

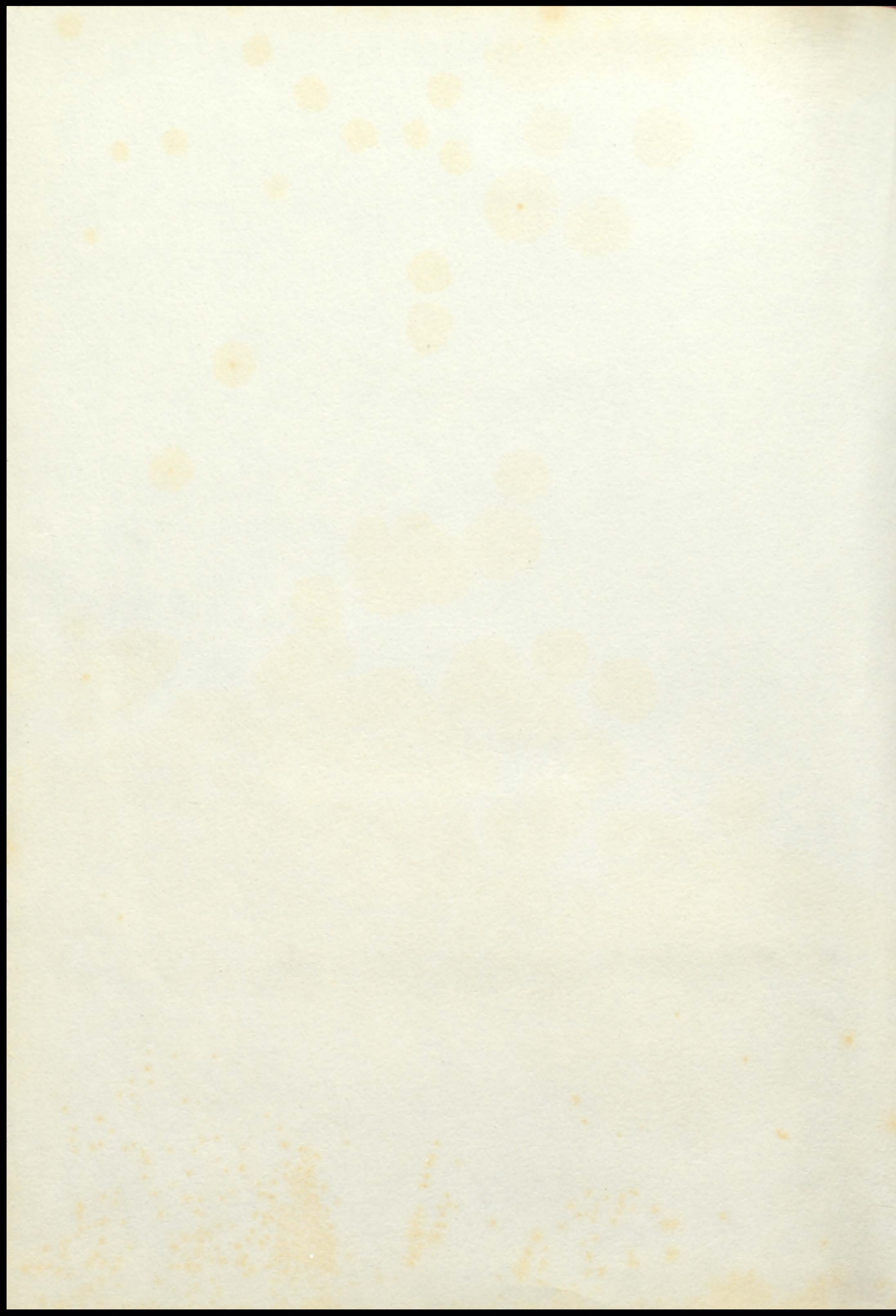
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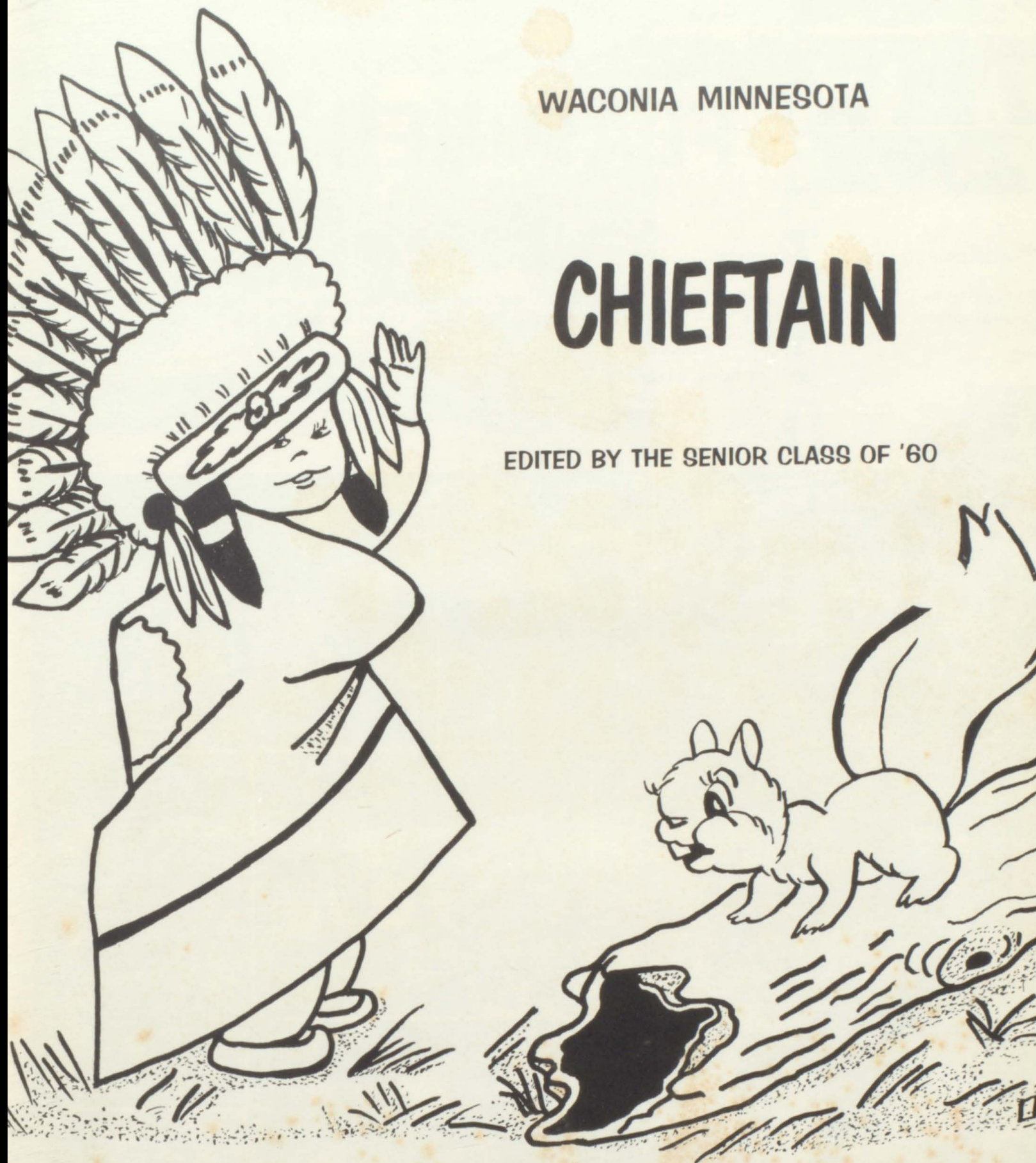


WACONIA HIGH SCHOOL

WACONIA MINNESOTA

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EDITED BY THE SENIOR CLASS OF '60





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DEDICATION



One of the greatest rewards of working on the Chieftain is to be able to dedicate your work to someone who has given their time and effort to you. The person chosen by our class to receive this honor was always there to see that things were going right, whether it was a dance, car wash, or any class project.

We, the Class of 1960, feel a great indebtedness to you, our friend, advisor, teacher, and coach, and we would like to say with deep sincerity, thanks, Mr. Waldner.



He is as outstanding in the role of a father as that of an advisor, always willing to give himself and his time to help others.



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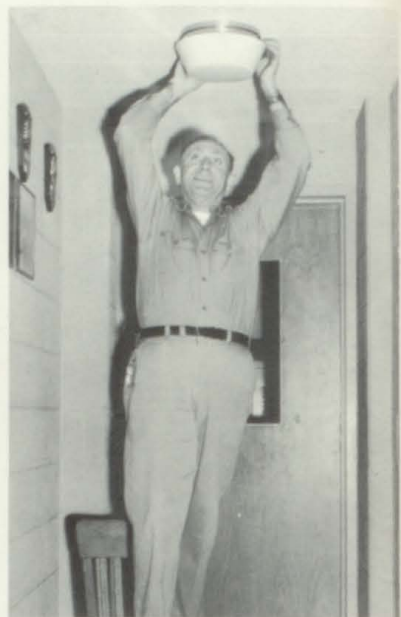
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CLASSES



VALEDICTORIAN



Annette Brockoff--"No better than she should be."

SALUTATORIAN



Carol Weling--"Personality, brains, and a lot of fun, no wonder she's liked by everyone."



Jane Ament--"Start class, I'm here."

Florence Bitzer--"Some think I have never smiled but I have "



Betty Bauer--"Full of fun, and mischief too, doing things she shouldn't do."

Donna Aretz--"Greater women than I have lived, show me one."

Fred Bleedorn--"There are two days I never worry about, yesterday and tomorrow."





Rod Brandenburg--"He'll try anything once in a while."

Jean Brown--"I'm here even though I didn't tell anybody."



Tom Broberg--"I'm on the brink of a good career someone pushed me."



Arnold Braun--"I'd do great things, except it's too much work."

Arlene Bruhn--"The less I learn, the less I have to remember."

Dianne Eder--"Keep still I think I'm going to say something."

Judy Frederickson--"It is magnificent, but it is not war."



Harriet Francke--"Study, but not too hard."

George Fink--"Late hours aren't good for one but, they're alright for two."

Gisela Gabel--"She came to us a stranger, and remains a friend."





Gail Geisen--"She studies otherwise she's perfectly normal."

Judie Goetz--"If she takes my boy friend, I'll kill her."



Carol Goetze--"If school is liberty, give me death."



June Goetz--"Her heart is like a moon, there's a man in it."



Ron Goetz--"A miss in the car is worth two in the engine."

Carol Graff--"Look out world, here I come."

Eugene Grimm--"Oh Women! first in our hearts first in our pockets."



Steve Grammith--"Women! Oh no, I came here for an education."



Gail Graff--"Who's afraid of the Big, Bad, Faculty?"

Marie Harloff--"Study. But not too hard."





Bob Hartmann--Just call me Doc--I can operate anywhere."

Dave Herbst--"Come on girls, I'm harmless."



Joyce Heitz--"Let's not study, let's just talk."



Bill Hilgers--"I hate girls, but the Bible says to love your enemies."



Lynn Kerber--"The word impossible is not in her dictionary."



Merlin Hedtke--"Wake me at sunrise but don't make that sunrise too early."

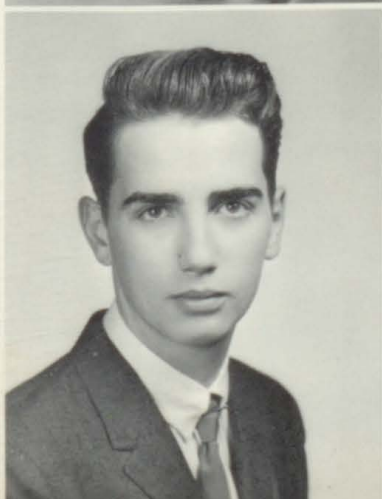
Judy Hill--"Without music life would be a mistake."

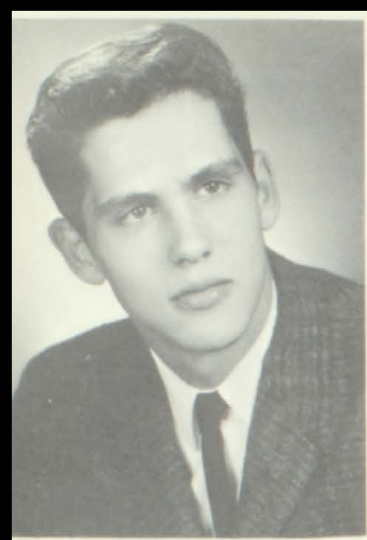


Ardis Johnson--"Hold the fort, I'm coming."

Jerry James--"A man is only as good as his word."

Sandy Kirsch--"She was cut out to be an angel, but someone lost the pattern."





LeRoy Kirsch--"There, girls don't crowd.
Everyone will get a chance."

Curt Koch--"Don't recite so loudly, I'm
sleeping."



Ginny Klepperich--Small, but yet so
mighty.



John Klatt--"All men are created
equal, so they say."

Carol Kohanek--"The shrimp of the
class, a cute little lass."

Wayne Kutzke--"I belong to FFA,
so I'll run a farm someday."

Char Machtemes--"How glorious it
is, and also how painful to be an
exception."



Darlene Luebke--"In school she's quiet,
but outside she's a riot."

Gerry Lindner--"Men like bullets go
farther, when smooth."

Lillie Melchert--"I may look busy, but I'm
only confused."





Lester Mellgren--"The world was made to enjoy, and I'll make the most of it."

Don Moonen--"Laugh and I laugh with you; Study and you study alone."



Duane Meyer--"The speed limit seems to be what the car can do."



Mary Meuleners--"Keep still, I think I'm going to say something."

Pat Northrop--"I try to convince people I'm serious, but somehow I'm always doubted."



Darlene Neumann--"Live slow, die old."

Adrian Rademacher--"Well Napoleon wasn't so big either."



Roger Peterman--"Work hard live fast, die young and leave a beautiful memory."

Ron Pauly--"Girls may be a puzzle, but he'll never give them up."

Diane Rauschendorfer--"She takes the 't' out of can't."





Barb Raymer--"I'm here even though I didn't tell anyone."

Florian Schnidler--"No civilized person goes to bed the same day he gets up."



Maggie Salden--"People who have no weakness are terrible, there is no way to take advantage of them."



Merrilyn Scheuttpelz--"I don't care how you spell my name, I'll change it some day."

Dennis Rolf--"Make my classes 5 minutes long with all my teachers gone."

Bernie Schwartz--"Nature made him what he is and never made such another."

Ron Stark--"Greater men than I have lived, but I doubt it."



Sharon Stahlke--"Boys may come and boys may go, but not if I can help it."

Helynn Seltz--"I am a woman, what I think I must say."

Tom Storms--"Good-bye girls, I'm leaving."





Carol Sudheimer--"She was born silly, and had a relapse."

Darrell Wagener--"I'd be faster if it weren't for my feet."



Dennis Truwe--"I don't know which is harder, the desks or the assignments."



Jerry Thurk--"He's not very tall, in fact rather small, he's bright and jolly and well liked by all."

Dianne Wagener--"If love is madness, I'm insane."

Al Wallin--"Anything for a quiet life."

Kathy Wessbecker--"It is impossible to reduce human society to one level."



Susan Weinzierl--"I agree with no man's opinion. I have some of my own."

Georgian Weinzierl--"We have medicine to make women speak; are there any to keep them quiet?"

Delora Wickenhauser--"A boy's class ring may not be as tight as a tourniquet, but it sure cuts off circulation."





Bob Zrust--"Never a care, never a hurry;
just one girl is his main worry."

Roger Wolff--"Beware! I may do some-
thing sensational yet."



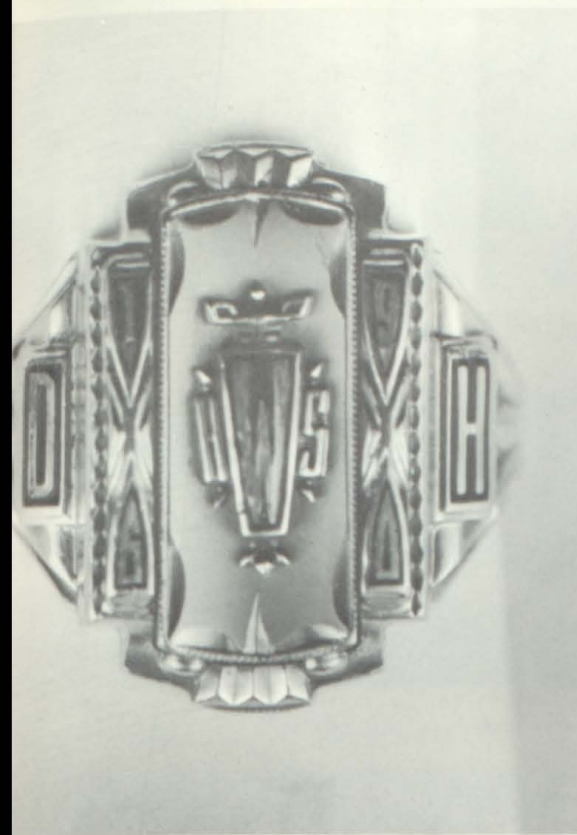
Darlene Wolter--"I take life as it comes."



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



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CLASS RING



CLASS FLOWER PURPLE ORCHID

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FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Betty Bauer, Jean Brown, Florence Bitzer, Carol Kohanek, Helynn Seltz. SECOND ROW: Annette Brockoff, Sharon Stahlke, Donna Aretz, Diane Wagener, Maggie Salden. THIRD ROW: Bob Hartmann, John Klatt, Eugene Grimm.



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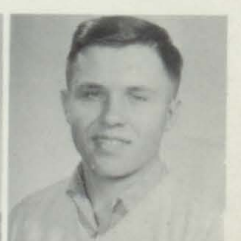
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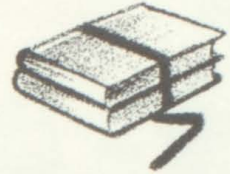
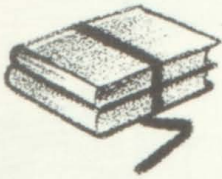


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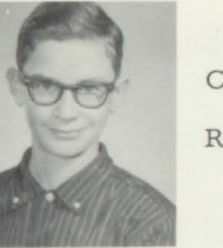
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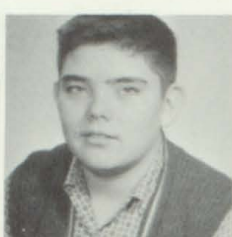
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HALL OF FAME

BEST



DONNA RON



MOST POPULAR BILL DIANNE

DANCERS



CHAR KATHY



PRETTIEST EYES
DELORA DARREL



MOST DEPENDABLE
CHAR LESTER

BEST LEADERS



LYNN DON



DOZZE BOB



BEST DRESSED

LeRoy

JUDIE

BEST ALL AROUND



JERRY CAROL

SHYEST



DARLENE

ARNIE

MOST

MISCHIEVOUS



GAIL

GRUNCH

MOST COURTEOUS



CAROL JERRY

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED



JEAN

TOM

MOST ATHLETIC



RON SUE

HALL OF FAME



MOST TALKATIVE

JOYCE EUGENE



MOST INQUISITIVE

CUTEST

RON GISELA

BIGGEST FLIRTS



GAIL HERBY



TWINS
DARREL DIANE
MOST TALENTED



CAROL

HOWIE

MOST MISCHIEVOUS

PEPPYEST



RON CAROL

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PAT JERRY

GROUCHO CHAPLIN





SPORTS

1959

CHEERLEADERS

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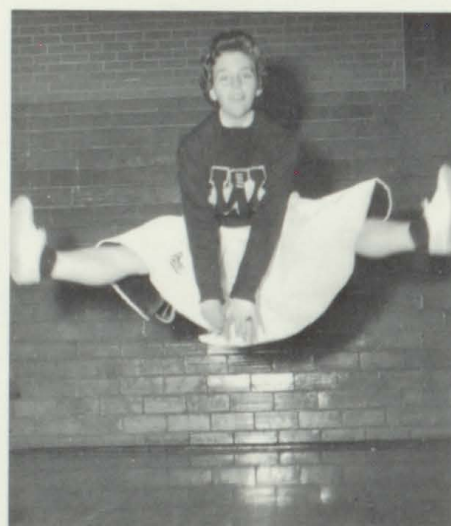
B-TEAM CHEERLEADERS: BABS WEINZIERL, CHERRIE HANSON, MARYANN WEINZIERL, BARBARA KUNTZ.

A-TEAM CHEERLEADERS IN ACTION

CAPTAIN SUE



HENRI



SUSIE GOES UP!!!



PAT



FIGHT TEAM, FIGHT TEAM, FIGHT FIGHT FIGHT!!!



Looking Pretty!!

FOOTBALL 1959



ROW 1: Coach Waldner, B. Hartmann, R. Goetze, E. Grimm, B. Zrust, D. Moonen, B. Hillgers, G. Fink, F. Bleedorn, D. Wagener, R. Stark, L. Kirsch. ROW 2: Coach Olson, R. Brandenburg, D. Truwe, J. Thurk, R. Boll, D. Hoen, L. Johnson, B. Rauen, R. Riebe, T. Ebert, A. Wallin, F. Schindler. ROW 3: Coach Mingo, J. Boylan, G. Mushjerd, D. Laumann, S. Heldt, R. Valenciano, L. Scott, B. Vanderlinde, M. Ziermann, D. Stender, T. Bleedorn, C. Drier, K. Stenglein.

1959 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS!!

RON GOETZ 25--MEMBER OF THE ALL-STATE TEAM

RANKED 16th IN THE STATE



FRONT ROW: P. Harfst, B. Johnson, D. Maiser, R. Ortlip, S. Hasse, G. Moonen, R. Sueker. TOP ROW: Coach Mr. Wyttenhove, B. Call, J. Connors, B. Laufenburger, R. Geyan, G. Phillips, K. Machentune, C. Wallin, L. Dressen, M. Splettoeser.



CO-CAPTAINS : GEORGE BILL



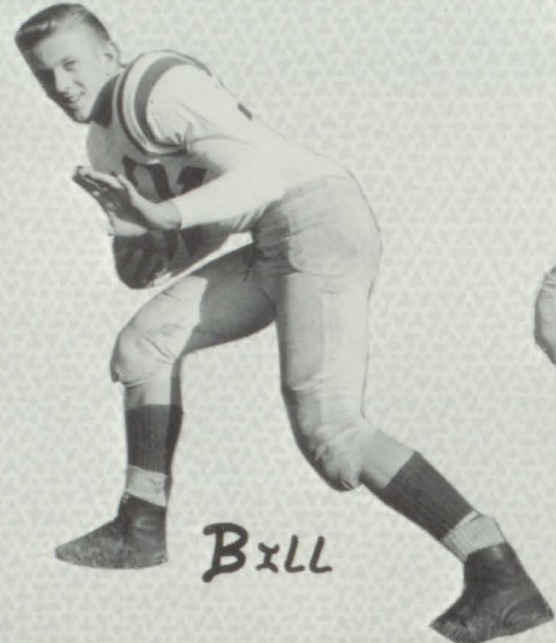
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FRED



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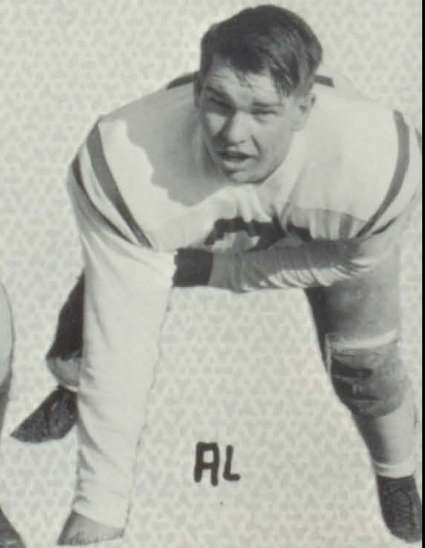
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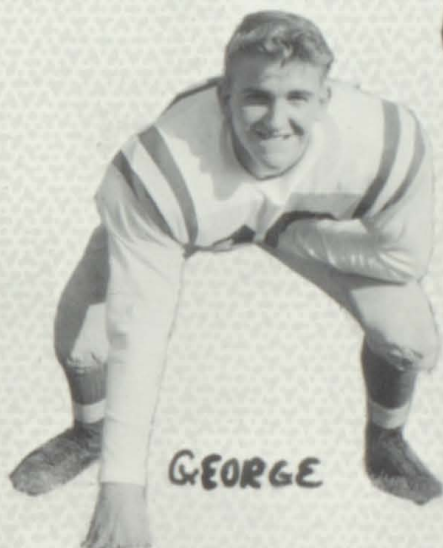


ROD

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Chaska	27	6
Orono	18	12
Watertown	20	6
Shakopee	12	6
Eden Prairie	33	0
Golden Valley	40	0
U. High	27	7
Burnsville	34	14
Central	13	0



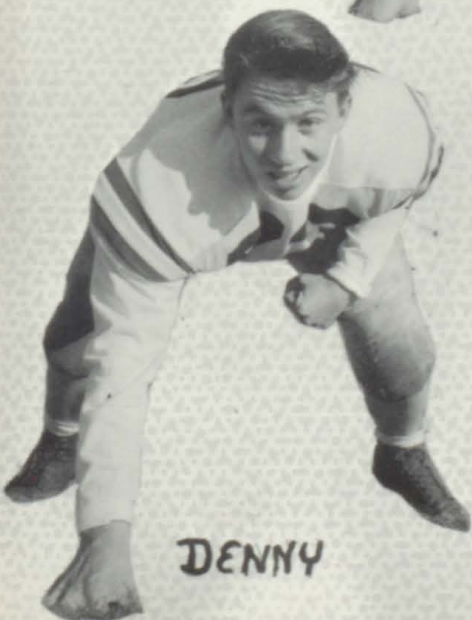
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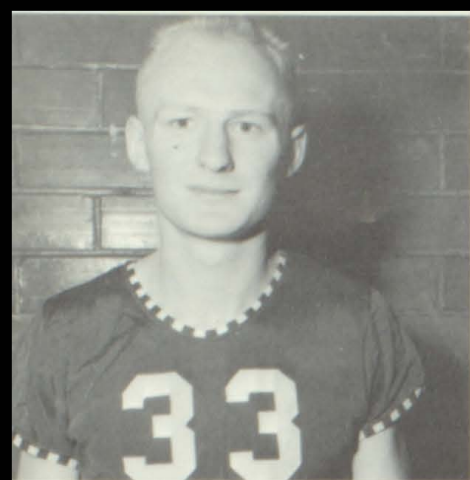
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LEROY



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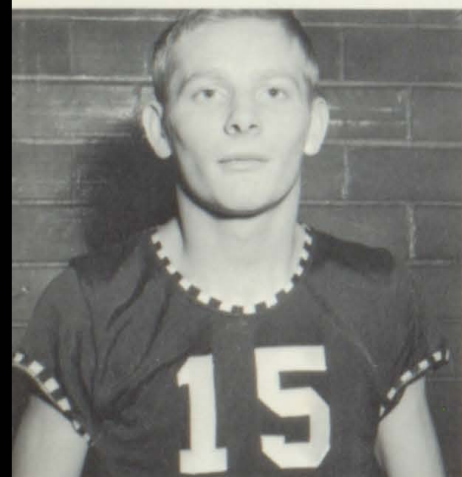


Darrell Wagener
Captain

1959 BASKETBALL 1960



Left to Right: Bob Laufenberger, Don Moonen, Renard Valenciano, Bernie Rauen, Bob Zrust, Coach Robert Wyttenhove, Steve Gramith, Dave Johnson, Darrell Wagener, Bill Hilgers, Bob Hartmann.



Don Moonen

Bill Hilgers



Bob Hartmann



B-TEAM: L. Johnson, G. Philips, R. Gramith, D. Bureau, D. Lauman, S. Hasse, G. Musjard, C. Dueber, R. Sauerbrey, J. Hartman, Coach Jerry O'Connor.

	WE	THEY
Waconia vs Hutchinson	42	53
Waconia vs U. High	38	42
Waconia vs Burnsville	43	30
Waconia vs Chaska	46	39
Waconia vs E. Prairie	51	54
Waconia vs Watertown	36	42
Waconia vs B. Plaine	53	45
Waconia vs Shakopee	40	53
Waconia vs G. Valley	56	64
Waconia vs Orono	36	59
Waconia vs U. High	35	62
Waconia vs Chaska	48	38
Waconia vs E. Prairie	41	43
Waconia vs Watertown	37	54
Waconia vs Shakopee	48	55
Waconia vs G. Valley	52	45
Waconia vs Orono	40	48
Waconia vs Burnsville	48	32



Another rebound for Bob!



Jump, Bill!!!

Little Brown Jug



Sub-District

Waconia vs Bloomington 41 54

Season's Record

Won -- 6 Lost -- 12

Place in Conference
7th



Congratulations, Darrell



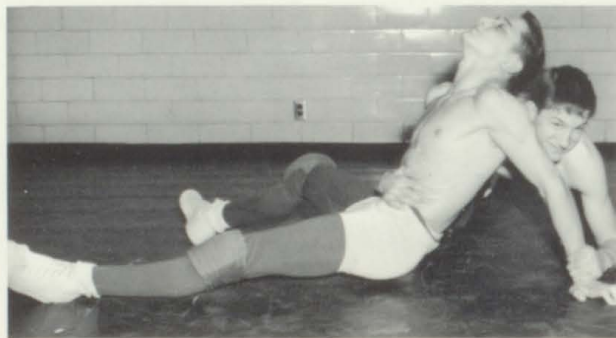
Nice shot, Donnie!!

WRESTLING 1959-60



TOP ROW: J. Thurk, M. Hilke, Capt. F. Bleedorn, B. Vanderlinde, L. Kirsch, R. Stark, Coach Mr. Walner. BOTTOM ROW: T. Bleedorn, D. Stender, A. Trende, K. Hogan, L. Kirsch, L. Poetz.

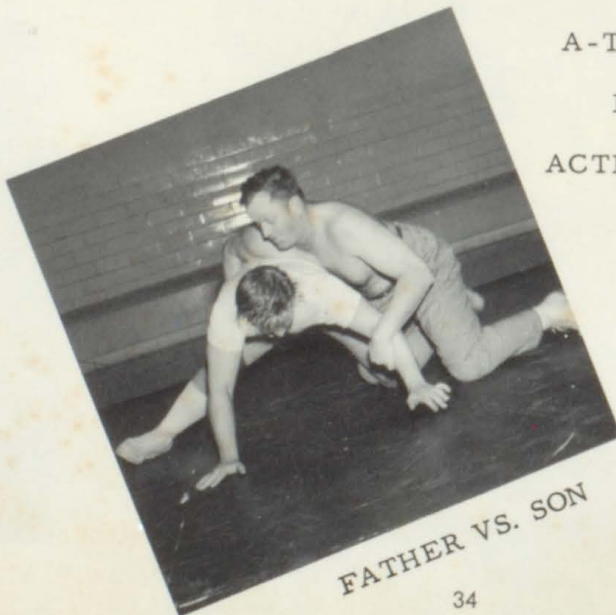
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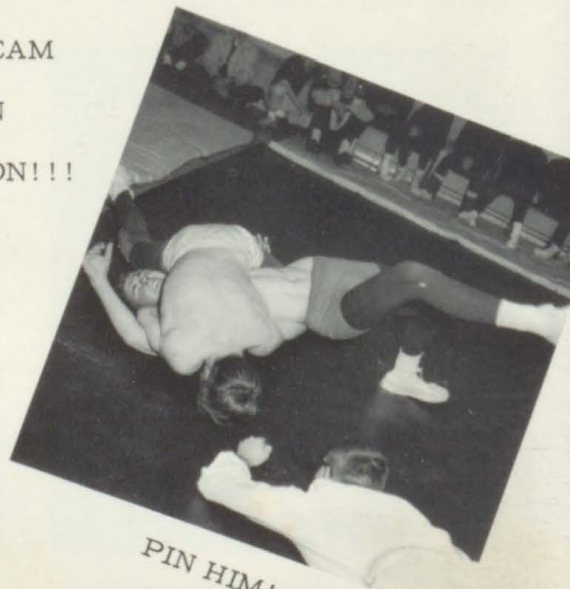
BREAK HIM
DOWN, FRED!



A-TEAM
IN
ACTION!!!



FATHER VS. SON



PIN HIM!!

FIGHTING B-TEAM!!!

GEORGE & MERLIN

DUANE & JERRY

WRESTLING RESULTS

WACONIA 55--CHASKA 5
33--VOCATIONAL 21
18--MINNETONKA 26
33--JORDON 19
24--VOCATIONAL 27
16--MOUND 32

WACONIA 15--ORONO 32
5--U-HIGH 45
21--WAYZATA 27
26--MPLS. SOUTH
43--GOLDEN VALLEY

WON 5 LOST 6

B-TEAM



TOP ROW: B. Worm, L. Hartung, D. Schnewind, A. Weiland, D. Schmakle, P. Ebert, K. Wacholtz, G. Fink, A. Wallin, Manager, Mr. Trinko, Coach. BOTTOM ROW: R. Seth, R. Lovel, J. Hilgers, B. Sudheimer, S. Heldt, D. Meyer, N. Kirsch, M. Ziermann.

TRACK



1960

SENIOR CINDERMEN

CO-CAPTAINS AND RUNNING MATES

RON GOETZ and LEROY KIRSCH were Co-Captains of the 1960 Track Squad. They have been running mates in the High and Low Hurdles for the past two seasons. Ron and Leroy also pole vaulted together and set the Minnesota Valley Conference Pole Vault Record at 9'9". Ron, Waconia's leading scorer also set the High Hurdle record at 16.4 seconds. The combination closed their Track careers at the Conference meet by winning seven medals.



JOHN RON LEROY BOB HOWIE



STANDING: Mr. Trinka, D. Medd, R. Wolf, H. Brockoff, R. Goetz, L. Goetz, L. Kirsch, B. Sudheimer, L. Johnson, R. Riebe, B. Rauen, R. Gramith, J. Klatt. KNEELING BOTTOM: S. Heldt, R. Sauerbrey, L. Barau, S. Hasse, B. Laufenberger, C. Drier.

W. H. S. CINDERMEN IN ACTION

RON



LERROY



LERROY CLEARS THE HIGH JUMP BAR!

CO-CAPTS. GO UP AND OVER!



"HORSE" BROAD JUMPS"



SOPHOMORE CINDERMEN GET INTO TAKE-OFF POSITION



LARRY & JOHN GO INTO A SPIN!!



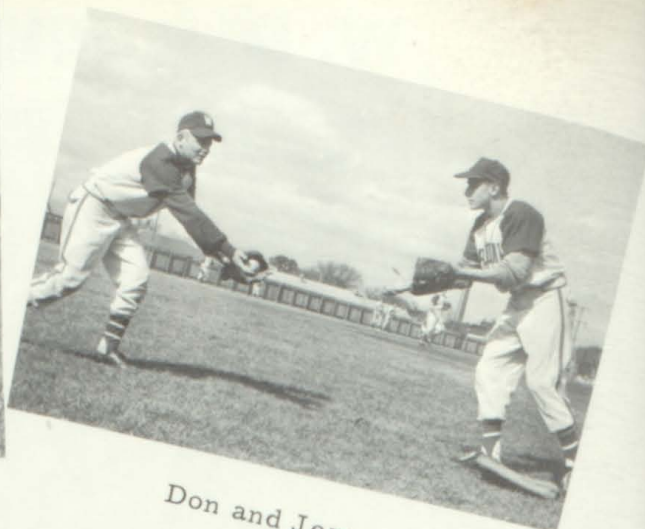
MR. TRINKA COACHES PROMISING FRESHMAN.



Steve, Bob, Ron, and Fred



Renard "winds up."



Don and Jerry

BASEBALL



Tom, Don, Jerry, Bob, and Renard



Gary, Larry, Brian, Bob, Chuck, and Coach Mingo.



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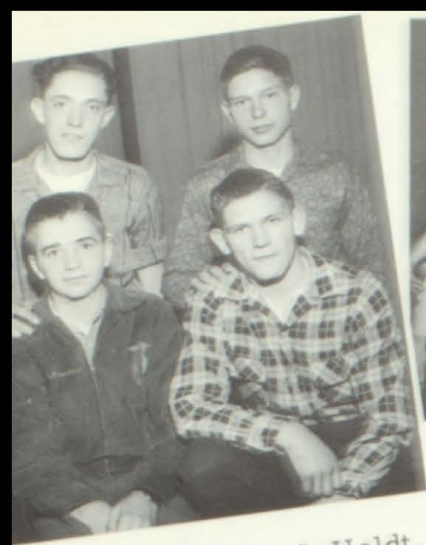
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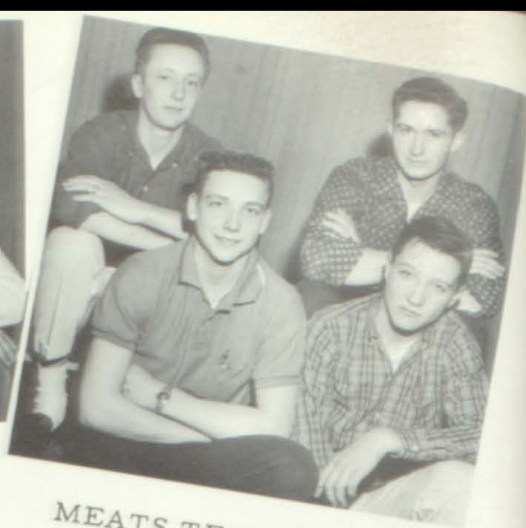
Ideal Couple



CROPS TEAM--S. Heldt,
R. Sauerbrey, G. Born,
& D. Radamacher.



GENERAL LIVESTOCK--A. Rada-
macher, Pres. L. Mellgren, G.
Fink, & W. Kutzke.



MEATS TEAM--J.
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G. Guethling, & K.
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National Dairy Congress
Waterloo, Iowa
10th place in the nation in F.F.A.
Dairy Judging Contest
Oct. 10, 1959

Len Hoen, Elroy Knauer, Merlin Hilk. Tom Ebert.



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& R. Petermann.



POULTRY TEAM--K. Wacholtz,
D. Rudloff, & L. Carlson.



DAIRY PRODUCTS
--L. Demm, D.
Stender, D. Hoen, &
K. Hogen.



DAIRY TEAM--D. Stender, D. Hoen,
D. Storms, & T. Storms.



LAND USE--G. Brochoff, D. Rada-
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Sudheimer, & D. Stender.

LETTERMEN AND PEP CLUB



Guest Speakers at Banquet
Joe Hutton & Ted Patterson

The victory is ours, 15 straight wins.
Conference Champs

Left to right, Speaker, Ted Peterson,
Capt. of Basketball, Darrell Wagener
Co-Capt. of Football, Bill Hilgers
Co-Capt. of Track, Ron Goetz
Co-Capt. of Track, LeRoy Kirsch
Speaker, Joe Hutton
2nd ROW: Capt. of Baseball, Don Moonen,
Capt. of Wrestling, Fred Bleedorn
Co-capt. of Football, George Fink



SELLING ICE-CREAM

PEP CLUB

PEP CLUB OFFICERS

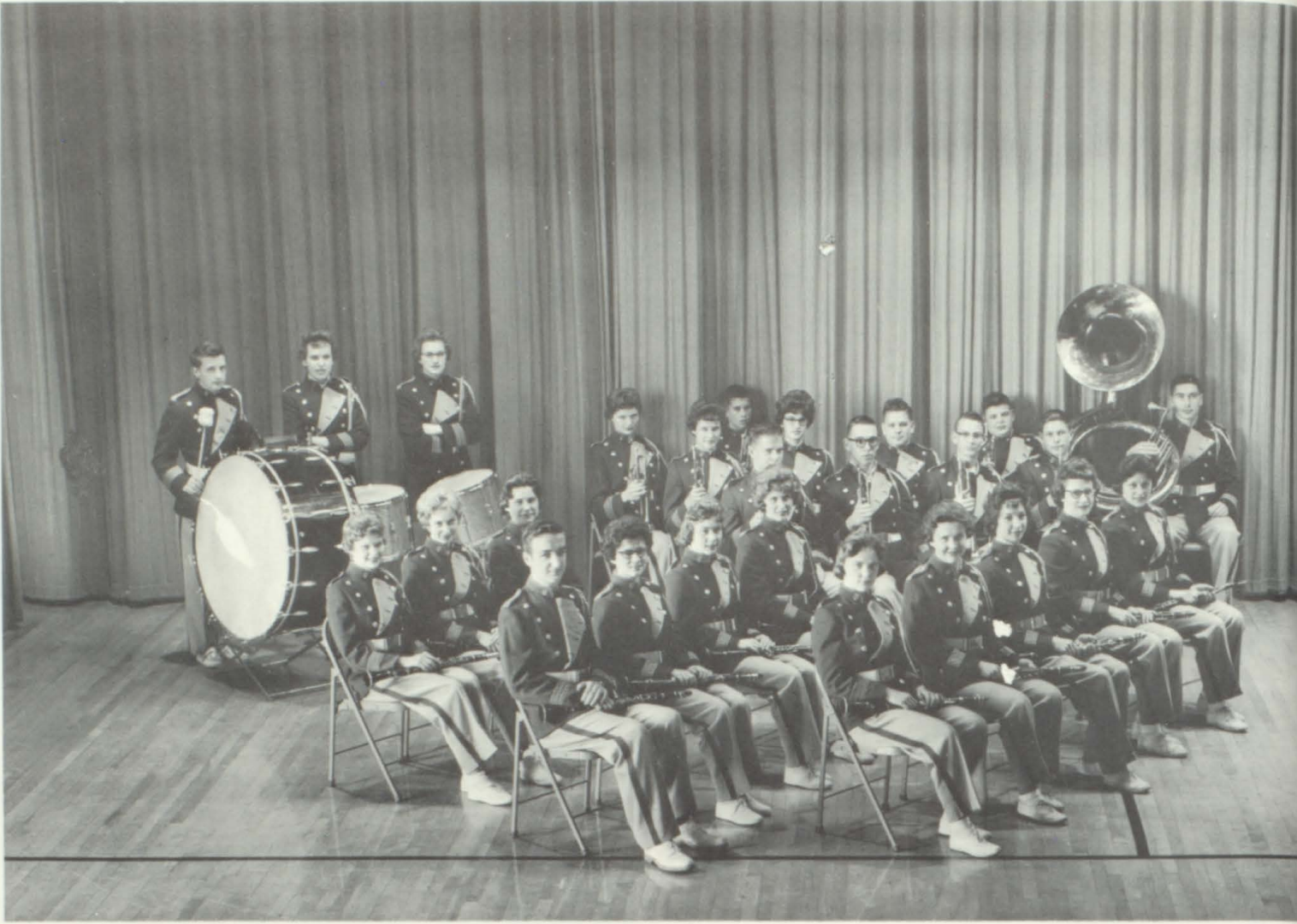


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Majorette: Bernie Segner

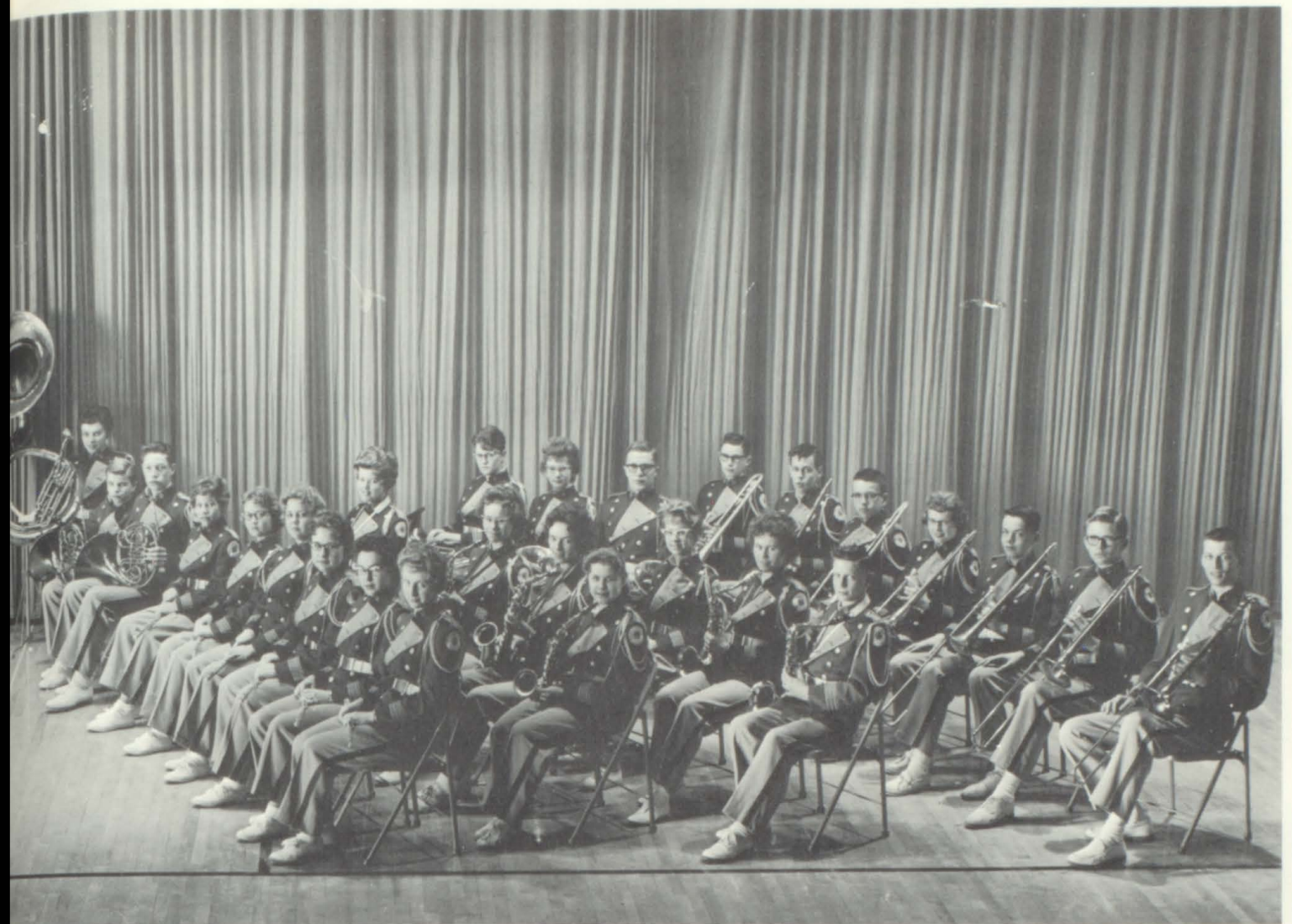
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Majorette: Gail Giesen



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Flutes: L. Pofahl, R. Peiper, J. Lobitz, M. Rauschendofer, B. Thom, L. Laufenberger, French Horns: R. Laufenberger, G. Hegstrom, Tuba: J. Hill, Saxophone: D. Balzum, K. Wessbecker, K. Hasse, L. Noeldner, K. Hasse, J. Goetze, Basson: C. Thom, Baritone: T. Broberg, J. Bitzer, F. Bitzer, Trombones: S. Gramith, D. Herbst, J. Connors, E. Hill, C. Dueber, C. Wallin, D. Rudloff.

SWING BAND



CHORUS



Carol Graff



Mrs. Petersor
Director



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SEXTETTE: Accompanist Carol Thom, Janice Goetze, Karen Wessale, Arsylvia Birkholz, Jane Ament, Mary Hartman, Carol Graff.

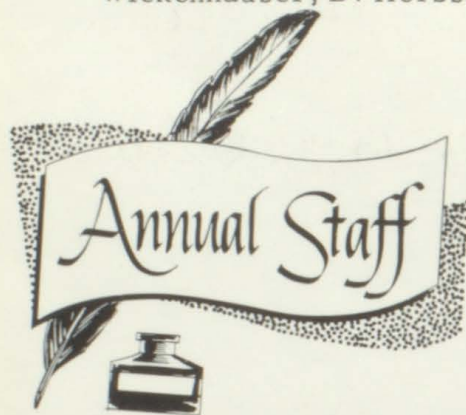
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SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Aretz, C. Machtemes, K. Wessbecker, B. Bauer, S. Stahlke. STANDING: D. Wagener, S. Kirsch, C. Kohanek, L. Kerber, A. Johnson, D. Wickenhauser, D. Herbst.



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Co-Editors, Kathy and Char.



Lynn and Carol our faithful typists.



This page will certainly be tops.



Our Photographer, Ken



Our Faithful Advisor, Mr. Richard Klaseus



SENIOR TRIP

See no evil, hear no evil,
speak no evil?



FAMOUS LAST WORDS:
"We're two inches closer to Canada."

SCHOOL LIFE



H O M E C O M I N G



R O Y A L T Y

CAROL GRAFF DIANE WAGENER GEORGIAN WEINZIERL

It was the night of October 2; the Waconia auditorium was filled to capacity with students and alumni. The Homecoming festivities were off to a start at Waconia High School. The girls were ready to present their program under the direction of Mr. Anderson and Mr. Peterson "Seven Wonders of the Homecoming World." As a result of an electrical failure due to a SNOW STORM the lights failed--the entire cast and audience were left in the dark. After considerable confusion we managed to fix them temporarily so we could crown our 1959 Homecoming queen. Amid cries and cheers Queen Diane began the '59-'60 reign. Her attendants were Georgian Weinzierl, Carol Graff. The Pages were Peggy Ryan, Betty Ann Johnson and Pat Ryan. Because of the weather we had to dispense with the traditional bonfire and snake dance and parade the next afternoon.

Perhaps the biggest highlight of the entire festivities was the homecoming dance. The football team certainly lived up to our slogan "Weaken Eden" by brutally beating the Eden Prairie Eagles 33-0. The Homecoming dance afterwards proved to be a big success.

Although the Seniors were quite disappointed, Mr. Mayer consoled us with these famous words--"Well kids, you will go down in history for the Homecoming." But tell us this--"Who wants to go down in history?"



Diane is crowned queen of WHS



Freshman
Page--
BETTY ANN
JOHNSON

Sophomore
Page--
PEGGY RYAN

Junior Page--PAT RYAN

W E A K E N E D E N



Royalty cheers team on to VICTORY!!!



Donnie (20) scores 7 at Homecoming Game!



"We're the boys (?) from Camp Kookamanga!!



So cute and sweet!!



Leading Couple: Co-Capt. George and Queen Diane



"I crown you Queen Chunnnnnnnn King!"



"Yah, das ist die Snitzelbank!"



Cookie as "Danzell" and Kevin as "Watt."

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

BUY

JUPITER



How do I get in
such predicaments



Carol holds Jupiter.



CAST

Dennis Medd	Hank Hughes
Ken Stenglein	Lester Krinkle
Jerry Leubke	Frizz Foster
Dave Johnson	Brucey Peck
Bernie Rauen	Mr. Joyce
Pat Thurk	Customer
Pat Paal	Customer
Karen Wessale	Customer
Mary Hartman	Gloria
Rod Riebe	Joe
Sue Clayton	Mrs. Joyce
Bev Zeman	Betty
Judy Derhaag	Customer's Voice
Sharon Marquardt	Customer
Donna Rademacher	Irene
Margie Ebert	Voice of Jupiter
Bernie Segner	Mrs. Quakenbash
Mary Maiser	Mrs. Jackson
Carol Steinhagen	Kay
Pat Ryan	Mrs. Quick
Diane Balzum & Joan Rohloff	Student Directors



Betty and Gloria
discuss their
troubles.



"I think we'd make a fine
couple!"



Gail--Karen Andre, Dave--Judge Heath, Donna--Defense Attorney Stevens, Sue--Secretary, Ron P.--Dr. Kirkland, Diane--Mrs. John Hutchins, Lynn--Secretary, Tom--District Attorney Flint, Steve--Homer Van Fleet, Ron G.--Elmer Sweeney, Judie--Jane Chandler, Shari--Nancy Lee Faulkner, Jane--Magda Svenson, Lester--John Graham Whitfield, Pat--Roberta Van Rensselaer, LeRoy--Sigurd Jungquist, Jerry T.--Larry Regan, Char--Prison Matron, Duane--Bailiff, Jerry J. Clerk of Court, Betty--Court Stenographer, Rog--Court Attendant, Dennis--1st Policeman, Jerry L.--2nd Policeman.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

He's alive . . . Bjorn's alive . . .



He killed Herr Bjorn . . . He did it . . .



DEFENSE TABLE; Char, Gail, Donna, Sue



PROSECUTING TABLE; Shari, Tom, Lynn, Lester



JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM



Mary, Karen, and Jane sing for Banquet.

As spring drew near the Seniors were anxiously awaiting the Prom while the Juniors started to plan and plan and plan. Mr. Mingo's Juniors decided to hold their dance and banquet at the Bell-Aire Yacht Club at Excelsior with an all night party at the High School afterwards. Amid MUCH discussion and arguing the big night came and the Juniors and Seniors with their dates traveled to Excelsior. After being served a very delicious meal, Donna Aretz read the Senior Class History, and Char Machtemes read the wills. Jane Ament entertained us with "He's Just an Ordinary Man." A trio made up of Mary Hartman, Karen Wessale and Jane Ament singing "I Believe" and the Senior class prophecies read by Sue Kusserow and JoAnn Lobitz rounded out the program.

After the banquet the girls changed into their formals in a room just for that purpose(?). The dance followed. Although the dance floor was rather small everyone agreed that the banquet and dance was a success.

Following the activities at the Bell-Aire Yacht Club a dance and movie was held at the high school.

After all the arrangements and discussions, everyone agreed the Prom was a great success.



Donna reads the Class History.



Char reads, "Senior Class leaves their wills to Juniors."



Jane entertains us with "He's just an ordinary man."



Sue and Joan read the Class Prophecies.

Students viewed dance from upstairs.



Teachers and students enjoy Banquet.





The band and their vocalist--
need more be said?



The couples show off their dancing ability.



Cathy and Char wait for the next dance

Looks like everyone is enjoying themselves.



Some couples sit one out.



Carol Graff receives Legion Award



Jerry Thurk receives Legion Award



Bob Hartmann receives VFW Award



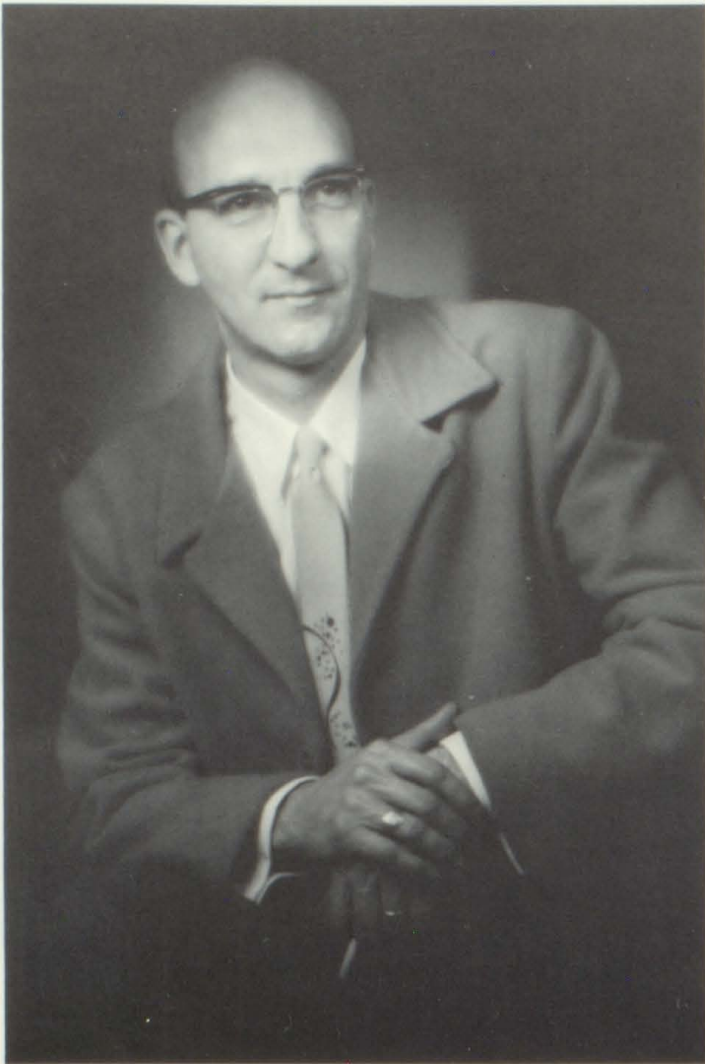
Fred Bleedorn receives Lions Award



Carol Graff receives Sousa Music Award



FINALLY



Not to be surpassed in artistry nor in his interest in our yearbook activities, Mr. Gilbert Hartmann, our official professional photographer; we wish to thank you for all your time and efforts in helping us edit this year's annual.

To Mr. Klaseus, our faithful advisor, we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for all the extra hours of his time spent on this annual. He was the only person who kept us on our toes, and through his guidance, we got our annual edited.



