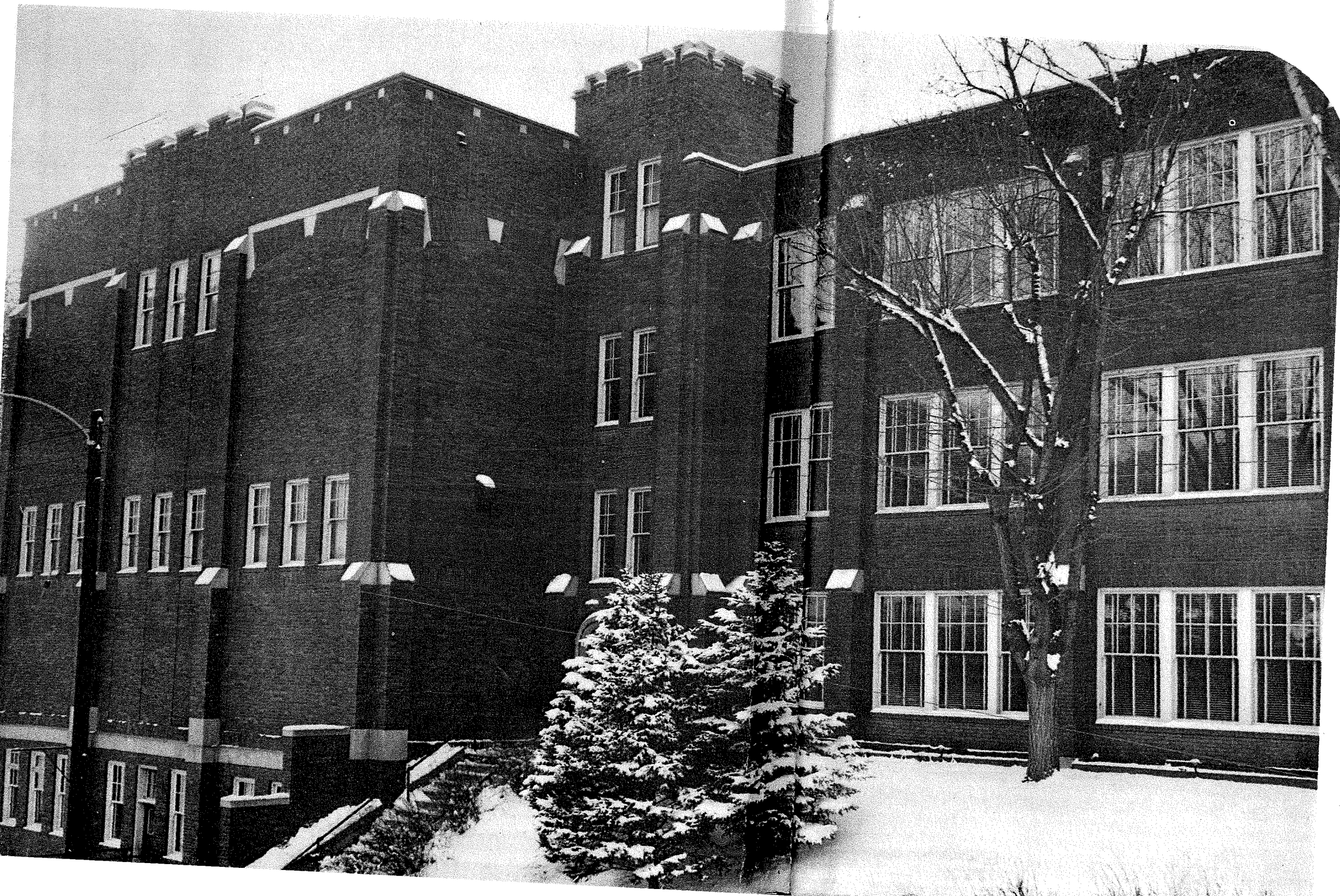


Clements

Deadwood High School



1955

Bear

Log

Hi Diane
 Next years Sophomore
 better than like this years
 a Soph.
 Jerry R

There's wishing you the best
 of luck while learning to
 play your clarinet.

Jim

I sure liked
 to watch you
 scratch your leg
 I bet.

Juffy

DiAnne
 we've had lots of fun
 in school so far, and I'm
 sure we'll have lots more.
 Good luck to a not-so-good
 kid (I'm just kidding)
 Monitor Te salof
 Jack

Hi Diane
 I will just stop
 a line or two
 to say have a
 good time in the
 next things.

John

Dear Diane
 Lots of luck to us
 in our spelling
 bees and
 Love
 Glenrose

Dear Diane,
 Well I think we have had a
 pretty good year with our
 mutual friend and all. Next
 time pick your weeds (that
 word again) off the floor before
 burn a hole in the rug.
 Love
 Don Johnson

DiAnne:
 Lots of luck and
 love to a real well
 person and
 next year
 just enjoy
 your
 spelling
 bees.

Hi Diane!
 To a good loving
 kid, especially to some
 people, here's wishing you
 happiness in Latin etc. next
 year.
 Head of back

Dear Diane:
 Well, another
 year is gone and
 here you are
 looking back
 on it. I see you
 have grown up.
 Love you
 Margo

Introduction and Dedication

In each of us there is a little of the spirit of the builder. As grade school youngsters we modeled fanciful shapes in clay. As high school students we have been called upon to build stagings for plays, to build settings for junior-senior proms, and to build floats. Perhaps in the moments when we permit ourselves to think seriously we try to build our lives so that we can be useful and care for ourselves in the restless, changing world of today and so, we hope, that we can fit the unknown world of tomorrow.

In building better lives for individuals we are building better life for the community, nation, and world. All this building of "self" takes planning on the part of our board, administrators, and our teachers. Two of the larger and more obvious of these plans for this year are the building of a grade school annex and the construction (to begin soon) of an armory-auditorium.

All in all one can see there is a lot of building in our lives, consequently our theme for this year is a construction theme. We hope to review how we built in scholarship and in the many "extras" such as sports, debate, declam, drama, music, and publications which make a rich experience of school.

Back of all this design, this building, there must be two important forces, drive and money; thus it is that we dedicate our annual to our parents, whose taxes make our education possible and whose encouragement and direction are a mainstay of the drive necessary for us to go through school.

Dear Diane!
 Please forget all the
 from me just in
 your absence for
 a little while
 a little more
 all the morning
 all the afternoon
 I see you
 hope
 further away
 your form of
 I can see
 people
 please
 and good
 have this
 please
 to

The Bear Log Staff and Advisor
 Deadwood High School
 Deadwood, South Dakota

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 passed so fast
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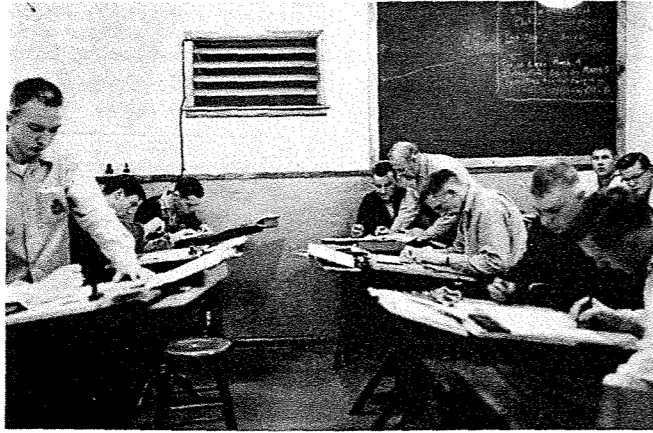
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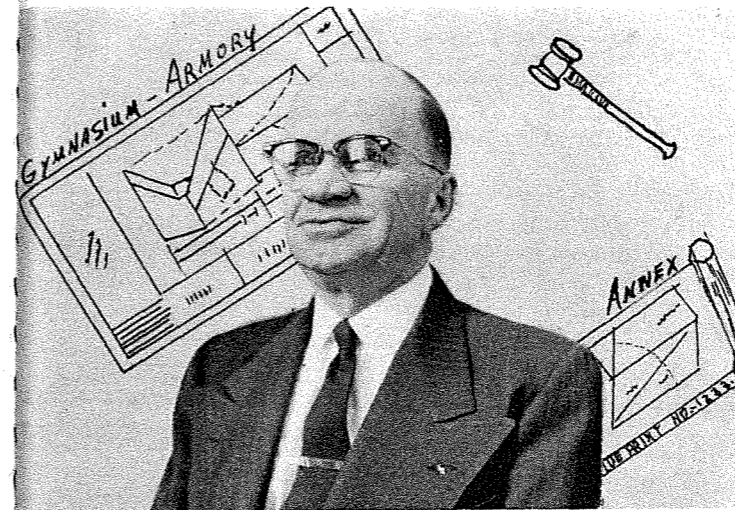
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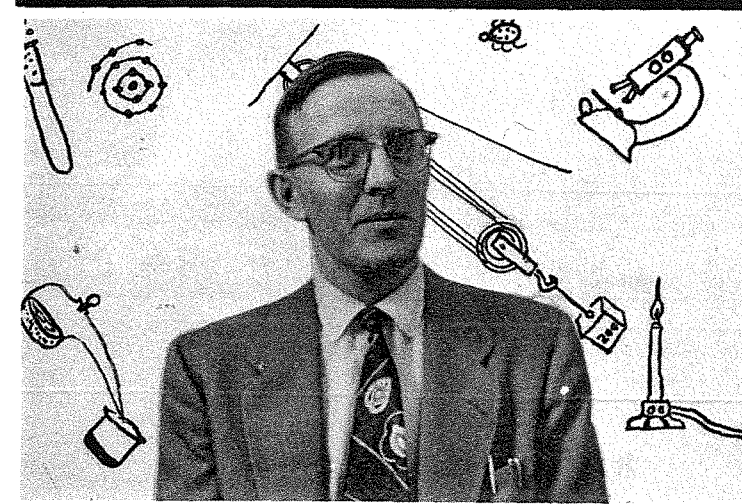
H.S. Berger, Superintendent of Deadwood Public Schools since 1928, received his B.S. degree at Northeast Missouri State Teachers College and his M.A. degree at the University of Missouri. This year has been an unusually busy one for Mr. Berger. In addition to his regular duties, he has been supervising a major building program--the construction of a grade school annex and an armory-auditorium.



R.H. Krug, principal, came to Deadwood High School in 1925. Mr. Krug received his B.A. degree at North Central College, Naperville, Illinois, and his M.A. degree at the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Krug handles school problems with logic and a kindly sense of humor. In his leisure hours, he is an excellent fly fisherman.



Miss Lola Kersten has been Secretary of Deadwood Public Schools since 1935, serving with an efficiency which all appreciate. In summertime, Miss Kersten is an ardent golfer.



George Conklin began teaching science at Deadwood High School in 1948. Mr. Conklin received his B.A. degree from Mount Union College, Alliance, Ohio. Mr. Conklin is active in church work.



Miss Mary Craig, music and dramatics teacher since 1929, has a B.A. degree from Black Hills Teachers College and a M.A. from the University of Wyoming. Each year Miss Craig wins anew, public approval for her excellent plays and more important, the affection of students as expressed in "Roses for Miss Craig."



Miss Beverly Ann Edson, who began teaching speech and English in Deadwood this year, received her B.F.A. degree from the University of South Dakota. She likes to cook and enjoys bowling and tennis.



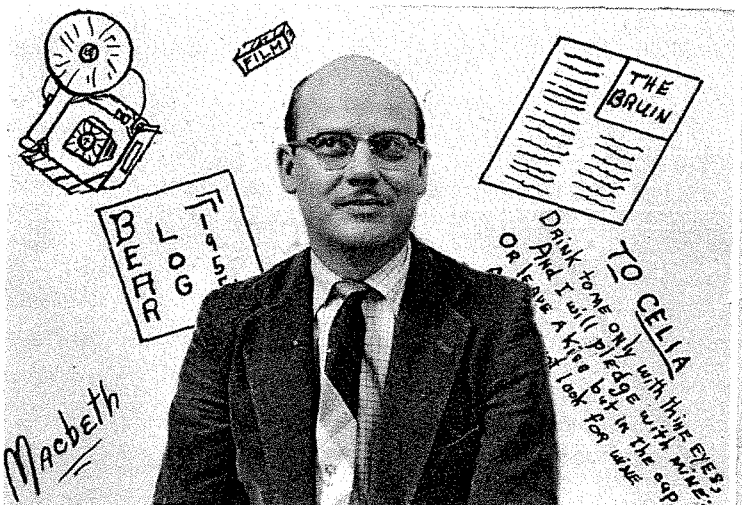
Mrs. Louise M. Farrrens, who joined the high school faculty this year, has a B.S. in education from the University of Nebraska. Mrs. Farrrens teaches Latin and English and says that home and children constitute her hobby.



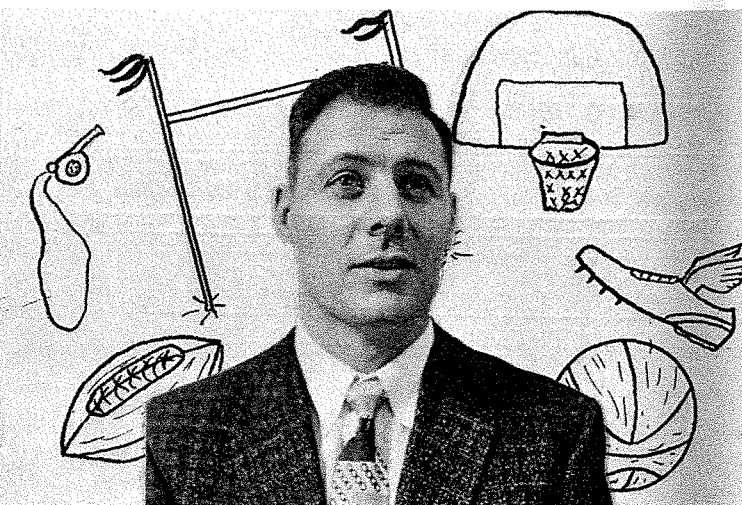
Lavern Clark came to Deadwood High School in 1949 after receiving his B.E. degree at Black Hills Teachers College. Mr. Clark is Deadwood's instrumental music teacher and blows a "sweet" clarinet himself.



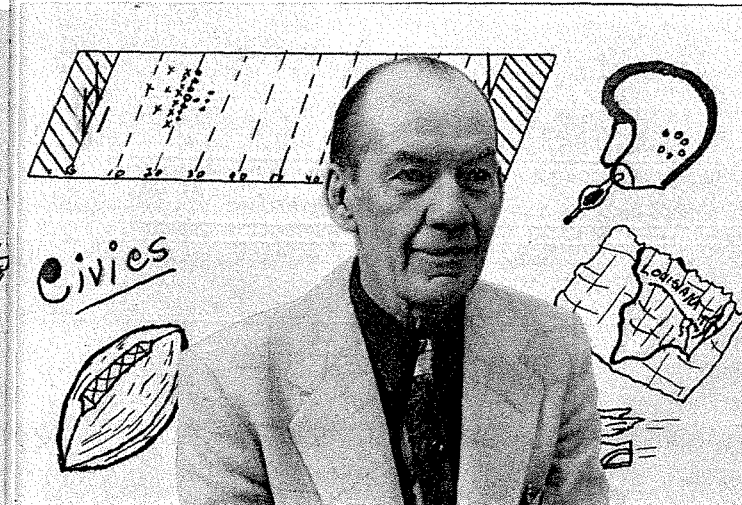
Mrs. Edna Ferguson, English teacher and school librarian, came to D.H.S. in 1944. She received her B.A. degree at Arkansas A.&M. Like her husband, Stewart Ferguson, she is an avid reader.



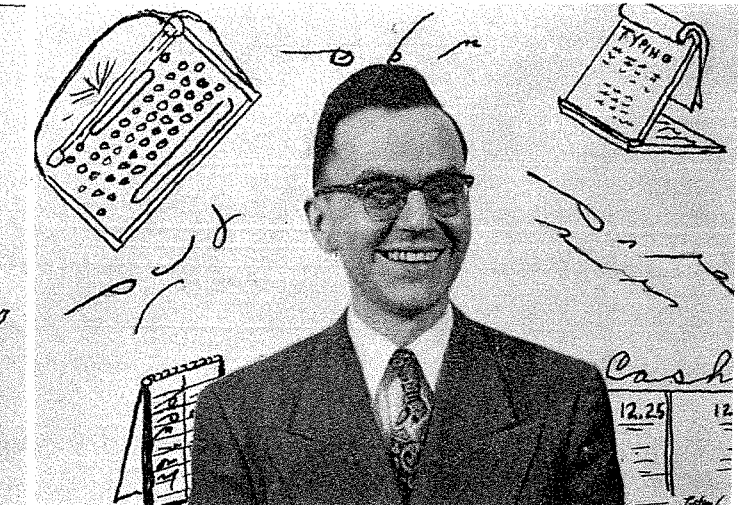
Franklin Brainard, English, social science, and journalism teacher, came here in 1946. He received his B.A. degree at Jamestown College, Jamestown, North Dakota, and his M.A. degree at the University of North Dakota. Mr. Brainard is adviser for the Bruin and Bear Log and an ardent photographer.



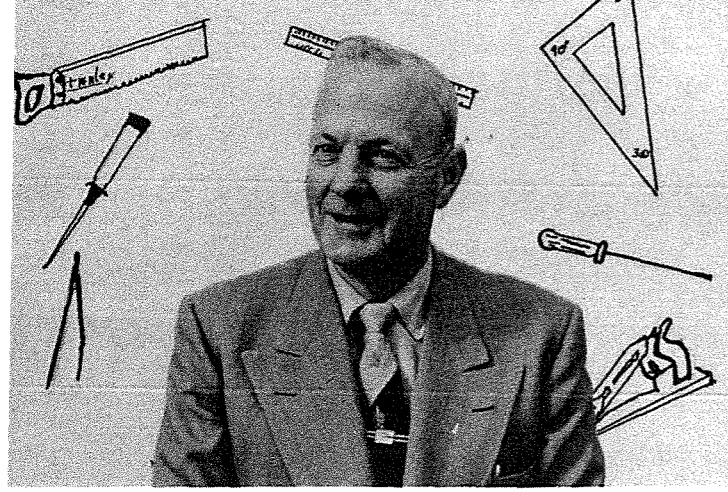
Glenn Burgess, head coach in basketball, assistant coach in football, and physical education instructor came to D.H.S. in 1952. Mr. Burgess received his B.A. degree at Black Hills Teachers College. Like Mr. Krug, with whom he frequently fishes, Mr. Burgess whips a "mean" Royal Coachman.



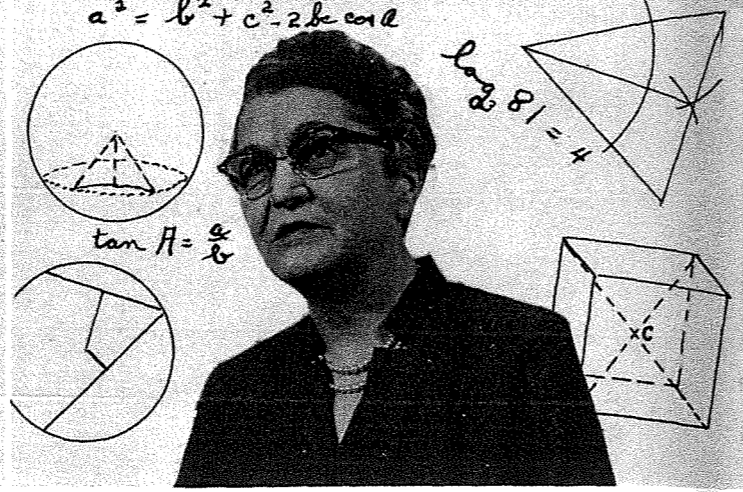
Stewart Ferguson, head football coach and assistant basketball coach, came to Deadwood High School in 1944. Mr. Ferguson received his B.A. degree at Dakota Wesleyan and his M.A. degree from Louisiana State. After a close squeak with eternity and the removal of one lung this year, Coach Ferguson is back with us in perfect health.



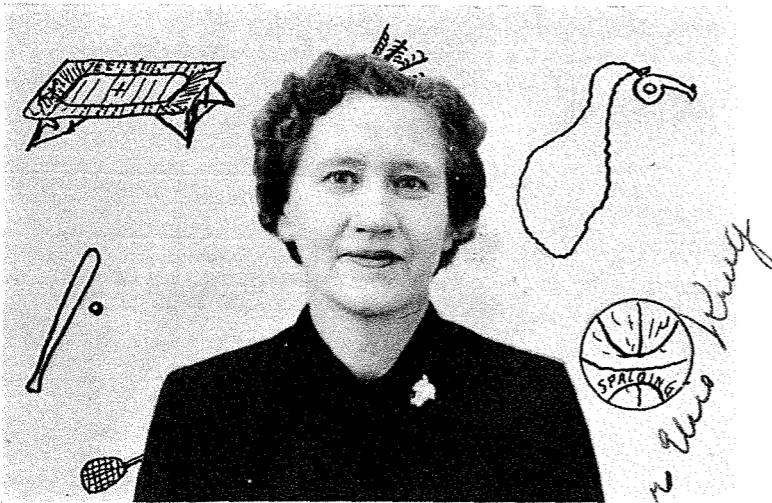
Eldon Gran became the high school commercial teacher in 1953. Mr. Gran, formerly grade school principal, will undoubtedly be most remembered by students for his thoroughness and his pungent humor. He received his B.S. degree at Black Hills Teachers College.



J. Ora Horsfall has given us his services as manual art teacher since 1929. Mr. Horsfall received his B.E. degree from Plattsville State College, Plattsville, Wisconsin. Mr. Horsfall and his wife run the Tomahawk Golf Club in the summer months. Proof of Mr. Horsfall's ability is the Horsfall's lovely home which he built.



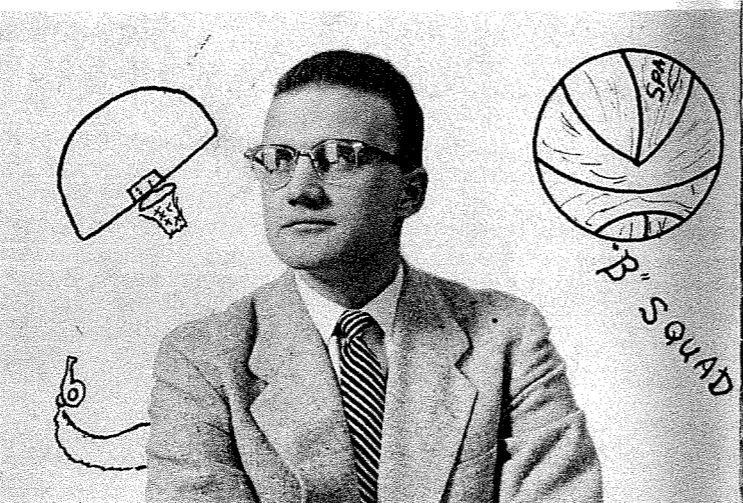
Miss Lucie Jensen, mathematics teacher, began teaching at Deadwood High School in 1947. She attended the University of Washington where she received her B.S. degree. Miss Jensen is the owner of a lovely hand loom, and we are looking forward to seeing some unusual fabrics.



Mrs. Elsie Krug came to Deadwood High School in 1936 as the Girl's Physical Education Instructor. Attending the University of South Dakota, Mrs. Krug received her B.S. degree. Add fly tying and fly fishing to her list of athletic abilities, and one sees the all around sports woman.



Miss Van Heuvelen, home economics teacher at Deadwood High School since 1946, attended Dakota Wesleyan where she received her B.S. degree. Neatness might well be this cheerful teacher's middle name.



Merlyn W. Veren, assistant basketball coach, received his B.E. from the University of South Dakota. Mr. Veren, who came here this year, is an under "80" golfer and an all around sportsman.

Deadwood Board Furthers Building Program

The combined efforts of the Deadwood School Board and Superintendent H.S. Berger, backed by a cooperative community, resulted in a much needed building program. This two-fold program includes a grade school annex, on which work has commenced, and an armory-auditorium soon to be started.

Added to the south of the present school building, the grade school annex, costing \$84,658.86, will house three classrooms, one multi-purpose room, one office, and lavatories. The multi-purpose room is designed so that it can be used as a cafeteria by faculty and students.

Deadwood's active P.T.A. has taken the job of furnishing the kitchen. A benefit concert netted \$255.00 as a beginning, and well-patronized candy sales at basketball games have brought in more money each week.

The armory-auditorium, costing \$283,000.00, will be about one block south of the school on the opposite side of Upper Main Street. Of this sum, the community is providing \$175,000.00, while the government is supplying \$108,000.00. The total figure is to cover cost of site, building, and equipment.

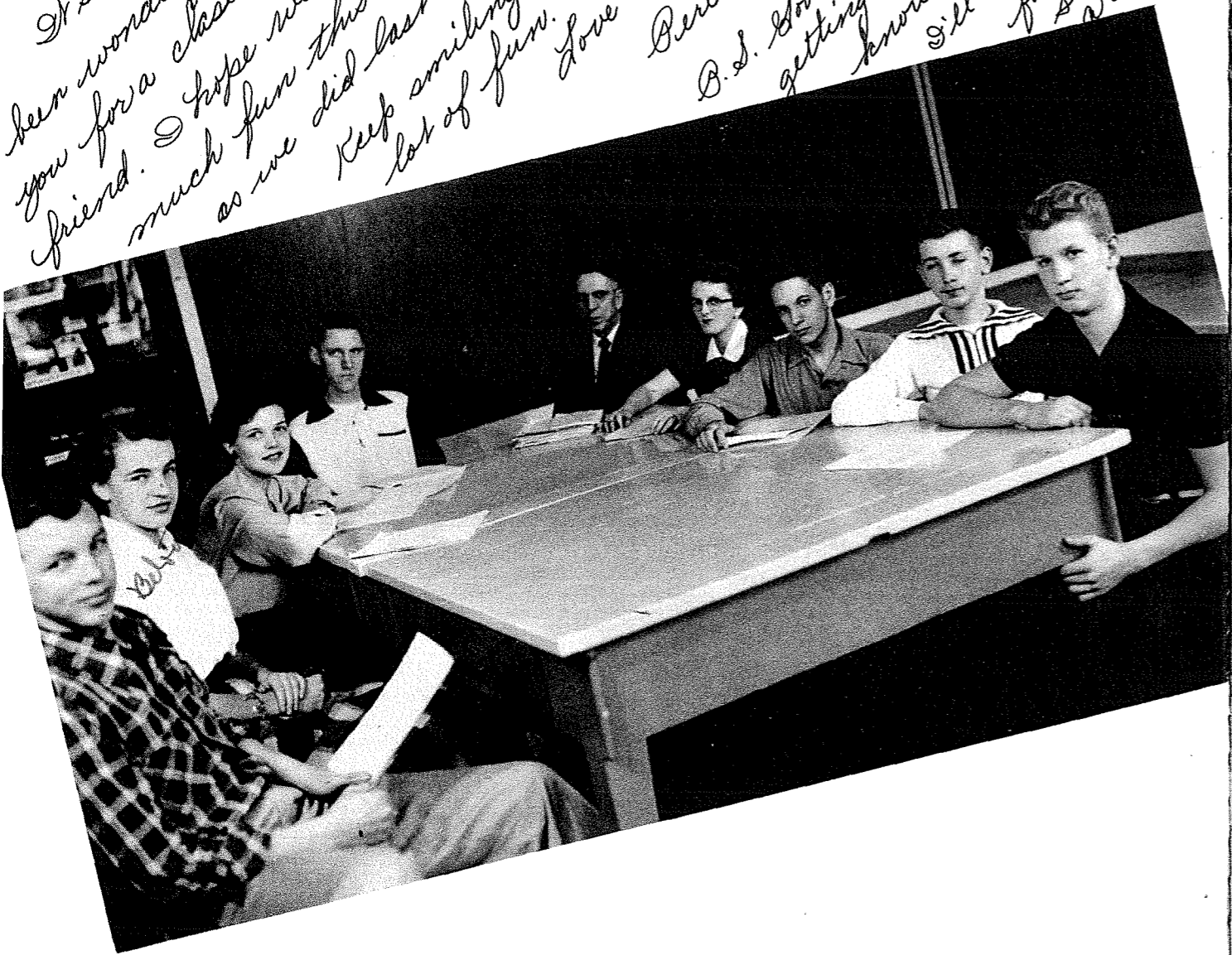
The building, to be used as a gymnasium by the school and a meeting center for the National Guard, will seat 2200 for basketball games and will have cooking facilities.

Former board member, Mr. Francis J. Parker, has been the legal counsel for the board in matters connected with the building plans.



SCHOOL BOARD: Seated, left to right--Mr. Martin Morris, Member; Mrs. Sylvia Baggaley, President; Miss Lola Kersten, Secretary; Mr. Elmer Pontius, Member. Standing, left to right--Mr. Harry S. Berger, Superintendent; Mr. Harold Mitchell, Member; Mr. George Palmer, Member; Mr. Carlton O. Gorder, Treasurer.

Dear Diane,
 It surely has been wonderful having you for a classmate & friend. I hope we as we did last summer. Keep smiling & love always, Peri
 Council Assists In Guiding Student Activity
 B.S. Good luck in getting a job. I'll be trying for one too, so let's start a campaign.



STUDENT COUNCIL: left to right--Arne Sjomeling, Belva Burtzloff, Peri Ann Hughes, Henry Frawley, Mr. Krug, Pauline Neavill, Jimmy Young, Jerry Hardy, Jack Sears.

On September 24, 1954, the first meeting of the Student Council was held. The student body had elected Hank Frawley president previous to the meeting. At the first meeting, the Vice President, Arne Sjomeling, was elected and Pauline Neavill was voted Secretary-Treasurer.

The first two meetings were devoted to the discussion of Bear Day activities. The discussions of the next two meetings were on the subject of electing "B" team cheerleaders. School spirit, or lack of it, was the subject of the next few meetings. The following meetings were devoted to bringing the Alumni Directory up to date.

Student Council has as its object guiding student activity and providing for student government.

Master Craftsmen Apply Finishing Touches

As they come to the end of their senior year, the 44 members of the class of '55 find that they have become Master Craftsmen. To them is given the responsibility of plying their trades in the future.

This year the senior class elected as their President, Bill Beshara; Darrell Stoneberger, Secretary-Treasurer; and Jim Veitl, Vice-President.

Henry Frawley and Pauline Neavill were delegates to Student Council where Henry became President and Pauline, Secretary.

Elaine Fish as All School Queen reigned over Bear Day with her attendants, Janet Chyba and Betty Cooper, while Pauline Neavill adorned the senior class float as senior queen.

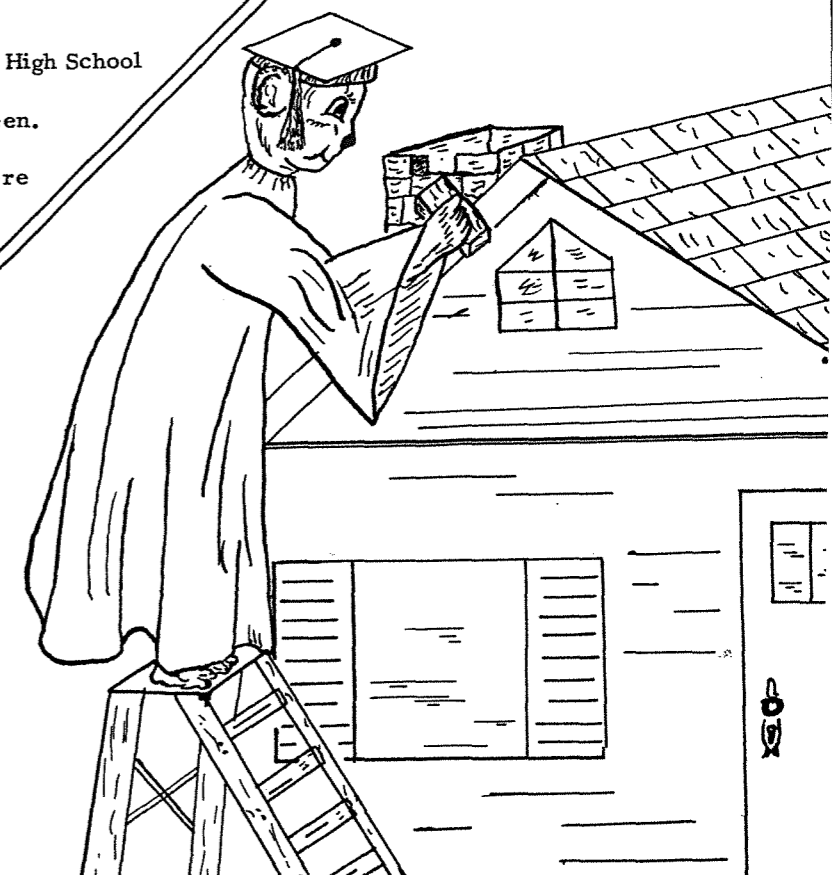
Sherill Person was the winner of the "Homemaker of Tomorrow" award and represented D.H.S. in the state contest.

Receiving the annual D.A.R. award this year was Elaine Fish.

George Clark represented Deadwood High School in the All State Band held at Aberdeen.

The five A team cheerleaders were Annette Kittelman, Mary Rotter, Janet Chyba, Elaine Fish, and

Marcia Moore, all members of the class of 1955.



Presenting The Master Craftsmen



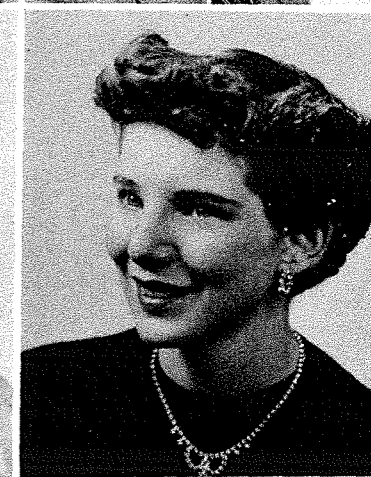
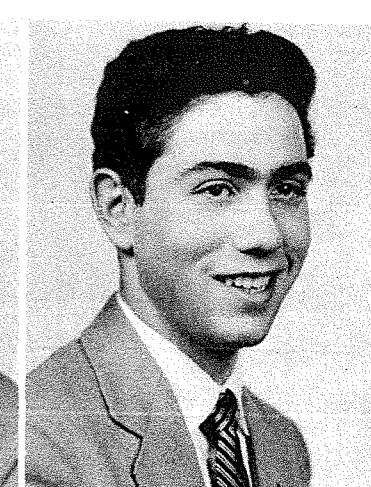
SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right--Jim Veitl, Vice - president, Darrell Stoneberger, Secretary, Bill Beshara, President.

Sylvia Dorene Berry----"Syl" Glee Club 2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3; G.A.A. Officer 4; Christmas Play 4; Class Play 3,4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4; Bear Log Staff 4; Editorial Chairman 4; Music Festival 2,3,4; Special Glee Club 4; Badminton 3; Aerial Tennis 2,4; Working 4; Annual Clinic 4.

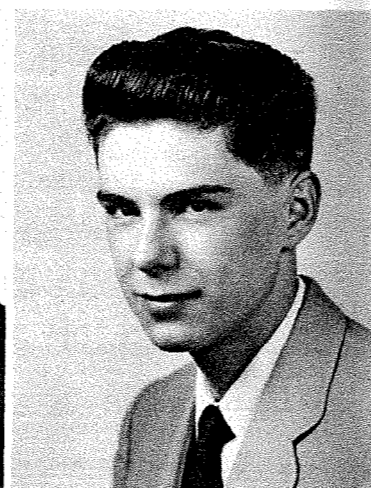
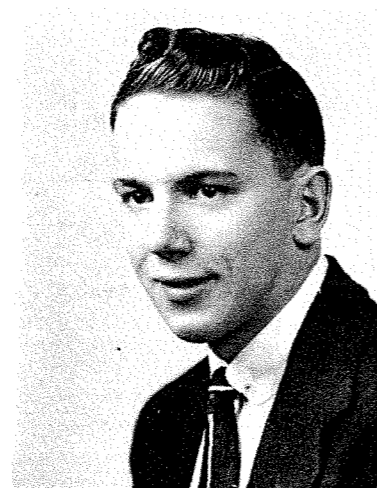
William Patrick Beshara----"Bill" Boys Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Debate 1,2; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball Manager 3,4; Class Play 3; Music Festival 1,2,3; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Working 1; Class President 4; Boys Octet II 4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4; Bruin Staff 3,4.

Helen Bess Brandt----"Helen B." Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,2,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; A cappella 2,3; Dramatics Club 1, G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Officer 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Bruin Exchange Editor 4; Student Congress 4; Class Play 3,4; Christmas Play 3; Bear Log Staff 4.

Kay Marie Buchmaster----"Marie" Glee Club 1,2; Special 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3; Library 2,4; Music Festival 1,2; Badminton 1,3; Aerial Tennis 2,4; Senior Play 4; Working 2.

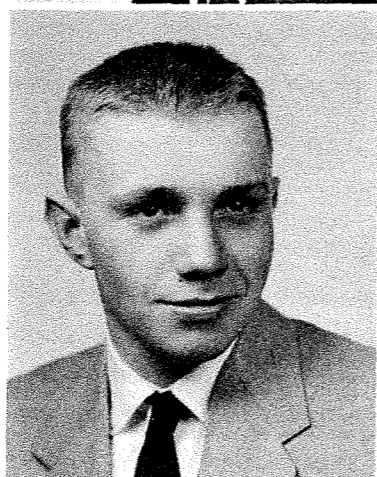


Dale David Allen----"Dale" Boys Glee Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Student Council 2,3; Boys' State 3; Class Officer 1; Student Congress 4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 3,4; Bruin Staff 3,4; Bear Log Staff 3,4; Bear Log Editor 4; Class Play 3; Music Festival 2,3; Christmas Play 2; Senior Play 4; A-Band 4; Football 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3,4; Student Council Officer 3; Working 3; Tumbling Team 1,2; Annual Clinic 4; Student Council Representative 3.

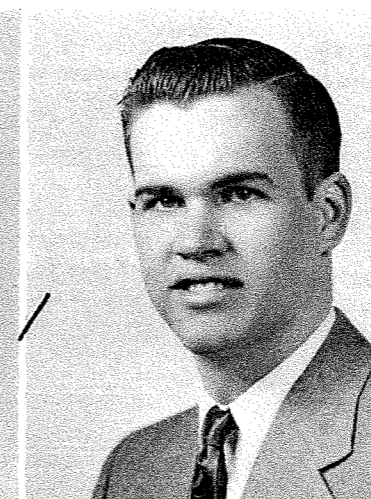


Lawrence Edward Anfinson----"Eddie" Entered 3rd year.

William Carl Auer----"Bill" "D" Club 2,4; Football Manager 2; Working 2; Football 4.



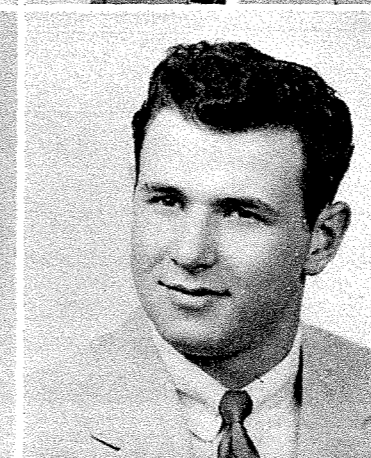
Karl Rhineholt Bentz----"Fritz" or "Karl" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Football Manager 1; Weight Teams 1,2,3,4; Dramatics Club 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Band Music Festival 1,2,3; Glee Club Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Mixed Octet 3,4; Boys Quartet 3,4; Special Boys Glee Club 4; Track 1,2; "D" Club.



Janet Rose Chyba----"Jan" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; A cappella 3; Dramatics Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Officer 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3; Bruin 2,3,4; Bear Log Staff 2,3,4; Majorette 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4; Cheerleader 4; All School Attendant 4; Class Play 3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Sextet 3; Octet 4; Tumbling 1,2,3,4; Badminton Tournament 1,3; Aerial Tennis 2,4.

George Calvin Clark----"George" Football 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2; Class Play Stage Manager 3; "D" Club 2,3,4; All-State Band 2,3,4; Band Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Brass Sextet 1,2; Student Congress 3; Class Play 4.

Betty Lou Cooper----"Betty" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,4; Mixed Chorus 2; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3; Baseball 1; Dramatics Club 1; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; A cappella 2; Class Play 3; All School Attendant 4; Music Festival 1,2,3; Working 4; Tumbling 1,2; Badminton 3; Aerial Tennis 1,2; Melodious Twelve 3.



Larry John DiSanto----"Larry" Glee Club 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3; Band 1,2,4; Class Officer 2; "D" Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Working 2,4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2; Class Play 3,4; Boys Glee Club 1,2,3; Boys Quartet 3; Bear Log 4; Round Robin Tournament 1,2; Tumbling 1,2; Volleyball 1,2,3; Weight Team 1; Softball 2,3,4; Baseball 1; Basketball 1,2.

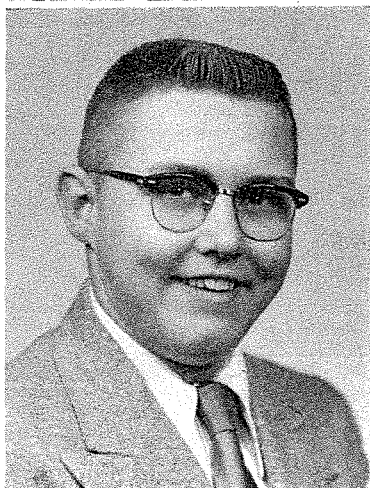
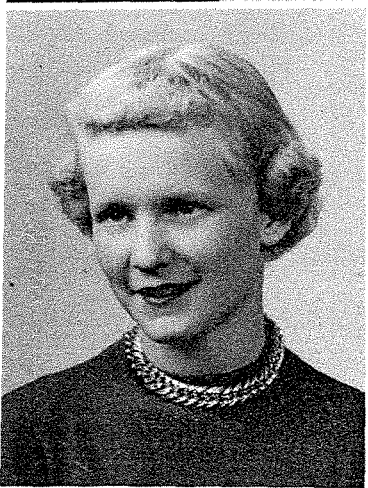


Mary Jane Drake----"Fuzzy" Glee Club 1,2; Special Glee Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; A cappella 2; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Officer 4; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1; Class Play 3; Music Festival 1,2; Working 4; Badminton Tournament 1,2,3,4; Tumbling 1,2,3.

John Franklin Fillmore----"John" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Music Festival 1,2,3; Football 1,2,4; "D" Club 4; Working 1,2,3,4.

Doris Elaine Fish----"Lanie" Glee Club 1,2,3; Special Glee Club 1,2,3; A cappella 2; Sextet 3; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. Officer 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Badminton Tournaments 2,4; Aerial Tennis Tournaments 1,3; Declamatory 1,2,3,4; Quill and Scroll 3; Christmas Play 1,2,3; Howe Scholarship Cup 1; Majorette 1,2,3,4; Bear Log Staff 3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Dramatics Club 1; Pep Club 2,3,4; Sophomore Class Queen; Cheerleader 4; All School Queen 4; D.A.R. 4; N.F.L. 4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 3,4; Class Play 3,4; Music Festival 2,3; Student Congress 4.

Verlin Lloyd Fox----"Verlin" Glee Club 1,4; Mixed Chorus 1,4; Bruin Staff 3; Working 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 4; Music Festival 1,4.

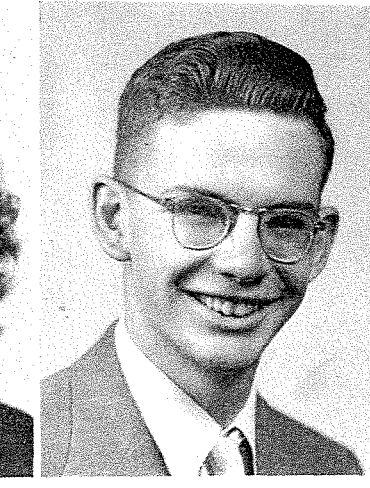
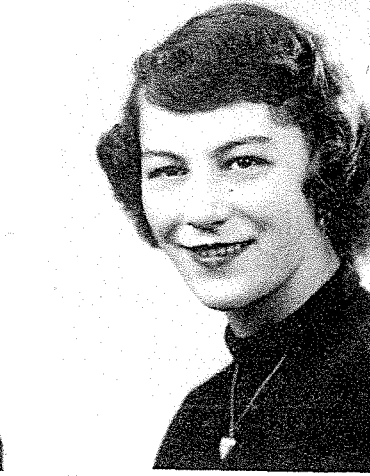


Annette Yvonne Kittelman----"Nettie" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,3,4; Quartet 4; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Dramatics Club 1,2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 4; Badminton 2; Aerial Tennis 1,3; Table Tennis 3; Music Festival 1,2,3,4.

Frances Ella Kunsman----"Fran" Glee Club 1,2; Special Glee Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1; Aerial Tennis 2,4; Badminton 1; Christmas Play 2; Library 2; Pep Club 3; Debate 3; Bruin Staff 3,4; Latin Club 1; Working 2,3; Senior Play 4; Music Festival 1,2.

Mary Lou Lanphear----"Mary Lou" Entered 2nd Semester of Sophomore year; Glee Club 2; Library 3; Pep Club 3; Class Play 4; Music Festival 2.

Michael Ray Larson----"Mick" Weight Teams 1,3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Christmas Play 4; Working 3,4; Class Play 4; Bruin Staff 3.

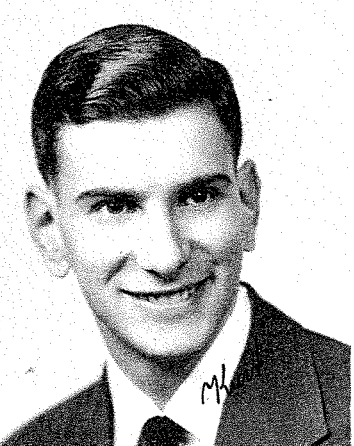
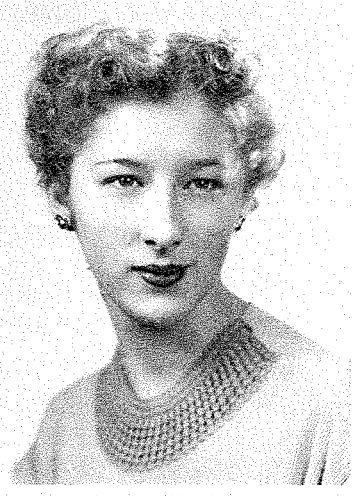
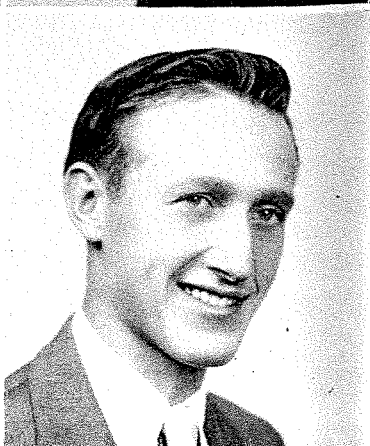
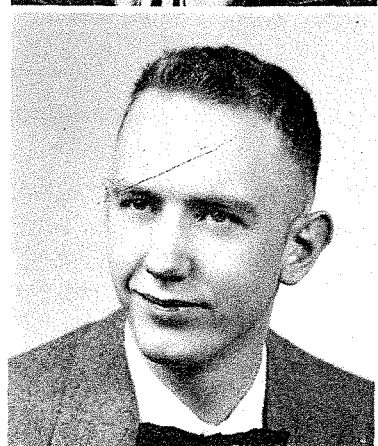
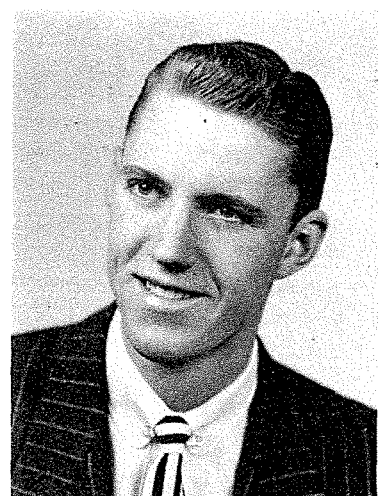


Henry James Frawley----"Hank" Student Council 1,4; Student Council President 4; Class President 3; Student Council Convention 4; Student Congress 4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Octet 4; Mixed Sextet 4; Boys Quartet 4; Tuneful Twelve 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Debate 1; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Bruin Staff 3,4; "D" Club 2,3,4; Football 1,2; Latin Club 1,2; Bear Log Staff 4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4.

Phyllis Ronoda Gordon----"Phyl" Entered 3rd year; G.A.A. 3; Volleyball 3; Glee Club 3; Christmas Play 3; Pep Club 3; Working 3,4.

James Edgar Hutcherson----"Hutch" Weight Teams 1,2,3; Bruin Staff 2,4; Football 1,2; Bear Log Staff 4; Senior Play 4.

Harold Floyd Iwan----"Floyd" Band 1,2,3,4; Band Festival 1,2,3,4; Massed Band 1,2,3,4; Cornet Quartet 3,4; Brass Sextet 2; Debate 1.



Florence Elizabeth Lauer----"Flossie" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,4; Mixed Chorus 4; A cappella 1; G.A.A. 2; Basketball 2; Volleyball 2; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; German Band 3; Clarinet Quartet 2; Band Festival 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Library 4; Latin Club 1; Music Festival 1,2,3.

Patricia Ann Lubisher----"Pat" Glee Club 1,2; Special Glee Club 1,2; G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Badminton 1; Aerial Tennis 2; A cappella 2; Music Festival 1,2; Class Play 4.

Kurt Machler----"Kurt" Glee Club 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Christmas Play 4.

Marcia Anne Moore----"Marcia" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; A cappella 2,3; Mixed Sextet 4; Mixed Octet 4; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2; Christmas Play 1,2,3; Class Play 3,4; Dramatics Club 1; Majorette 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 4; Freshman Class Queen; Declamatory 1; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Bear Log Staff 3,4; Badminton Tournament 1,3; Tumbling 1,2,3,4; Music Festival 2,3,4.

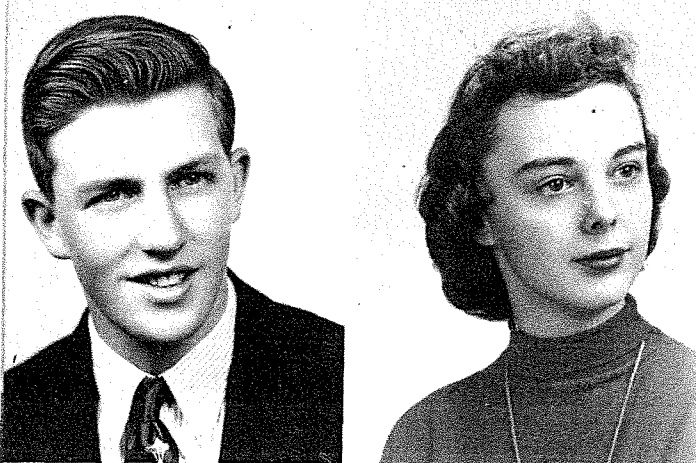


Mary Pauline Neavill----"Paula" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 3,4; A cappella 3; G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play, Stage 3; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Class Secretary, Treasurer 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Senior Class Queen; Music Festival 1,2,3; Girls Quartet 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Working 2,3,4; Latin Club 1,2; Bear Log 4.

Geraldine Lea Page----"Gerry" Glee Club 1,2; Special Glee Club 1,2; A cappella 2; G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1; Christmas Play 1; Class Play 3,4.

Thomas James Perrett----"Tommy" Weight Teams 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Weight Teams 4; "D" Club 4.

Sherill Lue Person----"Sherry Lue" G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1; Volleyball 1,2; Badminton Tournament 1; General Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,2; A cappella 2,3; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Quartet 4; Melodious Twelve 3; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Dramatic Club 1; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Bruin Assistant Editor 3; Bruin Editor-In-Chief 4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; N.F.L. 4; Declamatory 2,3,4; District Declam 2,3; Bear Log Staff 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Student Congress 4; Girls State Representative 3; Homemaker of Tomorrow 4.

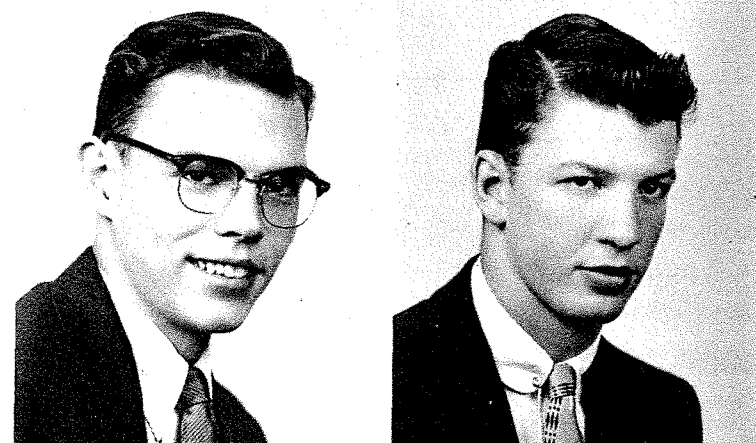
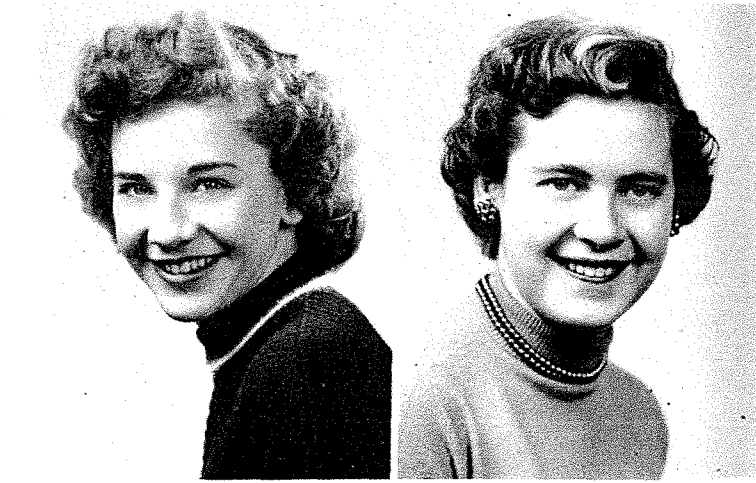


Mary Carlene Rotter----"Carly" G.A.A. 1,2,3; Softball 1; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; General Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Special Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A cappella 2,3; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 1; Student Council 1; Pep Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Bruin 2,3,4; Mixed Octet 4; Mixed Sextet 4; Mixed Quartet 4; Girls Quartet 3; Bear Log 4; Girls Octet 2,3; Trio 3; Latin Club 1,2; Class Queen 3; Music Festival 1,2,3,4.

Betty Lou Sargent----"Betty" G.A.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; Special Glee Club 1,2; Christmas Play 1; Class Play 4; Badminton 1; Aerial Tennis 2; Baseball 1,2.

Richard Claude Schlax----"Dick" Track 1; Glee Club 3,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Christmas Play 2; Working 3,4.

Richard Charles Sears----"Rich" Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Class President 3; Debate 1; Student Council 2; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; All Conference End 3; 3rd Team All-State End 3; Bear Log Staff 3,4; "D" Club 2,3,4; Boys Octet 4; Round Robin Tournament 1,2; Pep Band 1.

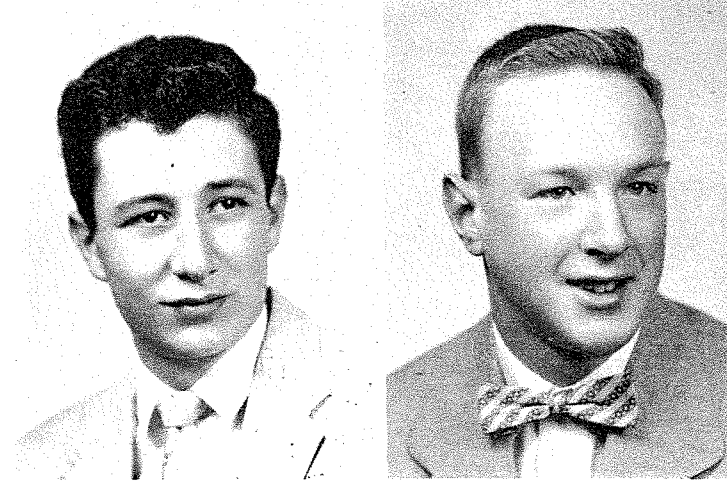
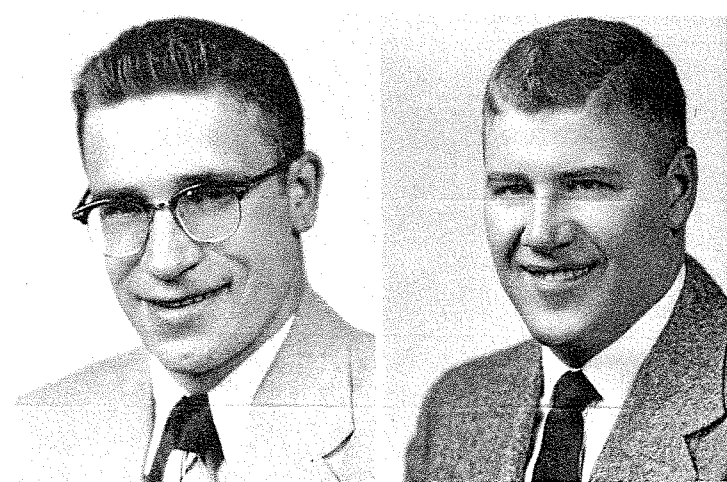


Donald Arthur Sonne----"Don" or "Sonny" Football 1,2,3,4; Weight Teams 1,2,3; "D" Club 2,3,4; Class Play 4.

Gerald Sternad----"Jerry" Entered 3rd year; Football 3,4; "D" Club 3,4.

Darrel Carl Stoneberger----"Tot" Football 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 1; "D" Club 4; Class Officer 1; Christmas Play 1; Tumbling 1,2; Round Robin Tournament 1,2; Volleyball Tournament 1,2; Softball 3,4; Baseball 1; Senior Play 4.

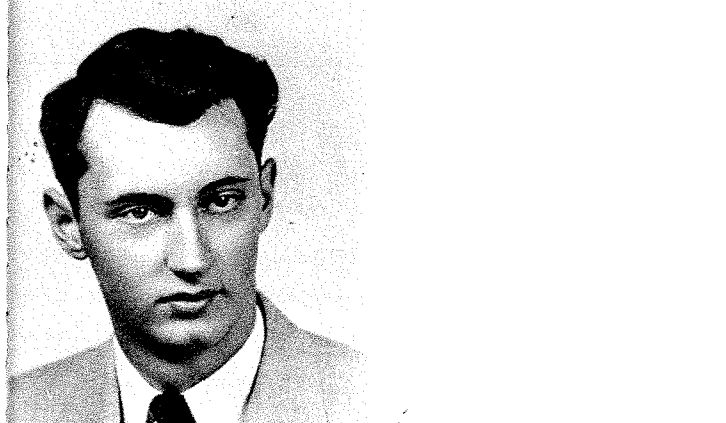
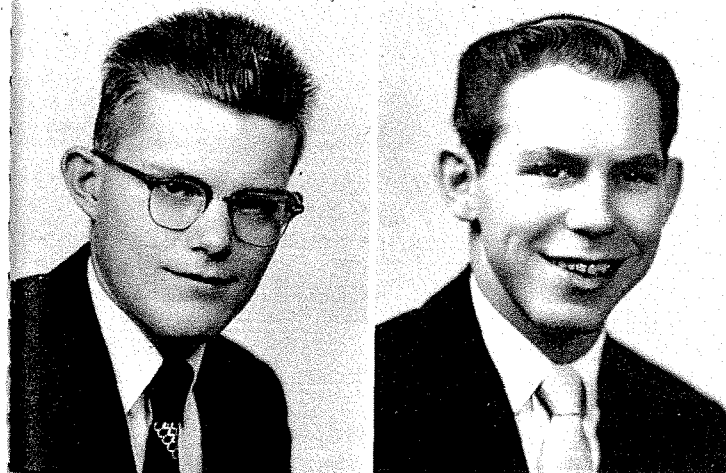
Jim Allen Veitl----"Jim" Track 1,2,4; Track Manager 3; "D" Club 3,4; Work 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Class Vice-President 4; Weight Teams 1; S.D.H.S.P.A. 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3; Boys State 3; Glee Club 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Football 3; Class Secretary, Treasurer 3; Student Council 3.

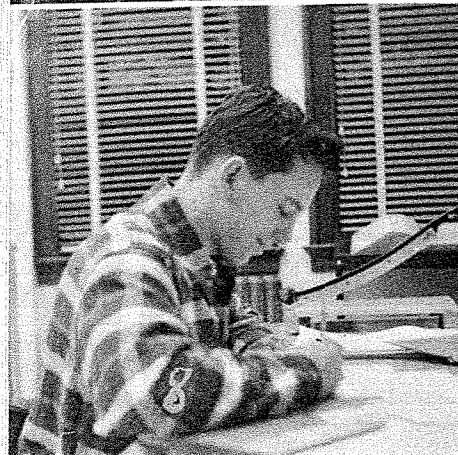
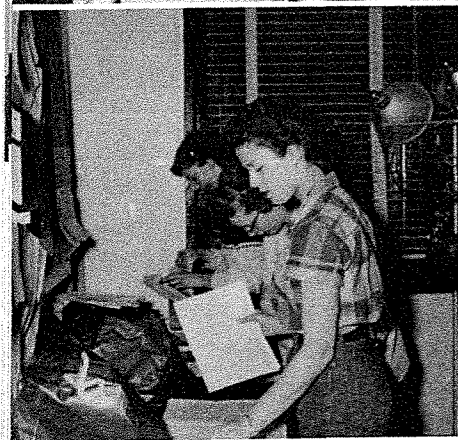
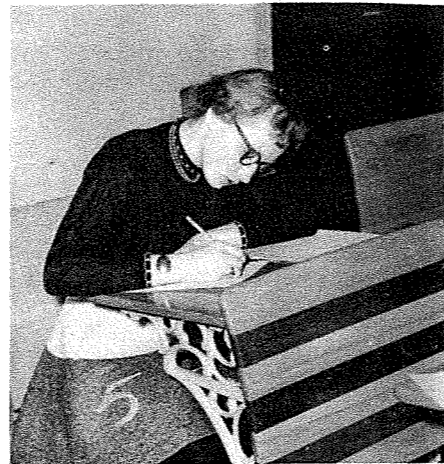
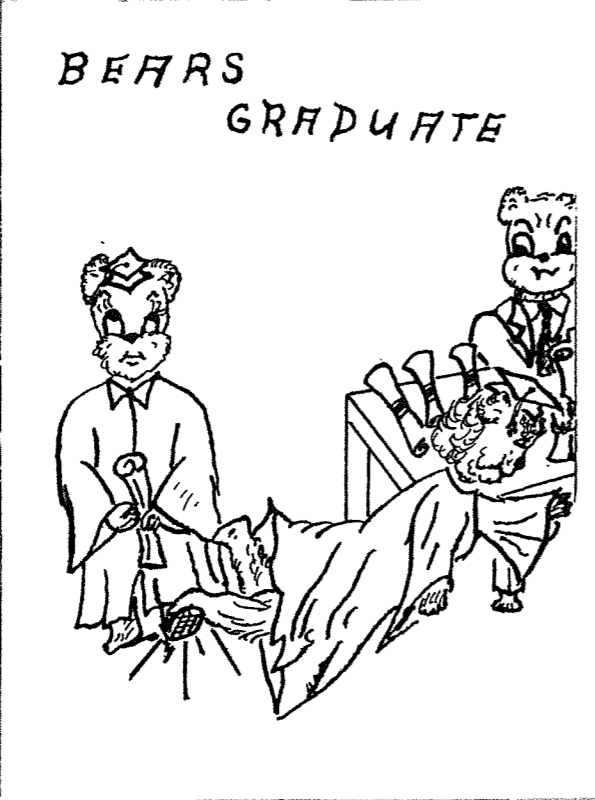
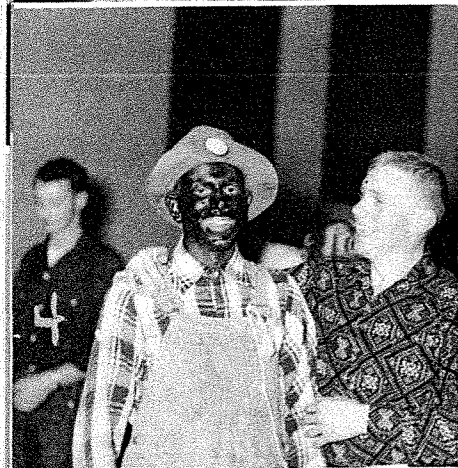
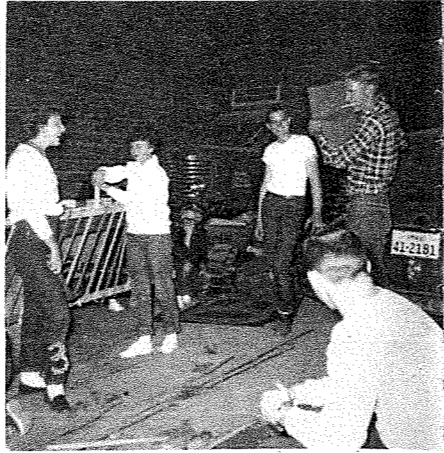
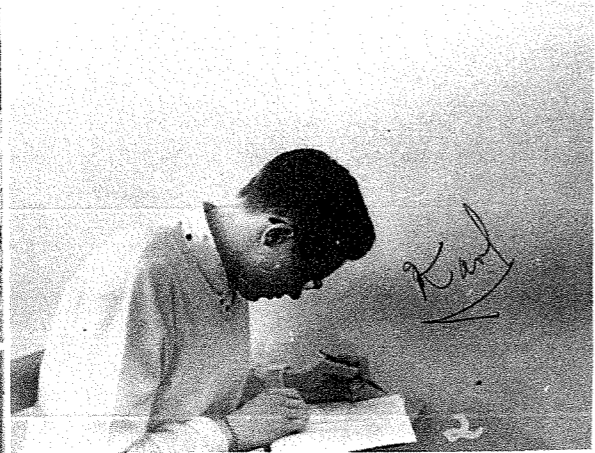


Luke Truman Walker----"Luke" Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Working 3,4; Weight Team 1; Class Play 4.

Robert Eugene Whitelock----"Gene" Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Round Robin Tournament 1,2; Track 3; "D" Club 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Tuneful Twelve 3; Boys Octet 4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class President 2; Working 2; Bruin Staff 1,2,3,4; Bear Log Staff 3,4; S.D.H.S.P.A. 4.

Monte Gene Widdoss----"Monte" Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Quartet 3,4; Tuneful Twelve 3; Mixed Quartet 4; Mixed Sextet 4; Latin Club 1,2; Christmas Play 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Bruin Staff 2,3,4; Bear Log Staff 4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Class Secretary, Treasurer 1; Football 1; Basketball 1,2; Annual Clinic 4.





Journeyman Help Perfect Construction

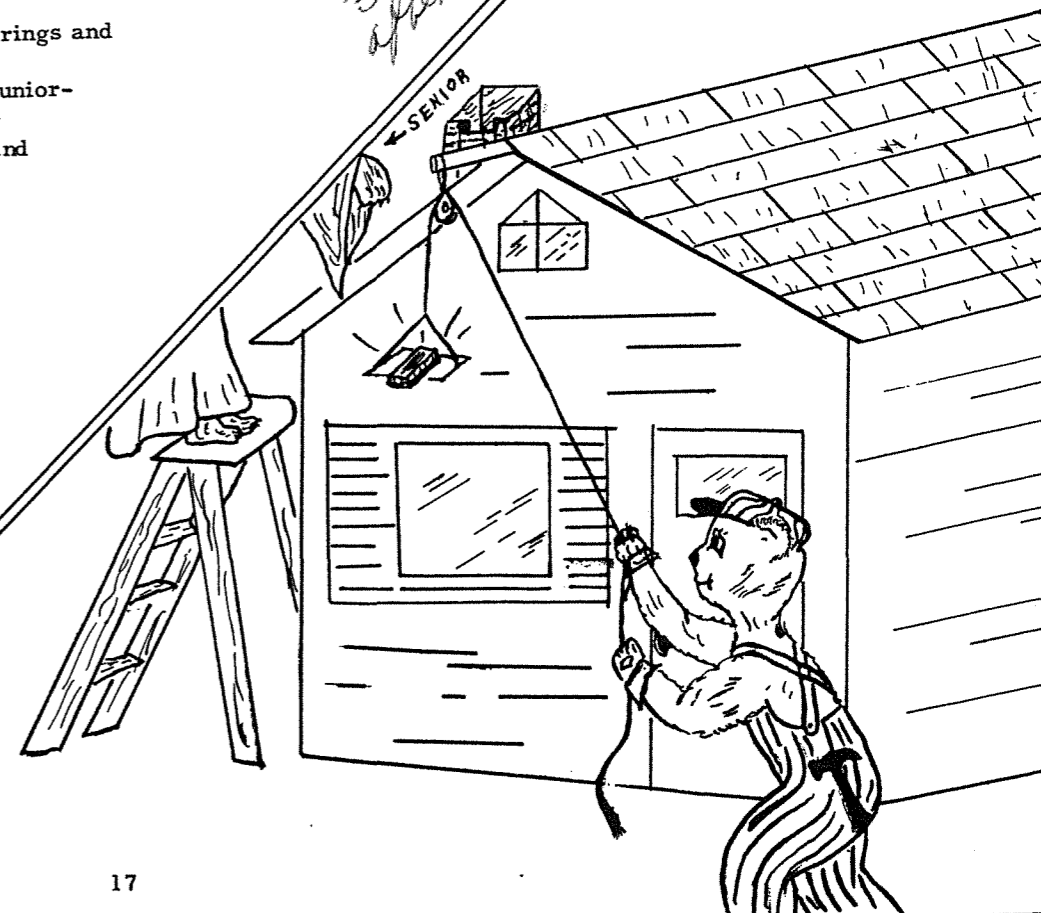
The journeymen had a busy year in '55. At our first class meeting we elected Arne Sjomeling as our President, Suzanne Litz, Vice-President, and Bob Sjomeling, Secretary-Treasurer.

Pretty Belva Burtzlaff was chosen to reign as junior class queen and ride on our float with a theme called "Lick 'Em."

To represent us on the Student Council, we chose Arne Sjomeling and Belva Burtzlaff. Walt Williamson and Arne Sjomeling were elected to attend Boys' State.

Some of the things that high-lighted our year were a very successful play, Trouble Shooter, choosing our class rings and planning the Junior-Senior prom and banquet.

No Diane load luck in your next 3 years. Get that man off your mind after quick how fur Willi



1. Look at all the pretties!!! 2. He works so hard. 3. They don't. 4. Rastus, the man with the "Pep-sodent Smile." 5. A break in her leisure time. 6. Triple Threat Team! 7. Get that man off your mind! 8. And you get that woman off your mind! 9. Man, can I go!!! 10. Kinda.

*The Sjomelings And Sue
Plan For The Prom*

Pictured at the right are the Junior Class Officers; left to right--Bob Sjomeling, Secretary; Suzanne Litz, Vice-President; Arne Sjomeling, President.



Belva Burtzlaff
Geraldine Clauser
Charles Crotty



Richard Davis
Arthur DuPratt
Paula Engebretson
Margaret Ferris



Joanna Francescato
Tom Gorder
Diane Heine
Charles Hendrickson



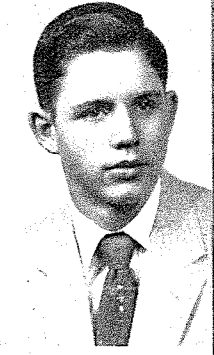
Jimmie Hennen
Joan Hoy
Peggy Huhta
Donnie James

Carol Johnson

Jolyn Kimble

Donald Lantz

Marvin Lester



Suzanne Litz

Melvyn Meverden

JoAnne Pringle

Marilyn Rotter

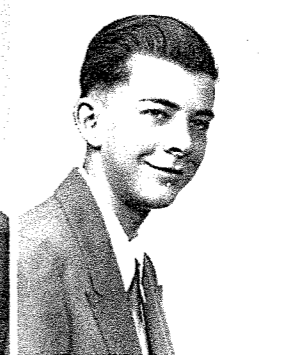


Shirley Ruth

Jerold Sargent

David Schopen

Sylvia Scissons

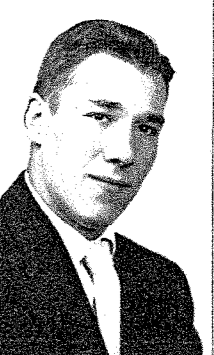
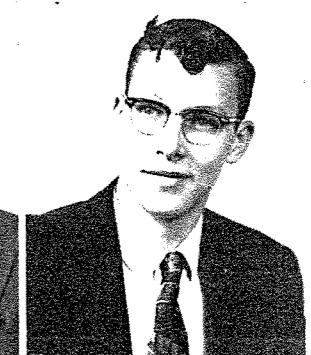
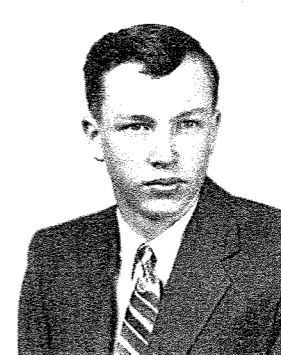


Joyce Shostrom

Arne Sjomeling

Robert Sjomeling

Merno Stalder

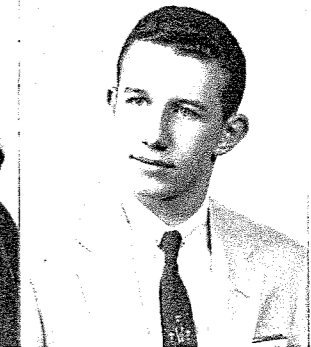


Willis Steinlicht

Katherine White

Walter Williamson

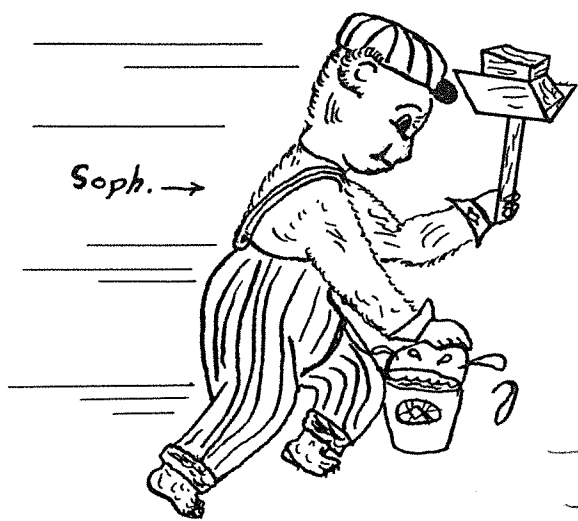
Gail Willuweit





1. Stop tickling!! 2. Mr. Drake cleaning the main office. 3. Don't they work hard??? 4. Check that pose!! 5. Never saw a horse with suede shoes!! 6. One-shot Williamson. 7. Such a "dear." 8. Awww, you say the sweetest things!! 9. Hail, hail, the gang's all here!! 10. Macbeth lived here. 11. Breakin' in on "Junior Skip Day." 12. Marilyn, why did you have to change so much??? 13. "Hep Cats" of D.H.S. 14. This is Sherill (Calamity Jane) Person. 15. "Peppy, Peppy, you are our mascot true." 16. "They were doin' the mambo???" 17. Bewildered, bored or shocked? We'll leave it up to you. 8. Looks like Helen's been ridin' horses too long. 19. Yell loud, Sophs, you need the vote to get the prize. 20. Duh, what's up, docs??? 21. Where's your "Pepsodent smile," Helen? 22. Aw, come on kids, smile for the camera.

Sophs Help Carry The Load

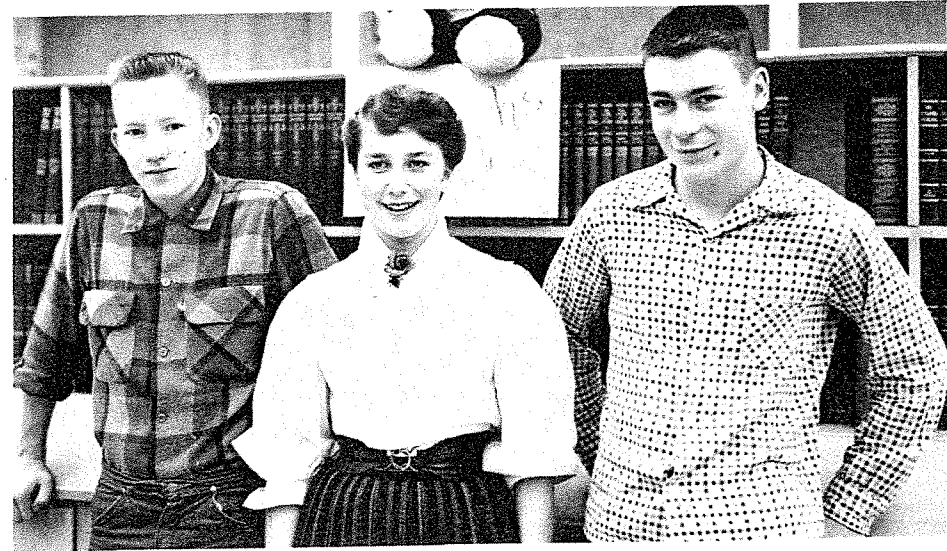


Diane,
 I'm sure glad I get to know you like I did and I hope I get to keep the friendships going on between Junior and Soph.
 Judy.

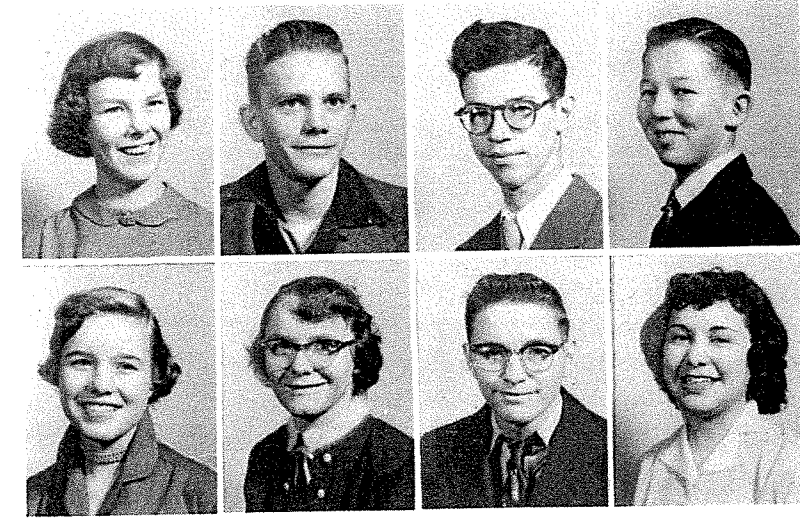
Dear Diane,
 Just think... You're first year of high school is almost over. Have you? I hope so. Have lots more fun in your next three years.

Sophomore Class Officers:
 left to right--President, Robert Mack; Secretary, Patricia Williamson; Vice-President, Donnie Gross.

Be good,
 Maryne



The apprentices started out with all the teachers wondering what was wrong with the 50 members. However, the sophomores held enough of their wits about them to elect Robert Mack as President; Don Gross, Vice-President; and Patricia Williamson, Secretary-Treasurer. To represent them on Student Council they elected Jim Young and Jerry Hardy. The Sophomore Class chose Jean Maki as their class queen to ride on their "Flower Basket" float.



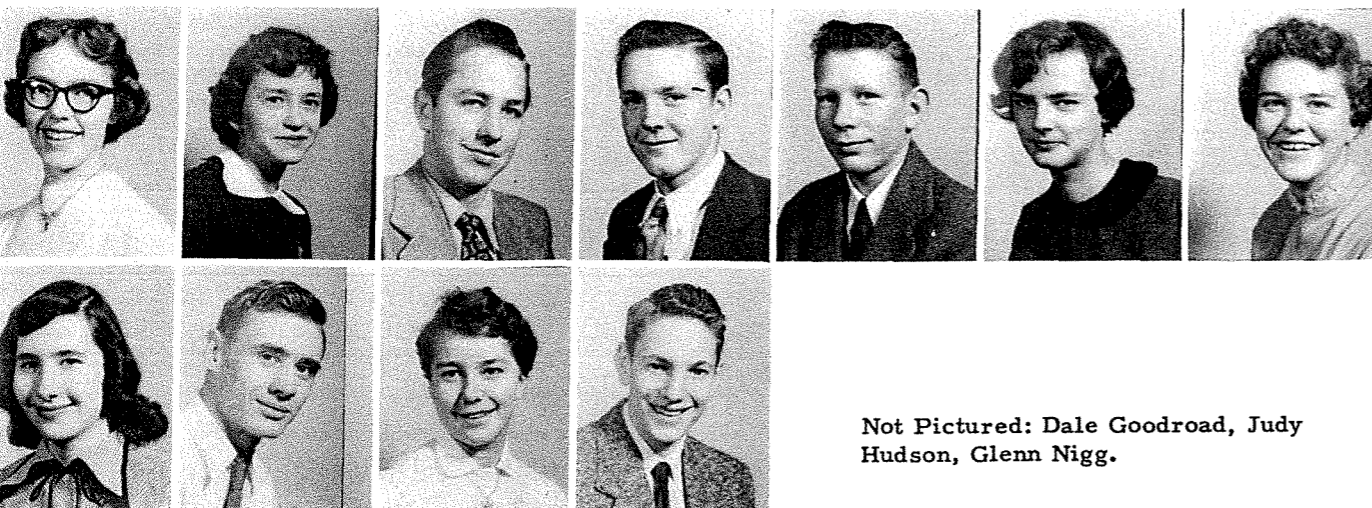
Jill Anfinson Keith Bergstrom Ronald Bernard James Buckmaster
 Jeanne Cleveland Carolyn Collins James Collins Frances Cordova



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Donnie Gross Marlene Hansen Jerry Hardy Shirley Hendrickson Ronnie Hennen Yvonne Hobbs Carolyn Jacobson



Raymond Jones Gerald Karns Maria Klein Marlyne Kuykendall Robert Mack Jean Maki Leona Marshall
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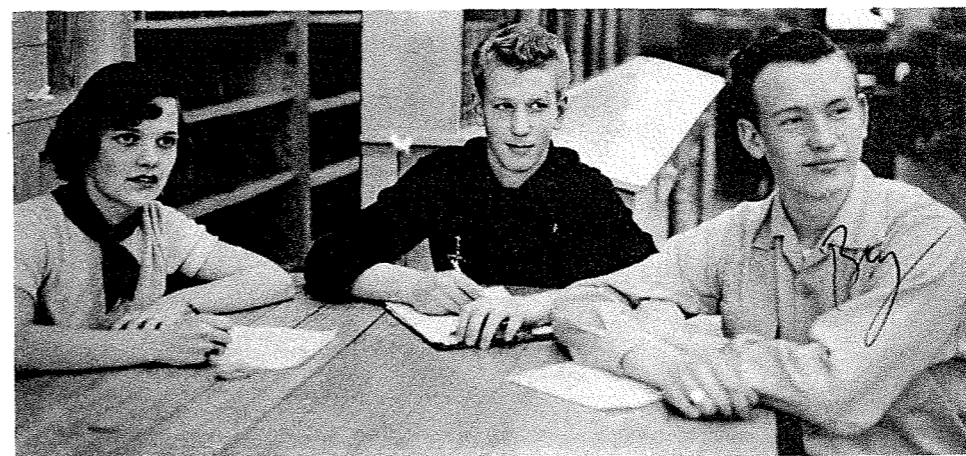
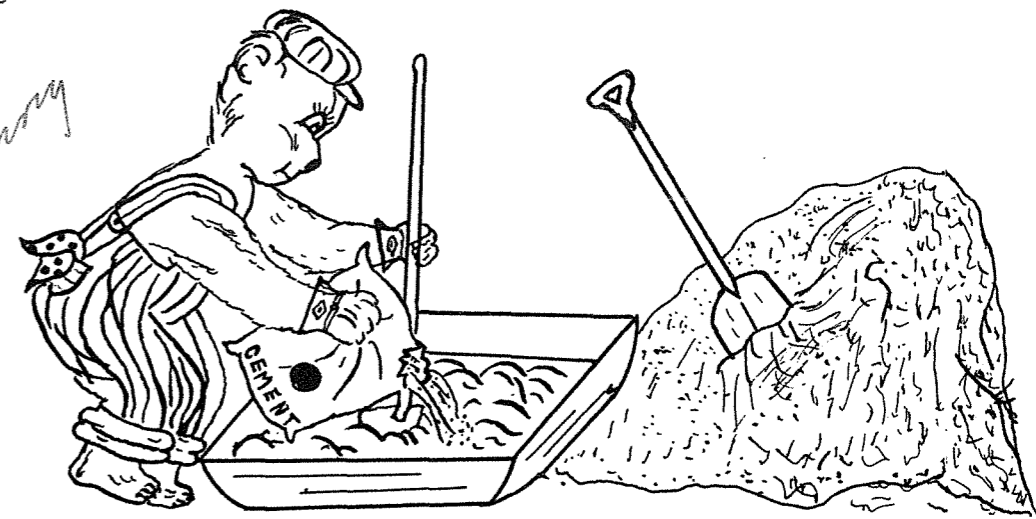


Not Pictured: Dale Goodroad, Judy Hudson, Glenn Nigg.

Lois Pringle LaRee Redinger Marvin Reznicek Robert Saunders James Scott Judy Ann Semmons Margaret Slack
Roberta VanDerVorst Roland VanDerVorst Patricia Williamson Jimmy Young

Freshmen "Bear-ly" Labor

*Hi Diane
I will be seeing you
one of these Sat. nights.
I hope so.
Penny*



FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS

Seated, left to right--Secretary, Peri Ann Hughes; President, Jack Sears; Vice-President, Marvin Lee.

*Dear Miss Clements
Hope to see you
next year! signed:
Big Buzzard Lee*

As the school year 1954-1955 began, it saw 51 confused common laborers madly dashing around the halls trying to find such things as classrooms and people who could open their lockers for them.

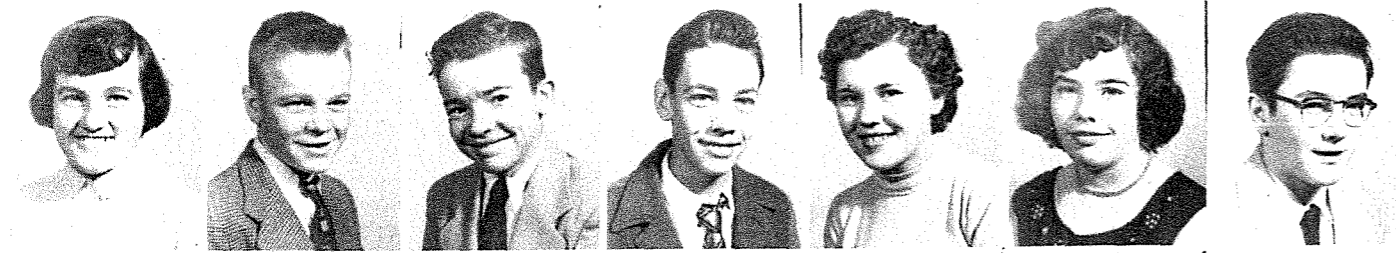
When the teachers calmed them down enough, the freshmen elected Peri Ann Hughes and Jack Sears with Marjorie Bell and Jean Pigney as alternates to represent them on the student council.

Before they were used to their new surroundings, the laborers again assembled and this time elected Peri Ann Hughes, Marvin Lee, and Jack Sears as class officers.

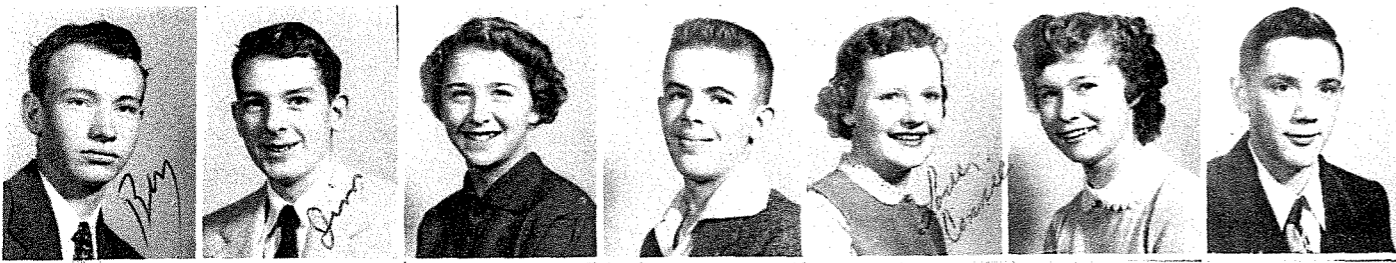
On Bear Day, Her Highness Judy Shama rode aboard the frosh float which carried the theme, "Beat Bell." The freshmen's idea and workmanship on the float were good enough to place it second in the parade.



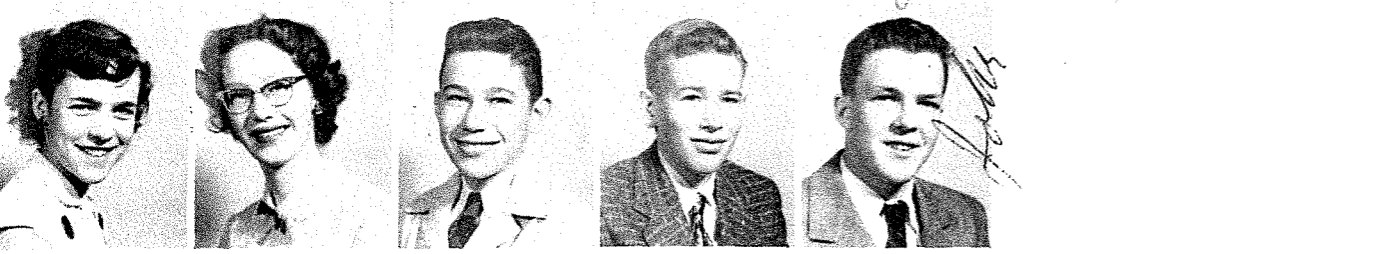
Marjory Bell Beverly Bobst Barbara Brown Larry Burtzlaff
Karen Carter Herbert Clark Virginia Clauser Diane Clements



Judy Cleveland Gary Collins B. Junior Duane Richard Eatherton Sophia Fuhrmann Jean Goodroad Vincent Gravelle
Dale Hansen Delores Heinrich Glenrose Hill Peri Anne Hughes Donald Johnson Gloria Johnson Romell Kaelberer



Marvin Lee James LeMar Darlene Lester Carl Lindstrom Connie Lou McCarroll Barbara McDade James Meverden
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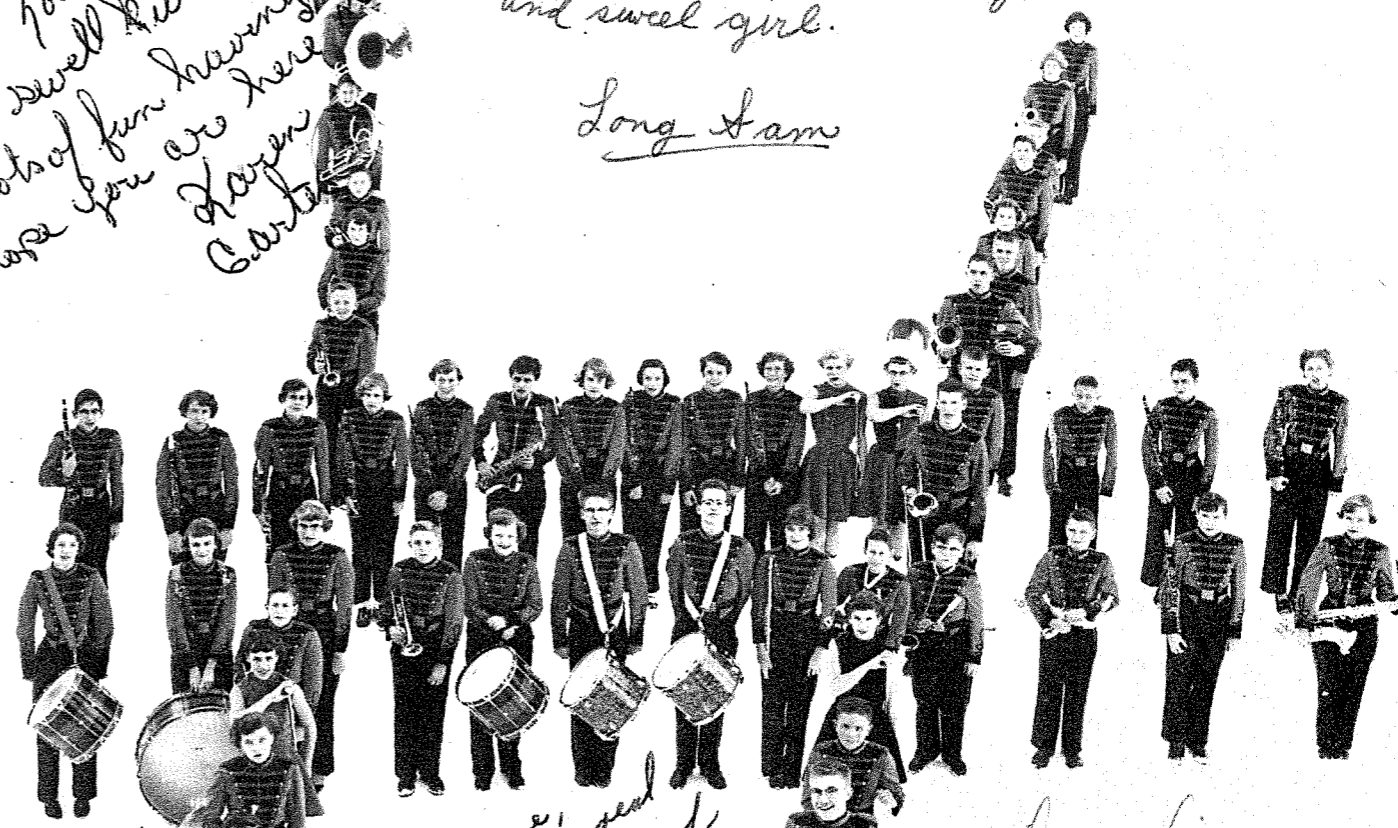
Mary Joan Scissons Jack Sears Judy Shama Ramona Sheppard Karen Shockey Sondra Snapp Blaine Sordahl
Rozelle Stalder Eugenie Suess David Vaughn Stanley Wells John Wescott

Organizations Help Build Active Year

*Prone
loads of luck to
A swell kid it's been
lots of fun having you in school
hope you are here next year
Karen
Carter*

*Dear Daisy May
Lots of luck to a pretty
and sweet girl.*

Long Sam



*Dear Diane,
Here's wishing a real
sweet cute kid lots of
luck in her future
years in D.H.S. and
always.
Love,
Kathleen*

*Dear Diane,
Don't ever
forget all the wonder-
ful times we've had
together. I hope we'll
always be the best of
friends, like we are
now. (Don't lose G.)
Love + kisses,
Connie*

Bear Log Staff Builds Annual



ANNUAL OFFICERS: Seated --Sylvia Berry, Editorial Chairman; Mr. Brainard, Adviser. Standing: left to right--Monte Widdoss, Art Editor; Jimmy Veitl, Assistant Editor; Dale Allen, Editor; Suzanne Litz, Assistant Editor; Gene Whitelock, Co-Business Manager; Henry Frawley, Co-Business Manager; Jo Anne Pringle, Assistant Editor; Richard Sears, Assistant Editor.



BEAR LOGSTAFF: 1st row, left to right--Dale Allen, Jim Veitl, Gene Whitelock, Woody Williamson, Larry DiSanto, Monte Widdoss. 2nd row--Mr. Brainard, Jean Maki, Sylvia Berry, Sherill Person, Janet Chyba, Helen Brandt, Suzanne Litz. 3rd row--Jeanne Cleveland, Connie McCarroll, Richard Sears, Henry Frawley, Jo Anne Pringle, Belva Burtzloff.

Special thanks go to Marcia Moore, Pauline Neavill, and Mary Rotter, who though not staff members at the time the picture was taken, "came through" with a lot of help--the last minute kind that means so much.

The Staff With The Mimeograph Composes



1st row, left to right--Jeanne Cleveland, Marilyn Rotter, Geraldine Clauser, Mary Eilers, Leona Marshall, Margaret Slack, Jolyn Kimble, Annette Kittelman, Joanne Deatherage, LaRee Redinger, Pauline Neavill. 2nd row--Patricia Williamson, Sandra Gravelle, Carolyn Jacobson, Marlyne Kuykendall, Jerry Hardy, Betty Cooper, Mary Rotter, Janet Chyba, Sherill Person, Mr. Brainard. 3rd row--Peggy Huhta, Jean Maki, Elaine Fish, Joanna Francescato, Frances Kunsman, Shirley Hendrickson, Carol Johnson, Paula Engebretson, Yvonne Hobbs, Suzanne Litz. 4th row--Helen Brandt, Diane Heine, Jill Anfinson, Joyce Shostrom, Nancy Newell, Jo Anne Pringle, Lois Pringle, Judy Ann Semmons, Florence Lauer. 5th row--Bill Beshara, Tom Gorder, Darrell Stoneberger, James Hutcherson, Henry Frawley, Monte Widdoss, Richard Sears, Dale Allen, Walter Williamson, Gene Whitelock.

Not Pictured--Marcia Moore

In D.H.S. anyone with the desire to write and to work can join the Bruin.



BRUIN OFFICERS: seated --Mr. Brainard, Adviser; Mr. Gran, Technical Adviser. Standing, left to right--Janet Chyba, Art Editor; Helen Brandt, Exchange Editor; Peggy Huhta, Assistant Editor; Bill Beshara, Sports Editor; Sherill Person, Editor-in-chief.

Snaps



1. "Cheaper by the Dozen." 2. Mr. King. 3. Tony waxes the floor. 4. Pretty scenery! 5. Nice Smile!! 6. Sisters (Jeanne and Judy). 7. New addition. 8. Second childhood. 9. Woodwind quintet. 10. Arne, what big feet you have!! 11. Amateur (?) 12. Bear (Grrrr). 13. Typical Sophomores. 14. Steppin' out. 15. Ooooo, what big mouths!!!

G.A.A. Provides Constructive Recreation



1st row, left to right--Frances Cordova, Karen Carter, Beverly Bobst, Jean Goodroad, Jeannie Cleveland, Judy Shama, Sylvia Berry, Annette Kittelman, Rozelle Stalder, LaRee Redinger, Judy Cleveland.

2nd row--Sandra Gravelle, Glenrose Hill, Sondra Snapp, Gloria Johnson, Mary Eilers, Leona Marshall, Margaret Slack, Sophia Fuhrmann, Delores Heinrich, Jolyn Kimble, Romell Kaelberer, Mrs. Krug.

3rd row--Pat Williamson, Darlene Lester, Elaine Fish, Jean Maki, Barbara McDade, Marlyne Kuykendall, Yvonne Hobbs, Joanna Francescato, Shirley Nelson, Carolyn Collins, Mary Jane Drake, Janet Chyba.

4th row--Roberta VanDerVorst, Marlene Hansen, Jean Pigney, Helen Brandt, Jill Anfinson, Shirley Roebuck, Sharon Farrrens, Diane Heine, Shirley Hendrickson, Karen Shockey, Maria Klein.

5th row--Muriel Roth, Judy Semmons, Belva Burtzlaff, Jo Anne Pringle, Nancy Newell, Lois Pringle, Kay Buckmaster, Judy Hudson, Ramona Sheppard.

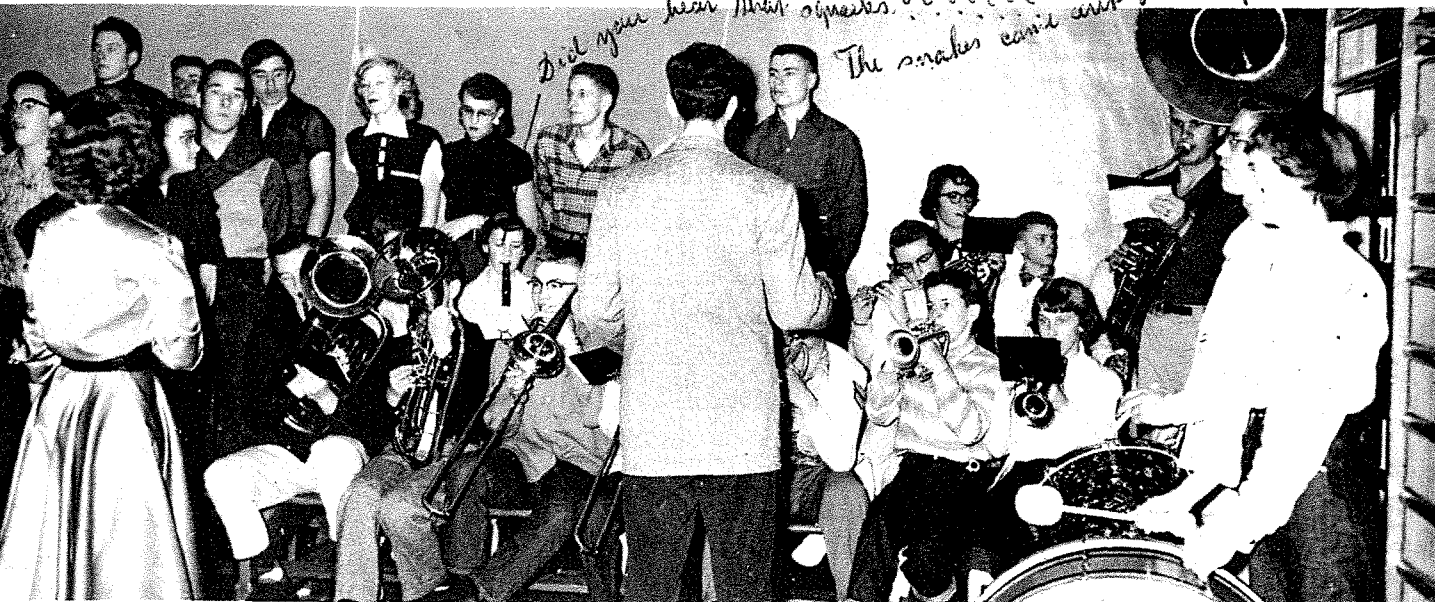
The Girls' Athletic Association, having elected Elaine Fish, President, and Janet Chyba, Secretary, held four tournaments this year. They were: the badminton tournament, which Maria Klein won; the table tennis tournament, which is not yet completed; and the volleyball and basketball tournaments, both of which were won by the sophomore class.

The girls in G.A.A. are given points for their hours of athletic activity and are awarded letters according to the number of points earned. Four points are given for each hour of organized activity while three points are given for each hour of unorganized activity.

Some Blow And Some Yell

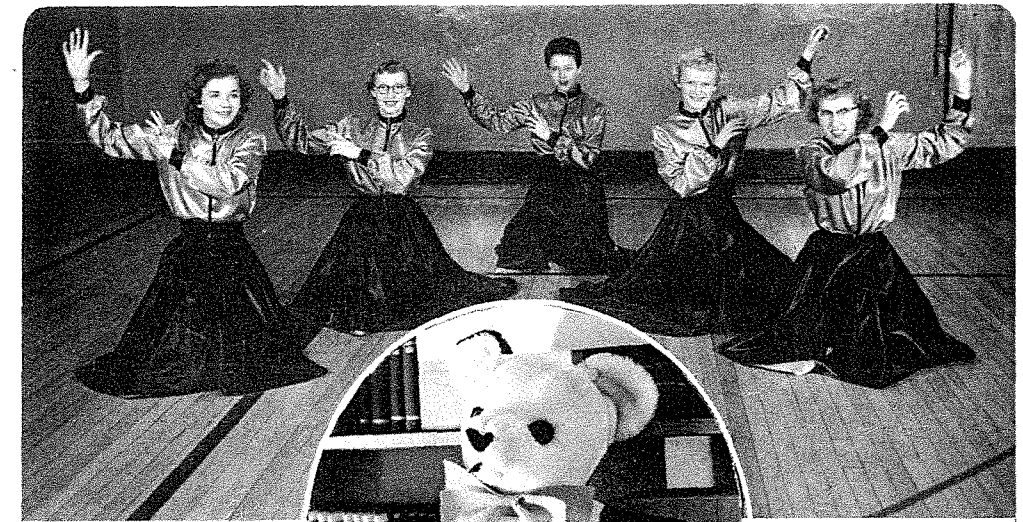


PEP CLUB: 1st row, Cheerleaders, seated, left to right--Mary Rotter, Janet Chyba, Marcia Moore, Elaine Fish, Annette Kittelman. 2nd row--Judy Cleveland, LaRee Redinger, Joanne Deatherage, Beverly Bobst, Jean Goodroad, Judy Shama, Jeanne Cleveland, Marilyn Rotter, Sandra Gravelle, Rozelle Stalder, Gail Willuweit, Karen Carter, Pauline Neavill, Frances Cordova, Mrs. Krug. 3rd row--Sophia Fuhrmann, Gloria Thingelstad, Mary Eilers, Leona Marshall, Patricia Williamson, Peri Ann Hughes, Shirley Nelson, Darlene Lester, Gloria Johnson, Jolyn Kimble, Glenrose Hill, Sondra Snapp, Connie Lou McCarroll. 4th row--Margaret Slack, Carolyn Collins, Carolyn Jacobson, Virginia Clauser, Peggy Huhta, Carol Johnson, Suzanne Litz, Yvonne Hobbs, Maria Klein, Marlyne Kuykendall, Jean Maki, Eugenie Suess. 5th row--Karen Shockey, Florence Lauer, Diane Heine, Sharon Farrens, Jill Anfinson, Nancy Newell, Jo Anne Pringle, Belva Burtz-laff, Judy Ann Semmons, Shirley Roebuck, Shirley Hendrickson, Marlene Hansen.



Composed of "A" band members, the Pep Band is caught in the role of spirit building at the Lead--Deadwood game of January 18, 1955.

"Deadwood High We Love Thy Name..."



"A" CHEERLEADERS: left to right--Mary Rotter, Janet Chyba, Marcia Moore, Elaine Fish, Annette Kittelman.

Peppy, the Panda Bear, is the school mascot. In pep assemblies before athletic events, he is awarded for that event, to the class which wins the competitive yelling contest.



"D" CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Don James, Larry DiSanto, Bill Beshara, Bob Sjomeling, Gene Whitelock, Walter Willaimson, Henry Frawley, Richard Sears, Merno Stalder, Jim Veitl, Coach Ferguson. 2nd row--Coach Burgess, Don Gross, Charles Crotty, Bill Auer, Jerry Sternad, Tom Perrett, Don Sonne, George Clark, Darrell Stoneberger, John Fillmore, Larry Mitchell, Robert Mack.

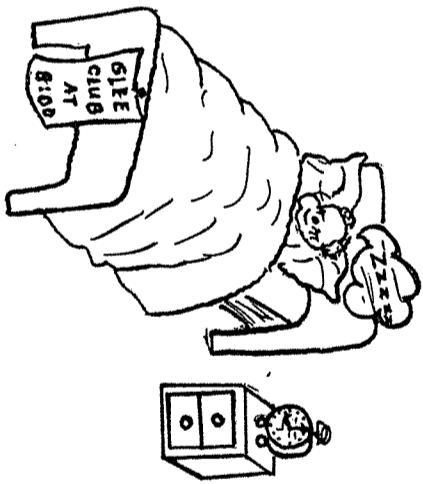


1st row, left to right--Diane Clements, Florence Lauer, Julie Clark, Donna Baggaley, Gloria Johnson, Judy Klein, Helen Pontius, Darlene Lester, Marlys Lester, Dale Allen, Charles Auer, Tommy Martin, Harold Hicks, Larry DiSanto. 2nd row--Hans Nubert, Letha Heinrich, Harrietta Spangler, Ronnie Dyvig, Joe Engler, Penny Clauser, John Brockman, George Auer, Jeanne Cleveland, Marvin Lee, Ronnie Hennen, Patty Whalen, Stanley Wells, Jack Sears, David Roesler, Patsy Steinlicht, Herbie Clark, Floyd Iwan. 3rd row--Lois Pringle, Karen Shockey, Arlene Jacobson, Mr. Clark, Director, Dave Curtis, Jimmy LeMar, Jimmy Young, George Clark, Connie McCarroll, Marlyne Kuykendall, Marjorie Bell, Willis Steinlicht, Jimmy Hennen, Lee Ann May, Carl Lindstrom, David Mitchell, Richard Sears, Jerry Pontius, Larry Mitchell.

Before "A" Band puts out these dulcet tones, there must be a foundation. "B" and "C" bands are the foundation. Youngsters in grades four to eight can be members of "C" band, while students from grades six through high school can be members of "B" band. When by try-out, a student proves his ability, he becomes a member of "A" band. Through a system of challenges, he advances through his section of "A" band.



MIXED GLEE CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Jeanne Cleveland, Romell Kaelberer, Pat Williamson, Jerry Hardy, Jolyn Kimble, Mary Rotter, Janet Chyba, Herby Clark, Sherrill Person, Marilyn Rotter, Pauline Neavill. 2nd row--Marjory Bell, Marlyne Kuykendall, Peggy Huhta, Helen Brandt, Jean Pigney, Florence Lauer, Suzanne Litz, Carol Johnson, Yvonne Hobbs, Peri Ann Hughes, Di-recotr-Miss Craig. 3rd row--Verlin Fox, Bill Beehara, Ronnie Hennen, Gene Whitelock, Sharon Farrans, Lois Pringle, Jo Anne Pringle, Joyce Shostrom, Kurt Machler, Larry Mitchell. 4th row--Dick Schlax, Jim Hennen, Donnie Gross, Tom Gorder, Donnie Johnson, Carl Lindstrom, John Fillmore, Arne Sjomneling, Woody Williamson. 5th row--Karl Bentz, Mickey Larson, Monte Widdoss, Henry Frawley, James LeMar, Richard Sears, Dale Allen, Willis Steinlicht. Not pictured--Marcia Moore.



*Sleepy-eyed Choristers
Meet At 8 A.M.
Dear Parents
Best of luck
to a search
hope we have
seen you
we did
Gordon*



General Glee Clubbers "maken melodye"



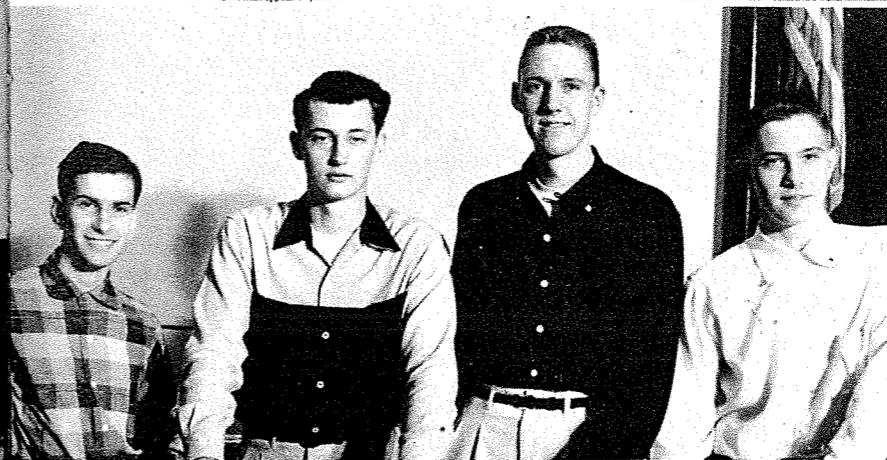
GIRLS GLEE CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Jean Goodroad, Joanne Deatherage, Pauline Neavill, Annette Kittelman, Sophia Fuhrmann, Sylvia Berry, Katherine White, Judy Shama, Rozelle Stalder, Jeanne Cleveland, Beverly Bobst, Gail Willuweit, Judy Cleveland. 2nd row--Shirley Ruth, Glenrose Hill, Gloria Johnson, Margaret Slack, Leona Marshall, Sherill Person, Patricia Williamson, Romell Kaelberer, Mary Eilers, Connie McCarroll, Sondra Snapp, Marilyn Rotter, Miss Craig. 3rd row--Mary Rotter, Marjory Bell, Eugenie Suess, Paula Engebretson, Peggy Huhta, Maria Klein, Janet Chyba, Marlyne Kuykendall, Jean Maki, Carolyn Collins, Virginia Clauser, Betty Cooper, Jolyn Kimble. 4th row--Barbara McDade, Roberta VanDerVorst, Karen Shockey, Helen Brandt, Suzanne Litz, Diane Heine, Florence Lauer, Jean Pigney, Shirley Hendrickson, Marlene Hansen, Carol Johnson, Yvonne Hobbs. 5th row--Shirley Roebuck, Muriel Roth, Judy Semmons, Belva Burtzlaff, Jo Anne Pringle, Nancy Newell, Lois Pringle, Joyce Shostrom, Sharon Farrens, Jill Anfinson. Not pictured--Marcia Moore.
*All Juniors Refer to Senior Lit. Book.



GIRLS QUARTET: Standing, left to right--Mary Eilers, Annette Kittelman, Pauline Neavill, Sherill Person.



OCTET 1: Seated at piano, left to right--Janet Chyba, Florence Lauer. Standing, left to right--Marlyne Kuykendall, Shirley Ruth, Karen Shockey, Jo Anne Pringle, Sondra Snapp.



BOYS QUARTET: Left to right--Kurt Machler, Monte Widdoss, Henry Frawley, Karl Bentz.

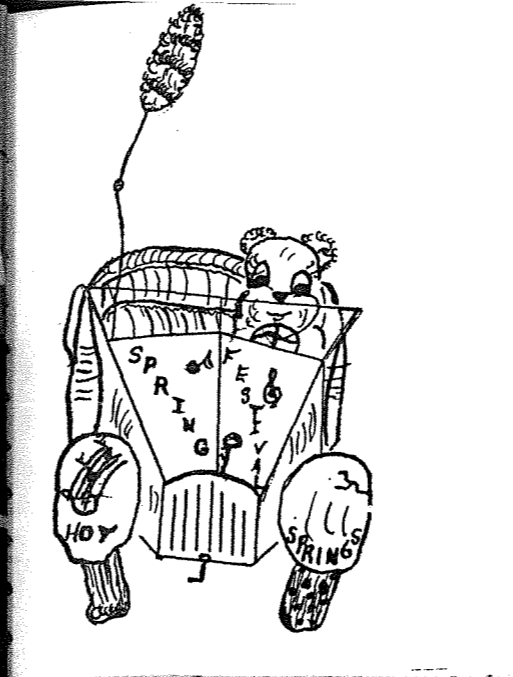
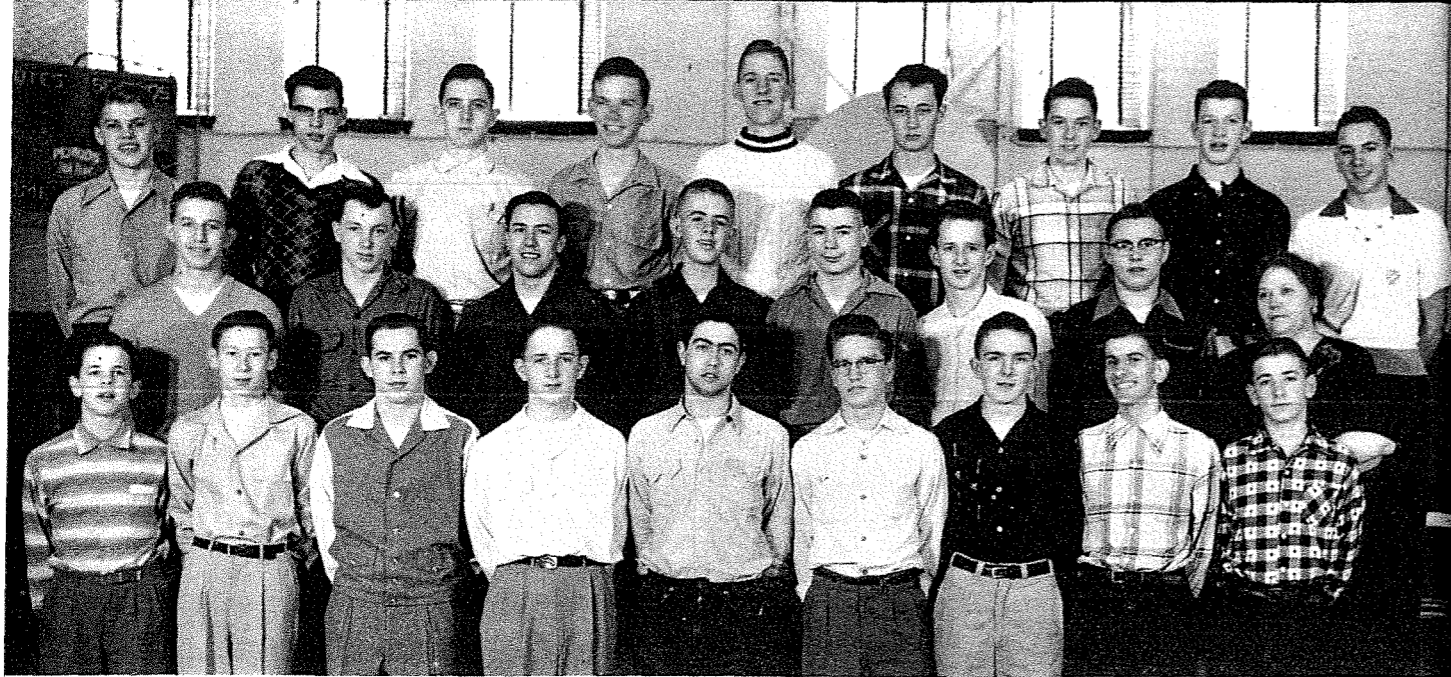
OCTET 11: Seated at the piano--Florence Lauer, Marjory Bell. Standing, left to right--Sophia Fuhrmann, Jean Pigney, Muriel Roth, Peri Ann Hughes, Connie Lou McCarroll, Romell Kaelberer.



MIXED OCTET: Seated at the piano--Mary Rotter. Standing, left to right--Henry Frawley, Monte Widdoss, Karl Bentz, Marcia Moore, Kurt Machler, Marilyn Rotter. Not pictured--Joyce Shostrom.

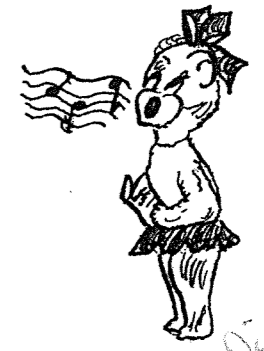
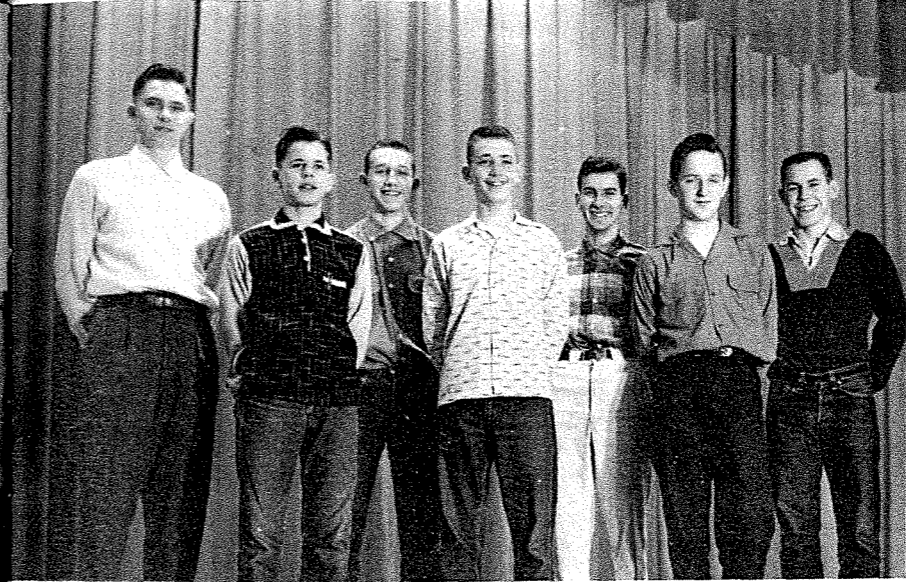


BOYS OCTET 11: Seated at piano, Jimmy Hennen. Left to right--Arne Sjomeling, Donnie Johnson, Karl Bentz, Kurt Machler, Bill Beshara, Richard Sears. In background--Henry Frawley.



BOYS GLEE CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Herb Clark, Donald Johnson, Gene Whitelock, Ronnie Henne, Bill Beshara, Willis Steinlicht, Larry Mitchell, Kurt Machler, Jerry Hardy.
 2nd row--Woody Williamson, Arne Sjomeling, John Fillmore, Carl Lindstrom, Don Gross, Jim Hennen, Verlin Fox, Miss Craig.
 3rd row--Tom Gorder, Dick Schlax, Karl Bentz, Mickey Larson, Henry Frawley, Monte Widdoss, Jim LeMar, Richard Sears, Dale Allen.

MIXED QUARTET: Left to right--Marilyn Rotter, Kurt Machler, Mary Rotter, Monte Widdoss.



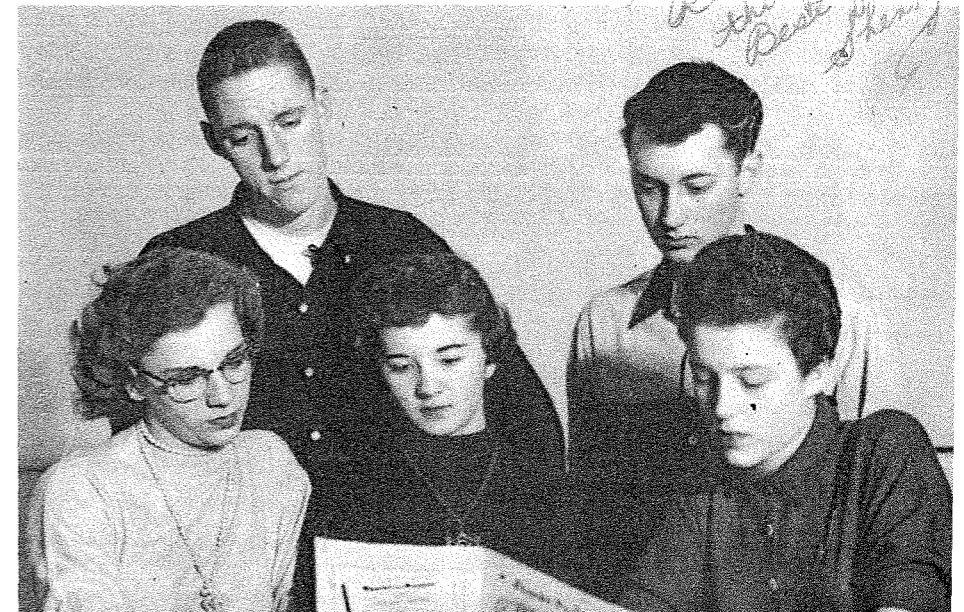
*I can't dance
 Best of luck to
 I will grab
 Remembered Job
 thing!
 Best of luck
 to Harry*

BOYS OCTET 1: 1st row, left to right--Karl Bentz, Herby Clark, Jerry Hardy, Ronnie Hennen.
 2nd row--Walter Williamson, Kurt Machler, Gene Whitelock.

SPECIAL GLEE CLUB: 1st row, left to right--Marilyn Rotter, Annette Kittelman, Shirley Ruth, Sherill Person, Helen Brandt, Patricia Williamson, Mary Eilers, Jolyn Kimble, Katherine White, Jeanne Cleveland.
 2nd row--Janet Chyba, Mary Rotter, Marlyne Kuykendall, Yvonne Hobbs, Marlene Hansen, Suzanne Litz, Carol Johnson, Paula Engebretson, Peggy Huhta, Betty Cooper, Miss Craig.
 3rd row--Florence Lauer, Judy Semmons, Belva Burtzlaff, Jo Anne Pringle, Nancy Newell, Lois Pringle, Joyce Shostrom, Jill Anfinson, Diane Heine.
 Not pictured--Marcia Moore



MIXED SEXTET: Left to right: Mary Rotter, Henry Frawley, Marilyn Rotter, Monte Widdoss, Marcia Moore.
 Not pictured: Kurt Machler.

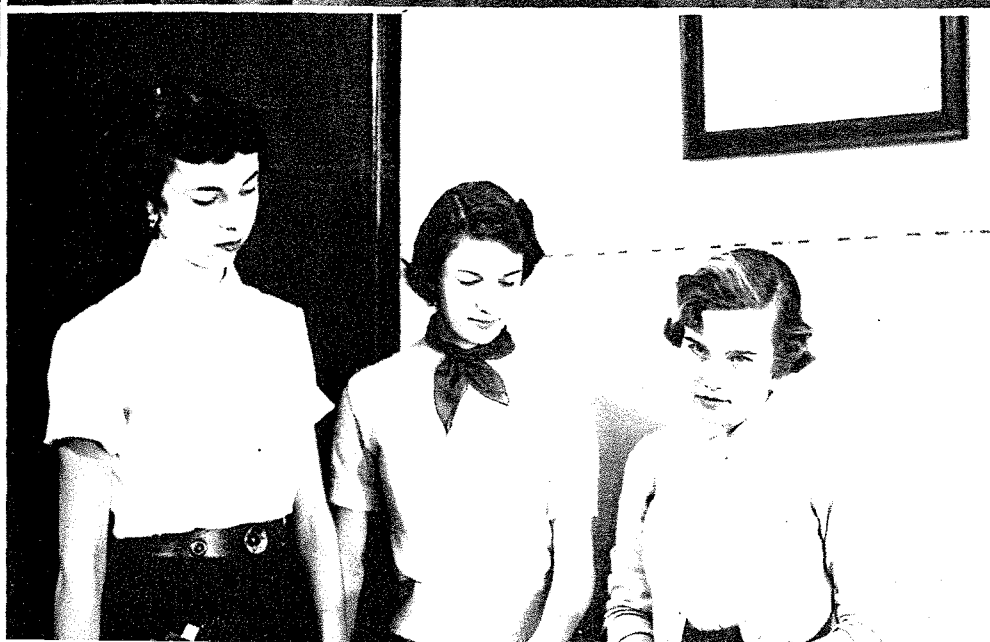




DECLAM: Seated, left to right--Carolyn Jacobson, Sherill Person, LaRee Redinger, Sandra Gravelle. Standing--Marlyne Kuykendall, Judy Semmons, Jill Anfinson, Miss Edson, Nancy Newell, Elaine Fish.



INEXPERIENCED DEBATERS: Left to right--Marjory Bell, Gloria Johnson, Connie McCarroll, Jean Pigney, Donnie Johnson, Herby Clark.

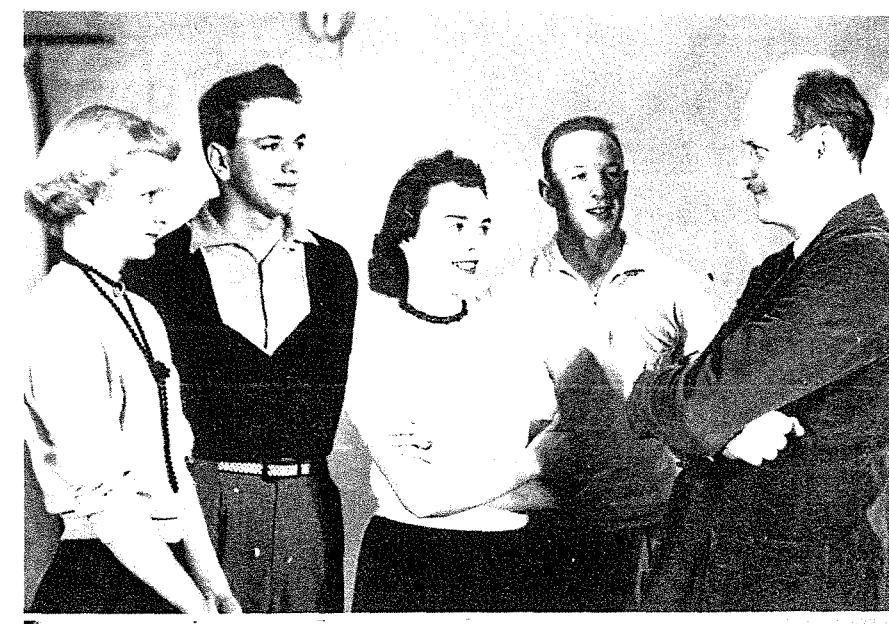


EXPERIENCED DEBATERS: Left to right--Miss Edson, Marlyne Kuykendall, Jeanne Cleveland.

QUILL AND SCROLL: Standing, left to right--Elaine Fish, Dale Allen, Sherill Person, Jimmy Veitl, Mr. Brainard.

Quill and Scroll, an international honorary society for high school journalists, organized April 10, 1926, began its life under Mr. George Gallup's direction and continues at its Northwestern University headquarters under Mr. Edward Nell.

The stiff requirements for membership make Quill and Scroll pins highly prized. The journalists must be of junior, senior, or post graduate classification, in the upper third of their class scholastically, must have done superior journalistic work, be recommended by their adviser, and be approved by the Executive Secretary of the Society.



DRAMATIC CLUB: Seated, left to right--Connie McCarroll, Judy Cleveland, Lois Pringle. Standing, left to right--Jeannie Pigney, Jolyn Kimble, Marjorie Bell, Carolyn Jacobson, Eugene Suess.

Members of this club meet on Wednesdays for training in dramatic technique and make-up.



N.F.L.: 1st row--Pat Williamson. 2nd row--Jeanne Cleveland, Sherill Person. 3rd row--Joanna Francescato, LaRee Redinger, Miss Edson, Elaine Fish, Marlyne Kuykendall, 4th row--Floyd Iwan.

The purpose of the National Forensic League is to develop interest and participation in public speaking. This includes all phases of speech work such as declamation, debate, extemp, oratory, and discussion. Students may work for four degrees beginning with the Degree of Merit and ending with a Degree of Distinction. This system represents recognition of achievement for those interested in speech field, and trains for leadership.



Bear Log Reviews Football, Basketball; Previews Track

*Dear Diana,
Well, lets try and
make our next three
years in high school as
much fun as this one has been.
Including the races home for lunch.
Love
Judy Cleveland, L.N. 100*



12 YEAR STUDENTS: 1st row, left to right--Gene Whitelock, Marcia Moore, Geraldine Page, Annette Kittelman, Sherill Person, Janet Chyba, Jim Veitl. 2nd row--Bill Auer, Larry DiSanto, John Fillmore, Luke Walker, George Clark, Karl Bentz, Dale Allen.

1954-"A" TEAM FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Opponent	We	They
Gillette	6	0
Hot Springs	25	7
Belle Fourche	6	19
Spearfish	13	18
Custer	21	0
Sturgis	0	34
Lead	24	13

1954-"B" TEAM FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Opponent	We	They
Lead	12	7
Sturgis	19	0
Spearfish	13	6
Belle Fourche	18	20
Spearfish	26	6
Lead	12	12

1954-'55 "A" TEAM BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Opponent	We	They
Pierre	50	52
Gillette	50	46
Hot Springs	42	28
Rapid City	46	52
Sturgis Invitational Tourney		
Sturgis	34	49
Custer	46	48
Vale	43	39
Lusk Invitational Tourney		
Pine Ridge	74	64
Belle Fourche	36	49
Sturgis	34	36
Custer	50	49
Spearfish	51	37
Lead	56	62
Sturgis	52	39
Hot Springs	73	36
Lead	58	82
Spearfish	52	51
Belle Fourche	54	55
Rapid City	50	70
Belle Fourche	53	60
Custer	58	61
Sturgis	44	58

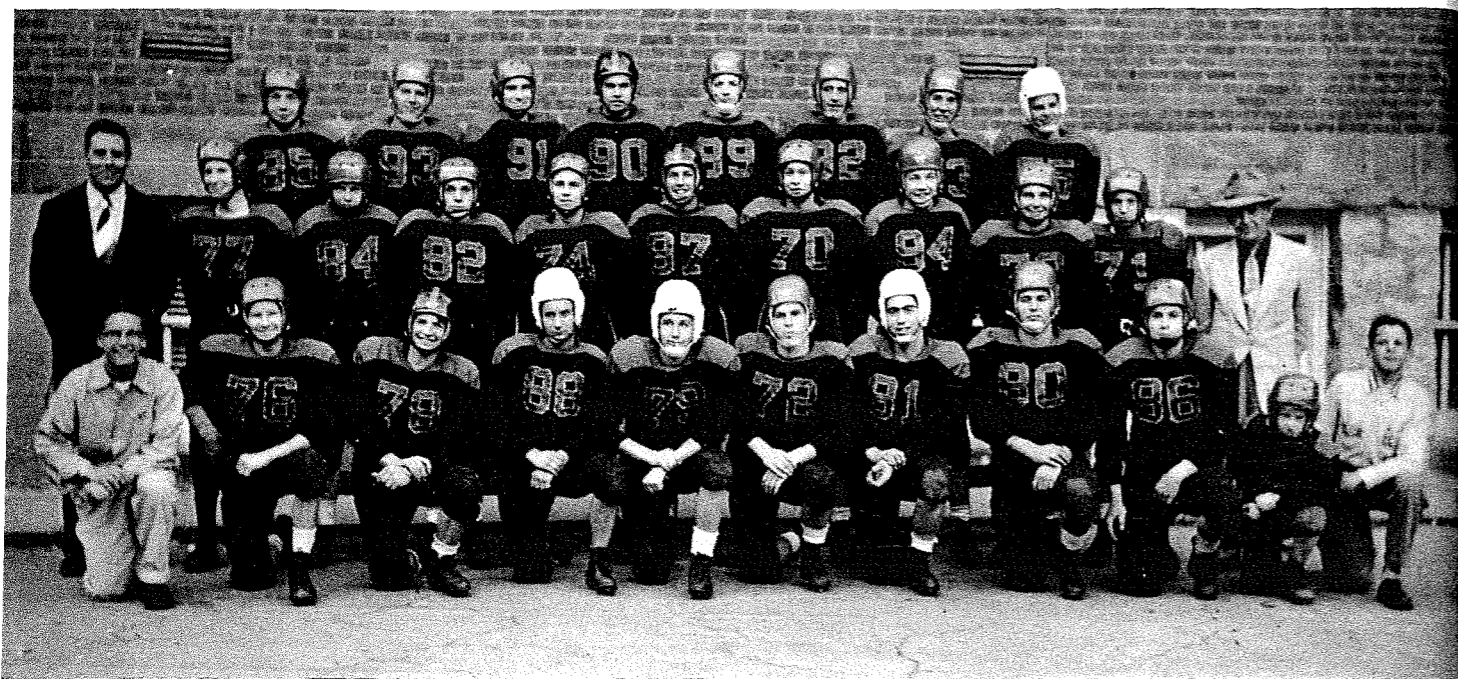
SECTION 8 TOURNAMENT

Lead	28	53
Spearfish	65	53

1954-'55 "B" TEAM BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Opponent	We	They
Lead	29	41
Rapid City	29	38
Spearfish	40	32
Lead	50	55
Sturgis	37	38
Lead	57	30
Spearfish	75	28
Belle Fourche	58	42
Rapid City	52	39
St. Patricks	52	48
Belle Fourche	42	33
Sturgis	55	39

D.H.S. Has Better Than Average Grid Season



"A" FOOTBALL SQUAD: 1st row, left to right--Willis Steinlicht, Robert Mack, Jerry Perrett, Don James, Woody Williamson, Gene Whitelock, Bill Beshara, Larry DiSanto, Don Gross, Fred Ferguson, Herb Clark. 2nd row--Coach Burgess, Jack Sears, Charles Edmonson, Bill Auer, John Fillmore, Tom Perrett, Bob Sjomeling, Jerry Pontius, Larry Mitchell, Jim Young, Coach Ferguson. 3rd row--Dale Hansen, Jerry Sternad, Donald Sonne, George Clark, Richard Sears, Charles Crotty, Merno Stalder, Tom Gorder.

The football season this year was climaxed when the Deadwood Bears defeated the Lead Gold-diggers to the tune of 24-13, thus clinching fourth place in the Black Hills Conference.

The season opened with the Bears meeting the Gillette Camels. The Bears defeated Gillette, 6-0.

Following the Gillette game, there was a three-week layoff before the Bears played their next ball game. Coaches Burgess and Ferguson believe that this layoff hurt the team considerably.

The next game was with Hot Springs. Deadwood downed the Bison, 20-6.

Homecoming Day, October 2, the Deadwood Bears played Belle Fourche's Broncs. It was a tight game all the way through. The Bears were plagued with fumbles after long drives. The Bears lost this game to Belle, 19-6.

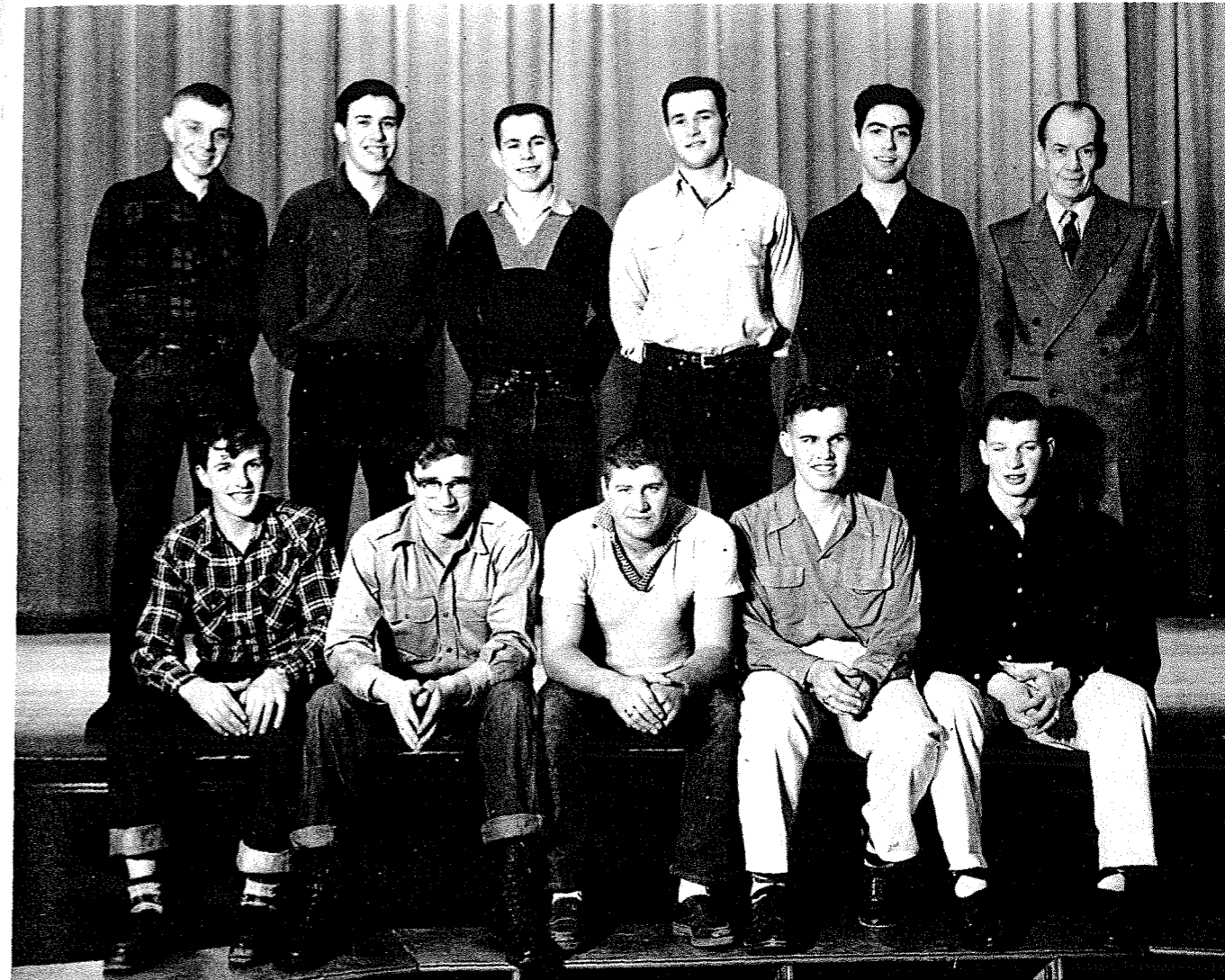
The Bears next traveled to Spearfish for Spartan Day. Deadwood, being injury riddled, started slowly. The first half ended 12-0 in favor of Spearfish. In the second half, the Bears came back to overtake Spearfish, only to lose the game in the final seconds of play. The final score: Spearfish, 18; Deadwood, 13.

The next week, the game with Sturgis turned out to be the biggest surprise of the season to many. It was the first and last time the rugged Sturgis team has been held scoreless at the end of the first half. The Bears were without the services of many of the regulars. In the second half, with the Scoopers' superior power, Deadwood was worn down.

Deadwood's next game, in which they defeated the Custer Wildcats 25-6, and brought the Bears back into the win column, seemed to be the turning point in the elimination of "fumbleites," and the improvement of teamwork and timing.

In the final game of the season, Deadwood defeated the Lead Golddiggers on the mountain top field in Lead. The Bears operated like a machine. All the players contributed toward winning this game. Deadwood pounded out a total of 352 yards rushing and 17 first downs. Deadwood defeated Lead, their traditional rivals, 24-13, to end the 1954 season.

Ten Football Players Graduate



SENIOR FOOTBALL BOYS: 1st row, left to right--Tom Perrett, Don Sonne, Jerry Sternad, George Clark, Richard Sears.

2nd row--Bill Auer, John Fillmore, Gene Whitelock, Larry DiSanto, Bill Beshara, Coach Ferguson.

Bears Win Six And Lose Eight In Conference Play

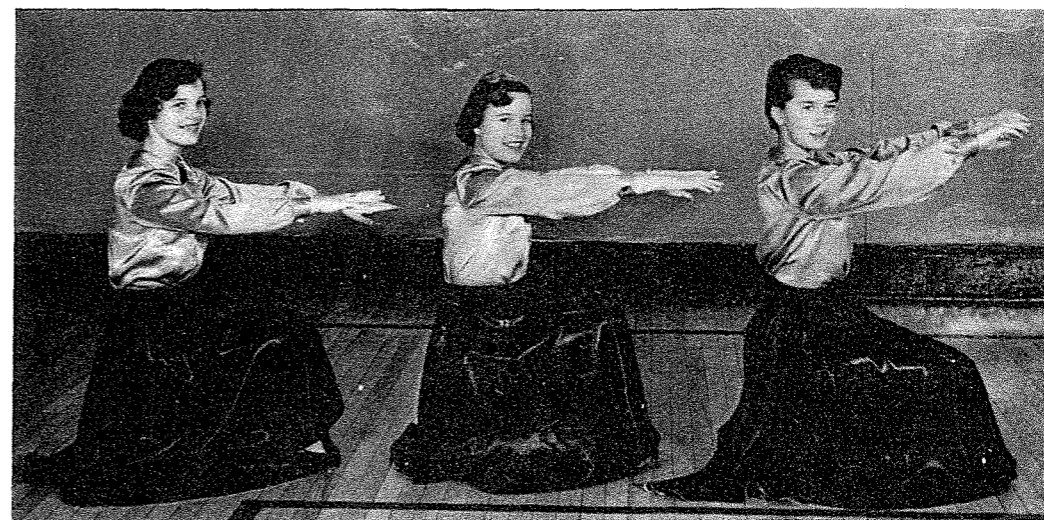


"A" BASKETBALL SQUAD: 1st row, left to right--Larry Mitchell, Walter Williamson, Tom Gorder, Bob Sjomeling, Keith Bergstrom, Gene Whitelock, Don James.
2nd row--Coach Burgess, Richard Sears, Ray Jones, Henry Frawley, Charles Crotty, Darrell Stoneberger, Herby Clark.

The Deadwood Bears ended their 1954-55 basketball season in 5th place with a 6 win-8 loss conference record. Their overall record for the season was 10 wins-14 losses, with 7 of these games being lost by a margin no greater than 6 points. The Bears lost their first game of the Section 8 Tournament by a score of 53-28 to the Lead Goldiggers, the team which went on to win the Sectional Tournament. Deadwood closed its season by winning the consolation trophy with a 65-53 victory over the Spearfish Spartans.

The Bears will be minus four of the starters next year. They are seniors Hank Frawley, Rich Sears, Tot Stoneberger and Gene Whitelock.

These Lovelies Cheered The "B" Team



"B" SQUAD CHEERLEADERS: Left to right--Peri Anne Hughes, Jean Cleveland, Pat Williamson.



"B" TEAM BASKETBALL: 1st row, left to right--Vincent Gravelle, Jerry Perrett, Larry Fahrni, Jimmy Young, Robert Mack, Jerry Hardy Herby Clark.
2nd row--Larry Burtzlaff, Don Gross, Jim LeMar, Charles Edmundson, Dale Hansen, Coach Veren.

Building For Better Teams

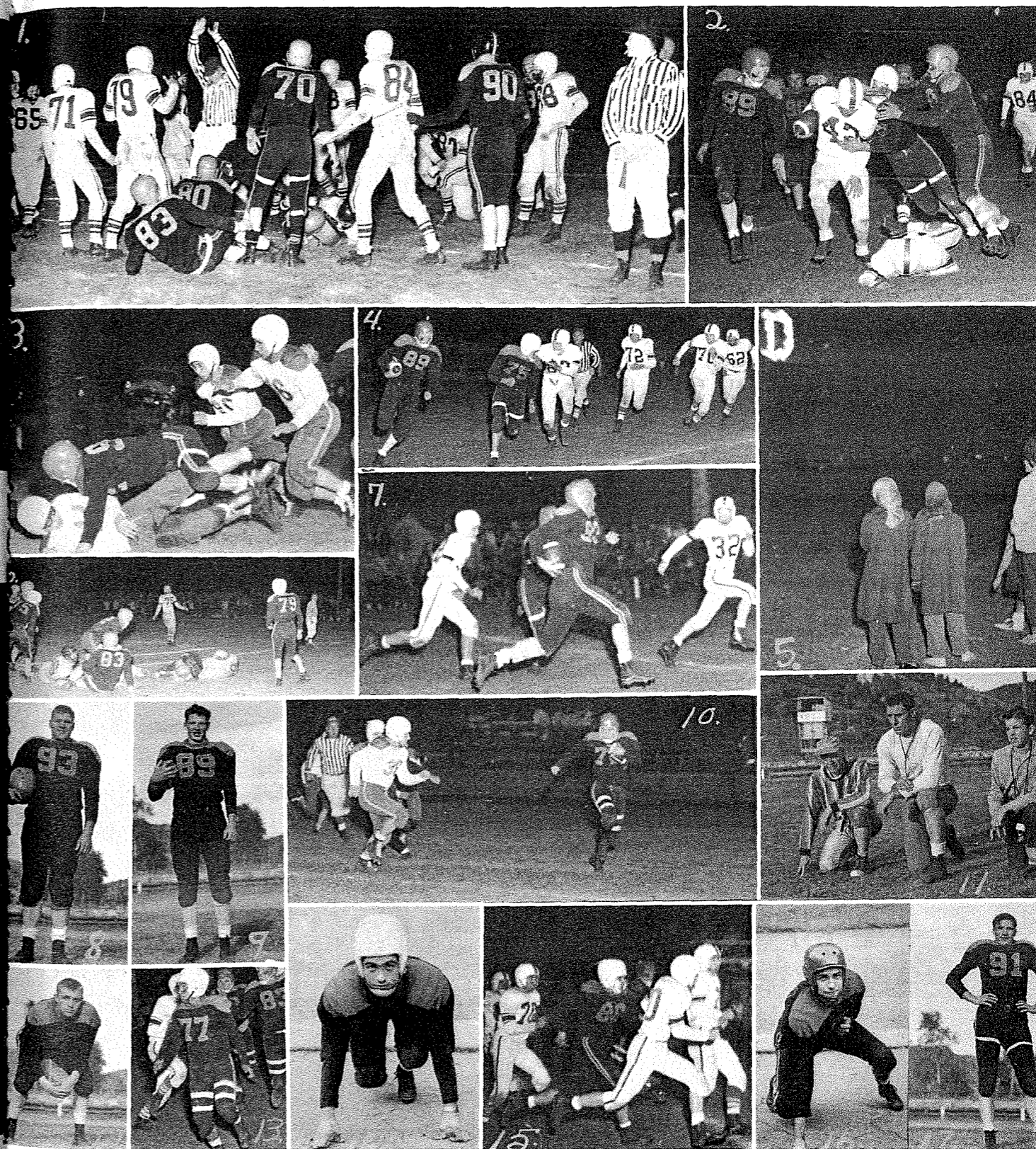


FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL TEAM: Left to right--Gary Collins, David Vaughan, Jerry Hardy, Jerry Perrett, Dale Hanson, Charles Edmonson, Jack Sears, Jerry Pontius, Carl Lindstrom, Don Gross, Larry Burtzloff, Vincent Gravelle, Caoch Veren.

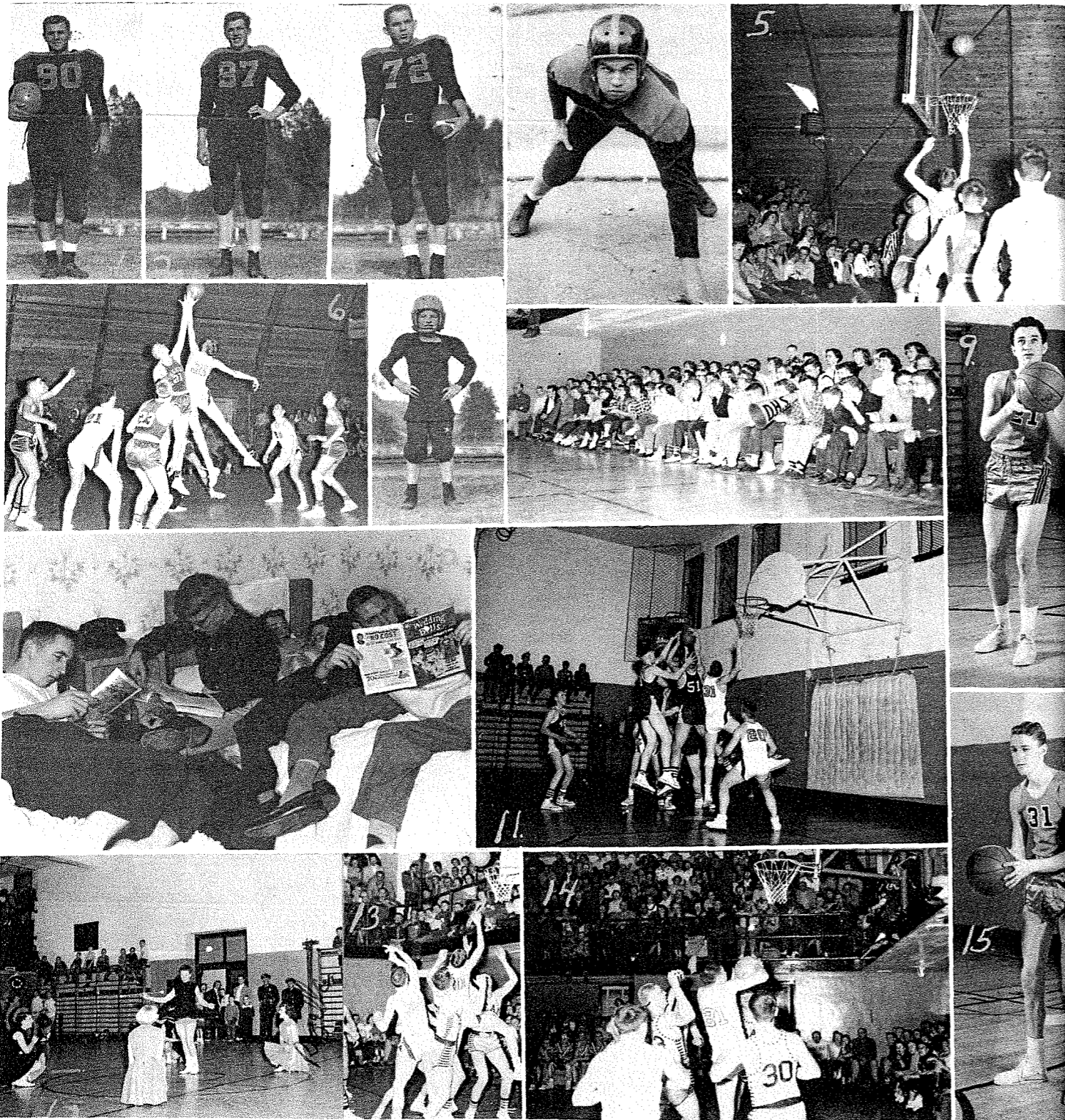


JUNIOR-SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAM: Left to right--Richard Davis, Jimmy Hennen, Merno Stalder, Marvin Lester, Mickey Larson, Karl Bentz, Tom Perrett, Willis Steinlicht, Arthur Du-Pratt, Coach George Conklin.

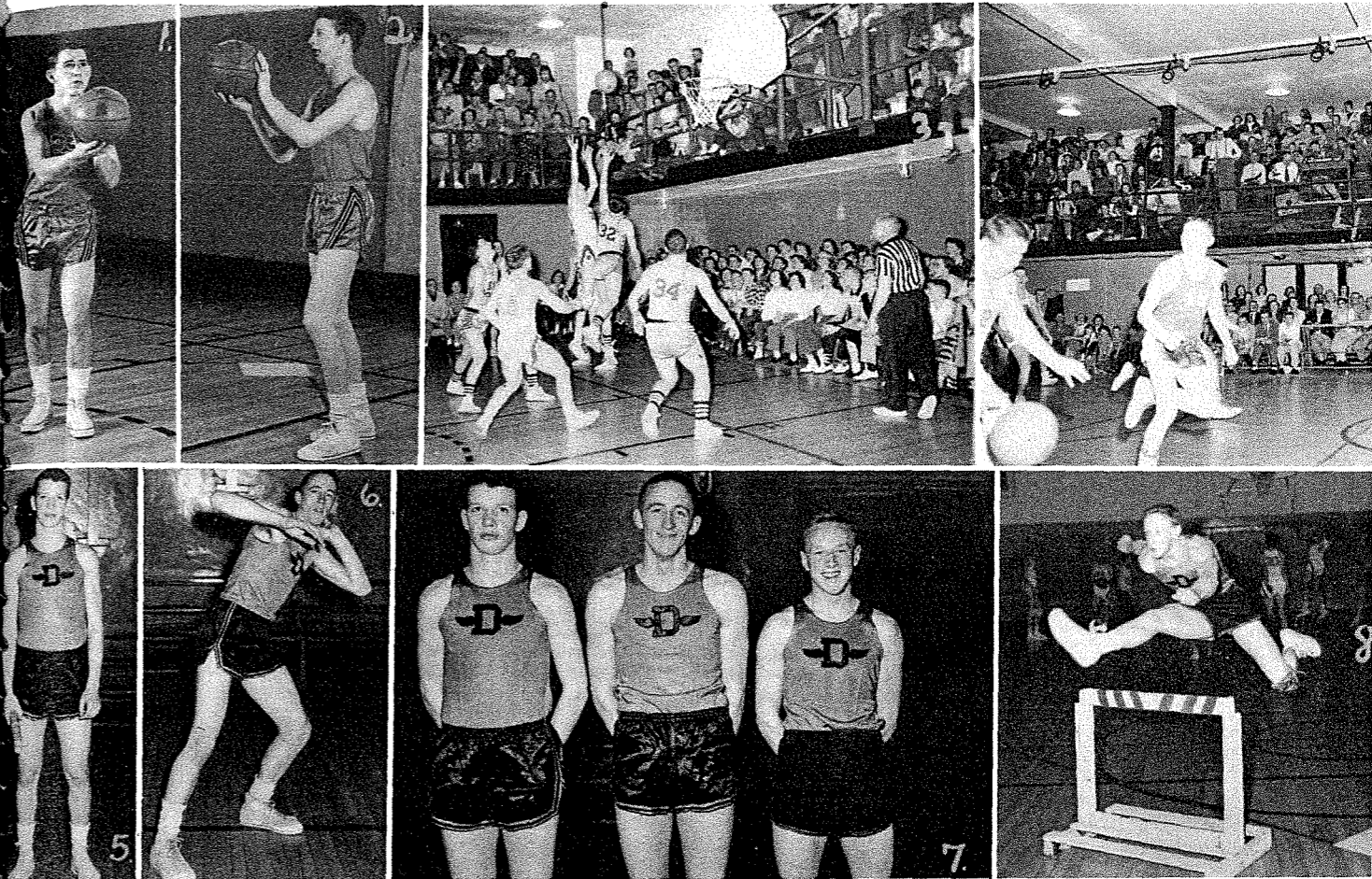
Sports Reviewed, Previewed



1. T.D!!!!!! 2. Siesta time. 3. Loose ball!!! 4. No sluggin', Tom! 5. Homecoming. 6. Where is it???? 7. Who are ya runnin' from, Jerry???? 8. Jerry. 9. "Rich" 10. Dig those crazy socks!!! 11. Herbie and his assistants. 12. "Terror of the Gridiron" 12. Where is that guy???? 14. What's the time, Bill? 15. What's the rush???? 16. Charge!!! 17. What a figure!!!!



1. Larry DiSanto. 2. Tom Perrett. 3. "Peanut" 4. George Clark. 5. Arms???????? 6. Basketball or ballet???????? 7. "Fearless" Freddie. 8. What's the skinny here???? (See number 12 for answer) 9. "Black Crow" 10. Bachelors. 11. Affection. 12. The answer to number 8. 13. Rich is getting bald. 14. Look out, Tot!!! 15. "Big Hank"



1. Gene Whitelock. 2. "Rich" Sears. 3. Eyes up!!! 4. Our first TV--in balcony. 5. Rich Sears, Track. 6. Chuck Crotty, throwing the shot. 7. Chin up, chest out, stomach in!!! 8. Go, man, go!

Deadwood High Track
Schedule-1955

April 5	Chadron Track and Field Meet "B" Class at Chadron	Chadron
April 16	West River Track and Relay Meet	Rapid City
April 22	Pierre Relays	Pierre
April 23	Black Hills Relays	Spearfish
April 30	Northern Hills Track Meet	Spearfish
May 4	Conference Track Meet	Hot Springs
May 9	Jr. High Meet	Lead
May 13	Regional Track Meet	Rapid City
May 20-21	State Track and Field Meet	Mitchell

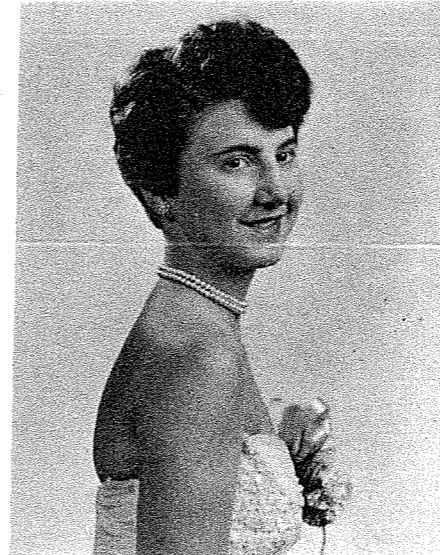
Queens Reign Over Bear Day



1. Junior Class Float: Belva Burtzloff, Queen, Linda Collins, crown bearer. 2. All School Float: Elaine Fish, Queen; Attendants; Janet Chyba, Betty Cooper. Patricia Miles, crown bearer. 3. Sophomore Class Float: Jean Maki, Queen; Kathy Whitelock, crown bearer.



4. Freshman Class Float: Judy Shama, Queen; Linda Keehn, crown bearer. 5. Senior Class Float: Pauline Neavill, Queen; Karen Hardy, crown bearer. 6. G.A.A. Float. 7. Publications Float.



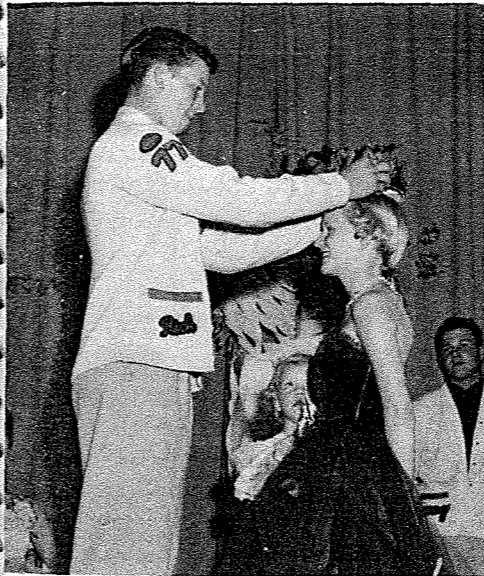
Betty Cooper, Attendant



Elaine Fish, All School Queen



Janet Chyba, Attendant



1. Rich Sears, Co-captain for the Bear Day game, crowns All School Queen, Elaine Fish. 2. Bill Beshara, Senior Class President, crowns Senior Queen, Pauline Neavill. 3. Belva Burtzloff, Junior Queen, receives her crown from Arne Sjomeling, Class President. 4. Jean Maki, Sophomore Queen, is crowned by Robert Mack, Class President. 5. Jack Sears, Freshman Class President, crowns Freshman Queen, Judy Shama.

Most Grand of nights & loads of lights & sweet freshmen & seniors



Juniors Present Trouble Shooter



Seated, left to right--Diane Heine, Tom Gorder.
 Standing, left to right--Jolyn Kimble, Paula Engebretson, Woody Williamson, Arne Sjomeling.
 Not pictured in this scene are Joyce Shostrom, Gail Willuweit, Donald Lantz.

A case of mistaken identity led the Wilson and Ferris families on an unforgettable adventure. The setting of this three act farce was the living room of the Ferris home in a small mid-western town.

At the beginning of Act I, a man, (Arne Sjomeling), who apparently did not know his way around, was answering the telephone. As he left, Beverly Ferris, (Paula Engebretson), a young, pretty, and witty girl entered. Soon Dan Ferris, (Tom Gorder), a prominent lawyer and city attorney, arrived and demanded his supper. In an argument with his wife, Nellie (Diane Heine), he informed her that he had met his old girl friend, Essie (Jolyn Kimble). Nellie in turn, told him of the man called Wilson who was renting the upstairs. Bev, meanwhile, heard an announcer on the radio, (Willis Steinlicht), give a description of an escaped lunatic which fit Wilson. The first act closed with the Ferrises tying Wilson in a sheet.

In the second act, the Ferrises discovered Wilson was not the lunatic, but Essie's husband and Junior's father. Junior, (Woody Williamson), was Bev's boyfriend. In revenge for being tied in the sheet, Wilson dumped a fish bowl on Mr. Ferris.

The third act was centered around an argument started by Bev and Junior about their fathers. Nellie intervened and fixed things.

As the third act closed, the real lunatic showed up and two lady interns, (Joyce Shostrom; Gail Willuweit), carried him away as the other two ladies fainted.



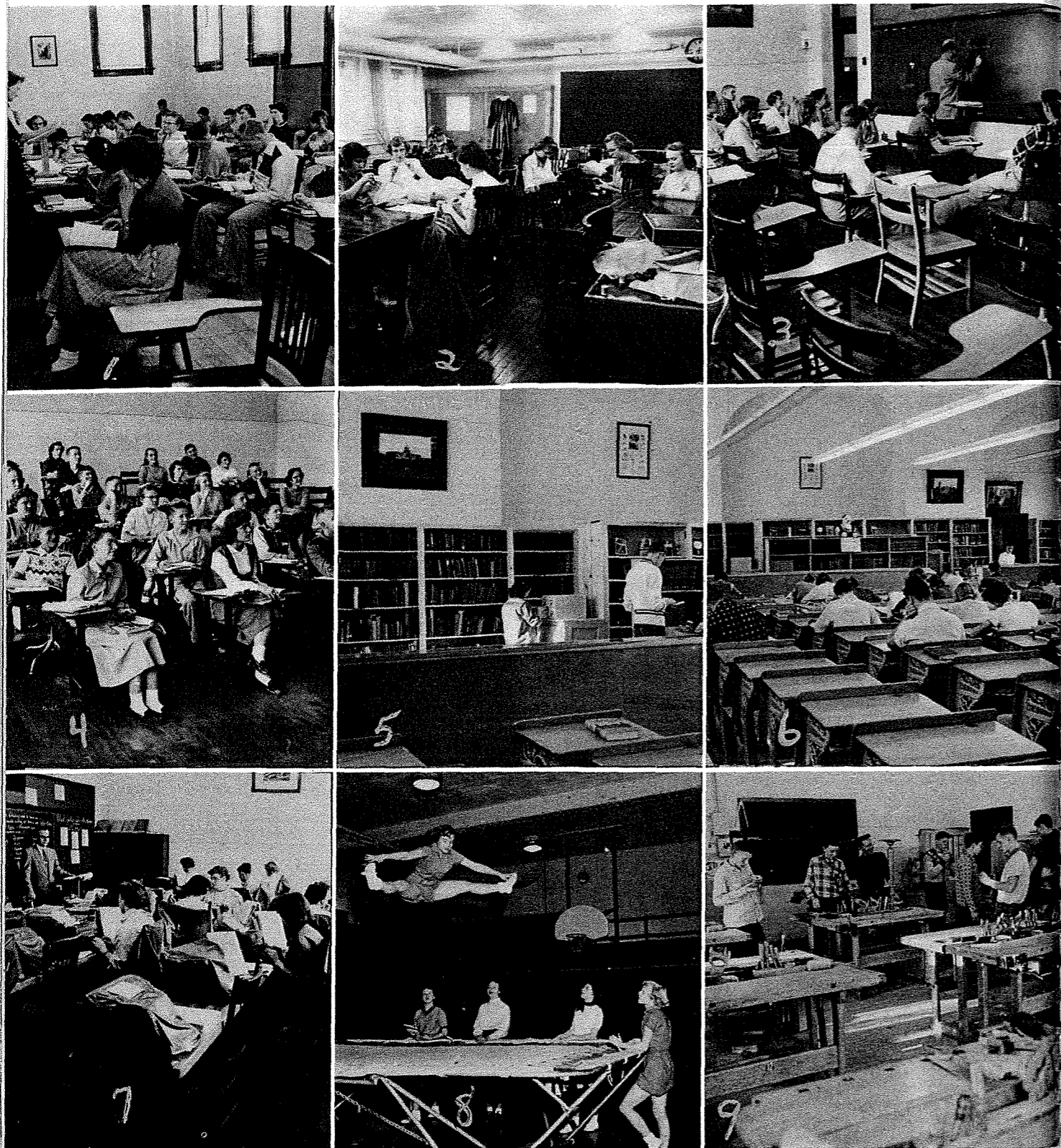
Stage crew, seated left to right--Shirley Ruth, Katherine White, Carolyn Johnson, Geraldine Clauser, Jo Anne Pringle.
 Standing, left to right--Peggy Huhta, Merno Stalder, Belva Burtzlaff, Willis Steinlicht.

Nosing Around With The Camera



1. Playing baseball, Mary? 2. So this is science. 3. Mama Neavill. 4. Mmmmmmm! What a man!
 5. Your tonsils are showing, Jerry. 6. The one that got away. 7. "The Three Bears" 8. Do your feet hurt, Jan?
 9. Which are the suckers? 10. Put your dog's other eye back, Flossie. 11. Wonder if Bill's guessing right?
 12. Checking for frost, Johnny? '3. If "he" could see "what" he's talking to! 14. Is this our assistant editor?
 '5. Which one is he dreamin' about? 16. Watch the birdie! 17. Your "run" is showing. 18. Why so sad? 19. Having trouble with your eyes, Elaine?

Who "Sez" We Don't Study???



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Potpourri

Putting out an annual, like most human affairs, leaves many ideas on the scrap heap or undone. There are "thank-yous" which might have been said, such as a thank you to Dick Schlax for his generous contributions of photographs. There is, in the wake of copy, headlines, pictures, and deadlines, a backwash of humor known only to staff members. My staff asked me to record some of this if possible.

In any trade there are terms which sound like the veriest gibberish to those on the outside. Publications with its "bleeds," "blurbs," "mast heads," and "families" is no different. In addition to such terms known throughout the trade, there are local terms arising from local conditions. Here are some of them:

- Panel--a given area in which the given pictures never fit.
- Dictionary--a big book used for pressing pictures.
- Gish--rubber cement, used for sticking pictures on to cardboard. What a mess.

An idea left undone for lack of research time, involved school history. Editor Dale Allen's father told us that when he attended Deadwood High, the colors were black and gold instead of the orange and black of today. Principal R.H. Krug commented that the name, "Bears," now used to describe D.H.S. students and athletes, came into being when Coach Ploughman, in a chance remark in 1925 to a reporter, said his "Bears" would come through a now forgotten event. Perhaps in another year we can ferret out some school history which would be of interest. We might include a picture of Deadwood High's first school band of 1915. This picture was recently brought to our attention by our present bandman, Mr. Lavern Clark.

We hope you have enjoyed this annual. In a year of extensive school construction, in its beginning stages, we have tried also to show something of the building program involving lives. It is the sincere wish of all who love teaching to build reasonable, balanced, sane lives; to promote decency in human relations; to provide young people the tools with which to meet their problems in the hope that by so doing they can and will have happy lives.

--Franklin Brainard

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*Dear Anne
 Fatza back
 to a real cute
 kid. Remember
 all the fun we've
 had walking home from
 school - talking about people!
 Love ya!
 Rozelle*

*But you're not
 talking about
 people!
 You're talking
 about people!
 You're talking
 about people!
 You're talking
 about people!*

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