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INTRODUCTION

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DEDICATION

Mrs. Jean Gayman joined the office staff at Niagara District for a three month period in November 1975, but she ended up staying with us for twelve years. After twenty-six years of working at home, it had been a tough decision to return to work on a full-time basis, but she has never since regretted her choice. In retiring, the hardest thing for her to give up will be her contact with students here. Over the years, she has been a great defender of teens in our school.

The Gayman family has long been involved with Niagara District ever since its founding in 1956. Murray Gayman was a guiding force in the early years, and there have only been two years when a Gayman has not been part of the District scene.

In the future, Mrs. Gayman just wants to have fun. She hopes to be seeing more of her grandchildren, reading, knitting, and decorating her home. Above all, she will just enjoy her free time. Truly, the student body will fondly remember her many contributions to NDSS.

Mrs. Sue Allen has been teaching art here for over 17 years. Her history follows quite an interesting route. Originally, she taught sciences in Milverton and Williamston before moving to London, England for a year. She later lived and painted in Paris for two years before returning to Canada to study at the Banff School of Fine Arts and eventually ended up teaching here at Niagara District.

Her future plans include pursuing her interest in art to a greater extent than has been possible, and travelling throughout Canada. She is an exceptionally warm person who, over the last seventeen years, has inspired a love for the fine arts in many, many Niagara District students.

Letters . . .

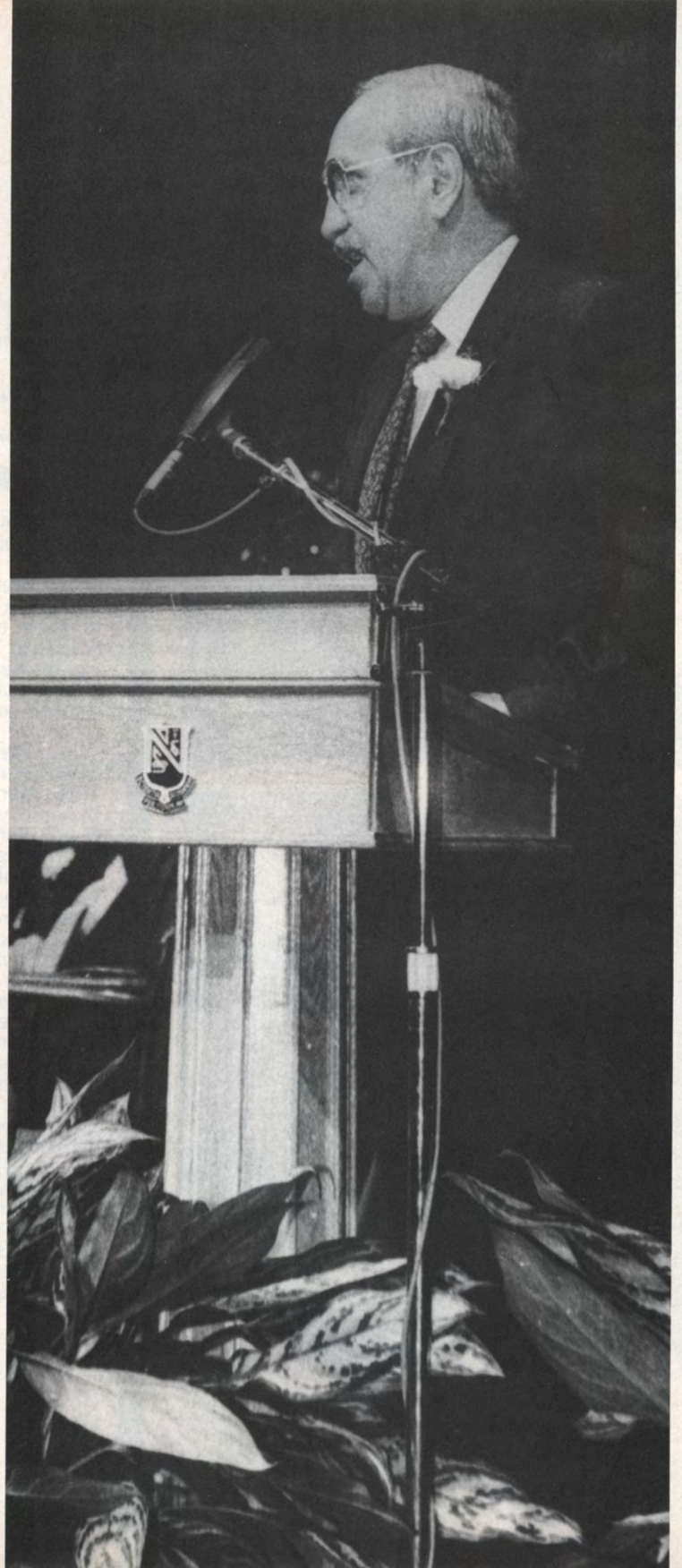
To the students of NDSS:

While students at Niagara District, you either were subjected to, or still are subjected to, changes in curriculum, field trips, sports events, new programs, pleasure trips, Work-a-thon, Model Parliament and even regular classes. As parents and teachers, we contribute finances and facilities so the above mentioned may take place in helping you achieve your potential in physical, intellectual, emotional, social, cultural and moral development.

Both students and their parents share with the school the responsibility for education achievement, in which the qualities of self-discipline and good judgement play important parts.

We hope that in years to come you can look back and say of us that we served you well.

Ara Torigian
Principal.



Letters

To the students of NDSS:

There once was an evil Prince who hated a Wise Man for having much more of the peoples' affections than he. One day, he plotted to discredit the Wise Man in front of everybody. "Tomorrow, when the Wise Man goes to the market place, I shall be there with a dove in my hand. I will ask him if the bird is alive or dead. If he says it is dead, I will open my hand and let the bird fly away. If he says it is alive, I will crush the bird and kill it. Either way, the Wise Man is a fool." The next day, the Prince confronted the Wise Man with the problem. The crowd grew silent and all eyes turned toward the Wise Man. He paused, looked first at the people and then at the Prince and said, "That which you hold in your hand, it is . . . what *you* make of it."

These same words of wisdom apply to your years here at NDSS -- they are what *you* make of them. This Yearbook shows students who are making the most of their time -- inside and outside of the classroom. I commend each of you for contributing to the high quality of student life we enjoy here and for continuing the honoured traditions that make NDSS the active, proud and vibrant institution it is today.

Dan Macmaster
Vice-Principal.

EDITORIAL

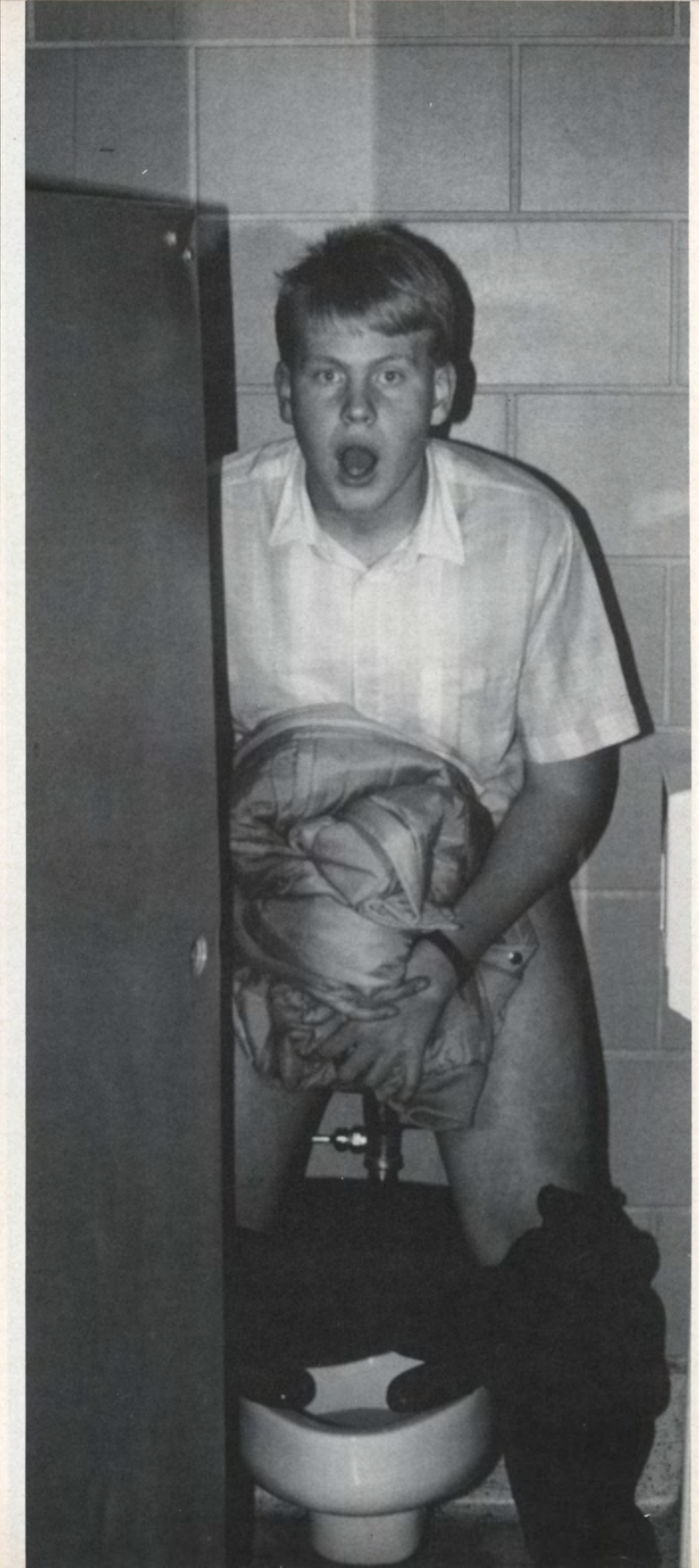
The Niagara District Yearbook outsells every other school's Yearbook in the Lincoln County. Per capita, our school sells more. About 75% of our students bought one this year, and probably all the rest will at least look through one, if not read it. It's sort of a tradition at our school, that *everyone* gets involved in. It's long been taken for granted that it would be there when June rolled around. However, as only a few people will truly understand, creating a Yearbook from only imagination and time, is hard *hard* work.

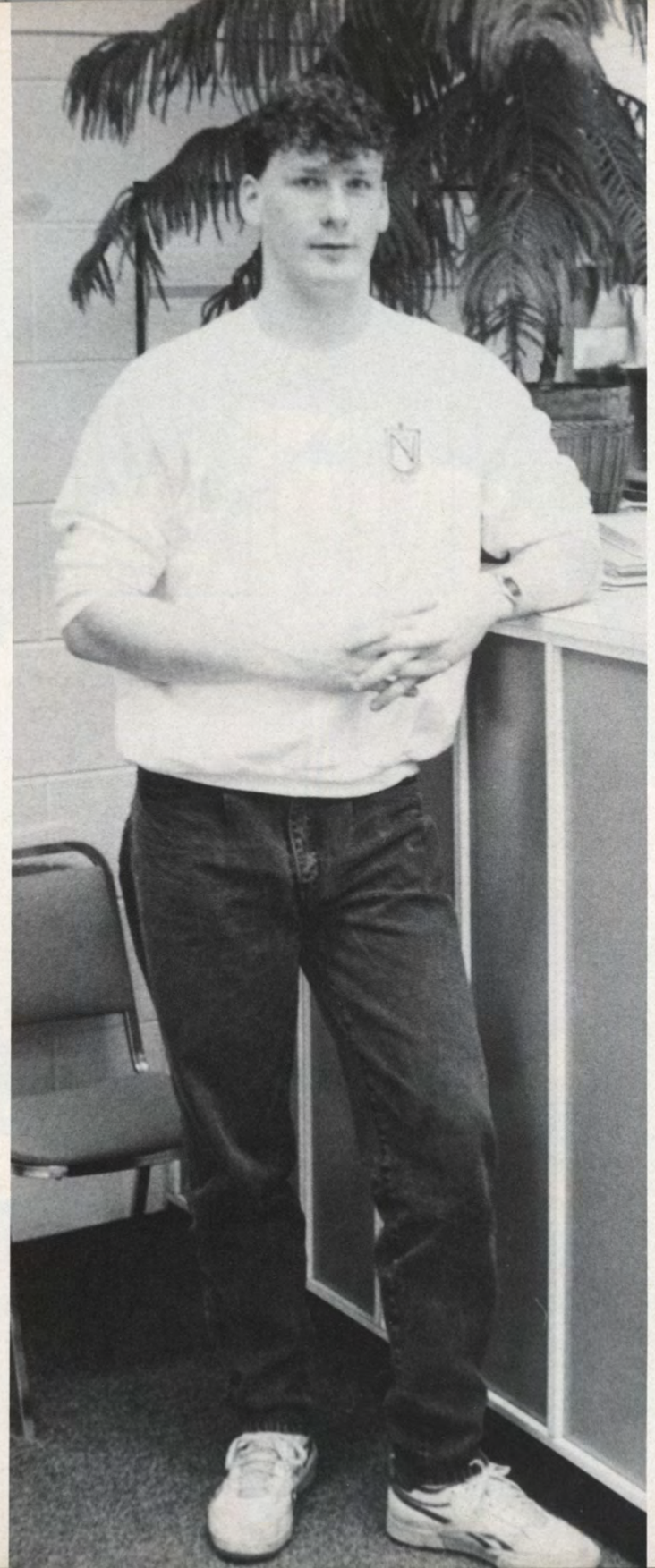
Two years ago, Michelle Trus overworked and sacrificed all to get it in on time. Last year, attempting to complete the Yearbook the way it should be done (read: with a staff of hundreds so that work can be delegated) Marion Griese ended up with too monumental a task still left over when school ended and summer started. This year, I attempted to change the myth about the Yearbook. It requires a lot of work, and a staff to do that work. And the staff I had this year was excellent. Right from the start they volunteered their valuable time without any qualms. Different students would suddenly approach me in the halls to say they wanted to help, and this was in November. It surprised me, but most of all, it made me proud to be here, a student at Niagara District Secondary School!

So, on the heads of the younger students, I am leaving the reponsibility to make sure the Yearbook is done right! And, to the senior students, I am giving the responsibility of extending the NDSS spirit and pride to those around you, wherever you go.

This is my parting shot to Niagara District. *This* is what I want to be remembered for when I'm gone. Thanks for a great time.

Joe Wiebe
Editor-in-Chief.





LETTERS

I would like to first of all thank everyone on Students' Council for all the time, hard work and effort they put forth this year for the student body. We had quite the shaky start, but as the year progressed, so did we, and it just got better and better. The job of Students' Council President taught me many things, but the thing it taught me most was to never give up. I put a lot aside to fulfill my duties this year and I just hope that I made this year as interesting for everyone as it was for me. I hope everyone has an enjoyable summer and a prosperous future. *Gnothi Sophian* - Seek Wisdom or Know the Truth.

Tim Sobschak.
Students' Council President.
1987-1988

Letters

It's 10 o'clock on this Tuesday evening in this unseasonably cold month of April, 1988.

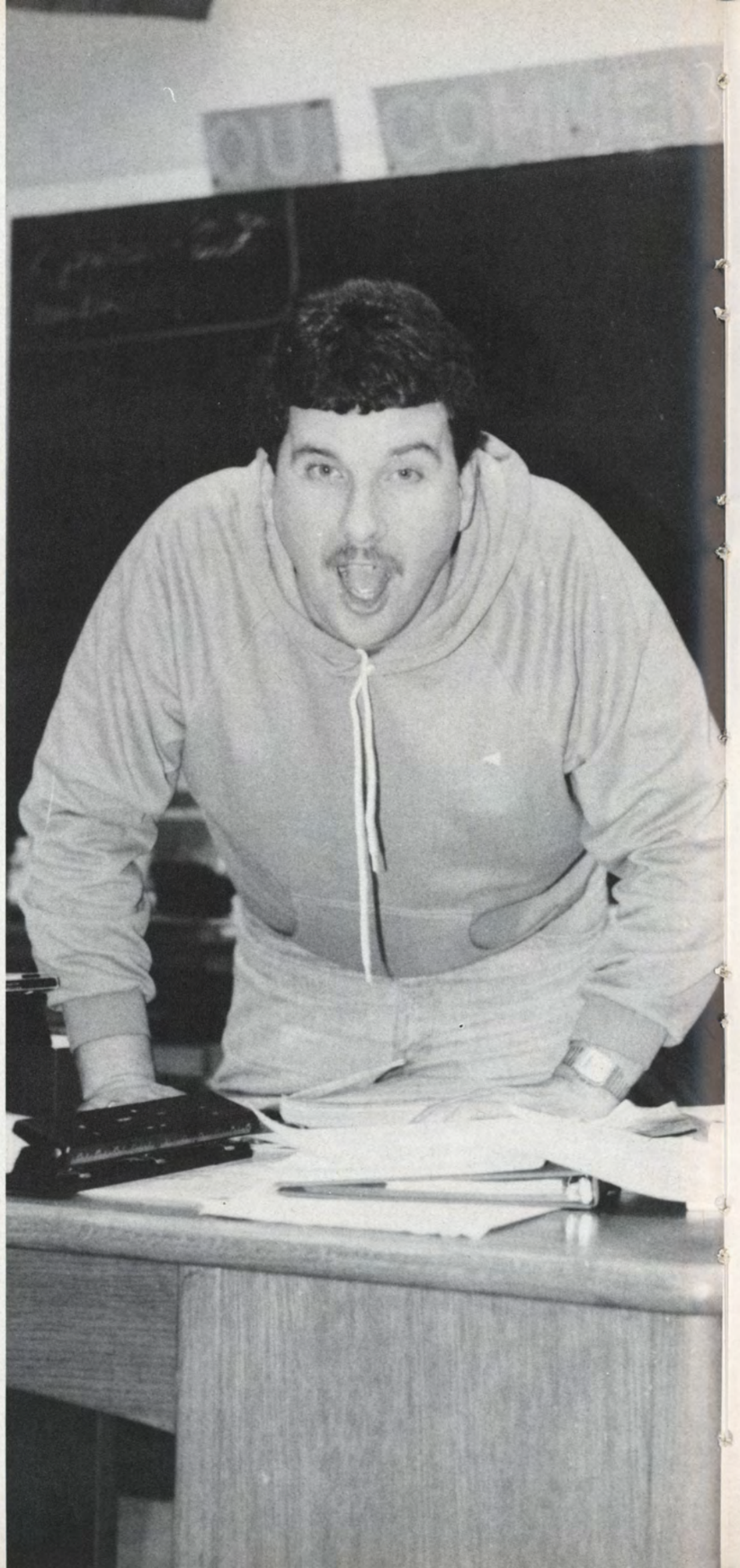
Here I am, sitting at my desk just like last year -- or was that this year? Nonetheless, I am working on the infamous *Acta Studentium* once again. I pause to reflect and then I ask myself if anyone who reads this annual collection of imagery and prose really knows how much time and effort is required to create what you now hold before your very eyes.

Four hundred and ten of you nostalgia buffs chose to support this awesome endeavour that has become big business here at ND.

The past two years have seen more than $20,000 and countless hours of the most arduous extra-curricular activity at NDSS put into the publication of this summary of events.

Here it is -- finished at last! My thanks to Joe and Jennifer and all the other little people who helped complete this task. It was tiresome, bothersome and sometimes a real bore. I'm sure however, that this edition will be appreciated as much by them as it will be by you. Enjoy!

D. Wilson



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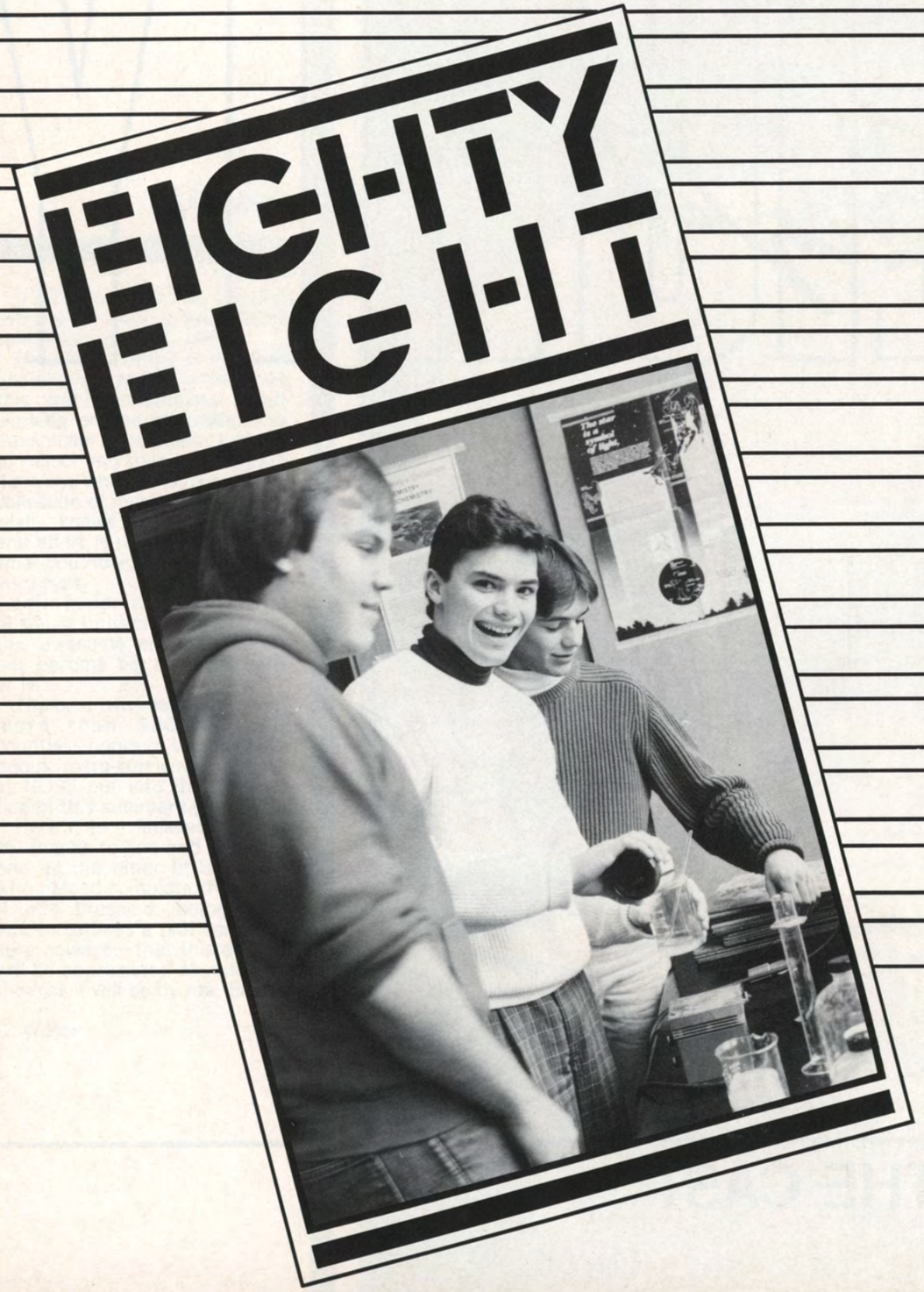

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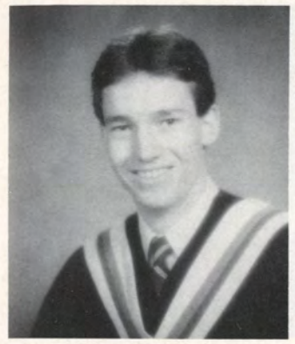

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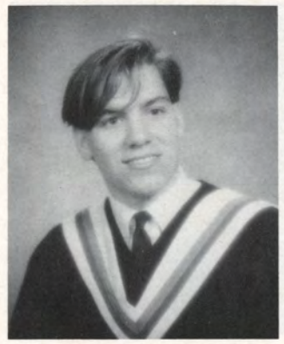

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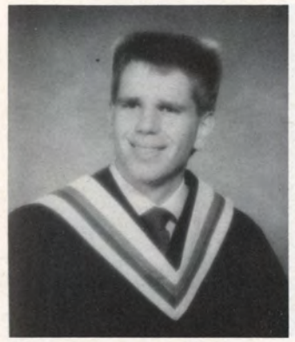

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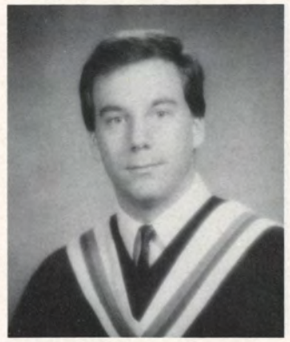

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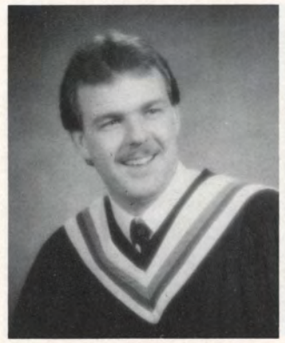

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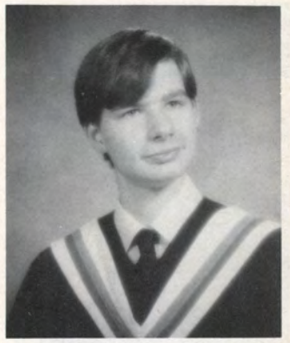

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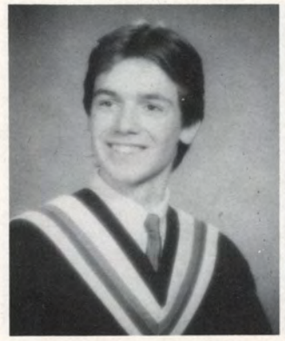

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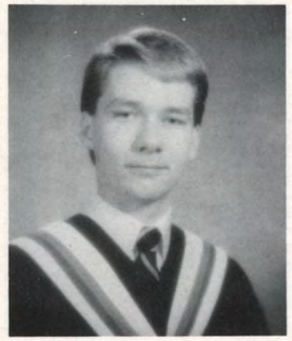

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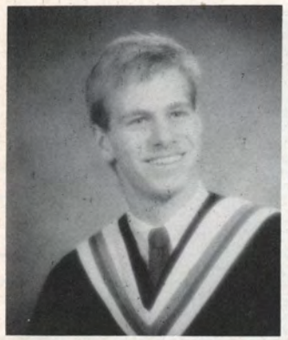

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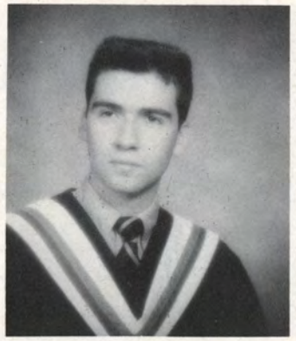

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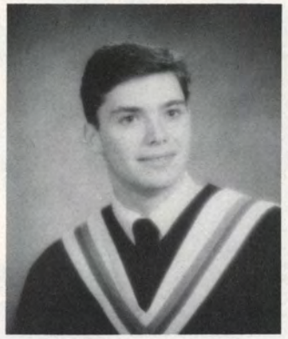

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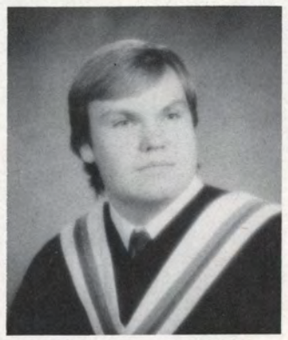

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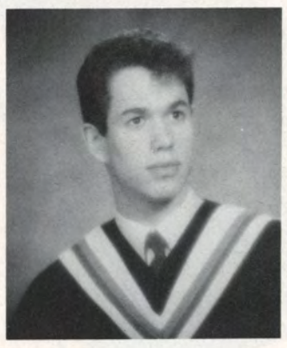

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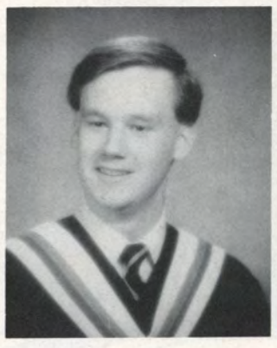

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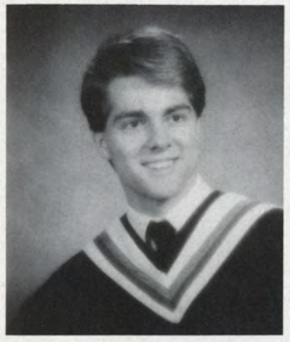

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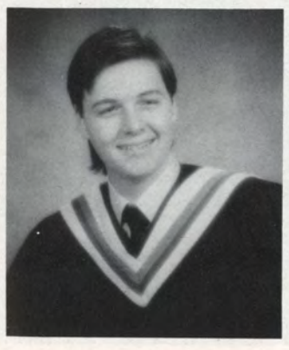

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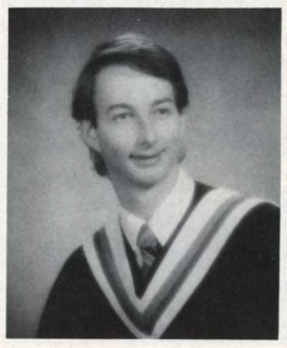

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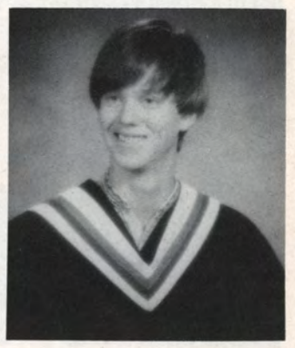

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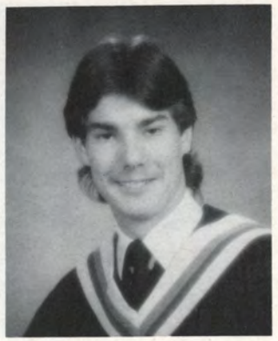

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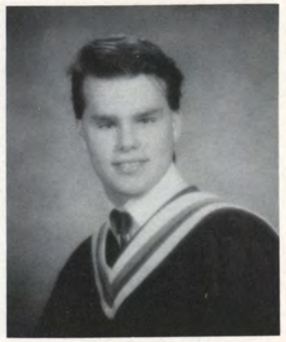

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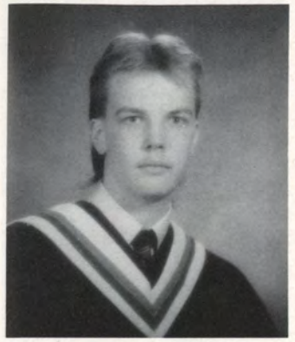

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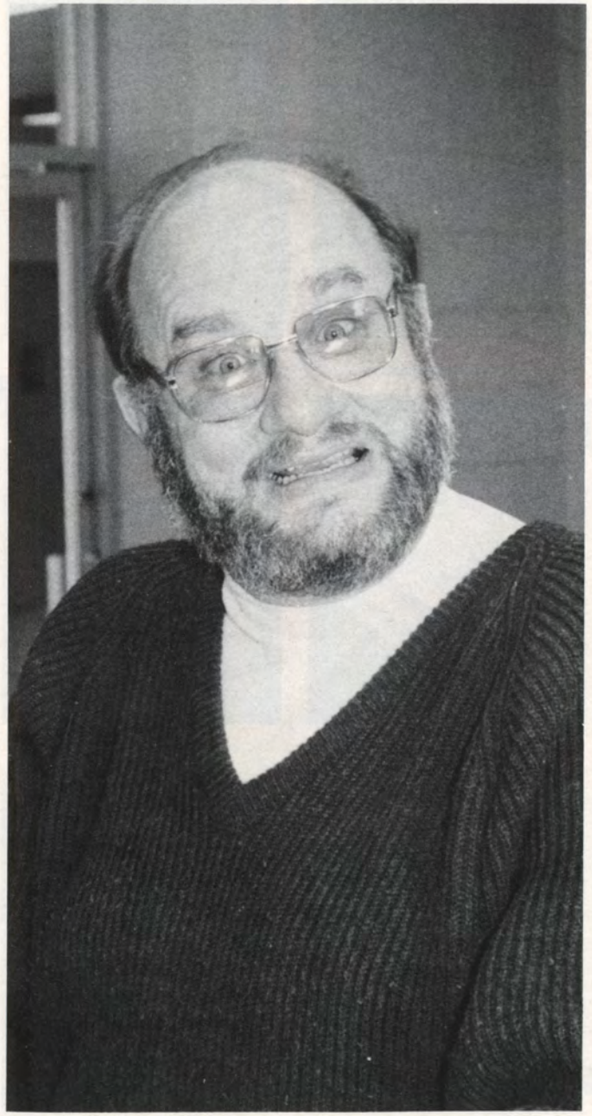

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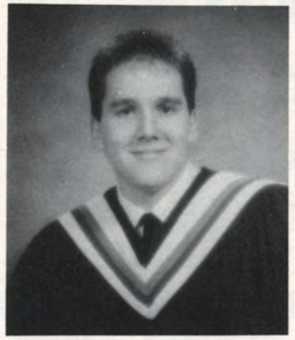

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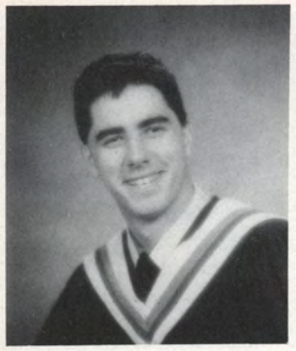

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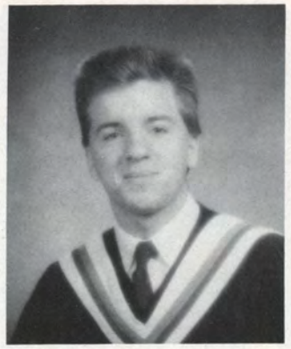

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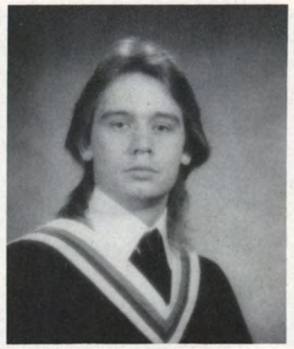

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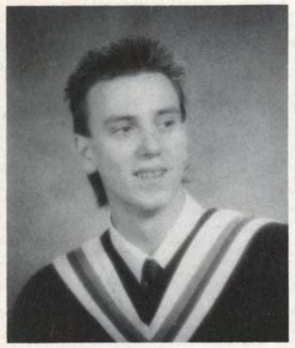

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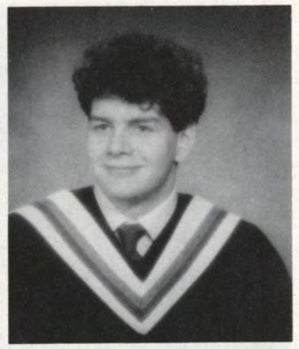

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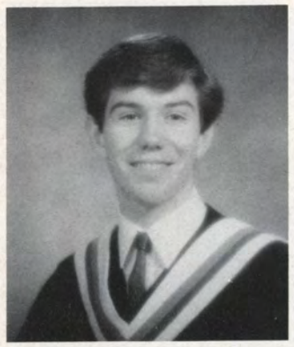

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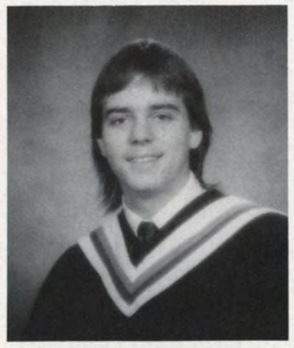

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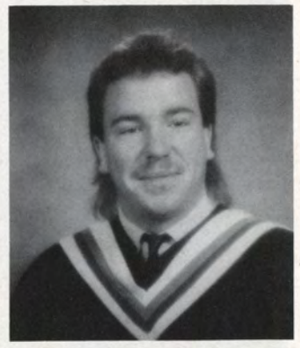

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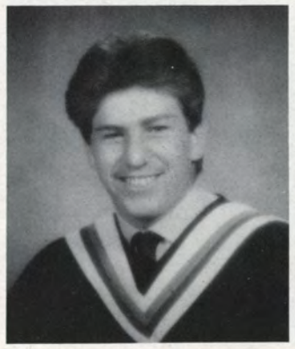

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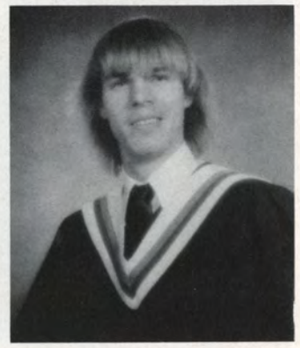

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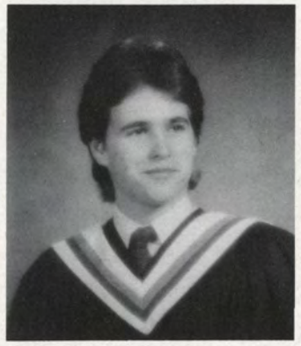

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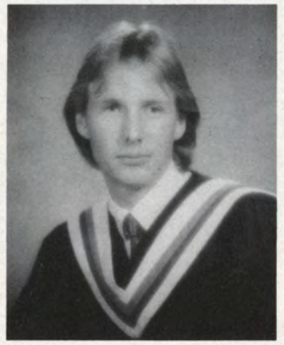

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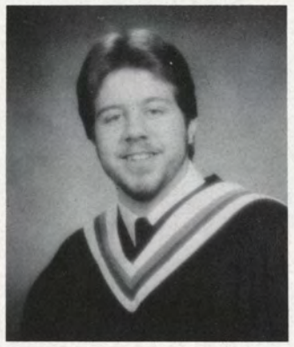

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GRADUATES

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Capell, William	Cockings, Paul	
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Epp, Dieter		
Fritz, Erwin		
Hesketh, Sandy		
Hoffman, Richard		
Johnson, Lorrianne		
Lilley, Chris		
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Voogt, Peter		

GRADE TWELVE

Ball, Brenda
Bartel, Rudi
Belau, Ken
Bennett, Catherine
Beyer, Dave

Blamires, Ruth
Bogusat, Brian
Bridgman, Kevin
Cannon, Janet
Cannon, Sarah

Carmichael, Bob
Carson, Kristin
Cecil, Peter
Chiaramonte, Antonina
Clark, Chris

Cleveland, Lisa
Daw, Brian
de Lorenzo, Sheryl
Dineley, Colleen
Evans, Craig

Forsey, Kristina
Forsythe, Stephanie
Fraser, Andrew
Frizell, Audrea
Giesbrecht, Annette

Gordon, Cheryl
Gosse, Paul
Graf, Larry
Harry, Kevin
Henry, Eric

Hunter, Ray
Ignatczyk, Carol
Irwin, Rob
Juras, Jim
Kaiser, Max

Krawchuk, Sean
Kucan, Tracey
Lagerwerf, Paul
Laird, Martina
Lutzer, Dan

MacDougall, Liz
Mazza, Martin
Neudorf, Charlene

Orders, Dave
Probst, Eric
Ramos, Joe

Rawsthorne, Jason
Roscoe, Wendi
Russell, Samantha

Sauder, Jamie
Schmidlin, Tom
Scudamore, Evelyn

Sobschak, Tim
Stauch, Kelly
Swanson, Matt
Tan, Susanna
Teather, Jamie

Teggin, Charlotte
van Rijn, Christine
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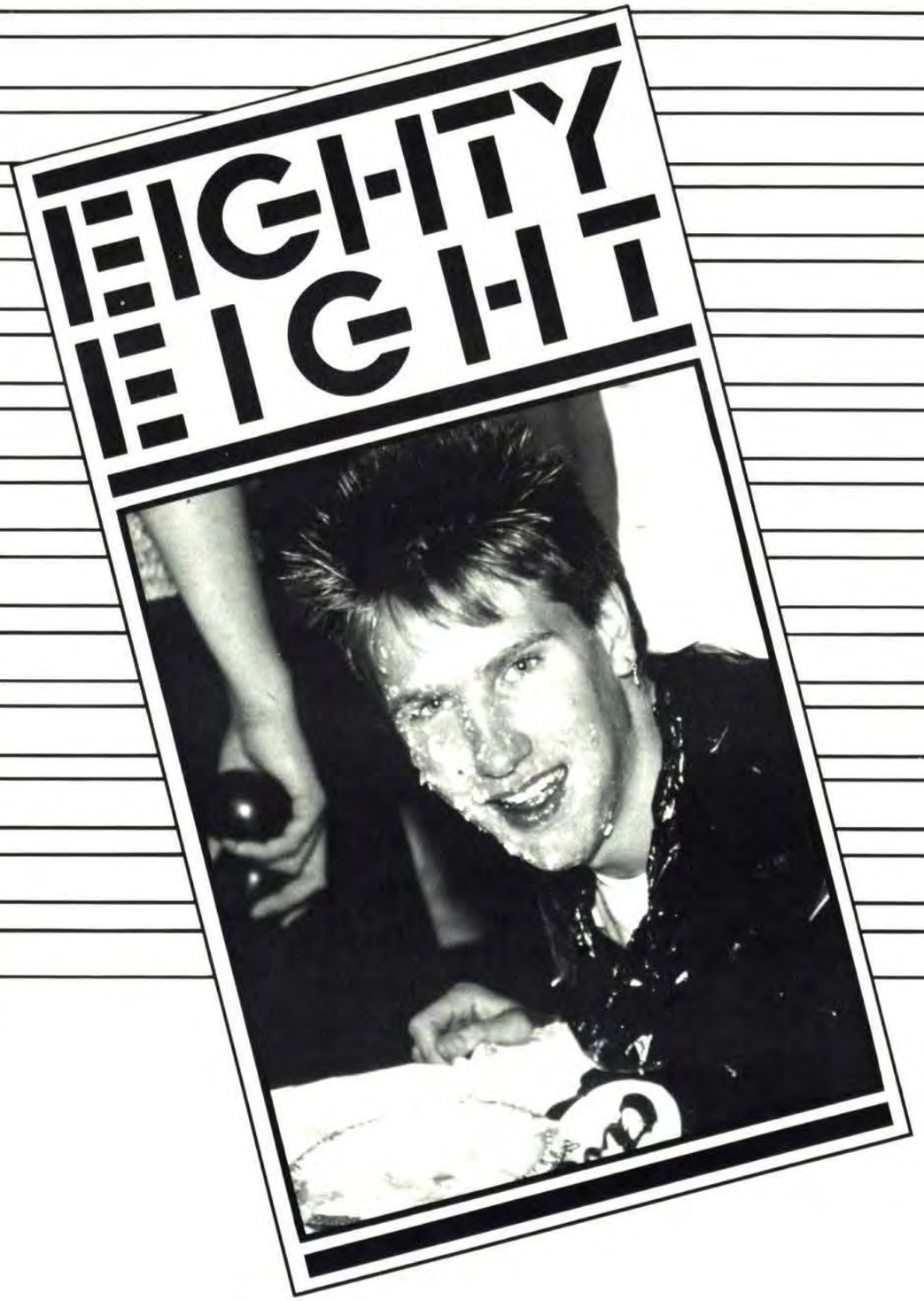

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Capra, Trevor
Carbone, Silvana
Carmichael, Sharon
Chambers, Tiina
Collucci, Bunny

Coote, Paul
Cratt, Leanne

Davis, Glen
DeBon, Deanna

Dickieson, Chris
DiMaria, Josephine
Eastland, Julie
Eby, Dave
Elltoft, Tom

Fast, Carol
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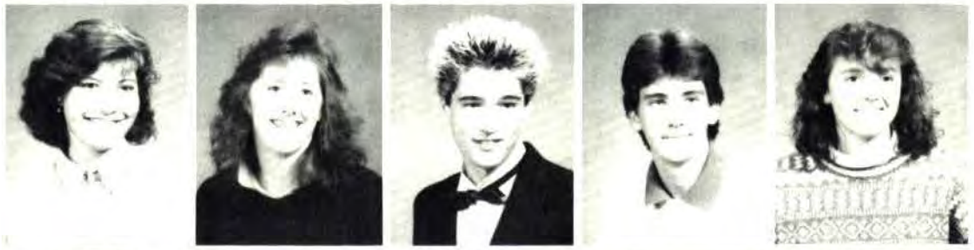

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Kucharic, Stefanie

Kuehn, Dorita
Kuijer, Sally
Mazza, Vince
McCarthy, John
McClure, Jane

McCormick, Leslie
McMillan, Chad
McQuestion, Glen
Morley, Christa
Neufeld, Nancy

Ollerhead, Mandy
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Peters, Jason
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Price, Tom
Reed, Cathy

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Serluca, Ralph

Sherriff, Gavin
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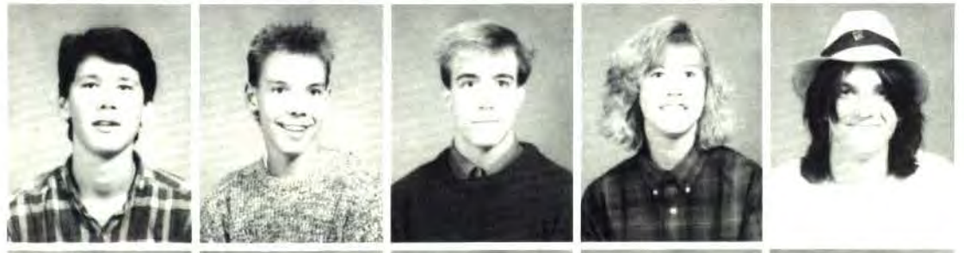

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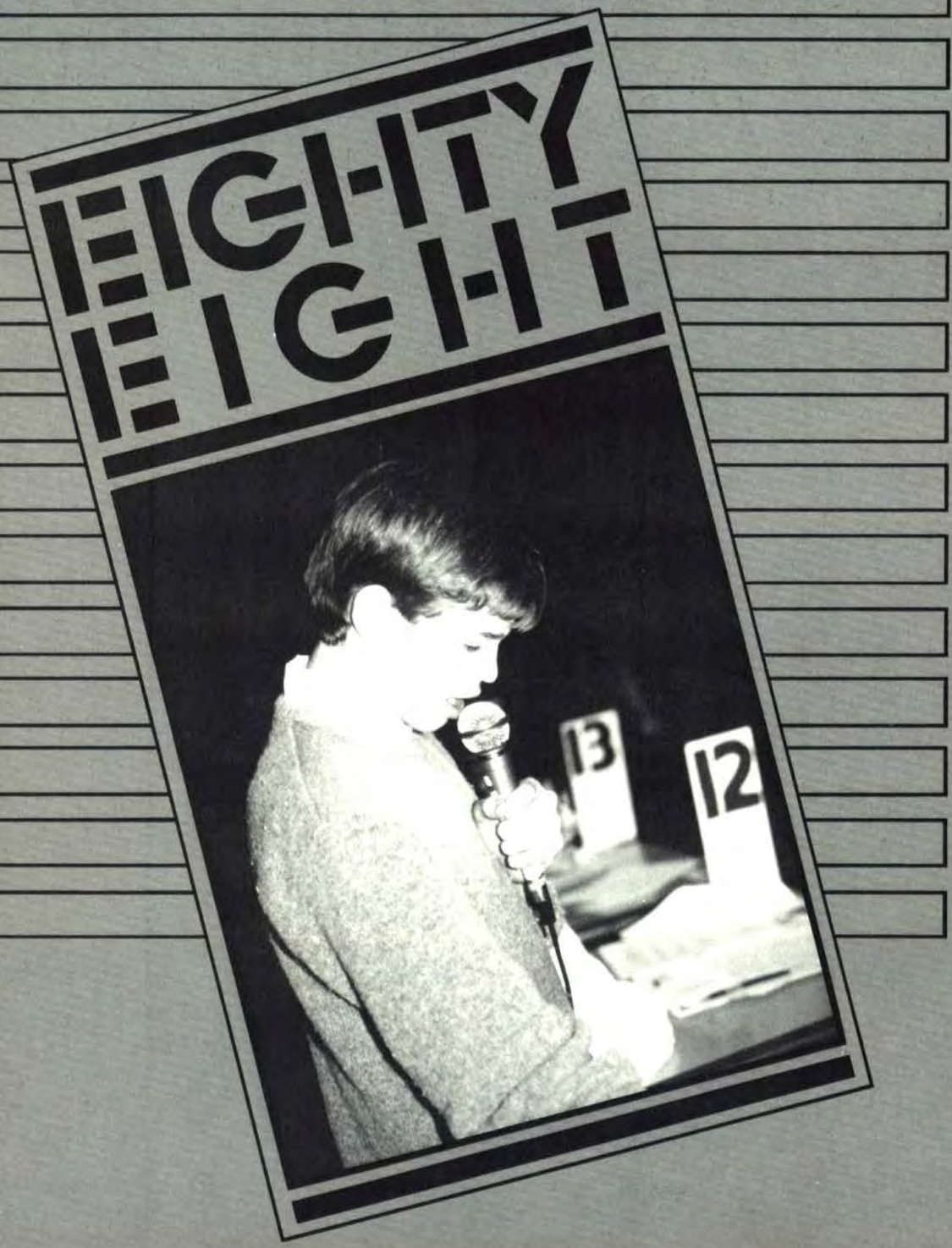

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Chu, King-Long
Clark, Becky

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Driedger, Kim
Duncan, Jeff

Dutton, Shannon
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Fakla, Tina
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Krach, Uli
Lambert, Craig

Lang Jason
Leboudec, Richard
Little, Suzanne
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Lockstadt, Mark

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McDougall, Mandy
Miller, Troy
Morgan, John

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Morton, Andrew
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Neudorf, Henry

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Rodgers, Paul
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Schulz, Darrin
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Vladianu, Abel
Voege, Tracy
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Walker, Niki
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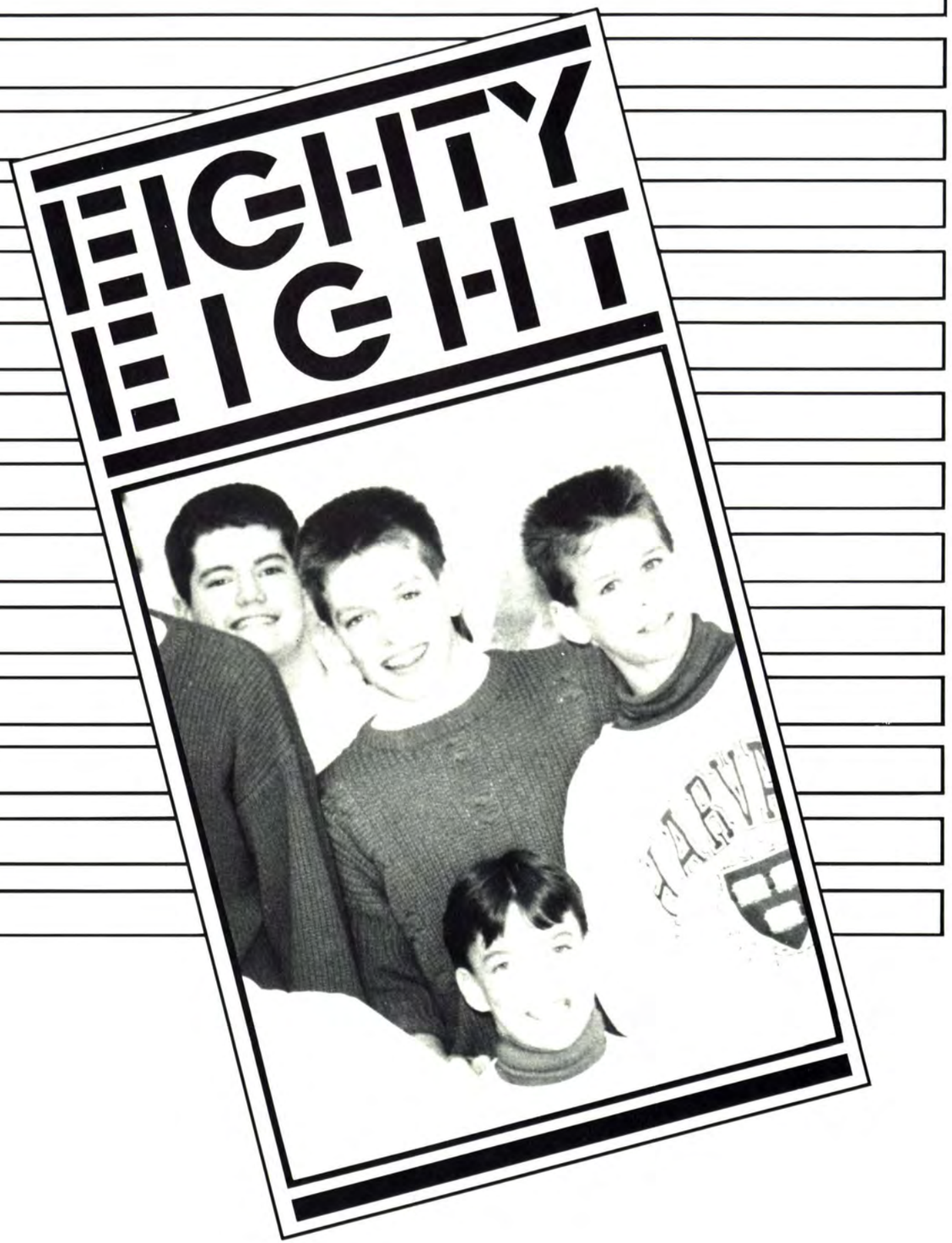

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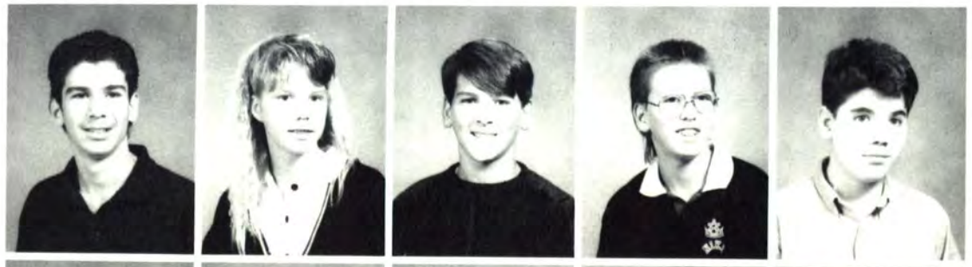

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Hogan, Sarah
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Juras, Jerry
King, Alyson
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Kriminski, Tricia
Lamb, Jamie

Lefebvre, Michelle
Lepp, Melanie
Litowski, Brian
Madill, Donell
Marks, Rachel

McCarthy, Rachel
McColl, Helena
McGraw, John
McIntyre, Heather
Morley, Bob

Mowers, Brad
Mulvale, Patrick
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Paul, Chris

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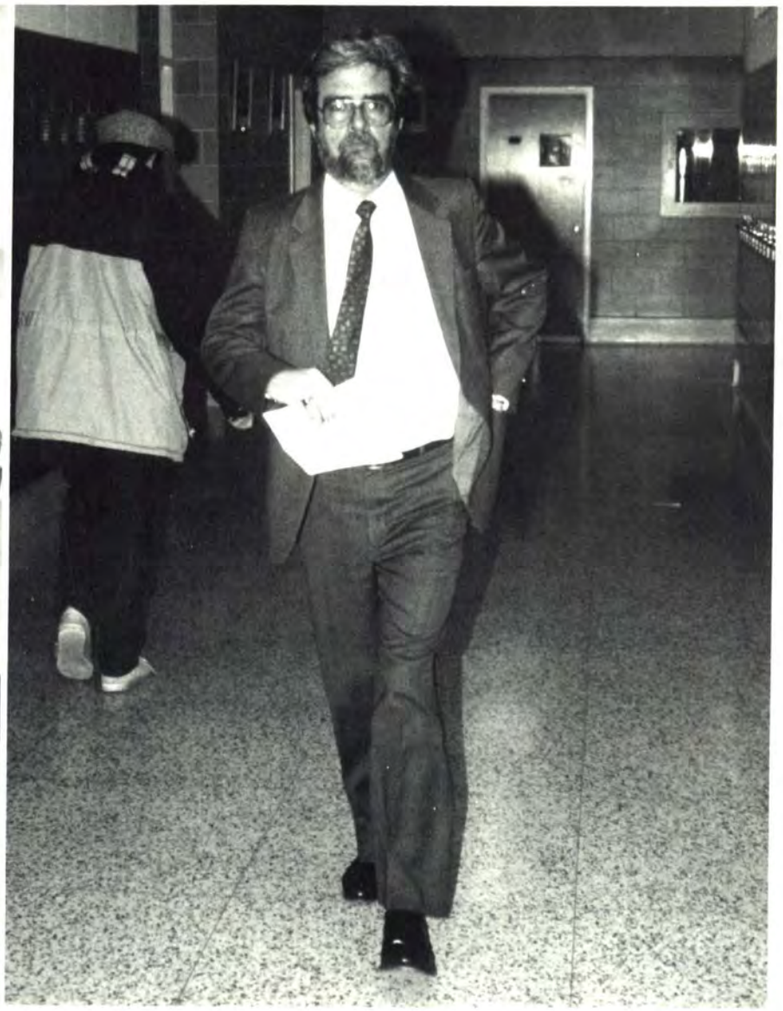

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Tiedtke, Heiko
Tooley, Xanthé

Turner, Jennifer
Typer, Shari
Van Egmond, Mike
Varga, Andrea
Voogt, Dave

Wall, Rick
Warner, Melissa
Wiens, Kim
Willms, Susan
Young, Matt

Can You Find . . .

the couple most likely to wed?

Olive Oil's main squeeze?

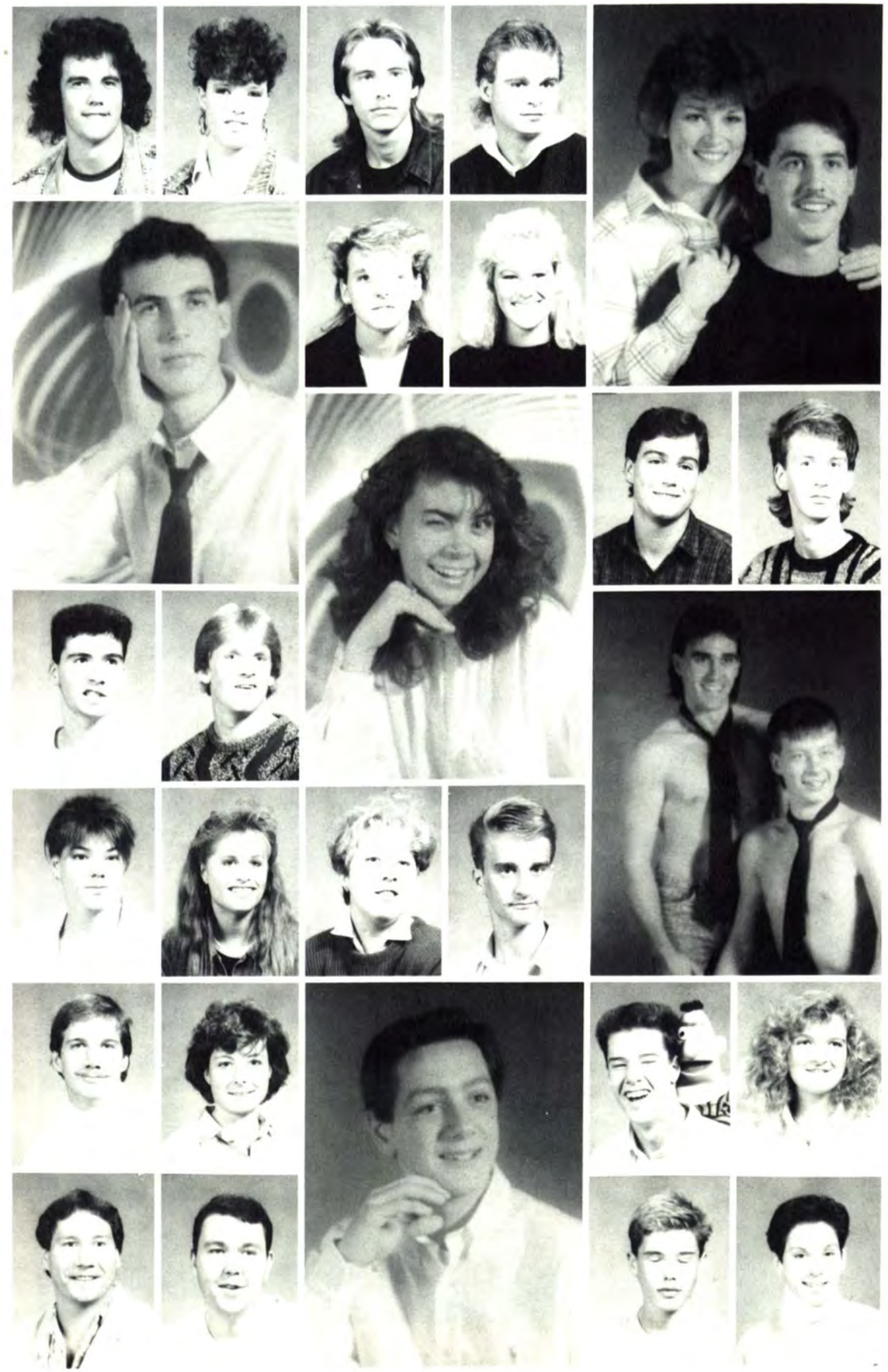
Mrs. P. Bennett?

five pounds of Max Factor?

Bert?
(clue: Tom is the one on the left)

a charter member of the smokehole?

the migraine headache?



N I N E T E E N

EIGHTY

Eight

BEHIND THE SCENES

ART DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Sue Allen

LIBRARY

Mr. Peter de Jong

SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Ms. Henriette Van Wissen
Mrs. Elizabeth Rothmel

PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Janis Corvino
Mr. Ed McCarthy

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. George Munro
Miss Jan Unger
Mr. Stu Colt

TECHNICAL DEPARTMENT

Mr. Paul Lafond
Mr. Gary Dingman
Mr. Bob Birrell

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Matt Johnston
Mrs. Pat McDermott
Mr. Bob Birrell

SECRETARIAL STAFF

Mrs. Pat McDermott
Mrs. Jean Gayman
Ms. Sharon Steele

MATH DEPARTMENT

Mr. Doug Dunn
Mrs. Mary Dunn
Mr. Gordon McKindsey
Mr. John Sanderson

SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

Mr. Don MacDougall
Mr. Jim Heywood
Mr. Peter King
Mr. Doug Wilson

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Mr. Sandy Aitken
Mr. Fred Zito
Mrs. Carol Stokreef-Barber
Mr. Bruce Krzeczkowski
Mr. Dave Sisler
Ms. Henriette Van Wissen

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

Top:
Mrs. Janis Corvino
Mr. Doug Wilson
Bottom:
Mr. Paul Wickham
Miss Donna Pawluk
Mr. Art Makkreel
Mr. Dave Sisler

FAMILY STUDIES

Mrs. Kay Gallop.

MODERNS

Mr. Doug Wilson, Mr. Jask Ramburn.

AUDIO/VISUAL

Mr. Warren Calvert.

SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

Mrs. Sue Allen, Mrs. Kay Gallop, Mr. Bob Birrell, Mr. Bruce Krzeczkowski, Mrs. Catharine Thompson, and Mr. Dave Sisler.

CUSTODIAL STAFF

Bottom: N. Madaj, M. Warkentine, J. Van Berlo, D. Van Berlo, P. Litowski. **Top:** H. Smith, T. Neelin, N. Gray, A. Fallis, H. Winter.

N I N E T E E N

EIGHTY

AUTUMN

COMMENCEMENT

Valedictory Address

Graduates of Niagara District, welcome home. Welcome to the night we've all been waiting for. Finally we're all together again, and I sure have missed you all. But though we've touched and gone our separate ways, worlds apart, we'll never forget the five years in which we were all brought so close together by a common interest; our *alma mater,* Niagara District Secondary School.

Heh, heh . . . Do you remember the time . . .

I'm sorry, but I can't read this. I get this terrible feeling of *déjà vu* from it. It sounds so familiar -- "The night we've been waiting for" and "Do you remember the time . . ." It's below the standards of the graduates of 1988/87. It's below the standards of the *Year of the Trojan.* I mean, looked around you. Here we are in one of Canada's most prestigious theatres, gazing upon a grand stage -- Niagara District's stage for tonight -- as the final curtain is about to be drawn on a truly epic play. A play with an incredible ensemble cast, 500 strong, each with his own tragedy to relate, his own comedy to tell, his own romance to share with the audience. And now, the end, Act V, the final scene, and a simple jester presents an epilogue he could have xeroxed out of *101 Basic Valedictory Addresses.* I'm sorry, but . . . this is no night for mediocracy, and I'm afraid that's all I have to offer. Uh, good luck and enjoy the dance . . . I'm sorry.

I've just gotta explain myself here. OK, as I am so accustomed to doing, I left this thing right up to the last minute, last weekend in fact. So, I came home, hoping the atmosphere would help my mind work . . . and, to be quite honest, hoping to enjoy a dinner that consisted of more than my usual bowl of *Cocoa Puffs* and glass of *Pepsi.* But as I've proven tonight, those thoughts just didn't come, and I realize now where I should've gone: *Laurier's* on-campus library.

This place is great if you lant to do some real soul-searching, but it's terrible for doing homework. At least if you sit by a window it is. Let me explain.

The first time I went, I took the elevator straight to the seventh floor, the highest floor, and then I wandered around until I found somewhere cozy to study. *(Jim wanders towards the chair at stage centre while he continues.)* Of course, there was a chair, and a desk, but most importantly, there was a window. And it's this window that ends up killing you.

Because through the glass in the autumn sun, you can see every block of the strange city where you now have your own bank card, your own mailing address, and unfortunately, your own phone bill. And on the far side of the city is the highway that brought you there, stretching across miles and miles of land to the distant horizon.

And on the other side of that horizon . . . somewhere . . . is Niagara-on-the-Lake. And in Niagara-on-the-Lake are your family, your friends, if you're lucky, a very special girl . . . and, of course, Niagara District, the old high school you might drive by every now and then.

"By" and not *"to"*

Finding this hard to accept, you turn back to your desk, and though you try like hell to absorb something out of your *Vietnam Foreshadowing in Shakespearean Comedy* text, your mind starts wandering. And then you take out the results from the English Placement Test . . . results that suggest you should take the *English as a Second Language* course. And then you look back at that lousy Philosophy exam, on which you got a bloody 6 out of . . . are my parents here tonight? Let's just say you didn't do so hot. And then you start looking around the library at all those strange faces you don't recognize. (Looks about whistling *People Are Strange.)* Jim Morrison couldn't have summed it up any better.

But just when you're feeling totally alone , you see a friendly face. Looking back out the window, you notice that dusk has come and gone, and suddenly all of your tangible fears are hidden under cover of the night. The world is black, and the constellations of street lights and office windows are the only sign of life in the universe. And now, against this less formidable back drop, your window has suddenly become a mirror, and there sits your friend.

There sits the one person who knows exactly what you're capable of, your talents and abilities. There sits the one person who can put it all into action and start his university career off on the right foot. There before you sits a person with a very bad complexion and a receding hairline!

Now this may all sound very personal, but I've go this funny feeling everyone has had some trouble adjusting, even if it is just fumbling their way through their first bowl of *Kraft Dinner.* Everyone her is bound to have some kinds of problems their first time away from home. But that's the excitement of it all. Meeting new people, having your own place, learning the bus schedule, and perhaps most importantly, remembering to drain the water from the noodles *before* you add the *Kraft Cheese Sauce.*

But if the time ever arises when excitement turns to despair, and you find it hard to adjust, never forget that *Kraft Dinner* isn't really that im-

portant. Don't let it cause you a lot of anxiety. And remember, there's always people just over that horizon who will gladly tell you how to boil that water and how long to let the noodles cook. They'll never let you down, and they'll always be there.

And, of course, that doesn't apply just to *Kraft Dinner*.

But tonight, none of those worries really matter. This is our Commencement and I've really been looking forward to this for a long time. Every night back in Waterloo, one of the things that helped me get through each day was to think I was one bowl of *Cocoa Puffs* closer to November 6th. And finally, here it is. I guess I really did mean those things I said at the very beginning. I have looked forward to seeing you all again and doing some reminiscing. But I wanted to save talking about old times until after the ceremonies, where you can be a little more intimate than simply "remembering that time" aloud to over 200 people. Besides, remembering is that much more fun 3 to 4 beers later. But we'll never get there unless I end this thing.

So let's not delay it any longer. Turn on the house lights and empty the seats. Let the roadies take the stage . . . pack it up and tear it down. But hey, that's just our show. As individual actors, none of us are done yet. Sure they're sweeping up after the *Year of the Trojan*.

But tonight, each of us was handed our own scripts in which we'll each be our own stars. A script that starts out "You have successfully graduated from Niagra District Secondary School . . . and you have a future." No doubt they'll all be big hits. I just wish there was some way I could get in on the profits.

Thank-you and the best of luck to all of you!

Jim McIntyre
November 8, 1987.

WORK-A-THON

Although these pictures tend to show the ability of students to seem to be doing work while they are really goofing off, this year's Work-a-thon turned out to be one of the most successful *ever!* The most common job was raking leaves, as is illustrated by the above pictures, but other groups of students did anything and everything to earn some bucks for their Students' Council. The money went directly to the Council, with it eventually being divided into grants for such organizations as the Theatre Guild, the Yearbook and school teams through the Athletic Association. The Work-a-thon take-ins also helped refurbish the NDSS dark-room/photo lab to the point where virtually every photograph that was used in this book's production was student developed and printed. The Work-a-thon showed how NDSS students can pull together for a good cause!

ORIENTATION DAY

Peter Evans and Heather McIntyre

Mr. and Miss Grade Nine

BASKETBALL MIDGET GIRLS

Bottom: Melissa Warner, Allison Broere, Heather McIntyre, Rachel McCarthy, Tracey Steele. **Middle:** Maxine Petrick, Andrea Varga, Shari Typer, Susan Willms. **Top:** Jessica Giessler, Darla Dewberry, Nsenga Bansfield, Julie Rougoor, Jim Heywood (Coach).

JUNIOR GIRLS

Bottom: Joanne Grimo, Catherine Bennett, Cara Hudson, Alison Walker, Kim Baily. **Top:** Ilona Nagel, Cheryl Gordon, Sharon Carmichael, Jordan Dunton, Angela Anastacio.

SENIOR GIRLS

Bottom: Rhonda Taylor, Christine van Rijn, Laurie Dyck. **Top:** Charlene Neudorf, Colleen Dineley, Carol Ignatczyk, Christine Worrall, Don MacDougall (Coach).

CROSS COUNTRY

Bottom: Kim Wiens. **Middle:** Sam Frizell, Gord Rand, Jennifer Turner, Ken Belau. **Top:** John Blair, Jamie Lamb, Audrea Frizell, Melissa Smith, Allison Broere, Miss Unger (Coach), Phobeb Lye.

GOLF TEAM

(Left to Right) Joe McKenney, Tyler Cratt, Kevin Bridgman, Carl Glauser, Craig Evans, Don MacDougall (Coach).

TENNIS TEAM

Bottom: Christine Worrall, Jennifer Dyck, Alison Walker, Amanda Howe, Richard Leboudec. **Top;** Craig Jaques, Sara Hammerling, Joe Ramos, Carl Glauser, Rhonda Taylor, Cheryl Gordon, David Orders.

FOOTBALL

1987-88 N.D.S.S. Varsity Football Team

Bottom: *(Left to Right)* John McCarthy, Andrew Gretzinger, Carl Glauser, Michael King, Allan Willms, William Capell, Sean Krawchuk, Tyler Cratt, Chris Clark, Jason Peters, Jason Ward, John Woodard, Tim Sobschak, Kevin Bridgman. **Second Row:** *(Left to Right)* Mr. King (coach), Steve Buttner, Nestor Chemerika, Bob Carmichael, Josh Wiwcharyk, Jason Rawsthorne, Joe McKenny, Jim Gould, Willie Hipwell, James Burton, Troy Miller, Ray Hunter, Peter Vandenberg, Mr. McCarthy (coach). **Third Row:** *(Left to Right)* Robin Corvino (manager), Mr. Colt (coach), Adrian Siemens, Dan Sherk, Scott Bratton, Tom Dunn, George Burton, Mike Pohorly, Jim Juras, Wilf Griese, Craig Lambert, Alex Schulz, Jeff Duncan. **Top Row:** *(Left to Right)* (managers) Xanthé Tooley, Rachel Marks, Rachel McCarthy, Linda Peters, Teri Goosen, Dorita Kuehn, Christa Morley, Rachel Zwart, Lisa Van Berlo, Kim Voege, Barb Goosen, Carolyn Bosje, Tina Woodruff.

1987 Season Play

September 25	- Beamsville	- 35	at	NDSS	-	7.
October 1	- NDSS	- 6	at	Collegiate	-	42.
October 9	- NDSS	- 7	at	Holy Cross	-	47.
October 15	- Churchill	- 21	at	NDSS	-	0.
October 23	- Grantham	- 20	at	NDSS	-	21.
October 29	- NDSS	- 13	at	West Part	-	13.

November 5 - Merriton at NDSS (Merriton default).
Championship Division III

November 12	- NDSS	- 3	at	West Park	-	7.

We're the *only* school to provide a half-time show.

Hey, George. I think it's time for our song!

Ray did *more* than his share on Work-a-thon day.

Students often camped out days before each football game.

NINETEEN

EIGHTY

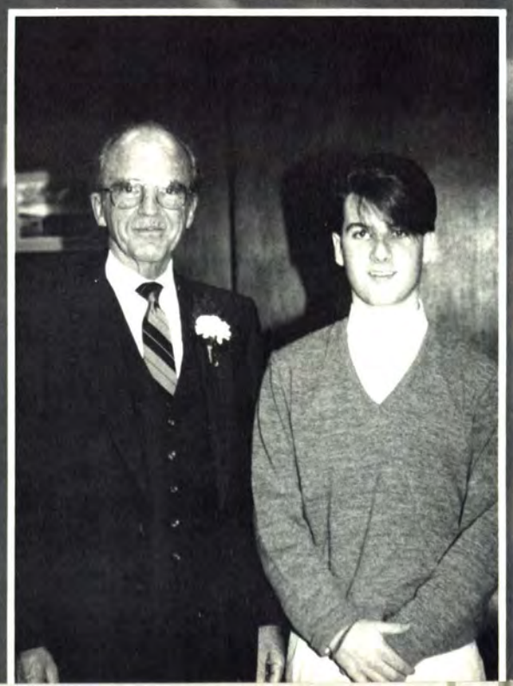
Eight

WINTER

MODEL PARLIAMENT XVII-1987

Prime Minister: Jim Gould. Liberal Leader: Amanda Howe. NDP Leader: Michael Pohorly. Guests included: *Senator William Kelly* the last Senator named by Pierre E. Trudeau, whose grandson Brady Parr, served in the Liberal caucus here; *Rob Nicholson*, MP for Niagara Falls; *Mike Dietsch*, MPP for Brock, *Margarita Howe*, Chairman of Operation Clean Niagara; and *Jim Marino*, Lord Mayor of Niagara-on-the-Lake. Topics discussed included: South Africa, Free Trade, and AIDS.

Stop the Deal
It's up to us!



VOLLEYBALL

MIDGET GIRLS

Bottom: Kim Wiens. **Middle:** Claire Ollerhead, Nsenga Bansfield, Julie Rougoor, Melissa Warner, Tracey Steele. **Top:** Shari Typer, Darla Dewberry, Susan Willms, Andrea Varga, Becky Carson, Jan Unger (Coach).

JUNIOR GIRLS

Bottom: Angela Anastacio, Alison Walker, Cara Hudson. **Top:** Jennifer Dyck, Cheryl Gordon, Rhonda Taylor, Jordan Dunton.

SENIOR GIRLS

Bottom: Laurie Dyck, Charlene Neudorf, Colleen Dineley, Kim Voege, Christine Worrall, Christine van Rijn. **Comfortable As Always:** Jim Juras (Manager).

BASKETBALL MIDGET BOYS

Bottom: Dennis Price, Jeff Bridgman, Tom Dunn, Herb Hinz, Chris Paul. **Top:** Jamie Lamb, Paul Gordon, Joel Eastland, Leeland Brunton, Louis Albers, Joe Coco. Michael Cowan & Bob Carmichael (Coaches).

JUNIOR BOYS

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Bottom: Brad Ryder, Maxine Petrick, Matt Young, Becky Clark, JB Hopkins, Tom Elltoft, Ed Woelke. **Second:** Tiina Chambers, Eric Van Geest, Jason Watson, Sean Bouchard **Third:** Brian Daw, Tracy Wiebe, Scott Duyn, Troy Miller, Larry Graf, Brian Bogusat, Max Kaiser, Erhardt Schimann, Colleen Dineley, Christine Worrall, Kim Voege. **Top:** Brady Parr, Leeland, Brunton, Andrew Fraser, Eric Probst, Sam Frizell, Stu Colt, Audrea Frizell.

SKI RACERS

Bottom: Troy Miller, Becky Clark, Kim Voege, Audrea Frizell, Colleen Dineley, Christine Worrall **Middle:** Brian Daw, Scott Duyn, Brad Ryder, Tom Elltoft, JB Hopkins, Sean Bouchard. **Top:** Steve Buttner, Eric Van Geest, Jason Watson, Sam Frizell, Stu Colt (Ski Patrol).

DRAMAFEST

Bottom: Chris Howden, Gord Rand. **Middle:** Krista Rode, Pete Evans, Wade Taylor. **Top:** Eric Schmidt, Karin Keir, Catherine Bennett, Mitch Lackie (Facilitator).

'87 TRACK

Bottom: Rhonda Taylor, Alison Walker, Jordan Dunton, Clare Ollerhead. **Middle:** Samantha Greves, Karen Delesky. **Top:** Jan Unger (Coach), Charlene Neudorf, Chris Howden, Tim Sobschak, Eric Howden, Phoebe Lye, John Blair.

'87 SLO-PITCH

Bottom: Alison Walker, Cara Hudson, Christine van Rijn. **Top:** Ilona Nagel, Deanna DeBon, Jennifer Dyck, Charlene Neudorf, Colleen Dineley, Christine Worrall, Don MacDougall (Coach).

'87 ROWING

Bottom: Werner Siemens, Larry Graf, Eric Probst. **Top:** Joe McKenney, Steve Buttner, Graham Bell, Al Willms, Carl Glauser, Ken Belau, Sam Frizell, Rudi Bartel.

CHRISTMAS

Santa's *Elves?!?*

1987's major assembly was a sight and sound extravaganza. There was a chorus of French carolers, a French play about nerds trying to pick chicks, the X-Mas *rappers*, Performing Arts dancers, the Junk Band, a live student band and, to everyone's surprise, the staff *in drag!* Well, they weren't really in drag but they did stage the most impressive, best choreographed, best costumed and, of course, *only* 'Snowflake Dance' ever! It must have been the Yuletide spirit! What else could explain it?

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Bottom: Chris Clark, Jordan Dunton (Presidents). **Middle:** Joe McKenney, Colleen Dineley, Al Willms, Christine Worrall, Kevin Bridgman, Andy Boldt, Charlene Neudorf, Christine van Rijn, Jennifer Kanters, Carolyn Loewen, Rhonda Taylor, Alison Walker, Charlotte Teggin. **Top:** Ray Hunter, Carl Glauser.

DANCE CLUB

Bottom: Catherine Bennett, Suzanne Little, Jennifer Turner, Charlene Garceau. **Middle:** Amanda Smith, Mandy MacDougall, Tina Fakla, Sarah Hogan, Jeannette Joseph. **Top:** Lisa Goetz, Kristin Carson, Dara Bowie, Nicole Buzila, Cathy Kloc, Kim Wiens.

I.S.C.F.

Bottom: Charlotte Jeffries, Erin Howse. **Top:** Lynn Howse, Tilly Riemland, Susan Willms, Jacqueline Epp, Brad Little.

N I N E T E E N

EIGHTY

Eight

SPRING

LINCOLN COUNTY SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

The LINCOLN COUNTY SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

Top - Dance training with Catherine M. Thompson, Director of Performing Arts. **Bottom** - Dave Thomas, director of *The Experts* was in our midst to film scenes with help from our own P.A. students. **Facing Page Top** - On-the-scene training from a member of *The Experts* crew. **Facing Page Middle** - Cast of *After Liverpool*, the Lincoln County School of Performing Arts entry in the Sears Drama Festival.

Whether pursuing career goals or exploring vital interests, performance is a valuable experience for every student. It brings out qualities rarely seen in but certainly transferable to other situations, that is, there is a heightened focus of energy and concentration in the work done. Also, by allowing themselves to explore the possibilities in Performing Arts, students often discover potential in themselves of which they were previously unaware.

That is why general Performing Arts courses that touch all aspects are so important at the Grade 9 level.

By second semester students will begin to specialize. At the Grade 10 level the students will take a full credit in their area of specialty which will be interwoven with a general Performing Arts as long as they can maintain a full academic load. Thus, at the end of four years, the Lincoln County School of Performing Arts' student will graduate with a strong academic base, at least one area of strength in performing arts and a fairly comprehensive understanding of the rest of the programme.

(From: Dear Colleague, Jan. 88)

FASHION ARTS AND INDEPENDENT LIVING

Modelling Fashions Are:
Top: *(Clockwise from Bottom):* Tim Sobschak, Glen Davis, Tom Price. Middle Right: Glen Davis. Bottom Right: Tim Sobschak.

Modelling Fashions Are:
Top: *(Left to Right):* Linda Peters, Barb Goosen, Dorita Kuehn, Nancy Neufeld, Sam Greves, Carmen Wright, Jacqueline Epp. Middle Left: Sam Greves. Middle Centre: Silvana Carbone. Middle Right: *(Left to Right):* Nancy Neufeld, Carrie Wilkinson, Josephine DiMaria.

This year's senior Fashion Arts and Textiles classes offered students a wide variety of design media with a strong professional-style production basis. The course provided for three separate studios, Weaving Yardage, Silk Painting, and Air Brush, Batik and Tie Dyeing. A follow-up to each studio was clothing construction techniques which had students producing garments from their own designs and fabrics. Professional guests included fibre artist Gerda Amoraal, airbrush artist Roddy Heading and silk painter Telsey Eller.

Students were also invited to model their fashions at the Handweavers' Conference at Brock University and at Duthler's Fall Fashion Show. (see photo above.)

This unique response was submitted for the test question: *What have you learned in the first three weeks of the Independent Living course?*

As I wake from my dreary state, a buzzing fills my head. I roll over and pound the snooze bar on the agonizingly loud alarm -- 8:25 a.m., it reads, so I gingerly get out of bed and head for the bathroom. After a refreshing shower, I walk to the kitchen section of my apartment. Opening the fridge, I grab the last three eggs and make a mental note to get some more. I crack them into a glass bowl and note the bright yellow yolk and the cloudy white. I smile as I remember my Independent Living course, in which I learned that these are the signs of fresh eggs. Upon adding a small portion of milk and seasoning, I briskly mix up the eggs with a wire wisk. Then, pouring the mixture into a frying pan on medium heat, so they stay fluffy, I begin to plan the events of the day.

Of course, the first thing I have to do is go to classes, but after that, my day gets busy. The biggest chore will be to prepare for my wine & cheese get-together and my Sunday brunch. I grab the shopping list off the fridge and quickly skim over it - cheese: cheddar, brie, processed and Swiss; apples: Ida Red, Northern Spy, MacIntosh, Delicious and Empire. Then wine, of which I need 6 bottles, a half bottle per person is the general rule. I mix and slip over the eggs while my mind focuses on brunch. I quickly go over the rules of meal planning which are embedded in my brain: flavour, colour, texture, shape, temperature and variety. I quickly go over the rules of table-setting, forks on the left, knives on the right, spoons to the right of the knives, glasses, three quarters full before the meal, in front of the knives, and napkin to the left of the forks, all being placed at right angles to the edge of the table.

My eggs are done, so I put them on a plate, grab a glass of orange juice and sit down at my kitchen table. As I take my first bite, I ponder the nutrition of my meal. Only 80 calories per egg, with Vitamins A, D, E and the B series, also phosphorous and iron. The milk in my eggs has calcium and O.J. has lots of vitamin C.

I chuckle as I remember the Independent Living class where I learned so much: social graces, food preparation, being a good host, nutrition and fashion. That reminds me, I have to pick up some material for the shirt I'm planning to make. After the quick breakfast, I get out the pattern by McCalls, checking the view and on that table, cross referencing the width of the material and my size, I get the amount, another trick I picked up in Grade 13. I decided to go with wool, a natural material, over orlon, which doesn't have wool's durability. Again, I go over the list of material which needs special attention: materials with a one-way design, vertical and horizontal lines, repeat pattern, materials with a diagonal twill weave, one example being denim, and materials with a nap, like velour, velvet, suede or velvetine. Then I remember I have to get notions for my shirt: buttons and a zipper.

Upon glancing at the clock, I realize I'm late, all this reminiscing about Independent Living has put me behind schedule. So, I grab an apple, "nature's tooth brush," with only 76 calories, high in Vitamin A, low in Vitamin C, and high in carbohydrates. I take a large bite, grab my jacket and run out the door. As I bound into the elevator and struggle into my jacket, I realize it is getting small. I check the size, 38, men's medium, and remember the measurements: 38 chest, 32 waist. I also go over my other measurements: neck, hips, inseam, height and back length. I get out of the apartment, jump into my car and speed off toward the university, chuckling as I realize just how much I enjoy *independent living.*

By Glen Schachowskoj
Graduating Class.

SCHOOL REACH

Bottom: Gord Rand. **Middle:** Ken Belau, Tayarna King, Jordan Dunton, Jennifer Turner, Jamie Sauder. **Top:** Glen Schachowskoj, Rudi Bartel, Uli Krach, Karen Delesky, Joe Wiebe, Jim Hutchinson, Chris Howden, Jeremy Dyck, Mike Pohorly, Jodi Schachowskoj.

C.P.S. TEAMS

Bottom: Christine Urias, Melanie Lepp, Melissa Smith, Tracey Steele, Rachel McCarthy, Heather McIntyre, Abby Neufeld. **Top:** Craig Lambert, Jodi Schachowskoj, Susan Willms, JB Hopkins, Jamie King, Josh Wiwcharyk, Mike Pohorly, Matt Gordon, Joe Wiebe, Brad Ryder, Kevin Fraser, Paul Bartel, Jeremy Dyck, Eric Howden, Nsenga Bansfield, Pat Mulvale, Tom Dunn, Glen Schachowskoj.

HISTORY QUIZ

(Left to Right): Mike Pohorly, Josh Wiwcharyk, Paul Bartel, Brad Ryder, Uli Krach, Jeremy Dyck, Jodi Schachowskoj, Nsenga Bansfield.

GYMNASTICS

(Left to Right): Jordan Dunton, Melissa Smith, Catherine Bennett, Tracey Steele. **Absent:** Toni Mori (Coach).

BADMINTON

Bottom: Jim Walker, Andrea Varga, Joe Ramos, Andy Boldt, Jennifer Kanters. **Second:** John McCarthy, Al Willms, Todd Watson, Dan Sherk, Angela Teggin, Christine Worrall, Matt Wormsbecher, Carl Glauser, Charlene Neudorf, Jeremy Dyck. **Third:** Joanne Grimo, Kim Baily, Alison Walker, Laurie Dyck, Phoebe Lye, Jennifer Dyck, Jeff Bridgman, Colleen Dineley, Christine van Rijn, Rachel McCarthy, Janice Gordon, Susan Crabbe. **Top:** Dave Orders, Rhonda Taylor, Sharon Carmichael, Steve Buttner, Peter Vandenberg, Paul Fast, Mike Pohorly, Leeland Brunton, Brady Parr, Brad Dineley, Adrian Siemens, Cheryl Gordon, Charlotte Teggin.

CYCLING CLUB

(Left to Right): Pete Evans, Pete Cecil, Joe Ramos, Troy Miller, Paulo Gaspar, Brian Daw, Doug McClure, Joe McKenney, Scott Duyn.

MOCK TRIAL

(Left to Right): Sarah Cannon, Heather Watson, Evelyn Scudamore, Miss Pawluk (advisor), Tino Mazza, Ann Marie Baldin.

SOCCER TEAM

Bottom: Farzin Agazadeh, Kevin Julie, Tino Mazza, Doug McClure, Joe Zambito, Brad Dineley, Adrian Siemens. **Top:** Chris Dickieson, Susan Crabbe (Manager), Mr. de Jong (Coach), Romin Agazadeh, Dave Vanderlee, Glen Davis, Joe Ramos, Liam Goudy, Josh Wiwcharyk, Dennis Price, Dan Lutzer, Craig Jaques, Sean Krawchuk, Troy Miller, Jason Ward, Charlie Pillitteri (Coach).

EUROPEAN TRIP

(In the Middle): Tina Woodruff, Jim Gould, Veronica Cecil, Debbie Froese, Liam Goudy, Christine Urias, Kevin Fraser, Glen McQuestion, Colin Johnston, Mike Kanters.

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Tom Price - Spirit Club President.
Joe Wiebe - Newspaper Correspondent.
Annette Giesbrecht - Secretary.

DESCARTES

Bottom: Doug Dunn (Coach), Laurie Dyck, Cindy Reed, Jordan Dunton, Paul Fast, John Blair. **Top:** Dennis Denbesten, Graham Bell, Glen Schachowskoj, Sam Frizell, Mike Crook.

JUNK BAND

Bottom: Brady Parr, Chris Wiens, Vince Mazza, Ralph Serluca. **Top:** Dave Sisler (Conductor), Brad Little, Dean Laar, Matt Wormsbecher, Rhonda Taylor, Karin Wiens, Paul Gosse, King-Long Chu.

MATHLETICS

(Left to Right): Jamie Sauder, Jeremy Dyck, Paul Bartel, Joe Wiebe, Henry Neudorf, Alison Walker, Michael King. **Absent:** Karin Wiens.

N I N E T E E N

EIGHTY

LITERARY AND VISUAL ARTS

STUDENT ARTISTRY AND LITERARY WORKS

The Little Bird

Right after the rain had fallen one day,
I went out for a walk.
And to my surprise, I found,
A bird that could talk.

I approached this bird very slowly,
As it began to call my name.
I had never seen anything so bizarre,
Was this some type of game?

The bird then started to fly around me,
In circles, again and again.
What had happened to this bird?
Was it something in the rain?

Then, from behind the clouds, the sun came out,
To dry up the land.
And the bird flew over to me,
And landed on my hand.

The bird then said, "This is good-bye,"
And flew off towards the sea.
Never again, have I had,
Anything so strange, happen to me.

By Christine Urias.

Deadly Wonder

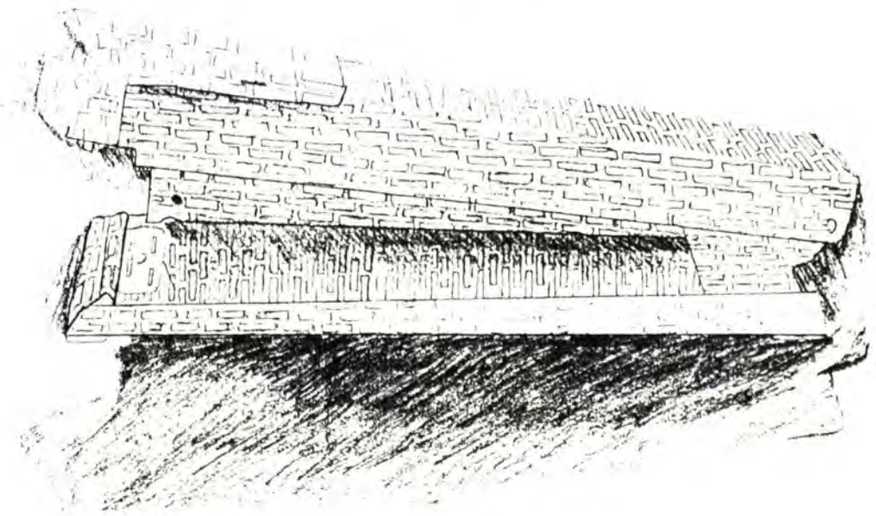
The day is ending,
The night is descending,
The creek is frozen,
The meadow is dead.

Through lands like ashes,
The dying sun flashes
On village windows
That glimmer red.

The snow recommences;
The buried fences
Mark no longer
The path or plain.

While through the fields,
Like ghostly shadows,
Slowly passes
A funeral procession.

Anne-Marie Baldin



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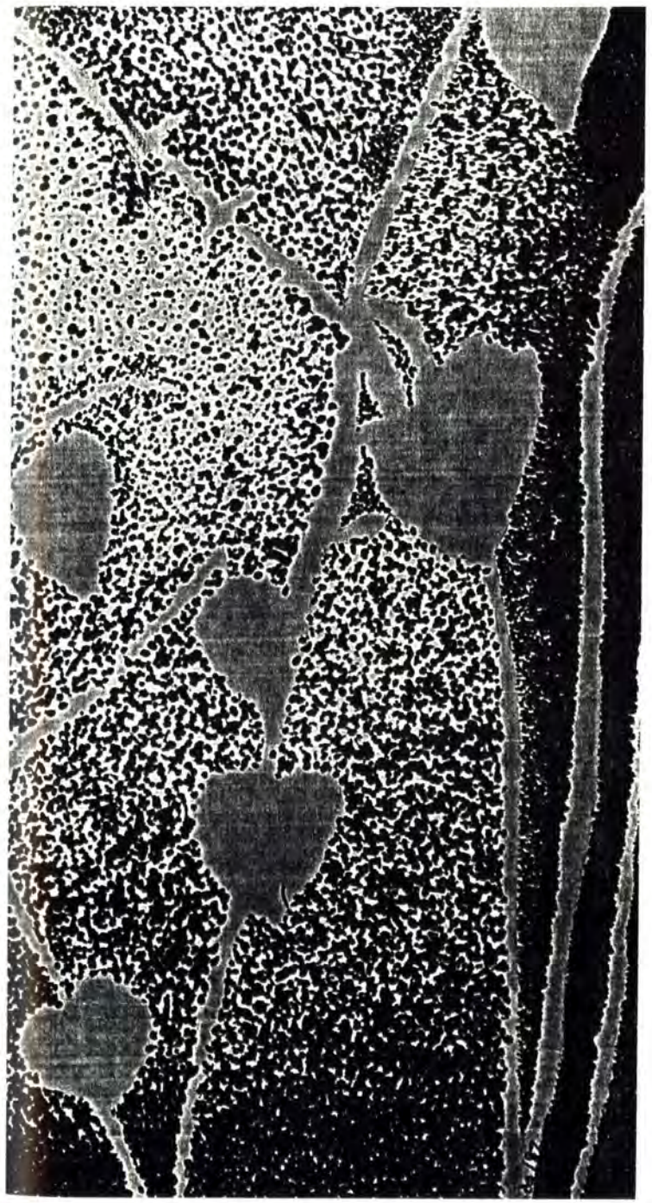


The Poor Little Child

The anger
The crying
The hurt little child

The punching
The hitting
The parents gone wild

The yelling
The screaming
The abuse everynight

The cursing
The swearing
The unnecessary fight

The bruises
The welts
The swollen little face

The pain
The tears
The child disgrace

The bottles
The cans
The alcoholic air

The poor little child
Whose parents never cared

Kristen Carson

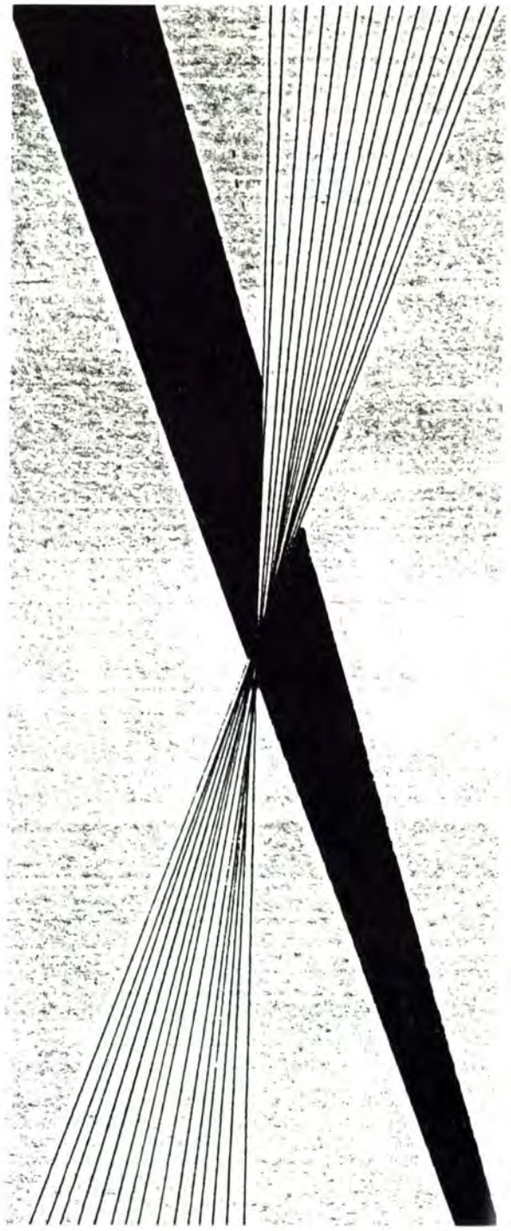
As I step away from you and am embraced
by another, my heart quivers.
You have seen me through so much,
Helped me to grow into the person I am.
In miles I will be too far to touch,
But, in our memories we are bound
forever,
Thank-you, Niagara District, for
everything.
Good-bye.
Jordan Tyler Dunton

Colours

A splash of red -
a burning heart.
A wisp of white -
conjures up fright.
A blade of green -
a meadow scene.
A tunnel of black -
you may never turn back.
A sparkle of yellow -
from a faraway star.

The colours of life
Blending in a medium
Of perfect unity.

Anne-Marie Baldin



Memories

Many a thing can be lost in life.
Just as the sun disappears from the sky,
Friends can fall away as dead leaves
from a tree.
But memories live on forever.
In the hearts and minds of those who
believe.
For there will always be a rainbow
To colour even the dullest of skies.

Christa Morley

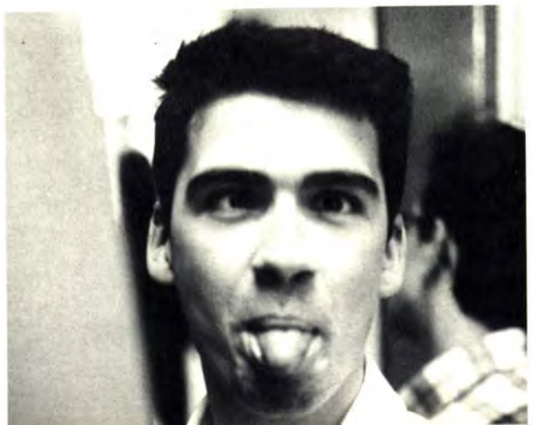
ND's own *Vanna White.*

Hey guys! Let's stuff Tom in a locker again.

Hmm, let's see . . . what am I teaching today?

(Above) "Gretzinger! You nincompoop! Get OUT!"

(Below) Bob was stunned whilst the *Amazing Edwardo* levitated the block of ice!



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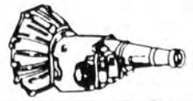

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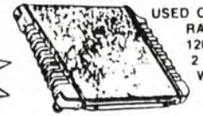

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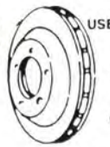

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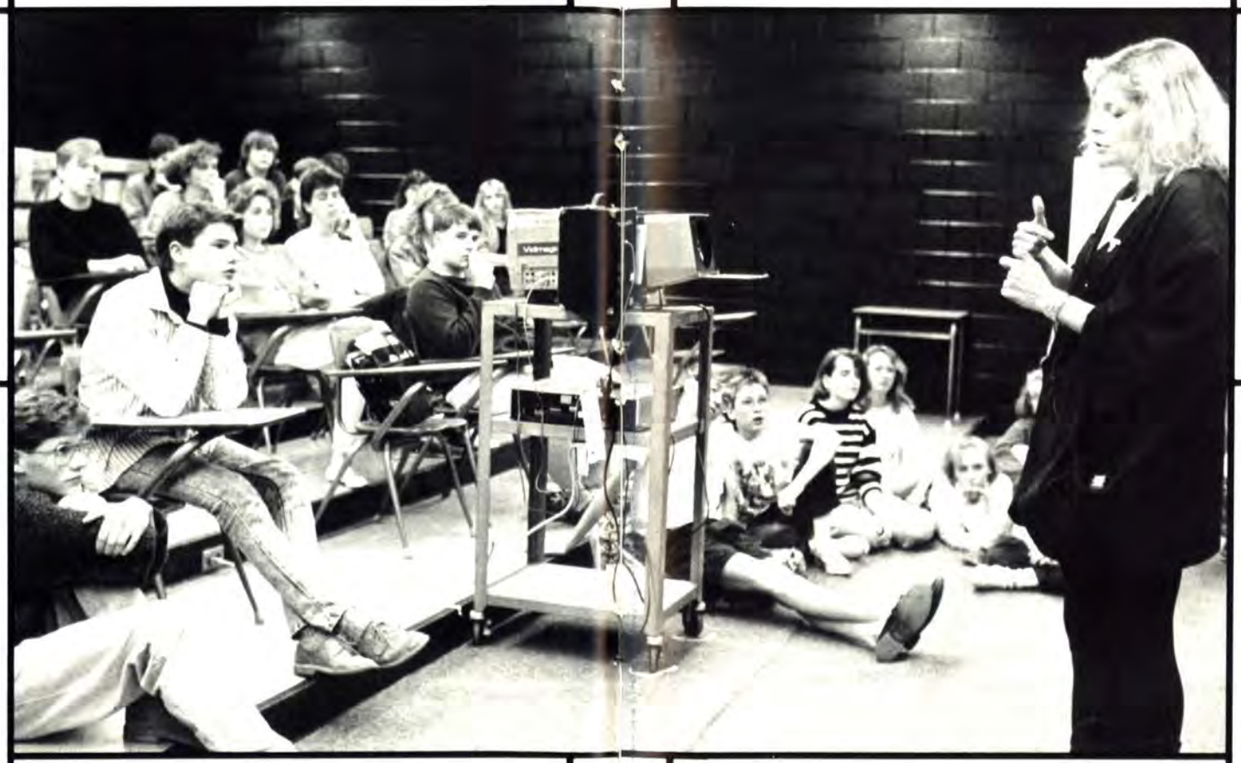

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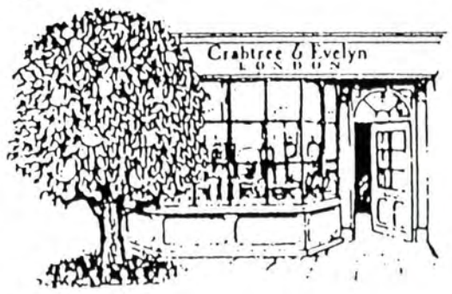

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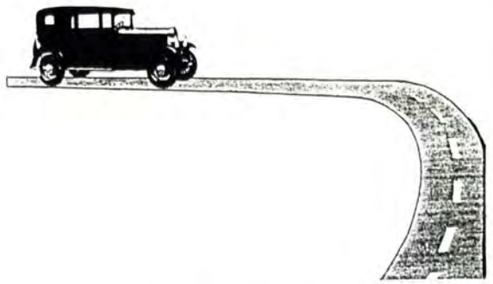

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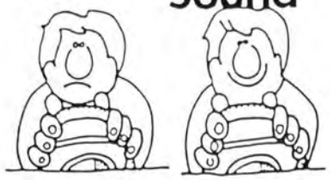

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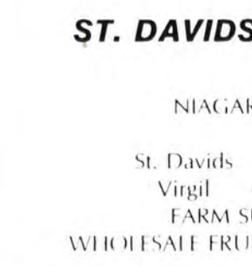

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