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THE 1967 RAVEN

THIEF RIVER FALLS
STATE JUNIOR COLLEGE
THIEF RIVER FALLS,
MINNESOTA

The Thief River Falls State Junior College was founded in the fall of 1965. The growth of this institution has exceeded expectation with an enrollment of close to three hundred students in 1966.

The purpose of our college is four-fold: to offer an Associate of Arts Degree; college transfer to a four-year institution; vocational technical education for immediate employment; adult education which will complement the work of public schools in providing continuing education for adults.

At present, our college is located in the Lincoln High School building, but plans are now being drawn and studied for a new campus to be built in the spring of 1968. These new facilities will then enable our college to better accomplish its purposes and fulfill the needs of college students in our area of northern Minnesota.

1965 and 1966 were years of firsts. Organizations, athletics and social events came into being. Scarlet, navy, and white were chosen as our school colors, the "Northmen" as our school name and the "Raven" as our mascot. Several new organizations were started; Lutheran Student Organization, Newman Club, Young Republicans, Young Democrats, and Pep Club. For students with literary interests the newspaper, "The Northern Light", and yearbook were formed. Athletics went into full swing when our college joined the Northern Junior College Conference and the National Junior College Athletic Association. Basketball players, wrestlers, and cheerleaders, complete with new uniforms, began practice in fall quarter. Golf, tennis, and track teams were organized in spring quarter. On the social side, a Sadie Hawkins Day Dance, a Christmas dance, a Winter Festival, a carnival, a spring formal, an operetta, choir concerts and weekly dances were highlights of the school year.

1967 marked another first, Graduation exercises were held in June. Our graduating students went on to new careers and new colleges and the college looked forward to the returning sophomores and the beginning freshmen.



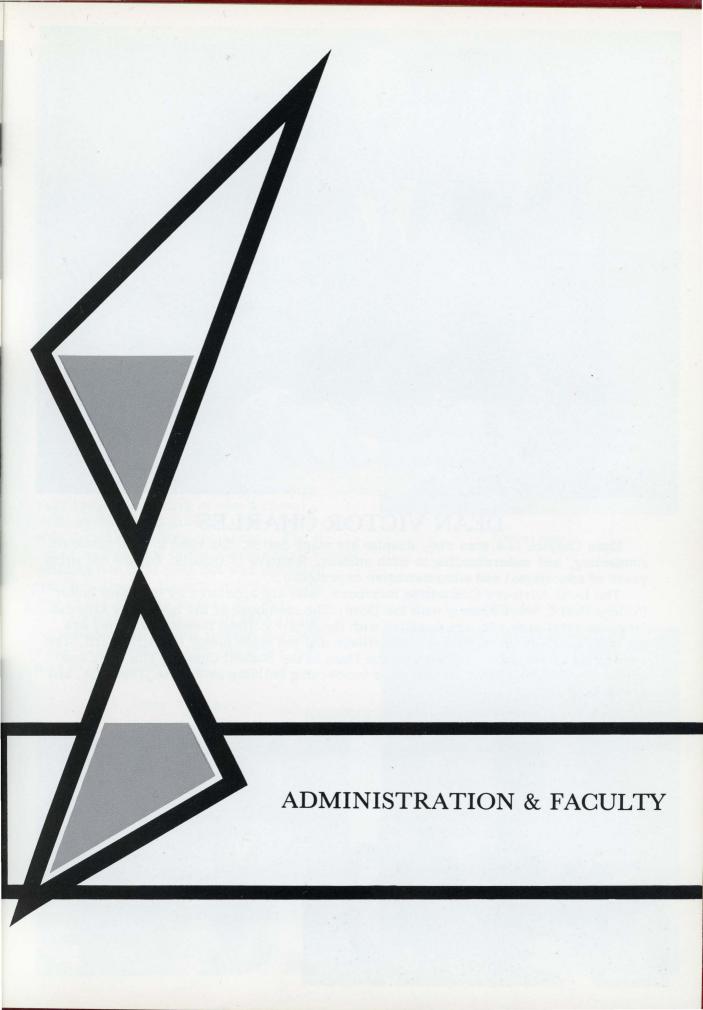
"...plans are now being drawn and studied for a new campus to be built in the spring of 1968"



Instructors "...enable our college to better accomplish its purposes..."



"On the social side, A Sadie Hawkins dance..."





DEAN VICTOR CHARLES

Dean Charles is a man who, despite his many duties, has time to give guidance, counseling, and understanding to each student. A native of Illinois, he has had many years of educational and administrative experience.

The local Advisory Committee members, who are appointed by the State Junior College Board, work closely with the Dean. The members of the board are citizens from the local area who are familiar with the junior college movement. They are the official liason group between the college and the State Junior College Board. The committee meets once a month with the Dean in the Student Center. The Dean consults with this committee on problems concerning building problems, finances, and scholarships.



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Grad. Study, University of Minnesota

During our first two years we were very fortunate to have at our disposal a well-equipped and growing library under the able direction of Mrs. Isaacson. The library was located in the Lincoln High School building our first year but was moved to the old Carnegie library with the completion of the new city library in 1966.

Our efficient office staff kept all the college records, typed registration materials, and generally kept the office running in good order.

Mrs. Tress Noel



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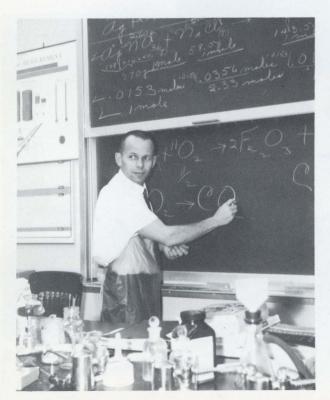
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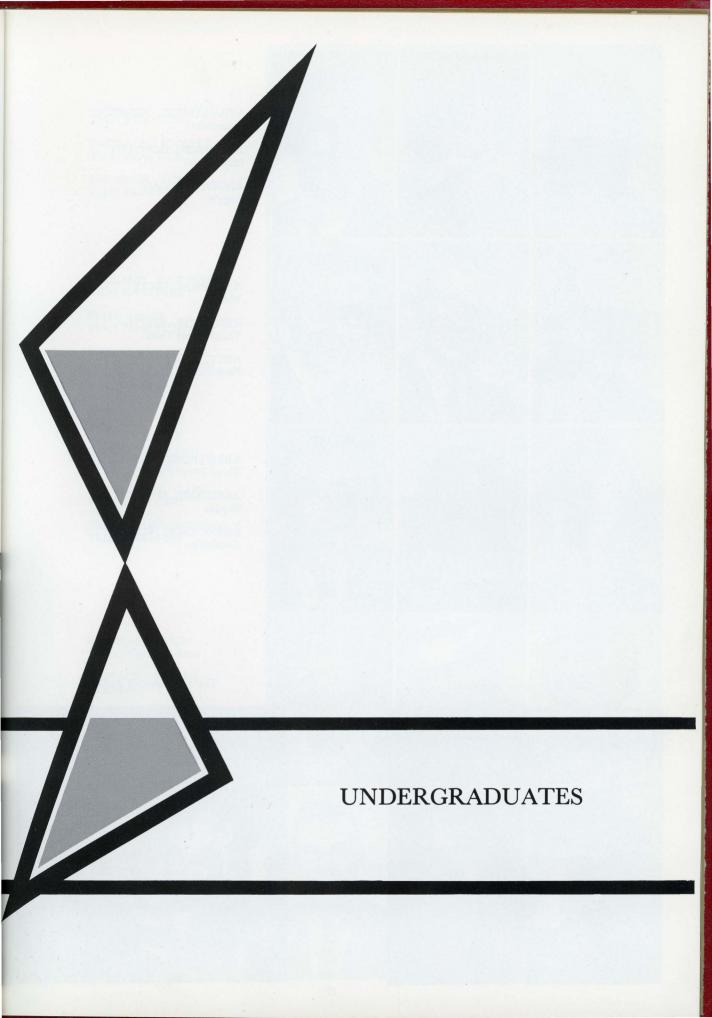




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Syracuse University













ABRAHAMSON, KENNETH Wannaska ANDERSON, DOROTHY Strandquist ANDERSON, GAIL Argyle







ANDERSON, GARY Warren ANDERSON, KEITH Thief River Falls ARLT, GARY Plummer







ARMSTRONG, RONALD Thief River Falls ASKELAND, ELAINE Grygla BENDICKSON, ROBERT Goodridge

The latest news and notes.



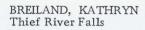
The best dressed students.



BERGLAND, WILFRED Thief River Falls

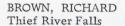
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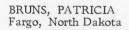
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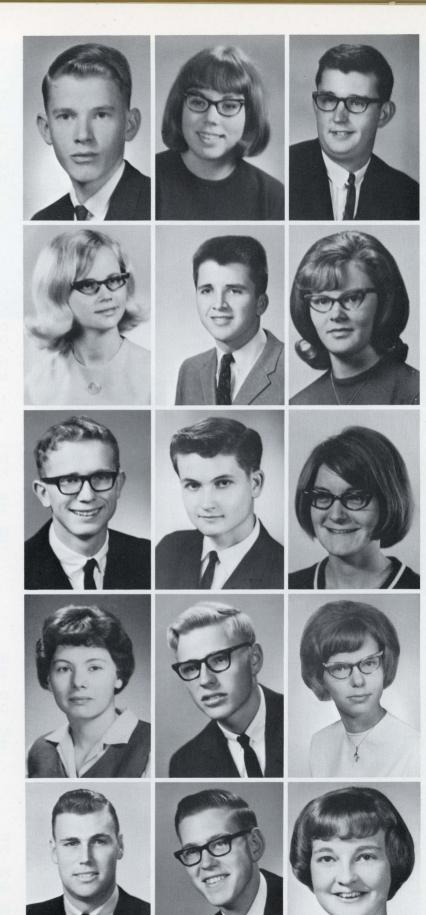
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CHRISTIANSON, WANDA Pencer, Minnesota





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DAHLSTROM, DONALD Alvarado

DAHLSTROM, RICHARD Oslo

DANIELSON, RUTH Minneapolis

DELORME, DONAVON Red Lake Falls DICKEN, JOHN Thief River Falls DICKSON, SHIRLEY Thief River Falls

DUCHAMP, MARK Thief River Falls DYRSETH, JOHN Grygla EVENSON, EDDIE Thief River Falls

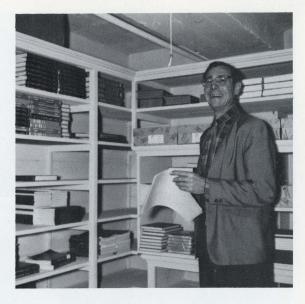
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FARDER, GREGORY Oslo

FINNEY, SUSAN St. Vincent



Just two more flights of stairs!



The price is \$4.95!

FINSETH, LESLIE McIntosh

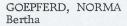
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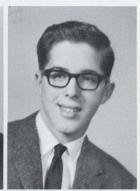


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GUSTAFSON, JEFFREY Little Falls









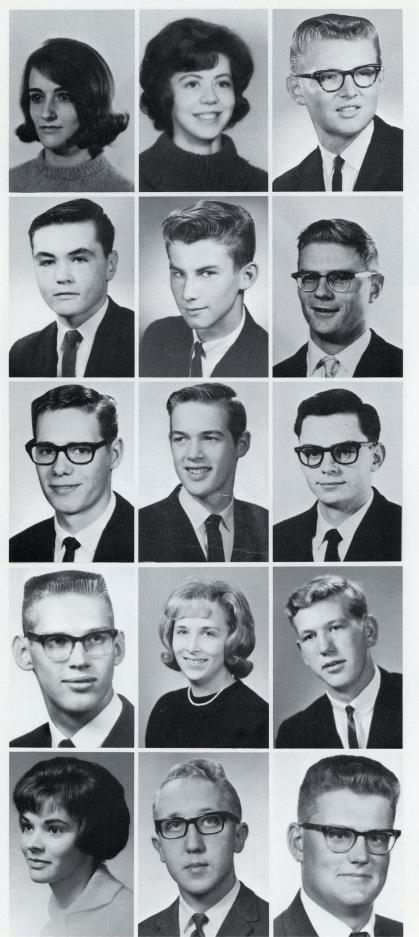












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HANSON, RONALD Erskine

HARTEL, RONALD McIntosh

HENDRICKSON, LELAND Thief River Falls

HERLING, GREGORY Roseau

HOEFER, GERALD Red Lake Falls

HOEL, DENNIS Erskine

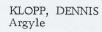
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HOMME, ROBERT Thief River Falls

HUOT, DARLENE Red Lake Falls IVERSON, GARY Goodridge JACOBSON, GUS Wannaska

JENSON, ALLEN Erskine

JOHANNECK, MICHAEL Red Lake Falls

JORLAND, JOSEPH Middle River



KNUTSON, WESLEY McIntosh

KOLSTOE, JOHN Oklee

KRON, KAREN Newfolden

KUZNIA, PHILIP Argyle

LABINE, JAMES Argyle











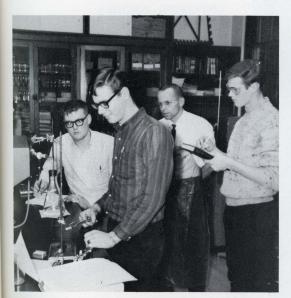








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Look at those long skirts!





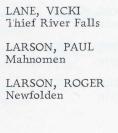
Snow Festival - 1966 Queen Myrna Weckwerth and King Don Delorme.



Snoopy won first prize!



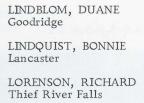


















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MAGNER, ROBERT Thief River Falls

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MORTENSEN, JOHN Karlstad

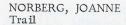
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NETTERLUND, MAUREEN Karlstad



NORDLING, CURTIS Hallock

NYVALL, LINDA Thief River Falls

OISTAD, MARY ELLEN Karlstad

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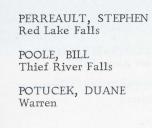


OSTENSON, LOWELL McIntosh OVERLID, BRUCE Oslo PAETZNIEK, GULA Middle River















PROULX, PATRICK Red Lake Falls QUAM, MARY Thief River Falls QUERN, DAVID Oslo

Let's have a taste!



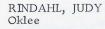
Laugh and the world laughs with you!!



RADNIECKI, ROXANNE Oklee

RECK, MILTON Thief River Falls

REIERSON, RICHARD Thief River Falls



ROBIDOUX, DWIGHT Brooks

RODEKUHR, MICHAEL Thief River Falls

ROGALLA, SARA Warren

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ROLLAND, MARLENE St. Hilaire

RUSTAN, ERROL Oklee

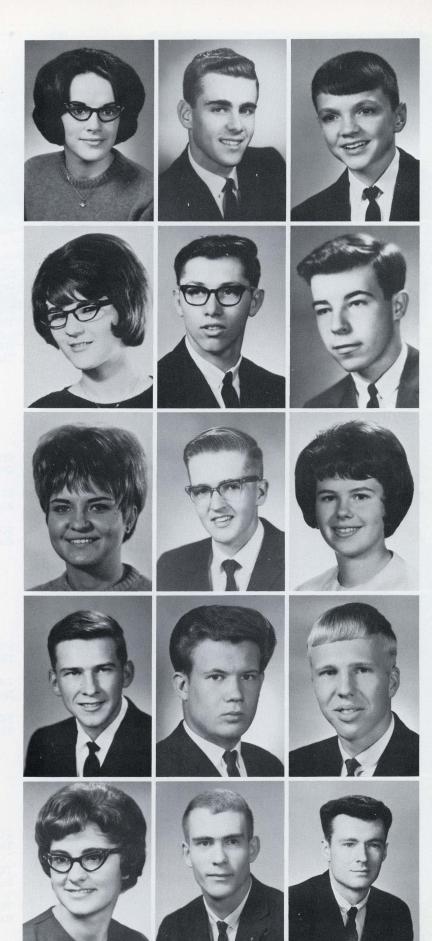
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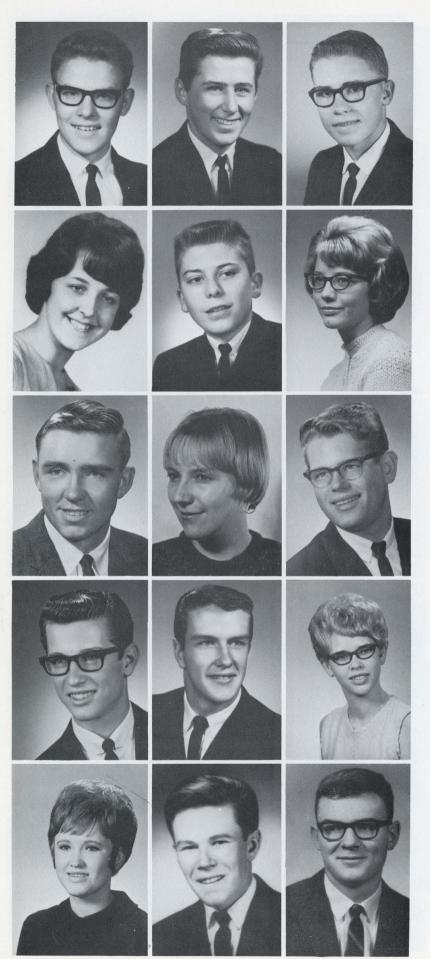
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SCHEURING, BERNARD Red Lake Falls

SCHIEFERT, LONNIE Red Lake Falls





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SCHMITZ, GALE
Red Lake Falls

SCHMIDT, MORLEN
Stephen

SCHROEDER, RUTH St. Hilaire SHERACK, JOHN Thief River Falls SHERN, LOIS Thief River Falls

SPARBY, ELDON Grygla STEINERT, SANDY Red Lake Falls SUNSDAHL, JACK Goodridge

SWANSON, STEVEN
Thief River Falls

TALGE, DAVID
Erskine

TORKELSON, IVETTE
Thief River Falls

TORKELSON, PAMELA Thief River Falls TORSTEIT, HERBERT St. Hilaire TOULOUSE, LOUIS Red Lake Falls



"But Nance! It didn't look like that!!"



A new aspect of psychology - "Sad Sack"

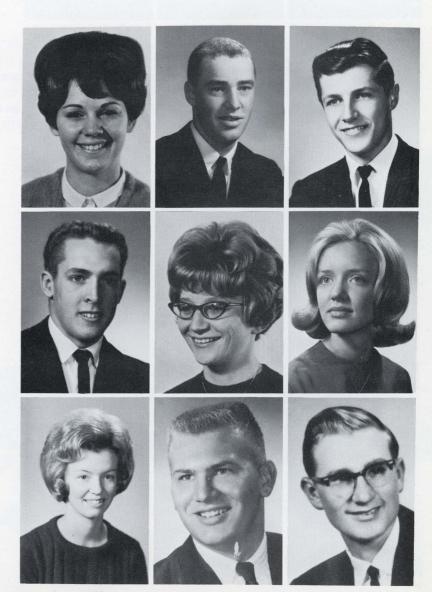
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WELTZIN, JUDI Puposky WILKENS, DALE Grygla WOLD, PAUL Thief River Falls





WOLLIN, GREGORY Greenbush

WOMACK, MARY Thief River Falls

WYSOSKI, CATHY Thief River Falls

BROVOLD, VIVIAN Thief River Falls GUSTAFSON, MARIE Thief River Falls HANSON, MARLENE Thief River Falls

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Thief River Falls
HOLTE, PEGGY
Thief River Falls
HOWICK, ELIZABETH
Thief River Falls

JENSON, CATHERINE Thief River Falls JOSEPHSON, ETHEL Thief River Falls LOKKEN, JOYCE Thief River Falls

PLADSON, CHARLOTTE Thief River Falls SCHLOFER, ROSELLA Goodridge SPILDE, ESTHER Thief River Falls



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

BACK ROW: Don Delorme, vice president; Susan Finney, secretary; Lonnie Schiefert, president. FRONT ROW: Myrna Weckwerth, student council representative; Dennis Hoel, treasurer.

Both freshman and sophomore class officers are elected by popular vote in the fall. To be a candidate ten signatures on a nomination petition are necessary.

The freshman officers sponsored the spring formal on May 27. The sophomore officers planned their graduation which took place on June 9. They also sponsored the Snow Festival the week of February 20-25. Although the work of the calss officers is behind the scenes their accomplishments are numerous.

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Class officers are hard to find.





Kathy Breiland, treasurer; Greg Farder, president; Darlene Huot, secretary. NOT PICTURED: Georgann Fahey, vice president; Dick Brown, student council representative.



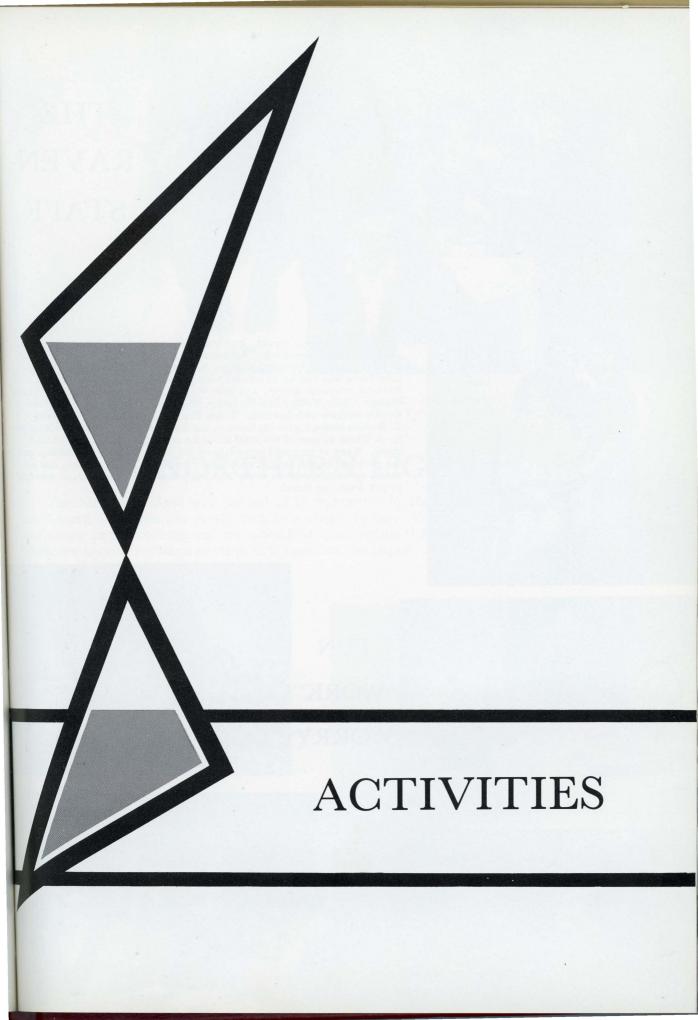
FRONT ROW: Nancy Quam, Steve Furuseth, Myrna Weckwerth. BACK ROW: Joe Fuller, Dick Brown, Greg Herling, Advisor, Doug Soderstrom.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Basketball Concessions!



To be a member of the student council this past year meant a great many meetings, heated discussions and a lot of just plain hard work. Four parties ran for office: "The Action Party". "Your Party", "The Patriots", and "The S.L. A.V.E. Party". "The S.L.A.V.E. Party" (Students Looking for Action of Various Events) was victorious with three of their four candidates being elected: Steve Furuseth, president; Joel Fuller, vice-president; Nancy Quam, secretary; and Greg Herling, treasurer of the "Action Party". The freshman representative was Dick Brown and the sophomore representative Myrna Weckwerth. The members of the council got "action on many events". The constitution, concessions, student center, the budget, Christmas Dance, Sadie Hawkins Day, and the Sock Hop were among the many projects. The most important accomplishment of the year was establishing a workable government. While the spectacular achievements of the student council seem solely concerned with entertainment, it was the slow careful deliberation of the student council on student affairs that made it such a valuable organization.





THE RAVEN STAFF



Pictures, copy, layout, and work are only a few of the things needed to produce a yearbook. An editor, assistant editor, business editor, photographer, and anyone who was willing to work had to be found. Lois Shern was chosen as editor; Nancy Quam, assistant editor; Marlene Rolland, business editor, and Judy Weltzin, chief photographer. Eloise Weltzin, Judy Walla, Bev Bredeson, Maureen Netterlund, and Linda Nyvall worked with layouts. Susan Glad, Connie Sauve, and Pam Torkelson worked with Marlene as the business staff. We also consider Huck Olson as part of the staff since he contributed many basketball shots. None of us could complain of the lack of work. Deadlines and the problem of the budget were always with us. Miss Maher, our advisor, spent many hours worrying, but somehow things always managed to get done, on time!



FUN WORK WORRY









BACK ROW: Judy Borchert, Laurel Rude, Patricia Bruns, Mary Womack, Dennis Hoel. SECOND ROW: Myrna Weckwerth, Marlene Rolland, Sara Ann Rogalla, Karen Nelson, Steve Furuseth. FRONT ROW: Rosemary Bruggeman, John Dicken.

NORTHERN LIGHT

The Northern Light was published bi-quarterly by the students. Many hours of hard work went into the production of a single issue. The paper covered all the activities in the college and included features, original stories, and cartoons. The students looked forward to each new issue of the paper.

Miss Olson - Advisor

Co-Editors Rosemary Bruggeman John Dicken
News Editor Myrna Weckwerth
Cartoonist Steve Furuseth Patricia Bruns
Business Manager Paul Wold
Advertising Editor Karen Nelson
Sports Editor Jeff Gustafson
Photography Myrna Weckwerth John Dicken
Feature Editor Mike Anderson
Staff Members: Nancy Amundgaard, Judy Borchert,

Norma Goepherd, Darlene Huot, Marlene Rolland, Sandy Steinert, Eloise Weltzin, Mary Womack, Sara Rogalla, Laurel Rude.





LUTHERAN STUDENT ORGANIZATION

The Lutheran Student Organization has three main purposes: "to know Jesus Christ..." more fully as one's personal Savior, to understand what the church is and should mean to the twentieth century Christian, and to learn how to "follow Christ" and be a Christian witness.

Their activities have included a special hayride for all college students, panel discussions, and one very special Christmas party at which they packed Christmas boxes for soldiers stationed in Viet Nam who are from Thief River Falls. Their officers include: Gus Jacobson, president; Judy Borchert, secretary; Greg Herling, treasurer; and Diane Goethe, publicity chairman.







NEWMAN CLUB

The Catholic Students' organization on the campus is the Newman Club. It is under the guidance of a chaplain appointed by the bishop of the diocese in which the college is located. They elect officers and carry on a program of activities which range from study clubs, lectures, parties and dances to picnics. The goal of the ideal Newman Club program is the formation and development of capable student leadership.

The Thief River Falls Junior College's Newman Club is under the guidance of Father Ditzler, chaplain, and Art Heinz, advisor. They meet every other Wednesday at St. Bernard's Church. A guest speaker is usually present at each meeting and the club discusses such issues as: dating on a secular campus, changes in the Catholic Church, and mixed marriages.

Their elected officers for this year include: David Boroski, president; Victor Broadwell, first vice-president; Jerry Hoefer, second vice-president; Connie Sauve, secretary; and Steve Perreault, treasurer.

FRONT ROW: Victor Broadwell, Connie Sauve, David Boroski. BACK ROW: Father Ditzler, Steve Perreault, Jerry Hoefer, Doug Weber.





The Junior College Chorus under the direction of Mr. Morken had an event-filled year. During fall quarter the Chorus sang for American Education Open House, the lighting of the Christmas lights and presented a Christmas concert. The highlight of winter quarter was the chorus trip to Bemidji State College to participate in the singing of the "Creation" by Haydn. The year ended with the presentation of a Sidewalk Folk Concert.

CHORUS



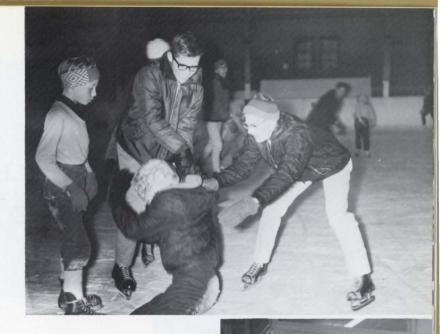
CHORUS OFFICERS

Curt Nordling vice president Judy Walla secretary-treasurer Eloise Weltzin publicity Greg Herling president





Dancing around the Christmas tree



Hi-jinx at the skating party

PARTIES

"Best dressed" Sadie Hawkins Day



Stag-line
Around the punchbowl at the Christmas
Dance

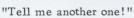


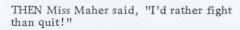


COLLEGE INTELLECTUALS



"I learned this from reading...comic books."











13:1 (my favor).



How to study without really trying.



Love potion #9.

Social Problems: Race, desegregation, mortality, labor, men, barbarians, caste system, poverty, divorce, and "whatcha doin' Saturday night?"





Our diligent student librarians.

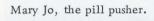


But Mam, we don't have that size!

STUDENTS AT WORK



Hey Babe! Wanta sweater?

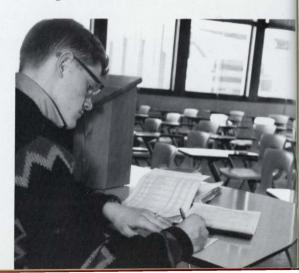


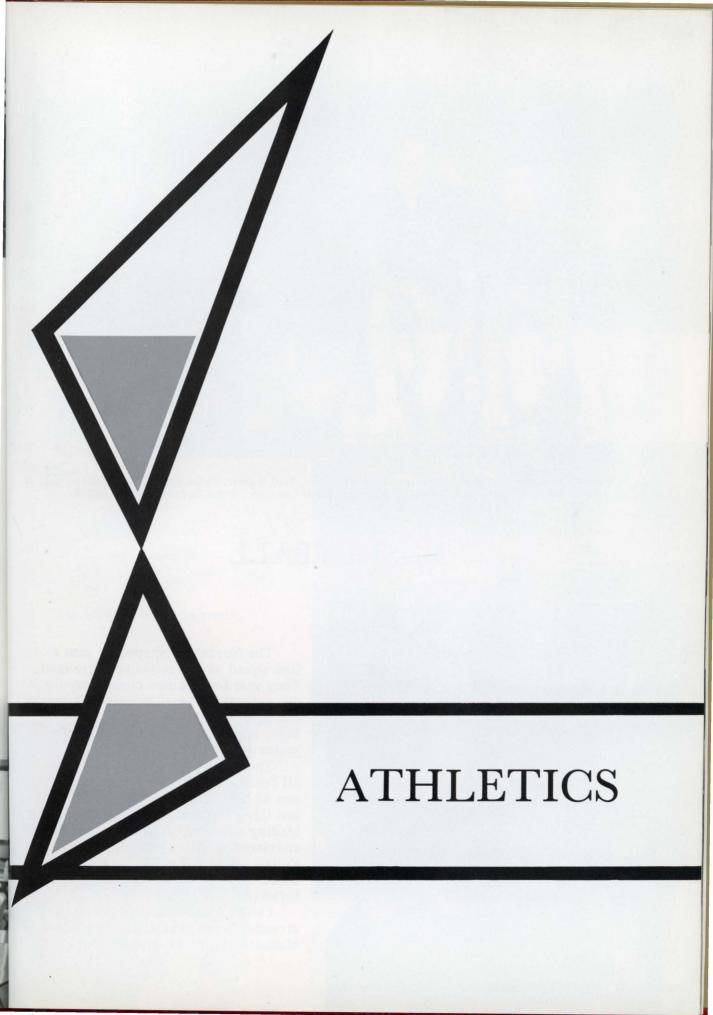




Sorry Buddy-Only soft drinks.

Hmmm! Twenty-six credits. Wonder how it will go?







FRONT ROW: Richard Dahlstrom, Allen Jenson, Greg Farder, Paul Walker, Eldon Sparby, Tim Kuiper. BACK ROW: Mr. Al Adams, coach, Jack Sunsdahl, Jon Holter, Jeff Gustafson, Bruce Saustad, Keith Anderson.

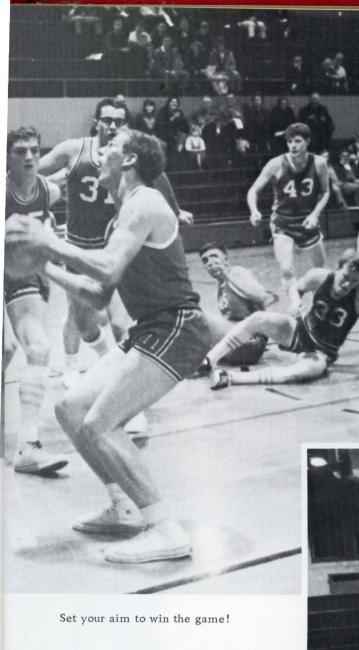
BASKETBALL



The Northmen shaped up into a fine squad as the season progressed. They won four games consecutively, one against Bottineau School of Forestry, one against Hibbing State Junior College, and two against Itasca State Junior College.

The basketball squad consisted of all freshman players with Allen Jensen as team captain and play maker and Greg Farder and Eldon Sparby as leading scorers. The starting lineup consisted of: Allen Jensen, guard; Tim Kuiper, guard; Paul Walker, center; Eldon Sparby, forward; Greg Farder, forward.

Coach Al Adams expects an even stronger team next year when these students return as sophomores.



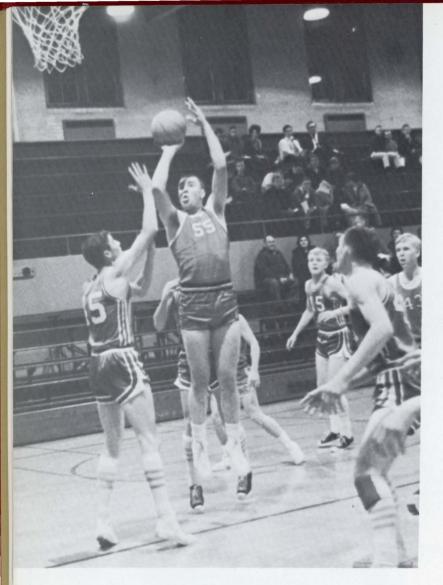
"Ready" on 3!



The Crucial Moment Pam and Marlene

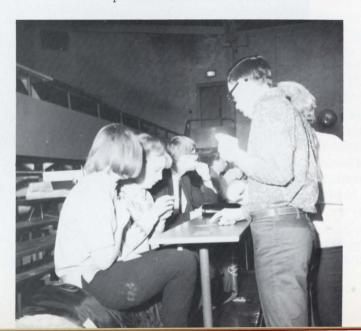
A deadly hook, that's all it took!





You make the basket, we'll make the noise!

Spectators check the score.



NORTHMEN



"Tip it up!

IN ACTION



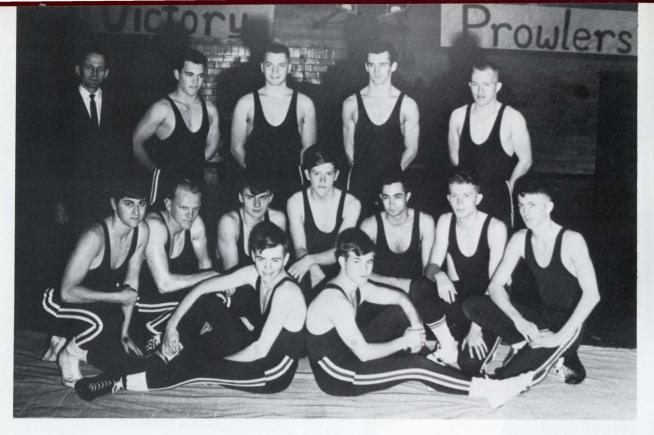
Tip it in!



Score-Keeping Personnel Mark DuChamp, Wayne Merek, Wayne Zitzow, and Chuck Reep.

Go right in and fight to win.

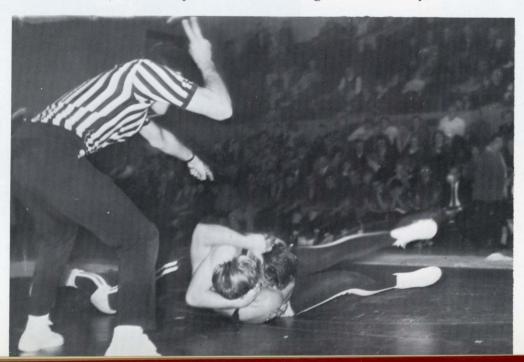




FRONT ROW: Steve Perreault, Steve Furuseth. MIDDLE ROW: Wayne Marek, Gary Anderson, Jim Rogalla, Joe Gonsorowski, Roger Jensen, Dick Brown, Joel Fuller. BACK ROW: Cy Dickson, coach Luther Kaushagen, Jim Weckwerth, Ray Ulrich, Richard Lorenson.

WRESTLING

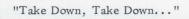
The wrestling squad held second place in conference standing for dual meets in the Northern Junior College Athletic Conference. The team had two wins each over Crookston and Hibbing. In non-conference competition they met Moorhead State College, Bemidji State College, and the University of North Dakota. As this yearbook was printed, the conference meets were not completed. Even though this was the first year of wrestling, Coach Cy Dickson expected to win championships in conference tournaments and place in national tournaments. Coach Dickson commented, "Most of the team were freshmen, so we expect an even stronger team next year."

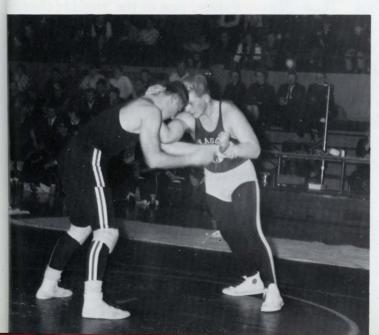


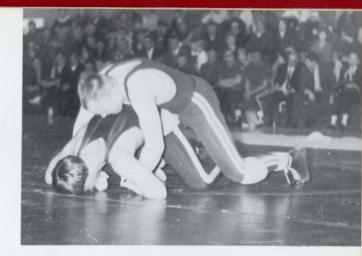




Near pin.







Turn him over on the mat, Lay him flat on his back!



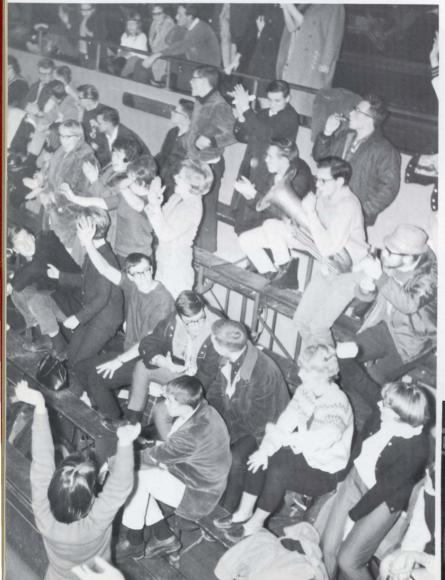
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Give up!?





BACK ROW: Pat Schuster, Sharon Christensen, Diane Saurdiff. SECOND ROW: Barb Waldera, Vicki Lane. FRONT ROW: Laurel Rude, Norma Goepferd.



CHEERLEADERS

Dressed in their red culottes and white sweaters, the cheer-leaders whipped up crowd enthusiasm. They always cheered their best. Chosen by a committee of faculty and students, the cheerleader's main function was to lead cheers at the basketball games and wrestling meets.

There were four regular cheerleaders and three alternates. Each of the alternates took a turn cheering as the fifth cheerleader after Georgann Fahey, one of the regular cheerleaders, left us. According to Miss Maher, advisor, the cheerleaders are members of the National Cheerleaders Association. Active and enthusiastic, the cheerleaders contributed much to the college spirit.



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