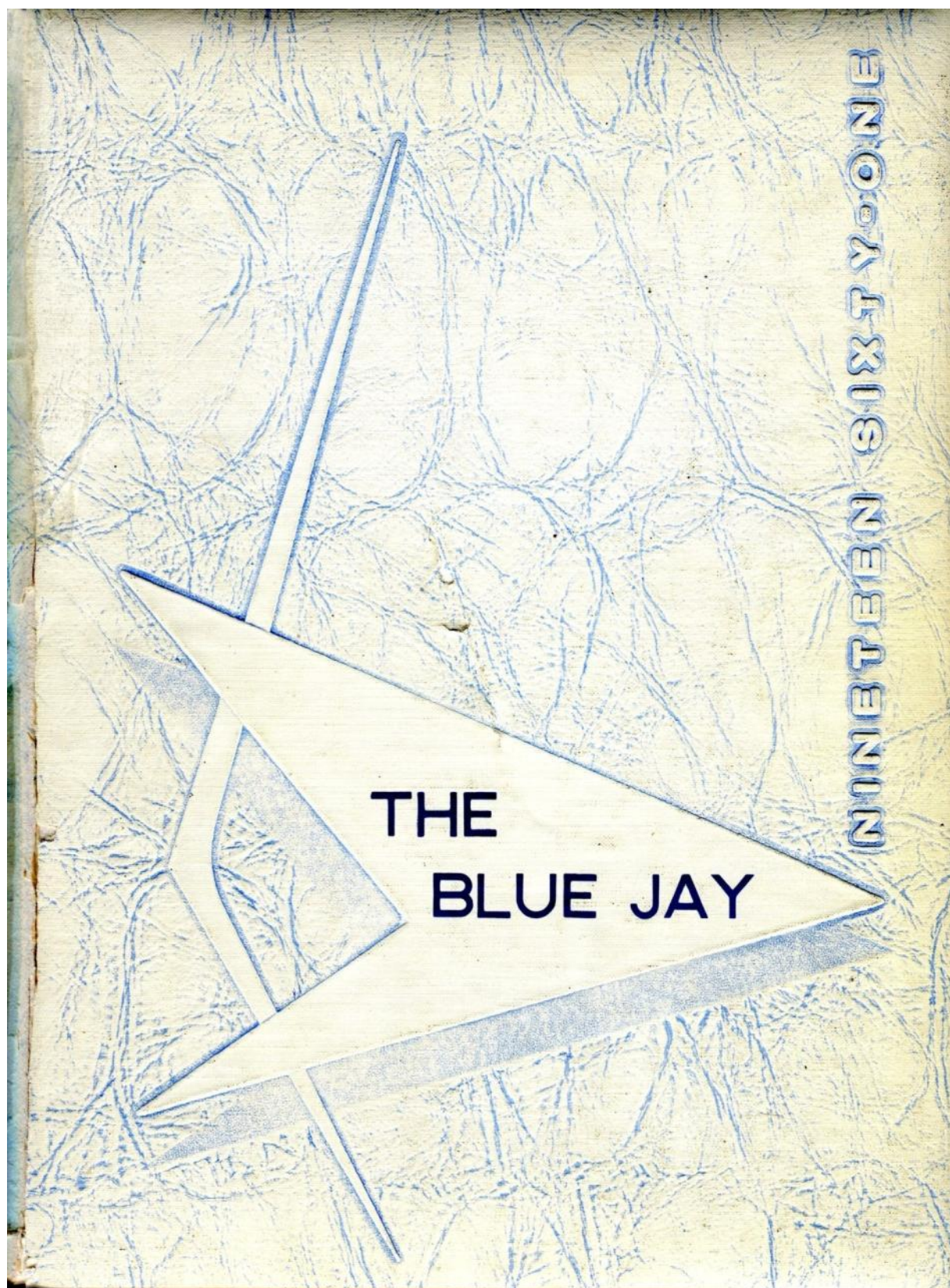


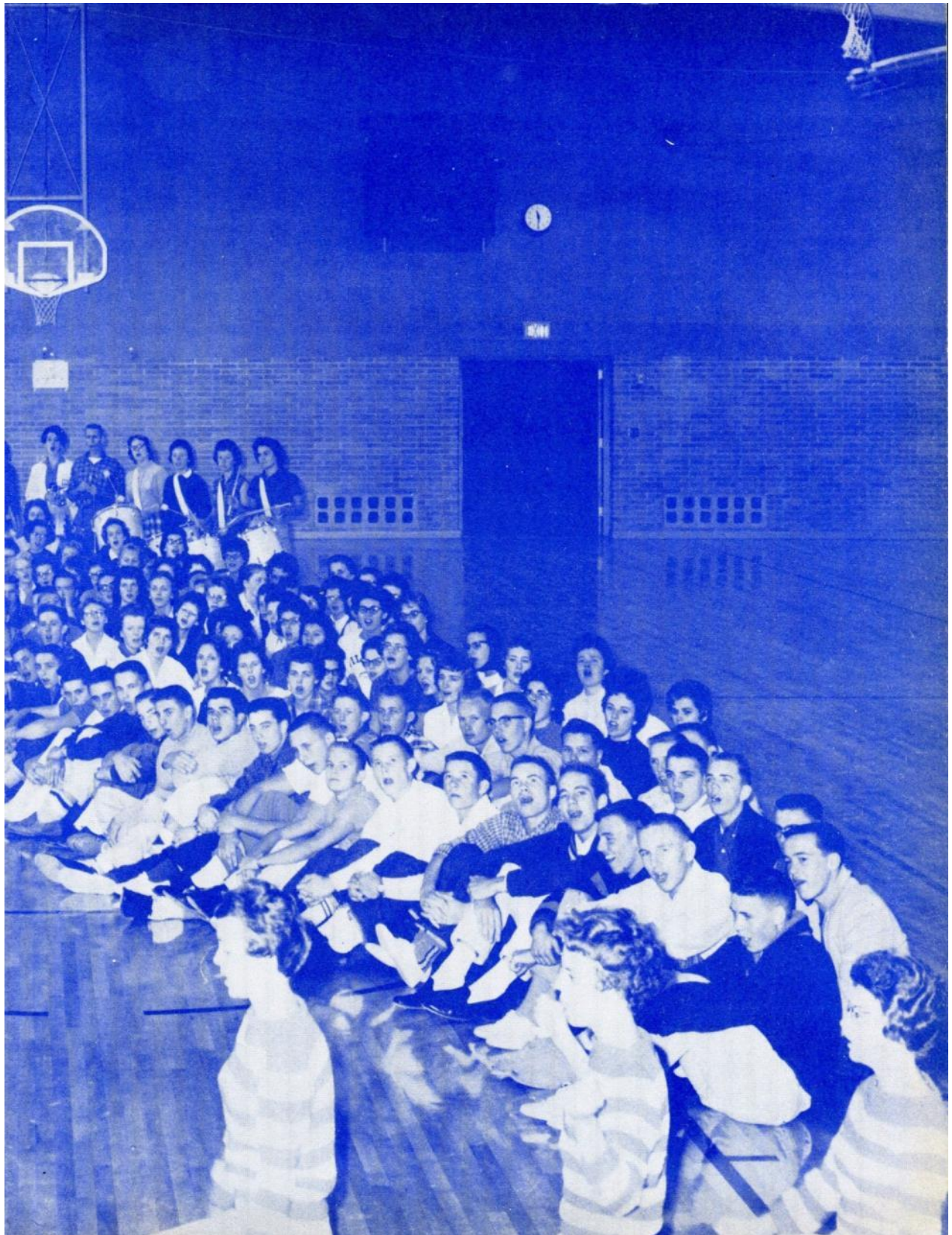
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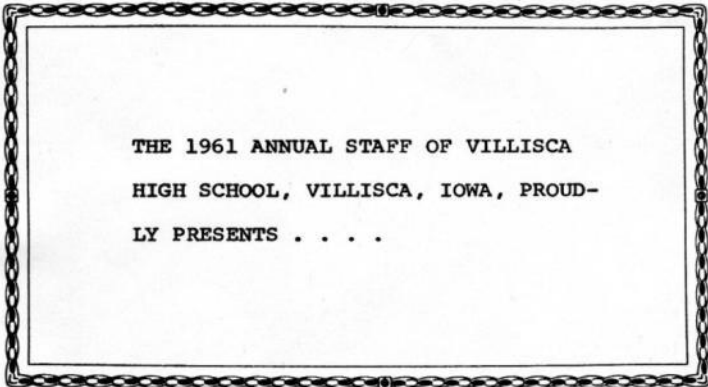
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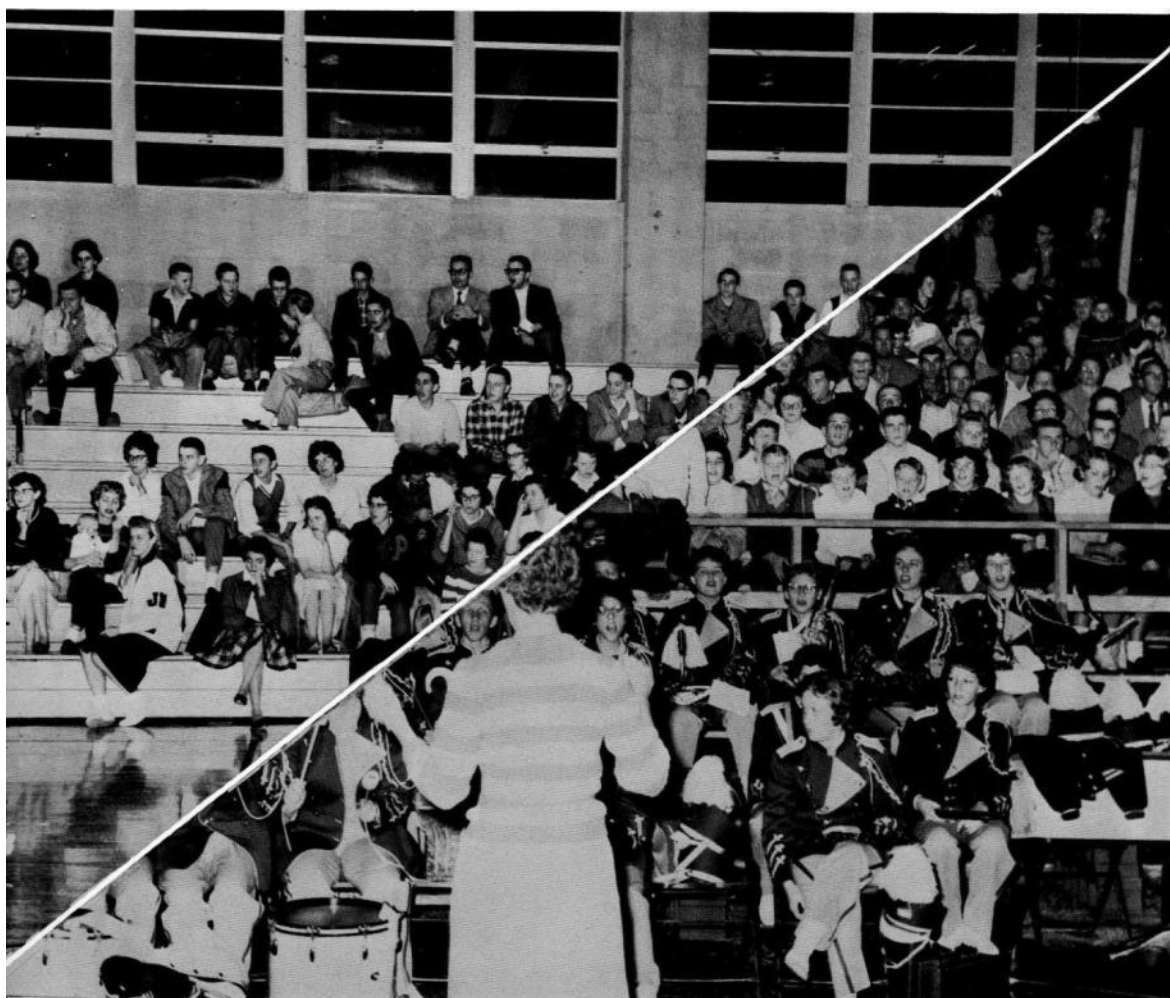
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Loyal and True,
We Pledge Allegiance to You--
This is Our Motto;
We Are All for One, and
All for the Alma Mater.

Here's to Our School,
And Long on High May she Rule;
Forever More You Will Find Us
Always Loyal and True

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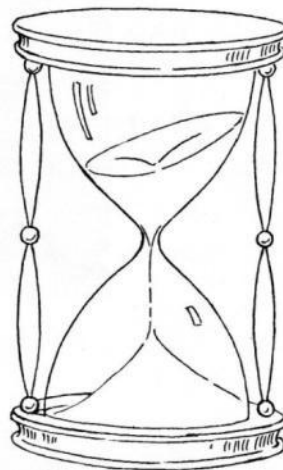
VHS - We will remember you.

VHS - Always the same yet always changing. . . .
an old school, a new one, too. . . . happy days,
sad days, fleeting days gone by.

Students will come and students will go - but
none will remain unaffected by life at VHS. Out of
the drama of her halls, the frivolity of her pupils,
we grew as we learned. We will leave her sadly - yet
with pride and gratitude in our hearts. We will
remember her dearly when her halls no longer echo
with our own laughter. . . . We will look to her and
proudly say. . . .

VHS. . . . our school

It's all here in the Bluejay - the year we'll
never forget - as we turn back the leaves of time. . . .



DEDICATION



He has been much more than a fine principal - he has been a friend and counselor. He has shown not only knowledge but also understanding and guidance.

It is with deepest gratitude, with respect for his earnest and capable labor, and with heartfelt graciousness that we think of him.

Because of his inspiring personality and character, we are proud to dedicate the 1961 Bluejay to

MR. LOUIS A. SULLIVAN

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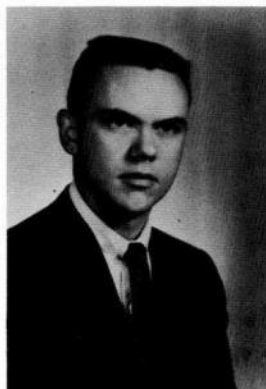


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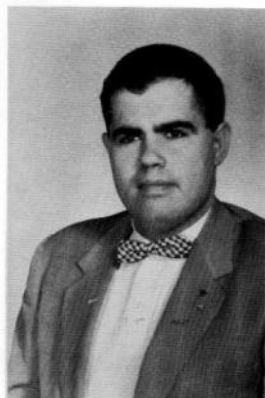


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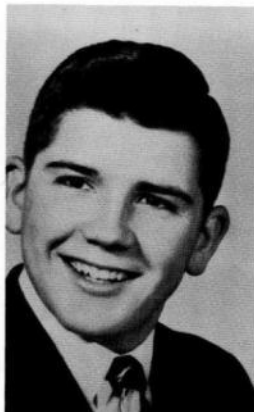


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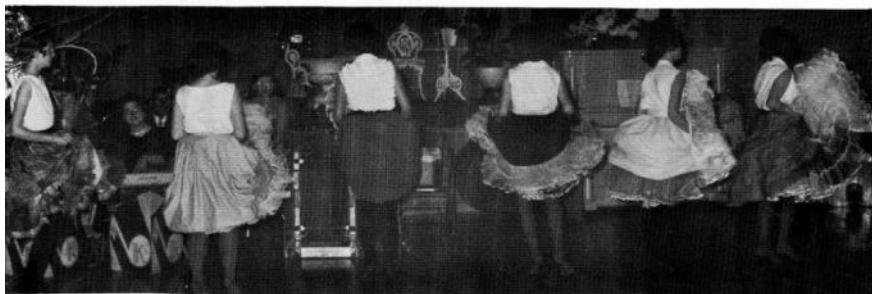


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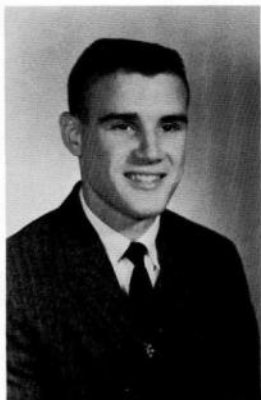
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Hi-Y 3,4; Student Council 4.



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4; Chorus 3,4; Secretary-
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Band 1,3,4; Dance Band 3,4;
Little All-State Band 4;
Y-Teen 3,4; Program Chair-
man 4; Class Play 2,3;
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Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Dance
Band 3,4; Little All-State
Band 3,4; Instrumental Group
1-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Class Vice-
President 1; Class Play 3;
Office Secretary 4; Pep Club
1,2; Secretary 2; Homecoming
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1,2; Track 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4;
Class President 2; FFA 1-4,
Treasurer 4; Student Council
2; Road Runners 3,4; Treasur-
er 3,4.



JANICE JACKSON Basketball 1; Y-Teen 1-4;
Drama 1,2; Librarians 3,4; Student
Council 2; Pep Club 1,2; Betty Crocker
Homemaker of the Year 4.

ROBERT MILLER Football 3; Basketball 1,2;
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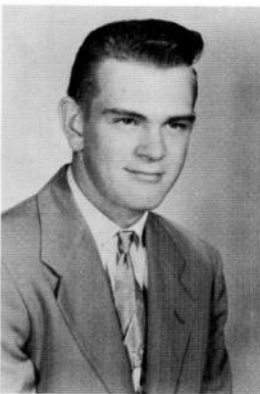
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1,2; Class Play 3; Press Club 4, Sec-
retary 4; Cheerleader 1,2,4; Baton
Twirler 3; Pep Club 1,2.



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LINDA WILLIAMS Girls Glee 2,3; Chorus 3;
Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 2; Class Play 3;
Cheerleader 2; Pep Club 2; Baton Twir-
ler 3.





GLORIA CORE Girls Glee 1,4; Chorus 4; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 2; FTA 3,4, Secretary 3,4; Librarians 3; Office Secretary 4.

WILLIAM SHOUGH Football 4.

JANICE JOHNSON Y-Teen 1-4; FTA 3,4, Treasurer 3; Office Secretary 4.

LEROY CLARK Football 1; Chorus 1; FFA 1.
(transferred)



PEGGY ORTON Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teen 1-4
Librarians 2-4.



ROBERT DUNN Football 4; Basketball 1-4; Track 3; Class Vice-President 1; Class Vice-President 2; Student Council 4; Baseball 1,2.

JUDY MULLER Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Marching Band 1-3; Concert Band 1-3; Instrumental Group 1-3; Y-Teen 1-4, Musician 3, Cabinet 3; Class Secretary 3; Class Play 3.

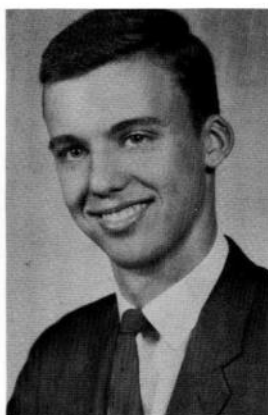
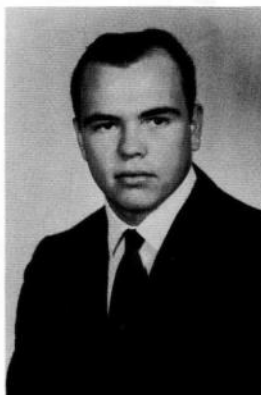
LARRY LINES Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Boys Glee 1; Chorus 1; Hi-Y 1-3; Road Runners 3,4.



JUDY ROBINSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4, Vice-President 4; Vocal Group 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Dance Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Band President 4; Band Council 2-4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Y-Teen 1-4, President 4, Council 2-4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 2,4; Pep Club 1,2; Homecoming Queen 4; Golf Team 1,2; Outstanding Actress 3.

GLENN HEIN Basketball 1; Boys Glee 1; Chorus 1,4; Vocal Group 1,4; Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, Sentinel 3,4.





DIANNE PETERSON Basketball 3; Girls Glee 1-4, Accompanist; Chorus 1-3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Instrumental Group 1-4; Little All-State Band 4; Clarinda Band Jamboree Queen 3; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4, Secretary 4; Student Council 4; Golf Team 2-4; Pep Club 1,2; Homecoming Attendant 3,4.

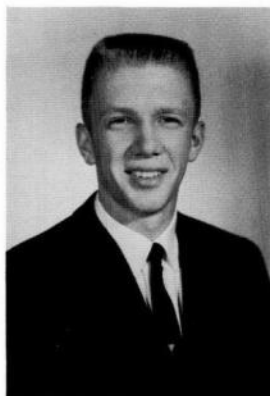
DAVID HALEY Football 1-4; Track 3,4; FFA 1-4, Sentinel 4; Wrestling 1,2,4; Road Runners 3,4, Vice-President 3,4. (transferred)

MARTHA ASHMORE Girls Glee 1,2; Chorus 2; Y-Teen 1-4; FTA 3; Drama 2,4; One-act Play 4; Cheerleader 1-4.



PHILIP MADDEN Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-3; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 1,4; FFA 1-4, Reporter 3, Sentinel 4; Teen Haven 3, Secretary 3; President of Page County 4-H 4.

SUZY SULLIVAN Basketball 1-4; Marching Band 1-3; Y-Teen 3,4; Class President 1; Drama 1-4, Secretary 4; Class Play 1,2; One-act Play 2; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1,4; Student Council 1,3,4, President 4. FFA Sweetheart 4. (transferred)



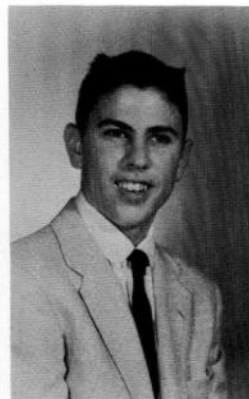
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ELAINE BURTON Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; All-State Chorus 3; Tri-State Chorus 3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Instrumental Group 2-4; Band Secretary 4; Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teen 1-4, Secretary 2, Cabinet 3,4; Class President 1; FTA 3,4, Vice-President 3; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4.

MICHAEL VEAK Boys Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-4, Accompanist; Vocal Group 1-3; Marching Band 1-4, Drum Major; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Dance Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Band Business Manager 4; Band Council 4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1; Drama 2-4, President 4, Thespian 3,4; Class Play 3; One-act Play 2,4; Annual Staff 1,3,4, Co-editor 4; Press Club 4, Volcano Typist 4; Journeyman 3; Student Council 2,4.

EVELYN BURTON Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Outstanding Musician (vocal); Tri-State Chorus; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Dance Band Vocalist 4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Y-Teen 1-4, Vice-President 3, Cabinet 3,4; FTA 3,4, President 3; Annual Staff 3,4, Co-editor 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 1,4.

ROGER LEWIS Football 2; Basketball 1; Track 4; Hi-Y 3,4; Class Treasurer 3; Science Club 2; Drama 3; Road Runners 3,4, Chaplain 3,4.





BILL WEBSTER Football 1; Basketball 1; Track 1.



KAREN SELBY Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1,3,4;
Chorus 2-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Librarians 2-4.

DONALD JOHNSON FFA 1-4.



JUDITH GUTHRIE Basketball 1-3; Marching Band
1,2; Concert Band 1,2; Instrumental Group
2; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4; Press Club 4,
Volcano Business Manager 4; Librarians 3,4,
President 4; Office Secretary 4.

STEVEN PFEIFFER FFA 1-4.



DEAN OLANDER Basketball 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4, President 4; Class Treasurer 2; FFA 1-4, Parliamentarian 4.

LINDA MOSER Girls Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-3; Marching Band 1-3; Concert Band 1-3; Pep Band 1; Instrumental Group 1-3; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4; Drama 4; One-act Play 4; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 4, Secretary 4; Teen Haven 1,2,4, President 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Pep Club 1,2.

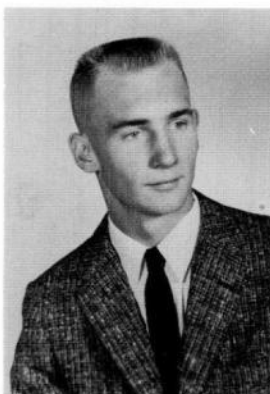


DENNIS FASTENAU Football 2-4; Basketball 1,2; Track 3; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 2-4; Class Treasurer 2; Road Runners 3,4, Secretary 3,4.

DOROTHY ASHMORE Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1,2; Chorus 2; Marching Band 3; Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 1,2,4, Secretary 2; Class Play 3; One-act play Student Director 4; Annual Staff 4; Librarians 2-4, Program Chairman 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 3,4, Vice-President 4.



HAROLD HEDSTROM Football 2; Basketball 2; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, Reporter 3,4;



KATHY BARTZ Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 3,4; Chorus 3,4, President 4; Vocal Group 3,4; Y-Teen 3,4, Vice-President 4; Class President 1; Class Play 2; Office Secretary 4.



RON BROWN Football 1-4; Track 1; Hi-Y 4; FFA 1-4, Secretary 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Student Council 3; Road Runners 3,4, Historian 3,4.

NANCY CARLSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 2-4; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 2-4, Southwest District President 3; Drama 1-4, Treasurer 4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Teen Haven 1,2; Band Queen Candidate 1.



ROGER SHEPHERD Basketball 1-4; Hi-Y 4; Class Vice-President 3; Student Council 1.

JANIS MAGNUSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Librarians 2-4, Vice-President 3; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1-4; Teen Haven 3; Pep Club 1,2; Outstanding Musician (vocal).



JAY WHEELER

LETHA CURRIN Basketball 1,3; Y-Teen 1-4;
Office Secretary 4.

RAY WHEELER

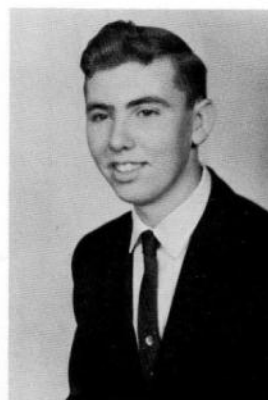
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DONNIE SMITH Football 1,2; Track 1,2;
FFA 1-4.

DARLE LINDELL Football 2; Basketball 2;
Track 2-4; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 1-4;
FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, President
3-4.





TERRY KING Boys Glee 3; Chorus 4; Vocal Group 4; FFA 1,2; Science Club 3,4, President 3, Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4, Volcano Editor 4; Student Council 4.

MARILYN LYNCH Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 3,4; Y-Teen 1-4; Press Club 4; Librarians 3,4; Office Secretary 4; Pep Club 1,2.

CARL PETERSON One-act play 4; Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1,2; Annual Staff 4.


































JANET SCHAFER Band 1,2; Basketball 1-3; Class President 2; Chorus 3,4; Girls Glee 3,4.

DON DEVINE Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1-4, Reporter 4; Science Club 3, Vice-President 3; Press Club 4.



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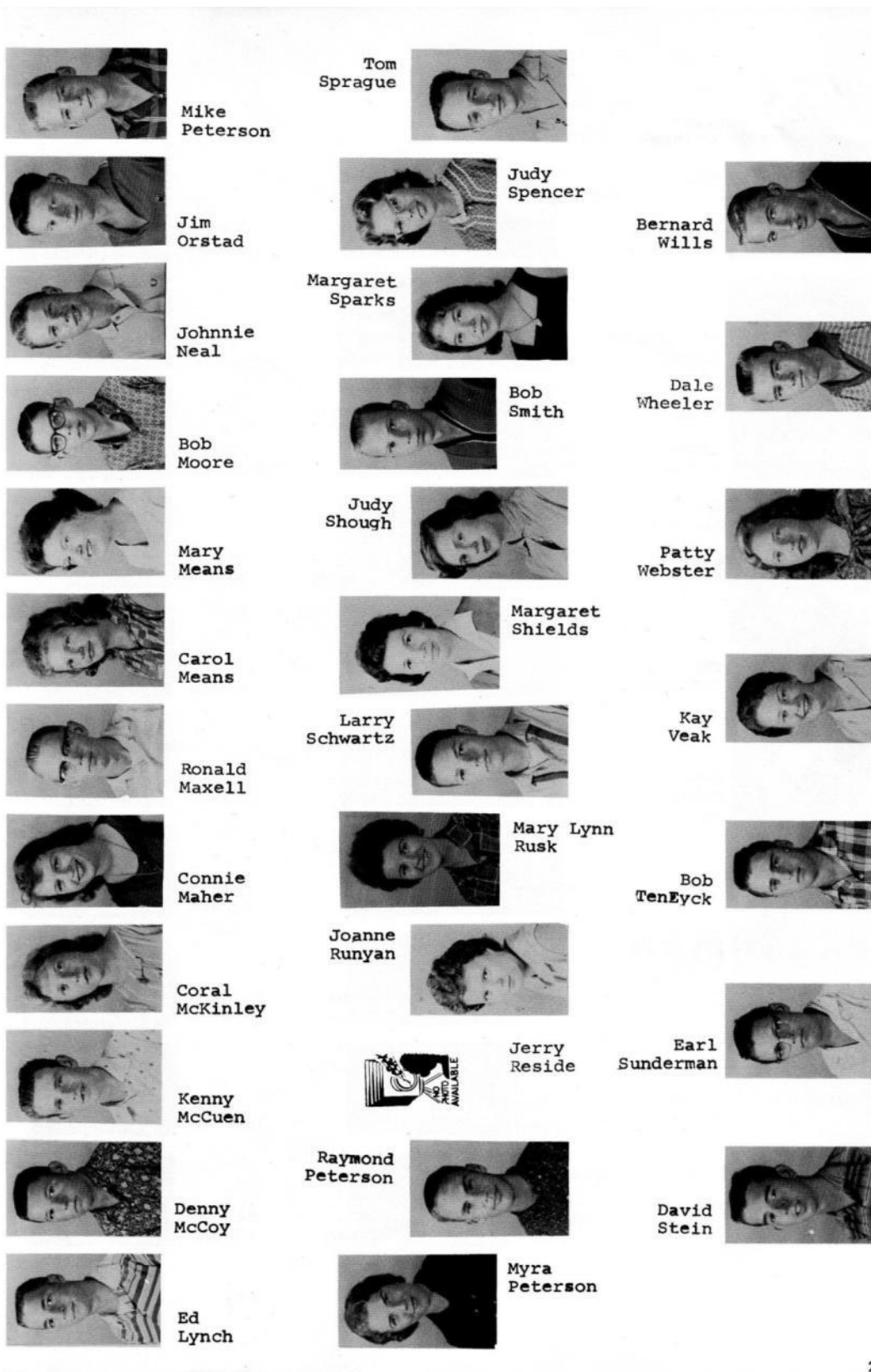
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Maurer



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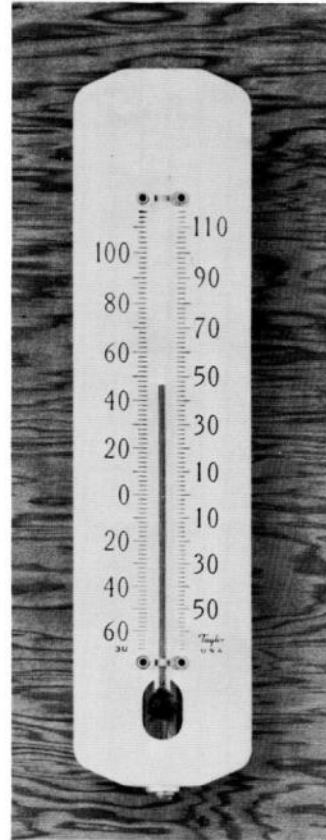
OFFICERS

From left to right: Louis Sullivan Sponsor; Linda Moser, Secretary; Suzy Sullivan, President, Dorothy Ashmore, Vice President.



The Student Council is a group of elected students who are interested in the progress of their school. Working as a well run machine, the Student Council has carried through many projects beneficial to the school. Projects completed this year are as follows:

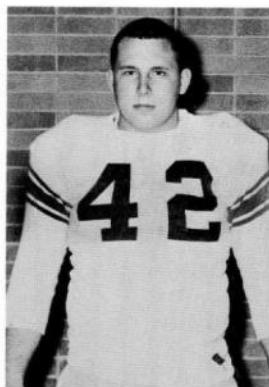
1. With the cooperation of the cheerleaders, the Student Council sponsored a Blue and White Day, a colorful parade, and an enjoyable dance.
2. The Student Council constitution was rewritten to bring it up to date.
3. Student Council members served as ticket takers at all the home games.
4. Villisca was chosen as the site of the 1961 Student Council Convention, with our council as host.
5. With the help of the F.F.A., the Student Council has carried out a safety program which won a national award in 1960.
6. Several ideas presented to the Student Council through the suggestion box have been put into effect.
7. The Student Council has written a "hand book" for incoming freshmen.



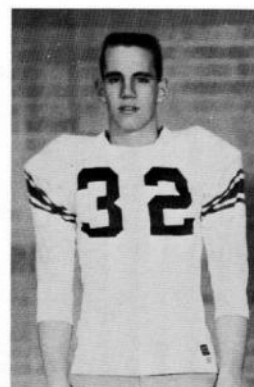
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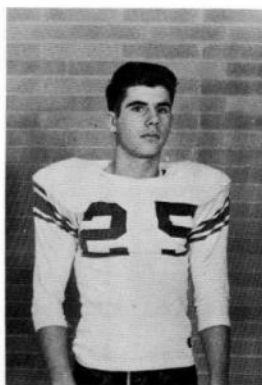
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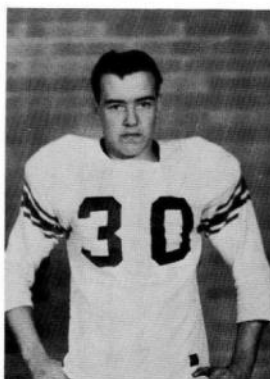
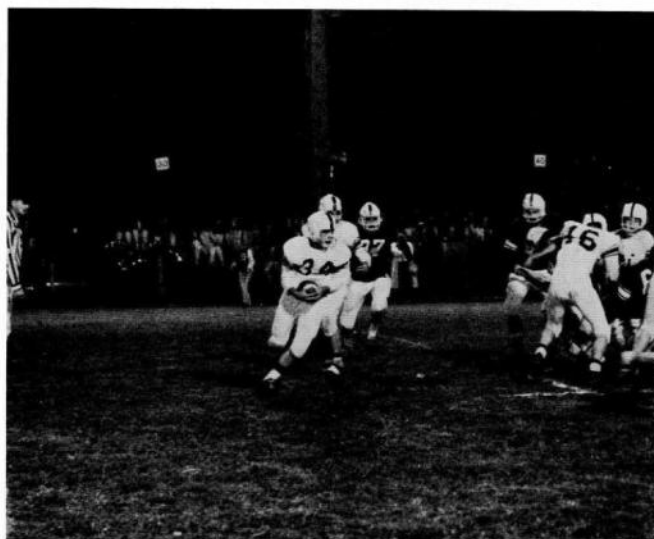
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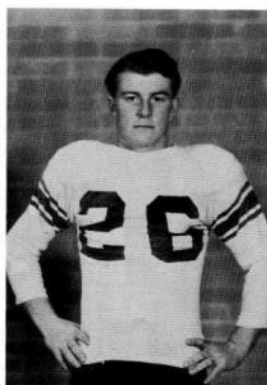
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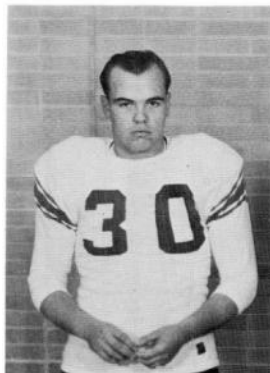


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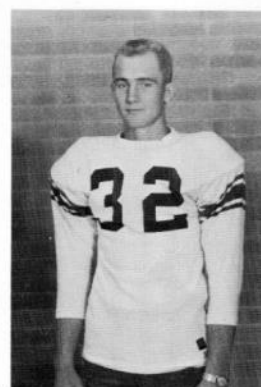
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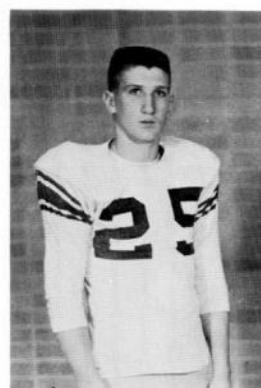
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Ron Brown



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CO-CAPTAINS

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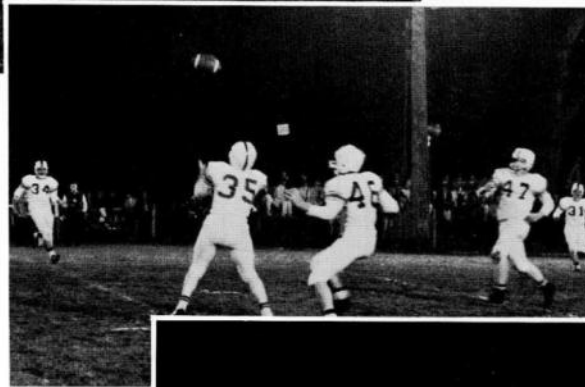
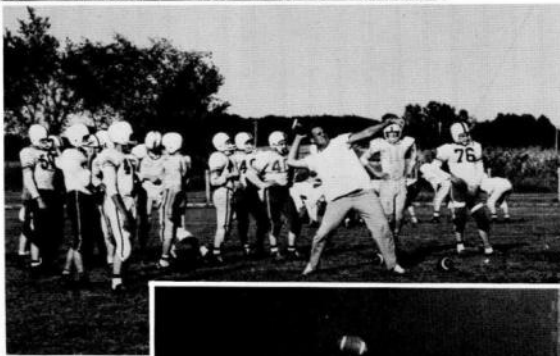
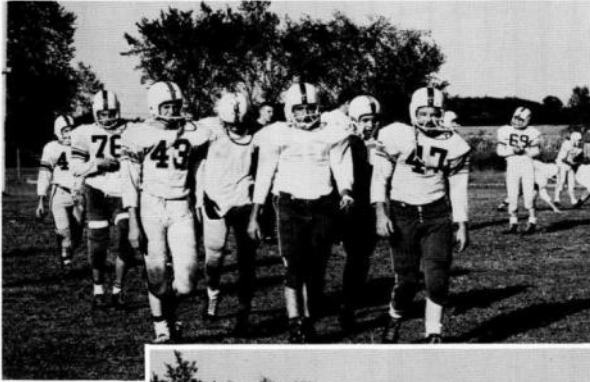
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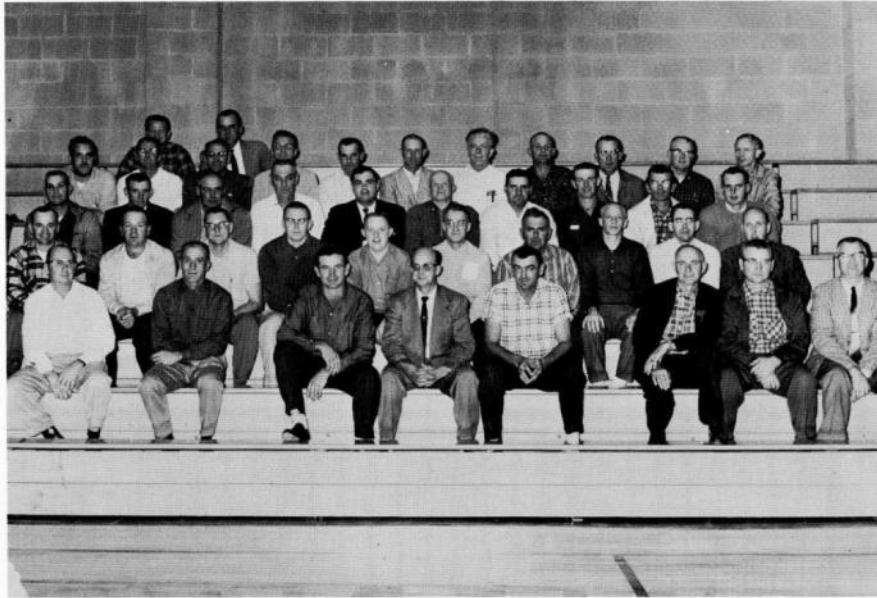
Larry Branan



Bob Strickland



BOOSTER CLUB



This group of Villisca High athletic enthusiasts, operating under the auspices of the Bluejay Booster Club, will drive more than 40,600 miles this year giving taxi service to athletes in Villisca schools.

This remarkable group of one-hundred fifty persons, of which only fifty are represented here, makes 1,621 trips motoring the students to their homes following afternoon sessions at Villisca and Nodaway.

Although this volunteer organization's chief project is the tremendous transportation program, the highlight of the year is the sponsoring of an All-Sports Banquet held in the spring for the VHS athletes. This event always features a prominent speaker from the sport's field, such as this year's guest, Jerry Burns, head football coach at State University of Iowa. Another attraction headed by the Boosters was the benefit basketball game, featuring the Harlem Magicians, which drew a packed-group in the gymnasium.

The group's officers are Joe Lines, President; Kenneth Kern, Vice-President; and Wally Williams, Secretary-Treasurer.

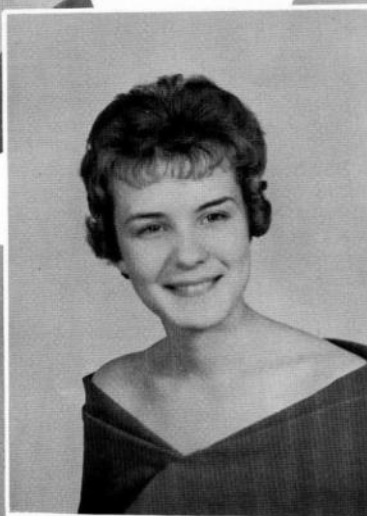


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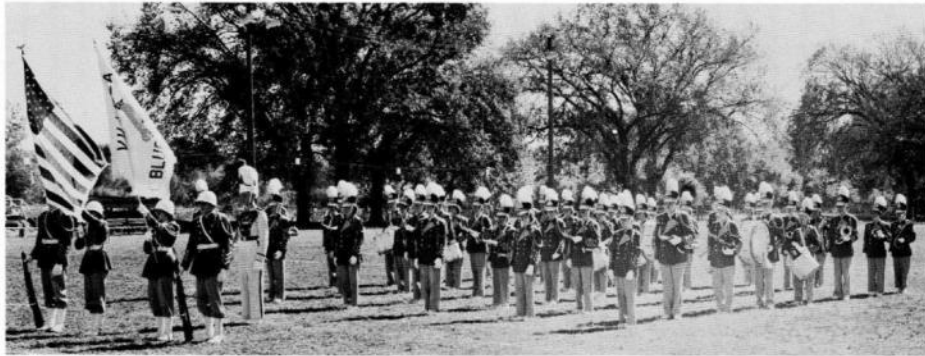


QUEEN

JUDY ROBINSON



MARCHING BAND



The Villisca Bluejay Marching Band participated in the following events: Welcome for Nixon at Red Oak; Clarinda Band Jamboree; State Marching Band Contest at Guthrie Center; Maryville Homecoming parade; Marched at all VHS football games.

OFFICERS



Left to Right: Band Director, Duane Johnson; Senior Representative, Floyd Gourley, Secretary, Elaine Burton, Freshman Representative, Suzy Madden, President, Judy Robinson, Sophomore Representative, Phyllis Brown, Junior Representative, Norman Brown, Business Manager, Mike Veak. The Council nominated girls from the student body to compete for the Villisca Band Queen.

39: Music ConcertBand DanceBand PepBand Berigan,John Brown,Phyllis Means,Mary Gridley,Sharon Barker,Karen Madden,Susan Robinson,Judy Jamison,Kaye Russell,Gayle Schrader,Drew Veak,Michael Beck,Gene Gunderman,Dee Starlin,Karla Kemery,Barton Means,Kenny Brown,Norman Zellmer,Kenneth Palmquist,Mark Lewis,Bernie

CONCERT BAND



The Concert Band presented several concerts; among these were: Mid-Winter Concert, featured soloist-Mr. John Berigan; Parade of Bands; Spring Honors Concert.

DANCE BAND



From left to right, front row: Phyllis Brown, Mary Means, Sharon Gridley, Karen Barker, Susie Madden, Judy Robinson, Kaye Jamison, Gayle Russell, Drew Schrader. Left to right, second row: Michael Veak, Gene Beck, Dee Gunderman, Karla Starlin. Left to right, back row: Barton Kemery, Kenny Means, Norman Brown, Kenneth Zellmer, Mark Palmquist. Bernie Lewis is not pictured.

PEP BAND



The Pep Band supported the football and basketball teams with pep songs and pep.



MIXED CHORUS



The VHS mixed chorus of approximately seventy voices with Dean Rounsevell, choral director, performed the following this year: "Land O' Cotton" minstrel show; PTA concert; choral festival at Sheanandoah; Spring concert; Commencement exercises.



Left to right: Judy Robinson, Vice-President; Kathy Bartz, President; Karen Barker, Secretary-Treasurer.

GLEE CLUB



The girls' glee club ran a tentative schedule for the first part of the year, but finally ended up at a fast and forward moving pace.

CABINET MEMBERS



Y-TEENS

To grow as a person

To grow in friendship with people of all races,
religions and nationalities.

To grow in the knowledge and love of God.

JUNIOR-SENIOR



FRESHMEN-SOPHMORE



OFFICERS**HI-Y**

From left to right: Warren Richards, Sponsor; Kirk Jamison, Chaplain; Lee Gourley, Vice-President; Jim Crouse, Secretary-Treasurer; and Dean Olander, President.

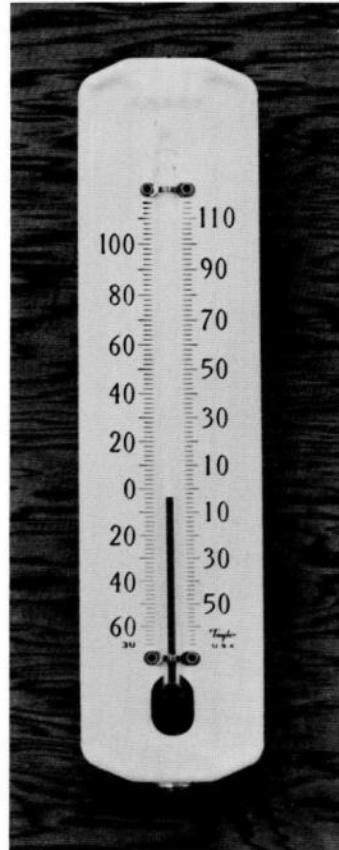
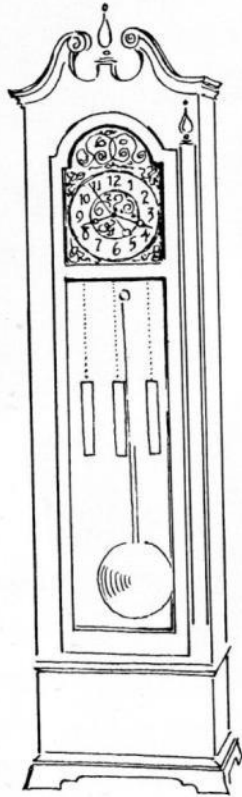


The Hi-Y Club included in their program interesting and educative films and basketball games with other Hi-Y clubs.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

The purpose of Future Teachers of America are to help Future Teachers learn more about the teaching profession, to cultivate character qualities essential in a good teacher and to develop leadership. Taking part in FTA enables its members better qualified for teaching profession.





Winter

SUZY SULLIVAN
Post Forward



DEE GUNDERMAN
Forward



KAREN BARKER
Forward



KATHY BARTZ
Guard

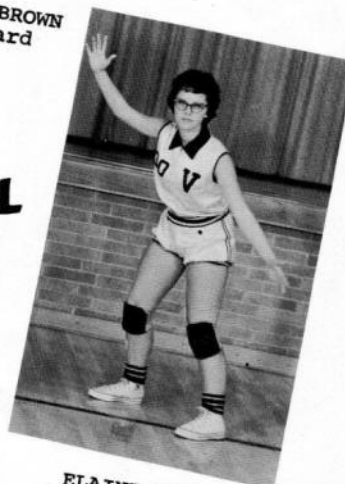


PHYLLIS BROWN
Post Guard

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



EVELYN BURTON
Guard



ELAINE BURTON
Guard

2ND TEAM



Coach Engelbert



Coach Engelbert has the attention of the team while giving instructions in actual game play.



Chaperon, Mrs. Youngman, and Manager, Barbara Selby are always at hand to fulfill the team's needs.

1ST TEAM

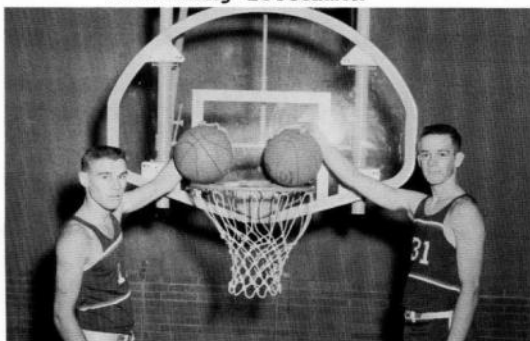




Barton Kemery, Mgr.



Jr. - Sr. Squad

Returning lettermen
Jerry Knudson and Roger Shepherd

Coach Weaver

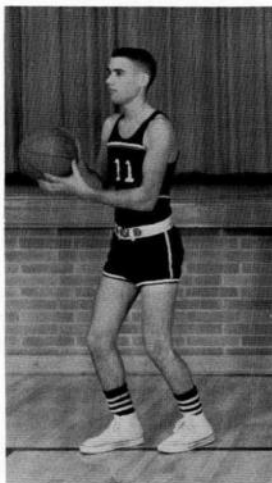
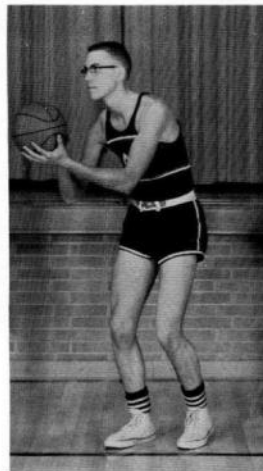
Fresh. and Soph. Squad



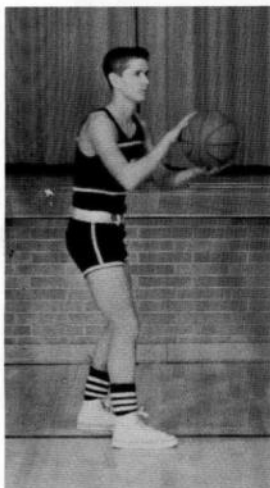


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DEAN OLANDER



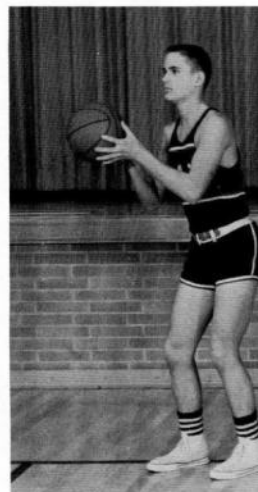
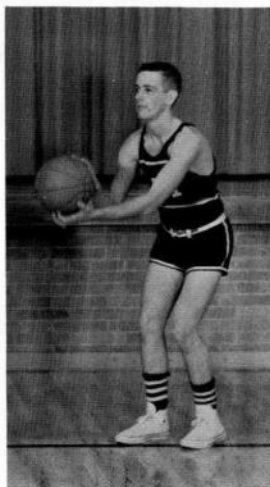
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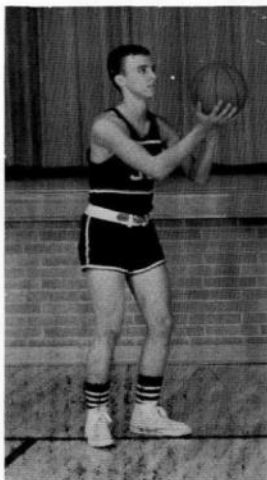
Bob Dunn

Varsity Basketball

ROGER SHEPHERD

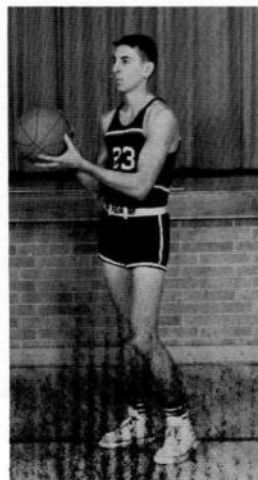


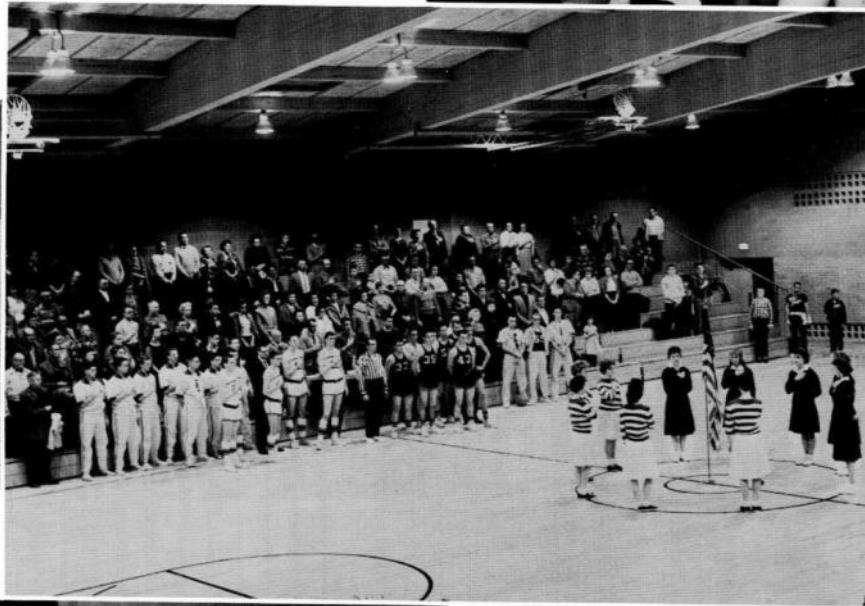
JIM ASKLOF



Phil Madden

Larry Branan





51: Scores, Basketball Wrestling Engelbert, Tom Lewis, Bernie Haley, David Hein, Glenn Brown, Ron Baker, Dave Dunn, Kent Haley, Tom E. Arterburn, Bill Lewis, Ron Chaney, Ron Gilleland, Eugene Ackerman, LaVerne Peterson, Charles

B A S K E T B A L L R E C O R D S					
Girls			Boys		
Jayettes		Opponents	Bluejays		Opponents
58	Sidney	31	52	Sidney	35
37	Elk Horn	45	41	Elk Horn	31
65	Stanton	36	33	Atlantic	61
41	Essex	34	47	Corning	56
73	Bedford	44	59	Essex	35
74	Prescott	60	58	Clarinda	39
73	Glenwood	39	33	Creston	73
80	Lenox	58	44	Glenwood	55
60	Clearfield	63	50	Red Oak	77
60	Audubon	40	39	Shenandoah	59
58	Bedford	28	36	Atlantic	79
42	Mt. Ayr	48	50	Corning	68
65	Lenox	42	59	Clarinda	64
56	Prescott	47	64	Lenox	49
72	Glenwood	56	63	Creston	66
74	Walnut	46	54	Glenwood	73
61	Farragut	69	55	Red Oak	75
75	Stanton	51	51	South Page	68
52	South Page	61	64	New Market	58
60	New Market	38	45	South Page	59

WRESTLING



This year marked the first year for a wrestling team at Villisca High School, coached by Mr. Tom Engelbert.

The boys who participated on the squad and who are pictured from left to right above are, front row: Bernie Lewis, Dave Haley, Glenn Hein, Ron Brown, David Baker; back row: Kent Dunn, Tom Haley, Bill Arterburn, Ronnie Lewis. Those people not pictured are Ron Chaney, Eugene Gilleland, Laverne Ackerman, and Charles Peterson.

The two meets that were attended this year were the Corning Invitational and the district meet. The district meet was also held in Corning, Iowa.

52: Cheerleaders Ankeny, Beverly Stallings, Carole Veak, Kay Ashmore, Martha Stackhouse, Elaine Fryer, Pat Johnson, Avon Dunn, Candace Jamison, Kaye Magnuson, Janis Sullivan, Suzy Starlin, Karla



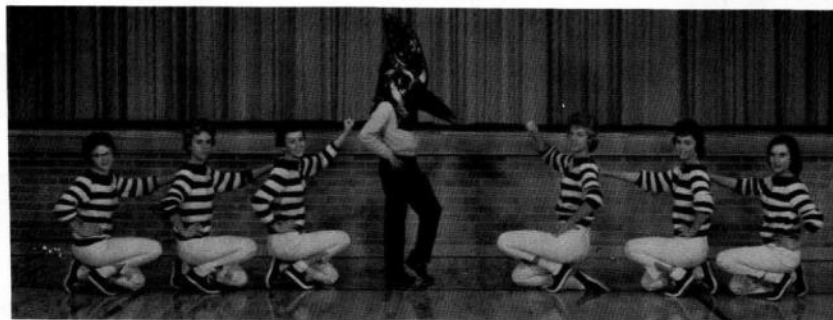
BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS:
Left to right, Bev Ankeny,
Carole Stallings, Kay Veak,
Martha Ashmore, and Elaine
Stackhouse.

GIRL'S BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS:
Left to right, Pat Fryer, Avon
Johnson, Candy Dunn, and Kaye
Jamison.



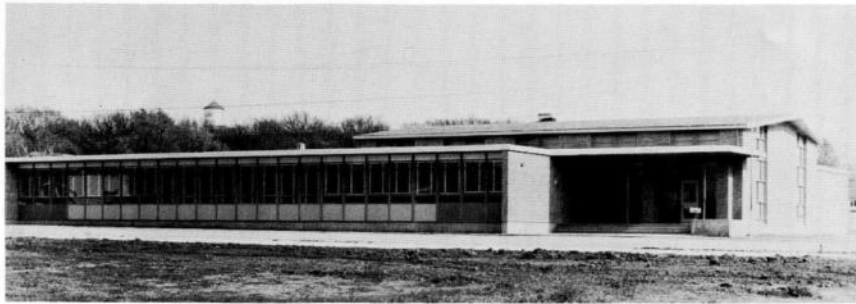
The cheerleaders played an important part in the pacing of VHS's school spirit.

CHEERLEADERS



FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS:
Left to right, Elaine Stackhouse,
Martha Ashmore, Janis Magnuson,
Suzy Sullivan, Carole Stallings,
and Karla Starlin.

DEDICATION OF NEW SCHOOL



SYLVIA ENARSON SCHOOL



Miss Enarson with one of the fourth grade classes.

The dedication of Villisca's new elementary building marked one of the highlights of the school year.

A contest in all the grades was held in order to find an appropriate name for the building. The name of Sylvia Enarson School was selected from the many entries.

Miss Sylvia Enarson received this honor for her long and dedicated service to the Villisca school system.

TEEN HAVEN



The Teen Haven Council is made up of two representatives from each class and a group of elected adults. The group plans all dances following Friday night home football and basketball games. They are working together to establish a recreation center for the students.

SCIENCE CLUB



The Science Club was begun two years ago. This year it had a membership of eleven. The officers elected at the first of the year were Mark Palmquist, President; Terry King, Vice-President; Lana Kay McKee, Secretary; and Ronnie Lewis, Treasurer.

OFFICERS



JESTERS

DRAMATICS CLUB

From left to right: Kirk Jamison, Vice-President; Suzy Sullivan, Secretary; Nancy Carlson, Treasurer; Michael Veak, President.



Dorothy Ashmore, Michael Veak, and Stephen Sidwell are seen after loading the one-act play props in the trailer, enroute to the pre-district contest at Red Oak, Iowa.



Mrs. Smith, dramatic and speech coach, and Dee Gunderman are discussing contest work. Mrs. Smith, who lives in Clarinda, stays through the supper hour to help with the student's readings and play practices.



"THE SHOEMAKER'S WIFE" was this year's one-act contest play. Those students in the play were Michael Veak, Johnnie Posten, and Linda Moser. Dorothy Ashmore was student director and Stephen Sidwell was stage manager.



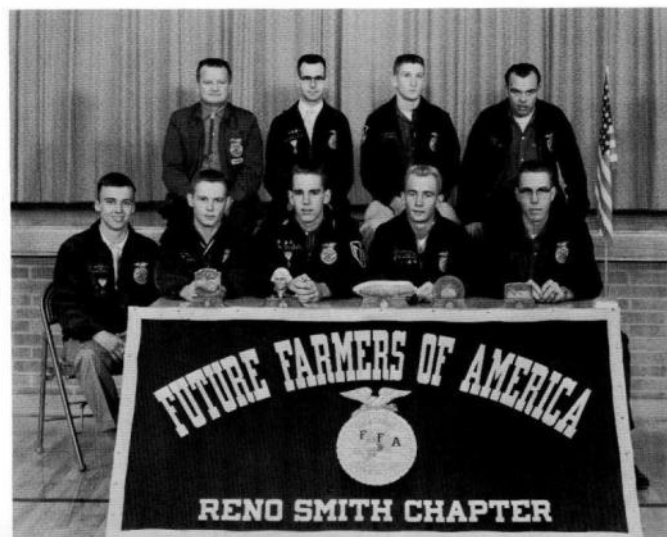
F.F.A.



This year the FFA chose as their Sweetheart, Suzy Sullivan. She was presented with the traditional Sweetheart jacket and attended the annual Parent-Son Banquet.

OFFICERS

Left to right Front Row: Phil Madden, Sentinel; Ron Carlson, Secretary; Stan Archer, Treasure; Ron Brown, President; Dean Olander, Parliamentary; Back Row: Clyde Moore, Sponsor; Don Devine, Reporter; Larry Neal, Vice President; Dave Haley, Sentinel.



NEWSPAPER STAFF



The Press Club assumed its name this year and really became a functioning part of the newspaper staff. These are the members of the 1959-60 journalism staff who wished to stay on a second year. The editor is Terry King and business manager is Judith Guthrie, with Miss Burrish as sponsor.



The thirteen members of the journalism class are responsible for writing articles for the newspaper. During the last half of the year, the class takes over the managerial duties of the Volcano.





LIBRARIANS

The librarian officers shown above are Miss Gardner, sponsor; Karen Selby, Secretary; Judith Guthrie, President; Barbara Selby, Vice-President; and Dorothy Ashmore, social chairman.

The librarians, under the guidance of Miss Gardner, took care of the VHS library in the study hall.



OFFICE SECRETARIES



The office secretaries are students who assist Mr. Sullivan, Mrs. Stackhouse, or Mr. Engelbert during study halls and other free periods.

OFFICE SECRETARY



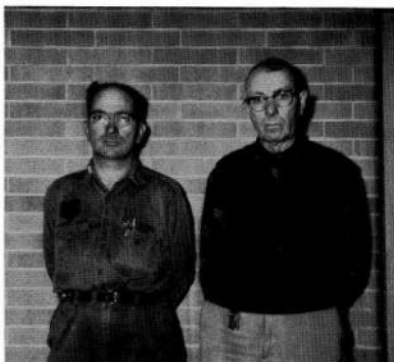
IRENE STACKHOUSE

CAFETERIA WORKERS



From left to right:
GRACE TEN-EYCK
EVADNA STACKHOUSE
LOLA ODSON
MILLIE DOAN

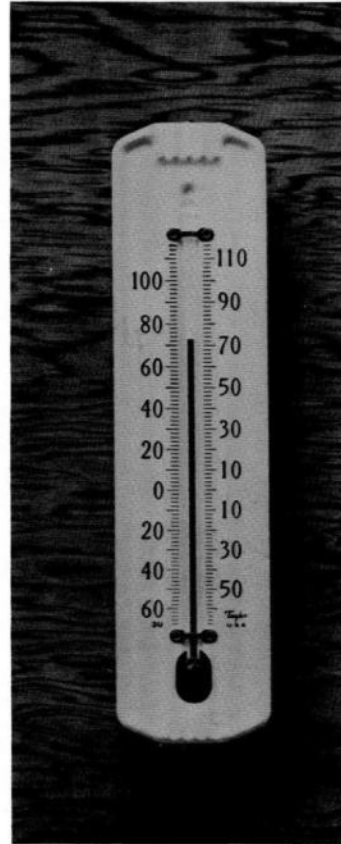
JANITORS



ALVIN ZELLMER

STUART JAMISON





Spring

TRACK

RETURNING LETTERMEN



The returning lettermen for the 1961 Bluejay track season are from left to right, front row: Danny Units, Dale Wheeler, Larry Branan, Larry Neal; back row: Darle Lindell, Bob Strickland, Stanley Archer. Mr. Tom Engelbert is the track coach.

Bluejay Track Schedule

April 1	Tarkio Relays
April 7	Creston Relays
April 14	Clarinda Relays
April 15	Tiger Relays - Griswold
April 21	Mustang Relays
April 25	Conference Freshmen Sophomores at Clarinda
April 28-29	Drake Relays
May 2	Blue Jay Relays
May 9	Conference Meet - Glenwood
May 12	District Track Meet
May 27	State Track Meet

63: Annual Yearbook Bluejay Johanboeke, Micheal Sullivan, Louis Moser, L.A. Bishop, Alan Burton, Evelyn Barker, Karen Ashmore, Dorothy Burton, Elaine Carlson, Nancy King, Terry Magnuson, Janis Moser, Linda Peterson, Carl M. Robinson, Judy Sullivan, Suzy Crouse, Jim Marvick, Jeanette Weiner, Howard

"TOO POOPED TO POP"



Exhausted after a hard day's work are the members of the staff with their sponsor for the first part of the year, Mr. Micheal M. Johanboeke.

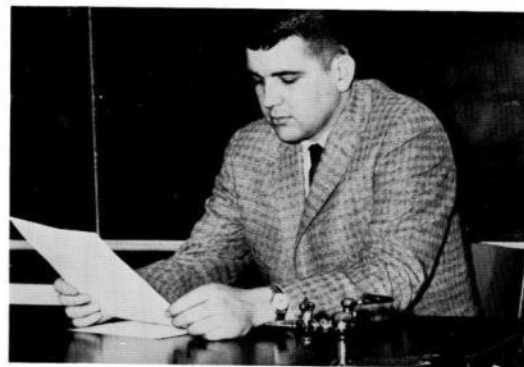
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Woltz Studios, Inc., Des Moines
and especially to Inter-Collegiate
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Evelyn Burton - Michael Veak
(Co-editors)
Karen Barker
(Business Manager)
Dorothy Ashmore
Elaine Burton
Nancy Carlson
Terry King
Janis Magnuson
Linda Moser
Carl Peterson
Judy Robinson
Suzy Sullivan
Jim Crouse
Jeanette Marvick
Howard Weiner



Mr. Alan Bishop joined the annual staff as sponsor before the year was half over.

IF -

If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs, and blaming it on you,
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting, too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,
Or being lied about, don't deal in lies,
Or being hated, don't give way to hating,
And yet don't look too good nor talk too wise;

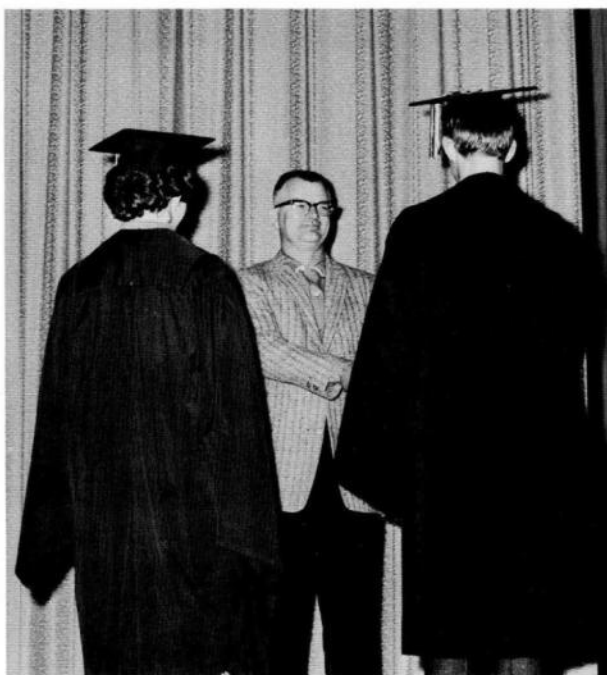
If you can dream and not make dreams your master,
If you can think, and not make thoughts your aim,
If you can meet with triumph and disaster,
And treat those two imposters just the same;
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken,
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools;

If you can make one heap of all your winnings,
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,
And lose, and start again at your beginnings,
And never breathe a word about your loss;
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Except the will which says to them: "Hold on!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,
Or walk with kings-- nor lose the common touch,
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,
If all men count with you, but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,
Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it,
And--which is more--you'll be a Man, my Son!"

By Rudyard Kipling

GRADUATION



Fifty-two seniors took part in the Commencement exercises held on Thursday evening, May 25, 1961. The speaker was Dr. Millard G. Roberts, President of Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa.

Superintendent, Louis Sullivan presented the graduating class; and Mrs. Ruth Pogue, President of the Board of Education, awarded the diplomas.

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday May 21, 1961. Rev. Paul C. Ellis of Villisca gave the sermon.

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