

SAGA



'56

RED AND WHITE

Lyric by
Alyce Wiersema

Music by
James Qualkinbush

We're proud of the red and white, the

This musical staff is the first line of the song. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a time signature of 6/8. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are written below the staff.

colors of Tim - o - thy; for Tim - o - thy High we'll

This musical staff is the second line of the song. It continues the melody and bass line from the first line. The lyrics are written below the staff.

fight, fight on to vic - to - ry.

This musical staff is the third line of the song. It continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the staff.

We'll cher-ish our Christian school, and loyal we'll

This musical staff is the fourth line of the song. It continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the staff.

ev - er be; Up - hold - ing with hon - or the

This musical staff is the fifth line of the song. It continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the staff.

name, sing for Tim - o - thy!

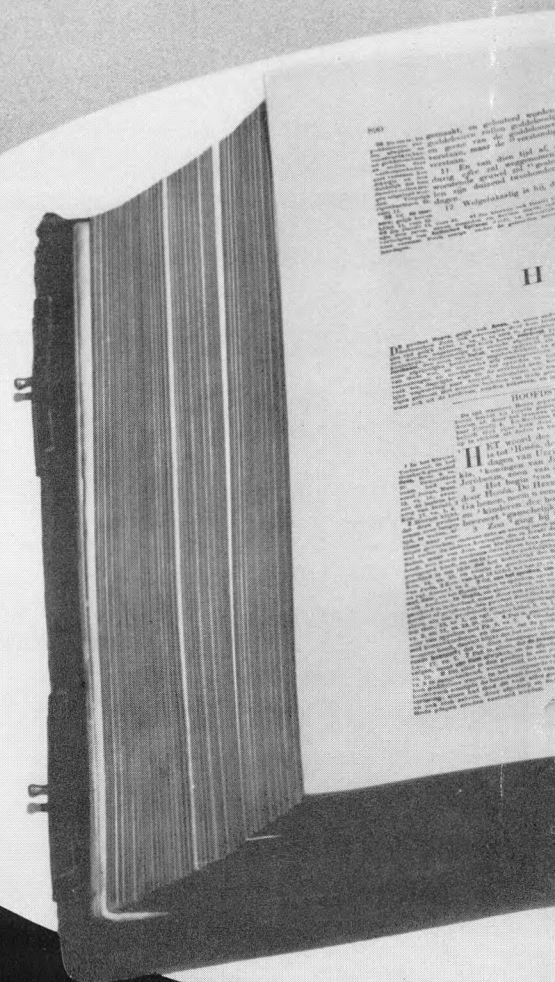
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1956 Saga

TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN
HIGH SCHOOL

Cicero, Illinois

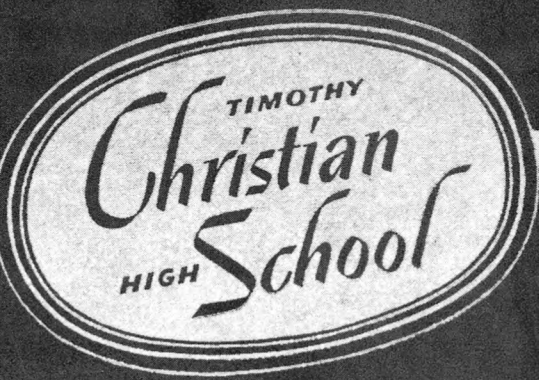
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GOD'S



"And these words which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart; and thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down and when thou risest up. And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thine hands, and they shall be as frontlets between thine eyes. And thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates."

Deuteronomy 6:6-9

WE MEET IT, OR...

**TIMOTHY
EXPANSION**

DEDICATION BOOKLET

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to Our Com

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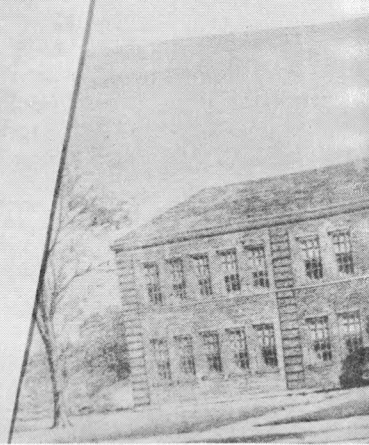
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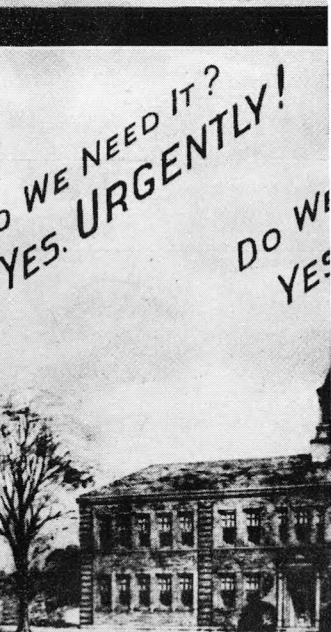
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A DIVINELY Imposed Duty

Dedication



DO WE NEED IT?
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DO WE
YES



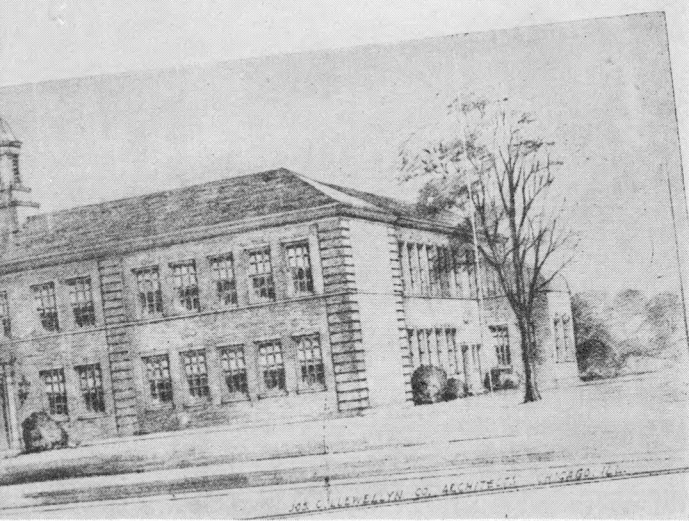
PROPOSED NEW TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL BUILDING

LET THIS BUILDING BE A COMMUNITY ANSWER

Community Felt And Met The Challenge

Christian High School

INE CEREMONIES



Our fathers dreamed a dream and took courage. In faith they crossed the wide seas to a strange land. They were upheld by the Word of the Lord: "I will be a God unto thee and to thy seed after thee." Of like faith were those men who founded our Christian schools, who gave of time and skill and material possessions freely. It would be impossible to remember them all, but men of God they were, each one.

We, their children, the Class of 1956, would pay our tribute to the faithful men of the Timothy Board, here represented by the living Presidents. We can only extend our inadequate thanks to God for such men. We are grateful for your labors that made our Christian education possible. We can only pray that we may be worthy inheritors of the faith of our fathers.

To you, Board members past and present, we dedicate the Saga of 1956 with the prayer that the Lord may bless your efforts so that tomorrow may be greater than today.





Principal's

Message

In the ages before there were books in the world of the West, the deeds of men were recorded in legend and in song. These were handed down from one age to another around the campfire, or in the long winter evenings when the Snow-king kept men from work. So the saga, the song of heroes, became the education of the youth. The venturesome wings of the young were pointed to become like the brave men and women of old. Just so, in the days before Moses, the great stories of the love of God were handed down from father to son. The nomadic Hebrew boy heard the stories of Abraham and Jacob. He knew of the promises of God that some day Israel should be a great nation, and longed that he might be the hero who should bring it to pass.

You who graduate from Timothy in 1956, have also a saga, a song of heroes, whose faith you should follow. Grandparents and parents whose trust in God led to a strange country where they might worship Him freely; men and women who gave of self and goods that their children might be educated in the fear and knowledge of the Lord—these are the record for you to follow, graduates of 1956.

Timothy has given you a good education. But even more it has given you a Christian education in the full sense of the word. But from there the song, the record, the achievement must be yours. Our prayers and our good wishes go with you as you go. May you be true to the heritage given you by your forefathers. May you be heroic in the service of the Lord as they were, and may you add to the record of faith. The Lord be with you, Class of 1956!

Left to right: S. Vander Woude, Student Council Advisor; H. Kingma, Dean of Girls; R. Vogel, Dean of Boys; Rev. G. R. Youngs, Principal.



BERYL BEAN
 "Now in Chaucer's day . . ."
 English

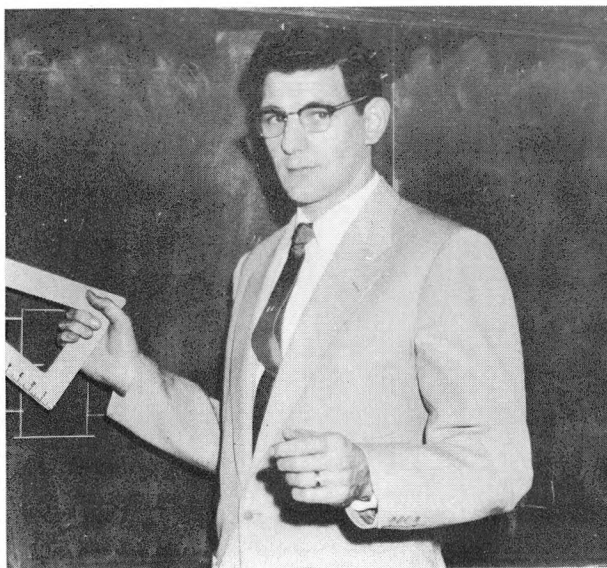


LORRAINE BOSSENGA
 "May I urge upon each and everyone of
 you . . ."
 Librarian, Science



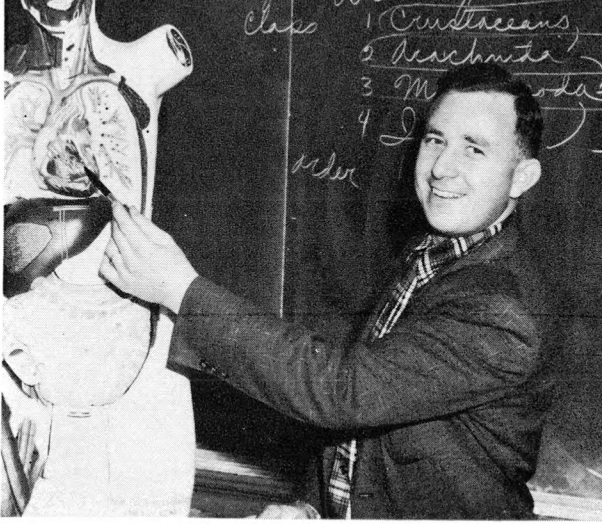
Our Faculty

THEODORE DE JONG
 "No more sloppy arrowheads!"
 Mechanical Drawing



JOYCE FLIKKEMA
 "That will be one candy bar from you."
 Home Economics





CHARLES HAACK
"And here, just below the heart . . ."
 Science



HENRIETTA KINGMA
"Therefore the sine of this angle is . . ."
 Mathematics, Physical Education

"And thou shalt teach them ordinances and laws . . ."

MARILLA MOSIER
"You will have fifty-five seconds for this test."
 Commercial

WILLIAM NAWYN
"Now according to the World Almanac . . ."
 Social Science, History





LEROY PRINS
 "Learn this declension and the vocabulary."
 Latin, Social Science

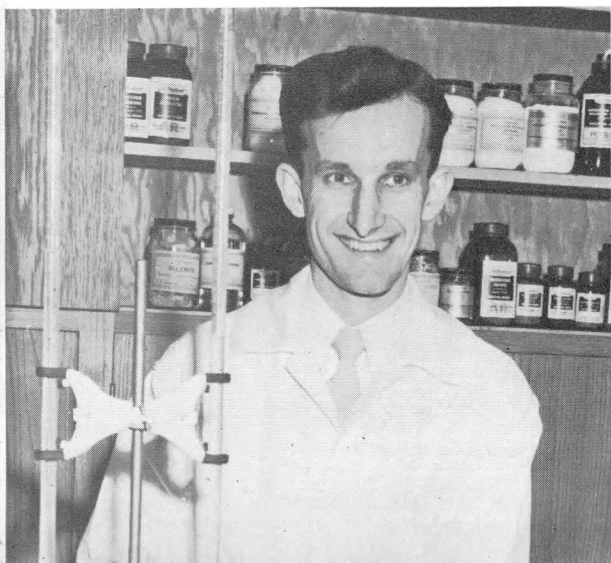


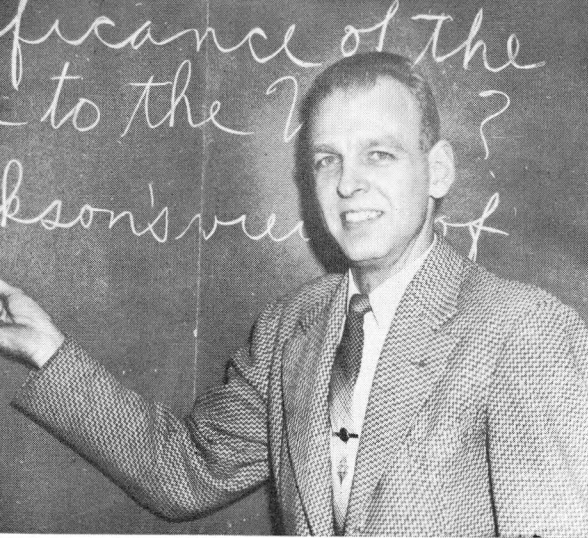
JAMES QUALKENBUSH
 "Okay, 'pickups' to circle 'C'."
 Band

and shalt show them the way wherein they must walk

HENRY TRIEZENBERG
 "For all practical intents and purposes, this
 method . . ."
 Chemistry

KATE VANDERBERG
 "I hear an undertone in here."
 Bible





STEWART VANDER WOUDE
 "The United States, so to speak, . . ."
 Physical Education, History



ROBERT VOGEL
 "Take for example, now . . ."
 Science, Mathematics, Bookkeeping



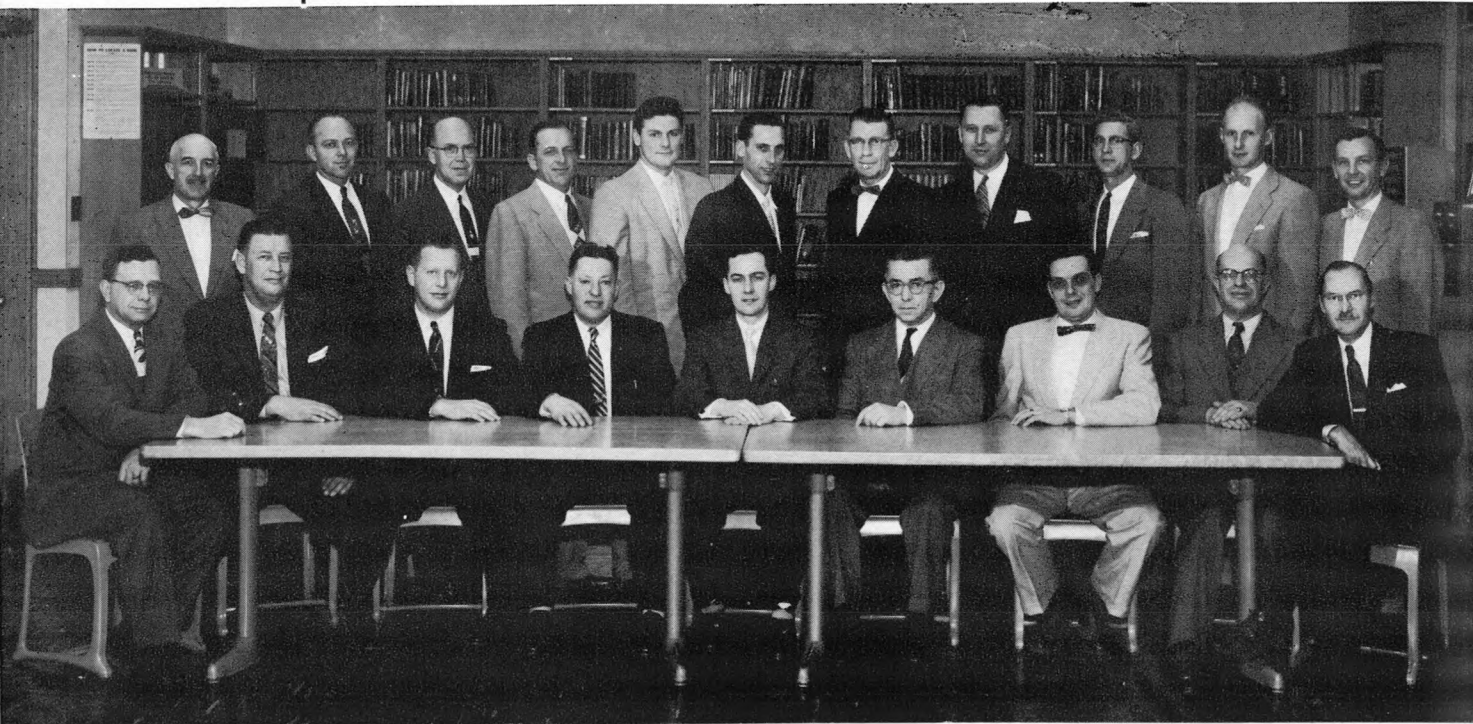
HELEN WESTRA
 "Come on kids, let's go . . ."
 Music

and the work they must do."

REV. G. R. YOUNGS
 "Your term papers will be due . . ."
 Latin II, Church History



Board of Education



Standing, left to right: W. Van Slooten, A. Meyer, R. Rozema, B. Taming, J. De Boer, P. Wieringa, B. Hoeks, P. Gelderloos, H. Decker, G. Teune, R. Hoving.

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Officers

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 Secretary.....ABEL VAN KAMPEN
 TreasurerROBERT HARTGERINK

A word of special commendation is due to the members of our school board. During the past year they have once again worked together with enthusiasm and devotion in the maintenance of an educational institution where the fear of the Lord is considered to be the beginning of all wisdom.

Words cannot adequately express our appreciation for the work they have done.

Mindful of the Lord's blessings, past and present, may they with faith go on into the future.

Mrs. W. Bossenga

Our able secretary who devotes many hours toward the efficient management of our office.

*Our
Appreciation
to*

Miss S. Doll

Our office assistant whose enthusiasm and friendliness has been proved in the short time she has been here.

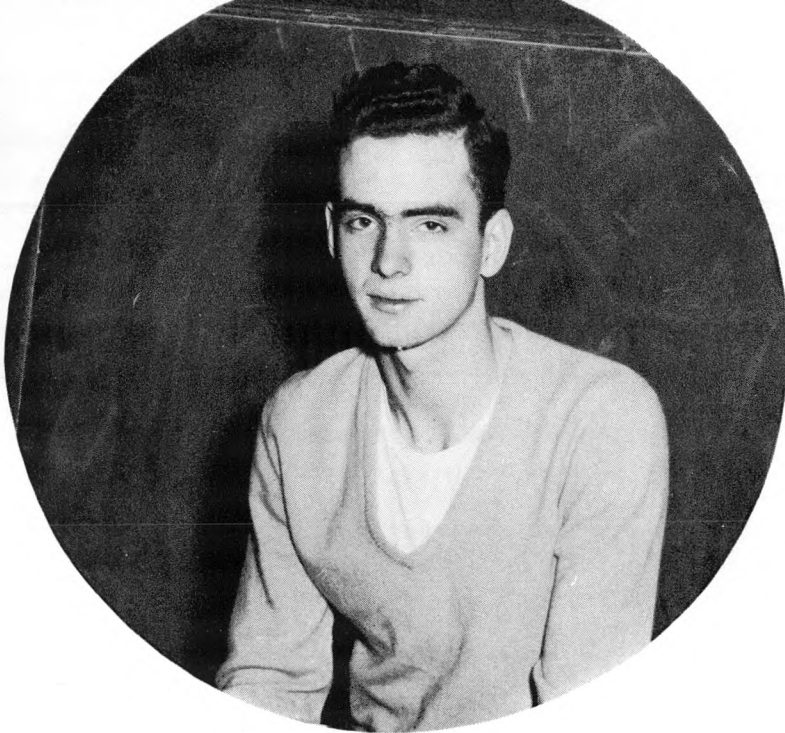
Mr. Drenth

Our custodian who works hard to keep our school clean, and adds fun to our everyday routine.









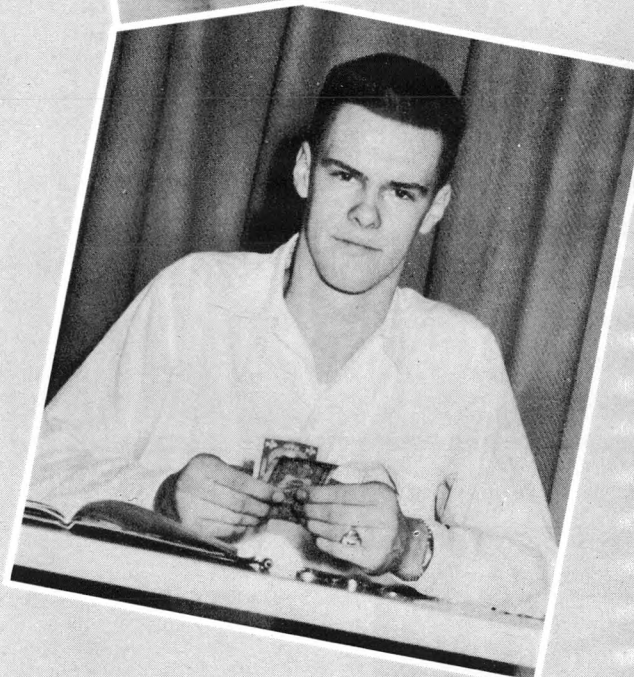
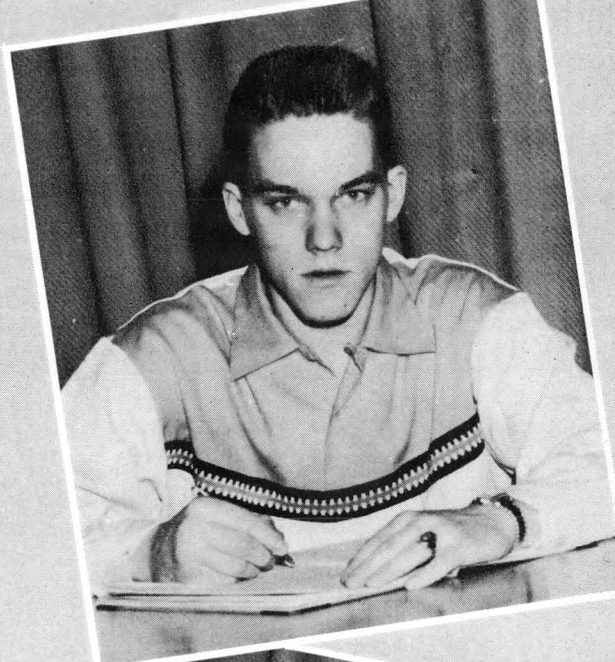
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Secretary
Kenneth Blauw

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Ronald Schaaf

Vicar
Charlotte Veenstra



"Study to show thyself approved unto God..."

Kenneth Blauw

Commercial

Choir 1, 4; Oratory 2, 3, 4; "Connecticut Yankee" cast 3; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Class Pres. 3; Class Sec. 4; Intramural Sports 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Student Council Pres. 2; Photo. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Saga Staff Bus. Co-Mgr. 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.

Matthew Boss

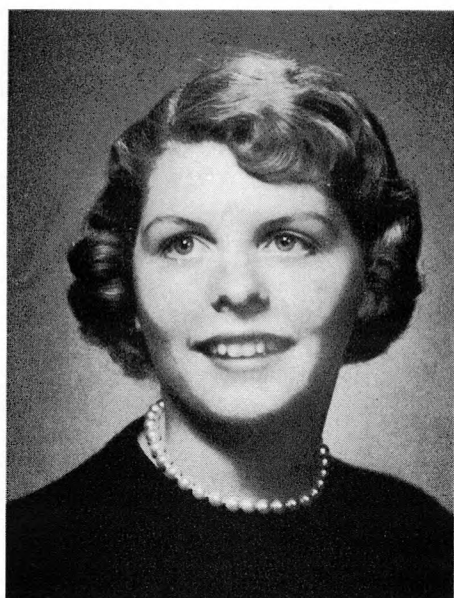
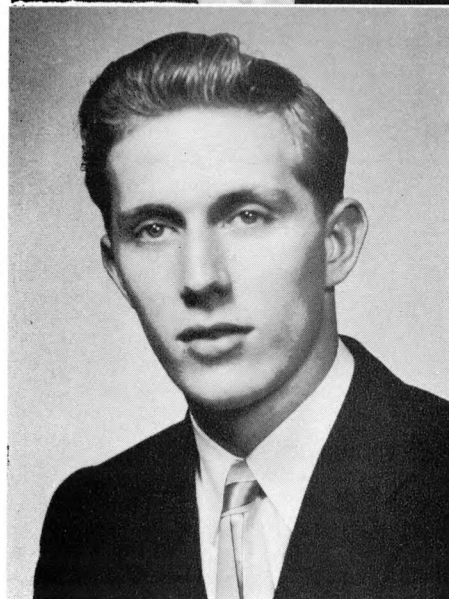
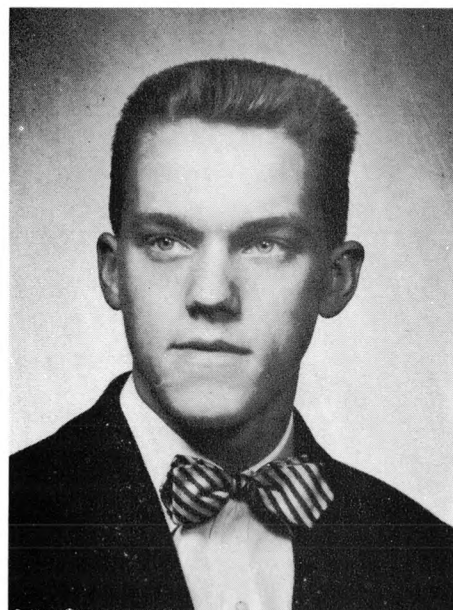
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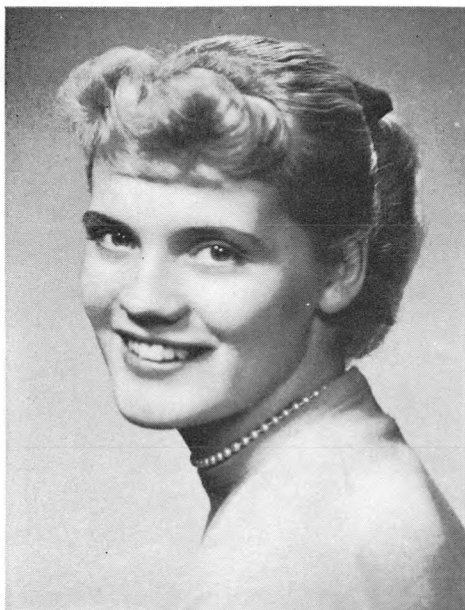
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Joanne Davids

Commercial

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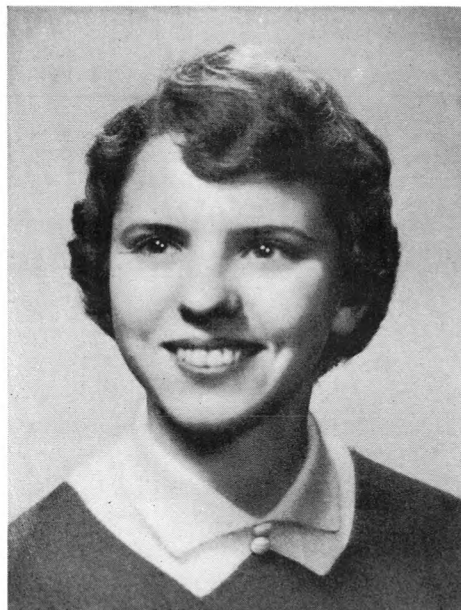




Marcia Hoving

College Prep.

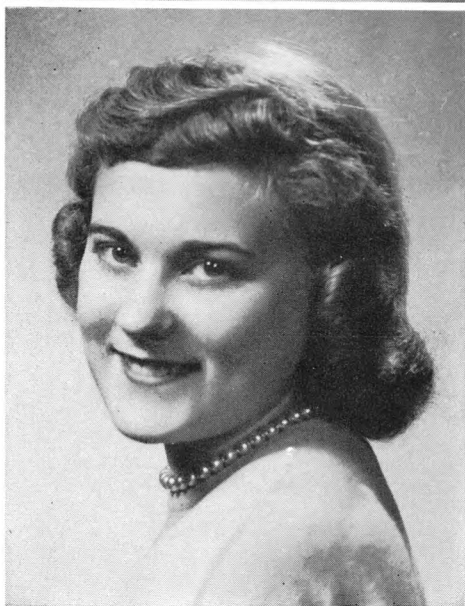
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Phyllis Hoekstra

College Prep.

Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, Pres. 3, 4; Press Club 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; "Connecticut Yankee" cast 3; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Oratory 2, 3; Photo. Club 1; Honor Society; Saga Staff 3, 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.

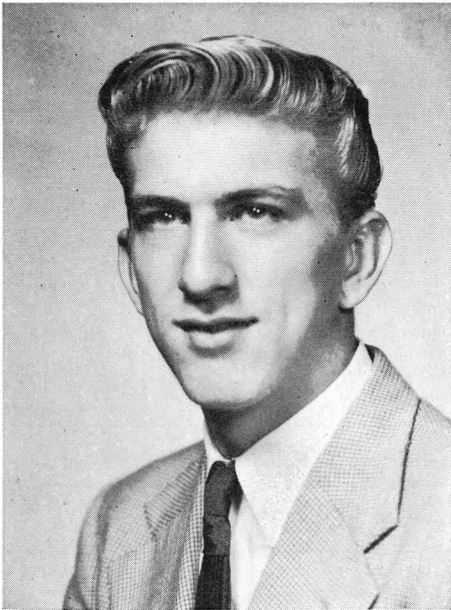


Gloria Dykstra

Commercial

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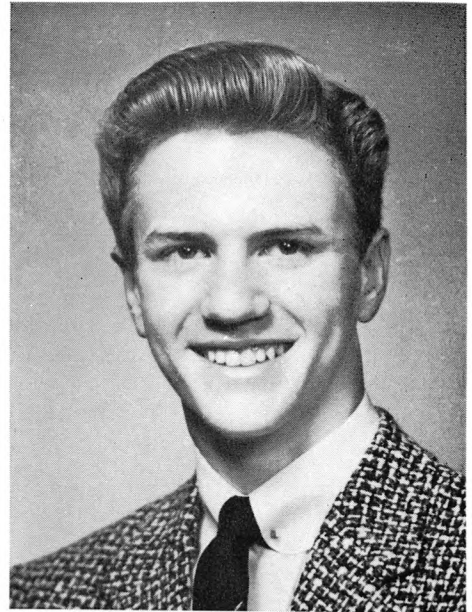
a workman that needeth not to be ashamed



Bernard Huiner

General

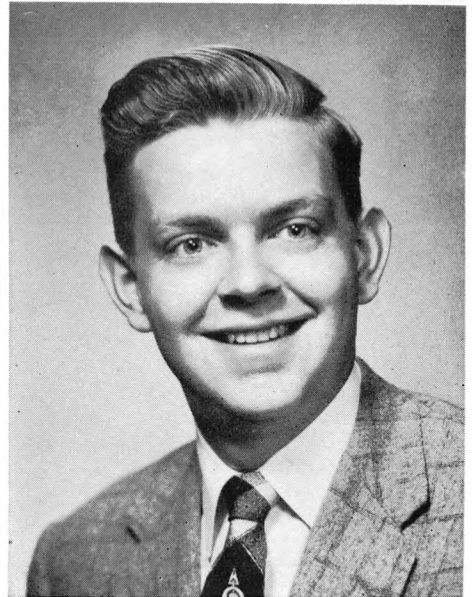
Baseball 1, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4;
Track 1; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Saga
Staff 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.



Ray Jongsma

General

Choir 1, 2, 4; Varsity Basketball 4; Basketball
Mgr. 3; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Baseball
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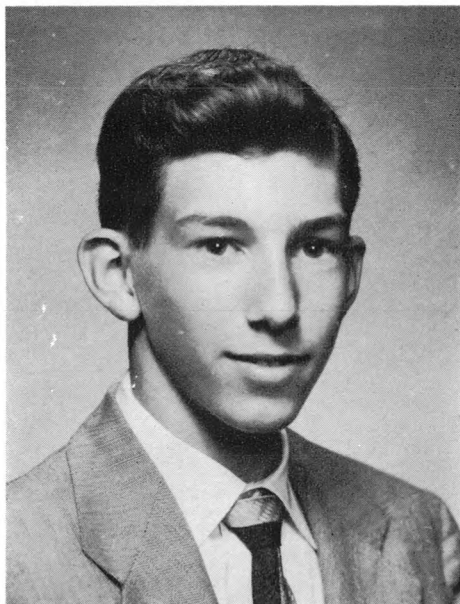
Roger Knapp

College Prep.

Choir 2, 3, 4; Photo. Club 2, 3, 4; Saga Staff 4.
II Tim. 2:15

rightly dividing the word of God."

"Apply thine heart unto instruction



James Rozendal

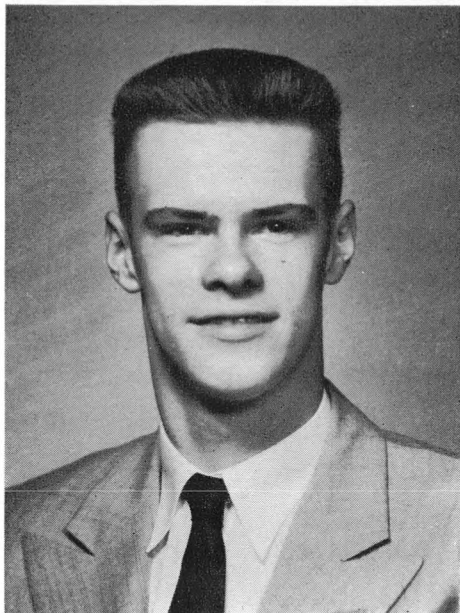
General

Choir 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Photo. Club 1, 2, 4; Saga Staff 4.

Ronald Schaaf

General

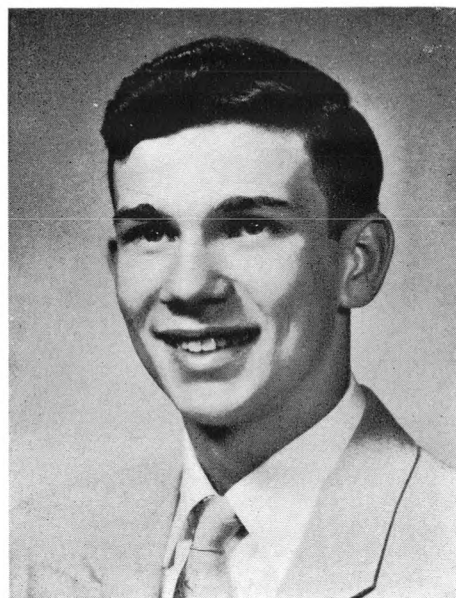
Class Vice-Pres. 3; Class Treas. 4; Varsity Basketball 2, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Intramural Sports 2, 3; Photo. Club 4; Saga Staff 4.



William Schaafsma

Commercial

Student Council 2, 4; Band 1; Photo. Club 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 4; Intramural Sports 3, 4; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Saga Staff 3, 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.



And thine ears to the words of knowledge."

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Alyce Swierenga College Prep.

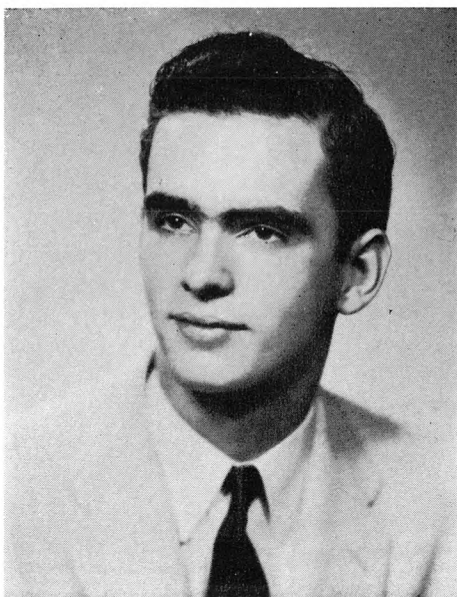
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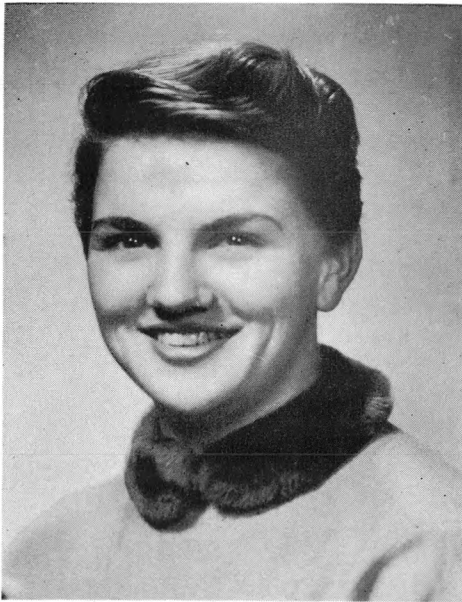
Mary Stob Commercial

Band 1, 2; Choir 2; Pep Club 3; Glee Club 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 3, 4; Saga Staff 4.

Roger Steenland College Prep

Saga Staff 3, 4; Photo. Club 3, 4; "Connecticut Yankee" cast 3; Intramural Sports 3; Senior Class Pres. 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.





Joanne Van Byssum Commercial

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Press Club 2, 3, 4; Saga Staff 4.

Prov. 10:14



Alice Toebes Commercial

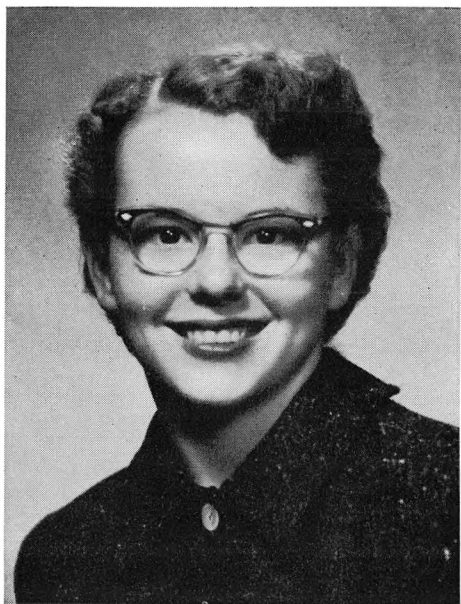
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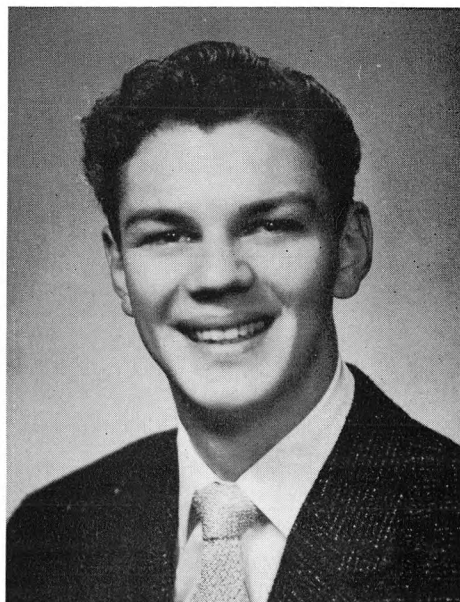
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"Wise men lay up knowledge."



Joyce Van Byssum Commercial

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; Student Council Treas. 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3; Press Club 2, 3, 4; Saga Staff 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.

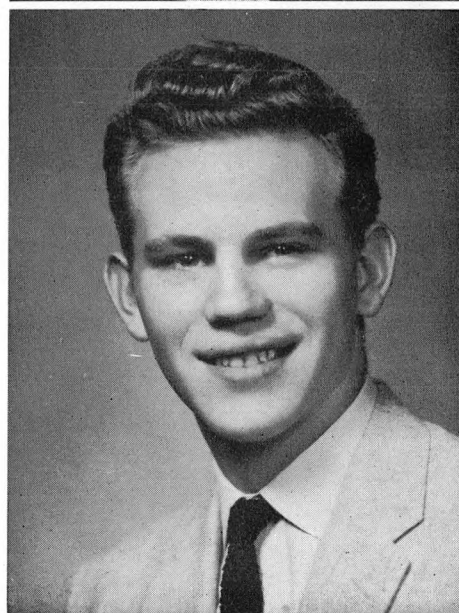


Kenneth Van Byssum General

Choir 1, 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 1; Baseball 3; Saga Staff 4.

James Vander Velde College Prep.

Photo. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3; Band 2; Saga Staff 3, 4; Class Treas. 3.



"Continue thou in the things thou hast learned..."

and hast been assured of

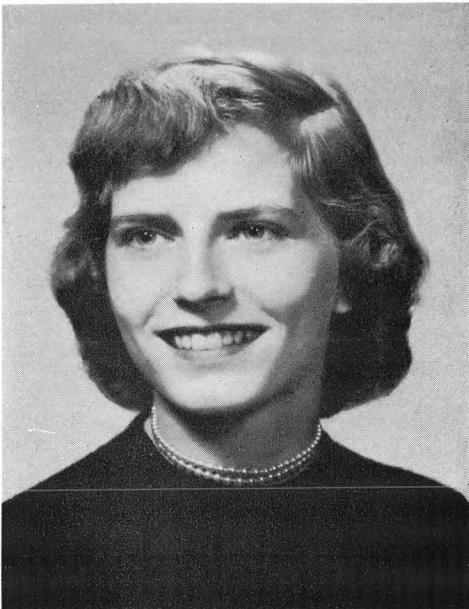


Kathryn Vander Velde Commercial

Choir 1, 2, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1; Photo. Club 4; G.A.A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Saga Staff 3, 4.

Theresa Vandervelde Commercial

Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Choir 1, 2; Saga Staff 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.



Charlotte Veenstra College Prep

G.A.A. Pres. 1, Sec. 2, Treas. 4; Press Club 1, 2, 3, Editor 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Intramural Sports 1, 2; Saga Staff 4; Basketball Mgr. 4; Senior Class Vicar 4; "Huckleberry Finn" cast 3; Honor Society.



knowing of whom thou hast learned them."

II Tim. 3:14

Alyce Wiersema

Commercial

Choir 1, 2; Saga Staff 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 2, 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3; Honor Society.

Sue Wieringa

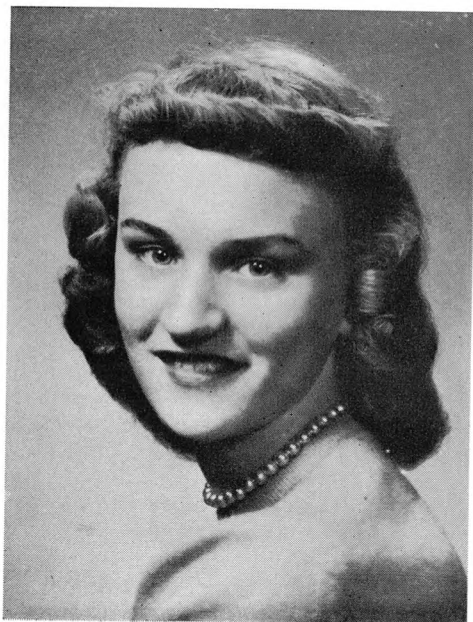
College Prep

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Helen Weidenaar

Commercial

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Pep Club 4; Saga Staff 4; "Apple Blossom Time" cast 4.





Class History

By Sue Wieringa

As green freshmen and wiser sophomores at Timothy, our class was divided into two separate homerooms. As a result, not many activities could be planned or carried out.

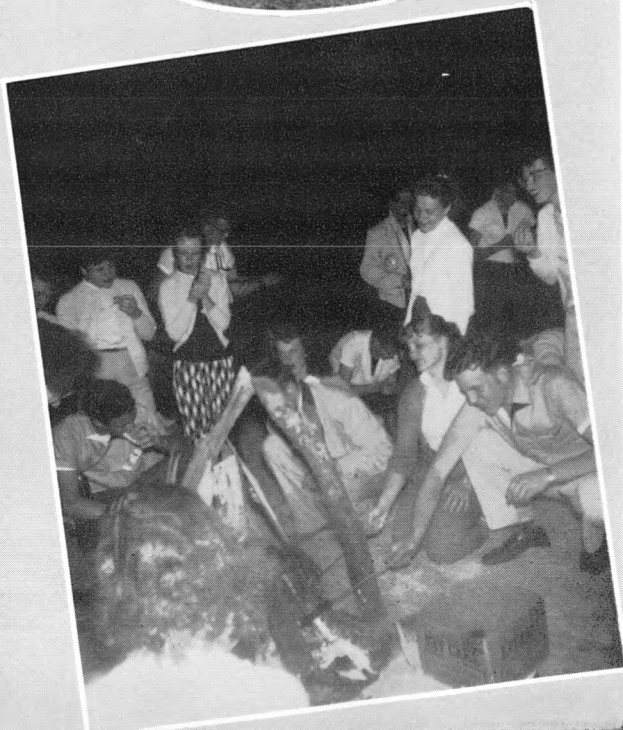
A united class in our junior year, the first thing accomplished was the election of class officers. Ken Blauw was chosen President; Ron Schaaf, Vice-President; Marcia Hoving, Secretary; and Jim Vander Velde, Treasurer. So that we might leave a gift to our school and also take a class trip, some projects were begun.

In the fall of our third year we had the first all-school party. The faculty and student body were invited in order to become better acquainted with one another. In March our class sponsored a skating party. We were continually busy, as soon after this rehearsals for our junior class play began. Our class gift, new choir robes, was brought in part by the profits of this play.

We chose New Orleans and a tour of the Gulf of Mexico as the area of our class trip. So that this dream might become a reality, our class rolled paper, sold candy bars, sold "cokes" during lunch hour, gave monthly luncheons, showed movies, and sponsored a pancake breakfast.

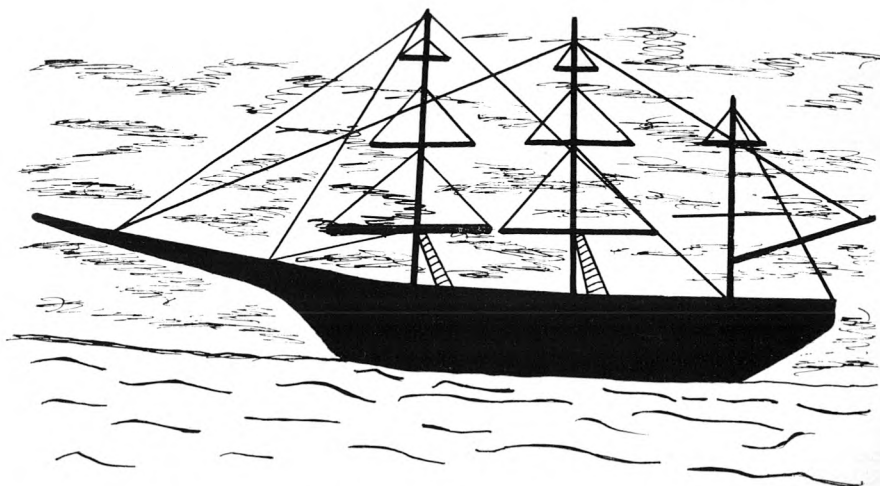
The proceeds from the presentation of our senior class play, *APPLE BLOSSOM TIME*, brought us one step closer to our dream, a trip to New Orleans.

On June 15, 1956, twenty-seven seniors were graduated from Timothy Christian High School. Almost all of us were graduates of Timothy Grade School. We have gone through twelve years of school together and now in June we shall each go our separate ways, some to college, and others into the business world. Whatever our future, however far we scatter, we shall never forget our years at Timothy.



Class Prophecy

By Phillis Hoekstra



I am finally going to see the world. I was just promoted from my position as reporter to foreign correspondent for the Grand Rapids Press. I work there with Alyce Wiersema who is presently keeping busy as Editor of the Women's Page.

I stopped home in Chicago for a visit with my family before I left and went to visit the former Gloria Dykstra who just moved into her new home out in Bellwood with her three children.

When I went to apply for a passport, I ran into Ron Schaaf, employed as an archaeologist, who spent a great deal of time looking up my ancestors to prove my citizenship (we couldn't find my birth certificate). He is now married to Joanne Van Byssum and they have a nice home in Cicero.

I spent one evening in the hospital maternity ward visiting the former Sue Wieringa who had just had her first girl. Sue had given up her position as instructor at the West Suburban School of Nursing at the time of her marriage a few years before. As I emerged from the hospital I bought an ice cream bar from an ice cream boy who turned out to be Roger Knapp's boy. He seems to be helping out his father as Rog is now the owner of a large chain of companies sending out ice cream boys. He is married to Joanne Davids who decided to give up her high position as private secretary to the Mayor of Chicago, and settle down.

I spent one evening quietly at home watching television. My nephew insisted that we watch Kukla, Fran, and Ollie, and when I heard that voice impersonating the puppets, it reminded me of my high school days. For our Ken Blauw was an apprentice under Burr Tilstrom, creator of the program, and now has taken over his job completely.

I called Alyce Swierenga, but to my dismay she had just left on a concert tour of the United States. She recently received the title of the Nation's Number One Concert Pianist.

I was invited out to dinner one night and went to the Boulevard Room of the Conrad Hilton Hotel, and there I learned that Bill Schaafsma had become the chief chef and I will bear witness that his cooking is wonderful.

My mother sent me to the bakery one day for a loaf of bread and I almost bought out the whole store when I saw that it was owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rozendal. We all know Mrs. Rozendal as the former Mary Stob.

I was not able to get in touch with him, but I learned from other sources that Bernard Huiner is living in the forests of Washington. He took up forestry in college and is now busy cutting down trees and growing a beard.

When I arrived in New York, I looked up Char Veenstra who has found her pot of gold as T.V. slogan writer for the Pepto-Bismo Company.

Jim Vander Velde joined the Navy after graduation from Timothy and decided to go into ocean liner work. He was captain of my ship and we had a lot of old times to talk about on board. His wife, the former Marcia Hoving was making the trip with him, along with their three children. Marcia was accustomed to ocean travel and she spent most of her time nursing me back to health.

We landed in Bremerhaven, Germany, and there I met Kathryn Vander Velde at an official banquet which I had to cover. She was employed by the German government as an interpreter. Kathryn told me that she had heard that Roger Steenland had joined the French Foreign Legion. One of the waiters at the banquet was Ray Jongsma. He and his wife, the former Joyce Van Byssum had taken a trip to Germany and had run out of money. He at present was trying to earn enough money to carry him, Joyce, and Ray Jr. back to the States.

From there I flew to Venice, Italy, to cover several important happenings, and there I met Helen Weidenaar who had developed a new taste thrill for Pizza and was making millions. All over Italy were posters and signs announcing the arrival of Kenneth Van Byssum, world renowned psychiatrist, who was going to speak on "How To Control The Gears Of Your Mind."

Then I hopped a plane and flew to the Belgian Congo, Africa, to cover the famous hunter and explorer, Matt Boss, who was making great progress in understanding the Mau Mau tribe. In his expedition party was Alice Toebes who was acting as photographer.

From the Belgian Congo, I took a train to Nigeria to visit Theresa Vander Velde who is there as a medical missionary. She is enjoying her work very much as are all the rest of my former classmates.

This is not the end of my trip but it is the end of my tale, and although we, the graduating class of 1956 are so separated across the miles, we all have one thing in common: We are all alumni, friends, and lovers of TIMOTHY.



Class Will

By Alyce Wiersema
and Theresa Vandervelde

We, the graduating class of 1956, having reached a great milestone in our lives, leave to the administration of Timothy Christian High School our grateful appreciation for the many hours spent on our behalf, and for the Christian guidance which has played so important a part in our education.

We, the seniors, leave to the undergrads our thanks for the support they have given us, and our best wishes for a very successful and pleasant stay at Timothy.

I, Kenneth Blauw, leave my witty remarks to Jim Bulthuis.

I, Matt Boss, leave my willingness to "volunteer" to anyone who enjoys getting out of class.

I, Joanne Davids, leave my ability to play basketball to Ruth Muhlena.

I, Glória Dykstra, leave my giggles to Alyce Bulthuis.

I, Phyllis Hoekstra, leave my love for debate to anyone who will enjoy it as much as I have.

I, Marcia Hoving, leave my chemistry classes to any junior who is willing to take the risk.

I, Bernard Huiner, leave, never to write another term paper.

I, Ray Jongsma, leave my artistic talent to anyone else who is bored in study hall.

I, Roger Knapp, leave my books to the highest bidder.

I, James Rozendal, leave my willingness to cooperate to anyone in need of it.

I, Ronald Schaaf, leave my tall stature to Robert Van Poolen.

I, William Schaafsma, leave my optimistic nature to Trudy Rottshafer.

I, Roger Steenland, leave my ability to get out of class to the next senior class president.

I, Mary Stob, leave my selling ability to Bonnie Lubben.

I, Alyce Swierenga, leave my musical talent to Thomas Kopriva.

I, Sandra Ter Maat, leave my conversational ability to Henry De Boer.

I, Alice Toebes, leave my speed in sewing to anyone who has a good sewing machine.

I, Joanne Van Byssum, leave, taking Joyce with me.

I, Joyce Van Byssum, leave, taking Joanne with me.

I, Kenneth Van Byssum, leave my appreciation of Fords to Mr. Vogel.

I, James Vander Velde, leave my interest in photography to the camera club.

I, Kathryn Vander Velde, leave my carefree ways to Linda Rozema.

I, Theresa Vandervelde, leave my love for skating to Hester Brouwer.

I, Charlotte Veenstra, leave my position on the honor roll to anyone who is willing to work for it.

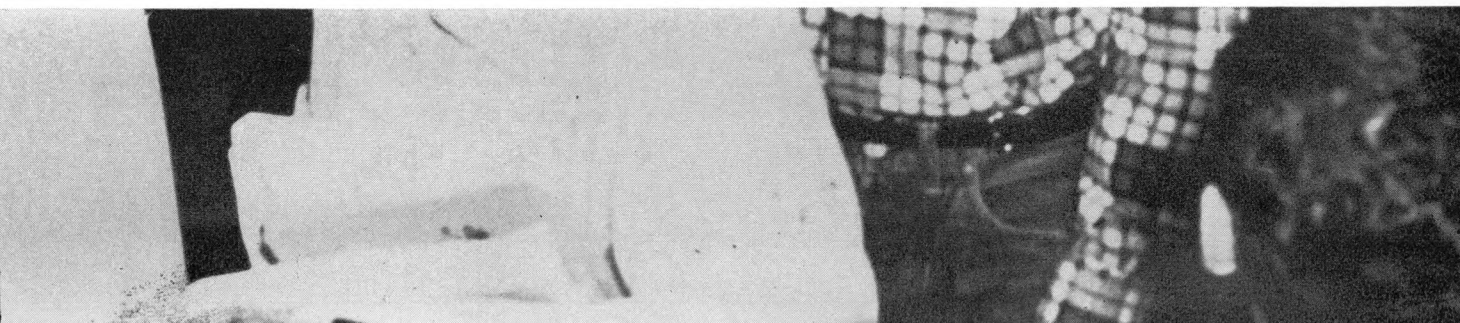
I, Helen Weidenaar, leave my typing speed to anyone who doesn't like to write.

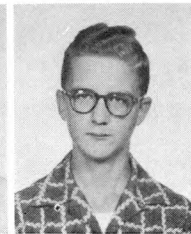
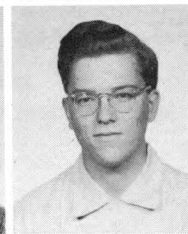
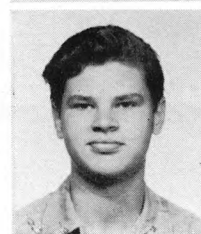
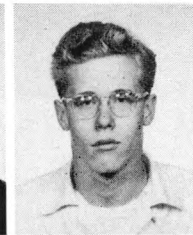
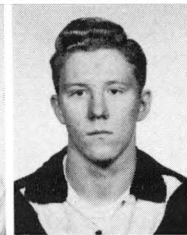
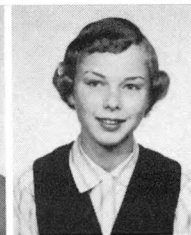
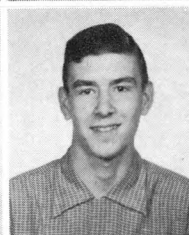
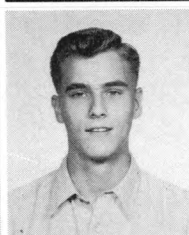
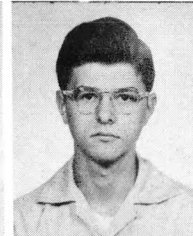
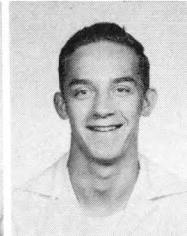
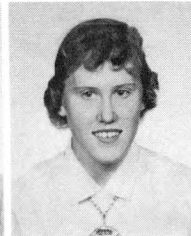
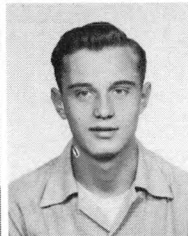
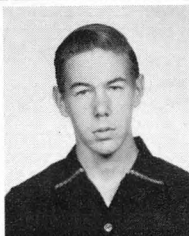
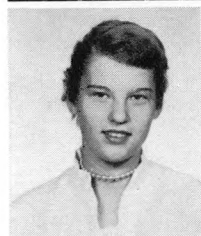
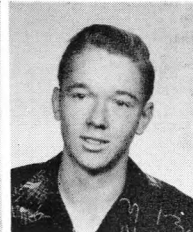
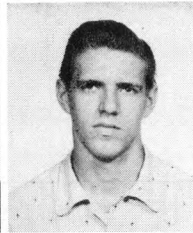
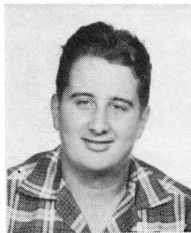
I, Sue Wieringa, leave, taking my "A's" to college with me.

I, Alyce Wiersema, leave my shorthand ability to Laurel Van Kampen.



"Receive my instruction, and not silver; and knowledge rather than choice gold." Prov. 8:10





K. Kieft, President; M. Blauw, Secretary; H. Weidenaar, Vicar; L. Van Poolen, Treasurer.

Juniors

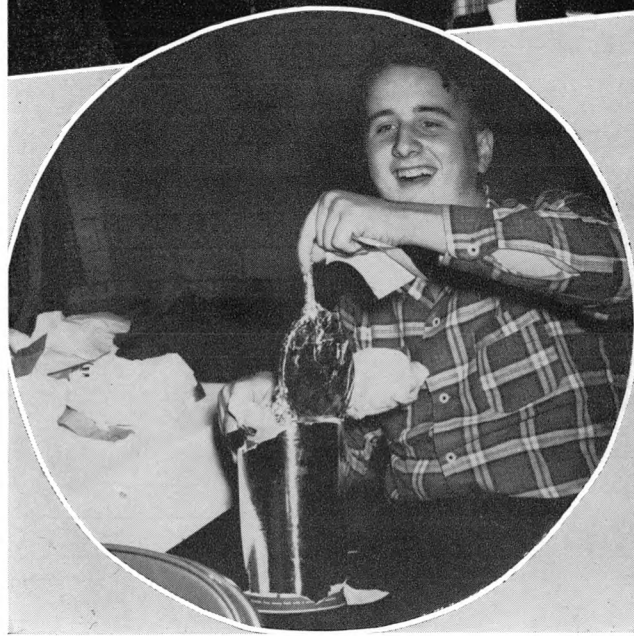
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Row 2: Kathryn Batjes, Marilyn Blauw, Peter Boer.

Row 3: Janice Boerema, James Boeringa, Alyce Bulthuis, James Bulthuis, Thelma Bulthuis, Ray Cook, Ralph Davids.

Row 4: Henry De Boer, John De Vries, Leonard Dwarshuis, Peter Dykhuizen, Ruth Evenhouse, Paul Gelderloos, Roger Groenboom.

Row 5: Roy Hoffman, Muriel Huiner, Ken Kieft, Allen Klokow, Wayne Knapp, Tom Kopriva, Flora Lanenga.



Ah! That mid-morning snack!

All for me?

Peter Loerop, Bonita Lubben, Shirley Medema.

Grace Norlag, Judy Ridder, Alyce Roeliseema.

Marilyn Roeters, Pat Romer, Doris Rozema.

Elaine Rozema, Jerome Stob, Shirley Stowie.

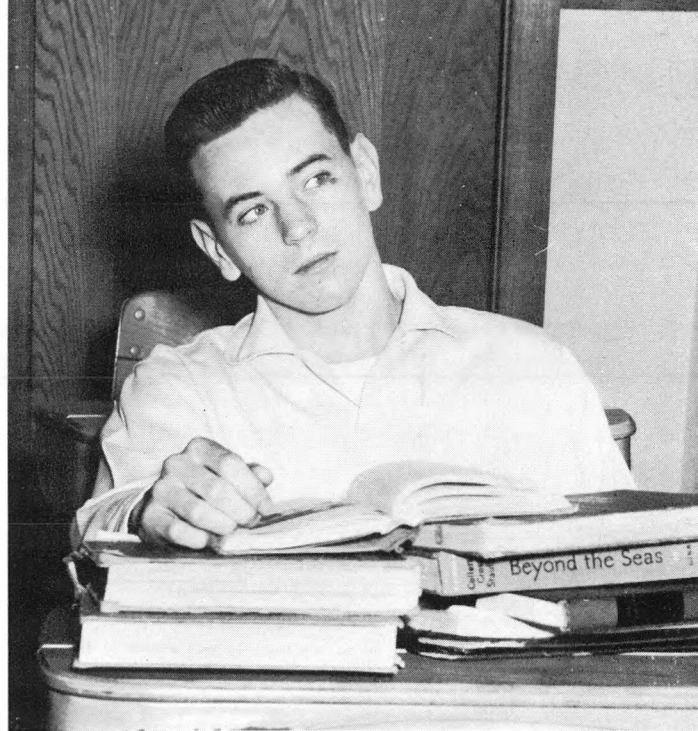
Carol Stuit, Henrietta Tameling, Joan Tameling.

Grace Van Der Velde, Laurel Van Kampen, Lambert Van Poolen.

Andy Venhuizen, Henrietta Weidenaar, Lois Wendt.

Cynthia Whitesell.

Sophomores



Day-dreaming again?



Kathryn Bakker, Margaret Belgrave, Fred Bishop.

Clarissa Bronger, Hester Brouwer, Beverly Bulthuis.

John Davids, John De Jong, Judy De Maa.

Gertrude Dykstra, Marlene Dykstra, Barbara Fennema.

Clyde Gelderloos, James Groot, Doris Hoekstra.

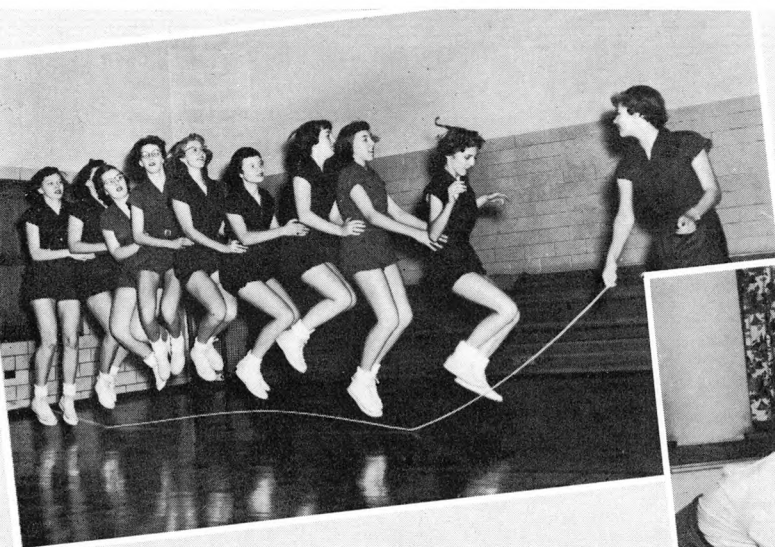


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Row 2: Jacob Oost, Grace Overzet, William Romer, Linda Rozema, Dorothea Rozendal, Theodore Rozendal, Herman Schaafsma.

Row 3: Alice Schut, Virginia Slager, Bernard Tameling, Reinhart Vander Naald, Eleanor Vander Velde, Ruth Vander Velde, Phyllis Vander Werp.

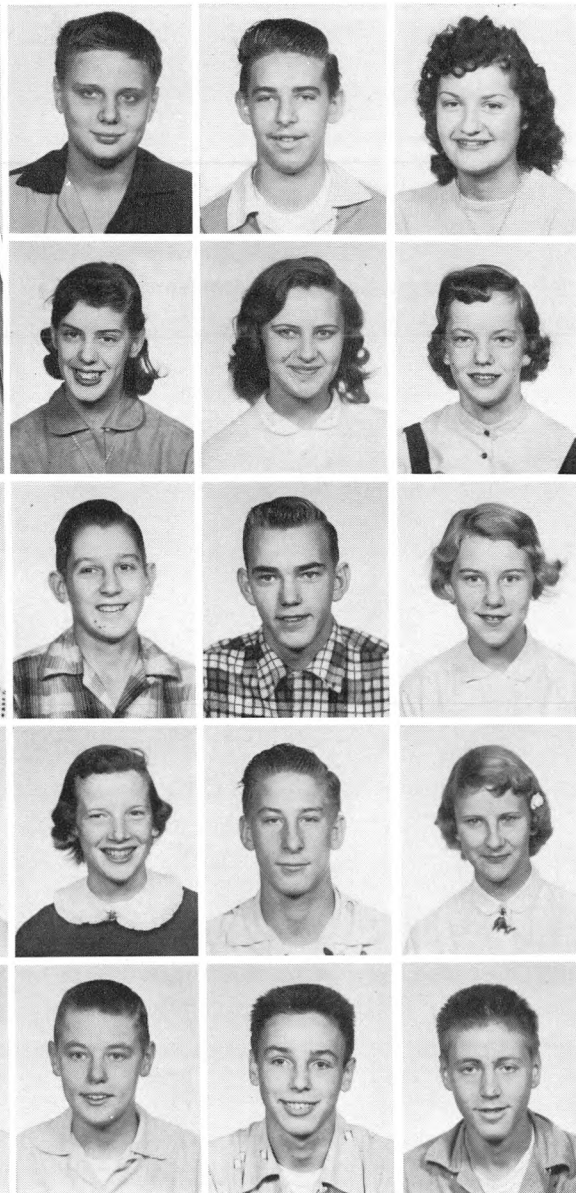
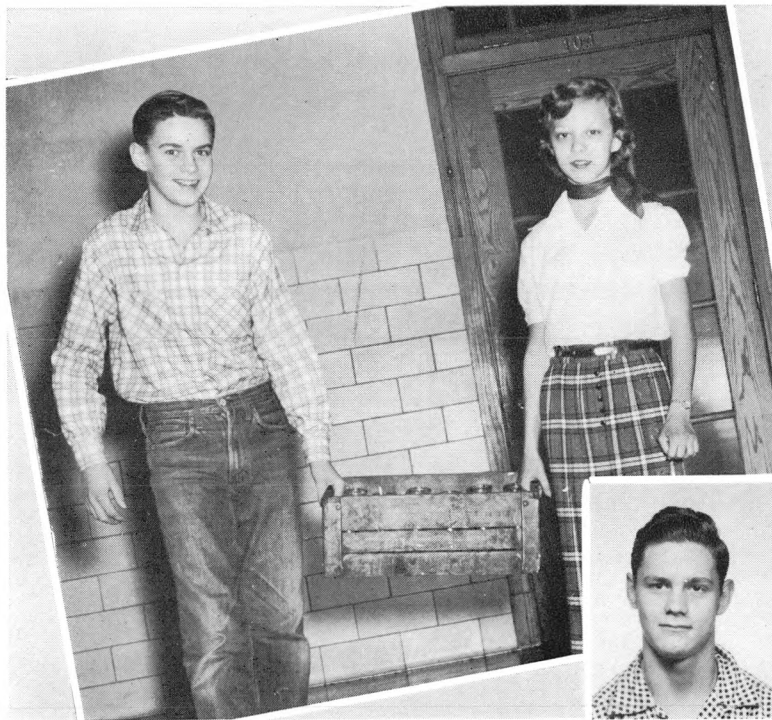
Row 4: Robert Van Poolen, Cynthia Wieringa, Nicholas Wieringa.



Watch those feet!



Is this on the bias?



Between the two of us, we can handle it.

Freshmen

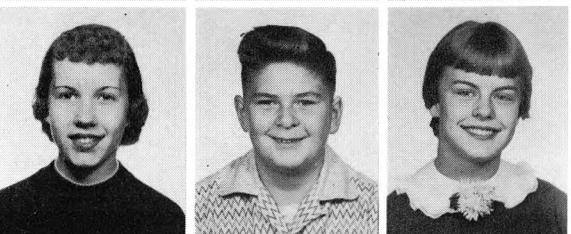
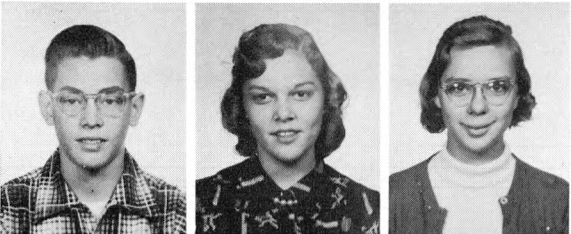
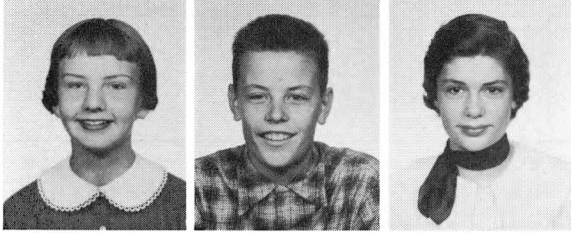
Row 1: Richard Bakker, Peter Batjes, Jean Bernbaum.

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Row 3: Ronald Decker, Clarence De Vries, Joe De Vries, Karen Evenhouse.

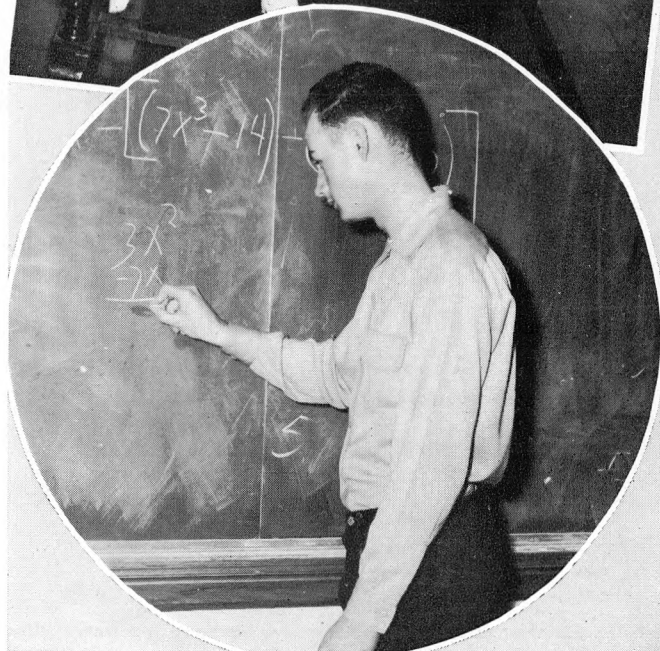
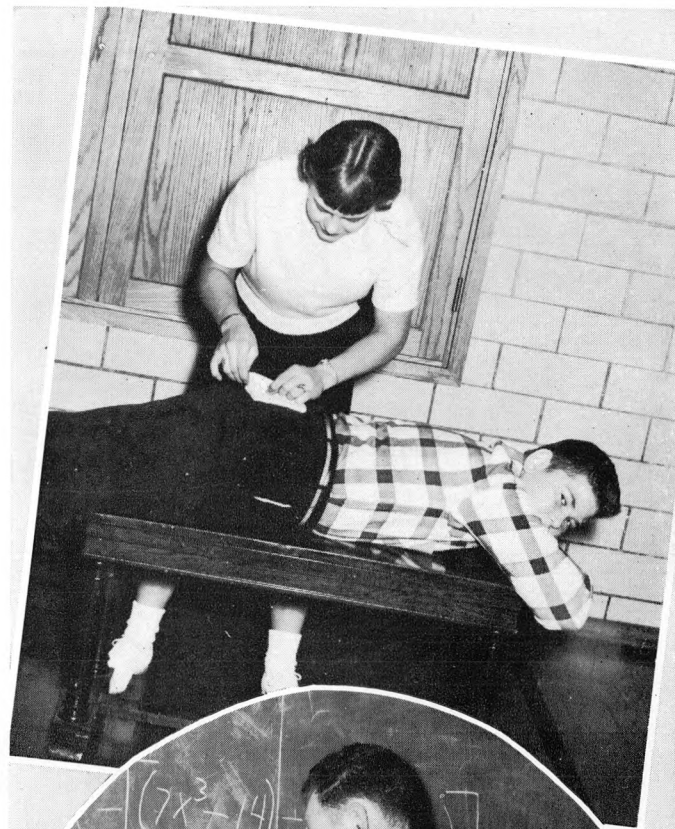
Row 4: Beverly Finder, Nancy Grabinski, Marlene Hendrikse, Wilma Hoeks, Karen Hoekstra, Tom Huiner, June Huizenga.

Row 5: Emily Iwema, Gerda Laning, Peter Laning, Janet Lanenga, William Lenters, Ken Loerop, William Loerop.



Bruce Meyer, Judy Miedema, George Mulder.
 Warren Noorlag, Kathleen Otte, Jay Pruim.
 Trudy Rottschäfer, Donald Schaaf, Sue Slager.
 Betty Slinkman, Janet Strodman, Joy Stulp.
 Donald Swierenga, Donna Teune, Gretchen Van Denend.
 Marlene Van Der Velde, Darlene Van Dyke, Carl Van Kampen.
 Joyce Van Slooten, John Van Tholen, Sharon Veenstra
 Judy Visser, Donald Wieringa, Paul Zuidema

Crime does not pay!
 Is this right?





This is cozy!
Wish this was permanent!
Strike up the band!



Going, Going, GONE!
Good to the last drop!
Where's my shoe?



"I press toward the mark for the prize . . ." (Phil. 3:14a)



Standing: Alyce Swierenga, Editor; Ken Blauw, Business Manager; Marcia Hoving, Assistant Business Manager; Char Veenstra, Literary Editor.
Seated: Rev. Youngs, Mr. Vogel, Sponsors; Jim Vander Velde, Photography Editor.

Saga Staff

Writing, picture taking, typing, financial business, and planning: all these and more go into the production of an annual. Little did we realize the amount of effort involved as we undertook the project this year. Under the capable leadership of our editor, many hours have been spent in compiling this book and in it we have attempted to illustrate the various activities at our school.

If this Saga serves in the future to bring back pleasant memories of high school days, it will have fulfilled the desire of the Saga Staff.



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TIMOTHY TRUMPET

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Seniors to Present "Apple Blossom Time"

The Senior Class will present the three-act comedy, "Apple Blossom Time", on March 22 and 23 at 8:00 at Timothy's auditorium. There are twelve characters in the cast. They are:

Bob Matthews, a handsome likable chap with a violent temper. This part is played by Rog Steenland.

Charlie Lawrence, an energetic, boisterous lad who has a certain "grrt" that he brags about. This part is played by Bill Schaafsma.

Spud McClosky, a product of the back alleys who tries to give the impression of being dignified. This part is played by Ray Jongman.

Mickey Maguire, also a product of the back alleys who gets rather eager and excited. This part is played by Ken Blauw.

Cal Pickens, the slow, lazy village constable. He is played by Bernard Huiner.

Betty Ann Stewart, a little human whirlwind, and a battling girl who gives way to no male. She is played by Marcia Hoving.

Nancy Prescott, a pretty girl who at times is charmingly coy with Charlie. She is played by Theresa Vander Velde.

Loretta Harris, the prettiest girl in the village. She is played by Phyllis Hoekstra.

Polly Biddle, a good cook and housekeeper. This part is played by Helen Weidenaar.

Malvina Kurtz, whose main ambition in the play is to have a beau. This part is played by Sue Wieringa.

Mrs. Forrest, a cold, haughty woman who is sour on the world. She is played by Joanne Davids.

Annabel Spriggins, the old maid in the play who attempts to be youthful and humorous. This part is played by Joyce Van Byssum.

The play is directed by Mr. Vogel and Mr. Nawyn. Student tickets at 75c and adult tickets at \$1.00 are now being sold and can be obtained from members of the senior class.

Counter Courtin' Week

Counter Courtin' Week was from February 8 to 15. The girls were to be the hosts for this week. No guy was to ask a girl for a date, however, a few violators did ask girls. (Oh, no!)

The high-light of the week was a skating party at the Oak Lawn Roller Rink which almost everybody turned out to attend. The girls paid for the boys' tickets. They had to put on their skates and ask them to skate in the different numbers. The girls were to check the boys' coats and pay for any refreshments during or after the party. Mr. Haack and Mr. Vander Woude were policing the area to see that these laws were enforced. However, some violators did manage to get by without being caught. After the party, the boys were told to sit down and relax while the girls removed their skates and got their coats for them. The girls were supposed to carry the skates to the car but not many cases were carried farther than the door where our two "policemen" were stationed.

Friday night the girls were given another chance to take advantage of the opportunity to take out the fellas after the basketball game with Illiana in our own gym.

The rest of the week was left entirely to the girls to do whatever they wished.

Counter Courtin' Week, or "Twirp Week" (The Woman Is Responsible To Pay) turned out to be a real success and a week of fun. Don't you agree?

INTERVIEW

Interviewed Miss Sally



Mr. Nawyn, Sponsor; Ken Kieft, Editor; Marcia Hoving, Assistant Editor.
Business: Nick Wieringa, Ted Rozendal, Sue Wieringa.

Standing: T. Rozendal, J. Strodman, T. Laninga, S. Wieringa, C. Whitesell, N. Wieringa, A. Swierenga, P. Hoekstra, N. Grabinski, J. Van Byssum, W. Knapp.

Seated: C. Veenstra, M. Hoving, L. Van Poolen, J. Boerema, K. Kieft, M. Roeters, J. Van Byssum, Mr. Nawyn.

Trumpet Staff

Many of our unsung heroes and heroines are members of this organization. Little do we know the time they spend keeping us informed with news, sports, and gossip. Many advances have been made in the production of the Trumpet, and the latest is a printed edition. These steps of forward motion have been made under the able leadership of Mr. Nawyn, sponsor.



Standing: Mr. Vander Woude, B. Bulthuis, N. Wieringa, R. Groenboom, J. Bakker, J. Van Byssum, D. Rozendal, W. Schaafsma.
Seated: J. Van Slooten, P. Lanenga, D. Rozema, P. Batjes, M. Hendrikse, B. Lenters, S. Stowie.

As an active organization under the able direction of Mr. Vander Woude, the Student Council successfully promoted the yearly magazine campaign; and after Courtesy Week, sponsored the Kangaroo Court. They initiated Twirp Week, gave a skating party, and presented several interesting programs for the enjoyment of the students.

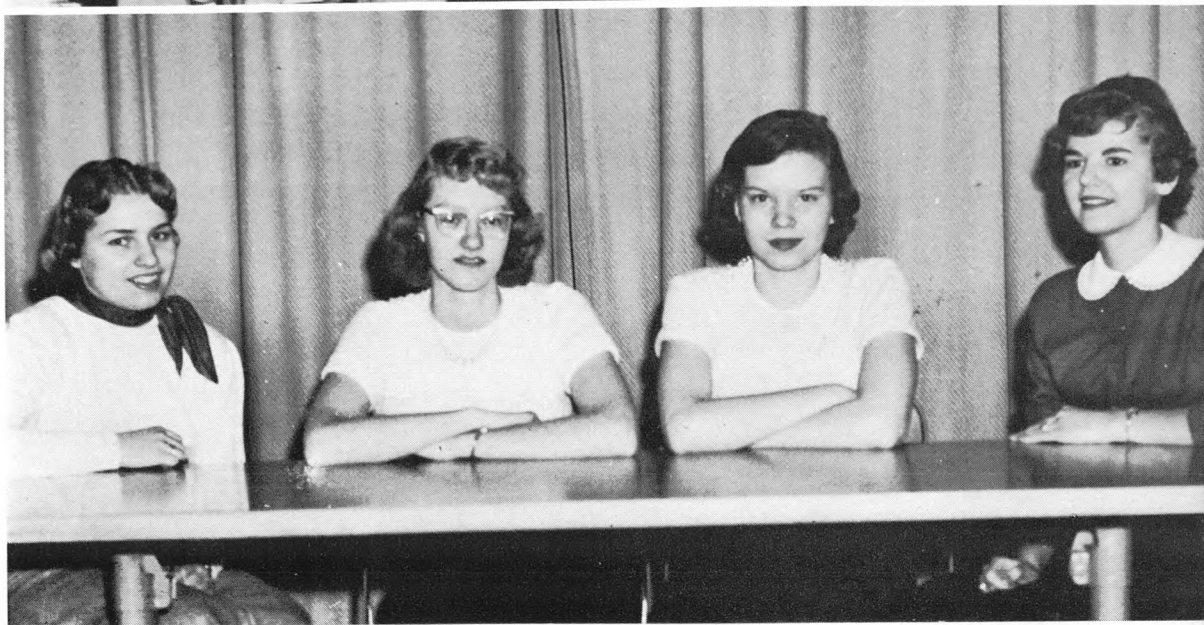
Student Council

What have you to say for yourself, young man?



Honor Societies

Our honor societies consist of students who have maintained an average of "B" or better. May they ever strive to use their educational opportunities to the very best of the abilities God has given them.



Senior Honor Society:

Seated: K. Kieft, A. Wiersema, A. Swierenga, L. Van Poolen.

Standing: L. Van Kampen, A. Toebes, C. Veenstra, S. Wieringa, P. Hoekstra.

Junior Honor Society:

T. Laninga, G. Overzet, R. Vander Velde, P. Vander Werp.



The Camera Club was organized for the purpose of promoting an intelligent interest in photography among the students. The members of this club used their time and talents this year to raise money for dark room equipment. They printed and sold picture Christmas cards, and showed a movie in order to attain their goal.

Some of the pictures for this annual were taken and developed by members of the Photography Club.

Standing: J. Van Tholen, B. Tameling, R. Jongsma, K. Blauw, B. Schaafsma, D. Wieringa, J. Boeringa, R. Knapp, J. Rozendal, N. Wieringa, J. Pruijm, Mr. Triezenberg.

Seated: V. Vander Velde, D. Rozema, R. Schaaf, J. Vander Velde.

Camera Club

Glee Club

3rd row: B. Fennema, J. Laning, S. Bakker, B. Dykhuizen, J. Tameling, V. Slager, H. Weidenaar.

2nd row: M. Belgrave, S. Stowie, M. Stob, B. Lubben, E. Rozema, H. Tameling.

1st row: A. Roelissema, G. Dykstra, G. Overzet, A. Schutt, M. Dykstra, H. Brouwer, M. Huiner, E. Vander Velde.

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, anyone passing Room 105 will hear our Glee Club dutifully practicing. Composed of 21 girls, the Glee Club has added much to the spirit of praise and worship by their periodic appearances in Chapel. In this first year of their organization their progress has been marked, and we hope as years go by they will continue to be an asset to the vocal department here at Timothy.





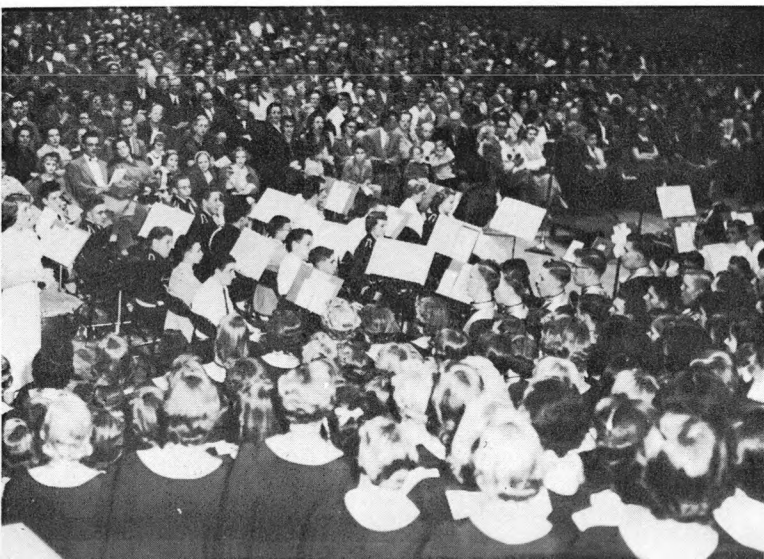
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2nd row: C. Wieringa, A. Swierenga, K. Vander Velde, G. Vander Velde, B. Bulthuis, J. Van Slooten, T. Rottschafer.

1st row: Miss Westra, T. Bulthuis, L. Rozema, J. De Maa, K. Bakker, R. Muhlena.





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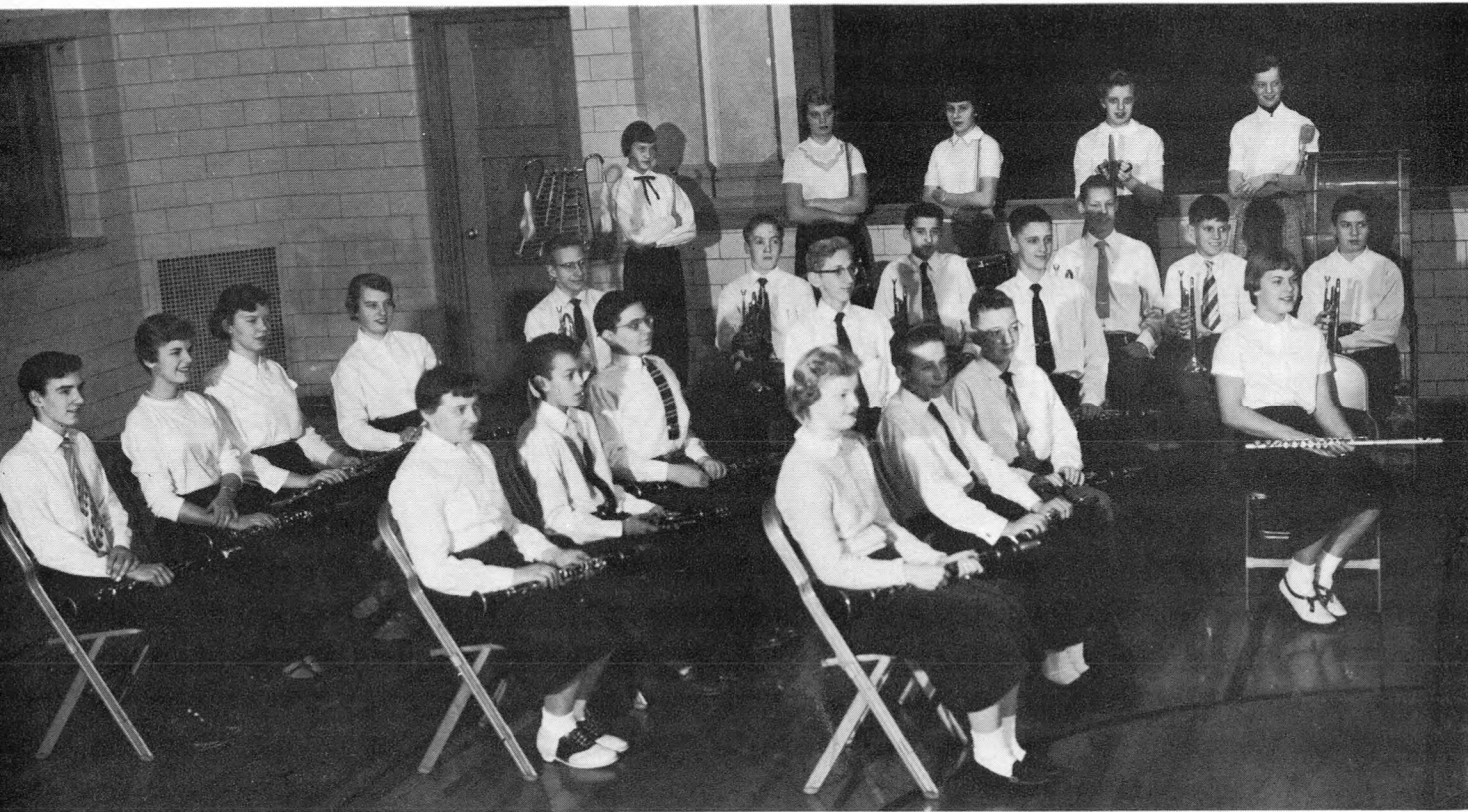
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1st row: J. Davids, A. Huiner, W. Hoeks, S. Stowie, G. Noorlag, S. Medema, T. Laninga.

A Capella Choir

The members of the A Cappella Choir this year have worked hard. Inspired by the purchase of new choir robes, they have successfully tackled much in the way of more difficult music. The choir began the season with a unique program on Dutch Day at the Museum of Science and Industry, and have closed the year with a delightful Spring Concert trip to Grand Rapids.



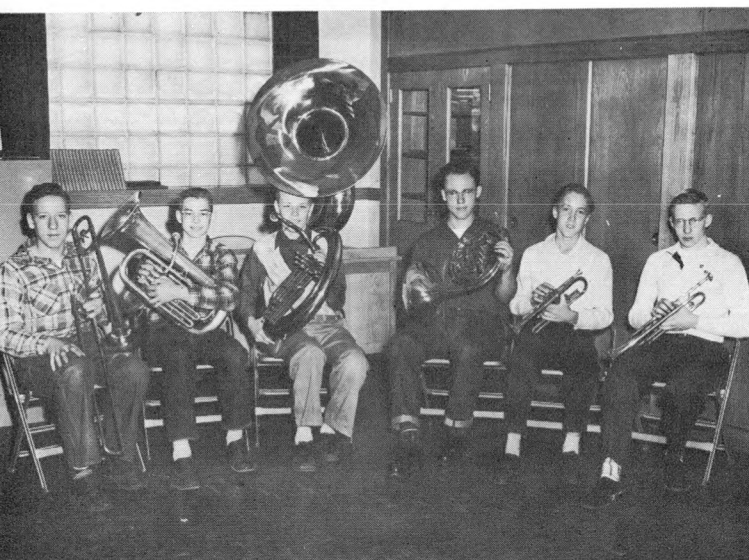
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3rd row: L. Dwarshuis, P. Vander Werp, R. Vander Velde, J. Boerema, L. Van Poolen, C. Gelderloos, P. Tameling, J. Davids, H. Van Kampen, J. Stavenger.

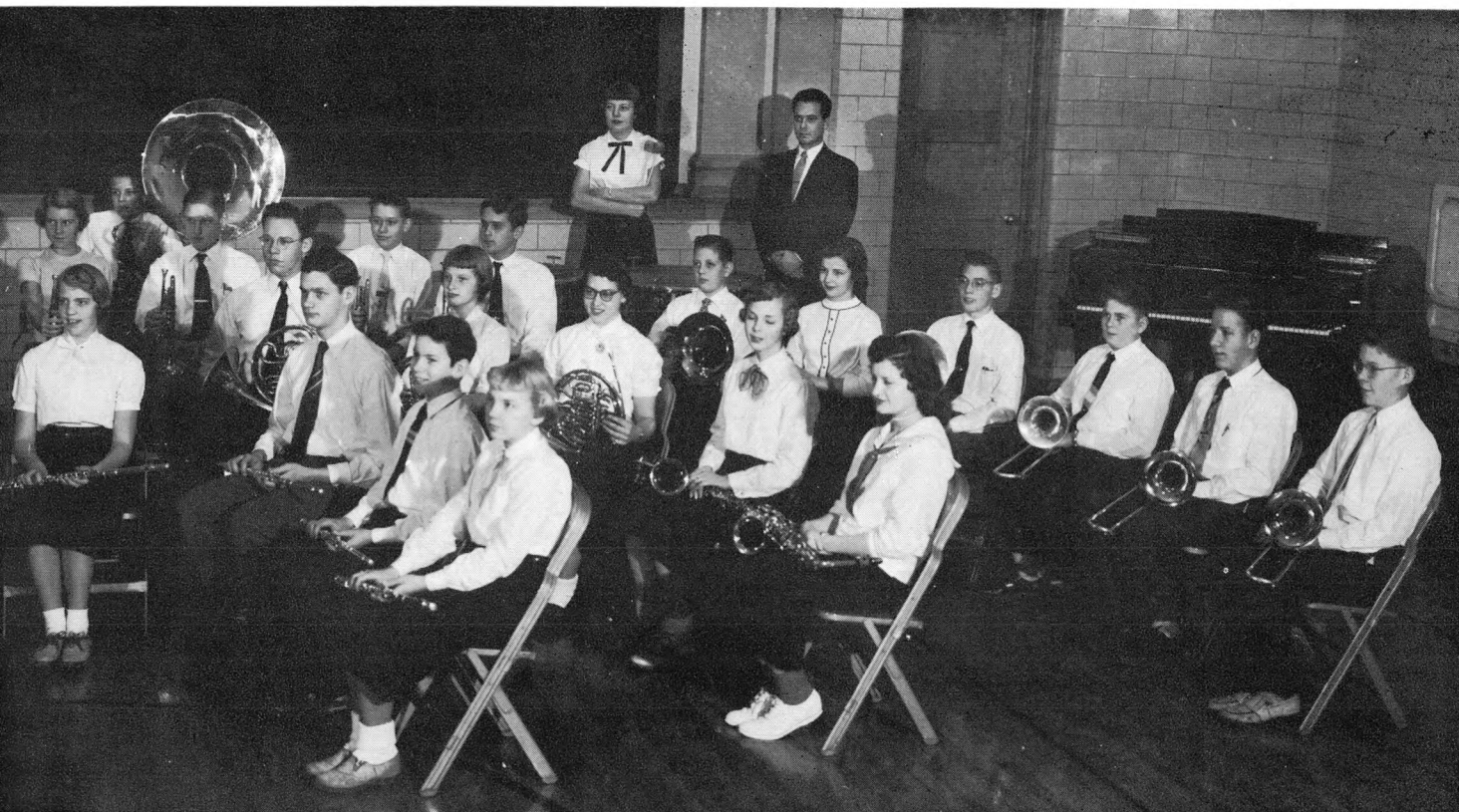
2nd row: K. Otte, D. Wieringa, A. Bolt, H. Schaafsma, B. Slager.

1st row: M. Roeters, R. Van Poolen, D. Huiner, S. Veenstra.

C. Van Kampen, D. Swierenga, D. Schaaf,
K. Kieft, C. Gelderloos, L. Van Poolen.



Our band, under the direction of Mr. Qualkinbush, has achieved much during the past year. We are grateful to them for the hours they have spent in practice for they have lent appeal to basketball games and special assemblies, as well as chapel services.



Standing: C. Veenstra, Mr. Qualkinbush.

3rd row: K. Evenhouse, D. Schaaf, B. Wieringa, T. Rozendal, W. Buitenwerf, J. Kieft, C. Wieringa, D. Swierenga, J. Van Tholen, C. Van Kampen, R. Kieft.

2nd row: K. Kieft, J. Voss, A. Swierenga, R. Evenhouse, J. Bernbaum.

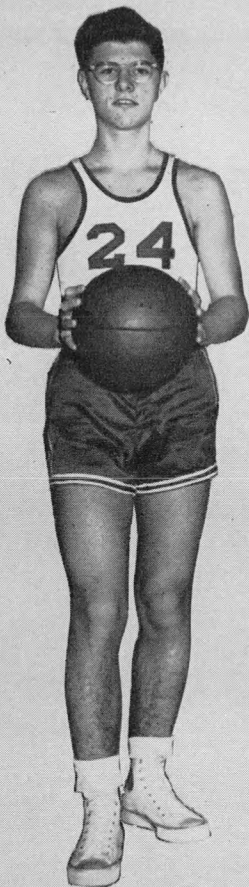
1st row: M. Rozema, R. Decker, B. Groenewold, S. Hoving.

Band

They were featured in the Dutch Day program our school gave on December 9 at the Museum of Science and Industry, and gave a Christmas Concert with the choir and a separate band concert in the spring.

We are justifiably proud of their accomplishments.



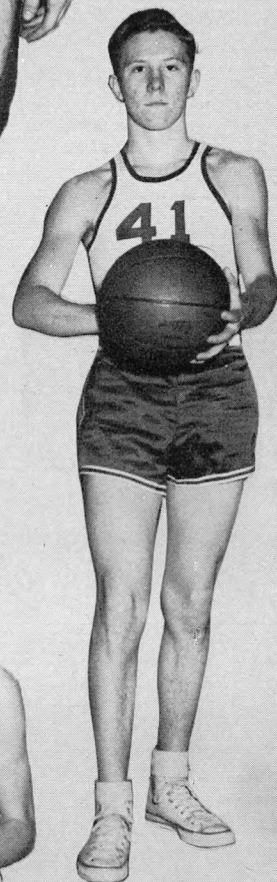
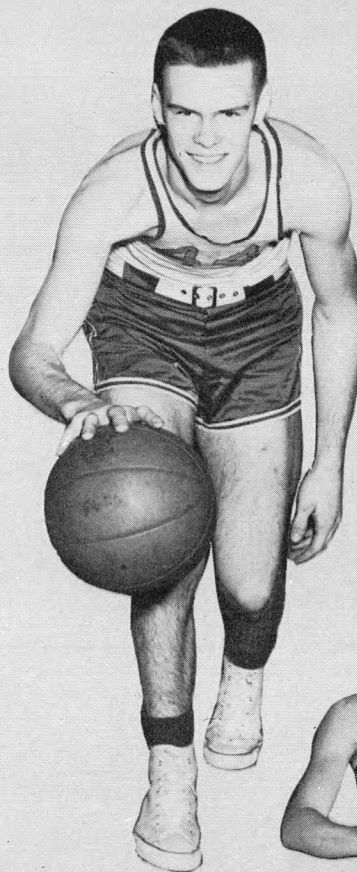
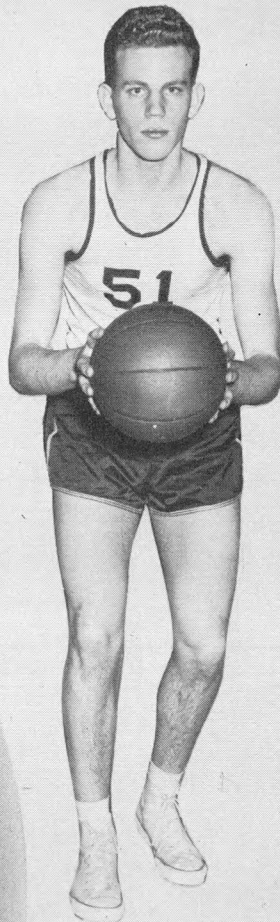


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Date	We	They
Nov. 18—Christian High	39	51
Nov. 23—University High	28	56
Nov. 29—Luther North	42	64
Dec. 2—Francis Parker	48	76
Dec. 5—North Park Academy	53	45
Dec. 9—Morgan Park Military	46	42
Dec. 14—Walther	55	44
Dec. 16—Illiana	57	38
Jan. 6—North Park Academy	46	85

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Jan. 11—Christian High	46	80
Jan. 13—Glenwood	55	56
Jan. 14—Morgan Park Military	53	47
Jan. 18—Luther North	40	51
Jan. 21—Wheaton Academy	46	70
Jan. 28—Walther	45	34
Feb. 10—Illiana	75	47
Feb. 15—Glenwood	81	44
Feb. 21—Luther South	63	75





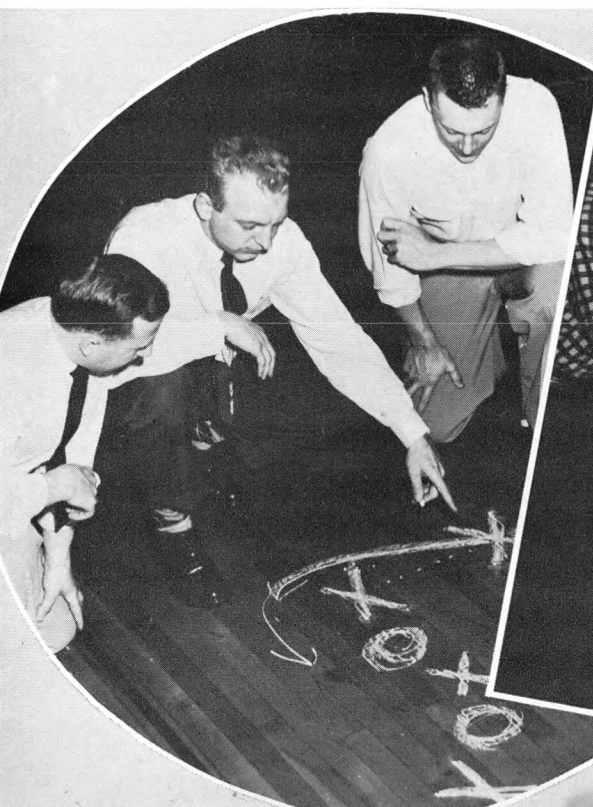
Back row: Mr. Vander Woude, J. Batjes, J. De Vries, J. Vander Velde, R. Schaaf, R. Jongsma, K. Kieft, Mr. Haack.

Front row: H. Schaafsma, Manager; R. Davids, P. Gelderloos, J. Rozendal, W. Schaafsma, L. Van Poolen, T. Rozendal, Manager.

Varsity Basketball

Coaches: Mr. Haack, Mr. Vander Woude,
Mr. Prins

Managers: Herman Schaafsma, Ted Rozendal



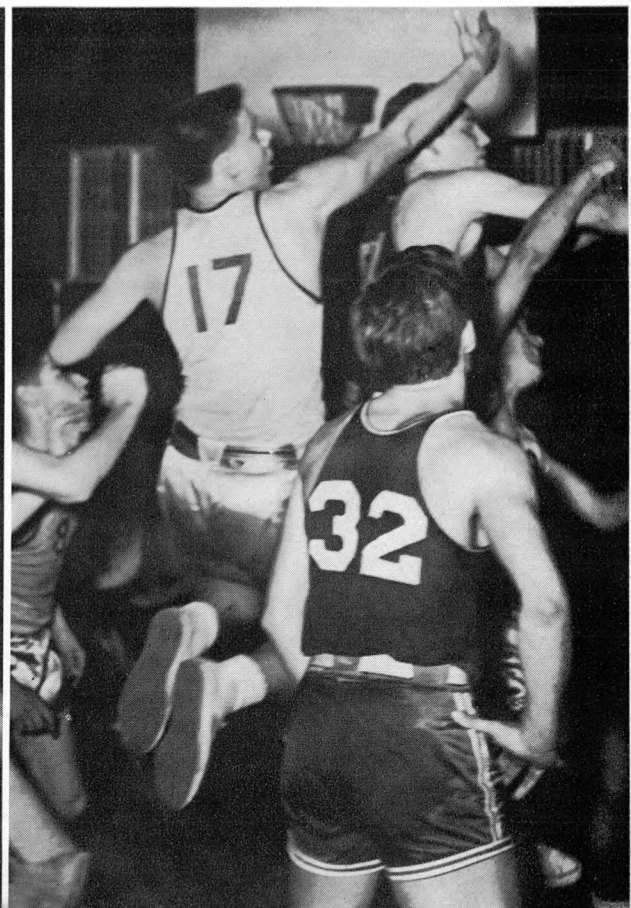
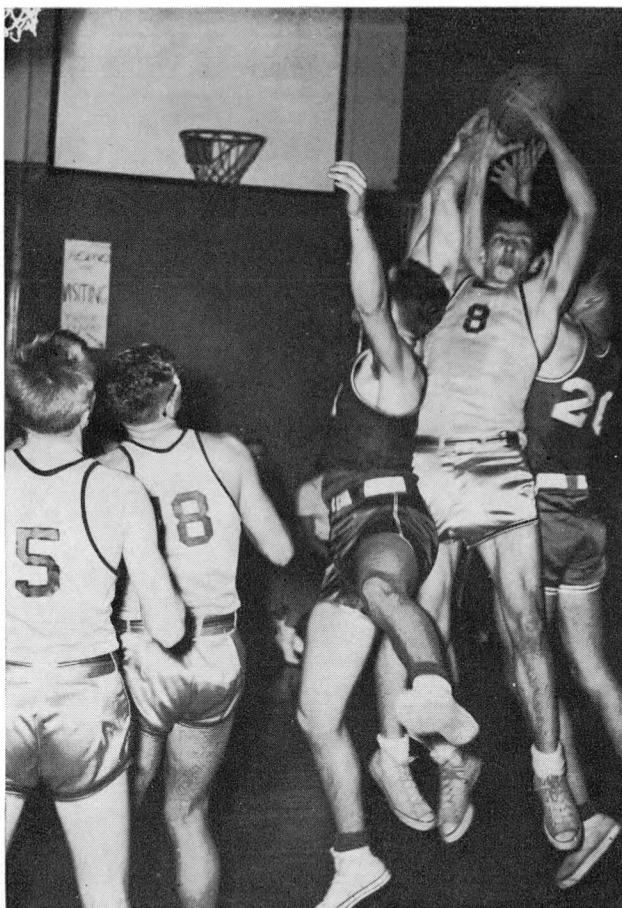


Standing: H. De Boer, J. Davids, B. Lenters, J. De Vries, B. Loerop, W. Noorlag, D. Swierenga.

Kneeling: Mr. Haack, T. Huiner, J. Meyer, K. Loerop, R. Van Poolen, B. Tameling.

Frosh-Soph

Basketball



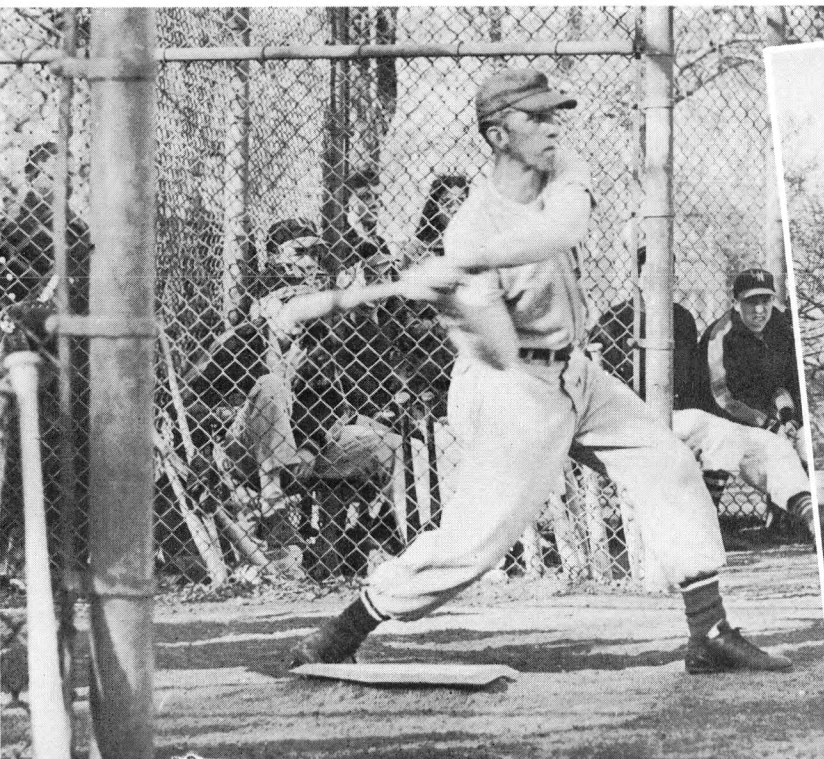


Baseball

Standing: Mr. Haack, R. Cook, J. Batjes, K. Van Byssum, R. Schaaf, R. Jongsma, K. Blauw, K. Kieft, M. Boss, Mr. Vander Woude.

Kneeling: C. Gelderloos, D. Schaaf, B. Huiner, J. Rozendal, B. Tameling, T. Huiner.

Slug 'er!



Strike him out!





Minor Sports

Last fall, a volleyball tournament was played between the various home rooms and the faculty. Through an elimination process, the final game was played between the Senior Class and the Faculty; but the Seniors fought a losing battle against the undefeated Faculty.



Intramural Football

Between the baseball and basketball seasons the fellows played a few weeks of football.



Girls' Basketball

Schedule 1955-1956

Date	School	We	They
December 8—	Illiana	76	21
December 20—	Chicago Christian	55	42
January 14—	North Shore A Team.....	40	26
January 14—	North Shore B Team.....	23	12
January 28—	Francis Parker A Team.....	60	37
January 28—	Francis Parker B Team.....	37	8
January 31—	St. Gregory A Team.....	64	18
January 31—	St. Gregory B Team.....	42	10
February 4—	North Shore A Team.....	49	38
February 4—	North Shore B Team.....	39	15
February 7—	St. Gregory B Team.....	32	3
February 7—	St. Gregory A Team.....	30	12
February 22—	Unity Christian High.....	59	18



Miss Kingma, Coach

Managers: C. Veenstra, G. Overzet



Left to right: M. Hoving, A. Swierenga, P. Hoekstra, S. Wieringa, H. Weidenaar, J. Tameling, H. Weidenaar, B. Dykhuizen.

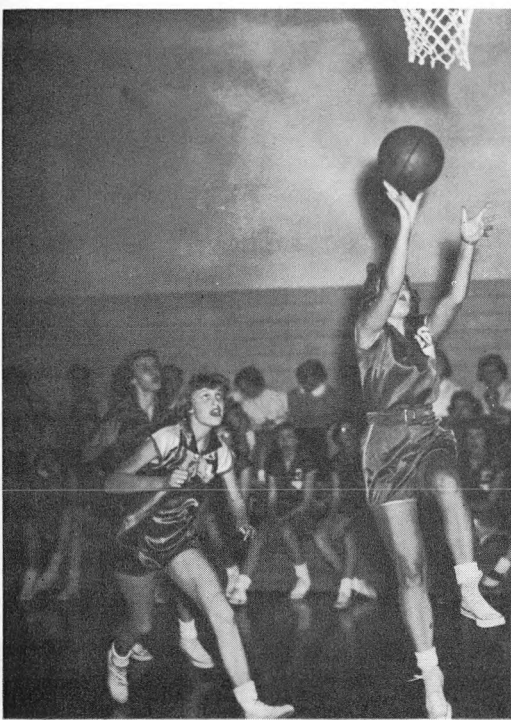
Back to front: D. Hoekstra, R. Muhlena, R. Vander Velde, J. Davids, K. Bakker, D. Rozendal, S. Veenstra.

*Girls'
Softball
Team*



Standing: H. Weidenaar, S. Bakker, H. Weidenaar, B. Dykhuizen, J. Tameling, P. Hoekstra, Miss Kingma.

Kneeling: D. Rozendal, G. Vander Velde, J. Ridder, J. Boerema, M. Hoving, K. Batjes.





T. Laninga, H. Tameling, M. Hoving, J. Boerema,
J. Van Byssum

Cheerleaders

Pep Club

4th row: S. Bakker, H. Weidenaar, J. Laning, R. Muhlena,
C. Bronger, R. Vander Velde, B. Dykhuizen, H. Weidenaar,
J. Tameling, K. Hoekstra, J. De Maa.

3rd row: G. Noorlag, T. Bulthuis, F. Laninga, S. Stowie,
G. Vander Velde, H. Brouwer, W. Hoeks, J. Medema,
J. Huizenga, G. Dykstra, J. Visser.

2nd row: L. Rozema, S. Slager, M. Hendrikse, J. Davids,
M. Vander Velde, S. Veenstra, M. Dykstra, J. Van Slooten,
T. Rottschafer, Miss Bean.

1st row: T. Laninga, H. Tameling, M. Hoving, J. Boerema,
J. Van Byssum.

In the second year of its existence the members of the Pep Club were the energetic backers of the cheerleaders and team.

As in the past the cheerleaders were important at all of our basketball games. They gave spirit to the crowd and often cheered the team on to victory. Miss Bean again directed these groups.



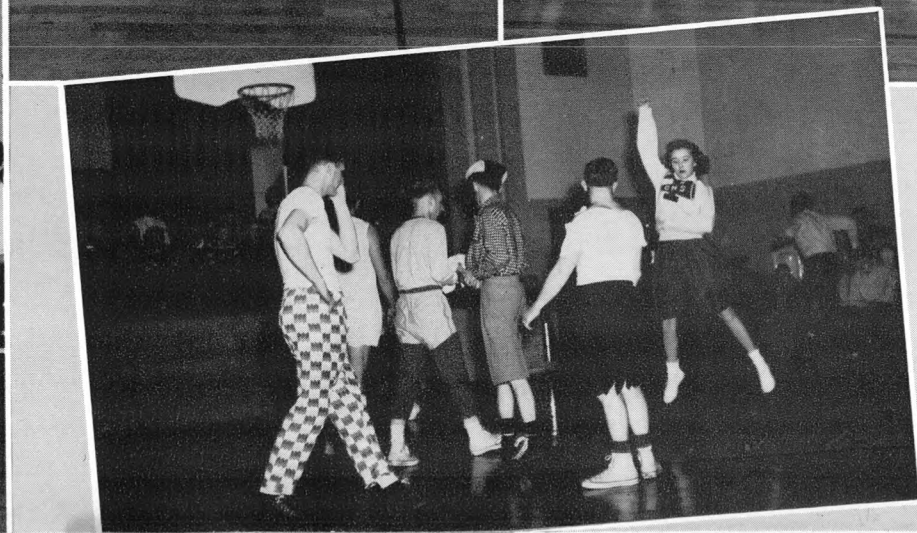
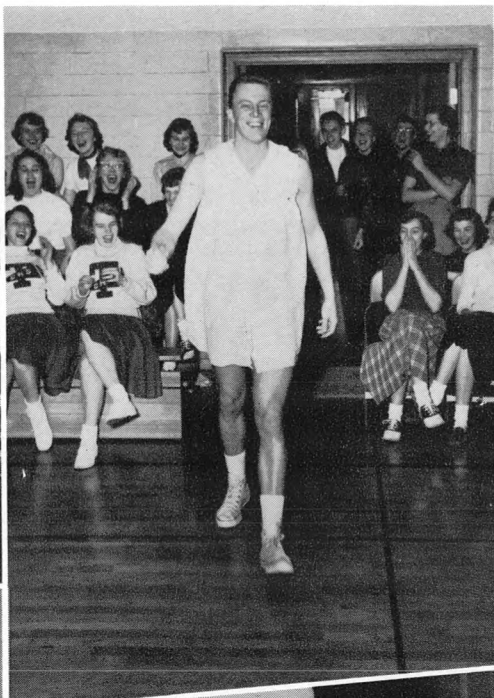
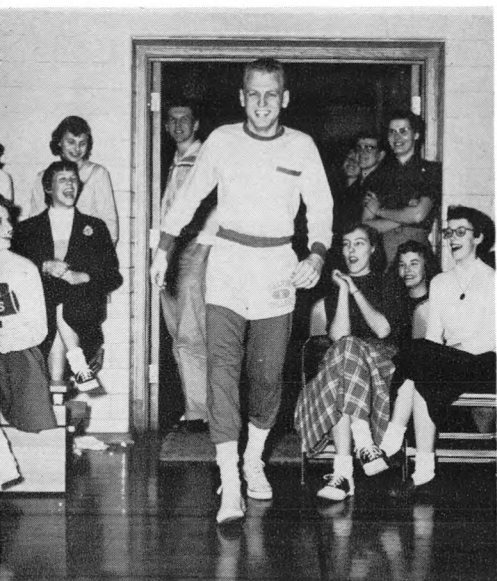


Faculty - Varsity Game

As a climax to their busy season the Varsity Basketball Team played the Faculty.

The gym rang with cheers and laughter as the members of the faculty team appeared on the court dressed in all manner of fantastic garb.

Although the varsity team won by a few points, scoring did not seem to be the main objective as part of the game was played with a volleyball.



Where are the dates,
girls?



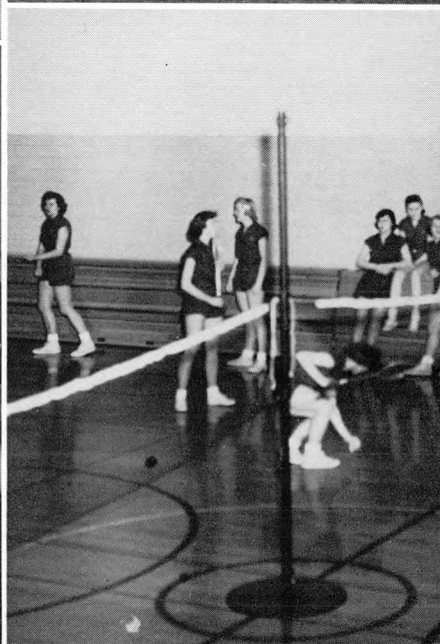
Tackle him!



Rebound!



No pep?



Grab that ball!



Sink it!







Standing: K. Hoekstra, B. Dykhuizen, R. Muhlena, G. Overzet, M. Blauw, W. Hoeks.

Seated: K. Vander Velde, H. Weidenaar, M. Hoving, Miss Kingma, H. Weidenaar, C. Veenstra, S. Wieringa.

4th row: T. Vandervelde, S. Ter Maat, K. Vander Velde, H. Weidenaar, B. Dykhuizen, J. Davids, J. Tameling, H. Weidenaar, E. Rozema, D. Rozema.

3rd row: A. Roelfsema, A. Bulthuis, S. Bakker, L. Wendt, B. Lubben, L. Van Kampen, M. Huiner, R. Evenhouse, S. Medema, M. Roeters, G. Noorlag.

2nd row: S. Stowie, G. Dykstra, A. Wiersema, G. Vander Velde, T. Bulthuis, J. Ridder, M. Blauw, J. Boerema, M. Stob, P. Romer.

1st row: A. Toebes, J. Van Byssum, A. Swierenga, C. Veenstra, P. Hoekstra, S. Wieringa, M. Hoving, H. Tameling, J. Van Byssum.

G. A. A.

As the largest organization in our school, the Girls' Athletic Association has promoted girls' sports and sponsored several girls' athletic events throughout the year.

4th row: B. Fennema, A. Schutt, R. Vander Velde, V. Slager, G. Laning, C. Bronger, J. De Maa, K. Bakker, L. Rozema, J. Laning.

3rd row: C. Wieringa, G. Overzet, W. Hoeks, K. Hoekstra, R. Muhlena, A. Huiner, M. Vander Velde, E. Vander Velde, B. Bulthuis, M. Belgrave, D. Rozendal.

2nd row: J. Medema, C. Boeringa, H. Brouwer, D. Teune, S. Slager, T. Rottschäfer, M. Dykstra, M. Hendrikse, J. Davids, K. Evenhouse.

1st row: J. Strodman, E. Iwema, G. Dykstra, G. Laning, J. Visser, J. Huijzen, J. Van Slooten, S. Veenstra, K. Otte.

Play Cast

Standing

BOB MATTHEWS.....Roger Steenland
 SPUD McCLOSKY.....Ray Jongsma
 MALVINA KURTZ.....Sue Wieringa
 CHARLIE LAWRENCE.. William Schaafsma
 POLLY BIDDLE.....Helen Weidenaar
 CAL PICKENS.....Bernard Huiner

Seated

LORETTA HARRIS.....Phyllis Hoekstra
 ANNABEL SPRIGGINS....Joyce Van Byssum
 MRS. FORREST.....Joanne Davids
 BETTY ANN STEWART.....Marcia Hoving
 NANCY PRESCOTT....Theresa Vandervelde
 MICKEY MAGUIRE.....Kenneth Blauw

Director, Mr. Vogel

Assistant Director, Mr. Nawyn

Ohh! I think you're nice, too!



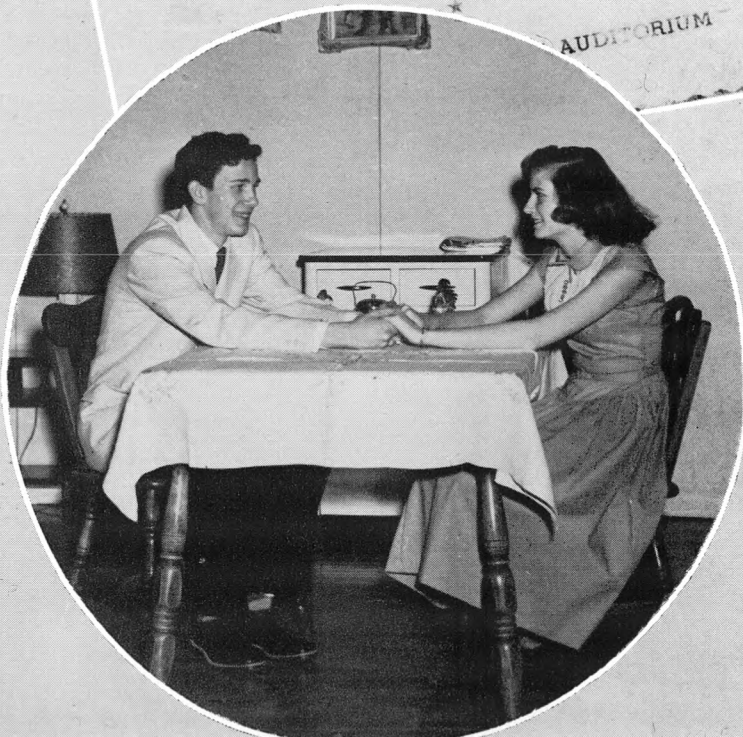
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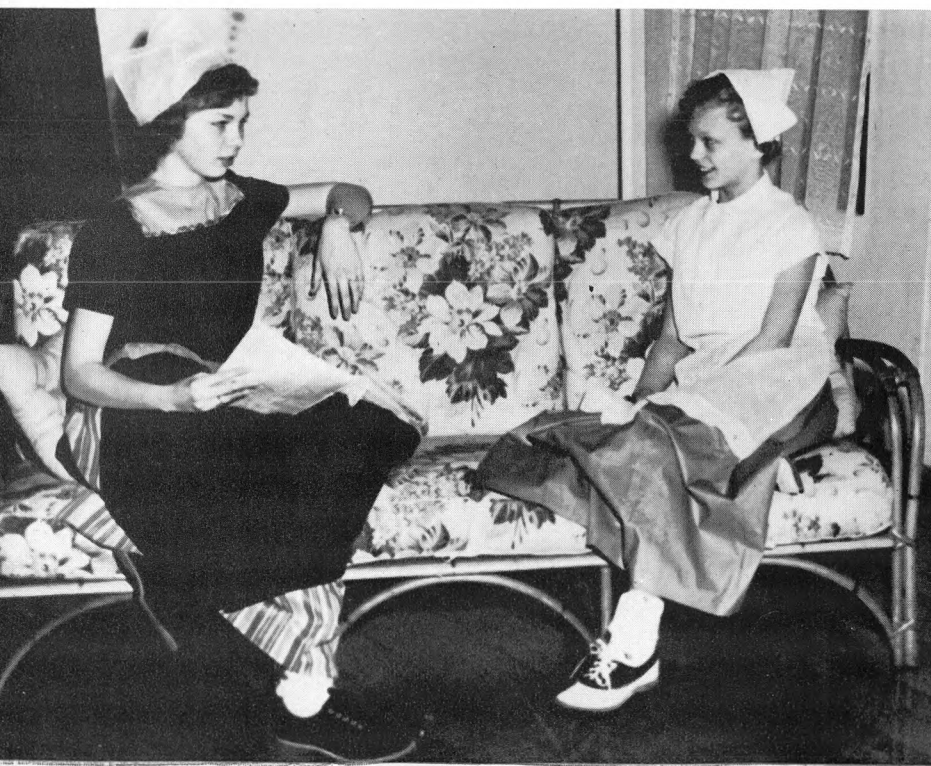


Standing: N. Wieringa, C. Veenstra, R. Jongsma, J. Tameling.
Seated: J. Visser, R. Steenland, R. Evenhouse.

Dutch Day

On December the first our Choir, Band, and a group of actors presented the story of Christmas in Holland before an audience at the Museum of Science and Industry. The play presented the spiritual meaning of Christmas in word and song. It was well received by the Museum staff and by the audience. It was given very successfully in our school for our parents just before Christmas.

Christmas Story being told.



"Dutch Day" Christmas tree decorated by Timothy Schools.



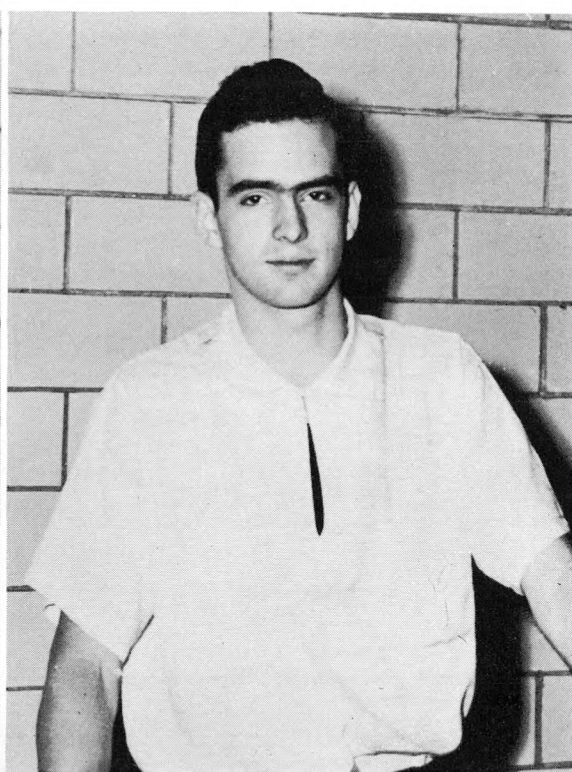
Art Contest

Our school received high honors this year when one of the freshman students, Janet Strodman, was awarded first prize for her entry in an inter-school art contest. Her award was a clock.



Oratorical Contest

Each year two students, one girl and one boy, represent our school at the annual Christian High School Oratorical Contest. Last spring we were happy to have Phyll Hoekstra and Rog Steenland present their speeches at Illiana.



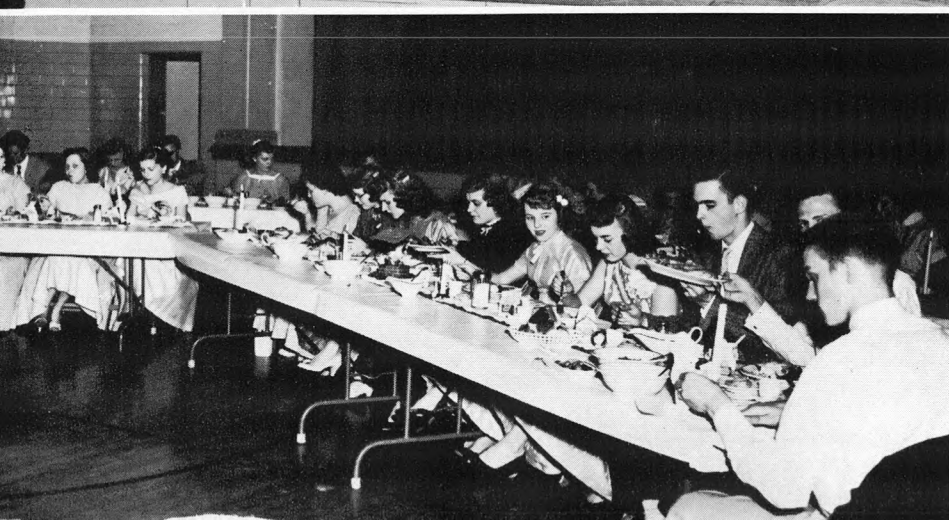


Junior-Senior Banquet

The Junior Class played host to the Seniors at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet held on April 27. The decorations were very impressive and the delicious chicken dinner was served by candlelight.

Group singing followed and then an entertaining program was presented. A humorous skit was given by the Juniors portraying an old-fashioned school room and its energetic group of scholars. The costumes alone were enough to keep the audiences roaring! The Junior Quartette also sang two numbers, and Ruth Evenhouse gave a reading.

Everyone enjoyed playing "You Bet Your Roll" with Hank De Boer as Groucho Marx. His little quip, "That's tough!" to every loser will not soon be forgotten.



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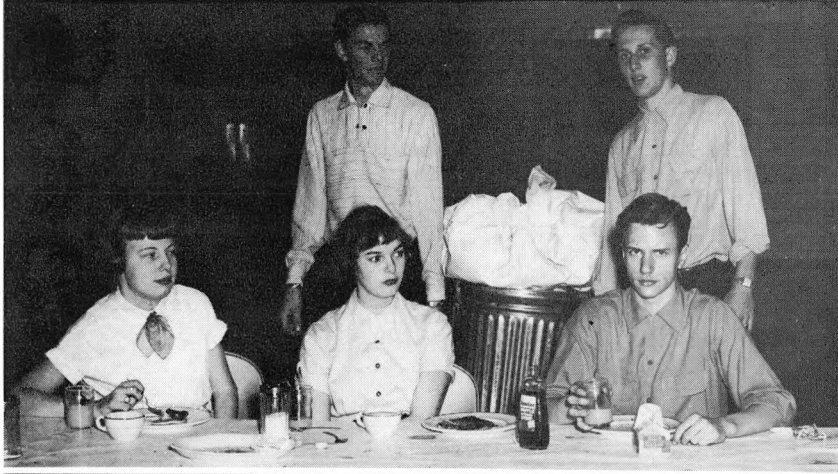
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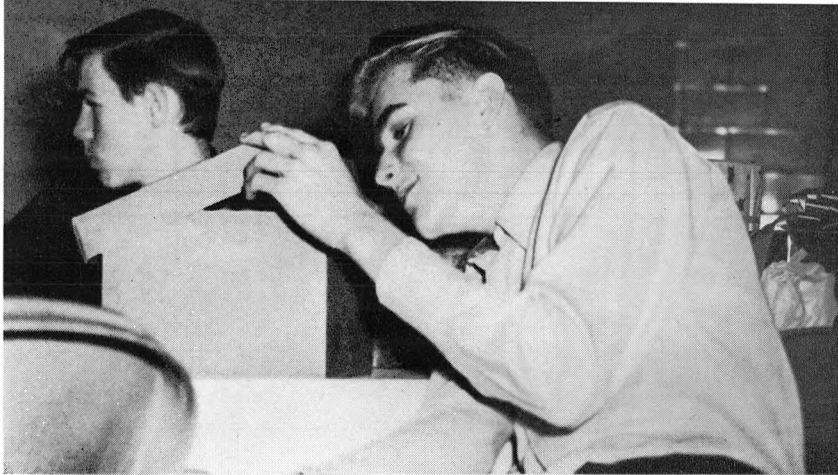
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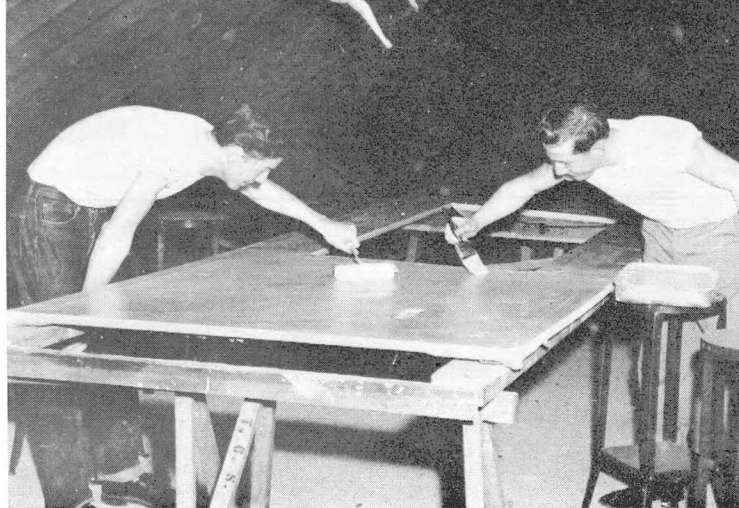
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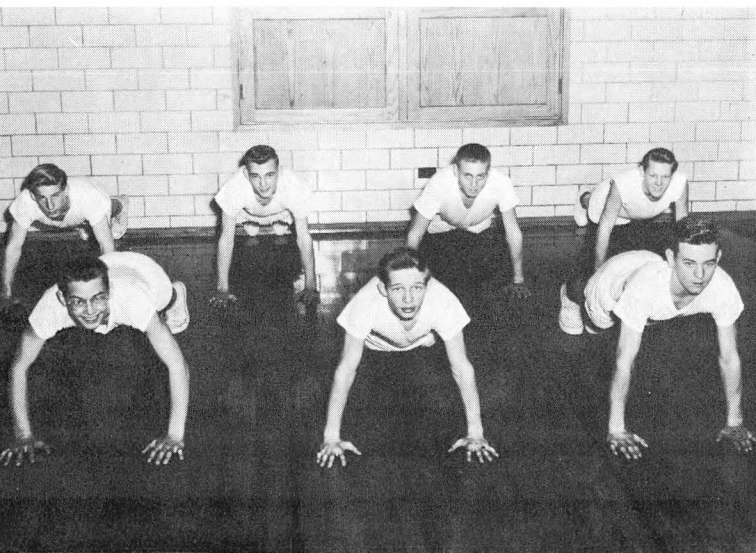
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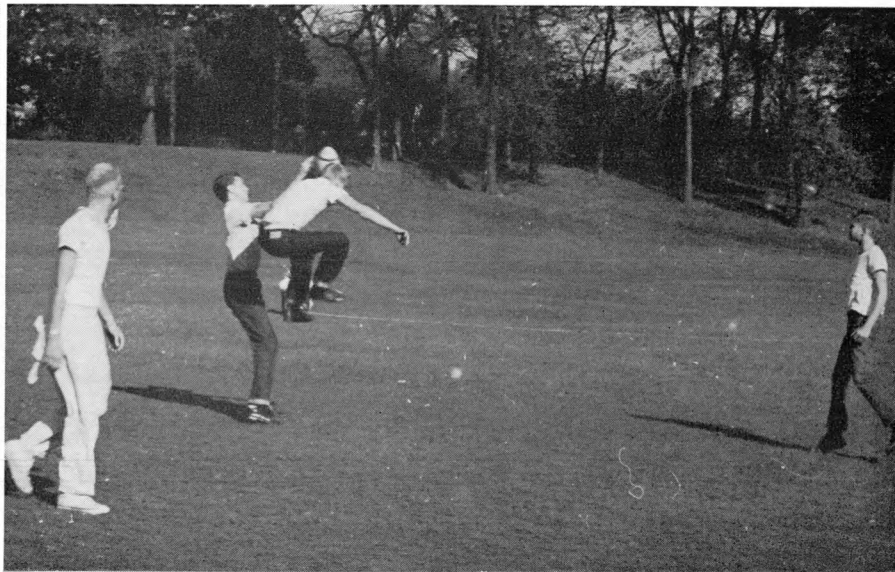
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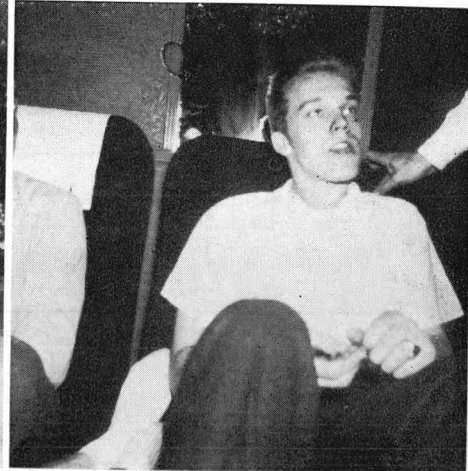
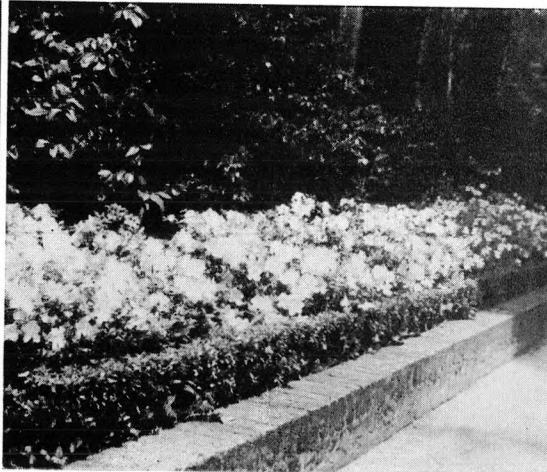
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