



**Mr. Curtis Proud of
Band's Contributions
to Musical Life of
Goddess We Adore**

Mr. Gilbert Curtis, popular director of the Big Red Band, works tirelessly to provide an excellent musical education for students interested in instrumental music.



The Hughes Marching Band makes the "H" formation at Coy Field. They demonstrate agility and poise in performing this.

Throughout the school year 1961-62, the band performed at various school functions. The band, well-trained under the direction of Mr. Gilbert Curtis, presented half-time shows at both home and away football games. Lively music and clever, well-executed formations pleased the crowd and showed the results of daily practice during the fall.

During the year, the band played at the Spring and Christmas concerts and the "Merry-Go-Round." The Pep Band added spirit to pep assemblies.

This year's Music Festival was held at Miami University. From Hughes, the winners of first-class ratings in the senior high division were as follows: Marylee Wehman and Kenneth Harlan, cello duet, with piano accompaniment by Alice Brand; Connie McKinley, Nancy Wallace and Roger Robinson, clarinet trio. Second-place ratings were earned by George Hoffman, saxophone solo; Tommy Morris, cornet solo; and Bill Goetz, trombone solo.

Another favorite and traditional formation is that which represents the Hughes tower as seen from the entrance.

