

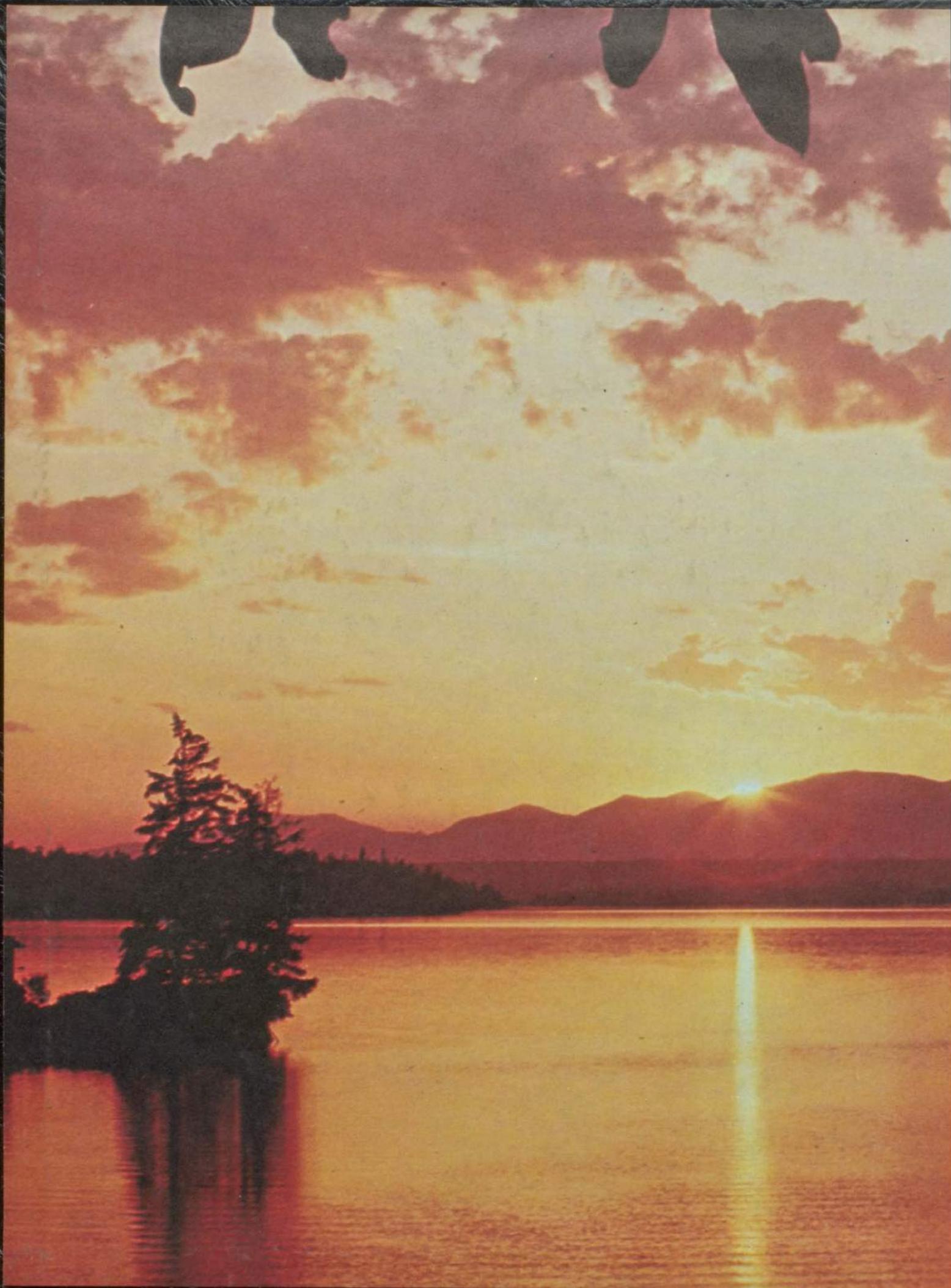


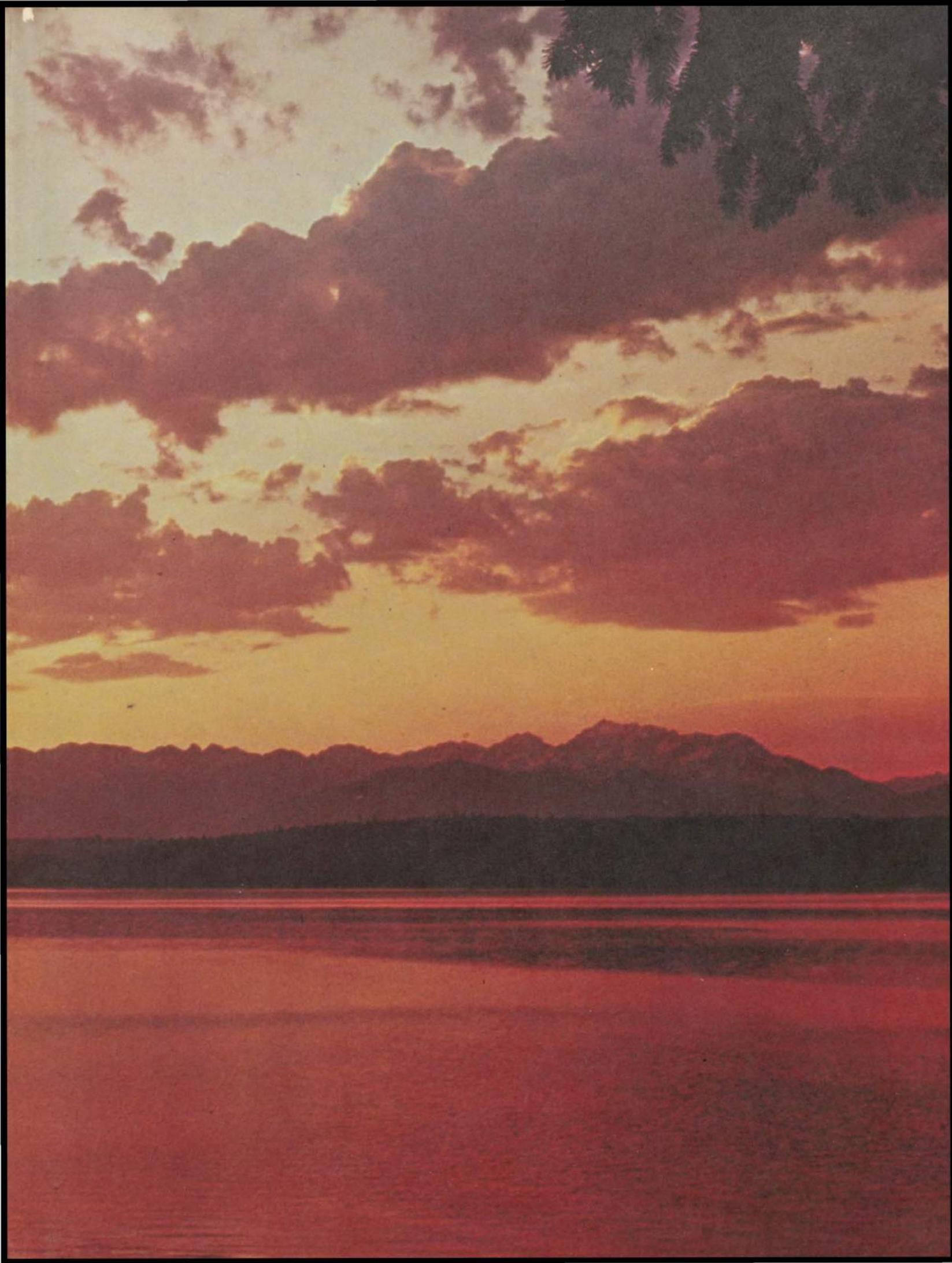
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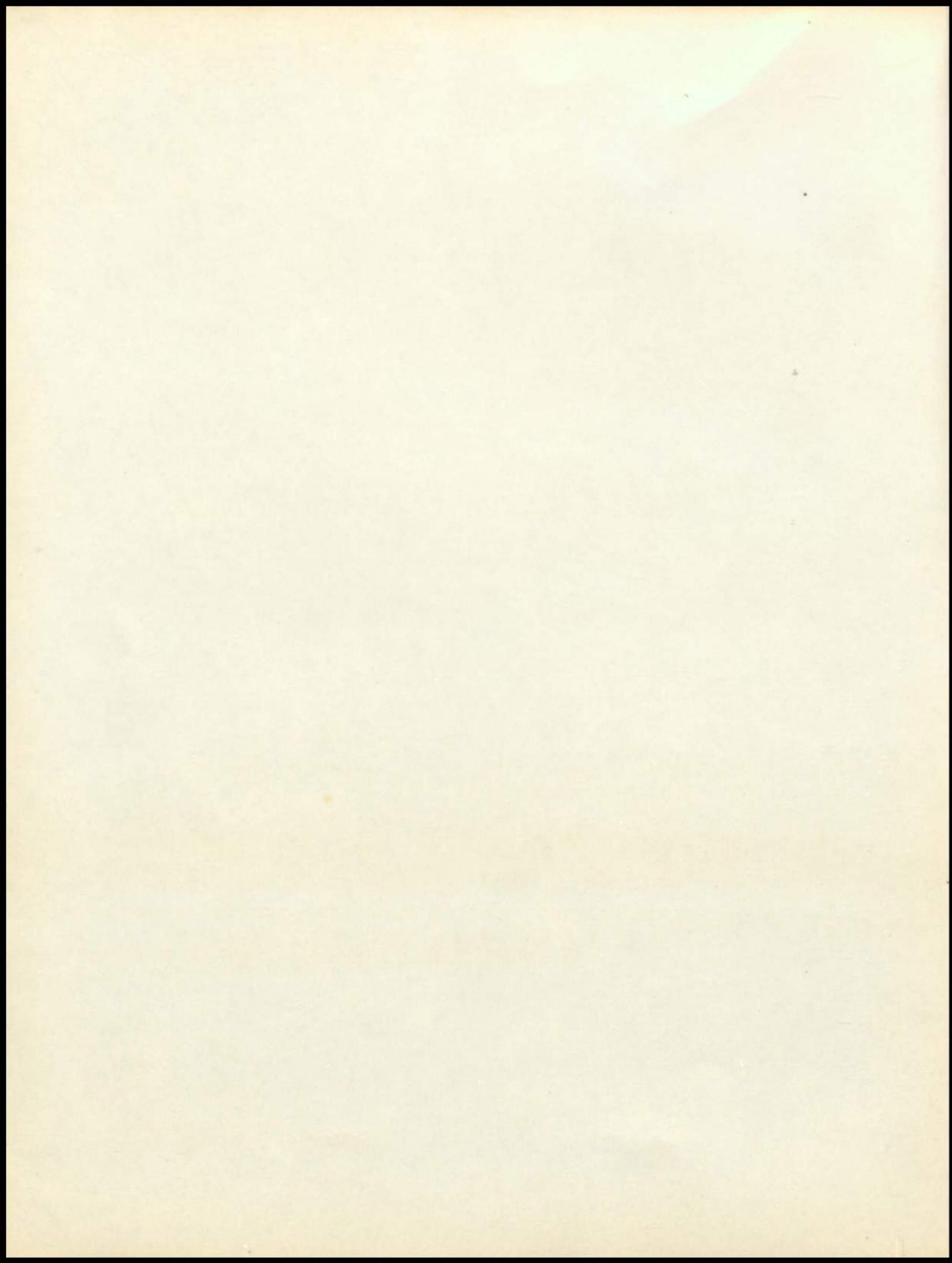


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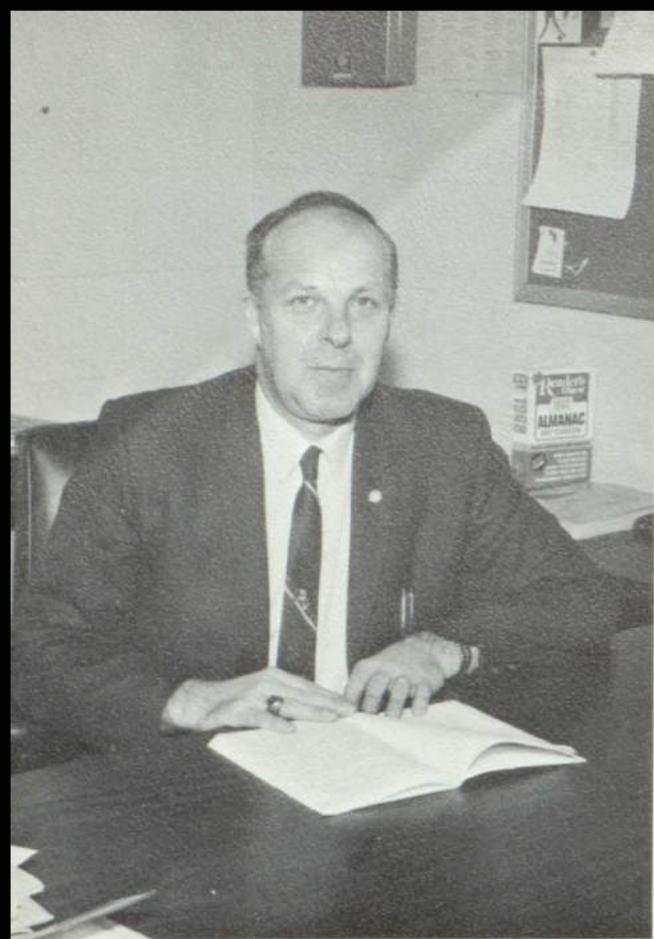
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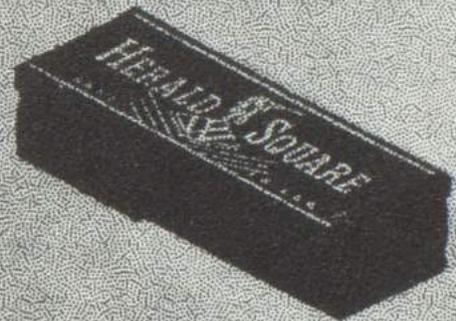


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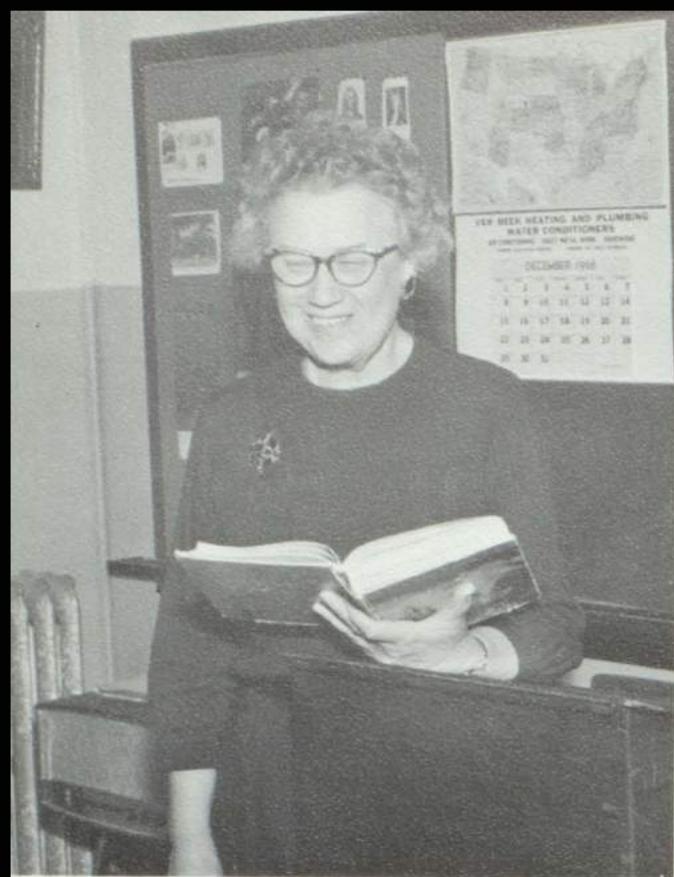
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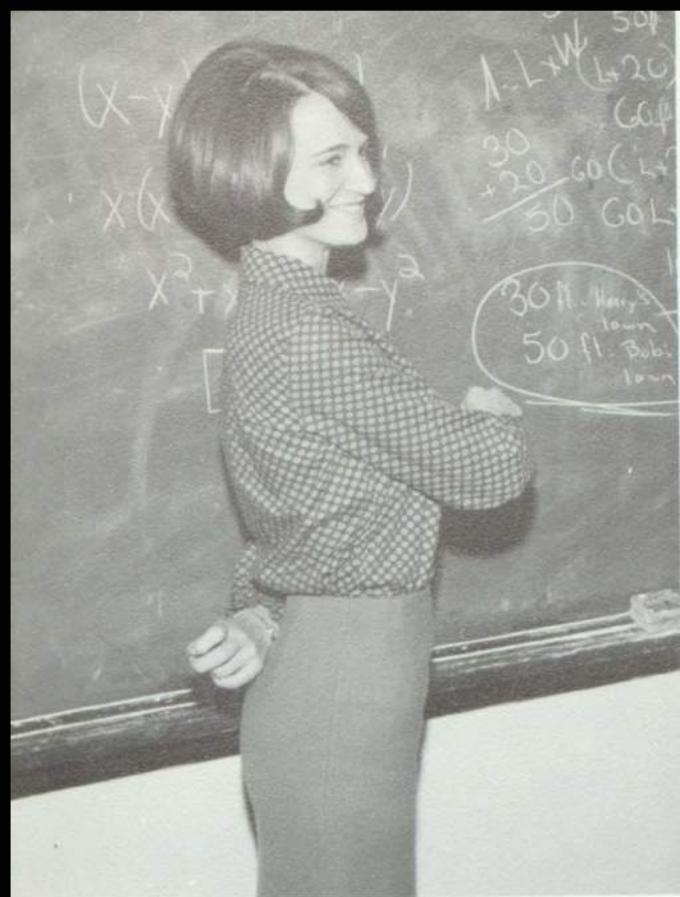


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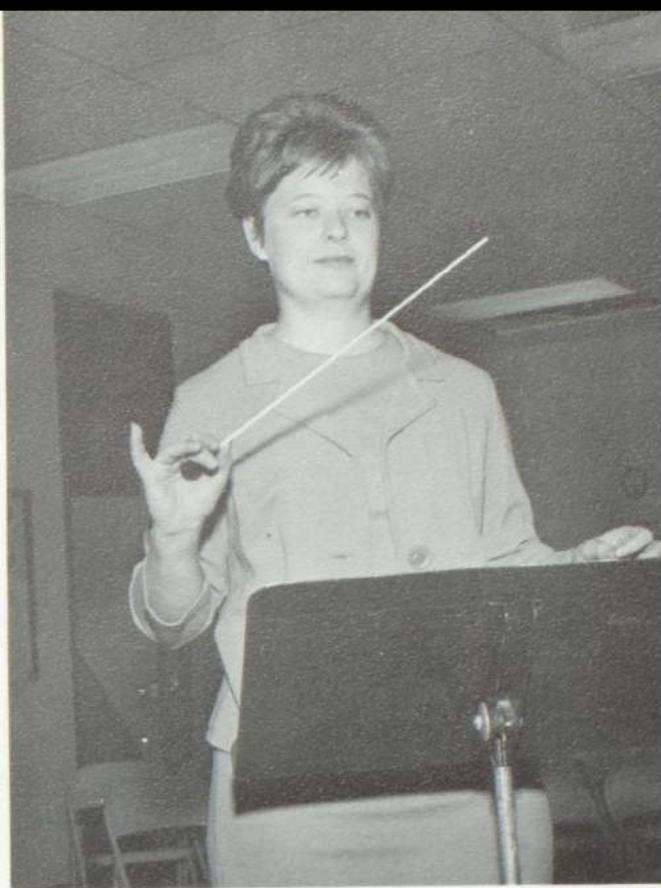
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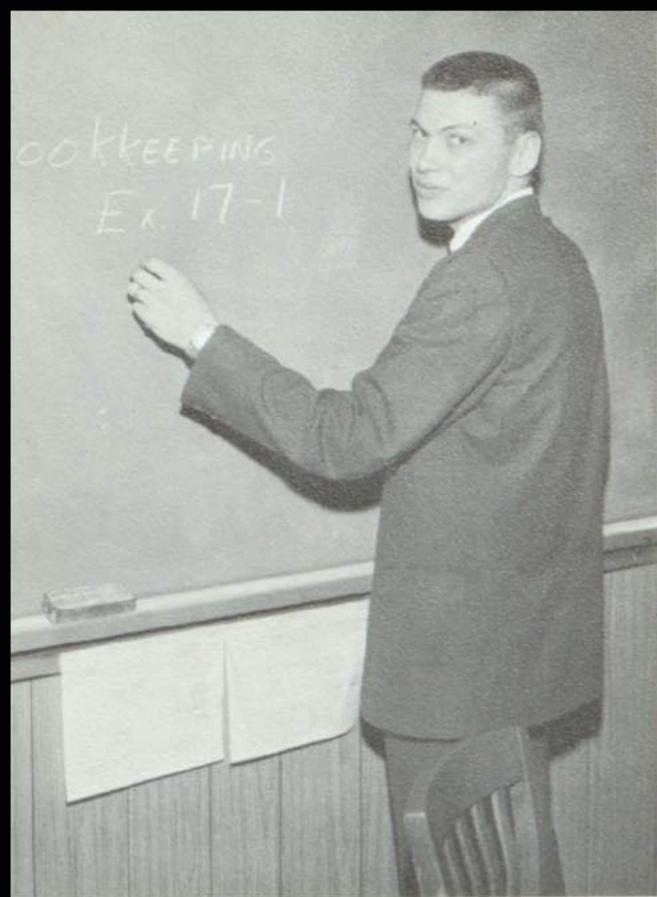


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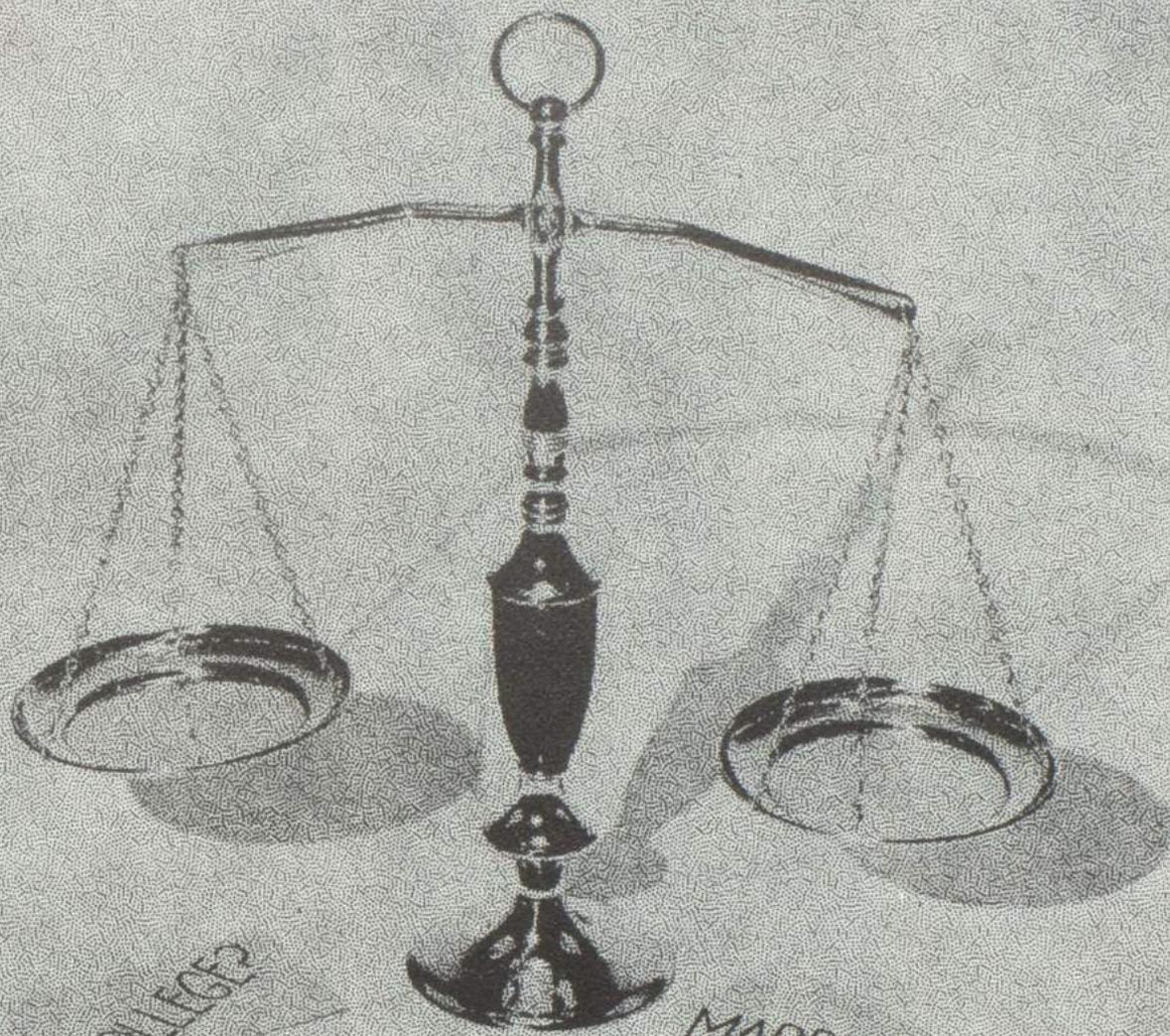
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For a teacher to instruct the younger generation and pass his influence on so that the students will make something of themselves is one of the most valuable assets that America has.

The teacher is a counselor and a molder of young minds and spirits. And his influence may be carried as far as two or three generations. This is what makes the teacher so much of an asset to the American way of life. The caliber of these individuals has been such that America has been kept strong, and the Viborg High School teachers have done their part.



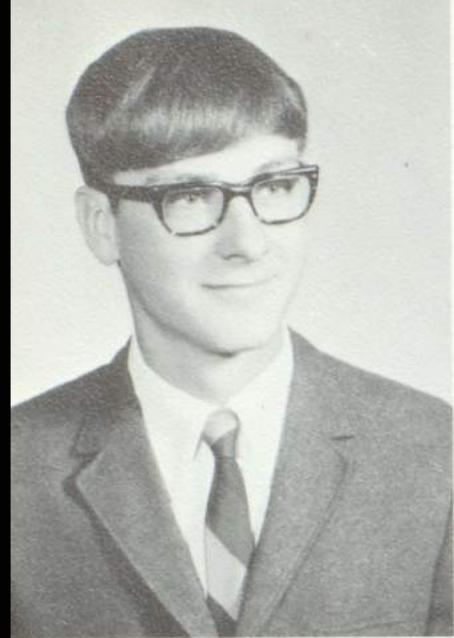
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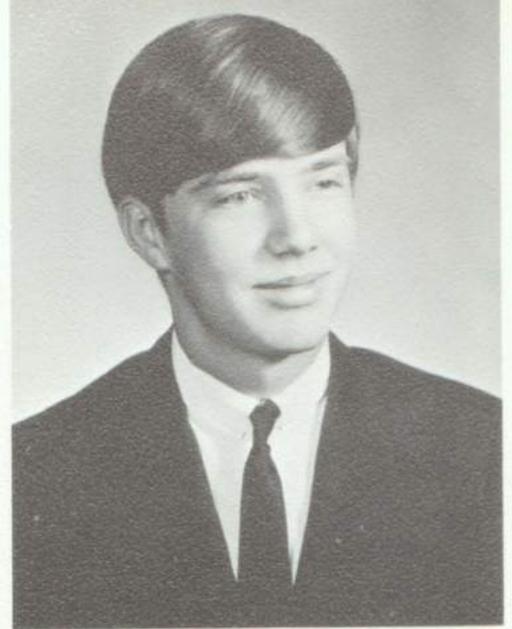
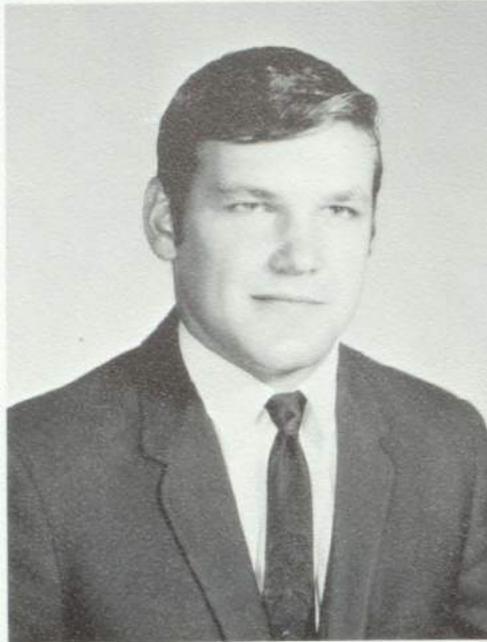
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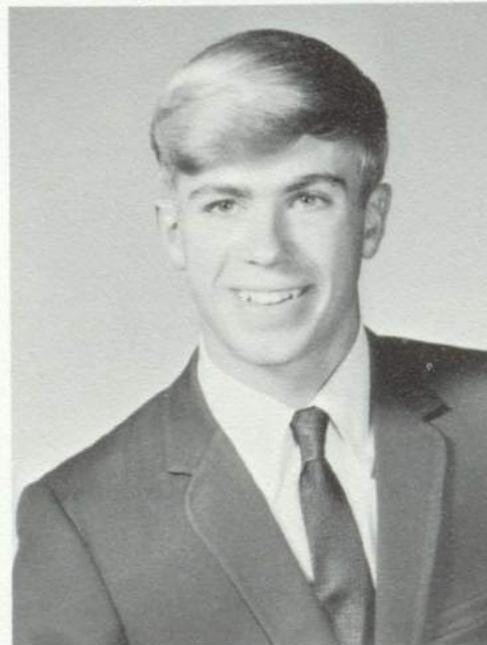
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PAUL DANGEL
Class Play 3; Football 2, 3, 4; P.E. 1-4;
Tumbling 1; All-State Football 4; FFA 4.



LELAND CHRISTENSEN
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FFA 4.

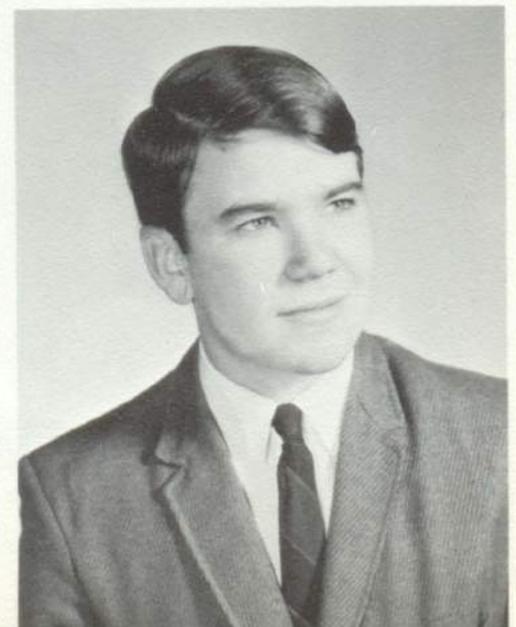
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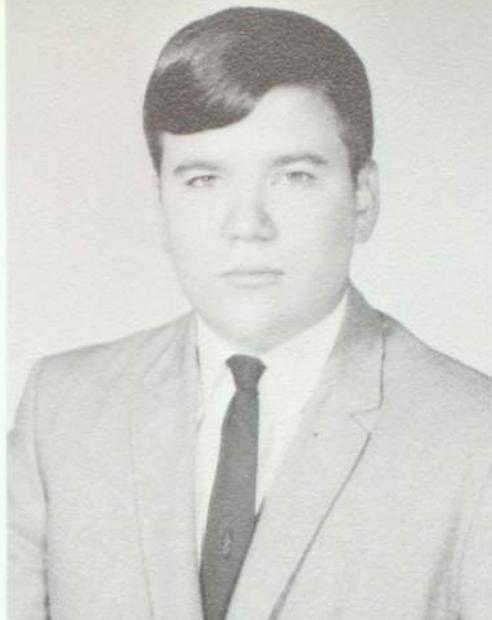


DONLEY FREDERICKSON
FFA Reporter 4; P.E. 3, 4. Transferred
from Centerville High School.



LEE EBBESEN
Class Play 3; Boys' State Alt. 3; Class
Officer 2, 4; FFA Officer 4.





DARRELL FREDERICKSON
FFA 4; P.E. 2,3,4. Transferred from Centerville High School.

CHERYL HEITER
Girls' Glee 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Triple Trio 4; Class Play 4; Sweetheart Queen 4; Homecoming Royalty 4; Pep Club 4; Musical 4; Declam 4; Band 4; Pep Band 4; Soloist 4; Instr. Ens. 4; Journalism 4. Transferred from South Shore High School.



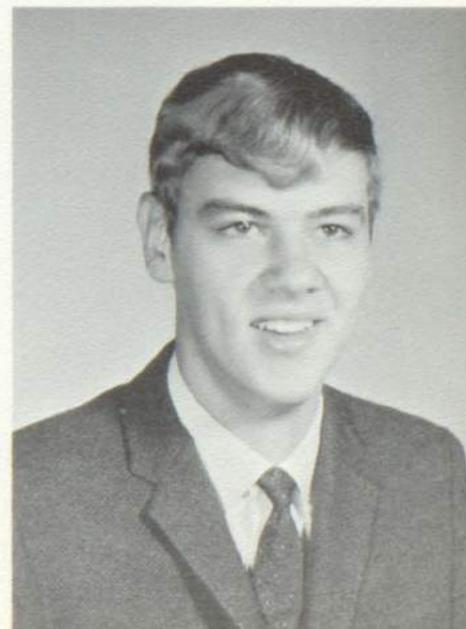
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BECKY KNUDSEN
Girls' Glee 1-4; Mixed Chorus 1-4; Triple Trio 1-4; Mixed Ens. 4; Soloist 4; Declam 1,2; Track 2; Class Play 3,4; Prom Waitress 2; Class Officer 1,3,4; Sweetheart Queen 2; Homecoming Queen 4; Annual Staff 1,2; Co-Editor 3; Annual Editor 4; Cheerleading 3; Pep Club 3,4; All-State Alt. 4; Musical 3,4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2,4; Instr. Ens. 3,4.



LYLE JENSEN
Mixed Chorus 1-4; Boys' Glee 1-4; Class Play 3,4; Class Officer 2,3; Boys' State 3; Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Sweetheart King 3; Homecoming King 4; FFA Officer 4; American Government Award 4.

MARK JORGENSEN
Track 1; Class Play 3; P.E. 2-4; Sr. Class Pres. 4; FFA 4.

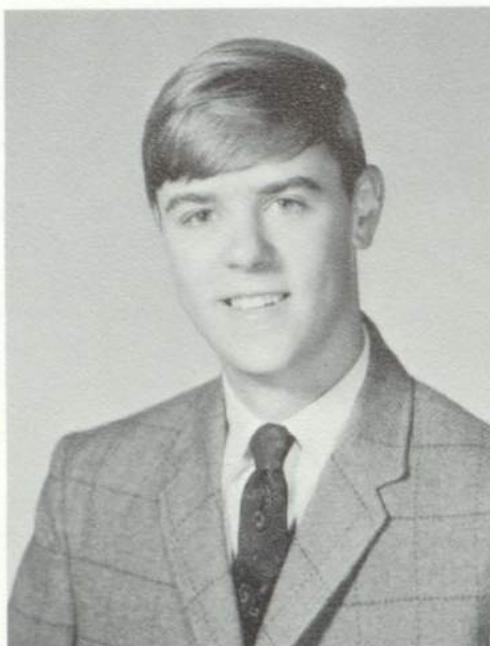




DEBORA LARSEN

Girls' Glee 1-4; Mixed Chorus 1-4; Misc. Ens. 2, 3; Triple Trio 4; Piano Accomp. 4; Declam 1-4; Class Play 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Musical 3, 4; Voice of Democracy 4; Future Homemaker of Tomorrow 4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Instr. Ens. 3, 4; Journalism 4; Typing Contest 3.

WAYNE LARSEN
Basketball 3, 4; Prom Waiter 2; Sweetheart Ball King 2; Boys' Glee 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1-4; Tumbling 1; Homecoming Royalty 4; Class Play 3, 4; Musical 3, 4; P. E. 1, 2; FFA 4.

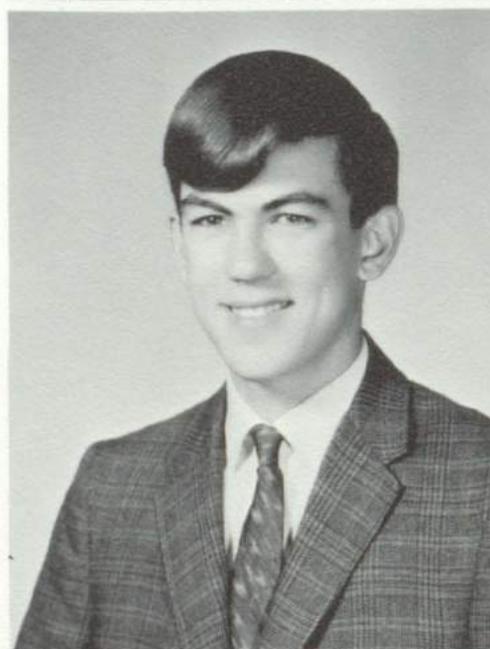


JANET LARSEN

Girls' Glee 1-4; Mixed Chorus 1-4; Misc. Ens. 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Prom Waitress 2; Class Officer 2, 3; Sweetheart Candidate 4; Homecoming Royalty 4; Annual Staff 1; Cheerleading 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Musical 3, 4; Declam 1-4; Head Majorette 4; Twirler 1-3; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1; Instr. Ens. 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Journalism 4; Librarian 1-4.

DALE MORCK

Football 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 3, 4; Boys' Glee 1, 4; Musical 4; Vocal Solo 4; P. E. 1, 3, 4.



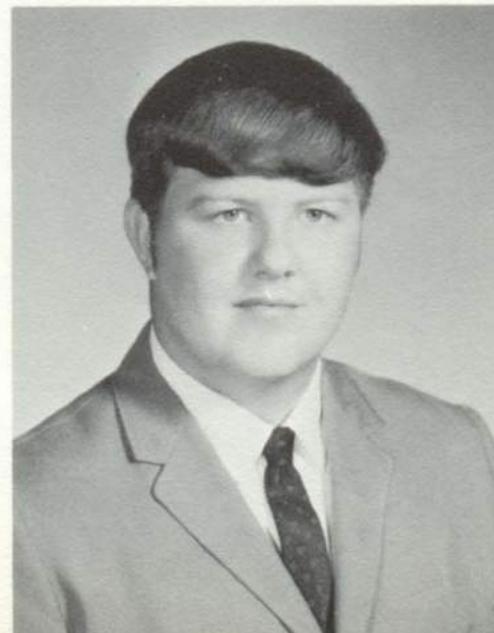
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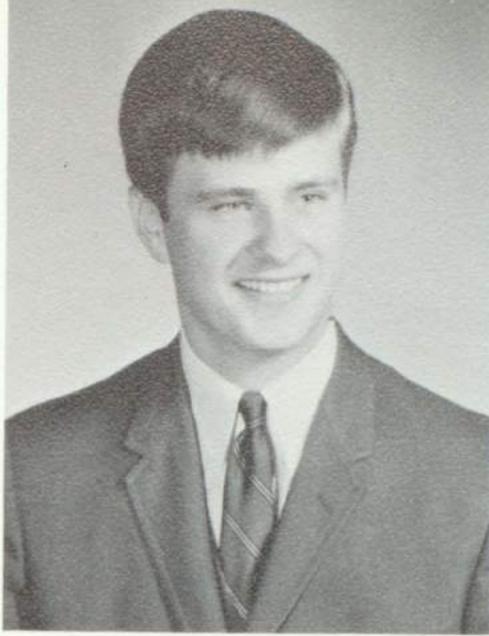
Perfect Attendance 2; Class Play Propman 3; P. E. 3, 4.



TERRY MARK

Mixed Chorus 1-4; Boys' Glee 1-4; Boys' Octet 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ens. 3, 4; All-State Chorus Alt. 3; All-State Chorus 4; Soloist 2, 3, 4; Musical 3, 4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Instr. Ens. 3, 4; Sweetheart King 4; Homecoming Royalty 4; Prom Waiter 2; FFA 4; Tumbling 1; Class Officer 1, 4; Class Play 3, 4.





DEAN NIELSEN

Basketball 1, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Track 1; Prom Waiter 2; Class Play 3; Student Body President 4.

KARLA PEARSON
Girls' Glee 3, 4; Class Play 3; Musical 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Class Officer 2, 3; P.E. 1-4; Track 1, 2, 3; Librarian 1-4; Journalism 4.



ANITA OSTROOT

Girls' Glee 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Class Play 3, 4; Annual Staff 1, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Pep Club Officer 3, 4; Musical 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Typing Contest 3; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Instr. Ens. 3, 4; Journalism 4; Librarian 1, 2; Perfect Attendance 2.

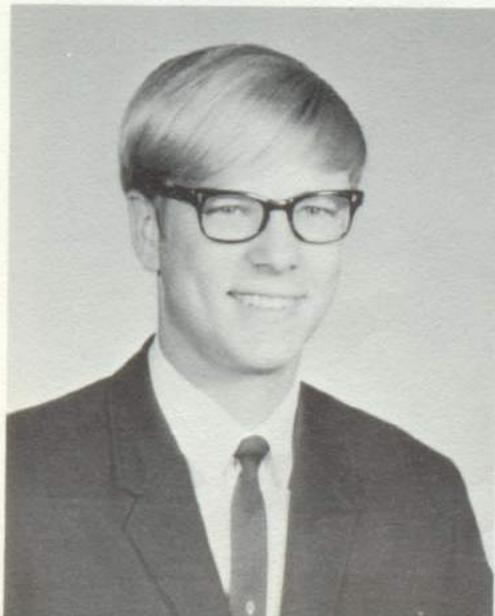


RUBY PETERSON

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DONALD PEDERSON

P.E. 1, 2; Basketball 3, 4; Class Play 3; FFA 4.



ANN PEDERSON

Girls' Glee 3, 4; Class Play 3; Pep Club 3, 4; P.E. 1-4; Musical 3, 4; Track 1-4; Journalism 4; Declam 4; French Club 3.





WESLEY SANBORN
 Boys' Glee 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Football 3; Track 3; Boys' Octet 3, 4; Mixed Ens. 4; Soloist 3, 4; Instr. Ens. 3, 4; All-State Chorus 4; Musical 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; FFA Pres. 4. Transferred from Hurley High School.

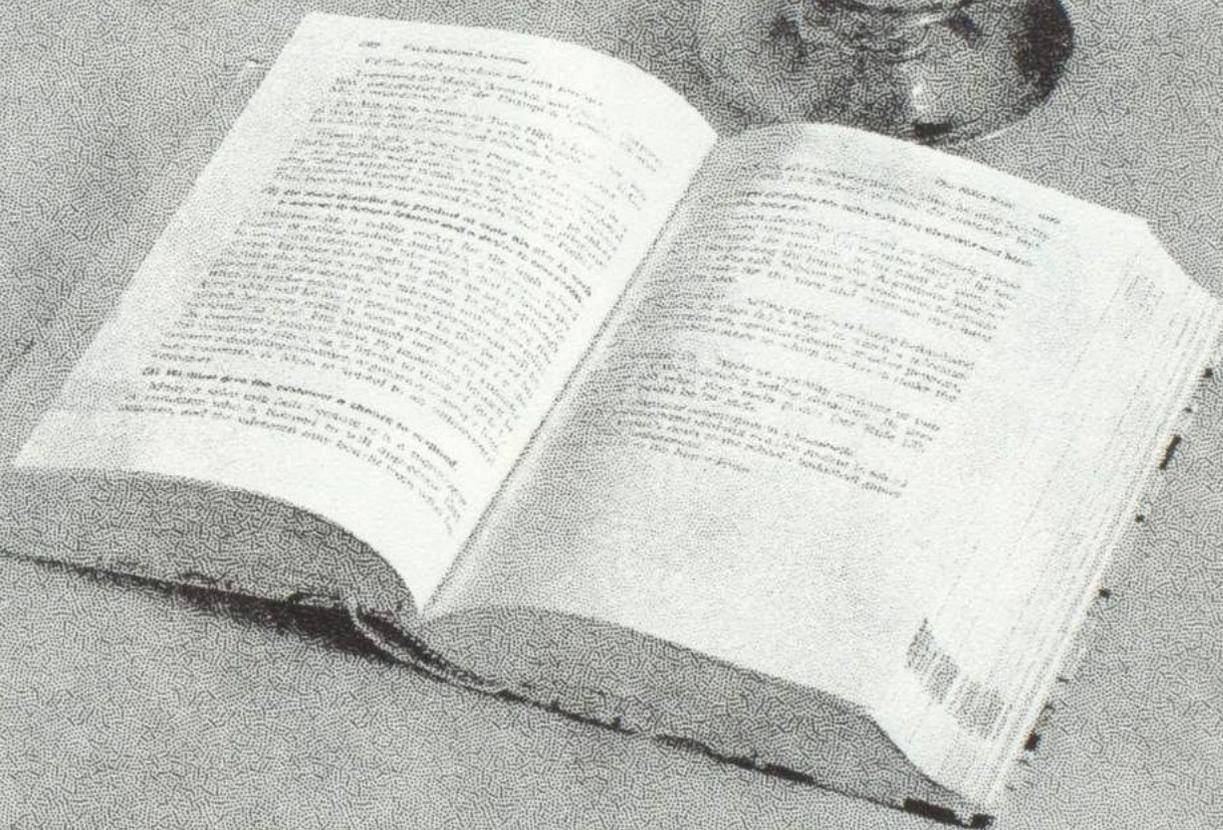
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 Football 3, 4; P.E. 1-4.



KATHY SORENSEN
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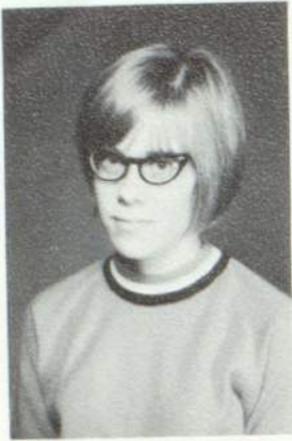
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Robert Boe



Mike Christopherson



Danny Dangel



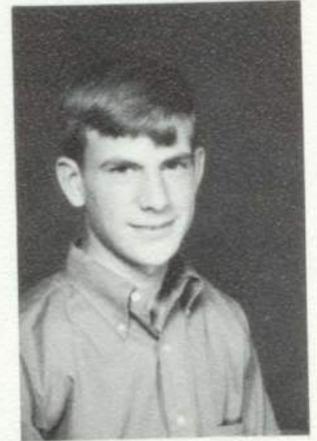
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Patsy Jensen



Larry Langeland



Gene Ludens



Randy Mark



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Bruce Mork



Roxie Nielsen



Ranae Oakland



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Greg Van Hull



Rhea Ward

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Dan Westegaard

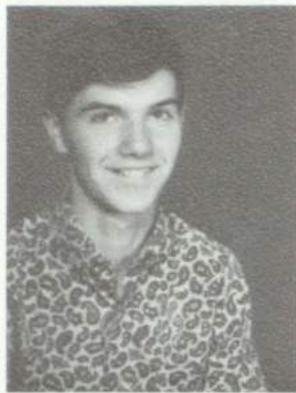


The juniors at V.H.S. began their most exciting year with building a float for Homecoming festivities. For their money making projects to sponsor the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom, they sold magazines, had a car wash, and sold concessions at the football and basketball games. The theme for the Prom was "Three Coins In the Fountain."

SOPHOMORES



Judy Andal



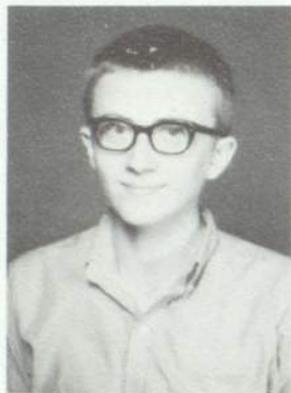
Quentin Christensen



Janet Engen



Dawn Fikse



Paul Jensen



Susan Jespersen



Annet Johnson



Linda Johnson



Wayne Kost



Larry McLoud



Adell Nielsen



Debra Ness

The sophomores began their second year building a float for the 1968 Homecoming festivities. The big event in their year was to sponsor the Sweetheart Ball. This year they hired a live band, "Ma's Boys," to play for the annual event. Terry Mark and Cheryl Heiter reigned as King and Queen.





Joyce Nygaard



David Olesen



Mary Olesen



Shari Olsen



Carol Pasco



Carolyn Peterson



Donna Schaeffer



Jeff Searles



Colleen Sorensen



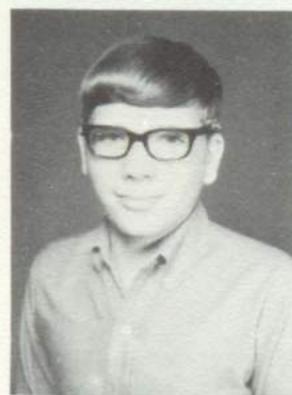
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Paula Sorensen



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Duane Spomer



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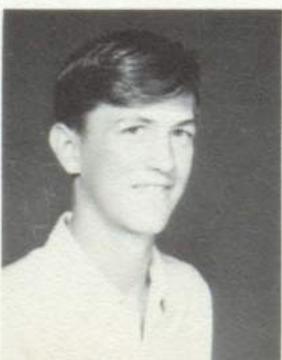


Dennis Larsen

Kathy Larsen



Gary Mark



Mary Morck



Lynne Nielsen





Betty Peterson



David Peterson



Elaine Peterson



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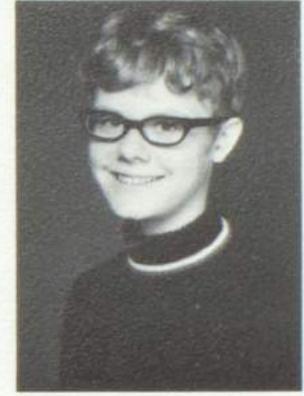
John Reed



Gary Sanborn



Roger Schaeffer



Rebecca Sorensen



Vickie Stortvedt



Carl Suhr



Melanie Thorson



Roger Wenzlaff

NOT PICTURED: Gordy Ludens



Kathy Westergaard

As the freshmen began their high school year at V. H. S. a new world of learning was opened to them. Putting together a float for homecoming and preparing the bonfire for the pep rally are just a few things that kept the members of the freshmen class busy. With all these activities going on, the class learns how to do them in preparation for the three years ahead.



Seventh and Eighth Grades



First Row: Glenn Andersen, Glen Hansen, Pamela Morrison, Roxanne Larsen, James Nelson. Second Row: Michelle Long, Lynn Peterson, Steve Morrison, Daniel Peterson, Gerald Jonason, Mark Boe. Third Row: James Holm, Dennis Spomer, Allen Vannorsdel, Douglas Christensen, Donald Schenkel.



First Row: Ronald Larsen, Keith Osthus, Brad Christensen, Joanne Suhr, Karen Larsen. Second Row: Kay Jorgensen, Becky Peterson, Peggy Nielsen, Mark Peterson, Jerry Nelson. Third Row: Kathy Jensen, Carol Gorseth, Dean Schooley, Susan Heim, Susan Andersen, Teacher: Mrs. Leslie Swensen.



GRADES

Sixth Grade



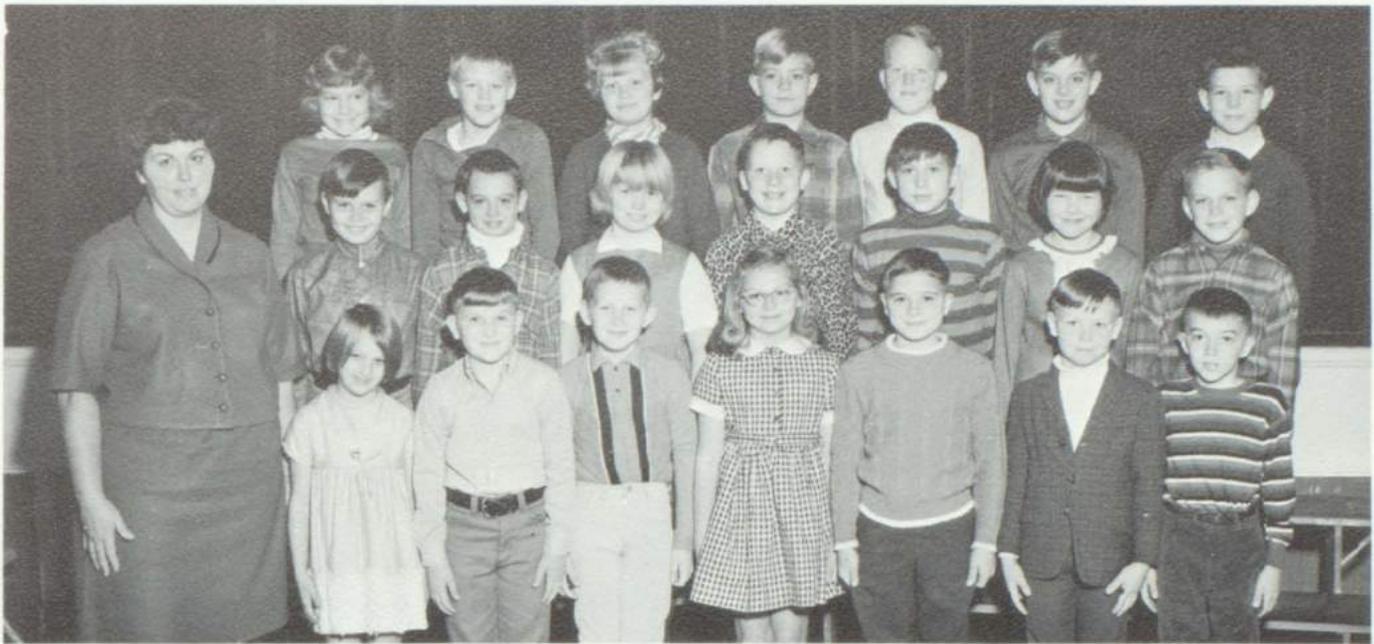
First Row: Craig Hansen, Rodney Kolthoff, Paulette Peterson, Randall Boe, Betty Graber, Thomas Pasco, Nancy Peterson. Second Row: Glen Gaddis, Jeffrey Skonhovd, Jane Jorgensen, Kyle Frederickson, Carla Larsen, Cheryl Morck, Timothy Morrison. Third Row: Steven Rennich, Diana Glood, Jeffrey Sorensen, Wendall Hanson, Paul Johnson, Kent Christopherson. Fourth Row: Gregg Danielsen, Dawn Luke, Ramona Knudsen, Lydell Peterson, Colleen Peterson, Jean Jorgensen, Russell Anderson. Teacher: Mrs. Vernell Larsen.

Fifth Grade



First Row: Mylene Christensen, Robert Miller, Kevin Osthus, Jody Christensen, Brian Hanson, Kevin Suhr. Second Row: Lori Hansen, Terri Thorson, Sandra Frederickson, Denise Flynn, Kelly Knudsen. Third Row: Gwen Jonason, Gregory Peterson, Debra Petersen, Laurie Peterson, Douglas Searles, Mark Juel. Teacher: Mrs. Robert Miller. Not Pictured: Rita Peterson.

Fourth Grade



First Row: Cheri Hansen, Jeffrey Spomer, Mark Miller, Linda Peterson, Jeffrey Ramsley, Daniel Sorensen, Kendall Flynn. Second Row: David Christensen, Douglas Skonhovd, Nancy Jespersen, Michael Christensen, Bernard Long, Patty Lee, Scott Christensen. Third Row: Bernice Peterson, Steven Meyer, Jolene Rennich, Michael Juel, Donald Knudsen, Daniel Graber, Dale Sorensen. Teacher: Mrs. Larry Flaherty.

Third Grade



First Row: Ross Miller, Laurie Larsen, Scott Kolthoff, Robin Schenkel, Gary Suhr. Second Row: Robin Christensen, Daniel Sorensen, Jimmie Larsen, Cindy Meyer, Gregory Boe. Third Row: Stephanie Thorson, Phillip Oakland, Debra Nelson, David Sorensen, Sonja Christopherson. Teacher: Mrs. Wayne Petersen.



Second Grade

First Row: Carolyn Skonhovd, Monita Christensen, Randall Flynn, Loren Hansen, Paul Christensen, Tamara Sorenson. Second Row: Jill Peterson, Lisa Jacobsen, Donnie Hjelm, Kirk Hansen, Lee Larsen, Julie Petersen, Jon Peterson. Third Row: Susan Juel, Janna Petersen, Danny Lee, Jeanne Morck, Pamela Rennich, Rusty Pierce. Teacher: Mrs. Robert Boe. Not Pictured: Chris Owen Rasmussen

First Grade

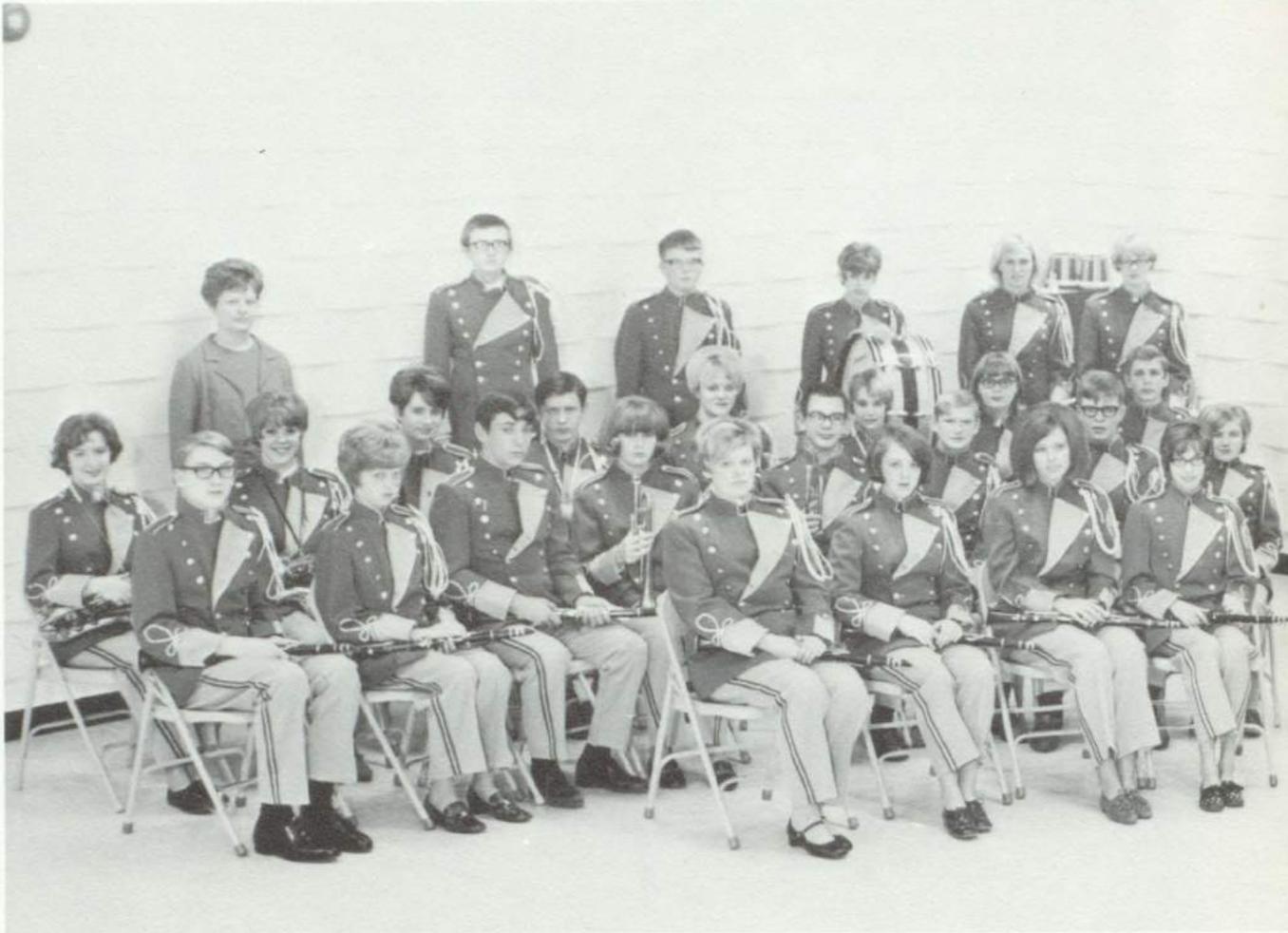
First Row: Robbie Oswald, Lynn Jorgensen, Colleen Hansen, Jill Morrison, Pamela Ramsley. Second Row: Janet Peterson, Daniel DeGeest, Terry Jacobson, Kevin Knudsen, Jack Pierce. Third Row: Christine Juel, Michael Morrison, Rocky Daniels, Julie Rasmussen, Sonja Petersen. Teacher: Mrs. John Noteboom.



Kindergarten

First Row: Janine Hansen, Grant Petersen, Dennis Hansen, Pamela Graber, Ricky Oswald, Kathy Suhr, Mike Miller. Second Row: Rita Jorgensen, Tareasa Holsether, David Lockwood, Douglas DeGeest, Jay Nielsen, Karen Nelson, Ranae Hansen. Third Row: Randy Peterson, Douglas Sorenson, Laurie DeVries, Kathy Mark, Ivan Anderson, JoDee Frederickson, Todd Sundleaf. Teacher: Mrs. John Olsen.

THE VIBORG HIGH



Director: Mrs. James Williams.

Clarinets: Anita Ostroot, Arnita Sorensen, Coleen Sorensen, Betty Peterson, Marcia Boe, Roger Schaeffer, Dennis Spomer, Pam Morrison, Gary Sandborn.

Bass Clarinet: Debora Larsen.

Flutes: Vickie Stortvedt, Charlotte Pasco.

Cornets: Terry Mark, Janet Larsen, Wes Sanborn, Ruby Peterson, Carol Pasco, Donald Morck, Rebecca Sorensen, Paula Jensen, Gary Mark, Mary Morck, Jim Holm, Glen Hansen, Danny Peterson, Dorothy Heirigs.

Trombones: Curtis Anderson, Katherine Sorensen, Duane Spomer, Paula Jorgensen.

Basses: Doug Christensen, David Peterson.

Baritones: Randy Mark, Rannie Ebbesen.

French Horn: Rebecca Knudsen.

Saxophones: Cheryl Heiter, Rhea Ward, Judy Andal, Gerald Jonason.

Tenor Saxophone: Roxanne Larsen.

Drums: Ranae Oakland, Patsy Jensen, Roxanne Nielsen, Rex Keller, Cindy Heiter, Paul Jensen.

CONCERT BAND



The Viborg High School Concert Band had a very active school year. With the help of their very able band director, Mrs. Williams, they presented concerts, and sent many instrumental ensembles to the contest at the University of South Dakota in Vermillion. Mrs. Williams also chose some of the band members to play in the orchestra for our musical production "Calamity Jane." The concert band also played for our annual Christmas program and together with the mixed chorus they presented an interesting program.

The Brass Sextet

The Brass Sextet, Composed of Curt Anderson, Doug Christensen, and Randy Mark, Wes Sanborn, Becky Knudsen, and Terry Mark received a Superior rating at the Instrumental contest in Vermillion. Later, they played their contest numbers for PTA.



V.H.S. MARCHING BAND



The Viborg High School Marching Band began the school year practicing hard to "look sharp" for the various Homecoming Parades in which they took part. They were also kept busy playing at pep rallies and for every home football or basketball game. A few of the members also played in the District Pep Band which played for the District Tournament in Vermillion.

The Trombone and the Trumpet Trio did a fine job at the contest this year. They received an excellent rating. These two trios were also featured in our Spring Band Concert.





*Head Majorette
Janet Larsen*

Here Comes the Band!!!



Jane Larsen was named head majorette for the 68-69 school year. Four twirlers were chosen: Kathy Larsen, Joyce Nygaard, Stephy Andersen, and Marcia Gorseth. Karla Pearson and Anna Pederson served as banner carriers. These girls added color and pep to the VHS marching band which performed at surrounding high school and college homecoming parades.

MIXED CHORUS



First Row (left to right): Mrs. Robert Ward - director, Rebecca Sorensen, Gloria Kost, Rhea Ward, Elaine Peterson, Paula Jorgensen, Linda Johnson, Charlotte Pasco, Patricia Jensen, Judy Anddal, Katherine Sorensen, Anita Ostroy, Debora Larsen. Second Row: Paula Jensen, Ida Anderson, Cheryl Heiter, Steve DeVries, Roger Schaeffer, Gary Sanborn, Duane Spomer, Betty Peterson, Arnita Sorensen. Third Row: Dawn Fikse, Susan Jespersen, Donald Morck, Rannie Ebbesen, Gary Mark, David Peterson, Ralph Heirigs, Randy Mark, Eugene Ludens, Rebecca Knudsen, Stephanie Andersen. Fourth Row: Janet Larsen, Marcia Gorseth, Wes Sanborn, Dale Morck, Curtis Anderson, David VerBeek, Lyle Jensen, Terry Mark, Wayne Larsen, Ranae Oakland, Colleen Sorensen.



All-State Chorus

Terry Mark, Wes Sanborn, Kathy Sorensen, and Marcia Gorseth attended the annual All-State Chorus in Aberdeen on November 8. Becky Knudsen, Rhea Ward, Randy Mark, and Rannie Ebbesen were alternates. This group was also chosen to be the Mixed Ensemble which represented Viborg High at the Vocal Contest in Vermillion. There they received a superior. They also sang their contest numbers for PTA.

BOYS' GLEE



First Row: Steve DeVries, Roger Schaeffer, Gary Sanborn, Duane Spomer, Rannie Ebbesen, Mrs. Ward.
 Second Row: Donald Morck, Kendel Tronbak, Gary Mark, David Peterson, Ralph Heirigs, Randy Mark, Gene Ludens. Third Row: Wes Sanborn, Dale Morck, Curtis Anderson, David VerBeek, Lyle Jensen, Terry Mark, Wayne Larsen.



The Boys' Octet (upper left) represented the Boys' Glee in the contest this year. To the right are the soloists. They are Rhea Ward and Marcia Gorseth - soprano; Ida Anderson - piano; Becky Knudsen and Cheryl Heiter - mezzo soprano; Kathy Sorensen - contralto; Wes Sanborn, Curtis Anderson, and Rannie Ebbesen - tenor; Terry Mark - baritone; and Gary Sanborn - bass.

GIRLS' GLEE



First Row: Mary Morck, Kthy Sorensen, Patty Edelman, Elaine Peterson, Stephanie Anderson, Paula Jorgensen, Arnita Sorensen, Becky Sorensen, Sheryl Holsether, Rhea Ward, Mrs. Robert Ward. Second Row: Cleo Engen, Paula Sorensen, Gail Horgensen, Debora Larsen, Hoyce Nygaard, Vickie Stortvedt, Cheryl Heiter, Charlotte Pasco, Cindy Heiter, Kathy Rouse, Paula Jensen. Third Row: Kathy Westegaard, Ida Andersen, Tanya Thorson, Susan Peterson, Hanet Larsen, Kathy Sorensen, Roxanne Nielsen, Patsy Jensen, Judy Andal, Lynne Nielson, Donna Huber. Fourth Row: Anna Pederson, Marcia Gorseth, Karla Pearson, Colleen Sorensen, Ranae Oakland, Ruby Peterson, Becky Knudsen, Anita Ostroot, Janet Engen, Dorothy Heirigs. Fifth Row: Kathy Larsen, Carol Pasco, Susan Jespersen, Linda Johnson, Marcia Boe, Gloria Kost, Annet Johnson, Betty Peterson, Dawn Fikse, Donna Huber.

The Triple Trio (lower left) and the Miscellaneous Ensemble (lower right) had a very active year singing for PTA and competing in the vocal contest. They combined and sang "Now Is The Hour" for Commencement exercises in the spring of the year.



All-State Band

Curtis Andersen, who has played first trombone all four of his high school years, received the honor of being one of the top 160 high school musicians in the state of South Dakota. Curt earned this honor by auditioning and taking a test over terms and general musicianship. A total of 1500 students auditioned for All-State Band. Curt and his brother Roger, who attended All-State Band in 1951, have been the only two from Viborg High to play in All-State Band. Curt traveled to Sturgis where he played in the band under the direction of Dr. Braught of the University of Oklahoma.



THE "B" BAND

Director: Mrs. James Williams.

Clarinets: Carol Gorseth, Peggy Nielsen, Carla Larsen, JoAnne Buckstead, Joanne Suhr, Karen Larsen, Ramona Knudsen, Dawn Luke, Becky Petersen.

Baritone: Glenn Gaddis.

Saxophone: Randall Boe, Cheryl Morck.

French Horn: Paulette Peterson.

Cornets: Dianna Glood, Jane Jorgensen, Ronald Larsen, Timothy Morrison, Keith Osthus, Kent Christopherson.

Trombones: Mark Peterson, Jerry Nelson, Jerr Sorensen.

Percussion: Bradley Christensen, Kyle Frederickson, Russell Andersen.





Accompanist

Debra Larsen accompanied the Mixed Chorus, Girls' Glee, and music ensembles throughout her senior year at Viborg High School. She accompanied the Miscellaneous Ensemble at the music contest held at the University of South Dakota in Vermillion. Debbie has accompanied musical selections for PTA, Christmas programs, and Commencement Exercises this spring.

THE "C" BAND

Director: Mrs. James Williams.

Clarinets: Betty Graber, Colleen Peterson, Debra Petersen, Rita Peterson, Jody Christensen.

Flutes: Mylene Christensen, Kelly Knudsen, Lori Hansen.

Saxophone: Craig Hansen.

French Horn: Jane Jorgensen.

Baritone: Gwen Jonason.

Trombone: Gregory Petersen.

Cornets: Paul Johnson, Steve Rennich, Kevin Osthus, Jeffery Ramsley.

Basses: Russell Anderson, Wendall Hansen.

Percussion: Kevin Suhr, Mark Juel.



Queen Becky

King Lyle



VIKING ROYALTY 1969



Cheryl Heiter, Janet Larsen, Marcia Gorseth, Queen Becky Knudsen, King Lyle Jensen, Claire Flyger, Terry Mark, Wayne Larsen, Crownbearers; Danny DeGeest, Christine Juel, Pamela Ramsley, Kevin Knudsen.



King Terry Queen Cheryl



SWEETHEART BALL ROYALTY

Front Row: Vickie Stortvedt, Gloria Kost, Carol Pasco, Tanya Thorson, Patsy Jensen, Sandy Olson, Queen Cheryl Heiter, Janet Larsen. Back Row: John Reed, Gary Mark, Terril Sorensen, Wayne Kost, Randy Mark, Ralph Heirigs, King Terry Mark, Dean Nielsen.



SPECIAL AWARDS



“Freedom’s Challenge”

Debora Larsen was chosen to represent Viborg High School at the regional Voice of Democracy contest. She was fortunate enough to win first place for which she received a trophy. Then her essay was sent on to the district contest where she won third place. The following is a quote from her essay.

"Freedom can not just be a state of mind, but it must also be a way of life."

Declam

Marcia Gorseth received a superior rating at the district declam contest with her original cutting from Thornton Wilder's dramatic "Our Town." She then went on to regional where she also captured a superior which entitled her to participate at the state contest at Pierre. At Pierre, she competed against students from all parts of the state and received an excellent rating.

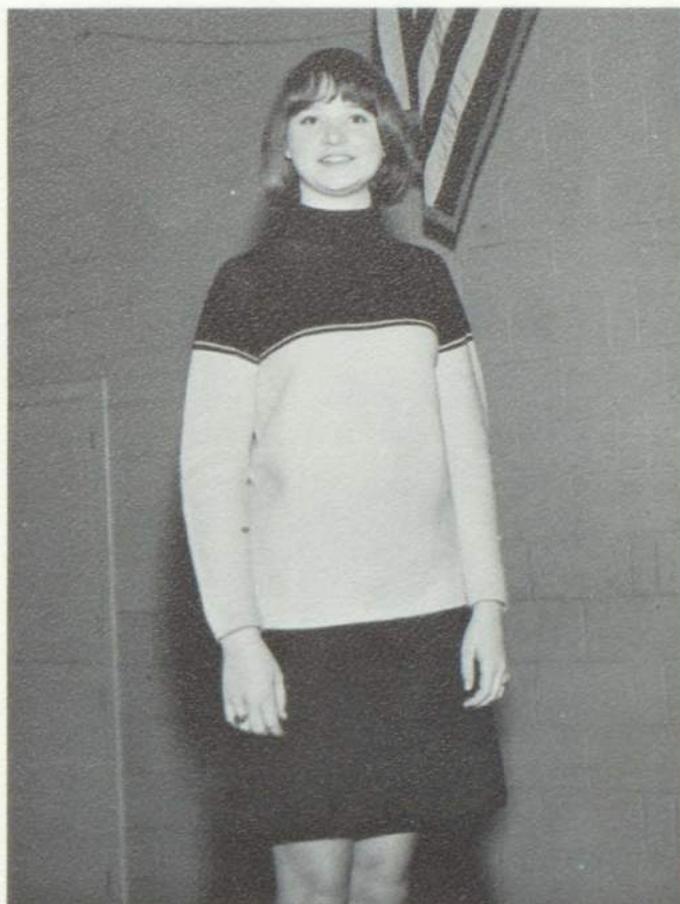


Future Homemaker



Debora Larsen

D.A.R. Representative



Kathy Sorensen

Girl and Boy Staters

Marcia Gorseth
Lyle Jensen

Alternates:
Kathy Sorensen
Lee Ebbesen



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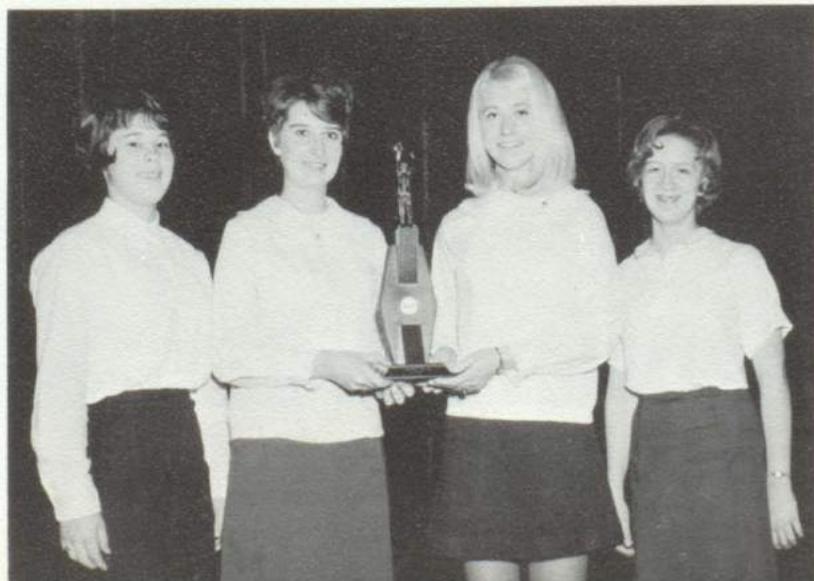


First Row: Debora Larsen, Cheryl Heiter, Vickie Storvedt, Kathy Sorensen, Arnita Sorensen, Mary Olesen, Rhea Ward. Second Row: Ida Anderson, Charlotte Pasco, Carol Pasco, Dawn Fiske, Susan Jespersen, Betty Peterson, Donna Schaeffer, Becky Sorensen, Elaine Peterson. Third Row: Janet Larsen, Karla Pearson, Ranae Oakland, Ralph Heirigs, Curtis Anderson, Mark Jorgensen, Colleen Sorensen, Marcia Gorseth, Judy Anddal. Teachers: Mrs. Merle Knutson, and Mrs. Robert Ward.

Regional Winners



District Winners



JR. AND SR. CLASS PLAY



"Our Town"

THE CAST

Marcia Gorseth: Emily Webb
Terry Mark: George Gibbs
Ralph Heirigs: Stage Manager
Charlotte Pasco: Mrs. Gibbs
Danny Westegaard: Mr. Gibbs
Kathy Sorensen: Rebecca Gibbs
Rhea Ward: Mrs. Webb
Wes Sanborn: Mr. Webb
Rannie Ebbesen: Wally Webb
Patty Edelman: Promptor and Stage Manager
Mrs. Merle Knudson: Director

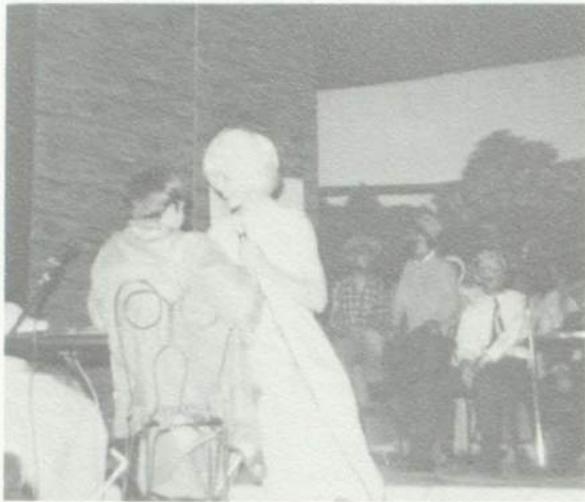


Marcia (Emily) receiving make-up.



OUR MUSICAL

"Calamity Jane"



Francis Fryer



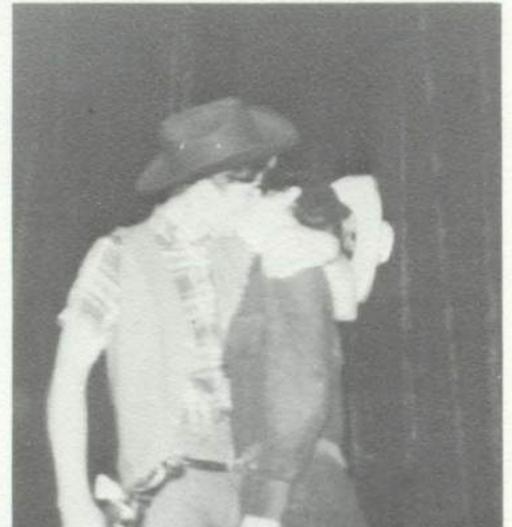
Adelaid Adams

THE CAST

Judy Andal: Calamity Jane
 Terry Mark: Wild Bill Hickock
 Gary Sanborn: Lieutenant Danny
 Gilmartin
 Becky Knudsen: Katie Brown
 Wes Sanborn: Henry Miller
 Rannie Ebbesen: Francis Fryer
 Kathy Sorensen: Adelaid Adams
 Rhea Ward: Susan
 Randy Mark: Doc Peirce



Wild Bill and Calamity



Wild Bill and Calamity

Calamity and Katie

Finale



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By
MARGUERITE GRUMME
REGISTERED PARLIAMENTARIAN



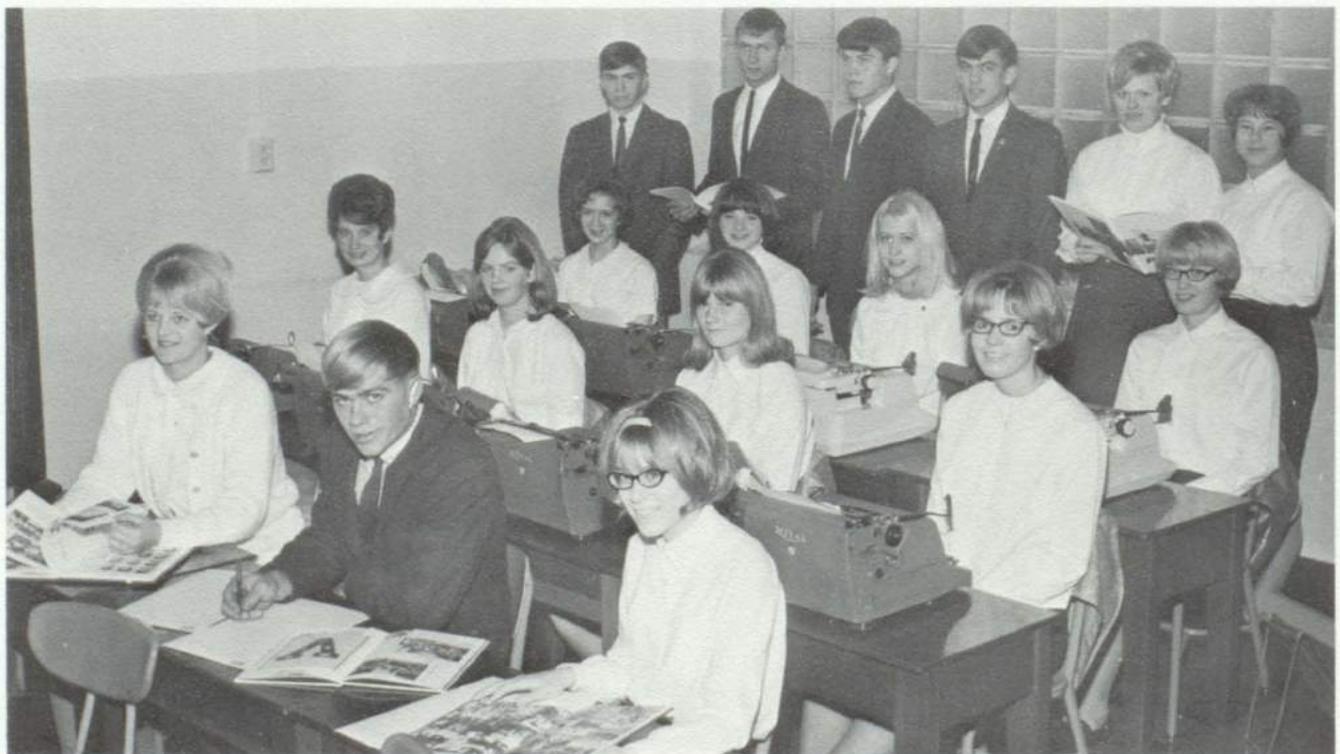
ORGANIZATIONS

THE VIKING STAFF

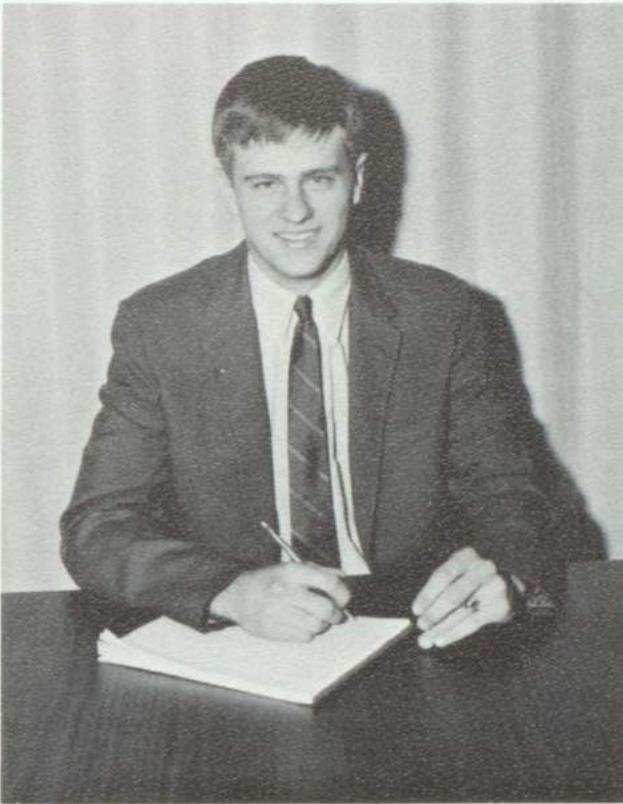


Editors: Becky Knudsen and Lee Ebbesen.
Co-Editor: Stephanie Anderson
Advisor: Mr. John Schroeder.

First Row: Editors - Becky Knudsen and Lee Ebbesen; Co-Editor - Stephanie Anderson. Second Row: Judy Andal, Anna Pederson, Arnet Johnson, Ranae Oakland. Third Row: Rhea Ward, Kathy Sorensen, Marcia Gorseth, Patsy Jensen. Fourth Row: Danny Westegaard, Lyle Jensen, Ralph Heirigs, Terry Mark, Anita Ostroot, Charlotte Pasco.



STUDENT COUNCIL



Dean Nielsen of the GDI (Get Dean In) Party and Marcia Gorseth of the YES (Young Enthusiastic Students) Party battled it out at the first of the year to determine who would be the next Student Body President for the year 1969. Both opponents enjoyed the election day the most of all. On the day the campaign speeches were delivered, the voting took place. When the final count had been taken, Dean won the election and proved to be an excellent president.

Gary Sanborn, Mark Jorgensen, Terrill Sorensen, Becky Knudsen, Mr. Heiter, President: Dean Nielsen, Charlotte Pasco, Vickie Stortvedt, Rannie Ebbesen, Annet Johnson.



CLASS OFFICERS



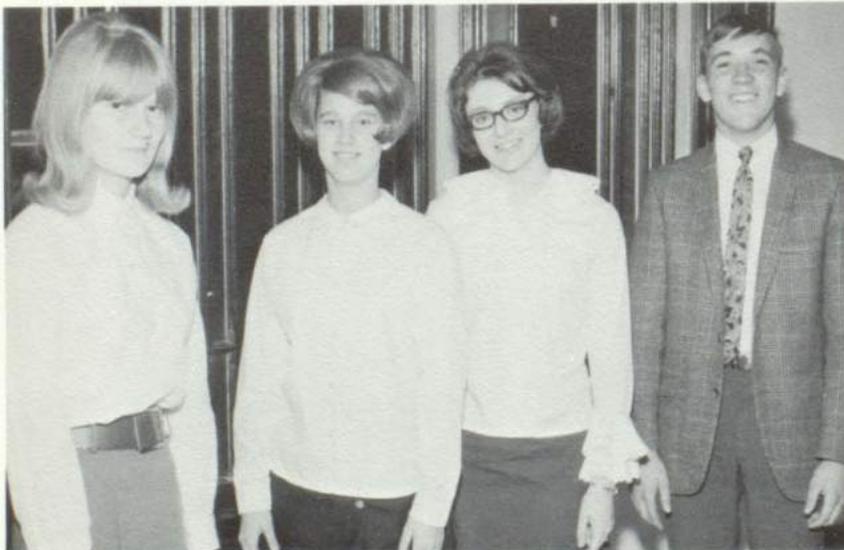
Seniors:

Mark Jorgensen: President
Terry Mark: Vice-President
Lee Ebbesen: Secretary & Treasurer
Becky Knudsen: Student Body Representative



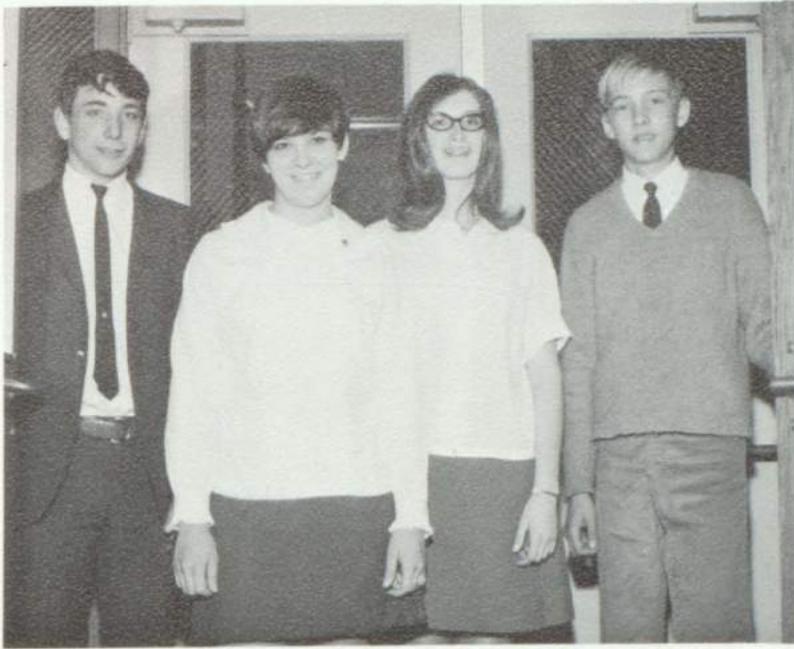
Juniors:

Rannie Ebbesen: President
Ralph Heirigs: Vice-President
Patsy Jensen: Secretary
Roxie Nielsen: Treasurer
Charlotte Pasco: Student Body Representative



Sophomore:

Annet Johnson: President
Carol Pasco: Vice-President
Dawn Fikse: Secretary & Treasurer
Terril Sorensen: Student Body Representative



Freshman Class Officers

Gary Sanborn: President
 Melanie Thorson: Vice-President
 Dennis Larsen: Secretary & Treasurer
 Vickie Stortvedt: Student Body
 Representative

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FFA Treasurer: Lyle Jensen. Vice Pres. - Burnell Olesen. Sec. - Terrill Sorensen. Reporter - Donley Frederickson. Sentinel - Lee Ebbesen. Pres. - Wes Sanborn. Second Row: Steve DeVries, Terry Edelman, Danny Westegaard, Gary Mark, Duane Spomer, Paul Jensen, Wayne Kost, Roger Schaeffer. Third Row: Darrell Frederickson, Rex Keller, Dennis Larsen, Gary Sanborn, Quentin Christensen, Jeff Searles, Leland Christensen. Fourth Row: Carl Suhr, Larry Langland, John Reed, Gordy Ludens, Danny Dangel, Mike Christopherson, Paul Dangel, Mark Jorgensen. Fifth Row: Bruce Morck, Donald Pederson, Dave Oleson, Greg VanHull, Terry Mark, Wayne Larsen, Randy Mark, Gene Ludens, Curtis Anderson. Teacher: Mr. Sherman Hannsen.

LE CLUB DE FRANÇAIS



Rhea Ward: Laure
Donna Huber: Therese
Roxie Nielsen: Julie
Kathy Sorensen: Aimee
Becky Sorensen: Jeanette
Miss Larson: Mademoiselle Andre

LIBRARY STAFF



Seated: Sandra Olson, Charlotte Pasco, Karla Pearson, Janet Larsen, Ranae Oakland, Stephanie Anderson. Standing: Mary Morck, Betty Peterson, Elaine Peterson, Patty Edelman, Marcia Boe, Vickie Stortvedt, Paula Jensen, Joyce Nygaard, Donna Huber. Teacher: Mrs. Robert Ward.

OUR COOKS



Mable Christensen, Jackie Peterson, and Daisy Helgager.

THE BUS DRIVERS



Rube Morck, Art Westergaard, Grant Peterson.

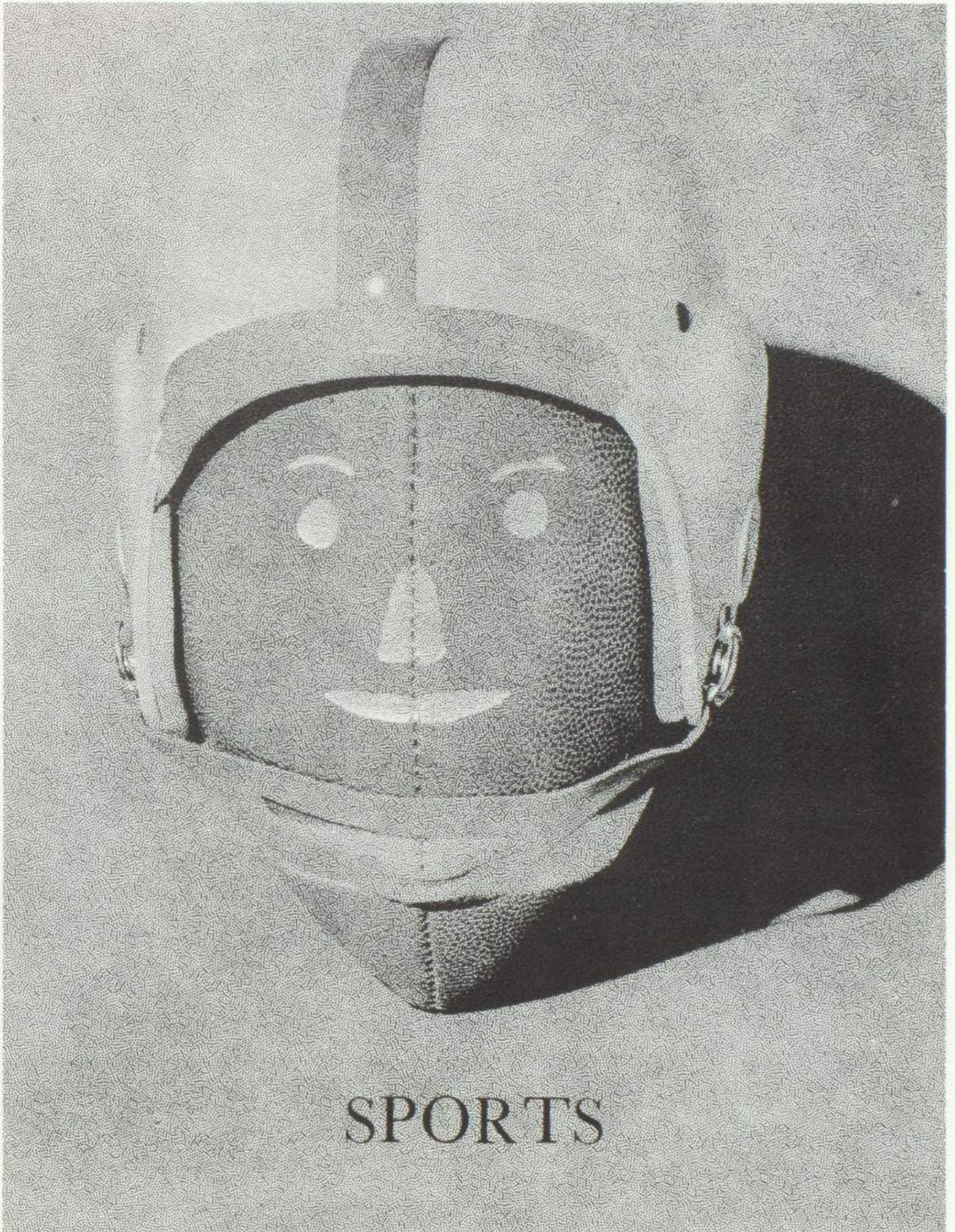
THE CUSTODIANS



Art Westergaard, Grant Peterson, and Alfred Christensen.



Here are Grant and Art fixing the floor polisher.



SPORTS

THE FOOTBALL TEAM



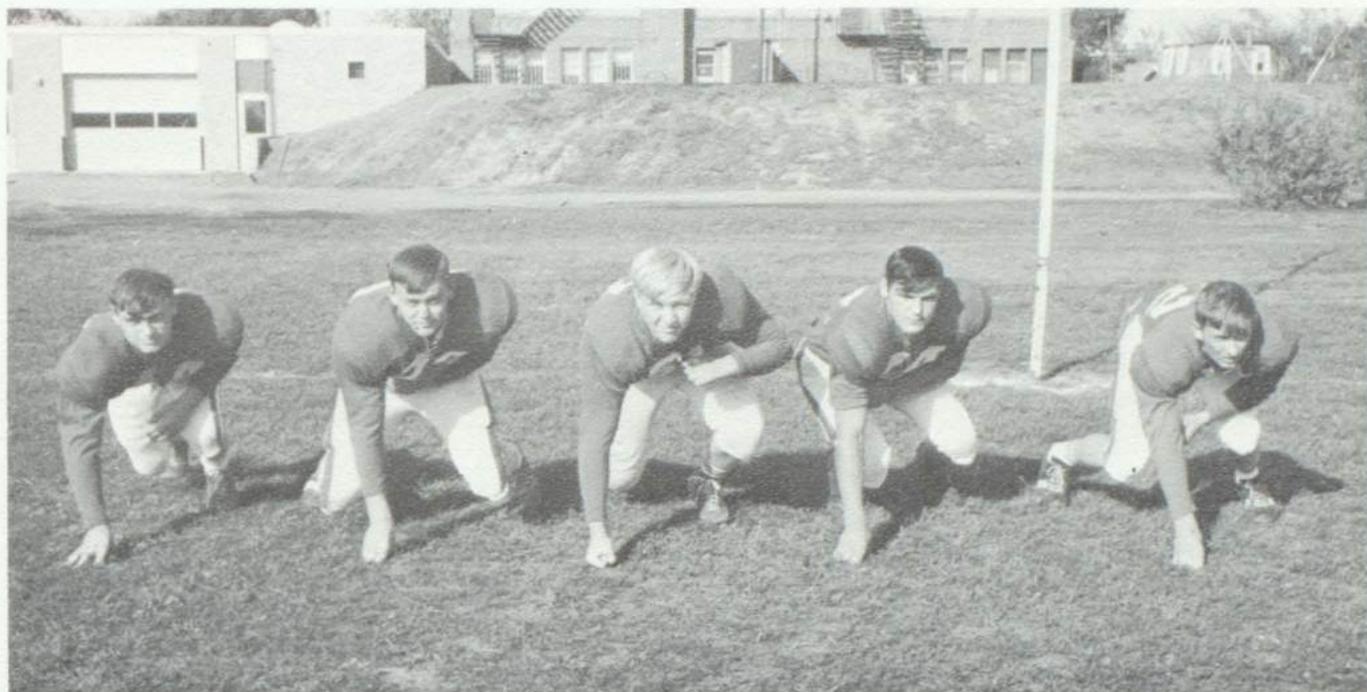
All-State Football

Paul Dangel, guard for the Viborg Vikings, was named to the All-State Football Team after a long hard season. His highest record per game was 42 tackles made against the Wakonda Warriors. Paul also served as the team's captain throughout the 68-69 football season. During his junior year he earned All-State Honorable Mention.



First Row: Wayne Larsen - Student Manager, Donnie Morck, Dennis Larsen, Roger Wenzlaff, Steve DeVries, Larry Langland - Student Manager. Second Row: Gary Sanborn, Carl Suhr, Rex Keller, Burnell Oleson, Dannie Dangel, Jeff Serales. Third Row: Gene Ludens, Danny Glood, Randy Mark, Greg VanHull, David Oleson, John Reed. Fourth Row: Algeen Westergaard, Dale Morck, Lyle Jensen, Dave VerBeek, Claire Flyger, Paul Dangel. Coaches: John Schroeder and Lee Glood.

SENIORS LOOK BACK



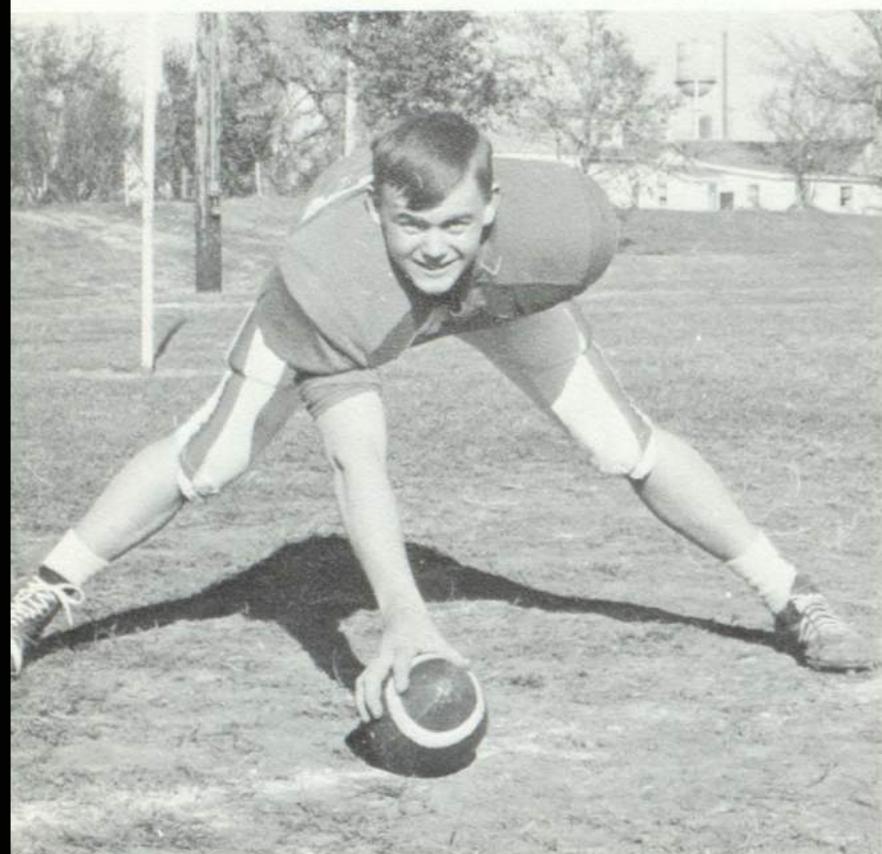
Algeen Westergaard, Claire Flyger, Dale Morck, Paul Dangel, Lyle Jensen.

JUNIORS LOOK AHEAD



Front Row: Burnell Oleson, Donald Morck, Danny Dangel. Back Row: Greg VanHull, Ralph Heirigs, Danny Glood, Gene Ludens, Randy Mark.

SENIORS IN ACTION



Claire Flyger - Center

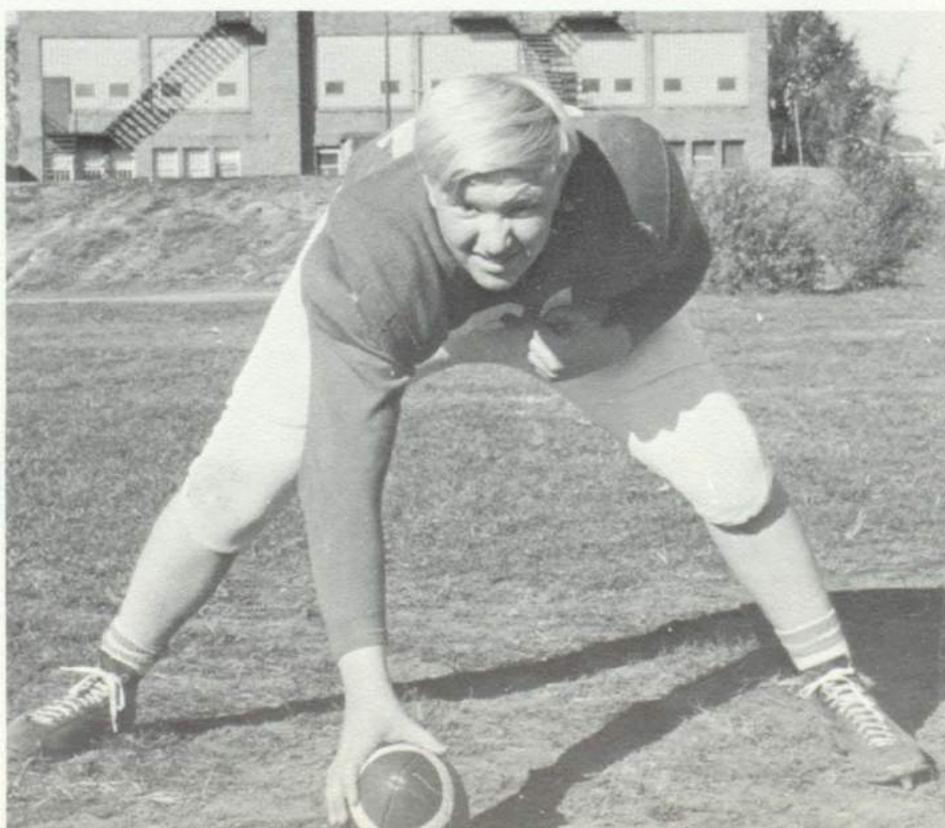


Lyle Jensen - End

Algeen Westergaard - Guard



Dale Morck - Center



ENDS



Dave VerBeek, Lyle Jensen, John Reed, Greg VanHull, Danny Dangel.

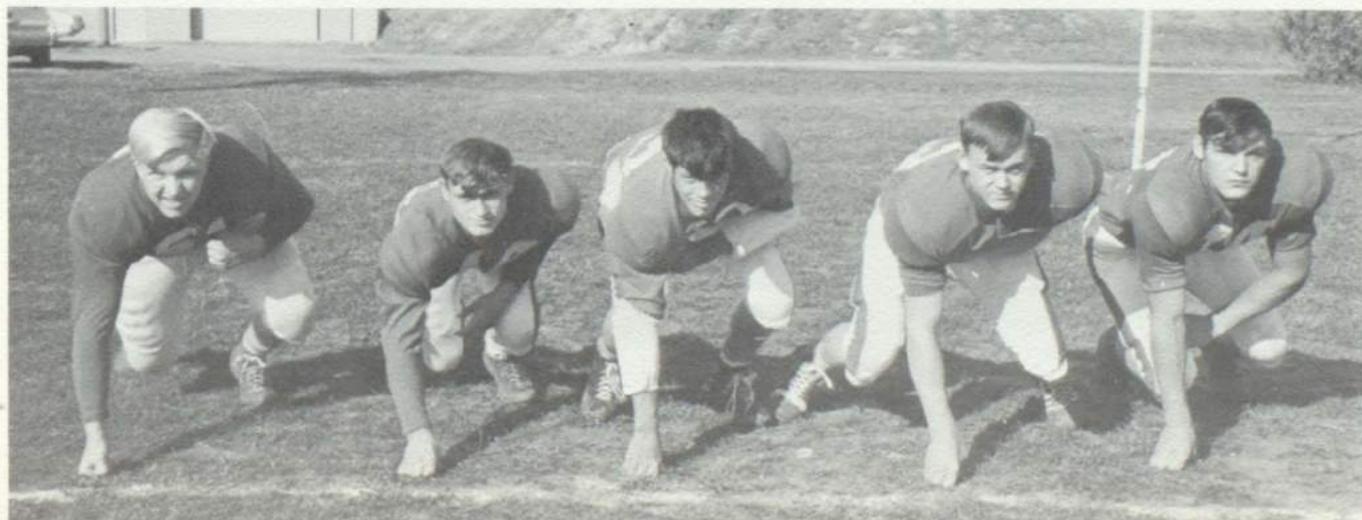


GUARDS

Dave VerBeek
Dave Oleson
Jeff Searles

LINEMEN

Dale Morck, Algeen Westergaard, Dave Oleson, Claire Flyger, Paul Dangel.



BACKFIELD



FOOTBALL RECORD 1969

Randy Mark, Gene Ludens, Ralph Heirigs, Danny Glood, Jeff Searles, Paul Dangel.

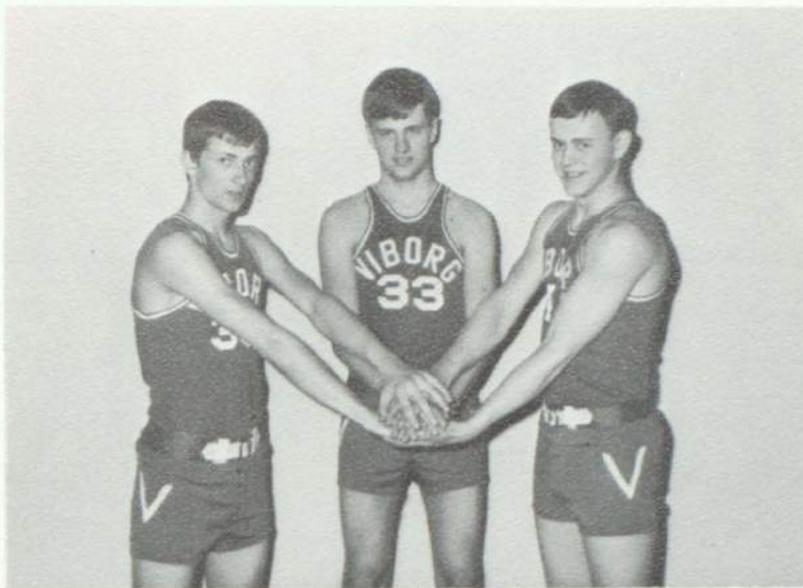
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Jefferson	2	71
Hudson	13	12
Gayville	6	19
Irene	7	46
Wakonda	7	18
Tabor	7	21
Menno	7	27

“A” and “B” Football Cheerleaders

"A" TEAM: Front Row - Janet Larsen, Roxie Nielsen, Patsy Jensen, Marcia Gorseth. "B" TEAM: Second Row - Gail Jorgensen, Colleen Sorensen, Judy Anddal, Carol Pasco.



"A" TEAM BASKETBALL



Co-Captains

Lyle Jensen, Dean Nielsen, and Claire Flyger were the captains of the 1968-69 basketball season for the Vikings. They led the Vikings to victory in 16 out of 23 games played. The team battled their way to become Conference Champions and then on to win second place in the District #22 Tournament. Everyone was proud of the Vikings this year and we congratulate them on a fine performance.

After the District Tournament

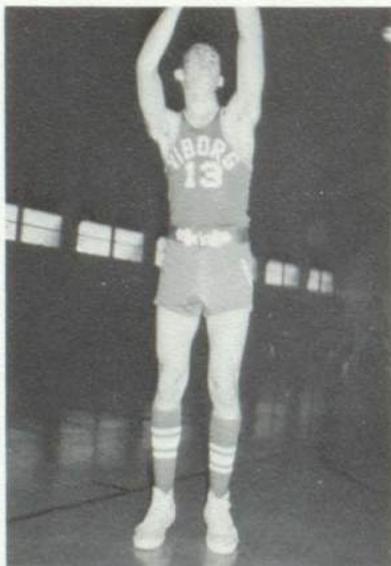
Front Row: Wayne Larsen, Donald Pedersen, Larry Langeland, Duane Spomer, Greg VanHull, Danny Westegaard.
Back Row: Lyle Jensen, Dean Nielsen, Dave VerBeek, Claire Flyger, Danny Glood, Gene Ludens. Coach - Mr. Lee Glood.



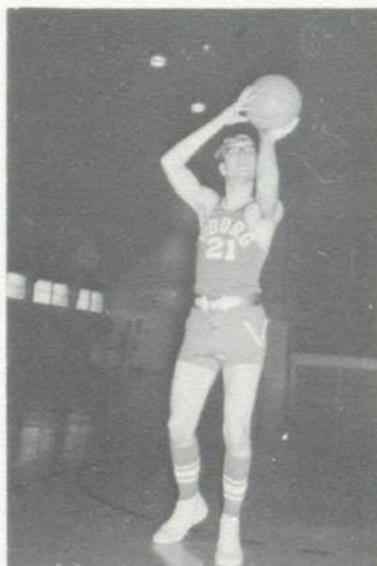
VIBORG VIKINGS



Lyle Jensen is receiving the Tri-Valley Conference Championship trophy from Coach Glood. We tied in the conference with Jefferson, losing only one conference game.



Danny Glood

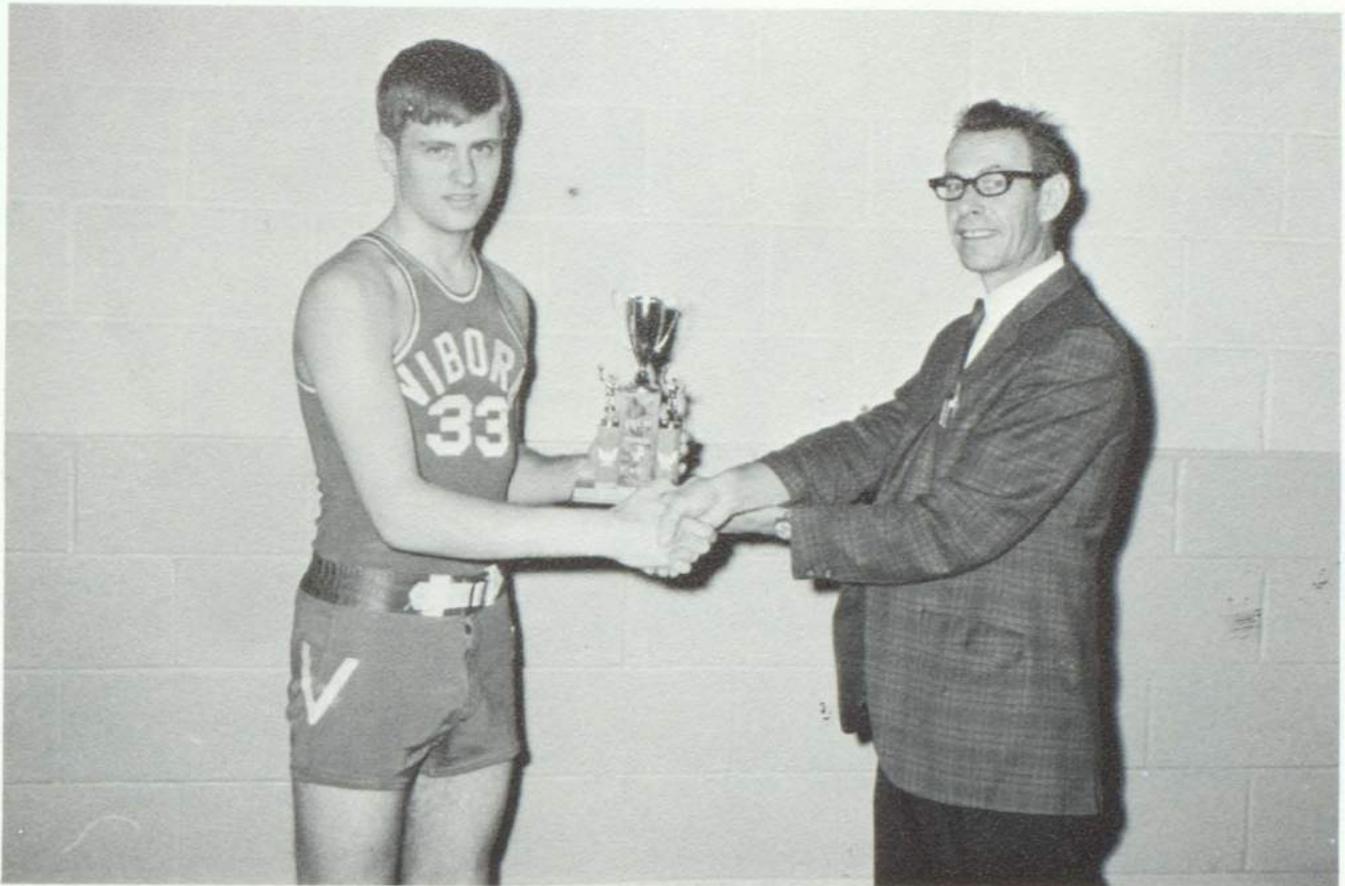


Donald Pederson



Gene Ludens

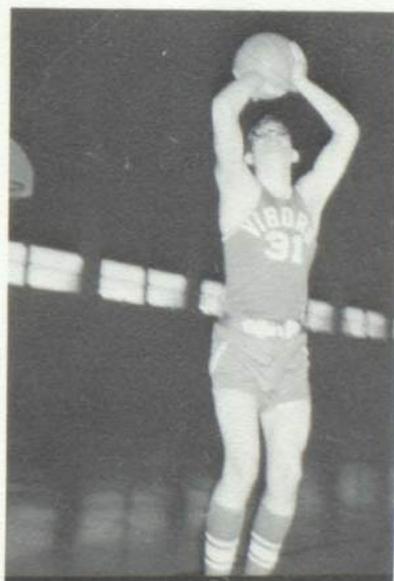
CAPTURE TROPHIES



Dean Nielson is shown receiving the Second place District trophy from Coach Glood. We won this trophy only after losing to Hurley by six points.



Dave VerBeek



Greg VanHull



Wayne Larsen

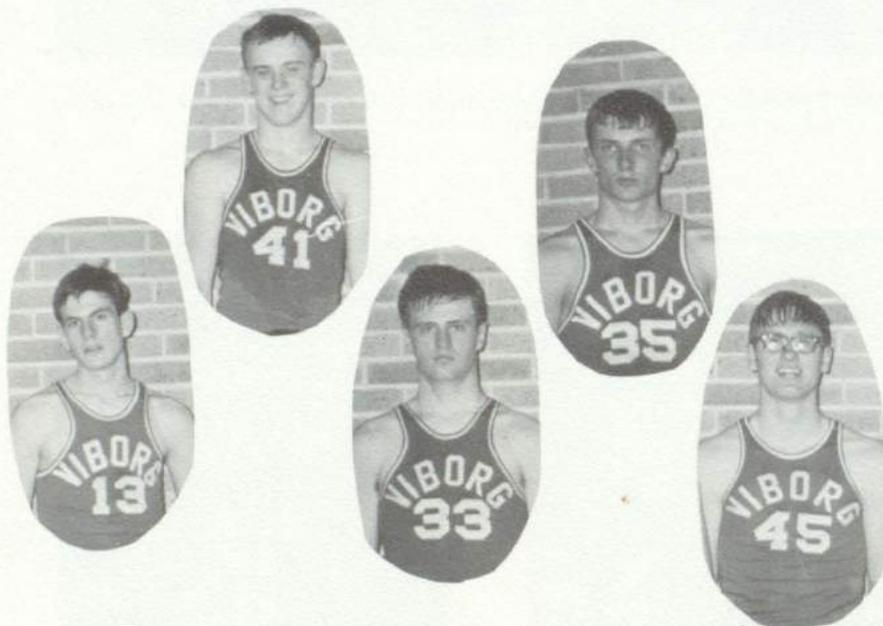
A GREAT SEASON



STUDENT MANAGERS

Ralph Heirigs, Mike Christopherson, Randy Mark.

Starting Line Up



BASKETBALL RECORD 1969

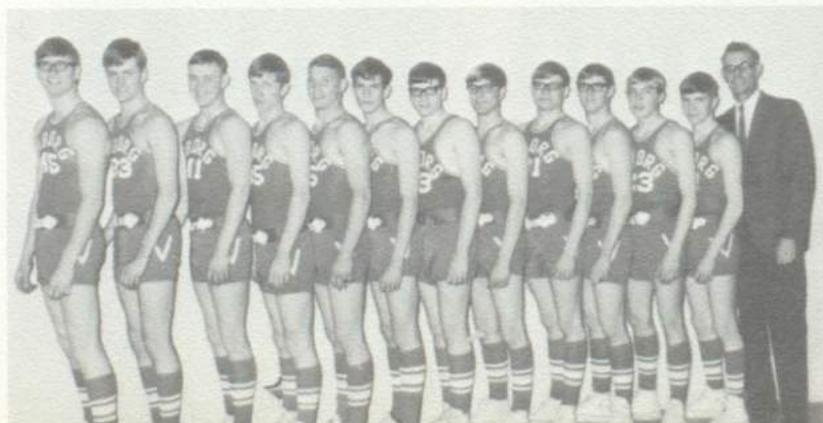
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Parker	47	83
Centerville	52	61
Jefferson	75	63
Alcester	78	46
Marion	60	44
Hudson	77	44
Irene	45	59
Hudson	92	49
Wakonda	64	44
Tabor	68	50

TRI-VALLEY TOURNAMENT

Irene	41	48
Volin	60	44
Wakonda	53	50
Volin	92	24
Menno	85	63
Gayville	73	71
Chancellor	67	58
Freeman Acd.	64	65
Wakonda	80	50
Freeman	80	85

DISTRICT #20

Hudson	82	41
Alcester	59	51
Hurley	74	80



"A" TEAM CHEERLEADERS



Patsy Jensen, Janet Larsen, Roxie Nielsen. Center Back: Marcia Gorseth.

PEP CLUB

Front Row: Paula Jensen - Fresh. Rep.; Patty Edelman - Jr. Rep.; Charlotte Pasco - Vice Pres.; Anita Ostroot - Pres.; Kathy Sorensen - Sec., & Treas.; Becky Knudsen - Sr. Rep.; Dawn Fikse - Soph. Rep. Second Row: Ranae Oakland, Karla Pearson, Anna Pederson, Rhea Ward, Ronie Nielsen, Patsy Jensen, Cindy Heiter, Vickie Stortvedt, Kathy Larsen, Becky Sorensen. Third Row: Stephanie Andersen, Debbie Larsen, Ruby Peterson, Cheryl Heiter, Marcia Gorseth, Donna Schaeffer, Janet Larsen, Joyce Nygaard, Tanya Thorson, Mary Oleson, Dorothy Heirigs. Fourth Row: Susan Jespersen, Linda Johnson, Annet Johnson, Sheri Olson, Gail Jorgensen, Arnita Sorensen, Carolyn Peterson, Janet Engen, Carol Pasco, Elaine Peterson, Paula Sorensen, Sheryl Holsether. Fifth Row: Donna Huber, Kathy Westergaard, Kathy Rouse, Colleen Sorensen, Gloris Kost, Betty Peterson, Paula Jorgensen, Cleo Engen, Judy Andal, Mary Morck, Marcia Boe.



"B" TEAM BASKETBALL



Front Row: Carl Suhr, Danny Westegaard, Larry McLoud, Larry Langeland, Rex Keller. Back Row: John Reed, Duane Spomer, Dennis Larsen, Gordy Ludens, Roger Wenzlaff. Coach: Mr. Lee Glood.

"B" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Gail Jorgensen, Colleen Sorensen, Judy Andal, Carol Pasco.



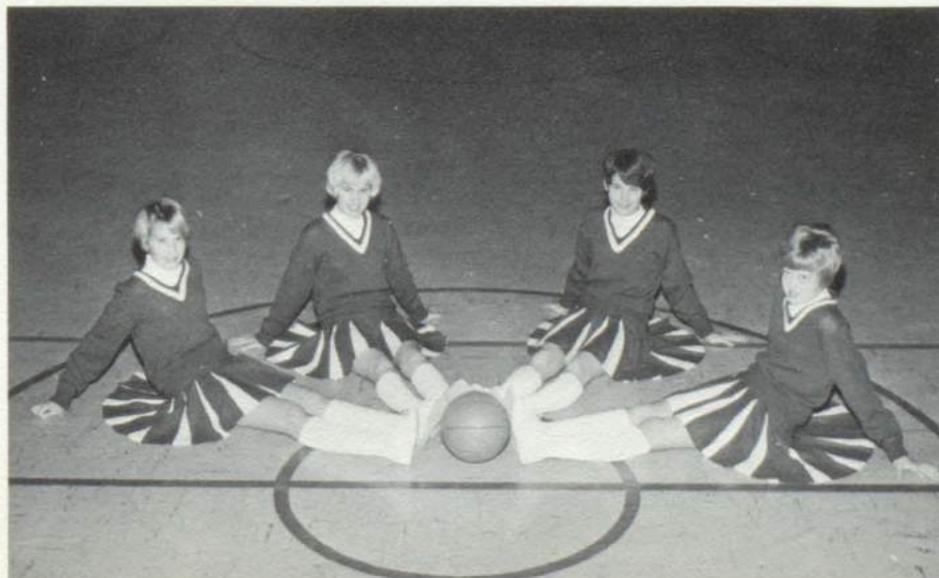
7TH & 8TH GRADE BASKETBALL



Front Row: Jerry Jonason, Doug Christensen, Allen Vannorsdel, Jim Holm, Donnie Schenkel. Back Row: Jim Nelson, Jerry Nelson, Mark Peterson, Danny Petersen, Glen Hansen, Brad Christensen, Keith Osthus, Ronald Larsen. Coach: Mr. John Schroeder.

VIKINGS GREAT!!

Roxie Larsen, Peggy Nielsen, Carol Gorseth, Pam Morrison.



5TH AND 6TH GRADE BASKETBALL



First Row: Craig Hansen, Tom Pasco, Kevin Osthus, Kevin Suhr, Robert Miller, Brian Hanson. Second Row: Randy Boe, Kent Christopherson, Glen Gaddis, Greg Petersen, Kyle Frederickson, Rodney Kolthoff, Mark Juel. Third Row: Wendall Hanson, Steve Rennich, Gregg Danielsen, Lydell Peterson, Jeff Sorensen, Jeff Skonhovd, Tim Morrison. Coach: Mr. John Schroeder.

TIP TOP TEAM!!

Kneeling: Jean Jorgensen, Diana Glood. Standing: Kelly Knudsen, Lori Hansen.



V.H.S. BOYS' TRACK



First Row: Greg VanHull, Danny Dangel, Dennis Larsen, David Olesen, Kendal Tronback, Mark Williams, Rodger Wenzlaff. Second Row: Carl Suhr, Donley Frederickson, Terry Edelman, Wayne Kost, Danny Westegaard, Burnell Olesen. Third Row: John Reed, Ralph Heirigs, Chuck Rouse, Dave VerBeek, Lyle Jensen, Gene Ludens, Gordy Ludens.

Burnell Oleson, Greg VanHull, and Dave Oleson were the three boys from Viborg to compete in Cross-Country.



State Meet Participants

Gene Ludens and Gloria Kost represented Viborg in the State Track Meets. Gene won second place in the High Jump at the Regional meet, and went to Rapid City to compete in the State Meet. Gloria won First place in the Long Jump at the regional and competed at Yankton in the first Girls' State Meet. Here she placed second with a leap of 16' 3 1/2".

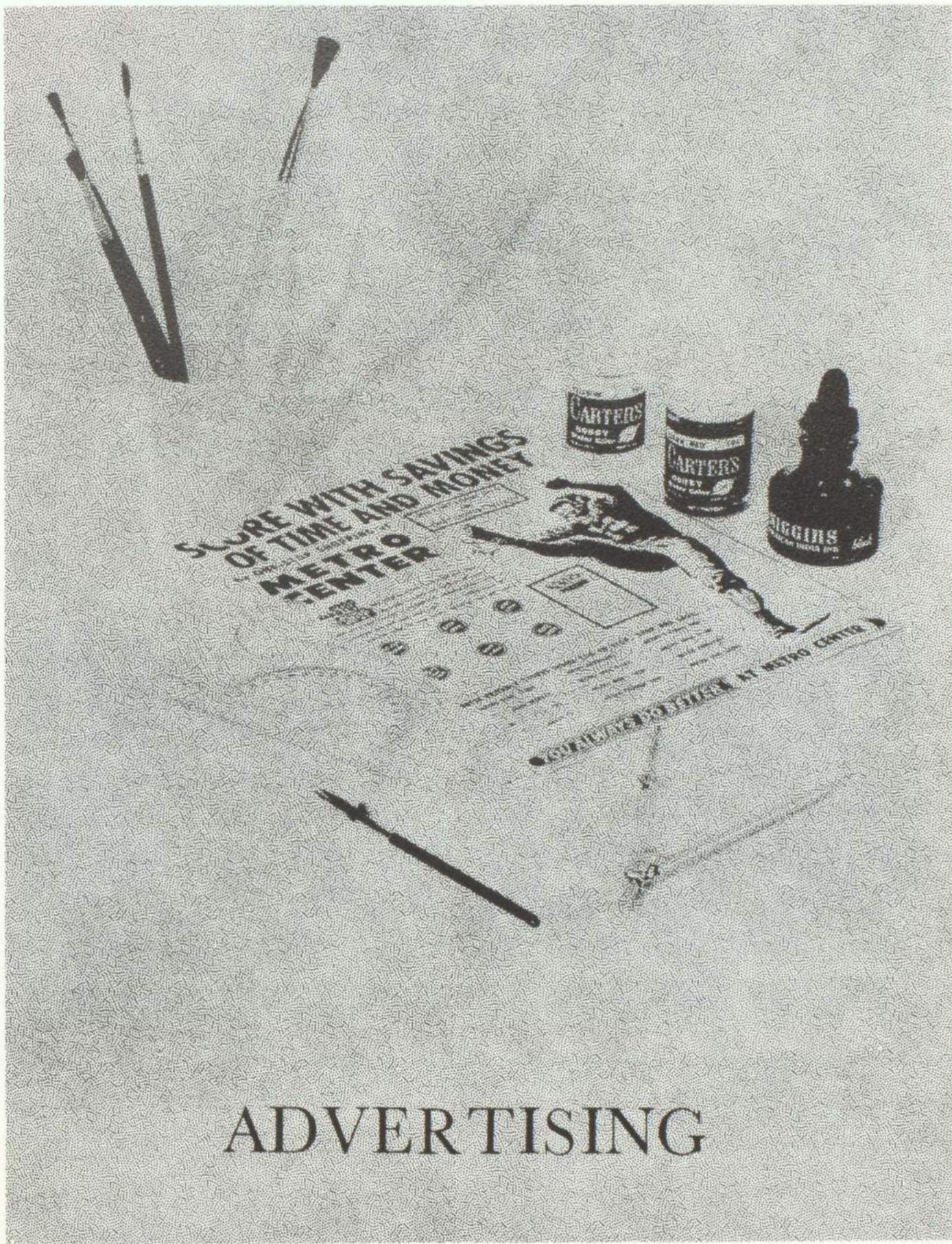
VIBORG GIRLS' TRACK TEAM



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Seniors at Pierre





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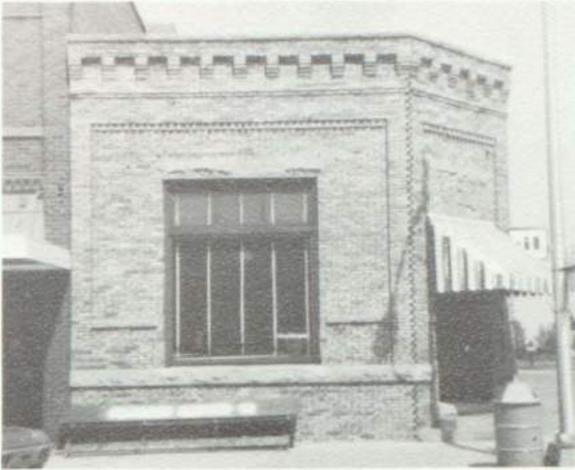
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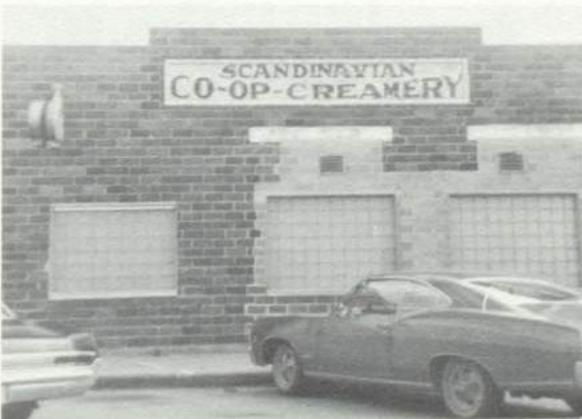
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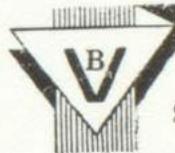
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