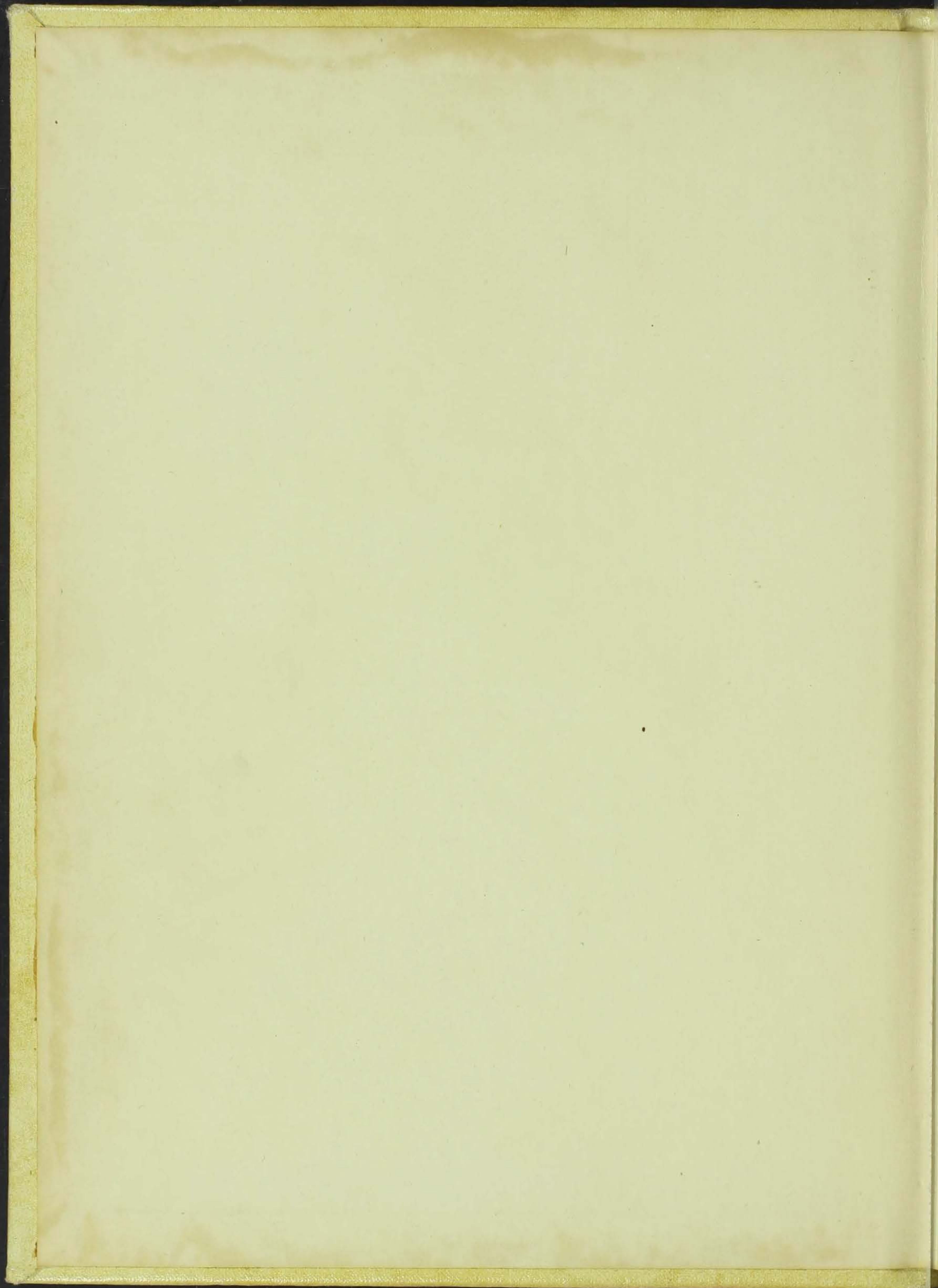
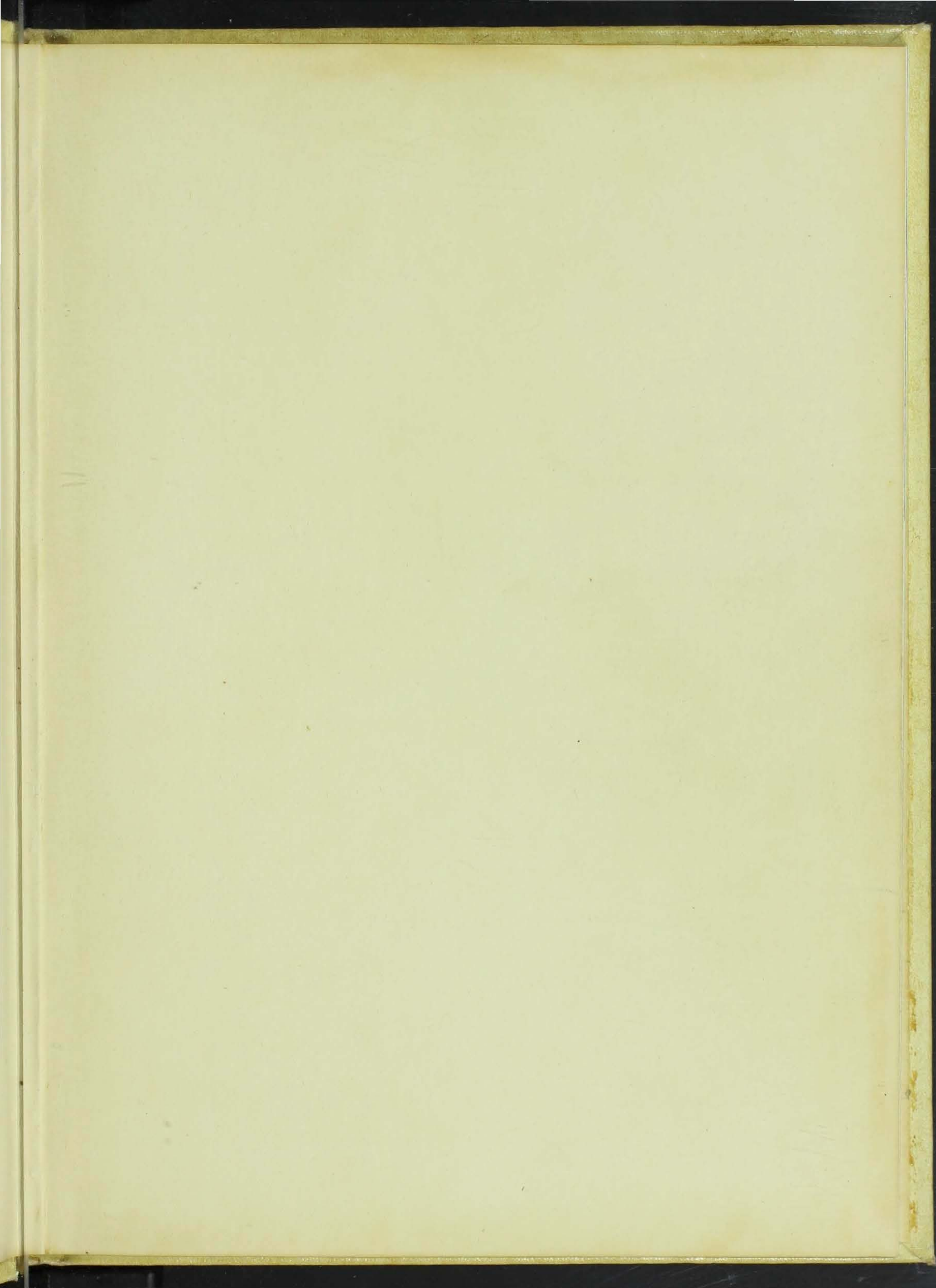
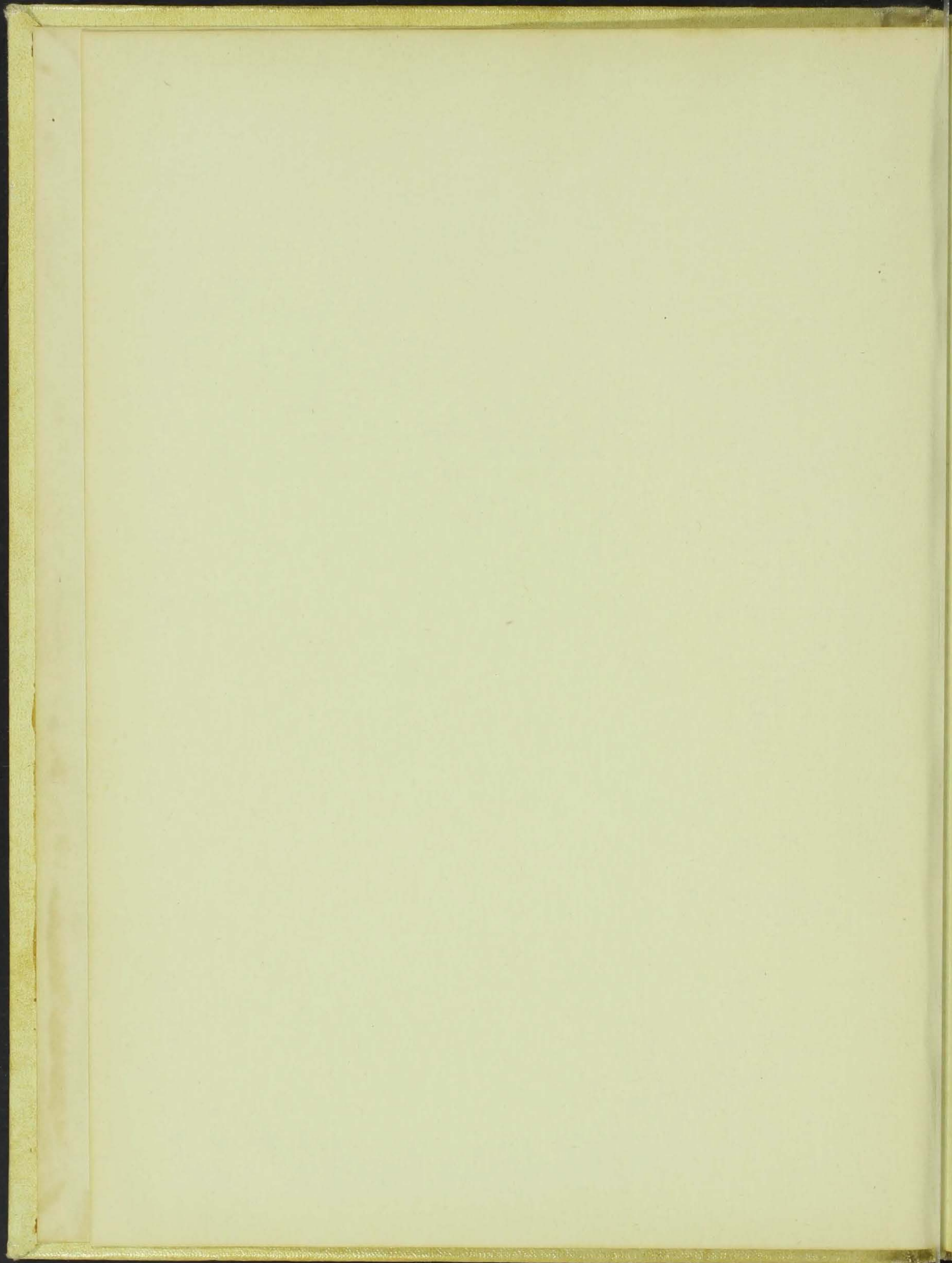


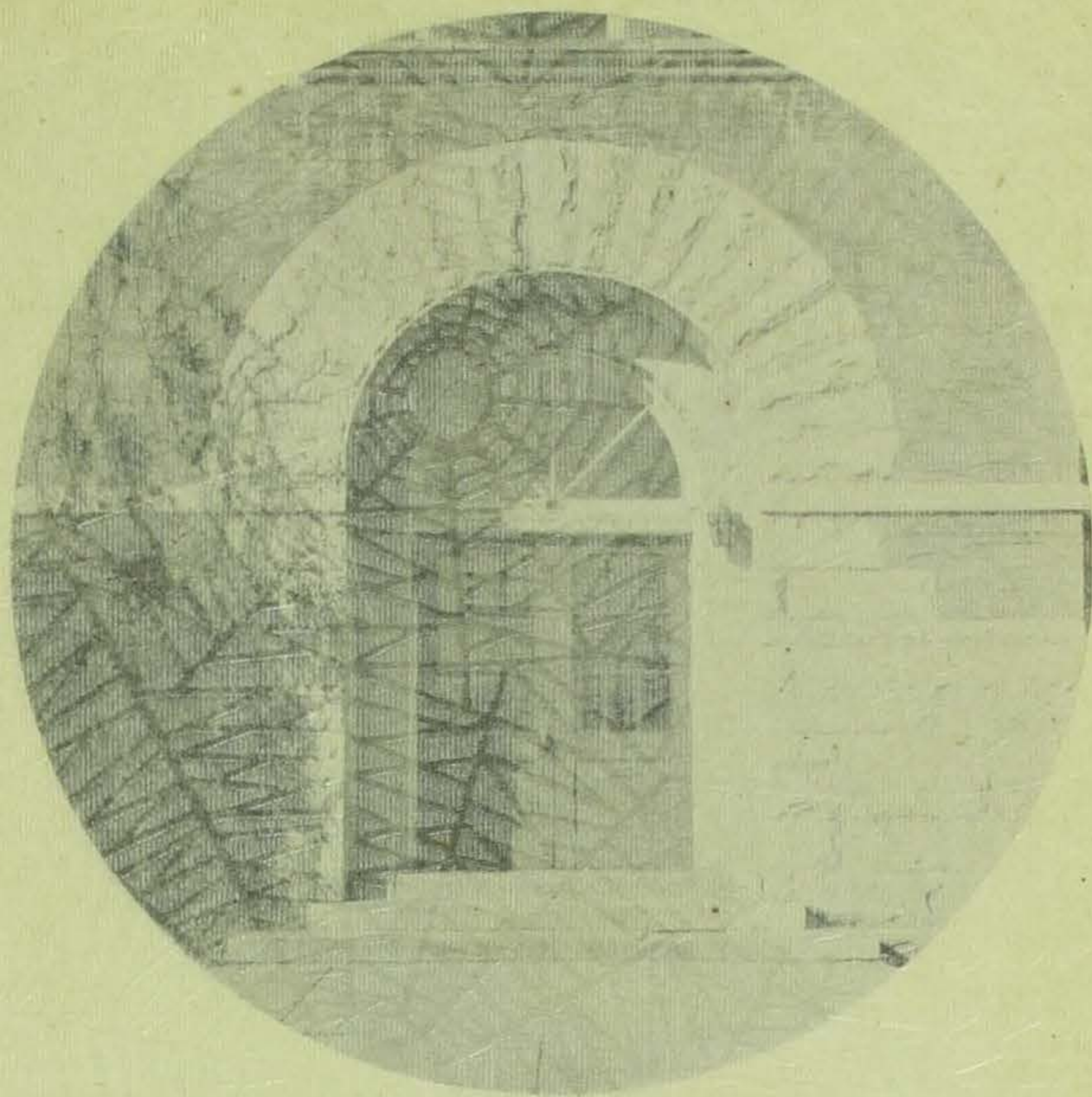


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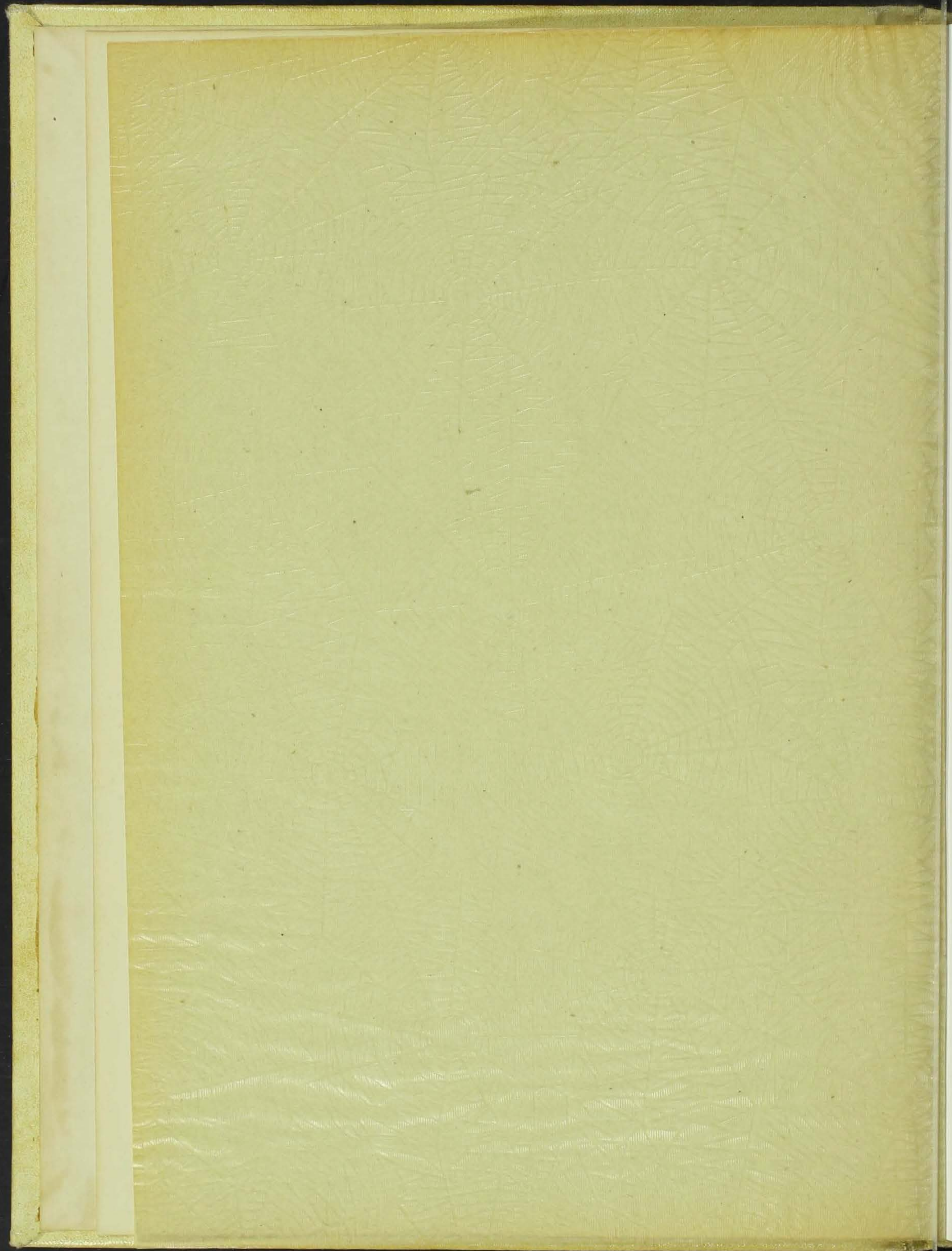


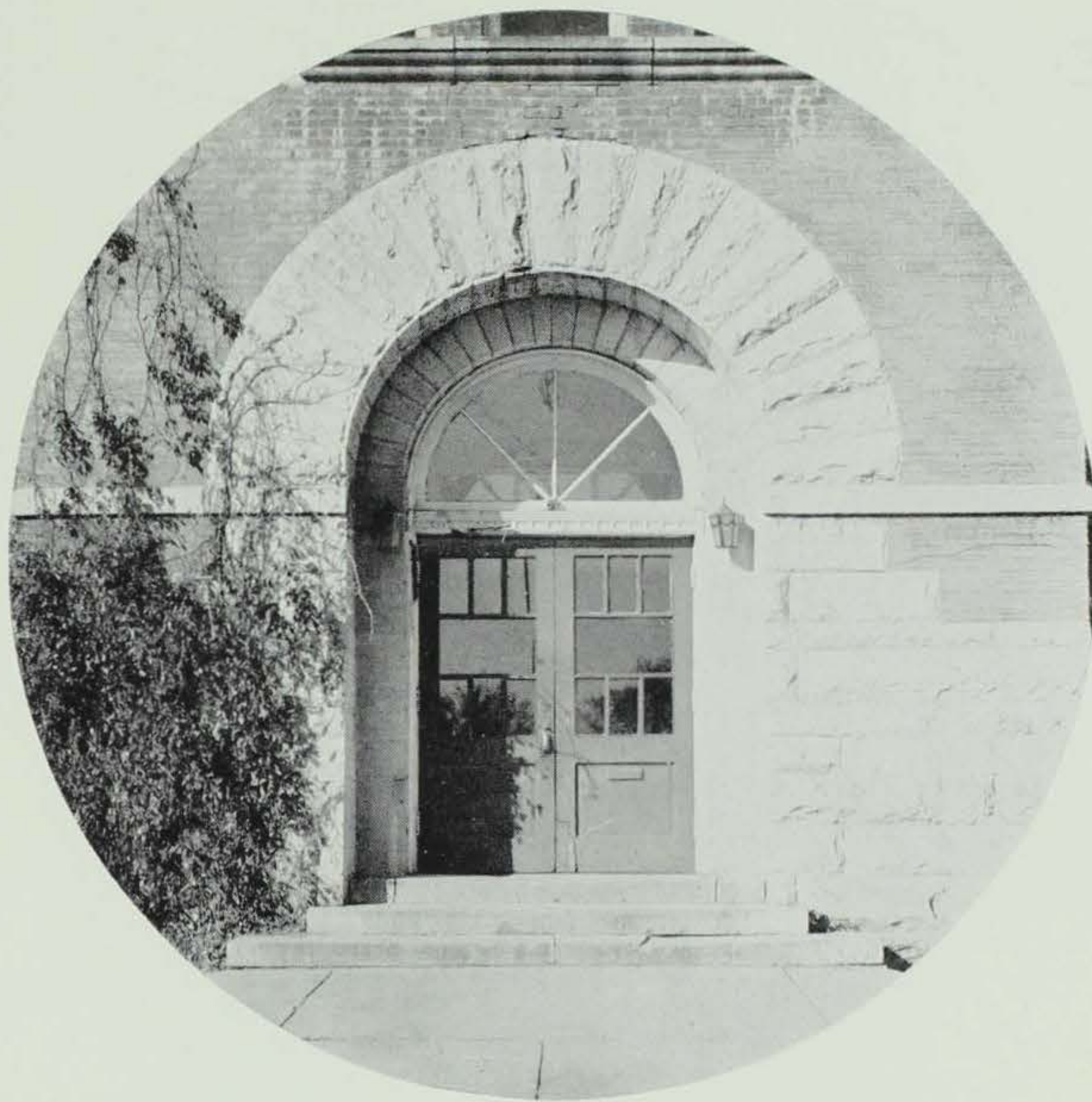






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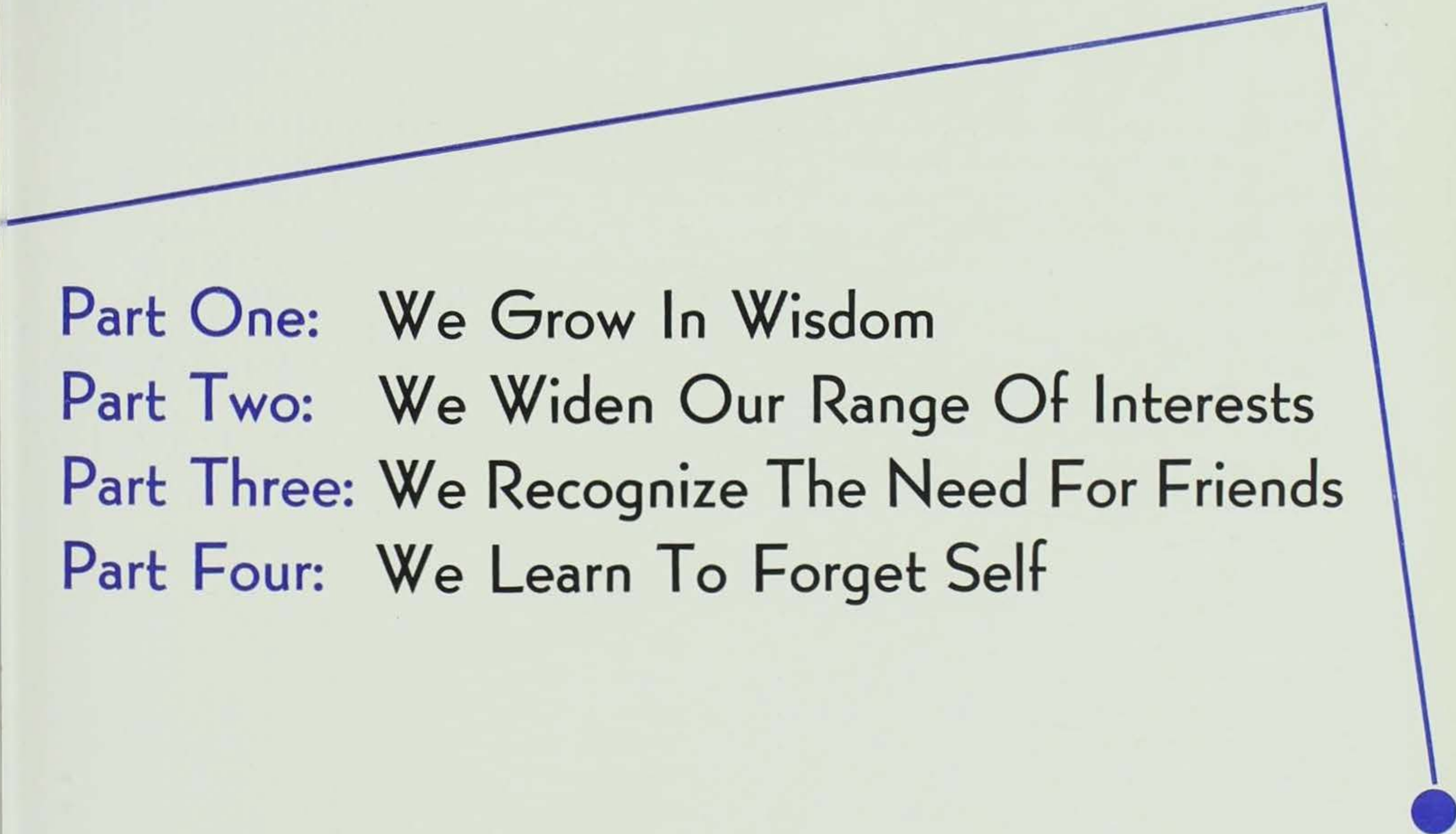
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Dedication



DR. FREDERIC FRANKLIN SMITH

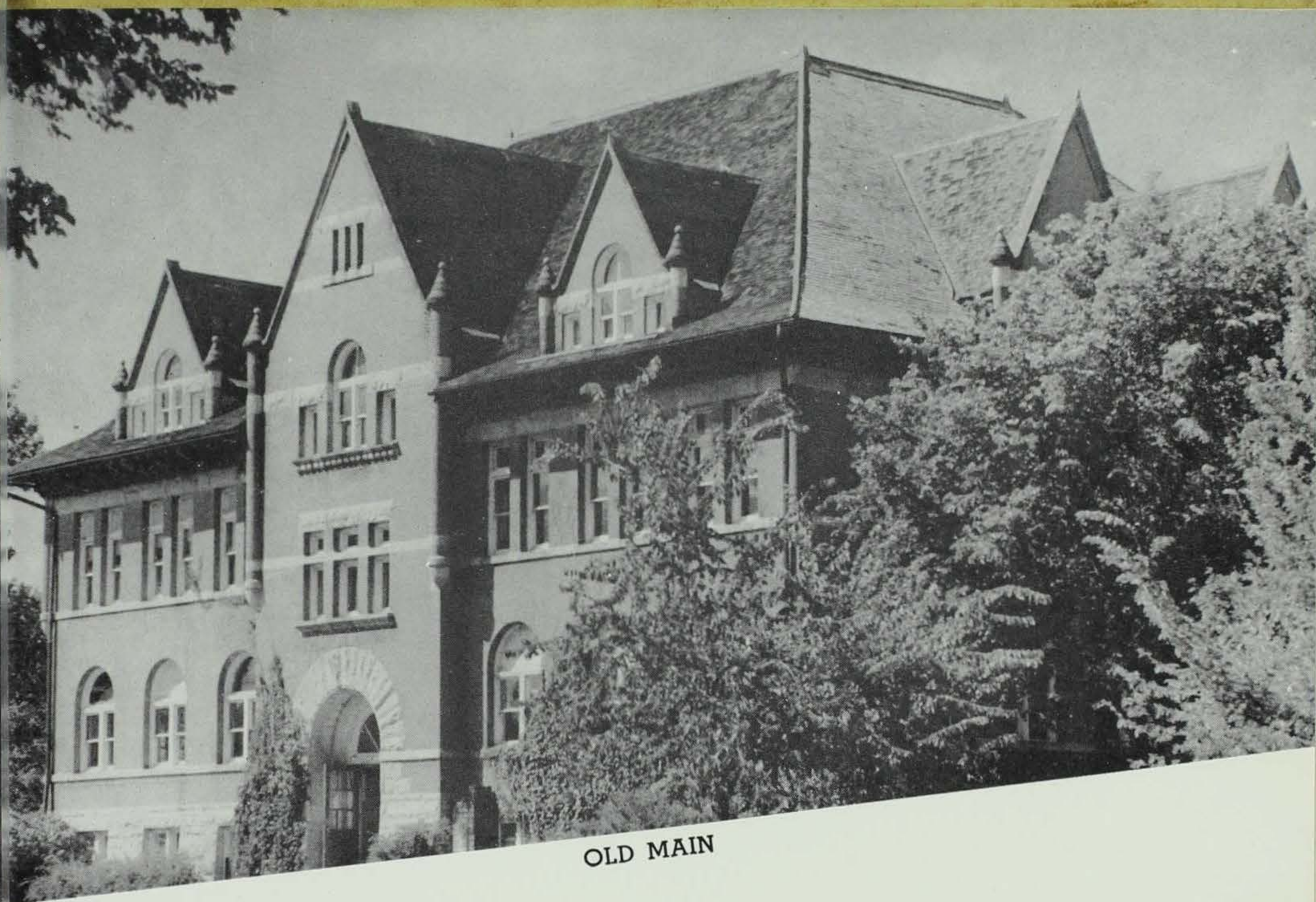
The progress of an institution devoted to education is primarily dependent upon the ability and enthusiasm of the faculty representing that institution. The intellectual attainment of a student is often spurred on by a faculty member in earnest about his or her goal of imparting knowledge and establishing within the student a sense of individual responsibility and personal integrity. Needless to say, the faculty of a college is the strength and energy of an institution.

In dedicating this volume of the BEAVER LOG, we have chosen from our faculty a member whom we feel has been and is one of Buena Vista's more loyal and ardent supporters of the ideals which our college has established for herself in living the credo "Education for Service."

In scanning through the college annuals of by-gone years, we find the indelible name of Dr. F. F. Smith appearing as far back as 1919. Yes, thirty-one years of unrelenting and untiring service to a cause most noteworthy — education of American

citizenry. We must not only stress the length of educational service, but also the texture of that service. It has been the objective of Dr. Smith in our Department of Natural Science to devote his time most judiciously to students interested in the conquest of intellectual gain, be it preparatory to the study of medicine, dentistry, nursing or in preparation for the teaching profession. The fine record made by pre-medical and pre-science students after leaving our campus stands as a reward for the sacrificial and faithful efforts put forth by Dr. Smith as head of this department. The moral and intellectual strength of an institution such as ours is found not in the student body alone, but in the character of its faculty members. Dr. Smith makes a very notable contribution in this respect. It can be truly said that our biology professor has been and is an inspiration to every student.

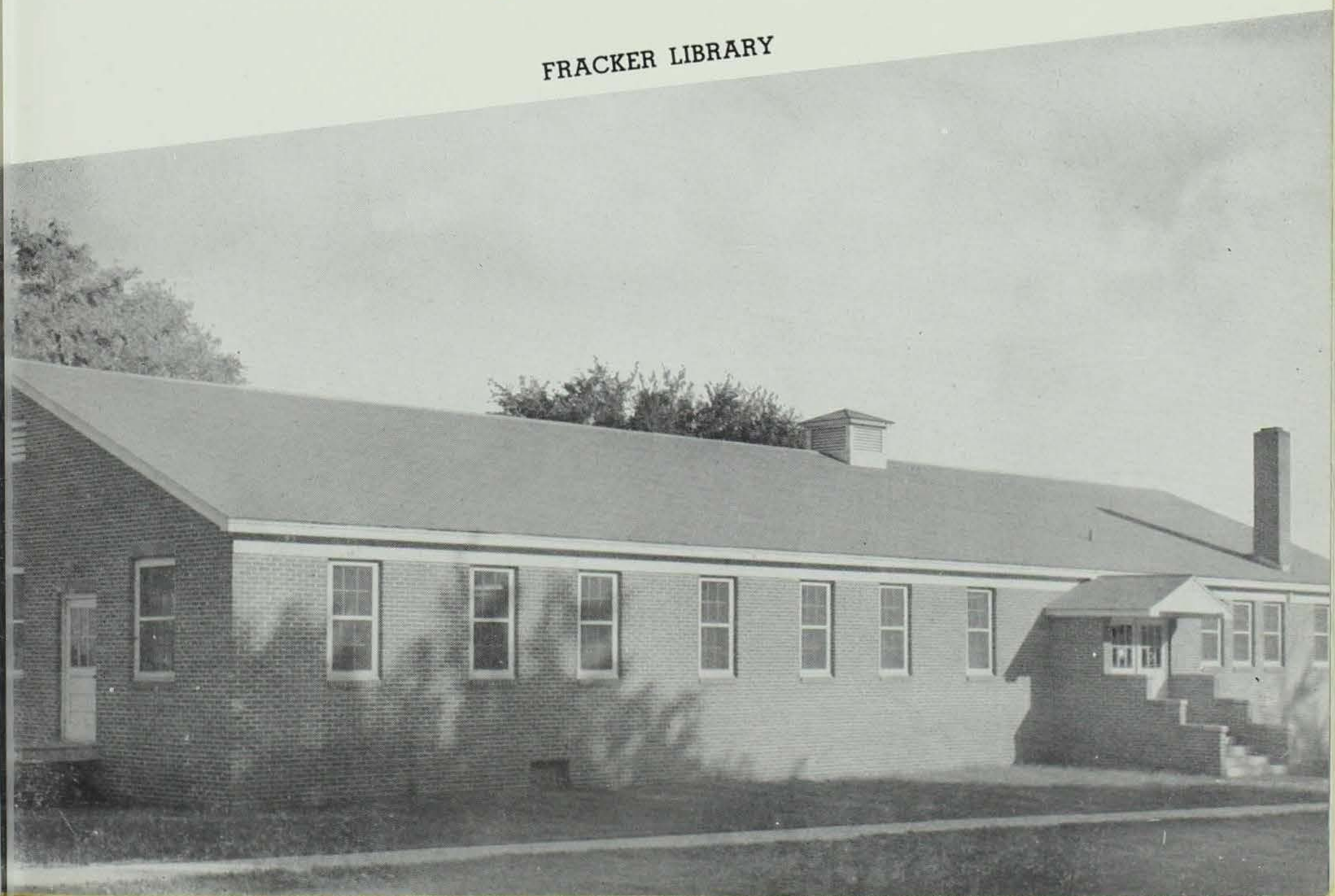
The name "Smith" in our Department of Biology is something of which we are justly proud. Let this be our Dedication.



OLD MAIN

The Campus

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SCIENCE HALL

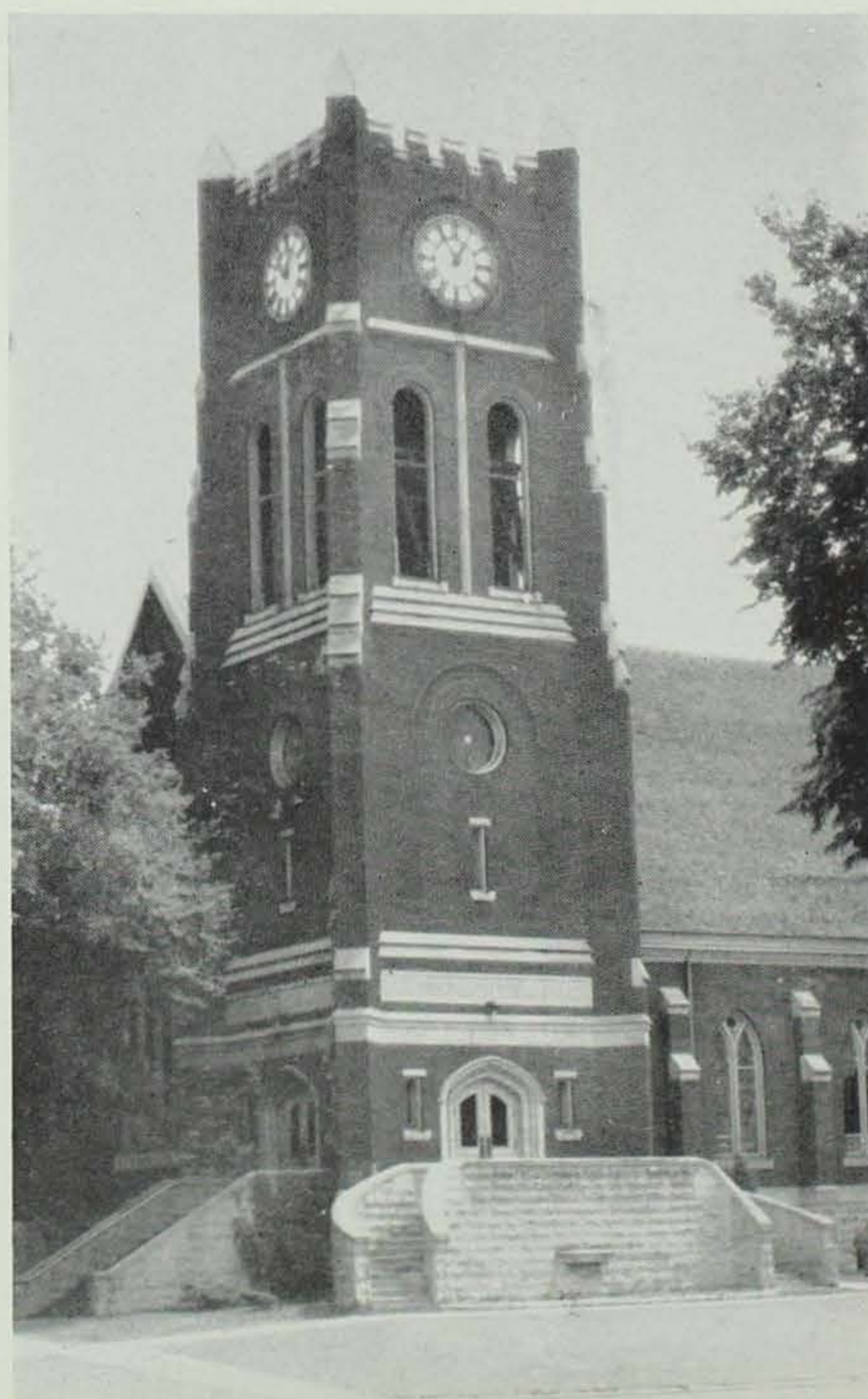
Victory Hall, the gymnasium, serves a double function at the present time. It provides rooms which serve as a temporary men's dormitory as well as the home of the athletic offices and activities.

Swope Hall, the new women's dormitory being constructed on the campus, is the realization of a desire of long standing. This building will provide added comfort and accommodations for the young women as well as a large dining hall for the entire student body.

The **Science Hall** is the building which houses the laboratories for art, chemistry, physics, and biology. In addition to this, it provides class rooms for many other courses, the Public Relations Office, the Tack Office, and the offices of several of the faculty members.

The **Lakeside Presbyterian Church** is the college church. Although it is not located on the campus, it is within easy walking distance, and the pastor, Clarence C. Richardson, D.D., and the members welcome the faculty and the students into their midst at all times. The pleasant chimes of the church announce the Sunday worship services of the town, and the striking of the familiar clock counts out the hours of the day for the students and the workers alike.

LAKESIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH





VICTORY HALL



SWOPE HALL



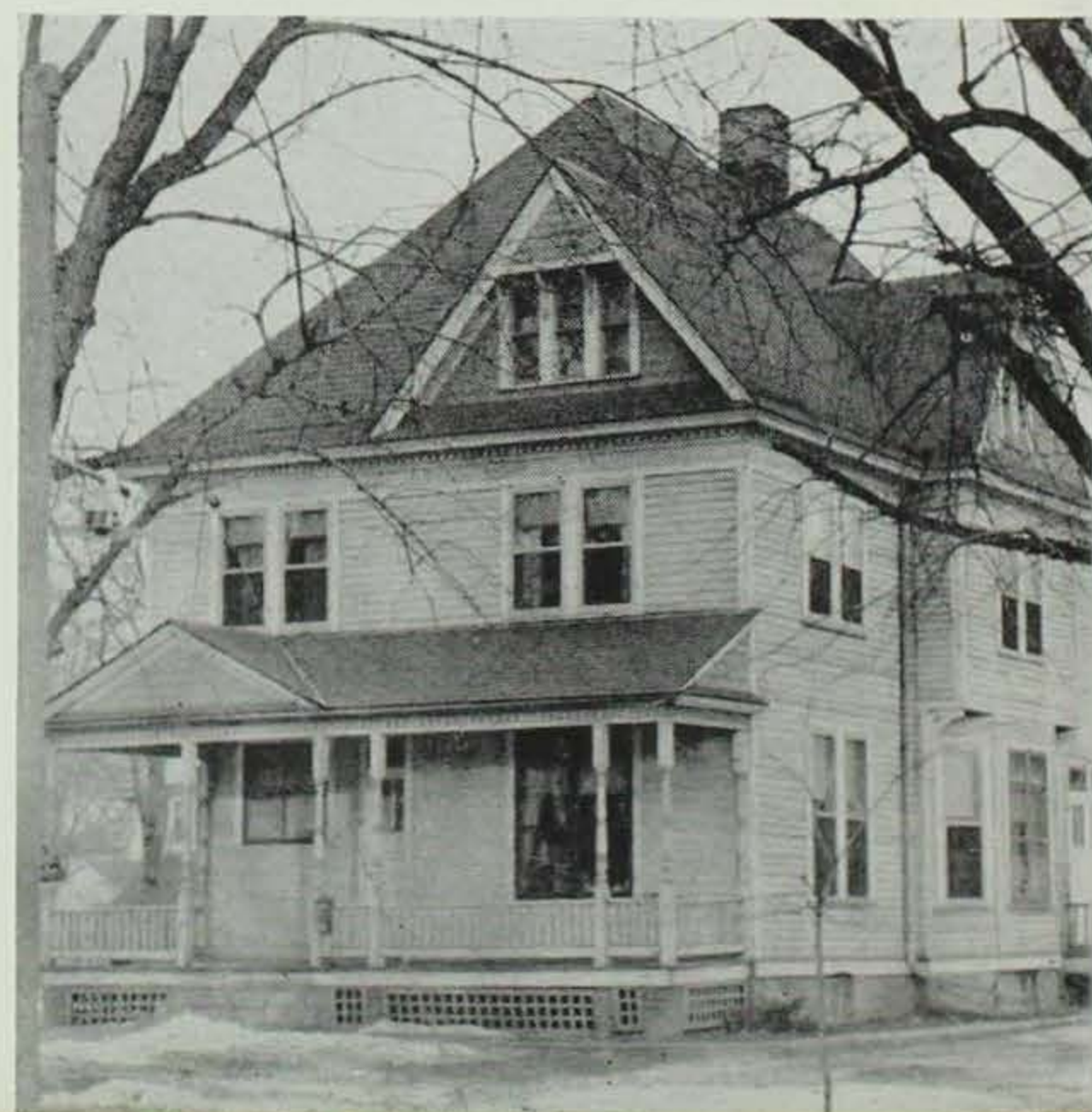
MILLER-STUART HOUSE

Miller-Stuart House—The residence of the college president was built in 1892 by Rev. J. M. Linn, who was the second president of Buena Vista College, for his own home. When President E. E. Reed came to Buena Vista in 1900, he sought gifts to purchase the President's home and secured the needed funds from Rev. Wm. Miller of Des Moines and Mrs. Lois G. Stuart of Auburn. It became the property of the college in 1901 and was christened the Miller-Stuart House. It was completely redecorated last year under the artistic guidance of the wife of our present president, Henry Olson, and is now a place of beauty for all the college family.

Mather Music Hall—The home just south of the Miller-Stuart House became the Conservatory of Music building in 1906. President Reed secured the interest of friends in Cleveland, Ohio, to add needed buildings to the college. Mrs. Flora Stone Mather, who has established a college for women which bears her name, was persuaded to extend her interest to Buena Vista. She generously gave funds that made the purchase of the music hall possible, and the trustees named it in gratitude Mather Music Hall.

Even though the music studios were moved to Old Main in 1934, this building, at present a faculty residence, should proudly bear the now famous name of Mather, and all should know the donor of Flora Stone Mather College of Western Reserve University was also the donor of a building on Buena Vista Campus.

MATHER HOUSE



Swope Hall GROUND BREAKING AND BEGINNING OF CONSTRUCTION

One of the great historical events of Buena Vista College occurred Thursday, May 26, 1949, when the ground was broken for the new girls' dormitory, Swope Hall. Under a bright sun and clear sky, a large crowd of college friends, trustees, faculty, and students watched Howard E. Swope of Minneapolis take the first spade of dirt from the earth. Mr. Swope was the naming donor, giving \$40,000 for the construction of the building. President Olson and Vice-President Stemme standing on either side of Mr. Swope each shared in the service of the day.

Prior to the ceremony an academic procession marched to the site of the new building. Forming in front of Old Main, the procession included flag bearers, the college band, President Olson, Mr. Swope, Vice-President Stemme, Mayor Grau, the trustees of the college, the ministers from the West Iowa Presbyterian Churches, the faculty and the full student body in classes.

The excavation actually began when Contractor Johnson turned in his bulldozers at capacity speed. The forms for the cement grew as by magic. The sound of the cement mixers was music to our ears. We have watched with fascination as the building has taken shape, beams, brick, and cement have held the campus eyes as the new Swope Hall grows before us—a building to be the home of our freshmen girls—a modern dormitory of which Buena Vista can be justly proud.





We Grow In Wisdom

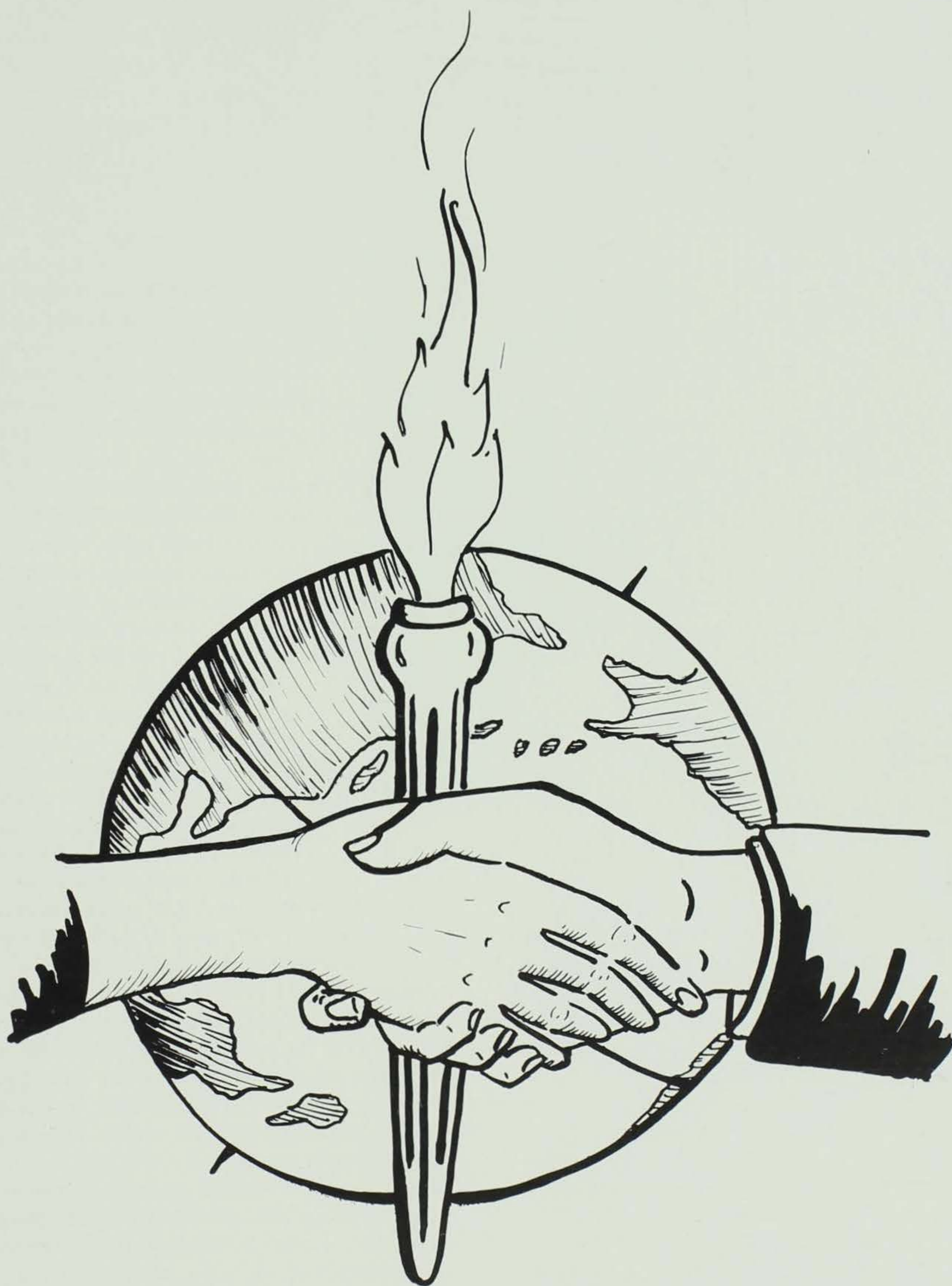
Through the centuries the human race has advanced because each generation has been able to profit by learning from the experience of the generations that have preceded it. Each generation, in turn, has added its contribution to the ever-growing fund of human knowledge and skills. We must recognize our modern civilization as the result of this cumulative process. Customs, laws, religions, languages and social institutions have been developed and maintained as a result of man's ability to learn.

A significant portion of the contributions of preceding generations has been preserved in the form of books, and it is in this realm that man's most intensive planned learning takes place. In an academic atmosphere society has provided the opportunity for some of its members to consider the values derived from the past. Through the careful consideration of books and searching analysis of their meanings, groups of individuals develop the wisdom required to make a sizeable contribution to the advancement of the culture. These groups assembled form the institutions society has provided for the acquisition of wisdom. Buena Vista College represents such an institution; its faculty and student body represent such a group.

We are, then, a group assembled for the purpose of learning. Our activities are directed towards

one ultimate goal: the growth of wisdom. Wisdom, of course, means more than knowledge; it involves the capacity to make use of knowledge as well. Growth in wisdom implies growth in skills essential to the application of ideas in practical situations. It includes the ability to judge soundly and embodies what is required for sound judgement—a practical recognition of moral responsibility. As the individual expands his fund of knowledge and develops concomitant skills, there must grow within him the capacity for the evaluation of events and the competence to choose between right and wrong. Moral perspective is included in the essence of true wisdom.

Our development must be well rounded. Solutions of the problems of today require a comprehensive insight into many phases of life. The Buena Vista College campus is uniquely suited to the acquisition of the broad perspective essential in solving these problems. Intensive specialization, now recognized as a root of maladjusted and narrow intellect, is not encouraged on a liberal arts campus. Buena Vista offers the opportunity for gaining skills and understandings of a diverse nature to successfully meet the diversity that is life. In such an atmosphere we prepare to make our contribution to human advancement; in such an environment we grow in wisdom.



Administration



PRESIDENT HENRY OLSON

Buena Vista College is adequately equipped to provide an excellent education to high school graduates who are anxious to attain the mental, spiritual and physical development made possible to all those who have an opportunity to secure a college education, permeated with a positive influence of the finest we can find in our Christian civilization. Buena Vista College is proud of its splendid record and the outstanding accomplishments of all former students who have secured a degree from this institution.

We appreciate the fact that, as a rule, statistics are dry and quite burdensome to the reader. However, by calling attention to certain pertinent facts gleaned from the report of the auditor, we will convey, I am certain in the short space provided, a true impression of the growth of Buena Vista in the past few years. For example, in 1937

the total number of faculty members was 29, while in 1949 there were 56 highly trained professors and instructors.

In 1937 the institution provided some type of college education to 679 students. In 1949 there were 1,207 students receiving some educational service from this institution. These figures include those registered for the regular academic year of nine months, plus the summer school students. In 1938, after balancing the budget, paying all necessary expenses, and providing education for the students on the campus there was an excess of \$5,437.21. This amount was added to the resources of the institution. In 1949, the administration is happy to announce, \$52,233.34 was added to the resources of the institution. From 1937 to 1949 the college has added, after paying all necessary expenses during the period, \$603,262.51 to the resources of the college, or an average of \$46,404.00 per year.

Everyone interested in a Christian higher education is happy, I am certain for the splendid showing the college has made in the past years. However, if the college is to attain its true position in circles of higher Christian education, it must not be satisfied with what has been accomplished, but make plans for greater achievements in the days to come.

The administration of Buena Vista is planning to erect, at the first opportunity, four buildings—a women's dormitory, which is now in the process of construction; a men's dormitory which we hope to start as soon as the women's dormitory is completed; a much needed Chapel; and finally, a library. With the addition of these buildings Buena Vista is prepared to house and supervise at least 1,000 students for the academic year.

The close contact between students and professors is maintained by the Dean of the college, W. D. Wesselink. In August of 1947, he came to Buena Vista College to fill the capacity of dean and registrar. Since that time he has taught mathematics, has had supervision of practice teaching and has even helped coach football. His understanding attitude and winning personality has made him a friend of all students and faculty members.

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

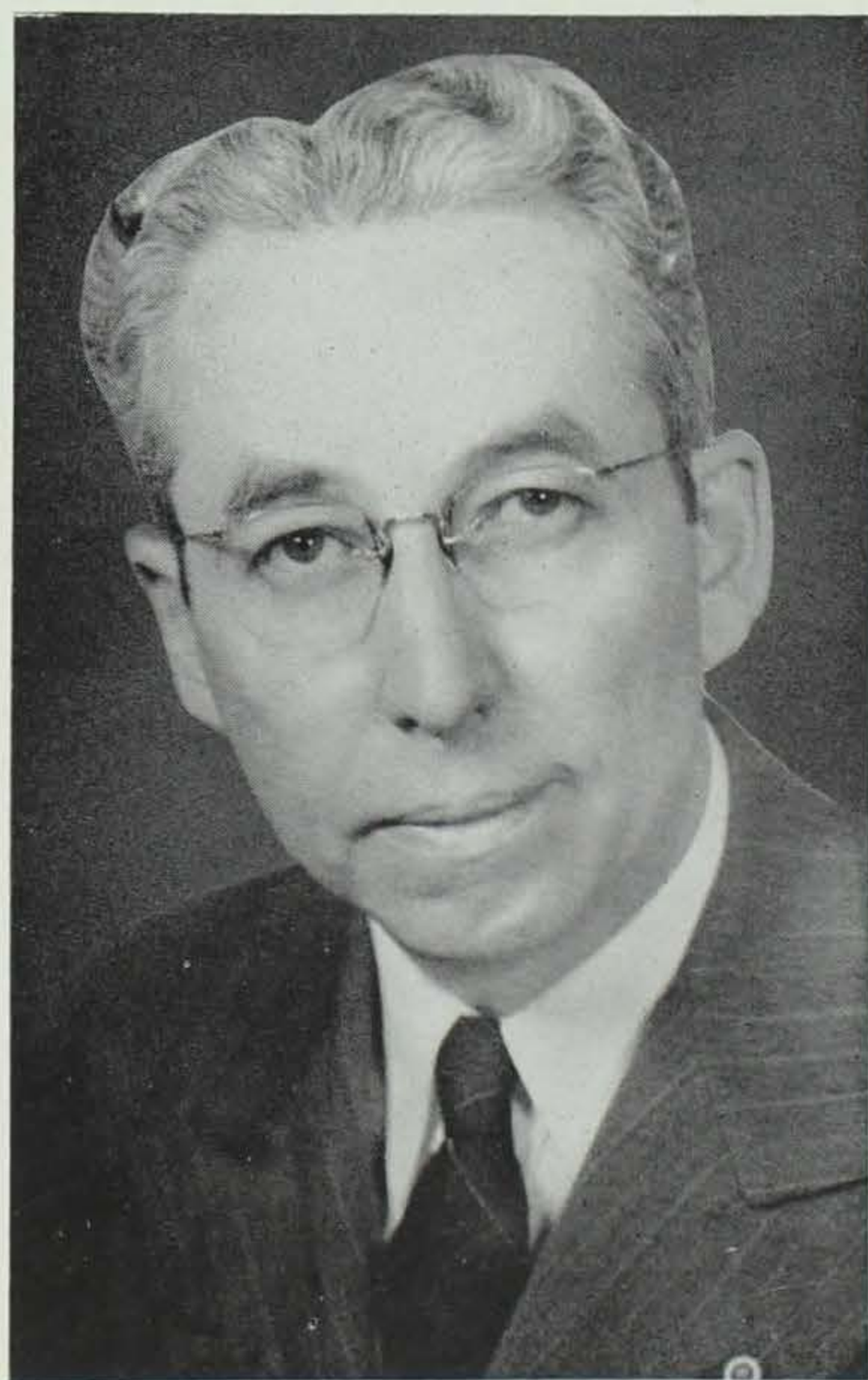
Besides the college office work Dean Wesselink is active in community affairs and responsibilities. He is enthusiastic about football, algebra equations, hunting, and fishing. Woodworking is his hobby, and his workshop in his home provides enjoyment and relaxation in his spare hours.



WILLIAM WESSELINK, Dean of Instruction

As Business Manager of Buena Vista College, F. Merle Sandy is well known to every student on the campus. We know everyone is acquainted with Mr. Sandy, as he is the one to whom we pay our tuition and fees that enable us to enroll in classes and further our education. From a business angle, Mr. Sandy has seen our college grow and could no doubt quote many figures denoting the expansion of our student body and campus.

Professor Sandy received his B.S.C. and M.A. degrees at the University of Iowa. Mrs. Sandy serves as secretary in the absence of a full time office girl. To them both we say "Thanks for helping make Buena Vista what it is."



F. MERLE SANDY, Business Manager



ROBERT STEMME, Vice-President in charge of the million dollar expansion program.

Buena Vista is fortunate to have secured the services of Mr. Stemme as director of the expansion program. He has had wide experience in conducting fund raising campaigns for church organizations. Mr. Stemme is a graduate of Huron College, South Dakota, and the Biblical Seminary in New York. He has the M.A. degree in education from New York University and has done graduate work toward his Ph.D. degree in philosophy at the University of Chicago.

Mrs. LaFoy has served competently as Dean of Women for a number of years. Her understanding of the problems of college women and her courteous way of counseling has won her the admiration and respect of the women on the campus.

Professor Graham, in his capacity of history professor and Dean of Men, has certainly gained the respect of Buena Vista College students. His common-sense advice is frequently sought by the men on the campus.



PHOEBE LaFOY, Dean of Women



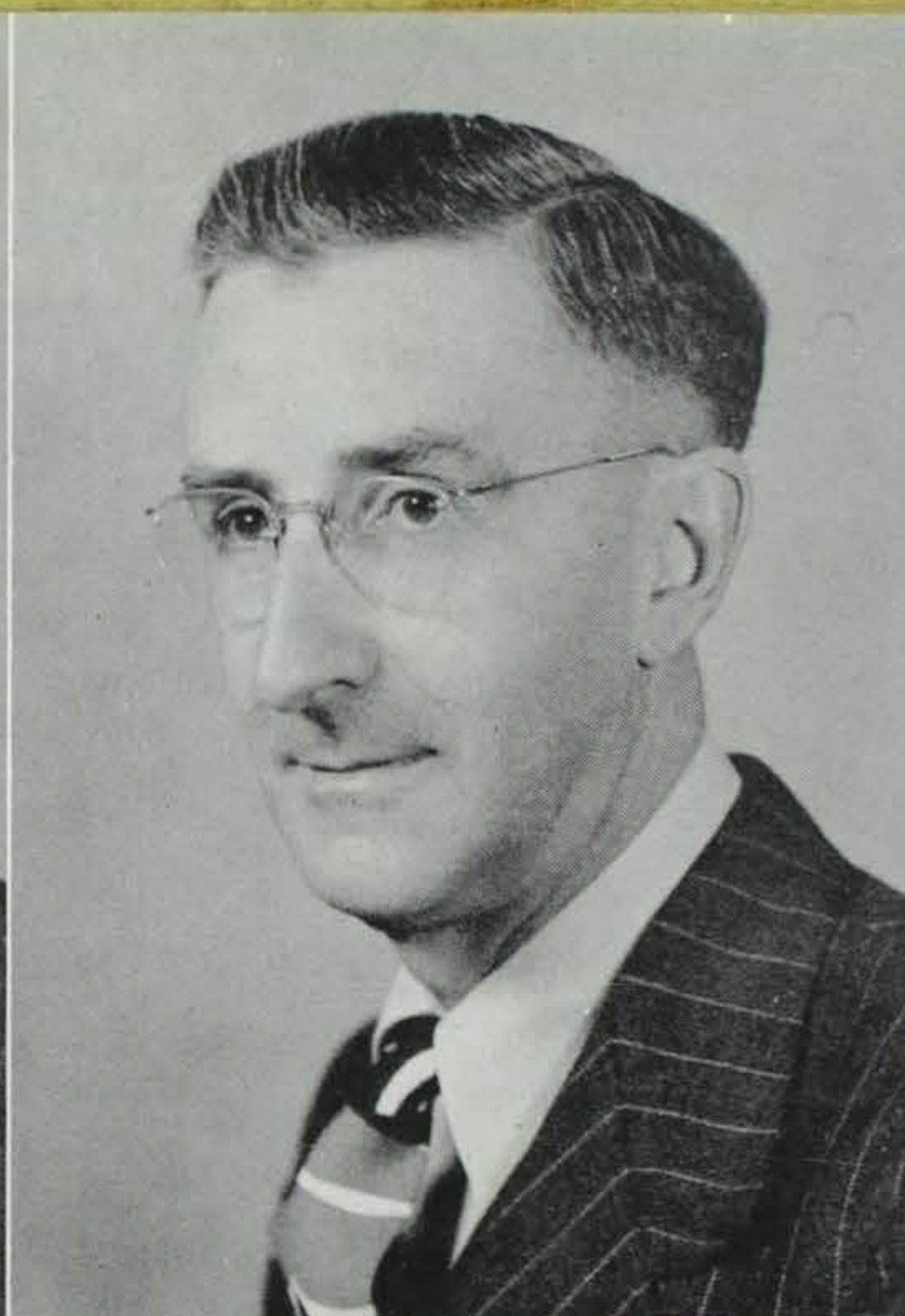
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and Seminary
B.A., Macalester College
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Bible



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Graduate Work, University of
Colorado
Piano and Organ

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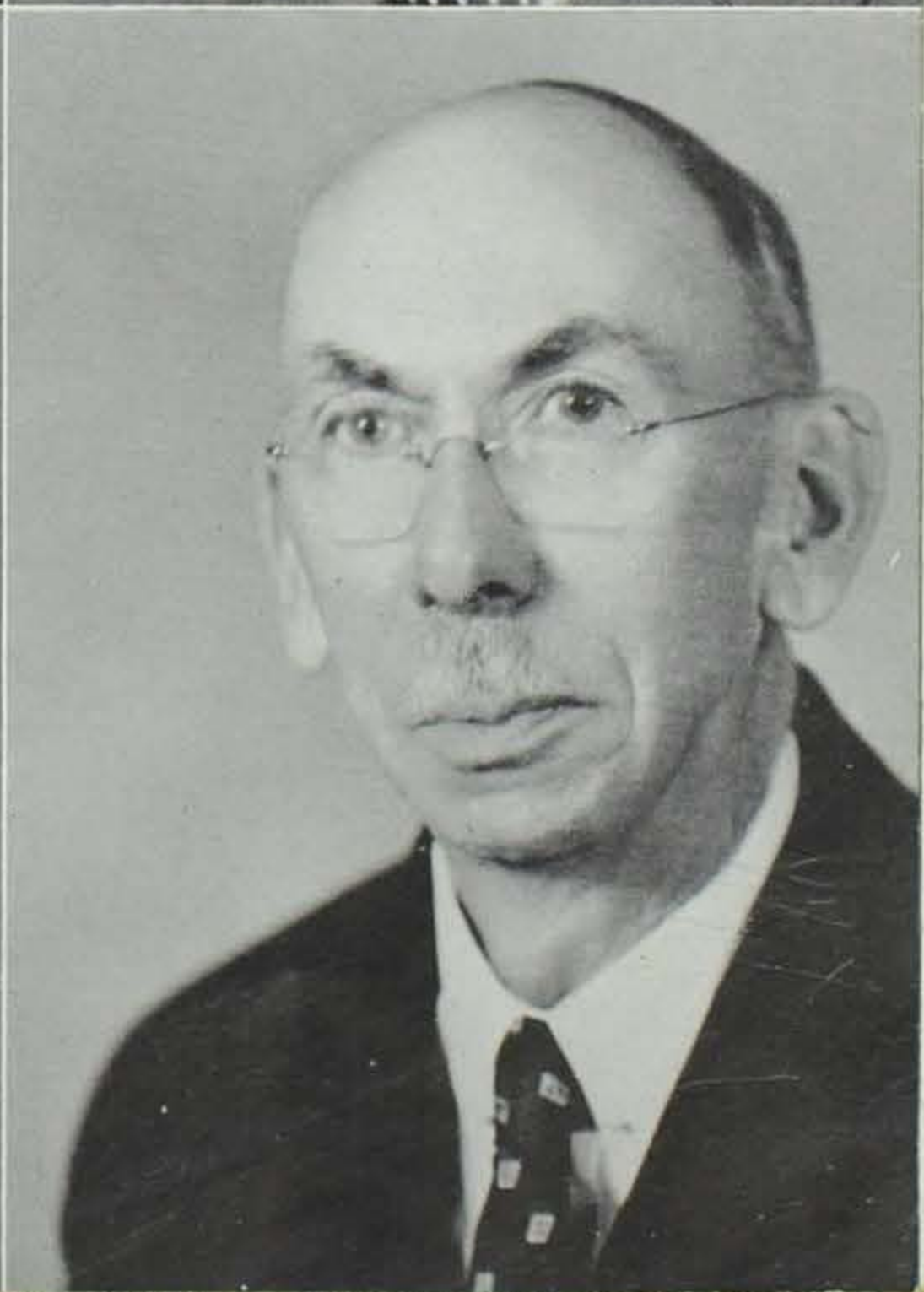
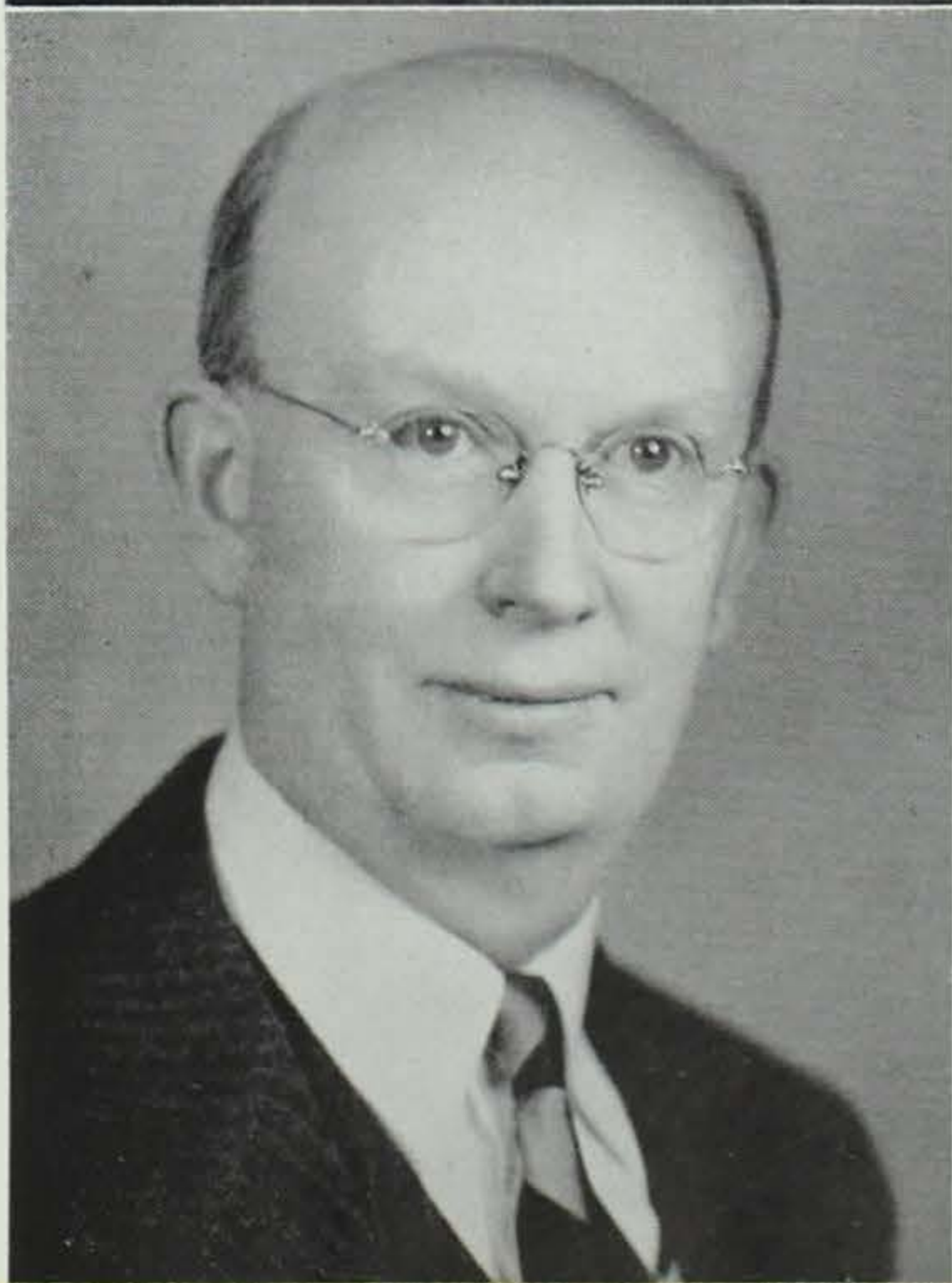
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Advanced Work, Iowa University
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Sociology



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Sc.D., Buena Vista College
Biology



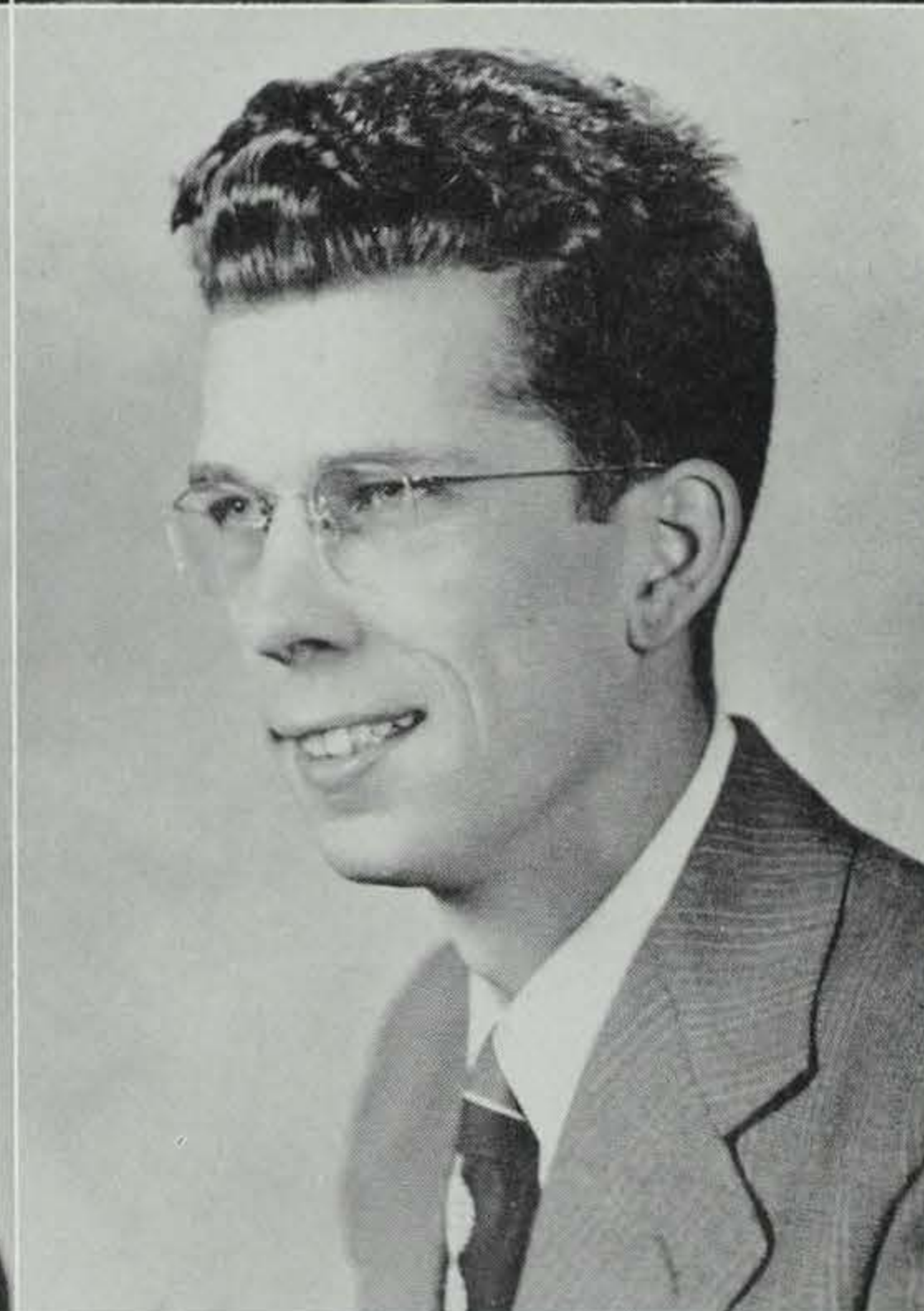
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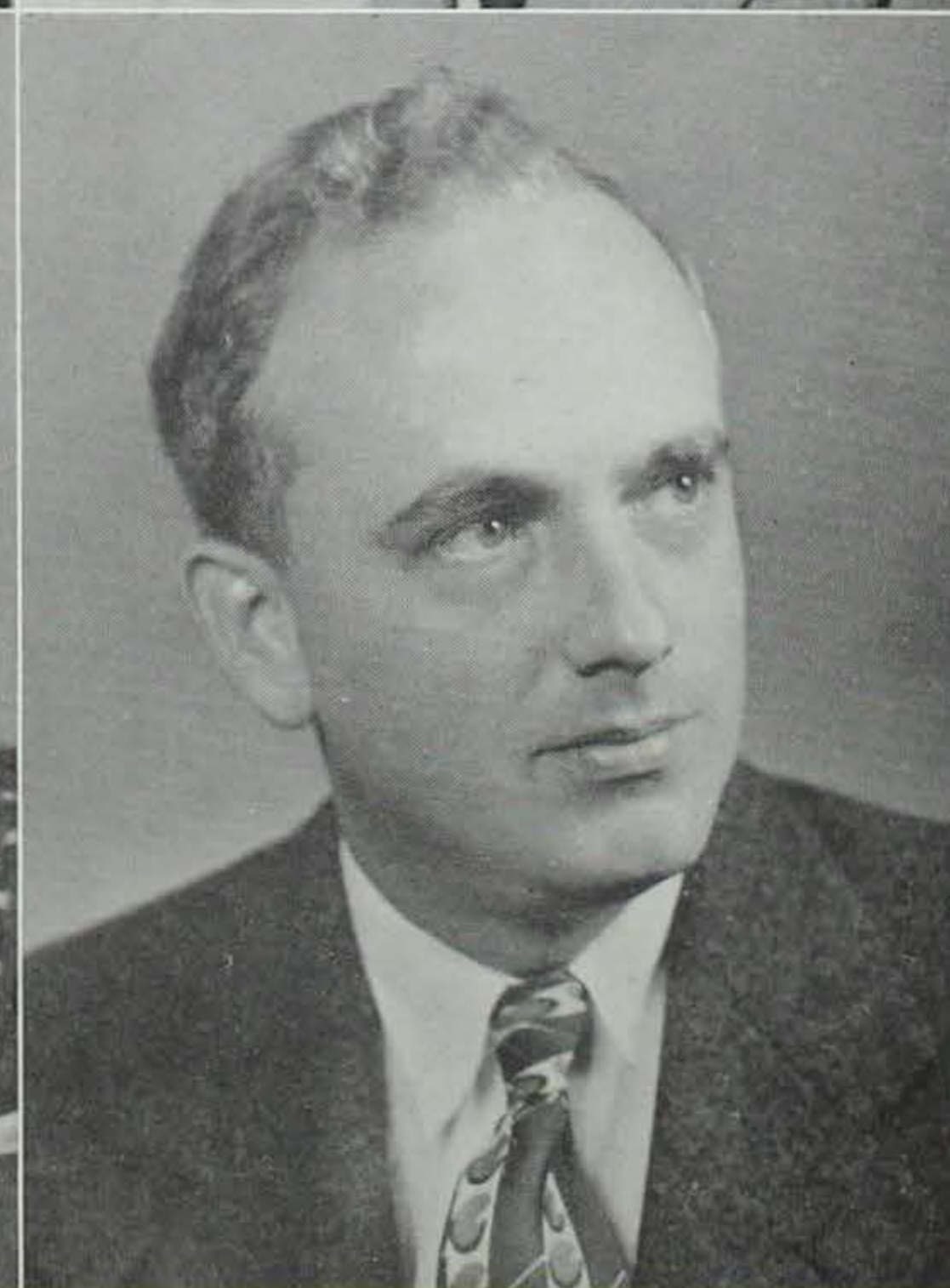


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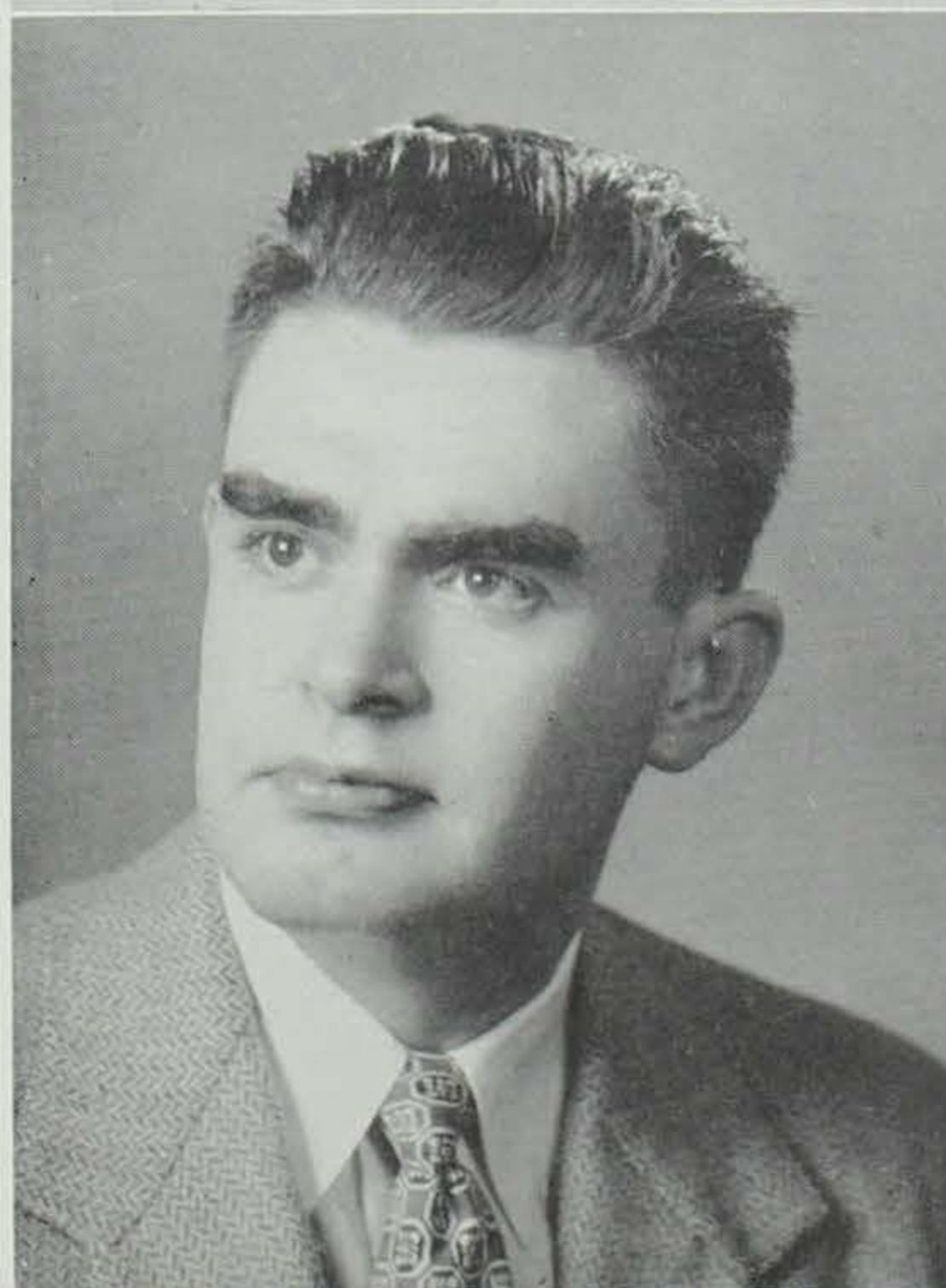


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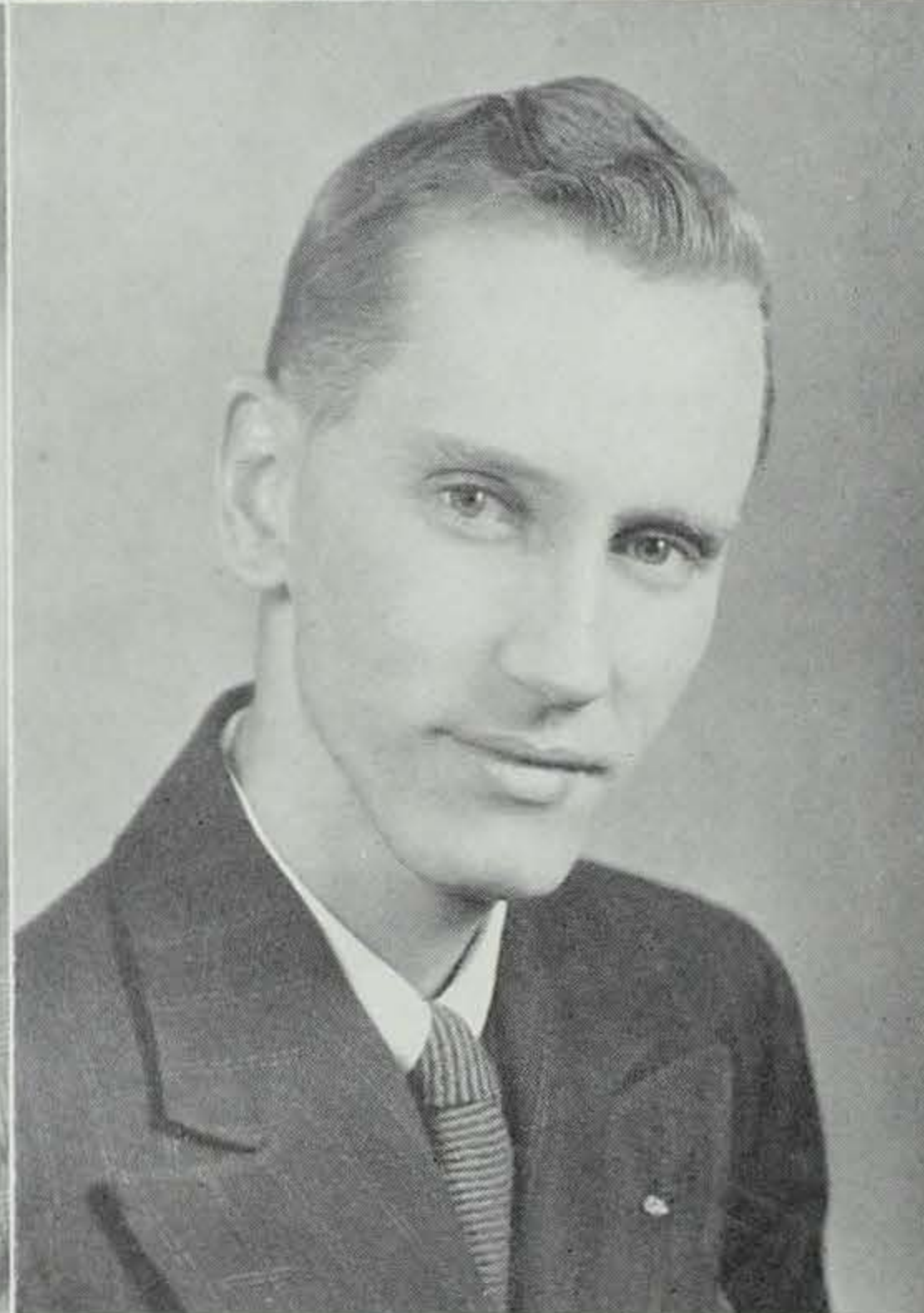
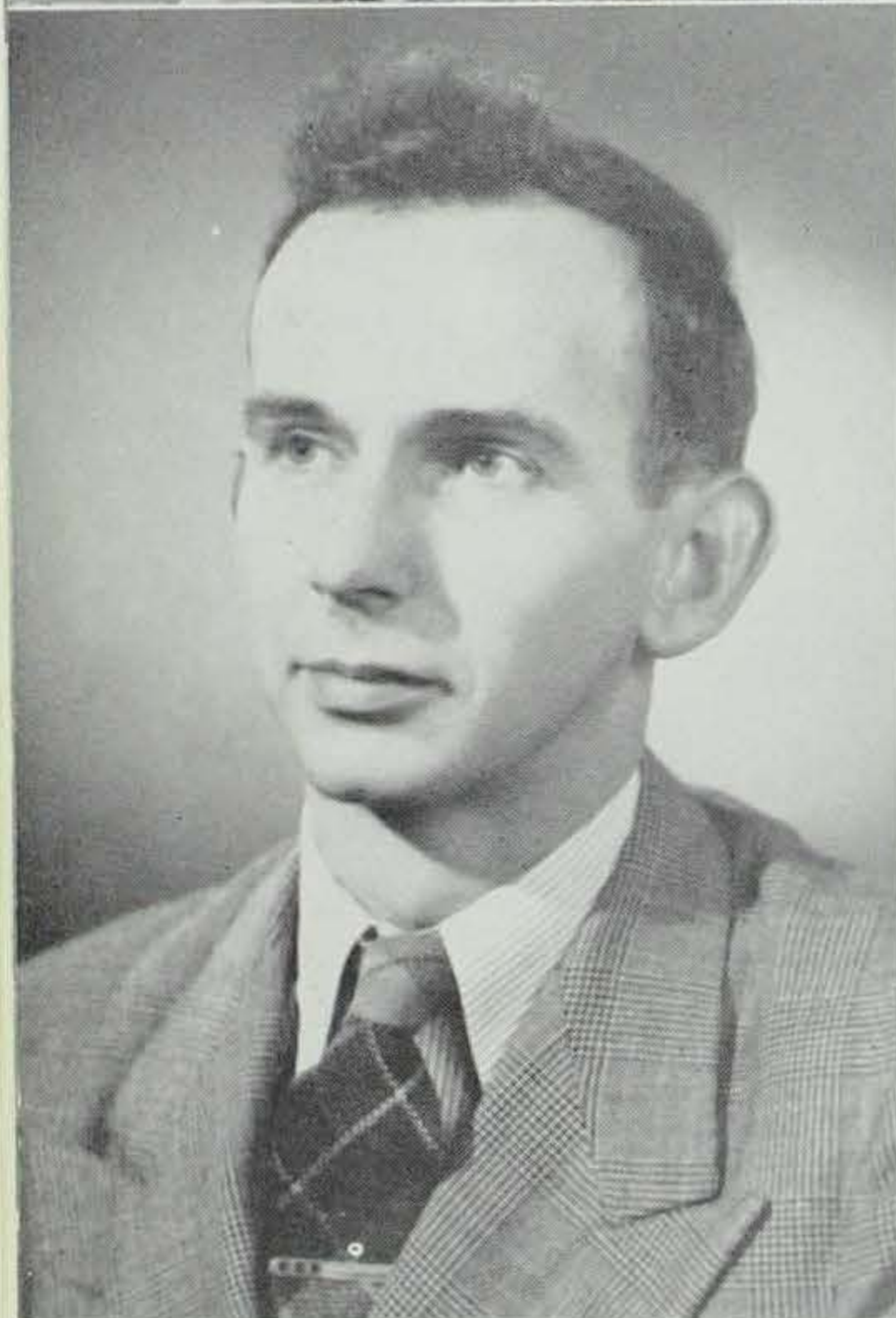
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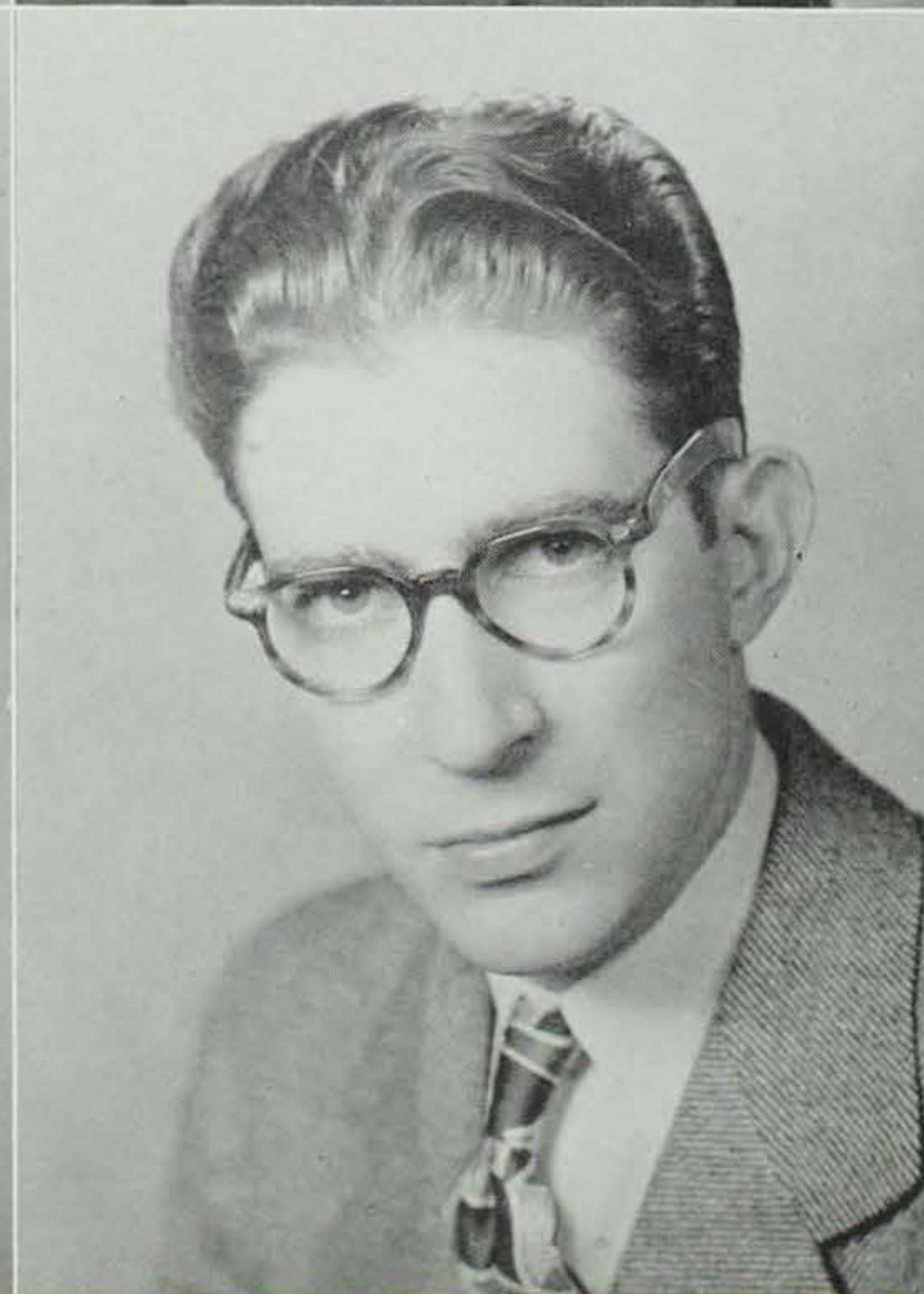


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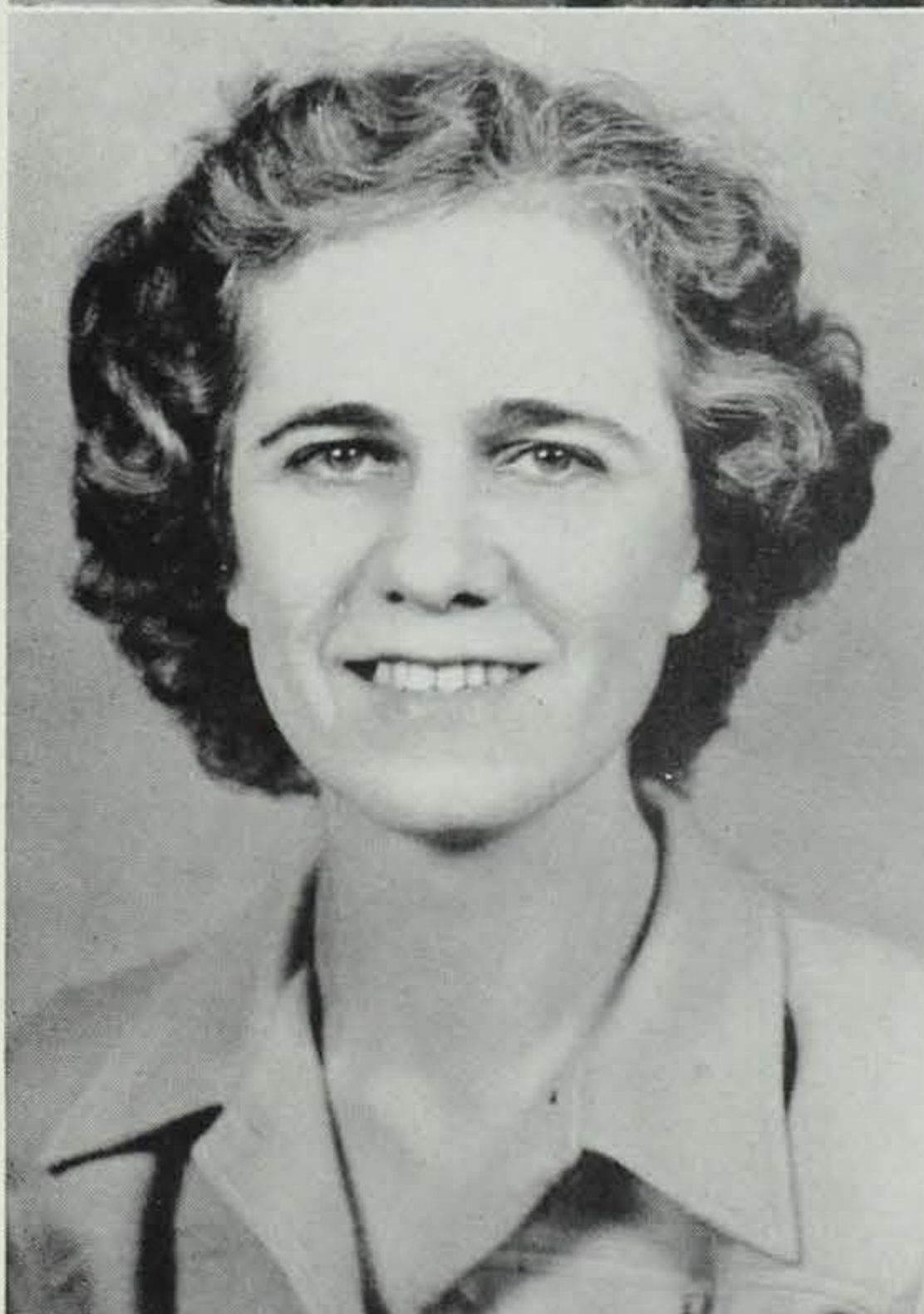
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Advanced Study, University of Iowa
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English





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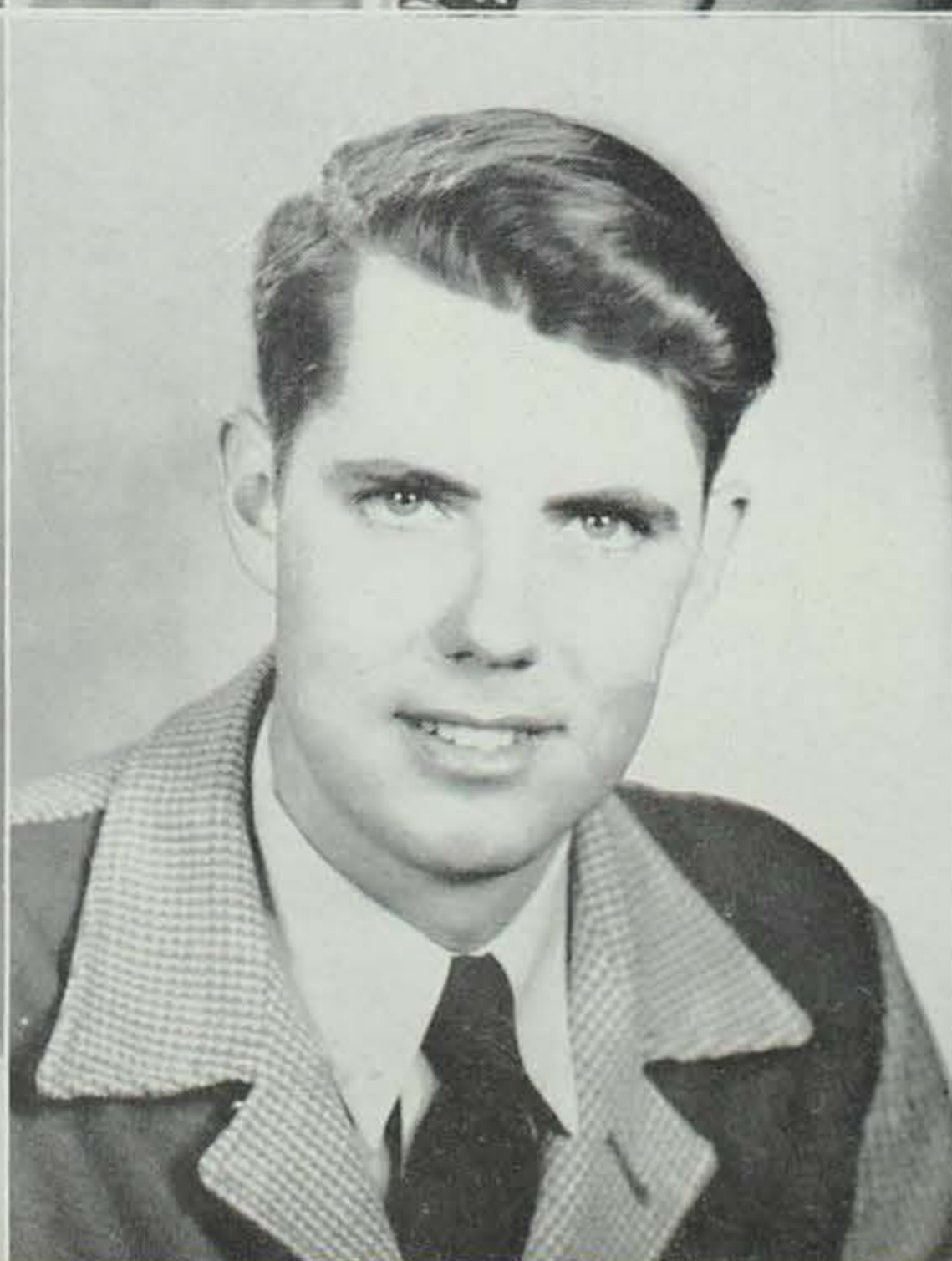


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EZRA LARSEN

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M.S., University of Wisconsin
Physics and Mathematics

Administrative Offices



THE DEAN'S OFFICE

The Dean's office is the first stop for all new students who inquire about registration. All students have many calls to make at this busy office. Here registration is taken care of; absences and excuses are reported; grades are recorded and given to the students; transcripts of credits are secured; and chapel roll is checked. Marie Stigers, personal secretary to the Dean, sends out correspondence and gladly complies to the wishes of the students whenever she can give them available information. Eleanor Britt and Vera Franzene, students on the campus, work in this office during the hours they do not have classes. The desk of the Dean of Women, Phoebe LaFoy, is also found in this office. Mrs. LaFoy is assistant registrar and also helps with graduation and other work of this office. The pleasant atmosphere of this office welcomes stu-

dents, and the office force is always helpful to those who have problems with which they may want aid or guidance.

Our business manager, F. M. Sandy, is constantly confronted with business problems and financial transactions of our college. In this office all billings are marked, all books are balanced, and all receipts are acknowledged. Mr. Sandy also offers helpful suggestions to the many veterans enrolled in our college. Mrs. Sandy pleasantly accepts part-time work in this office in the absence of a regular girl or whenever busy days call for her assistance. When students need general school supplies, this office eagerly serves their needs. The bookstore counter is always a busy avenue filled with hurrying students, as the mail service and the "lost-and-found" department are also handled here.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE





Public Relations Office

Organized nearly two years ago, and a separate unit of the college, the Public Relations Department is under the direction of John U. Barbour and has charge of all the college public relations. The office has on file over one hundred and fifty schools receiving the college's semimonthly paper and publications bulletins. Alumni records and students' records of the current enrollment are available to facilitate the placement bureau. Mr.

Barbour, as director, publicizes all college activities, including the agenda of events appearing on the sports calendar.

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

Emphasizing the importance of good health in college as well as good scholastic standing, the college added another department this year. This was the Health Service. In October of 1949, Betty Nelson, R.N., assumed her duties of organizing this service. Within a short time a room in the basement of Old Main was redecorated and made into the nurse's quarters. Supplies were purchased, and the program was set up and inaugurated. The matter of setting up health records for all students was begun, and physical examinations by a phy-

sician for all freshmen were made. Here the students come for treatment of minor illnesses and injuries, as well as counselling on health problems. Doctors' services are a matter of individual choice. A hospitalization insurance plan is available for any student who has to be hospitalized.

In February the entire student body was tested for tuberculosis. Mrs. Nelson gave the tuberculin skin tests, and the mobile unit came to take x-rays of all positive reaction cases.



Student Health Center

Library



Fracker Library has taken its position as one of the major assets on Buena Vista's educational balance sheet. The past year has found our library being used more and more by the student body. Sizeable additions have been made to the library in books, periodicals and encyclopedias. The volumes now housed in our library have risen to 26,000. In addition to reference books and periodicals, we

were fortunate in obtaining forty-nine Encyclopedia Britannica films on varied subjects which was a great contribution to the student in visualizing what has been acquired in theoretical knowledge.

Through the conscientious endeavors of Miss Alberta Dwelle and her staff, our library has gradually taken over the position as "hub of the educational facilities on our campus."

Student government on any college campus plays a tremendous part in the smooth functioning of all student activities in the school. The operation of student government may be of broad character or it may be confined to narrow limits, depending upon the initiative and aggressiveness of one particular body—the Student Council. We can readily see the importance to the student of his or her wise selection of a good representative to the Student Council body. The Student Council for the past school year has assumed a very active role in

making the voice of the student heard. Our Student Council for 1949-50 felt that the greatest contributing factor to the lively interest shown in student affairs was the solid cooperation given by the college administration. Professor T. P. Kuehl, faculty representative to the Council, has been very cooperative in his efforts and had as his aim to make this year's Student Council the best ever. Our selection of Robert Woody as president started us in the right direction, so to speak. Woody gave much of his time to this organization.

Student Council



First Row—Rodney Satory, Robert Woody, T. P. Kuehl, Mona Lawlor.

Second Row—Dean Stille, William Saylor, Claire Abbot, Tom Gaines.

Absent: John Teay.

The Senior Class



Class Officers

President . Maynard Thompson
Vice-President . Norman Theiss
Secretary . . . David Olson
Treasurer . . . Helen Gaherty

Consider the seniors: They stand at the culmination of four years of work. With mixed feelings they look ahead. They feel confidence, apprehension perhaps, even anxiety—a diversity of feelings as they face a diversity of problems. Recognizing both greatness and failure as possibilities, they are going out.

And who are they, these seniors? Numbering more than a hundred, they constitute the largest graduating class in the history of the college. Seniors have taken an active part in virtually all the important activities on the campus. This year academics, music, athletics, and forensics they have played an important role. Many talented seniors participated in music and dramatics. In athletics, whether on the diamond, gridiron, floor, or track, many are numbered from this class. Seniors as members of the Forensic League established an enviable record in discussion and debate tournaments. In *all* phases of school life they have shown themselves to be a strong group, these seniors.

The last school year has seen new life in campus organizations. Social activities reached, perhaps, a new high. The Student Council, proving itself to be a real student government under the able leadership of President Robert Woody, effectively integrated the social activities of the various organizations. James Ulum, president of the newly organized Buena Vista Business Club, Everett Grapenthin, heading the powerful B. V. Lettermen's Club and Helen Gaherty, heading Sigma Tau Delta and Alpha Psi Omega, illustrate the part seniors have played in this "new life." The senior class as an organization has been instrumental in organizing numerous social activities; and these, as all things they have done, were noteworthy for their originality and sparkling success.

These, then, are the seniors. Their contribution has been significant; the school shall miss them. But they are finished, here, and they are leaving—the largest and one of the best senior classes Buena Vista has ever seen.

Seniors

David G. Alexander
Exira, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Baseball 1
Lettermen's Club 2,3
Vet's Club 1,2



John Vesti Andersen, Jr.
Correctionville, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Phi Delta Chi 3,4
Spanish Club 3
Band 2,3,4

Fern Arnett
Sergeant Bluff, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE
Entre Nous 1,2,4
B.V. Players 4



Virgil G. Beyer
Carroll, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 4
B.V. Business Men's Club 4

Edwin E. Buckendahl
Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Business Men's Club 4



Donald L. Burton
Fairmont, Minnesota

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Intramurals 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4

Arthur N. Busch
Olin, Iowa

MATHEMATICS
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 4
Vet's Club 4



Don D. Castle
Correctionville, Iowa

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

Seniors

Fred Chute

Fairmont, Minnesota

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1



Gerald L. Corey

Greenfield, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 3
Vet's Club 4
Basketball 4



Larry F. Covey, Jr.

Dayton, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Roland Dawson

Grand Meadow, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 2,4
Football 2
Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4



Joseph H. Duncan

Des Moines, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

B.V. Players 4



William E. Erps

Arcadia, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1



Robert A. Eshbaugh

Rockwell City, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Track 3,4
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Intramurals 3,4
Vet's Club 3
B.V. Business Men's Club 4



Catherine E. Farnsworth

Storm Lake, Iowa

EDUCATION

Entre Nous 1,2,3,4
M.E.N.C. 3,4
Choir 1,2,3
Future Teachers of America 4
BV. Players 1,2,3



Seniors

Helen Gaherty
Storm Lake, Iowa

ENGLISH

Phi Alpha Pi 1,2,3,4
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Alpha Psi Omega 3,4
Choir 1
Annual Staff 3
Class Officer 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 1,2,3,4



John T. Gannon
Pocahontas, Iowa

ENGLISH

Football 4
Track 3
Intramurals 2,3,4
Annual Staff 4



Kevin C. Genther
Forest Hills, N. Y.

HISTORY

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



Everett W. Grapenthin
Linn Grove, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 1
Football 1,2,3,4
Track 3
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,4
Future Teachers of America 4



Eileen Gunderson
Rodman, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Sigma Tau Delta 4
Student Christian
Fellowship 4



Lisle Harris
Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Play Production 4
B.V. Business Men's Club 4



John Henneberry
Truesdale, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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



Reece E. Hughes
Primghar, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Intramurals 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4



Seniors

Richard C. Jespersen
Rockwell City, Iowa

**CHEMISTRY AND
GENERAL SCIENCE**

Intramurals 3
Boys' Quartet 1
Madrigal Group 1



Richard R. Jorgensen
Audubon, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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



William P. Klinker
Primghar, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Terrance P. Knott
Denison, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1,2
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 2
Future Teachers of America 4
Radio Production 4
Basketball 1,2



Leonard Kromondyk
Ireton, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Intramurals 4
Future Teachers of America 4



Fred Lawson
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Basketball 1,2,3
Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Gordon E. LeWarne
Pomeroy, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Ensemble 3,4
Boys' Quartet 1
Choir 1,2,3,4
Band 2,3
Future Teachers of America 4



Earl Linden
Kiron, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

B.V. Players 2,3
Vet's Club 2



Seniors

Ort McKenna
Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Future Teachers of America 4
Radio Production 4
Vet's Club 2
Business Club 4
Iowa State Education
Ass'n 4



Frank Mack
Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION



Rosella Madsen
Rodney, Iowa

ENGLISH

Sigma Tau Delta 4
Entre Nous 1,2,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Y.W.C.A. 1,2
B.V. Players 4
Play Production 4



Charles Miller
Storm Lake, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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



Frank Miller
Manning, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 3,4
Band 1
Basketball 1
Ass't Basketball Coach 2



James E. Mittelstadt
Storm Lake, Iowa
SOCIAL SCIENCE

Tack Staff 3
Class Officer 3
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 1,2
Vet's Club 1,2



Ruth N. Morrice
Cushing, Iowa

ENGLISH

Sigma Tau Delta 4
Annual Staff 4
Future Teachers of America 2
Student Christian
Fellowship 2,3,4



Richard Leroy Morris
Marathon, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Seniors

John Naughton
Cedar Rapids, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Basketball 1,2,3
Baseball 1,2,3
Football 1,2,3
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3
Radio Production 4
Play Production 4



Carmen Ness
Peterson, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 2
Football 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4



John I. Nickelson
Havelock, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Phi Delta Chi 2
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Football 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Band 2



Glenn Oatman
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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



David Olson
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICS

Annual Staff 4
Class Officer 4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 1,2
Forensic League 3



William J. Pitts
Alta, Iowa

BIOLOGY

Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 2,3,4
Vet's Club 1,2



Richard Ploeger
Schaller, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Track 3
Intramurals 1,2
Vet's Club 1,2



John E. Poulson
Newell, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Class Officer 3
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Vet's Club 1



Seniors

Roger Rader
Storm Lake, Iowa

HISTORY
Football 3



John William Rhode
Buffalo Center, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 4



James Rice
Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Intramurals 1,2,4
Band 2
Class Officer 2
Vet's Club 1,2



Lyle Robson
Early, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION



Robert Rosburg
Denison, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE



Mrs. Norma Salveson
Laurens, Iowa

PSYCHOLOGY AND EDUCATION
Tack Staff 4



John W. Shelp
Auburn, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE
Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Ralph Shriner
Rodman, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Baseball 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4



Seniors

James Skaar
Calumet, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Ensemble 3,4
M.E.N.C. 3
Boys' Quartet 1,2,3
Choir 1,2,3,4
Band 2,3,4
Madrigal Group 1,2,
Student Council 3
B.V. Players 3,4



LaDon Sorensen
Early, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Football 1,2,3
Track 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,4
Student Christian
Fellowship 1
B.V. Players 1,2



Thomas Lee South
Greenfield, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 1
Football 1,2,3
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Barbara Staley
Denison, Iowa

ENGLISH
Sigma Tau Delta 4
Entre Nous 2,3,4
Future Teachers of America
2,3,4
Spanish Club 4



Dean Teague
Lytton, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 2,3
Intramurals 2,3
Baseball 2,3



Maynard Thompson
Eagle Grove, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Class Officer 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 4
Vet's Club 1,2
B.V. Business Men's Club 4



Richard J. Toohey
Storm Lake, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Football 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Ray William Ulman, Jr.
Manson, Iowa
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
B.V. Business Men's Club 4



Seniors

Richard Utter

Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1,2,4
Basketball 3
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2
Student Council 1
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



O. C. Walker

Gilmore City, Iowa

HISTORY

Future Teachers of America 4



Robert Warner

Glendale, California

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Intramurals 1,2
Future Teachers of America 4
Spanish Club 2,3
Vet's Club 1,2



James E. Waters

Havelock, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Baseball 1,2,3
Basketball 1,2,3
Tack Staff 3
Vet's Club 1,2
Business Club 4



Paul Bruce White

Jefferson, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Football 4
Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 3
Business Club 4



Patricia Whiteside

Storm Lake, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Phi Alpha Pi 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4



Robert L. Woody

Des Moines, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Ensemble 2,3,4
M.E.N.C. 3
Choir 2,3,4
Tack Staff 2,3
Annual Staff 3
Student Council 3,4
B.V. Players 3,4



Mrs. Dorothea O. Crisler

Storm Lake, Iowa

HOME ECONOMICS



Summer School Seniors

Merlin Alderson
Schaller, Iowa
MATHEMATICS



Richard H. Baker
Lawton, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Lettermen's Club 4
Intramurals 1,4
Choir 2,3,4
Madrigal Group 2
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 4



Mrs. Milla A. Brown
Webb, Iowa
GENERAL SCIENCE
Future Teachers of America
1,2,3
Y.W.C.A. 1,2,3



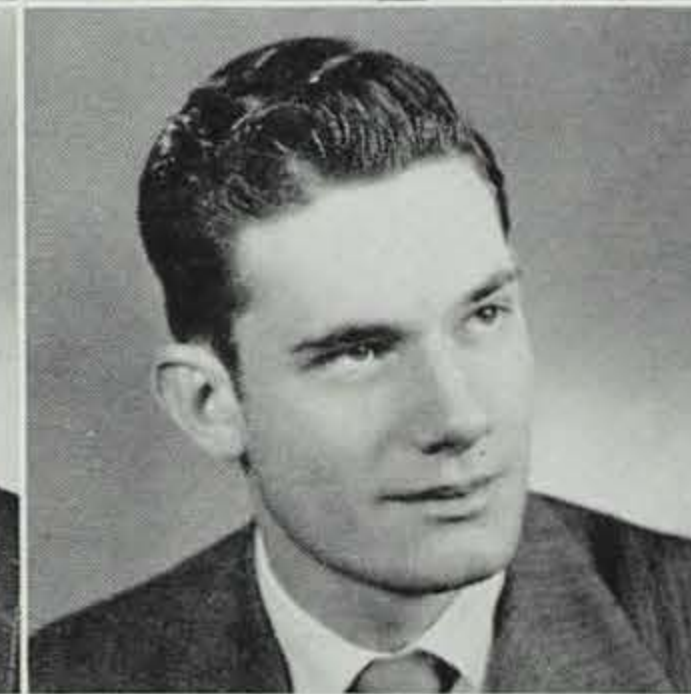
Francis Eugene Bunnelle
Rankin, Illinois
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Basketball 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4
Intramurals 1
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2



Boyd V. Cammack
Lake City, Iowa
MATHEMATICS



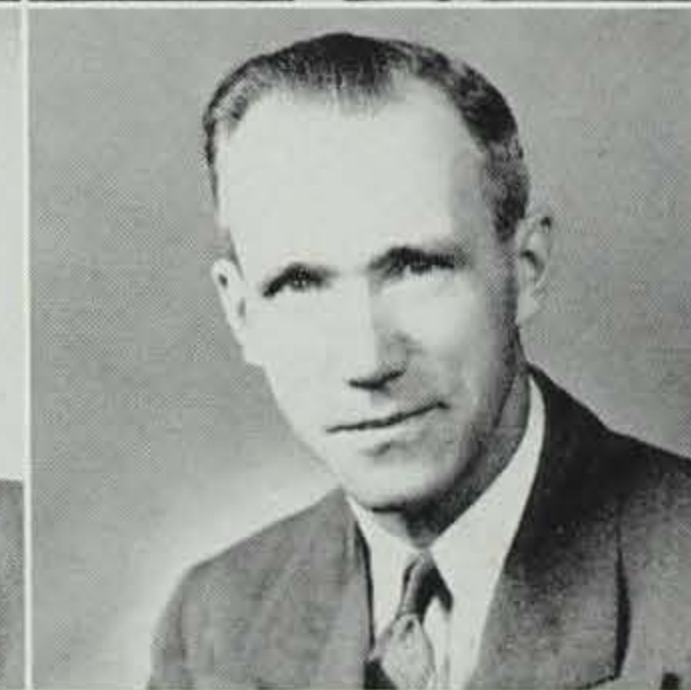
Russell A. Droesch
Rodman, Iowa
HISTORY
Sigma Tau Dela 2,3,4
Alpha Phi Beta 2,3,4
Phi Delta Chi 1,2
Choir 1
Future Teachers of America 3,4
B.V. Players 1,2,3,4
Play Production 3
Dramatics 2,3,4



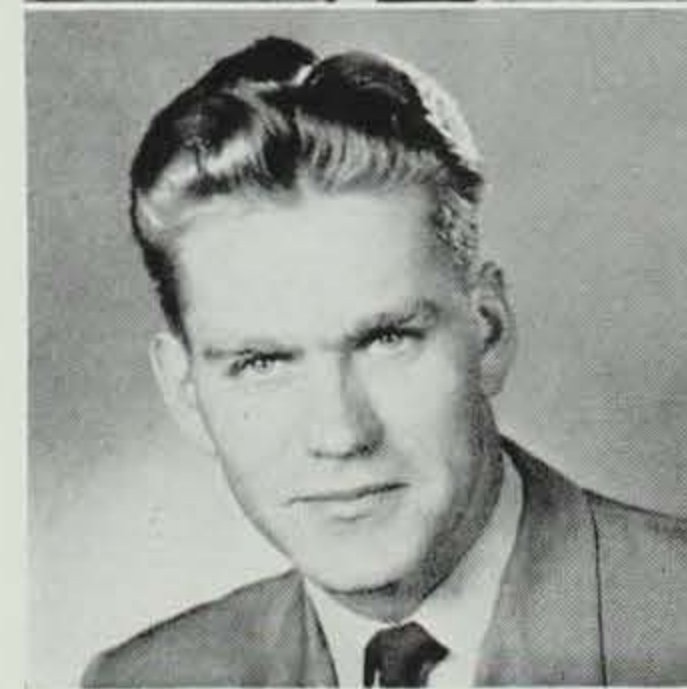
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Sacramento, California
CHEMISTRY



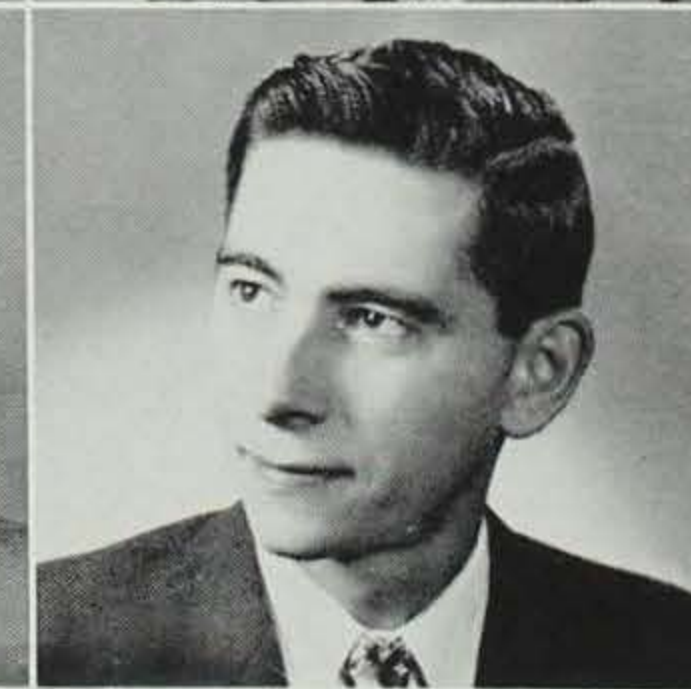
J. E. Gebhardt
Aurelia, Iowa
BIBLE



Herbert Haagenson
Leland, Iowa
PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Earl Hart
Webb, Iowa
BIOLOGY



Summer School Seniors

Joseph A. Hermesen
Carroll, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 2
Intramurals 1,2
Future Teachers of America 4
- Vet's Club 1,2



Thomas Kirby
Spencer, Iowa

CHEMISTRY

Intramurals 3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1,2

Donald B. Larsen
Sioux Rapids, Iowa

MATHEMATICS

Future Teachers of America 4



LaVeene Larson
Galva, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Baseball 4
Intramurals 3

Joanne Lehr
Storm Lake, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Phi Alpha Phi 1,2,3
Annual Staff 1
B.V. Players



Ralph Edward Locke
Storm Lake, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Thomas C. McCabe
Storm Lake, Iowa

GENERAL SCIENCE

Intramurals 1,2,3,4
Annual Staff 3
Future Teachers of America 4



Gordon McKinstrey
Milford, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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

Dwight H. Maaske
Logan, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 4
Lettermen's Club 4



Keith Mayfield
Fort Dodge, Iowa

CHEMISTRY

Intramurals 4

Summer School Seniors

Gerald O. Miller

Alta, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lettermen's Club 1,2,3
Future Teachers of America 4
Basketball 1,2,3



Clayalyn (Kaye) R. Miller
Spirit Lake, Iowa

ENGLISH

Sigma Tau Delta 2,4
Alpha Psi Omega 2,4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 1,2,4
Play Production 4

Patricia Phipps

Sioux Rapids, Iowa

**EDUCATION AND
PSYCHOLOGY**

Choir 2
Band 2
Phi Alpha Pi 2,3,4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 3,4



Richard E. Piper

Greenfield, Iowa

SOCIOLOGY

Reynard Satory

Albert City, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Phi Delta Chi 3,4
Intramurals 2,3,4
Ensemble 3,4
Choir 3,4
Band 3,4
Tack Staff 3
Future Teachers of America 4



Norbert Sauter

Storm Lake, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

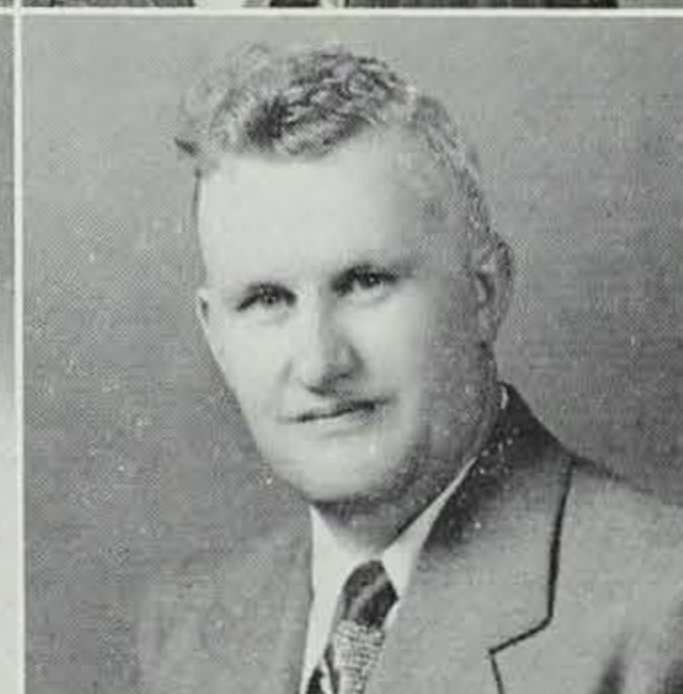
Alpha Psi Omega 4
Future Teachers of America 3,4
Radio Production 3,4
B.V. Players 3,4
Play Production 3,4
Vet's Club 1,2

William H. Saylor

Greenfield, Iowa

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Football 1,2,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Student Council 4
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 1,4
Vet's Club 1
Pep Club 2



Alfred Schlorholtz

Wall Lake, Iowa

BIBLE AND PHILOSOPHY

Sigma Tau Delta 4
B.V. Singers 3
Choir 3,4
Student Christian Fellowship 3,4

Wilbur Schnirring

Sac City, Iowa

ENGLISH

Football 1,2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 1,2,3,4
Intramurals 1,2,3
Tack Staff 1,2,3,4
Annual Staff 3,4
Class Officer 3
Vet's Club 1



Earl T. Stafford

Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Football 1
Intramurals 2
Lettermen's Club 4
Vet's Club 2

Summer School Seniors

Robert D. Stewart
Webb, Iowa

PHYSICS
Vet's Club 1



Edna Mae Thomas
Elgin, Illinois

ENGLISH
Sigma Tau Delta 3,4
Delta Phi Beta 1,2,3,4
Choir 2
Tack Staff 3
Spanish Club 3
B.V. Players 2,3,4
Play Production 4
Pan Hellenic Council 1,3
Women's Governing Board 2

Norman B. Theiss
Storm Lake, Iowa

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Football 2,3,4
Lettermen's Club 3,4
Intramurals 3,4
Class Officer 4
Future Teachers of America 4



Ernest Louis Ulish
Fort Dodge, Iowa

BIOLOGY

James C. Ulum
Swaledale, Iowa

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Future Teachers of America 4
B.V. Players 4
B.V. Business Men's Club 4
Dramatics 4



Darold W. Veer Husen
Fonda, Iowa

HISTORY
Phi Delta Chi 2,3,4
Boys' Quartet 1
Choir 1,2,3
Future Teachers of America 4
Radio Production 2
Play Production 2

Richard J. Wheelock
Algona, Iowa

CHEMISTRY
Intramurals 4
Future Teachers of America 4
Vet's Club 1



Merle Yager
Spencer, Iowa

COMMERCE
B.V. Singers 1
Choir 1,2
Madrigal Group 1
Y.M.C.A. 3

The Junior Class



Class Officers

President . Wilbur Schnirring
Vice-President . . Roy Reeves
Secretary . . Betty McKinstry
Treasurer . . Leatrice Spahn

Juniors were the minority class this year. At the beginning of the school year they constituted slightly under one-sixth of the entire college enrollment. This is very unusual, since the senior class is invariably the smallest. But what the junior class lacked in quantity, it possessed in quality. This small group of students held a large number of notable positions in various college organizations.

In the literary field we found Wilbur Schnirring editing the TACK, the college publication. This is Willie's second year as "news hound," during which time he has published a paper which is the pride of the college. Ed Rosenhauer and Lloyd Nelson, both juniors, acted as editor and assistant editor of the BEAVER LOG, the college year book. Since there is only one editor in each of the two publications, it is noteworthy that both positions were held by juniors. Alfred Schlorholtz was the president of the Student Christian Fellowship. Jacqueline Schnirring was president of the Phi Alpha Pi, which is one of the two social sororities on the campus. After Bob Woody graduated at the end of the first semester, Dean Stille, the vice-

president of the Student Council, sparked the council to a continuance of the work it had already begun. One junior whose present is his future is Jim Fanning. Jim, who is Buena Vista's best known baseball player, has signed up with the Chicago Cubs' farm team, the Des Moines Bruins. The class is proud of Jim, and all the rest who show a promise to the future.

The class was guided throughout the year by Willie Schnirring, who was the class president. Roy Reeves was Willie's right hand man serving as vice-president, while Betty McKinstry served as secretary, and Leatrice Spahn acted as treasurer. The juniors were represented in the Student Council by Dean Stille, who was vice-president, and Clair Abbot, who spoke on behalf of the junior class in the Student Council.

And so to the juniors who will next year move to the most cherished of all positions, "Good Luck" in the future, and keep up the good work. The heritage is now yours. Carry on as you have done in the past and we will have a bigger and better Buena Vista.

Juniors

Clair Abbott
Vail, Iowa



Louis Aitken
Larrabee, Iowa



Janet Anderson
Alta, Iowa



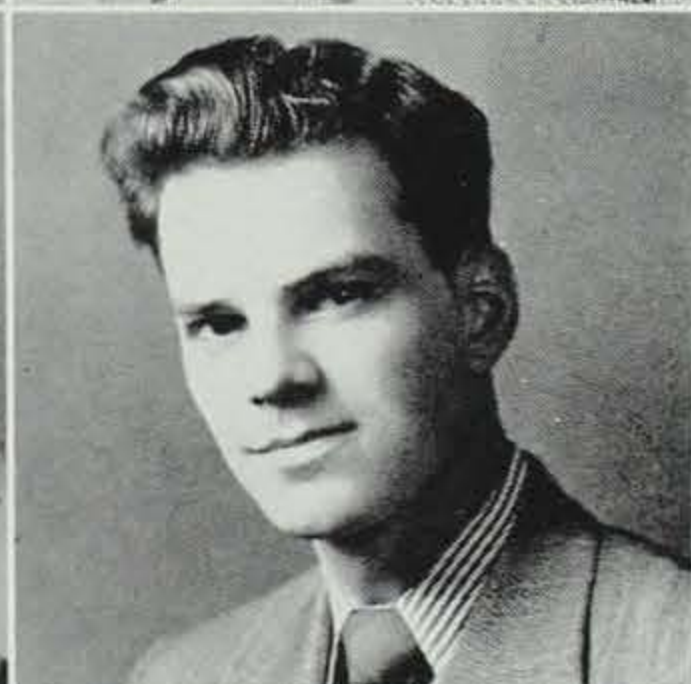
Mrs. Marguerite Barels
Storm Lake, Iowa



Richard Beck
Carroll, Iowa



Francis Robert Beckel
Storm Lake, Iowa



Bonnie Bezoni
Spencer, Iowa



James Bradley
Marcus, Iowa



Delbert Carlson
Aurelia, Iowa



Coral Clark
Cherokee, Iowa



Juniors

James Cole
Storm Lake, Iowa



Theodore Craigmile
Lake City, Iowa



Arthur Daniels
Aurelia, Iowa



Russell Donaldson
Marathon, Iowa



Gordon Dowd
Ames, Iowa



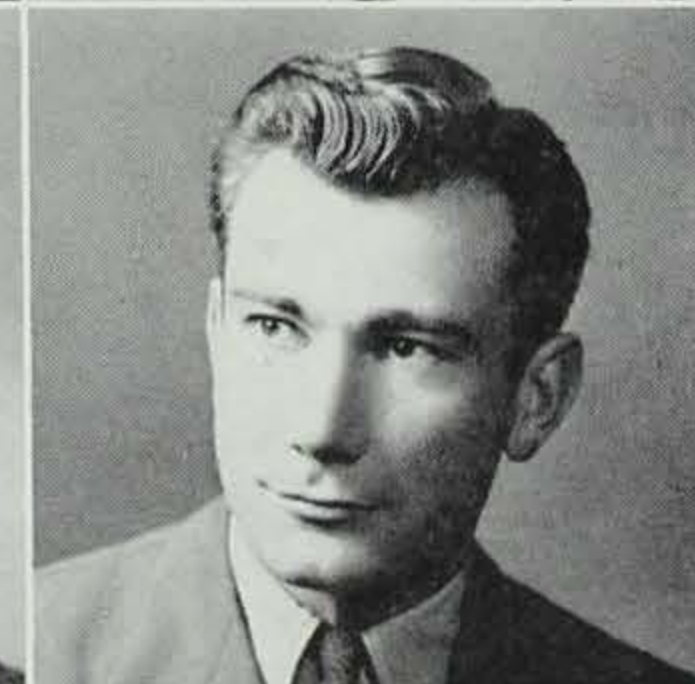
Glenn Driscoll
Cedar Rapids, Iowa



Robert Elfrink
Cherokee, Iowa



James Fanning
Moneta, Iowa



Hugh Farquharson
Peterson, Iowa



Vera Franzene
Rembrandt, Iowa



Juniors

Paul Fricke
Pomeroy, Iowa



Verle Fritsche
Charles City, Iowa



Lance Garlock
Fonda, Iowa



Gerald Gerber
Storm Lake, Iowa



Joseph Grace
Emmetsburg, Iowa



William Roy Gray
Council Bluffs, Iowa



Alfred Greene
Storm Lake, Iowa



Jay Hamiel
Washta, Iowa



Bonnie Harrell
Storm Lake, Iowa



Ray Heath
Correctionville, Iowa



Juniors

Dale Heppler
Harris, Iowa



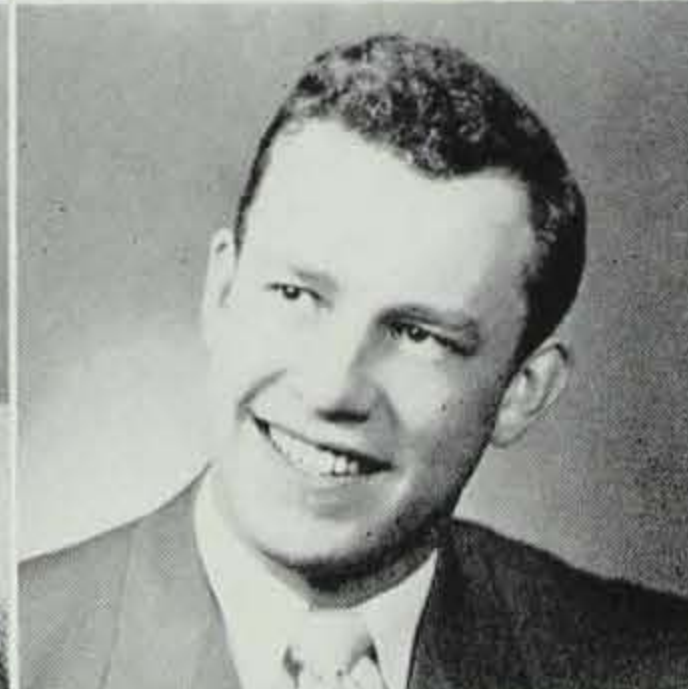
Susan Hudson
Pocahontas, Iowa



Robert Hughes
Primghar, Iowa



George Jacobs
Dunlap, Iowa



Hubert Johnson
Albert City, Iowa



Fred Kearney
Ocheyedan, Iowa



Roland LaRue
Menlo, Iowa



Nels Lind
Kiron, Iowa



Robert McDowell
Fort Dodge, Iowa



Betty McKinstry
Milford, Iowa

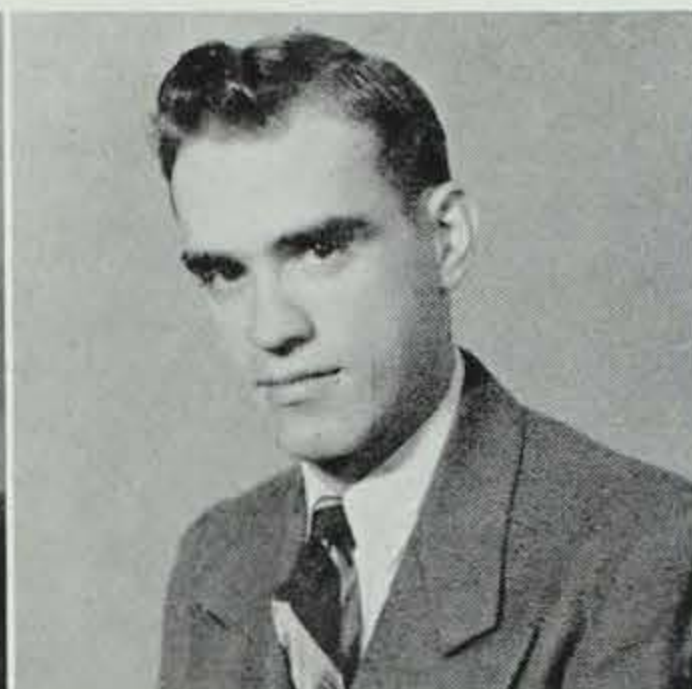


Juniors

Robert Marshall
Des Moines, Iowa



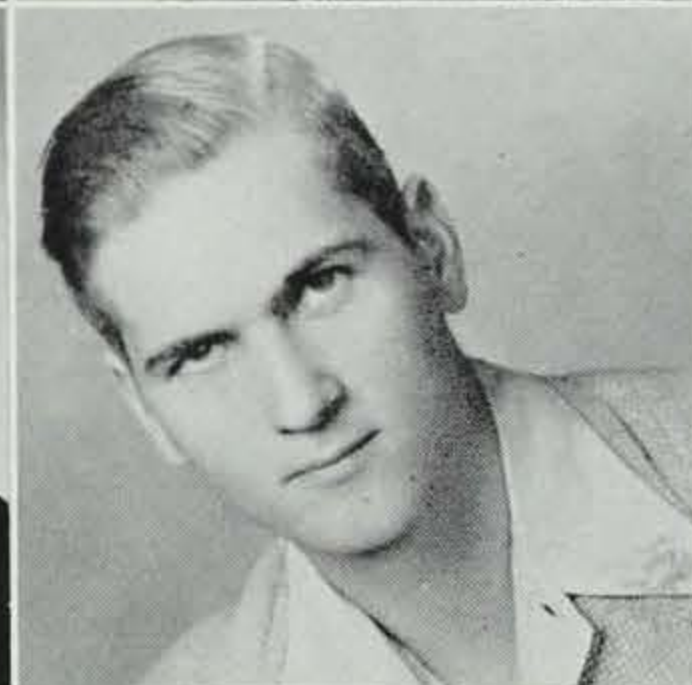
Lavern Mertz
Walnut, Iowa



Keith Miller
Storm Lake, Iowa



Omer Mullen
Arion, Iowa



Lloyd Nelson
Webster City, Iowa



Jerome Nibaur
Elma, Iowa



Warren Olsen
Superior, Iowa



Harold Pearson
Newell, Iowa



Bradley Peters
Akron, Ohio



Erling Rasmussen
Storm Lake, Iowa



Juniors

Mrs. Ruth Rasmussen
Storm Lake, Iowa



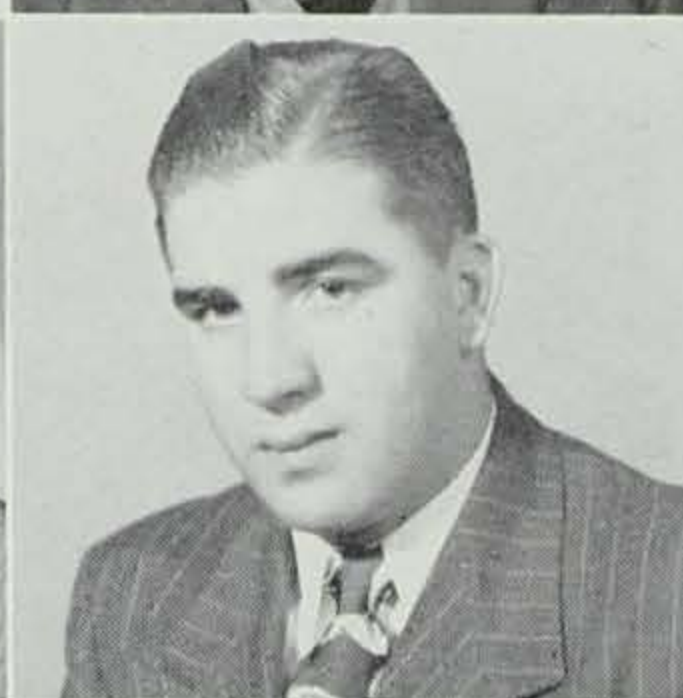
Roy Reeves
West Bend, Iowa



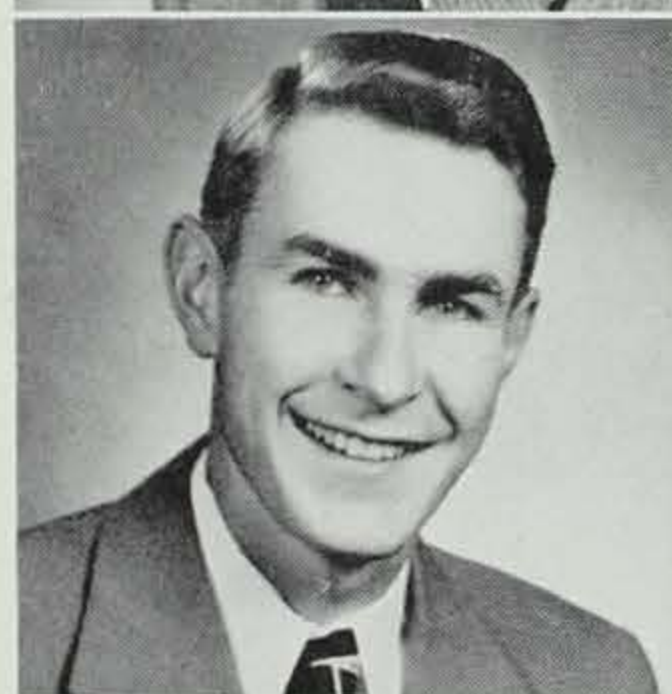
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Eagle Grove, Iowa



Wayne Roepke
Washta, Iowa



Edward Rosenhauer
Early, Iowa



Marco Salerno
Chitre, Panama



Howard Sands
Terril, Iowa



Elmer Scott
Jefferson, Iowa



John Snyder
Storm Lake, Iowa



Leatrice Spahn
Storm Lake, Iowa



Juniors

John Sparapany
Brooklyn, New York



Leslie Licklider
Rockwell City, Iowa



Victor Spindler
Schaller, Iowa



Barbara Staley
Denison, Iowa



Donald Stiles
Bagley, Iowa



Dean Stille
Storm Lake, Iowa



Norman Swanson
Albert City, Iowa



Glenn Theulen
Perry, Iowa



William Toohey
Storm Lake, Iowa



Allan Tostenson
Estherville, Iowa



Juniors

Richard Unger
Storm Lake, Iowa



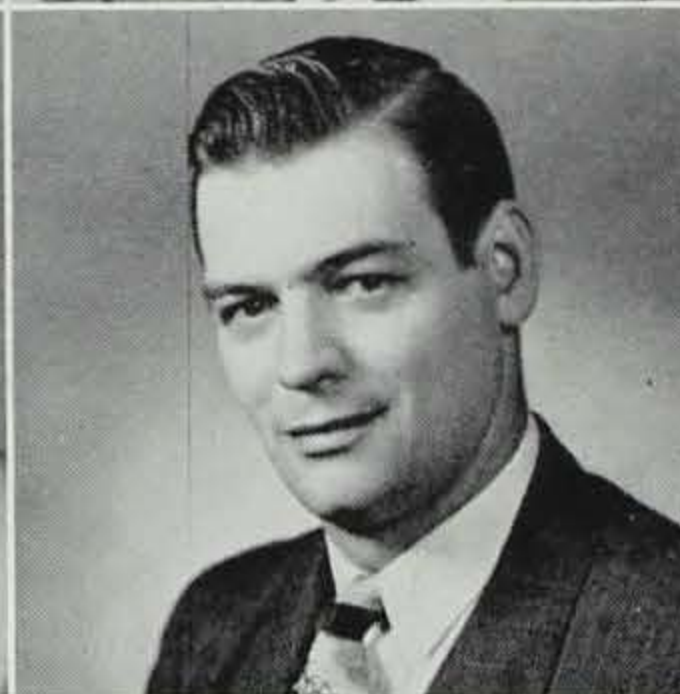
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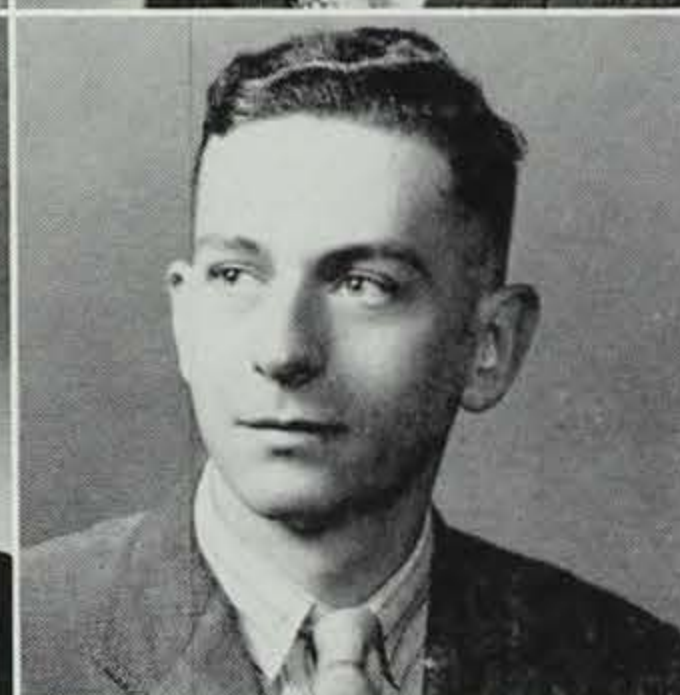
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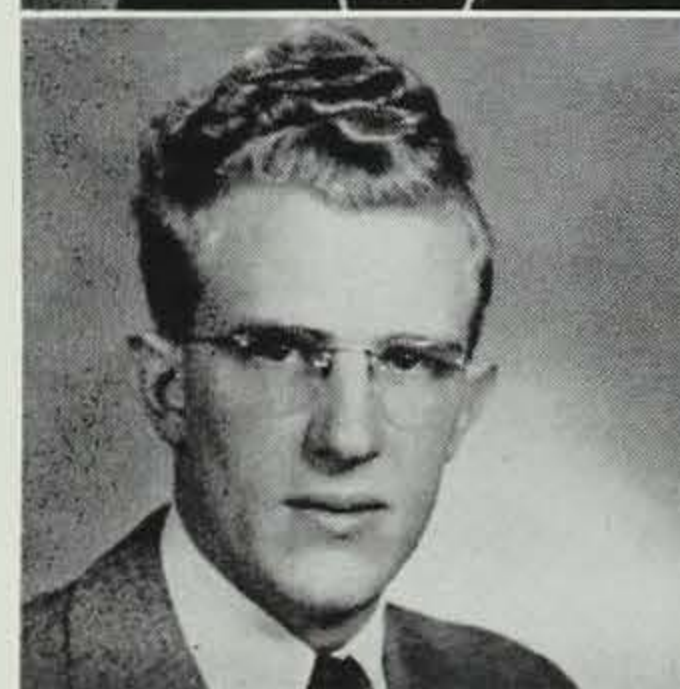
Mrs. Joyce Wehmeyer
Storm Lake, Iowa



Lowell Wilbur
Peterson, Iowa



Melvin Wilbur
Sioux Rapids, Iowa



Harry Wishard
Cherokee, Iowa



The Sophomore Class



Class Officers

President Bill Thieman
Vice-President . . Bill Toohey
Secretary John Wood
Treasurer Doris Foell

The sophomore class placed its confidence in the leadership of Bill Thieman and elected Bill Toohey to assist him. Jack Wood was elected to the position of secretary with Doris Foell as the treasurer. Tom Gaines was appointed to represent the sophomore class as a member of the Student Council.

Members of sophomore class are represented in every organization on the campus as well as holding top office in four major organizations. Donna Nordstrom holds the office of president of Delta Phi Beta and The Future Teachers of America. Dee Ann Carlson is the Entre Nous president, and Harold Engen heads the B. V. Players.

On the gridiron Waldo Johnson was selected as the most valuable football player of the year.

Other outstanding sophomore athletes include Jerry Speck, Bob Willadsen, Glenn Stabelfield, Marvin Stille, Bob Lee, Richard Wenger, Don Carlson, and Bob Powell.

The roster of candidates for the Buena Vista's Homecoming Queen was rather dominated by the sophomore class with all the candidates being members of this class. Vera Franzene, popular secretary to Dean Wesselink, was elected to reign over homecoming.

Many of the sophomore girls will be graduating with two year normal teaching certificates. To those students we wish lots of luck. We will see the remainder of the class next year as members of the junior class.

Sophomores



MARY ALLEN
Storm Lake, Iowa

LORNA BAILEY
Royal, Iowa

ROBERT BARGMAN
Rodman, Iowa

KENNETH BAUERMEISTER
Ocheyedan, Iowa

JOHN BECKEL
Storm Lake, Iowa

BURDETTE BJORKLUND
Albert City, Iowa

BETTY BOE
Dunlap, Iowa

ROBERT BUMANN
Schaller, Iowa

RICHARD BUNKER
Lake City, Iowa

JOHNNY BUNS
Woden, Iowa

HELEN BYE
Storm Lake, Iowa

MITCHELL CANNOY
Rembrandt, Iowa

DEE ANN CARLSON
Paton, Iowa

DONALD CARLSON
Marathon, Iowa

DELORES CHALLAND
Fonda, Iowa

MARY BETH CHRISTENSEN
Marathon, Iowa

PATRICIA CLARK
Cherokee, Iowa

MARILYN CULVER
Dickens, Iowa

Sophomores

JOHN CURRIE
Schaller, Iowa

DWIGHT DAY
Glidden, Iowa

JOHN DE GARMO
Early, Iowa



GLORIANNA DORFLER
Charter Oak, Iowa

GERALDINE DRENNEN
Ruthven, Iowa

DONALD DRUSSELL
West Bend, Iowa



HELEN PATRICIA DUNN
Cherokee, Iowa

STUART EISCHEID
Storm Lake, Iowa

JOYCE ELLWANGER
Lake View, Iowa



JUNE ELLWANGER
Lake View, Iowa

HAROLD ENGEN
Clarion, Iowa

ILA ENGLER
Early, Iowa



MRS. MARILYN FETT
Storm Lake, Iowa

JOAN FOBES
Lake City, Iowa

DORIS FOELL
Storm Lake, Iowa



DUANE FONLEY
Linn Grove, Iowa

THOMAS GAINES
Cedar Rapids, Iowa

DALE GARLOCK
Fonda, Iowa



Sophomores



RALPH GILL
Providence, Kentucky

JOHN GOODWIN
Sac City, Iowa

BEVERLY GREEN
Cherokee, Iowa



ALLEN HANNAFAN
Clinton, Iowa

GRAYDON HANSON
Storm Lake, Iowa

MYRA HARADON
Early, Iowa



DAVID HARRISON
Hampton, Iowa

ROBERT HAWTHORNE
Adair, Iowa

NORMA HEICK
Peterson, Iowa



ROBERT HERRIG
Spencer, Iowa

DONALD HINTZ
Storm Lake, Iowa

WILLIAM HORSMAN
Rembrandt, Iowa



FRED HUCKA
Lake City, Iowa

HURLEY HUGHES
Storm Lake, Iowa

JEAN HUGHES
Storm Lake, Iowa



BETTY JACOBS
Correctionville, Iowa

ALVEDA JOHNSON
Albert City, Iowa

MRS. JOY JOHNSON
Storm Lake, Iowa

Sophomores

WALDO JOHNSON
Albert City, Iowa

DONALD KAKUZA
Honolulu, Hawaii

LILIAN KELLY
Arnolds Park, Iowa

MARGARET KILEY
Dickens, Iowa

DUANE KLETT
Everly, Iowa

LOIS KRETZINGER
Coon Rapids, Iowa

DEAN LARISON
Early, Iowa

ROBERT LEE
Boone, Iowa

PHYLLIS LEHNHARDT
Aurelia, Iowa

CLAYTON LIGGETT
Spirit Lake, Iowa

JOANNE LOVEJOY
Storm Lake, Iowa

HELEN LOVRIEN
Ayrshire, Iowa

GLORIA LINDSTROM
Storm Lake, Iowa

JACK McMULLEN
Burt, Iowa

ROLAND MARTIN
Cherokee, Iowa

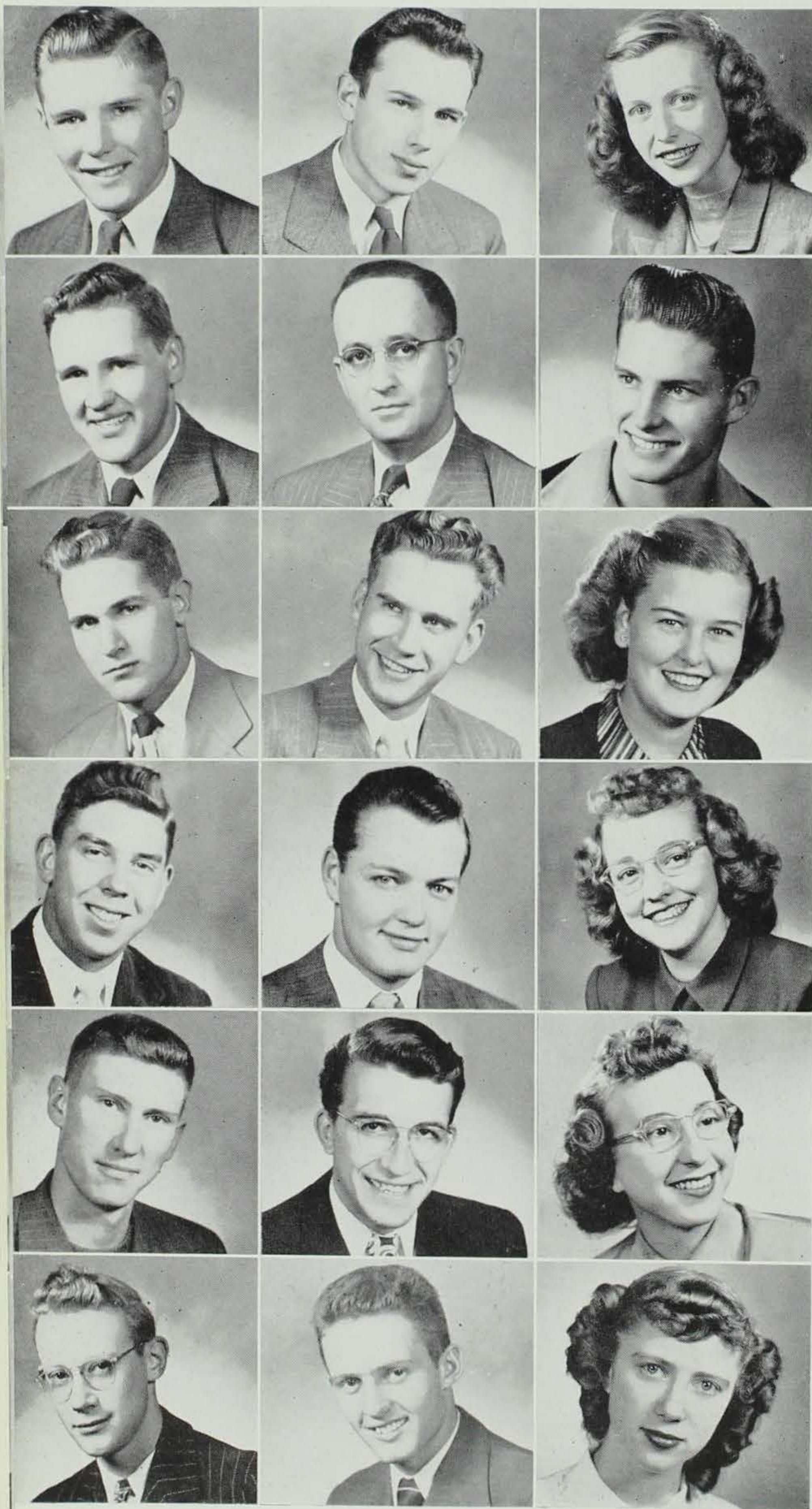
FRANKLIN MATHER
Lake View, Iowa

ROBERT MAXWELL
Medford, Minn.

DOROTHY MENKE
Hartley, Iowa



Sophomores



WILBUR MERRILL
Ruthven, Iowa

MAURICE MILLER
Alta, Iowa

SHIRLEY MILLER
Storm Lake, Iowa

DARROLD MOHR
Ayrshire, Iowa

LAWRENCE MORITZ
Storm Lake, Iowa

DARRELL MORRIS
Lohrville, Iowa

JOHN NICOL
Milford, Iowa

NORMAN C. NIELSON
Sioux Rapids, Iowa

DONNA NORDSTROM
Cherokee, Iowa

ARTHUR NOWACK
Havelock, Iowa

RICHARD OLSEN
Storm Lake, Iowa

BONNIE OMTVEDT
Fonda, Iowa

ROBERT ONNEN
Rockwell City, Iowa

MIKE PAPPADACKIS
Storm Lake, Iowa

MARY PARKER
Coon Rapids, Iowa

THOMAS PATTEN
Alta, Iowa

ROBERT PIPER
Greenfield, Iowa

CHARLENE PETERSON
Peterson, Iowa

Sophomores

LAVONNE PETTY
Newell, Iowa

GLENYSS PECK
Rockwell City, Iowa

VIRGIL PITHAM
Denison, Iowa



ROBERT POWELL
Kingsley, Iowa

THOMAS ROSENBERGER
Eldora, Iowa

JAMES RUKES
Storm Lake, Iowa



RODNEY SATORY
Albert City, Iowa

BRUCE SAUNDERS
Peterson, Iowa

ROBERT SCANLON
Laurens, Iowa



RODNEY SCHENATZKI
Truesdale, Iowa

JAMES SCHROEDER
Audubon, Iowa

MORRIS SCHROEDER
Terril, Iowa



ROBERT SIEVERT
Lake City, Iowa

JOAN SMITH
Meriden, Iowa

MRS. CARRIE SMITH
Storm Lake, Iowa



DARRELL SOREY
Logan, Iowa

GERALD SPECK
Perry, Iowa

SHIRLEY SPEED
Greenfield, Iowa



Sophomores



GLENN STABELFIELD
Aurelia, Iowa

PAUL STEPHENSON
Lohrville, Iowa

MARVIN STILLE
Alta, Iowa



WAYNE STRAIGHT
Storm Lake, Iowa

WILLIAM THIEMAN
Albert City, Iowa

JO ANN UNGER
Storm Lake, Iowa



ETHEL VAN VICKEL
Washta, Iowa

JEAN WAISNER
Gillett Grove, Iowa

ROBERT WALRATH
Storm Lake, Iowa



RALPH WARNER
Glendale, California

DON WEBERG
Inwood, Iowa

HAROLD WEISBROD
Storm Lake, Iowa



RICHARD WENGER
Albert City, Iowa

FREDERICK WESSENDORF
Nemaha, Iowa

ROBERT WILLADSEN
Rembrandt, Iowa



JOHN WOOD
Storm Lake, Iowa

CARL WHITTINGTON
Rembrandt, Iowa

DALE YOUNG
Marcus, Iowa

The Freshman Class



Class Officers

President . . . Francis Tuttle
 Vice-President . . . David Ford
 Secretary . . . Joan Gaffney
 Treasurer . . . Phyllis Lehnhardt

In the fall of '49, Buena Vista College witnessed a renewal of prewar college spirit as 203 enthusiastic freshmen, topped with the traditional green beanies, surged over the campus. The freshman class, the largest on the campus, immediately proved their initiative by winning first prize on their homecoming float. Freshmen were everywhere—represented in nearly every activity and organization on the campus.

Many freshmen earned positions in athletics. The major letter winners in football were Charles Branstetter, Dave Ford, Jon Francis, Don Kamp-rath, Don Olson, and Francis Tuttle. Ten other freshmen won minor letters. The basketball major letter winners were Charles Branstetter, Norman Johnson, Don Kamprath, and Sherwin Sankey. Seven others won minor letters.

A large number of freshmen were members of musical organizations. The choir members were Donna Stock, Marguerite Schroeder, Lillian Bruhn, Ione Whitehouse, Irene Wells, Phyllis Dahnke, La Donna Beckfield, Marie Massop, Delilah Romine, Mary Dugan, Margaret Gaffey, Eloise Beckfield, Eleanor Anderson, Mona Lawlor, JoAnn Franzene,

Coral Kladstrup, Velma Oatman, Donna Hooney, Marilyn Samuelson, Marilyn McLaughlin, Virginia Mauer, Lester Lewis, Bill Witt, John Toay, Jim Buenger, John Graham, Dale Sanderman, Douglas Oleson, Kenneth Gregerson. Freshmen boys who became members of the Phi Dela Chi music fraternity were John Toay, Dale Sanderman, Douglas Oleson, and Kenneth Gregerson.

The freshman class rated high scholastically. Julia Hopkins was one of the four students who received a straight "A" average during the first semester.

It was shown that the freshman class had beauty as well as brains when Jacquelyn (Jackie) Triplett was chosen by vote of the students to reign as Valentine Queen at an all-college Valentines Party.

Several freshmen became active members of B.V. Players. Irene McAlpine and Dean Day had the leading role in one of the major productions of the year, "Gold in the Hills". Lester Lewis was given the lead role of Mr. Pim in the second production, "Mr. Pim Passes By".

Prof. T. P. Kuehl served as class advisor.

Freshmen



First Row—Laverne Larson, Wayne Jaspersen, Myron Anderson, Normon Johnson, Karl Knowles, Don Whyte, Lauren Knutzen, Ken Bawek, Allan Peters, Dean Mittlestadt. **Second Row**—Darlene Hughes, Margaret Gaffey, Margaret Forey, Don Overlander, Don Rose, Francis Tuttle, Glenis Jacobs, Dolores Graybill, JoAnn Zwiefel, Marlyss Biggins, La Donna Beckfield. **Third Row**—Ione Whitehouse, Carroll Carlson, Eloise Beckfield, Irene Wells, Carol Kladstrop, Dorothy Moline, Eleanor Britt, Irene McAlpine, Jane Kilgore, Virginia Buxton, Mona Lawlor.



First Row—Jeanne Murphy, Betty Stoulp, Elaine Leonard, Barbara Spafford, Marie Massup, Charlene Peterson, Norma Heick. **Second Row**—Lois Beck, Norma Harder, Elayne Mohr, Mary Bradford, Margaret Bridges, Donna Mooney. **Third Row**—Carroll Munz, Gerald Fairchild, Bill Barrett, Don Rowe, Claude Funk.

Freshmen



First Row—Miss Bertha Supplee, Arlene Albers, Nancy Currie, Joyce Peck, Eleanor Anderson, Norma Speigle, Velma Oatman, Marilyn Samuelson. **Second Row**—Douglas Oleson, Vernon Huffey, George Nehf, Ralph Gill, Robert Onnen, Bill Witt, Sherwin Sankey, Merle Eberle, Jim Neal. **Third Row**—Zlat Jalel, Richard Kahoe, Robert Bahrke, Williard Hoft, Jim Lindlief, Chuck Branstetter, Dick Watkins, Dale Sanderman.



First Row—Chuck O'Connor, Betty Darrow, Marilyn McLaughlin, Shirley Rubis, Majorie Hildreth, Donald Wert. **Second Row**—Jim Dickeson, Verline Espe, H. J. Winslow, Arnold Ogren, Glenn Beatty, Gilbert Johnson. **Third Row**—George Lamer, Stephen Nemeth, George Stevens, Jim Redman, Eldon Horsman.

Freshmen



First Row—Donna Davis, Pat Smidt, Phyllis Dahnke, Jo Ann Franzene, Joyce Hutzell, Joan Snyder, Gloria Linstrom.
Second Row—Richard Brooks, Bob Hoover, Grover Franklin, Ken Beatty, John Reiners, Dellmer Sly, Floyd Isebrands, Kan Trivitayakul. **Third Row**—Dean Day, Milton Bragg, Milan Bragg, Chuck Black, V. Southwick, Rodney Hunter, D. Ziemer.



First Row—Donna Stock, Janet McBride, Marilyn Rooks, Janene Lasher, JoAnn Buzzetti, Mardis Herron, Gloria Dorfner.
Second Row—Marguerite Schroeder, Marvin Miller, Dave Ford, John Peterson, Don Olson, Bernard Veehoff, James Buegger, Virginia Mauer. **Third Row**—Bill Snyder, John Toay, Rex Millhollin, Dick Carlberg, Ken Gregerson, Branch Ver Hoef, Les Lewis.

Freshmen



First Row—Beverly Bruggeman, Julia Hopkins, Delowa Willbrandt, Marciel Meyer, Donna Eng, Arda Flogstad. **Second Row**—Charlotte Lockey, Melvin Neppel, Donald Kamprath, James Nelson, Paul Olson, Ralph Neppel, Jacquelyn Triplett. **Third Row**—Marshall Holmes, John Graham, Donald Gries, Rodney Rausch, Lyle Minkler, Jon Francis.





We Widen Our Range Of Interests

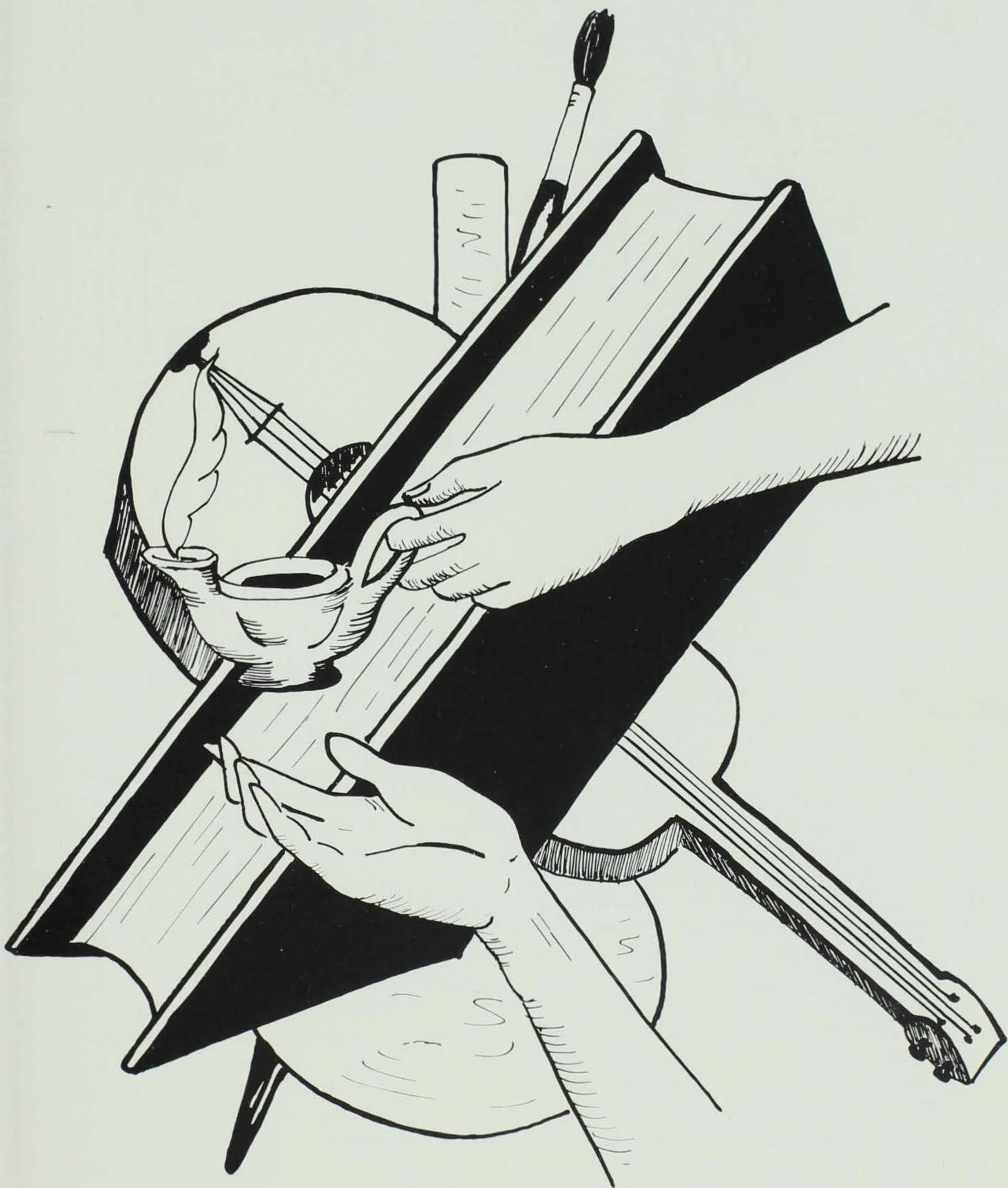
In addition to stressing scholastic attainment, Buena Vista College has various extra-curricular organizations which present opportunities of many interests for all students. These organizations are sources of culture as well as entertainment. A spirit of fellowship is fostered in groups of social, literary, dramatic, athletic, educational, or musical character. The Spanish Club creates a cosmopolitan feeling from the reading of modern Spanish stories. Techniques of teaching methods are discussed at the meeting of F.T.A. The International Relations Club has been very active with an obvious wealth of topics to discuss. Play production students confronted with actual production and direction problems achieve professional results. The symbol of unity between the church and the school can be seen in the Student Christian Fellowship organization. The debate squad in their active interests in current political and economical aspects of America represents the future well-informed voter and citizen.

Unique is the close friendship which exists be-

tween students and faculty members. Augmented by the student advisory system, the student council organization, and the informal atmosphere of Beaver Hall, this relationship becomes the most important force in B. V. life.

Every farsighted B. V. student is a worker. In his spare time he earns his meals, his tuition, or his books and pin money. He puts in time on or off the campus; and his duties range from shoveling sidewalks to waiting on customers in a clothing store. Often he is getting practical experience in his chosen profession as well as adjusting himself to society.

The inevitable choir-trip anecdotes, the original compositions of harmony classes, the informal roundtable-discussion art classes, the knee-knocking fear of that first speech, the mysterious (and odorous) atmosphere of third floor Science to all non-chemists—this is college life that develops and relaxes the students' minds. As a result, the students are well informed, having developed a broader understanding through activities.





First Row—Patricia Whiteside, Patricia Hagerstrand, Leatrice Spahn, Jacquelyn Schnirring, Jean Waisner, Doris Foell, Jean Hughes. **Second Row**—Joyce Wehmeyer, Eleanor Anderson, Phyllis Lehnhardt, Betty Lou Spindler, Helen Gaherty, Joan Snyder. **Third Row**—Susan Hudson, Joan Gaffney, Mary Dugan, Jo Ann Unger, Norma Pederson.

Phi Alpha Pi

The Phi Alpha Pi Sorority began its 1949-50 season with twelve active members, including Leatrice Spahn, Helen Gaherty, Betty Spindler, Jean Waisner, Pat Hagerstrand, Pat Whiteside, Jean Hughes, Pat Phipps, Jackie Schnirring, Joyce Wehmeyer, Pattie Dunn and Doris Foell. Looking forward to a bright and successful year, the girls accepted ten new pledges at its annual tea held during rush week at the E. H. Melcher home. "Hell-week" found the pledges dressed in clown costumes every day. Each had various rules to follow and certain duties to perform, such as having no dates all week and sweeping the gym floor during the half of a basketball game. Hell-week was climaxed by a lovely banquet held at the Bradford Hotel. The decorations, suited to the circus theme, included a miniature merry-go-round, some small animals, circus tents, balloons and confetti. At this banquet nine new members were initiated into the sorority in a very impressive ceremony. They were: Mary Dugan, Joan Snyder, Joan Gaffney, Marlene Larson, Susan Hudson, Joan

Unger, Eleanor Anderson, Phyllis Lehnhardt and Norma Pederson.

The Phi Alpha Pi have been very active this year in all the college activities. They have sponsored two successful school parties. One was a card party and the other a "jeans" dance. The sorority was represented at homecoming also, with a float and with Doris Foell as their queen candidate. Another activity in which the Phi Alpha Pi played an important part was their annual Pan Hellenic Christmas Formal dance held at the Cobblestone Ballroom. The theme, well carried out, was toy-land. A very important honor to the sorority was winning first prize at Stunt Night for its clever skit entitled "The Fleet's Inn". The Spring Pan Hellenic Formal dance concluded a very busy and successful year for the Phi Alpha Pi.

Two officers, Jackie Schnirring and Pat Hagerstrand, were lost at the end of the first semester. Officers during the second semester were as follows: Lea Spahn, president; Doris Foell, secretary; and Jean Waisner, treasurer. Mrs. T. P. Kuehl and Mrs. John Reed are the faculty sponsors.



First Row—Shirley Miller, Mary Allen, treasurer; Donna Nordstrom, president; Edna Thomas, Charlotte Locky, Delilah Romine. **Second Row**—Carol Carlsol, Phyllis Dahnke, Marlyss Biggins, Arlene Albers, Delowa Willbrandt, Marilyn Samuelson. **Third Row**—Jacquelyn Triplett, Donna Mooney, Marjorie Huseman, Marie Massop, Maxine Waldstein.

Delta Phi Beta

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

Activities began in the fall with Rush Week. At this time, a tea was given in the home of Mrs. Whiteside for the pledges, and a banquet was given for them in the Storm Lake Room of Cobblestone Inn. Homecoming was a big week-end for the “Betas” too. On Saturday noon before the game they had a luncheon at the Jes-Mil. The victory on the gridiron made the day complete for all concerned. The Christmas vacation was ushered in with the Pan-Hellenic formal dance, which was held at the Cobblestone. The “Betas” turned Irish

in the spring and paid homage to the good St. Pat with a banquet on St. Patrick’s day. Dan Cupid got a boost from the “Betas” when they held the all college Valentine Dance in Beaver Hall. John Naughton and Jacqueline Triplett were crowned king and queen of hearts. The active season was brought to a close in May when the “Betas” held their spring formal at Cobblestone.

The year began with Donna Nordstrom holding the reins as president. Phyllis Dahnke was vice-president, Edna Thomas was secretary, and Mary Allen was treasurer. But at the end of the first semester Edna left school when she became Mrs. Don Wattier, so the secretary position was left open. Arlene Albers was elected to fill the vacancy. At the time of her resignation Edna was the guest of honor at a farewell personal shower. Miss Ellen Kasberg and Mrs. Robert Otto are the sponsors.



First Row—Avonne Kruse, Norma Heick, Betty Boe, Elsie Korner, Glorianna Dorfner.

Second Row—Charlene Peterson, Delores Miller, Eleanor Britt, Joyce Ellwanger, June Ellwanger, Beverly Bruggerman, Barbara Spafford, Lillian Kelly.

Third Row—Eloise Beckfield, Betty Darrow, Margaret Gaffey, Ethel VanVickle, Margaret Forey, Marilyn Rooks, Bonnie Omtvedt, Dorothy Moline, Betty McKinstry.

Fourth Row—Patricia Clark, Donna Eng, Irene Wells, Joyce Hutzell, Lillian Bruhn, Glenyss Pack, Helen Becker, Mona Lawlor.



First Row—Carol Kladstrup, Patricia Smidt, Norma Spiegel, Marguerite Schroeder, Elaine Leonard.

Second Row—Ila Engler, Betty Jacobs, Myra Haradon, Sec., Bonnie Harrell, Reporter; Dee Ann Carlson, Pres., Lois Kretzinger, V.-Pres.; Fern Arnett, Beverly Green.

Third Row—Bonnie Bezoni, Jo Ann Buzzetti, Ione Whitehouse, Joanne Lovejoy, Joanne Fobes, Geraldine Drennen, Marilyn Culver, Margaret Kiley, Mary Beth Christenson.

Fourth Row—Norma Harder, Joan Smith, Jo Ann Zwiefel, Rosella Madsen, Catherine Farnsworth, Lovonne Petty, Helen Lovrien, La Donna Beckfield.

Entre Nous

The Entre Nous this year have been guided by Dee Ann Carlson, president; Lois Kretzinger, vice-president; Myra Haradon, secretary; Barbara Staley, treasurer; and Bonnie Harrell, reporter. There were twenty-three members at the beginning of the year. Their sponsors were Miss Bertha Supplee and Miss Alberta Dwelle. They were graciously supported by their patronesses, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Van Voorhis, and Mrs. Yon. Forty-seven new members were added.

The meetings this year were varied. The annual tea was held at Mrs. Yon's on October 5th. This was followed by the formal pledging which took place October 24th at the Christian church. At this meeting Mrs. Avis Harrell became an honorary member.

Sadie Hawkins Week was sponsored by the Entre Nous and turned out to be "good fun for all." Two hundred persons attended the Christmas formal dance at Cobblestone Ballroom on December 2.

Spanish Club

We in America have been very fortunate. Since the time when we won our independence in 1776, we have enjoyed a steady increase in prosperity and security. This is not just a natural happening. We have worked for the things we have. And we have done something else too. We have learned to get along with our neighbors both to the north and to the south. We might ask how this has helped us to prosper and win for ourselves the position we hold in the world today. The answer is simple. Unlike the European countries, we have nearly always been on good terms with our neighbors. This has several advantages. First, there is not that constant distrust and fear that at any time an enemy army may be marching across our borders to create havoc. For this reason, we can continue in the same way year after year to expand in industry and security. Another thing advantageous about good relations is that trade may be set up between the countries. This too increases our standard of living as well as that of those with which we

deal. Perhaps the greatest reason for the need of friendly terms is that we learn to respect and admire the culture and language of our neighbors through an understanding of the people.

One of the best places to promote an understanding of our neighboring countries is in our universities and colleges. For this reason the Spanish Club was organized at Buena Vista last year. The educated people of a country are its greatest assets, and if the people are educated to the fact that Central and South America are our dearest friends, then we have learned a great secret to success. The Spanish Club has succeeded in teaching its members this. Through study, observation of happenings in the Americas and reading Spanish literature, they have discovered how to live in peace and harmony with these people.

The president of the club is Marco Salerno, whose home incidentally is Panama. Ila Engler is vice-president, Jo Ann Buzzetti is secretary-treasurer, and Norma Salveson is public relations chairman.

First Row—Norma Salveson, Public Relations; Joan Buzzetti, Sec.-Treas.; Marco Salerno, Pres.; Ila Engler, Vice-Pres.; Jean Waisner. **Second Row**—Prof. Antonio Ramirez, Rosella Madsen, James Rukes, Lloyd Nelson, Joanne Lovejoy.



Alpha Psi Omega



First Row—Kaye Miller, Shirley Miller, Sec.; Joan Lovejoy, Jean Waisner, Jean Hughes.

Second Row—Prof. Ruth Lathrop, Norbert Sauter, Clayton Liggett, Bus. Mgr.; Russell Dreosch, Prof. Gladys Kuehl.

Third Row—Helen Gaherty, Director; Fred Wessendorf, Donna Nordstrom, Doris Foell.

The purpose of the Chi cast of Alpha Psi Omega is to stimulate interest in dramatics in Buena Vista College, to secure, for the college, all the advantages, and mutual helpfulness provided by a large national honorary fraternity. By means of electing students to membership, Alpha Psi Omega serves as a reward for their worth efforts in participating in the plays staged by the dramatic organization of the college. The Chi cast was not organized to take the place of the B.V. Players, our Dramatic Club.

Alpha Psi Omega had its beginning in Acadia College, Wolfville, Nova Scotia, Canada, in 1924. In 1925, the B.V. Players received a letter from the Delta cast at Acadia asking them to consider membership in the new honorary dramatic fraternity. The fraternity was approved by the administration of Buena Vista and Buena Vista became the fifth college in North America to enter in the fraternal fellowship.

At first the Chi cast's initiation was on the level

of social fraternities and sororities. As the years progressed, the initiation became the more formal one it is today. Pledges are required to learn the Greek alphabet and to recite portions of Shakespeare's "Hamlet."

This year the active membership of the Chi cast is twelve. The pledging service is conducted at the spring banquet. Invitation to membership is based on a point system according to major and minor play parts one has participated in, and the number of different fields of play production worked on.

The major productions produced this year were: "Gold in The Hills" and "Mr. Pim Passes By" directed by Professor Ruth H. Lathrop. Professor Lathrop also produced an Easter production "For He Had Great Possessions."

Officers for the 1949-50 collegiate year were: Grand Director, Helen Gaherty; Grand Business Manager, Clayton Liggett; Grand Playwright, Shirley Miller; and Grand Faculty Sponsor, Professor Gladys Kuehl.

B. V. Players

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-five 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 chapel and the club room on third floor of Old Main have been greatly improved this year. All of the stage equipment has been put into the best of condition so we can produce all our plays on our own stage. Professors Kuehl and Lathrop are the sponsors.

First Row—Joyce Hansen, Janet Anderson, Dee Ann Carlson, Doris Foell, Geraldine Drennen, Phyllis Dahnke, Mary Allen, Jean Hughes.

Second Row—Shirley Miller, Bonnie Bezoni, Coral Clark, Bonnie Harrell, Delores Graybill, Helen Gaherty, Fern Arnett.

Third Row—Patricia Clark, Mary Beth Christensen, Ila Engler, JoAnn Buzzetti, Betty Darrow, Irene McAlpine.



First Row—Douglas Oleson, Leslie Licklider, Robert Bargman, Fred Wessendorf, Mike Pappadackis, Lester Lewis.

Second Row—Mrs. Norma Salveson, Delilah Romine, Charlotte Lockey, Russell Dreosch; Treas., Donna Nordstrom; V.-Pres., Harold Engen; Pres., Joan Lovejoy; Historian, Patricia Hagerstrand; Sec., Betty Spindler, Kaye Miller.

Third Row—Rosella Madsen, Clayton Liggett, Robert Woody, Jim Ulum, Robert MacDowell, Don Oberlander, James Rukes; Reporter, Miss Ruth Lathrop, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl.

Fourth Row—Mona Lawlor, Jean Waisner, James Skaar, Keith Miller, Norbert Sauter, Roger Riley, Joseph Duncan, Irene Wells, Edna Thomas.





First Row—Helen Gaherty, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl, Edna Thomas.

Second Row—Ed Rosenhauer, Graydon Hansen, Clair Abbott, Fred Wessendorf.

Third Row—Lloyd Nelson, Norbert Sauter, Roy Gray.

International Relations Club

Keeping abreast with the times is an important mission in the life of the college student. The study and discussion of current problems, especially those of an international nature should be an important educational activity on any campus.

During the past year, the International Relations Club has worked in conjunction with the Discussion and Debate Class in the study of our foreign policy in the Orient. The economic conditions in the Far East with especial emphasis on China and India were thoroughly studied and provided the crux of the discussion in a number of tournaments in which members participated.

The Women's Governing Board is composed of girls chosen from the various women's organizations of the campus. Mrs. LaFoy, Dean of Women, serves as the advisor.

The board has a two-fold purpose—that of governing and that of sponsoring social activities. It will also be the duty of the board to establish rules and regulations for the new girls' dormitory.

The traditional Yule Log services for college women in the president's home was sponsored by the board. The candle which has been used since the first Yule Log ceremony was used to light the old Yule Log.

Women's Governing Board



Jacquelyn Triplett, Leatrice Spahn, Beverly Green, Lorna Bailey, Prof. Phoebe LaFoy, Betty McKinstrey.

First Row—Madsen, Salveson, S. Miller, Waisner, McKinstry, K. Miller, Whiteside, Gaherty, Prof. T. P. Kuehl.

Second Row—Pitts, LaRue, Miller, Theiss, Ulum, Olson, Lewarne, McKenna, Grapenthin.

Third Row—Moritz, Utter, Abbot, Tostensen, Swanson, Sauter, Schnirring, Wessendorf, Swanson, Satory.



First Row—Mohr, Meyer, Wohlers, Ellwanger, Lovrien, Nordstrom, Omtvedt, Bailey, Spafford, Miss Opal Roark.

Second Row—Pederson, Massop, Leonard, Christensen, Schroeder, Smith, Van Vickie, Lehnhardt, Moline, Murphy, Menke, Smidt.

Third Row—Lawlor, Triplett, Whitehouse, Smith, Oatman, Wells, Lasher, Peck, Stock, Stoup, Lindstrom.



First Row—Franzene, Ellwanger, Forey, Hughes, Beckfield, Biggins, Carlson.

Second Row—Romine, Davis, Green, Kladstrup, Eng, Kruse, Flogstad, Kelly, Foell, Hughes, Roark, Bunker.

Third Row—Samuelson, Bridges, Allen, Kiley, Culver, Locky, Challand, Darrow, Graybill, Hutzell, Johnson, Harder, Mooney, Buxton.

Fourth Row—Rooks, Carlson, Dahnke, Bradford, Drennen, Dugan, Harrell, Clark, Kretzinger, Fobes, Bezoni, Dorflier, Albers.



Future Teachers of America

The Future Teachers of America, a club for the benefit of prospective teachers, is one of the largest on the campus. It consists of 160 members. This organization has received outstanding recognition for its large enrollment including both state and national membership. This year the F.T.A. boasts more secondary teachers than ever before, the majority still being elementary, however. The fac-

ulty sponsors are Professor Opal Roark and Professor T. P. Kuehl, and the officers include Donna Nordstrom, president; Fred Lawson, vice-president; Patricia Clark, treasurer; Lorna Bailey, secretary; Bonnie Omtvedt, reporter; Helen Lovrien, librarian and Joyce Ellwanger, scrapbook. The F.T.A. meets once every month on the third Monday of the month.

Sigma Tau Delta



First Row—Edna Thomas, Leatrice Spahn, Ruth Morrice, Helen Gaherty, Kaye Miller.
Second Row—Rosella Madsen, Alfred Schlorholtz, Lowell Wilbur, Russell Dreosch, Prof. G. Kuehl.
Third Row—Prof. John Reed, Ed Rosenhauer, Norman Swanson, Prof. Bertha Supplee.

Sigma Tau Delta is the only professional fraternity on the campus. Established in 1938, the English fraternity has grown in renown and is today one of the most exclusive organizations on the campus. Only those who have a particular interest in English are admitted. In other words English majors, minors or teachers of English comprise its membership.

The purpose of Sigma Tau Delta is the advancement of appreciation of English by the study of the masterpieces, the encouragement of worthwhile reading, working toward the mastery of written expression, and the expression of a mutual interest by the members in the language and literature in the language.

The past year has been devoted to the reading and study of Iowa authors. A portion of each of the monthly meetings was dedicated to this purpose

as well as the perusal of the works of the great authors of our time and those of the past. The fraternity's motto of truth, sincerity and design are expressed in every undertaking.

Two activities sponsored by the fraternity open to all students are the creative writing contest and stunt night. Creative writing includes any original work of the students in poetry or prose. The winners of the divisions are published in the BEAVER LOG and the NU DELTA, the fraternity's booklet. Stunt night is purely entertainment. Each organization as well as individuals may participate, and prizes are awarded to the winners.

This year there were 20 members and 6 apprentices. These apprentices were officially installed at the spring banquet which was held at the Bradford Hotel in May.

Sigma Tau Delta Creative Writing Contest

Randolph

Mrs. Joy Johnson, sophomore, Storm Lake, Iowa

Winner of first place in prose division

Randolph was an old man when I slipped into his life. I am not going to relate all the circumstances and details of how I happened to find myself living next door to him in the little town of Sheldahl, Iowa. That would be a story about me, and it is Randolph whom I want the story to be about; a story of what as a child of twelve I perceived in him. Youth perceives, but only age comprehends. Even now I understand too little and know that only in the final years of my own life will I be able to at least feel that I really knew him.

A description of Randolph seems unimportant. His physical appearance was the most unimpressive part of him. Vaguely I remember a tall straight figure, shoulders rounded, very little hair, covered most of the time with a black derby that he wore so proudly, and last of all those merry, merry blue eyes. This is all I remember of Randolph, living in a small world he created; a small world he never ventured out of. In his world I found a home, a garden and his store. Sheldahl was only fifteen miles from Des Moines, but he hadn't been there but twice in his life. To a child of twelve this was beyond understanding. I felt so sorry for him and made several very special attempts to instigate short trips that I thought he would enjoy. How he must have, with chuckling wisdom viewed my generosity. He told me once that he would feel crowded if he went to Des Moines. I didn't understand, but he assured me some day I would. I do understand now, and I often wonder too if his own little world didn't get pretty crowded with all the partakers of a generous nature that never said no to any favor asked of it. Randolph believed that one's good deeds were never any farther away than the length of their arms. He would caution me never to look beyond my finger tips for fear of missing my share.

I just can't describe Randolph's store with words. There are not words crooked enough to describe the winding pathways between the tables and counters, nor words scrambled enough to describe the utter disarrangement. Everything just happened to end up in its present place. It was a historical accident too, because one had an acute sense of the past when one glanced around. It peered at you from the shoe department, in the advertising and signs that only age makes unique and different to the modern observer. Every table was piled high with hats, trousers and jackets, and

the deeper one dug into the pile, the farther one went into the past. At the bottom I found styles of thirty years ago. Yes, Randolph's store would have startled all the theories and laws out of any economist. Randolph too defied even those laws they hadn't discovered. The candy counter reminded me of a huge candy dish that everyone poked their fingers into every time they went by. Anyone who paid a fifty cent bill received along with a "thank you" a portion of candy that made the payer still, in the last analysis, the debtor. In the business cage of ancient latticed iron bars I found the compartments where the charge account books were kept. The ones upside down designated those who had left town with an unpaid grocery bill. Randolph turned them up without even a sigh of lost faith in humanity. In spite of his failure in the world of economy, he maintained a lovely home, raised and educated three children and could have retired in security.

I always managed my own specified duties so that they never interfered with my walks to and from the store with Randolph. Coming home was always the most fun. Just before we'd leave, he would gather a few weiners, cut off a few pieces of cheese and select a few cookies. We would stuff all of this in our pockets and start out. About this time you could visualize all the dogs going to their accustomed spots for the wait. It may have been due to their intelligence or merely to their power of association, but you could depend on their being present. Everyone said that he could tell by the behavior of his dogs within five minutes of when to expect Randolph to pass by. As we passed along the way, each dog received his share of the treasure and a few minutes for the exchange of affectionate greetings. It was an experience I never tired of. Somehow Randolph gave it a new aspect to consider every time we made the trip.

After supper we always milked the cow. He carried the milk stool, and I'd carry the milk pail and away we would go in quest of the cow. She was always in the farthest corner of the pasture but we'd pretend that a walk was just what we needed. He'd settle down beside the cow and start milking. At any time the cow wished to move, she did, with no apologies. We'd just patiently follow her around until she found a pleasing spot of grass, and Randolph would start milking again. The first time I witnessed this procedure I was

startled by its uniqueness. It just wasn't ordinary to wander with a cow all over a pasture. The cow on the other hand never seemed to take advantage of the consideration. Gradually I sensed Randolph's great patience with all that he contacted. He had a constant superfluity of it, which he seemed to be serenely unaware of. Any time during the day when he was cutting weeds in the pasture, the cow stayed close by. There was a definite bond of friendship between them. I knew even then Randolph was different from anyone else I had known. I sometimes wonder if animals do not know more about this difference than man does. One could make a list of all the good traits humanity has ever tagged with a name. One could place a mark in Randolph's favor after each one, and do this for a thousand other good people too, but in the end there was still that last unknowable quality that we all intuitively know but never reason beyond. Perhaps there are a few concepts men haven't named. Probably it is just as well for the concept would become corrupted through man's mortal interpretation.

The routine of his life never varied. At any time of the day I knew where I'd find him, the particular task he'd be occupied with. To be with him, I had to seek him out. His pathway never crossed with ours but all of us seemed bent on changing ours to cross with his. A part of every day was spent in the garden. The best way I could describe it is by describing everyone else's and then adding as an afterthought that his wasn't like that. Most gardens always look to me like the results of futile efforts to deter nature from her true course. Every little weed and excess blade of grass is being constantly imposed upon and suppressed in its desire for its nestling spot, that the wind gave to it with squatter's rights. Randolph's garden wasn't

like that. He made a truce with nature and they compromised. There were just enough weeds and grass scattered throughout to satisfy nature, and in turn the weeds just moved over and made room for the vegetables. We worked in the garden but we never labored. I always could find a nook in it I didn't remember being in before. The garden covered a large area, with shade trees, lilac bushes and fruit trees being a part of it. At one end, separating it from the adjoining corn field were the grape vines. This enabled one to be lost in the protection of the garden at one moment and the next moment lost in the vast open horizons of the open fields, all depending on which side of the vines you were on. Randolph never put snoods on the fruit trees. He told me that had it been meant for us to have the cherries on top they would have been within an easier reach. The squirrels played hide-and-seek all over the garden, chattering incessantly, holding a conference with nature over the progress of the walnut trees. Rabbits nibbled within a foot of where Randolph hoed. I sat at a respectful distance perceiving Randolph in the little world I had placed him in. Even then I had a strange whispering inkling of the difficulty of attaining a world like this. His world isn't small to me now, as I view it through the perspective of time. Gently I feel a faint nostalgia, a fleeting second of sunset, a squirrel disappearing around the trunk of a tree, the fathomless eyes of an adoring dog, a chord or maybe several in a melody. Randolph has been away many years. He left no great works to be reviewed by critics. His life is left to be simply remembered, and his goodness to be relived by his friends, who learned through his examples the qualities that are the salt of the earth. Is not this the greatest life?

Roberta

Clayton Liggett, sophomore, Spirit Lake, Iowa

Winner of first place in poetry division

As the morning gently wakens,
And the horns begin to blow;
I walk into the lifting fog,
I'm lonely—I loved her so.

Roberta

The lifting fog is dense—still dense,
And I—I seem to be alone;
Alone within a closing room,
Alone—she's gone, she's gone alone.

Roberta

It seems to me so strange somehow,
But yet, there is a reason;
God only—only God,
Can tell me why he had to call . . .

Roberta

Perhaps it's how she sweetly sang,
Or how she spoke a prayer;
I know not why, nor how, nor where,
I only know God called . . .

Roberta



First Row—John Naughton, William Klinker, Everett Grapenthin, Carmen Ness, John Poulson, Don Castle, John Nickelson, Dick Utter, Casey Genther, Roger Jorgensen, Gary Corey. **Second Row**—Dick Baker, Oliver Vogt, Thomas Gaines, Wayne Jespersen, John Sparapany, Jim Rhode, Bill Saylor, Arthur Nowack, Wayne Roepke, Bill Thieman, Coach Blackman, Coach Winter. **Third Row**—Coach Otto, Lon Francis, Bob Buman, Roland Dawson, Gerry Miller, Dale Young, Glen Stablefeld, Paul White, Gerald Gerber, Bob Lee. **Fourth Row**—Jim Fanning, George Jacobs, Don Carlson, Omer Mullen, Bob Powell, Jerry Speck, Richard Wenger, Frank Miller, Dave Ford, Virgil Pitham, Gordon McKinstry. **Fifth Row**—Francis Tuttle, Waldo Johnson, Dwight Maaske, Bill Toohey, Norman Theiss, Dick Beck, G. Driscoll, G. LeWarne.

Lettermen's Club

The Buena Vista College Lettermen's Club is one of the most energetic groups on the campus. When it undertakes a project you may rest assured that the job will be done in fine fashion.

The group finished its fourth annual independent basketball tournament in which the entire club membership participated. Some members refereed, others ran the concessions, and still others sold tickets and acted as ushers. The proceeds from the events are used to purchase letter jackets for the graduating club members. This year's successful tournament was under the guidance of Norman Theiss and Glenn Driscoll.

The lettermen conduct their annual parties in the same efficient manner in which they have promoted the tournaments for the past four years. The yearly banquet and dances staged by the athletic group reflect the care used and the enthusiasm shown by the club. These events are anxiously awaited by all who usually attend them.

While other groups are equally effective in their own ways, we think that no one holds an upper hand on the Lettermen when it comes to getting things done. They have had another successful year and will continue to be leaders in campus activities.



First Row—Dee Ann Carlson, Prof. Reed, Doris Foell, Ruth Morrice.

Second Row—Lloyd Nelson, David Olson, Harold Engen, Omer Mullen, Ed Rosenhauer.

Third Row—Bill Thieman, Graydon Hanson, Clair Abbott, Bradley Peters.

1950 Beaver Log Staff

The nucleus of the 1949-'50 Log Staff came into existence in April, 1949. At this time Professor Reed, the faculty advisor of the publication, with permission from the faculty, bestowed the positions of editor-in chief and assistant editor on Ed Rosenhauer and Lloyd Nelson. Shortly after this step came the appointment of students to the various departments of the organization. David Olson assumed the financial obligations as business manager, Clair Abbott shouldered the responsibilities of the literary department, Ruth Morrice became art editor, and Bill Thieman utilized his knowledge of athletics by heading the athletic division. The staff was then bolstered by the addition of Tom Gaines, Willie Schnirring, Betty McKinstry, Doris Foell,

Dee Ann Carlson, Janet Anderson, Harold Engen, John Gannon, Omer Mullen, Bradley Peters, and Les Licklider, who contributed their services to the production of the Log.

Action began in the spring of '49 with the choosing of the cover, the type of paper to be used, and the theme. Then, with the start of the '49-'50 school year, came the task of assigning write-ups, the choosing of the theme of the art work and the endless job of picture taking. By the end of the first semester most of the faculty and class pictures had been taken and had been arranged in one of the two "dummies" as they would appear in the final edition. Everything was kept to a strict schedule.

Tack Staff

Under the able direction of Professors Kermit Buntrock and John Barbour, the journalism class of the college published its newspaper, the TACK, bi-monthly throughout each school term. Meeting the deadline with up-to-the-minute copy was a huge job for the small staff, which included a few volunteers other than the regular class members.

The TACK, in addition to being read by Beaver students, was sent to many colleges and universities on the exchange list as well as to a large number of high schools, both in Iowa and other states. One thousand copies were printed on each publication date by the Storm Lake Register and Pilot-Tribune newspaper plant.

More pictures were used by the TACK in 1950 than in any previous year, which dates back farther than any other tradition on the Buena Vista campus.

Feature articles became more numerous in the past year also. Stories of this type acquainted the

students with the teaching experiences of Dr. Smith, the attraction Buena Vista College has for faraway students, President Olson's direction of the Beaver institution, activities of the bookstore, and even some hints on dating as well as facts on governmental affairs.

The TACK endeavored to get complete coverage of all college activities, but due to the lack of space and time, many had to be satisfied with little space occasionally. Sports activities, editorials, dramatic productions, chapel exercises, scholastic achievements, social events, and debate and musical presentations received regular write-ups throughout the issues.

The staff, headed by Editor Willie Schnirring and Business Manager Jack Beckel, was blessed with its own linotype operator, Don Oberlander, and a fine photographer, Harry Wishard, in addition to some fine writers.

First Row—Ila Engler, Norma Salveson, William Schnirring, Dee Ann Carlson, Bonnie Omtvedt.

Second Row—Jack Beckel, Harry Wishard, Don Oberlander, Roland Martin.

Third Row—Bill Thieman, Les Licklider, Prof. Kermit Buntrock.



Student Christian Fellowship



First Row—Alveda Johnson, Mrs. John Barbour, Arda Lee Flogstad, Carol Kladstrup, Joyce Ellwanger, June Ellwanger, Donna Eng, Virginia Buxton, Lorna Bailey. **Second Row**—Ruth Morrice, Peggy Schlorholtz, Dolores Graybill, Ethel Van Vickle, Bonnie Omtvedt, Janene Lasher, Joyce Hutzell, Margaret Bridges, Marion Dumelow. **Third Row**—Prof. William B. Grobe, Mike Pappadaikis, Bill Horsman, John Reiners, Alfred Schlorholtz, Frank Mather, Willard Holf, Dorothy Menke.

The Student Christian Fellowship is a voluntary organization, a chapter of Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship which is an organization that serves young people of similar interests in colleges and universities around the world. The organization has its foundation in the knowledge of Christ as a personal Savior and His redemptive ministry which transcends creeds or religious divisions. This year, students from eleven different denominational backgrounds have participated in the activities of the group.

The regular activities of this year have included daily prayer for group participation, a weekly Bible study, and a devotional meeting each Tuesday evening. Discussions, chalk talks, and Bible studies

with special speakers and music constitute some of the varied materials included in the programs. The fourth meeting of each month was reserved for wholesome recreational activity. Special occasional programs were arranged for the chapel on Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter, Mother's Day and Dad's Day. Cooperation in the planning and execution of Consecration Week was another special project of the group. Gospel teams went to churches in the large surrounding area served by the college. Another enjoyable activity for the Student Christian Fellowship and their sponsor, Professor William Grobe, was Christmas caroling for the aged and the shut-ins.

Consecration Week

DAILY PROGRAM

January 30—February 3, 1950

Monday

9:35—"How Do You Find Peace?"..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... President Olson
5:45—Faculty Pot-Luck Supper
7:30—"Every Man's Life a Plan of God"
..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Dean Wesselink

Tuesday

9:40—"Who Is This Jesus?"..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Dean Stille
2:00-4:00—Personal Conferences
7:30—"How Do You Find God's Plan?"
..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Donna Nordstrom
8:45—Informal Discussion For All College
Women..... Beaver Hall
Leader..... Mrs. LaFoy

Wednesday

9:35—"Who Is a Christian? I"..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Dee Ann Carlson
7:30—"Facing Marriage"..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Alfred Schlorholtz
8:45—Informal Discussion For All College
Men..... Beaver Hall
Leader..... Prof. Graham

Thursday

9:35—"Who Is a Christian? II"..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... John Toay
2:00-4:00—Personal Conferences
7:30—"The Challenge of the Unreached"
..... Dr. Smith
Leader..... Ruth Morrice
8:45—Informal Discussion For All College
Leader..... Rev. Grobe

Friday

9:35—"The Lordship of Christ"..... Dr. Smith
Consecration Service
Leader..... Rev. Grobe



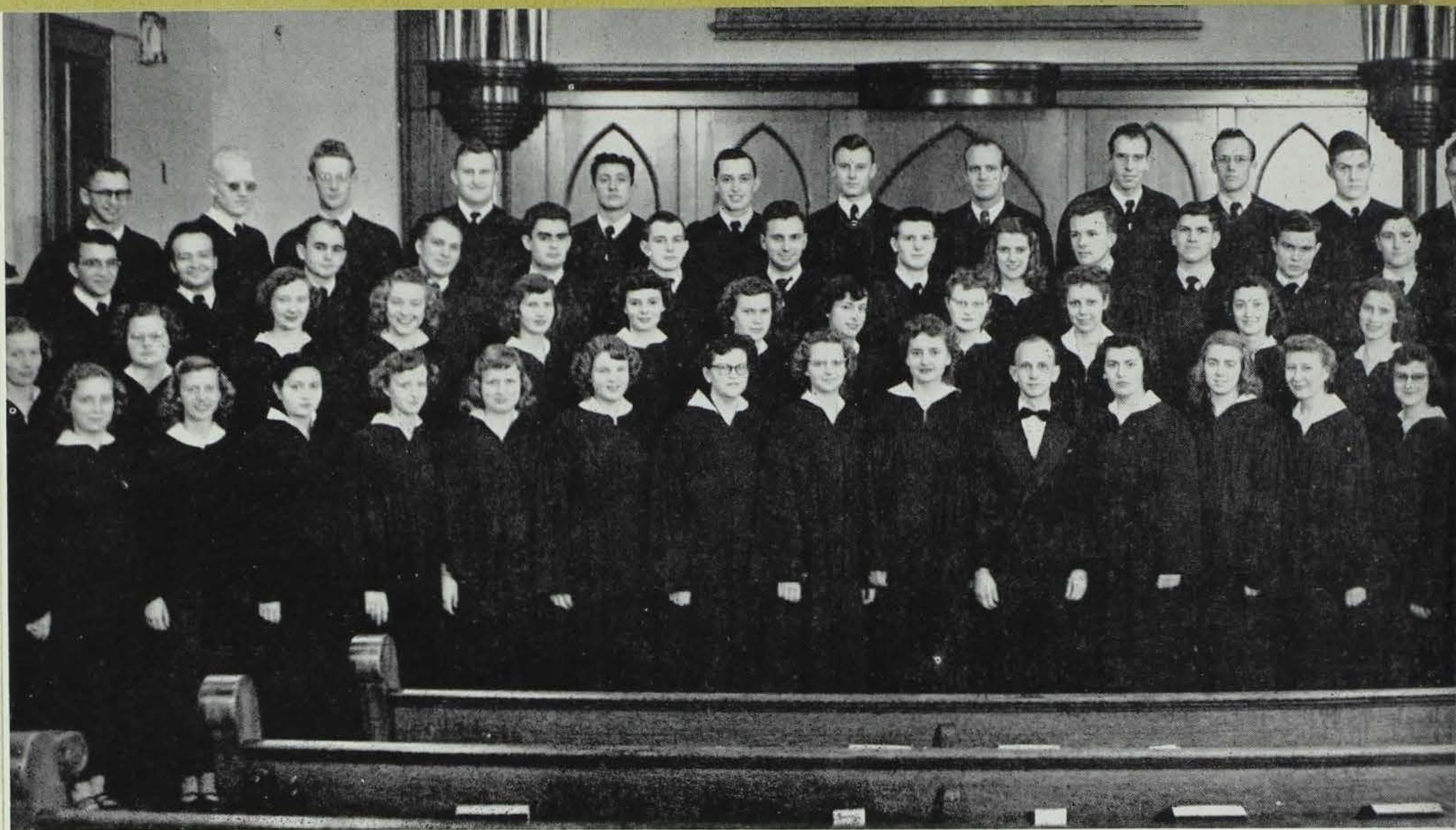
Rev. W. Robert Smith, Th.D.
Dubuque University

Consecration Week is a period when special emphasis is placed upon the spiritual development of our lives. Each year the administration, the faculty, the students, and the community unite in this special week of services to re-think and evaluate their relationships to the Creator, the Savior and Lord of life. The college schedule is adjusted to give the students a lighter assignment load, the class periods are shortened, and other activities are reduced to a minimum.

This year, the regular chapel period was lengthened to provide a fifty-minute chapel period each morning. The morning services were held in Lakeside Presbyterian Church thus giving the entire student body the privilege of worshiping together in the quietness of a dignified sanctuary. Each evening, services were held in the college chapel and the meetings of various informal discussion groups following the evening services completed the well-rounded schedule for each day.

Dr. W. Robert Smith, head of the Department of Philosophy of Dubuque University, was the speaker for the week. His sincerity, convictions, and logical approach won the consistent interest and respect of those who attended the meetings.

The program for Consecration Week was arranged by the Student Christian Fellowship and the faculty and student leaders cooperated wholeheartedly in the fulfilling of the plans and in the leading of the various services.



A Cappella Choir

The Buena Vista College A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Professor John N. Maharg, is composed of over sixty men and women chosen last fall from more than one hundred applicants. This organization had its beginning in 1929 and since then has rapidly grown in size and technical achievement.

In all their many rehearsals and fine concerts these singers work to uphold the three purposes to which the choir is dedicated:

1. To sing the great religious music with artistry and simplicity.
2. To train choral leaders.
3. To foster and encourage finer music in the churches.

Because of these high aims, the choir has made itself one of the most popular organizations on the campus.

Last fall immediately following choir tryouts and the announcement of the personnel, their first act was to elect the following choir officers: Wayne Straight, President; Jack Wood, Vice-president; and Jean Hughes, Secretary. Russell Donaldson was later appointed librarian.

All of the work during the first semester was pointed toward the Christmas Concert, December 14, at the Lakeside Presbyterian Church. A capacity audience attended and were thrilled by the choir's presentation of a varied program of Christmas songs. Outstanding numbers in this concert included "Blessing, Glory, Wisdom, and Thanks" by J. S. Bach, William Billings' "A Spotless Rose" with a solo by Vera Franzene, and Christmas spiritual, "Go Tell It on the Mountain" with Alfred Schlorholtz as tenor soloist. All three of these were retained for the spring concert.

Intensive work and many extra hours of rehearsal were necessary to prepare a program suitable for the spring tour in the short time between Christmas vacation and March 26th. Tour concerts were presented at Des Moines, Newton, and Rockwell City, and week-end concerts were sung later in Hawarden, Meriden, Estherville, and Spencer.

The home concert on May 1st consisted of essentially the same program used on tour. Favorites of this group were: J. S. Bach's "All Breathing Life", "Soon Ah Will Be Done", "The Lily" by Professor David Plank, and "A Mighty Fortress."



First Row—Mona Lawlor, Shirley Miller, Prof. Eileen Maharg, Donna Mooney, Eloise Beckfield, Eleanor Anderson, Velma Oatman, JoAnne Franzene, Marguerite Schroeder, Prof. John Maharg, Irene Wells, Lillian Bruhn, LaDonna Beckfield, Donna Stock, Marie Massop, Vera Franzene, Delilah Romine, Jean Hughes.

Second Row—Margaret Gaffey, Marilyn Samuelson, Mary Allen, Bonnie Omtvedt, Doris Foell, Lois Kretzinger, Carol Kladstrup, Betty Spindler, Phyllis Lehnhardt, Bonnie Harrell, Phyllis Dahnke, Joanne Lovejoy, Joyce Hansen, Janet Anderson, Ione Whitehouse, Patricia Clark, Patricia Dunn.

Third Row—Mike Pappadackis, Lester Lewis, Rodney Satory, Richard Baker, Prof. Richard Landes, John Toay, James Skaar, Dean Stille, Mary Dugan, John Wood, John Graham, Dale Sanderman, Ed Rosenhauer, Thomas Rosenberger, Wayne Straight.

Fourth Row—Reynard Satory, Franklin Mather, Thomas Patten, Alfred Schlorholtz, James Rukes, Keith Miller, Floyd Schlorholtz, Gordon LeWarne, Robert MacDowell, Robert Woody, James Buenger, Kenneth Gregerson, Prof. David Plank, Russell Donaldson, Richard Watkins.

Program

Buena Vista A Cappella Choir Spring Concert 1950

PART I

O Vos Omnes *Tomas Luis Da Vittoria*
(sung in Latin)

Three Psalms *Heinrich Schütz*
(sung in German)

Psalm XX The Lord shall hear thee in distress

Psalm CXXI I lift mine eyes in eager love

Psalm XCVII The Lord is King o'er land and sea

Blessing, Glory, Wisdom and Thanks *Johann Sebastian Bach*
(anthem for double chorus)

All breathing life, sing and praise ye the Lord *Johann Sebastian Bach*
(from the Motet "Sing Ye to the Lord")

PART II

Go not far from me, O God *Nicola Zingarelli*

Father Most Holy *F. Melius Christiansen*

Mary Magdalene *Johannes Brahms*

Russian Easter Carol of the Trees *arr. by Harvey Gaul*

PART III

Dark Water *Will James*

Go Tell It on the Mountains *arr. by J. W. Work*

Sinner, Please Don't Let This Harvest Pass *arr. by Wayne Howorth*

Soon Ah Will Be Done *arr. by William L. Dawson*

PART IV

A Spotless Rose *Herbert Howells*

O Brother Man *Harold E. Darke*

The Lily *David Plank*

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God *arr. by Carl F. Mueller*



First Row—Richard Watkins, Reynard Satory, Wayne Straight, Lester Lewis, Rodney Satory, Thomas Rosenberger, Dale Sanderman, Prof. David Plank. **Second Row**—Gordon LeWarne, Keith Miller, James Skaar, Dean Stille, John Toay, Russell Donaldson, John Wood, Kenneth Gregerson, Robert MacDowell.

Men's Ensemble

This is only the third year of activities for the Men's Ensemble, but they are well established as a popular and talented musical organization. Mr. Plank relieved Mr. Maharg as director, becoming the third director in as many years. They started the year with six of the original members: Jim Skaar, Dean Stille, Russell Donaldson, Robert MacDowell, Gordon LeWarne, and Robert Woody; however, Mr. Woody was lost by graduation at mid-term. This was the second year for Jack Wood, Rey Satory, and Wayne Straight, and the rest are "rookies."

In their matching gray sport coats with maroon accessories, this group is recognized all over north-west Iowa because of their many appearances at high schools and organizational meetings. These "Brothers in Song" appeared with Buena Vista College Band in concerts at Hayes, Schaller, Gilmore City and Plover high schools and gave performances alone in Paullina, Sanborn, Calumet, Estherville, Early, Quimby, Laurens and Albert City, as well as on the choir tour. They have given programs for various organizations in Storm Lake and have broadcasted over radio stations KAYL and KICD. The Buena Vista College Radio Work-

shop also uses their record of the Alma Mater as their theme on weekly programs.

The Men's Ensemble, or "Plank's Vaudeville Troupe," as they call themselves, have a varied, although not particularly classical repertoire. Of the songs, "MacNamara's Band," "Me and My Shadow," "So's I Can Write My Name," "Jesus Tender Shepherd," and "Dry Bones" were among the most popular. Tom Rosenberger and Dale Sanderman sang frequent solos, and the ensemble and soloists were accompanied on various numbers by Mr. Landes, Doug Oleson and Dale Sanderman on the piano, and Don Hintz on the string bass.

A popular feature of their programs were the various acts performed by different members between groups of songs. The "Mixed Quartette," Doug Oleson's "piano solo" of "Humoresque," the mysterious "Swami Act" and the dramatic reading of "Dangerous Dan McGrew" offered variety and were well received by every audience.

Mr. Plank and the Ensemble feel that they have had a successful year and are confident that in the future the group will continue to maintain their high standards and reputation for providing good musical entertainment.

Band

The 1949-50 Beaver Band is the largest and finest in the history of Buena Vista College. Although many were graduated from last year's aggregation, new and former members have combined to produce a musical organization with fuller instrumentation and greater versatility under the direction of Professor Richard Landes.

As a marching band they performed at all football games, giving color to the occasions and increasing the enthusiasm of the fans. The brilliantly uniformed band added immeasurably to the successful homecoming celebration, both in the parade and during half-time activities.

During the second semester these musicians settled down to the more serious work of producing a concert band. In conjunction with the Men's Ensemble they played concerts at high schools at Hayes, Schaller, Plover and Gilmore City. The band also joined with the A Cappella Choir to present a mixed concert at the Sulphur Springs high school.

The highlight of the year's activities was the Spring Concert given in April. Mr. Landes chose the cream of the selections played throughout the year and added others to provide a varied and artistic program.

The concert was composed of six definite groups of similar types of music. Compositions by J. S. Bach included "Prelude and Hymn-Tune" arranged from themes by Bach and William Croft by Mr. Landes, and the choral melody, "Komm Susser Tod." These works were played in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of Bach's death.

Two marches composed by Will Green, "Flying With the Colors" and "The Flight Commander," were featured as another special group. Mr. Green is the director of the Storm Lake high school band and president of the Iowa Bandmasters Association.

The program also offered overtures from two operas, two circus marches, and concluded with selections from light opera.

BAND PERSONNEL: **Flutes**—Lillian Bruhn, Dee Ann Carlson, Margaret Gaffey. **Clarinets**—Joanne Franzene, John Graham, Donald Hintz, Lois Kretzinger, Mona Lawlor, Donna Mooney, Gloria Dorfler, Marilyn Rooks. **Saxophones**—Joanne Lovejoy, Marie Massop, Jim Skaar. **Cornets and Trumpets**—John Anderson, Ruth Hardyk, Barney Holmes, Arthur Nowack, Bill Richards, Dale Sanderman, Bill Witt, Charlene Peterson, Wayne Straight. **French Horns**—Russell Donaldson, Doris Foell, Shirley Miller, Marvin Miller, Glenyss Peck. **Trombones**—Janet Anderson, Elaine Leonard, Prof. David Plank, Wayne Roepke, Reynard Satory, Glenn Theulen, Darlene Hughes, Lauren Knutzen. **Baritones**—Richard Carlberg, John Toay. **Basses**—Keith Miller, Dean Stille. **Percussion**—Jean Hughes, Jane Kilgore, Irene McAlpine, Eloise Beckfield.



Phi Delta Chi



First Row—Reynard Satory, Pres.; Mike Pappadackis, Jim Skaar, Prof. Gerald Greeley, Rodney Satory.
Second Row—John Woods, Robert Woody, Treas.; Robert MacDowell, Gordon LeWarne, Keith Miller, Secretary.
Third Row—Wayne Straight, Russell Donaldson, V.-Pres.; Dean Stille, Don Hintz.

A fraternity dedicated to the advancement of music and loyalty to the alma mater, Phi Delta Chi is the most active frat on the campus of Buena Vista College. All of its members are actively engaged in music and serve as a backbone to most of the musical groups, such as the choir, ensemble, and band.

At the school year's beginning there were 13 active members. Officers were Reynard Satory, president; Russell Donaldson, vice-president; Keith Miller, secretary; Bob Woody, treasurer; and Professor Greeley, faculty advisor. The fraternity was sorry to lose Mr. Greeley, who had skillfully guided its actions since its formation. Professor Plank took over his duties as advisor when he left.

Highlights of the year included pledging, a Homecoming float, and queen candidate, a stunt night skit, a Masquerade Ball, the annual dinner dance, and many nights spent enjoying a brother-

ship which can only be found in a fraternity. Five pledges became actives at the formal initiation on November 17, 1949, and six on March 31, 1950. It is a Phi Delta Chi custom to come out on top with a homecoming float, and this year was no exception. A miniature "campus of the future" was displayed and won a first prize for beauty. Speaking of beauty, Lois Kretzinger was the unanimous choice for Homecoming queen candidate. The masquerade ball, featuring Bill Vicks and his orchestra, was one of the best school dances of the year. Candle light was the order for the evening with punch and cookies being served at the tables. The social highlight was the dinner dance held in the game room at Club Manawa on March 31, 1950. After a dinner of fine steaks, formal initiation was held for the pledges and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

Business Club

Having recognized the need for a tie between class work and actual business experience, Professor Pritchard and several interested students set about to obtain a means of achieving this relationship. Thus, in October, 1949, the Buena Vista Business Club came into being.

It is the goal of the organization to better business understanding. During the year the club has been fortunate in obtaining a variety of speakers from the business, governmental and professional fields.

Meetings are usually held in Beaver Hall with an informal atmosphere prevailing. A lunch, paid from the club's treasury, is served following the

meetings. Mrs. Harrell has been very congenial in preparing these lunches for the club.

The club has received praise from many of its visitors of the work it is doing. It has been suggested, however, that greater achievements might be made possible by allying with some national organization. The various arguments, pro and con, are being considered at the time of this writing, and some definite action will be taken before the year is ended.

Officers are as follows: Jim Ulum, president; Roger Riley, vice-president; Hugh Farquharson, secretary; Lea Spahn, treasurer; Professor Pritchard is club sponsor.



First Row—Marguerite Barels, Victor E. Spindler, Hugh Farquharson, Jim Ulum, Roger Riley, Leatrice Spahn.

Second Row—Ralph G. Neppel, Vergil Beyer, Robert Esbaugh, Ort McKenna, Roy Reeves, Prof. Wayne Pritchard.

Third Row—Merle Yager, Allan Tostenson, Maynard Thompson, Frank Mather, Howard Sands.



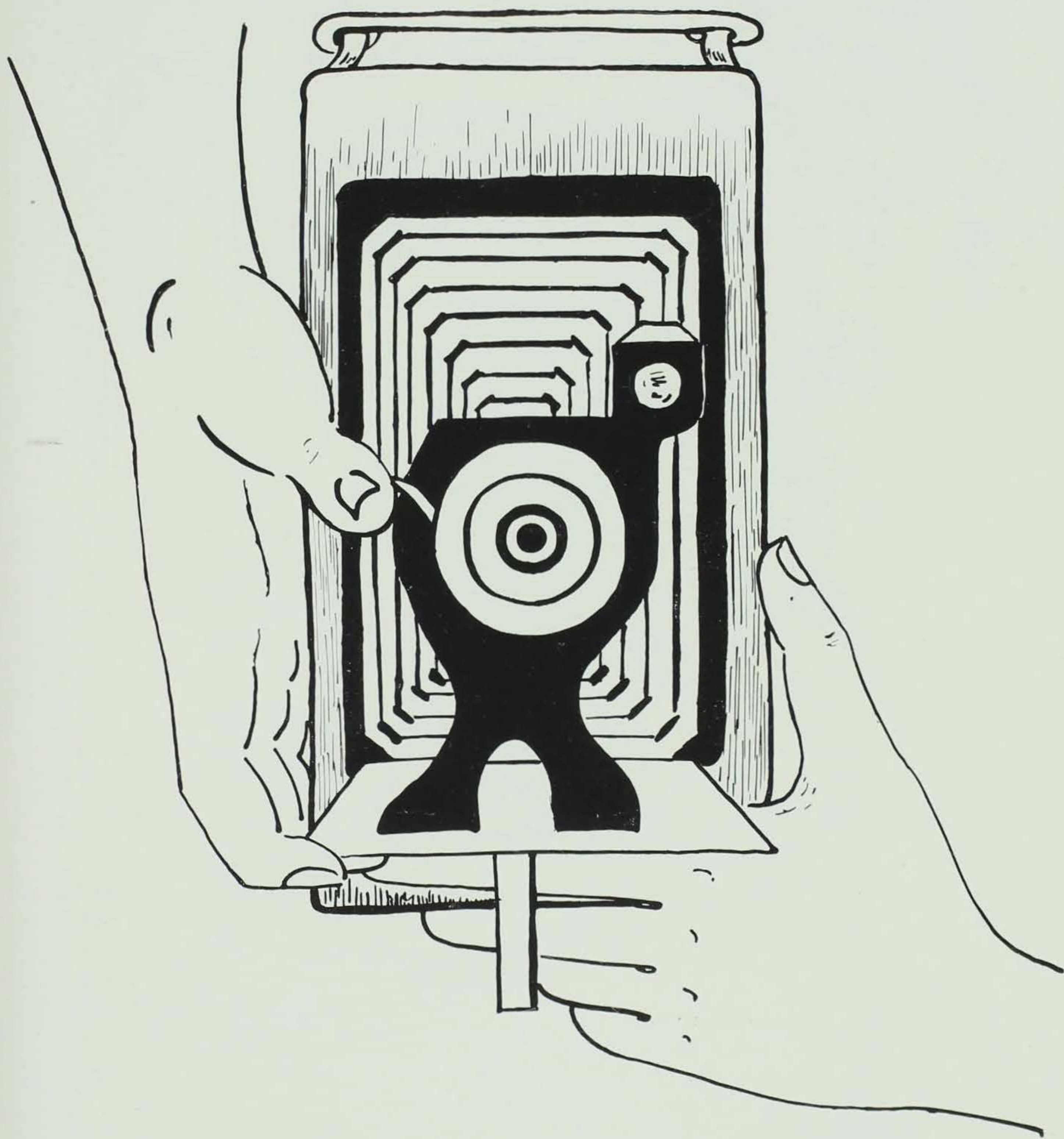
We Recognize The Need For Friends

Friendship will always be one of the finest beatitudes of life. One of the greatest needs of mankind is that of kindred personalities with whom the individual can communicate — people with whom one shares his thoughts, not only in the realms of business, but also in the everyday human experiences which fluctuate between the sublime and the ridiculous, from the heights of happiness to the depths of sorrow. Part of a true education is the degree of mastery we achieve in the art of living together on the higher plains of rich human experience.

In a small college such as Buena Vista, we have the rare privilege of learning to know each other as members of a huge family circle, and of associating with the members of the faculty as individuals and feeling their personal interest in our

mastery of daily radiant living. Something of richness of soul is gained in sharing our thoughts, plans, and ambitions with others who understand. In our college classes, in our campus activities, in our times of recreation, or even over a friendly cup of coffee, friendships may begin which will enrich the future. Phillip Brooks has said, "The place where two friends first met is sacred to them all through their friendship, all the more sacred as their friendship deepens and grows old."

We cannot overestimate the place friends play in the building of our personalities and the enriching of our future. Success is the supreme goal of mankind. Edward Everett Hale crystalized the secret for us when he said, "The making of friends, who are real friends, is the best token we have of a man's success."



The Homecoming Queen And Her Attendants



MISS VERA FRANZENE

The morning of October 15th dawned bright and clear, and Buena Vista College was humming with expectancy and suspense. The parade was scheduled for ten o'clock, and a few students were scurrying about finishing the beautiful floats. One of the most exciting events of the day was the choosing of the Homecoming Queen who was the choice of the student body for personality, poise, popularity and prettiness. As the half-time gun sounded, the candidates were brought in shiny convertibles to the front of the grandstand for the presentation. Then came the announcement of the winner and this high honor became a dream

come true to Vera Franzene, a sophomore from Rembrandt. Other beauteous candidates were Doris Foell, Dee Ann Carlson, Jean Waisner, Lois Kretzinger, Donna Nordstrom, Betty Jacobs, each representing a campus organization and all were attired in formals. Vera is a music major and works part time in the Dean's office. Although this was a great announcement, in December Vera made another and became engaged to Frank Miller.

Everyone wants to wish Vera and Frank the greatest success and happiness and hope she will remember Buena Vista College and her crowning glory of being our Homecoming Queen of 1949.



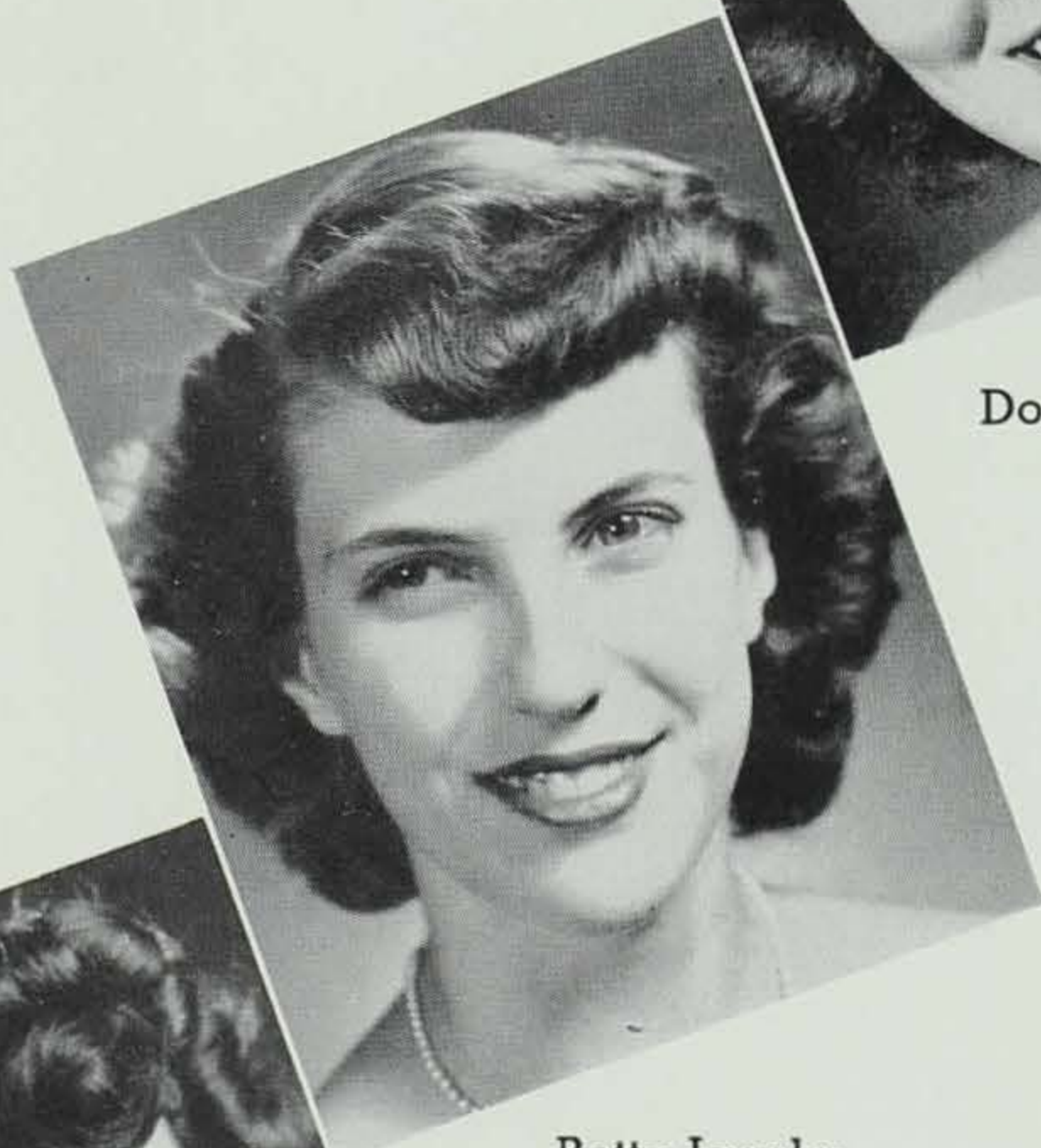
Lois Kretzinger



Doris Foell



Donna Nordstrom



Betty Jacobs



Jean Waisner



Dee Ann Carlson

Homecoming Is A Red-Letter



HOMECOMING
PARADE
THROUGH
DOWNTOWN
STORM LAKE



THE NEW
DRILL TEAM
TAKES PART
IN THE PARADE



HERE COMES
THE BAND

Day On The B. V. Calendar

BOB WOODY, PRESIDENT
OF THE STUDENT COUNCIL,
CROWNS THE
HOMECOMING QUEEN,
MISS VERA FRANZENE



WINNING
HOMECOMING
FLOAT
SPONSORED
BY THE
CHOIR



THE FOOTBALL GAME
WITH UPPER IOWA
CLIMAXED THE
HOMECOMING
ACTIVITIES

A SCENE
IN THE
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Classes Too



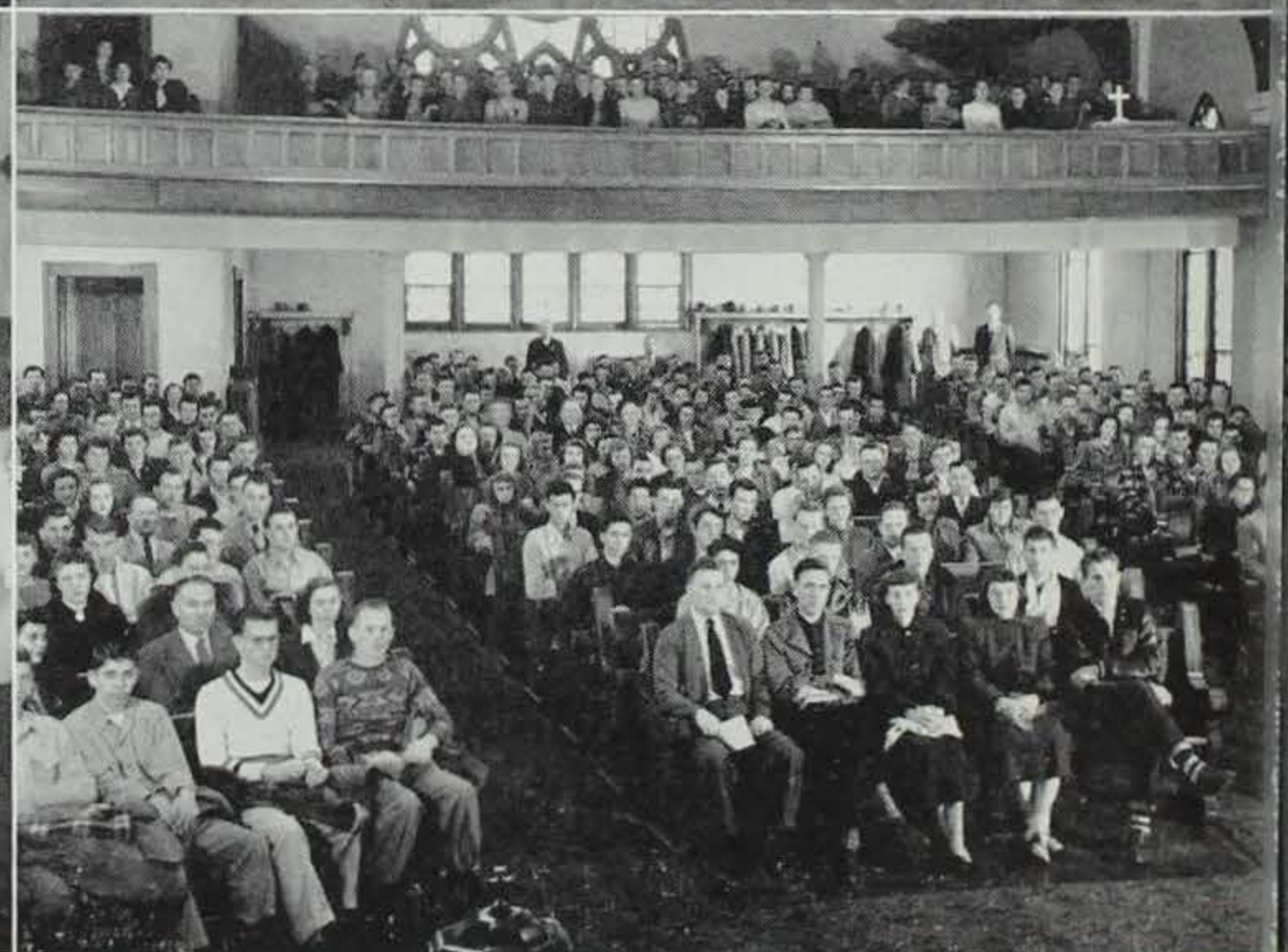
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DONALD ROWE
LEADS A
DISCUSSION
IN ENGLISH II



PROFESSOR
GRAHAM
LECTURES ON
AMERICAN
GOVERNMENT



Here And There

Radio Workshop Class in KAYL Studios
Freshman girls bowling class
Valentine dance in Beaver Hall

BEAVER LOG Staff members at work
A typical scene in Beaver Hall
A Consecration Week service



On The Campus

Mrs. Avis Harrell and her Beaver Hall helpers
Miss Cameron's dance group
Some fun during Hell Week

A Student Christian Fellowship meeting
The Phi Alpha Pi's skit on Stunt Night
An All-College Party scene in the library

1949 Summer School Was Fun



According to the American College Dictionary, summer is the season of "finest development, perfection and beauty." How well does this describe the summer school session at Buena Vista, situated on beautiful Storm Lake which bestows her calm, cooling breezes on the campus! Almost every afternoon comes the friendly chugging of the lawn mowers as they move in and out of the shade across the warm green grass. Truly, it is a beautiful sight to gaze across the campus with the students lounging on the lawn, studying in such a pleasant atmosphere.

Buena Vista in the summer is a different college. The student body, which this summer numbered over 450, consists mainly of veterans who are going under the G. I. Bill and elementary and

secondary school teachers who are picking up extra hours. There are of course several girls who have just graduated from high school who go to summer school and prepare to teach in rural schools. But the number of students in the veteran and teacher class outnumber them.

There are reasons for the unusually high attendance at Buena Vista this summer. Perhaps the most important is that many students need only a few hours to graduate and teach in the fall. Thus, a few hours in the summer can spell a good job in the fall. Then, too, many of the teachers who pick up extra hours in the summer acquire an even better teaching background. And lastly, potential rural teachers can prepare themselves to teach in the fall by attending Buena Vista one summer.



CADET TEACHER
RICHARD JESPERSEN
AND STUDENTS IN
STORM LAKE
HI SCHOOL



Students Get Classroom Experience

Under the personal supervision of Professors Opal Roark, T. P. Kuehl, Lawrence Winter, W. D. Wesselink, Grace Roark and Glenn Moore practice teachers receive actual classroom experience throughout the winter and summer session in the school facilities of Storm Lake, Hayes, Truesdale, Rembrandt, Alta, and Aurelia. Secondary teaching is under the direction of Professor T. P. Kuehl; Elementary teaching is under the direction of Professor Opal Roark.

A course in practice teaching is required for all Iowa teaching certificates in the belief that class-

room experience is of necessity the part of the training in which faulty teaching habits may be noted that further effort can be applied toward elimination of these shortcomings.

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

Graduates of the college and two-year teaching training course are in such demand by employing school officials that a very high percentage of each year's graduating class is placed in teaching positions.

CADET TEACHER
MARY ALLEN
AND STUDENTS
IN WEST SCHOOL





First Row—Everett Grapenthin, Maynard Thompson, Robert Woody, John Poulson.
Second Row—Fern Arnett, Patricia Whiteside, Helen Gaherty.

Seven Students Elected To Who's Who

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges recognizes seven Buena Vista students in its 1949-1950 edition. The names of these students will be published in this edition along with the outstanding students of all recognized colleges and universities in the United States.

Robert Woody, Helen Gaherty, Fern Arnett, Patricia Whiteside, John Poulson, Maynard Thompson and David Olson were elected to *Who's Who* by the student body after being nominated by campus committees. Recognition for this honor

means that the student was first officially recommended for the college or university he attends and then accepted by the organizations. College juniors, seniors, and those enrolled in graduate courses are eligible for nomination. A student is considered for nomination on the basis of his scholarship, leadership and participation and cooperation in activities, his general citizenship and promise of future success. Members of *Who's Who* receive certificates of recognition awarded by the organization.

Forensic League

Forensics this year at Buena Vista played a very active and important part in the activities of the school. Under the capable leadership of Professor Gladys Kuehl, the group obtained recognition in speech circles in South Dakota, Nebraska, and Iowa.

Members participating in intercollegiate competition were Clair Abbott, Jim Ulum, Fred Wessendorf, Norbert Sauter, Jo Ann Buzzetti, Helen Gaherty, Graydon Hanson, Ed Rosenhauer, Jay Hamiel, Edna Thomas, Jim Waggoner, and Stuart Eischeid. The Debate Topic was "Resolved: The United States Should Nationalize the Basic Non-agricultural Industries." Also Buena Vista took an active part in discussions on "What Should Be the Foreign Policy of the United States Toward the Countries of the Orient."

This year the squad attended speech conferences at South Dakota University, Simpson, Grinnell,

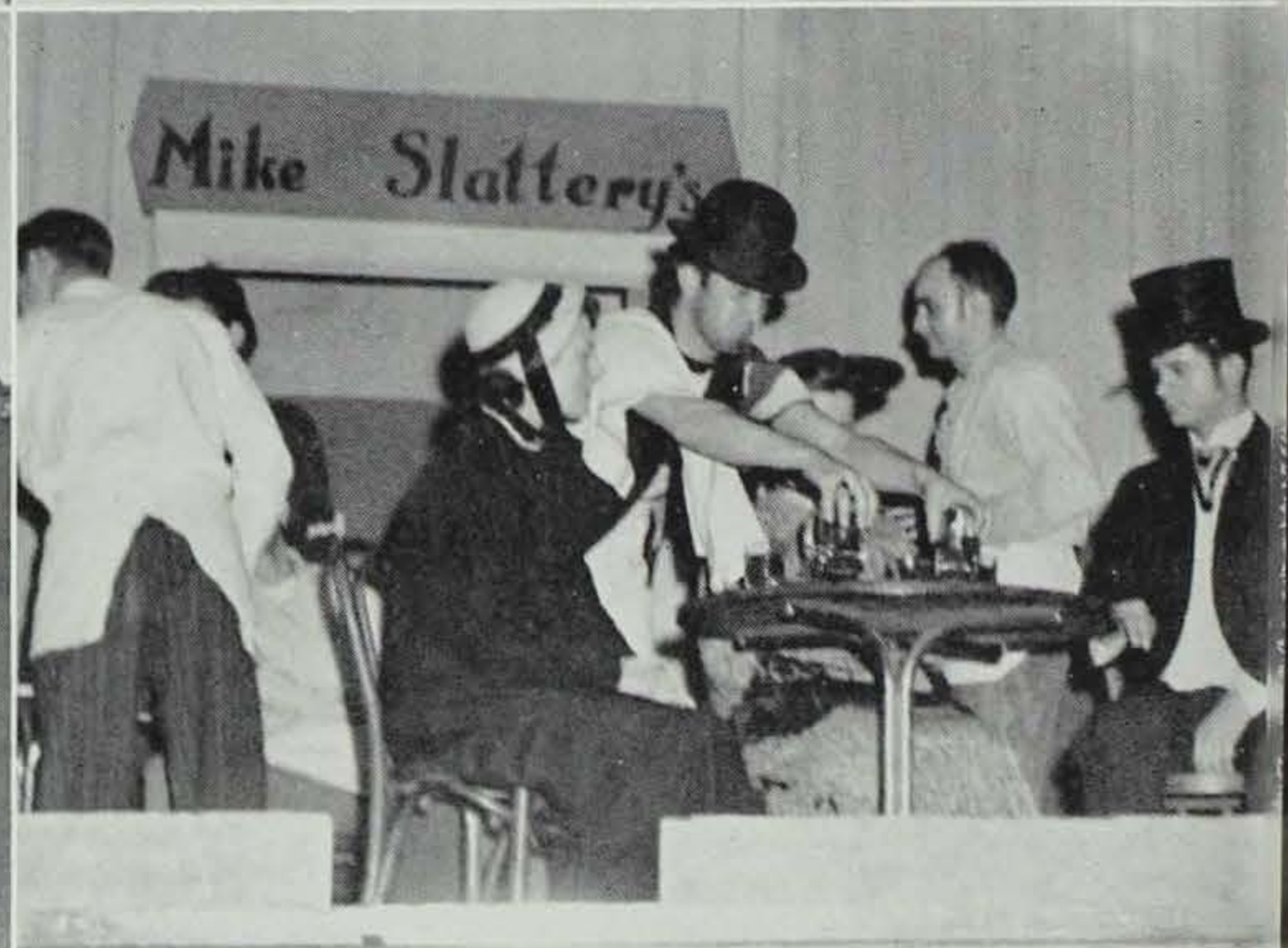
Morningside, University of Nebraska, University of Iowa, and Drake. Several of these were among the foremost held in the Middle West. At the University of Nebraska, Buena Vista was one of 56 colleges from 11 states attending. Here a superior in discussion was won by Jim Ulum and one debate team won all their debates. At a similar meet at Iowa University honors were also won.

At the State Speech meet at Drake "Excellent" ratings in discussion were won by Graydon Hanson, Jim Ulum, and Clair Abbott. Both debate teams, consisting of Clair Abbott, Stuart Eischeid, Norbert Sauter and Fred Wessendorf, won excellent ratings. Helen Gaherty and Roy Gray took part in oration. Extemporaneous speaking was done by Jo Ann Buzzetti and Ed Rosenhauer.

In past season activities the debate teams spoke before the B.P.W. Club, and the discussion group gave a program over KAYL.

First Row—Edna Thomas, James Waggoner, Mrs. Gladys Kuehl, Jim Ulum, Graydon Hansen.
Second Row—Roy Gray, Clayton Liggett, Norbert Sauter, Fred Wessendorf, Ed Rosenhauer, Clair Abbott, Helen Gaherty.





"Gold In The Hills"

The all-college play "Gold in the Hills," or "The Dead Sisters Secret," took the audience into the nineteenth century, back to the days when the villain was confronted by the hero, in defense of the farmer's daughter. Everything ran true to form in "Gold in the Hills"—Richard Murgatroyd from the city was outsmarted by John Dalton, a son of the soil, in defense of Nellie Stanley, the heroine. Everyone was happy at the final curtain; the farm was saved, the villain was taken to jail, and the two young lovers were back together again.

Leading a cast of thirty was Jim Ulum as the villain, Irene McAlpine as the sweet little farmer's daughter, and Dean Day as the hero. All three, newcomers to the stage, did an excellent job in creating the atmosphere of the old melodrama. In

fact for most of the cast it was the first appearance on the stage in a college production.

The rest of the cast included Helen Gaherty, Jean Hughes, Don Oberlander, Ray Heath, Marvin Miller, Robert MacDowell, James Rukes, Rodney Hunter, Coral Clark, Lester Lewis, Master Roger Botine, Bob Bargman, Charlotte Locky, Bonnie Harrell, Carol Carlson, Kaye Miller, Robert Woody, Russell Dreosch, Victor Spindler, Donna Nordstrom, Jean Waisner, Branch Ver Hoef, Rodney Satory, Fred Wessendorf, Betty Spindler, Clayton Liggett and Harold Engen.

The production was presented at the Storm Lake High School Auditorium on November 30 and December 1, under the direction of Professor Ruth Lathrop.

"Mr. Pim Passes By"

A. A. Milne's English comedy, "Mr. Pim Passes By," was the second major production. Most of the charm and intrigue of the play center about the lines, which are given in British speech, and require exacting voice work by the actors.

The leading female role of "Olivia Marden" was played by Mary Dugan, who displayed unusual poise, acting ability, charm and beauty, throughout the play. She was supported by Jim Rukes, in the leading male role of "George Marden, J. P.," her husband, a conservative English country gentleman. Mr. Rukes' acting ability is well known, and he undoubtedly excels in finesse of line interpretation. The title role of "Carraway Pim" was played by Lester Lewis in a delightful manner, with just the degree of pleasant uncertainty required. Mr. Lewis has a flair for the unusual in voice work.

The "young love" interest was ably enacted by Jean Waisner as "Dinah," niece of Olivia Marden, and Fred Wessendorf, as "Brian Strange" a futuristic painter and Dinah's fiance. Most of the real

"action" of the play was created by these two young people, with their vivid imaginations and unbounded enthusiasms.

"Lady Marden," proud member of a titled English family, is ultra-conservative, and George leans upon her heavily for advice in family matters. Joanne Lovejoy played the role with dignity and force, and through her quality of voice, attained the attitude of unbending severity which typifies Lady Marden.

Irene McAlpine, with her blonde beauty and cockney accent, made a most attractive English maid, in the role of "Anne."

"Mr. Pim Passes By" was presented on our own stage, and the Play Production Class are to be commended upon the quality and quantity of their work in connection with scenery and lighting. The second-floor hallway was converted into an attractive foyer, and during intermission, refreshments were served. This play, directed by Professor Ruth Lathrop, was presented April 25-29.





One-Act Plays

Nine one-act plays were presented this year by the Play Production Class, taught by Professor Ruth Helen Lathrop, as follows:

"FOUR ON A HEATH," Dec. 8, 1949, Director: Norbert Sauter. CAST: Maynard Thompson, Roger Riley, Lester Lewis, Jack Beckel.

"ENTR'ACT," Dec. 8, 1949, Director: Rosella Madsen. CAST: Joanne Lovejoy, Fred Wessendorf, Gerry Drennen.

"MORE BLESSED," Dec. 15, 1949, Director: Edna Thomas. CAST: Robert Woody, Donna Nordstrom, Graydon Hanson, Donna Davis, Doris Foell.

"SPECIAL GUEST," Jan. 6, 1950, Director: Kaye Miller. CAST: Lester Lewis, Donna Nordstrom, Robert Bargman, Les Licklider, Irene McAlpine.

"EH?," Jan. 6, 1950, Director: Lisle Harris. CAST: Norbert Sauter, Shirley Miller, Jack Beckel, Mona Lawlor, Jay Hamiel.

"WHEAT FIRE," Jan. 11, 1950, Directors: Victor Spindler, Fred Wessendorf. CAST: Harold Engen, Jean Waisner, Dee Ann Carlson, Roger Riley.

"THE NEIGHBORS ACROSS THE STREET," Jan. 11, 1950, Director: Robert Marshall. CAST: Robert Woody, Robert MacDowell, Pat Hagerstrand, Lea Spahn, Jim Ulum, Hugh Farquharson.

"NEIGHBORS," Jan. 11 and March 13, 1950, Director: Russell Dreosch. CAST: Wanda Royer, Coral Clark, Bonnie Harrell, Bonnie Bezoni, Gerry Drennen, Ray Heath, Robert Bargman, Mary Beth Christensen, Jean Waisner.

"FOR HE HAD GREAT POSSESSIONS," April 4, 5, 14, 1950, Director: Ruth Helen Lathrop. CAST: Norbert Sauter, Lea Spahn, Roy Reeves, Russell Dreosch, Robert Bargman, Donna Nordstrom, Jo Ann Buzzetti, Irene McAlpine, Sandra Sauter.

Cheerleaders



First Row—Jean Waisner, Betty McKinstrey.

Second Row—Charlotte Lockey, Mary Dugan, Ellen Powell, Jean Hughes.

"Fifteen 'rahs' for the cheerleaders." With their pep and enthusiasm, along with the band and students, they spurred the football team on to many victories.

The first football game of the season with Morningside turned out to be a downpour of rain, but along with the rain, the majority of the students turned out and backed the team.

The night before Homecoming a large pep rally was held on the campus. Numerous speeches and yells were given. The traditional "burning of the dummy" was the highlight of the evening. To bring the rally to a close, the students, led by the cheerleaders, started a snake dance to the uptown

district where a free show awaited them.

On the afternoon of October 21, a caravan of students left Buena Vista headed for Westmar in LeMars. On route the caravan stopped in all the high schools and had pep rallies. After reaching the destination, the caravan gathered in the middle section of the main street, and completed the trip with a pep meeting. After this pep meeting the caravan went on to the football field.

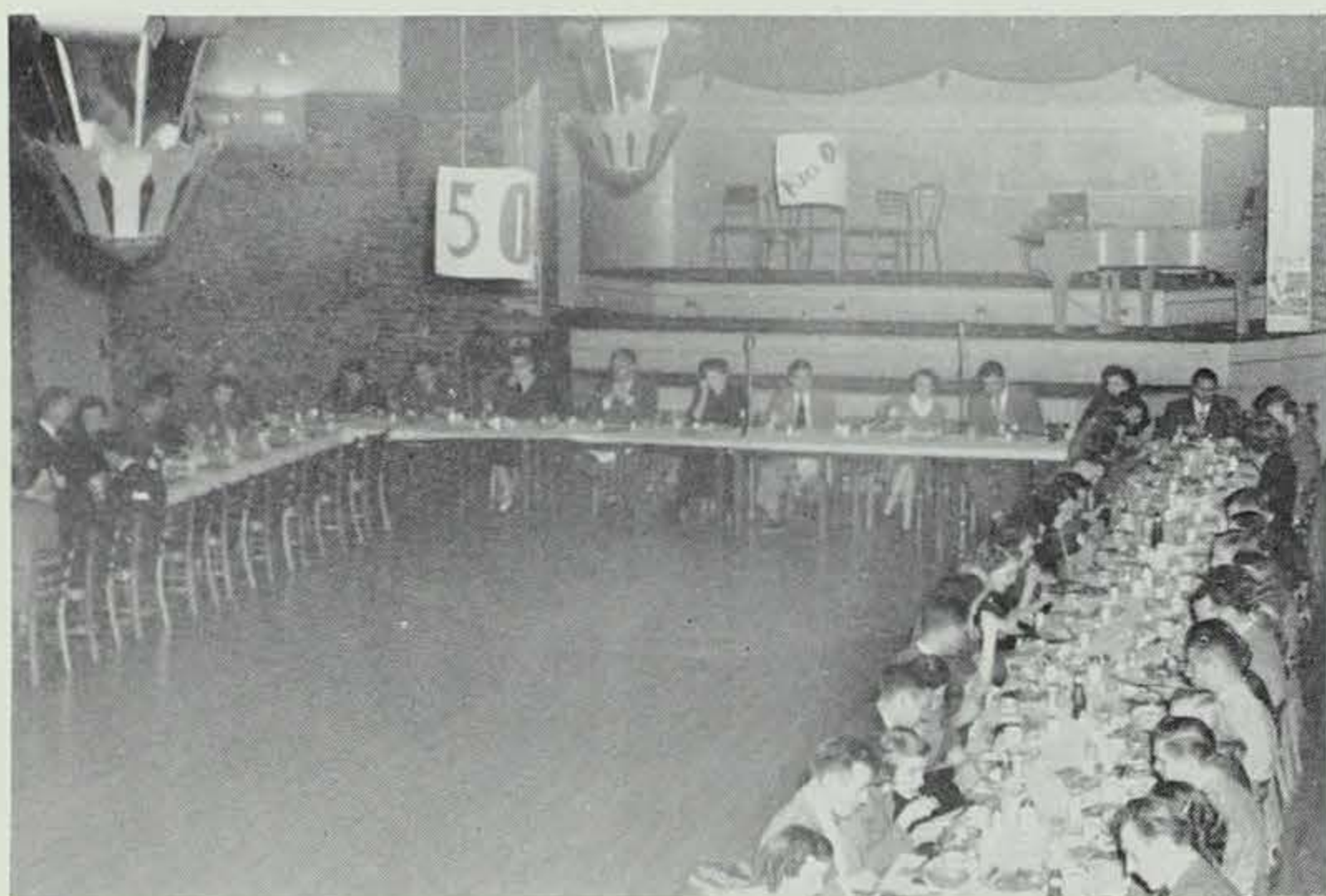
During the basketball season as in football, the spirit was maintained by the cheerleaders. By the end of the year the school had acquired a noticeable improvement in school spirit, and the cheerleaders had done their part.



SEPTEMBER 8—President's reception
for new students



Mrs. Henry Olson presides at the
punch bowl



NOVEMBER 16—Lettermen's Banquet
at Cobblestone

Social Events That



SEPTEMBER 20—Choir party at
Shelterhouse



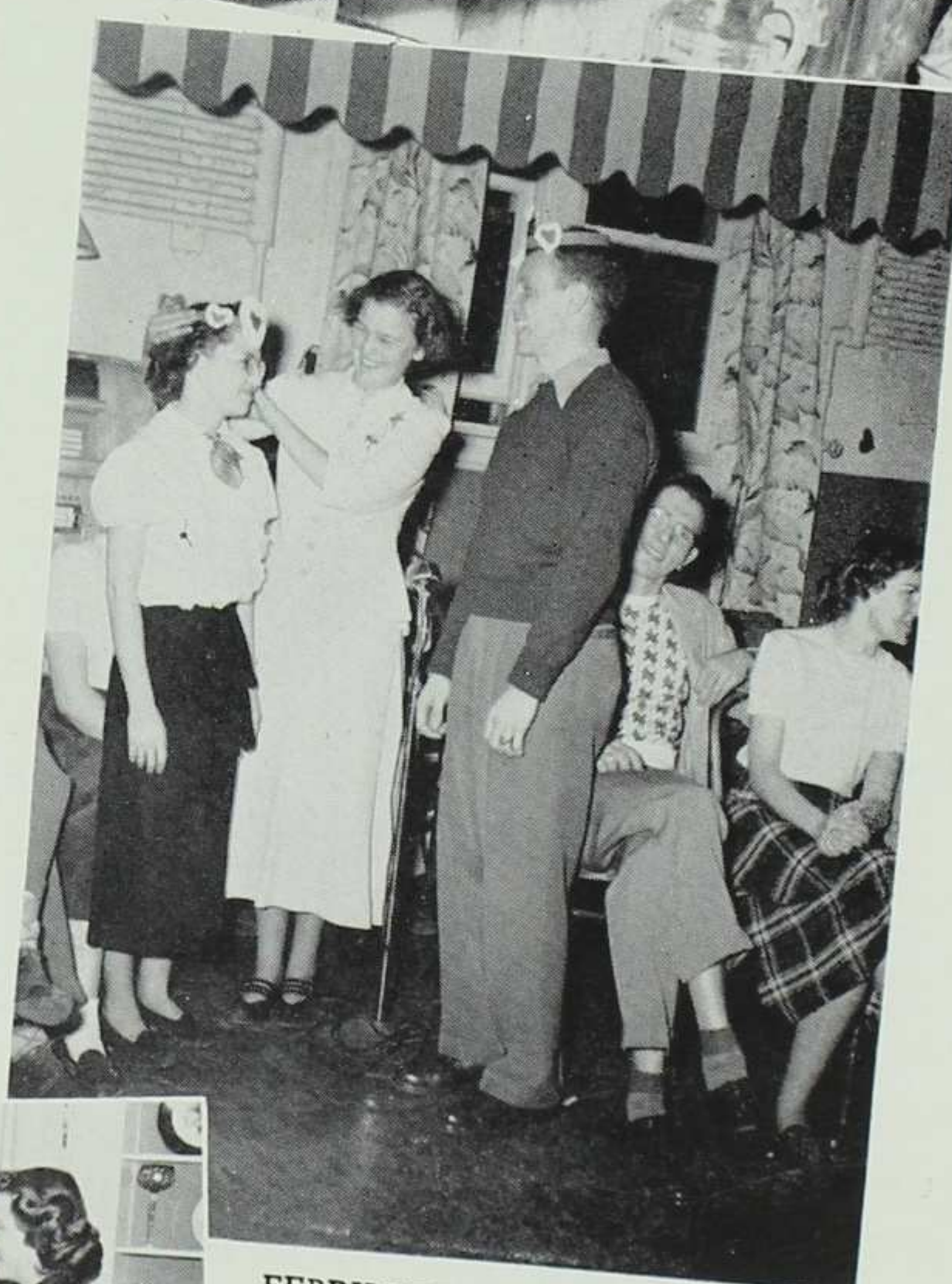
NOVEMBER 18—Sadie Hawkins party
in Library



DECEMBER 10—Faculty Christmas party in President's home



JANUARY 11—Party in Beaver Hall after one act plays



FEBRUARY 10—Valentine party in Beaver Hall

Highlighted The Year



DECEMBER 13—Yule Log Service in President's home



We Learn To Forget Self

Man learned many hundreds of years ago that as an individual he is extremely weak, that in unity there is strength, and that co-operation is the key to all successful undertakings. At times it is difficult for a person to adhere to these truths and face the realization that personal gain is after all not so important when it hampers the advancement of a group.

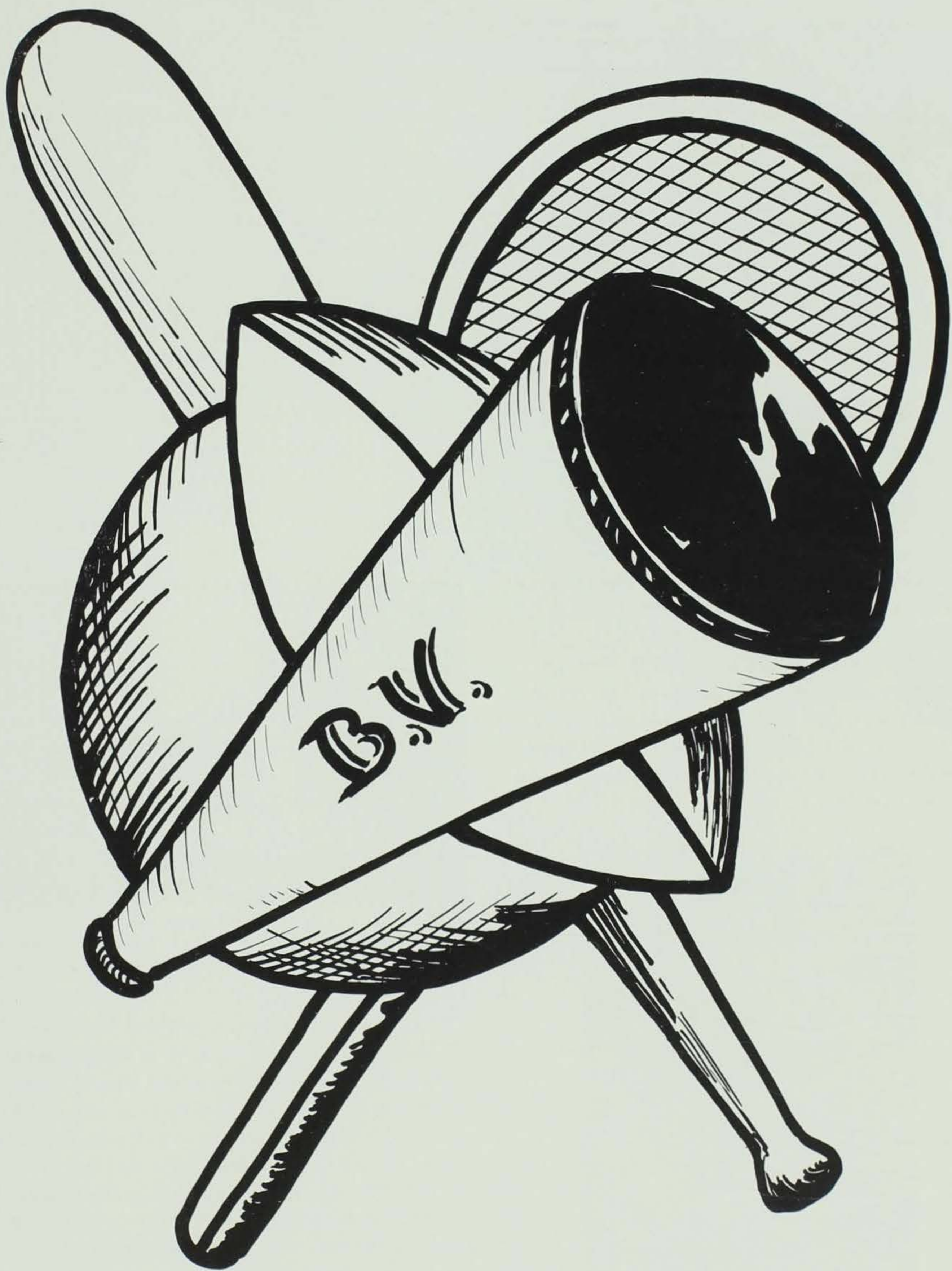
Buena Vista College is teaching its students to forget self. The individuals that make up the various groups are learning to work together. Then in turn the groups are learning to work together. Then in turn the groups co-operate with each other to build a bigger and better college. This is one way the students help prepare themselves for the vocations and professions they will undertake after graduation.

The products of this co-operation are obvious all over the campus. Perhaps they are most obvious in the activities of the athletic department. It is apparent that to achieve any success in football,

basketball, baseball, or track, teamwork is of the utmost importance. To win requires the sacrificing of personal glory in order that the larger number might share in the victory.

Buena Vista is now a member of one conference. Since the Dakota-Iowa Conference is no longer operating, the Beavers are active in only the Iowa Conference. This is divided into two sections composed of five schools in each. Buena Vista participates in the northern half.

Under the guidance of Coaches Ken Blackman, Bob Otto, and Lawrence Winter the Beaver athletes have compiled records that could have been accomplished only by the co-operation of all involved. Buena Vista led the league in baseball, tied for third in basketball and track, and finished in the upper half in football. The success of these teams is not entirely dependent upon the players and coaches. It was accomplished also by the aid of the faculty and students all helping and learning to forget self.



The Athletic Department



KENNETH BLACKMAN

Officially, James Robert Otto is the Director of Physical Education and Head Track Coach of Buena Vista College, but to most of us he's "the Moose," "the big boy," or just "Bob." Standing 6 ft. 2 in. and tipping the scales at 210 pounds, Bob isn't the sort of fellow one would push around. As football coach he's rough in training and is frequently heard asking "Somebody looking for a punch in the nose?"



LAWRENCE WINTER

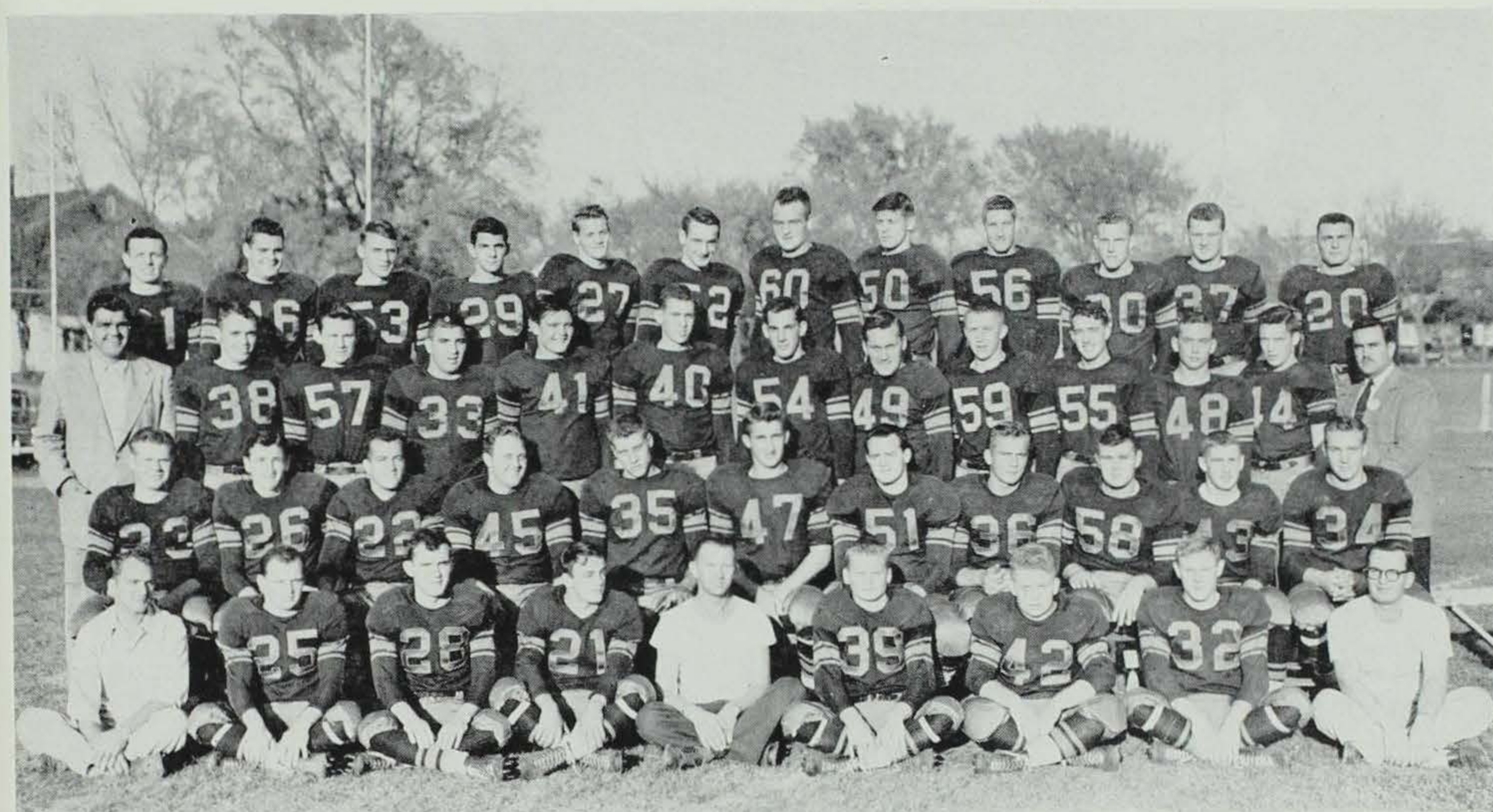
Ken Blackman is the genial host of the Athletic Department. As Director of Athletics, he is the head man when anything's doing at the gym. Ken is a personal friend of all the fellows because of his contagious enthusiasm for his work. Although he is always engineering many projects, he's never too busy to counsel anyone asking his advice, and after coming in contact with Ken's clear reasoning and straightforward thinking, the student usually "gets on the ball," one of Ken's favorite expressions. Returning from a semester's absence to work on his M.A. degree, Ken is fairly sparking with new ideas for the betterment of the college.



ROBERT OTTO

Lawrence Winter came to Buena Vista last fall from Parson College at Fairfield, to fill the vacancy left by Ken Blackman, who was on leave of absence. While at our college for the past year, "Unk" has coached basketball and has served as assistant in football and baseball. Besides his coaching duties, Mr. Winter has taught in the Education Department. "Unk" has joined in the activities of our college and has participated in intramurals along with the fellows. We wish him the best of success in the future.

The 1949 Football Squad



First Row—Richard Baker (Mgr.), Robert Willadsen, Allen Hannafan, Jon Francis, Richard Jespersen (Mgr.), Charles Rosburg, Richard Davis, Richard Utter, James Rhode (Trainer).
Second Row—Bill Saylor, Donald Castle, Thomas Gaines, William Klinker, Waldo Johnson, Norman Theiss, Fred Lawson, Donald Olson, Paul White, Dean Larison, Robert Bumann.
Third Row—Coach Otto, John Gannon, Kevin Genther, Wayne Roepke, Virgil Pitham, Donald Kamp-rath, David Ford, Carmen Ness, James Lindlief, Robert Lee, Gordon McKinstrey, Robert Allen, Coach Winter.
Fourth Row—John Naughton, William Schnirring, Rodney Rausch, Charles Branstetter, Francis Tuttle, Wilferd Barrett, William Toohey, Vernon Rath, Dwight Maaske, Charles Sisson, Merlin Anderson, Dale Young.

Football Letterwinners

Major Letter Winners

Charles Branstetter	Don Kamprath	Don Olson	Norman Theiss
Don Castle	Bill Klinker	Virgil Pitham Ver	Bill Toohey
Dave Ford	Fred Lawson	Vernon Rath	Francis Tuttle
Jon Francis	Dwight Maaske	Wayne Roepke	Richard Utter
Tom Gaines	Gordon McKinstrey	Bill Saylor	Paul White
Everett Grapenthin	John Naughton	Wilbur Schnirring	Robert Willadsen
Waldo Johnson	Carmen Ness		

Minor Letter Winners

Bob Allen	John Gannon	Jim Millholin	Charles Sisson
Myron Anderson	Allen Hannafan	Allen Peters	Clare Triplett
Bill Barrett	Bob Lee	Rodney Rausch	Dale Young
Bob Bumann	Dean Larison	Charles Rosburg	Neal Sennert

James Rhode (trainer)

Wayne Jespersen (manager)

Richard Baker (manager)

1949 Gridiron Story

The 1949 Buena Vista grid machine went through a rugged nine game schedule plagued with injuries from the first week of practice. In this light it makes the Beaver's already favorable record of four wins, four losses, and one tie even more commendable.

The Beavers did not fare so well in conference games as in non-conference tilts. They won one and lost three in conference play and reversed that in non-league games.

The squad voted Waldo Johnson, Albert City fullback, the most valuable player. Johnson was also named to the second all-conference eleven. John Naughton, quarterback from Cedar Rapids, and Fred Lawson, Storm Lake guard, were elected co-captains by their mates.

Thirteen of the gridiron gladiators are lost by graduation. They are: Ends Dwight Maaske and Everett Grapenthin; Tackles Norman Theiss, and Carmen Ness; Guards Bill Saylor, Fred Lawson, and Bill Klinker; Centers Dick Utter, Wilbur Schnirring, and Paul White; Backs John Naughton, Gordon McKinstrey, and Don Castle.

Buena Vista 0—Morningside 20

The Beavers opened their 1949 season against Morningside of the North Central Conference. The Maroons led by Connie Callahan, little all-American back, plowed through the mud for a touchdown in each of the first three quarters. Buena Vista's only scoring opportunity was stopped short at the Maroon 25-yard line midway in the final canto. Dick Utter and Everett Grapenthin played fine defensive ball for the locals.

Buena Vista 19—York 12

Buena Vista traveled to York, Nebraska, for the second game and pinned a 19 to 12 defeat on the host team. The Beavers scored first and led the entire way. Waldo Johnson scored twice and Bob Willadsen once. Don Castle set up one score with a 42-yard jaunt, as did John Naughton when he scampered 50 yards.

Buena Vista 0—Dubuque 19

The Beavers held big and powerful Dubuque even for one half but fell apart in the third quarter when the Spartans scored three quick touchdowns. Two B.V. threats were stopped short deep in Dubuque territory. Tom Gaines hit Buzz Tuttle and Naughton with successive passes to move the "Ottomen" to the 10-yard line and their deepest penetration.

Buena Vista 26—Huron 26

The Beavers were caught flatfooted by a small but shifty Huron backfield and trailed early in the second period 19 to 0. Dwight Maaske recovered a Huron fumble, and Waldo Johnson scored from 10 yards out on the next play. Vern Rath blocked

an enemy punt on the 23-yard line, and on the following play Naughton passed to Willadsen for a marker. Dobber Theiss converted both times to make the halftime score 19 to 14. Huron scored again in the third period, but the Beavers slashed back to tie the game in the final minutes.

Buena Vista 0—Wartburg 6

A fourth quarter fumble on the B.V. 2-yard line proved the margin as the Knights converted it into the game's only touchdown. Grapenthin, Tuttle, and Gordon McKinstrey, three regulars, were sidelined this game with injuries. The Beavers threatened twice. Once they were stopped at the Wartburg 1-yard line and again on the 8-yard line. Halfback Don Castle carried most of the offensive load for Buena Vista.

Buena Vista 6—Upper Iowa 0

Don Castle returned a punt 95 yards with only six minutes remaining to highlight the 26th annual homecoming game. The entire Beaver line played well and held the tricky Peacocks to a mere five first downs. Upper Iowa threatened once and had the ball on the Buena Vista 1-yard line as the half ended. For the most part it was a tight defensive game with most of it being played between the 30-yard lines.

Buena Vista 6—Westmar 8

A fourth quarter safety enabled the Eagles to down the Beavers 8 to 6. Buena Vista drew first blood in the second quarter when Willadsen danced over from four yards out. Westmar rallied to tie the score at 6 to 6 in the third period. With three minutes remaining, the Beavers were pushed back deep in their own territory by two successive 15-yard penalties. The resulting punt was blocked, and the ball rolled out of the end zone for an automatic safety.

Buena Vista 19—Tarkio 0

The Beavers completely overwhelmed Tarkio College of Tarkio, Mo. B.V. was led offensively by Naughton and Waldo Johnson. The latter bulldozed his way for 116 yards in the first half alone. The Owls threatened only once. Most of the contest was played in Tarkio territory. Johnson and Willadsen scored in the first half, and Naughton plunged over for the final Beaver tally in the final quarter.

Buena Vista 32—Yankton 6

In the Armistice Day battle the Beavers spotted Yankton a quick touchdown and then went to work to grind out a 32 to 6 triumph. B.V. scored on passes, an intercepted pass, long runs, and short plunges. The Greyhounds were completely subdued by the Beavers, as Coach Otto used every man on his entire game squad.

Junior Varsity Summary

The Beaver Bees had a short but successful football season, winning two and only losing one.

The Bees made their first appearance of the season against a tough Fort Dodge Junior College eleven and had things under control except for a brief lull at the beginning of the game. The contest was also Assistant Coach Lawrence Winter's debut as a Buena Vista mentor.

The host team took advantage of the Beaver's first quarter lapse and punched across a touchdown with Buckner carrying the ball the last 30 yards and the conversion was good to make the score 7-0.

Bob Lee, Boone halfback, put the Beavers back in the game in the same period as he twisted over from the 3-yard line. A fourth down pass from Bob Allen to Bill Barrett set up the touchdown play. Glen Thuelen's kick was blocked.

In the second quarter Allen again pitched to Barrett for 35 yards, this time for another marker and the Bees took the lead 12-7, as Thuelen's kick was wide. The score remained 12-7 as the game ended with the Bees dominating the play in the second half.

Using a mixture of offensive formation, the Buena Vista Bees downed Northwestern Junior College of Orange City 39-13. The game was played at Bradford Field. It was the Bees' only home game.

The Beavers took an early lead and had the visitors behind 27-0 at the halftime intermission. After the third quarter had started, Coach Lawrence Winter threw a variation of running attacks

at the bewildered Jay Sees.

Spread formation and ten-man offensive lines had the visitors guessing as to what would come next. Nearly every member of the Bee team got his chance to carry the ball.

Halfback Bob Lee set the pace for the Beavers. He scored two of the tallies, one on a 35-yard scamper. Allen, Casey Guenther, "Squish" Hannafan, and Bill Barrett scored the other markers for the winners.

The Buena Vista Bees struck early but faded in the last half before a new Wartburg "B" team, 31-20.

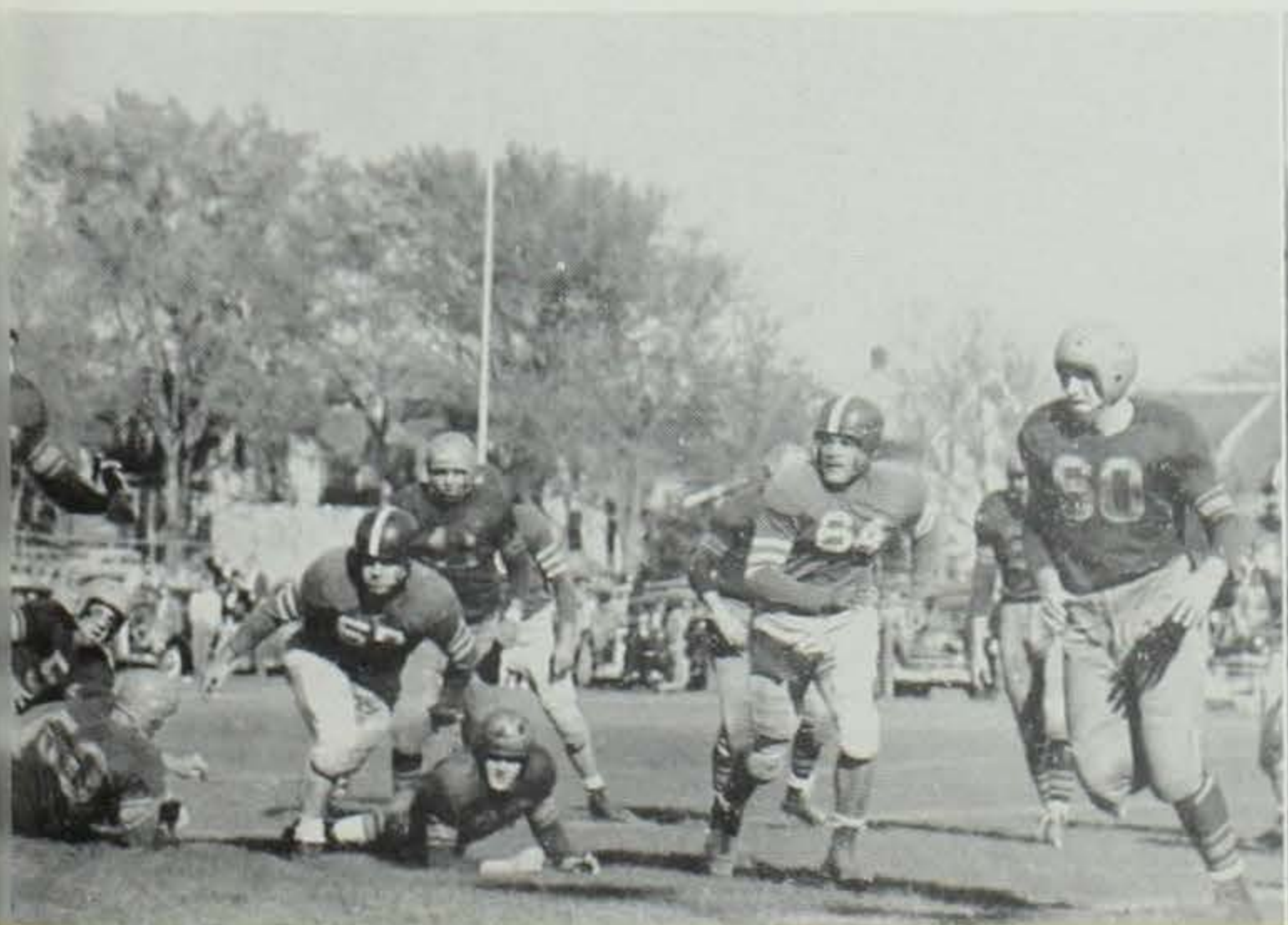
Bobby Lee raced 40 yards of tackles to put the Bees in front 6-0 early in the first period. Glen Thuelen's attempt for the extra point failed. Wartburg was forced to punt, and Lee gathered the ball in on his own 20-yard line. Behind nice blocking, he went 80 yards to score. Thuelen's kick was good, and the score was 13 to 0 at the end of the first period.

Lee scored from 20 yards out in the second quarter, running around the end from a spread play. Thuelen's kick was again good and they led 20 to 0. Wartburg scored late in the second quarter on an 18-yard pass play to make the halftime score 20-6.

A new and rejuvenated Wartburg team came out the second half and overcame the 20-6 score, with the final score standing 31 to 20 in favor of Wartburg.

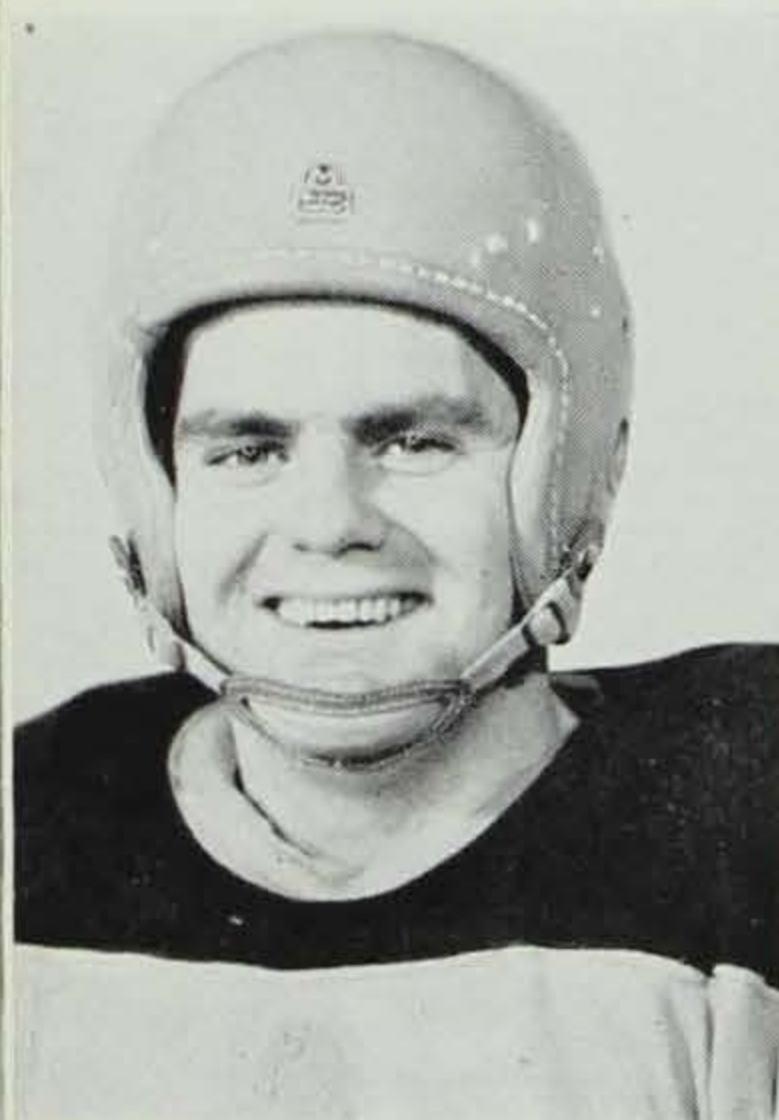
This closed the Beaver Bees' season with every boy playing well and Bobby Lee being the standout.

CASTLE HITS OFF TACKLE FOR EIGHT YARDS

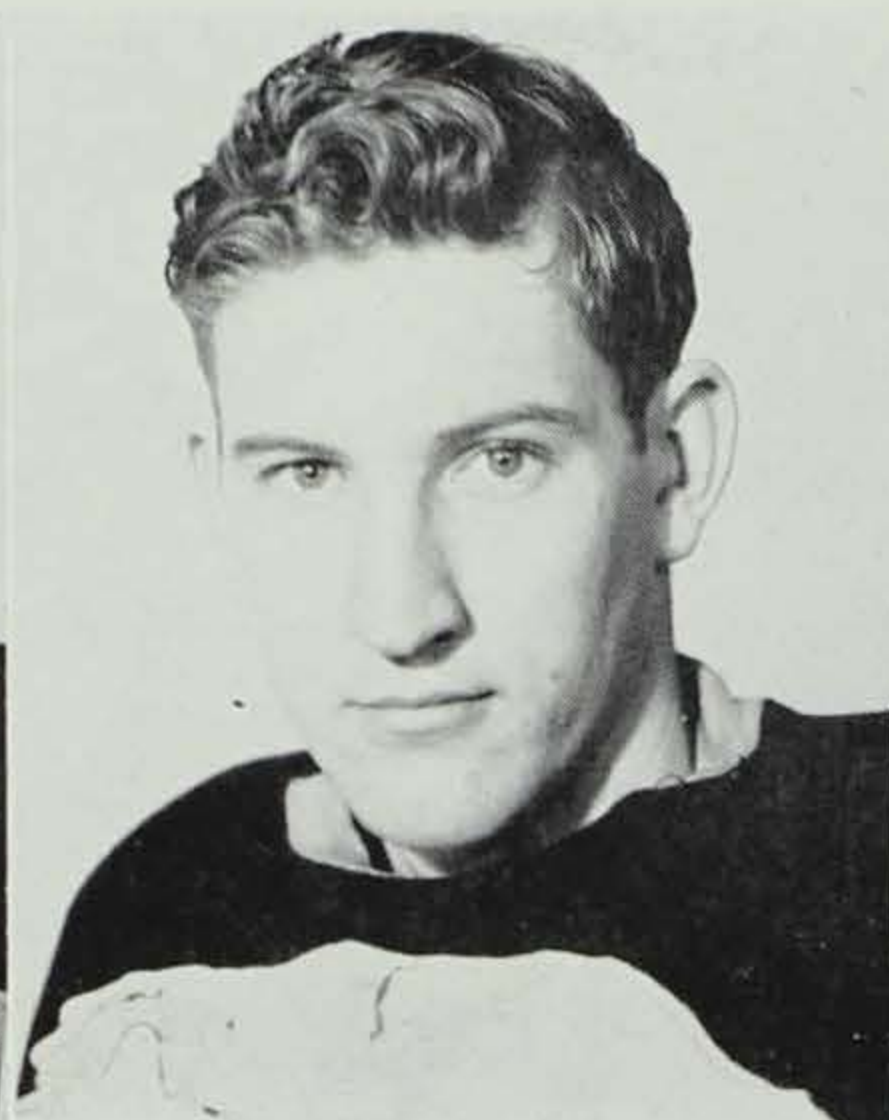


NAUGHTON CRACKS THE LINE

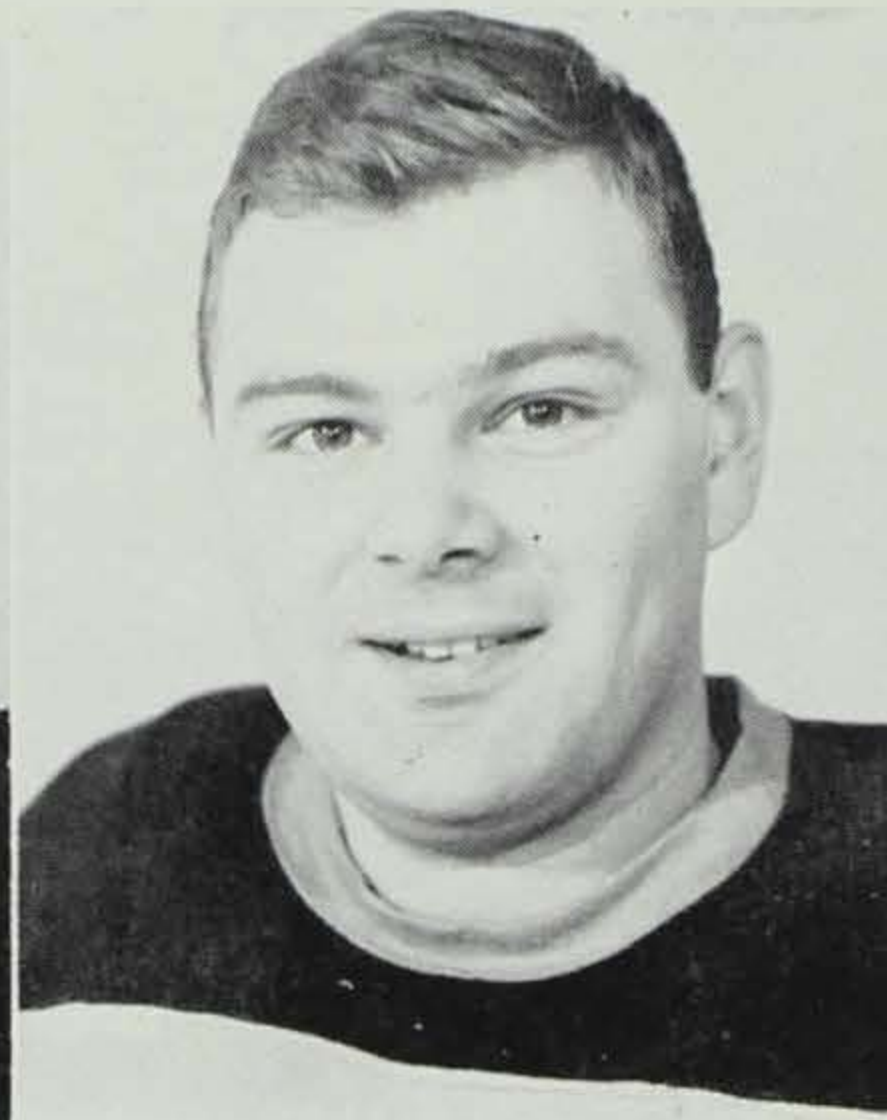




WILLIE SCHNIRRING
Center 190



DWIGHT MAASKE
End 170

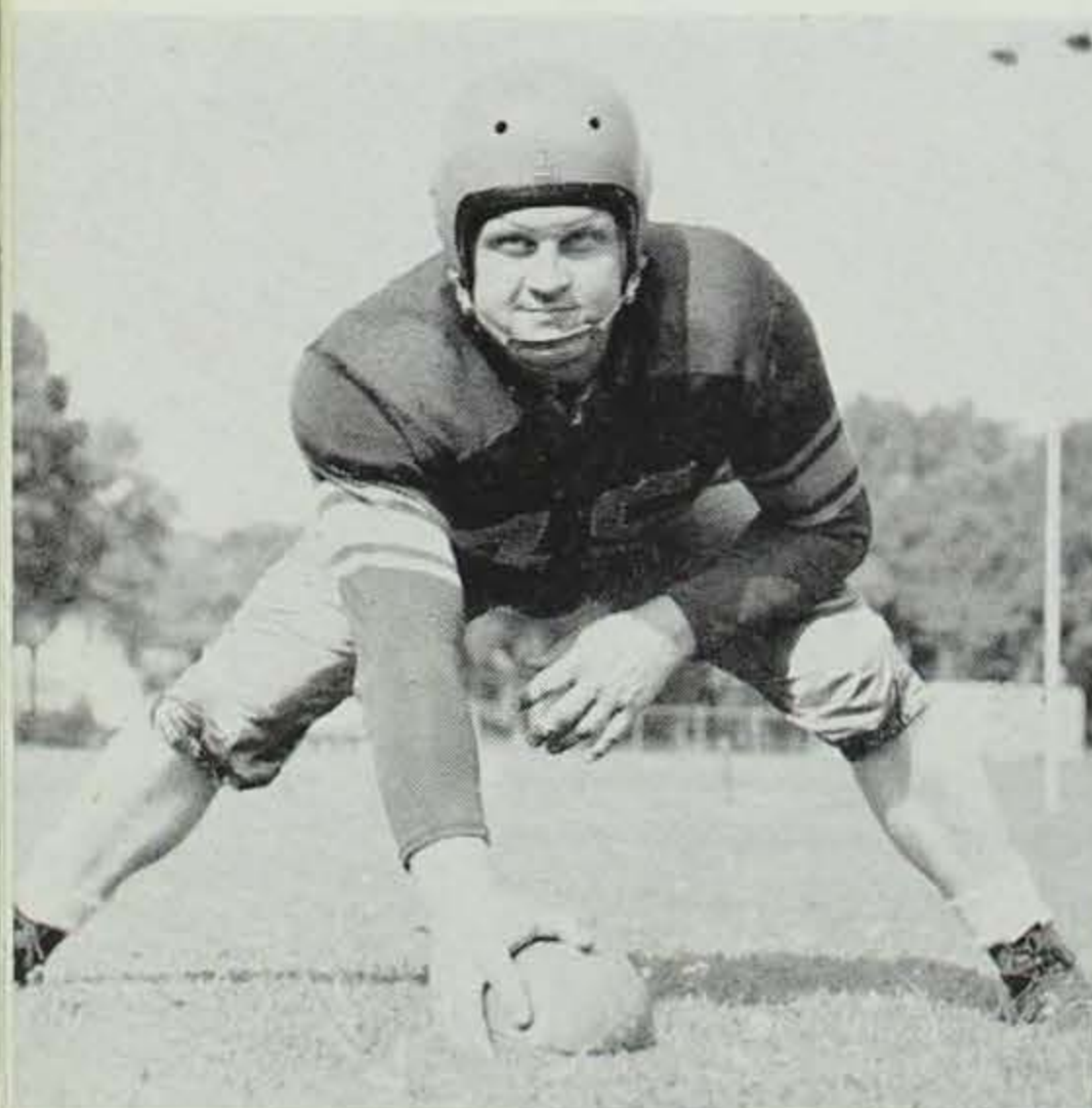


PAUL WHITE
Defensive Center 210

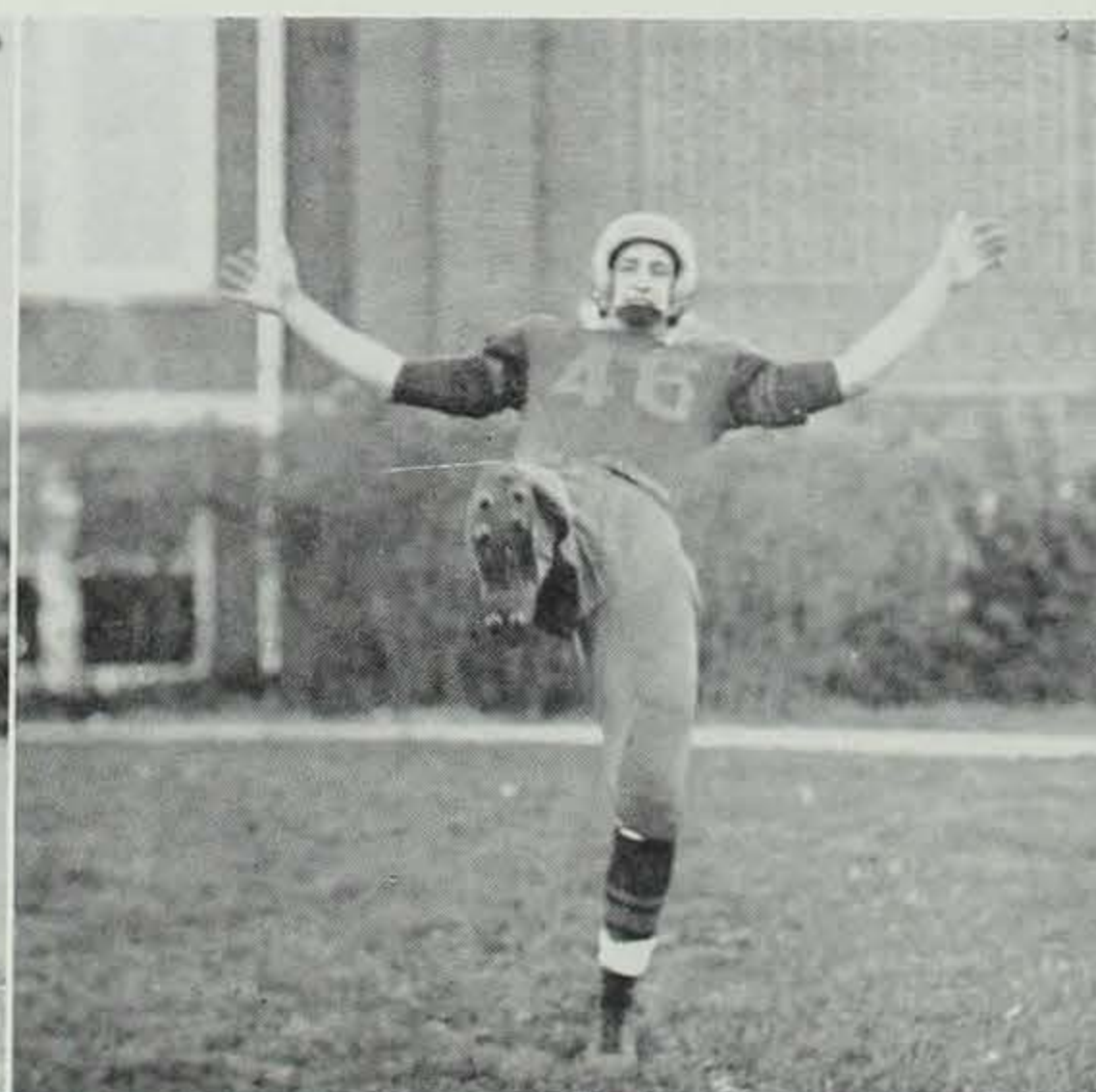


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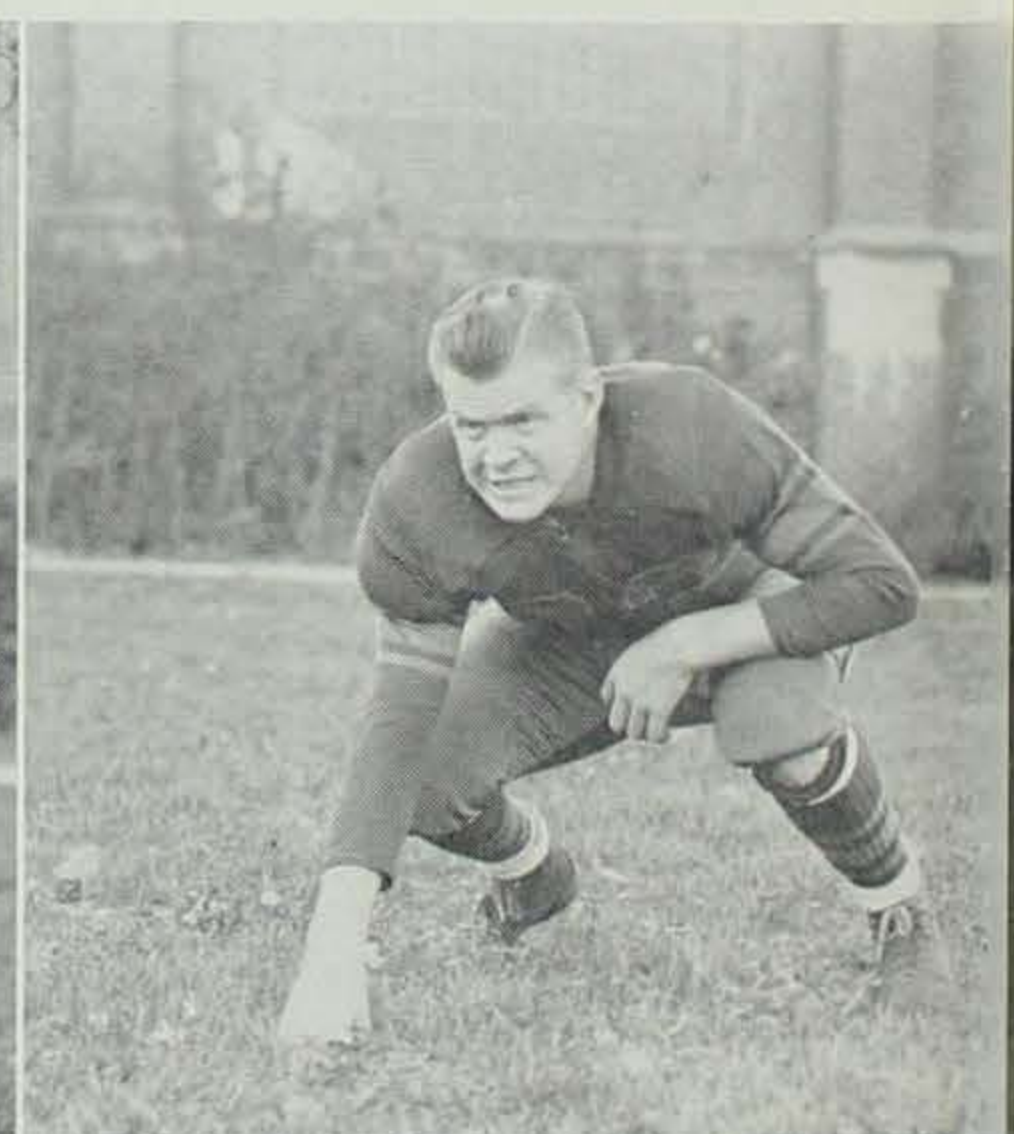
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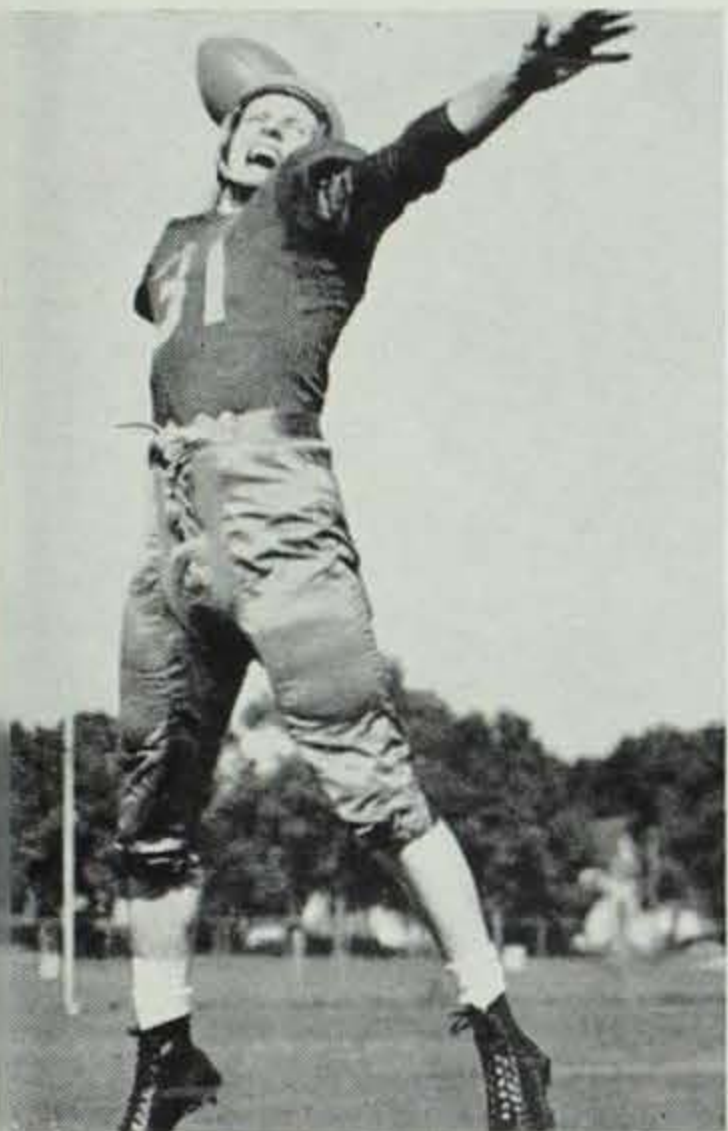
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BILL SAYLOR
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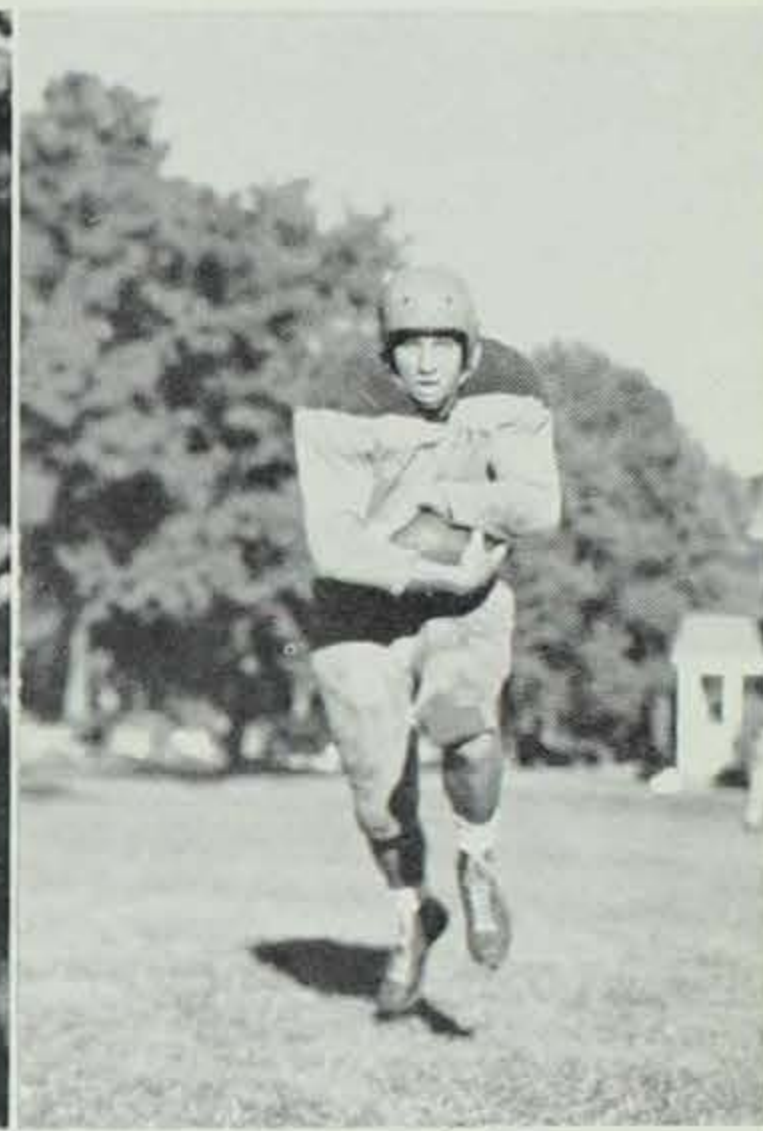
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Quarterback 170



DON CASTLE
Halfback 170

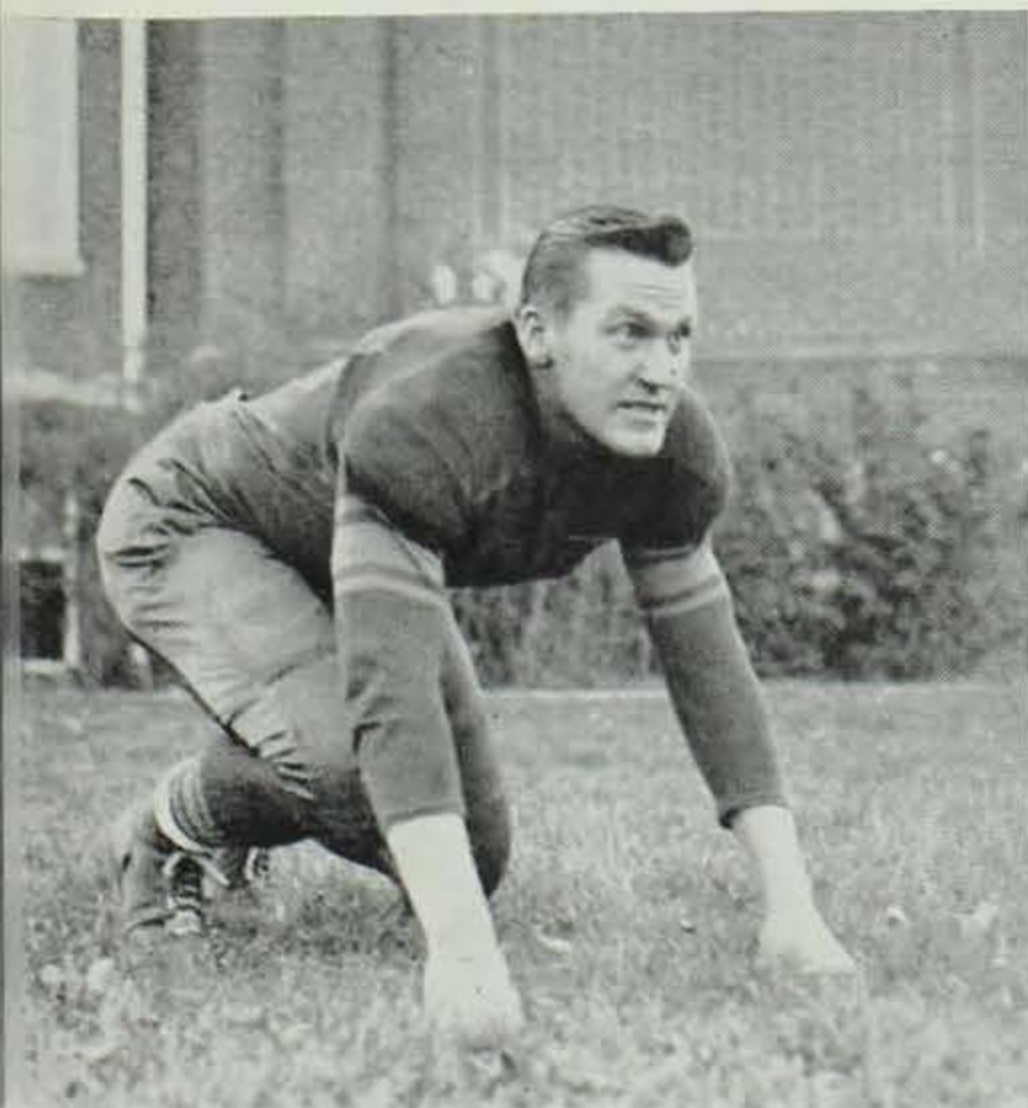


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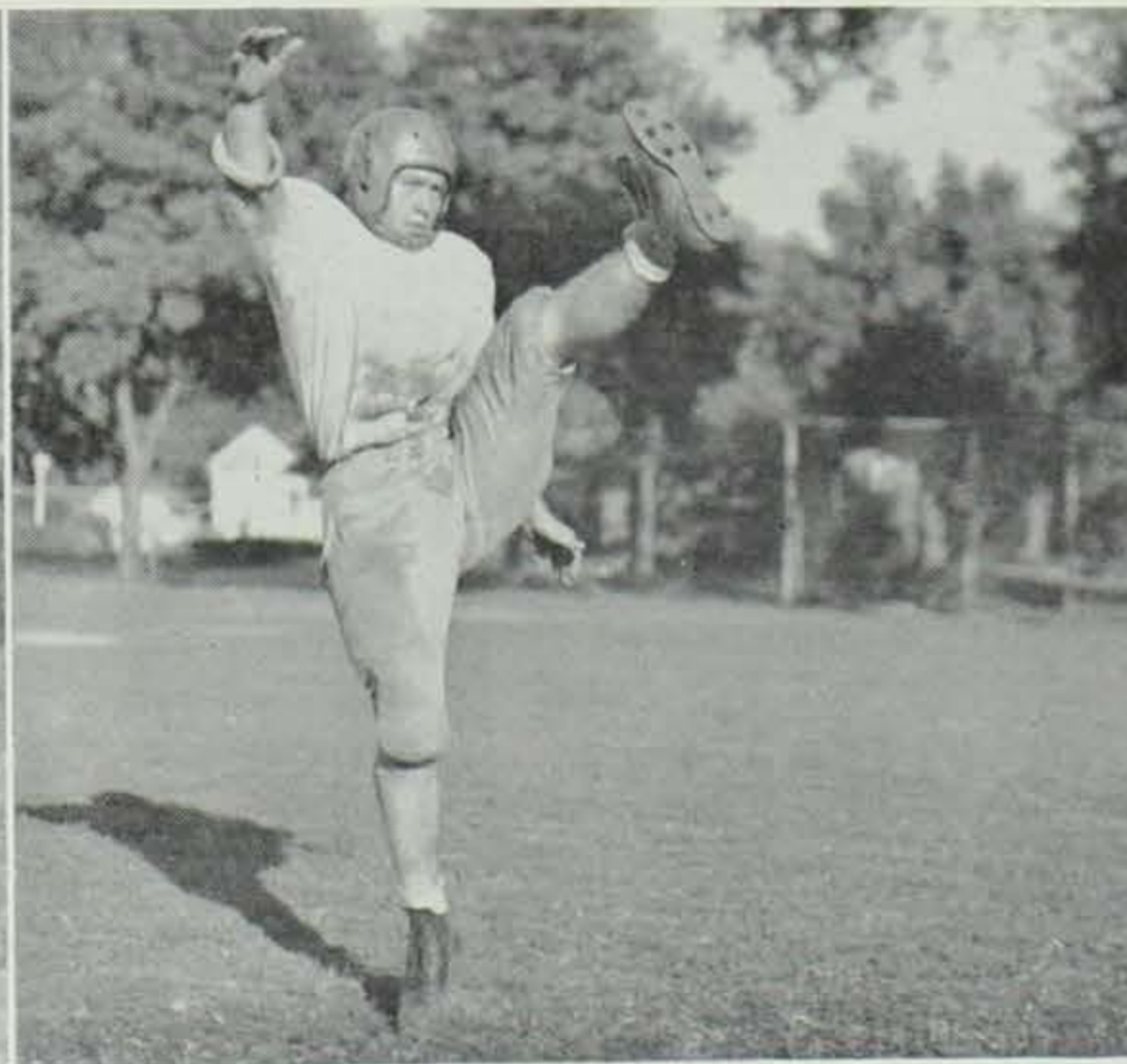


WALDO JOHNSON
Fullback 200

CARMEN NESS
Tackle 205

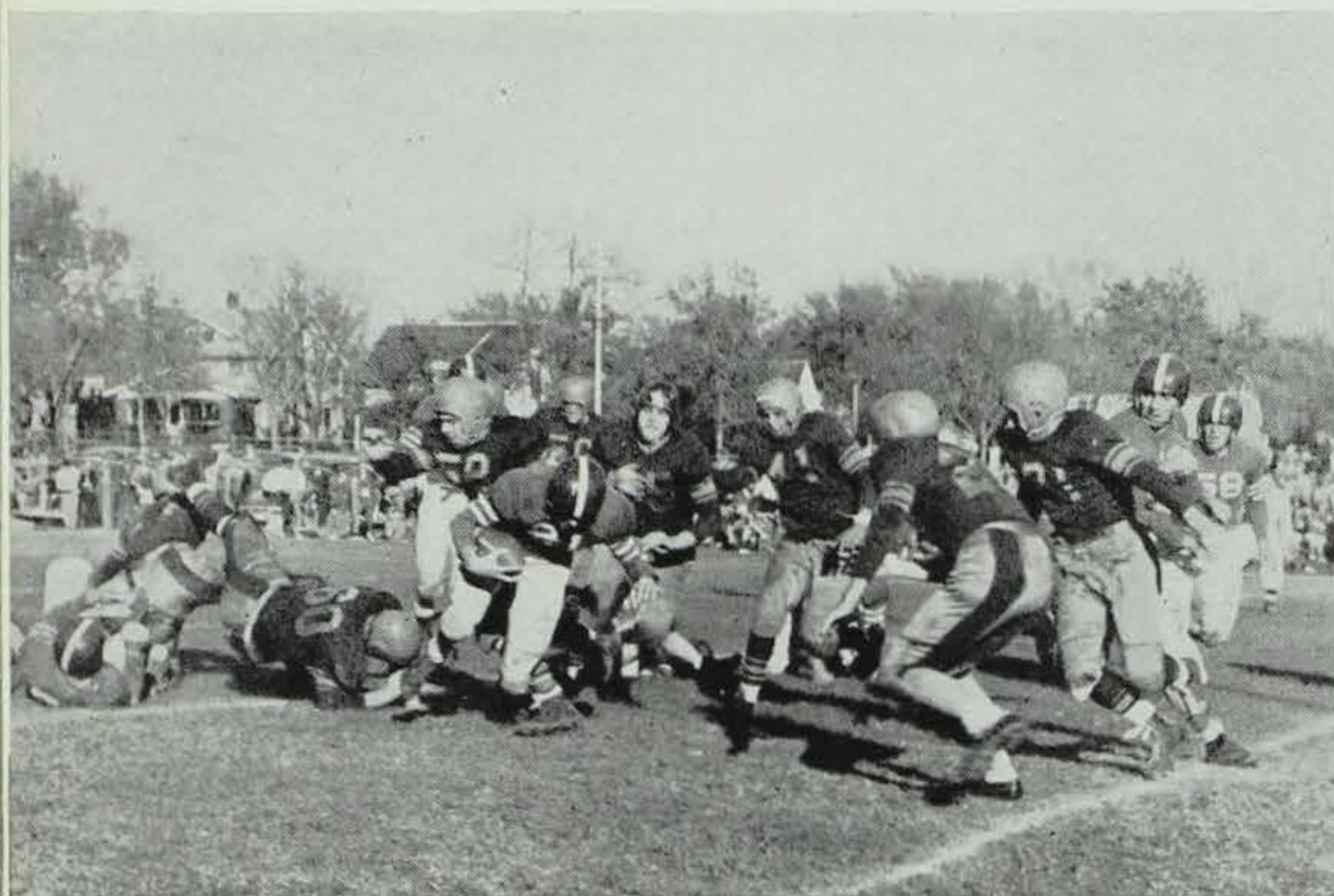


GORDON McKINSTREY
Quarterback 170



FRED LAWSON
Guard 210





BEAVERS CONVERGE FOR TACKLE



CASTLE SKIRTS END

Varsity Football Record

Buena Vista	0	Morningside	19
Buena Vista	19	York	12
Buena Vista	0	Dubuque	19
Buena Vista	26	Huron	26
Buena Vista	0	Wartburg	6
Buena Vista	6	Upper Iowa	0
Buena Vista	6	Westmar	8
Buena Vista	19	Tarkio	0
Buena Vista	32	Yankton	6

Junior Varsity Record

Buena Vista	12	Fort Dodge Junior College	7
Buena Vista	39	Northwestern Junior College	13
Buena Vista	20	Wartburg	31

Varsity Basketball Team



First Row—Naughton, Corey, Speck, Lee, Sankey.
 Second Row—Rhode, Kamprath, Carlson, Powell, Branstetter, Coach Winter.
 Third Row—Miller, Johnson, Jespersen, Poulson, Thieman.

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Gary Corey	100	34	38	234
Bob Lee	72	27	46	171
John Naughton	36	59	56	131
Jerry Speck	35	29	52	99
Sherwin Sankey	36	26	32	98
Don Carlson	20	17	43	57
John Poulson	15	7	17	37
Glenn Thuelen	11	2	18	24
Bill Thieman	7	5	8	19
Gene Bunnelle	6	0	8	12
Charles Branstetter	3	4	8	10
Bob Powell	3	1	7	7
Don Kamprath	2	0	4	4
Buzz Tuttle	0	2	4	2
Dick Beck	1	0	1	2
Gerald Miller	0	1	2	1
Glenn Driscoll	0	1	1	1
Totals	347	215	345	909

Varsity Record

Buena Vista 65	Tarkio	48
Buena Vista 24	Maryville Teachers	54
Buena Vista 51	Globe Trotters	49
Buena Vista 58	Yankton	58
Buena Vista 43	Dubuque	45
Buena Vista 46	Nebraska Wesleyan	50
Buena Vista 65	Upper Iowa	50
Buena Vista 38	Wartburg	55
Buena Vista 60	Loras	73
Buena Vista 42	Luther	59
Buena Vista 55	Yankton	43
Buena Vista 44	Westmar	45
Buena Vista 42	Wartburg	35
Buena Vista 69	Upper Iowa	73
Buena Vista 47	Loras	44
Buena Vista 57	Luther	49
Buena Vista 61	Tarkio	44
Buena Vista 47	Westmar	49

Season Summary

Coach Lawrence Winter in his first year at Buena Vista led the Beavers to eight victories in eighteen games and a third place tie in the northern division of the Iowa Conference. The Beavers racked up 909 points in the 1949-50 campaign, but allowed their opponents a total of 923.

Gary Corey, Greenfield flash, led Buena Vista scoring with a total of 234 points. Corey was selected by his teammates as the most valuable player on the squad. He also was mentioned in all-conference circles, and was picked as the second best long shot in the league. John Naughton, clever Cedar Rapids guard, was elected captain by his mates. Naughton was selected on the second all-conference five in the northern division, being barely nosed out of a first team berth.

Highlight of the season was the Beavers' 47 to 44 victory over the Loras Duhawks. Until Buena Vista turned the trick, no loop foe had whipped the Catholic aggregation. They featured Jim McCabe who set several new conference scoring marks and finished sixth in the nation's scoring. McCabe was held to 29 points in two games against B.V., far below his 24 points per game average.

Westmar College of LeMars was the only team to defeat the Beavers twice. At LeMars B.V. lost an overtime affair 46 to 45, and at home lost on a last second hope shot 49 to 47.

The Beavers opened their season on December 2, with a game at Tarkio, Mo., dumping the Owls 65 to 48. The following evening Maryville State Teachers thumped B.V. 54 to 24. The Maryville quintet was one of the toughest faced all year by the Beavers. Hennington, 6-ft. 7-in., was the tallest of a crew that averaged 6-ft., 4½-in.

The Beavers played their first home game against Grund's Globe Trotters of Des Moines. Free throws by Don Carlson and Bob Lee, both in the final 15 seconds, enabled B.V. to triumph. It was the first defeat of the season for the Trotters after 33 stright victories.

Here the Beavers hit a snag, losing six of seven games. This started with a much discussed loss to

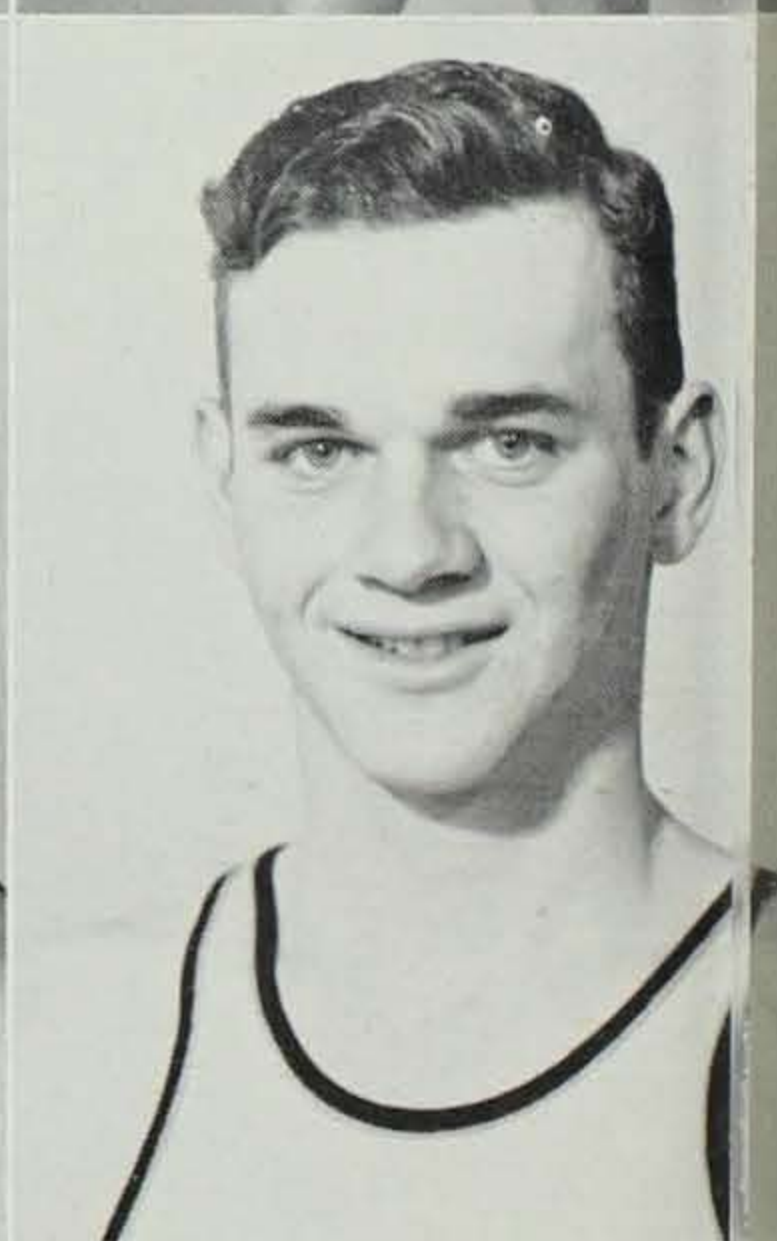
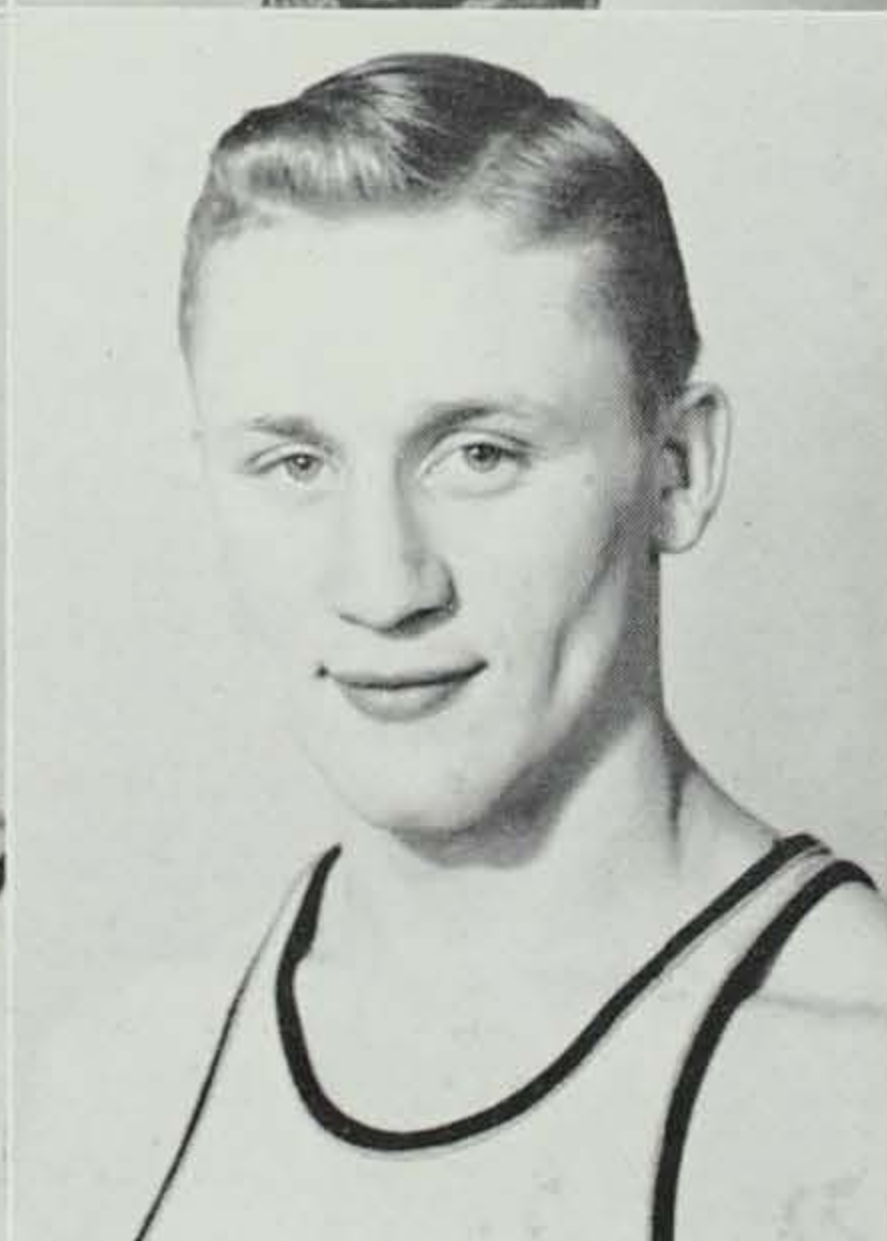
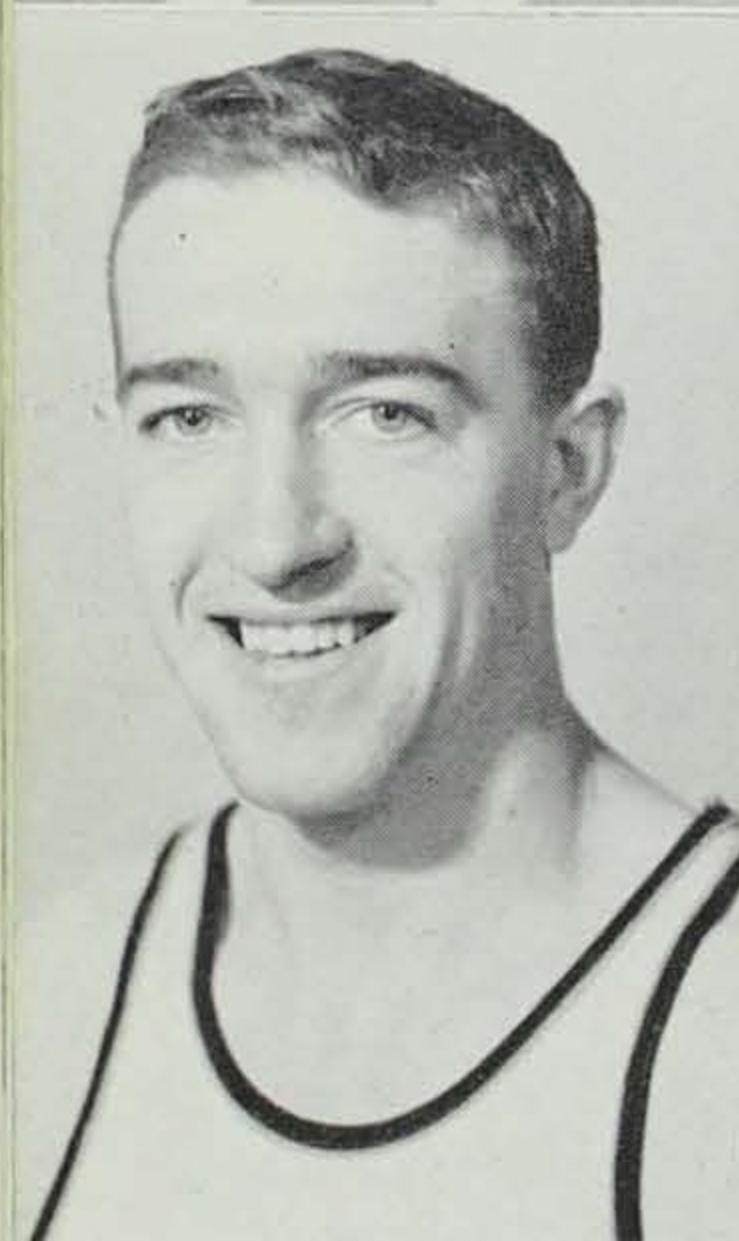
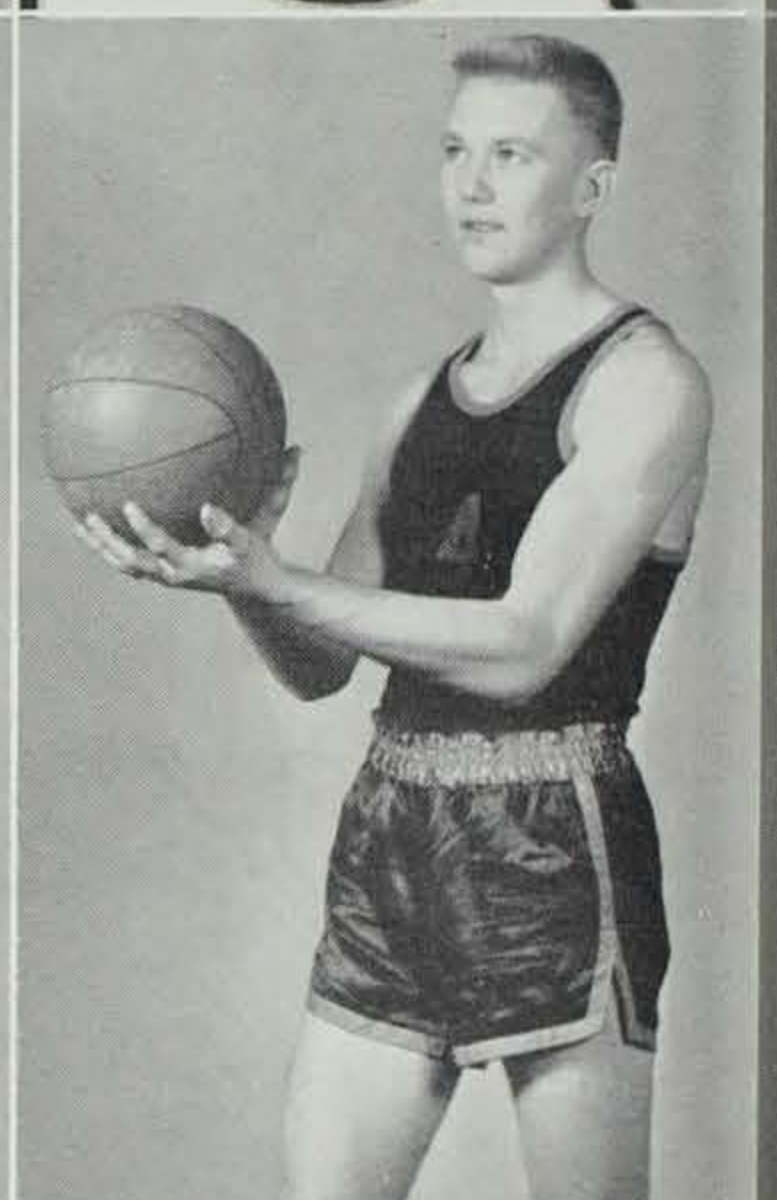
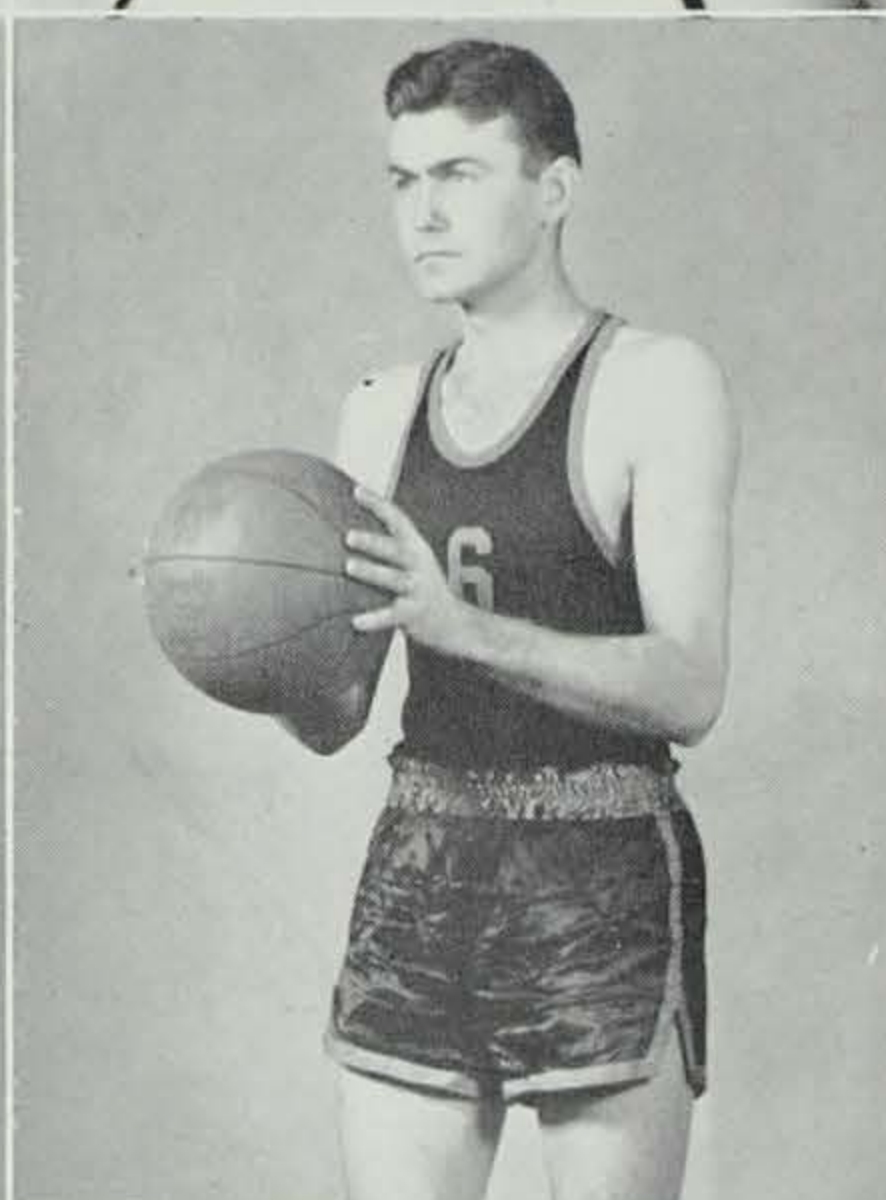
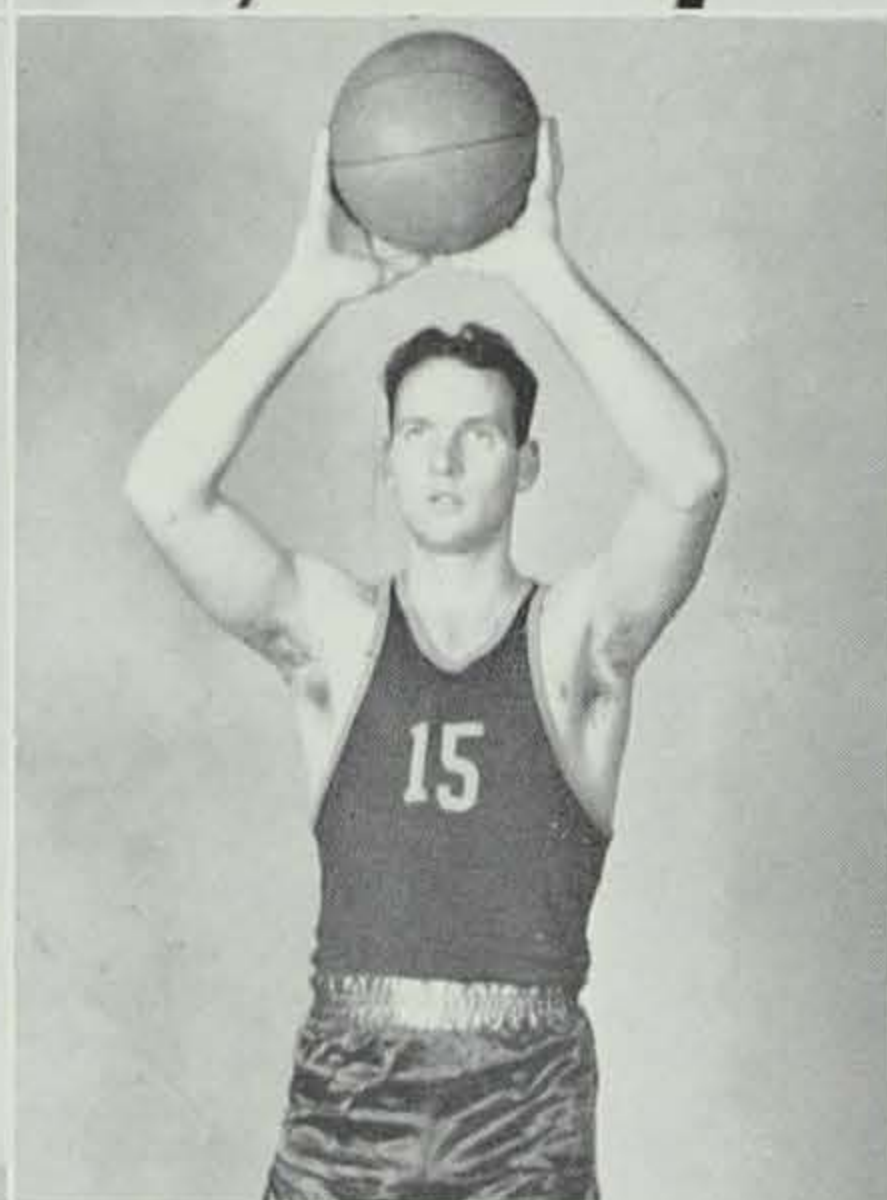
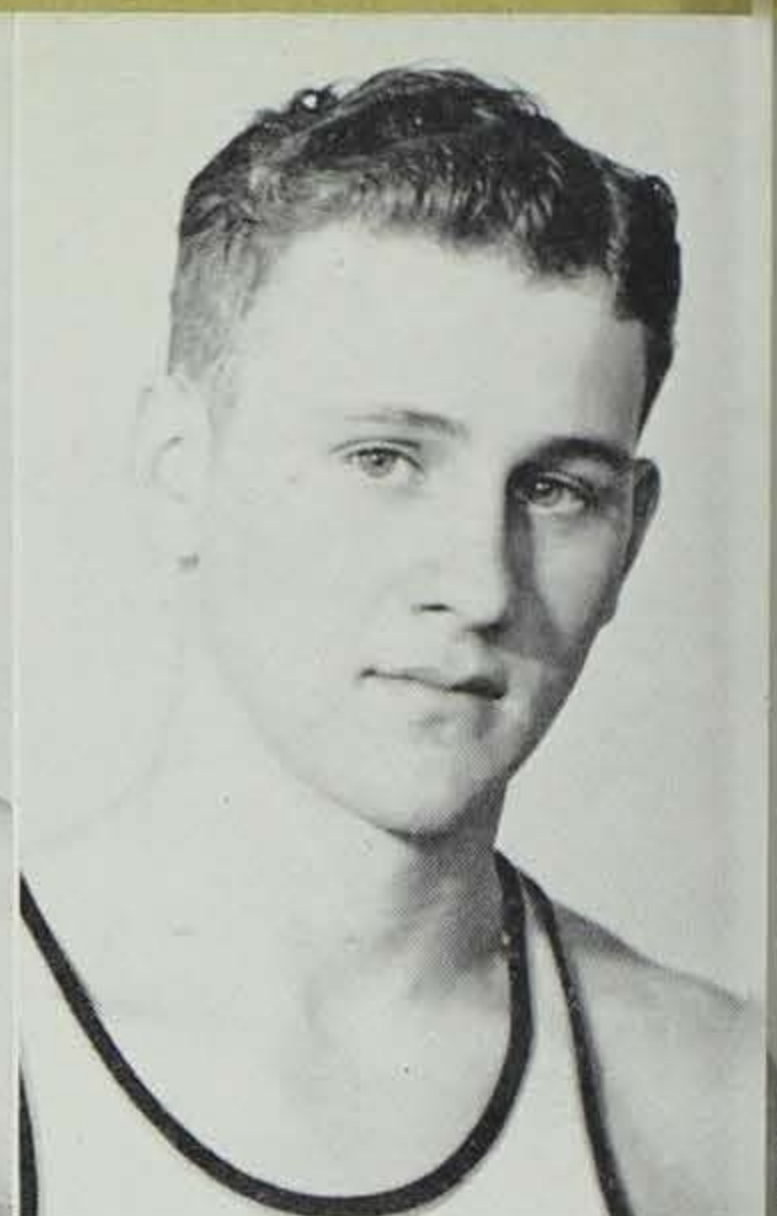
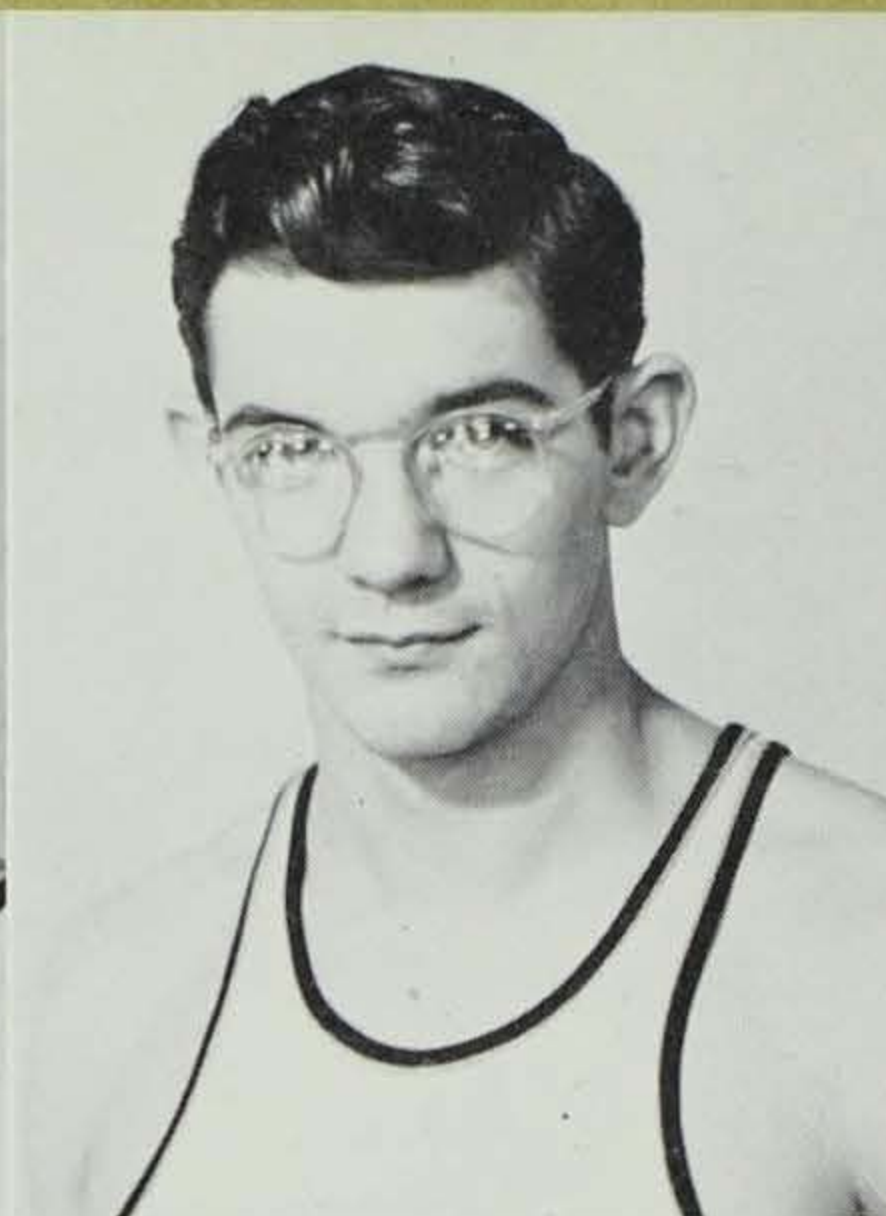
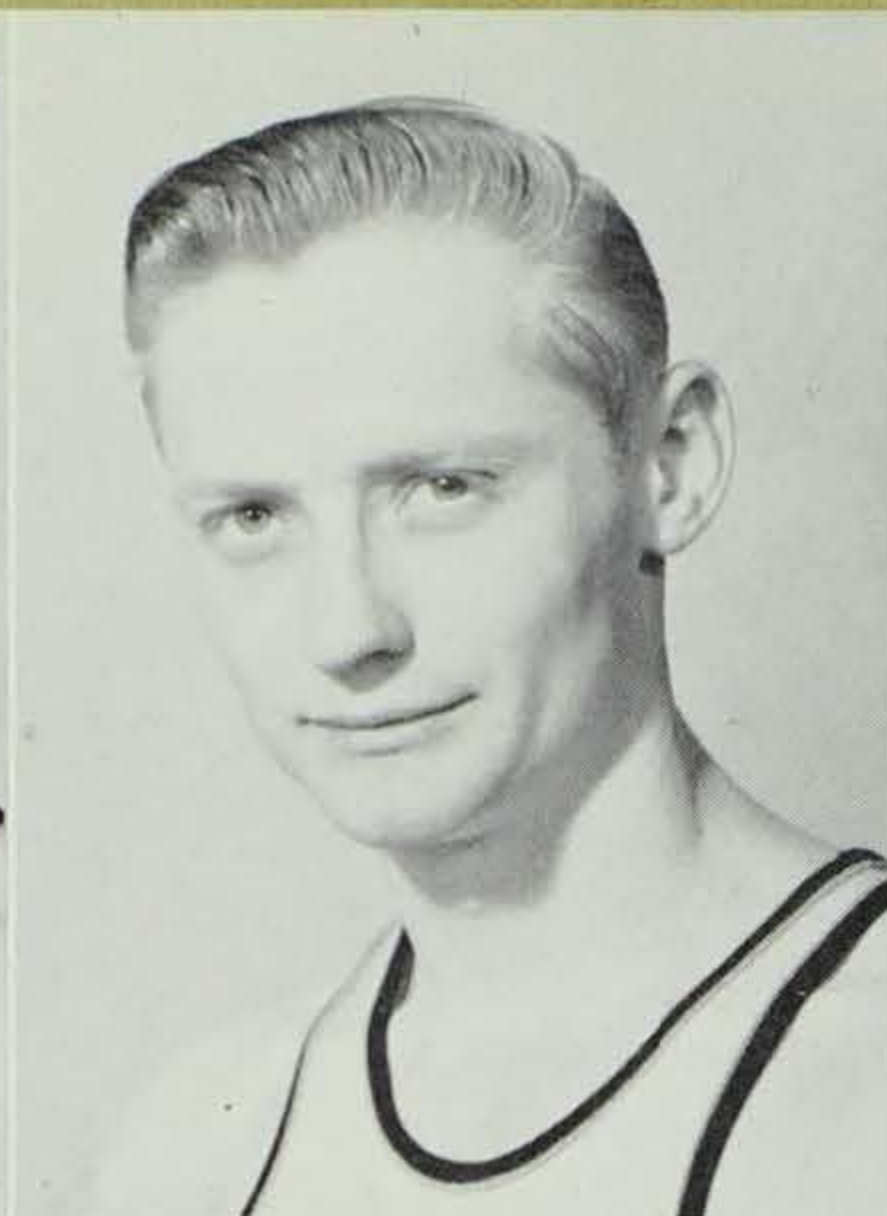
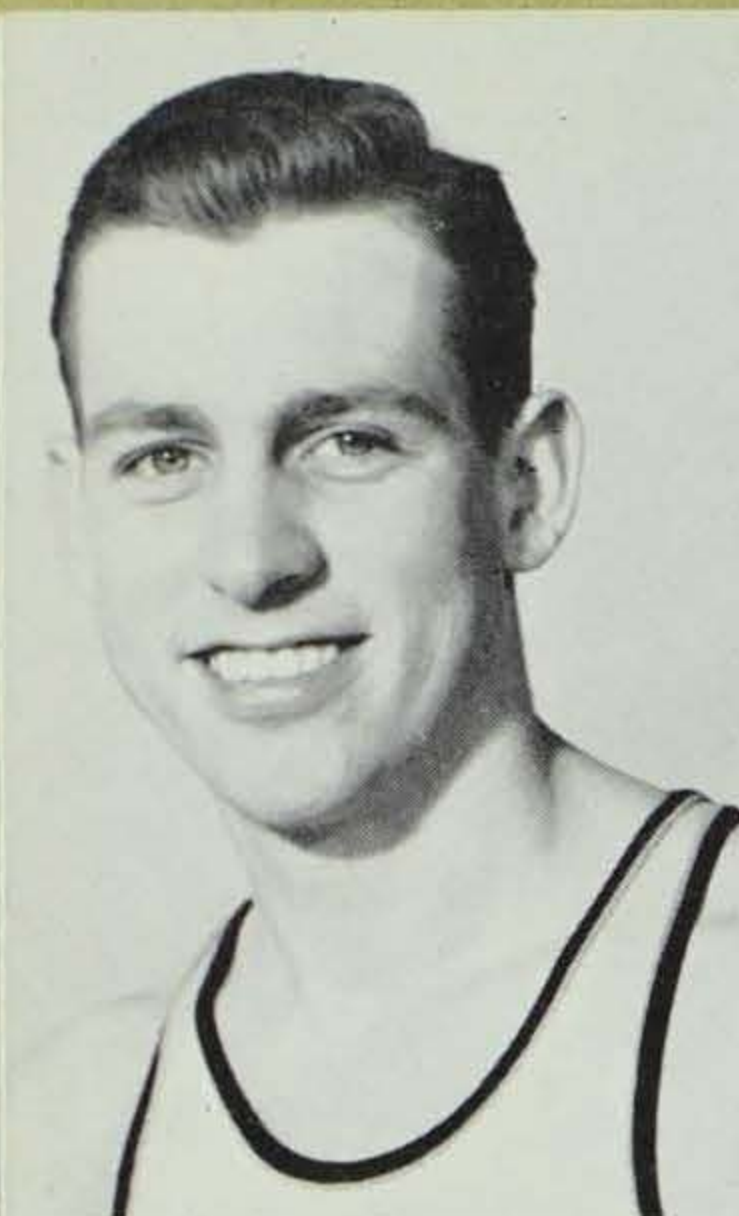
Yankton 58 to 53. Corey led B.V. with a total of 18. A basket by big LeRoy Watts in the last five seconds gave Dubuque U. a 45 to 43 win. Nebraska Wesleyan, riding on the crest of a 10-game victory string, came to Storm Lake and handed B.V. another close defeat 50 to 46.

A well deserved 65 to 50 win over Upper Iowa was followed by close losses to Wartburg, Loras, and Luther. Gary Corey's 22-point effort against the Duhawks was the high single game total by a Buena Vista player during the campaign.

The Beavers finished with four straight home games, and came up on top in three of them. They defeated Loras 47 to 44, and Luther 57 to 49, thus avenging previous losses. They also dumped Tarkio for the second time by a 17-point margin 61 to 44. Bobby Lee led the team in the second half surge that broke a 21 to 21 halftime deadlock.

Much of the heavy load of the season was carried by seven reliable players, Gary Corey, John Naughton, John Poulson, Bob Lee, Sherwin Sankey, Jerry Speck, and Don Carlson. They led a hard luck team that lost five games by a total five points or less. Many of the losses were due to the Beavers' inability to capitalize on free throws and an excessive amount of fouling. Many of the fouls were due to the fact that B.V. gave away a decided height advantage in nearly every contest.

Coach Winter used a total of seventeen men in varsity ball games. Of these, thirteen earned major monograms. With only four of the thirteen seniors left, prospects appear brighter for next year. The letter winners are: Gary Corey, Greenfield, senior; Bob Lee, Boone, sophomore; John Naughton, Cedar Rapids, senior; Jerry Speck, Perry, sophomore; Sherwin Sankey, Ute, freshman; Don Carlson, Marathon, sophomore; John Poulson, Newell, senior; Don Kamprath, Yorktown, freshman; Bill Thieman, Albert City, sophomore; Charles Branstetter, Milford, freshman; Bob Powell, Kingsley, sophomore; Gerald Miller, senior, and Norman Johnson, freshman, both of Fairview.



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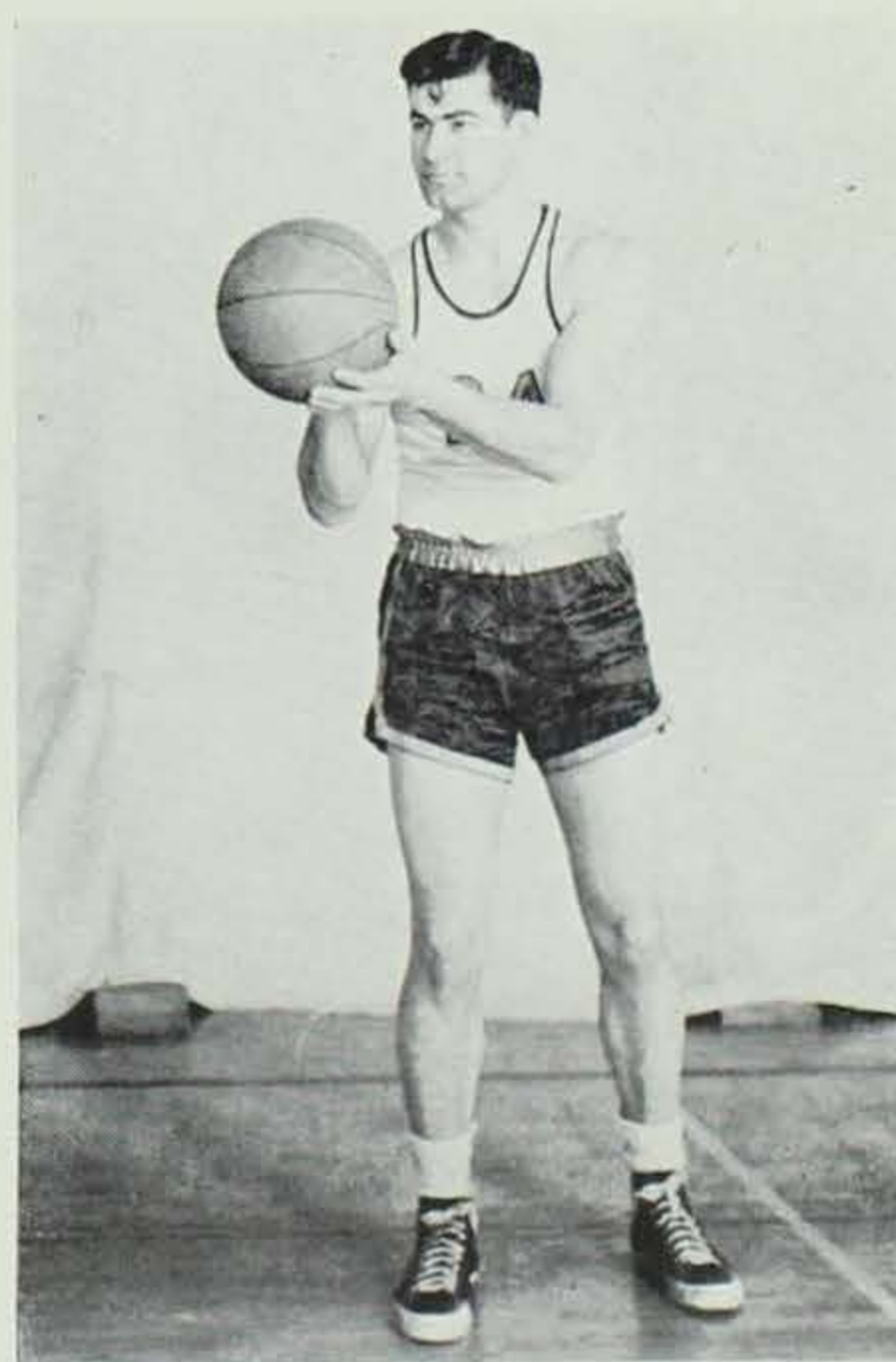
Norman Johnston

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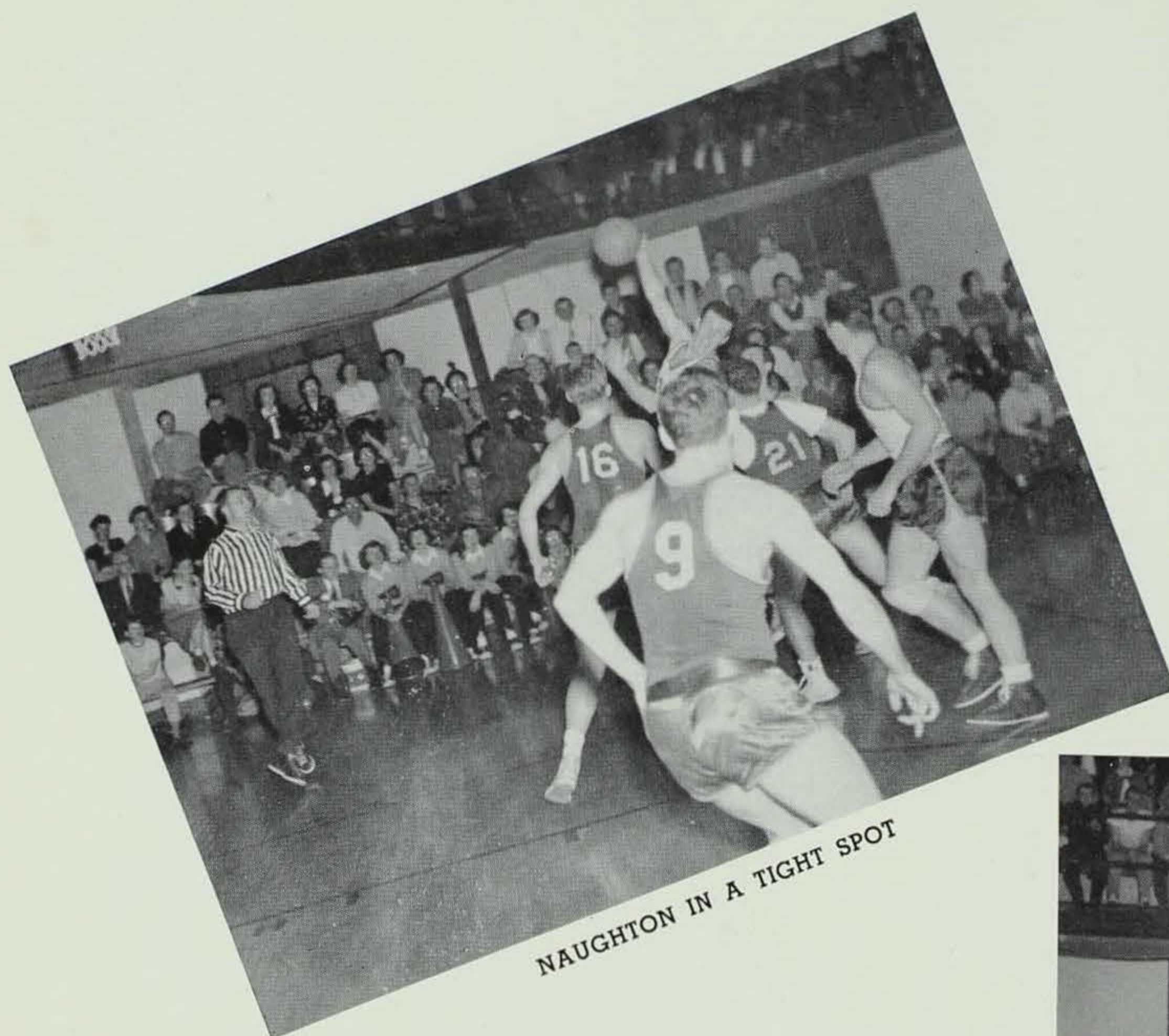
Hardwood Aces

DON KAMPRATH*	6-ft. 2-in. Freshman	Forward	Alta
— <i>Watch this boy in future years</i>			
GERALD MILLER**	5-ft. 10-in. Senior	Forward	Alta
— <i>Quick as a cat on defense</i>			
CHARLES BRANSTETTER*	5-ft. 11-in. Freshman	Guard	Milford
— <i>Exceptional rebounder</i>			
NORMAN JOHNSON*	5-ft. 11-in. Freshman	Guard	Alta
— <i>Also bears watching</i>			
JOHN POULSON****	5-ft. 11-in. Senior	Guard	Newell
— <i>Old-timer of squad</i>			
GERALD SPECK**	6-ft. 3-in. Sophomore	Center	Perry
— <i>Excellent pivot player</i>			
SHERWIN SANKEY*	6-ft. 1-in. Freshman	Guard	Ute
— <i>Outstanding first-year man</i>			
DON CARLSON*	6-ft. 1-in. Sophomore	Center	Marathon
— <i>Keep an eye on him</i>			
BOB LEE**	5-ft. 11-in. Sophomore	Forward	Boone
— <i>Tricky and a good scorer</i>			
BILL THIEMAN**	5-ft. 9-in. Sophomore	Forward	Albert City
— <i>A real hustler</i>			
JOHN NAUGHTON**	5-ft. 10-in. Senior	Guard	Cedar Rapids
— <i>All-conference selection</i>			
BOB POWELL*	6-ft. 2-in. Sophomore	Center	Kingsley
— <i>Will develop for next season</i>			
GARY COREY* (Most Valuable)	5-ft. 11-in. Senior	Forward	Greenville
— <i>Top point-maker</i>			



GERALD COREY
Most Valuable Player

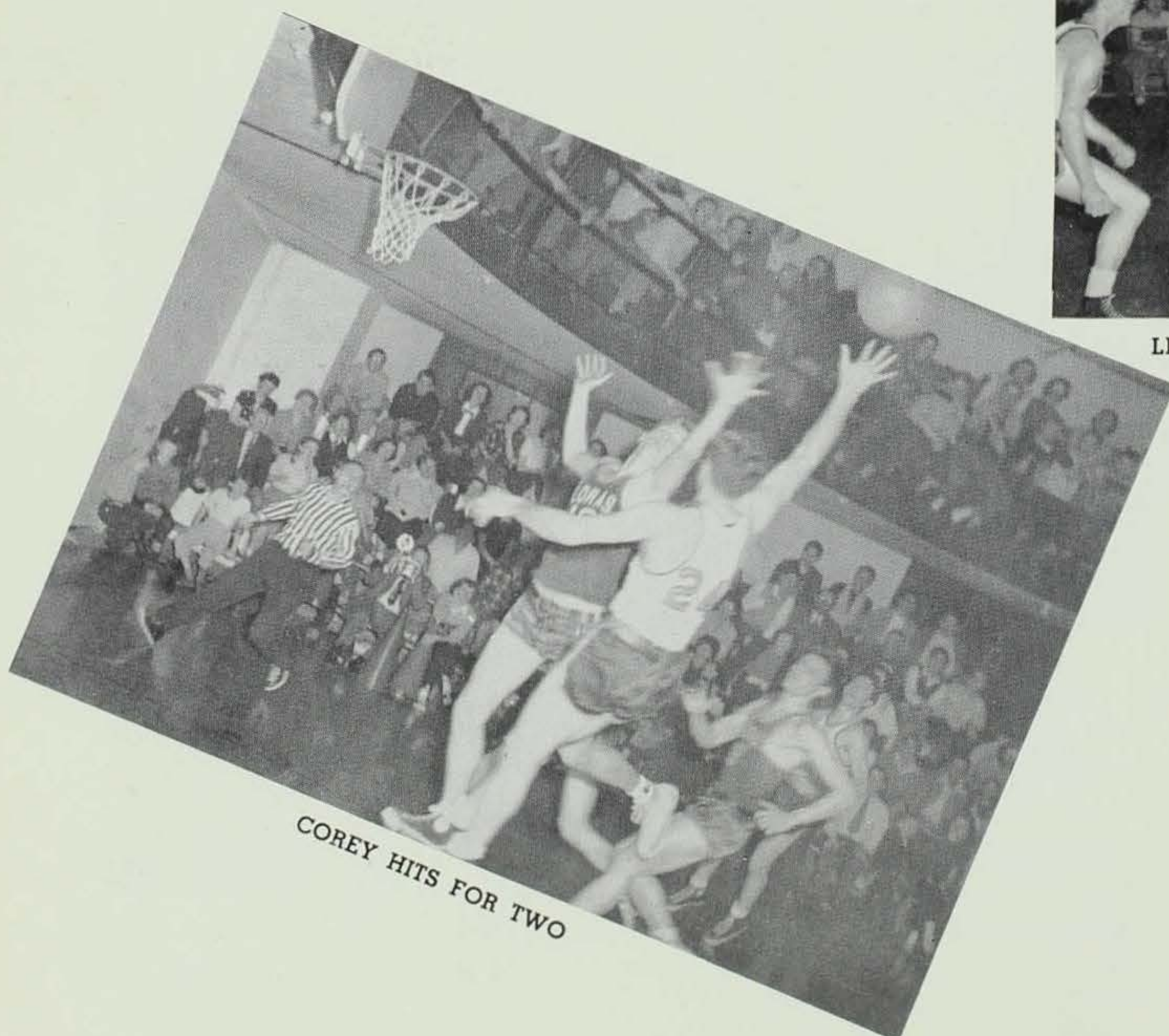
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NAUGHTON IN A TIGHT SPOT

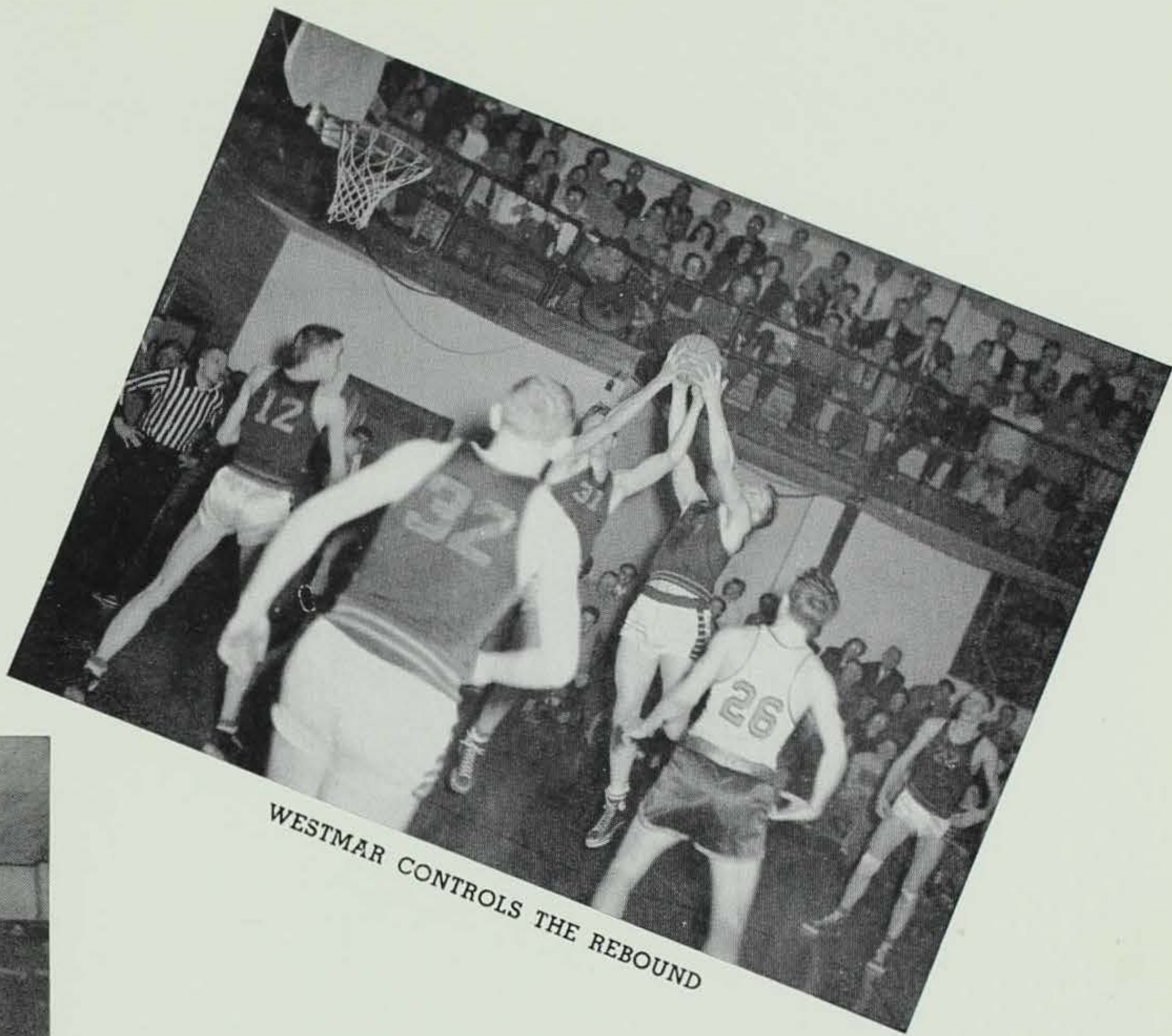


LEE GOES HIGH IN THE AIR

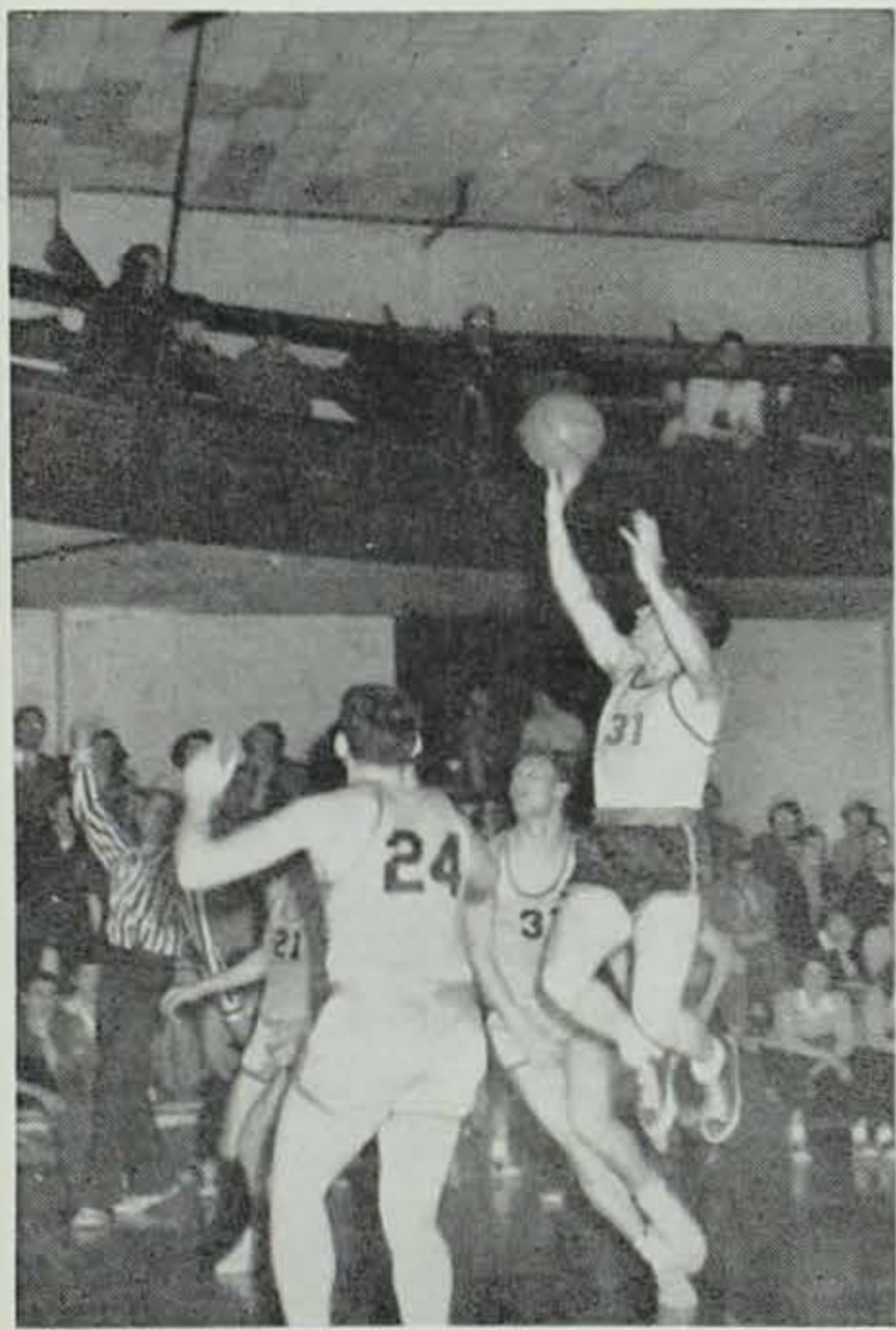


COREY HITS FOR TWO

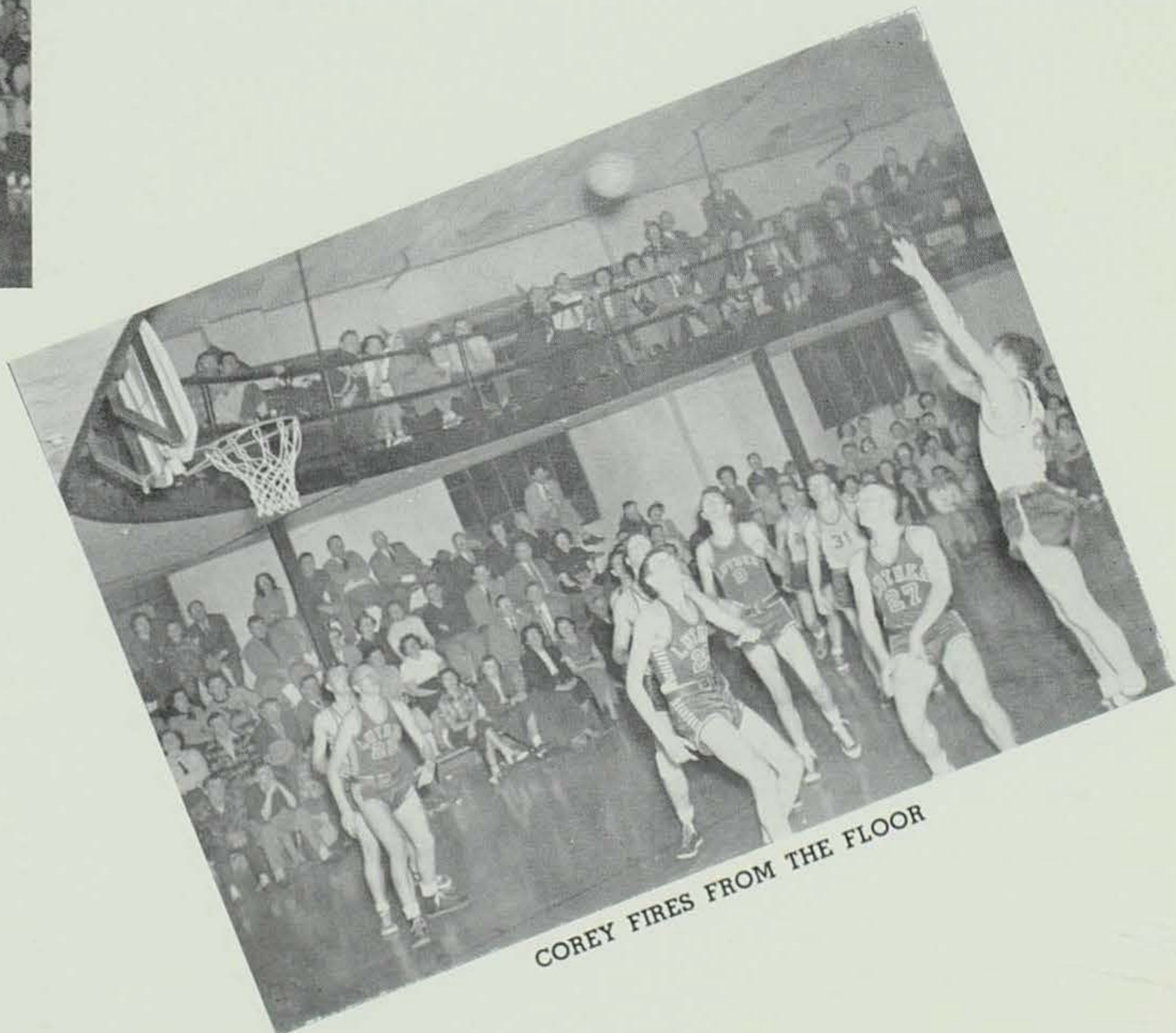
Victory Hall



WESTMAR CONTROLS THE REBOUND



JUMP SHOT BY NAUGHTON



COREY FIRES FROM THE FLOOR

Junior Varsity Basketball



First Row—Ralph Shriner, David Ford, Duane Klett, Oliver Vogt, Verl Southwick.
Second Row—Arne Ogren, Charles Black, Coach Otto, Dwight Maaske, Wilferd Barrett.

The Buena Vista junior varsity had another very successful season under the guidance of Coach Bob Otto. The little Beavers won seven games and lost only three. They played some of the better independent teams in this part of Iowa. Two of the three defeats were administered by the powerful Storm Lake Amvets. This club was composed mainly of former B.V. varsity performers. The other defeat was a one-point heart breaker to Correctionville.

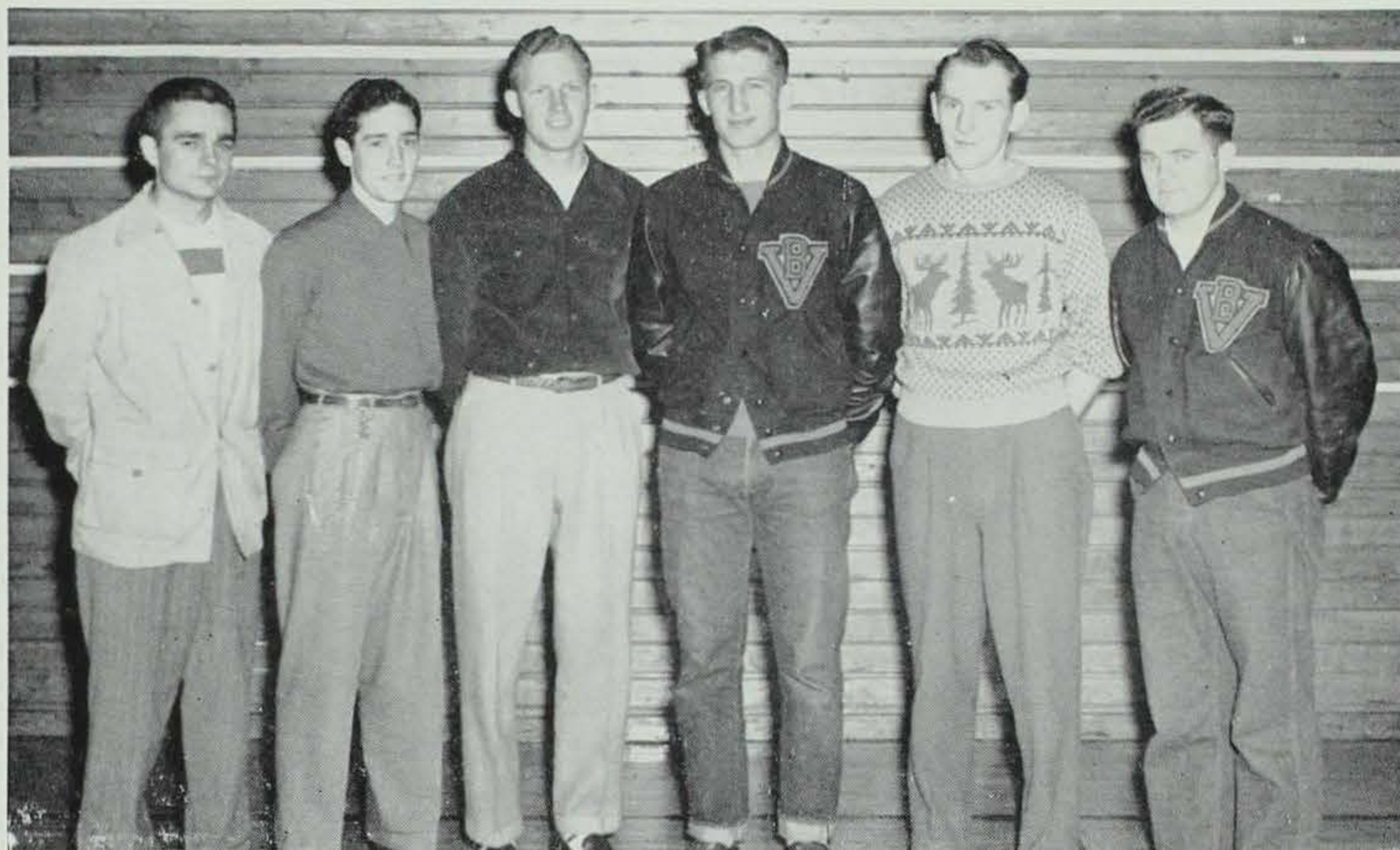
Highlights of the season were two victories over the Westmar B-squad. Coming from a 15 to 1 first period deficit, the Bees slammed back to win at LeMars 39 to 25. The other victory over

Westmar was a 35 to 34 thriller at home.

Dwight Maaske, Dave Ford, Ollie Vogt, and Arnold Ogren provided the Bees with plenty of offensive punch. The team averaged 52.3 points per game to 42.3 for the foe. Ogren, a newcomer the second semester, led the scorers with a 12.2 average.

Charles Branstetter and Norm Johnson played good ball before being advanced to the varsity squad. Dutch Shriner, Duane Klett, Verle Southwick, and Charlie Black were the defensive backbones of the team and were all tough on the back boards.

Intramural Basketball



Left to Right—Stu Eischeid, Hurley Hughes, Jack Henneberry, Dobber Theiss, Glenn Driscoll, Roland Dawson. **Not Pictured**—Terry Knott.

The intramural basketball league was the largest undertaking of the intramural sports department. It was under direction of Athletic Director Ken Blackman and League President Dick Utter.

The league was divided into two sections composed of five teams in each. At the conclusion of the round-robin schedule a tournament was held. A team managed by Stu Eischeid edged Kevin Genther's quintet 34 to 33 for the championship. The championship squad was awarded gold medals

and the runnersup silver ones.

Rounding out the men's intramural program was touch football in the fall and softball in the spring. These activities represent a great deal of enjoyment, exercise, and excitement for the men of the college.

The girls' intramural program was under the direction of Miss Jessie Cameron. The girls participated in tennis, badminton, volleyball and softball tournaments.



First Row—Paul Maaske, Jim Waters, Marvin Stille, Ralph Shriner, Buddy Yambor, Bill Thieman.
Second Row—Jim Fanning, John Naughton, John Nickelson, Gordon LeWarne, John Poulson, Oliver Vogt.
Third Row—Coach Kenny Blackman, Glen Stabelfield, Richard Wenger, Bob Powell, Roger Jorgenson, Roland Dawson.

Iowa Conference Co-Champions

Buena Vista	23	Westmar	*1
Buena Vista	15	Monmouth	4
Buena Vista	11	Concordia	4
Buena Vista	2	Shurtleff	6
Buena Vista	16	Wartburg	*7
Buena Vista	16	South Dakota State	3
Buena Vista	13	Grand Forks, N. D.	12
Buena Vista	23	Westmar	*4
Buena Vista	5	Luther	*2
Buena Vista	4	Upper Iowa	*2
Buena Vista	5	So. Dakota University	1
Buena Vista	12	Wartburg	*1
Buena Vista	7	Morningside	9
Buena Vista	5	South Dakota State	0
Buena Vista	13	Morningside	5
Buena Vista	5	So. Dakota University	0
Buena Vista	17	Upper Iowa	*4

*Conference Games

Baseball Review

Ken Blackman's mighty Buena Vista baseball team slashed their way through a seventeen game schedule, winning fifteen and losing only two. Undeclared in conference play with a total of seven wins, the Beavers had to be content as co-champs of the Iowa Conference. The Simpson Redmen refused all challenges to play off the tie.

The Beavers had seven competent starting pitchers and a lusty .364 team batting average. They averaged eleven runs per game to a meager three for the opponents.

The 1949 Buena Vista team pioneered in two fields. The Beavers took a week long southern trip into Illinois and Missouri. Also they delved into night baseball at Storm Lake's beautiful Memorial ball park.

Highlights of the season included a 13 to 12 victory over Grand Forks, N. D., a class C Yankee

farm club. Glen Stablefield did a nice job of relief pitching to receive credit for the win. John Poulson poled two homers, one with the bases jammed. Buddy Yambor hit for the circuit with a home run, triple, double, single, and a walk.

Dutch Shriner pitched his third successive undefeated season. He defeated Monmouth, Morning-side, and Upper Iowa twice. Pewee Wenger, freshman hurler from Albert City, won three games while losing none. His best performance was a one-hit stint against Wartburg, striking out 18. Glen Stablefield was also undefeated while winning four. He was master over Westmar, Wartburg, Luther, and Grand Forks. Big Jerry Speck, also undefeated, won impressive victories over South Dakota U. and South Dakota State. Roger Jorgenson hurled a 5 to 0 shut-out against South Dakota State.

STATISTICS

	AB	H	AV.
Jim Waters.....	81	21	.259
Paul Maaske, lf.....	76	29	.382
John Poulson, ss.....	70	25	.357
Joe Yambor, 2b.....	73	41	.562
Jim Fanning, c.....	79	34	.430
Gordon LeWarne, cf.....	33	12	.364
Marvin Stille, rf.....	66	18	.273
John Nickelson, 1b.....	59	17	.288
First Team Average.....			.364
John Naughton, cf.....	39	7	.179
Bill Thieman, ss.....	3	1	.333
Ralph Shriner, p.....	23	9	.391
Glen Stabelfield, p.....	14	4	.286
LeRoy Hensley, rf.....	10	2	.200
Jerry Speck, p.....	6	2	.333
Bob Powell, p.....	7	1	.143
Richard Wenger, p.....	9	0	.000
Gary Corey,ss.....	3	0	.000
Ollie Vogt, c.....	1	0	.000
Bill Walter, p.....	4	1	.250
Roger Jorgenson, p.....	4	0	.000
Squad Average, counting pitchers.....			.252

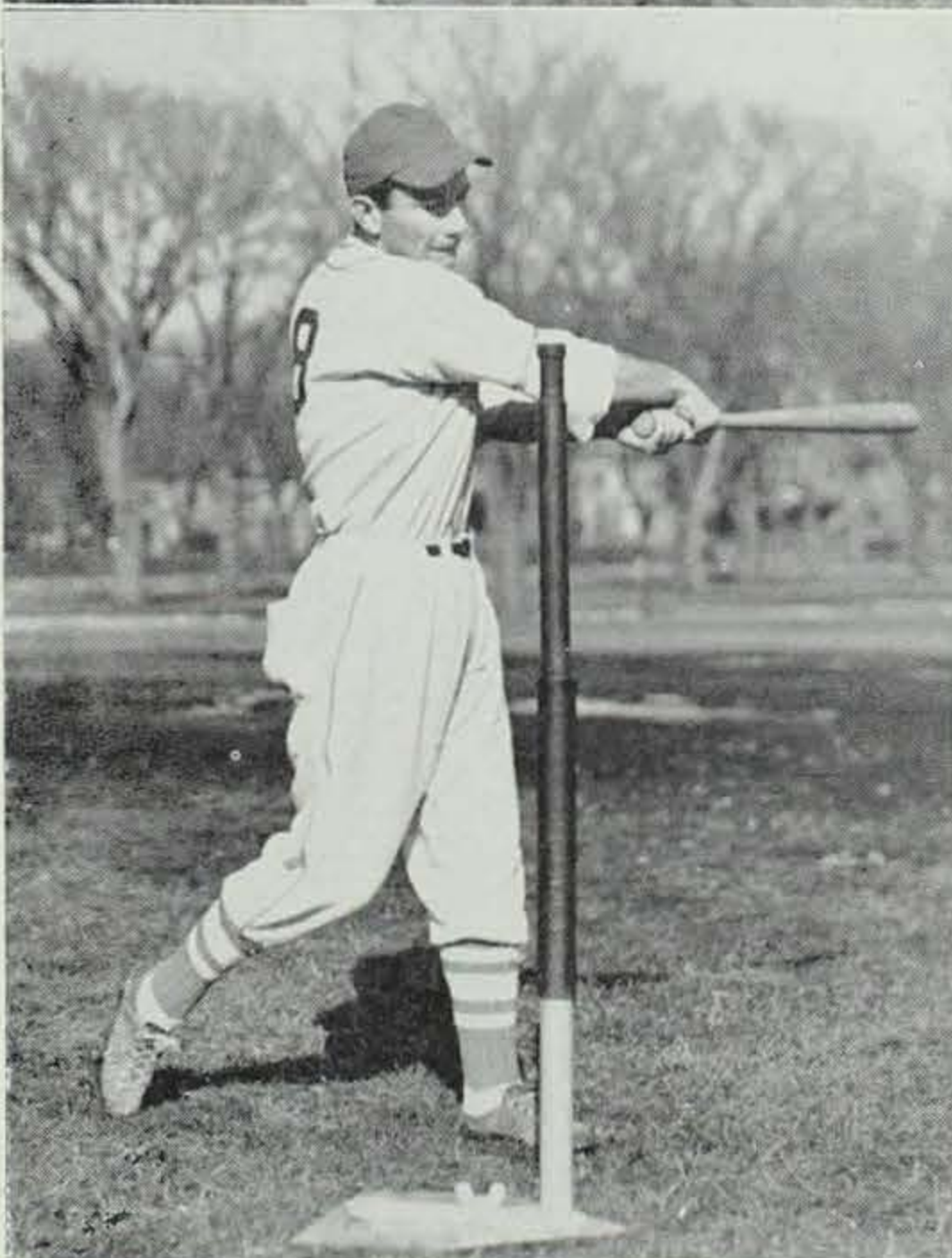


THEY BATTED THEIR WAY TO
IOWA CONFERENCE CO-CHAMPIONSHIP



The Stalwarts

THE "SKIPPER"



JIM FANNING
Most Valuable Player



"DUTCH" SHRINER
Undefeated in Three Years



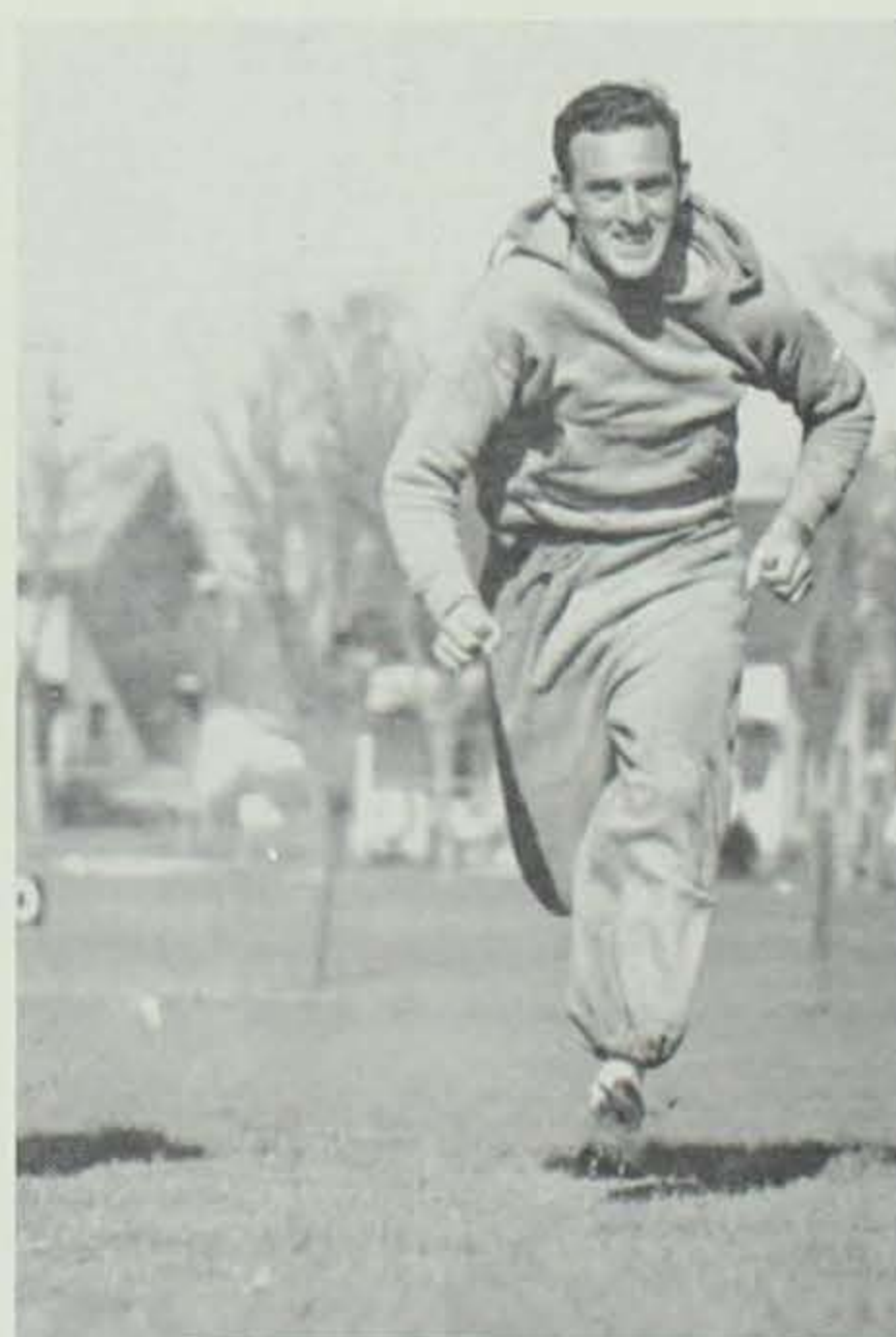
First Row—Bernie Saggau, Tom Gaines, Jerry Lehr, Bob Willadsen. **Second Row**—Richard Jespersen, Dale Young, Bob Eshbaugh, Wayne Roepke, John Gannon, Kevin Genter. **Third Row**—A. T. Hannafan, Mark Van Voorhis, Waldo Johnson, Coach Bob Otto, Bob Allen, Norman Nielson, Don Castle.

Track

The Beaver track squad had a very busy spring, participating in six meets. The opening test was a dual meet with Westmar. When the final event was finished, Westmar had edged Buena Vista by a slim margin. This meet indicated the fact that the Beavers were strong in the dashes and short relays and not quite as strong in field events and distances. This was true all spring.

The Beavers then attended the Sioux City relays, finishing third behind Idaho State and Wayne State Teachers, and ahead of Westmar and the host school, Morningside. This meet was followed by trips to State Teachers Relays at Cedar Falls, the Drake Relays, the Sioux Falls Relays, and the conference district and final meets at Luther and Dubuque.

Bob Willadsen, Bernie Saggau, Waldo Johnson, Don Castle, and Jerry Lehr were consistent performers all spring. Willadsen won the conference 100-yard dash, and Lehr won the 440-yard dash at the same meet. Lehr, Correctionville speedster, was named most valuable. He and Saggau, Denison flash, were elected co-captains.



JERRY LEHR
Most Valuable Member

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