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On behalf of the Annual Staff, Jane and Joan Johnson Co-editors, present to YOU, the administration and students, your 1956 Annual.

In this your annual we have tried to picture the highlights of Central High School. Annuals, in a sense, might be called pictorial history books. In years to come when reminiscing with friends, we hope you find as much enjoyment in reading it as we have found in compiling it.

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For Guidance and Encouragement, We Dedicate

# To You, Our Parents,



Our 1956 Interlakes

Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

Proverbs 22:6



Homecoming Royalty Jane and Wayne Reign over Homecoming Festivities











# Student Council Where There's a Will, There's a Way



Left to right. Standing: Vance Gregerson, Larry Stanford, Glenn Rames, Herbert Lucken, Richard Mullaney, Keith Jurgens. First Row: Douglas Merager, Leslie Sathers, Jone Hallenbeck, Janice Fox, Bob Appelwick, Wayne Hines, and advisor Mr. Engelhorn.

Wayne Hines President



The Student Council, representatives from each class, has many varied tasks in handling school affairs. After many hours of toilsome work on the planning of Homecoming activities and the All-School Play the Council still found time for merriment in taking charge of the worthwhile Polio Auction. Another phase of the Student Council is designating social hours to the various activities and organizations.

Elected as Student Body President by his fellow schoolmates in the spring of 1955, Wayne Hines has made a fine showing in representing the student body. Some of his major tasks were giving a student welcome at Parents' Night and representing the student body at eighth grade graduation.

Class Officers

Some Plan While Others Play



# SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Senior class officers, Herbert Lucken, President; Bob Campbell, Vice President; Bob Appelwick, and Leslie Sathers, Home Room Presidents are seriously thinking about a senior class gift. Mary Ann Holle Secretary-Treasurer, (not pictured).

### JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Happily counting their profits from the concession stand are the junior class officers, Vance Gregerson, President; David Vickmark,Vice President;Mary Jean Kaiser, Secretary-Treasurer; and Marlys Wiegman and Keith Jurgens Home Room Presidents.





#### SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Thinking of ways and means to produce another "Follies Hit" are class officers, Glenn Rames, President; Jennie Greene,Vice President; Margaret Felker, Secretary-Treasurer; and Jone Hallenbeck and Richard Mullaney Home Room Presidents.

#### FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Talking over freshman problems are the class officers, Douglas Merager, President; Joy Pederson, Vice President; Albert Slagel, Secretary-Treasurer; and Janice Fox and Larry Stanford Home Room Presidents.







Donna Dixon-A girl of few words never needs to take any back. FHA, CAP.

Eugene Carr-One who always does his best and comes through. Handicraft, Visual Aids.

Terry Casey-I wish I were a pilot with a girl on every cloud. Chorus, Glee Club, Octette, All State Chorus, Quartet, Maroon Staff, Visual Aids.

Rose Marie Allen-Love could never be expected to bloom, when it is continually transplanted. Glee Club, Journalism, FHA, Maroon Staff, Quill and Scroll.

Sharren Whaley-School does fill up the gap between evenings. Glee Club, Band, Clarinet quartet, Clarinet Ensemble, Declam, GAA, FHA, Twirling.

Thomas Keough-A diminutive chatter box. Class Plays, Glee Club, Vocal Soloist, Band, Dance Band, Football Manager, Basketball Manager, M Club, Visual Aids, Cheerleader, CAP.

Donald Bogue-Generally speaking, he's generally speaking. Class Play, Band, Handicraft, Visual Aids, CAP, Football.

> Marlene Berkelo-Her head is light, yes, very light; in fact she is a blond. Glee Club, Journalism, FHA, Maroon, Quill and Scroll.







Jane Johnson-Always busy, such is the road to success. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Octette, Soloist, Journalism, Interlakes Staff, GAA, FHA, Library, Follies Royalty Candidate, Homecoming Queen, All State Chorus.

Robert Sullivan-Well, they lose me this year. Glee Club, Chorus, Octette, Quartet, All State Chorus, Football, Track, Basketball, M Club, Class Officer, Class Play, Student Council, Visual Aids.

Patrick Doyle-Long live the Irish. Class Plays, Glee Club, Football, Track, M Club, Class Officer,Interlakes Staff, Visual Aids, Maroon Staff.

Karen Malthesen-A good laugh is worth a hundred grins in any market. Class Plays, Glee Club, Chorus, Soloist, Declam, Dramatic Club, FHA, Twirling, Cheerleading, Drill Team.

Marlene Pederson-A girl with a pleasant smile for all. FHA, CAP.

Robert Campbell-Lots of fun, lots of work, and sometimes I combine them.Glee Club, Band, Football, Basketball, Track, M Club, Class Officer, Interlakes Staff,Visual Aids, Student Council, Most valuable player Football, Homecoming Royalty Candidate, Follies Royalty Candidate.

Robert Appelwick-'Tis not my talent to conceal my thoughts.Glee Club, Chorus, Soloist, Football, Basketball, Track, M Club, Visual Aids, Follies Royalty Candidate, Boys' Quartet.

Virginia Johannson-In her friendship, there is nothing insincere. Band, Sax Ensemble, Declam, GAA, FHA, Drill Team.







Seniors

Dewey Moothart-He's terribly quiet but terribly nice to have around. Football, Basketball, Handicraft, Visual Aids, CAP.

Kay Davin-Her heart is like the moon, always with a man in it. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Trio, Soloist, Journalism, GAA, Twirling, Drill Team.

Gretchen Hagemann-A pin's drop would make more noise than she does. Glee Club, Journalism,FHA.

Richard Welch-Men have died from overwork, guess l'll live forever. Football, Basketball, Track, M Club, Class Officer, Student Council.

Harold Hines-In every way he's the best in the West. Football, Basketball,Track, M Club, Visual Aids, Handicraft, Class Officer.

James Thompson-Voice is great but silence is greater. Basketball, Handicraft, Visual Aids.

Nyla Limmer-A blush is beautiful, but often inconvenient. Chorus, Glee Club, Declam, Dramatic Club, Twirling.

Dorothy Glatz-Her smile is her calling card. Band, FHA, Declam, Drill Team, GAA.













Richard Nettum-What I want to get most out of school is myself. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Football, Journalism, Maroon Staff.

Beverly Waters-She is gentle in manner and always sure to please. Chorus, Glee Club, FHA, Follies Royalty Candidate.

Mary Ann Holle-She'll find a word for it. Class Play, Band, Orchestra, Class Officer, Declam, GAA, Library, Student Council.

William Beck-Who talks little hears much. Handicraft, CAP, Visual Aids.

Aleck Shaheen-You will never regret knowing him. Football, Basketball, Track, Handicraft, CAP.

Mary Millet-Merry, Mischievous, Magnetic Mary. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Trio, Band, Woodwind Ensemble, GAA, Twirling.

Arlea Robson-She is as constant as the stars that never vary. Journalism, FHA, Maroon Staff.

Loren Roberts-Anybody wanna race? Football, Basketball, Track, Visual Aids, Homecoming Royalty Candidate.



















Robert Wallace-Take it easy or not at all. Follies Royalty Candidate. Transfer from Riverdale, North Dakota.

Chyrlle Rook-If wind were electricity, she'd be a power plant. Band, Soloist, Sextette, Debate, Declam, FHA, Secretarial Club, Mike Club.

Myrtle Wilde-The best of life is conversation. GAA, FHA, Tumbling, Twirling.

Carl Trooien-1'm not arguing with you, 1'm telling you. Class Play, Chorus, Science Club, Maroon Staff, Visual Aids, All State Press Staff.

Albert Fuller-He has his standards, and always lives up to them. Class Play, Class Officer, Visual Aids, Student Council, Boy's State, CAP.

Marilyn Nelson-She majors in charm and intelligence. Chorus, Glee Club, Sextette, Soloist, Octette, Trio, Band, Orchestra, Brass Sextette, Cornet Trio, Cornet Quartet, German Band, Class Officer, Interlakes Staff, FHA, All State Chorus, Girls' State, DAR Representative, Piano, All State Band.

Sally Hope-There's no limit to her chatter and laughter. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Soloist, NFL, Declam, Dramatic Club, GAA, Class Officer, Journalism, Drill Team, Twirling, Library, Follies Royalty Candidate.

Rose Strang-A lively girl with a desire to have a good time at all times. FHA, CAP.







Herbert Lucken-There's a far away look in his eyes,he's looking at his feet. Basketball, Track, M Club, Visual Aids, Student Council, CAP.

Marcella Jacobs-Laugh and the class laughs with you. Band, Saxaphone Sextette, GAA, FHA, Twirling, Drill Team.

Nancy Hanson-The better you know her the more you like her. FHA, Secretarial Club, Transfer from Ramona.

Wayne Hines-Governor and L. Class Play, Glee Club, All State Chorus, Band, Quartet, Solo, Football, Basketball, M Club, NFL, Class Officer, Maroon Staff, Journalism, Visual Aids, Student Council, Homecoming King, Co-Captain Football, Governor of Boys' State.

Leslie Sather-Life is short so let's be merry. Chorus, Glee Club, Class Officer, Student Council.

Priscilla Pirwitz-Not as bashful as her blush suggests. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Sextette, Octette, Trio, Band, Solo,German Band, Declam, Dramatic Club, GAA, Interlakes Staff, All State Band, All State Chorus, Piano Solo.

Carol Brown-A quiet girl but quite a girl. Chorus, Glee Club, Sextette, Soloist, FHA, Twirling.

Richard Malikowski-l'll do my living now and make sure it gets done. Chorus, Glee Club, Football, Basketball, Track, M Club, Class Officer, CAP, Homecoming Royalty Candidate.













Seniors

Nancy Amonson-A nature capable and sweet; just to know her is a treat. Band, Clarinet Quartet, Clarinet Ensemble, GAA, FHA, Girls' State.

Mary Ann Coonradt-Ever pleasant and likeable. Glee Club, Debate, Declam, Journalism, Maroon Staff.

Richard Buehler-He's great in magnitude and in distinction. Class Play, Glee Club, Band, German Band, Brass Sextette, Orchestra, Solo, Football, Basketball, Track, M Club, Handicraft, Class Officer, Visual Aids, Student Council, All State Football Conference, Football Co-Captain.

Joan Johnson-She's full of fun, pep, and has plenty of zip. Class Play, Chorus, Glee Club, Sextette, Quartet, All State Chorus, Journalism, Interlakes Staff, GAA, FHA, Library, Homecoming Royalty, Class Officer, Piano.

Karen Anderson-A mind of her own. Class Play, Band, Solo, NFL, GAA, Declam, Dramatic Club, Mike Club, Journalism, Piano Lessons.

Wayne Hof-Quietly and calmly he comes and goes. Band, Visual Aids, Handicraft.

Karen Kendall-It's a woman's privilege to talk. Class Play, Glee Club, Declam. Transfer from Missouri Valley, Iowa.

John Gutzman-1 hurry not, nor do 1 worry, Football, Basketball, Handicraft, Visual Aids.









# SHUTTER SHY

Thomas Wilde-Why study, the more I study, the harder questions they ask me.Chorus,CAP,Tumbling.

Paul Mullaney-Don't recite too loud, I'm sleeping. Football, Basketball, Handicraft. Ronald Doering-The trouble with getting to school on time is that it makes the day too long. Football, Track, CAP, Handicraft.

Lyle Johnson-Pool is his favorite pastime. Handicraft, CAP, Interlakes Staff.

## FLOWER

Talisman Rose

MOTTO

Now we launch, where shall we anchor

COLOR

VALEDICTORIAN

Orchid and Silver

SALUTATORIAN Marilyn Nelson

Seniors, we leave you with this thought:

"You have each been given a bag of tools, A formless rock and a book of rules; And each must make, ere life has flown, A stumbling-block or a stepping-stone."

Goodbye and good luck.



















Juniors

Bobinette Anderson Gene Appelwick Delores Berkelo Rebecca Brekke

LaVay Beyer Leon Beyer Patricia Bucholz Constance Callan

Ronald Deniger Ila Dixon Gayla Doering Delores Doty

Carl Ericsson Harold Ewald William Freet Vance Gregerson

Rodney Hallowell Barbara Halseth Walter Heidelberger Jack Hof

LeRoyce Istas Terryl Jensen Keith Jurgens Mary Jean Kaiser

Cora Lee Knappen Keith Liddiard LeRoy Long Richard McDonald





























Juniors

Walter Michaelson David Moran Marguerite Mullaney Robert Nangle

Jeanette Neuman Virgil Nipp Marybelle Odell Stanley Olsbo

Charlotte Osborne Dan Pardy William Patterson Beverly Redmond

Burton Rumrill Jeanette Rundle Donna Schultz Jane Spawn

Fred Steffen Deanna Tolk Connie Tucker Karen Vander Goore

David Vickmark Robert Weber Marlys Wiegman Jeanette Wilde

Norman Yerigan Arnette Zastrow







Duane Aldrich Albert Amonson Gloria Anderson Frances Baumeister Dick Biegger

Judy Betz Anita Bogue Mary Bowman Pat Callan Delores Chapman

Judy Davin Nan Deniger Jetta Dossett Lucille Doty Robert Doyle

Douglas Drew Margaret Felker Mary Felker Jennie Greene Robert Gross

Linelle Hackett Jone Hallenbeck John Hart Shirley Hemre John Hof

Michael Huettl Dennis Johnson Norman Johnson Larry Kappel Judy Kuchenbecker

Kay Leach Larry Lee Russell Leighton James Lund Bonnie Meyer

































Sophomores

Ann Mohr Mary Moran Richard Mullaney Rose Marie Mullen Marian Nelson

Marlys Nieman Kristie Nighbert Constance Noteboom Kelmer Oldre Lorraine Olson

Ada Orton Margaret Ann Patterson Glenn Rames Sheila Rensch Lynn Roberts

Larry Ross Craig Rounds Betty Lou Rush Judy Schaub LaVina Schinderling

Carol Schirmacker Virgil Seitz Rose Shaheen Sophie Shaheen Rosalie Sheldon

Ernest Steffen Graydon Stephenson Alice Tidbloom Valerie Williams Mary Zilch



AAAAAAA























Freshmen

Linda Anderson Raymond Appelwick Martin Berkelo David Blair

James Brown Robert Carr Carol Croisant Marie Doty

Dennis Drew Dan Drew Joy Eisenbeis Freda Ericsson

Janice Fox Harold Gienapp Marlene Gudmundson Ann Gutzman

Jana Gutzman Betty Hanson Roberta Hinde John Holle

Ardis Horner Richard Howard Jeanette Jacobson Marsha Johnson

Dennis Kendall Gary Knudson Laurie Lee William Lucas

































Freshmen

Donald Martinson Dennis McCracken Judy McDonald Michael McGowan

Marlys McKinney Douglas Merager Wayne Muth Larry Ness

Dean Nighbert Gay Lynn Noteboom Barth O'Loughlen Robert Ormseth

Joy Pederson Toiny Piehl Earl Schroeder Gloria Seitz

Karen Seitz Wilber Slagel Donald Spies Margaret Stahl

Larry Stanford Madeline Stoltz Carol Tessin Linda Thompson

Rose Marie Van Sickle Gary Vickmark Marilyn Walker









Classes

A Little of This



- The library of MHS holds an important place in the lives of the students. They use the library for reference work, recreational reading, and, last but not least, to relax and play an interesting game of chess.
- 2. Entertaining one of the teachers at a formal dinner is a part of Home Economics II. Also planning and sewing a new spring outfit is an essential part of the home economics class.
- Working at the board, the algebra students have a clearer understanding of their math problems.
- Miss Krogmann opens the discussion of social and economic problems in the problems in democracy class. The class also studies the problems of our federal, state, and municipal governments.
- 5. During a five-minute timing, the typing class students are trying to obtain their highest speed. Through speed, accuracy, and office and personal problems, the students prepare for their future work.
- 6. Escaping to the "out-of-doors," the art class enjoys sketching the spring scenery.



And

A Little of That!



- Using the knowledge they have acquired from their books and lectures, the biology students turn to disecting as part of their class work.
- Student guidance is an essential part of Mr. Engelhorn's work as principal.
- 3. A recent innovation at Central High School is the chess tournament.

- 4. Members of the vocal group receive their criticisms and ratings from the judge.
- One of the many projects of the physics class this year was building and wiring miniature homes.
- Students of the shop class are using their skill to build small tables and cabinets.
- Accepting a farewell gift from the boys' home economics class, Miss Van Overschelde smiles with appreciation.



Jaken by Surprise







"In the spring, a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love." Some students do not wait until spring.

# 2

Taken by surprise, Don Bogue and many other students have had the experience of a shower from the second floor fountain. Could that be why the seniors decided to give the school a drinking fountain?

Is this your locker? This view, typical of many lockers, indicates that a general housecleaning job is in order.

3

A few of this year's fads at Central High are pictured below in the triangle of slim skirts, hoop skirts, and blue jeans.

4

# 5

Dorthy Glatz's appreciative smile, portrays the students' reaction to the shots received during the school year.

# 6

Eagerly waiting for the doors to open, the students pause outside to chat with their fellow schoolmates.

Long, short or in between, which ever you preferred it was in style this year.





Band

Still Achieving



Clarinets

- D. Berkelo
- M. Millett
- J. Spawn
- N. Amonson
- J. Fox
- C. Callan
- L. Rich
- L. Thompson
- S. Whaley
- K. Tosch B. Patterson
- J. Hallenbeck
- J. Jacobson
- M. Odell M. Nelson J. Greene J. Hallenbeck M. Stoltz K. Thompson K. Grimstvedt Bass

# R. Buehler

Saxophones

- D. Chapman
- H. Ewald
- G. Seitz

- Baritones D. Bogue V. Jensen
- N. Johnson
- J. Hof

# Flutes

K. Anderson

S. Lotspeich

D. Tolk

Alto and Bass Clarinet G. Doering

M. Arneson

French Horn G. Knutson P. Callan R. Van Sickle

# Trombones W. Hines W. Hof

- A. Gutzman
- L. Kappel R. Mullen

Drum Majorette J. Kuchenbecker

#### Drums

- B. Campbell
- T. Keough
- M. Wiegman M. Kaiser
- C. Spawn

Director B. Ireland

"To look sharp,

To feel sharp,

And to be sharp" is the motto of the MHS band as it tours the countryside; and indeed they were sharp as they brought home trophies won at the American Legion convention in Aberdeen and at the Bridgewater contest.

With the buses groaning from the load of suitcases, horns, sleeping bags, and cots, the MHS band joyfully set off for a good-will tour of the Black Hills. They made their headquarters at Custer. After seeing the smiles of happiness at Fort Meade, the Veterans' Hospital, the Old Soldiers' Home, and at Sanator, the band members felt well rewarded for their performances.

"Hey, come on in the water's warm!" were the unanimous shouts as the band members took a swim in Evan's Pool at Hot Springs. The band also toured Wind Cave and the Homestake Gold Mine.

The band made several small trips, one of which was to the Edgerton Dutch Festival. Bill received a pair of dutch shoes as a token of friendship between the band and the people of Edgerton. During the school year the band went to Mitchell to play and to root for the football team.

The band also presented a concert March 27. So ends another year in the memories of the MHS band.
Still Pursuing

#### The Regional Contest Entries

- Left to right: L. Thompson, J. Fox, L. Rich, J. Hallenbeck, and K. Tosch were members of the clarinet ensemble which received a second rating.
- Those receiving superiors in solo work were the following: T. Keough, drum; N. Johnson, baritone; J. Greene, saxaphone; and D. Berkelo, clarinet.
- Members of the saxaphone ensemble are: left to right: M. Odell,K.Grimstvedt,J.Hallenbeck, M. Nelson, M. Stoltz, J. Greene. They rated a third on their numbers.
- Receiving a superior rating and playing in the Grand Concert were highlights in the experience of the clarinet quartet. Left to right: D. Berkelo, M. Millett, J. Spawn, and N. Amonson.
- Brass sextet members are: left to right: W. Hof, P. Callan, R. Buehler, D. Bogue, M. Nelson, and A. Bogue. An excellent rating was awarded this group.
- The cornet quartet, left to right: J. Kirkeby,
  D. Fields, B. Rush, and L. Cross, rated a third in the music contest.













Glee Clubs

## MAS Music Land



Left to right. Back row: M. Felker, K. Malthesen, A. Bogue, N. Limmer, L. Doty, Z. Doty, A. Tidbloom, M. Doty, J. Neuman, M. Felker, S. Shaheen. Fourth row: C. Schirmacher, G. Seitz, K. Davin, N. Deniger, M. Bowman, B. Rush, J. Johnson, M. Nelson, J. Dossett, B. Meyer, G. Hagemann, J. Hallenbeck. Third row: M. Patterson, D. Schultz, P. Pirwitz, J. Johnson, J. Greene, J. Fox, J. Gutzman, L. Thompson, B. Halseth, S. Hope, M. Millett, S. Rensch, M. Nelson. Second row: J. Schaub, C. Croisant, R. Brekke, M. Stahl, J. McDonald, C. Noteboom, F. Baumeister, L. Schinderling, J. Pederson, J. Wilde, B. Hansen, Miss Schroeder, Director. Front row: B. Redmond, C. Callan, K. Nighbert, M. Zilch, P. Callan, V. Williams, R. Sheldon, L. Olson, J. Davin, A. Zastrow, J. Eisenbeis, R. Hinde.



Left to right. Back row: R. Howard, L. Sather, T. Keough, G. Knutson, D. Spies. Third row: W. Lucas, V. Gregerson, H. Ewald, R. Sullivan, R. Weber, D. Blair. Second row: R. Campbell, C. Ericsson, S. Olsbo, W. Michaelson, P. Doyle, R. Malikowski, T. Casey. Front row: A. Bogue, accompanist, L. Long, G. Appelwick, R. Buehler, R. Appelwick, K. Liddiard, L. Beyer, R. Appelwick.

Song Can Brighten the Darkest Day Mixed Chorus

Left to right. Back row: R. Malikowski, H. Ewald, C. Rounds, L. Long, G. Rames, R. Appelwick, G. Appelwick, W. Patterson, D. Aldrich, T. Casey. Third row: E. Schroeder, R. Howard, A. Tidbloom, W. Hines, K. Malthesen, Z. Doty, N. Limmer, R. Sullivan, J. Lund, M. Gudmonson, Miss Schroeder, Director. Second row: S. Hope, P. Pirwitz, M. Millett, C. Tucker, M. Felker, J. Johnson, N. Amonson, S. Shaheen, D. Berkelo, M. Felker, K. Davin, J. Johnson, T. Keough. Front row: D. Blair, F. Ericsson, R. Brekke, M. Nelson, G. Noteboom, J. Neuman, M. Walker, L. Istas, R. Shaheen, M. Patterson, M. Johnson, B. Redmond, M. McKinney.

"Did you hear something fourth period?" "Oh, yes! Such harmony! Such depth!"

Upon investigation you found it was the chorus or girls glee club practicing in the Auditorium. The chorus, girls glee club, and small groups are directed by Miss Schroeder and the boys glee club by Bill Ireland.

Some of the major performances of these groups were at the annual Christmas program and at the Baccalaureate service here at MHS. The groups were also entered in the Region II Music Contest held on April 12-13, where all three clubs received superior ratings.

Many small vocal groups have participated in various other activities such as church functions, business clubs, talent shows, school programs, and All State Chorus.

Vocal Groups

Good, Better, Best



Left to right.Back row:W. Hines,R.Appelwick, L. Long, H. Ewald. Front row: M. Nelson, J. Johnson, J. Johnson, K. Malthesen.

An excellent was awarded to this group in the regional music contest.



Left to right: M. Nelson, M. Nelson, P. Pirwitz, J. Greene.

This quartet received a superior rating at the regional contest.



Left to right: R. Appelwick, T. Casey, R. Sullivan, D. Blair.

At the regional contest, this group won a superior rating.

In addition to participation in the glee club and chorus, a large number of students put in extra time and effort to represent our vocal department at various community functions and at contests.



Left to right: M. Kaiser, P. Pirwitz.

Both girls received superior ratings at the regional contest.



Local Contest Winners

Left to right: Regional Rating

Back row:

C.	Brown	Excellent
Ν.	Amonson	Excellent
R.	Appelwick	Excellent

Front row:

М.	Nelson	Superior
Κ.	Davin	Excellent
Κ.	Malthesen	Excellent
D.	Blair	Excellent

### JAA



The FHA had various activities throughout the year. Their main project for the year was sending a box to a family at Christmas time. They also had Round Robins with other FHA chapters, held a Pan-Puff Prom, and a picnic in the spring.

Home Sweet Home Makers

- FHA officers pack boxes for the Christmas family. Left to right. Standing: Donna Lahn, historian; Miss Van Overschelde, advisor; Seated: Zelda Doty,parliamentarian; Marybelle Odell, vice president; Delores Doty, secretary; and Bobinette Anderson, president.
- The art of thrifty buying, another characteristic of a good homemaker, is taught to FHA members. Left to right:S. Shaheen,L. Hackett, J. Rundle, A. Orton, J. Neuman, D. Dixon, M. Doty, F. Baumeister, and J. Eisenbeis.
- 3. Enjoying the refreshments at the Pan-Puff Prom are left to right: J. Wilde,C. Croisant, A. Robson, C. Brown, M. Neiman, J. Pederson, R. Hinde, C. Tucker, and Miss Beilmaier.
- Future Homemakers of America learn the proper way to judge fabrics. Left to right: J. McDonald, G. Seitz, B. Hanson, N. Amonson, G. Noteboom, K. Seitz, A. Horner, M. Walker.
- President Bobinette Anderson conducts the business meeting. Present, left to right: N. Hanson, B. Waters, R. Van Sickle, B. Anderson, S. Whaley, C. Rook, R. Strang, and M. Peterson.



Maroon Staff



Marlene Berkelo and Rosemarie Allen, co-editors, start the ball rolling each month as they plan and edit the Maroon, with the guidance of Miss Kilker.

> Painstakingly LeRoyce Istas, typist, prepares the final copy to be sent to the printers. Her work must be correct if the printed issue is to be such.

Once a month is "Maroon Day" for the student body. Before that day arrives, however, the staff works diligently assembling material, writing and editing stories, proofreading, making the dummy copy, delivering the copy to the printers, and finally--distributing the finished product to each high school student.





Searching for news stories and making assignments to her assistants are the two main jobs of Delores Berkelo, news editor. Assistants are Richard Mullaney, Mary Ann Coonradt, and Arlea Robson.

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Meet the Press



"Just snooping around" are the Maroon feature writers, Peggy Mullaney and Marlys Wiegman, and the feature editor, Donna Schultz. These girls are always on the look out for human interest stories.



Sports editor, Wayne Hines and sports assistant, Terry Casey, get first hand information on the years basketball season from Herb Lucken and Bob Appelwick, two members of the All-State Basketball team.



Anything unusual or new around MHS is sure to be illustrated in the Maroon by their cartoonist, Rebecca Brekke.

Last but not least. The circulation heads, Mary and Margaret Felker, pick up the finished copy of the Maroon at the leader office in readiness for distribution at 11:55 to the students.



Annual Staff



Decisions upon decisions must be made by the editors, Jane and Joan Johnson, and Interlakes advisor, Miss Johnson, as they mold plans for a successful yearbook.

To make this a book of memories, the Interlakes staff has tried to capture your activities as they really are so that when you browse through the pages, you will remember your 1955-56 year at MHS.

We have enjoyed working on the staff and have put forth every effort to make this the best Interlakes yet. Moments of Work

Our efficient photographer, Marilyn Nelson, is always on the job with her trusty camera be it "rain or shine." Marilyn takes all except the large group pictures for our Annual.



Collecting data for the sports pages in our annual, sports editor, Bob Campbell, intently surveys the athletic bulletin board.

Marian Nelson and Jennie Greene, sophomore assistants, hop out of "the buggy" and hurry to the staff meeting to complete work on the faculty pages.





Hours of Laughter

Smiles of approval come as the junior assistants, Karen VanderGoore and Charlotte Osborne, view a page layout as a probable plan for their page.



Delores Doty and Marybelle Odell check names of the MHS students in the school files as a small part of their duties as class editors.





"If at first you don't succeed, try and try again" has become a favorite saying of our typists, LeRoy Long and Priscilla Pirwitz.All typing for the annual must be letter perfect.

One of the "hours of laughter" was spent with refreshments in celebration of the editors' birthday.



NFL

Visual Aids

We Spoke Our Way to Honor



Left to right. Standing: J. Davin, K. Anderson, W. Hines, Miss Krogmann, M. Coonradt. Seated: M. Zilch, S. Hope, G. Anderson, and A. Zastrow.

The National Forensic League is an honorary society in which membership is gained through points earned in public speaking. The Madison chapter is a charter member of the League. The advisor is Miss Krogmann.

# Through Trial and Error We Learned



Left to right. Back row: K. Liddiard, L. Long, K. Jurgens, D. McDonald, H. Lucken, R. Deniger, A. Amonson. Second row: G. Carr, B. O'Loughlen, L. Beyer, D. Aldrich, R. Leighton, J. Hof, B. Doyle. First row: Mr. Schwarm, B. Freet, G. Knutson, D. Drew, D. Johnson, R. Hallowell, L. Lee.

Visual Aids teaches the use of projectors, recorders, and lights. Practice is received through showing movies to classes. Mr. Schwarm is the advisor of the group.

Handicraft

Do It Yourself



Left to right. Back row: G. Carr,L. Lee,D. Johnson, P. Mullaney,F. Steffen,J. Gutzman,B. O'Loughlen, R. Nangle, Mr. Hack, advisor. Second row: D. Bogue, L. Johnson, W. Beck, T. Jensen, N. Yerigan, H. Hines, D. Vickmark. Front row: W. Muth, D. Kendall, D. Merager, J. Thompson.

Handicraft, the "do-it-yourself" club, has been busy making Spanish copper ashtrays, driftwood table lamps, nut bowls and other useful items.

CAP

On the Wing



Left to right. Back row: T. Wilde, D. Bogue, R. Doering, H. Lucken, A. Fuller, A. Shaheen, W. Hof. Third row: A. Slagel, W. Lucas, D. Merager, M. Huettl, D. McCracken, W. Muth, D. Martinson, J. Hart. Second row: D. Drew, T. Keough, G. Vickmark, J. Lund, D. Kendall, D. Nighbert, J. Holle, R. Ormseth. Front row: Mr. Engelhorn, advisor, R. Strang, M. Pederson, L. Doty, J. Dossett, J. Neuman, J. Rundle.

Civil Air Patrol, a civilian auxiliary of the United States Air Force, functions to promote interest in aviation and the air force through orientation, movies, and summer encampments.

Debate

Searching, Sorting, and Speaking



This year the debate team tackled the problem of "federal aid for higher education." Although all were first year debaters, they willingly competed at Vermillion, Watertown, Sioux Falls, Yankton, Mitchell, and participated in the Tri-State meet at Madison. Discussions were held after each debate trip to better prepare themselves for future debating.

Left to right. Mary Zilch, Judy Davin, Albert Amonson, Larry Ross, Arnette Zastrow, Miss Krogmann, advisor, Gloria Anderson.

Dramatics Club

MAS Theatre Presents

Many future thespians went "all-out" for the Dramatic Club this year. Plays were interpreted, directed, and staged by the members of the club. All agree that it was a worthwhile and valuable experience.

Left to right. Back row: D. Schultz, J. Spawn, P. Bucholz, Mrs. Groeneveld, advisor, K. Vander Goore, M. Mullaney, J. Fox. Second row: S. Hope, G. Anderson, R. Brekke, M. Bowman, J. Jacobson, L. Thompson. Front row: C. Callan, A. Zastrow, S. Shaheen, K. Anderson, M. McKinney, F. Baumeister, M. Johnson.



# From the Sublime to the Ridiculous





### POETRY and DRAMATICS

Left to right. Back row: W. Patterson, M. Wiegman, Mrs. Groeneveld, S. Hope, K. Anderson, G. Doering. Front row: P. Mullaney, L. Istas, K. VanderGoore, J. Spawn, D. Schultz, N. Limmer, M. Bowman.

### HUMOROUS and ORATORY

Left to right. M. Coonradt, J. Greene, K. Malthesen, P. Pirwitz, Miss Krogmann, M. Stoltz.

Declam was divided into four divisions, namely; poetry, oratory, humorous, and dramatics. Miss Krogmann was advisor to the contestants in the humorous and oratory divisions and Mrs.Groeneveld advised the poetry and dramatics groups. The students prepared a selection for the local contest which was held November 19. The winners were as follows: Mary Holle, humorous; Karen Malthesen, oratory; Marlys Wiegman, poetry; LeRoyce Istas, dramatics. From the local contest, they went to the district where Marlys Wiegman won a superior and the other three excellent. Marlys continued to the regional and then to the state where she received an excellent rating.



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K. Malthesen "An Echo Here and There"

L. Istas "Mothers of Men" M. Wiegman "Death of the Hired Man"





M. Holle "The Waltz"

Sports in Shorts



Left to right: A. Bogue, J. Jacobson, K. Seitz, M. McKinney, J. Kuchenbecker, M. Felker.

"White in." Girls' basketball is played a little differently than boys'. Marg Felker attempts to pass to her forward but the guards seem determined to intercept the pass.



Back row. Left to right: J. Dossett, M. Kaiser, J. Rundle, J. Hallenbeck.Front row. N. Deniger, J. Davin.

With the smile of victory, Nan Deniger wins first choice, and the softball game proceeds.

As in the pictures of the GAA, these girls participated in many sports. They learned the fundamentals of the games, then divided into teams to put their learning into practice. The GAA centered its attention on five games, which include the following: speedball, volleyball, basketball, tumbling, and softball.

In addition to the regular features, the GAA sponsored the interclass basketball tournament and a play day for the seventh and eighth grade girls.Participating in the Physical Education demonstration concluded the GAA activities of the year.

"We won!" said the first row,"But we had just as much fun," said the second row, after a highly competitive game of volley ball.

Back row. Left to right: M. Gudmundson, A. Horner, A. Gutzman, B. Meyer. Front row: B. Rush, G. Noteboom, M. Johnson, B. Halseth. "Jump up high," yell the teammates as referee Sophie Shaheen throws a jump ball.

Left to right: J. Fox, D. Dahms, F. Ericsson, S. Shaheen, L. Thompson, T. Piehl, M. Stolz.



Cheerleaders

# Loyal We'll Ever Be



### "A" CHEERLEADERS

Left to right: M. Wiegman, B. Halseth, T. Keough, D. Schultz, K. Malthesen.

The "A" cheerleaders, clad in Bermuda shorts and knee socks, broke the age-long tradition of skirts and slacks at MHS.

Planning pep meetings and leading the student body in organized enthusiastic cheering were the most important duties of the cheerleaders.

This year Madison had a sure-fire yell, "You----rah, rah, Madison." When the team needed a special boost, this yell shook the rafters. Student support is needed for a team to do well and surely the students did support their team under the leadership of this year's cheerleaders.

### "B" CHEERLEADERS



Left to right:D.Chapman,J. Betz, J. Hallenbeck.

The "B" team cheerleaders took complete charge of the cheering section for the "B" team games.

These three were the personification of never-dying pep and enthusiasm.

Dauntless,













This year's football team, under the direction of coaches Cook and Hilton, had a successful season. This can be seen in the fact that our total output of points equalled the number of points scored against us by our opponents.

One of the highlights of the football season came when the Bulldogs defeated the team that won the E. S. D. this season, the Mitchell Kernels, by a score of 18 to 13.

The team had its good games and its bad ones; but besides learning how to play the game of football, the boys learned something of the game of life by learning the value of cooperation and sportsmanship.

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6.	R.	Campbell	12.	

- 7. K. Oldre 8. R. Sullivan 9. R. Nangle 10. R. Weber
  - . G. Rames
    - T. Jensen



























### ESD STANDINGS

Mitchell	WON 5	LOST I
Watertown	4	2
Aberdeen	4	2
Yankton	4	2
Madison	3	3
Huron	I.	5
Brookings	0	6

GAMES WON	AND	LOST
Flandreau	<u>WE</u> 20	THEY 7
Brookings	18	7
Huron	33	19
Aberdeen	0	16
Yankton	7	20
Mitchell	18	13
Watertown	19	33

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Left to right. Back row: Coach Cook, R. Nangle, G. Rames, R. Weber, G. Appelwick, V. Seitz, L. Kappel, C Rounds.T. Jensen, C. Ericsson. Second row: Coach Hilton, N. Johnson, R. Sullivan, A. Amonson, V. Gregerson, D. Moran, N. Yerigan, R. Doyle, D. Vickmark, B. Rumrill, K. Oldre. First row: D. Bogue, P. Doyle, R. Buehler, R. Appelwick, R. Campbell, R. Welch, H. Hines, W. Hines, L. Lee.



Freshman Football. Left to right. Back row: D. McCracken, J. Brown, R. Appelwick, W. Muth, D. Drew. First row: H. Gienapp, D. Drew, J. Holle, D. Blair, R. Ormseth.

Coaches Cook, Hilton, and Brady. Co-Captains Dick Buehler, Wayne Hines.

Student Manager Carl Ericsson





Basketball

# We're All Pals Jogether



B TEAM. Left to right. Top row: C. Rounds, R. Biegger, G. Rames, A. Amonson, L. Ross, D. Merager. First row: V. Seitz, K. Oldre, D. Gilbertson, N. Johnson, L. Lee.

The B team is the second step in the trio of steps which lead to playing on the A team. The B team, after playing its last game of the season, found that it had won II games and lost 7, which is a very commendable record.

The boys on the B team, under the instruction of Coach Hilton, have all done a good job this season and will be giving repeated performances next year on the A team.

Judging by the records of this team, future basketball seasons at MHS can be predicted to be good ones.



FRESHMAN TEAM. Left to right. Back row: H. Gienapp, W. Muth, J. Brown, D. McCracken, D. Merager, D. Drew. Front row: J. Holle, D. Blair, G. Vickmark, R. Ormseth, D. Drew.

The Freshman basketball team is the first step in a trio of steps which eventually leads to playing on the A team. Coach Brady teaches the boys the fundamentals of our high school system of basketball and prepares them for next year when they will play on the B team.

The team finished the season with a one win, nine loss record. The one victory was against Brookings and two close, overtime games were played against Chester and Beadle.

# The Pride and Joy







### H. Lucken

W. Hines R. Sullivan

### K. Liddiard

G. Appelwick

R. Appelwick







R. Weber

Of Central High





R. Buehler

R. Welch

R. Nangle

T. Jensen





D. Moran



B. Rumrill

R. Campbell

# We Also Did Our Part

Basketball



	WON	LOST	PERCENT
Madison	12	2	.857
Sioux Falls	11	3	.788
Huron	10	4	.714
Aberdeen	10	4	.714
Mitchell	5	9	.357
Yankton	5	9	.357
Brookings	3	11	.212
Watertown	2	12	. 143

ESD STANDINGS

Coaches Cook, Hilton, and Brady

The A team is the third and final step in Central's basketball program. Many would call it the, "pay off."

This year our A squad accomplished a feat which has never before been accomplished in the history of our school. For the first time a team wearing maroon and white captured the Eastern South Dakota Conference title. It was through team cooperation and effort that this was accomplished. The bulldogs always came through when the competition was keen, and it could always be seen that the boys on the team had the spirit of, "never give up."

One of the main reasons for our winning the ESD championship is best expressed by Coach Cook himself as he always told the boys, "Where there's a will, there's a way; and if you will hard enough, you'll find a way."

#### GAMES WON AND LOST

### Student managers H. Hines and C. Ericsson

	<u>WE</u> 53	THEY
Flandreau	53	49
Huron	60	52
Mitchell	55	54
Yankton	57	54
Sioux Falls	52	48
Cathedral	55	60
Brookings	65	35
Watertown	57	47
Aberdeen	47	44
Huron	41 -	68
Cathedral	47	52
Mitchell	53	46
Yankton	61	45
Flandreau	50.	48
Sioux Falls	53	51
Brookings	65	51
Watertown	52	51
Aberdeen	37 ~	46
Brookings	42	38
Flandreau Indians	53	69



# We Deliver The Goods And Fast



Track

Left to right. Back row: Coach Cook, L. Ross, K. Liddiard, G. Appelwick, T. Jensen, H. Lucken, G. Rames, A. Amonson, C. Rounds, D. Vickmark, Coach Hilton. Second row: D. Drew, H. Gienapp, V. Gregerson, J. Brown, D. Gilbertson, W. Muth, D. Merager, K. Oldre, R. Ormseth, J. Holle, R. Weber, Coach Brady. Front row: B. Rumrill, W. Hines, N. Johnson, L. Lee, V. Seitz, R. Sullivan, R. Nangle, C. Ericsson.

All in all, this track season was very successful for our boys in maroon and white. This year's track team has not only done well as a team, but also has had some outstanding individual performances. The team placed second in the Madison Invitational Track Meet, placed fourth in the Conference Meet, and scored sixteen and one-half points in the State Meet.

Herb Lucken was the record breaker of the year. He broke the high hurdles record in the Conference Meet and tied the school record. Herb won first place in the low hurdles in both meets.



- 1. V. Seitz and Bob Sullivan were the speedy milers representing the maroon and white.
- 2. Left to right. G. Rames, T. Jensen, C. Rounds, B. Rumrill, G. Appelwick. These boys were the
- 3. Left to right. D.Vickmark, A.Amonson, H.Lucken, G. Rames, B. Nangle. These speedy thin-clads

M Club

The All Stars



Left to right. Back row: H. Hines, G. Appelwick, N. Yerigan, T. Jensen, H. Lucken, R. Buehler, R. Appelwick, A. Amonson, R. Welch. Second row: T. Keough, V. Gregerson, K. Oldre, R. Malikowski, C. Rounds, G. Rames, D. Vickmark, B. Rumrill, L. Lee, R. Doyle. First row: R. Nangle, N. Johnson, R. Campbell, W. Hines, P. Doyle, C. Ericsson, R. Weber, R. Sullivan, V. Seitz.

The men who have lettered in any sport during their high school career are members of the M Club.

The M Club is an honor club, but by no means just an honor club for it is a very active club. This past year they sponsored social hours, sold "booster" buttons, sold pencils and took charge of the grade tournaments. With the profits the M Club bought more equipment for the movie camera, an amplifier and record machine, and a record board for track.

Library Club



Mrs. Gulstine's Elves

Left to right: S.Hope, J.Johnson, Mrs.Gulstine, C. Noteboom, M. Holle, J. Johnson.

Have you seen the scrapbooks in the Library? If not, why not? They contain all newspaper clippings dealing with Madison High. Did you remember that last year was the Diamond Jubilee? A special book "chuck" full of news, pictures, and advertisements from 1880 has been made. Compiling scrapbooks is just one of the many jobs these girls perform. We don't mean "jobs" to sound like forced labor for these girls enjoy working among books. They catalogue, mend and preview books during their study periods.

Here and There THE REAL BUILD IN ------

- The high-stepping twirling club members of MHS are as follows: Myrtle Wilde, Ardis Horner, Jeanette Wilde, and Roberta Hinde.
- 2. Receiving their annuals on the first day of school, the students eagerly page through their books, renew old memories, and then settle down to two hours of autographing.
- "Watch the man behind the one in front of you." The sophomore class is given a complete course in driver's training taught by Mr. Hilton.
- 4. Reluctant to leave the out-of-doors, the students saunter to their lockers hoping to beat the last bell.
- Keeping our school in tip-top shape for the students, are our faithful custodians, Lewis Hemre and Walter Schultz.
- "Practice makes perfect." Members of the journalism club study the requirements of good story writing. Margie Stahl and Carol Tessin will become future members of the Maroon staff.



School Day Pals

"Look Out! I'm slipping." Tumbling was an important activity this year. It gave the girls a chance to develop muscular co-ordination.



With warm weather here once again, the FHA girls have their last get-together in the form of a picnic at Lake Herman.



Elected as the most valuable men of the season in basketball, football, and track are Bob Appelwick, Wayne Hines, and Herbert Lucken respectively.





With a grateful smile, Albert Fuller received from the Elks a hundred dollar bond given in recognition of scholastic achievement.

Great tension rises as everyone waits. "Will the ball go into the basket or will it miss?" was a common thought at the basketball games.





Homecoming





Heralding everyone to the 1955 Homecoming festivities were the elves from Fantasy Land. Breaking the tense silence was Vance Gregerson as he announced JANE JOHNSON and WAYNE HINES 1955 KING and QUEEN. Present at Homecoming to crown them were last year's Royalty, Kathleen Hare and Bob Rumrill.

Then came the program featuring visitors from Fantasy Land. A change of tempo was noted as everyone marched out to the traditional bonfire. Flames, cheers, and music all prepared for the events to come on Friday.





- Kathleen Hare and Bob Rumrill the 1954 King and Queen of Music Land crown JANE JOHNSON and WAYNE HINES KING and QUEEN of Fantasy Land.
- Ready and waiting for the parade to begin are the 1955 Homecoming Royalty (left to right)
   L. Chapman, R. Malikowski, J. Johnson, KING W. HINES, QUEEN J. JOHNSON, K. Kendall, L. Roberts, R. Campbell.
- Dancing in an Arabian atmosphere, we end our Homecoming festivities.
- 4. A perfect ending to a perfect day!
- 5. KING and QUEEN, WAYNE and JANE begin the 1955 Homecoming festivities.



A Many Splendored Thing

The hurry and scurry of last minute preparations for the parade began the activities of Friday. The parade, which was one of the best, included everyone from Peter Pan to the Three Little Pigs.

Friday night spirits were high--it was time for the big game. Although they tried their best and fought their hardest, they couldn't get past the Aberdeen Eagles. At the sound of the final gun the score was 16-0.

Dancing in the armory, which was decorated in a blue and white Arabian Nights theme, ended Homecoming for another year.

- Visitors from "never-never land" at our Homecoming festivities are Peter-Pan and Tinkerbell.
- Joining the other fantasy characters are Lady and the Tramp.
- And these three little piggies went to the parade.
- A little elf, a big pencil, and another page of school history.
- 5. "Fire, fire, burning bright in this cool September night, your leaping flames all seem to be glowing signs of victory."







Follies



The trophy for the Follies was awarded to the sophomore president, Glenn Rames, by Herman Collignon, representing the Elks.



 The freshman panel of "l've got a problem" looks on as Buster Appelwick demonstrates his problem. The panel members are: (left to right) William Cullen Bryant (David Blair), Lane Readows (Jeanette Jacobson), Henry Organ (Dean Nighbert), Tuhulu Bankhead (Judy McDonald), and the M. C., Larry Moore (John Holle).

Fun

- Through song and story, Bob Doyle presents a "backwoods jamboree."
- The narrator, Kieth Liddiard watches while detective Rodney Hallowell inspects the scene, accompanied by his "trusty" Bloodhound.
- 4. Moderator takes us to Scotland where two Scottish belles, Sally Hope and Joan Johnson, do the Highland Fling.

November 10 saw Mary Ann Holle, Mistress of Ceremonies, introducing the 1955 Follies. The frantic hustle and bustle changed from its usual time in the spring to the fall.

Following the skits, written and produced by the students, the boxing matches were held in the gym. Everyone rushed to the Armory where the scene was varied by lunch, dancing, and the highlight, the coronation.

CRAIG ROUNDS and SHEILA RENSCH, sophomore candidates, were crowned KING and QUEEN, after which their class was awarded the coveted trophy for the best skit.

Besides providing an evening of gaiety, these festivities help to finance the yearbook.

An' Frolic



- 1956 Follies candidates (left to right) Sally Hope, Marlys Wiegman, Margie Stahl, Jone Hallenbeck, Sheila Rensch, Craig Rounds, Norman Johnson, Dennis Kendall, Robert Nangle, Harold Hines.
- Our 1956 Follies KING and QUEEN, CRAIG ROUNDS and SHEILA RENSCH.
- 3. The waltz you saved for me.
- 4. Kem Oldre and John Gutzman furnish a few tense moments for the onlookers.
- 5. This individual act featured the King Sisters in "How to be very, very popular!"
- Mary and Margaret Felker displayed their musical ability for an individual act.
- Introducing our Follies program was the newly organized MHS orchestra.
- 8. Marlys Wiegman delighted the audience with her poem, "The Courtin'".







The saying, "Music is the thing of the world that we love most, "was genuinely expressed by the students partaking in the Christmas program of the MHS vocal music department. The melodic notes of the Chorus, Girls' Glee Club, small groups, and soloists appropriately ushered in the Christmas season.

- I. "We shall sing for you--," is the way Miss Schroeder introduced the All-State choral group. They enjoyed singing numbers from their All-State Chorus repertoire and other Christmas songs.
- 2. "Me and my teddy bear, just play and play all day."Judy Davin, Valerie Williams, and Sheila Rensch sing as their bedtime nears.
  - 3. Rebecca Brekke, Sophie Shaheen, and Nancy Amonson bring you "Holiday Greetings."
  - 4. "Mister Santa bring us some boys." Priscilla Pirwitz, Mary Millett, Joan Johnson, and Kay Davin answer Santa's question, "What do you want for Christmas?"
  - 5. A piano duo, Marian Nelson and Jennie Greene, add a religious note to the program with the beautiful "O Holy Night."
  - 6. The Dungarees tell the tale of the adventures of "Willie Claus, Little Son of Santa Claus."







Christmas Season





1954 King and Queen Larry Cross and Kathaleen Hare crown the 1955 Royalty, Karen Drew and Leland Kirkeby.



Waltzing to the strains of Pat Boffman's Orchestra, fifty couples thoroughly enjoyed the annual Holiday Hop sponsored by the Horizon Clubs.



Icy punch and fancy cookies were enjoyed by the dancers. Pictured are Glen Rames, Delores Chapman, and Loretta Chapman.

Many fond memories were made of this.





And all the house was decorated making it a cheery symbol of Christmas. Assisting Jennie Greene in decorating were: Rose Marie Mullen, Marian Nelson, and Connie Noteboom.

Polio Auction



- "What'll you give me for this super-duper cake?" cries Dick Welch, one of the auctioneers for this years polio auction.
- The senior boys, Herb Lucken, Wayne Hines, Bob Appelwick, Dick Welch, and Tom Keough, were needed to keep the lively auction going.

Spinster Dance

- Miss Bielmaier and Miss Shevling depict the popular piece "Poor People of Paris" for their costumes at the Spinster Dance.
- Here we see many "Jukebox Babies" displaying their dancing abilities.
- "Cutting the carpet" while winning the jitterbug contest are Kay Davin and Bruce Mortensen.

Fun for a Worthy Cause

Once again the spirit and enthusiasm of the MHS students shone forth in the annual Polio Auction held on February 9. Everything from cakes to dates was sold, making a grand total of \$80.12.



3. As they say: "Nothing is free." Dick Nettum pays for his hardearned cake to the cashiers, Marlys Wiegman and Janice Fox.

To Each, Her Own

This year many popular records from the "Jukebox" came to life at the Spinster Dance sponsored on April 20 by the Maroon staff. Seldom do the girls get to ask the boys!



All School Play

Life Can Be Fun



- Miss Benson (Jane Spawn): If you two dare move tonight---so help me---1'll put real bullets in the gun and shoot you both myself!
- Randolph (Tom Keough): You dented my father's fender.
- Rick (Pat Doyle): It's Randolph! I'll pulverize him!
- Julie (Donna Schultz): First it was Mindy, then Betty, and now it's Sue.
- 5. Lanny (Bob Sullivan): 1 lost my way long ago.
- Randolph (Tom Keough): This is a holdup! Reach for the sky!

"Who is he?" "Where did the diary go?" These were the queries heard as the all-school play, "Phantom of the High School," delighted a large audience of parents, friends, and students. The play was presented February 13 and 14 in the high school auditorium.

The play concerned a mysterious Phantom and the disappearance of a diary written by the pioneer founder of Bensonville.

The leading roles were double cast. Mindy was played by Karen Anderson and Marlys Wiegman. Rick was played by Pat Doyle and Dick Nettum. The play was supported by an able cast consisting of Donna Schultz, Glenn Rames, Mary Ann Holle, Karen Kendall, Sally Hope, Albert Fuller, Albert Amonson, Jane Spawn, Priscilla Pirwitz, Bob Sullivan, Craig Rounds, Delores Chapman, Anita Bogue, Judy Davin, Peggy Mullaney, and Don Bogue. Everyone enjoyed Tommy Keough in his everyday cleverness which he easily carried forth into his role as Randolph.

Student Government Day

Leaders for the Day





Student Government Day was held on April 24 to acquaint the students of MHS with our city government. At an assembly Judge Quist swore in the officials after which the students took over their duties. In the evening the American Legion sponsored a banquet at Tomscha's with Judge Mumford from Howard as guest speaker.

- 1. This year the students went all out for campaigning as you can see. The bedecked room is the MHS Auditorium.
- 2. The first event of Student Government Day was the swearing-in ceremony by Judge Quist.
- 3. All participants of Student Government Day were served a banquet by the American Legion at Tomscha's.
- Gloria Anderson, city assessor for the day, checks the value of the property in Madison with the city assessor, Fred Fawkes.
- Donald Bogue, acting police chief, takes a call as Chief of Police, Gordon Stanford stands by.
- Mary Holle, appointed mayor, takes notes on the commissioner's meeting in order to have a more complete report when she gives it to the student body.
- 7. DeLores Chapman, distribution supervisor, climbs into the city truck to inspect the electrical lines and poles.
- 8. "Crime never pays" said Gene Carr as he wearily served his fifteen minutes in jail for a stop sign violation.
- Judge Mumford from Howard gave the main speech at the banquet.








Boys' and Girls' State

Second to None



Bobinette Anderson (seated) and Donna Schultz awaiting the arrival of Girls' State are getting first hand information through last year's Girls' State paper.

After spending a week on the Dakota Wesleyan Campus at Mitchell, this years Girls' Staters came home with added knowledge in the principles of government and with fond memories of friends, campaigns, elections, recreation and receptions.

The girls were sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.



Wayne Hines, Governor of 1955 Boys' State, congratulates Keith Jurgens and Terry Jensen as the 1956 Boys' State representatives.

Once again Boys' Staters participated in the traditional ball games, campaigns, elections, and inaugural ceremonies held at Northern State Teachers College in Aberdeen. The boys set up and Learn to operate city, county, and state governments.

After browsing in the library, Marilyn Nelson, DAR representative, settles down to read a science book.

The DAR representative is chosen on the basis of her dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism in her school, church, and home.

DAR



Banquet





Taking the seniors back to the deep south in colonial times, the juniors sponsored the annual junior-senior banquet.

The banquet was held in the St. Thomas gym on April 28. Appropriate decorations, speeches, and songs added a touch of spice and helped to carry out the theme.

- As a final chance to entertain the seniors, the junior class works out a southern colonial setting for the banquet.
- In keeping with the southern theme, the girls vocal group sing about the "Carolina Moon."
- 3. Surveying their handiwork the juniors add a few finishing touches to the tables.
- 4. Adding a touch of gaiety to the theme the boys vocal group sang a lively version of "This Old House."
- 5. Junior class president, Vance Gregerson acting as Toastmaster, gave a welcome and introduced the speakers.
- Herbert Lucken, senior class president, responded to the junior welcome with appropriate remarks on behalf of the senior class.
- 7. Mrs. Groeneveld, main speaker for the night, gave an interesting sketch of southern recreation.



You'll Be Carried Away

- After very efficiently serving at the banquet the waiters and waitresses followed the group to the Golf Club to take charge of the refreshments.Pictured left to right:L. Roberts, J. Kuchenbecker, R. Mullens,D. Gilbertson, C. Rounds, R. Mullaney, B. Rush, J. Schaub.
- Taking time out for intermission, the dancers relax their weary feet and enjoy a moment of fellowship over a cup of punch.
- After a delicious meal at the banquet, the juniors invited the seniors to the Golf Club to enjoy an evening of dancing.
- "Service with a smile" is her motto as Betty Rush serves Ardis Chapman and Harold Hines punch and cookies.
- As the last strains of music were heard, much regret was felt as the time came to end an unforgetable evening.

To end the gala event of festive formals and suits, an evening of dancing was enjoyed at the Golf Club. Loren Harshfield and his "Melody Aires" furnished the music.

The financing of the banquet and prom each year is one of the responsibilities of the junior class. This is accomplished through the operation of a concession stand at the football and basketball games.



Prom









Where There's a Will, There's a Way Awards





- 1. Bob Campbell, recipient of the Rotary Award, was presented a year's scholarship to General Beadle State Teachers College. Mr. Leffler, representing the Rotarians, presented the award.
- 2. The DAV Speech Award was given to Karen Anderson by Mr. C. Lowe.
- 3. On behalf of the American Legion, Mr. Coler presented the Citizenship Award to Herbert Lucken.
- 4. Marilyn Nelson happily receives the Salutatory Award from Mr.Engelhorn.
- 5. For scholastic achievement, Dr. Freitag presented the Kiwanis Award to Gay Lynn Noteboom.
- 6. Proudly Mary Holle and Herb Lucken accept the Babe Ruth Sportsmanship award from Mr. Engelhorn.
- 7. The book, I DARE YOU, presented by the Danforth Foundation was given to Wayne Hines and Marilyn Nelson.
- 8. Student Body President, Wayne Hines, was presented a medal for his work as president.



Baccalaureate

He Lights the Way



"....Whosoever will come after me let him deny himself and take up his cross, and follow me," Mark 8:34. This scripture was used by Dr. Lochridge at the Baccalaureate service.



Baccalaureate, the religious part of graduation for the fifty-nine seniors was held May 20, 1956, at 8:00. The Invocation and Baccalaureate sermon were given by Dr. Lochridge, pastor of the Methodist Church. In the sermon, he expressed this central theme, "Except as God dies in the heart of man, He lives." The girls glee club sang "Lamb of God" before the sermon, after which the mixed chorus sang "Guide Us Through the Night." Then, after the benediction the chorus sang "The Lord Bless You and Keep You."



As others have walked in their way, the '56 seniors began the long walk to the Commencement exercises. As each senior left the school for the last time, he recalled many happy memories and some sad ones, too. Many friendships will end as friends depart upon the crossroads of life. What does the future hold for these graduates? The school wished them the best with the words "Glorv and fame be yours, wherever you may go."

Dr. Ben Reifel, in his commencement address, reminded the seniors of the boundless opportunities afforded them in our country and state. Whatever their chosen field might be, the opportunities are there if the individual will but avail himself of them--"This is the Place."









School Board

Students and faculty join in expressing their appreciation to each of you. Thank you!



Citizens with Time for Extras

Chairman, Delos Casey, was born in Vivian, S. D. and has attended Chamberlain High School, Yankton College and Capital College where he majored in Pharmacy. Aside from his pharmacy, Mr. Casey enjoys hunting. He has resided in Madison for seventeen years and has served as a board member for the past five years. Active in other activities of the community, Mr. Casey is chairman of the Agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce.



One who has seen a lot of Madison Central is Veral Greene, a Centralite graduate. Since his high school days he has worked at the city light plant and is now superintendent. Mr. Greene has no specific hobby, but enjoys welding, electronics, building machinery and other mechanical devices. A life-long resident of Madison, he has been past master of the Masonic Lodge and has served on the school board since 1949.

Mrs. Harold Jensen, home-maker and gardener, has been a board member for four years. Her hometown is Oldham, where she attended grade school and high school. She is a graduate of Nettleton Commercial College. Having been a resident of Madison for twenty years, she has been past president of the Washington PTA, Ladies' Auxiliary, and is now state President of the 8 et 40, an honorary branch of the American Legion Auxiliary.

A past teacher and coach for sixteen years, Mr. Hauge is serving his first term on both the city and county school boards. He has attended Lake Norden High School, Huron College, and the University of South Dakota, where he received his Master's degree. Being an insurance adjustor takes Mr. Hauge away from Madison frequently, but he still remains active in the Rotary, and Masonic Lodge.

Dr. Julian Jensen, local dentist for six years, received his education at Marion, South Dakota High School, Augustana College, and North Western University. He has been on the board for two years and is an active participant in community activities: committee chairman of the local Boy Scouts, and a member of the Kiwanis Club. Dr. Jensen's time is occupied by his dentistry, but he manages to find time to "putter" around at golf.

Clerk of the school board for seven years, Mr. Ericsson is a local lawyer. His varied activities include having been past master of the Masonic Lodge, present state senator for Lake and Moody Counties and colonel in the ROTC. This makes quite a busy life for Mr. Ericsson, but he still finds time for golf and tennis. His professional training was received at the University of South Dakota Law School.





Senior member of the board is Mr. George Simpson, who has been treasurer for twenty one years. In 1948 he served as commander of the American Legion and also has been their adjutant or secretary for over twenty years. When civic duties don't occupy his time, his favorite sport is hunting. Having been a graduate of Central High and taken a business course at General Beadle College, Mr. Simpson is now an auditor.





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Superintendent





The Thompsons are regular church-goers.

Mr. Thompson has been superintendent of the Madison City Schools for four and one-half years. His background is composed of sixteen years experience.

Mr. Thompson expresses his appreciation by saying:

The staff members of the 1956 Inter Lakes are to be commended for the completion of an outstanding yearbook. The organization of this annual gives proof that many, many hours of toil were expended in the portrayal of a successful school year. In appreciation, I wish to congratulate Miss Johnson and all of her staff for making the 1956 Inter Lakes a success.



Mr. Engelhorn relaxes with his family and a dish of ice cream.

For four years Mr. Engelhorn has been Central's principal and also American history teacher. He has a sum of six years teaching experience.

To you the students, Mr. Englehorn says:

You have shared many minutes, hours, and days with each other at Madison Central. Between the covers of this book are captured and preserved many of the pleasant memories you have had together. Remember always to keep alive the traditions of your school and to appreciate this summary of your personal history-this is the most enjoyable period of your life.

Busy at one of her many tasks.

Mr. Thompson's efficient secretary is Theresa Erschens. She came to Central from Lake Benton where she served the same position for three years.

Principal



Faculty



An evening at home with the Groenevelds.

Mrs. Groeneveld has spent eight of her twelve years of teaching at Central High. She teaches English II, speech, and also poetry and dramatics in declam.



Stamps from near and far.

"Even Steven." Mrs. Gulstine has had fifteen years of experience, all at Central. At present she is our school librarian.



The Cooks and their "small-fry."

Our athletic coach is Bill Cook, who has five and a half years of experience, including two years at Central. He also teaches general science.

## With Instruction,



A sweet smile for a "hard-working" man.

Mr. Hack is the school co-ordinator and shop teacher. He has a background of thirty years of teaching, eleven of which were at Madison.



A teacher's evening task . . . correcting papers.

Miss Kilker teaches English IV and journalism, including the Maroon. Central marks the spot of the first year in her teaching experience.

Correction,



Uncle Claire lends a helping hand to Barbara while Denny looks on.

Backing Mr. Brady is a total of twenty years of teaching, with one year at Central. His classes are art, English I and Spanish I.



"Willing and able" that's Miss Shevling.

The girls' physical education and GAA instructor and also general science teacher is Miss Shevling. Her one year of teaching experience began at Central.



"Fishy fishy in the brook," says Mr. A. Brady.

Mr. Brady, instructor of biology, physics, chemistry, and freshman basketball, has twelve years of teaching behind him, including four years at Central.



"I jumped you that time."

For seven years, Miss Johnson has been our commercial teacher. This includes typing and shorthand. She also directs our annual staff. Miss Johnson has taught two other years away from Madison.



The Southmayds are "puzzled."

Mr. Southmayd has taught twenty-four years, eleven of which have been at Madison. He teaches geometry, algebra and advanced math.

And Assistance for All

"I'm hungry!"

Miss Schroeder is director of the Mixed Chorus and Girls Glee Club, and also teaches English I. Nine years of teaching experience uphold Miss Schroeder. She has been teaching at Central for four years.

Teacher of American history, problems of democracy, debate and declam is Miss Krogmann. She began her teaching career at Central two years ago.



Fun and fancy free, The Hiltons and their three.

Central's assistant athletic coach, teacher of American history and drivers' training is Mr. Hilton. He has a teaching background of five years, two of which have been at Central.



"Good-bye and good luck."

Miss Van Overschelde, Central's home economics teacher for five and one-half years, is handing the key of teaching success to Miss Bielmaier. This past semester marks Miss Bielmaier's first year of teaching experience.





The Schwarms (swarms) and their little honey bee.

Mr. Schwarm has been Central's world history and general math teacher for three years. His years of teaching add up to eighteen.



A man's best friend....his wife.

Band and Boys Glee Club fill Bill Ireland's teaching schedule. He has been at Madison eight years and has a total of twenty-five years experience.





