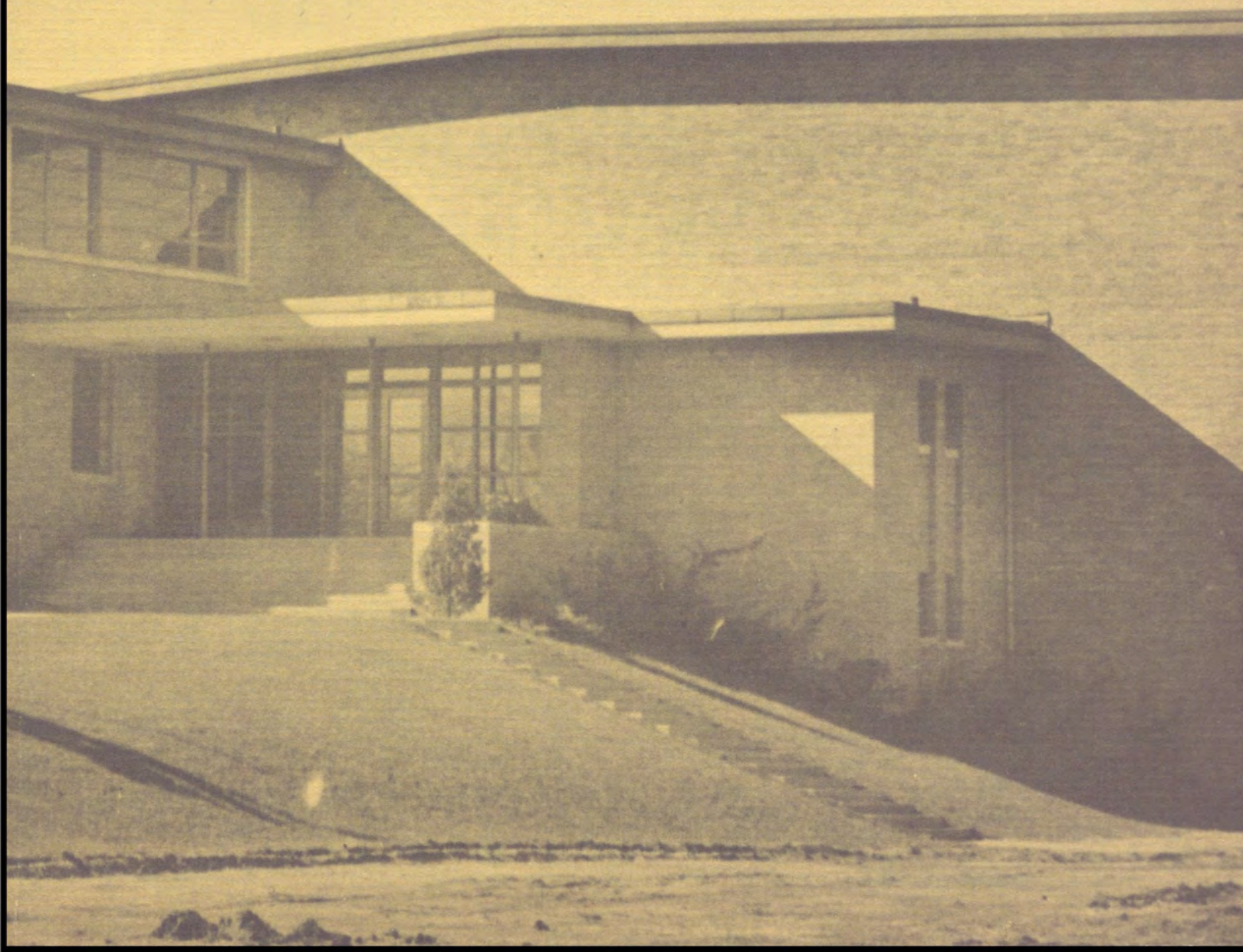



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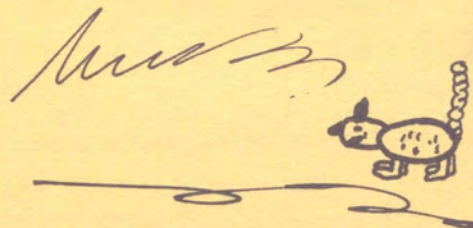
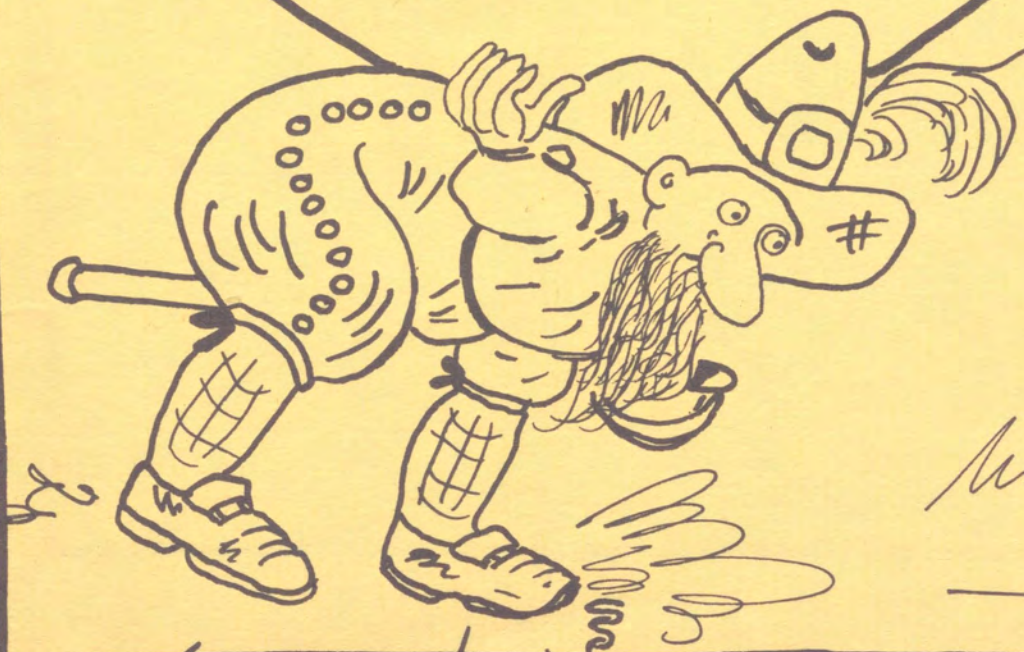
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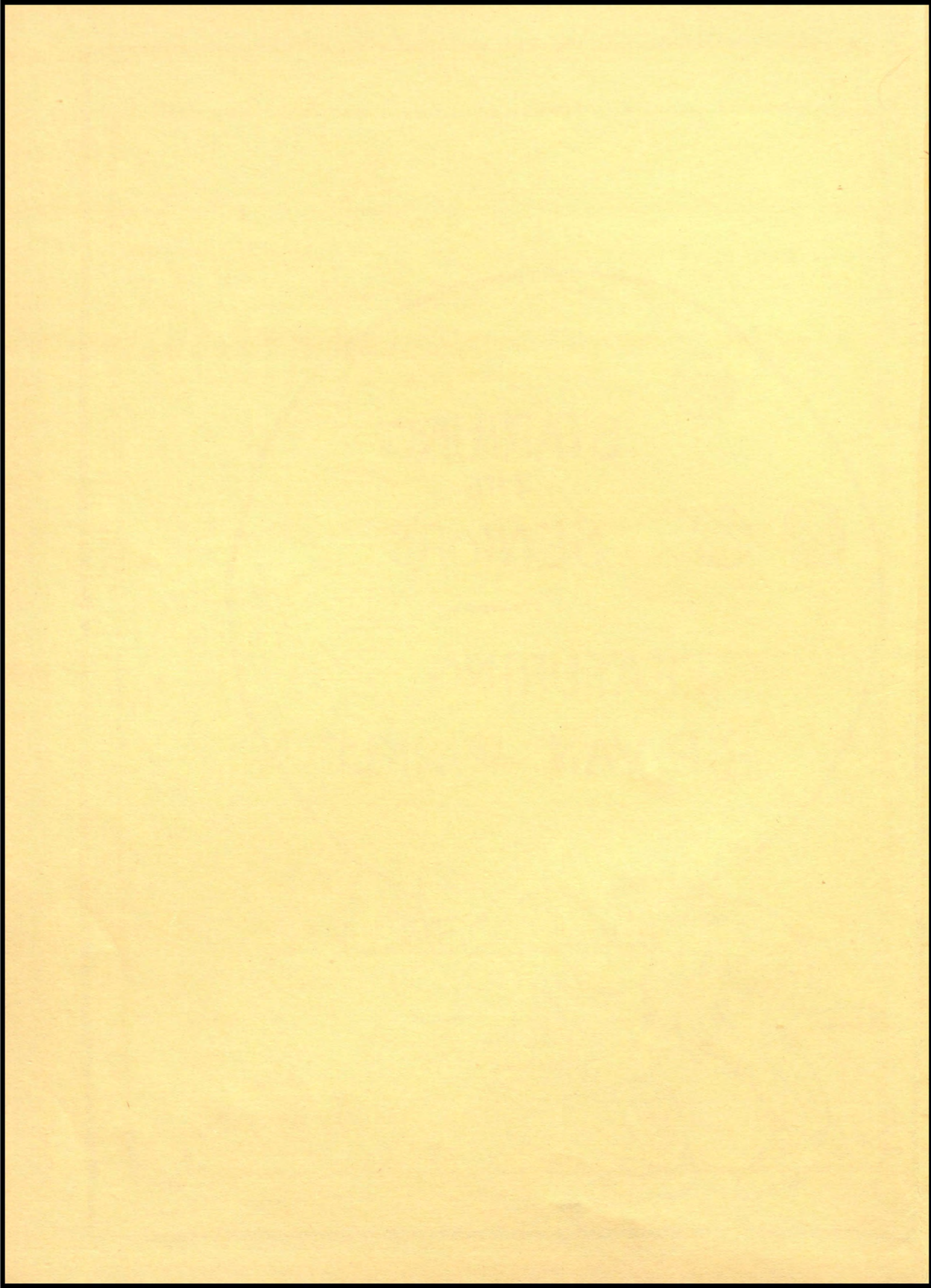
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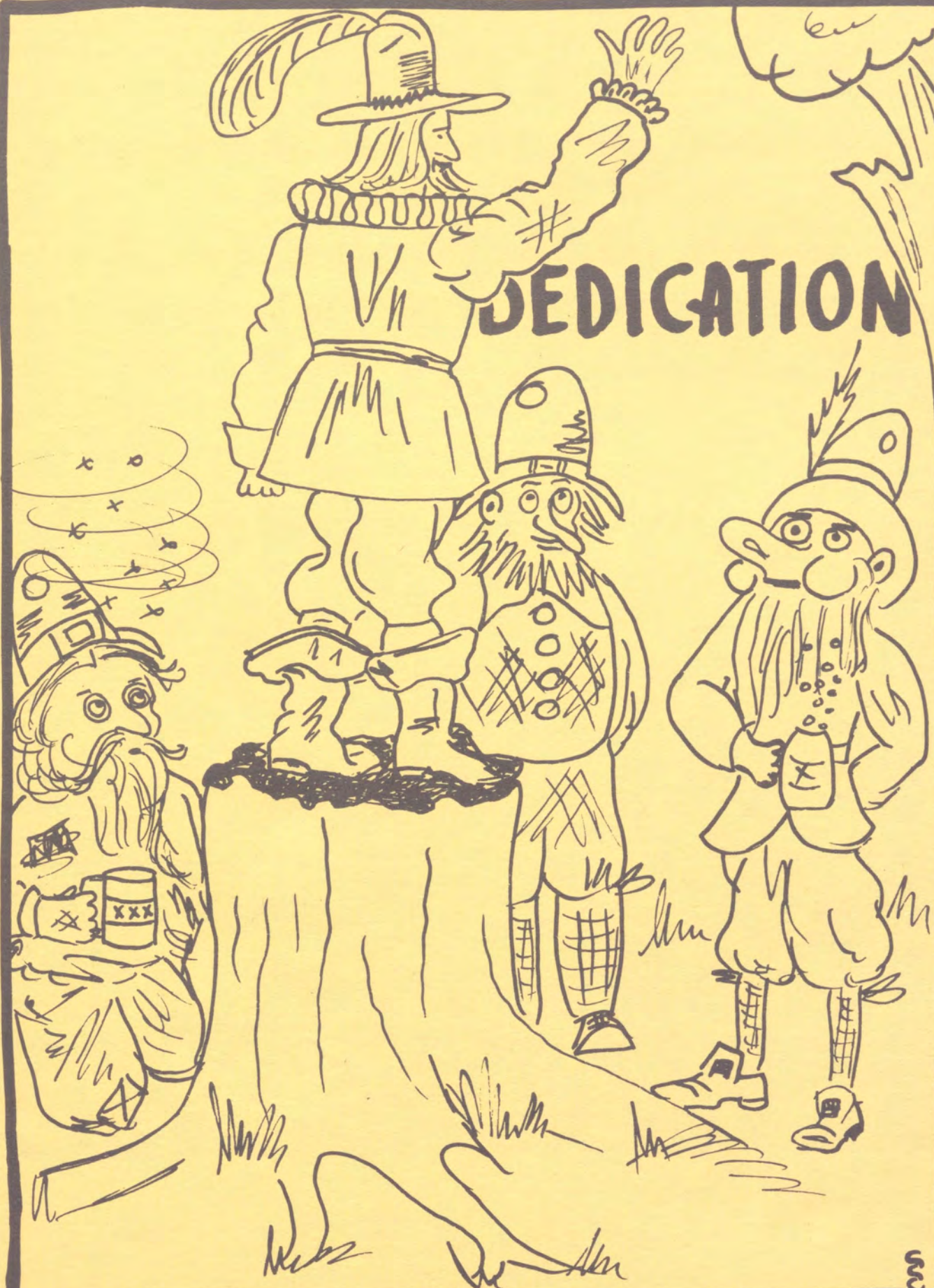
STARRING
THE
SENIORS

FEATURING
RIP VAN WINKLE



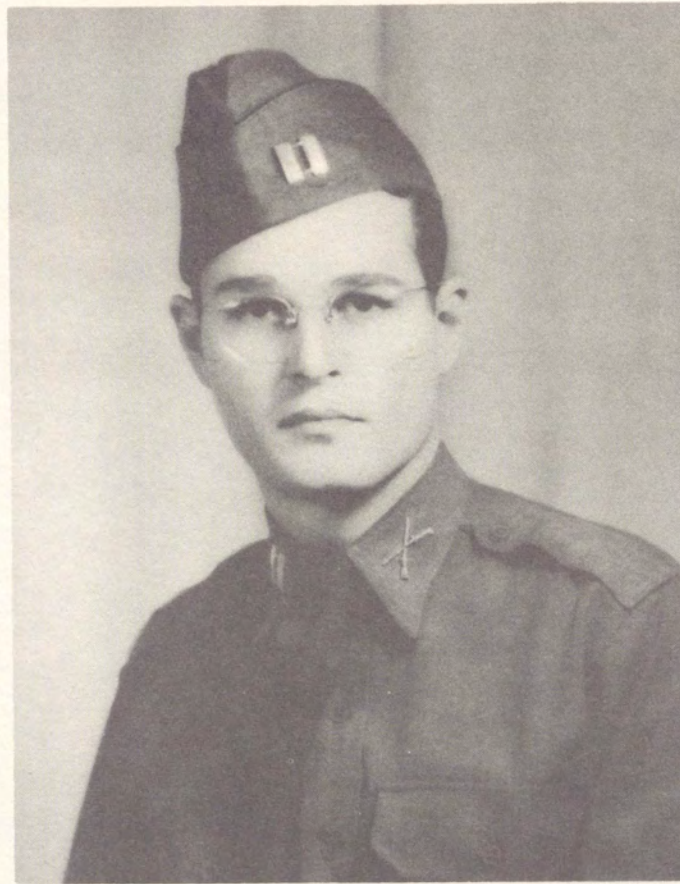


DEDICATION





To Miss Barbara Maras, in appreciation of the many hours each day she gives to her classes, and the extra time she contributes as a class sponsor, we, the senior class of 1952, sincerely dedicate this annual.



TO THE MEMORY OF
CAPTAIN K. ALBERT MATHRE,
GRADUATE OF CAMBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL, 1940,
WHO GAVE HIS LIFE IN OUR COUNTRY'S
SERVICE, MAY, 1951, ON A
KOREAN BATTLEFIELD.

ADMINISTRATION



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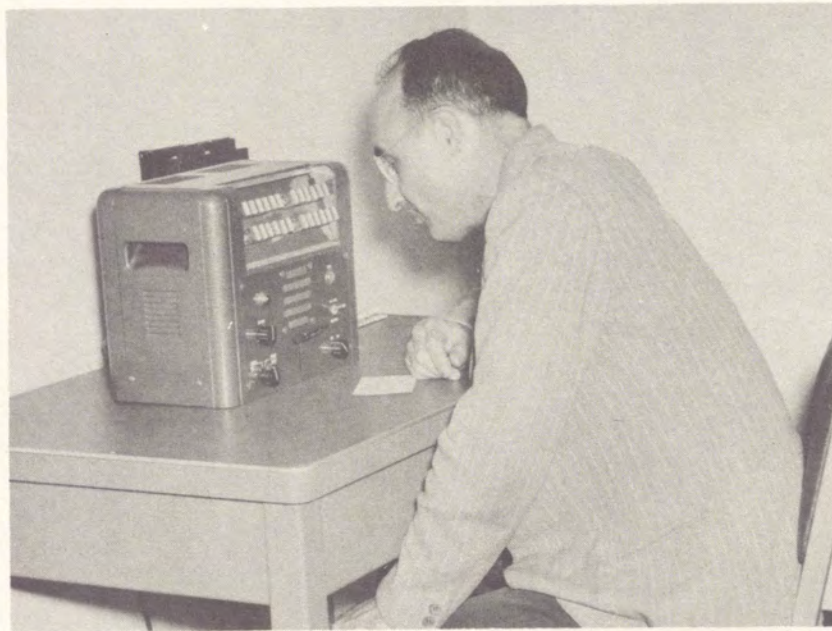
Production Manager	Noel Mosher
Writers	Elisabeth Westerlund—Dorothy Reynolds
Musical Director	Raymond Montross
In Charge of Scenery	Raymond Johnson
In Charge of Stage	Wayne Newlin
In Charge of Costumes	Joan Meier
In Charge of Lighting	Jack Young
In Charge of Dancing	Roylene Peterson—Warren Page
In Charge of Programs	Barbara Maras
In Charge of Concessions	Charles Moore
In Charge of Speech	Harriet Erickson
Cast Nurse	Loretta Schumaker

Mosher	M.A. degree, University of Illinois
Meier	B.S. degree, Iowa State College
Johnson	B.S. degree, University of Iowa
Maras	B.E. degree, Illinois State Normal
Page	B.E. degree, Western State Teachers' College
	M.S. degree, University of Illinois
Westerlund	B.A. degree, University of Illinois
Young	B.S. degree, Northwestern University
	M.S. degree, DePaul University
Reynolds	M.S. degree, Western State Teachers' College
Moore	B.S.V.O.U. degree, University of Illinois
R. Peterson	B.A. degree, Monmouth College
H. Erickson	Augustana College and Stockton Junior College
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Newlin	B.S. degree, Illinois State Normal
Schumaker	Lutheran Hospital, Sioux City, Iowa

Mrs. George Wheeler
School Secretary



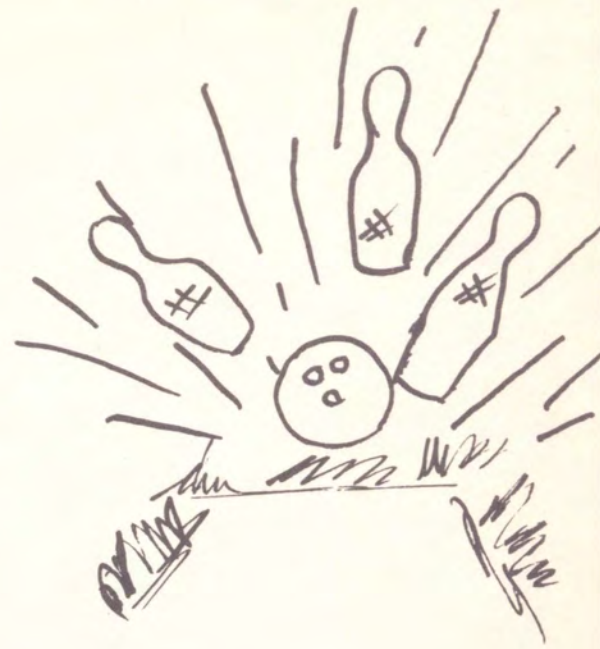
Mr. Noel Mosher
School Principal



Mr. Wayne Newlin
Manual Arts



Mr. Jack Young
General Science, Biology, and Chemistry

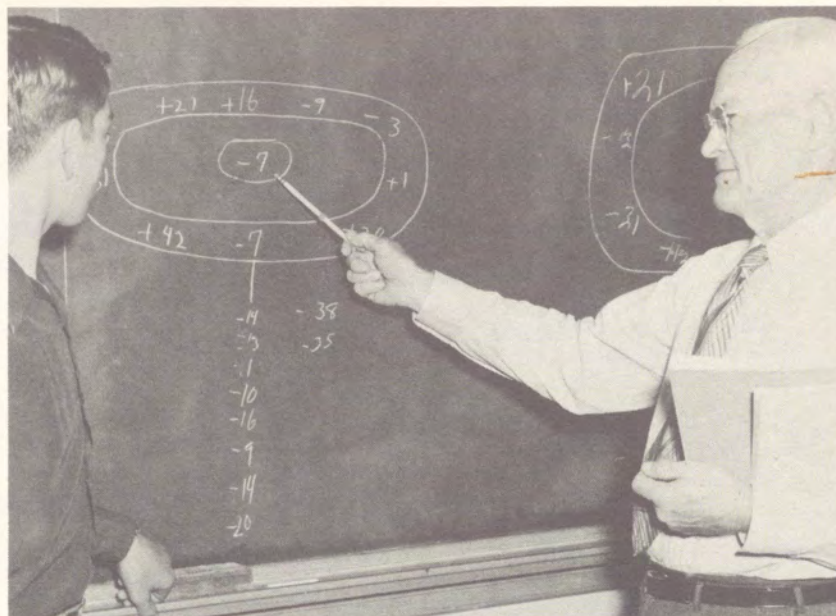


Miss Roylene Peterson
Girls' Physical Education,
World History



Mrs. Donald Meier
Home Economics

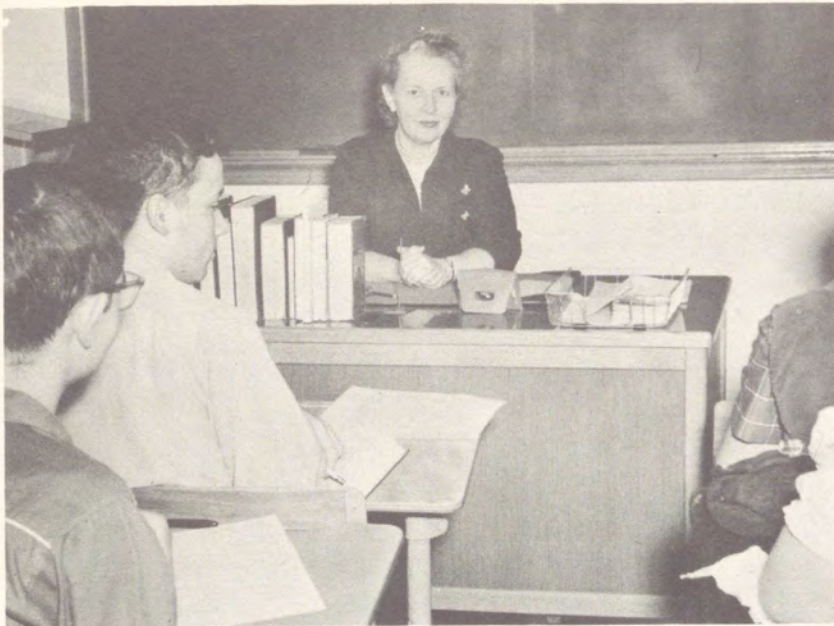
Mr. Raymond Johnson
Mathematics



Miss Barbara Maras
Commercial



Mr. Warren Page
Social Studies,
Physical Education, Coach

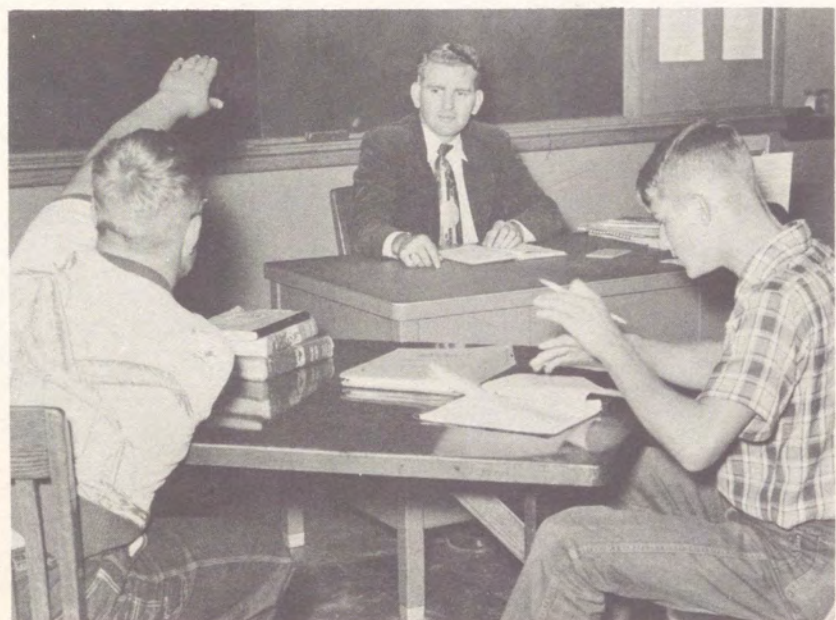


Miss Elisabeth Westerlund
English



Mrs. Kenyon Reynolds
English

Mr. Charles Moore
Agriculture



Mrs. Mamie Johnson,
Mrs. Rose Echelberger,
School Cooks

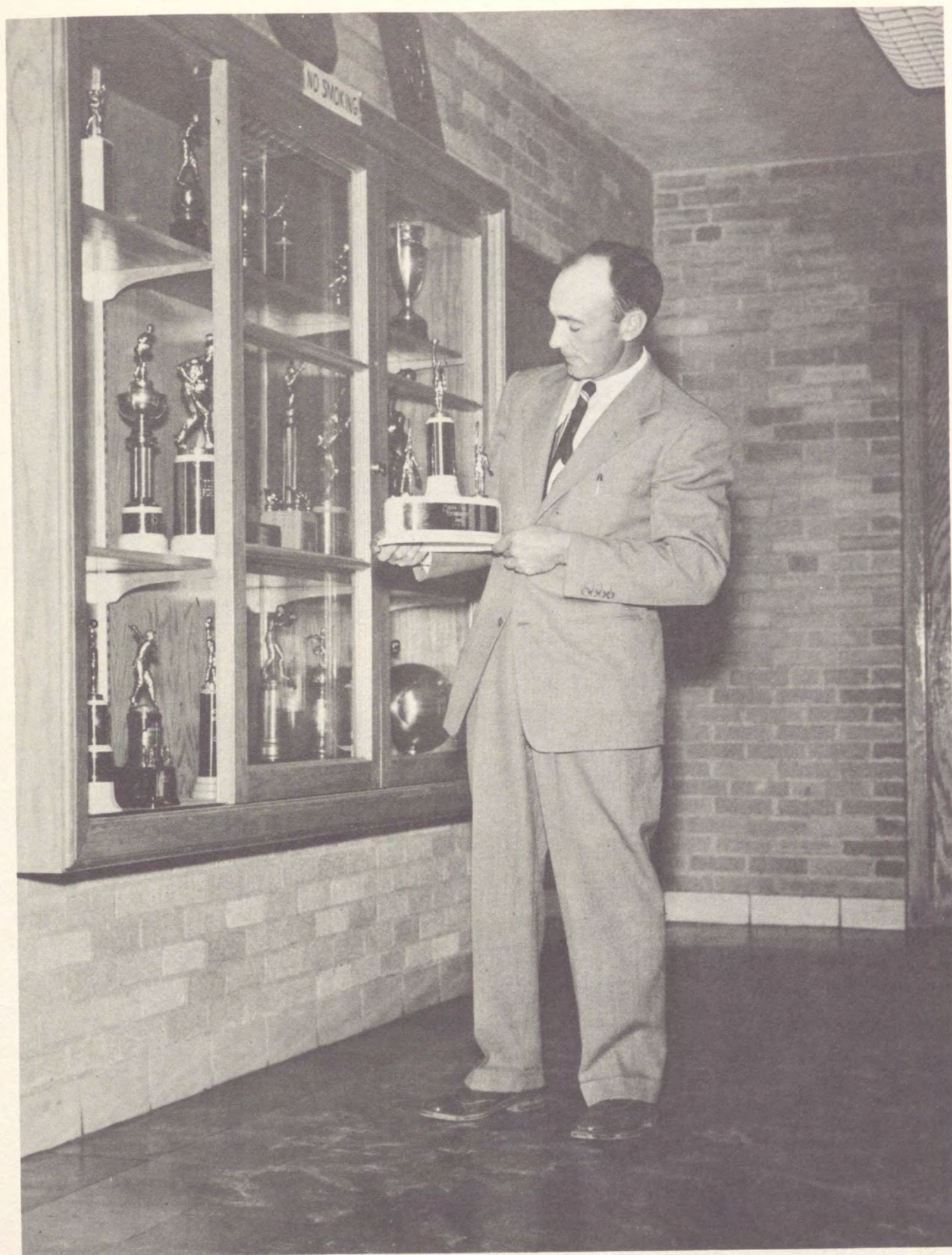


Mr. Raymond Montros
Music Director



Mr. J. Cousins, School Custodian





Kenneth Neumann
School Board President



Mr. Noel Mosher, School Principal
and
Mr. Emery Anderson



Mr. Donald Hutchinson



Winlow Anderson



Ralph Nelson



James Gustafson



Leslie Fickling



Ellen Grossmann
Editor



Richard Phillis
Associate Editor



Joyce Clark
Benefit Chairman



Helen Pierce
Business Manager

SENIORS

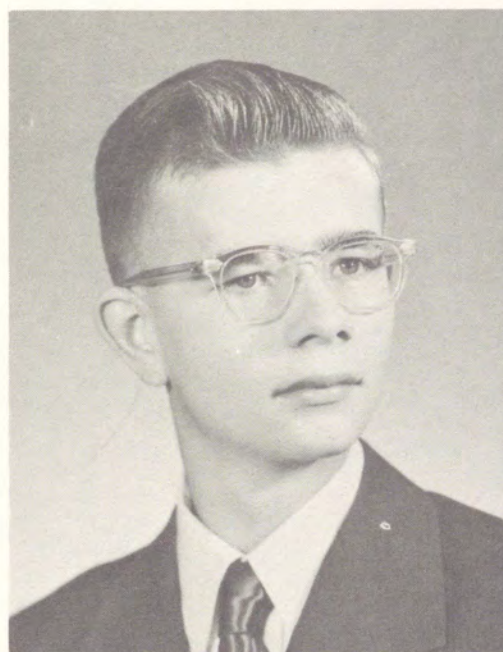




Mary Anderson
*In typing she has lots of
 speed,
 In other things she also
 leads.*



Catherine Broshar
 (Cathy)
*With black hair and dark
 eyes to match,
 She certainly is going to
 be some boy's catch.*



James Carlson
 (Jim)
*His laughs will keep you
 in laces;
 With his brains this world
 should go places.*



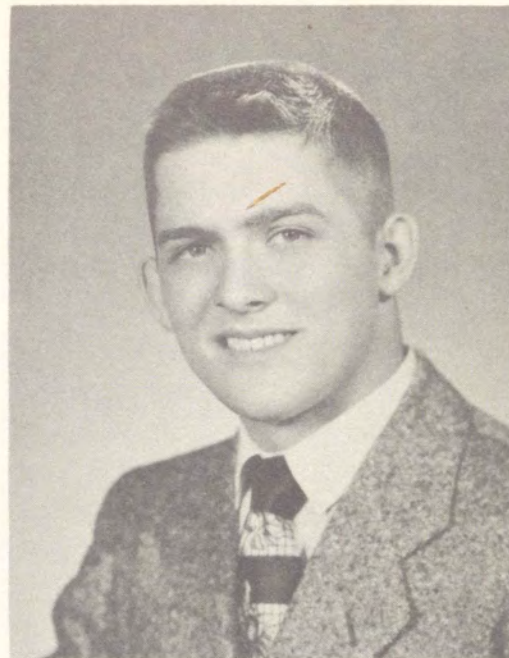
Joyce Clark
 (J. C.)
*She's happy-go-lucky and
 full of fun;
 The heart of her man
 she's already won.*



Shirley Descamps
*She's popular, no doubt
 about it.
 And our whole class is
 proud of it.*



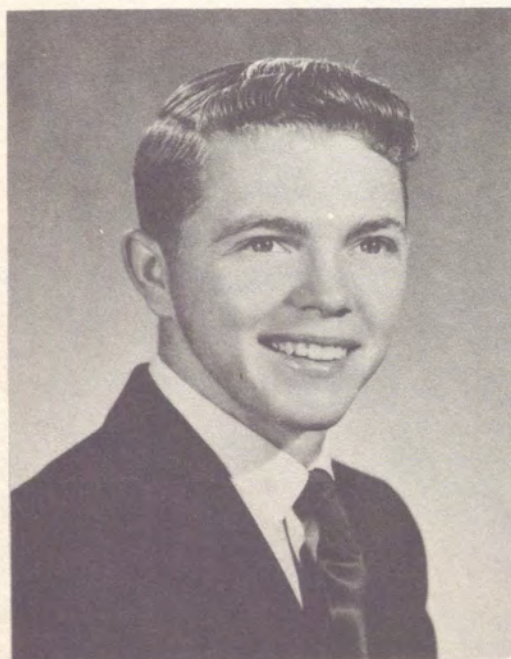
Alfred Dobbels
*A heap-big man is our
 football star.
 With this sport he has
 won fame afar.*



Larry Efaw
*His type — the roving
 Romeo—
 Of many a girl he's been
 a beau.*



Zerretta Grant
*With blonde hair and eyes
 of brown,
 We never see Zerretta
 frown.*



Emery Gregory
 (Sonny)
*A real He-man we shall
 not shun.
 His girl's heart he's
 surely won.*



Ellen Grossmann
*Wherever she goes she
 makes a hit.
 For she's full of popu-
 larity and wit.*



Betsy Hedbloom
(Billy)
*She's fun and fancy-free
That's the way she likes
to be.*



Harvey Johnson
(Swede)
*We sometimes wonder as
we pass this lad,
If the night before was
really THAT bad!*



Roger Johnson
(Rog)
*An all right guy with
friends afar;
He's more a man than
others are.*



Gertrude Lamb
(Jay)
*A tiny girl full of pep
and vim,
Her favorite word is
simply MEN!*



Rosemary Lashbrook
(Rosie)
*She's friendly and very
sweet,
Her disposition can't be
beat.*



Janet Lundell
(Jan)

*It's a woman's privilege
to change her mind.
But I'm here to ask you:
Just how many times?*



Joan Nelson
(Jo)

*With eyes of blue and
hair of red,
This gal will never stay
unwed.*



Lorraine Newman

*A quiet girl, and oh, so
neat,
One that you would like
to meet.*



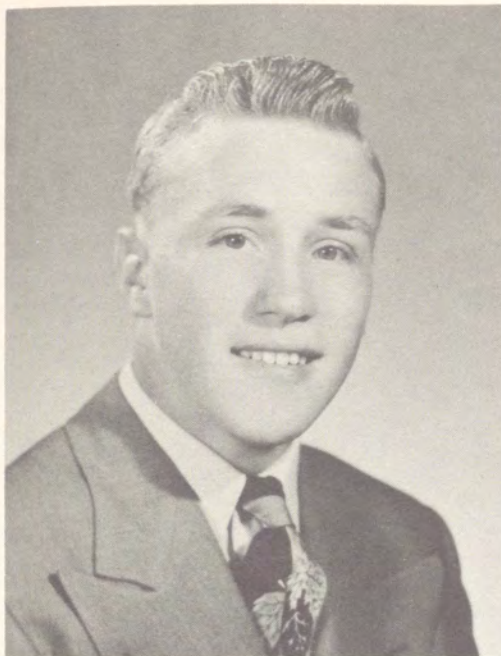
Carol Palmer

*Carol never dodges work,
She sets an example for
those who shirk.*



Helen Pierce

*So smartly dressed, and
quite in style;
She has a pleasing, win-
ning smile.*



Rollin Robinson
(Rollie)

*Dynamite comes in small
packages so some will
say.
And for this short lad we
leave no leeway.*



Lois Sterling

*Her handsome hero she
has found
And around her finger he
is wound.*



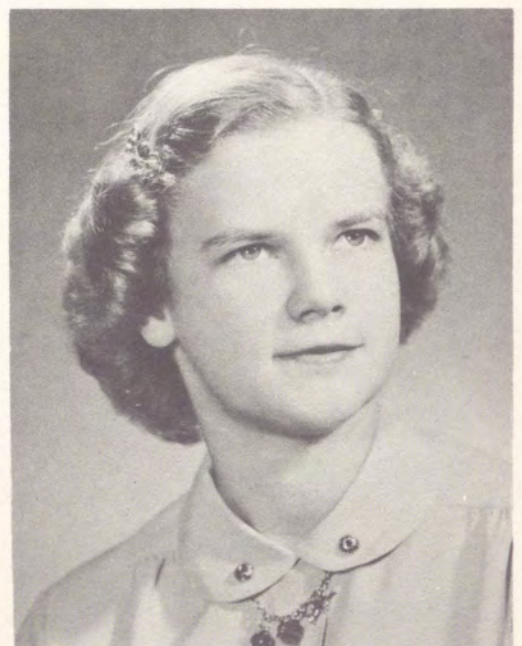
Vernon Stephens
(Vernie)

*He's short and has curly
hair
But for studying he does
not care.*



Marie Swan

*In sports she's really on
the beam;
She's claimed the best
one on our team.*



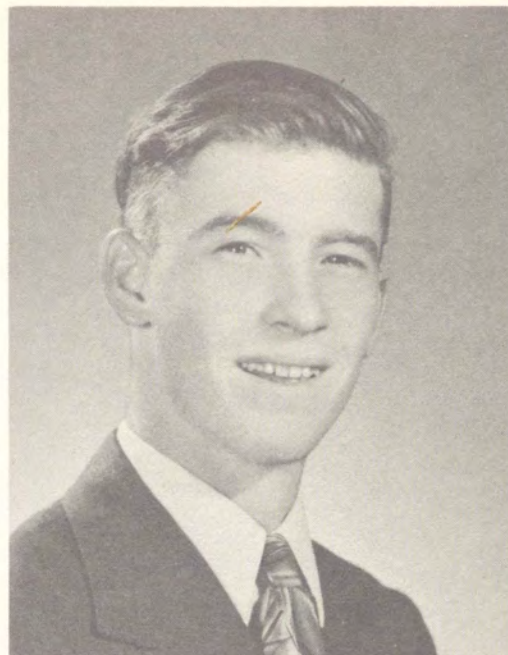
Lois Swanson

*She never has much to
say,
But what she says is in
a pleasing way.*



Elberta Thomas
(Bert)

*"Bert" is so neat; her
clothes right in style.
And every day she smiles
all the while.*



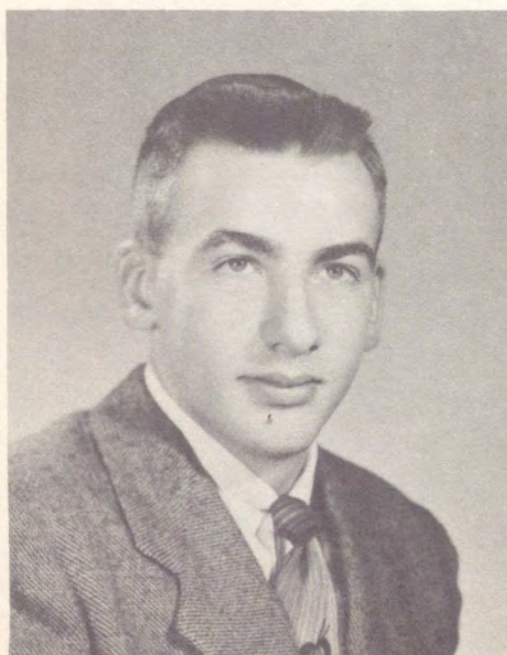
James Vinzant
(Jim)

*A farming boy is this
young lad.
We hardly ever see him
sad.*



Sally Joan Wells
(Sal)

*A winning way, a pleasing
smile,
She looks so happy all
the while.*



Carl Wexell

*A star on our football
team
He is a popular man in
C.H.S. it seems.*



Donna Yarger

*She's holding hands
across the land,
Being true to her Galva
man.*

MARY LOIS ANDERSON

Band 1,2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3
F.H.A. 3,4
F.H.A. Reporter 4
Pep Club 1,2
Maroon and White 2

MARY CATHERINE BROSHAR

F.H.A. 2,3,4
G.A.A. 2,4
Chorus 1,2,3
Homecoming Attendant 3
F.F.A. Attendant 4

JAMES RAYMOND CARLSON

Football 1,2
Basketball 1,2,3
Viking Staff 3,4
Junior Class Play
Boys' Chorus 1,2

JOYCE ELAINE CLARK

Chorus 1,2,3
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Viking Staff 2,3,4
Viking Benefit Chairman 4
Science Club 4
Projection Club 3,4
Class Treas. 3
Pep Club 2,3
F.F.A. Waitress 2
Junior Class Play
National Honor Society 3,4
Teen Age Book Club Secretary
Student Librarian

SHIRLEY JEAN DESCAMPS

F.H.A. 2,3,4
F.H.A. Projects Chairman 2
F.H.A. President 3,4
Class Secretary 1
Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Cheerleader 1,2,3,4
Conference Track Attendant 3,4
Chorus 1,2
Carnival Attendant 1,2
Viking Staff 2
Junior Class Play
F.F.A. Waitress 1,2
Dramatics Club 3,4
Dramatics Club Sec. 3
National Honor Society 3,4
Alumni Waitress 3

ALFRED JOSEPH DOBBELS

Football 1,2,3,4
Basketball 1,2,3
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. Treas. 4
Varsity Club 1,2,3,4

LARRY CARLYLE EFAW

Basketball 1,2,3
Football 1,2
Track 1,2,3,4
Student Council 2
Viking Staff 1,2,3
Boys' Chorus 1,2,3
Science Club 2,3,4
Projection Club 1,2,3,4
Dramatics Club 3,4
Dramatics Club Sec.
Varsity Club 3,4
Varsity Club Sec. 3
Homecoming Attendant 3
Carnival Attendant 3
Junior Class Play
Student Council Representative 2

ZERRETTA CHELL GRANT

F.H.A. 2,3,4
Girls' Chorus 1,2,3
G.A.A. 3,4
Pep Club 1,2

EMERY EZRA GREGORY, JR.

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. Reporter 3
Football 1,2,3,4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Student Council 1
Viking Staff 4
Varsity Club 3,4
Carnival Attendant 2
F.F.A. Attendant
Junior Class Play Stage Manager
Boys' Chorus 1,2
Prom Waiter 2
Alumni Waiter 3
F.H.A. Waiter 3

ELLEN CLARA GROSSMANN

Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Science Club 2,3,4
Girls' Chorus 1,2,3
Girls' Quartet 3
Chorus Librarian 2
National Honor Society 3,4
National Honor Society Treas. 4
Cheerleader 2,3,4
F.H.A. 4
F.F.A. Attendant
Viking Staff 1,2,3,4
Viking Assoc. Editor 3
Viking Editor 4
Junior Class Secretary
Projection Club 2,3,4
Teen-Age Book Club Sec. 3
Prom Waitress 2
Alumni Waitress 3
Junior Class Play Student Director

BETSY L. HEDBLOOM

Maroon and White Staff 4
Class Sec. 4
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2
Chorus 1,2,3

HARVEY CHARLES JOHNSON

Football 1,2,3,4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Jr. Class Play
Class President 1
Student Council 1
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. President 4
Varsity Club President 4
Projection Club President 4
Viking Staff 3,4

GEORGE ROGER JOHNSON

Band 2,3,4
Class Vice President 2
Class President 4
Student Council 4
Science Club 4
Viking Staff 4
Homecoming Attendant 4

GERTRUDE ANNE LAMB

Girls' Chorus 1,2,3
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2
Dramatics Club 1,2
Teen-Age Book Club Sec. 4
Maroon and White 2,3

ROSEMARY EVELYN LASHBROOK

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2
F.H.A. 2,4
F.H.A. Secretary 4
Secretary-Treas. Class 2
Chorus 1,2,3
F.F.A. Sweetheart 3

JANET ANN LUNDELL

Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
F.H.A. 2,3
Dramatics Club 3,4
Dramatics Club Plays 3
Chorus 1,2,3
Girls' Quartet 3
Girls' Sextet 3
Treble Ensemble
Viking Staff 4
Class Treas. 2
F.H.A. Vice Pres. 2
Cheerleader 2

JEAN JOAN NELSON

Chorus 1,2
Chorus Pres. 2
Pep Club 1,2
Student Council 2,3,4
Science Club 2,3,4
Science Club Secretary 4
Cheerleader 2
F.H.A. 2,3,4
F.H.A. Treas. 3
F.H.A. Sec. 2
F.F.A. Waitress 2
Prom Waitress 2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
F.F.A. Attendant 1
Junior Class Play
Projection Club 2,3,4
Girls' State
National Honor Society 3,4
Homecoming Attendant 2
Alumni Waitress

LORRAINE E. NEWMAN

Girls' Chorus 1,2,3,4
G.A.A. 2,3
F.H.A. 2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2

CAROL ANN PALMER

Chorus 1,2,3,4
Girls' Trio 3,4
Girls' Treble Ensemble 1,2
Girls' Sextet 3,4
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Science Club 2,3,4
Dramatics Club 2,3,4
F.H.A. 4
Maroon and White Staff 2,3,4
Dramatics Club Sec. 4
Dramatics Club Plays 4
Viking Staff 1,2,3,4
Newsletter 3,4
Student Council 3,4
Alumni Waitress 3
Class President 3
Class Secretary 2
Junior Class Play
Pep Club 1,2
National Honor Society 3,4
Honorary Usher 3
D.A.R. Award
Regional Scholastics
Writing Award

HELEN ELIZABETH PIERCE

Pep Club 1,2
National Honor Society 3,4
National Honor Society Sec. 4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Chorus Librarian 3,4
Girls' Quartet 3
Band 1,2,3,4
Band President 4
Band Sec. 2
Dramatics Club 2,3,4
Dramatics Club Plays 3
Dramatics Club Treas. 4
Viking Staff 3,4
Business Manager 4
Homecoming Queen 4
Clarinet Quartet 1,2
Clarinet Trio 3

ROLLIN LES ROBINSON

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. Jr. Vice President 2
F.F.A. Vice President 3,4
Class Play 3
Track 1,2,3,4
Football 3,4
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Alumni Waiter 3
F.H.A. Waiter 3
Varsity Club 4

DAVID RAY RUSHING

Chorus 1,2,3
Football Manager 1,2
F.F.A. 3,4
Football 3

VERNON ARTHUR STEPHENS

Basketball 1,2,3

LOIS MAE STERLING

Chorus 1,2,3
Band 2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
F.H.A. 2,3
Dramatics Club 2,3,4
Maroon and White 4
Class Treasurer 4
F.F.A. Waitress 3
F.H.A. Recreation Chairman

MARIE EMILY SWAN

Student Council 2,3,4
Student Council Vice Pres. 3
Student Council Pres. 4
Class President 2
Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
G.A.A. Vice Pres. 2
G.A.A. Pres. 3,4
Science Club 2,3,4
Viking Staff 1,2,3
Homecoming Attendant 4
Maroon and White 1
Band 1,2,3,4
Band Librarian 3
Chorus 1,2
Prom Waitress 2
F.H.A. 4
Dramatics Club 2,3
Dramatics Club Plays 3
National Honor Society 3,4
Honorary Usher 3

LOIS ELAINE SWANSON

Pep Club 1,2
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
F.H.A. 2,3,4
F.H.A. Vice Pres. 4
Treble Ensemble 2
F.H.A. Degree Chairman 3

ELBERTA MAE THOMAS

G.A.A. 2,3
F.H.A. 2,3,4
Pep Club 1,2
F.H.A. Historian 3
Senior Class Vice Pres.
Chorus 1,2

JAMES EDWARD VINZANT

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Boys' Chorus 2,3,4
Vice Pres. of Class 3
Varsity Club 3,4

SALLEY JOANNE WELLS

Maroon and White Staff 1,2
Pep Club 1,2
F.H.A. 2,3
G.A.A. 2,3,4
Projection Club 3,4
Junior Class Play 3
Dramatics Club 3,4
Dramatics Club Vice Pres. 3
Dramatics Club Pres. 4

National Honor Society 3,4
National Honor Society Vice Pres. 4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Viking Staff 2,3,4
Chorus President 3,4
Girls' Quartet 3
Prom Waitress 2
Carnival Queen Attendant 3
Ass't. Business Manager 2

CARL FREDERICK WEXELL

Football 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4
F.F.A. Reporter 2,4
F.F.A. Sec. 3
Science Club 2,3,4
Science Club Pres. 4
Boys' Chorus 2,3,4
Boys' Chorus Pres. 4
Jr. Class Play 3
Homecoming King 4
Homecoming Attendant 3
National Honor Society 3,4
National Honor Society Pres. 4
Prom Waiter 2
Student Council Rep. 4
Varsity Club 3,4
Boys' State 3
Maroon and White Staff 2

DONNA LEA YARGER

Pep Club 1,2
F.H.A. 2,3,4
G.A.A. 2,3
Chorus 1,2,3



Senior Class

Hello, ladies and gentlemen, out that way. This is station XYZ-TV bringing you the 1957 alumni banquet of the stars of 1952. As you can see on your TV screens, we are seated here in the Cambridge High School auditorium, and everything is topsy-turvy as old friends renew their acquaintances.

I see a well-dressed gentleman at the head of the table; so I'll find out a bit of his history and what he has done in the past five years since graduation.

His name is Roger Johnson, former star actor and president of the 1952 senior class. He is now president of the Chevrolet Factory in Lynn Center. Roger's factory is a huge affair and has an annual output of about three cars per year. Although Roger is no longer a star of C.H.S., he's still a star in the heart of his wife, Catherine Broshar, who is seated here next to him. Catherine is now a busy housewife and the mother of one child.

Carol Palmer and Marie Swan are the next two ladies I approach. Both of these girls have just been graduated from college. I heard of an amazing incident that happened to Marie while she was at Boulder. It seems that Marie had three fraternity pins at the same time, and everything was going fine until she couldn't remember which pin to wear with which boy. She turned out dateless for the next formal dance.

I hear laughter coming from the next table; so I'll walk over and see what the joke is. Just as I thought—our high school jesters, Larry Efaw and Jim Carlson, are telling each other some of their past experiences. Larry is now a leading announcer and comedian on the Geneseo Gossip and Gab Group TV show, and Jim is a happy-go-lucky bachelor working as a private secretary to J. B. Snodgrass of Andover.

We have two girls here today from the class of '52 who had to travel quite a distance in order to reach Cambridge. They are Sally Wells and Lois Sterling. After graduation Sally went to Wales, where she started a chain of gift shops with the assistance of her Welsh correspondent. Sally is now a wealthy society woman in Wales. In the year 1953 Lois Sterling met and married her Swiss correspondent here in America. The couple have made their home in Switzerland and now are parents of twin boys.

The next group of housewives I come to here are Lois Swanson, Donna Yarger, Elberta Thomas, Lorraine Newman, Zerretta Grant, Rosemary Lashbrook, and Joan Nelson. At school these girls were "the people behind the scenes" because they didn't do the main acting but were always ready to lend a helping hand when work had to be done. Now they are the housewives of today, discussing their recent Home Bureau meeting or how to bake a chocolate cake.

Hear that roar of laughter? Someone just asked if the former Ellen Grossmann and Shirley Descamps thought they could cheerlead now. Both these girls were cheerleaders in high school, and now both of them are farmers' wives. Shirley and her better (?) half, Harvey Johnson, were a trifle late for the banquet today because Harvey's prize hogs broke through the farm fence. With the assistance of their neighbors, Ellen and Emery Gregory, the hogs were rounded up in no time.

Among all these people we have a model who flew from Ulah to be here today. She is Helen Pierce, who models formals for Ulah Elevator Inc. Helen accepted this position after graduating from college last year.

Rollin Robinson is now beginning a career of farming. To make his expenses higher and his will power weaker is his other half, the former Joyce Clark. Rollin and Joyce were married in '54 and the army released Rollin in '57.

Most of the boys you have seen here today have served three or more years in the armed service. A number of them were sent overseas in the same outfit, number 1/2, and many heroic tales are told about the Outfit 1/2. One tale that was particularly famous in all the newspapers of the day was the time Carl Wexell pulled his famous tackle on a Communist official, and our husky Alfred Dobbels sat on top of said official until he surrendered all his troops.

One of our purple heart winners was James Vinzant. He was wounded in "The Battle of the Drink," when someone struck him over the head with a bottle. Jim's nurse was our own Mary Anderson, who was shipped overseas in 1954 in the Army Nurses' Corps.

One lucky lad here today is Vernon Stephens. In the summer of '52 a wealthy oil well owner, Otto Pumpernickel, died and left Vernon three million dollars because one time Vernon had written to him requesting information about how to dig an oil well. Vernon was very happy when he heard the news of his wealth because now he doesn't have to work the rest of his life.

Our classmate, Betsy Hedbloom, has hit the headlines lately. It seems that her husband, J. C. Thud, of Texas, has discovered a new substance that will prolong life. When Thud was asked in an interview what he based his fame on, he said, "It's all due to my wife—I'd never have found that substance if I hadn't tried one of her burned dishes of cheese la king on our sick dog."

We have one way-down-yonder in the "you all" country gal in our alumni session here. She is the former Janet Lundell. In 1953 Jan was married, and for a honeymoon the couple chose to see the Mardi Gras in New Orleans. Because both of them liked the

Mardi Gras so well, they decided to make their home in Louisiana, so every year they and their son, Richard, visit New Orleans.

When we seniors were graduated, we merely walked off one stage on to another stage called Life. These seniors are all successful in their roles, and I am sure another curtain will never rise on a class quite

Senior Class Will

The senior class wills their popular place on the honor roll to the freshmen.

Mary Anderson wills her ability to play a flute to Russell Reed.

Catherine Brosbar wills her dancing eyes to future amateur maids.

Jim Carlson wills his car to Harley Schnowske for his Saturday night jaunts.

Joyce Clark wills her ability to get her way with her man to Sue Carter.

Shirley Descamps wills her grin to anyone who has crust enough to wear it.

Alfred Dobbels wills his ability to play center to Pete Larson.

Larry Efaw wills his ability to keep people laughing to Mary Lou Craig.

Zerretta Grant wills her brothers and sisters to Barbara Johnston.

Emery Gregory wills his swiftness to Howard Moore (on the football field, of course!).

Ellen Grossman wills her cheerleading ability to Isabelle Kapple.

Betsy Hedbloom wills her ability to keep a secret to Shirley Lundell.

Harvey Johnson wills his ability to score for the opposing team to next year's captain.

Roger Johnson wills his talent of being blamed for trouble when innocent to Alan Joe Vincent.

Gert Lamb wills her many trips to the office to Jack Johnson.

Rosemary Lashbrook wills her dark eyes to Rodney Johnson.

like this one.

This is station XYZ-TV signing off until tomorrow, same time, same station. Don't forget to buy Mother Murphy's Munchy Meatballs, the meatballs that are so round, so firm, so fully packed—and we buy only the best - riding horses. This is yours truly, Gertrude Lamb.

Janet Lundell wills her ability to change her mind about boys to Joyce Anderson.

Joan Nelson wills her smooth, graceful dancing to Marilyn Wiquist.

Lorraine Newman wills her size nine dresses to Chris Ijams.

Carol Palmer wills her Einstein ancestry to Dale Casteel.

Helen Pierce wills her ability to meet out-of-town boys to Janet Reilly.

Rollin Robinson wills his tendency to be henpecked to Glenn Nelson.

Lois Sterling wills her ability to go with one boy to Lorena Palmer.

Vernon Stephens wills his ability to type and keep books to Miss Maras.

Marie Swan wills her ability to take part in all sports to Shirley Johnson.

Lois Swanson wills her sweet, shy ways to Carol Burdick.

Elberta Thomas wills her soda-jerking job to some other jerk.

Jim Vinzant wills his ability to know his current events to Leona Lock.

Sally Wells wills her short hair to Dorothy Parrish.

Carl Wexell wills his ability to keep order on the school bus to Galen Johnson.

Donna Yarger wills her ability to go steady, and not flirt, to Neal Lundell.

Class Of '52

*High school life is fun, you'll admit,
When you re-read those poems and themes that you "writ."
But that isn't all; your mind won't dismiss
The fact that it maybe all started like this.*

*We began as freshmen and weren't very smart,
But we did all right after that first little start.
Of course we were teased, and we didn't care,
But sometimes it was almost all we could bear.*

*When we were sophomores, we got in the swing,
We learned how to study and most everything.
We really had fun with the parties and all,
And by the end of the year, we were all "on the ball."*

*By the time we were juniors, we changed our old selves,
For now we had passed to the upper class shelves.*

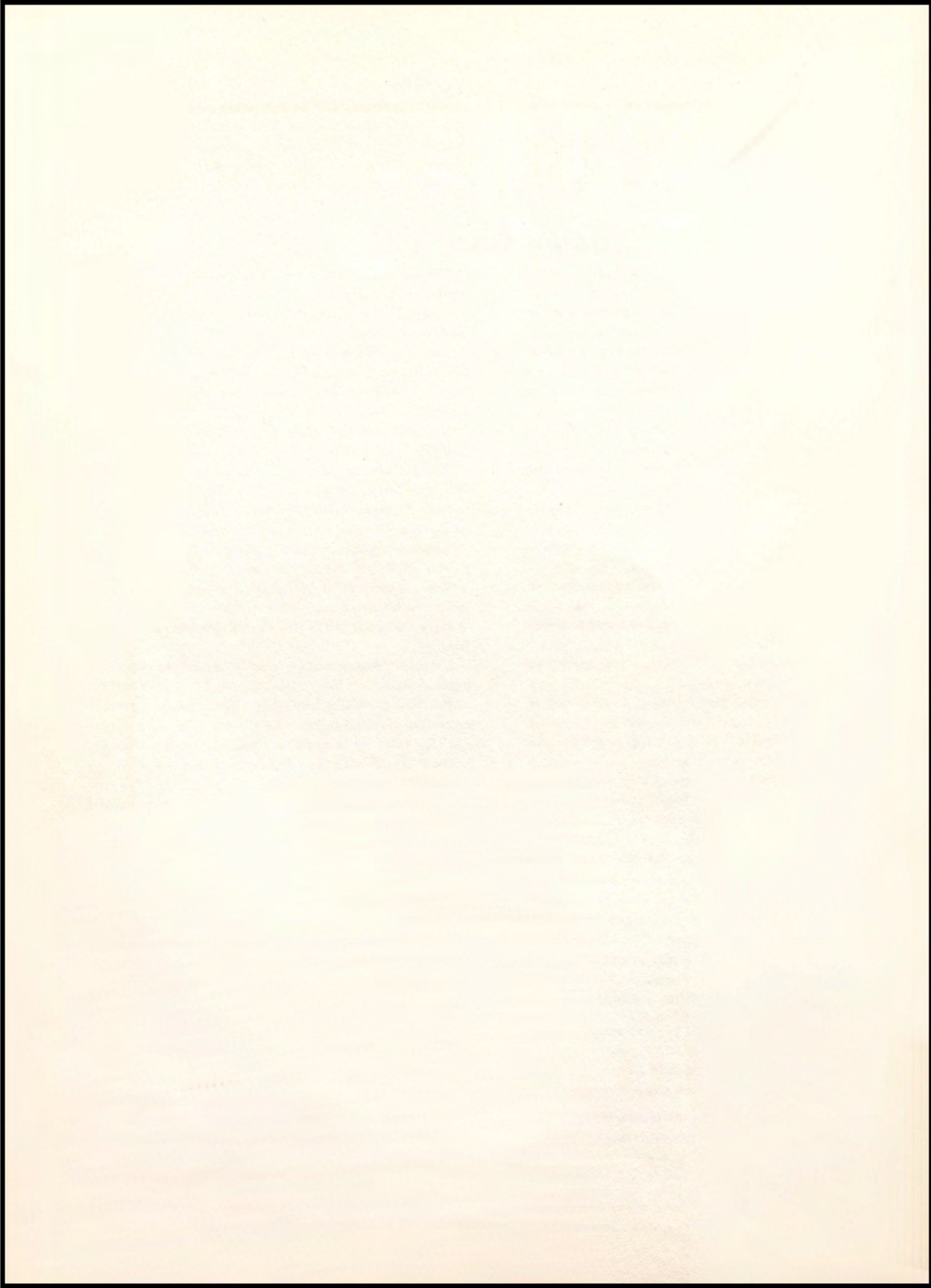
*The prom was the high-light of our junior year,
Just one more to go—it did seem so queer.*

*We worked and we worked, and then came the notion,
That a good theme would be, "How Deep is the Ocean?"
The girls in their formals all looked so grand,
And to top it all off, we secured a small band.*

*We are seniors now, at the top of the list,
Let's hope that old fate won't take a wrong twist.
We've worked our way up to this senior year,
No slacking or loafing, or we wouldn't be here.*

*The teachers we'll leave, and the friends that we favor,
To step out in this world with never a waver.
We had our grand times, but now we are through,
So we bid you farewell—our class of '52.*

by Joyce Clark







JUNIORS

First Row: Donald Gordon, Joan Van Rie, Marie Hier, Shirley Johnson, Isabelle Kapple, Janice Vincent, Mary Lou Craig, Charolett Gregory, Joe Vincent.

Second Row: Carolyn Moody, Susan Carter, Susie Sears, Helma Ingleson, Delores Hier, Verdene Jeffers, Delila Willard, Kay Lindell, Eva Peterson, Joyce Anderson.

Third Row: Richard Phillis, Dean Lundberg, Warren Hier, Howard Moore, Harley Schnowske, Robert Pierce, Glenn Nelson, Richard Clark, Bruce Kelly, Duane Burnett, Keith Robinson, Russell Reed.

Incident at a Theater

One of the strangest coincidences in all history has taken place in a small town called Cambridge down in Henry County, Illinois. About a year ago, Glenn Nelson, a prominent architect educated at Cambridge High School, Class of 1953, drew up plans for a beautiful new theater. Susan Carter, a graduate of the same class, a well-known authority on decoration, designed the beautiful effect. The theater is now owned and managed by Harley Schnowske.

If you should ever be down at Cambridge, it would be well worth your while to stop and see this theater. You would discover that all of the participants in this theater group were graduated together from Cambridge High School in 1953.

Let us take an imaginary tour through the auditorium. As we pass the ticket booth, we see Delores Hier perched on her stool behind the window. Then, as we enter the lobby, we smell the tantalizing aroma of freshly popped corn. Who is selling it? Why it's Richard Clark! And there are two young ladies behind the candy counter. If I remember correctly, they are Shirley Johnson and Isabelle Kapple. My, that candy looks delicious!

Now as we nearly reach the door to the main theater, we find "Joe" Vincent taking tickets. How are you, "Joe"? We'd better hurry on backstage for a

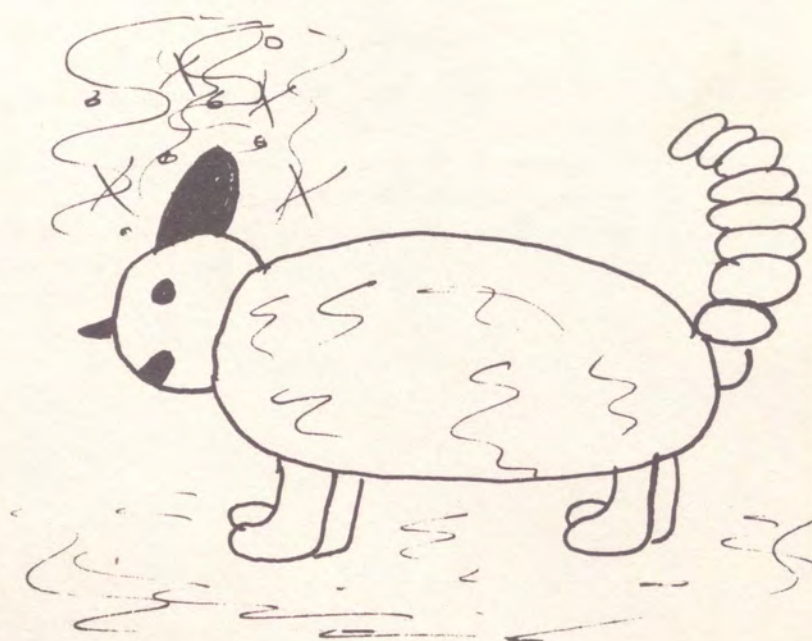
few minutes so that we will be back when the program begins.

Over here is the orchestra section where sit Duane Burnett, Mary Lou Craig, Bruce Kelly, Carolyn Moody, and Eva Peterson ready to play an overture before the curtain rises. And here I also see Verdene Jeffers, our sultry class songbird.

Here we are backstage. I see someone over there now. He just went into the custodian's room. Why, it's Stuart Stach! And here are two young ladies pressing and sorting costumes. Hi, Marie and Marilyn. There are the stage hands putting up the scenery. Why, they're Warren Hier and Howard Moore! In still another room are three people assisting the four actresses and four actors to put on makeup. I see they are nearly finished. Oh, I recognize them all now. The make-up artists are Joanne Van Rie, Helma Ingelson, and Delila Willard. Don't the actresses look beautiful? They are Joyce Anderson, Charolett Gregory, Lorena Palmer, and Janice Vincent. Their co-stars are "Bud" Phillis, Sam Rishel, Bob Pierce, and Russell Reed.

But we had better go back to our seats. The program is nearly ready to start. Oh, I think the orchestra is wonderful!

The curtain is rising, and the play is on!



SOPHOMORES





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First Row: Gene Willems, Eddie Wislander, Leona Lock, Ida Raifsnider, Jean Vinzant, Barbara Johnson, Mary May, Alvin Dobbels, Donald Broshar.

Second Row: June Peterson, Janifer Enquist, Louise Darling, Janet Hutchinson, Dorothy Parrish, Lavonne Smith, Shirley Brock, Norine Grant, Janet Reilly, Marlene Hollars.

Third Row: Bill Stephens, Eugene Lundberg, Joseph Schamp, Galen Johnson, Jack Johnson, Clark Magerkurth, Rodney Johnson, Oscar Depauw, Bill Nelson, Keneth Jeffers, John Wildermuth.

Curtain Going Up

The leading lady and her leading man were taking last bows while all of the understudies were watching wistfully from the wings.

I wonder what they are thinking. Let's concentrate. Maybe we can pick up some of their thought waves.

"There's an intelligent looking person right over there. See! Just a minute. I know her. She's the understudy for the actress who plays the part of Judy in the play *Punch and Judy*. Her name is Janet Reilly. Let's see what she is thinking about. It's not very clear yet, is it? Just a minute. There, is that better?

"It is the year 1960. We are standing in front of a theater looking at the billboard. It reads:

PUNCH AND JUDY

Jack Johnson	Punch
Janet Reilly	Judy
Gene Willems	Ghost
Janifer Engquist	The Voice
Mary May	Maid
Bill Nelson	Doctor

"Now let's look behind the scenes for a while. There's a door. Shall we go in? After you. Oh, I know where we are. This is the make-up department. Marlene Hollars is in charge here with her very able assistants, Norine Grant and Alvin Dobbels.

"Look at those superlative costumes! I wonder who designed them. Did you say Clara Evans and

Janet Hutchinson? I just found out that Eddie Wislander, an up-and-coming young artist, painted the scenery. Supervising all of this are Eugene Lundburg and Clark Magerkurth, director and assistant director. Wait a minute, I almost forgot a very important person, the prompter, Jean Vinzant. Now let me think. There is surely someone who wires the theater. He is none other than Joe Schamp, amateur electrician. Next we'll visit the sound effects men. They are Bill Stephens and Donald Broshar. John Wildermuth and Rodney Johnson appear next on the scene. They are the stage managers. Listen! I heard the beautiful sound of blending voices. It's the famous trio that have made so many recordings. They call themselves the 'Prairie Chicks.' Their names are Dorothy Parrish, Ida Raifsnider, and Gladys Peterson. Two other people, Louise Clark and Leona Lock write the jokes. Galen Johnson, Oscar De Pauw, Kenneth Jeffers, and Shirley Brock are the publicity agents. On our way out of the door marked 'Exit,' we meet three more people of the theater. They are two well known critics, Louise Darling and Lavonne Smith. The other person we mentioned seeing had a pencil behind her ear, for she was Barbara Johnston, playwright."

As we pass out into the street again, we know in our hearts that we are glad we are actors and actresses in that important theater of learning, Cambridge Community High School.

FRESHMEN





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First Row: Hampton Ericson, Jerry Cox, James Lindquist, Roger Echelberger, Robert Schiefer-decker, Irwin Magerkurth, John Brennan, James Hagg, Peter Larson.

Second Row: Joyce Jeanotte, Bonnie Wiley, Donna Smith, Cleus Ann Stach, Sandra Anderson, Marilyn Robinson, Shirley Lundell, Carol Burdick, June Peterson, Mary Buskirk, Eileen Robinson.

Third Row: Nancy Johnson, Danny Evans, Paul Moon, Bob Johnson, Marvin McConnell, Jack Kenward, Dale Casteel, Gale Casteel, LaVern Moore, Christine Ijams.

Freshman Billboard

Presenting a four-act melodrama by the freshman extras of 1952.

President Christine Ijams
 Vice President Marilyn Robinson
 Secretary-Treasurer Eileen Robinson
 Student Council Representatives
 Robert Schieferdecker
 Christine Ijams
 Homecoming Attendants . Robert Schieferdecker
 Marilyn Robinson
 Carnival King and Queen Candidates
 John Brennan
 Donna Smith
 Freshman Cheerleader Shirley Lundell
 Actors in the Mob Scene
 The remainder of the freshman class

* * *

Greetings—This is the Viking Staff agent for the future Stars of 1955, presenting the extras of '52. Starring in the role of president is Miss Christine Ijams. Her understudy is Miss Marilyn Robinson. Secretary-Treasurer and one of the Co-Stars is Miss

Eileen Robinson. Mr. Robert Schieferdecker assists Miss Ijams as Student Council Representatives. Extras in assistance to stars, Helen Pierce and Carl Wexell, were Mr. Robert Schieferdecker and Miss Marilyn Robinson as freshman attendants to the king and queen of the Homecoming. The candidates for king and queen of the carnival were Miss Donna Smith and Mr. John Brennan.

The play goes on:

Act I: Scene I (*The Freshman Initiation*)

This was our first chance on the stage. We were found to be adept at crawling, singing, dancing, and many other things. After that, we appeared almost regularly at the C.C.H.S. Theater of Learning. Some of the boys have starred in football and basketball. There were eight out for football and seven out for basketball. We also act in many clubs and organizations in the C.C.H.S. Theater. They are F.F.A., F.H.A., the Viking Staff, the Projection Club, Band, and Chorus.

But now I must leave you with these words —'Parting is such sweet sorrow.'

Au Revoir.

C. C. H. S. Calendar

August 29 — First day of school. Freshies running everywhere!

30—Jim Carlson had to go to the end of lunch line. Walk, remember the floors are slippery.

31—School was dismissed because the roads were to be oiled.

September 4—Seniors had a class meeting to determine what should be done with the green freshies.

5 — Susan C. broke a milk bottle in the cafeteria. Don't worry, she cleaned it up!

6 — Just another day of school. F.H.A. meeting, Science Club, and F.F.A. meetings.

7—Initiation day and night for freshmen! Harley received a shoulder injury in football practice.

10 — Ellen G., remember your table manners! Only kidding, but we surely had a good laugh over it.

11—Bookkeeping class had their first quiz today.

12—What do you know, the three musketeers were first in lunch line today.

13—Lois S. did it again, but don't ask me how! (I mean first in lunch line.)

14—Held our first pep session for the first football game of the season—Atkinson, there.

17 — The students in Miss Westerlund's classes ordered pen-pals today.

18 — From now on savings stamps will be sold on Tuesdays at noon.

19 — Miss Maras had too many students in her free typing hour today. Boy, how they love to type!

20 — The bookkeeping class was sort of confused today. Rollie, Harvey, Alfred, Jay, and so many others!

21—Football game at home tonight with Tampico. Did we win? Sure did: 50-6!

24—Roger was in the dog house today. Gorden, are you going to report on the book you were reading today?

25—Class rings for Juniors. F.H.A. initiation. Those seniors!

26—There wasn't any newspaper in study hall today. Poor Larry and Mr. Johnson.

27—Student Council met. Honor Society met. Football game—Orion, there. It was on Thursday night because of corn show. Oh, how the mercury dropped that night.

28—Assembly program in gym. Who's the Galva guy you went with to the Galva-Elmwood game, Jay????

October 1—Pictures taken for annual. Mr. Young tried to find five candidates for 5,000 word papers in study hall.

2—Eva P. what did you do tonight? Geneseo? Could be!!!

3—Happy Birthday, Lois S. and Donna Y. Seniors got measured for caps and gowns. Hey, you three! Let's not be gulping our food down.

4—G.A.A. teams elected their captains for all the sports today. F.F.A. and F.H.A. met.

- 5 — Football game — Viola, here. Goodness, these noons have been busy! So-o-o many meetings!
- 8 — Dedication of flag pole — extremely impressive! Jay, don't comb your hair so long in the morning.
- 9 — Kay L. got to lead one of the exercises in gym class today. Hey, Kay! Not so much speed, P-L-E-A-S-E!?!
- 10 — Freshmen and Sophomore cheerleader tryouts and election.
- 11 — Happy Birthday, Larry E. No school. Played Sherrard. What a game (21-26)! That's the way, you guys.
- 15 — Happy Birthday, Rollie R. Have you spanked him yet, Joyce?? The football guys were pretty beaten up.
- 16 — Juniors took test today. Hey, kids, did you get tired of writing?
- 17 — It must be nice to get rides back to school every noon! YOU wouldn't know, would you Lois S.? Happy Birthday, Rosemary L.
- 18 — Homecoming Snake Dance. Report cards out. Stop shaking, kids, the folks can't do anything but make you study.
- 19 — Homecoming with Williamsfield. Won! Party in gym after game. Helen and Carl were crowned queen and king.
- 22 — Kay was turning cartwheels in the gym today, weren't you, Kay? Dramatics Club play practice starts tonight at 7:15.
- 23 — Freshman-Sophomore game called off because of rain.
- 24 — Seniors went to Moline to have pictures taken. Happy Birthday, Ellen G.
- 25 — "Tomorrow Will Be Better" (We hope). It's just the same old thing—study, study, study!
- 26 — Football game—Alwood (there) Alwood's Homecoming. Who was that fella you were with, Joan?
- 29 — Happy Birthday, Carol.
- 30 — Last football game—Hillsdale (here). Did you clear it with the office?
- 31 — Happy Hallowe'en! I'll bet there's going to be some fun tonight!

November 1—Everyone is laughing about the stunts pulled last night: More fun!

- 2 — Dramatics Club plays tonight!
- 5 — The girls in Jr. and Sr. P.E. today one at a time performed for the rest of the class.
- 6 — Started work on the floats.
- 7 — School was dismissed 15 minutes early today. Hurray!
- 8 — Neal gave Marlene a ride up town today after school!?!
- 9 — Gee, it's dull! No football game, no basketball game! But we do have to work on these floats.
- 10 — Big night! Parade. A great big success, indeedy! Seniors float won a big blue ribbon.
- 12 — Bowling has got into full swing, and so has the

winter P.E. schedule. Seniors received proofs today.

- 13 — Do the office practice girls know their English?? Wow!!
- 14 — Jr. and Sr. girls P.E. class had endurance tests today. What work!
- 15 — Started work on carnival.
- 16 — Worked on carnival. We're getting ready for the big night.
- 17 — Eighth Annual Viking Carnival.
- 19 — Retakes for annual pictures. Seniors ordered their pictures.
- 20 — First basketball game Mineral (here) Juniors received their class rings. We had a wonderful turkey dinner here at school.
- 21 — Second six weeks ended. Everyone looking forward to Thanksgiving.
- 26 — Volleyball games began this noon. Senior English term papers began today.
- 27 — We play Wethersfield tonight. Oh, well, fellas, you tried.
- 28 — Hey, Jim C. you're getting pretty speedy in book-keeping. You brain, you!
- 29 — Student Council met. Honor Society met. Report cards out.
- 30 — Basketball game—Geneseo—here. Drew names for Christmas gifts. Mr. Montross couldn't find his keys today. Tut, tut!

December 3—Big surprise! Shirley D. and Harvey J. are going steady!

- 4 — The kids saved all their energy today since there is no game tonight. Look out Atkinson here we come!
- 5 — Tickets for the Senior Class Chili Supper were given out this afternoon. Did everyone buy one??
- 6 — Two students have the worst time getting to sit beside each other on Thursday afternoon seventh hour. Don't you, J. V. and R. R.?
- 7 — Basketball—Atkinson—here.
- 8 — Senior class chili supper.
- 9 — Christmas program (high school).
- 10 — The girls Jr. and Sr. P.E. had to keep basketball score in the proper way in class today. What a mess!
- 11 — Played Galva. They beat us, 65-61.
- 13 — Student Council met. G.G.A. meeting at which Miss Peterson showed slide films. Kenneth Neumann fell from a ladder and received serious injuries.
- 14 — Basketball—New Windsor (there). First big snow of the season.
- 17 — Seniors got pictures today. Played ROVA in Galva Tournament.
- 18 — 'Nother day o' school. Uh!
- 19 — Started snowing and drifting; so we got out early.
- 20 — School was excused one day early because of snow. Our Christmas vacation has officially begun.

January 3—School resumes. Everyone all rarin' to go!?? We played New Windsor in Cornbelt Tournament.

4—Cambridge played Atkinson in Tournament.

5—Cambridge played Orion in Tournament. We Won!?!

7—Short assembly to present the trophies we won at Orion to Mr. Mosher. We're proud of you, fellows!

8—Board of Education met. All faculty met. Basketball—Bradford here.

9—Mr. Moore made all the P.E. Girls stay out of the shop until the boys had it cleaned up. We beat them to the head of the line anyway.

10—If bookkeeping gets much harder, Jim Carlson will have to stop and come help some of us dumber ones.

11—We played Orion tonight. Won by 6 points. Helen P., who took you home tonight?

14—Seniors are handing out pictures left and right. First half is almost over.

15—Basketball—Sheffield (there).

16—Fresh-Soph. played 7th and 8th grades. Grades won.

17—G.A.A. had their first night in the gym.

18—Played Viola—57 to 54. We won! Faculty had pep session. It was really good!

21—Welcome back, David Rushing! Orders were taken for annual pictures. Happy birthday, Roger J.

22—Basketball—Alwood (there). Happy birthday, Jay L.

23—Happy birthday, Helen P.

24—Report cards received. Honor society met.

25—Basketball—Sherrard—Here. All-high school party sponsored by the Honor Society.

29—Part of the senior girls began home nursing today.

30—P.E. girls started to dance in class today, square, scial, and folk dancing.

31—The steadies all ate together today—7 or 8 couples!

February 1—G.A.A. girls are getting ready to go to Galesburg tomorrow.

2—Basketball at Erie—G.A.A. playday at Galesburg.

4—English IV class under E. Westerlund handed in term papers today.

5—Guidance classes today—first period.

6—Seniors are finally realizing that it won't be long before graduation. Oh, how lucky they are! Some of the girls started to teach fellows to dance today.

7—Happy birthday, Lorena P

8—Basketball—Alwood (here). Meeting for all X-lettermen of Cambridge and the Valentine's Ball. Many high school students were seen there in formal dress.

11—Everyone's exhausted from the strenuous week-end!

12—Good old 'Abie' (no school).

13—Wethersfield beat us in a close game—57 to 58. P.E. girls started practicing tennis and badminton in class. Happy birthday, Mr. Page!

14—Happy Valentine's Day, everyone!

15—Played Orion tonight.

18—Happy Birthday, Carl W., even though it is a day late.

19—Play Sherrard tonight.

21—Club meetings, Science and Dramatics, to be exact.

22—Get your man, gals—Sadie Hawkins Party.

26—Twenty-nine District Tourneys.

28—The Brainy people (Honor Society) meet.

29—Played Galva.

March 3—Regional Tourney.

6—Oh! Oh! Report cards out.

13—14—Sectional Tourney.

13—Our Girl Athletes meet today.

14—No school, do we feel bad?

19—22—State Tournament.

20—Today was the day for meetings.

21—Music Variety show in the gym.

27—Cornbelt Conference Meets, so do the Student Council and the Honor Society.

28—P.E. Show.

29—District Solo and Ensemble Contest.

April 3—Meetings, F.H.A., F.F.A., and Science Club.

4—Junior Class Play.

5—District Music Day Contest.

7—9—Holy Week Services.

9—Easter Vacation.

16—F.H.A. Banquet.

17—Report Cards Again!

24—Honor Society meets again!

25—26—State Final Music Contest.

28—Assembly Program.

30—F.F.A. Banquet at Gym.

May 1—Science Club meeting, also F.F.A. and F.H.A.

2—Grade School Music Festival at Community Hall.

6—Music Festival Conference.

9—High School Music Festival at Gym.

12—Cornbelt Track Meet.

14—Honor Assembly for the boys!

15—Meetings again—Science Club and Dramatics Club.

16—Freshman and Sophomore Hop.

17—Eighth Grade Trip.

22—Honor Society meeting.

23—Junior and Senior Dinner and prom at the Gym.

27—High School Picnic.

Senior Class Night.

28—Eighth Grade Promotion.

29—High School Commencement at Gym—Report Cards out!

30—Alumni Banquet.

ORGANIZATIONS



Behind the Scenes

Behind the scenes at Cambridge Community High School many actors and actresses are engaging in activities other than those required. Sometimes these backstage activities are so interesting that our director makes it possible for them to be presented on stage for public approval. Music is a hobby with many of us, and the band has been in the spotlight several times this year. President of the band is Helen Pierce. A band council has been organized with representatives from each class and from the faculty as members. This organization made a splendid impression at the Christmas Concert when the members wore their new uniforms. Mr. Raymond Montross is a director of all musical scenes in the show.

Actresses and supporting actresses who wish to sing may become members of Choir I. From this group a sextette and trio have been selected. The trio consists of Carol Palmer, Verdene Jeffers, and Susan Carter; the sextette is made up of these three, plus Helen Pierce, Helma Ingleson, and Sally Wells.

Stand-ins and extras among the feminine members of the company may join Choir II. Together with Choir I, this group presented a fine program at the Christmas Concert when they appeared in formal attire. This concert was the first of the year, and many first-nighters were there to hear the opening night's performance.

The actors also appeared that night. The name of their society is "The Viking Glee Club." A boys' quartet was formed from the glee club; members are: Roger Echelberger, Gene Willems, Bob Pierce, and Bruce Kelly. Some of the musical organizations were taken on tour in the spring to the music contests.

Many members of our theatrical troupe are interested in the sciences. Backstage the members of the Science Club meet to work on projects and to listen to speakers. A person may be elected to this club while he is yet an extra, but he does not take an active part until he reaches the status of stand-in. There are fifteen members at all times, the quota elected depending upon the number of seniors graduating from the club. Carl Wexell is president. Each year the club leaves the company to go to Chicago for three days, accompanied by Mr. J. R. Young, sponsor, and his wife.

The National Honor Society, under the sponsorship of Mr. Noel Mosher, consists of upperclassmen and

sophomore probationary members elected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and service. The club chose for its first president, Carl Wexell.

The C.C.H.S. players have chosen a governing body which is known as the Student Council. Members are elected by classes and by the student body as a whole. The president of the council is Marie Swan. This group was responsible for the flag pole which was erected on the school lawn last year. It was also host to the first meeting of the student councils of the Cornbelt Conference. Mr. Warren Page sponsors the group.

Some people in the company are so interested in dramatics that they even put on plays as a project of the Curtain Call, a club for people interested in dramatics. Selection of members for this club is from the three upper classes. President is Sally Wells, and sponsor is Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds.

Not all of the actresses in our cast are strictly career women. Many are interested in Homemaking. Those so inclined usually join F.H.A. The Future Homemakers of America is sponsored by Mrs. Joan Meier, and the president is Shirley Descamps.

The Girls' Athletic Association operates behind the scenes for those interested in athletics. Marie Swan is president of the group. This organization is divided into teams for such sports as bowling, basketball, softball, and volleyball. Miss Roylene Peterson is G.A.A. sponsor.

Many of our actors are fine physical specimens and as such are good athletes. The Varsity Club has been formed for those who have won varsity letters. Club sponsor is Mr. Warren Page, and president is Harvey Johnson.

For the actors who plan to return to the farm after the show has closed, the F.F.A. is the most important backstage activity. Sponsored by Mr. Charles Moore and under the leadership of Harley Schnowske, this club has been active all year.

To better prepare for some of our important scenes, movies and film strips are used. Mr. J. R. Young formed the Projection Club several years ago for the purpose of teaching students to operate the projectors and wire recorder. Harvey Johnson is projection chief this year.

The legitimate stage has its *Variety* and the C.C.H.S. players have their *Maroon and White*. Reporters are: Christine Ijams, Freshmen; Janet Reilly, Sophomores; Kay Lindell, Juniors; Lois Sterling and Betsy Hedbloom, Seniors. News from each class appears every other week. Carol Palmer's "Potpourri" column is weekly.

The Viking Staff has worked long and hard this year issuing this souvenir program. Coming from the glare of the footlights, the members of the staff grasp pencils or typewriters and spend a lot of time composing stories, reviews, and casting lists for the Viking. Those on the staff are:

Editor: Ellen Grossmann

Associate Editor: Richard Phillis

Business Managers: Helen Pierce and Susie Sears, assistant.

Benefit Chairmen: Joyce Clark and Lorena Palmer, assistant.

Reporters:

Freshmen: Jack Kenward

Sophomore: Barbara Johnston

Junior: Helma Ingelson

Senior: Gertrude Lamb

Sports: Jack Johnson and Glenn Nelson

Calendar: Janet Lundell and Sally Wells

Faculty and Board: Janifer Engquist

Organizations: Carol Palmer

Art Editors: Susan Carter and Eddie Wislander

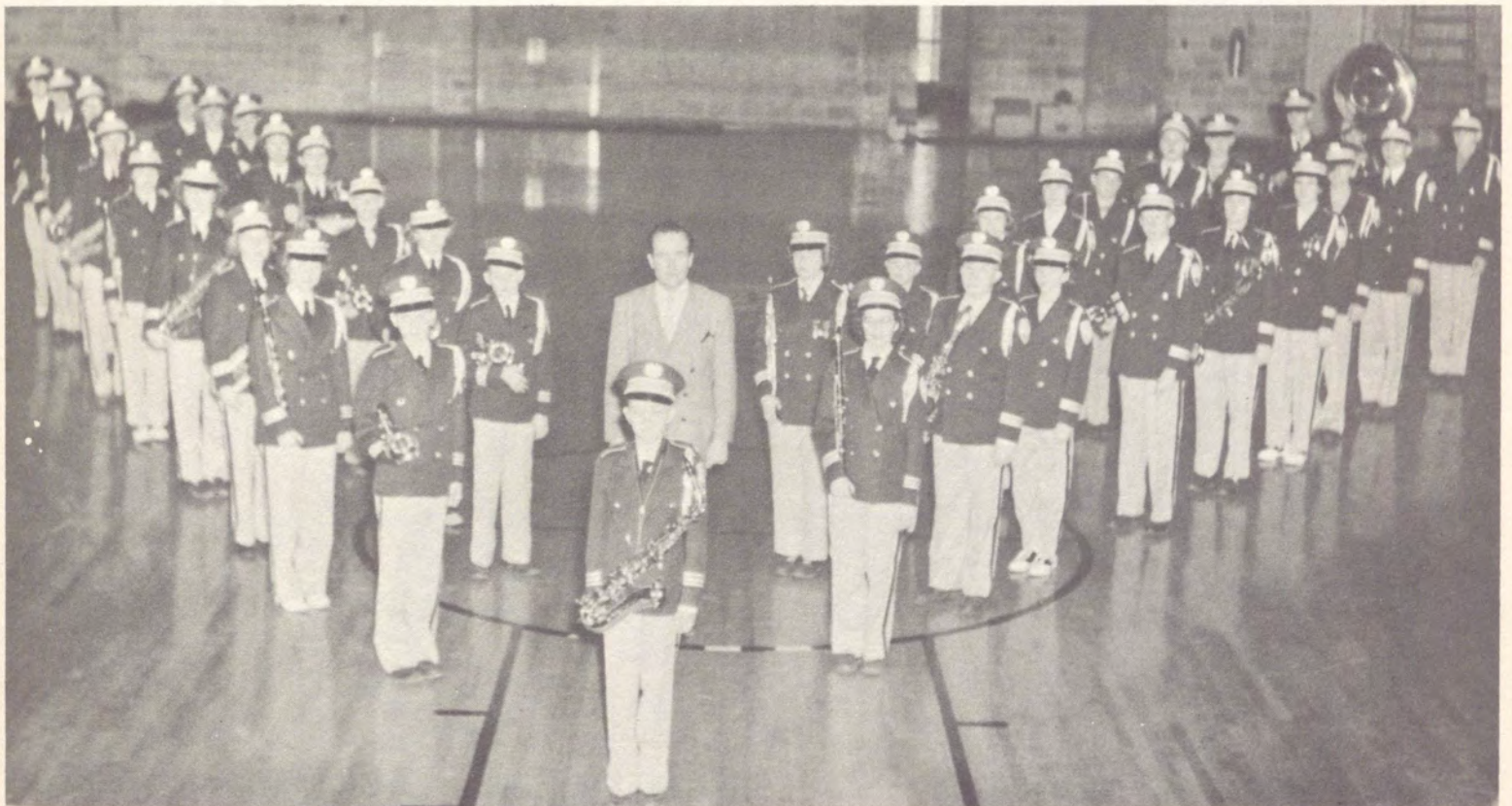
Snaps and Photography: Harvey Johnson, Jim Carlson, and Emery Gregory.

Literary Magazine: Mary May and Carolyn Moody

Humor: Roger Johnson

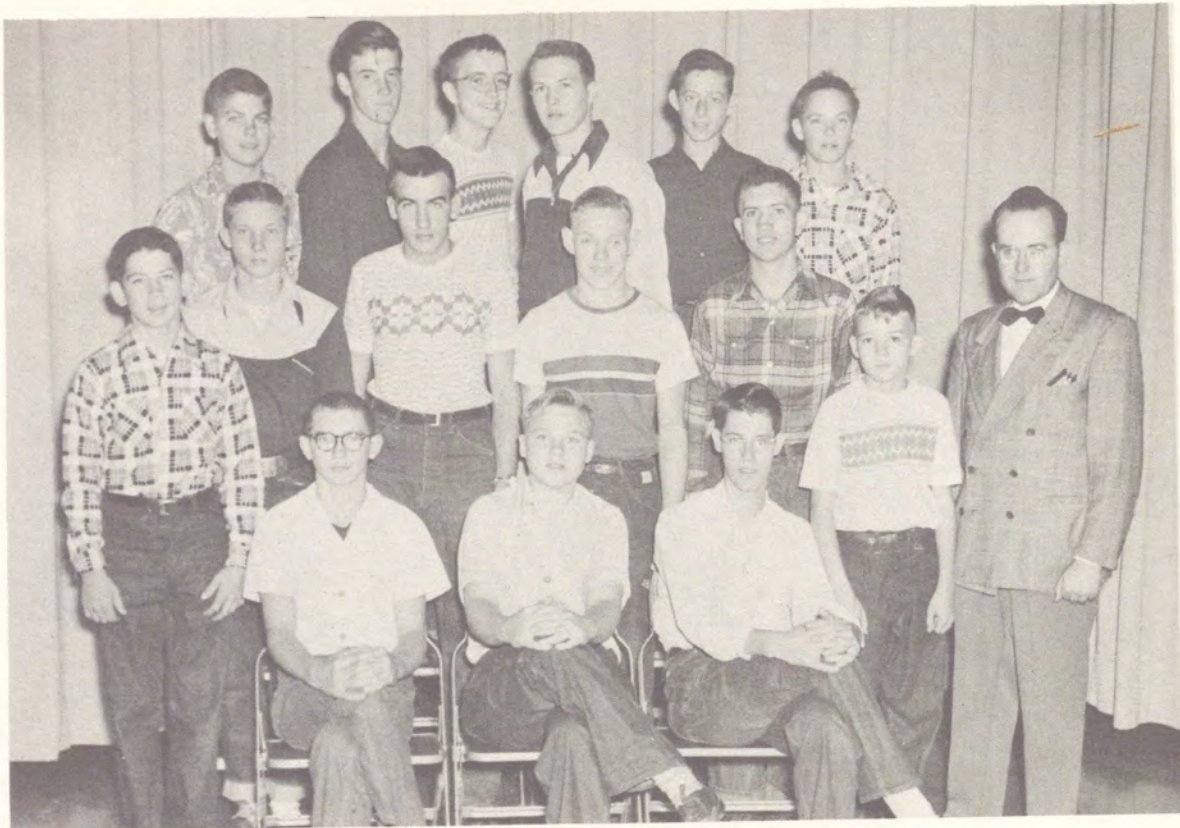
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CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Boys' Chorus

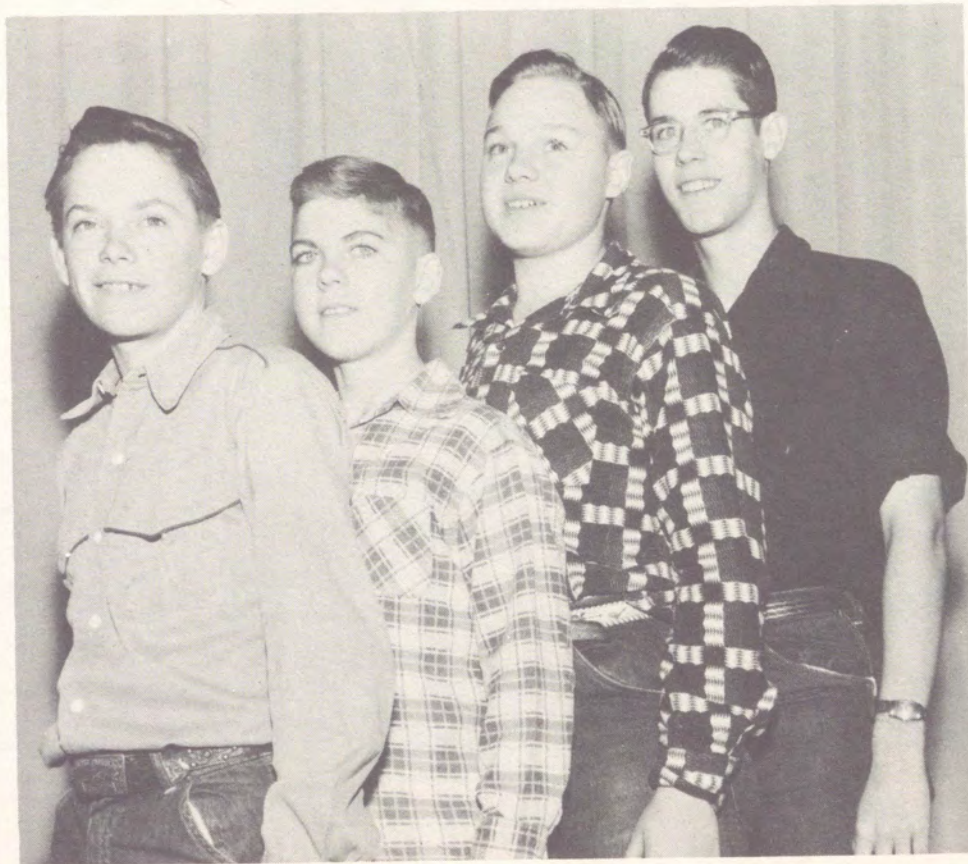


First Row: William Nelson, Bruce Kelly, Bob Pierce.

Second Row: John Brennan, Sam Rishel, Carl Wexell, Dan Evans, Duane Burnett, James Hagg.

Third Row: Roger Echelberger, James Vinzant, William Stevens, Richard Phillis, Kenneth Jeffers, Gene Willems.

Boys' Quartet



Gene Willems, Roger Echelberger, Bruce Kelly, and Robert Pierce.

Girls' Trio



Susan Carter, Verdene Jeffers, Carol Palmer.

Girls' Sextet



First Row: Susan Carter, Carol Palmer, Helma Ingleson.
Second Row: Helen Pierce, Sally Wells, Verdene Jeffers.

Girls' Chorus



First Row: Eileen Robinson, Shirley Johnson, Shirley Lundell, Delores Hier, Lavonne Smith, Donna Smith, Mary May.

Second Row: Joyce Jeanotte, Bonnie Wiley, Mary Buskirk, Dorothy Parrish, Janifer Engquist, Christine Ijams, Janet Lee Hutchinson, Verdene Jeffers, Louise Darling, Sandra Anderson, Clara Evans, Joyce Anderson, Charolett Gregory, Mary Lou Craig.

Third Row: Leona Lock, Marilyn Robinson, Lois Swanson, Norine Grant, Sally Wells, Helen Pierce, Helma Ingelson, Susie Sears, Jean Vinzant, Janet Reilly, Cleus Ann Stach, Susan Carter, Carol Palmer.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA, CHAPTER MOTHER, MRS. NELSONN

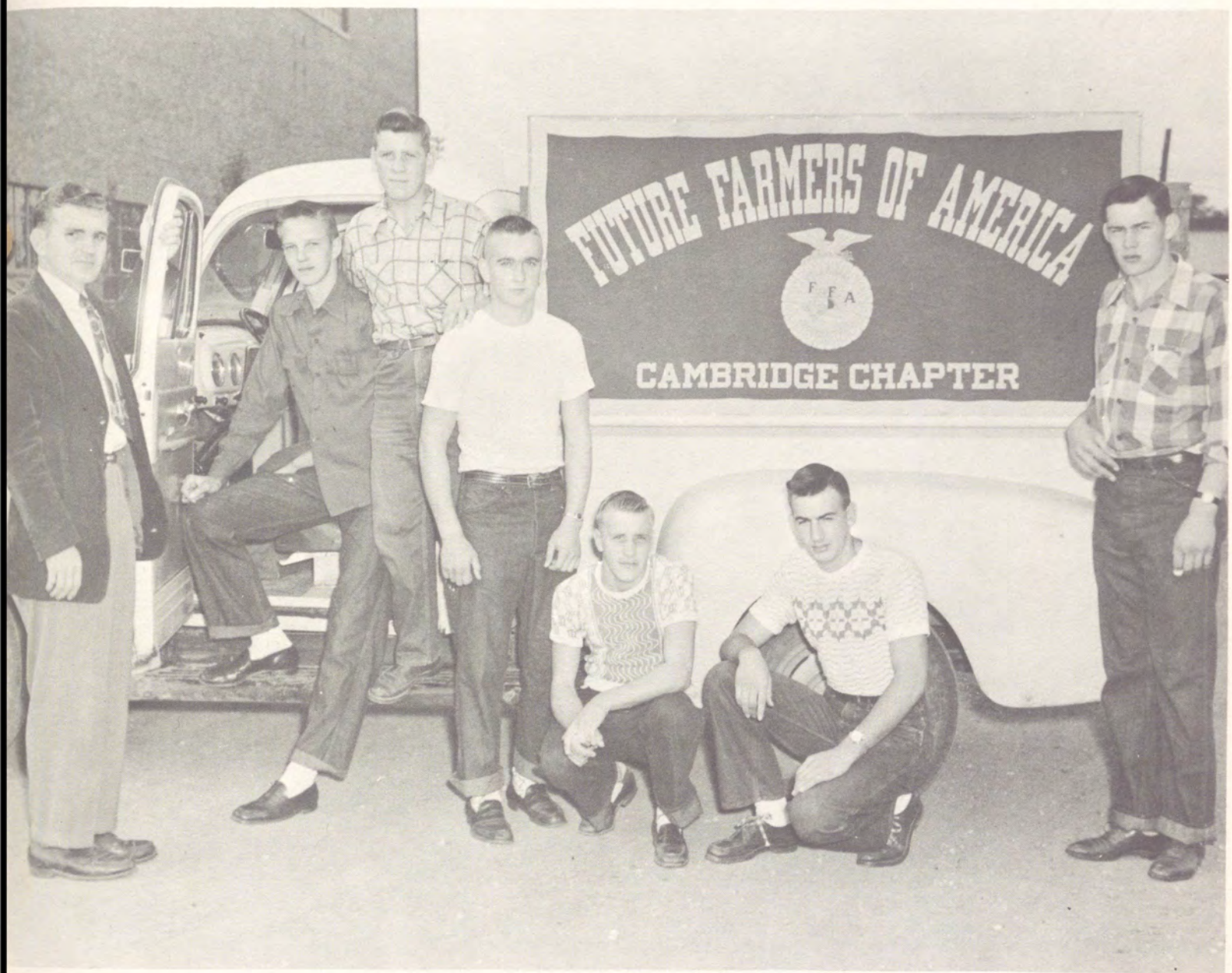
Future Homemakers of America



First Row: Janet Reilly, Carolyn Moody, Rosemary Lashbrook, Joan Nelson, Mary Anderson.

Second Row: Mary Lou Craig, Lois Swanson, Shirley Descamps, Mrs. Meier, Lorena Palmer, Mary May.

Future Farmers of America Officers



Mr. Moore, Harley Schnowske, Alfred Dobbels, Russell Reed, Rollin Robinson, Carl Wexell, Neal Lindell.

Student Council



First Row: Janet Reilly, Carol Palmer, Susie Sears, Joan Nelson.

Second Row: Joyce Anderson, Robert Schieferdecker, Mr. Page, Christine Ijams, Marie Swan, Roger Johnson, Glenn Nelson, Jack Johnson, Lorena Palmer, Carolyn Moody.



FLAG DEDICATION

National Honor Society



First Row: Mary May, Joyce Clark, Joan Nelson, Carolyn Moody, Joyce Anderson, Marilyn Wiquist, Noel Mosher, Clark Magerkurth, Bud Phillis, Jack Johnson, Glenn Nelson, Carl Wexell, Harley Schnowske.

Second Row: Ellen Grossmann, Carol Palmer, Janet Reilly, Helen Pierce, Shirley Descamps, Marie Swan, Sally Wells, Janifer Engquist, Susie Sears, Helma Ingelson, Kay Lindell.

Maroon and White



First Row: Christine Ijams, Miss Westerlund, Betsy Hedblom.

Second Row: Lois Sterling, Sam Rishel, Kay Lindell, Carol Palmer, Janet Reilly.

Girls' Athletic Association



Janet Reilly, Marie Swan, Miss Peterson, Susie Sears, Charolett Gregory.

Science Club



First Row: Jack Johnson, Roger Johnson, Glenn Nelson, Larry Efaw, Joseph Schamp.

Second Row: Richard Phillis, Joan Nelson, Carol Palmer, Joyce Clark, Susan Carter, Ellen Grossmann, Janifer Engquist, Marie Swan, Mr. Young, Carl Wexell, Mary May.

Dramatics Club



First Row: Larry Efaw, Mary May, Charolett Gregory, Bud Phillis, Sally Wells.

Second Row: Marie Hier, Joyce Anerson, Lorena Palmer, Bruce Kelly, Bob Pierce, Susie Sears, Helma Ingelson.

Third Row: Gertrude Lamb, Kay Lindell, Shirley Descamps, Helen Pierce, Janifer Engquist, Carolyn Moody, Marie Swan, Lois Sterling, Janet Lundell, Carol Palmer, Galen Johnson.

Projection Club



Far Left: Richard Phillis.

First Row: Eddie Wislander, Ellen Grossmann, Donald Broshar, Joyce Clark, Clark Magerkurth.

Second Row: Joan Nelson, Kay Lindell, Susan Carter, Sally Wells, Janifer Enquist, Janet Reilly.

Third Row: Dean Lundberg, Harvey Johnson, Harley Schnowske, Stuart Stack, Larry Efaw, Russell Reed.

Varsity Club



First Row: Jack Johnson, Russell Reed, Rollin Robinson, Emery Gregory.
Second Row: Richard Phillis, Alfred Dobbels, Mr. Page, Harvey Johnson.
Third Row: Harley Schnowske, Stuart Stach, Carl Wexell.
Top: Larry Efaw.

The Viking Staff



V-1: Mary May, Ellen Grossmann, Carol Palmer, Harvey Johnson.

Second Row: Barbara Johnston, Emery Gregory, Bud Phillis, Roger Johnson, Gertrude Lamb, Janet Lundell, Susan Carter, Glenn Nelson.



V-2: Susie Sears, Lorena Palmer, Joyce Clark, Helen Pierce, Eddie Wislander.

Second Row: Jack Johnson, Jim Carlson, Sally Wells, Janifer Engquist, Carolyn Moody, Helma Ingelson, Jack Kenward.

Homecoming King and Queen



Helen Pierce and Carl Wexell

Homecoming Attendants



First Row: Helen Pierce and Carl Wexell.

Second Row: Marilyn Robinson, Robert Schieferdecker, Charolett Gregory, Glenn Nelson, Marie Swan, Rodney Johnson, Marlene Hollars.

Viking King and Queen



Susie Sears, Richard Phillis

D A R Award Winner



CAVALCADE OF SPORTS

CRASH!



Cavalcade of Sports

Scene 1—Football

By Jack Johnson

In the first act of the 1952 football season, the Cambridge players were quite unsuccessful, losing the game with Atkinson by a margin of six points. The score was 12 to 18. The setting of the game was at Atkinson, with both teams playing hard and taking much punishment. Gregory was the star this time, scoring both T. D.'s for the Cambridge team. The first was a kick-off runback, and the other was a short dash through the line. When the curtain came down, the Vikings lost, but were far from discouraged.

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With the setting arranged, the second act got off to a fast start. The Cambridge players, in dazzling plays, racked up 19 points in the first quarter. All the players entered the game, even the extras. Tampico was held to one T. D., which they scored in the last period. Harvey Johnson took the leading role this time, with four touchdowns, while Gregory and Robinson were the stand-ins with two apiece. Reed put in an appearance for two extra points. The final score was Cambridge 50, Tampico 6.

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"Sonny" Gregory stole the spotlight in the game with Orion, racking up five T. D.'s. The Chargers and Vikings, who have long been bitter rivals, did not put on the usual performance. Because of the many thrills this game usually presents, there was some disappointment on the part of the fans. The Vikings rolled on to make the final score 49 to 18 in favor of Cambridge. Johnson crossed the all-important goal line twice, while the supporting players scored seven extra points. They were Gregory 2; Johnson 4; and Reed 1.

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With the stage set for Viola, another victory seemed within view of the Vikings. The score at intermission was 34 to 0 with the Vikings stepping into the lead. The extras then took over and played most of the second period. The glorious outcome was somewhat dimmed by the fact that one of the stars incurred a slight concussion and would not be able to play for a few weeks. This player was, as you may recall, Gregory who had done much of our scoring. The touchdowns were led by Johnson with 4, Gregory 2, and Robinson 1, and Dobbels, center and captain, who rolled up his sleeves and marched across for one. Making appearances for the extra points were Gregory 1, Johnson 4, Phillis 1, and Lundell 1. The score—Cambridge 55, Viola 28.

For this all-important game, the players and the supporting cast traveled to Sherrard, Illinois. The night was October 11, and the air was tense; people waited for the opening action. Handicapped by the loss of Gregory's speed, the boys played harder than ever. The defense did a superb job of holding the Sherrard team on the one-yard line with two or three more to go. Each time the defense held and pushed back the Tiger offensive action. The brilliant playing of Harvey Johnson received recognition in the form of 4 touchdowns and two extra points. The score at the end of the final period was 26 to 21.

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When the curtain rose on the Williamsfield game, the opposite team was much heavier, but the Vikings made up in speed for what they lacked in weight. It was not until the extras were put into the game that the Billtowners were able to start the parade to the goal line. They scored 39 points in the second period. The Vikings opened up in the third period and scored 27 points. Harvey Johnson starred once again, making five T. D.'s while Robinson followed up with two. Supporting the two senior boys were Jack Johnson 1, Bud Phillis 1, and Neal Lundell 1. H. Johnson racked up 6 extra points, and Wexell put in an appearance with one. The game ended — Cambridge 57 and Williamsfield 39.

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The last main production of the season was the Cambridge-Alwood game. The extremely bad weather did not faze the Vikings as they roared away with 27 points in the first quarter. The Alwood Aces were held scoreless in the first half, but when the extras went in at the beginning of the second period, Alwood marched down the field for 18 points. The stand-ins made 19 points during the time they played. We find Harvey Johnson leading again with 4 touchdowns, Robinson following closely with 3, and Gregory, 1. Counting up the extra points, Johnson countered 4 and Gregory 1. The score: 53-18.

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The last drama of the year did not follow the pattern of the previous games. The Hillsdale Pirates beat the Vikings by the slim margin of 2 points. The game was close, and the Cambridge team did not lose faith until the final gun. For the past three performances, these two teams have put on a close, hard-fought battle. The victories, however, have been alternated each year. If this runs true-to-form, we can look for a much more promising game next year. The scoring featured Gregory with 3 T. D.'s, H. Johnson and C. Wexell getting one a piece. Two extra points were made by Johnson. The score at the end of the final period was 32 to 34 in favor of the Hillsdale team.

CORNBELT CO-CHAMPS

By virtue of their performances in football, which were five victories and one defeat, Cambridge retained one-third share of the title. Atkinson and Sherrard were the other two holders of the crown. This makes the second successive year that the Vikings have finished on top.

STANDINGS

The 1951 Cornbelt All-Stars are composed of a fine aggregation of conference football players, among which Cambridge is proud to take its place. Harvey Johnson and Alfred Dobbels represented the Vikings on the All-Conference team.

Harvey has ably supported his reputation as one of the best backs in this vicinity by leading the conference in scoring for the past two years. Harvey's total points for this year amounted to 133.

Alfred has distinguished himself as being the only repeater on the team. In addition to being on the 1950 first team, he was on the second team in his sophomore season. He was this year's captain and has proven himself a very capable one. Many stories are told of Alfred's vicious tackles and hard blocks, and he is noted as an immovable bulwark in the line.

Everyone will agree that the honors these two boys have received are well-deserved and rightfully earned.

Basketball

GLENN NELSON

The Cambridge Vikings finished the 1951-52 basketball season with a record of 15 wins and 12 losses. Two lettermen returned this year, Harley Schnowske, a junior, and Harvey Johnson, a senior as captain. Neal Lundell and Russell Reed, both juniors, and Rollie Robinson, a senior, played some very good ball. Emery Gregory, our sixth man, also played some fine games.

The season did have some bad points; namely, the losing of eight close games. We beat our traditional rival, Orion, by one point. Another close game was with Wethersfield when they led by 16 points at the end of the third quarter. The Cambridge quintet rallied and came within 1 point of winning. At the Sherrard game, the Tigers defeated us by 2 points in an overtime, determining the championship of the Cornbelt Conference. For some reason the boys couldn't hit on their free throws.

The Vikings were outstanding in conference play though they lost 12 games this season. They finished second in the conference for the second consecutive year. The conference teams finished as follows:

	WINS	LOSSES	p.c.
Sherrard	6	0	1.000
Cambridge	5	1	.833
Orion	4	2	.666
Viola	2	4	.333
Atkinson	2	4	.333
Alwood	2	4	.333
New Windsor	0	6	.000

In the Galva Tournament, Rova defeated the local boys in the first game but were later beaten in the Regional. In the Cornbelt Tournament, held at Orion, the Vikings won all three games by fairly large margins. In the regional tournament, the Vikings played splendid ball defeating Rova and Corpus Christi, but lost the final game to Knoxville. In the history of Cambridge basketball, only one other team before this year has reached the regional finals.

Cambridge boys made 462 fouls during the season while the opposing teams made 499. In only 8 of the contests, did the Vikings score more fouls.

The team outscored the opposing teams 1339 to 1235.

In total, there were 6 lettermen this year; Harvey Johnson, Rollin Robinson, Emery Gregory, Harley Schnowske, Russell Reed, and Neal Lundell.

Despite our losses, we had a very exciting and interesting season. The boys over-rode all expectations and the seniors had a glorious last year.

BASKETBALL SCORES

Cambridge 40	Mineral 44
Cambridge 40	Wethersfield 43
Cambridge 53	Geneseo 42
Cambridge 56	Atkinson 36
Cambridge 61	Galva 65
Cambridge 72	New Windsor 36
Cambridge 41	Rova 56
Cambridge 42	Williamsfield 58

CORNBELT TOURNAMENT

Cambridge 51	New Windsor 24
Cambridge 52	Atkinson 30
Cambridge 47	Orion 37
Cambridge 46	Bradford 34
Cambridge 38	Orion 32
Cambridge 51	Sheffield 42
Cambridge 59	Viola 55
Cambridge 60	Alwood 47
Cambridge 46	Sherrard 48
Cambridge 52	Erie 60
Cambridge 62	Alwood 44
Cambridge 57	Wethersfield 58
Cambridge 44	Orion 43
Cambridge 40	Sherrard 68
Cambridge 42	Bradford 54
Cambridge 42	Galva 46

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Cambridge 49 Rova 37
Cambridge 54 Corpus Christi 47
Cambridge 42 Knoxville 49

Vikings Won 15; Lost 12

CONFERENCE TRACK STANDINGS OF 1951

All the brave people that came out on the cloudy night of May 21, 1951, would have witnessed the scene when the Vikings took third place in the conference meet in the Viking Stadium. Cambridge came through with 27 points. The scoring for the Vikings was as follows:

Metz, fifth in the 100-yard dash and second in the 220-yard dash. Mosher and Johnson tied for second in the 120-yard low hurdles. Johnson also finished first in a fast 440-yard dash and fourth in the 100-

yard dash. Vincent got fifth in the shot put, and Efaw finished with fourth in the 440-yard dash.

The varsity 880-yard Relay Team consisting of Metz, Johnson, Gregory, and Efaw finished by taking first.

The conference teams finished as follows:

Viola	36½
Orion	33½
Cambridge	27
Alwood	21½
Sherrard	21
Williamsfield	19¾
New Windsor	19½
Atkinson	16¼

The track show was climaxed by a scene in the gymnasium, where the trophy and various medals were awarded. The final scene was the colorful crowning of the Viola queen, whose school won the thrilling meet.



Captain Alfred Dobbels and Coach Warren Page

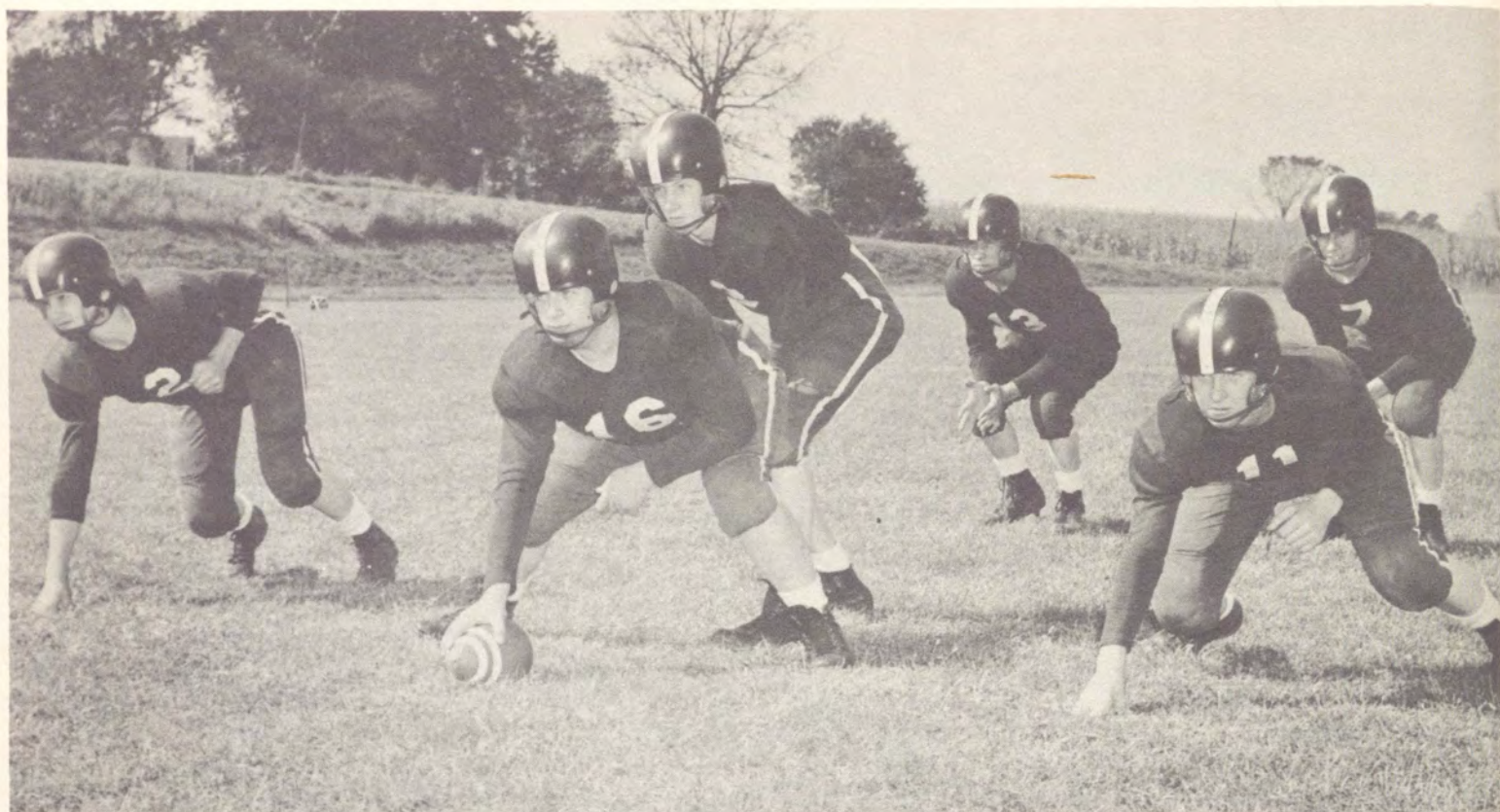


Football Squad



First Row: Russell Reed, Carl Wexell, Neal Lundell, Harvey Johnson, Bud Phillis, Alfred Dobbels, Emery Gregory, Rollie Robinson, Billy Nelson.

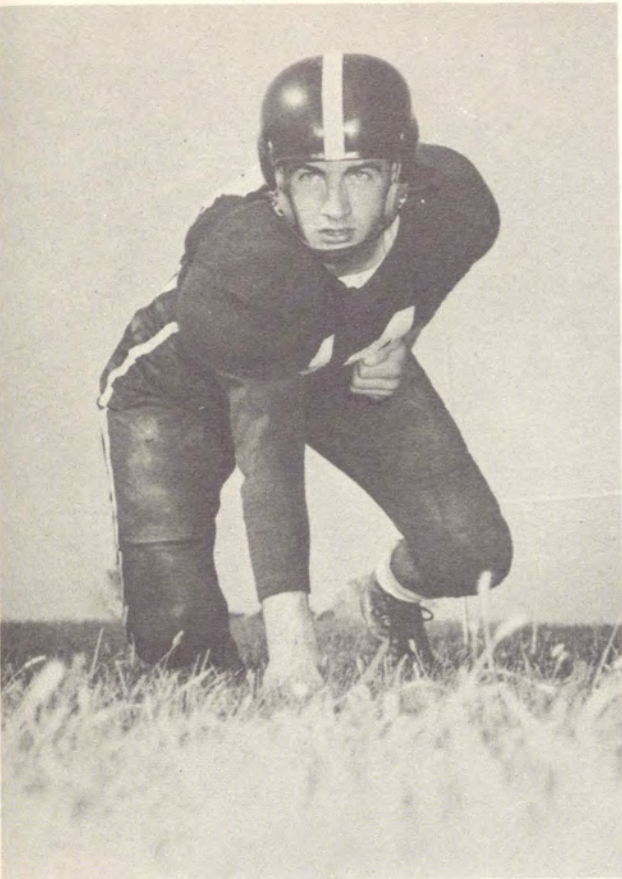
Second Row: Johnny Brennan, Lavern Moore, Paul Moon, Jack Kenward, Kennie Jeffers, Dean Lundburg, Sam Rishel, Warren Page, Jack Johnson, Howard Moore, Alvin Dobbels, Eddie Wislander, Danny Evans, Bob Schieferdecker, Roger Echelberger, Pete Larson.



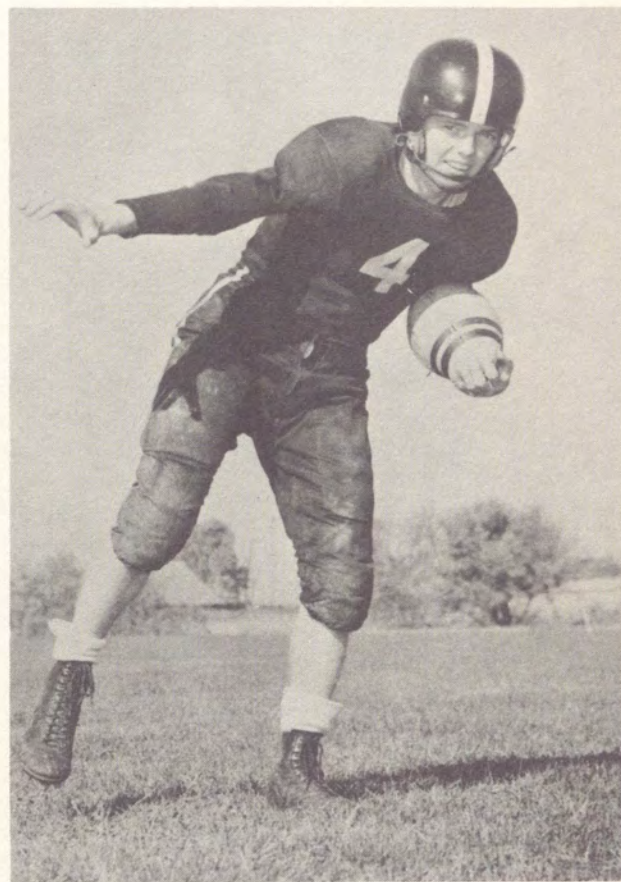
Bill Nelson, Howard Moore, Dean Lundberg, Sam Rishel, Rollin Robinson, Jack Johnson.



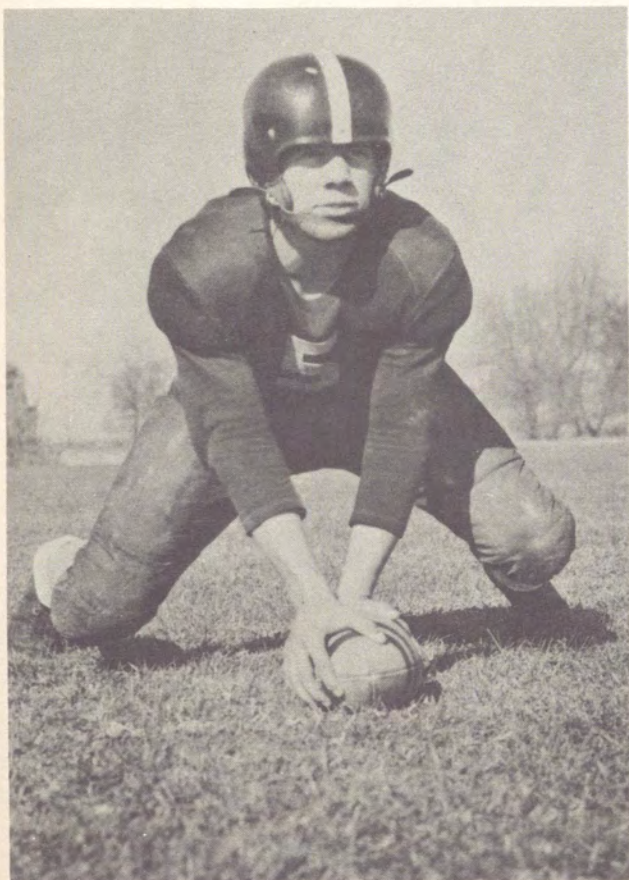
Harvey Johnson, High-Point Conference Scorer.



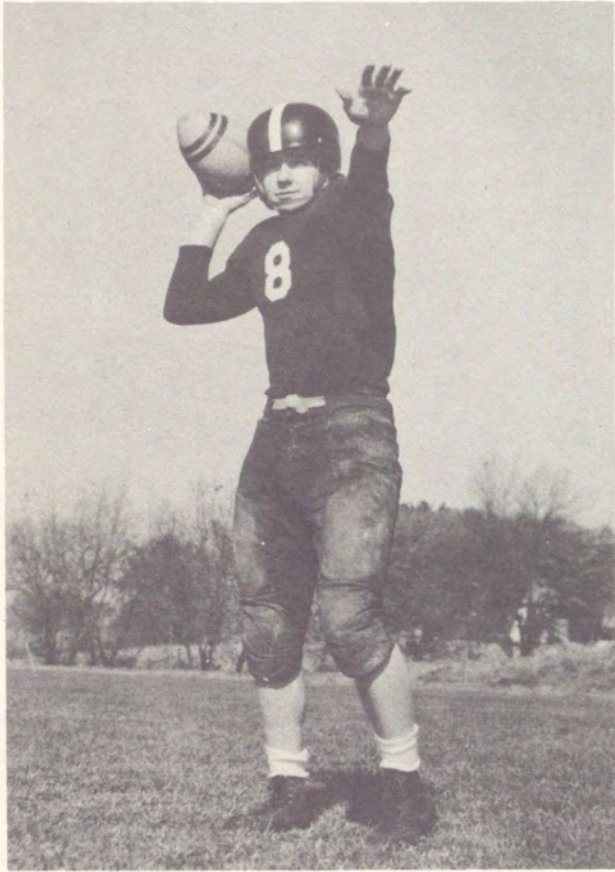
Carl Wexell



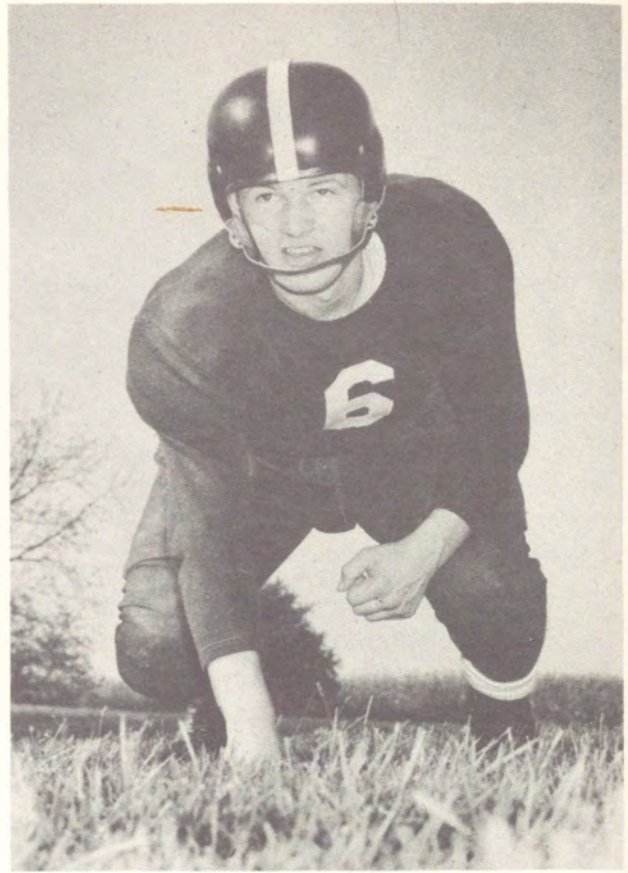
Emery Gregory



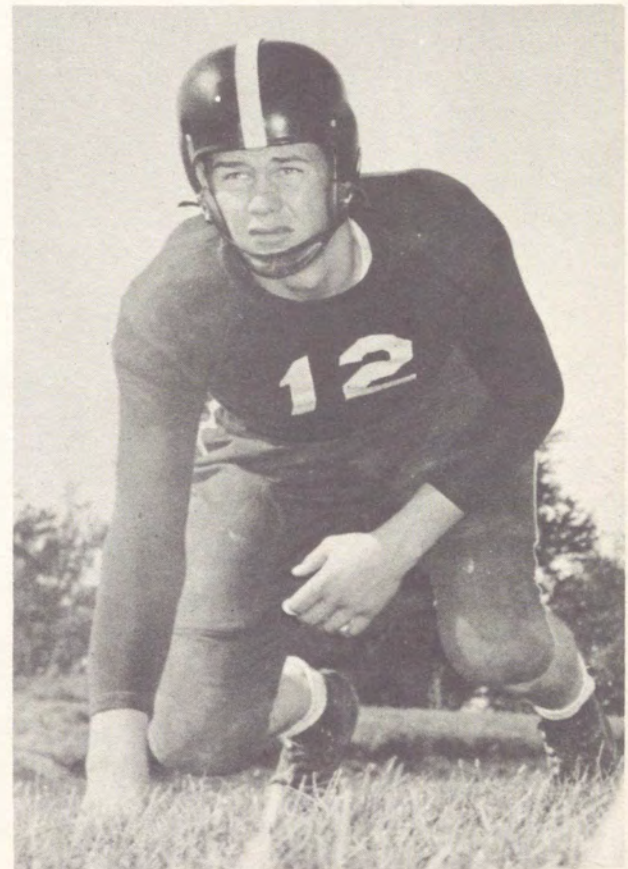
Alfred Dobbels



Russell Reed



Bud Phillis



Neal Lindell

B Team



First Row: Roger Echelberger, Robert Schieferdecker, John Brennan, James Hagg.

Second Row: Eddie Wislander, Alvin Dobbels, Kenneth Jeffers, Bill Nelson.

Third Row: Mr. Page, Bill Stephens, Jack Kenward, Jack Johnson, Paul Moon, Eugene Lundburg.

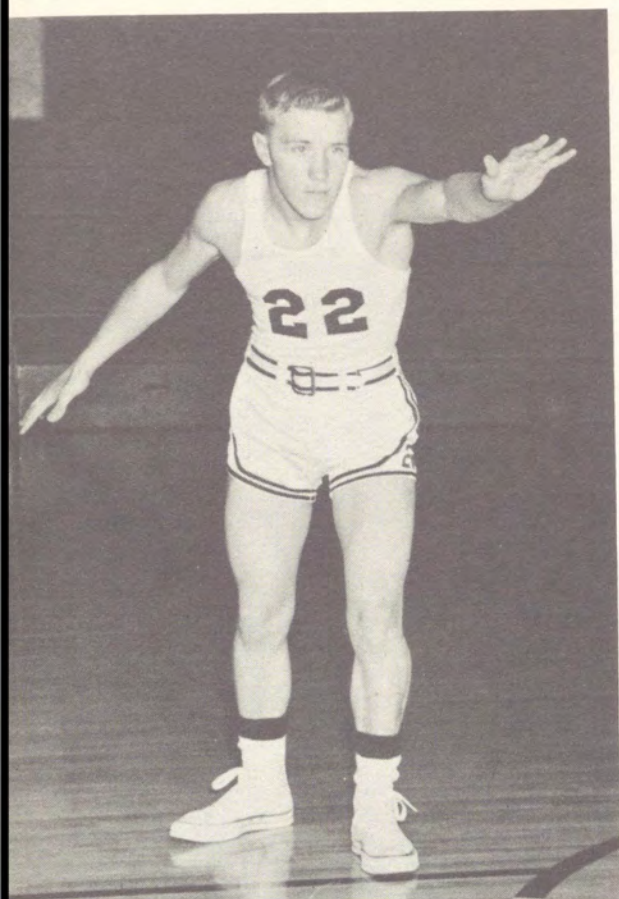
Varsity Team



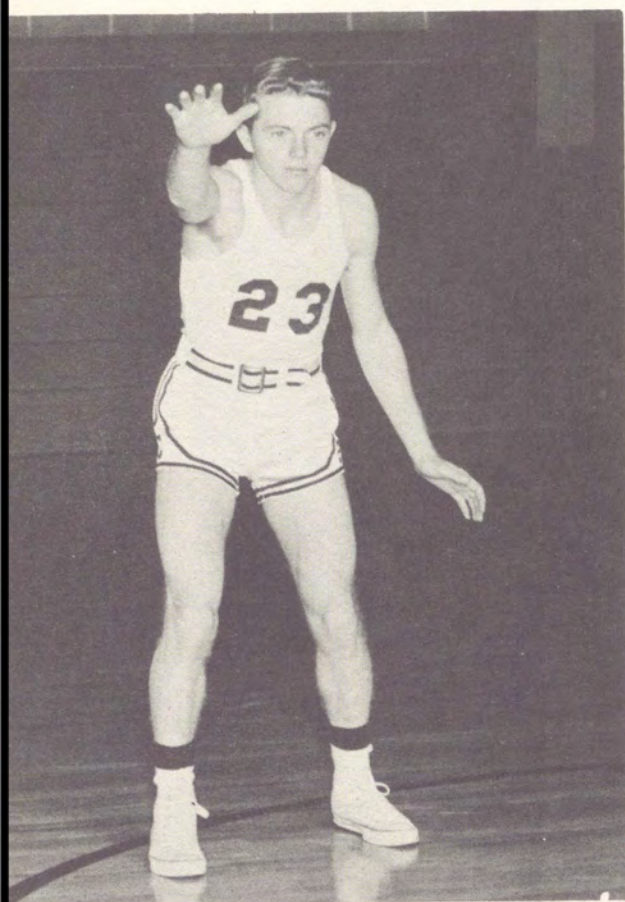
First Row: Neal Lindell, Harvey Johnson, Harley Schnowske, Russell Reed, Rollin Robinson.

Second Row: Jack Johnson, Sam Rishel, Emery Gregory, Robert Pierce, Mr. Page, Richard Phillis, Richard Clark.





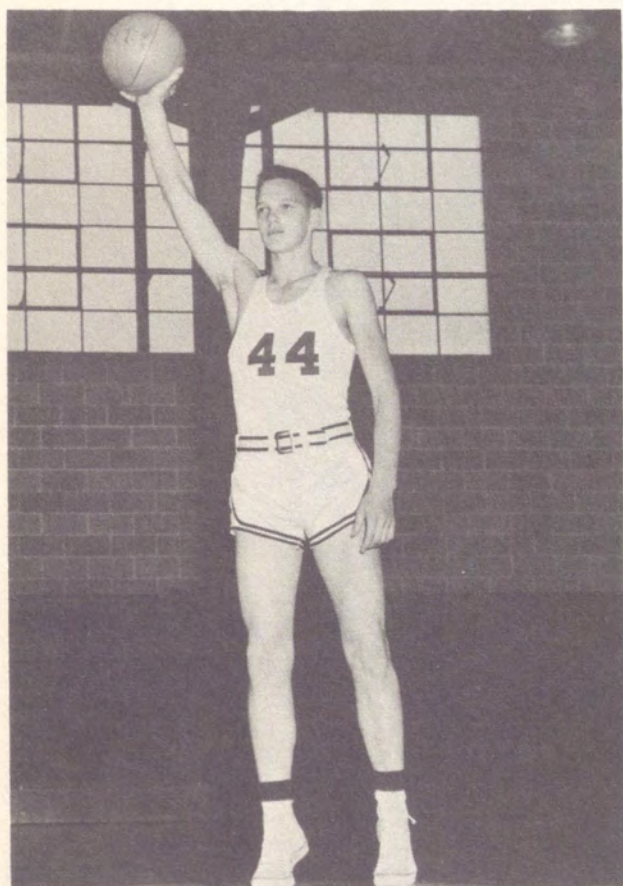
Rollin Robinson



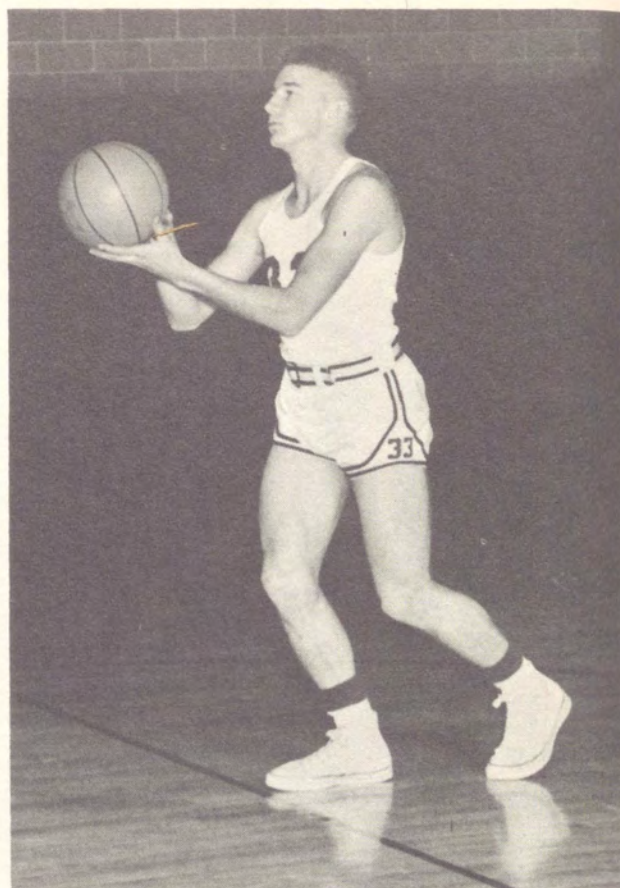
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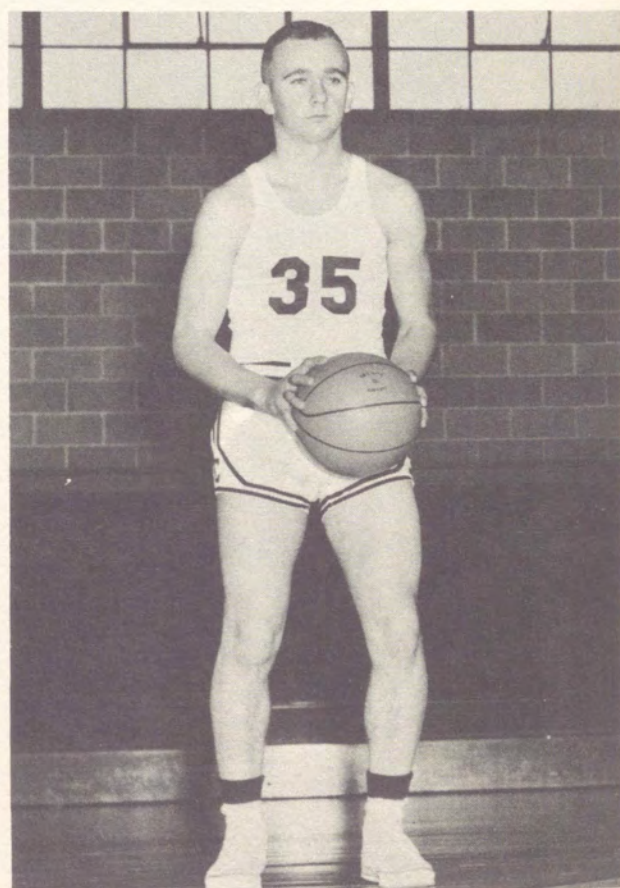
Neal Lundell



Harley Schnowske



Harvey Johnson



Russell Reed

Varsity Cheerleaders



Shirley Descamps, Joyce Anderson, Janet Reilly, Ellen Grossmann.

Freshman-Sophomore Cheerleaders



Shirley Lundell, Barbara Johnston, Marlene Hollars.



JOKES & SNAPS



Guess



Her lips quivered as they approached his. His whole frame trembled as he looked into her eyes. Her chin vibrated, and his body shuddered and he held her close to him. The moral of this: Never kiss a girl in a jeep with the engine running.



Mr. Young: "This liquid turns blue if your unknown is blue, and red if the unknown is acid."
Russell Reed: "Sorry, but I'm color blind. Have you got anything with a bell on it?"



Mac: "Give me a sentence with the words 'highway cop.'"
Sak: "Highway cop with a hangover every Sunday morning."

Memory training by association became a fad in one of these progressive education schools. "For instance," the teacher was explaining, "if you want to remember the name of the poet, Bobbie Burns, you might imagine a picture of a London policeman in flames. You see, 'Bobbie Burns.'"
"I see that," said a pupil, "but how is a person to be sure it doesn't represent 'Robert Browning'?"



Policeman (to pedestrian just struck by hit-and-run driver): "Did you get his number?"
Victim: "No, but I'd recognize his laugh any place."

A set of triplets had just joined little Danny's family. "Tell your teacher about it," beamed Danny's proud father, "and maybe she'll give you a holiday."
That afternoon Danny came home with a pleased smile on his face. "Don't have to go to school tomorrow," he announced.
"What did your teacher say when she learned we had triplets?" Danny's father asked.
"I didn't tell her," Danny replied. "I'm saving two of them for other holidays."



Who?



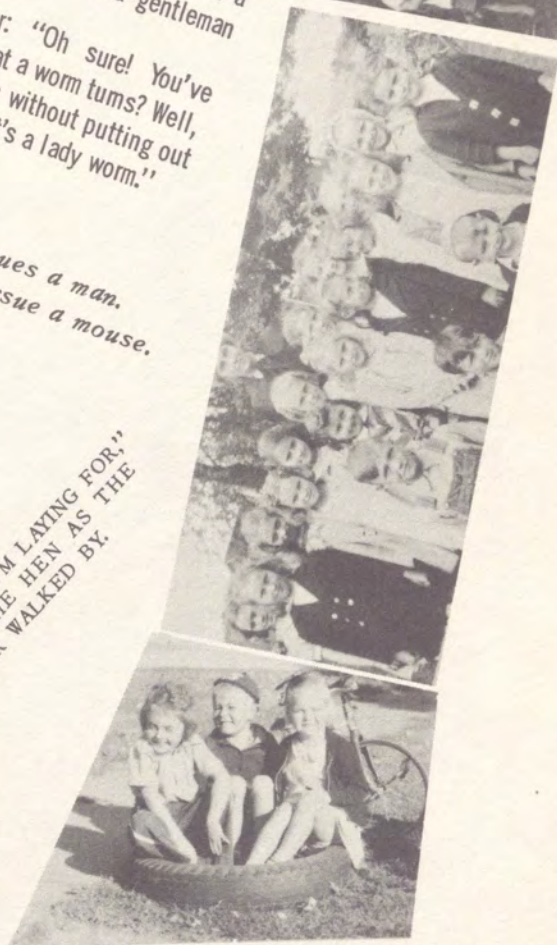
Tourist: "I'm sorry I ran over your hen. Will two dollars pay for her?"
Farmer: "Better make it five. My three-dollar rooster was mighty fond of that hen, and the shock might kill him!"

Oscar and Gene were talking in biology one day.
Gene: "Know how to tell a lady worm from a gentleman worm?"

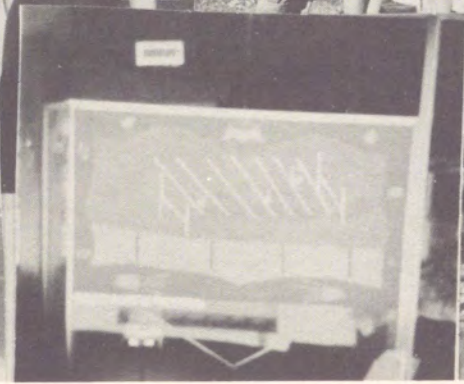
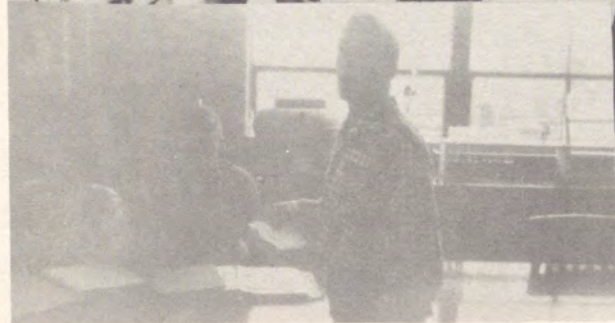
Oscar: "Oh sure! You've heard that a worm turns? Well, if it turns without putting out its hand, it's a lady worm."

A modest girl never pursues a man.
Neither does a mousetrap pursue a mouse.

"THAT'S THE GUY I'M LAYING FOR."
MUTTERED THE HEN AS THE FARMER WALKED BY.











AUTOGRAPHS







