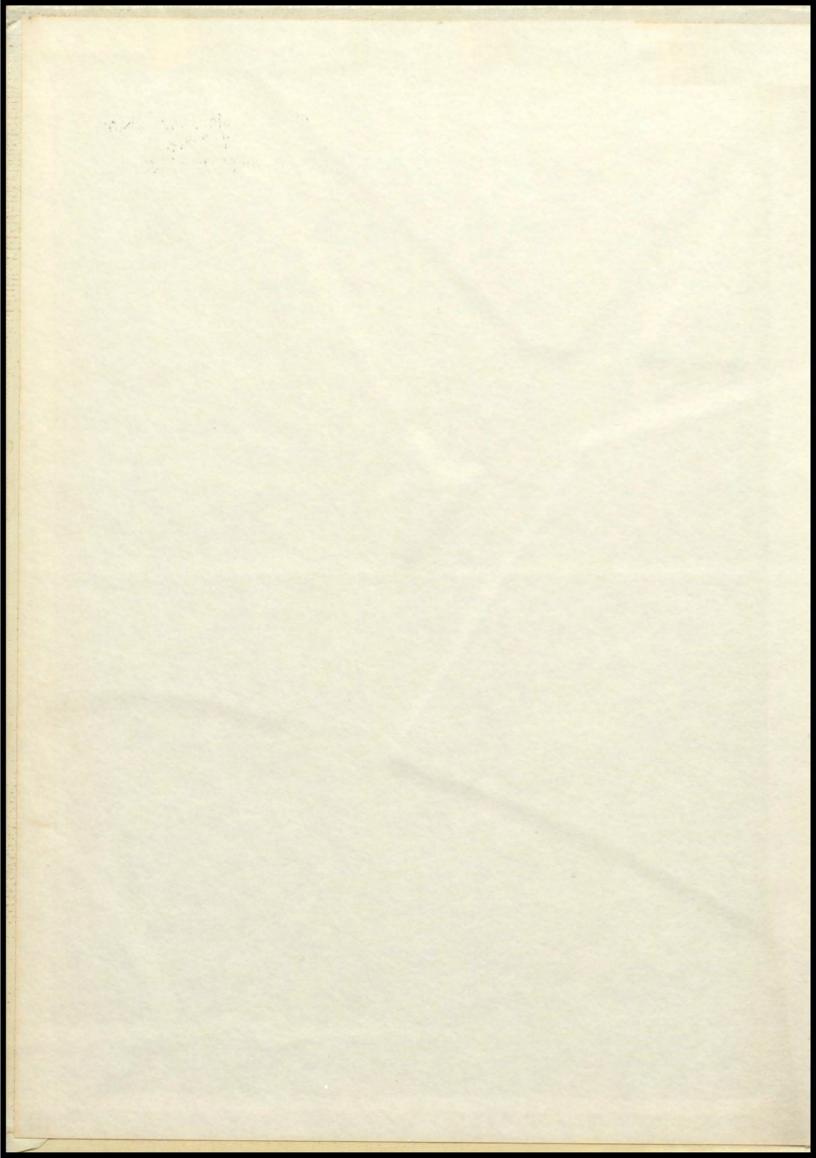
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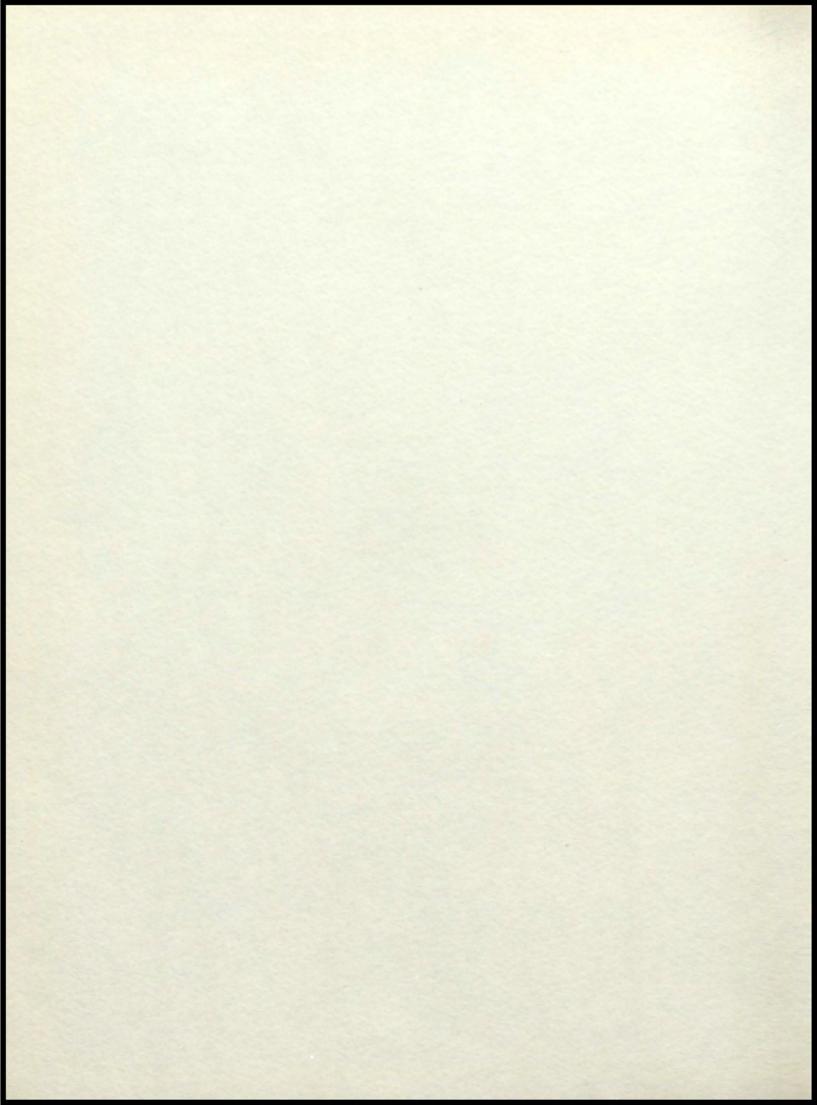
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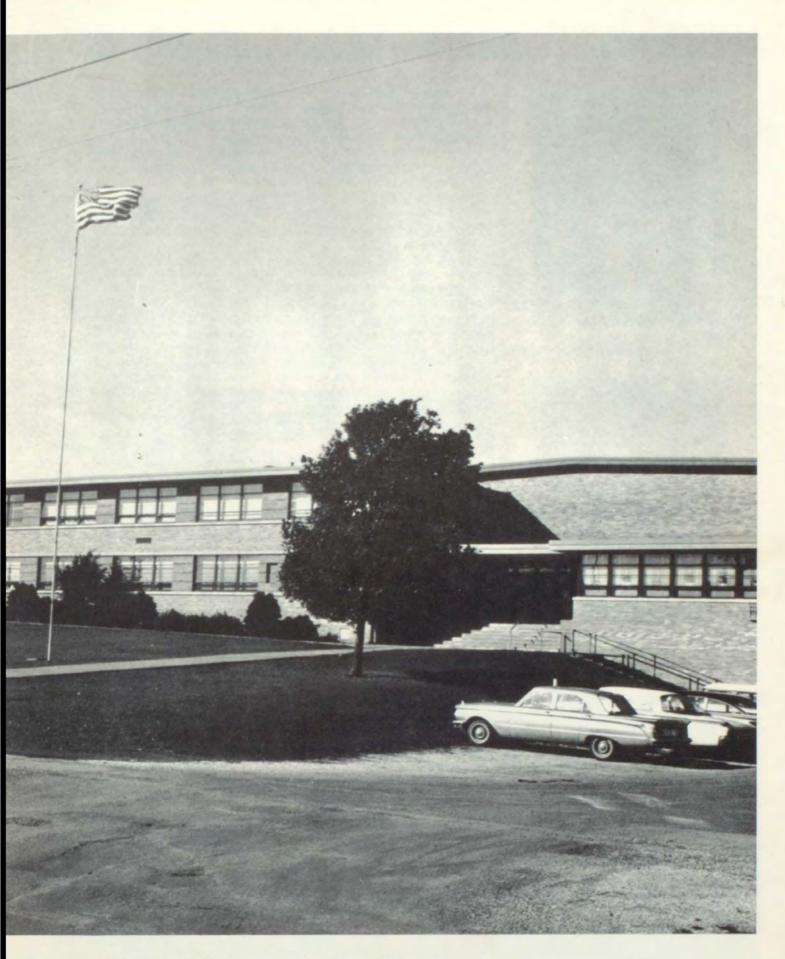


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Vikings of Yesterday



and Today Sail Toward New Horizons

# Miss Westerlund, Mr. Johnson, the Viking -



Miss Westerlund



Miss Westerlund

The past 25 years at CHS have seen many changes and improvements since the first Viking annual was published. In the next few paragraphs, a brief summary of the past 25 years will be undertaken with the use of information from the preceeding 24 annuals.

In the school year of 1938-39, when Harley N. Rohm was principal, the Viking Staff was organized and the first Viking Yearbook was edited with Miss Elizabeth Westerlund as advisor.

The years 1937, 1938, and 1939 proved to be very successful for our baseball team and Coach Raymond Johnson. We won all the games each of those years and were proud to call ourselves the Conference Champions.

A new sport was introduced into Cambridge High School in 1940. Six-man football took the place of baseball. The game, which was then sweeping the country, was adopted by neighboring schools to form a conference which included Orion, Alexis, Sherrard, and Cambridge. Many boys turned out for the team game, which was as new to Coach Johnson as it was to them. We won two games out of six. With the help of Coach Johnson, however, we steadily improved, and, in 1946, we claimed the championship title. Although Cambridge had previously taken part in track events, the first annual Combelt Conference Meet was held in 1941 at the fair grounds. Cambridge scored two first and placed in almost every event.

There were many sorrowful faces around CHS when Mr. Rohm handed in his resignation in 1946, but everyone was eager to welcome Mr. Mosher as the new principal. Also in this year, Warren Page became the football and basketball coach, a job which previously had been filled successfully by Mr. Johnson. A new organization, the FFA, was formed in 1945-46 with Dale Sherrard as the advisor. The highlight of this club's activities was the crowning of the first FFA Queen.

In 1949, a new high school was in the process of construction, its location being in the southwest edge of town. The new high school was opened in 1950, and the grade school took over the old building. This was an exciting year at CHS, not only because all sports were now held at the new Viking Stadium, but also because three new organizations were added. These were the GAA, FHA, and the TAB Book Club, from

The old Cambridge public school building which is now the present grade school.



# Played Integral Roles at CHS for 25 Years

which students could order paperback books for reasonable prices.

The year 1951 proved to be very successful for our football team as we came through the season with eight wins and no losses, thus gaining the first undisputed championship in the Viking history. One outstanding project in the year of 1952 was undertaken by the Student Council. This was the erection and dedication of our flag pole, which now stands in front of the building.

Mr. Mosher left Cambridge High in 1954, and was replaced by Warren T. Page, the former coach. Mr. Albert G. Smith was then secured as coach with Jim Doyle for an assistant. The most successful basketball season CHS had ever had was in 1955 when we won 22 games and lost only 4. In 1956, the FTA was organized by students who were interested in the teaching profession.

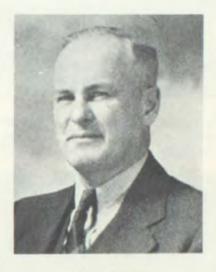
We attained a new coach, Mr. Atkinson, in 1957, and Mr. Smith, the previous coach, stepped into the office of principal. A new addition to the school was begun in 1958. This included our present cafeteria, bandroom, and Junior High departments. In 1959, classes were held in the new addition, Latin was adopted, and the Science Club was started again with Mr. Place as advisor. For these reasons, this year was said to be the year of the "New Look."

In 1960, Miss Westerlund, yearbook advisor for 22 years, retired from that position, and Mr. Philip Shutt took over as advisor. Spanish was taught in place of Latin in 1961, and the Spanish Club was added to the list of organizations.

In the year 1962, we gained many new teachers including two new coaches, Coach Truckenbrod for football and Coach Birkett for basketball. Also this year, Mr. Wigant took over as yearbook advisor. The football season wasn't very successful that year, and in basketball we won 8 games and lost 12. However, we made up for everything in basketball when this year, 1963, we came through the basketball season as Combelt Conference Champs. Everyone was exceedingly happy over this, for it was the first time in eight years that we had done it. Also this year, the Future Nurses Club was organized with Mrs. Dahlberg, school nurse this year, as sponsor of it.



Mr. Johnson



Mr. Johnson

Our present high school building in Cambridge.



### CHS Students Sail Toward New Horizons



Rehearsing their lines for the Junior Class Play, "Stag Line," are Gary Schiferdecker, Jean Chapman, and Nancy Reed.



Delores Versluys and Patricia Grant are kept busy taking care of small children as part of their Home Economics II class.

With a sailboat behind them and music playing, Marlene Jodts and Arlon Vincent enjoy dancing at the Fresh.-Soph. Hop. Thursday, August 30, 1962, marked the end of a long, lazy summer and the beginning of another school term for the 220 students at CHS. Freshman Initiation rolled around again with the freshmen slaving for the seniors. Since "turn-about is fair play," the seniors sponsored the all high school party to welcome the frosh to CHS.

Football season started in mid-September. The boys played their hardest, and towards the end of the season, their work paid off in victories. Homecoming was a gala event. Whipping Alwood 20-13 was a wonderful way to end the season.

Bake sales, chili suppers, and work days foretold the coming Carnival. This year the sophomores reigned victorious. Thanksgiving vacation came, bringing with it the start of the basketball season. This was, with only two exceptions, a great year for Cambridge in the Cornbelt Conference play. The Vikings did not stop until they had beaten Orion, secured the gold basketball, and made themselves the undisputed Cornbelt Conference Champs!

December and winter came to CHS. Dr. David gave an assembly on physics. The choruses and band gave their annual Christmas Concert, and the Honor Society sponsored the Christmas Dance. Vacation began!

Resolutions were being made fast and furious when school resumed with the new year. Some of these resolutions came in



# Through Studies, Parties, and Athletics

handy when in mid-January, the third six weeks ended, and semester tests were given. Lynn Bloxom gave an assembly on Ralph Whitcomb Reily, a famous writer.

February 1, 1963, was the date of the historic faculty-Varsity Club basketball game. Together with the proceeds from this game and months of saving, the Varsity Club was able to purchase their whirlpool. The Sweetheart Ball, co-sponsored by the FFA and FHA was held in mid-February. Also in February, a table tennis exhibition performed by two professionals from Europe was greatly enjoyed by the student body at an assembly.

March not only blew in kite-flying weather, but also National Merit Tests for the juniors, University of Illinois Exams for seniors, and the State Music Contest at Peoria. After weeks of rehearsals, the junior class presented their play, "Stag Line" in April. After Easter and a restful spring vacation, work began in earnest on the Freshman-Sophomore Hop which was held on the 26th.

With May came the feverish activity of juniors hard at work on the Junior-Senior Prom held May 17, 1963. The Spring Music Concert was held early in May. Every day of May seemed to be full to the brim with things to be done. Senior class night, the honor assembly, Baccalaureate, and finally Commencement brought to a close another memorable year at Cambridge High School.



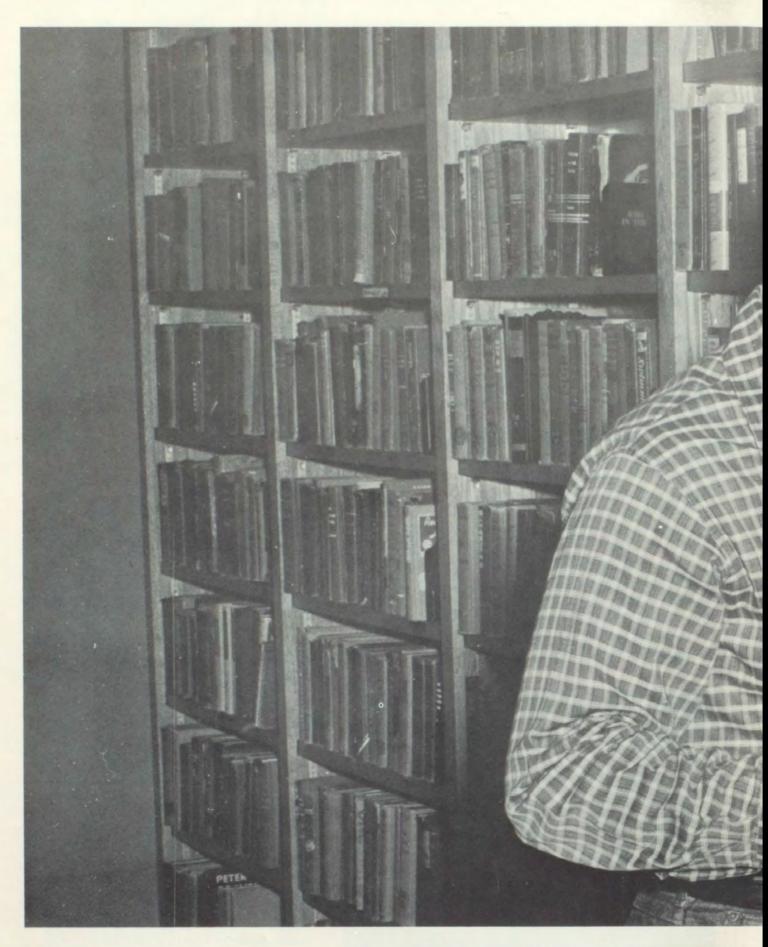


Demonstrating the effects of a gyroscope as large as a bicycle wheel is Dr. David at one of our school assemblies.



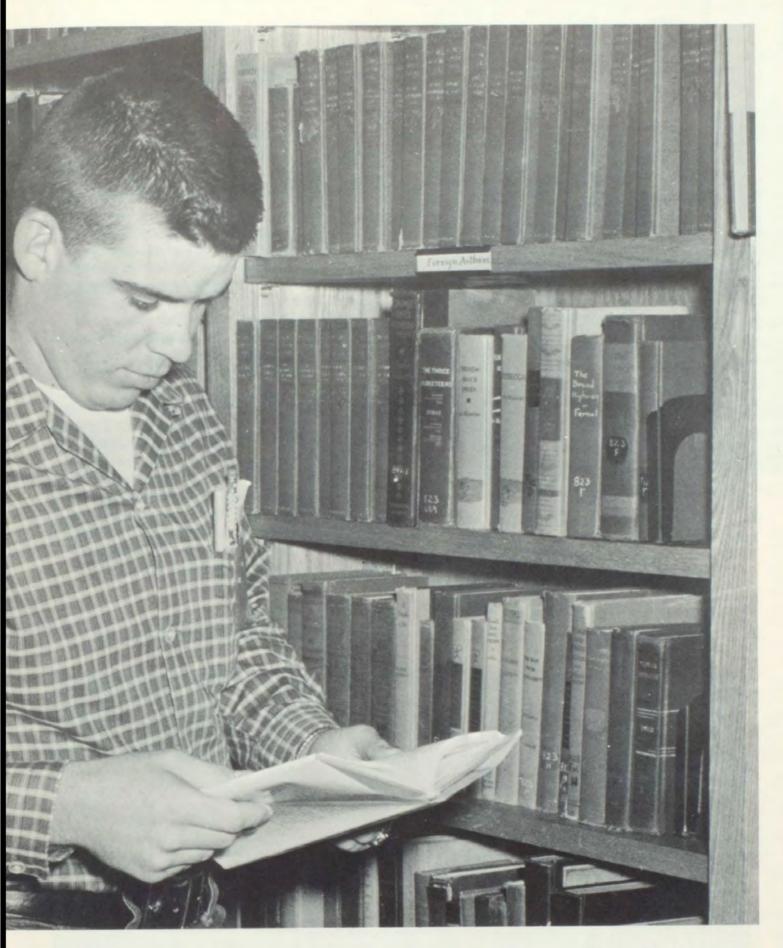
Freshmen, S. Melton, L. Heck, D. Swanson, J. Anderson, J. Keeney, C. Fike, B. Pickens, J. Bloom, and C. Dahlberg, stayed in a fallout shelter for three days this spring as part of a science project.

At another school assembly this year, the Apollo Quartet sang many familiar and popular songs to the student body.



Faculty -

Our teachers are to us, the students minds toward knowledge.



of CHS, figures of wisdom who channel our wandering



Looking out of his office window, Mr. Albert Smith, Superintendent at Cambridge High School for the past seven years, checks over the parking lot before beginning the school day with his announcements to the student body. Each day he announces all student activities, organization meetings, and other current happenings that are to take place.

### Administration Sets

#### SUPERINTENDENT

Guidance, information, and answers to personal problems are daily routine for Mr. Albert Smith, superintendent for the past seven years. His interest in each student and willingness to help them has proved to all of us that he is an educator in the truest sense. He holds his Bachelor of Science degree from Northern Illinois University and his Master's degree from Colorado State College of Education. He is also president of the Blackhawk Division of IEA.

#### BOARD of EDUCATION

Commanding a total yearly budget of almost \$417,658, the CHS Board of Education has a proportionally large job to do in administering to all the financial needs of the school--teachers' salaries, upkeep and heating of buildings, bus transportation, and constant addition of new equipment and supplies. This year's most outstanding improvement was the newly built walk-in freezer for CHS.

Board of Education: Robert Rishel, August Boelens, Francis Langheim, Marvin DeDecker, Albert Smith, Jack Sherrard, and Robert Arndt.



# High Goals for Cambridge High School

#### HEAD TEACHER

Having played the role of teacher, coach, and head teacher, Mr. Raymond Johnson has become an integral figure on the CHS scene since coming to Cambridge 26 years ago. Aside from teaching Algebra I and plane geometry, this head teacher is kept busy in the office two periods a day keeping track of the school attendance.

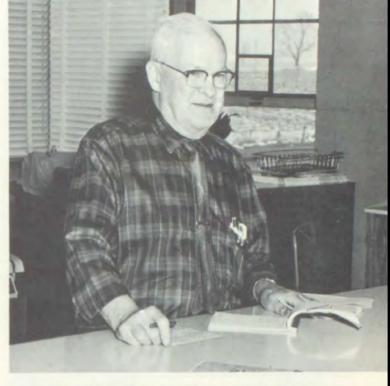
#### SECRETARIES

Any time, any day in the office of CHS, the job of supplying postcards, giving bandaids, typing letters, mending broken glasses, or generally solving everyone's problems is in the capable hands of Pearl Gillespie and Ina Burgeson, the high school secretaries.

Pearl Gillespie has been a secretary at CHS for four years. One of her happiest experiences was a visit to the Grand Canyon. Ina Burgeson, school board secretary, has worked in the high school office for two years. When not working, she enjoys reading and embroidering.

"Now where is that student identification slip?" says Mrs. Burgeson, school secretary, as she checks through the many files in the office.

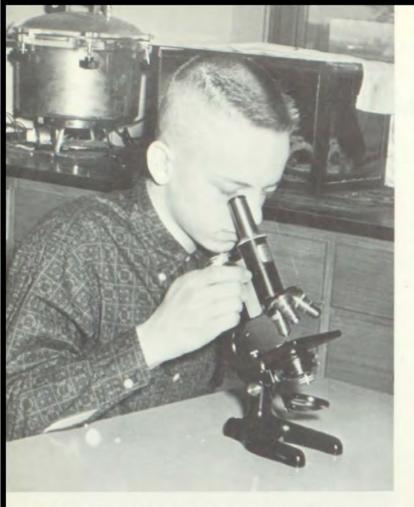




"Where is that attendance slip?" exclaims Mr. Johnson. "How am I to keep an accurate record of student absentees if all the attendance slips are not turned in at the end of the day?"

Answering the telephone and taking down notes are one of the many jobs that keep Mrs. Gillespie, school secretary, on the move all the time at CHS.





Looking through his microscope, Ronald Brodd carefully turns the fine adjustment knob to bring a "vorticella" into focus so he can watch it eat some plant algae.

"Look at this!" exclaims Dean Wiley to Larry Weinrich, his physic's lab partner. "I've got all the apparatus set up for this experiment on illumination and you are still working in your notebook."



## In Science and Math,

SCIENCE and MATHEMATICS

Our science department includes general science, biology, and during alternate

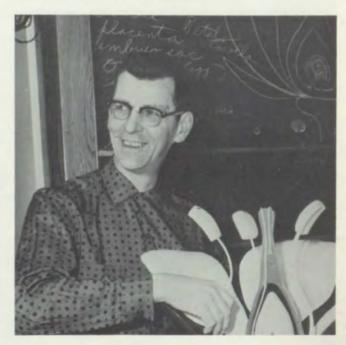
years, chemistry and physics.
This important department h

This important department has several goals: to enable students to get a thorough background in all phases of science, to understand themselves in relationship to their environment, to gain the necessary knowledge in preparation for higher learning, and to give students a better understanding and appreciation of the sciences.

Mathematics includes algebra, geometry, advanced math, and trigonometry. Started this year was the new four-year math program consisting of Algebra I, plane geometry, Algebra II, and a combined course of solid geometry and trigonometry. It is felt that this program will better qualify the students for the fields of engineering and math.

SCIENCE and MATH FACULTY
Mr. Norman Place has taught biology,
chemistry, and physics in Cambridge High
School for four years. He received his

While studying plants in biology class, Mr. Place, head science teacher, shows his students a model of the flower, with pistil, stamens, petals, and all other essential parts greatly enlarged.



## Formula Followers Pursue Minute Detail

Bachelor of Science degree from Western Illinois University and has done graduate work at the State University of Iowa and at Western. Fishing, camping, skating, reading, Hi Fi, and swimming are some of

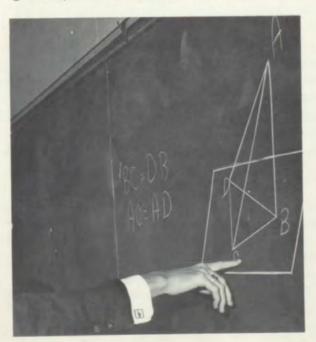
his favorite pastimes.

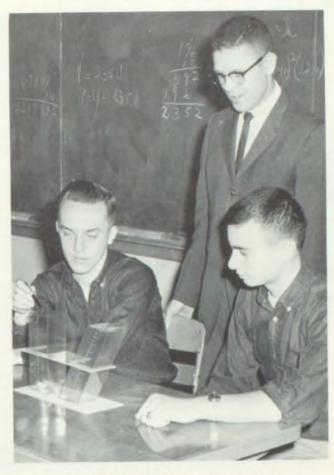
Mr. Wilbur Wigant, who teaches Algebra I and II, solid geometry, trigonometry, and general science, has taught in Cambridge for three years. Golf, woodworking, and bowling occupy much of his spare time. "The happiest of my experiences has been my two sons," says Mr. Wigant. He received a B.A. degree from Monmouth College, and has been doing extra work at Western Illinois University and Knox College.

Mr. Raymond Johnson, mathematics t teacher at Cambridge High School for twenty-six years, instructs Algebra I and geometry classes this year. He attended the University of Iowa and Monmouth College, and received a Bachelor of Science degree from Monmouth. Playing golf, watching sports on television, and reading

are some of his favorite pastimes.

A lone hand points to the blackboard. Is BC = DB and AC = AD in solid ABCD? All solid geometry students should know the answer.





Pointing at two parallelepipeds, Larry Weinrich explains how to compute their areas as Mr. Wigant and Andy Horberg listen to his explanation in solid geometry class.

Caught in the act of putting grades in the record book, Mr. Johnson pauses for a moment before giving that coveted "A" for a student's semester average.



# Language Department Has Wide Scope for



"Read pages 31-37 in your literature books for tomorrow," assigns Mrs. Jonson to her freshman English class. "In this assignment you will find many cleverly written poems which are quite typical of modern poetry."

Although her desk is crowded with work to correct, Mrs. Kenward can always find time to listen to and talk with her students.





The grammar test, a basic part of English, has Nancy Edmund working hard trying to remember the difference between a predicate nominative and predicate adjective.

#### LANGUAGE

In our language department one will find Spanish and English. When the average youth completes the English program of four years, he should be able to read and write clearly and effectively. Literature and grammar are alternated through the year. The ultimate aim of our English course is to equip the student with the proper tools for improving his writing and speaking.

Training in speech assists students to analyze speech deficiencies and gives them opportunity to learn how to correct themselves. Spanish has been introduced into Cambridge Schools in order to fulfill an urgent need for modern foreign language study.

LANGUAGE FACULTY

Miss Elizabeth Westerlund, who has taught English I, II, III, and IV for thirty years, attended Augustana College, the University of Wisconsin, and Northwestern, and received a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Illinois. One of her happiest experiences was a summer spent in Europe.

# College Bound Students



"Careful, now!" Dick Pavel warns as members of the Spanish class put the final touches on a model Spanish house. From left to right are K. Naslund, M. Reppert, D. Larson, D. Pavel, S. Naslund, and M. Jodts.

Mrs. Inez Kenward, who received a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Illinois, has taught English I and II and speech at Cambridge for eight years. She also is in charge of maintaining our school library and directing and helping the student librarians. Music, reading, and knitting are Mrs. Kenward's favorite pastimes.

Mrs. Tyra Jonson, who has taught at Cambridge High for five years, now teaches English I and Modern English. She attended Gustavus Adolphus College, from which she received a Bachelor of Arts degree. Mrs. Jonson says that one of her happiest experiences is watching her students mature as they are taught.

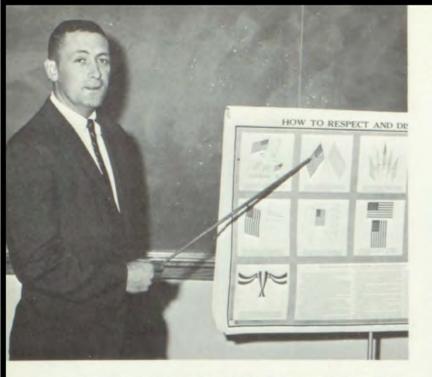
Mr. Samuel Almaguer, a new member of our faculty this year, teaches Spanish. He received his B.A. degree from Coahuila State Normal School in Mexico, his M.A. from Coahuila State Teachers' College, and also did some graduate work at the University of New Mexico.



With a jovial look on his face, Mr. Samuel Almaguer, our new Spanish teacher, checks over his bulletin board and points to a sign advertising the Gran Baile Ranchero held in Mexico.

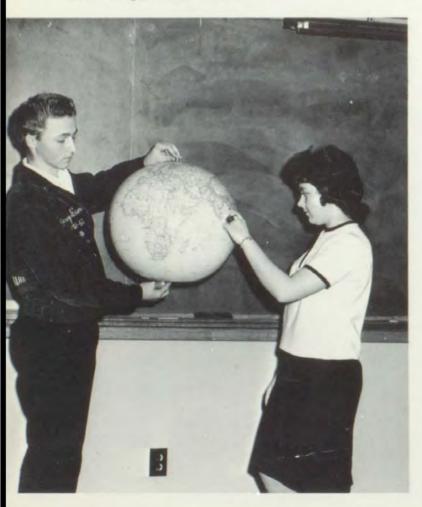
Adding to the already-interesting and vivid bulletin board in the English room, Miss Westerlund is caught in the act of putting up a picture of Mark Twain, a great American writer.





"And this is the way to display our flag with another flag," explains Coach Birkett to his U.S. History class as they study about the flag in connection with their U.S. Constitution tests.

Looking over the world in World History class, Delores Versluys points to Laos in Southeast Asia, a great world trouble spot this year, as Jerry Gibson holds the globe and looks on.



# Studying History, We Span the Continents

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

Social studies includes world history, U.S. History, modern problems, and civics. World history consists of a study of civilization from earliest times to the present time with a strong emphasis given to geographical settings. A United States Constitution test must be taken and passed by every student of U.S. History. Modern problems class attempts to keep students up to date on various current problems of the country. Civics is mainly concerned with the workings of our national, state, and local governments.

#### SOCIAL STUDIES FACULTY

Mr. George Birkett has taught world history at CHS for two years. He received a Bachelor of Science degree from Illinois Wesleyan University. Golfing, bowling, and swimming are at the top of Mr. Birkett's hobbies.

Mr. Truckenbrod has taught physical education, civics, and modern problems at Cambridge for two years. He attended Carthage College where he received his Bachelor of Science degree.

Coach Truckenbrod points to two words, income taxes, that are familiar to everyone, especially to students in modern problems, since they must each complete an income tax form correctly as part of the course.



# Nimble Fingers Train for Future Careers

#### COMMERCIAL

Personal Typing, Typing I, Shorthand, and Bookkeeping are taught in our commercial department. Personal Typing trains students to use the typewriter for personal and professional writing. At the same time, it gives them a sound foundation for advanced training in the other commercial subjects. Bookkeeping is helpful to all students who will do office work. Many excellent opportunities arise for people with a good commercial background.

#### COMMERCIAL FACULTY

Miss Barbara Maras, instructor in Shorthand, Bookkeeping, Typing I, and Personal Typing at CHS for sixteen years, attended Illinois State Normal University where she obtained her Business Education degree. Miss Maras likes to read, travel, and shop in her spare time, and says that one of her happiest experiences was a two-week summer trip which she took in Florida.

Crossing her fingers, Patty Pickens goes over her ten minute time test hoping to find less than five errors. Helping to increase her speed, Patty used one of the new electric typewriters belonging to the commercial department.





Writing out an assignment on the blackboard, Beth Wickblom shows her skill in shorthand, a very useful ability for future secretaries to have.

Correcting freshmen typing assignments is just one of the many time consuming jobs that Miss Maras performs during a day of school.







Taking apart and putting together electrical connections in Agriculture IV class, Larry Charlet, Ron Anderson, and Don Carlson are becoming experts in the field of electricity.

Demonstrating the correct way to make coasters, Mr. Crapnell shows Kenneth Swanson the various designs and patterns possible on leather coasters with the use of the right tools.

# Vocational Courses at CHS Provide Experi-

Checking over a fuse box, Mr. Breece, our new agriculture teacher this year, looks to see if everything is in its proper place, but the fuses are missing.



#### VOCATIONAL ARTS

Vocational subjects include home economics, agriculture, and industrial arts. Home economics is designed for all future homemakers. It offers solutions to everyday problems that arise in school and affords answers to future marriage and family living problems.

Agriculture is a course primarily for farm boys who hope someday to own their own farms. It is expected that over the four years the student will broaden his farming program to such an extent that he will be able to make a satisfactory start in farming or have accumulated enough resources to enter into one of the many fields related to agriculture.

Industrial arts includes mechanical drawing, metal work, electricity, and woodworking. This course offers many students a good start in one of the many fields it covers.

VOCATIONAL ARTS FACULTY Mrs. Patricia Rumley attended



Watching preschoolers play and eat, and helping them with music, stories, and other creative outlets, Dyann Peterson, Sue Hunter, and Nancy Carlson of the Home Economics II class better understand what makes them "tick."

Mrs. Rumley, home economics teacher, plays with Tina Versluys during one of her visits here when the Home Economics II class was studying child care in the home.

### ence for the Future

Western University and received a
Bachelor of Science in Education degree.
She has taught Home Economics I and II
and Family Living for two years. Her
happiest experience was her recent
marriage. She enjoys sewing, spectator
sports, and reading in her spare time.

Mr. H. Edward Breece, who is a new member of the Cambridge High School faculty this year, teaches vocational agriculture. He enjoys photography, fishing, and watching football, basketball and track. He attended Western Illinois University, and received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in agricultural education both from the University of Illinois.

Mr. Milton Crapnell, who teaches industrial arts and junior high physical education, attended Western Illinois University and received a Bachelor of Science in Education degree. One of his happiest experiences was receiving a degree this past summer, after attending summer school off and on for the past thirteen years.





Mmmmm! That smells good, as Karen Grant takes some cookies out of the oven in Home Economics I class. Learning the fundamentals of cooking are important in this class.

## Entertainers Angle for Audience Response



"One, two, ready, go!" directs Mr. Burrus as he leads the band through one of their many practice sessions before going to the state music contest.

Bong! Bong! Bong! sounds the tympani as Dean Wiley practices some band music during activity period. The addition of the tympani in the CHS band has made a great improvement in the percussion section.



#### MUSIC

The music department includes boys' and girls' choruses, mixed and select chorus, and band. The aim of choral work is to train students to read music, to acquaint them with all phases of music, and to teach them to harmonize.

Joining chorus or band also gives the opportunity for public appearances since both groups have programs at Christmas and in the spring. They also enter the district music contest and the Cornbelt Conference Festivals. During the fall, the band has a marching exhibit at each home football game.

#### MUSIC FACULTY

Most of Mr. Charles Burrus's spare time is filled by jam sessions and by his interest in electronics. Mr. Burrus has taught band and chorus at Cambridge for two years and received a Bachelor of Science in Education degree from Illinois State Normal University.

Karen Naslund, Pat Robinson, and Sharon Naslund are getting in some last minute practice for the clarinet trio before going to the State Solo and Ensemble Contest at Peoria on March 16, 1963.



# Physical Fitness Is Stressed by Kennedy

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The objectives of physical education are to develop ability to work and play with others and to practice the principles of fair play, co-operation, honesty, and consideration for others. The girls and boys learn co-ordination and muscular skills through their activities, which include archery, hockey, tumbling, volleyball, calisthenics, kickball, track, wrestling, football, basketball, dancing, and softball. A Physical Education Show is given annually in which the junior and senior high combine their talents to entertain the audience.

#### P.E. FACULTY

Mr. Truckenbrod has taught physical education, civics, and modern problems at Cambridge for two years. He attended Carthage College where he received his Bachelor of Science degree.

Mrs. June Fitzpatrick, girls' physical education teacher, has taught at Cambridge for four years. She attended Western Illinois University from which she received her Bachelor of Science degree in Education.

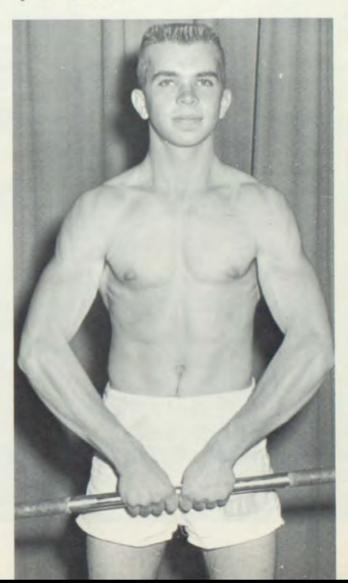
Coach Truckenbrod is looking for a suitable place to put the Ear of Corn that we were entitled to keep after defeating Atkinson in the last conference game of the season.





"Everybody line up for roll," says Mrs. Fitzpatrick with pencil and clipboard in hand. "When I call your name, answer yes."

Larry Charlet, a typical example of the manly physique of Cambridge High boys, is lifting weights to keep in excellent physical condition and to keep up his muscle tone.





Bus drivers this year for Cambridge Grade and High Schools are Mr. Carlberg, Mr. Young, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Gustafson, Mr. Skallberg, Mr. Becker, Mr. Humphrey, and Mr. Peterson. They are all standing in front of one of our newest buses ready to begin their day.



The custodians, Mr. Martin Nelson, Mr. Robert Burns, and Mrs. August DeClercq, stand with the tools of their trade in their hands ready to begin another busy day at CHS.

### CHS's Faithful Back-

#### BUS DRIVERS

Lavern Peterson, head bus driver, and the seven other drivers hold a great responsibility when they bring and take home all the country students that go to CHS. In each bus driver's care daily are about fifty students who depend on his safe driving. This bus drivers also take students to basketball and football games each year besides taking classes on class trips each spring.

#### CUSTODIANS

Martin Nelson, Robert Burns, and Mrs. August DeClercq are solely responsible for the appearance of our school. They have to be skilled craftsmen, electricians, moppers, sweepers, dusters, and good polishers to keep our building and equipment in the excellent condition it is now in. During the summer, the custodians from our school also work to paint and repair school properties.



Cafeteria cooks, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Echelberger, Mrs. Neumann, Mrs. Boberg, and Mrs. Nelson, cheerfully prepare for the lunch onslaught at CHS. It looks like we are going to have barbecues, beans, applesauce, and chocolate pudding today.

# stage Crews Enter the Service Spotlight

#### COOKS

In planning our daily menus, Mrs. George Tucker, head cook and dietition for Cambridge High School, carries on an educational program in "Type A" nutrition. Serving the high school are five cooks and helpers which see that for thirty cents the students get a well balanced meal of at least 900 calories.

#### NURSE

Mrs. Kenneth Dahlberg is a graduate of the Moline Lutheran School of Nursing at the Lutheran Hospital in Moline. She visits both schools daily and each year conducts an eye clinic, hearing tests, and helps immunize the students against harmful diseases. Besides these main jobs, our friendly and sympathetic nurse supplies band-aids, takes care of bloody noses, and does all the other little tasks which makes a school nurse so indispensable.

Mrs. Kenneth Dahlberg, our new school nurse who replaced Mrs. Loretta Schumaker this year, is busy testing students for their hearing and vision.





Classes -

As surely as time and the Vikings underclassmen strive to find a



sail on, each fall sees a new senior class while firm footing in their first years at CHS.



Freshman Class, FIRST ROW: Mr. Wigant, sponsor, M. McNallen, M. VanDyke, C. Stevens, M. Rebout, B. Stach, L. Sexton, L. Skiles, S. Johnson, S. Melton, C. Johnson, D. Evans, R. Calsyn, G. Ruhnow, D. Gorden, M. Lindbeck, D. Drehman. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Fitzpatrick, sponsor, C. Fike, B. Stromquist, J. Hines, D. Echelberger, S. Wells, C. Leander, L. Anderson, V. Holstrum, S. Roach, B. Hanson, S. Hutchinson, C. Nimrick, G. Nimrick, T. Wells. THIRD ROW: Mr. Johnson, sponsor, B. Pickens, D. Swanson, J. Bloom, L. Grant, K. Grant, C. Moore, N. Lange, S. Verscheure, R. Wilson, C. Whisker, A. Lindquist, G. Versluys, K. Rishel, B. Mardock, A. Johnson. FOURTH ROW: L. Heck, C. Dahlberg, J. Anderson, J. Keeney, P. DeBoever, B. Scovil, S. Palmer, G. Ackerson, C. Gustafson, G. Martin, K. Nussear, G. Fossum, B. Schumaker, D. DeBoever, R. Gardner, J. Nelson.

# Wide-eyed Neophytes Have Inquiring Minds

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: Cheryl Dahlberg, vice pres., Pat DeBoever, sectreas., Cynthia Leander, rep., Judy Anderson, stud. coun. rep., Dick DeBoever, pres.



#### FRESHMEN

The freshmen, it seems, were no less bewildered nor confused than any previous freshman class. They were confronted with the usual where's, when's, and why's of high school life, but the period of adjustment soon ended, leaving behind it newly seasoned high-schoolers.

The first memorable experience for the freshmen was Initiation Day, complete with the costumes and bows to upperclassmen. Homecoming attendants for the freshman class were Cynthia Leander and Clyde Nimrick. The Carnival candidates were Rachel Wilson and Gary Versluys.

The freshman boys found a wide range of athletics to participate in, and many showed excellent school spirit. Cynthia Leander and Patricia DeBoever were freshman cheerleaders and did a fine job of keeping the spectators cheering. The Hop, the biggest event of the freshman year, was a fine success and left the freshmen with happy memories.



Talking about the latest news during their lunch period are Dick Gorden, Dan Lindbeck, and Gary Versluys. If they don't stop talking soon, they'll be late for their next class.

"What is your name?" addresses Mr. Wigant to freshman, Allen Johnson, the first day of school. Besides registering, each student is assigned a locker for his use.

# And Many Questions

"First day" freshmen, Cheryl Gustafson and Cheryl Fike, discover that too many locker doors opening at the same time create problems.







Sophomore Class, FIRST ROW: B. Maras, sponsor, D. Lanham, D. Lievens, D. Steffen, S. Steffen, J. Scovil, W. Lange, S. Lindbeck, M. Reppert, P. Hultman, B. Munson, S. Hultman, J. Whisker, G. Gresch, L. Carlson. SECOND ROW: N. Place, sponsor, M. Klawonn, P. Pickens, S. Calsyn, J. Horberg, C. Dicken, S. Hunter, D. Versluys, S. Naslund, P. Robinson, K. Naslund, A. Vincent, T. Reed, W. Palmer, R. Sturdevant, B. Johnston. THIRD ROW: S. Truckenbrod, sponsor, R. Brodd, A. Evans, L. Mecum, G. Manthe, J. Ladd, M. Jodts, J. Schamp, J. Schumaker, J. Reed, D. Peterson, L. Owens, D. Larson, D. Hulin, L. Hanson, R. Pavel, S. Rishel. FOURTH ROW: J. Gibson, K. Swanson, V. Stackhouse, C. Hepner, N. Carlson, R. Carlberg, K. Wielert, N. Klavon, N. Palmer, C. Nimrick, M. Wiley, S. Riggenbach, M. Telleen, A. VanDyke, R. Gustafson, M. Echelberger, J. Wiley, L. Matson, R. Vincent.

# Sophs Dissect Frogs, Tackle Silas Marner

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Pat Pickens, rep., Lea Mecum, sec., Larry Hanson, treas., Richard Pavel, pres., Dyann Peterson, stud. coun. rep., Karen Wielert, vice pres.



#### SOPHOMORES

The sophomores looked forward with immense pleasure to their second year of high school. They found a more active social life awaiting them behind the doors of CHS.

For Homecoming, Sharon Calsyn and Bordy Munson were chosen to represent the sophomore class. Thanks to the help and cooperation of the entire class, the sophomores won the Carnival title for their candidates, Delores Versluys and Ricky Gustafson. Karen and Sharen Naslund were Varsity cheerleaders this year, and Patricia Robinson was a Junior Varsity cheerleader. This year the sophs actively participated in sports.

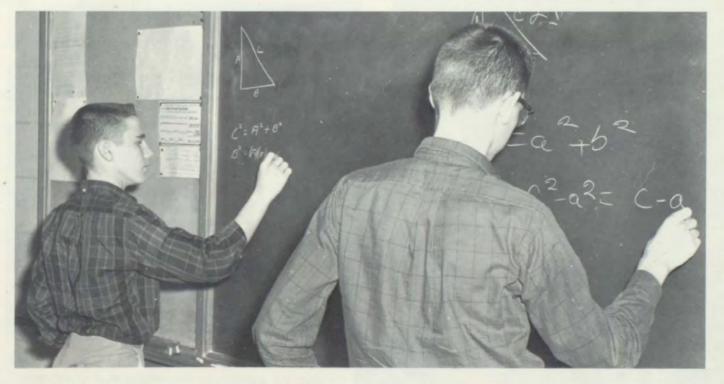
They also had the extra responsibility of arranging and decorating the Hop, but their long hours of work paid off for it was a great success. At the end of the year, the sophomores found it hard to believe that half of their education at CHS was over and that they will be upperclassmen next year.



"Pull the needle through this way," instructs Mr. Crapnell as he helps Dyann Peterson with her key case. Dyann, Nancy Carlson, and Sharon Calsyn are three of the home economic girls who traded places with the industrial arts boys for three weeks during this school year.



"There's nothing like a little home cooking," boast the Industrial Arts II boys, who also traded places with the Home Economics II girls for three weeks. Shown preparing dinner for themselves are Mike Echelberger, Arlon Vincent, and Jim Lundell.



It looks like we have some plane geometry students working the Pythagorean Theorem. Mark Reppert and Ray Sturdevant are busy computing the answer with the useful formula,  $C^2 = A^2 + B^2$ .



Junior Class, FIRST ROW: Mr. Birkett, sponsor, L. Hutchinson, M. Stiner, D. Johnson, D. Hultman, K. Palmer, J. Finnicum, A. Gorden, P. Gault, A. Wislander, N. Phillips, N. Edmund, J. Chapman. SECOND ROW: Miss Westerlund, sponsor, K. Hutchinson, B. Wickblom, P. Grant, M. Wells, L. Dicken, J. Stevens, A. Thompson, O. Faulkner, L. DeDecker, R. Dahlberg, J. Cederberg, G. Lundburg, D. DeKezel. THIRD ROW: Mr. Crapnell, sponsor, N. Reed, T. Adkison, S. Doy, C. Smith, L. Seaton, J. Peterson, G. VanDyke, R. Hanson, G. Klawonn, C. Johnson, S. Peterson, J. Martin. FOURTH ROW: K. Mason, A. Rogers, C. Ericson, S. Lief, D. Peterson, B. Campbell, J. Wexell, K. Caldwell, D. Carlson, D. DeClerq, P. Telleen, D. Wiley, D. Bruce, G. Gustafson.

# Juniors Stagger Through Battery of Tests

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Lynn DeDecker, pres., Nancy Reed, sec.-treas., Lynne Seaton, rep., Alice Rogers, vice pres., Alice Gorden, stud. coun. rep.



#### **JUNIORS**

The junior year of high school is always a busy one, and this year's juniors found that they are no exceptions to this rule. Receiving their class rings, producing the class play, and planning the Prom were the most important events that would take place.

At Homecoming, the junior attendants were Karen Caldwell and Dean Wiley. In November, Jane Finnicum and Don DeClercq were the junior Carnival attendants. Also in November, the class rings were delivered, and for weeks the juniors displayed them with pride if

they still had them.

March and April found the juniors preparing for their class play, STAG LINE, with Jean Chapman having the lead. Last, but far from least, the juniors began preparing for the Prom. With the completion of a busy year, the juniors suddenly realized that they will be seniors next year, with only one more year remaining at CHS.



What's the latest gossip? The junior girls, Ann Wislander, Kathy Hutchinson, Alice Gorden, and Nancy Reed, are having a brief discussion during activity period about what the theme for the prom will be.

### To Plan Their Future



It's that time of year again. The juniors, Jim Cederberg, Nancy Edmund, Jean Chapman, and Philip Telleen, are busy admiring their multi-colored class rings.

Look at those men work! Mike Stiner and Alvin Thompson, stage crew members for the junior class play, are kept active painting and setting up all the stage props.





Senior Class, FIRST ROW: Mrs. Rumley, sponsor, D. Palmer, F. Boelens, D. Verscheure, L. Reppert, J. Dobbels, B. Gillespie, M. Johnson, T. Munson. SECOND ROW: Mr. Breece, sponsor, D. Bloom, A. Moore, L. Charlet, D. Noble, J. Otto, S. Way, L. Weinrich, D. Anderson, D. Nimrick. THIRD ROW: D. Carlson, W. Gustafson, B. Poppleton, B. Moore, A. Horberg, V. Mardock, M. Gustafson, P. Willems. FOURTH ROW: K. Burns, G. DeMay, L. Schumaker, D. Jones, D. Gustafson, S. Bloom, M. Anderson, R. Anderson.

# Seniority Launches Thirty-five Vikings

SENIOR CLASS BRASS: Marilyn Johnson, stud. coun. rep.,
Andy Horberg, vice pres., Bill Moore, pres., Vicki Mardock,
sec.-treas., Joan Dobbels, rep.



SENIORS

The class of 1963 at CHS started high school in the anxious days of the post-Sputnik crisis in education, and all along have been under extraordinary pressure to make top grades and get into a good university. They are members of the pressured generation, afraid of failure and worried over the possibility of a world war, but still having a lot of fun in this everchanging world.

At Homecoming, Marilyn Johnson and Dan Humphrey were king and queen with Bettine Gillespie and Dick Jones serving as attendants. At the Carnival, Vicki Mardock and Don Carlson represented the seniors. Many of the senior boys also participated in sports this year helping the Varsity basketball squad to receive the coveted title Cornbelt Champs.

The last few weeks of school were filled with events which now remain as fond memories. The Prom, baccalaureate services, class night, and Commencement were all over too soon as the class of 1963 became alumni after four well-spent years at CHS.

MARILYN JO JOHNSON

Band 1,2,3,4; Sec.-Treas. 2,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Girls' Chorus 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Sec. 4; Officer 3; Library Club 1,2,3,4; F.T.A. 1,2,3; Reporter 3; Cheerleader 1,2,3; Homecoming Attendant 2; Homecoming Queen 4; F.H.A. 3,4; Treas. 4; Student Council 3,4; Reporter 3,4; Class Play 3; F.F.A. Sweetheart 3; Student Council Representative 4.

WILLIAM B. MOORE

Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 3; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3; Class Play 3; Viking Staff 2, 3, 4; Class President 4; Student Council 4; Varsity Club 4; Band Pres. 4; Dance Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

ANDERS LEE HORBERG

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Viking Staff 2, 3, 4; Class V. Pres. 4.

LAWRENCE SCHUMAKER

Football 3; Basketball 2,3; Manager 4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Sentinel 2; Projection Club 3,4.











MICHAEL J. ANDERSON
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys' Chorus 1,2,3,4;
Select 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3;
Honor Society 3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Student Council 3; Class Play 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Viking Staff 3,4; Viking Editor 4; Class Pres. 3; V. Pres. 1; Sec.-Treas. 2; Maroon and White 1; Science Club Pres. 3,4; Sec.-Treas. 2; Chorus Pres. 4; Basketball 1; S.A.R. Award; Valedictorian.

DALE EUGENE PALMER
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Projection Club 1,2,3,4;
Track 1,2,3,4.

PAMELA FAYE COZIAHR
G.A.A. 4; Pep Club 4; Majorette 4; FNA 4;
Library Club 4; F.H.A. 4; Mixed Chorus 4;
Girls' Chorus 4.

DONALD E. CARLSON F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Homecoming Attendant 2; Carnival Attendant 4.









# College-Bound Compe

TRUDY GERMAINE MUNSON
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Sports Recorder 3; Chorus
1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; F.T.A.
1,2,3,4; Sec. 3; Student Council 1,2,3,4;
V. Pres. 3; Pres. 4; Library Club 1,2,3,4;
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3; Spanish
Club 2,3,4; Class Pres. 2; Class Representative 1; D.A.R. Award.

ROBERT D. POPPLETON Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

RICHARD ALLAN JONES
Mixed Chorus 4; Sr. Representative 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2;
Pep Club 1,3,4; Hi-Y Club 1; V. Pres.; Varsity Club 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

SHARON MARIE WAY F.T.A.; Library Club; F.H.A.

LARRYR. CHARLET
Track 1; Projection Club; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4;
Treas. 4.

WAYNE ARTHUR GUSTAFSON F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; V. Pres. 3; Pres. 4; Honor Society 3,4; Varsity Club 4.

FRANCIS RAYMOND BOELENS
Band 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Sec. 4; Track
2,4; Football Manager 4; Varsity Club 4;
Junior Class Play.

JOAN DOBBELS
Band 1,2,3,4; Girls' Chorus 2,3,4; G.A.A.
1,2,3,4; Point Recorder 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4;
Historian 2; V. President 3; President 4;
F.T.A. 2,3,4; President 4; Viking Staff 4;
Library Club 4; Honor Society 3,4; Sec.Treas. 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Maroon and
White 4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Sec.-Treas. 4;
Salutatorian.









# te for Scholarships

RICHARD GLEN NOBLE Basketball 1,2.

BETTINE SUE GILLESPIE
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls' Chorus 1,2,
3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Library Club 1,2,3,4;
F.T.A. 1,2,3,4; Historian 2; G.A.A. 1,2,
3,4; Sports Chairman 2; V. Pres. 3; Pres.
4; Honor Society 3,4; Maroon and White
1,2,3; Class Sec.-Treas. 3; Carnival Queen
2; Homecoming Attendant 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,
3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Class Play 3.

GEORGE PETER DEMAY Projection Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

ARDEN DOUGLAS MOORE Basketball 1; Baseball 3.

Collecting Christmas presents full of food, Dick Jones and Jack Otto of the family living class plan to distribute them to needy families in the town of Cambridge.





LYNDA KAY REPPERT
G.A.A.; F.T.A.; Library Club; Cheerleader
1, 2; Band; Girls' Chorus; Mixed Chorus;
Select Chorus; F.H.A.; Viking Carnival;
Girls' State; Pep Club.

KENT ALAN BURNS
Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2;
Projection Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4;
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Boys'
Quartet 3,4; Class Play 3.

MARY ANN GUSTAFSON
Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; F.T.A. 1,2,3,4; V. Pres. 3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Carnival Attendant 1.

LAWRENCE F. WEINRICH
Band 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Basketball 1,2;
Track 3,4; Science Club 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4;
Class Play 3.

# Class Night Conclud

DALE A. NIMRICK JR.
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 2, 3, 4;
Projection Club 1; Varsity Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

PATRICIA ROSE WILLEMS
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4;
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls'
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Select Chorus 4; Class Play 3.

RONALD EUGENE ANDERSON F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Sentinel 3.

STEPHEN CHESTER BLOOM
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys' Chorus 1,2,3,4;
Band 1,2; Viking Staff 2,3,4; Honor Society
3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4;
Manager 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Track
2,3,4.

Maybe in the next reference book they'll find some useful information for their term papers. Dick Anderson and Andy Horberg attack the encyclopedia shelves in the reference room for sources.



## es Social Activities

DIANNE T. VERSCHEURE F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Girls' Chorus 1; Junior Class Play.

DAVID JAMES GUSTAFSON
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball
1, 2, 3; Track 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Honor
Society 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Lab Assistant 4; V. Pres.
3; Benefit Chr. 3; Viking Staff 3, 4; Class Play
3; Boys' Quartet 3, 4.

RICHARD MARK ANDERSON
Homecoming Attendant 1; Class Pres. 1;
Viking Staff 2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Honor
Society Pres. 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Sec.Treas. 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,
3,4; Track 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Student
Council 1;2.\*

JACK OTTO Projection Club; Spanish Club.



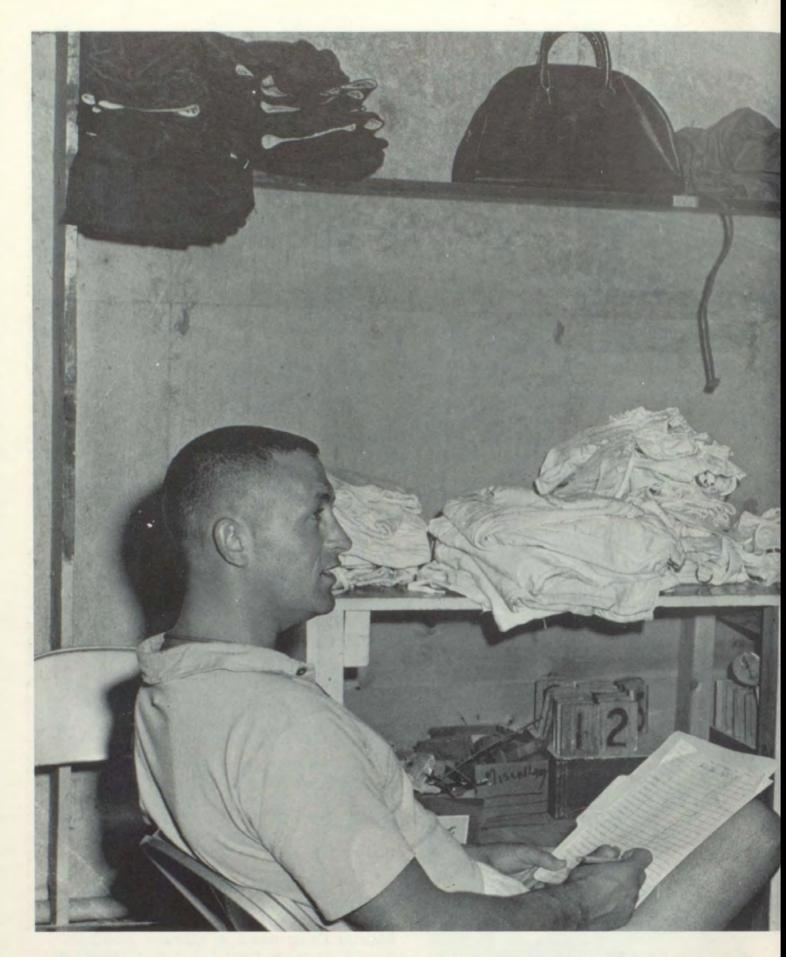




DANIEL CLARENCE HUMPHREY
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4;
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track
1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Projection Club
1,2; Homecoming King 4; Carnival Candidate
1; Class Play 3; Boys' Chorus 1,2,3,4; Mixed
Chorus 1,3,4; Boys' Quartet 3,4; Capt. Football 4; Basketball Capt. 4.

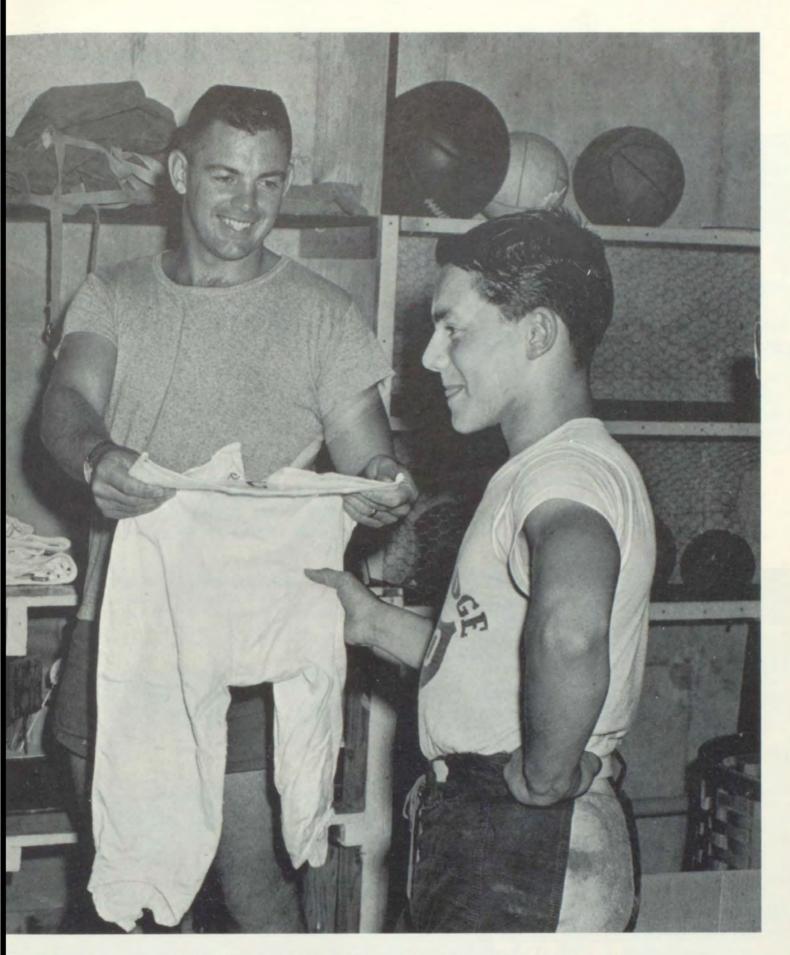
DAVID E. BLOOM
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track
2,3,4; Boys' Chorus 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus
1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Science Club 3,4;
Class Play 3; Viking Staff 2,3; Class Sec.Treas. 1; V. Pres. 2,3; Projection Club
2,3,4; Ass. Chief 3; Chief 4; Varsity Club
2,3,4; Pres. 4; Boys' Quartet 4; Viking Carnival King 2.

VICTORIA ANN MARDOCK
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Girls' Chorus 1,2,3,4;
Mixed 1,2,3,4; Select Chorus 4; G.A.A. 1,2,
Booster Chairman 3,4; Library Club 1,2;
Sec. 3; Pres. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; V. Pres. 4;
Student Council 3; Sec. 3,4; Class Sec.Treas. 4; Carnival Candidate 4.



Athletics —

Rugged practices, depressing fans to learn that participation



defeats, and glorious victories help our athletes and and performances are the source of life's success.



"Try these on for size," suggests Coach Truckenbrod as he hands a pair of football pants to Bordy Munson.

Waiting tensely for the signal, "hike," from the opposition, the Vikings prepare to dig in and "hold that line!"



Building up endurance and improving co-ordination are two things that the football boys work at during practice sessions.

## Freshman-Sophomore

#### FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE

For the first time in a good many years, a Cambridge football team had a winning season. This year's freshmansophomore team had a season record of 6 wins, 2 losses, and 0 ties. Even though they lost only two games, both of which were by one touchdown, the young Vikings placed third in conference play. It is on this record and the boys who made it that the Cambridge fans place their hopes for a winning future.

The main purpose of having a freshman-sophomore team is to give the younger boys a chance to play and gain experience for future varsity years. This objective was readily attained at CHS this year because of the steady improvement of most of the players. This squad is a great asset to Cambridge's football program, since in spite of how much practice the boys have, experience is best obtained in competition.

#### FRESH-SOPH SCORES

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Erie					14		.0
Rockridge					13		.7
Sherrard.							
Atkinson.							
Orion							
Winola							
Westmer.							
Alwood					. 7		.0



# Squad Accredited with 6-2 Winning Season

### VARSITY

Although the Vikings did not have a winning season this year (3-5), the season surely must not be considered a failure. After losing the first four games, two by only one touchdown, the Vikings came on strong to win three of their last four games. The Viking fans got a taste of victory for the first time in three years when Cambridge beat Orion, our traditional rival, at Orion's Homecoming. The next game was played on a rainsoaked Winola field where the Vikings lost 7-0 for their only shutout of the year.

After this game, the football wheels started to turn for the Vikings. Our Homecoming game ended in a victory over Westmer (19-13) and the next game with Alwood concluded the football season with a Cambridge victory (20-13). The future may also be bright, for next year eight lettermen return and a Frosh-Soph squad moves up that had a 6-2 winning season this year.



"Get your muddy finger out of my eye!" This is just one of the hazards of playing football--especially in the mud.

Football Squad, FIRST ROW: Cheerleaders, N. Reed, S. Naslund, C. Leander, C. Dicken, P. Robinson, J. Finnicum, K. Naslund. SECOND ROW: S. Hutchinson, S. Roach, L. Hanson, R. Pavel, R. Hanson, B. Munson, G. Nimrick, M. Reppert, C. Nimrick, B. Lange, R. Calsyn. THIRD ROW: R. DeBoever, B. Schumaker, A. Vincent, D. Bloom, D. Nimrick, D. Johnson, D. Hultman, T. Adkison, D. Hulin, D. Lievens, S. Rishel, J. Nelson, mgr. FOURTH ROW: Coach Birkett, E. Erickson, G. Fossum, D. Gustafson, P. Telleen, K. Burns, D. Jones, D. Anderson, D. DeClercq, M. Telleen, S. Bloom, D. Wiley, Coach Truckenbrod.





David Gustafson



Dale Nimrick



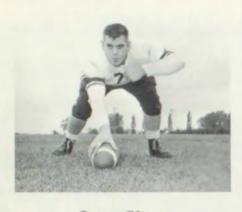
Dave Johnson



Tim Adkison

Varsity Gridders Tasted

Coaches George Birkett and Stan Truckenbrod are absorbed in thought as they check over the scores of the last home football game.



Steve Bloom



Don DeClercq



Arlon Vincent



David Bloom



Philip Telleen



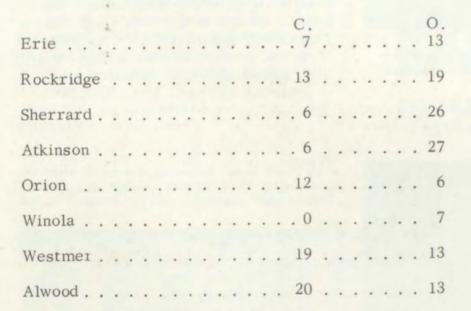
Kent Burns



Dick Anderson

# Victory by Trouncing Orion

## VARSITY SCORES





Ron Hanson



Danny Humphrey



Dick Jones



Dennis Hultman

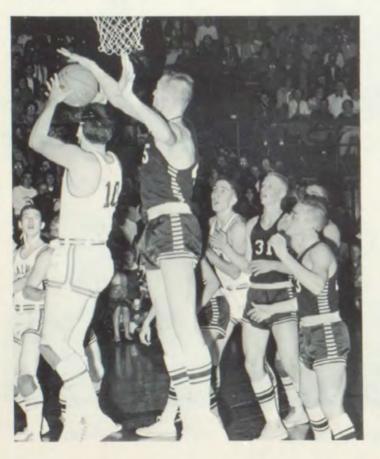


Dean Wiley



Waiting for the basketball to bounce off of the bankboard, the CHS players prepare to jump up and grab it first.

Towering over all the players, Dick Jones grapples with a player from Galva for the ball during the Galva Tournament.



## Hard Work Cited as

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE
Although this year's freshmansophomore team had a losing, 6-12,
season record, the main purpose of
fresh-soph athletics, that of preparing
boys for varsity play, was readily accomplished. Coach George Birkett and
Assistant Coach Stan Truckenbrod instructed the young Vikings in the fundamentals of the game and further prepared the team for varsity play by
giving a great many of the boys valu-

able game experience.

On this year's team there were 10 to 13 boys who all were capable of playing a starting position. Consequently, the team went for a stretch of 10 games with a different combination of players starting each game. One of the highlights of the season was a one point victory over a good Rova team toward the end of the season. In the past, many fine players have developed from the fresh-soph squad, and we hope this year is no exception.

	SCORES Fresh-S	Soph	Var	sitv
Winola	C.		C.	0.
Rockridge	40	35	55	33
Westmer	48	32	55	37
Alwood	42	52	56	51
Sherrard	25	36	55	45
Atkinson	31	32	52	46
Orion	24	37	36	38
Rockridge	61	54	43	39
Winola	41	49	47	43
Alwood	42	65	44	63
Westmer	39	41	48	46
Sherrard	54	58	65	54
Orion	51	66	33	32
Atkinson	52	43	62	47

# Key Factor in Varsity's Winning Season

#### VARSITY

The 1962-1963 Cambridge Vikings ended the season with an honor that has evaded our local team for the past eight seasons -- the Cornbelt Conference Championship. This year's team had a 12-2 conference record and a 16-10 overall record.

The season started on a sour note with two non-conference defeats by Geneseo and Rova, but after a change of tactics by Coach Birkett, the Vikings began to roll. Most of our games turned out to be crowd-pleasers this year because of the close scores throughout the season. The Vikings came out on the short end only in a two point defeat by Orion and a seventeen point defeat by Alwood.

The season was brough to a climax in our thirteenth conference game by a one-point victory over Orion, which assured us of at least a tie for first place. Again, congratulations to the boys for bringing the conference championship to Cambridge, and we hope that we won't have to wait as long next time.

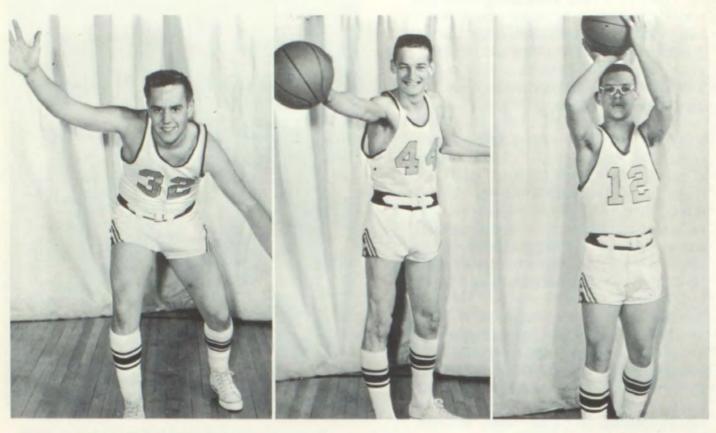


Wondering what happened is Jim Lundell as Arlon Vincent grabs the basketball. He doesn't intend to let the other team get hold of it if he can help it.

Freshman-Sophomore Basketball Squad, FIRST ROW: G. Ruhnow, M. Reppert, T. Reed, A. Vincent, B. Munson, R. Hanson, R. Calsyn. SECOND ROW: Coach Truckenbrod, L. Hanson, D. Larson, D. Hulin, E. Erickson, L. Matson, D. Lindbeck, G. Fossum, M. Echelberger, M. Telleen, B. Schumaker, J. Lundell, D. DeBoever, Coach Birkett.



# Viking Cagers Win First Cornbelt Title in



David Bloom

Dick Jones

Dennis Hultman



Coaches Birkett and Truckenbrod

Kent Burns

Dean Carlson

# 8 Years; Finish Season with 12-2 Record



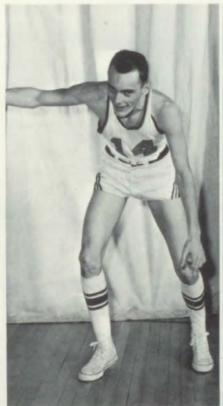
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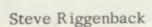


Ron Hanson

Don Carlson

Danny Humphrey







Dick Anderson



Gary Gustafson

# 433

Up and over goes Dean Carlson, junior, while pole-vaulting during one of the local track meets.

# Cambridge Cindermen

FRESH-SOPH & VARSITY
Coach Alan Rumley had a strong
freshman-sophomore team this year
which won five firsts in the conference
meet and finished a strong fourth.
Rick Gustafson, a sophomore, set a
school record in the 440 yard dash,
while four other sophomores received
fifth in the mile relay at the Galva
Relays, which is a fine accomplishment.

The varsity team, with an absence of upperclassmen, was not so successful. In the conference meet at Rockridge, our trackmen tied for seventh place. One bright spot during the year was the fine mile running of the track captain, Dale Nimrick. Dale also set a school record in the mile during one of the earlier meets. With a fine fresh-soph team behind this year's varsity team, Coach Rumley is confident the future years will be more successful.

Straining over the last two inches of the mile run, Dale Nimrick is timed by Mr. Langheim as he breaks the string that Norma Phillips and Trudy Munson hold.



# Set New Records in the 440 and Mile Run

## VARSITY SCORES

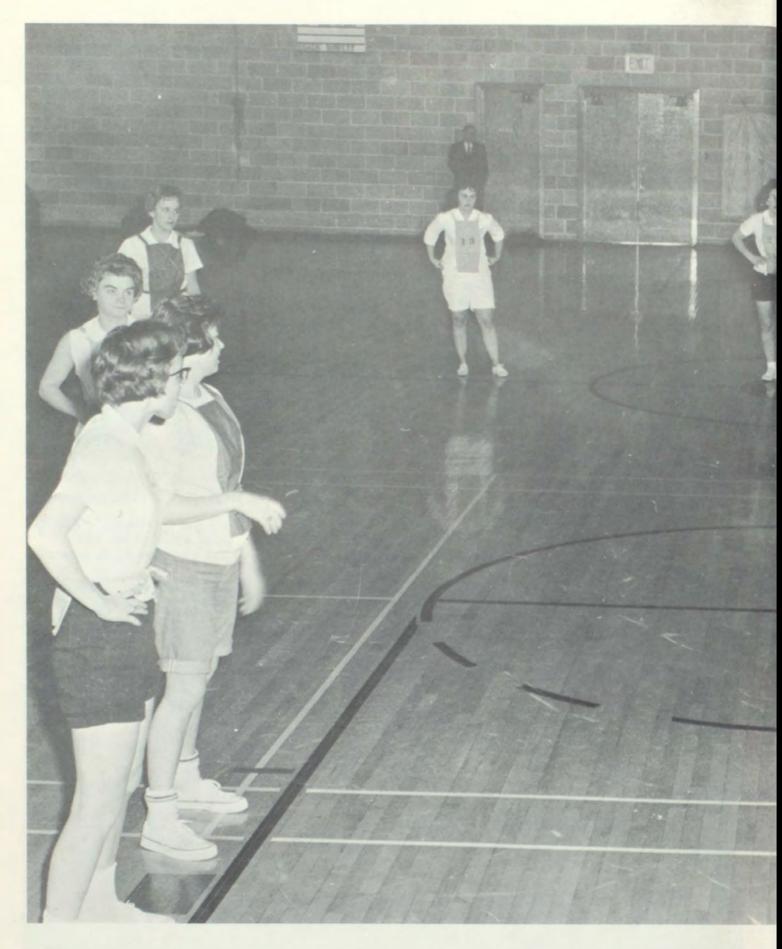
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Cambridge 38	Winola 50	Westmer 62
Cambridge	Sherrard	Rockridge
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Cambridge	Westmer	Rockridge
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Members of the track squad practice many hours to be able to hurdle as Don Hulin is now doing.

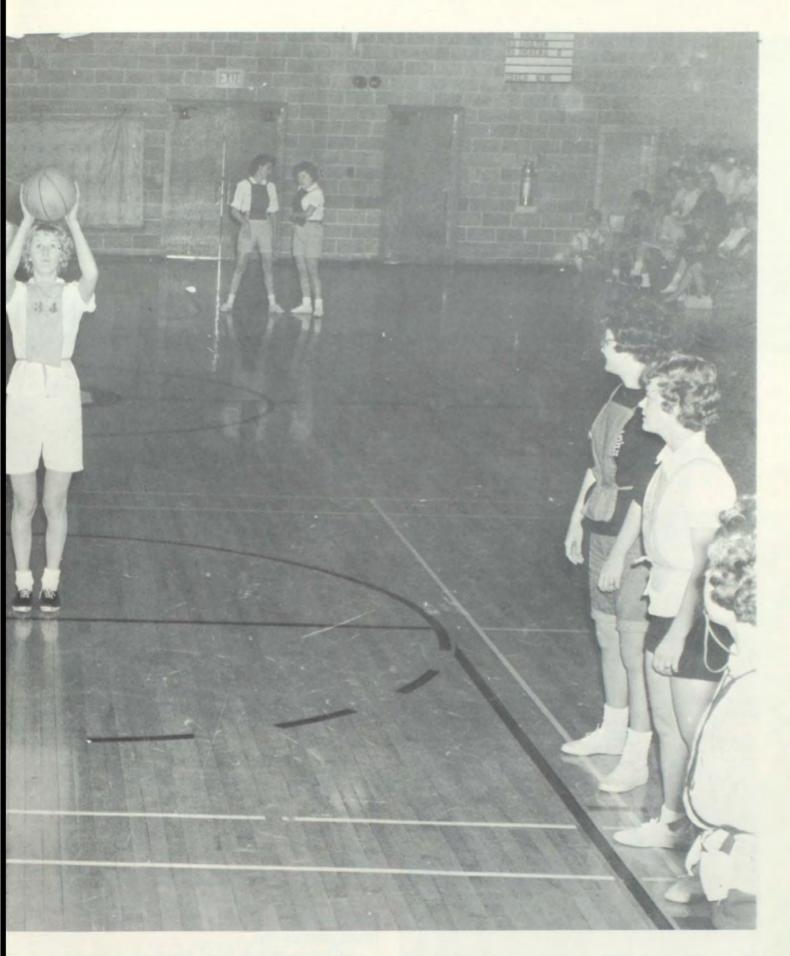
Track Squad, FIRST ROW: D. DeBoever, C. Nimrick, G. Nimrick, D. Larson, B. Munson, G. Klawonn. SECOND ROW: L. Weinrich, D. Nimrick, F. Boelens, R. Pavel, D. Palmer, R. Gustafson, Coach Truckenbrod. THIRD ROW: Coach Rumley, absent, D. Carlson, M. Telleen, D. Carlson, D. Hulin, J. Gibson, J. Lundell, G. Fossum.





Organizations —

This is CHS reflecting and serving in areas



the lives of its students — laughing, playing, working, ever-branching out into new and unfamiliar fields.



Band members, FIRST ROW: M. Johnson, S. Naslund, J. Dobbels, C. Gustafson, J. Ladd, L. Seaton, J. Chapman. SECOND ROW: K. Naslund, P. Robinson, L. Mecum, P. DeBoever, J. Reed, J. Finnicum, D. Bloom, J. Peterson, M. Jodts, M. Telleen, M. Gustafson, V. Mardock, O. Faulkner, D. Peterson. THIRD ROW: J. Bloom, N. Klavon, C. Fike, J. Schumaker, R. Calsyn, B. Johnston, J. Anderson, A. Horberg, F. Boelens, S. Melton, R. Sturdevant, L. Weinrich, B. Moore, D. Gustafson, R. Carlberg. FOURTH ROW: Mr. Burrus, P. Pickens, N. Phillips, C. Dahlberg, B. Stromquist, S. Wells, L. Reppert, D. Wiley.

# Band Mixes Morale-Boosting Marches with

Mr. Burrus, band director, carefully watches the music for wrong notes, incorrect rhythm, and lack of contrast as David Gustafson practices his solo for the state music contest at Peoria this year.



BAND

"Look alive! The game is only one day away," is the phrase marching band members hear on the marching field every morning the first three months of school. At homecoming, they put on another excellent half-time show using different colored lights on their band hats.

After football season, the concert band met three times a week to practice selections which were presented to the public on various occasions such as the musical pageant at Christmas, the spring concert, the state music contest, the concert at graduation exercises, and the Cornbelt Conference Band Festival. These all required much preparation and hard work on the part of all to make them successful.

Officers of the band were: Bill Moore, president; Vicki Mardock, vice-president; and Marilyn Johnson, secretary-treasurer.



Marching Band, Majorettes: D. Swanson, J. Schumaker, J. Finnicum, B. Pickens, O. Faulkner, K. Hutchinson, N. Philips, N. Edmund, C. Fike, C. Dicken. FIRST ROW: M. Klawonn, S. Melton, P. Pickens, D. Steffen, B. Stromquist, R. Calsyn, J. Horberg, P. Robinson, J. Chapman, F. Boelens. SECOND ROW: R. Sturdevant, J. Bloom, S. Wells, L. Reppert, B. Gillespie, J. Dobbels, J. Ladd, P. DeBoever, S. Naslund, K. Naslund, A. Horberg. THIRD ROW: J. Reed, L. Mecum, S. Calsyn, C. Dahlberg, L. Seaton, J. Anderson, B. Johnston, R. Carlberg, S. Hunter, M. Johnson, L. Weinrich, M. McNallen. FOURTH ROW: R. DeBoever, D. Peterson, V. Mardock, M. Gustafson, M. Anderson, C. Gustafson, J. Peterson, M. Jodts, N. Klavon, D. Carlson, W. Moore.

## Music of Masters

MAJORETTES

Preliminary to the pageantry of football games, drums beat, yards were stepped off, and the majorettes strutted into position to lead the band down the field. Throughout the season, Orlana Faulkner, drum majorette, set the pace for the band and precisioned highstepping majorettes with her three whistled signals. Of these majorettes, those specially talented developed special routines and competed with other majorettes in this area at the state music contest held in the spring. All together there were nine majorettes who ventured out onto the football field this year, no matter how cold and bad the weather happened to be.

CHS MAJORETTES, Norma Philips, Kathy Hutchinson, Jewell Schumaker, Barbara Pickens, Orlana Faulkner, Jane Finnicum, Nancy Edmund, Cheri Dicken, and Cheryl Fike, pose for their annual pictures in their newly made majorette outfits.



Getting some last minute practice in before the bell rings, Rose Ann Carlberg goes over and over a difficult passage in the music so she can play it without any mistakes.



# New Choral Group Graces Music Programs



Practicing for the state music contest, the girls' sextet, composed of J. Schamp, J. Reed, P. Pickens, M. Jodts, B. Gillespie, and V. Mardock, sings a number entitled PRAYER which is a Polish melody arranged by Don Malin.

#### CHORUSES

In the past at CHS, there have been three different choruses for students to join--girls', boys', and mixed. This year Mr. Charles Burrus, choral director, selected the best singers out of the mixed chorus and formed a new group called the select chorus, which also sang at most concerts.

The chief aim of any choral work is to train students to read music, to acquaint them with different phases of music, and to teach them to harmonize. To become a member of any of the choruses, a person must have an audition with Mr. Burrus before he can be officially accepted.

The choruses also participated in the many concerts, contests, and festivals during the school year. In preparation for these, the mixed and select choruses each met once a week, and the girls' and boys' choruses met during various activity periods.

The officers of the choruses were: Michael Anderson, president; Steve Bloom, vice-president; and Jean Chapman, sec.-treas.

Boys' Chorus, FIRST ROW: W. Moore, D. Bloom, A. Horberg, R. Sturdevant, B. Munson, M. Reppert, R. Calsyn. SECOND ROW: L. DeDecker, R. Gustafson, D. Gustafson, R. DeBoever, S. Bloom, R. Gardner, M. Anderson, pianist. THIRD ROW: M. Telleen, J. Wiley, R. Jones, P. Telleen, K. Burns, G. Gustafson, D. Wiley, S. Rishel.





Mixed Chorus, FIRST ROW: C. Dicken, S. Melton, J. Bloom, N. Philips, K. Wielert, J. Anderson, L. Seaton, J. Peterson, S. Wells. SECOND ROW: J. Keeney, K. Palmer, J. Schamp, C. Ericson, L. Reppert, N. Edmund, M. Johnson, C. Leander, T. Munson, L. Owens, C. Smith. THIRD ROW: J. Chapman, L. Mecum, J. Finnicum, K. Hutchinson, P. Gault, P. Robinson, O. Faulkner, N. Klavon, P. DeBoever, C. Dahlberg, D. Swanson, C. Fike, P. Pickens. FOURTH ROW: R. Gustafson, D. Bloom, A. Horberg, B. Gillespie, A. Wislander, P. Willems, J. Reed, M. Jodts, V. Mardock, K. Caldwell, C. Gustafson, R. Sturdevant, L. DeDecker, B. Munson, M. Reppert. FIFTH ROW: W. Moore, M. Telleen, D. Gustafson, R. Jones, K. Burns, G. Fossum, P. Telleen, G. Gustafson, D. Wiley, S. Bloom, M. Anderson, pianist, R. Gardner, R. DeBoever, S. Rishel.

Girls' Chorus, FIRST ROW: J. Schamp, J. Reed, J. Keeney, J. Finnicum, R. Wilson, C. Dahlberg, C. Smith, J. Ladd, J. Bloom, C. Johnson. SECOND ROW: M. Rebout, P. Pickens, J. Hines, N. Lange, P. DeBoever, N. Klavon, A. Wislander, C. Leander, P. Robinson, O. Faulkner, S. Steffen, K. Hutchinson. THIRD ROW: J. Chapman, L. Reppert, N. Edmund, L. Heck, D. Echelberger, J. Dobbels, J. Horberg, B. Scoville, D. Swanson, S. Verscheure, T. Munson, L. Owens, M. Jodts. FOURTH ROW: C. Dicken, K. Palmer, L. Mecum, L. Anderson, C. Fike, N. Philips, L. Seaton, M. Johnson, P. Gault, K. Wielert, C. Nimrick, N. Palmer. FIFTH ROW: S. Melton, B. Gillespie, J. Peterson, C. Ericson, V. Mardock, K. Caldwell, C. Gustafson, pianist, M. Gustafson, S. Doy, P. Willems, J. Anderson.





What are Patty Pickens and Pat Robinson looking at so intently? Why it's the Probationary List for Honor Society, which was just posted listing the sophomores who are possible candidates.

# NHS Recognizes High Scholastic Abilities

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

"I made it!" exclaims an excited sophomore as he reads the list of probationary members of the Honor Society posted on the school bulletin board.

To experience such an event, a sophomore must attain at least an 88 scholastic average and meet high standards of service, leadership, and character. Even then he is only a probationary member and can't hold an office in the organization until he becomes a junior.

The Honor Society's main purpose is to promote enthusiasm for the achievement of high standards in academics in high school. A highlight of the school social calendar was the all-school Christmas party, planned and sponsored by the Honor Society.

Sponsored by Mr. Albert Smith and Mr. Wilbur Wigant, the Honor Society elected Dick Anderson to the presidency. Dave Gustafson was vice-president, and Joan Dobbels was secretary-treasurer.

Honor Society, FIRST ROW: D. Anderson, Mr. Wigant, co-sponsor, Mr. Smith, sponsor, D. Gustafson, J. Dobbels. SECOND ROW: J. Chapman, N. Reed, A. Rogers, M. Anderson, B. Gillespie, K. Hutchinson, A. Gorden. THIRD ROW: A. Horberg, B. Moore, P. Telleen, S. Bloom, W. Gustafson, R. Hanson, G. Lundberg, A. Thompson.





Student Council, FIRST ROW: M. Johnson, P. Telleen, Mr. Johnson, co-sponsor, Mrs. Kenward, sponsor, T. Munson, V. Mardock. SECOND ROW: M. Gustafson, D. Peterson, R. Pavel, B. Moore, L. DeDecker, A. Gorden, D. DeBoever, J. Anderson, D. Wiley.

# Student Council Enjoys Varied Year at CHS

## STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council, the student governing body, serves as an arbitrator and creditor of better understanding between the students and faculty, as well as with the public.

Under the excellent guidance of its sponsor, Mrs. Inez Kenward, the Student Council presented the students of CHS with another memorable Homecoming. The council was also solely responsible for the annual Parents' Night held this year on February 15, 1963.

The big money-making project this year for the Student Council was the selling of book covers and paper folders with the Viking insignia on their covers. This served a dual purpose in that it made money and also promoted the general school spirit.

Executives of this governing body were Trudy Munson, president; Philip Telleen, vice-president; Vicki Mardock, secretary-treasurer; and Marilyn Johnson, reporter. Also, each class sends one Student Council representative and their class president to fill out the membership in this organization.

Greasing the palm with silver, Dugan Hultman coughs up his fifty cents to Trudy Munson so he can have his notebook folio with the "Viking" insignia on it. Also this year, the Student Council sold book covers with the "Viking" insignia.





Deadline jitters dog Michael Anderson, editor, Alice Gorden, assistant editor, and the "hand" as they are checking over pictures to see if they are correctly cropped and labeled.

## 1963 Staffs Work to

## VIKING STAFF

Using the same yearbook jargon and the same basic elements as in the previous twenty-four years, the 1963 staff assembled the twenty-fifth anniversary "Viking."

Journalistic terms flowed abundantly as these students learned the significance of bleeding, cropping, copy-writing, cutting, and proofing. With original ideas and plans, the staff launched their 88-page book and looked ahead to a year of challenging, but rewarding work.

During Thanksgiving vacation, Mr. Wigant, sponsor, and Michael Anderson, editor, attended the NSPA Convention in Chicago to find out new ideas and better ways to plan the 1963 Viking so that it can rate an All-American.

Officers of the Viking Staff are: Michael Anderson, editor; Alice Gorden, assistant editor; Bill Moore, business manager; and Vernon Stackhouse, photography editor.

Viking Staff, FIRST ROW: D. Gustafson, V. Stackhouse, A. Gorden, M. Anderson, Mr. Wigant, sponsor, B. Moore. SECOND ROW: D. Wiley, S. Bloom, D. Anderson, P. Telleen, A. Horberg. THIRD ROW: J. Chapman, N. Reed, K. Hutchinson, C. Dicken, J. Dobbels, P. Pickens, K. Wielert.



# Keep the Public and Students Informed

MAROON and WHITE
Looking through the Cambridge
Chronicle, one is certain to see the "Maroon and White" column. This weekly
column is the work of five high school
students under the guidance of Mrs. Tyra
Jonson.

"A bit of everything appears" in "Potpourri," a weekly feature written by Carol
Erickson, a junior. By describing amusing
incidents and other happenings that take
place at CHS, Carol tells about school life
in general. Also, towards the end of the
school year, Carol interviewed the seniors
and told the future plans of each in her
column.

On alternate weeks, the freshmansophomore news is written by Cynthia
Leander and Patricia Pickens, and the
junior-senior news by Lynne Seaton or Joan
Dobbels. These colorful columns appearing in the paper under "Maroon and White"
acquaint the public with many intimate
glimpses of school life at CHS, including
some of the latest gossip which has been
traveling the grapevine.



Maroon and White writers, Cynthia Leander, freshman; Lynne Seaton, junior; Joan Dobbels, senior; Patty Pickens, sophomore; and Carol Ericson, Potpourri, are caught looking through the Cambridge Chronicle.

"Correct spelling is necessary when writing for the newspaper," points out Mrs. Jonson to Carol, Lynne, and Cynthia as they go over an article in the paper. Having a Webster's dictionary close at hand saves a lot of trouble later.



## FTA and FNA Gain Valuable Professional



Looking attentive, Trudy Munson, Mrs. Kenward, sponsor of FTA, and Nancy Reed page through a new book just received by the local chapter of the Future Teachers of America at CHS.

"Mrs. Kenward, I don't understand this problem. Will you please explain it?"
Teachers hear queries such as this all the time. What are we going to do when there are no teachers to answer these questions?
Through the efforts of the Future Teachers, an organization open to those wishing to enter or investigate the teaching profession, this question is being worked out.

Various teachers come to our meetings to acquaint us with all fields of the profession along with some new methods of teaching. The club is always ready to assist in the school, whenever and wherever possible, in addition to making information on colleges and scholarships available to everyone.

Officers of this organization under the guidance of Mrs. Inez Kenward were Joan Dobbels, president; Alice Rogers, vice-president; Nancy Reed, secretary-treasurer; and Patty Pickens, reporter.

Future Teachers of America, FIRST ROW: S. Melton, V. Holstrum, L. Sexton, B. Stach, C. Fike, J. Chapman, T. Munson, L. Reppert, N. Edmund, B. Stromquist. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Kenward, sponsor, S. Wells, J. Bloom, B. Pickens, C. Leander, J. Finnicum, S. Way, J. Horberg, C. Dicken. THIRD ROW: B. Gillespie, L. Seaton, A. Rogers, N. Reed, J. Keeney, J. Schamp, N. Carlson, P. Pickens, K. Caldwell, B. Munson. FOURTH ROW: M. Wiley, B. Scovil, C. Gustafson, M. Gustafson, B. Schumaker, G. Lundburg, L. Mecum, J. Dobbels, L. Heck, R. Carlberg.



# Knowledge and Skills

FUTURE NURSES of AMERICA

Our new organization this year is the Future Nurses of America, their purpose being to further interest in nursing and health occupations. The Future Nurses have a factual look into the field of nursing and health occupations, presenting not only the good points but also the bad ones too.

As a part of their activities, the Future Nurses tour a hospital of their choice to get acquainted with the surroundings in which they might work. At their meetings, demonstrations and talks are given, and often a student nurse will come and talk to the girls on nursing.

The sponsor of our new organization is Mrs. Kenneth Dahlberg, school nurse, who also supplies many pamphlets and articles on nursing and other related medical professions to those who are interested. The officers of the FNA are Vicki Mardock, president; Alice Rogers, vice-president; Patty Pickens, Secretary; Ann Wislander, Treasurer; Kathy Hutchinson, librarian; and Nancy Carlson, reporter.



"Find Your Future Through the Future Nurses Club" says the sign on the bulletin board. Orlana Faulkner, a member of the FNA at CHS, points to it as she reads it.

Future Nurses of America, FIRST ROW: P. Gault, M. Jodts, K. Hutchinson, A. Wislander, Mrs. Dahlberg, sponsor, V. Mardock, P. Pickens, N. Carlson, P. Coziahr. SECOND ROW: K. Naslund, S. Naslund, S. Way, J. Keeney, C. Dahlberg, P. DeBoever, K. Mason, K. Caldwell, C. Smith, C. Ericson, S. Calsyn, J. Bloom, B. Pickens, G. Manthe. THIRD ROW: C. Fike, L. Skiles, D. Echelberger, J. Hines, M. Rebout, N. Klavon, C. Whisker, M. Wiley, B. Scovil, S. Doy, K. Wielert, L. Owens, J. Ladd, O. Faulkner, N. Phillips, D. Swanson.





Viking Science Explorers, FIRST ROW: R. Sturdevant, L. DeDecker, D. Wiley, D. Gustafson, B. Munson. SEC-OND ROW: M. Anderson, L. Heck, P. DeBoever, G. Lundberg, L. Mecum, P. Pickens. THIRD ROW: D. Bloom, C. Gustafson, D. Swanson, Mr. Place, sponsor, J. Bloom, K. Wielert, M. Jodts.

# VSE Maintain Science Room Menagerie



Eleven chameleons, two snakes, two frogs, one turtle, and numerous plants, make up the science department's terrarium. Each day the Science Club members take turns watering it, as David Bloom is now doing.

#### SCIENCE CLUB

The Viking Science Explorers, sponsored by Mr. Norman Place, is one of the more active clubs at CHS. During the past year, the explorers took field trips, worked on science projects for the county, district, and state science fairs, attended science seminars, set up various experiments for demonstration, and watched movies pertaining to science. The members attended the Science Open House and Seminar at Augustana College last fall and found it to be very interesting and worthwhile.

Many club projects improved the science department of CHS. This year the Science Club built a lake landscape in addition to operating the school aquarium and terrarium.

Free periods and night sessions were necessary for the building, mixing, or creating of science fair projects to allow entrants to return from the fairs with the usual amount of loot. Poised at the top of this scientific heap were president, Michael Anderson; vice-president, Gary Lundburg; and sec.-treas., Marlene Jodts.

# Colorful, Gay Pinata Delights Xmas Party

SPANISH CLUB

"Como esta usted?" Muy bien, gracias, or no muy bien, gracias," may be the utterings of Spanish Club members as a meeting convenes. To be a member, one must have taken Spanish for one year.

The sponsor, Mr. Samuel Almaguer, supplies the members with much useful and interesting information and films regarding our Latin-American neighbors as well as the other Spanish speaking folks of the world.

Here in the United States, the holiday season is a time for festivities. The Spanish Club members decided to keep up the spirit with Spanish customs by having a Christmas party, with Mexican hat dancers and even a Pinata.

Organized by the new Spanish instructor at CHS, Mr. Samuel Almaguer, the Spanish Club's president was Patty Pickens, Richard Pavel and Karen Wielert rounded out the roster of officers.



"A little more to the right!" shouts everybody as Cheryl Gustafson, dressed in Spanish garb, trys her luck at breaking the pinata at the Spanish Club Christmas Party.

Spanish Club, FIRST ROW: M. Telleen, L. Carlson, D. Larson, P. Telleen, L. DeDecker, D. Wiley, M. Reppert, D. Hulin, B. Schumaker, R. Pavel, A. Johnson. SECOND ROW: J. Bloom, B. Pickens, J. Chapman, J. Finnicum, V. Stackhouse, R. Sturdevant, K. Rishel, N. Phillips, N. Edmund, J. Horberg, T. Munson, S. Wells, C. Gustafson, J. Anderson, D. Swanson, M. Jodts. THIRD ROW: Mr. Almaguer, sponsor, G. Manthe, P. Pickens, J. Schumaker, J. Reed, K. Wielert, R. Carlberg, N. Klavon, M. Wiley, P. DeBoever, N. Reed, A. Wislander, C. Fike, J. Dobbels, K. Naslund, B. Gillespie, L. Seaton, P. Robinson, S. Naslund, L. Mecum, L. Owens, C. Nimrick, S. Melton, C. Leander, C. Dicken, J. Keeney, J. Schamp, C. Dahlberg.





Checking out a book, Marlene Jodts signs her name to the library card as Karen Naslund, librarian for 10th period study hall, prepares to stamp the date due on the book.

# Volunteer Students Assist in Library

LIBRARY CLUB

Thanks to the help of the Library Club and Mrs. Kenward, the sponsor, the school has a very efficient library. The club is composed of volunteer helpers who work during study halls checking books, reading shelves, collecting fines on overdue books, taking care of the magazines and bulletin boards, and performing many other such tasks.

After 170 hours of study hall work, the students receive a silver pin in exchange for the bronze one awarded them when they joined the club. These librarians are a real help to Mrs. Kenward, and without them our library would not be in the condition that it is now in.

Assisting Vicki Mardock, the Library Club president, were Jane Peterson, vice-president, and Dyann Peterson, secretary-treasurer.

Library Club, FIRST ROW: Mrs. Kenward, sponsor, A. Gorden, L. Reppert, J. Horberg, M. Johnson, T. Munson, J. Chapman, N. Phillips, N. Edmund, C. Fike. SECOND ROW: V. Mardock, N. Reed, S. Naslund, J. Dobbels, J. Finnicum, K. Hutchinson, A. Wislander, C. Dicken, D. Peterson, K. Naslund, P. Robinson. THIRD ROW: J. Peterson, S. Doy, M. Wiley, L. Owens, L. Mecum, J. Schumaker, S. Calsyn, P. Pickens, S. Way, M. Jodts, J. Anderson. FOURTH ROW: C. Ericson, K. Mason, C. Smith, L. Seaton, A. Rogers, N. Carlson, C. Gustafson, B. Gillespie, M. Gustafson, R. Carlberg, K. Wielert.





Projection Club, FIRST ROW: R. Wells, M. Stiner, J. Cederberg, J. Wiley, G. Gresch, D. Wiley, J. Otto. SECOND ROW: A. Vincent, D. Lanham, G. Gustafson, V. Stackhouse, R. Brodd, D. DeClercq, R. Gorden, D. Hultman. THIRD ROW: J. Nelson, Mr. Crapnell, sponsor, D. Bloom, R. Gardner, L. Charlet, G. DeMay, L. Schumaker, D. Palmer.

# They Show Films and Maintain Projectors

PROJECTION CLUB

Starting out the new school year, Projection Club members encountered a new television type projector which no longer required darkness to view films. This machine, as well as sound projectors, recorders, filmstrips, opaque projectors, and public address systems, was set up by the Projection Club for use in the classrooms. The members often helped run movie and slide projectors and tape recorders for various classes. Another one of their jobs was to keep the equipment clean and in perfect running order. These services were greatly appreciated by the teachers at CHS.

Mr. Milton Crapnell sponsored the Projection Club whose chief was Dave Bloom, assistant chief, Vernon Stackhouse, and secretary, Arlon Vincent.

Adjusting the film in movie projectors is just one of the duties of the Projection Club as Ronnie Brodd finds out. Here he is working with the new television type projector which doesn't require darkness to view the films.





Capably urging on the Cambridge football and basketball teams to victory are fresh-soph cheerleaders, Pat DeBoever, Cynthia Leander, and Pat Robinson, and varsity cheerleaders, Sharen Naslund, Nancy Reed, Jane Finnicum, and Karen Naslund.

"Yea, team, FIGHT!" echoes in the gym during the practice of one of the numerous routines of the fresh-soph cheerleaders, Cynthia Leander, Pat Robinson, and Pat DeBoever.



## Morale Boosters

CHEERLEADERS

"We've got the pep," is a familiar watchword for any cheerleader. Always adding to the rah-rah spirit, our cheerleaders helped boost our teams on to victories throughout the year. As representatives of our team and school, they worked many long and hard hours perfecting their skills, even during the summer months.

The junior -varsity cheerleaders this year were Pat DeBoever, Patricia Robinson, and Cynthia Leander, and the varsity cheerleaders, Sharen and Karen Naslund, Jane Finnicum, and Nancy Reed, contributed greatly to the morale of the players by creating a spirit of enthusiasm that was typical of the students at Cambridge High School. They also added spark to the lively pep sessions held every Friday during football and basketball seasons.

Look at those happy cheerleaders! Jane Finnicum, Sharen Naslund, Nancy Reed, and Karen Naslund, varsity football cheerleaders, are practicing their cheers just before going down to the football bowl, where the game is about to start.



# Keep the Fans in Tune and Spark School Spirit



Pep Club, FIRST ROW: J. Wiley, G. DeMay, G. Lundberg, R. Poppleton, S. Bloom, D. Wiley, K. Burns, D. Larson, D. Wiley. SECOND ROW: W. Moore, J. Otto, A. Vincent, D. Nimrick, M. McNallen, L. Weinrich, M. Reppert, B. Munson, D. Hultman, M. Stiner, L. DeDecker. THIRD ROW: Mr. Birkett, sponsor, M. Gustafson, V. Holstrum, S. Johnson, D. Versluys, P. Pickens, J. Schumaker, M. Johnson, T. Munson, K. Palmer, D. Steffen, P. Gault, B. Stach, C. Johnson, L. Sexton. FOURTH ROW: S. Melton, L. Mecum, N. Reed, S. Wells, C. Wisker, D. Swanson, C. Dicken, D. Peterson, S. Hunter, K. Hutchinson, A. Wislander, J. Dobbels, O. Faulkner, K. Naslund, C. Fike, D. Carlson. FIFTH ROW: S. Wells, J. Reed, J. Finnicum, J. Horberg, P. DeBoever, S. Calsyn, N. Klavon, J. Ladd, J. Chapman, N. Philips, N. Edmund, P. Robinson, S. Naslund. SIXTH ROW: N. Lange, C. Moore, C. Gustafson, C. Leander, J. Anderson, L. Reppert, L. Owens. SEVENTH ROW: M. Telleen, B. Pickens, J. Bloom, J. Keeney, C. Dahlberg, J. Schamp, N. Carlson, J. Simkins, P. Willems, J. Peterson, S. Doy, C. Ericson, B. Gillespie, R. Jones, D. Gustafson. EIGHTH ROW: M. Anderson, M. Jodts, M. Wiley, L. Heck, R. Carlberg, L. Hutchinson, K. Wielert, B. Wickblom, G. Manthe, L. Seaton, B. Campbell, D. Peterson, C. Smith, K. Mason, C. Nimrick, D. Bruce, V. Mardock, P. Telleen, K. Caldwell.

#### PEP CLUB

"Hip, hip hooray!" and "Away we go!" are two very familiar cries shouted by the Pep Club members this year. As a result, students have come home many a night unable to talk or even to utter a sound. It was worth it, however, just to have seen our team win.

Backing the cheerleaders in an effort to cheer the teams on to victory, the Pep Club is an essential ingredient in good sportsmanship and enthusiasm. Through its efforts, school spirit is created and kept alive, bolstering the team's ego.

Coaches George Birkett and Stanley Truckenbrod sponsor the Pep Club, whose president was Vicki Mardock. "Go, Vikings, go!" shout some of the Pep Club members at a home basketball game. This year the Pep Club really backed the basketball players at all the games and boosted them to "Cornbelt Champs."



## CHS Tarzanas Make Physical Fitness Fun



Willing to get rid of some of his money, Jim Wiley buys an extra-large CHS sweatshirt from Janice Reed. This was the first year the GAA sold them, and they went like "wildfire."

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
"Strike! Bull's-eye! Swoosh!" The GAA
girls have shown their skills again. A
girl becomes a member of GAA after
having 24 points in specified sports.
Some of the organized sports are: archery,
field hockey, deck tennis, volleyball, basketball, swimming, bowling, dancing, and
stunts.

At the end of the year, the outstanding GAA girl's name is engraved on the GAA trophy. It is awarded for her well-rounded ability in all sports, good sportsmanship, and loyal support of the organization. Also this year, the GAA sold CHS sweatshirts.

Keeping official tabs on the members, Bettine Gillespie, president, Jane Finnicum, vice-president, and Marilyn Johnson, secretary-treasurer, were put through the wringer this year as club officers. Sponsorship and management of these gregarious bloomer-girls has been the sole task of Mrs. June Fitzpatrick, girls' PE teacher.

Girls' Athletic Association, FIRST ROW: J. Finnicum, K. Naslund, S. Naslund, N. Reed, P. Robinson, C. Leander, C. Dicken. SECOND ROW: K. Hutchinson, J. Reed, B. Gillespie, M. Johnson, K. Caldwell, J. Dobbels. THIRD ROW: Mrs. Fitzpatrick, sponsor, V. Holstrum, L. Sexton, C. Fike, D. Steffen, P. Gault, N. Edmund, N. Philips, J. Horberg, A. Gorden, B. Stromquist, B. Pickens, B. Stach, S. Melton, C. Johnson. FOURTH ROW: J. Bloom, L. Owens, M. Jodts, S. Calsyn, L. Mecum, S. Hunter, P. Pickens, S. Verscheure, C. Wisker, D. Swanson, O. Faulkner, D. Peterson, T. Munson, A. Wislander. FIFTH ROW: D. Peterson, G. Manthe, K. Wielert, B. Scovil, P. DeBoever, L. Heck, C. Nimrick, D. Verscheure, J. Simkins, J. Ladd, J. Schumaker, R. Carlberg. SIXTH ROW: N. Carlson, P. Willems, C. Dahlberg, C. Gustafson, B. Campbell, M. Gustafson, S. Lief, V. Mardock, J. Anderson, J. Keeney, M. Wiley, N. Klavon, A. Rogers.





Varsity Club, FIRST ROW: Mr. Birkett, sponsor, D. Bloom, R. Gustafson, A. Vincent, D. Johnson. SECOND ROW: Mr. Truckenbrod, sponsor, D. Wiley, S. Bloom, R. Anderson, D. Nimrick. THIRD ROW: P. Telleen, K. Burns, W. Moore, D. Gustafson. FOURTH ROW: D. Carlson, R. Jones, S. Riggenbach.

#### Lettermen Apply Brains and Brawn

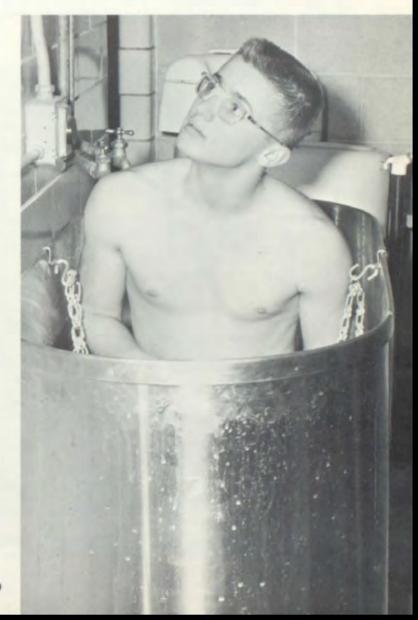
VARSITY CLUB

Athletic spirit and participating at Cambridge High School is promoted by the Varsity Club. It is an honorary organization whose members have won a major letter and have been approved by a two-thirds majority of the active membership. This group makes training rules for the school year to safeguard the health and standards of the boys who participate in athletics.

This club, sponsored by Mr. George
Birkett and Mr. Stanley Truckenbrod, promotes good sportsmanship among players
and builds an incentive for outstanding performances in school sports. This year the
Varsity Club bought a whirl-pool to be used
by the CHS Lettermen.

Officers of this club were: Dave Bloom, president, Dale Nimrick, vice-president, and Dick Anderson, secretary-treasurer.

Using the new whirl-pool bought by the Varsity Club this year is Arlon Vincent. After rough sporting events, this whirl-pool really helps you to relax.





Future Homemakers of America, FIRST ROW: V. Holstrum, A. Gorden, J. Scovil, S. Johnson, C. Stevens, L. Sexton, B. Stromquist, P. Gault, D. Echelberger, B. Stach, L. Skiles, D. Steffen, C. Johnson, Mrs. Rumley, sponsor. SECOND ROW: M. Rebout, L. Anderson, C. Wisker, K. Hutchinson, O. Faulkner, M. Johnson, D. Peterson, S. Hunter, D. Versluys, J. Dobbels, D. Verscheure, C. Moore, S. Wells, S. Way. THIRD ROW: J. Ladd, J. Peterson, A. Rogers, K. Palmer, L. Hutchinson, B. Wickblom, J. Simkins, R. Wilson, S. Verscheure, B. Scoville, L. Grant, K. Grant, L. Heck, N. Palmer. FOURTH ROW: D. Peterson, S. Lief, B. Campbell, N. Carlson, P. Willems, C. Hepner, P. Grant, S. Doy, S. Calsyn, C. Smith, M. Gustafson, C. Ericson, K. Mason.



Kathy Palmer, Beth Wickblom, and Diana Peterson look over several magazines in search of ideas for FHA Week, March 31-April 6.

#### FHA and FFA Explore

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

"Toward new horizons" is the motto the Future Homemakers of America follow. This year one can see the busy FHA girls working to receive their Junior, Chapter, and State degrees by the newly organized point system which gives them points for each FHA sponsored activity they attended or helped prepare for.

The Future Homemakers of America is an organization that prepares girls for the role of the modern homemaker. Its main goal is learning to live better today in order that the homemaking pupils' lives and those of their families may be better tomorrow. During the year, the FHA carried on numerous activities such as co-sponsoring the Sweetheart Ball in February.

Mrs. Patricia Rumley sponsored this active organization whose president was Joan Dobbels. Other officers included Kathy Hutchinson, vice-president, Alice Gorden, secretary, and Marilyn Johnson, treasurer.

#### FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

The primary aim of the Future Farmers of America is the development of agricultural leadership, cooperation, and citizenship. The four degrees of membership are Greenhands, Chapter Farmer, State Farmers, and Honorary Chapter Farmers.

Parlimentary procedure, public speaking, exhibiting at fairs, judging soil, improving conservation, and sponsoring a parent-son banquet are some of the FFA's many activities. In addition, the FFA members attended leadership schools, state and national conventions, and International Livestock Show, and the State FFA Convention. Sometimes, there are so many things to do that FFA might mean "Father Farms Alone."

Mr. Edward Breece sponsored this club whose president was Wayne Gustafson. Don Carlson, Francis Boelens, and Larry Charlet were vice-president, secretary, and treasurer.



FFA members, Ron Anderson and Gaylen Klawonn, thoroughly learn about motors of all kinds by taking them apart, cleaning, oiling, and fixing them, and putting them back together.

#### Careers and Are Active in Home Projects

Future Farmers of America, FIRST ROW: Mr. Breece, sponsor, T. Reed, D. Lievens, J. Gibson, S. Rishel, D. De-Kezel, J. Stevens, R. Dahlberg, W. Lange, S. Lindbeck, M. Klawonn, J. Wisker. SECOND ROW: L. DeDecker, B. Munson, D. Hultman, A. Lindquist, S. Roach, S. Hutchinson, R. Hanson, R. Gorden, G. Ruhnow, R. Calsyn, M. Lindbeck, D. Drehman. THIRD ROW: R. Hanson, B. Mardock, F. Boelens, B. Johnston, D. Palmer, R. Gardner, L. Matson, L. Hanson, W. Palmer, G. Versluys. FOURTH ROW: L. Charlet, D. Carlson, W. Gustafson, R. Gustafson, J. Wiley, L. Schumaker, R. Anderson, D. Carlson, G. Klawonn, C. Johnson, G. Fossum, J. Nelson.

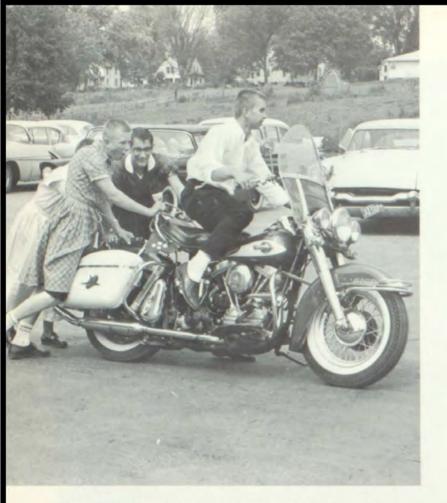




Activities — These are the Vikings — sailing views and help them to adjust to



into wider seas through activities which broaden their the modern world of today and tomorrow.



Dick DeBoever, Steve Hutchinson, and an unidentified freshman are caught in the act of pushing Larry Charlet's motorcycle. They better get it started soon.

Look at those freshmen twist! At the Initiation dance, the freshmen really let go and showed the rest of the student body how to twist.



## Freshmen Chant "I Love Seniors!"

On Friday, September 7, 1962, the freshmen of CHS, prepared for Initiation Day, arrived at school wearing colorful and unusual costumes. From the moment they arrived, the freshman "slaves" were kept busy by their senior "masters" doing such tasks as cleaning the steps and sidewalks with toothbrushes, carrying mountains of books, and bowing as they chanted, "I love seniors!"

At the party given in the evening, however, the freshmen got their revenge by having a contest to determine which senior boy had the most beautiful legs. With Initiation over for another year, the "Class of 66" became an official part of CHS and began to seek the fun and knowledge which would be theirs for the next four years.

"I love seniors! I love seniors!" chant the freshmen slaves as seniors, Bettine Gillespie, Joan Dobbels, and Bob Poppleton, command their slaves and watch them work out.





Homecoming Court, from ends: Clyde Nimrick and Cynthia Leander, freshman attendants; David Larson and Sharon Calsyn, sophomore attendants; Dean Wiley and Karen Caldwell, junior attendants; Dick Jones and Bettine Gillespie, senior attendants; Sammy Almaguer and Sharla Breece, crown bearers; Don Moore and Virginia Vincent, last year's royalty; Dan Humphrey and Marilyn Johnson, 1962 king and queen.

### Homecoming Excites Pageantry, Glamour

On October 25, the festivities for the 1962 Homecoming began with the traditional bonfire, pep session, and snake dance through the business district. On Friday evening, October 26, both the fresh-soph and varsity teams delighted Homecoming fans by soundly beating the Westmer teams. During half time, the marching band put on a colorful and memorable show using special lights on their hats.

At the dance following the game, the alumni of CHS were welcomed back, and Coach Truckenbrod and the senior members of the football squad were introduced and commended for their victory. Also, Danny Humphrey and Marilyn Johnson were crowned king and queen, bringing to a close a highly successful 1962 Homecoming.

Students enjoy the annual Homecoming dance, especially after having won their Homecoming football game.





Carnival Royalty, from ends: Gary Versluys and Rachel Wilson, freshmen; Don DeClercq and Jane Finnicum, juniors; Don Carlson and Vicki Mardock, seniors; Philip Telleen and Alice Gorden, last year's royalty; Ricky Gustafson and Delores Versluys, 1962 king and queen.

#### Suspenseful Moments Precede Crowning



During late October and early
November, there was much activity as
the classes of CHS worked hard and
long to earn enough money so that
their candidates would reign as king
and queen of the Carnival. When
November 10 arrived, everyone was
in a gay and carefree carnival mood.
For those attending, such activities
as Smear-A-Viking, Crazy Ball, and
the Cake-Walk were offered. Also, a
beautiful transistor radio was raffled
off, and a luscious turkey was given
as a door prize.

Finally, following a highly entertaining program, the royalty candidates were introduced. After several suspenseful moments, Rick Gustafson and Delores Versluys were crowned king and queen, bringing to a climax much hard work by the sophomore class.

Busy making posters for the Carnival are Bettine Gillespie, Patty Pickens, Lea Mecum, Joan Dobbels, and Cheryl Fike. Their advertising paid off for this year was the most profitable Carnival ever held.

#### Festive Season Is Celebrated at CHS

The Christmas season at CHS was celebrated in two events this year. On December 9, 1962, the annual Christmas concert was presented by the mixed chorus and the band. The mixed chorus and select chorus performed numbers from the MESSIAH by Handel. Included in the band's part of the program were many old and new Christmas carols and other music of this joyous season.

On December 15, 1962, the annual Christmas party was held in the CHS gym. Although the gift exchange was eliminated this year, the party was enjoyed by everyone. The music, provided by Don Clute and his group from Alexis, was as fine as any in the memory of the students. After an evening of celebration in the spirit of Christmas, everyone went home with memories of an enjoyable evening.

Don Clute and his group from Alexis are kept busy providing dancing music for the student body at the Christmas party.





This year our dancing instructors, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham from Galesburg, Illinois, attended our Christmas party to observe if we were practicing the dance steps we had been taught.

Both the band and choruses thoroughly enjoyed presenting the annual Christmas concert, December 9, 1962.







## Sweetheart, Heartthrob Reign Over All

Once again on February 16, 1963, the gymnasium of CHS donned festive garb for the annual FFA-FHA Sweetheart Ball. The high point of the evening came as Orlana Faulkner and Wayne Gustafson were crowned Sweetheart and Heart-throb of the local FHA and FFA chapters.

Attendants were: seniors, Joan Dobbels and Wayne Gustafson; juniors, Orlana Faulkner and Ron Hanson; sophomores, Dyann Peterson and Bordy Munson; freshmen, Bonnie Stach and Rodger Calsyn. After more dancing to the music of a local band, the evening was over, and all who attended had to leave the home of mythical Cupid and return to their own abode with memories of another well-spent evening at CHS.

Reigning as 1963 Sweetheart and Heart-throb are Orlana Faulkner and Wayne Gustafson. This is the crowning event of the Sweetheart Ball which is held annually.

Students and faculty alike enjoy dancing at the Sweetheart Ball. In a few more minutes, the decorations will come tumbling down and another party will have ended.





Junior Class Play, cast and crew, FIRST ROW: K. Caldwell, J. Finnicum, N. Edmund, J. Chapman, P. Telleen, K. Hutchinson, N. Philips, A. Thompson, J. Martin. SECOND ROW: K. Palmer, G. Schieferdecker, J. Cederberg, S. Moore, L. Seaton, A. Rogers, G. Lundberg, A. Wislander, N. Reed, O. Faulkner, C. Smith. THIRD ROW: D. Peterson, M. Stiner, L. DeDecker, G. Gustafson, D. DeClercq, Dean Wiley.

#### Juniors Entertain Audience in "Stag Line"

On Friday evening, April 5, 1963, the Junior Class Play was presented. The play for this year was "Stag Line" by Sara and Grame with Jean Chapman having the lead. It centered about a wedding day and the somewhat misguided efforts by the bride's younger sister Marty, who tried to help by forming a stag line of boys. This resulted in almost ruination of the wedding and many broken hearts.

Through diligent laboring and Mrs. Kenward's help, the juniors produced a very good play that was enjoyed by many of the townspeople, parents, students, and friends.

The Junior Class Plays at Cambridge High School, as they continue to add sparkle to many lives, have been greatly enriched by the successes of the past twenty-five years.

"Get your hands off me!" exclaims Dean Wiley as he and Lynne Seaton rehearse their lines for the Junior Class Play.





One of the highlights of the Spring Concert was the mixed choruses' presentation of their festival and contest pieces such as OKLAHOMA and HAVE MERCY AND SPARE.

#### Contest Music Featured at Spring Concert



On Sunday, May 12, 1963, the CHS band and choruses presented their annual Spring Concert. Under the direction of Charles Burrus, music director at CHS, the mixed chorus opened the program with numbers such as OKLAHOMA, ALLELULIA, and THE FIFTY STARS.

Following this, the boys' quartet saluted Mother's Day and the mothers in the audience with old favorites such as LET ME CALL YOU SWEETHEART. The girls' chorus, all dressed in pastel-colored formals to announce that spring had come, rounded out the choral numbers with ONE GOD and IF I LOVED YOU.

The second half of the program consisted of several numbers by the concert band. These included RICHARD THE THIRD, COLORAMA, and HERE COMES THE BAND. After an evening of fine music, everyone truly felt that spring was finally in the air.

Under the direction of Mr. Burrus, the CHS band entertained the audience with such numbers as HERE COMES THE BAND and COLORAMA.

# "Red Sails in the Sunset" Enhance Hop

On Friday, April 26, 1963, the doors of the CHS gym were thrown open to reveal the 1963 Freshman-Sophomore Hop. The sophomores had worked many long hours on the Hop, which this year had the theme of "Red Sails in the Sunset."

After entering over a bridge, couples danced in the shadow of a sailboat and a scene showing red sails framed against a glowing sunset. The climax came when Les Matson and Lea Mecum, last year's royalty, crowned Rodger Calsyn and Charlene Johnson prince and princess of the Hop.

This party, given by the sophomores, was the official and final welcome and acceptance of the freshman class as members of CHS. Every freshman and sophomore found the party to be over all too soon when 11 PM quickly came.



Reigning as Prince and Princess of the Freshman-Sophomore Hop are Rodger Calsyn and Charlene Johnson. Janice Reed, Leslie Matson, Lea Mecum, and Richard Pavel assisted in the crowning.

With the "Red Sails in the Sunset" behind them and a sailboat to the right of them, couples enjoy dancing to the music provided at the Freshman-Sophomore Hop.



Under the lights and pink streamers, the gym took on a fantasy-land quality. The dancers seem to float under the spell of "The Rose Room."

Lynn DeDecker and Nancy Reed announce that Mary Ann Gustafson and Steve Bloom are the 1963 Prom Royalty.



## Prom-goers Enjoy "The Rose Room"

On the evening of May 17, 1963, the Junior-Senior Prom began with the prom banquet in the cafeteria. After eating, those in attendance enjoyed a fine program featuring selections by the "Lettermen" and Michael Anderson on the piano. After the program, promgoers went into the gym where "The Rose Room" was in progress. The night club effect was very successfully accomplished. Don Clute from Alexis provided excellent music for those dancing.

Later in the evening, Steve Bloom and Mary Ann Gustafson were crowned as King and Queen of the 1963 Prom. After the dancing was over, a caravan went to Galva to see "It's Only Money." Then the local bowling alley was opened for the pleasure of the students. After a good breakfast at the bowling alley, the prom was over for another year with fond memories left of a wonderful evening well spent.

"Four o'clock and all's well" for those who can still see. Yawns, gallons of coffee, and a lot of fun brought to a close another prom, but many happy memories will remain.





There was a special honor given this year. It went to Mr. Raymond Johnson who is retiring after twenty-seven years of teaching at CHS. Trudy Munson, president of the Student Council, presents him with a gift from the whole student body.

#### Honors Bestowed on Deserving Students

The Honors Assembly for the 1962-1963 school year was held May 22, 1963. First on the agenda was the installation of the Student Council officers and a talk by Mrs. Kenward telling some of the highlights of that organization. The top Spanish students received awards from Mr. Almaguer on the basis of a state-wide examination which they took part in. Four-year band and chorus pins were presented by Mr. Burrus to the seniors.

The GAA awards were then given to deserving girls by Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Mr. Wigant presented Viking Staff Awards to senior members. Student librarians were given pins for their valuable service, and Mr. Birkett and Mr. Truckenbrod distributed athletic awards. Mr. Smith announced the good citizenship awards and Michael Anderson Valedictorian and Joan Dobbels Salutatorian.

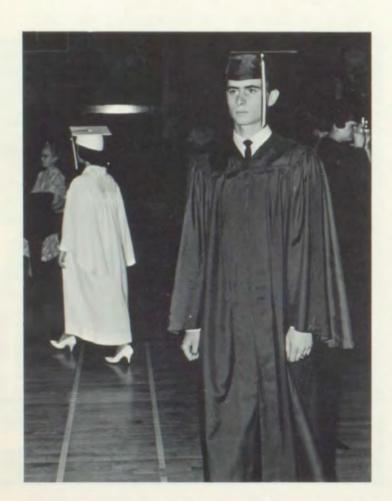
Coach George Birkett prepares to pass out the Varsity letters to the boys who have excelled in various sports this year.





After Superintendent Smith calls her name, Mary Ann Gustafson steps forward, receives her coveted diploma, and shakes hands with Mr. Sherrard, president of the Board of Education.

#### Diplomas Wrap Up Four Years of Learning



As the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" were heard once again in the CHS gymnasium, the members of the class of '63 knew that this would be the last time they would ever be together as a whole. After a full week of Baccalaureate, class night, and graduation practice, the senior class reached the culmination of their four years in high school.

A capacity crowd of parents, relatives, and friends was present to hear the special music, the Valedictory and Salutatory speeches by Michael Anderson and Joan Dobbels respectively, and the commencement address by Mr. Allan Laflin. Following the presentation of the class by Superintendent Albert Smith, diplomas were presented to the thirty-five members of the class of 1963 by John C. Sherrard, president of the board of education at Cambridge High School.

Keeping in step with the music of "Pomp and Circumstance" are Trudy Munson and Andy Horberg as they march to the stage during Commencement exercises, May 29, 1963.

### The 1963 Viking Is Completed!



Alice Gorden, William Moore, Karen Wielert, Vernon Stackhouse, and David Gustafson, the VIKING executive staff, watch as Michael Anderson, editor, makes a correct layout.

Hard work . . . late hours . . . and deadlines just about sum up the last year as the staff and I labored to make the 1963 VIKING, our twenty-fifth annual, a true and unbiased picture of life at Cambridge High School. With the last deadline almost completed, I look back over the year and experience a feeling of gratitude--gratitude first of all to my staff for their steadfast work and faithfulness; to Mr. William Schultz, photographer, for his pictures and willing retakes; to Mr. M. L. Gardner, American Yearbook Representative, for his helpful tips; and to Mr. Wilbur Wigant, adviser, for his assistance.

I would also like to express my thanks to Superintendent Albert Smith and the office secretaries for the co-operation and interest they showed throughout the year with their help and generous gifts of office space and equipment.

Michael Anderson, Editor

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