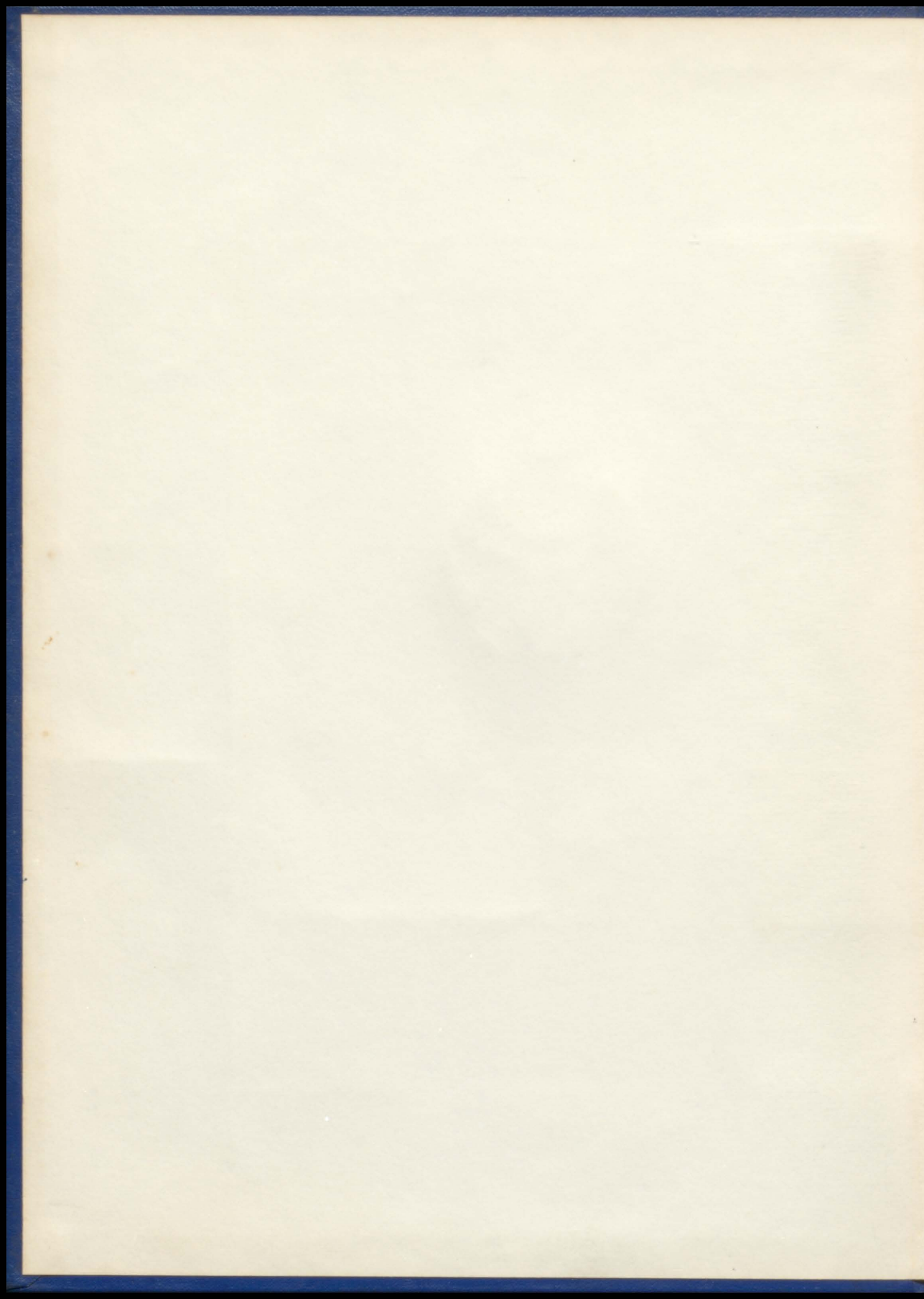


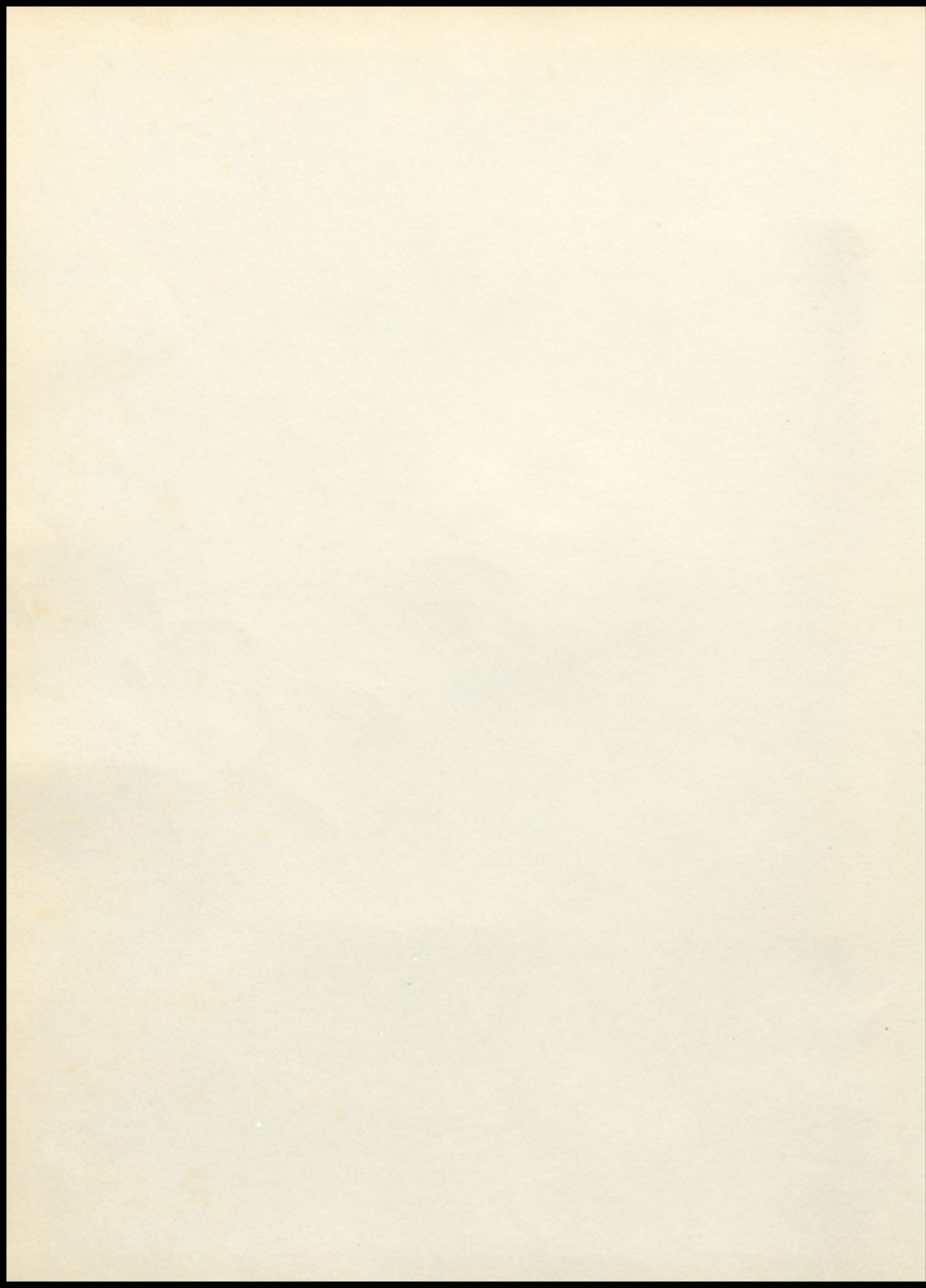


THE ELK

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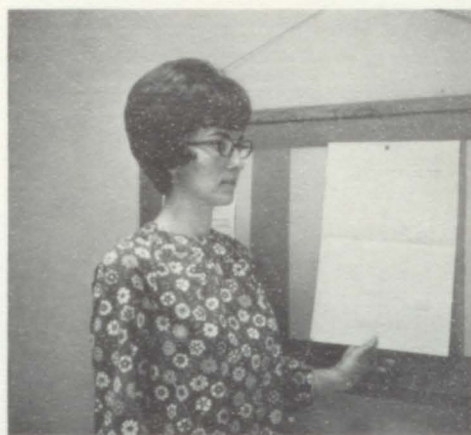
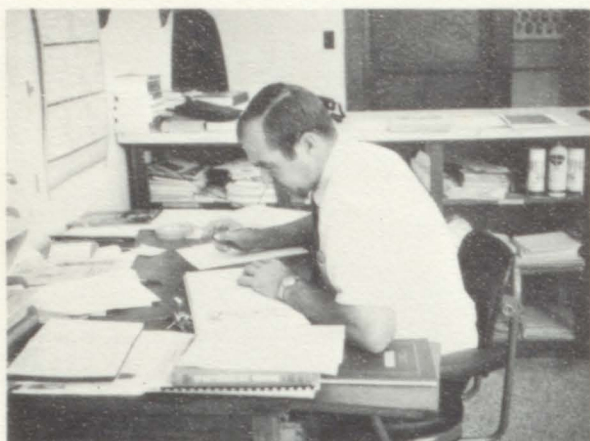


The Elk 1970



Elk Point High School
Elk Point, South Dakota

DEDICATION



We, the members of the yearbook staff, dedicate the 1969-70 ELK to Mrs. Anita Zastrow and Mr. Roger Schaffer. The members of the staff feel that these individuals deserve recognition for their dedication to educational instruction and school activities. They will always be remembered by the students of Elk Point High School.

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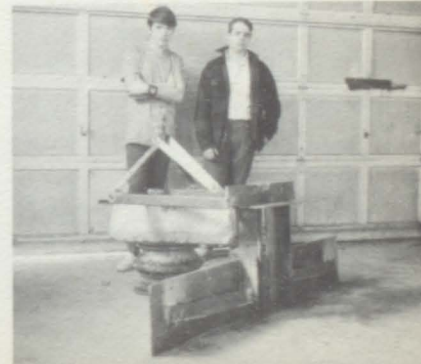
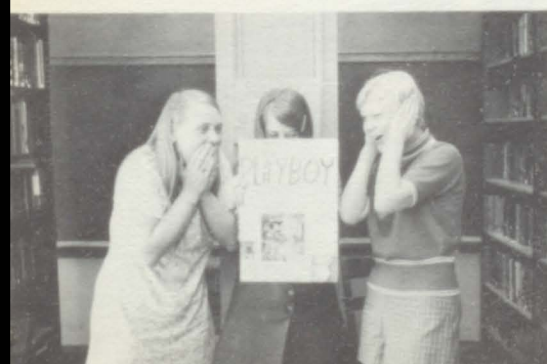
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Administrators Plan and



The Elk Point School Board, consisting of Verne VanBockern, Jon Larsen, Floyd Davis, John Murphy, vice president, and John Curry, president, were instrumental in securing the much needed classroom—gymnasium complex which was completed this spring. The new building is located adjacent to the athletic field, which is nearing completion.

Parents Discuss Educational Needs at Open House



Build for Future Growth



Superintendent H. J. Tiemens plays an important part in the high school. He is the executive officer of the Board of Education, where his function is to coordinate all activities of the school district, including business, curriculum, supervision, and personnel.

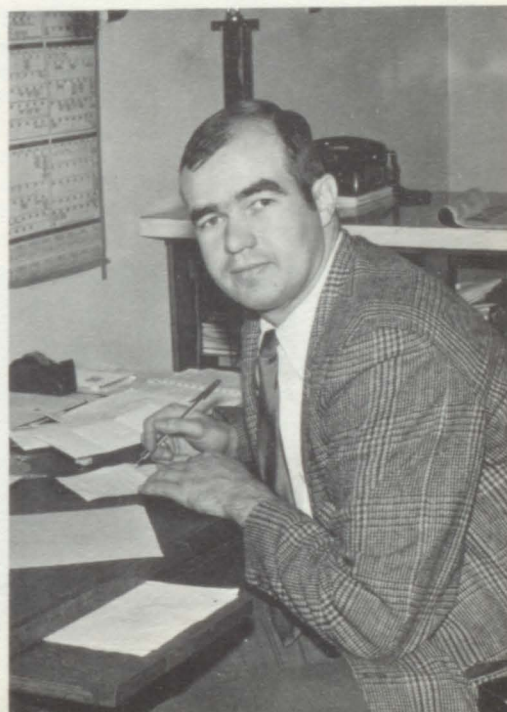


This year Mrs. Tryon acted as secretary to Mr. Tiemens and the entire school district.



Susan Franey assisted Mr. Schaffer this year as his secretary.

Principal Roger Schaffer was kept busy this year with the operation of the high school. He was responsible for the study and development of the curriculum, scheduling and registration of students, and supervision of students and staff. The direction of student activity programs and discipline were also under his leadership.



Faculty Members Inspire and Instruct

Mr. Donald Lane is the high school's Guidance Counselor. His duties are to assist and prepare all students for present and future needs. Mr. Lane also acts as principal of the grade school.



Completing the English department this year were Mrs. Leona Gronvold, Mrs. Marilyn Parker, Mrs. Susan Tonner, and Mrs. Anita Zastrow. Sophomore and senior English were under Mrs. Gronvold, along with French I and II. She also led the oratory division in declam. Mrs. Parker was kept busy with debate, of which she was the advisor, when she was not teaching her freshman English class. When Mrs. Tonner could not be found in the classroom with her juniors and seniors, she was working in the library, which was under her management. She also directed the junior and senior class plays, and led the poetry division in declam. This year, Mrs. Zastrow taught English for the first time at EPHS. She had one class of freshmen. Mrs. Gronvold was the junior class sponsor while Mrs. Tonner and Mrs. Zastrow led the sophomore and senior classes, respectively.



The Elk Point Math Department was shared by Mr. Donald Chicoine and Mr. Leon Swier. Mr. Chicoine taught Algebra I. He then went into the sports department, teaching high school physical education. Football was under his management, and he also acted as assistant basketball coach. Mr. Swier carried the greater percentage of math classes. He taught general math, Algebra II, and senior math. Elementary physical education classes were under Mr. Swier, and he sponsored the seventh and eighth grade boys intramural. In the spring, Mr. Swier coached the EPHS track team.



Mrs. Corrine Milburn and Mr. Ray Schnell made up the science department of EPHS this year. Mrs. Milburn's duties included freshmen general science, chemistry, and physics. Sophomore biology was taught by Mr. Schnell. Both Mrs. Milburn and Mr. Schnell were freshmen class sponsors.

Social Sciences were under the leadership of Mr. John McIntosh, Mr. Ray Schnell, and Mrs. Linda Stene. The government, economics—sociology, and psychology classes were guided by Mr. McIntosh. After school, he coached the freshmen basketball team. American History was taught by Mr. Schnell, and Mrs. Stene had World History. She also instructed two divisions of humorous and dramatics in declam this year.



The miscellaneous classes this year were carried out by Mr. Gary Bell, music; Mr. Arthur Tonn, agriculture and shop; Miss Deloris Vondrak, home economics; and Mrs. Anita Zastrow, business. Mr. Bell's music consisted of vocal, A and B band, and small groups. The Future Farmers of America were led by Mr. Tonn. He also directed a summer agriculture program. Miss Vondrak's home economics included the grades of junior high, freshmen, sophomore, and senior. She was also a busy advisor of the junior class. Shorthand, typing and bookkeeping were the classes which fell under Mrs. Zastrow's leadership. She was kept busy as advisor of the Pointer Staff, the Annual Staff, and senior class.

Four teachers, Mrs. Mildred Fennel, Mr. Neil McLane, Mrs. Marilyn Parker, and Mrs. Linda Stene composed the junior high teaching staff. Mrs. Fennel taught seventh and eighth grade math; Mr. McLane, science; Mrs. Parker, English; and Mrs. Stene, social studies. Mrs. Fennel had the added duty of eighth grade home room, and Mrs. Stene guided the seventh grade.







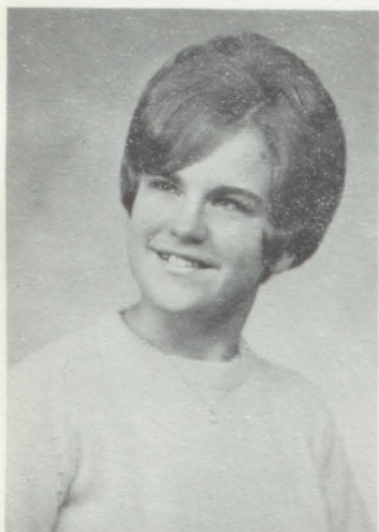
CLASSES

SENIOR CLASS OF 1970

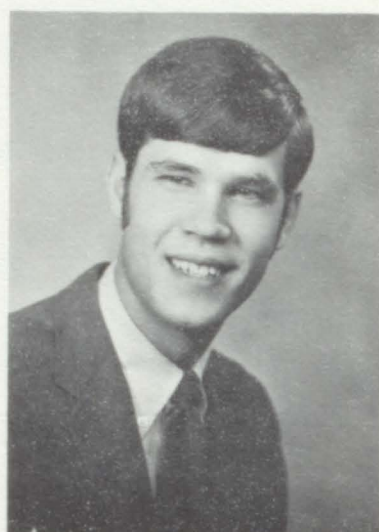
The class of '70's first duty was to elect class officers. They elected Doug Ferdig as President, Kent Kavanaugh as Vice President, Mike Slattery as Secretary-Treasurer, and Susan Franey as Student Council Representative.

The senior float, pictured at right, won first prize in the Elk Day parade.

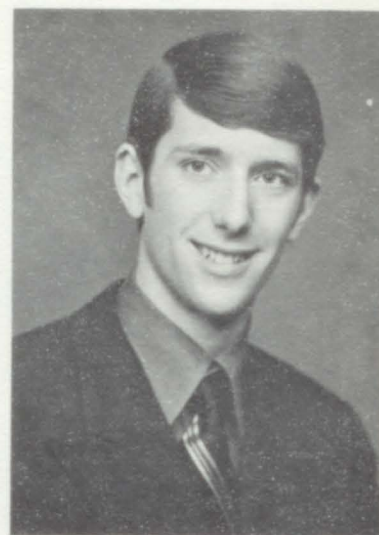
Commencement exercises in the school's new auditorium marked an end to the senior's high school years.



Deloris Anderson



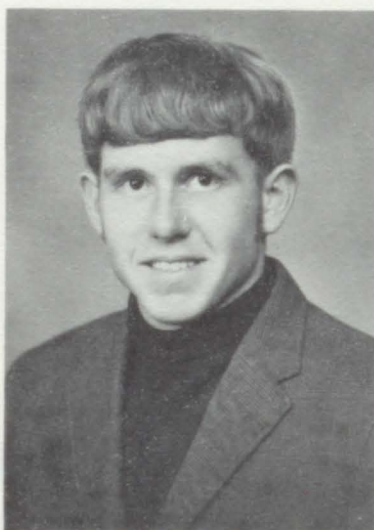
Steve Benson



Mike Bird



Mary Bosse



Jim Connolly



Bob Corio



Doug Dahlgren



Dianne Davis



Ed Donnelly



Steve Donnelly



Doug Ferdig



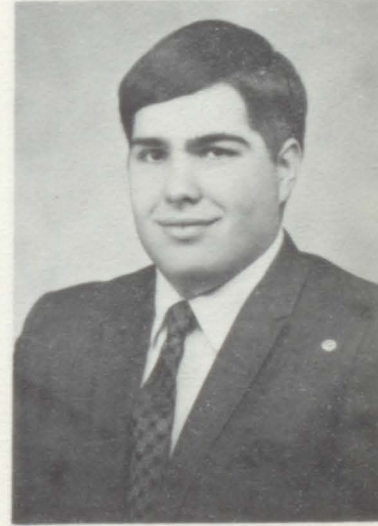
Carmen Fowler



Susan Franey



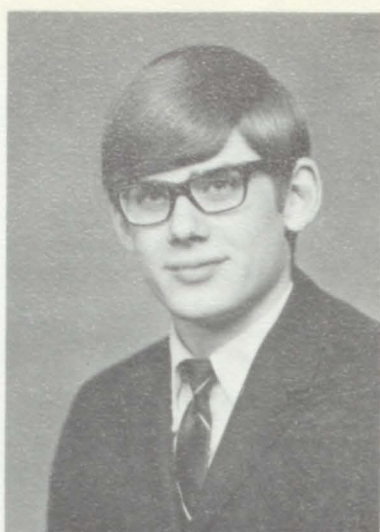
Nancy Geary



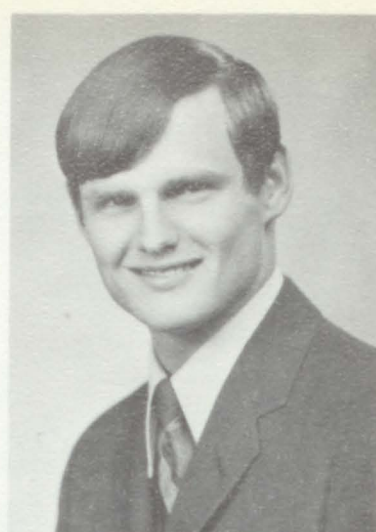
Bill Geary



Julie Gilkison



Wes Guillaume



Pat Hall



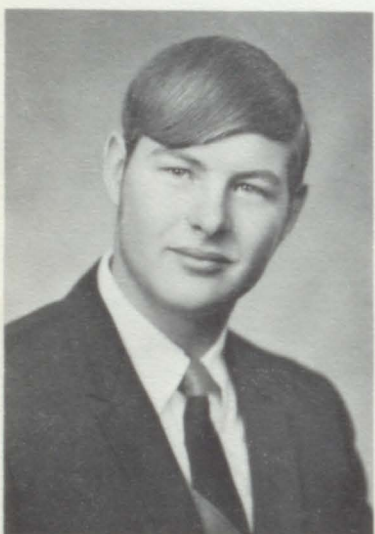
Laura Hammitt



Gary Hanson



Rosemary Hinds



Kent Kavanaugh



Pat Law



Mary Lieb



Janet Limoges



Craig Livingston



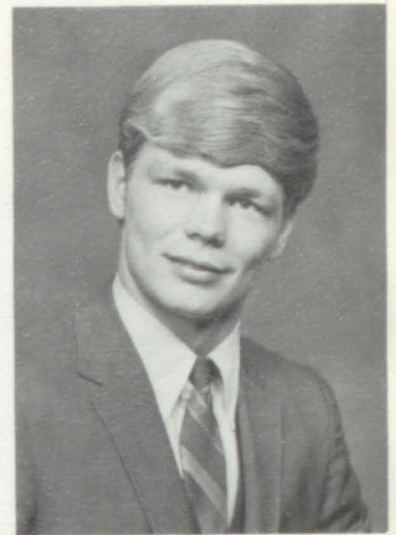
Pam Lyle



Glenn Malloy



Leo Mikkelsen



Dennis Minor



Audrey Bjork Morse



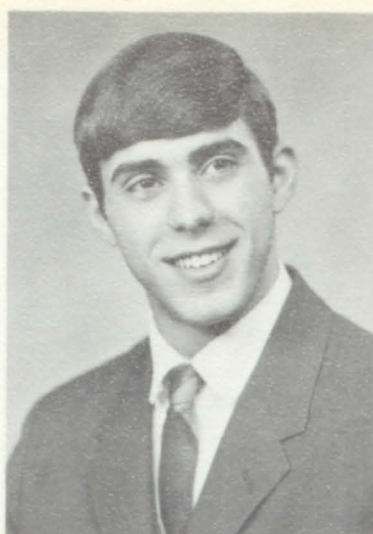
Gary Nickles



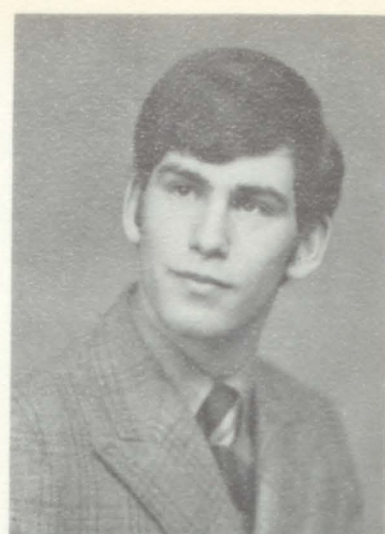
Susan Olson



Kathy Rasmussen



Richard Roach



Michael Slattery



Vicki Sundleaf



Lana Weaver



Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the class of 1970 were Michael Slattery and Glenn Malloy.



Glenn Malloy and Kathy Rasmussen received the American Legion Citizenship Awards.

Graduation Exercises Held in New Auditorium

Processional	Marilyn Anderson
Invocation	Rev. Jerald Barnhart
Music	Mixed Chorus
	"Graduation Day"
Address	Gary Enright
P.E.O. Award	Naomi Beebee
American Legion Citizenship Award	C. Kenneth Dahlgren
	Commander, Bert L. Smith American Legion Post 134
V.F.W. Scholarship Award	Delmer Abraham
	Commander, V.F.W. Post 915
Charles D. Smith Scholarship Award	Robert Eslick
	Volunteer Fire Department
E.S.A. Scholarship Award	Jackie Heckathorn
	President, E.S.A.
Music	Madrigal
	"May You Always"
Presentation of Class	Principal Roger Schaffer
Presentation of Diplomas	John Curry
	President, Board of Education
Music	Mixed Chorus
	"The Halls of Ivy"
Benediction	Rev. Jerald Barnhart
Recessional	Marilyn Anderson

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CLASS MOTTO

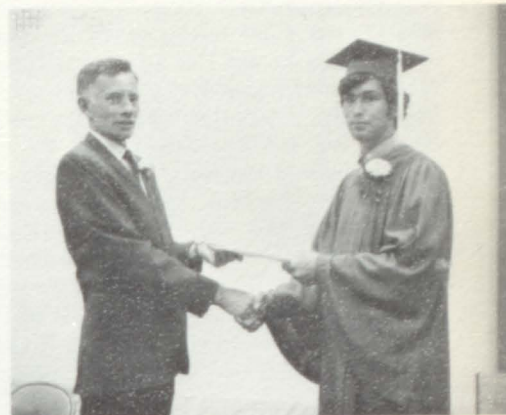
"When One Man Is Enslaved, All Are Not Free."

CLASS FLOWER

Pink Rose

CLASS COLORS

Pink and Silver



Mike Slattery was presented the V.F.W. scholarship.



Gary Nickles received the Charley Smith scholarship.



Pam Lyle received the P.E.O. award.



Susan Olson was presented the E.S.A. scholarship.

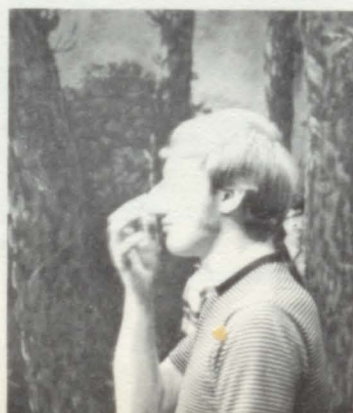
Seniors Present Three One-Act Plays

The senior class presented three one-act plays to the public on May 12. Mrs. Susan Tonner was the director.

"Calling Mr. and Mrs. America" was the first play presented. It was a drama encouraging people to work for peace. Those in this play were Rosemary Hinds, Bob Corio, Leo Mikkelsen, and Lana Weaver. Pam Lyle was student director.

The second play was a comedy based on the courtship of Miles Tarnish. This play was "Asker, John Asker." The cast for this play was as follows: Doug Ferdig, Rich Roach, Nancy Geary, Steve Donnelly, and Dennis Minor. Student director was Steve Benson.

"Once Upon a Playground" was the last play presented. This play showed how foolish conformity is when everyone is different. The following were in this play: Gary Nickles, Pat Law, Jim Connolly, Susan Franey, Susan Olson, Janet Limoges, Dianne Davis, Laura Hammitt, Deloris Anderson, and Kathy Rasmussen. Kent Kavanaugh was student director.



Seniors Recognized for Outstanding Citizenship



Susan Olson received the Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow award. She was chosen on the basis of her score in the homemaking knowledge and aptitude test taken by the senior girls.



Kathy Rasmussen was chosen as the 1970 DAR representative from E.P.H.S. She also received the County DAR award representing Union County. This honor was given to Kathy on the basis of leadership and service to her school and community.



Glenn Malloy, Kathy Rasmussen and Mike Slattery were chosen to receive the Outstanding Teenagers of America Award.



Senior class officers were Mike Slattery, Secretary-Treasurer; Susan Franey, Student Council Representative; Doug Ferdig, President; and Kent Kavanaugh, Vice-President.



Steve Benson and Mike Slattery, the two seniors who comprised the physics class, are seen doing an experiment.

Juniors Participate in Numerous Activities

Returning this year as upperclassmen, the juniors were led by President Eugene KJose, Vice-President Gene McDaniel, Secretary-Treasurer Patti Rehling, and Student Council Representative Marlene Hall.

In September, the junior class conducted its magazine drive to raise funds for the remaining two years. These profits were used primarily for the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom. This class had the highest sales ever by a junior class at EPHS. Mike Pierce was high magazine salesman.

The juniors had many things to be kept busy with all year. As class projects, they worked on their float, presented a class play, and worked together to make the Prom a huge success.



B. Ballinger
W. Cacek
M. Dion

S. Bennett
C. Chicoine
M. Eslick

G. Benson
L. Chicoine
P. Guillaume

C. Bouck
B. Curry
M. Hall

P. Burrell
P. Curry
M. Hall



Selected to attend Girl's State were Peggy Curry and Jill Hansen. The week's activities were held on the campus of Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell. Alternates were Roxanne Hanson and Rita Kyte.

Boy's State was held in Aberdeen on the campus of Northern State College. Eugene KJose and Bill Curry represented Elk Point. Alternates were Leon Chicoine and Bob Malloy.



M. Hanson
S. Huffstetler
B. Malloy
L. Olson

R. Hanson
P. King
L. McBride
P. Pace

E. Hammond
Y. Hanson
E. Kiose
G. McDaniel
M. Pierce

J. Hansen
D. Harkness
E. Kyte
J. McInerney
M. Pierce

M. Hanson
E. Hirocke
R. Kyte
S. Milburn
P. Pratt

With their float "Behead Brandon," the juniors received third place.





P. Rehling
D. Tiemens

R. Rosenbaum
V. VonHaden

J. Suing
M. Wensel

D. Sullivan
S. Westin

S. Thorson
A. Wood

Juniors Practice Witchcraft



Last fall, the Juniors presented "Get Witch Quick" directed by Mrs. Tonner with Leon Chicoine, student director. The setting is Craft College, a finishing school for young witches near Salem, Massachusetts. Among the faculty are old Mother Hecate, teaching un-natural sciences, and Miss Wisk, the broom-riding instructor. The only non-witch in school is Steve, a substitute teacher, who doesn't know that it is a witches' school.

Lucinda, Junelle, and Undine compete for a government job. Through magic, Undine wins. Lucinda puts a love spell on Junelle and Steve, so Junelle will lose her supernatural powers. Mother Hecate and her students help by charming Undine Brandsacker, who is flunking, into being the most talented witch. Junelle, now a mortal, goes happily away with Steve.

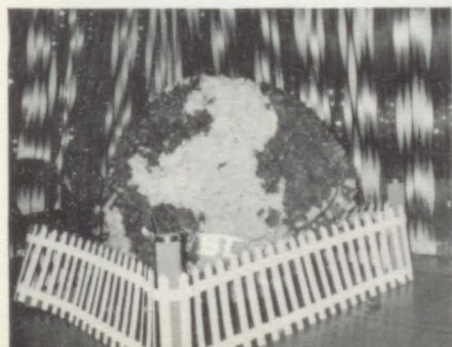


“Impossible Dream” Becomes Reality at Prom



“The Impossible Dream” was the theme for the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom. The banquet was held at the City Auditorium and the dance in the school gym. “The Faith” provided the music. The gym was decorated with sapphire and silver streamers with stars hanging from the ceiling.

Outstanding features were the “Fountain of Youth” and the “Golden Staircase to the Stars.” The two brightly painted murals read “Love” and “Understanding.”



The annual style show, sponsored by the home economics department, was held on the Tuesday following the banquet and prom. The decorations from the prom provide a background for the style show each year.



Sophomores Reach Halfway Point

Here comes the Sophomore Class returning for their second year of high school. They were led by: President Dan DeBuhr, Vice-President Joan Hall, Secretary-Treasurer Jeanette Hanson, and Student Council Representative Kathy Hall.

They dissected a number of specimens this year under the direction of Mr. Schnell in Biology Class.

Mr. Bohn practice taught the final year of Physical Education for this class.



S. Abraham
W. Branson
P. Chicoine
R. Erickson

R. Adams
L. Brewer
D. Davis
C. Fennel

M. Anderson
T. Burcham
D. DeBuhr
D. Geary

P. Bosse
C. Burrell
P. Dunham
G. Grothe

C. Branson
N. Chicoine
A. Emerson
C. Guillaume



J. Hall
J. Hieb
C. Irwin

K. Hall
J. Hinds
S. Irwin



J. Hammitt
D. Hirocke
K. Kavanaugh
D. Lanning

G. Hanson
D. Hofland
B. Klapprodt
O. Lieb

J. Hanson
S. Hofland
L. Lane
P. Limoges



Several sophomores are pictured in a typical scene from a Typewriting I class.

"Take to the Air for Victory" was the slogan for the Sophomore float.





M. Lyle
L. Noble
B. Rubida

S. Mikkelson
C. Parsons
D. Schoen

B. Miller
D. Petty
C. Stanton

V. McBride
L. Robbins
R. Talbott

A. Nickles
P. Roach
K. VonHaden



These lucky sophomores were chosen to serve at the Prom. The boys were Mike Lyle, Phil Bosse, Dan DeBuhr, Alan Nickles, Craig Guillaume, Pat Chicoine, and Chuck Parsons. The girl servers were Kathy Hall, Jane Hammitt, Gloria Hanson, Debbie Schoen, Annette Emerson, Joan Hall, and Lorie Robbins.



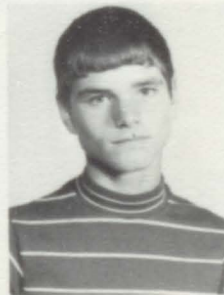
Craig and Gloria are shown serving two of the senior girls.

Freshmen Survive First Year

The year 1970 was one of the "better" years for Freshmen Initiation. The seniors were pretty rough on the poor freshmen. By the end of the day, they had eggs and perfume in their ratted hair and lipstick and eyebrow pencil on their faces.

The freshmen did overcome and soon they elected class officers as follows: president, Connie Franey; vice-president, Debbie Guillaume; secretary-treasurer, Merlin Henke; and student council representative, Angela Corio.

Many of the freshmen spent a great amount of time at the freshmen basketball games cheering their team on to victory.



D. Chicoine
D. Curry
D. Guillaume

E. Chicoine
M. Donnelly
T. Hall

K. Chicoine
P. Donnelly
K. Hammitt

K. Callahan
A. Corio
C. Franey
C. Hammond

S. Callahan
D. Curry
P. Girard
M. Henke



W. Jolin
T. Lanning
B. Livingston

S. Jorgensen
V. Lanning
J. McNerney



M. Henke
D. King
V. Larson
R. Minor
J. Rasmussen

D. Herrick
N. Kroeger
C. Law
J. Ogan
O. Richters

R. Jansen
D. Kubal
E. Lawrence
D. Petty
B. Schulz



The Freshmen's first float, "Brand the Lynx" had a lot of hard work put into it.



L. Stikelberg
W. Thorson

L. Stewart
S. Trobaugh

D. Talbott
M. Westin

D. Talbott
B. Wilbur

D. Tepley
J. Williams

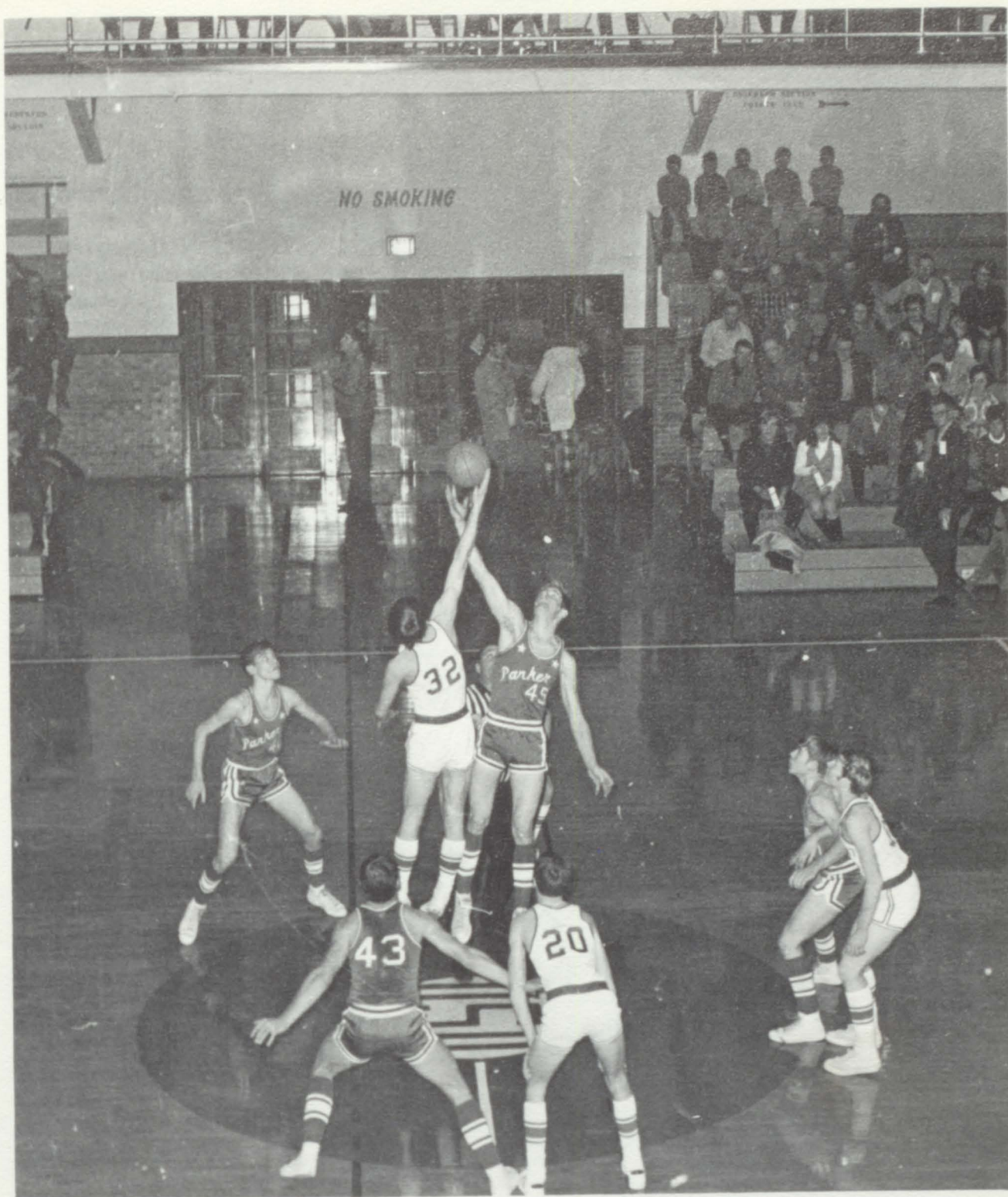
Freshmen Enjoy Initiation



The freshmen managed to survive initiation after a full workout from the seniors. The girls had to wash their hair the night before and not comb it. They wore their dad's bib overalls and boots. The boys wore their mother's dresses. A bow in their hair added to their appearance. At noon they ate their lunch uptown on the curb.







ACTIVITIES



Queen Carmen

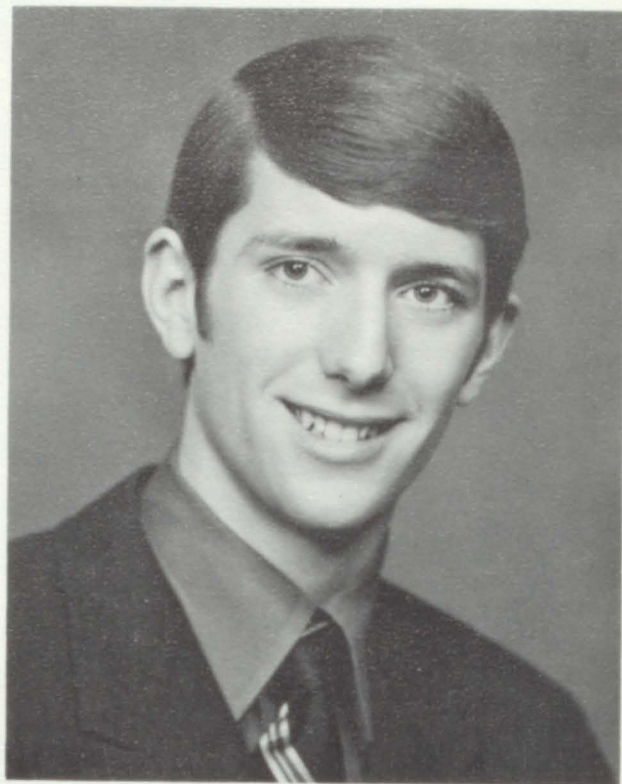


King Richard

Senior Royalty Attendants



Kathy



Mike



Laura



Gary



Tension mounted as Herald Pam Lyle prepared to announce the Elk Day King and Queen for 1969!

King Rick and Queen Carmen were crowned by the Royalty of 1968, Marge Hall and Dan Chicoine. Senior attendants to the Royalty of '69 were Kathy Rasmussen, Mike Bird, Laura Hammitt, and Gary Nickles.

Attendants from the junior class were Marlene Hall and Jill Hansen. Jane Hammitt was the sophomore attendant for the freshmen.

The King's scepter and Queen's bouquet were presented by Julie Gilkison and Deloris Anderson. Dianne Davis and Susan Olson presented the senior attendants with their flowers. The underclassmen attendants received their flowers from Rosemary Hinds and Janet Limoges.

Harold Franey and Tim Staum carried the Queen's train. Pat Davis and Julius Strand were selected as crown bearers. Flower girls were Jean Ann Bjork and Debbie Kavanaugh.

The Elk Day festivities were continued the following day as the entire Royalty procession rode in the Elk Day parade. The highlight of the parade was the awarding of prizes for the best floats. The first place award in the high school division was presented to the senior class. Second place went to the seventh and eighth grades, while the junior class received the third place rating.



Patti and Jill



Marlene and Jane

Pointer Band Makes Several Appearances



Last fall, six majorettes were seen leading the Pointer Marching Band. KNEELING: Mickey Hanson, Julie Gilkison, Marisa Dion. STANDING: Rhonda Rosenbaum, Peggy Roach, Patti Rehling.

The marching band began the new school year by marching in the Elk Day parade. They traveled to Vermillion to participate in Dakota Day and were also seen marching in the Hawk Day parade at Jefferson. The band performed at all home football and basketball games.

Seventeen members of the band represented Elk Point in the District Tournament band. The tournament band also was asked to perform at the University game on February 28.

Peggy Curry, Dan DeBuhr, Sid Milburn, and Peter Limoges represented Elk Point at the Instrumental Contest in Vermillion. They also auditioned for All-State Band.

The highlight of the year was performing at the Regional Tournament at the Sioux Falls Arena. They also had the pleasure of playing for the dedication of the new post office.

The band displayed their talents at the April Spring Concert with the selections of "March of the Golden Brass," "The Horse," "Apple Valley," "Hawaii Five-O," "Crusaders," "By the Time I Get to Phoenix," and "Welsh Rhapsody."



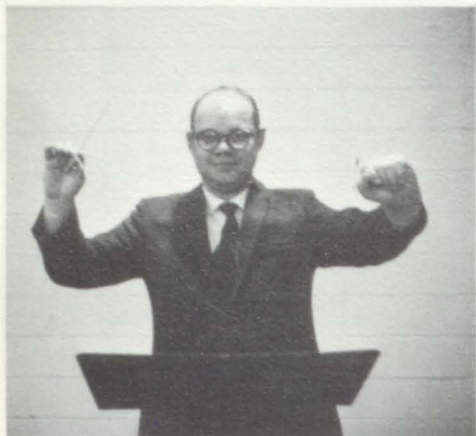
Directly following the marching band came the Pom Pom girls who performed their original routines. FIRST ROW: Pam Lyle and Deloris Anderson. SECOND ROW: Kathy Hall, Marilyn Anderson, Joan Hall, Nancy Geary, Sarah Huffstetler, Lorie Robbins. THIRD ROW: Jane Hammitt, Lissa Lane, Sally Mikkelsen, Debbie Hofland, Debbie Schoen, Peggy Pratt, Rosemary Hinds.



FIRST ROW: Julie Curry, Janet Nickles, Jeanette Tryon, Carol Hopp, Debbie Donnelly, Angela Corio, Paula Girard, Sherry Abraham, Susan Olson, Peggy Curry, Janet Limoges. SECOND ROW: Kathy Rasmussen, Susan Franey, Laura Hammitt, Carmen Fowler, LeAnn Stewart, Vicki Lanning, Debbie Herrick, Annette Emerson, Gloria Hanson, Rita Kyte, Connie Franey, Debbie Guillaume, Laura Noble, Scott Davis, Randy Markee. THIRD ROW: Mary Dee Donnelly, Ann Marie Curry, Suellen Patnaude, Julie Van Bockern, Katie Slattery, Mary Chicoine, Roger Ashmore, Jim Munhofen, Cliff Haines, Kerry Livingston, Mark Turner, Dan Curry, David Curry, Dan DeBuhr, Larry DeBuhr, Peter Limoges, Randy Livingston, Scott Hoffman, Greg Vinzant. FOURTH ROW: Paul Hammitt, Tim Curry, Sid Milburn, Marvin Knecht, Larris Noble, Chuck Hammond, Mr. Bell.



Vocalists Express Emotion Through Song



The vocal division of the Music Department this year consisted of Mixed Chorus, Girls Glee, Triple Trio, and Madrigal. These groups were under the direction of Mr. Gary Bell. The accompanists for these groups were Susan Franey, Mixed Chorus; Marilyn Anderson, Girls Glee; Connie Franey, Triple Trio and Madrigal.

The major events of the year were the Spring Concert and graduation exercises. As in other years, the Department sent four representatives to the All-State Chorus held in Sioux Falls.



The 1970 vocal soloist participants were Marilyn Anderson, Lorie Robbins, Laura Noble, and John Suing. They sang a combination of religious songs and ballads for the divisional vocal soloist contest. Marilyn also sang her solo selection at the Scholarship Banquet and Laura presented her song at the Athletic Banquet.



The triple trio consisted of Marilyn Anderson, Laura Hammitt, Susan Franey, Carmen Fowler, Deloris Anderson, Kathy Rasmussen, Dianne Davis, Lorie Robbins, Jill Hansen, with Connie Franey, accompanist. They sang at various programs, such as the teachers' reception and the Junior Class Play. They participated in the Spring Concert and also sang a farewell to the seniors at graduation.



Adding a touch of charm to the Spring Concert, the Girls Glee performed "Matchmaker" and "Cherish." FIRST ROW: Mr. Bell, Sandra Jorgensen, Jeanette Hanson, Debbie Hirocke, Eileen Chicoine, Debra Petty, Sherry Abraham, Kathy Hall, Patti Donnelly, Angela Corio, Paula Girard, Jill Hansen, Brenda Livingston, Denise Chicoine, Ella Hirocke, Marilyn Anderson. SECOND ROW: Christy Law, Ollie Richters, Laura Hammitt, Susan Olson, LeAnn Stewart, Debbie Herrick, Lorie Robbins, Joan Hall, Annette Emerson, Mickey Hanson, Marisa Dion, Kathy Rasmussen, Darlys Tiemens, Deloris Anderson, Mary Bosse, Julie Gilkison, Janet Limoges. THIRD ROW: Wanda Thorson, Laura Noble, Yvonne Hanson, Carmen Fowler, Lana Weaver, Jean McInerney, Sally Mikkelson, Maureen Donnelly, Patty Rehling, Sarah Huffstetler, Vicki Lanning, Debbie Guillaume, Rhonda Rosenbaum, Viola Larsen, Patsy Dunham. FOURTH ROW: Sandra Irwin, Lissa Lane, Susan Callahan, Jane Hammitt, Peggy Roach, Rosemary Hinds, Susan Franey, Debbie Schoen, Debbie Hofland, Connie Franey, Debbie Talbott, Lila Steckelberg, Nancy Kroeger.





Mixed Chorus and Madrigal Perform



The Sioux Falls Arena on November 7 and 8 was the setting for the All-State Chorus. Representatives from around South Dakota were present. Those chosen to represent Elk Point were Laura Hammitt, Dianne Davis, Phil Burrell, and John Suing. They left early Friday morning and returned late Saturday night. Practices were held all day Friday. Friday night a dance was held for all participants. Practice was resumed early Saturday morning for a concert was held later that night. The All-State representatives performed a selection from the All-State Concert "Go Away From My Window" at the Junior Class Play.



The Elk Point Mixed Chorus practiced hard throughout the year for various activities. They participated in the Spring Concert April 12; their selections were: "Go Away From My Window", "By the Time I Get to Phoenix", "Alleluia", and "Lord For Thy Tender Mercies Sake," accompanied by Susan Franey. They also bid farewell to the seniors at graduation ceremonies. **FIRST ROW:** Mr. Bell, Jeannette Hanson, Deb Hirocke, Joan Hall, Lorie Robbins, Marilyn Anderson, Mickey Hanson, Marisa Dion, Paula Girard, Jill Hansen, Susan Franey, accompanist. **SECOND ROW:** Lissa Lane, Susan Olson, Laura Hammitt, LeAnn Stewart, Deb Herrick, Carmen Fowler, Annette Emerson, Patti Rehling, Kathy Rasmussen, Darlys Tiemens, Deloris Anderson, Mary Bosse, Julie Gilkison, Janet Limoges. **THIRD ROW:** Susan Callahan, Jane Hammitt, Laura Noble, Yvonne Hanson, Peggy Roach, Connie Franey, Rhonda Rosenbaum, Mike Pierce, Jeff McInerney, Glenn Malloy, John Suing, Sarah Huffstetler, Vicky Lanning, Deb Guillaume, Rosemary Hinds, Lana Weaver, Maureen Donnelly. **FOURTH ROW:** Jim Connolly, Dan DeBuhr, John Hinds, Chuck Parsons, Bruce Rubida, Peter Limoges, Sid Milburn, Bob Malloy, Gene McDaniel, David Davis, Scott Bennett, Noel Chicoine, Craig Fennel, Richard Talbott, Ricky Janssen, Philip Burrell, Richard Roach, Phil Bosse, Leon Chicoine, Mike Slattery.

at Graduation Ceremonies



The madrigal representatives were **FIRST ROW:** Mr. Bell, Laura Noble, Laura Hammitt, Susan Franey, Carmen Fowler, Marilyn Anderson, Dianne Davis, Deloris Anderson, Kathy Rasmussen. **SECOND ROW:** Dan DeBuhr, Peter Limoges, David Davis, Mike Pierce, John Suing, Philip Burrell. They showed their talents at the Spring Concert, accompanied by Connie Franey, with the selection "Now, Oh Now, My Needs Must Part." They also sang a farewell to the seniors at graduation exercises.

Cheerleaders and Pep Club Arouse Enthusiasm



Four girls are chosen each spring as cheerleaders to represent the student body at all football and basketball games. There were three seniors and one junior representing the school this year. They were Carmen Fowler, Laura Hammitt, Kathy Rasmussen, and Mickey Hanson. These girls were chosen on the basis of their ability to lead the student body in yells. It is up to them to keep school spirit and enthusiasm high. A great deal of hard work goes into the planning of the pep rallies that are held before some of the games. These girls were also responsible for many of the signs that were seen in the halls before each of the games. The cheerleaders, with the help of some of the members of the Pep Club, spent several hours planning and painting the signs that were displayed at the district tournament. The outfits worn by the cheerleaders this year consisted of white sweaters with blue trim and white skirts with blue set-in pleats and saddle shoes.

Mickey

Kathy

Laura

Carmen





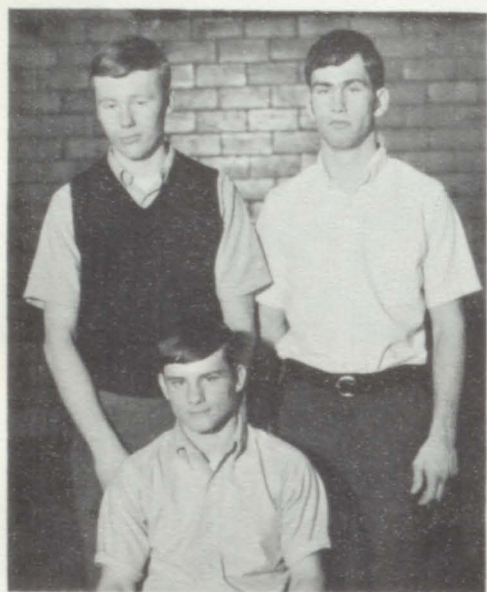
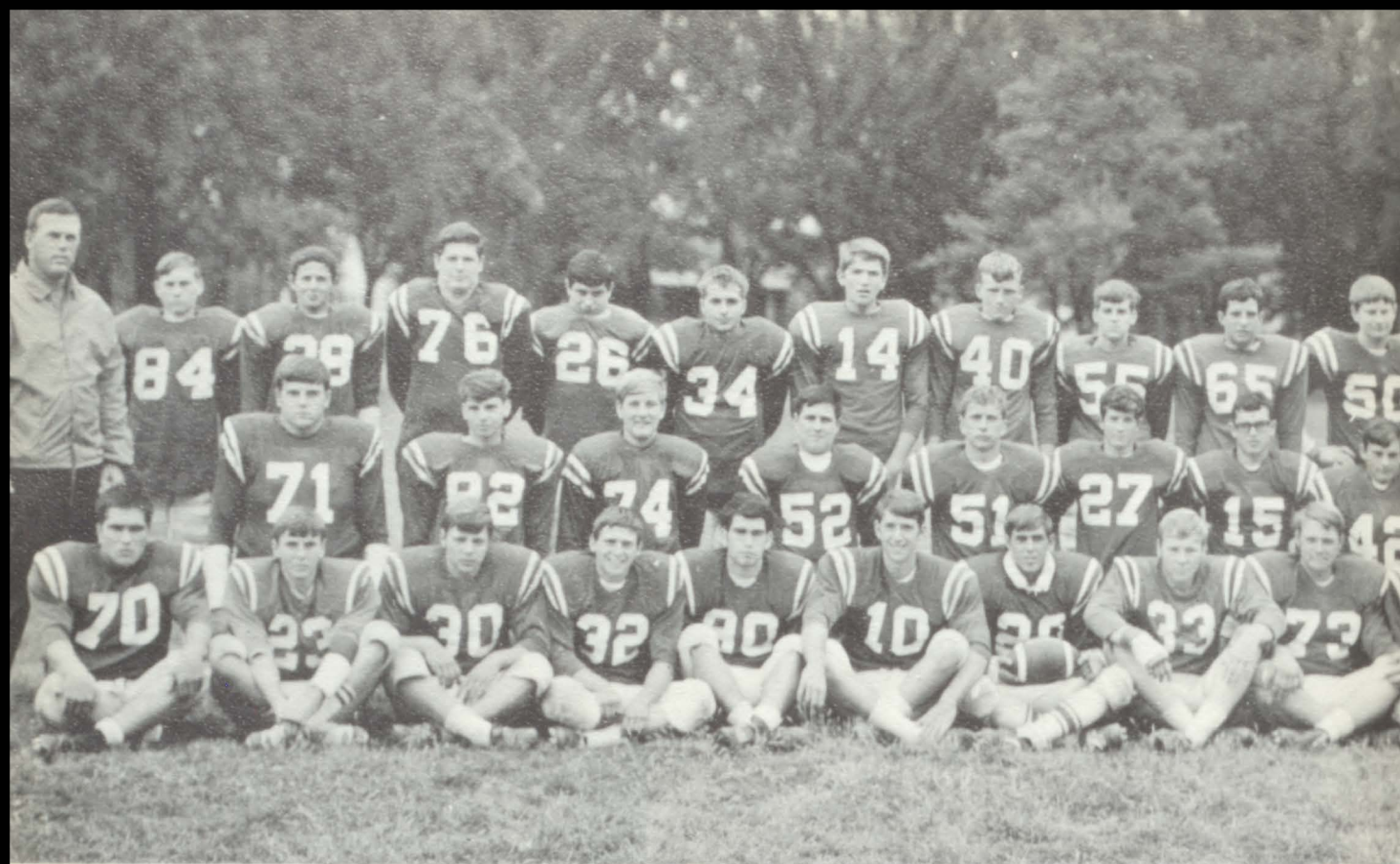
The Pep Club supported the cheerleaders by cheering the Pointers to victory. KNEELING: "B", "A", and "Frosh" cheerleaders. FIRST ROW: Lila Steckelberg, Pam Lyle, Peggy Roach, Paula Girard, LeAnn Stewart, Deb Herrick, Nancy Kroeger, Maureen Donnelly, Rhonda Rosenbaum, Rosemary Hinds, Sherry Abraham, Deb Hirocke, Jeanette Hanson, Ella Hirocke, Brenda Livingston, Debbie Talbott. SECOND ROW: Vicky Lanning, Lana Weaver, Janet Limoges, Marsha Eslick, Susan Thorson, Lynne Olson, Lorie Robbins, Sarah Huffstetler, Wanda Thorson, Patti Rehling, Rita Kyte, Joan Hall, Gloria Hanson, Marilyn Anderson, Viola Larsen, Yvonne Hanson. THIRD ROW: Nancy Geary, Pat Law, Sally Mikkelsen, Annette Emerson, Lissa Lane, Denise Chicoine, Laura Noble, Darlys Tiemens, Deb Hofland, Connie Franey, Susan Franey, Mary Bosse, Deb Schoen, Ollie Richters, Susan Callahan, Christy Law, Julie Gilkison, Susan Olson.



Freshmen cheerleaders are from left to right: Debbie Guillaume, Jean McInerney, Angela Corio, and Patti Donnelly. These cheerleaders were very active this year, as they urged their Frosh team on to a winning season.



Much pep and spirit was added to this season's basketball activities by the B-team cheerleaders. They are from left to right: Jane Hammitt, Jill Hansen, Marlene Hall, and Kathy Hall.



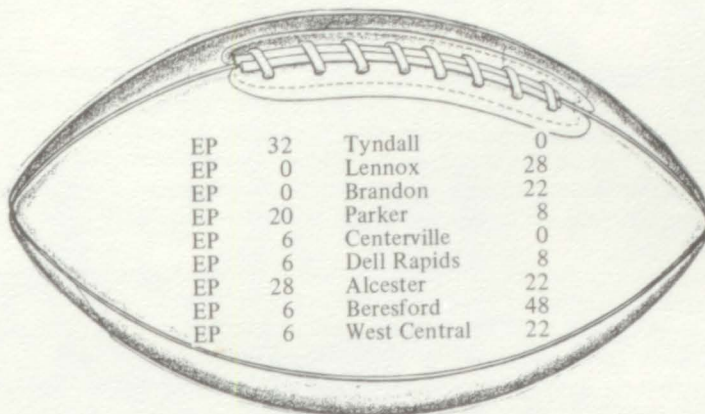
Due to their outstanding play and leadership throughout the football season, seniors Gary Nickles and Mike Slattery and junior Mike Hall were chosen by the 'Big 8' conference coaches to represent the Pointers on the 1969 all-conference team.

Doug Ferdig, Scott Bennett, and Glenn Malloy received the right to represent the Pointers on the honorable-mention list. Doug and Glenn are seniors and Scott is a junior.

FIRST ROW: Bill Geary, Steve Donnelly, Doug Ferdig, Glenn Malloy, Mike Slattery, Mike Bird, Rick Roach, Gary Nickles, Bob Corio, Leo Mikkelsen, Jim Connolly, Kent Kavanaugh. SECOND ROW: Peter Guillaume, Mike Wensel, Jeff McInerney, Bill Curry, Gene McDaniel, Greg Benson, Gene KJose, Mike Hall, Joe Lyle. THIRD ROW: Coach Chicoine, Alan Nickes, Mike Lyle, Rick Talbott, Phil Bosse, Doug Geary, Randy Erickson, Dave Davis, Bruce Rubida, Pat Chicoine, Bill Miller, Leon Chicoine, Scott Bennett, Coach McIntosh, Coach Swier.



Pointers Compile 4-5 Record



EP	32	Tyndall	0
EP	0	Lennox	28
EP	0	Brandon	22
EP	20	Parker	8
EP	6	Centerville	0
EP	6	Dell Rapids	8
EP	28	Alcester	22
EP	6	Beresford	48
EP	6	West Central	22

The 1970 Pointer football squad opened with practice the second week in August under the direction of Coach Chicoine, assisted by Coach Swier. The team opened the season with an impressive win over Tyndall. The Pointers then met some tough competition and lost their next two games. The big highlight of the season was a 6-0 win over Centerville; while the Pointers lost a disappointing game to Dell Rapids by a score of 8-6.



KNEELING: David Curry, Tim Hall, Chuck Hammond, Kurt Hammitt, Dan Curry. STANDING: Dick King, Terry Lanning, Dan Teply, Rick Janssen.

Pointers Roll to 18-6 Record

The Pointers, under the direction of Mr. Roger Schaffer, assisted by Mr. Don Chicoine, compiled an 18-6 record for the 1969-70 basketball season.

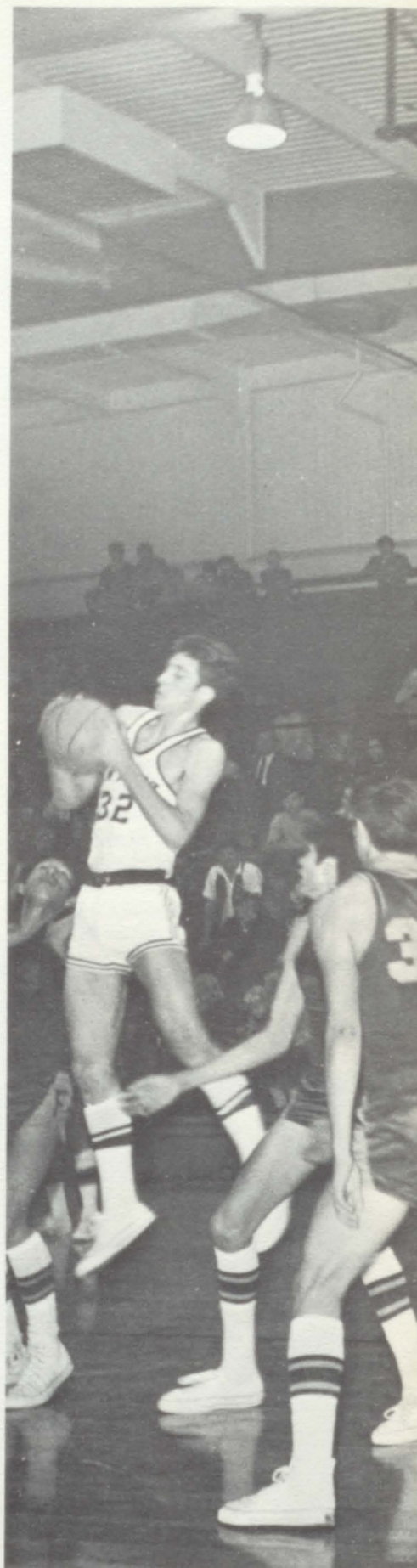
Leading the attack were seniors: Mike Bird, Steve Donnelly, Glenn Malloy, Gary Nickles, and Mike Slattery. Juniors: Scott Bennett, Gene Kiose, and Bob Malloy. Helping out throughout the season were Craig Guillaume, Ed Kyte, Mike Hall, Gene Hammond, Bill Miller, Alan Nickles, and Steve Hofland.

Highlights of the season included a victory over Class A Flandreau Indians, an opening round win over Lennox in the Big Eight Conference tournament, a District 23 championship, and a trip to Region 6.

The "B" team, coached by Mr. Chicoine, ended the year with an 8-9 record, while Mr. John McIntosh's freshmen team compiled a 6-3 slate.

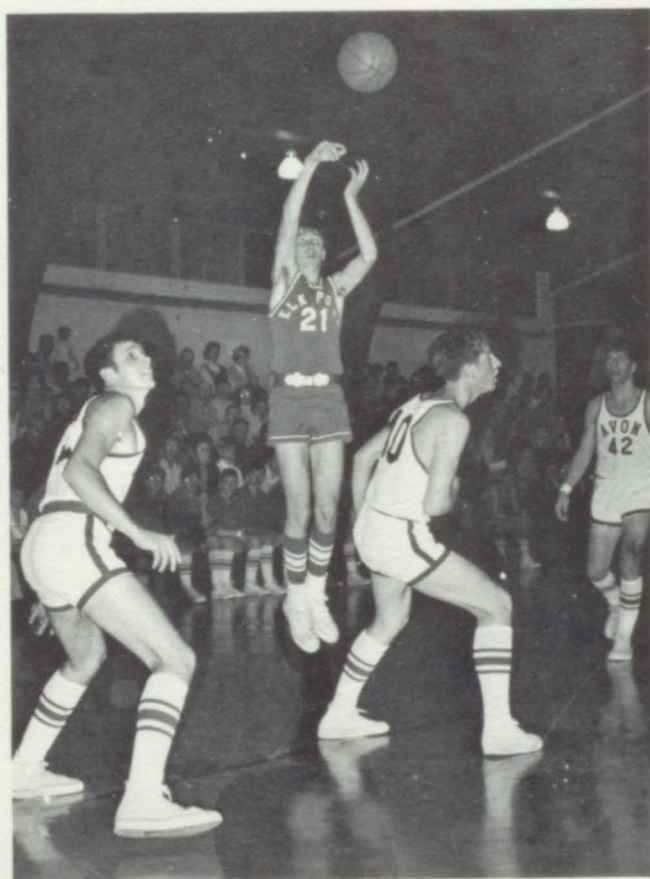
RIGHT: Mike Bird shows the form that he used throughout the season in leading the Pointers to an 18 and 6 record.

BELOW: The Pointers take a break during the Parker game to talk things over.





KNEELING: Gary Nickles, Eugene KJose, Glenn Malloy, Bill Miller, Craig Guillaume, Mike Hall. STANDING: Coach Schaffer, Mike Slattery, Scott Bennett, Mike Bird, Steve Donnelly, Bob Malloy, Ed Kyte, Coach Chicoine.



Steve Donnelly shows his ability to shoot against the Avon team in the Christmas doubleheader in Avon.

1969-70 "A" SQUAD BASKETBALL RECORD

POINTERS	50	Akron	45
	61	S. C. Riverside	60
	56	Lennox	50
	73	Jefferson	32
	65	Brandon-Valley	59
	70	Flandreau Indians	68
	69	Avon	42
	50	Lennox	49
	73	Alcester	69
	48	Beresford	51
	41	Parker	55
	82	Centerville	55
	52	West Central	51
	58	Dell Rapids	63
	75	Wakonda	65
	65	Alcester	37
	46	Beresford	53
	61	Irene	49
	61	Centerville	54
	56	Tyndall	48
	60	Gayville-Volin	48
	41	Irene	34
	47	Hurley	56
	63	Tripp	64

1969-70 "B" SQUAD BASKETBALL RECORD

POINTERS	35	Akron	30
	43	Riverside	73
	23	Lennox	40
	40	Jefferson	17
	28	Brandon	47
	31	Flandreau	28
	23	Parker	34
	24	Centerville	38
	38	West Central	46
	36	Dell Rapids	41
	63	Wakonda	41
	48	Alcester	49
	46	Beresford	29
	26	Irene	16
	40	Centerville	44
	42	Tyndall	37

1969-70 "FROSH" SQUAD BASKETBALL RECORD

POINTERS	38	Riverside	35
	32	West Sioux	24
	58	Beresford	35
	53	West Sioux	41
	44	Vermillion	51
	48	Haysworth	83
	39	Centerville	45
	70	Vermillion	66
	68	Akron	53

Teams of Future Years



The 'B' Squad was composed of:
FIRST ROW: Craig Fennel, Danny Lanning, Dan DeBuhr, Chuck Burrell, Bill Miller, Alan Nickles, Wes Branson.
SECOND ROW: Coach Chicoine, Craig Guillaume, Pat Chicoine, Steve Hofland, Ed Kyte, Vernon McBride, Terry Burcham, and Mike Hall.



LEFT: Craig Guillaume and Bill Miller led the B-team this year to an 8-9 season. These two sophomores worked hard and earned themselves a spot on the tournament squad.

The Freshmen team consisted of, **KNEELING:** Dick King, Dan Curry, Rick Janssen, Tim Hall, David Curry, Doug Petty. **STANDING:** Dan Teply, Jack Rasmussen, Joe Ogan, Kurt Hammitt, Brad Schulz, Terry Lanning, Coach McIntosh.



Basketball Highlights 1969-'70



Elk Point And Emery Gain Ground

ELK POINT 56, LENNOX 50
LENNOX — With the aid of Mike Bird's 27 points, Elk Point trimmed Lennox 56-50.
Steve Donnelly added 12 points for the victors.
Gary Geiken and Tim Dykstra paced the Lennox scoring attack by netting 15 points apiece. Dave DeBoer added 11 points and Geiken 11 rebounds.
Lennox hosts Dell Rapids Friday.
Elk Point 14 28 43 56
Lennox 17 34 42 50

ELK POINT 45, BRANDON VALLEY 39
BRANDON — Mike Bird's 22 points carried Elk Point to a 45-39 win over Brandon Valley.
Doug Anderson had 19 points for Brandon Valley and John Brown added 12.
Anderson had 15 rebounds for Brandon.
Elk Point 14 34 47 65
Brandon Valley 17 28 40 59

The Ratings

Ratings, with first place votes and won-lost records in parenthesis:

1. De Smet (4) ... (6-0) 155
2. Clark (2) ... (5-1) 137
3. Gettysburg (2) (7-0) 120
4. Freeman Academy ... (8-0) 105
5. Emery ... (6-0) 101
6. Onida ... (4-2) 99
7. Elk Point ... (6-0) 98
8. Bryant ... (6-0) 91
9. Platte ... (6-0) 77
10. Deubrook ... (5-0) 75

ELK POINT 70, FLANDREAU INDIANS 48
ELK POINT — Steve Donnelly and Mike Bird paced Elk Point to a 70-48 victory over the Flandreau Indians with 27 and 22 points, respectively. Bird hauled down 13 rebounds.
Bill Lincoln led Flandreau's scoring attack with 20 points. Cleveland Skunk added 16 points for the Indians.
Elk Point visits Jefferson Dec. 27.
Elk Point 21 32 55 70
Flandreau Indians 14 30 51 68

DISTRICT 23
1969 Champ: Jefferson
1970 Power: Elk Point

District 23
Region 5
Irene, bye
Wakonda 45, Jefferson 38
Elk Point, bye
Geyville-Volin, bye

District 23
Semifinals
Irene 58, Wakonda 56
Elk Point 60, Geyville-Volin 48

District 23
Finals
Elk Point 41, Irene 34
Third
Wakonda 61, Geyville-Volin 45

The District 23 champ was decided when Elk Point dropped Irene 41-34. Mike Bird had 12, Steve Donnelly 11 and Scott Bennett had 10 to lead Elk Point. Jeff Swenson had 13 to pace Irene.

The Ratings

Ratings, with first-place votes and won-lost records in parenthesis:

1. De Smet (8) (8-0) 160
2. Emery (6-0) 133
3. Clark (7-2) 120
4. Elk Point (10-0) 109
5. Gettysburg (8-1) 104
6. Platte (8-0) 102
7. Bryant (7-1) 100
8. Salem (7-0) 83
9. Onida (6-3) 73
10. Britton (7-2) 62

Elk Point, under the third year of direction by Roger Schaffer, ran the Pointers' season mark to 10-0. The Pointers beat Avon (69-42) and then went into the Big Eight Conference competition, nosing out Lennox (50-49) and beating Alcester (73-69).

BIG EIGHT TOURNAMENT
Beresford 46, Dell Rapids 42
Parker 62, Brandon Valley 49
Alcester 51, Centerville 50
Elk Point 50, Lennox 49

Big Eight Tourney
Consolation
Dell Rapids 71, Bradon Valley 53
Lennox 61, Centerville 40
Beresford 44, Parker 36
Elk Point 73, Alcester 69

Big Eight Conference

Finals
Beresford 51, Elk Point 48
Third
Alcester 58, Parker 45
Fifth
Lennox 46, Dell Rapids 45 (o.t.)

The Ratings

Ratings, with first-place votes and won-lost records in parenthesis:

1. De Smet (8) (9-0) 160
2. Platte (9-0) 136
3. Clark (9-2) 133
4. Emery (7-0) 125
5. Gettysburg (10-1) 123
6. Salem (8-0) 100
7. Elk Point (10-2) 92
8. Bryant (8-1) 82
9. Deubrook (9-2) 78
10. Onida (7-3) 69

BERESFORD 53, ELK POINT 46
ELK POINT — With the aid of Gary Jensen's 21 points and 12 rebounds, Beresford trimmed Elk Point 53-46.
Also in scoring for the Beresford crew were Tom McGill with 12 points and Tom Guindon with 10 points.
Mike Bird led Elk Point's offensive attack by scoring 21 points and hauling down 14 rebounds.
Elk Point hosts Centerville Friday.
Beresford 18 24 22 53
Elk Point 7 19 30 46

ELK POINT 52, WEST CENTRAL 51
ELK POINT — Elk Point came from behind in the fourth period to pull out a 52-51 victory over West Central.
Elk Point was led in scoring by Mike Bird with 26 counters. Steve Donnelly added 14 and Scott Bennett 10. Bennett had 15 rebounds and Bird 13.
Gary Viet led West Central in scoring with 19 points. Vince Slemmons added 10 counters.
Elk Point travels to Dell Rapids Friday.
West Central 13 31 44 51
Elk Point 9 26 40 52

ELK POINT 61, IRENE 49
IRENE — With the aid of Scott Bennett's 22 points and 20 rebounds, Elk Point trimmed Irene 61-49.
Also in the scoring for the Elk Point quint were Mike Bird with 19 points and Steve Donnelly with 10 points. Donnelly added 11 rebounds.
Wayne Bartlett led Irene's scoring attack by netting 12 points. Jeff Swenson added 11 points and 10 rebounds.
Irene travels to Alcester Tuesday.
Elk Point 14 33 39 61
Irene 12 24 33 49

SECOND TEN

11. Onida (9-4) 57
12. Wilmot (13-1) 46
13. Bradley (14-0) 44
14. White River (12-1) 40
15. Elk Point (13-3) 37
16. Hurley (12-2) 33
17. (tie) Deubrook (10-4) 29
Draper (11-4) 29
19. Langford (12-2) 27
20. Lennox (11-3) 19

ELK POINT 56, TYNDALL 48
VERMILLION — Elk Point stopped Tyndall 56-48. Steve Donnelly was Elk Point's top scorer with 18 points, followed by Mike Bird with 13. Bird snared 16 rebounds, with Donnelly and Scott Bennett pulling down 11 each.
Jim Taplett netted 18 points. Dale Zimmerman added 13, and Zimmerman and Gary Schuurmans were the leaders on the backboards for Tyndall.
Elk Point swept the B game 42-37.
Elk Point enters the District 23 action with a 16-4 record.
Tyndall 11 17 26 48
Elk Point 13 30 37 56

The Ratings

Honorable mention: Platte, Mitchell Notre Dame, Hayti, Mt. Vernon, Cheyenne Eagle Butte, West Central, Freeman Academy, Iroquois, Leola, Elk Point, Java, Freeman, Hecla, Salem, Agar, Dakota Christian, Parker.

HIGH SCHOOL
South Dakota
Region Six
(First Round)
Lennox 64, Tripp 48
Hurley 56, Elk Point 47

Region 6 at Sioux Falls
(Finals)
Hurley 54, Lennox 50
(Third Place)
Tripp 64, Elk Point 63

Steve Brosz drilled a 10-foot jumper with 16 seconds of play remaining to lift Tripp's Wildcats to a 64-63 win over Elk Point and third-place in the Region 6 tournament at the Arena Thursday night.

Wide-Open Races Expected For Region Six Cage Spots

ELK POINT (47)

Steve Donnelly	FG	FT	TP
Gary Nickles	3	2-5	8
Scott Bennett	0	0-0	0
Eugene Klose	5	0-2	10
Mike Bird	3	0-0	6
Gary Malloy	5	6-9	16
Mike Slattery	1	2-3	4
Bob Malloy	1	0-1	2
Totals	19	9-19	47

HURLEY (54)

Chuck Bright	FG	FT	TP
Jerry Benson	4	6-7	14
Greg Hanson	4	0-0	8
Greg Farrar	9	5-6	23
Marlin Reiners	1	3-5	5
Doug Anderson	1	2-3	4
Totals	20	16-21	54
Elk Point	10	22	36
Hurley	11	31	42

Total team fouls: Elk Point 14, Hurley 17.
Fouled out: none.

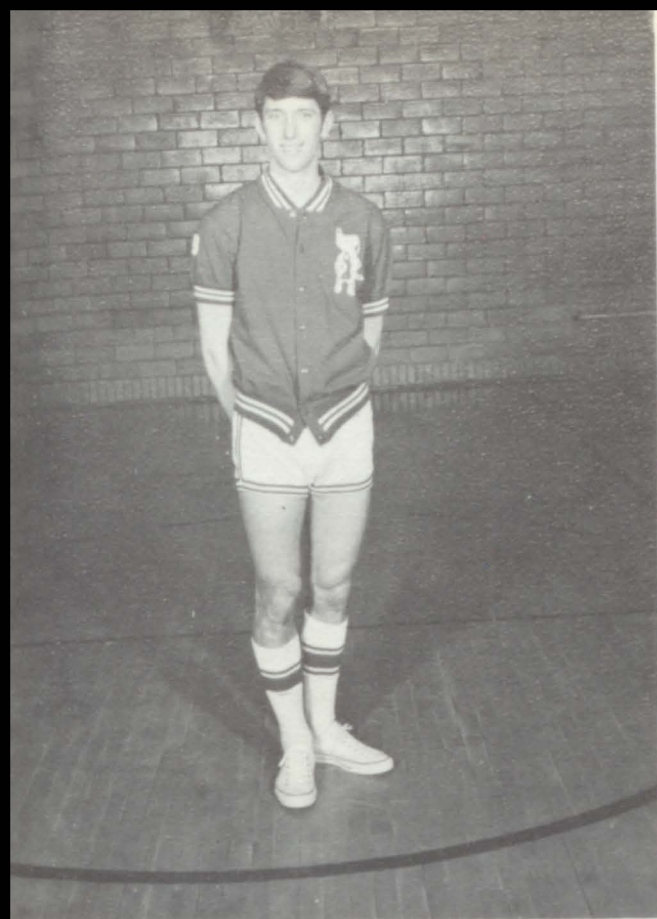
ELK POINT (63)

Donnelly	FG	FT	TP
Bird	3	5-11	10
Bennett	6	13-13	25
G. Malloy	4	4-5	12
Klose	0	1-2	1
Slattery	0	0-0	0
Nickles	1	1-3	3
B. Malloy	2	3-3	7
Totals	16	22-37	63

TRIPP (64)

Brosz	FG	FT	TP
Reiner	12	10-14	34
Truesdell	1	0-1	2
Mayer	1	4-4	6
Schmidt	1	1-4	3
Hieb	3	0-0	6
Schuh	3	7-8	13
Herr	0	0-0	0
Totals	21	22-31	64
Elk Point	9	32	63
Tripp	14	31	64

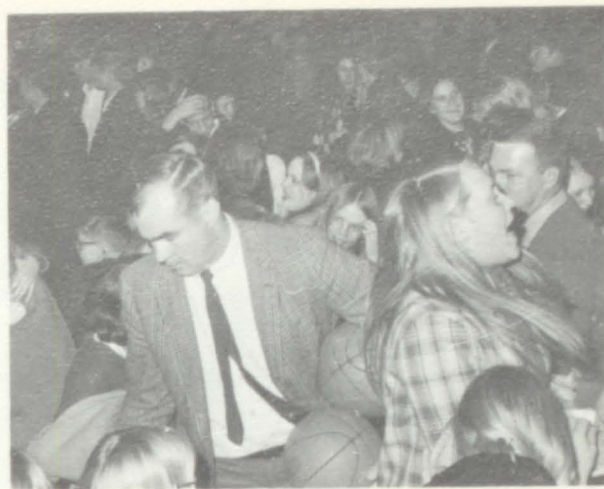
Total team fouls: Elk Point 21, Tripp 26.
Fouled out: Mayer, Schmidt, Donnelly.



Mike Bird was selected to the Class "B" All-State second team by the South Dakota sports writers. He was also a member of the Big "8" All-Conference team for the third consecutive year.



Steve Donnelly and Scott Bennett were selected to the Big "8" All-Conference honorable mention team. Steve was a fine offensive player hitting for 29 points against the Flandreau Indians. Scott was consistently strong on the defensive boards, earning him Ace of the Week honors for the Irene game.



Coaches Schaffer and Chicoine make their way through a frantic crowd following a thrilling 50 to 49 victory over the Lennox Orioles in the first round of the Big "8" Conference tournament.



Coach Schaffer discusses the past basketball season with the five senior members of the squad. It was the poise, skill, and experience of these seniors that provided the ingredients for the very successful basketball campaign which saw the Pointers advance to the Region 6 tournament at the Sioux Falls Arena.

Four Qualify for State Track Meet

The E.P.H.S. track team under the direction of Leon Swier, assisted by Roger Schaffer, had a fair season with many outstanding individual performances.

The highlight of the track season was the West Sioux Invitational where the Pointers gained second place, two points behind leader Unity Christian. The Pointers also placed fifth in the Big 8 conference and third in the Vermillion Invitational.

There were five school records broken this season: pole vault, mile run, two mile run, hundred yard dash, and the low hurdles. Four boys earned their way into the state meet by outstanding performances in Region Six competition.

The Elk Point track team was young this year with only four seniors participating. The coaches are looking for a more successful track team next year with many returning lettermen.

LEFT: Ed Kyte lowered the school record in the mile run to 4:40.1. The two mile record was broken by Chuck Parsons; his time was 10:38. Phil Bosse ran :10.3 in the 100 to break the school record.

MIDDLE LEFT: Scott Bennett broke the low hurdle record and tied the high hurdles record. His times were :21.4 in the lows and :15.9 in the highs.

BELOW: Setting the school record in the pole vault this year was Eugene KJose at 11'9". Gene also received the fifth place medal at the state cinder meet.



ABOVE: The four participants in the state track meet were Chuck, Ed, Gene, and Glenn.





Sprinters this year were Dan DeBuhr, Jim Connolly, Phil Bosse, Leon Chicoine, and Glenn Malloy.



Fieldmen consisted of Bill Miller, Bill Curry, Scott Bennett, Rick Talbott, Dan DeBuhr, Chuck Hammond, Mike Bird, Glenn Malloy, Noel Chicoine, Craig Fennel, Gene KJose, Pat Chicoine, Dan Teply, and Dick King.



Rick Janssen, Gene Hammond, Mike Bird, Gary Hanson, and Alan Nickles were the middle-distance runners.



Running the hurdles were Gene KJose, Kurt Hammitt, Scott Bennett, and Leon Chicoine.



Distance men were Chuck Parsons, Bob Malloy, Ed Kyte, and Dan Curry.



Coach Swier shows his form in not wanting to have his picture taken.

Forensic Department Continues

In 1969-70 the Elk Point debate squad was in its third year of existence. The areas of participation were expanded to include not only debate, but also extemporaneous speaking, interpretive reading and original oratory.

The debate squad included Sandra Jorgensen and Sidney Milburn, affirmative, and Lissa Lane, Susan Callahan, and Mary Westin, negative and alternate.

During the year Lissa Lane also took part in original oratory, Susan Callahan and Mary Westin in interpretive reading, and Sandra Jorgensen and Sidney Milburn in extemporaneous speaking.

The forensics squad members took part in these activities at the regular Southeastern Forensics Conference meets which were held in Parker and Elk Point, and in a meet at the University of South Dakota, and at three tournaments hosted by Lincoln High School, Sioux Falls. The conference meet held in Elk Point was the first of its kind to be hosted by Elk Point.



STANDING: Sandra Jorgensen, Susan Callahan, Chuck Hammond, Sid Milburn, Lissa Lane. SEATED: Mrs. Parker, Adviser.



Sandra Jorgensen and Sidney Milburn received Superior Speaking Certificates on the basis of their individual speaking ability in debate.

Sidney Milburn earned an individual trophy for Superior Speaking throughout the entire season. Sidney was awarded this trophy at the debate tournament that Elk Point hosted on March 7.



to Expand and Improve



FIRST ROW: Sandra Jorgensen, Susan Callahan, Marilyn Anderson.
SECOND ROW: Lissa Lane, Sidney Milburn, Kathy Rasmussen, Sally Mikkelsen.

The 1970 declam squad consisted of seven members. The humorous division, coached by Mrs. Stene, consisted of Marilyn Anderson. Sidney Milburn was directed by Mrs. Gronvold in the oratory division. The poetry squad included Kathy Rasmussen and Sandra Jorgensen, with Mrs. Tonner as their coach. Susan Callahan, Lissa Lane, and Sally Mikkelsen were coached by Mrs. Stene in the dramatics division.

The local winners were: Marilyn Anderson, Lissa Lane, Sandra Jorgensen, and Sidney Milburn. These members traveled to the district declam contest in Beresford. Marilyn received an "excellent" on her humorous speech, "At the Declam Contest." The "Death of the Hired Man" received a "good" rating in the poetry division for Sandra Jorgensen. The dramatic speech, "The Last Leaf," given by Lissa Lane, also received an "excellent."

Sidney Milburn's oration, "The Big Parade" was given a "superior" rating at the district contest. This allowed Sidney to travel to the regional contest in Sioux Falls, where he received an "excellent" rating for his performance.

Lissa

Sidney

Marilyn

Sandra



Improved Quality of Publications

In the spring of the year, a sophomore is selected to assume the role of managing editor for the coming year. As a senior, the managing editor will automatically become editor.

Other positions on the Pointer Staff are filled by students accordingly to their interests and abilities.

The editors and special editors of the 1970 Pointer Staff are shown. They are SEATED: Peggy Curry, Sarah Huffstetler, Mickey Hanson, Susan Olson, Susan Franey, Kathy Rasmussen. STANDING: Jim Connolly, Paula Pace, Marlene Hall, Pat Rehling, Paula King, Deloris Anderson, Darlys Tiemens.

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Perfecting the "Pointer" and seeing that it met its weekly deadline was the responsibility of Managing Editor Peggy Curry, Adviser Mrs. Zastrow, and Editor Kathy Rasmussen.

SEATED: Leon Chicoine, Pam Lyle, Eugene KJose, Connie Franey, Jill Hansen, Marilyn Anderson. STANDING: Debbie Guillaume, Dianne Davis, Laura Noble, Annette Emerson.



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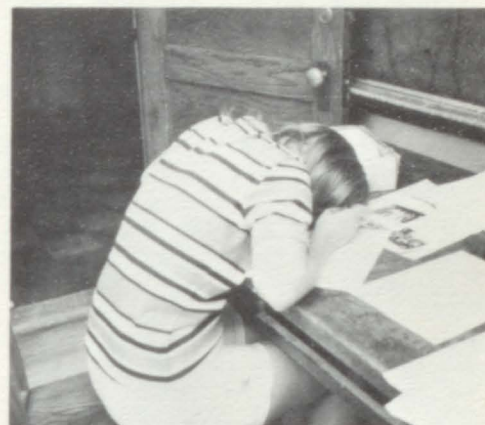


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Each year two Juniors are chosen as Assistant Editor and Business Manager of the "Elk" by the Senior Class on their ability to work in this capacity. The following year they automatically become Editor and Business Manager.

Three additional special editors: class editor, activity editor, and sports editor are chosen by the "Elk" adviser on the basis of past experience and ability.

Additional members from each of the four classes are chosen to assist the Editors in arranging the material needed to complete the annual.



The many long hours spent working on the 1970 Elk proved to be too much for Kathy.



The production of "The ELK" required much time, as shown by these staff members who worked during Christmas vacation.

Editor	Glenn Malloy
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Copy Editor	Peggy Curry
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	Gloria Hanson
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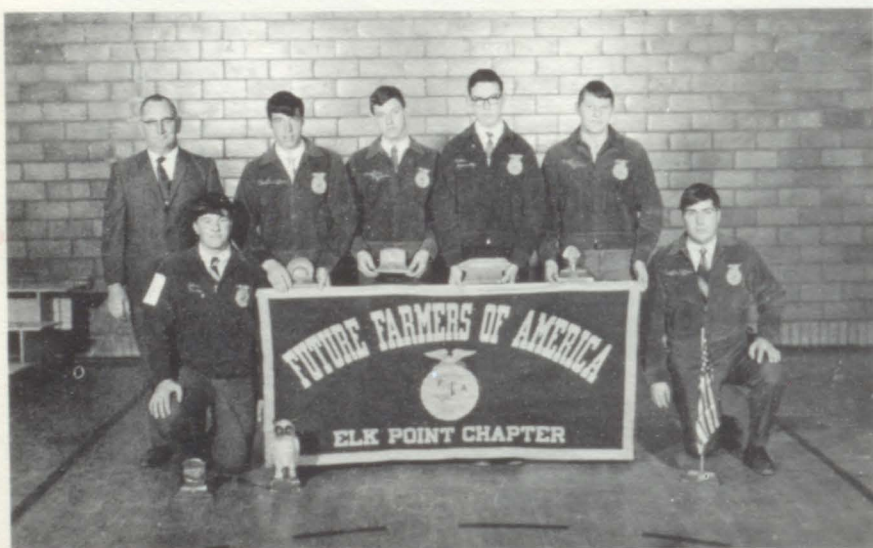
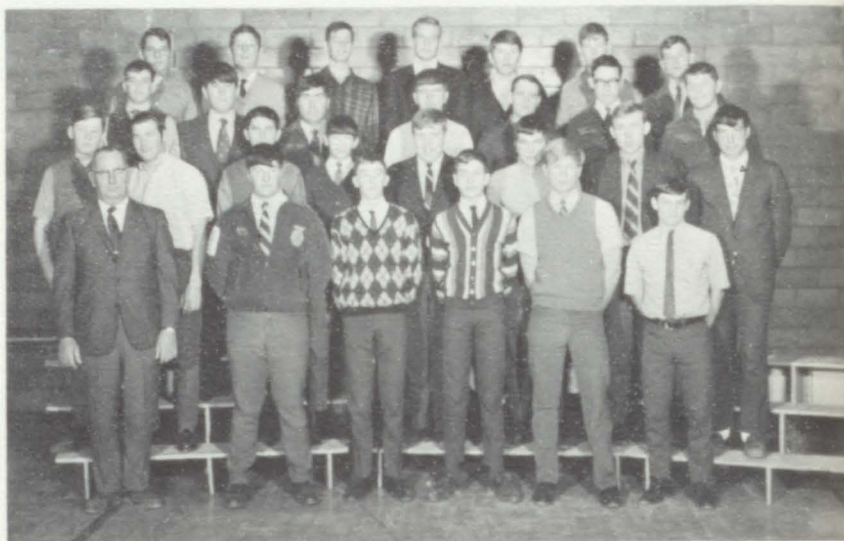
Sophomores Attend National FFA Convention

FFA is an organization of boys who are enrolled in vocational agriculture classes in high school. The purpose of the FFA group is to practice brotherhood, to honor rural opportunities and responsibilities, and to develop the qualities of leadership.

As a means of making money, the FFA boys operated a concession stand at all home football games. This enabled them to carry out chapter activities. This also helped provide the money for sending John Hinds and Noel Chicoine to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City last fall. Their major purpose was to observe the National FFA organization in action and to observe the leadership abilities developed by National FFA officers. The local chapter officers participated in a meeting held in Sioux Falls.

The chapter participated in several FFA judging events besides the State FFA judging contest and convention. At these events the poultry team placed fifth in the State in poultry judging and grading in classes of interior and exterior eggs. All three team members received excellent individual awards and qualified for a superior team award. In livestock judging, the team ranked 13th in the State with 55 teams participating.

FIRST ROW: Mr. Tonn, John Hinds, Dan Curry, David Curry, Dennis Minor, Mike Hall. SECOND ROW: Cecil Branson, Kim Kavanaugh, Ken VonHaden, Wes Jolin, Chuck Hammond, Doug Geary, Gene Hammond, Leon Chicoine. THIRD ROW: Bruce Rubida, Mike Pierce, Bill Geary, Gary Hanson, Gary Grothe, Ed Donnelly, Noel Chicoine. FOURTH ROW: Kevin Chicoine, Raymond Adams, Steve Hofland, Scott Bennett, Randy Erickson, Jeff Williams, Bruce Ballinger.



The officers of the Elk Point Chapter of Future Farmers of America are, KNEELING: John Hinds, Bill Geary. STANDING: Mr. Tonn, Adviser, Leon Chicoine, Bruce Ballinger, Ed Donnelly, Noel Chicoine.

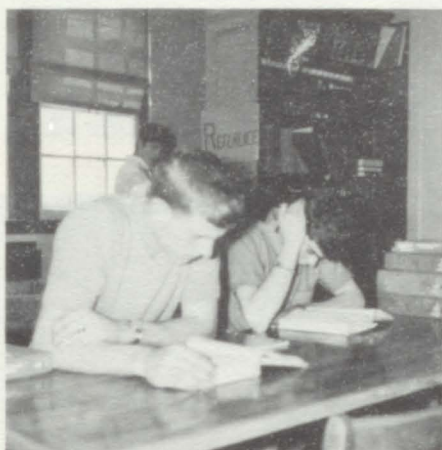
Librarians Purchase New Books

The librarians were quite active this year under the direction of Mrs. Susan Tonner. A librarians club was formed and officers were elected. Rosemary Hinds was elected president; Susan Thorson was elected vice president; and Virginia VonHaden filled the position of secretary-treasurer.

The main goal of the club was to purchase new books for the library. To raise money for these books, the librarians held a "Twirp Dance", which proved very successful. Music for the dance was supplied by "The Mist." The profit from the dance enabled the librarians to purchase a set of 37 permabound books. They are classified as "books of interest to teenagers."

Other activities of the librarians were monthly supper meetings which were ended at the close of the year with a supper picnic at Camp Rosenbaum, also, the club held a bake sale.

This year Mrs. Tonner and the librarians started the process of a new classifying and cataloguing method. This method, when completed, will prove more efficient when finding books in the library.



The library provides a good atmosphere for studying, as proven by Scott Bennett and Ed Kyte.



Yvonne Hanson and Paula Pace are seen in the library where they are classifying the new books.

STANDING: Vicki Sundleaf, Paula Pace, Yvonne Hanson, Ella Hirocke, Marisa Dion, Mickey Hanson, Janet Limoges, Paula King, Peggy Pratt, Rita Kyte, Pat Rehling, Darlys Tiemens. SEATED: Virginia Von Haden, Sarah Huffstetler, Mrs. Tonner, Susan Thorson, Rosemary Hinds.



Student Council Strives to Serve Students

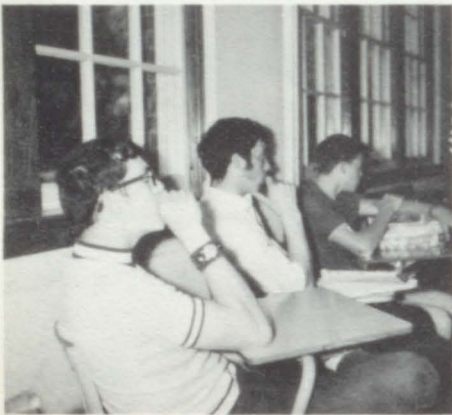
The primary function of the student council is to amend the school constitution. The student council also serves as a line of communication between the students and the faculty. This enables the students to express their grievances to faculty members.

The student council promotes the Elk Day festivities. The council appoints the various student committees that plan the different stages of Elk Day. These students are assisted by several members of the faculty.

The council consists of two representatives from each class. The officers this year are President Gary Nickles, Vice-President Leon Chicoine, and Secretary-Treasurer Pam Lyle.



FIRST ROW: Gary Nickles, Pam Lyle, Leon Chicoine, Doug Ferdig, Connie Franey. SECOND ROW: Kathy Hall, Eugene Kjose, Susan Franey, Dan DeBuhr, Marlene Hall, Mr. Schaffer, Angela Corio.



Several student council members listen intently at a typical meeting.



The election for student council officers was held in May, 1970. The new officers for the 1970-71 school year are: Marilyn Anderson, Secretary-Treasurer; Jane Hammitt, Vice-President; and Eugene Kjose, President.



Student Council Adviser Mr. Schaffer questions the council members on a student response on an issue brought up at a meeting.

Pointer Staff Sponsors Sweetheart Ball

On February 20 the annual Sweetheart Ball was held, under the sponsorship of the Pointer Staff. Each class chose a couple to represent them as candidates for Sweetheart King and Queen. Candidates from the respective classes were as follows: Seniors, Pam Lyle, Doug Ferdig; Juniors, Paula Pace, Bruce Ballinger; Sophomores, Lorie Robbins, Craig Guillaume; and Freshmen, Debbie Guillaume, Jack Rasmussen. By means of a secret ballot, the student body voted for the candidates of their choice.

Student Body president, Gary Nickles announced the Sweetheart King and Queen for 1970 to be Craig Guillaume and Pam Lyle.

Entertainment for the dance was supplied by the Franklin Carter Blues Band.



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

DELORIS ANDERSON

Class Officer 2; Student Council 2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Madrigal 4; Triple Trio 3,4; Pom Pom Girl 2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Editorial Editor 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3; "B" Cheerleader 2,3; Freshman Cheerleader 1; Headline Editor 3; GAA Captain 4.

STEVE BENSON

Boys Intramural 3,4; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1; Class Play 4.

MIKE BIRD

Class Officer 1; Football 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross-Country 3; All-Conference (BB) 2,3,4; All-State Second Team (BB) 4; Co-Captain (BB) 4; Sweetheart King Attendant 1; Homecoming King Attendant 4; Grade School Coach (BB) 1,2,3,4.

MARY BOSSE

Mixed Chorus 4; Girls Glee 4; GAA 4; Pep Club 4; Pom Pom Girl 4.

JIM CONNOLLY

Mixed Chorus 3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Boys Intramural 1,2,3,4; Assistant Sports Editor 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Business Manager 4; Boys State 3; FFA 1,2; Class Play 4.

BOB CORIO

Football 4; Boys Intramural 3,4; GAA 3,4; Class Play 3,4.

DOUG DAHLGREN

Boys Intramural 1,3,4; FFA 1.

DIANNE DAVIS

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Madrigal 3,4; Triple Trio 3,4; All-State Chorus 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; GAA Captain 4; GAA Officer 4; Pep Club 1,2,3; Band 1; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian 3; Girls Track 2; Freshman Cheerleader 1; Class Play 4.

ED DONNELLY

FFA 1,2,3,4; FFA Officer 3,4.

STEVE DONNELLY

Boys Glee 1,2; Boys Intramural 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Track 3; FFA 1,2; Grade School Coach (BB) 3,4; All-Conference Honorable Mention 4 (FB).

DOUG FERDIG

Class Officer 4; Student Council 4; Boys Intramural 2,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1; All-Conference Honorable Mention 3,4; Sweetheart King Attendant 4; Class Play 4.

CARMEN FOWLER

Class Officer 2; Student Council 2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Madrigal 4; Triple Trio 4; Band 1,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2; Annual Staff 3,4; Class Play 3; Sweetheart Queen 3; Homecoming Attendant 2; Homecoming Queen 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; "A" Cheerleader 4; "B" Cheerleader 2,3; Freshman Cheerleader 1; GAA Officer 3.

SUSAN FRANEY

Class Officer 4; Student Council 4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Girls Glee 3,4; Madrigal 4; Triple Trio 4; Accompanist 3,4; Band 3,4; Band Officer 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; News Editor 4; Annual Staff 3,4; GAA 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Class Play 4.

NANCY GEARY

Mixed Chorus 2,3; Girls Glee 2,3; Pom Pom Girl 1,2,3,4; Librarian 2; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,4; Girls Track 1,2; GAA Captain 4; Class Play 4.

BILL GEARY

Class Officer 2; Boys Intramural 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2; FFA 1,2,3,4.

JULIE GILKISON

Class Officer 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Pom Pom Girl 1,2,3; Majorette 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Librarian 3; Class Play 3; Sweetheart Queen Attendant 2; GAA 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Band Officer 4; Pep Club Officer 2.

WES GUILLAUME

Boys Intramural 1,2,4; Basketball 3; Track 3; FFA 1.

PAT HALL

Class Officer 3; Boys Intramural 1,2,4; FFA 1,2,3; FFA Officer 2,3.

LAURA HAMMITT

Class Officer 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Madrigal 3,4; Triple Trio 2,3,4; Accompanist 3; All-State Chorus 4; Newspaper Staff 2; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Girls State 3; Class Play 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 1; Homecoming Queen Attendant 4; "A" Cheerleader 3,4; "B" Cheerleader 2; Freshman Cheerleader 1; Girls Track 1,2; Band Officer 2.

GARY HANSON

Boys Intramural 4; Basketball 1,2; Track 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; FFA Officer 3.

ROSEMARY HINDS

Mixed Chorus 1,2,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Pom Pom Girl 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; GAA Officer 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian 4; Librarian Club Officer 4; Class Play 4.

KENT KAVANAUGH

Class Officer 4; Boys Intramural 2,3,4; Football 3,4; Track 3; Class Play 4.

PAT LAW

Girls Glee 4; GAA 4; GAA Captain 4; Pep Club 4; Class Play 4.

MARY LIEB

GAA 3,4; GAA Captain 4.

JANET LIMOGES

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian 4; GAA 1,2,3; Pep Club 3,4; Class Play 4.

CRAIG LIVINGSTON

Boys Intramural 1,3,4.

PAM LYLE

Class Officer 1; Student Council 4; Pom Pom Girl 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 4; Girls State Alternate 3; Librarian 3; Class Play 3; Sweetheart Queen 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Pep Club Officer 3,4.

GLENN MALLOY

Salutatorian 4; Class Officer 3; Student Council 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Boys Glee 3; Band 3,4; Football 3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross-Country 1,2; All-Conference Honorable Mention (FB) 4; Newspaper Staff 3; Assistant Sports Editor 3; Annual Staff 3,4; Editor of Annual 4; Boys State Alternate 3; Class Play 3; Outstanding Teenagers of America 4; Sweetheart King 3.

LEO MIKKELSON

Track 1,2,3; Football 3,4; Boys Intramural 1,3,4; Class Play 4; FFA 1,2,3.

DENNIS MINOR

Boys Intramural 4; Track 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Class Play 4.

AUDREY BJORK MORSE

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3; Girls Glee 1,2,3; Triple Trio 3; Accompanist 3; Band 1,2,3; Class Officer 1; Student Council 1; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3; Column Editor 3; Annual Staff 2,3; Girls State Alternate 3; Class Play 3; GAA 1,2,3; GAA Officer 3; Pep Club 1,2,3; "A" Cheerleader 2,3; "B" Cheerleader 1; Girls Track 1,2.

GARY NICKLES

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; All-Conference (FB) 4; Tri-Captains (FB) 4; Co-Captains (BB) 4; Class Officer 1; Student Council 1,4; Student Council Officer 4; Boys State 3; Class Play 4; Sweetheart King Attendant 2; Homecoming King Attendant 4.

SUSAN OLSON

Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian 4; GAA 1,2,3; Pep Club 3,4; Class Play 4.

KATHY RASMUSSEN

Class Officer 3; Student Council 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Madrigal 4; Triple Trio 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Managing Editor 3; Editor 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Girls State 3; Declam 4; DAR 4; Outstanding Teenagers of America 4; Sweetheart Queen Attendant 1; Homecoming Attendant 3; Homecoming Queen Attendant 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; "B" Cheerleader 1; "A" Cheerleader 2,3,4.

RICHARD ROACH

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; FFA 1; Band Officer 4; Class Play 3,4; Homecoming King 4; Boys Intramural 1,3,4.

MIKE SLATTERY

Valedictorian 4; Class Officer 4; Student Council 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; All-Conference (FB) 4; All-Conference Honorable Mention 2,3, (FB); Tri-Captain (FB) 4; Boys State Alternate 3; Class Play 3; Outstanding Teenagers of America 4.

VICKI SUNDLEAF

Librarian 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; GAA Captain 4.

LANA WEAVER

Mixed Chorus 4; Girls Glee 3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Class Play 4.

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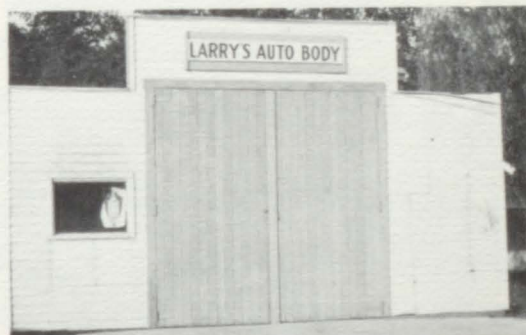
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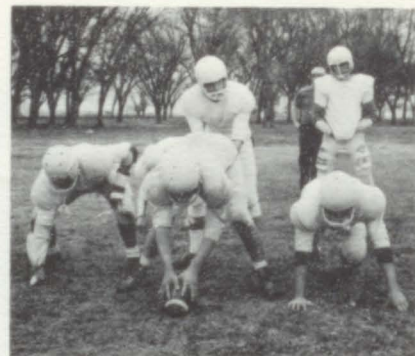
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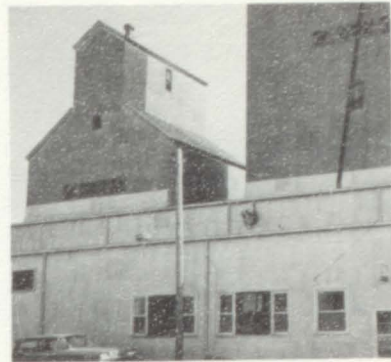


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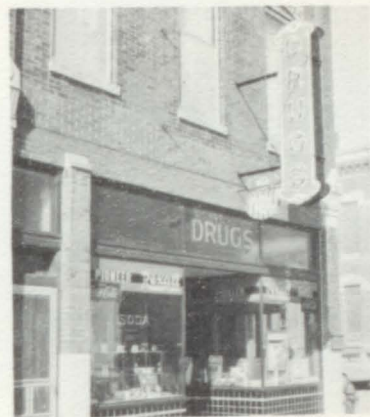
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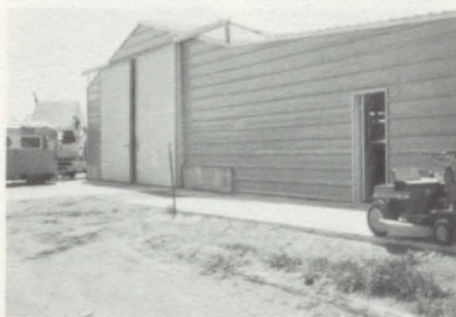
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