

Annual Staff



Standing, L. to R.: John Magnuson, Lorene Mattes, Mr. Mitchell, Joyce Ellis, and Joanne Allen. Seated: Ellis Wilbur, Noelyn Isom, Delores Rasmussen, and Jim Rasmussen.



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#### Faculty



Left to Right: Mrs. Morrow, 3&4; Mr. Benton, Music; Mrs. Jewell, 1&2; Mrs. Dietz, 7&8; Mr. Emry, Principal; Mr. Rich, Agriculture; Mr. Mitchell, Supt.; Mr. Morrow, Coach; Mr. Mozer, Business Education; Mrs. Mitchell, Home Economics; Mrs. Hughes, English and Dramatics; Miss Hovendick, 5&6; Miss Popkes, Kindergarten.

We the Seniors of 1958 wish to dedicate our annual to the Faculty of Allen High School, who have done their best to get us through.

#### CLASS COLOR

Pink and Charcoal Gray

CLASS FLOWER

Pink Rose

#### CLASS MOTTO

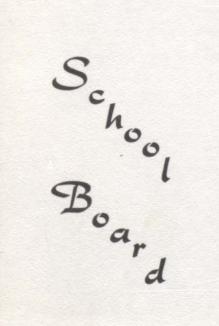
Nothing without Divine guidance

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## School Helpers



Left to Right: Marvin Wheeler, (janitor); Mrs. W. Krause, Mrs. C. Schubert, and Mrs. Alta Holmes, (cooks).





Back Row: R. Allen, R. Troth, D. Furness. Front Row: H. Ellis, L. Ellis, O. Koester

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#### JOANNE ALLEN

Class Vice Pres. 1,2,3; Class Play 3,4; One-Act Play 2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2, 3,4; Vice Pres. 3; Pres. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Secretary 3; Pres. 4; Mixed Chorus 1,3; Girl's Glee 1,2,3; Clarinet Quartet 1, 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3; Student Council 1,4; Pres. 4: PepClub 1,2,3,4; Buyer 2; Cheerleader 3,4; Paper Staff 3; Annual Staff 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Physical Education 4; Alternate Girl's State 3.

#### JOYCE ELLIS

Class Sec. 3; Treasurer 4; Class Play 3,4; Dramatics 1,3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Girl's Glee 1, 2; Student Council 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 3; Vice Pres. 4; Paper Staff 3; Annual Staff 4; Homecoming 1st attendant 4; F.F.A. Sweetheart 2; Physical Education 4; Majorette 1,2.

#### NOELYN ISOM

Class Vice Pres. 4; Class Play 3,4; One-Act Play 3; Dramatics 3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Boy's Glee 4; Quartet 4; Football 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Basketball 3, 4; "A" Club 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Bus. Manager 4; Homecoming King 4.







Class Pres. 2; Treasurer 3; Class Play 3,4; Dramatics 3; F.F.A. 1,2; Reporter 2; Football 1,2,3; "A" Club 2,3.

#### NANCY HANSEN

Class Reporter 4; Class Play 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; Dramatics 1,3; Girl's Glee 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Vice Pres. 3; Annual Staff 4; Physical Education 4; Betty Crocker Homemaker Award 4.



Class Play 3,4; Dramatics 2,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Girl's Glee 4; Pep Club 2,3, 4.

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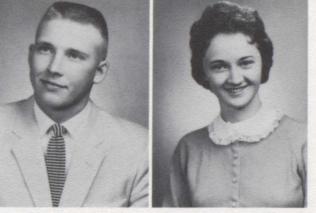


#### JOHN MAGNUSON

Class Play 3,4; One-Act Play 3; Dramatics 3,4; FFA 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Boy's Glee 1,2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; Track 3,4; Student Council 4; "A" Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Homecoming 4; M.C.

#### HARLEN MATTES

Class Reporter 2; Class Play 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; FFA 1,2,3, 4; Treas. 2; Pres. 3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boy's Glee 1, 2,3,4; Small Singing Groups 2, 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Co. Capt. 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 3; Student Council V.P. 3; "A" Club 2,3,4; V.P. 4; Paper Staff 2; Homecoming 4; 1st Attendant.

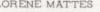


#### DELORES RASMUSSEN

Class Sec. 2; Class Play 3,4; One-Act Play 3; Best Actress 3; Dramatics 1,3,4; FHA 1,2,3, 4; Sec. 3; Band 1,2,4; Girl's Glee 1,2; Trumpet Trio 1; Trumpet Duet 1; Triple Trio 1; Student Council 1; Pep Club 1,2, 3,4; Pres. 3,4; P.E. 4; Paper Staff 3; Annual Staff 3,4; Editor 4; Girl's State 3.

#### LORENE MATTES

Class Play 3,4; One-Act Play 3; Dramatics 4; FHA 3,4; Band 4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Girl's Glee 3,4; Small Singing Groups 3; Pep Club 3,4; Treas. 3; Buyer 4; P.E. 4; Annual Staff 4; Homecoming 4; 2nd Attendant.





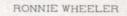


#### CAROL SIMON

Class Sec. 4; Class Play 3,4; Dramatics 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4; Parl. 2; Pres. 3; Degree Ch. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2,3,4; Girl's Glee 1,2,3,4; Flute Trio 3; Flute Duet 4; Flute Solo 1,2,3,4; Triple Trio 2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Sec. 3; Buyer 4; Paper Staff 3; Editor 3; Annual Staff 4; Accompanist 1, 2,3,4; P.E. 4; Homecoming 4; M.C.

#### GARRY NYEN

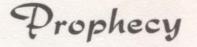
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Class Play 3,4; Class Pres. 4; One-Act Play 3; Dramatics 3; Homecoming 3; 2nd Attendant.

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Dear Mr. Mitchell,

Since I saw you last, I certainly have been busy. I put in two years at Kearney State Teachers College and have taught kindergarten in Lone Praire, Colorado for three years. I began to get lonesome for my high school friends so I decided I'd get in contact with a few of them. We could pool our millions and take a jaunt through the United States.

The first one I contacted was Delores Rasmussen. She was a dietician for Sing Sing Prison. I always knew Delores had that inner feeling for men but never dreamed she'd go that far. Nancy Hansen was quite easy to find. Her pictures were plastered all over movie theatres from the East coast to the West coast. She had just finished her latest picture which she was starring in, "The Fat Woman." Gracious, people can change! I thought four ought to make a nice round figure for my expedition so I remembered the trip I made to Florida in 1961. I was at the beach one day and noticed this huge mound of sand near me. Kids of all sizes and shapes were running over it. Much to my surprise the sand began to fall away and who should pop us, Joyce Ellis. I came to find out five of those kids were her's. She agreed to accompany us.

New York was to be our first stop. That night we went to Carnegie Hall. Much to our amazement Gary Nyen stepped from behind the curtain and played a violin solo. He was the hit of the evening when he hummed as he played. We traveled next to the East coast. In Cannibal, Conneticut we stopped for church the first Sunday. We heard a very good sermon and afterwards met the minister and his wife who was Roma Faye Lisle. It seems she had taken writing as her hobby and had just sold her first book entitled "The Sins of Life". She was the proud mother of twin daughters. The Capitol was a must on our list so we headed for Washington D.C. While taking a tour through the capitol building we passed a door on which a sign read "Undersecretary of Agriculture, Mr. Harlan Mattes." We went in and had a small chat with him and were astonished to learn he owned more than 80,000 acres of land. He told us of his recent marriage to a girl he met in college so we all extended our hearty congratulations. Joyce had told us her brother, Gary, was living in Savanah, Georgia so we planned to visit them. When we arrived it was night and you can imagine how surprised they were when we walked in. Karen looked as charming as ever. It seems there had been a couple more additions to their family since we saw them last. Clustered around the supper table were two boys and two girls. The sweetest little things you ever saw. After our conversation with Gary we learned that he owned a cotton plantation and had just made his first million. While traveling through Kentucky we stopped to see the Kentucky Derby. After making our bets we went to find some seats. In the \$10.00 box seats down front we saw Lorene Mattes and her husband, a very distinguished looking person. Lorene told us he was head of the Kellogg's Company. They had a summer home here and invited us for supper. It was a beautiful house with white wool rugs and chandeliers in every room. Lorene had turned into the perfect housewife. Since the University of Oklahoma is famous for their sports we decided to stop in and see a game. We went to the gym and saw them practicing basketball. Their coach had his back to us but we knew it was a former classmate, Noelyn Isom, was head basketball coach here. He, also, informed us he was coaching the Globe Trotters in his free time. We certainly were glad to see he'd been so successful in life. "California or Bust" became our motto now. It just about did bust us too. We were on a huge six lane highway about ten miles out of Phoeneix, Arizona when we saw this car coming toward us extremely fast. It was swerving in and out of traffic passing every car on the road. Delores tried her best to avoid it but it sideswiped us. We were pretty shaken up for awhile but finally found our senses and realized the driver was John Magnuson. They rushed us to the hospital in Phoneix, immediately. A doctor examined us. His conclusion was that we were in fine shape. As we were leaving the hospital we passed the head desk. There sat Carol Simon. She was a nurse at this hospital. After receiving her training she had been offered a position here. Her husband was a Navy colonel and they had a little son. We were just about to leave when John came along. He, also, had just been released. We all had a real nice visit. After informing us he was the Vice President of the Edsel Motor Company I asked him if he had married yet. He stated that he was a confirmed bachelor. I'd seen the

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magazine "Hot Rod" many times but never noticed who the editor was. John had had this position for the last two months. We never realized how late it was getting to be. Each bid the other a fond farewell and went our separate ways.

In a few days we were in sunny California. Nancy suggested we see Hollywood and Vine the first thing. That night we went to a movie, also, at her suggestion. It was really quite good. The star was none other than Ronnie Wheeler. He was using his stage name, Rono Walker. The name of the movie was "The sheriff of Cutthroat Valley." Ronnie had made such a success of his life. Departure time had come for us. We left Nancy in California and headed for Chicago. We heartily agreed our trip was worthwhile since we'd seen so many old friends. Parting was sad but we agreed to write each other often.

I hope I have not bored you with the details of the Allen High School class of 1958. I believe they have progressed to a high point in society and life.

Yours truly,

Joanne Allen

### Remember When

we got red D's in citizenship when we were in freshman Civics class? Nancy lost her voice. we had our freshman hayride? the petitions got started and the trouble they caused? Roma Faye wasn't reading a book? we weren't talking out of turn in Mrs. Hughes's class? Noelyn fell off his chair at Homecomina? there were 34 members in our class ? Gary Nyen wasn't humming in class? Roscoe Smith visited the shorthand class? we barbecued the pig for our sophomore party? Joanne fell on her head in gym class? the basketball boys won the County Championship in '58? the cheerleaders dropped Joyce on her head during one of the yells? the girls had all their slumber parties? freshman iniatiation and the run around town with no shoes? we were Co-Champs in football and 2nd in basketball in the first Lewis and Clark conference tournament? the economic class went downtown for coffee? we put on the Junior-Senior banquet and the fun we had doing it? Ronnie was crown-bearer in 47. Mr. Cox took us to the circus in Sioux City? we gave the junior class play and the thrill it gave us? we went to Chicago on Sneak day? we gave "The Death of the Hired Man" for the one-act play contest? we had the bowling and pizza party our senior year? Harlen Mattes was best supporting actor in the county one-act play? THIS PAGE SPONSORED BY SCHROEDER'S SERVICE STATION

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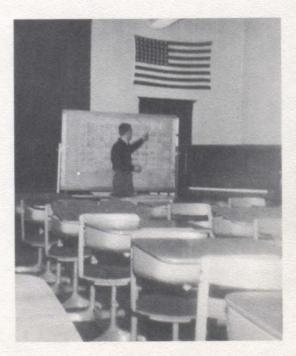
### Junior Class



First Row: V. Anderson, P. Rhode, M. White, E. Janssen, A. Hutchings, L. Edwards, B. Johnson, J. Forinash.
Second Row: M. Carr, A. Hash, E. Johnson, R. Carpenter, D. Boeshart, J. Furness, J. Rasmussen, R. Schneider, S. Van Cleave, D. Comstock, M. Ellis, M. Kimbell, P. Oviatt, Mr. Emry, Sponsor.

Third Row: T. Osbahr, D. Roberts, G. Hubbard, T. Schutte, J. Frerichs, G. Jones, E. Wilbur, M. Isom, G. Ogle, R. Schroeder, V. Larson.

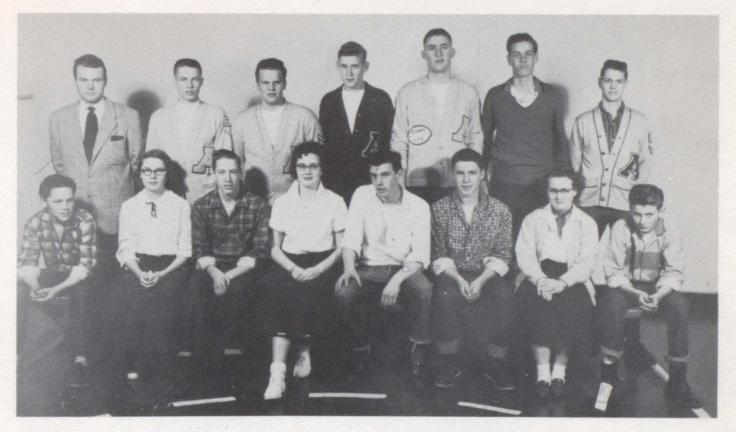




CONGRATULATIONS FROM GENELLI STUDIOS

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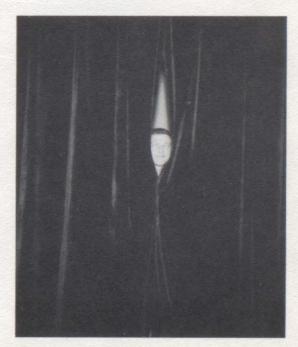
# Sophomores



First Row, L. to R.: C. Ellis, K. McCord, M. Schubert, S. Lanser, R. Troth, R. Anderson, E. Gillaspie, J. White. Second Row, L. to R.: Mr. Benton, Sponsor; B. Dietz, D. Ogle, K. Fahrenholz, J. Moseman, L. Weaver, D. Hubbard.



Peek-A-Boo



CONGRATUALTIONS FROM HUTCHINGS LOCKER AND EARLINES BEAUTY SHOP

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### Freshmen

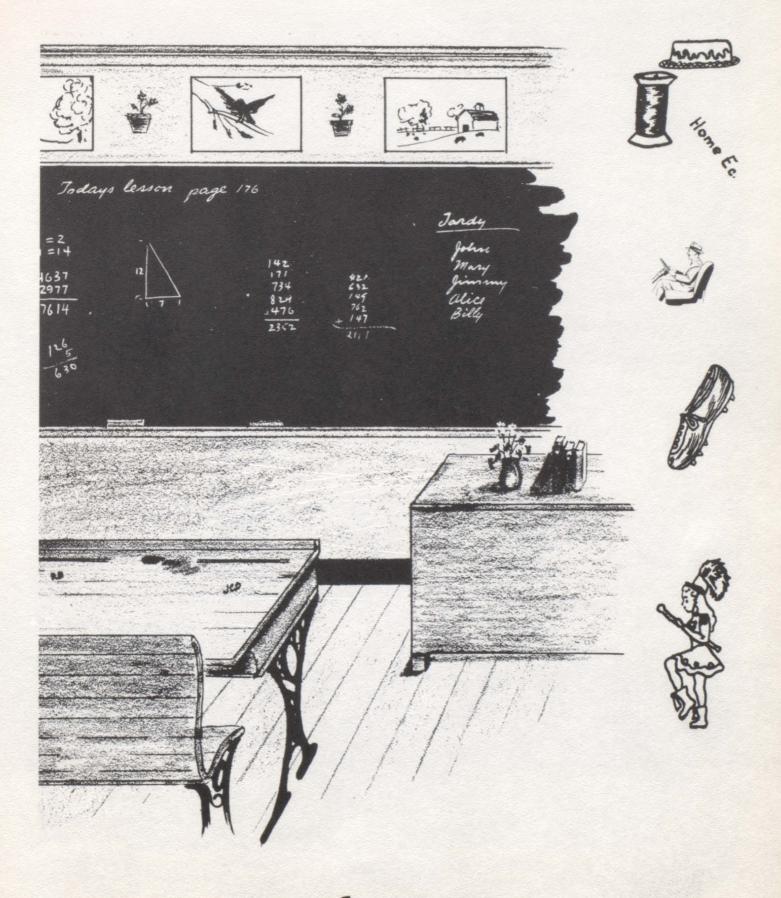


First Row, L. to R.: M. Leedom, C. Mitchell, B. Emry, L. Kjer, M. Jorgenson, C. Frerichs, G. Jacobson. Second Row: L. Malcom, D. Steele, R. Jewell, F. Pluger, E. Adams, D. Boeshart, B. Jordon, Mr. Morrow, Sponsor. Third Row: D. Rasmussen, G. Johnson, C. Osbahr, D. Wiig, V. Simon, M. Edwards, L. Mattes.

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Activities

### Student Council



Seated: E. Janssen, J. Magnuson, L. Kjer, J. Allen, President. Standing, L. to R.: S. Lanser, Mr. Morrow, Advisor; G. Ogle, D. Ogle, D. Boeshart, Mr. Emry, Advisor.

# Paper Staff



Work done on the paper was done solely by the Journalism class. Editor and Business Manager, Dallas Roberts and Ellis Wilbur respectively, Mrs. Townsend supervised the make-up of the paper the first semester and Mr. Mozer the last.

HOME CAFE

### Juture Homemakers of America



First Row, L. to R.: E. Gillaspie, M. White, E. Janssen, J. Allen, K. McCord, B. Johnson, S. Lanser, C. Simon, J. Forinash.

Second Row: P. Oviatt, Mrs. Mitchell, Advisor; A. Hutchings, R. Lisle, V. Simon, C. Mitchell, S. Van Cleave, G. Johnson, C. Frerichs, P. Rhode, A. Hash, V. Anderson, G. Jacobson.

Third Row: L. Mattes, J. Ellis, N. Hansen, Delores Rasmussen, D. Rasmussen, L. Kjer, B. Emry, L. Mattes, M. Edwards, M. Jorgenson, M. Leedom.



The FFA and FHA king and queen were crowned at the annual Sweetheart Dance held February 15. FFA King was Ellis Wilbur and FHA Queen, Carol Mitchell.

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### Juture Jarmers of America



First Row, L. to R.: Mr. Rich, Advisor; K. Fahrenholz, E. Wilbur, H. Mattes, M. Ellis, D. Roberts, G. Jones. Second Row: B. Jordon, R. Jewell, R. Anderson, D. Boeshart, G. Hubbard, D. Hubbard, J. Furness, E. Johnson. Third Row: D. Wiig, L. Malcom, D. Steele, F. Pluger, V. Larson, C. Ellis, J. White.

All FFA officers, in June of last summer went to the State Leadership Camp at Fullerton, Nebraska. Officers included were as follows.

> President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Reporter Sentinel

Harlen Mattes Ellis Wilbur Melvin Ellis Dallas Roberts Keith Fahrenholz Gerald Jones

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### Instrumental Music



Left to Right: L. Kjer, C. Mitchell, C. Simon.



Left to Right: V. Simon, A. Hutchings, M. Schubert, J. Allen, L. Holmes, R. Wheeler, S. Lanser, L. Mattes, L. Kjer, D. Roberts, D. Rasmussen, C. Mitchell, V. Larson, E. Janssen, C. Simon, P. Oviatt, L. Schlines, E. Black, L. Weaver, S. Van Cleave, D. Rasmussen. Instructor, R.Benton.

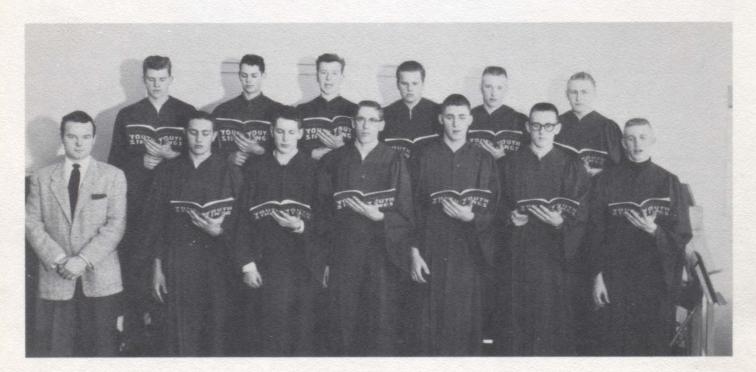
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### Vocal Music



First Row, L. to R.: E. Gillaspie, C. Mitchell, L. Kjer, G. Johnson, B. Johnson, J. Forinash, P. Oviatt, R. Lisle. Second Row: C. Simon, L. Mattes, D. Rasmussen, M. Edwards, V. Simon, A. Hash, B. Emry, C. Frerichs, G. Jacobson, Mr. Benton, Instructor.

Third Row: L. Mattes, S. Van Cleave, L. Edwards, K. McCord, A. Hutchings, E. Janssen, M. White, S. Lanser, M. Carr, M. Jorgenson, M. Leedom.



First Row, L. to R.: Mr. Benton, Instructor, J. Magnuson, D. Roberts, G. Jones, J. Moseman, T. Shutte, N. Isom. Second Row: M. Kimbell, D. Hubbard, R. Schroeder, D. Ogle, H. Mattes, V. Larson.

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### Homecoming



Festivities for the 57-58 annual Homecoming got underway at 2:30 pm, October 4, in the auditorium of Allen High School. The events of the day were started off with a program – the special event being the crowning of the king and queen. The Royal couple were King, Noelyn Isom and Queen Joanne Allen. The king and queen were crowned by Judy Harder, queen of 56-57.

The king and queen's attendants were Joyce Ellis, Harlen Mattes, Lorene Mattes, and Ronnie Wheeler. The crownbearers were D'vee Koester, Marcella Short, Michael Ellis, and Stanley Jensen.

The afternoon program was opened by Master of Ceremonies, John Magnuson, followed by alumni speeches and musical selections. Carol Mitchell and Carol Simon played a flute duet, Ronnie Schroeder played an accordian solo, and Dallas Roberts sang a solo. The program was closed with a pep rally led by the cheerleaders.

That evening the Allen Eagles met Pilger in a victorious game of football. Allen was well awarded for their effort with a score of 18 to 0. At the half the royalty rode onto the field in a beautiful white convertible. There was a short pause when the royalty stopped before the band stand, while the band played a special number for them.

A very successful evening was brought to a close with a dance given by the Alumni. Music was furnished by the Trend Trio from Wayne.

> FROM FRED W. MARTENS

Pep Club



First Row, L. to R.: Cheerleaders Marge White, Joanne Allen, Elaine Janssen, Anne Hutchings.
Second Row: L. Mattes, C. Simon, J. Ellis, D. Rasmussen, J. Forinash, S. Van Cleave, C. Mitchell.
Third Row: Miss Popkes, Advisor; C. Frericks, A. Hash, G. Johnson, B. Johnson, L. Kjer, B. Emry, V. Anderson, G. Jacobson, E. Gilaspie, Mr. Mitchell, Sponsor.

Fourth Row: V. Simon, K. McCord, R. Lisle, N. Hansen, D. Rasmussen, S. Lanser, P. Oviatt, P. Rhode, M. Jorgenson; L. Mattes.





Noelyn Isom; John Magnuson; Harlen Mattes; Fran Morrow, Coach

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### Football



First Row, L. to R.: C. Ellis, D. Wiig, G. Nyen, R. Jewell, E. Wilbur, F. Pluger, R. Anderson, B. Jordon.
Second Row: D. Roberts, Student Manager, D. Ogle, D. Comstock, J. Magnuson, H. Mattes, N. Isom, M. Isom, D. Boeshart.

Third Row: B. Dietz, T. Osbahr, G. Jones, T. Shutte, J. Moseman, G. Hubbard, K. Fahrenholz, Mr. Morrow, Coach. Fourth Row: Dean Boeshart, V. Larson, M. Schubert, R. Schneider, G. Ogle, M. Kimbell, D. Hubbard.

> Allen had a very successful football season, ending with a 5-1-1 record. Allen and Croften were co-champs in the first Lewis and Clark football conference.

	We	They
Wayne	13	13
Ponca	7	0
Laurel	0	19
Pilger	18	0
Randolph	34	18
Holy Trinity	21	20
Hartington	14	0

### Basketball



First Row, L. to R.: D. Comstock, G. Ogle, G. Jones, J. Moseman, N. Isom, M. Isom, H. Mattes. Second Row: Fran Morrow, Coach; M. Kimbell, B. Dietz, T. Shutte, T. Osbahr, V. Larson, Dick Ogle, Student Manager.



Game that won the Dixon County Championship for Allen.

	We	They
Concord	47	34
Ponca	41	25
Wakefield	60	71
Dixon	82	48
Beemer	71	66
Laurel	60	54
Ponca	61	40
Walthill	49	44
Holy Trinity	39	64
Sacred Heart	70	48
Ponça	67	45
Concord	54	52
Holy Trinity	55	65
Emerson	48	62
Newcastle	89	56
Waterbury	40	38
Pender	54	63

"A" Club



First Row: G. Jones, J. Rasmussen, H. Mattes, N. Isom, G. Ogle, J. Magnuson, J. Moseman. Second Row: D. Roberts, K. Fahrenholz, T. Shutte, G. Hubbard, D. Comstock, Mr. Morrow, Advisor. Third Row: D. Boeshart, D. Hubbard, T. Osbahr, M. Isom, M. Kimbell, D. Ogle, B. Dietz, V. Larson.

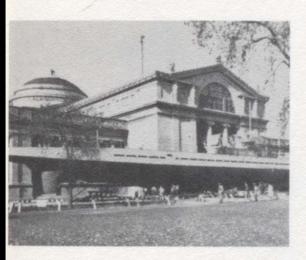




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**Busy State Street** 



Visit Museum of Science



Museum sights

Seniors Jo Chicago

The class of "58" was the first Allen group to enjoy a visit to the "Windy-City". Plans began early in the year to persuade neighboring schools to accompany us. Our local Burlington agent, Mr. Don Schneider, helped in making arrangements.

The train was made up in Omaha where we were joined by more students from Nebraska.

Seniors from Ponca, Waterbury, Concord, Dixon and Hahn High were in our car of the 23 car section.

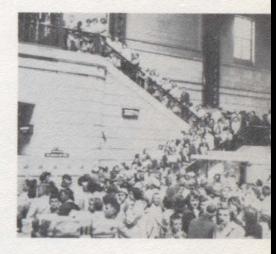
We left Omaha late Friday, April 11, on the over nite trip. What with getting acquainted with other kids, the sights, noise, excitement and plans for the next day – we got little sleep.

The day was jammed with experiences — tall buildings, crowds, traffic, strange ideas and rush.

Saturday eve we returned to the station to be fed and loaded for home. Reviewing activities of the day kept some awake-others exhausted slept - all were sure the trip would be long remembered.



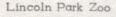
Travel in busses



Chicago Union Station



Outer drive





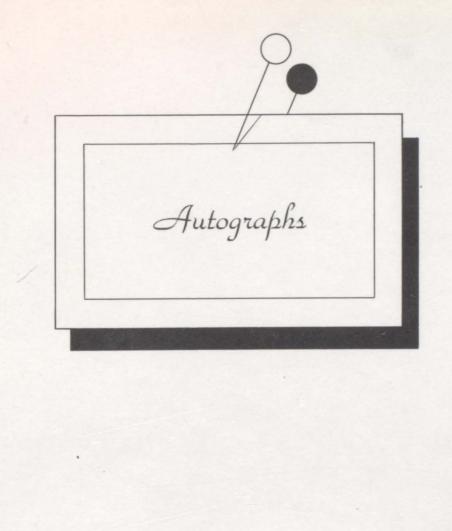


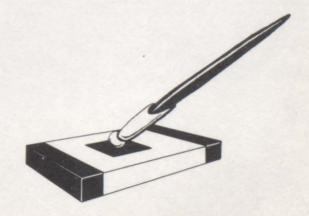
Time out for Lunch

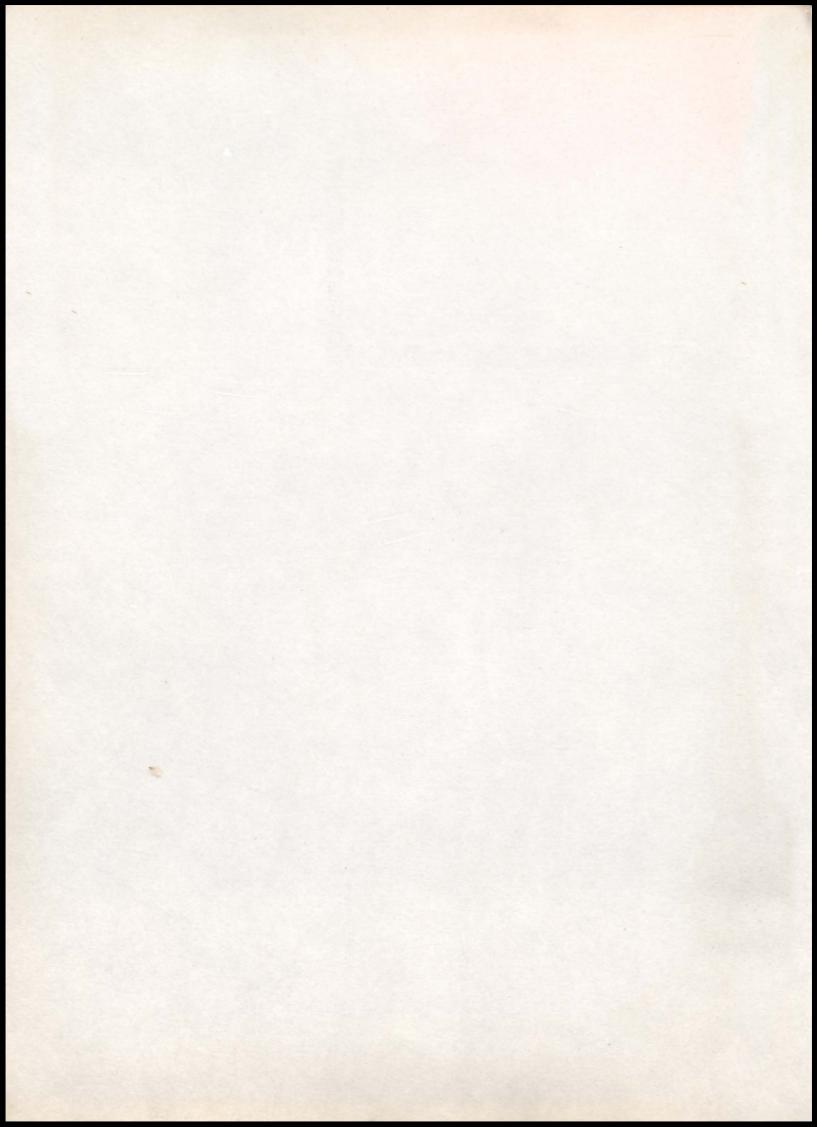


# Snapshots









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