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## THE CUBETTE

Alcester High School<br>Alcester, South Dakota



## 1966



## WHAT'S YOUR LINE?

Any line is what you make it. If you weare draw a line it could be long or short, thin or wide. Life has many different ines. Some are, 具led whth the pleasures we find every day. Yet some are filled with the many hard atwifes and respenstbilities which prepare us for the future in which we will b the respeasfile citizens of the U.S...

The life lines of Alcester students a work and pleasure. The problems we now solve whll hily to successfully solve more difficult ones next year or in the years to come. May he the student who received a superior rating in the music contest might be a fine duatitsomeday, or the student who was outstanding in a school play may become an actor oc acomens.

Each of us thinks, works, and play aleng his n line. Now we are formulating our tomorrow. Each of us must choose our own line to make sure our choice will make us the best and happiest person. Today we are learnitg, temorrow we must perform, for then it will be our world.

Whether you are planning to be a chemist, a-secretary, a farmer, or a housewife, today you are doing something that will lead you to this destiny.

In this annual we hope to show you some of the many different lines, for tucked in among the events of the past year are stories of Alcester's students and their different interests. Look carefully and then decide--"What's Your Line?".

## Editorial Staff

Marlene Ronning ..... Editor
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The things that the flag stands for were created by the experiences of a great people. Everything that it stands for was written by their lives. The flag is the embodiment, not of sentiment, but of history. It represents the experiences made by men and women, the experiences of those who do and live under that flag.
--Woodrow Wilson




Dedication

For your admirable record of 23 years of service at Alcester, we dedicate this book to you, Mr. E.R. Dobberstein.

Those who have come to know you during your many years of service have become aware of your sound judgment, your concern for the long-range welfare of the individual student, and your knowledge and support that you have given to Alcester.

We dedicate the 1966 Cubette to you with gratitude and our sincere appreciation.


Thought Line



Supt. Richard B. Kirsch


Mrs. Jean Bartlett English II and III World History


Mrs. Virginia Ericson Home Economics
General Science


Mr. Glenn Kroger
Biology
Physical Education Coach


Mrs. Hazel Lappegaard English II and IV General Science


Mr. Meredith Olsen Music

## Guides the Line




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Mr. Rene Fournier Chemistry Algebra I


Mr. Melvin Ptak Business
Grade.Coach


Mr. Delmar Schnabel Geometry, Algebra II German I and II


Mrs. Judy Williams Chemistry Algebra

## School Board Works Behind the Line



SEATED: Supt. Kirsch, A. M. Bradley, Marvin Westin, Norma Westin. STANDING: Harold Stubbs, Richard Joh nson, Jay Clark.

The Alcester Board of Education holds a very important position. It is the duty of these members to provide the best education possible for the students. They look for new and improved methods of school.

This search for greater educational opportunities has led them to devote much time to the discussion of school district reorganization, school classroom addition, and athletic field facilities.


Jay Clark and Supt. Kirsch reviewing the plans for a new athletic field.
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Mrs. Westin assisting with the bookkeeping.

## Student Council Represents the Line



SEATED: MR. Dobberstein, Advisor; L. Wetrosky, D. Lykken, C. Stubbs, V. Riherd, R. Hendricks. STANDING: S. Merrick, J. St. Pierre, J. Trudeau, M. Harders.


President: Rita Hendricks; Vide-President: Mahlon Harders; Secretary-Treasurer: Vicki Riherd.

The frequent meetings held by the representatives from each of the classes were presided over by Rita Hendricks, Student Council President. Other officers included:Mahlon harders, Vice-President and Vicki Riherd, Secretary-Treasurer.

This group was busy planning the social activities and helping in many of the school and community affairs.

The Student Council presided over the Homecoming Dance, the Christmas Party, the Sweetheart Dance, the March of Dimes, and the annual school picnic. They also helped in the planning of the Student Handbook for the coming year.

Advisor to the Student council was Mr. E.R. Dobberstein.


Student Council members at work planning Sweetheart.

## Seniors Reach the End of the Line


"Nothing great is lightly won", the motto of the thirty-five Seniors, is representative of their four years at Alcester High School.

As they look back on their final year, the class members find many memories. Presenting the play "The Family Nobody Wanted ", provided hours of hardwork, and fun. The highlight of the year was Senior Skip Day during which they traveled to Omaha, Nebraska.

Blue and silver were chosen by the Seniors as their class colors, and their flower was the white chrysanthemum.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Vice-President, L. Thormodsgaard; President, G. Thormodsgaard; Secretary-Treasurer, D. Keiser.


DOUGLAS ANDERSON

REGINALD DALZELL



REID BOETELL

ANNA LEE EBSEN



PATRICIA BUUM


ARLENE EKLE


JIM EKREN


PAMELA ERICKSON


MAHLON HARDERS


DELANE FICKBOHM


RITA HENDRICKS


LINDA FICKBOHM


LARRY HUENINK


ROZANN JOHNSON


DON KEISER


BEVERLY MCKELLIPS


STEVEN KIEWEL


JANICE MOLLET


MERLE LUNDBERG


MARCINE MUDDER


LARRY OFFERDAHL


CAROL PILLA


KATHY SAUGSTAD


LESTER OFFERDAHL


VICKI RIHERD



ROSALIND PETERSON


MARLENE RONNING


JUDY SATTER


DELMER SCOTT


GLEN THORMODSGAARD
LEE THORMODSGAARD


BRUCE WESTLING

## Senior Activities

DOUGLAS ANDERSON-FFA-1-4; Cubette-3; Dakota-2-4, Production Editor -4 ; Band-2-4; Brass Sextet4; Chorus-3,4; Declam-1, 2; Class Play-3,4; OneAct Play -4; District Superior Actor-4; A Club-3, 4; Boys State; Valedictorian.

REID BOETELL-FFA -1, 3, 4; Cubette $-3,4$; Football-1-4;Track-1, 2; Athlete of the Year-2; Class Play-3; A Club Vice-President-4.

PAT BUUM-FHA-1-4; Cubette-3,4, Copy Editor 4; Dakota-3, 4, Production Editor-4; Pep Club-2, 4; Library -2, 4; Declam 1-4; Class Play -3, 4; Seeond place REA Essay Contest; Salutatorian.

REGINALD DALZELL-Transferred from Thief River Falls-3; Cubette-4; Band-4; Cornet Trio-4; Brass Sextet-4; Class Play-4.

ANNA LEE EBSEN- FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1, 2.
AR LENE EKLE- FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1, 2; Band-2, 3.
JIM EKREN- FFA-1-4; Football-1-3.
PAM ERICKSON-FHA-1-4; Cubette-2,4, Typist4; Dakota-3, 4; Pep Club-1-2; Girls Glee-1-3; Li-brary-4; Declam-3; Class Play-3, 4; Class Secre-tary-2.

LINDA FICKBOHM - FHA-1-4, Secretary 2, Vice-President-4; Cubette-1-4; Dakota-2-4, Co-Editor-4; Pep Club-2-4; Girls Glee-1-3; Library-2-4; Declam-1-3; Sweetheart Attendant-4; Class Play-3, 4; Class Secretary-3;Minnie Larson Award; 3rd place Co-op Essay Contest.

DELANE FICKBOHM-FFA-1-4, Treasurer-4;Band-2-4; Football-2, 3; One Act Play-4.

MAHLON HARDERS- A Club -2-4; Chorus -2-4; Basketball-2,3; Track-2; Homecoming Attendant4; Class Plays-3, 4; One Act Play-4; Student Coun-cil-4; Vice-President-4.
RITA HENDRICKS-FHA-1-4, Reporter-2, Presi-dent-4; Dakota -2-4; Pep Club-1-4;Vice-President2,. President-3; Band-1, 2; Clarinet Quartet-1, Girls Glee-1-4; Chorus-1-4; Girls Sextet-1, 2, 4; MezzoSoprano Solo-2; Homecoming Attendant-1; Queen4; Class Play-3; Class President-1; Student Council President-4.

LARRY HUENINK- FFA-1-4; Track-1, 2.
'ROZANN JOHNSON-FHA-1-4; Cubette-1-4; Dakota-1-4, Feature Editor -1-4; Pep Club-1, 2; Band-2-4; Sax aphone Solo-2; Saxaphone Quartet-2; Library-3, 4; Declam-1; Class Play-3,4; One Act Play-4; Student Council-3; Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow Award-4

DON KEISER - FFA-1-4, A Club-3, 4, President-4; Football-2-4, All Conference-4; Basketball-1, 3, 4; Track-1-3; Homecoming Attendant -3 ; Class Play-4; Class Vice-President -3 ; Class Treasurer-4; Student Council-2.

STEVE KIEWEL- FFA-1-4; Reporter-4; Track-2; Class Play-4.

MERLE LUNDBERG-FFA-1-4; Track-2,3.
BEVERLY MCKELLIPS-FHA-1-4; Dakota-1-4. Art Editor-4; Pep Club-1-4; Cheerleader -4; Band-1-4; Class Representative-3; Flute Trio-3; Flute Duet4; Girls Glee-1-4; Homecoming Attendant -4 ; Sweetheart Attendant-4; Class Play-3, 4; Class Treasur-er-1.

JANICE MOLLET- FHA-1-4; Cubette-2,3; Dakota1,2,4; Business Manager-4; Pep Club-1-4; Band-24; Madrigal-2: Mixed Quartet-3; Girls Glee-1-4; Chorus-1-4.

MARCINE MUDDER - FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1-4; Band-2-4; Saxaphone Quartet-4; Girls Glee-2-4; Class Play-4; Second Place REA Essay.

LARRY OFFERDAHL-FFA-1-4; Secretary-4; Da-kota-2-4.

LESTER OFFERDAHL-FFA-1-4; Sentinal-4; Da-kota-3; Class Treasurer-3.

ROSALIND PETERSON-FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1, 2,4; Band-2-4.

CAROL PILLA- FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1, 2.
VICKI RIHERD- Transferred from Beresford High4; FHA-4; Dakota-4; Cubette-4; Senior Class Play; Student director-4; Librarian-4; Student Council 4; Sweetheart Attendant-4

MARLENE RONNING- FHA-1-4; Cubette-1-4; Ed-itor-4; Dakota-1, 2; Pep Club-1-4; Band-1-4; Trombone Quartet -3,4; Girls Glee-1-4; Girls Sextet-1, 4; Chorus-1-4; Class Play-3; Girls State; DAR Representative; State Co-op Essay Winner.

JUDY SATTER-FHA-1-4; Secretary-3; Cubette-1-4, Art Editor-4; Dakota-2-4; Pep Club-1-4; Girls Glee-1-4; Homecoming Attendant-3, 4; Sweet heart Attendant -4 ; Class Play-3, 4; Class Treasurer2; Cheerleader-2-4.

KATHY SAUGSTAD- FHA-1-4; Pep Club-1-4; Cub-ette-1,3,4; Student Council-2; Homecoming Atten-dant-2; Dakota-2-4; Cheerleader-3,4; Declam-3; Class Play-3, 4; Librarian-3,4.

DELMER SCOTT- FFA-1-4, President-4; Football3.

MARGERY ST.PIERRE-FHA-1-4; Cubette-1-4; Business Manager-4; Pep Club-1-4; Cheerleader-2-4; Band-1-4; Mixed Clarinet Quartet-1-4; Standard Clarinet Quartet-4; Girls Glee-1-4; Girls Sextet-4; Sweetheart Queen-4; Class Play-3, 4; One Act Play-4; Student Council-1.

GLEN THORMODSGAARD- FFA-1-4; Vice-Presi-dent-4; Dakota-3; A Club-4; Chorus-1-4; Football-1, 2; Basketball-1-3; Track-1, 2; Homecoming Atten-dant-1; King-4; Class Play-3; Class President-2;4; Student Council-1, 3 .

LEE THORMODSGAARD- FFA-1-4; A Club-1-4; Football-1, 3;Basketball-1, 2; Track-1-3; Homecoming Attendant $-2,4$; Class Play-4; Class Vice-Pres-ident-2, 4; President-3; Alternate Boys State.

JANE WESTIN- FHA-1-4; Cubette-1-4; Dakota-1-4; Pep Club-1-4; Girls Glee-1-4; Chorus-4; Declam-13; Class Play-3, 4; Golf Champion-1, 2.

BRUCE WESTLING-FFA-1-4; A Club-1-3; Foot-ball-1-3; Basketball-1, Manager-2; Class Play-3.


JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Treasurer, M. Bowers; President, D. Quinn; Vice-President, M. Westin; Secretary, M. Solberg.

Increasing their academic knowledge in their individual fields of interest, the juniors chose from agriculture, homemaking Algebra II, chemistry, typing, office practice, bookkeeping, world history, and German. English III, and American History were required subjects .

The juniors successfully displayed their dramatic skills, drive, and cooperation in the production and presentation of "The Miracle Worker".

The eager wait was rewarded when the juniors received their class rings, a true sign of upperclassmen.

Serving concessions at the basketball games helped raise the necessary money to finance the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom.


Jackie Arends H. Van Ballegooyan Cathy Beeler JoElla Beeler Mary Bowers

Wilburt Bowers Daniel Ebsen Bernard Van Engen
Jean Ericson Bobby Fickbohm

## Continue the Line

Craig Fickbohm Lynn Frick Alan Hagen Scott Hammerstrom Deborah Herbrandson

Marilyn Hughes Jerry Johnson Lance Johnson Robert Kiewel Marylee Ludwig

Mike Manning Janet Moberg Cheryl Peterson Ward Peterson Douglas Quinn

Lynnette Riffe Kathleen Roduner Gaylon Ronning Merlyn Solberg Connie Stubbs

Robert Swanson Evelyn Thormodsgaard Jeff Trudeau Virginia Wells Margery westin

Warren Wilkens Eldon Wilson Steven Wilson Cynthia Winquist Miriam Zweifel


Coming back to meet more of the challenges of high school were the fifty-two members of the Sophmore class--the largest class in the history of Alcester High School. One of the outstanding achievements of the class was participating in the Christmas project of sending gifts to the soldiers in Viet Nam. English, Biology, Home Economics, Agri culture, Geometry, World History, and Typing were the different subjects offered which prepared students for the role of upperclassmen.


Robert Anderson Marlene Arends Barbara Bowers Martin Buum Linette Carlson

Jean Danielson Grant Doty Gerald Ebsen Bruce Elving Delmer Fickbohm

Dwight Fickbohm Kenneth Fickbohm Sherry Hagen Carolyn Hartman Lynden Heiman

Mary Hendricks Nancy Hendricks Alfred Hughes Darlene Johnson Debbie Johnson

## Follow in Line

Paulette Johnson Sheila Johnson Curtis Keiser Vance Keiser Janelle Klostergaard

David Kraakmo Linda Larson Dennis Ludwig Laura Ludwig Dianne Lykken

Dennis Moller Dan Nelson Tom Nilson LauVerne Offerdahl Regan Pearson

Michael Pederson Gloria Peterson Allen Powell Ricky Riherd Mardel Roskeland

James St. Pierre Joyce Schollerman Gary Scott Inez Siemers
Mary Sogn

Karen Sommervold Charlotte Stoen Alan Trudeau Dennis Turner Barbara Wahl



CLASS OFFICERS: David Braastad, Pres.; Nancy Hultgren, Trea. (Not Pictured) ; Kathy Edson, Sec.; Dene Doty, V. Pres.

Fourty freshmen began the second step in their education by enrolling at Alcester High on August 25, 1965. Subjects offered to the freshmen were English, general science, algebra, home-economics, agriculture, and world history. Activities enjoyed by the new and learning "frosh" were FFA, Pep Club, Cubette, and Dakota, as well as football, basketball, and track. The freshman class took top honors in the annual magazine drive by selling the largest number of subscriptions.


Carol Van Ballegooyen

## Line with the Rest

Kathy Edson Margaret Eidsness Dawn Fickbohm Douglas Fickbohm Paul Fickbohm

Judy Green Steven Groon Jim Gunnare Pat Homandberg Diane Hughes

Nancy Jo Hultgren Barbara Jahn David Jervik Debra Jervik Charlotte Larson

Steve Merrick Lynn Numsen Eunice Peterson Leroy Peterson Mary Peterson

Zelda Rabey Trudy Stubbs Lynn Shuck Darla Solbue Eugene Swanson

Jane Thormodsgaard JoAnn Thormodsgaard Maria Trudeau Carol Westin Lazanne Wetrosky


## Where Expressions are Etched,



FIRST \& SECOND GRADES
ROW ONE: B. Trudeau, C. Gilbert, D. Waag, E. Gilbert, D. Jensen, S. Lusk, C. Anderson. ROW TWO: B. Crawford, B. Dalzell, S. Bradley, G. Berg, S. Kirsch, R. Mueller, S. Tucker. ROW THREE: P. Kruse, K. Graves, E. Anderson, M. Backman, L. Hongslo, B. Hughes, R. Hongslo.


THIRD \& FOURTH GRADES-
ROW ONE: S. Trudeau, L. Stubbs, K. Hebert, J. Baker, S. Baker, T. Johnson, C. Ericson, K. Berg, S. Danielson. ROW TWO: C. Hebert, K. Johnson, B. Cooper, L. Keiser, Y. Riffe, C. Baker, K. Hongslo, M. Anderson, B. Day. ROW THREE: Mrs. Cole, J. Jurgensen, A. Backman, D. Anderson̆, D. Moller, L. Berg, C. Tucker, M. Sundstrom, C. Brennise, Mrs. Jones. ROW FOUR: B. Waag, C. Mueller, C. Kruse, M. Bradley, D. Pies, B. Kruise, K. Johnson.

## Lines are Sketched



FIFTH \& SIXTH GRADES
ROW ONE: C. Buum, M. Riffe, C. Anderson, L. Miner, J. Day, B. Bakker, R. Braastad. ROW TWO: J. Anderson, W. Stubbs, M. Keiser, C. Danielson, T. Hughes, Mrs. Huebner. ROW THREE: L. Hebert, R. Jurgenson, C. Brenneise, G. Baker, P. Peterson, W. Fickbohm. ROW FOUR: K. Waag, C. Johnson, E. Bradley, D. Pederson, G. Kruse, B. Danielson.

Right: Mrs. Beneiss-Grade Music Teacher


ROW ONE: S. Wahl, A. Peterson, L. Peterson, G. Johnson, J. Trudeau, G. Anderson, A. Danielson. ROW TWO: R. Moller, D. Johnson, L. Anderson, C. Sundstrom, C. Pilla, R. Nilson, J. Fickbohm . ROW THREE: Mrs. Lusk, B. Johnson, M. Anderson, J. Wetrosky, M. Heiser, D. Danielson, Mrs. Meadors. ROW FOUR: G. McKellips, S. Miner, G. McCormick, M. Day, D. Herbert, S. Hebert, C. Newberg, L. Hansen. (not pictured) K. Severson.

## Lines of Staff are Diversified



Secretary
Mrs. Ofstad


Custodian
Mr. Stoen


BUS DRIVERS:
Mr. J. Solbue
Mr. D. Larson
Mr. G. Larson


Side Line



SEATED: Mr. Kirsch, Advisor; M. Zweifel, Junior Editor; M. Ronning, Editor; M. Westin; Potographer; J. Satter, Art Editor; M. St. Pierre, Business Manager. ROW ONE: K. Roduner, L. Riffe, M. Roskeland, P. Buum, C. Stubbs. ROW TWO: M. Manning, J. Trudeau, L. Fickbohm, B. Wahl, C. Stoen, R. Boetell. J. Gunnare, M. Ludwig, E. Thormodsgard, M. Bowers. ROW THREE: N. Hultgren, C. Anderson, V. Wells, J. Moberg, L. Wetrosky, V. Riherd, D. Doty, D. Jervik, S. Groon, L. Numsen.ROW FOUR: K. Saugstad, J. Westin, R. Johnson, K. Sommervold, D. Lykken, D. Johnson, G. Peterson, S. Johnson, S. Hagen.

## Cubette Staff Prepares Memory Lines

The annual staff under the supervision of Mr. Kirsch worked throughout the entire year to produce what they hoped would be one of the best annuals. Much of the time was spent in choosing a theme, planning the layout of the pages, preparing copy, and taking pictures.
Marlene Ronning attended a workshop in Brookings to prepare herself for her job as editor of the annual. Many members of the annual staff attended the press convention in Brookings as well as a one-day workshop in Sioux Falls.



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SEATED: Mr. Ptak, Advisor; B. Mckellips. Art Editor; L. Fickbohm \& I. Moberg. Co-Editors; P. Buum, Production Editor; R. Johnson, Feature Editor. ROW ONE: V. Wells, B. Wahl, B. Anderson, V. Keiser, S. Johnson, D. Anderson, Production Editor; M. Solberg, B. Fickbohm, C. Stubbs. ROW TWO: M. Manning, J. Trudeau, L. Riffe, K. Roduner, B. Bowers. P. Fickbohm. L. Numsen. M. Bowers. I. Beeler. ROW THREE: L. Offerdahl, J. Arends, N. Hultgren, C. Stoen, J. Ericson, V. Riherd, D. Doty M. Ludwig, E. Thormodsgard, K. Hartman, J. Mollet. ROW FOUR: R. Hendricks, J. Satter, J. Westin, J. St. Pierre, K. Sommervold, K. Fickbohm, T. Nilson, D. Lykken, D. Johnson, G. Peterson, D. Johnson, L. Ludwig, N. Hendricks.

## Dakota Reminds Students of Past and Future Lines

 staff busy--from writing stories, to typing stencils and setting up pages.The staff worked under the aid and supervision of Mr. Melvin Ptak.

Many extra hours were put into the production of the paper by the students to help make the DAKOTA a success.

Each year the Senior staff trains the underclassmen who will carry on the following year.


Co-Editors, Linda and fanet arrange features for dummy pages.


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L. Fickbohm, P. Erickson, K. Saugstad, R. Johnson, P. Buum, V. Riherd, J. Schollerman, K. Roduner Mrs. Aaen, Advisor.

## Books are Lines to New Vistas



Paper-back library offers new reading adventures to students.
30 This page sponsored by: Morningside Manor

Under the capable direction of Mrs. Elsie Aaen, eight girls constituted the library staff at Alcester High School.

Two hundred books were borrowed from the State Library at Pierre for the students' use. The library also purchased new books and the task of cataloging them was one of the major duties of the librarians.

A paperback library was also open to the students. Books for reference, required reading, or for enjoyment could be purchased by interested students. Mrs. Hazel Lappegard was in charge of this library.


Daily use of the library serves as a source of new knowledge.


SEATED: K. Roduner, B. Jahn, P. Buum, C. Westin. STANDING: Mrs. Lappegaard, L. Larson, D. Johnson, B. Wahl, Mrs. Aaen

## Declam Students Work Along the

 Speech LinesParticipaison in declam this year was very small as only seven girls took part in the local contest held October 28. Poetry, humorous, and dramatic were the different fields of competition.

The local winners represented Alcester in the district contest at Beresford on November 3.

Mrs. Elsie Aaen and Mrs. Hazel Lappegaard directed declamation this year.

Carol learns new expression techniques.


Kathy humorously portrayed "What It Was, Was Football".


The poem "The Man With The Hoe" read by Pat.


Barb dramatizes " The Littlest Angel".


ROW ONE: M. Hendricks, G. Peterson, A. Peterson, P. Johnson, D. Johnson, C. Wahl, B. McKellips. ROW TWO: S. Johnson, M. St. Pierre, B. Wahl, C. Stoen, C. Anderson, R. Peterson, D. Belkey, D. Fickbohm, M. Peterson, L. Wetrosky, M. Westin. ROW THREE: R. Johnson, J. Mollett, M. Mudder


VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL SOLOISTS ROW ONE: D. Herbrandson, M. Solberg, M. Westin. ROW TWO: M. Hendricks, G. Peterson, S. Johnson, L. Carlson.

## State Fair Highlights



C. Sundstrom, L. Carlson, K. Sommervold, E. Wilson, D. Anderson, L. Anderson, S. Wilson, R. Dalzell, T. Nilson, C. Fickbohm, D. Lykken, L. Frick, D. Anderson, G. Doty, C. Winquist, D. Herbrandson, M. Ronning, M. Buum. STANDING: C. Stubbs, J. St. Pierre, M. Solberg, M. Bowers, B. Swanson, Mr. Olsen .

## Band Activities

The Alcester High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Olsen, was very honored at being able to perform for the first time at the State Fair in Hurd. They also performed at the Dakota Day Parade in Vermillion. Exceptional performances were presented to the public at the annual spring and winter concerts.

The band did their part to further school spirit by playing at the pep assemblies and at the home games for football and basketball. Playing and marching at half-time added much to our homecoming festivities.


ALL-STATE CHORUS MEMBERS
M. Pederson, D. Herbrandson, M. Ronning, M. Solberg.


MIXED CLARINET QUARTET SEATED: S. Johnson, M. St. Pierre. STANDING: G. Peterson, M. Hendricks.


FLUTE DUET
B. McKellips, P. Johnson.

## The Music Line is a Universal Language



STANDARD CLARINET QUARTET SEATED: C. Stoen, B. Wahl
STANDING: S. Johnson, M. St. Pierre.


STANDING: K. Sommervold, R. Johnson.


TRUMPET TRIO
T. Nilson, R. Dalzell, S. Wilson.


BRASS SEXTET
SEATED: T. Nilson, M. Westin, R. Dalzell. STANDING: D. Anderson, L. Frick, M. Buum.


GIRLS GLEE
Row one: C. Stubbs, M. Hendricks, K. Roduner, I. Siemers, B. Jahn, B. Wahl, J. Green, K. Edson, C. Westin, J. Larson, J. Satter, M. Roskeland, L. Riffe. Row two: Mr. Olsen, director; J. Danielson, J. Beeler, E. Thromodsgaard, M. Bowers, D. Fickbohm, M. Eidsness, L. Larson C. Beeler, L. Wetrosky, D. Jervik, V. Wells, C. Winquist. Row three: C. Anderson, P. Johnson, C. Stoen, S. Hagen, R. Hendricks, M. Ludwig, G. Peterson, S. Johnson, M. St. Pierre, D. Johnson, L. Carlson, K. Saugstad, N. Hendricks, Row four: J. Westin, D. Belkey, B. McKellips, J. Mollet, L. Ludwig, D. Johnson, M. Ronning, M. Westin, C. Hartman, M. Zweifel, M. Mudder, D. Solbue, B. Bowers, (Not pictured): J. Ericson, N. Hultgren.

The vocal music department raised their voices in melodious harmony singing various selections ranging from Broadway musicals to sacred arrangements. Diligent practice preceded the well-received performances at the Spring and Winter Concerts.

Under the direction of Mr. Olsen, the group revealed their yuletide spirit as they caroled throughout the community.

Highlighting the activities of the chorus was their participation in the Spring Music Festival at Parker.


Right: Pianists-D. Herbrandson and M. Westin.


CHORUS
Row one: J. Thormodsgaard, M. Peterson, C. Anderson, M. Buum, M. Solberg, D. Fickbohm, D. Fickbohm, D. Turner, J. Moberg, J. Thormodsgaard, M. Trudeau, Mr. Olsen, Director. Row two: M. Ronning, L. Riffe, M. Arends, J. Green, L. Frick, L. Numsen, D. Doty, G. Scott, D. Solbue, B. Bow ers, G. Peterson, L. Wetrosky. Row three: I. Siemers, D. Belkey, J. Arends, J. Mollet, S. Groon, M. Harders, D. Anderson, D. Lykken, K. Sommervold, C. Stoen, C. Westin, Row four: J. Danielson, L. Carlson, J. Westin, J. Gunnare, R. Dalzell, M. Pederson, L. Heiman, G. Thormodsgaard, G. Doty, J. St. Pierre, D. Herbrandson, R. Hendricks. (Not pictured): J. Ericson, A. Hagen, N. Hultgren.

## Juniors Dramatize "Miracle Worker"



SEATED: V. Wells, M Manning, J. Moberg, L. Riffe, J. Ericson, A. Hagen. STAND ING: C. Stubbs, J. Trudeau, L. Frick, M. Bowers, E. Wilson, C. Anderson, M. Ludwig, E. Thormodsgaard.


My neck, Miss Sullivan!

"All right--pump!"

The Junior class play, The Miracle Worker, was presented on November 12 and 13 with Mrs. Jean Bartlett as director.

This is the story of the struggles involved in the bringing up of the blind, deaf Helen Keller by her faithful nursemaid, Anne Sullivan. This playwas dramatic and quite different from plays presented in previous years.

'It's noontime, dinner's comin'.

## Seniors Present "The Family Nobody Wanted"



SEATED: D. Keiser, B. McKellips, T. Twedt, P. Ericson, J. Satter, S. Kiewel, P. Buum. STANDING: Mrs. Lappegaard, J. Westin, R. Johnson, M. Mudder, L. Thormodsgaard, D. Anderson, R. Dalzell, M. St. Pierre, M. Harders, L. Fickbohm, K. Saugstad.

The Senior class presented their version of "The Family Nobody Wanted" to the community on the evenings of March 31 and April 1.

This is the story of the joys and sorrows experienced by a minister, his wife, and their unique family of mixed nationalities. All the children-whether Hawaiian, Korean, Mexican, Indian, Malayan, Chinese, Burmese, or Scandanavian--continued to show each other deep affection and loyalty,despite trying circumstances.

Mrs. Hazel Lappegaard supervised and

"We've got to shoot.

"And it came to pass..."

## All School Plays Promoted



SEATED: M. Trudeau, L. Wetrosky, D. Johnson. STANDING: R. Boetell, Mrs. Lappegard, M. Harders.



In "The Storm" a hunter searches for an opportunity for revenge against the man who killed his wife and daughter in an automobile accident. His five year search for the man ends when he wanders into a mountain cabin during a blizzard. Here his wife and daughter seem to come to life and convince him to come with them to their world,


SEATED: R. Johnson, C. Westin, M. St. Pierre. STANDING: D. Anderson, D. Fickbohm, Mrs. Aaen.

## Interest in Dramatics

"World Mother " is a story of a woman, who, living in a town of homes, each a unit in itself and apparently sufficient unto itself, believes that she is an ideal mother. She loves her children devotedly, has never neglected them in any way, and if occasion demanded, would gladly give her life for them. Then, one day, a strange man passes by who shows her that even the lowliest animal does as much for its young, and that now, in this eleventh hour, women are called upon, by the faith that the world has in them, to save this civilization by putting on a far greater motherhood.


SEATED: M. Solberg, M. Hendricks. STANDING: Mrs. Bartlett, W. Peterson.
"No Greater Love" tells the appealing story of young Doctor Cain, who has grown away from his family during his years of study. When he returns for an over-night visit at home, he reveals that he is not going to follow the wish of his dead father, who wanted him to practice medicine in his own mountain village where the need for a doctor is great. Instead, he is going at once to the city where he can make more money at his profession. The disappointments of his family are great, and the misunderstanding between them and the young physician soon comes to a head. Why he decides to staywhere he is needed most is told in the dramatic climax of "No Greater Love".



Seated: Mrs. Ericson, advisor; V. Wells, Reporter; M. Zweifel, Secretary; L. Fickbohm, Vice-President; R. Hendricks, President; J. Moberg, Treasurer; C. Anderson, Parlimentarian; I. Siemers, Musician; M. Ludwig, Historian. Row one: K. Saugstad, M. Trudeau, J. Thormodsgaard, J. Larson, L. Riffe, J. Satter, L. Wetrosky, B. Jahn, E. Peterson, B. Wahl, M. Hendricks, M. Roskeland, J. Klostergaard, R. Peterson, P. Buum, J. Green, A. Ebsen. Row two: J. Thormodsgaard, C. Westin, K. Roduner, J. Beeler, S. Hagen, C. Stoen, P. Erickson, M. St. Pierre, S. Johnson, P. Johnson, E. Thormodsgaard, D. Johnson, B. Bowers, M. Sogn, K. Beeler, M. Hughes. Row three: A. Ekle, T. Stubbs, K. Edson, D. Solbue, D. Jervik, D. Hughes, Z. Rabey, M. Eidsness, K. Sommervold, D. Belkey, D. Fickbohm, M. Peterson, L. Larson, J. Schollerman, N. Hendricks, D. Herbrandson, Row four: C. Pilla, C. Larson, J. Westin, G. Peterson, L. Ludwig, D. Johnson, C Peterson, D. Lykken, M. Westin, R. Johnson, M. Ronning, V. Riherd, B. McKellips, C. Hartman, C. Van Ballegooyen, M. Mudder, J. Mollet, L. Carlson, M. Bowers.

## FHA Works Toward Homemaking Lines



Diane Lykken was our chapter candidate for FHA State President.
"As members, we are learning to live a more useful and satisfying life, through our Future Homemaker's activities."

The chapter's activities different from previous years included taking part in the roll call at the State Convention, enjoying a Christmas swapping party, and serving as hostesses at Morningside Manor.


Mrs. Ericson and Margery reminisce over their trip to the National FHA Convention.


ROW ONE: L. Offerdahl, S. Kiewel, G. Thormodsgaard, D. Scott, L. Offerdahl, D. Fickbohm, Advisor, Mr. Dobberstein. ROW TWO: D. Fickbohm, S. Merrick, D. Doty, A. Hughes, G. Scott, D. Nelson, A. Powell. L. Offerdahl, D. Turner, L. Peterson, ROW THREE: D. Anderson, L. Briggle, G. Albers, D. Ludwig, S. Groon, D. Jervik, G. Ronning, E. Wilson, S. Wilson, G. Ebsen. ROW FOUR: E. Swanson, L. Numsen, R. Buum. R. Kiewel, D. Moller, L. Schuck, L. Frick, C. Keiser, T. Twedt, B. VanEngen, W. Bowers. ROW FIVE: D. Carlson, L. Thormodsgaard, D. Keiser, R. Riherd, H. Van Ballegooyan, J. Ekren, R. Swanson, B. Westling, R. Pearson, L. Heunik, M. Lund berg.

## The Line of Agriculture Concerns the FFA

Blue corduroy jackets proudly distinguished the Future Farmers of America from any other boy. These voluntary members participate in activities to develop agricultural leadership, character, thrift, co-operation and citizenship.

Steve Kiewel and Delmar Scott were privileged to attend the National Convention in Kansas City.

Placing second in the annual clean grain contest and sponsor -


Films were an added attraction to the FFA meetings.


Steve Groon draws for the door prize.


Crown and Flower bearers: Scott Lusk, Bryan Dalzell, Brenda Crawford, and Deborah Jensen. Royalty: David Braastad, Tom Nilson, Merlyn Solberg, Mahlon Harders. Lee Thormodsgaard, Glen Thormodsgaard. Rita Hendricks, Beverly McKellips, Judy Satter Lynnette Riffe, Inez Siemers JoAnn Thormodsgaard.

## Royalty Reigns Over Homecoming Festivities

King Glen Thormodsgaard and Queen Rita Hendricks reigned over the Homecoming festivities at the annual Coronation held September 23.
Douglas Anderson served as Master of Ceremonies for the program which was presented in honor of the royalty. To conclude the evenings activities, a short bonfire pep rally was held on the school grounds.

On September 24, the Alcester Cubs played the Dell Rapids Quarriers. The Band performed at half time in a salute to the royalty.

A dance at the school auditorium, with live music provided by the "X-Men" of Sioux Falls, brought the Homecoming festivities to a close for another year


Don Keiser crowns King Glen.


Queen Rita is crowned by Vicki Riherd.



King Glen and Queen Rita


Queen Margery and Attendants

## Let Me Call You Sweetheart



Tensions mounted as four attendants and the unknown queen made their grand entrance to "Love Walked In", escorted by 5 Senior boys. The audience held their breath as Reid Boetell opened the envelope which contained the longheld secret of who was to become queen. A burst of ecstasy was felt as the Alcester High School Sweetheart Queen of 1966--Margery St. Pierre--was crowned by Rita Hendricks.

A Program was presented in honor of Queen Margery and her attendants Linda K. Fickbohm, Judy Satter, Vicki Riherd, and Beverly McKellips by various members of the student body.

Following the coronation, the X -Men provided music for the Sweetheart Dance.


## Senior Activities


"The Naughty Kitty" was presented by Sue Bradly at the Senior Tea.


Seniors enjoy lunch following the Senior Recognition Night.


The Seniors enter the gates of Offutt Air Force Base for a very enjoyable afternoon.


The R.L.D. Study Club hosted a tea for senior girls and their mothers.


Seniors viewed the Air Force aircraft a Offutt Air Force Base on their Skip Day.


Many enjoyed a rest after their mornings excursion in Omaha.


## Juniors Create an Alpine Holiday

Alpine Holiday, the theme for the Junior-Senior Banquet, was brought to life by snow-capped mountains, Swiss villages, and thundering falls. A night to remember was begun with a dinner by candlelight followed by an enjoyable program with Doug Quinn as Master of Ceremonies. Mr. Fournier presented the afterdinner speech entitled "Mountain Climbing."

The prom was held in the auditorium with a night of dancing to the Bleach Boys followed by a light lunch.



WAITERS \& WAITRESSES
ROW ONE: B. Wahl, S. Johnson, K. Sommervold, L. Carlson, I. Seimers, D. Kraakmo ROW TWO: M. Buum, R. Riherd, J. St. Pierre, L. Heiman.


M. Ronning and M. St. Pierre share the honor of receiving the Hammit Music Award


Minnie Larson received by D. Herbrandson.


Girl \& Boy State honors went to S. Wilson, M. Westin. and M. Solberg.

D. Keiser is recipient of Bob Johnson and Athlete of the Year Awards.


Dekalb Agricultural Award is presented to G. Thormodsgaard.


Doug and Pat receive the Scholastic Award.


Winning Line



FIRST ROW: Steve Merrick, Doug Quinn, David Braastad, Ricky Riherd, Regan Pearson, Mike Pederson, Ward Feterson, Lynden Heiman, David Kraakmo, Robert Swanson. Mike §anning. SECOND ROW: Coach Kroger, Scott Hammerstrom, David Anderson, Leland Briggle, Davidj Jervik, Jim Qunnare, Steve Wilson, Jamie St. Pierre, Dan Nelson, Reid Boetell, Don Keiser, Allen Hagen, Managers Grant Doty, Jeff Trudeau(Not Pictured).

## Alcester Cubs Fight for the Goal Line

|  | Opponent | They-We |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Augustana Academy | $28-0$ |  |
| Elk Point* | $20-14$ |  |  |
| Centerville* | $47-0$ |  |  |
| Dell Rapids* | $18-0$ |  |  |
| Beresford | $44-7$ |  |  |
| Lennox* | $18-0$ |  |  |
| Parker | $45-7$ |  |  |
| Brandon Valley* | $52-7$ |  |  |
| *Denotes Conference Games |  |  |  |

Although usually outnumbered and outweighed, the Cubs fought through the season with enthusiasm and firm determination. Excellent sportsmanship was shown by the boys who were under the direction of Coach Kroger and his assistant Mr. Bartunek.

Out of the fifteen lettermen on the squad, Don Keiser was chosen as All-Conference player with Alan Hagen and Steve Wilson receiving honorable mention.



STARTING CENTER and GUARDS Mike Manning, Dan Nelson, Don Keiser


GUARDS
Doug Quinn, Ward Peterson


LEADING TACKLES
David Kraakmo, Reid Boetell


TOP BACKFIELD MEN
BOTTOM ROW: Jamie St. Pierre, Rick Riherd, Steve Wil son. TOP ROW: Scott Hammerstrom, Alan Hagen


S. Wilson, D. Keiser, G. Ronning, J. St. Pierre, B. VanEngen, M. Manning, R. Swanson, L. Thormodsgaard, R. Boetell, W. Peterson, R. Riherd, M. Pedersen, D. Kraakmo, D. Quinn, J. Ekren, M. Harders, W. Bowers, B. Westling, D. Anderson, J. Trudeau, M. Solberg. Center: S. Hammerstrom, Coach Glenn Kroger, D. Nelson.

## A-Club Lines Up for Victory

The well-earned " $A$ " found on our lettermen's jackets could easily represent the athletic, ambitious, and admirable qualities found in the boys.

To merit the gold letter, the athlete must excel in at least one sport. The blue letter is earned by the boy who is named to an All-Conference team or who letters four times in any one sport.


All-Conference Star D. Keiser receives award from Coach G. Kroger.


FRONT ROW: L. Anderson, manager; D. Kraakmo, D. Keiser, J. St. Pierre, W. Peterson, D. Quinn, M. Pederson, S. Wilson, M. Solberg, M. Manning, R. Riherd, J. Trudeau, Coach Kroger.

## A-Team Shoots for Victory

"Wait until next year!"was the cry of the Cub's fans after many action-packed basketball games.

Our young team, consisting mostly of sophomores and juniors, gained valuable experience in teamwork and basketball know-how.

Though the boys won only 3 games, they provided close competition for some of the better teams in our district.

With one year of hard-fought games behind them, next year should bring better fortunes to the den of the Alcester Cubs.



DON KEISER


WARD PETERSON


DOUG QUINN


jAMES ST. PIERRE


RICK RIHERD


STEVE WILSON


DAVE KRAAKMO



Front row: S. Merrick, A. Trudeau, D. Fickbohm, L. Briggle, J. Gunnare, B. Elving J. Trudeau, S. Groon, D. Anderson. Row two: L. Anderson, manager; T. Nilson, D. Doty, L. Numsen, M. Manning, R. Riherd, D. Kraakmo, G. Doty, D. Carlson, P. Fickbohm, M. Buum, Coach Kroger.

## The Little Cubs Make a B-Line

 for the A-LineThe boys of the B-team started their season with a maximum of energy and enthusiasm, but a minimum of skill and finesse .. The year was devoted to improving these skills that they might vie for an honored position on the varsity in future years.

The little Cubs won five of their seventeen hotly-contested games during the season.




ROW ONE: M. Pederson, M. Solberg, D. Doty, D. Quinn, J. Gunnare, S. Merrick, A. Trudeau, L. Shuck, L. Numsen. ROW TWO: Coach Kroger, D. Anderson, A. Hagen, R. Riherd, W. Peterson, J. St. Pierre, D. Carlson, W. Bowers, Mr. Hansen, G. Doty.

Pain, perspiration, and perseverence, the essential ingredients of track, were experienced by those boys on the squad who strove to improve their skills through competitive races and field events.

The little glory that was won by those who excelled in track was well returned by their individual feeling of accomplishment. Only the boys themselves could appreciate the sacrifices and hard work they showed at the many practices and the meets.

The Cubs scored well at the West Sioux Invitational. Placing high in the relays at the Jefferson Invitational displayed our boys skill and determination in track.



SHOT PUT
Doug broke the school record


LOW HURDLES


MILE RELAY TEAM


DISTANCE RUNNERS


"A" TEAM CHEERLEADERS-M. St. Pierre, K. Saugstad, J. Satter, B. McKellips .
Hold That Line!


The first weeks of limbering up,
The tears of the final game;
The brisk autumn air of the football field, The stuffy cloud of a gymnasium;
The tense quiet of a free-throw,
The relaxed noise on the passenger bus;
The odor of earth and grass,
The scent of buttered popcorn;
The thrill of victory,
The agony of defeat:
The emotions of a cheerleader.



ROW ONE: J. Satter, M. St. Pierre, B. McKellips, K. Saugstad, D. Herbrandson, Treasurer; J. Moberg, Secretary; M. Westin, President; M. Zweifel, Vice-President, L. Carlson, K. Sommervold, M. Bowers, L. Riffe. ROW TWO: M. Trudeau, M. Roskelind, J. Larson, E. Thormodsgaard, V. Wells, I. Siemers, B. Wahl, C. Stoen, C. Anderson, K. Edson, M. Eidsness, J. Green, P. Buum, R. Peterson, L. Wetrosky. ROW THREE: Mrs. Bartunek, Advisor; C. Stubbs, T. Stubbs, P. Homandberg, M Hendricks, P. Johnson, S. Johnson, L. Fickbohm, Z. Rabey, D. Jervik, J. Thormodsgaard, J. Thormodsgaard, D. Johnson, J. Klostergaard, C. Westin, J. Danielson. ROW FOUR: J. Westin, J. Mol et, C. Van Ballegooyen, M. Mudder, J. Arends, L. Ludwig, M. Ronning, D. Johnson, D. Lykken, C. Hartman, M. Ludwig, R. Hendricks, B. Bowers, N. Hendricks, M. Arends, S. Hagen, M. Sogn.

## Pep Club Cheers the Sports Line

The blue - gold pom poms and cheers of support were raised in unison to the cheer:
"We're here to show we're Cubs' fans, so come on, prove it!"
Each girl took part in the club by working in the coat check, attending the monthly meetings, and most of all, by showing school spirit.



## Nothing Great is Lightly Won



Commencement address was delivered by M.F. Coddington, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.


Pat Buam delivers her salutatorian speech.


Valedictorian Douglas Anderson delivers his speech.



As the doors close on my year as editor of the "1966 CUBETTE" I look back on my frantic moments and grin. I think of all the manpower that has been put between two hard covers and my head spins. Yet after each page was completed I felt a deep surge of satisfaction which made each effort worthwhile.

Without the help of my staff and Advisor Mr. Kirsch.this book would not be in your hands today. They not only assisted me in the production of this annual, they were also the chief source of my moral support. I will never forget all the fun, friendships, and wonderful experiences that I gained as Editor of your "1966 CUBETTE".




