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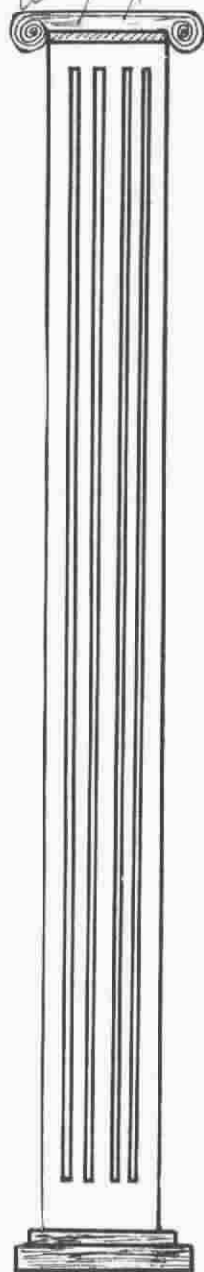
THE MOUNTAINEER

FLEISCHMANN'S HIGH SCHOOL

FLEISCHMANN'S, NEW YORK

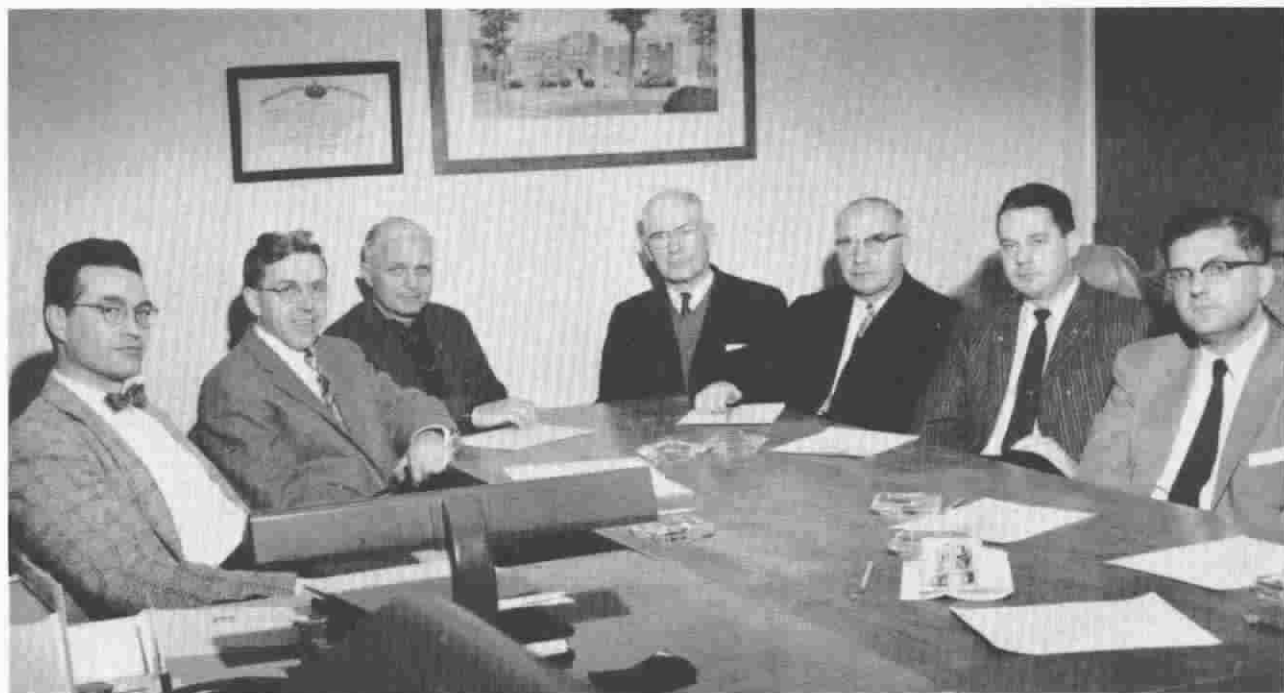


*Sandy,  
Best of luck  
in whatever you  
choose in the future.  
We've had some good  
times and we'll  
never forget.  
Mrs. McCann*



The Senior Class of 1959 is dedicating The Mountaineer to Mrs. Evelyn McCann, commercial teacher. Her fine personality and sense of humor have made her popular with the students. The Seniors wish to thank her for her understanding, and sincere advice.

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### BOARD OF EDUCATION

L. to R. Mr. Milton Valk, Mr. James Fuller. Mr. Howell T. Birdsall, Chairman, Mr. Melvin Carpenter, Acting Superintendent, Mr. Stanley Shaver, Mr. Robert Pultz and Dr. Abraham Rottkov, absent Dr. William Cohen and Mr Murray Mayes

The Board of Education is responsible for the spending of the tax money in the school district. Since these men sacrifice much time and effort to see that the quality of education is high in this school, the pupils of Fleischmanns owe them many thanks.



Mrs. June Valk, Secretary

Mr. Lawrence Gilmour, Principal



#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

We at Fleischmanns High School have tried to teach you industry, integrity and tolerance. If you have learned respect for yourself and for others, you should be destined for a happy adulthood.

*Dear Sandra -*

*I will be interested to know what you and your classmates do in the future. I have appreciated your eagerness to volunteer when help has been needed.*

*Sincerely,*  
*Mr. G.*



Front L. to R.: Mrs. Wilma Craft, Mrs. Eleanor Birdsall, Mrs. Laura Thompson.  
 Back L. to R.: Mrs. Dorothy Bouton, Mrs. Leora Kittle, Mrs. Phyllis Searle, Mrs. Fay Solomon.

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 Front L. to R.: Mrs. Maud Finch, Mrs. Evelyn Taber, Miss Sandra Boyden, Mrs. Evelyn McCann





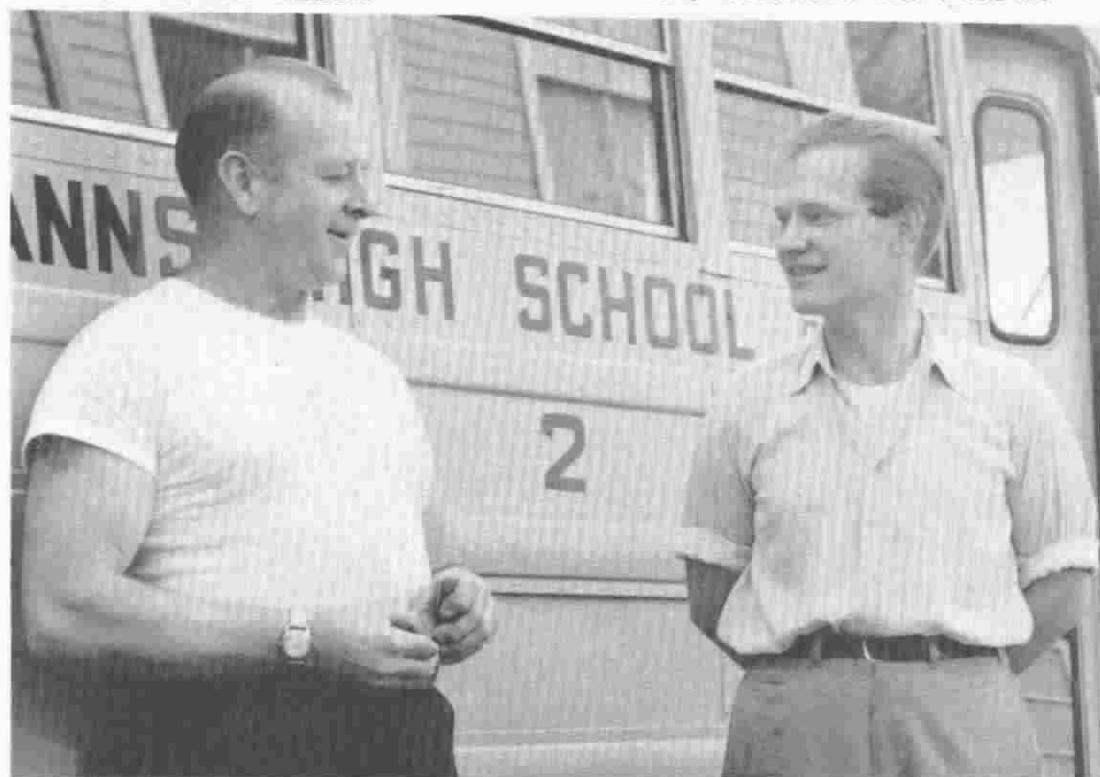
Mrs. Vera Craft

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# STAFF

Mr. Vernon Blish

Mr. Helmutt Marquardt





CAROLYN AUGUSTA CRAFT

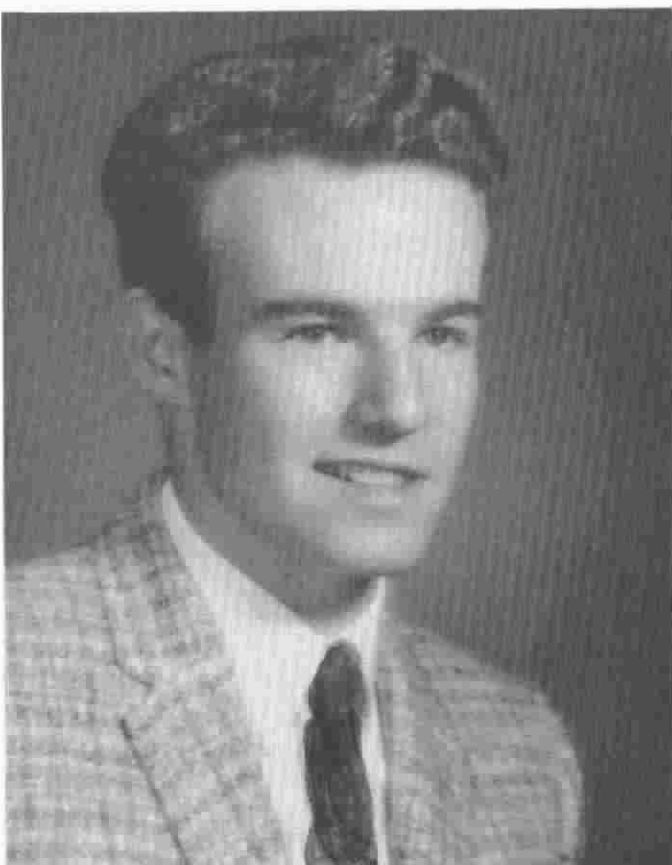
*Daddy -  
Always remember your period  
study hall - those giggles &  
seconds.  
Best of luck with John.*

*Cap!*  
Class Secretary 1  
Class Treasurer 4  
Senior Play 4  
Business Manager 2  
Soccer 1-3  
Delhi Concert 1-2  
Student Council 1,3,4  
Chorus 1-3  
Band 1-3  
Intramurals 1-3  
Cheerleading  
J.V. 1  
Varsity 2  
Newspaper 2

JANE ELIZABETH CRAFT

Chorus 1,2,3  
Flare 2  
Student Council 2  
Class Vice-President 2  
Girls Intramurals 3  
Fashion Show 1,2,3  
Senior Play 4





EUGENE MAURICE FINCH

Class President 4  
 Class Treasurer 3  
 Boy's State 3  
 Band 1,3  
 Chorus 3,4  
 Glee Club 3,4  
 Flare 4  
 Assistant Editor Yearbook 3

Sandy:

Never forget those  
 wise remarks, you know  
 I am not sincere. Keep  
 up with your "attitude"  
 and you're sure to find  
 happiness. Love

ESTHER VIRGINIA KELLY

Cheerleading 1-3  
 Soccer 1-2  
 Intramurals 1-2  
 Band 1-2  
 Chorus 1-3  
 Class Treasurer 1  
 Student Council 1-3  
 Fashion Show 1-2  
 Cafeteria Work 3

Sandy:

To a very sweet girl, best  
 of luck you and future with  
 John. Remember all the nice  
 time we have had in our 4 years



of high school then



JOAN ANN MORRISON

Yearbook Editor 4  
 Girls Chorus 1-3  
 Mixed Chorus 3  
 Art Editor 1  
 White Orange 1  
 Soccer 2  
 Flare 2,4  
 Student Council 2  
 Girls Intramurals 3  
 Delhi Concert 1,4  
 Senior Play 4  
 Fashion Show 1-3  
 Betty Crocker Award 4  
 Class Secretary 1,3,4

*Sandy,  
 Please forget your wonderful home,  
 and our long friendship, for right now  
 may you take all the success  
 your future years, in whatever you  
 do.  
 Love  
 Virginia*

VIRGINIA ELAINE TODD

Cheerleading  
 J.V. 1  
 Varsity 2-4  
 Student Council 1,2,4  
 Class President 2  
 Class Vice-President 1  
 Class Treasurer 3  
 Girls Chorus 1-4  
 Mixed Chorus 4  
 Senior Play 3,4  
 School Paper 3,4  
 Yearbook 3,4  
 Girls Soccer 2  
 Girls Intramurals 1,2  
 Cafeteria 4  
 DAR Award 4

*Sandy!  
 Best Wishes Always! Ginny*





SANDRA HELEN VERMILYEA

Cheerleading  
JV 1  
Varsity 2,4  
Class Vice-President 4  
Class Treasurer 2  
Soccer 1,2  
Girls Chorus 1-4  
Mixed Chorus 3,4  
Flare 4 High Notes 2  
Assistant Editor Yearbook 4  
Art Editor 1  
Delhi Concert 4  
Oneonta Tri-County Concert 4  
Senior Play 4  
Student Council 2  
Girls Intramurals 1,3  
White Orange 1  
Majorette 1-4  
Fashion Show 1-3

Sandra:

Best of Luck Always in everything  
you do, even running around town  
after green fords late at night.

Always remember the swell  
times we the Seniors had at D.H.S.

"Virginia"  
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# History

We started our Freshmen year with the following 14 students and our class advisor Mr. David McKay:

Janet Beland  
Thomas Bouton  
Francesse Carpenter  
Carolyn Craft  
Jane Craft  
Eugene Finch  
Dorothy Fuller

George Kelder  
Esther Kelly  
Irving Learner  
Joan Morrison  
Ruth Salzer  
Virginia Todd  
Sandra Vermilyea

The class was very active in sports with five girls on J.V. cheerleading and two boys on the J.V. team. During our Sophomore year our class enrollment dropped to seven students. Our only money earning project that year was a Juke Box dance in October. Our Junior year was a big success in spite of our small enrollment of eight students. During our junior year we sold magazines and a few participated in the Senior Play. In January of '58 six of us received our senior rings. Also while we were juniors we held two very successful dances, a Valentines Day dance "Sweetheart Swirl", and our junior prom, "Stairway to the Stars". In September of 1959 we started our final year at Fleischmanns High. During the beginning of our senior year we sold magazines. On November 14, we presented our senior play, "Come Out of The Closet" which was a huge success. On April 27, we left on our long awaited senior trip to Washington, D.C. There we stayed at the Annapolis Hotel. Now we are waiting for that long awaited day of June 19 when we will go out into the world as useful citizens.



# Prophecy

It is the year of 1969, and I see the class of 1959 are preparing for their annual reunion. This year it will be held on the moon, since they have all left the Catskills and found prosperity. Well, since the reunion starts at 9 p.m. and it's almost 8:30, guess I better blast off. I want to be there plenty early as I am hostess.

Well, here I am on the moon. I see the reporters of the Catskill Mountain News, as well as the other number one newspapers of the nation are on hand so as to interview the great Mr. Universe. What is that green object coming toward me? It's landing! And out steps Mr. Universe, Eugene Finch, our old friend, Hercules of '59. What gave the rocket the green appearance? Why, it's his souvenir 20 dollar bills. Now that everything has quieted down, I see a beautiful sparkle in the sky. Oh, it's B.B.(Sandy Vermilyea) and M.M. (Joan Morrison) of '69 arriving in their diamond studded rocket. The two farm girls finally broke away from the sticks. The Misses B.B. and M.M. have just finished their latest movie "Come Out of The Closet" directed by Alan Ingraham, a strange coincidence. Now I see a small blue object coming toward the moon. It must be the Navy. As the ship lands out steps Carolyn Craft and the three little sailors. I understand that Carolyn has her own ship the U.S.S Butch which is anchored near Buffalo. I now see a white rocket ship coming into view. What is that? A red cross? As the passengers alight Miss Esther Kelly is among them. She is accompanied by Mr. Miller, head nurse at Bellevue. Esther is happily raising little Millers in an apartment house in New York. And now making the reunion complete Miss Virginia Todd is arriving. She is putting her talent of being a landlady to good use. She is renting apartments on four planets and I might add doing very well. Now that everyone is here, I see that they are reminiscing the great year of '59 at good old Fleischmanns High School. The reporters of the Catskill Mountain News office are busy flashing pictures to take back and show the inhabitants of the Catskills.

# Last Will and Testament

I, Carolyn Craft, leave to my brother Eddie,  
the road to Davenport

I, Eugene Finch, leave my clever ways with  
the teachers to Walter Roberts

I, Esther Kelly leave to my sister Joyce.

a job in the cafeteria

I, Joan Morrison, leave to June Todd, all  
my good times in high school and my crown  
from the junior prom

I, Virginia Todd, leave to Clyde Barber  
my ability to get along with the teachers

I, Sandra Vermilyea, leave my ability as a  
majorette and title as "Most Likely  
to Succeed" to Carol Todd.

We the Seniors of 1959 in sound minds  
and true hearts leave the following:

To the Freshmen, the privilege of  
raiding the refrigerator.

To the Sophmores, our acting ability.

To the Juniors, we leave Washington  
better than we found it.



### JUNIOR CLASS

Front row L. to R. Karen Kornell, Rita Rivers,  
 Second row L. to R. Ronald Morse, Renee Cirami,  
 Alice Ballard, Frances Silberstein, Betty Fairlie,  
 Raymond Finch,  
 Last row L. to R. Mr. Sawyer, James Moseman, Bob  
 Todd, Richard Blish, Walter Roberts, Sam Fairlie,  
 John Brown, Eddie Craft.

This year the junior class consists of 17 students. The class officers are as follows:

President-Walter Roberts  
 Vice-President-Ronald Morse  
 Secretary-John Brown  
 Treasurer-Karen Kornell

The juniors class have had two activities this year. On November 7, they held a round and square dance featuring the Melody Boys. They also sold boxes of note paper with a picture of the school on the front of it.



### SOPHOMORE CLASS

Front row L. to R. Virginia Kelly, Sylvia Beers,  
Carol Todd, Shirley Ellis.

Second row L. to R. Linda Kelly, Mrs McCann,  
Carole Myers

Last row L. to R. Richard Finch, Donald Kelder,  
Gary Tait.

The Sophomore class, this year consists of 10 students. The class officers are as follows:

President-Carol Todd  
Vice-President-Carole Myers  
Secretary-Elwin Craft  
Treasurer-Gary Tait

The Student Council Representatives are Carol Todd and Carole Myers. The class has had several successful activities which included selling novelties.



### FRESHMEN CLASS

Front Row L. to R. Tommy Ballard, Lynn Brown, Vivian Salzer, Barbara Todd, Emily VanValkenburgh, and Jayne Renaldi.  
 Second Row L. to R. Elwin Bushnell, Richard VanValkenburgh, Georgianna Squires, Judy Stitham, Joyce Kelly, and Larry Tait  
 Last Row L. to R. Billy Todd, Keith Johnson, Clyde Barber, Michael Stitham and Mr. King

The freshmen class have sixteen students enrolled this year. Mr. King is their class advisor this year. The class officers are:

President-Clyde Barber  
 Vice-President-Lynn Brown  
 Secretary-Joyce Kelly  
 Treasurer-Joyce Kelly

The freshmen are represented in Student Council by Georgianna Squires and Judy Stitham.



### EIGHTH GRADE

Front row L. to R.: Mary Alice Moore, Ethel Decker  
 2nd. Row L. to R.: Marilyn Bouton, Rose Councilman  
 3rd. Row L. to R.: Gerri-Lou Buck, Sharon Pultz, Sandra  
                     Holcomb, Jean Ballard, Linda Barley,  
 4th. Row L. to R.: Stanley Geller, Mr. Ingraham Wayne Caswell.

This year the 8th grade consists of 15 students. The class officers are as follows:

President-Sharon Pultz  
 Vice-President-Geri Lou Buck  
 Secretary-Ethel Decker  
 Treasurer-Sandra Holcomb

Many of the students have been active in skiing and some of the boys have participated in sports.



### SEVENTH GRADE

Front Row L. to R. Marilyn West, Carolyn Guild, Shirley Craft,  
 Kathleen Finch, Kathleen Bouton, Joanne Slavin.  
 Second Row L. to R. Michael Renaldi, Harry Solomon, Nancy  
 Stitham, Malcom Fairlie, Ian Cohen, Bob Finch.  
 Third Row L. to R. Karl Mech, Roy Searle, Floyd Finch, Mr.  
 Ingraham, Steve Valk, Kevin Kornell.

The seventh grade started this year with seventeen students and Mr. Ingraham as the class advisor. The following officers were elected:

President-Kevin Kornell  
 Vice-President-Harry Solomon  
 Secretary-Karol Mech  
 Treasurer-Steven Valk

The seventh grade representatives in the Student Council are Joanne Slavin and Ian Cohen.



SIXTH GRADE

Sitting Left Danny Cantwell Douglas Buck,  
Robert Pultz,  
Sitting Right Colin Kelly, Benton Tait, Jim  
Miller.  
Standing L. to R. Allen Reynolds, Audrey Kelder,  
Joyce Walder, June Todd, Mrs Searle, Betty Slavin.

Sitting Left Jerome Balcom, James Eignor,  
Jeffery Slavin.  
Sitting Right David Moore, Mark Lipton, Anthony  
DiBenditto.  
Standing Left to Right Kaye Greene, Mary Lou  
Fuller, Valerie Fairlie, Scott Lucas, Floris  
Tick, Kathern McAdams.





FIFTH GRADE

Sitting L. to R. Joe Travis, Charlene Kelly, Charles Miller and  
Jeffrey Buck  
Standing L. to R. Ralph Myers, Joshua Cohen, James Travis and  
Mrs. Kittle

Sitting L. to R. Lyman Guild, Catherine Johnson and Randy Johnson  
Standing L. to R. Carson Finch, Patricia Lucas, Pamela Balcom,  
and Steven Barley





FOURTH GRADE

Sitting L. to R.: Billy Johnson, Marilyn Mayes, Janet Johnson, Bobby Van, Susanne Greene, Steven Karnes  
 Standing L. to R.: Ronald Gross, Ward Finch, Dennis Fairlie, Mrs. Craft, Linda Lakatoes.

Sitting L. to R.: Herbert Finch, John Hoeko, Margaret Vermilyea, Kathy Fuller, Pam Maxim, Brian Kelly.  
 Standing L. to R.: Jonathan Ballard, Diane Travis, Susan Todd, Joe Kelly and Elwin Hanely.





THIRD GRADE

Sitting L. to R. Freddie Myers, Kenneth Warnitz, Betsy Kelly,  
Charles Green.  
Standing L. to R. Albert Treworgy, Linda Kelly, Mrs. Bouton, Ricky  
Buck, Dennis Balcom, Frances Haynes and Linda Searles

Sitting L. to R.: Gail Davis, John Miller, Nancy Reynolds,  
Nicky Kahl.  
Standing L. to R.: Nancy Ballard, Terry Pultz, Jean  
Hoeko, Cheri Maxim, Carl Craft, Linda Rottkov.



## SECOND GRADE



Seated L. to R.: Daniel DiBendetto, Gloria Johnson, Ann Marie Johnson, Roul Salzer.  
 Standing L. To R.: Carolyn Valk, Pat Clark, Karen Finch, Edward Cohen. Mrs. Birdsall.

Seated L. to R.: Adrian Todd, Berton Maxim, Sharon Solomon, Billy Myers, Warren Slavin.  
 Standing L. to R.: Richard Moore, Laurelyn West, David Valk, Bonnie McAdams.



# FIRST GRADE



Standing L. to R.: Robert Reynolds, Danny Bohan, Fred Kelly,  
 Chuckie Maxim, Mrs. Thompson, Frank Treworgy.  
 Sitting L. to R.: Thomas Myers, Kip Johnson, Betty Winkler,  
 Marilee Todd.

Standing L. to R.: Shara Stitham, Linda Lukow, Gregory Finch,  
 Vincent Hanley, David Wadler, Brian Mayes.  
 Sitting L. to R.: Annette Finch, Steven Maxim, Madeline Slavin  
 Melinda Alton.





# KINDERGARTEN

Seated front top: Ellen Todd, Warren Reynolds, Gay Alton  
 Ricky Faulkner, Eli Kelly.  
 Standing: Richard Rottkov, Randy Day, Kathleen Pavlos,  
 Lynn Kelly, Leslie Kleinfeld, Lynn Kratochvil.  
 Standing bottom: Mrs. Solomon, Dane Scudder.  
 Seated: Michael Bohan, Eugene Kelly, Rodney Greene,  
 Leona Van Loan, Calvin Wright,





SOCCER

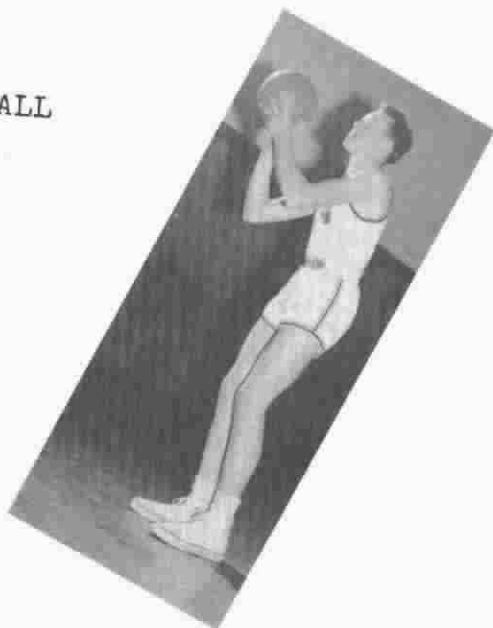
BASEBALL.



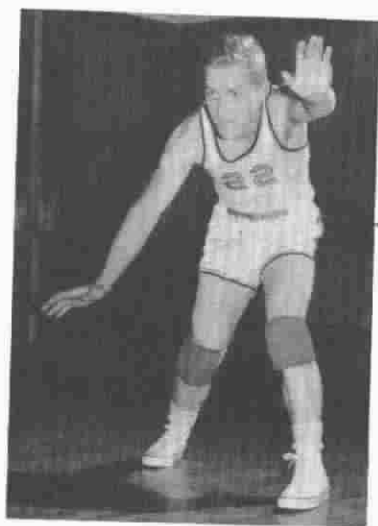
# VARSITY BASKETBALL



MOë



JAKE



BOB

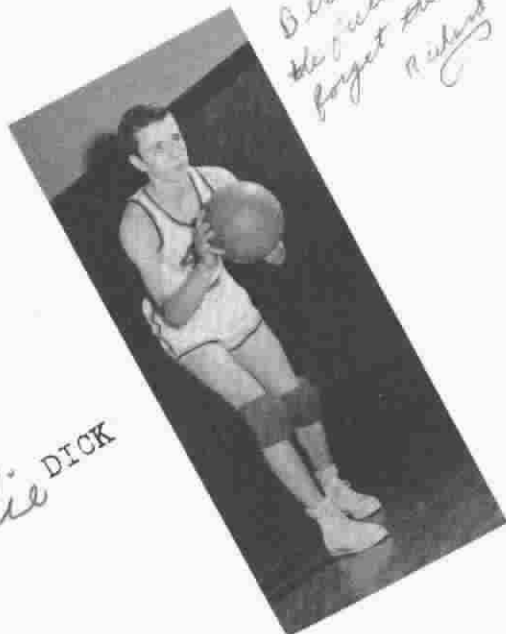
*When you get old  
and out of shape  
remember a girl  
is only 2.48.  
BIOLOGY  
BOB  
TODD*

*Samuel,  
Best of luck in  
the future and don't  
forget the class of '60.  
Richard*



DUFFY

*Good luck  
to a good  
old Senior  
Sam  
Fairlie  
DICK*



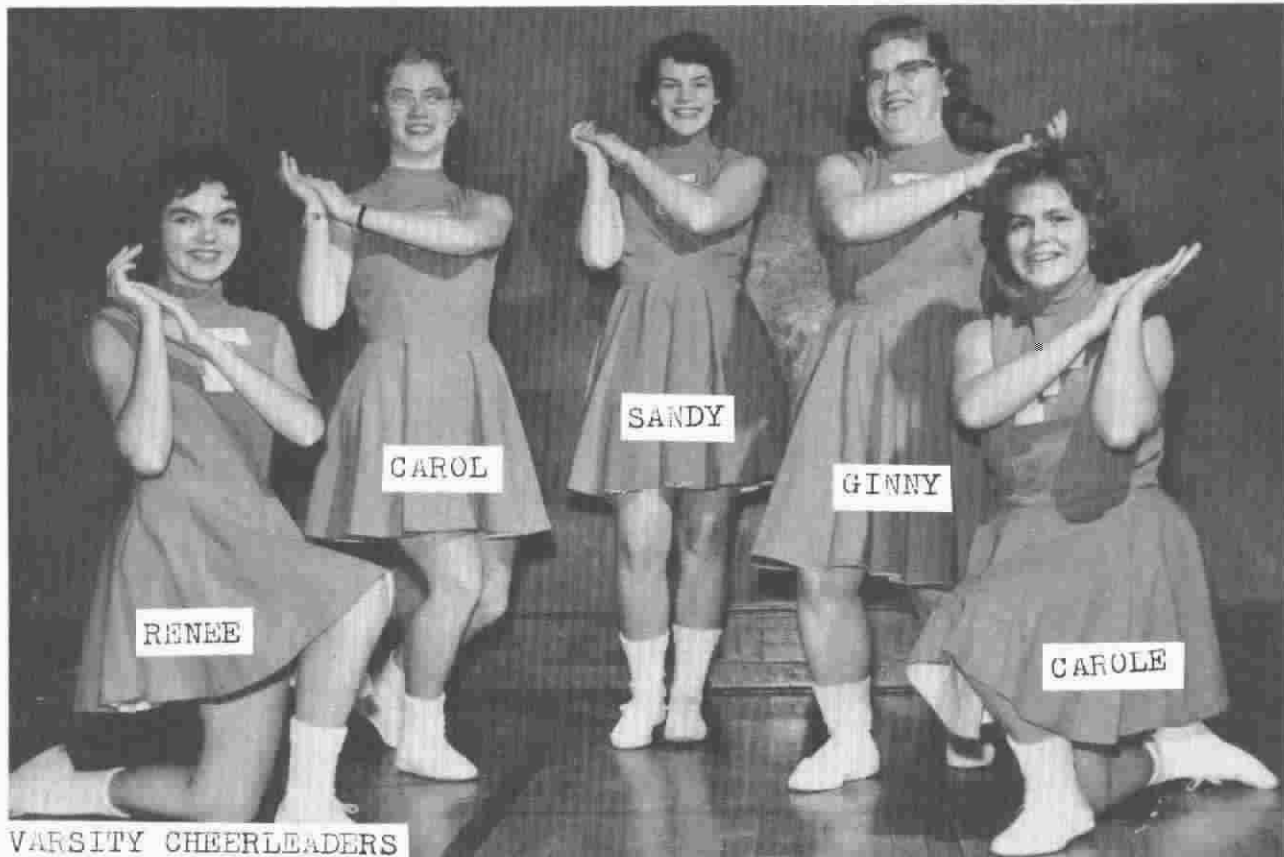
DICK



VARSlTY BASKETBALL

J. V. BASKETBALL







### STUDENT COUNCIL

Front Row L. to R.: Carolyn Craft, Renee Cirami,  
Second Row L. to R.: Ian Cohen, Carol Todd, JoAnn Slavin,  
Virginia Todd, Judy Stitham, Georgianna Squires.  
Third Row L. to R.: Linda Barley, Mr. Gilmour, Carole  
Myers, Bob Todd, Wayne Caswell.

Student Council consists of twelve members this year. Two members from each class, seven through twelve. The officers are as follows:

President-Virginia Todd  
Vice-President-Robert Todd  
Secretary-Carol Todd  
Treasurer-Georgianna Squires

The activity of the year was a round and square dance. Music was provided by the Melody Boys. It was a success and we made a good profit. Student Council members made plans in which to improve the outside of the school building.



YEARBOOK STAFF L. to R.: Sandy Vermilyea, Joan Morrison  
 L. to R.: Mr. King, Carole Myers, Virginia Todd, Larry Tait.

FLARE

Front row L. to R.: Mrs. McCann, Virginia Todd,  
 Back; Sandy Vermilyea, Joan Morrison, Bob Todd.



# Music Department

## CHORUS

There are three chorus groups, the boys chorus which has 13 members, girls chorus with 19 members and mixed chorus with 32 members.

The officers of these chorus groups are:

President-Renee Ciram

Vice-President-John Brown

Secretary and treasurer-Sandra Vermilyea

The chorus groups have participated in two programs, Christmas In Pantomime, which was held on December 19, 1958, and the Spring Concert which was held on May 10, 1959.

The following students represented Fleischmanns High at Delhi in the fall concert, Joan Morrison, Sandra Vermilyea, Carole Myers, Carol Todd, Linda Kelly, and Richard Blish. Eugene Finch, Sandra Vermilyea and Richard Blish represented Fleischmanns High at the Oneonta Tri-County Teachers Convention Concert.

## BAND

The band consists of 18 members this year and the following were elected as officers:

President-Richard Blish

Vice-President-Karen Kornell

Secretary and treasurer-Larry Tait

The band also participated in the Christmas program and the Spring Concert. They also played for the Halloween and Memorial Day parades.

The band was represented in the Delhi concert by Gary Tait, Ronald Morse and Virginia Kelly.

The band sponsored a dance this year to obtain money to purchase band uniforms.



MIXED CHORUS





GIRLS CHORUS

BOYS GLEE CLUB





Fran

Kid Sisters

The Prom

Captured

Senior Play

who----

Bet

Concentrating



# *In Memoriam*



Mr. William Allen, former music teacher at Fleischmanns High School died at his home in New Jersey this year. Many present and former students remember Mr. Allen with affection.

# FACULTY AUTOGRAPHS

Dear Sandra  
May you succeed  
in all you begin. Just  
remember too many beginnings  
may prove disastrous.  
Best wishes  
Maud Frieche

Sandra,  
May you build a fine  
house in Red Hill and  
find the happiness you  
may desire.  
D. Sawyer

Good luck and  
number, please  
to Sandy  
Frank King

Sandra,  
May you find all  
the happiness in whatever  
path you may endeavor.  
It certainly has been a  
pleasure working with you  
for the past two years.  
Coach Colvin

# STUDENT AUTOGRAPHS

Good Luck to  
a swell kid  
Bob Todd

Good luck in the  
seven years to come.  
Shirley Ellis

Best of luck to  
a great girl. Never  
forget the Junior Class.  
Walt.

Good Luck to a  
swell girl. Don't  
forget those basket-  
ball games and cheerleader  
practices. Best of Luck  
Always.  
Renee

Good luck with  
John Todd and  
the phone office  
Glen  
H

Best of Luck  
to a nice kid.  
Always stay as  
nice as you are now.  
May you always  
succeed in your future  
plans.  
Carol T.

Good Luck, your years in  
the future the happy never  
forget the crazy times we've  
had.  
Carole Myers

Good luck to a nice  
girl  
Harry T.

Best of Luck  
in all your years.  
Remember all the  
good times we've had  
in 3rd period study hall  
I never

Good luck to a girl  
with a future.  
Renee  
H

Sandy -  
Good Luck.  
always with  
John Good.  
Barb T

Sandy's  
Best of luck  
in the future in  
what every you do  
Love

To a very nice girl  
Good luck with  
your future years  
Terry C. Tard