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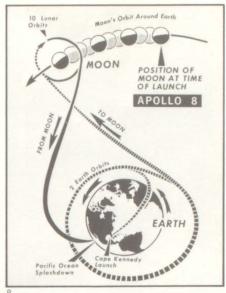


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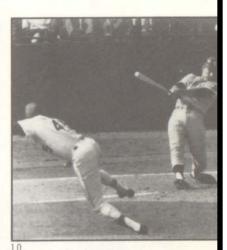
NATIONAL

- The Battle of Chicago Police rout a throng of hippies and yippies as they try to clear Grant Park in Chicago during the Democratic National Convention.
- Blonde, 18-year-old Judith Ann Ford, of Belvidere, Illinois, was crowned Miss America of 1969 by the outgoing Miss America, Debra Dene Barnes.
- 3. A brace of plow mules pulls the farm wagon bearing the casket of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. along its funeral procession route in Atlanta. King was shot to death April 4th in Memphis, Tennessee.
- 4. This is how it looked at the finish line of the Kentucky Derby with Dancer's Image crossing first. Dancer's Image was disqualified, however, and Forward Pass, shown at center, was declared the big winner.
- Bobby Unser, Albuquerque, New Mexico, stands up in his racer in the Victory Circle after winning the Indianapolis 500 mile Speedway race in a record speed of 152.88 miles per hour.
- Richard M. Nixon holds a presidential seal presented to him by one of his daughters after his election victory. His daughter, Patricia, is behind him.





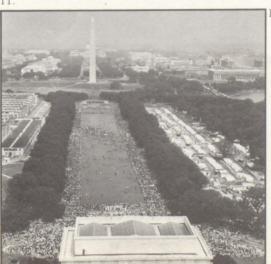




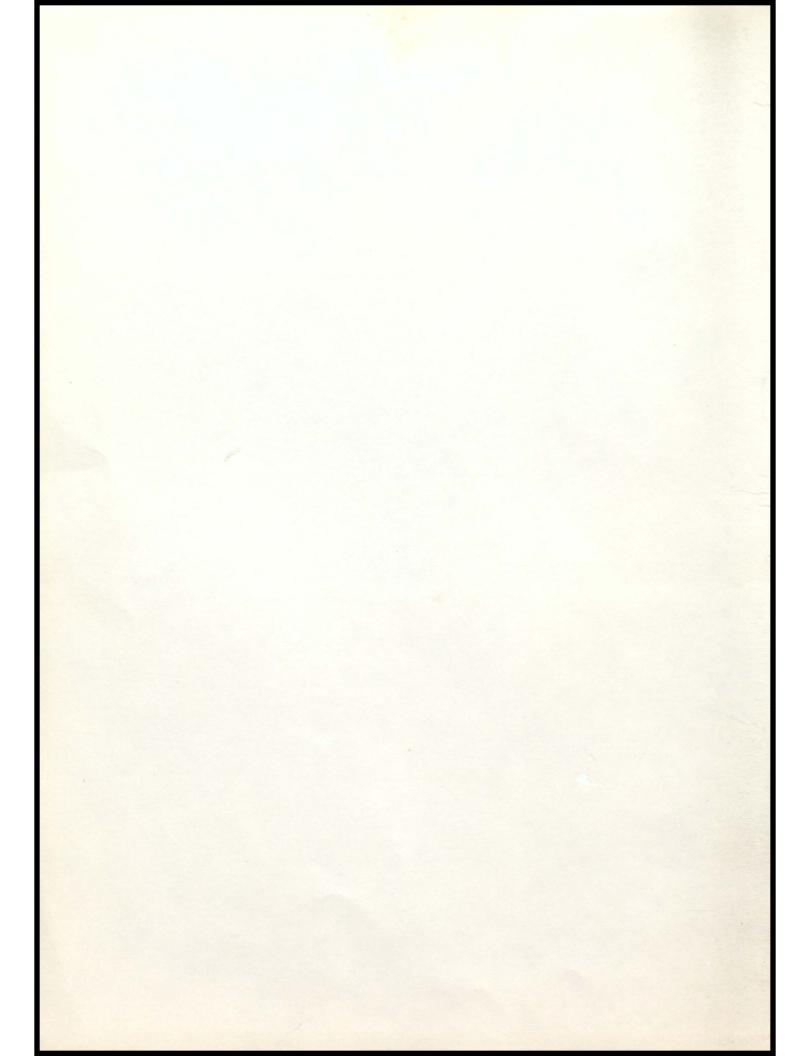


- After a successful Apollo 7 mission with three astronauts aboard, the United States followed in December with Apollo 8. This time a 3-man team made history by soaring into orbit around the moon.
- This diagram shows the path of the Apollo 8 in successfully achieving lunar orbit and then returning to Earth.
- Senator Edward Kennedy of Massachusetts eulogizes his slain brother during funeral service for Senator Robert F. Kennedy in St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York. President and Mrs. Johnson listen at lower right.
- 10. Jim Northrup hits a triple off Bob Gibson in the 7th inning of the final game of the World Series at Busch stadium in St. Louis. Two runs were driven in and the Detroit Tigers went on to beat the St. Louis Cardinals.
- Student sit-ins got their share of publicity in 1968 photo shows Columbia University students during a demonstration in April.
- 12. This aerial view shows supporters of the Poor People's Campaign ringing the reflecting pool and wading into its waters as they gathered in June at the Lincoln Memorial. At right is Resurrection City.





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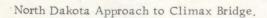
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THE FLOOD





Highway 75 south of Halstad.



School Bus?

Marsh River Bridge west of Shelly.





DEDICATION



We, the Class of 1969, dedicate our annual to Mrs. Auge Hanson in appreciation for her sixteen years of service to the Climax High School.

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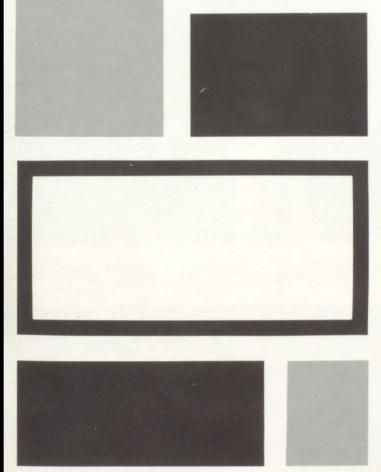
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MRS. McCAULEY 2nd grade



MRS. HALVORSON 3rd grade

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Bus Drivers: Gene Hanson, Ames Evenson, Lou Ann Neil, Norman Thune, Mrs. Sherman Bratager, Howard Hanson, Mrs. Howard Gilbertson, Lyle Grove. (Not Pictured, Chester Mauritson and Sherman Bratager).



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Shelly Cook: Mrs. Bennett Holland

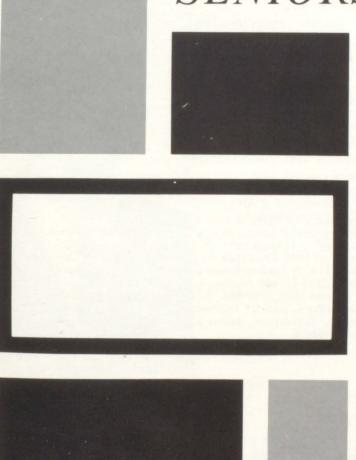


Climax Custodian: Marcus Aas



Shelly Custodian: Lester Tonder

SENIORS





CLASS OF '69 THE SENIORS' FAREWELL



The end of our Senior year has come For us in the Class of 69. But we're not done, we've just begun. For we have gained twelve years of knowledge With which we'll pull ourselves upward. For there are higher goals to be reached in life, And we shall strive towards them with all our might. For twelve years we've been a class-Studying, playing, and growing up together. As a class, we've built a magnificient prom And triumphed with our Senior float. But while we've formed a united class, We each have been ourselves. For we believe that we should be The persons we truly want to be. And thus, our class has shown "individuality." When tomorrow comes, we'll be on our own, Each following his own life's course. But today we twenty-six as the Senior Class

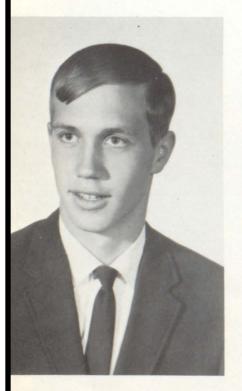


Class Motto: "Not Finishing, Just Beginning"

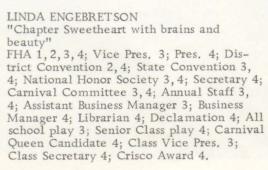
Class Flower: Yellow Rose

Bid you all "Farewell."

Class Colors: Sunburst Gold and Velvet Brown



CALVIN VIGNES
"He didn't become a genius overnight, it took a day or so."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Regional Reporter 4; Star Greenhand; Soils Teams 1, 3, 4;
Tie High Individual of Region 1; High Individual of Region 3, 4; Potato Team
1, 2, 3, 4; High Individual of 1969 Crookston Ag Days; National FFA Convention
4; State FFA Convention 1, 3, 4; Student Council 1; National Honor Society 2, 3,
4; Vice Pres. 4; Science Club 3; Folk Singing 3; Paper Staff 3, 4; Carnival Committee 4; Football 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Asst. Editor 3; Editor 4; Dramatic Play
3; Class Play 4; Declamation 4; District 1st Alternate 4; Top Regional Advanced
Math Project 3; Freshman, Sophomore, Junior Scholarship; Otter Tail Award 4;
Outstanding Teenagers Award 4.







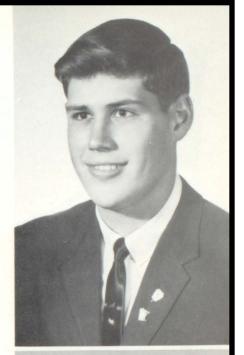


FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; District Convention 1, 2, 3; Coed Correspondent 2; Librarian 3; Student Head Librarian 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3; Treasurer 4; Flute Trio 3, 4; Letter 3; Badge 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Treasurer 4; Folk Singing Group 3, 4; National Honor Society 4; Daughters of American Revolution 4; Senior Class Play.

ARVIN PALM

"I believe in getting into hot water, it keeps me clean."

Student Council 1,2; FFA 1; National Honor Society 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Honorable Mention Football 4; Baseball 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Senior Class Play Student Director; Boy's State 3; Top Biology Student 2; Class President 2; Homecoming Queen Escort 4.





ARNOLD ORSLAND

"Never practice what you preach. If you're going to practice it, why preach it." FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; School Paper 4.

PATRICIA NYGAARD
"My thoughts and my conduct are my own."

FHA 1, 2, 3; Student Council 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Student Librarian 3,4; Class Pres. 3.





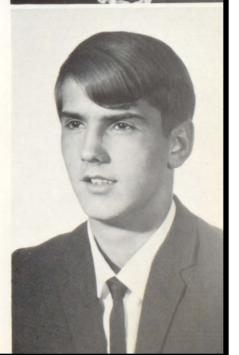
GARY PAULSON

"No matter how thin you slice it, it's still boloney."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Paper staff 4; Senior Class Play Stage Manager.

KENNETH MICKLESON

"I put my troubles in my pocket with a
hole in it."

FFA 1; Meats Team 1; Student Council 3,
4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3; Football
1, 2, 3; Class Treasurer 1; Homecoming
Queen Escort 4.





JERRY GORDON
"He has the mind of a genius; maybe someday he will have it installed."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.

JAMES MAURITSON
"You have no idea what a poor opinion I have of myself and little I deserve it."
Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. 3; Pres. 4; FFA 1; Carnival Committee 3, 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Basketball 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; All School Play 3; Class Play 4; Pep Band 1, 2; Ensemble 4; Prom Toastmaster 3; Meats Team 1; Class President 1; Carnival King Candidate 3.

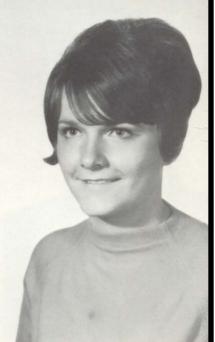




RODNEY BERG
"Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4.

"She's a professional athlete-of the tongue."

FHA 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,4; Secretary 4; Librarian 4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian Club President 4; B-Team Cheerleader 1; Carmival Queen Candidate 1; Homecoming Queen Attendant 4; Class Secretary 3; All School Play 3; Class Play 4; Declamation 4; Prom Toastmistress 3.





DUWAYNE LEE
"I'm dame dreaming."
FFA 1,2,3,4; Treasure 4; Science Club 2,
3; Annual Staff 4; Class Treasurer 2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football
1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Folk Singing 3,4.

CONNIE LARSON

"A cold on the head causes less suffering
than an idea."

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Historian 4; Annual Staff 4;
Librarian 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Carnival
Queen Candidate 3; Homecoming Queen
Attendant 4; Class Play 4; School Paper 3,
4; Style Show Attendant 4; Folk Singing 4.





RICHARD EVENSON "Life is one long process of getting tired." FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; FFA Judging Teams 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Letter 4; Class

Pres. 4; Class Secretary 2; Band Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Trumpet Trio 3.

LARRY GREENWOOD

"I like criticism-but it must be my way. " FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Declamation 3; Senior Class Play; All School Play 3.





CONNIE BERRY

"My interest is in the future because I am going to spend the rest of my life there." FHA 1, 2, 3; Historian Parliamentarian 3; Librarian 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Class treasurer 3.

DOUGLAS CHANDLER "The hardest tumble I ever had was when I fell over my own bluff." FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Sentinel 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Vice Pres. 4; Annual Staff 4.





HOPE DE LA GARZA "I had a dream which was not all a dream, " FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 4; Senior Class

ROXANNA BAGGE "There's a time for speaking and a time for being still, " FHA 1, 2, 3; B-Team Cheerleader 1; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.





MICHEAL DALE
"To me the charm of an encyclopedia is that it knows-and I needn't."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Dairy Judging Team 2, 3; Dairy Products Team 4; Football 3, 4.

BRENDA WHITWER
"I put all my troubles in a box, sat on the
lid and laughed."
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Paper Staff 3;
Librarian 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2; Class Play
4.





ANTHONY MUHONEN
"An athletes needs are few-food, sleep, aspergum and a few girls will do."
Chorus 1, 2, 3; FFA 1; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; President 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; All-Conference 4; Football 1, 2, 4; All-Conference 4; Baseball 1, 3, 4; Perfect Game 3; Class Play 4; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Assistant Advertising Manager 3; Advertising Manager 4; Outstanding Teenager Award 4.

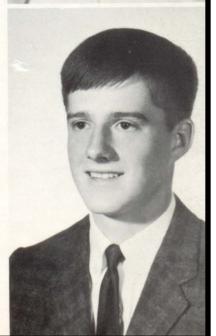
"In spite of everything life is good."
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Declamation 4;
Librarian 4; Class Play 4.



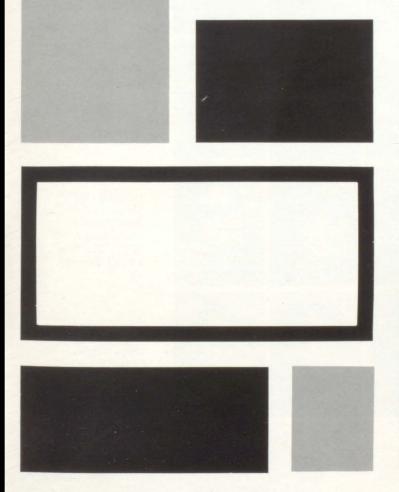


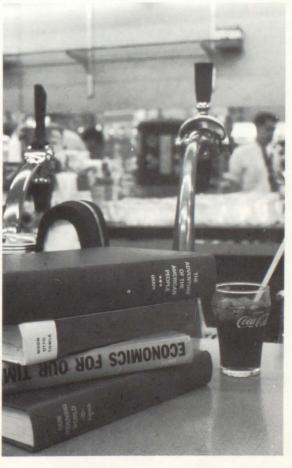
LARRY STROMMEN
"He was born a genius, after that he doesn't know what happened."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.

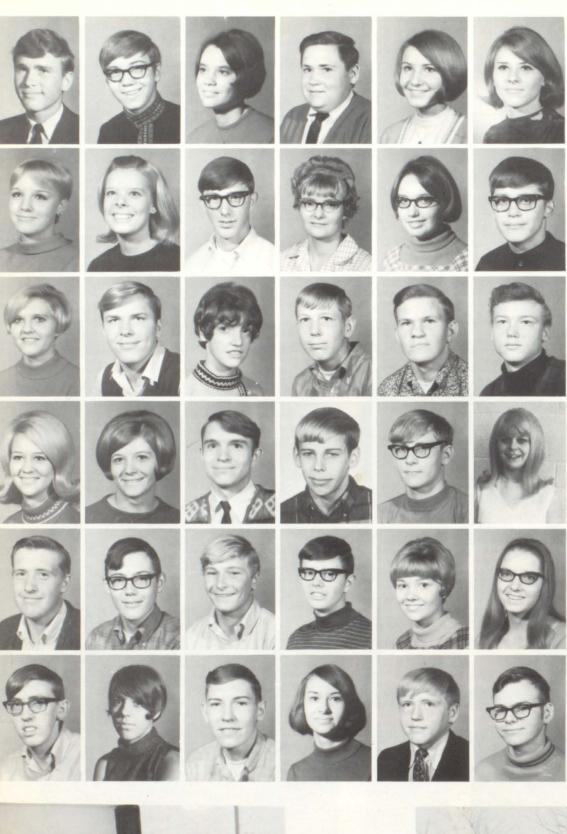
ARLEN AMUNDSON
"I have given up reading books, I find it
takes my mind off myself."
Chorus 1, 2, 3; FFA 1, 3, 4; Science Club 2;
Photographer 3; Football 1; Baseball 3, 4;
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Carnival
King Candidate 2; Class Play 4; Folk Singing 3; Class Secretary 1.



UNDERCLASSMEN







Pres. Roger Koppang Vice-Pres. Darrell Larson Sec. Nancy Carlson Treas. Doug Palm Tessie Amundson Marilyn Anderson

Marsha Anderson Kay Bagge David Bjorge Annette Brokke Candace Dale Earlland Domier

Kathy Estenson Miles Evenson Debbie Grove Jon Haugstad Elroy Hedde Steward Holland

Becky Larson Wanda Larson Ricky Moen Kendall Nesvig Kim Nesvig Julie Okland

David Palm Steve Paulsrud Brad Ranten Mark Smith Peggy Sorenson Laurel Swenson

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CLASS OF "70"



SOPHOMORE CLASS

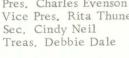
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Pres. Charles Evenson Vice Pres. Rita Thune Sec. Cindy Neil

























































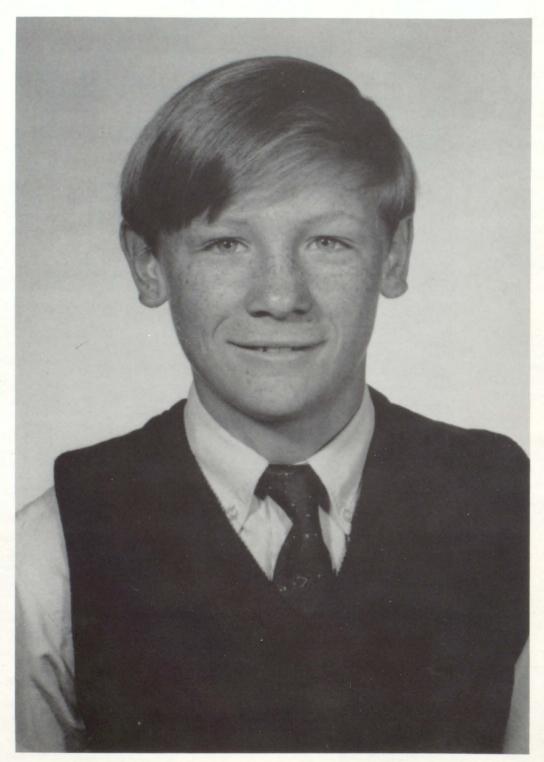


Getting All Steamed Up---Typing.



IN MEMORIAM Timothy Rotvold

February 3, 1954-September 14, 1968



For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believeth in him shall not perish but have everlasting life. John 3:16

FRESHMEN







Pres. David Grove Vice Pres. Lana Schwartzman Sec. Virgil Taus Treas. Jan Rude







David Bratager Debbie Berry Karen Berry Laurie Brunn Randy Carlson Stewart Chandler









Bruce Dale Kim Domier Lori Gilbertson Nancy Haugstad Paul Hedman Joyce Hettervig











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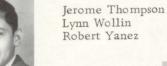




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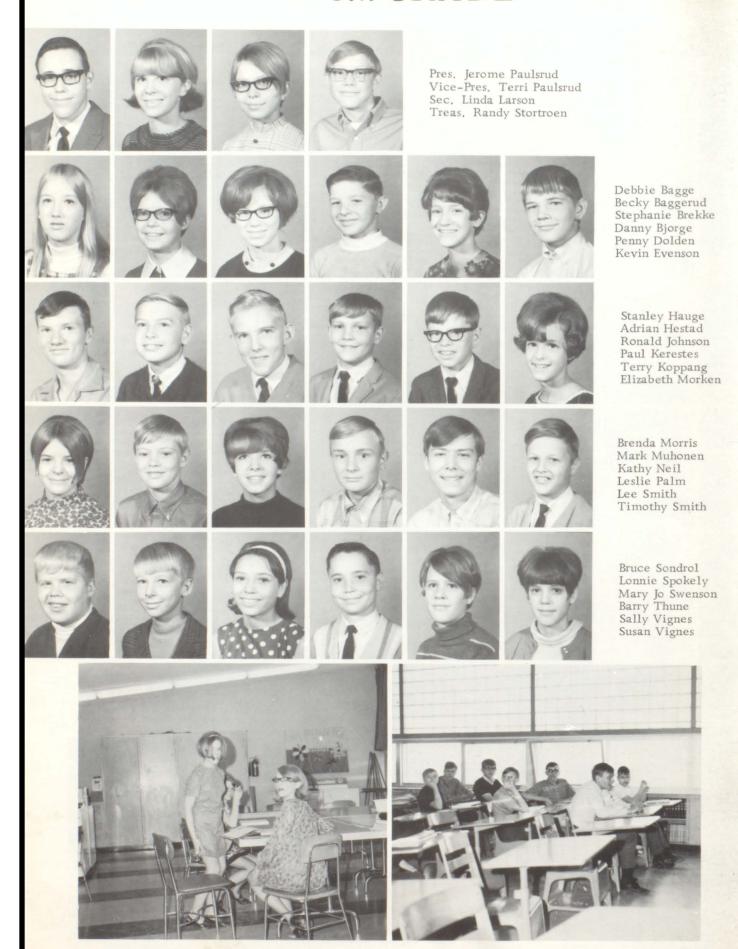








8th GRADE



7th GRADE

Pres. Rory Anderson Vice Pres. Lonnie De la Garza Sec. Mary Bratager Treas. Laurel Evenson







Andy Amundson Rochelle Amundson Kathy Berry Beverly Blasey Allan Braaten Patty Brunn





















Harlen Hested Randy Johnson David Kerestes Fay Kobbervig Bonnie Moen Billy Muhonen



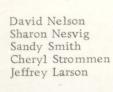


























SIXTH GRADE



L. TO R., ROW ONE: Miles Koppang, Michael Evenson, Michael Baggerud, Gaye Nornes, David Hedman. ROW TWO: Ervin Rotvold, Joy Boe, Coleen Thoreson, Gerald Bruun, Scott Neil, Edward Drivdahl. ROW THRE Brent Johnson, Richard Nesvig, Deanna Denison, Julie Sorenson, Melanie Larson, Daniel Grove, Gene Dybing, Kevin Muhonen. ROW FOUR: Kim Schwartzman, Bryan Stortroen, James Sheridan, Debby Dale, Denae Paulsrue Emogene Hettevig, Candice Gronberg, Carole Swenson.

FIFTH GRADE

L. TO R., ROW ONE: Julie Carlson, Jody Domier, Daniel Rotvold, Richard Swenson, Rae Jean Strommen. ROW TWO: Julie Moen, Dale Sondrol, Rhonda Vignes, Paul Sorenson, Mark Engebretson. ROW THREE: Bonita Erickson, Jennifer Grove, Joycelyn Hestad, Elaine Ramstad, Arlen Gordon, Julie Nornes.



FOURTH GRADE



L. TO R. ROW ONE: Michele Coauette, Mary Ann Driydahl, Valerie Tronnes, Danny Dennison, Perry Bjornrud, Leland Thoreson. ROW TWO: Jill Bagge, Diana Stortroen, Nancy Hettervig, Ginelle Sondrol, Danny Kerestes, Kelly Munter, Karen Moen. ROW THREE: Lori Wegge, Keith Dale, Tim Burd, Lenny Nelson, Danny Brokke, Tami Thoreson, Todd Erickson, Linda Paulsrud. Missing: Kim Malmlov, Kim Haugen.

THIRD GRADE

L. TO R. ROW ONE: Timmy Bangen, Dale Grove, John Thoreson, Randy Knaine, Kevin Johnson. ROW TWO: Jeffrey Neil, Craig Johnson, Karen Cooper, Kent Johnson, Stephanie Baggerud. ROW THREE: Melanie Brunn, David Boyer, Beth Wegge, Bruce Swenson, Keith Bergland, Jody Koth.



SECOND GRADE



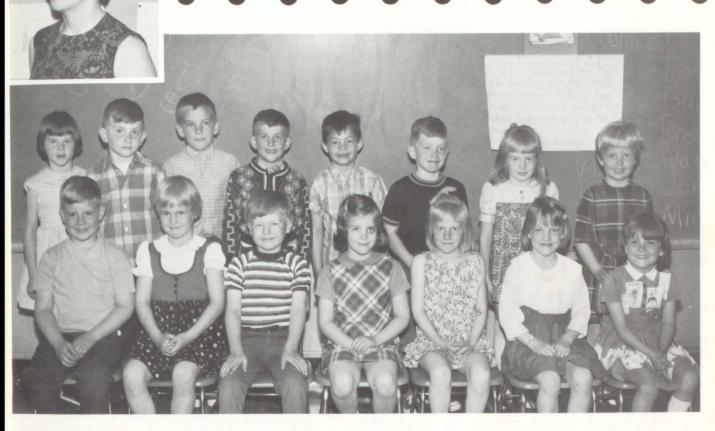
L. TO R., ROW ONE: Todd Grove, Michael Erickson, Lance Gilbertson, Melanie Coauette, Lisa Paulsrud. ROW TWO: Brent Dale, Lori Swenson, Lori Nornes, Bambi Malmlow, Kent Stortroen. ROW THREE: Jeffrey Boe, Chris Grove, Virgel Anderson, Steve Hoff, Dean Larson.

FIRST GRADE

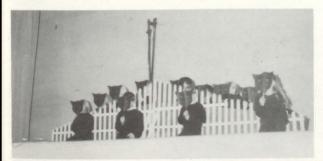
L. TO R., ROW ONE: Kim Gisvold, Cary Bernhardson, Raiko Malmlow, Lori Durkin, John Copper. ROW TWO: Kit Schwartzman, Stephen Erickson, Rachel Evenson, Lisa Neil, Wendy Coauette, Cary Anderson. ROW THREE: Scott Knain, David Wegge, David Swenson, Kevin Bergland, Judy Mickelson, Michelle Hoff, Natalie Bruun.



KINDERGARTEN



SEATED L. to R.: Gary Braaten, Pamela Semeling, Wayne Larson, LeahAnn Paulsrud, Kari Wright, Julie Kerestes, Kristi Erickson. TOP ROW: Brenda Neil, John Hamre, Jon Carlson, Vance Thoreson, Michael Burd, John Bratager, Pamela Boyer, Rachel Severinson. Teacher, Mrs. Lyle Grove.













The Maid And The Golden Slipper

An operetta based on the fairy tale "Cinderella" and presented by the intermediate grades, and directed by Miss Ella Condiff and Mrs. Lila Walgren.

Candice Gronberg Melanie Larson

Gaye Nornes
Fairy Queen..... Joy Boe
Fairy Godmother... Rhonda Vigness
Footman..... Scott Neil
Also: Ladies, Lords, Guards, Fairies,
and special numbers by the Kindergarten, First, Second and third grades.













SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"We Shook The Family Tree"



Directed by Mrs. Olufson Student Director: Arvin Palm

CAST

Brenda Whitwer Connie Larson Andy Muhonen Linda Engebretson Jim Mauritson Hope De La Garza Eileen Berg Kris Haugstad Calvin Vignes DuWayne Lee Anne Carlson Butch Amundson Larry Greenwood



JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

"Books And Crooks"



Directed by Mrs. Olufson Student Directors: Kathy Estenson Nancy Carlson

CAST

Douglas Palm Mark Smith Steward Holland Darrel Larson Peggy Sorenson Miles Evenson Wanda Larson Diane Wegge Kay Bagge Laurel Swenson Becky Larson Debbie Grove Colleen Vignes Ervin Vignes Dave Bjorge









One-Act Play "Aria Da Capo"

Directed by Miss Hess.

Tessie Amundson Laurel Swenson Miles Evenson

Ross Malme Anita Grove





SOPHOMORE PLAY FRESHMAN PLAY



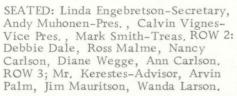
STUDENT COUNCIL

ROW 1, L. to R.: Mark Smith, Vice President; Roger Koppang, Treasurer; Brad Ranten, Kenny Mickelson, Richard Evenson, Reporter; Eileen Berg, Secretary. ROW 2: Mr. Hessling, Advisor; Anita Grove, Rory Anderson, David Grove, Lori Gilbertson, Charles Evenson, Darrell Larson, Larry Stortroen, Jim Mauritson, President. RQW 3: Sally Vignes, Jerome Paulsrud, Wayne Kobbervig.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY













ROW 1, L. to R.: Connie Sondrol, Debbie Neil, Lynette Paulsrud, Diane Moen, Karen Kerestes, Renee Hanson, Carol Sorenson, Glenda Stola, Peggy Nelson, Joyce Hettervig, Mr. Sidney Heskin-Director. ROW 2: Laurel Swenson, Amy Evenson, Debbie Dale, Annette Brokke, Colleen Vignes, Kay Bagge, Debbie Grove, Peggy Sorenson. ROW 3: Candy Dale, Becky Larson, Diane Wegge, Mitch Baggerud, Lisa Muhonen, Connie Larson, Ann Carlson, Wanda Larson, Nancy Carlson, Cindy Neil, Kathy Estenson, Rita Thune.





FIRST ROW, L. to R.: Mark Gronberg, Wanda Larson, Ann Carlson, Peggy Sorenson, Lori Gilbertson, Karen Kerestes, Nancy Haugstad, Kathy Neil, Liz Morken. SECOND ROW: Kay Bagge, Roxanna Bagge, Linda Larson, Terri Paulsrud, Karen Berry, Lynn Wollin, Anita Grove, Laurel Evenson, Debby Berry, Patty Brunn, Jeffrey Larson, Faye Kobbervig, Mary Haugstad. THIRD ROW: Cindy Neil, Ross Malme, Amy Evenson, Paul Kerestes, Nancy Carlson, Kathy Estenson, David Grove, Debbie Dale, Wayne Kobbervig, Darrell Larson, Richard Evenson, Rita Thune, Jan Rude, Glenda Stola, Peggy Nelson. FOURTH ROW: Diane Moen, Mark Muhonen, Randy Carlson, Candace Dale, Merlin Evenson, Carol Sorenson, Jim Mauritson, Debby Berry, Rochelle Amundson, Becky Baggerud, Terry Koppang, Barry Thune, Adrian Hestad, Bruce Sondrol, Laurie Brunn, Harlan Hestad. STANDING: Connie Sondrol, Virgil Taus, Connie Berry, Pat Nygaard, Lisa Muhonen, Debbie Neil, Mitch Baggerud, Mr. Heskin, Director.



Soloist Debbie Dale.

Sax Quartet L. to R.: Kathy Estenson, Nancy Carlson, Amy Evenson, Ross Malme.

Won at District.

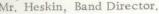




JUNIOR BAND



L. TO R., ROW 1: Kathy Neil, Anita Grove, Linda Larson, Terri Paulsrud, Laurel Evenson, Liz Morken, Mary Haugstad, Faye Kobbervig, Jeff Larson, Debbie Berry, Patty Bruun. ROW 2: Mark Muhonen, Billy Muhonen, Adrian Hestad, Barry Thune, Becky Baggerud, Terry Koppang, Bruce Sondrol, Rochelle Amundson, Harlan Hestad, Todd Gilbertson. ROW 3: Ronald Johnson, Paul Kerestes, Kevin Evenson, David Kerestes, Joyce Hettervig. Mr. Heskin, Band Director.





Flute Trio L. TO R.: Wanda Larson, Peggy Sorenson, Ann Carlson won at District and received top ratings at State.



Brass Ensemble L. TO R., ROW 1: Debbie Dale, Wayne Kobbervig. ROW 2: Carol Sorenson, Jim Mauritson, Candy Dale. They won top ratings at the District.





SENIOR FHA



FIRST ROW, Seated, Left to Right: Debbie Dale, Song Leader; Connie Larson, Historian Parliamentarian; Wanda Larson, Vice President; Linda Engebretson, President; Ann Carlson, Secretary; Diane Wegge, Treasurer; Nancy Carlson, Reporter; Mrs. Boyum, Advisor. SECOND ROW: Debbie Neil, Laurie Brunn, Debby Berry, Eileen Berg, Rita Thune, Brenda Whitwer, Peggy Morris, Connie Sondrol. THIRD ROW: Nancy Haugstad, Annette Brokke, Pam Domier, Amy Evenson, Lori Gilbertson, Candace Dale, Becky Larson, Kathy Estenson, Marilyn Anderson. FOURTH ROW: Lisa Muhonen, Lynn Wollin, Corrine Tronnes, Lynnette Paulsrud, Kristine Haugstad, Pam Abrams, Laurel Swenson, Cindy Neil, Peggy Nelson, Joyce Hettervig. FIFTH ROW: Peggy Sorenson, Karen Kerestes, Mitch Baggerud, Glenda Stola, Kay Bagge, Renee Hanson, Karen Berry, Debbie Grove, Diane Moen, Carol Sorenson, Colleen Vignes.



Outgoing Officers
Incoming Officers





Head Table



JUNIOR FHA



L. TO R., Seated: Mary Bratager--Vice President, Kathy Berry--Treasurer, Becky Baggerud--President, Brenda Morris--Historian, Sally Vignes--Secretary, and Kathy Neil--Song Leader. FIRST ROW: Patty Bruun, Sharon Nesvig, Linda Larson, Cheryle Strommen, Rochelle Amundson, and Anita Grove. SECOND ROW: Janet Dybing, Mary Haugstad, Sandy Smith, Bonnie Moen, Laurel Evenson, Liz Morken, and Mrs. Boyum-advisor. THIRD ROW: Beverley Blasey, Fay Kobbervig, Mary Jo Swenson, Stephanie Brekke, Penny Dolden, Debbie Bagge, Terri Paulsrud, Susan Vignes.



Convention Entertainment Problems!!!



Banquet
Seventh Grade
Entertainment,







Clothing bags ready to be shipped off to the Appalachis Mountains, $\,$



R. TO L.: The Style Shows Junior Princess, Lana S., Attendants to the Queen, Candace Dale and Connie Larson the Queen, Diane Wegge, and Mrs. Boyum, advisor.



"Dracula died in Vein"
"SOCK IT TO ME".



"Old men are better than no men!"

"End of Party!"





OPEN HOUSE







FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



SEATED: Doug Chandler-Sentinel, Larry Stortroen-Reporter, Du Wayne Lee-Treasurer, Richard Evenson-Secretary, Mark Smith-Vice President, Calvin Vignes-President, George Nornes-Advisor. ROW 1: Paul Hedman, David Grove, Kim Domier, Butch Bagge, Steve Swenson, David Nesvig, Jan Rude, Bruce Dale, Robert Yanez, Stewart Chandler, Curtis Orsland, Jerome Thompson. ROW 2: Ken Nesvig, Merlin Evenson, Rodney Wegge, David Bratager, Steve Nelson, Larry Strommen, Milo Palm, Ross Malme, Rodney Sondrol, Doug Palm, Virgil Taus, Randy Carlson, Robert Severinson, Tom Sheridan. ROW 3: Elroy Hedde, Brad Ranten, Arne Orsland, Jamie Tronnes, Gary Tronnes, David Bjorge, Miles Evenson, Darrell Larson, Ricky Moen, Steward Holland, Earlland Domier, Richard Brekke, Charles Evenson, Lonnie Johnson, Brent Whitwer. ROW 4: Darrell Larson, Steve Paulsrud, Jerry Gordon, Larry Greenwood, Wayne Kobbervig, Gary Hanson, Bruce Sparrow, Jon Haugstad, David Palm, Ervin Vigness, Kim Nesvig, Gary Paulson, Butch Amundson, Rodney Berg, Owen Larson, Brian Johnson, Kim Anderson, Roger Koppang, Mike Dale.



Regional Agribusiness Award Winner Mark Smith.





Chapter Star Farmer Mark Smith, DEKALB Winner Calvin Vignes, Speaker-1968-69 State FFA Secretary Roger Kingstrom, Star Greenhand Larry Stortroen. Not pictured: Gary Gordon who was Regional Star Crops Farmer.



Winner of Tractor Driving Contest Miles Evenson

TO THE LEFT: Chapter Safety Winner Larry Stortroen holding Regional Chapter Safety Plague.



LEFT: Horticulture team placed 1st in Region, 2nd in State, 1st at Ag Activities Day and Steve Paulsrud was High Individual in State. L. TO R.: Darrell Larson, Roger Koppang, Steve Paulsrud, Ervin Vignes-Alternate.



RIGHT: Dairy team placed 3rd in Region, Gold in State, 6th at the Ag Activities Day and 3rd at the R. R. V. W. Show. L. TO R.: Owen Larson, Doug Palm, Charles Evenson, and Larry Stortroen. Charles was high ind. in region.



LEFT: The Meats team placed 3rd in the Region. L. TO R.: Wayne Kobbervig, Milo Palm, Steve Swenson, and Bruce Dale.



RIGHT: The Dairy Products team received Silver in the State. L. TO R.: Ken Nesvig, Miles Evenson, Elroy Hedde.



LEFT: The Wildlife team placed 1st in Region, Gold in State, 2nd in Ag Activities Day. L. TO R. Kim Nesvig, Jon Haugstad, Dave Bjorge, Paul Hedman.



RIGHT: The Soils team placed 1st in Region, Bronze in State, and Calvin Vignes was High Individual in the Region. L. TO R.: Calvin Vignes, Ross Malme, Darrel Larson, Bruce Sparrow.



Members of three Potato teams: Darrell Larson, Roger Koppang, Steve Paulsrud, Mark Smith. 2ND ROW: Bruce Sparrow, Jon Haugstad, Richard Evenson, Calvin Vignes, Kim Nesvig.



General Livestock team: Mark Smith, David Bratager, Ervin Vigness, Ricky Moen.



Honorary Members-Board of Education Elmer Larson, Glen Evenson, Arnold Amundson, Glen Rude, George Keller, Louis Letnes.



1968 National FFA Convention.



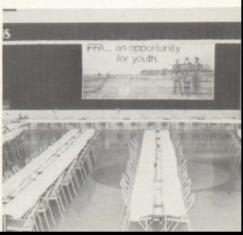
An Adult Farmer's meeting.

David Skogen Chapter Banquet

Polk County Booth at the State Fair.



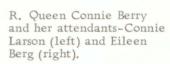




HOMECOMING



L. Seniors' Float-"Reign With Victory".





L. Juniors' Float-"Tweet Em Wuf".

R. Cheerleaders do a cheer during Homecoming Ceremonies.





L. Sophomores' Float-"We'll Swallow All But De-Feet".

R. Cheerleaders and Football players float.





L. Freshmen's Float "Raid The Flyers".

R. Bon-fire after Home-coming Ceremonies.



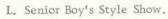
CARNIVAL



L. Carnival King and Queen Candidates.

R. 68-69 King and Queen Roger Koppang and Wanda Larson. 67-68 King and Queen Darrell Larson and Nancy Carlson.





R. Perry Bjornrud, Leader.



L. Kindergarten Class

R. 5th and 6th Grade Boys.







Carnival committee: 1ST ROW, L. to R.: Mark Smith, Jim Mauritson. 2ND ROW: Peggy Sorenson, Calvin Vignes, Linda Engebretson.



SNOBALL DANCE

"Frosty Fantasy"













THE PROM



DECLAMATION



L. TO R., FIRST ROW: Mr. Mickleson-advisor, Anita Grove, Danny Bjorge, Mark Gronberg, Lana Schwartzman, Beverley Blasey, Mary Bratager, Connie Sondrol, and Miss Hess, advisor. SECOND ROW: Susan Vignes, Eileen Berg, Lisa Muhonen, Linda Engebretson, Colleen Vignes, Mary Jo Swenson, Laurie Bruun, and Mrs. Lund, advisor. THIRD ROW: Laurel Swenson, Lynette Paulsrud, Renee Hanson, Jerome Paulsrud, Calvin Vignes, Randy Carlson, Kris Haugstad, Lynn Wollin, and Peggy Sorenson.

PAPER STAFF

L. TOR., FIRST ROW: Ross Malme, Arny Orsland, DuWayne Lee, Peggy Sorenson, Mark Smith, Diane Wegge, Butch Amundson, and Andy Muhonen. SECOND ROW: Charles Evenson, Marilyn Anderson, Kathy Estenson, Nancy Carlson, Wanda Larson, Paul Kerestes, Ann Carlson, Anita Grove, Connie Larson, Connie Sondrol, Becky Larson, Debbie Berry, Debbie Dale, Kathy Berry, and Mr. McConnachie-advisor. THIRD ROW: Mr. Hessling-advisor, Karen Kerestes, Annette Brokke, Laurel Evenson, Renee Hanson, Calvin Vignes, Gary Paulson, Debbie Grove, Candace Dale, Kay Bagge, and Glenda Stola.



LIBRARY STAFF



FIRST ROW, L. to R.: Renee Hanson, Connie Larson, Peggy Sorenson, Ann Carlson, Kathy Estenson, Debbie Grove, Nancy Carlson. SECOND ROW: Connie Berry, Eileen Berg, Colleen Vignes, Marilyn Anderson, Kris Haugstad, Wanda Larson, Pat Nygaard, Linda Engebretson, Brenda Whitwer, Candy Dale, Becky Larson, Annette Brokke, Miss Hess.

Student Secretaries

Secretaries to the Agricultural Department L. TO R.: Marilyn Anderson, Debbie Grove, Peggy Sorenson, Nancy Carlson, Candy Dale.







Secretaries to the Principal L. TO R.: Marilyn Anderson, Diane Wegge.

Secretaries to the Music Department
L. TO R.: Joyce Hettervig, Wanda Larson, Terri Paulsrud.







Science Club

L. TO R., FIRST ROW: Jon Haugstad, Steve Swenson, David Bratager, and Steve Paulsrud. SECOND ROW: Tim Smith, Paul Headman, Debbie Dale, Mark Gronberg, Ross Malme, and Mr. Cash, advisor.

Photography Club

L. TOR., FIRST ROW: Annette Brokke, Ross Malme, Lynn Wollin, Bruce Dale, Jan Rude, Merlin Evenson, Colleen Vignes. SECOND ROW: Diane Moen, Mary Gronberg, Carol Sorenson, Karen Kerestes, Pam Domier, Kim Domier, Paul Headman. THIRD ROW: Mr. Cash, Advisor, Candace Dale, Peggy Sorenson, Kim Anderson, Wayne Kobbervig, Renee Hanson, Debbie Grove, and Earland Domier.



Drivers Training

L. TO R.: Renee Hanson, Connie Sondrol, Amy Evenson, Carol Sorenson, Glenda Stola, Diane Moen, Pam Domier, Richard Brekke, Rita Thune, Mr. McConnachie-advisor, Brent Whitwer, Rodney Sondrol, Bruce Sparrow, Kim Anderson, Brian Johnson, Randy Carlson, Jamie Tronnes, Ross Malme, Larry Stortroen, and Gary Hanson. IN BACK: Lonny Johnson, Curtis Orsland, Merlin Evenson, Mark Gronberg, Jan Rude, and Steve Nelson.



"A" SQUAD BASKETBALL



Bradley Ranten, DuWayne Lee, Darrell Larson, Stephen Paulsrud, Ervin Vignes, Dave Palm, Arvin Palm, Jon Haugstad, Rick Moen, Jim Mauritson, Andy Muhonen. Manager Douglas Palm.

Above: Coach Molly Baum

The Vikings basketball season seemed long; with more loses than victories. However, the season record was forgotten when the boys upset the highly favored Crookston Pirates in the first game of the district tournament.

The Vikings joined Thief River Falls, Crookston, East Grand Forks, and Warren to form a new conference called the "Big Five". Although smaller in numbers than most of the schools in the district, the Climax Vikings have always held their own with the larger schools and have been seeded in district tournament play. Andy Muhonen made the first five of the coaches all conference team and was named the schools Athlete of the Year.

Andy Muhonen

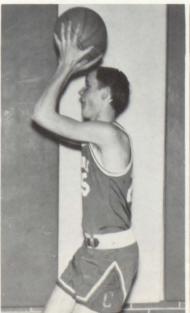
Arvin Palm

Jim Mauritson

DuWayne Lee









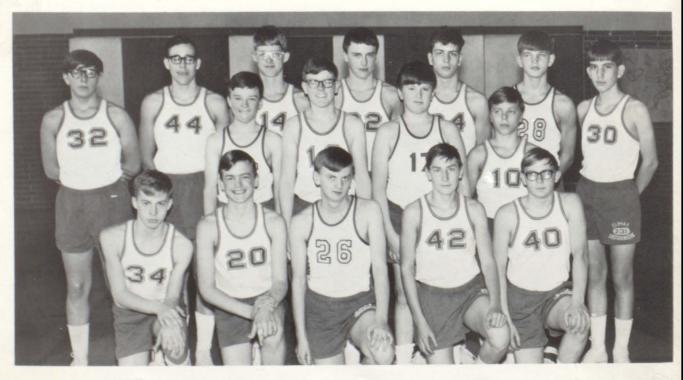
"B" SQUAD



LEFT TO RIGHT, ROW ONE: Jamie Tronnes, David Bjorge, Brian Johnson, Larry Stortroen, Butch Bagge, Manager, Mark Gronberg. ROW TWO: Owen Larson, Wayne Kobbervig, Gary Hanson, Bruce Sparrow, Darrell Larson, Kim Anderson, Wayne Berg.

Above: Coach Gisvold

9th GRADE BASKETBALL



LEFT TO RIGHT, ROW ONE: David Nesvig, David Bratager, Virgil Taus, Milo Palm, Tommy Sheridan. ROW TWO: Jerome Thompson, Jan Rude, Bruce Dale, David Grove. ROW THREE: Steve Swenson, Jerome Paulsrud, Wayne Kebbervig, Brian Johnson, Owen Larson, Kevin Evenson, Randy Carlson.

EIGHTH GRADE TOURNAMENT CHAMPS

The 8th grade basketball team won the Valley Tournament in Grand Forks Congratulations to Coach Hessling and his boys.

LEFT TO RIGHT, KNEELING: Adrian Hestad, Paul Kerestes, Tim Smith. ROW ONE: Barry Thune, Bruce Sondrol, Mark Muhonen, Randy Stortroen, Terry Koppang, Lonnie Spokely. ROW THREE: Leslie Palm, Jerome Paulsrud, Kevin Evenson, Lee Smith, Ronald Johnson.



7th GRADE



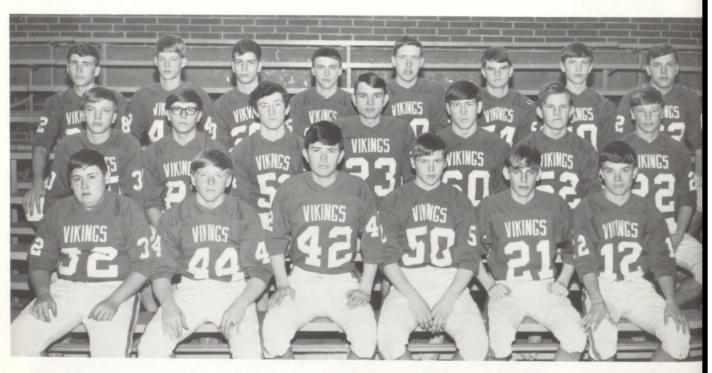
LEFT TO RIGHT, ROW ONE: David Kerestes, Jeffrey Larson, Rory Anderson, Billy Muhonen. ROW TWO: Lonnie Dela Garza, Harlan Hestad, Charles Evenson, Todd Gilbertson.



"A" SQUAD FOOTBALL

Seniors L. TO R.: Arnie Orsland, Andy Muhonen, Coach, Dave Gisvold. ROW 2: DuWayne Lee, Calvin Vignes, Jim Mauritson, Douglas Chandler. ROW 3: Mike Dale, Richard Evenson, Arvin Palm, Larry Greenwood, Rodney Berg.

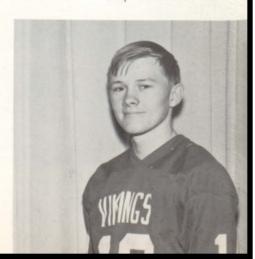
Underclassmen L. TO R.: Douglas Palm, Rodney Wegge, Mark Smith, Rodney Sondrol, Ken Nesvig, John Bagge. ROW 2: Charles Evenson, Steven Swenson, Richard Brekke, Richard Moen, Larry Stortroen, Elroy Hedde, Brad Ranten. ROW 3: Roger Koppang, Wayne Kobbervig, Owen Larson, Brian Johnson, Dave Palm, Gary Hanson, Darrell Larson, Miles Evenson.



Co-Captains Arvin Palm and Jim Mauritson



All Conference Player Andy Muhonen



B-SQUAD FOOTBALL TEAM



L. TO R.: David Kerestes, Billy Muhonen, Terry Koppang, Paul Kerestes, Adrian Hestad, Tim Smith, Dave Grove, Coach-Marlyn Baum. ROW 2: Rory Anderson, Bruce Sondrol, Mark Muhonen, Lonnie Spokely, Randy Stortroen, Robert Yanez, Paul Hedman. ROW 3: Harlan Hestad, Stewart Chandler, Leslie Palm, Virgil Taus, David Bratager, Tommy Sheridan, Todd Evenson, Todd Gilbertson. ROW 4: Ronald Johnson, Lee Smith, Kevin Evenson, Jerome Paulsrud, Owen Larson, Wayne Kobbervig, Brian Johnson, Milo Palm, Steve Swenson.



B-Team Cheerleaders

L. TO R.: Glenda Stola, Carol Sorenson, Cindy Neil, Lori Gilbertson, Laurie Brunn.



"A" TEAM

LEFT, L. TO R.: Rita Thune, Lisa Muhonen, Becky Larson, Kay Bagge, Wanda Larson, Mitch Baggerud.

"A" SQUAD

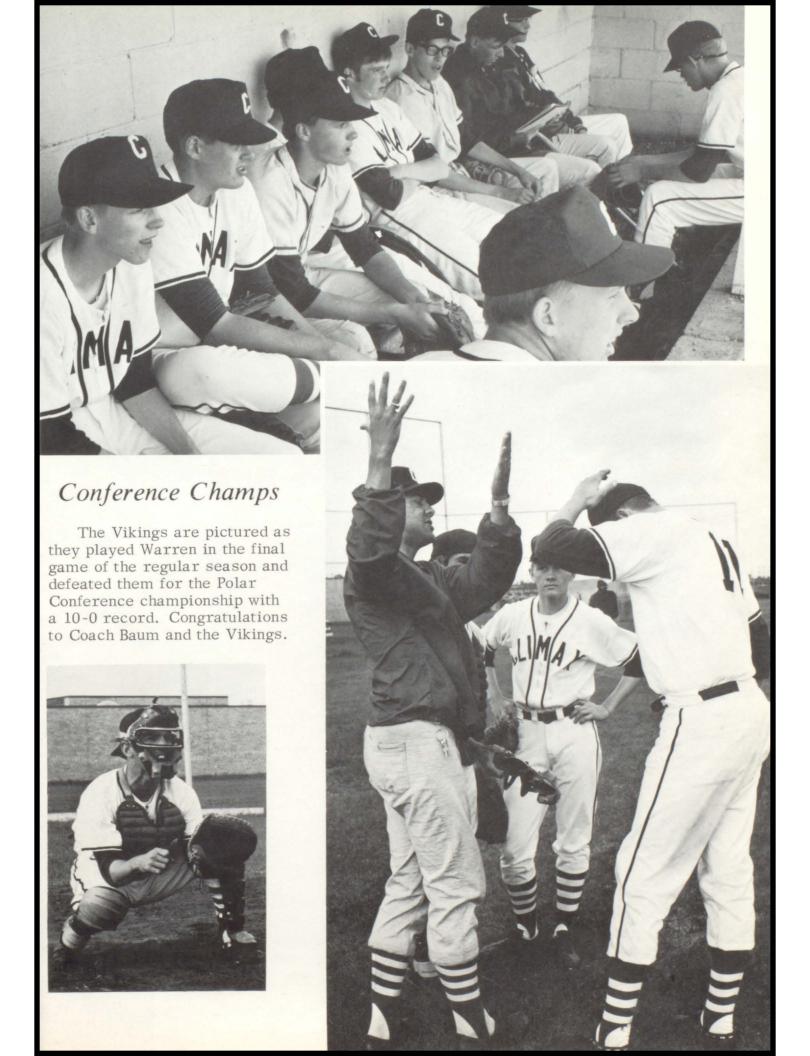


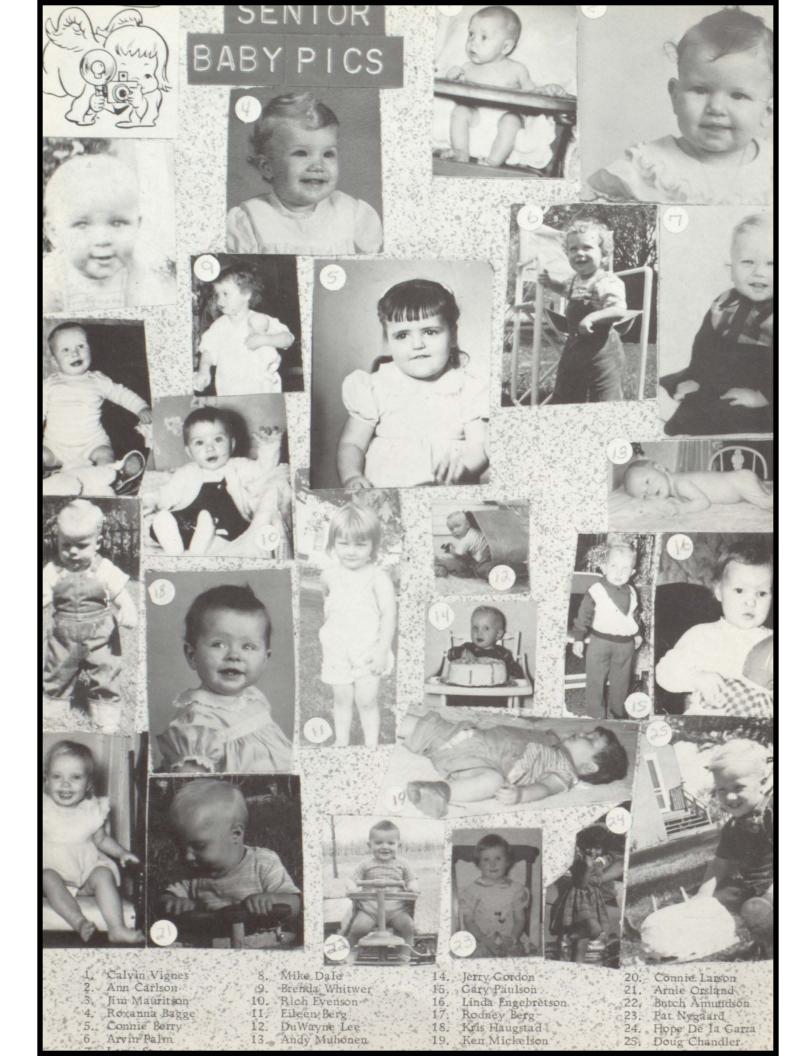


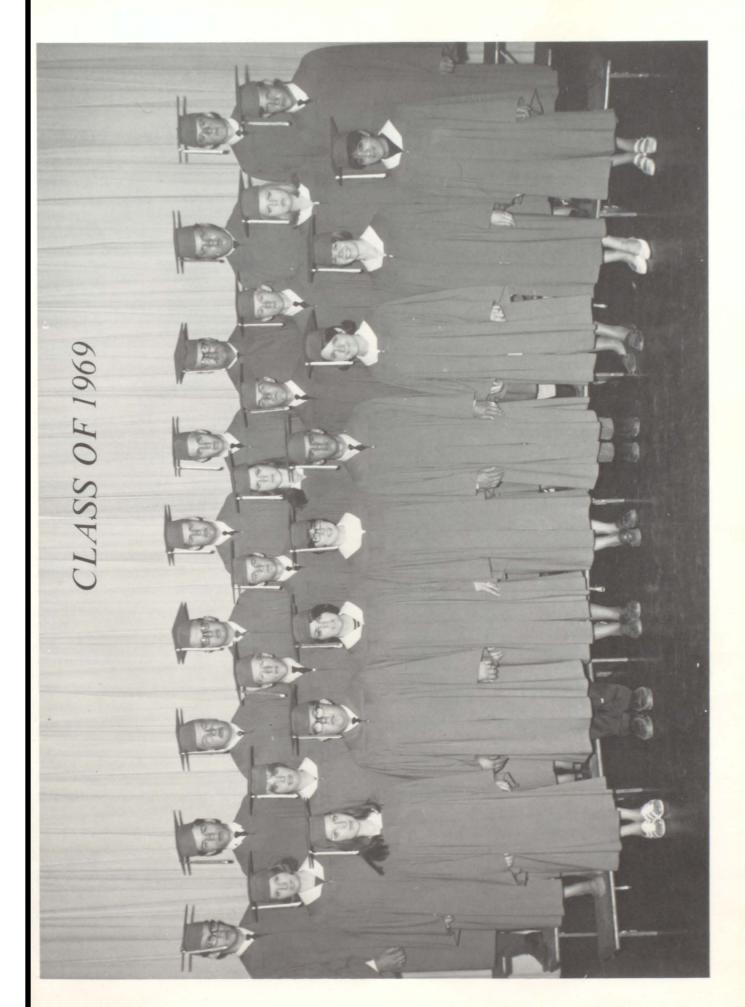
Pictured ABOVE: SEATED L to R.: Manager Doug Palm, Ken Mickelson, Andy Muhonen, Robert Yenez, David Grove. KNEELING: Jim Mauritson, Butch Amundson, Darrell Larson, Jamie Tromes, Rodney Wegge and Mark Smith. BACK ROW: DeWayne Lee, Owen Larson, Wayne Kobbervig, Ervin Vigness, David Palm, Arvin Palm, Steve Paulsrud, Brian Johnson, and Wayne Berg.

The Climax Vikings Baseball
Team had a most successful season. After winning the Polar Conference they won their first game in the District Tournament at Climax by defeating Red Lake Falls. In the semi-finals the Vikings were defeated by Thief River Falls. The game was a pitchers battle with Andy Muhonen hurling a near perfect game for eight innings and the score tied 1-1, only to lose it in the ninth.

In addition to Andy the mound duties were adequately cared for by Jim Mauritson and Owen Larson The catching duties were well handled by senior Ken Mickelson. Playing first base were David and Arvin Palm, second Wayne Kobbervig and Mark Smith, short Steve Paulsrud and Andy, third De-Wayne Lee, and Jamie Tronnes. The outfield of Mauritson, Butch Amundson, Rodney Wegge, and Darrell Larson played excellent defensive ball.

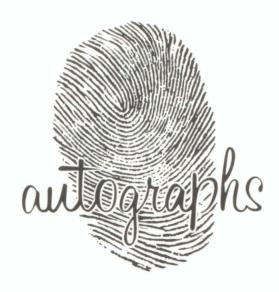




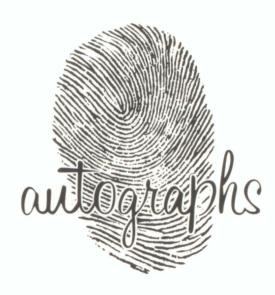


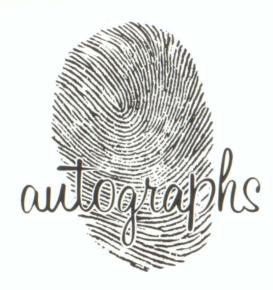
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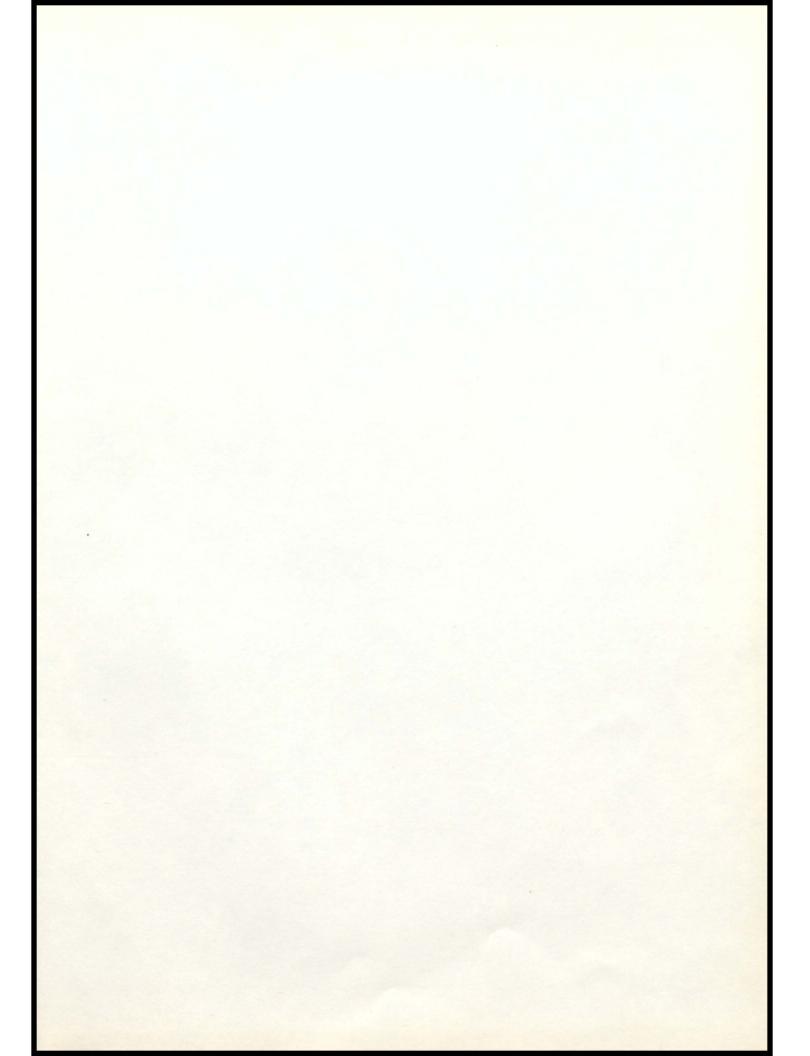
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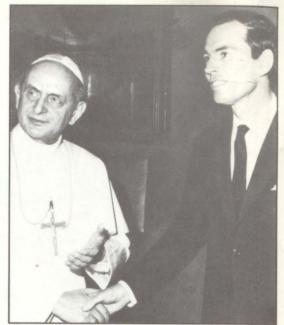












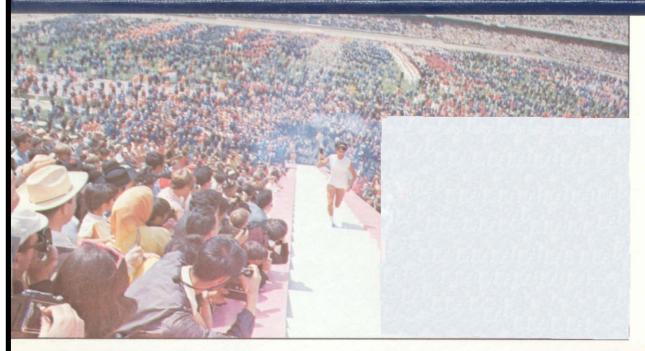








- 1. Martha Vasconcellos, representing Brazil, was crowned Miss Universe 1968 at the Miss Universe Beauty Pageant in Miami Beach, Florida.
- 2. Pope Paul VI shakes hands with Dr. Christiaan Barnard during a private audience at the Vatican. The pontiff congratulated the surgeon on his work in heart transplant operations.
- 3. Jacqueline Onassis and her husband, Greek shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis, leave chapel on the Greek Island of Scorpios after their marriage October 20th.
- 4. In May the Paris Peace Talks began in an effort to stop the Vietnam conflict. French Presidency Protocol Chief Bernard Durand indicates seats for the North Vietnamese representatives and for the U.S. representatives, headed by Averell Harriman, second from right.
- 5. A defiant Czech youth waves a national flag under the gun barrel of a Soviet tank in Prague. This Soviet-led invasion of Czechoslavakia occurred in August.
- 6. U.S. Marines man the high ground watching for snipers as giant Chinook helicopters descend onto a landing zone about 27 miles southwest of Da Nang, South Vietnam.







Mexican girl athlete Enriqueta Basilio races up the stairs of Olympic stadium in Mexico City with the Olympic flame to climax the opening ceremony.

The U.S. was not the only nation to feel the effects of rebellious youth. Here a crowd of students jam the Via Del Tritone in Rome demanding educational reforms.

Hardly a wall was left standing after this Iranian town of 14,363 people was struck by an earthquake on August 28th. The death toll throughout Eastern Iran was estimated at more than 11,000.

A Parisian reads a newspaper headlining the monetary crisis in France. French President Charles de Gaulle later announced there would be no devaluation of the

Commander Lloyd M. Bucher, skipper of the captured U.S. intelligence ship, Pueblo, is shown as depicted in news film from North Korea. Officers and crew were released in December.

Rescue workers and residents sift through the ruins of Arab dwellings in Ibbid Eara, Jordan, after what Arab authorities described as an Israeli bombing attack. Israeli authorities charged that Jordanian gunners touched off the attack.







