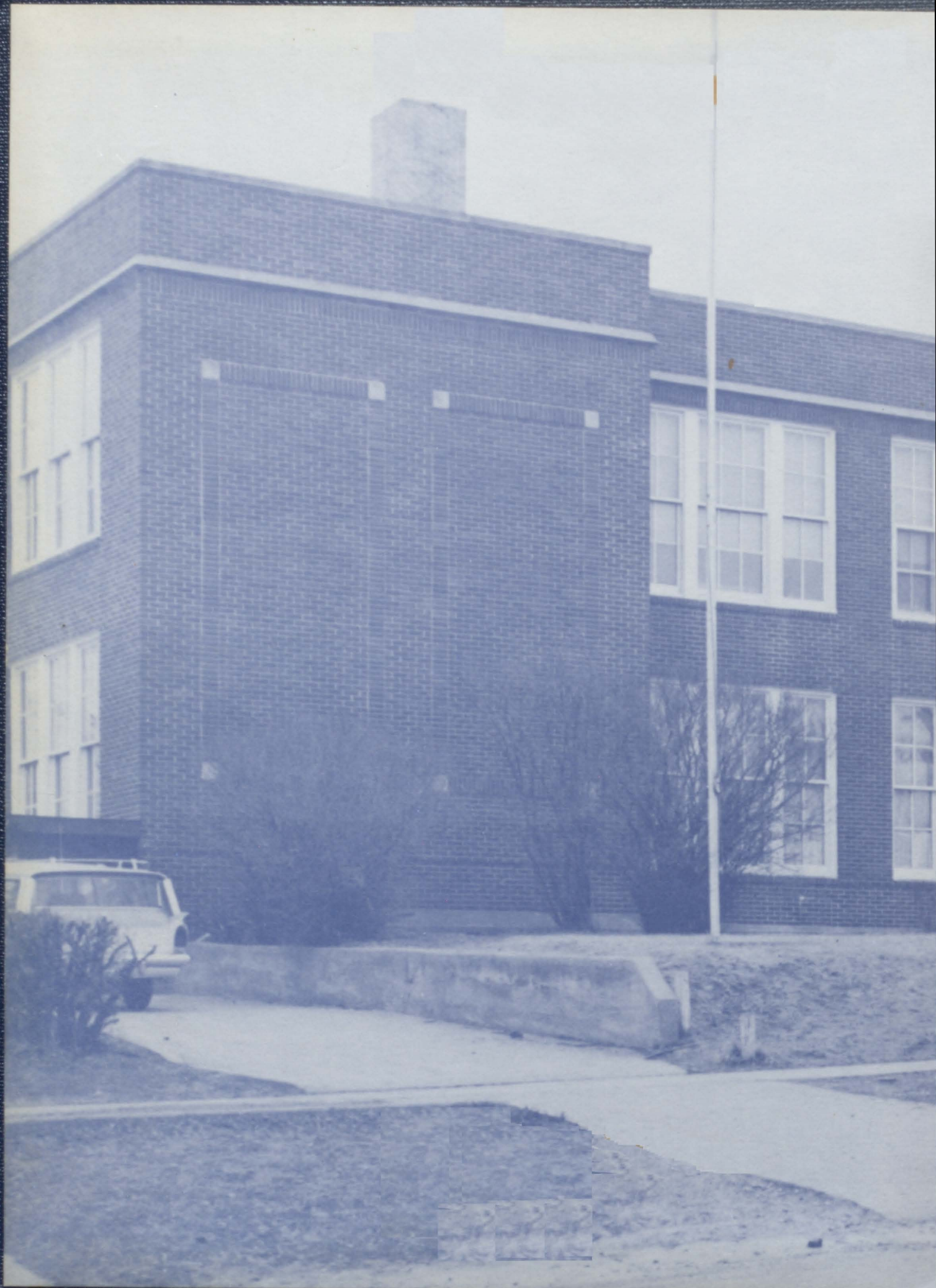




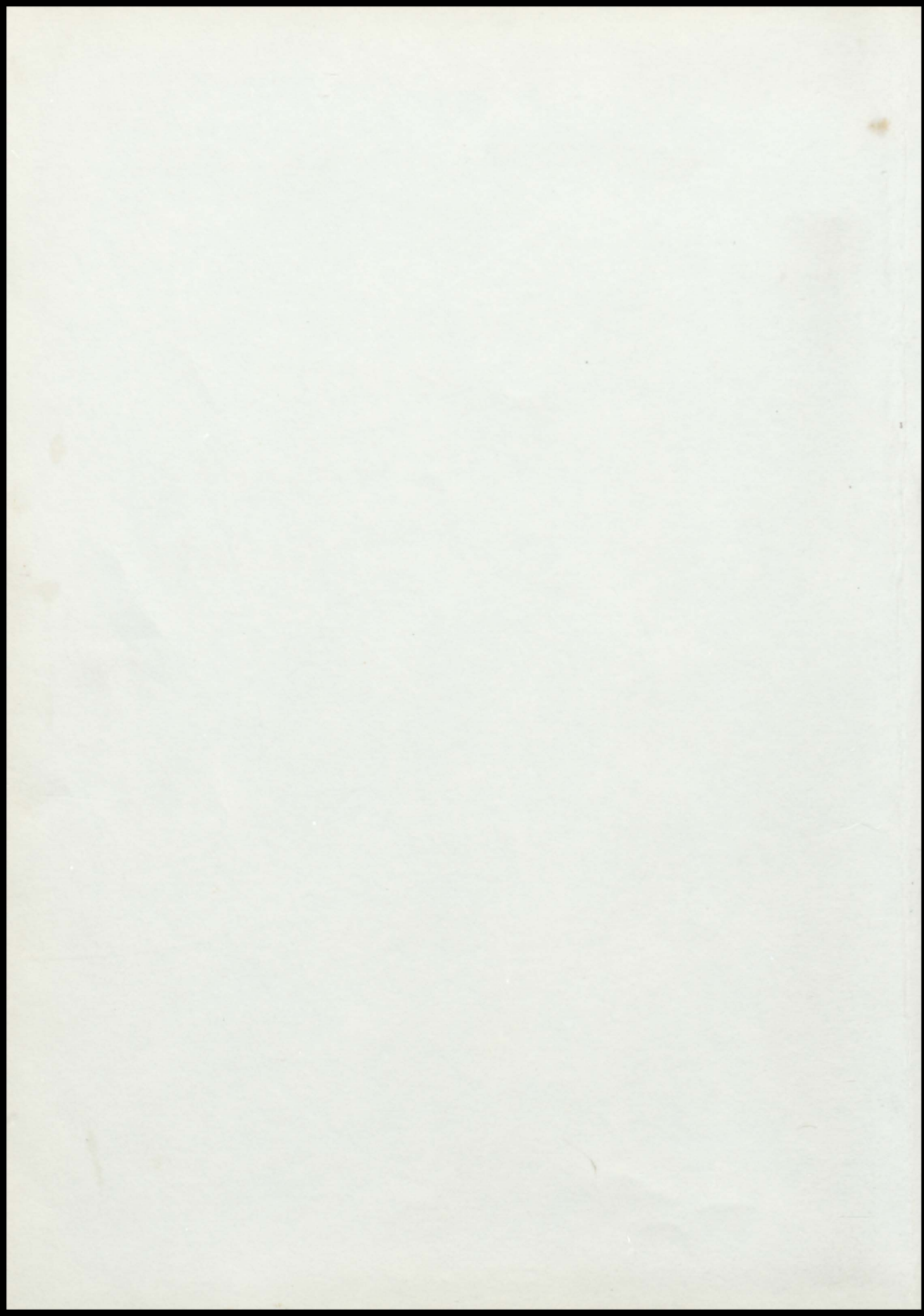
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ALCESTER HIGH SCHOOL

ALCESTER

**SOUTH
DAKOTA**

1962



Remember the first day of school last fall when we greeted old friends and were assigned to new classes? There were the football games and the half-frozen cheering section; Homecoming with the king and queen and the decorating of floats.

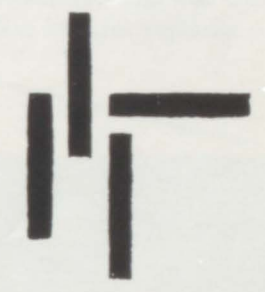
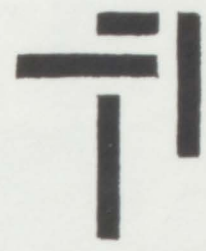
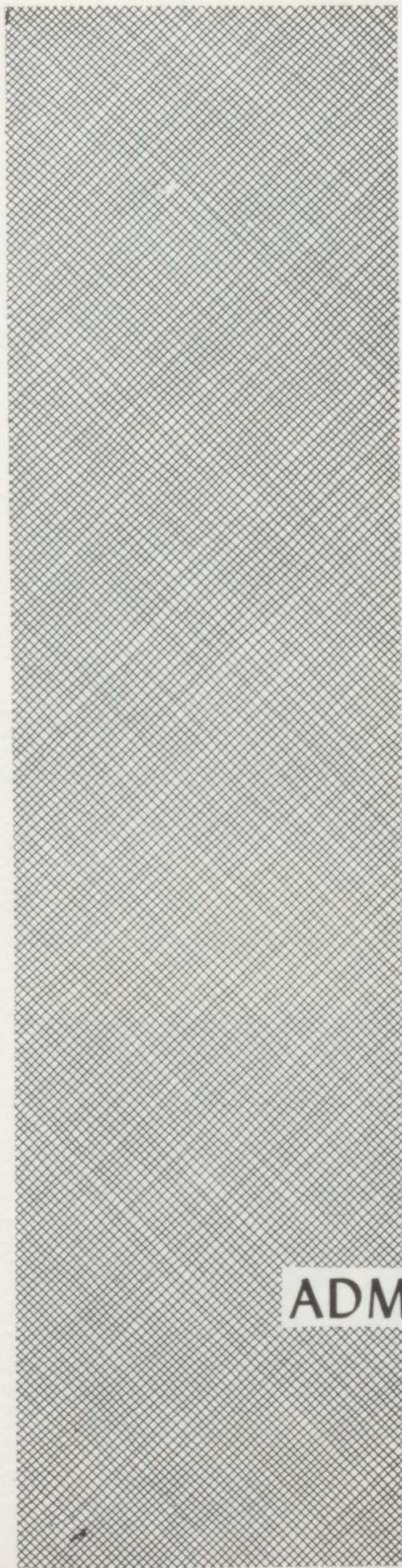
With the approach of winter came the basketball season. Tense with excitement we cheered our team on.

In the midst of all this came the much anticipated Christmas vacation. In no time at all the second semester had begun and we could say that half of our school year was behind us.

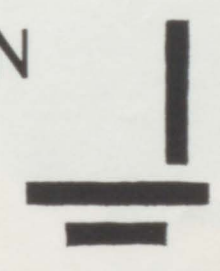
Then along came the basketball tournament, when teams played their best to win.

All of a sudden it was spring. Junior-Senior Banquet committees were appointed and a theme was chosen. Students began preparing for final exams.

At last the big day arrived. Summer vacation was finally here. With all of the confusion and excitement behind us, we look back over a year we'll always remember.



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Superintendent W. B. Herbold

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Mr. Swanson

Music
B.S. (Music Ed.) - Augustana

We wish to thank the faculty of A.H.S. for helping us fulfill our objectives throughout the school year.

Mrs. Rendahl began the school term for English I and III students followed by Mrs. Masten who was with us until mid-December when Miss Mendel replaced her.



Mrs. Aaen

Mathematics
Library
B.A. - W.S.T.C.



Miss Mendel

English
B.A. - Bethel
M.A. - U.S.D.



Mrs. Marble

English
Grade Music
B.A. - St. Olaf



BOARD OF EDUCATION AND STAFF

SEATED: R. Johnson, President V. Larsen, N. Westin. STANDING: H. Stubbs, Superintendent Herbold, L. Numsen, M. Westin NOT PICTURED: H. Trandahl

The second Monday of each month the board of education meets to discuss school policies and problems. Harold Stubbs was the new member elected this year.

Stanley Solberg is a new bus driver this year.

Oscar Newberg, our faithful janitor, has served our school for thirteen years. We are happy to have such a loyal custodian in our school.



Mrs. Anna Ofstad, Office Secretary



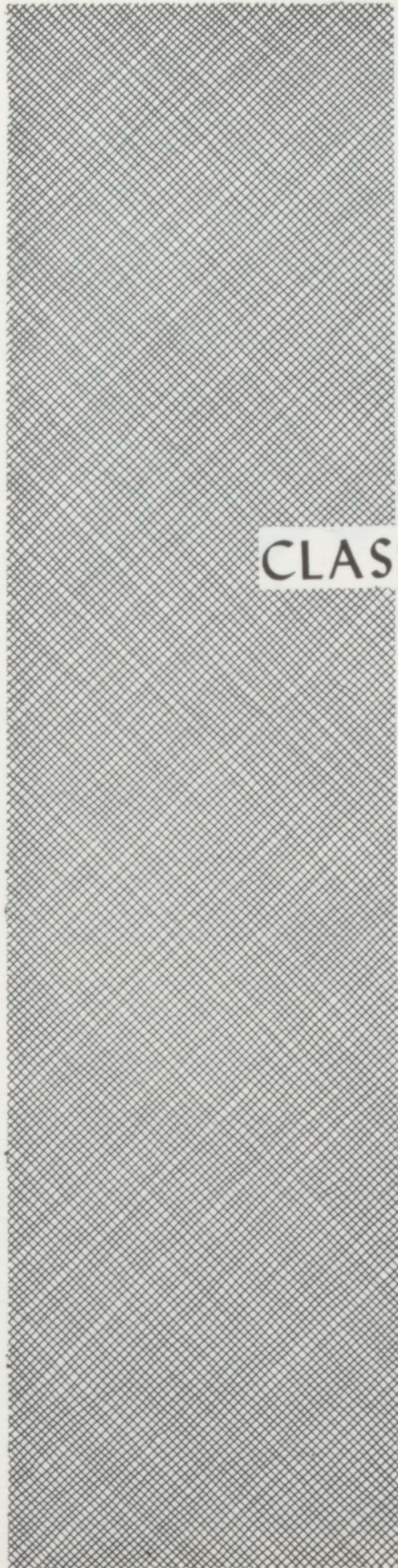
Stanley Solberg, Orrin Larson, Donowan Larson, Bus Drivers



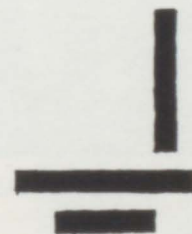
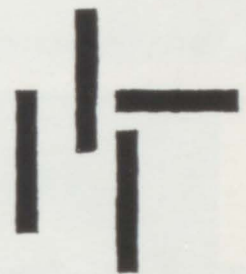
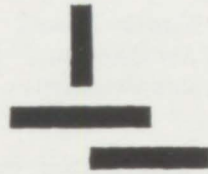
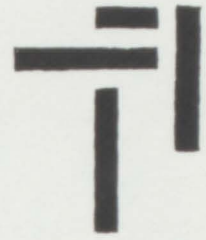
Oscar Newberg, Custodian



Mrs. Paulson and Mrs. Shuck
Cooks



CLASSES





SEATED: Advisor Mr. Herbold, Winston Edson, Lynette Edson, Claudia Hammerstrom, Doreen Ronning, President James Abrahamson. STANDING: Arvid Sommervold, John Peterson, Curtis Abrahamson, Jerome Erickson.

Student Council Helps Govern School

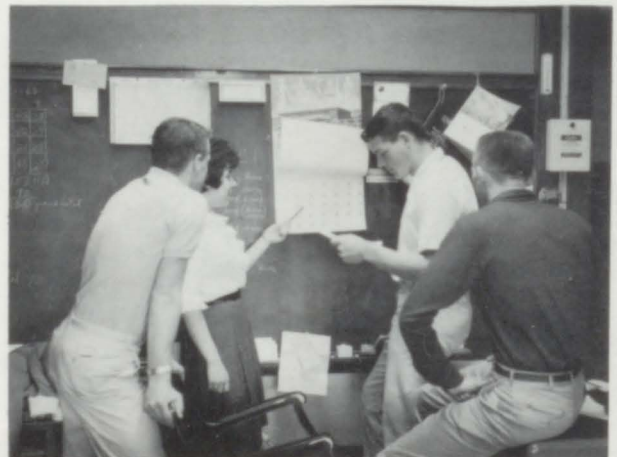
STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT



JAMES ABRAHAMSON

The student council, under the leadership of President James Abrahamson and Advisor Mr. Herbold, organized and directed some of the schools special activities.

The Homecoming festivities and the school picnic were planned by the council. The members visited the Crippled Children's Home in Sioux Falls in connection with the drive for the New March of Dimes, which was held during the month of January.





Kathy Moberg: Secretary
Geraldine Holthe: Treasurer
Dennis Stene: President
Steven Peterson: Vice President

Seniors

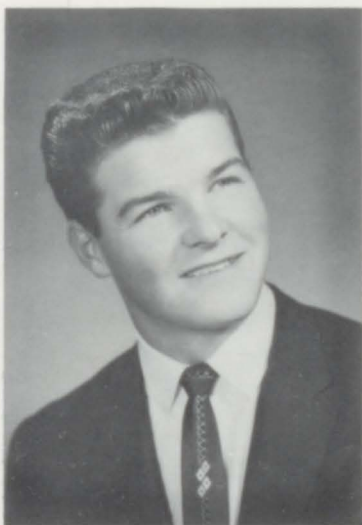
Say

Good-bye

Forty students graduated from AHS in the class of '62. They gave our school many outstanding leaders, scholars, royalty, athletes, and two spectacular class plays. They have had their successes and momentous times that they will not soon forget. The students and the school will long remember this graduating class.



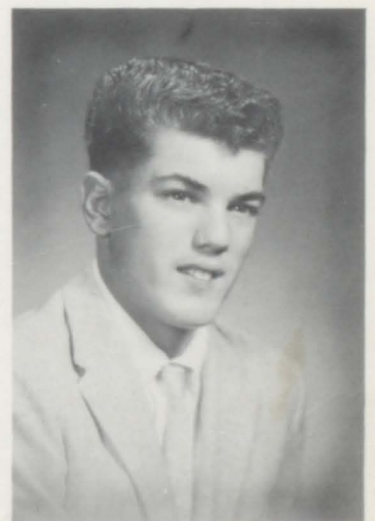
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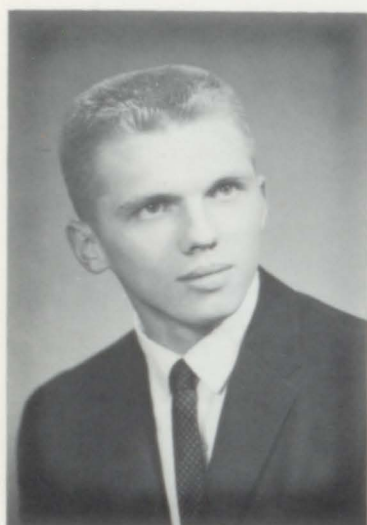
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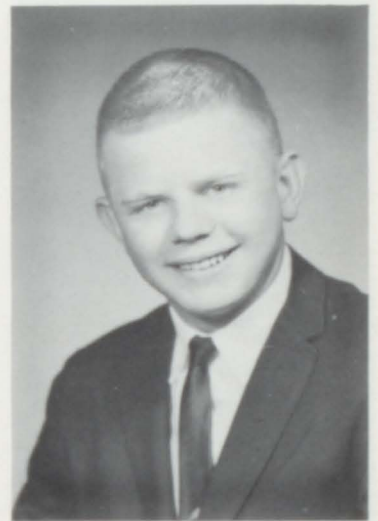
LINDEN FICKBOHM



MARLENE GROON



JAMES HONGSLO



MARK LEAFSTEDT



CLAUDIA HAMMERSTROM



DON LARSEN



GERALDINE HOLTHE

CLASS MOTTO:
Conduct and Courage Lead to Honor



KATHY MOBERG



LLOYD LUNDBERG



ELDEAN MONTGOMERY



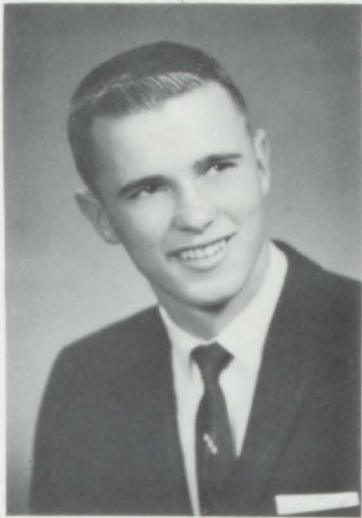
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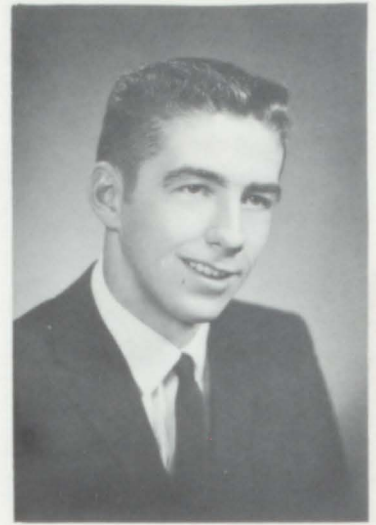
BEVERLY RUSTEN



WILLIAM RABEY

CLASS COLORS: Blue and Silver

CLASS FLOWER: Spider Mum



DARREL SOGN



RICHARD SIEMERS



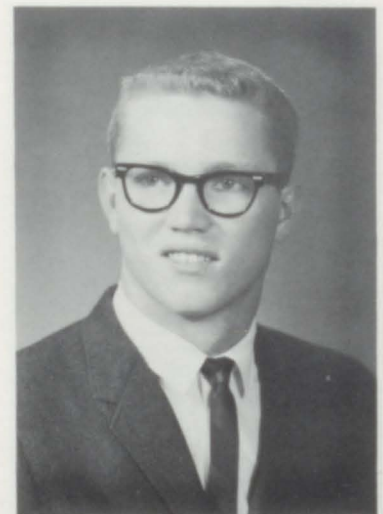
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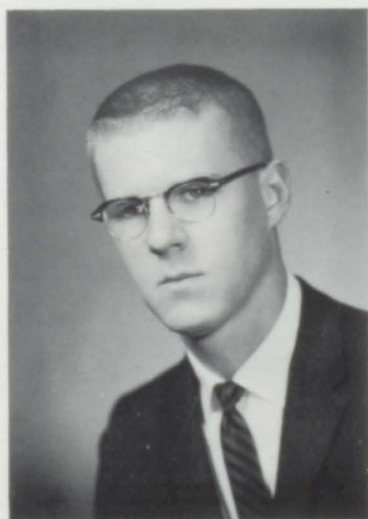
NEIL THORMODSGAARD



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CALVIN WADDELL

Juniors One Step From Top



Kathy Holthe: President
 Julie Ericson: Treasurer
 David St. Pierre: Vice President
 Charles Tiltrum: Secretary

The thirty-three juniors were well-represented in the activities at A. H. S. —music, sports, and their class play. Planning the banquet in honor of the seniors was the last of their projects for the year.



"Eyes on the copy, Rich."



Larry
 Abrahamson



Helen
 Anderson



Arlien
 Beeler



Edith
 Danielson



Betty
 Dobberstein



Elvera
 Ekle



Gail
 Lappegard



Jerome
 Erickson



Julie
 Ericson



Keith
Ericson



Barbara
Hagen



Gordon
Powell



Doreen
Ronning



Renee
Harders



Glenda
Henry



David
St. Pierre



Vernon
Sand



Kathleen
Holthe



Marvin
Holthe



Myrna
Solberg



Vivian
Swanson



Karen
Jurgenson



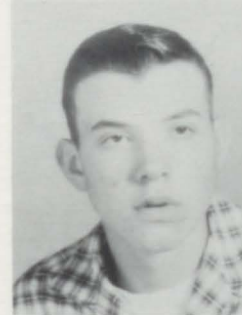
Alona
Keiser



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Richard
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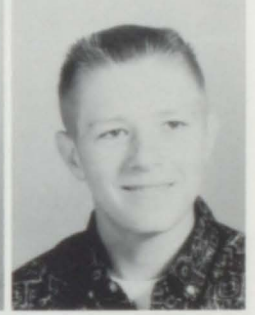
Jerome
Keiser



Barbara
Lykken



Glenda
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Tom
Tucker



Gary
Peterson



Gene
Petersen



Susan
Westin



Sharon
Westling



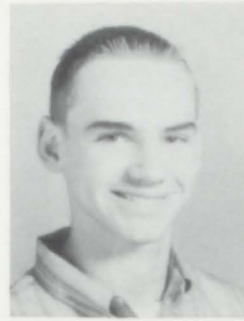
Lynn Pilla: President
 Judy Johnson: Vice President
 Paul Thormodsgard: Secretary
 Cynthia Trudeau: Treasurer

Leonard
 Elving

Clarie
 Fickbohm

David
 Groon

James
 Heiman



Sophomores

Coming Up

Loren
 Jacobson

Judy
 Johnson



Alan
 Abraham

Curtis
 Abrahamson

David
 Kiewel

JoAnne
 Kratochvil



Loren
 Anderson

Marlyn
 Dietrich

Mildred
 Lundberg

Linda
 Lykken

Pat
 Doty

Bette
 Draves

Kathy
 McKellips

Janene
 Mollet





Alberta
Nelson

Harvey
Olson

William
Siemers

Marlys
Sogn



Jerome
Ostlund

Russel
Paulson

Wendell
Solberg

Arvid
Sommervold



Kay
Peterson

Rodney
Peterson

Dallas
Stene

Vicki
Stubbs



Lynn
Pilla

Marlys
Quinn

Sandra
Swenson

Kathy
Thormodsgard



Linda
Roduner

Elaine
Rowley

Paul
Thormodsgard

Eilene
Tiltrum



Douglas
Sandvall

Ilene
Siemers

Cynthia
Trudeau

Janis
Westin





Judy Klostergaard: Vice President
 Marlene Hongslo: Treasurer
 Sharron Holthe: Secretary
 Lynda Edson: President

Dennis
 Belkey

Linda E.
 Carlson

Linda M.
 Carlson

Art
 Dobberstein

Beginning Freshmen

Lynette
 Edson

Cheryl
 Anderson

Donald
 Anderson

Bruce
 Ellingson

Linda
 Fickbohm

Joyce
 Anderson

Robert
 Anderson

Ronald
 Gunnare

Craig
 Haki

Elizabeth
 Arends

Ardis
 Beeler

Curtis
 Haki

Glen
 Heiman





Lorene
Heiman

Richard
Holthe

Thomas
McCall

Patricia
Manning



Sharon
Holthe

Gary
Hongslo

Sandra
Newberg

Danny
Parsons



Marlene
Hongslo

Marvin
Hopp

John
Peterson

Lloyd
Peterson



Douglas
Johnson

Joel
Johnson

Dale
Rendahl

Larry
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Judy
Klostergaard

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Janice
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Linda
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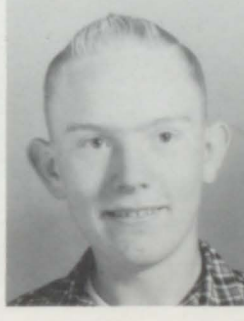


Bruce
Ludwig

Merle
Lykken

Arvid
Thormodsgard

Janet
Thormodsgard



Grades 7 and 8



ROW ONE: R. Peterson, R. Trandahl, R. Fickbohm, D. Keiser, G. Numsen, W. Peterson, S. Peterson, J. Trudeau, C. Stubbs. ROW TWO: M. Solberg, R. Hendricks, C. Broline, M. St. Pierre, J. Westin, B. McKellips, G. Hovdenes, D. Quinn, Mrs. Clodfelter. ROW THREE: B. Westling, C. Campbell, R. Boetell, K. Naeve, C. Day, M. Westin, J. Mollet, J. Arends.

Grades 5 and 6



ROW ONE: T. Stubbs, M. Trudeau, R. Anderson, D. Fickbohm, C. Westin, L. Anderson, D. Fickbohm, V. Keiser, B. Wahl. ROW TWO: R. Hovdenes, J. Larsen, J. Trudeau, B. Elving, R. Peterson, Z. Rabey, C. Stoen, M. Hendricks, J. St. Pierre, Mrs. Mc Guire. ROW THREE: D. Hovdenes, M. Boom, A. Powell, T. Nilson, C. Campbell, M. Numsen, S. Johnson, M. Pederson.

Grades 3 and 4 *too much space*



ROW ONE: M. Anderson, S. Wahl, A. Peterson, V. Becker, J. Fickbohm, G. Anderson, C. Ellingson, D. Johnson. ROW TWO: D. Peterson, J. Trudeau, J. Becker, B. Nilson, G. McKellips, L. Anderson, B. Johnson, Mrs. Earll. ROW THREE: S. Hebert, C. Sundstrom, C. Campbell, D. Hebert, M. Day, L. Hansen, K. Hovdenes. Not Pictured: C. Newberg, L. Peterson, K. Severson.

Grades 1 and 2



ROW ONE: T. Hughes, C. Buum, C. Anderson, C. Johnson, M. Keiser, C. Brenneise, W. Stubbs, ROW TWO: L. Hebert, J. Day, L. Ellingsen, P. Peterson, J. Anderson. ROW THREE: S. Solberg, E. Bradley, D. Pederson, G. Kruse, N. Hammitt, R. Jurgensen, Mrs. Anderson.

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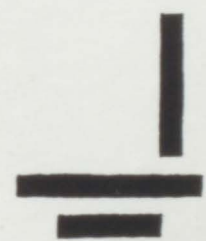
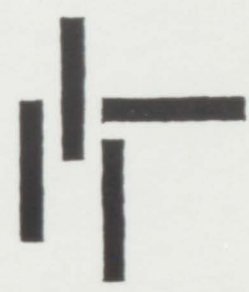
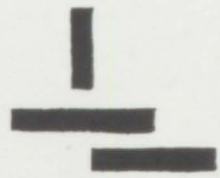
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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES





KING WINSTON

On September 21, 1961, Kathy Moberg and Winston Edson were crowned Homecoming Queen and King of Alcester High School. A large crowd was in attendance to see them march in to the tune of "Blue Moon," theme of the occasion. Senior class president Dennis Stene and student body representative Claudia



QUEEN KATHY

Hammerstrom crowned the queen and king. The four high school classes then presented selections to entertain the royalty.

Following the coronation a pep fest was held around a bonfire northeast of the school. The following night, Friday, the Cubs defeated the Hurley Bulldogs in the Homecoming game.

HOMECOMING 1961

ROW ONE: C. Buum, P. Peterson, T. Hughs, J. Anderson. ROW TWO: L. Edson, C. Trudeau, H. Anderson, S. St. Pierre, K. Moberg, G. Holthe. ROW THREE: L. Abrahamson, J. Hongslo, W. Edson, J. Abrahamson, P. Thormodsgard, R. Anderson.







C. Hammerstrom, Mrs. Skinner; K. Moberg, Madame Elise; S. St. Pierre, Cornelia Otis Skinner; D. Fickbohm, Stewardess; G. Bergstrom, Harriet St. John; D. Larsen, Dick Winters; D. Siemers, Window Cleaner; D. Stene, Admiral; C. Solbue, Winifred Blaug; J. Abrahamson, Purser; M. Leafstedt, Leo McEvoy; B. Naeve, Steward; B. Rusten, Therese; D. Stephens, Monsieur De La Croix; G. Holthe, Emily Kimbrough; J. Hongslo, Otis Skinner; L. Winqvist, Inspector; Mrs. Marble, Director,

Seniors Star in Our Hearts Were Young And Gay



"Cornelia, you can't get sick now!"



"Monsieur De La Croix, I can dance!"



A. Keiser, Zita; A. Beeler, Bertha; K. Holthe, Bessie Leaven; R. Harders, Nora; J. Ericson, Adelle Varens; G. Henry, Grace Poole; B. Dobberstein, Jane Eyre; G. Treiber, Lady Mary; L. Abrahamson, Edward Rochester; G. Petersen, Rev. John Rivers; G. Lappegard, Mrs. Fairfax; R. Trandahl, Dr. Carter; S. Westling, Lady Blanche; M. Holthe, Richard Mason; S. Westin, Dowager Lady Ingram; C. Tiltrum, Sir Wilfred Lynn; Miss Mendel, Director.

Juniors Perform in Jane Eyre'



"You'll never marry him!
Never!"



"Don't just stand there gaping at me!"



"Here is my hand, sir,
can't you tell now who I
am?"



SEATED: Mr. Herbold, Advisor; S. St. Pierre, Business Manager; J. Abrahamson, Art Editor; D. Siemers, Editor; B. Dobberstein, Jr. Editor; G. Treiber, Jr. Art Editor; L. Abrahamson, Jr. Business Manager. FIRST ROW: C. Tiltrum, S. McKellips, K. McKellips, D. Ronning, L. Carlson, L. Edson, J. Johnson. SECOND ROW: T. Engebretson, P. Schumacher, M. Ludwig, C. Hammerstrom, C. Trudeau, J. Kratchovil, P. Doty. THIRD ROW: W. Siemers, E. Tiltrum, L. Heiman, D. Sandvall, C. Abrahamson.

Cubette Producers

The Cubette Staff was hard at work this year, cutting pictures, pasting pictures, writing captions, and soliciting ads. Our work started in November and didn't end until the close of the school year. The job of recording the drama of A.H.S. in pictures and word form required the cooperation of all the members of the staff. Staff members were under the supervision of Mr. Herbold.





Claudia Hammerstrom, humorous



Gracia Bergstrom, poetry

Two Speakers Represent Alcester at State Contest



Mildred Lundberg, dramatic



Danny Parsons, oratory

Alcester was proud to have two of its students take part in the state declam contest. After winning the local, district, and regional contests, Claudia Hammerstrom and Gracia Bergstrom went to the state meet where Claudia received an excellent rating on her humorous selection and Gracia a superior on her poetry. Danny Parsons and Mildred Lundberg were the local winners of oratory and dramatic, respectively.



FIRST ROW: C. Fickbohm, C. Hammerstrom, G. Bergstrom, S. Westin, G. Henry, M. Lundberg, V. Stubbs. SECOND ROW: L. Pilla, D. Parsons, A. Nelson, M. Solberg, L. Roduner, Director Mrs. Marble

THE DAKOTA

Friday, April 6, 1962 No. 5

Alcester, South Dakota

GIRLS AND BOYS STATE REPRESENTATIVES CHOSEN

Betty Dobberstein has been chosen Girls Representative by the American Legion Kathleen Holthe was selected as high school example, she will spend four hours in this ma

As teenagers to have plenty to do what we But how many c figured how spend that ti example, t high scho will spend four hours in this ma

8 hours
6 hours
3 hours



SEATED: Mr. Crawford, D. Larsen, M. Ronning, B. Rusten, K. Moberg, L. Winquist, G. Bergstrom, G. Ekren. FIRST ROW: M. Quinn, E. Tiltrum, J. Heiman, G. Petersen, S. Westling, B. Hagen, H. Anderson, J. Ericson, S. Westin, M. Solberg. SECOND ROW: L. Pilla, G. Treiber, K. Holthe, L. Lykken, M. Groom, E. Danielson. THIRD ROW: D. Fickbohm, J. Kratchovil, C. Trudeau, E. Rowley, M. Leafstedt, J. Mollet.

HELD
 evening, the annual Banquet was the school gym
 as minor pa credit shoul to the members of class who were working "behind the scenes" and thus aided in the smooth performance of the play.
 Happy Herbold.
 Editor.....Kathy Moberg
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 Assistant Editor.....Glenice Ekren
 Junior Assistant Editor.....Myrna Solberg
 Feature Editor.....Gracia Bergstrom
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 Reporter.....Beverly Rusten
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 ..Melvin Ronning
 ..Sharon Westling
 ..Mr. Crawford
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SEATED: Barbara Hagen, Janene Mollet, Edith Danielson, Eilene Tiltrum, Mrs. Aaen, Advisor.
 STANDING: Head Librarian, Betty Dobberstein, Elaine Rowley, Helen Anderson, Myrna Solberg,
 Linda Roduner, Glenda Trieber.

Library Adds

Many Books

This year the high school added ninety-four books to its library. The books included novels, biographies, autobiographies, books on poetry and careers, sports stories, and reference books.

Ten librarians check out, repair, and catalogue the many books and magazines in our library. Under the supervision of Mrs. Aaen, their advisor, they keep the library in good order and running smoothly. Their time spent is educational as well as beneficial.



Students and teachers make good use of the library.



Work hard boys, time's a wasting!



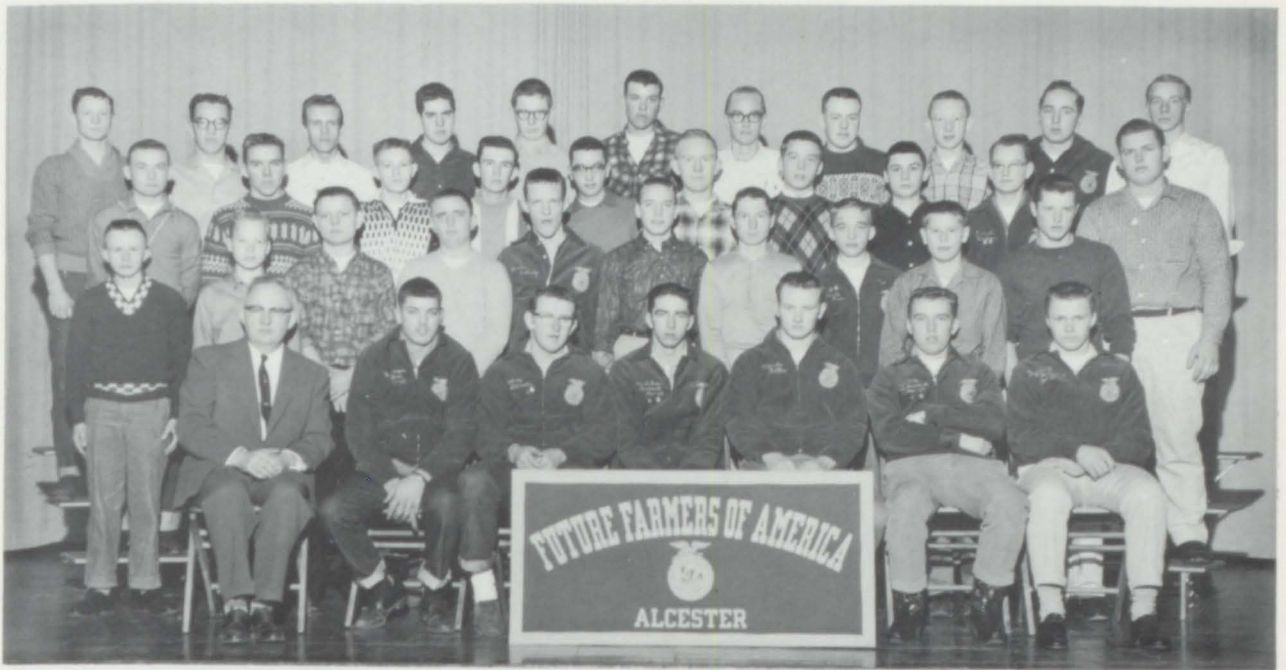
SEATED: J. Ericson, Treasurer; K. Moberg, Reporter; G. Ekren, Vice President; C. Hammerstrom, Secretary; K. Holthe, President; S. McKellips, Music Leader; G. Henry, Historian; D. Ronning, Parliamentarian; Mrs. Ericson, Advisor. FIRST ROW: C. Anderson, J. Klostergaard, J. Johnson, M. Groom, L. Roduner, C. Fickbohm, K. McKellips, L. Lykken, B. Rusten, M. Hongslo, S. Holthe, L. Winquist, L. Edson, V. Swanson. SECOND ROW: S. Newberg, J. Kratochvil, M. Lundberg, A. Keiser, K. Jurgenson, L. Sundval, E. Lapour, M. Solberg, J. Mollet, S. Westin, S. Westling, C. Solbue, G. Holthe, V. Stubbs, J. Thormodsgard. THIRD ROW: E. Ekle, R. Harders, P. Doty, G. Treiber, C. Trudeau, J. Anderson, L. Edson, P. Schumacher, M. Ludwig, G. Bergstrom, M. Sogn, A. Nelson, P. Manning, J. Siemers, B. Dobberstein, S. St. Pierre. FOURTH ROW: S. Swenson, K. Peterson, E. Danielson, B. Draves, E. Arends, L. Carlson, L. M. Carlson, M. Quinn, L. Heiman, E. Tiltrum, H. Anderson, B. Lykken, L. Fickbohm, A. Beeier, A. Beeler, J. Westin, E. Rowley, K. Thormodsgard.



Weighing purses for the Scholarship Fund

There were seventy-nine members in the local F.H.A. chapter.

The year's activities are planned around the national and state F.H.A. goals and projects. The main highlights of the season were the Mother-Daughter Banquet, the Eighth Grade Tea, the candlelighting initiation, activities for F.H.A. week and winning first prize on their float for Homecoming.



SEATED: Advisor Mr. Dobberstein, Sentinel F. Cooper, Reporter L. Pilla, President D. Sogn, Treasurer E. Montgomery, Vice President C. Wells, Secretary L. Lundberg. FIRST ROW: L. Anderson, B. Ellingson, C. Hakl, D. Belkey, B. Ludwig, M. Lykken, L. Peterson, D. Groon, J. Johnson, K. Ericson, SECOND ROW: A. Sommervold, W. Solberg, T. Tucker, J. Erickson, D. Johnson, A. Thormodsgard, R. Anderson, L. Roduner, R. Paulson, V. Sand. THIRD ROW: W. Siemers, G. Powell, H. Olson, R. Peterson, N. Thormodsgard, J. Keiser, R. Holthe, A. Abraham, P. Thormodsgard, G. Peterson, M. Holthe.



The local F.F.A. chapter had an enrollment of thirty-eight members. At the beginning of each school year a Program of Work is drawn up outlining the activities for the year. Some of the highlights of the year are: the Father and Son Banquet and activities for F.F.A. week in February. Darrel Sogn, Clark Wells, and Lloyd Lundberg attended the National F.F.A. Convention in Kansas City. The sophomore agriculture class accompanied by Mr. Dobberstein attended the State F.F.A. Judging Contest and Convention at Brookings.



F.F.A. members, their fathers, and special guests enjoy their banquet.



ROW ONE: S. McKellips, G. Holthe, S. Johnson, T. McCall, B. Lykken. ROW TWO: M. St. Pierre, J. Westin, J. Mollet, D. Parsons, B. Hagen, R. Hendricks, ROW THREE: V. Stubbs, P. Doty, B. Wahl, C. Day, L. Roduner, L. Heiman, G. Bergstrom, J. Ericson, D. Siemers, ROW FOUR: M. Dietrich, B. Rusten, J. Kratochvil, J. Johnson.

There's Music in the Air



The Alcester Marching Band participated in many events in the surrounding area. During the centennial celebration they marched in Alcester, Hudson, and Ireton. They also marched in the Vikings Day Parade.

MAJORETTE



SUSAN ST. PIERRE



ROW ONE: S. Swenson, B. McKellips, H. Anderson, B. Dobberstein, ROW TWO: K. McKellips, M. Westin, K. Holthe, G. Treiber, D. Ronning, V. Swanson, S. St. Pierre, ROW THREE: K. Jurgenson, E. Tiltrum, C. Fickbohm, L. Edson, M. Groon, G. Ekren, A. Dobberstein, L. Edson, D. Groon, D. Sandvall, L. Winquist, ROW FOUR: M. Lykken, Mr. Swanson. NOT PICTURED: D. Kiewel.

The Alcester High School Concert Band has been active in many community affairs. It played at the regional R. E. A. meeting and at the annual Spring concert. The band placed second at the music contest in Vermillion. The Pep Band played at all of the home games.



BRASS QUARTET: G. Bergstrom, J. Ericson, K. Holthe, D. Sandvall.

MUSICAL DIRECTOR



MR. HALE SWANSON



FIRST ROW: C. Anderson, J. Johnson, M. Lundberg, A. Keiser, M. Groon, K. Jurgenson, C. Fickhohm, K. McKellips, E. Rowley, S. Westin, K. Holthe, D. Ronning, S. Holthe, B. Rusten, L. Winqvist, G. Holthe, L. Edson, B. Hagen. SECOND ROW: L. Roduner, K. Peterson, J. Klostergaard, S. Newberg, L. Sundvall, M. Solberg, C. Solbue, S. McKellips, L. Lykken, V. Swanson, G. Bergstrom, J. Mollet, S. Westling, M. Hongslo, P. Manning, K. Moberg, J. Ericson, V. Stubbs, Director Mr. Swanson. THIRD ROW: P. Doty, J. Kratochvil, E. Ekle, R. Harders, E. Lapour, L. Edson, J. Anderson, S. St. Pierre, M. Ludwig, P. Schumacher, C. Hammerstrom, G. Henry, M. Sogn, G. Treiber, A. Nelson, J. Siemers, J. Thormodsgard. FOURTH ROW: C. Trudeau, S. Swenson, E. Danielson, B. Draves, E. Arends, L.E. Carlson, L. Carlson, G. Lappegaard, D. Fickbohm, H. Anderson, E. Tiltrum, L. Heiman, M. Quinn, J. Westin, A. Beeler, B. Lykken, L. Fickbohm, A. Beeler, K. Thormodsgard, I. Siemers, B. Dobberstein.

The girls' glee club, under the direction of Mr. Swanson, presented music for the Christmas and spring concerts. The group rated a very high 11 at the regional contest held at Vermillion.

Musical Groups



BOTTOM ROW: Barbara Hagen, Julie Ericson, Gracia Bergstrom, Marlene Groon, TOP ROW: Susan St. Pierre, Janene Mollet, Marlys Quinn, Betty Dobberstein, Doreen Ronning.



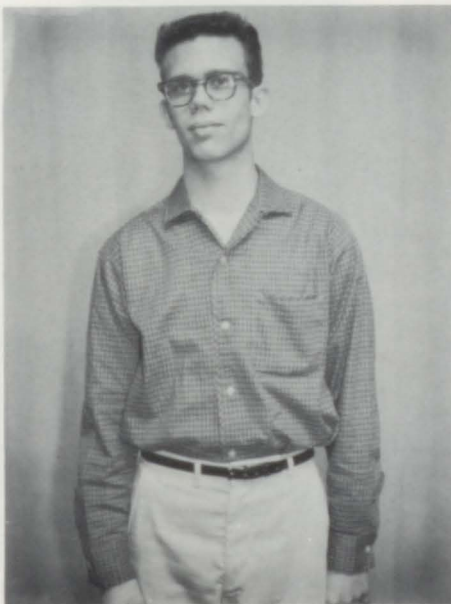
ACCOMPANISTS: Kathy Holthe accompanied the mixed chorus while Glenice Ekren accompanied the girls' glee.



FIRST ROW: B. Hagen, L. Winqvist, M. Croon, S. McKellips, C. Solbue, E. Lapour, L. Edson, B. Dobberstein, G. Henry, M. Sogn, C. Hammerstrom, D. Ronning, G. Holthe, L. Edson, M. Hongslo, J. Ericson. SECOND ROW: S. Holthe, V. Swanson, E. Rowley, S. St. Pierre, J. Anderson, M. Quinn, C. Ekren, J. Mollet, A. Beeler, K. Moberg, K. Thormodsgaard, S. Westin, B. Rustin, G. Bergstrom, J. Thormodsgaard, D. Groon. THIRD ROW: R. Gunnare, M. Dietrich, L. Roduner, A. Dobberstein, W. Solberg, R. Holthe, H. Anderson, E. Tiltrum, L. Heiman, L. Carlson, C. Abrahamson, R. Anderson, D. Sandvall, J. Ostlund, D. Belkey, R. Trandahl. FOURTH ROW: D. Siemers, T. Engebretson, L. Elving, D. Larsen, D. Stene, J. Abrahamson, C. Waddell, Director: Mr. Swanson, J. Hongslo, S. Peterson, C. Welch, M. Ronning, M. Holthe, M. Leafstedt.

Sing Along

The chorus, consisting of 61 members, was given a 11 rating at the regional contest. They also sang at the Christmas and Spring concerts.



SUPERIOR WINNER: Don Larsen



SOLOISTS: Lynda Winqvist, Glenda Henry, Janene Mollet, and Marilyn Dietrich.



SUSAN ST. PIERRE



GERALDINE HOLTHE

AHS
Crowns

Claudia
Hammerstrom



Sweetheart
Queen
of
1962



MARLENE GROON



SHERRAN MCKELLIPS

On February 16, 1962, Claudia Hammerstrom was crowned sweetheart queen for AHS, after being elected by the student body. Her four senior attendents were Marlene Groon, Sherran McKellips, Geraldine Holthe, and Susan St. Pierre. They reigned over the program and the dance which followed the coronation.



"JUNGLE JOURNEY"



The students enjoyed dancing and twisting to the music of The Jadesmen.



STANDING: JoAnn Kratochvil, Pat Doty, Eilene Tiltrum, Cynthia Trudeau, Kathy Thormodsgard, KNEELING: Arvid Sommervold, Dallas Stene, James Heiman, Paul Thormodsgard, Curt Abrahamson.

The theme, "Jungle Journey", made a colorful atmosphere for the Junior-Senior Banquet on May 3, 1962. Tropical birds, a jungle mural, a native hut, a watering hole with flamingo and giraffe, and a colorful fountain all added to the theme.

Following the banquet The Jadesmen played at the prom which was enjoyed by everyone. After the prom everyone traveled to Hawarden to see "The Young Doctors". A breakfast was served by the juniors' mothers following the movie.



Battle against the lice!



Bucking Broncho



What assignment???



Smith's hours?



Smile. You're on Candid Camera



Wop! Wop!



Do you sleep, too?



The Thinker!



Viva Torro!



$2x + 4x = 10$



The night after
THE night

This is called a
basketball court?

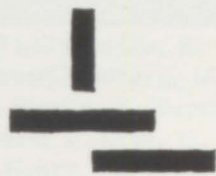
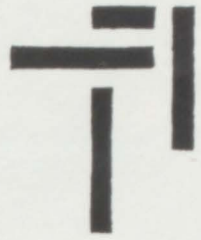


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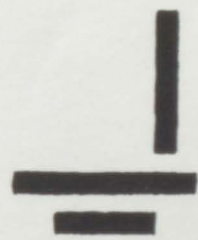
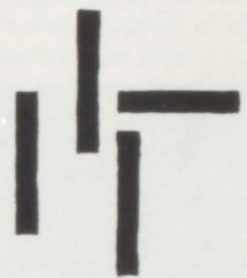


Smile when you
say that Buddy!





ATHLETICS





Kathy Holthe



Susan St. Pierre
Head Cheerleader



Doreen Ronning

Cheerleaders Sound Off



Cynthia Trudeau

Five "A" team cheerleaders were elected by the student body this year.

The cheerleaders were active in cheerleading at both "A" and "B" games. They also planned the pep meetings.



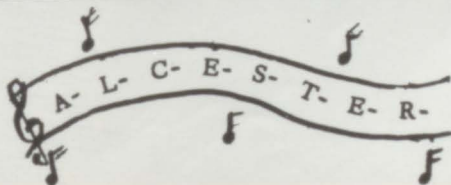
JoAnn Kratochvil



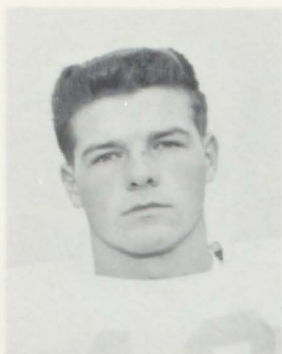
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PEP CLUB

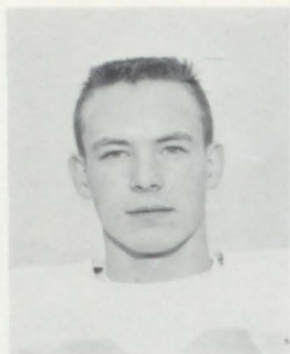
The Pep Club girls gave the athletic teams their solid support at all games. They cheered the teams on to many victories. The members also had charge of the coat check and sold candy to raise money.



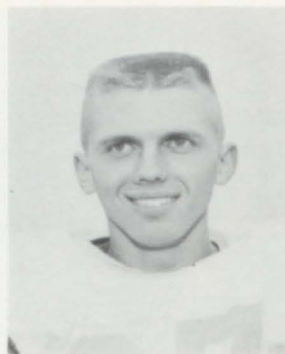
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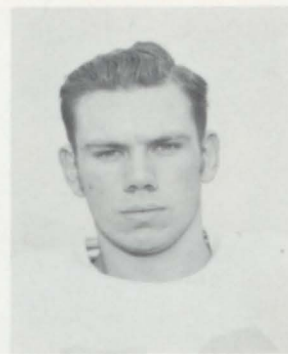
Jim Abrahamson



Larry Abrahamson



Winston Edson



Linden Fickbohm



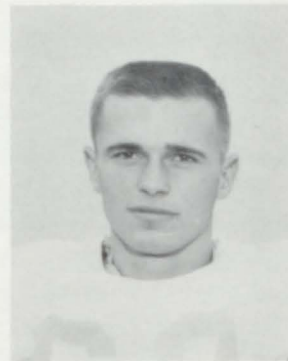
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Mark Leafstedt

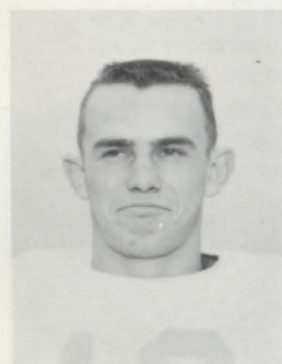


Gene Petersen



Steve Petersen

Football Squad



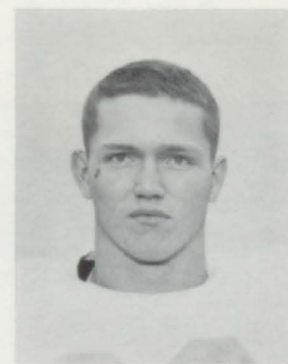
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Dick Siemers



Darrel Sogn



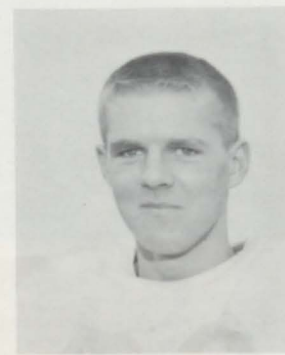
Dennis Stene



DelRay Stephens



Charles Tiltrum



Calvin Waddell



Clark Wells



FIRST ROW: D. Siemers, L. Elving, A. Dobberstein, J. Johnson, D. Belkey, C. Hakl, C. Hakl, M. Dietrich, D. Sogn. SECOND ROW: Manager T. Tucker, Coach Smith, G. Petersen, P. Thormodsgaard, R. Anderson, J. Peterson, A. Abraham, D. Rendahl, A. Thormodsgaard, D. Stene, M. Leafstedt, C. Wells, Manager C. Welch. THIRD ROW: L. Fickbohm, W. Edson, J. Abrahamson, L. Abrahamson, D. Stene, C. Waddell, J. Hongslo, D. Stephens, S. Peterson, D. St. Pierre, C. Tiltrum, C. Abrahamson.

Breaks 5 Records



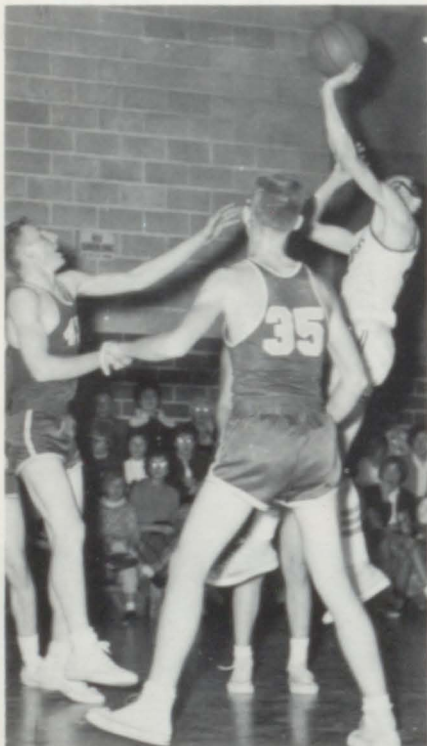
The Cubs had a better than average season, breaking five records which were as follows: most wins in one season, most "Big 8 Conference" wins, most points in one season, and most touchdowns by an individual in one season. This year there are 14 graduating letter men. This loss will be felt in that there are only 5 returning lettermen for next year's team. Charles Tiltrum, a junior, was voted by the team as most valuable player for the 1961 season, in that he broke two records, the most points and also the most touchdowns in one season. Dennis Stene and James Abrahamson were voted all-conference by the coaches of the conference schools. With the will to win and with the guidance and encouragement from Coach Smith, the team should have a successful season next year.





SEATED: Gene Petersen, Charles Tiltrum, Larry Abrahamson, DelRay Stephens, Jim Abrahamson, Winston Edson, Dennis Stene, Jim Hongslo, David St. Pierre, Paul Thormodsgaard, Tom Tucker, Art Dobberstein. STANDING: Richard Trandahl, Manager; Coach Smith.

Varsity Has Average Season



"DelRay hits again!"

Opponents We-They

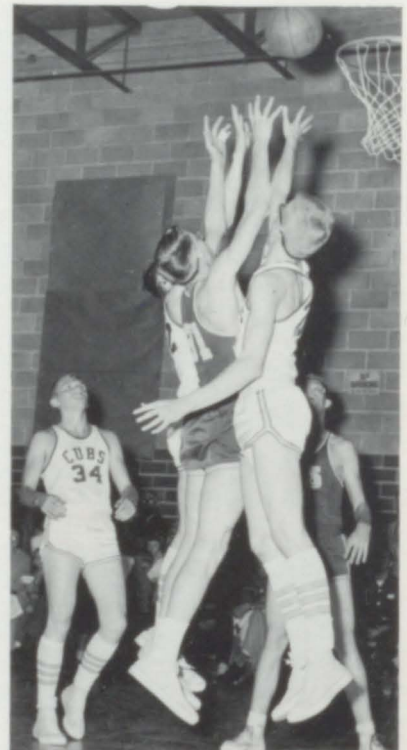
Westfield	57-37
Hudson	50-27
Chancellor	78-34
Augustana Acad.	60-69
West Sioux	44-51
Beresford*	50-48
Centerville*	49-50
Elk Point	52-65
Irene	52-42
Westfield	63-46
Canton*	31-38
Elk Point*	62-40
Centerville	51-55
Lennox*	48-53
Parker*	48-54
Irene	44-49
Hurley*	52-55
Worthing	61-41
*Denotes Conference Games	

White Tournament

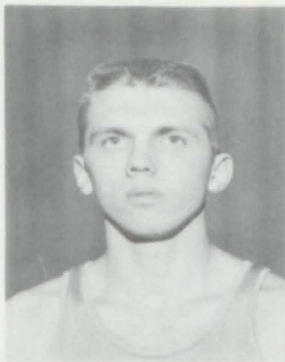
White	46-53
Elkton	44-42

District 20 Tournament

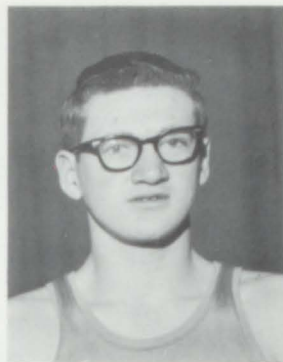
Viborg	80-33
Parker	30-44
Hurley	64-46



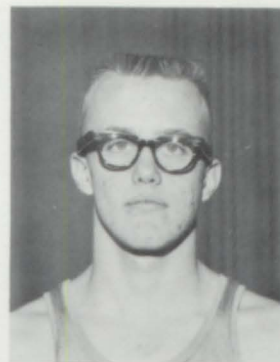
A Battle for the Rebound



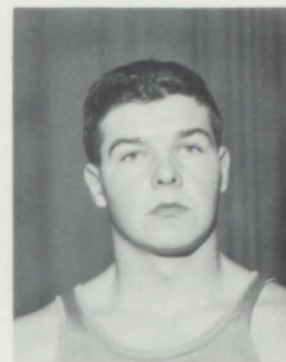
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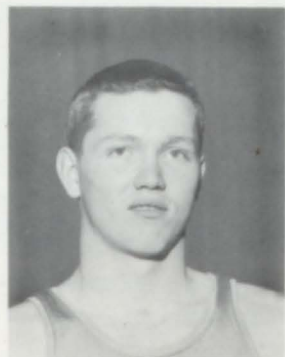
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James Hongslo



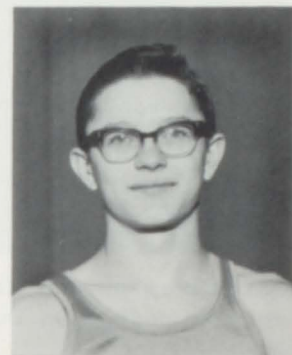
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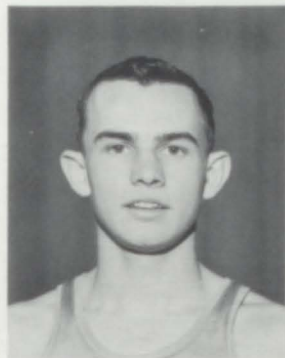
Dennis Stene

1962 District 20

Consolation Champions



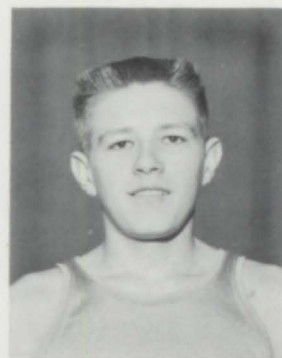
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Tom Tucker



Charles Tiltrum

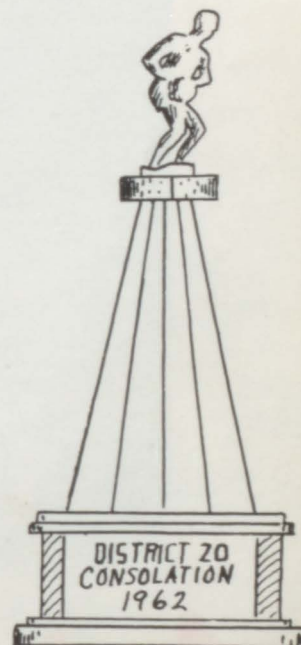
The 1961-62 Alcester Cubs had an average season. They won 11 games and lost 12. The Cubs won the Consolation Championship of District 20, avenging an earlier defeat by Hurley.

Alcester took part in a New Year's Tournament at White, South Dakota. They were defeated in the semi-finals by the host team, and then defeated Elkton in the consolation game.

In the conference opener Beresford fell prey to the Cubs, 50-48, in a thrilling overtime contest. In a similar overtime game, the Cubs were defeated by Center-ville, 49-50. They were then defeated by a tall, undefeated Canton team, 31-38, and won over a highly-ranked Elk Point squad, 62-40. In the last three conference games Alcester was defeated by Lennox, 48-53; the conference champions, Parker, 48-54; and Hurley, 52-55.

In three scrimmage contests with Akron, Yankton JV's, and Washington High JV's, the Cubs posted a 2 and 1 record. Alcester's JV's defeated Westfield twice during the season.

DelRay Stephens and Winston Edson were selected to the all-conference team, and DelRay received recognition as the Cub's Most Valuable Player. Both DelRay and Winston were voted Captains by their team mates.





Curtis Abrahamson, Alan Abraham, Richard Holthe, John Peterson, Dallas Stene, Robert Anderson, Arvid Thormodsgaard, Dale Rendahl, Leonard Elving, Marlyn Dietrich, Don Anderson; Manager, Russell Paulson.

"B" Team Does Well in Conference

The "B" team consisted of 3 juniors, 6 sophomores, and 7 freshmen. They enjoyed a very successful season, winning 13 games and losing 5. The Alcester "B" team posted the best won-lost record in the conference. Only one Big 8 Conference game was lost by the Cubs --this was to Hurley. David St. Pierre, a junior was voted as the most valuable player. Paul Thormodsgaard, a sophomore, was voted as the most improved player on the squad.



Opponents	We-They
Westfield	29-28
Hudson	35-16
Chancellor	34-21
Augustana Acad.	28-63
West Sioux	20-36
Beresford	45-32
Centerville	45-31
Elk Point	33-49
Irene	32-24
Westfield	41-43
Canton	34-33
Elk Point	26-12
Centerville	37-24
Lennox	36-34
Parker	52-43
Irene	29-28
Hurley	23-32
Worthing	52-12



Del in action



Jim has position



Honk hits again



Tom gets hot



Wishing



J.T.S.



Warming the bench



Near miss

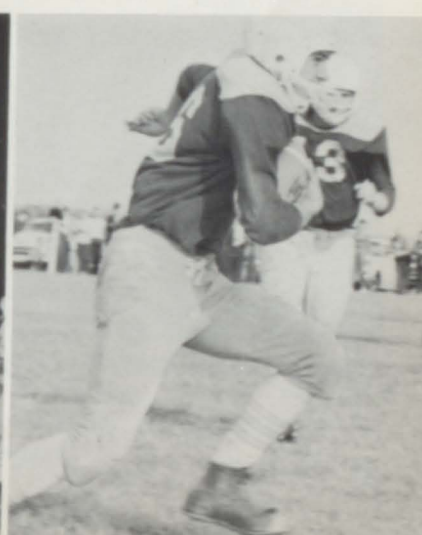
Looking for a T.D.



Jump ball



Look out for Larry





INDIVIDUAL RECORD HOLDERS

A. Dobberstein
Freshmen 100 :11.3
L. Abrahamson
Low Hurdles :23.0
High Hurdles :17.4
J. Abrahamson
Discus 126' 1"



RELAY RECORD HOLDERS

ROW ONE: L. Elving, L. Abrahamson. ROW TWO: J. Abrahamson, D. Stephens, W. Edson, S. Peterson.
440 Relay :48.7 Distance Medley 12:34.7



FRESHMEN RELAY RECORD HOLDERS

A. Dobberstein, R. Anderson, J. Johnson, J. Peterson
440 Relay :52.4
880 Relay 1:52.8
Distance Medley 1:54.8



DECATHLON CHAMPIONS

Leonard Elving
James Abrahamson
DelRay Stephens
Larry Abrahamson
Art Dobberstein
*Co-Champions

Sophomore
Senior*
Senior*
Junior
Freshman

The Cub track team had a successful season, breaking several school records, some of which were eighteen years old. The boys showed a lot of interest and determination under the coaching of John Smith.

The team will feel the loss of its seniors, but it hopes to have an equally successful season next year.

DelRay Stephens was chosen as captain of the track team and Winston Edson and Larry Abrahamson were selected as the most valuable.

Track Squad

SENIORS

James Abrahamson
Winston Edson
Tom Engebretson
Steven Peterson
Dennis Stene
DelRay Stephens
Clayton Welch

SOPHOMORES

Alan Abraham
Curtis Abrahamson
Leonard Elving
James Heiman
Russell Paulson
Dallas Stene
Paul Thormodsgard

JUNIORS

Larry Abrahamson
Marvin Holthe
Gene Peterson
David St. Pierre
Charles Tiltrum
Tom Tucker

FRESHMEN

Robert Anderson
Art Dobberstein
Richard Holthe
Gary Hongslo
Joel Johnson
Bruce Ludwig
Merle Lykken
John Peterson
Dale Rendahl
Arvid Thormodsgard



Charles Tiltrum
Football

Tom Tucker
Basketball

ACES OF THE WEEK



James Abrahamson

Winston Edson

ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

Class Athletes of the Year

Junior	Charles Tiltrum
Sophomore	Curtis Abrahamson
Freshmen	Art Dobberstein

"A" CLUB



SEATED: President W. Edson, Vice President D. Sogn, Secretary J. Hongslo, Treasurer S. Peterson, Coach J. Smith. FIRST ROW: L. Elving, L. Abrahamson, C. Tiltrum, T. Tucker, G. Petersen, C. Abrahamson, D. Siemers. SECOND ROW: D. Stephens, D. Stene, M. Leafstedt, J. Abrahamson, L. Fickbohm, C. Waddell, C. Wells, C. Welch, D. St. Pierre, N. Thormodsgard.



On the night of May 29, 1962, commencement exercises were held to graduate the largest senior class in the history of A.H.S. Forty students were handed their diplomas to end their high school careers. Therefore we give this last page of our memory book to these graduates because it is the last page in their high school lives.

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