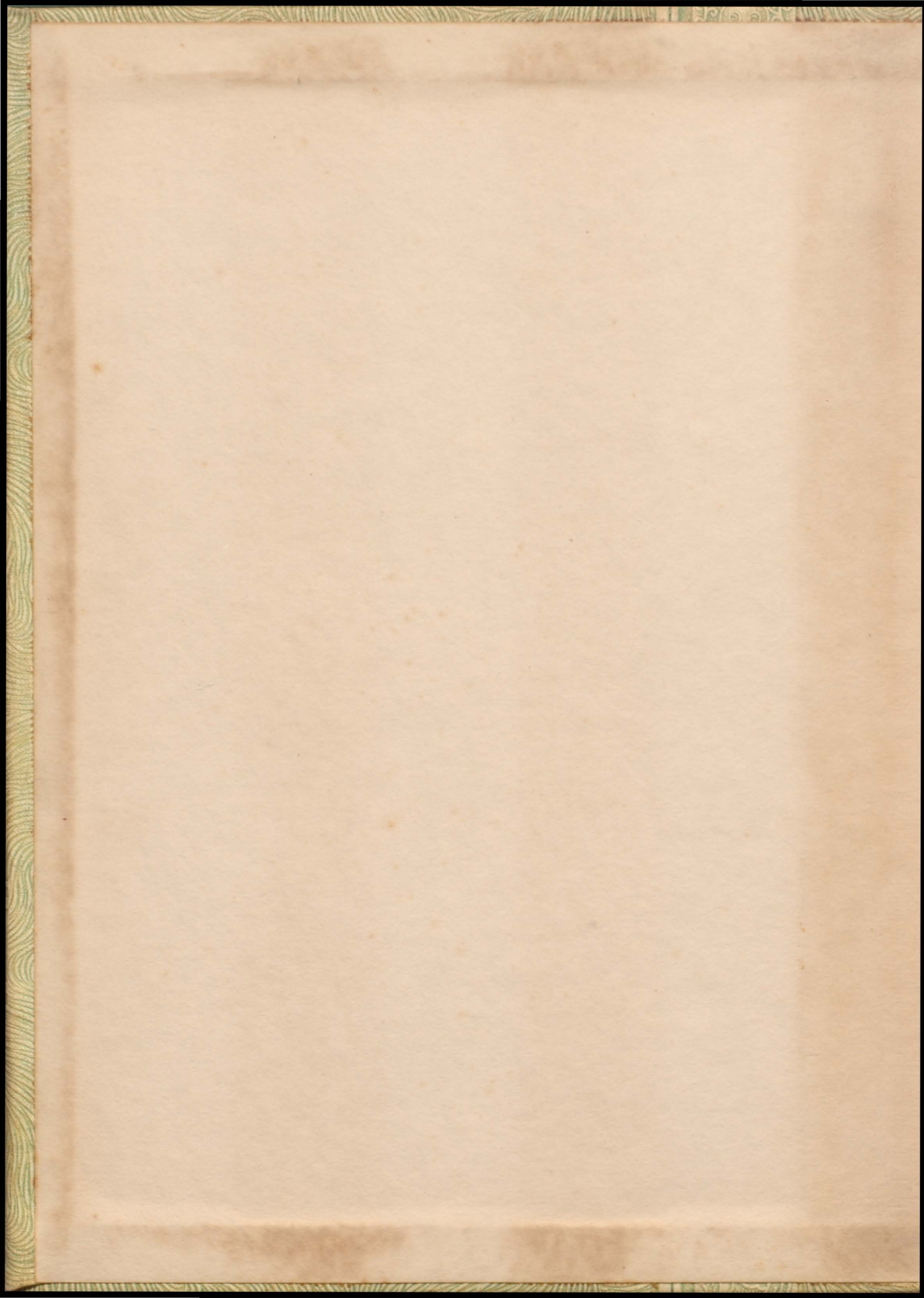


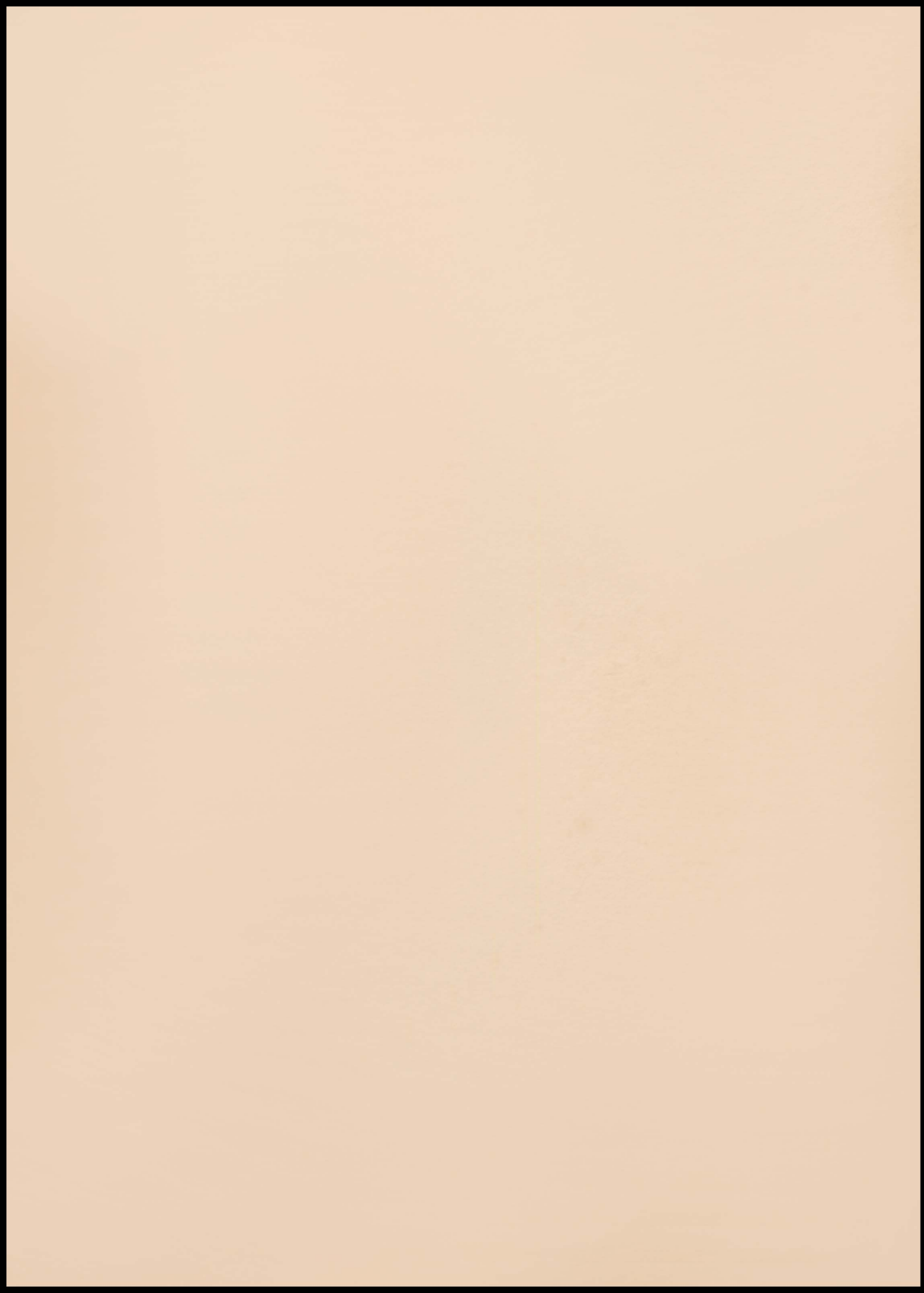
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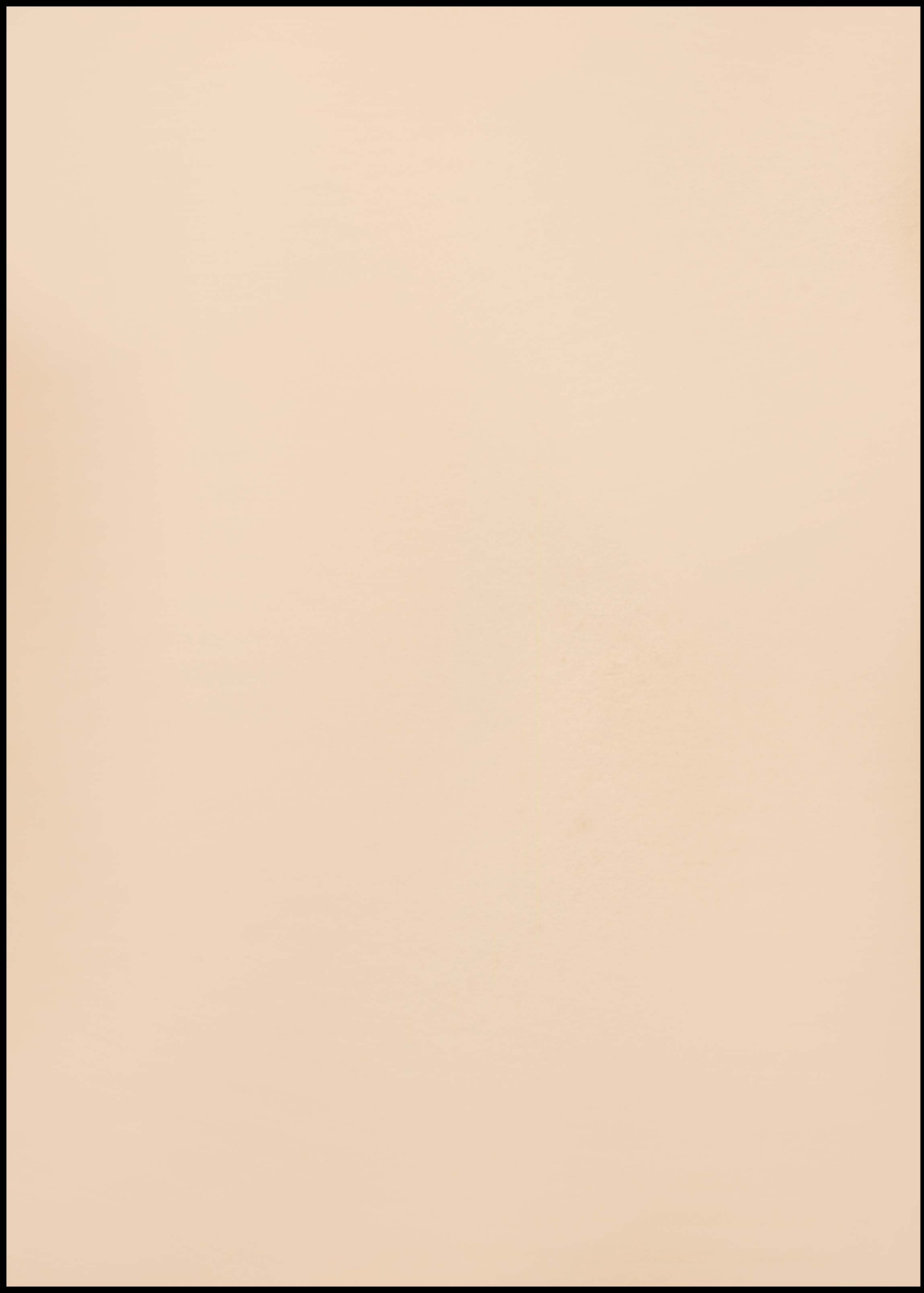


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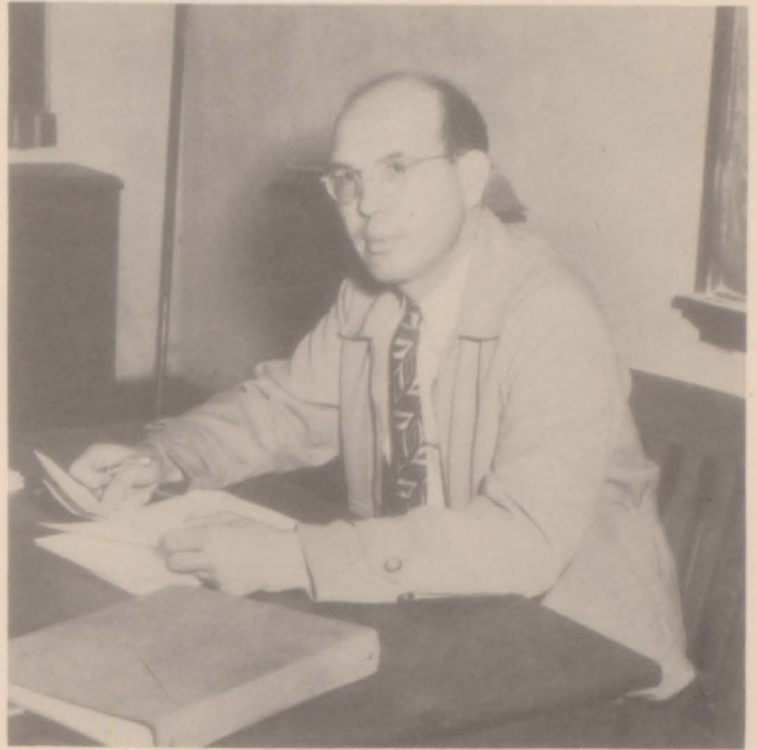
## FOREWORD

*This school year, as in years past, the Ebb-Tide staff has attempted to picture your school life in Palacios High School. In years to come we hope this book will help to recall many happy memories of school pals, teachers, sports, and many other activities and special occasions that go into the make-up of a well-rounded school year.*

*David Johnson  
Editor-in-Chief*



# DEDICATION



MR. CYRIL CARVIN

When you think of an annual, you usually think of the memories it will hold for you in years to come. You seldom think of the time and effort that is required each year to make this book of memories a part of your life that will live forever. Behind all this work and effort is a person who encourages and helps the staff of the annual to make the book a success. Such a person is Mr. Carvin. He has helped to make this annual a success, as well as many other annuals in the past. His patience, guidance, and encouragement have helped us to make our annual a book of memories which we believe will live forever in all our hearts. So it is that we, the Ebb-Tide Staff of 1953, with all these things in mind, and with appreciation in our hearts, gratefully dedicate this, our 1953 Ebb-Tide, to —

MR. CYRIL CARVIN



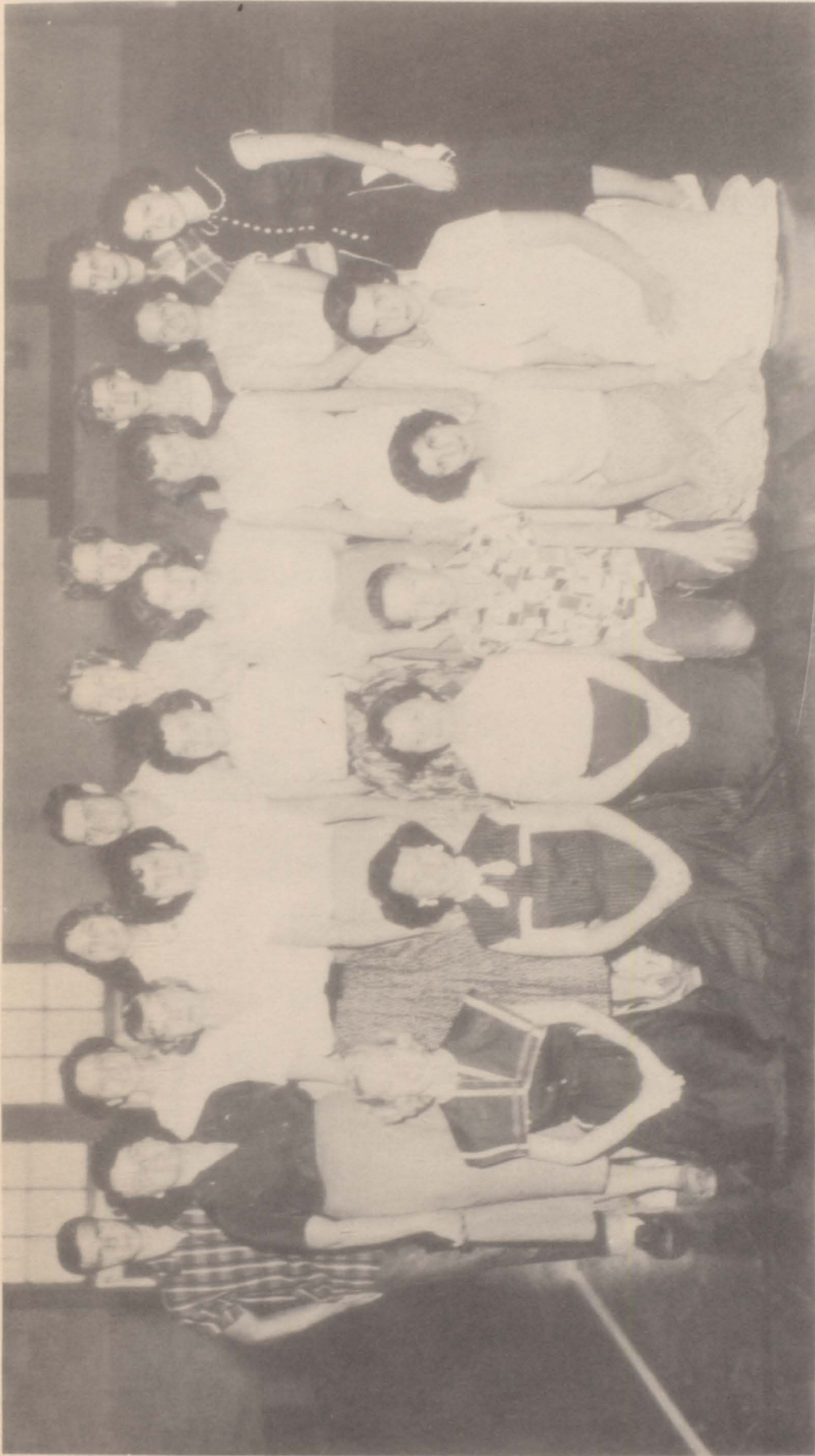
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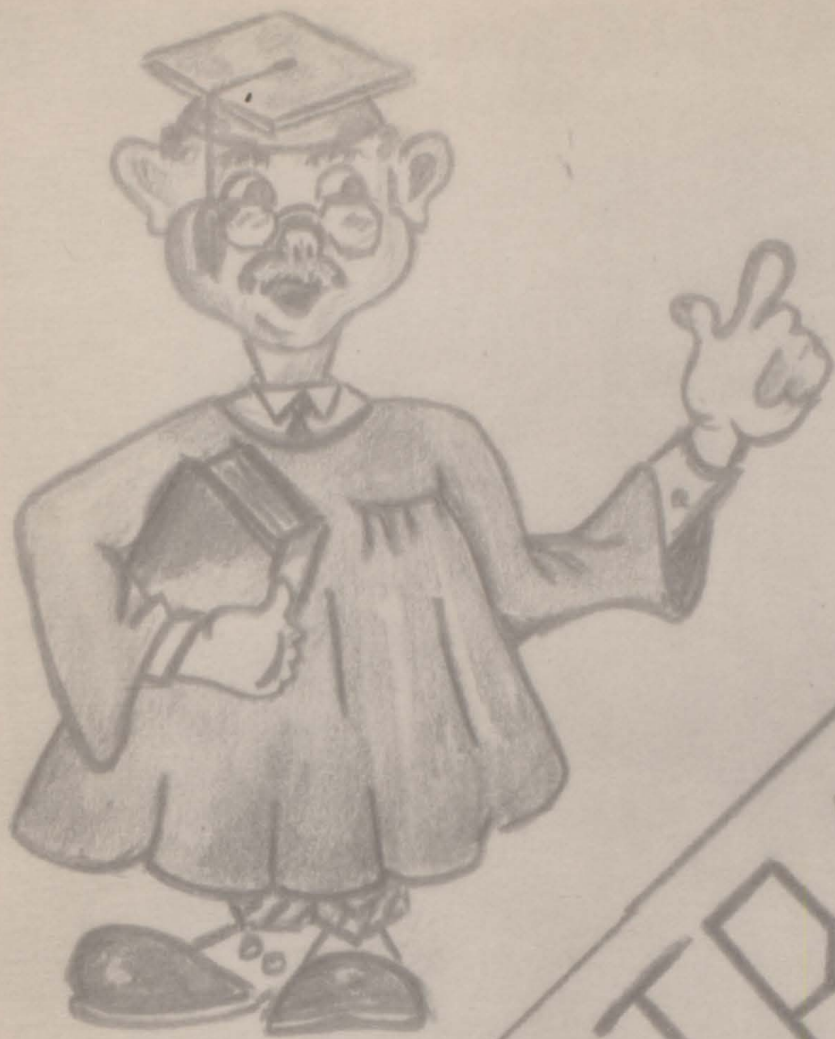
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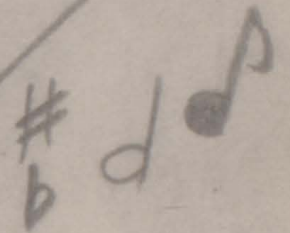
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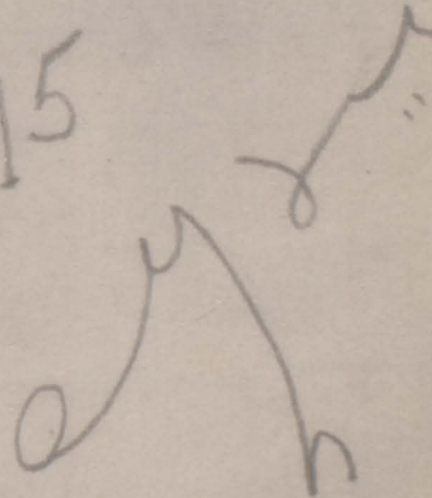
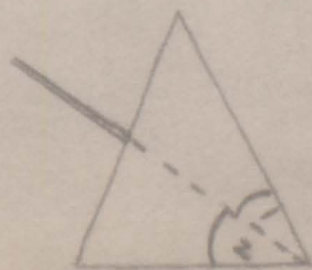
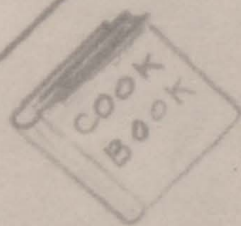
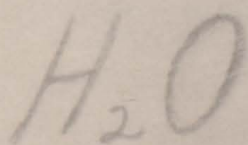


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# SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE



MR. RALPH NEWSOM

To the Members of the Senior Class  
Palacios High School

My Dear Friends:

The return of the Commencement season reminds us that another milestone has been reached in your educational career and that your high school days are over. I congratulate you upon your success and hope that the things that you have achieved here will inspire you with confidence in your ability to achieve even greater things in the life that lies ahead.

It is with a great deal of pride and satisfaction that I have had the opportunity to watch some of you grow and develop all the way along your school career. You have achieved much for which you should be justly proud, and I feel sure that each of you will carry away memories that will be cherished throughout the rest of your lives.

In bidding you 'good-bye', I wish you Godspeed in whatever work you may undertake, and trust that your associations with the high school faculty and other members of the class have made your life richer and fuller.

Best regards,

*Ralph Newsom*

Ralph Newsom



# PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



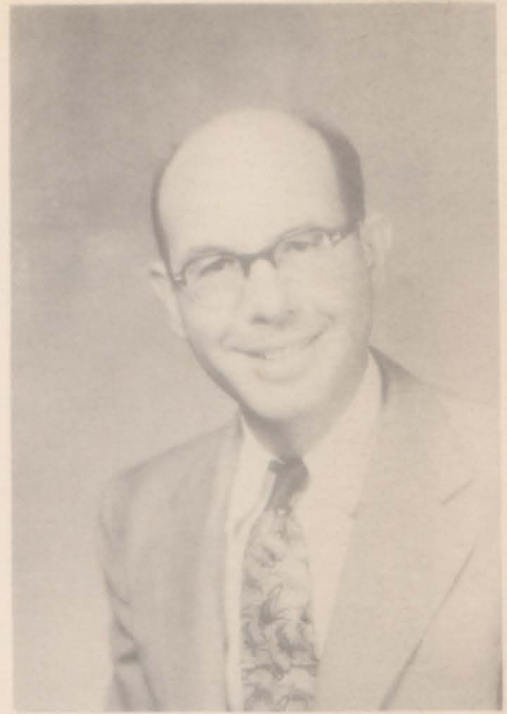
## TO THE STUDENTS OF PALACIOS HIGH SCHOOL

You have spent many years of your life in preparation for your three years in Palacios Senior High School. At times you perhaps felt that the road was too rough for you to continue, but through patience and perseverance you have reached your goal. Your problems in senior high are no doubt great at times, but the same determined efforts will see you through this stage of your educational career. Although your troubles have been great and your problems many, you must realize that you were preparing yourself to meet the future better. May you ever continue to further your education.

As you students go on your various ways after finishing Palacios High School, may there ever be a warm spot in your heart for the school. Students who follow you here will be looking to you for guidance and will always welcome you back home.

May the years bring happiness and pleasure for each and every one of you.

W. E. Sullivan  
High School Principal



MYRLE BURTON  
English

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Spanish - History



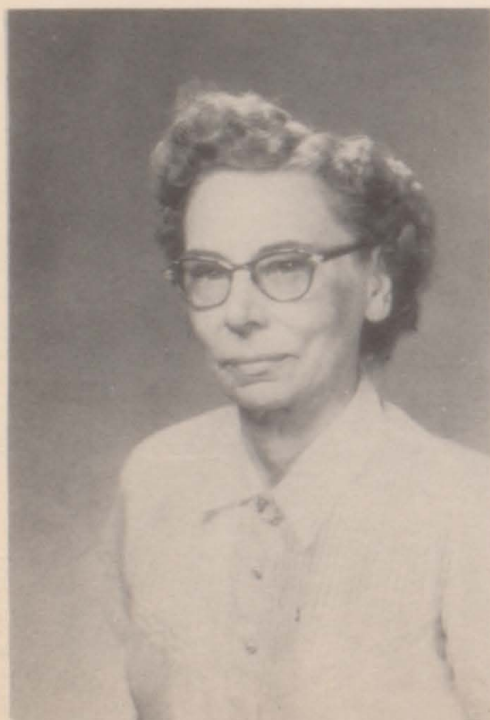
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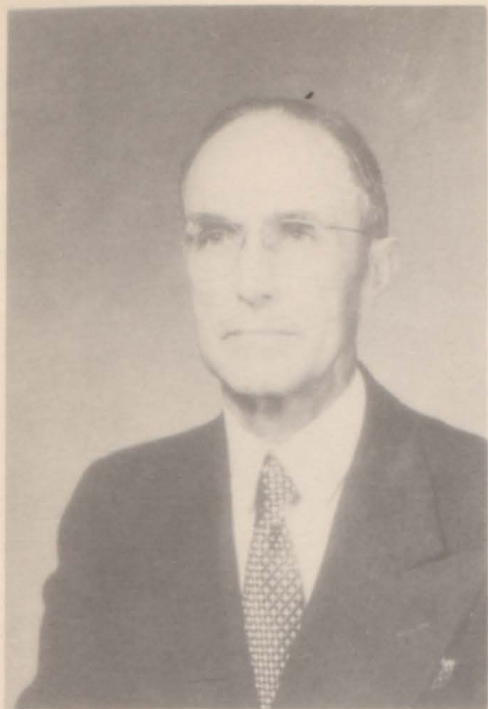
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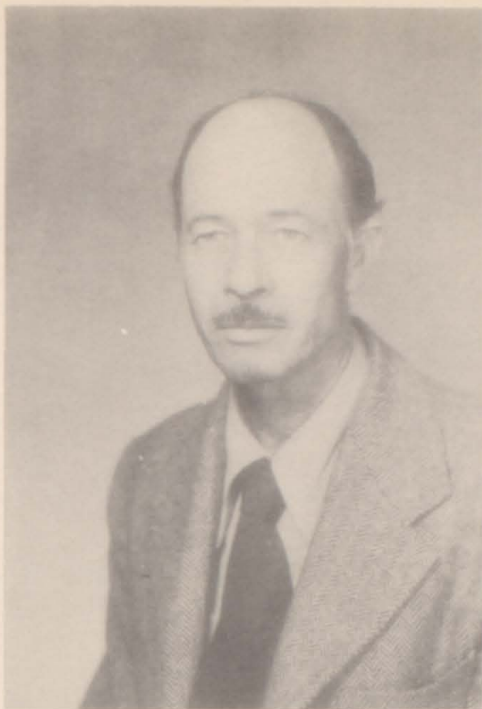
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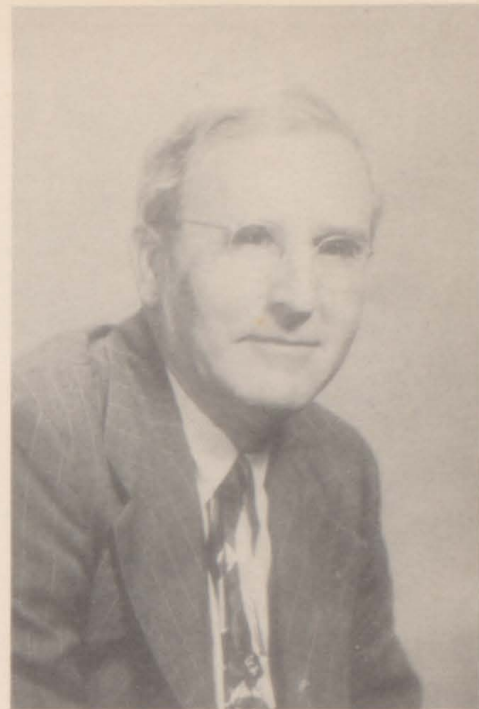




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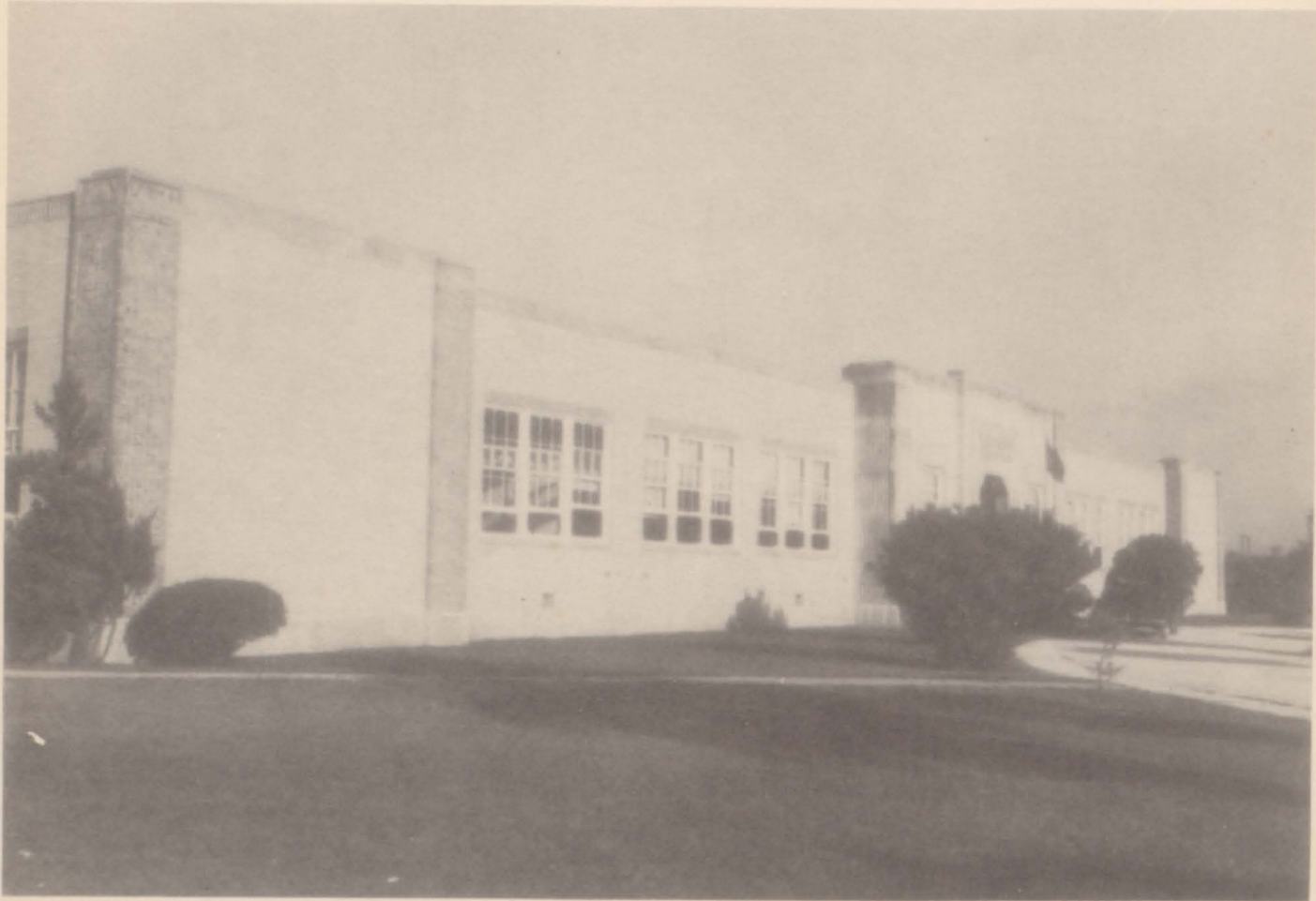
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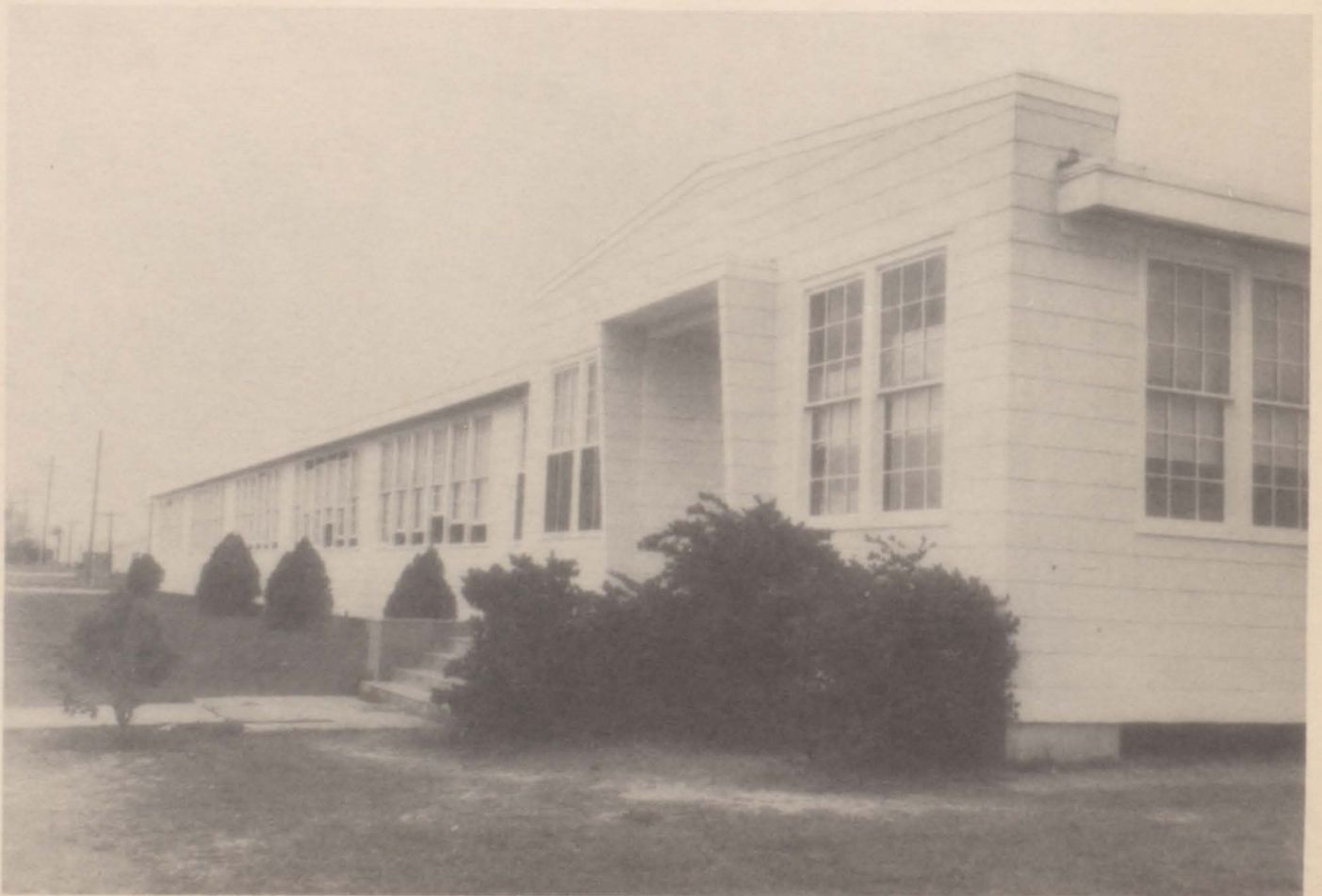
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SENIORS



C.J.

SENIOR FLOWER

*Yellow Rose*

SENIOR COLORS

*Green and Yellow*

MOTTO

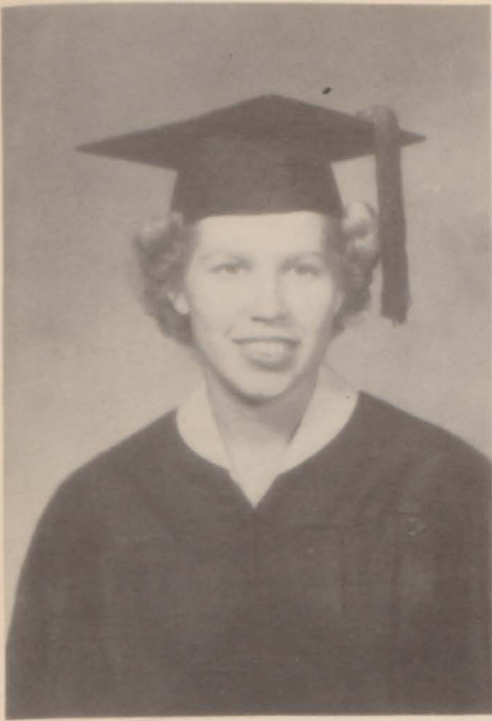
WHAT OTHERS HAVE DONE, WE CAN DO BETTER



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

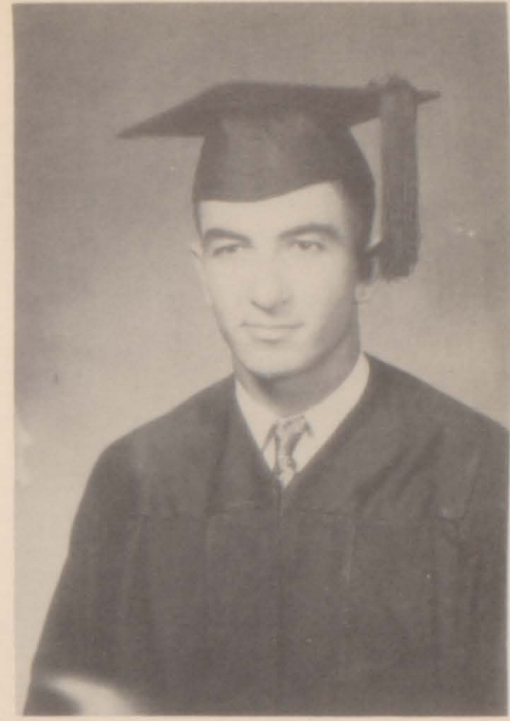
- President - - - - - Byron King
- Vice-President - - - - - Roy Smith
- Secretary - - - - - Johnnie McDaniel
- Treasurer - - - - - Colleen Treacy
- Reporter - - - - - Ralph Clement
- Sponsor - - - - - Mr. J. J. Harbison
- Co-Sponsor - - - - - Mrs. Myrle Burton





JUNE CHRISTIE

Band - '51  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
Pep Squad - '52, '53  
F.H.A. - '52, '53  
Library - '51, '52, '53



RALPH CLEMENT

F.F.A. - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '51, '53  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Football - '52, '53  
Basketball - '52, '53  
Track - '52, '53  
F.F.A. Officer - '52  
Senior Class Reporter



LAVERNE EIKENBERG

Band - '51, '52, '53  
Majorette - '52, '53  
F.H.A. - '51, '52, '53  
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Office Girl - '53  
Junior Class Favorite  
Football Sweetheart - '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '51, '52



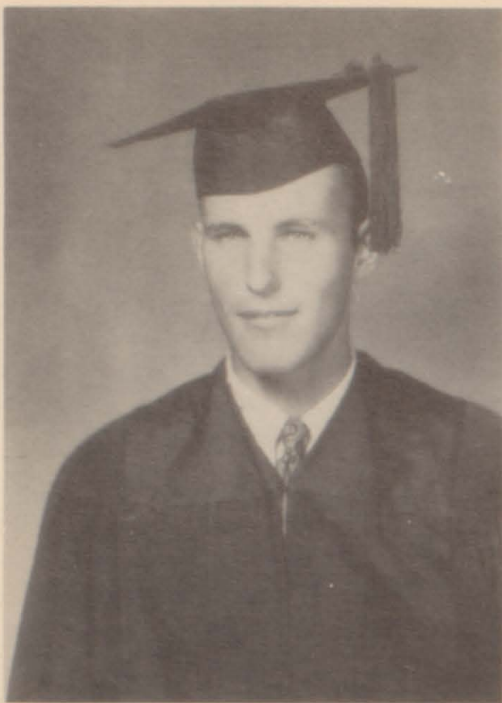
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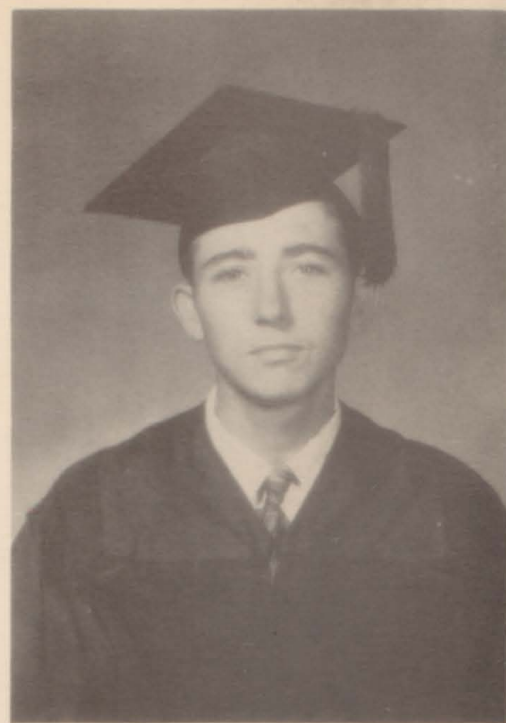
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Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53



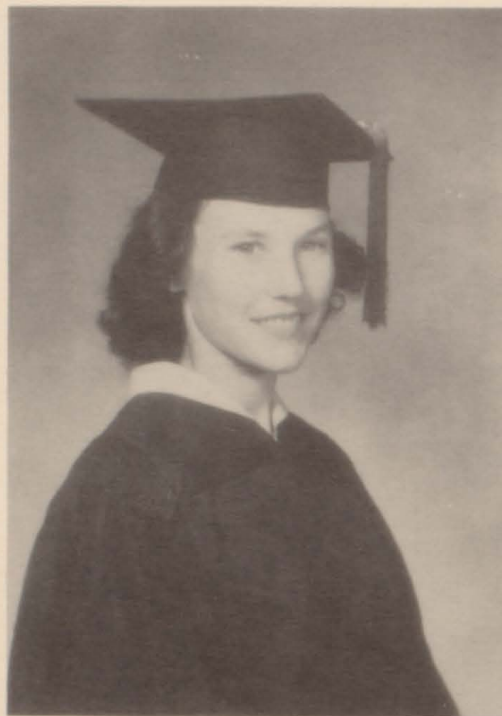
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Football - '52



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Pep Squad - '52, '53



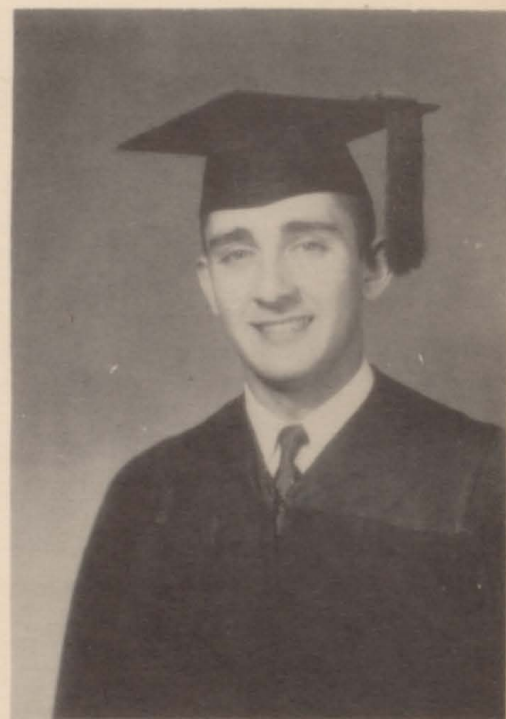
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Volleyball - '51, '52, '53  
Basketball - '51  
Basketball Captain - '53  
F.H.A. - '51, '52, '53  
Cheerleader - '51  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
F.F.A. Sweetheart - '51, '52, '53  
Majorette - '52, '53  
Band President - '52  
District Tennis - '52  
Homecoming Queen - '53  
Most Popular Girl - '53  
Office Girl - '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '53



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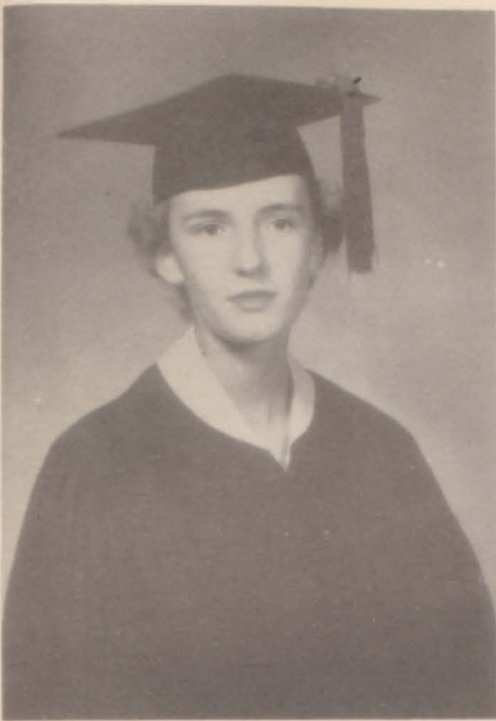
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Basketball - '51, '53  
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Pep Squad - '51  
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Annual Staff - '52, '53



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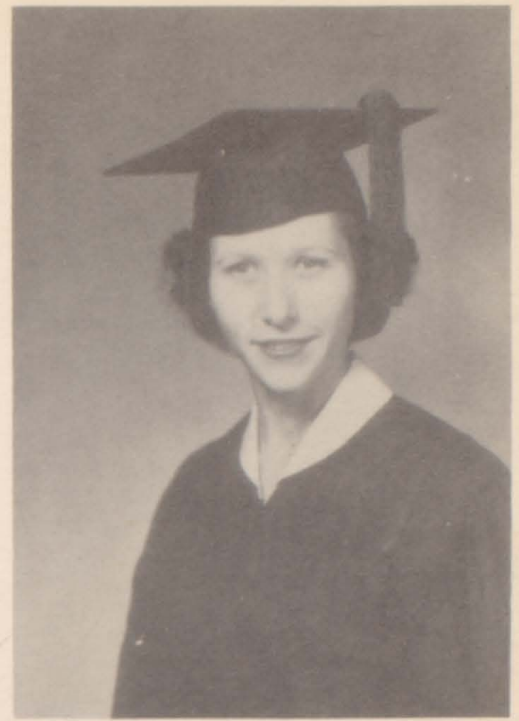
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Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
Ebb-Tide Editor - '53  
Band - '52, '53  
Most Popular Band Student - '52  
Band Sec.-Treas. - '52, '53  
Outstanding Boy - '53





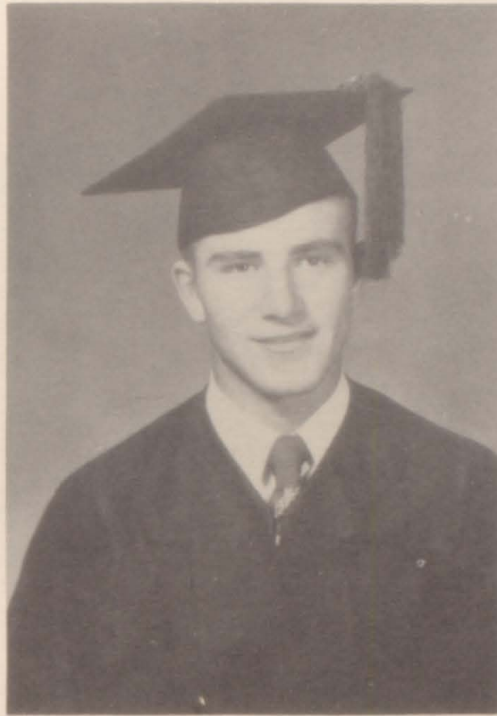
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Soph. Class Treasurer - '51  
Junior Class Treasurer - '52



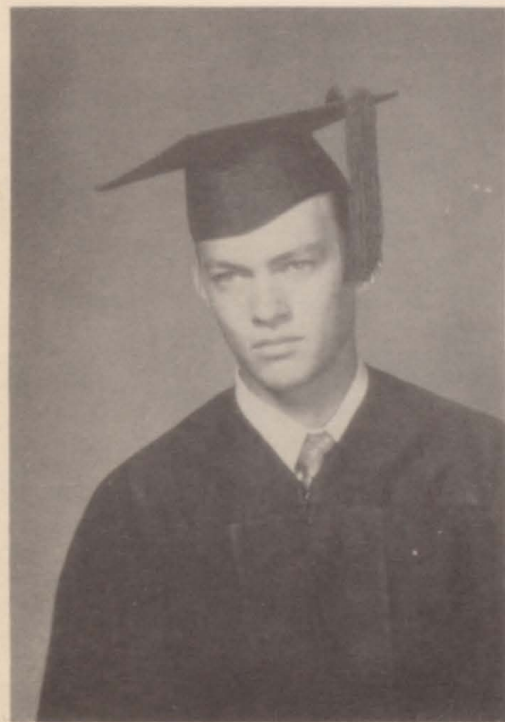
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Library Helper - '51, '52, '53



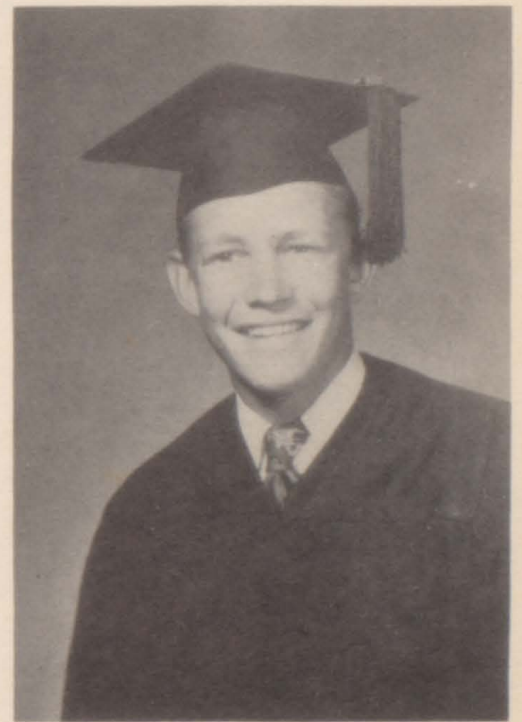
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Football - '51, '52, '53  
Basketball - '51, '52, '53  
Football Captain - '52, '53  
Basketball Captain - '52, '53  
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Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Tennis - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '52, '53  
Junior Favorite  
F.F.A. - '52, '53  
F.F.A. Treasurer - '53  
Student Council Reporter - '53  
Most Popular Boy - '53



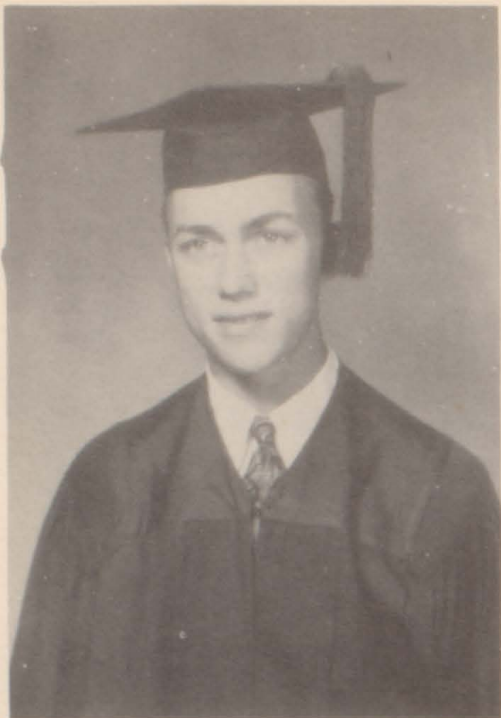
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Track - '51  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
Football - '52  
F.H.A. Beau - '53



BYRON KING

F.F.A. - '51, '52, '53  
Football - '51, '52, '53  
Basketball - '52, '53  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Tennis - '51, '52, '53  
Student Council - '52  
Track - '52  
Annual Staff - '52, '53  
Senior Class President  
F.F.A. Officer - '53



JAMES KRUSE

Band - '52, '52  
F.F.A. - '51



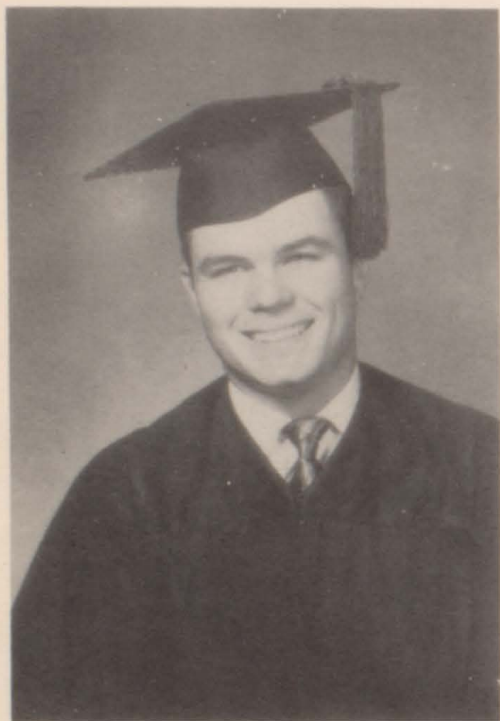
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Volleyball - '51, '53  
Library Girl - '52, '53



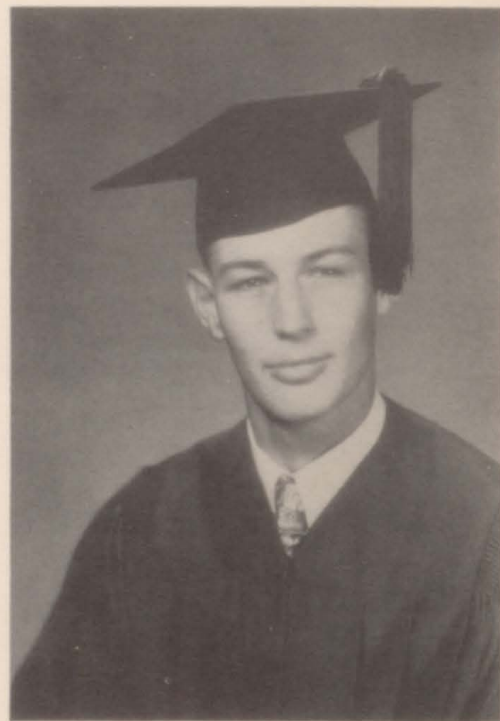
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Band - '51, '53  
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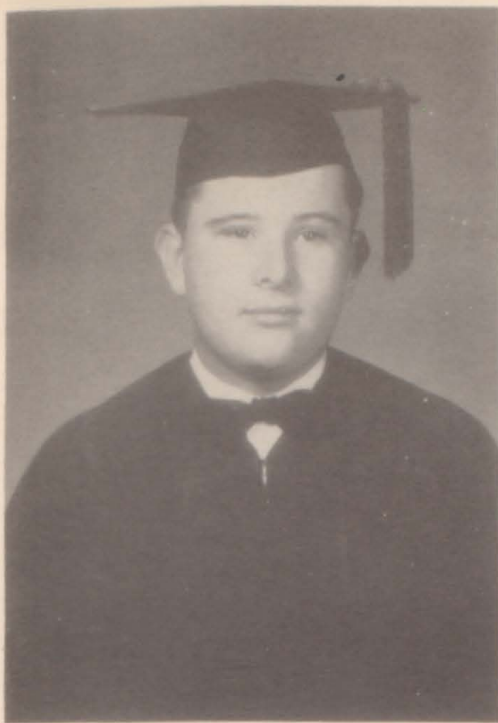
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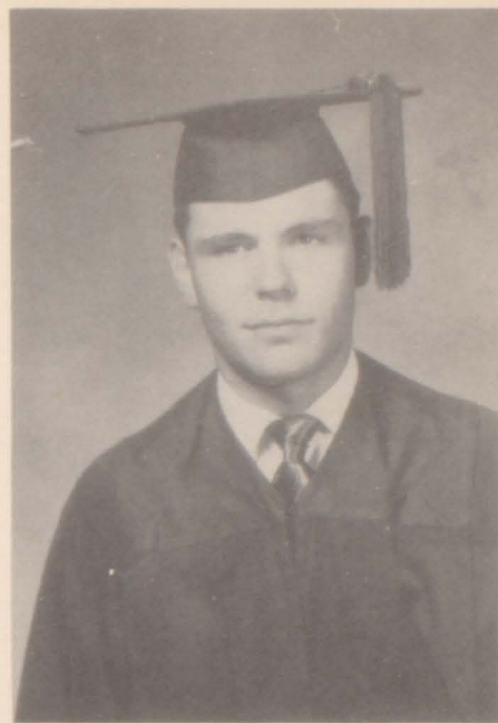
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CHARLES LUTHER

Annual - '53



JOHN MERCK

Football - '51, '52, '53  
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Tennis - '51, '52, '53  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '52



JOHNNIE McDANIEL

Cheerleader - '51  
Sec. Student Council - '51  
Basketball - '51, '53  
Volleyball - '51, '52, '53  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
District Tennis - '51, '52, '53  
F.H.A. - '51, '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '51  
Majorette - '52  
Drum Major - '53  
Most Popular Girl - '52  
Annual Staff - '52, '53  
Asst. Editor, Ebb-Tide - '53  
F.F.A. Sweetheart - '53  
Secretary Senior Class  
Band President - '53  
Sports' Queen - '53  
Basketball Captain - '51



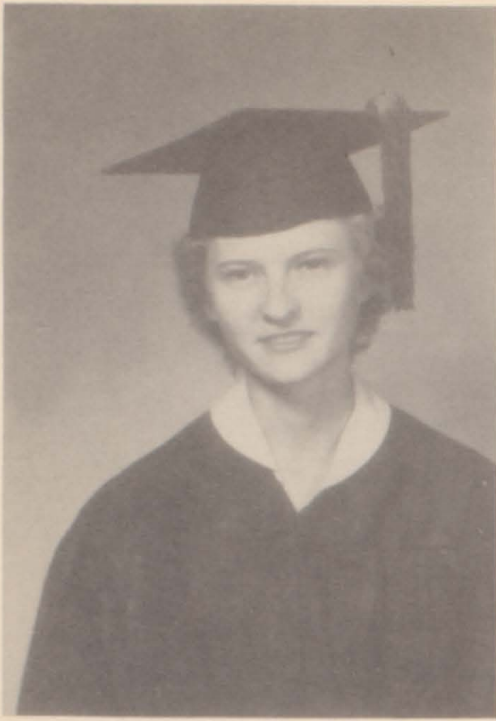
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Basketball - '51  
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Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53



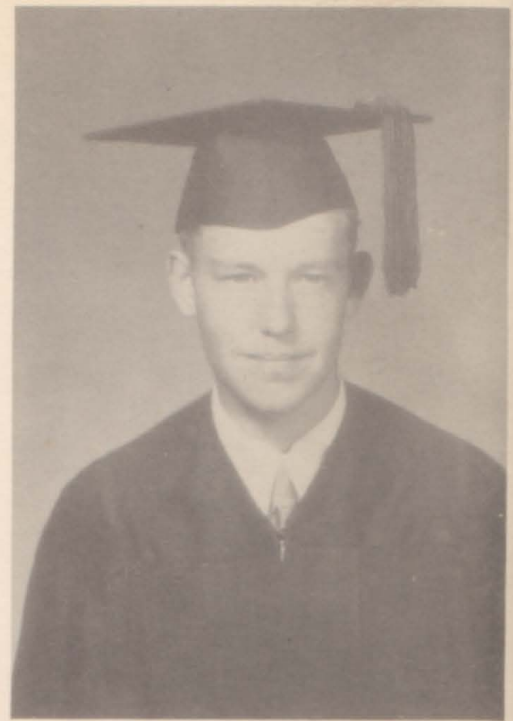
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Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
Office Girl - '52



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Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
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Basketball - '51, '53  
Library Girl - '53



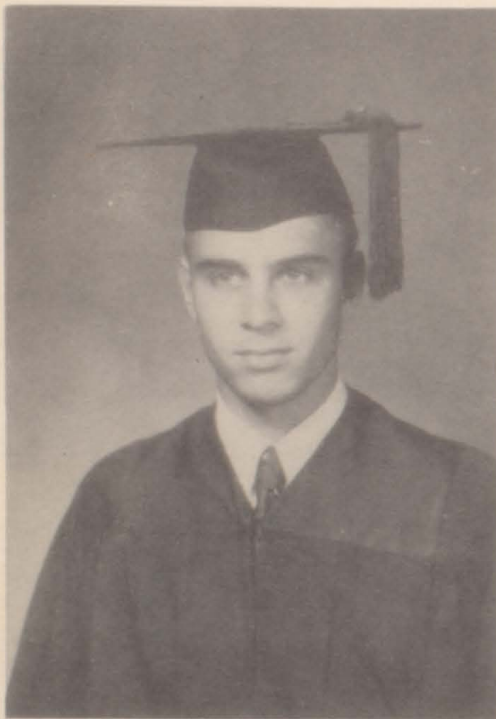
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Annual Staff - '53



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Volleyball - '51, '52  
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Band - '51, '52  
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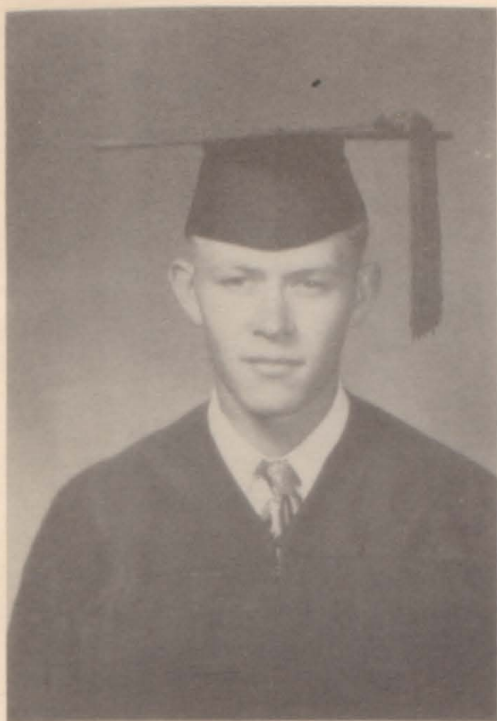
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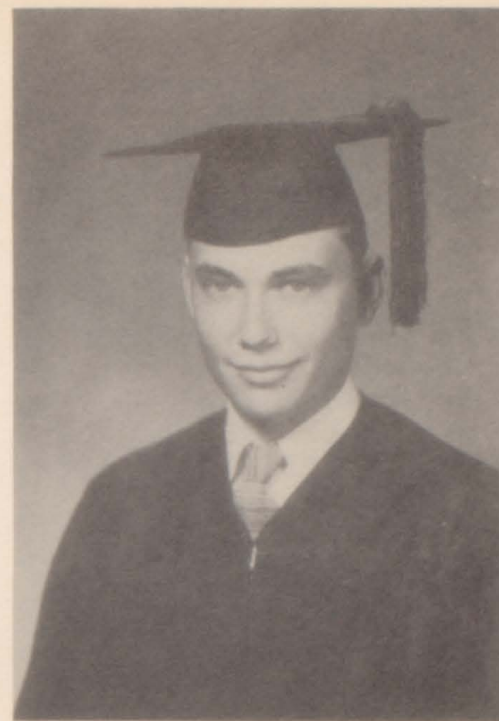
Band - '51, '52  
Office Girl - '52  
Pep Squad - '53





PAUL PENLAND

Football - '51, '52, '53  
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JIMMY QUEEN

Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53



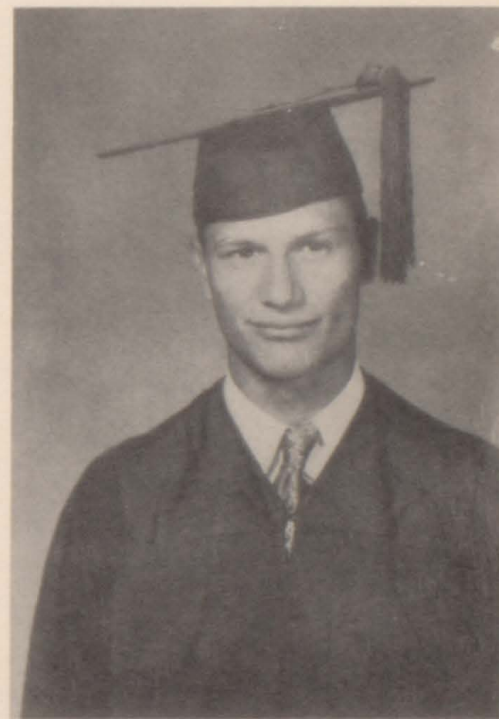
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Office Girl - '53



JO ANN ROACH

Softball - '51  
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Volleyball - '52  
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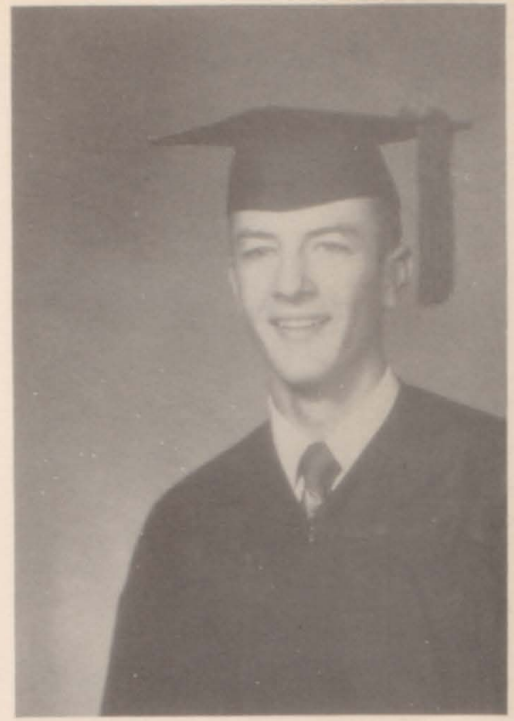
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Track - '51, '52, '53  
Basketball - '51, '52  
Football - '51, '52, '53  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Sophomore Favorite



GAIL SEXTON

Softball - '51  
Basketball - '51, '53  
F.H.A. Secretary - '51  
Sophomore Favorite  
Student Council - '52  
Football Sweetheart - '52  
Annual Staff - '53



JIMMY SHEARER

F.F.A. Officer - '51, '52  
Basketball - '52, '53  
Basketball Captain - '53  
Sophomore Vice-President  
Softball - '51, '52, '53  
Senior Favorite



ROY SMITH

Football - '51, '52, '53  
F.F.A. - '51, '52, '53  
F.F.A. Officer - '52, '53  
President Student Council - '53



NELLIE THOMPSON

F.H.A. Officer - '51, '52, '53  
Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
Junior Class Vice-President  
Sec.-Treas. Ebb-Tide Staff - '53  
Outstanding Girl - '53



COLLEEN TREACY

Volleyball - '51, '52  
Basketball - '51  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '51  
F.H.A. - '52  
Sports' Queen - '52  
Senior Class Treasurer  
Sophomore Class President





LENA MAE TUCKER

Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53



MARY LOUISE WELLS

Cheerleader - '51  
Head Cheerleader - '52  
F.H.A. - '51, '52, '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '51  
Band - '51  
Annual Staff - '53



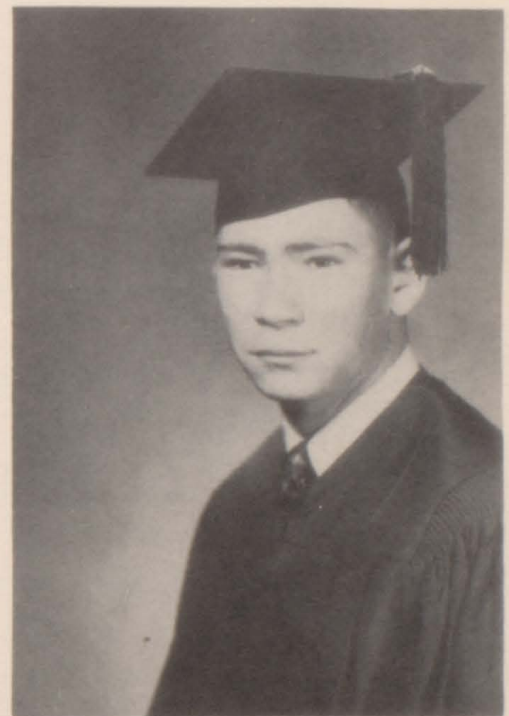
NELDA WELLS

Band - '51  
F.H.A. - '51, '52, '53  
Office Girl - '53



JEAN WESSELMAN

Pep Squad - '51, '52, '53  
F.H.A. - '51, '52, '53  
F.H.A. Officer - '53  
Library Girl - '52, '53  
Annual Staff - '51, '52, '53  
4-H - '51, '52, '53  
4-H Officer - '53  
Vice-Pres. Student Council - '53



CURTIS YEMM

Football - '53



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT  
OF THE  
SENIOR CLASS OF 1953

We, the class of 1953, in the town of Palacios, the county of Matagorda, and the State of Texas, being in as good mental condition as usual, and in much better temper than usual, do hereby make this, our last will and testament, rendering void and of no avail any former will or wills that may have been previously made by us during a period of temporary optimism.

And in this manner do we dispose of our possessions:

JOHN MERCK wills his *courtesy* and *generosity* to Tiny Foltyn.

DOROTHY FLORIP and MARILYN JOHNSON wish to leave Nalona Harvey their two heads of hair in order that she might pull it at her heart's desire.

GLORIA JENSEN wants Ima Jean Morgan to have her book entitled "Slim Down in a Dozen Days."

BYRON KING wishes to leave nothing of his to anybody. Byron figures that he will need *everything* he's got for the rest of his life. But he does want George Lowery to have his old pin-up picture.

BUDDY LUTHER leaves Rose and Annette to Jimmy Hall.

JIMMY SHEARER wants Charlie Salinas to have his basketball suit. Jimmy says it will bring Charlie lots of luck.

PETE SARDELICH wishes to leave all his unpaid debts and his unfinished Ag project to Nelo Seaman.

JOHNNIE McDANIEL leaves Marilyn Milam her drum major boots and her baton.

JO ANN MUNDS leaves Billy Louise Jackson her lavender Rice Festival dress.

CHARLES HARVEY wants James Atkins to inherit his ability to keep a steady girl friend through three years of high school.

JIMMY QUEEN wants Carroll Harvey to inherit his rapid rate of speaking and his job at the post office.

BOB LOWERY bequeaths Paul Guttenberger his *straight A* report card in plane Geometry.

About this time, it is only right to say that the entire senior class wishes Mr. Sullivan to have 10 years of complete and absolute quiet, starting May 23, 1953.

The senior class, after much hard work, wills to Don Marquess, Hubert Bowers, and Clint Wratlslaw four used bus tickets to Bay City and four reserved seats in the Calvary Baptist Church in Bay City.

JUNE CHRISTIE bequeaths to Donald Johnson the "El Maton dance hall."

MARY LOUISE WELLS FITZPATRICK wishes to *leave* P.H.S. and head for Missouri where her husband eagerly awaits her arrival.

IRA LAMBRIGHT and JAMES KRUSE want to leave their job at the "Hollywood" to Charles Simpson and Tom Navarro.

LAVERNE EIKENBERG leaves Dana Kay Paris four bottles of red food coloring and her good throwing arm.

DONALD MOSIER gives title (King Ping Pong Player of P.H.S.) to George Cornett.

NELDA FAYE WELLS leaves her quietness to Dick Boling with the sincere hope that it will serve its purpose.

BARBARA LOU GAYLE leaves her key to Alfred's cafe to Dorothy Wickham.

WILLIE REITZ leaves all the football boys in the care of Joyce Cavallin.

DAVID JOHNSON wishes to leave his position as editor of the annual to Elizabeth Mac Micheal. Work hard to make next year's annual a success, Liz.

NEILS HAUBOLD wishes to leave his excellent sprinting ability to Joe Ray Beard.

NELLIE THOMPSON leaves her good-paying job at Brandon's Dry Goods Store to Barbara Simpson.

PAUL PENLAND leaves his heart and his coon dogs at Ruby Sanders' house.

GAIL SEXTON leaves to Samuel Godsey her broken heart and all the empty gum wrappers he has given her.

JAMES KESZLER leaves to Joseph Baldwin his F.H.A. Beau belt.

NORRIS NEELEY and DONALD KELLY leave their superior knowledge of bookkeeping and typing to Cortland Frankson and Red Phillips.

ROY ALTON SMITH wills his pilot's license to Don Batchelder.

JEAN ANN WESSELMAN leaves her delicate build to Frances Chamblee.

DOLLY MILAM, COLLEEN TREACY, NEIL PENLAND, and EVELYN JURASEK leave their popular best seller, "An Engagement Ring or Bust", to Ann Brandon and Jo Ann Abraham.

THE SENIOR CLASS wishes to buy Jerome Kimball five gallons of gasoline for his old beater "Arabell".

JO ANN ROACH wills to her little sister, Josephine, her old boy friend, Cyril Carvin.

ROBERT LINTON leaves his old football socks to Bobby Partain.

MARGIE MIZE gets rid of her good singing voice by willing it to Sue Jenkins.

HELEN KUTACH leaves her position as chief librarian to Josephine Johs.

RALPH CLEMENT leaves Valerie Weaver in the care of Mr. Clark. (Ralph! Do you know what you're doing??)

DOROTHY MORRIS wills her bow-legs to Yvonne Smith.

EMMA FLORES wills her natural-colored, dark, curly hair to Gwen Johnson.





JUNIORS



JUNIOR FLOWER

JUNIOR COLORS

*Carnation*

MOTTO

*Red and White*

CLIMB, THOUGH THE ROCKS BE RUGGED



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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- Vice-President - - - - - Tom Navarro
- Secretary - - - - - Clint Wratishaw
- Treasurer - - - - - Gwen Johnson
- Sergeant-at-Arms - - - - - Dana Paris
- Sponsor - - - - - Mr. Cyril Carvin
- Co-Sponsor - - - - - Mrs. Dorothy Smith





Jo Ann Abraham



James Atkins



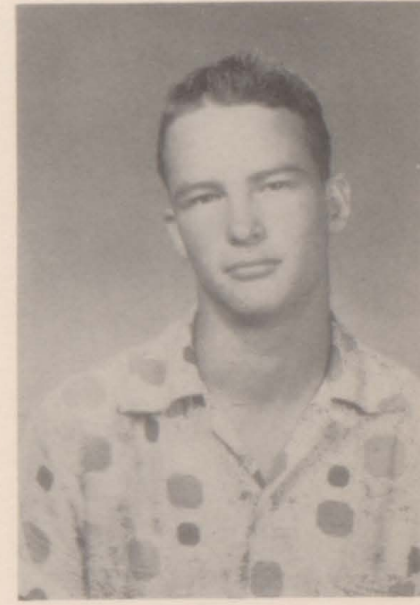
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Don Batchelder

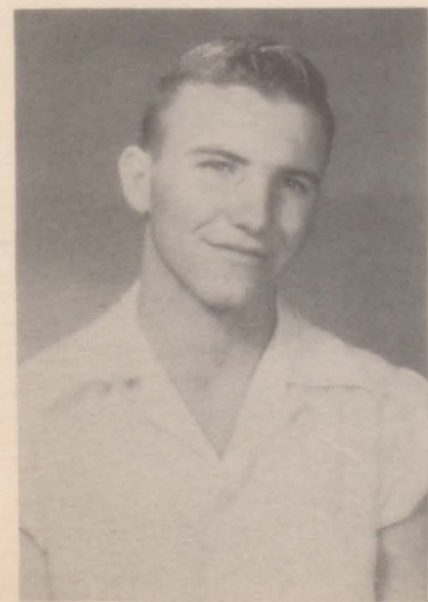


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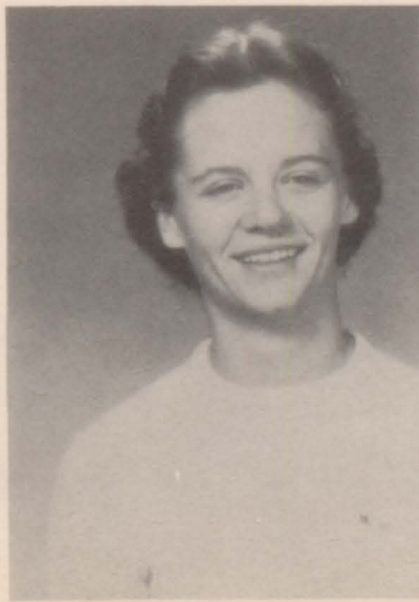


Dick Bolling

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Ann Brandon

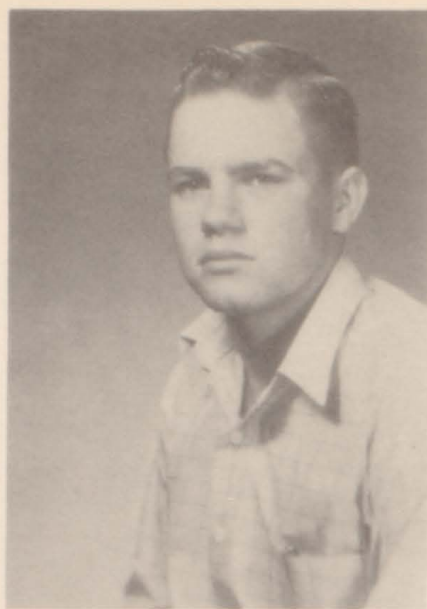


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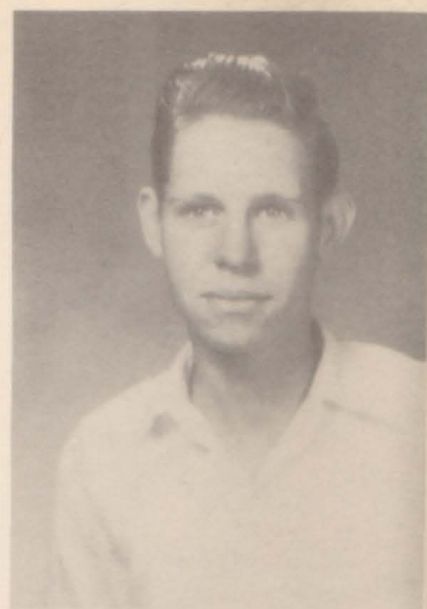




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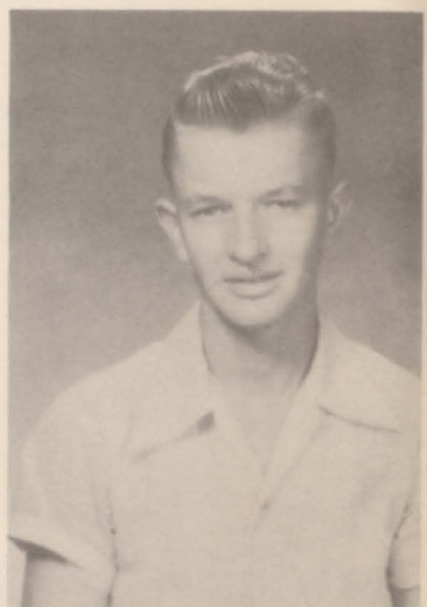
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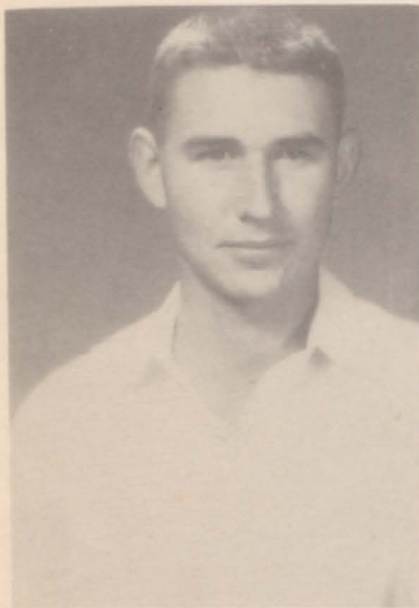
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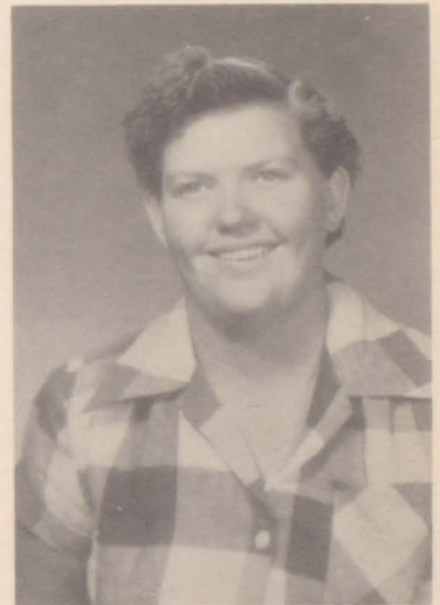
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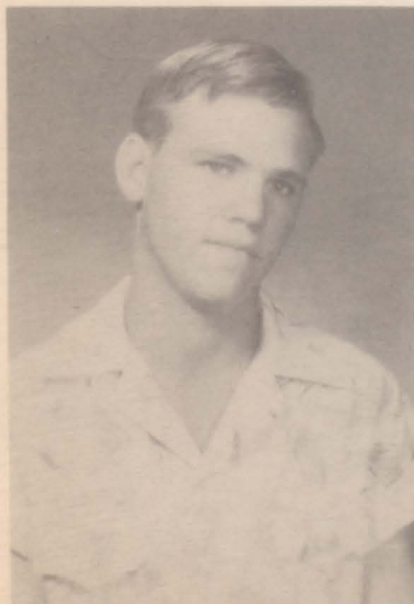


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Elizabeth McMichiel

Pat McDonald



Don Marquess



Marilyn Milam





Ima Jean Morgan



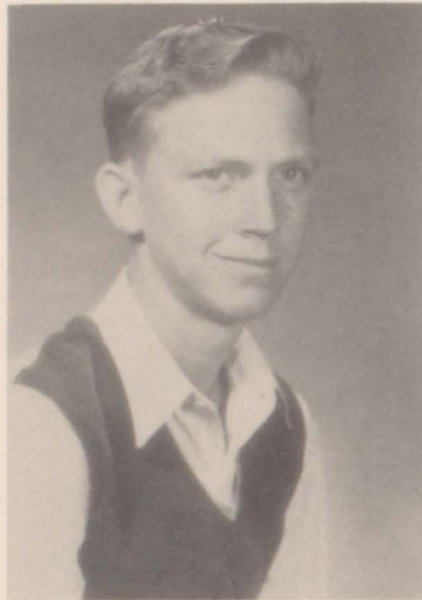
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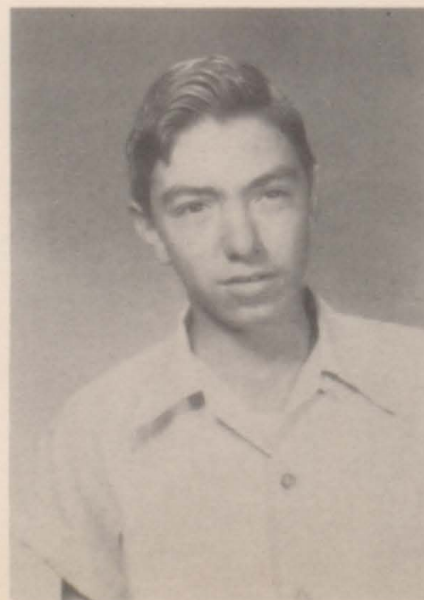


Josephine Roach

Dominga Rodriguez



Charlie Salinas







Ruby Sanders



Nelo Seaman



Barbara Simpson



Charlie Simpson



Yvonne Smith

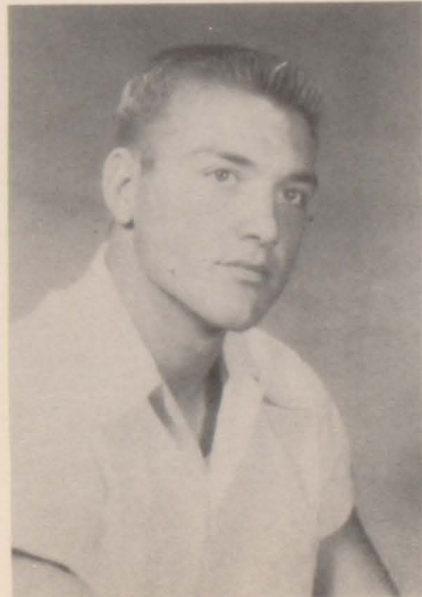


Valerie Weaver

Dorothy Wickham



Clinton Wratlaw





## JUNIOR PROPHECY

JUNE CHRISTIE will become a famous radio star. There has been the question about who her leading man will be. Well, we'll leave that to June. So, in five years, tune in, everybody, and listen to June's Soap Opera.

RALPH CLEMENT will have his own 30-minute farm program on CBS. He will be known as the "Man With the Tooth Pick".

CHARLES HARVEY, having just taken over the Arthur Godfrey Talent Show, is having to feed his family Lip-ton's Noodle Soup, three times a day.

NIELS HAUBOLD will be the top-notch engineer who designed the Palacios-Collegeport causeway.

LAVERNE EIKENBERG will become the famous woman wrestler of '57. If anyone in here accidentally becomes an unwilling victim, don't say we didn't warn you, as she was always pretty active in her high school days.

EMMA FLORES—as soon as she has said farewell to dear ole P.H.S., she will become a modest hootchie-cootchie dancer at the Sparkling Room in Houston's boasting nightclub, The Glass Slipper.

DAVID JOHNSON, a celebrated novelist, who, like all famous writers, hunted in Africa, took part in a revolution, and worked his way home on the President's yacht.

BYRON KING—a retired admiral. As all retired servicemen, Byron is thinking of running for president.

BARBARA GAYLE—in five years she will become a very religious missionary of Africa. Better watch out, Babs, the men aren't as attractive there as they are here.

DONALD KELLY will be vice-manager of the Maddox Motor Company and an alderman for the City of Palacios.

JAMES KESZLER will be having his paintings exhibited in the Museum of Modern Arts in New York City.

GLORIA JENSEN will become a model, and will model French bathing suits and other handkerchiefs.

MARILYN JOHNSON will become a secretary for New York's most leading society man, who is not married, good-looking, and has plenty of money. Hope you have luck with your salary, Marilyn.

JAMES KRUSE will be known as "El Perfect," re-knowned dress designer.

EVELYN JURASEK will marry George before the Summer is over. Within the next few years she'll have half a dozen little Bohemians running around at her skirt.

IRA LAMBRIGHT will be known as Lieutenant Colonel Lambright.

ROBERT LINTON will be perfectly contented with a nice home, a good wife, a good job, and twelve income tax deductions.

HELEN KUTACH will go on to college and then become a famous policewoman. She'll choose this as a career because then she can gaze upon all the good-looking policemen.

BOB LOWERY is just finding his great talent as a musical composer. The voice that he is willing in the senior will is being used.

JOHNNIE McDANIEL will marry a millionaire only to become a rich widow after one year. Just as she is about to give up all hopes of keeping a husband, Herbie steps back into the picture (or shall we say, back into her bank roll.)

BUDDY LUTHER will be the head of what was once the Mayo Clinic, now known as the L and K Clinic—K is for Kimball.

DOLLY MILAM will become a famous ice skater and do all kinds of stunts while Bill looks on applaudingly.

JOHN MERCK—a successful rice farmer who is trying to make a great decision, whether to farm rice or hunt coons.

MARGIE MIZE will become a trapeze artist in a famous circus. Better watch out, Margie, that may be dangerous.

DONALD MOSIER—American Ambassador to our neighbor, Russia. Donald has twice had tea with Comrade Malenkov.

DOROTHY MORRIS will go to a secretarial school. When you need a job, Dorothy, Mr. Sullivan needs a good typist.

NORRIS NEELEY—this will kill you—Norris will be Principal of the Palacios High School.

JO ANN MUNDS will become a cigarette girl in one of Beaumont's swankiest night clubs.

PAUL PENLAND—a successful rice farmer who is the envy of all dogs, since he can trail coons without bending over.

NELL PENLAND will be hearing wedding bells before too long and will become Mrs. Lee Mize.

WILLIE REITZ will open a drive-in theater, open to courting couples only. You know, you could get rich that way, Willie.

JO ANN ROACH will become a singer of a famous band. She will then go by the name of "Candy Canary."

GAIL SEXTON will wind up marrying Clint and have lots of little "Wrats".

NELLIE THOMPSON will become a lawyer. We know you'll be successful in this, Nellie, as you always studied hard in high school.

JIMMIE QUEEN will be packing the crowds in the night clubs. He will be know as Johnny Raye II.

COLLEEN TREACY will marry George. Her time will be filled with trying to be the model wife of an ideal near-sighted eye specialist.

MARY LOUISE WELLS FITZPATRICK will join her husband as soon as she is out of school, and will have a happy and successful life as a wife and mother in the years to come.

NELDA FAYE WELLS will peroxide her hair. Since it will look so well, she will become known as Miss Peroxide of 1957.

JEAN ANN WESSELMAN will become a geometry teacher at ole P.H.S. With her as teacher and Norris as principal, Palacios High will really be rocking.

DOROTHY FLORIP will follow in her sister's footsteps and become a nurse. With two professional nurses in the family, Mr. and Mrs. Florip ought to live to a ripe old age.

PETE SARDELICH sits behind his desk of Womens' Personnel Department of Foley's and interviews women.

JIMMY SHEARER will be know as Sheriff J. H. (Jim) Shearer, enforcer of law and order.

ROY SMITH will be head of some big business firm, the name of the firm is unimportant, since he disappointed me; I thought he made a good janitor myself!

Putting all joking aside, we Juniors hope the Senior Class of 1953 have very successful lives in the years to come.





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J.E.K.

SOPHOMORE FLOWER

SOPHOMORE COLORS

*Sweetheart Rose*

MOTTO

*Purple and White*

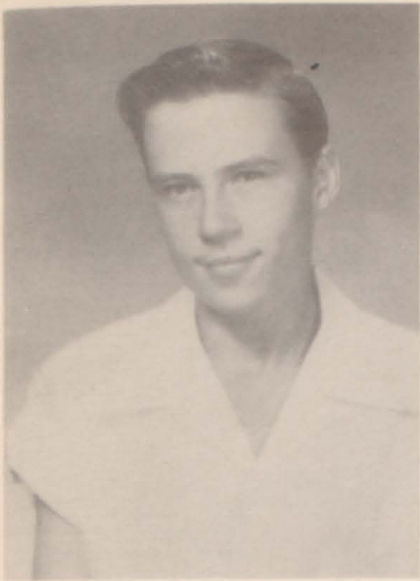
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SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

- President - - - - - Leroy Smith
- Vice-President - - - - - Alfred Manning
- Secretary - - - - - Jeanette Carter
- Treasurer - - - - - Phil Richman
- Reporter - - - - - Wallis Green
- Parliamentarian - - - - - Tommy Reneau
- Sergeant-at-Arms - - - - - Dean Blackwell
- Sponsors - - - - - Mrs. Gwendolyn Adams and Miss Nellie Luther
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Larry Ashley



Neil Blackwell



Dean Blackwell



Jeannette Carter

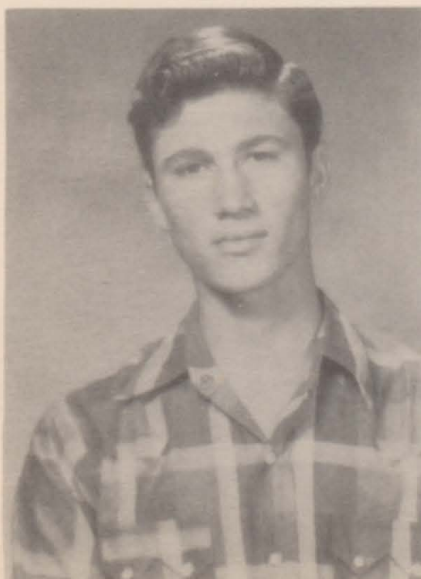


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Shirley Cooper

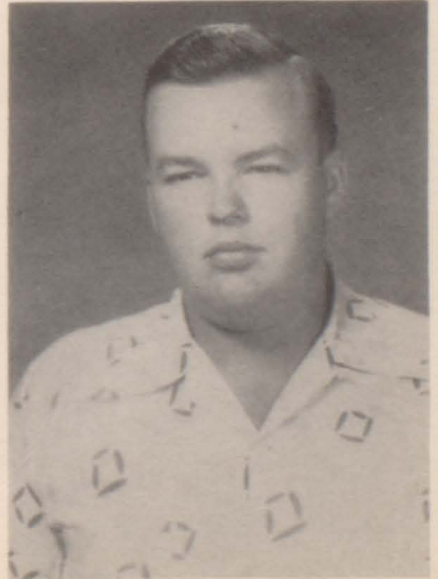
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Verdell Cosby



Clarence Cunningham





Margaret Dismukes



Carla Ehlers



Wayne Ellis



Jackie Falks

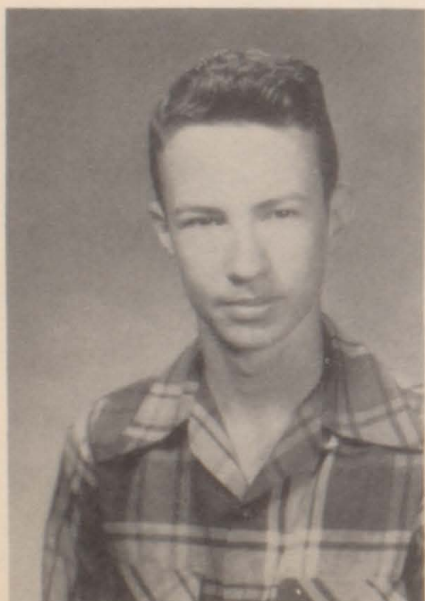


Jean Ann Falks



Kay Green

Wallis Green



Alta Marie Hamlin



Jenell Harvey



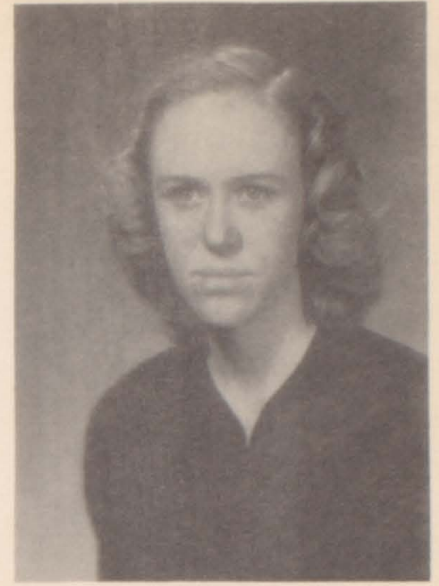




Mason Holsworth



Gerry Janes



Thelma Jenkins



Annette Johnson



Kay King

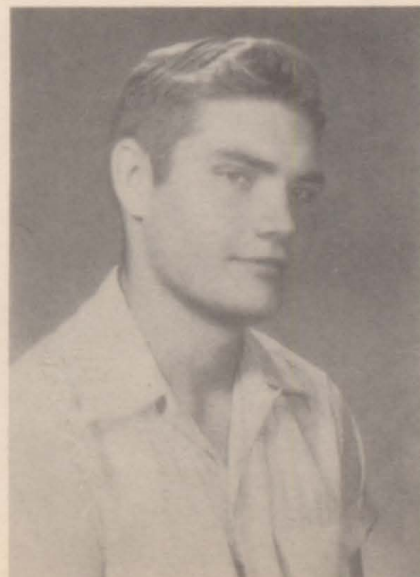


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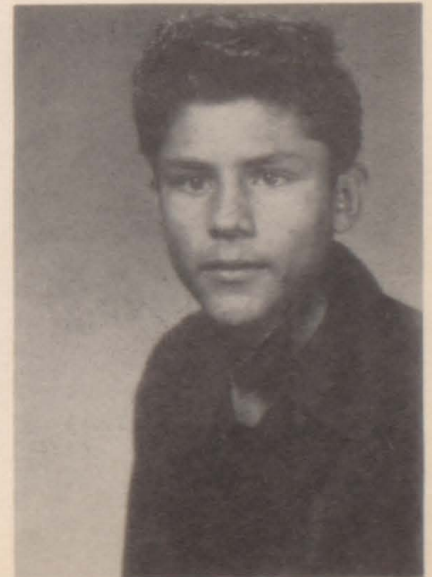
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Alfred Manning

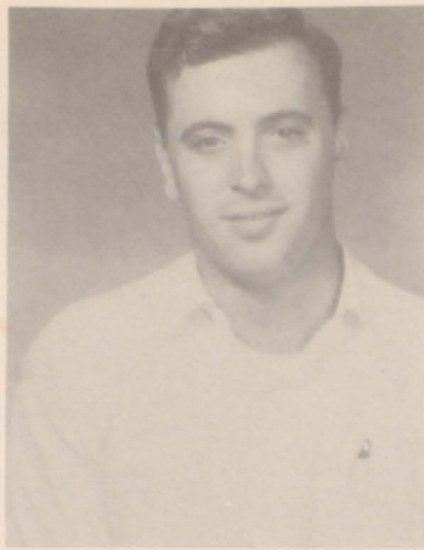


Pete Martinez





Marla Milligan



Raymond Mozley



Frank Navarro



Sue Penland



Helena Petit

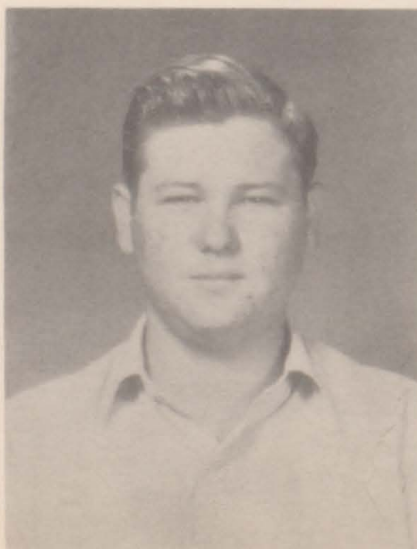


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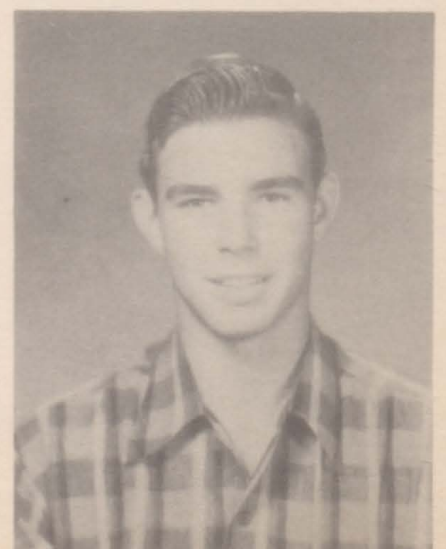
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Billy Ray



Tommy Reneau







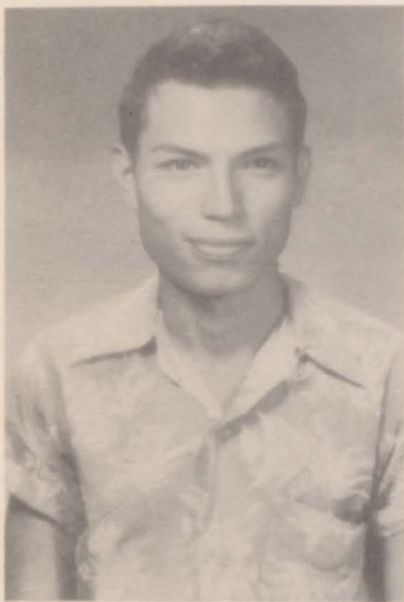
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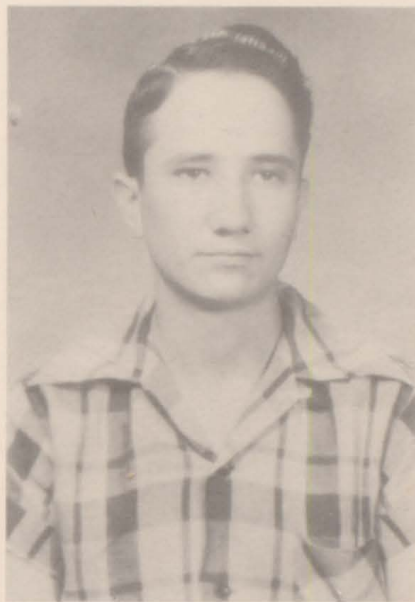
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Delfina Rodriguez



Genaro Salinas



Traylor Simons

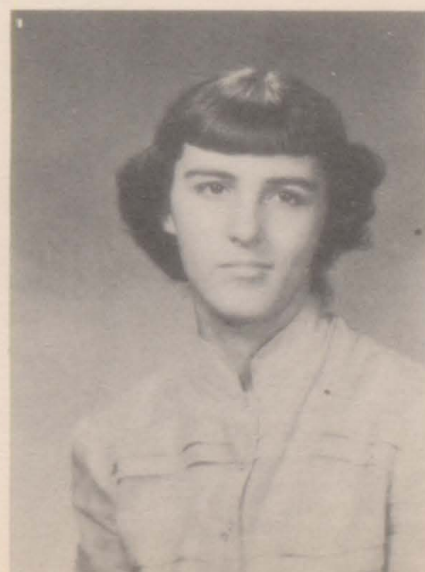


La Nell Smith

Leroy Smith



Jane Spruiel





Frankie Faye Stallard



Laura Jo Swenson



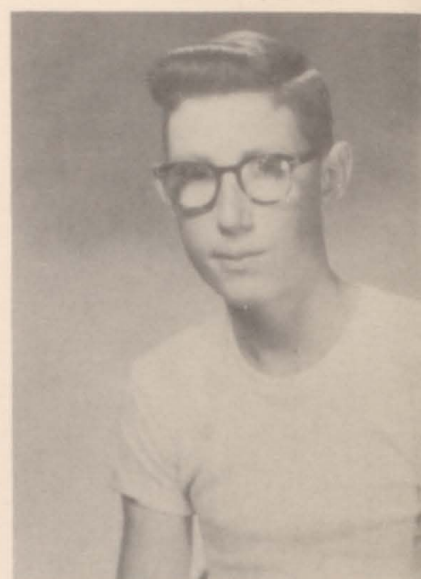
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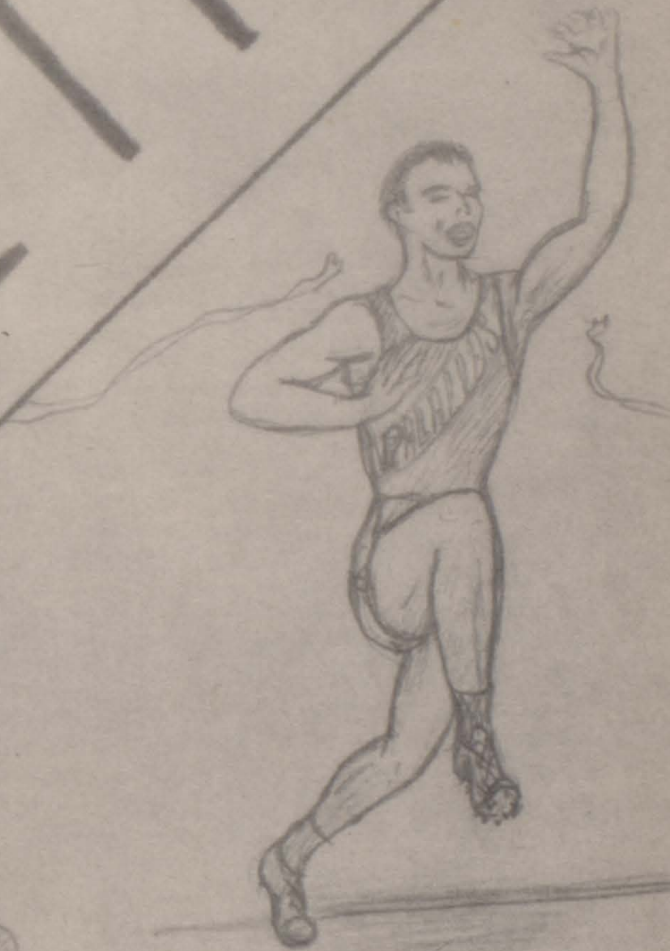
Patsy Wesselman







# ATHLETICS



# 1952 FOOTBALL



*First Row:* N. Blackwell, C. Yemn, D. Blackwell, C. Simpson, B. Partain, R. Smith, P. Martinez.

*Second Row:* N. Seaman, L. Smith, D. Johnson, H. Bowers, B. King, P. Sardelich, R. Clements, T. Navarro.

*Third Row:* J. Merck, T. Reneau, R. Linton, D. Bolling, C. Harvey, C. Wratlslaw, P. Guttenburger, J. Beard, Coach "Sharkey" Shelton.

*Although the "Sharks" didn't win district this year, they had a fine football season winning eight games and losing one. They were defeated by a powerful Industrial "Cobra" team in a very close game. The "Sharks" placed five on the all-district team. They were Bolling, Wratlslaw, Seaman, and Sardelich. Robert Linton received honorable mention.*

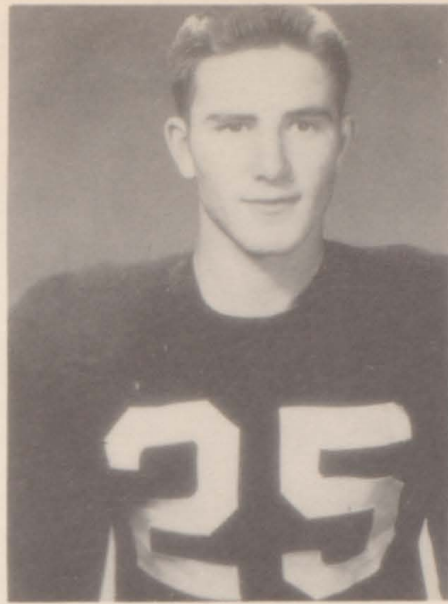
*For their Homecoming Game with Ganado, Barbara Lou Gayle was elected Queen of Homecoming by the student body and ruled at the game and dance held after the game. LaVerne Eikenberg was elected as the Football Sweetheart of 1952.*

September	12	Palacios	38	Louise	0
September	19	Palacios	26	Tidehaven	6
September	26	Palacios	32	W. B. Ray "B"	7
October	3	Palacios	34	Miller "B"	13
October	17	Palacios	26	Goliad	6
October	24	Palacios	13	Yorktown	0
October	31	Palacios	13	Industrial	19
November	7	Palacios	33	Kennedy	6
November	14	Palacios - "Homecoming Game"	19	Ganado	0

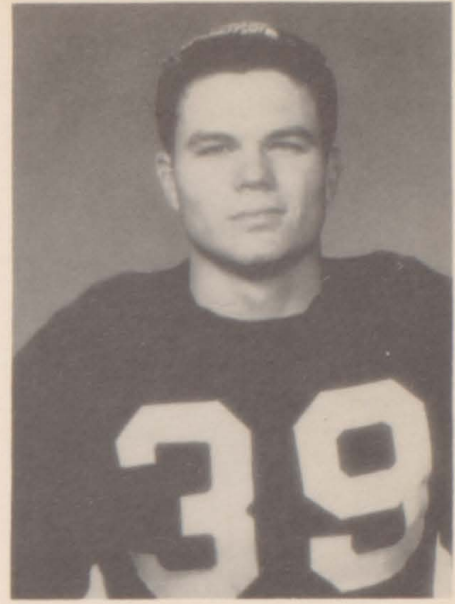




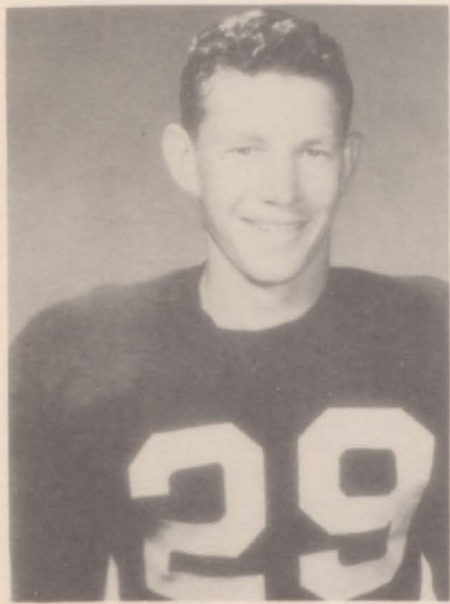
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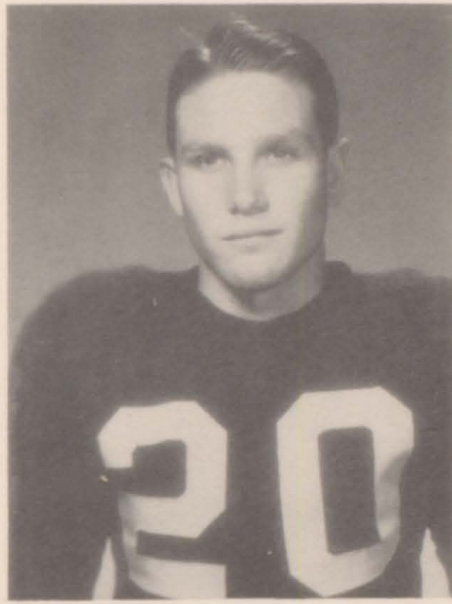
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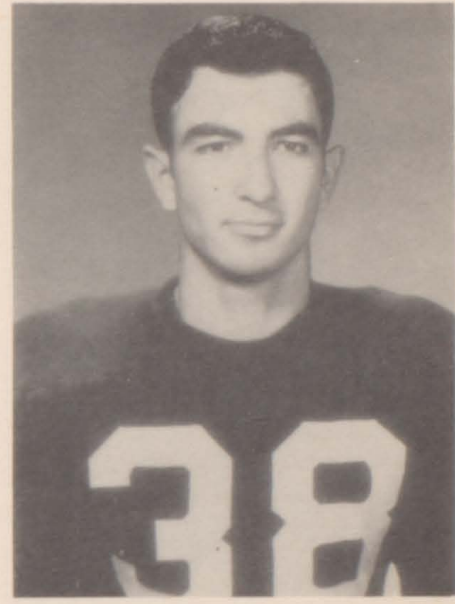
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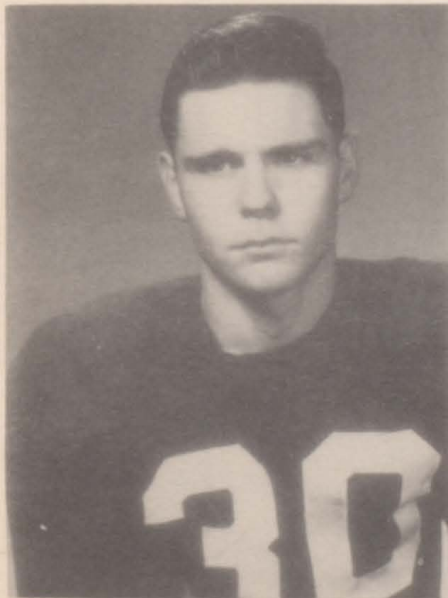
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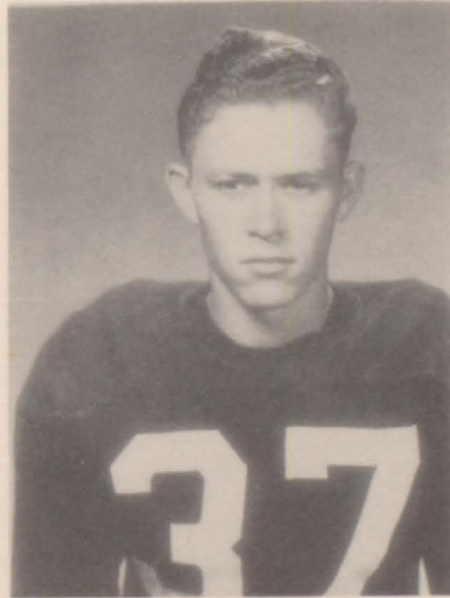
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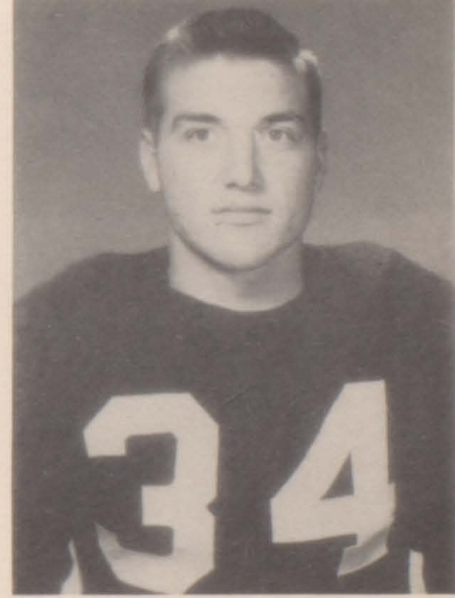
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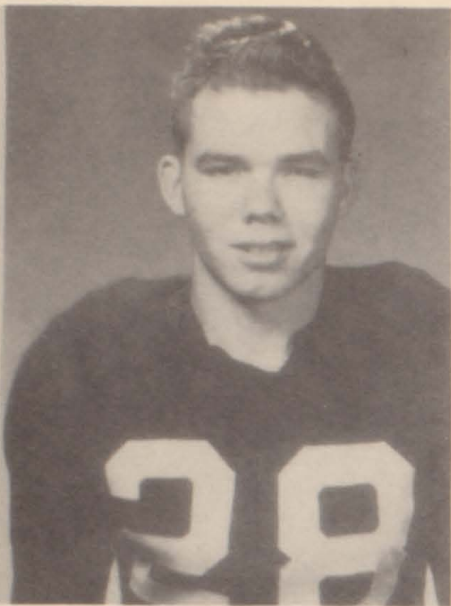
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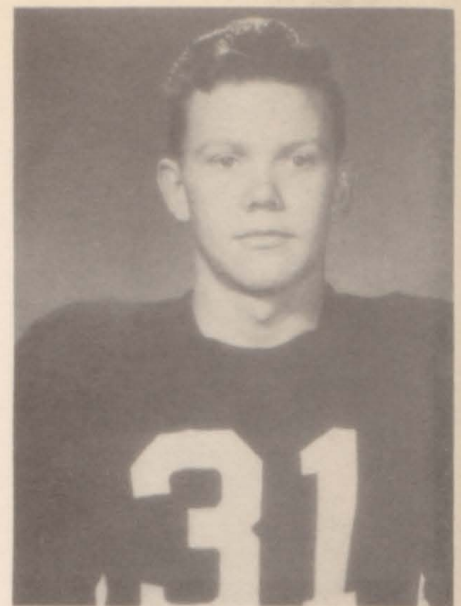
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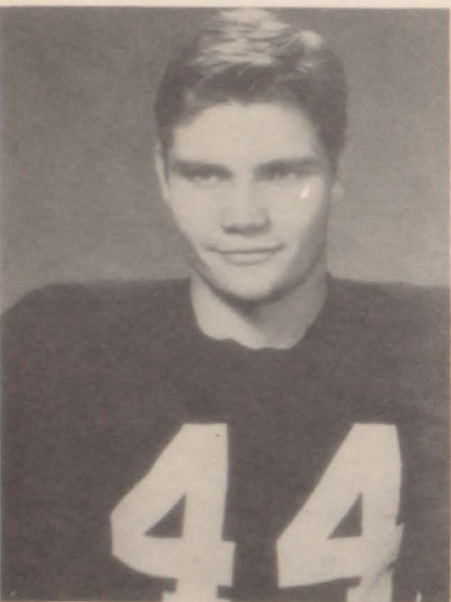
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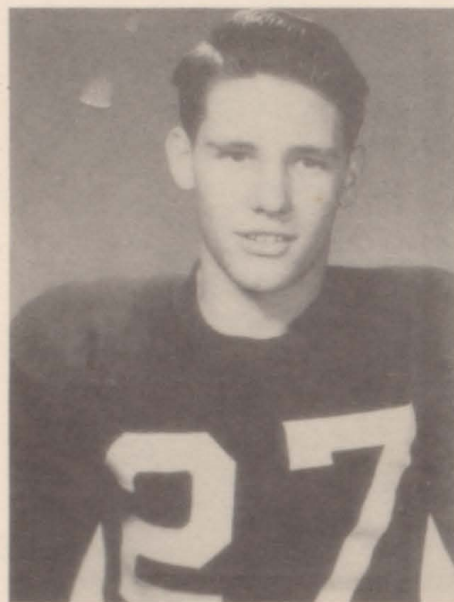
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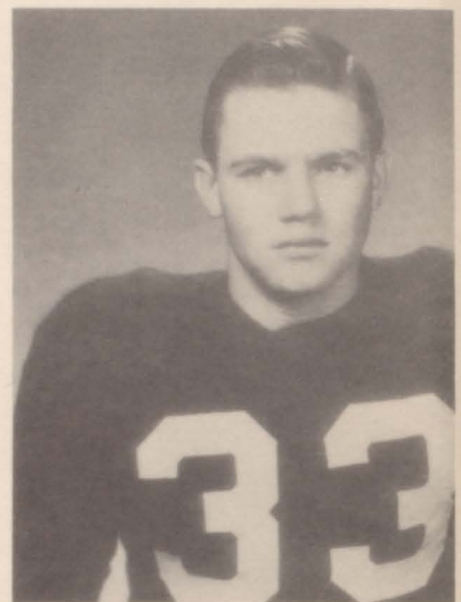
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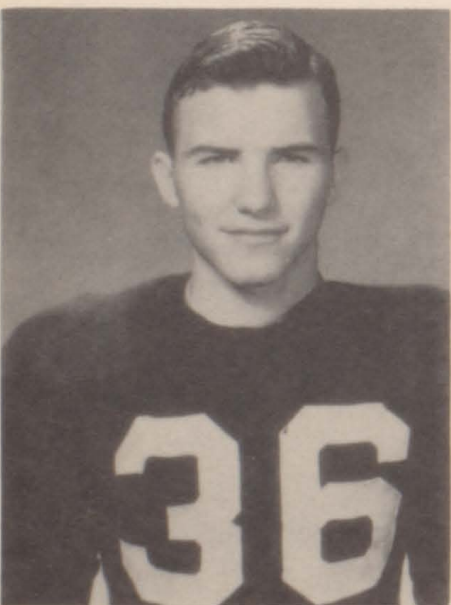
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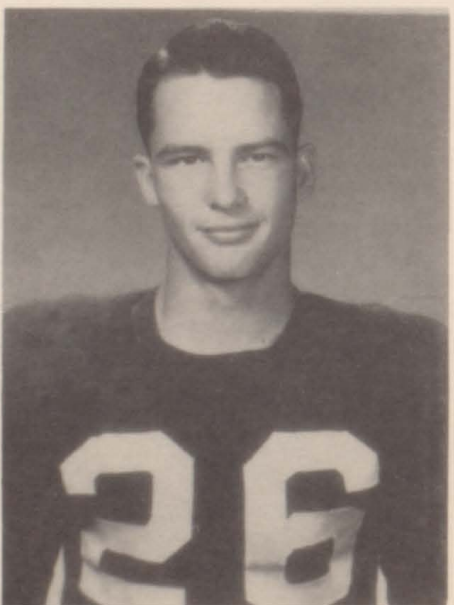
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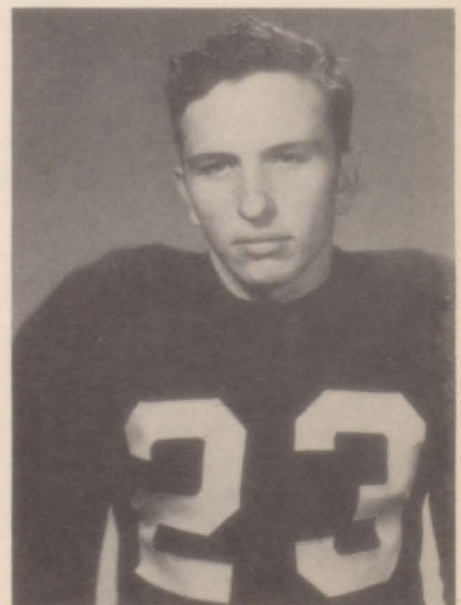
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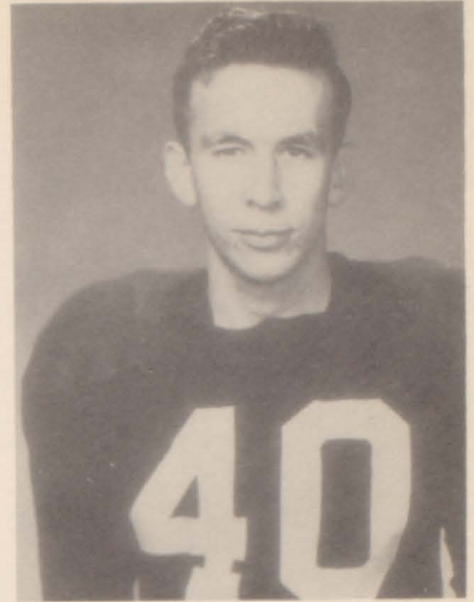




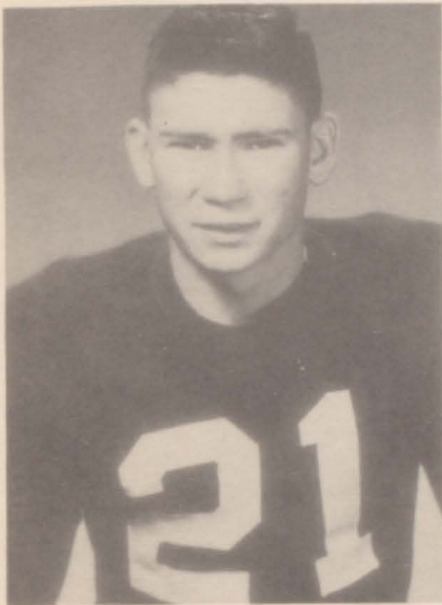
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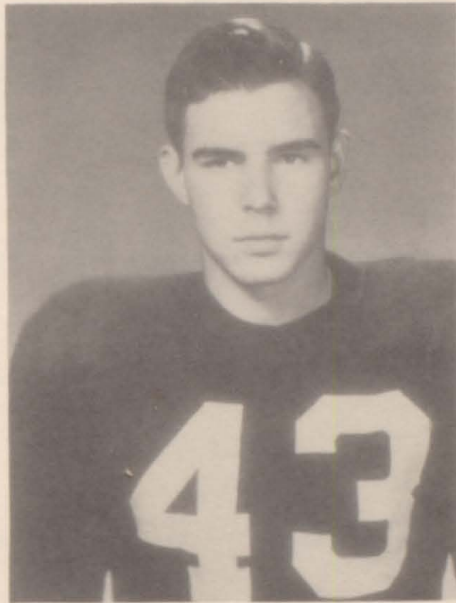
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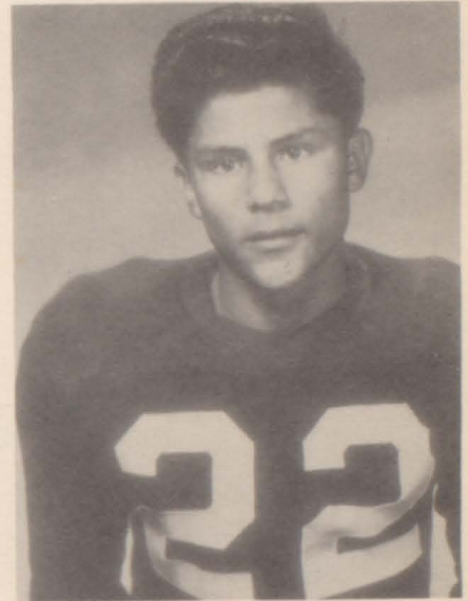
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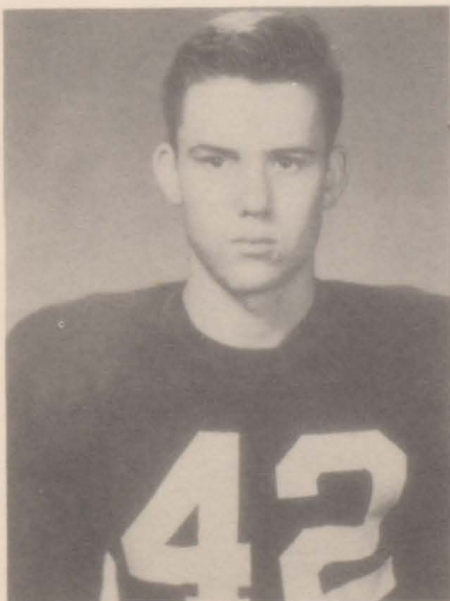
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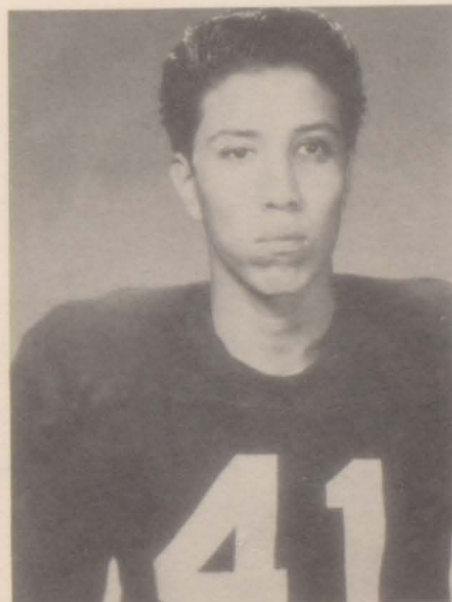
Tommy Reneau – Soph.



Pete Martinez – Soph.



Joe Ray Beard – Jr.



Tom Navarro – Jr.

# 1953 BASKETBALL

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TEAM



Clint Wratlaw, Byron King, Norris Neeley, Jimmy Shearer, Charles Harvey.



First Row: C. Wratlaw, B. King, J. Shearer, N. Neeley, C. Harvey.

Second Row: B. Lowery, P. Penland, R. Clements.

Third Row: P. Martinez, D. Blackwell, J. Beard, A. Manning, P. Guttenberger, N. Blackwell.



BASKETBALL



*First Row:* D. Paris, A. Brandon, D. Wickham, L. Swenson, G. Sexton, J. McDaniel.

*Second Row:* B. Gayle, Y. Smith, E. McMichiel, E. Klennert, J. Spruiel, S. Penland.

VOLLEYBALL



*First Row:* H. Kutach, P. Wesselman, Y. Smith, J. McDaniel, G. Jensen, R. Sanders.

*Second Row:* B. Gayle, D. Wickham, D. Morris, A. Brandon, F. Chamblee, D. Paris, G. Johnson.



GIRLS  
SOFTBALL



*First Row:* S. Penland, D. Paris, D. Wickham, B. Gayle, A. Brandon, I. Morgan.  
*Second Row:* E. McMichiel, H. Warne, G. Janes, J. Carter, Y. Smith, J. McDaniel.

BOYS  
SOFTBALL



*First Row:* P. Sardelich, P. Penland, R. Clement, P. Martinez, D. Blackwell.  
*Second Row:* D. Mosier, C. Harvey, C. Wratlslaw, R. Linton, B. King.



**FOOTBALL**

Charles Harvey  
R.C. Shelton, Coach  
Pete Sardelich



**CAPTAINS**



**BOYS' BASKETBALL**

Charles Harvey  
Jimmy Shearer



**VOLLEYBALL**

Johnnie McDaniel  
Gloria Jensen

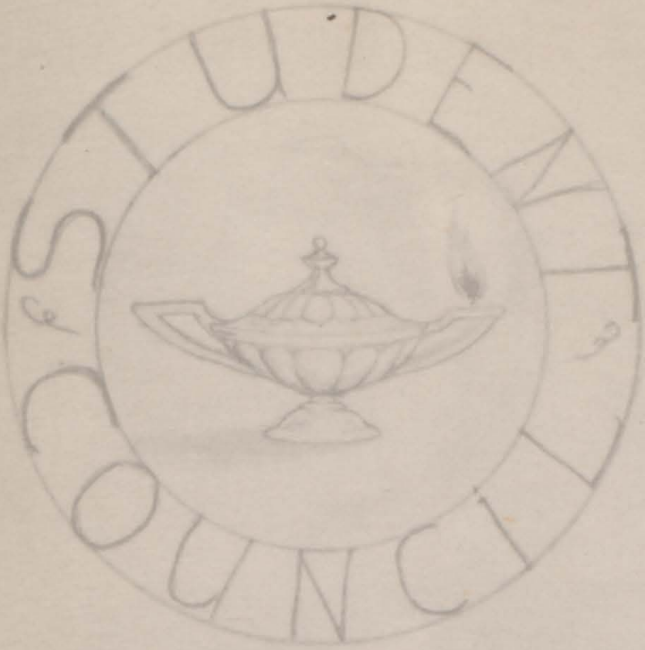
**GIRLS' BASKETBALL**  
Gail Sexton - Barbara Gayle

# 1953 TRACK



*First Row:* Dick Bolling, Hubert Bowers, Pete Martinez, Ralph Trevino, Pete Sardelich, Paul Penland, Genaro Salinas.  
*Second Row:* Clinton Wratishlaw, Tom Navarro, Joe Ray Beard, Charles Harvey, Paul Guttenberger, Alfred Manning, Ralph Clement.



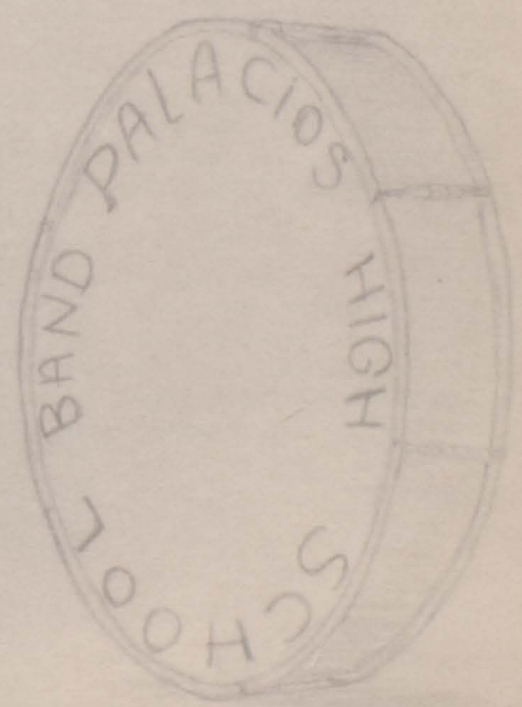


*F.F.A.*  
**ACTIVITIES**

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*F.F.A.*

# STUDENT COUNCIL



Jean Wesselman, Vice-President; Gerry Janes, Secretary; Wallace Phillips; Roy Smith, President; Charles Harvey, Reporter; Paul Guttenberger, Treasurer; and Wayne Ellis.

## STUDENT COUNCIL 1952-1953

The above officers and members of the Student Council of 1952-53 have had a busy schedule, sponsoring many activities and contests. Methods of raising funds were keeping the coke machine the last semester, selling in the concession stands at football games, sponsoring the Homecoming dance and Sports' Queen race.

One hundred dollars of the money from the treasury went for the senior caps and gowns. A citizenship trophy was purchased for the trophy case. A new ping pong set was given to the school. The Council gave the Christmas program and furnished the apples for all the students to enjoy after gifts were exchanged. A plaque was given to the sophomore class for winning first place in the Sports' Night contests. The Council donated the loving cup for Sports' Queen and Princess cup for the runner-up. Western day, sponsored by the Student Council, will be long remembered by all.



# F. H. A.



*First Row:* N. Johnson, R. Snider, B. Carter, D. Paris, N. Thompson, G. Jensen, D. Smith, L. Smith.

*Second Row:* B. Husak, G. Bowers, G. James, E. Klennert, A. Brandon, J. Munds, J. Roach, D. Paulk, B. Robinson.

*Third Row:* S. Rice, J. Wesselman, J. Christie, B. Jackson, Y. Smith, Do. Rodriguez, I. Morgan, V. Cosby, S. Cooper, L. Swenson, G. Johnson, N. Harvey, R. Sanders, M. Daniels, D. Kesler, R. Hamlin, Mrs. Dorothy Smith.

*Fourth Row:* F. Tafolla, M. Chanik, P. Wesselman, C. Ehlers, L. Smith, J. Spruiel, J. Roach, H. Warren, B. Phillips, A. Hamlin, M. Milam, D. Wickham.



# OFFICERS

*First Row:* Dana Kay Paris, Secretary; Gwen Johnson, Historian; Dorothy Wickham, Historian; Valerie Weaver, Treasurer.

*Second Row:* Ann Brandon, Vice-President; Jean Ann Wesselman, Historian; Barbara Gayle, Parliamentarian; Jo Ann Munds, Reporter; Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Sponsor.





*First Row:* E. Gonzales, P. Sardelich, C. Simpson, J. Beard, B. Lowery, L. Beard, A. Lambright, G. Frangulie, J. Falks, C. Ware, J. Thompson, B. Steiner, B. Orsak.

*Second Row:* N. Seaman, P. Richman, W. Ellis, P. Penland, J. McDaniel, B. Gayle, R. Smith, D. Tramel, Red Phillips, C. Harvey, L. Brune, G. Harvey, D. Beard, E. Dunn, B. Warner, G. Cepak, B. Foltyn, D. Boling.

*Third Row:* R. Clement, L. Smith, F. Navarro, W. Weakley, P. Shearer, M. Holsworth, G. Lowry, T. Reneau, R. Mosely, C. Frankson, G. Cornett.

*Fourth Row:* G. Salinas, J. Foltyn, E. Perez, C. Wratlslaw.

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Boyd Foltyn, Sentinel; Paul Penland, Reporter; Roy Smith, Dick Bolling, Song-leader; Barbara Gayle, Sweetheart; Bob Lowery, Secretary; Byron King, 2nd Vice-President; Charles Harvey, Treasurer; Johnnie McDaniels, Sweetheart.



# P.H.S. BAND



*First Row:* B. Gayle, M. Milam, J. McDaniel, K. Green, L. Eikenberg.

*Second Row:* O.A. McGuffee, Director; L. Richards, J. Morgan, P. Robinson, T. Brandon, V. Lauthrige, D. Harvey, C. Ehlers, J. Atkins, D. Johnson, M. Dismukes, L. Bowers, L. Swenson, J. Corporan, B. Bradshaw.

*Third Row:* E. Klennert, B. Guterrez, B. Shows, F. Stallard, E. Haubold, J. Wilcox, J. Jackson, C. Cunningham, E. Blackburn, G. King, E. McMichiel, J. Hebert, D. Prindell, R. Janes, B. Tanner.

*Fourth Row:* A. Brandon, L. Rogers, E. Paris, M. Harvey, P. Shearer, J. Kruse, R. Corporan, D. Batchelder, R. Sanders, I. Lambright, W. Clement, L. Ashley, J. Cavallin, B. Simpson, M. Chanik, C. Partain, P. Ramsey, G. Johnson.

## BAND 1952-'53

*The Palacios Band enjoyed many trips this year. Their first was to the Bay City Rice Festival where they marched in the parade.*

*During the fall the band journeyed with the football team to all of the games played away from home. The band put on a fine half-time performance at every game. In early February the band went to Houston to march in the Houston Fat Stock parade. Later in February the band marched in a parade and attended the clinic at Victoria.*

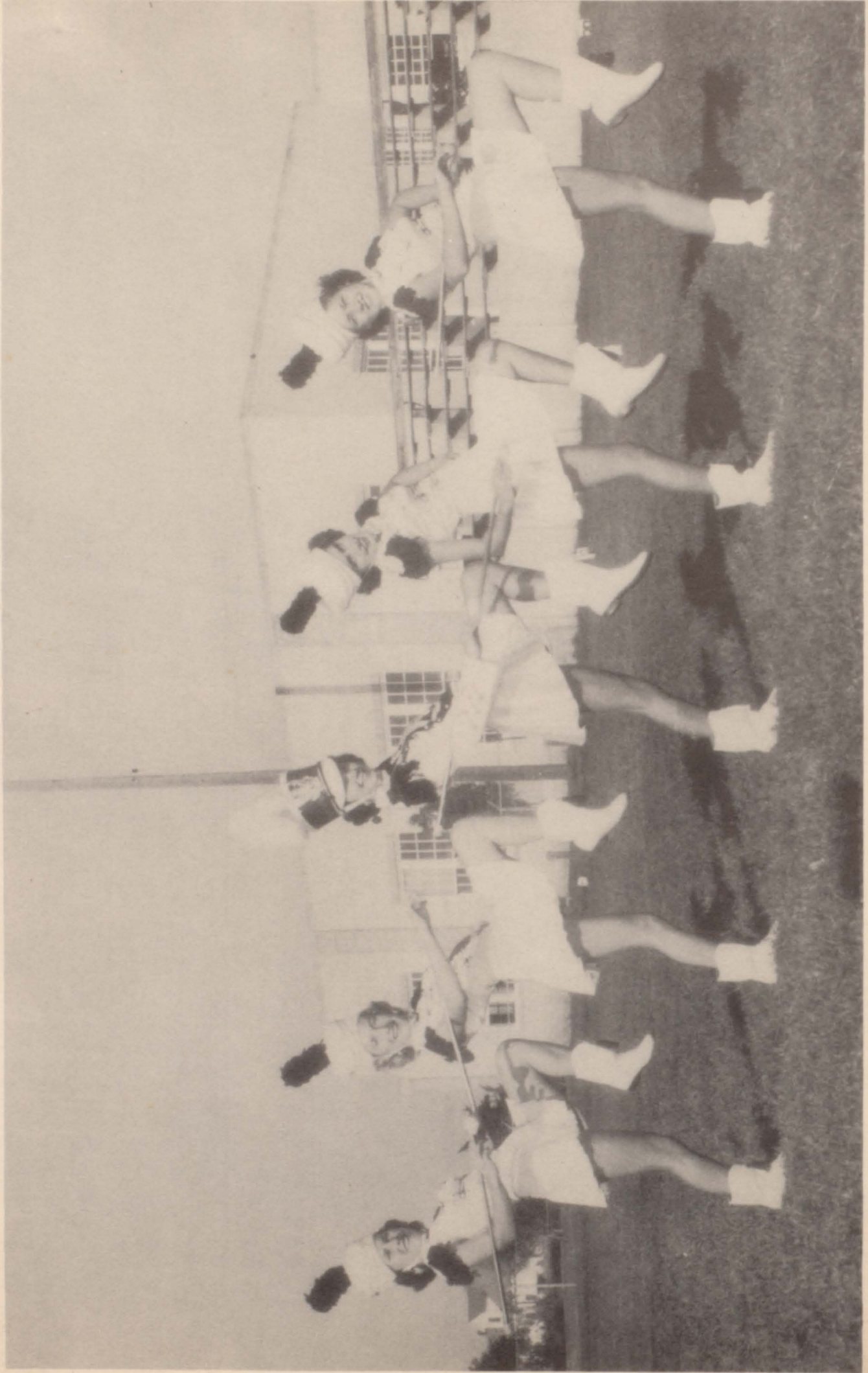
*In the Regional marching and playing contests the band did good considering that they had been raised to a higher class this year. There were many first place winners from the Palacios Band at the Regional Solo and Ensemble contest. The band had to journey to Houston for all the regional contests.*

*In the spring the band gave their final concert. Five honor medals were awarded to outstanding band members. Carla Ehlers and David Johnson received the outstanding High School Band Members' medals. Johnnie McDaniel received the medal for the outstanding member of the majorette-drum major group. LaVerne Bowers and Roy Corporan received medals for the outstanding Junior High School band members.*

*The band officers for the year were Johnnie McDaniel, President; Don Batchelder, Vice-President; and David Johnson, Secretary and Treasurer.*



# DRUM MAJOR - MAJORETTES



Barbara Gayle  
*Majorette*

Marilyn Milam  
*Majorette*

Johnnie McDaniel  
*Drum Major*

Kay Green  
*Majorette*

LaVerne Eikenberg  
*Majorette*



OFFICE  
GIRLS



*Top Row:* Verdell Cosby, Alta Marie Hamlin, La Nell Smith, Nalona Harvey, Dana Kay Paris, Gwen Johnson, Nelda Wells, Willie Reitz.  
*Bottom Row:* Laura Jo Swenson, Francis Chamblee, W. E. Sullivan, Principal; Valerie Weaver.

*Top Row:* Carla Ehlers, Patsy Wesselman, Jean Wesselman, Mrs. Burton, James Hall, Dorothy Morris, June Christie.  
*Bottom Row:* Evelyn Jurasek, Helen Kutach, Elizabeth McMichiel, Louise Jackson.

LIBRARY  
HELP





# CHORAL



*First Row:* Jeanette Carter, Valerie Weaver, Jean Ann Falks, Frankie Faye Stallard, Lena Mae Tucker, Mary Louise Wells.

*Second Row:* Josephine Johs, Marilyn Johnson, James Keszler, O. A. McGuffee, Director; Ralph Clement, Nellie Thompson.

## JUNIOR - SENIOR BANQUET





# "NO MORE HOMEWORK"



## CHARACTERS

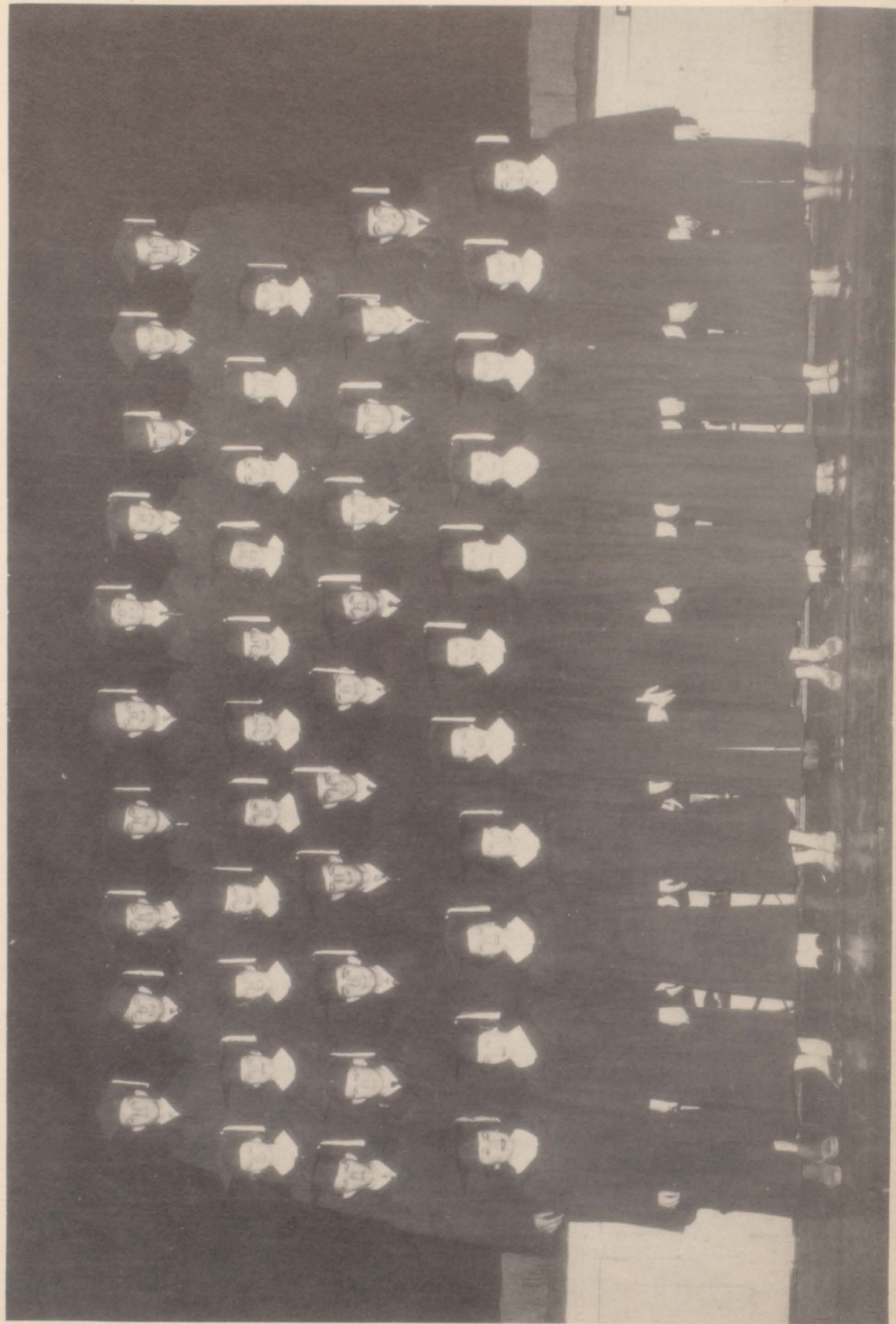
Mr. Lundquist, Principal, Elmer B. Ames High School - - - - - David Johnson  
 Tallulah Ploetz, the high school's gift the *The-ab-ter* - - - - - Jo Ann Munds  
 Faversham Lightly, a freshman; slow and sleepy - - - - - Jimmy Queen  
 Miss Ogilvie, English teacher and *DRAH-MA* coach - - - - - Gloria Jensen  
 "Midge" Murphy, fond of rumors and bubble gum - - - - - Nellie Thompson  
 Pamela Jones, capable, conscientious, well-liked - - - - - Colleen Treacy  
 "Buzz" Bailey, Pamela's boy friend—with more freckles than brains - - -  
 Norris Neeley  
 Shalimar Ames, a trouble-maker; good-looking; over-indulged - - - Johnnie McDaniel  
 Elmer B. Ames, Shalimar's father; a paunchy, pompous attorney - - - Charles Luther  
 Ronald Sassoon, handsome, over-confident basketball star - - - - - Bob Lowery  
 Mr. Harper, history teacher; confirmed bachelor - - - - - Robert Linton  
 Miss Goodin, mathematics teacher; not as mean as she seems - - - - - Gail Sexton  
 Mrs. Clendenning, science teacher; plump, sensitive to heat - - - - - Dolly Milam  
 Miss Dill, school secretary - - - - - LaVerne Eikenberg  
 Coach Guthrie - - - - - Byron King  
 Mrs. Ratchet, the cleaning woman; slovenly, shrewish - - - - - Marilyn Johnson  
 "Tick Tok", the Napoleonic janitor - - - - - Roy Smith

*When Pamela Jones was elected student council president, never in her wildest dreams did she foresee having to make the thousand and one decisions required of a school principal. Should she abolish home work, as one friend helpfully suggests? Should she stand behind an unpopular teacher? Should she keep the school's star athlete out of the state basketball tournament for disciplinary reasons? These are only a few of the headaches that confront Pam and her boy friend, "Buzz" Bailey, who unexpectedly finds himself doubling as vice-principal and "home Ec" teacher, with an omelette in one hand and a dress pattern in the other.*

*Then somehow, with the return of Mr. Lundquist, the real principal, situations manage to right themselves; and Pam and "Buzz" and the rest of the school return to normal. Well. . .more or less!*



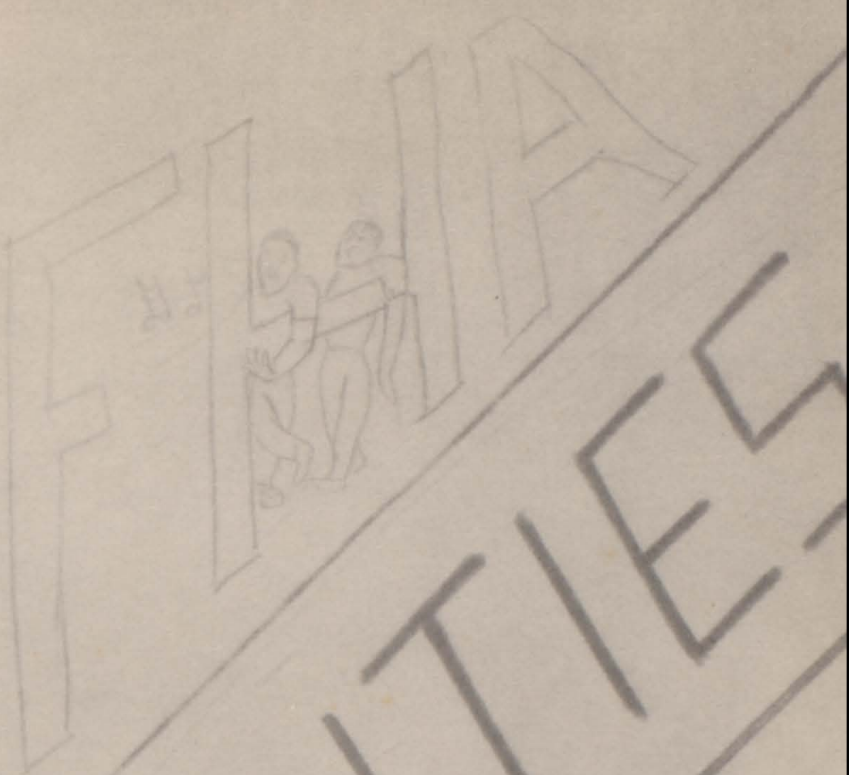
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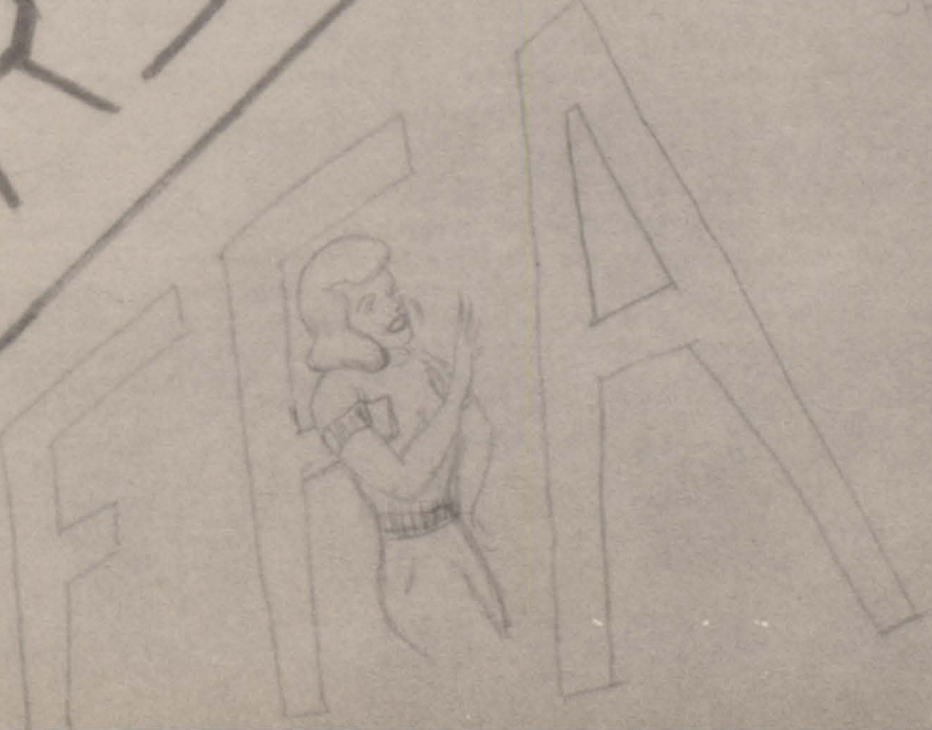


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# PERSONALITIES



*Sports  
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# OUTSTANDING

DAVID JOHNSON

NELLIE THOMPSON





# MOST POPULAR

BARBARA GAYLE

CHARLES HARVEY



# SENIOR FAVORITES

GAIL SEXTON

JIMMY SHEARER





# JUNIOR FAVORITES

BOBBY PARTAIN

RUBY SANDERS



# SOPHOMORE FAVORITES

WAYNE ELLIS

SUE PENLAND





# HOMECOMING QUEEN



Alfred Manning  
Ralph Clement Dorothy Wickham

Barbara Gayle, Queen  
Johnnie McDaniel Charles Harvey

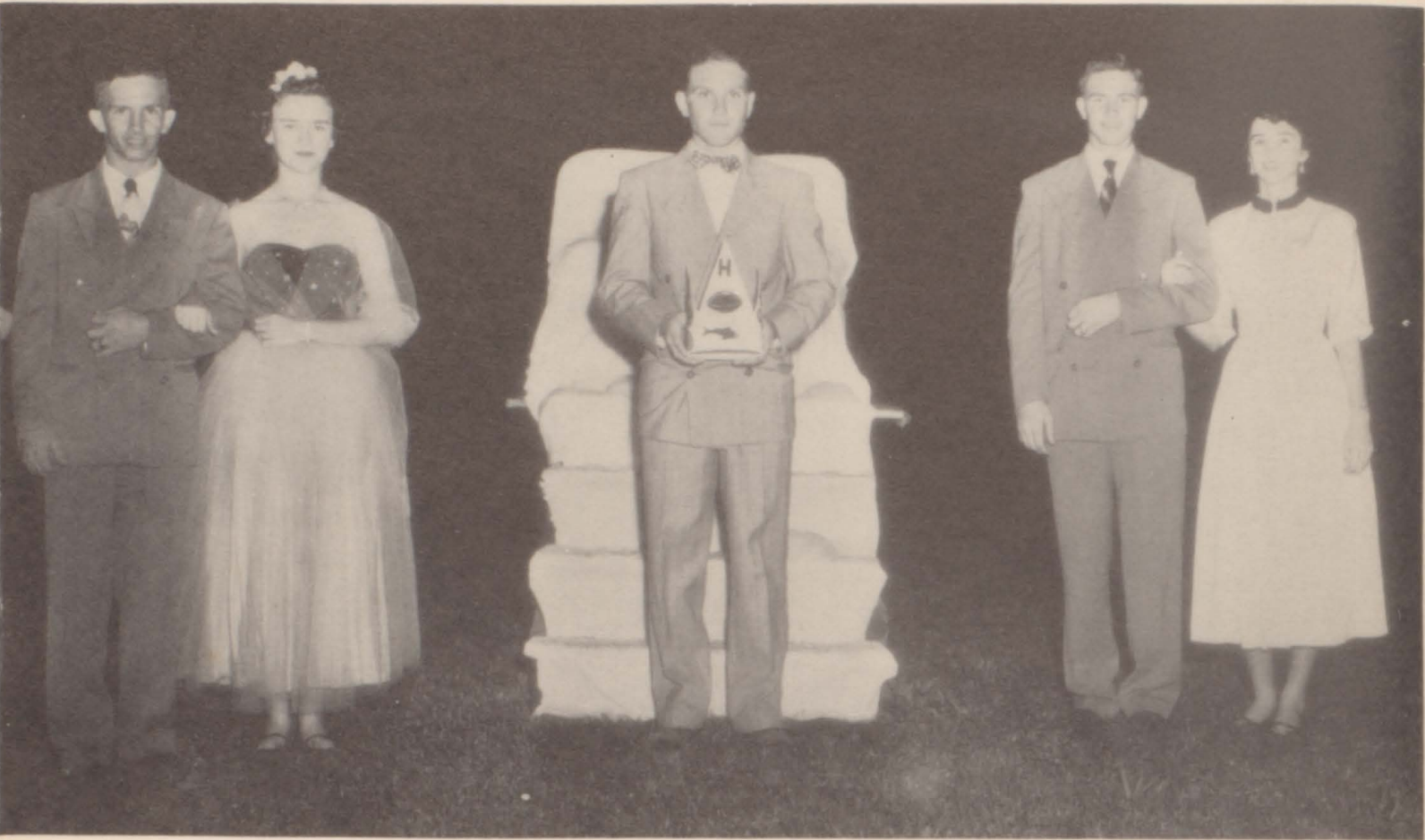
FOOTBALL SWEETHEART  
LaVerne Eikenberg



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# SPORTS QUEEN & PRINCESS



James Atkins, *Escort*  
Fannie Stallard, *Princess*

Roy Smith, *President, Student Council*

Charles Harvey, *Escort*  
Johnnie McDaniel, *Sports Queen*

Fannie Stallard



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# CHEERLEADERS



GLORIA JENSEN  
KAY KING

JEROME KIMBALL

DOROTHY WICKHAM, *Head Cheerleader*  
JO ANN MUNDS





JOHNNIE McDANIEL

BARBARA GAYLE

F. F. A. SWEETHEARTS

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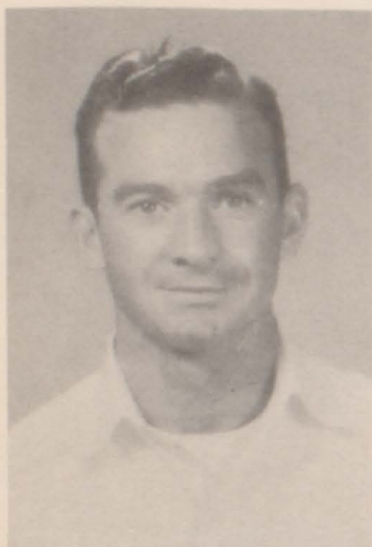
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MARY FRIERY  
*History and English*



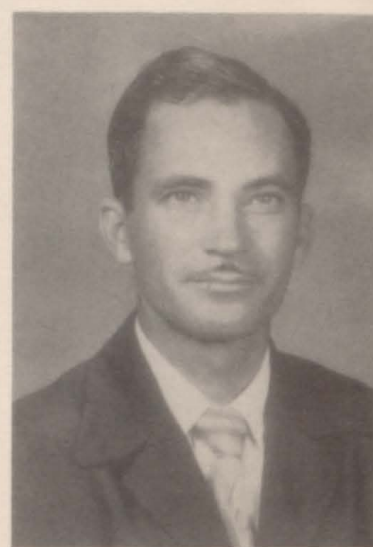
BELL MCGLOTHIN  
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*Mathematics*



GEORGE HOLST  
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PRINCIPAL  
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Library*



ALLIE MAE WHITLEY  
*Reading and Spelling*

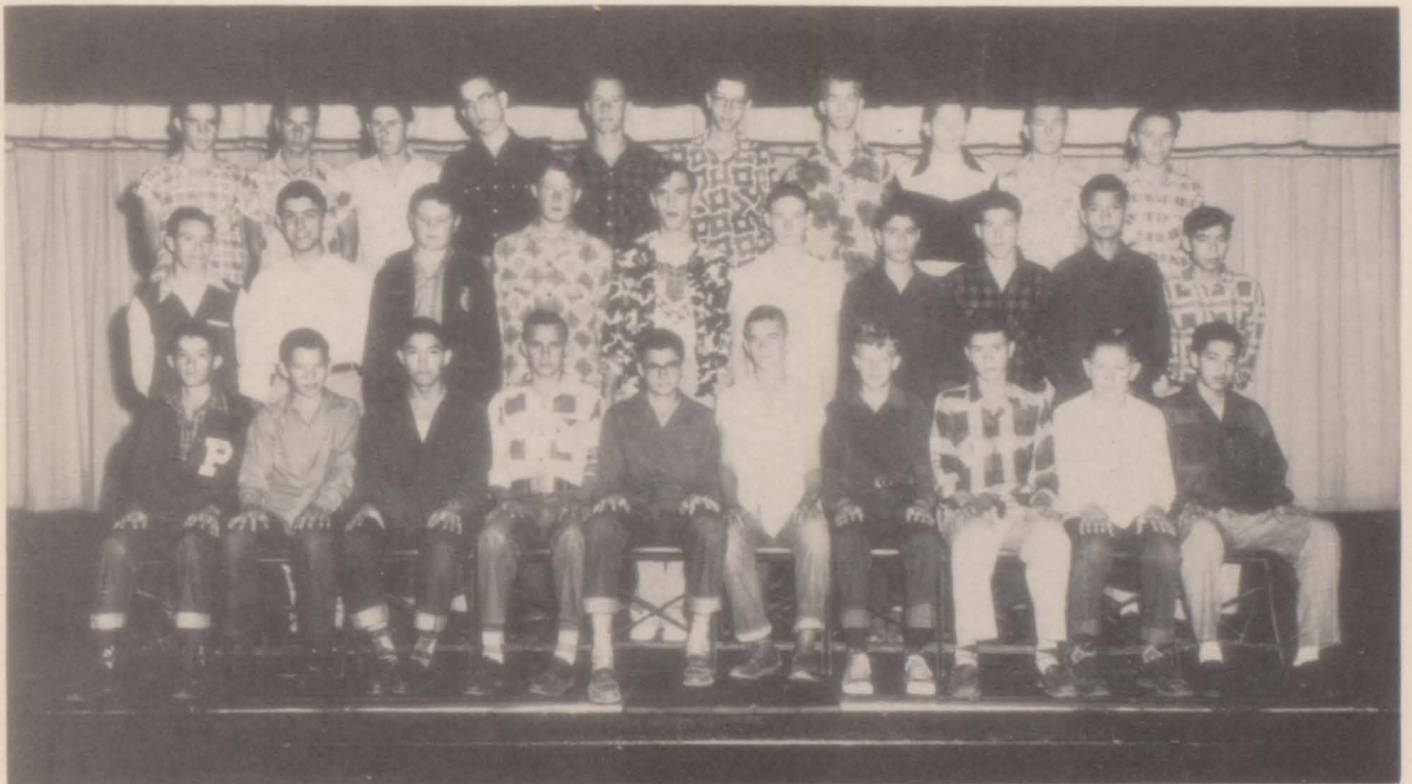


# FRESHMEN



*First Row:* M. Salinas, G. Placencio, V. Ottino, R. Ramos, D. Paulk, F. Stallard, B. Keefe, N. Johnson, R. Schneider, R. Hamlin.

*Second Row:* B. Carter, D. Keszler, B. Husak, J. Stanford, I. Sexton, P. Williams, G. Bowers, M. Ripke, J. Walker, J. Hebert, B. Robinson.



*First Row:* L. Beard, E. Perez, D. Longoria, J. Foltyn, G. Harvey, J. Jackson, B. Steiner, L. Brune, G. Cepak, F. Garcia.

*Second Row:* C. Ware, B. Walton, B. Orsak, J. Thompson, E. Blackburn, C. Mize, G. Franguilli, R. Solis, J. Heineman, F. Diaz.

*Third Row:* D. Beard, J. Beard, A. Lambright, E. Carrol, L. Gillette, O. Sexton, P. Shearer, B. Warner, E. Dunn, J. Richards.



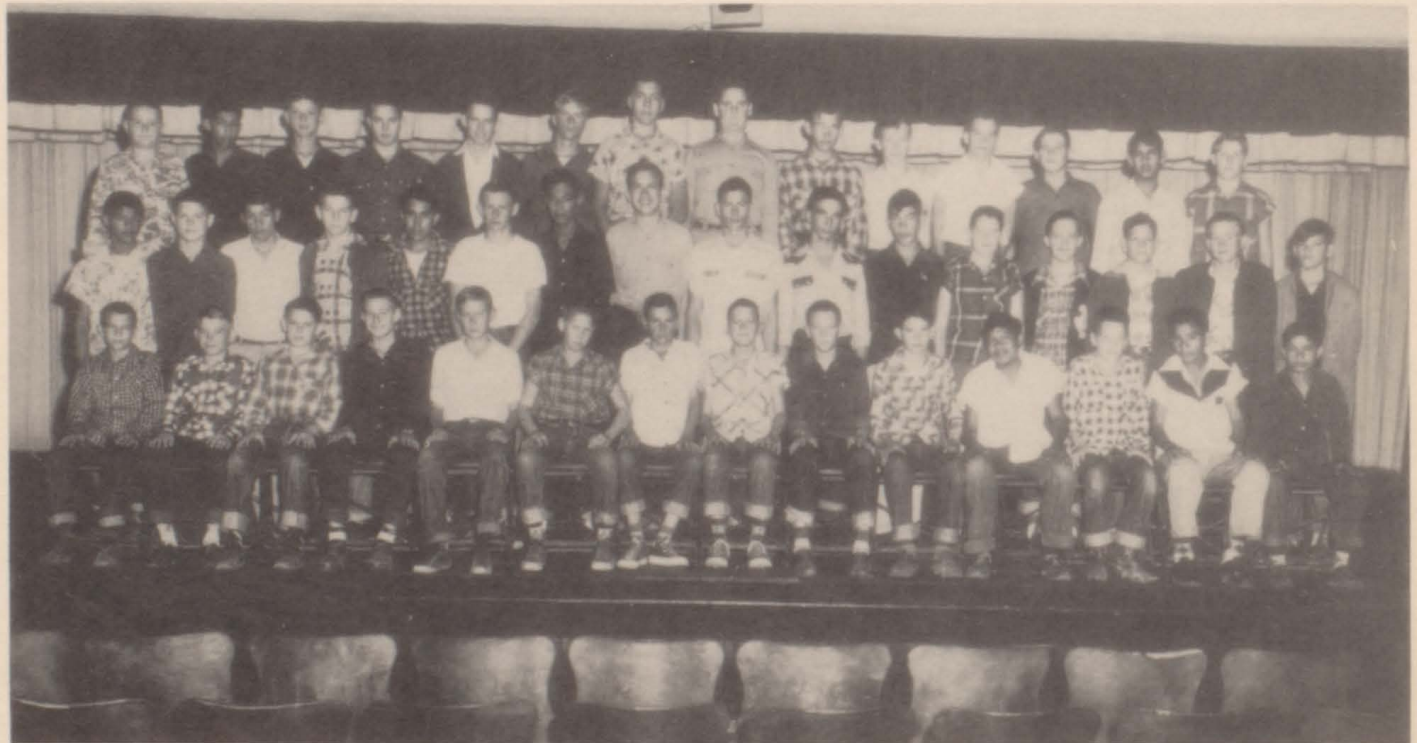
# EIGHTH GRADE



*First Row:* M. Roach, B. Gutierrez, A. Perez, J. Wilcox, J. Sanders, C. Mize, E. Haubold, M. Wright, R. Janes, S. Ruth, J. Allen.

*Second Row:* P. Blackburn, D. Roach, M. Harvey, P. Blackwell, E. Miller, T. Lambright, J. Corporan, L. Smith, N. Elliot, G. Reneau.

*Third Row:* N. Rampmeier, L. Bowers, A. Garza, M. Soto, I. Serna, G. King, D. Smith.



*First Row:* R. Sanders, J. Johs, J. Crawford, H. Schneider, J. Hebel, J. Tanner, J. Beard, B. Bradshaw, L. Rogers, R. Kelly, R. Lopez, C. Jackson, J. Alvarez, L. Gutierrez.

*Second Row:* L. Martinez, R. Hebert, E. Serna, B. Guttenberger, R. Duran, N. Eggemeyer, M. Quentenella, L. Hoffman, J. Baldwin, C. DeWitt, K. Brune, R. Harvey, T. Brandon, K. Countryman, M. Chapman, I. DeWitt.

*Third Row:* O. Hamlin, A. Diaz, R. Corporan, P. Nelson, T. Hunter, L. Morrish, W. Clements, W. Sanders, L. Hauffman, E. Pennington, G. Taylor, T. Chapman, L. Leijha, J. Marquess.



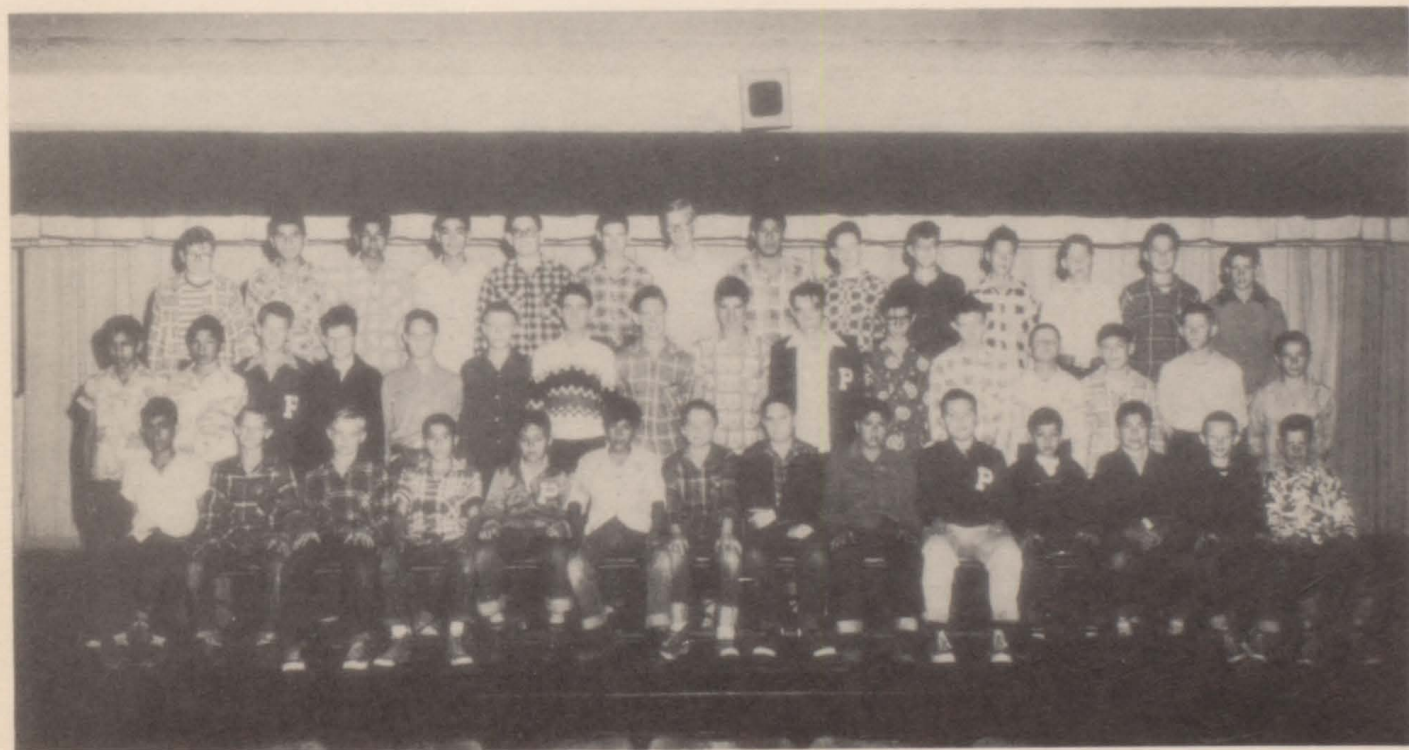
# SEVENTH GRADE



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*Second Row:* J. Baker, V. Roach, B. Nelson, C. Williams, S. Ringo, L. Garcia, L. Lopez, H. Manoja, P. Robinson, L. Rooks, P. Ramsey, C. Partain.

*Third Row:* F. Williams, J. Brussard, P. Christman, L. Ford, M. Ottino, L. Chanik, P. Tweedle, J. Hernandez, G. Hetchler, V. Lothridge, F. Jenkins.



*First Row:* A. Flores, D. Carter, J. Sardelick, A. Trevino, M. Garcia, A. Alamia, H. Bowers, J. Morgan, L. Sanchez, J. Henry, A. Garcia, J. Rodriguez, B. Sternburg, R. Sexton.

*Second Row:* L. Navarro, J. Salinas, R. Keszler, G. Chamblee, T. Bates, J. Hamlin, G. Little, B. Shows, R. Slaughter, B. DeWitt, D. Harvey, B. Starr, F. Jalufka, M. Bickham, R. Anthis, K. DeWitt.

*Third Row:* J. Keefe, B. Morales, T. Morales, P. Perez, H. Gonzales, C. DeWitt, C. Highberg, L. Rodriguez, J. Farley, M. Rogers, A. Salinas, P. Taylor, P. Jenkins, R. Tucker.



# JR. HIGH FOOTBALL



*First Row:* Bobby Guttenberger, Jack Crawford, John Beard, Rudy Lopez, Paul Taylor, Gerald Wells, Joe Tanner, Lonnie Beard.

*Second Row:* Bobby Warner, Donnie Beard, Danny Longoria, Gerald Taylor, Edward Pennington, Oren Hamlin, Clyde Ware, Eddie Dunn, Alfred Ragusin, Don Tramel, Jake Foltyn.

*Third Row:* Coach George Holst, Jack Beard, Robert Solis, Nobert Eggemeyer, Lanny Gillette, Robert Slaughter, Tramel Hunter, Leo Morrish, Elwin Carroll, Pat Nelson, Bobby Walton.



*First Row:* Lanny Gillette, Leo Morrish, Clyde Ware, Pat Nelson, Eddie Dunn, Jake Foltyn, Paul Taylor.

*Second Row:* Danny Longoria, Donnie Beard, Bobby Walton, Jack Beard.



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*Second Row:* H. Schneider, L. Martinez, O. Hamlin, B. Guttenberger, R. Slaughter, Coach Holst, L. Morrish, T. Hunter, G. Taylor, N. Eggemeyer, P. Taylor.

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*First Row:* H. Schneider, Arthur Alamia, L. Martinez, G. Taylor, H. DeWitt, N. Eggemeyer, R. Duran, D. Carter, B. Stuhrenberg.  
*Second Row:* L. Gillette, R. Slaughter, L. Morrish, P. Nelson, B. Walton, T. Hunter, B. Guttenberger.

# JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS

DARLENE KESZLER

BECK STEINER

RUBY SCHNEIDER



# AUTOGRAPHS



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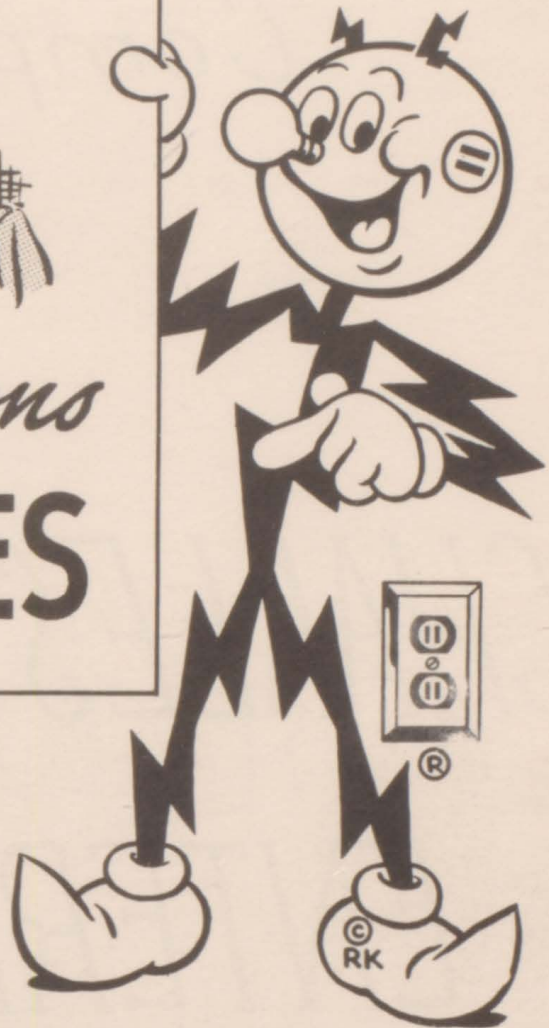









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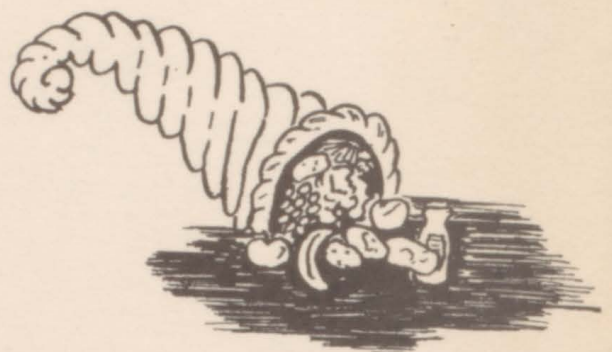
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