



WENTWORTH MILITARY ACADEMY

ESTABLISHED 1880 — LEXINGTON, MO.

HIGH SCHOOL AND JUNIOR COLLEGE

WENTWORTH'S PURPOSE

It is the purpose of Wentworth Military Academy to provide the best conditions possible for the all 'round development of worthy boys and young men.

To attain this high purpose, the Academy places greatest emphasis upon these four points:

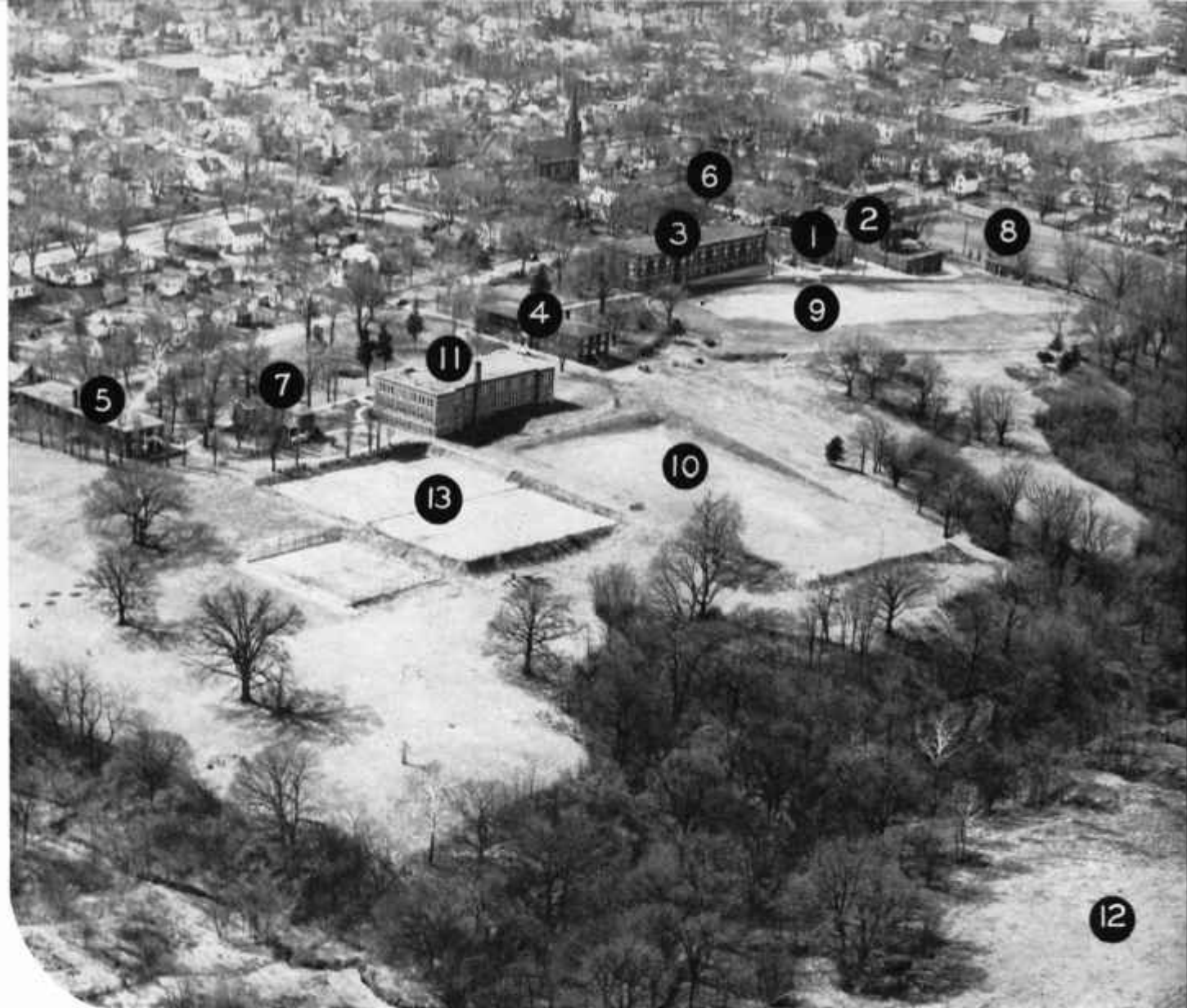
First, it is the Academy's aim to assemble only the highest types of students—deserving youths of good parentage—to assure wholesome associations and greater progress. Every precaution is taken to keep undesirable boys—all those that might prove detrimental to others—out of the Academy.

Second, to employ only men of highest character and ability for its faculty. It is not enough for a Wentworth faculty member to be merely a scholar and a splendid instructor. He must also possess a spirit of friendliness and a sincere desire to give kindly help whenever necessary. He must thoroughly understand the innermost problems of boys—be patient with them—and be ready to serve each boy to the best of his ability.

Third, to provide the very best equipment throughout every department to the end that every boy will have all those things necessary to his health and happiness and that none shall want for anything that will help him to make progress.

Fourth, to provide a program for each day that will best serve the interests of every student.





WENTWORTH FROM THE AIR

No. 1. Administration Building, Mess Hall, "D" Company Barracks, Music Facilities, (Library and Laboratories.)

No. 2. Hickman Hall, "A" Company Barracks.

No. 3. Gymnasium, Recreation Room, Quartermaster's Store and Rifle Gallery.

No. 4. Marine Hall, "C" Company Barracks.

No. 5. "B" Company Barracks.

No. 6. Academy Hospital.

No. 7. Commandant's and Quartermaster's Residence.

No. 8. Alumni Stadium.

No. 9. Drill and Athletic Field.

No. 10. Second Drill and Athletic Field.

No. 11. Sellers-Wikoff Scholastic Building.

No. 12. Direction of Golf Course.

No. 13. Tennis Courts.



* Colonel James M. Sellers, A. B.,
Superintendent.

Wentworth 1912, University of Chicago, A.B. 1917, Phi Beta Kappa 1916; Sigma Xi; Beta Theta Pi; Major U. S. Marine Reserve 1917-1920; Distinguished Service Cross; Navy Cross; Silver Star; Purple Heart; Croix-de-Guerre; Past President of Association of Military Colleges and Schools of the United States; Past Grand Master of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Missouri, A. F. & A. M., and Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Missouri.

From the beginning the late President Sellers surrounded himself with the ablest faculty available—strong men of proved qualities and Christian character. Under his wise and forward-looking direction, Wentworth has grown steadily. Each year has shown marked improvement over the preceding year. Today Wentworth stands as one of the truly great educational institutions of our country—second to none in the opportunities it offers boys and young men for thorough preparation for professional studies, business and for life.

* Colonel L. B. Wikoff, A.B., S.B. in Ed.,
Treasurer and Business Manager.

University of Missouri, A. B., S. B. in Ed., 1915; graduate work, University of Chicago; Past Governor Rotary International, 1936; Past President of Missouri State Chamber of Commerce. Came to Wentworth as coach in 1915 and has since served in various capacities continuously.

SINCE EIGHTEEN EIGHTY

One of the chief reasons why Wentworth has been able to achieve its lofty purpose lies in the fact that the Academy has been under one continuous administration since its founding. For nearly three-score years, Colonel Sanford Sellers was president of Wentworth. He enjoyed one of the most enviable records in the history of American education.

The Academy was founded by Stephen G. Wentworth, scion of a distinguished English family and a prominent Lexington banker, in 1880, as a memorial to his deceased son, William Wentworth. Mr. Wentworth immediately vested control of the institution in the hands of a board of trustees composed of a duly elected representative of each of the Evangelical churches of Lexington, and a president. Colonel Sellers was called to the new school in its first year and remained as its active head until 1938. Mr. Wentworth served as president of the Board from 1880 until his death in 1897.

It was the firm conviction of the founder, his board of trustees and President Sellers that a military boarding school provides the most effective possible means for giving young men the thorough mental, moral and physical training necessary to develop in them the highest traits of manhood. Thus, Wentworth became the first military school in the Missouri River Valley.



AN HISTORIC BACKGROUND

Throughout over half a century the Wentworth purpose has remained unchanged. The ideals which led to the Academy's founding and which have carried it steadily forward, shine just as brightly today as ever: the desire to give each youth every opportunity to develop fully his own individual personality; the aim that every cadet shall acquire a keen sense of duty and responsibility, both to himself and toward others; that he shall have the mental and moral power to make accurate judgments between right and wrong and the physical power to stand by his convictions.

These high standards have dominated Wentworth for generations. But to maintain them and assure their full and continuous application, it has been found necessary to limit the enrollment. Wentworth today is a relatively small school—many times larger than in 1880, to be sure, yet small enough that every individual student is given the private attention so essential to his all-round development.

The surrounding country affords a wealth of historically important Civil War sites and the town of Lexington itself retains much of the tradition of the old south. Here enthusiasm for the reminders of our country's glorious past is combined with the enthusiasm for modern adventure to promote the rapid development of the boy's mental, moral and physical resources.



★ The Missouri Old Santa Fe Trail Marker in Lexington.



★ A Beauty Spot on the Wentworth Campus.



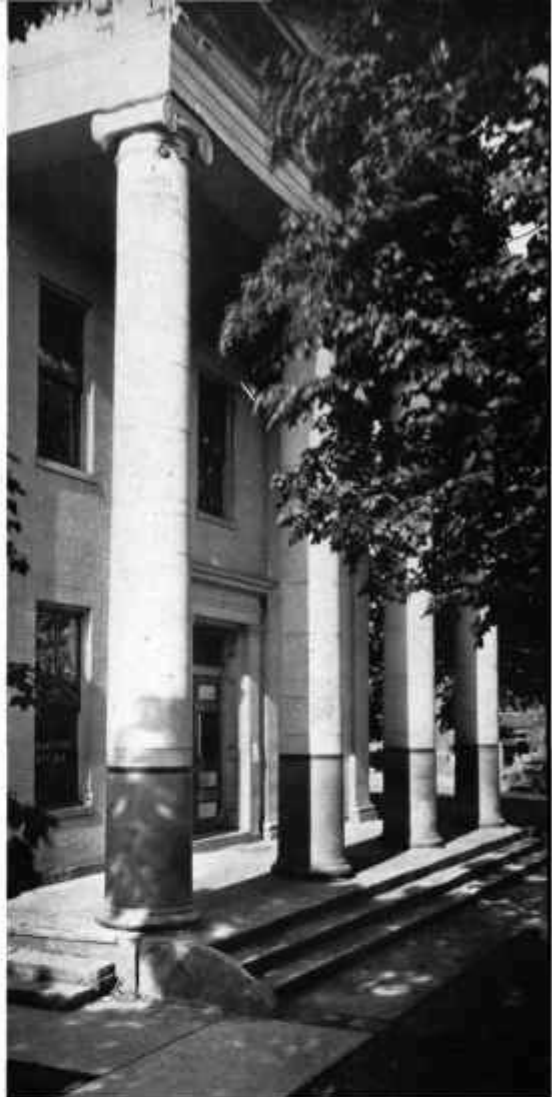
The modern, prosperous little city of Lexington is 41 miles from Kansas City, "The Heart of America." This proximity makes available by train, motor car, bus and air all the desirable cultural advantages of a large city without any of its disadvantages.



S. Wentworth

(1811-1897)

★ Founder of Wentworth Military Academy.



★ The Historic Old Court House in Lexington. Notice the cannon ball near the top of the first column—fired during the Civil War.



Sanford Sellers

(1846-1938)

★ President of Wentworth Military Academy from 1880 to 1938.

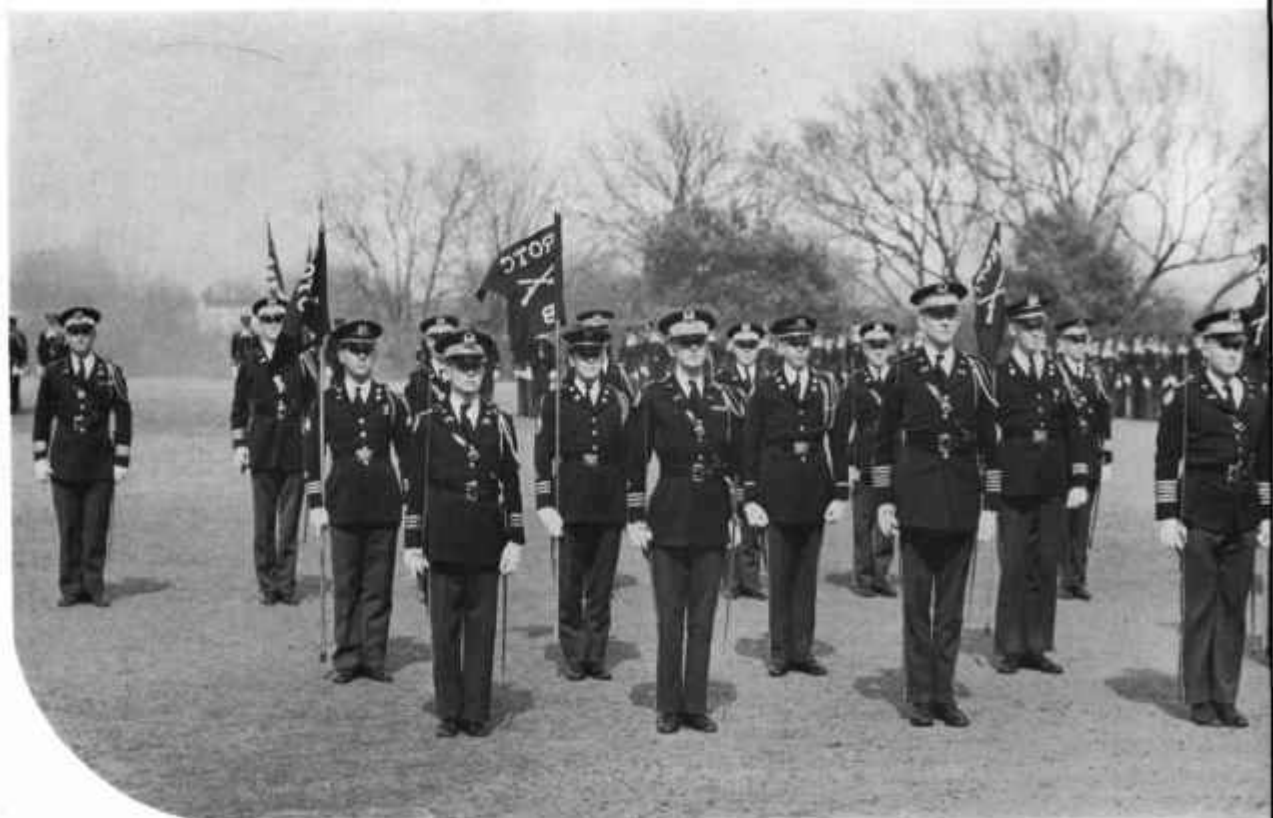


YESTERDAY

Above is pictured the first company ever assembled at Wentworth. From this humble beginning, the Academy has marched forward over a trail of development that has placed it in the front rank of America's best military schools.

and TODAY

The Wentworth Military Academy of today is vastly different from the Wentworth of 1880. From year to year it has enlarged its facilities, increased its enrollment and changed its physical appearance until there is little to remind one of the early days. Numerous modern and attractive buildings have been erected as they were needed. Old buildings have been torn away when they were no longer useful. Spacious military and athletic fields have been added. One of the finest gymnasiums in the country has been built. Every new method in teaching that has been found definitely superior to older methods has been adopted. Yet, some of the fundamental principles that guided the first company are adhered to just as strictly today.



* Officers Front and Center



* The indoor rifle range where every cadet learns small arms firing.

Instructions and demonstrations in all the Infantry Weapons.



MILITARY DEPARTMENT

MILITARY training at Wentworth has always been a strong feature, but it is never permitted to interfere with the scholastic work of the Academy. It can be shown, moreover, that military discipline has a decidedly advantageous effect upon classroom work.

In recognition of the superior military work done at Wentworth, in 1889 the Academy became a post of the Missouri National Guard. Graduates of the Academy who resided in Missouri, became eligible for commissions in this organization.

Wentworth has been under the direct supervision of the War Department of the United States Government since 1895, when the first active army officer was detailed to the Academy. Now 3 officers, 4 non-commissioned officers and one civilian assistant are in charge of military instruction. In addition, the War Department furnishes around \$50,000 worth of equipment to be used for instruction purposes. Wentworth is one of the original Honor Schools of the United States, the highest rating given by the War Department. The Academy has been a unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps from the time that organization was established.

Class in First Aid.





* This monument, erected on the campus by the Alumni Association, to the memory of Wentworth cadets who died in the World War No. 1, typifies the loyal spirit of generations of former Wentworth cadets.

* Patriotism is no sham at Wentworth. Every cadet is taught the real meaning of our flag. Each day, with appropriate ceremonies, the Stars and Stripes are raised and lowered on the towering flag pole.

The cadet whose face shows under the curve of the flag is now Ex-Lt. Wm. Bates, who flew a bomber in the European theater of operations; controlling the flag ropes is Kenneth Winters, late of the Navy. The bugler is the former Lieut. Max Condron.





* In this view of the main lobby of the Administration building cadets are shown admiring a replica of the Declaration of Independence and Constitution donated to Wentworth by the late Mr. L. Fred Evans, Vice-President of Emory Bird Thayer of Kansas City.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Within Wentworth's Administration Building are handsomely furnished parlors, corridors and reception rooms. Among its furnishings and decorations students and guests alike find many articles of interest and rare beauty. Its comfortable furnishings amid peaceful surroundings afford a homelike atmosphere where the new cadet readily adapts himself to a wholesome, happy experience. Here in an atmosphere of quiet dignity, every student is privileged to entertain his guests or to spend his leisure moments as governed by his daily schedule. None of the comforts of the modern home have been excluded in Wentworth's plan to provide the finest training and quarters available.



* (Above) The corner of one of the attractive parlors where cadets receive their guests.



* (Right) This view partially illustrates the homelike surroundings of the reception rooms.

About the **CAMPUS**



* Marine Hall.



* A part of the Quadrangle where Wentworth Battalion assembles.

Nature and man have joined forces at Wentworth to produce a campus of outstanding beauty. Magnificent trees, of many varieties, blend in perfect harmony with modern, attractive buildings and spacious grounds. The Academy is located just at the edge of Lexington and covers 52 acres. The front campus extends over four city blocks and is dotted with massive elms and glorious flower banks that provide enchantment and inspiration. The back campus includes athletic and military fields and the new stadium. There are eight thoroughly modern buildings on the campus, each built for the exact purpose it serves. They are of brick and stone construction and are heated by steam and hot water.



* In the shade of the elms.



* "B" Barracks.





* Looking over the River from the Wentworth Country Club Porch.

THE WENTWORTH COUNTRY CLUB

Located on one of the most beautiful spots overlooking the Missouri River, the Golf Course and Country Club add variety to the many facilities available to the Wentworth students. The nine-hole golf course is most attractive and sporty. The club house, with its catering equipment, is ideal for many informal parties held throughout the year. And in the stable are found horses suitable for the tyro as well as the expert rider.

* Teeing Up



* Two stylish mounts. Every Wentworth student will ride.



* Interior of the Club House—available for many informal gatherings.

* One of the spacious, well lighted and immaculate corridors in the Sellers-Wikoff Scholastic Building.



SCHOLASTIC

Wentworth's up-to-date Sellers - Wikoff Scholastic Building is the nucleus of the scholastic department. This magnificent structure contains one of the most splendid libraries possessed by any institution of this kind. Four completely equipped laboratories provide excellent facilities for the practical study of the sciences. In addition to classrooms for all classes, it houses the Dean's and Commandant's offices. It is with justifiable pride that Wentworth points to this new achievement in its effort to provide surroundings which are conducive to academic advancement.



* The attractive library contains thousands of volumes, providing every necessary supplement to the student's texts and manuals.

* Visual Aids are being used to a great extent to supplement lectures by instructors. The Academy has the best equipment available and has established a liberal budget for rental of motion pictures for class work.





★ Sellers-Wikoff Scholastic Building.



★ Geology is a science of particular interest to boys of the Midwest.

DEPARTMENT



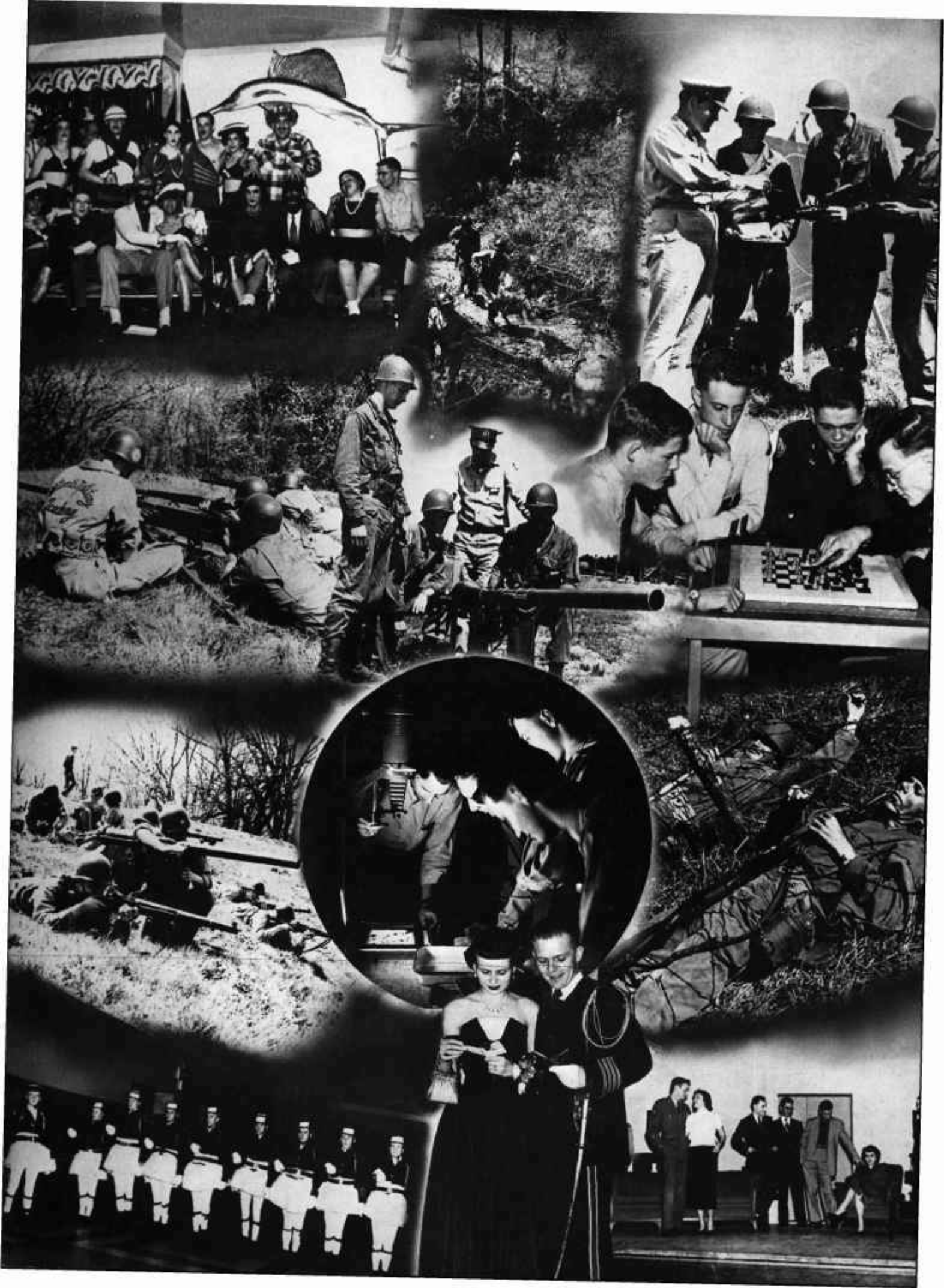
The scholastic department is divided into two separate and distinct units: the high school, which offers four years of preparatory work, and the junior college, which offers two years of liberal arts and science. Each has its own organization separate from the other. Both divisions are fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, an organization composed of the leading colleges and preparatory schools in twenty states. This recognition means that graduates of either department are eligible to enter any institution in the United States that receives students by certification.

It is our aim to see that each cadet masters every lesson thoroughly. To accomplish this, every student is taught correct study methods and thoroughly schooled in correct uses of libraries and laboratories. Classes are small, averaging from 8 to 15 students, which permits individual attention. Most of the faculty members live in the buildings with students. They are readily accessible for special help. From time to time a personal study is made of each cadet to determine his points of weakness and help him overcome them.



★ The laboratory for elementary classes in chemistry provides many costly instruments not provided for in many schools but which Wentworth believes are important to the proper study of chemistry.

★ The laboratory for the advanced chemistry classes is even more completely equipped.







A view of planes and hangar at the Lexington Wentworth Airport.



Capt. W. Lowell Stagner
Wentworth Aviation Director.

(Below) Wentworth Flying Cadets and their instructors in front of one of the ten planes at the field.



A RECENT AVIATION FLIGHT TRAINING GROUP

AVIATION

Wentworth participated in the Civil Aeronautics Administration Civilian Pilot Training Program from its inception in 1939 through the change to C. A. A. War Training Service until June, 1943, when all but 80 out of 712 colleges and universities throughout the country were eliminated due to curtailment of this type of training. However, the academy administration, believing aviation training to be very important now and in the future to the youth of the nation, secured permission from C. A. A. officials to continue flight training on a civilian basis and at the expense of the trainees.

Wentworth operates in conjunction with the Lexington Airport as a certified flying school fully approved by the C.A.A. The flight training program including ground school, far surpasses the minimum requirements set forth by the civil aeronautics administration. It consists of instruction in both dual and solo flight time and ground school courses in navigation, meteorology, civil air regulations, and operation of aircraft.

The records of the graduates of the Wentworth Flight Training are outstanding. During the war the graduates of this training program fought in every front where Americans were in combat.

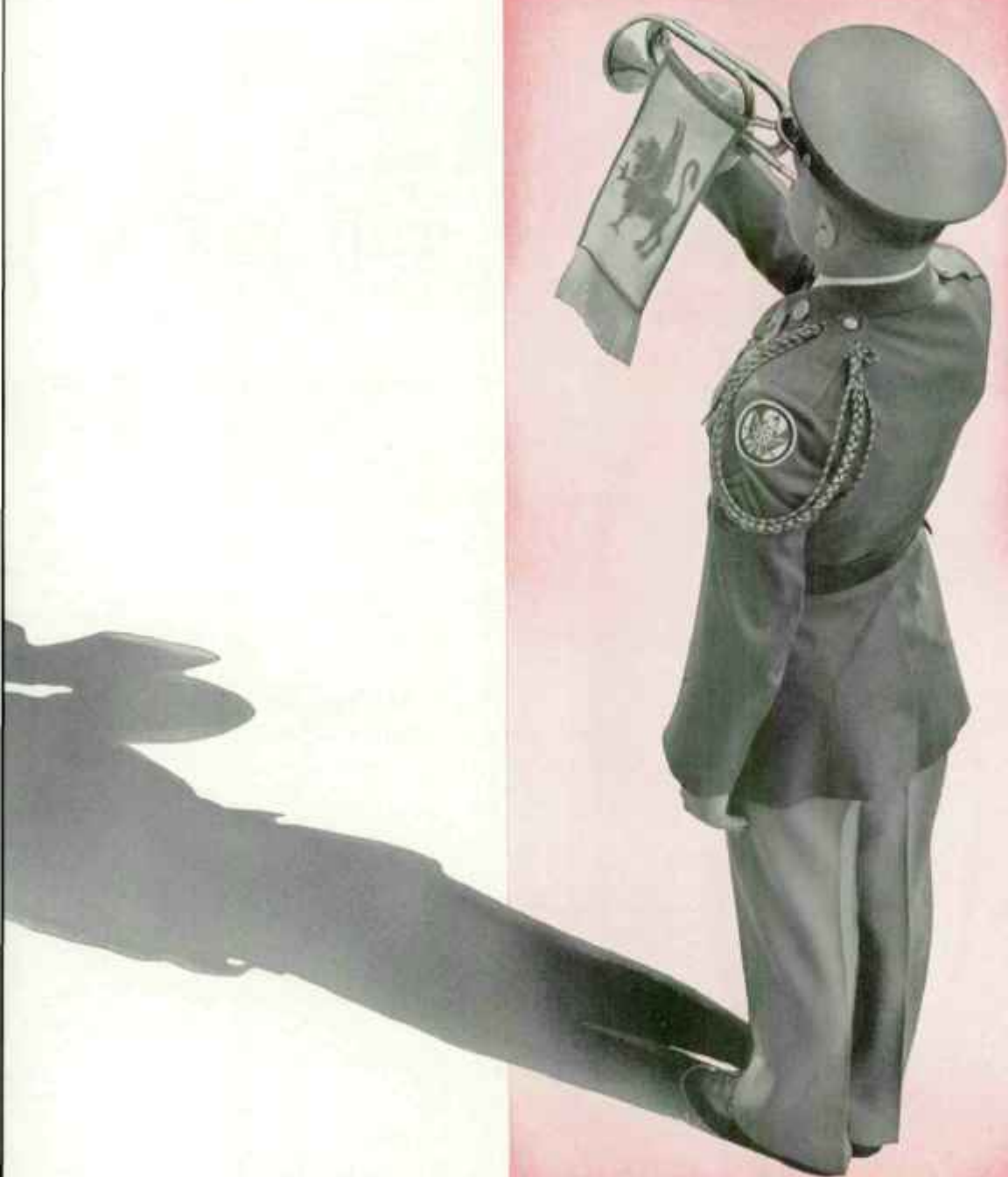


Flight Operator Earl Haines and Mechanic John Longdon instructing in aircraft engines. A fully equipped shop and hangar are maintained at the airport.

Instructor B. W. Van Camp gives a cadet instruction before takeoff. Safety and sanity in flying are watchwords in Wentworth Flight Training. Not one student flyer has suffered an injury since the start of the program in 1939. Captain Steve Heghin, ground school instructor supervising a class in navigation and giving personalized instruction to aviation students.



From REVEILLE TO TAPS



A DAY



AT WENTWORTH

NO TWO days at Wentworth are quite the same, for a widely varied program of scholastic, military, athletic and other activities is used to keep the interest of the cadets at high pitch and their appetites for learning well whetted. Furthermore, no two students have quite the same duties to perform throughout any given day. There is, however, a definite routine that all cadets follow each day. It is used to instill perfect regularity and promptness in attendance upon all duties prescribed for one and all cadets alike.

While it requires some adjustments for new students to become accustomed to this routine, any slight hint of monotony is soon lost in the kaleidoscopic whirl of the school year.

To give parents and others a better insight, the following pages have been used to set forth, pictorially, the day's activities from Reveille to Taps, of a typical Wentworth boy whom we will designate as Cadet Harlan.

The pictures in this section were taken fifteen years ago. However, since they illustrate life at Wentworth of today, they are still timely. They are retained because so many of the cadets shown served in the Armed Forces of their country, and so well illustrate the value of military training as received while at Wentworth.

Since the importance of military preparedness is becoming increasingly evident by the changing world situation, the training illustrated in this picture section has a special significance.

There have been some uniform changes as may be seen by referring to the section on Wentworth uniforms.





* Harlan—a typical Wentworth cadet.

HERE is Harlan, a typical Wentworth cadet—a fine young American—manly, scholarly and upright. His respect for duty and responsibility has won for him the rank of sergeant. He may have come from a large city or a very small town—that makes no difference to the democratic spirit that prevails at Wentworth. He may be from a wealthy family or a family in meager circumstances—most of his classmates would never know, nor even be curious, unless he chose to tell them. But he typifies all the fine qualities of a deserving and ambitious youth as he goes through the tried and age-proved Wentworth process of becoming a real man, a real asset to himself, his family and friends, and society as a whole.

Harlan, like all the others, participates in many activities besides those shown. But let's follow him through a typical day.

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Harlan "Butch" Heffelfinger, who graduated in the class of 1937 and posed as the model cadet in the view book, served as a Major in the last war.

His brother, Hugo, another Wentworth alumnus, also a Major, and served with distinction with the Rangers.

Artie Heffelfinger served with the Navy Air Corps as an Ensign.

* Harlan's first duty is a thorough, refreshing wash before breakfast.



"CAN'T GET 'EM UP," blows the bugler, but he does, and at 6:35 o'clock another day is under way. Cadet Harlan goes first to the sanitary lavatory on his floor. A good washup is part of the routine, for a cadet is expected to keep himself clean at all times. At 6:50 he goes to a well-prepared breakfast.

After breakfast, rooms must be cleaned. One of the basic aims of our system is to form personal habits of order. Each morning Harlan makes his own bed, puts his clothes in order and helps his roommate clean the room.



* Harlan makes up his own bed.



Strict inspection of quarters is a daily routine. Formal inspection of Harlan's person, room and equipment occurs on Sunday morning. At this time unusual care must be taken in cleaning the room. Our friend sees that hidden corners are carefully dusted, chairs polished, and everything put in order. Then he takes care of his person. There's brass to shine, leather to polish, hair to brush, and whiskers to be removed. A certain time is allotted for this preparation and all work must be done within that time. This young fellow knows that any deficiency in this work receives what is known in Academy language as a "skin"—which counts against one's company in color competition.

*Harlan is ready for the inspector—brass gleaming, shoes shined—room as clean as the proverbial "hound's tooth."





* Here Harlan delves into things scientific. Modern equipment is provided for all laboratory work.

AT 8 O'CLOCK in the morning, classes convene. Harlan makes his way to a small class on his schedule where personal attention is his at any time it is needed. Our cadet is carefully instructed in the handling of delicate scientific equipment. He is not forced to grope blindly for information. That which is true of the science laboratories is equally true in all other classrooms.

Time passes rapidly in the classroom or laboratory because the work is interesting. The scholastic day is divided into two equal parts, with four classes in the morning and two in the afternoon.



* Our Cadet goes through a course of calisthenics to promote grace and health.

All the cadets shown in the picture were in the Armed Service.



CALISTHENICS play an important role in the physical education of Cadet Harlan.

No effort is made to indulge in this or any other exercise in the early morning hours when the body is at its lowest ebb. All such exercises are taken by our cadet after a hearty breakfast and morning classes. The exercises are intended to promote graceful movement as well as better health. The calisthenics used by the United States Army are followed. They are led by senior cadet officers.

So long as the weather permits, the calisthenics are held in the open, but they are taken in the large gymnasium, where an entire battalion may take part at the same time, when rain or cold is in the air.



* The ten excellent tennis courts are always popular.

* Cadet Harlan reports to the Professor of Military Science and Tactics for drill duty.



Cadet Lieutenant Jack Ramsdell commanding the platoon shown in these two views, participated as an officer in the landing on North Africa. He was decorated with the Silver Star for heroism in action and Purple Heart.

DRILL is a very formal affair. It is on the drill field that Harlan learns much of courtesy, discipline and alertness. He, with his entire battalion, is thoroughly schooled in good citizenship, taught the proper respect for superiors and trained in leadership.

Learning to drill a squad is the first training in leadership. Throughout the year squad drill and competition is a part of the regular military routine. The squad is the smallest military unit and consists of nine to twelve men, two of whom are sergeants. All instruction is conducted by cadets under the personal supervision of members of the military faculty.

Although military work takes but one hour each day, the training is intensive and much more thorough than that found in larger units. Personal attention is given the individual cadet on the military field as well as in the classroom, and each cadet has an equal chance to advance to important positions in Wentworth's military realm. In the army, the navy and the marine corps Wentworth is glorified by its alumni who have received their commissions and are distinguishing themselves in official capacities of these respective branches of service.



Like many other cadets, Harlan finds the extended order drill more interesting. This drill consists of combat methods. He is taught to make use of cover, to advance and to fire. No actual firing is done during this drill, however, for all the ammunition used is dummy material. Initiative and leadership are required in this work. Situations arising in the problems furnished by the War Department call for quick thinking and immediate action.

Here our typical cadet finds extended order drill interesting and instructive.

The Cadet Officer using the field glasses was Captain Woodrow Wylie, U. S. Army, who participated in the fight on Bataan.

The cadet about to insert the cartridge in his rifle is Lieut.-Colonel Milton Moran, U. S. Marine Air Corps. He has participated in considerable action in the South Pacific.





★ BREAKFAST

Grapefruit Post Toasties
Hot Cakes Bacon
Milk Coffee

★ DINNER

Swiss Steak
Buttered Carrots Mashed Potatoes
Combination Salad
White - Whole Wheat - Rye Bread
Cherry Pie
Iced Tea

★ SUPPER

Salmon Salad
Creamed Peas Fried Potatoes
Pickles
Whole Wheat Rolls
Bartlett Pears
Milk

★ Eating—an always-popular "sport" with Harlan and his fellow cadets! Meal time is always a time for good food and good fellowship.

The Faculty Officer at the head of the table is Captain Robert D. Hepler, assistant dean. The lady is his wife, Mrs. Beth Hepler, the academy's hostess and social director.

FOLLOWING the morning classes comes lunch time and our cadet is ready to eat. Academy menus are always varied and pleasing. Meals are carefully planned to suit the needs of all cadets. They are healthful and nutritious and just what active, hard-working boys require. Meal times are at 7:00 in the morning, 12:10 and 6:10. This schedule is varied only on Sunday, when dinner becomes a more elaborate meal served at 12:30.

After dinner there is a recreation period during which Harlan and other cadets may do pretty much as they choose. The recreation room is a popular place at this time.





* Maybe Harlan is "behind the 8-ball" here! Like all other cadets he takes part in zestful competition in the recreation room.

* The television set in the recreation room enables cadets to enjoy their favorite programs.



THE recreation room proves a haven of rest, relaxation and zestful indoor competition. Pool, billiard and ping-pong tables are provided. A few try their hand at bridge, while others read, or relax in comfortable chairs.



* (Right) Our friend attends a chapel period, held twice each week.

* (Below) "We must get in there and fight!" says Harlan as he makes a short "pep" talk on the eve of a game.



CADET HARLAN attends interesting, informative and inspirational meetings in the chapel, immediately before lunch on Wednesdays and Saturdays. These meetings are conducted by the Academy Chaplain, but are not strictly religious. Travel talks, health lectures, scientific demonstrations and short sermons, presented by outstanding speakers, are frequently on the program. The service is opened with a hymn, prayer and responsive readings, and closed with the singing of "Wentworth," the Academy song.

"Pep" meetings, preceding important athletic contests, are also held in the chapel. These are always occasions of great fun. Students and faculty make rousing speeches. The cadet band furnishes gay, martial music and everyone anticipates the big game on the morrow. Athletic contests are important recreational events. Every cadet attends them.



*While a majority of the faculty members live in the barracks with cadets, some live in residences such as this on the campus.



*Our Cadet receives personal attention from a faculty member in the library.

In this picture, the Tactical Officer, James Simmons, graduate of Westworth, is now a Lieut. Col. in the United States Army. He participated in the capture of Aifu and Kwajalein.

Next to him, Lieutenant Orman, paratrooper, who took part in the Sicilian campaign and the capture of Naples. On the right, Captain James L. Gist, Army Aviator.

*All shined up for Sunday inspection.

PERSONAL attention is not confined to the classroom nor to the evening study periods. Harlan and many other cadets seek assistance in the spacious Academy library. The faculty officer in charge is always ready and willing to help any student, no matter what his problem. Whatever the subject, the faculty officer is qualified to give the guidance needed.

Wentworth's library is one of the most important places on the campus. It contains more than 8,000 books on nearly every subject one could imagine. Reference books include the famous Oxford English Dictionary and many sets of encyclopaedia.





* Harlan plays football—and mighty well, too! No wonder! His uncle was an All-American at Yale.



* In winter months our boy turns his attention to basketball and other indoor sports.

TRAINING for leadership is important on the football field as well as everywhere else at Wentworth. More than fifty cadets answer the varsity call each year and large squads turn out for company teams. All players receive intensive training, both in the art of the game and in clean sportsmanship.

Football ranks as the number one sport, and the Red Dragon elevens are consistent winners. The fine spirit of players and corps is credited with being a strong determining factor in every contest.

In the winter months basketball comes into the spotlight. Again there are the varsity and company teams and a place for every cadet who desires to play. Home games are played in the spacious gymnasium where there are two courts and ample space for spectators.

Wentworth is a member of the Junior College Interstate conference, an athletic association numbering six schools as members. The Wentworth High School teams are members of the Pony Express Conference of Western Missouri. Almost every major and minor sports are on the Wentworth program—all played under competent coaches—and every cadet is required to participate.





*The gymnasium is 220 x 55 feet. It contains two regular basket ball courts, a large stage, a swimming pool 20 x 60 feet, locker rooms, showers and gymnastic equipment.



* Here our man-in-the-making is ready for his daily plunge in the pool.

THE sparkling, crystal-clear water of the swimming pool is inviting to cadets the year 'round. The pool is of regulation size (20x60) and is the scene of frequent water sports and aquatic meets. It is the purpose to teach every cadet to swim well. The water is warmed to a healthful temperature and kept pure by efficient filtration and chemical treatment.





* The orchestra provides musical diversion both for members of the group and the corps.

* (Below) Perfect study conditions prevail in Harlan's room. (Note the latest type of reading lamp.)

* (Above) Hi-dee-ho! Harlan and his friends tune in a radio program during the recreation period immediately following the evening meal.

Just before the evening study period is the favorite tune-in time for Cadet Harlan and other radio devotees. Permission to have a radio in the room is regarded a privilege, the abuse of which causes the student to lose this favor.

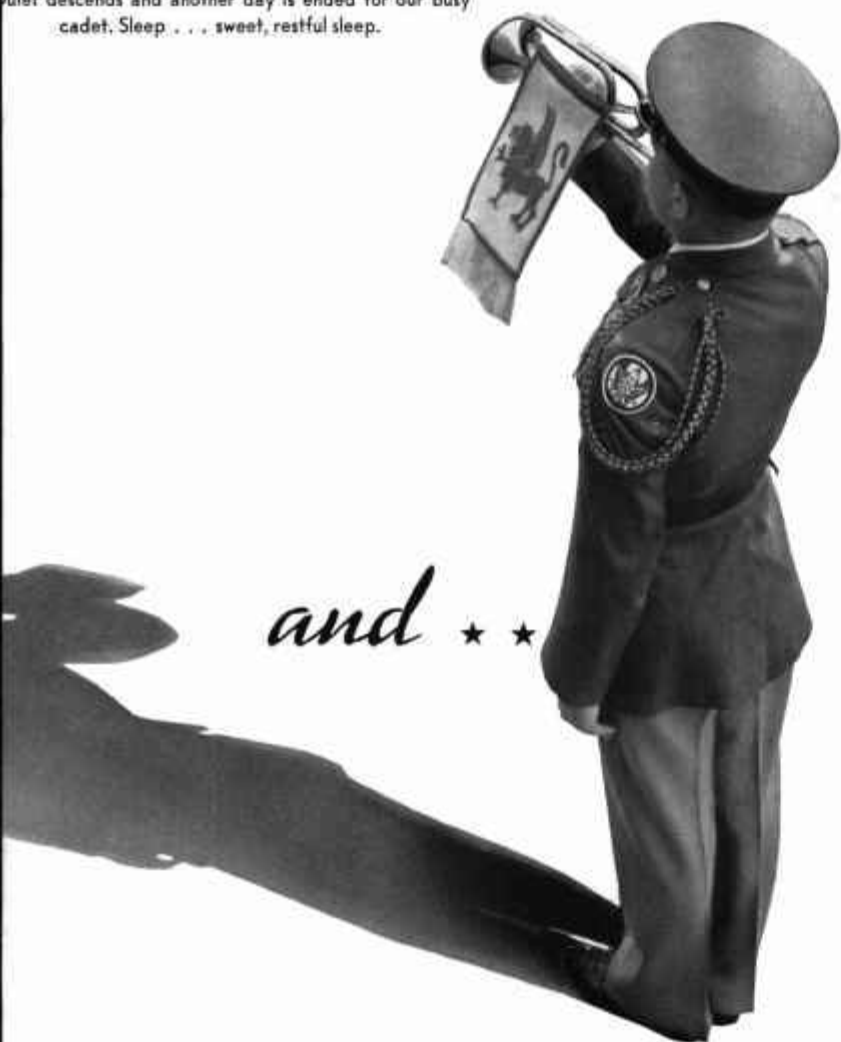
After thirty-five minutes of recreation following the supper hour, evening study is begun at 7 o'clock. Each cadet retires to his own room for a two-hour period of quiet. There is no stuffy, noisy hall in which cadets are confined. Instead, individual initiative is encouraged. Faculty officers are in constant attendance throughout the period, giving advice where it is needed and encouragement at all times.





Quiet descends and another day is ended for our busy cadet. Sleep . . . sweet, restful sleep.

TAPS, at which time all lights must be turned out and all cadets remain quiet, is sounded at 10 o'clock. The soft notes of the bugle call to close the activities of an eventful day and the peace of slumber envelops healthy young bodies until another dawn.



*and * **

T A P S

Fades the light
And afar
Goeth day
Cometh night
And a star
Leadeth all
Speedeth all
To their rest.



* An advanced class in etiquette.



* Mixed parties are regular Saturday night features.



* The Fountain adjoining the Recreation Room is popular during dance intermission.

All five of the cadets in this picture were Army officers, and three of the young ladies are now wives of former cadets, now officers in active duty.



* Off for a canter at the Country Club.



A well organized program of instruction in social usage is a required course for all students, and advanced classes are available for those who desire them.

Ease of manner in any situation thus becomes natural to a Wentworth Cadet. Many occasions such as these pictured here afford ample opportunity for the Cadets to practice their social graces.

WENTWORTH UNIFORMS

The Wentworth uniforms are made of the finest materials. Beautifully fitted, they are suitable for every occasion, and they include every item a cadet may need.



* The cadet full dress—the officer full dress and the cadet full dress with overcoat.



* Fatigue with and without Combat Jacket the athletic uniform.



Officer and cadet in the semi-dress



* The coveralls field uniform—cadet full dress and raincoat—the cadet fatigue uniform with battle jacket,



The purpose of this book has been to give you an accurate, but necessarily inadequate glimpse of the Wentworth Military Academy and cadet life. In order fully to appreciate the Academy, it will be necessary for you to visit the campus in person, see the beautiful grounds and buildings and meet members of the faculty. The Administration offices are open the year 'round and your visit will be welcomed at any time.

SUMMER SCHOOL—A military summer school and camp of 8 weeks duration begins in early June. Activities are divided equally between scholastic work and recreation. Instruction is on a tutorial basis and nearly any subject may be taken.



1954-55 RECORDS AND AWARDS

COMMENCEMENT AWARDS

TED MESSMORE MEMORIAL HONOR GRADUATE AWARD—Richard O. Jahn, Dallas, Texas. **HONORABLE MENTION**: Byron D. Marsh, Bolivar, Missouri; Richard W. Mittelstadt, Fort Morgan, Colorado.

JACK BURR MEDAL FOR SERVICE, LOYALTY, AND LEADERSHIP—Robert J. Coffman, Salem, Missouri. **RUNNERS-UP**: Jerry D. Neeley, Dighton, Kansas; William H. Jamieson, Trinidad, Colorado.

RALPH CONGER MEMORIAL SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD—Byron D. Marsh, Bolivar, Missouri. **RUNNERS-UP**: Clifford M. James, Chickasha, Oklahoma; Richard W. Mittelstadt, Fort Morgan, Colorado.

LT. R. H. MOONEY MEMORIAL FLYING AWARD—Pedro Ramos, Caracas, Venezuela, S. A.

SCHOLASTIC AWARDS: JUNIOR COLLEGE—SOPHOMORE—1st, Richard W. Mittelstadt, Fort Morgan, Colorado; 2nd, Byron D. Marsh, Bolivar, Missouri; Richard O. Jahn, Dallas, Texas. **FRESHMAN**—1st, Stanley N. Anderson, Onawa, Iowa; 2nd, William R. Skinner, Lexington, Missouri; 3rd, Leeland E. Jandebur, North Platte, Nebraska. **HIGH SCHOOL—SENIOR CLASS**—1st, Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas; 2nd, Howard J. Ellfeldt, Kansas City, Missouri; 3rd, Dick A. Bergren, Red Oak, Iowa. **JUNIOR CLASS**—1st, Robert M. Spitz, Santa Fe, New Mexico; 2nd, Robert D. Bastron, Red Oak, Iowa; 3rd, Melvin H. Lavine, Lincoln, Nebraska. **SOPHOMORE CLASS**—1st, Melvin L. Schmidt, Topeka, Kansas; 2nd, John E. Warren, Council Bluffs, Iowa. **FRESHMAN CLASS**—1st, Fred E. Sellers, Lexington, Missouri; 2nd, Ellwyn L. Schwanz, Le Claire, Iowa. **EIGHTH GRADE**—Richard C. Brown, Kansas City, Missouri; 2nd, James A. Miceli, Kansas City, Missouri.

DEPARTMENT MEDAL: OLD BOY—1st, Stephen C. Smith, Mound City, Missouri; 2nd, Richard C. Gilcrease, Garden City, Kansas. **NEW BOY**—1st, Roger L. Bartelt, Grimes, Iowa; 2nd, Robert D. Bastron, Red Oak, Iowa.

BEST KEPT ROOMS: COMPANY A—Cadet Sergeant First Class Jack V. Lee, Guthrie Center, Iowa; **Cadet Sergeant Oscar Schnell**, Caracas, Venezuela. **HONORABLE MENTION—Cadet Private George S. Devins**, Kansas City, Missouri; **Cadet Private Marvin Wolf**, Kansas City, Missouri. **COMPANY B—Cadet Private Jon Finlayson**, Mason City, Iowa; **Cadet Private Roger Nieder**, Lawrence, Kansas. **HONORABLE MENTION—Sergeant First Class Stephen J. Marx**, Lincoln, Nebraska; **Cadet Private Juan Laedrich**, Caracas, Venezuela. **COMPANY C—Cadet Captain Sam Richardson**, III, El Dorado, Arkansas. **COMPANY D—Cadet Private Roger L. Bartelt**, Grimes, Iowa; **Cadet Private George Reece**, Marshalltown, Iowa. **HONORABLE MENTION—Cadet Sergeant First Class Arthur J. Owens**, Pierre, South Dakota; **Cadet Sergeant Joe L. Whisenant**, Liberal, Kansas. **HEADQUARTERS COMPANY—Cadet Sergeant First Class Thayne D. Oltjen**, Cedar Vale, Kansas; **Cadet Sergeant First Class Melvin L. Schmidt**, Topeka, Kansas. **HONORABLE MENTION—Cadet Sergeant First Class James K. Cullings**, Exira, Iowa.

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT MEDAL—Arthur J. Owens, Pierre, South Dakota. **RUNNERS-UP**—Calvin S. Enright, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Clifford M. James, Chickasha, Oklahoma.

SOLDIERLY BEARING, CONDUCT AND PERSONAL NEATNESS—Charles R. Hitchcock, Kansas City, Kansas.

HONOR COMPANY: HEADQUARTERS COMPANY—OFFICERS—Robert J. Coffman, Salem, Missouri. **CAPTAIN, GOLD MEDAL**: Fay Neil Graham, Plains, Kansas. **CAPTAIN, SILVER MEDAL**: Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kans. **FIRST LIEUTENANT, SILVER MEDAL**: James M. Field, Dalhart, Texas. **FIRST LIEUTENANT, SILVER MEDAL**: Richard C. Gilcrease, Garden City, Kansas. **LIEUTENANT, SILVER MEDAL**: Edward S. Tatge, Ramona, Kansas. **FIRST SERGEANT, BRONZE MEDAL**.

OUTSTANDING HONOR GUARD CADET—David L. Adams, Bentonville, Arkansas.

TRUMPETER: GOLD MEDAL—EDITOR—James W. Fillmore, Wichita Falls, Texas. **SPECIAL COLUMNIST**—Joe L. Bergin, Dallas, Texas. **SILVER MEDAL—BUSINESS MANAGER**—W. Jay Wilcoxen, Arkansas City, Kansas. **BRONZE MEDALS—REPORTERS**—William R. Herder, Kirkwood, Missouri; Paul Neas, Muncie, Kansas; Melvin L. Schmidt, Topeka, Kansas.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION HISTORY AWARD—John H. Westerhoff, Alexandria, Nebraska.

FOX-GOLDMAN AWARDS—Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas; William H. Jamieson, Trinidad, Colorado.

BILL COOK AWARD FOR BEST ALL-ROUND ATHLETE IN JUNIOR COLLEGE—Clifford M. James, Chickasha, Oklahoma; 2nd, Johnny S. Eggen, Sedan, Kansas.

BILL COOK AWARD FOR BEST ALL-ROUND ATHLETE IN HIGH SCHOOL—Larry H. Neeley, Dighton, Kansas; 2nd, Carmen J. Civella, Kansas City, Missouri.

BEST RESERVE ATHLETE IN JUNIOR COLLEGE—Thomas E. Earl, Breckenridge, Missouri.

BEST RESERVE ATHLETE IN HIGH SCHOOL—Tommy G. Robertson, Little Rock, Arkansas.

BEST ALL-ROUND COMPANY ATHLETE—James E. Cado, Lexington, Missouri.

THE V. M. WILLOUGHBY AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ABILITY IN A SPECIFIC SPORT—TRACK—Clifford M. James, Chickasha, Oklahoma.

MOST OUTSTANDING WORK IN MINOR SPORTS IN JUNIOR COLLEGE—Richard J. Malcolm, Moline, Illinois.

MOST OUTSTANDING WORK IN MINOR SPORTS IN HIGH SCHOOL—William R. Rosser, Blue Springs, Missouri.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION MEDAL—Richard L. Lamer, Chester, Illinois.

THE ASSOCIATION OF THE ARMY GOLD MEDAL—Frederick C. Bastron, Red Oak, Iowa.

BALISCH AND LOMB HONORARY SCIENCE AWARD—Edward S. Tatge, Ramona, Kansas.

NATIONAL SOCIETY COLONIAL DAUGHTERS PATRIOTIC ESSAY MEDAL—Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas. **RUNNERS-UP**—Carlos S. Mejorada, Mexico City, Mexico; Clyde D. Carruth, Pampa, Texas.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE R.O.T.C. MEDALS—(For Outstanding Military Merit): **GOLD MEDAL**—John S. McKenney, Kansas City, Missouri. **SILVER MEDAL**—Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas. (First Semester). **GOLD MEDAL**—William A. Cohen, Hickman Mills, Missouri. **SILVER MEDAL**—Guy E. Dorr, Denver, Colorado. (Second Semester).

BEST R.O.T.C. CADETS IN EACH YEAR: ADVANCE II CLASS—Frederick C. Bastron, Red Oak, Iowa. **RUNNER-UP**—John S. McKenney, Kansas City, Missouri. **ADVANCE I CLASS**—Vernon D. Thompson, St. Joseph, Missouri. **RUNNER-UP**—Richard O. Jahn, Dallas, Texas. **BASIC II CLASS**—Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas. **RUNNER-UP**—William A. Cohen, Hickman Mills, Missouri. **BASIC I CLASS**—Leeland Jandebur, North Platte, Nebraska. **RUNNER-UP**—Robert M. Spitz, Santa Fe, New Mexico. **MS II CLASS**—Guy E. Dorr, Denver, Colorado. **RUNNER-UP**—Melvin L. Schmidt, Topeka, Kansas. **MS I CLASS**—Nelson A. Howell, Olmitz, Kansas. **RUNNER-UP**—Fred E. Sellers, Lexington, Missouri.

ARION MUSICAL AWARD—Jonathan C. Amen, Mason City, Iowa.

BEST OLD BOY BANDSMAN—Richard L. Lamer, Chester, Illinois. **RUNNERS-UP**—Norman D. Shutler, Arkansas City, Kansas; Denman Courkamp, Eustis, Nebraska.

BEST NEW BOY BANDSMAN—Robert D. Bastron, Red Oak, Iowa. **RUNNER-UP**—David E. Fredericks, Meeker, Colorado.

DISTINGUISHED MILITARY STUDENTS: Robert J. Coffman, Salem, Missouri; Richard O. Jahn, Dallas, Texas; William H. Jamieson, Trinidad, Colorado; John S. McKenney, Kansas City, Missouri; Vernon D. Thompson, St. Joseph, Missouri.

BEST COMPANY COMMANDER: (Tie) Jerry D. Neeley, Dighton, Kansas. **COMPANY D**: Robert J. Coffman, Salem, Missouri. **HEADQUARTERS COMPANY**.

BEST PLATOON LEADER—Clifford M. James, Chickasha, Oklahoma. **COMPANY C**.

BEST EXECUTIVE OFFICER—Loren D. Wilson, Fort Smith, Arkansas. **COMPANY B**.

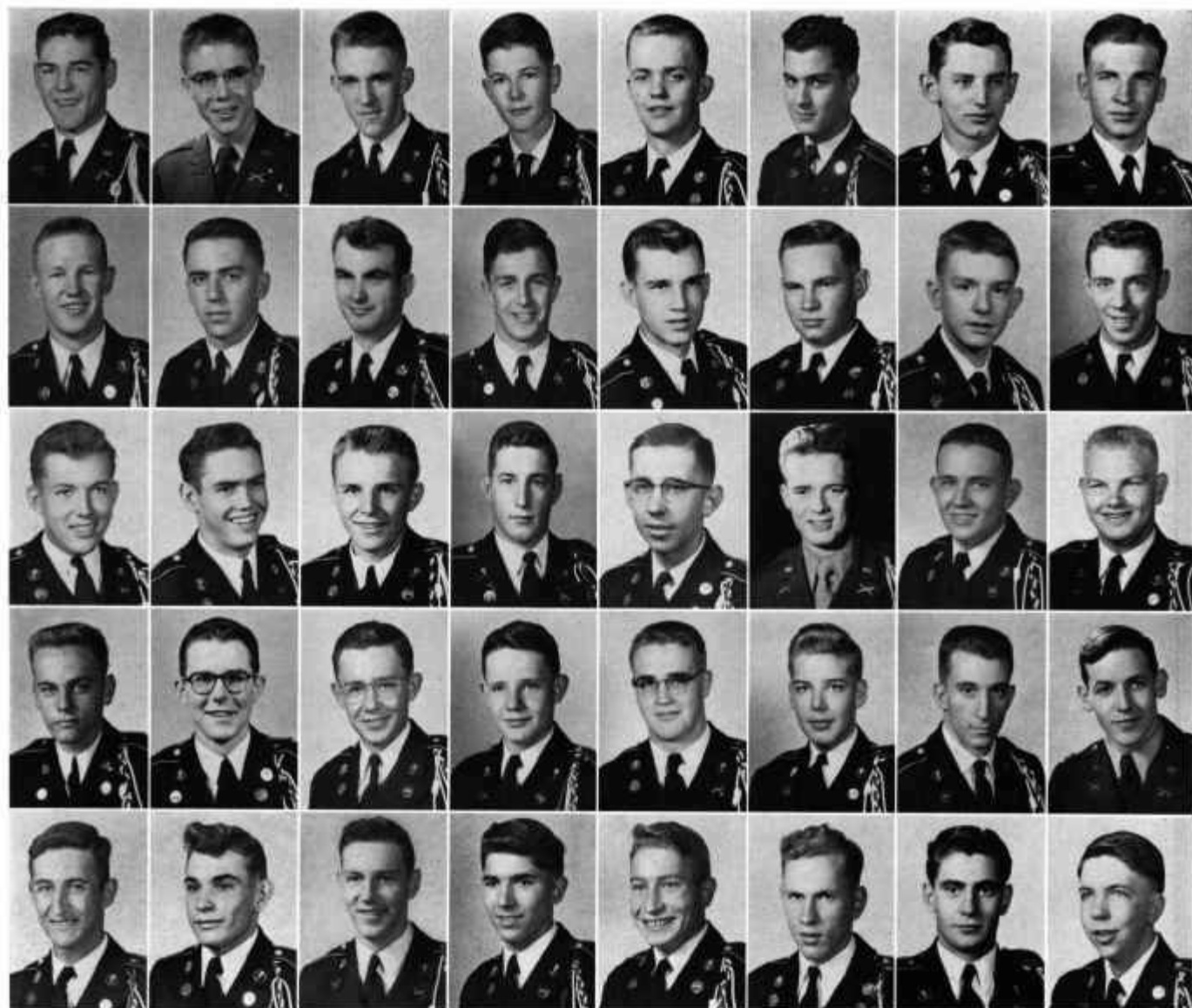
BEST FIRST SERGEANT—Vernon D. Thompson, St. Joseph, Missouri. **COMPANY B**.

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BATTALION COMMANDER PLAQUE—Joe F. Ross, Cadet Lieutenant Colonel, Kansas City, Mo.

COMPANY COMMANDER PLAQUES: **COMPANY A**—William H. Jamieson, Trinidad, Colorado, **Cadet Captain**; **COMPANY B**—John S. McKenney, Kansas City, Missouri, **Cadet Captain**; **COMPANY C**—Sam M. Richardson, El Dorado, Arkansas, **Cadet Captain**; **COMPANY D**—Gerald D. Neeley, Dighton, Kansas, **Cadet Captain**; **HEADQUARTERS COMPANY**—Robert J. Coffman, Salem, Missouri, **Cadet Captain**.

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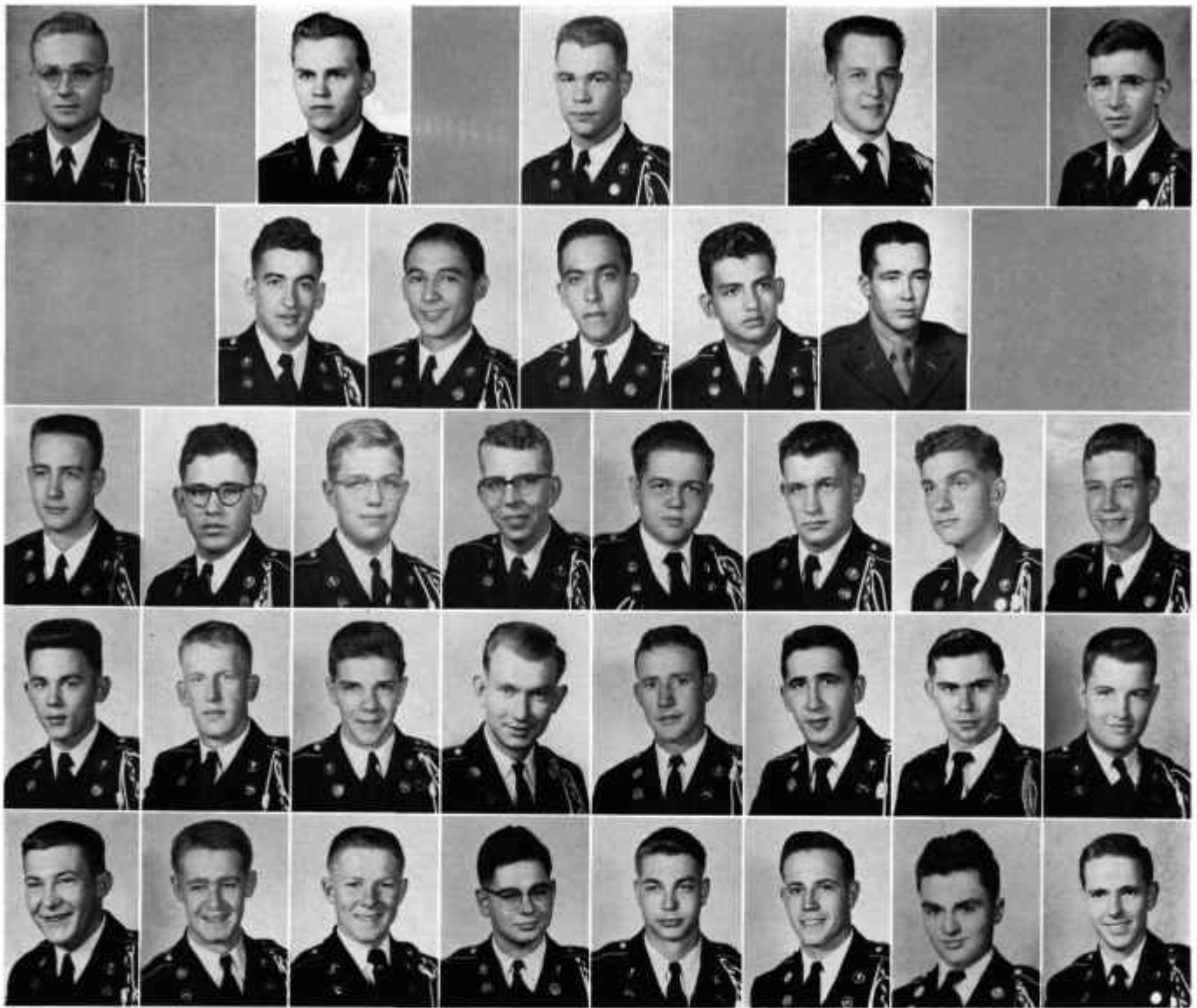
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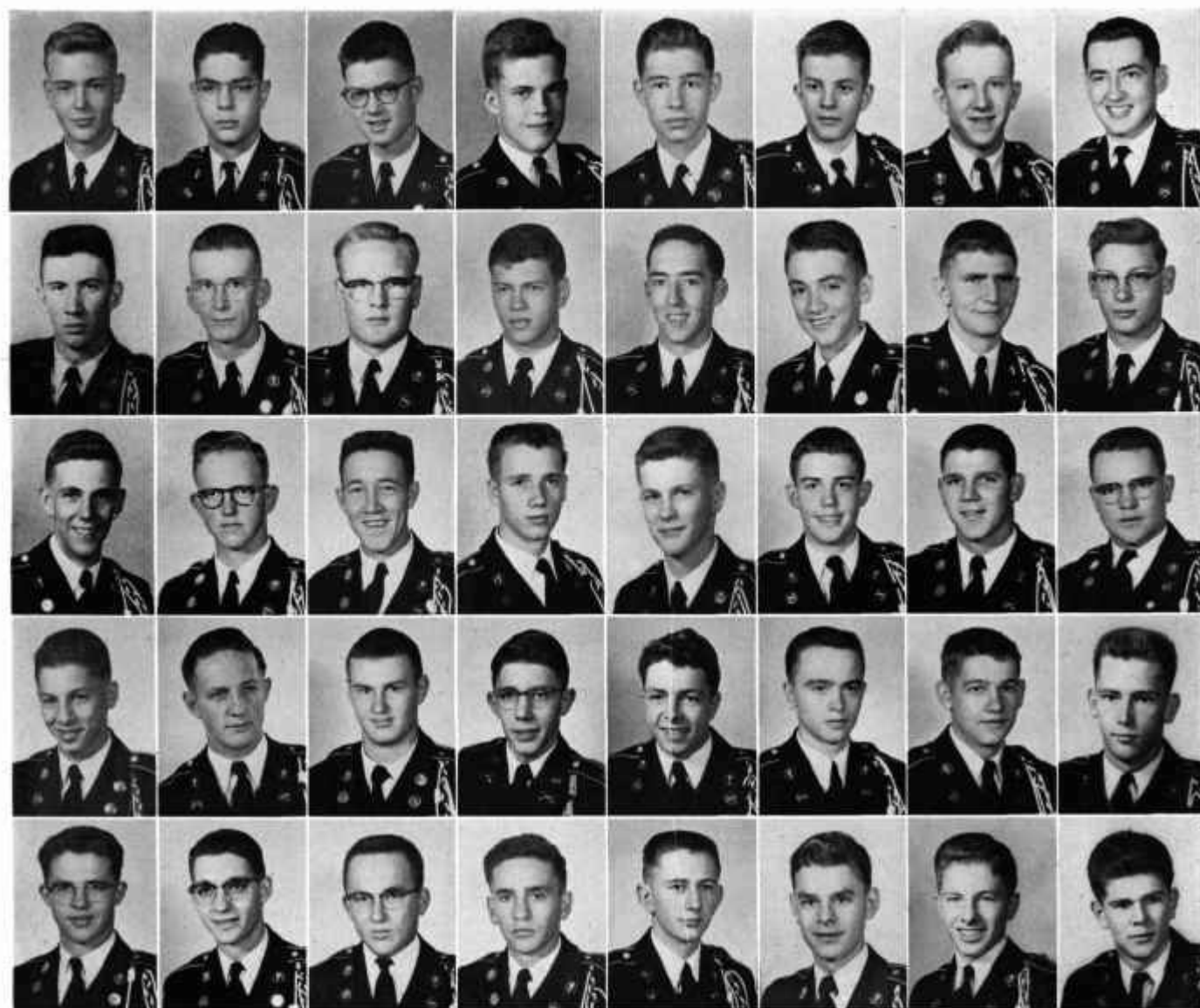
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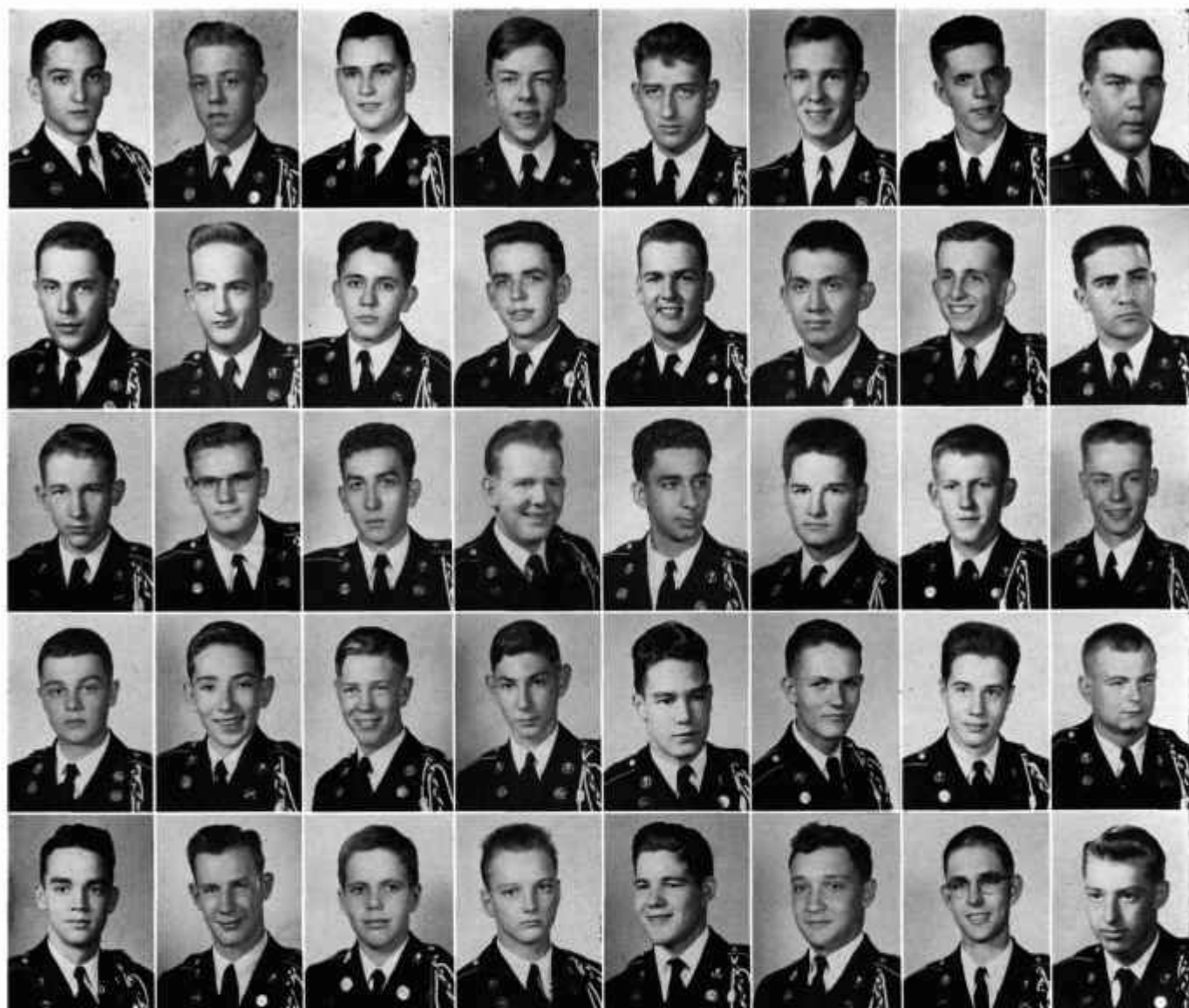
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JUNIOR COLLEGE FRESHMAN (Continued)

Class of '56

James William Fillmore... 2425 Berkley Drive, Wichita Falls, Texas
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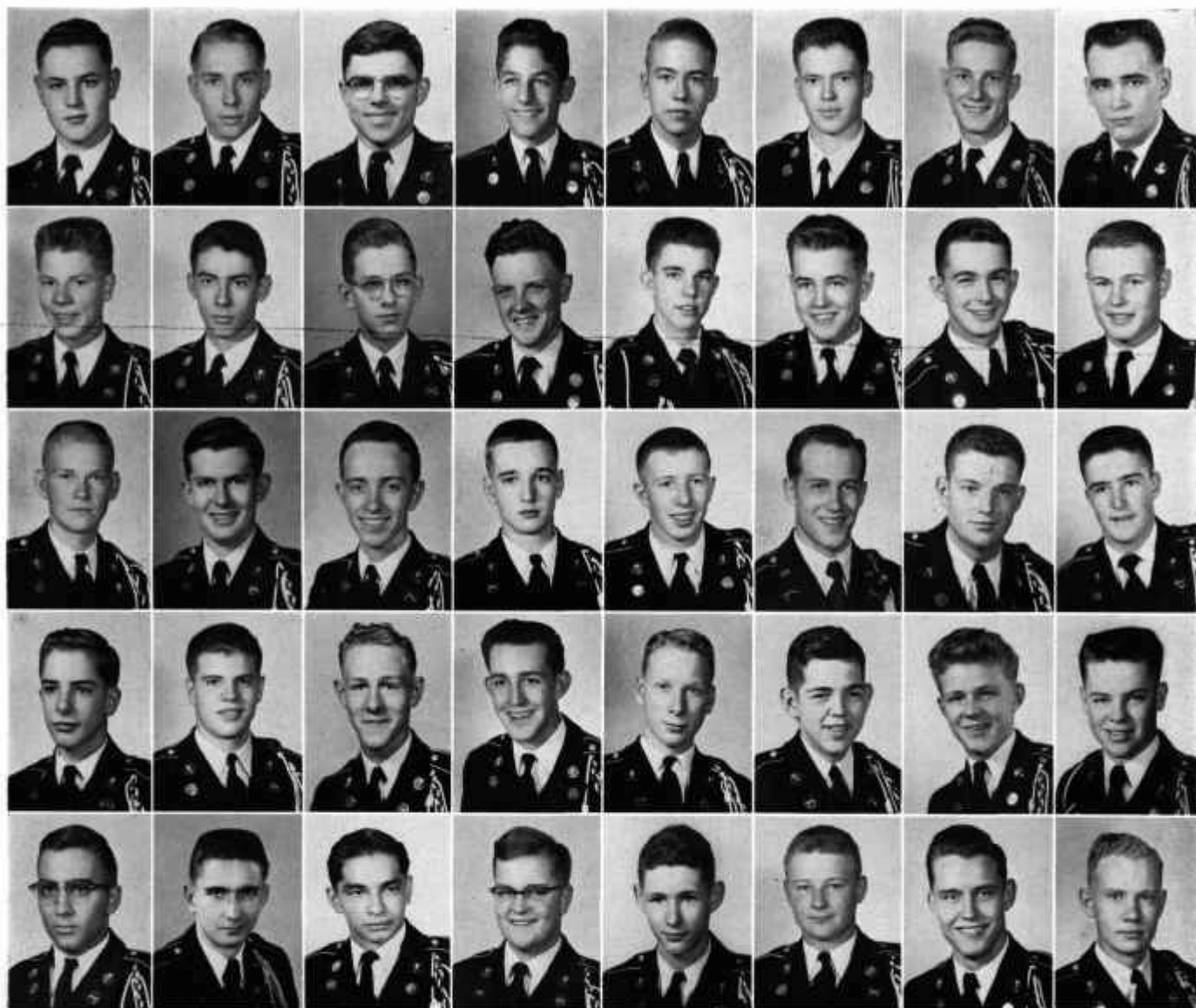
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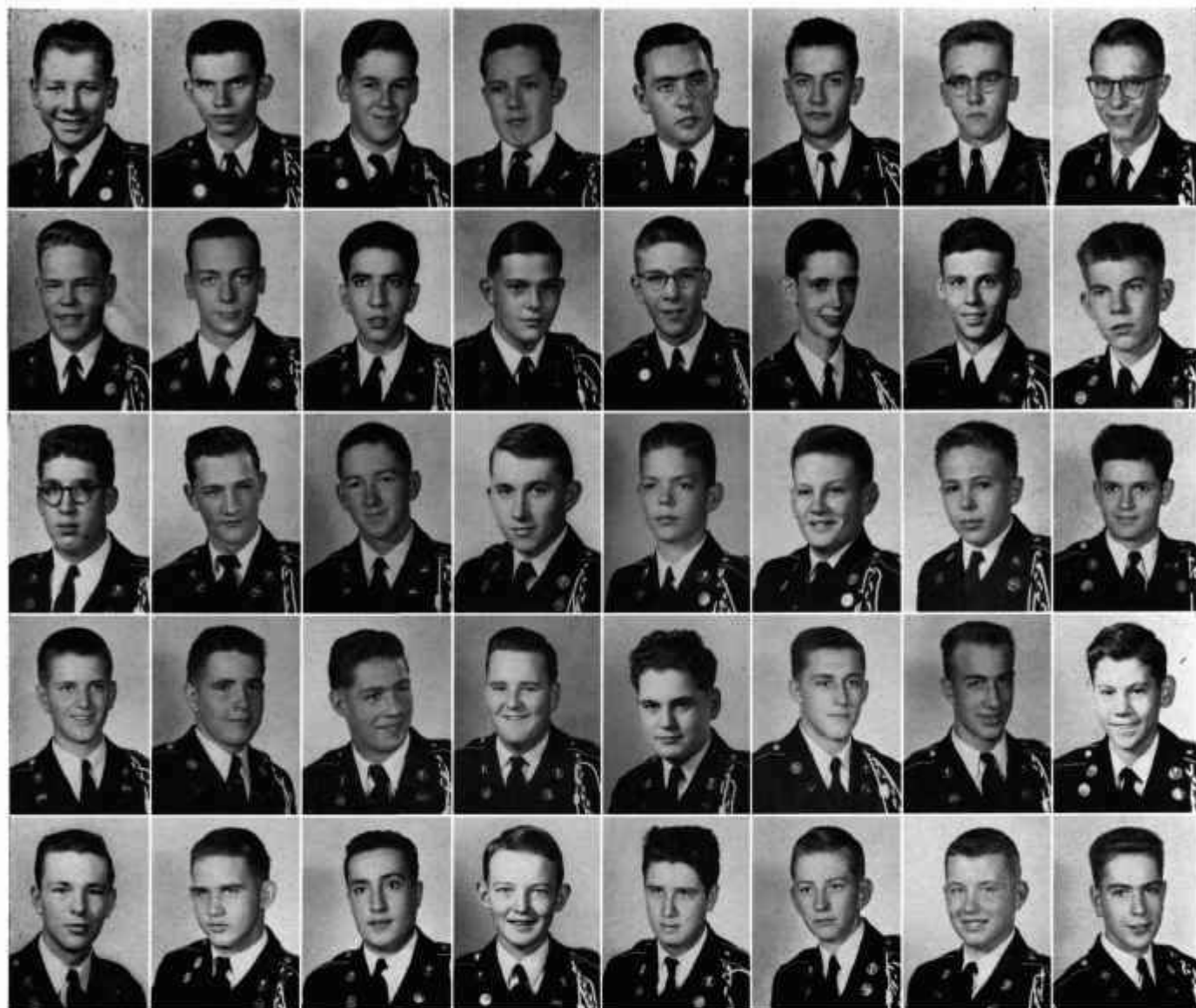
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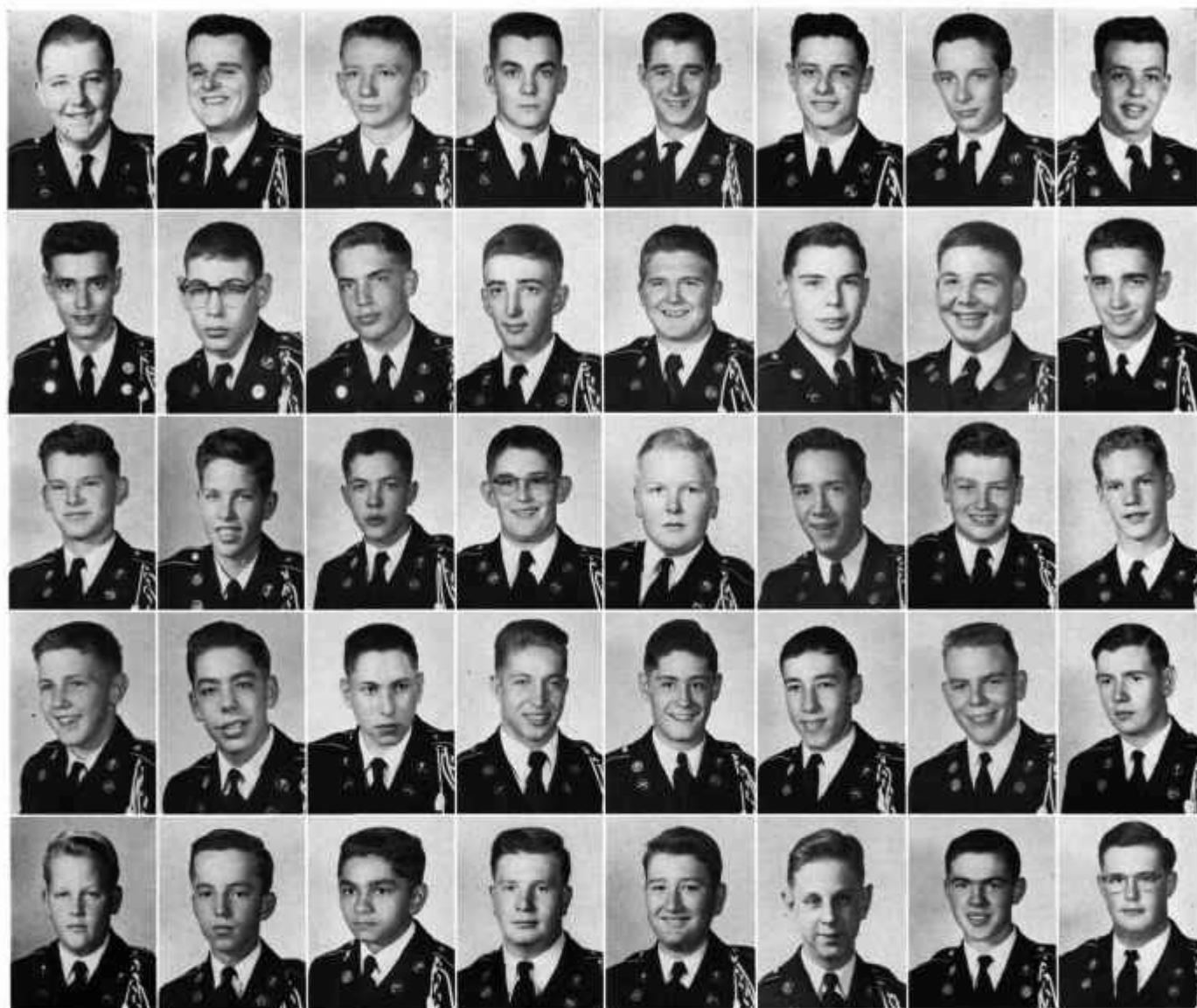


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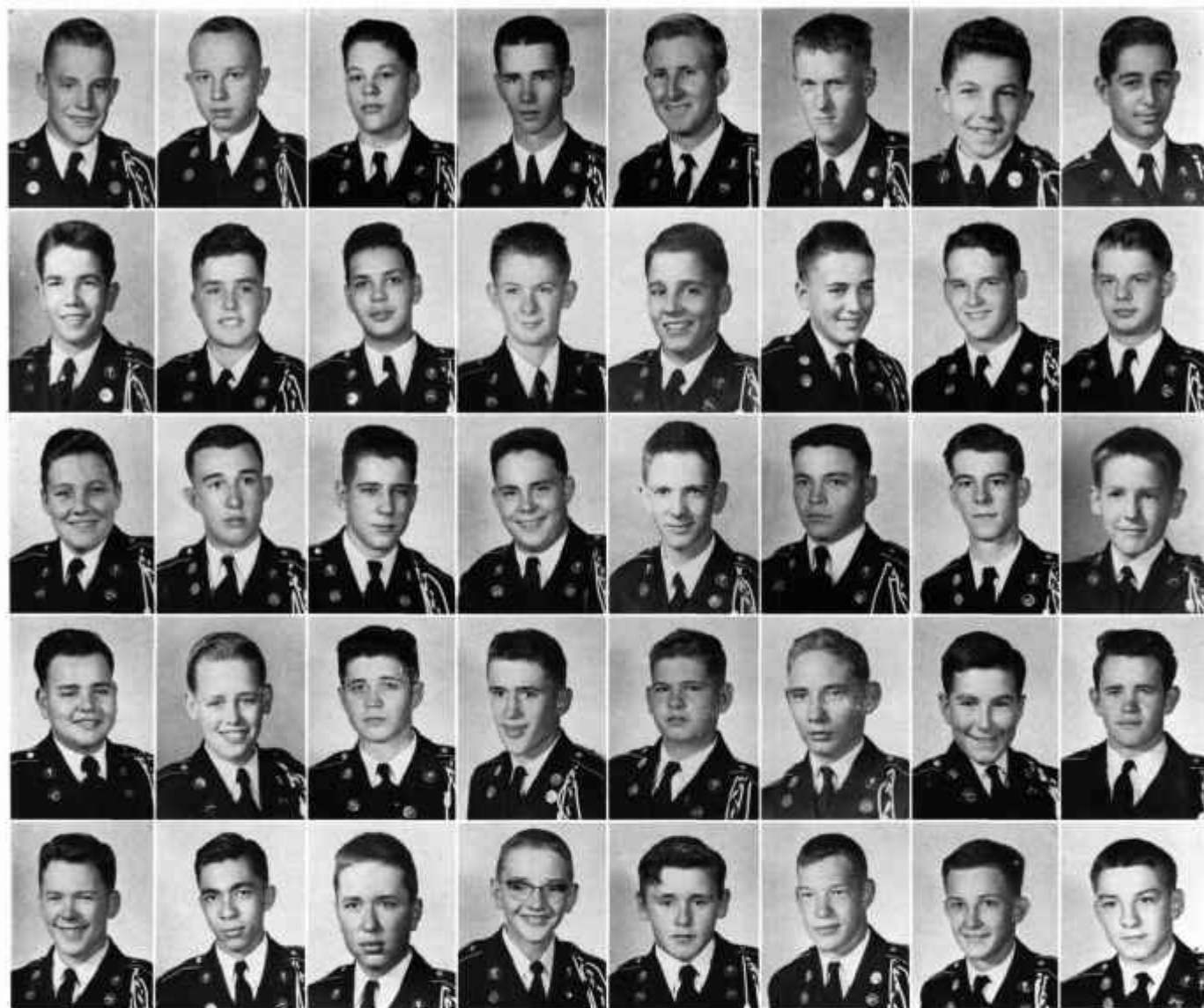
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 Tom Kearns Warford 620 - 40th St., Des Moines, Iowa
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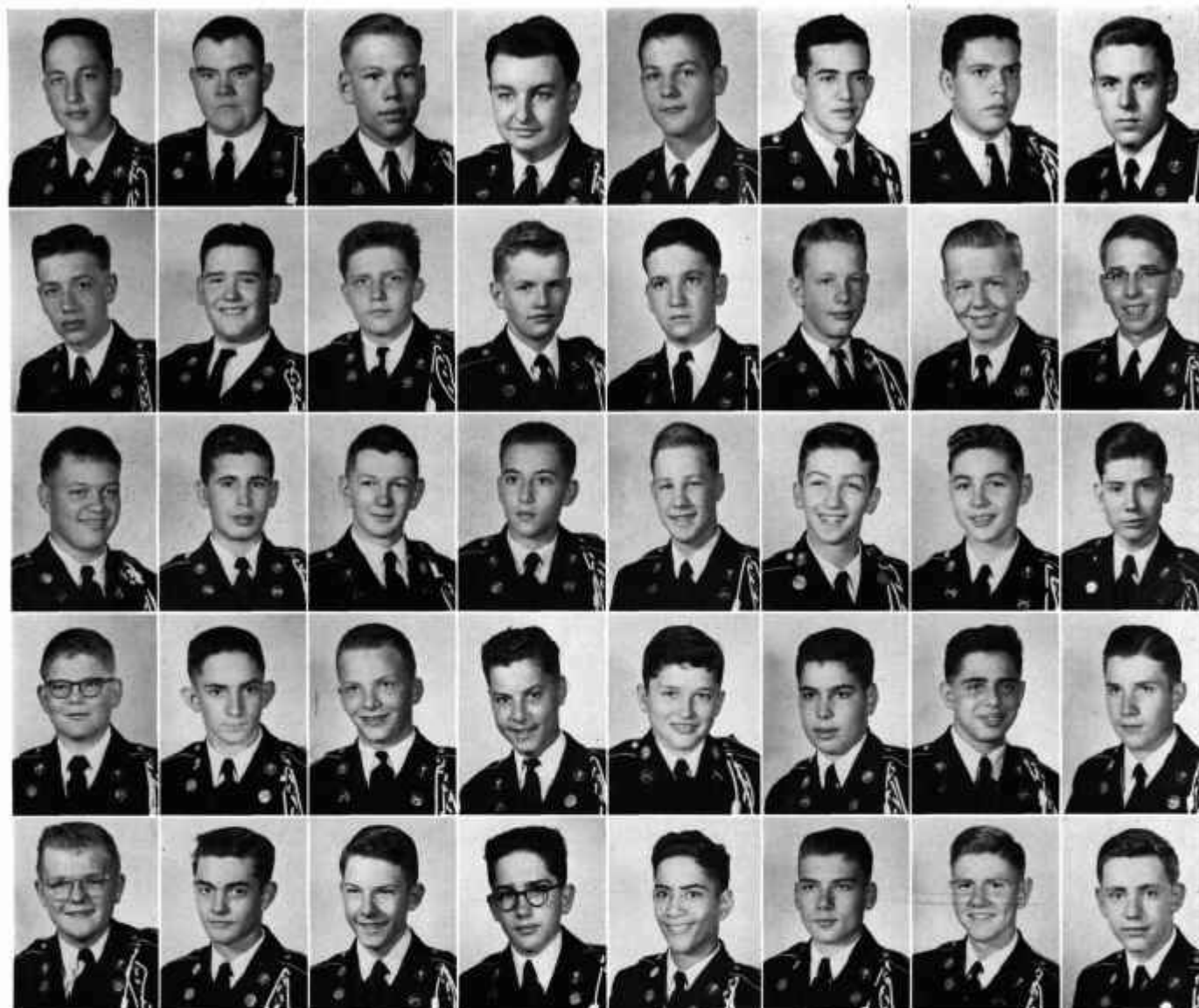
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HIGH SCHOOL SOPHOMORES

Class of '59

William E. Adams P.O. Box 567, Rangely, Colorado
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Class of '59-'60

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 Andres Poulat Zaplana — General Canis, 68, Tacubaya, Mexico, D. F.



First Row (left to right): Ellis, B., Berninger, Boyd, R., Jamieson, Stewart, Rojas, Falk.
 Second Row (left to right): Knox, Treaster, Marsh, White, M. J., Vallon, Eggen, Uppole, Davison.
 Third Row (left to right): Micheletti, Bidwell, Mittelstadt, McDougal, Kilborn, Hall, Booth, Faust, Lee.
 Fourth Row (left to right): Kelley, J. W., Merlo, Salyer, Rush, Fink, Bridger, Leech, Johnson, Grube, Stephens.
 Fifth Row (left to right): Harkey, Wolf, M., Devins, Skinner, Cado, Jarman, Oliver, Hutchins, Earl, Pease, Gibbons.
 Sixth Row (left to right): Redmond, Kever, Pollard, Jandebour, Malcolm, Harp, Diers, Weissman, Gregory, Kohl, Poffenberger, Ruddock.
 Seventh Row (left to right): Castro, Vasquez, Schnell, Barrera, Brazzoduro, Ramos, J., Moore, T., Hoke, Nichols.

COMPANY "A"

Captain Jamieson—Company Commander

Second Lieut. Jahn—Executive Officer
 Rojas—First Sergeant
 Hall, S. K.—Supply Sergeant

Lane—Mail Sergeant
 Mittelstadt—Guidon Bearer

First Platoon

Second Lieut. Boyd, R.—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Berninger—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Booth—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Knox, Squad Leader
 Malcolm
 Grube
 Johnson, J., Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Davison, Squad Leader
 Cado
 Salyer, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Severson, Squad Leader
 Vanlandingham
 Rush, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Bridger, Squad Leader
 Jones, J.
 Lane, Assistant Leader

Diers
 Wiseman

Merlo
 Barrera

Hutchins

Nichols
 Gibbons

Ruddock
 Kilborn

Faust

Gregory

Oliver, L.
 Jarman

Pease
 Ramos, J.

Brazzoduro

Harkey

Bidwell
 Earl

Stephens
 Castro

Poffenberger

Harp

Hemandollar
 Moore, T.

Second Platoon

Second Lieut. Stewart—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Falk—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Eggen—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Marsh, Squad Leader
 Fink
 Lee, Assistant Leader

Second Squad

White, M., Squad Leader
 Redmond
 Schnell
 Micheletti, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Uppole, Squad Leader
 Vasquez
 Treaster
 Hall, S. K., Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Vallon, Squad Leader
 Leech
 McDougal, Assistant Leader

Skinner

Jandebour

Kelley, J.

Kever



First Row (left to right): Sockel, Thompson, V., Wilson, L., McKenney, J. S., Collins, Haines, Goodman.
 Second Row (left to right): Phillips, Levitch, Osgood, Wilton, Statton, Neeley, L., Neas, J., Beutzel.
 Third Row (left to right): Hudson, Graham, Kelling, Marx, Laedrach, Perez, Abreu, Arneson, Hall.
 Fourth Row (left to right): Wright, Grundeman, Perry, Levy, Jones, J., Dolly, Blaine, Wolfe, R., Mariner, Coss.
 Fifth Row (left to right): Howell, Young, Bergin, Marx, S. J., McGaughey, Smith, M., Cornish, Barnes, Duke, Carhtera, Carruth.
 Sixth Row (left to right): Vits, Wilcoxen, Fillmore, Cissona, Keith, Wolfe, D., Gustafson, Burns, Hales, Rosser, W., Asher, Washington.
 Seventh Row (left to right): Smith, R., Ramos, P., Diaz, Marquez, Richardson, A., Nieder, McDuff, Rosser, R., White, J., Bergren, Herder, Finlayson.
 Eighth Row (left to right): Spitz, Dorr.

COMPANY "B"

Captain McKenney—Company Commander

First Lieut. Wilson, L.—Executive Officer
 Thompson, V.—First Sergeant
 Carruth—Supply Sergeant

Richardson, A.—Mail Sergeant
 Dorr—Guidon Bearer

First Platoon

Second Lieut. Haines—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Goodman—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class McGaughey—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Osgood, Squad Leader
 Smith, R. H.
 Dorr
 Howell
 Fillmore
 Blaine
 Wilton
 Carroth
 Wolfe, R., Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Hall, C. W., Squad Leader
 Laedrach
 Arneson
 Cissona
 Perez
 Cabtera
 Abreu
 Marx, S. A.
 Spitz, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Coss, Squad Leader
 Jones, J.
 Duke
 Finlayson
 Neas, J.
 Neeley, L.
 Hudson
 Barnes
 Mariner, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Perry, Squad Leader
 Levy
 Graham, J.
 Diaz
 Statton
 Dolly
 Cornish
 Kelling, Assistant Leader

Second Platoon

Second Lieut. Collins—Platoon Leader
 Sergeant First Class Beutzel—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Smith, M. S.—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Marx, S. J., Squad Leader
 Richardson, A.
 Keith

Asher, Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Rosser, W., Squad Leader
 Burns
 Herder

Hales, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Wilcoxen, Squad Leader
 Bergren
 Levitch

Vits, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Rosser, R., Squad Leader
 Washington
 Sockel
 Young
 Phillips
 White, J., Assistant Leader



First Row (left to right): Bowman, R., Roberts, J., James, Richardson, S., Enright, C., Otto, Smith, S. C.
 Second Row (left to right): White, T., Russell, Anderson, S., Reimers, Courtwright, Roberts, B., White, R., Rowe.
 Third Row (left to right): Kennedy, Serrano, Brown, R., Bowzer, Dixon, Fulgency, Lutsenhizer, George, Adams, D.
 Fourth Row (left to right): Vargas, J., Mott, Stanley, Faulkner, Rovner, S. M., Jessop, Schwanz, Oliver, Wells, Solberg.
 Fifth Row (left to right): Vargas, M., Bermudez, Parker, Furnish, Gass, Twohy, Warford, Arrington, McClell, Chaffee, Parry.
 Sixth Row (left to right): Allan, Rovner, S. J., Cooper, Moser, Leone, Myers, Castner, Prose, Anderson, L., Gooden, Adams, W., Thompson, B.
 Seventh Row (left to right): Wolford, Nofsinger, Hardman, Munch, Kancel, Nicoella, Goodhue, D., Miglizzo, DiGiovanni, Robertson, B., Bowman, L.
 Eighth Row (left to right): Zaplana, Geraci, Laffan, Vargas, R., Hansen, Rank, Bowdish, Neas, P., Miceli, Merritt, B.

COMPANY "C"

Captain Richardson, S.—Company Commander

Second Lieut. Smith, S.—Executive Officer
 Otto—First Sergeant

Cass—Supply Sergeant
 Hansen, N.—Guidon Bearer

First Platoon

Second Lieut. Enright, C.—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Roberts, J.—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Courtwright—Platoon Guide

Second Platoon

Second Lieut. James—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Bowman, R.—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Bowzer—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Warford, Squad Leader
 Adams, M., Kancel, Munch
 Castner, Allan, Prose
 McClell, Assistant Leader

Myers

Lutsenhizer
 Mott

First Squad

Parker, Squad Leader
 Vargas, M., Stanley
 Chaffee, Faulkner
 Dixon, Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Furnish, Squad Leader
 Goodhue, D., Moser, Laffan
 Miceli, Thompson, D., Robertson, B.
 Cooper, Assistant Leader

Hardman,
 Sparks, W.

Schwanz
 Vargas, J.

Second Squad

Twohy, Squad Leader
 Rovner, S. M., Neas, P.
 Bermudez, George, Oliver
 Adams, D., Assistant Leader, Bott

Third Squad

Parry, Squad Leader
 Nicoella, Nofsinger, Miglizzo
 Geraci, Merritt, B., Vargas, R.
 Bowman, L., Assistant Leader

Serrano

Brown

Third Squad

Wells, Squad Leader
 Jessop, Solberg, Roberts, B.
 Kennedy, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Arrington, Squad Leader
 Rovner, S. J., Leone, Rank
 DiGiovanni, Anderson, L., Wolford
 Gooden, Assistant Leader

Wolford

Bowdish
 Rowe

Fourth Squad

White, T., Squad Leader
 Reimers, Anderson, L., Russell
 Zaplana, Fulgency
 White, R., Assistant Leader



First Row (left to right): Kinneough, E., Ellfeldt, Hitchcock, Neeley, J., Cohen, Geller, Bowden.
 Second Row (left to right): Gonzalez, Ellis, J., Anun, Skelton, Whisenant, Ewbank, Viquez, Jenkins.
 Third Row (left to right): Hellman, Peck, Miller, Muse, Anliot, Ziegler, C., Allen, Goodhue, D. A., Long.
 Fourth Row (left to right): Meiorada, Boyd, T., Warren, Meier, Bennett, Fulkerson, Kahn, Beauchamp, Larson, Brinkerhoff.
 Fifth Row (left to right): Bell, Robey, Robertson, T., Moore, D., Bartelt, Bellows, Reece, Civella, Coil, Kent, Crosby.
 Sixth Row (left to right): Ziegler, R., Sharp, Stompoly, Owens, Tilden, Paul, Sparks, B., Knudsen, Rockett, Davidson, Weeaks.
 Seventh Row (left to right): Duffner, Williams, Fulton, Arrivillaga, Knowles, Ceraulo, Cavaliere, Cuezze, Koch, Baker, Hansen, L. Redfield.

COMPANY "D"

Captain Neeley, J.—Company Commander

Second Lieut. Cohen—Executive Officer
 Ellfeldt—First Sergeant
 Crosby, Mail Sergeant

Kahn—Personnel Sergeant
 Ceraulo—Guidon Bearer
 Whisenant—Supply Sergeant

First Platoon

Second Lieut. Cohen—Executive Officer
 Master Sergeant Long—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Tilden—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Cavaliere, Squad Leader
 Arrivillaga
 Meier, Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Hansen, Squad Leader
 Sharp
 Cuezze, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Owens, Squad Leader
 Knudsen
 Weeaks, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Koch, Squad Leader
 Moore, D.

Duffner

Boyd
 Crosby

Stompoly

Beauchamp

Rockett

Allen
 Ziegler, C.

Robertson

Durbin
 Viquez

Second Platoon

Second Lieut. Geller—Platoon Leader
 Master Sergeant Boden—Platoon Sergeant
 Sergeant First Class Muse—Platoon Guide

First Squad

Warren, Squad Leader
 Meiorada
 Bellows, Assistant Leader

Second Squad

Fulkerson, Squad Leader
 Larson
 Miller, Assistant Leader

Third Squad

Bennett, Squad Leader
 Gonzalez
 Civella, Assistant Leader

Fourth Squad

Ellis, J., Squad Leader
 Skelton
 Anliot, Assistant Leader

Coil

Hellman

Goodhue, D. R.

Jenkins

Fulton
 Williams

Knowles

Ziegler, R.

Baker

Paul
 Davidson

Sparks

Reece
 Bartelt

Robey
 Bell



First Row (left to right): Gilcrease, Field, Coffman, Graham, F. N., Shuttler, Tatge.
 Second Row (left to right): Courkamp, Lavine, Lamer, Amen, Buck, Anderson, S. N., Schmidt.
 Third Row (left to right): Sellers, Pence, Manion, Starke, Oltjen, Biggar, Stalling, Cullings, Osterhout.
 Fourth Row (left to right): Green, Huelster, Bastron, D., McCarthy, Roark, Odel, Zarbock, Walker, Mallory.
 Fifth Row (left to right): Westerhoff, Rose, Dick, Swanson, Fredericks, McKinney, Kelly, J. D., Moeller, Schuster, Krueger.
 Sixth Row (left to right): Terry, Hackmack, Johnston, Rayburn.

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

Captain Coffman—Company Commander

Capt. Graham, F. N.—Executive Officer

Lamer—Supply Sergeant

Second Lieut. Gilcrease—Commander Drum and Bugle Corps

Biggar—Mail Sergeant

Tatge—First Sergeant

First Platoon

First Lieut. Shuttler—Leader

Master Sergeant Buck—Platoon Sergeant

Sergeant First Class Johnston—Assistant Platoon Sergeant

Second Platoon

First Lieut. Field—Platoon Leader

Master Sergeant Amen—Platoon Sergeant

Sergeant First Class Courkamp—Assistant Platoon Sergeant

First Squad

Anderson, S. N., Squad Leader
 Huelster Pence

Odel

First Squad

Oltjen, Squad Leader
 McKinney Schuster

Dick

Swanson
 Terry

Second Squad

Cullings, Squad Leader
 Mallory Bastron, D. Zarbock

Roark
 Starke

Second Squad

Stalling, Squad Leader
 Rose Moeller

Osterhout

Hackmack
 Sellers

Third Squad

Schmidt, Squad Leader
 McCarthy Green
 Manion, Assistant Leader

Walker

Third Squad

Lavine, Squad Leader
 Kelly Krueger

Westerhoff

Fredericks
 Rayburn



BATTALION STAFF

First Row (left to right): Biker, Marker, Ross, Ashley, Mull.

Second Row (left to right): Reis, Kimbrough, E., Gilcrease, Frush, Chandler, Hannan, Enright, W.

Third Row (left to right): Smith, S. C., Merlo, McDougal, Kilborn.

MILITARY ORGANIZATION

Lt. Col.—Ross, J. F., Battalion Commander

Major—Ashley, L. D., Battalion Executive Officer

Captain—Marker, L. D., S3, Operations and Training

Captain—Mull, H. K., Honor Guard Commander

Captain—Chandler, H. S., Property Officer

First Lieut.—Biker, A. M., S4, Supply

First Lieut.—Hannan, A. P., S2, Intelligence

Second Lieut.—Gilcrease, R., Drum and Bugle Corps Commander

Second Lieut.—Frush, J. R., Indoor Range Officer

Second Lieut.—Smith, S. C., Outdoor Range Officer

WO—Enright, W. D., Sergeant Major

M/Sgt.—Treaster, H. E., Jr., Battalion Supply Sergeant

M/Sgt.—Ellis, R. R., Provost Sergeant

M/Sgt.—Kelley, J. W., Medical Sergeant

M/Sgt.—Keith, R. M., Jr., Athletic Sergeant

Sergeant First Class—White, F. T., Librarian

Sergeant First Class—Fulgency, R. J., Communications Sergeant

Sergeant—Fillmore, J. W., Medical Orderly

Sergeant—Merko, J. L., Battalion Personnel Sergeant

Corporal—Washington, H. C., Medical Orderly

Color Guard

WO—Kimbrough, E. L.

Sergeant—Stompoly, R. L.

Sergeant First Class—Bellows, J. T.

Sergeant—Skelton, J. B.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

First Row (left to right): Capt. R. Hepler, Shutler, Hitchcock, Field, Tatge.

Second Row (left to right): Cohen, Ellfeldt, Buck, White, T., Hansen, L., Bowden.

Third Row (left to right): Rosser, W., Schmidt, Warren, Wilson, L., Smith, R., Johnston, Smith, M.

Fourth Row (left to right): Lieut. Baston, F., Hales, Rosser, R., Geller, Enright, W., Bellows, Lutsenizer, Courtright.

WENTWORTH HONOR SOCIETY

First Row (left to right): Col. Brown, Hitchcock, Shutler, Enright, W., Haines, Jamieson, Field, Coffman, Tatge, Wilson, L.

Second Row (left to right): Osgood, Thompson, V., Ellfeldt, Buck, Bellows, Hansen, H., Wilcoxon, Courtright, Smith, M., Gilcrease, Arrington.

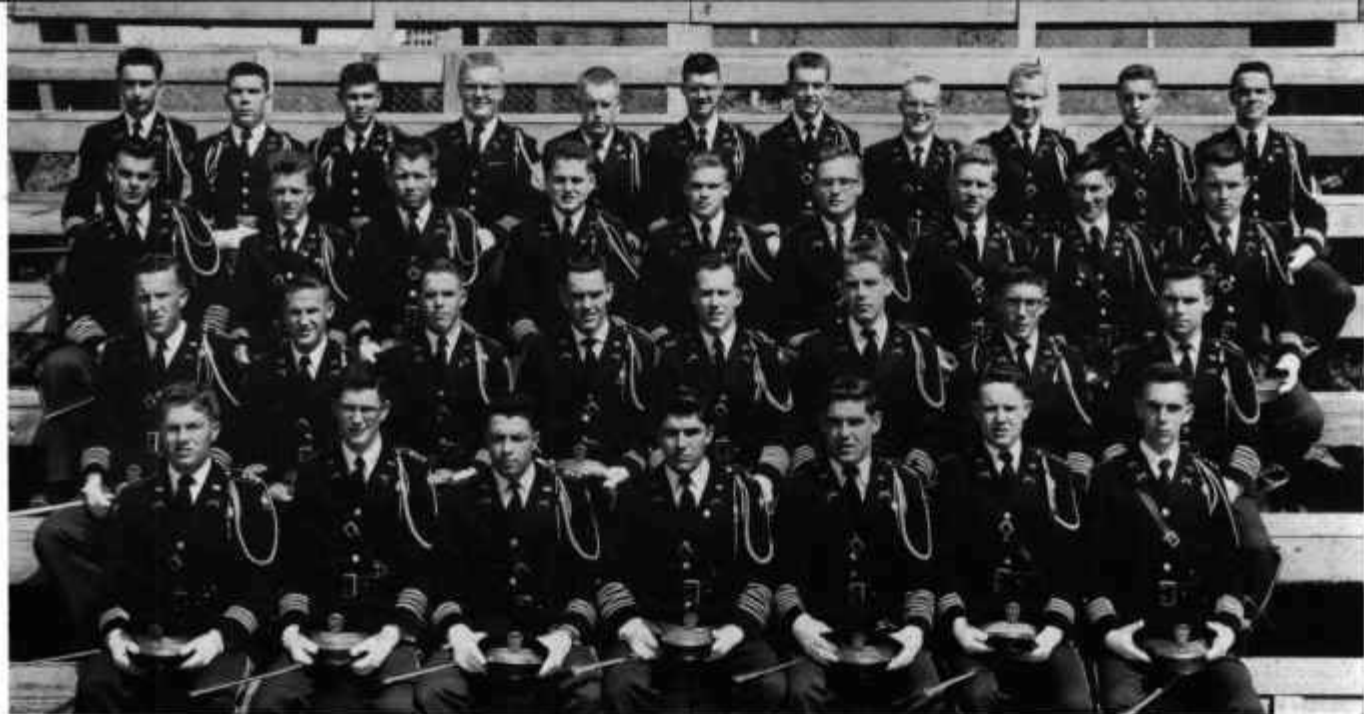
Third Row (left to right): Cohen, Coss, Duer, White, J., Marx, S. J., Huelster, Baston, D., Malcolm, Gregory, Lavine, Johnston, Westerhoff, Brown.

Fourth Row (left to right): Warren, Rosser, Courkamp, Castner, Davidson, Gissna, Johnson, Smith, R., Jandebeur, Micheletti, Kelling, Treaster, Mallory.

Fifth Row (left to right): Knux, Spitz, Cado, Rosser, Hales, Herder, Cavaliere, Devins, Wolf, Mittelstadt, Ceraulo, Gonzalez, Marsh, Cullings.

Sixth Row (left to right): Geller, Nicolella, Munch, White, T., Anderson, S., Roberts, J., Faust, Kilhorn, Bartelt, Bennett.





CADET OFFICERS

First Row (left to right): Richardson S., Coffman, Neeley, G., Ross, Ashley, McKenney, Jamieson.

Second Row (left to right): Graham, F. N., Enright, C., Field, James, Biker, Marker, Mull, Chandler.

Third Row (left to right): Reis, Gilcrease, Wilson, L., Enright, W., Geller, Stewart, Kimbrough, E., Cohen, Collins.

Fourth Row (left to right): Tatge, Thompson, V., Rojas, Otto, Boyd, R., Frush, Hannan, Haines, Shulter, Hitchcock, Ellfeldt.

HONOR GUARD

First Row (left to right): Adams, Kelling, White, T., Roberts, J., Mull, Col. Brown, Cohen, Bellows, Hansen, L., Warren, Osgood.

Second Row (left to right): Rojas, Vallos, Bowzer, Rosser, W., Courtwright, White, M., Muse, Dorr, Smith, M., White, J. G.

Third Row (left to right): Thompson, V., Bowman, L., Crosby, Warford, Stampoly, Richardson, A., Long, Smith, R., Arrington, Parry.

Fourth Row (left to right): Gilcrease, Cullings, Oltjen, Johnston, Lavine, Tatge, Collins, Anderson, S. N., Lamer, Courkamp, Schmidt, Stalling.





WENTWORTH BAND

First Row (left to right): Amen, Biggar, Starke, Anderson, S. N., Gilcrease, Möller, Dick, O'Brien, Targe, Lavine, Zarbock.

Second Row (left to right): Mulloy, Kelly, J., Walker, Schmidt, Schuster, Cullings, Johnston, Manion, Terry, Green, Stalling, Osterhout, McKinney, Graham, N.

Third Row (left to right): Shuter, Westzhoff, Krueger, Lamer, Rose, Pence, Sellers, Hackmack, Swanson, Back, Boark.

Fourth Row (left to right): Courkamp, Odel, Bastron, D., Field, Huelster, Rayburn, Fredericks, McCarthy, Coffman, Capt. Johnson.

GLEE CLUB

First Row (left to right): Capt. Johnson, Enright, C., Walker, Collins, Asher, Harkey, Kelley, J., Nichols.

Second Row (left to right): Mejerada, Krueger, Jandebeur, Hutchins, Grube, Diers, Paul, Poffenberger.





PHI THETA KAPPA

First Row (left to right): Treasurer, Skinner, Cado, Pease, Faust, Devins, Mittelstadt, Bastron, F. C.

Back Row (left to right): Wilcoxen, Jahn, Anderson, S. N., Kelling, Captain Romani.



DEMOLAY CLUB

First Row (left to right): Capt. Clemens, Sponsor, Keith, Haines, Gregory, Bastron, F.

Second Row (left to right): Vix, Wiseman, Mariner, Hansen, L., Bellows, Crosby.

Third Row (left to right): Chandler, Kelly, J., Schuster, Tatge, Skinner, Spitz, Gilcrease.

Fourth Row (left to right): Solberg, Riker, Long.





AVIATION CLASS 1954-55

First Row (left to right): Bergen, Bwark, Cohen, Hardman, Aoun, Richardson, S., Keith, Hitchcock, Ramos, P., Mott.

Back Row (left to right): Major Stagner, Robey, Moser, Anderson, S. N., Coffman, Reece, Krueger, Vernon Van Camp (flight instructor), Paul Thomas (flight instructor).

RIFLE TEAM

First Row (left to right): Dick R. H., McKenney, J. S., Marker, Sergeant Lewis, Frush, Gilcrease, Traster.

Back Row (left to right): Youzog, Dorr, Osgood, Thompson, V. D., Ziegler, R. V., Schmidt, M.





TRUMPETER STAFF

Left to Right: Captain Pirhalla, Herder, Bergin, Fillmore, Willcoxon, White, F. T., Kelling, Neas, P.



DRAMATICS GROUP

First Row (left to right): Redfield, Migliazzo, Capt. Linscheid, Osterhout, Biggar.

Second Row (left to right): Rosser, Osgood, Wright, Bowdish, Munch, Vits.





COLOR GUARD

Left to Right: Stampoly, Arringani, Bellows, Bartelt, Kimbrough, E., Adams, D., Praise, Bowman, L.

INDIAN GROUP

A group of cadets who meet regularly to study Indian lore, including interpretative dancing. These cadets are shown in costumes which they personally designed and made. The Wentworth Indian group makes a number of appearances in nearby communities during the year. Personnel of the group changes frequently throughout the year.





JUNIOR COLLEGE "W" CLUB

First Row (left to right): Enright, C., Marsh, Uppole, Falk, Eggen, James, Kilhorn, Mittelstadt.

Second Row (left to right): Michelutti, Ashley, Kohl, White, M., Grube, Harkey, Fulton, Merlo.

Third Row (left to right): Keever, Hoke, Moore, T., Pease, Johnson, Reis, Lamer, Hannan, Neeley, J., Capt. Readecker.

HIGH SCHOOL "W" CLUB

First Row (left to right): Ellfeldt, Shutler, Hitchcock.

Second Row (left to right): Civella, Ceraula, Haines, Cavaliere, Huelster, Jenkins, Riker.

Third Row (left to right): Reimers, Koch, Bennett, Wilson, L., Beauchamp, Smith, R., Field, Courtright.

Fourth Row (left to right): Cornish, Bellows, Coss, Smith, M., Neeley, L., Roberts, J., Otto.

Fifth Row (left to right): Berninger, Frush, Enright, W., Skelton, Buck, Capt. Readecker, Statton, Johnston, Stanley.





JUNIOR COLLEGE FOOTBALL TEAM

1954

First Row (left to right): Weber, Johnson, J. L., Eggen, Ashley, Falk, D., Harris, G., Enright, C., Uppole, Marsh, White, M. J., McNeill.

Second Row (left to right): Moore, E. A. (Tum), Heathman, Zashock, Pease, Fulton, Richardson, S. Hatley, Durbin, Wise, D., Reis, P.

Third Row (left to right): Lamer, Kohl, Ruddock, Gregory, Hackenack, James, Kilborn, Captain Slayton, coach.

COLLEGE VARSITY FOOTBALL

Won 3 — Tied 1 — Lost 5

Wentworth	Opponent	
13	vs. Highland, Kans., Junior College	9
13	Burlington, Ia., Junior College	24
7	Joplin, Mo., Junior College	39
0	Graceland College	50
0	Central Missouri State College "B" Team	7
12	Kansas City, Kans., Junior College	19
13	Fort Scott, Kans., Junior College	13
32	Oklahoma Military Academy	0
21	Kemper Military School	0

COLLEGE VARSITY BASKETBALL

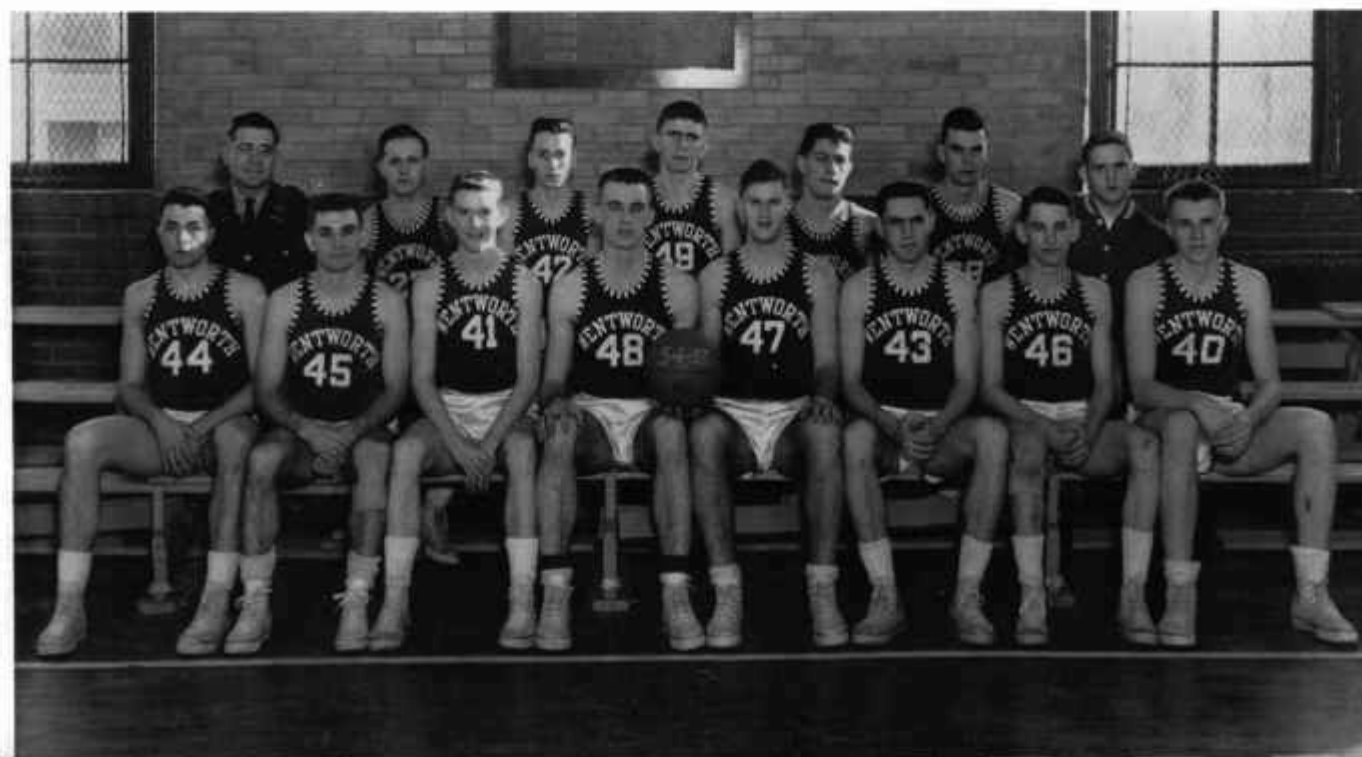
Won 5 — Lost 13

Wentworth	Opponent	
48	vs. Fort Scott, Kans., Junior College	67
54	Rolla School of Mines	91
55	Highland, Kans., Junior College	67
64	Southwest Baptist College	103
62	Burlington, Ia., Junior College	92
84	St. Paul's College	74
63	Highland, Kans., Junior College	56
50	Graceland College	65
59	Burlington, Ia., Junior College	82
81	St. Paul's College	61
57	Kemper Military School	56
49	Fort Scott, Kans., Junior College	89
61	University of Kansas City	84
50	Graceland College	70
78	Southwest Baptist College	92
60	Kansas City, Kans., Junior College	92
59	Kansas City, Kans., Junior College	105
58	Kemper Military School	56

JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Neeley, J. D., Mittelstadt, Hannan, Grube, Moore, E. A., James, Eggen, Johnson, J. L.

Back Row (left to right): Captain Headecker, Earl, Keever, Hoke, Durbin, Reis, Fulton.





HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Neeley, L., Ceraulo, Buc Reimers, Jenkins, Civella, Kahn, Johnston, J. P. Statto Bennett.

Back Row (left to right): Haines, Huelster, Hitchcock, Spitz, Arnesen, Neus, P., Knudsen, Cavalliere, Capt. L. Ellis, Coach.



HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL

Win 2—Lost 7

Wentworth	Opponent
0	vs. Missouri Military Academy
6	Lafayette, St. Joe
6	Maur Hill, Atchison, Kans.
13	Central, St. Joe
6	North Kansas City
6	Kemper
19	Hogan High School, Kamas City
0	William Chrisman, Independence
6	Benton, St. Joe

HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Skelton, Field, Beauchamp, Bellows, Ellfeldt, Knowles, Roberts, J., Riker, Smith, B. Buck.

Second Row (left to right): Hitchcock, Wilson, L. D. Cross, Reimers, Anliot, Ceraulo, Civella.

Third Row (left to right): Enright, W. D., Stanley, Parker, Courtwright, Robertson, T., Koch, Kriehn.

Fourth Row (left to right): Captain Carroll, Coach Haines, Shutler, Otto, Captain Ellis, Assistant Coach.



HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM

First Row (left to right): Anderson, S., Larson, Ellfeldt, Koch, Smith, M., Knowles, Cornish.

Second Row (left to right): Cross, Reece, Kahn, Neeley, Boden, McDuff, Cissna, James, J. G.

Third Row (left to right): Captain Muench, Courtwright, Allen, Ellis, G., Bastron, D., Neus, Hall, C. W., Civell.

HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY TRACK

Place	W.M.A.	Opponent
2	53 2/3	Kemper
2	47 1/2	Liberty-Wentworth Lexington
1	87	Hogan
2	55	Hogan-Lexington-Wentworth
6	16 3/4	Missouri Valley Meet

HIGH SCHOOL GOLF TEAM

First Row (left to right): Huelster, Marx, S., Bowzer, Bowman, R., Enright, W.

Second Row (left to right): Captain Ellis, Solberg, Luch, White, T., Otto, Herder.



HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS TEAM

First Row (left to right): Jenkins, Meier, Shutler, Buckers, Spitz.

Second Row (left to right): Green, Bennett, Mejerada, Hales, Oliver, J., Capt. Wikoff.



HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING TEAM

First Row (left to right): Stanley, Diaz, Beauchamp, Mejerada, Baston, R. D.

Back Row (left to right): Arrington, Bowzer, J., Hales, Feldt, Bellows, Courtright, Rayburn, Baston, F. C., Luch.



HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING TEAM

First Row (left to right): Goodhue, D. R., Herder, Terry, Rosser, W., McCloud, Riker, Cornish, Smith, R.

Back Row (left to right): Captain Muench, Crosby, Bowman, L., Goodman, Russell, Leone, R., Ellis, J. G., Luch, E., Robertson, B., King.





COMPANY "A" FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Redmond, Lee, J., Boyd, Knox, Booth, Jandebeur, Barber, Wiseman.

Second Row (left to right): Bidwell, Cado, Mark Salyer, Jahn, Stewart, T., Oliver, L., Hall, S., Capt. Etter.



COMPANY "B" FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Stanton, Duke, Whit, J. Jones, J. G., Thompson, V., Corvish, Dolly, McDe McGaughey, Carruth, Neas, J.

Second Row (left to right): Goodman, Crosby, Ciss Hudson, Wilton, Rosser, W., Hales, Asher.



COMPANY "C" FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Robertson, B., Goodhue, D., Munch, Kancel, Hardman, Warford, Bowzer, J., Caste Dixon, Faulkner, Twohy.

Second Row (left to right): McCloud, Russell, Ruvr White, F. T., Loure, R., Chaffee, Wells, Allan, Nofsing.



COMPANY "D" FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Knudsen, Davidson, Stompoly, Kahn, Boden, Hansen, L., Reece.

Second Row (left to right): Lieut. Kimbrough, Wilson, D. R., Muse, Simon, Jenkins, Spencer, Gonzal G., Ziegler, C., Bobey.



HEADQUARTERS COMPANY FOOTBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Graham, Johnson, J. Anderson, S., Courkamp, Layne, Walker, Oltjen.

Second Row (left to right): Merritt, H. D., Stall Hutchins, Amen, Krueger, Schuster.

COMPANY CHAMPIONS

Company A, coached by Capt. Clyde Etter, took intramural grid crown.

Team No. 1, Red Division, coached by Byron Mar won the basketball championship.

Headquarters Company, coached by Lt. David Ki won the softball championship.

UNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

1954 SQUAD

Front Row (left to right): Hellman, Migliazzo, Mallory, Solberg, George, Adams, D., Phillips, DiGiovanni, Washington, Miceli, Serrano.

Second Row (left to right): Lieut. King, Little, Prose, Adel, Boyd, T., Thompson, B., Nicoletta, White, R., Pence, Dorr, Pattry.



JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row (left to right): Brown, Castner, Solberg, Nicoletta, George, Rank, DiGiovanni, Merritt, B. A.

Back Row (left to right): Haines, White, R. W., Boyd, E., Adams, D. L., Migliazzo, Miceli, Redfield.



JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM

First Row (left to right): Brown, Rank, Capt. Muench, Redfield, Merritt, B.

Second Row (left to right): Adams, D., Boyd, T., Prose, Castner, Nicoletta, Hellman.



MIDGETS BASKETBALL TEAM

(Left to Right): Coffman, Wells, Meier, Fulkerson, Butler, Goodhue, D. R., Jr., Rockett, Allan, J. B.





INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-1-Champions)

Front Row (left to right): Pollard, Mull, Oliver, L. G., Skelton, Barnes.

Back Row (left to right): Faulkner, Marsh.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-2)

First Row (left to right): Lee, Kelling, Salvetti, Jones, J., Capt. Kelley.

Second Row (left to right): Faust, Munch, Zarbock.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-3)

First Row (left to right): Redmond, Booth, Fulton, Capt. Etter.

Second Row (left to right): Chandler, Neas, J.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-4)

First Row (left to right): Dixon, Bidwell, Severson, Lane, Richardson, S. Diers.

Back Row (left to right): Parker, Captain Bullock, Harkey.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-5)

Front Row (left to right): Wiseman, Rose, Kohl, Ashley, Westerhoff.

Back Row (left to right): Captain Park, Boyd.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(Red Division-6)

First Row (left to right): Rush, Heathman, Cado, Gregory, Knox, Hall, S. K.

Back Row (left to right): Captain Coleman, Lutsenhiyer.

FINAL STANDINGS

RED DIVISION

Team	Won	Lost
1	6	1
6	4	3
4	3	4
3	3	4
5	3	4
2	2	5

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(White Division-2)

First Row (left to right): Twoby, Cuenze,
Ziegler, S., Capt. Kelley.

Second Row (left to right): Owens, Wilton,



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(White Division-3)

First Row (left to right): Davidson, Tilden,
Robey, Capt. Etter.

Second Row (left to right): Geraci, Marr,
S. J.



FINAL STANDINGS

WHITE DIVISION

Team	Won	Lost
6	6	1
2	4	3
5	3	4
3	3	4
4	2	8

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(White Division-4)

First Row (left to right): Biggar, Hardman,
McDuff, Rovner, S. M., White, F. T., Nieder.

Back Row (left to right): Fulgency, Captain
Bullock, Roberts, J. H.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(White Division-5)

Front Row (left to right): Finlayson, McKin-
ney, J. M., Warford, Long, J. L., White, J. G.

Back Row (left to right): Captain, Park,
Blaine, Kahn, Merlo, Larson.



INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TEAM

(White Division-6)

First Row (left to right): Perry, Kelly, J. D.,
Robertson, T., Tatge, Cissna, Lavine.

Back Row (left to right): Captain Coleman,
Rouser, W., Burns, Oliver, J.





Mr. Truman reviewing the Cadet Corps at Dress Parade during Founder's Day.



Ex-President Harry S. Truman with hat in hand standing after he had placed the wreath on the grave of Col. Sandford Sellers and just prior to the prayer given by the school chaplain, standing behind him.

SPECIAL EVENTS TO MARK THE 75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF WENTWORTH

Several special events have been held, pictured below (or above). The first of these was to recognize Founders Day and honor the memory of Stephen G. Wentworth, the founder, and Col. Sandford Sellers, the first superintendent, who served as head of the Academy for 58 years. The speaker and honored guest was ex-President Harry S. Truman, who addressed the Cadet Corps and the guests in attendance and later placed wreaths on the graves of the two men who were honored. Mr. Truman was made an Honorary Colonel of the Wentworth Cadet Corps during the visit he and his wife made to the Academy.

The second event, although an annual one, our Wentworth show in Kansas City had the distinctive 75th Anniversary color.

The third special occasion was one which received nationwide publicity, a re-enactment of the Battle of Lexington which

occurred in September of 1861. Joining with the Cadet Corps in actually portraying the Battle were units from the regular Army, the National Guard, and ROTC units of Kansas City. The leading citizens of the City of Lexington, and in fact the whole community, joined in preparation for this very unusual event. As much realism as possible was achieved, even including the cooperation of the elements because it rained continuously during the day, May 12, on which this event was held, as it had during the actual Battle, according to authentic records. Attending the event were many high ranking Army officers and other distinguished citizens, which made it one of the most remarkable days in the entire history of Wentworth Military Academy and of the City of Lexington.

The Wentworth Band at the annual Wentworth show in the Municipal Auditorium of Kansas City. The picture shows only a partial view of the beautiful arena and the guests who were in attendance. Approximately 6,000 people were present in spite of the very bad weather which prevailed all February.



The Honor Guard, the snap drill team of Wentworth, is invited on many special occasions to appear before the public. Pictured below is Secretary of the Army Robert Stevens, accompanied by Charles C. Stephenson, civilian assistant to the Secretary in this area, as they inspect the Honor Guard at the Grandview Air Base during Armed Forces Day, May 21, 1955.





These are not daguerreotype pictures but actual photographs taken during the re-enactment of the Battle of Lexington. You will note the authentic uniforms of the participants. Continuous rain was falling while the pictures were taken, thus accounting for their lack of clarity but also for their more realistic appearance.





The stage photographed from the rear of the Chapel during Commencement.

THE NEW CHAPEL

An outstanding addition to the facilities of Wentworth is the new chapel used for the first time during Commencement 1955. This building will be dedicated early in the school year 1955-56. Still to be added are two stained glass windows, an electric organ,

and an altar. This building will add much to the life of Wentworth. It will be used for assemblies, both religious and secular, for dramatics, and for moving pictures, both entertaining and educational, as part of our audio-visual program.

The audience as photographed from the stage during the Awards Ceremony.



MEMORIES OF 1954-55

September 8—Here I am back at Wentworth. My second year and Wentworth's seventy-fifth! The new boys and their uniforms are meeting for the first time. Quite a change from civilian life!

September 9—I have my schedule set up and my classes arranged. It is going to be great to get back to work after a lazy summer in Texas. We have seven new teachers added to our staff. Among them are Captain Linscheid, who will head the college English department; Captain Browne, an addition to our high school English staff; Captain Slayton, teacher and coach of college football. Captain Carroll will be assistant in our guidance and testing department and will also guide our varsity football team through the coming season. Major Schlarb will be our new assistant professor of military science and tactics. Sergeant Hahn will be an enlisted Army instructor.

September 10—Our first regular class will be held today and we can begin our extracurricular activities. I'm planning to take my place for the second year on the staff of *The Trumpeter*, our school newspaper.

September 11—Six tactical officers have been named for the coming year. They will assist our commandant, Major Brown. They are Albert Kimbrough, Laurence Scudiero, Gordon M. Harris, David King, Don Merritt and Richard McNeill.

September 12—I enjoyed seeing and visiting with my preacher and some of my old friends of last year at church today. Our first parade of the year was a big success.

September 13—How can Mondays be anything but Mondays! After an enjoyable weekend, it's hard to start the week's routine.

September 14—Here it is only the first week back and I have a room-skin. Are the inspectors getting rougher or am I just not used to being a good housekeeper?

September 15—Today we took a little time off from scholastic activities for physical measurements and examinations. We also picked up our overcoats. With weather like we are having, it doesn't seem possible that we would ever need overcoats!

September 16—Instead of rising at the regular time of 6:25 we were given our weekly luxury of a 7:25 reveille! I have been chosen as a guide to show people around our campus during the annual historic tour of Lexington. The "W" Club banquet will be held tonight at the Country Club.

September 17—My roommate, Jay Willcoxen, showed me some of his college assignments and made me realize how lucky I am to still be in high school. I thought I had troubles!

September 18—Another short day of classes. Chapel services before our noon meal and then a few minutes (2 hours to be exact) on the drill field, and I am master of my destiny for the rest of the afternoon.

September 19—Another Sunday, and as always, I attended church this morning. Had southern fried chicken for dinner and headed for my room to give it the once-over before Sunday inspection. This afternoon at parade Wentworth was presented with a Distinguished Americanism award by James V. Cothran, Past Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. He praised the academy very highly, and boy, did I feel proud just to be a member of the Corps.

September 20—Reveille came earlier than usual, as it always seems to on Monday mornings. During first period I shifted into low and started in on my studies for the week.

September 21—We have over thirty students from Venezuela this year. I've never heard so much Spanish in my entire life, but it is amazing how quickly the newcomers pick up English.

September 22—Another short day. Assembly before noon and an hour drill period this afternoon. These half-day classes on Wednesdays and Saturdays sure help to make the weeks pass fast and break up the routine.

September 23—We had late breakfast again today. Oh, what a difference an extra hour of sleep can make! Our band went to Alma for a music festival. One of the many trips they will make this year.

September 24—We had our first pep meeting, and boy, did we raise the roof off the gym! This year's corps really has a lot of spirit! We played our first game, with Highland, Kansas, Junior College, and won 13-9!

September 25—The annual tour of historic homes and institutions started today and we really had a crowd. I acted as one of the guides and had a big time showing the people the different sights on the campus. I didn't realize myself how big and complex this academy is until I began bragging to our visitors.

September 26—The tour is still in progress and my feet are killing me. There are over 600 people thus far who have toured the campus. Our Sunday parade particularly impressed the tourists. I'll admit we have progressed remarkably since our first parade.

September 27—Another Monday. Tempus is really fugeting! I had a few minutes off this afternoon, so I dropped in and watched TV in the recreation room until supper formation. Also watched a championship snooker game between Duane Wilson and Mac McGlothlin, two friends from Arkansas.

September 28—Co. Wikoff was explaining the election procedure of our country in American Government. Democracy is more complicated than I thought it was! I received two letters from home. One from Mom and one from Sue. What more could a fellow ask!

September 29—Today we had a talk on common courtesy at the table by Co. Wikoff. He gave some obvious examples of bad manners which were rather funny but they certainly drove his point home.

September 30—The college team left for Burlington, Iowa, for a football game tomorrow night, and the high school team plays Richmond in our own stadium tonight!

October 1—Here it is October and I can't figure out what happened to September. I went down to the Dragon's Den for one of those mid-afternoon snacks with Bill Jamieson from Trinidad, Colo.

October 2—Drill was comparatively easy this afternoon and now everyone is looking forward to our first informal dance of the year tonight. Don Accurso and his band will be here from Kansas City.

October 3—Sunday is truly a day of rest. After church, inspection, and parade, I made my way to my bunk and caught up on the sleep I lost last night. I have a supper permit for being on the Honor Roll, so I'll probably drop by the Dragon's Den and have a hamburger and take in a movie.

October 4—Back to classes. Capt. Hepler, my Latin American History instructor, is real understanding on Mondays. By that I mean no tests, only lectures.

October 5—Henry Weber and Harold Treaster made Phi Theta Kappa, an organization limited to the top ten percent of the junior college. C Company mauled D Company, 20-6, in one of our intramural football games. Joe Munch tossed a beautiful 15-yard pass to Kent Faulkner for one of the touchdowns.

October 6—Leo Lania, who was born in Russia and educated in Vienna, made a very interesting talk at assembly this morning. He has met and known Hitler, Mussolini and Stalin personally and has had a varied career serving as professor and war correspondent.

October 7—My instructors were tenderhearted and didn't assign much homework, so I'm going to take a permit and spend a night on the town (at the movie that is!)

October 8—My schedule: Study like mad at school today—yell like mad at the football game tonight.

October 9—During chapel we had one of the many preachers, priests, and rabbi who are invited to speak to the corps throughout the year. Rev. Gray of the Baptist church made a very inspirational talk.

October 10—Sunday parade looked particularly good today since Company B, my company, received both the disciplinary and the military guidons to carry for outstanding work in those fields. Headquarters Company received the scholastic guidon.

October 11—I am ready to start out on another week's studies. What happened to all the spare time I had this summer? There's never a dull moment around here!

October 12—After a day of classes, I spent activity period catching up on my correspondence. I sure like to receive letters, but I never seem to find time to answer them.

October 13—Assembly has been set over a day for a feature program presented by the University of Kansas Extension service. That means I will have a fourth period class today—I don't have my assignment! We have a rifle inspection this afternoon. Those inspectors can find dirt in places where I didn't know it was possible for dirt to exist.

October 14—Assembly this morning was about the different movements of the earth and the reasons behind them. There is a heck of a lot more included in nature's plan than just growing of grass and trees!

October 15—Everyone is excited about Dad's Day which is coming up tomorrow. It will be great to be with our parents and especially our Dads.

October 16—What a day! This morning our dads went to chapel with us and then we went to the site where our new Memorial Chapel is being built for a very impressive Masonic cornerstone laying. Col. Sellers presided. This afternoon we drilled our dads. Some of us were surprised to find out our dads hadn't forgot all they learned from service in the war. On the other hand, some of them had a heck of a time learning the old hup-two-three-four.

October 17—After parade today I started on one of those laborious Latin American History book reports! Simon Bolivar never received the treatment I gave him. Tonight I went to the movies with Jay and Duane, my roommates.

October 18—This morning's classes were rather easy—if it's possible for Monday morning classes to be easy. I got in a full afternoon of playing tennis.

October 19—After yesterday's tennis workout I decided to rest in bed during study period last night. Now that I have read the report sheet this morning I wish I had stayed at my desk! That nap cost me 5 demerits.

October 20—Dr. T. Luther Purdom from the University of Michigan was our speaker at assembly. He has been with us for the past week or so giving advice and having conferences with students.

October 21—Today we had our regular Thursday late breakfast. The fifth period was omitted because of a staff and faculty meeting. That's one Map Reading class I will get to miss.

October 22—Another letter from Sue—just what I needed to make this day complete.

October 23—I'm dead tired! This afternoon the entire corps went on a three-mile march out to the Country Club! I've spent a lot of Saturday afternoons at the Country Club at home but never like this! My feet are killing me! Well, I guess I shouldn't complain. I had enough energy left to hobble downtown to see the carnival.

October 24—I was real industrious this morning. I arose at 7:00 and started cleaning the room before going to church. After lunch we had inspection and the first thing the inspector saw was the one bed rail that I forgot to dust! We had an open house and dance in the recreation room tonight.

October 25—Former President Harry Truman will be Wentworth's guest and principal speaker at our Founder's Day program on Sunday, November 14th.

October 26—Our Masque and Wig Club, headed by Capt. Linseheid, has elected its officers for the year. Jim Biggars was elected president; Joe Munch, librarian; Paul Neas, stage manager; and Mark Viti, publicity manager.

October 27—Today at assembly Col. Kenneth A. MacKenzie, a Wentworth Old Boy, with a rather colorful background, gave a very interesting talk. After our march last Saturday, I certainly enjoyed the rifle inspection this afternoon.

October 28—It was announced today that Mrs. Hepler has begun another of her many and varied duties. Dancing classes under her instruction will start this Tuesday. I am playing the piano.

October 29—All heck is popping loose in our room—my roommate, Duane Wilson, was made Second Lt., and he is really riding high. I can't blame him—I wouldn't mind trading my sergeant's stripes in on a Lt.'s pip!

October 30—Another Saturday and although we have classes and chapel on Saturdays, I always think of two hours of drill when I think of Saturday! It really wasn't so bad. We had physical exercises.

October 31—If anyone had told me that two months could pass this fast, I wouldn't have believed him.

November 1—The beginning of a new week and a new month. We had our halloween dinner tonight. The dining hall was all decorated with black cats, skeletons and real witches, thanks to Mrs. Hepler and her decorating crew.

November 2—My roommate, Jay Willcoxon, got to go with the band to Arkansas City, Kansas, his hometown, where the band took part in the Ark-a-la-lah Festival program. Both he and the members of the band raved about the wonderful time they had there.

November 3—The Kansas City Mother's Club came down in mass formation, to use a little military lingo, and ate with their sons this noon.

November 4—Phi Theta Kappa presented the first of their foreign movies this evening. It was an Italian film called "The Open City". We are looking forward to the other foreign films to be shown by this organization during the year.

November 5—This was a very regular Friday. I dropped by the Dragon's Den for another between-meal snack, took a permit and went over to the Berettas to watch TV.

November 6—AT LONG LAST—A DRILL HOLIDAY! Everyone in the dining hall went wild when the announcement was made. A few of us went over to the hospital and watched football over TV with the Duchess, our academy nurse.

November 7—What a lazy day! After parade I meandered back to my room and spent the afternoon gabbing with some of the guys who dropped in. I didn't get much done, but I didn't much care.

November 8—The Indian Dancers made their first trip of the year to Malta Bend, where they performed for the Garden Club.

November 9—Classes seemed rather difficult this morning, but after dinner my attitude changed. The Glee Club performed for the Women's Club.

November 10—Today for assembly we had a General Motors science film. The advancements modern industry is making is remarkable! We had close-order drill this afternoon. Then Jamieson, Willcoxon and I went downtown and had a coke at the drug store.

November 11—We had quite a bit of excitement at the table today. Our waiter, Jerry Johnson, dropped his tray and showered food over a ten-foot radius.

November 12—Everyone is getting ready for the big weekend ahead. Tomorrow is Homecoming Day and Sunday is Founder's Day. We will be up all night decorating our company for the Homecoming competition.

November 13—You should see the decorations on some of these companies. Company A went all out on decorations and it really looks cool. The big game this afternoon was with Oklahoma Military Academy and we beat them 32-0. My girl, Robin, came up from Stephens College. The game was great and the dance was absolutely tops!

November 14—What an exciting day! After returning from church the corps marched into the dining hall where we waited for Former President Truman and his wife to join us. He made a speech at the gym later and reviewed our parade and was made honorary colonel. This is one event I won't forget for a long time.

November 15—STOP DAY! I guess after the excitement of the big weekend, it would take a stop day to get us in shape for the rest of the week!

November 16—After the stop day we had a late breakfast. Activity period was omitted. I really enjoyed the extra hour of sleep.

November 17—I hit the jackpot today—three letters from home. One from Mom and Dad, one from Sue, and one from Dick Waggoner at S. M. U.

November 18—Another late breakfast and another hour of extra sleep. This afternoon Jack Courtright and I went downtown to see some of the pictures taken when Mr. Truman was on the campus.

November 19—Company B skunked Headquarters Company in intramural football this afternoon. The score, 13-0.

November 20—My roommate was made a squad leader and given the rank of sergeant, so now we have two sergeants and a lieutenant in our room.

November 21—Today was very quiet compared to all of the activities of the last Sunday. It is getting rather chilly and the walk from church is becoming a little longer. I think winter is here to stay!

December 1—Today for assembly we had a very interesting talk given by Rabbi Chasdan of Kansas City.

December 2—Phi Theta Kappa had the second of their foreign movie series. This time it was an English film—I think I got a lot more out of it than I did the Italian film we had seen before.

December 4—Junior college Day was held at Columbia today, so none of the college classes met.

December 5—Today at Sunday parade the guidons were given again for the different departments, and Company B received the Disciplinary and Military guidons.

December 6—Another Monday, but not quite as difficult as Mondays usually are. Classes were rather light and this afternoon I watched TV in the Rec. room.

December 7—Northeast High School and our team had a meet here and Wentworth pulled through to beat Northeast again!

December 8—For assembly today the Masque and Wig Club put on a side-splitting version of Julius Caesar. This time they murdered both the play and Julius.

December 11—Tonight we had our annual Christmas dance, and was it a ball! Mark Durbin played Santa Claus and gave candy to all the guys and dates. The orchestra was tops.

December 15—I really got into the Christmas spirit today. For assembly the band played and the corps sang Christmas carols. It won't be long now!

December 16—We had our Christmas dinner tonight and we leave for Christmas furlough in the morning. It seems that I only got here last week, but I'm sure not complaining about leaving for home.

December 17—SCHOOL IS OUT! Need I say more?

January 4—I returned to the campus this afternoon ready to see the old gang and tell about all of the big times I had during the holidays. Everyone else was ready to relate his experience, and for the first hour I was back, everyone talked at once. I sure hated to leave good old TEXAS.

January 5—Tonight I attended another in a series of Philharmonic Concerts in Kansas City. I certainly enjoyed it.

January 9—Our first Sunday parade of 1955. I really couldn't tell much difference in it and those of 1954. I went to the movie this evening and then over to the Dragon's Den for a cup of coffee.

January 11—William Chrisman and our high school had a meet here today.

January 14—Topeka swimming team was here for a meet with our varsity team this afternoon.

January 16—Plans are being made for the biggest dance of the year, the Military Ball. The contest for the queen is on and several of the pictures have been turned in. Russ Carlyle and his orchestra are going to be on hand to make with the music, so it should be really great!

January 18—The Kansas School for the Blind will meet our Wentworth wrestling team in Kansas City, Kansas.

January 22—The Burlington Junior College team is playing our team here and the Kemper wrestling team will meet our varsity wrestling team this afternoon.

January 26—Our Military Ball Queen was announced today. She is Miss Marcia Hale of Kansas City. Tab Hunter, of movie fame, selected the queen, and might be able to make it to Wentworth for the dance provided he can cancel a previous engagement.

January 27—Our Masque and Wig Club went to Warrensburg for the day.

January 28—The St. Louis School for the Blind wrestled against our varsity team here this afternoon.

January 29—The biggest dance of the year was held this evening, the Military Ball. It drew a crowd of about 1800 people. Russ Carlyle and his orchestra were tops and the gym was decorated in a fashion fit for royalty. It was really a big success.

February 3—The Grinnell Glee Club put on an unusually good assembly for the corps this morning. I attended another of the Symphony Concerts in Kansas City.

February 5—Our rifle and swimming teams left for Kemper Military School for meets there.

February 12—Kansas City Central and Wentworth rifle teams meet here to shoot it out this afternoon.

February 14—Captain Stagner took a group of us to St. Joseph to appear on TV in preparation for the Wentworth Show to be held on the 18th of this month.

February 15—The ROTC Journal carried pictures and a story on Wentworth by Captain John Pirhalla.

February 16—Mrs. Pirhalla took Mark Durbin and me into Kansas City for a TV appearance over WDAF. The four of us had a real great time.

February 18—The Big Show was even more exciting than last year. We had a crowd of over 6,000 spectators! I had a solo spot on the show and that was enough to keep me busy.

February 19—Sergeant Arbeiter received a citation in a special ceremony during parade today. Shurtler, from Arkansas City, Kans., and McKenney, from Kansas City, received the Chicago Tribune awards for being the most outstanding second year students of the Academy.

February 22—My roommate made Phi Theta Kappa honorary fraternity today. Will I be able to live with him?

February 23—Today for assembly Connie Mack III, who is associated with the newly purchased Kansas City Athletics, gave a very interesting speech.

February 24—Phi Theta Kappa came through with another foreign movie this evening and it was really good! It would have been much better though if I could have understood what the actors were saying.

February 28—The Scholastic banquet for second semester winners was held at the Wentworth Country Club this evening. Headquarters Company won the honors again this semester! What a bunch of brains!

March 3—We had another in the series of symphony concerts in Kansas City this evening. Being particularly interested in the piano, I enjoyed the soloist of the evening.

March 8—The educational tour group going to Mexico left this morning via Pan-American Airways for Mexico. Colonel and Mrs. Sellers accompanied the boys on their trip.

March 9—Today for assembly we had a pianist, Theodor Ullman by name. He was very talented and played everything from Bach to boogie.

March 11—This morning after third class we left for our spring vacation. It really slipped up on us. I didn't realize that time could pass so fast! It will sure be great to get back to TEXAS for a few days.

March 15—This afternoon at 6:00 furlough was officially over. We really had a great time and now are looking forward to graduation which isn't too far away.

March 16—This evening Roberta Peters was guest soloist for the Symphony concert and was she marvelous! I believe this was the best of the season!

March 23—The cadets on educational tour returned today. From those I have already talked to, I gathered that they had a marvelous time.

March 26—The Kemper indoor track meet was held in Boonville today.

March 30—John Merritt, from the British Broadcasting System, made Wentworth a stop on his tour of America and spoke to us at assembly this morning.

April 2—Today, instead of chapel, we had the Honor Society assembly. Those new members eligible for membership were initiated and several good speeches were given. Captain Hepler, assistant dean, is the sponsor of the group.

April 3—Today after parade, we, that is to say the corps, formed up to have the battalion group pictures taken.

April 5—Lexington High School and Wentworth have a track meet this afternoon.

April 8—Tonight we put on one of the most enjoyable shows of the year. The "W" Club opened the "55 Follies" to the public. We really had a great time rehearsing.

April 9—Tonight we had our "W" Club sponsored "Apron and Overalls" dance.

April 10—Today is Easter Sunday and many of the parents are on the campus for the day to be with their sons.

April 11—This is one Monday that will not be spent in the classroom. We are spending the day preparing for Government Inspection. Instead of pencil and paper, scrub-brush and mop will be the regulation equipment.

April 12—The Army officers arrived this morning and inspected the barracks. Later in the morning we had personal and rifle inspection on the parade field. Two guys passed out.

April 13—After a full dress parade this morning and lunch in the dining hall, the inspectors left, and though they couldn't make an official statement they did compliment the Academy very highly. We have freedom of limits this afternoon and this evening.

April 16—This morning the Geology class, of which I am a member, departed for the Lake of the Ozarks on a field trip. We stopped along the way to examine rock formations and other geological features.

April 17—We are still having an enjoyable time on the field trip. We have visited several caves and caverns and examined the Castle ruins of Ha-Ha-Tonka. I was worn out by the time we returned to the tourist courts. We did have enough time and energy to go boating and skiing on the lake.

April 20—This evening Captain and Mrs. Helper took a few of us over to Happy Hollow for a steak dinner. We had a great game of shuffleboard!

April 22—Some of the advanced I and II students in military went to Ft. Leonard Wood as part of a program to acquaint ROTC students with Army post life. The students had a great time, from what I hear, and learned that there is quite a bit of difference between academy life and Army life.

April 29—We had the Pony Express Conference meet here today, and Pete Jenkins won the singles championship in tennis.

April 30—Another month has passed and we are on the last lap.

May 2—North Kansas City High played a tennis tournament here today.

May 3—We had a Stop Day today, and was it nice to have the afternoon and evening free!

May 5—The last of the Phi Theta Kappa movies was held tonight. Although I was unable to make it, everyone said it was really good.

May 8—Today we had our first annual Mother's Day on the campus. We had a picnic at noon and after parade we had tea in the parlors. This is going to be a regular part of the schedule of the year. I think it's a pretty good idea!

May 12—The long awaited Battle of Lexington was held today in spite of the downpouring rain. The crowd was considerably less than expected because of the weather, but even at that we had about 5000 spectators. Last night I was part of a group that did the waltz in Civil War regalia. Thanks again to Mrs. Hepler, the dance was a huge success.

May 16—Tonight the Scholastic banquet was held again at the Wentworth Country Club, and again Headquarters Company took the honors.

May 21—The Wentworth Honor Guard went to Grandview Air Force Base to participate in the Armed Forces Day program. There was a crowd of over 30,000 spectators on hand to watch the proceedings.

May 27—Today begins the Commencement activities for the year. Tonight we have a band concert.

May 28—This morning we had a field day. I think some of the parents were astounded to see their little boys handling such big and deadly weapons! This afternoon we had the Awards Assembly and tonight the Commencement Ball will head the billing.

May 29—This morning we had the Baccalaureate address and this evening we have our graduation exercises. Of course, our full dress parade came off on schedule this afternoon as always.

May 30—The flag comes down. The band plays our school song. Our graduating class forms around the flag pole for the final ceremony. The battalion commander says "Dismissed," and the 75th year at Wentworth is over.