



Dedication



We, the Backtrackin' staff of 1963, are proud to dedicate our annual to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bryant, who have devoted many years to Canton High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant came to Canton in 1937 and have been very active in school and community service. This marked Mr. Bryant's twenty-sixth year as vocational ag director. He has been honored as the "Dean of Ag Men" by the South Dakota Agriculturist and was named Vocational Agriculture Instructor of South Dakota by the Agriculture Education Club at State. Mr. Bryant was co-author of the book, Profitable Farm Management, published in 1956. He received the honorary degree of "American Farmer" at the annual FFA convention in Kansas City.

Mrs. Bryant has been CHS librarian since 1959, before that time she taught English IV. She has been around CHS full time since 1954. In addition to all the help she gives us in school, Mrs. Bryant is an active leader in community work. She has been superintendent of the Canton Methodist Sunday School twice and is now serving on the Building Committee. She is a member of the P.E.O. sisterhood and has at some time held all the offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant have two children, Bill and Elaine. Bill is a medical doctor, specializing in Ophthalmology at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester. Elaine received her degree in education from the University of South Dakota. Her husband, Dennis Ortmeier, received his M. D. in June.

To these two people, who have given so much to us, we are proud to dedicate this 1963 Backtrackin'.