



**BAND OFFICERS:** Leon Bitker, Joyce Schulz, Mr. Thorson, Judy Karr, Gary Tvinnereim.



**BRASS QUARTET:** Harvey Gabbert, Twyla Gunderson, Phyllis Payne, Earl Sjoblom.



**BRASS ENSEMBLE. FRONT ROW:** Steve Beyer, Lowell Lerud, Robert Hoerner, Earl Sjoblom. **BACK ROW:** Twyla Gunderson, Douglas Kroening, Robert Johnson, Judy Karr, Phyllis Payne.



"Use six legs, two of your own and the four of the chair." No, we don't have musical chairs, nor do we play the chairs, but we are quite good when it comes to rocking back and forth. Mr. Thorson, our director, reminds often about posture being most essential to a good performance and a sharp appearance which is sometimes just as important as the music that is being played.

Whenever there is any important school function such as basketball, football or assembly programs, the band is on hand to cheer up the crowds. There is nothing that can rouse more spirit than the joyful strains of a good Sousa march, and the band is the organization that can provide just that.

There are many incidents that we shall always remember, such as the day of homecoming when Leon Bitker drove the tractor that pulled the entire band seated on a hayrack, all over the football field. This was one time that everyone was sure that they really had a joy ride as they literally flew past the spectators. I guess we were really on the "Band Wagon."