

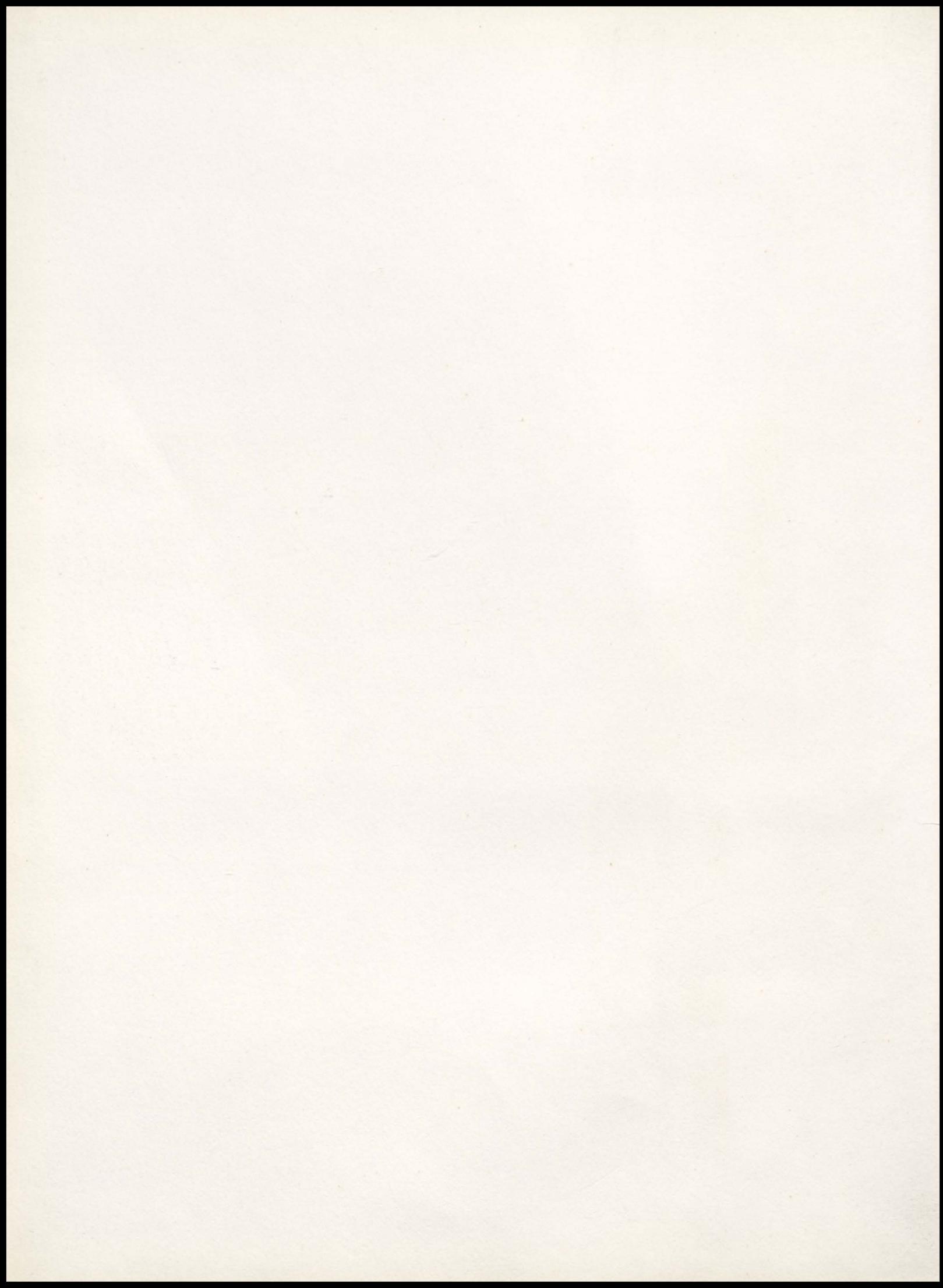


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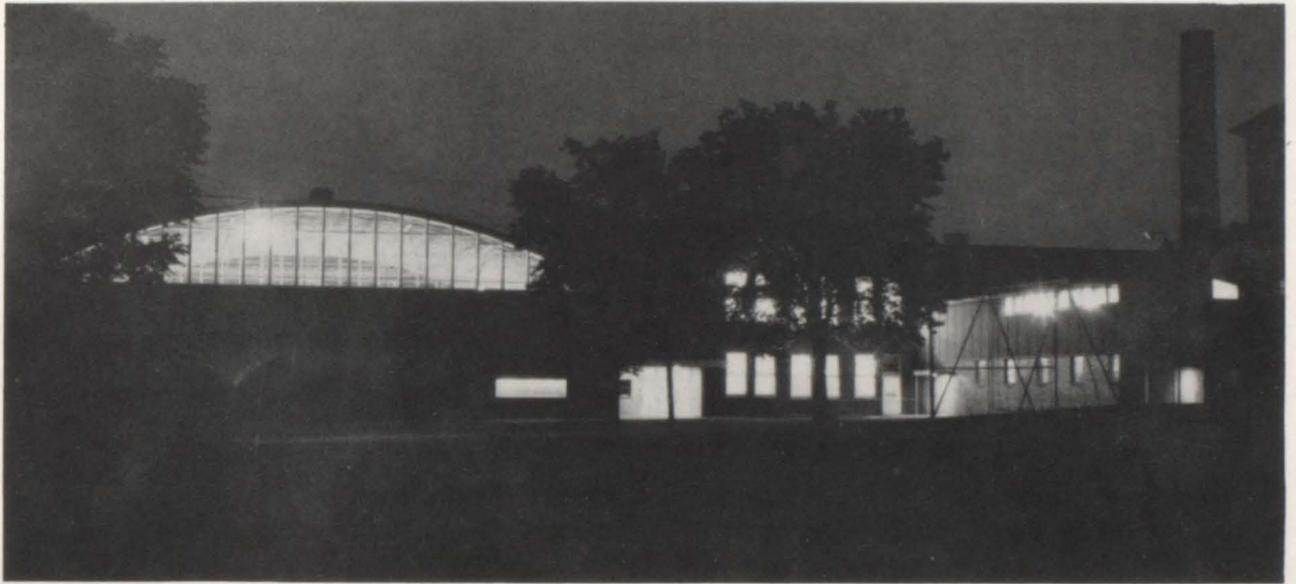




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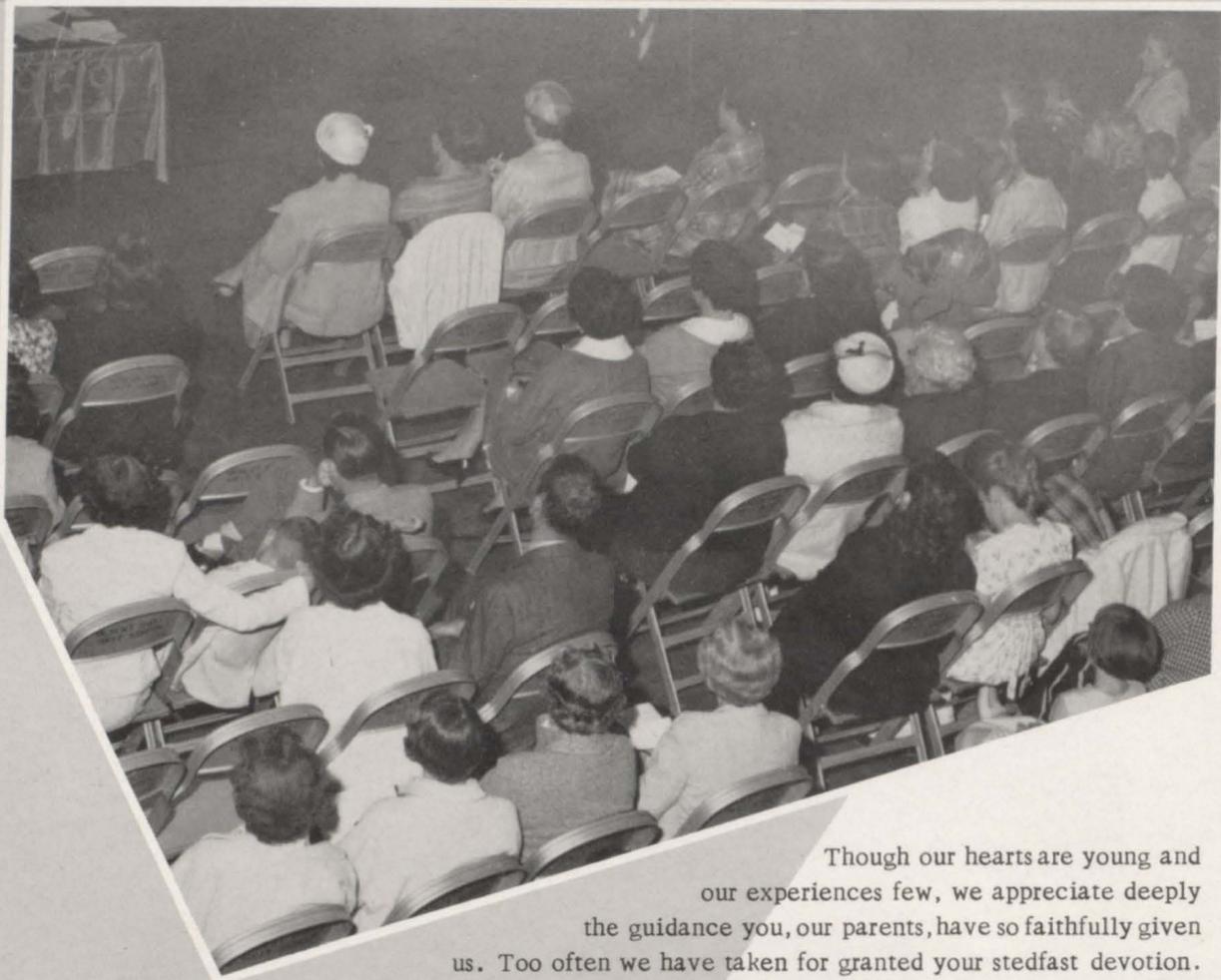
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# Dedication



Though our hearts are young and our experiences few, we appreciate deeply the guidance you, our parents, have so faithfully given us. Too often we have taken for granted your steadfast devotion. It is with sincere gratitude that we dedicate our book to you.

# Foreword

We, the Senior Class, who are about to depart as graduates of 1959, have enjoyed the good times, classes, and the association with many friends in our life at B. H. S. We sincerely hope that these pages of our BIM will keep alive forever the many memorable events of the past school year.

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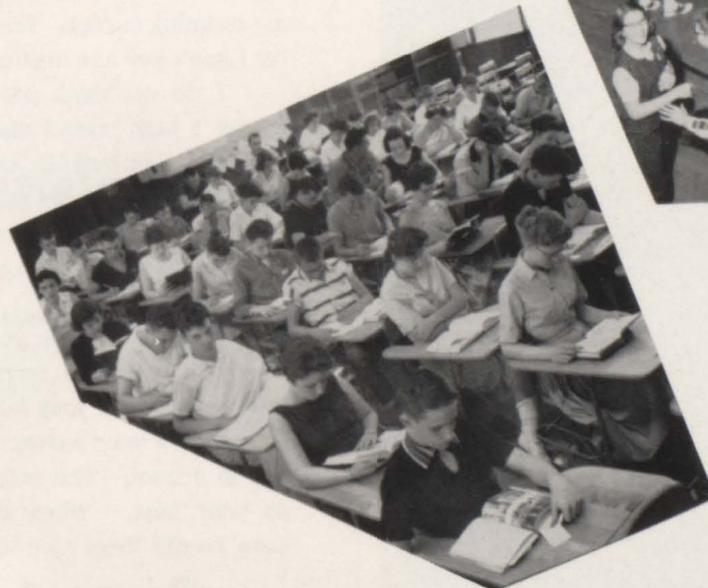
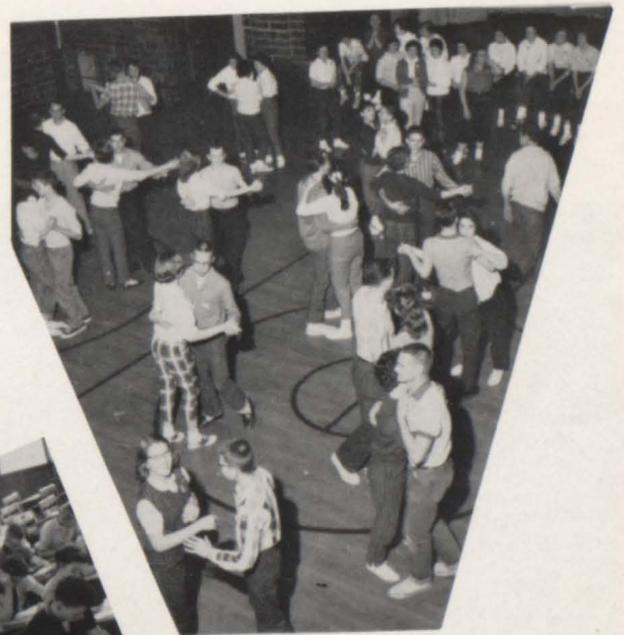
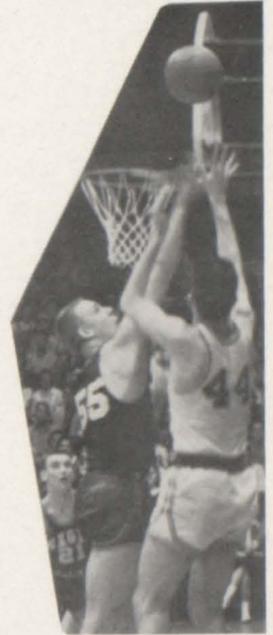
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# Efficient Administration

## Superintendent

TO THE SENIORS

Twelve years have slipped quickly by and with them a large part of your book of life has been lived. In these years, the foundation for your future building has been laid. We trust that this building will have the necessary physical, mental, moral and economic materials for a happy home.

Our friends become dearer to us as we realize that we must part. We then realize the great truth in a quotation from Longfellow. "We may build more splendid habitations, fill our rooms with paintings and sculpture, but we cannot buy with gold the old associations."

It has been my privilege to be your superintendent, counselor, and friend for the past eleven years. A part of me will graduate with you on May 29.

As we go through life, each day brings new ideas, something entirely different and interesting to live for, and a new chapter to look forward to.

My best wishes to you, always.



*Walter Slater*

## Principal

TO THE STUDENT BODY

I have learned to know our student body quite well. You are one of the finest groups of students with whom I have had the pleasure of working in my teaching career. Yes, we have our ups and downs, but I know you are making great progress.

I do not think you should select the easy way to get a high school diploma. You should limit the time spent in outside activities. You must take the courses that you are capable of carrying. You must acquire an educational foundation that will stand under future living. Our most prized possession in America is human resources.

Besides being a good citizen, you must remain strong morally and spiritually, be tolerant, and love your country and your fellowmen.

I know your parents have sacrificed much to keep you in school. The only pay they want is for you to do your best. When that has been done, you will have repaid them tenfold. Keep up the good work.

*J. E. Hargrave*



## Fosters Good Education



### Board of Education

Mr. Howard Lamb, Mr. Ralph Moery, Jr., Mr. A.E. Bodman, President; Mr. Clarence Lefever, Secretary; Dr. W.H. Cooper; Mr. Albert Harshbarger. NOT PICTURED: Mr. Russell Rodgers.

### Secretary

Mrs. Miller, who efficiently performs her office duties, has gained much respect and many friends as she cheerfully helps out with problems beyond the call of secretary.



# Music Stimulates Cultural Appreciation

MR. JOSEPH BEARDEN is busy getting out some new music for the afternoon band session. If Mr. Bearden is not directing either the High School or Grade School bands or working with small music groups, he may be found in the darkroom as the adviser of the Kamera Klub.

The mixed chorus brings forth harmony during their practice period.



During a sixth hour band rehearsal, the band plays on under the direction of Mr. Bearden.

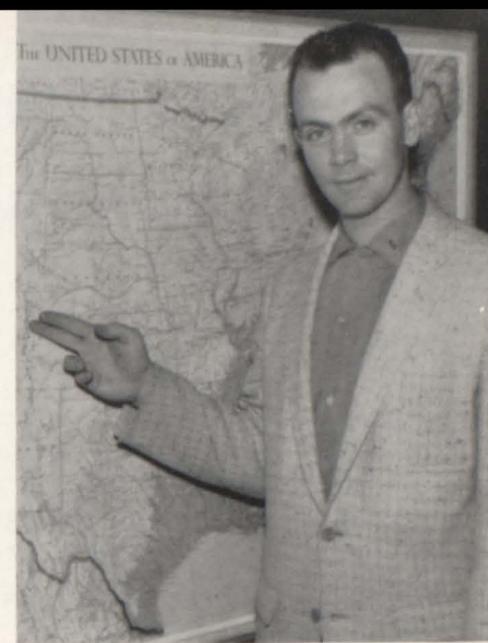


Mixed chorus, girls' and boys' choruses, the sextet, and the vocal contestants are directed by MISS CHARLOTTE GLENN, whom we see here seated at the new piano in the vocal department. Miss Glenn also teaches vocal music in the grade school.



# Social Sciences Prepare Citizens Of The World

MR. GENE WARD, who teaches American history and world geography, points out a place on the map to one of his classes. Mr. Ward is frequently found in sports clothes, too, as he is head football and baseball coach, assistant basketball coach, the boys' physical education teacher, and adviser to the "B" Club.



An interested American problems class looks on as Jim Cooper illustrates a point in his semester report.



This American history class seems to be diligently studying for something. Possibly a test?



MR. JAMES E. HARGRAVE quotes a statistic from the monthly, BUSINESS CONDITIONS, to one of his American problems classes. Mr. Hargrave is also the adviser to the Student Council.

# Languages Teach Us Self Expression

MRS. VIRGINIA DARE, Latin I and II teacher, waits to hear the English translation of the Latin word as she drills two of her students, Bob Burton and Joe Wiest, on Latin vocabulary. Mrs. Dare is also the adviser of the Latin Club.



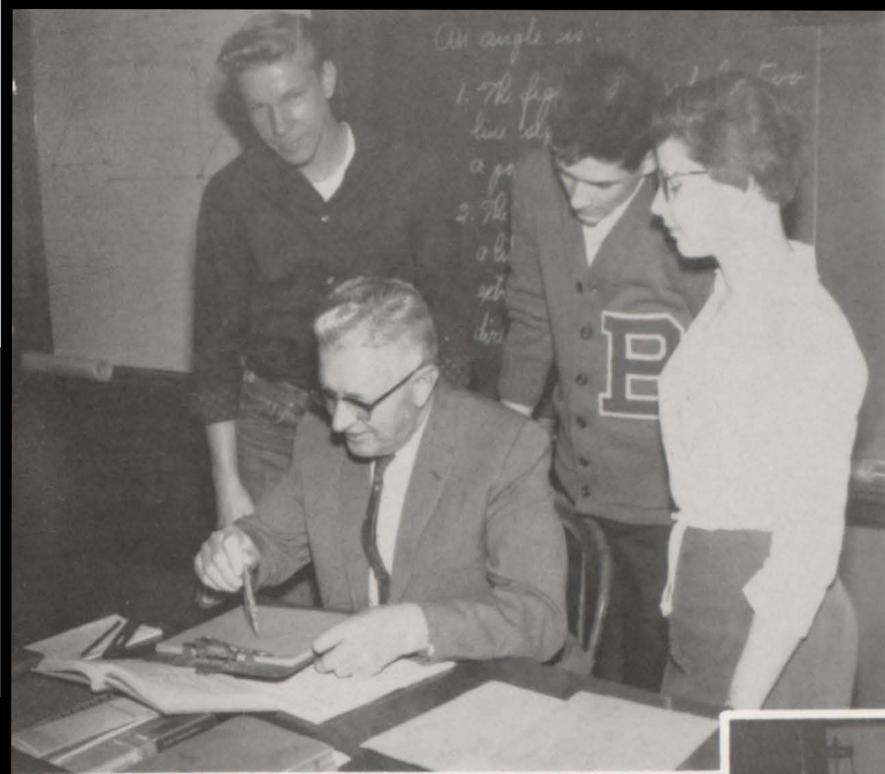
MISS JACQUELINE STEWART points out to Danny Doran, Carolyn Carlin, and Linda Larimore the correct way to diagram a sentence. Besides teaching English I and II, Miss Stewart advises the New Staff and the Junior Class.

In English IV MISS ISABELLE HOUSTON advises Betty Morris about the fundamentals of voice recording as Ray Pruitt and Larry Taylor watch the progress. Being librarian, teaching English III and IV, advising the Senior class and the Annual Staff, and directing the senior play constitute Miss Houston's busy schedule.

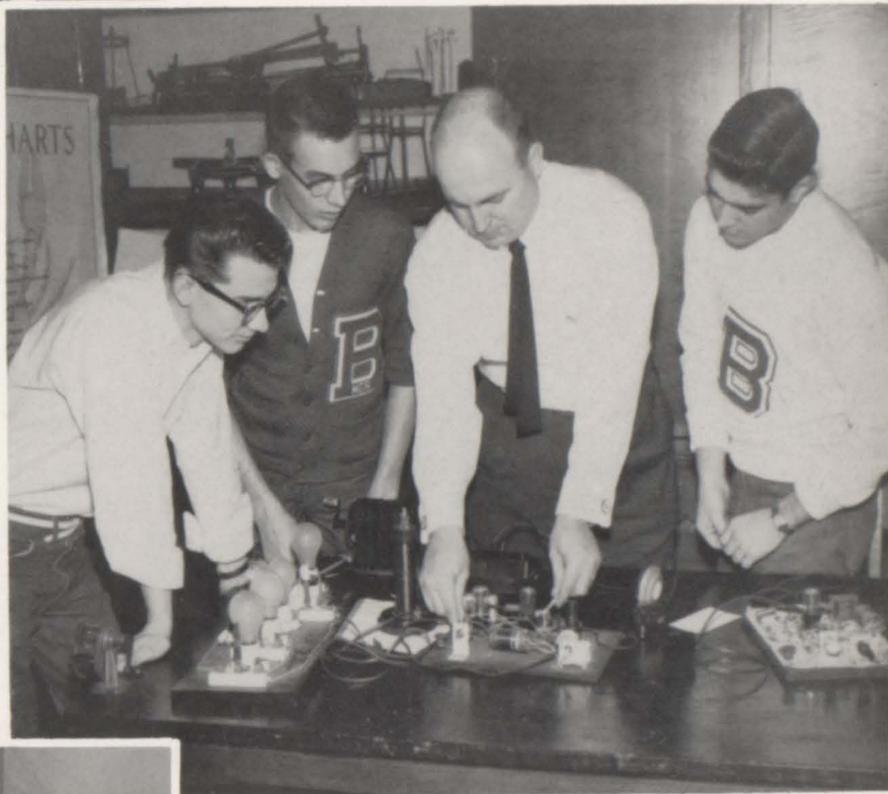


## Math And Science Develop Keen Minds

With compass in hand, MR. H. E. SLUSSER sets out to explain a geometry problem that is puzzling John Clements, Tony Strohl, and Juanita Danenhower. In addition to teaching math classes, which include algebra, plane geometry, and solid geometry and trigonometry, Mr. Slusser is a Freshman class adviser.



Physics teacher, MR. RICHARD MILLS, is explaining to Bob Morris, Richard Harper and Bud Shonkwiler a complicated looking set up. Mr. Mills also teaches a geometry class and general science, supervises noon hour activities, advises the Sophomore class, coaches track and assists in coaching football.



MR. THOMAS HENSLEY carefully does a titration experiment for his interested group of chemists. Looking on are Joe Wiest, Danny Thornton, Carol Allen, Carolyn Brady and Hughie Doran. Mr. Hensley teaches chemistry and biology and he is adviser to the Junior class and the Future Scientists of America.

## We Acquire Skills

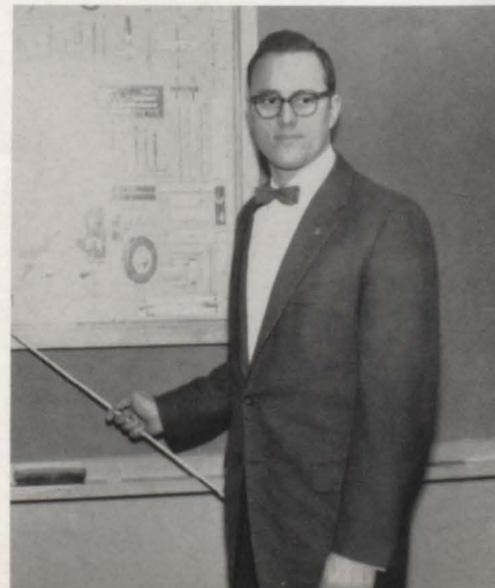
MRS. CHARLOTTE RAINEY is busy at one of her daily tasks in preparation for her teaching the home economics classes. Mrs. Rainey is also the adviser to the Future Homemakers of America and to the Junior class.

Industrial arts boys certainly are busy as they work on their projects with the use of various small tools.



These girls all seem to be enjoying their work as they sew on their various projects in their home economics class.

Here we see MR. JAMES GIACOMA explaining the use of a small tool to his industrial arts boys. In addition to teaching industrial arts, Mr. Giacoma is also an adviser to the Junior class.



## In Vocational Courses

MRS. EDNA HAMMOND pauses for a picture while she works busily on one of the many machines in the Commercial Department. Along with teaching business education, Mrs. Hammond advises the Sophomore class.



These junior agriculture boys look over the hogs closely as they tryout for the fatstock judging teams.



The bookkeeping class is keenly interested in an electronic poster as Mr. Hardiman explains its use at the State Bank of Bement.



MR. RICHARD WOODARD is showing his agriculture boys the basic fundamentals of grain judging. Mr. Woodard not only teaches all the vocational agriculture classes but one of the biology classes as well. He is adviser to the Future Farmers of America and co-adviser of the Senior Class.

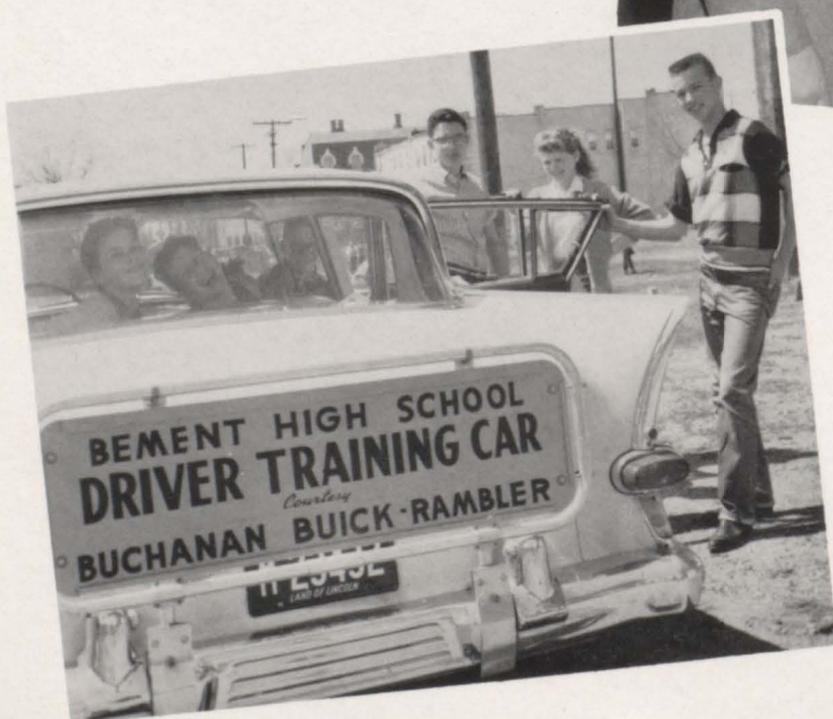


Girls are limbering up to the tune of a tom-tom as MRS. MARY ANN DUNSCOMB instructs one of her girls' P.E. classes in modern dance. Besides teaching all girls' physical education classes, Mrs. Dunscomb advises the Freshman class and the Girls Athletic Association.

**School Builds  
Strong Bodies And  
Alert Minds**



MR. ALEX TAKACS is demonstrating the correct use of the microscopic projector to David Fay, Eugene Carpenter, and Julia Thornton, members of his biology class. Mr. Takacs is head basketball and track coach. He also experiences a few exciting moments as he instructs his students in driver education.



## From Day To Day At B.H.S.



The first all school party began the social whirl at B.H.S. This party, given by the 1958 Bim Staff, was for the purpose of getting acquainted with the freshmen and distributing the '58 Annual.



A concert by the I. S. N. U. Band (pictured above), a chemistry demonstration, and a program of piano music were the assembly programs throughout the year enjoyed by the student body.



Nature's mistake, this two-headed pig, aroused a great deal of interest and comment when brought to the school by a local farmer.



On January 21, the countryside was practically paralyzed by the worst ice storm in many years. Although the storm transformed things into a fairyland, it also did a lot of damage and caused school to be closed for a day. On their return to school, these hardy students were not deterred by the lack of electricity, but "roughed it" and ate lunch by candlelight.



## What's Cooking?

When the twelve o'clock bell rings, hungry students rush to the cafeteria where a nourishing hot lunch has been planned and prepared by Miss Mary Fern Clodfelter (dietician), Mrs. Bertha Olinger, Mrs. Ola Still, Mrs. Kathryn Rucker, Mrs. Hazel Liestman, and Mrs. Ruchiel Born.



## Keep it Clean

Each day as soon as school is out, we see Mr. Lloyd "Bunker" Hill, superintendent of maintenance, sweeping the study hall.

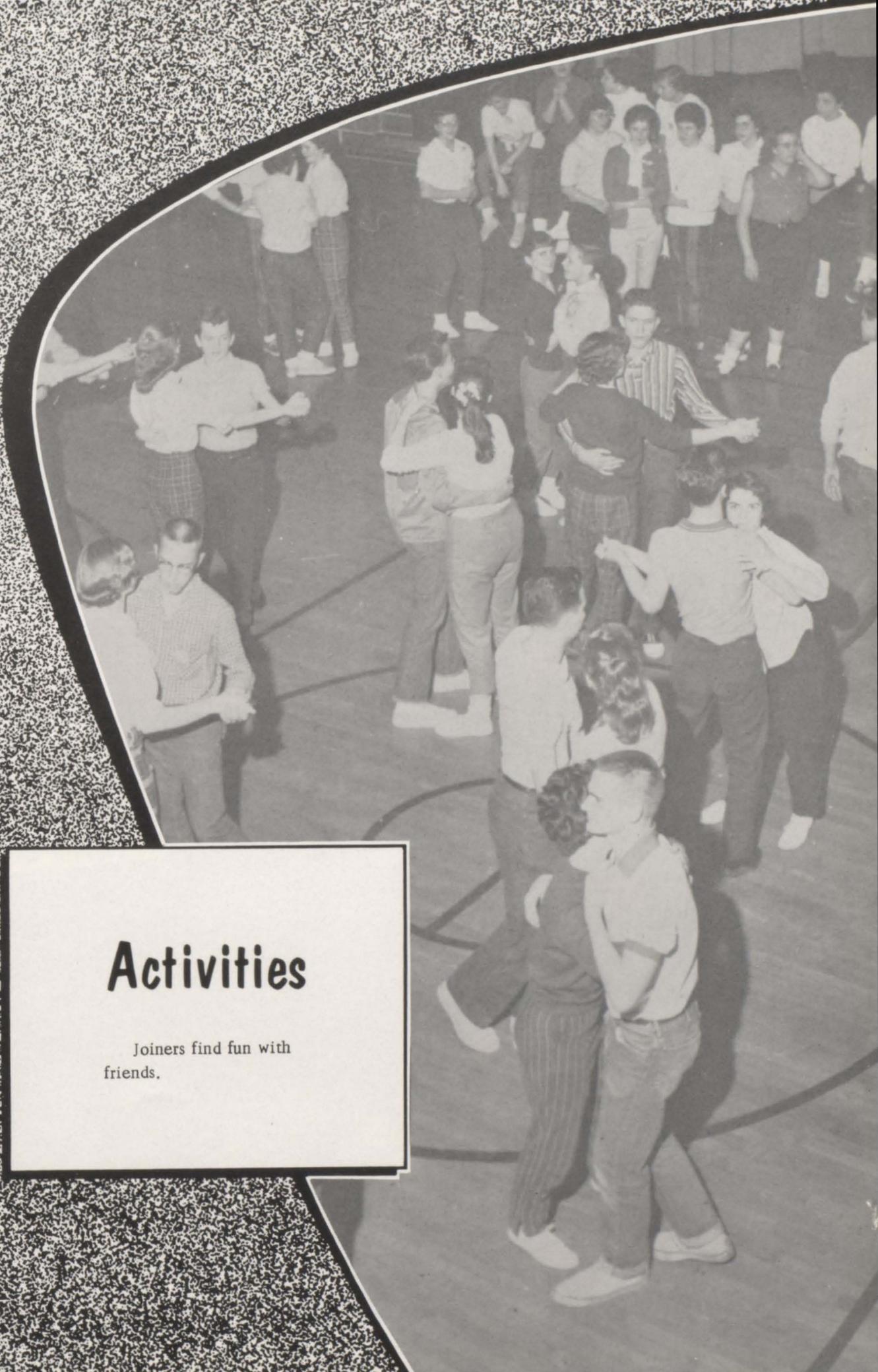
Our night janitor, Mr. Herbert Helm, assists in keeping the building clean and is always on hand to close up after evening activities.

As a result of the work of these men, we are fortunate in having a clean, comfortable building in which to work.

## They Keep 'em Rolling

Our rural students are transported to and from school by seven busses owned by Mr. Lynn Crook. The drivers of these busses are Mr. Ira Woolridge, Mr. Frank Byron, Mr. Clarence Janes, Mr. Hugh Phillips, Mr. Ralph Wright, Mr. Mr. Dale Clow, and Mr. Lynn Crook.





# Activities

Joiners find fun with friends.

# Homecoming On An

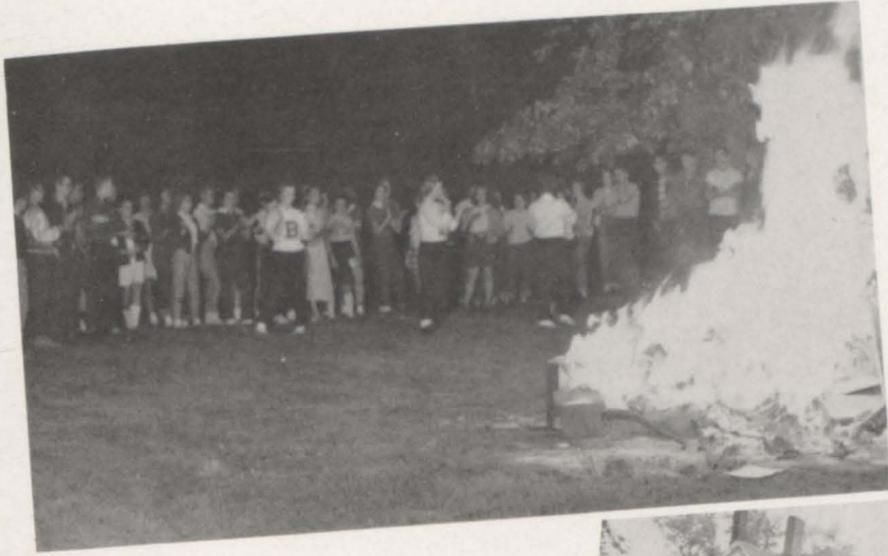


Bill Rodgers, Pat Scott, Mike Harshbarger, Martha Hinton, Bob Morris, Gregory Syfert, Queen Peggy Westray, Lou Ann Dare, Debbie Romack, Don Livingston, Penny Pope, Ann Wilkinson, Bud Shonkwiler.

After the crowning moment, Queen Peg and her court led the way to the Enchanted Island (small gym) where everyone enjoyed dancing to the music of Paul Douglas' Orchestra. At the stroke of twelve, the homecomers were whisked away from the enchantment of the Island back to reality, and the 1959 Homecoming was over.



# Enchanted Island



Excitement prevailed Thursday evening as Homecoming activities were touched off by the shouts of hopeful fans gathered around the bonfire at the football field. From here students "snake danced" their way through the streets of Bement while spirits soared and voices grew hoarse.

Homecoming enthusiasm mounted Friday afternoon when the band and twirlers led the Homecoming parade. Following the band was the float representing an enchanted island occupied by the five queen candidates. Next came the players and the cheering students.



Elated Bulldog fans were well rewarded by the action packed game with Arthur. The final 26-0 score was proclaimed by the victory shouts of the Bement spectators.



During the halftime of the game, the band marched smartly down the east side of the football field and stood at attention. All eyes turned toward the center of the arch formed by the band instruments. Then slowly, amid cheers, an Enchanted Island moved through the arch. Under a palm tree sat five beaming queen candidates: Pat Scott, Ann Wilkinson, Penny Pope, Peggy Westray and Martha Hinton.



# Juniors Entertain Seniors



The juniors were hosts to the seniors and the faculty on April 25. They spent many hours decorating and getting ready for the big event.

When the exciting evening arrived, the guests were ushered into the Oriental Gardens. This was a lovely setting for a lovely evening. A false ceiling and Japanese decorations transformed the gymnasium into an enchanting scene. A tiny but beautiful garden with a cherry tree in bloom beside a quaint bridge occupied the middle of the floor. China figurines decorated the tables and the guests were allowed to keep them as souvenirs.

The girls in their beautiful formals danced with their handsome escorts to the music of The Frenchmen. Time out was taken from the dancing for picture taking and conversation.

The guests, who were free to eat at any time, enjoyed the delicious menu consisting of hors d'oeuvres, ham, chicken salad, fruit salad, potato chips, sandwiches, cookies and punch.

The juniors' mothers, dressed in colorful Oriental costumes, did the serving. Fortune cookies, which contained predictions for the future, delighted the guests.

When eleven o'clock came, everyone agreed that it had been a memorable prom.



# At The Oriental Gardens



Here we see some of the guests waiting for refreshments. The attractive table, the picturesque Japanese servers, and the delicious food made eating a pleasure.

Whether eating or relaxing, the pleasant atmosphere prompted conversation, and the decorations and dresses were discussed and admired.



Faculty members and students alike enjoyed dancing to the soft, romantic music.

# The Senior Class Presents . . .

## "Ghost Wanted"

### CAST

Don Livingston . . . . .	Hugo Bromley
Larry Musick . . . . .	Jeffrey Hall
Betty Morris . . . . .	Troddy
Penny Pope . . . . .	Ginger Stormgay
Peggy Westray . . . . .	Gale Stormgay
Ray Pruitt . . . . .	Hatcher
Pat Scott . . . . .	Granny Kate
Bob Morris . . . . .	Professor de Vallan
Sara Poling . . . . .	Madam Zolga
Carol Allen . . . . .	Azalea
Ann Wilkinson . . . . .	Nora Vane
Bill Fritz . . . . .	Mr. Bradshaw

Our competent managers, Dave Defore and Bill Rodgers, were busy getting the stage ready while the cast practiced diligently.

When not on stage, the cast enjoyed putting their names beside countless others on the back of the scenery.

Getting made up for the real performance brought thrills and chills as curtain time drew near. Excitement reigned when someone called, "The show is on!"





At last the monster is identified and the mystery is solved through some clever detective work on Jeff's part, but Hugo, wearing the monster's disguise, has to help trap the villain. Everyone looks amazed as Mr. Bradshaw takes care of Hatcher.

Granny Kate is unaware of her danger as the monster tries to grab her. Troddy, thinking Hugo is the monster, is also unconcerned.



The professor startles the guests at Ramshead Rock, while Madam Zolga, his strange assistant, stares unseeingly at common mortals.



Jeff looks amused when Hugo applies for the position of hired ghost and demonstrates his talent. His act is apparently convincing, judging from the look on Gale's face.

# The Student Council Represents



STANDING: Mike Harshbarger, President. FIRST ROW: Kathie Stoerger, Julia Thornton, Nancy Livingston, Martha Hinton, Penny Pope, Don Livingston. SECOND ROW: Linda Bolsen, Bill Morris, Hughie Doran, Linda LeCrone, Peggy Body, Mr. Hargrave, Adviser.



Party goers enjoy a relay at an all school party sponsored by the student council.

The council was also in charge of the coke dances following football and basketball games and of the homecoming festivities.

# The Student Body



Some student council members decorate a Christmas tree which added to the atmosphere of the holiday season.



Working on a rotating schedule, the council members take turns patrolling the fast moving lunch line as hungry students rush to the cafeteria.

At the Christmas party, talented members of the council entertained everyone with skits, pantomime, singing and advertisements. Dancing and refreshments followed the program.

The highlight of the afternoon was when jovial Santa appeared on the scene to chat with the students and the faculty.

Hungry picnickers make away with heaping plates of appetizing food at the all-school picnic on June 1. Students enjoyed their leisure time by playing softball, volleyball, badminton, tennis or by just plain loafing and talking. Arrangements for this closing event of the year were taken care of by the student council.





## The Bim Staff

### Captures Life At B. H. S.

SEATED: Scott, Bob Morris, Layout Editors; Betty Morris, Westray, Typists; Miss Houston, Adviser; Pruitt, Pope, Business Managers; Slater, Assistant Editor. STANDING: Livingston, Rodgers, Copywriters; Hinton, Brady, Typists; Jones, Freshman Editor; Sunny Strohl, Sophomore Editor; McCollum, Junior Editor; Doran, Harper, Siders, Photographers; Wilkinson, Editor. NOT PICTURED: Mary Cody, Sara Poling, Copywriters.

To begin our edition of BIM, the adviser, editor, and assistant editor held conferences to discuss the general composition of the book. Many hours were spent planning these pages.

Next our photographers began to snap pictures. The underclass editors prepared the underclass pictures. Copywriters wrote and rewrote until their best was achieved. Typists were given copy in final form to complete the layout notes. Our business managers promoted the sale of our book.

Together we are one. Proudly we present the BIM to you.

# Librarians

## Serve Us Well

The student librarians are volunteer helpers who give their time to keep the library functioning. The officers of the club are Sara Poling, President, (not pictured); Kathie Stoerger, Vice-President; Linda LeCrone, Secretary.

Checking the shelves is important and Sandy Mardis and Judith Larck are competently doing their job. Linda Bolsen, Charlotte Varner, and Phyllis Miles are willing helpers.

Here Sharon Gorrell and Penny Pope are repairing books while Linda Stine is straightening the card file. Rita Stoerger is busily typing cards for new books.

A very popular item in the library is the newspaper. Miss Houston, librarian, is glancing over the headlines as she prepares to replace the old paper. Donna Steidinger is using the card catalog to find reference material. Kathie Stoerger is checking out a book for Linda LeCrone, as the camera catches them.

Bulletin board displays are a library feature. Here Betty Morris is interested in one of the books belonging to the attractive display that Pat Scott is putting up. The latest issues of the magazines are being put in place by Carolyn Stine and Carol Allen.



# Future Homemakers

## Look Toward New Horizons

OFFICERS--FIRST ROW: Mrs. Rainey, Adviser; Peg Westray, President; Sue Ater, Vice-President; Peggy Body, Secretary; Pat Scott, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Linda Bolsen, Historian; Sunny Strohl, Public Relation; Rhonda Morris, Parliamentarian; Phyllis Miles, Song Leader; Patty Fritz, Degree Chairman.



Peg Westray and Sue Ater help Mrs. Beverly Whitsitt, adviser, sack up some cookies at the F.H.A. bake sale held on October 25 at Burgin Brothers' Department Store. Early in the semester, Mrs. Whitsitt left for the full time job of homemaker, and Mrs. Rainey took her place.

The formal initiation of the new F.H.A. members took place on the evening of January 29 with mothers as guests. The girls initiated were Kay Fogerson, Frances Redman, Sharon Brittenham, Rose Eades, Karen Hall, Nancy Hillard, Judy Hendrix, Carolyn Stine, and Gretchen Vandercreek.





FIRST ROW: Gorrell, Hall, P. Brady, Redman, Huxhold, Pope, Davis. SECOND ROW: Knowles, Eades, Weaver, Martha Hinton, LeCroné, Hill, Vandercreek, Pruitt, Allen. THIRD ROW: Mardis, Brittenham, Fairbanks, Fogerson, Sally Noe, Dobson, Livingston, Stine, Danenhower. FOURTH ROW: Hendrix, Sandy Strohl, Betty Morris, Horn, Gadbury, C. Brady, Larck, Fay, Alexander, Janes. FIFTH ROW: Varner, Dick, Dobson, Wilcox, N. Hillard, Marian Hinton, J. Hillard, Wilkinson, Stoerger, Larimore. NOT PICTURED: Mary Cody, Nancy Noe.



At eight o'clock on April 16, an audience tuned in on the F.H.A. style show, "Teenagers on Parade." F.H.A. girls stepped through the television screen to model their fashions before the audience.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Sue Ater, Vivian Alexander, Juanita Danenhower, Marian Hinton and Charlotte Varner.



FIRST ROW: R. Pruitt, Musick, B. Morris, Livingston, Ard, Scott, Mr. Woodard, Adviser. SECOND ROW: Halterman, D. Pruitt, Hill, R. Zindars, Moxley, Larimore, Jamison. THIRD ROW: McCullough, Burton, Lash, Thornton, Cody, J. Morris, Daugherty, McCollum, A. Zindars. NOT PICTURED: Keith Bolsen.

## F.F.A. Leads The Way To Better Farming

Members of the court, Peg Westray, Charlotte Varner, and Penny Pope, and officers Ray Pruitt, Harold Ard, and Larry Musick are all happy for Martha Hinton as Don Livingston crowns her 1959 F.F.A. Sweetheart.

At the annual F.F.A. Parent and Son Banquet, the guests enjoyed a delicious meal prepared by the boys themselves. The program which followed featured the presentation of various awards.



# Ag Boys Apply Their Skill



DON LIVINGSTON  
Chapter Star Farmer  
Sectional 16 Star Farmer  
State Farmer

LAND JUDGING TEAM - FIRST ROW:  
Musick, Pruitt, Livingston. SECOND  
ROW: Ard, Cody.

DAIRY JUDGING TEAM - SEATED:  
Moxley, Morris. STANDING: Musick,  
Ard, Thornton.



FATSTOCK JUDGING TEAM - KNEEL-  
ING: Burton, Livingston, Pruitt.  
STANDING: Halterman, R. Zindars,  
Bolsen.

GRAIN JUDGING TEAM - Larimore, D.  
Pruitt, Zindars, J. Morris. NOT PIC-  
TURED: Junior Hill.

## Shutter Flippers Get In The View



SEATED: Mr. Bearden, Adviser; Richard Harper, Julia Thornton, Jim Cooper, President. STANDING: Steve Siders, Jim Musick. NOT PICTURED: Ab Harshbarger, Vice-President; Hughie Doran, Secretary-Treasurer, Don Livingston, Danny Doran.

Throughout the year, the Kamera Klub viewed training slides and movies, made special studies of close-up and action photography, exhibited the winning pictures of the National High School Photographic Contest, and took pictures at the Junior-Senior Prom. The club also took the picture for their page in the yearbook.



SEATED: Walsh, Siders, Director. STANDING: Mr. Hensley, Adviser; Slater, Jeffers, Still, Driscoll, Harshbarger, Thornton, Weist, R. Harper, Ball, Barnett, Assessor; B. Harper, Public Relations Officer.

## Future Scientists Fuse Fission And Fun

The Future Scientists, advised by Mr. Hensley, met several times this year. In their meetings they discussed interesting new, scientific discoveries. Each member was required to have and to report on a project of his own. Some of the projects were electro-plating, plant growing, and pyrometry. One meeting found the club members viewing a film strip on space travel and the moon.

At the right, four members of the Science Club are looking at the three types of pyrometry (measurement of high temperatures). It was in this field of ceramics that several students had their projects.



# GAA Girls Find Group



FIRST ROW: Mardis, Jones, Huxhold, Pope, President; Mrs. Dunscomb, Adviser; Martha Hinton, Vice-President; Wilkinson, Secretary-Treasurer; V. Livingston, Knowles, N. Livingston. SECOND ROW: Hargrave, Dobson, Ater, Glennon, Fay, Varner, Marian Hinton, Wilcox, Larimore, Brittenham, Thornton, Bolsen, Hendrix, Eades.

Selling fruitcakes proved to be a successful money making project for the G.A.A. this year. Below you see some of the girls receiving their ordered fruitcakes from Mrs. Dunscomb.



On May 13, G.A.A. hostesses greeted the "B" Club members and the freshman award winners at the Hawaiian Luau by saying, "Aloha, Kakookomo Mai" ("Enter, you are welcome.") Refreshments, games and the coronation of G.A.A. Queen, Kay Huxhold, were the events of the evening.



# Activity Healthy And Fun

The G. A. A. met every Tuesday evening after school. The girls enjoyed such activities as volleyball, basketball, softball, badminton, dancing and hiking.



Competition stayed keen as the girls participated in a basket-shooting contest, and in bowling and badminton tournaments.



A big event of the year occurred when the Bement G. A. A. acted as host to nearly three hundred girls from the surrounding area at a Modern Dance workshop on November 8.

An active season ended with a hamburger fry at the park.



# Latin Club Celebrates 30TH



FIRST ROW: Pope, Depew, Peterson, Jami-son, Hinton, Jones, Spearman. SECOND ROW: Livingston, LeCrone, Glennon, Tem-pel, Morris, Musick, Doran, Doolen, Stoer-ger, Steidinger. THIRD ROW: Varner, P. Scott, Wilkinson, Carlin, Dobson, Jones, Slater, Fay, Horn, FOURTH ROW: Hillard, J. Walsh, D. Rodgers, Burton, B. Rodgers, Harshbarger, J. Scott, Tracy, E. Walsh, McCollum. NOT PICTURED: Sara Poling.

OFFICERS--Barnett, president; Ball, vice-president; Mrs. Dare, adviser; Hargrave, secretary-treasurer; Doran, program chair-man.



# Anniversary At A Roman Banquet



Initiate Nancy Livingston crowns her mother, Mrs. Blake Livingston, who was a charter member of the Latin Club. Linda Peterson helps arrange her toga.



Charter members of the Latin Club, Mrs. Selby Clark, Mrs. Blake Livingston, Mr. Harry Glynn, Miss Mary Fern Clodfelter, and Mrs. Francis Lonnon, who were honored guests, enjoy their Roman style meal.



Reclining members, Ann Wilkinson, Pat Scott, Penny Pope, Betty Morris, Larry Slater, and Jim Scott, inspect the evening's program.

Between serving duties, Roman slaves, Dick Rodgers, Ed Walsh, Nancy Hargrave, and Nancy Livingston, help themselves to banquet delicacies.



Amused members Kathie Stoerger, Donna Steidinger, Martha Hinton, Mike Harshbarger, and Bill Rodgers await their servants.



Water slave, Betty Jones, rests a moment from her duties.

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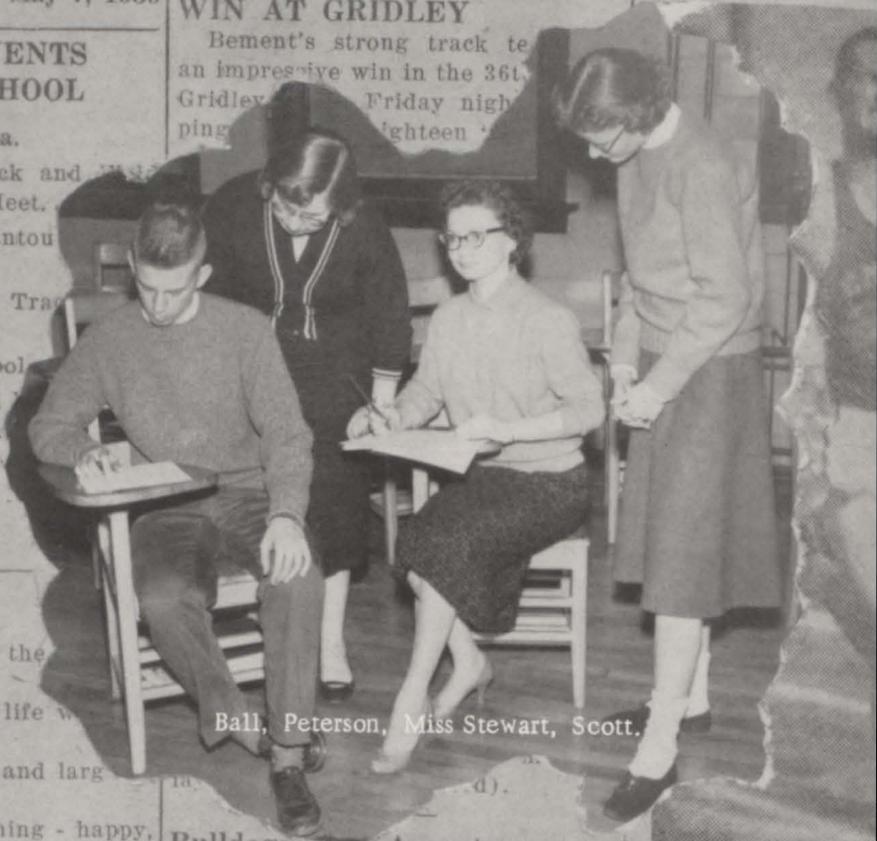
## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS BEMENT UNIT SCHOOL

May 8 — G. S. Operetta.  
 May 9 — District Track and Meet.  
 Meets, G. S. Track Meet.  
 May 12 — Track, Rantoul  
 Soph.  
 May 16 — G. S. State Track  
 G. A. A. Play Day.  
 May 28 — Grade School  
 May 29 — Grade School  
 School Commencement  
 Dale Baughman, speaker  
 June 1 — School out,  
 Picnic.

## BULLDOG TRACKMEN WIN AT GRIDLEY

Bement's strong track team  
 an impressive win in the 36th  
 Gridley, Friday night  
 ping, fifteen

## Winning 440 Ya



Ball, Peterson, Miss Stewart, Scott.

## BEMENT

No great city can know the  
 of Bement.  
 The beauty that makes life  
 living.  
 I can see houses, small and large  
 small, neat lawns.  
 People - friendly - laughing - happy,  
 Small stores with decorated  
 windows.  
 A few cars buzzing down the street,  
 on bicycles,

## Bulldogs Edge Argenta

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FIRST ROW: K. Stoerger, Brady, Wilkinson, Rodgers, M. Harshbarger, Thornton.  
 SECOND ROW: Livingston, Hinton, Lake, Steidinger, LeCrone, Jones, DePew. THIRD  
 ROW: Bolsen, Doolen, D. Doran, Carlin, R. Stoerger, Thornton, Horn, Morris.  
 FOURTH ROW: McCollum, Janes, Harper, Burton, H. Doran, A. Harshbarger, Siders,  
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## Choristers Enjoy Singing

The mixed chorus, under the direction of Miss Glenn, has been most active this year. They gave a Christmas and a Spring Concert, sang at Bacca-laureate, and went to the District Contest held at Clinton. There they received an excellent rating. Receiving excellent ratings were also the boys' and girls' choruses.



LEFT, Top to Bottom: Driscoll, Jeffers, Harper, Siders, Slater, Musick, B. Dobson, Wilcox, Dick, R. Stoerger, Wilkinson. CENTER: Gadbury, Hendrix, Horn, M. Dobson, S. Noe, K. Fogerson, C. Brady, Westray, Miles, Hill, Glennon. RIGHT: Le-Crone, Livingston, Body, P. Brady, Redman, Hargrave, Hinton, Peterson, Jones. FRONT ROW: Miss Glenn, Gorrell, Spearman, Ater, Allen, Weaver, Lamb. NOT PICTURED: Fairbanks, K. Hall, N. Noe, P. Scott, Steidinger, K. Stoerger, Vander-creek, Wimer.

## Instrumentalists Fill

The high school band, under the direction of Mr. Bearden, has performed several times this year. The marching band executed some snappy formations at the football games and the concert band played at the impressive winter and spring concerts. At the District Contest at Clinton the band received a "good" rating.



FIRST ROW: D. Livingston, Wilkinson, Scott, Hall, Martha Hinton. SECOND ROW: D. Steidinger, Peterson, Sunny Strohl, Hargrave, Barnett, Moery, A. Fay. THIRD ROW: G. Gorrell, Speltz, Wall, Slater, Carpenter, V. Livingston, Daugherty, Harper, Harshbarger. DIRECTOR: Mr. J. R. Bearden.

# The Air With Music



FIRST ROW: McCollum, Larimore, Sandy Strohl, K. Fisher, D. Fay. SECOND ROW: S. Gorrell, S. Fisher, Mary Hinton, Marshall, Siders, S. Steidinger, A. Morris. THIRD ROW: Doran, Bowen, B. Morris, Driscoll, Cox, Rittenhouse, Hendrix, Marian Hinton, Glennon. STANDING: Corum, Ball, Stine, Mattingly, N. Livingston.

# Musical Mementos To

SEXTET - Sharon Gorrell, Gretchen Vandercreek, Donna Steidinger, Pat Scott, Phyllis Miles, Linda Peterson. Second in District.



BRASS QUINTET - Bob Morris, Virginia Livingston, Mike Harshbarger, Larry Slater, Randy Driscoll. First in State.



BOYS ENSEMBLE - Gene Jeffers, Steve Siders, Richard Harper, Albert Wimer, Larry Slater, Randy Driscoll, Jim Musick. Second in District.

# Deserving Contestants



INSTRUMENTAL SOLOS - Martha Hinton, Kathi McCollum, Third in District.

CLARINET TRIO - Linda Peterson, Sunny Strohl, Nancy Hargrave, Second in District.



VOCAL SOLOS - SEATED: Sharon Gorrell, Fourth in District; Phyllis Miles, Second in District. STANDING: Linda Peterson, First in State; Gretchen Vandercreek, Third in District; Nancy Noe, Second in District; Randy Driscoll, First in State.

BRASS DUET - Randy Driscoll, Bob Morris, First in State.



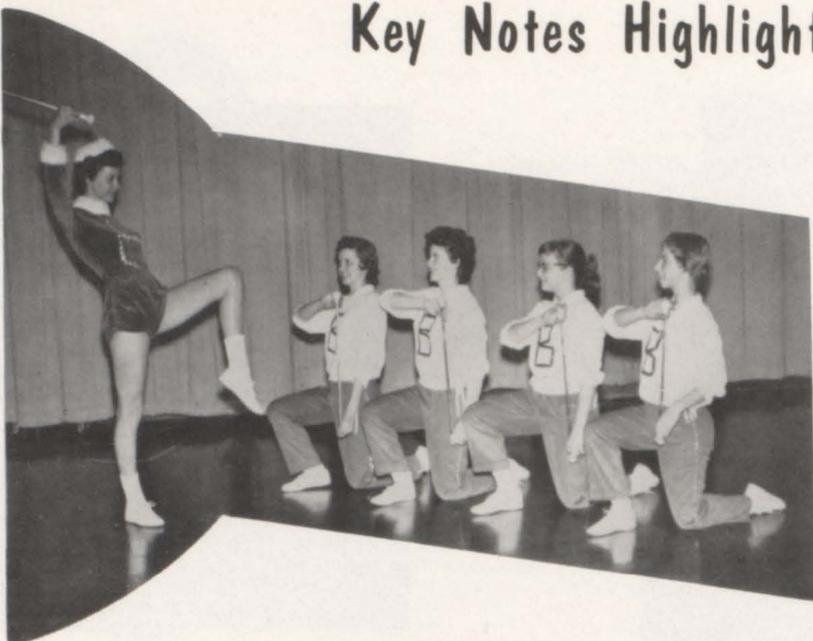
CLARINET QUARTET -- Don Livingston, Ann Wilkinson, Donna Steidinger, Pat Scott, Third in State.



SAXOPHONE TRIO - Alice Fay, Sharon Gorrell, Steve Siders, Second in District.



# Key Notes Highlight The Year



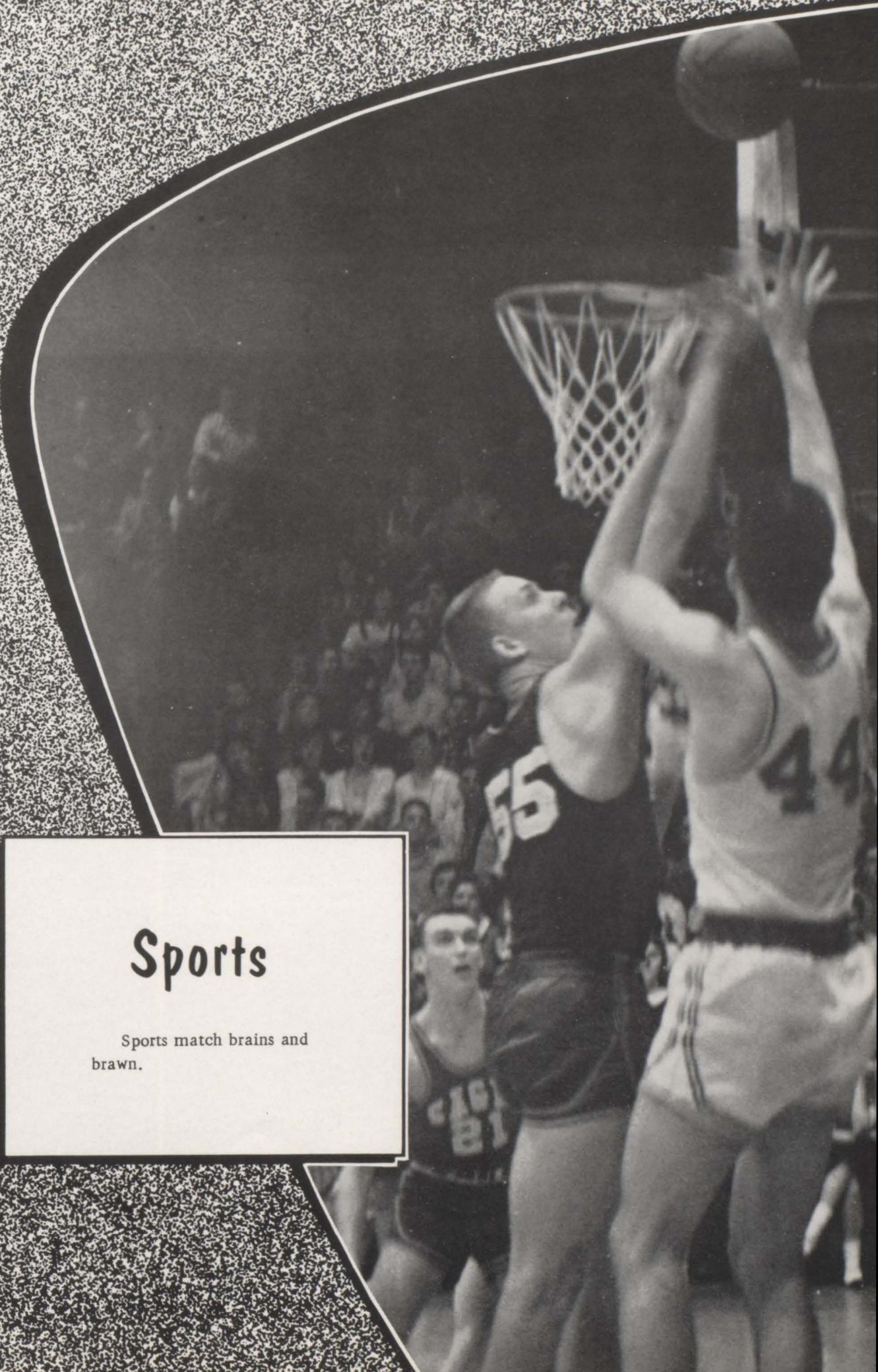
Head Drum Major Kathi McCollum and majorettes Sally Noe, Vivian Alexander, Betty Jones and Frances Redman twirled and high-stepped their way down the football field as they led the marching band through its half-time formations.

The combined efforts of the chorus and bands resulted in impressive and enjoyable Christmas and Spring Concerts.



At the Spring Concert, Mr. Slater presented the Arion Award to this year's outstanding senior musician, Bob Morris. Although last year's winner, Alice Moore, could not be here to present the award, she sent a letter which Mr. Slater read.

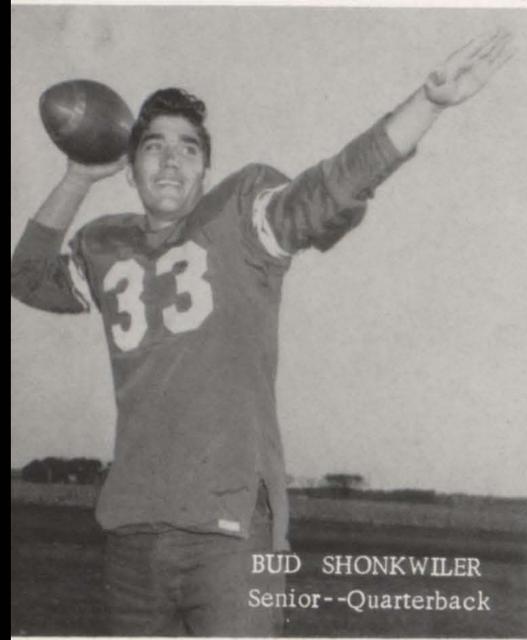




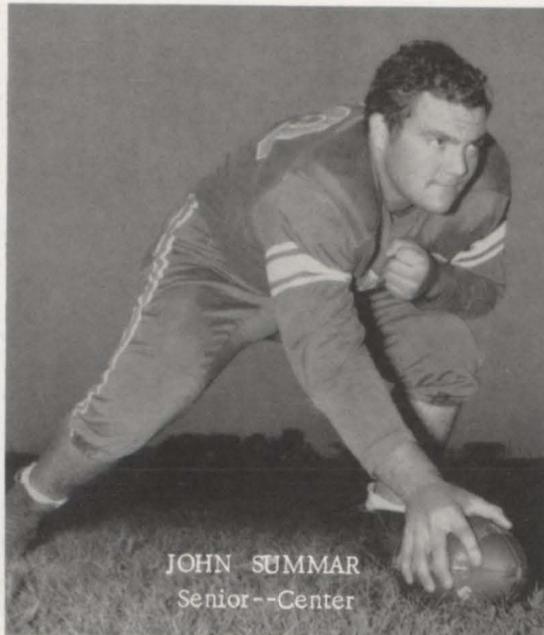
# Sports

Sports match brains and brawn.

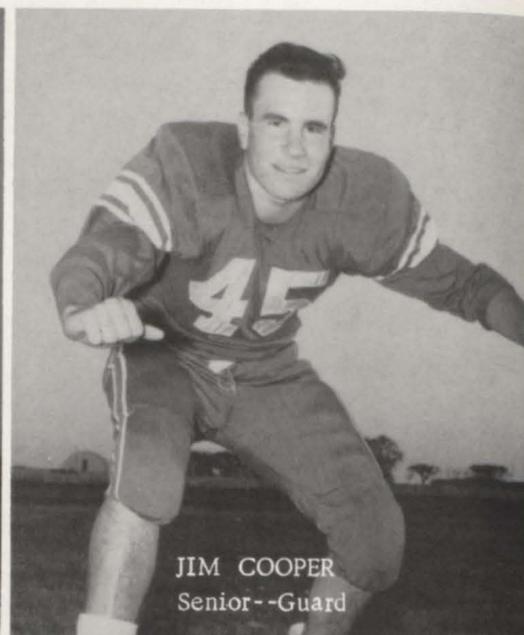
# Lettermen Led The



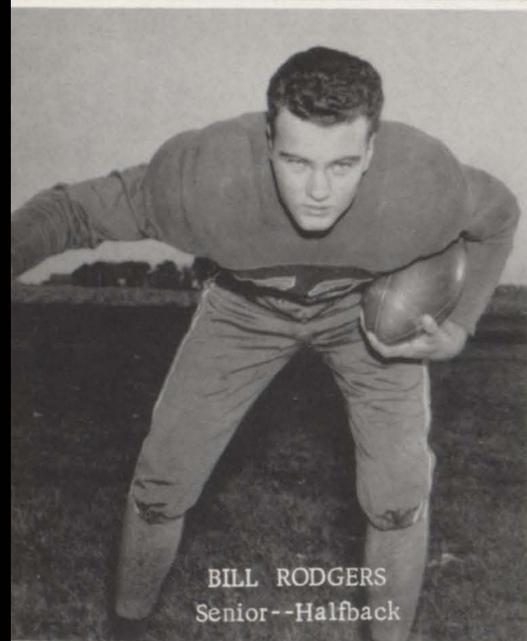
BUD SHONKWILER  
Senior--Quarterback



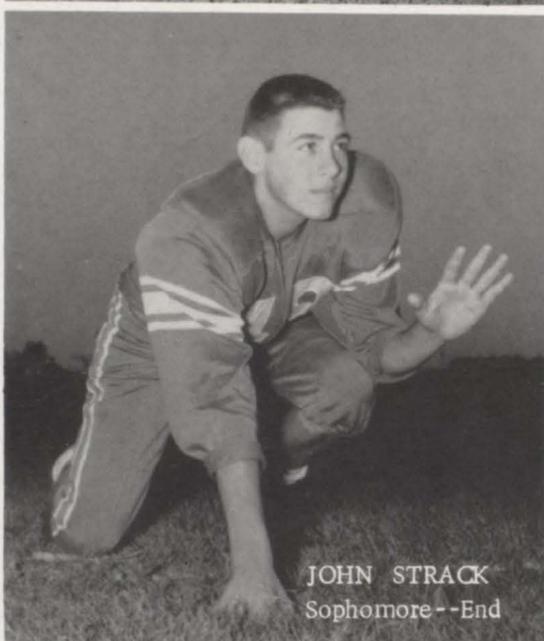
JOHN SUMMAR  
Senior--Center



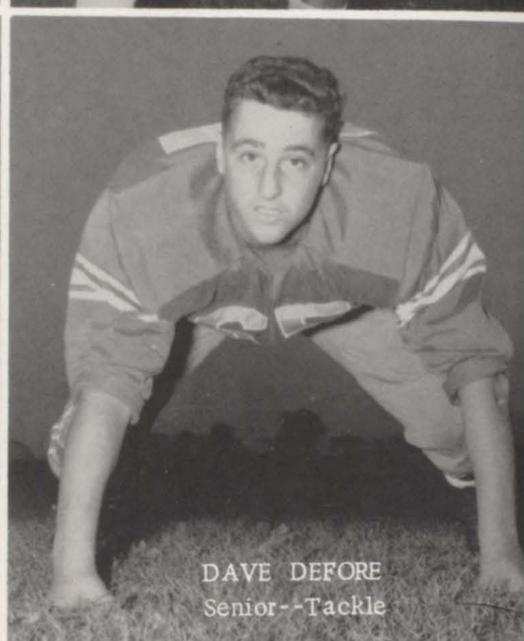
JIM COOPER  
Senior--Guard



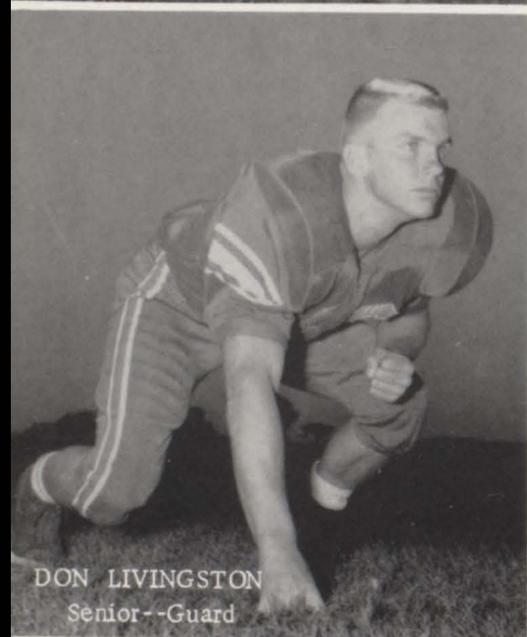
BILL RODGERS  
Senior--Halfback



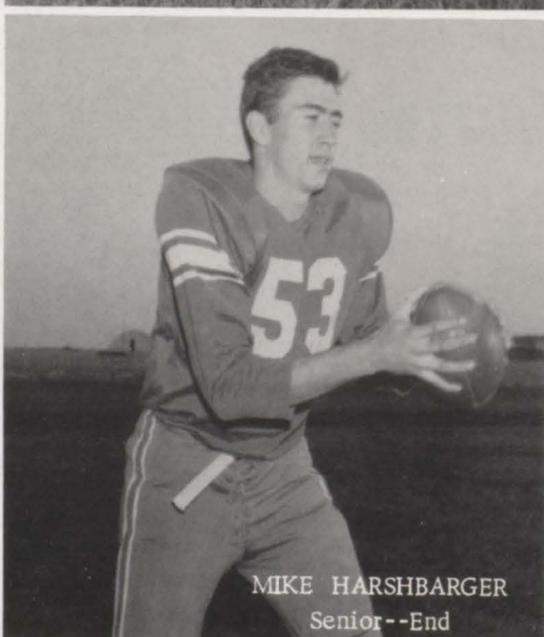
JOHN STRACK  
Sophomore--End



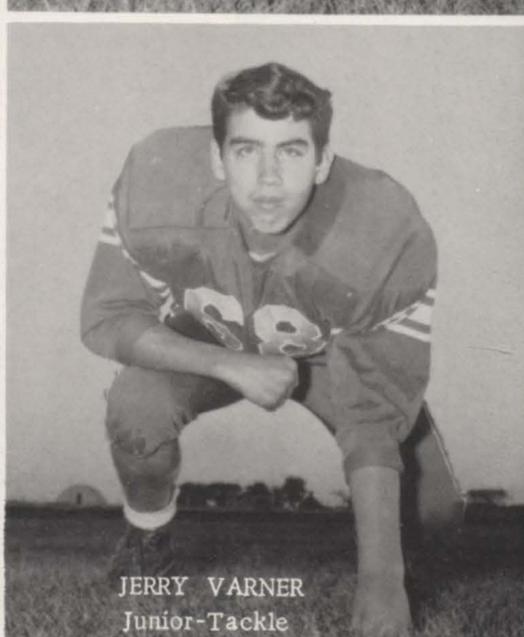
DAVE DEFORE  
Senior--Tackle



DON LIVINGSTON  
Senior--Guard

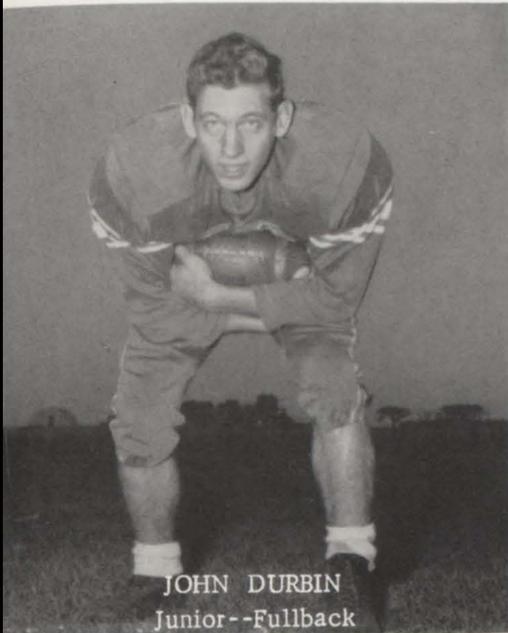


MIKE HARSHBARGER  
Senior--End

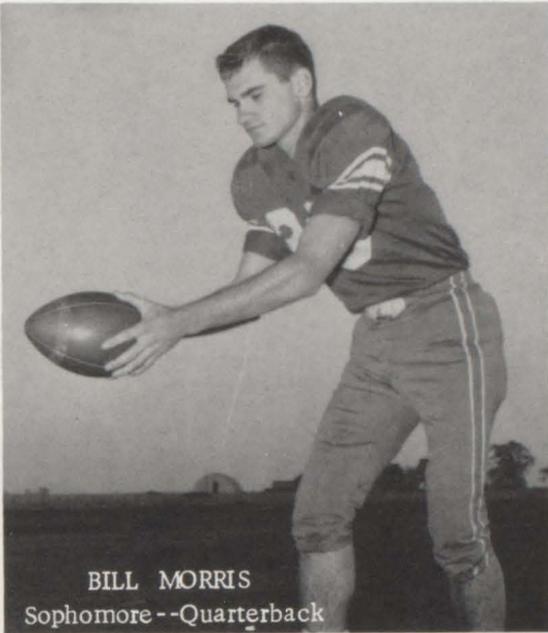


JERRY VARNER  
Junior--Tackle

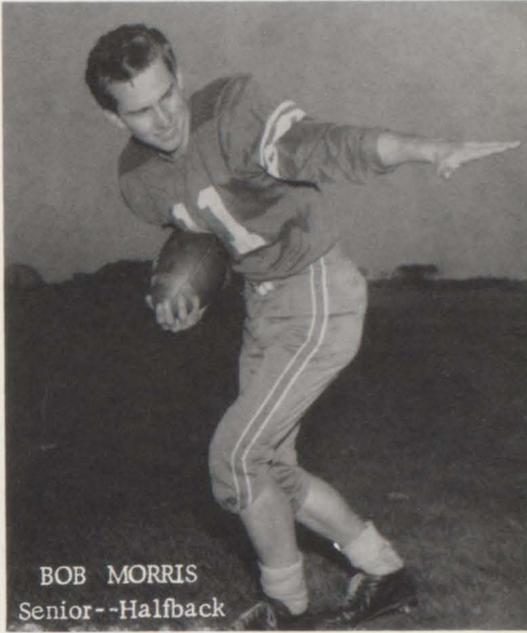
# Way To Gridiron Glory



JOHN DURBIN  
Junior -- Fullback



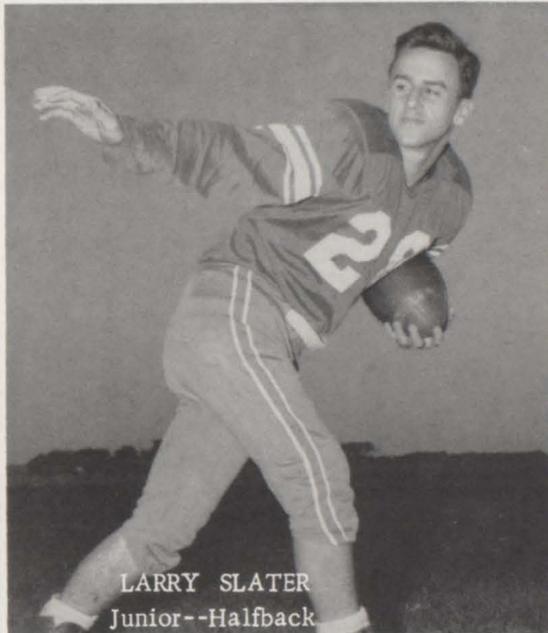
BILL MORRIS  
Sophomore -- Quarterback



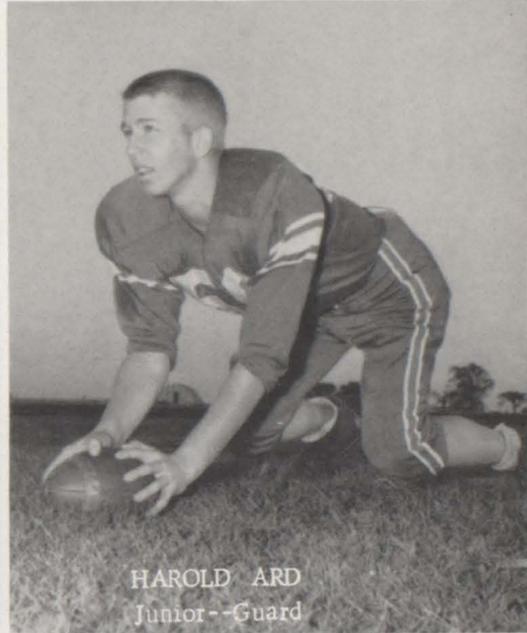
BOB MORRIS  
Senior -- Halfback



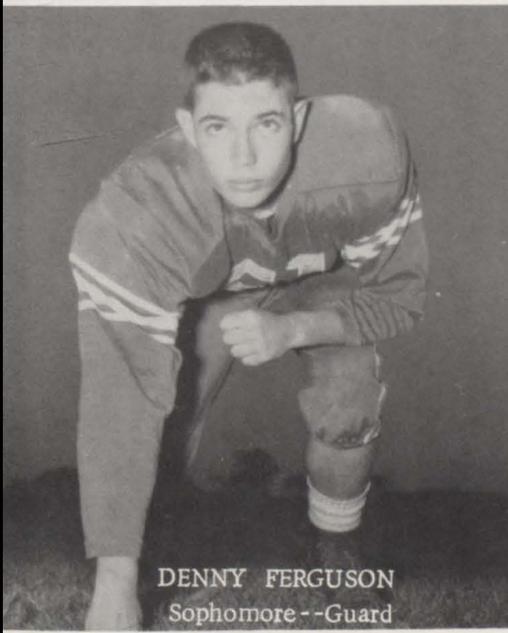
BILL FRITZ  
Senior -- Halfback



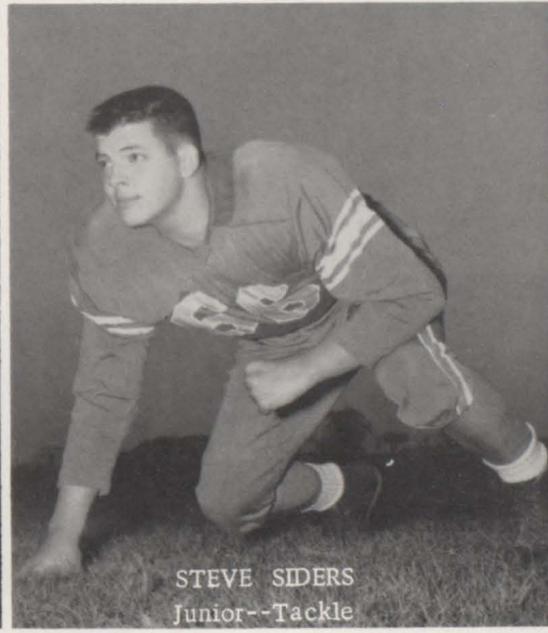
LARRY SLATER  
Junior -- Halfback



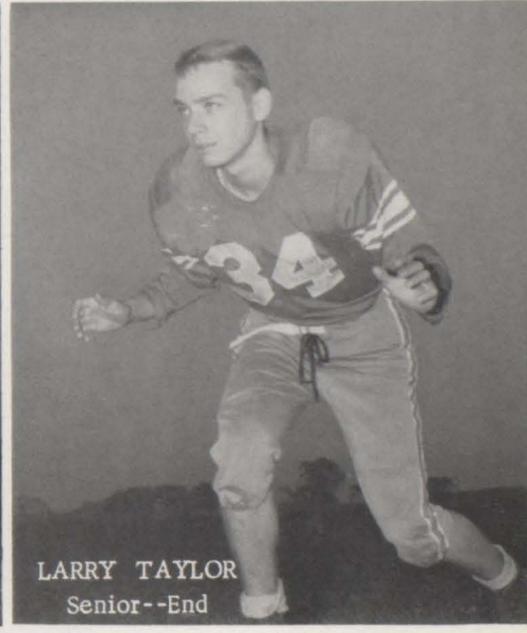
HAROLD ARD  
Junior -- Guard



DENNY FERGUSON  
Sophomore -- Guard



STEVE SIDERS  
Junior -- Tackle



LARRY TAYLOR  
Senior -- End



## VARSITY SQUAD

FIRST ROW: Taylor, Summar, M. Harshbarger, Varner, Cooper, B. Rodgers, Defore. SECOND ROW: Strack, J. Walsh, Ferguson, Livingston, Bob Morris, Hill, Durbin, Radmaker, Siders, Ard, Hall. THIRDRROW: Fritz, E. Walsh, Burton, Shonkwiler, Ass't Coach Takacs, Ass't Coach Mills, Head Coach Ward, Bill Morris, Strohl, Slater.

## 1958 VARSITY RECORD

Bement		Opponents
19	Villa Grove	0
8	Newman	0
26	Arthur	0
0	Unity	13
0	Atwood	0
0	Monticello	7
7	Sullivan	25
45	Cerro Gordo	7



Coach Ward and Coach Takacs display their continuous interest in the team's progress.



Fighting Bulldogs come charging on to the field, eager to eat up their opponent.

# The Purple And White

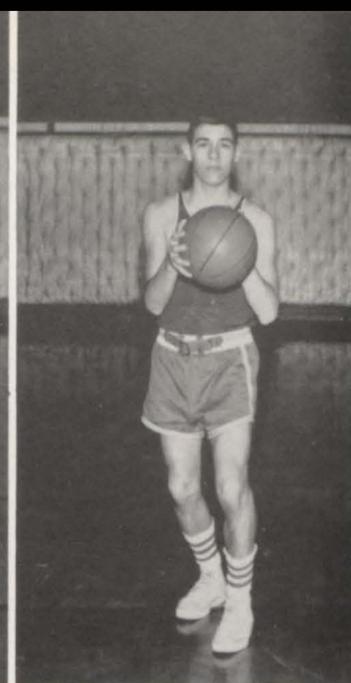
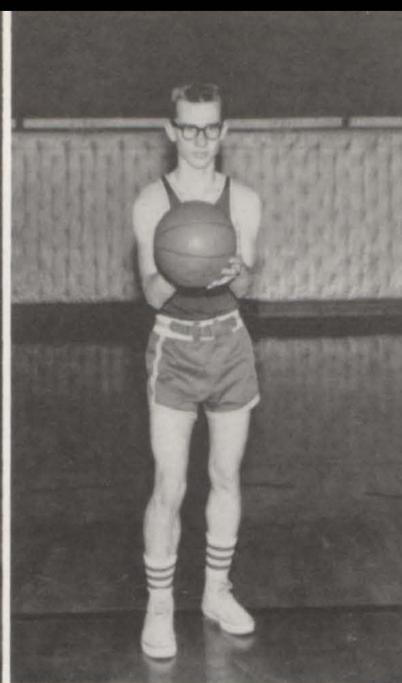
Important and dependable managers take last minute check to see that all necessary equipment is available. LEFT TO RIGHT are Scott, McCollum, Ball, and Fay.

Valuable depth of squad shows interest in game while awaiting chance to display their ability.



BULLPUPS--FIRST ROW: Hall, Hill, Ferguson, Burton, Radmaker. SECOND ROW: Walsh, Harper, Clements, Rodgers, Strohl, Corum. THIRD ROW: Lambert, Jamison, Coach Takacs, Pope, Doran.





DICK RODGERS  
Freshman - Forward

BOB MORRIS  
Senior - Guard

JOHN STRACK  
Sophomore - Guard

DANNY THORNTON  
Junior-Forward

## Down The Hardwood



BILL MORRIS  
Sophomore - Guard

### VARSITY RECORD

B	OPPONENT	0	B	OPPONENT	0
44	Argenta	81	60	* Tuscola	50
43	Cerro Gordo	37	68	Atwood	48
60	* Newman	45	49	Cerro Gordo	54
42	Atwood	33	33	Mt. Zion	47
57	* Villa Grove	71	28	* Arthur	39
57	Mansfield	61	38	* Arcola	52
50	* Unity	68	44	Deland-Weldon	42
58	* Sullivan	81	41	* Cerro Gordo	42
39	* Oakland	62	50	* Monticello	40
40	Farmer City	37	32	Monticello	52

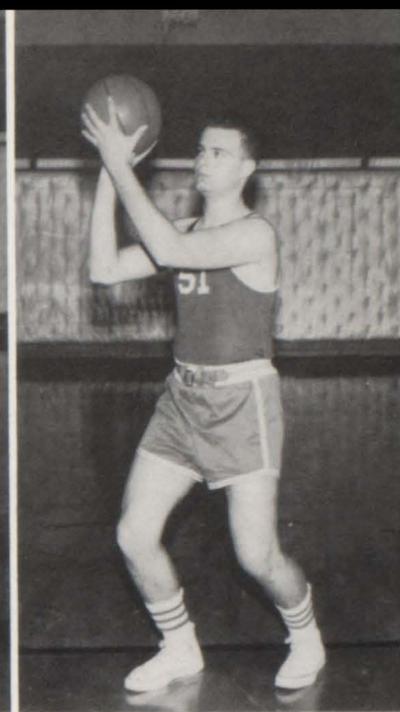
\* Denotes conference games

FREE THROW AWARD  
Dick Rodgers (.709)

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER  
Mike Harshbarger

In the training room before the game, we find basketball coaches Ward and Takacs giving last minute instructions to trainer Jim Scott and managers Steve Siders and Mike Ball.





MIKE HARSHBARGER  
Senior - Center

HUGH DORAN  
Junior - Forward

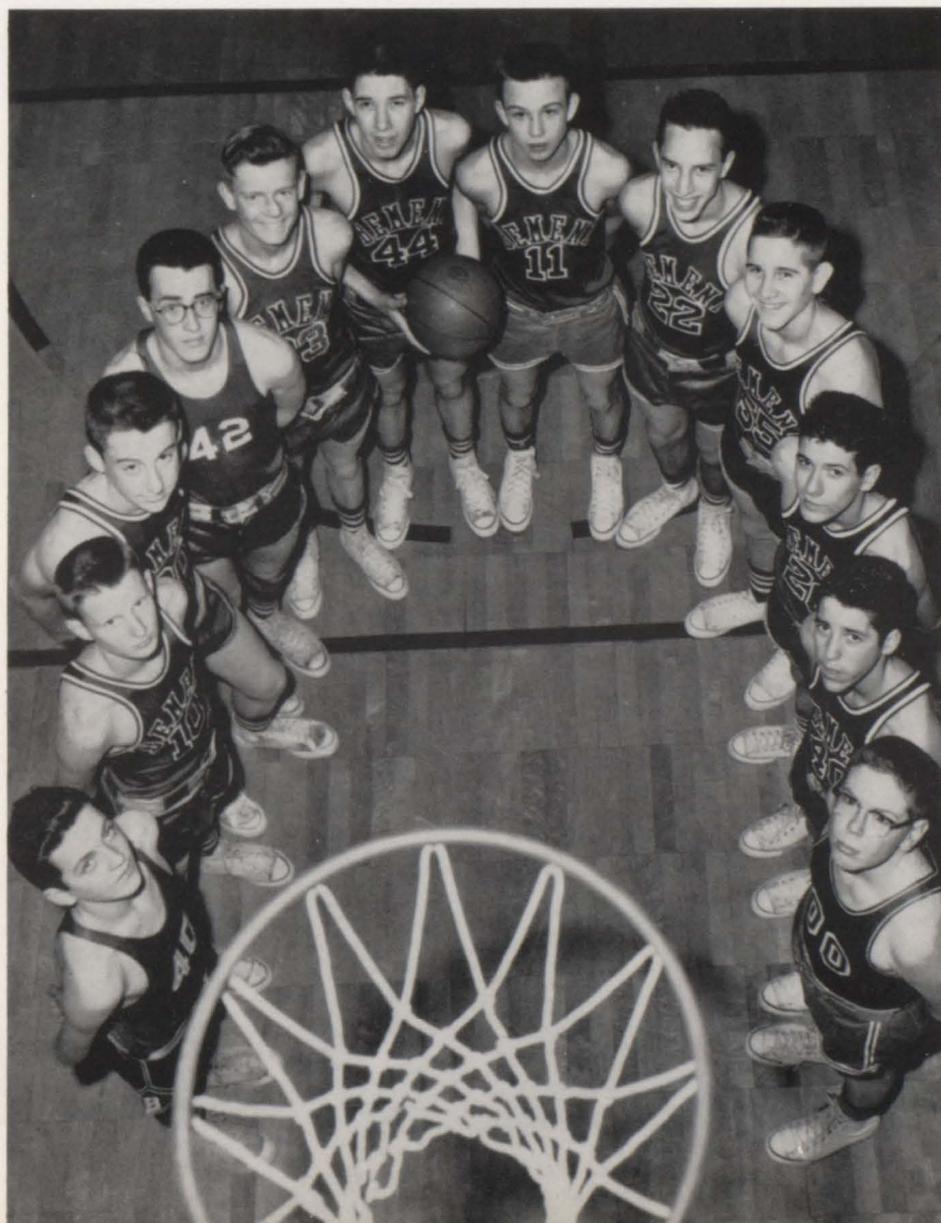
LELAND STILL  
Sophomore - Forward

BILL RODGERS  
Senior - Forward

## And Through The Hoop

BULLPUPS--Coach Ward's bullpups, playing with a height disadvantage, fought their way to an unfortunate 3-15 win and loss record this year. Although hampered during the season by the advancing of many players to the varsity squad, they did come back at full strength to place second in the Gerro Gordo Frosh-Soph Invitational Tournament.

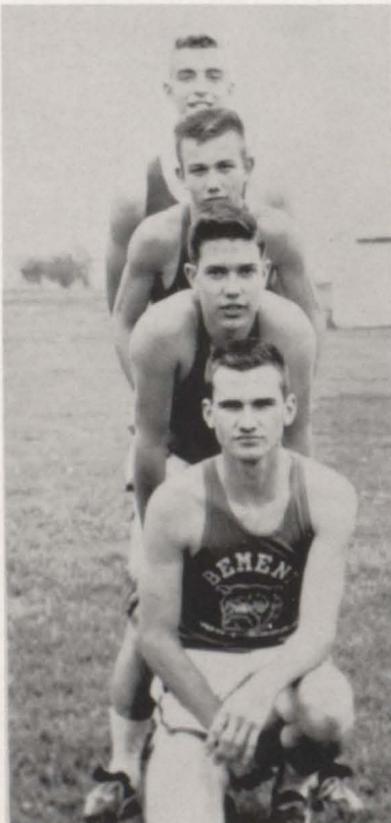
CLOCKWISE: Doran, Pruitt, Carpenter, J. Walsh, Huxhold, Tracy, Radmaker, E. Walsh, Hall, Strohl, Pope, Fay.



# They Made The Cinders Fly



FIRST ROW: Ferguson, Eades, Bob Morris, Livingston, Jordan, Pruitt, Slater. SECOND ROW: Bill Morris, Burton, Price, Harshbarger, Still, Durbin, Radmaker. THIRD ROW: J. Morris, E. Walsh, Clements, Siders, Strohl, J. Walsh, Harper. FOURTH ROW: Jamison, Doran, Pope Coach Mills, Carpenter, Rodgers, Allen.



FROSH - SOPH 880 YARD RELAY  
TOP TO BOTTOM: Still, Radmaker, Ferguson, Bill Morris.  
1:40.3



The Bulldog track and field team had a record-setting year. They brought home a total of six trophies plus numerous ribbons and medals. Among the top honors earned by the varsity were an admirable second in the Okaw, a first at the Gridley Relays, and a first in three triangular meets at Bement. The frosh-soph team was also successful with two firsts, a second, and two thirds, one being the frosh-soph Okaw. Team high scorer was Mike Harshbarger with 123 points followed by Paul Eades with 83, Bruce Jordan with 50½, and John Durbin with 48½.

MILE RELAY --Bill Morris, Livingston, Bob Morris, Harshbarger. 3'41.3

# Record Breakers



ROY RADMAKER  
Pole Vault - 11' 3"



JOHN DURBIN  
High-Jump - 5' 9 3/4"



LELAND STILL  
Low Hurdles - 22.5 (tie)

BILL MORRIS  
440 - 52.5

PAUL EADES  
X Country  
1.9 mi. -10 min. 11 sec.

BRUCE JORDAN  
220 - 23.2  
100 - 10.3 (tie)

MIKE HARSHBARGER  
Shot Put - 46' 2 1/2"



## Diamond Nine Steal To Record Season



FIRST ROW: A. Harshbarger, Wiest, Corum, Fay, J. Walsh, Kurr. SECOND ROW: Doran, Varner, Bolsen, Shonkwiler, Cooper, M. Harshbarger. THIRD ROW: Coach Ward, Strack, Radmaker, Ard, Fritz, E. Walsh.



The baseball team fought their way to the first successful season that any Bement team has had in several years. Their impressive 6-3 season was topped off by winning the District Tournament and by bringing home the championship trophy from the Regional Tournament.

The Bulldog's success came largely from their outstanding defense. Their offense sparkled when they gained three hits off "no-hit Kelly" of Danville in the first round of the Sectional Tournament.

# The Sparks That Kindled Victory



In the huddle for Bement are our Football Varsity Cheerleaders -- Penny Pope, Linda Bolsen, Virginia Livingston, and Martha Hinton.

Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders, Top to Bottom: Virginia Livingston, Linda Bolsen, Martha Hinton, and Penny Pope, seem to be saying "our team is tops."



"B" Team Basketball Cheerleaders, Sunny Strohl, Nancy Livingston, and Judy Depew, lead a "Yea, purple! Yea, white!"

Three cheers for three pretty "B" Team Football Cheerleaders -- Nancy Livingston, Alice Fay, and Judy Depew.

# Lettermen Receive Awards At Banquets



The usual large crowd enjoys the food and entertainment provided by the Bement Lions' Club on December 3 at the annual football banquet. Speaker for the evening was Chuck Boerio, line coach at the University of Illinois.



Tommy Stewart, former football coach at Bement, delivers a speech full of good advice at the basketball potluck which was held on April 13. Food and other arrangements were made by the mothers of the basketball players.

"B" CLUB--FIRST ROW: Coach Takacs, Slater, Bob Morris, Vice-President; Shonkwiler, President; Pruitt, Secretary-Treasurer; Strack Coach Ward. MIDDLE ROW: Strohl, Siders, Bill Morris, Durbin, Harper, Ater, Sergeant-at-arms; Ferguson, Livingston. TOP ROW: Price, Scott, Rodgers, Cooper, Harshbarger, Still, Summar, Doran.





# Classes

We proudly present . . .  
The students of B. H. S.

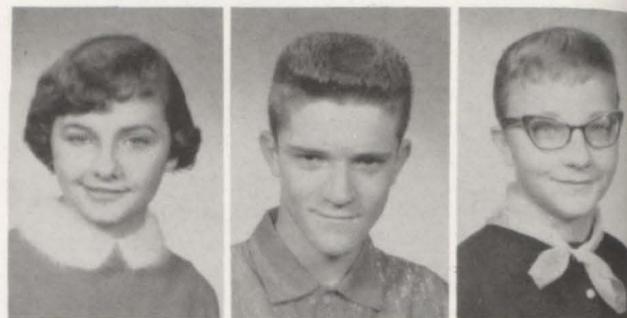




On September 3, fifty freshmen moved into B. H. S. for a new way of life.



The officers elected to lead the class through the year were David Fay, president; Nancy Hargrave, vice-president; Judy DePew, secretary-treasurer.



Judy DePew, Dick Rodgers, Betty Jones



Dan Doran, Karen Hall, Bob Ablinger



Judy Pruitt, Ed Walsh, Myrna Lamb



Tom Statzer, Julia Thornton, Dan Allen



Frances Redman, Robert Doolen, Carolyn Spearman

# Freshmen Enter B.H.S.



John Pope, Linda Larimore, John Morris, Nancy Hillard, Roy Huxhold, Frances Hadley, Darrell Fritz.



Nancy Hargrave, Don Wiest, Judy Hendrix, Pat Van Matre, Sandra Mardis, Jim Temple, Carolyn Stine.



David Pryor, Carolyn Carlin, David Fay, James Phipps, Richard Hall, Rose Eades, Ed McCollum.



Kay Fogerson, Bob Hinton, Bill Jamison, Bill Corum, John Varner, Chuck Pierce, Ruth Ann Hill.



Larry Larimore, Nancy Livingston, Jim Musick, Sharon Brittenham, Dick Halterman, Gretchen Vandercreek, Gene Carpenter.

# Sophomores Swing Through



Sophomore class officers were Pat Knowles, president; Alfred Hill, secretary-treasurer; John Scott, vice-president.



Gene Jeffers, Linda Bolsen, David Dial, Carol Davis.



Alice Fay, John Tracy, Donna Steidinger, Alfred Hill.



Selling pop and candy at games raised money for the class.



Sharon Horn, Bob Pruitt, Marcia Dobson.



Roy Radmaker, Evelyn Dick, George Hadley.



Brenda Fairbanks, Dewayne Shonkwiler, Vivian Alexander.



The sops enjoyed their party on April

20th.

# The High School Daze



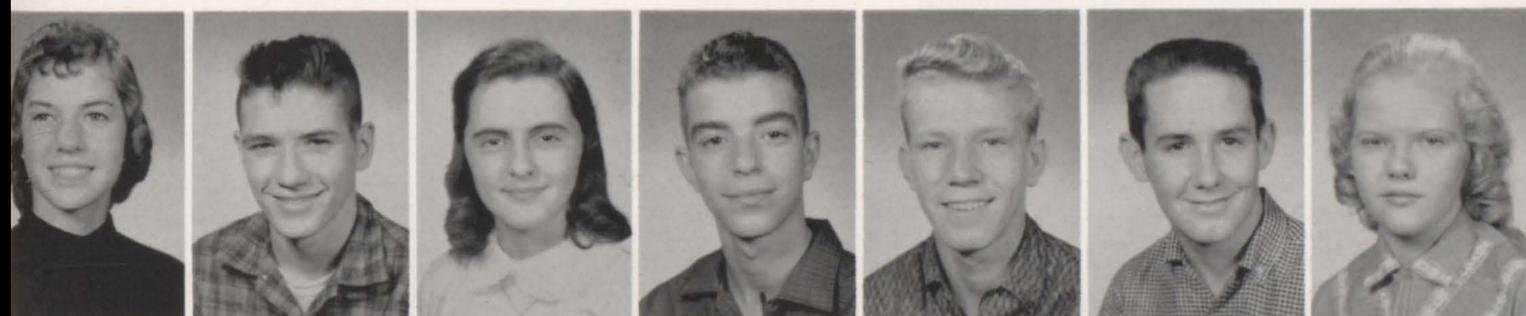
Bob Harper, Mary Jo Glennon, Dick Pruitt, Patty Fritz, Keith Bolsen, Barbara Busey, Bill Morris.



Becky Dobson, John Strack, Sandy Strohl, Denny Ferguson, Sally Noe, Steve Lambert, Cathy Wilcox.



Mike Ball, Kay Huxhold, Allen Zindars, Judith Larck, Bob Burton, Suzanne Gadbury, John Scott.



Sunny Strohl, Tony Strohl, Patty Knowles, Leland Still, John Clements, John Barnett, Yvonne Jordan.

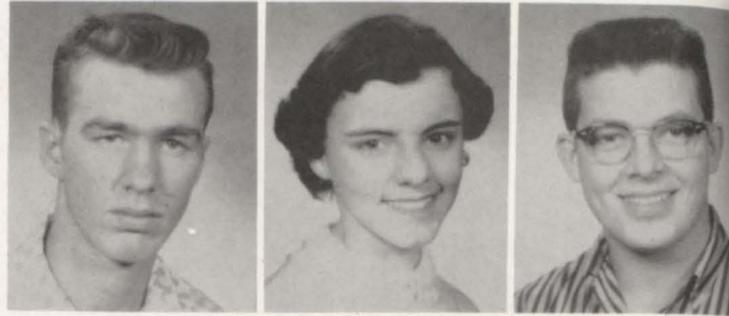


Carl McCullough, Juanita Danenhower, Bob Shonkwiler, Virginia Livingston, Charles Moxley, Henrietta Weaver, Jim Daugherty.

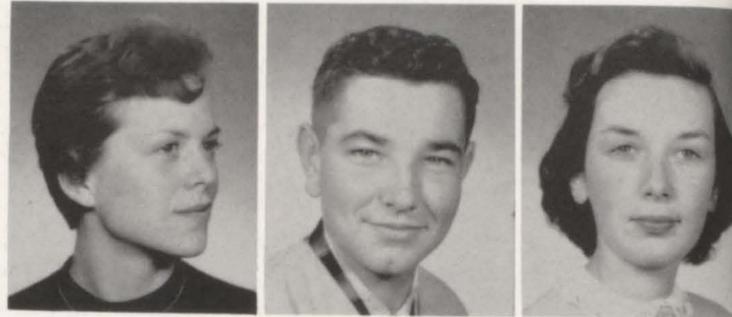
# Juniors Join The



The juniors chose Joan Jamison, secretary-treasurer; Joe Wiest, president; and Jerry Varner, vice-president; as their officers.



Jim Pierce, Sharon Gorrell, Steve Siders.



Nancy Noe, Albert Wimer, Rhonda Morris.



The juniors raised money to finance their prom by selling homecoming souvenirs and working in the football concession stand.



Gene Durbin, Judy Hillard, Hugh Doran.



Shirley Janes, John Cody, Joan Jamison.



Danny Thornton, Kathi McCollum, Bob Zindars.

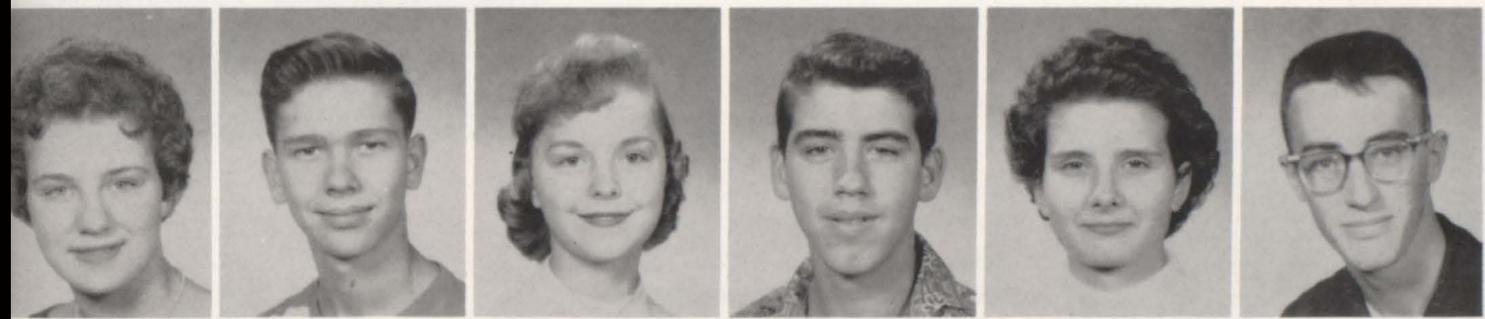
# Upperclassmen Whirl



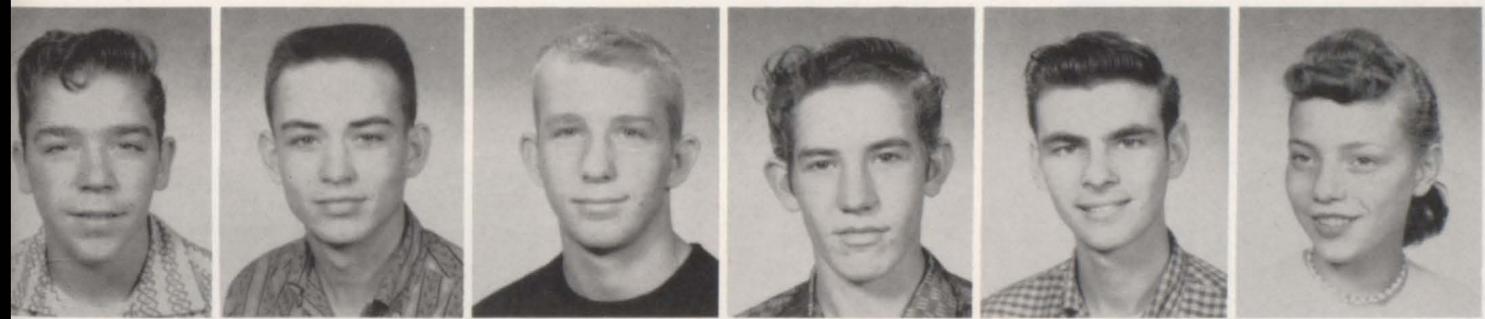
Linda Stine, Paul Eades, Sue Ater, Joe Wiest, Linda LeCrone, John Durbin.



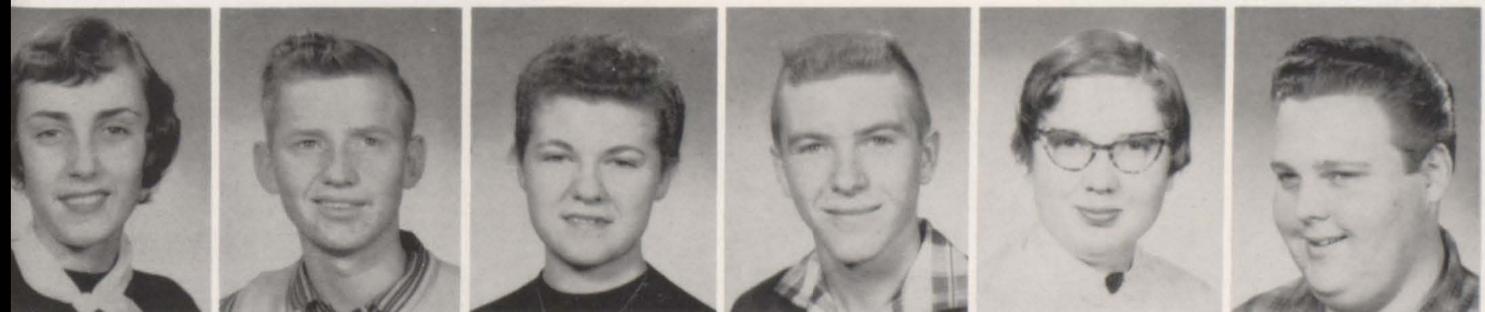
Joe Daugherty, Larry Slater, Jim Scott, Dean Fogerson, Roger Varner, Peggy Body.



Rita Stoerger, Bob Lake, Phyllis Miles, Jerry Varner, Marian Hinton, Jack Walsh.



John Kurr, Ab Harshbarger, Harold Ard, Allen Price, Arlin Burton, Pat Brady.



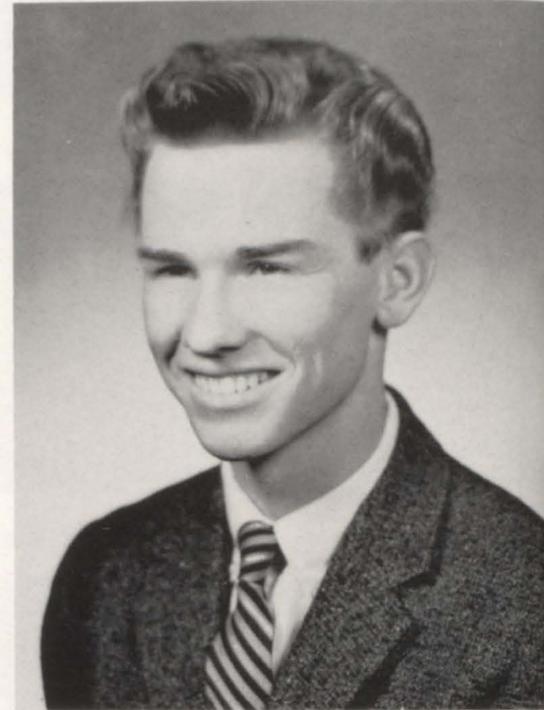
Charlotte Varner, Ernest Shonkwiler, Kathie Stoerger, Russell Wildman, Linda Peterson, Randy Driscoll.

# The Senior Class Of 1959

## In September We Elected

BOB MORRIS

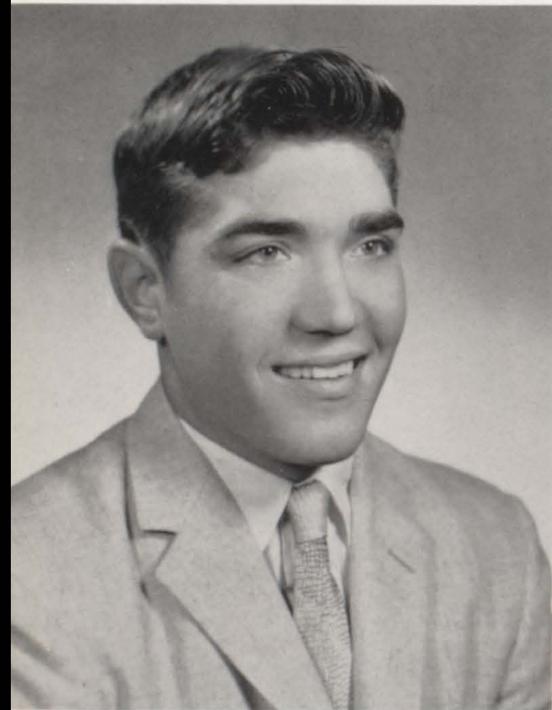
His horn and sports are on his mind;  
A career in architecture he will find.



BOB: Class President 1,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2; Track 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; "B" Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Homecoming Escort 4; Senior Play.

BUD SHONKWILER

Seriousness spiced with a humorous vein;  
Hard work and sports are his acclaim.



BUD: Class Vice-President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; "B" Club President 4; Homecoming Escort 4.

RAY PRUITT

A man of many moods is Ray;  
Work, fun, and women fill his day.



RAY: Student Council 2,3; Class Secretary - Treasurer 4; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 2,3; Chorus 2,3; Annual Staff 4; "B" Club 2,3,4, Secretary - Treasurer 4; F.F.A. 1, 2,3,4, Treasurer 3, Sentinel 4; Senior Play.

# Officers And Representatives

MIKE HARSHBARGER

As athlete and scholar, he's above par;  
In engineering he will go far.



MARTHA: Student Council Vice-President 4; Class Vice - President 2; Class Secretary - Treasurer 3; Football Cheerleader 1,3,4; Basketball Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4, President 4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Secretary 2,3, Camp Delegate 2; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Vice - President 4; Latin Club 2,3,4, Secretary - Treasurer 2; Library Club 1,2; News Staff 2,3,4; F.F.A. Sweetheart 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Tumbling Group 2,3.



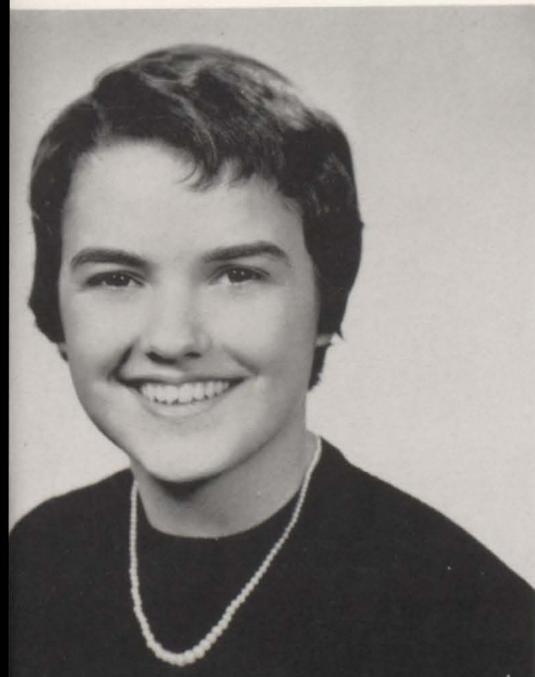
MARTHA HINTON

A winsome smile has this popular girl;  
She's always busy and in a whirl.

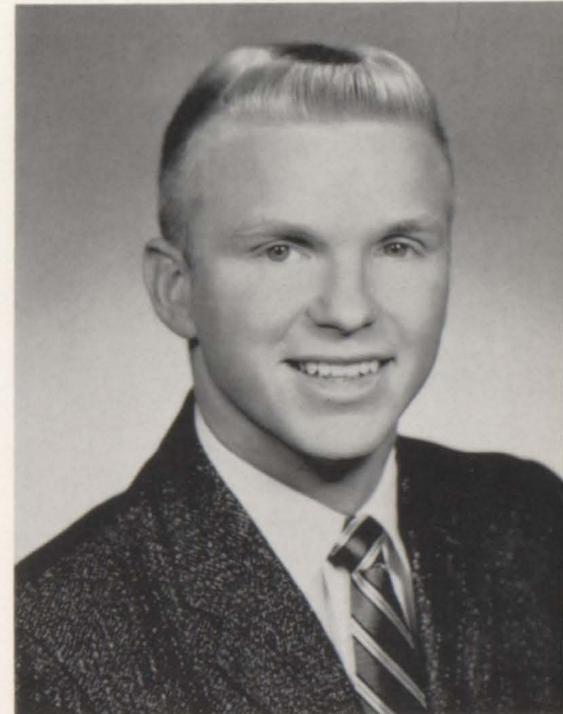
MIKE: Student Council President 4; Class Vice-President 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3; "B" Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 1,2,3,4, President 2; News Staff 2,3,4; Homecoming Escort 4.

PENNY POPE

A vivacious cheerleader who's on the ball,  
Cheerful and talkative, she's a friend to all.



DON: Student Council 1,4; Class President 2; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; "B" Club 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Secretary 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Kamera Klub 4; Star Farmer 3; S.A.R. Award 4; Homecoming Escort 4; Senior Play.



DON LIVINGSTON

An accomplished boy is our friend, Don;  
Of dancing and farming he is fond.

PENNY: Student Council 1,2,4; Class President 3; Football Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Basketball Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Recreation Chairman 3; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Vice - President 3, President 4; Latin Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Senior Play.

# Then Come The Magazine Sales

BILL: Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; "B" Club 4; News Staff 2; Senior Play.

MARY CODY

Calm and quiet, a genuine friend -  
Among her talents is a writing trend.



BILL FRITZ

When all of Bunker's work is done,  
Speedster Bill is off to fun.

MARY: Monticello 1; Annual Staff 1,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; News Staff 3,4; Dramatics Club 1.



PEG WESTRAY

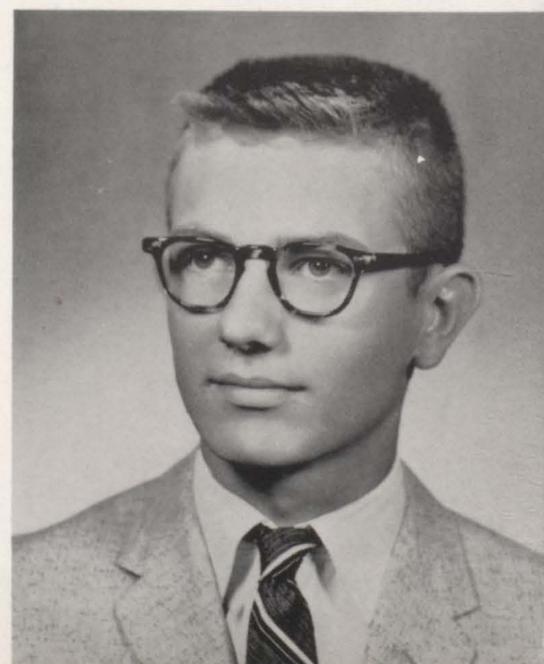
Our homecoming queen was this Southern belle;  
Her accent and ponytail we'll remember so well.

PEG: Class Secretary - Treasurer 2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Public Relations 2,3, President 4; G.A.A. 1; News Staff 1; Homecoming Queen 4; Senior Play.

LARRY MUSICK

An all round boy who fits anywhere;  
His plans for the future are up in the air.

LARRY: Chorus 1,2; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; Senior Play.



# And A Party For The Juniors

JIM COOPER

Jim fancies baseball and his Chevrolet; He'll make his potentialities pay.



PAT: Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 2,3; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Sextet 3,4; Annual Staff 2,4; F.H.A. 3,4; Treasurer 4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 4; News Staff 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Senior Play.



PAT SCOTT

Dignity and charm are her two greatest traits; Of highest caliber, this girl rates.

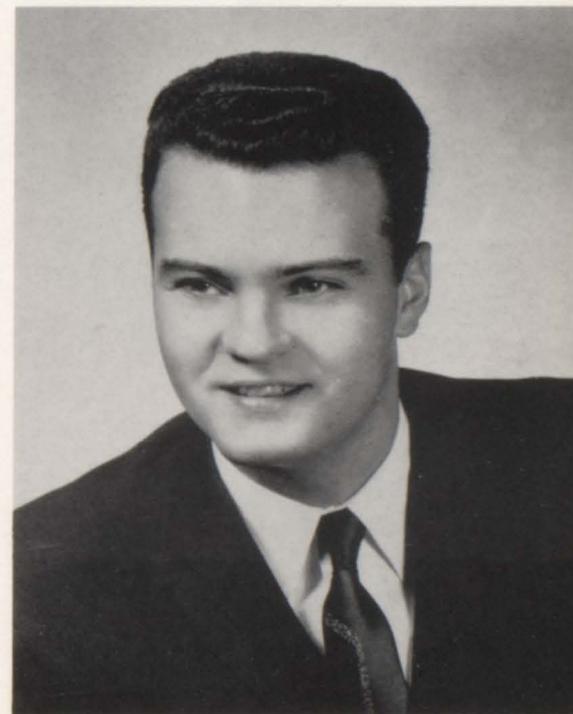
JIM: Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,4; Annual Staff 3; "B" Club 3,4; Kamera Klub 1,2,3,4, Secretary-Treasurer 3, President 4.

ANN WILKINSON

To Ann's smile and calm efficiency Are added good will and loyalty.



BILL: Student Council 3; Football 1, 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1, 2,3; Track 1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; "B" Club 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 2,3, 4; President 3; News Staff 2,3,4; Homecoming Escort 4.



BILL RODGERS

Basketball and water skiing Bill thinks are fine; His topmost goal is a business line.

ANN: Class Secretary-Treasurer 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 3,4, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; F.H.A. 3,4; G.A.A. 1,2, 3,4, Secretary - Treasurer 4, Camp Delegate 3; Latin Club 1,2,3,4; News Staff 4; DAR Award 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Senior Play.

# The Senior Play And Work



JOHN SUMMAR

A will to win and determination  
Will make John's dreams a realization.

JOHN: Football 1,2,3,4; "B" Club  
1,2,3,4.

BETTY MORRIS

This fast-talking miss is a lot of fun;  
She's easily flustered, but gets things  
done.



BETTY: F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Parliamen-  
tarian 2; Latin Club 2,3,4; News  
Staff 2,3,4; Library Club 4; Annual  
Staff 4; Senior Play.



SARA POLING

Easy going are her ways;  
Wit and humor fill her days.

SARA: Student Council 3; Annual  
Staff 1,4; G.A.A. 1; Latin Club 1,2,  
3,4; Library Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-  
President 2,3, President 4; News  
Staff 3,4; Senior Play.

DAVE DEFORE

A barrel of laughs is good ole' Dave;  
For women and work he'll be no slave.



DAVE: Football 1,2,3,4.

# On The Bim Kept Us Busy

BILL LASH

Quiet, courteous, nice to know,  
We all think he's a "real good Joe."



CAROL: Chorus 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2, 3,4; G.A.A. 1,4; Library Club 3,4; Senior Play.



CAROL ALLEN

A mischievous gal with eyes agleam;  
A nurse's profession is her dream.

BILL: Football 1,2,3; Baseball 3; Track 1,2; Chorus 1,2; F.F.A. 1,2, 3,4.

CAROLYN BRADY

Her best she'll give to any task;  
She cheerfully does whatever you ask.



RICHARD: Football 1, Football Manager 2; Baseball 2; Band 1; Chorus 3,4; Vice-President 4; Science Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4; "B" Club 4; News Staff 1; Kamera Klub 3,4.



RICHARD HARPER

Cars and cameras are his pride;  
Work and studies he takes in stride.

CAROLYN: Chorus 3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; News Staff 4.

# Baccalaureate And Graduation Ended Our High School Days

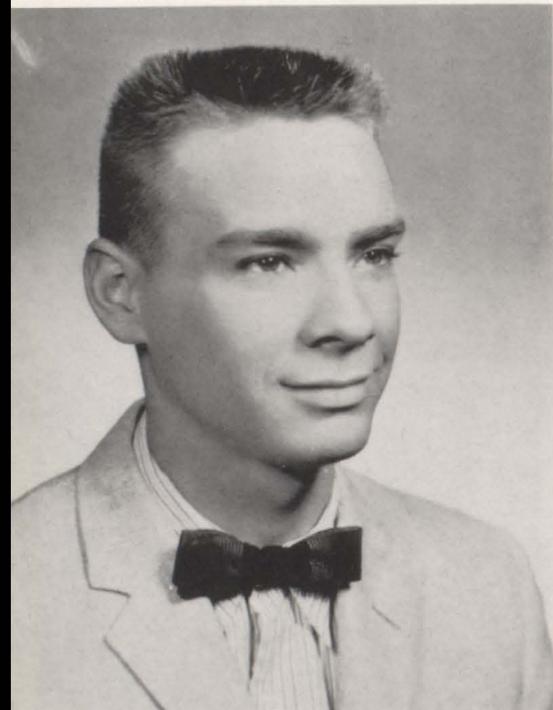
GLENN DEPEW

Although to himself Glenn likes to keep;  
One should remember, "Still waters run  
deep."



LARRY TAYLOR

Another of the Ivesdale clan -  
A roguish smile, a joking man.



LARRY: Football 1,2,4; Basketball  
2; Baseball 1,2; Track 1,2,4.

JIM ATER

This boy, whose foremost goal is fun,  
Can't wait till school days are all done.



JIM: Football Manager 1; "B" Club  
4.

# Class Projects Kept Us Busy



The seniors turned magazine salesmen to earn money for publishing the annual. Competition was keen between the two teams who were captained by Don Livingston and Bill Rodgers, and many students won valuable prizes.



The class of '59 entertained the juniors in Punkin Holler on November 14. Hillbilly costumes, games, and refreshments made it a hilarious evening. These were the "best dressed" hillbillies at the party.



Here we see Penny Pope and Ray Pruitt, business managers of the BIM staff, taking orders for Annuals from the underclassmen.



One of the money-making projects of the Senior class was running the concession stand at basketball games.



A traditional part of graduation, being measured for caps and gowns, brought a realization of the nearness of commencement.

# We Welcome New Adventure As The Outside World Beckons

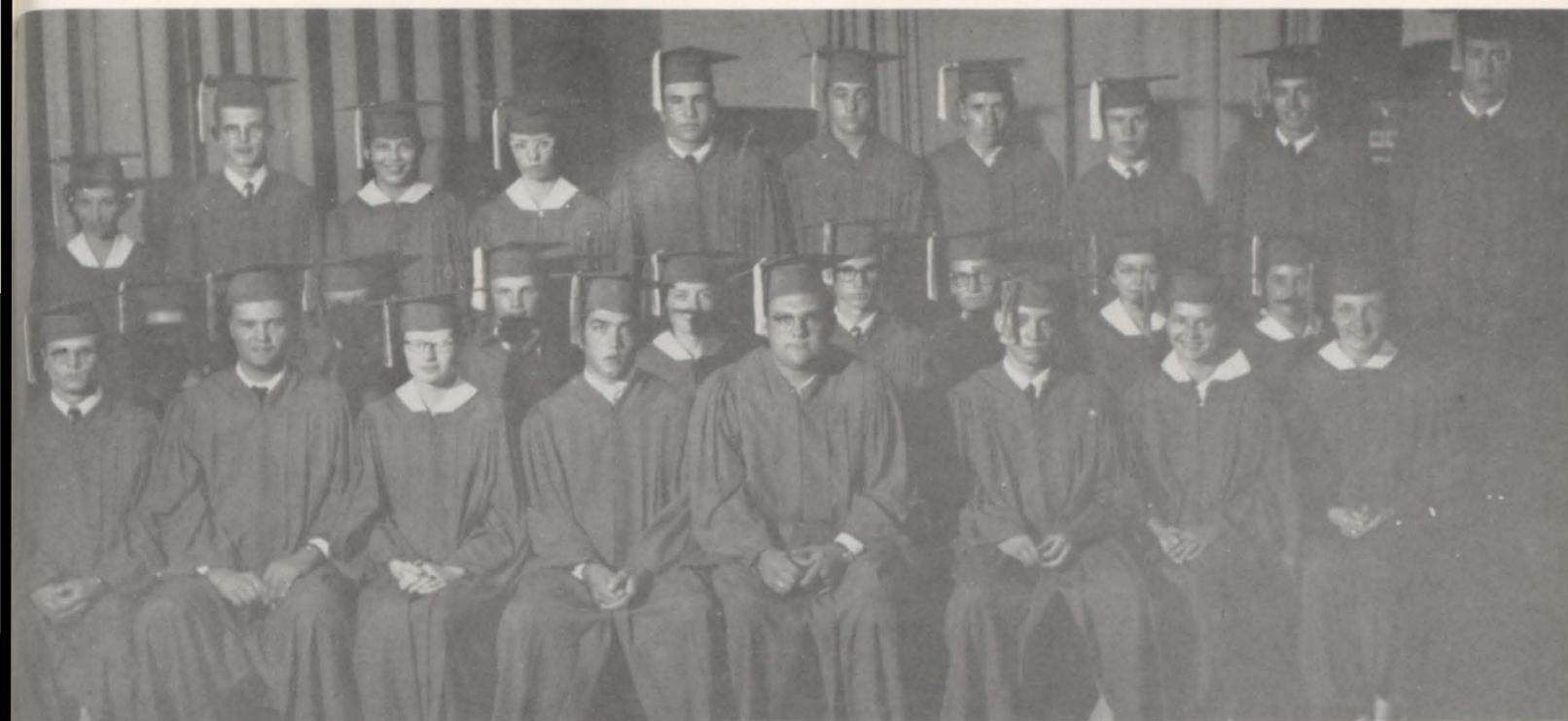
## BACCALAUREATE

- Processional . . . . . "Praise Ye The Father"  
Invocation . . . . . Rev. Ernest Jordan  
"God So Loved The World" . . . . . Stainer  
Mixed Chorus  
Baccalaureate Address . . . . . Rev. Richard Smith  
"The Heavens Are Telling" . . . . . Beethoven  
Mixed Chorus  
Recessional . . . . . "Praise Ye The Father"

## COMMENCEMENT

- Overture, "Cantabile" . . . . . Cesar Franck  
Processional, "Pomp and Circumstance" . . . . . Elgar  
Invocation . . . . . Rev. Fred E. Warren  
Salutatory Address . . . . . Michael Harshbarger  
For Music . . . . . Franz  
Senior Ensemble  
Address . . . . . M. Dale Baughman  
Professor of Education, University of Illinois  
Valedictory Address . . . . . Don Livingston  
Presentation of Class . . . . . J. E. Hargrave  
Presentation of Diplomas . . . . . Walter Slater  
Benediction . . . . . Rev. Fred E. Warren





## The Class of 1959

### STANDING

Carol Rae Allen  
 James Allen Ater  
 Carolyn Margaret Brady  
 Mary Ellen Cody  
 James Mitchell Cooper  
 David Anderson DeFore  
 Oscar Glenn Depew  
 Billy Eugene Fritz  
 Richard Clinton Harper  
 Michael Mason Harshbarger

### MIDDLE ROW

Martha Sharon Hinton  
 William Warren Lash  
 Don Howard Livingston  
 Elizabeth Marie Morris  
 Robert Leon Morris  
 William Larry Musick  
 Sara Lee Poling  
 Penelope Ann Pope

### FRONT ROW

Charles Ray Pruitt  
 William Francis Rodgers  
 Patricia Ann Scott  
 John Carlton Shonkwiler  
 John Patterson Summar  
 Larry Dean Taylor  
 Carey Peggale Westray  
 Ann Wilkinson



Oft filled with despair, we tore our hair  
As we wrote and snapped and drew,  
And now at last our worries are past;  
We are finished -- and so are you!



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