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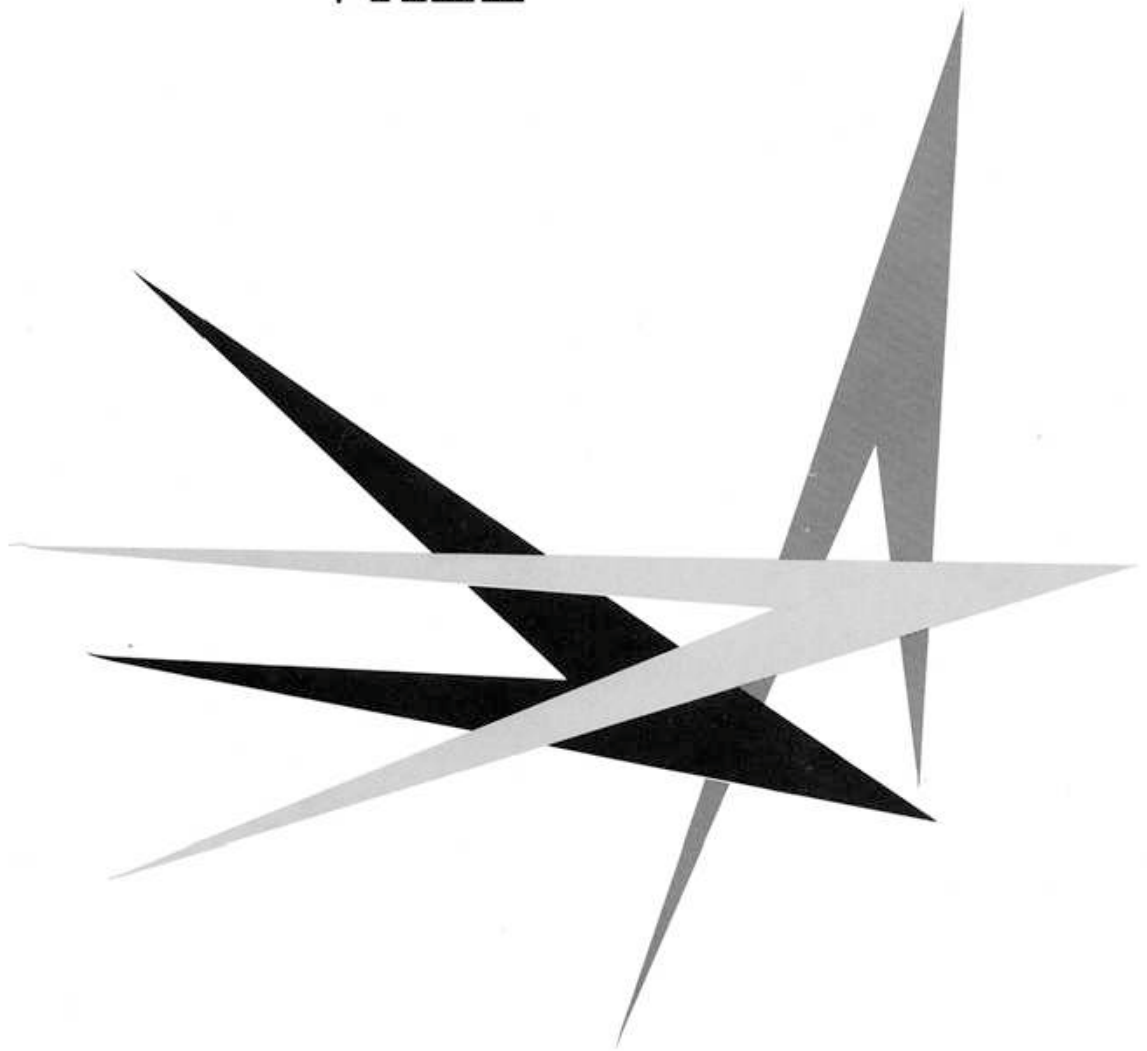
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EDITOR**

**SYLVIA KUTTNER
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FOREWORD

If you have grave doubts that dismay you and bear you down, if you think that there is no chance for you--stop! Each year sees new records set in almost every field. Better songs can be written, better radios can be made, more beautiful paintings can be painted.

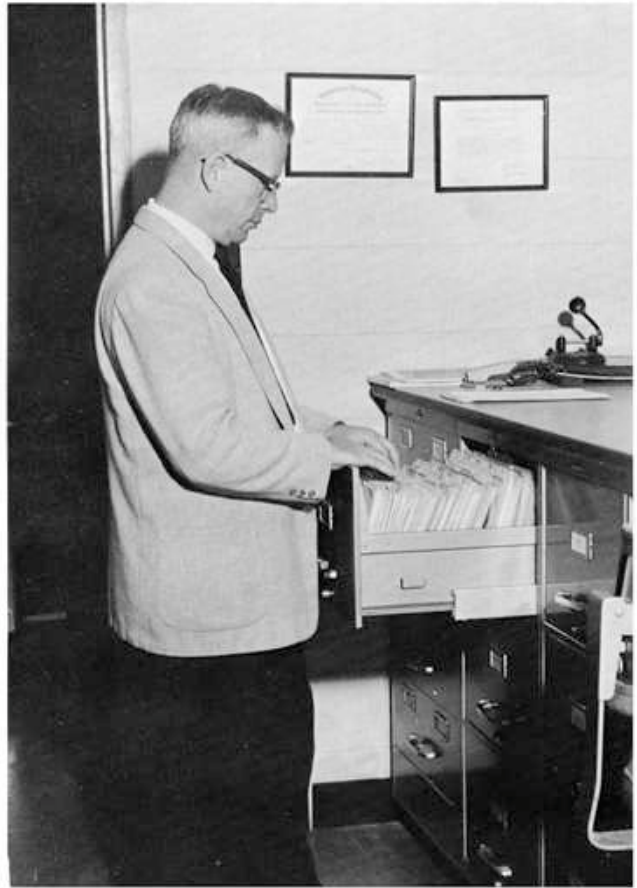


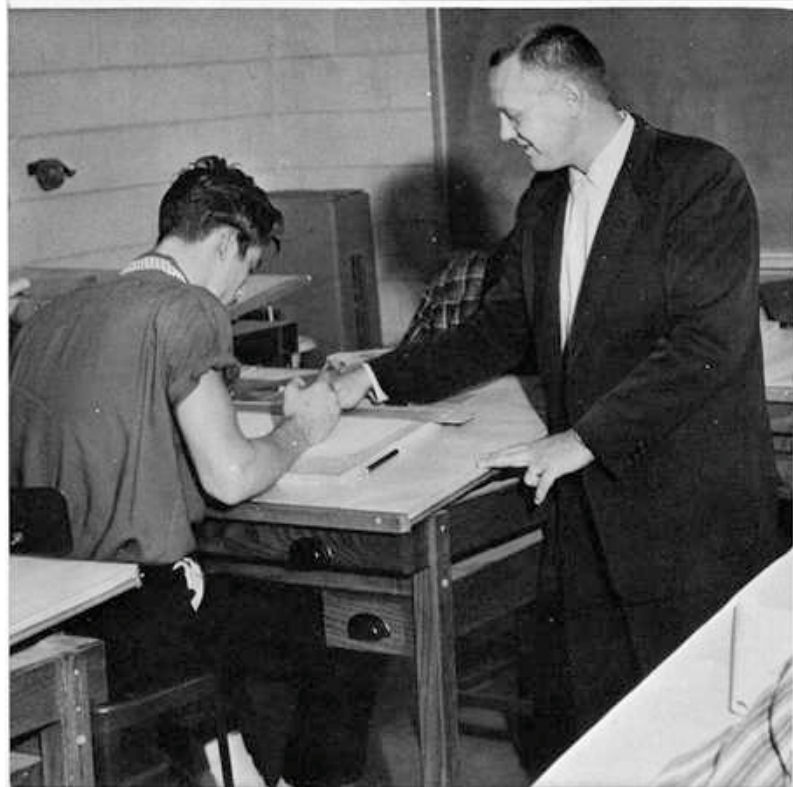
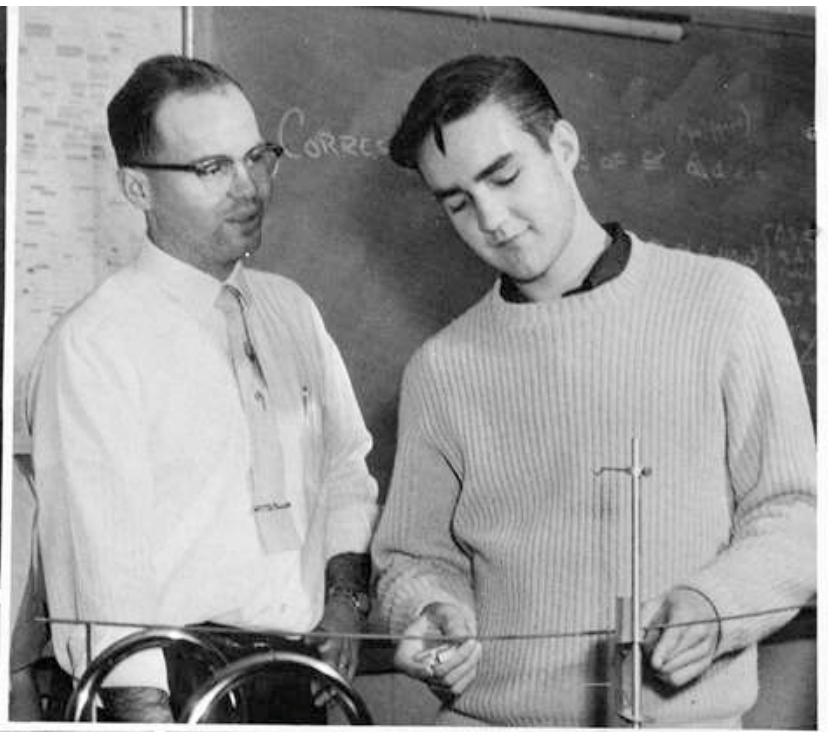
Someone is going to do these things. Why should not YOU be the one to do some of them? But you must rise above present discouragement and keep driving steadily and cheerfully forward, as all great persons have had to do.

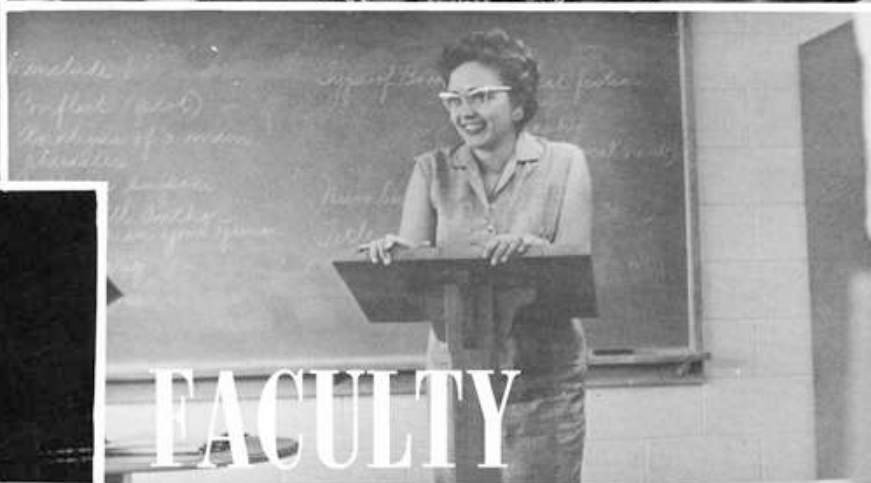
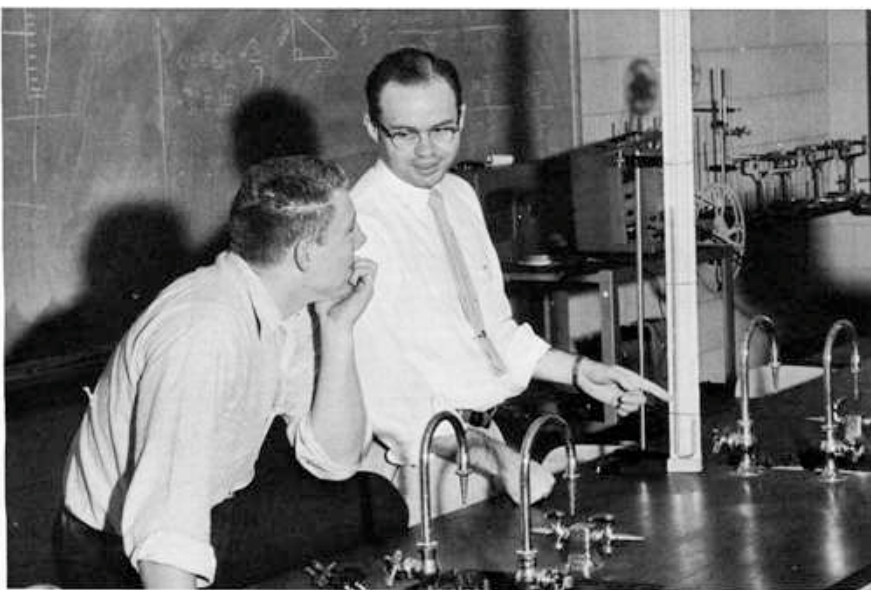


Mr. William A. Knoop

In order for us to show our appreciation for his willingness to aid us in our worthwhile projects, to express our gratitude to a man who has worked to help make the dream of our school a reality, and for his desire and determination to do anything in his power to make our school a better place and the students in it better citizens, the staff of the 1960 Vale proudly dedicates this edition to our principal, Mr. William A. Knoop.

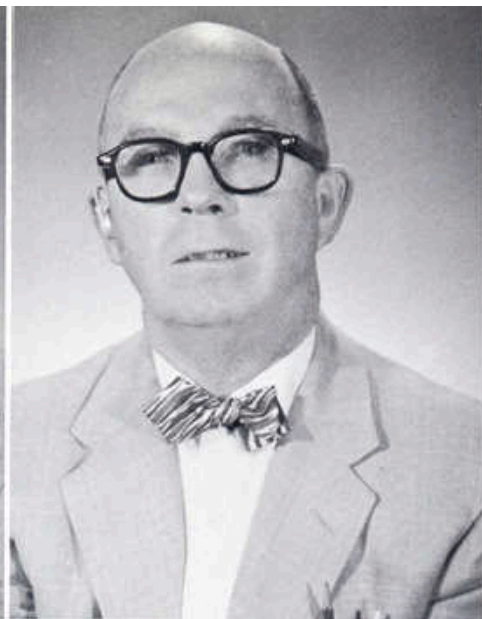








MR. RICHARD GOODSPEED



DR. B. EVARARD BLANCHARD

*The rhythm of life seems
more sure,
More freely my spirit expands,*

*Nature makes one set of rules
For which she seems to have just cause.
Then man, supremely impudent,
Tries thwarting her with little laws.*

*If you have tried and tried again
Nor made your effort less,
You really have succeeded then - - -
For courage is success.*



MR. THOMAS HEGGEN

MISS EDNA PEYER

MR. GEORGE J. RAPP



*If after I've worked with my
mind
I work for awhile with my
hands.*



MRS. MILDRED WILLARD



MRS. CHARLENE CRAWLEY



MRS. CAROLINE STEWART

*The books I like the best are those
That give us more than what they say - - -
They simply open countless doors
Through which our thoughts can roam away.*

*Words have colors and music
And wisdom and joy as well - - -
How lovely I think that words are
There are no words to tell!*

MRS. KARYL DUNK

MRS. WINIFRED SHANNON





MISS ZETHEL EATON



MR. MILES JELINEK

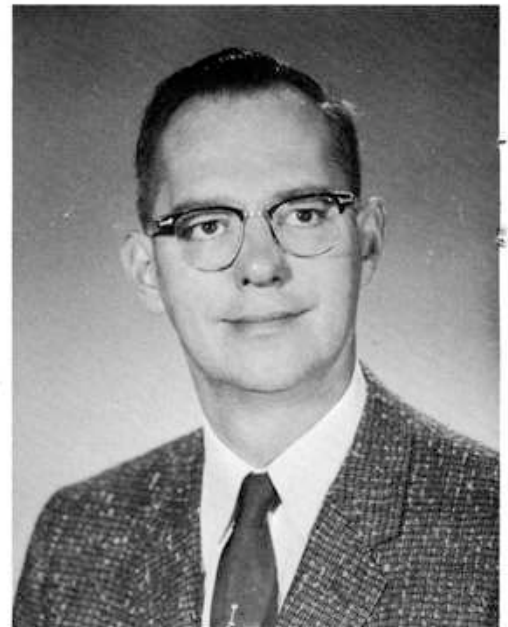
*I'd like to go where music
grows - - -
While violin notes blew my
hair,
I'd wander through the organ
groves
And gather little grace notes
there.*

*They say a life of struggle grim,
Of facing every task,
Will get you some place in the end - - -
But where, if I may ask?*

*I'll always take risks to do things that I want,
Although the results may be bad;
I'm willing to suffer—at least I can feel
I'm paying for something I've had.*

MRS. MILDRED HOMAN

MR. GENE R. CUSIC



MR. ROBERT S. BARTELT





Friend, counselor, and all-around handy man, we salute our custodian, Mr. Wilde.



"If I only had two more hands!" is a common statement of Mrs. Mollison as she handles the routine tasks of the school office.

Above: Caught in the act.

Excelling in culinary arts, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Burkman prepare food that pleases even our finicky tastes.



As we of the illustrious class of '60 leave this school, it is both with a note of joy and sadness that we depart.

The joy is in knowing that the members of the faculty, the administration and our fellow students have prepared us well for the future which we face.

The sadness of this departure lies in the realization that we shall seldom see those to whom we have become so greatly indebted.

OFFICERS: T. Caldwell--Pres.; S. Wood--Sec.; J. Mizener--V. Pres.; M. Chenier
--Treas.

SENIORS



STEVE
ADAMEC

STEVE ADAMEC, *Intramural basketball 3,4; Track 1,3,4; Wrestling 1; Science Club 1; Orchestra 1,2.*

ROSS BISHOP, *Track 3; Drama 4; Pep Club 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Yearbook photographer 3,4; Science Club 2,3,4—President 3,4; Music Club Treas. 3; Intramural basketball 3,4.*



ROSS
BISHOP

PAT BOLES, *G.A.A. 1; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4—Secretary 3,4; Drama 1; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Girls' League 1; Office aide 3; Library aide 4.*

JOAN BOROWICZ, *Pep Club 4; Chorus 1.*



PAT
BOLES

BARBARA BRABHAM,
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Drama 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4.

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JOAN BOROWICZ
BARBARA BRABHAM



TOM CALDWELL, *Basketball 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4—Captain 4; Baseball 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4—Captain 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4—Pres. 4; Chorus 3,4; Yearbook 4; Senior Class Pres.*

MARIE CENTKA, *G.A.A. 2,3,4—Secretary 3; Drama 2,3,4; Girls' League 1; Pep Club 1; Cheerleader 4; Nat. Hon. Society 4; Chorus 3,4; Office Aide 4.*

TOM
CALDWELL



MAURICE CHENIER, *Basketball 4; Football 2,3,4; Baseball 4; Drama 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4; Yearbook 4; Senior Class Treas.; Art Club 1.*

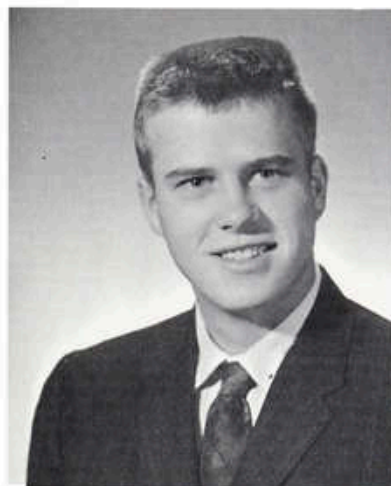
TIM COOK, *Intramural basketball 1,2,3,4; Intramural baseball 1,2; Swimming 1.*

MARIE
CENTKA



BARBARA DOERR, *G.A.A. Secretary 2; Pep Club 2,3,4—Treas. 3; Pres. 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Soph. Class Reporter; Jr. Class Secretary; Y-Teens 1.*

MAURICE
CHENIER



TIM COOK

BARBARA DOERR



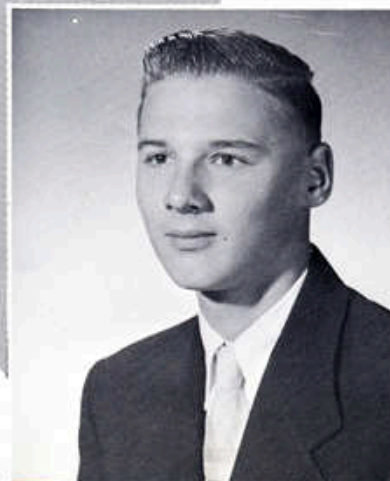
RONALD
DONDA



ANN
MARIE
FROMELIUS



JUDY
GABLER



JOHN
GABRIS

RONALD DONDA, *Intramural basketball* 2,3,4.
ANN MARIE FROMELIUS, *G.A.A.* 1,2,4; *F.H.A.*
4; *Pep Club* 1,2,3,4; *Spanish Club* 1; *Chorus*
1,2,3; *Office Aide* 4; *Charm Club* 1; *Y-Teens* 1.
JUDY GABLER, *G.A.A.* 2,3; *Drama* 1,2,3,4;
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; *Nat. Honor Society* 4—*Pres.*;
Chorus 1,2,3,4; *All State Chorus* 4.
JOHN GABRIS, *Intramural basketball* 2,3,4;
Football 3; *Kitchen Aide* 2.

JILL
ILEEN
GEBHARDT



JILL ILEEN GEBHARDT, *G.A.A.* 3,4; *F.H.A.* 2; *Drama* 2,3,4; *Girls' League* 1; *Pep Club* 1,2,3,4; *Cheerleader* 2,3,4—*Captain* 4; *Chorus* 1,2,3,4.

DAVONNA GILDERNICK, *G.A.A.* 1; *F.H.A.* 1,2,3,4—*V.P.* 3, *Pres.* 3,4; *Girls' League* 1; *Pep Club* 1,3,4; *Chorus* 3,4; *Office Aide* 2,3,4; *Library Aide* 4.

HAROLD HANSEN, *Intramural basketball* 3,4; *Football* 1,2,3,4; *Drama* 3,4; *Varsity Club* 2,3,4; *Chorus* 2,3,4.

MURIEL HEATH, *F.H.A. Treas.* 2; *Pep Club* 2; *Student Council Secretary* 4; *Nat. Honor Society Secretary* 4; *Chorus* 4; *Library Aide* 2,3,4.

DAVONNA
GILDERNICK



HAROLD
HANSEN



MURIEL
HEATH



AL KOFF



BONNIE
KONDER

BONNIE KONDER, *Drama 2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3; Chorus 2,3,4; Science Club 2.*
KENNETH KUBES, *Intramural basketball 3; Football 2,3,4; Drama 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Student Council 1,2,3,4—V.P. 3, Pres. 4; Varsity Club 2,4—Secretary 4; Chorus 2,3,4; All State Chorus 4; Jr. Class Pres.; Yearbook 3,4—Art Editor 4; Art Club 1.*
SYLVIA KUTTNER, *Drama 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Office Aide 4; Press Club—Ed.-in-Chief.*



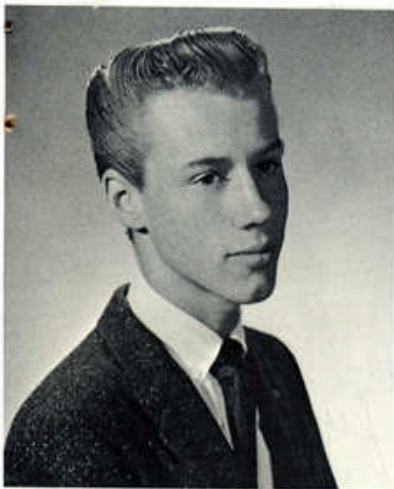
KENNETH
KUBES



SYLVIA KUTTNER



JOAN LARSON



EDWARD
ANDREW
LAWFORD

JOAN LARSON, *Pep Club 4; Library Aide 2.*
EDWARD ANDREW LAWFORD, *Science Club 2.*
PAT LOSIC, *G.A.A. 1,2,3,4-Treas. 3, V.P. 4;*
F.H.A. 1, Pep Club 3,4; Chorus 1,2,4.
BILL LUTHER, *Intramural basketball 3,4;*
Football 3,4; Varsity Club 3,4.



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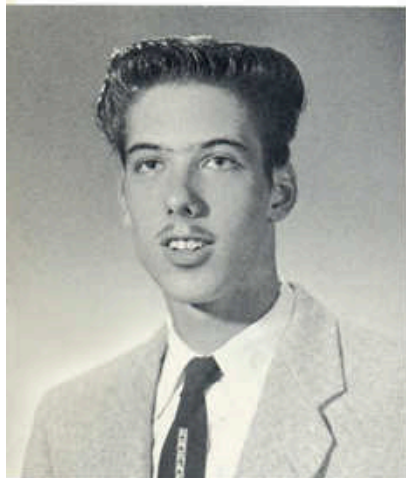
BILL LUTHER

JAMES McCORMICK, *Football 2,4; Pep Club 1; Varsity Club 4.*

GERALD B. McGOUGH, *Basketball 2; Football 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 3; Student Council 4; Varsity Club 3,4; Soph. Class Secretary.*

KENNETH MASON, Jr., *Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 2,3,4-MVP 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Drama 1,2,3,4; Thespian Club; Pep Club 3; Student Council V.P. 4; Nat. Honor Society 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; All State Chorus 4; Yearbook 2,3,4-Ass't Ed. 3; Ed. 4; Soph. Class Pres.; Audio-Visual aide 3,4.*

CAROLE ANN MAZUR, *G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2; Office Aide 4; York High School 1,2.*



JAMES McCORMICK



GERALD B. McGOUGH



KENNETH MASON, Jr.



CAROLE ANN MAZUR



MARLENE MEYER

PATRICIA MIESZALA



JIM MIZENER

VERNA MIZENER

MARLENE MEYER, G.A.A. 2,3; Drama 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; All State Chorus 4.
 PATRICIA MIESZALA, G.A.A. 1,2,3,4—Secretary 4; Drama 1; Chorus 1,2; Glee Club 1,2.
 JIM MIZENER, Basketball 2; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,4; Track 2,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4—V.P. 4; Chorus 2,4; Yearbook 3,4—Sports Ed. 4; Jr. Class Treas.; Sr. Class Vice-Pres.
 VERNA MIZENER, G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2,4.



ARTHUR NIEMOLLER



BARBARA PATZ



YVONNE PEARCE



RALPH ROGE



BEVERLY SANBORN

ARTHUR NIEMOLLER, *Spanish Club 1,2,3; German Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Math Club 1,2,3; Morristown High School, N.J. 1,2,3; Aviation Club 1,2,3.*

BARBARA PATZ, *Drama 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,3-Secretary 2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Soph. Class V.P.; Jr. Class V.P.*

YVONNE PEARCE, *G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2; Girls' League 1; Pep Club 1.*

RALPH ROGE, *Football 2.*

BEVERLY SANBORN, *G.A.A. 1,3,4; F.H.A. 4; Drama 3; Pep Club 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Office Aide 3,4; Y-Teens 1; Science Club 2.*

JUDY SMITH



JUDY SMITH, G.A.A. 3,4-Treas. 4; Girls' League 1; Pep Club 3,4; Class Vice President 4; Chorus 3,4; Journalism 2.

VALERIA SMITH, G.A.A. Bus. Mgr. 2, V.P. 3, Pres. 4; Drama 4; Student Council 3,4-Secretary 3; Band 1,2,3,4-All State 4; Chorus 2,3,4; Yearbook Lit. Ed. 4; Library Aide 2,4; Y-Teens 1; Latin Club 1; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

VALERIA SMITH



RUTH SOPCAK, G.A.A. 1,2,3,4-Sports Chrm. 3; Girls' League 1; Pep Club 1; Chorus 2; Y-Teens 1.

WAYNE SROTYR, Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Office Aide 4; Art Club 1.

LOWELL STANLEY, Kitchen Aide 3,4.

RUTH SOPCAK



WAYNE SROTYR



LOWELL STANLEY

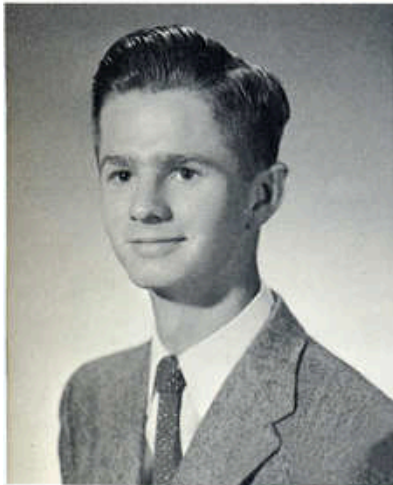




JUDITH
STOW



KATHRYN
TOMECEK



ED
WATTS

JUDITH STOW, G.A.A. 1,3,4—Sports Chrm. 4; Drama 4; Girls' League 1; Pep Club 2,3,4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1.

KATHRYN TOMECEK, F.H.A. 1,3,4; Drama 2,3; Pep Club 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4.

ED WATTS, Drama 2; Latin Club 1; Pep Club 4; Office Aide 4; Science club 2,3,4.

SUSAN WOOD, Drama 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Sr. Class Secretary; Science Club 2.

HELEN YACKLEY, Chorus 4.

SUSAN
WOOD



HELEN
YACKLEY

The conservative JUNIOR CLASS, under the direction of its officers, John Barr, Judy Wilde, Ted Colbert, and Janice Judd, has been spending its time making money and working on plans for the Junior-Senior Prom.



It is the SOPHOMORE CLASS, headed by its industrious officers, Ralph Custar, Randy Christensen, Adrienne Knox, and Jim Wright, which seems to be nominated for the clean-up work after the Juniors' affairs.



The FRESHMAN CLASS, still a bit dazed by the switc from grade school to high school, led by Ron Mieszala, Ken Kraft, Pat Gildernick, and Rich Schlagel, is looking for a way to avoid the labor of the Sophomore year but reap the fruits of their Junior year.



JUNIORS



J. Bakken
J. Barr
M. Breseman
R. Burnside
T. Colbert



J. Corel
K. Craig
S. Delaney
R. Enk
M. Frederickson



P. Glassman
S. Hallis
L. Heuman
J. James
L. Johnson



E. Jones
J. Judd
W. Kawecki
D. Kay
D. Knight



N. Kuttner
K. Loehman
B. Lorenz
G. MacMillan
M. Makinson

JUNIORS

E. Mallon
L. Martin
J. Mason
D. Moss
L. Nelson



J. Nordine
J. Novak
S. Nystedt
K. Orbell
R. Panosh



L. Pavlicek
C. Poziombka
R. Rippon
S. Roch
C. Rychtarik



K. Schuler
J. Singer
W. Smith
D. Snow
J. Svrzenjak



I. Vasenius
R. Voss
J. Wilde
J. Witunski
B. Smith



Missing: J. Kovach
F. Thurston

B. Ford
C. Kelz





B. Banaszak
R. Bild
B. Birza
A. Borowicz
E. Boyle



A. Bugarewicz
T. Burke
A. Casino
C. Chenier
H. Chiapetta



G. Cinert
V. Cosino
P. Cunningham
R. Custar
L. Diehl



S. Di John
E. Dubin
B. Fencil
L. Fromelius
T. Harper



G. Heuman
E. Irwin
M. Jeffery
B. Klima
A. Knox



M. Kowalczyk
P. Krueger
J. Mac Kenzie
M. Marriner
R. Christensen

SOPHOMORES



L. Matthies
D. Mayercek
W. Melichar
S. Mieszala
N. Morris



M. Neimczewski
M. Orlando
J. Pearce
P. Pivodich
E. Renc



D. Riske
J. Saltis
G. Scanlon
B. Schapiro
J. Schummer



D. Sinnick
C. Smith
F. Smith
S. Smith
J. Stanley



E. Stepinsky
J. Tarr
L. Terrutty
K. Trayer
A. Walling



J. Winz
J. Wright
D. Ford
D. Odum

Missing: B. Soderlund; J. Stample.

SOPHOMORES



TOP ROW--T. Andrzejewski, B. Barber, A. Beckett, P. Boltz, P. Breseman, G. Cinert, D. Daverin. SECOND ROW--
 B. De Meo, D. Dobrowski, J. Dunlap, M. Eble, P. Gildernick, M. Hutchinson, L. Jarmy. THIRD ROW--H. Jeffery,
 C. Kamalick, E. Kizior, J. Knox, K. Kraft, R. Kubes, D. Lawford. FOURTH ROW--P. Luther, R. Luther, B. Man-
 suetto, C. Marko, B. Marriner, M. Martin, M. Matteucci. FIFTH ROW--M. Mazur, R. Mieszala, T. Mizgata, S
 Morton, J. Myers, L. Noland, L. Norisey.

FRESHMEN



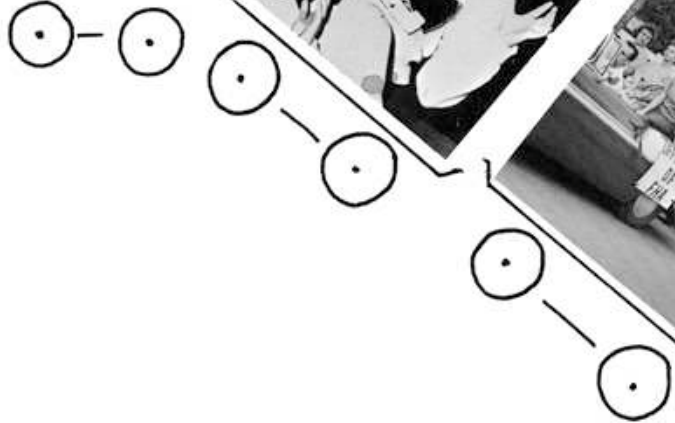
TOP ROW--P. Norvell, M. Novak, L. Orbell, L. Orbell, A. Patz, D. Poziombka, R. Rakosnik. SECOND ROW--R. Reeder, C. Rittgarn, C. Rossi, B. Rott, D. Scanlon, R. Schlagel, J. Siebert. THIRD ROW--P. Smith, P. A. Smith, D. Srail, L. Srail, E. Srotyr, L. Stanley, H. Stow. FOURTH ROW--T. Szal, J. Tomera, J. Vining, C. Wamecke, P. Witunski, J. Wurl, P. Zekl. FIFTH ROW--B. Zenger, L. Zettel, P. La Bianco, S. Ford, J. Fairchild, G. Schuler. MISSING--D. Ehart, J. Esposito, B. Koff, G. Maxwell, R. Rippon, C. Wachowski.

FRESHMEN





LIONS
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In comparing our Student Council of 1959 with that of three years ago, one can't help but show pride in the progress that the Council has made in tying the bonds between the student body and the administration. And as the years go by, the Student Council is bound to become an even greater symbol of leadership and fair-play in dealing with both students and faculty. OFFICERS; K. Kubes--Pres.; K. Mason--V. Pres.; M. Heath--Sec.; J. Barr--Treas.



**STUDENT
COUNCIL**

DRAMA



Here are scenes from two of Mr. George J. Rapp's most successful productions. Above, the opening scene of "The Red House Mystery," and on the right, the memorable dance scene from "The Perfect Idiot" that stopped the show. Now turn the page for more of Thespian activity.



In three short years the Drama Club here at LCCHS, under the very able leadership of Mr. George Rapp, has developed into one of the most prominent activities of our school. Participation and enthusiasm, not only in school but in the community, are always at a peak. This is evidenced by the resounding turnouts at all our plays: "Life with Father," "The Inner Willy," "The Red House Mystery," and the hilarious "The Perfect Idiot."





NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The first few years of a new high school are the most interesting because this is a period of experimenting and the setting of precedents and the character of the school. Nineteen fifty-nine was such a year, as Lisle Community High School was admitted into the National Honor Society. J. Gabler, Pres.; M. Heath, Sec'y.



An organization which is of interest to many girls at LCHS is the Future Homemakers of America. Under the guidance of Mrs. Stewart and the able club officers, this group holds meetings to discuss ways of more pleasant and better homemaking. The Sadie Hawkins Dance highlighted the fall activities of the club.

RIGHT: K. Tomecek--V. Pres.;
D. Gildernick--Pres.; P. Boles--
Sec.; S. Hallis--Treas.





PEP CLUB

There is only one difference between a school that's got it and one that doesn't. That one thing is the desire, enthusiasm, and spirit of the student body to make their school best. Lisle has got it--thanks to our Pep Club.

OFFICERS: B. Doerr--Pres.; J. Smith--V. Pres.; J. Gebhardt--Sec.; J. Mason--Treas.



G. A. A.

V. Smith--Pres.
P. Losic--V. Pres.
P. Mieszala--Sec.
J. Smith--Treas.

At the weekly business meetings of the Girls' Athletic Association, run by the club officers and sponsor, Mrs. Crawley, preparations for social and group projects are discussed--like the Annual Turnabout Dance. During the activity meeting which follows the business meeting you can hear the enthusiastic shouts of the girls, illustrating their joy in being able to participate in their favorite sports. Many of the girls in this organization have received letters and pins depicting their accomplishments in G.A.A.

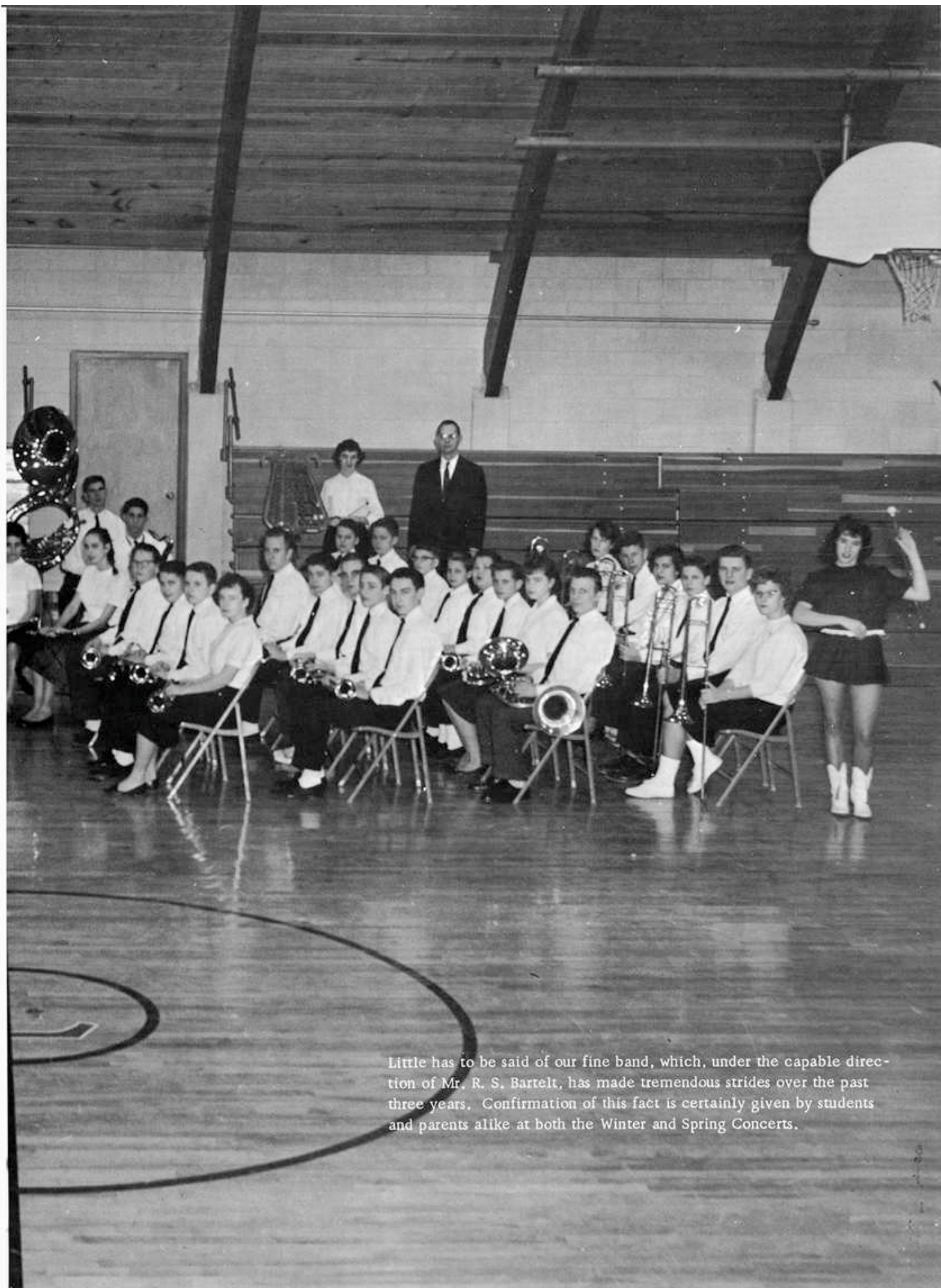
LIBRARY AIDES

Pictured here with Head Librarian Mrs. Shannon is the LCHS Library Staff. In two or three years, this role will be an important factor in the success of our proposed high school and town library.



BAND





Little has to be said of our fine band, which, under the capable direction of Mr. R. S. Bartelt, has made tremendous strides over the past three years. Confirmation of this fact is certainly given by students and parents alike at both the Winter and Spring Concerts.



To be sure, the Fresh-Soph cheerleaders of 1959-1960 deserve a sincere pat on the back. For to offset a poor season is a difficult job, but because of their spirited cheers and enthusiastic cheering, they came through with flying colors.

ABOVE: D. Scanlon, D. Sinnick, A. Patz, P. Kruger, S. Smith.

We should also be proud of our alternate cheerleaders, for, when called upon, they performed with equal spirit and vigor characteristic of the regulars.

LEFT: B. Soderlund, J. Wilde, P. Gildernick, M. Centka.

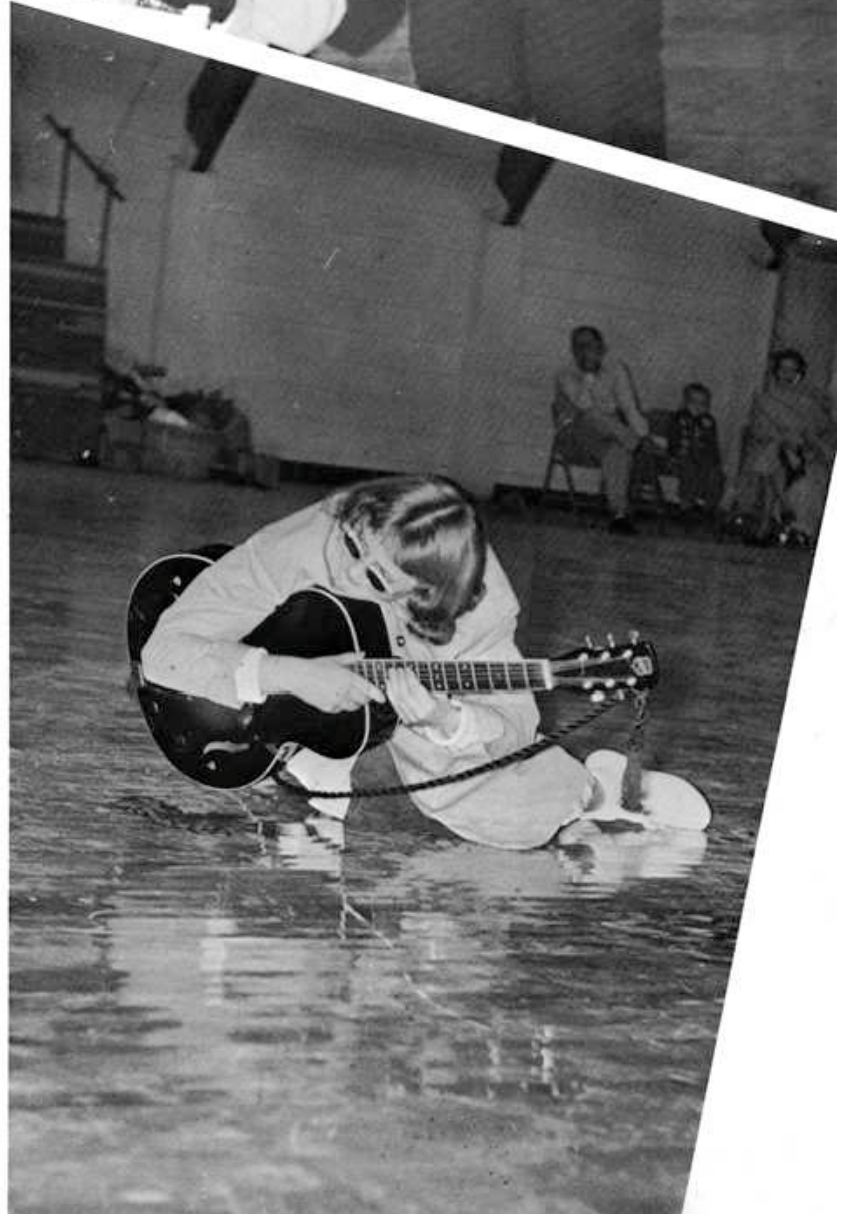


CHEERLEADERS



Having a good athletic team is definitely no assurance of having a really successful year. In order to have such, a team must be represented by a devoted group of cheerleaders. Devoted our varsity cheerleaders were, for time and again they willingly took it upon themselves to sign students up for games away from home, and kept interest in our teams high by holding frequent, and very often humorous, pep assemblies.

ABOVE: B. Doerr, M. Makinson, J. Gebhardt, P. Glassman.



CHORUS





The well-rounded music department is to be congratulated on its continuing improvement and versatility. The LCHS Chorus, pictured above, has branched out into A cappella work. Singing at several other schools and local groups, aside from the annual school concerts, the 60-odd virtuosi and their director Mr. Bartelt, are, indeed, a fine representative of Lisle High.



Two other groups are making their mark in the LCHS singing world. A female "dectet," organized last fall, now is a permanent fixture in the choral program.

ABOVE: Judy Gabler, Barbara Patz, Linda Martin, Deanna Moss, Jill Gebhardt, Marlene Meyer, Penny Glassman, Bonnie Konder, Mary Makinson, Lynne Diehl.

A talented and versatile group, THE WAYFARING FOUR, the most recent group formed, has met with great initial success. At first only a loose-knit quartet, they have developed into a sound and well-received team with a varied and pleasing repertoire.

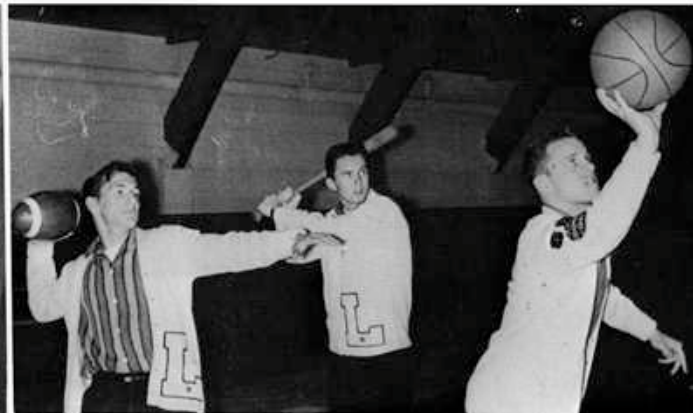
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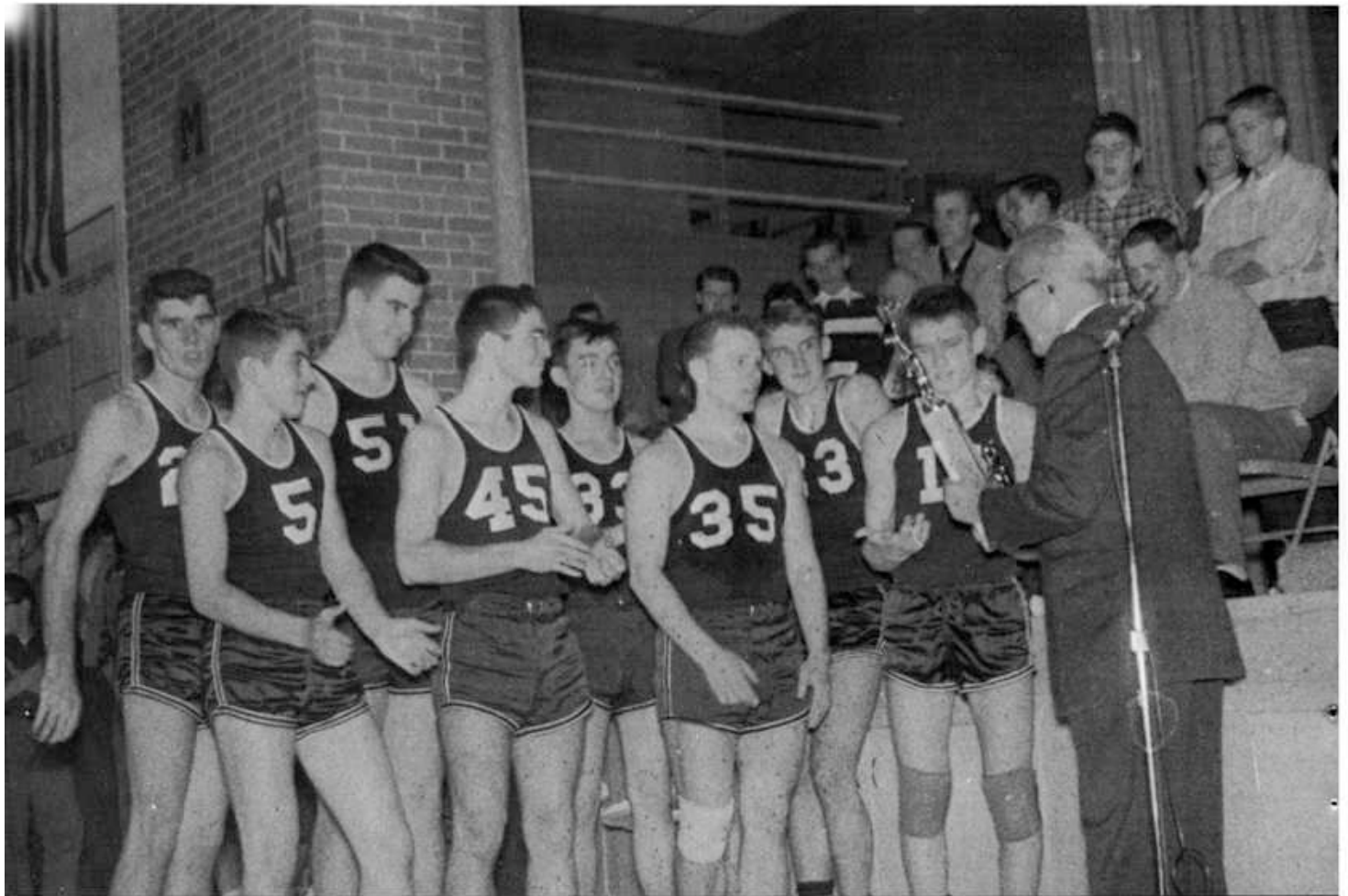
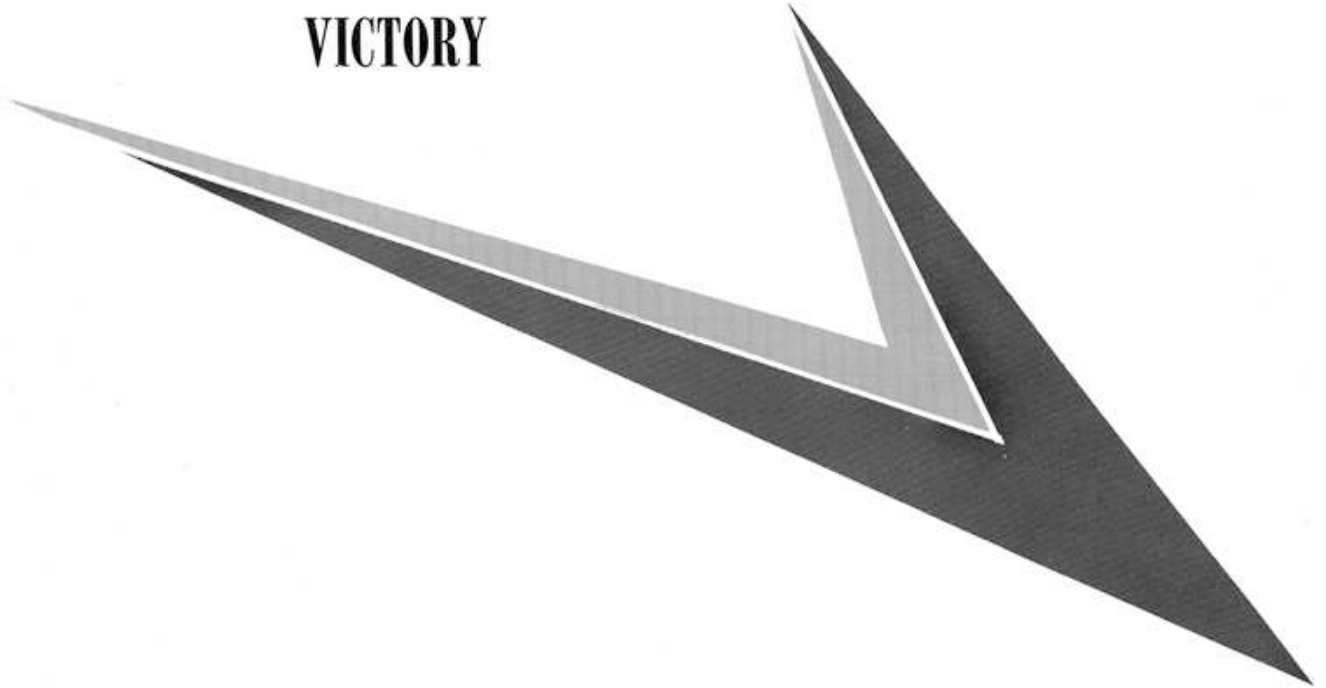
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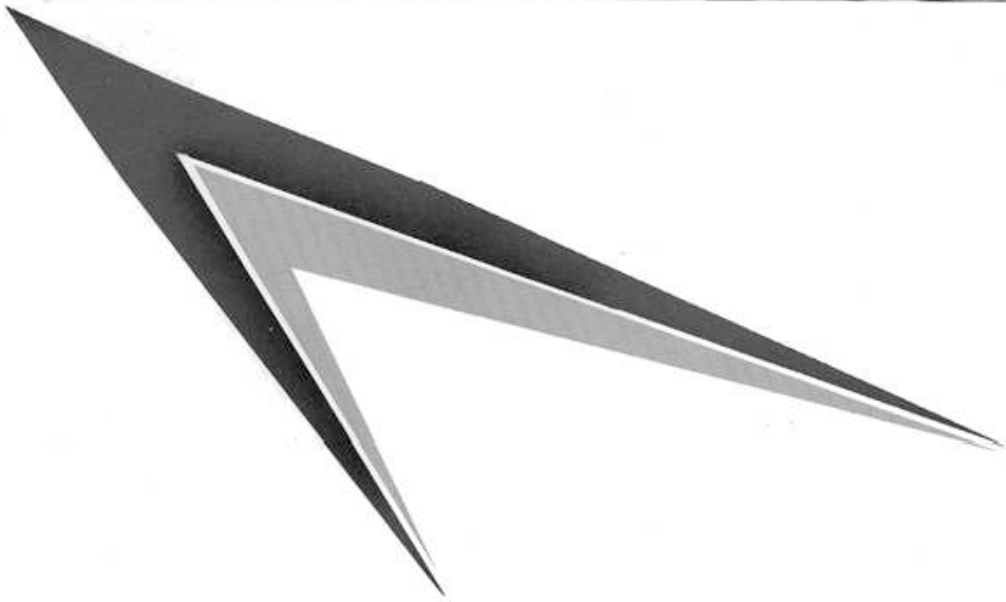
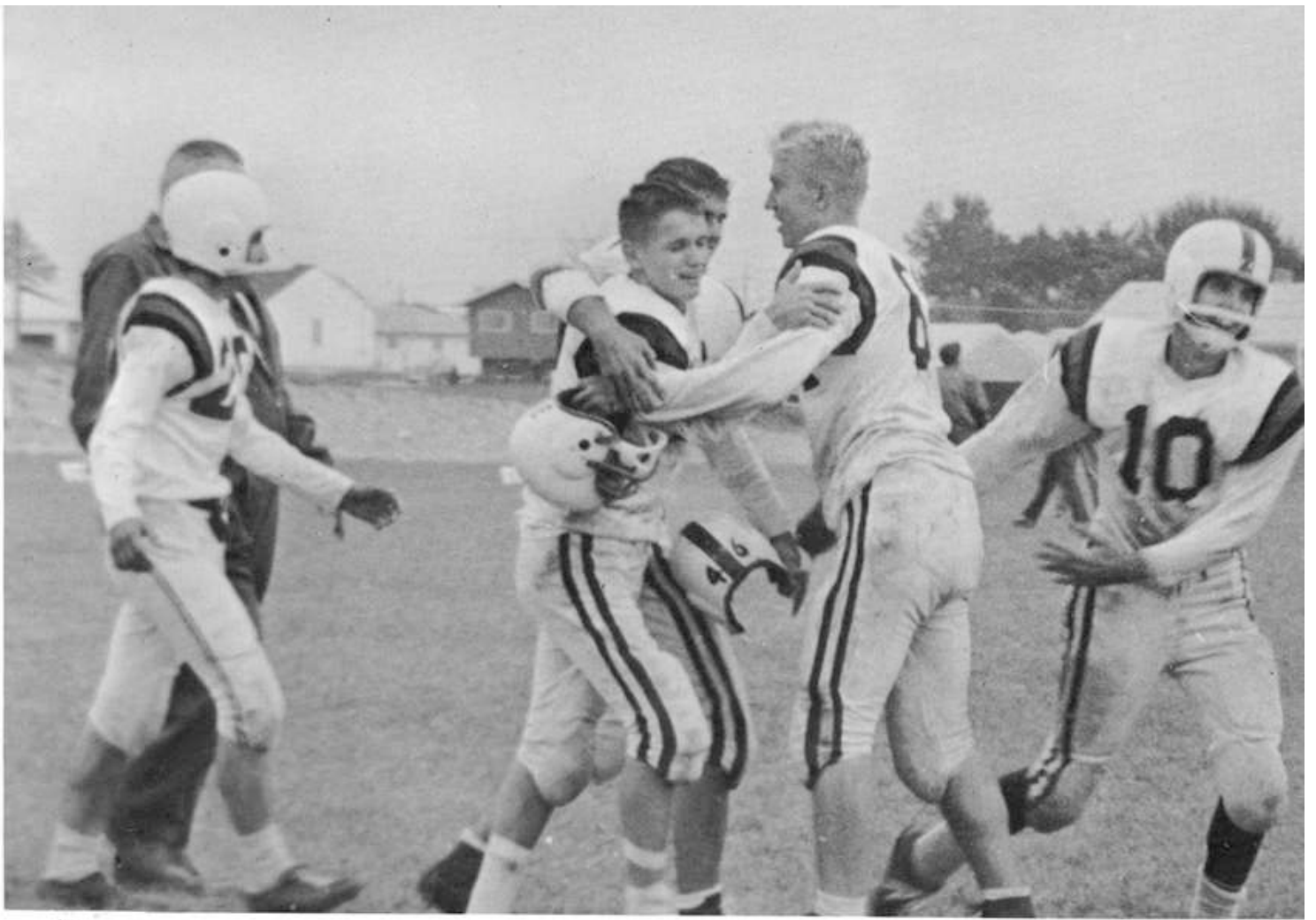
The happy and confident clowns pictured here are the nucleus of all athletic squads. Of all school activities, the one noted most carefully is athletics. This Varsity Club has met this responsibility quite well, earning respect from our town, school, and opponents.

Right: K. Kubes--Sec.; J. Mizener--V. Pres.; T. Caldwell--Pres.



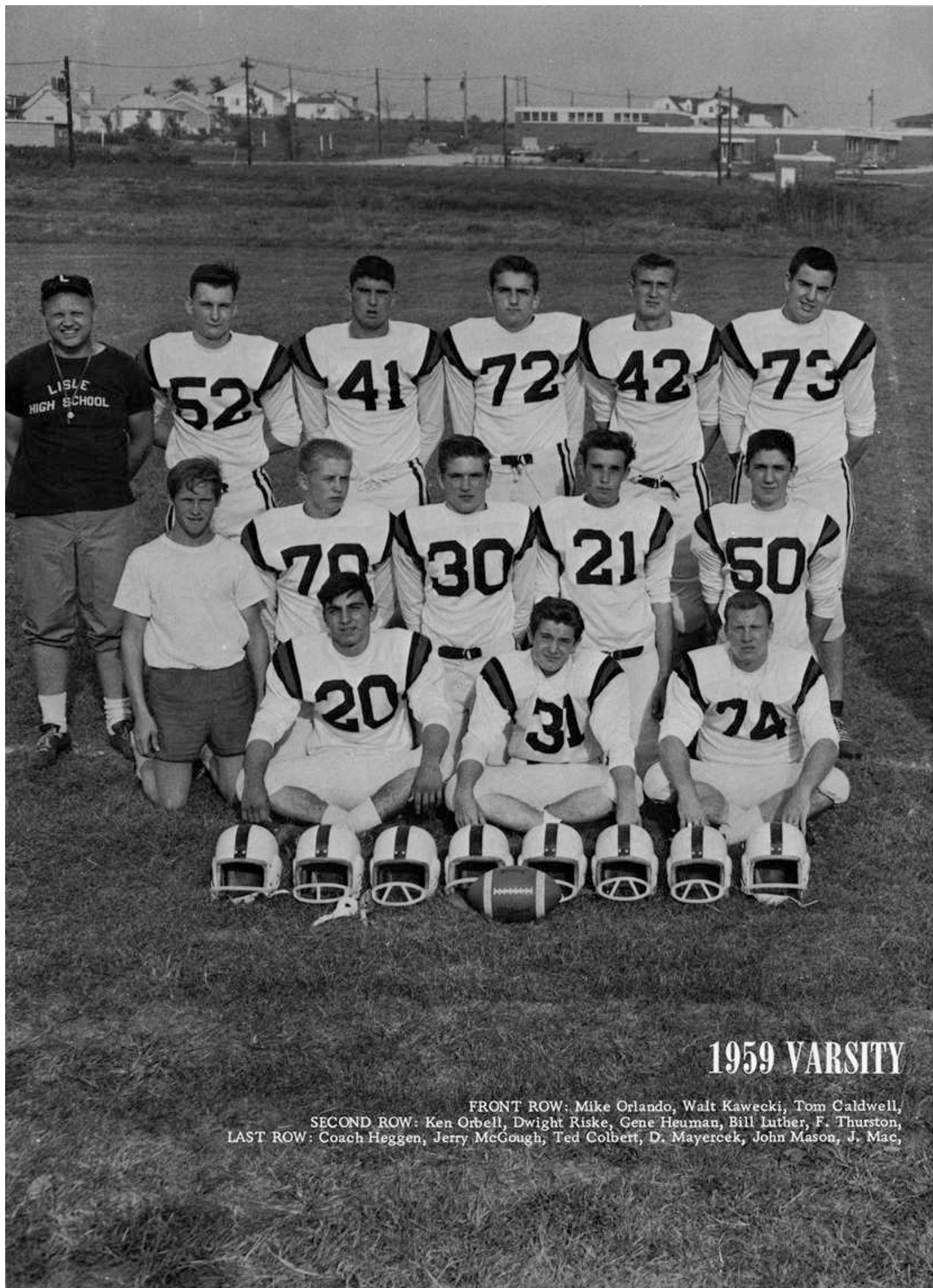
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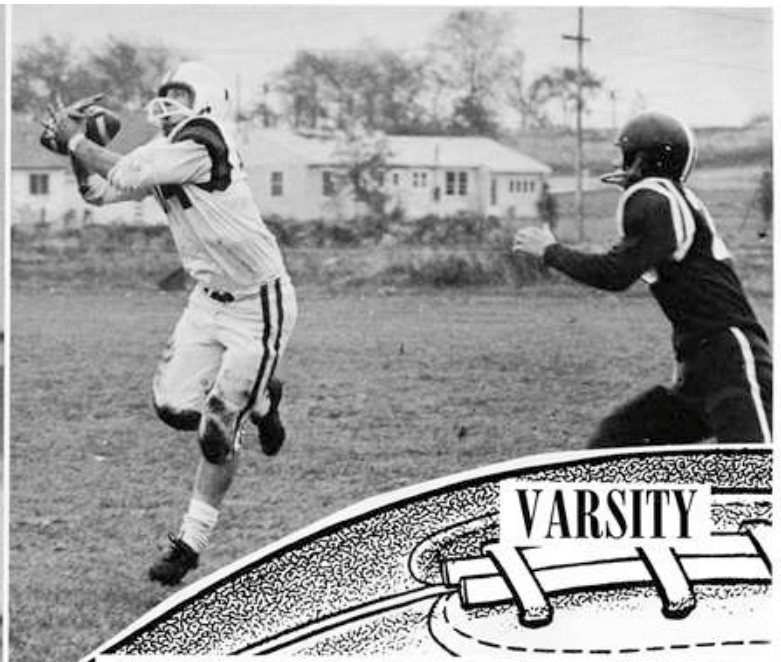
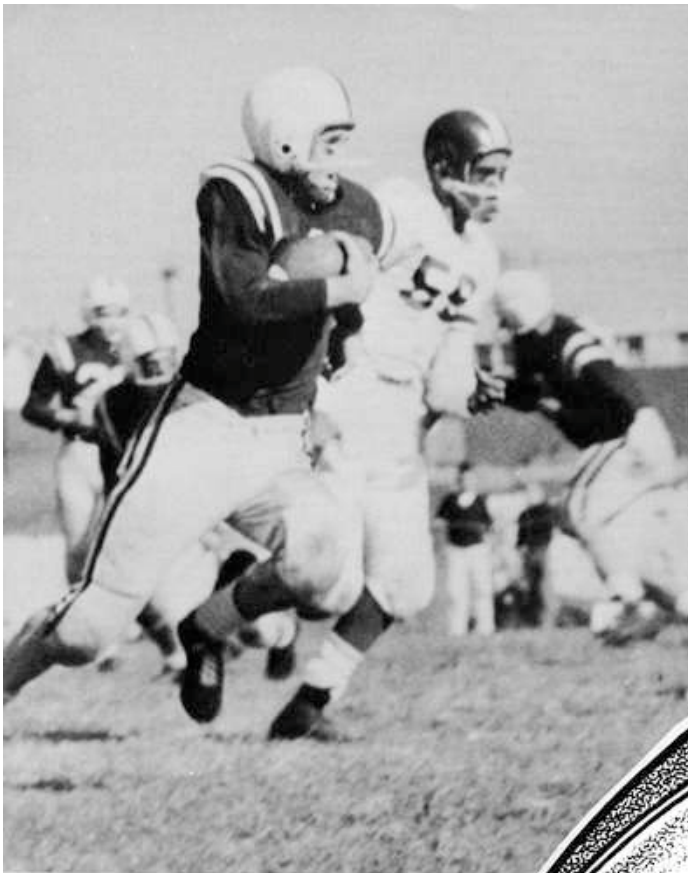
1959 VARSITY

FRONT ROW: Mike Orlando, Walt Kawecki, Tom Caldwell,
SECOND ROW: Ken Orbell, Dwight Riske, Gene Heuman, Bill Luther, F. Thurston,
LAST ROW: Coach Heggen, Jerry McGough, Ted Colbert, D. Mayercek, John Mason, J. Mac,



FOOTBALL SQUAD

Shorty Chenier, Ken Kubes, Ken Mason,
Charles Poziombki, Lou Pavlicek, Jim Mizener, Jim Tarr, Manager Jim Nordine,
Jim McCormick, Lonny Nelson, Harold Hansen, Jim Winz, Ron Bild, Coach Cusic.



VARSITY

Our varsity football squad established a name for itself by playing an excellent brand of football throughout the entire season. With a season record of five victories and three defeats we were able to score a total of 164 pts. while allowing the opposition only 56.

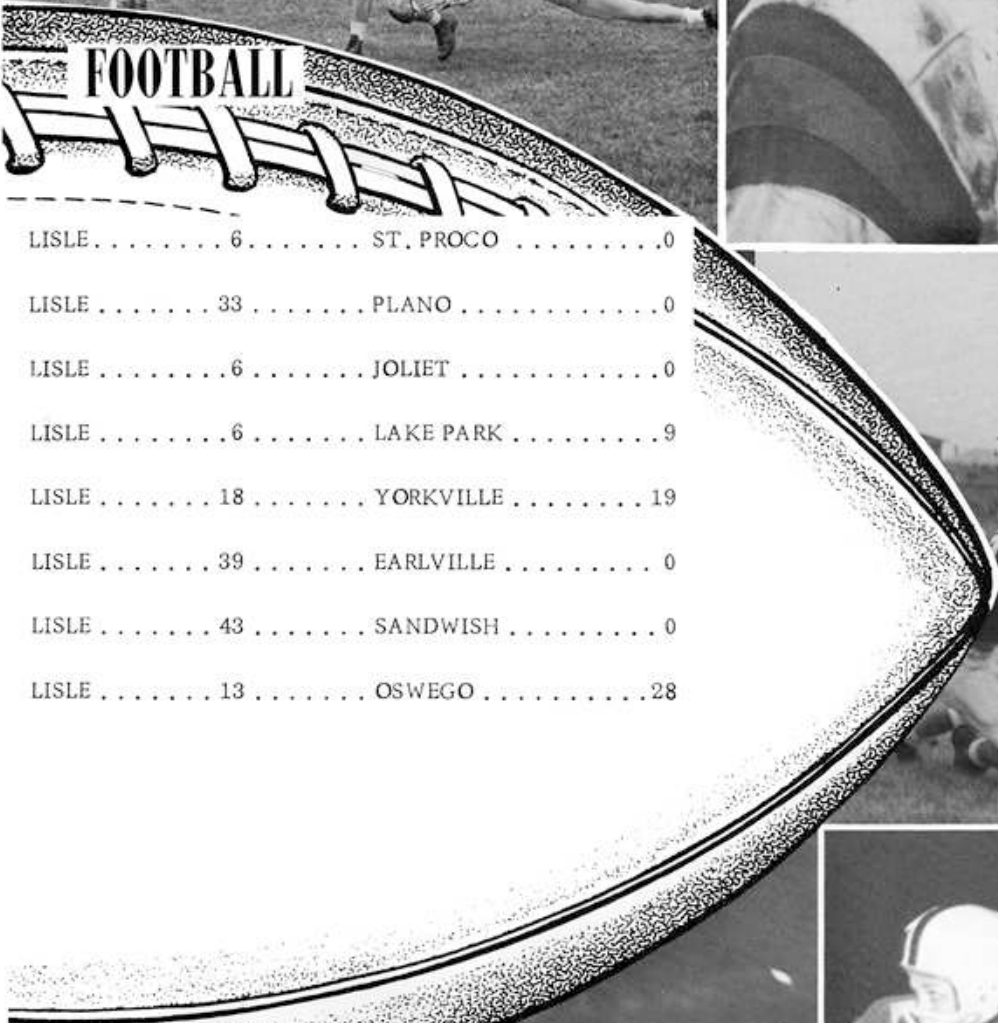
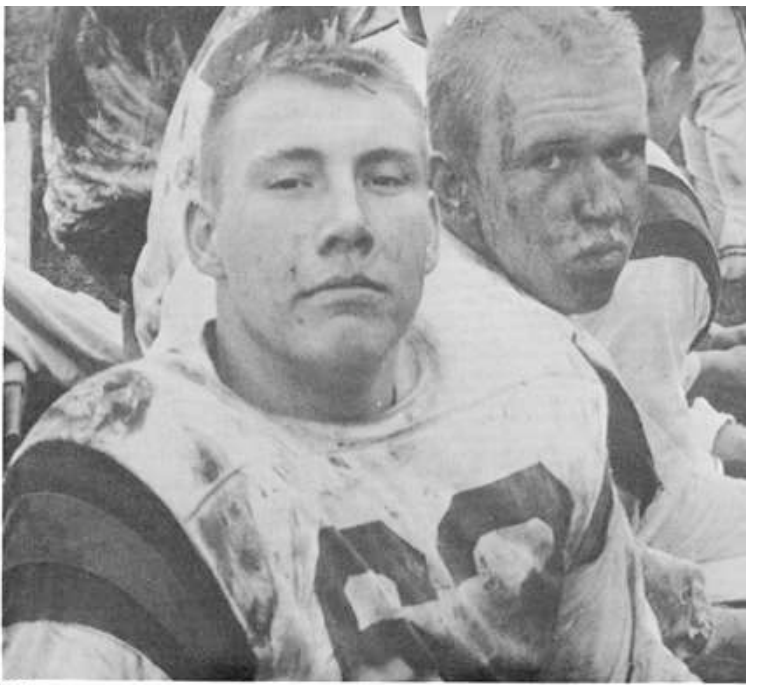
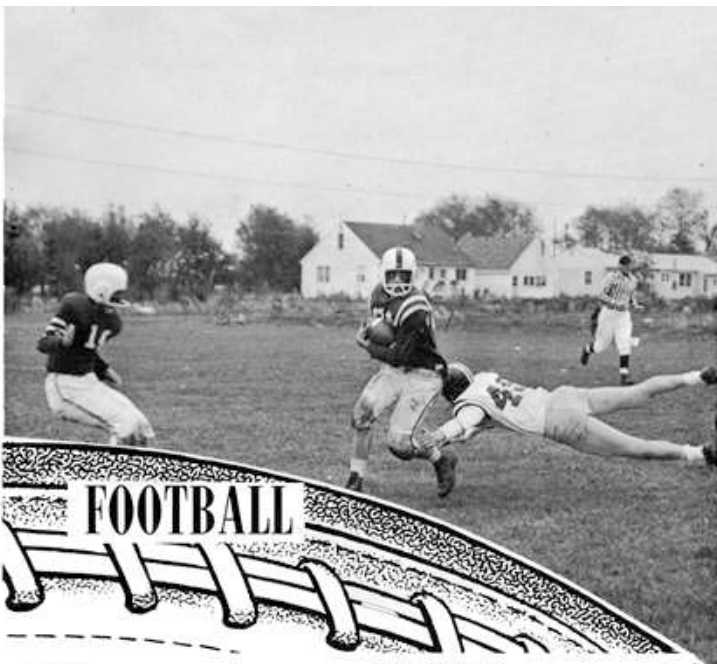
The team of '59 got off to a terrific start by being undefeated, untied, and unscored upon in the first three contests. But due to key injuries our varsity lost the next two games by close scores. Had the breaks gone our way there is little doubt that the varsity eleven could have gone undefeated.

Our team captain, Tom Caldwell, led in scoring and yards gained while quarterback Ken Mason was named most valuable player of the year. Much credit must be given to coach Gene Cusic and Tom Heggen for developing such players as Hansen, McGough, Kubes, and McCormick into the great linemen they were.

A strong team spirit, backed by that of the school and parents which never wavered and always increased, did much to build up the squad's morale.

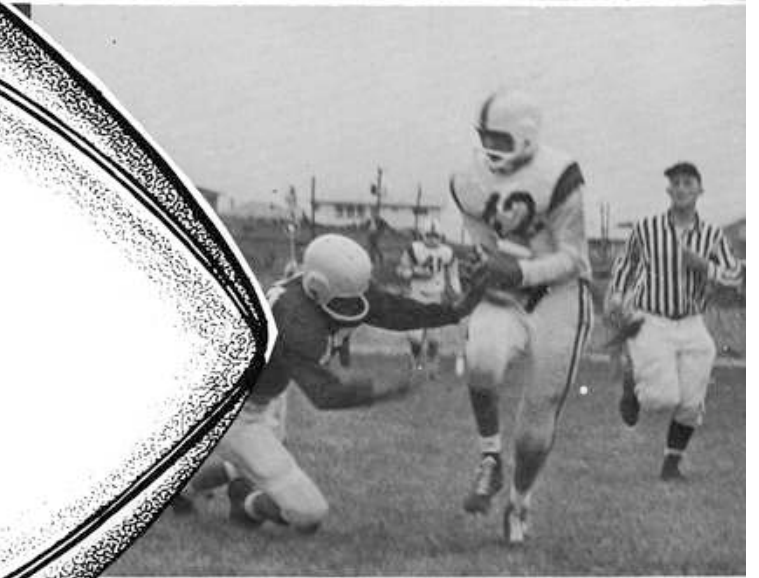
This team will truly be remembered for many years as one of the greatest teams ever turned out by the Lisle Community High School

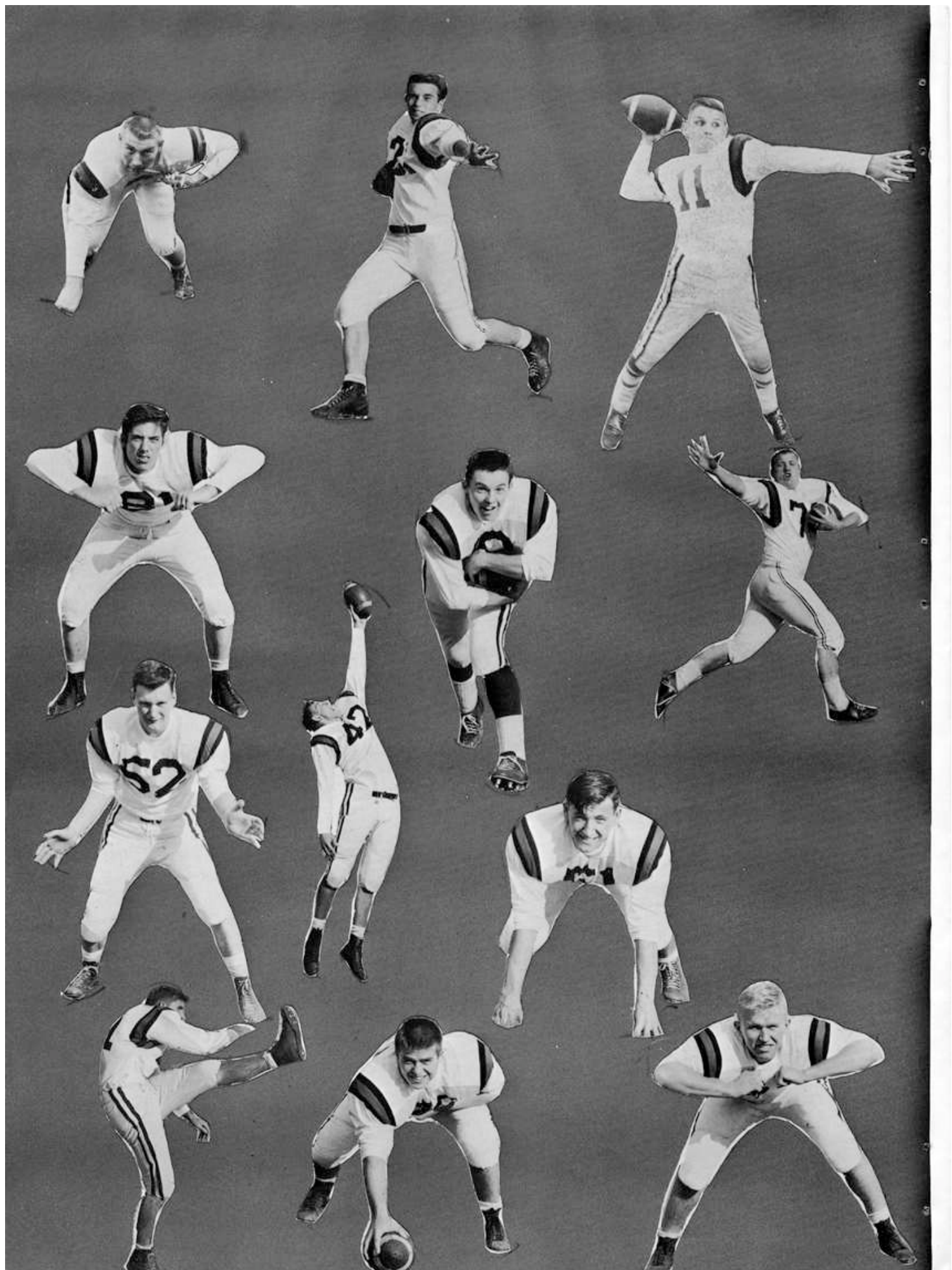




FOOTBALL

LISLE 6	ST. PROCO	0
LISLE 33	PLANO	0
LISLE 6	JOLIET	0
LISLE 6	LAKE PARK	9
LISLE 18	YORKVILLE	19
LISLE 39	EARLVILLE	0
LISLE 43	SANDWISH	0
LISLE 13	OSWEGO	28







After a winless season last year, the fighting Frosh-Soph broke into winning ways this season. Dropping their first four by large margins, the F-S roared back with three straight wins over impressive foes. Only a loss to Oswego marred their chances for a .500 season. With a 3-5 windup this year, continued improvement is expected in 1960.



VARSIITY

J. Singer, J. Mason, J. MacKenzie, L. Nelson, T. Colbert, L. Pavlicek, Coach Heggen, B. DeMeo, M. Chenier, T. Caldwell, K. Mason, W. Kawecki, J. Nordine, Manager Mike Martin.



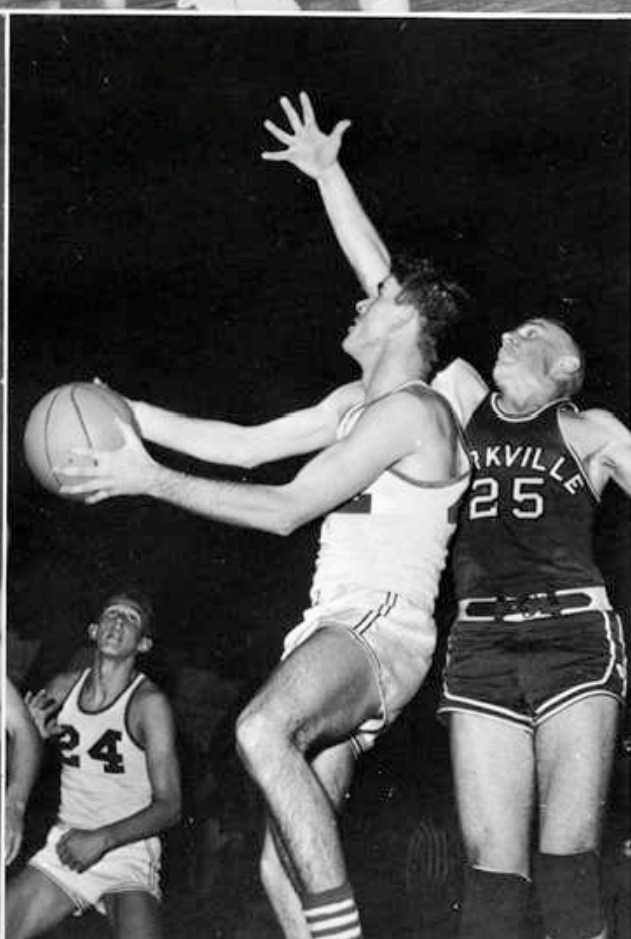
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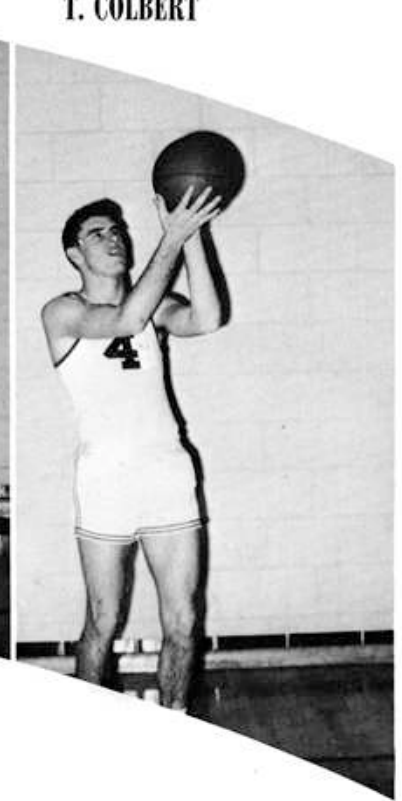


J. MAC KENZIE

L. NELSON

T. COLBERT

K. MASON



At this writing the L.C.H.S. varsity basketball team is in the process of completing a very successful season. Coach Tom Haggen has balanced fair height with good team speed and perhaps will achieve his first winning season in three years.

Coach Haggen's nucleus for the season is found in Ted Colbert, John Mason, Tom Caldwell, Lonny Nelson, Ken Mason, and "Meat" MacKenzie. Rounding out the squad are Walt Kaweck, Joe Singer, Lou Pavlicek, and Jim Nordine. Caldwell and K. Mason are the only two seniors on the team which give rise for further improvement next season.

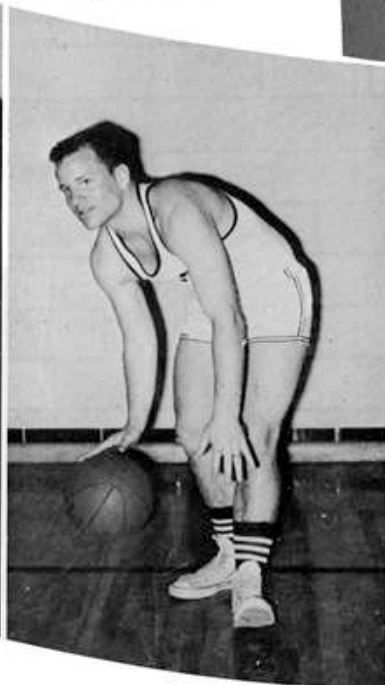
After a mediocre start, the Lions jelled into a solid unit early in 1960 and highlighted the season by coping 1st place honors at the 18th Annual F.V.C. Tourney at Yorkville before some 1200 fans. We commend Coach Haggen for the improvement his squad has shown and congratulate the champion L.C.H.S. Lions.

BASKETEERS

CAPTAIN AND COACH



T. CALDWELL



J. MASON



M. CHENIER



LISLE 68 HINCKLEY 55
LISLE 57 PLAINFIELD 75
LISLE 62 ELMWOOD PARK 57
LISLE 53 OSWEGO 58
LISLE 46 ST. PROCOPIUS 56
LISLE 62 YORKVILLE 69
LISLE 78 MINOOKA 63
LISLE 59 YORKVILLE 70
LISLE 64 LAKE PARK 39
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L. C. H. S. LIONS CAPTURE

In grand and glorious fashion the Lisle High School Varsity brought home the school's first major trophy last week by winning the annual Fox Valley Conference Basketball Tournament. The games were played in the new Yorkville Community High School gym. The fighting Lions climaxed a terrific week's work by overwhelming the Minooka Indians in the championship game 77-58 before a crowd of some 1200.

Before their screaming rooters, the championship trophy was presented to captains T. Caldwell and K. Mason by Mr. Milton Sprunger, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Illinois High School Association.

The nucleus of this Lion team that would not be denied was the same four stalwarts of the Frosh-Soph team that picked up the marbles in the tournament last year--Ted Colbert, John Mason, John MacKenzie and Lonnie Nelson. Add to these the names of Tom Caldwell and Ken Mason, senior guards who have no peer in the entire conference. Great things had been expected of this squad, but a stumbling start in conference play plus a sometimes lack of desire had made for a mediocre season so far. Their play in the tournament lived up to all the expectations of Coach Tom Heggen and their many followers in the school and community.

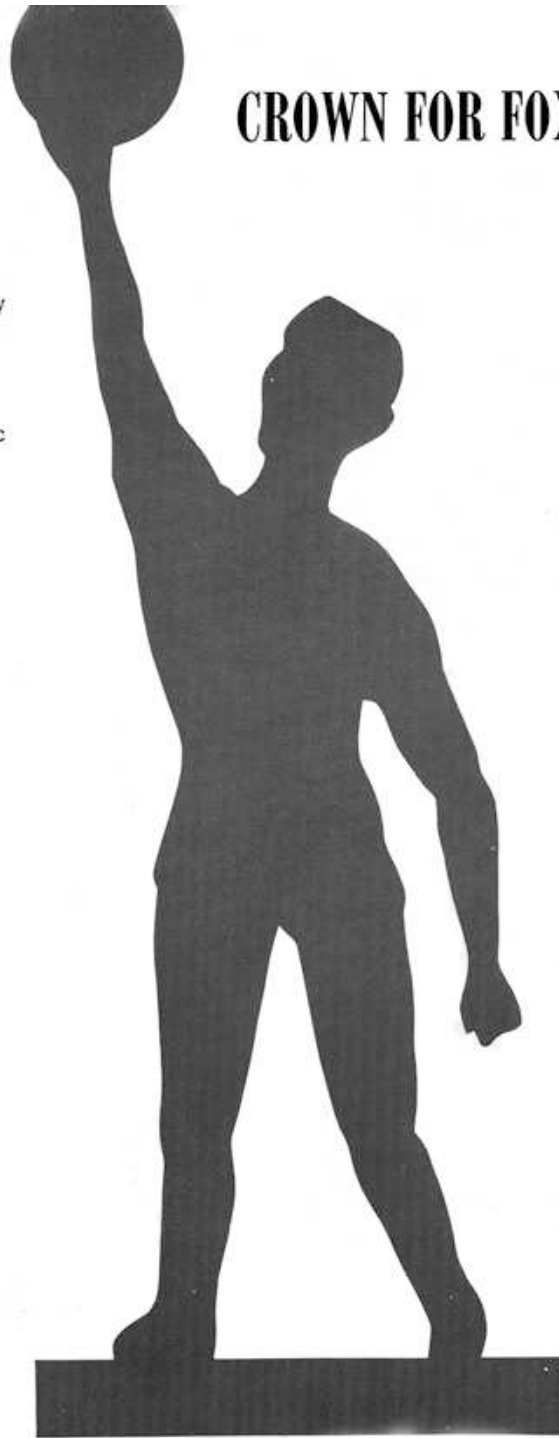
Two nights later the Lions journeyed back to York-

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ville in the rain to meet a Newark team that had defeated them in a conference game only a week before. This was the semi-final contest to determine who would play for the championship. And what a game it was! All Non-believers were converted before the night was over. Newark, filled with confidence, built up a 28-21 lead by halftime. Three of the Lisle regulars had drawn four fouls. The Lions were having poor success in shooting and when Newark's margin went to 11 just before the 3rd quarter ended, no one gave Lisle much of a chance.

Then the Navy and White put on a full court press as tight as a mustard plaster. As Newark began to make errors the Lisle shooters started to hit from all angles. Kenny Mason was a whirling dervish as he spread the Newark defenses with his dribbling and ball handling. Ted Colbert and John Mason passed off the corner and center like veterans. Tom Caldwell potted two clutch baskets and then the Lisle rooters went wild as Colbert passed a beauty to J. Mason for a layup that tied the game with 3 minutes to go. Even though Colbert fouled out, Newark never had a chance after that--as Lisle kept driving to win by 11. From an 11 point deficit to an 11 point victory in 9 minutes! A record 29-point 4th quarter for Lisle!

Scoring: Nelson 4; Colbert 20; J. Mason 21; K. Mason 9; Caldwell 7; MacKenzie 4.



We should also not forget the loyal reserves, Walt Kawecki, Joe Singer, Jim Nordine and Lou Pavlicek--not to mention Shorty Chenier, first-line reserve, who was unable to join his mates in the tournament. Chenier had been declared ineligible a week before by virtue of reaching the age limit.

En route to the championship, Lisle clipped Oswego, 55-49; the team scored an unbelievable win over Newark, 65-54, after trailing by 11 points deep in the third quarter. This Newark game was the outstanding game of the tournament.

Beating Oswego in the first game was sweet revenge. The Lions have had ill fortune against the Panthers in football and baseball as well as in the first basketball game they played this season. It looked as if the Oswego jinx would work again when Ken Mason fouled out with only two minutes gone in the 3rd quarter and the score tied, 29-29. Lisle had led, 23-22, at the half. The Lions refused to fold and with Ted Colbert and John Mason leading the way, the score remained tied as the 4th quarter started. Then, with the pressure mounting, Caldwell, J. Mason and MacKenzie hit with timely baskets to gradually pull ahead. Lisle outscored Oswego 16 to 10 in the final quarter for the winning margin.

Scoring for Lisle: Nelson 2; MacKenzie 13; Colbert 10; J. Mason 17; K. Mason 5; Caldwell 8.



In a sense the championship game was anticlimactic. This time the Lions had the poise and the confidence. Minooka had upset conference champion Plainfield 2 nights earlier by working a full court press. These tactics were just what "Dr." Tom Heggen ordered--enabling Ken Mason to dribble through the press and lay off to his teammates for easy baskets. With Caldwell, J. Mason, Colbert and MacKenzie all hitting timely buckets, Lisle led at half 34-27; at the 3/4 mark 55-42, and at game-end 77-58.

Scoring: Nelson 2; MacKenzie 13; Colbert 16; J. Mason 19; K. Mason 17; Caldwell 10.

So the Lisle Lions garnered the first varsity championship award for the trophy case. A hearty pat on the back to all the players, Coaches Heggen and Cusic, and also managers Bob DeMeo and Mike Martin.

It would be unfair to single out one player or players in the tournament. John Mason played steady, top-notch basketball; he was high scorer and rebounder. Tom Caldwell and Ken Mason with their floor leadership and Ted Colbert with his passing and shooting were invaluable. "Meat" MacKenzie and Lonnie Nelson chipped in with yeoman work. The Lions were truly a team of destiny!

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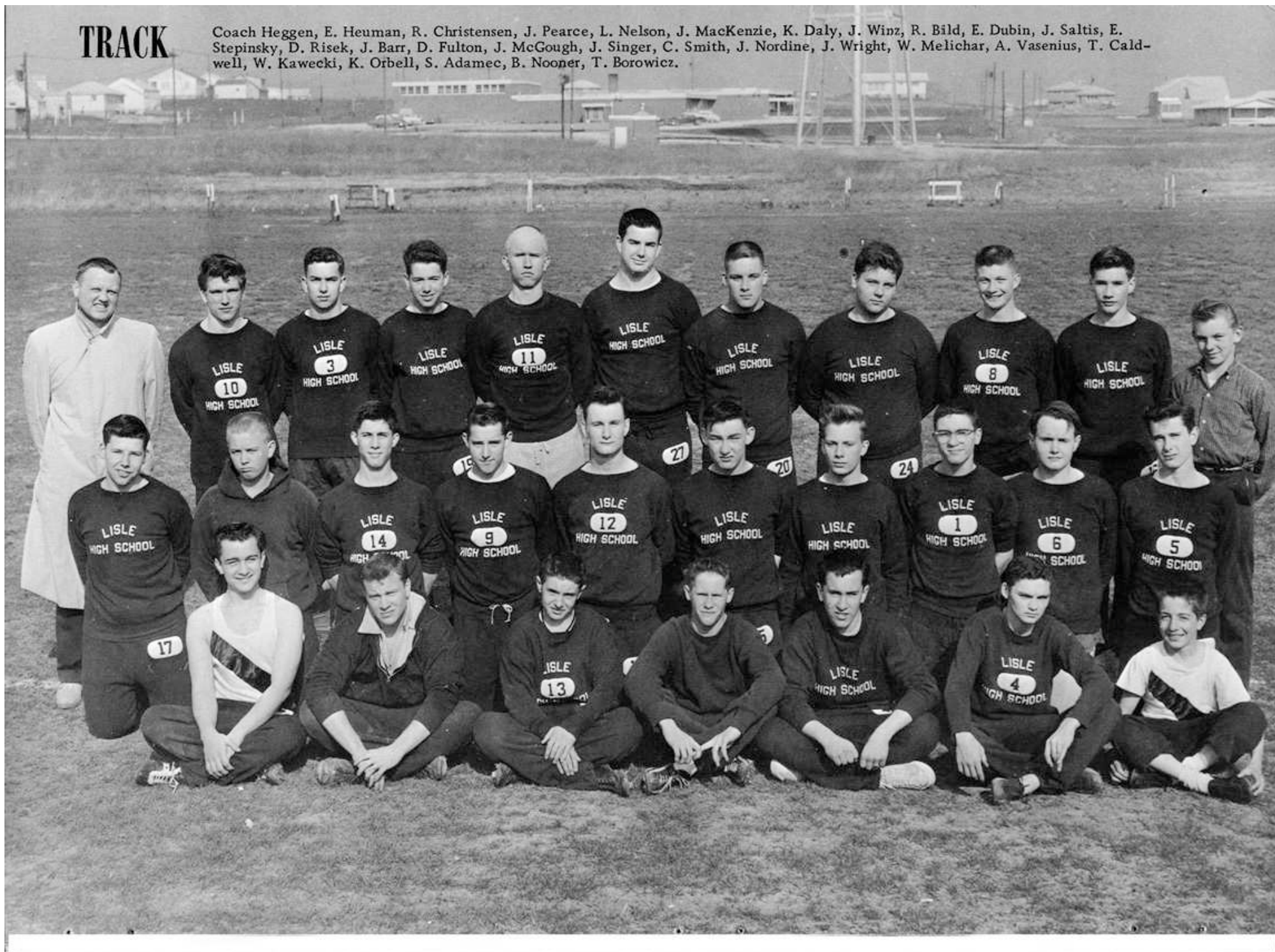
K. Mason, L. Stanek, T. Colbert, K. Daly, J. McGough, Coach
Cusic, W. Kaweck, G. Pratl, L. Pavlicek, J. Para, T. Caldwell.



NCE CO-CHAMPS

TRACK

Coach Heggen, E. Heuman, R. Christensen, J. Pearce, L. Nelson, J. MacKenzie, K. Daly, J. Winz, R. Bild, E. Dubin, J. Saltis, E. Stepinsky, D. Risek, J. Barr, D. Fulton, J. McGough, J. Singer, C. Smith, J. Nordine, J. Wright, W. Melichar, A. Vasenius, T. Caldwell, W. Kawecki, K. Orbell, S. Adamec, B. Nooner, T. Borowicz.



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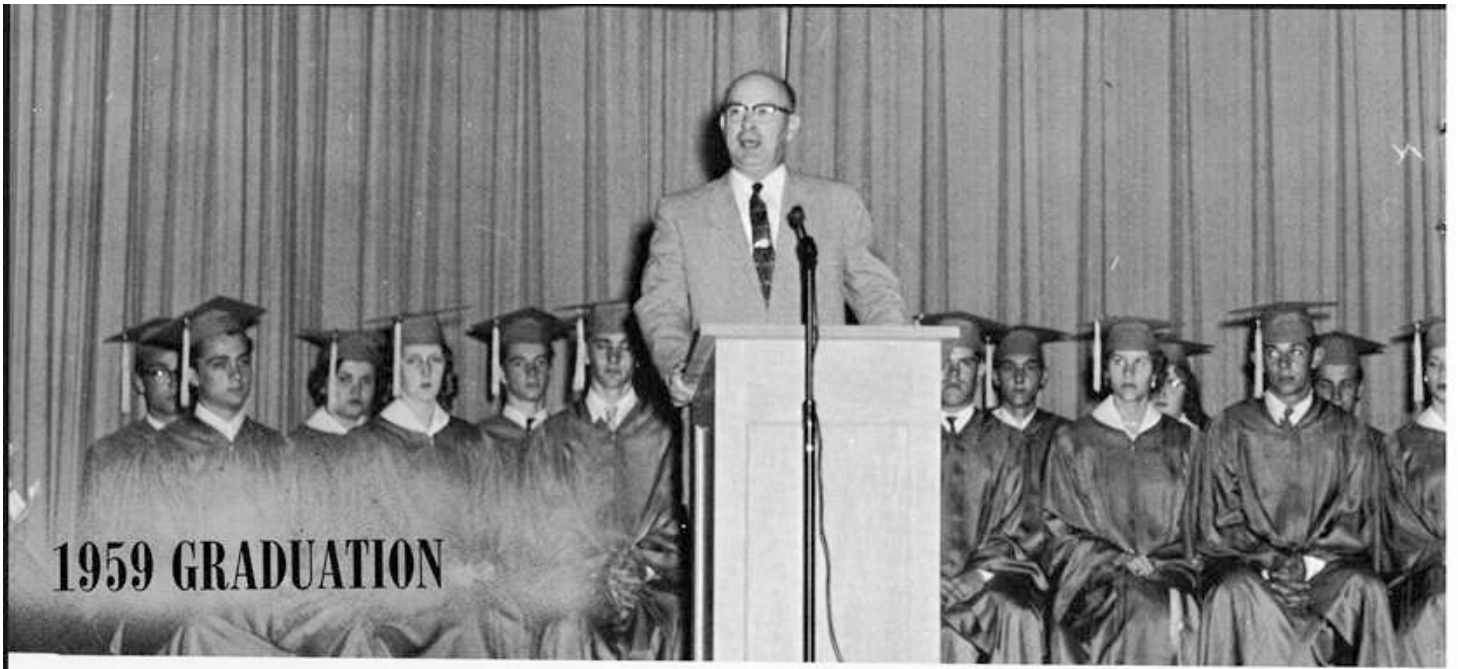
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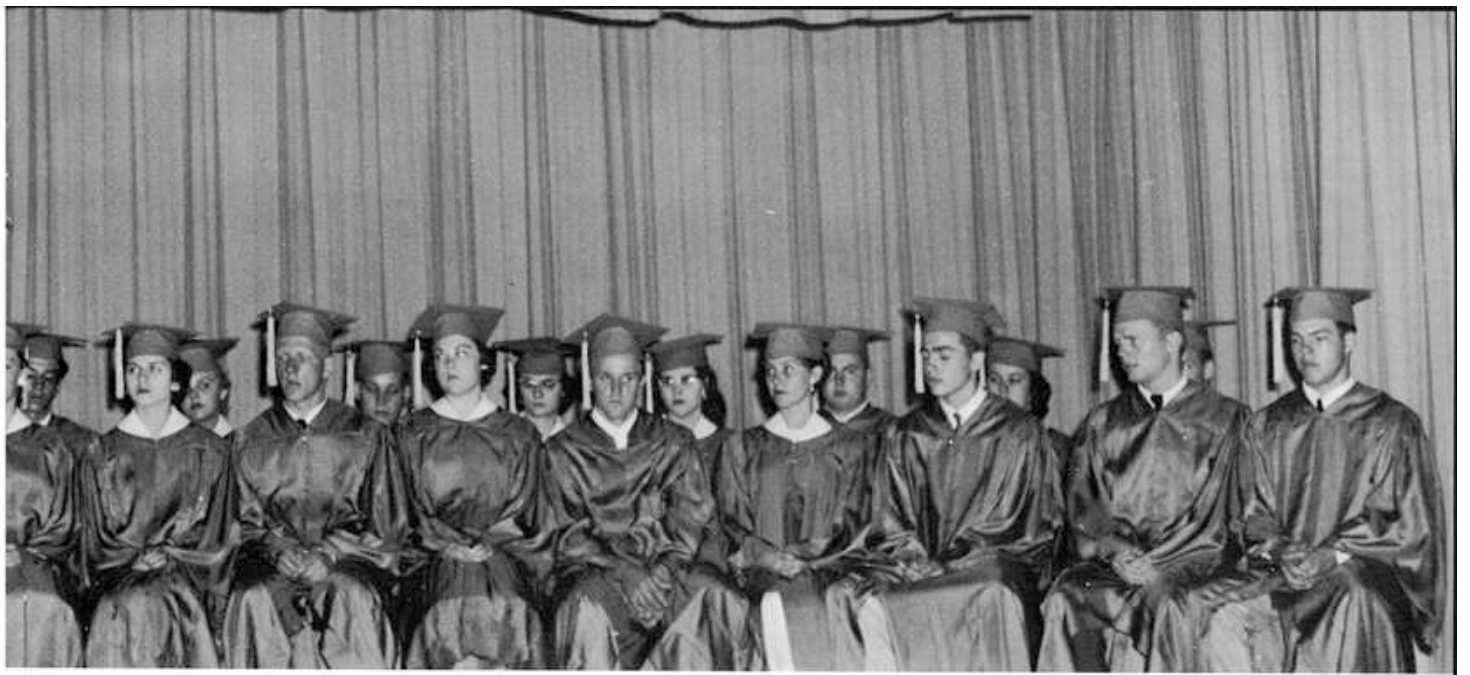
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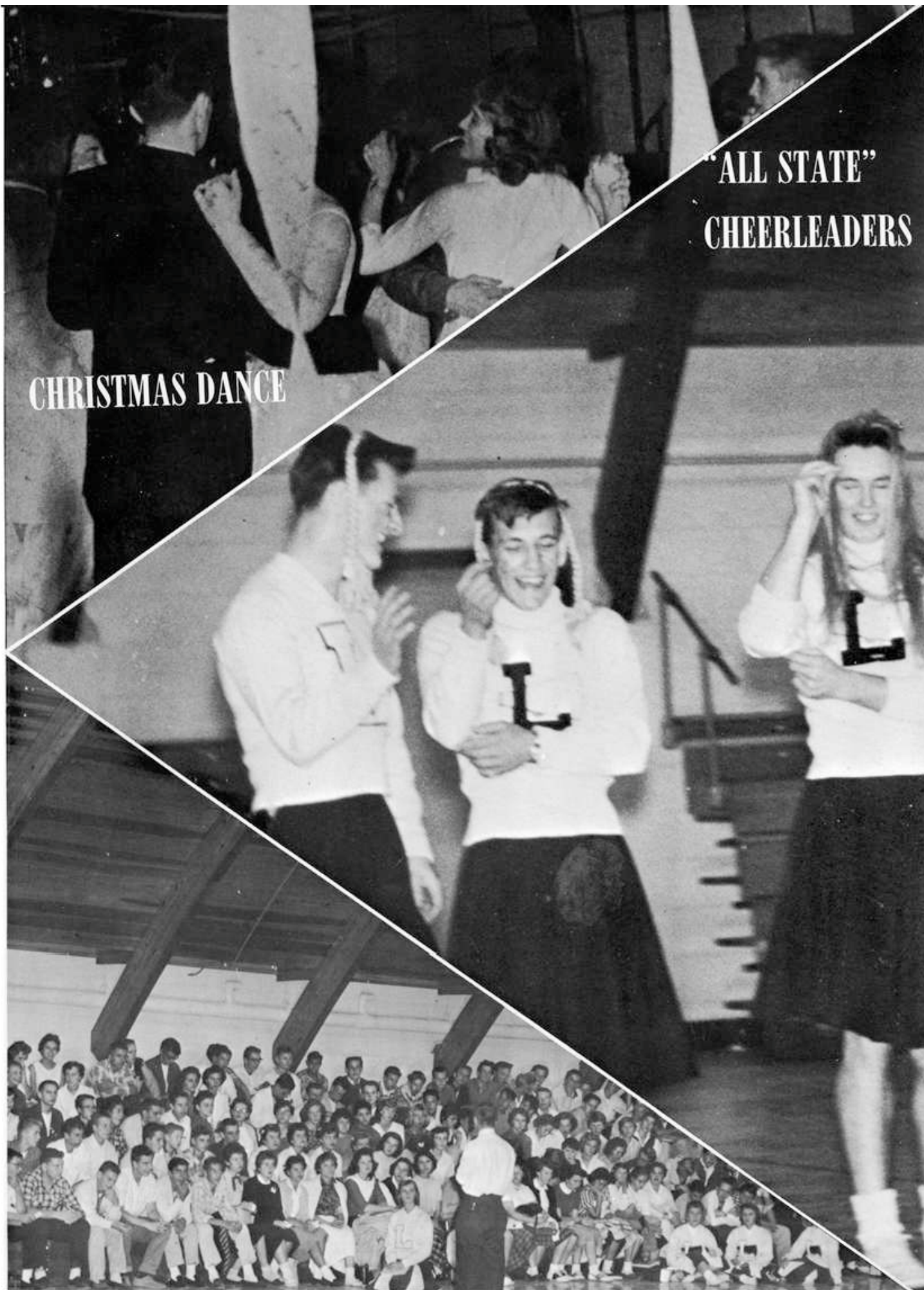


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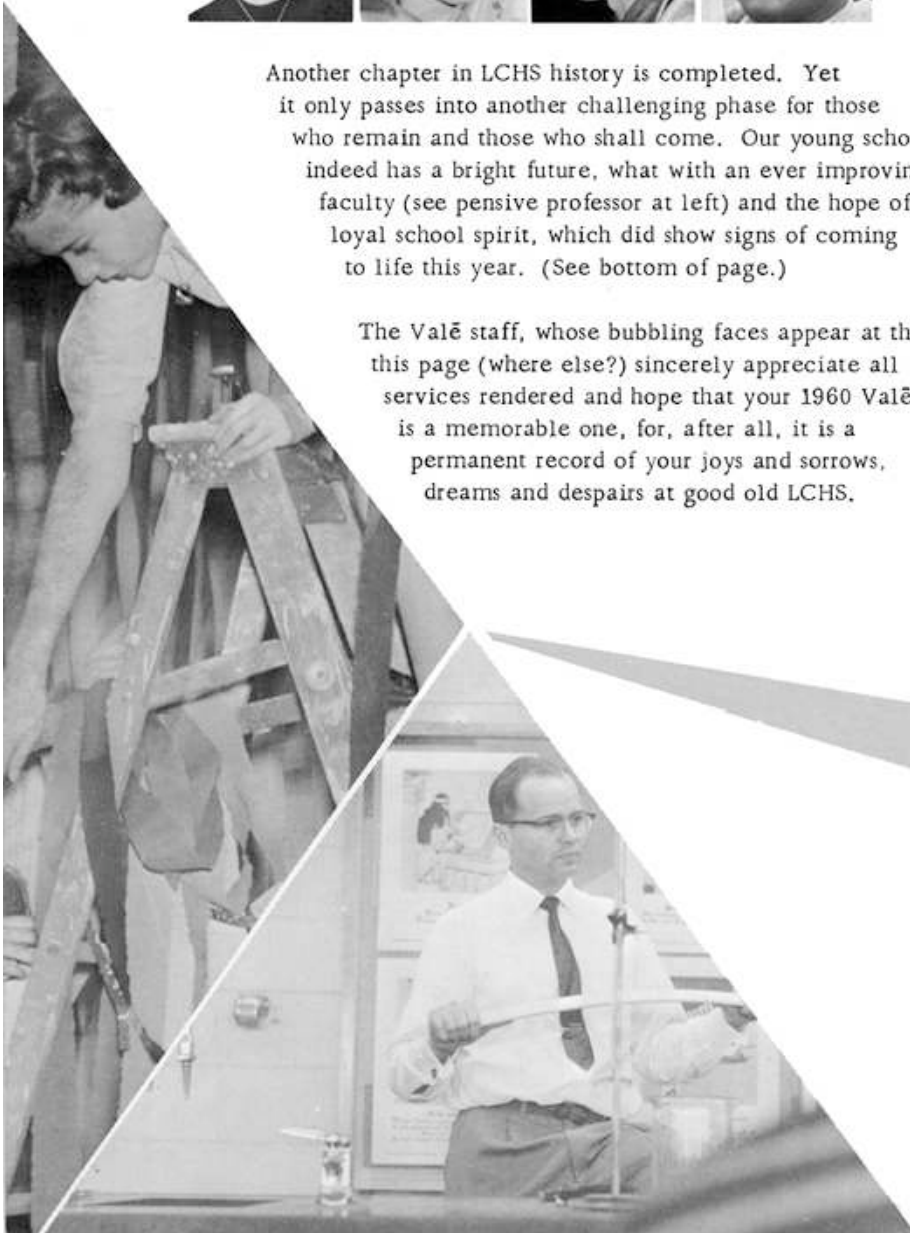


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Another chapter in LCHS history is completed. Yet it only passes into another challenging phase for those who remain and those who shall come. Our young school indeed has a bright future, what with an ever improving faculty (see pensive professor at left) and the hope of loyal school spirit, which did show signs of coming to life this year. (See bottom of page.)

The Valē staff, whose bubbling faces appear at the top of this page (where else?) sincerely appreciate all services rendered and hope that your 1960 Valē is a memorable one, for, after all, it is a permanent record of your joys and sorrows, dreams and despairs at good old LCHS.



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