WATSONVILLE — When Cabrillo College opened in Watsonville in 1959, the educational institution created an opportunity for thespians from the local community to step up on stage in student productions. Two Watsonville residents and friends, Baun Jordan, left, and Dick Heebner, seated, performed in “The Loud Red Patrick,” while the college was in the old Watsonville High School building. Gary Ewers is second from left, next to him in the striped suit, center, is Fabby Degli-Esposti, the first Cabrillo College student body president. The women in the cast were Donna Gerdes, Myrtle Hudson, Judy Rubottom, Annette Hudson, and Barbara Stover. Tony Callahan of Watsonville was the photographer.