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## SPRING
Mr. DeLaurenti has been superintendent here in Highland for 16 years. Three years ago he moved from his office here in the High School to a modernized larger one in the grade school building.

Mrs. Senn isn’t seen by us high school students as much as she used to be. She has watched 17 classes go through the graduation ceremony in June.

Shirley Suess and Diane Day became parts of our office group shortly after the new school was finished. They both graduated from Highland High so feel right at home.
We the class of 1958 gratefully dedicate this Iris to Mr. Hilbert. In his career as Highland's basketball coach he twice guided the team to the State Tournament. He also served as Highland's baseball coach for years. Through his 14 years of coaching at Highland, his good sportsmanship and loyalty have been peerless.

Although he is retiring from coaching basketball, he will remain a devoted teacher and an ardent class sponsor as he has been to us for the last 4 years. His willingness in our class projects helped us to achieve our goals. With his sincere advice he contributed much to the success of our high school days.
One fall afternoon the band led the students uptown for a pep rally.

At the bon-fire before the Dupo game, the pep band made up for the fizzling fire.

If it weren't for these two men this school would be a terrible place to face each morning. Although we mess their polished floors and smear their shiny windows, they never seem to be daunted. Even though most of us never take the time to, we'd all like to say thanks.

Mr. Senn and Mr. Hug
This is Mr. Stratton's second year as Student Advisor. Besides counselling students, he teaches Modern World History, instructs Driver's Training students and is assistant basketball coach.

Where do I get it? How do I do it? This is the girl to ask. Carol Kessmann is our office secretary and Number One helper when we need information and assistance in doing some job.

It wouldn't be H.H.S. without this face. Our principal has an amazing sixth sense for knowing when and where trouble is brewing. The trouble ends quickly when he enters upon the scene. No one could be a better pal to each of us than Mr. White.
Most of the members of the Iris Staff were new this year. Therefore, it took some time to get the staff organized. The members spent the first few months of the year compiling information for the Highland High Directory, the yearbook supplement.

In October Mr. Diefenbach, Nancy Spindler, Jim Collmann, Marie Habbegger, and Carl Baumann attended a Journalism Convention at the University of Illinois. They came back overflowing with enthusiasm and new ideas.

Layout Girls: Judy Wall, Carol Gilomen, Carol Knop, Dot Knop, Bev Braundmeier. Business Manager, Lila Bohnenstiel. Senior Pages: Fay Stork, Jean Plocher.

Nancy Spindler, Editor-in-Chief; Mr. Diefenbach, Advisor; Shirley Imboden, Typist; Marie Habbagger, Literary Editor.

Joyce Friesse, Copy; Sylvia Lueker, Typist; Bob Sauter, Art; Dot Reding, Typist; Kay Byrne, Typist; Lois Nungesser, Copy.
The Bulldog Magazine Staff met at the same time that the Iris Staff met. The magazine came out monthly with news and feature attractions. In addition to those, the staff published a Runt Edition twice a week. The members alternated in writing the news and announcements for it. The final edition of the Bulldog in honor of the Seniors was published at the News Leader and contained glimpses of the past four years at Highland High.
TERRIFIC
TEACHERS

Each day we see these people's faces and learn from them as students in other schools learn from their faculties. This group seems different, though. They are so close-knit and friendly with us. Although, at times, we think they're rough, the overall opinion is that they are TOPS.

Mrs. Stratton came to the rescue of the Spanish class in October and then was relieved by Miss Kaseburg in January.
MRS. RINDERER: Shorthand I, II, Typing

MR. BRANDON: Algebra, Trigonometry, Practical Math, Plane Geometry

MISS LORENZ: Physical Education

MR. DIEFENBACH: American History, Bookkeeping, Record Keeping, Office Mach.

MR. KOPER: General Science, Biology Physical Education

MR. HILBERT: Social Economics, American History, Physical Education
MR. EILER: Agriculture I-III

MR. ROE: Shop I-III, Drafting

MRS. CRISTOE: Art I, II

MISS COARSWORTH: Homemaking I-III

MR. LYON: Instrumental Music

MR. GODSEY: Chorus
FRESHMAN CLASS

President, Jerry Loyet
Vice-President, John Beichel
Secretary, Linda Seeger
Treasurer, Janice Hagerman
Dennis Ammann
Cheryl Barnes

Jeanne Baumann
Robert Beaird
Karen Becker
Margo Bieser
Margret Bieser
Arthur Braundmeier
Janet Braundmeier
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Janet Holtman               Kay Kapp               Duane Kraus               Jeanne Maroon
Sandra Hug                 Larry Kaufman           Robert Lampe               Loretta McMahon
Phillip Imboden            Delbert Klenke           Kent Linenfelser           Dale Merkle
June Jackson               Kay Koelz                Judith Loyet               Judith Micnhimer
Velma Mae Kantner          Daniel Korte              Kathleen Luner             Leonard Miller
ACROSS

Richard Mollett  Jack Nihiser  Ruth Pfister  Carol Roniger
Barbara Moore  Darrel Nungesser  Russel Ramsey  Kay Ruegger
Ernest Moore  Nina Nungesser  Roy Rapfen  James Schaffner
Wayne Moss  Donna Osterbuhr  Tom Riggs  Marian Schlechte
Sherry Neubauer  Gary Oswald  Marleen Roberts  Robert Schrumpf
Neill Nicolaides  Virginia Parker  Nancy Rogier  Lonnie Schuepbach
ACROSS

Sheila Schuepbach  Craig Thiems  Donna Weder  Wayne Willows
Billy Schwend  Stephen Thiems  Shirley Weiss  Gladys Zeller
Larry Siverly  Elouise Truernicht  David Wellen  Nelda Zeller
Eric Steiner  Clark Ulmet  Keith Werner  Shirley Zobrist
Terry Stueber  Mary Warning  Janet White  Paul Wilken
Ronald Sybert  Raymond Waymouth
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Bob Menz - Full Back  
Delmar Rutz - Q. Back  
Co-Captains

Steiner - Tackle  
Werner - Half Back  
Ramsey - Center

Carpenter - Guard  
Nihiser - End  
Dieselhorst - Guard

Schott - Tackle  
Christoe - Guard  
Barnes - End
This year our football season was really wet! It rained for three of our four home games. Because of it, the band was able to perform at only one game.

Highland had its first victory this year. We lost our game with Madison, but scored more points against them than any other team did.

Delmar Rutz took seventh place in the district for points scored. He was later chosen as Prep Player of the Week and had a personal interview on KXOK.

Coaches Kaufman and Koper guided the Bulldogs to victory.

SPLASH!

Who's got the ball?

Patty Kaufman, Pat Ginther, Lorraine Poss, Sammy James.

Charlotte Tarris, Janice Wiess, Nancy DeLauri renti, Kay Byrne.
A short while after he received his football letter, Delmar Rutz was honored as KXOK's Prep Player of the Week.

Helmut Martin, our German exchange student joined the football team. Although he had never played before, he really got out and dug.

The cheerleaders demonstrated a real game.

Poncho's band was the life of the Victory Dance with the South of the Border Music.

Larry Widman found the game a muddy one. Where was that nice clean ball, I wonder?

"Larry Widman was a bit more presentable at the dance", said Lois.
JUNIORS -- CLASS OF 1959

PRESIDENT     VICE-PRESIDENT     SECRETARY     TREASURER

David Ramsey
Beverly Braundmeier
Judy Schneider
Sharon Seeger

Sandra Aemisegger
Clark Barnes
Carl Baumann
Sharon Beck

Lila Bohnenstiehl
Francis Braundmeier
James Cagle
Judith Dauderman

Ewald Demkey
Ken Diesselhorst
Gary Donnelly
Kenneth Duft

Arthur Eardley
Janet Grotefendt
Denzile Hanke
Duane Hartieb
Gloria Hediger
Ralph Hemann
Ruth Hemann
Sharon Henss
Wayne Highley
Dennis Hoefle
Ronald Hug
Jerry Iberg
Sharon Iberg
Norma Ims
Gloria Jackson
Arlene Jaeger
Douglas Klein
Janelle Knabel
Carol Knop
Ruth Korsmeyer
John Loebel
James Loyet
Robert Marinko
Marilyn Dardermann
Marilyn Mollett
Donald Nihiser
Norene Nungesser  
Sharon Plocher  
Lorraine Poss  
Ruth Sackett  
Doris Sander  
Robert Sautter  
Mary Schmitt  
Morton Schott  
Kay Ann Schwehr  
Michael Southard  
Don Staley  
Ronald Pruitt  
Gary Pyles  
Duane Steiner  
Patsy Steiner  
Audrey Sybert  
Judy Wall  
Gary Warning  
Russell Wellen  
Mary Willows  
Jerry Zobrist  
Neal Zobrist
HICKS LEAVE THE STICKS

Hicks Leave the Sticks was presented by the Junior Class. Two Hill-Billy brothers won a trip around the world. The boys' experiences and discoveries entertained us on November 15.

The Class of '59 did a fine job of writing and presenting its play.

AH . . GAY PARIS

C. Iberg, J. Zobrist, R. Hemann, and M. Southard sang for the brothers on the trip to Europe.

DOWN IN NEW ORLEANS

S. Beck, P. Steiner, S. Plocher, S. Henss, J. Wall, J. Schneider, B. Braundmeier, and S. Seeger really thrilled the boys.

AHOY THERE MATES AND LASSIES

ART CLUB

BACK ROW: Agnes Armbruster, Rose Kann, Bob Marinko, Roxana Kreitz, Oscar Hug, Leah Gentry, Don Staley, Treasurer, Mike Southard; President, Jerry Iberg; Vice-President, Elizabeth Kershaw; Secretary, Gary Warning.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS


Mr. Roe
STANDING: D. Ramsey, Vice-President; Mr. Stratton, Sponsor; B. Menz, President. SEATED: N. DeLaurenti, Secretary; L. Bohnenstiehl, Treasurer.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is an organization composed of 14 members - 2 freshmen, 3 sophomores, 4 juniors, and 5 seniors. It meets every Monday morning from 10:30 to 11:00. In this half hour they discuss the problems and make suggestions pertaining to our high school. The Student Council is responsible for putting on the Homecoming, and it also sponsors other various activities in the school year.


Seven days of feasting after seven days of fasting! The spectacular BULLDOGS after winning a sensational football game, before a "shook up" crowd, ended a week of fascinating celebratin' with a great big shin-dig which was kindly sponsored by our benevolent Student Council. Our terrifically sensational meal consisted of victory nectar and pigskins.
The Christmas holidays were welcomed in with dancing. The Hop given by the Senior class was as beautiful as it was fun.
WINTER DIVISION

Basketball
Homecoming
Music
Sophomores
The Highland Bulldogs finished the year with a 25 and 5 record. The fine way in which the Bulldogs played at the Christmas Tournament prophesied a trip to the State Tournament.
TOMORROW'S TIPPERS

BACK: Dave Ramsey, Mike Southard, Gary Piles, Del Hug, Tommy Ulmet, Bob Marinko, Gene Hosto, and Dick Wehrle. FRONT: Don Ritchie, Gary Voegele, Eddie Guentensberger, Curt Neidecker, Larry Ronat, and Wayne Highly.

COACHES


FROSH TEAM
The 1958 Homecoming of Highland High was a spectacular event. The highlight of the evening was the announcing of the new Athlete of the Year, Delmar Rutz, and the crowning of the new Queen, Nancy DeLaurenti. Seven girls represented the Senior class, five from the Junior and three the Sophomore. All were eligible to become Queen. Four Freshman girls served as pages and three boys from that class escorted former Queens to their seats.
THE ROYALTY OF H.H.S.

Special Maid Sammy and Larry - basketball, baseball.

Special Maid Lorraine and Helmut - football, wrestling.

Special Maid Sammy

Special Maid Lorraine
Retiring Queen Kay and Retiring Athlete Bob.

Linda Good and Walter Vulliet.

Charlotte and Larry - football, baseball.

Janice and Lonus - football, baseball.
Judy and Larry - football.

Sandy and Ray - football, baseball.

Judy and Earl - football, wrestling.

Karen and Roger - basketball, baseball.
Sharon and Dave - football, basketball, track.

Judy and Warren - basketball.

Janelle and Dave - football, baseball, basketball.

Sharon and Jerry - basketball, track.
Pat and Clark - football, track, basketball.

ESCORTS: Arthur Braundmeier, Ronny Sybert, Tommy Riggs.

Pat and Dick - basketball.

PAGES: Jean Bauman, Donna Weder, Shirley Zobrist, Nancy Rogier.

The Highland Wrestling of 1958 finished with a record of 2 ties and 3 losses. This was Highland's best record of the last four years. The wrestlers were coached by James Koper. The fourteen boys on the squad took part in the district tournament. Fourth place was taken by Earl Steiner in the heavy weight class. With the variety of weight classes, each boy is paired with someone his own size.

INTRAMURAL

BACK ROW, WINNERS: J. Ernst, R. Schrumpf, R. Suhre, Roger Long, Earl Steiner, Captain. FRONT ROW, SECOND PLACE: Barry Essenpreis, Leon Schien, Larry L. Essenpreis; Captain Bob Korte, Winner.

Under the direction of Mr. Lyon, the pep band filled in the halftime and between game breaks at the home games. With snappy tunes, they made their corner of the gym popular by the end of the season. Low spirits were perked up when we were behind and high spirits were reinforced when we were ahead by the lively marches.

CHEERLEADERS

"A" TEAM

The peppy "A" team cheerleaders pose in their red sweaters and black and red skirts. Pat Kaufman, Pat Ginther, Sammy James, Kay Byrne, Lorraine Poss, and Nancy DeLaurenti.

"B" TEAM

Margie Warning, Jackie Riggs, Judy Schneider, and Charlotte Tarris line up in their gay outfits.
SOPHOMORE
CLASS

Patricia Ginther
President

Nancy Plocher
Vice-President

Margye Liebler
Secretary

Jacquelyn Riggs
Treasurer

Marilyn Altevogt

John Carpenter

Charles Christoe

Suzanne Coveney

Karen Corrigan

Roxanna Creitz

Barry Essenpreis

Marie Coveney

Joe Ernst

Betty Essenpreis

Agnes Armbruster

Ruth Ann Ernst

Gladys Federer

David Fenton
Wanda File

Gary Frey    Phillip Frey
Jerry Frey    William Frey    Rose Marie Becker
Kenneth Zeller    Joyce Frisse    Karen Bircher
Angline Gillespie    Lanny Boyer    Connie Gillespie
    Phillip Byrd

Edward Guentensberger    Terry Haller
Richard Gusewelle    Hope Harmon
Marie Habbegger    B. Hartlieb
Alan Hemann
Karen Sue Hug

Oscar Hug

Sue Hug

Dennis Hundsdofer

Mary Hilbert

Dianne Horneker

Gene Hosto

Delray Hug

Richard Iberg

Noreta James

Rose Louise Kamm

Patricia Kaufman

Elizabeth Kershaw

Lucille Kloss

Lynn Knable

Robert Korte

Viola Lindgens

Junior Linenfels

Ronald Long

Gladys Lueker
Jerry Marti  
Waldo Merkle  
Glenn Messerli  
Donald Monken  
Darlene Moss  
Darwin Moss  
Ronald Moss  
Billy Murphy  
David Nagel  
Curtis Neudecker  
Lois Nungesser  
Larry Oberbeck  
Alta Oberdalhoff  
Gary Oestriinger  
Joanne Osterbuhr  
Sharon Raymond  
Glenn Riepshoff  
Wanda Reckman  
Darwin Reinacher  
Donald Ritchie
Freshman cheerleaders and mascot, Kathy Luner, Jeanne Baumann, Nancy Rogier, Donna Weder, Shirley Zobrist and Kathy's bulldog.

Mr. Lyon, band director. Mr. Lyon has been in Highland for seven years. He has charge of the Concert Band, Junior High Band and the grade school students.

The faculty got a real treat in spring when Merle Wemle gave the members a ride in his plane. "Beats a car any day", says he.

Behind the band at the Spring Concert was a Chinese curtain and a monstrous bee and hive. Before the stage was a row of colorful flowers.

1957-58 CONCERT BAND

"WE GOT RHYTHM"

Starting the year with a bang, the band was invited to march at the Carbondale Homecoming Parade and attend a big football game. Mr. Lyon, the director, had very tricky march themes for each home football game. The band took their usual trip to Champaign to hear the U. of I. Concert Band. However our students could not stay overnight because of room shortage. The spring concert was most colorful with "Around the World in Eight Tunes" as a theme. Mrs. Christoe and her art students helped set everyone in the mood with their intricate decorations. During the year certain members of the band attended Sight Reading Clinic, Madison County Band Festival and South Central Band Festival.

SLUSH PUMPS AND COUSINS

Since 1926 when the first Glee Club was organized with approximately twenty-five members, this organization has steadily increased in size and reputation until now it has eighty-nine members under the capable direction of Mr. James M. Godsey. The group took part in many activities during this school year. Among these were: presenting assembly programs for the student body, singing in the three band concerts, performing for the P, T, A., and other organizations. In May the group participated in and acted as hosts for the Madison County Senior High School Chorus Festival under the direction of Mr. Harold A. Decker and Mr. Robert K. Baar.

ACCOMPANISTS: Betty Witschie and Sharon Beck

The four seniors elected to go to the All-State Music Festival: Peg Stueber, Judy Hanser, Curt Iberg and Ray Rosenthal, with accompanist Sharon Beck.
On March 28, 1958, the Highland High School Choruses presented a Spring Concert. THE MODEL BRIDE, an operetta in two acts, was given by the Girls' Chorus.

Mme. Beaumont (played by Sandy Hug), proprietress of a famed Atlantic City Modiste Shop, takes an interest in all her customers. So do her six charming mannikins who are endowed with a fair share of feminine curiosity. So, when Larry Purcell (Karen Bircher) buys trunk-loads of wedding finery with apparently no particular bride in view the rumors fly thick and fast.

In making all his purchases Larry has insisted that Dulcie Du Long (Marg Liebler) model the luxurious creations. In true Cinderella fashion she displays the gowns, secretly wishing that she might be the bride. However, her dreams are shattered when Mme. Beaumont runs across a newspaper item commenting on Larry's approaching wedding.

A duet in which Larry tells Dulcie that she has been the Model Bride all along sets everything right and the curtain falls with the wedding just around the corner.
SPRING DIVISION

Track
Organizations
Prom
Seniors
Any boy who is not a Senior must earn two athletic letters before he may join the Lettermen Club. Senior boys must earn one letter. These boys sponsor the Homecoming Parade and the Intra-school Track Meet.


Junior Butch Tarris throws the discus.

A rear view of Delmar Rutz, Senior, shows him pole vaulting.
The F.T.A. is an organization designed mainly to give students a chance to teach, and help them if they want to become a teacher. Mr. White and Miss Verble are the sponsors of the club. They have done a very fine job this year. The officers are: Nancy DeLaurenti, President; Kay Jean Byrnes, Vice-President; Larry Essenpreis, Secretary; Peg Steuber, Treasurer. The F.T.A. consists of about twenty-five members.

FRONT ROW: Sharon Raymond, Lorraine Poss, Judy Schneider, Sheila Shupbach, Joyce Bargetzi, Ruth Shaffner, Earl Steiner, Curt Neudecker, Larry Ronat, Tom Ulmet.

OFFICERS

President, Bev Braundmeier
Vice-President, Sharon Seeger
Secretary, Betty Hosto
Treasurer, Janet Grotefendt
Sponsor, Miss Coatsworth
Chapter Mothers,
  Mrs. Milton Hosto
  Mrs. Arthur
  Braundmeier

F. H. A. GIRLS GET PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

The Future Homemakers of America is composed of girls interested in home economics. During the year the local chapter engaged in many activities. In September the F.H.A. were guests of the F.F.A. at their annual hayride. Other events, which the girls sponsored were Christmas carol singing for the Old Folks' Home, a style show, and several money making projects. In May the girls entertained their mothers at a tea.
Some new F. H. A. members pose for pictures in their initiation outfits.

Evelyn Henderson, Cheryl Barnes, Linda Seeger, Jeanne Baumann, Gladys Hediger.

Marlene Roberts, Wanda Reckman, June Jackson, Carolyn Diesselhorst, Leah Gentry, Janet Holtmann, Doris Sander.
The Future Farmers of America consists of boys interested in Agriculture. The local chapter entertained the F.H.A. with a hayride. They also conducted their annual pest campaign with Delbert Klenke as the winner. The boys were co-sponsors with the F.H.A in the "This is Your Life" party and in April the F.F.A. entertained their parents at a banquet.

The officers of F.F.A. this year were President, Clark Barnes; Vice-President, Richard Schrumph; Secretary, Jerry Zobrist; Treasurer, Carl Baumann; and Sponsor R. D. Eller.

FRONT ROW: Larry Kaufman, David Gall, Christopher Determann, Richard Gueswell, Bobby Schrumpf, Junior Linenfelser.


SENIORS TOOK THE TRACK MEET

TWO METHODS OF GOING OVER

Moore took second in the hi jump and Pyles came in fourth.

The stanch seniors took the Intra-school Track Meet with 96 points. The Juniors came in second with 89. They were followed by the Sophomores and Freshmen. The girls competed in exciting games of volleyball and softball with the Sophomores and Juniors taking high honors.

WHO IS IT? OH MY! SAYS BARNES

Delmar Rutz, going in reverse, took third place in the pole vault. Barnes came in second to give the juniors first and second places.

JUMP! SENIOR ROUND AND ROUND

The Senior girls did not add to the boys' high scores by taking fourth place in the volleyball tournament. Hemann and Marinko were the two juniors to throw the shot.
G. A. A. OFFICERS: Judy Strebel, Secretary; Carol Gilomen, Vice-President; Miss Lorenz, Sponsor; Sandy Holcombe, President; Margie Liebler, Treasurer.

Some officers and chaparones at ease. Judy Strebel, Miss Lorenz, Sandy Holcombe, Mrs. Rinderer.

EQUESTRIANS AND A DUCK

Jean Plocher, Romona Winter, Karen Warnecke, Lorraine Poss, Lila Bohnensteil, Carol Gilomen, Norma Ims.

MAD BOWLERS

These girls took first place in the G. A. A. bowling tournament with 12 H. H. S. teams heading for the alleys each week. Lorraine Poss, Sharon Henss, Norma Ims, Patsy Steiner, Sharon Plocher, Judy Schneider.

The Seniors won the G. A. A. volleyball tournament with Juniors taking second.

Relaxing after a fun-filled week in Missouri are Kay Kapp, Jeanne Maroon, Kathy Luner, Shirley Zobrist, and Nancy Hirsch.
The G.A.A. hailed over 80 members this year. Some of the members attended Play Days at Bethalto and Edwardsville. In spring the girls experienced the time of their lives at Black River Lodge swimming, dancing, riding, playing tennis, volleyball, and ping-pong.

The Juniors defeated the Seniors 4-3 to take the final game of the softball tournament. All through the year the two classes were nip and tuck in the race for the G.A.A. plaque award.

Joyce Werner, Judy Wilkie, Hope Harmon relax inbetween throws. The G. A.A. bowled at the Masonic Temple and V.F.W. this year.

Sharon Henss, Dianne Horneker, Corky Oberdoff, Ruth Ernst, Kay Vacca, and Karen Hug squeeze together for a picture at Black River Lodge pool.

Dot Knop, Donna Ulrich, Nancy DeLaurenti, Judy Hanser, Kay Byrne, Joyce Bargetzi, Nancy Spindler, Ruth Schaffner gather round a sliding board with a volleyball court behind.

Judy Schneider, Pat Ginther, Sandy Hug, Audrey Sybert, Ruth Pfister, Sammy James and friend stopped at the Recreation Hall for a Coke.
In lower left is H.H.S. This picture was taken from Merle Wernle's plane.

The water is warm and the boys won't splash you too much.

Betty Witchie and fellow typists try to finish up things on one of the last days of school.

During the Christmas vacation an intercom system was installed in the high school building with the "brain" in Mr. White's office.

Some of the Seniors discuss the changing of guards at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. The day after they left, two caskets were placed there for the men of World War II and the Korean Conflict.
This year the Highland High School baseball team had a very successful season. Its Midwestern Conference record was 9-1 and for the entire season they had a 15-3 record.

In the Regional Tournament held at Litchfield, Highland defeated Jerseyville 7-2. In the first game we won over Litchfield 7-5. Hitting stars for this game were Ramsey, Werner, Essenpreis, and Rutz.

Coach Hilbert attributed the great season to the good material which made up the team. "All the boys were extremely strong," he said. I believe everyone was well satisfied with our record.
'Neath swaying palm trees and a heavenly blue sky the students of H. H. S. danced to strains of Hawaiian love songs. Midway through the evening the island guests feasted upon pineapple delights and Hawaiian punch. All agreed the Junior-Senior Prom was an enchanting and beautiful success.
FAY STORCK

G.A.A. 1,2; F.H.A. 1-4; Bulldog 4; Iris 4; Glee Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 2-4; Sight Reading Clinic 4; Madison County Band Festival 4; Junior Play.

FRANCIS DUBACH

Lettermen's Club 3,4; Football 1-4; Wrestling 1-3.

LEON SCHIEN

Glee Club 4; Baseball 2; Intramural 1,4; Class Treasurer 2; Junior Play.

SYLVIA LUEKER

Bulldog 4, Co-Editor 4; Iris 4; F.T.A. 2,3; Librarian's Club 3,4; Vice-President 3, President 4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Class Treasurer 4; Junior Play.
SANDRA HOLCOMBE

G.A.A. 1-4; President 4; Glee Club 1-4; Cheerleader 1; Class Secretary 3; Junior Play.

EARL STEINER

Bulldog 4; F.F.A. 1; F.T.A. 2-4; Lettermen's Club 4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Baseball 4; Football 4; Wrestling 1-4; Track 3,4; Intramural 1-4.

JUDY HANSEN

G.A.A. 2-4; Chorus 1-4; All-State Chorus 4.

LARRY WIDMAN

F.F.A. 1-3; Industrial Arts 2-4; Lettermen's Club 4; Baseball 1,3,4; Track 1.

NANCY DE LAURENTI

G.A.A. 1-4; Secretary 3; Bulldog 3; Iris 2; F.T.A. 2-4; President 4; Student Council 1-4; Secretary 4; Glee Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Madison County Band Festival 1-4; Cheerleader 1-4; Football 3,4; Junior Play.

DELMAR RUTZ

Industrial Arts 2-4; President 4; Reporter 3; Lettermen's Club 2-4, Basketball 1-4; Baseball 1-4; Football 1-4; Co-Captain 4; Track 3,4.
JAMES COLLMAN
Bulldog 4; Editor 4; Iris 4; Industrial Arts 2,3; Band 1-4; Pep Band 2-4; Vice-President of Class 3, President 4.

SHIRLET IMBODEN
Bulldog 4; Iris 4; Librarian's Club 4, Vice-President 4; Junior Play.

DAVID WERNER
Bulldog 4; Industrial Arts 4; Lettermen's Club 4, Treasurer 4; Band 1-4, Madison County Band Festival 4; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 2-4; Football 1-4; Track 3.

LINUS NEUMANN
F.F.A. 1,2; Lettermen's Club 3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1-4; Football 3,4.

BETTY HOSTO
F.H.A. 1-4, Secretary 3,4; Glee Club 1; Band 1-4.

DAVID RINNERT
Industrial Arts 2-4, Vice-President 4; Baseball 2,4.
JANICE WIESS
G.A.A. 1-4; Librarian's Club 1-4; Glee Club 1-4, Secretary 4; Cheerleader 3, 4.

CURTIS IBERG
F.F.A. 1-4, Vice-President 4; Industrial Arts 2-4; Glee Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 3, 4; Madison County Band Festival 3; South Central Festival 3, 4; All-State Chorus 4.

ROGER LANDOLT
Industrial Arts Club 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 1-4; Cross-Country 2, 3; Track 2, 4; Class Treasurer 3; Junior Play.

JOYCE BARGETZI
G.A.A. 1-4; Bulldog 3, 4; Iris 4; F.T.A. 1-4.

WAYNE SIEGRIST
Hobby Club 2-4; Industrial Arts Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Football 1; Baseball Manager 1.

DOROTHY REDING
Bulldog 4; Band 1-4; Pep Band 4.
DORIS RIEPSHOFF
Junior Play Attendant

ALAN LEUHM

ROGER REILSON

DOT KNOP
G.A.A. 3,4; Bulldog 4; Iris 4; Cadet Teaching 3.

BEVERLY AUTRY
F.T.A. 1-4; Librarians Club 1-4; Glee Club 1-4.

ADOLPH DETERMANN
F.F.A, 1-4, Treasurer 3; Industrial Arts 2-4; Lettermen’s Club 4; Baseball 1; Wrestling 1,4.
KAREN WARNECKE

G.A.A. 1-4; Bulldog 4; Iris 2,4; Glee Club 1-4; Treasurer 4; Class Secretary 4; Junior Play; Cheerleader 1,3; Homecoming 1-4.

BOB MENZ

Bulldog 3; Lettermen's Club 2-4; Vice-President 3, President 4.

JUDY STREBEL

G.A.A. 1-4, Treasurer 4; Bulldog 3,4; Public- lication Manager 4; Glee Club 1-4; Cheerleader 1; Class Secretary 4; Junior Play; Homecoming 4.

WARREN MOORE

F.T.A. 3,4; Industrial Arts 4; Lettermen's Club 4; Basketball 1-4; Cross Country 3; Golf 3; Track 3.

CHARLOTTE TARRIS

Art Club 2,3; G.A.A. 4; F.T.A. 4; Cheerleader 4; Alpha Rodd 1-3; Pep Club 1,3.

RICHARD SCHRUMPF

Bulldog 4; Iris 4; F.F.A. 1-4, President 3, Vice-President 4; Industrial Arts 2-4, Reporter 4; Glee Club 2,3; Wrestling 1,4; Intramural 1-4.
PEG STUEBER
G.A.A. 1,2,3; Iris 2; F.T.A. 2,3,4; Glee Club 1-4; Assistant Librarian 2, Librarian 3; Madison County Choral Festival 1,2, All State Chorus 4; Band 1-4; Head Majorette 4.

MERLE WERNLE
F.F.A. 1-4; Industrial Arts 2-4; Glee Club 4; Basketball 1,2; Cross Country 1-3; Track 1-3; Sentinel 3.

LARRY L. ESSENPREIS
F.F.A. 1-4, Reporter 3; Glee Club 4; Football 1,4; Wrestling 3; Intramural 1-4.

KAY JEAN BYRNE
G.A.A. 1-4, President 3; Bulldog 3,4; Iris 4; F.T.A. 2-4, Vice-President 4; Student Council 2-4, Secretary 3; Glee Club 1-4; Band 1-4, Secretary 3; Homecoming Maid 1,2, Queen 3; Treasurer 1; Cheerleader, Basketball 1-4, Football 3,4.

LARRY DEAN ESSENPREIS
Bulldog 3; F.T.A. 2-4, Secretary 4; Lettermen's Club 2-4, Secretary 4; Student Council 4, President of Student Council Bank 4; Glee Club 3; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 1-4; Cross Country 2,3; Golf 2; Vice-President 1; Vice-President 2, President 3.
HELmut Martin
Exchange Student 1-3; Glee Club 4, Vice-President 4; Wrestling 4; Football 4.

Mary Becker
Bulldog 4; Iris 4; Librarian's Club 4; F.H.A. 1-4, Parliamentarian 4.

Ramona Winter
G.A.A. 1-4; F.T.A. 2; Glee Club 1,2; Class Secretary 1.

Raymond Suhre
Industrial Arts 2-4; Band 1; Class Vice-President 4; Intramurals 4.

Delmar Altevogh
Industrial Arts 2-4; Glee Club 4; Intramurals 1,2.

Jean Zobrist
G.A.A. 1-4; Glee Club 1-4; Junior Play.
DAVID HUNSDORFER
F.A.A. 1,3; Football 1,2, Wrestling 2.

JEAN PLOCHER
G.A.A. 2-4; Iris 4; Editor Bulldog 4; F.T.A.

DENNIS WELLEN
Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Junior Play.

BILL SIVERLY
Lettermen's Club 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2; Football 1-4; Cross Country 3; Wrestling 3; Track 1-4; Lion's Club (Marshall).

ROGER LEE LONG
F.F.A. 1,2; Industrial Arts Club 2,3; Band 1; Track 3; Intramural Basketball 1-4; Intramural Track 2,3.

SALLY SCHNEIDER
F.H.A. 1,4; Treasurer 2; F.T.A. 3,4; Hobby Club 3; Librarian's Club 3,4; Glee Club 1,2.
CAROL GILOMEN
G.A.A. 1-4; Camp 3; Vice-President 4; Bulldog 4; Iris 4.

ROBERT MC KNIGHT
F.F.A. 4; Industrial Arts 2,3; Glee Club 1,2; Basketball 1; Football 4; Wrestling 3.

RUTH ANN SCHAFFNER
G.A.A. 1-4; F.H.A. 1; Iris 4; Bulldog 4; F.T.A. 3,4; Librarian's Club 4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Band 1-4.

NELSON BENTLAGE
F.F.A. 1-4; Industrial Arts 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; Football 1; Cross Country 1.

DONNA ULRICH
G.A.A. 2-4; Bulldog 3,4; Iris 4.

RAY ROSENTHAL
F.F.A. 1-4; Industrial Arts 3,4; Secretary 4; Lettermen's Club 2-4; Glee Club 2-4; President 4; Band 1-4, President 4; Pep Band 2,4; Basketball 1,3; Baseball 1-4; Cross Country 2; Football 4; Track 2,4.

DONNA TIFT
Transfer - Granite City; Chorus 2, 3; Badminton 2, 3.
HONOR STUDENTS


DEKALB OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD

VALEDICTORIAN SALUTATORIAN

MENZ AWARD

Richard Schrumpf, at the close of his last year won the DeKalb Outstanding Senior Award. He was chosen by two Juniors for his achievements in F.F.A. and scholastic activities.

NANCY SPINDLER Valedictorian

SYLVIA LUEKER Salutatorian

Roger Landolt won the Menz Award for having the highest scholastic record for a boy in the Senior Class and for having earned an athletic letter his Senior year.

AMERICAN LEGION AWARDS

Sandra Holcombe and Roger Landolt were chosen by their class for the American Legion Award because of their fine citizenship record in high school.
A clear, warm evening made lining up outside enjoyable.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Baccalaureate Service was held at the First Congregational Church of Highland, Sunday, May 18 marked the evening service. Reverend Diller of the church gave the talk. Marilyn Mollet and Ken Duft led the Class of 1958 through the ceremony.

The class enters the church to "Pomp and Circumstance".

The class and viewers wait for the choir to enter.
On May 24 the Seniors left for Washington D.C. with Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert as sponsors. The grand time that everyone had will live in their memories for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert stand in the garden at Mt. Vernon.

The Club Car was just about the most popular spot on the train. The H.H.S. Seniors took over the place when they boarded.

Merle Wernle, Roger Long and Judy Hanser finally settled down to sleep on the rocking train.

What a fast meal on the train. Judy tells Sandy, "If you stop to chew, they'll take your plate."

Dave and Mona weren't as tired the first night as Judy Strebel was. A game of cards should relax them.

The boys had to get a drink after climbing Washington Monument the first day.
Mud packs, hair dyes, new shoes and cameras all get looked over the first night in the hotel.

Some of the Seniors swam in the pool at the girls' hotel the second night.

H.H.S. Seniors leave the Library of Congress on the second day. They also saw the Capitol, Supreme Court, Smithsonian Institute and the White House.

Rebels and Union men wage a war at cards on the train home. Pillows made fine card tables!

The boys take down the suitcases as the porter calls "Trenton."
Waiting for the Processional to begin, the Seniors talk over past experiences.

62 Seniors gathered at the high school on May 29 for graduation exercises. All were filled with mixed emotions as they entered the gym to "Triumphant March." For those who were not going to college, it was the end of school days. For all, it meant leaving friends and associates.

Marilyn Mollet and Ken Daft lead the Seniors into the gym.

The band played two selections, "Light Cavalry" and "Bugler's Holiday". The choruses sang "June Is Bustin' Out All Over", "You'll Never Walk Alone", and "Halls of Ivy".

Mr. White presents the Class of 1958.

Dr. Sylvia Sorkin of Washington University was the graduation speaker. Her rich sense of humor and inspiring words thrilled everyone.
AUTOGRAPHS
TWENTY DOLLAR ADVERTISEMENTS

Dimig's
Farmer's and Merchants Bank
First National Bank
Harris Furniture
Highland Supply
Hug's Men and Boys Wear
Laurel Studio
Ruegger Insurance

TEN DOLLAR ADVERTISEMENTS

Alhambra Grain and Feed Company
Alhambra Lumber Company
Alhambra Oil Company
Anonymous
A. and P. Tea Company
Authorized Sales
Basler Electric
B. and B. Quality Paint
Bellm Insurance
Bess Cleaners
Broadway Battery and Tire
Dressel Electric
Drda Electric
Eclipse Feeds
4-5-6 Company
Gehrigs Store
Hagenauner and Knoebel
Haven of Rest (Alhambra)
Hecht Ford Sales
Herbst Filling Station
Highland I.G.A. Market
Highland Journal
Highland News Leader
Hug's Market
Kaufman's Mel-Mar
Killian Building Material Company
Kinne's Tom Boy Market
Lory Theater
Lowenstein Insurance
Mosimann Plumbing
National Trail Garage
Petite Flower Shop
Rinderer Electric
Rogler Insurance
Seigrist Style Shop
Seitz Jewelry Store
Spengel Furniture Store
Tschannen (Ben Franklin)
Wick's Music Products
Ziegler's Jewelry

FIVE DOLLAR ADVERTISEMENTS

Anonymous
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Leo Barth, Welding
Dr. Bauman
Bauman's Super Service
Wilson Boulanger
Broderick Garage
Brown's Drive In
Center's Drugs
Christian Education Company
Diamond Mineral Springs
Duft Service Station
East End Cafe
East End Merchantile
Essenpries Plumbing
Essenpries and Ziegler Conoco
Frey's Drive In
Gambles
Grantfork Locker
Gruenenfelder Lumber Company
Heller's Meat Market
Dr. Hediger
Dr. Holcombe
Dr. S. A. Kayar
Kayser Drug Store
Dr. J. W. Kempff
Kline's A and G Store
Walter Kline
Koch and Hug Garage
Kuhnen Hardware
Marathon Service Station
Mariannes Beauty Shop
Mar-Del Salon
Maxines Beauty Shop
Michaels
Dr. C. J. Muick
Nagel's Drug Store
Neubauer's Meat Market
Oberbeck's Feed Company
Park Auto
Betty Peterson
Polar Ice and Fuel Company
Dr. Rehburger
Dr. Rehburger
Ricklis Baking
Dr. Rosenthal
Salvage Company
Schotts Skelgas
Schwend Radio and T. V. Shop
Skater's Paradise
Tom Steinman
Dr. R. F. Tschudy
Voegele Store
Western Auto
Wilhauks
Dr. Wilson
March 4th through March 9th the Regional tournament was held at Altamont. March 4th saw Highland defeating St. Elmo 90-47. On Thursday the great rivals, Highland and Greenville met. Once again Highland ended on top 76-60. The two contenders met on Friday evening, with the Bulldogs victorious 66-58.
The Sectional Tournament that Highland played in was held at Olney. Highland took an early lead on March 13th and held it to defeat Paris 68 to 58. Highland Oblong game seemed to be jinxed. The halftime score was 6 to 3.

The score see-sawed back and forth until the very end with Highland winning 27 to 26.

Highland's contender at the Super Sectional was Jerseyville, who gave the Bulldogs a real run for their money. In an overtime, Highland was victorious 49 to 46.
Opening Sessions Of State Begins, Ends With Bang

8 Talented Coeds Named To 4th News-Gazette All-Star Cheer Team

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SCORE BY QUARTERS:

| Highland | 15 | 13 | 12 | 10 |
| Spalding | 11 | 12 | 11 | 15 |

SHOOTING PERCENTAGES:

| Highland | 38.7% | 48.1% | 50.0% | 40.0% |
| Spalding | 40.0% | 48.1% | 50.0% | 40.0% |

OFFICIALS: Harold Leman, Werns, Norris

SMILES BEFORE DEFEAT. Highland High School cheerleaders in happy interlude before their team bowed to Peoria's Spalding, 58-49, pose during half of Friday afternoon's game. Members of peppy group are, left to right: Lorraine Pass, Patty Kudman, Sammy James, Kay Joan Byrne, Nancy DeLaurency and Pat Gunther.
V.I.P.'s AT STATE TOURNAMENT

Nancy DeLaurenti represented Highland High in the Elite Eight Queen Contest. She was one of the maids in the Queen’s Court.

Larry Dean Essenpreis who has played basketball all through high School was named on the All-State Tournament Second Team and named on the District Team. Nice going!

Kay Byrne was chosen as one of the eight girls of the "All-State Cheer Team" while at the state tournament. She has been a cheerleader at H.H.S. for 4 years. Congratulations on so great an honor!

When the Bulldogs went to state, they took a live mascot with them! Teddy Riggs donned a ferocious bulldog mask and sat in the center of the gym to inspire our team.