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DEDICATION



Miss MaBelle A. Cannon

To Miss MaBelle A. Cannon, secretary to Mr. Curtice for the past two years and Mr. LeTendre for 18 years previously, we gratefully dedicate this book as a small token of our sincere appreciation for her many years of loving service to our school. Her work and interest carried the stamp of sincerity and integrity—two qualities which ennoble the doer and the deed.

Miss Cannon retired early this year, after 38 years in the Berkeley School system, and 23 years at Berkeley High. She was also a graduate of Berkeley High School where she took a college-preparatory course. Following graduation, she did secretarial work and took extension courses at the University of California.

In 1923 she began her career with the Berkeley schools as a secretary to Mr. Hennessey, principal of Garfield. After 15 years she transferred to Berkeley High.

Miss Cannon was universally liked by all people with whom she came in contact and she is a person who is sincerely missed at Berkeley High.



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MR. CURTICE Principal

Principal's Message

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It must be quite confusing to youth during these times in which extremist viewpoints and activities are so rampant. Unless our youth of today have a fairly firm conviction about our democracy, and a faith in how it can be improved and preserved, decision making can prove to be very frustrating.

I am reasonably sure that no good citizen, in his right mind, would give up our democracy, even with its faults, for any form of totalitarianism. Certainly the state can be no stronger than the individuals in it. If this is true, then the individual's freedom, rights and creativity, must not be regimented by the state.

It is hoped that we can improve our "American Way of Life" to the point where all individuals are guaranteed their constitutional rights. This job of improving our democracy is one which should be assumed by all of us, and especially by the graduating class of January, 1962.

Principal

EDITOR'S MESSAGE

Though not everybody realizes it, the years we have spent at Berkeley High will prove to have been our happiest and most carefree. We have had none of the great burdens, financial or physical, which we will encounter in our future years. I hope this Pod will provide some fond memories when you glance through it in the future.

The people who have worked with me on the Pod Staff have worked harder that most people would imagine. Although it did not take the entire semester to put this book together, many hours of after-school time were involved for all the staff members. It is because of this special effort on behalf of the staff that this Pod is what it is. It would like to thank the staff for their dedicated work.

Alan Barr

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Graduation is a time of many paradoxes. We must regretfully say goodbye to the many friends we have made among teachers and students. We will always be indebted to them for their patience and guidance they have shown and for the lessons they have taught us in human relationships. And yet, we can look forward with great eagerness to the new faces we will meet throughout the rest of our lives.

We are at the end of three years of gathering knowledge. It has been long, but profitable in that we have learned the fundamental things with which we shall face our new life. This new life, however, is also a period of learning. It is one which will teach us the important things that will shape and mold our future.

Graduation marks the culmination of many wonderful memories. We will always remember and cherish the activities and people we knew during the last three years. But all these wonderful things are only a glimpse of the wonders that the rest of our life will provide for us. We have a long future ahead of us; one which can be worthwhile and enjoyable.

Berkeley High has given us all of the things: friendship, knowledge, and memories. We are sincerely thankful. We hope with all our hearts that you will preserve the greatness of Berkeley so that its wealth may be shared with the generations to come.



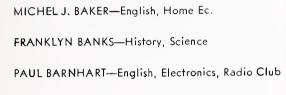




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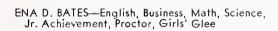




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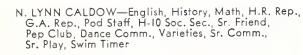




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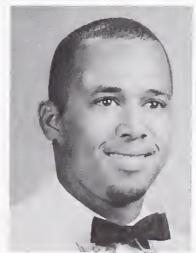
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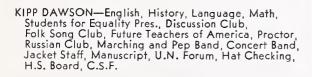




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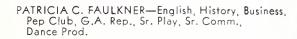




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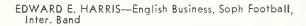
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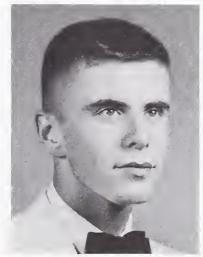












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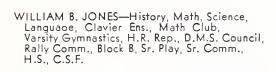




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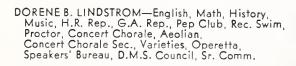




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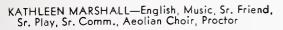




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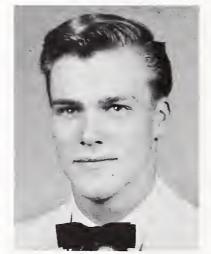
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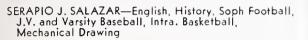




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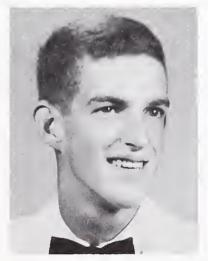
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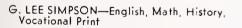




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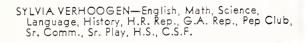




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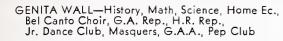




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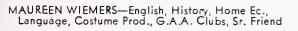




HART WELSH—English, History, Science, Speakers' Bureau

PAUL J. WEST-English, Science, Print Shop

MALCOLM WHITE—English, History, Business, Music



JOY WILEY-Business, Speech, History, Tailoring

JOHN R. WILKINS—English, History, Concert Chorale, H.R. Rep., Harmoneers, Football, Bowling Club, Speakers' Bureau













STANLEY LEROY WILLIAMS—English, Math, History, Science, H.R. Rep., L-12 Class Council, Sr. Comm.

JOEL STEPHEN WITKIN—English, Math, History, Science, Language, H.R. Rep.

RITA A. WONG—English, Science, Language, Sr. Friend, Varieties, G.A.A.

LOWELL YAMASHITA—English, Math, History, Language, Business, Block B, Circle B, Varsity, J.V. and B Swimming, Intra. Water Polo

ELAINE YOKOYAMA—English, Math, History, Language, G.A. Rep., G.A.A. Clubs, Craft Club, Sr. Friend, Sr. Comm.

ULDIS ZEBERGS—English, Art, Math, B.O.C. Publicity, Rally Comm., H.R. Rep., Sr. Comm.







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Ralph Gharda

Carolyn Herron

Lynne Hudner

Mark Kittredge

Oneta Lucky Harriet Lukes

Kenneth Malloy

Hershel Mills, Jr.

Walter Mills

Herbert Scruggs

Tim K. Sipes

John Davidson Spitzer

Keigo Uda

Lesley Ward

Jessie Wells

Ray Kelly Wootten

CLASS OFFICERS

L-10, Spring '59 H-10, Fall '59
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Jackie Lloyd Vice-President Bob Liner
Shireen Mayeri Secretary Kae Finch
Joan Tschierschky
Kathy Rhoda
L-11, Spring '60 H-11, Fall '60
Steve Casey
Bob Fox
Jane Railton
Kathy Rhoda
Joan Tschierschky Soc. Secretary Shireen Mayeri
L-12, Spring '61 H-12, Fall '61
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Lindy Johnson Vice-President Eric Brown
Joan Tschierschky Secretary Jane Railton
Marty Horning
Alice Weldon

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As one class after another goes through Berkeley High they all seem to make about the same impression, about the same contributions, but every class likes to feel that it has done something special or in some way made a record that will be remembered. And so it is that we look back fondly and somewhat proudly over the last three years. We have not stood out tremendously in any one field but have tried to develop ourselves in all aspects in order to produce a rounded and successful class.

As far as spirit is concerned, we have shown out well. Each semester we placed high in the Spirit Cup race. But spirit isn't just a lot of rah-rah. To us it's a different kind of spirit, an actual feeling of wanting to participate and cooperate and of uniting to make something meaningful out of everything we do. Members of our class have excelled in everything from football to chess and from scholarship to art. Academically, as well as in the area of extracurricular activities, we have excelled. Although many of our top scholars graduated early, and thus left our class early, we have still maintained a good core of intelligent, industrious students. We are as proud of their accomplishments as we are of anyone else's. We like to feel that to some degree we have been able to free ourselves from antieggheadism.

We are also proud of the accomplishments of Berkeley High during our stay here, even though we were not necessarily responsible for them. Some of these were: The Bellamy Award, A.S.B.H.S. President Steve Brodsky, the Students for Equality, some of the finest Pods ever, the televised football game, and a student newspaper.

We are happy with the thoughts of the many things that we have done and that Berkeley has done. We hope that those who remain will enjoy the rest of their time here and will be equally proud upon their graduation.



SENIOR COMMITTEES

FOOTBALL CONCESSION

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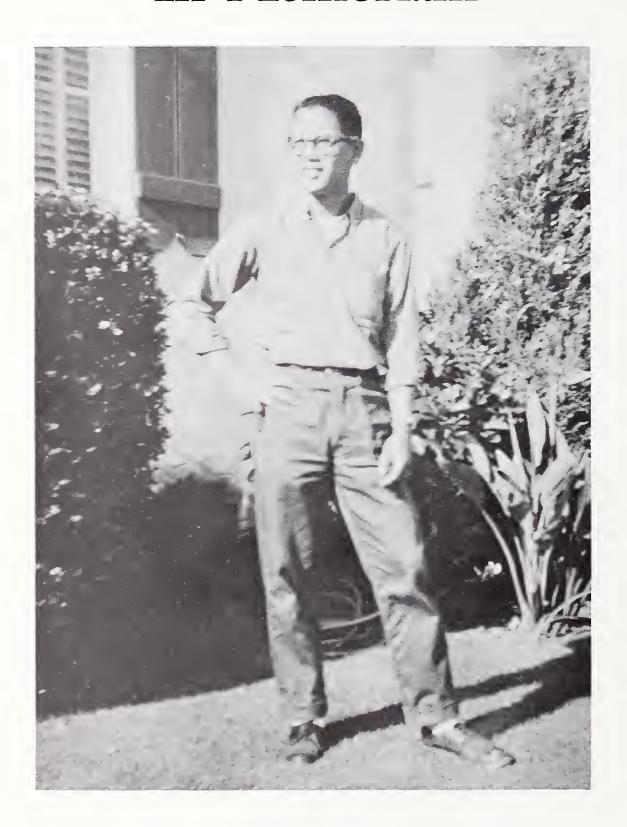
REUNION





CLEAN-UP

In Memoriam



Albert C. Fong March 17, 1961

Albert was an unusual boy. His death on March 17, 1961, was a loss to all those who knew him.

In his seventeen years with us, he made many friends. He had an interest in people, and he considered himself responsible for seeing that everyone was included in a group, instead of having to watch from the outside.

It's a tragic and terrible thing to lose someone like Al, but because he did so much for us, perhaps, he was required to leave us, in order that he might go to places more worthy of his spirit and graciousness. LEAT TARTATION



LOWER CLASSINEN



LOW SENIORS

L-12 CLASS OFFICERS

President Robert Lewis

Vice-President Jim Pricco

Secretary Suzy Pierce

Treasurer . . . Patty Hamilton

Social Secretary . . Leslie Shelley

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With the conclusion of a hectic, but fruitful and enjoyable L-12 semester we are now entering the home stretch of our high school education.

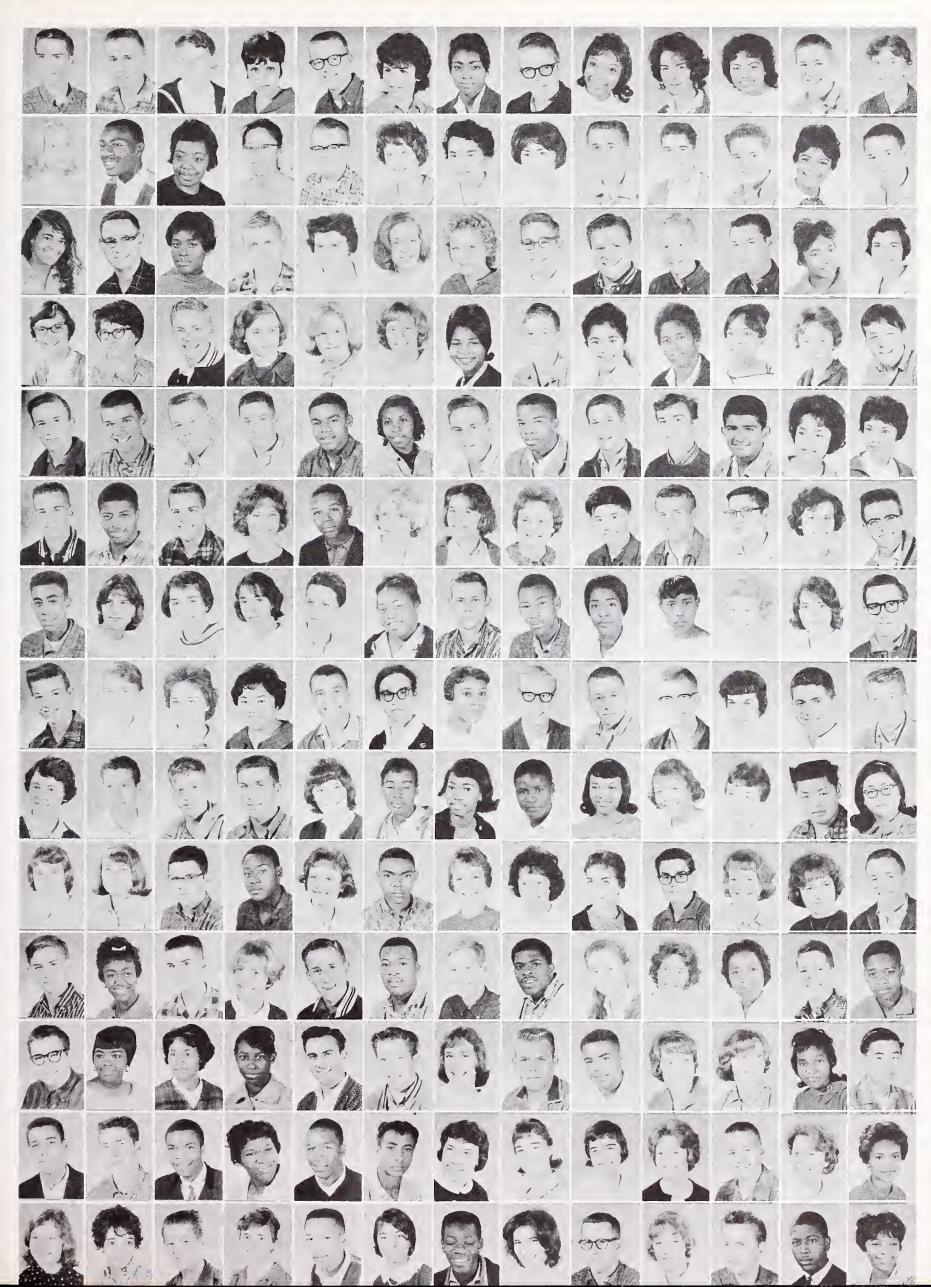
During the past semester it has been my honor to act as your representative on the Board of Control as well as a coordinator of class activities.

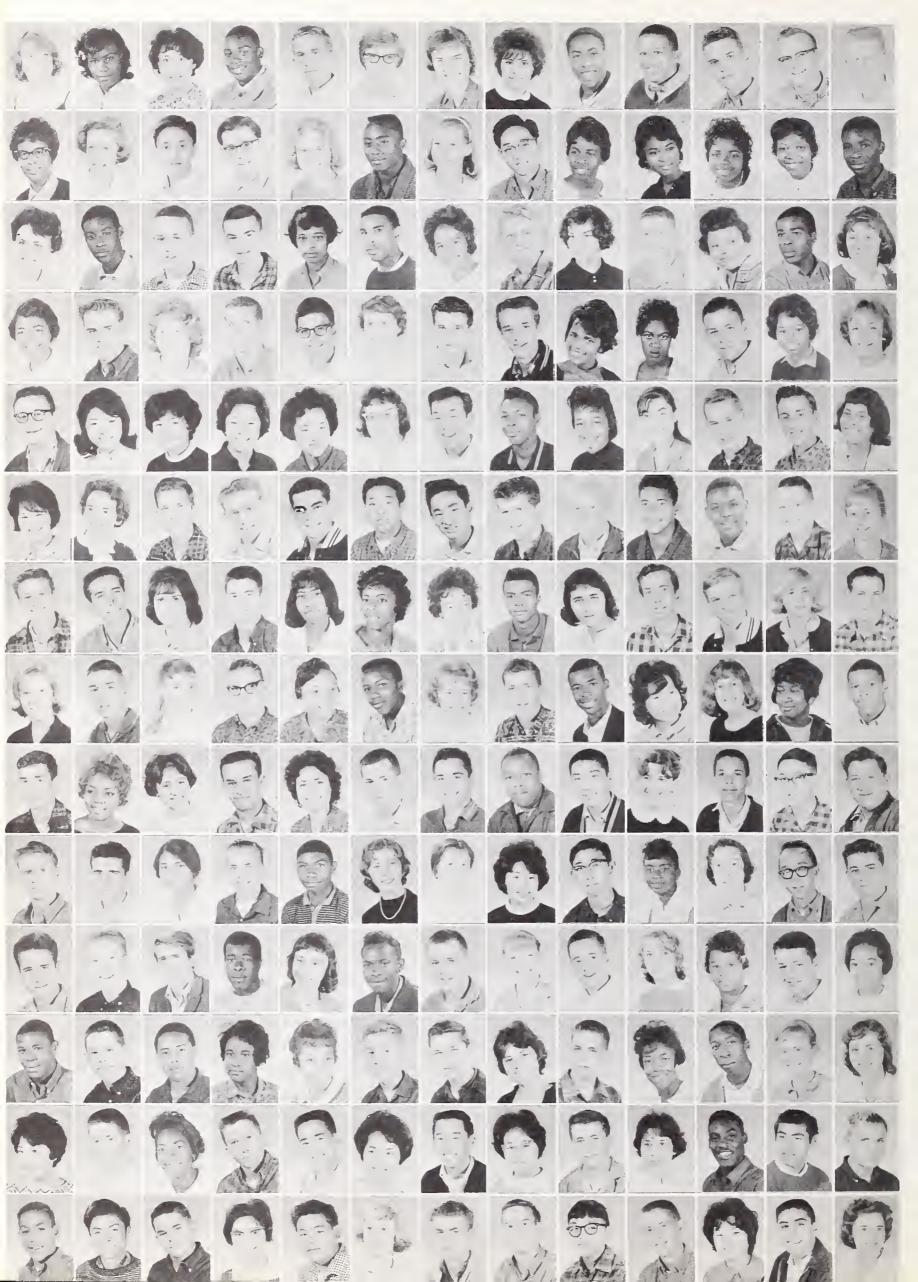
Financially, this semester could be termed a success as we nearly doubled funds in our treasury. As is the case in most large organizations such as ours there was a nucleus of people who were willing to put in a little extra work. My greatest reward from service in this office was the work I did with these people, and my sincere thanks and appreciation for a job well done goes out to them.

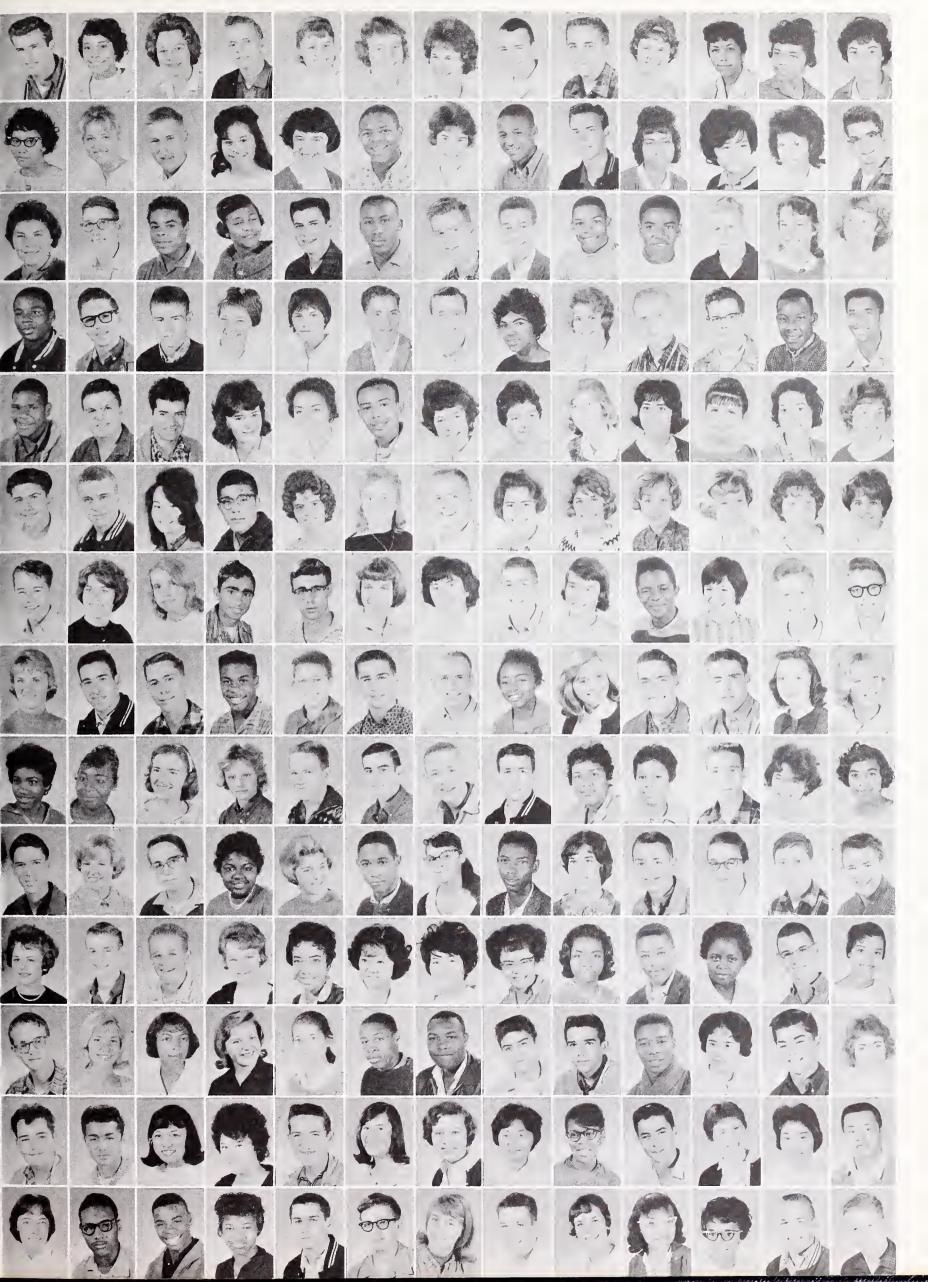
Unfortunately, class officers often get out of touch with the members of their class. If this is the case during my administration I sincerely regret it. May I suggest that in the future, we as members of a school society, remember that our elected representatives are obliged to represent us to the best of their capacity. At the same time let us never lose sight of the fact that as members of a democracy, such as ours, we are equally obligated to make our voices heard in our government.

Thank you,
Bob Lewis
L-12 President
Fall, 1961













HIGH JUNIORS

H-11 CLASS OFFICERS

President Gary Lindquist

Vice-President . . . Allen Fowle

Secretary Ann Harano

Treasurer . . . Bancroft Dutton

Social Secretary . . . Katie Watson

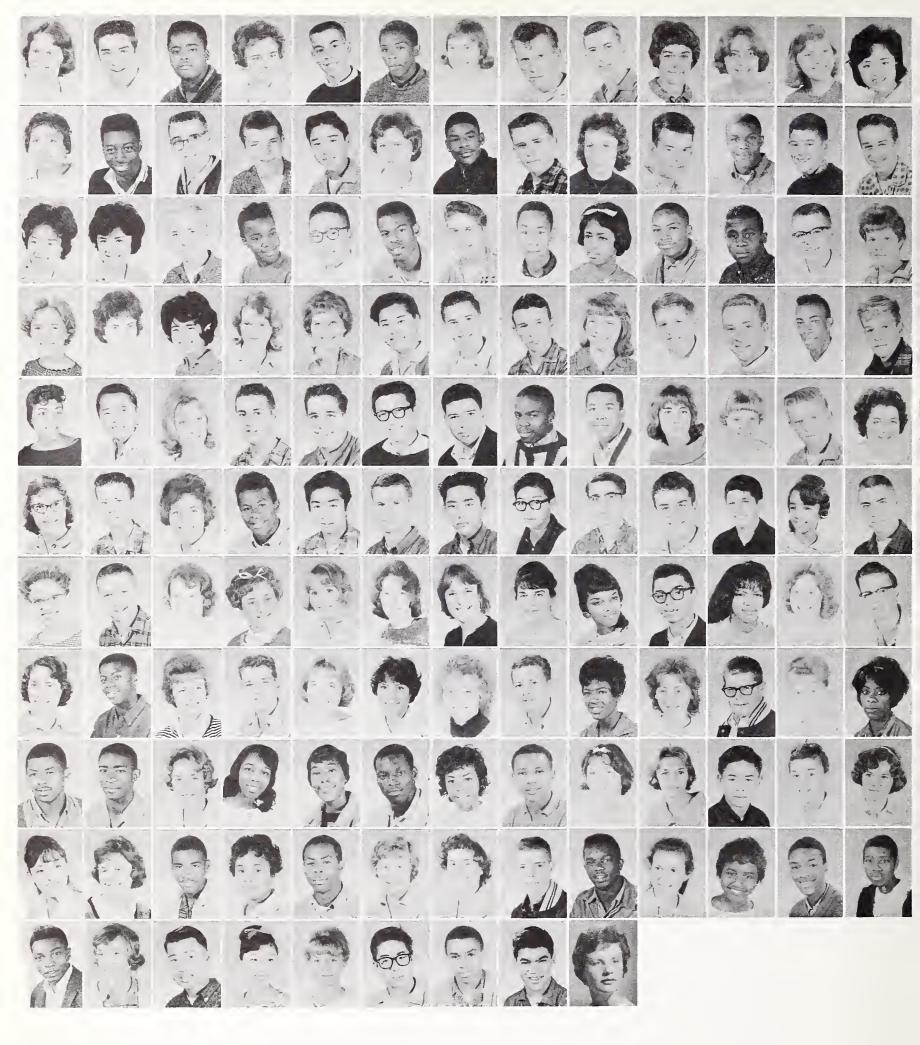
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Semester by semester, our Fall Class of 1961 emerges—from bewildered "lowly" sophomores to active, informed high juniors, aware that only one year remains for us at Berkeley High. At this writing, we're the largest mid-term group, but some forty members will graduate a semester early. Realizing we'd soon be the smallest class, we've fortified our treasury through various projects: the concession on the slope, sales at football games (perish the thoughts of rain and labor strikes) and Fun-Nite; a big Christmas candy sale; and a swingin' "Take Five" junior prom.

Thanks so much to the class, for their cooperative efforts in supporting the activities of the class and B.H.S., and also for my membership on the B.O.C. Thanks, too, to Mrs. Albright for her guidance, and to Mr. Curtice for his daily zestful relationships with us.

Sincerely, Gary Lindquist H-11 President Fall 1961







LOW JUNIORS

L-11 CLASS OFFICERS

President Linda Lym

Vice-President . . . Roy Anaclerio

Secretary . . . Gail Meisenheimer

Treasurer . . . Rima Weilerstein

Social Secretary . . . Kathi Walt

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

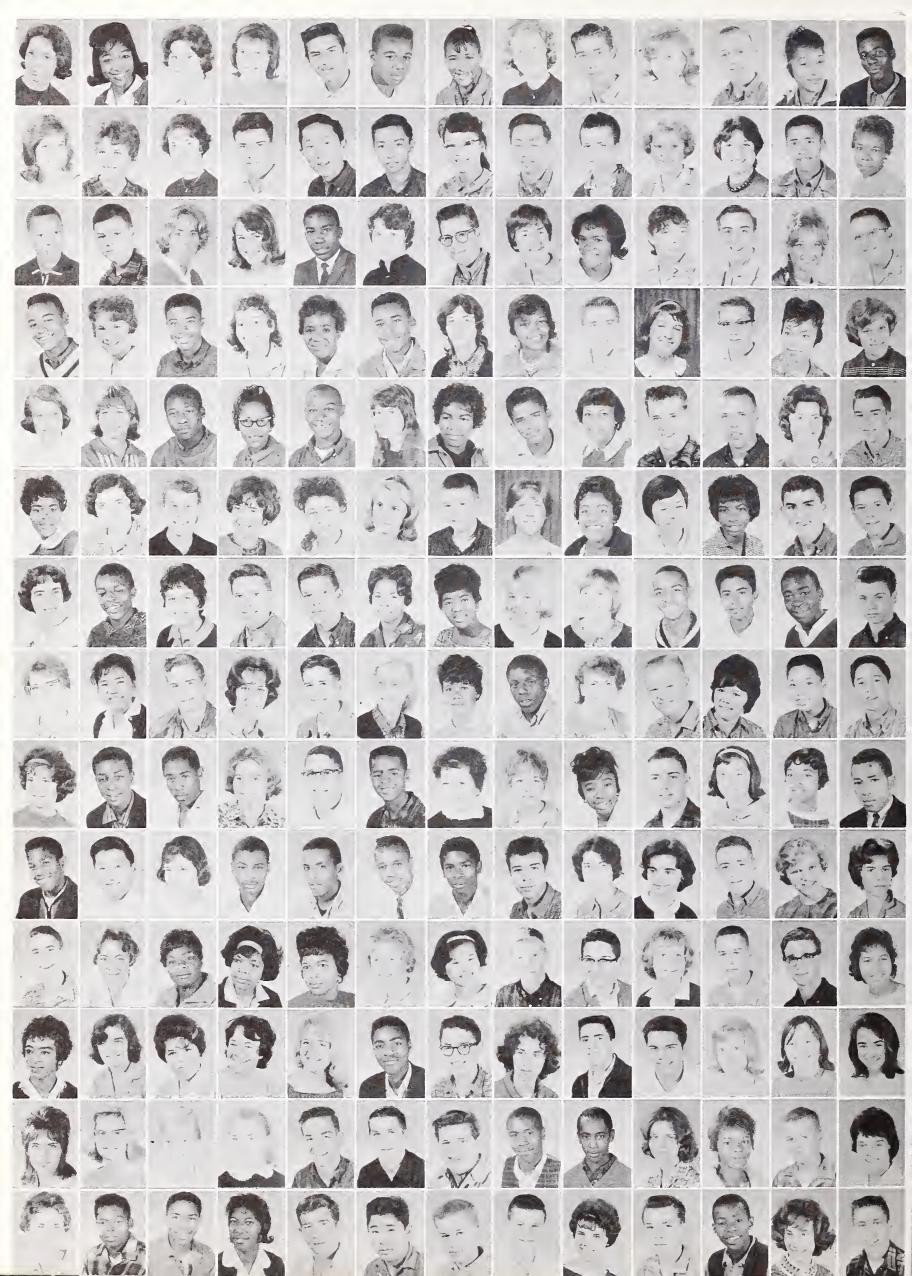
My class has shown me more sheer devotion in helping to carry out a job than any other group of young people I have ever worked with.

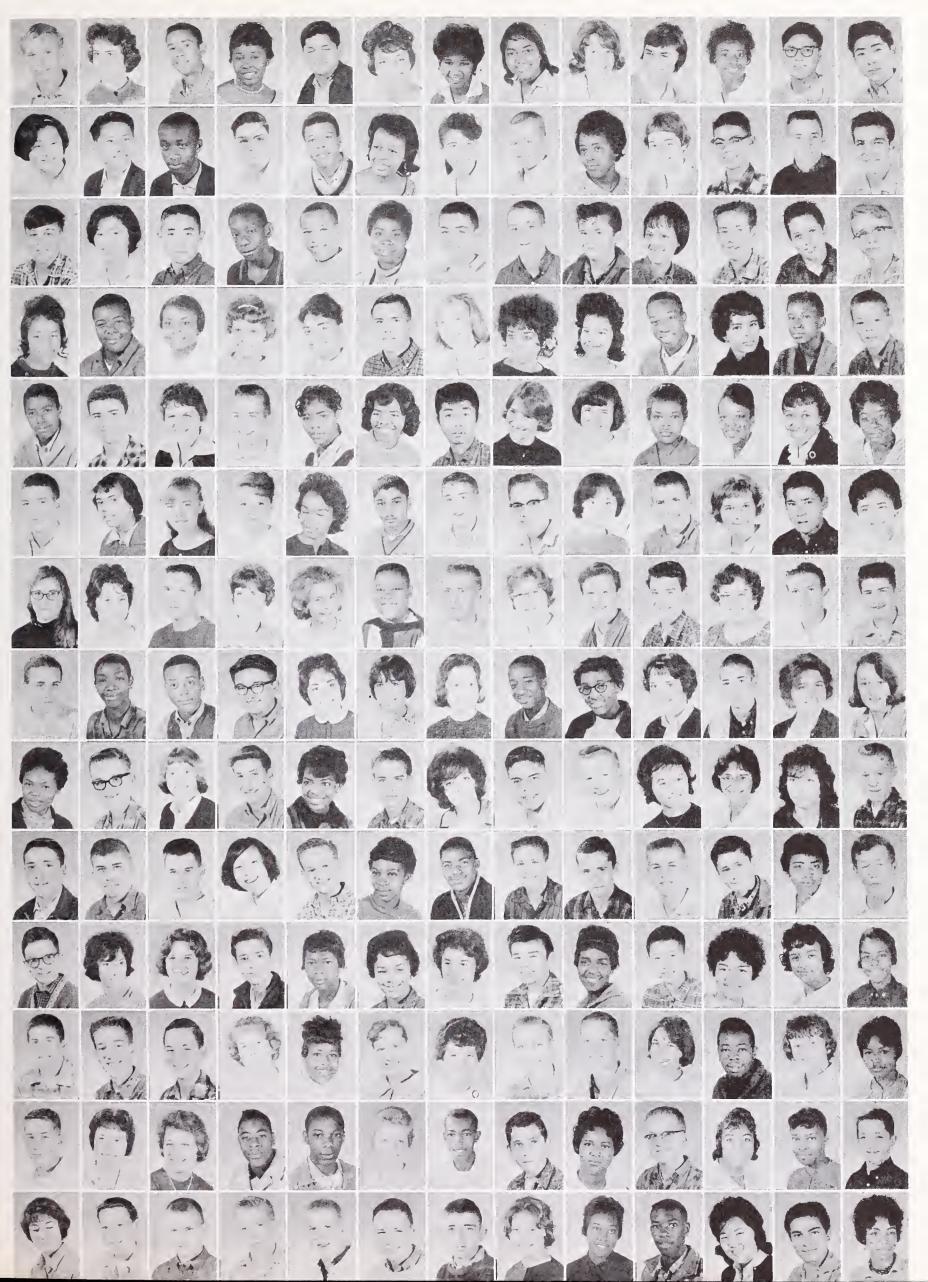
Our semester was not outstandingly successful by a cash standard; we made a substantial, comfortable amount of money. Monetary "spirit" is not what I was referring to above. It takes real caring to tramp out in the slush and cold wetness of a "big-game day" to sell—we'll never forget it—frozen fruit-juice bars. This class sold 3600 fortune cookies during two lunch hours in a week, supported a prom—"Take Five"—held off campus, a class movie, and an indescribable Fun-Nite. This is real spirit.

I couldn't have asked for a greater group of officers, nicer sponsors or a more terrific class. I have never been prouder to represent a finer assemblage of people. My hat is off to them. With my deepest admiration—

Linda Lym L-11 President Fall 1961













HIGH SOPHOMORES

H-10 CLASS OFFICERS

President James Barter

Vice-President . . . Warren Read

Secretary . . . Lucille Carpenter

Treasurer . . . Robert Basinger

Social Secretary . . . Susan Adcock

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

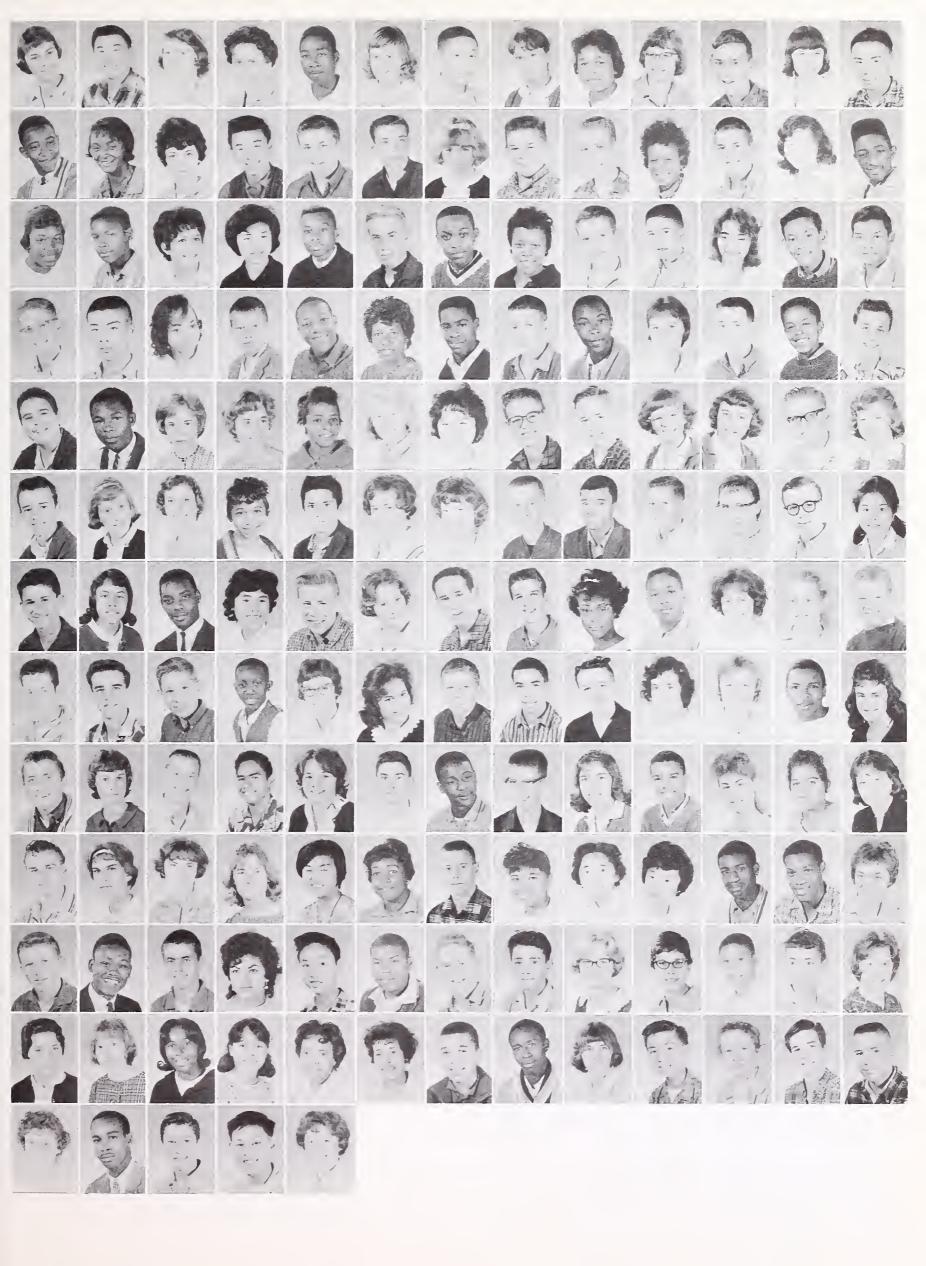
Another semester here at Berkeley High School has gone by, and I am sure that the students of the fall H-10 class are glad to see the fruits of our labors which bring us nearer our goals. I feel our class has progressed very well this semester, because we have two of the most important things a successful class must have; spirit and unity. This semester has been a very profitable one for our class financially. We made money at our slope concession, football games, Fun-Nite and the sophomore dance (Madri Gras).

I would like to thank Mr. Nealson, Mr. Okerstrom and our class sponsor, Mr. Fiedler, for their help.

I'm sure that when all of us have chosen our major paths for life, we will be reminded of the words of Will Rogers who wrote, "Those were the good o'd days, but darn it, any old days were great old days. Even the tough ones, after they were over, you can look back on with great memories."

Sincerely, Jim Barter H-10 President Fall, 1961







LOW SOPHOMORES

L-10 CLASS OFFICERS

President Francis Choy

Vice-President . . . Mark Dinaburg

Secretary Sue Hawkes

Treasurer Stan Nakahara

Social Secretary . . . Vergie Lewis

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In our first semester at B.H.S. our class has shown that it is not only big in size but also in spirit. This spirit was shown by the work done for our concessions (soup, and peanuts), Fun-Nite concession (French fries), Soph Hop (Mardi Gras), and our work on a new student directory.

Our class members have all made many new friends and are looking forward to two and a half more enjoyable years at B.H.S. Many have joined group activities and are becoming part of the school.

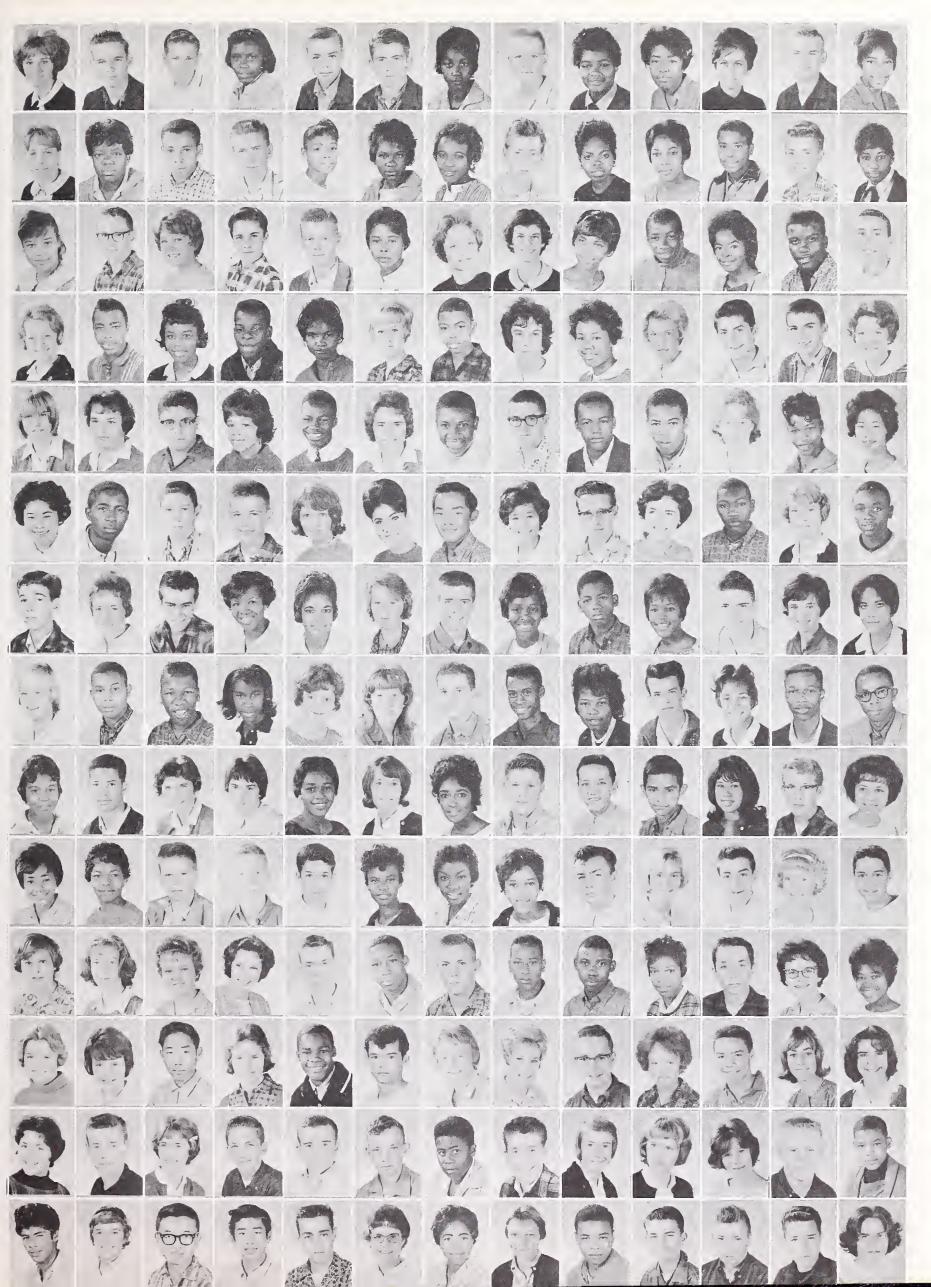
I would like to thank Mr. Nealson and all our class sponsors, especially Mr. Costarella, for the time and advice they have given.

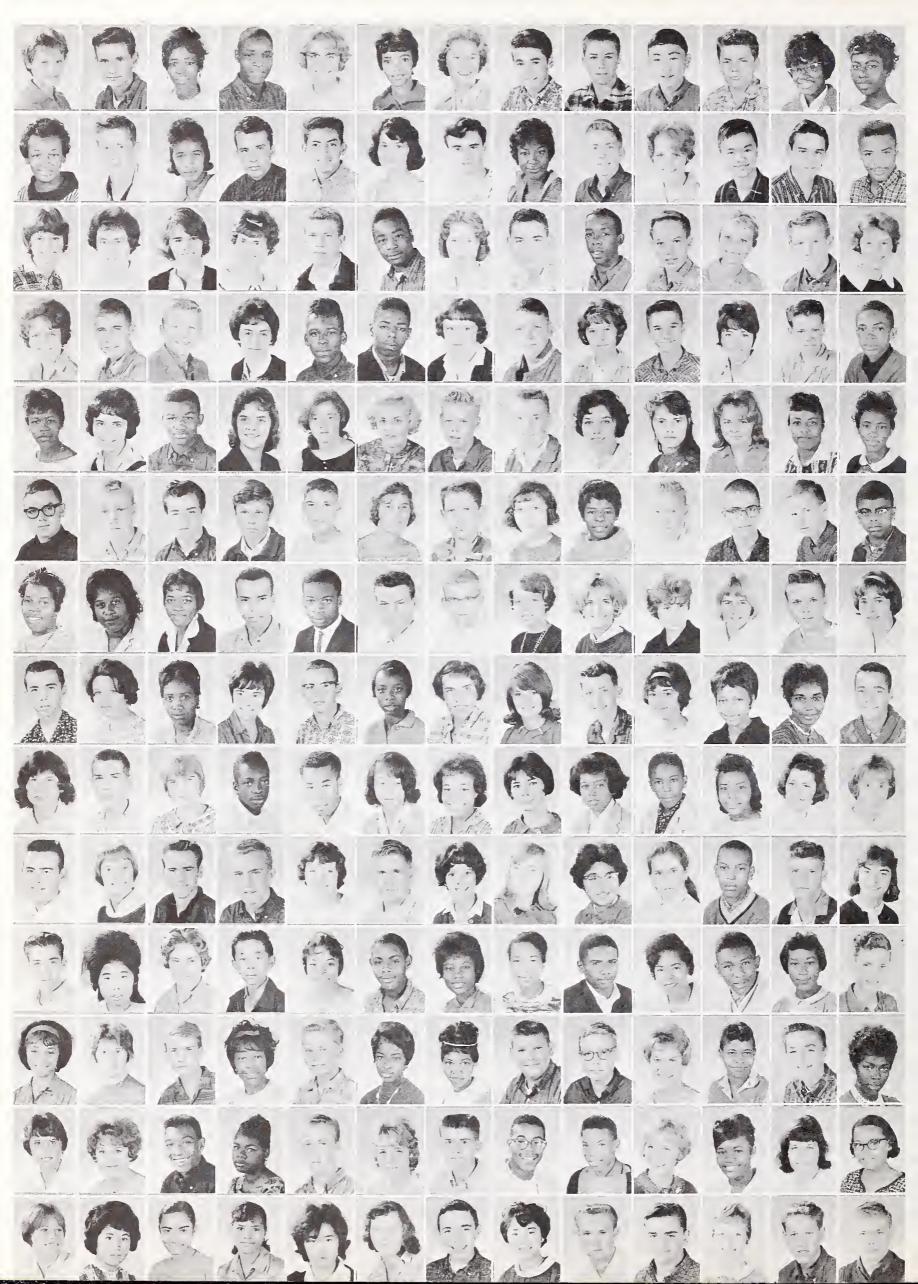
I, as president, really enjoyed working with our enthusiastic and diligent council in serving my class. They have all worked hard to make this a successful semester and I'm grateful.

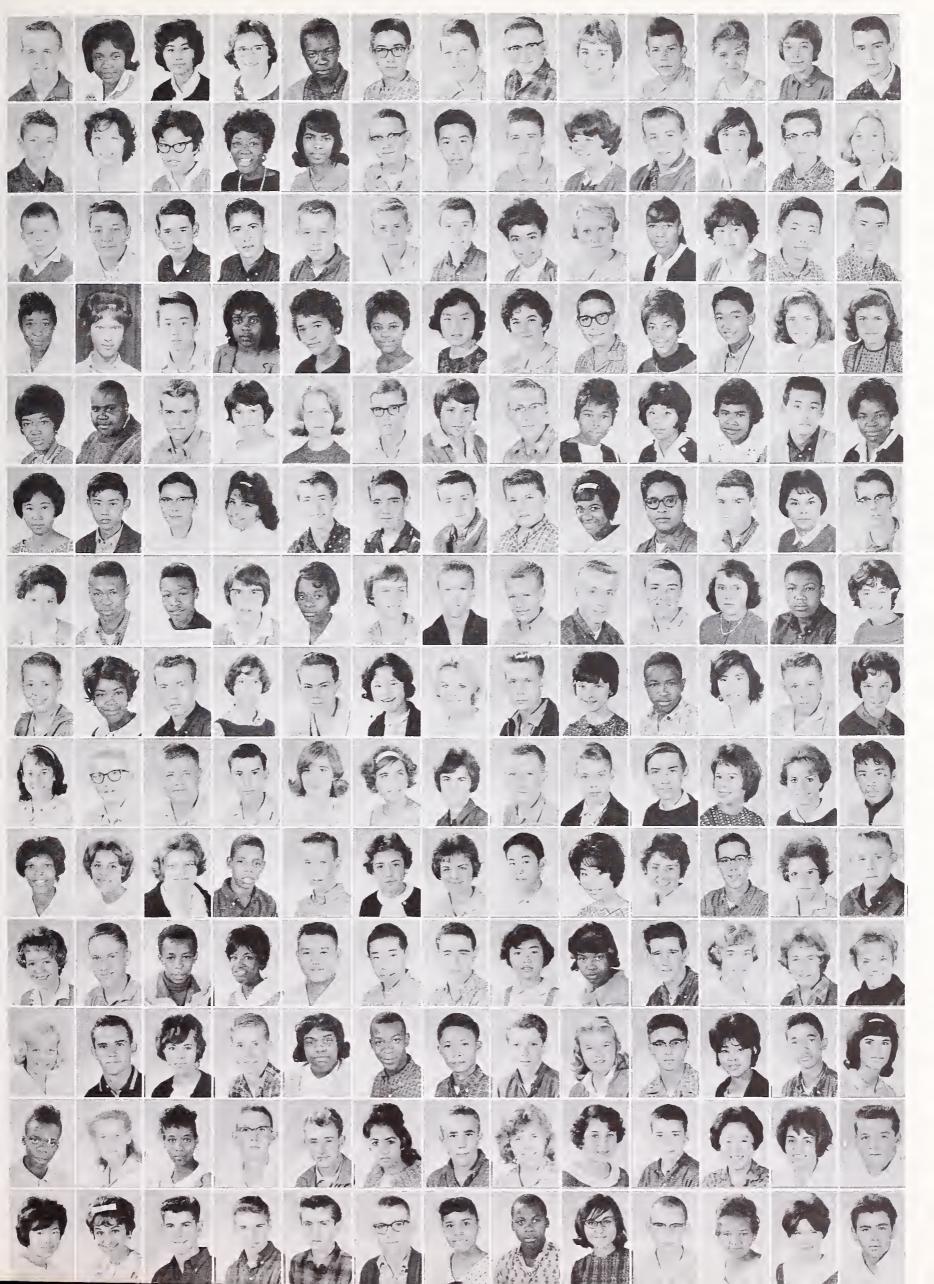
I would like to thank the class for giving me the privilege and honor of being their president. It was an enjoyable and profitable experience.

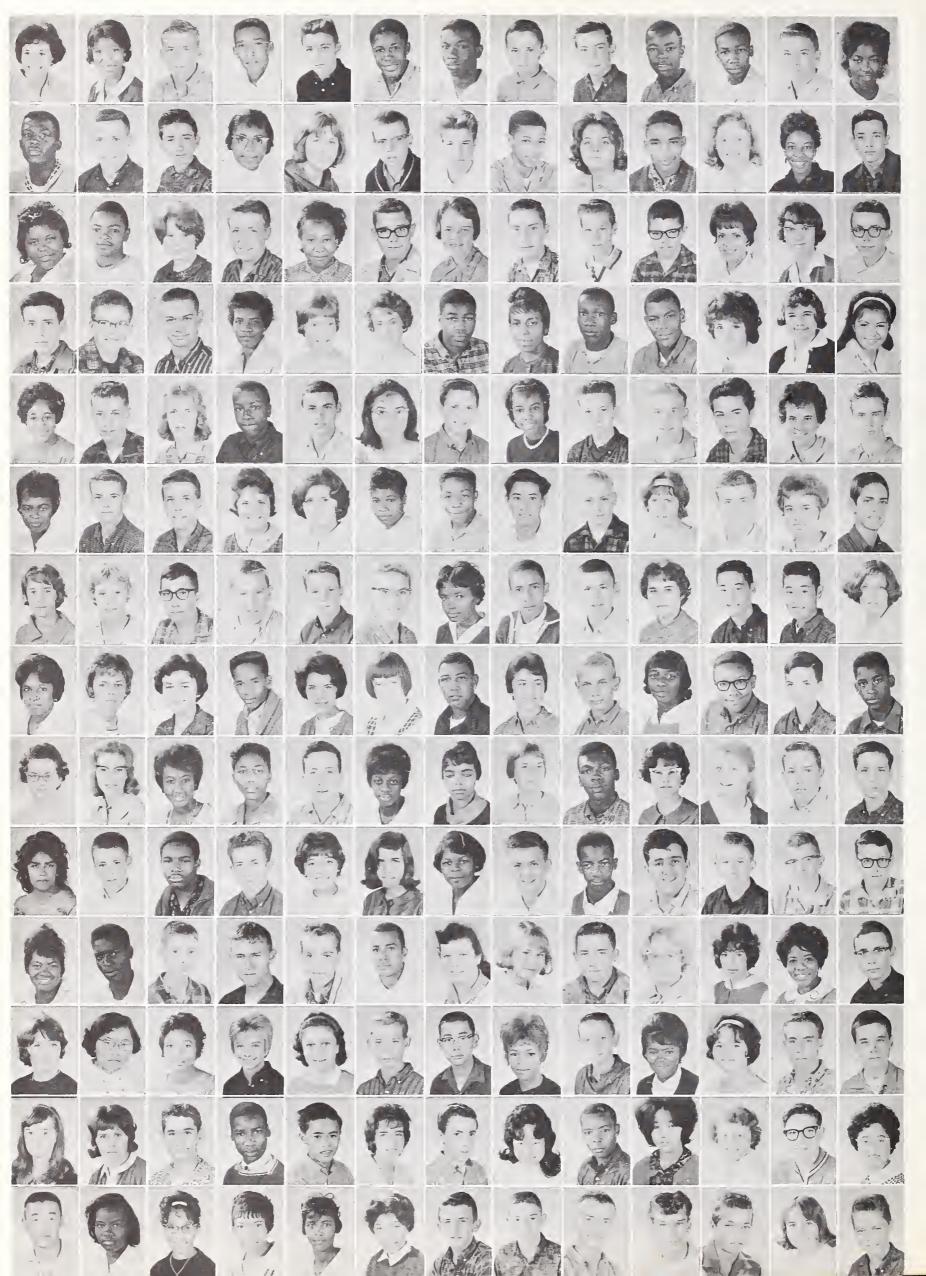
Thanks again, Francis Choy L-10 President Fall, 1961









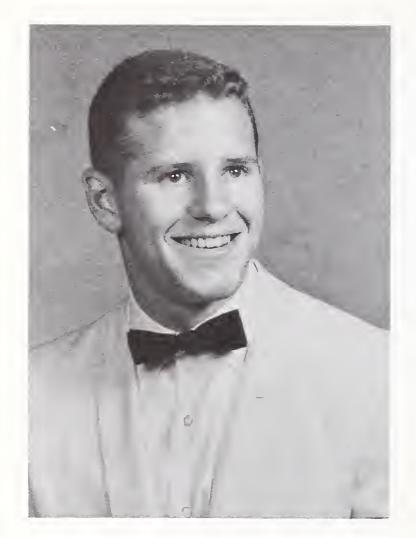








GOVERNMENT



Robert Liner Student Body President

Board of Control



Mr. Nealson Sponsor

When I began my term of office in September, I anticipated the work which would be involved, but underestimated the extent to which my burden would be lightened by others. I cannot imagine where one could find more willing hands, more warm hearts, than among the students and faculty of Berkeley High School.

Each semester, I have noticed that the outgoing president pays tribute in his message to some of our faculty members; now I know why! In response not to formality, but to a feeling of respect, admiration, and genuine affection, I would like to express my gratitude to those with whom I have had opportunity to work most closely: Mr. Curtice, Mr. Nealson, Mrs. Schwimley, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Lutt, Mr. Haynes, Mr. Okerstrom, Mrs. Harlamoff, and Mrs. Gordon. Without these people, and many more, my job would have been impossible, and school would be unbearably monotonous for all of us.

If any president has ever been blessed with a finer Board of Control than it was my pleasure to work with this semester, I would certainly like to hear about it. That may sound trite, but it's the truth. There was no argument simply for the sake of argument; there were no decisions made with selfish motives. Every person felt and responded to a sense of responsibility which extended beyond personal interest. We attempted to act wisely, both to provide for this semester and its needs, and to insure next semester's board of sufficient funds to eliminate the necessity for any school-wide fund-raising drive.

If a semester slips by without controversy over something, it is most likely because nothing significant has taken place. I believe you would agree with me in saying that the activity and debate generated this semester by the Daily Jacket's new policy has been educational for all of us. Letters were written to the editor, a new student-run publication was born, and nearly everyone learned more about the practical functioning of a democratic society and the newspaper business. We found that reasoning on behalf of the common good will generally meet with respect, but having earned respect, we must remain willing to listen to reason.

Throughout this semester I have received from you friendship, helpful criticism, and directional advice; I have been met by countless, reassuring smiles. If this semester has taught me one thing above all else, it has taught me to be more appreciative of people; if it has given me a lasting feeling about Berkeley High School and its student body, it is a feeling of profound respect.

Respectfully, Bob Liner

Steve Casey Vice-President Kathy Rhoda Secretary





Neil Enkema Treasurer

Tom Barter H-12 President

Robert Lewis L-12 President





Gary Lindquist H-II President

Linda Lym L-11 President

Jim Barter H-10 President









Francis Choy L-10 President







Gayle Evans G.A. President

Eric Brown Rally Chairman

Jane Railton Sr. Friend Chairman

John Krueger Head Yell Leader







Ruth Welles G.A.A. President

Robert Fox Block B President

John Spitzer Honor Society President





Olga Hendrickson Jacket Editor

Shireen Mayeri D.M.S. Representative



Gayle Evans G.A. President

G.A. PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Serving as Girls' Association President has been a very rewarding experience for me. There are so many of you I never would have met if it had not been for the Girls' Association. It makes me sad to think that I have to leave.

This past semester has been full of events. The L-10's and new girls were welcomed in the Little Theatre. We made money from our Fun-Nite concession and by selling lollipops at the football games.

The G.A. Dance "Bewitched" was held in the Social Hall. Ghoulish witcheads looked down upon the many couples who were dancing.

A Fashion Show, held the last week before Christmas vacation, gave us some good ideas of what to buy with our Christmas money.

I would like to thank the faithful G.A. Representatives Jane, Ruth and Mrs. Ulry, Mrs. Schwinley, Mr. Lutt. Cindy, Val, Carole and Sharon for their help always so willingly given. I hope that each of you may find all the happiness you desire. I can't help but think of those words by Abraham Lincoln "No man is happy who does not think himself so."

Sincerely,
Gayle Evans
Girls' Association President
Fall '61



Mrs. Ulry Sponsor



GIRLS' ASSOCIATION

Cindy Brown Vice-President



Val St. John Secretary



Carole Saarni Treasurer



Sharon Carter Social Secretary



12th Grade G.A. Council

11th Grade G.A. Council





10th Grade G.A. Council

RALLY COMMITTEE



Eric Brown, Chairman

This semester's Rally Committee has participated in a wide variety of activities. We gave assistance at all football games, home and away, and participated in the first round of the basketball season. At many school activities we sold soft drinks which added to our treasury.

Through the Rally Committee I have made many new friendships, many of which will last throughout the years. Mr. Nealson, our sponsor, gave unselfishly of his time and for this we thank him. As we leave behind three years of memories, we are proud to have represented Berkeley High as members of the Rally Committee. Our only hope is that the future generations of committeemen will continue the fine tradition set by past committees.

I would like to thank every member of the committee and especially my assistants, Martin Stryker, Bob Hollis, and Jeff Wachter, for giving me their complete cooperation throughout the semester. I hope our paths will cross again.

Eric Brown

FRONT ROW, left to right: Dennis Chan, Alan Barr, Max Marutani, Herb Johnson III, Bob Hollis, Gary Fong, Jeff Wachter, Uldis Zebergs, John E. Allen, John Morton, Drew Russell, Martin Stryker, Steve Bailey, SECOND ROW: Bill Bovich, Rick Finch, Mike Imamura, Bob Patrum, Jerry Brown, Eric Brown, Robin Jackson, Mark McLeod, Joel Witkin, Lynn Mahoney, John Spitzer, Bill Jones, Cliff Gustafson, Tony Rollins, George Crist.



Jane Railton Chairman

This semester the Senior Friends have done their best to carry out the motto of "Service and Friendship." The first few weeks in the fall were by far the busiest, when Senior Friends proctored, aided new teachers, and in general helped with many jobs around the school. One of our most pleasant duties was welcoming the many new girls to Berkeley High and introducing them to new friends and activities. A different duty initiated this year for Senior Friends was the collection of attendance slips.

The Senior Friends form an integral part of the Girls' Association. Some of the activities we did together this semester included the L-10 Welcome; the G.A. Dance, *Bewitched*; and the sale of lollipops.

SENIOR FRIENDS



Mrs. Ulry, Sponsor

Being a Senior Friend entails many responsibilities, but it also offers several privileges. One of the most enjoyable of these is being able to usher at nearly all of the events occurring in the Community Theater.

The helpfulness and cooperation, willingness and thoroughness of all the girls made my work much lighter. I would especially like to thank my cochairmen, Penny Brogden and Judy Jochums for sharing this responsibility with me, and Mrs. Ulry for her invaluable direction and advice.

It has been a true pleasure to work with all of you in making this a successful and profitable semester. I sincerely wish all of you the best for the future.

> Jane Railton Senior Friend Chairman

FRONT ROW, left to right: Henrietta Ray, Betty Clinton. Lynn Guffy, Edith Hollander, Marty Page, Penny Brogden, Jane Railton, Judy Jochums, Lynn Gallagher, Vicki Hodge, Ann-si Li, Kay Chan, Dolores Turner, Janice McCoy, SECOND ROW: Lynn Caldow, Rita Wong, Maureen Weimers, Bonnie Gavey, Jennifer Watkins, Ronda Wilson-Reid, Wendy Philbrick, Leslie Shelly, Kathy Steedman, Elaine Yokoyama, Nancy Byce, Ruth Ann Robie, Melinda Mapes, Shirlie Odom, Miriam Osmond, Joan Tschierschky, Bonnie Clark, Lindy Johnson, THIRD ROW: Mrs. Ulry, Kathy Marshall, Karen Graves, Maylin Harnden, Carole Cayot, Cynthia Jones, Val St. John, Liz Parrish, Katie Finlavson, Marie Spengler, Mary Ann Drop, Judy Yaffee, Kathie Kobely, Kathy Rhoda, Shireen Mayeri, Pat Martyn, Alice Weldon.



John Spitzer President

HONOR SOCIETY



Wendy Philbrick Vice-President



Jennifer Watkins Secretary-Treasurer

H.S. MESSAGE

This year's Honor Society has taken the first steps in a greater integration into school activities. The Honor Society cannot stand aloof from the rest of the school; it cannot be merely a means of getting a privilege card. It must, as a unit, be a real part of school life. The privileges Honor Society members enjoy can only be taken if they assume the responsibilities which accompany them.

This semester we have begun an expansion of our tutoring services and have started an after-school lecture series. Honor Society has also continued its traditional activities, such as, a Fun-Nite concession, and hatchecking at the community theatre to raise money for scholarships.

I hope that the increased activity of this year's Honor Society will start a trend which will result in enthusiastic participation of the Honor Society in school life.

My thanks to Wendy, Jennifer, Kipp and Martha, my officers, whom I managed to persuade to do most of the work.

John Spitzer



Martha Oliphant Board Member



Kipp Dawson Board Member



Mr. Wenrich Advisor



Miss Repetto Advisor

C. S. F.



Edith Hollander Secretary-Treasurer



Kent Natsumoto Vice-President



Keith Postler President

C.S.F. MESSAGE

I would like to express my gratitude to C.S.F. for electing me to the position of C.S.F. president.

The members of C.S.F. can, at this time, remember the following activities: the college conference at Christmas time, a school college conference, and the initiation of some activity with another school chapter of C.S.F.

We can anticipate success with some activities that have proven successful in the past and also plan new activities which should prove to be just as successful.

> Keith Postler C.S.F. President

SEALBEARERS



SOCIETY

and

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HONOR SOCIETY and C. S. F.



HONOR SOCIETY





FIRST ROW, left to right: Pete Stroeve, Katie Finlayson, Mary Ann Drop, Joan Tschierschky, Shireen Mayeri, Dorene Lindstrom, Elinor Nathan, Janice McCoy, Sharon Carter. SECOND ROW: Bob Liner, Jim Leonard, Jerry Brown, Bruce Cowee, Doug Horner, Tim McCaughey, Michele Hill, Rocky Warner, Mr. Ehlers, Roger Scott. THIRD ROW: Dennis Chan, Earl Atkinson, Dick McFarland, Tom Jochums, Martin Stryker, Steve Casey, Mary Dunbar, Neil Enkema, Norm Delwiche.

SPEAKER'S BUREAU

The Speaker's Bureau this semester has been smaller than usual. Because we have had only one class we have been a closer-knit group, able to do more things. Each year the Bureau is asked to do many things unexpectedly. This term has been no exception.

We want to thank Mr. Ehlers for his unending devotion and eooperation. It has been my privilege to serve on the Speaker's Bureau this semester. It is a vital and necessary function of Berkeley High.

Neil Enkema, H-12

Tim McCaughey, Bruce Cowee, Bob Liner, Doug Horner, Steve Casey, Norm Delwiche, Neil Enkema.

Hi-Lites

Berkeley High is very fortunate in that we are one of the very few high schools having the opportunity to present our own radio show.

This past semester, the Berkeley Hi-Lites staff has endeavored to show glimpses of life in and around Berkeley High. This has been accomplished through interviews with campus personalities, editorials on various phases of school life, and presentations of talent and comedy featuring many Berkeley High students.

Our Hi-Lites staff wishes to thank Mr. Ehlers, our sponsor, radio station KRE, and the many other people who have made this program possible.

Very cordially yours Bob Liner, Steve Casey Coeditors





Melinda Mapes, Gary Fong, Lynn Gallagher, Alan Barr, Olga Hendrickson, Max Marutani, Lynn Caldow, Betty Clinton, Paula Finn, Judith Jochums, Douglas Horner, Gail Perry, Marie Spengler, Miss Smith.



Miss Smith

POD STAFF







Pod Salesmen



Top Pod Salesmen John E. Allen—180 Suzy Reed—150



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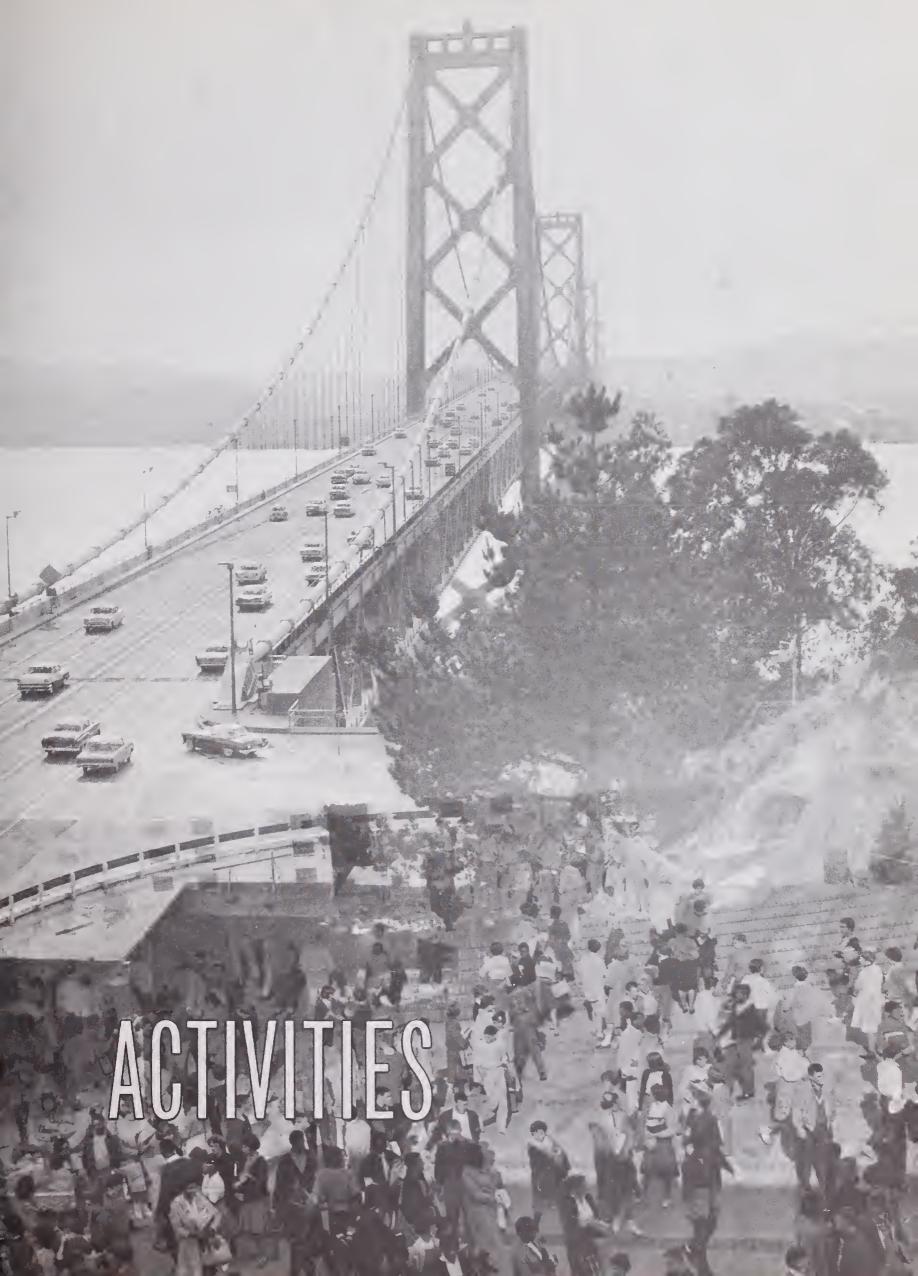
Mr. D. G. Wright Jacket Advisor













A.F.S. CLUB

"Walk together, talk together all ye people of the world. Then and only then shall ye have peace."

Last summer I had a unique opportunity to spend my vacation in Greece. During my visit I was fortunate enough to live with two outstanding Greek families, one in Patras and the other in Athens. I am sincerely grateful for the wonderful experience I had among the Greeks.

This year Berkeley has four students in the finals for the summer exchange program. Hopefully, Dan Bort, Gretchen Diehenkorn, Graig London and Cynthia Postler will be spending their summer vacation in foreign lands.

On hehalf of the A.F.S. club I would like to express our thanks to our community and faculty sponsors, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Jurs and Mrs. Walker for their direction and support throughout the semester.

It is my hope that as students become more aware of the world around them this program will continue to grow in numbers and effectiveness. I trust that global peace and understanding might not he a vague dream for the distant future but a growing reality as we strive daily to learn and live in patience, empathy, and love—may it begin with us at B.H.S.

Monika Sachse Neil Enkema President



Neil Enkema
A.F.S. President



In summer 1960, during our six-week school vacation, I heard from the American Field Service for the first time in my life. I became interested in its program of exchanging students from different countries to support understanding and friendship.

With ahout 350 other students from Berlin I took my chance. Finally I was one of the 19 chosen. And now it is reality, and I like to thank all of you, who made my heing here for one year possible. I am happy and feel like a member of your community, though my way of life changed completely since moving from West-Berlin to Berkeley.

I want to take this occasion to give my thanks to all of you. Living here, and learning with and from you, is the greatest experience for me. I hope that in this way too, I am able to bring nearer to you Berlin and Germany with both its cheerful and sad sides.

Thank you Monika Sachse

It was during one of the regular days of school when the idea that would change the course of my life came to my mind. I read on the Bulletin Board the announcement about the A.F.S. program for International Scholarships. The possibility of coming to the U.S.A. was in my hands. Now I had to be selected from among many, in order to come. I felt very happy when I learned that I was among the students who would probably come from Coroba. I must confess that I was so excited that I couldn't even study, waiting for the final answer.

At last it came, my dreams had become reality. I have been here for two months and a half. I see that I have been very lucky to come to this place where the people are so friendly and kind and where I'm having such a wonderful time.

Each day is a new experience for me. making new friends, learning new things at school, improving my English, knowing more about the U.S.A., and feeling a little part of it.

Now. I only have to thank each one of you who have made my coming possible, and I hope to make my stay in the United States as profitable as possible for me and for my country.

Thank you Emilio Barioneuevo

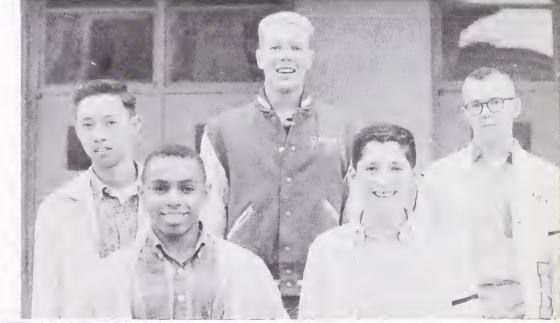






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CINEMA SOCIETY

SAFETY COMMITTEE







BACK ROW, left to right: Joan Richardson, Francisco Newman, Linda Schacht. FRONT ROW: John Krueger, Brian Sungar.

This last semester has been full of ups and downs. The Pep Club, which started off with an attendance of around 250 spirited and eager students quickly diminished to an average attendance of 30 to 40 people. There were only a hundred or so students who showed a lot of spirit in attending every game, rain or shine, throughout a not too successful season.

At the San Leandro game, the team was trailing by about twenty points when our small-but spirited group of rooters finally made it to the game. They had an immediate effect on the team. San Leandro was shoved back on their heels and almost upset by the Berkeley team.

The Berkeley High Marching Band was one of the (if not the) biggest spirit-building organizations this last semester. Their half-time shows were tremendous and the spirit they showed during the game was tops.

The Pompon Girls may not have made a lot of noise but they sure added a lot to the color and interest to the games.

Despite the ups and downs, my office of Head Yell Leader, and that of my four hard-working and spirited companions, has been a very enjoyable one.

Thanks for the opportunity of serving you and let's see the school spirit improve in the years to come.

John Krueger

Marty Geraci, Claudia Reay, Betty Ehrhardt, Shelley Smith, Lindy Johnson, Janice Wong.





PEP CLUB





Charles McNear, Quarterback



Curtis Frazier, Right Half



Felix Reese, Fullback



Len Haraguchi, Punter



Dan Aldrich, Center







Lewis Hall, Line























Ollie Usher, Line

Steve Bogart, Line











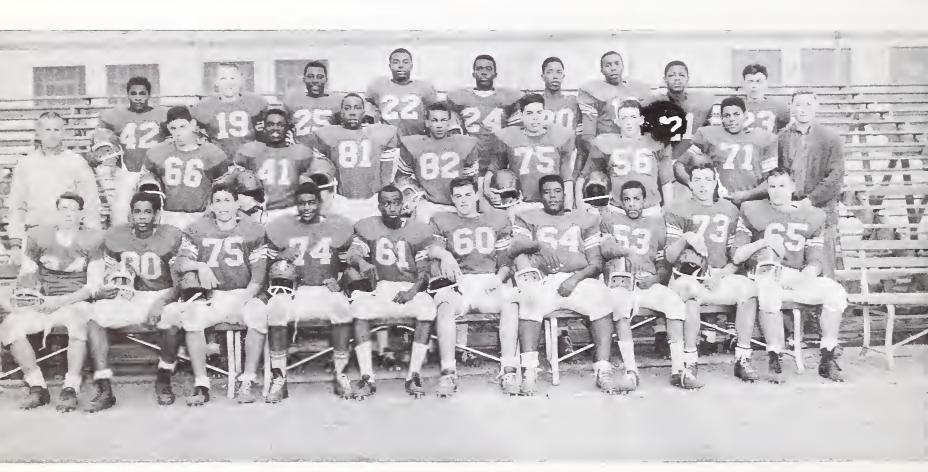




VARSITY FOOTBALL

Berkeley	6	Vallejo	6
Berkeley	19	Encinal	26
$\mathbf{Berkeley}$	7	De Anza	6
Richmond	12	Berkeley	14
Ells	36	Berkeley	6
Berkeley	7	El Cerrito	2 0
San Leandro	21	Berkeley	13
Berkeley	3 3	Pacific	7
Alameda	2 0	Berkeley	0

Win-3 Lost-5 Tie-1



SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL

Berkeley	13	Encinal	7
Berkeley	14	De Anza	0
Richmond	13	Berkeley	14
Ells	7	$\mathbf{Berkeley}$	13
Berkeley	43	El Cerrito	0
San Leandro	28	Berkeley	20
Alameda	7	$\mathbf{Berkelev}$	20
Berkeley	7	Pacific .	26

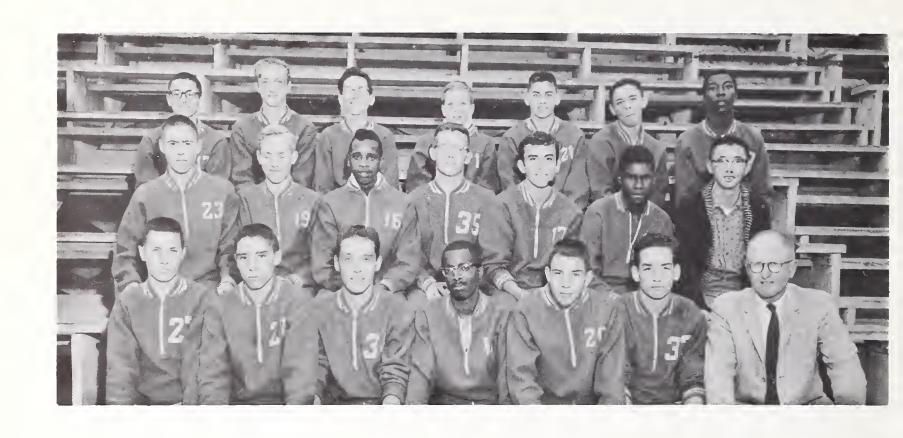


JUNIOR VARSITY

Vallejo	27	Berkeley 0
Encinal	26	Berkeley 19
De Anza	0	Berkeley 7
Berkeley	0	Richmond 7
Berkeley	33	Ells 0
Berkeley	10	El Cerrito 0
Berkeley	0	San Leandro 13
Berkeley	0	Alameda 38
Pacific	13	Berkeley 14

Win—4 Lost—5





CROSS-COUNTRY





INTRAMURALS

GYMNASTICS





WATER POLO







RECREATIONAL SWIMMING

GRADUATING LETTERMEN



Steve Bailey, Gymnastics



Tom Barter, Football



Bill Bovich, Baseball



Dennis Chan, Football Manager



Neil Enkema, Basketball



Bob Fox, Football and Swimming



Robin Jackson, Football



Bill Jones, Gymnastics



Bob Liner, Gymnastics



Bob Patrum, Football and Swimming



Martin Stryker, Football

MISSING George Crist, Swimming Lowell Yamashita, Swimming



BLOCK "B"

Bob Fox President

As the spring semester drew to a close, and the new officers of the B.O.C. were elected and appointed, B.H.S. began to look forward to the coming summer and the fall semester to follow.

At this same time the Block B had only a small percentage of its members on hand at its semiannual dinner when its officers were elected. The dinner was declared outstanding by those who were present. Newly elected vice-president, Bob Patrum and secretary-treasurer Tom Jochums, as well as Mr. Wilson and I began immediately to look forward to next fall's banquet, hoping that more members would be present.

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The fall semester began with the sale of football-schedule pencils. With the sale of orange juice bars at the basketball games and a successful "Fun-Nite" concession, the treasury should be well in order at this semester's close.

Mr. Wilson's organizational help and advice, the assistance of the officers, together with the vigor displayed by its active members has made the Block B a success this fall. With the support of the student body, and a growing enthusiasm on the part of its members, an even greater success will be assured the Block B in the future.

It has indeed been a pleasure to represent the Block B on the B.O.C. this fall.

Thank you, Bob Fox Block B President

BLOCK B



CIRCLE "B"



Paul Wilcox Circle B President

The Circle B began its activities this fall with Fun-Nite. We did very well with our booth

last year and hope to do as well this year.

This year the Circle B will continue to present the Ernie Tamar Scholarship to one of our graduating Circle B members.

I would like to thank Dennis Tominaga. vice-president; Peter Won, secretary; Jim Leonard, treasurer; Jim Agrusa. sergeant-at-arms; and above all our sponsor, Mr. Gomez, for their help this past semester.

It has been a privilege, as well as a pleasure to serve as Circle B president.

Paul Wilcox

Circle B President

CIRCLE B





Ruth Welles G.A.A. President

G.A.A. PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This semester the G.A.A. has provided after-school clubs, meets with other schools. and sponsored a Volleyball Day, sold pompons, ran a booth at Fun-Nite, participated in the San Francisco State College Playday, held a playday of our own, and installed our new officers for the Spring semester of 1962.

Many of our members helped with the L-10 Swim Meet, the Basic Basketball Tournament, and participated in the annual swim show. We have also made two new additions to our curriculum: a swim team and a tennis team, which have been competing with other schools during the semester.

I wish to thank my fellow officers—Rosemary LePage, Susan Ricks, and Mary Bevan—and to extend my appreciation to our sponsor, Mrs. Yukic, for all the help they have given this semester. I am also grateful to the gym teachers for their assistance during the term.

Thank you for making this such a successful season.

Ruth Welles G.A.A. President



G.A.A.

Rosemary LePage Vice-President



Susan Ricks Secretary



Mrs. Yukic Sponsor



Mary Bevan Treasurer



G.A.A.

G.A.A. COUNCIL







JR. DANCE CLUB

BADMINTON CLUB



CLUBS

TENNIS TEAM





TENNIS CLUB

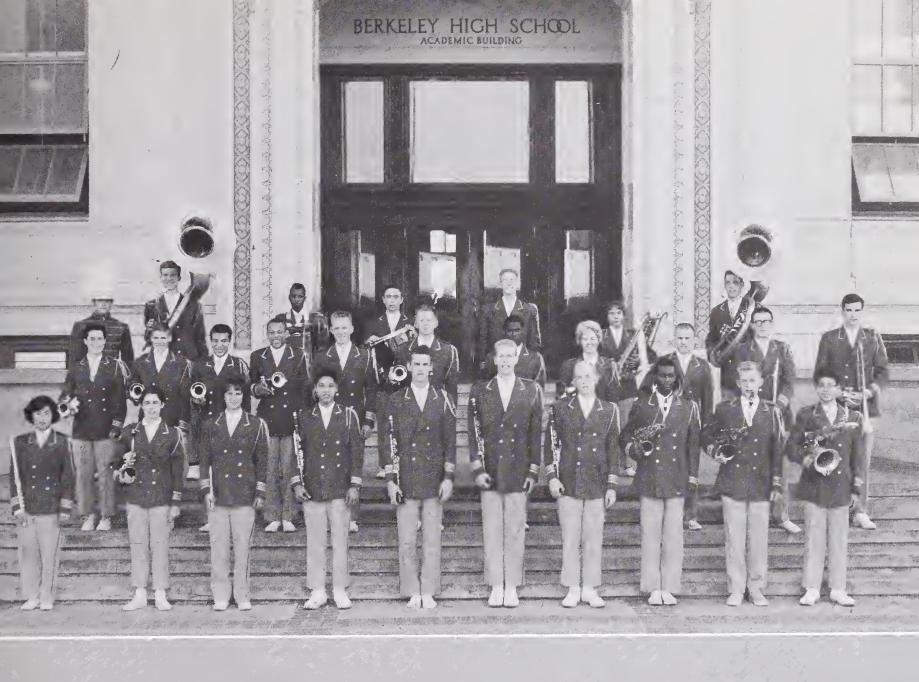






BEGINNING RECREATION SWIM





ARTS















B.H.S. Senior Class Presents

THE BOY FRIEND

By SANDY WILSON

MAISIE Lindy Johnson, Tami Schafer
DULCIE Kae Finch, Melinda Mapes
FAY Kathy Marshall, Lynn Gallagher
NANCY Judy Jochums, Alice Weldon
MADAME DUBONNET Sylvia Verhoogen, Penny Brogden
HORTENSE Shireen Mayeri, Jane Railton
POLLY BROWN
BOBBY VAN HUSEN Mark Kittredge, Neil Enkema
PERCIVAL BROWNE
TONY
LORD BROCKHURST Steve Casey
LADY BROCKHURST Frances Waen, Kathy Rhoda
WAITER
GENDARME Jack Simon

ACCOMPANISTS

Bob Strizich The B.H.S. Dance Band Mr. Lutt

Earle Atkinson Bob Basinger Bob Carson Pudge Dutton Dean Gracia Chris Haugen Gordon Jackson Chris Jarrett Jon Kip Raymond Lindsay Alan Park Paul Partridge

SPECIALTY DANCERS.

GIRL FRIENDS

Marie Spengler

Marty Horning

Jackie Lloyd

Vicki Morison

Lynn Caldow

Pat Faulkner

Paula Finn

Lynn Guffy

BOY FRIENDS

Roger Scott
Mark McLeod
George Crist
Martin Stryker
Tony Rollins
Eric Brown
Tom Barter
John Durantini

Steve Bailey Penny Brogden Janice McCoy Gene Lovelace

THE SCENES

ACT I The drawing-room of the Villa Caprice (Madame Dubonnet's school for young ladies)

ACT II La Plage (the Beach)—That afternoon

ACT III The terrace of the Cafe Petaplon—That night





THE MIKADO

CAST OF CHARACTERS

The Mikado of Japan
Nanki-Pooh, his son Alan Bridges
Ko-Ko, Lord High Executioner of Titipu James Williams
Pooh-Bah, Lord High Everything Else Tom Ostwald
Pish-Tush, a noble lord Terry Bain
Yum-Yum Wards) Nancy Rechen
Pitti-Sing Gayle Evans
Peep-Bo Victoria Wilkins
Katisha, an elderly lady in love with Nanki-Pooh Linda Seran Umbrella Man

CHORUS OF SCHOOL GIRLS

Janice Black Elizabeth Chesterman, Gretchen Diebenkorn Alice Gerner Julia Hill, Betty Howell, Deniece Johnson, Shireen Mayeri, Miriam Osmond, Johanna Riddlebarger, Susan Swindig, Frances Waen, Kathy Warren, Gloria Anthony, Carole Cayot, Joyce Gillette, Kathy Hamel, Maylin Harnden, Dorene Lindstrom, Lynnda Mankin, Gail Meisenheimer, Elinor Nathan, Patsy Robinson, Ann Sarzin, Beverly Taylor, Dolores Turner.

CHORUS OF NOBLES

Dan Bort, Jerry Brown, Howard Broom, Cordie Davis, Russ Hayward, Bernie Heeder, Manuel Jordan, Steve Kidder, Don Marshall, Fred Tarr, Leonard Audo, Allen Barker, Ron Chisum, Dave Fabun, Alan Hall, Roger Haseltine, James Harris, Eric Partch, John Rumsey, Sergio Scherr.

MEMBERS OF THE ORCHESTRA

Violins: Virginia Fattaruso*, John Langford*, Yvonne Bernklau, Steve Breslow, Verna Green, Peter Hansen, Susan Hatfield, Michael Imamura, Bea Kinkead. Dan Lindheim, John Tenney. Violas: Anne Haynes, Betty Michener. Cellos: Steve Sharnoff*, Norman Bliss, Bill Boepple, Lee Duckles, Barbara Lockwood, Sarah Wasley. String Basses: Lee Denny, Martha Hanlin. Clarinets: Jon Kip*, Alan Hikoyeda, Donna Watson. Flutes: Cindy Postler*, Benji Borson, Ruth Suzuki. Oboes: Lenore Friedman*, Larry Harding. Bassoons: Will Carpender*. Patty Hatfield. Trumpets: Steve Debnam*, Bob Basinger. French Horns: Bob Cross*, Charles Darden, Elan Rosenquist. Trombones: Barry Ehrlich, Pat O'Hara, Keith Postler. Percussion: Kathic Fredericks.
*Denotes section leader



THEATRE ORCHESTRA

CONCERT ORCHESTRA





DANCE BAND

This semester's dance band has been one of the best ever assembled at B.H.S. Although some of our members had previously had little dance band experience, and despite the loss of some of our musicians due to graduation, we have been steadily progressing toward our goal of greater musical unity.

This semester, the Dance Band played for several assemblies and the G.A. Dance, "Bewitched." We also performed for "Youth Night" at the new YMCA, and supplied the music for "The Boyfriend." In addition, the group received brandnew dance band uniforms. They're really "sharp," and we are all very proud of them.

I would like to add that all this would have been totally impossible without the aid of Mr. Lutt, who has devoted a great deal of his time and energy for the success of the Dance Band.

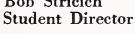
Bob Stricich

The Drama, Music, and Speech Council is a group of students representing the departments and acting as liaison between teachers, students, and administration.

This semester we did the publicity for the Christmas program, The Mikado. This included distribution of posters throughout Berkeley and various other needs for the musical program. We joined the assembly committee by aiding in the assembly tryouts.

I enjoyed representing the D.M.S. Council on the B.O.C. and wish to thank all the council members for their cooperation and fine participation. Together we thank Mr. Ehlers, our jovial sponsor, for all his help.

> Sincerely, Shireen Mayeri **B.O.C.** Representative





D.M.S. COUNCIL

CONCERT CHORALE



BEL CANTO CHOIR



AEOLIAN



HARMONEERS





PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Over the past few years the B.H.S. Band has grown not only in number but also in spirit and quality. Mr. Lutt's direction has thus given us many opportunities to be better musicians. However, all is not work, for the band members take great pride in being selected to play for many civic and national functions. As well as the Veterans parade and community concerts, many band member trips to Squaw Valley for the Olympics and to Disneyland. We look anxiously forward to similar adventures in the coming spring concert season. It is because of the spirit and unity characteristic of the band that it is an asset to student activities at Berkeley High.

Jeff Wachter B.H.S. Band President

PEP BAND













Emery J. Curtice Principal



Ray M. Hitch Vice-Principal



Willis S. Nealson Vice-Principal



Donald K. Akey Mathematics



Mrs. Carol S. Albright Business Education

























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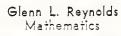






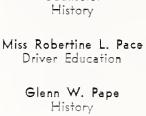








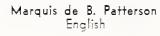
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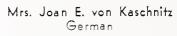








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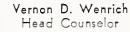
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Cox, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Labuzan.



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LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. C. A. Talley, Mr. H. E. Tally, Mr. Buettner.











BELLAMY AWARD, 1961



In the fall of 1959, Berkeley High School became the nineteenth proud recipient of the Francis Bellamy Flag Award. Given in memory of the author of our Pledge of Allegiance, the Bellamy Award is presented to one high school in the nation annually. California's schools will not come under consideration for another 48 years, but for several years to come, Berkeley High will send a representative to the school which is selected to receive the award.

In 1960 Vic Ichioka visited Cony High School, in Augusta, Maine, and this semester, it was my privilege to take part in the ceremonies at Topeka High School, Topeka, Kansas.

While in Kansas, it was my responsibility and great pleasure to act as a representative not only of Berkeley High, but also for the state of California. Before 3000 students and assembled guests, I was called upon to give a speech describing Berkeley High and the surrounding community. The speech was designed to make clear to them the many outstanding qualities which made our school worthy of being chosen out of all the schools in California to receive the award. I spoke specifically of our ideal location, the size and diversity of the student body, the fact that we publish a daily paper, the qualifications of our faculty, and the impressive achievements of our alumni.

Speaking personally, I cannot thank Berkeley High School enough for giving me this tremendous experience. Needless to say, I enjoyed myself, for the students and faculty of Topeka High School were wonderfully warm and friendly. I will never forget them, and especially the kindness of the family with whom I stayed.

The Bellamy Award Ceremony in Tokepa, Kansas was of national significance, as was demonstrated by letters of congratulations from Ex-President Eisenhower and President Kennedy. To be a part of such an event on behalf of the student body was a truly humbling experience and, to tell you the truth, slightly terrifying. I only hope that I have represented you well.

Respectfully,

A.S.B.H.S. President, Fall 1961

Bob Liner

THE HISTORY OF BERKELEY HIGH SCHOOL



BERKELEY HIGH IN 1902

In 1880, Berkeley High School consisted of seven pupils in a room of a grammar school. Gradually it began to grow, and in 1882 a complete study course was adopted. The first graduation exercise was held in June. 1883, with one student graduating. Four students received diplomas in 1884. At that time Berkeley High was placed on the accredited list by the State University. It was the first high school in California to be placed on this accredited list.

The cornerstone for the first building, the Grove Street building (which was demolished in 1938), was laid by the Grand Lodge of Masons on February 22, 1901. There were 500 students enrolled at Berkeley High School, but at that time it included the 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th-year classes. Each year the enrollment grew, and by 1909 there were 1,250 students. The ninth-year classes were moved back to the Junior High Schools in 1910.

A school orchestra, two debating societies, the Pod, and the Senior Play started in 1892: a newspaper in 1912.

Even without the 9th grade, the school needed new buildings. In March, 1919, bonds to the amount of \$429,000 were voted for the purchase of additional grounds and erection of new buildings. The area that was purchased was within the boundaries of Grove Street. Milvia Street, Channing Way and Bancroft Way.

Today the school covers about 17 acres, with 12 buildings and has an enrollment of 3,200 students.









