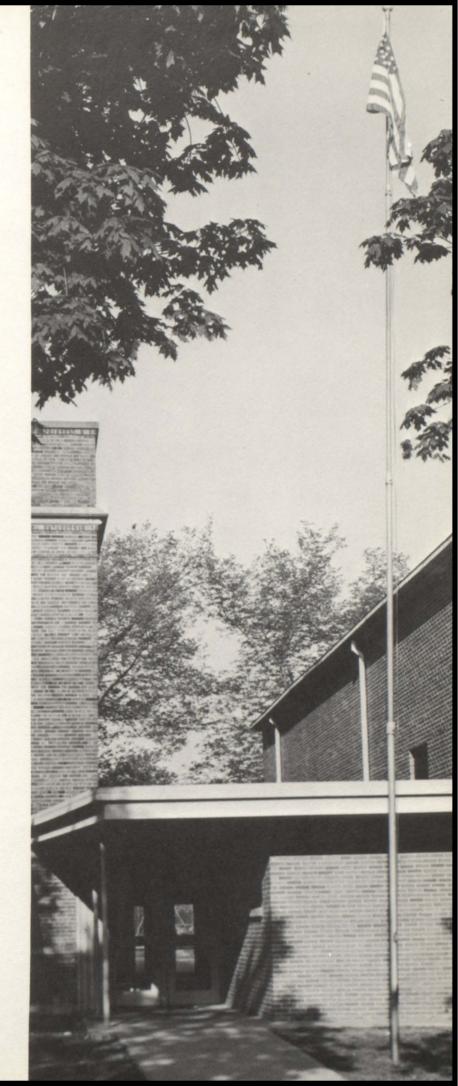


The 1963 Bim

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Bement High School Bement, Illinois



We'll Always Remember. . . .

... The first day of school when we greeted old friends and attended new classes.

... The football games, half-time entertainment, and homecoming.

... The coming of winter and the basketball games.

... The much anticipated Christmas vacation, followed by semesters.

... The club activities and parties.

... The track meets in spring.

... The magic of Prom.

... The frantic cramming for final exams.

... The last big day!

This was the year 1962-63.



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Dedication

MR. LLOYD (BUNKER) HILL Superintendent of Maintenance

To you, Bunker, we dedicate this 1963 BIM in appreciation of twenty-five years of service to Bement schools. We'll always remember the way the hall floors shone after vacations, the dust-free desks in classrooms, the warmth of the building on cold winter mornings, your friendship to students and faculty, and the many times you welcomed us to "Bunk's room". A subtle glow in the school came from your presence as well as your efficiency.

Thank you, Bunk. We are grateful for your interest in us, the students, and in the school.

Our Administrators



MR. WALTER SLATER SUPERINTENDENT

In his last year as superintendent of Community Unit District No. 5, Mr. Slater directed activities from a new office in the grade school. His absence from the high school was felt by all who had gone to him for school business or personal advice.

During the fifteen years Mr. Slater was superintendent, he was never too busy to confer with students, with their best interest always in mind. Although at times we did not agree with him, we respected his judgment and valued his advice.

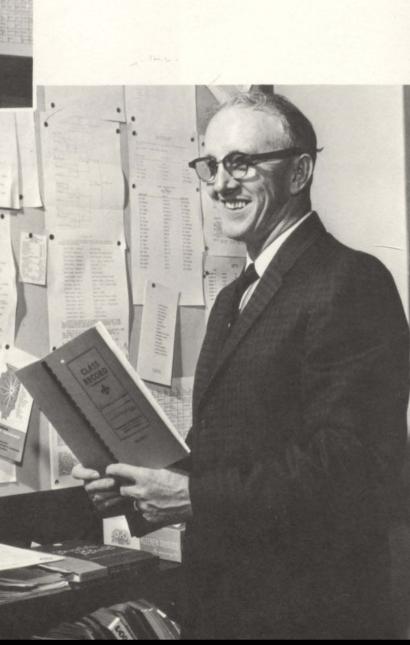
We, the students, appreciate the help and encouragement Mr. Slater has given us. His influence will remain with us throughout our lives.

MR. J. E. HARGRAVE PRINCIPAL

A conscientious friend and counselor, Mr. Hargrave has completed his last year as principal of B. H. S. Next year he will take over the duties of superintendent of Community Unit District No. 5.

For six years, Mr. Hargrave has carried on the duties of principal and has also taught American problems classes. Although he has been special counselor to the junior and senior classes, he has been concerned for the welfare of all the students and has always been ready to advise anyone who needed help.

Our deepest appreciation goes to Mr. Hargrave. The students will ever be grateful for his interest and guidance.



Are Friendly and Capable



SEATED: Mr. A. E. Bodman, President; Mr. Albert Harshbarger, Mr. Clarence Lefever, Secretary; Mr. Russell Rodgers. STANDING: Mr. Warren Hendrix, Mr. Donald Temple, Mr. Guy Totten.

> These members of the Board of Education of the Bement Community Unit District No. 5 have the necessary foresight which enables the school to be the efficient organization that it is. Mr. A. E. Bodman is retiring from the position of school board president which he has held for fifteen years. Mr. Albert Harshbarger and Mr. Russell Rodgers are also retiring as school board members. Both the school and the community appreciate the service they have donated in these past years.

MRS. BETTY MILLER, SECRETARY

The Bement Community School system is most fortunate to have Mrs. Miller for secretary. She is very efficient and is always ready to extend help to students and teachers.



Social Science

Help Us to Communicate

Social Science classes are made both interesting

and informative by these teachers. Mr. Hargrave teaches American Problems. Mr. Long teaches American History, World History, Geography, and American Problems. Each of the American Problems classes is taught one semester by Mr. Hargrave and the other semester by Mr. Long. This gives the students two good

points of view on life and its problems.



MR. JAMES HARGRAVE, MR. ROBERT LONG

An important supplement to textbook study of American history is the use of films picturing historical events. Mr. Long's American history class is shown watching a film in the projection room. Sitting between Steve Marker and Lowell Bentley is Clayton Harris, a visiting Tuscola Student Council member.





Up or down?--That is the question Ron Van Vleet, Bob Durbin, Toni Coffey, and Dave Morris are seeking the answer to. Each student in Mr. Hargrave's American problems class anxiously watches the stock reports for fluctuations in the stocks in which he has invested an imaginary \$10,000.

and Languages with Our Fellow Men

Mrs. Virginia Dare, a proficient linguist, teaches the classes in French I and II and Latin I and II as well as acting as advisor of the Sophomore class and the Latin Club.

Mrs. Evelyn Fisher teaches English I, II, and III. She also acts as Freshman class advisor, and she is the director of the senior play.

In addition to teaching English III and IV, Miss Isabelle Houston is our librarian. She is also advisor of the senior class and of the Annual Staff.

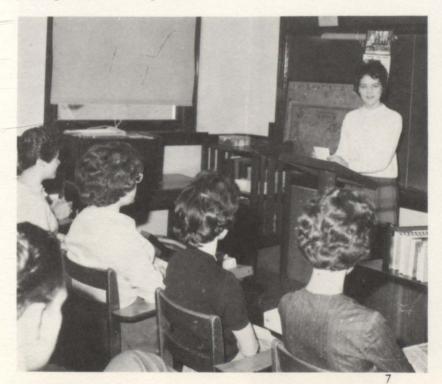
Mrs. Jacquelyn Tucker is kept busy teaching English I and II and advising the Junior Class.



MRS. VIRGINIA DARE, MRS. EVELYN FISHER, MISS ISABELLE HOUSTON, MRS. JACQUELYN TUCKER

A newly installed language laboratory makes learning to speak a new language more interesting for the fifty French students. Harry Sutpthen and Wendy Taylor are shown working with the recorder as they listen to and repeat after the native French voices on the tape--J'entre dans la salle de classe.

The Senior speech class listens intently as Sandra Shonkwiler gives a well-prepared speech. English IV classes also spend a semester improving on their writing skills.







MR. THOMAS HENSLEY, MR. NORMAN WARPENBURG, MR. DON DRAIN.

Math and Science for a Highly

The smell of sulphur or a sudden explosion is evidence that Mr. Hensley's chemistry classes are hard at work. He also teaches biology, is Assistant Counselor, and is an advisor of the Student Council.

Almost any scientific or mathematical feat can be expected of Mr. Warpenburg and his many classes. He teaches Practical Mathematics, Advanced Science, General Science, Algebra I and Physics, and is an advisor of the Junior Class.

Chalk and erasers are put to good use in Mr. Drain's math classes whether Algebra I or II, Geometry, or Advanced Math. He is also the advisor of the B Club.



Curves and figures make good sense to these geometry students as they watch Charles Body, Jim Lammle, and Susan Varner. They know that what they learn in this class can be applied to everyday life.

Prepare Us Technical World

Is it snow or fallout? Any chemistry student can tell you it is only the result of an experiment using a fire extinguisher.





Nancy Busey and Jerry Pendleton look on as Allen Merry, Steve Cokley, and Nancy Probus put the organs of the human body in place. While studying the parts of the human body and their functions, biology students test their knowledge by putting together Thucydides, a new addition to the biology equipment. Racing to see who can do this in the shortest time is a favorite pastime of these students.

Plan a Meal, Type a Letter,



MISS MARGARET HUSTEAD, MISS JOYCE HEIDKAMP

Teachers in the vocational classes combine book learning with practical projects.

Miss Hustead teaches Home Economics I, II, III, IV. She is an advisor of the Bulldogs Bark and the F.H.A.

Miss Heidkamp's classes learn skills in office practice, shorthand, typing, and bookkeeping. She is also an advisor of the Junior Class.

Home Ec. girls learn culinary arts and sewing techniques. Studies in family living give them a look into the future. Diane Stanley, Patty Pierce, Barbara Burton, Linda Lambert, Diane Stine, Linda Tieman and Brenda Henderson are putting the finishing touches on dresses they are making.





In Office Practice, girls learn to use office machines and duplicators, learn filing techniques, and become more proficient in shorthand and typing. They hope to use their skills in that future job. Karoline Fogel, Mary Burgess, Mary Brennan, and Pat Stoerger are practicing skills for speed and accuracy.

Design a Table,

or Plant a Field

. It's Vocational

Preparing us for the agricultural and industrial fields is the main objective of these teachers.

Mr. Ingram teaches Agriculture I, II, III, and IV and biology. He is an advisor of the Future Farmers of America and of the Junior class.

Mr. Heath teaches Industrial Arts I, II, III, and IV. He also serves as an advisor of the Senior class.



MR. OSCAR INGRAM, MR. RICHARD HEATH

Planning their Industrial Arts projects intrigues Gary Price, Dale Lambert, Chris Tempel, Larry Phipps, Wayne Zoch, and Steve Rittenhouse. Time spent at the drawing board is important to almost any project.



These ag boys are putting the finishing touches on Gary Harper's project of building a horse trailer. Much time and hard work is required before such projects are completed.





MR. DAVID METZLER, MISS CHARLOTTE GLENN

Music Enriches Our Lives

Talented teachers make musical arts interesting and rewarding. Mr. David Metzler conducts the concert and marching band. He also works with the dance band.

Miss Charlotte Glenn directs boys' chorus, girls' chorus, and mixed chorus. In addition to regular classes, she coaches the Bimmettes and Mixed Ensemble.



Hours of practice pay off in satisfaction when the band gives a good performance. Whether trilling a note or holding it four long beats, perfection is important.

Don't be sharp, don't be flat--just be natural. Harmony in voices reflects an interest and enjoyment in working together.



Physical Education Builds Our Bodies

Miss Gisinger and Mr. Terzian keep the physical fitness quotient high at B.H.S. The physical education classes take part in a variety of activities including badminton, basketball and volleyball.

Miss Gisinger teaches the girls' plysical education classes, and advises the cheerleaders and the G.A.A.

Mr. Terzian is the physical education teacher for the boys and the drivers' training instructor. Besides teaching these classes, he is a Freshman class advisor.





MISS MARY LOU GISINGER, MR. GEORGE TERZIAN

Mr. Terzian's physical education classes spend much time on body-building exercises including weight lifting, rope climbing and chin-ups.

Shown performing a modern dance are Carol Poling, Betty Stoerger, Cheryl Browning, Beverly Busey, and Diane Shepherd. Students use their creative talents to plan and perform different dances.



Helpers Prove Ready, Willing, and Able



These ready men are our chauffeurs as we travel to and from BHS. Added to the Crook Bus Service is the installation of short-wave radios. These prove helpful in emergencies such as stalled buses and bad weather.

Mr. Clarence Janes, Mr. Ralph Wright, Mr. Lynn Crook, Mr. Dale Clow, Mr. Olin Day, Mr. Paul Miles, Mr. Ira Woolridge.

These willing workers keep our school clean and neat. They also supervise the operation of a new gas furnace which was installed to replace an antiquated heating system.

Mr. Herb Helm, Mr. Loyd "Bunker" Hill.





When the bell calls "Come and get it," we know these able helpers have prepared a hot, nourishing meal for us. The new lunchroom for high school students and the dietitian's room added to the efficiency of the lunch program. Miss Mary Fern Clodfelter, Dietitian; Mrs. Nora Buckner, Mrs. Helen Jeffers, Mrs. Bertha Olinger, Mrs. Frances Adams, Mrs. Hazel Liestman.

Activities

We'll always remember the club meetings, homecoming, parties, initiations, the concerts, the staff sessions, the senior play, our "Evening in Paris"--all the events that made the days fly by.



A Variety of Events



Last year's seniors and entering freshmen join the rest of the student body at the first of the year for the Annual Party.

Autographing friends' annuals and reliving last year's events provides a full evening. As the Class of '62 leave BHS for the last time and the freshmen attend their first high school party; a new year begins.

The bonfire preceding the homecoming football game was a successful pep and spirit booster. Students did a snake dance through town to the football field. There Coach Terzian and the football players made short speeches, and the cheerleaders led the student body in cheers before a roaring bonfire.





Early in September, the seniors started selling magazines to make enough money to finance the Bim. Their sales totaled \$2542.29, the most a B. H. S. senior class has ever achieved. Mary Sue Burgess, the high salesman, sold \$249.20 worth of magazines. For her prize she chose a clock radio which Art Wilkinson is presenting to her. Pat Stoerger, general manager, Warren Hendrix, Eddie Gulliford and Dave Morris are waiting for their prizes.

Add Fun and Surprises to . . .



Kay Fisher, Patty Stoerger, Stella Breen, Toni Coffey, Sharon Thompson, Glenna Gorrell, Sue Steidinger, and Kathy Fisher are boarding a school bus bound for Monticello on College Day. There, representatives of colleges in Illinois speak to students about their college choices and plans.





The French II class prepared a meal of French cuisine which consisted of leg of lamb, onion soup, congealed beef boullion, homemade French bread, green beans, rice, caviar, floating cake, and French coffee. The meal was well prepared but the French foods tasted so different from that of American foods that the class were again thankful that they are Americans.

At the Christmas Concert on December 13, the audience joins the chorus in singing familiar Christmas carols as they are played by the band. Other songs were sung that evening by the Bimettes, the mixed ensemble, and the high school and grade school choruses. The songs played by the band and dance band also contributed to everyone's Christmas spirit.

As a prelude to the Christmas vacation, the Student Council planned a Christmas program for the student body at which several school organizations presented clever skits.

One of Santa's elves, Laddie Wright, here assists Santa, who strangely resembles Warren Hendrix, as he passes out the Christmas gifts to B. H. S. students. Charlene Alblinger tells Santa she "has been a good girl" and receives a Christmas present.



Our Memories of B. H. S.



Exasperated, Toni Coffey and Karoline Fogel restore order to their lockers which were among those "dumped" during an unexpected locker inspection. It is nice to have a clean locker at least once a year.



"Victory!" Steve Rittenhouse, Gordie Gulliford, Laddie Wright, Allan Fay, Jim Shonkwiler, and Gary Hendrix start the pep meeting with a roar-of laughter. This was one of the several skits which highlighted the Friday afternoon pep meetings.



February 19 was picture taking day at BHS. Mr. Bill Blankenburg of Blankenburg Photographers came to take group pictures of various organizations. Here he poses a group of G.A.A. girls. The pictures he took played an important part in presenting this yearbook.

Last Night - Anticipation "Tonight" - Homecoming



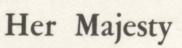
At last, it was "Tonight." As the gym filled, tension mounted. Lights dimmed, and the regal attendants entered followed by Her Majesty Mary Sue Burgess.

The Ray North Orchestra provided royal music for dancing in a transformed small gym. Soft lights and soft music enhanced the mood of "Tonight."

THE HOMECOMING COURT--Kay Fisher, Eddie Gulliford, Helen Bowen, Art Wilkinson, Steve Shonkwiler, Patty Clow, Valerie Lamb, Mary Sue Burgess, Warren Hendrix, Steve Rittenhouse, Sandra Shonkwiler, Jim Shonkwiler, Pat Stoerger. A spirited parade heralded the 1962 Homecoming festivities. On the eve of homecoming, a bonfire lit the night and cheers filled the air.

On October 12, excited spectators watched the Bulldogs battle the Monticello Sages to a 6-6 finish.





Mary Sue Burgess



The Queen's Court

Helen Bowen, Sandra Shonkwiler, Kay Fisher, Patty Stoerger

Class of '63 Presents "Glamour Boy"



FIRST ROW: Georgia Belle Roberts-Glenna Gorrell; Chauncey Jay Mooney-Jim Jordan; photographer-Karoline Fogel. SEC-OND ROW: Clarissa Green-Sue Steidinger; Audrey Nelson-Kay Fisher; Corky Williams-Gary Harper; Miss Davis-Jo Pembroke; Mr. Garfield-Warren Hendrix.



Classmates, the office secretary, the principal, and the photographer look on in wonder and amazement as Chauncey demonstrates to them the method he used to save Georgia Belle Roberts from drowning. The globe in his hand represents a punch bowl which he carried during the rescue.

Miss Thorndyke-Sharon Thompson; Mr. Garfield; Miss Prescott, Claris Smith; Georgia Belle Roberts; Chauncey Jay Mooney; Miss Higgins-Mary Brennan; J. C. Roberts-Art Wilkinson; Miss Davis.

Miss Thorndyke affirms that Chauncey really did win a literary prize for his autobiography even though the events he wrote about happened only in his daydreams.

FIRST ROW: Georgia Belle Roberts, Chauncey Jay Mooney; radio announcer-Jim Shonkwiler; Miss Prescott; Roxanne Towner-Kathy Fisher.

A radio announcer has come to Oakville High to interview Chauncey who has become a national hero overnight since he saved Georgia Belle Roberts.



Prom- -in the Shadow of the Eiffel Tower



On the evening of May 4, the juniors and their guests, the seniors, embarked on an enchanting "Evening in Paris." The evening was moonlit and the decorations were beautiful.

At an elaborate banquet before the Prom, the juniors, seniors, and faculty members enjoyed a delicious meal served by "French" waitresses from the freshman and sophomore classes.

After everyone had finished eating, master of ceremonies Glen Kitson introduced the acts in the entertaining floor show which featured junior talent. Six lovely French girls led the entertainment by singing the a-propos songs "Chanson L'Amour" and "Whatever Will Be Will Be." Then Danny Harper showed real showmanship pantomiming an hilarious song.

For the final performance of the evening, Margie Buckner, and Gary Gallagher did a charming soft shoe dance to the "Sandpaper Ballet".

At the "Prom", the juniors, seniors, and their guests spent an "Evening in Paris" dancing in the shadow of the Eiffel Tower. The Orchestra provided dreamy music for the long-awaited evening.





Blue lights shone on a vendor's cart filled with colorful flowers. Hidden in the midst of the flowers was a popular attraction, a punch bowl filled with cool, pink punch. Helen Bowen waits patiently as her escrot Bob Harper, an alumnus of B.H.S., serves punch to her.



BIM Staff Records BHS Memories

Mary Brennan, Editor Steve Ball, Assistant Editor Miss Houston, Advisor



FIRST ROW: Helen Bowen, Eddie Gulliford, Mary Burgess, Layout Editors. SECOND ROW: Glenna Gorrell, Kay Fisher, Warren Hendrix, Claris Smith, Copywriters. THIRD ROW: Jo Burgess, Freshman Editor; Jim Pruitt, Sophomore Editor; Abbie Morris, Junior Editor.

Jerry Allen, Steve Wallace, Photographers; Joanne Pembroke, Art Wilkinson, Business Managers; Kathy Fisher, Linda Burton, Sandra Busey, Karoline Fogel, Typists.



Student Council Voices Student Opinions

The Bement Student Council consists of four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, and two freshmen. Each class elects its own members. The Council has efficiently provided entertainment for the student body this year. They sponsored three school parties--a playnight, a semiformal dance, and a picnic-as well as coke dances, a Christmas program, and intramural volleyball during the noon hours. Homecoming plans and decorations are a major Student Council



activity. An important duty of the Council is patrolling the lunchline.

The Okaw exchange is an interesting way for students to visit another school and to learn how it differs from their own. This year Bernent and Tuscola were paired. The picture to the right was taken on the day Tuscola Council members visited Bernent. Those seated in the picture are Helen Bowen, Melinda Carroll, Kay Fisher, Dorinda Knapp, Sue Hillard, and Sue Fisher. Those standing are Mr. Hargrave, Mr. Lineburger, Clayton Harris, Bill Tracy, Mike Kyle, Steve Marker, Art Wilkinson, Mike Carroll, and Mr. Hensley.

During the spring Okaw Valley Student Council meeting, Lowell Bentley, who will be on Bernent's Student Council next year, was elected President of the Okaw Council. This will mark the fourth consecutive year that Bernent has had an officer on this Council.

FIRST ROW: Art Wilkinson, senior, President; Sue Hillard, junior; Steve Marker, junior; Sue Fisher, junior; Helen Bowen, senior, Okaw Student Council Secretary; Warren Hendrix, senior, Vice-President; Kay Fisher, senior, Secretary-treasurer. SECOND ROW: Larry Burton, freshman; Bill Tracy, sophomore; Jo Burgess, freshman; Peggy Hendrix, sophomore; Mr. Hargrave, Advisor; Mr. Hensley, Advisor.



Editors, Writers, Typists - - -

Refreshments are enjoyed at any party, and the News Staff party was no exception. Among the first in line for the generous snack are Roger Moery, Abbie Morris, Claris Smith, Paul Malohn, David Fisher, and Gary Hendrix.

Dancing, relays, and volleyball provided the entertainment for the evening; and the News Staff party proved to be both memorable and enjoyable.



FIRST ROW: Brenda Morris, Janet Medaris, Sue Steidinger, Sue Yeates, Medaris. SECOND ROW: Mary Poling, Margaret Poling, Peggy Hendrix, Lammle, Sharon Ard, Melinda Marker. THIRD ROW: Sue Hillard, Gary Galla Hess, Steve Rittenhouse, Sharon Thompson, Harry Sutphen, Glen Kitson,

FIRST ROW: Sandra Shonkwiler, SECOND ROW: Margery Buckner, David Fisher, Claris Smith. THIRD Paul Malohn, Jim Fay, Roger





This Team Produces the Bulldogs Bark



Judy Funk, Art Wilkinson, Mary Betty Rainey, Susan Varner, Jim gher, Gordon Gulliford, Betty Abbie Morris.



Jan Funk, Co-Editor; Toni Coffey, Editor; and Miss Margaret Hustead, Advisor, are the chiefs that keep the News Staff writers productive and progressive. Under their able leadership the Bulldogs Bark has provided both information and entertainment for readers.

Kay Larimore, Mary Hinton, Sharon Hendrix, Carolyn Gallivan, Diane Stine. Cynthia Dare, Marilee Alblinger, Mary Jeffers, Pat Coffey, Charlene Alblinger, ROW: Jim Pruitt, Gary Hendrix, Steve Ball, Eddie Gulliford, Joanne Pembroke, Moery, Johnny Bill Hendrix.



G. A. A. Provides Fun and



FIRST ROW: Miss Gisinger, Advisor. SEC-OND ROW: Joanne Pembroke, President. THIRD ROW: Sue Hillard, Vice-President; Fran Harshbarger, Secretary-Treasurer. FOURTH ROW: Kay Fisher, Sporthead; Charlene Alblinger, Sporthead; Donna Taylor, Point Chairman. FIFTH ROW: Kay Larimore, Sporthead; Mary Brennan, Sporthead; Mary Hinton, Sporthead; Sharon Hendrix, Sporthead.



The G.A.A. meets each Tuesday night after school to enjoy sports activities. The sports, which change each six weeks, include softball, basketball, volleyball, bowling, and badminton. In addition, this year has included candy sales, a candy-sales party, initiation of new members, installation of next year's officers at a Mother-daughter tea, and Christmas caroling.

Each year a formal initiation is held to honor G.A.A. initiates. These initiates-Linda Strohl, Sharon Ard, Mary Jeffers, and Sue Yeates- stand in line to receive their G.A.A. pins from the officers, Joanne Pembroke, Fran Harshbarger, Sue Hillard, and Donna Taylor. The pins are presented during a candlelight service in which the officers explain the ideals of G.A.A.

Fellowship for Active Girls



FIRST ROW: Marcia Doenitz, Glenna Gorrell, Janet Medaris, Linda Strohl, Sue Yeates, Jean Ater. SECOND ROW: Ellen Haynes, Mary Poling, Jackie Stanton, Cynthia Dare, Diane Stine, Peggy Hendrix, Doris Jamison, Carol Poling. THIRD ROW: Patty Coffey, Marilee Alblinger, Sharon Ard, Jeanie Smith, Margery Buckner, Donna Kitson, Mary Jeffers, Carolyn Gallivan, Cheryl Browning. FOURTH ROW: Betty Rainey, Sue Siders, Teena Thornton, Mary Dick, Sue Varner, Justine McHale, Evelyn Hinton, Kathy Fisher.

On December 17, the G.A.A. and F.H.A. members met at the homeec room. From there they went Christmas carollng to the homes of elderly and shutin people living in Bement. The picture at the right was taken while the girls were singing at the Rest Haven. When they had finished caroling, the girls returned to the home-ec room for refreshments of cocoa and doughnuts and for a gift exchange.







Librarians Serve Us Well

OFFICERS -- Sharon Thompson, Secretary-Treasurer; Abbie Morris, Vice-President; Kathy Fisher, President; Miss Houston, Advisor.

The Bookworms are led in their duties by Miss Houston and the officers. The girls to the left are working in the north office where the student librarians take turns typing file cards and book lists. Besides checking out books and waiting on the students, busy Bookworms set up displays on the bulletin board and peg board, keep the magazine rack and files in order, and keep the shelves neat. A different girl takes care of the desk each study period.

SEATED: Danna Hite. STANDING: Joanne Pembroke, Mary Hinton, Mary Poling, Jean Ater.

SEATED: Ruth Perry. STANDING: Elizabeth Hess, Barbara Burton, Pat Coffey, Pat Stoerger, Stella Breen, Sandra Busey, Mary Koester, Margaret Poling, Toni Coffey, Claris Smith, Nancy Busey, Brenda Tieman, Linda Funk.



F.H.A. Prepares Homemakers for Tomorrow



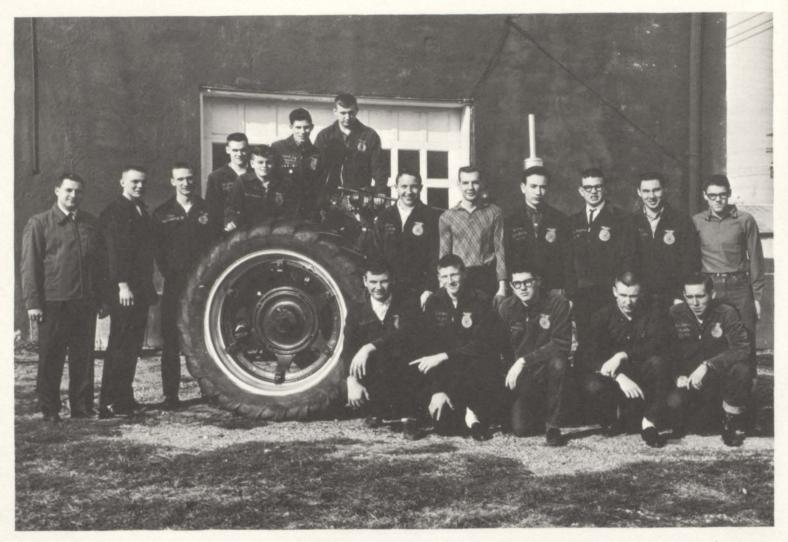
The Future Homemakers of America emphasized family living this year. As part of this program, the girls heard Reverend Polzine and Father Arensburg speak on the successes and failures of early marriages. Other activities of the club were a bake sale, Christmas caroling with the G. A. A., and a cookbook sale. Spring activities included a trip to St. Louis, and a Mother-Daughter Tea in conjunction with the Style Show and the installation of officers on May 16.

FIRST ROW: Betty Stoerger, Jean Ater, Genie Wright; SECOND ROW: Pam Hixon, Linda Lambert, Brenda Tieman. THIRD ROW: Nancy Probus, Linda Tieman, Melody Hudson, Patty Pierce. FOURTH ROW: Mary Koester, Judy Allen, Stella Breen. FIFTH ROW: Nancy Busy, Sharon Ard, Barbara Burton, Pat Stoerger. SIXTH ROW: Mary Dick, Diane Morgan, Evelyn Hinton, Diane Fogerson, Margaret Fairbanks.

OFFICERS--FIRST ROW: Doris Jamison, President; Miss Hustead, Advisor. SECOND ROW: Susan Varner, Secretary-Treasurer; Karoline Fogel, Vice-President; Diane Stanley, Public Relations Chairman. THIRD ROW: Brenda Henderson, Recreation Chairman; Sandra Shonkwiler, Points Chairman.



F. F. A. Builds Farmers



OFFICERS--Mr. Ingram, Advisor; Tom Fogel, Reporter; John McCullough, Sentinel; Gary Harper, Secretary; Bob Davis, Treasurer; David Fay, President; Bob Knowles, Vice-President. KNEELING: John Larson, Raymond Stoerger, David Dobson, Dave Morris, John Riddle. BACK ROW: Steve Hendrix, Ron Bilbrey, David Zindars, John Hendrix, Duane Thompson, Danny Harper.



The Bernent Chapter of the Future Farmers of America is composed of students who are taking agriculture or have taken it at least one year. The first two years of the agriculture course are concerned with the study of soils and farm animals, while the last two years emphasize mechanics and welding. The F.F.A. sponsors a parent-son night for which they cook the meal. Mr. Charles Rayburn, the present state secretary-treasurer of the F.F.A., who was the guest speaker, spoke on "Believing in the Future of Farming and Agriculture."

with Character and Skill



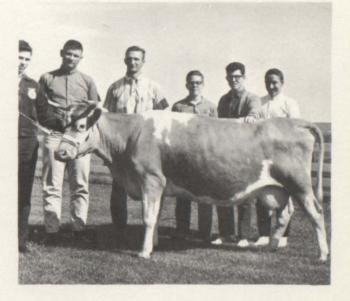
An important event of the Parent-Son Banquet of the F.F.A. is the crowning of the F.F.A. Sweetheart. Any senior girl who is a member of the F.H.A. organization is eligible to be chosen F.F.A. Sweetheart by the F.F.A. boys. Officers Gary Harper, David Fay, Bob Knowles, and Bob Davis show Pat Stoerger, the 1963 F.F.A. Sweetheart, where her name will be placed on their placque.





The fat stock judging team of Tom Fogel, Dave Zindars, Gary Harper, Bob Knowles, Duane Thompson, and John Hendrix placed below the top ten teams in competition.

The dairy judging team of David Fay, John Larson, John McCullough, Tom Rutledge, Dave Dobson, and Steve Hendrix also placed below the top ten teams in competition.



The F.F.A. boys who won awards are Gary Harper--Dekalb Award, David Fay--Dairy, John Riddle--Shop, John Larson--Beef Cattle Award and Chapter Farmer Pin, Bob Knowles--Swine, Ray Stoerger--Corn and Chapter Farmer Pin, Duane Thompson--Chapter Farmer Pin, Tom Fogel--Baby Beef Award and Sectional F.F.A. Award in Beef, David Zindars--Chapter Farmer Pin, and John McCullough--Sheep.

Latin Club Members Relive Ancient Roman Glory



A festive Roman Banquet highlights the activities of the Latin Club. A variety of delicious food is served by the slaves (the initiates) to the reclining "Romans". Skits and dancing in the old Roman style entertains the well-fed guests.

Besides planning the banquet, the Latin Club devotes time to supplementing their knowledge of Latin and the Roman people with reports and discussions. Games played using Latin make learning fun.

FIRST ROW: Mrs. Dare, Advisor; Laddie Wright, President; Jim Lammle, Vice-President; Stanley Wright, Secretary-Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Beverly Busey, Linda Strohl, Janet Medaris, Jackie Stanton, Linda Phoebus, Carol Poling, Sue Ann Yeates. THIRD ROW: James Ayers, David Fisher, Donna Kitson, Cynthia Dare, Ellen Haynes, John Doolin, Woodie Dean. FOURTH ROW: Pat Coffey, Regina Smith, Alan Merry, Cheryl Browning, Vic Manny, Marilee Alblinger, Peggy Hendrix. FIFTH ROW: Bob Glennon, Dana Hite, Betty Rainey, Steve Gonzalez, Jim Pruitt, Patsy Burton, Mary Jeffers, Rod Medaris. SIXTH ROW: Jon Adams, Gordon Gulliford, Mike Brennan, Paul Malohn, Sue Siders, Larry Burton, Jim Fay, Bill Tracy, Gary Hendrix.



Science Proves Exciting



FIRST ROW: Mr. Hensley, Advisor; Lowell Bentley, Director; Steve Marker, Public Relations Officer; Roger Moery, Assessor. SECOND ROW: Linda Funk, Jan Funk, Janet Medaris, Ellen Haynes, Sue Steidinger, Sue Ann Yeates. THIRD ROW: Sue Fisher, Charlene Alblinger, Sharon Hendrix, Margery Bunkner, Marilee Alblinger, Cynthia Dare, Mary Hinton. FOURTH ROW: John Doolen, Jim Lammle, Polly Larson, Carolyn Gallivan, Mary Jeffers, Patty Coffey, Jerry Allen, Bob Hendrix. FIFTH ROW: Jim Pruitt, Steve Gonzales, Sue Siders, Abbie Morris, Sharon Thompson, Kay Larimore, Gary Gallagher, Steve Redman, Rodney Medaris. SIXTH ROW: Gordon Gulliford, Gus Wall, Paul Smith, Alan Fay, Irvin Foran, Bob Carpenter, Jim Fay, Steve Ball, Bill Tracy, Glen Kitson. NOT IN PICTURE: Sue Hillard, Melinda Marker.

The Science Club sponsors two main activities. The first is the science department exhibit at the P.T.A. Open House. Displays are prepared by the general science, biology, advanced science, chemistry, and physics classes. The second is the trip to the University of Illinois Science Open House.

In the picture to the right, David Fisher and Jon Adams are shown demonstrating the use of a microprojector to David Redman, a future Bement High School pupil who was visiting the department during the P.T.A. Open House.



Harmony of Instruments- with a Beat

The Bement High School band experienced a rewarding school year. Their activities included participation in the Christmas Concert on December 13 and the Spring Concert on May 9, playing for some basketball games and pep meetings, and competing in the state contest where they received a second rating.

The Twilighters, our swinging dance band, took part in the two concerts. For the first time a Bernent stage band went to contest. Out of all the schools there, the Twilighters were second only to a band from Decatur. They were also asked to play at several meetings, conferences, and coke dances.



TWILIGHTERS DANCE BAND

FIRST ROW: Steve Wallace, Sue Fisher, Sue Siders, Nancy Marshall, Cynthia Dare, Mary Medaris, Abbie Morris. SECOND ROW: John Larson, Rodney Medaris, Kay Larimore, Ray Plummer, Steve Ball. THIRD ROW: Mr. Metzler, Marcia Doenitz, Helen Bowen, Laddie Wright, Allen Merry, Steve Wrench.



FIRST ROW: Melody Hudson, Genie Wright, Jo Burgess, Ellen Haynes, Abbie Morris, Kay Fisher, Sue Steidinger. SECOND ROW: Glenna Gorrell, Cynthia Dare, Kathy Fisher, Gus Wall, Steve Gonzalez, Polly Larson, Susan Varner, Steve Wallace, Sue Fisher, Janet Medaris, Jim Lamb, Nancy Marshall, Sue Siders. THIRD ROW: Melinda Marker, Steve Hendrix, John Turner, Alan Merry, Helen Bowen, Laddie Wright, Roger Marshall, Marcia Doenitz, Rodney Medaris, John Larson, Ray Plummer, Mary Burgess, Kay Larimore. FOURTH ROW: Bob Carpenter, Steve Wrench, Gary Hendrix, Steve Ball.

Mr. Metzler, Director





MAJORETTES--Joanne Pembroke, Charlene Alblinger, Marilee Alblinger, Linda Funk, Jan Funk-Drum Majorette.

High Stepping Performers Enhance Halftimes

Bulldog Boosters were entertained at home football games by a well-drilled marching band. The band was led down the field by five lively majorettes and the flag bearer, Judy Funk.

At the homecoming game, spectators viewed the band as it portrayed favorite activities of various seasons. Here the band is shown participating in a popular spring sport--baseball.



Instrumentalists Play at State Contest



INSTRUMENTAL SOLOISTS

SEATED: Cynthia Dare, clarinet-Second in State; Mary Medaris, piano-First in State. STANDING: Melody Hudson, flute-Third in State; Rodney Medaris, baritone-First in State; Tom Rutledge, trombone-Third in State; Abbie Morris, flute-First in State.





CLARINET QUARTET

Glenna Gorrell, Gus Wall, Steve Gonzales, Cynthia Dare-Second in State.

SAXOPHONE SEXTET

Steve Wallace, Jim Lamb, Nancy Marshall, Sue Siders, Sue Fisher, Janet Medaris-First in State.



TROMBONE TRIO

Kay Larimore, Ray Plumber, Mary Burgess-Second in State.

FLUTE DUET

Kay Fisher, Sue Steidinger-Second in State.







Mary Medaris, Pianist.

FIRST ROW: Linda Lambert, Melody Hudson, Betty Stoerger, Jan Genie Wight, Sue Yeates, Glenna Gorrell, Linda Funk, Linda Tieman, Smith, Diane Shepherd, JoBurgess, David Fisher, Howard Spearman, banks, Justine McHale, Nancy Busey, Marsha Stanton, Brenda Stella Breen, Mary Dick, Rodney Medaris, Johnny Bill Hendrix, Sharon Hendrix, Charlene Alblinger, Doris Jamison. FOURTHROW: Evelyn Hinton, Ed Gulliford, Paul Malohn, Steve Wrench, Irvin lyn Gallivan, Teena Thornton, Betty Rainey, Patsy Burton.

Harmony of Voices- -

This year's chorus of sixty members was the largest chorus in the history of BHS. The mixed chorus took part in presenting the Christmas and Spring Concerts. State contest was held April 20. The mixed chorus received a third rating. The chorus' final appearance of the year was at the Baccalaureate Service.



Funk, Jackie Stanton, Diane Stine, Jean Ater, Linda Strohl, Judy Funk. SECOND ROW: Pam Hixon, Peggy Hendrix, Claris Warren Hendrix, John Doolen, Woody Dean, Margaret Fair-Morris. THIRD ROW: Sue Fisher, Diane Stanley, Danna Hite, Raymond Dick, Gary Hendrix, Mary Koester, Brenda Henderson, Melinda Marker, Diane Morgan, Sue Hillard, Abbie Morris, Foran, Gary Happer, Marvin Fairbanks, Diane Fogerson, Caro-

with a Song

Miss Glenn, Director



Vocalists Sing at State Contest



BOYS' ENSEMBLE--CLOCKWISE FROM BOTTOM: John Doolen, Warren Hendrix, Eddie Gulliford, Steve Wrench, Gary Harper, Gary Hendrix, Rodney Medaris. Not pictured is Mike Cody.

The Boys' Ensemble sang for Christmas and Spring concerts. They received a rating of good at State Contest.



MIXED ENSEMBLE--CLOCKWISE FROM BOTTOM: Genie Wright, Marvin Faribanks, Teena Thornton, Eddie Gulliford, Abbie Morris, Rod Medaris, Diane Stine. Not pictured is Mike Cody.

The Mixed Ensemble entertained at community functions. They received a rating of good at State Contest.



BIMETTES--FIRST ROW: Glenna Gorrell, Claris Smith. SECOND ROW: Diane Stanley, Melinda Marker. THIRD ROW: Mary Medaris, Sharon Hendrix.

The Bimettes received a rating of excellent at State Contest. They also appeared at Christmas and Spring Concerts and at various community functions.

VOCAL SOLOISTS--CLOCKWISE FROM BOTTOM: Jean Ater, Second in State; Genie Wright, Third in State; Gary Harper, Third in State; Betty Rainey, Third in State; Diane Stanley, Second in State; Judy Funk, First in State. Not pictured is Diane Stine who received a Fourth in State.



Sports

We'll always remember the chill of football games, the excitement of basketball games, the flying cinders of track meets, intramural competition, and the energy and enthusiasm of the cheerleaders.





FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS

Through their energy and enthusiasm these girls stimulated school spirit among the students and encouraged the team to do its best.

The varsity football cheerleaders attended Cheerleader School at Illinois State University in Bloomington last summer. In competition with about thirty schools having squads of five or more, our girls won a first place rating.

VARSITY--STANDING: Fran Harshbarger, Mary Hinton, Sue Steidinger, Helen Bowen, Sue Hillard.

JUNIOR VARSITY--KNEELING: Sue Siders, Ellen Haynes, Donna Kitson, Judy Funk.

They Lead Cheers with Precision and Spirit

BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS

VARSITY--STANDING: Mary Hinton, Sue Hillard, Sharon Hendrix, Fran Harshbarger, Helen Bowen.

JUNIOR VARSITY--KNEELING: Sue Siders, Ellen Haynes, Donna Kitson, Marilee Alblinger.

B-Club Unites Top Athletes

The lettermen's organization of Bement High is the B-Club. Any boy who earns a letter as a member of an athletic team or as a manager is eligible to join.

Funds are raised by running a football and a basketball stand. These funds are used for the B-Club playnight and for buying B-Club pins. These pins are to be presented to the senior members and to the second-year members.

In order to make the display of the sports trophies more effective, the B-Club decided to put all of the basketball trophies into the trophy case in the foyer of the large gym and to arrange all other trophies in the trophy case in the high school corridor.

Shown in this picture are Coach Drain, Steve Marker, Bob Knowles, Art Wilkinson, and Bill Tracy.



FIRST ROW: Mr. Drain, Advisor; Warren Hendrix, President; Art Wilkinson, Vice-President; Alan Fay, Secretary-Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Jerry Allen, Larry Phipps, Roger Moery, Bill Tracy, Steve Marker. THIRD ROW: Steve Ball, Lowell Bentley, Eddie Gulliford, Glen Kitson, Marvin Fairbanks, Bob Knowles. FOURTH ROW: Dave Dobson, Paul Smith, Irvin Foran, Steve Rittenhouse, Jim Shonkwiler, Tom Fogel, Bob Carpenter.





Bulldog Gridders



COACH AND CO-CAPTAINS Coach Terzian, Art Wilkinson, Warren Hendrix.

FULLBACKS--Jim Shonkwiler, Bill Tracy, Larry Phipps.

Inexperience proved to be harmful to the 1962 football team as it compiled an 0-6-2 record. The Bulldogs lost to Tuscola, the conference champions, by a mere seven points. The highlight of the season was the Homecoming game with Monticello in which both teams battled to a 6-6 tie.

SEASON'S RECORD

BHS		OPPONENT
6	Leland-Weldon	13
6	Tuscola	13
0	Oakland	7
0	Unity	26
6	Monticello	6
6	Atwood	18
19	Sullivan	26
0	Cerro Gordo	0





Eddie Gulliford, Bob Knowles, Glen Kitson, Irvin Foran, Lowell Bentley, Paul Smith, Jim Shonkwiler, Steve Marker, Art Wilkinson, Steve Rittenhouse, Warren Hendrix.

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	Yardage	Average
Kitson	254	4.7
Wilkinson	235	4.2
	SCORING	
	Touchdowns	Extra Points
Wilkinson	4	1
Hendrix	1	
Kitson	1	
Moery	1	
Tracy		1

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LEADING TACKLERS Rittenhouse 53 Wilkinson 42 Moery 42 Shonkwiler 36 Bentley 36 Hendrix 30 Marker 29

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER Art Wilkinson

BEST LINEMAN Warren Hendrix

GUARDS--Irvin Foran, Alan Fay, Terry York, Gus Wall, Gary Gallagher, Steve Marker.

TACKLES--Bob Knowles, Marvin Fairbanks, Bob Carpenter, Gary Price.



Football Squads Display Spirit and



ENDS--John McCullough, Tom Fogel, Eddie Gulliford, David Dobson, Warren Hendrix.

CENTERS -- Paul Smith, Steve Rittenhouse.



VARSITY--FIRST ROW: Steve Ball, Varsity Manager; Mike Hite, Ricky Slagle, Junior Varsity Managers; Larry Phipps*, Roger Moery*, Steve Marker*, Art Wilkinson*, Jim Fay, Varsity Manager. SECOND ROW: Coach Drain, Irvin Foran*, Tom Fogel*, Jim Shonkwiler*, Steve Rittenhouse*, John McCullough*, Alan Fay*, Bob Carpenter*, Coach Terzian. THIRD ROW: Coach Long, Gordon Gulliford, Terry York, Bill Tracy*, Gus Wall, Gary Price*, Gary Gallagher, Glen Kitson*. FOURTH ROW: Warren Henrix*, Bob Knowles*, Eddie Gulliford*, Paul Smith*, David Dobson*, Marvin Fairbanks*, Lowell Bentley*.



Determination Throughout the Year



The future of the Bulldog gridders looks brighter for 1963 because of the experience that the junior varsity squad obtained. The Bullpups fought hard for a 1-3-1 record.

HALFBACKS--Glen Kitson, Gordon Gulliford, Roger Moery, Art Wilkinson.

QUARTERBACKS--Mike Brennan, Lowell Bentley.



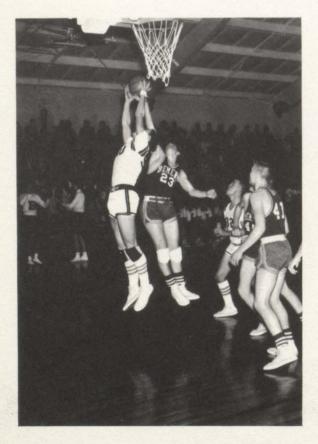
JUNIOR VARSITY--FIRST ROW: Jim Lammle, Bob Glennon, John Boebeck, John Hendrix, Bob Hendrix, Charles Body. SECOND ROW: Larry Phipps, Duane Thompson, Jim Lamb, Ray Plummer, Steve Hendrix, Steve Gonzales, Mike Hite, Manager. THIRD ROW: Stanley Wright, John Doolen, Vic Manny, Alan Merry, Tom Rutledge, Laddie Wright, Ricky Slagle, Manager. FOURTH ROW: Coach Drain, Gordon Gulliford, David Dobson, Gary Price, Paul Malohn, John Larson, Steve Wrench, Mike Brennan, Bill Tracy, George Dick.



VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD--Tom Fogel*, Alan Fay*, Lowell Bentley*, Glen Kitson*, Terry Taylor, Roger Moery, Warren Hendrix*, Steve Marker, Art Wilkinson*, Coach Drain, Steve Ball, Varsity Trainer; Jim Fay, Varsity Manager.

*LETTERMEN

Bulldogs Show Promise on the Hardwood



VARSITY RECORD

BHS		OPPONENTS	BHS		OPPONENTS
43	Mowequa	41	68	Newman	77
39	Mahomet	61	58	Argenta	52
43	Atwood	59	50	Villa Grove	36
40	Arthur	50	39	Unity	56
36	Mansfield	50	51	Sullivan	55
32	Arcola	52	55	Deland Weldon	48
33	Cerro Gordo	73	43	Oakland	44
42	Monticello	40	50	Fisher	41
59	Lovington	48			
		TOURNAM	IENT	GAMES	
		BHS			OPPONENT
Monti	cello Holidas	39		Rantoul	70

32	Rantoul	70
44	Tuscola	59
39	Mahomet	46
	44	44 Tuscola

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LEADING SCORERS

1	Points	Percentage
Glen Kitson	275	.348
Art Wilkinson	243	.455
LEADING	G REBOUNDERS	
Alan Fay	114	
Glen Kitson	86	
Team Shooting Percentage	.380	
Team Free Throw Percentage	.631	
Most Valuable Player	Art Wilkinson	
Free Throw Award Winner	Art Wilkinson	



The two and nineteen record compiled by the Junior Varsity squad is no indication of what will happen in the future. In many of the games the boys played against older and more accomplished players. The boys gained invaluable experience both in practice and in games.

In a Building Season

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD--FIRST ROW: Jim Lammle, Gordon Gulliford, Dave Dobson, Martin Poling, Irvin Foran, John McCullough, Paul Malohn, Bill Tracy, Rod Medaris, Donnie Shumard. SECOND ROW: Coach Terzian, David Fisher, Mike Hite, Gary Hendrix, Larry Burton, Harry Sutphen, Jon Adams, Ray Plummer, Steve Cokely, Stanley Wright, Bob Glennon, Alan Merry, Junior Varsity Managers.





Track Develops Speed and Stamina

FIRST ROW: Coach Drain, Roger Moery^{*}, Glen Kitson^{*}, Ron Bilbrey^{*}, Alan Fay^{*}, Gordon Gulliford^{*}, Terry Taylor^{*}, Assistant Coach Terzian. SECOND ROW: Duane Thompson^{*}, Steve Wallace, Bill Tracy^{*}, Steve Wrench, Martin Poling, Marvin Fairbanks, Steve Gonzales^{*}, Steve Ball, Trainer^{*}. THIRD ROW: Woodie Dean, Bob Glennon, John Hendrix, Harry Sutphen, Larry Burton^{*}, Steve Hendrix, Ray Plummer, Vic Manny.

The losing record of the track squad is no indication of how hard the boys worked throughout the season to improve their various times and distances. The majority of the track team is made up of juniors and sophomores who show great promise. The best individual achievement of the season was Roger Moery's coming within a half-inch of the school broad jump record.

*LETTERMEN

LEADING	POINT	PRODUCERS	
Roger Moe	ry		40
Gordon Gu	lliford		33
Ron Bilbre	у		27
Alan Fay			17

Intramural

The Intramural program is sponsored by the Student Council. Two primary volleyball tournaments were conducted throughout the school year with the winners of each tournament competing in three games for the championship. After these three exciting games, the Avantis proved that they were the better team.

FIRST ROW: Glen Kitson, Sue Steidinger, Jim Jordan-Captain, Betty Stoerger, Ricky Slagle. SECOND ROW: Gordon Gulliford, Raymond Stoerger, Fran Harshbarger, Vic Manny.



Students

We'll always remember the special friends, class meetings, class parties, and the money-raising projects.

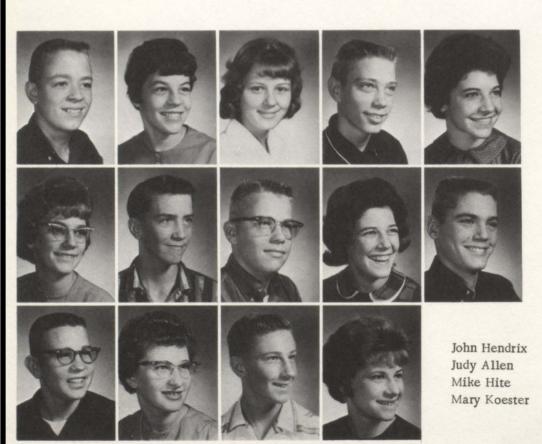


The freshman year is a time for new experiences and adjustments. During this first year of high school, the freshmen take several special tests. Here they enter the projection room to find their seats to take the NEDT test which was held in March.

These underclassmen also have time for fun. At their freshman party they enjoyed a rousing game of wiffle ball, several amusing skits, fast moving relays, and dancing.



Freshmen Adjust to BHS Life



Vic Manny, President Judy Funk, Vice-President Wendy Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer Larry Burton, Student Council Jo Burgess, Student Council

Cheryl Browning Barney Gadbury Jim Lamb Justine McHale Ray Plummer



With Earnest Endeavor



Linda Phebus Greg Temple Brenda Morris Gary Hendrix Rom Rutledge Carol Poling

Alan Merry Betty Stoerger Steve Hendrix Melody Hudson Harold Pettyjohn Jon Adams

Sophomores,



Bob Hendrix, President



John Doolin, Vice-President Betty Rainey, Secretary-Treasurer



Some studious looking sophomores leave after a hard day in the classroom. The sophomores have now adjusted to high school life and are preparing themselves for the scholastic needs of future years.





Peggy Hendrix, Student Council Member Bill Tracy, Student Council Member







Steve Gonzalez Barbara Burton Ronald Gulley Nancy Probus Ray Horn

George Dick Linda Tieman Jim Fay Regina Smith Raymond Stoeger Susan Varner

Sue Siders Charles Body Barbara Busey Paul Malohn Pat Coffey Jim Lammle















Though Still Underclassmen,

Roger Marshall Cynthia Dare Laddie Wright Brenda Henderson John Turner



Mike Brennan Janet Medaris Jim Pruitt













Gordon Gulliford

Steve Redman Sue Ann Yeates







Linda Lambert Bill Thornton



Howard Spearman















Ellen Haynes

Gary Shaffer



Chris Temple

Danna Hite Larry Phipps

> Polly Larson David Dobson Donna Kitson Gary Price



Dale Lambert Kay Larimore John Larson Mary Jeffers Wayne Zoch

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Are Always Working Upward



Steve Wrench Mary Dick Duane Thompson Patty Pierce





Steve Wallace Marilee Ablinger Jesse Whitely Diane Stanley Rodney Medaris





Kevin Hixson Linda Funk David Zindars Pam Hixson Geni Wright

Some of the sophomores rest while they eat refreshments of sandwiches and pop served during the sophomore party. Teams for games were designated by colored banners given each sophomore when they arrived. Some of the games played during the evening were volleyball, relays, and passing beans over the shoulder. Humor was added to the occasion by a suitcase game. After the games, the class enjoyed dancing.



Juniors Work at Studies, . . .



Margaret Poling, President



Gus Wall, Vice-President



Mary Hinton, Secretary



Mary Poling, Treasurer



Planning and giving a Prom for the seniors was an interesting junior project. Lowell Bentley, Doris Jamison, and Melinda Marker are a few of the junior class members who had the enjoyable task of working three nights to transform the small gym into a Parisian scene for the gala evening.

Sue Fisher, Student Council Member Steve Marker, Student Council Member Sue Hillard, Student Council Member



Gary Gallagher Nancy Marshall Tom Tracy Teena Thornton Jim Fuqua

Prom Plans, and Money-Raising Projects

Bob Davis Mary Daugherty John McCullough Carolyn Gallivan Paul Smith Doris Jamison



Bob Knowles Alan Fay Fran Harshbarger Tony Hite Irvin Foran

Terry Taylor Margery Buckner Danny Harper Charlene Alblinger Glen Kitson





Bob Carpenter Jerry Allen





Roy Slagle Evelyn Hinton Marvin Fairbanks Brenda Tieman Mike Cody

Don Shumard Donna Taylor Raymond Dick Marcia Stanton Charles Van Matre

to Achieve a Successful Year









Steve Ball Marcia Doenitz Terry York Roger Moery Sharon Hendrix

Melinda Marker Lowell Bentley Abbie Morris Tom Fogel Diane Morgan



Mike Morgan Jan Funk Martin Poling

The major project of the Junior class was sponsoring the Junior-Senior Prom. To earn money to finance the Prom, enthusiastic Juniors worked at the football stands and held a candy sale. Shown receiving their candy orders are Irvin Foran, Tony Hite, Marcia Doenitz, Nancy Marshall, and Melinda Marker.





ARTHUR ROLLINS WILKINSON Art--A contagious smile--An allaround guy with an accent on sports.

Class Vice-President 1, President 2; Student Council President 4; Band 1, 2; B Club 2, 3, 4, Sergeant-at-Arms 2, Vice-President 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Vice-President 2; News Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Baseball 1, 2; Homecoming Escort 4; SAR Award Winner; Senior Play.



HELEN LOUISE BOWEN Helen--Fine as a student and even better as a friend--A lot of pep in a small package.

Class Secretary-Treasurer 2; Student Council 3, 4, Okaw Secretary 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, Sporthead 3; Latin Club 1, 2; News Staff 1, 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Football Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Basketball Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen Attendant 4; DAR Award Winner.

VIRGINIA KAY FISHER Kay--Our Absent-minded intellect--Casual, competent, courteous.

Student Council Secretary-Treasurer 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sporthead 4; Science Club 2; Latin Club 1, 2; News Staff 2, 3; Annual Staff 2, 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Senior Play.





WARREN NOBEL HENDRIX Nobie--A combination hard to beat-scholar, friend, and athlete--Sets his standards high.

Student Council 1, 2, 4, Vice-President 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Octet 1, 2, 3, Boys' Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; B Club 3, 4, President 4; Latin Club 1, 2; News Staff 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Football 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Escort 4; Senior Play.

the Seniors - - -



SANDRA KAY SHONK WILER Sandy--An effervescent personality--Her friends-they are many; her foesare there any?

Class President 1, 4; G. A. A. 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3; News Staff 3; Homecoming Attendant 4. They're here! Eagerly and long awaited class rings, which the seniors had ordered during the spring of their junior year, arrived early in September.

Eddie Gulliford, Jean Ater, Sharon Thompson, Sue Bentley, and Gary Harper are admiring their new possessions.

MARY CATHERINE BRENNAN Mary--A dependable girl with a wide scope of friends--is good natured and has a ready laugh.

Class Secretary-Treasurer 3; G.A.A. 3,4, Sporthead 4; Latin Club 1,2; News Staff 2,3; Annual Staff, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; Senior Play.







PATRICIA JOAN STOERGER Pat--Charming, sweet, and always neat--Talks with a giggle.

Class Secretary-Treasurer 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

Our Faces Speak Wha



DAVID MICHAEL MORRIS Dave--A blush is nice, but sometimes inconvenient--A sharp dresser with lots of friends.

F.F.A. 1,2,3; Sentinel 3.



DIANE MARIE STINE Diane--A willing worker and a ready friend--Petite but dynamic.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Octet 4; G. A. A. 4; Science Club 2; Library Club 1, 2; News Staff 2, 3, 4.



ELIZABETH LEE HESS Betty--An enthusiastic optimist--Spontaneous reactions yield a refreshing personality.

Chorus 1; Latin Club 1,2; Library Club 4; News Staff 4; Senior Play.



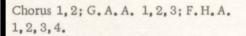
JOHN ROBERT RIDDLE John--No "hey diddle diddle" for this farmer lad--Has an interest in motors, both big and small.

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

Words Can Never Say



KAREN JUNE HALL Karen--Her interests are domestic and athletic--Fun to be with.





SUE STEIDINGER Has a probing mind--Lively, limber, and loyal.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Public Relations 3; Latin Club 1, 2; News Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Basketball Cheerleader 3; Senior Play.



Art Wilkinson, team captain; Pat Stoerger, general manager; and Joanne Pembroke, team captain; are all smiles because the magazine sales thermometer burst when the seniors exceeded their goal. Art's losing team gave a party for Joanne's victorious team on April 29.

RONALD WILLIAM BILBREY Ron--Keen, capable, and confident--A knack for clever witticisms.

Class Vice-President 3; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.



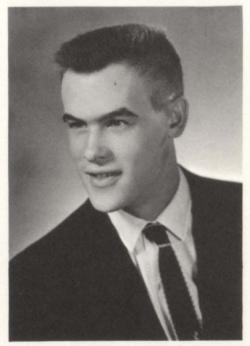
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KAROLINE GRACE FOGEL Karoline--Budding congeniality--Modest and sincere charm enhance a zest for living.

Chorus 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; News Staff 1; Annual Staff 4; Basketball Cheerleader 3; Senior Play.





GARY DAVID HARPER Gary--Quietly efficient--His capabilities will lead to success.

Student Council 3; Chorus 3; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, Secretary 4, Dekalb Award Winner 3; Football 2,3; Basketball 1,2; Senior Play.

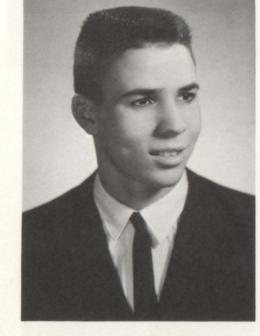
Where the senior girls are--grouped around a library table before school and at noons.



JOANNE PEMBROKE Jo--Amiable, able, and seldom abashed--She has style all the while.

Class President 3; Band Majorette 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sporthead 3, President 4; Library Club 2, 3, 4; News Staff 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Senior Play.

Expectation and Hope



EDWARD JOSEPH GULLIFORD Eddie--Man of assurance with a head for figures--Amiable traits with a flair for fun.

Chorus 2, 3, 4; Octet 4; Boys Ensemble 2, 3, 4; B Club 4; News Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1, 3; Baseball 1, 2; Homecoming Escort 4; Senior Play.



MARY SUE BURGESS Poise with a smile--Her personality is as golden as her voice.

Student Council 1, 2; Band 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Bimettes 1, 2; Octet 3; Latin Club 1, 2, Secretary-Treasurer 1, President 2; Library Club 3; Annual Staff 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4.



SHARON ELAINE THOMPSON Minnie--An innocent face, but you never can tell--Personality plus with a flair for the dramatic.

Science Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Library Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; News Staff 2, 3, 4; Senior Play.

KATHLEEN SUE FISHER Kathy--An adaptable personality with a touch of reserve--Trim and reliable.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Library Club 2, 3, 4, Reporter 2, President 4; News Staff 1, 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Senior Play.



Others Express Nonchalance



At the party given by the seniors for the juniors on November 16, election year set the pace for a "convention." Multicolored campaign buttons designated the teams for volleyball and relays. Refreshments were doughnuts, punch, nuts, and mints. The evening ended with dancing.

LINDA KAY BURTON Linda--Her lively wit is revealed to close friends--Has determination and a musical talent.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, Birnettes 3; Les Chanteurs 2; G. A. A. 1; Latin Club 1, 2; News Staff 3; Annual Staff 1, 4.





ROBERT LEE DURBIN Bob--Serious minded--Shy smile--Runs a fast mile.

Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Crountry 1, 2, 3.



JEAN JOANNE ATER J.J.--Little and agile, lively, not fragile--A ready answer.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Bimettes 2; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3.

and Perhaps Bewilderment



DIANE ELAINE FOGERSON Diane--She says what she believes and believes what she says--Margaret's smiling companion.

Cerro Gordo 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2, 4. STEVEN KELLAR VARNER

Curly--Mischievous man with a sense of humor--Starts slow, but wait until he gains momentum.

Football 1.



KAREN RAE JORDAN Karen--A Southern belle--A friendly girl and a charming lass, a worthy addition to our class.

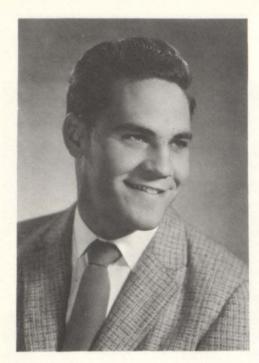
Carmi 1, 2, 3.



MARGARET MAUDE FARBANKS Margaret--An outgoing lass--She enjoys her fun where she finds it.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.





JOE ARTHUR ROYAL Simon--a "good Joe"--A tower in size and will--He directs his intelligence toward mechanics.

Track 1, 2; Cross Country 1.



GLENNA JO GORRELL Glenna--Full of fun and mischief too--A talented girl--Witty, creative, and versatile.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Bimettes 2, 3, 4, Octet 1; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Library 1, 2; News Staff 1, 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Senior Play.





SANDRA JANE BUSEY Sandy--An Ivesdale miss with a pleasant personality--Has an artistic talent.

Latin Club 1,2; Library Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

JIMMY LYNN SHONKWILER Hawk--Bunker's helper--A likeable fellow--Has a wit as fleet as his feet.

B Club 3, 4; Football 4; Track 3; Homecoming Escort 4; Senior Play.

Still Others Reveal

Composure and Assurance



RUTH ANN PERRY Ruth--Well groomed in thought and appearance--She possesses a natural charm.

Chorus 3; Latin Club 1, 2; Library Club 4.

> Student directors Toni Coffey and Helen Bowen are shown putting makeup on members of the cast of the senior play. "Glamour Boy" was one of the highlights of the seniors' year.



JAMES MICHAEL JORDAN Jim--A friendly smile--Quietness veils a zest for fun--To know him is to like him.

Football 1, 3; Track 3; Senior Play.



CLARIS FRANKIE SMITH Claris--Her ability, determination, and self-confidence will make her ambitions realities--Fun-loving.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Les Chanteurs 2, Octet 3, Bimettes 4; G. A. A. 3; Latin Club 1, 2; Library Club 3, 4, Reporter 3, 4; News Staff 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Senior Play.



TONI LOUISE COFFEY Toni-A student in every sense--Serious, industrious, and diligent--A Cheerful manner creates a pleasant personality.

Science Club 2,3; Latin Club 1,2; Library Club 2,3,4; News Staff 1,2, 3,4, Co-editor 3, Editor 4.



RALPH DAVID FAY David-A fun-loving farmer who is shy around the ladies--Track and hunting are his sports.

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Secretary 3, President 4; Track 1,2.



STEPHEN RITTENHOUSE Cecil-A loquacious chap with abilities yet to be displayed--Food? The highlight of his day.

Class Secretary-Treasurer 1; Band 1, 2,3, Dance Band 2,3; B-Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,3; Track 1; Homecoming Escort 4.



Our Faces Show Eyes Deep In



SIERRA SUE BENTLEY Sue-Congenial and a good dancer--Laughs a lot and finds a lot to laugh about.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Thought That Dream of the Future



As graduates march forward at commencement exercises, so they march expectantly toward a challenging future.



STELLA ROSEMARY BREEN Stella-An Ivesdalite who likes to dance--Takes life as it comes--easy.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



RONALD LEE VAN VLEET Ron-A conscientious student with a subtle sense of humor--His interests range from electronics to politics.

Science Club 2; Baseball 2.

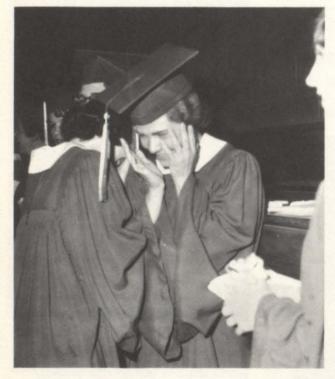
Graduation Climaxed High School Years



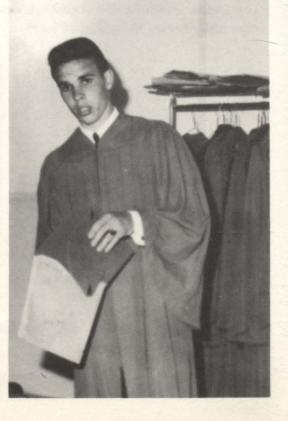
After Mr. Hargrave presented the Class of '63 to Mr. Slater, Mr. Slater presented each Senior with his diploma for graduation from B.H.S. Pat Stoerger receives her diploma with pride, as did each of her classmates.

This year's seniors formed a receiving line in the large gym following graduation exercises on May 24. Their friends and relatives congratulated the graduates and wished them a successful future.





As the time of parting arrived Mary Burgess and Sue Steidinger, like many of the Class of '63, bid each other a tearful goodbye. A graduate, Ed Gulliford, put away his cap and gown after commencement. Many have gone before and many will go in the future, but this moment will always be special to him and his classmates.



Special Recognition to. . . .



With the approval of the Board of Education, the senior class of 1963 chose to dispense with the traditional recognition of the valedictorian and salutatorian and to honor all who had maintained a scholastic average of 4.5 or better. The seven students pictured received gold pins at the commencement exercises in recognition of their high averages. SITTING: Kay Fisher, Toni Coffey, Warren Hendrix,

Claris Smith, Mary Brennan. STANDING: Sue Steidinger, Helen Bowen.

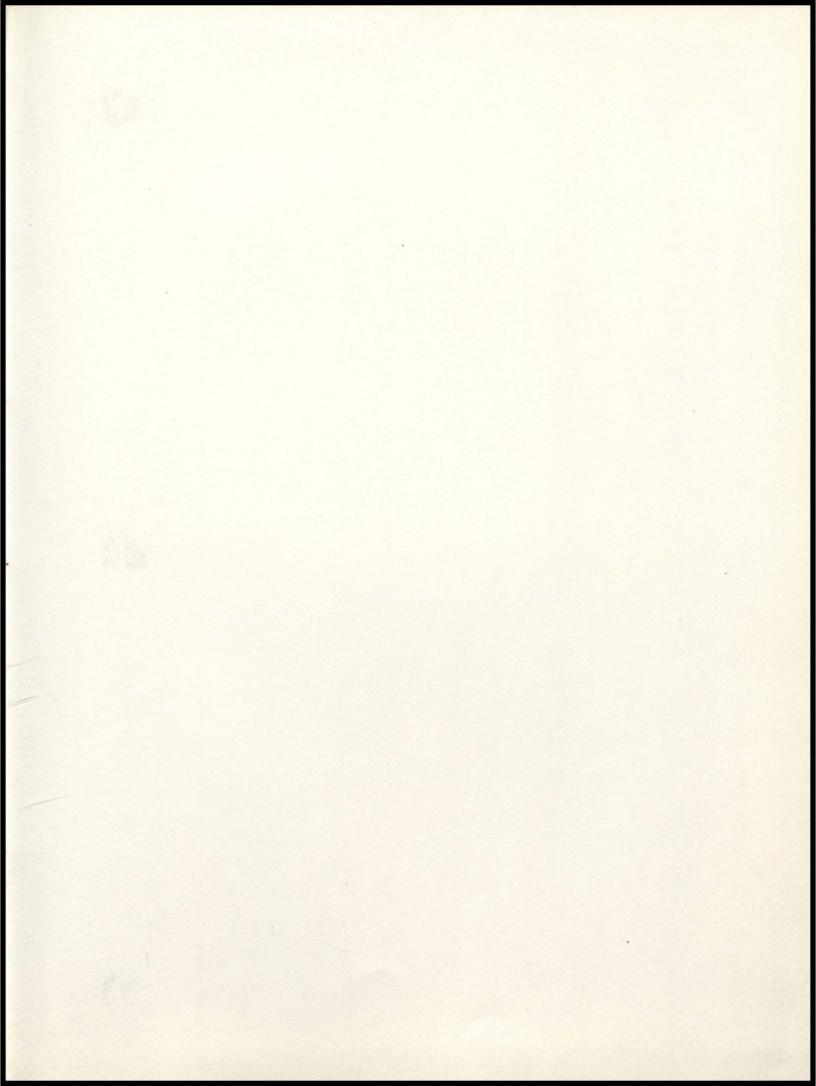
Helen Bowen and Art Wilkinson were chosen by the senior class and faculty to receive the D.A.R. and S.A.R. awards respectively. Both students are active in school activities and are leaders at B. H.S. Helen and Art are pictured decorating the small gym for one of the parties they helped plan.

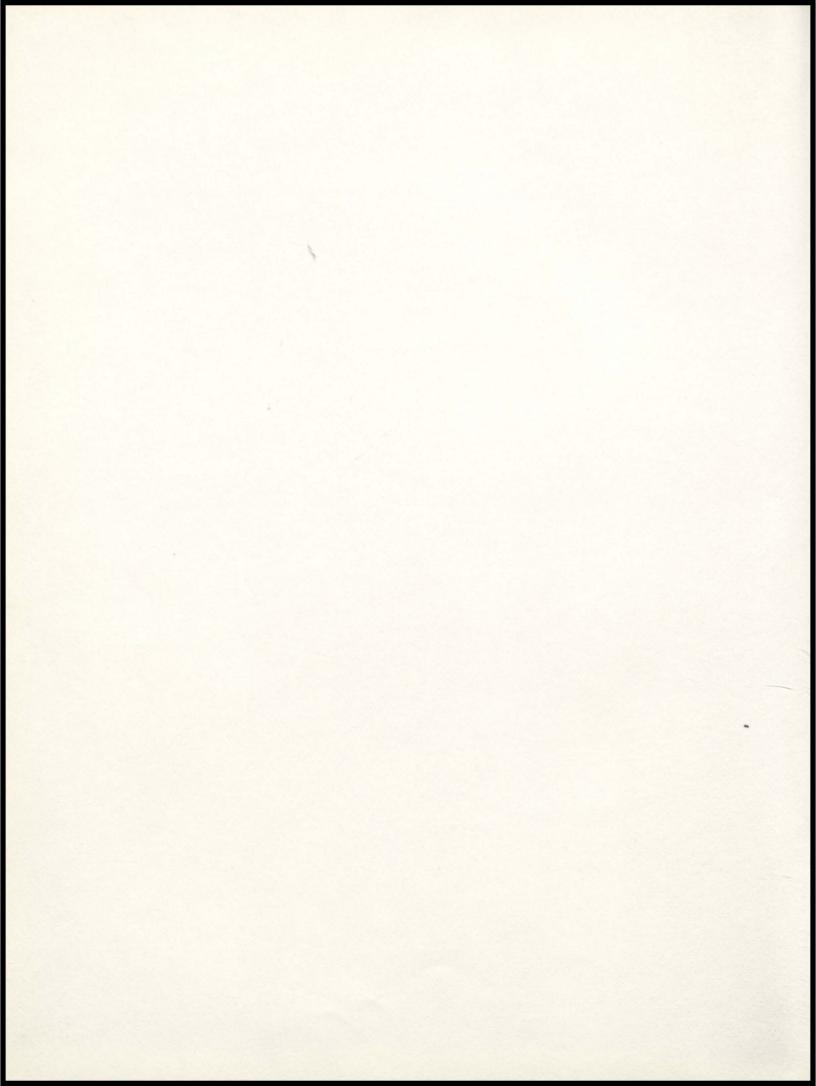


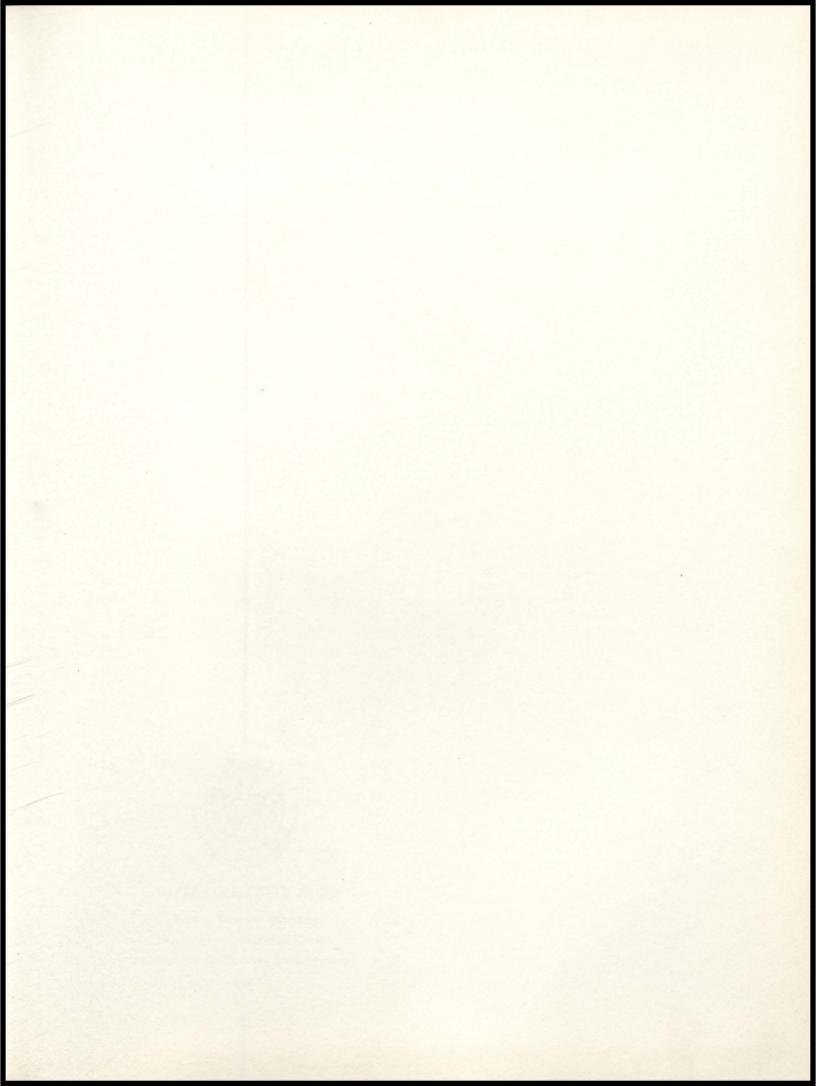


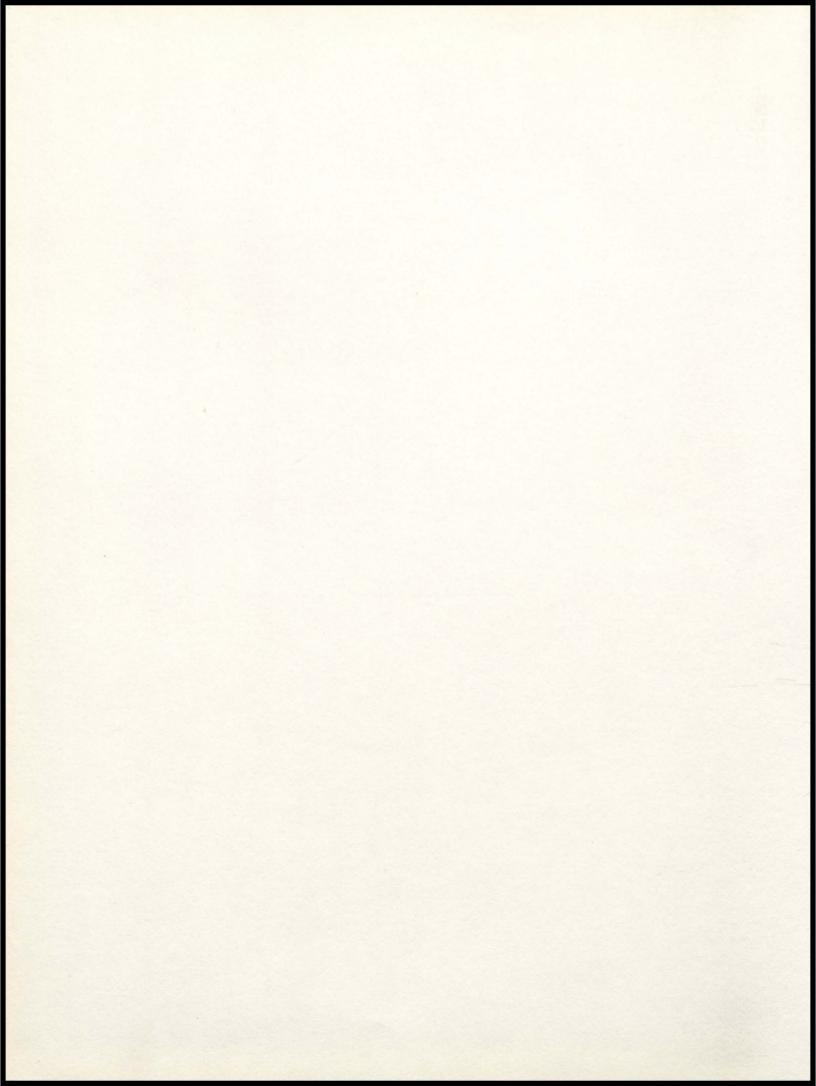
Richard Hall, who received the Arion Award last year, attended the spring concert on May 9 where he presented the 1963 Arion Award to Helen Bowen. Helen was chosen to receive this coveted award by the band and chorus members with the approval of Miss Glenn and Mr. Metzler. This award is given each year to a senior who is outstanding in musicianship, scholarship, co-operation, and citizenship.

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