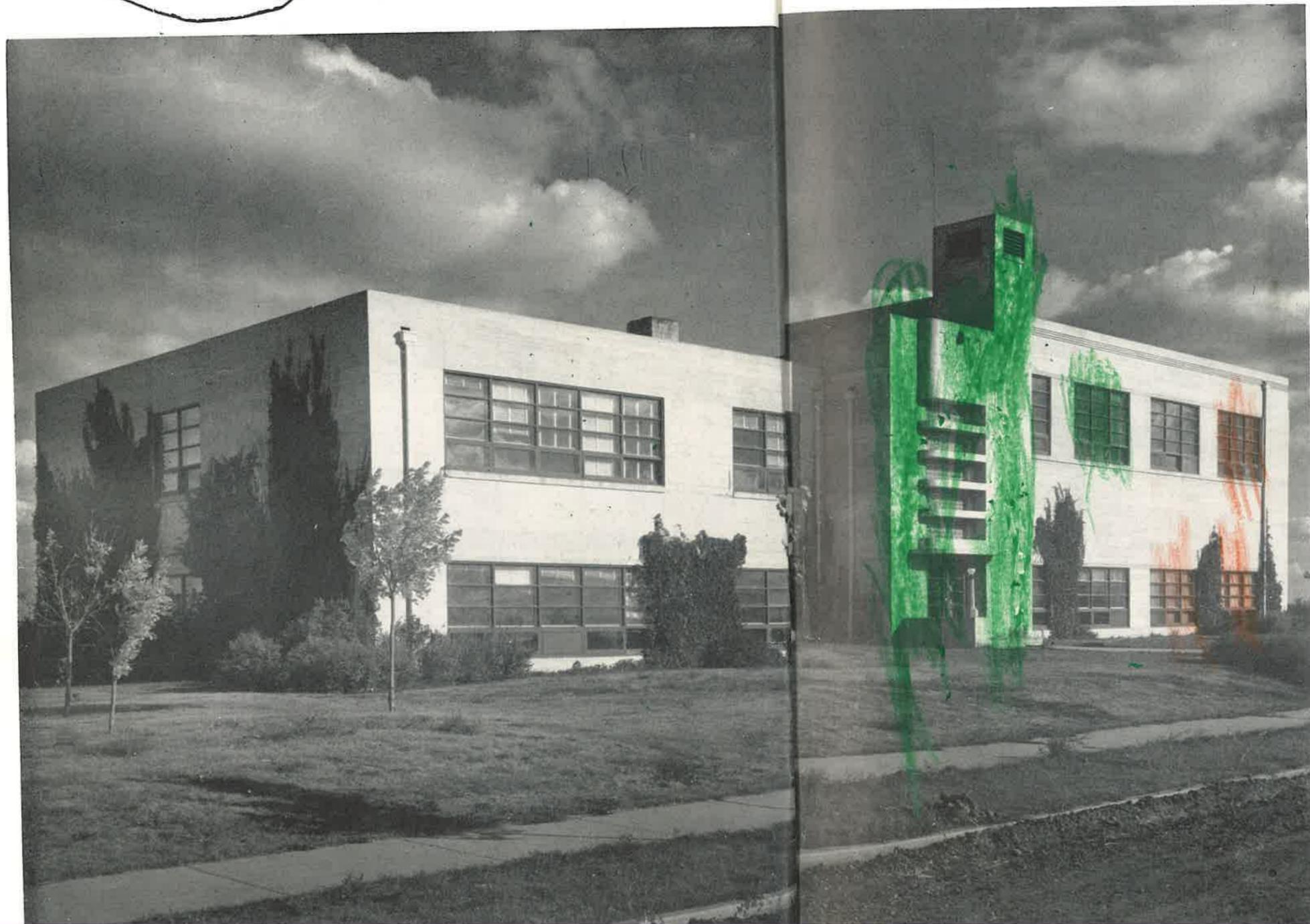


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### DEDICATION

To the Alumni who have served and are serving in the armed forces we dedicate this year book. Those who gave their very lives that we may live and go to such a wonderful school as West Fargo High School will ever remain in our heart's memory.

Greater love hath no man than, this that  
a man lay down his life for his friends.  
John 15:13

## Intelligence Corps (Faculty)



MRS. FRANCES STEINER  
Home Economics, Science 8,  
General Science, English Ad-  
viser, B.S. NDAC.



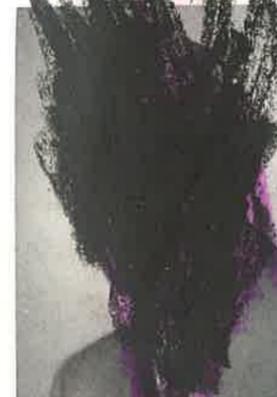
L. E. BERGER, Supt.  
Biology, Algebra, Yearling  
Adviser, Senior Adviser, B.A.  
VSTC, M.A. University of  
North Dakota.



RICHARD BUSWELL  
Coach, Present Day Problems,  
World History, U. S. History  
History 7-8, Junior Class Ad-  
viser, B.A. NDAC.



GEORGE GALLOWAY  
Assistant Coach, Physical Edu-  
cation, Geometry, Math,  
Freshman Adviser, B.S. ND  
AC.



THEODORE WILLIS  
Principal, Physics, Shop, Me-  
chanical Drawing, Arithmetic  
7, 8, Council Adviser,  
High Grade Adviser, B.S. State  
College, Ellendale.



IONE NETTUM  
English 7,8,10, Music, Soph-  
omore Adviser, B. A. Con-  
cordia College.



JEANNE PRATT  
English 9,11,12, Speech, Red  
Cross Adviser, Dramatics,  
Psychology.



OLE SYVERSON  
Band Director, B.M., Con-  
cordia College.



SHIRLEY TURNER  
B.S. NDAC  
Phy. Ed.  
History 7  
Geography 7  
Spelling 7,8  
Adviser  
Pep Squad  
C.A.A.  
Seventh Grade



GLORIA VINCENT  
Concordia B.A.  
Typing 1,2  
Shorthand 1,2  
Journalism  
Machines  
Adviser  
Eighth Grade



Olavus Bjore



Elmer Hogoboom



Otto Olsgaard



Manfred Ohnstad

**DRAFT BOARD**  
(School Board)

Manfred Ohnstad	.....	President
Olavus Bjore	.....	Rural Rep.
Elmer Hogoboom	.....	Clerk
Otto Olsgaard	.....	Treasurer
Raymond Quam	.....	Rural Rep.
Mrs. Laverne Tintes	.....	District Rep.
Edwin Waa	.....	Rural Rep.

A new school district composed of three and part of a fourth rural district, plus district six was formulated after two years of planning by the Board of Education.

The board received approval from Washington D. C. of plans for the new school. Architect, Harold Bechtel, was hired to draw the preliminary plans for the building.

The purchase of two school buses for transporting rural students was approved by the board.



*Classes*



## Graduating



**DARYL ANDERSON**  
Andy  
"If brains were money,  
I'd be a rich man."



**IVAN BERG**  
"A girl will marry me  
for my car."  
Boys Chorus 3,4  
Mixed Chorus 2,3,4  
Basketball 3,4  
Football 3,4  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Pep Band 1,2  
Class officer 1  
Operetta 4



**MARY CAVEGN**  
"Who cares for butter  
I've got Ole."  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 1,2,3,4  
Yearling Staff 2,3,4  
FHA 1,2,3,4  
CAA 4  
Queen Candidate 1,2,4  
Class officer 4



**PHYLLIS COCKERILL**  
Phyll  
"So I'm little—so was Na-  
poleon."  
Mapelton High 1  
Mixed Chorus 2,3,4  
Girls Chorus 2,3,4  
Packer Staff 2,3,4  
Yearling Staff 3,4  
Student Council 3  
Red Cross 4  
GAA 4  
FHA 2,3  
Band 2,3,4  
Pep Band 3,4  
Triple Trio 2  
Class officer 3  
Cass County Red Cross  
1951



**MARTIN DAHL**  
Moose  
Quiet men at times are  
most surprising.  
Basketball 3,4  
Football 4



**JEANETTE EGGERT**  
Red  
"I'll try anything once."  
Shanley 1,2  
Girls Chorus 3,4  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
FHA 3  
Class officer 3,4  
Queen Candidate 3



**DARLENE JACOBSON**  
D. J.  
Personality Plus  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 4  
Yearling Staff 2,3,4  
FHA 1,2,3,4  
GAA 4  
Girls State 1951  
Pep Squad 1,2,3,4  
Dramatics 3  
Class officer 2  
Majorette 4



**DONNA JOHNSON**  
"Guess I'm doomed to be  
a Johnson all my life."  
Perham 1  
Girls Chorus 2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 2,3,4  
FHA 2



**EVALINE KAPAUN**  
Evy  
And so I sez to her—  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,3,4  
Packer Staff 3,4  
Yearling Staff 2,3,4  
Red Cross 4  
GAA 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4



**MARJORIE KOVELL**  
Marj  
Sincerity is her virtue.  
Girls Chorus  
Mixed Chorus 1  
Annual Staff 3,4  
Queen Candidate 2  
GAA 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4



**MILO MARTINSON**  
Swede  
What's the use of work-  
ing if you don't have to?  
Boys Chorus 3,4  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
Football 2,3,4



**GERALDINE MURDOFF**  
Gerry  
WHAT a laugh???  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3  
Mixed Chorus 1,2  
FHA 1,2,3,4



**MARY JANE OSTERBERG**  
Janie  
"I said it and I'm glad"  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 3,4  
Yearling Staff 2,3,4  
Student Council 2  
CAA 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4  
Class officer 3



**PEGGY PARMENTER**  
It's so easy to smile  
Girls Chorus 2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4



**KEITH PYLE**  
Don't fight girls—you all  
can ride.  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
Boys Chorus 3,4  
Student Manager 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 1,2,3,4



**AUDREY EISSNER**  
Look ma, I'm blushing.  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer staff 4  
Yearling Staff 3,4  
GAA 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4  
Pep Band 1,2,3,4  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Pep Squad 1,2,3,4  
Trio 3  
Mixed Octette 3,4  
Triple Trio 2



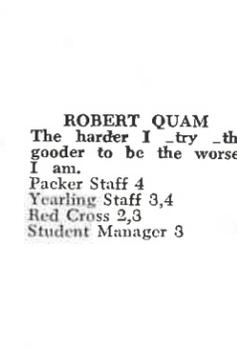
**JOYCE FLICK**  
I'll see you on Thursday.  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 1,2,3,4  
Yearling Staff 2,3,4  
GAA 4  
FHA 1,2,3,4  
Cheerleader 1,2  
Majorette 2,3,4  
Trio 2  
Triple Trio 1,2  
Quartette 2  
Class officer 3  
Queen candidate 3,4



**DICK OLSON**  
Porky  
If you're in doubt wheth-  
er to kiss a girl or not,  
give her the benefit of  
the doubt.  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
Boys Chorus 3,4  
Packer Staff 4  
Basketball 3  
Football 1,2,3,4  
Class officer 1,2,4  
Operetta 4



**ROGER OLSON**  
Rog  
Sure, I like girls, but—  
I'm bashful.  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
Boys Chorus 3,4



**ROBERT QUAM**  
The harder I try the  
gooder to be the worser  
I am.  
Packer Staff 4  
Yearling Staff 3,4  
Red Cross 2,3  
Student Manager 3



**RICHARD RAUSCH**  
Things are tough all over.  
Packer Staff 4  
Football 1,2,3,4



**CALVIN SHEARBURN**  
Cal  
There's nothing like a  
good laugh.  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Boys Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Football 1,2,3  
Dramatics 3  
Operetta 4



**SHARI SORVIK**  
Good things come in  
small packages.  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 4  
Pep Squad 1,2,3,4  
FHA 1,2



**WESLEY STENSATTER**  
Most boys like girls but  
with him it's horses.  
Football 2,3,4  
Track 2  
Class officer 1,3



**DEAN THIES**  
Dizzy  
Don't get nervous—I'm  
coming.  
Student Council 4  
Student Manager 3  
Class officer 1,2



**JOHN THOEMKE**  
Not only good but good  
for something.  
Boys Chorus 4  
Mixed Chorus 4  
Football 1,2,3,4  
Student Manager 3



**MARLYS THOM**  
It's a good thing were  
not all republicans.  
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4  
Packer Staff 4  
Yearling Staff 4  
FHA 1,2,3  
GAA 4  
Class officer 4



**PAT WOODRUFF**  
Pat  
"That just freezes me."  
Pebican Rapids 1,2  
Girls Chorus 3,4  
Mixed Chorus 4  
FHA 3

**BABY PICTURES (Next Page)**

Row One: Wesley Stensatter, Peggy Parmenter, Cal Shearburn, John Thoemke, Pat Woodruff.  
Row Two: Darlene Jacobson, Shari Sorvik, Dean Thies, Roger Olson, Geraldine Murdoff.  
Row Three: Marjorie Kovell, Donna Johnson, Dick Olson, Audrey Eissner, Phyllis Cockerill.  
Row Four: Ivan Berg, Evaline Kapaun, Richard Rausch, Daryl Anderson, Mary Jane Osterberg,  
Martin Dahl.  
Row Five: Mary Cavegn, Milo Martinson, Joyce Flick, Marlys Trom, Jeannette Eggert, Keith  
Pyle.

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## CLASS MEMORIES

### Class Officers

President—Marlys Trom  
 Vice-President—Jeannette Eggert  
 Secretary—Dick Olson  
 Treasurer—Mary Cavegn  
 Red Cross—Evaline Kapaun  
 Phyllis Cockerill  
 Student Council—Dean Thies  
 Flower—Red Rose  
 Colors—White and Green

1. Junior and Senior Skip Days
2. Proms
3. Weaving, aahs, and andas in Speech.
4. Our appreciation for Mr. Buswell after a certain test.
5. Casselton and Oak Grove games.
6. The day we picked our rings.
7. Christmas Pagaents
8. The day "Bertha" fell in the wastebasket.
9. The Mixed Chorus going to Grand Forks.
10. Our football "CHAMPS."

### Famous Quotes We Will Always Remember

R. Buswell—"Shh—Quiet—Now listen, if you can't quiet down there's the door."  
 I. Nettum—"I shouldn't have to tell you this one more. If you want an operetta, you'd better listen."  
 J. Pratt—"All right." (Exception) "That was very good, Darlene."  
 O. Severson—"It was 8:25 again this morning."  
 T. Hillius—"Well, what are you down here for?????"  
 G. Vincent—"Let's get those typing dues in!"  
 S. Turner—"You're supposed to be in your squad!"  
 G. Galloway—"Unload."  
 L. Berger—"I really want to see all of you pass, but—"  
 F. Baker—"Off the tables, girls. Let's act like ladies"

### CLASS WILL

Daryl Anderson wills his ability to make four A's every six weeks to Audrey Peterson.  
 Ivan Berg's charging but heaterless? green Ford goes to Curt Quenette.  
 Mary Cavegn is leaving her grueling hours of sketching for the Annual to Ruth Speers.  
 Phyllis Cockerill wills her ability to laugh at Mr. Hillius's jokes to Mary Ann VanEeckhout.  
 Martin Dahl is giving up his smooth basketball playing to Shirley Samson.  
 Jeannette Eggert's Blue Waltz perfume is to be inherited by Pat Bessette.  
 Audrey Eissner leaves her sister, Marlene, to carry on in the field of male trapping.  
 Joyce Flick wills the little brown spots on her nose to Sylvia Cole.  
 Darlene Jacobson's big brown eyes go to Lorraine Tomt.  
 Donna Johnson's diamond goes to Roger Stenerson.  
 Evaline Kapaun wills her "cackle" to Gerry Lunde.  
 Marjorie Kovell's talent for covering ten blocks in eight and one half second is to be inherited by "Gilbert" Lindgren.  
 Milo Martinson's ability to sleep 24 hours a day and then go back to bed goes to any junior who needs sleep.  
 Geraldine Murdoff's non-stop giggle is retained by JoAnn Furnberg.  
 Dick Olson wills his ability to flirt to the junior boys.  
 Roger Olson's A's in P.D.P are left for Pudge Thompson.  
 Mary Jane Osterberg's ability to get in mixups is willed to the two Patricia Smiths.  
 Peggy Parmenter wills her daily letters to Hermoine Olderon.  
 Keith Pyle leaves his C-A-D-I-L-L-A-C to Wallace Tintes.

Robert Quam's 134 pounds go to Leon Birkliid.  
 Richard Rausch, We can't leave Rausch's helpfulness to anyone because no one is as handy as Rausch.  
 Shari Sorvik leaves her long locks to poor, bald, Mary Ann Evans.  
 Cal Shearburn's ability to get along with everyone will be performed next year by Jackie Qualley.  
 Wesley Stensatter's daredevil horseback riding goes to Thelma Iszler.  
 Dean Thies leaves his excess of dry humor to Jerry Rustad.  
 John Thoenke wills his gentle manners to Ronald Hanusch.  
 Marlys Trom leaves her strong will to be distributed equally among the juniors.  
 Pat Woodruff wills her ability to charleston to Roger Callahan.

## CLASS PROPHECY

"These are the records of the 1952 officer that you called for sir."  
 "Ah yes, back in '52. Do you remember it, General Berger? We were something in those days weren't we? Seems like only yesterday that Major Anderson was going to build those bridges over the Alps to the Andes so that Money Bags Berg could take cattle from South America to Switzerland for pasturing. It's been ten years, yes, and here's Officer Cavegn. The worst scandle!! I heard she married a red head and he was only a Private."

"Martin Dahl, Aren't you proud of that boy, sir? Twelve hits on Broadway. Oh, yes, he plays torrid love scenes. His producer is "Stonewall" Thoenke."  
 "Officer Stensatter has had bad luck. His ranch in the Badlands has sprung oil, killing the grass and his poor horses are starving. His wife, Major Flick, is willing to stick it out another year by wrapping pipeline around her bare feet for shoes."

"As wives of Air Force men, Officers Woodruff, Eggert, and Johnson found it hot in Africa—two months without water—they survived by drinking Blue Waltz perfume."

"Painless Doctor Rausch, his nurse, Officer Kapaun, and his Receptionist, Audrey Eissner, have built up a large practice in New York. He is also city mortician, but is having trouble with Homicide Detectives, "Eclipse Martinson" and "Speedy Rog Olson."

"Pinkham's Mayor Robert Quam is up for election. His opponent for this term is the exhonorable Senator Keith Pyle."

"Big Olse" (Richard) has motels in 49 states. His secretary, Officer Jacobson, has been making business by rolling her "Eddie Cantor" eyes at traveling salesmen."

"Officers Parmenter and Osterberg, who are married to rich farmers, are very happy. Peggy won the state milking contest and Mary Jane has a column in the "Dakota Farmer" entitled **Janie's Household Hints or How to slop up your floor in four minutes on Saturday morning.**"

"The records show Dizzy Thies sitting behind his test tubes making a solution of H2O. His dishwasher, Sorvik, is busy cleaning the test tubes."

"Officer Kovell has just returned from an extensive European tour. Her main comment was '99% of the people in Europe are Europeans.'"

"Officer Trom joined the Air Force and has a record of 39 missions, 38 of which she wrote about in her current book, 'I Live to Tell.'"

"Officer Shearburn is now in the violin section of the Boston Philharmonic. (It is closed and he is sweeping up for the night). The lady next to him with the mop is Officer Murdoff."

"Well, that's about all sir."

Major Cockerill reporting.



ROW ONE: Lorraine Tomt, DeLoris Carlson, DeVonne Moen, Patty Smith, Gerry Lunde, Marlene Eissner, Thelma Iszler.  
 ROW TWO: Pat Smith, Hermoine Olderon, Jackie Qualley, Ruth Speers, Patricia Bessette, Audrey Peterson.  
 ROW THREE: Lowell Thompson, Shirley Samson, Curt Quenette, Wallace Tintes, Jerry Rustad, Mary Ann Evans, Mary Ann Van Eeckhout.  
 ROW FOUR: Roger Lindgren, Roger Stenerson, Lon Birkliid, Ronald Hanusch, Richard Samson, Roger Callahan, Mr. Buswell.  
 NOT PICTURED: Sylvia Cole, JoAnn Furberg.

### Junior Cadets

With many responsibilities this class began their school year. They were in charge of the Spring Play and the Junior-Senior banquet and prom. Choosing class rings was, perhaps, the first time they found out how divided a class can be. Pat Smith was crowned Carnival queen and DeVonne Moen was crowned Homecoming queen.

PRESIDENT ----- Gerry Lunde  
 VICE PRESIDENT ----- Marlene Eissner  
 SECRETARY ----- Shirley Samson  
 TREASURER ----- Jackie Qualley  
 RED CROSS ----- Roger Callahan  
 STUDENT COUNCIL ----- Audrey Peterson

The sophomores welcomed the freshmen this year by presenting a party in their honor. Marlys Willert was elected as candidate for Homecoming Queen and Karen Kyylo, candidate for Carnival queen.

PRESIDENT ----- Gordon Olson  
 VICE PRESIDENT ----- Glen Ouenette  
 SECRETARY, TREASURER ----- Marlys Willert  
 STUDENT COUNCIL ----- Duane Paulson  
 RED CROSS ----- Gary Stensatter

### Sophomore Cadets

ROW ONE: Bonnie Highness, Mary Jean Pederson, Marlys Willert, Laura Moore, Dale Ruff, Glen Quenette, Gerald Gregor, Richard Jacobson.  
 ROW TWO: Morris Pyle, Ruth Folstrom, Myrtice Luhman, Claudia Sheaburn, Helen Houkom, Karen Kyylo, Beverly Thiessen, Marlene Beistad, Kent Hanson, Miss Nettum.  
 ROW THREE: Richard Kounovsky, Jack Brown, Gerald Waa, Mary Jean Christiansen, Betty Peterson, Mary Pyle, Bob Fuller, Darwin Rott.  
 ROW FOUR: Gary Stensatter, Wayne Kilpatrick, Duane Paulson, Jon Peterson, Donald Lindgren, Gordon Olson, Anton Ihach, Charles Van Eeckhout, Curt Hildahl.



For the first time since entering WFHS the freshmen were given the opportunity to join the various music groups and organizations. They enthusiastically chose Barbara Dahl and Beverly Gress to represent their class during the Homecoming and Carnival activities.

PRESIDENT ----- Andrea Walberg  
 VICE PRESIDENT ----- Lois Thompson  
 SECRETARY ----- Lois Thompson  
 TREASURER ----- Lois Thompson  
 STUDENT COUNCIL ----- Beverly Gress  
 RED CROSS ----- Phyllis Thies

### *Freshmen Cadets*

ROW ONE: Annette Ernst, Frances Phillips, Phyllis Thies, Bonnie Perlenfien, Fern McNamara, Ramona Bruggger, Lois Thompson, Andrea Walburg, Jean Anderson.  
 ROW TWO: Claudine Tuskind, Sylvia Monson, Bonnie Wilson, Emilie Loberg, Catherine Thoenke, Colleen Cavegn, Ruby Speers, Barbara Dahl.  
 ROW THREE: Colleen Lunde, Joyce Murdoff, Beverly Gress, Orriene Morken, Mary Ann Barnes, Ruby Salazar, Peggy Ament, Marlys Johnson, Genevieve Kovell.  
 ROW FOUR: Donald Osterberg, Bruce Stenrson, Ernest Tollefson, John Berlin, Donald Kounovsky, Micheal Fradet, Richard Kylo, Clarence Knutson, Paul Berg, Mr. Galloway.



ROW ONE: James Sautebin, Larry Reiniets, Freddie Pollach, James Johnson, Alvida Hagen, Barbara Price, Deores Wagner, Betty Waa, Normae Thompson.  
 ROW TWO: Miss Vincent, Beverly Burner, Janice Larson, Barbara Perlenfien, JoAnn Berg, Hlen Cole, Violet Nicklaus, Arle Jean Goldade.  
 ROW THREE: Stanley Thiessen, Arlene Payne, Gail Hoganson, Janis Willert, Florence Fiest, Kay Cavegn, Doris Folstrom, Duan Lindblad, Conrad Olson.  
 ROW FOUR: Howard Emerson, Gerald Drake, Bill Shoenberger, Robert Phillips, Larry Morris, Bob Severson, Irving LaVoie, Wayne Selberg.  
 NOT PICTURED: Carol Henke, JoLea Evans, Stuart Orvik.

### *Rookies*

Feeling more at home this year than last, the eighth graders hustled around WFHS and helped their underclassmen get organized. For their Carnival queen candidate they chose Barbara Perlenfien.

PRESIDENT ----- Doris Folstrom  
 VICE PRESIDENT ----- Conrad Olson  
 TREASURER ----- Wayne Selberg  
 SECRETARY ----- Jimmy Sautebin  
 RED CROSS ----- Beverly Burner  
 STUDENT COUNCIL ----- Conrad Olson

The student body welcomed 49 slightly bewildered seventh graders into their midst last fall. Eager to learn what-was-what, they soon became accustomed to their new surroundings and schoolmates, and decided they's stay. Beverly Olson was selected as their Carnival queen candidate.

PRESIDENT ----- Kenneth Olson  
 VICE PRESIDENT ----- James Martin  
 SECRETARY ----- Janice Tomt  
 TREASURER ----- Gary Willert  
 RED CROSS ----- Gary Willert  
 STUDENT COUNCIL ----- Marjorie Henning

*Recruits*

ROW ONE: Clyde Liley, Larry Paulson, Donna Payne, Janice Orth, Louise Dahl, Patty Gonrowski, Janice Tomt, Gordon Kovell, Billy Thies, Richard Olson, Merle Wilson.  
 ROW TWO: James Lindblad, Doris Rustad, DiAnne Moen, Delores Nicklaus, Marcella Ibach, Bonnie Bjorkman, Roger Thiessen, Roger Arzt, John Berger, Laurel Saker, Gary Willert, Miss Turner.  
 ROW THREE: DiAnne Tintes, Doris Wagner, Delores Schnieder, Dennis Ormberg, Larry Bessette, Roger Ellenson, James Martin, Gerald Cermolus, James Anderson, Kenneth Olson, Robert Moore.  
 ROW FOUR: Eugent Kapaun, Clifton Bott, Joanne Drake, Myrna Pederson, Susan Sprecher, William Ibach, William Thoenke, Jan Pederson, Beverly Olson, Reita Beyer, Doris Heindrickson, Marjorie Henning.  
 NOT PICTURED: Joanne Bissel, Kenneth Bissel, Ronald Thompson.



*Music*



## Battalion

### OFFICERS

President—Ivan Berg  
 V. President—Roger Callahan  
 Sec.-Treas.—Mary Ann Van Eckhout  
 Librarians—Audrey Peterson, Audrey Eissner  
 Sargeants-at-Arms—Gordon Olson, Roger Lindgren



Sitting: Claudine Tuskind, Phyllis Cockerill, Colleen Lunde, Pat Smith, Richard Jacobson, Marlene Eissner, Gail Hoganson, Thelma Iszler.

Standing: Andrea Walburg, Audrey Eissner, Orriene Morken, Patricia Smith, Ruth Folstrom, John Berlin, Laurel Saker, Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Janice Tomt.

## Marching Band



Sitting: Claudine Tuskind, Pat Smith, Phyllis Cockerill, Audrey Peterson, Patsy Bessette, Kent Hanson, Donald Lindgren.

Standing: Andrea Walburg, Audrey Eissner, Orriene Morken, Janice Tomt, Patricia Smith, Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Ruth Folstrom, Gordon Olson, DeVonne Moen, Dale Ruff, Doris Folstrom, Darwin Rott.

## Band

### SONGS

Rustacon Overture  
 Sleigh Ride  
 Christmas Medley  
 Red Rhythm Valley  
 Trombones Triumphant  
 Men in Gray  
 Festival Parade  
 American Red Cross

Sitting: Audrey Peterson, Marjorie Henning, Shirley Samson, Ivan Berg, Patsy Bessette, Roger Callahan, Kent Hanson, Darwin Rott.

Standing: Mr. Syverson, Joyce Flick, Gordon Olson, DeVonne Moen, Dale Ruff, Clarence Knutson, Beverly Gress, Doris Folstrom, Donald Lindgren, Paul Berg, Jimmy Sautebin.

Not pictured are Roger Hogoboom, Roger Lindgren, Jack Berger.

The West Fargo Band has grown in size with addition of new members. It consists of 42 members who meet with Mr. Syverson for rehearsals every Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

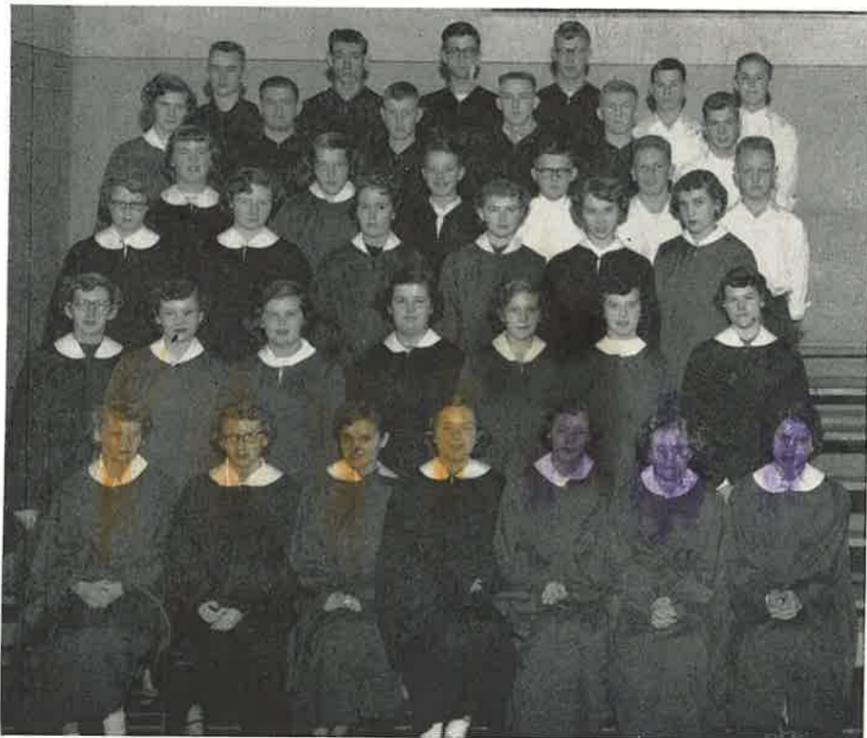
The band has marched in three parades this year. The A. C. Homecoming Parade, the 4-H Achievement Day in Casselton and at the Jack Frost Winter Carnival. They also appeared in the Christmas Pageant.

Amid the cheers and noise of the basketball games the familiar strains of the Pep Band rises above all.

The Pep Band, playing at intermissions, adds a great deal to the games with their marches and popular tunes, such as Slowpoke, Shrimp Boats Are A'Comin, and Mighty Mite.

**SONG HIGHLIGHTS**

- Adoramus Te Christe
- Ding Dong Bell
- Jesu, Priceless Treasure
- Operetta numbers
- Homeland



Row One: Shari Sorvik, Phyllis Cockerill, Thelma Iszler, Andrea Walburg, Lois Thompson, Lora Moore, DeVonne Moen.  
 Row Two: Audrey Peterson, Marlys Willert, Mary Jean Pederson, Joyce Murdoff, Sylvia Monson, Mary Cavegn, Beverly Gress.  
 Row Three: Claudine Tuskind, Orriene Morken, Ruth Speers, Lorraine Tomt, Pat Smith, Gerry Lunde.  
 Row Four: Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Mary Pyle, Paul Berg, Richard Jacobson, Gerald Gregor, Clarence Knutson.  
 Row Five: Mary Jean Christiansen, Charles Van Eckhout, Gordon Olson, Wayne Kilpatrick, Donald Osterberg, Kent Hanson.  
 Row Six: Jon Peterson, Leon Birkliid, Calvin Shearburn, Ivan Berg, Darwin Rott, Donald Lindgren.

Ruth Folstrom, Marlene Eissner, Mary Ann Van Eckhout.



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- What Child Is This?
- Sleep of the Child Jesus
- Lord's Prayer
- Tales of Vienna Woods



Row One: Fern McNamara, Ramona Brugger, Catherine Thoenke, Marlene Eissner, Peggy Parmenter.  
 Row Two: Hermoine Oldoren, Audrey Eissner, Joyce Flick, Darlene Jacobson, Marlys Johnson.  
 Row Three: Donna Johnson, Patricia Smith, Ruth Folstrom, Colcen Lunde, Myrtice Luhman, Miss Nettum.  
 Row Four: Evaline Kapaun, Mary Jane Osterberg, Patricia Bessette, Jeannette Eggert, Pat Woodruff, Genevieve Kovell.  
 Row Five: Dale Ruff, John Berlin, Roger Callahan, Milo Martinson, Roger Olson, Bruce Stenerson, Jerry Rustad.  
 Row Six: Keith Pyle, John Thoenke, Roger Lindgren, Curt Quenette, Duane Paulson, Mike Fradet.  
 Not pictured are Dick Olson and Marlys Trom.

Wayne Kilpatrick, Gordon Olson, Kent Hanson, Leon Birkliid.

*Squadron*  
Chorus)

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- The Gospel Train
- The Halls of Ivy



**ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS**

- KFGO Broadcast
- Kindred Concert
- Christmas Pageant
- Operetta
- Baccalaureate
- Graduation



Row One: Phyllis Cockerill, Thelma Iszler, Andrea Walburg, Lois Thompson, Lora Moore, Shari Sorvik, DeVonne Moon, Fern McNamara, Ramona Brugger, Catherine Thoemke, Marlene Eissner, Peggy Parmenter.  
 Row Two: Ruth Speers, Mary Jean Pederson, Marlys Willert, Audrey Peterson, Mary Cavegn, Donna Johnson, Sylvia Monson, Patricia Smith, Lorraine Tomt, Miss Nettum.  
 Row Three: Marlys Johnson, Gerry Lunde, Audrey Eissner, Darlene Jacobson, Joyce Flick, Mary Jane Osterberg, Orriene Morken, Ruth Folstrom, Myrtice Luhman, Jeannette Eggert, Pat Woodruff, Hermoine Olderon.  
 Row Four: Pat Smith, Joyce Murdoff, Mary Pyle, Mary Ann Eckhout, Mary Jean Christiansen, Patsy Bessette, Beverly Gress, Colleen Lunde, Claudine Tuskind, Geneveive Kovell, Evaline Kapaun.  
 Not pictured is Marlys Trom.

### *Wave Notes*

#### (Girls Chorus)

This year the Girl's Chorus is comparatively larger than that of other years, consisting of 45 members.

The Chorus meets every Wednesday and Friday afternoon with their director, Miss Nettum.

The girls worked on Virgin's Slumber Song, numbers from the operetta, "Up On Old Smoky," and others.

### *G. I. Joes*

#### (Boy's Chorus)

We have a very successful Boy's Chorus of 30 members. After the encouragement gained at the State Contest, Grand Forks, North Dakota, the boys have worked very hard to make their chorus as good this year as it was last year. Miss Nettum worked toward appreciation for finer type of music, a liking of music and an understanding of the types of music.

The boys worked on selections from the operetta, Beautiful Saviour, and their contest number.



Row One: Darwin Rott, Milo Martinson, Dale Ruff, Richard Jacobson, Gerald Gregor, Paul Berg, Clarence Knutson, John Berlin.  
 Row Two: Kent Hanson, Charles Van Eckhout, Roger Olson, Roger Callahan, Bruce Stenerson, Mike Fradet, Jerry Rustad.  
 Row Three: Jon Peterson, Donald Lindgren, Gordon Olson, Donald Osterberg, Curt Quenette, Duane Paulson.  
 Row Four: Leon Birkliid, Ivan Berg, Calvin Shearburn, Keith Pyle, Wayne Killpatrick, John Thoemke, Roger Lindgren.  
 Not pictured is Dick Olson.



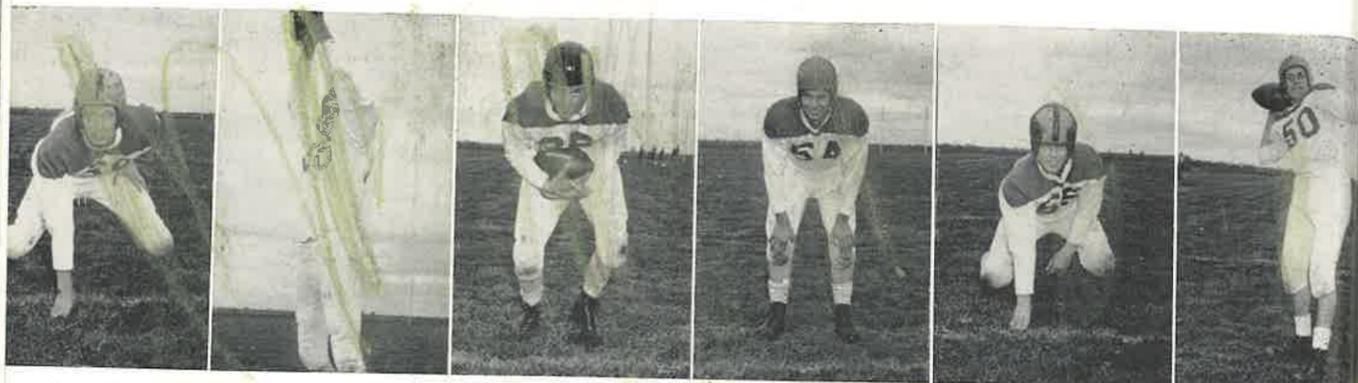
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| 1. Back in good old '40.          | 4. The "feet."                 | 7. I'm bashful.                             | 11. Swanee!!!  |
| 2. Seven sewing senior spinsters. | 5. Make your won conclusions.  | 8. Headhunters "beware."                    | 12. What's so funny?   |
| 3. Bottoms up!                    | 6. New addition to the family. | 9. In the good old days when we were young. | 13. "Old Faithful." (old but not faithful)   |
|                                   |                                | 10. Good old Rausch.                        | 14. Follow the stars.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 15. Oh, if it weren't for sb laces   |
|                                   |                                |   | 16. The big dipper. Sweet dreams. Choo, choo, choo! What are you thinking about Marj? The big four. Ma and Pa. Gee, I'm scared to look. On my honour, I'll |
|                                   |                                |   | 17. do my best.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 18. Carol and her flowers.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 19. We won!!   |
|                                   |                                |   | 20. Patty and Jimmy.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 21. Peggy and her daily letter.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 22. What, no classes?  |
|                                   |                                |   | 23. Reaction to picture number 17.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 24. She thinks she's working.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 25. Those ice cream cones don't fool us.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 26. Wheet who!!!   |
|                                   |                                |   | 27. Is that so, Thelma?  |
|                                   |                                |   | 28. Hand me a piece of the sky.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 29. Gee, ain't I pretty?   |
|                                   |                                |   | 30. Buswell after a game.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 31. My idol.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 32. The "arm."   |
|                                   |                                |   | 33. The Barrymore profile.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 34. Don't be scared Ruth.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 35. Decorating the float.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 36. Put your arms around me honey.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 37. Oh shut my mouth.  |
|                                   |                                |   | 38. L. E. in repose.   |
|                                   |                                |   | 39. Look, no body.   |

*Get That Ball*



*Sports*





Ivan Berg Tackle    Martin Dahl End    Ernest Tollefson Fullback    Wesley Stensatter Guard    Dick Olson Halfback    Dick Samson Quarterback

Green, Green, Green  
White, White, White,  
Team, Team, Team,  
Fight, Fight, Fight.

He's a peach,  
He's a dream,  
He's the coach  
Of our team.  
Yea, Buswell!

Orange Crush,  
Lemon Ice,  
Hit 'em once,  
Hit 'em twice,  
Hite 'em high,  
Hit 'em low,  
Come on gang,  
Let's go.

Wayne Kilpatrick  
End



### Football 1951

SEPTEMBER 14	Moorhead "B"—0	West Fargo—42
SEPTEMBER 21	Hillsboro	West Fargo—13
SEPTEMBER 28	Mayville—6	West Fargo— 7
OCTOBER 4	Fargo "B"—0	West Fargo—27
OCTOBER 12	Dilworth—0	West Fargo—21
OCTOBER 19	Oak Grove—0	West Fargo—32
OCTOBER 26	Hawley—26	West Fargo—32



Roger Lindgren Tackle    Gerald Waa Guard    Kent Hanson Fullback    Glen Quenette Guard    Charles Van Eckhout Quarterback



Gordon Olson Center    Curt Quenette Halfback    John Thoemke Guard    Richard Rausch Tackle    Leon Birklid End

Anton Ibach  
Guard



This year, a switch from an 8-man lineup to an 11-man game was seen here at West Fargo.

The Packers proved their ability by completing an unbeaten and untied season of play.

The Packers became a member of the newly organized Minn-Dak Conference this year. Other teams included in this conference are Oak Grove, Casselton, Hawley and Dilworth.

The West Fargo Packers and the Casselton Squirrels shared the title of co-champions of the Minn-Dak Conference, due to the fact that the adverse weather conditions caused the cancellation of the title tilt between West Fargo and Casselton.

Probably one of the best played and most evenly fought games was played with the Mayville Lions under the lights at Mayville State Teachers College Field. Both teams were held scoreless in the first half and the third period, the Lions completed a pass for a touchdown. The Packers then broke loose for a touchdown. The Packers then broke loose for a touchdown in the final period and with an extra point kicked by Curt Quenette, West Fargo came out on top, 7 to 6.

Under the able coaching of Mr. Buswell and Mr. Galloway and the fine work of Captain John Thoemke, we can be proud of the excellent job the boys did this year.

Morris Pyle  
Guard



Roger Callahan  
Halfback



Roger Stenerson Guard    Glen Quenette Guard

## Basketball 1951 1952



Row One: Wallace Tintes, Curtis Quenette, Gary Stensatter, Ivan Berg, Leon Birkliid, Wayne Kilpatrick and Martin Dahl.  
Row Two: Paul Berg, Student Manager, Ernest Tollefson, Roger Lindgren, Roger Callahan, Richard Samson, Keith Pyle, Student Manager, and Richard Buswell, Coach.

With a 20 game schedule the Packers came out with 9 wins and 11 losses. Although the losses exceeded the wins the boys have gained a lot of experience throughout the season.

The prospects look better for next year with 4 of the starting line-up returning along with 6 other lettermen.

The Minn-Dak Conference found West Fargo Packers tied for second place. Junior star, Curt Quenette led the Packer scoring with 286 points, followed closely by another junior, Dick Samson with 212 points.

For the first time since 1946 the Packers defeated their arch rival Oak Grove twice in succession. The boys are very proud of this and so are the fans.

At the District tournament at Casselton, West Fargo placed fourth after a win from Valley City College High and a loss from Casselton and St. Johns. The two graduating lettermen are Martin "Moose" Dahl and Ivan Berg.

Is everybody happy?

Well yes!

Is anybody low?

Well no!

Then we'll give the locomotive

And we'll give it slow.

You rah! rah! rah!

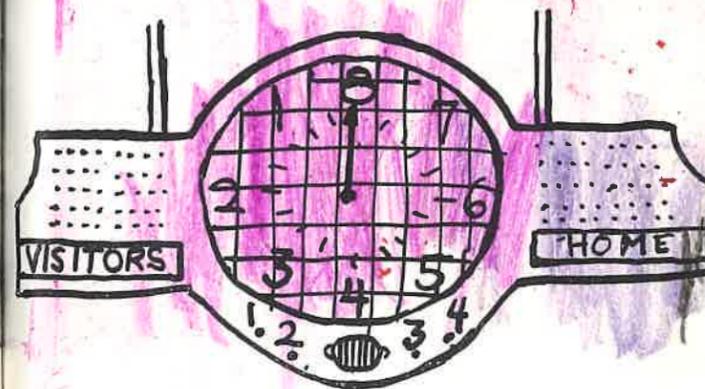
West Fargo High School

You rah! rah! rah!

West Fargo High School

You rah! rah! rah!

West Fargo High School



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## B - Squad



Row One Donald Osterberg, Morris Pyle, Anton Ibach, Gordon Olson, Jon Peterson, Duane Paulson, Roger Stenerson, Coach George Galloway.  
Row Two: Bruce Stenerson, Donald Lindgren, John Berlin, Darwin Rott, Kent Hanson, Glen Quenette, Student manager Paul Berg.

Thirteen boys under the coaching of George Galloway make up the W.F.H. S. B-Squad.

Mr. Galloway showed his ability to coach in the fine team that he has trained. The boys won many of their games and provided much intertainment for the fans.

The main purpose of a B-squad is training boys to play a skilled and fair game of ball. Mr. Galloway has certainly fulfilled this purpose.

The team's in a huddle, the captain bows his head; They link their hands together, and this is what they said:

Don't shoot them high boys!  
Don't shoot them low!  
Shoot them through the hoop boys!  
Go! Gang! Go!

## Activities



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I would like to express my appreciation for the co-operation of members of my staff. Without this help the "Yearling" publication would not have been possible.

I wish the 1953 Annual Staff much success in their work next year.  
Phyllis Cockerill, Editor.

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We, as editors of the Packer Staff, wish to express by these few words, our appreciation for the co-operation and help given us by our staff, and outsiders during the past year. Mary Jane Osterberg and Evaline Kapaun, Co-Editors.

## G. A. A.



Row One: Phyllis Cockerill, Bonnie Perlenfein, Phyllis Thies, Annette Ernst, Bonnie Wilson, Lois Thompson, DeVonne Moen, Patty Smith, Thelma Iszler.  
 Row Two: Miss Turner, Marlene Eissner, Mary Jean Pederson, Marlys Willert, Marlene Beistad, Gerry Lunde, Pat Smith, Audrey Peterson, Ruby Speers.  
 Row 3: Marjorie Kovell, Mary Jane Osterberg, Evaline Kapaun, Claudine Tuskind, Myrtice Luhman, Shirley Samson, Ruth Folstrom, Orriene Morken, Ruth Speers.  
 Row 4: Audrey Eissner, Darlene Jacobson, Joyce Flick, Joyce Murdoff, Mary Cavegn, Mary Ann Evans, Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Mary Jean Christiansen, Colleen Lunde, Beverly Gress.

This is a new organization under the leadership of Miss Shirley Turner. The girls have sports twice a week, on Tuesday and Thursday noons. The sports include Soccer Ball, Volley Ball, Basketball, and Tennis. The girls are awarded letters at the close of the year for their activities.

## Red Cross Council



Row One: Beverly Burner, Gary Willert, Phyllis Thies.  
 Row Two: Evaline Kapaun, Gary Stensatter, Roger Callahan, Miss Pratt.  
 Not pictured is Phyllis Cockerill.

The Junior Red Cross Council is composed of six members, one from each class.

The members have supervision in the filling of Red Cross Boxes and enrollment in the Junior Red Cross. They had an assembly at which Mr. Ralph Yoder spoke on First Aid. The main work of the council is the filling of a gift chest for European Countries.

We of the student body wish to thank the Junior Red Cross Council for their commendable work during the past year.

## F. H. A.



Row One: Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Ruby Speers, Fern McNamara, Annette Ernst, Phyllis Thies, Bonnie Perlenfein, Lois Thompson, Andrea Walburg, Jean Anderson, Thelma Iszler, Patty Smith.  
 Row Two: Mary Jean Christiansen, Evaline Kapaun, Mary Jean Pederson, Marlys Willert, Bonnie Highness, Marlene Eissner, Ruby Salazar, Peggy Parmenter, Frances Phillips, Catherine Thoemke, Colleen Cavegn, Ramona Brugger, Barbara Dahl, Emilie Loberg, Beverly Theisen.  
 Row Three: Marjorie Kovell, Mary Pyle, Claudine Tuskind, Genevieve Kovell, Mary Ann Barnes, Helen Houkom, Karen Kylo, Marlene Beistad, Sylvia Monson, Peggy Ament, Bonnie Jean Wilson, Audrey Peterson, Claudia Shearburn, Marlys Johnson.  
 Row 4: Beverly Gress, Mary Jane Osterberg, Myrtice Luhman, Darlene Jacobson, Joyce Flick, Audrey Eissner, Mary Ann Evans, Mary Cavegn, Colleen Lunde, Orriene Morken, Joyce Murdoff, Ruth Speers, Ruth Folstrom, Betty Pederson, Geraldine Murdoff.  
 Not pictured are Marlys Trom and Sylvia Cole.

During the past year the members of the F.H.A. have been working hard to further their goals in home, family, and school life. Activities of the group include U. N. Assembly, a Mother and Dad Night, clothing for the children at Camp Grassick, and caring for the First Aid and Mending Kits. Instead of the usual formal dance, they sponsored a Sadie Hawkins Dance.

## Student Council



Row One: Beverly Gress, Marjorie Henning, Audrey Peterson.  
 Row Two: Conrad Olson, Dean Thies, Duane Paulson, Mr. Hillius.

The Student Council is composed of one member elected from each class. Under the direction of Mr. Hillius the prospective members must carry on a campaign and the manager for each person must make a pre-election speech. The council makes arrangements for all lyceums and movies presented to the student body through out the year. The council also makes it possible for different organizations in the school to sell pop and candy at ball games.

We, the students of West Fargo High School wish to commend the Student Council for their wonderful work in promoting democracy in the school government.



Senior Cheerleaders



Junior Cheerleaders

The Pep Squad is an organization consisting of four girls from each grade, who help support the team and make plenty of noise at the games. The club takes care of decorating for Homecoming and handles various other money making activities.

The officers are: Advisor, Miss Shirley Turner  
 President, Joyce Flick  
 Vice President, Audrey Peterson  
 Sec.-Treas.-Mary Jean Christiansen



Row One: Shari Sorvik, Mary eJan Pederson, Bonnie Wilson, Lois Thompson, Andrea Walburg.  
 Row Two: Audrey Peterson, Marlys Willert, Marlene Eissner, Patty Smith.  
 Row Three: Audrey Eissner, Mary Ann Evans, Ruth Folstrom, Orriene Morken, Hermoine Oldoren.  
 Row Four: Miss Turner, Mary Ann Van Eckhout, Mary Jean Christiansen, Joyce Flick, Darlene

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HOMECOMING



The Coronation



Queen DeVonne



The Team

CARNIVAL



Queen Pat



The Candidates



Dodey and Her Prize

SADIE HAWKINS



Little Abner and Daizy Mae



## We Shook the Family Tree

### Cast

Hildegarde .....	Darlene Berlin
Mr. Dolson .....	Calvin Shearburn
Mrs. Dolson .....	Mary Ann Evans
Sally .....	Patricia Smith
Bob .....	Roger Folstrom
Jimmy .....	Robert Fuller
Paige Mason .....	Normae Thompson



A delightful comedy about the teenager, Hildegarde and her problems as she prepares to go to the prom with knicker clad Freddie Shermer. Hildegarde had taken part in a debate on drinking and gave everyone the idea that her father is a drunkard.

She and Paige Mason, the girl she was babysitting with, accidentally mailed all of Mr. and Mrs. Shermer's love letters.

Freddie, who also hated his knickers, "borrowed" a pair of Rob's pants but is caught. In the meantime someone steals Freddie's graduation watch and the Shermer's love letters, which appear in all the mailboxes.

The Shermers thought Hildegarde did it, but Freddie appears in the scene with long pants telling them he took them for revenge. Mr. and Mrs. Shermer realize Freddie is grown up, and Freddie and Hildegarde go happily to the prom.

## The



## Prom



### "REMEMBER WHEN"

We had the prom in the Town Hall of the Gardner Hotel, Fargo, North Dakota on May 18, 1951.

Mary Jane Osterberg gave the welcome address which was answered by Bill Quenette, senior class president.

Darlene Jacobson giggled and blushed through her duties as toast-mistress.

The guys and dolls danced to the music of the late Don Auman's orchestra.

We had to face Mr. Buswell on Monday!!

### MENU

Roast Beef  
Tossed Salad  
Ice cream  
Milk

Fruit Cocktail

Mashed Potatoes  
Rolls  
Cookies  
Coffee

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