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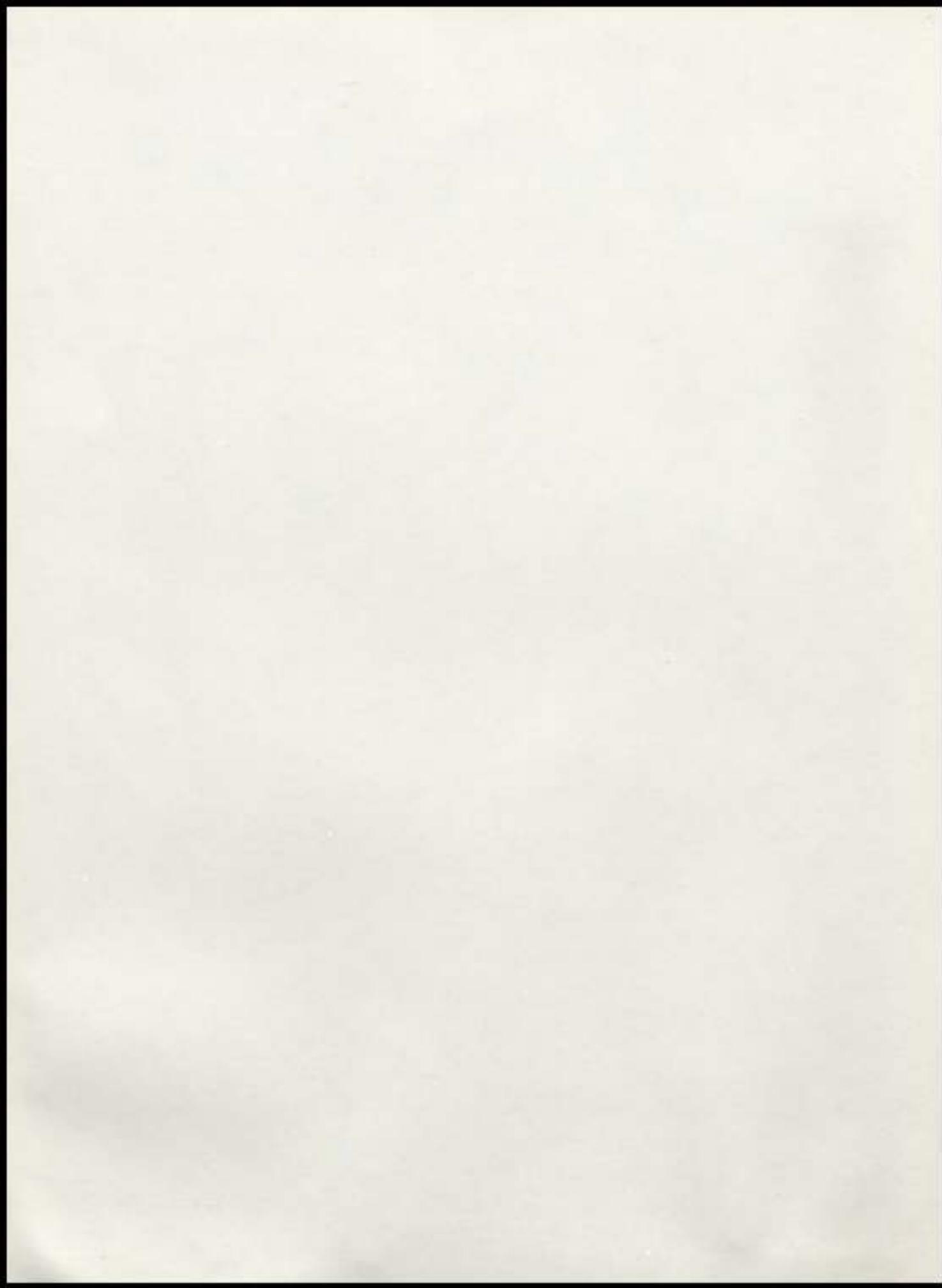
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1989



Viborg Public School
Viborg, SD 57070

An "Up Close And Personal"

These first few pages that you will read are the very last written and as the staff finishes up on the final pages, we would like to reflect back on the year.

When September, the beginning of school, was upon us, everyone once again wondered where the summer had gone. The three month vacation seemed as three weeks, as athletes started practicing in football, basketball and cross country.

To enhance the desire and dedication of the VHS athletes, the summer Olympics began in Seoul, Korea. Each athlete saw what "striving for excellence" was all

about. They witnessed four wrestlers from South Dakota actually participate. The olympics came to an end with the U.S. placing third with 94 total medals.

To summarize athletics for the year, both the boys and girls were very successful in several areas. In the fall, the football team hosted their first ever play-off game and were rated #2 in the state. Both the girls and boys cross country teams ended second in the region, and for the fourth straight year, Nikki Jones, defended her region title. She also went on to be the State 8 3000 meter champion. The girls basketball team ended second in the conference.

As winter came, the volleyball team repeated their region title and went on to be third in the state. The boys basketball team won the conference title. During the spring, athletes hit the roads for track. The girls team ended with the conference and region championships as the boys ended third in the state with two relays as state champs.

Looking into the national scene, on September 29, we found all students peered to the TV sets in school to watch the launch of the Discovery Space Shuttle. After a successful launch and trip they landed safely on October 3.



1. Members of the student body and staff at VHS are: ROW ONE - P. Jacobson, C. Jorgensen, G. Munkvold, J. Austad, M. Westegaard, S. Nielsen, A. Larsen, M. Olsen, B. Doering, D. Nesheim, K. Sampson, L. Heibull, K. Lee, M. Johanson, K. Nelson and Mr. D. Allen; ROW TWO - K. Johnson, W. Olson, K. Jensen, T. Kniffen, M. Moran, N. Jones, S. Johnson, J. Ostrout, J. Joffer, V. Overgard, M. Anderson, K. Devitt, M. Hoising, A. Nelson, B. El, C. Gaertner, D. Garvey and Student Teacher Mr. P. Kran-

ing; ROW THREE - M. Collins, R. Ness, J. Oswald, R. Devitt, L. Falk, T. Olesen, C. Christensen, T. Simonsen, J. Kopp, S. Larsen, B. Sampson, A. McClung, R. Austad, K. Mark and Mrs. D. Geiring; ROW FOUR - Mr. M. Christensen, R. Peterson, C. Ferdig, J. Marquardt, S. Olsen, F. Tirrel, J. Kopp, B. Olson, V. Overgard, L. Overby, S. Wallace, M. Pederson, S. Sorensen, J. Nesheim, J. Saylor, N. Andal and Mrs. L. Trienary; ROW FIVE - Mr. G. Freier, J. Powell, D. Wood, S. Collins, A. Christensen, A. Collins,

J. DeVries, D. Pritchett, D. Leber, D. Flint, J. Nesheim, D. Meyers, M. Pederson, D. Hansen, C. Severson, C. Tirrel and Mrs. E. Ward; ROW SIX - Mrs. N. Crompton, Mr. J. Nyhaug, Mr. J. Holbeck, J. Eftson, J. Kopp, A. VanHul, K. Westegaard, H. Christensen, J. Hoising, A. Sorlien, H. Gaertner, S. Bak, H. Swanson, C. Johnson, S. Mark, Mr. A. Ward, Mrs. M. Austad and Mrs. C. Nyhaug.

Look At VHS

During the summer of 1988, a large amount of our very own Black Hills National Forest went into flames. Shortly after controlling this fire, some South Dakota fire-fighters found themselves at Yellowstone National Park. At least one-half of this beautiful area was ruined in fire.

January brought about the inauguration of the newly elected president. In November, United States voters chose President George Bush and Vice-President Dan Quayle to make major decisions dealing with the national affairs of our country.

From February to the end of the year, students found themselves busy not only

in athletics, but also in music contests, the all-school play, and a number of different organizational meetings.

As the year drew to a close, Viborg School said good-bye to three retiring teachers. Mrs. Ardis Boe (second grade), Mrs. Wanda Sorensen (seventh grade) and Mrs. Marie Swensen (eighth grade) were honored in a number of different ways for their dedication to VHS. Their workmanship and educational values will long be remembered. VHS will also say thanks to Mrs. Nancy Crampton for her work and help to all students. Mrs. Crampton was the counselor and high school special education teacher.

May brought about the graduation of 37 seniors. The loss of this large class will make a difference in the halls and classes. They will be missed for their leadership and dedication to education.

As you glance through the book, we hope that we have captured just one special moment for each student of VHS. The pictures tell of the happenings of 1988-89, for the memories can only be shown here or found in the heart.



1. Vicki Overgard and Troy Simonsen are crowned 1988 homecoming queen and king. 2. The gradeschool gather for the flag raising of the new centennial flag. 3. The band prepares to play for the spring concert.



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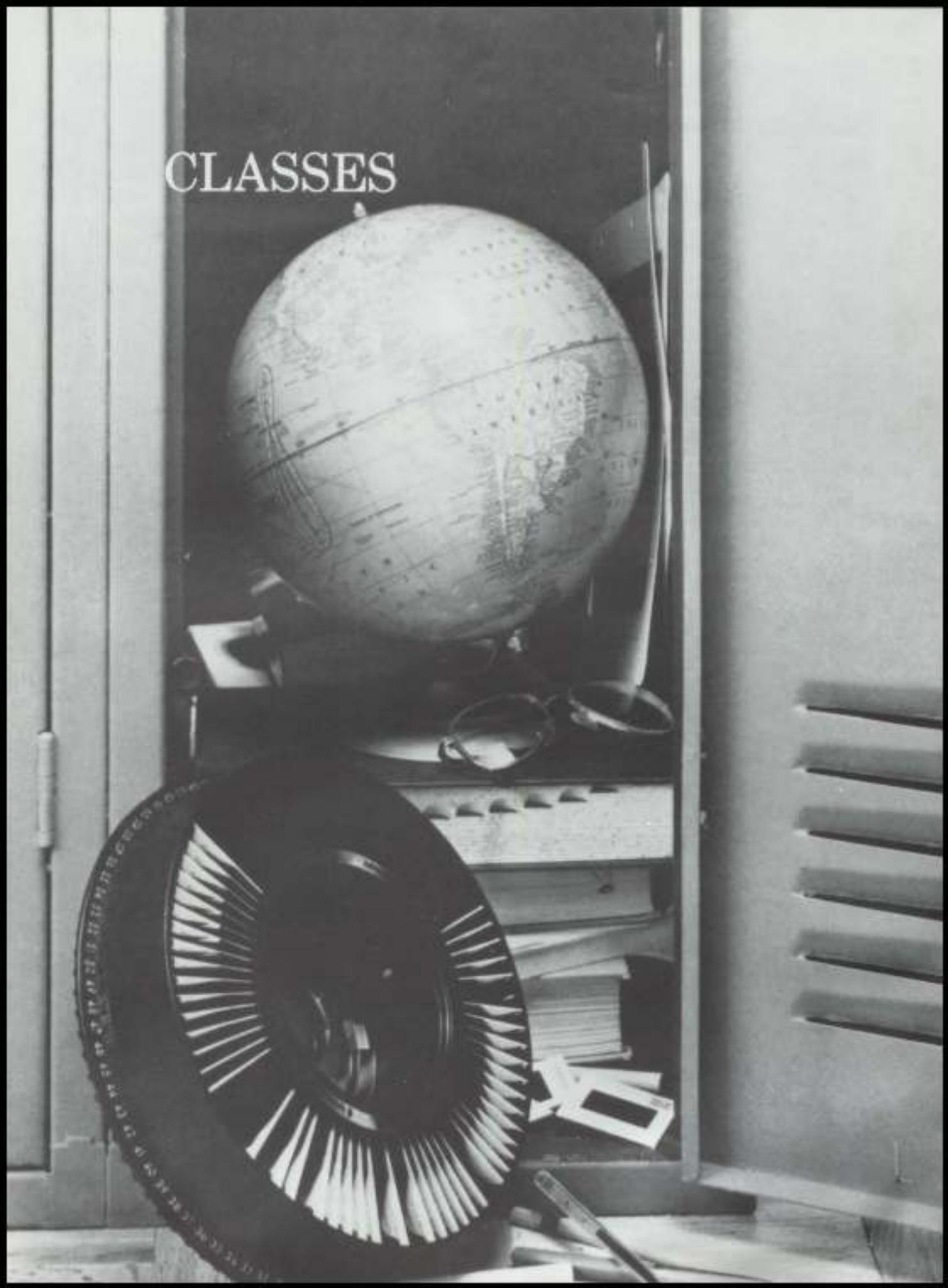
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1. Mr. Dan Moran stands proudly with his team after reaching a milestone of his 400th win in high school boys' basketball. Mr. Moran was presented the game ball.
 2. Seniors, Julie Ostrooft, Kerry Devitt, Angie Nelson and Maris Johanson, wait for lunch time on homecoming day.
 3. Heath Swanson "tries" to figure out his physical science.
 4. Cindy Christensen and Mrs. Marie Swanson have a "heart to heart" talk.



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CLASSES



In A Class By Themselves

The Class Of 1989

One year left, decisions to make and many more responsibilities were a few of the things the class of 1989 had to face in September. A school year of nine months was about to seem as nine weeks as they busily finish their education at VHS.

Homecoming was one of the first events for the seniors. Because of the size of their class, 38, they had 12 homecoming candidates to choose from for royalty. Troy Simonsen and Vicki Overgard were crowned to reign over the festivities. For the celebration, the seniors did the "Homecoming Shuffle" for their skit and built a float "Taking Care of Business."

As the year progressed, they

found themselves involved with classes and extra-curriculars at school. They were also faced in making that decision of "What should I do after graduation?" The largest percentage decided to go into college, some to the armed forces and a few will look for jobs.

When April was upon them, they were granted senior privileges until the end of the year. From third period until the end of the day they were excused from study halls. In May they were also given a senior education day in Sioux Falls. At this time they visited EROS, the Minnehaha Detention Center and the Air Guard. They also took in Falls Park, bowling and a movie.

"Our lives are before us. Our pasts are behind us. But our memories are forever with us" was the theme chosen by the class of 1989 for graduation. They also chose the rose for the class flower and colors of red and black.

May 24 was the last day as of the seniors would probably be together. This was Graduation Day, and all joined with families and friends for this eventful day.

The loss of the large class of 1989 will be a great change to the halls of VHS. Their achievements gained while in school will be long remembered.

1. Members of the class of 1989 are STANDING IN FRONT - Tamara Olesen, Aron Larsen, Bob E, Mark Westgaard, Julie Ostroot, Marlin Johanson, Jerry Jaffer, Stacey Johnson, Cindy Christensen, Nikki Jones, Karl Jensen, Mike Anderson, Greg Murkvold, Kerry Devitt, Karla Johnson, Joe Austad, Wendy Olson, Keith Nelson, Chad Gaertner and Lonnie Hebut. TOP 10 BOTTOM ON SLIDE - Chad Ness, Shawn Nielsen, Troy Simonsen, Derrick Garvey, Marc Olesen, Paul Jacobson, Cory Jorgensen, Kevin Sampson, Brett Doering, Dan Nesham, Tony Kniffen, Mike Moran, Michele Hoising, Ange Nelson, Vicki Overgard and Linda Falk.





Michelle Andersen



Joe Austad



Cindy Christensen



Kerry Devitt



Brett Doering



Barb Eli



1. Seniors, Wendy Olson, Marc Olsen and Tamara Olsen, get some final instructions for procedure during the graduation ceremonies.



Linda Falk



Chad Gaertner



Derrick Garvey

1. Barb Eli and Stacey Johnson wait for the starting line-up. 2. Cary Jorgansen and Marc Olsen check out what is on the agenda for the evening.



Lonnie Helbut



Michelle Hoelsing



Karl Jensen



Paul Jacobson



Jennifer Joffer



Martin Johanson



Karla Johnson

1. Officers of the senior class include: FRONT - Student Council Representatives Brett Doering and Nicole Jones. BACK - Secretary/Treasurer Mark Westgaard, President Kerry Devitt and Vice-President Ange Nelson.



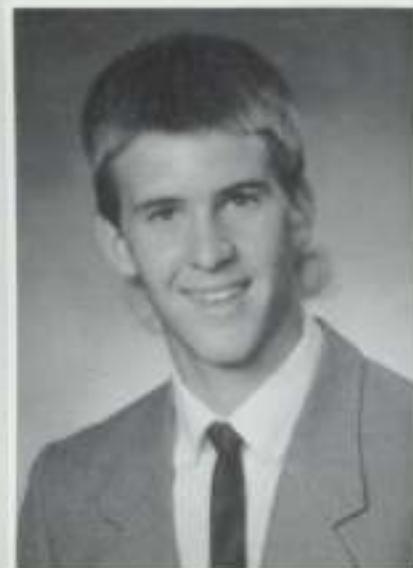
Stacey Johnson



Nicole Jones



Cory Jorgensen



Tony Kniffen



Arron Larsen



Kenneth Lee

1. Tony Kniffen shows us some of his "stylish" moves during the pep fest.

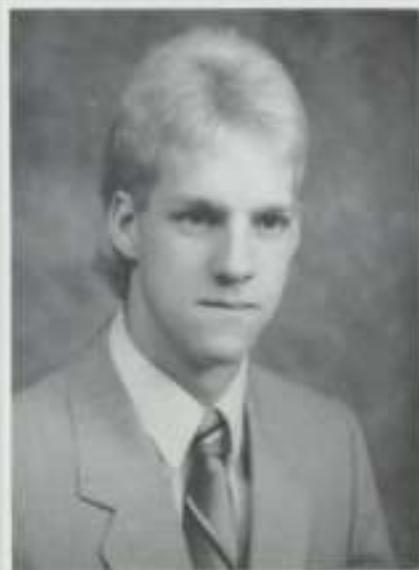




Michael Moran



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Gregory Munkvold



Angela Nelson



Keith Nelson



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1. Members of the senior class that attended Viborg since first grade are: FRONT - M. Andersen, A. Nelson, K. Devitt, S. Johnson, J. Ostroot; MIDDLE - K. Lee, T. Olsson, W. Olson, C. Christensen, K. Johnson, K. Jensen, M. Hoising, and V. Overgard; BACK - M. Olsen, B. Doering, A. Larsen, P. Jacobson, M. Westegard, J. Nielsen, M. Johansen, T. Simonsen and K. Sampson. 2. Brett Doering and Nikki Jones work together on a Chemistry assignment. 3. Heather Weier cools off with a little "soda."

1. Homecoming candidates ride through the homecoming parade. They are: Angie Notari, Shawn Nielsen, Mike Anderson, Paul Jacobson, Nikki Jones and Brett Daering.



Dan Nesheim



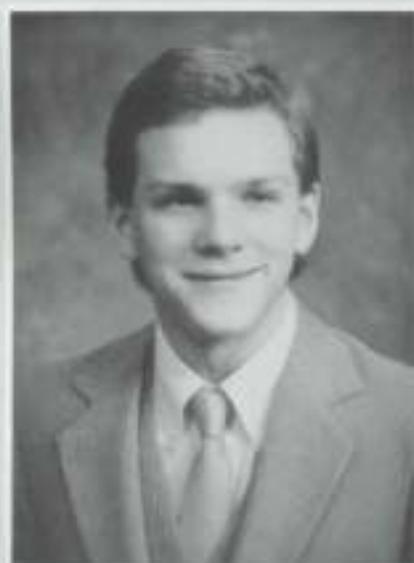
Chad Nest



Shawn Nielsen



Tamara Olesen



Marc Olsen



Wendy Olson



Julie Ostroot



Vicki Overgard



Kevin Sampson

1: Angie Nelson and Cory Jorgensen look on as Joe Austad gives his speech to the Lord. 2: Barb El seems to think that volleyball poster will look better in her bedroom.



Troy Simonsen



Heather Weier



Mark Westegaard



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1. Mike Andersen and Mike Moran receive the Scholar Athlete Award given by the Army Reserve. 2. Seniors anxiously await their graduation practice. 3. Nikki Jones and Mike Andersen enjoy some relaxation after the state track meet.



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New Decade Of Graduates: One Step Closer To 1990

The Juniors approached another year of high school realizing the decisions they make now are becoming more important as they come closer to ending their high school years and entering the real world. Some of these decisions included what classes to take. English II and American History were the only required courses. Electives included human anatomy, chemistry, accounting, Algebra II, geometry, psychology, Spanish, home economics, industrial technology,

band and chorus.

As homecoming week arrived, the Juniors found themselves very busy. At coronation the class put on a skit and for the parade they made their float, "A Viking Victory Is Just Like Living in Paradise", which gave them a first place finish.

Next came the challenge of coming up with money for prom. To solve this problem, they sold magazines. The top salesman

was Brent Sampson.

The colors chosen for prom were red, black and silver. The band was Bazooka Goe and the theme song chosen was "When I'm With You."

As another year winds down, the class of 1990 looks forward to the excitement and responsibility of being seniors. They are the class that will start a new decade of graduates from Viborg High School.



1. Members of the junior class include:
FRONT - Matt Collins, Rodney Ness Jr.,
Chris Feidig, Josh Marquardt, Jason Ox-

wald, Ryan Devitt, Josh Kopp and Shan-
non Larsen; BACK - Brent Sampson, Kim
Mark, Joel Kopp, Shawn Olsen, Byron Ol-

son, Frank Tirrel, Roberto Avestad and Amy
McClung.



Roberta Austad



Matt Collins



Ryan Devitt



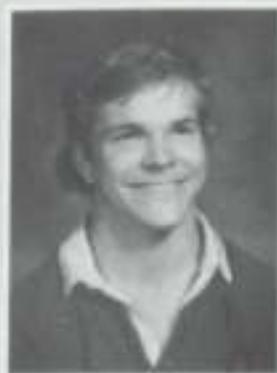
Chris Ferdig

1. Josh Kopp works diligently on his accounting assignment. 2. Joel Kopp and Roberta Austad try to figure out their Algebra assignment. 3. Jerome Neshem, Josh Marquardt and Jason Oswald patiently wait to give their speeches. 4. Officers for

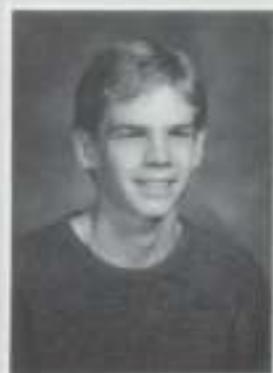


Josh Kopp

the junior class include: FRONT - Vice-President Josh Marquardt, Student Council Rep Ryan Devitt and President Byron Olson; BACK - Student Council Rep Shawn Olsen and Secretary/Treasurer Shannon Larsen.



Joel Kopp



Shannon Larsen



Kim Mark



Joshua Marquardt



Amy McClung

1. Jason Oswald, Bryan Olson and Roberto Aulstad take some final instructions from Mr. Halbeck on graduation. 2. Joel Kopp and Ryan De-

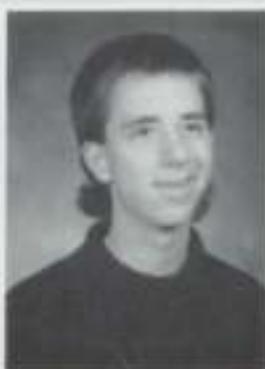
vitt test their strength. 3. Shannon Larsen does his part for the skit. 4. Rodney Ness Jr. "kicks back" on the homecoming float.



Rodney Ness Jr.



Shawn Olsen



Byron Olson



Jason Oswald



Brent Sampson



Frank Tirrel



1. Shawn Olsen gives his speech for student body president. 2. Ryan Devitt styles

his "pitbull" shirt. 3. Josh Kopp steps off for the 800 relay. 4. Kim Mark tightens her

shoes during the regional. 5. Byron Olson runs hard in the Baltic meet.

A Class With Class

As the sophomore class entered the doors of VHS for their second year of high school, a feeling of growing pressures and responsibilities overcame them. Immediately they were confronted with building a homecoming float entitled "The Cardinals Are Livin' On a Prayer" which brought them second place. They were also faced with creating a skit, "They Wiped Out the Rear."

Classes required to be taken by the "Class of 1991" consisted of geometry, world history, English II and biology. Electives offered included general business, business law, Industrial Technology II, typing and Home Economics II.

Sweetheart Ball is the February project given to the sophomores. "I Believe in You" was chosen as the theme for the dance and the

lunchroom was decorated in teal, pink and black.

This class of fifteen managed the change from Freshmen to Sophomores well. This group is anxiously awaiting their advancement to upperclassmen and is looking forward to their Junior and Senior years of high school.



1. Members of the sophomore class are: FRONT - Neil Andol, Jeff Nesheim, Mark Pederson, Chris Severson, Jeremy Saylor,

Dale Flint, David Hansen, Darran Meyers, Dan Leber, Vicki Weier, Lisa Overtly, Cindy Trel and Sheila Wallace; BACK - Suwe

Sorenson, Jerome Nesheim and Melissa Pederson.



Neil Andal



Dale Flint



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David Hansen



Dan Leber



Darron Meyers



Jeff Nesheim



Jerome Nesheim



Lisa Overby



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1. Vicki Weiser and Lisa Overby "twing" to music. 2. Brothers Jeff and Jerome Nesheim compete against each other in the cross country meet. 3. The football player says a little prayer to "minister?" Darron Meyers.



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Mark Pederson



Melissa Pederson



Jeremy Saylor



Chris Severson



Susie Sorensen



Cindy Tirrel



Sheila Wallace



Vicki Weier



1. Cindy Tirrel puts the finishing touches on the homecoming float. 2. Officers for the sophomore class are: Jeff Neshem, Dan Laber, Mark Pederson, Jerome Neshem and Neil Andall. 3. Sophomores, Vicki Weier, Lisa Overby, Melissa Pederson, Jeremy Saylor and David Hansen discuss the results of their float.

Class Of 1992

Experience High School

Entering the first year of high school at VHS has been one great experience for the "Class of 1992." This year's homecoming float was entitled "Another One Bites the Dust." They came out with a third place finish while competing against the other high school classes. For the carnation they put on a skit called "Ancient Chinese Secret." They were also responsible for the burning of the "V".

This year's required classes include: English I, physical science, Algebra I, world history and geography. For the elective classes there were: Industrial Technology I, library, Home Economics I, drivers education, band and vocal music.

Sweetheart Ball candidates chosen by the class were Sallie Bak, Jennifer Hoesing, Heath Swanson and Chad Johnson. Class officers

were President Heath Swanson, Vice-President Chad Johnson, Secretary/Treasurer Heather Christensen and student council representatives were Debbie Wood and Angie Collins.

With one year of high school behind them, the "Class of 1992" will be looking forward to their sophomore year at VHS.



Members of the freshman class include:
FRONT - Chad Johnson, Heath Swanson, Koren Westgaard, Heather Christensen, Jennifer Hoesing, Debbie Wood and Jon Powell; MIDDLE - Jenny DeVries, Amy

Christensen, Danny Fritchett, Angie Collins, Rex Peterson, Aaron Van Hulle, Jeremy Kapp, Sallie Bak and Amy Sorten; BACK - Jeff Bletson, Sam Collins, Scott Mark and Heather Goertner.



Sallie Bak



Amy Christensen



Heather Christensen



Angie Collins



Sam Collins



Jenny DeVries



Jeff Elefson



Heather Goertner



Jennifer Hoelsing



Chad Johnson



Jeremy Kopp



Scott Mark



1. Officers of the freshman class include: Student council rep Angie Collins, Secretary/Treasurer Heather Christensen, Student Council Rep Heath Swanson, President Chad Johnson and Vice-President Debbie Wood



Rex Peterson



Jon Powell



Daniel Pritchett



Amy Sorlien



Heath Swanson



Aaron Van Hull



Karen Westegaard



Debbie Wood



1 Chad Johnson shows his stuff during a cross country meet. 2 Debbie Wood, Jeff Eikson, Amy Christensen, Danny Pritchett and Jenny DeVries think the more the better for placing on the letters.



ACTIVITIES



Student's Opinions Are Shared

The main duty of the Student Council is to work out agreements between the students and the administration. With Mark Westegaard as President, Angie Nelson as Vice-President and Jason Oswald as Secretary/Treasurer, the Student Council worked to do just that.

The year was a year of relatively few major problems to resolve. Instead the Student Council concentrated on everyday problems such as room conditions and the prospect of having a vending machine.

The Student Council also had a part in naming the Viborg/Hurley football mascot. Council members took suggestions from the student body. A delegation of student council members then met with a delegation of the Hurley student council to decide upon the mascot name.

Student Council is one way that students can have a voice in school policy. Through their elected representatives they are able to share their opinions and concerns for VHS.

1. Members of the student council include: ROW ONE - Angie Nelson, Mark Westegaard and Jason Oswald; ROW TWO - Byron Olson, Nikki Janas, Kerry Dewitt and Shawn Olson; ROW THREE - Ryan Dewitt, Jerome Neshem, Angie Collins and Debbie Wood; ROW FOUR - Neil Andaf, Jeff Neshem, Advisor Mr. Jim Habbeck, Brett Doering and Heath Swanson. 2. Future president Jason Oswald gives his student council speech. 3. Officers of the student council include: President Mark Westegaard, Vice-President Jason Oswald and Secretary/Treasurer Angie Nelson.



Administration Governs Policies At VHS



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One of their concerns is hiring

teachers and staff members they feel are very competent for the jobs. They also make all of the final decisions on school policies, budget and activities that go on through the school year.

All of the decisions made by these people are in the best interest of the school. It is because of them that the school runs smoothly and that VHS has an enjoyable atmosphere in which to learn.



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1. The superintendent of VHS is Dan Moran. 2. Mr. James Holbeck is the high school principal. 3. Members of the board are: FRONT - President Gary Neson, Gary Krupienske, Dr. Earl Nelson, Bernadette Neshem and John Overby; BACK - Business Manager Linda Swanson, Superintendent Dan Moran, Principal Jim Holbeck and Principal Nancy Allen. 4. Nancy Allen is the Elementary Principal. 5. Linda Swanson is the Business Manager for VHS.

1. MR. DOUG ALLEN - English IV, World History, Geography, Oral Interp. Jr. Class and All-School Play 2. MRS. MARY AUSTAD - All Grades School Music, Chorus, A, B, and C Bands, Heermen Class 3. MR. MONTY CHRISTENSEN - Industrial Technology IV, Driver's Education, Elementary Physical Education, Assistant Football, Boys Track and Jr. Class 4. MRS. NANCY CRAMPTON - All High School Special Education, Counselor, Students Against Driving Drunk and Sophomore Class



Teachers: The Backbone Of Education

The teachers of VHS form the backbone of education. Their jobs involve not only teaching in the classroom, but also setting a comfortable environment in their room which makes it easier for everyone to learn. This includes good rapport with students, keeping the class interesting and challenging each participant.

As education goes outside of the classroom, so does the job of the teachers. They are also the coaches, advisors, directors, ticket takers, bench officials and just plain fans of all the extra-curricu-

lars in the school.

Being an educator leads to nine months of dedication and hard work with the students. During the summer they are taking classes to renew their certificates and widen their information to pass onto the students.

Appreciation to the teachers many times goes unsaid and unrecognized. Their devotion to education and the students is very much valued by everyone at VHS.



1. These three teachers put many years of education into the Viborg School System. After these many years they have now retired to enjoy their years outside of school. They are Mrs. Ardis Boe, Mrs. Wanda Sorensen and Mrs. Marie Swensen.



1. Teachers get together for a meeting before school starts.

ROW ONE 1. MR. GERALD FREER - Geometry, American History, Consumer Math, Algebra I, Girls Basketball, Boys Track and Sophomore Class. 2. MRS. DONETTE GRING - Home Ec I-III, FHA. 3. MR. JAMES HOLBECK - Government, Psychology, Principal, Athletic Director, Assistant Boys Basketball Senior Class. 4. MRS. CONNIE NYHAUG - Accounting, Business Law, Typing, Office Practice, General Business, Elementary Physical Education, Head Cross Country, Head Volleyball, Cheerleading, Yearbook, National Honor Society and Junior Class. ROW TWO EXCLUDING PAGE 28: 1. MR. JOHN NYHAUG - 7th and 8th Grade Science, Human Anatomy, Biology, Elementary Physical Education, Head Football, Girls Track, Junior high Boys Basketball, Science Fair and Senior Class. 2. MRS. LORETTA TRENCHERY - Spanish I, (Commutes from Huley). 3. MR. ALAN WARD - Algebra I, Chemistry, Computer I and II, Senior Math, Physical Science and Chemistry in Huley, Science Fair and Freshmen class. 4. MRS. ETHEL WARD - Librarian, Library Science. 5. MS. DEB VONESHEN - Kindergarten and Chapter Aide. ROW THREE INCLUDING PAGE 28: 1. MRS. PAM CHAUSSEE - First Grade. 2. MRS. ARDIS BOE - Second Grade. 3. MRS. ARDENE PETERSEN - Third Grade. 4. MRS. DARLENE R. AHERTY - Fourth Grade. 5. MRS. BARBARA MILLER - Fifth Grade. 6. MRS. EVELYN GORS - Sixth Grade. ROW FOUR INCLUDING PAGE 28: 1. MRS. WANDA SORENSEN - Seventh Grade. 2. MRS. MARIE SWENSEN - Eighth Grade. 3. MRS. NANCY ALLEN - Gradeschool Principal and Chapter. 4. MRS. COLLEEN GULICKSON - Speech and Hearing Specialist. 5. MRS. DEB KINNUNEN - Elementary Special Education. 6. MS. DAISIE MORAN - Preschool (Southeast Area Coop). 7. MRS. BARB HERRIED - STEP (Southeast Area Coop).

Personnel Creates Wholesome Environment

Many thank-you's go unmentioned to the support personnel at VHS. They are constantly involved with the activities and every day procedures that go on in the operation of the school system.

Every weekday morning the bus drivers are there to pick up the country students. These three people must also transport students to all school activities whether it be the band, athletic trips or a field trip in the grade-school.

Grant Peterson and Bob Austad take pride in keeping our school clean. They also get everything

ready for any activities that might go on at school.

The cooks always have a good hot meal for everyone at dinner time. They try new meals for everyone's enjoyment and still keep the nutritional value.

Annet Kropuenske, the school secretary, is always there to help out. She answers the phone, types the announcements and does many jobs that are asked of her.

The jobs of these people are essential for a smooth running school. Much appreciation goes out to these hard workers of VHS.

1. Annet Kropuenske is the school secretary. 2. Grant Peterson and Bob Austad, custodians, keep the school in "tip-top" shape. 3. Hauling students back and forth on the bus are Rube Morck, Adeline Morck and Gloria Jonason. 4. Emily Larsen and Darla Skorhøvd finish up on dishes. 5. Grant Peterson sweeps after the busy lunch time. 6. Preparing the delicious meals are Marvel Morrison, Emily Larsen, Darla Skorhøvd and Joyce Jensen.



Hit The Books:

Something
for
Everyone

From Computer And Geography To Music And Plays

From 8:30 am until 3:30 pm, the students of VHS are found busy in classes. They have all their required subjects of English, Science, math, social science and computer. Along with those classes they may take electives dealing with home-ec, industrial technology, business, library, Spanish and interests to expand on their required classes. When

students aren't in academic classes, they may be found spreading their interests in band or chorus or getting caught up on work in a study hall.

VHS prepares all students for the future whether it be getting a job after high school, going on to college or the armed forces. It even helps that student who is still un-

decided on their future plans with classes or a counselor to give some advice.

At VHS, there is a class for everyone to expand their interests. All of the offered classes will help students decide on a future and to prepare them for that graduation day.



1. Mike Moran and Wendy Olson do their chemistry experiment together. 2. Cory Jorgensen puts on some finishing touches with a sander in Industrial Technology.



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1. Algebra II students, Kara Johnson, Karl Jensen and Cindy Christensen work out an equation. 2. Marc Olsen and Mike Moran find something quite funny in band. 3. Vicki Weier studies on her geometry. 4. Heather Christensen, Chad Johnson, Jennifer Hoising and Amy Sorlein patiently wait for the bell to ring to dismiss them from English I. 5. Byron Olson balances out his problems in Accounting I. 6. Jeremie Neshem and Dan Leber concentrate on their typing. 7. Max Westgaard gets things aligned for his pinata in Spanish.



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1. Librarians that are always there to help are: FRONT - Heather Christensen, Karen Westgaard, Heather Goertner, Amy Soren, Danny Pritchett; BACK - Kar Jensen, Stacey Johnson, Roberto Austad and Mrs. Ethel Ward. 2. Julie Ostroff concentrates on an assignment during study hall; 3. Mke Andersen uses a calculator to figure out her Office Practice. 4. Ryan Devitt and Jason Oswald dig into their Algebra I class. 5. Lea Overby enjoys birthday cake brought by her mother.



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1. Those students qualifying for the regional science fair are: FRONT - Eric Blafson, Craig Devitt, Jessica Larsen, Cindy Bak, Tonya Fredrickson, Amy Olson and Shelly Andst; BACK - Jon Powell, Roberto Aulstad, Karen Westegaard, Heather Christensen, Debbie Wood, Amy Sorlie, Mike Moran, Chad Johnson and Jackie Nygaard. 2. Shannori Larsen and Byron Olsen do their part for the band. 3. Chris Severson, Dan Leber, Lisa Overby, David Harrison, Vicki Weier and Mark Pederson take notes during an English lecture. 4. Joe Aulstad works on his "pirata" in Spanish. 5. Lisa Overby, Susie Sorensen and Vicki Weier show their speed in typing.



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SADD Members Encourage Students "Just Say No"

The SADD (Students Against Driving Drunk) group had a very successful first year. The group sponsored and co-sponsored several activities. The first activity was a poster contest for grades 4-6, this took place during National Drinking and Drugged Driving Awareness Week. The posters were judged by the SADD students.

The group presented skits about drinking and peer pressure to grades 6, 7 and 8. They then passed out red ribbons to tie to your car antenna that showed that these people were against driving drunk.

Next, members of the SADD group went to the elementary school and told the Happy Hill Farm story to grades k-3, the kids then were asked questions about driving drunk. The COPE (Convicts on Preventive Education) came and spoke to the students in Grades 7-12 about the crimes they committed to get put into prison. They had good participation from the Viborg High School students.

The final activity was to co-sponsor Phil Baker with the Madsen-Knudsen Insurance Agency, Buckstead Insurance Agency and the Farmer's State Bank. Phil Baker has a "Just Say No" program which came to talk to grades K-6. The elementary students had a wonderful time and showed great participation.

We feel the SADD program had a very successful year. They hope to continue their activities at VHS for a long period of years.

1. Members of the SADD are: FRONT - K. Jansen, S. Sorensen, D. Wood, S. Mark, J. Eiketon and D. Leber; MIDDLE - K. Mark, J. DeVries, A. Christensen, K. Johnson, V. Weier, I. Overby, C. Johnson and C. Severson; BACK - Advisor Mrs. Nancy Crampton, J. Oswald, T. Kniffen, M. Moran, D. Meyers, M. Westgaard, E. Olson and R. Austad. 2. Officers of SADD include Jason Oswald, Dan Leber, Kim Mark and Roberta Austad. 3. The gradeschool students get excited about "Just Say No."



A "SOEUL" TRADITION

A Tenth Straight Homecoming Victory

Another busy week of the annual homecoming activities were once again a success at VHS. Students dressed in some pretty crazy "get-ups" through the week to show their support.

Monday brought "Career Day", students were to dress in the manner of a career they might be interested. Inside-out day was for Tuesday and everyone dressed in their very best for Wednesday. Thursday was the traditional red and white day. On that day, students came in whatever was comfortable as long as it was the right color.

Thursday evening everyone traveled to the VHS gym to see the crowning of the 1988 Homecoming King and Queen. Tradition was changed as 12 candidates were chosen instead of six because of the large class size. The aisle was lit by candle carriers as

the senior candidates were led to the red, white and silver stage.

A welcome was given to the large crowd by Mark Westgaard. At this time Coach Nyhaug introduced everyone involved in the football program and invited everyone to the remaining activities.

Excitement filled the gym as Mr. Holbeck announced Troy Simonson as homecoming king and Vicki Overgard as queen. After congratulations by candidates, they each gave a short speech.

Then classes got involved as each did their own thing in a skit. The Freshmen had an "Ancient Chinese Secret" and the Sophomores did "They Wiped out the Rear." The Juniors had a "Deodorant Dilemma" and the Sen-

iors ended with a "Rap Work-Out."

Candle carriers then calmed the evening as they sang "Candle On The Water" and "Friends". They also formed the aisle once again as VHS Royalty paraded to the back of the gym where friends and relatives could greet them.

After a short intermission, the gym was "hoppin'" as the VHS Cheerleading squads led a pep fest with the help of the pep band. Many cheers, chants and speeches were held inside and outside as all was moved to the burning of the "V."

Thursday's activities were over, but the excitement of Friday's events were just beginning. Everyone looked forward to the next day for float building, parade, game and dance.



1. Crown bearers this year are Annete Gering and Joshua Simonson.
2. The 1988 Homecoming Royalty candidates are, from L to R Mkie Moran, Kelly Devitt, Shawn Nelson, Angie Nelson, Queen Vicki Overgard, King Troy Simonson, Michele Anderson, Paul Jacobson, Nicole Jones, Brett Doering, Stacey Johnson, and Marc Olson.





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1. Master of Ceremonies was Mark Westgaard. 2. The senior skit was performed by Jenny Jaffer, Dan Neshem, Karl Jensen, Kenny Lee, and Cindy Christensen. 3. The freshman skit entertained us by doing a prank on the seniors. 4. King Troy crowns Queen Vicki. 5. John Nyndaug introduces his football team. 6. Candi Simonsen helps her son, Josh, get ready. 7. Michele Hoelsing is one of the candle carriers.

It's How You Play The Game!

It was a beautiful day for homecoming in Viborg. All the students eagerly checked into class, then out to their float location to see who could put the best one together in a few hours.

At noon, all high school students were dismissed. Each had responsibilities of their own to get ready for marching, help set up the parade or to be in the parade on a float or as a homecoming candidate.

Many entries were in the VHS parade by businesses, organizations, political can-

didates and bands including Hurley, here, Centerville and our own leading the way. It was enjoyed by the very small children all the way to the elderly watching from the nursing home.

After the parade, students tore apart floats and went on to do their own thing for the afternoon. Some rested for the game, some drove around and some attended the annual car wash (at no charge).

7:30 pm brought about the homecoming game. The start of the game was

questionable for the Vikings as Irene took a quick lead of 14-0. By half-time the Vikings had tied the score at 14-14. The whole second half belonged to Viborg as they kept the Cardinals scoreless and won the game 41-14.

With an exciting victory to celebrate, the high school students and alumni danced the night away at the annual homecoming dance. Even with just music played by tapes, it gave everyone the chance to relax and enjoy the evening and talk of a very successful 1988 homecoming.



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1. Team captains for the football team are Brett Doering, Aaron Larsen, Troy Simonson, and Chad Ness. 2. Debbie Wood puts finishing touches on her float. 3. As Shannon Larsen works on the junior float, Rodney Ness shows us what he does best. 4. Stapling letters to their float are Chad Johnson and Sam Collins.





1. David Hansen practices his punt for the game. 2. The members of the band eagerly watch the game for a hope of a Viking touchdown. 3. Coaches Nyhaug and Christensen watch the team to see if the play called was the correct decision. 4. Troy Simonsen runs the ball in hopes that there is some blockers in front to be at his aid. 5. The cheerleaders get the crowd going to cheer the team on. 6. Derrick Garvey, Marli Johanson, Joe Austad, and Mark Westgaard get the senior float ready for the parade.

Marching Band:

Starting Down The Long Road

As the beginning of school came upon us, the sound of cadence and music hit the streets of Viborg every fifth period. The VHS band was practicing and setting the pace for their season.

The school song and "Working in the Coal Mine" were marched to in Viborg, Irene and Centerville. Director Mrs. Mary Austad also had the band marching at the USD homecoming parade.

These students not only put their time in as marching band members but also make up the pep band. The pep band plays at all home games of football and girls and boys basketball.

Music from the VHS band adds enjoyment to student activities. Their dedication and talent goes to parades, concerts and many events happening through the year.

1. The VHS marching band lead the 1988 annual homecoming parade. 2. Members of the marching band are: ROW ONE - Kara Henze, Kara Johnson, Debbie Wood, Matt Collins, Jeremy Kopp, Heath Swanson, Marc Olsen, Chris Severson, Kerry Devitt, Mike Moran, Jeremie Neshem, Dan Leber, Angie Collins, Karen Westgaard and Heather Goertner, ROW TWO - Lisa Olsen, Jenny DeVries, Jennifer Hoising, Salka Bok, Amy Christensen, Mike Andersen, Vicki Overgard, Susie Salensen, Shelly Andak, Kelly Nelson and Amy Olson, ROW THREE - Neil Andak, Stacey Johnson, Lisa Overby, Kari Jensen, Amy Soder, Melissa Pederson, Darrell Mark, Michele Peterson, Julie Castroff, Vicki Weer and Cindy Tittel, ROW FOUR - Chad Johnson, Wendy Olson, Kim Mark, Michelle Hestrig, Angie Nelson, Jon Powell, Ilex Peterson, Jon Kopp, Masha Buckhead, Dora Duncan and Heather Christensen, ROW FIVE - Barb El, Linda Falk, Josh Marquardt, Marlin Johanson, Jason Oswald, Shannon Larsen, Byron Olson, Shawn Olson, Jeff Neshem and Billy Jo Hummel, ROW SIX - David Harrison, Shawn Nessen, Ryan Devitt, Tony Kniffen, Brett Doering, Roberts Austad, Keith Nelson, Scott Mark and Bryce Olson.





Music Appreciation Expressed Through Special Events

Two special activities that really contribute to the music department are ensembles and all-state chorus. Instrumental ensembles were taken to contest in Vermillion and provided valuable experience for everyone involved. Solos were also taken to contest and we came back with three superiors.



Superiors received were: Joe Austad, tenor solo; Kim Mark, saxophone solo; and Julie Ostrout, piano solo. All-state delegates and alternates practiced together with area towns and gave concerts to various schools. The delegates traveled to Aberdeen for the final concert. These events helped students learn dedication and appreciation for music.



1. Students competing at the instrumental ensembles were: FRONT - Lisa Overby, Barb El, Kerry Devitt and Mike Anderson; MIDDLE - Michelle Hoelsing, Wendy Olson, Julie Ostrout, Vicki Overgard and Tracy Johnson; BACK - Kari Jensen, Keith Nelson, Kim Mark, David Hansen, Josh Marquardt, Shawn Nesen, Byron Olson, Jason Oswald, Martin Johanson and Roberto Austad. 2. All-state chorus delegates and alternates are: FRONT - Joe Austad, David Hansen, Vicki Overgard and Angie Nelson; BACK - Aron Larsen, Jason Oswald, Michelle Hoelsing and Julie Ostrout. 3. Students competing in the vocal ensembles are: FRONT - Debbie Wood, Kim Mark, Angie Nelson, Vicki Overgard and Julie Ostrout; BACK - David Hansen, Jason Oswald and Joe Austad.



Students Express Themselves Through Music

When the bell rings to begin seventh period, those in high school chorus get together in the music room with Mrs. Austad to add some variety to their daily routine. The time is spent preparing to sing for the Christmas concert and the Spring concert at the end of the year.

Mrs. Austad also teaches music classes for everyone from Kinder-

garten to eighth grade. They do games and activities which help them learn beat and rhythm. Older kids learn notes and interpretation.

Both the chorus and the music classes help students express themselves through music. It also encourages students for a well-rounded education.

1. Members of the mixed chorus include:
 ROW ONE - A. Collins, K. Devitt, M. Anderson, M. Hoelsing, J. Ostroot, K. Jensen, T. Olesen, A. McCung and S. Bak. ROW TWO - D. Pritchett, J. Bletson, D. Leber, M. Pederson, J. DeVries, A. Christensen, D. Wood and H. Goertner. ROW THREE - C. Johnson, A. Van Hal, S. Mark, D. Meyer, J. Powell, J. Neshem, R. Peterson, A. Borien, L. Overby, V. Weiler and B. El. ROW FOUR - J. Saylor, M. Pederson, C. Goertner, D.

Flint, J. Kopp, Keith Nelson, A. Nelson, S. Sorensen, S. Johnson and V. Overgard. ROW FIVE - H. Swanson, S. Collins, F. Tret, R. Ness Jr., J. Marquardt, C. Ferdig, S. Olesen, L. Folk, K. Johnson, T. Olesen and W. Olson. ROW SIX - D. Hansen, P. Jacobson, T. Kniffen, M. Moran, J. Oswald, A. Larsen, J. Austad, R. Austad, C. Christensen, K. Mark and J. Hoelsing. 2. The mixed chorus gives their spring concert. 3. Soloist, Mike Moran, does a trilogy by Elvis Presley.



Yearbook Staff Captures The "Times Of Your Life"

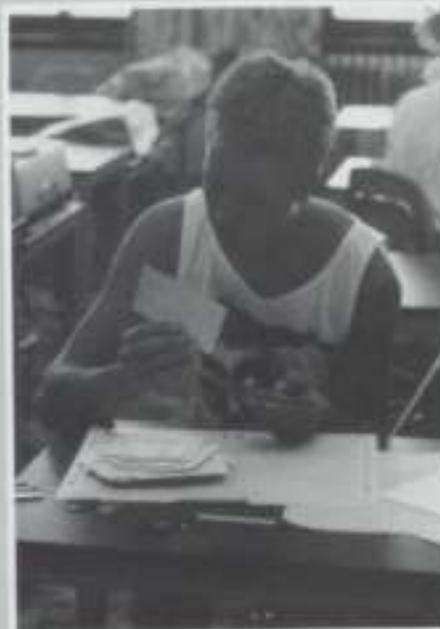


Hours of hard work and careful thought, are put into each and every page of this book from the beginning to the end of the year. All of the staff members are involved in recording just a few of the many memories at VHS.

As you know, this year was an Olympic year so we decided to use that as our theme. There are many things involved in achieving

a book worthy of VHS and selling ads, writing stories, and taking many pictures are just a few of them. The staff is also in charge of filing and taking care of the pop machine throughout the year.

The yearbook staff hopes that through several hours of dedication that they have captured a special moment for every student throughout the year.



1 Mike Moran counts the money from the pop machine, which is a money-maker for the yearbook. 2 Jason Oswald finds working in the summer on yearbook isn't "real fun." 3. Members of the yearbook staff are: FRONT - Advisor Mrs. Connie Nyhaug, Jason Oswald, Mike Moran, Mark Westgaard and Neil Anda; BACK - Julie Ostrom, Suse Sorensen and Lisa Overby. NOT PICTURED - Salie Bak and Amy Sorlien. 4. Amy Sorlien and Salie Bak select some pictures for their pages.



Oral Interpretation Team Speak Up At VHS

The oral interpretation team had a strong crew of eight members this year. Some were returning from other years and there were also a lot of experience gained by four freshmen that started with the team.

In the local contest, Linda Falk and Kim Mark competed in oratory, Sallie Bak and Debbie Wood competed in poetry, Joe Austad and Chad Johnson competed in serious prose, Julie Ostrout was in drama and Scott Mark was in the humorous division.

Kim, Sallie, Joe, Julie and Scott traveled to the district contest held at USD in Vermillion. Kim and Joe received superiors there and went to the region contest where they both received excellent ratings.



1. Joe Austad and Kim Mark competed at the regional oral interpretation contest and received excellent. 2. Members of the oral interp. team are: FRONT - Kim Mark, Julie Ostrout, Scott Mark and Chad Johnson; BACK - Joe Austad, Sallie Bak,

Debbie Wood, Linda Falk and Advisor Mr. Doug Aker; 3. Debbie Wood practices her oral interpretation speech. 4. Kim Mark adds a little "body language" on her delivery.



Academic Leaders Of Tomorrow

A number of different organizations, inside and outside the school, sponsor activities and awards for students. These students may be honored because of speaking talent, academics, leadership, character or citizenship.

Other than the school, these students are recognized by the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion, the VFW and businesses throughout our community. These high school students set good examples for those younger than them and will be our leaders in years to come.

1. Mark Westgaard was chosen for the award given by the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). 2. Kari Johnson won the Voice of Democracy award by giving her report. 3. David Hansen received the Hugh O'Brien award for his leadership. 4. Students chosen for girls state and boys state are: FRONT - Jason Oswald and Roberta Aulstad (alternate); BACK - Kyrin Olson and Kim Mark. 5. Members of the National Honor Society include: FRONT - R. Devitt, K. Devitt, J. DeTroor, S. Sorensen and L. Overby; MIDDLE - Advisor C. Nyhaug, T. Kniffen, J. Sawyer, M. Moran, N. Andal, W. Olson, K. Mark, M. Hoising, N. Jones, A. Nelson, E. Wallace, V. Overgaard, J. Neshem, M. Andersen, J. Oswald, S. Johnson, D. Hansen, Mr. Alan Ward (Advisor), D. Flint, C. Severson; BACK - J. Neshem, J. Marquardt, S. Sampson, S. Olsen, M. Westgaard, B. Olson, J. Aulstad, C. Jorgensen and M. Johansen. 6. Officers of the National Honor Society include: SITTING - Vice President Mark Westgaard, STANDING - Secretary/Treasurer Kari Devitt and President Wendy Olson.

Sweetheart Ball:

"I Believe In You"

"I Believe in You" was the theme for the 1989 sweetheart ball. The lunchroom was decorated in colors of pink, black and teal. The music was provided by Power Shift, a sound system from Vermilion. This sound system provided special lights and a reflecting globe.

Brad Flint and Billy Jo Hummel were chosen by the sophomores to pour pop during the dance. Before the king and queen were announced, there was a special dance for all the candidates to enjoy. After Queen Kerry Devitt and King Marc Olsen were crowned they also had a royalty

dance together.

The evening was a large success and the Sweetheart Ball of 1989 will be long remembered by all that attended.



1. Candidates for the Sweetheart Ball are: FRONT - Jennifer Hoising, Lisa Overby, Roberta Aulstad, King Marc Olsen, Queen Kerry Devitt, Kim Mak, Cindy Time, and Sabe Bak; BACK - Heath Swanson, Jeremy Sawyer, Ryan Devitt, Paul Jacobson, Angie Nelson, Jason Oswald, Dale Flint and Chad Johnson. 2. Queen Kerry Devitt and King Marc Olsen dance for the crowd. 3. Brent Sampson does the "limbo" for everyone.





1. Michelle Haesig and Chad Goertner seem to enjoy the Sweetheart Ball dance. 2. Ryan Devitt and Roberta Austad dance during the candidate dance. 3. Paul Jacobson and Angie Nelson give a smile to the camera. 4. Stacey Johnson assists Barb El with her flower. 5. Mike Andersen, Amy Christensen and Kristen Aeschmann pose for the camera.

THE DRAMA DEPT. DEPICTS SMALL TOWN SOUTHERN LIFE IN "GREATER TUNA"

In the spring of 1989, the VHS drama department introduced the Viborg community to the fine, up-standing citizens of Texas' "3rd smallest town". The Viborg High School production of "Greater

Tuna" had a little bit of every-thing: crazed dogs, psychotic kids, redneck evangelists, white supremacists, UFO's and murder. The play was hilarious send up to Texan lifestyles and included a

wide array of strange humorous, dangerous, and delightful char-acters, all anchored together by the community's favorite (and only) radio station, CKKK.

Gals Of Tuna

Clouette Hartford/Pearl Burras	Kim Mark
Bertha Bumiller	Lisa Overby
Charlene Bumiller	Vicki Weier
Vera Carp	Angie Nelson
Didi Snavelly	Karen Westegaard
Loretta Childers	Jenny Jaffer
Agnes Blye	Tamara Olesen
Thurston Wheels	Mark Westegaard
Artes Struvie	Cory Jorgensen

Dudes Of Tuna

Stanley Bumiller	Greg Munkvold
Pete Fisk	Shawn Nielsen
Yippy	Derrick Garvey
Rev. Spikes	Joe Austad
Sheriff Givens	Josh Marquardt
Jody Bumiller	Scott Mark
Eimer Watkins	Troy Simonsen
Hank Bumiller	Dan Leber



1. The cast for "Greater Tuna" include: FRONT - Vicki Weier, Heath Swanson, Chad Johnson and Mark Westegaard; MIDDLE - Karen Westegaard, Cory Jor-

gensen, Kim Mark, Jenny Jaffer, Josh Marquardt, Dan Leber, Tamara Olesen and Lisa Overby; BACK - Director Mr. Doug Al-



2. The news cast of Cory Jorgensen and Mark Westegaard are "on the air" on CKKK.



1. Greg Munkvold tells his problems to Jenny Jaffer as Karen Westgaard and Tormod Olesen did to do the same thing. 2. Troy Smonaen gives the weather report. 3. Josh Marquardt tries to get some information out of Greg Munkvold by using the threat of his girl. 4. Shawn Nielsen poses with his dog Yippy (Derrick Garvey). 5. Angie Nelson and Kim Mark take a look at the dead body in the casket.

Juniors And Seniors Enjoy "When I'm With You"

Saturday, May 13, was the eventful day of the Junior/Senior Prom and Banquet. The juniors busily decorated the gym on Friday for the big event.

Saturday, as the seniors arrived for the banquet, they found a beautiful gym of red, black and silver. The colors were used in streamers, balloons and a number of different scenes for pictures. One included a carousel with horses and the other a doorway of red and black.

As the banquet began, junior president Byron Olson gave his welcome to everyone and Josh

Marquardt sang the theme song "When I'm With You." After a delicious meal of roast beef, the selected senior officers read the history and wills for all to enjoy and have a laugh. After this, Ryan Devitt read the prophecy which described where they thought the seniors would be 10 years down the road. To end the banquet, the sophomore waiters and waitresses had two humorous skits.

At the end of the banquet, students were able to pick up their non-school dates and return for many more events for the evening. Immediately following the banquet, Merlyn Hansen took

pictures for all that were interested. At 8:30, VHS held a grand march, which had not been done in a number of years. It was very successful as it was led by senior and junior officers. Many people from the community attended.

After the grand march, music was provided by Bazooka Goe. Everyone seemed to enjoy the music and had a good time with friends. As the prom came to an end, students went their own selected ways. The thoughts of the 1989 prom will be a pleasant memory with everyone forever.



Fig. 50 1. Seniors Karl Jensen, Cindy Christensen and Wendy Olson sign memory books for one another. 2. Jerome Neshem does his thing for the skit. Fig. 51 outlines 1. Waiters and Waitresses were: FRONT - Susie Sorenson, Cindy Tine, Lisa Overby, Vicki Weier, Melissa Pederson and Sheila Wallace; BACK - Jeremy Sawyer, Neil Andol, Jeff Neshem, Dale Fint, Chris Severson and Jerome Neshem. 2. Julie Ostroff gives a little for the camera. 3.

Melissa Pederson, Brent Sampson, Josh Marquardt and Vicki Weier get a "little light headed" from blowing up balloons. 4. Mike Moran and Stacey Johnson enjoy watching the dance. 5. Kerry Devitt, Tony Koffen, Angie Nelson, Nikki Jones and Brett Doering wait for the banquet to begin. 6. Kim Mark and Amy McClung make sure the streamers are straight.



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CLASS OF 1989

Newest Alumni Of Viborg High School

As "Pomp and Circumstance" began, the "Class of 1989" made their final walk together through the halls of VHS. Their many years with classmates were about to come to an end, each to go their own way and form individual paths.

The invocation and Baccalaureate sermon was given by Father Joe Forbelle. He encouraged the seniors to look at themselves for who they are and not just their achievements.

Salutatorian Julie Ostroot and Valedictorian Wendy Olson traced their class back to yesterday, looked at tomorrow and

thanked everyone for helping them get where they were today. After their speeches, the seniors joined together to sing.

At this time, three retiring teachers, Mrs. Ardis Boe, Mrs. Wanda Sorensen and Mrs. Marie Swensen, said their final good-byes and thank yous to the parents, families and students of VHS.

Governor Bill Janklow then spoke to the seniors and told them to be proud of their high school diploma, be proud of the accomplishment.

Superintendent, Dan Moran, awarded diplomas to the Eighth

Grade class. Principal Jim Holbeck, presented the "Class of 1989" to Board Chairman Gary Nelson. At this time, all 37 students received their diplomas and were declared the newest alumni of VHS.

As the recession began, the seniors filed out to be congratulated by friends, family and faculty. There were many tears of happiness plus sadness of leaving each other. "Our lives are before us. Our pasts are behind us. But our memories are forever with us."



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1. Tamara Olson helps Karl Jensen put on the finishing touches for graduation. 2. Paul Jacobson stands motionless in hopes that Angie Nelson only sticks the flower and robe. 3. Mike Anderson gives a congratulations hug to her classmates.



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1. School Board President Gary Nelson introduces retiring teachers, Mrs. Wanda Sorensen, Mrs. Ardis Ige and Mrs. Marie Swensen. 2. Governor Bill Janklow is the graduation speaker. 3. The class of 1989 include: ROW ONE - M. Andersen, W. Olson, K. Johnson, B. El, K. Jensen, T. Olesen, H. Weer and S. Johnson. ROW TWO - K.

Devitt, V. Overgaard, A. Nelson, M. Hoelsing, J. Joffer, L. Falk, J. Ostroff, C. Christensen and N. Jones. ROW THREE - G. Munkvold, T. Kniffen, L. Helbut, J. Austad, K. Lee, A. Larsen, S. Nielsen, C. Gaerther, K. Sampson and K. Nelson. ROW FOUR - M. Moran, M. Johanson, D. Nestem, B. Doering, M. Westgaard, P. Jacobsen, C. Jar-

gensen, D. Garvey and M. Olsen. 4. Valedictorian Wendy Olson walks down the graduation aisle. 5. Seniors smile with pride after receiving their diplomas. 6. Salutatorian Julie Ostroff gives her farewell address.

FHA/HERO Have Proud Year

The FHA/HERO Chapter is an outgrowth of vocational education. The program emphasis is to prepare youth to assume their adult roles in society as wage earners, community leaders, and caring family members. The prime focus of Future Homemakers of America, youth-centered leadership, help members develop those "skills for life" — planning, goal setting, problem solving, decision making and interpersonal communication.

In September, the members did a variety of projects. They began their year by welcoming new members to join their organization by hosting a potluck supper. In October, they had a Halloween party and potluck supper. In November, they sponsored an essay contest in the 6th, 7th and 8th grades for National Family Week. The theme was "What my Family Means to Me."

In December, chapter members participated in the State BGD Squad Projects and hosted an

elementary poster contest for grades K-5. The posters had to relate to nutrition or wellness. Two local winners went on to the District meeting. Kari Goodman won on the district level and her poster went on to the state division. Chapter members also had a traditional Christmas party and gift exchange.

In January, twelve out of fifteen members chose to participate in the Action Activity Events which are leadership fairs. Participants must research a home economics related topic, present a 5-7 minute talk and answer questions by a panel of judges. The twelve students who went to the district meeting all received superiors and advanced on to the state competition.

In February, the chapter celebrated National FHA/HERO Week, "Future Homemakers of America: Tomorrow's Leader's Today" by hosting a community breakfast, attending church, having a teacher's appreciation

day and other scheduled activities.

In March, the chapter applied for the Merit Chapter Award and served as escorts, waiters and waitresses at the annual South Dakota State Park Show of Viborg.

In April, the twelve students went on to the state Action Activity Competition. They once again received all superiors. Angie Nelson received the "Top Superior Award" and top score in her division. She received a gold medalion. The chapter also received the "Top Honors Trophy" in District IV and the Chapter Merit Award for the year.

To complete the year, in May the chapter hosted the annual FHA/HERO - Home Economics style show. FHA/HERO is an important organization that helps students to prepare themselves for many decisions that they may make in the future.



1. Members of the FHA include: FRONT - D Leber, J. Koop and M. Collins; MIDDLE - Advisor D. Gering, K. Johnson, L. Falk, S. Sorenson, J. Ostroof, V. Weier; BACK - K. Mark, M. Hoelsing, P. Jacobson, A. Nelson, D. Neshelm, K. Jensen and L. Overby. 2. AAE students include: FRONT - K. Mark, S. Sorenson, V. Weier and advisor; MIDDLE - M. Hoelsing, A. Nelson, K. Jensen and J. Ostroof; BACK - D. Neshelm, P. Jacobson, M. Collins and D. Leber. 3. Officers of the FHA are: Advisor D. Gering, S. Sorenson, Treasurer: K. Mark, President: L. Overby, Secretary: A. Nelson, Historian: M. Hoelsing, Vice-President and V. Weier, Reporter.



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With five returning seniors, the Lady Vikings started their season in August with high hopes of a successful season. It seemed like an up-and-down year as they ended with 14 wins and 8 losses.

During season play, they placed second in the Tri-Valley tournament to the state champion Wakanda team. The same team once again defeated them in Dis-

trict play to give them a fourth place finish.

All-conference player, Stacey Johnson, led the team in scoring as she averaged 13 points per game, followed by honorable-mention pick, Kim Mark, who averaged 10 points per game. Kim also led in rebounds with 241 for the season and was followed by Vicki Overgard with 128. Nikki

Jones led in the assists with 61 and Barb Eli was close behind with 59.

Next season will be a rebuilding year for the Lady Vikings. There will only be two letter winners coming back to the team in 1989.

Success will definitely depend on J.V. experience and determination of returning players.



SCOREBOARD

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Freeman	87	41
Parker	59	42
Irene	35	54
Menno	62	28
Centerville	60	47
TRI-VALLEY TOURNAMENT		
Alcester	74	66
Centerville	48	37
Wakanda	43	80
Hurley	45	53
Elk Point	57	34
Gayville-Vain	72	37
Bon Homme	50	57
Alcester	57	55
Beresford	62	59
Wakanda	53	77
Jefferson	64	28
Alcester	53	48
Baltic	39	50
Marion	65	42
DISTRICTS		
Centerville	55	43
Wakanda	40	85
Irene	55	72



1. Members of the varsity girls basketball team are: FRONT - Melissa Pederson, Sallie Bak, Lisa Overby, Susie Sorensen, Stacey Johnson, Nikki Jones, Kim Mark, Barb El, Vicki Overgard, Mike Andersen, Jennifer Hoelsing and Cindy Tirrel; BACK - Student Manager Sheila Wallace, Head Coach Gerald Freier and Assistant Coach Lyle Larsen. 2. Kim Mark pulls down a rebound for Viborg. 3. Nikki Jones goes up for two and Vicki Overgard moves in for a box out. 4. Barb El shows some "disappointment" as she raises her hand on a called foul. 5. Stacey Johnson and Vicki Overgard were elected captains. 6. The team comes in for a time-out called by Coach Freier. 7. Stacey Johnson looks inside for a pass. 8. Vicki Overgard fights her way to a rebound.



ENCOUNTER:

The Agony And Ecstasy

With nine returning lettermen, the Vikings looked forward to the upcoming season with high hopes of qualifying for the playoffs for the second year in a row.

Three wins in a row at the beginning of the season put the Vikings on the right track. Then came an overtime upset to Centerville which forced them to reevaluate their season. After two weeks of practice, because of Hurley's forfeit, the Vikings rolled over Dell's St. Mary's 65-20 and then Alcester 22-18.

After the Alcester game the Vikings knew they were in the playoffs but still played a very important game for the Tri-Valley Conference crown the following week.

The next game finally came

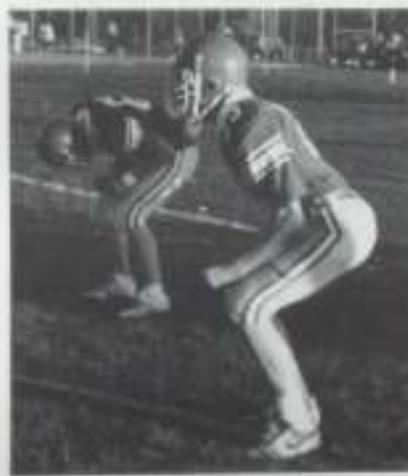
against the newly co-oped Wakonda-Gayville-Valin Panthers. After almost four well-played quarters the Panthers scored with less than 2 minutes to play and held off the Vikings final drive to give them the Tri-Valley Conference Championship.

Next, the Vikings were playoff bound against the Menno Wolves. Another last minute TD gave the Wolves a victory and the Vikings the end of their season. The Vikings finished their season 6 and 3 and rated 6th in the state by the SD Sportswriters Association.

Statistically the Vikings were led defensively by All-State Linebacker Troy Simonsen with 105 tackles followed by Jason Oswald with 76. Offensively, Simonsen led all rushers with 836 yards

after 16 attempts for a 5:2 average. Through the air, Kniffen led the way with 46 out of 105 attempts and 653 yards. 226 of those yards went to the leading receiver Brett Doering who had 13 receptions. Troy also stepped into the books with a number of school records including most career touchdowns, rushing yards, scoring and second on career tackles.

After the loss of all-state linebacker Troy Simonsen and Academic all-state quarterback, Tony Kniffen, the Vikings will definitely have their work cut out for them. Eight returning lettermen will hopefully pave the way for a successful season and a third shot at making the playoffs.



SCOREBOARD

OPPONENT	We	They
Baltic	30	6
Parker	28	26
Irene	42	14
Centerville	12	14
Hurley	1	0
Del Rapids St. Mary's	65	20
Alcester	22	18
Wakonda-Gayville-Voin	20	24
PLAYOFFS		
Menno	34	37

6 wins, 3 losses



Fig. 58. 1. Members of the 1988 football team are: ROW ONE - Cory Jorgensen, Paul Jacobson, Chad Ness, Brett Doering, Troy Simonsen, Dan Nesheim, Aaron Larsen and Kevin Sampson; ROW TWO - Kenny Lee, Tony Kriffen, Ryan Davitt, Mark Westgaard, Rodney Ness, Jr., Josh Marguard and Joel Kopp; ROW THREE - Head Coach John Nyhaug, Jason Oswald, Chris Ferdig, Josh Kopp, Frank Tritel, Brent Sampson, Jeremy Saylor and Assistant Coach Monty Christensen; ROW FOUR - Student Manager Danny Pritchett, Scott Mark, Aaron Van-Hut, Jeremy Kopp, David Hansen, Jerome Nesheim and Heath Swanson. Fig. 59. 2. Senior Paul Jacobson, Aaron Larsen, Troy Simonsen, Chad Ness and Brett Doering lead the way out to a Viking victory. 3. All-State player, Troy Simonsen, stretches out before some "down and dirty" football. 4. Ryan Davitt fakes back for the pass. 5. Jason Oswald and other Vikings go through the warm-up ritual. 6. Chad Ness pushes for a few more yards, as Aaron Larsen tries to help out from behind. 7. Tony Kriffen makes a pass as Viking defenders protect him from a tackle.

A large number of runners returned to the VHS cross country team to prove their worthiness for the 1988 season. As the year progressed, the boys and girls teams continually improved.

Senior stand-out Nikki Jones once again defended her region championship for the fourth straight year and her State B title for the third year. With only three other girls running with her, they were able to place second in the region and sixth in the state. Through the season, those same four girls managed first place team finishes in Baltic and Viborg.

The very young boys team also placed second in the region and also came through with an eighth place finish in the state. During season time, the varsity boys won

meets in Scotland, Baltic, Platte, Bon Homme and Viborg.

1989 will be a building year for the girls as they lose Nikki to graduation. The boys will lose two seniors including team leader, Mike Moran. The Vikings cross country teams are young but the potential is strong. All of these young runners will be successful with their competitive edge and determination to raise to the top.

Pacing For The Gold

Members of the 1988 Cross Country teams are: ROW ONE: Roger Ness, Brad Flint, Craig Devitt and Ryan Pederson; ROW TWO - Byron Olson, Chad Johnson, Arny Sorlien, Sallie Bak and Angie Collins; ROW THREE - Student Manager Angie Swanson, Nikki Jones, Mike Moran, Heath Swanson, Jerome Neshem and Coach Corrie Nyhaug; ROW FOUR - Jon Powell, Josh Kopp, Mark Westgaard, Shannon Larsen, Dale Flint and Jeff Neshem.





1. Mike Moran makes it "hurt so bad" at the end of the state meet; 2. Mr. Nyhau "kiddingly" helps Byron Olson after a hard run; 3. State Champion Nikki Jones strides out in the middle of her race; 4. Amy Sorelen, Nikki Jones and Sallie Bak enjoy the nice weather "after" they finish the 3000 meter race; 5. Sallie Bak, Nikki Jones, Angie Collins and Amy Sorelen proudly display their runner-up region plaque; 6. Second place finishers in the boys' region were Mike Moran, Byron Olson, Jeff Nashem, Heath Swanson and Chad Johnson.

Milestones And Victories Met Through Dedication

Under the leadership of Coach Dan Moran, the Vikings were back on the attack this season posting a 16-6 mark and an undefeated 7-0 record in capturing the Tri-Valley Conference Championship.

It was a season filled with high points and several milestones were reached. Coach Dan Moran captured his 400th career coaching victory and ended the year with 406 wins making him South Dakota's second most winning coach in history.

First team All-Stater Mike Moran,

broke the all time career scoring record with 1451 career points eclipsing the old mark met by the former Viborg standout Troy Bergh.

The 1988-89 Vikings tied their own record for most wins in a season and were led by a corp of seasoned veterans which included seven seniors and two juniors. Tony Kniffen, Marc Olsen and Mike Moran give Viborg the experienced backcourt they needed to run the fast break offense while using Chad Ness and Paul Jacobson on the inside game.

The Vikings were led by Mike Moran in five categories which included scoring, rebounding, assists, free throw percentage and steals. Paul Jacobson was the leader in field goal percentage and proved to be unstoppable in the paint.

After the success brought on by Coach Moran, the Vikings have gained respect in the league and with more hard work and dedication they will be a contender again next year.



1. Members of the boys basketball team include: FRONT - Head Coach Dan Moran, Student Manager Joe Austad and Assistant Coach Jim Halbeck; BACK - Ryan Devitt, Shannon Larsen, Chad Ness, Jason

Oswald, Mike Moran, Paul Jacobson, Dan Nesheim, Brett Doering, Aaron Larsen, Heath Swanson, Marc Olsen, Tony Kniffen and David Hansen.

SCOREBOARD

WE	OPPONENT	THEY
50	Harrisburg	51
54	Parker	53
60	Marion	49
47	Irene	42
56	Menna	59
65	Centerville	56
TRI-VALLEY CONFERENCE TOURNAY		
87	Hurley	54
63	Centerville	40
48	Irene	56
49	Hurley (OT)	47
63	Freeman Academy	41
81	Gayville-Volin	50
56	Baltic	45
51	Alcester	39
60	Elk Point	54
69	Wakonda	59
70	Garretson	57
72	Menna	51
71	Colman	72
DISTRICTS		
77	Hurley	54
47	Irene	56
68	Wakonda	76

16 Wins, 6 Losses



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1. Chad Ness shoots for two. 2. Mike Moran takes and goes in for the lay-up. 3. Marc Olsen goes over the defender for the shot. 4. Paul Jacobson follows through

on two points. 5. Tony Kriffen brings the ball down the court for the Viking offense. 6. Mike Moran and Paul Jacobson are the captains of the 1988-89 Vikings.

Reaching To Be The Best

Region 5B Champions/Third In The State

After the loss of five seniors, many wondered about the next season of volleyball at VHS. But to eighteen high school players, there was no doubt in their mind that their goal was to compete at the state for the second year in a row. And that is exactly what they did!

The Lady Vikings won tournaments at Harrisburg and Avon and went into their region with 16 wins and 5 losses and were seeded number one. At the tourney, they proved worthy of the #1 seed as they gained the title of the 5B Region Volleyball Champions. They defeated Jefferson 2-0 and Elk Point 2-1, and in the championship, Elk Point beat Viborg 2-1 and then Viborg won again 2-1.

After a large community pep

fest, the Lady Vikings traveled to the state meet in Huron in "blizzard like" conditions. These conditions continued outside, but the arena was heated up with some great volleyball and supportive fans. Viborg, seeded #5, beat the #4 seed, Gregory, 2-1 in the first round. Then the Lady Vikes buckled down that evening and knocked off the #1 seed, Edgemont. Saturday VHS had to play the Hurley Bulldogs for the third time this season and were defeated 0-2. After dropping down into the losers bracket, the Lady Vikings were defeated their second time by the State Champions, Webster. After tears of a hard loss, the girls proudly accepted their third place medals and trophy. During the state meet, Nikki Jones and Kim Mark were both chosen to the All-Tourney team by the coaches.

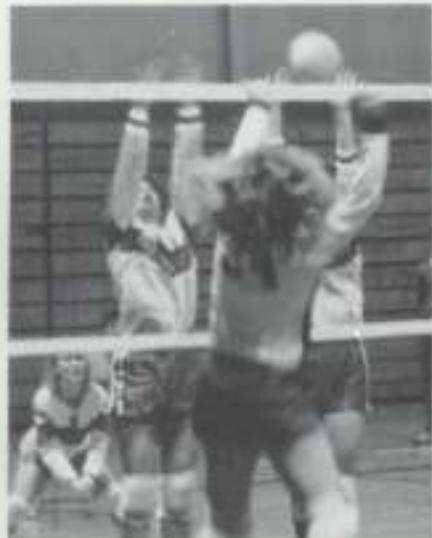
For the season, the team served 83%, led by Stacey Johnson serving 90% and Kim Mark 89%. Michelle Hoelsing led in ace serves with 101. Nikki Jones led in kill spikes with 106 and Kim Mark was close behind with 104. Kerry Devitt set up 152 ace sets and Barb Eli had 141.

It was a successful season of volleyball at VHS that we will once again long remember. Region 5B Champs and Third Place State Finish. The loss of seven seniors will make it another challenging season next winter, but VHS has many talented girls returning. The goals will be set just as high, and the results will all be determined in 1990.

SCOREBOARD

WE	OPPONENT	THEY
HARRISBURG TOURNAMENT		
2	Chester	0
2	Harrisburg	0
2	Sioux Falls Christian/SDSD	0
0	Parker/Marion	2
2	Alcester	0
2	Harrisburg	0
1	Hurley	2
AVON TOURNAMENT		
2	Avon	0
2	Wagner	0
2	Todd County	0
2	Jefferson	1
2	Freeman	0
2	Avon	0
0	Hurley	2
2	Wagner	0
2	Vermilion	1
VIBORG TOURNAMENT		
2	Alcester	0
2	Harrisburg	1
1	Canton	2
2	Bon Homme	0
1	Parker/Marion	2
REGIONS		
2	Jefferson	0
2	Elk Point	1
1	Elk Point	2
2	Elk Point	1
STATE		
2	Gregory	0
2	Edgemont	0
0	Hurley	2
1	Webster	2
THIRD PLACE IN STATE		
21 WINS, 8 LOSSES		





Page 64. 1. Members of the girls volleyball team are: FRONT - Student manager Joel Jorgensen, Assistant Coach Letty Jorgensen, J. J. Andersen, Amy Christensen, Vicki Weier, Jennifer Hoising, Debbie Wood, Jennifer Simonsen, Lisa Olsen, Cindy Tinsl and Head Coach Connie Nyhaug; MIDDLE - Jenny DeVries, Angie Swanson, Amy Sarslen, Lisa Overby, Stacey Johnson, Kerry Devitt, Angie Nelson, Sable Bak and Melissa Pederson; BACK - Kim Mark, Nikki Jones, Mike Andersen, Michelle Hoising and Barb El. Pg. 65. 1. Nikki Jones puts down a spike. 2. Nikki Jones, Lisa Overby and Kerry Devitt get into their serve receive. 3. Captains were Barb El and Michele Hoising. 4. Barb El goes up for a stuff as Stacey Johnson looks on. 5. Kim Mark puts the ball down. 6. Senior players show their support for the Rapid City Stevens Raiders.

Junior Varsity Sports Build Important Experience

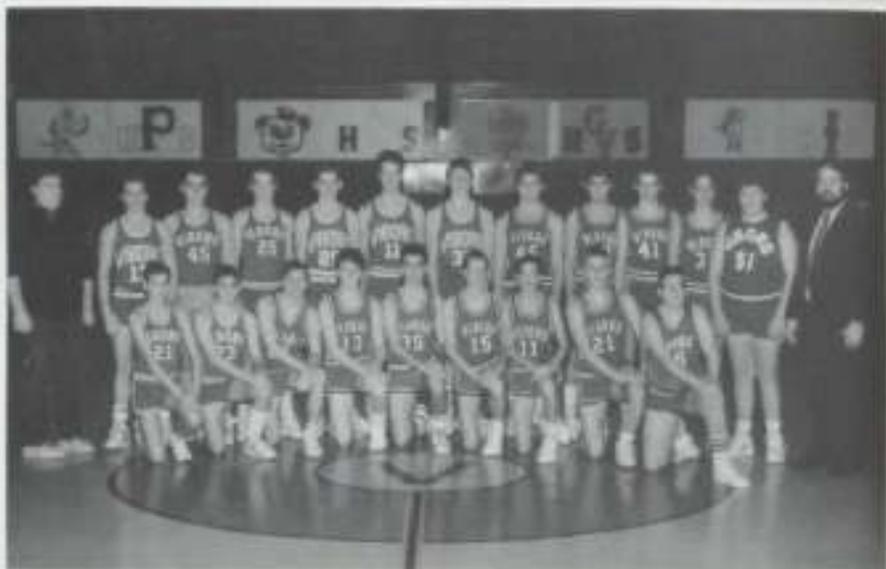
This year Viborg's junior varsity teams had very successful seasons. They indisputably showed that lack of experience is no factor when the teams show as much spirit as they did. All 8 teams showed significant improvement as the season progressed.

These highly-motivated athletes are now ready to show their gained experience next year on the varsity floor.

1. Members of the girls basketball team are: Coach Lyle Larsen, Angie Collins, Melissa Pederson, Lisa Overby, Susie Sorensen, Cindy Tirrel, Jennifer Hoelsing, Jenny DeVries, Amy Christensen, Angie Swanson, Sallie Bak and Student Manager Sheila Wallace. 2. Members of the boys basketball team are: FRONT - Jeff Elefson, Chad Johnson, Jeremy Saylor, Chris Severson, Brent Sampson, Neil Anddal, Jerome Nelsom, Jon Powell and Danny Pritchett; BACK - Student Manager Joe Aulfad, Ryan Devitt, Jeremy Kopp, Aaron Van Hul, Shannon Larsen, Jason Otwald, Heath Swanson, Josh Kopp, David Hansen, Dale Hint, Jeff Neshem, Rex Peterson and Coach James Holbeck. 3. Members of the girls volleyball team are: FRONT - Lisa Olsen, J. J. Andersen, Angie Swanson, Jenny DeVries, Debbie Wood, Amy Christensen and Coach Lefty Jorgensen; BACK - Vicki Weier, Jennifer Simonsen, Sallie Bak, Jennifer Hoelsing, Amy Sorensen, Lisa Overby, Cindy Tirrel, Melissa Pederson and Student Manager Joel Jorgensen.



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Court And Field Action Documented By Statisticians

Throughout the athletic seasons, there are a number of different students that volunteer their time as statisticians. They are responsible for keeping track of all the action that happens on the court and field. By looking at these stats, coaches can tell where they need improvement, what positions students are the strongest at, and can also compare them with other teams for upcoming games. VHS appreciates all the work these young students do and their thanks comes from both athletes and coaches.



1. Volleyball stats are Brett Doering, Marc Olesen, Vicki Overgard, and Julie Ostroof.
2. Girls' and Boys' Track stats are Stacey Johnson and Heather Christensen.
3. Girls' basketball stats are Kerry Devitt, Angie Nelson, Mike Moran, and Julie Ostroof.
4. Boys' basketball stats are Amy Christensen, Kim Mark, Nikki Jones, and Jenny DeVries.
5. Football stats were kept by Nikki Jones.





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Cheerleaders: "Shout It Out"

Enthusiasm to the crowd and encouragement to the teams are the two main jobs of the VHS cheerleaders. Many hours of organizing, practicing and creating are put in to achieve these two objectives.

During the summer, Michelle Hoelsing, Lisa Overby and Vicki Weier attended a clinic at SDSU. They brought back many new cheers, chants, routines and mounts for everyone to learn. Also during the summer months,

all cheerleaders are putting in hours and hours of practice. The cheerleaders of VHS give that extra pep when a team is down. They get the crowd going to show their support and spirit for athletics at VHS.

1. Members of the girls basketball cheerleading squad include: Linda Falk, Vicki Weier and Kara Johnson. 2. Cheering the football team on air. FRONT - Karl Jensen and Lisa Overby; BACK - Susie Sorenson, Michele Hoelsing and Angie Nelson. 3. Cheerleaders for the A and B boys basketball teams are: Vicki Weier, Susie Sorenson, Mike Anderson, Angie Nelson, Michelle Hoelsing, Stacey Johnson, Lisa Overby and Sallie Bak.



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Track Teams Stride To "Go For The Gold"

The 1989 track season was once again a very successful year. Everyone on the team worked hard to reach the goals and dreams they were after.

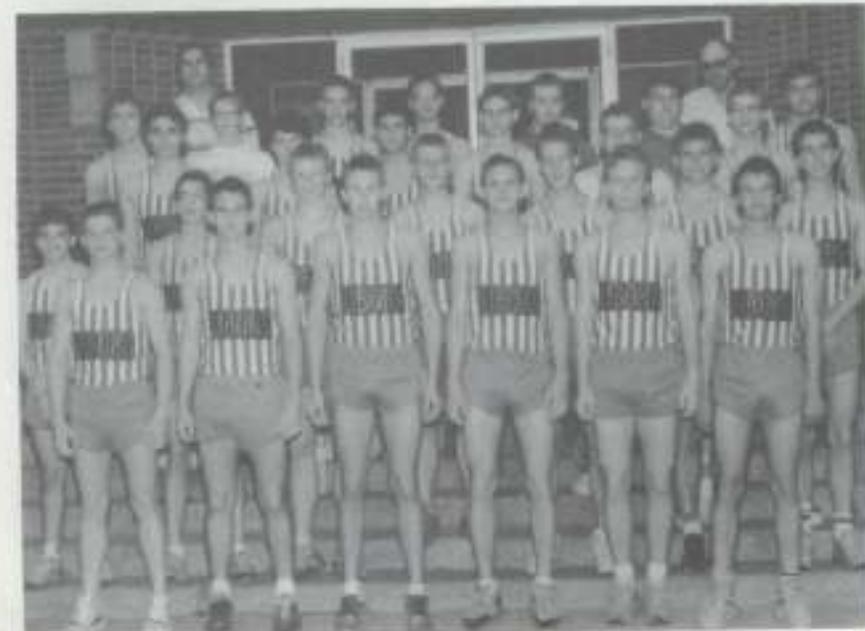
The girls track team accomplished goals just by taking first in many of the years meets. Tri-Valley Champs and Region Champs were two such meets where they took first place the past four years in a row. At the state track

meet, Cindy Christensen took second in shot. Mike Andersen placed fifth in the 200 meters. The mile relay consisting of Angie Collins, Sallie Bak, Angie Swanson and Mike Andersen finished fourth.

The boys track team never won any meets but experienced success in a variety of areas. The team achieved a second place finish in the conference, a fifth in

the region and third at the state. Also at the state meet the medley relay and 3200 meter relay were state champs. The medley relay also won the gold medal, the fastest time in all three classes.

As the season rolled to a close, athletes hung up their spikes and remembered many memorable moments.



1. Cindy Christensen warms up for a throw. 2. Members of the girls track team are: FRONT - Cindy Bak, Clarissa Larsen, Jennifer Kropuenska, Tracy Hummel, Tanya Fredrickson, Teresa Anderson, Sara Hoeting and Jody El. MIDDLE - J. J. Andersen, Kelly Nelson, Michelle Peterson, Lisa Olsen, Jerry DeVries, Angie Swanson and Stacey Johnson. BACK - Nikki Jones, Cindy Christensen, Jerry Jaffer, Angie Collins, Jennifer Hoeting, Karen Westgaard, Sallie Bak, Mike Andersen and Coach John Nyhaug. 3. Members of the boys track team are: FRONT - Ryan Devitt, Tony Kniffen, Paul Jacobson, Marc Olsen, Mike Moran and Cory Jorgensen. ROW TWO - Chad Johnson, Jerome Neshem, Heath Swanson, Jon Powell, Jason Oswald, Josh Kopp and Byron Olson. ROW THREE - Jeremy Kopp, Chris Severson, David Hansen, Shannon Larsen, Josh Marquardt, Mark Westgaard. ROW FOUR - Sam Collins, Neil Anad, Dale Hint, Jeff Neshem, Rodney Ness, Joe Austad and Joel Kopp. BACK - Coaches Marly Christensen and Gerald Freier.



1. Ryan Devitt, Marc Olsen, Mike Moran and Josh Kopp proudly stand with their state champion medley relay trophy. 2. Those athletes that qualified for the state track meet are: FRONT - Mike Andersen, Nikki Jones, Cindy Christensen, Sallie Bak, Angie Collins, Jennifer Hoising and Angie Swanson; BACK - Mike Moran, Ryan Devitt, Sam Collins, Josh Kopp, Marc Olsen and Tony Kniffer; NOT PICTURED - Paul Jacobson. 3. Paul Jacobson, Tony Kniffer, Marc Olsen, and Mike Moran were the first place 3200 meter relay team at the Howard Wood Relays. 4. Medley relay team of Angie Swanson, Nikki Jones, Mike Andersen and Sallie Bak proudly stand with their first place Howard Wood Relay trophy. 5. Jennifer Hoising and Jenny DeVries rest between races. 6. Paul Jacobson receives his second place state medal in the triple jump.



BOYS TRACK RECORDS

100 M Dash	L. Andersen	11.38	1988
200 M Dash	B. Hoffmann	23.29	1987
400 M Dash	W. Peterson	52.25	1981
800 M Run	M. Olsen	2:00.03	1989
1600 M Run	T. Beigh	4:46.17	1988
3200 M Run	C. Nelson	10:33.47	1984
140 M Hurdle	L. Johnson	47.53	1983
160 M Hurdle	L. Hansen	32.43	1979
300 M Hurdle	T. Lee	43.95	1982
Pole Vault	D. Lindgren	11.6	1984
Long Jump	T. Jacobson	31.44	1979
Triple Jump	F. Jacobson	44.5	1989
High Jump	M. Powell	6.24	1985
Discus	S. Jorgensen	148.2	1978
Shot Put	S. Jorgensen	51.0	1978
400 M Relay	J. Jones	46.75	1988
	L. Andersen		
	T. Lee		
	S. Colne		
800 M Relay	J. Jones	1:36.87	1988
	B. Hoffmann		
	T. Lee		
	S. Colne		
Medley Relay	R. Devitt	3:19.84	1989
	J. Kopp		
	M. Dixon		
	M. Olsen		
200 M Relay	T. Wiffen	8:12.75	1989
	F. Jacobson		
	M. Olsen		
	M. Dixon		
1600 M Relay	L. Andersen	3:30.93	1988
	M. Dixon		
	F. Jacobson		
	M. Olsen		



GIRLS TRACK RECORDS

100 M Dash	N. Jones	13.09	1985
200 M Dash	N. Jones	26.20	1987
400 M Dash	N. Jones	55.02	1988
800 M Run	N. Jones	2:24.74	1985
1600 M Run	N. Jones	5:35.39	1985
3200 M Run	A. Nelson	12:36.30	1984
100 M Hurd	A. Kolof	15.79	1984
300 M Hurd	A. Kolof	57.33	1984
High Jump	A. Kolof	5'3"	1984
Discus	T. Jones	140.7	1987
Shot Put	T. Jones	40.10	1987
Long Jump	F. Stensley	16.5	1979
Triple Jump	K. Mize	29.54	1988
400 M Relay	M. Andersen	53.37	1988
	D. Bak		
	J. DeVries		
	N. Jones		
800 M Relay	M. Andersen	1:50.41	1989
	E. Bak		
	A. Swanson		
	N. Jones		
1600 M Relay	M. Andersen	4:09.70	1989
	E. Bak		
	A. Collins		
	N. Jones		
3200 M Relay	A. Nelson	9:52.07	1984
	M. Andersen		
	A. Collins		
	N. Jones		
Medley Relay	T. Bak	4:34.50	1988
	A. Swanson		
	M. Andersen		
	N. Jones		
R. Medley	A. Swanson	2:01.50	1989
	E. Bak		
	J. Hoising		
	A. Colne		



1. Marc Olsen breaks the tape for a state champion relay team. 2. Josh Kopp takes the baton from Ryan Devitt. 3. Sallie Bak gets a head start as she takes the baton from Jennifer Hoising. 4. Nikki Jones and Mike Andersen talk over some "strategy" for the race. 5. Heath Swanson stretches out for his 3200 meter run.

Outstanding Athletes Climb To The Top

Struggling to be at the top takes hard work and dedication which proved to be one of the assets of these polished athletes. Each individual must strive with their team to shine at the top of their sport. VHS is very proud to see that each year more and more athletes are proving that to be good is not enough when you dream of being great!



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1. All-conference football players include: FRONT - Troy Simonsen, Chad Ness and Tony Kniffen. BACK - Honorable mentions - Jason Oswald, Brett Daering, Paul Jacobson and Ryan Devitt. 2. Mike Moran was named to the first team all-state in boys basketball. 3. Girls basketball all-conference includes Kim Mark and Stacey Johnson. 4. Nikki Jones was chosen as the female athlete of the year by the South Dakota Sports Writers Association. 5. Boys basketball all-conference includes Mike Moran, Paul Jacobson and Tony Kniffen. 6. Chosen to the volleyball all-state team as honorable mention was Barb El. Kim Mark and Nikki Jones were both all-state first team and were also chosen to the all-journey team of the state. 7. Troy Simonsen was chosen first team all-state in football and Tony Kniffen was chosen as academic all-state.



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Kindergarten First Grade

1. Members of the Kindergarten class are: FRONT - Melissa Andersen, Elizabeth Kessler, Douglas Chaussee, Bethany Holbeck, James Nygaard and Matthew Sorensen; MIDDLE - John Edelman, Justin Oswald, Danielle Christensen, Natalie Simonsen and Natasha Petton; BACK - Teacher Mrs. Dee VonEschen, Jason Buckstead, Dane Jorgensen, Daren Duncan, Jessica Pederson, Steven Peterson and Melissa Ackerman. 2. Members of the First Grade class are: FRONT - Joshua Westergaard, Emily Odland, Derek Nelson, and Shaun Bachtell; MIDDLE - Andrea Ronke, Annette Gering, Joshua Simonsen, Kai Heilgs, Michelle Nyhaug and Karl Pappan; BACK - Teacher Mrs. Pam Chaussee, Colleen Dyck, Amy Larsen, Karen Nelson, Kasey Wallace, James Johnson, Julie Ann Peterson and Jesse Olson. 3. Kai Heilgs and Shaun Bachtell prepare their lunch for Valentine's Day. 4. The kindergarten class rides on their first ever homecoming float.



Second Grade Third Grade



1. Members of the Second Grade class are: FRONT - Autumn Olson, Andrea Hansen, Jeremy Andersen, Jim Andersen, Wade Poppen, Ross Fredrickson, Ryan Bak, Michele Ackerman and Marisa Osborn; MIDDLE - Jam Overby, Jared Hybertson, Lee Daggett, Christin Christensen, Leah Meyers, Bret Nielsen, Beth Larsen, Amanda Peterson, Elizabeth Luders and Denise Duncan; BACK - Mrs. Gail Nielsen, teachers aide, Jason Habeck, David Wigg, Shalun Buckstead, Lorah Olsen, Shanda Bachleik, David Nelson, Larissa Pritchett, Kristie Hoising, Laura Sorensen, Tanya Mark and Teacher Mrs. Ardis Boe. 2. Third Grade class put a "little pose" on for the camera. 3. Second grade class anxiously "tear" into their Valentines. 4. Members of the Third Grade class are: FRONT - Nathan Simonsen, Jeffrey Erickson, Lynn Skarhoid, Scott Vannorsdel, Rebecca Olson, Malinda Van Hult, Amanda Jo Marquardt and Angie Vannorsdel; MIDDLE - Aaron Leber, Angela Nelson, Sara Krapienske, Amanda Nyhaug, Jenny Gaertner, Pissallo Schweitzer, Tracy Mellgaard and Kristen Schroeffler; BACK - Teacher Mrs. Ardene Peterson, Nicole Wilson, Nancy Munkvold, Nell Odland, Jennifer Heibut, Tove Buckstead, Rusty Christensen, Christina Dyck, Casey Jorgensen and Ambre Olson. 5. Teachers aide's for the grade school are Gail Nielsen and Kim Larsen.



Fourth Grade Fifth Grade

1. Members of the fourth grade class are: FRONT - Adrian Nelson, Nathan Ciampa, Eric Weier, Jerrold Sawyer, Ross Peterson and Bill Andersen; MIDDLE - Daniel Olson, Robert Keiser, Jesse Christopherson, Kristina Chaussee, Stephanie Devitt, Robyn Van Hult, William Erickson and Jeremy Vannorsdel; BACK - Chad Nelson, Matthew Graves, Eric Ronke, Amy Smanson, Jennifer Wladmeier, Denise Schaeffer, Jace Jensen, Kristi Flint, Andrew Graves and Mrs. Darlene Flaherty. 2. Members of the fifth grade class are: FRONT - Amber Wallace, Steven Bak, Nichole Frederickson, Amber Goodman, Traci Meyers, David Schweitzer and Kevin Harschel; MIDDLE - Teacher Mrs. Barbara Miller, Ryan Peterson, Shawn Vannorsdel, Annie DeVries, James Peterson, Emily Nelson and Jennifer Osborn; BACK - Lee Wigg, Joel Jorgensen, Kyle Johnson, Terry Nelson, Corey Christensen, Victoria Murkvoid and Gary Hansen. 3. Kristina Chaussee and Eric Ronke enjoy their valentine's party. 4. Members of the "C-Band" include: FRONT - James Peterson, Amber Goodman, Shawn Vannorsdel, Joel Jorgensen, Ryan Peterson and Steven Bak; BACK - Kevin Harschel, Gary Hansen, David Schweitzer, Jennifer Osborn and Nichole Frederickson.



Sixth Grade Seventh Grade



1. Members of the Sixth Grade class are: FRONT - Lucinda Larsen, Chris Peterson, Jeanne Christopherson, Eric Sampson, Rebecca Jensen, Robbie Ness and Lori Van Hul. MIDDLE - George Jacobson, John Leber, Karl Goodman, Carrie Neisen, Amy Johnson, Jenny Wallace and Jason Pederson. BACK - Sara Skorhoid, David Christensen, Crystal Neshem, Rachel Jensen, Leslie Andersen, Karla Khuson and Teacher Mrs. Evelyn Gars.

2. Members of the "B Band" are: ROW ONE - Laura Christensen, Amy Johnson, Rachel Jensen, Jackie Nygard, Jennifer Krapuska, Jessica Larsen, Angel Schweitzer and Betty Mark. ROW TWO - Tanja Fredrickson, Camie Nielsen, Rebecca Jensen, Clarissa Larsen, Leslie Andersen, Lucinda Larsen, George Jacobson, Lori Van Hul, Sara Skorhoid and Jeanne Christopherson. ROW THREE - Danny Larsen, Sara Hoising, Aaron Pritchett, Jason Pederson, David Christensen, Crystal Neshem, Craig Devitt, Craig Weier, Mac Sorlien, Cindy Bak, Loren Wiedmeier, Anton Nelson and Corey Andersen. ROW FOUR - Tracy Hummel, Jared Oswald, Ryan Pederson and Karl Goodman.

3. Members of the Seventh Grade class are: FRONT - Danny Larsen, Craig Devitt, Tanja Fredrickson, Joshua Weier, Ryan Pederson, Jeremy Kessler, Scott Neisen, Loren Wiedmeier, Tracy Hummel, Jared Oswald, Michele Doggett and Jennifer Krapuska. MIDDLE - Jody El, Clarissa Larsen, Laura Christensen, Aaron Pritchett, Terry Pederson, Ryan Peterson, Teresa Anderson, Anton Nelson, Corey Anderson, Jody Nelson and Cindy Bak. BACK - Mac Sorlien, Carl Henze, Betty Mark, Jessica Larsen, Jackie Nygard, Sara Hoising, Angel Schweitzer, Lori Schweitzer, Marcus Munkvold, Craig Weier and Teacher Mrs. Wanda Sorensen. 4. Mrs. Janet Heibut worked as a teacher's aide in the grade-school.



Eighth Grade

1. Members of the eighth grade include: FRONT - Roger Ness, Eric Larsen, Rebecca Leber, J. J. Andersen, Brad Flint, Eric Eketson and Darrel Mark; MIDDLE - Billy Jo Hummel, Bryce Olson, Lisa Olsen, Carla Heinze, Shelly Andd, Kelly Nelson, Angela Swanson, Darci Duncan and Teacher Mrs. Marni Swenson; BACK - Mashah Buckstead, Michelle Peterson, Jennifer Simonsen, Amy Olson, Aaron Hoesing, Bill Wyatt, Jon Kopp and Jessica Kesser. 2. Members of the eighth grade learn the line-up for the graduation. 3. The eighth grade class "caged the cards" for the homecoming float. 4. The hallway is filled with nervous eighth graders waiting for graduation.





1. Girls cheering for the junior high boys basketball team are: Michele Daggert, Laura Christensen, Betty Mark, Jessica Kessler, Cindy Bak, Dara Duncan, Sara Hoising, Jackie Nygaard and Carla Heinze. 2. Playing on the boys basketball team are: FRONT - Anton Nassen, Craig Devitt, Ryan Pederson, Jared Oswald, Cory Anderson, Jeremy Kessler and Aaron Pritchett; MIDDLE - Student Manager Jody Nelsen, Mac Sorten, Ryan Peterson, Loren Weidmeyer, Carl Heinze and Terry Pederson; BACK - Roger Ness, Eric Larsen, Eric Elftson, Aaron Hoising, Bill Wyatt, Bryce

Olsen, Brad Flint and Coach John Nyhaug; 3. Members of the boys track team are: ROW ONE - Craig Devitt, Josh Water, Jared Oswald, Jeremy Kessler and Roger Ness; ROW TWO - Anton Nassen, Cory Anderson, Jody Nelsen, Brad Flint, Bryce Olson, Aaron Pritchett, Terry Pederson and Ryan Pederson; ROW THREE - Ryan Peterson, Jon Kapp, Aaron Hoising, Mac Sorten and Eric Larsen; ROW FOUR - Coach Gerald Frier and Coach Monty Christensen; 4. Members of the girls track team are: FRONT - Clarisa Larsen, Jennifer Kroppeneire, Tracy Hummel and Tonya Fredrickson; MIDDLE - J.J. Andersen, Sara Hoising, Teresa Anderson, Jody El and Student Manager Shelly Anda; BACK - Coach John Nyhaug, Angie Swanson, M-



chete Peterson, Kelly Nelson, Lisa Olsen and Cindy Bak. 5. Ryan Pederson, Craig Devitt, Brad Flint and Jon Powell get ready for the start of the race. 6. Angie Swanson goes over a hurdle at the junior high conference meet.



Future Skills Built In Junior High Athletics

The purpose of the Junior High Athletic program is to teach the basic skills and knowledge of a particular sport. A number of different coaches are involved in practicing, teaching and coaching these young achievers.

In cross country, the junior high must run in the high school junior varsity division so they are definitely challenged against students older than them. In girls and boys basketball and football, students compete at their own age level.

This was the first year for an "official" volleyball program in the junior high. These girls attended two tournaments and played one dual during their season. Springtime means track and these students compete in both high school and junior high meets.

Work ethics, skills and rules are just a few items taught to these young athletes. What they can build now will result as the future athletics at VHS.



1. Members of the junior high football team are: FRONT - Jared Oswald, Craig Devitt, Mac Sollen, Bill Wyatt, Eric Belsion, Aaron Hoelsing, Brad Flint, Roger Niess, Jon Kopp and Bryce Olson; MIDDLE - Anton Nelsen, Aaron Pritchett, Ryan Pederson, Corey Anderson, Jody Nelsen, Darryl Larsen, Jeremy Kestler, Ryan Peterson and Carl Henze; BACK - Student Manager Chad Nelson, Josh Weier, Scott Nelson, Terry Pederson, Marcus Munkvold, Craig Weier, Student Manager Robbie Kestler and Coach Larry Swanson. 2. Girls involved in basketball are: FRONT - Student Manager Kelly Nelson, Darc Duncan, Tracy Hummel, Coach Gerald Freier, Jennifer Krapuenske, Tanya Frederickson, Clarissa Larsen and Student Manager Jessica Kessler; BACK - Lisa Olsen, Teresa Anderson, Jody El, Shelly Andal, Sara Hoelsing, Billy Jo Hummel, Amy Olson, Michele Peterson, Jennifer Simonson, Angie Swanson, J. J. Anderson, Jackie Nygaard, Cindy Bak and Rebecca Leber. 3. Members of the volleyball team are: Teresa Anderson, Betty Mark, Shelly Andal, Laura Christensen, Jennifer Krapuenske, Jessica Larsen, Tanya Fredrickson, Clarissa Larsen and Jackie Nygaard; MIDDLE - Lisa Olsen, Kelly Nelson, Sara Hoelsing and Cindy Bak; BACK - Michele Peterson, Angie Swanson, J.J. Anderson and Jennifer Simonson.





IF THESE WALLS COULD SPEAK
By Amy Grant

If these old walls, if these old walls could speak of things that they remember well, stories and faces dearly held, a couple in love living week to week, rooms full of laughter, if these walls could speak.

If these old halls, if hallowed halls could talk, these would have a tale to tell of sun goin' down and dinner bell, and children playing hide and seek, from floor to rafter, if these halls could speak.

If these old fashioned window panes were eyes, I guess they would have seen it all, each little tear and sigh and football and every dream that we came to seek or followed after if these walls could speak.



1. Sallie Bak works hard to understand her physical science. 2. Mike Andersen and Jason Oswald try to get out of the wind during the meet. 3. Mike Moran and Nikki Jones received the Athletic Director's Award for the talents in athletics at VHS. 4. Josh Kapp and Mike Moran meet Marc Olsen at the finish line. 5. Brett Doering checks out the composite picture of the class. 6. The VHS band waits to start their practice for graduation.

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1. Mike Moran makes a mad dash for the ball.
2. Wendy Olson and Barb Ill prepare for the big graduation moment! 3. Angie Collins tries to look busy for the camera. 4. Kim Marx and Jason Oswald lead the seniors in at graduation. 5. Jerome Nesham successfully gives his student council speech. 6. Teachers: Mrs. Ward, Mr. Ward, Mr. Christensen, Mr. Nyhaug and Mr. Habeck, wrap-up the year with a teachers meeting.

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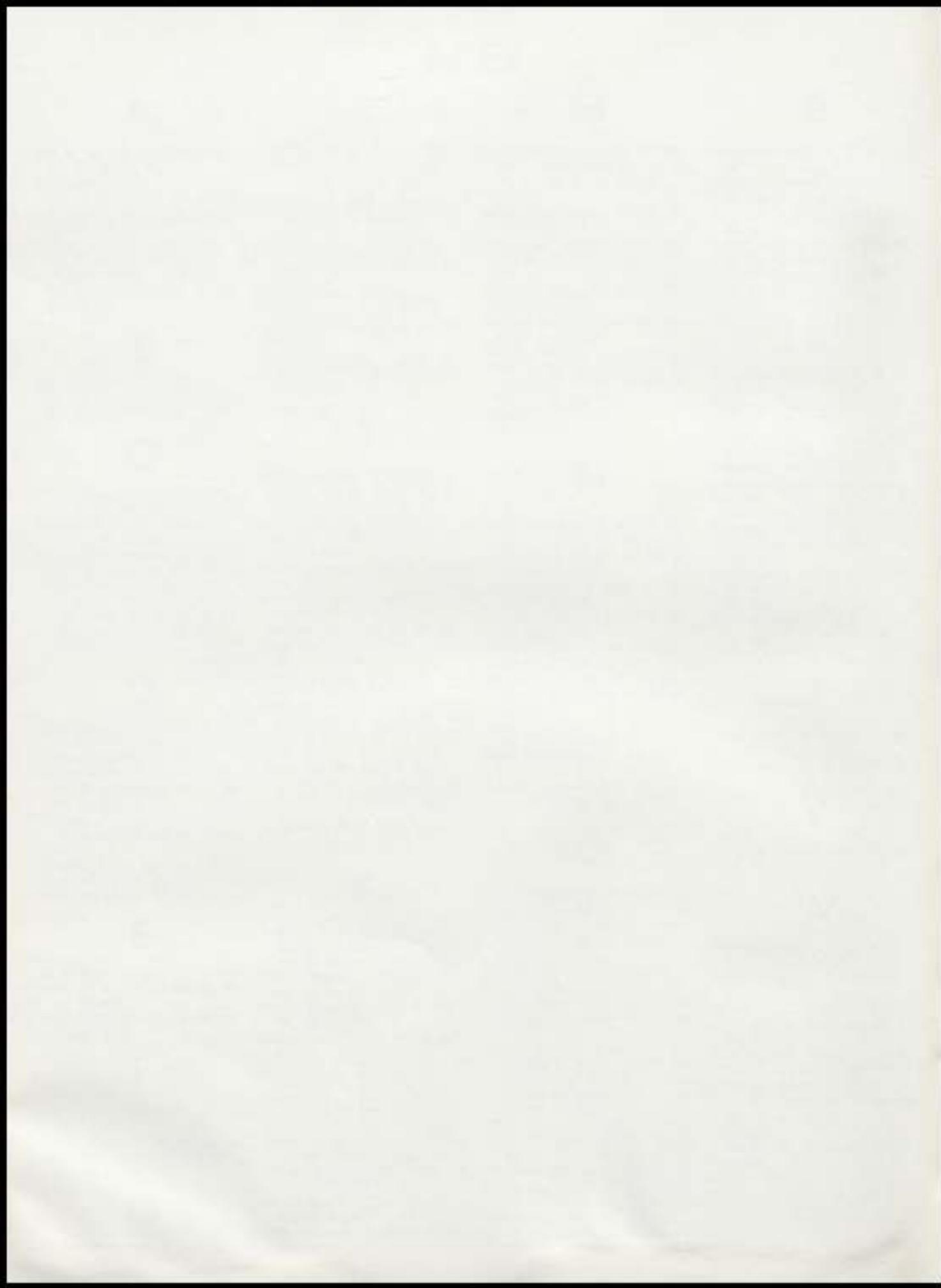
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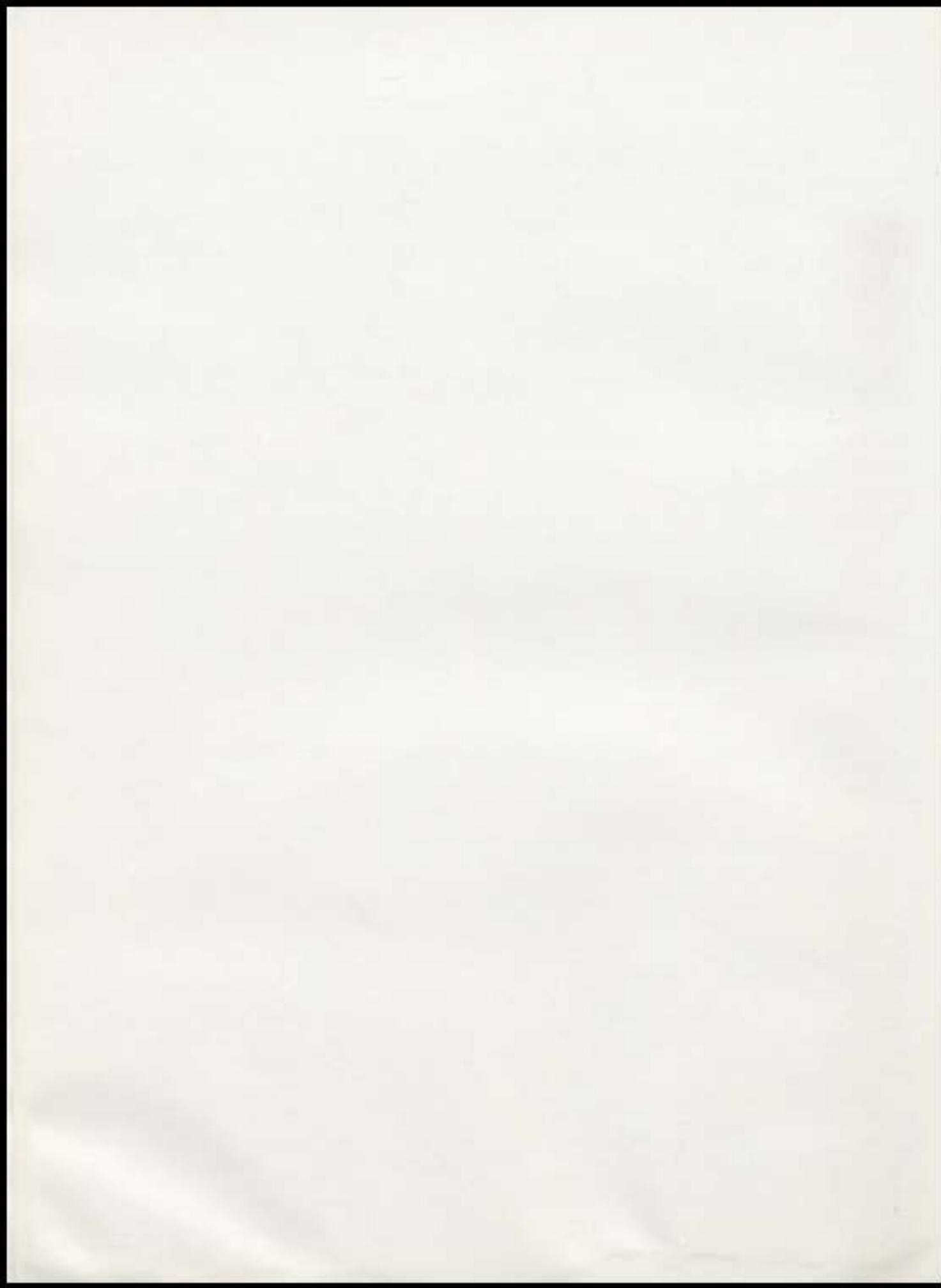
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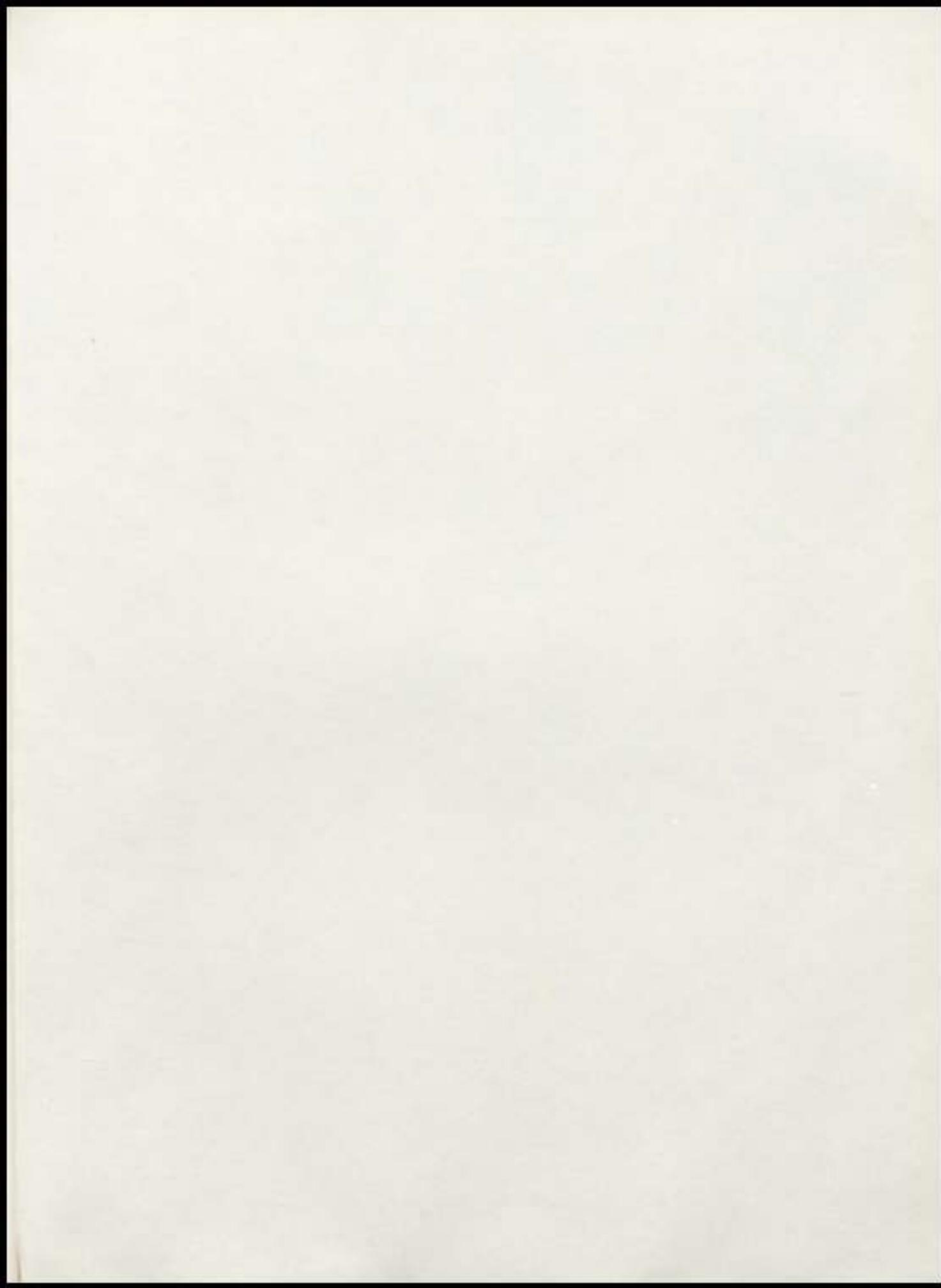
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