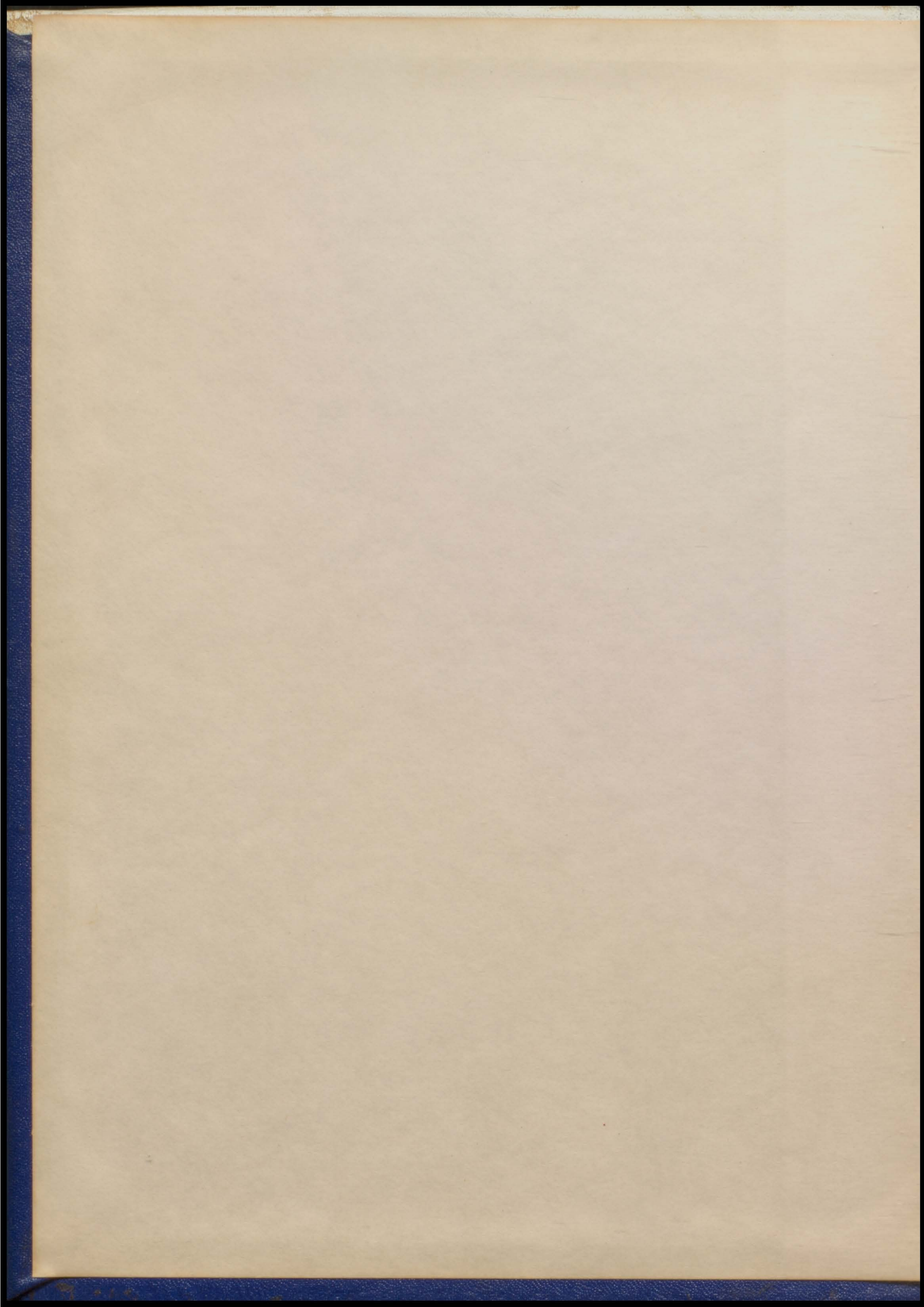


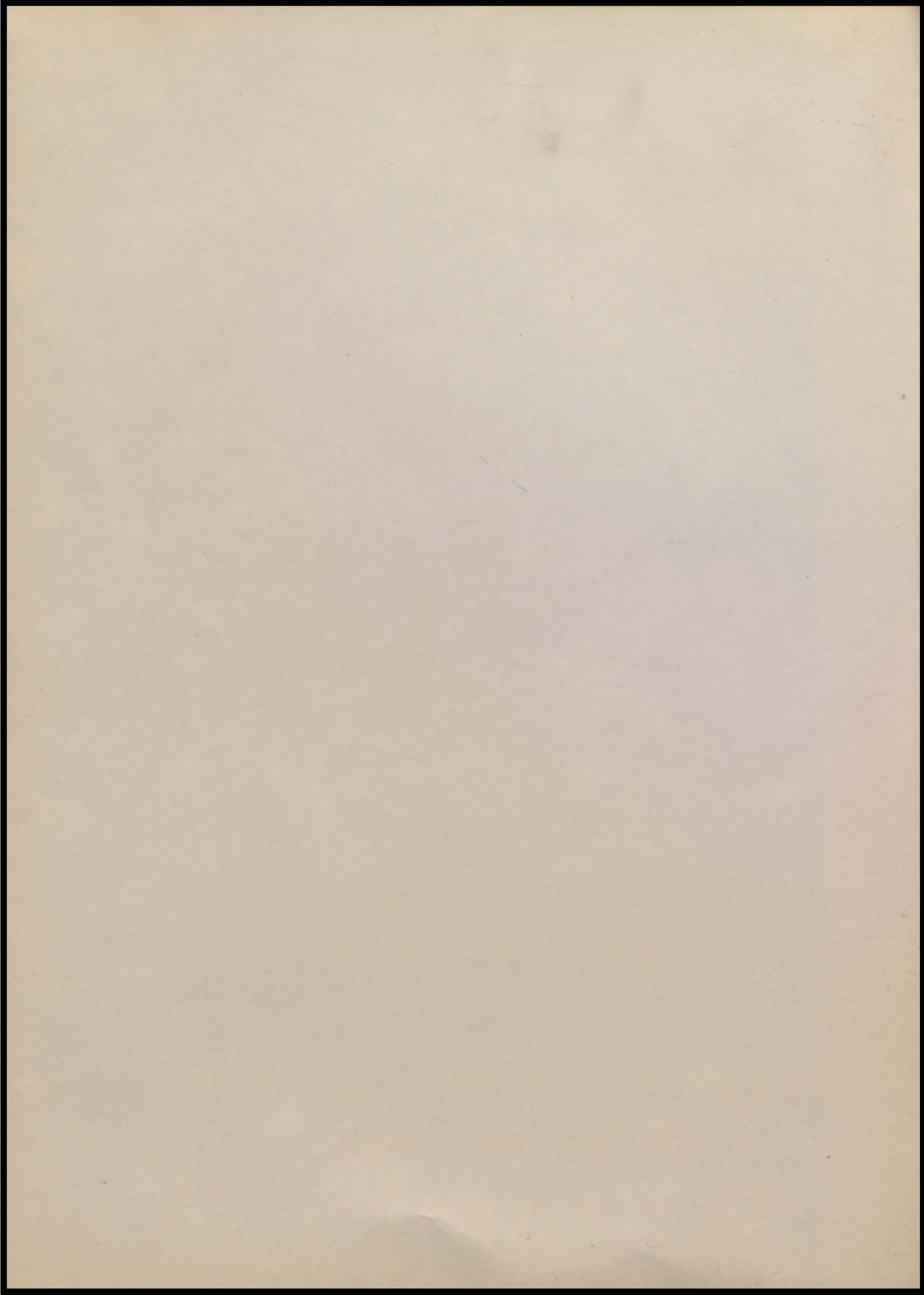


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Dedication

To our parents who,
through their interest
and love, have made
possible our
accomplishments here,
this book is dedicated.

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Foreword

Autumn to winter, winter to spring,
Spring into summer, summer into fall,—
So rolls the changing year, and so we change.

—D. M. Mulock



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An Appreciation

We pay tribute to Mr. Liggett, whose administration and kindly supervision have guided us through these many seasons.

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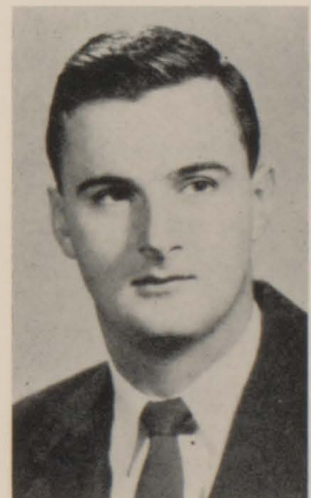
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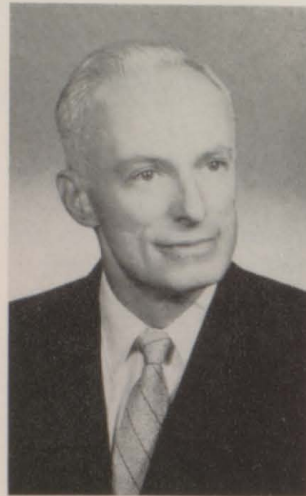
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Petersburg Forever

Words and Music by H. E. Akers

Here's to Petersburg forever,
May we always be so true,
May our courage never falter,
May we always be loyal to you.

Rah! Rah!

May your memory live forever,
And stand for all that's right,
So let's Fight! Fight! Fight!
With all of our might,
For the honor of the Blue and the White.

Pep Club

One hundred sixty members of the student body made up the Pep Club this year. They chose as their leaders: Bob Vogt, President; Marilyn Chester, Vice-President; Polly Sutton, Secretary; and Joan Neumann, Treasurer. The sponsors were Mrs. Rebbe and Mr. McKee.

On November 22, the Pep Club sponsored "The Harvest Ball" in the gaily decorated bandroom. By popular vote taken at the door, Polly Sutton and Bob Vogt were chosen to reign over the festivities.

The Pep Club sold season bus tickets for the away basketball games. Students who bought these tickets and attended all games saved themselves 50c.

Under the capable direction of Mrs. Rebbe, the cheerleaders learned many new cheers which brought school spirit to a new high. Pep rallies were held before almost every game.



Football



Standing: Mr. Bagby, Danny Bell, Mark Liggett, Sam Ishmael, Dan Wilson, David Worthington, Bryce Monroe, Bob Lottman, Glenn Tuttle, William Ishmael, Mick Higerson, Tim Lynn, Butch Tuttle, Warnsing Lewis, Coach Hilderbrand.
 First Row: Jim Eddings, Dick Shawgo, Jim White, Bob Lynn, Bob Vogt, Clyde Dearing, Steve Allen, Gary Ogden, Howard Tuttle, Russ Severns.

Winning four of the nine games played this year, the Football Team enjoyed a successful season. Since most of the team were juniors, we can look forward to an even better season next year with more experienced players.

William Ishmael was chosen "Most Valuable Player" and received a trophy.

Bryce Monroe won the award for the most tackles-91.

Next year's team will greatly miss William Ishmael, Clyde Dearing, Steve Allen, Bob Vogt, Dan Wilson, and Glenn Tuttle.

Date		Opponent	Score	
			We	They
September	12	Home	Assumption	13-6
September	19	Away	Girard	13-26
September	26	Home	Meredosia	27-0
October	3	Home	Deer Creek-Mackinaw	6-24
October	10	Home	Routt	6-19
October	14	Home	Arenzville	33-13
October	17	Away	Mt. Sterling	7-26
October	24	Away	Havana	13-26
October	31	Away	Franklin	33-6

Harvest Ball Court



Left to Right: Clyde Dearing, Don Shawgo, Steve Eckhoff, Bob Vogt, Polly Sutton, Joan Neumann, Vicki Lounsberry, Marilyn Chester.

Junior Play Usherettes



Third Row: Linda Lynn, Lula Price, Twila Moss, Ruth Gleason, Brenda Page.
Second Row: Shirley Dawson, Phyllis Hodgen, Nancy Shawgo, Connie Klauzer.
First Row: Julia Ball.

The Junior Play

The junior class presented their play, "A Double Barrelled Detective Story," by Mark Twain on November 13 and 14. The play was directed by Mr. Costigan.

The cast was as follows:

Archy	Dan Bell
Mrs. Stillman	Phyllis Tuttle
Amanda Sink	Pat Finney
Nancy Palmer	Shiryl Brauer
Rosemary Hillyer	Cathie Schirding
Sammy Hillyer	Roy Trickey
Katy Hogan	Ruth Dirks
Sadie Smith	Georgia Lu Watkins
"Injun" Hattie	Laird Bennett
Flint Buckner	Steve Atterberry
Fetlock Jones	Dick Moss
Pat Riley	Bryce Monroe
Sherlock Holmes	Lewis Powell
Ham Sandwich	Warnsing Lewis
Jacob Fuller	Mick Higginson







Freshman Officers

Dwight Brass Treasurer
 Susan Hurley Secretary
 Diane McGary Vice-President
 Larry Beaty President

Freshman Class

Top Row: Jim Atwood, Bob Lynn, Willie Skaggs, George Melton, Stanley Powell, Bill Buchanan, Elby Harris, Fred Beard.

Third Row: Nancy Eilks, Mary Fillbright, Shirley Neumann, Mary Grossbaier, Barbara Sinclair, Mary Primm, Lois Power, Mildred Miller, Susan Hurley.

Second Row: John Leithoff, Gary Boske, Art Ericson, Janice Estill, Mary Ann Bailey, Diane Woodard, Delores Otto, Donna Edwards.

First Row: Mike Bell, Bob Gillmore, Robert Hinds, Geraldine Miller, Nettie Woods, Micheula Fulton, Linda Shawgo.



Freshman Class History

On the twenty-fourth of September, 1958, sixty-nine freshmen started the first of four happy years at P.H.H.S. They chose as their class officers: President, Larry Beaty; Vice-President, Diane McGary; Secretary, Susan Hurley; Treasurer, Dwight Brass; Student Council Representative, Ruth Ann Lounsberry. The class sponsors were Mr. Worthington, Mr. Jones, Mr. Beveroth, and Mrs. Rebbe.

On October 24, the freshmen came to school attired in the latest initiation fashions. Each freshman was assigned an upper-classman as master. Closing the day were the reception and program held in the gym. Marjorie Powell's fashionable hat and the "rip roaring" cowboy stunt received first prizes.

The other memorable event of the year was the class party.

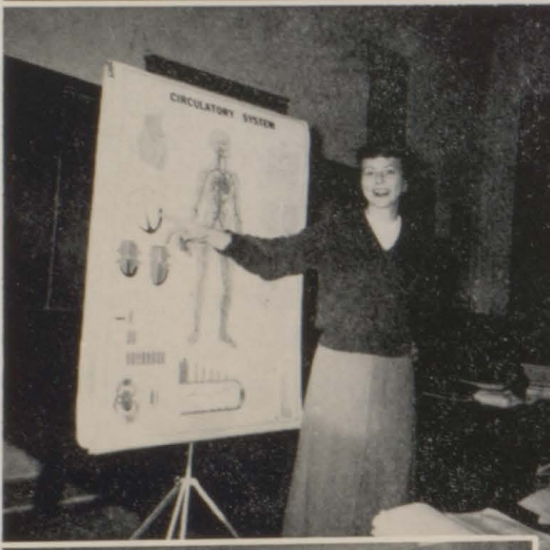
Top Row: Larry Beaty, Verlin Caldi, Fred Gordon, Thales Tuttle, Charles Dambacher, Billie Skaggs, Howard Tuttle, Russell Jæger.

Third Row: Ruth Lounsberry, Hazel Covington, Darlene Lee, Judy Kern, SuEllen Brauer, Janet Neumann, Audrey Morgan, Diane McGary, Bambi Moulton.

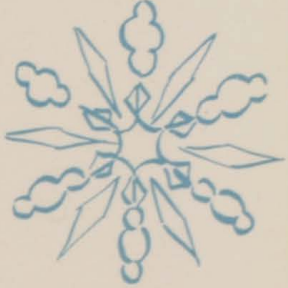
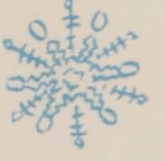
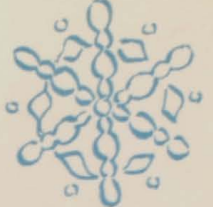
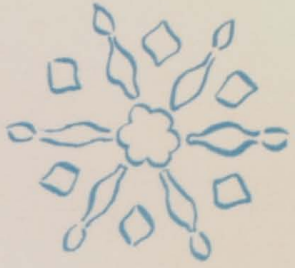
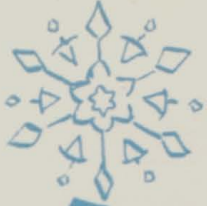
Second Row: Sherlyn King, Judy Shawgo, Donna Moss, Marjorie Powell, Leona Murphy, North Cheney, Donnie Matthews, Dwight Brass.

First Row: Gloria Pringle, Nancy Grosboll, Beverly Lounsberry, Barbara Nance, Tom Gum, Joe Ball, John Rogers.





Winter...





Student Council



Standing: Marion Eades, Ruth Lounsberry, Karen Hollis, Miss Terry, Mick Higgeson, Pat Tibbs.

Seated: Roy Trickey, Bill Grosboll, Bob Vogt, Joan Neumann, Linda Peterson.

Student Council Active Unit

The Student Council, which represents the student body, was an efficient and harmonious unit this year. The Council is made up of ten representatives chosen from each class: freshman, Ruth Lounsberry; sophomore, Marion Eades and Karen Hollis; junior, Patty Tibbs, Roy Trickey and Mick Higgeson; senior, Linda Peterson, Joan Neumann, Bob Vogt, and Bill Grosboll. Miss Terry is the faculty adviser.

The Council elected Bob Vogt as president; Bill Grosboll vice-president; Linda Peterson, secretary; and Joan Neumann, treasurer.

The Student Council sponsored the usual projects and assemblies. They held the Freshman Reception on October 23. A prize for best hat was given to Marjorie Powell. A cowboy skit was judged the best act on the program. They also sponsored the annual Christmas program, tea, and dance. A much-enjoyed program was the All-School Talent Show on February 19. SuEllen Brauer won first prize for a pantomime act.

In addition, the Council sold tickets for pay assemblies, introduced the programs, sold cold drinks at basketball games, and collected money for the Red Cross, the Polio Fund, and the Heart Fund.

Varsity Basketball



Standing: Jim Eddings, John Moats, Dean Nissen, Mick Higgerson, Bryce Monroe, Larry Rebbe, Don Shawgo, William Ishmael, Steve Atterberry, Bob Vogt Dick Shawgo.
Kneeling: Coach Elmo Hilderbrand, Assistant Coach, Bernard Lawrence.

Basketball Scores

Date	Opponent	We	They	Date	Opponent	We	They
Nov. 18	Chandlerville	81	45	Jan. 20	Athens	49	71
Nov. 21	Delavan	63	71	Jan. 23	Mason City	32	58
Dec. 2	Feitshans	36	68	Jan. 27-30	Ashland Tourney		
Dec. 5	Beardstown	36	45		Middletown	58	37
Dec. 9	Havana	49	54		Ashland	56	38
Dec. 16	Tri-City	62	49		St. James	61	59
Dec. 23	Astoria	81	61	Feb. 3	Balyki	68	58
Dec. 26-31	Xmas Tourney Rount			Feb. 6	Forman	63	66
	Waterloo	66	60	Feb. 10	Riverton	58	85
	New Berlin	48	85	Feb. 17	Arenzville	60	54
Jan. 2	Virginia	63	75	Feb. 20	Pleasant Plains	70	77
Jan. 6	Ashland	86	58	Feb. 27	Williamsville	74	59
Jan. 13	Easton	64	62		Havana Regional		
Jan. 16	Greenview	47	63	Mar. 3	Havana		

Junior Varsity Basketball



Assistant Coach, Bernard Lawrence, Donnie Matthews, Donnie Dawson, Richard Higginson, Thales Tuttle, David Worthington, Bob Lottman, George Melton, Pete Lewis, Bob Schnapp, Larry Hill, Jim Hughes, Coach-Elmo Hilderbrand.

Front Row: Phil Johnson, Marion Eades, Tom Gum.

	We	They		We	They
Chandlerville	39	23			
Delavan	44	39	Forman	27	51
Feitshans	29	66	Riverton	41	53
Beardstown	40	38	Arenzville	48	35
Havana	44	54	Pleasant Plains	71	62
Tri-City	58	42	Williamsville	51	37
Routt	50	39	Abe Lincoln Fresmen-Sophomore		
Astoria	68	32	Tourney		
Virginia	51	46	Balyki	39	33
Ashland	47	25	Athens	50	34
Easton	65	38	Mason City	51	55
Greenview	43	30	Petersburg Freshmen-Sophomore		
Athens	21	29	Tourney		
Mason City	36	46	Tri-City	50	33
Balyki	63	32	Rochester	63	39

Junior High Basketball

The Petersburg Junior High Light Weights won five games and lost eight games. The Heavy Weights won three and lost eight.

THE TOURNAMENTS

Easton Tournament	Heavy Weights	Fourth
Sectional	Light Weights	Fourth
Athens Invitational	Light Weights	Third

Mr. Parkin was the capable coach of the teams.

Junior High Basketball



Top row: David Barbee, Gene Nottingham, Larry Vogt, Billy Faith, Jimmy Watkins, Jim Satorius.

Third Row: George Davis, Mike Eddings, Larry Nottingham, Ricky Juergens, Paul Davis, Pete Liggett, Charles Woods.

Second Row: Donnie Stier, Jerry Smith, Eddie Armstrong, Dick Cheaney, Ronnie Warmoth, David Cheney.

First Row: Mr. Parkin, Eugene Norton, Larry Eddings, Rod Minor, Al Davis, Richard Zuhlke, Donnie Leonard.

Junior High Cheerleaders



Standing: Linda Owen, Judie Boehm, Nancy McGary, Jane Marcussen, Norma Thomson, Mrs. Gerhardt.

First Row: Betty McGary, Marilyn Treece, Carol Neilson, Holly Knuppel, Judy Balster.



The Band



Third Row: Olonda Phelps-Clarinet, Carol Hinrichs-Clarinet, William Ishmael-Clarinet, Brenda Page-Clarinet, Shirley Whitley-Clarinet, Sue Brauer-Clarinet, Ruth Ann Lounsberry-Clarinet, Laird Bennett-Drums, Dick Shawgo-Bass, Martha Brass-Bass.

Second Row: Norma Albert-Clarinet, Jane Whalen-Clarinet, Dale Fredericks-Clarinet, Diane McGary-Clarinet, Carol Atterberry-Clarinet, Judy Eilers-Clarinet, Art Ericron-Cornet, Mary Primm-Cornet, Will Carter-Cornet, Steve Allen-Cornet, Don Shawgo-Cornet.

First Row: Pat Tibbs-Clarinet, Pat Finney-Clarinet, Marilyn Chester-Clarinet, Donna Bell-Clarinet, Hazel Covington-Oboe, Richard Zuhlke-Sax.

Band Parents Association

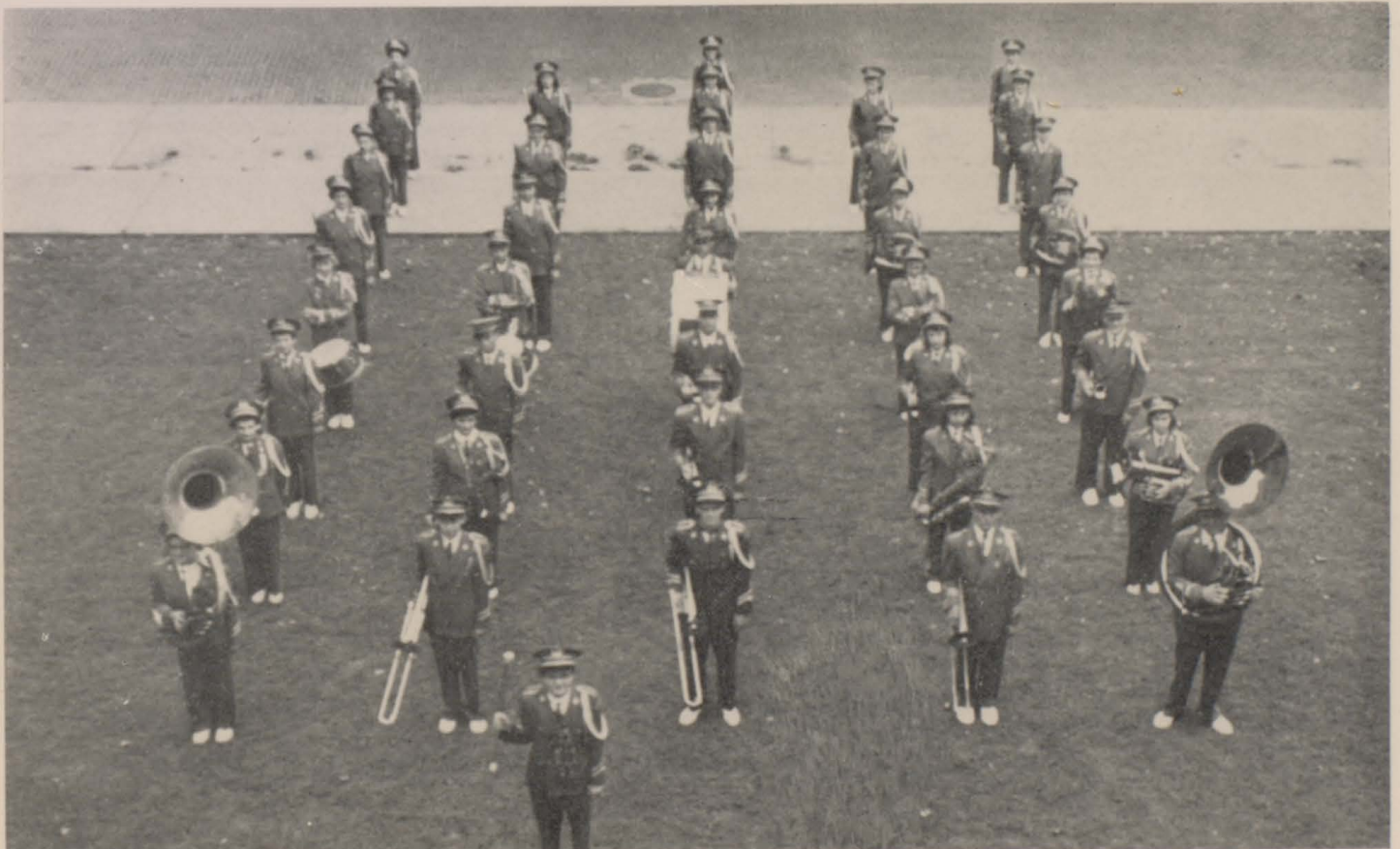
The Band Parents Association, a most helpful organization, had as its officers for 1958-59 Chairman, Mrs. Clarence Zuhlke; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. John Knuppel; Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Fricke; Treasurer, Mrs. Herschel Wood, and Publicity Chairman, Mrs. Roy Robbins.

The Band Parents are always ready and willing to aid the Band and its Director. The mothers served a chilli supper following the Annual Christmas Caroling Party. They helped finance the summer band program. They sent two students to summer Band Camp at Macomb.

The main project of the association was the Band Benefit Dance. The proceeds were used to purchase uniforms for the band.



Back Row: Drums-Jody Sims. Mary Jane Behrends, Connie Terhune, Barbara Nance.
 Third Row: Barbara Moulton-Bass, Dave Sexton-Bass, Jane Marcussen-Sax, Barbara Schonewise-Baritone,
 Phyllis Tuttle-Sax, Mary Boehm-Sax, Russ Eddings-Sax, Bob Morgan-Trombone, Marilyn Treece-Trombone, Don
 Phelps-Trombone, Larry Beaty-Trombone, Dick Moss-Trombone, Gary Ogden-Trombone.
 Second Row: Dan Bell-Cornet, Karl Beaty-Cornet, Warnsing Lewis-Cornet, Steve Atterberry-Cornet, Connie Bailey-
 Bass Clarinet, Harold Curry-Bassoon, Darlene Lee-FrenchHorn, Susan Hurley-French Horn, Jacque Killian-French
 Horn, Jana Greene-French Horn, Roy Trickey-French Horn.
 First Row: Mary Ann Bailey-Sax, Joyce Greene-Sax, Dianne Lutes-Sax, Alberta Wesselman-Flute, Donna Cherry-
 Flute, Shiryl Brauer-Flute.



Girls' Chorus



Top Row: Georgia Watkins, Julia Ball, Polly Sutton, Judy Cook, Kathryn Bennett, Phyllis Tuttle, Irene Smith, Laird Bennett, Jana Greene, Mary Jane Behrends.
Second Row: Lois Jordan, Kathryn Tippett, Jean Snedigar, Dixie Wilson, Judy Knoles, Lois Power, Shirley Neumann, Diane Woodard, Donna Bell, Karen Hollis, Jody Sims.
First Row: Karen Tibbs, Micheula Fulton, Brenda Allen, Nancy Grosboll, Judy Churchill, Nettie Woods, Geraldine Miller, Delores Otto, Sherlyn King, Janice Estill, Marjorie Powell, Mary Ann Bailey.

The girls' chorus, under the direction of James Heller, organized shortly after school began. The chorus was divided into two sections electing as their officers: President, Joyce Leinberger; Secretary, Nancy Grosboll; and in the second section: President, Phyllis Monroe, and Secretary, Joan Neumann. Helen Potts and Jana Greene were accompanists.

On October 24 the chorus joined with other choruses at Easton for the Abe Lincoln Festival.

The Christmas Concert was held in the gym on December 12. The Fourth Grade, Junior High Chorus, Boys' Ensemble, Senior Ensemble and High School Chorus presented an impressive program.

One of the girls from the chorus, Mary Jane Behrends, went to the state with her solo.

On January 23, the sock hop was sponsored by the chorus to secure money for robes.

The final program of the chorus was given on April 29.



Top Row: Joan Neumann, Connie Terhune, Lula Price, Phyllis Monroe, Connie Eilks, Linda Lynn, Barbara Ruppel, Linda Peterson, Helen Potts, Vicki Lounsberry, Sandra Trenary.

Second Row: Judy Kern, Jane Whalen, Mary Primm, Janet Neumann, Janice Skilbeck, Jacque Killian, Carol Hinrichs, Charlotte Atterberry, Mary Grossbaier, Linda Hubbard, Connie Bailey,

First Row: Mr. Heller, Susan Hurley, June Minor, Ruth Lounsberry, Marilyn Nichols, Norma Alberts, Joyce Leinberger, Cathy Jaeger, Donna Edwards, Hazel Covington, Carolyn Anderson, Alice Barnett.

Boys' Chorus



Left to Right: Jim Powell, David Worthington, Albert Stier, Richard Higgerson, Roy Trickey, Dan Bell. Helen Potts-Accompanist.

Library Staff



Top Row: Darlene Lee, Cathie Schirding, Vicki Lounsberry, Phyllis Monroe, Anne Rawlings, Pat Tibbs, Mary Jane Behrends, Jody Sims.

Third Row: Ruth Thomson, Marilyn Chester, Sandra Trenary, Judy Eilers, Donna Bell, Deanne Lutes, Judie Tippett, Judy Cook.

Second Row: Ruth Dirks, Peggy Weatherby, Janice Leinberger, Betty Curry, Lorine Batterton, Kathryn Bennett, Barbara Schaad, Olonda Phelps.

First Row: Linda Peterson, Joan Neumann, Helen Potts, Miss Masters.

The High School Library

This year our library won national recognition. It was honored by the American Association of School Libraries. It was one of a group cited for "good facilities, program and services and for making a detailed study of staff, materials, collections facilities and distribution."

Our student library staff is a member of regional and state organizations of Student Library Assistants.

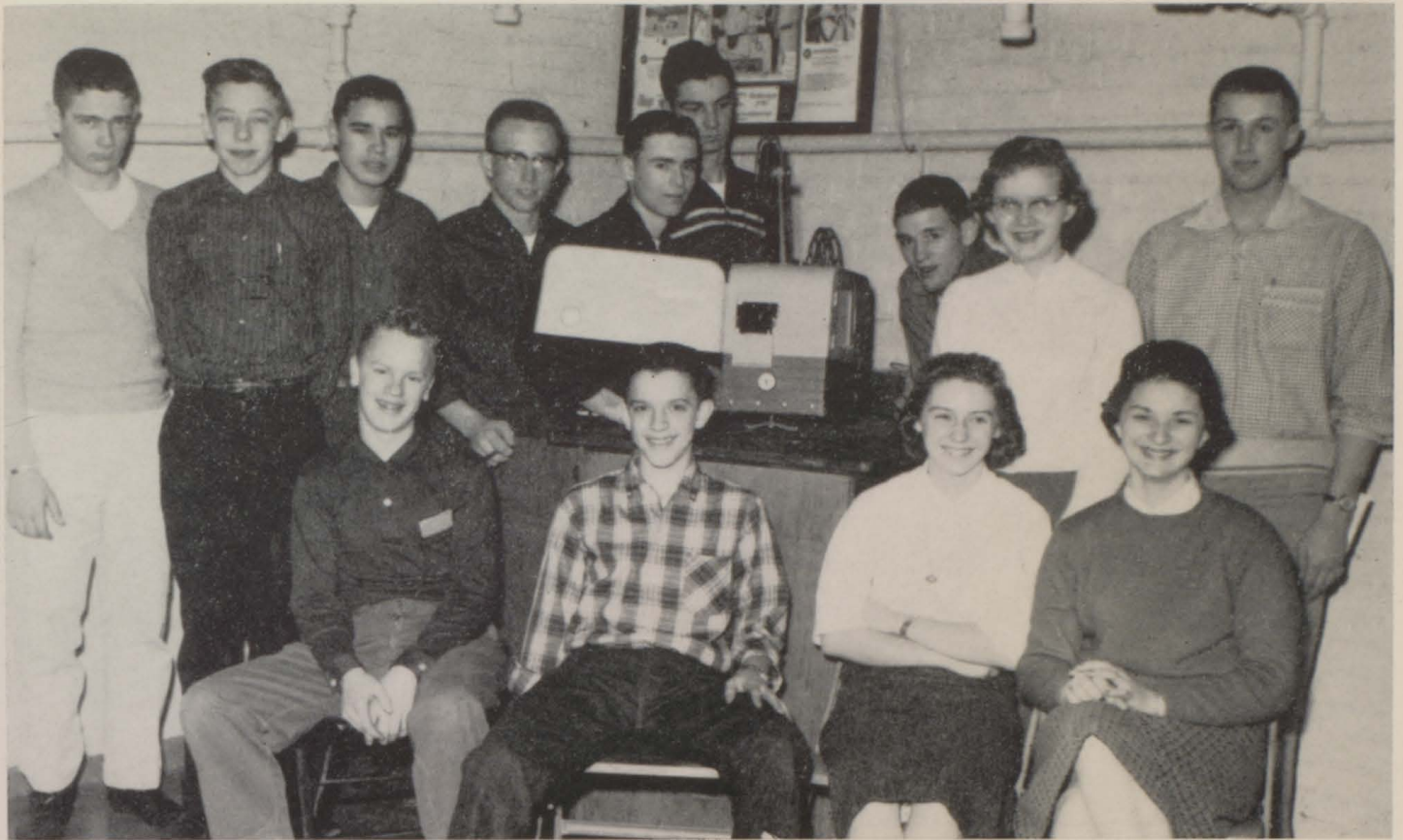
One of our members was the elected representative for the South Central Section to the state organization.

The projectionists, too, are a part of the Library Staff and gave loyal help to school and town.

A reading accelerator was added to the library equipment, and work was begun with students to increase their reading efficiency.

Edith L. Masters, Librarian

Projectionists



Back Row-Left to Right: Steve Allen, Donald Phelps, Larry Hill, Carl Jones, Karl Beaty, Glenn Tuttle, Will Ishmael, Linda Lynn, Albert Stier.

Seated-Left to Right: Jimmy Powell, Phil Johnson, Barbara Schonewise, Phyllis Tuttle.



Future Homemakers of America



Top Row: Linda Hubbard, Janice Skilbeck, Sharon Dick, Ruth Schaad, Shirley Whitley, Lula Price, Barbara Kern, Barbara Sinclair, Barbara Milstead, Barbara Ruppel, June Minor.
Third Row: Marilyn Nichols, Judy Knoles, Roberta Pantier, Audrey Morgan, Linda Lynn, Connie Bailey, Ruth Thomson, Donna Bell, Judie Tippett.
Second Row: Donna Edwards, Donna Moss, Leona Murphy, Phyllis Hodgen, Carol Vogt, Shirley Dawson, Mary Fillbright, Mary Bailey, Brenda Page.
First Row: Karen Tibbs, Nettie Woods, Sharon Severns, Nancy Raikes, Nancy Shawgo, Sue Pratt, Olonda Phelps, Miss Holloway.

The Future Homemakers of America is a national organization of girls who study homemaking in high school. Their motto is "Toward New Horizons"; their flower is a rose; the colors are red and white, symbolic of youth and purity.

This year the Petersburg Chapter chose as officers: President, Ruth Ann Dirks; Vice-President, Barbara Schaad; Secretary, Shiryl Brauer; Treasurer, Joyce Greene; Chairman of Projects, Peggy Weatherby; Public Relations, Judy Cook; Parliamentarian, Katherine Bennett; Recreation Chairmen, Judy Eilks, Deanne Lutes, and Polly Sutton; Degree Chairmen, Betty Curry, Nancy Eilks, Sue Pratt, and Judy Tippett. The girls chose Mrs. William Dirks to be their Chapter Mother; Mrs. Dora Watkins an Honorary Member; Miss Marguerite Holloway is the sponsor.

Future Homemakers of America



Top Row: Dixie Wilson, Nancy Eilks, Mildred Miller, Ruth Sinclair, Leta Fry, Connie Eilks, Audrey Thomas, Jane Cummings, Darlene Lee, Judy Eilers.

Third Row: Carolyn Anderson, Hazel Covington, Betty Curry, Carol Hohimer, Jean Snedigar, Katherine Tippett, Diane Woodward, Patty Ames, Alice Barnett, Judy Shawgo.

Second Row: Linda Shawgo, Julia Ball, Beverly Lounsberry, Joyce Garmon, Polly Sutton, Peggy Weatherby, Geraldine Miller, Brenda Allen, Gloria Pringle.

First Row: Miss Holloway, Ruth Dirks, Barbara Schaad, Shiryl Brauer, Joyce Greene, Kathryn Bennett, Judy Eilks, Judy Cook.

There were many important events in the year. Ruth Ann Dirks attended F.H.A. Camp at East Bay during the summer. On December 3 all senior girls took the Betty Crocker Test; Georgia Baker was the winner. The girls held a potluck supper on January 13 before the Easton basketball game. On March 19, the F.H.A. entertained the F.F.A. boys at a party.

An unforgettable accomplishment was the Sweetheart Dance held on February 14 in the colorfully decorated bandroom. Barbara Ruppel was crowned Sweetheart Queen. Her court consisted of Clyde Dearing, Olonda Phelps, Steve Allen, Martha Fillbright, Albert Stier, Judy Eilks, and William Ishmael. Constance Rebbe, last year's queen, crowned the new Queen; Ruth Ann Dirks, presiding, presented the Queen with a bouquet of beautiful red roses. The Erickson Orchestra furnished the music.

As a fitting finale to a most successful year, the club entertained their mothers at the annual Mother and Daughter Party in April.

Future Farmers of America



Top Row: Jim Hopper, Sam Ishmael, Danny Heyen, William Ishmael, Louis Powell, David Worthington, Charles Dambacher, David Sexton.

Fourth Row: Larry Beaty, Gary Melcher, Steve Allen, Albert Stier, Clyde Dearing, Bob Schnapp, Jim Dunham, Dick Shawgo.

Third Row: Sam Heyen, Don Matthews, Gary Boske, Donnie Dawson, Bill Buchanan, Harold Hollis, David Ruppel, Herschel Hinds.

Second Row: Doug Schnapp, Dean Nance, Larry Carter, Tom Gum, Milton Scroggins, Marion Eades, Johnny Rogers.

First Row: Mr. Worthington, Harold Curry, Russ Severns, Karl Beaty, Tom Grosboll, Carl Jones.

The Petersburg Chapter of the Future Farmers of America consisted of thirty-six active and industrious members. Officers elected to lead them through a successful year were: President, Russell Severns; Vice-President, Karl Beaty; Secretary, Tom Grosboll; Treasurer, Carl Jones; and Reporter, Harold Curry. This group was led under the able direction of Mr. Max J. Worthington.

On June 17, 1958, the boys traveled to the University of Illinois for the annual State Judging Contest.

The Sectional Fair was held at the State Fair Grounds at Springfield, Illinois, on August 19, 1958, with nine boys of the Petersburg Chapter participating.

On October 23, 1953, the Land Judging Contest of Section 14 was held at Williams-ville. First place rating went to Petersburg. Among the individual honors were Jim Dunham, first; Harold Curry, seventh; Carl Jones, eighth.

The Grain and Poultry Contest was held at Lincoln on February 14, 1959. The Grain Team placed second; individual honors were won by Dean Nance, third; Sam Heyen, fifth; Marion Eades, seventh; Bob Schnapp, ninth. The Poultry Team placed sixth. Individual honors were won by Karl Beaty, tenth.

The Livestock and Dairy Contest was held at Hartsburg on April 4, 1959.

On March 26, 1959, the members of the F.F.A. went on a trip to Gibson City to tour a feed mill.

In the latter part of April the Senior F.F.A. members toured a Farm Implement Factory at Moline and Rock Island. This is to become an annual event for the senior members. This tour is sponsored by a local implement dealer.

Land Judging Team

Standing: Louis Powell, Mr. Worthington, David Sexton.
Seated: Harold Curry, Jim Dunham, Carl Jones.



Debate



Left to Right: Nancy Grosboll, Jim Atwood, Roy Trickey, Sandra Trenary, Connie Terhune, Barbara Moulton, Jody Sims, Laird Bennett.
Standing: Mr. Costigan, Director.

Under the inspiring direction of Mr. Costigan, the school participated successfully in debate this year.

The debate topic for this year was: Resolved: that the United States should adopt the Essential Features of the British Educational System.

To argue the question were Laird Bennett, Connie Terhune, Jim Atwood, Jody Sims for the affirmative. Roy Trickey, Barbara Moulton, Nancy Grosboll, and Sandra Trenary were the negative.

The team participated in three tournaments: Blue Island, Normal Invitational, and Decatur Invitational.

Attending the Sectional Debate Tourney for the affirmative were Laird Bennett, Connie Terhune. For the negative were Roy Trickey and Barbara Moulton. The year's record is 4-4.

Speech



Top Row: Mr. Costigan, Director, Nancy Grosboll, Sandra LeSourd, Jody Sims, Patty Finney, Norma Holiday, Mr. Beveroth, Assistant Director.

Second Row: Anne Rawlings, Linda Hubbard, Phyllis Tuttle, Karen Hollis, Karen Tibbs.

Third Row: Bob Vogt, David Tibbs, Dale Fredricks, Pete Lewis, Tom Hudspeth.

Speech Contest

Thirteen students attended the District Speech Contest at Lincoln and brought back a rating of Third for the school. In Sectional, the rating was of second.

The individual entries and their ratings follow: Dale Fredricks, Oratorical Declamation, "The Challenge We Face", (Fourth Place); Phyllis Tuttle, Serious Reading, "We Are Americans" by Kaufman & Hart, (Third Place); Nancy Grosboll, After-Dinner Speaking, "Mark Twain", (Second Place); Norma Holliday, Radio Speaking; Anne Rawlings, Verse Reading, (First Place); Sandra LeSourd, Original Monologue, "Killer Charlie", (Second Place); David Tibbs, Original Oration, "Delinquent Citizen", (First Place); Lewis Powell, Comedy Reading, "Green Pastures" by Marc Connelly, (First Place).

One-Act Play, "Infanta" by Lewy Olsson, Ninth Place, Duchess, Jody Sims, Count, Pete Lewis; Infanta, Karen Hollis; Maid, Pat Finney; Dwarf, Tom Hudspeth; Director, Mr. Beveroth.

Sectional, Sandra LeSourd, Fifth Place; Lewis Powell, Fifth Place; David Tibbs, First Place; Phyllis Tuttle, Second Place; Nancy Grosboll, Second Place; Anne Rawlings, Second Place.

To State, Anne Rawlings, David Tibbs.

International Students Society



Top Row: Barbara Ruppel, Jane Whalen, Judy Kern, SuEllen Brauer, Judy Eilks, Barbara Kern, Ruth Schaad, Sandra LeSourd, Linda Hubbard, Shirley Neumann.

Fourth Row: Janice Estill, Jean Snedigar, Judy Knoles, Ruth Thomson, Connie Bailey, Vicki Lounsberry, Jody Sims, Karen Hollis, Dixie Wilson, Judie Tippett.

Third Row: Peggy Weatherby, Janice Leinberger, Joyce Leinberger, Norma Alberts, Judy Cook, Lorine Batterton, Caroline Anderson, Joyce Garmon, Patty Finney, Karen Tibbs.

Second Row: Micheula Fulton, Sherlyn King, Mary Primm, Carol Vogt, Mary Jane Behrends, Leta Fry, Judy Churchill, Ruth Dirks.

First Row: Miss Terry, Linda Peterson, Helen Potts, Phyllis Monroe, Olonda Phelps.

On October 1, thirty-nine girls met with their sponsor, Miss Terry, to organize the International Students Society, a club designed to promote world friendship through correspondence.

They chose as their officers: President, Linda Peterson; Vice-President, Helen Potts; Secretary, Phyllis Monroe; Treasurer, Olonda Phelps.

The Program Committee, consisting of a representative from each class, planned many interesting programs for the enjoyment of the members.

The club enjoyed several guest speakers. In September, Mrs. Benno Selcke spoke on her life in Denmark, Iran, Norway and Sweden. In October, George Guinan showed slides of Japan and told of his experiences while serving there. In February, Bob Heyen showed slides of various European countries, climaxed by the Brussels World Fair.

At Christmas time, the club sent several bags of clothes to "Save the Children Federation" for use in areas of the world where there is need.

The year ended with a picnic at New Salem Park.

Lettermen's Club



Top Row: Coach Hilderbrand, Steve Allen, Clyde Dearing, John Moats, Dean Nissen, Dan Bell, Danny Wilson, Mark Liggett.

Second Row: Mick Higgerson, Willie Ishmael, Bob Lottman, Glenn Tuttle, Larry Rebbé, Bryce Monroe, Steve Atterberry, Don Shawgo.

Front Row: Gary Ogden, Jim White, Warnsing Lewis, Dick Shawgo, Russ Severns, Jim Eddings.



Junior Officers

Bryce Monroe President

Shiryl Brauer Secretary-Treas.

Larry Rebbe Vice-President

Junior Class

Top Row: Dick Moss, Howard Cummings, Harold Curry, Mick Higgerson, Larry Rebbe, Steve Atterberry, David Sexton, Tim Lynn, Jim Hopper.

Third Row: Roberta Pantier, Mary Jane Behrends, Shirley Whitley, Lula Price, Connie Terhune, Shiryl Brauer, Pat Tibbs, Laird Bennett, Judy Eilers.

Second Row: Pat Finney, Mary Boehm, Peggy Weatherby, Judy Cook, Linda Lynn, Phyllis Hodgen, Phyllis Tuttle, Joyce Greene, Ruth Dirks.

First Row: Jim Eddings, Russ Severns, Junior Fortney, Tom Grosboll, Jim Collins, Bill Gilmore, Bill Moody, Lee Robinson.



Junior Class History

On the auspicious day of August 28, 1956, Petersburg Harris High School was invaded by eighty-eight green little monsters fresh from Junior High. These freshmen were given the royal welcome into the hallowed halls of learning and soon elected their officers. Chosen were: President, Brenda Page; Vice-President, Pat Tibbs; Secretary, Bill Houghton; Treasurer, Dick Moss; and Student Council Member, Russ Severns. The teachers that guided them through that first year were Mrs. Rebbe, Mr. Worthington, and Mr. Maroscia. Their class party, held in the band room, was a hilarious event.

Back to school the next fall, September 5, came seventy-four sophomores to be led by President, Pat Tibbs; Vice-President, Jim Eddings; Secretary, Bryce Monroe; Treasurer, Russ Severns. Shiryl Brauer and Larry Rebbe were on the Student Council. The sponsors were Mrs. Peterson, who directed the class stunt, "Green Pastures"; Mr. Hilderbrand and Mr. McKee. At the end of the year the class held a picnic at the State Park.

This year the juniors returned to school as seventy-three proud upper classmen. To direct their successful Junior Play, "Double-Barrelled Detective Story", was Mr. Costigan; to organize the magazine sales, ticket sales, and the Junior-Senior Prom was Mrs. Satorius; in charge of the candy sales was Miss Holloway. The culminating event for the year was the Junior-Senior Prom held in Springfield in the spring. At the head of the class this year were President, Bryce Monroe; Vice-President, Larry Rebbe; Secretary-Treasurer, Shiryl Brauer; and Student Council Representatives, Pat Tibbs, Roy Trickey, and Mickey Higgenson.

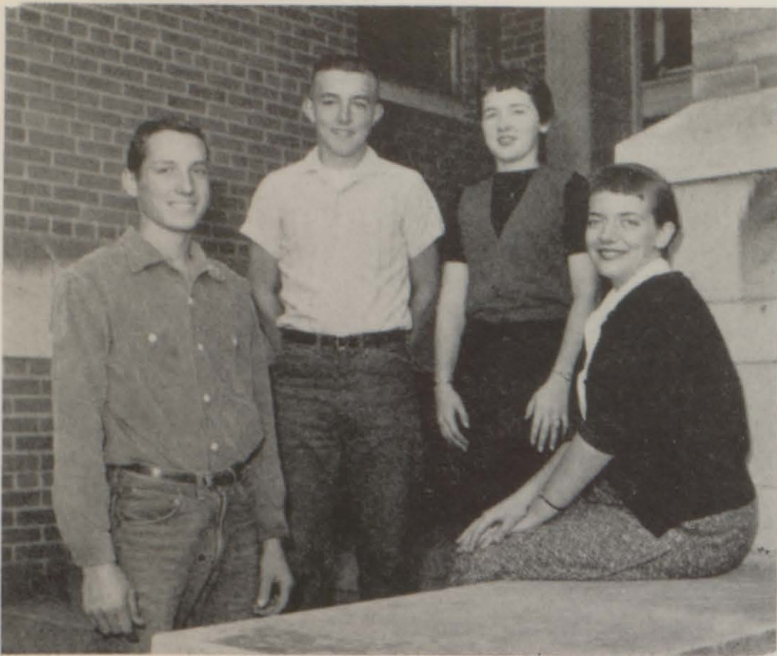
Top Row: Roy Trickey, Dean Nissen, Dan Bell, Gene Garrett, Bryce Monroe, Louis Powell, Sam Ishmael, Warning Lewis, Larry Satorius.

Third Row: Ruth Gleason, Cathie Schirding, Jane Cummings, Connie Eilks, Anne Rawlings, Irene Smith, Jana Greene, Jeweline Smith.

Second Row: Georgia Watkins, Barbara Schonewise, Nancy Shawgo, John Morgan, Harold Hollis, Dick Shawgo, Jim White, Barbara Schaad, Joyce Garmon.

First Row: Kathryn Bennett, Shirley Dawson, Brenda Page, Connie Klauzer, Janice Leinberger, John Whitley, Larry Carter, Bob Bell.





Sophomore Officers

John Moats President
 Bob Schnapp Treasurer
 Sharon Severns Vice-President
 Jody Sims Secretary

Sophomore Class

Top Row: Bob Schnapp, Gary Cooper, David Worthington, Phil Satorius, Ernest Krouse, Mark Liggett, Julius Thomas.

Fourth Row: Lois Jordan, Deann Lutes, Charlotte Atterberry, Carol Hinrichs, Ruth Sinclair, Janice Skilbeck, Jacqueline Killian, Ruth Ann Thomson.

Third Row: Doug Schnapp, Phil Johnson, Jim Eilers, Claude Smith, Rich Higgerson, Donnie Dawson, Larry Hill.

Second Row: Pat Ames, Dixie Wilson, Judy Knoles, Carol Jean Hohimer, Jean Snedigar, June Minor, Betty Curry, Carolyn Anderson.

First Row: Sue Pratt, Brenda Allen, Sharon Severns, Lorine Batterton, Dale Fredricks, Marion Eades, Louie Dawson.



Sophomore Class History

On the morning of August 29, 1957, eighty-one eager teen-agers became freshmen at P.H.H.S.

For their freshmen leaders, they elected as officers: President, Mark Liggett; Vice-President, Phil Johnson; Secretary, John Moats; Treasurer, Marion Eades; and Student Council member, Jacque Killian. The sponsors for 1957-1958, were Mr. Worthington, Mr. Jones, and Mrs. Rebbe. Two outstanding events of the year were Freshmen Initiation in September and the Freshmen Party, in May. After the Party, came the conclusion of the Freshman year.

On August 27, 1958, seventy-eight, of the original eighty-one freshmen were back again, this time as sophomores. They elected as their officers: President, John Moats; Vice-President, Sharon Severns; Secretary, Jody Sims; Treasurer, Bob Schnapp; Student Council members, Karen Hollis, and Marion Eades. The sponsors for the year were Mrs. Peterson, Mr. McKee, and Mr. Hilderbrand. The memorable activities for the year were the Sophomore Stunt, "My Fair Lady", under the direction of Mrs. Peterson, and the Sophomore Party.

Top Row: Jim Dunham, John Moats, Walter Gordon, Will Carter, Bob Lottman, Ted Claussen, Pete Lewis, Gary Melcher, Don Phelps.

Fourth Row: Linda Hubbard, Connie Bailey, Sharon Dick, Jane Whalen, Ruth Schaad, Sandra LeSourd, Barbara Milstead, Alice Barnett.

Third Row: Milton Scroggins, Dean Nance, David Ruppel, Edison Garvin, Fred Atterberry, Jim Powell, Thomas Humphrey, Herschel Hinds, Sam Heyen.

Second Row: Carol Vogt, Karen Hollis, Marilyn Nichols, Jody Sims, Donna Bell, Kathryn Tippett, Norma Albert, Joyce Leinberger.

First Row: Karen Tibbs, Judy Churchill, Nancy Raikes, Norma Holliday, Cathy Yaeger, James Thurman, Tommy Hudspeth.



Eighth Grade



Top Row: Edward Clark, Russell Curry, Rod Minor, Alfred Bumgardner, Larry Plopper, John Garrett, Danny Cooper, Mike Arnold, Dickie Cheaney, Kenneth Reimer.

Fifth Row: Shirley Gillmore, Janet Magee, Sandie Shipley, Ethel Hinds, Earlene Atwood, Mary Ruth Eckhoff, Heien Cummings, Nancy Primm, Joan Moss.

Fourth Row: Terry Backs, Robert Todd, Richard Zuhlke, Edward Armstrong, Freddie Jones, Alvin Davis, Donnie Stier, Darrell Humphrey, Russell Eddings, Ronnie Page.

Third Row: Martha Brass, Sandra Ames, Nancy McGary, Mary Lou Covington, Patsy Reynolds, Sandra McClure, Judy Boehm, Jo Ellen Libben, Laura Power.

Second Row: Peggy Smith, Charles Woods, Jimmy Watkins, Jim Tibbs, Gene Nottingham, Paul Eilers, Butch Jordan, Paul Tippett, Nancy Simpson.

First Row: Alberta Wesselman, Janet Eades, Linda Owen, Jane Marcussen, Peggy Beard, Norma Thomson, Brenda Schonewise, Ellen Brass.

Seventh Grade



Top Row: Bobby Morgan, Larry Vogt, Jackie Kelley, Hugh Bill Faith, David Cheney, Roger Hill, Larry Eddings, Allen Heyen, Claude Moss, Billy Faith, Donnie Leonard, Bobby Sinclair, Joey Driskill.

Fifth Row: Rose Grossbaier, Frances Smoot, Marilyn Treece, Linda Albert, Virginia Power, Phyllis Eilks, Carol Neilson, Jannette McDougall, Mary Neilson, Katherine Nissen, Edith Kinney, Paula Boske.

Fourth Row: Jerry Smith, Gene Horn, Gail Patrick, David Barbee, Larry Wilson, John Crawford, Robert Guinan, Eugene Norton, Mike Koke, Jimmie Power, Steve Finney, Larry Byers, Jim Satorius.

Third Row: Judy Balster, Sandra Finley, Holly Knupple, Donna Hibbard, Linda Kelly, Nancy Watkins, Janice Arnold, Donna Cherry, Jan Shockey, Gloria Gronewald, Brenda Peters.

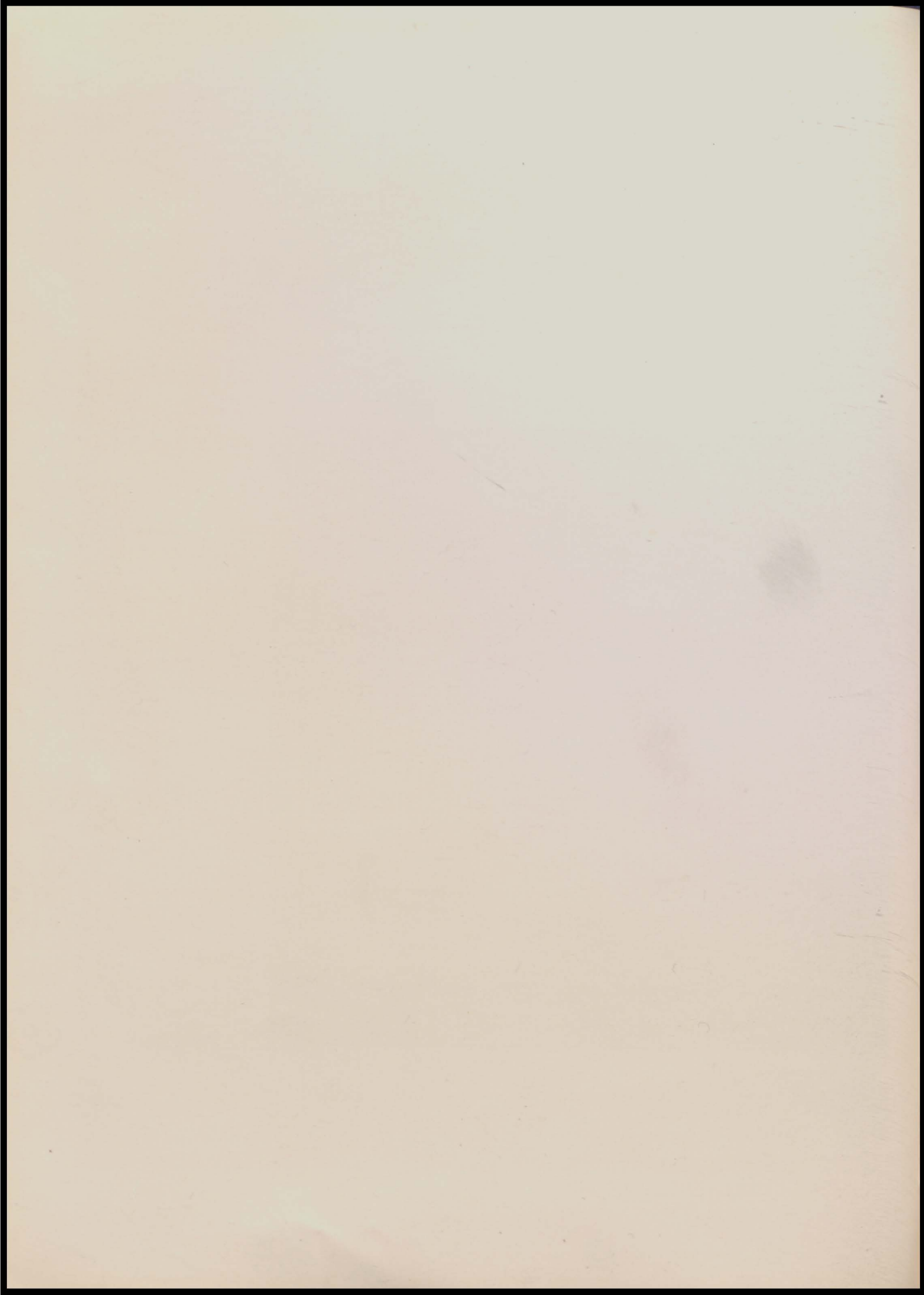
Second Row: Katie Moulton, Judy Atterberry, Karen McCool, Carolyn Vogel, Darlynda Williams, Betty McGary, Judy Gronewald, Connie Behrends, Karen Ortman, Bettie Jones.

First Row: Steve Hollis, David Otto, Russell McClure, Roy Haynes, William Barnett, Rick Juergens, Jerry Libben, John Cummings, Donnie Gillmore.



Spring...





Senior Girls' Ensemble



Left to Right: Folly Sutton, Sandra Trenary, Vicki Lounsberry, Phyllis Monroe, Joan Neumann, Barbara Kern, Barbara Ruppel, Helen Potts.

The Senior Ensemble, composed of eight girls, has sung together during their four years of high school.

The girls presented several numbers at the Christmas Concert, Homecoming and Spring Concert. They also sang for various organizations outside of school.

Climaxing the year, the Senior Girls' Ensemble sang for Class Night, Baccalaureate, and their own Graduation.

Civil Service



The Commercial Course is one of the most important and practical courses in Petersburg High School. Two years of short hand, two years of typing, and one year bookkeeping are offered in our high school.

One of the objectives of the department is to prepare students for courses in Accountancy and Business Education, which they will pursue in college.

Another objective is to prepare students for life in the business world. Throughout the course, emphasis is placed on spelling, grammar, and speed and accuracy in skills.

One of the opportunities for employment, afforded to seniors through the State Civil Service Examinations is the Civil Service Examinations. Mrs. H. P. Satorius of the high school faculty has been appointed as a state monitor. The test consists of three parts. The first is a two-hour test, evaluating the ability of the student in spelling, grammar, mathematics, and office skills. The second part is a test in various typing skills, including work in rough drafts, letters, and general typing ability. The third part is a test in shorthand, dictation, and transcription rates. If the student passes in each part of the examination, he is called by the State Department for an oral interview. This year twenty-seven students took part.

Another opportunity for employment to seniors is through the Federal Civil Service Examination. A federal examiner for this district conducted an examination in Petersburg High School for twenty-seven students.

Commercial Honors



Typewriting

Linda Peterson
Helen Potts
Polly Sutton
(Accuracy) Barbara Ruppei

Shorthand

Linda Peterson
Sandra Skaggs
Joan Neumann

Bookkeeping

Larry Thomson
Bob Vogt
Martha Fillbright



Track



Standing: Coach Hilderbrand, Louis Powell, Mick Higgerson, Steve Atterberry, Dan Wilson, P. J. Grosboll, Glenn Tuttle, Phil Stout, Jim Carlile, Bob Vogt, Wayne Tuttle, Jim Harris, Richard McGary.
Kneeling: Dick Moss, Don Shawgo, Steve Estill, Harold Curry, Donald Phelps, Phil Johnson.

Track Team Champion

Petersburg High School Track Team won handily in the West Central Conference Track Meet held at the local track field. Petersburg had 71 points, 30 points over their nearest competitor, Balyki. Ashland had 24½; Easton, 22½; Chandlerville, 16; and Greenview, 14.

Individual	Event	Time	Rating
Higgerson	180 Low Hurdles	23:4	3
Tuttle	440 Yard Run	57:5	4
McGary	440 Yard Run	57:5	5
Vogt	220 Yard Dash	24:5	1
Stout	220 Yard Dash	24:5	5
Shawgo	880 Yard Dash	2:15:5	3
Vogt	100 Yard Dash	10:8	1
Stout	100 Yard Dash	10:8	4
Higgerson	120 High Hurdles	16:5	4
Fresh. Soph.	Relay	51:9	2
Varsity	Relay	1:47:3	2

Individual	Event	Distance	Rating
Atterberry	Shot Put	43:3:3/4	1
Harris	Shot Put	43:3:3/4	2
Carlile	Shot Put	43:3:3/4	3
Atterberry	Discus	128:7	4
Carlile	Discus	128:7	5
Vogt	Broad Jump	18:9	1
Stout	Broad Jump	18:9	2
Grosboll	Pole Vault	10:8	1
Wilson	Pole Vault	10:8	4
Grosboll	High Jump	5:8:3/4	2
Tuttle	High Jump	5:8:3/4	3
Powell	High Jump	5:8:3/4	4
	Mile Run		No Place



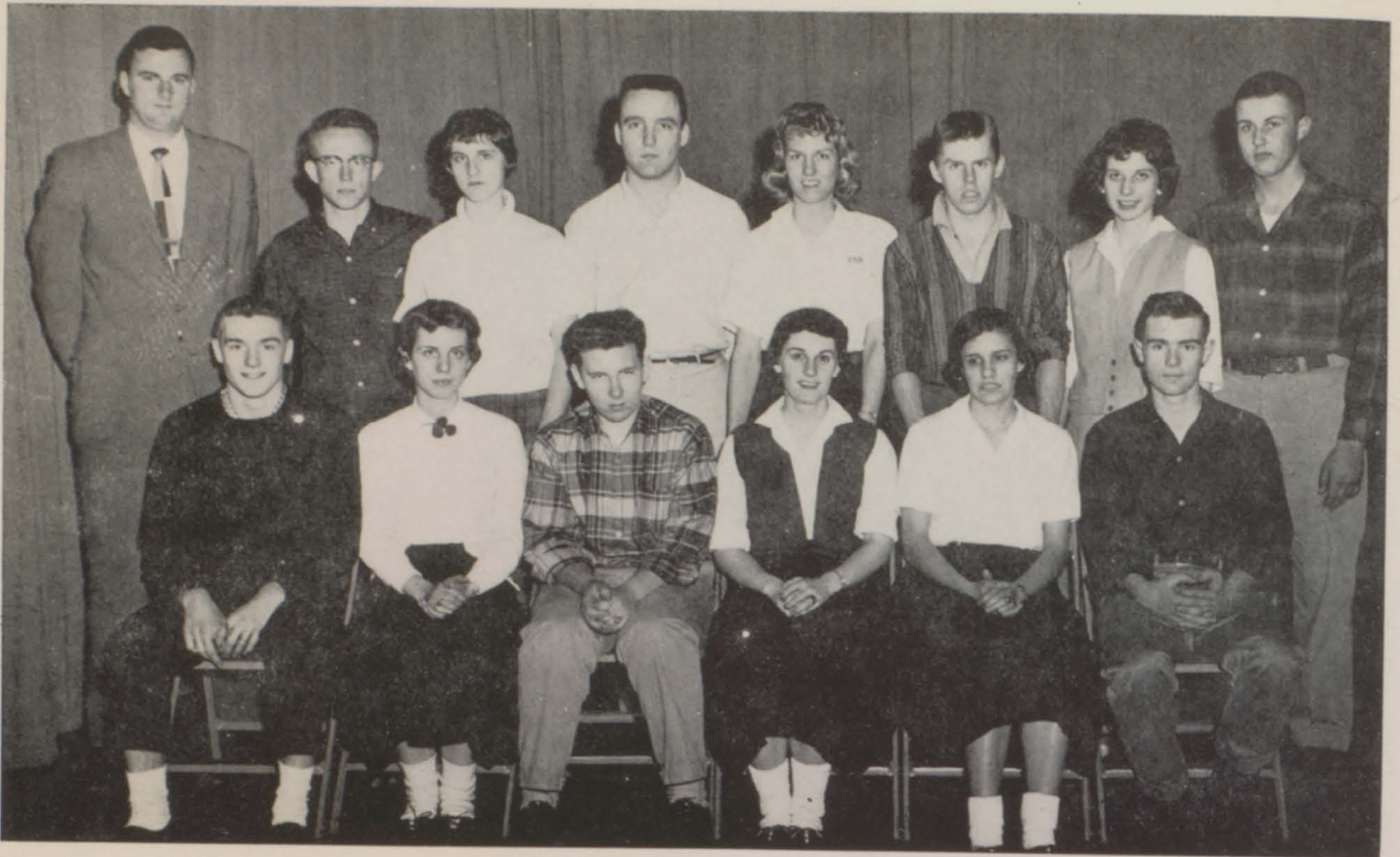
Floyd Bell
Visual Aids Operator, Transportation Manager

Custodians

At the left: Kenneth Page, Albert Doyen, Fred Davis.



The Senior Play



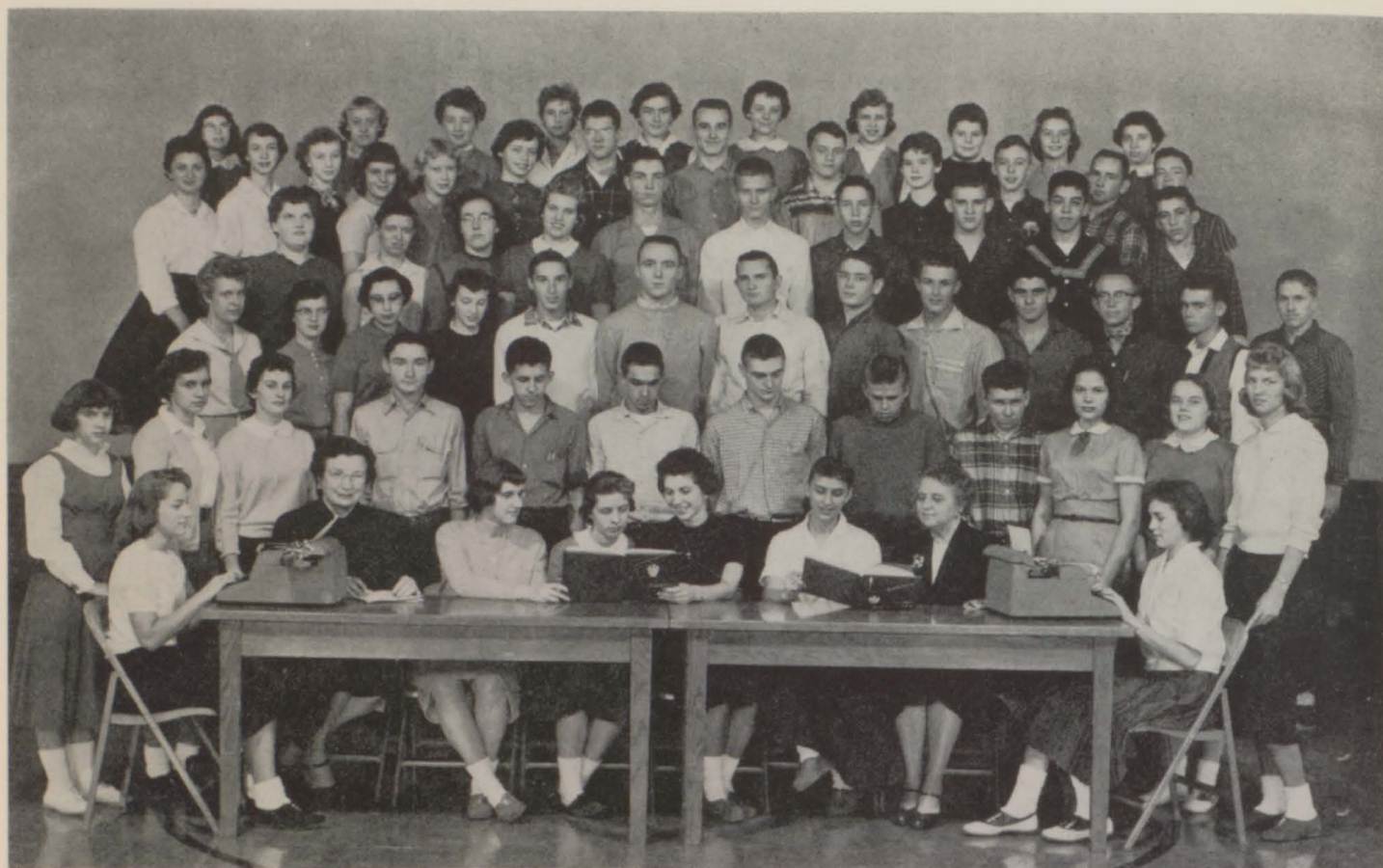
The senior class presented their play, "Peg O' My Heart" by J. Hartley Manners on April 2 and 3 under the direction of Mr. Costigan.

The cast was as follows:

Peg O' Connell	Marilyn Chester
Ethel Chichester	Helen Potts
Alaric Chichester	David Tibbs
Montgomery Hawkes	Karl Beaty
Mrs. Chichester	Sandra Trenary
Jerry	Bob Vogt
Bennet	Linda Peterson
Jarvis	David Marcussen
	Albert Stier
Christian Brent	Bill Grosboll
Assistant Directors	Phyllis Monroe
	Joan Neumann
	Carl Jones



Sphinx Staff



Co-Editors-in-Chief: Sandra Trenary and Linda Peterson.

Senior Editors: Phyllis Monroe, Vicki Lounsberry, Don Shawgo, Joan Neumann, Helen Potts, Judy Tippett, Olonda Phelps.

Junior Editors: Patty Finney, Cathie Schirding, Ann Rawlings.

Sophomore Editors: Sandra LeSourd, Lorene Batterton, Marion Eades.

Freshmen Editors: Barbara Nance, Susan Hurley.

Junior High Editors: Ellen Brass.

Snapshot Committee: Leta Fry, Judy Miller, Albert Stier, Judy Eilks.

Art: Bill Grosboll.

Typists: Polly Sutton, Barbara Ruppel, Martha Fillbright, Marilyn Chester, Barbara Kern, Sandra Skaggs, Linda Sinclair.

Camera Crew: Glenn Tuttle, James Gillmore, William Ishmael.

Business Staff

Senior Business Managers: Karl Beaty, Larry Thomson, Steve Allen, Carl Jones, Bob Vogt, Clyde Dearing.

Senior: Steve Eckhoff, David Koke, Danny Heyen, Ed Hudspeth, Carl McHenry, David Marcussen, Elsie Ray, Roland Schaad, Audrey Thomas, David Tibbs, Judy Todd, Danny Wilson.

Junior: Shiryl Brauer, Bryce Monroe, Russ Severns, Phyllis Tuttle, Barbara Schonewise, Mary Jane Behrends.

Sophomore: Ruth Thomson, Mark Liggett, David Worthington, Don Phelps.

Freshman: Diane McGary, Janet Neumann.

Junior High Business Staff: Martha Brass, Janet Magee.

"All that Mankind has done, thought, gained or been * * is lying as in magic preservation in the pages of Books. They are the chosen possession of men".

Carlyle

Year Book Sales

Standing Left to Right: Larry Thomson, Albert Stier, Carl Jones.

Seated Left to Right: Bill Grosboll, Karl Beaty, Bob Vogt, Steve Allen, David Marcussen.





Senior Officers

Marilyn Chester Treasurer
Don Shawgo President
Polly Sutton Vice-President
Vicki Lounsberry Secretary

Senior Emblems

Colors Lavendar and White

Flower Lily-of-the-Valley

Motto: They conquer who believe they can.

Senior Class History

On August 29, 1955, sixty-two pale faced freshmen with shaking knees entered the halls of P.H.S. After becoming acquainted with the new routine, they elected as President, Polly Sutton; Vice-President, Don Shawgo; Secretary, Bill Grosboll; Treasurer, Sandra Trenary. The Student-Council representative was Marilyn Chester. Their sponsors were Mr. LaHann, Mr. Worthington, and Mrs. Wood. Another epidemic of nervousness overtook them when the initiations came around, but they lived through it.

On the following August 27, 1956, fifty-five students of the same group returned to P.H.S. with an entirely different outlook on life. The election of class officers named Don Shawgo, President; Bob Vogt, Vice-President; Polly Sutton, Secretary; Linda Peterson, Treasurer; and Marilyn Chester and Georgia Rensman as Student-Council representatives. The sophomores demonstrated hilarious antics in the Sophomore Stunt under the direction of Mrs. Peterson.

As Juniors, they began the year on September 3, 1957, forty-eight strong. They intellectually chose Don Shawgo, President; Polly Sutton, Vice-President; Sandra Trenary, Secretary-Treasurer; and Marilyn Chester, Danny Wilson, and Bob Vogt as Student-Council representatives. Sponsors for the Junior year were Mrs. Satorius, Miss Holloway, and Mrs. Greenhalgh. The Junior Class play, "Tom Sawyer", was presented on November 14 and 15 under the direction of Mrs. Greenhalgh.

The gala event of the year was the Junior-Senior Prom which was held at the Leland Hotel in Springfield on May 9, 1958. While practicing for the prom, under the supervision of Mrs. Satorius, they did get to "know each other better" as they emphasized in the theme: "Getting To Know You".

With enthusiasm forty-three seniors of 1959 entered their last year at P.H.S. on August 28, 1958. They chose Don Shawgo, President; Polly Sutton, Vice-President; Vicki Lounsberry, Secretary; Marilyn Chester, Treasurer; Student-Council representatives, Joan Neumann, Linda Peterson, Bill Grosboll and Bob Vogt. Seniors sponsors were Miss Terry, Miss Masters, Mr. Haddick and Mr. Bagby. The Senior Play, "Peg of My Heart", was presented on April 2 and 3 under the direction of Mr. Costigan. With Mrs. Satorius as the efficient business adviser, and Miss Terry as the competent literary adviser, the publication of the Sphinx had a successful completion.

The Seniors closed their final year as guests of the juniors at the Junior-Senior Prom, held on May 8, 1959. May 22 was Class Night. On May 24, they attended Baccalaureate Services with Rev. Driskill as speaker. The grand conclusion of a most successful high school career was reached with honor—Graduation, May 26, 1959.



STEVE ALLEN

"Beep Beep"

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Judging Team 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Class 1, 2, 3.



GEORGIA BAKER

"Sweet Georgia Brown"

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Civil Service.



KARL BEATY

"Just a Dream"

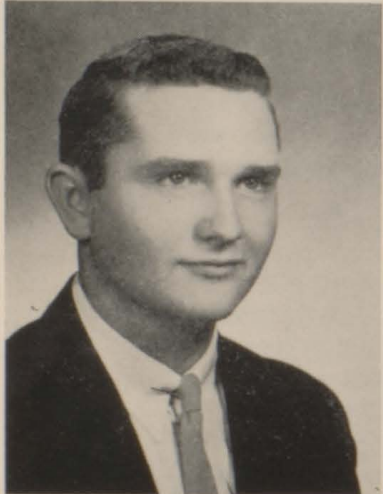
F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. Vice-President 4; Judging Team 2, 3; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Class Play 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play.



MARILYN CHESTER

"Pledge of Love"

Chorus 2; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; Class Treasurer 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Civil Service 4; Junior Play 3; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 2, 4; Dance Class 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 2; Library Staff 4; I.S.S. 1, 2; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 1, 2; Civil Service Test 4; Senior Play.



CLYDE DEARING

"It's Only Make Believe"

Basketball 1, 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Dance Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Grain Judging 2, 3; Intra-murals 4.



STEVE ECKHOFF

"Lonely One"

Chorus 1, Basketball 1; New York; Sphinx Staff 4; Intra-murals 4.



JUDY EILKS

"Tears on My Pillow"

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; Civil Service 4; Betty Crocker Test 4; Junior Play Staff 3.



MARTHA FILLBRIGHT

"My Happiness"

F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Sphinx Staff 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; Office Receptionist 3; Civil Service 4; Betty Crocker Test 4; Junior Play Staff 3.

LETA FRY

"Summertime"

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1; Sphinx Staff 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Civil Service 4; Betty Crocker Test 4; Junior Play Usherette 3.



JAMES GILLMORE

"It's All in the Game"

Sphinx Staff 4.

BILL GROSBOLL

"Smoke Gets in your Eyes"

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Judging Team 1, 2, 3; Class Secretary 1; Student Council 4; Vice-President 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2; Junior Play 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Dance Club 1, 2; Senior Play.



DANNY HEYEN

"Oh Lonesome Me"

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Grain Show 4; Pep Club 1, 2.

ED HUDSPETH

"My Buddy"

Sphinx Staff 4.



WILLIAM ISHMAEL

"Willie and the Handjive"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Grain Judging 2, 3.

CARL JONES

"All American Boy"

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Land Judging Team 3, 4; Grain Judging Team 2, Projectionist 4; Poultry Judging Team 1; State Judging Team 1, 3, 4.



DAVID KOKE

"Honeycomb"

Transfer from Auburn; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 4.



BARBARA KERN

"Typewriter Song"

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Junior Play Usherette 3; Senior Ensemble 4; Music Contest 1, 2; Intra-murals 1; Betty Crocker Test 4.



VICKI LOUNSBERRY

"Teenage Queen"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1, 2, 3; Sphinx Staff 1, 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 1, 2; Civil Service Test 4; F.T.A. Treasurer 2; Senior Class Secretary 4.



CARL McHENRY

"Teasing"

Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2; Band 1, 2; Dance Class 1, 2; Sphinx Staff 4.



DAVID MARCUSSEN

"Jailhouse Rock"

Dance Club 1; Basketball 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; F.F.A. 1, 2; Junior Class Play 3; Civil Service 4; Senior Play.



JUDY MILLER

"Beautiful Brown Eyes"

Chorus 1, 2; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Junior Play Usherette 3.



PHYLLIS MONROE

"No One Knows"

Chorus 2, 3, 4; President 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Library Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Dance Class 3; Sphinx Staff 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 1, 2; Office Receptionist 2; Civil Service Test 4; F.T.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Vice-President 3, 4.



JOAN NEUMANN

"Till There was You"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Student Council 4; Library Staff 2, 4; Sphinx Staff 1, 4; I.S.S. 2; Civil Service 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; F.T.A. 2; Junior Play 3; Dance Class 1, 2, 3; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 4.



LINDA PETERSON

"Love Is a Many Splendored Thing"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Secretary 4; I.S.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2, 3; President 4; Sphinx Staff 1, 3, 4; Library Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 2; Vice-President Library Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 2; Vice-President 4; Civil Service 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. test 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play.

OLONDA PHELPS

"Little Bitty Pretty One"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; I.S.S. 1, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Dance Class; Library Staff; Betty Crocker Test 4.



HELEN POTTS

"Prisoner of Love"

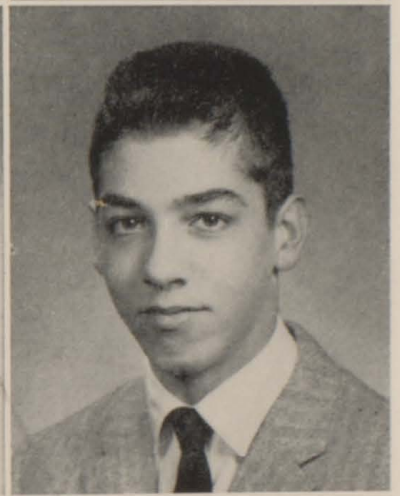
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ELSIE RAY

"Trust in Me"

Transfer from Springfield-F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 4; Chorus 1; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Betty Crocker Test 4.



BARBARA RUPPEL

"Let Me Call you Sweetheart"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3, 4; Civil Service 4; Betty Crocker Test 4; Ensemble 4; Junior Play Staff 3.



ROLAND SCHAAD

"You'd Be Surprised"

Sphinx Staff 4.

DON SHAWGO

"Mr. Wonderful"

F.F.A. 1, 2; Class President 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 1; Dance Class 2; Sphinx Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4.

LINDA SINCLAIR

"Why Don't They Understand"

Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Pep Club.

SANDRA SKAGGS

"Good Bye Baby"

Chorus 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Junior Play Usherette 3; Civil Service.



ALBERT STIER

"Standin' On the Corner"

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Film Project 1, 2, 3, 4; Head Projectionist 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1, 2, 3; Judging Team 1, 3; Football 3; Junior Play Staff 3; Office Receptionist 1, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Senior Play.

POLLY SUTTON

"Queen of the Hop"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1; Class Secretary 2; Class Vice President 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club Secretary 2, 4; Civil Service 4; Junior Play 3; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Dance Class 2, 3; Recreation Committee; F.H.A. 4; Betty Crocker Test 4; Ensemble 3, 4; Accompanist.



AUDREY THOMAS

"By the Light of the Silvery Moon"

Band 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3; Civil Service 4; Junior Play Usherette 3; Dance Class 1, 2; Betty Crocker Tests; Office Receptionist 4.

LARRY THOMSON

"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 3, 4; Projectionist 2, 3; Junior Play 3; Dance Class 2, 3, 4; Civil Service 4.



DAVID TIBBS

"Sing Boy Sing"

Speech Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1; Sphinx Staff 4; Junior Play 3; Civil Service 4; Senior Play.

JUDY TIPPETT

"Techniques"

Library Staff 3, 4; I.S.S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Chorus 1; Civil Service; Sphinx Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Class 1, 2; Intra-murals 2, 3.

JUDY TODD

"Specially For You"

Chorus 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service.



SANDRA TRENARY

"Stardust"

Class Treasurer 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Intra-murals 1, 2, 3; Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 1, 2; Speech 1, 2, 3, 4; I.S.S. 2; Sphinx Staff 2, 3, 4; Co-editor 4; Library Staff 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary-Treasurer 3; Junior Play 3; F.T.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 1; President 2, 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Civil Service 4; Christmas Play 3; Senior Play.

GLENN TUTTLE

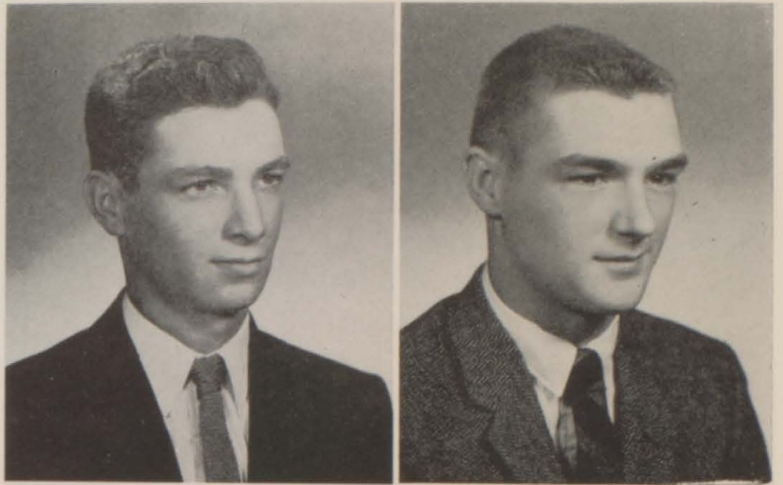
"Tom Dooley"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Shop 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Projectionist 3, 4.

BOB VOGT

"It's Too Soon To Know"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Speech Contest 1, 2, 3; Dance Club 1; Sphinx Staff 4; Civil Service 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; President 4; Junior Class Play 3; Variety Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play.



DANNY WILSON

"My Destiny"

Football 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sphinx Staff 4; Variety Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3.



KAREN GRAMM

"Since I Don't Have You"

Transfer from Lockport, Illinois.



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Linda Peterson
Helen Potts
Judith Tippett

D.A.R. GOOD CITIZEN AWARD

Linda Peterson Donovan Shawgo

ILLINOIS SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION AWARD

Judith Tippett

BETTY CROCKER HOMEMAKER AWARD

Georgia Baker

AGRICULTURE

Sectional F.F.A. Farm Mechanics Award Winner,
Section 14.

Carl Jones

SPEECH

STATE CONTEST

David Tibbs	Original Oration
Anne Rawlings	Verse Reading

BAND

DISTRICT

Band	First
Woodwind Trio (Harold Curry, Shiryl Brauer, Patricia Tibbs)	First

STATE

Woodwind Trio	First
Brass Choir	Second
Clarinet Quartet	Third
Band	Third

VOCAL

DISTRICT

Judith Cook - High Voice	Second
Constance Terhune - High Voice	Second
Dan Bell - Medium Voice	Fourth
Mary Jane Behrends - Medium Voice	First
Connie Bailey - Low Voice	Third

STATE

Mary Jane Behrends - Medium Voice	Second
Catherine Schirding - Girls' State - American Legion Auxiliary	
Mary Jane Behrends - U. of I. - Summer Art Course at Allerton House (Woman's Club).	

MUSIC CAMP

Jana Greene	Vocal
Barbara Schonewise	Band

SOPHOMORE CREATIVE WRITING

PUBLICATIONS

Donna Bell	"Sunset"
Janice Skilbeck	"Sara Brownely"
Jacque Killian	"An Early Morning Ride"
James Thurman	"Helping Hands"
Milton Scroggins	"Autumn"
Josephine Sims	"Pause Before the Storm"

SHORT STORY

Josephine Sims	"Aunt Martha"
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Identification of Baby Pictures

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| 1. Karl Beaty | 15. Leta Fry |
| 2. David Marcussen | 16. David Tibbs |
| 3. Albert Stier | 17. Phyllis Monroe |
| 4. Carl Jones | 18. Helen Potts |
| 5. Judy Todd | 19. Polly Sutton |
| 6. Sandra Trenary | 20. David Koke |
| 7. Donovan Shawgo | 21. Barbara Ruppel |
| 8. Danny Heyen | 22. Joan Neumann |
| 9. Linda Peterson | 23. Clyde Dearing |
| 10. Marilyn Chester | 24. Linda Sinclair |
| 11. Vicki Lounsberry | 25. Elsie Ray |
| 12. Audrey Thomas | 26. Judy Tippett |
| 13. Judy Eilks | 27. Georgia Baker |
| 14. Olonda Phelps | |



Calendar

AUGUST

- 28—School Begins—"Here we go again".
- 29—Teachers' Institute—"Vacation again!"

SEPTEMBER

- 10—Cheerleader Tryouts—"All Set? You Bet!"
- 23—Senior Pictures—"May I borrow your mirror?"
- 24—Class Elections—"If I'm elected, I promise—"
- 25—F.H.A. Picnic—"Watch out for the ants!"
- 29—Puppet Assembly-Individual Pictures.
- 30—Student Council Organization Meeting.

OCTOBER

- 1—I.S.S. Meeting—"Where's your pen pal from?"
- 6—Galvanos Assembly—"Look at the Stunts!"
- 11—End of 1st 6 weeks—"I wonder if I'll survive five more?"
- 14—Rings to Juniors-Invitations to Seniors.
- 15—Jim Lynch-Assembly.
- 21—S.Q. Tests.
- 24—Freshman Day—"Look at the new fashions!"
- 25—Abe Lincoln Music Festival.
- 31—Teachers' Institute—"Another Rest."

NOVEMBER

- 5—Group Pictures-Sphinx—"Classrooms were empty all day."
- 11—Veteran's Day.
- 13-14—Junior Play—"Double Barrel Detective Story."
- 18—Mr. Troubles—Assembly.
- 22—Pep Club Dance—Polly and Bob were crowned.

DECEMBER

- 2—Betty Crocker Test—"What was that recipe?"
- 12—Chorus Concert—"Remember your notes."
- 17—Captain Dry-Assembly.
- 19—Christmas Homecoming—"What's have you done since last year?"

JANUARY

- 5—School Resumes—"Back to the old groove."
- 21-23—Semester Exams—"Have I learned anything

the past half-year?"

- 21-22-26—Ice Vacation—"A Welcome Relief!"
- 27—Sphinx Pictures—Teachers Wondered at the Scarcity of Class Attendance.
- 30—Report Cards—Whew!! "I passed!!!"

FEBRUARY

- 2—Senior Magazine Sales—"We must reach our quota."
- 6—Chemistry Assembly—"Boom!!!"
- 14—Home Economics Dance—"Who is your sweet-heart? Barb Ruppel is ours."
- 19—Talent Show—"Hurrah for the Senior girls!" They got 2nd.
- 21—Speech Contest—"I forgot my speech."

MARCH

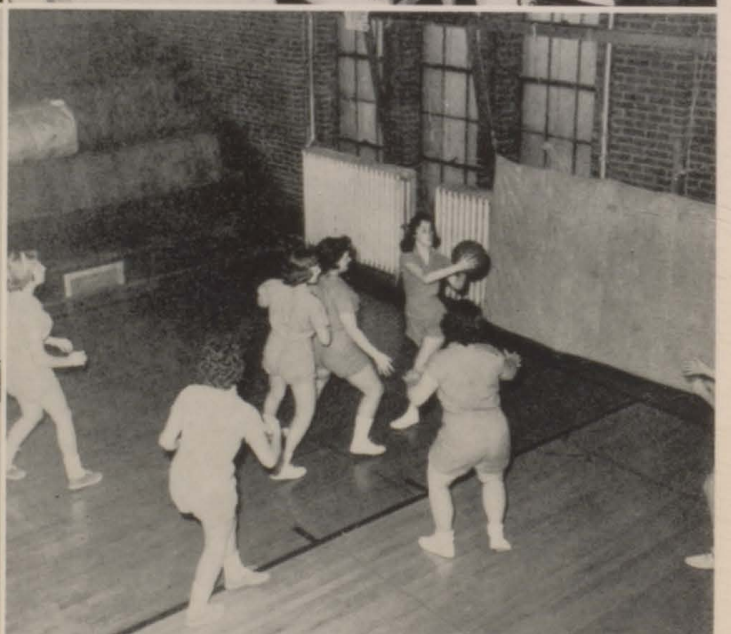
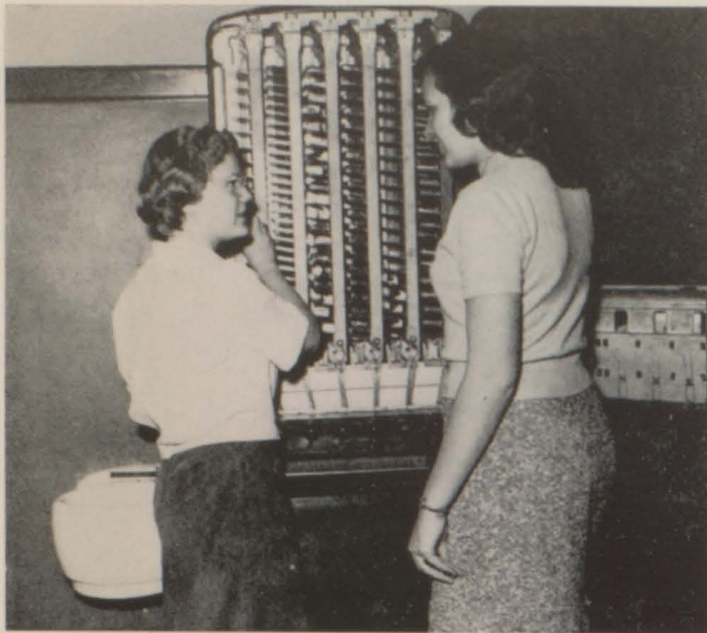
- 3—Sophomore Stunt—"My Fair Lady."
- 5—End of 4th 6 weeks. Two more!
- 6—Institute—"Another Vacation, at last!"
- 9—Bob Bradley Variety Show.
- 25—"Sphinx" goes to press. The rush is over!
- 27—School dismissed for Easter.

APRIL

- 2-3—Senior Play—"Peg O' My Heart".
- 17—End of 5th 6 weeks. One More!
- 23-24—Abe Lincoln Track Meet.
- 29—Chorus Program—"Watch the Director!!!"

MAY

- 8—Junior-Senior Prom—"Ah! such lovely fashions!"
- 12—I.S.S. Picnic—"Let's Eat!"
- 13—Band Concert—"Who's Flat?"
- 16—Senior Trip—"St. Louie Bound".
- 22—Class Night—"Nearing the end of school Seniors!"
- 24—Baccalaureate—Rev. Driskill.
- 26—Graduation—"At last, we've finished school!"
- 27—Last Day of School!!! Now for a long rest!!!"
- 28—Alumni Banquet—"Seniors are getting old fast!"



Senior Class Will

- I, **STEVE ALLEN**, bequeath my English ability to **TOM GUM**.
- I, **GEORGIA ANN BAKER**, bequeath my loyal interest in the "service", to any girl who likes to write letters.
- I, **KARL BEATY**, bequeath my long hair to **BUTCH TUTTLE**.
- I, **MARILYN CHESTER**, bequeath my ability to go steady longer than a week to **SUSAN HURLEY**.
- I, **CLYDE DEARING**, bequeath my ability to fake car trouble, while on a date, to **DAVID SEXTON**, if he thinks he can get by with it.
- I, **STEVE ECKHOFF**, bequeath my inability to think of something to bequeath to someone to **JIM EDDINGS**.
- I, **JUDY EILKS**, bequeath all the fun I had in the "white Chevey", to **LARRY** and **SHIRLEY**.
- I, **MARTY FILLBRIGHT**, bequeath my luck with "Uncle Sam" to all the girls who want to get rid of their boyfriends.
- I, **LETA FRY**, bequeath my excellence as a gym student to **MARY FILLBRIGHT**.
- I, **PETE GILLMORE**, bequeath my ability to get to school on time to **GENE GARRETT**.
- I, **KAREN GRAMM**, bequeath my speedy little Plymouth to **CONNIE TERHUNE**.
- I, **BILL GROSBOLL**, bequeath my many different colored clothes to anyone who likes to be different and not stay with one color.
- I, **DANNY HEYEN**, bequeath my ability to keep gas in my car to **DANNY BELL**.
- I, **ED HUDSPETH**, bequeath my ability to talk in class and not get caught to **BILL GILLMORE**.
- I, **WILLIAM ISHMAEL**, bequeath my ability to get out of school to go to the bank to **LEWIS POWELL**.
- I, **CARL JONES**, bequeath my ability in typing to **TOM GROSBOLL**.
- I, **BARBARA KERN**, bequeath my soprano voice to **SUSAN HURLEY**.
- I, **DAVID KOKE**, bequeath my ability in speech to **JOHNNY MOORE**.
- I, **CARL McHENRY**, bequeath my math ability to **GEORGE MELTON**.
- I, **DAVID MARCUSSEN**, bequeath my bookkeeping to anyone who likes always to be behind in his work.
- I, **JUDI MILLER**, bequeath my abilities to get along with Havana and Kilbourne boys to **BARBARA SINCLAIR**.
- We, **PHYLLIS MONROE** and **VICKI LOUNSBERRY**, bequeath our wild Hallowe'en nights to any girls who can stand late hours and have the courage to climb water towers.
- I, **JOAN NEUMANN**, bequeath my name "Bonir Maroni" to **PAT TIBBS**.
- We, **LINDA PETERSON** and **SANDRA TRENARY**, bequeath our double dates to **CONNIE TERHUNE**, since she isn't making out too well on singles ones.
- I, **OLANDO PHELPS**, bequeath my height to **SHIRYL BRAUER**.
- I, **HELEN POTTS**, bequeath "my little buggy" to **PHIL JOHNSON**, if he gets big enough to look over the steering wheel.
- I, **ELSIE RAY**, bequeath my fun in a certain convertible to **LAIRD BENNETT**.
- I, **BARBARA RUPPEL**, bequeath my long school bus rides to **JANICE SKILBECK**.
- I, **RONALD SCHAAD**, bequeath my quiet ways to **TIM LYNN**.
- I, **LINDA SINCLAIR**, bequeath my ability to get along with a Havana boy to my sisters.
- I, **DON SHAWGO**, bequeath my good study habits to **LOUIE DAWSON**.
- I, **SANDRA SKAGGS**, bequeath my ability to go with boys in blue Fords to **TWILA Moss**.
- I, **AL STIER**, bequeath my ability to skip out of class and go to agriculture and work to **DAVID WORTHINGTON**.
- I, **JUDI TODD**, bequeath my ability to hot-rod around at noon and not get caught, to **HAROLD HOLLIS**.
- I, **DAVID TIBBS**, bequeath my love for road signs to **CATHY SCHIRDING**.
- I, **JUDY TIPPETT**, bequeath my ability to get my English done on time to **JULIA BALL**.
- I, **LARRY THOMSON**, bequeath my place of residence to **DANNY BELL**, so he won't have such a long drive home at night.

- I, **AUDREY THOMAS**, bequeath my trips to Mascoutah to any girl who enjoys riding.
 I, **POLLY SUTTON**, bequeath my ability to get along with the "Jim Class" to **BARBARA SCHONEWISE**.
 I, **GLENN TUTTLE**, bequeath my height to **BOB BELL**.
 I, **ROBERT VOGT**, bequeath my running ability to **DAVID RUPPEL**, so he can keep out of the coach's way.
 I, **DAN WILSON**, bequeath my pole vaulting ability to **LOUIE DAWSON**.

Prophecy

It is the year 1979. Space has been conquered! The class of 1959 is holding their class reunion on the exotic planet, Venus. It is being held in the Venusian Room of the Stephen-Hilton Hotel managed by **Steve Eckhoff**.

First to arrive at this gala affair is **Sandra Trenary**, dressed in the latest style in women's space apparel, "A Reynolds Wrap Space Suit", designed by that ingenious fashion designer, **Vicki "Dior" Lounsberry**.

They are met by the RED CAP, **Carl Jones**, who escorts them into the hotel where they find the hotel's able receptionist, **Georgia Baker**.

The other guests soon arrive and are greeted by their host and hostess, **Bill Grosboll**, top designer for the "Wild, Weird Slack Co., Inc." and **Polly Sutton**, head piano teacher at the Harris Music Studios. While the guests are being ushered to their seats by our guide, **Danny Heyen**, **Clyde Dearing** arrives in his "Curry" mobile pursued by Sheriff **David Marcussen**. Soon the excitement dies down and the lights are dimmed; the curtains opens, and the show begins.

We are welcomed by the former class president, **Don Shawgo**, who is now the coach of the Boston "Blackies", world-famous basketball team.

He introduces the first speaker, Senator **David Tibbs**, the great orator who holds the world's record for fillibustering. Senator Tibbs is proposing a new tax on farms, a proposal which draws a large protest from our farmers, **Albert Stier** and **Steve Allen**.

Up next for our entertainment is that stupendous dancing team, **Joan Neumann** and **Bob Vogt**. The final act before intermission is a sketch of **Roland Schaad's** version of that wonderful play, "Sleepy Time Gal" starring our own **Sandra Skaggs**, a second Helen Hayes. Playing the romantic lead is that handsome devil, **Karl Beaty**.

During intermission, we are served refreshments by several lovely waitresses, **Judy Miller**, **Judy Eilks**, **Judy Todd**, and lent to us by Eyer's Drive-Inn, especially for tonight, **Leta Ann Fry**. The food is so delicious, we go to compliment the chef, and we find it is none other than **Danny Wilson**.

Back to the program once more, we hear a learned dissertation by **James Gillmore**, editor of the Petersburg Observer, on "Should Gambling Be Legalized?" After a rousing ovation led by **Glenn Tuttle**, the spotlight turns to the **ELVIS PRESLEY** of the space age, **David Koke!** As he sings "The Little Honey Bee", the excitement becomes too great and **Linda Sinclair** and **Audrey Thomas** fall in a swoon. They are cared for by Dr. **Carl McHenry** and his assistant nurse, **Linda Peterson, R.N.** and **Helen Fotts, R.N.**

After the excitement dies down, the program closes with a piano concerto by the concert pianist, **Barbara Ruppel**.

After the final program, we make our way to the grand ballroom. Upon entering we hear the music of a small dance band in which we see several people we know: They are **William Ishmael**, who plays a "Mary" saxophone; **Judie Tippett** and **Olon-da Phelps** playing trombones they borrowed from a couple of blond friends; and **Larry Thomson** who plays the latest style instruments, a "Greene" saxophone.

During the social hour we see several of our friends and ask them what they are doing now. We find that **Karen Gramm** is secretary to the governor, **Marty Fillbright** and **Elsie Ray** run a large and successful Beauty Shoppe in Radioactivity Falls. **Barbara Kern**, who holds the world's fastest typing speed record, (faster than the speed of sound), is the owner of the Remington-Rand Corporation and **Ed Hudspeth** is the head manager of the Warnsing Stables and Race Track.

As the reunion ends we slowly and reluctantly part with the rest of our class. As we leave, we see two of the people who helped sponsor our reunion: **Marilyn Chester**, co-owner of the Sheaffer Pen Company, and **Phyllis Monroe**, owner and operator of the International Flag Company, Inc.

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