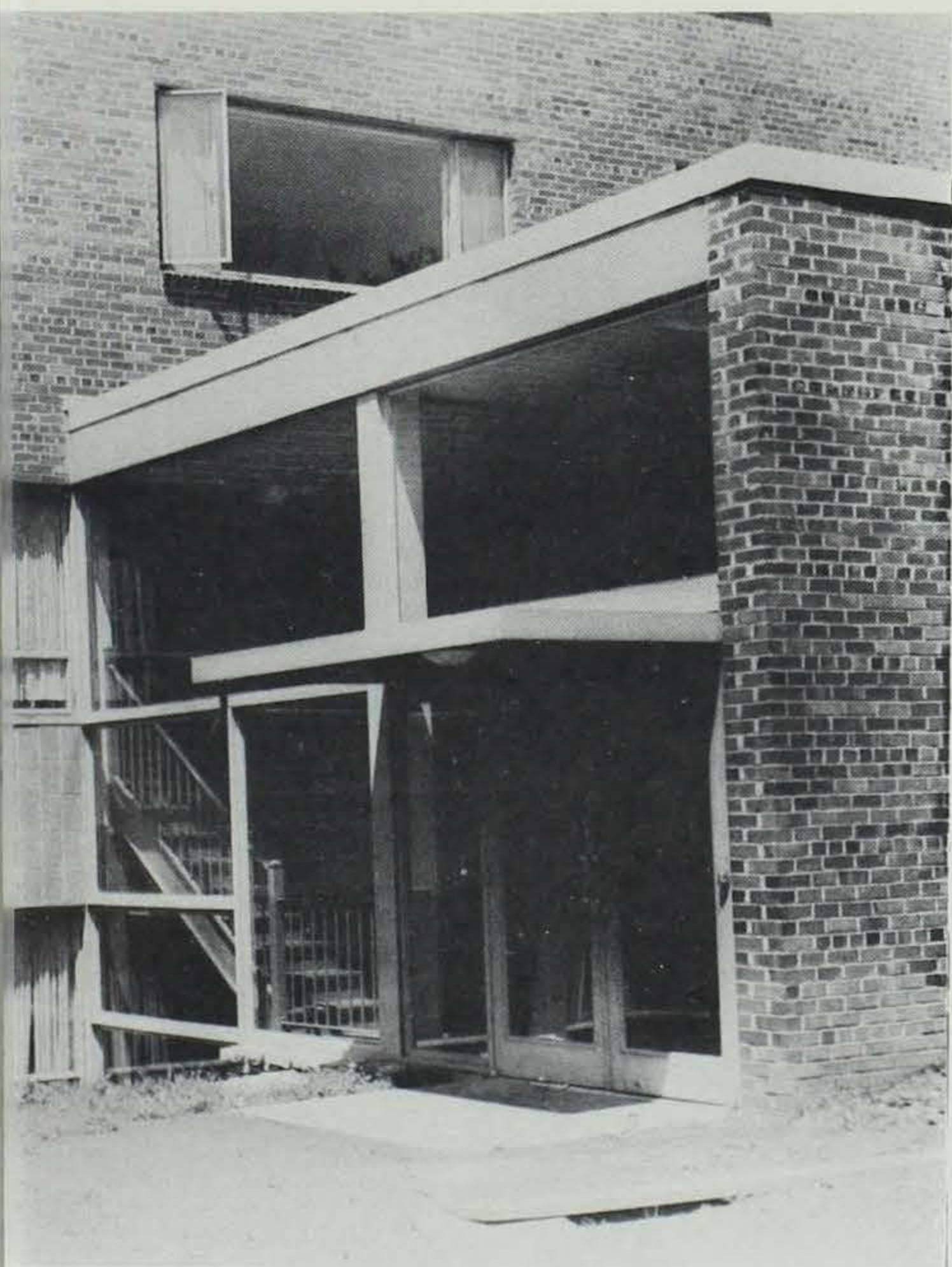
Throughout his six years at Buena Vista, Dean Wesselink has counseled and guided nearly every student attending the college. He has taught classes, helped coach football and supervised student teaching, besides carrying out his duties as Dean of the College.

Both Buena Vista College, and the community of Storm Lake have benefited by the Dean's activities in the educational field.

To Dean Wesselink, to his work, we dedicate the 1953 Beaver Log.



Buena Vista Doorways



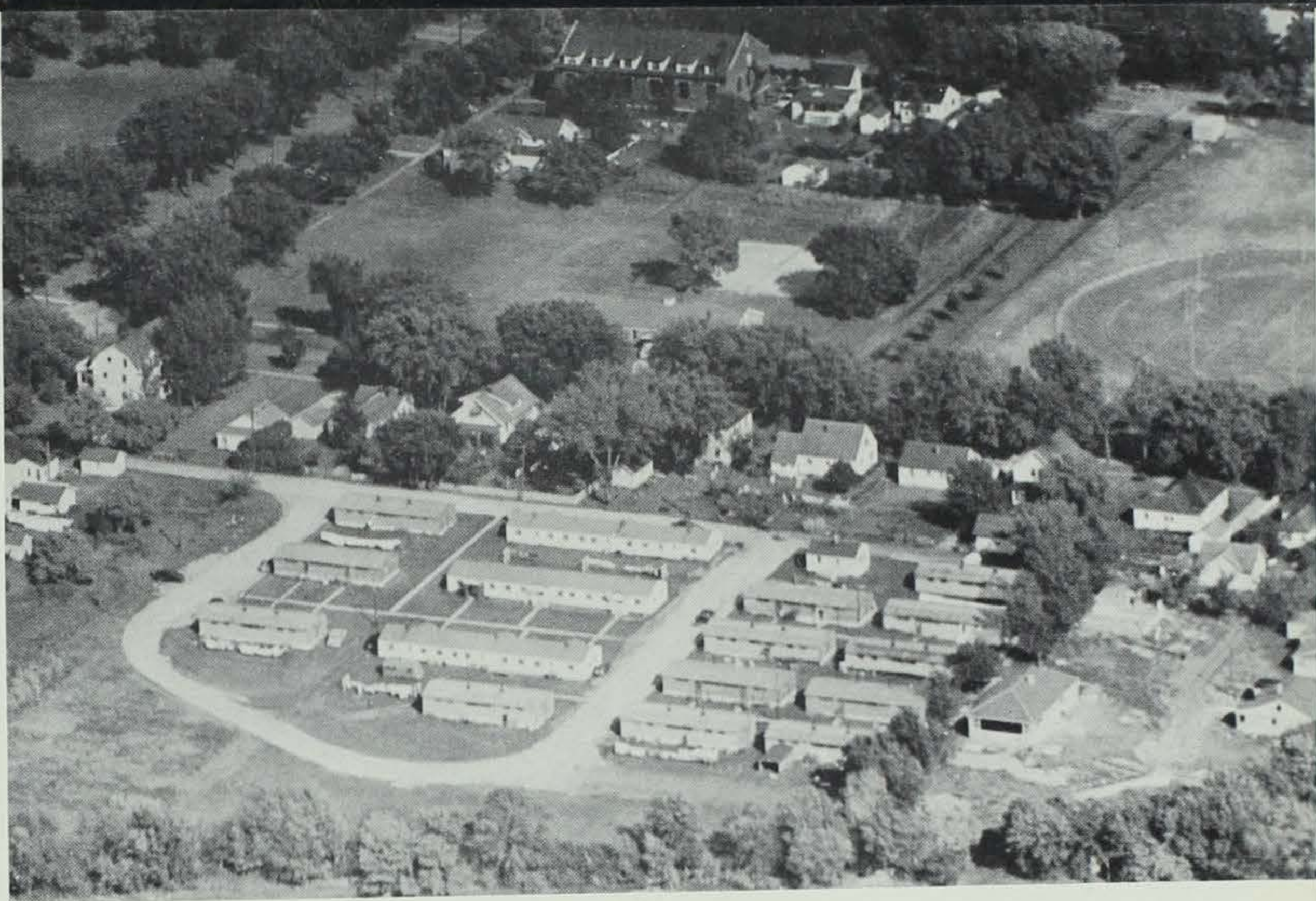


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House*



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House*

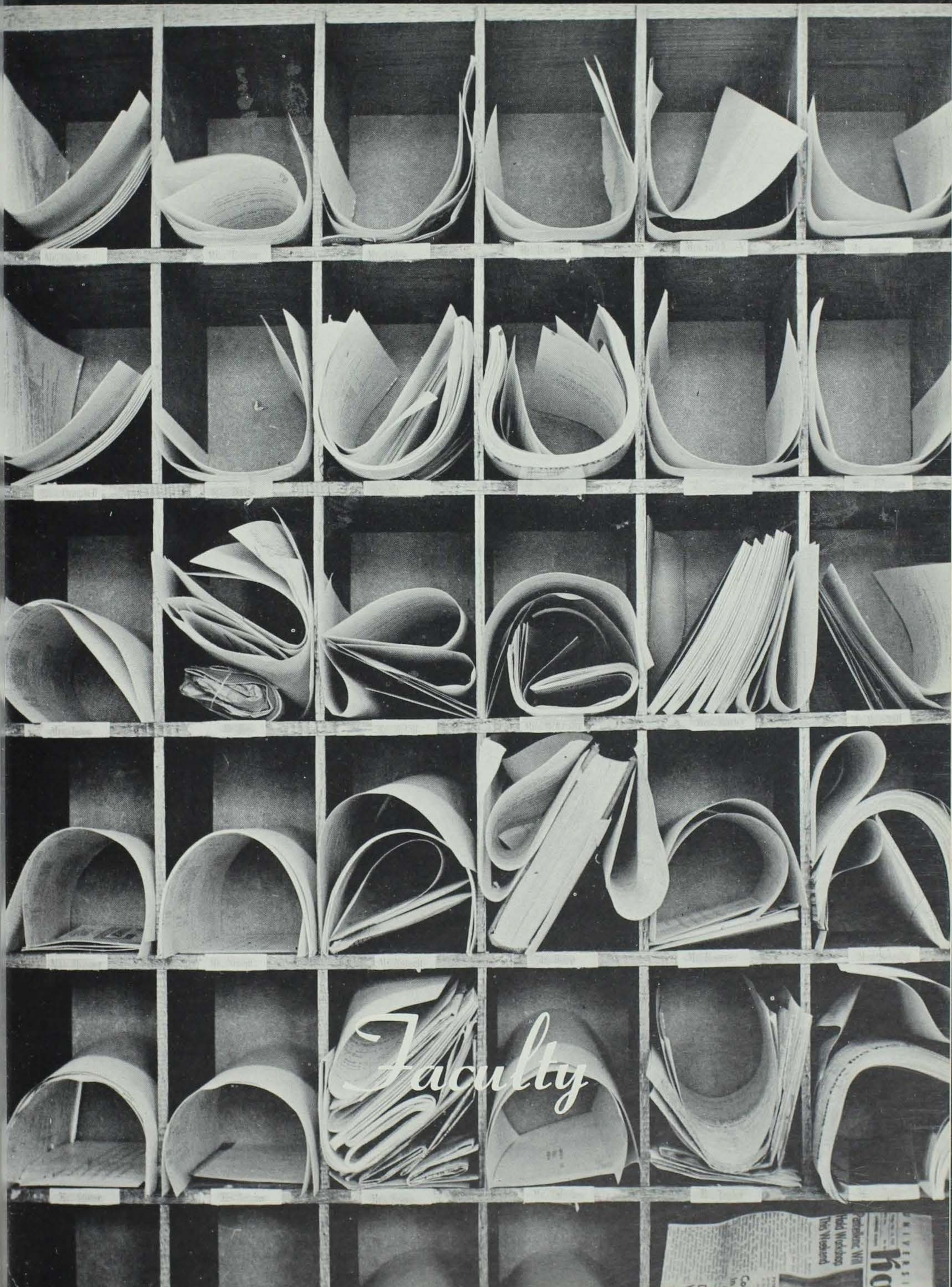
*Vista
Court*



*Lakeside
Presbyterian
Church*

Part I

*Administration
and
Faculty*



Faculty

UNIVERSITY
HOLD WORKSHOP
THIS WEEKEND
KID

Administration



DR. HENRY OLSON

Congratulations to the 1953 graduates of Buena Vista College.

The Class of 1953 has been a great one. You have produced a championship football team, exceptionally fine A Cappella Choir, top notch baseball, fine plays, written good papers, and were tops in all Forensic activities.

You have learned to be leaders when it was yours to lead and good workers when it was yours to follow; you have been good losers and good winners. Take these with you now.

I charge you though you are now off the campus do not forget us who remain here also to return again to your alma mater by the lake.

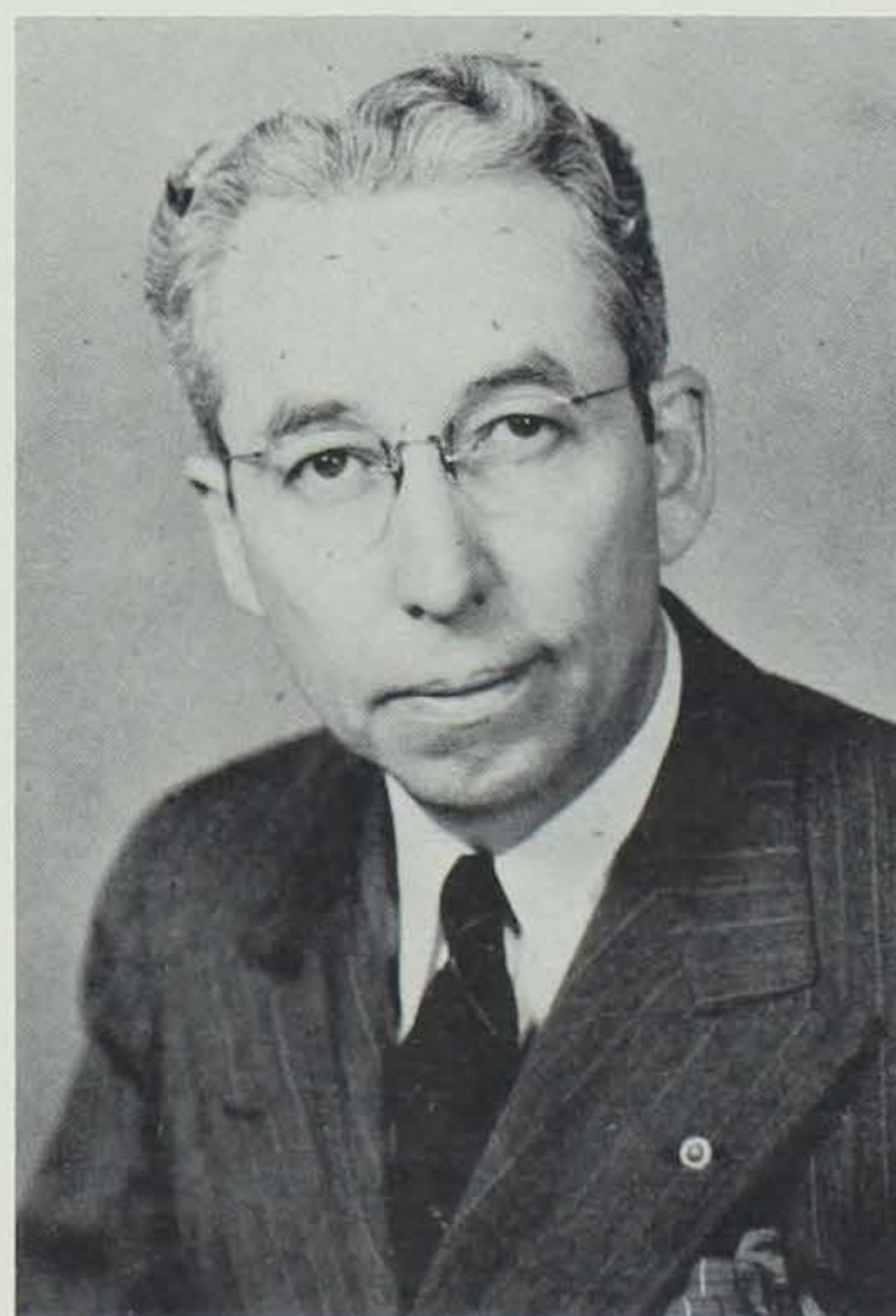
Many students go through their college careers and never have the opportunity of contacting all the professors of the institution. Such is not the case with the Dean of the College, W. D. Wesselink. In his capacity as Dean, Registrar, and teacher, Dean Wesselink is a familiar figure in all phases of college activity. Whether it is advice, encouragement, or a reproof one needs, students are swayed by his understanding attitude and winning personality. Students find that Dean Wesselink has a broad field of interests beyond algebra equations, Chapel-cuts, and honor points. Active in community affairs and a fine sports enthusiast, Dean Wesselink sets a fine example of a progressive, liberal-minded educator.



WILLIAM WESSELINK
Dean of Instruction

F. Merle Sandy is a well known man on the Buena Vista College campus. He is the business manager of the college and handles many affairs for the college. Every student who enrolls in Buena Vista has become acquainted with Mr. Sandy, for he is the one that collects our tuition and fees. He is always in the business office to help both faculty and the students.

Professor Sandy attended the University of Iowa and there received his B.S.C. and M.A. degrees. Mrs. Sandy also assists in his office and together as a team we recognize their efforts in making Buena Vista a better college.



F. MERLE SANDY
Business Manager

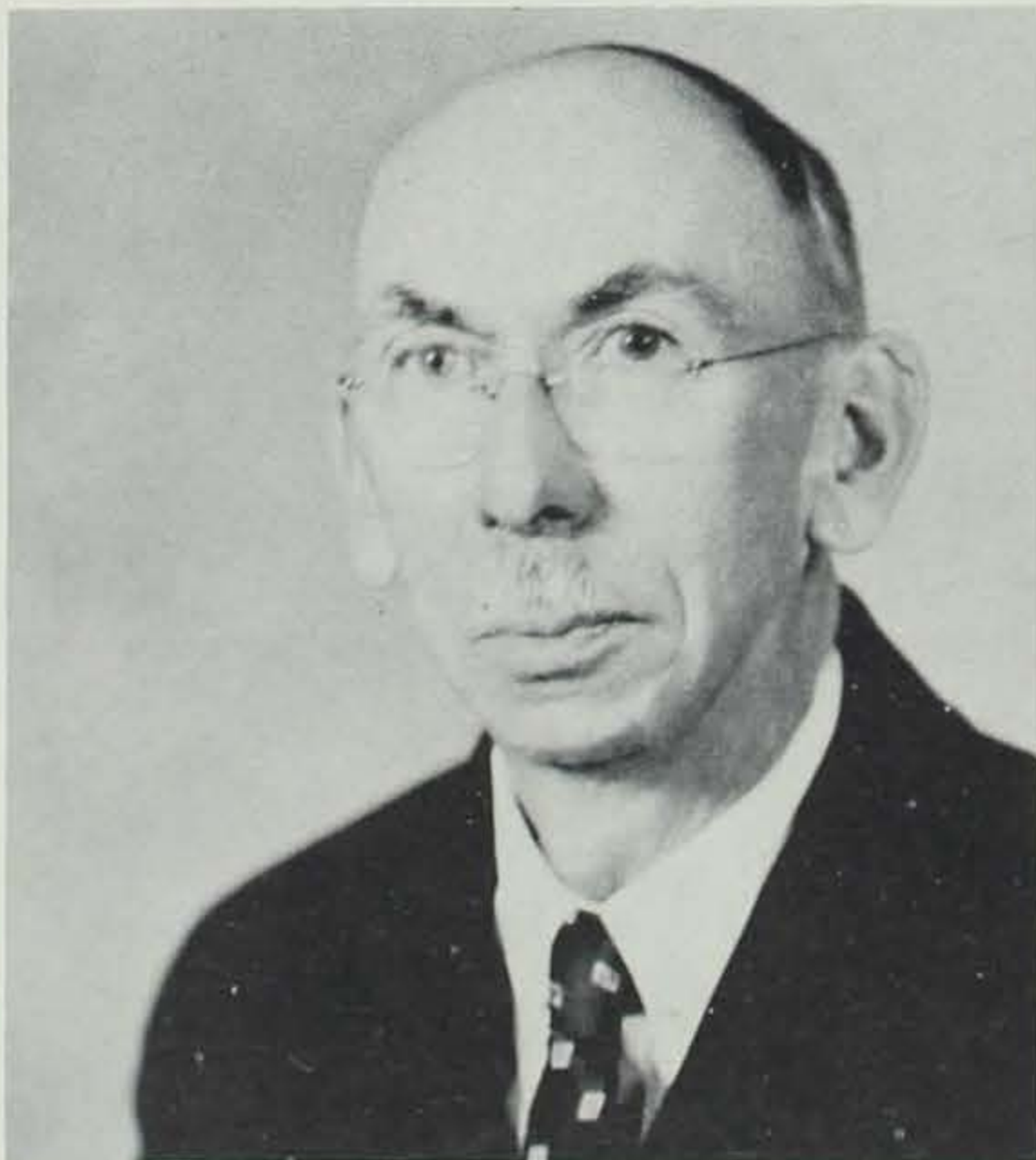


PHOEBE LaFOY
Dean of Women

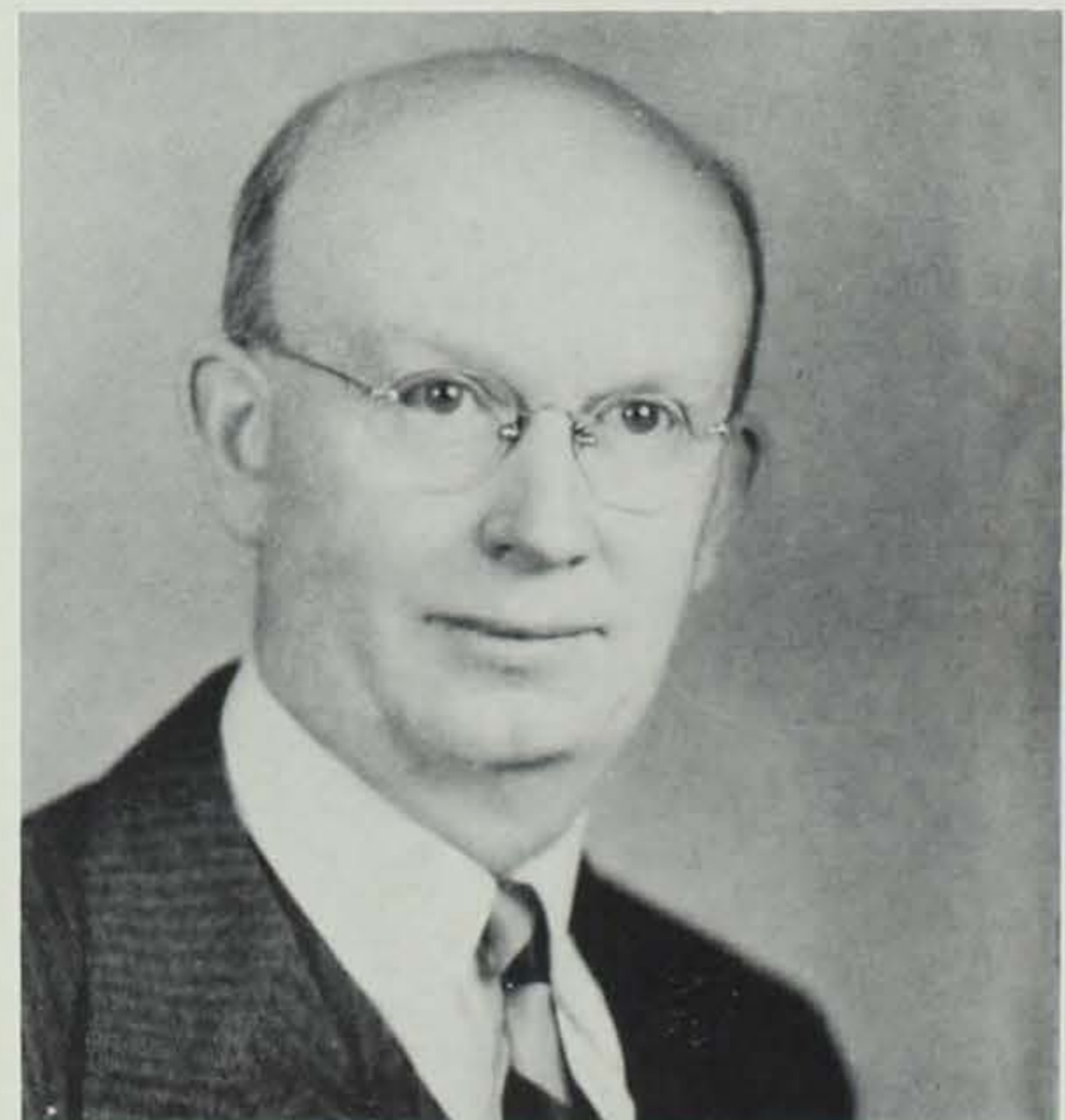


BRUCE ALDERMAN
Dean of Men

Faculty



DR. FREDERICK F. SMITH
Professor Emeritus

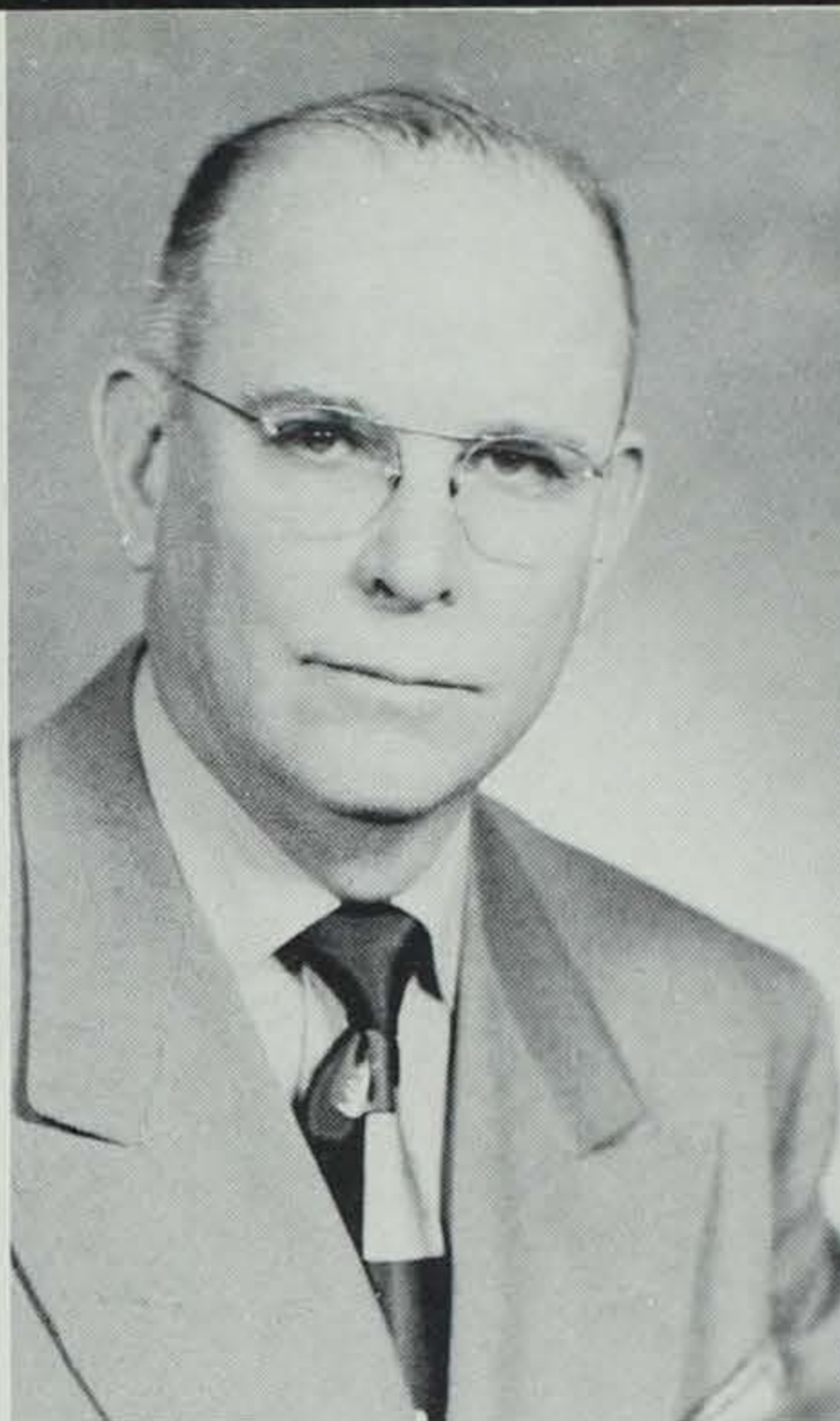


DR. LUMAN W. SAMPSON
Division of Social Science

DR. EARL DAVIS
Division of Natural
Science



W. B. GREEN
Division of Fine Arts



DR. ALBERT F.
HIRSCH
Division of Language
and Literature



DR. HAROLD S. MURPHY
Division of Bible



J. R. OTTO
Director of Athletics



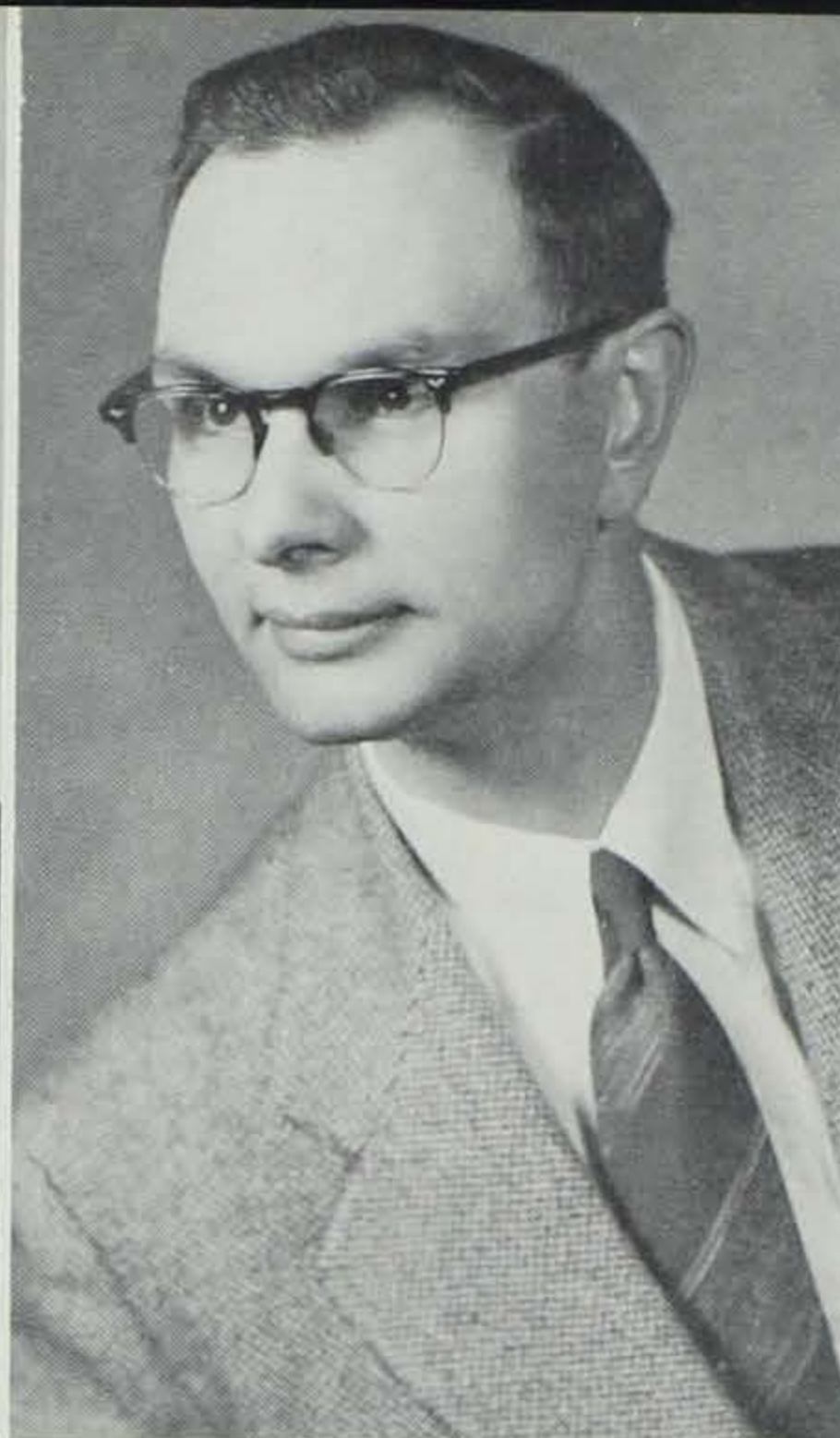
T. P. KUEHL
Division of Vocational and
Professional Training



ELLEN F. KASBERG
Art



WENDALL BUCKLEY
Music



ANTONIO RAMIREZ
Spanish



ADELPHIA MITCHELL
Education



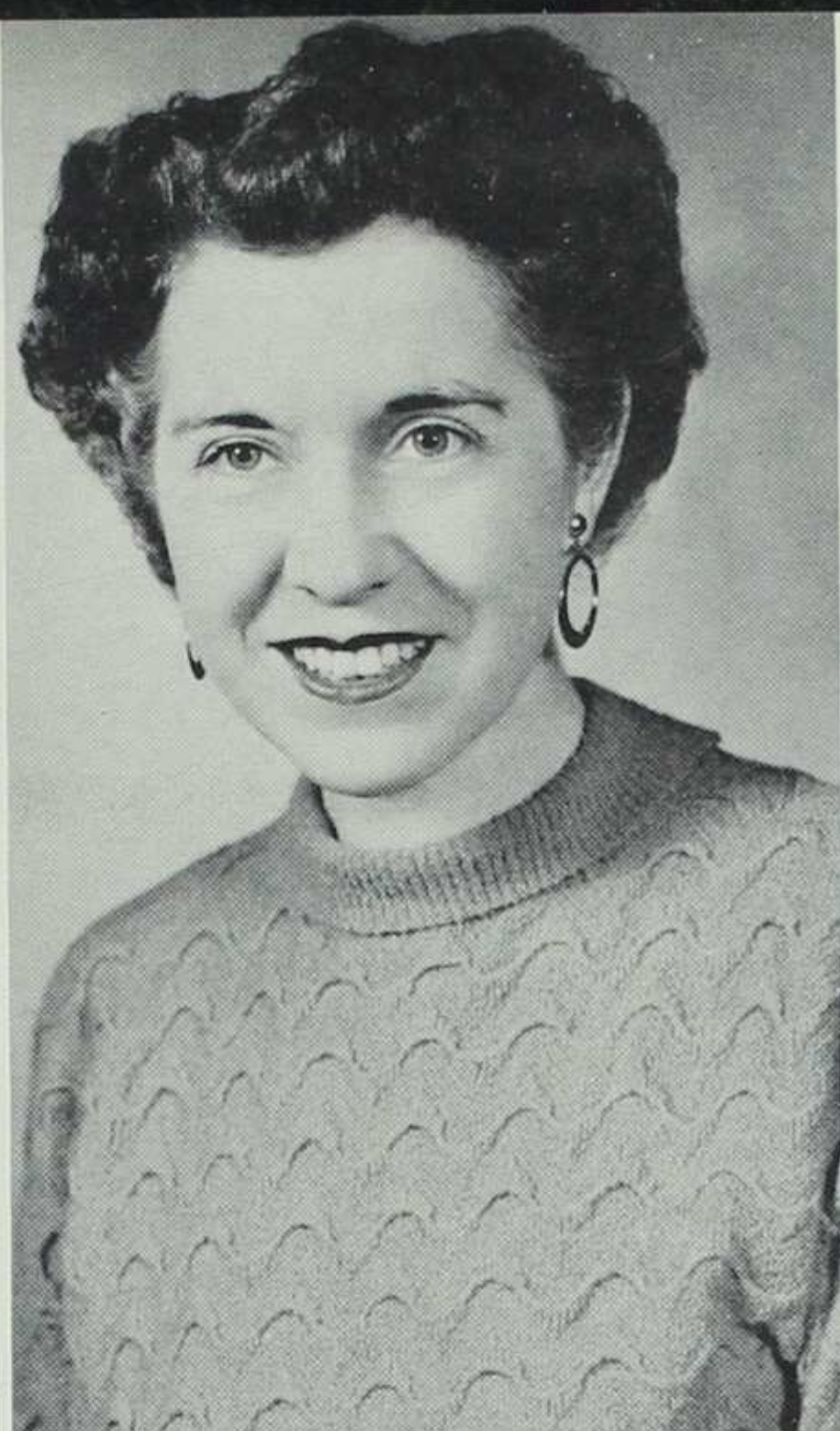
ETHEL ROORDA
Mathematics



RICHARD BRAUN
Music



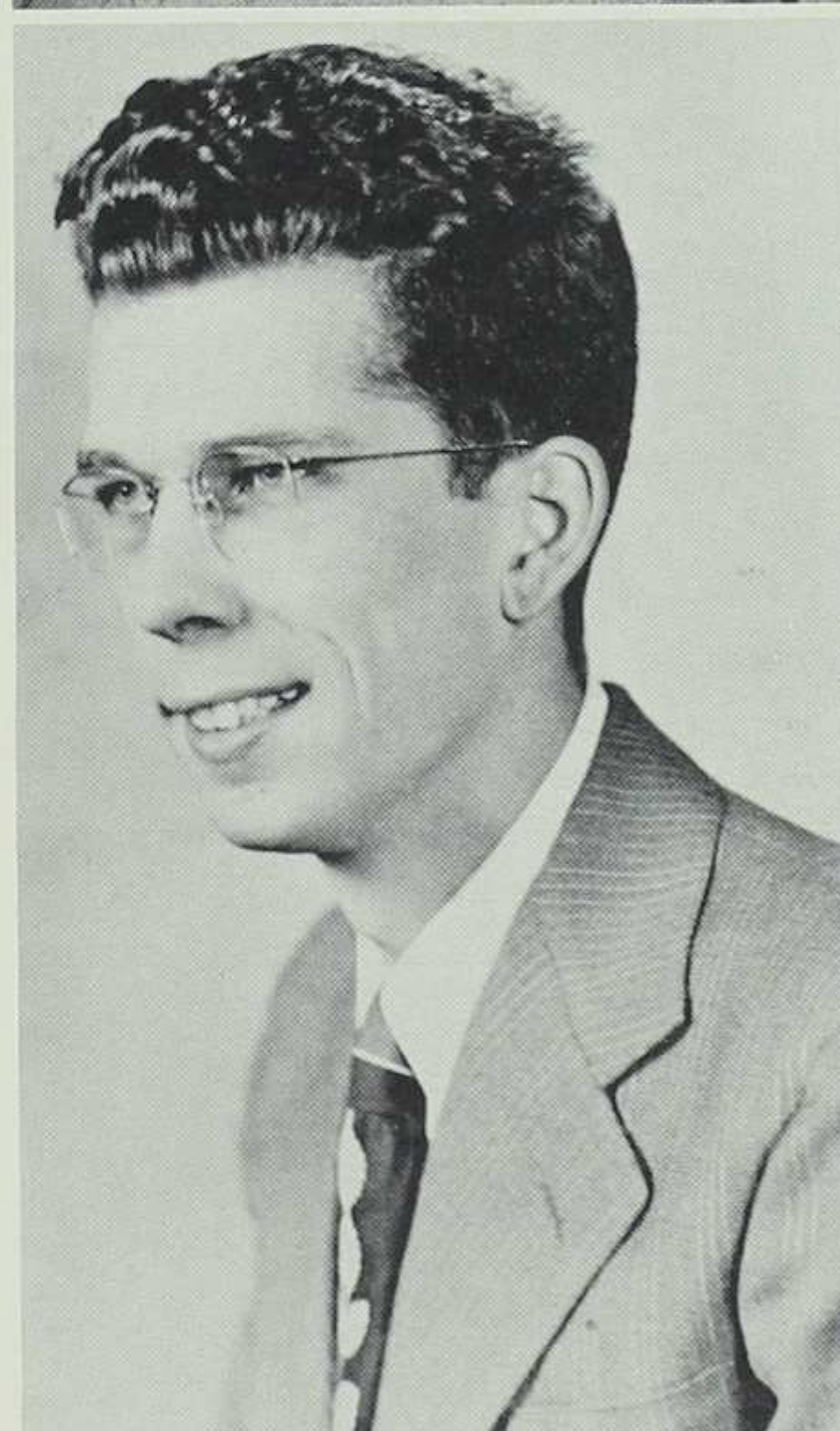
GLADYS KUEHL
Speech and English



THOMAS GREGORY
Speech and English



JOSEPH P. CRISLER
Chemistry



BERTHA SUPPLEE
English



NOLA CASEY
Physical Education



WAYNE G. WILD
Physics



DR. EDWIN T.
SANDBERG
English



DR. ELVINA MATTSON
Education



HUBERT TURNER
History



F. M. SANDY
Business Administration



BRUCE W. ALDERMAN
Dean of Men and
Education



PHOEBE LaFOY
Dean of Women and
Commercial



KERMIT BUNTROCK
Journalism



DR. GEORGE
REYNOLDS
History



DAGGMAR PETERSON
Biology



ALBERTA B. DWELLE
Librarian



JOHN H. KRAUSE
Physical Education



ALBERT O'BRIEN
Business Administration





DEAN'S OFFICE

Darlene Meyer
Mrs. La Foy
Mrs. Hoffman
Dean Wesselink

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Trixie
Mr. Sandy
Thelma Eekhoff



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Mr. Alderman
Ruth Jorgensen

PLACEMENT OFFICE

Clara Gregg, secretary
Mryon Anderson, student
T. P. Kuehl



Student Health



BETTY DROEGEMULLER
Nurse



MRS. RAYMOND J. RUTT
Matron of Swope Hall

Swope Hall

Student Council



First row, left to right: Carroll Sawin, Irene McAlpine, Bob Griffiths, Rita Nielsen, Bill Richards. **Second row:** Leo McCurnin, Paul Coble, Chuck Branstetter, Don McCurnin.

In any group where people work together, there must be a representative group to provide harmony and unity. On the Buena Vista Campus, harmony is achieved through the work of the Student Council. This group is composed of nine members, representing the four classes.

This year's Student Council was capably led by Bill Richards. Other officers were Carol Sawin as Vice President, Rita Nielsen as Secretary and Bob Griffiths, Treasurer. W. B. Green served as faculty advisor. Under the leadership of these people, the Student Council served as the stepping stone between students and administration.

The 1952-53 Student Council was a busy one, successfully carrying out several new plans this year.

Women's Governing Board



First row, left to right: Jane Shadle, Joeline Rueter, Dorothy Anderson, Darlene Meyer, Betty Kruse, Dorothy Martin. **Second row:** Lois Essick, Joyce Clipperton, Mavis Marker, Joan McCorkindale, Janus Hammer.

The Swope Hall Council, composed of a representative from each suite, chosen by the girls, handles all of the problems of adjustment and discipline of the dormitory girls. The Council, this past year, has engaged in many activities. Each month a birthday party was held for the girls having birthdays that month. The annual Yule Log Service was held in the Main Lounge of Swope Hall, with a piece of the traditional Yule Log being used to light the New Log. A Christmas Banquet was held for the girls. In the Spring a Farewell Party was given. The president for this year was Darlene Meyer and Mrs. LaFoy served as faculty advisor.

Part II

Students

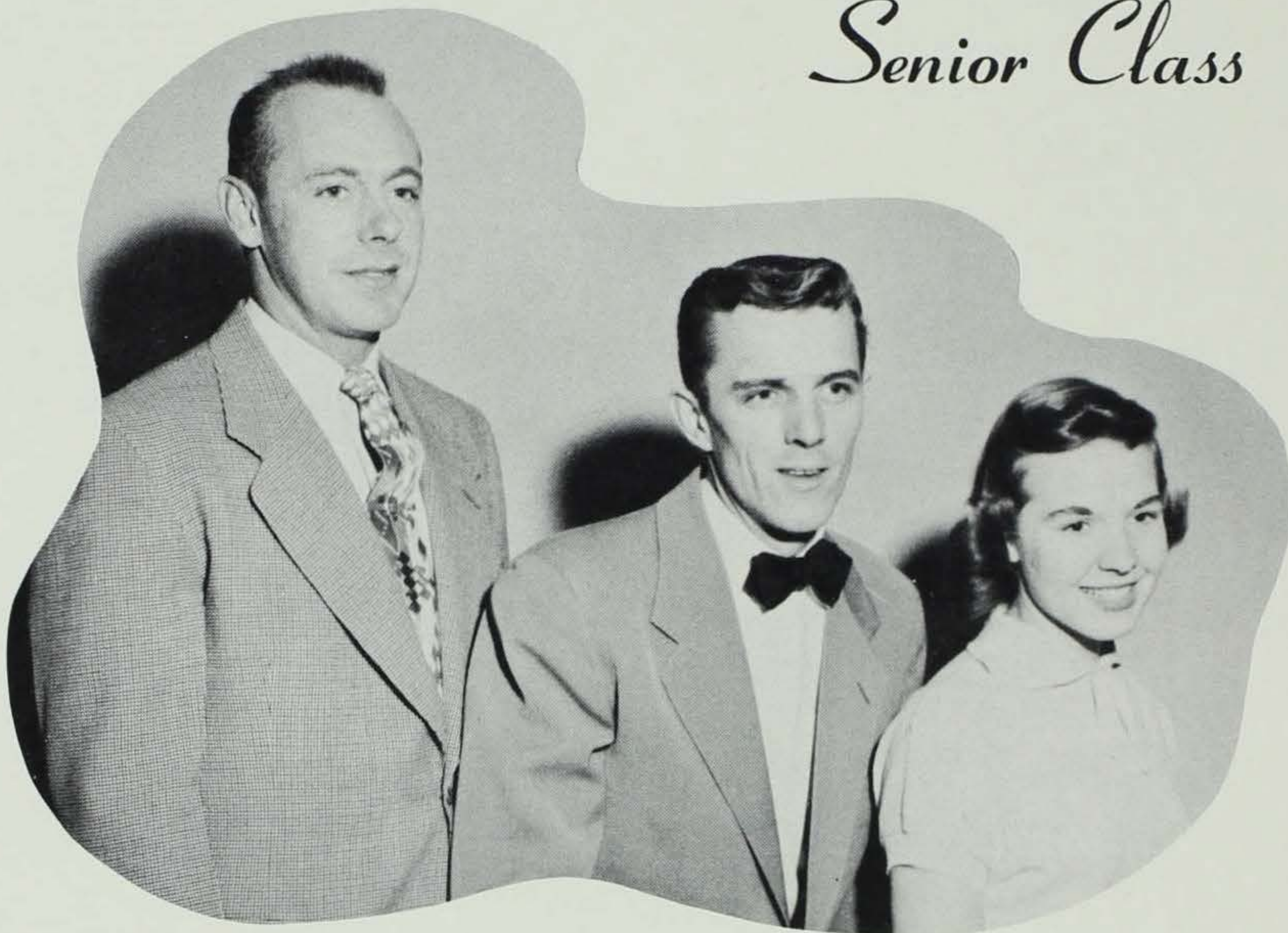
Students



CAFE



Senior Class



CLASS OFFICERS

President John Peterson
Vice-President Ruth Jorgensen
Secretary-Treasurer Roger Satory

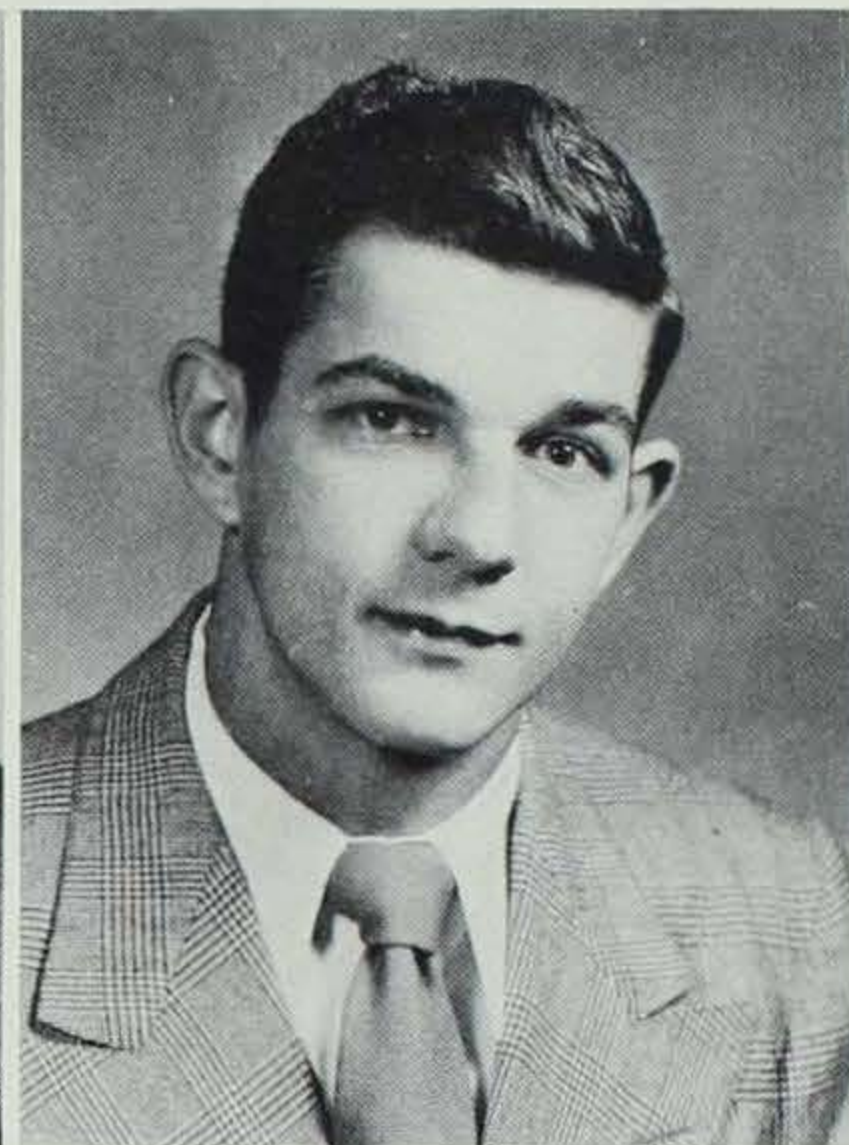
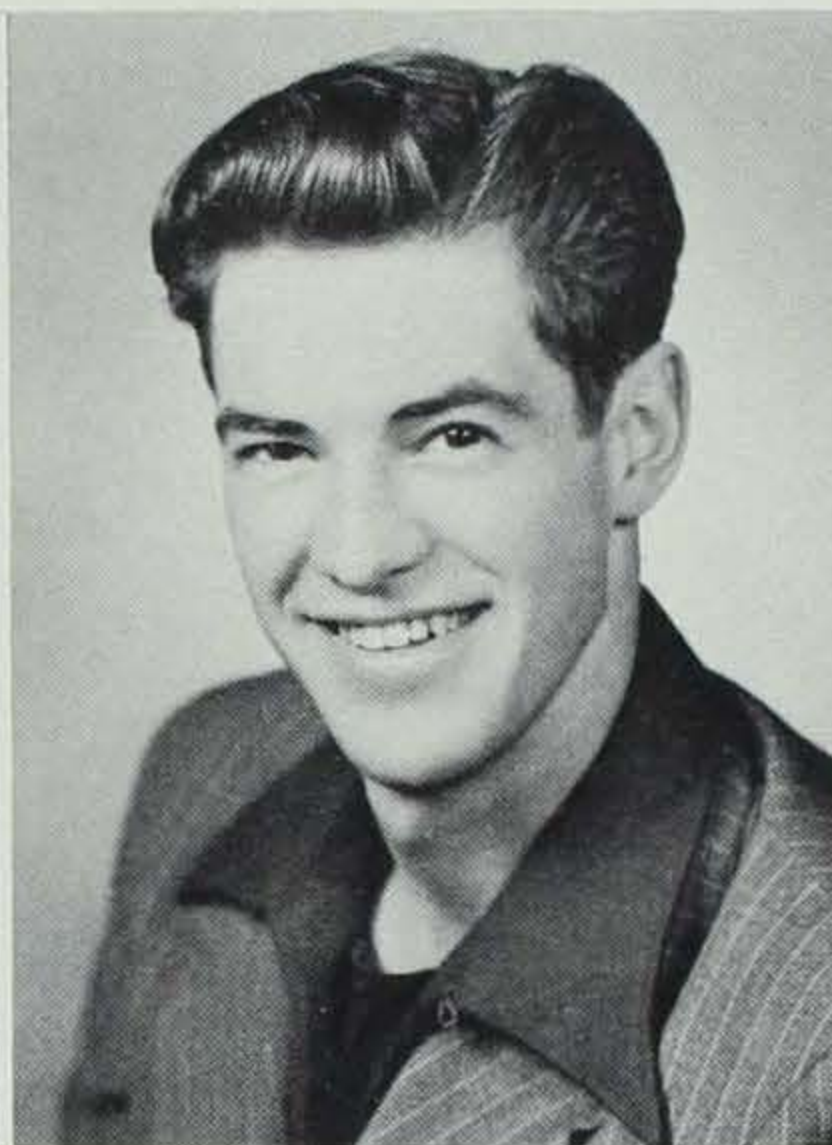
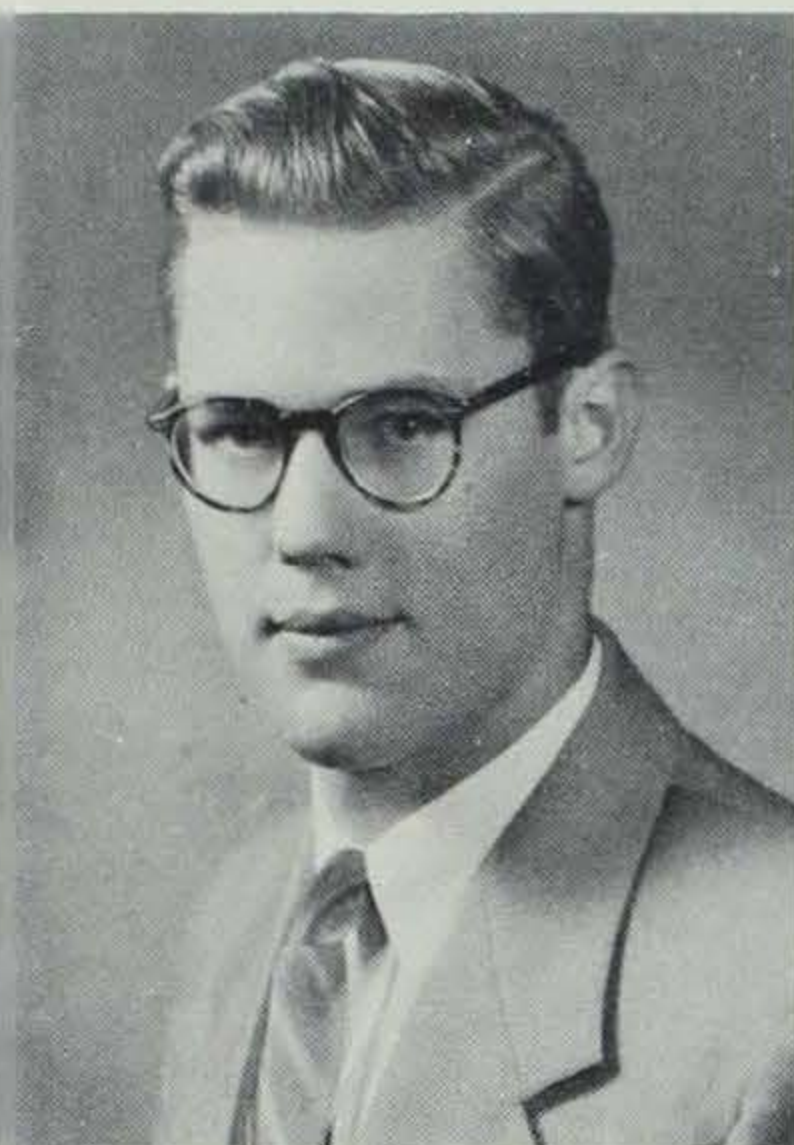
The senior class of '53 was small in comparison with the classes of previous years, but they made significant contributions to the college life. With a vast wealth of experience and a desire and willingness to serve, this group took a part in all of the important campus activities.

Experience gained in studying and working with fellow students has given our seniors valuable training for future efforts. The desire and willingness to serve marks an ability to adjust to society, and this achievement is one of the prime goals of education.

In a world of new administrations, budget cutting, defense spending and draft classifications, many of our seniors may feel reluctant to leave the security of learning in to the realm of application. Nevertheless, the senior begins to look beyond his limited college viewpoint and seeks to assume his share of today's responsibility for tomorrow's leadership.

The senior contributions in academics, in music, in dramatics and athletics, have made a lasting impression on college history. To these seniors, we give a sincere "Well done," and we hope that the success achieved at Buena Vista will continue to follow to higher planes of achievement.

Senior Class



DAROLD ANDERSON Storm Lake, Iowa
MATHEMATICS

Band 1, 2, 3
Choir 1, 2

MYRON ANDERSON Marathon, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4

JOHN BECKEL Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE

One Act Plays 2
Tack Staff 2, 3, 4
Student Handbook 3, 4

CHARLES BRANSTETTER Milford, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 3, 4
Class Officer 3
Who's Who 4
Most Valuable Football 3
Most Valuable Basketball 2

JAMES BUENGER Alta, Iowa
ENGLISH

Choir 1, 2
Phi Delta Chi 2, 3, 4
Haephestos Club 2, 3, 4
Spanish Club 2

ROBERT BUMANN Schaller, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

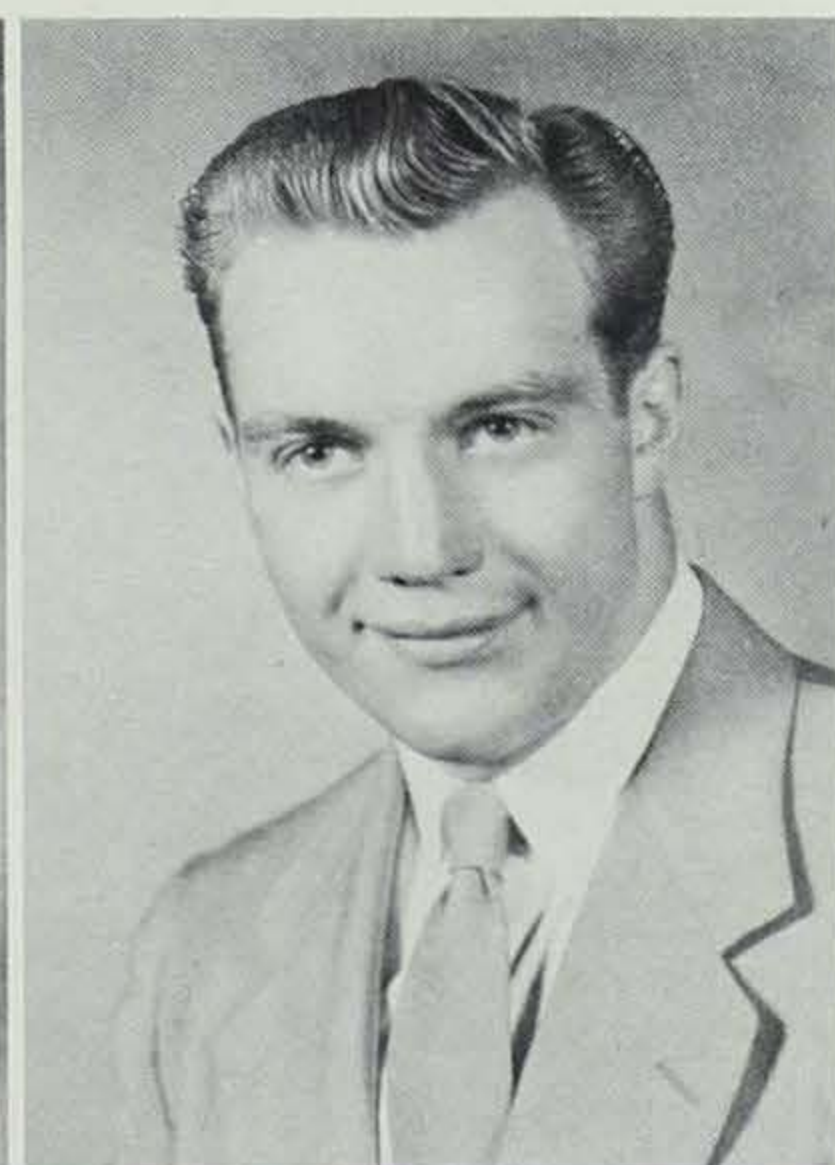
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4

MERLE EBERLE Scranton, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Play 3

MARLENE ERICKSON Marathon, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE

Choir 4
Band 4
Ensemble 4
Tack Staff 4
F.T.A. 3, 4
President 4
Who's Who 4





Senior Class

JON FRANCIS Linn Grove, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Circle K 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4

JOSEPH FRANCIS Linn Grove, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Circle K 4

RICHARD FREASE Scranton, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

F.T.A. 3, 4
Circle 3, 4

JOHN GRAHAM Harris, Iowa
MUSIC

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Choir 1, 2, 3, 4
Ensemble 3, 4
F.T.A. 3, 4

ALLAN J. HANNAFAN Clinton, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2
Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Assistant Coach
Football-Track 4

JAMES HAWBECKER Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

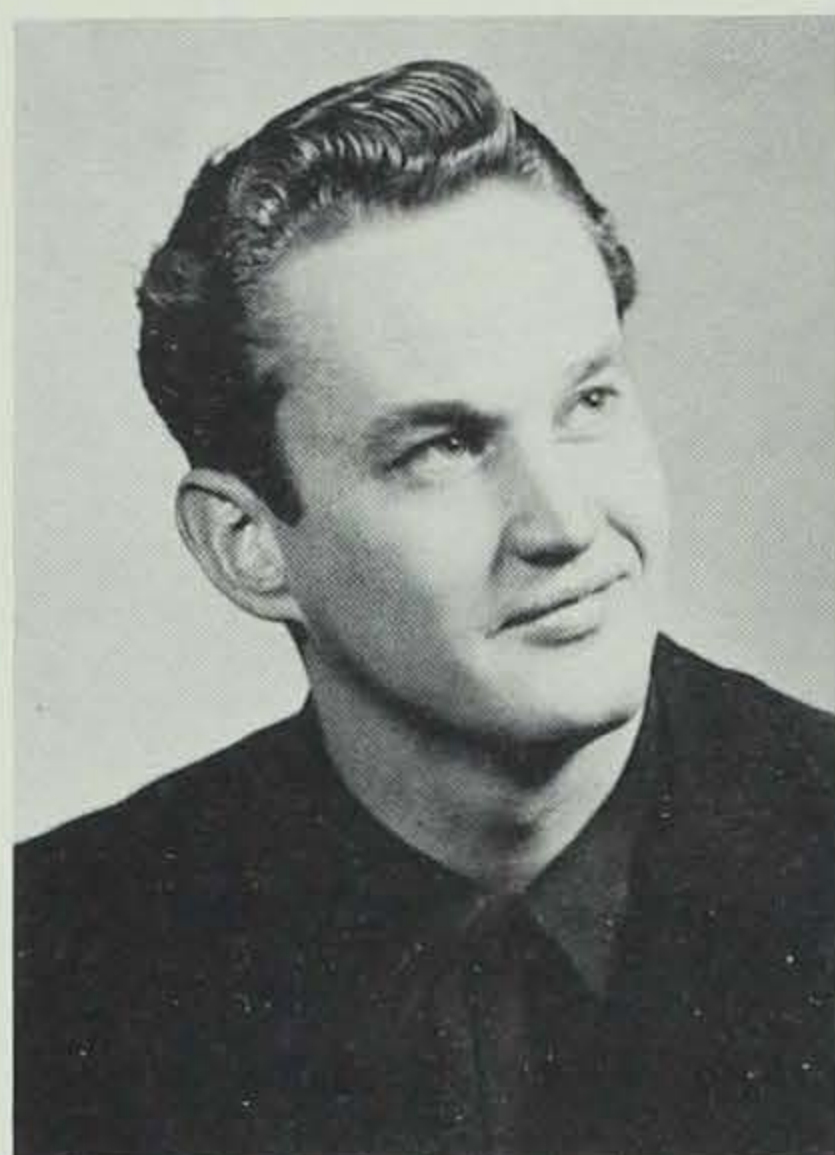
Circle K 3, 4
President 4

WILLIAM HOFFMAN Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Choir 3
Circle K 2, 3, 4
Who's Who 4
Band 4
Vice President

44 **REV. VERNON HUFFEY** Decorah, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE





Senior Class

RODNEY HUNTER Correctionville, Iowa
SOCIOLOGY

B.V. Players 1
Cheerleader 2

FLOYD ISEBRANDS Jewell, Iowa
SOCIOLOGY

MARLYN JOHNSON Albert City, Iowa
North Park College 1, 2
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Basketball 3, 4
Baseball 3, 4
Letterman's Club 3, 4

RUTH JORGENSEN Newell, Iowa
Bethel College 1, 2
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Choir 3, 4
Ensemble 4
Play 3
Phi Alpha Pi 4
U.S.C.A. 3, 4
Senior Class
Vice President 4
Cheerleader 4

DONALD KAMPRATH Alta, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4
F.T.A. 4

DORIS LEAF Stratford, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE

S.C.F. 1, 2, 3
President 2
U.S.C.A. 4
International Relations Club 3
F.T.A. 3, 4

GEORGIA LECLAIR Ruthven, Iowa
EDUCATION

JAMES LINDLIEF Alta, Iowa
MATHEMATICS

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2
Letterman's Club 3, 4
F.T.A. 4





Senior Class



CHARLOTTE LOCKEY

Spencer, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Play 1
One Act Plays 2
B. V. Players 1
Tennis 2
Junior Class
Secretary-Treasurer 3
Delta Phi Beta 1, 2, 3, 4
Secretary 3, 4

F.T.A. 1
Alpha Psi Omega 4
S.C.F. 1
Cheerleader 1, 2
Student Council 3

IRENE McALPINE

Cherokee, Iowa

ENGLISH—SPEECH

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Plays 1, 2, 3
One Act Plays 1, 2, 3, 4
B.V. Players 1, 2, 3, 4
Radio 1, 2, 3, 4
Log 2, 3, 4
Co-Editor Log 4

Student Handbook 4
Haephestas Club 2
Secretary 1
Alpha Psi Omega 2, 3, 4
Secretary 2—President 3
Who's Who 4
Student Council 4

EDWARD McNEIL

Summers, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Assistant Coach
Football 4
Assistant Coach
Basketball 4

MARVIN MILLER

Cherokee, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Band 1, 2
Plays 1
Choir 3, 4
S.C.F. 1, 2
U.S.C.A. 3, 4

STEVE NEMETH

Fords, New Jersey

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4
B.V. Players 2
Radio 1
F.T.A. 3, 4
Who's Who 4
Dormitory President 3

PAUL OHLSEN

Schaller, Iowa

MATHEMATICS

JOHN PETERSON

Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

F.T.A. 4
Sigma Tau Delta 4
Senior Class President

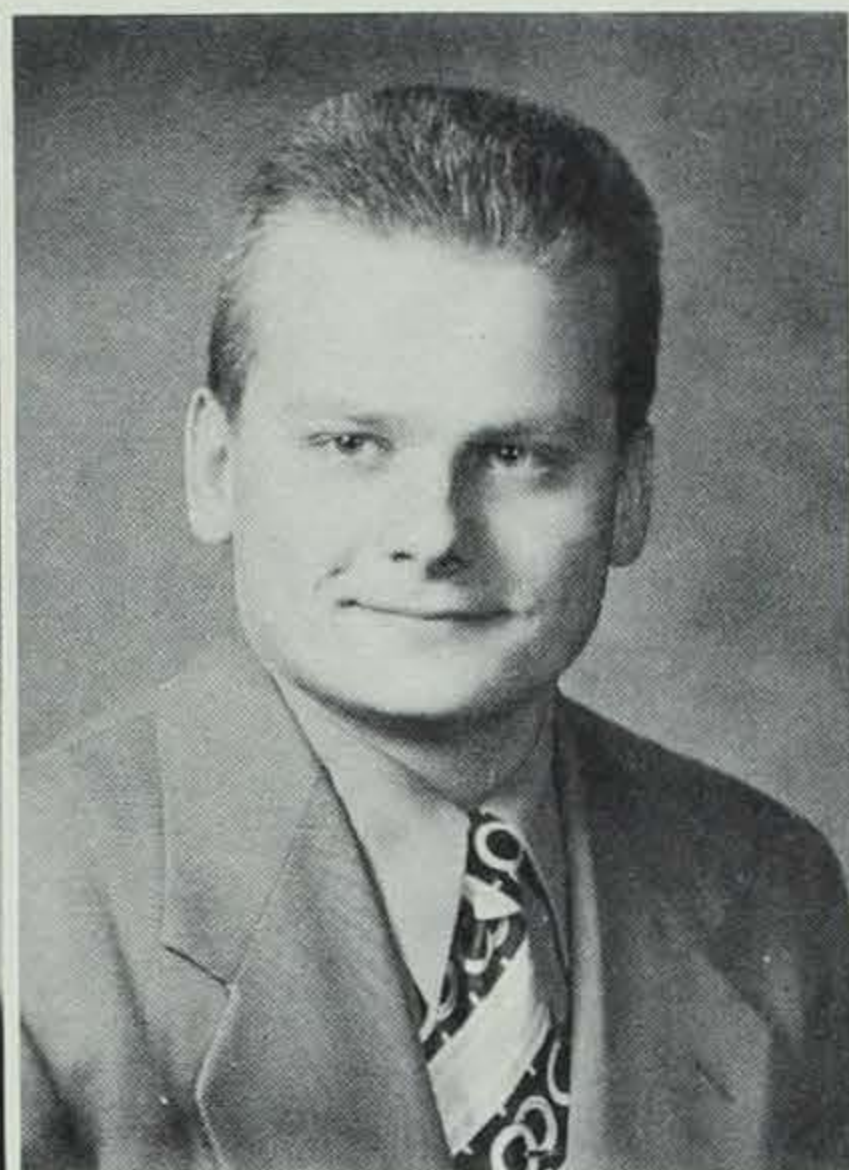
VERNON RATH

Correctionville, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4
President 4
Basketball 2
Freshman Class
President

Senior Class



WILLIAM RICHARDS Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICS

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Track Staff 2, 3, 4
Editor 4
Log 2, 3
Student Handbook 4
Pi Kappa Delta 2, 3, 4
Sigma Tau Delta 1, 2, 3, 4
U.S.C.A. 4
Student Council
President 4

CHARLES ROSBURG Marcus, Iowa
MATHEMATICS

Football 4
Track 1
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4

ROGER SATORY Albert City, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE

Football 1
Basketball 1
Senior Class
Secretary-Treasurer

MORRIS SCHROEDER Terrill, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4

VERL SOUTHWICK Kingsley, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Band 2
Basketball 1
Baseball 1, 2, 4
Circle K 3, 4
Letterman's Club 3, 4
Secretary-Treasurer 4

JERRY SPECK Perry, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

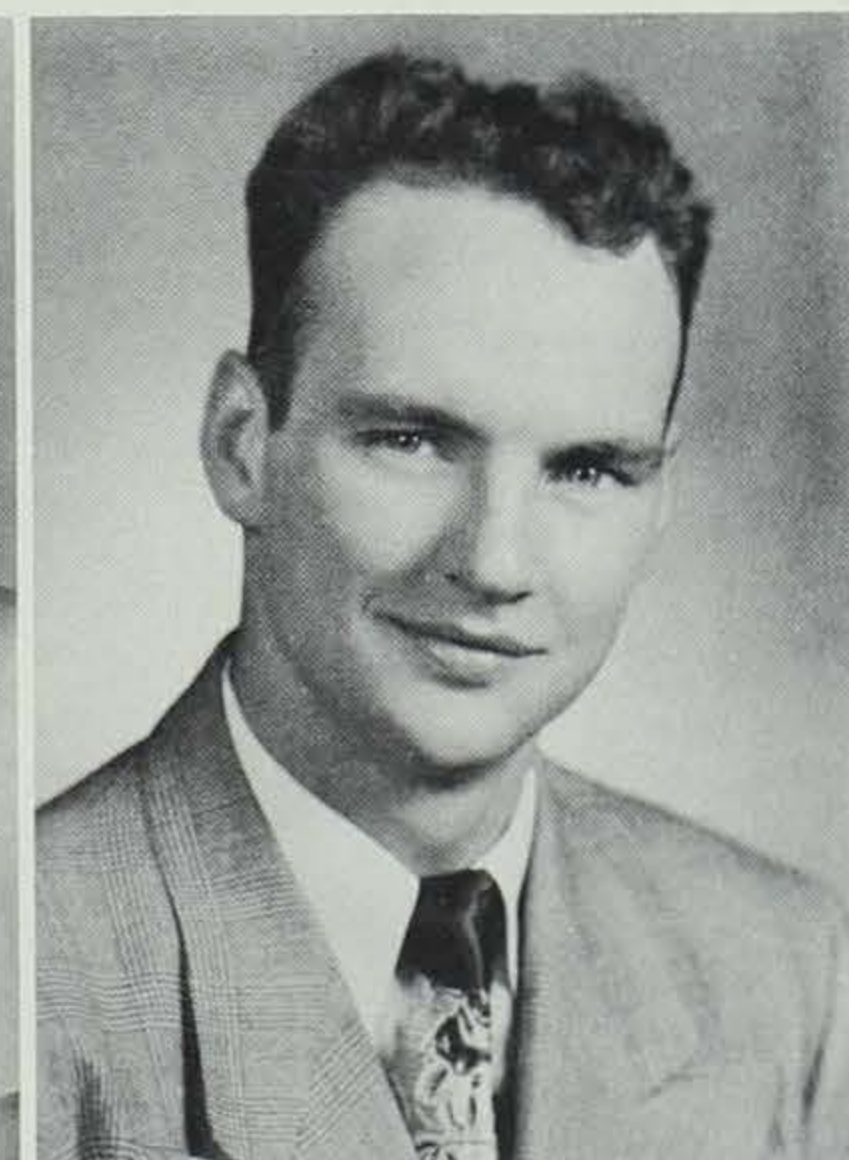
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Baseball 1, 2, 3
Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3
Log 1
Spanish Club 2

PATRICK SULLIVAN Carroll, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4
F.T.A. 3, 4
Circle K 3, 4

ELWOOD THIES Correctionville, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 2
Letterman's Club 3, 4





Senior Class

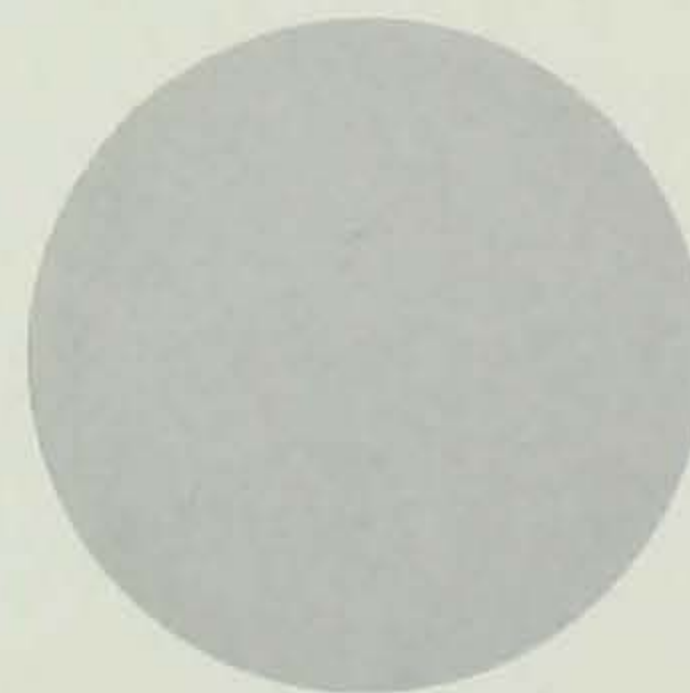
MARGARET WEBER Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Choir 1, 2
Entre Nous 1, 2, 3, 4

RICHARD WENGER Albert City, Iowa
SOCIOLOGY
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4

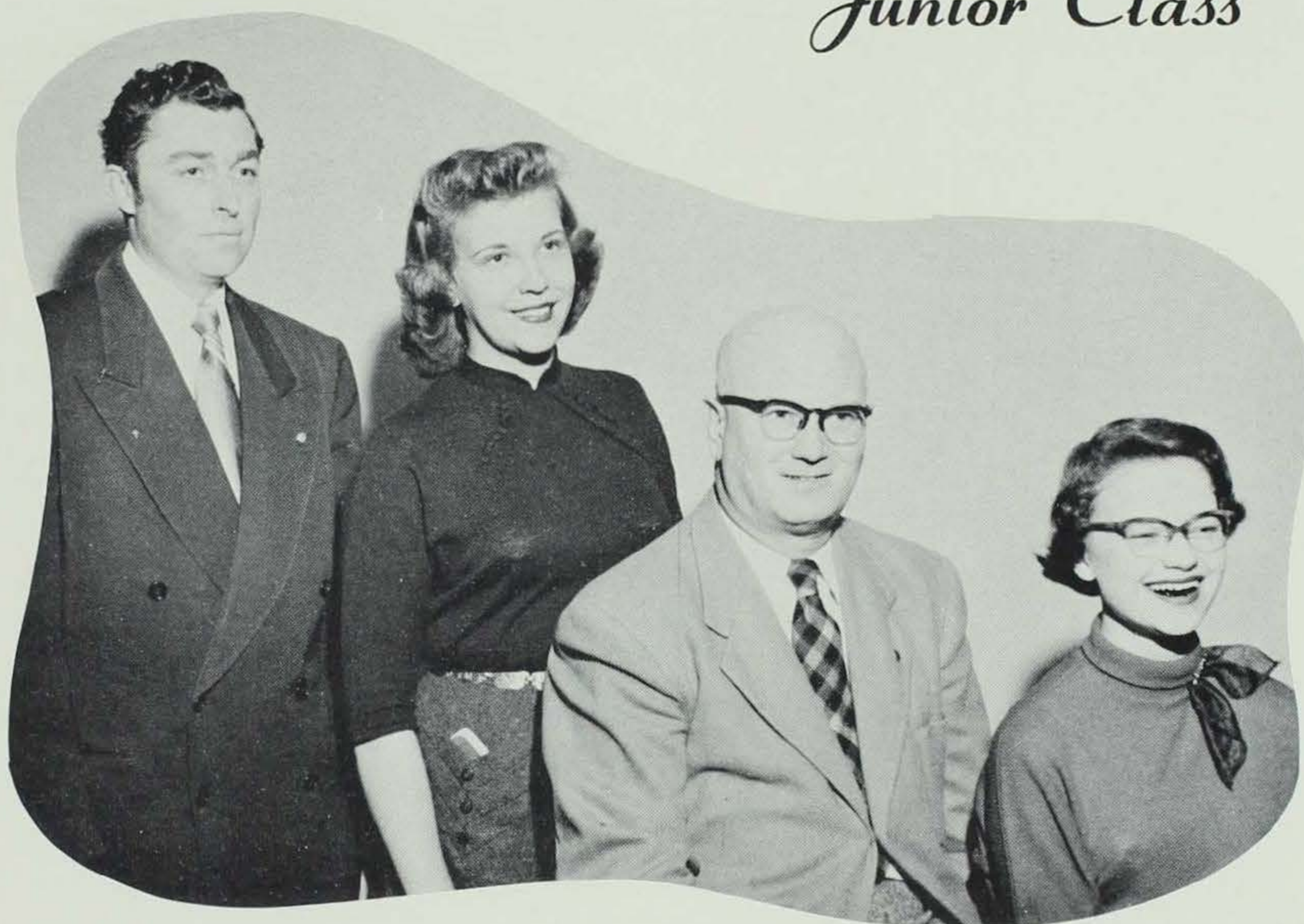
RICHARD WESTPHAL Rockwell City, Iowa
CHEMISTRY
Band 2
Choir 2
Play 2
B.V. Players 2, 3
Tack Staff 2, 3, 4
Log 2
Sigma Tau Delta 3, 4

DARRELL ZIEMER Dunnell, Minnesota
SOCIAL SCIENCE
Circle K 4
F.T.A. 4

MRS. DOROTHEA CRISLER Storm Lake, Iowa
Home Economics



Junior Class



CLASS OFFICERS

President	Don Kenning
Vice-President	Joanne Baumann
Secretary	Jean Moe
Treasurer	Leo McCurnin

In this class we find the majority of those who are presidents of our organization on campus.

Leadership was shown by Jean Moe for Alpha Psi Omega, Joan Baumann of Sigma Tau Delta, Dix Lohman of Pi Kappa Delta, Margaret Nicolaisen for Phi Alpha Pi, and Vernon Rath of the Letterman's Club.

The juniors this year were an especially active group in forensics. Six members from this class aided the local forensics group in entering the national forensics organization Pi Kappa Delta. They also helped to plan and engineer the annual High School Debate Meet.

Juniors

FARRELL BARNEY

JOANNE BAUMANN



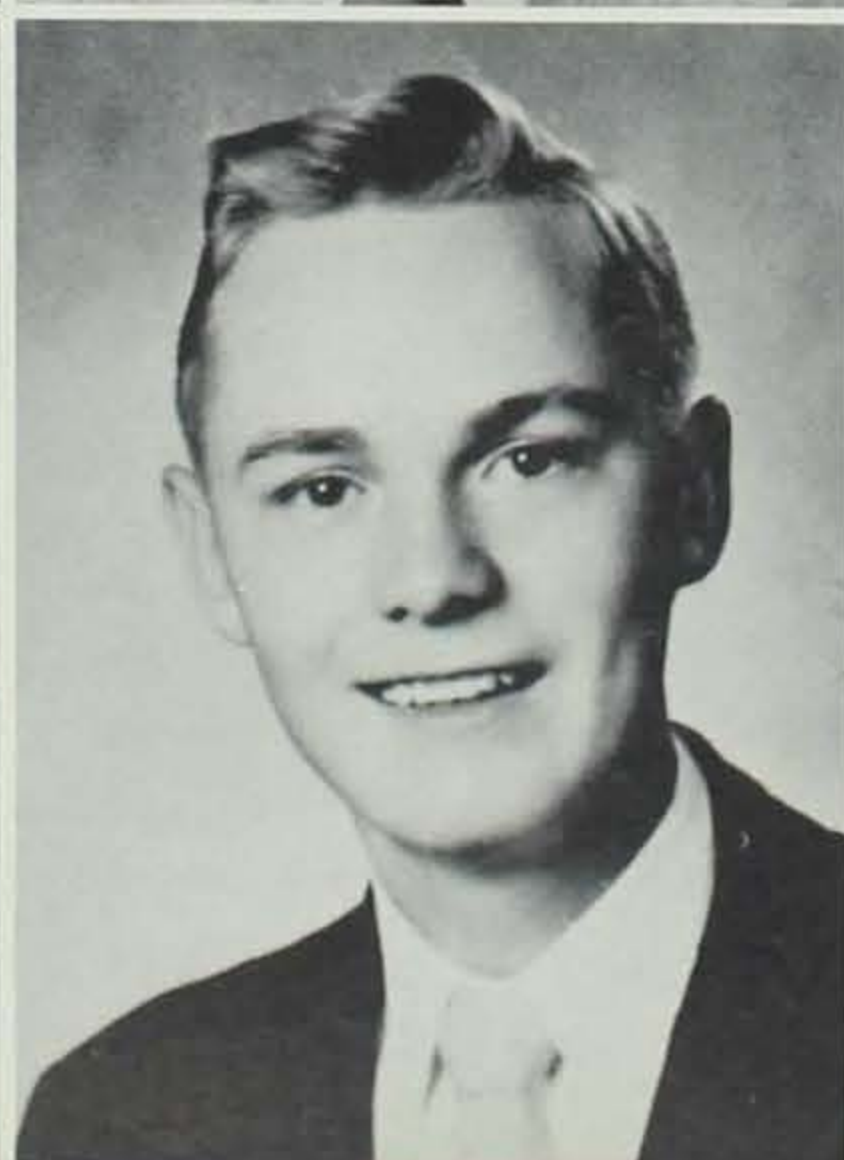
RUTH BOLYARD

MRS. DOLPHINE CHANG



EDWIN CHANG

ROBERT ENGEL



RALPH FERNS

LOWRY FREDERICKSON



Juniors

JAMES FOELL

DOYLE HANSEN

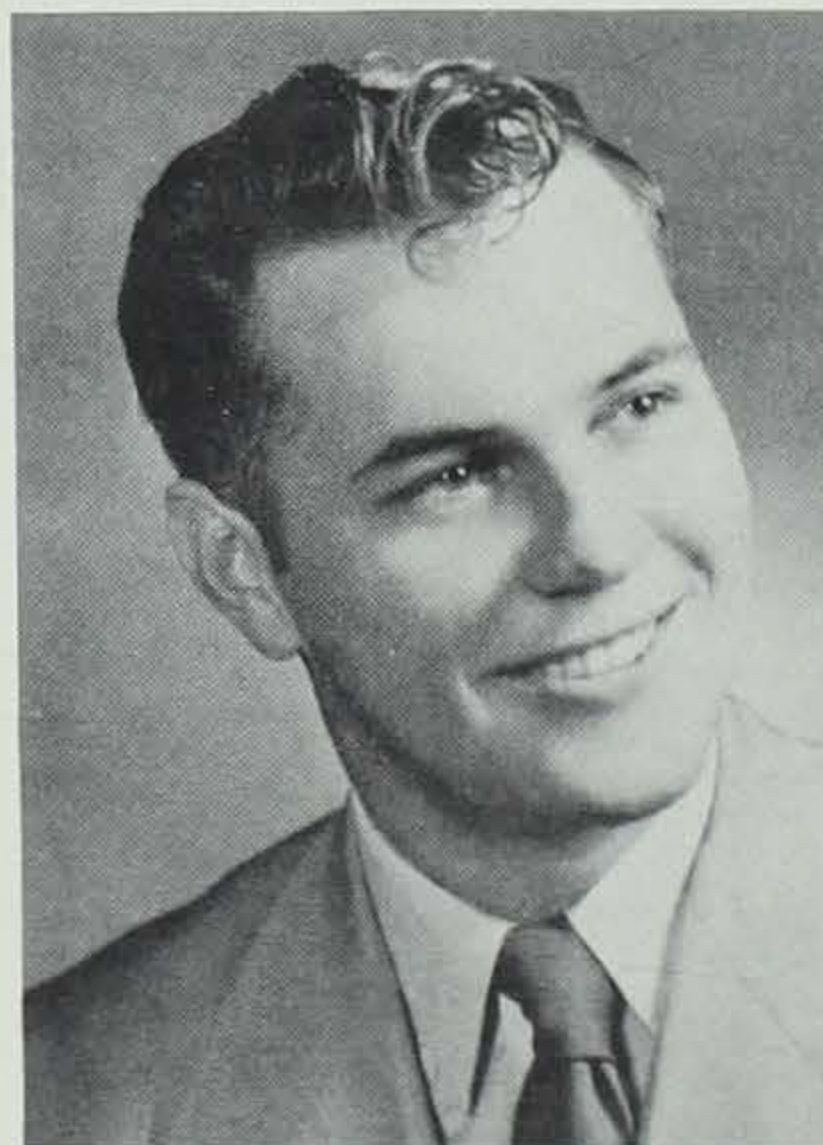


JOHN HANSON

MARJIL HOLTAPP

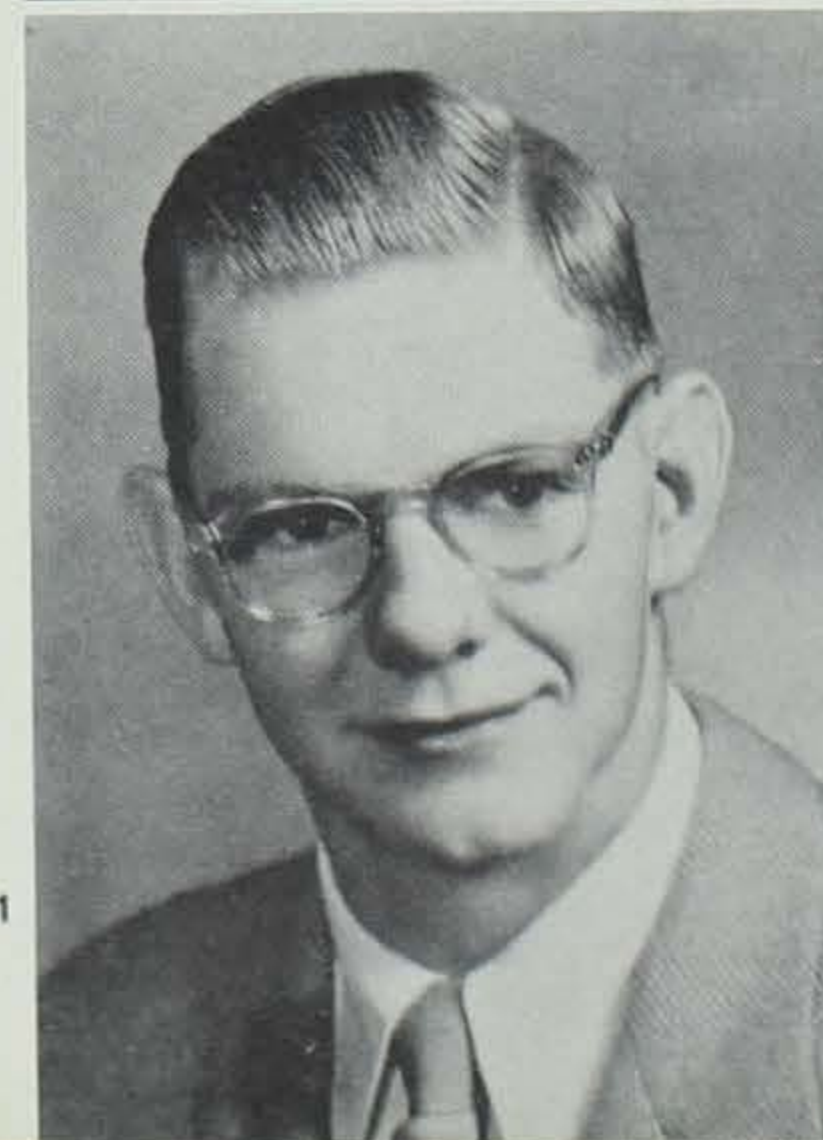
GORDON HOOVER

KEN HULSEBUS



JOE JAMES

DON KENNING



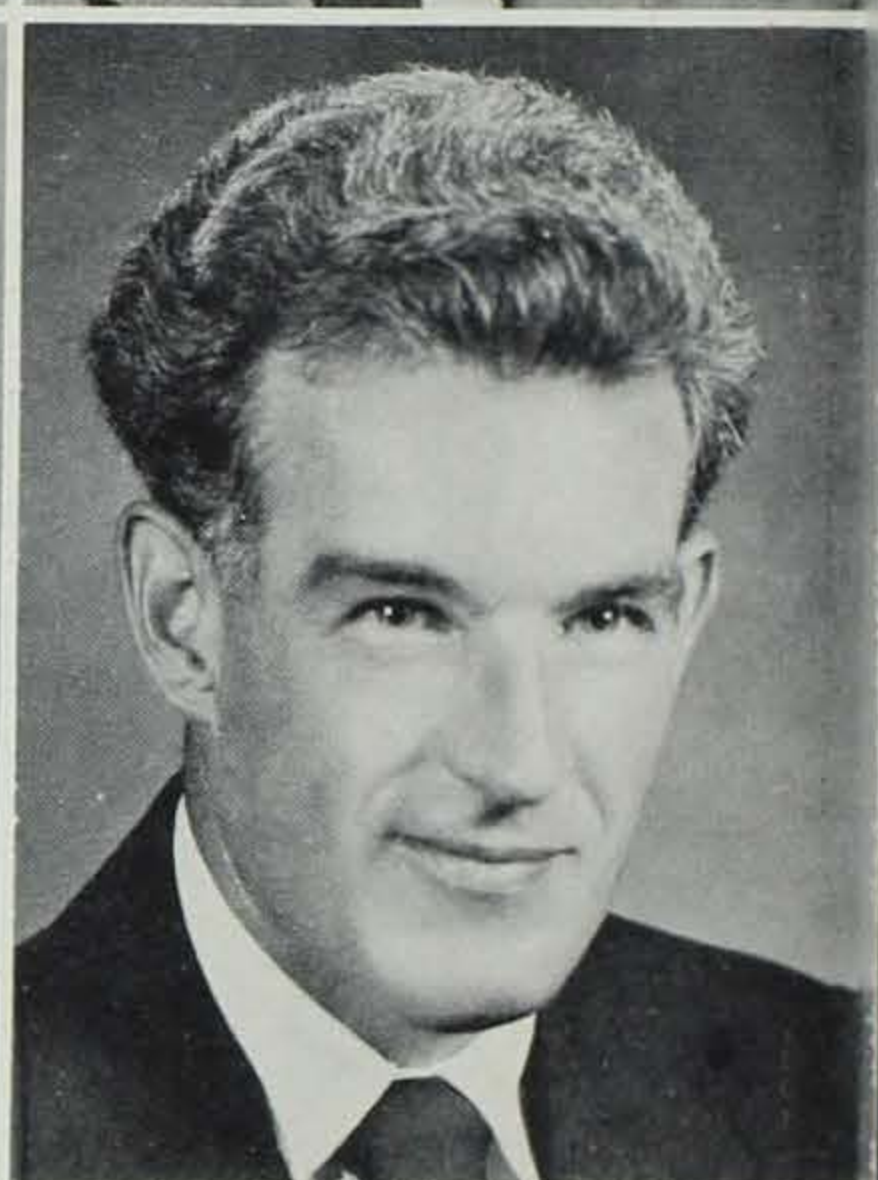
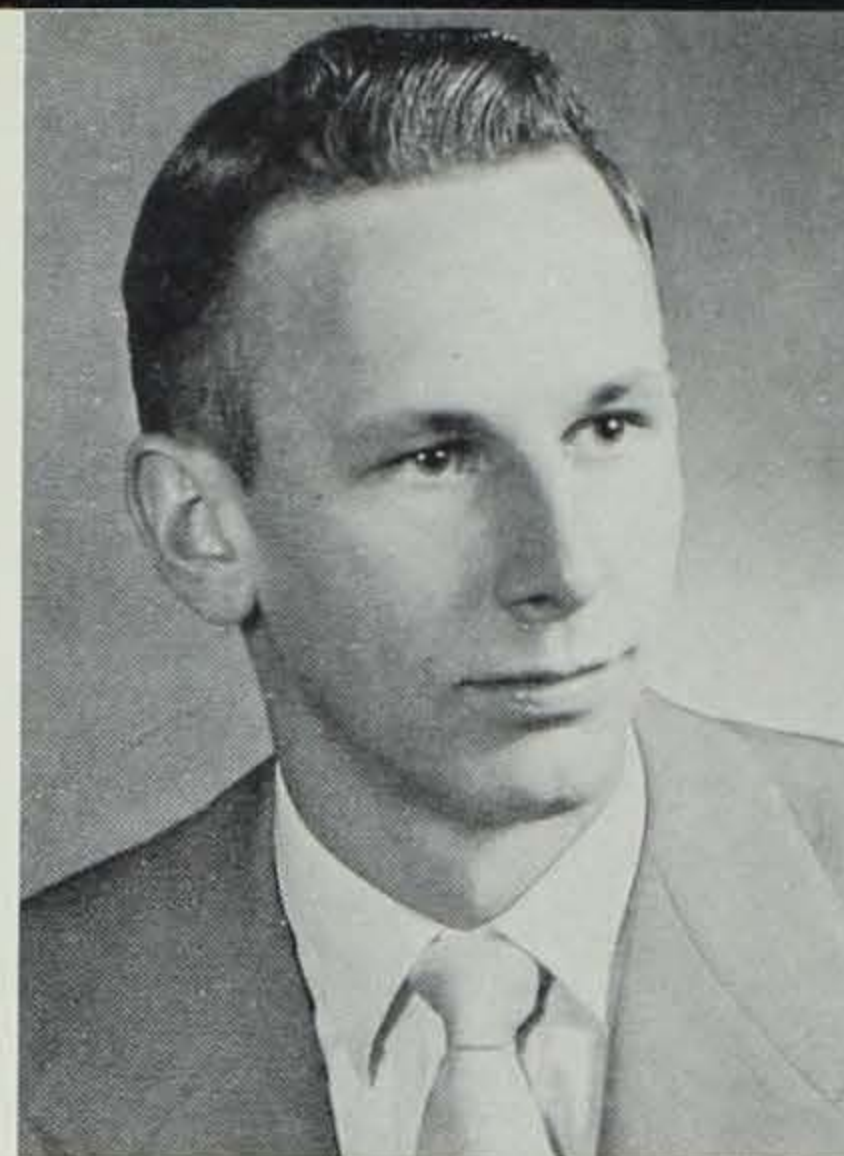
Juniors

LaVERNE KLOSTER

ARTHUR KOENIG

RICHARD LARSEN

JAMES LILLY



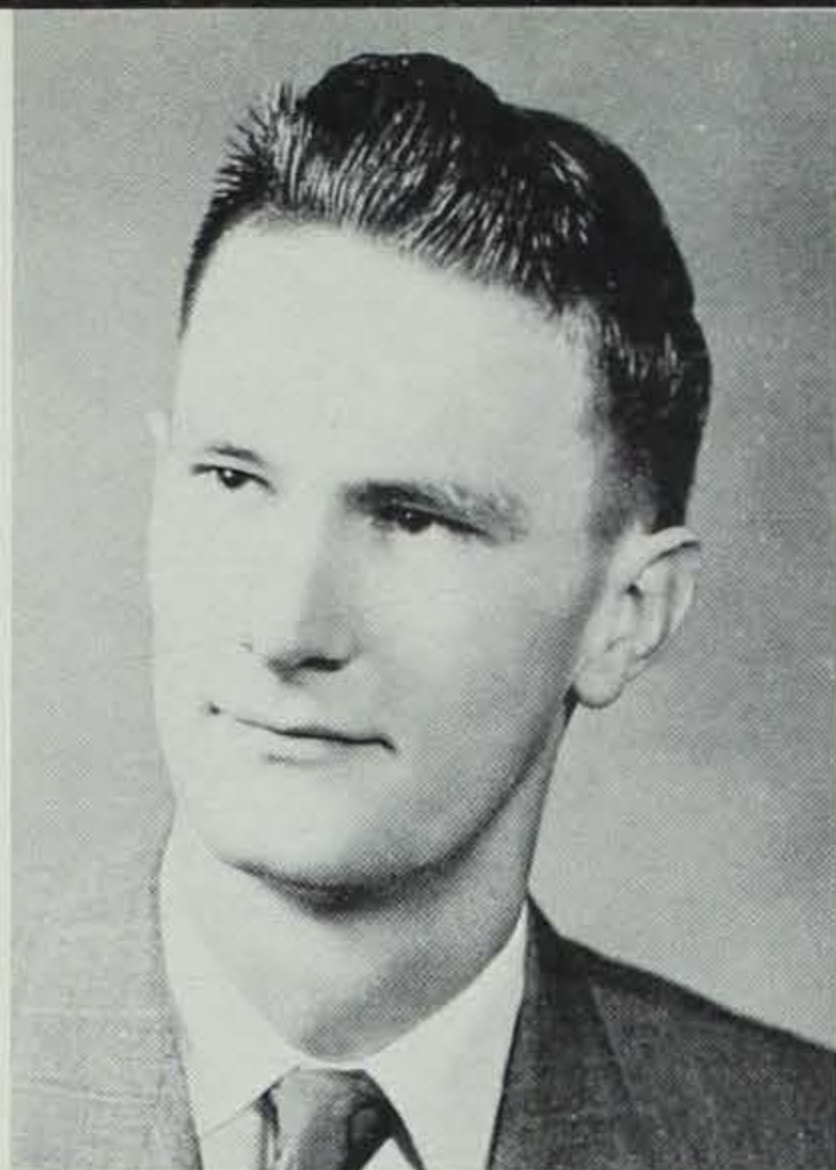
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DON McCURNIN



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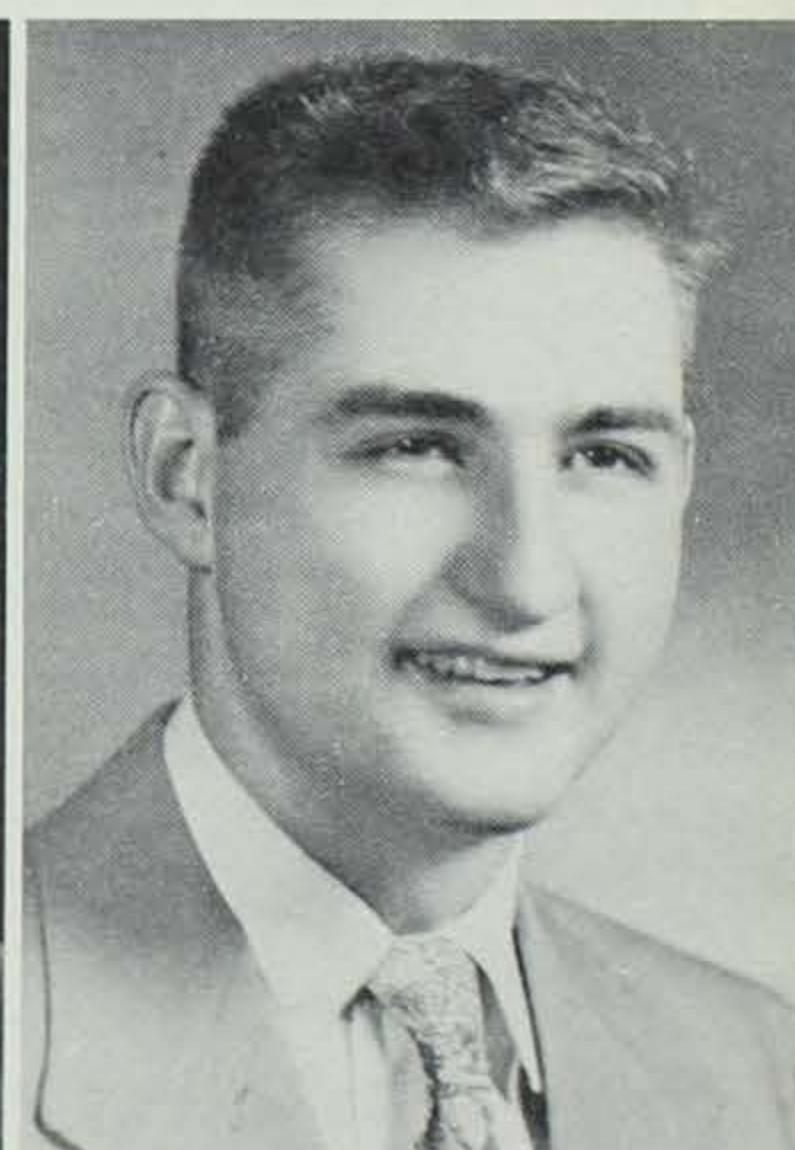


ROGER MAHNKE

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JEAN MOE

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BOB NIELSEN



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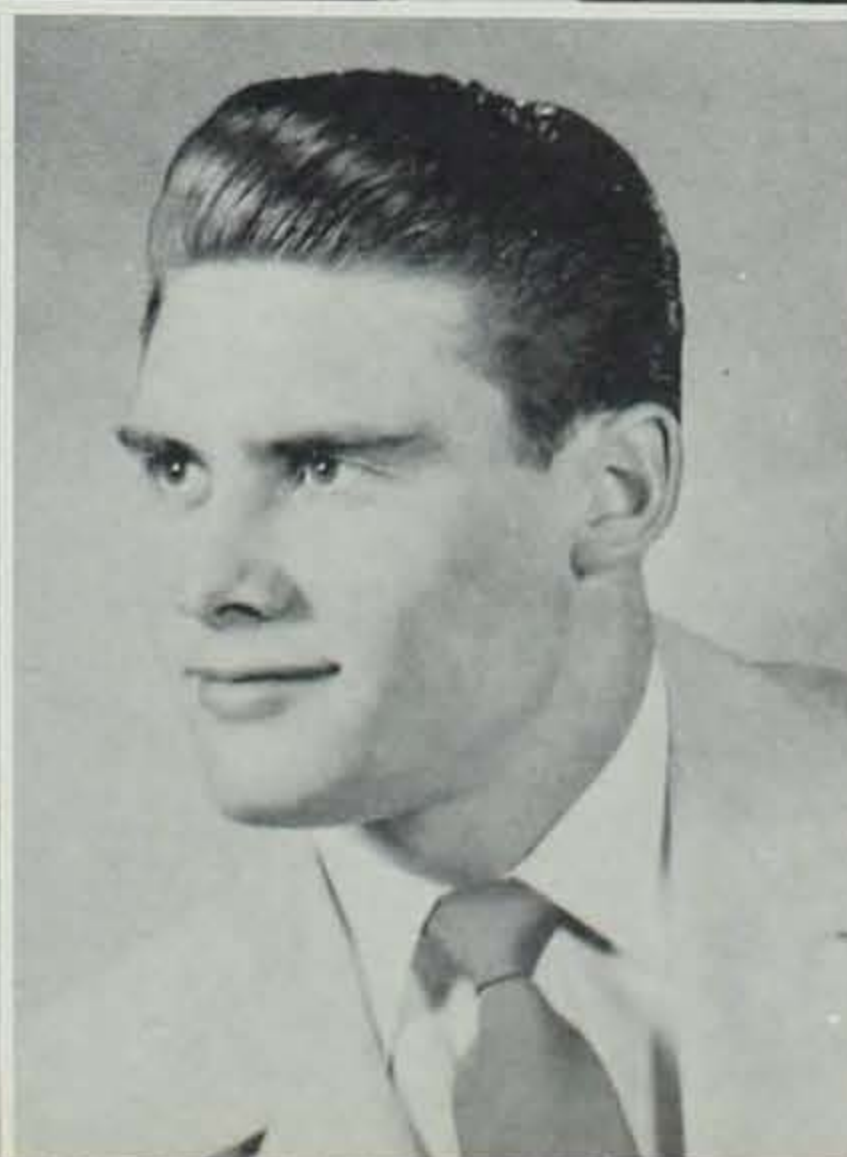
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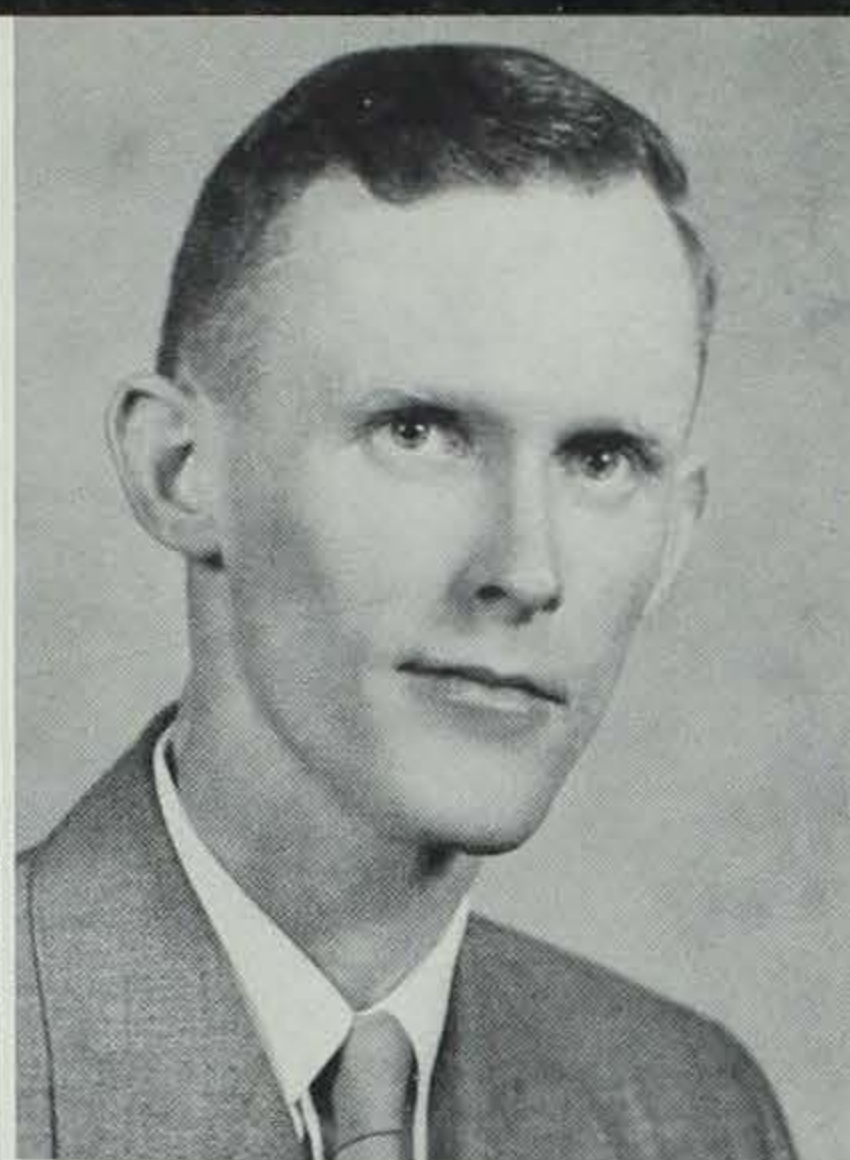
ARLAND SIVADGE

DONALD STELPFLUG



BILL TRYON

DICK TUTTLE



Juniors

MARTIN WEDEKING

ROBERT WILKINSON



WILLIAM ZWEMKE



Sophomore Class



CLASS OFFICERS

President	Bill Southwick
Vice-President	Bob Harrup
Treasurer	Delores Moulds
Secretary	Darlene Meyer

During the year the sophomore class was under the guidance of Bill Southwick. They elected Bob Harrup as Vice-President, Delores Moulds as their treasurer, and Darlene Meyer as secretary.

Within this class we find promising potential leadership. As presidents of campus organization we have Jo Mill, president of Delta Phi Beta, Kent Adams, president of Buena Vista Players, Delores Moulds, president of Entre Nous, and Darlene Meyer as president of the Woman's Governing Board.

Five of the girls from this class were chosen as attendants to the queen. They were Jan Plantz, Joeline Rueter, Nancy Saunders, Phyllis Plag, and Marjil Holtapp.

Sophomores

KENT ADAMS
ROGER ANDERSON
DOROTHY ANDERSON



IONA BAHNSEN
PHYLLIS BISHOFF
CHARLES BRYANT



TOM CHASE
JOYCE CLIPPERTON
MARTHA DAYTON



ENID DORNBRACK
LOIS ESSICK
BILL FAHAN



ALICE FETT
DONNA FRASER



Sophomores

DONALD GRIES

BOB GRIFFITHS

DUANE GUSTIN

ROBERT HAARUP

LONA HANSON

ARTHUR HOOPINGARNER

MAUREEN HUSTIN

JIM KERNS

KAY KISCHER

BRYCE KISSINGER

BETTY KOLPIN

BETTY KRUSE

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CAROLINE McCULLA

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IRWIN McKENNA

MAVIS MARKER

PHYLLIS MEHRENS



DARLENE MEYER

JO ANNE MILL

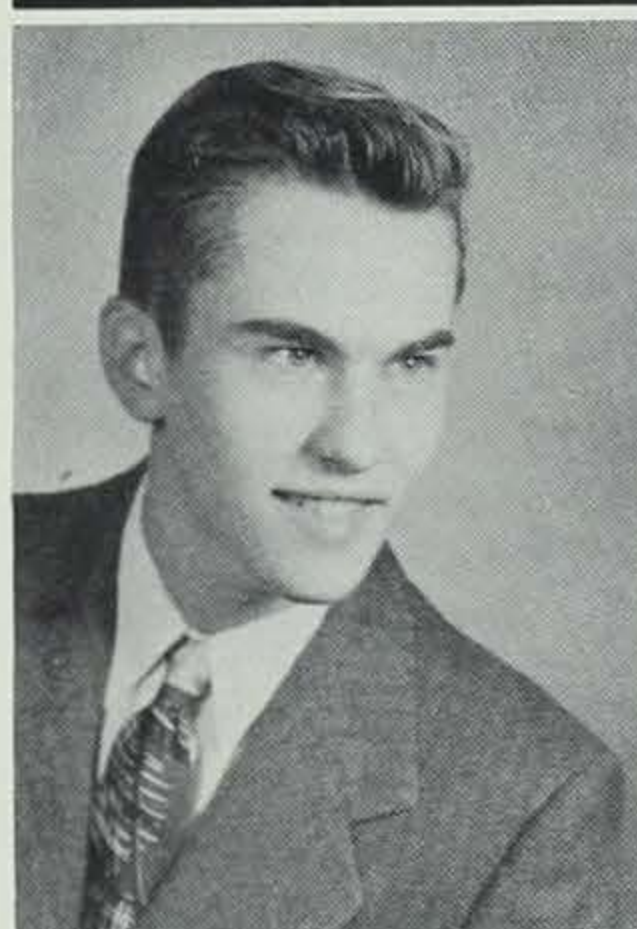
DELORES MOULDS



LEWIS MOULTON

JANICE MYERS

LOIS MOLGAARD



RITA NIELSON

RICHARD NELSON

JANET PLANTZ



PHYLLIS PLOG

JOELINE RUETER



Sophomores

NANCY SAUNDERS

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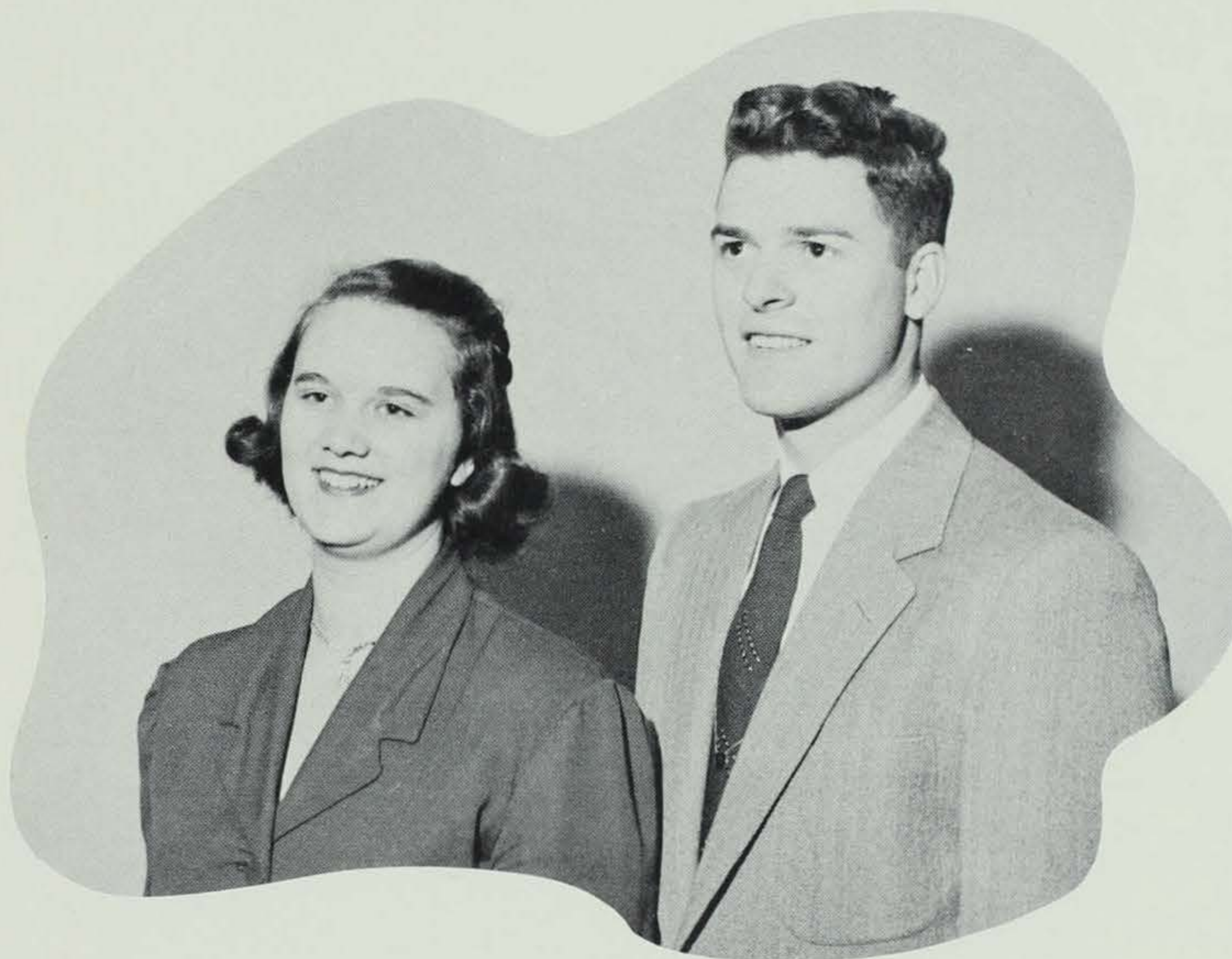
JOAN WAGNER

NANCY WARNOCK

CHARLES WEHMEYER

MARILYN YAGER

Freshman Class



CLASS OFFICERS

President	Bea Anderson
Vice-President	Dwight Harshburger
Treasurer	Joe Doud
Secretary	Mary McMullen

As is traditional, the fall of '52 found the freshmen of Buena Vista wearing their green beanies. After many ordeals they passed their test for a student of Buena Vista with flying colors. Their fateful salvation day finally came on October 25 when the football team found victory, the entire student body was released from classes for one day, and the freshmen discarded their beloved green beanies.

The class elected as their president Bea Anderson. When Bea transferred at the end of the first semester, elected vice-president, Dwight Harshburger, took over the position and led the freshman class for the remainder of their first year.

The class chose Joe Doud as their treasurer, and Mary McMullen as their secretary.

This year's freshmen caused such complimentary comments as "The finest, most poised, and prettiest group of girls to come to B.V." and "Fine athletic material among the boys."

Freshmen

Donna Aitchison

Carol Albrecht

Jim Anderson

Helen Anderson

Rachel Beckfield

Donna Bond

Sally Braunschweig

Jens Brown

DeEtta Brownfield

Jim Buddenhagen

Donald Carlson

Eugene Cattermole

Joyce Conrad

Joan Demers

Joe Doud

Joe Dugan

Katheryn Egli

Patricia Ellis

Barbara Enearl

Ted Essig

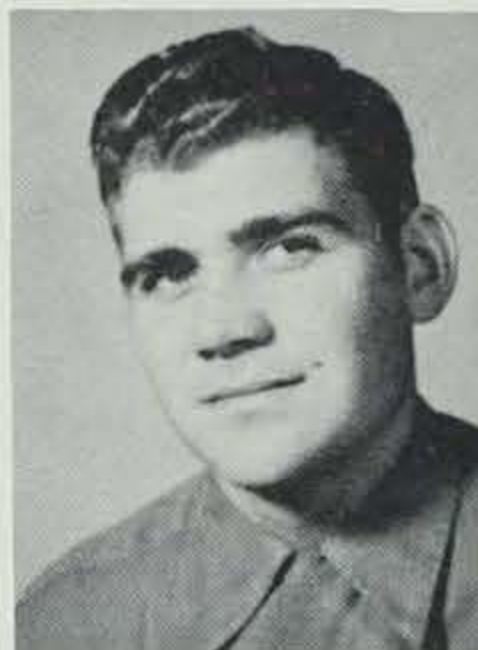
Donald Etzel

Don Fiete

James Fitzpatrick

Norma Fonley

John Gailey



Freshmen

Janice Goodchild

Kay Graff

Clara Gregg

Bernice Halstrom

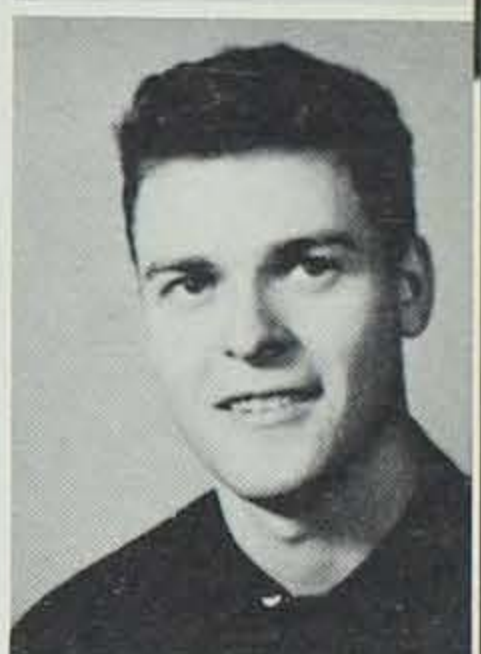
Norman Hammack

Janis Hammer

Dorothy Hardyk

Bill Harrison

Dwight Harshbarger



Dale Hemmingsen

Colleen Hinrichs

Shirley Hinrichs

Bonnie Hirons



Charles Hoffman

Marilyn Hunter

Dick Isenberger

Lynn Jackson



Leland Jensen

Morris Johnson

Beverly Kay

Vernard Keerbs



Margaret Kennedy

Doris Kilworth

Nellie King

Darryl Kline

Freshmen

Frances Koch

Paul Koebele

Mary Lou Kolb

Lee Kuhrt

Charles Lanham

Ann Linquist

Glen Lookingbill

Joan McCorkindale

Janet McDiarmid

Ruth McKinstrey

Mary McMullen

James Maitland

Dorothy Martin

Don Merry

Bonnie Meyer

Marilyn Miller

Alvin Molitor

Dixey Morrison

Romon Nelson

Arlene Nichols

Dean Nicholson

Evelyn Nielson

Janet Noble

Paul Olson

Dorthe Otteman



Freshmen

Paul Patterson

Marian Perry

Kenneth Peterson

Gerald Plantz

Dave Preston

Mavis Raveling

James Reinert

Bill Rickard

Mrs. Wanda Rengenberg



Mary Roepke

Jim Rohlk

Bill Schoppe

Kay Schumacker



Janice Selleck

Richard Seward

Jane Shadle

Al Sinek



Shirley Smith

Molly Sullivan

Geraldine Tromp

Margart Vestal



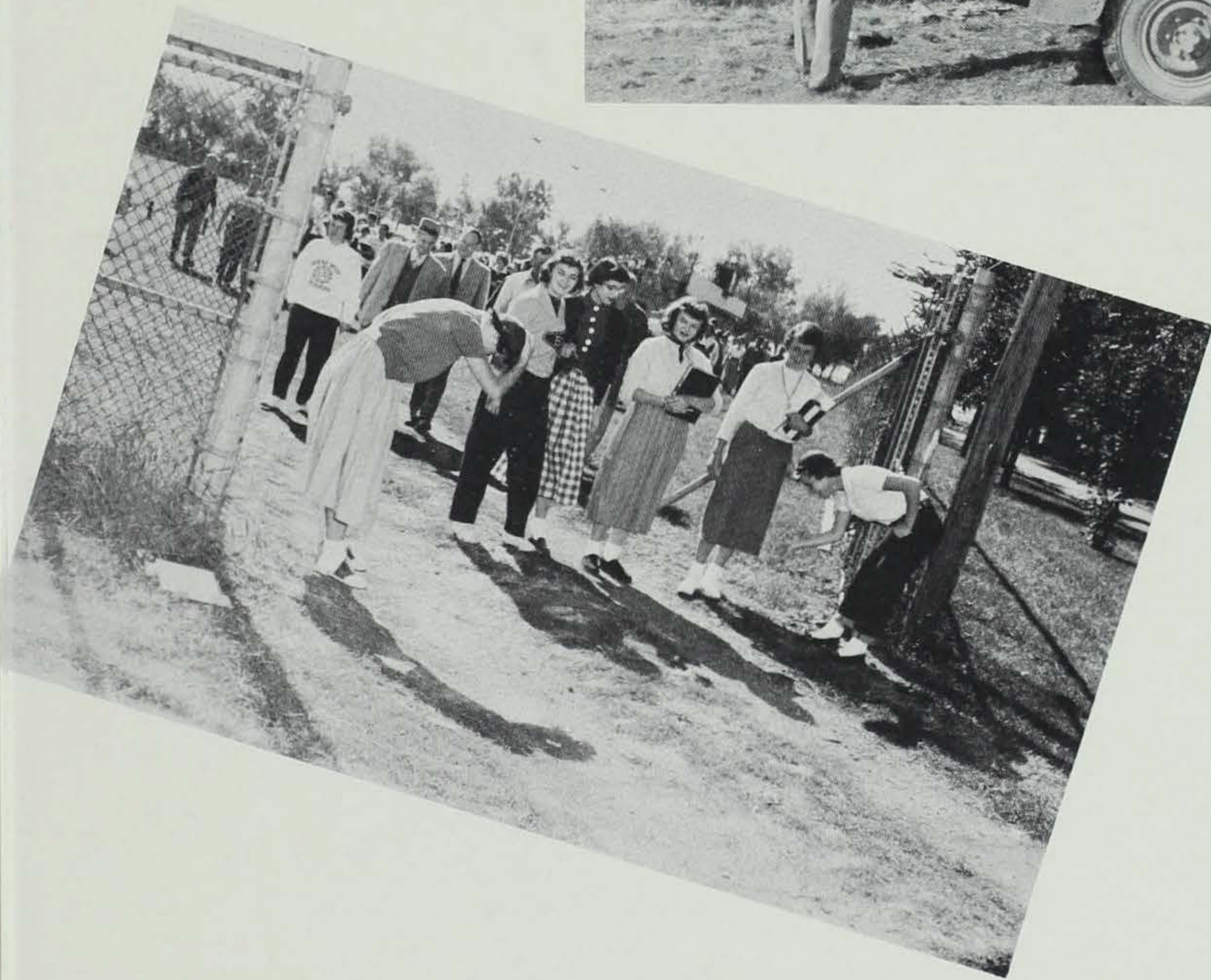
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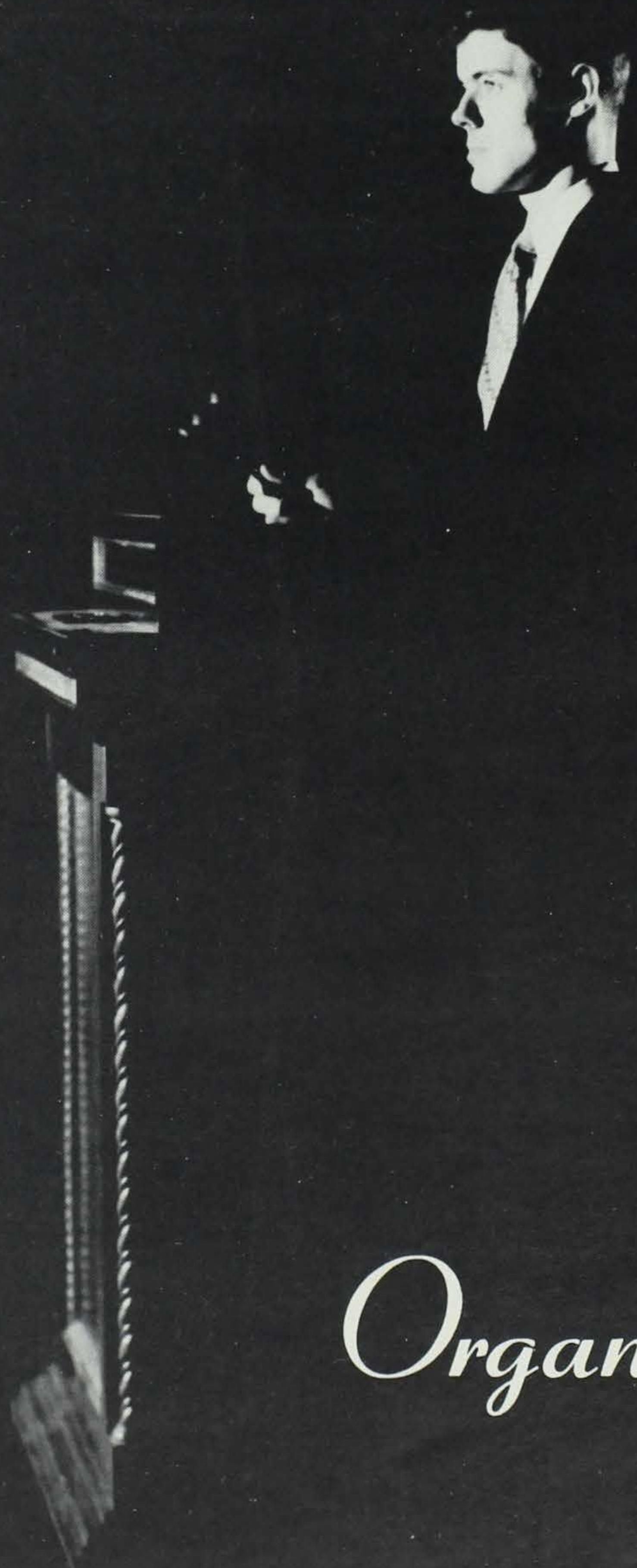
Bob Young





Part III

Organizations



Organizations



Front row: Jean Nixon, Judy Brunn, Margaret Nicholaisen, Alice Fett, Frances Koch, Molly Sullivan, Janie Shadle, Nellie King, Lona Hansen. **Second row:** Kay Shumacher, Jean Moe, Joeline Reuter, Nancy Warnock, Nancy Steig, Rachael Beck-

field, Colleen Hinricks, Ruth Jorgensen. **Third row:** Marjil Holtapp, Donna Bond, Mary Lou Kolb, Nancy Saunders, Maureen Houston, Joan Wagner, Joan Baumann, Joyce Conrad, Shirley Hinricks.



Phi Alpha Pi

Phi Alpha Pi sorority opened its 1952-53 season with ten actives. Their opening Rush Week activity was a tea held at the home of Mrs. E. H. Melcher. Later in the week a banquet was held in the Storm Lake Room at Cobblestone Inn for the rushees.

Homecoming found the Phi Alpha Pi pledges and actives working diligently selling mums and working on their float. Their float was selected as the winner of the grand sweepstakes in the homecoming parade.

November 21st was the date of the annual Pan Hellenic fall formal. Cobblestone Inn was the setting for this dance and was decorated to represent Gay Paree.

The clowns seen on campus were none other than the Phi Alpha Pi pledges suffering the rigors of Hell Week. The formal initiation was performed by candle light. The week ended with a slumber party at Swope Hall.

Margaret Nicholaisen served as president of the organization with Marjil Holtapp, vice-president; Joanne Baumann, secretary; and Nancy Warnock, treasurer. Mrs. T. P. Kuehl and Mrs. Braun were sponsors.



Front row: Jan Wiloughby, Arlene Nichols, Joan McCorkindale, Marion Perry, Jo Mill. **Second row:** Barbara Enearl, Lois Molgaard, Carol Albrecht, Dolowa Wilbrandt. **Third row:**

Pat Ellis, Sherry Locky, Phyliss Plog, Iona Bonsen, Janet Plantz.

The Delta Phi Beta sorority has one ultimate purpose—to advance the social abilities of its members. Being a member of the "Betas" is an opportunity for any girl to improve her own social abilities.

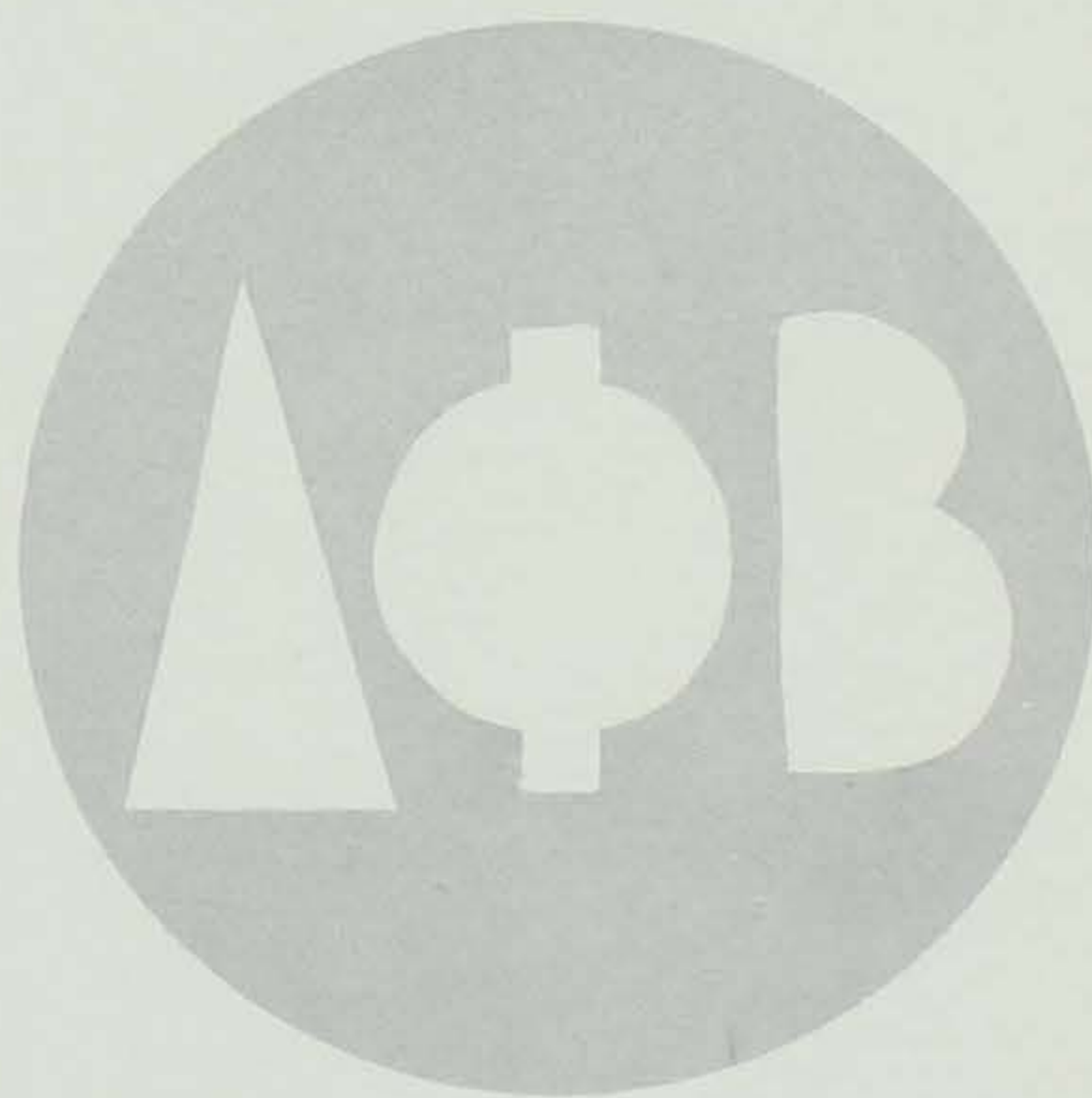
Rush Week marked the beginning of the year's activities for the Betas. A tea was held at the home of Mrs. Ballou for rushees Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday evening a banquet was held in the Storm Lake Room at Cobblestone. On October 13th their initial pledge party was held with eleven pledges attending.

Homecoming was one of the highpoints of the year. The traditional Homecoming luncheon was held at Cobblestone. Later in the afternoon at the game it was announced that their float won a prize in the beauty class.

A touch of "Gay Paree" was brought to Cobblestone November 21st when the annual Pan-Hellenic fall formal was held.

The beginning of the second semester was also the beginning of Hell Week for the sorority pledges. The Beta pledges were required to dress like convicts for the entire week. The climax of the week took place at a formal dinner in the home of Mrs. C. C. Fritcher when the final pledges were taken.

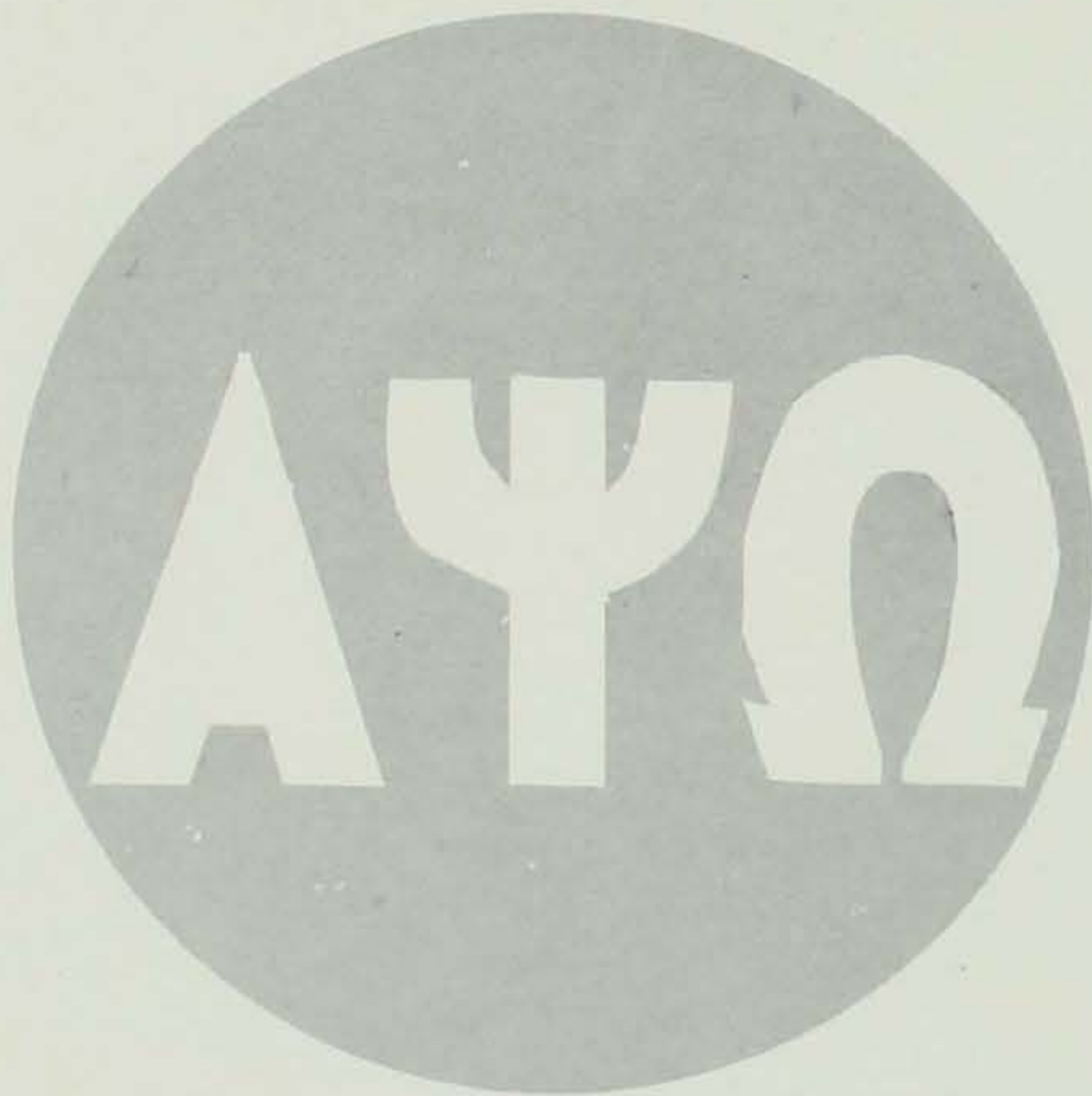
The officers for the 1952-53 year were: Jo Mil, president; Janet Plantz, vice-president; Charlotte Locky, secretary. Mrs. J. R. Otto, Mrs. Joseph Crisler, and Betty Jo Droegemueller served as sponsors.



Delta Phi Beta



First Row, left to right: Jean Moe, Irene McAlpine, Professor Gladys Kuehl, Sponsor, Alice Lovejoy, Donna Fraser. **Second Row:** Jay Shelp, Charlotte Lockey, Margaret Nicoliasen, Dalowa Willbrandt.



Alpha Psi Omega

The Chi cast of Alpha Psi Omega was headed this year by Jean Moe as president. Other members at the beginning of the year were Jay Shelp, Dalowa Willbrandt, Irene McAlpine, Alice Lovejoy, and Donna Fraser. Professors Gladys Kuehl and T. B. Gregory were faculty advisors.

During January, a progressive dinner party was held at which time Margaret Nicoliasen and Charlotte Lockey were initiated as new members.

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

The Easter play which was presented on Palm Sunday was "The Way of the Cross." This was sponsored by Alpha Psi Omega with the cooperation of the B. V. Players and the Buena Vista college choir.



First Row, left to right: Enid Dornbrach, Marjil Holtapp, Margaret Nicoliasen, Connie Tweddale, Betty Kolpen, Jean Nixon. **Second Row:** Miss Supplee, Jean Moe, Joanne Baumann, Maureen Huston, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl. **Third Row:** Darlene Meyer, Bob Griffiths, Dick Westphal, Doyle Hansen, Leo McCurnin, Donna Fraser.

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

Each year Sigma Tau Delta sponsors an all-college event. This year "That's My Show" was the name given the annual Stunt Night which has as its only purpose that of giving the student body a night of pure entertainment and a chance to show the talent that is available on the campus.

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

Joanne Baumann served as president of Sigma Tau Delta. Other officers included Donna Fraser, vice-president; Jean Nixon, secretary and Margaret Nicoliasen, treasurer. Faculty sponsors were Miss Bertha Supplee, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl and Dr. E. T. Sandberg.



Sigma Tau Delta



First Row, left to right: Donna Fraser, Jean Moe, Margaret Nicoliasen, Professor Gladys Kuehl, sponsor, Joanne Baumann, Jo Mill, Kay Kischer. **Second Row:** Carroll Sawin, John Hanson, Doyle Hansen, Dix Lohman, Bill Richards, Bill Fahan.



Pi Kappa Delta

The Forensic League of Buena Vista college has obtained membership in the Pi Kappa Delta national honorary forensic society. Installation of the Kappa chapter was held Saturday, February 14, at Cobblestone Inn.

Dix Lohman was installed as president; Carroll Sawin, vice-president; Roger Anderson, secretary-treasurer, and Jean Moe, corresponding secretary. Professor Gladys Kuehl, sponsor of the Forensic League, was installed as oratory coach.

Members qualify to enter the society in three divisions of speech work. Students who have done work in intercollegiate oratory, extemporaneous speaking or original speaking will be classified in the oratory division.

Membership in the debate division is achieved by participation in intercollegiate debate, round tables, panel discussions, or legislative assemblies.

The instruction division is achieved by coaching forensics in college.

Forensics was the first extra-curricular activity on the campus, and Pi Kappa Delta is the oldest forensic society of the four national societies in existence.



Front row (left to right): Richard Wenger, Steve Nemath, Charles Rosburg, Marlyn Johnson, Vernon Rath, James Foell, Allen Hannafan, James Lindlief, Mryon Anderson, Robert Buman, Morris Schroeder. **Second row:** J. R. Otto, Athletic Director; Morris Johnson, Arland Sivadge, Bob Nielson, Dick

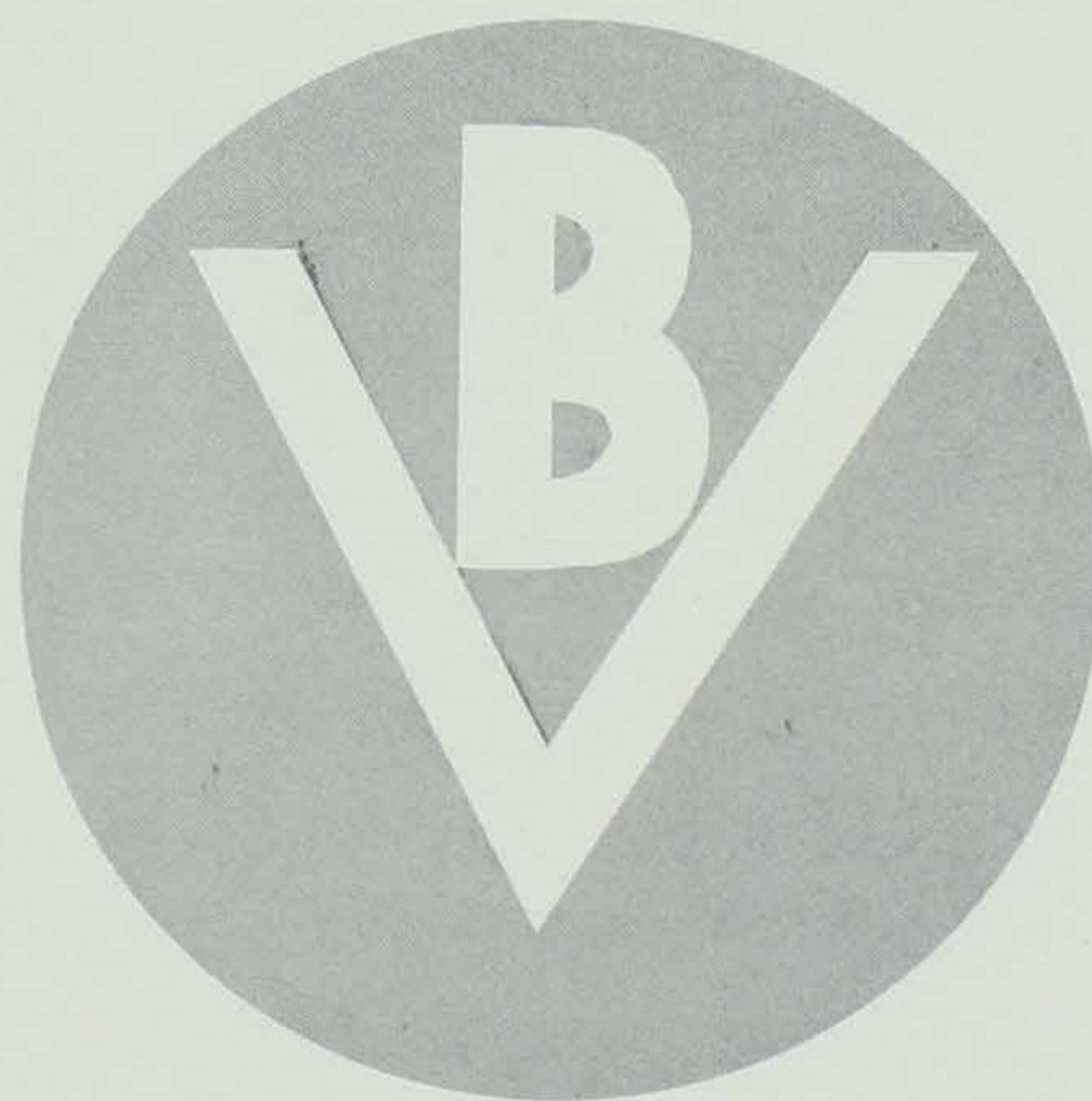
Tuttle, Ralph Ferns, Carroll Sawin, Elwood Thies, Jerry Speck, Ken Hulsebus, Coach John Krause. **Third row:** Don Carlson, Lowell Fredrickson, Alvin Molitor, Roger Mahnke, Verl Southwick, Kieth McNeil, Val Whisler, Jim Kerns, Kieth Sawin, Gordon Hoover, Jerry Craigmile.

One of the most energetic and effective clubs on the campus is the Buena Vista Letterman's Club. The spirit and cooperation of its members provide the nucleus for a group that can be depended upon to do any job and do it well.

The elected officers are president, Vernon Rath, vice-president, Charles Branstetter; and secretary-treasurer, Verl Southwick.

The proceeds from projects undertaken by the Lettermen's Club are used to purchase letter jackets for graduating club members. The club's main project this year was the running of the concession stands at the home baseball, football and basketball games.

The fourteen new members initiated into the club are: Don Carlson, Jerry Craigmile, Joe Doud, Lowry Fredrickson, Ken Hulsebus, Darrel Huseman, Marlyn Johnson, Morris Johnson, Ed McNeil, Alvin Molitor, Roger Parrott, Keith Sawin, Dick Tuttle and Val Dean Whisler.



Lettermen's Club

Haephestos Club



First Row, left to right: Rachel Beckfield, Lois Molgaard, Georgia LeClair, Martha Daton. **Second Row:** Kay Schumacher, Nancy Steig, Maureen Huston, Dalowa Willbrandt, Enid Dornbrack. **Third Row:** Charlotte Lockey, Jay Shelp, Thomas Chase, Frances Koch.

The Haephestos Club is one of the newest organizations on the campus. The club was founded two years ago for the purpose of increasing interest and appreciation for the arts. Membership for the club is restricted to students who have worked in one of the creative arts.

New officers who were elected at the Christmas party were Jim Buenger, president; Tom Chase, vice-president; and Kay Shumacher, secretary-treasurer.

The club prepared an art exhibit to be shown in conjunction with the College Fine Arts Festival.

Tack Staff



First Row, left to right: Marlene Erickson, Jean Moe, Bill Richards, Dix Lohman, Mary Wilken. **Second row:** Professor Buntrock, Advisor, Kent Adams, Jim Hawbecker, Dick Westphal.

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

Dix Lohman proved to be a second Harlan Miller in his column "Lohman at the Totem Pole," which alternated between gaiety, satire, and nonsense.

Cartooning was done by students from the art department.

Mr. Kermit Buntrock was advisor for the Tack this year, as he has been in the past, and the staff appreciated his help and assistance.

The Tack staff included Bill Richards, editor; Jean Moe, assistant editor; Dick Westphal, business manager; Dix Lohman, columnist, Marlene Erickson, Kent Adams, and Kay Schumacher, reporters.



Front row: Sally Jo Braunschweig, Betty Kolpin, Mavis Marker, Janice Goodchild, Beverly Kay, Alice Denker, Connie Tweedale, Bonnie Hirons, Delores Moulds, Janice Meyer, Mary Roeke. **Second row:** Mavis Raveling, Ruth McKinstrey, Joyce Murray, Enid Dornbrack, Bette Kruse, Paula Shellenberger,

Janus Hammer, Kay Kischer, Geraldine Tromp, Doris Kilworth, Martha Dayton. **Third row:** Bernice Halstrom, Dona Fraser, Janet McDiarmid, Dorothy Martin, Phyllis Mehrens, Margaret Weber, Dorothy Anderson, Margie Kennedy, Joyce Clipperton, Anita Lewis.

With Delores Moulds as president Entre Nous has enjoyed a most successful year. The first activity of the year was the Rush Week tea held at the home of Mrs. Davidson for all girls not joining a sorority.

November 10th marked another highlight for Entre Nous. At this time the formal pledging was held for all new members at the home of Mrs. Wendell Edson.

The annual Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. Douglass. The girls exchanged gifts at this time.

On February 27th the Entre Nous Formal took place. The theme of Moonlight and Roses was carried out in the decorations. Tommy Thomas furnished the music for the dancing.

The other officers were vice-president, Donna Fraser; secretary, Phyllis Mehrens; treasurer, Enid Dormbrack; reporter, Martha Dayton. The sponsors were Miss Bertha Supplee, Miss Alberta Dwelle and Mrs. Davis.

Entre Nous



Front row: Lois Molgard, Rita Nielsen, Sally Jo Braunschweig, Jean Nixon, Doris Leaf, Iona Bahnsen, Phyllis Plog, Shirley Hinricks, Joanne Baumann, Jean Moe. **Second row:** Helen Andrews, Norma Fonley, Marilyn Hunter, Shirley Smith, Darlene Meyer, Carol Albrecht, Clara Gregg, Maryily Yager, Kay Kischer, Bernice Halstrom, Janet Plantz, Alice Fett, Lona Hanson, Margaret Nicholaisen. **Third row:** Pat Sullivan, Charles Rosburg, Mr. T. P. Kuehl, Myron Anderson, Marlyn Johnson, James Lindlief, Bill Ferns, A. J. Hannafan, Steven Nemeth, Martin Wedeking, Darrell Ziemer.

One of the largest organizations on the campus, Future Teachers of America, offers to future teachers indispensable benefits: Facts about the profession, training in leadership, and a variety of professional publications.

Both secondary and primary teachers take an active part in the monthly discussions and meetings.

Under the direction of Professor T. P. Kuehl and Dr. Elvina Mattson the Future Teachers of America endeavors to strengthen the profession of teaching through central organization of its members.

Officers for the 1952-53 year were: Marlene Erickson, President; John Graham, vice president; Betty Kolpin, secretary; Delores Moulds, treasurer; Connie Tweddale, historian; Martin Wedeking, librarian.

Future Teachers of America

B. V. Players



First row, left to right: Sally Jo Braunschweig, Alice Denker, Connie Tweddale, Charlotte Lockey, Alice Lovejoy, Donna Fraser, Joanne Baumann, Margaret Nicoliasen, Irene McAlpine. **Second row:** Ruth McKinstrey, Mavis Ravling, Marjorie Kennedy, Dalowa Willbrandt, Jean Moe, Kay Kischer, Mavis Marker, Doris Kilworth, Geraldine Trump, Marjil Holtapp. **Third row:** Bob Griffiths, Dick Westphal, Jay Shelp, Kent Adams, Joe Dugan, Art Hoopengartner, Professor Gregory, Bill Fahan.

The aim, "To stimulate progress and to encourage such dramatic activity as may serve to enrich the traditions, honor and fame of Buena Vista College," which is set forth in the pledge for new members, has been the aim of the B.V. Players for the past twenty-eight years.

Each year new members are required to present something that shows special ability before they are given the formal pledge. This year the older members were gratified at the variety of talent displayed.

With the help of B. V. Players and members in the play production class, the stage in the chapel and the club room on the third floor of Old Main has been greatly improved. All of the stage equipment has been put into the best of condition so we can produce our plays on our own stage.

Members of the B. V. Players presented the play "Importance of Being Earnest" as their first major production of the year. The second was "Glass Menagerie." These two major plays along with a number of one act plays have proved to be entertaining to the student body and educational to the members of our organization.

Professor T. P. Gregory has been our able leader throughout this year.

Circle K



First row, left to right: Professor T. P. Kuehl, Joe James, Don McCurnin, Jim Hawbecker, Pat Sullivan, Leo McCurnin, Ben Boldt, Gene Vetter, Professor O'Brien. **Second row:** Paul Coble, Don Stelpflug, Bob Young, Merle Eberle, Verl Southwick, Kieth Sawin, Farrell Barney, Darrell Ziemer. **Third row:** Al Sinek, Joe Dugan, Jim Anderson, Duane Gustin, Ted Essig, Bryce Kissinger, Bill Hoffman, Jerry Hamilton.

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

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

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

Officers for the past year were: Jim Hawbecker, president; Don McCurnin, vice-president, Joe James, secretary-treasurer.



Arline

Ruth

Jean

Janet

Jane

Judy

Pat

Beverley

Janet

Modern Dance Club



First row, left to right: Evelyn Nielson, Ruth Jorgensen, Iona Bahnsen, Jo Mill, Arlene Nichols, Rita Nielsen, Charlotte Lockey. **Second row:** Miss Casey, Kay Kischer, Jan Willoughby, Carol Albrecht, Bea Anderson, Lois Molgaard.

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

Agreement is probably assured that the dance class has certain aspects which are unique, even to the rest of the physical education program. Perhaps the most obvious of these is the fact that the content of the dance activity is almost completely concerned with the individual member, her body, her ideas, and her relationships to the other members of her group. The member is free to think only of her own expressive movement and that of others of her immediate group. Success and satisfaction in dance are dependent upon ability to formulate ideas in terms of individual and group movement. Dance participants become aware of the expressive quality of movement as a means of communicating ideas as well as a way for their personalities to speak.

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



First row, left to right: Barbara Enearl, Rita Nielsen, Mary Lou Kolb. **Second row:** Bonnie Hirons, Margaret Kennedy, Marjil Holtapp, Janus Hammer, Darold Anderson, John Graham, Darlene Meyer, Joan McCorlindale, Bill Hoffman. **Third row:** Charles Bryant, Connie Tweddale, Janice Goodchild, Jim Fitzpatrick, Joan Wagner, Charles Lanham, Bill Richards, Dorothy Hardyk, W. B. Green, Director. **Fourth row:** Jo Mill, Bob Haarup, Doyle Hansen, Roger Anderson, Charles Hoffman, Martha Dayton, DeEtta Brownfield, Bob Griffiths.

The Band

Although small, the Buena Vista College band has always been a well integrated and active group. Under the very capable direction of Professor W. B. Green the band appeared on many occasions during the past year, not only in concert, but also at football and basketball games and special events.

In the three years that Mr. Green has directed its activities the band has been highly praised for its marching maneuvers and field formations, spirited pep tunes, and accomplished concert performances.

Again this year another new march by Mr. Green, "Operation Freedom," was introduced by the concert band. It added to the growing list of compositions that Mr. Green has written. Oth-

ers first played by the Buena Vista band include "Perade Marshal," "Columbian Festival," and the favorite "Beaver Fight Song."

Some of the outstanding and familiar compositions featured in this year's repertoire were "Amparito Roca" by Texidor, "Overture on Themes from 'Symphonie Espagnole'" by Lale, "Patite Suite" by Tchaikovsky, "Ritual Fire Dance" by De Falla, "Overture to 'Martha'" by Flotow, March from "Tannhauser" by Wagner, March from Tchaikovsky's Sixth Symphony "Pathetique," and "Mississippi Suite" by Grofe.

The concert band presented several concerts in nearby schools during the year and played a major part in the all-school musical show, "That's My Show."



First row, left to right: Betty Kolpin, Rachel Beckfield, Jane Shadel, Molly Sullivan. **Second row:** Dolores Moulds, Marlene Erickson, Shirley Smith, Marilyn Hunter, Donna Bond, Wendall Buckley, Director. **Third row:** Bob Haarup, Joan Wagner, Darlene Meyer, Carroll Sawin. **Fourth row:** Ben Boldt, Charles Lanham, Dix Lohman, Roger Anderson, Doyle Hanson.

Ensemble

The Vocal Ensemble is a body of about twenty singers from the A Cappella Choir who join in singing choral works for smaller groups. This year their efforts have been centered on 17th century madrigals as well as music of a lighter vein, from contemporary composers.

Their singing of the old ditty "Cindy" almost sets the audience to doing an old-fashioned square dance. At the next moment they are lads and lasses in Shakespeare's England, singing of the joys of sporting on the green.

During the year the Ensemble was heard as the nucleus of several choruses in campus variety show productions. For the Fall variety show they were the main choral attraction; at Sigma Tau Delta's "That's My Show" they

sang the tunes of Rodgers and Hammerstein and Jerome Kern.

During the Choir's spring tour the Ensemble sang several groups in the concert program. Many listeners must have marvelled at the speed with which they could spit out the words of the "Spinning Top," a Russian dance-song.

If it be true that music soothes the savage beast, then the Ensemble may have an edge on the rest of us: each time they rehearsed in room 17, their sweet tones were echoed by the not-so-sweet pigeons on the roof. Nevertheless, it must have been the great enthusiasm of the Ensemble which those birds caught. These young singers do have it!



A Cappella Choir

"Sing unto the Lord a New Song!" That would be the key to the work of the choir this year. Work is what was required to produce the concerts sung this year.

Our first great challenge came about the third week of school when we learned that we were to sing for the Mutual Broadcasting System's College Choir series, October 26, 1952. Then, our Christmas concert occupied our minds until the middle of December.

By the date of the concert, the rough edges were pretty well taken off or concealed. We all felt tired when it was over but gratified that we had done a good job.

In February, with exams past we settled back and had to be prodded time and again by our director to get on the ball. Then came the Sigma Tau Delta show and we suddenly found ourselves learning "It's a Grand Night for Singing" and several other pop tunes. How the girls were thrilled by the guys singing the "Dame Song" from "South Pacific."

Come Balmy April and we put the finishing touches on our program and off we go, hoping that everyone will come through with his little part which makes the great whole even greater.



Annual Christmas Concert

Buena Vista College A Cappella Choir

Wendell Buckley, Director

Sunday Evening, December 14, at 7:30 o'clock
Lakeside Presbyterian Church

Processional: "O Come All Ye Faithful"

I

Let Thy Holy Presence Tschesnokov
Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones German Chorale tune
Rejoice Ye Christians J. S. Bach

II

Lo, How a Rose E'rblooming Praetorius
Hark, Now, O Shepherds Bohemian Carol
Carol of the Russian Children Ukrainian Carol
While by My Sheep I Watched at Night German Carol
Lullaby for Christmas Norman Lockwood
Joyous Christmas Song F. A. Gevaert
The A Cappella Choir

III

Carol of the Bells Leontovich
Patapan English Carol
Lay Down Your Staffs French Carol
Jesus, Jesus Rest Your Head Appalachian Carol
The Vocal Ensemble

IV

Go Tell It On the Mountains Southern White Carol
I Wonder as I Wander Appalachian Carol
Tenor solo sung by Carroll Sawin
Angels We Have Heard On High French Carol
Hallelujah, Amen, from "Judas Maccabaeus" G. F. Handel
The A Cappella Choir

The A Cappella Choir

Sopranos

Lucille Bieret
Donna Bond
Rachel Beckfield
Joyce Clipperton
Clara Gregg
Janice Goodchild
Janus Hammer
Dorothy Hardyk
Colleen Hinrichs
Betty Kolpin
Delores Moulds
Lois Molgaard
Jean Nixon
Mavis Raveling
Jane Shadle
Kay Schmacher
Molly Sullivan

Altos

Dorothy Anderson
Carol Albrecht
Marlene Erickson
Marjil Holtapp
Shirley Hinrichs
Marilyn Hunter
Marjorie Kennedy
Doris Kilworth
Mary McMullen
Darlene Meyer
Arlene Nichols
Shirley Smith
Joan Wagner

Tenors

Richard Allen
Ben Boldt
Robert Haarup
Carroll Sawin

Basses

Kent Adams
Charles Bryant
Roger Anderson
Paul Grumley
John Graham
James Fitzpatrick
Doyle Hansen
Charles Hoffman
Charles Lanham
Dix Lohman
Kay Mills
Gene Vetter



Student Christian Program Put Into Action at Buena Vista College

A newly organized student Christian program was put into action Thursday morning on the Buena Vista college campus when 150 students and faculty members observed a chapel-breakfast at Swope hall. It was the first time in the history of the college that an event such as this has taken place.

After the breakfast the group participated in a hymn sing at the tables. Dr. L. W. Sampson, Prof. Kuehl and Coach Bob Otto spoke briefly to the students on the importance of the new program and their own reaction to it which was highly favorable. Doyle Hansen led the chapel and concluded it with a short "story sermon."

That evening the students came to Lakeside Presbyterian church for their first all-college church service. It was carried on in an interdenominational worship atmosphere. Several students took part in the service. They included Vernon Rath, president of the B. V. Lettermen's clubs; Darlene Meyer, president of the girls' governing board; Bill Southwick, president of the sophomore class; Kay Mills and Doyle Hansen, committee members of the United Student Christian association.

After the services a social was held in the church basement. Coffee and cookies were served to many students who remained to speak further with Mr. Theophilus. This program is the result of the student's recognition of a real need for a program on the Buena Vista college campus which would concern itself with the Christian atmosphere of the school. A series of meetings were held during the past three weeks of representative students to determine what type of program was needed.

*U.S.C.A.
Committee*



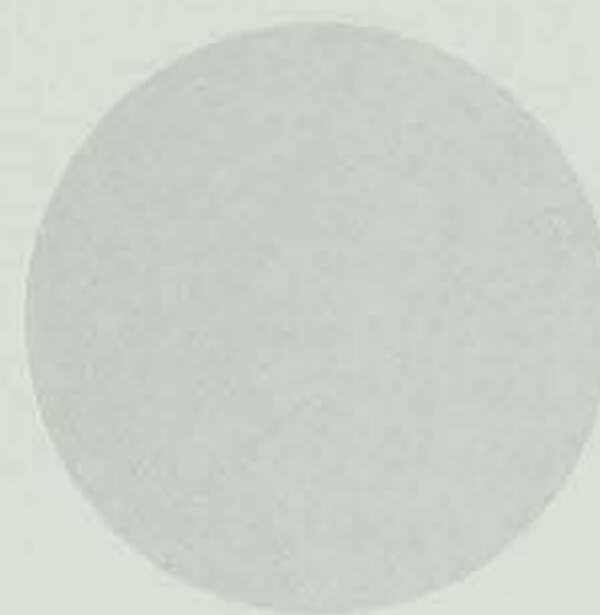
IRENE McALPINE



MARLENE ERICKSON



WILLIAM RICHARDS



Who's Who

Six seniors will represent Buena Vista college in the 1952-53 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." They are Charles Branstetter, Marlene Erickson, Bill Hoffman, Irene McAlpine, Steve Nemeth, and Bill Richards.

Chosen by the student council from a senior list prepared by the deans of the college, the students are selected according to scholarship, leadership, participation and cooperation in activities, general citizenship, and promise of future success.

Their names will appear in the publication which lists students who have achieved recognition from all universities and colleges.

CHUCK BRANSTETTER, Milford, is a physical education major. He has been a member of the student council for two years and was vice-president of his class in his junior year. An active member of the Letterman's Club, Chuck has been a valuable basketball and football player.

MARLENE ERICKSON, Marathon, has been an active member of Future Teachers of America, and is president this year. Her major is general science.

BILL HOFFMAN, Storm Lake, is majoring in

business administration. He has been a member of the choir and band, and belongs to Circle K.

IRENE McALPINE, Cherokee, is an English and speech major. A member of the student council, she has been an officer in the Haephestos club, Alpha Psi Omega, and was president of her class when she was a junior. She has appeared in approximately five plays, and is a member of B. V. players. Irene has played in the band throughout her college career. A member of the Beaver Log staff last year, she is co-editor this year. During her junior year she was also attendant for the homecoming queen.

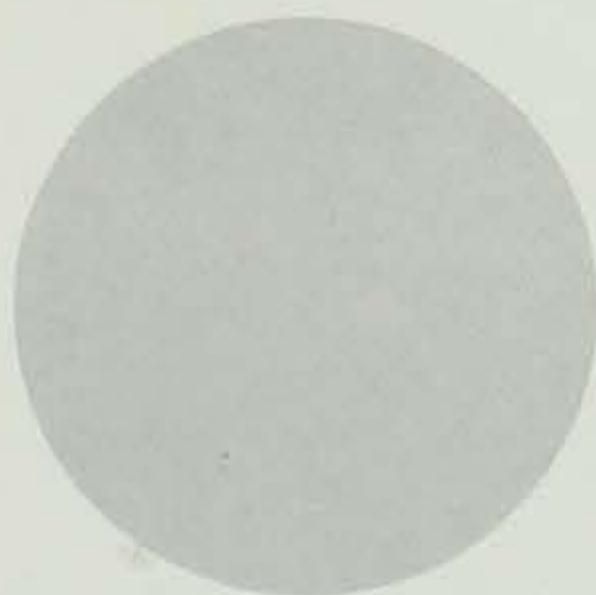
STEVE NEMETH, Fords, New Jersey, is majoring in physical education. A member of the Letterman's club, "Jersey" has been an outstanding football player. He was treasurer of the club when he was a junior, and manager of the basketball team.

BILL RICHARDS, Storm Lake, is a physics major. President of the student council, he is also editor of the school newspaper. The Tack, Bill has done active work in the Pi Kappa Delta, and played in the college band. During his junior year he was president of Sigma Tau Delta.

STEVE NEMETH

BILL HOFFMAN

CHUCK BRANSTETTER



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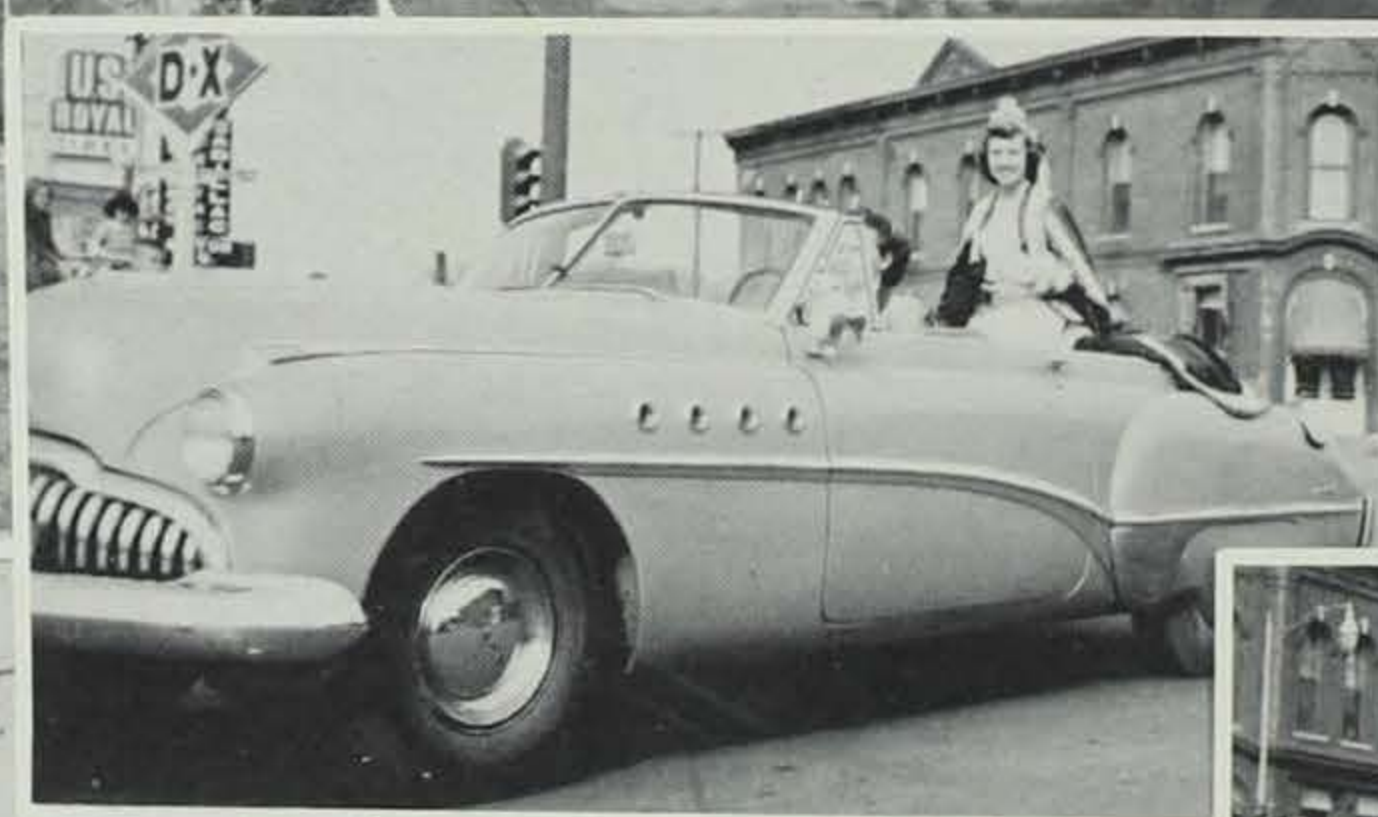
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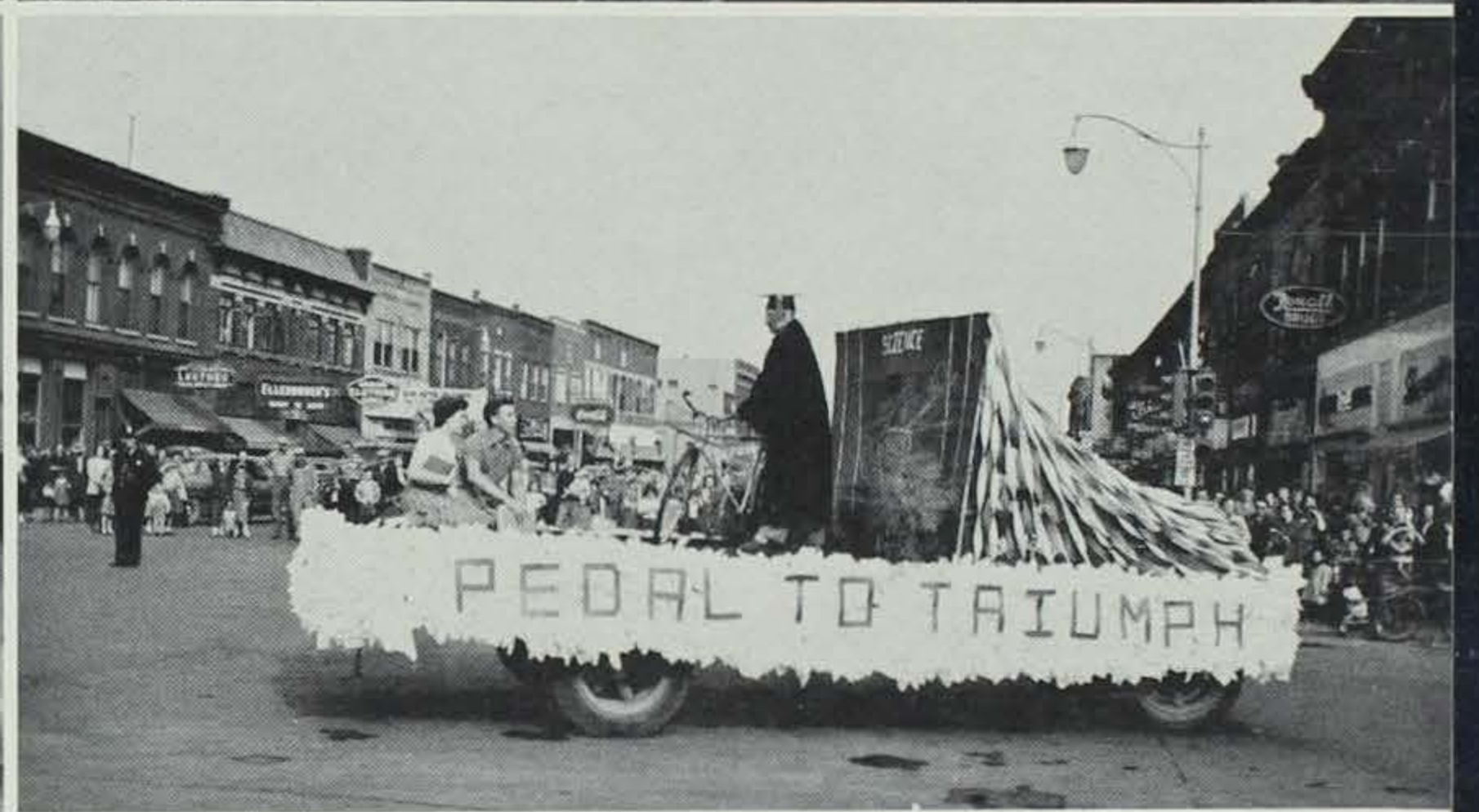
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Homecoming





Homecoming Queen



Ruth Jorgensen

And Her Attendants



Joeline Reuter



Janet Plantz



Jean Moe



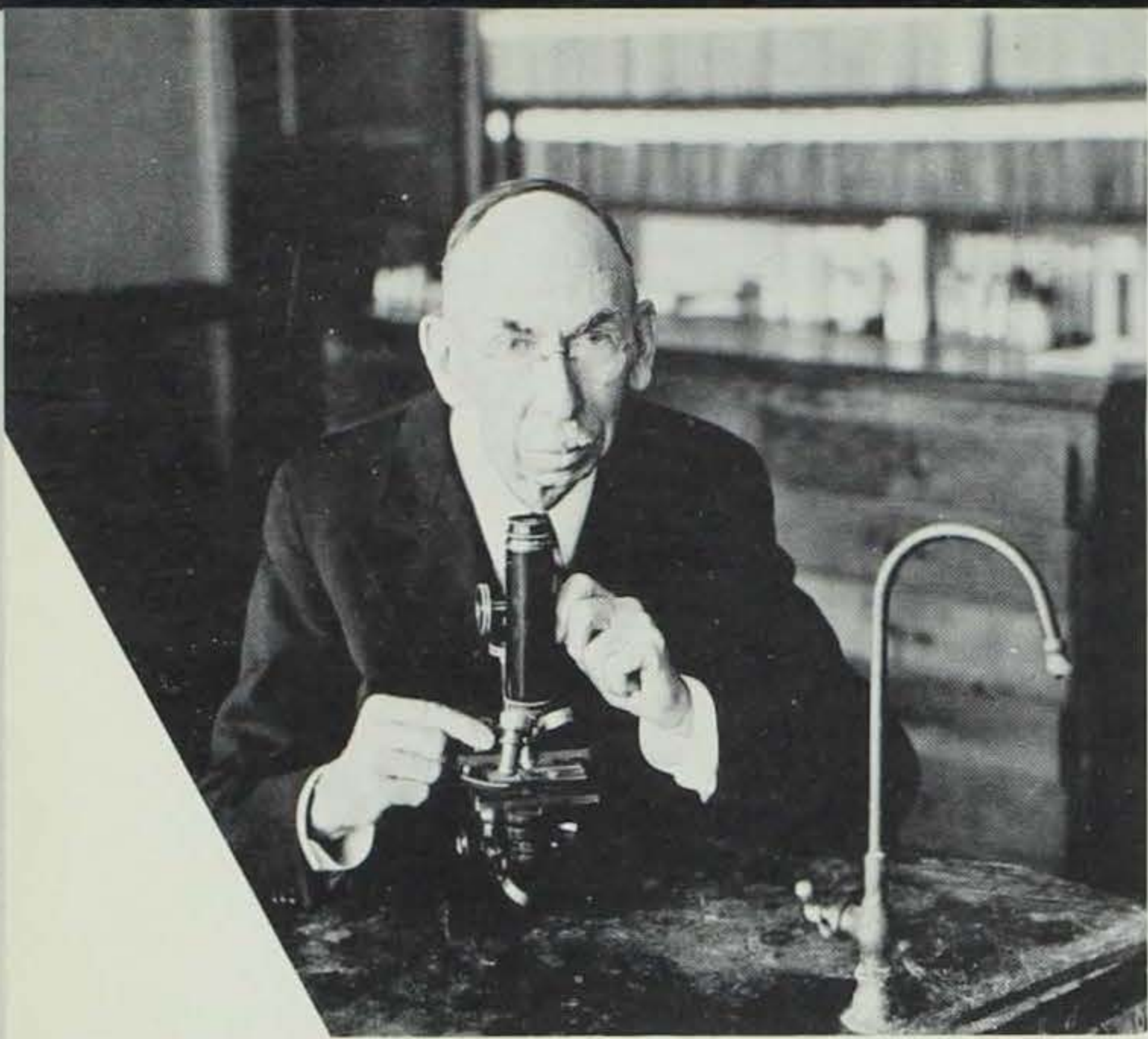
Nancy Saunders



Phyllis Plog



Marjil Holtapp



Homecoming 1952 was dedicated to Dr. Frederic F. Smith who retired in August after serving Buena Vista College and Christian Education for thirty-three years. Dr. Smith was honored during half-time of the football game when it was announced that Science Hall was to now be called Smith Hall in his honor.





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Social



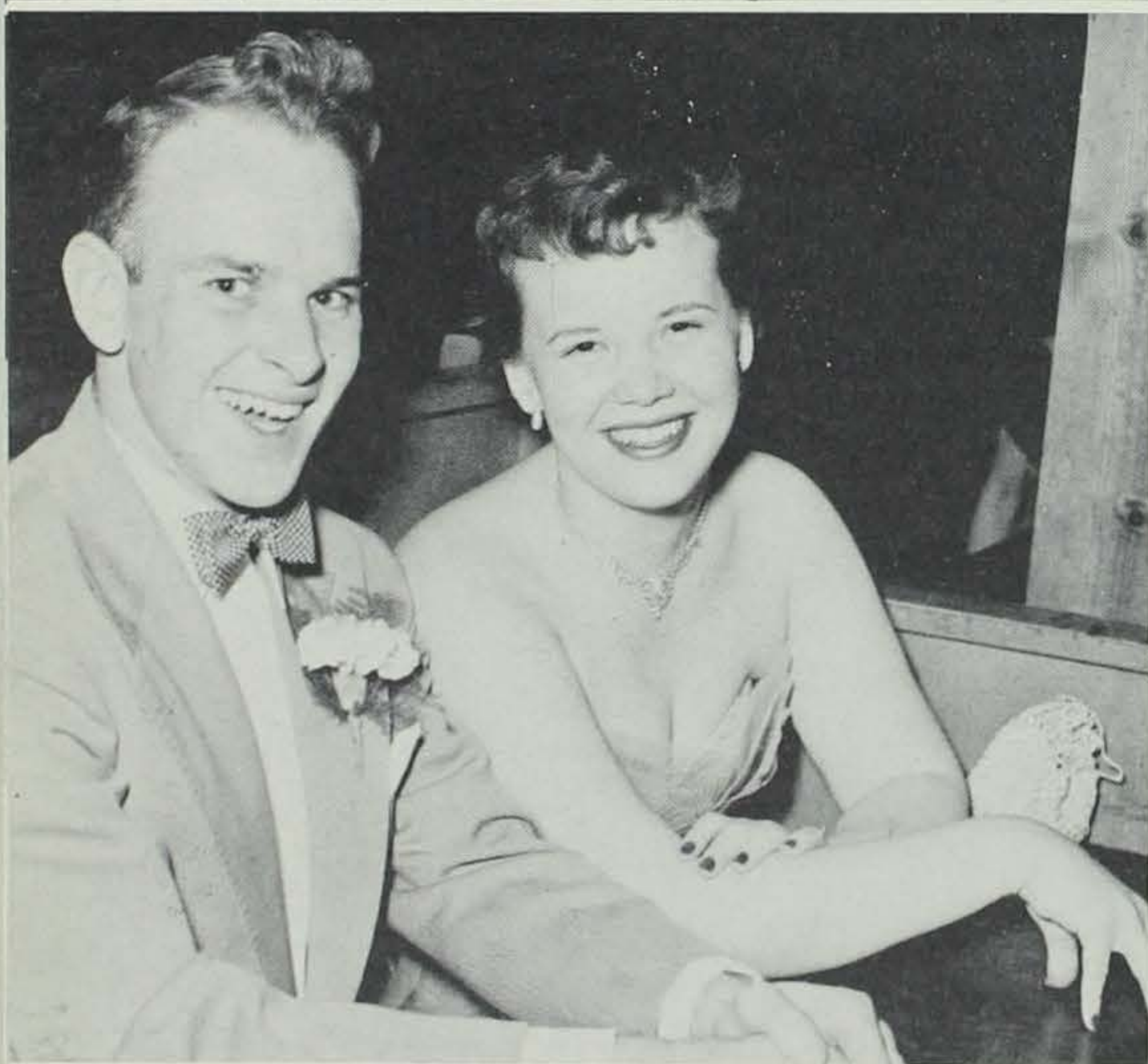


Events





Life on Campus



Importance of Being Earnest



Cast

(in the order of their appearance)

LANE, a manservant.....JAY SHELP
ALGERNON MONCRIEFF.....CHARLES BRYANT
JOHN WORTHING.....DIXIE LOHMAN
LADY AUGUSTA BRACKNELL.....MAVIS RAVELING
HON. GWENDOLEN FAIRFAX.....JEAN MOE
MISS PRISM, a governess.....ALICE LOVEJOY
CECILY CARDEW.....MARGIE KENNEDY
MERRIMAN, a butler.....KAY MILLS
REV. CANON CHASUBLE, D.D.....KENT ADAMS

Scenes

Act I—Algernon Moncrieff's Flat in Half Moon Street, W.
An afternoon in May, 1895.

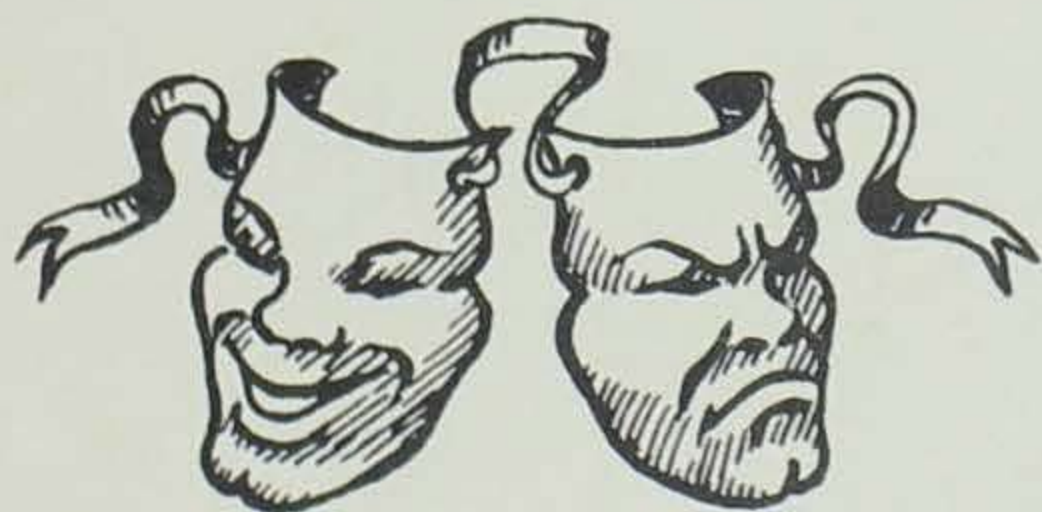
Act II—The Garden at the Manor House, Woolton.
A few days later.

Act III—The same. Immediately following.
Refreshments will be served in the lobby immediately following
Act I.

Director.....T. B. Gregory

Properties.....Joanne Baumann

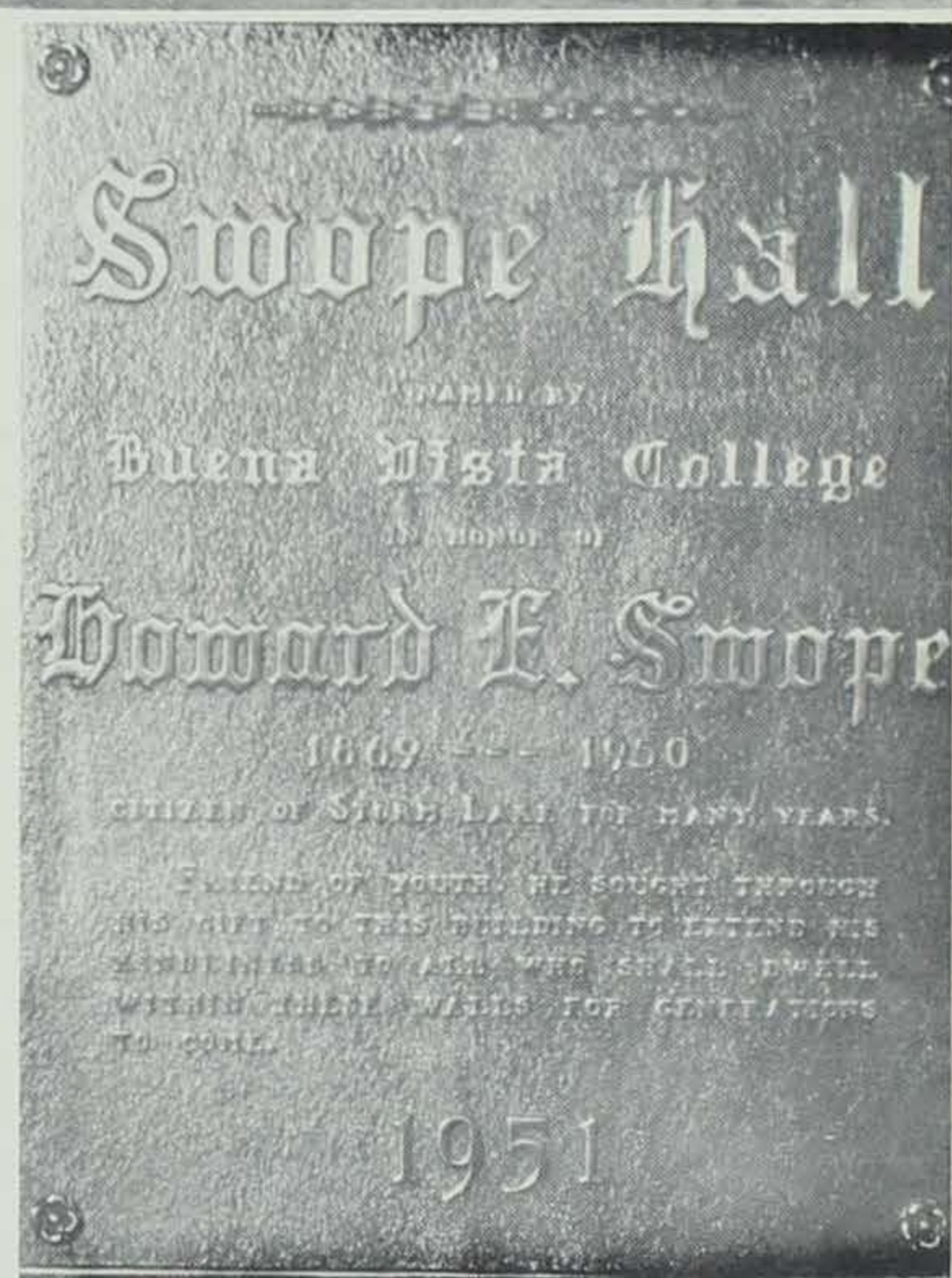
"The Importance of Being Earnest" was first produced in St. James Theater, London, on the 14th of February, 1895. It met with immediate, outstanding success. Since that time it has become a standard work, being constantly revived on both professional and amateur stages. Critics refer to the play as "the best modern comedy in the English language."



Spring Fashion Show



Life in Swope Hall



"That's My Show"

All-College "That's My Show" Draws Acclaim from Near-Capacity Crowd

"That's My Show," Buena Vista's all-college production, was presented Tuesday night in the high school auditorium with a near capacity crowd in attendance.

Produced by Sigma Tau Delta, honorary English fraternity, the seven-act program was well received by the audience. The original show was built around the music of the famous Broadway composers, Jerome Kern and Richard Rodgers, and took the place of the traditional stunt night.

Based on the ideas of two theater "angels" who meet in heaven and decide to imagine one more production by their favorite composers, the program offered a wide variety of skill and entertainment. The original story was by Dix Lohman and Bill Richards, with continuity by Buzz Fitzpatrick and Kent Adams, who played the parts of the two angels. Prof. T. B. Gregory directed the stage action.

"Showboat" Selections

The show opened with an overture of "Showboat" selections by the concert band under the direction of Prof. W. B. Green. The first act, a country scene with a chorus of picnickers, began with a men's chorus singing "Nothing Like a Dame," followed by the entrance of a group of girls with picnic baskets. They left for the "woods" leaving Carroll Sawin and Kay Schmacher, who sang a duet, "Why Do I Love You?" The act was concluded with the entire company singing "Lovely to Look At" with the men's trio featured. The band accompanied the voices through the production.

Music Dramatization

Members of the play production class, Dix Lohman, Joanne Baumann and Rodney Hunter, gave an

impressionistic dramatization of Rodgers' "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue" as the second feature on the show program. The action was accompanied by a recording.

Prof. Gregory supplied two solo acts as the third program spot. A comedy skit with piano "sound effects" preceded a dialect interpretation of "Little Red Riding

As the final act before the intermission the "Vaudvillians," composed of Dix Lohman, Bill Richards, Jean Moe, Donna Bond, Rachel Beckfield, Molly Sullivan and Jane Shadle, presented two numbers. The first was "Kansas City" from "Oklahoma" by Lohman and Richards, followed by "Life Upon the Wicked Stage" from "Show-

The concert band played "Why Do I Love You?" as a prelude to the last half of the program.

In a night club scene a setting suggesting a real bistro with floor show was depicted. The scene opened with dancing by the group on stage followed by interpretative

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dancing by Roger Parrott and Charlotte Lockey. Joyce Conrad then sang "She Didn't Say Yes" followed by a tap dance by Nellie King to "Thou Swell."

The night club scene was concluded with a solo by Jean Moe, "Can't Help Lovin' That Man" and "Some Enchanted Evening" sung by Dick Tuttle. Margaret Nicolaisen was the announcer in the act and accompaniment was furnished by Tom Gregory at the piano and a combo composed of Bill Hoffman, Roger Andersen, Darlene Meyer, Joan McCorkindale, Charles Lan-

ham and Bill Richards. Irene McAlpine and Jay Shelp played the part of two who chanced to meet on a park bench one night and fell in love. The skit, part six of the program, was en-

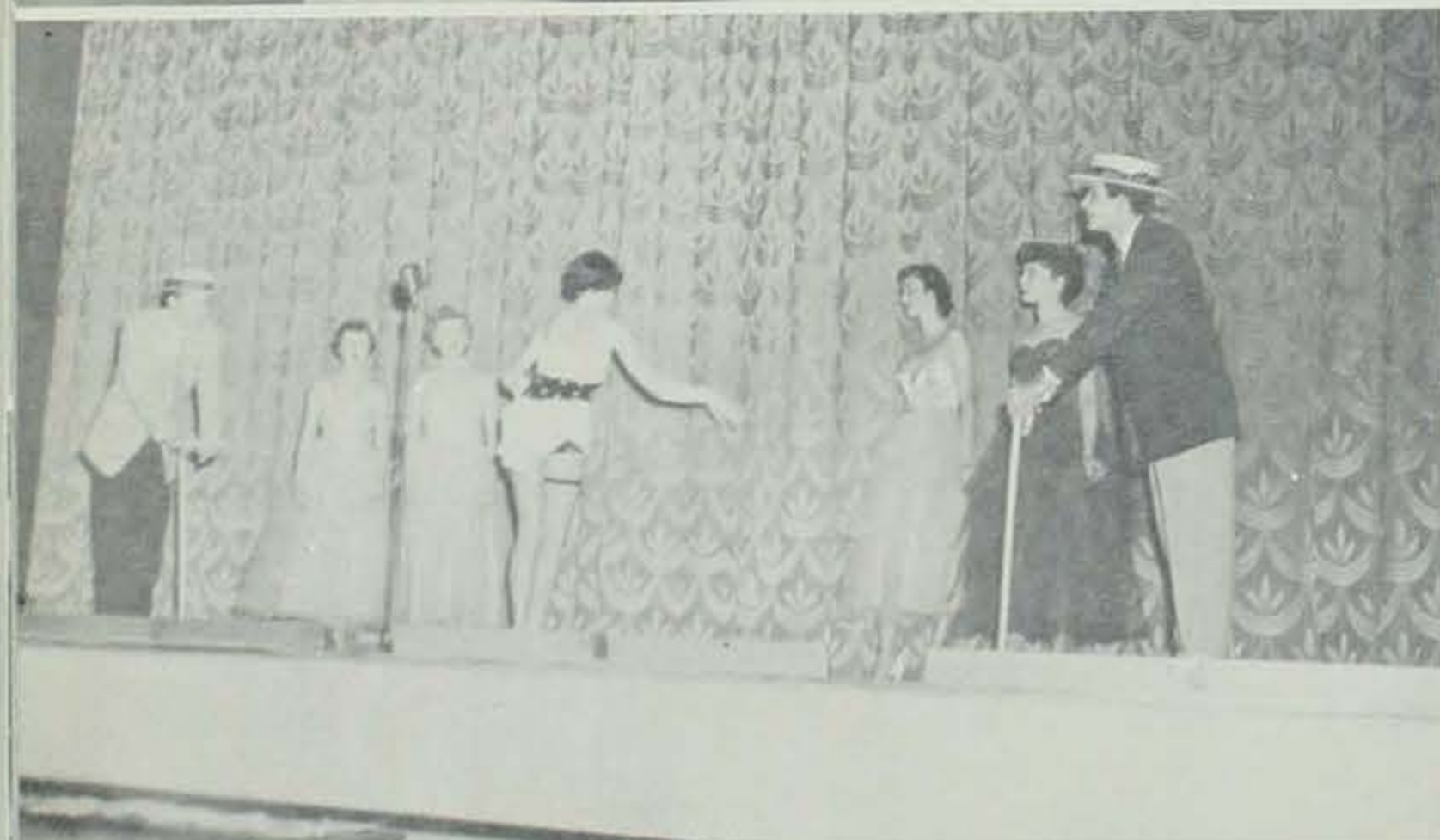
titled "The Night Was Made for Love."

Entire Cast in Finale

The show was closed with a finale featuring the ensemble, trio and band. "You'll Never Walk Alone" was sung by the ensemble accompanied by DeEtta Brownfield and Charles Bryant at the piano. The men's trio, Dix Lohman, Carroll Sawin and Doyle Hansen, harmonized on "Love" and "If I Loved You." The entire cast, accompanied by the band, then closed the program with "It's a Grand Night for Singing."

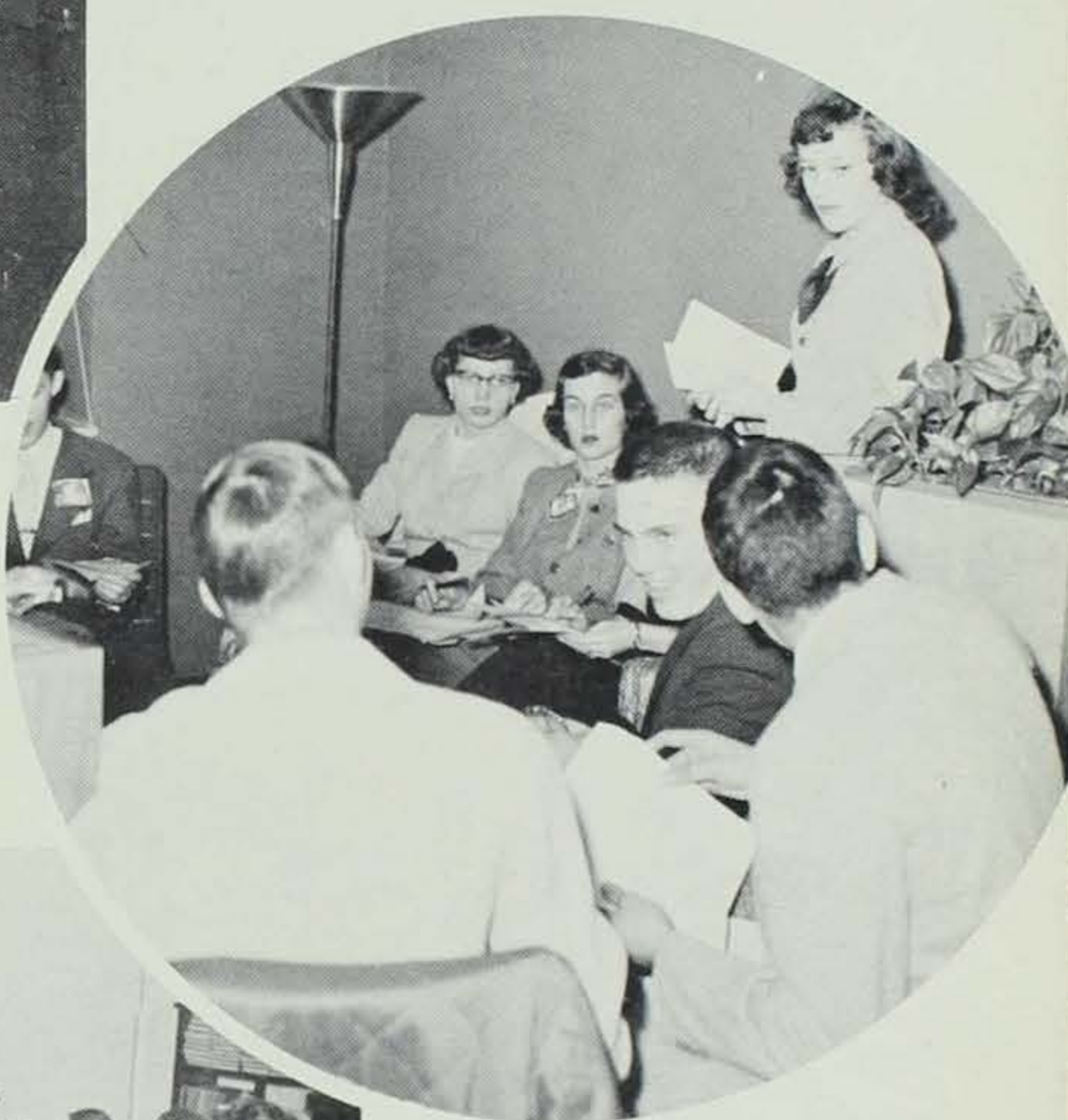
The chorus and ensemble were directed by Prof. Wendell Buckley. The success of the production has led the directors to a decision to offer it to schools in the area who will pay the necessary expenses.

Joanne Baumann, president of Sigma Tau Delta, expressed the hope that the type of production that the show represented will be continued in the future in place of the former stunt night.

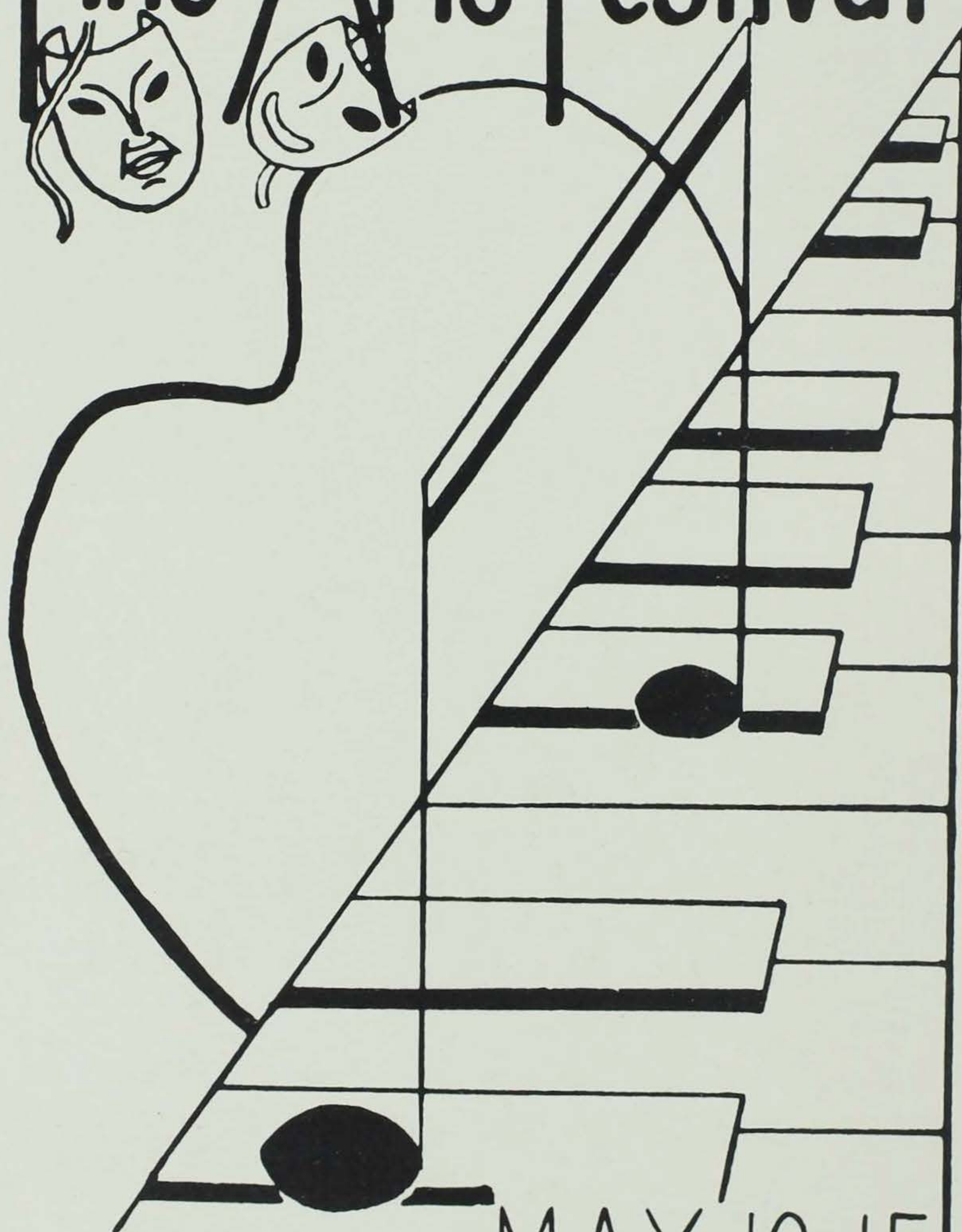




Third Annual High School Forensic Conference



Fine Arts Festival



MAY 10-15

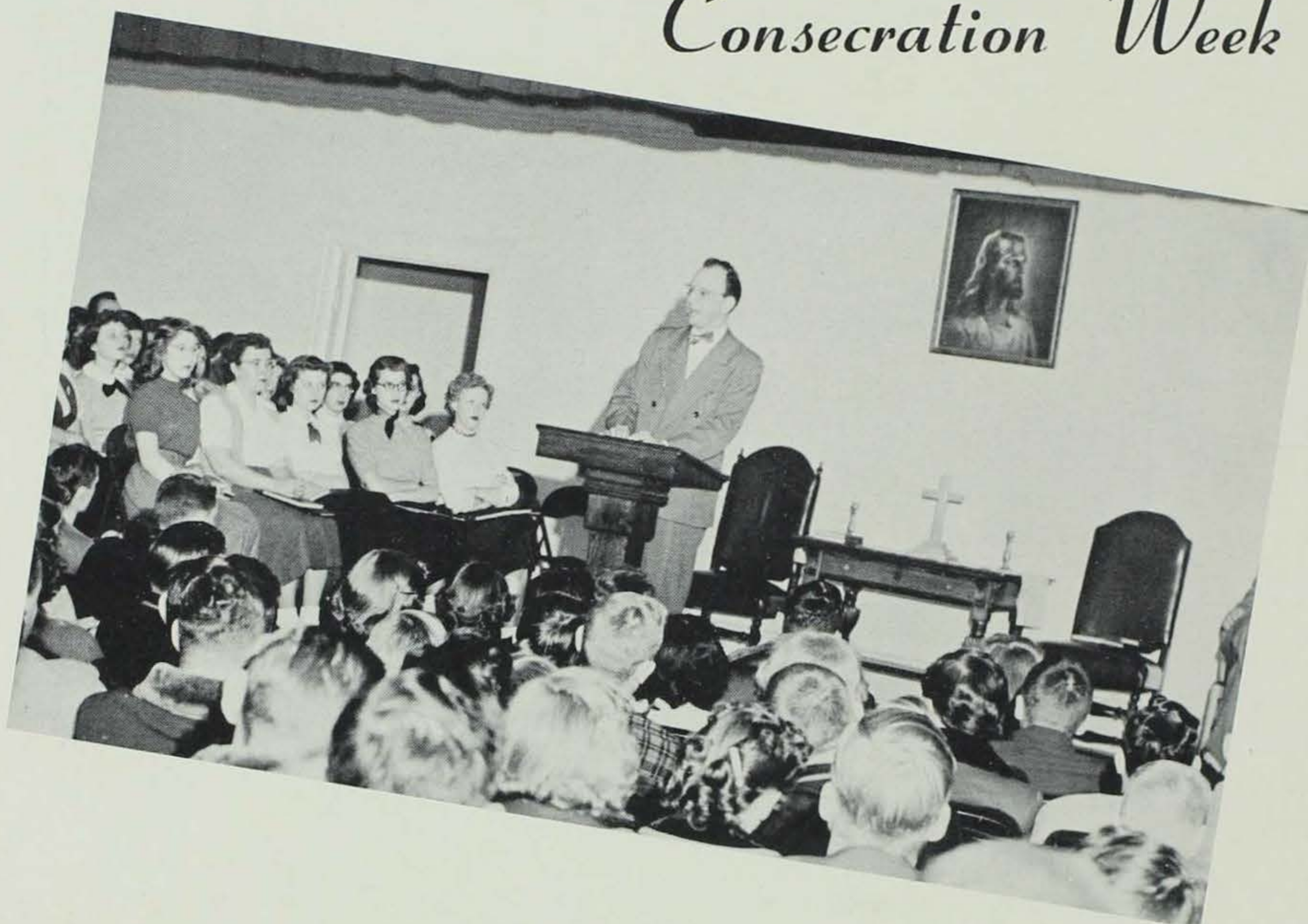
BUENA VISTA COLLEGE



Entre Nous Spring Formal
"Moonlight and Roses"



Consecration Week



Consecration Week is a week set apart by Buena Vista College so special emphasis can be placed on spiritual things. During this week the students, faculty and community as a whole unite to meditate on our creator and the blessings He has bestowed upon us. The college schedule is lightened in studies and other activities so that all may take advantage of this week set apart for sacred use.

Rev. John W. Meister, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana, was the speaker for the week. Rev. Mr. Meister graduated magna cum laude from Ohio University in 1938. His spiritual messages were both inspiring and beneficial to all who heard him.

Consecration Week was arranged by the Student Christian Fellowship. The members of this organization are known for their leadership and interest in wholesome endeavors on the campus.

DAILY PROGRAM February 9-13, 1953

MONDAY

Faculty Dinner.....Six o'clock, Swope Hall
Evening Service....."Out of Bounds"
President Henry Olson and Dean William D. Wesselink

TUESDAY

Morning Service....."Religion in the Simplest Terms"
The Rev. C. C. Richardson, D.D., and Miss JoAnn Mill
Evening Service....."On Doing More Than You Think You Can"
Mr. Robert Griffiths and Professor Bertha Supplee
Informal Discussion.....Swope Hall Lounge
Mr. Dix Lohman

WEDNESDAY

Morning Service....."God Was in Christ"
Mr. Stephen Nemeth and Professor John H. Krause
Evening Service....."The Source of Personal Power"
Miss Marlene Erickson and Professor Luman W. Sampson

THURSDAY

Morning Service....."Our Leanin' Side"
Mr. Doyle Hanson and Professor Gladys M. Kuehl
Evening Service....."The Attraction of the Cross"
Miss Donna Fraser and Professor Edwin T. Sandberg
Informal Discussion.....Swope Hall Lounge
Mr. William J. Richards

FRIDAY

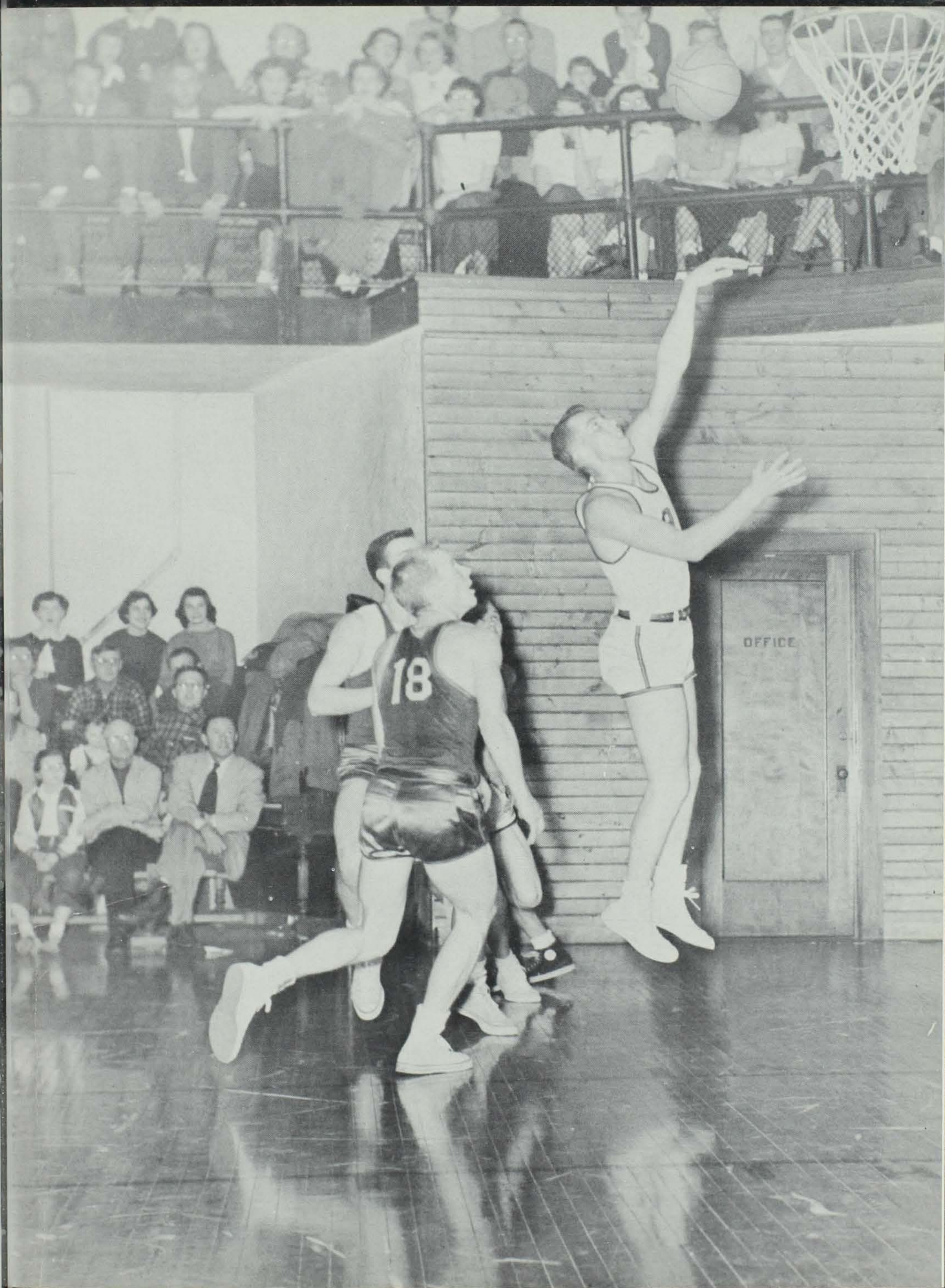
Morning Service....."Preventive Religion"
Chaplain Harold Murphy and Miss Jean Moe

Classes

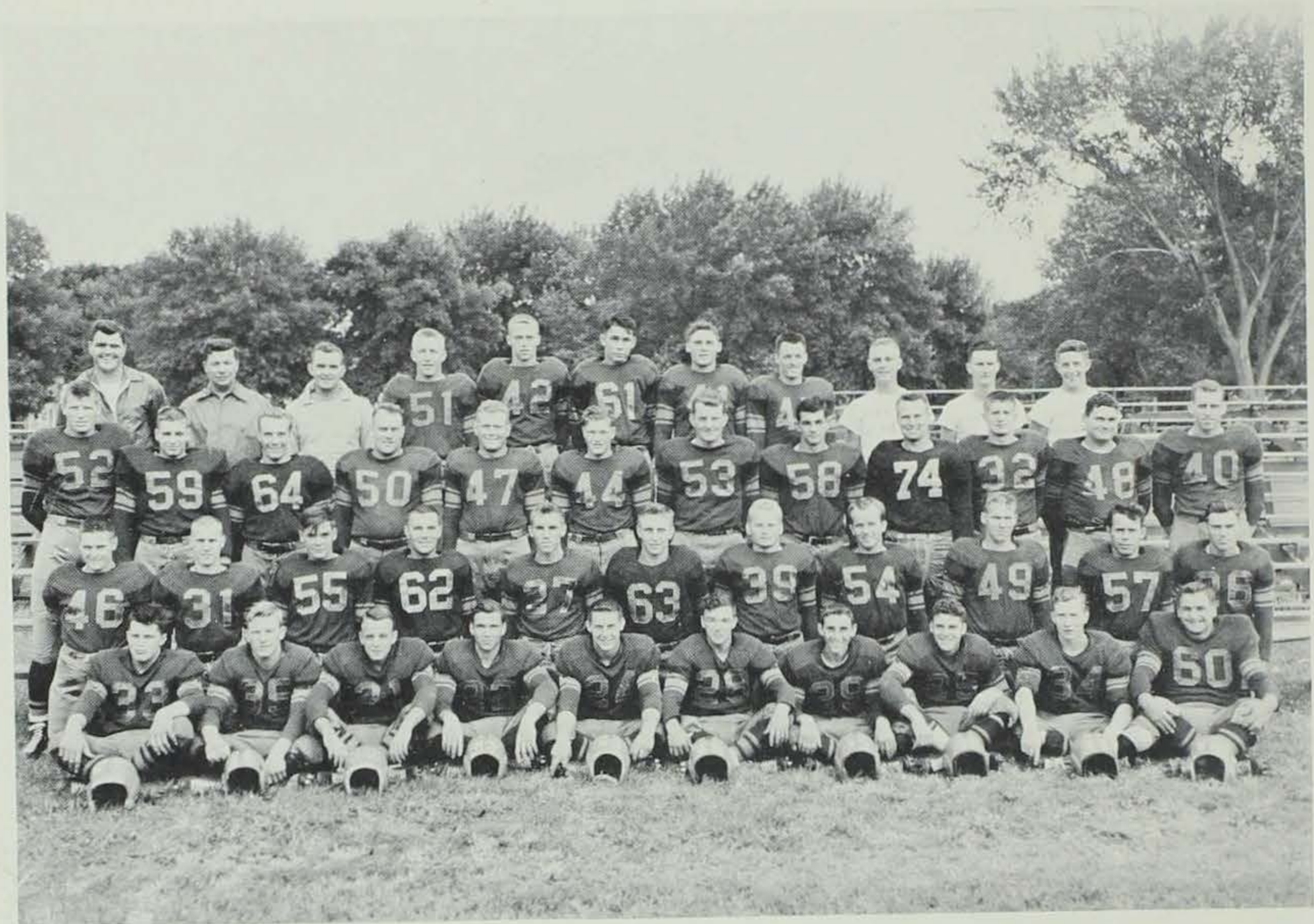


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Athletics



Iowa Conference Champs

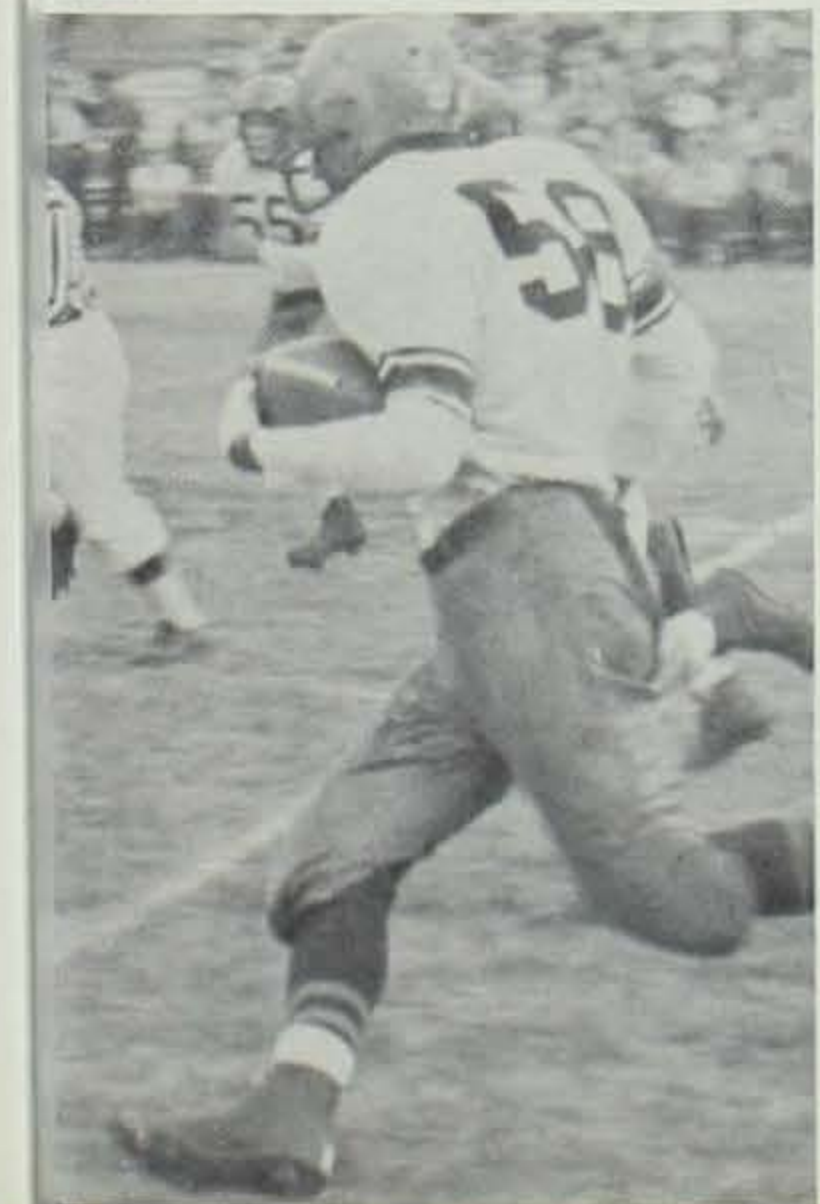
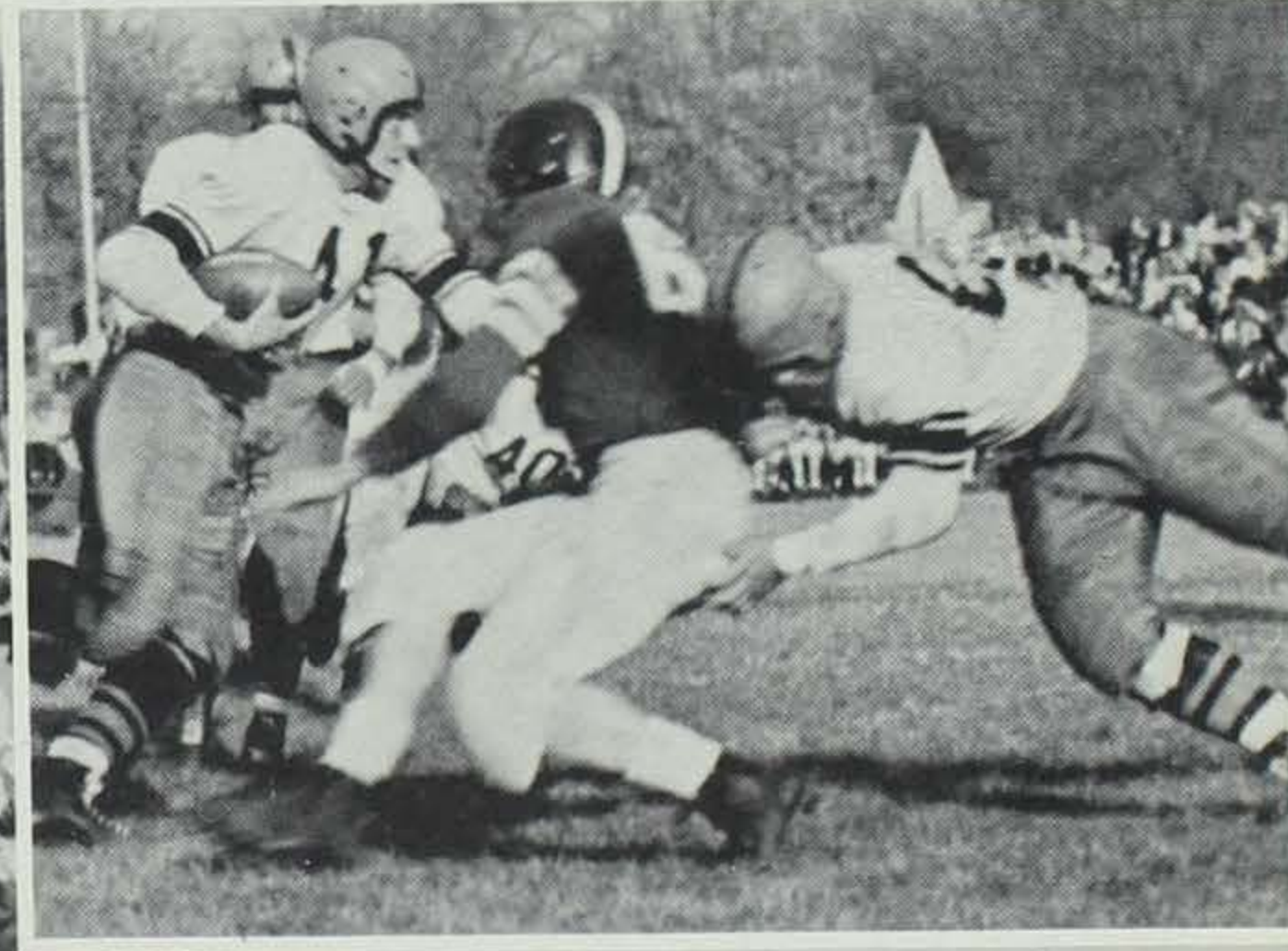
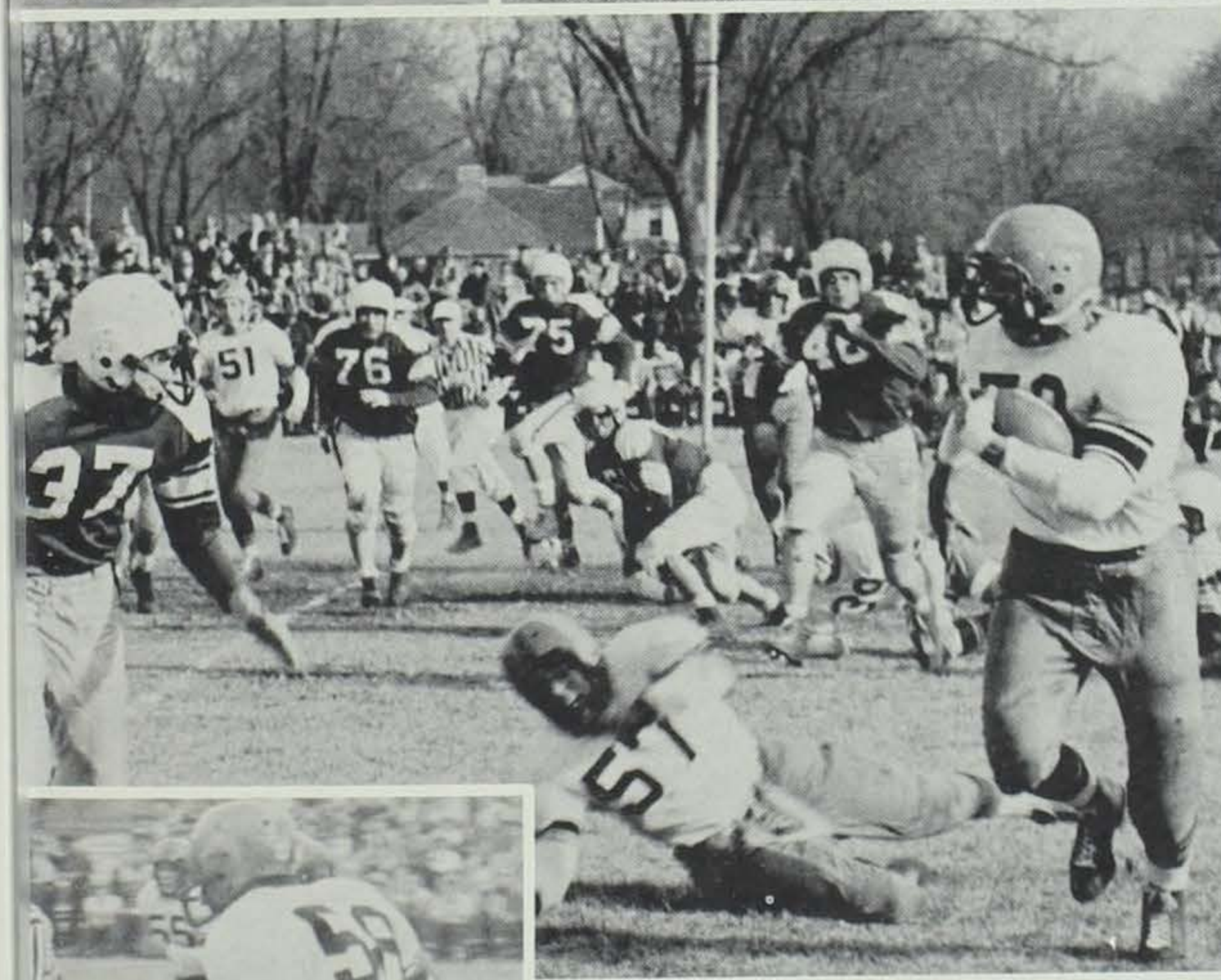
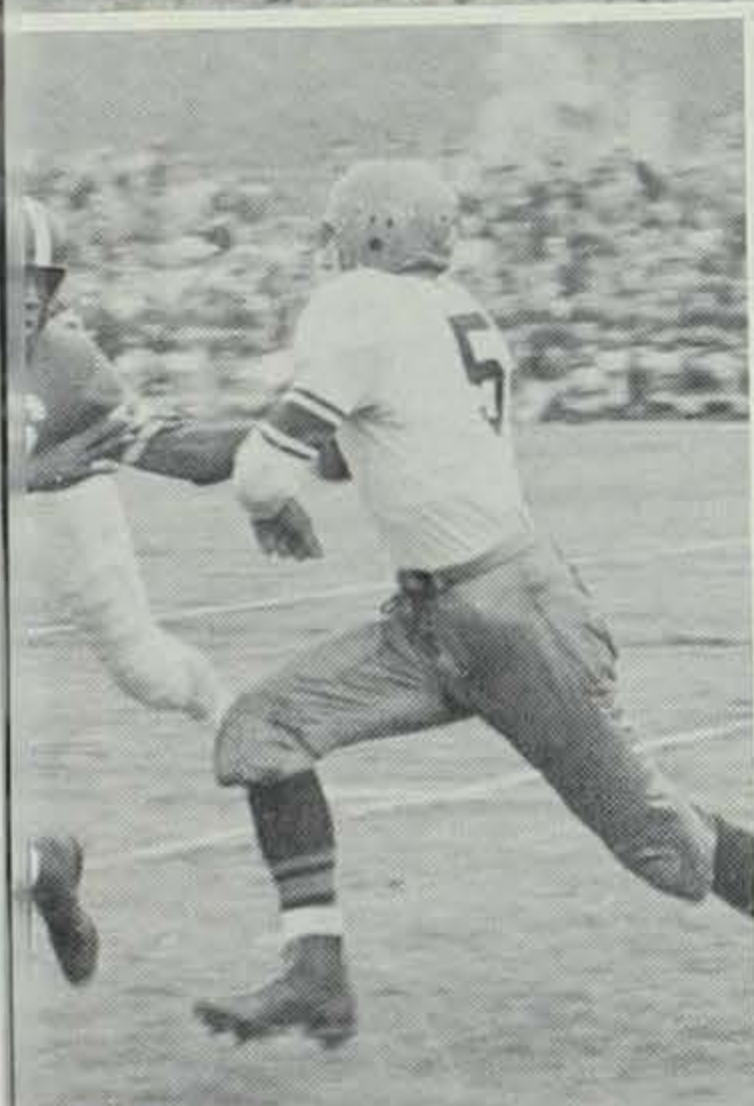


Front row (left to right): Jack Mansfield, Norman Hammack, Jon Francis, Waldo Francis, Bill Tryon, Jerry Craig-mile, Alvin Molitor, Dwight Harshbarger, Ken Peterson, Steve Nemath. **Second row:** Bennett Hemmestad, Morris Johnson, Don Carlson, Gordon Hoover, Dale Scramm, Val Dean Whisler, Charles Rosburg, Richard Schoon, James Kerns, Morris Schroeder, Lynn Jackson. **Third row:** Veron

Rath, Joe Doud, Robert Buman, Darrel Kline, Elwood Thies, Arland Sivadge, Myron Anderson, Charles Brandstetter, Bill Ferns, Darrell Huseman, Vernard Keerbs, Don Kamprath. **Fourth row:** Head Coach J. R. Bob Otto, Coach John Krause, Coach A. J. Hanafan, James Lindlie, Robert Nielson, Jerry Nichols, Richard Tuttle, Roger Parrott, Lowell Fredrickson, Kieth McNeil, Clarence Lang.

September 13	Buena Vista	19	Nebraska Wesleyan	26
September 19	Buena Vista	7	Iowa State J. V.	30
September 26	Buena Vista	24	Luther	7
October 3	Buena Vista	19	Loras	26
October 10	Buena Vista	0	Univ. of Neb. J.V.	14
October 18	Buena Vista	12	Wartburg	14
October 25	Buena Vista	31	Upper Iowa	19
Homecoming				
November 1	Buena Vista	21	Univ. of Dubuque	6
November 7	Buena Vista	12	Central	6
November 15	Buena Vista	13	Iowa Wesleyan	7

Iowa Conference Championship Game played at Storm Lake



The 1952 Grid Story

The 1952 Beaver Football Season was one from "Rags to Riches." The season was one of many heartaches and disappointments, but nevertheless one of thrills and great exaltation when at the climax the Beavers played the Tigers of Iowa Wesleyan for the Conference Championship on November 15th and emerged victorious 13 to 7.

Buena Vista 19—Nebraska Wesleyan 27

After a short two weeks of strenuous practice the Beavers opened their 1952 season with Nebraska Wesleyan at Lincoln. Keeping abreast with the Plainsmen for the first three quarters, man power and physical condition on the part of the Plainsmen began to tell on the Beavers and they finally succumbed by a score of 27 to 19. The beavers lost the services of Jack Mansfield in this ball game which hindered the Beaver defense throughout the remainder of the season. Although going down in defeat, there was some outstanding ability displayed on the part of freshmen Joe Doud, Lowell DeSart, Val Dean Whisler and the old reliables Bill Tryon, Chuck Rosburg, Don Kamprath, Steve Nemeth and Charles Branstetter.

Buena Vista 7—Iowa State J.V. 30

Following the loss to Nebraska Wesleyan the Beavers once again fell by the wayside to the tune of 30-7. The score was no indication of how hard the game was fought and how valiantly the Beavers played. Although being outmanned and absorbing a terrific physical beating, the Beavers never once conceded the game to the Cyclones until the final gun. Trailing 10-0 at halftime, they took the opening kickoff of the second half and with Rosburg and Huseman carrying on the ground and Tryon to Kamprath leading the aerial attack, the ball was moved from the Beaver 35 yard line to the Cyclones two where Rosburg crossed over standing up and Tryon converted making the score 10-7. Once again manpower began to tell on the Beavers and the Cyclones rallied in the fourth quarter pushing across two more TDs. Statistically the Beavers were out in front, but the total score was the determining factor. Credit must be given to the great forward wall manned by Rath, Bumann, Ferns, Anderson, Lindlief and Kamprath.

Buena Vista 26—Luther 7

In the opening Conference tilt for the Beavers, the highly touted Norsemen from Luther were their foes. Buena Vista once again cast in the role of the underdog surprised everyone but the coaching staff and the squad by scoring three quick touchdowns in the first half on the running of Rosburg, Huseman and Branstetter and the passing of Tryon to the Beavers' giant ends, Kamprath and Rath. The Norseman never recovered from the severe blasting of the hard charging Beaver backs and the deadly onslaught of our forward wall. The Luther team scored their lone touchdown late

in the fourth period. Much credit must be given to the great defensive play on the part of Jon Francis, Myron Anderson, Arland Sivadge and Steve Nemeth for stopping cold the vaunted Split T and the deadly passing attack headed by Hamlet Peterson, Jr.

Buena Vista 19—Loras 26

Although the Beavers built a 13-6 halftime lead they began to feel the great strength of the Duhawks which was unleashed in the second half. After a pass interception by Lindlief on the Loras 31 yard line, Tryon then faked a hand off to Rosburg, dropped back to the 46 yard line and threw a perfect strike to Kamprath who grabbed it out of the air and proceeded goalward unmolested for the Beavers' first tally. With just sixty seconds remaining in the first half, Rosburg broke over right tackle on a quick handoff and galloped 76 yards for the second touchdown. Tryon converted making the score B.V. 13—Loras 7. Then the Duhawks tied the lead the Beavers had maintained throughout the first three quarters. Late in the fourth period Pagnelli scampered 64 yards to score. Again the Beaver line stood out defensively and the great play on the part of Sivadge who time and time again brought the Duhawk backs down hard with his vicious tackles.

Buena Vista 0—Nebraska U.J.V. 14

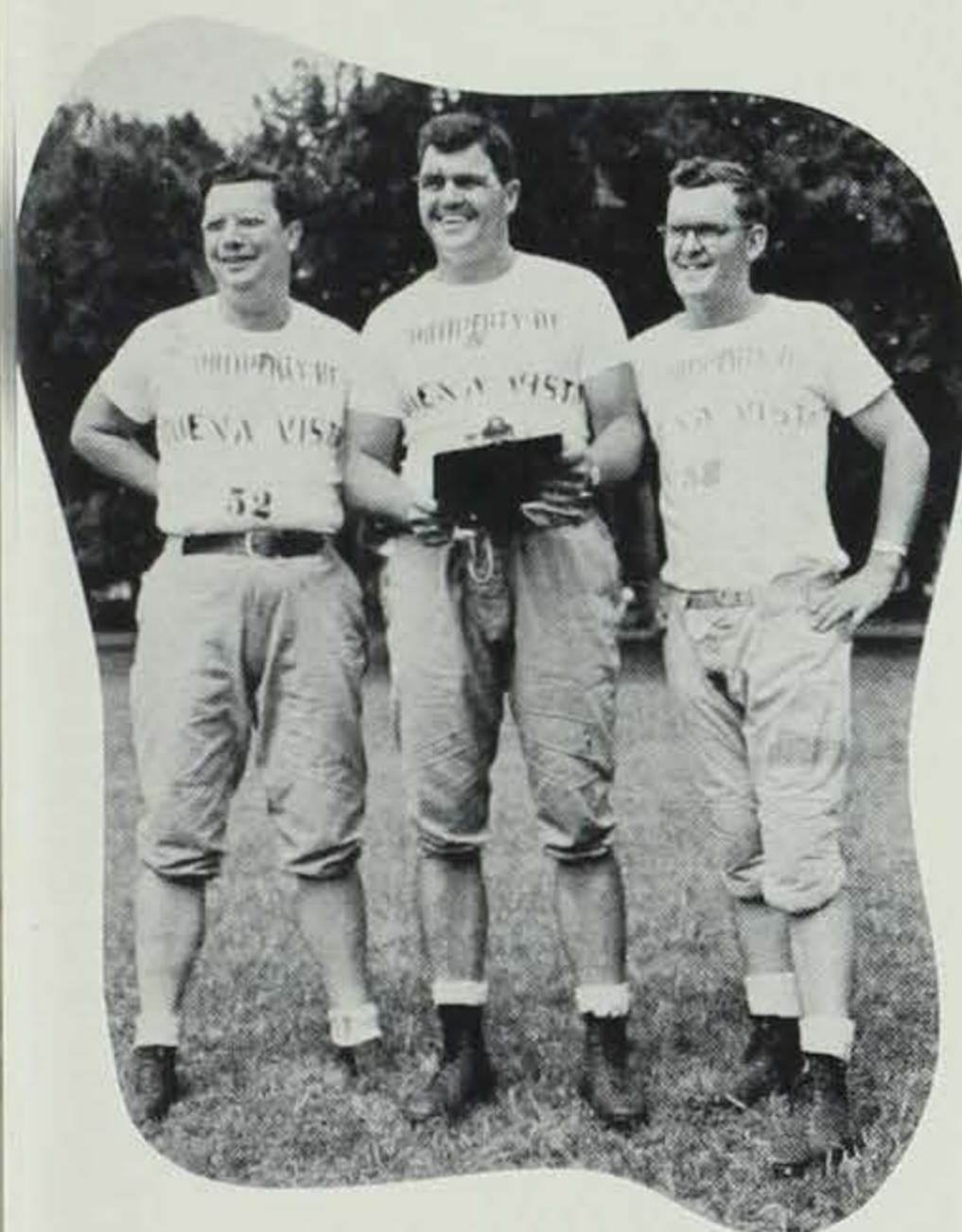
Buena Vista was outcharged and outmanned by a swift and rugged Junior Varsity eleven from the University of Nebraska and lost 14-0. The Beavers held their own throughout the first two periods and not until late in the final period did they begin to feel the sting of the tremendous manpower and speed that the Nebraska Junior Varsity possessed. The Beavers lost quarterback Bill Tryon on a tackle which injured the diminutive Beaver quarterback. Although Buena Vista fell in defeat, there were several bright spots in the game. The Beaver defense held up well and the playing of Doud, Molitor, Carlson, and Huseman and the running of freshman Morris Johnson was outstanding.

Buena Vista 12—Wartburg 14

On October 17, the Beaver aggregation journeyed to Waverly with high hopes of keeping their slate unblemished in the Northern Division race. Wartburg was cocked for the Beavers, plus the fact it was their Homecoming. Wartburg's Cyril Pick returned the opening kickoff 95 yards for their first score. Buena Vista then struck back under the leadership of freshman Jerry Craigmile and advanced the ball to the Wartburg third where an illegal use of the hands penalty set them back and they were unable to score. At the start of the third period Tryon was inserted into the lineup and proceeded to direct his team. A fumble on the part of Buena Vista set up the final and deciding touchdown for the Knights. Buena

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Myron Anderson
Charles Branstetter
Robert Bumann
Don Carlson



Jerry Craigmile
Lowell DeSart
Joe Doud



Football Squad

Ralph Ferns
Jon Francis
Norman Hammack



Dwight Harshbarger
Bennett Hemmestad
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Darrell Huseman
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Morris Johnson



Don Kamprath
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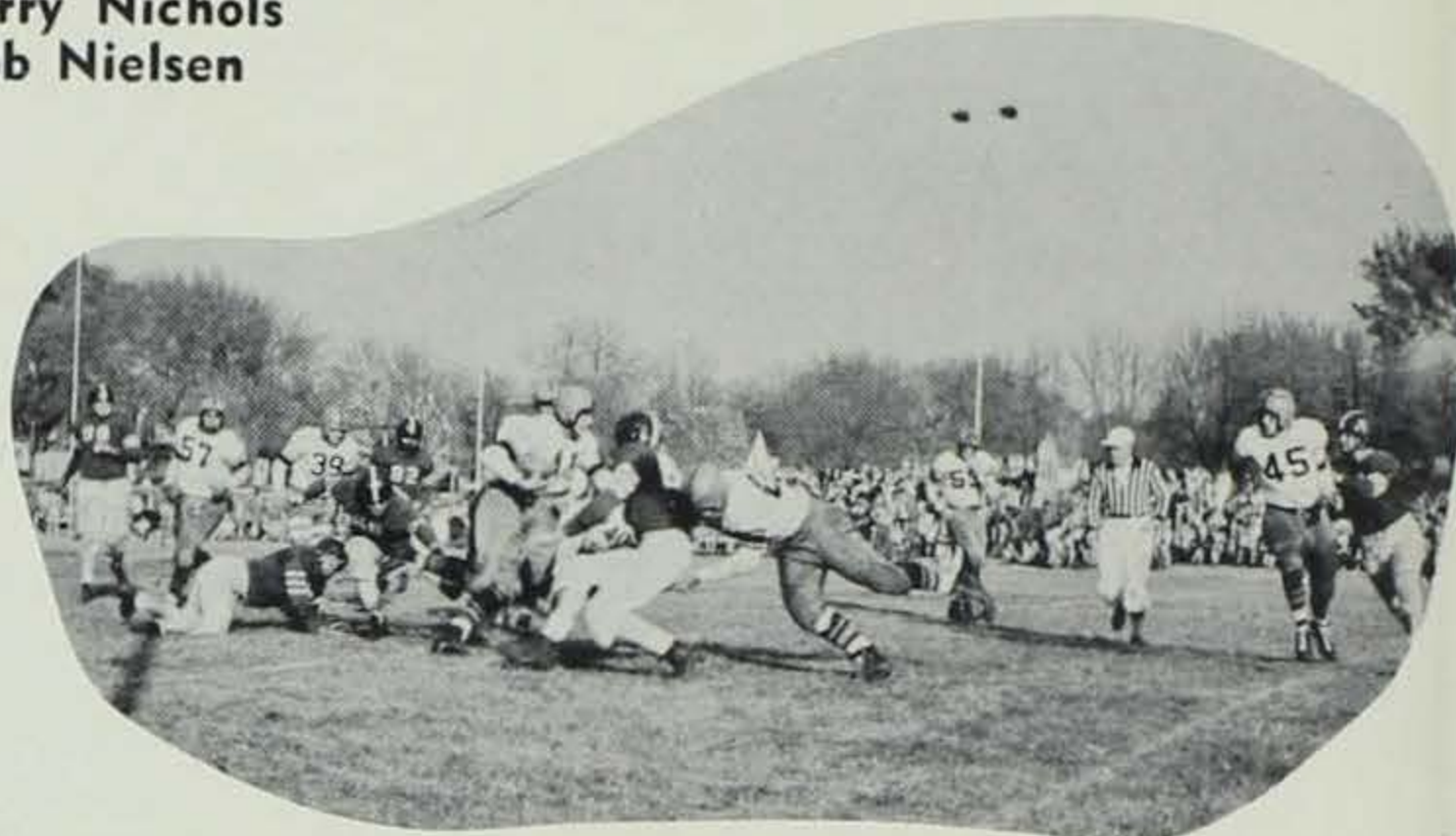




Darrell Kline
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Bob Nielsen



Football Squad



Roger Parrott
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Vernon Rath



Charles Rosburg
Richard Schoon
Dale Schramm



Morris Schroeder
Arland Sivadge
Bill Tryon



Richard Tuttle
Francis Waldo
Val Dean Whisler

Basketball Squad



First row, left to right: Keith McNiel, Darrell Huseman, Marlyn Johnson, William Zwemke, Don Kamprath, Chuck Branstetter, Roger Mahnke. **Second row:** Coach John Krause, Roger Parrott, Robert Neilson, Jim Rolke, Myron Anderson, Ass't Coach Bob Otto. **Third row:** Jay Shelp, Lowry Frederickson, Manager; Dixie Morrison, Jim Anderson, Ass't Coach Ed McNiel, Morris Johnson.

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Basketball Story

Buena Vista college cagers finished their season last Friday with a record of nine victories and 15 defeats. The Beavers got off to a slow start due to the late ending of the football season and dropped 10 of the first 12 games, but improved as the season progressed to end conference competition in a second place tie with Wartburg.

The Beavers, with a 6-4 record for conference contests, have an offensive average of 70.5 and a defensive average of 69.5 for the 10 northern division games. Their overall offensive and defensive average is 62.4 and 66.2.

Buena Vista won three out of the 14 road games, defeating Dana college 64 to 58, Upper Iowa 72 to 58, and Westmar 84 to 76 in an overtime. The Beavers won six games on their own floor with the advantage of playing on the home court worth nearly 20 points to them.

This is Coach John Krause's second season at Buena Vista. His team last year finished the season with a 16-7 record and ranked second in the conference.

All Iowa Conference Honors came to two of the Beaver players this season. Marlyn "Hoops" Johnson was the top scorer who won a first team birth. Kieth McNeil, steady junior guard, was placed on the second All-Conference Team.

Seniors Branstetter, Johnson and Kamprath will be forever missed when they graduate this June. Branstetter and Kamprath have been mainstays for four years in both football and basketball while Johnson, who came to Buena Vista as a junior, has led the Beaver scoring for two years.

Season's Individual Scoring Summary

Player	Games Played	Field Goals	Free Throws Made	Free Throws Missed	Personal Fouls	Total Points	Ave. Points
Marlyn Johnson	23	152	90	48	68	394	17.1
Don Kamprath	22	111	87	69	83	309	14.1
William Zwemke	24	71	60	62	103	202	8.4
Dobs Huseman	24	47	70	57	85	164	6.8
Keith McNeil	24	52	29	25	63	133	5.5
C. Branstetter	17	21	42	23	49	84	4.9
Jim Anderson	12	18	20	19	22	56	4.7
Bob Nielson	14	16	10	7	15	42	3
Morris Johnson	12	12	14	14	21	38	3.2
Roger Mahnke	12	5	10	7	20	20	1.7
Lowell DeSart	5	5	8	2	3	18	3.6
Bill Tryon	5	4	7	6	4	15	3
Dixey Morrison	3	4	2	0	1	10	3.3

Other points scored: Jim Beak 6, Dewaye Gustin 4, Roger Parrott 2.



Dixey Morrison



Keith McNeil



Jim Anderson



Chuck Branstetter



Jay Shelp

Basketball Squad



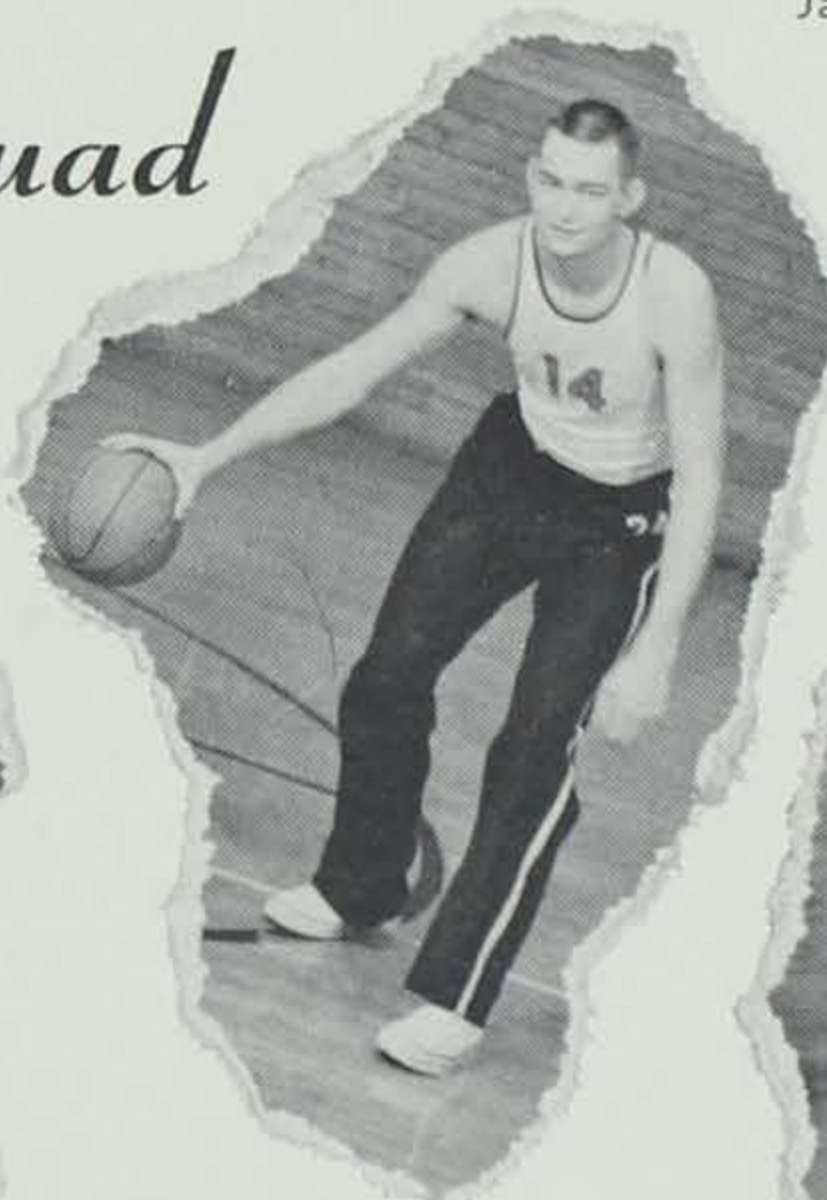
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Marlyn Johnson



COACH JOHN KRAUSE



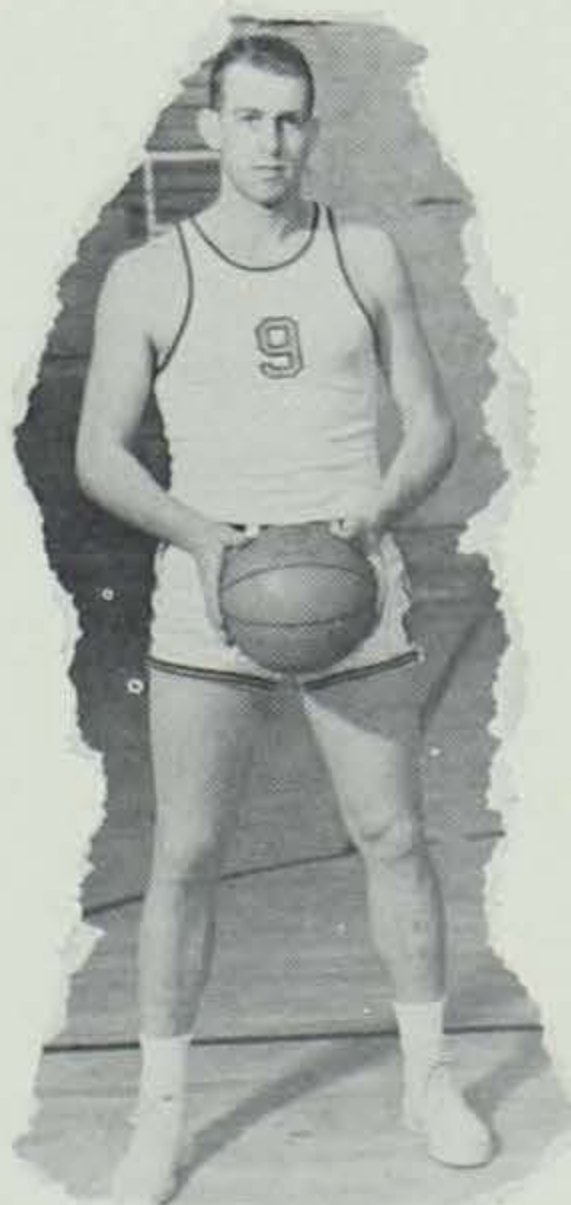
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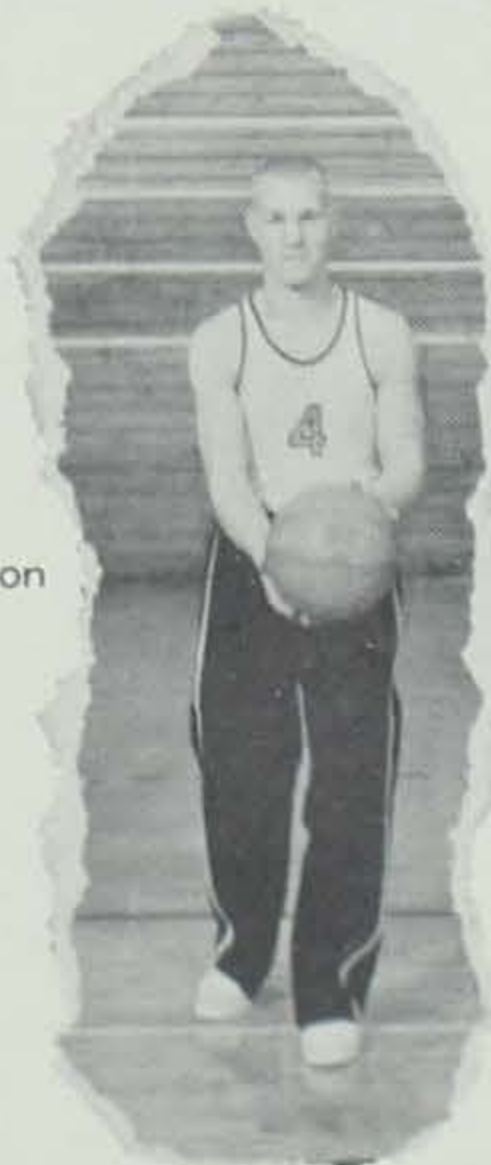
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Darrell Huseman



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Junior Varsity Basketball

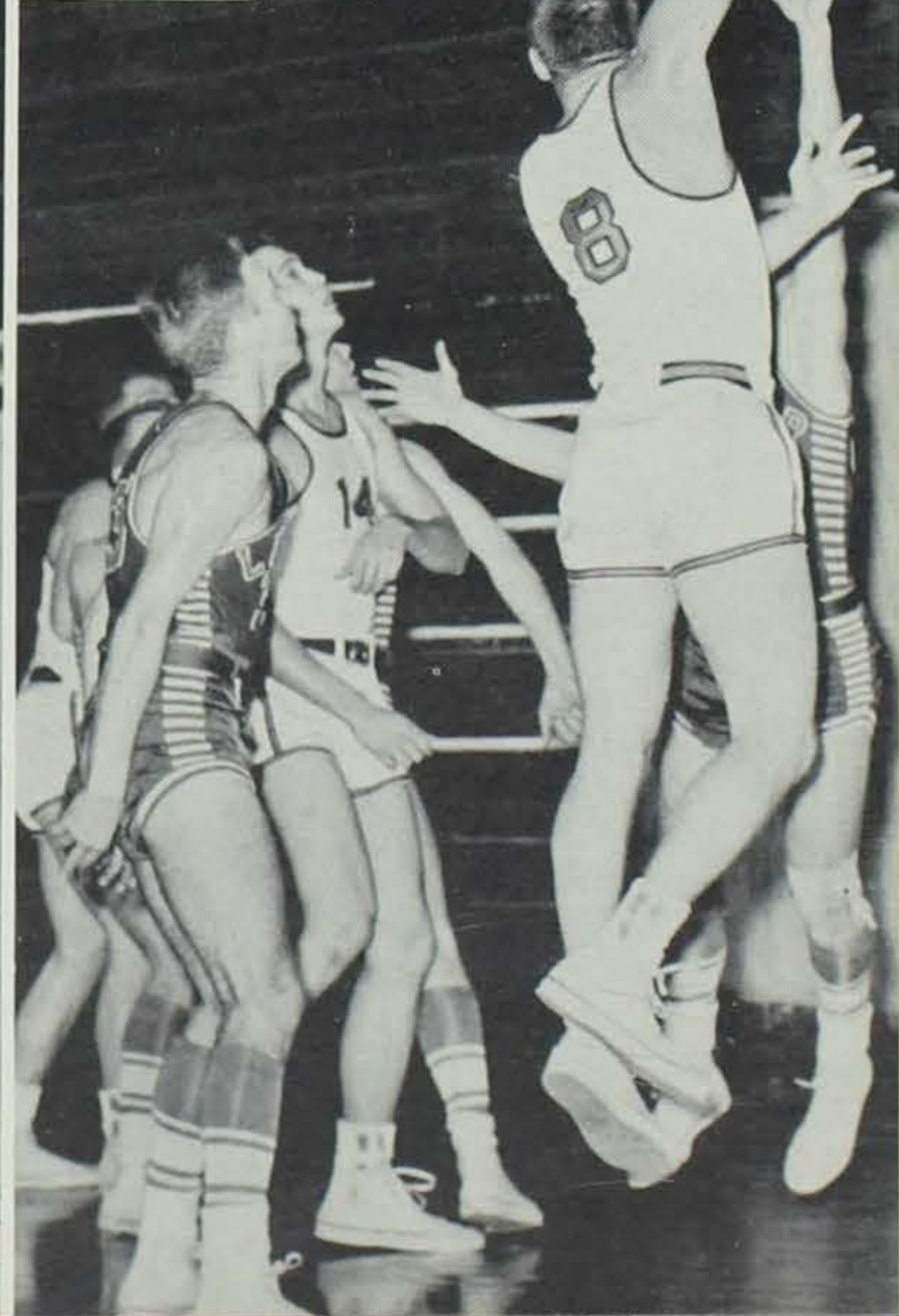
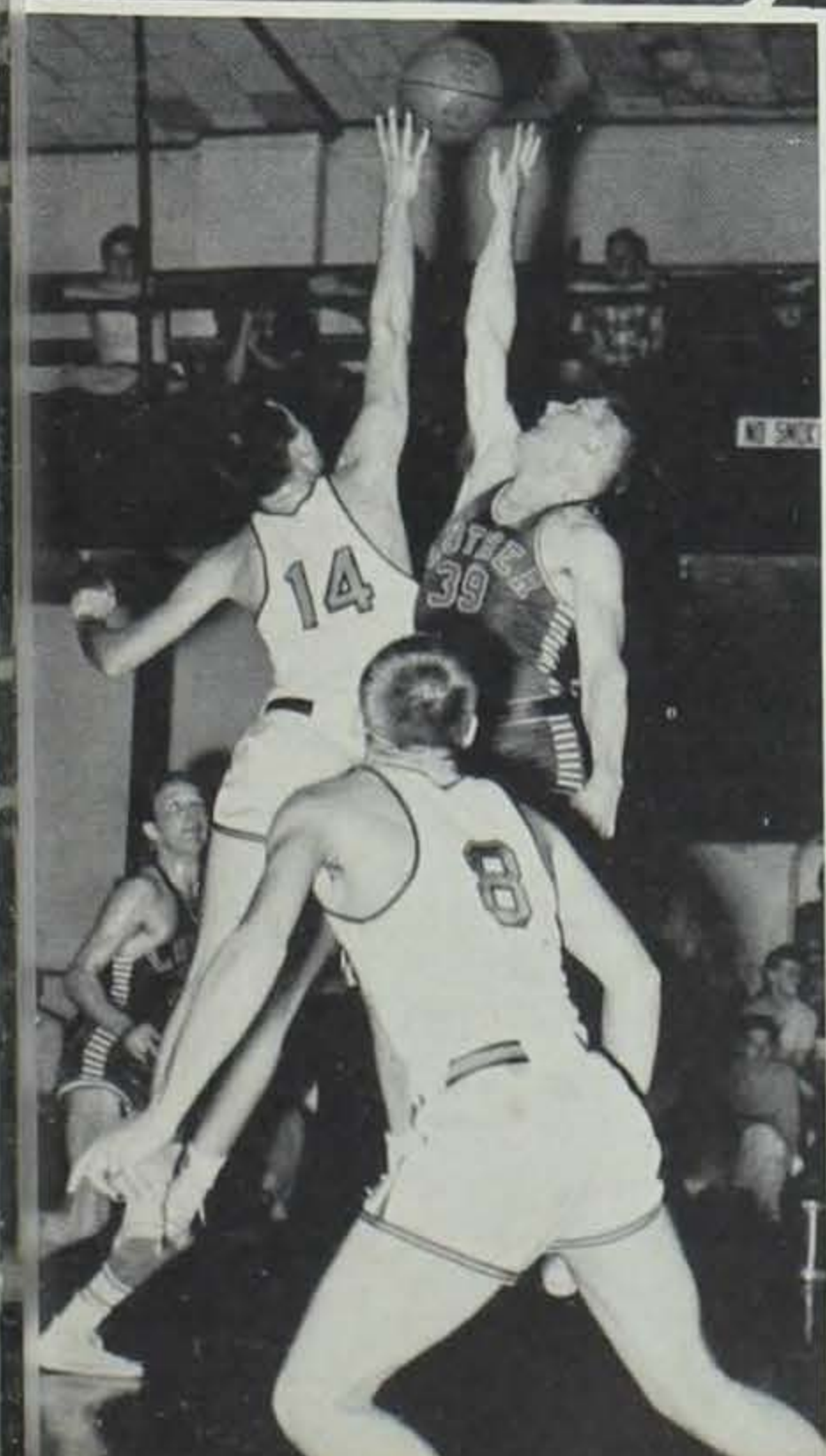
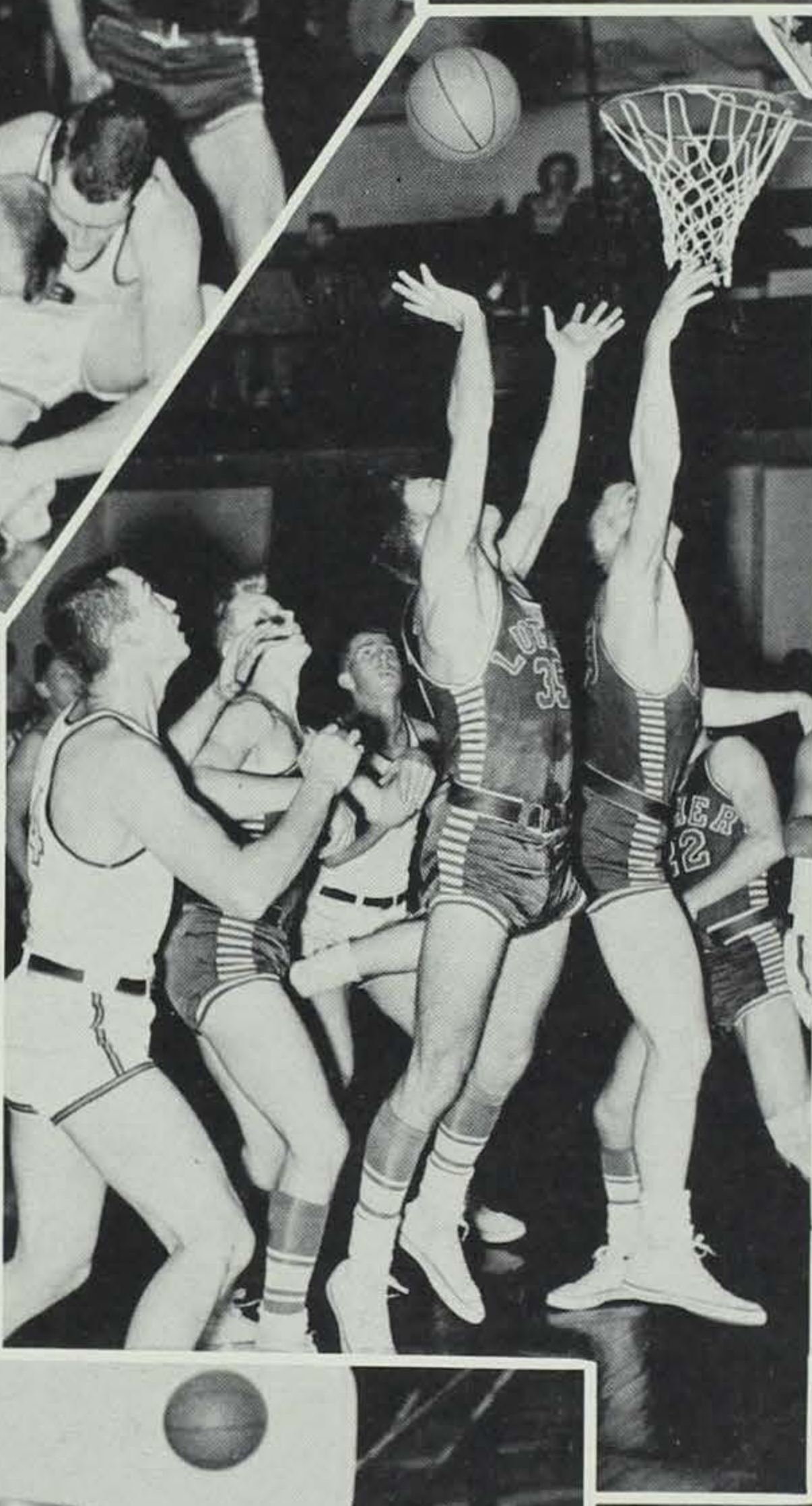
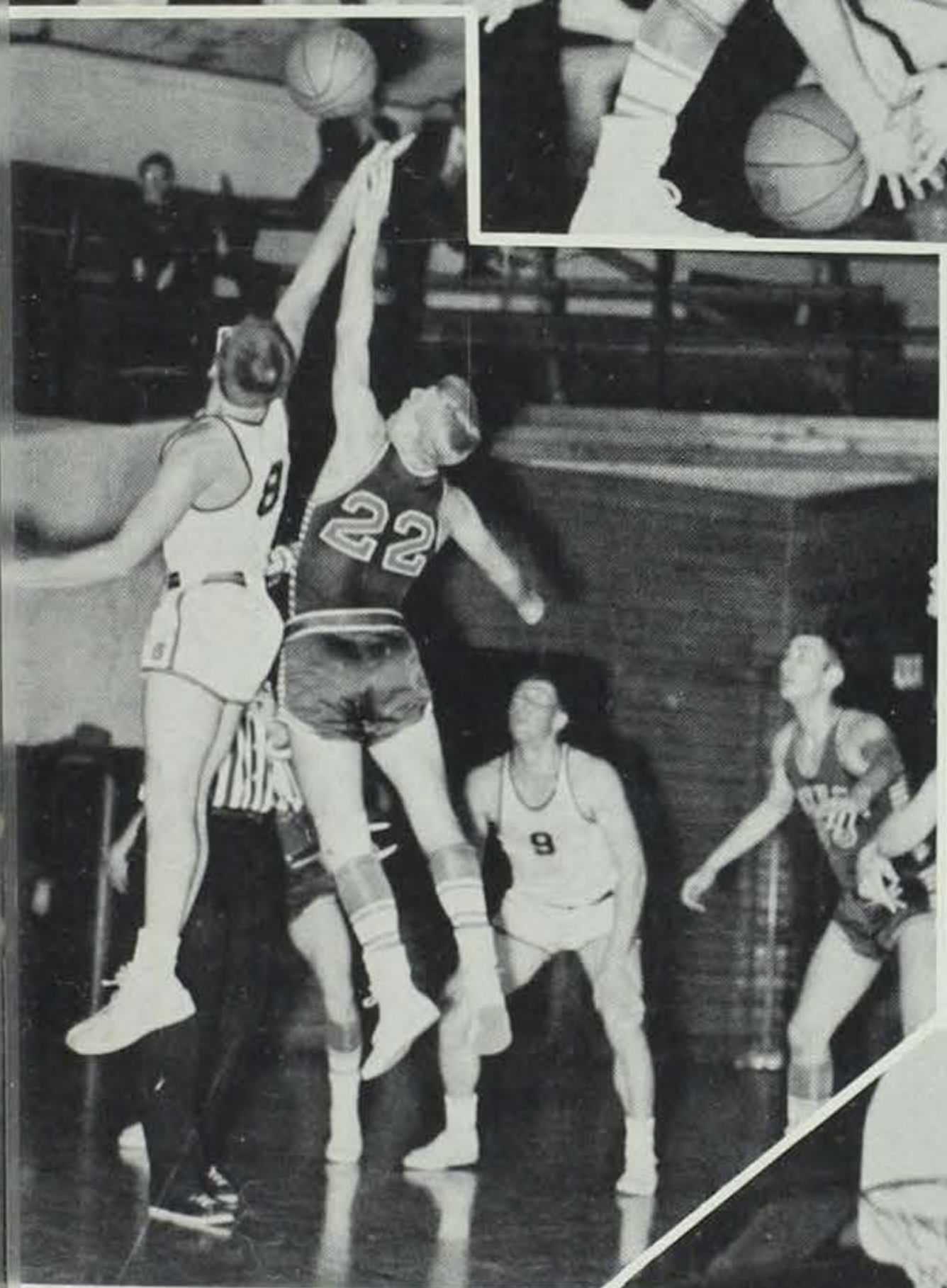
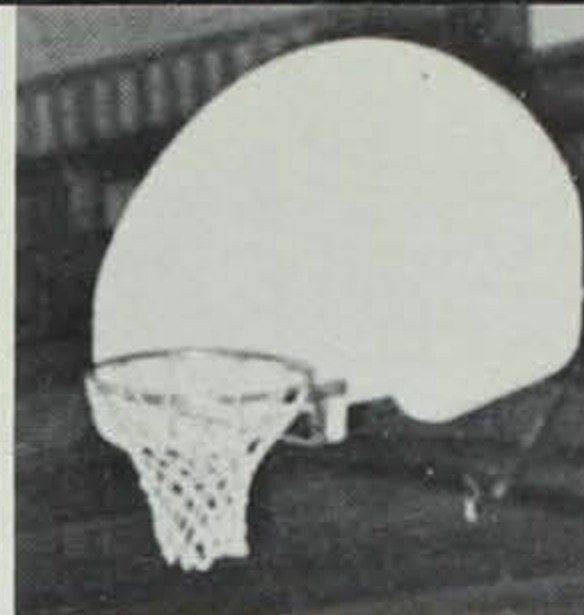
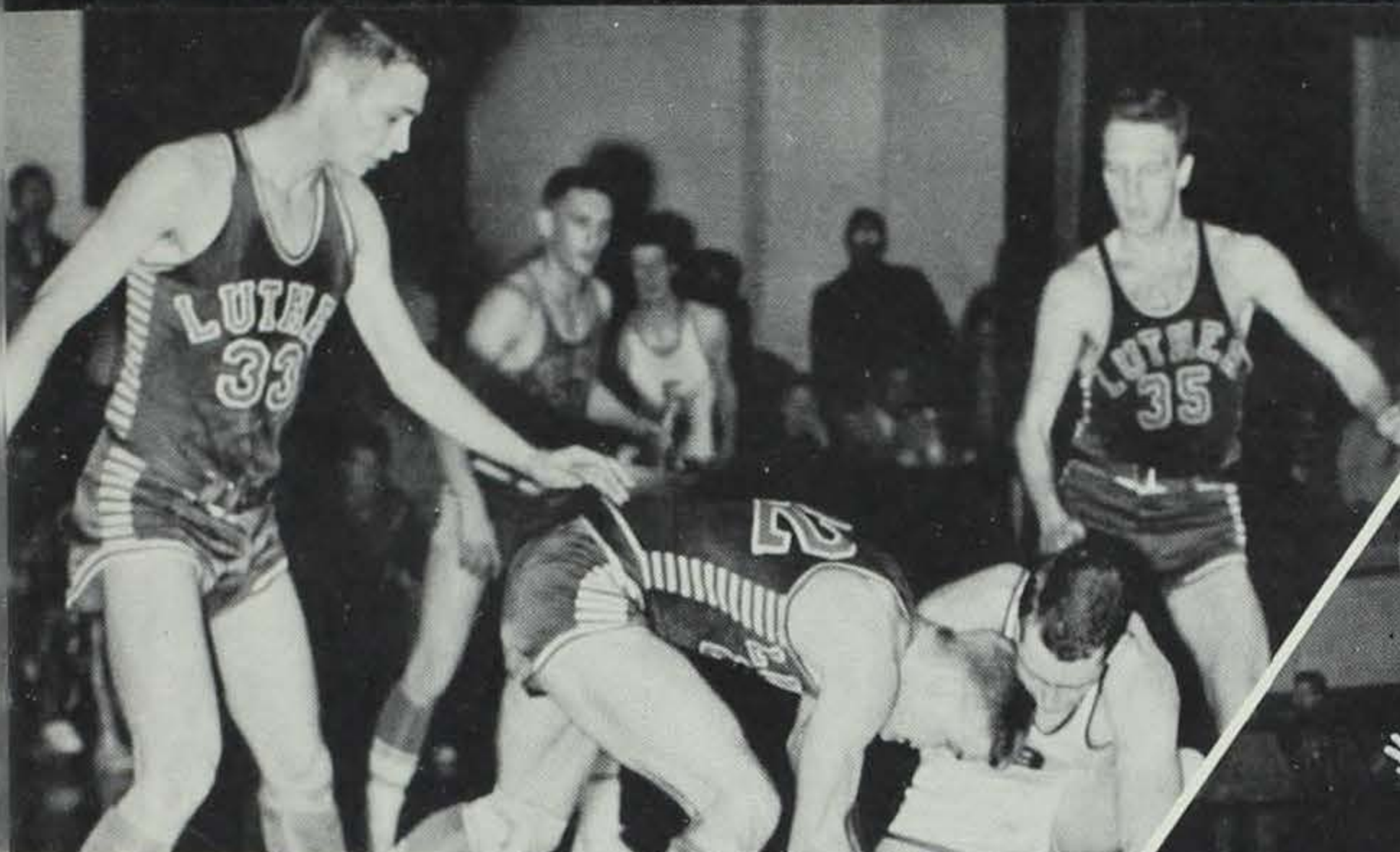
Buena Vista.....	49	Old Timers	45
Buena Vista.....	63	Spencer Independents	42
Buena Vista.....	61	Greenville-Rossie	48
Buena Vista.....	72	Galva Independents	42
Buena Vista.....	48	Cornell Independents	38
Buena Vista.....	50	Old Timers	58
Buena Vista.....	50	Battle Creek	49
Buena Vista.....	55	Wartburg J.V.	77
Buena Vista.....	57	Wartburg J.V.	68
Won 6		Lost 3	

Coach Bob Otto ran his junior varsity squad onto the hard courts during the 1952-53 season against some of the better independent teams of this territory and other junior varsity fives. The Bees were composed mainly of freshmen with a sprinkling of upperclassmen. They were rugged on the boards and came to the end of the season with a record of 6 wins and 3 losses.

The junior varsity split in their series with the powerful Old Timers, who were mainly former Buena Vista performers. Both games were close thrilling contests that were a credit to both teams.

The Bees were downed twice this year by the powerful quintet from Wartburg but the tables might have been turned had the breaks fallen in the right places.

The J.V. five came out on top in most of the other contests by very comfortable margins and were only beaten by one of the independent teams in the full season of strong competition.



Baseball Squad



First row, left to right: Bill Singer, Keith McNiel, Bill Tryon, Keith Sawin, Jon Francis. **Second row:** Dean Larison, Ed Hendrickson, Roger Mahnke, Marvin Stille, Arland Sivadge, Jay Hooegeveen.

Third row: Ken Hulsebus, Wilbur Merrill, Glen Stabelfeld, Myron Anderson, Ralph Ferns, Jim Foell, Coach John Krause.

The Baseball Story

The 1952 Buena Vista Baseball Beavers kept rolling along as the best in college baseball with a 14 won and three lost record.

Playing in the Iowa Conference and the best big schools they could schedule, the Beavers stretched their four year winning habit to a 68 won with only 9 losses.

Highlights of the season were the southern trip the team took during the Easter recess where they met too much rain and got to play just three games of the eight that were scheduled. Losing two of these first three the Beavers won the rest of the season except a 3 to 2 loss to Loras which was the first conference loss in four seasons.

In beating former Coach Ken Blackman's pro-

fessional Duluth Dukes twice, Coach Krause's team gained fame through the baseball world that brought more than the usual number of scouts of the pro ranks to Storm Lake in search of talent. This then found all seniors signing contracts. Graduating were Marv Stille, Glen Stabelfield, Wilbur Merrill and Dean Larison.

In the Iowa Conference the Beavers have made themselves the champions for three successive times but in 1952 because of rained-out games and the closing of school for the summer vacation no champion was named so the team had to settle for a tie in the Northern Division with Loras with no playoff with the Southern Division.

Baseball Record

Buena Vista	11	Scott Air Base	0
Buena Vista	2	Scott Air Base	3
Buena Vista	3	Fort Leonard Wood	16
Buena Vista	3	Wartburg	1
Buena Vista	6	Upper Iowa	5
Buena Vista	9	Upper Iowa	1
Buena Vista	4	Duluth Dukes	3
Buena Vista	6	Duluth Dukes	2
Buena Vista	8	Arkansas University	4
Buena Vista	17	Arkansas University	16
Buena Vista	2	Loras	3
Buena Vista	16	Luther	8
Buena Vista	13	Luther	3
Buena Vista	15	Wartburg	4
Buena Vista	17	Morningside	9
Buena Vista	13	Omaha University	6
Buena Vista	14	Morningside	9

Won 14

Lost 3

Baseball Statistics

Pitchers	W	L	IP	R	H
Stabelfeld, Glen	6	2	60	28	50
Merrill, Wilber	4	1	39	29	40
Hulsebus, Ken	2	0	24	13	24
Foell, Jim	1	0	7	5	7
Sawin, Carroll	1	0	6	7	9
McNeil, Keith	0	0	4	2	8
Waters, Barry	0	0	3	4	7
Lage, Grant	0	0	1/3	5	4
	AB		H		Pct.
Hoogeveen, Jay	2		1		.500
Larison, Dean	70		31		.443
Sawin, Carroll	52		21		.404
Stille, Marvin	67		27		.403
Hendrickson, Ed	73		25		.342
Sawin, Keith	66		20		.303
Hulsebus, Ken	52		15		.289
Sailor, Bill	35		10		.286
Tryon, Bill	66		18		.273
Foell, Jim	20		5		.250
Merrill, Wilber	16		4		.250
McNeil, Keith	4		1		.250
Mahnke, Roger	37		9		.243
Stabelfeld, Glen	26		6		.240
Francis, Jon	11		0		.000
Waters, Barry	3		0		.000
Sivadge, Arland	2		0		.000
Ferns, Ralph	2		0		.000
	604		193		.321

Dean Larison — Most Valuable
Ed Hendrickson — 9 Home Runs

The 1952 Grid Story

Vista outgained the Wartburg team three to one statistically in all departments, but nevertheless were on the short end of the 14-12 score. Although going down in defeat, freshman quarterback Jerry Craigmile must be given much credit for the guidance of the team throughout the first half and credit is due for the stellar play of freshman Don Carlson who relieved Jim Kerns, who was sidelined with a head injury.

Buena Vista 32—Upper Iowa 19

In one of the most thrilling contests ever played on Bradford Field the Beavers overcame a strong Upper Iowa eleven to the tune of 32-19 to insure them of a tie in the Northern Division. Buena Vista opened the scoring early in the first period Billie (The Kid) Tryon opened the first service of downs with a sparkling pass to Don Kamprath for 29 yards and a Touchdown. Six plays later Harvey passed 42 yards to Bratlebo for their touchdown. Parrott received the ensuing kickoff returning it to the Beaver 31 where Rosburg carried it in two plays to the mid-strips. Jon Francis broke away on the next play for 50 yards for the second Beaver tally. Six plays later the Peacocks' back scored again tying the ball game. Once again Dick Tuttle, who played an outstanding game, broke away and set up the third touchdown for the Beavers. He finally crashed over from the one yard line giving the Beavers a 19 to 13 lead at half time. Buena Vista opened the second half by kickoff to Upper Iowa and recovered a Peacock fumble on the 49 yard line. Rosburg carried for four yards and on the next play, Dick Tuttle went 45 yards for the fourth touchdown. A 69 yard pass from Harvey to Baugous gave the Peacock's their third and last touchdown. The Beavers scored their last touchdown in the first minutes of the fourth period. Branstetter scampered 61 yards and ended the scoring for the day.

Buena Vista 21—Dubuque U. 6

Buena Vista downed Dubuque 21 to 6. The Beavers opened their scoring early in the first period taking the opening kickoff and never once lost contact of the pigskin until Rosburg plunged over the one yard stripe. Tryon converted the first of his three consecutive kicks. After forcing Dubuque to kick on the next series of downs, Buena Vista again started a drive on their own 36 yard line and continued goalward with Rosburg once again bowling over from the 9 yard line. In this sustained drive of the Beavers, Dick Tuttle was instrumental in that the scoring play to follow was set up on a 46 yard jaunt. Early in the fourth period Branstetter scored on a 7 yard Cross-buck. Dubuque scored their lone tally late in the fourth period on a pass from Gulliford to Purcell. Outstanding for Buena Vista was

Schroeder, Val Dean Whisler, Kerns, Carlson and Anderson.

Buena Vista 12—Central 6

The injury riddled Beavers journeyed to Pella for the final regular scheduled game of the 1952 season with Central College. Several of the regular offensive and defensive starters namely Sivadge, Ferns, Schroder, Whisler, Doud, Kerns and Tuttle were sidelined with injuries. The Beavers drew first blood climaxing a 90 yard scoring drive on the Bootleg play of Bill Tryon. Early in the third period the Beavers lost a sure touchdown due to a fumble. The Dutchmen then started an offensive threat of their own only to have the Beavers cut them down when they were one foot shy of the goal-line. Buena Vista retaliated with a drive of their own and in six short plays covered the distance with Rosburg and Branstetter carrying the bunt of the attack. A few minutes later Dunkin plunged over from the one yard line after a sustained drive that started on the Dutchmen's 25. The game was a defensive battle on the part of both teams.

IOWA CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYOFF

Buena Vista 13—Iowa Wesleyan 7

Closing the regular season with a four win and five loss record, the Beavers warmed up for the season's grand finale with the Tigers of Iowa Wesleyan as their foes for the Iowa Conference Championship. The Tigers were the only undefeated team in Iowa and having their goal line crossed but twice during the regular season. Playing before a capacity crowd of nearly 5,000 spectators at Bradford Field, the Beavers won the first Iowa Conference Football Championship in the history of the college by a score of 13-7. After a scoreless first period, Iowa Wesleyan scored in the opening minutes of the second quarter on a pass play from Schmitt to Abbadessa. The Beavers were not to be outdone as they retaliated immediately after an exchange of punts to score on a pass play from Jon Francis to Don Kamprath with Bill Tryon converting and making the score 7-7 at the half. Starting where they left off the Beavers took command of the game early in the third quarter and with Rosburg, Francis, and Tryon carrying the brunt of the attack, proceeded to carry the mail to the three yard line where Rosburg carried on a wide end sweep and scored the second tally which as the game progressed proved to be the deciding tally. "Fumblitus" nearly cost the Beavers the game, but due to three tremendous goal line stands on the part of the forward wall and the diminutive defensive backs the Tiger offense was thwarted. Not enough praise can be given to the Beaver defensive team who played a tremendous part in bringing the Conference Championship home to Beaver land.



Queen Betty Kolpin and King Arland Sivadge

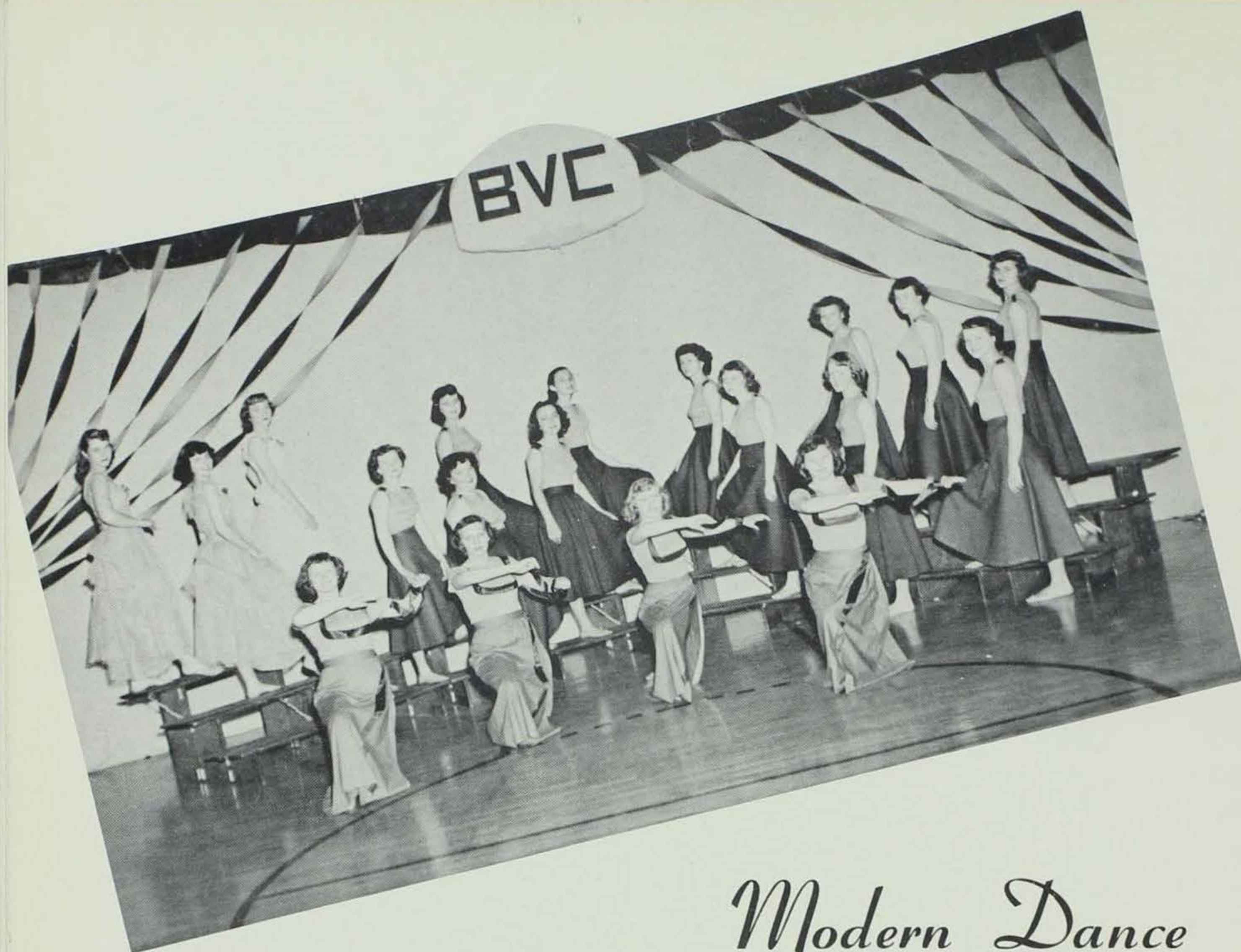
Hobo Day comes every year along with spring giving the Buena Vista Beavers a chance to release some of their spring enthusiasm. No classes are held this day, rather it is devoted to fun and a quick pass at cleaning up the campus.

Hobo Day is one of the oldest traditions going back to the early days of the college for its beginning. The feature of the day is the election of the Hobo King and Queen who reign over the afternoon's activities which include a free movie and stage show produced by the students.

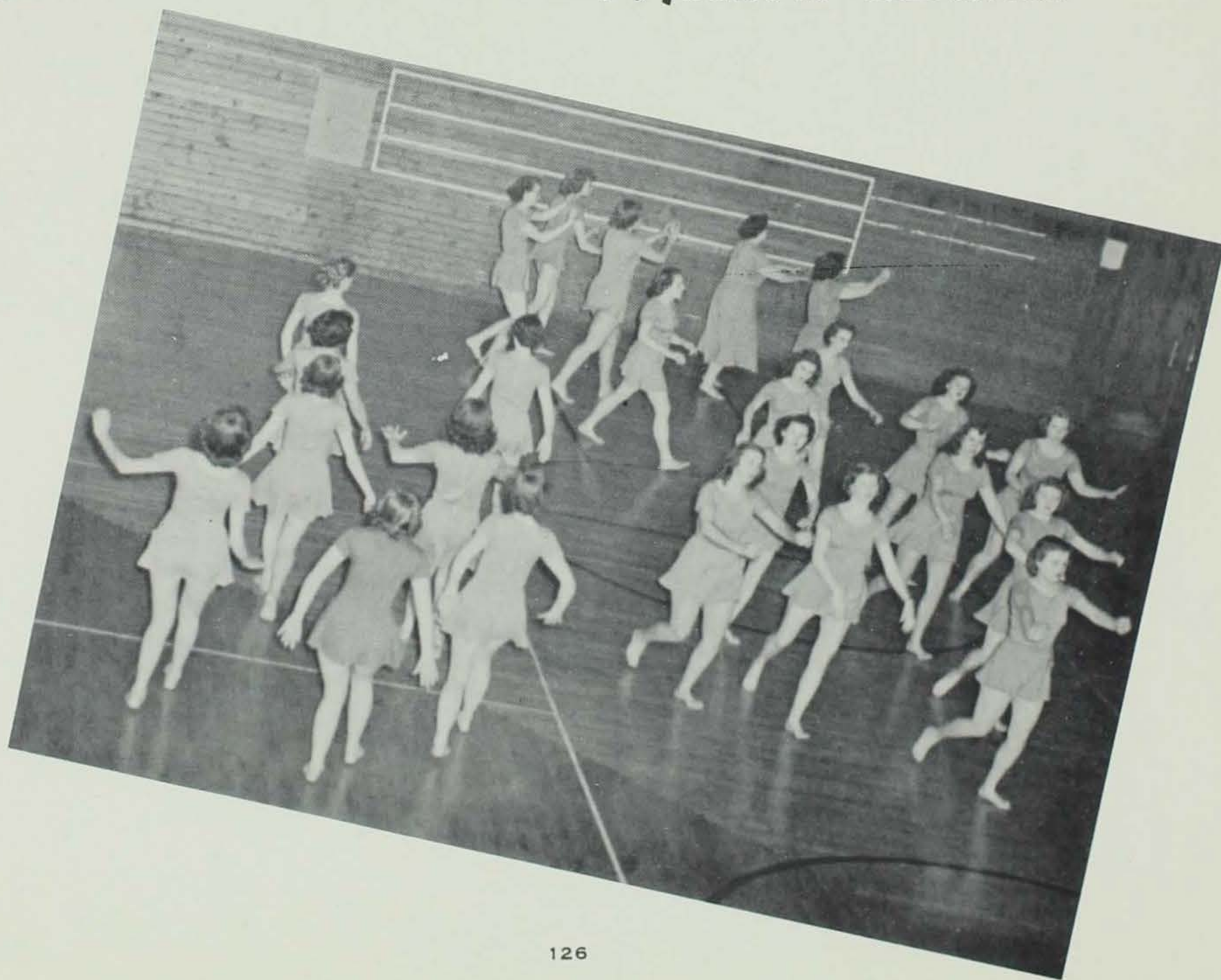
The faculty serves the noon meal. The menu depending on what the Beavers can "beg" from the townspeople. This delightful custom will no doubt continue to bring many laughs and good times.

A party on Hobo Day night winds up the fun-filled day with dancing, all kinds of unusual games and prizes for the "bummyest" costumes.

Hobo Day



Modern Dance



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