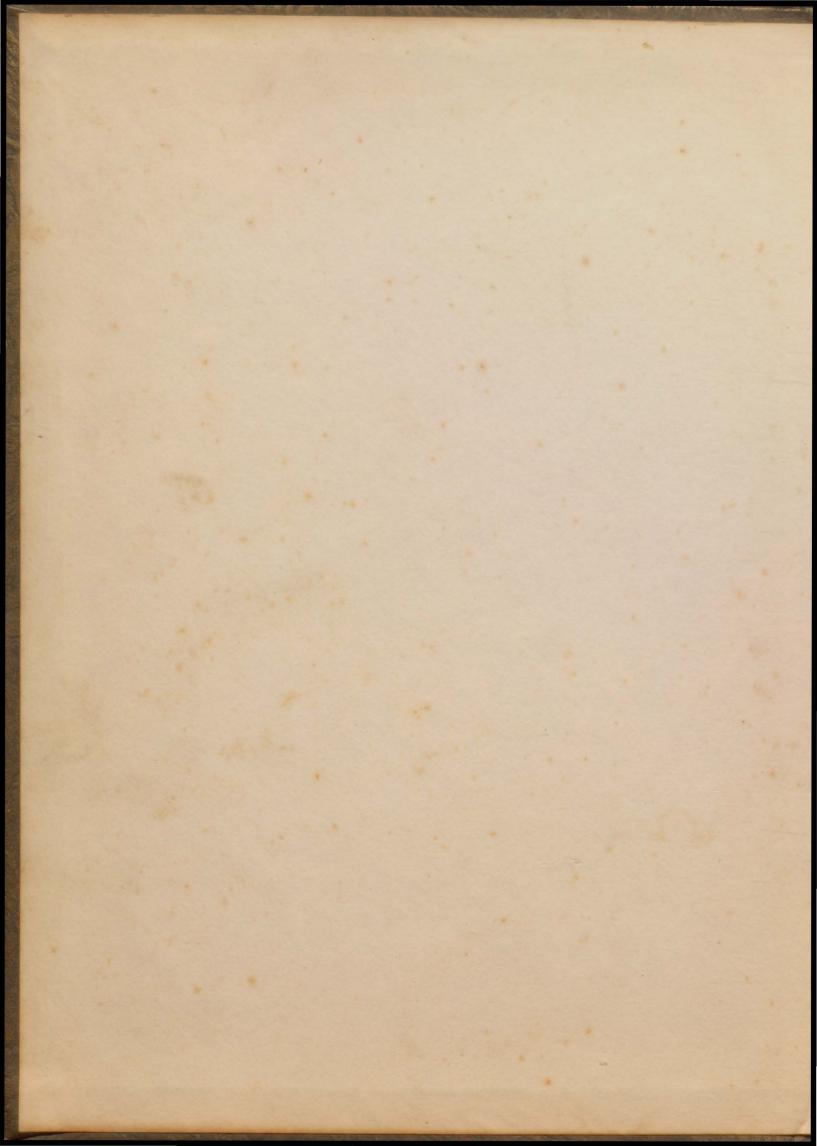
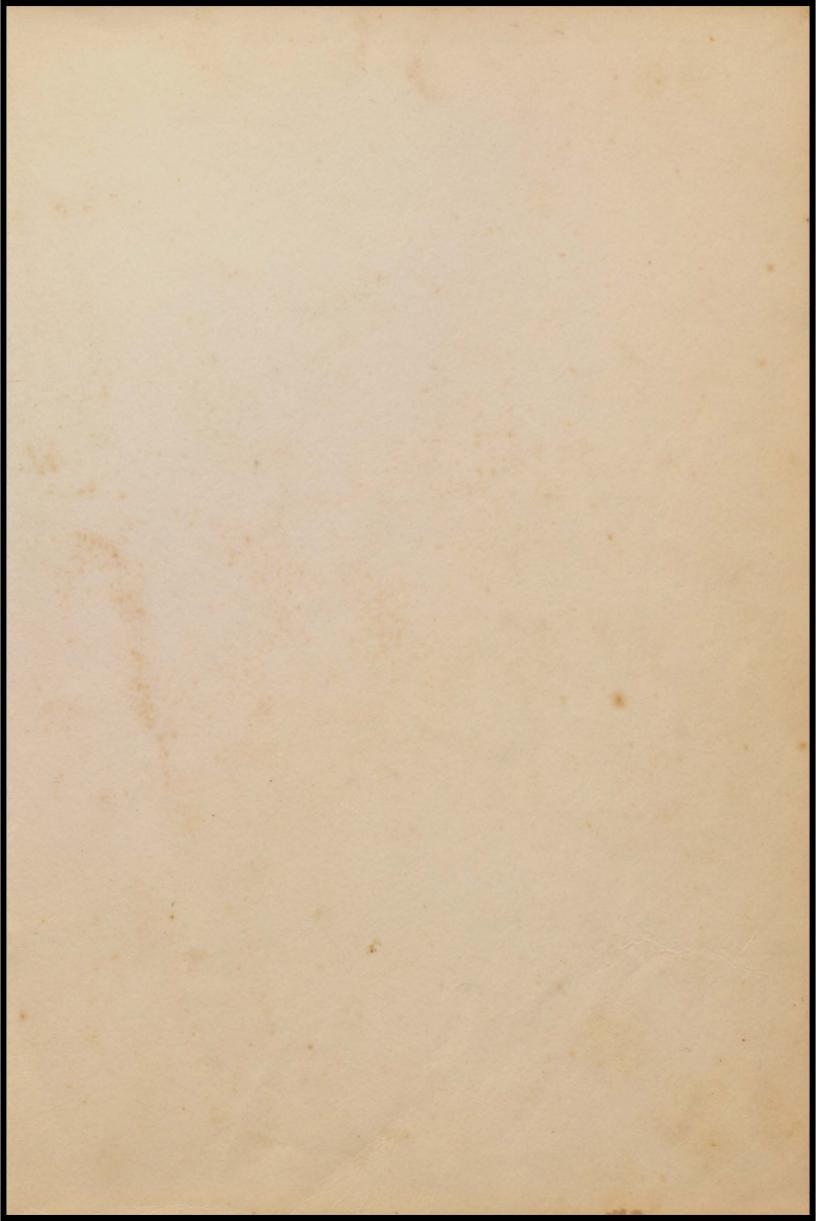
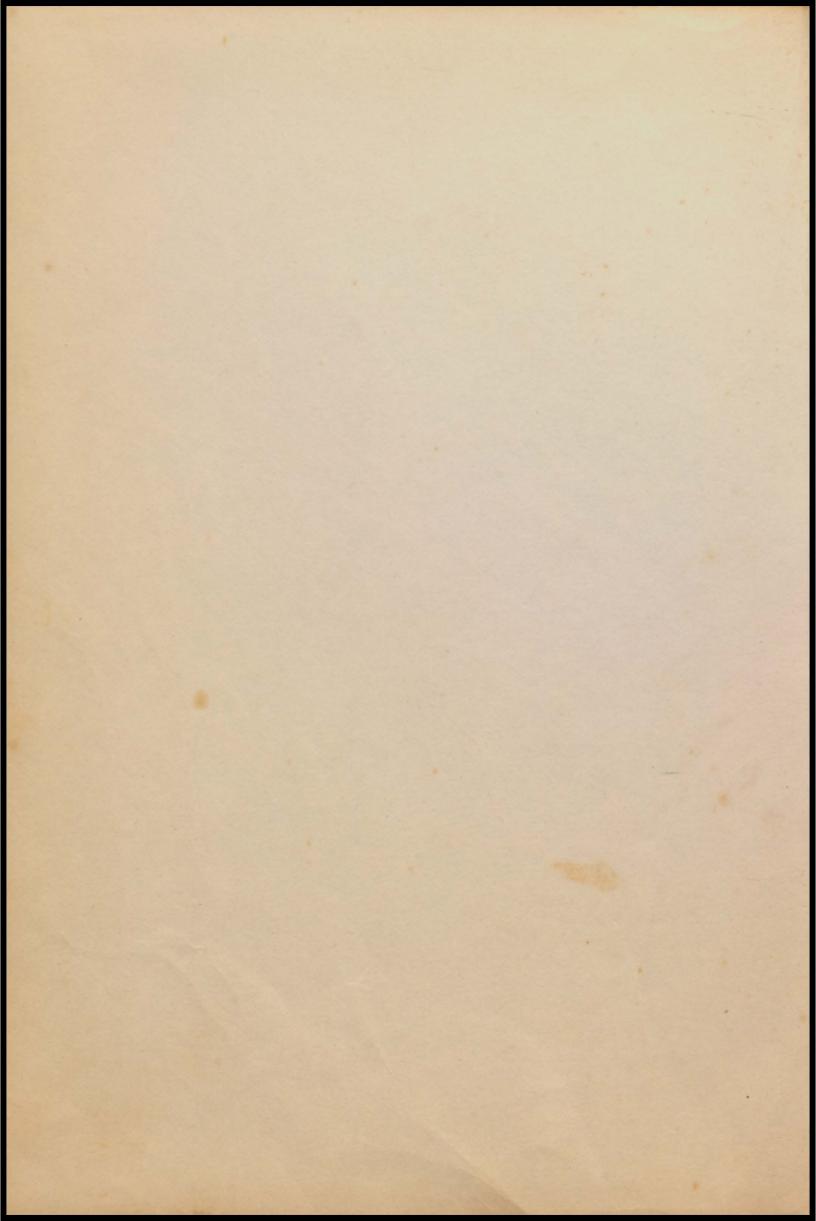
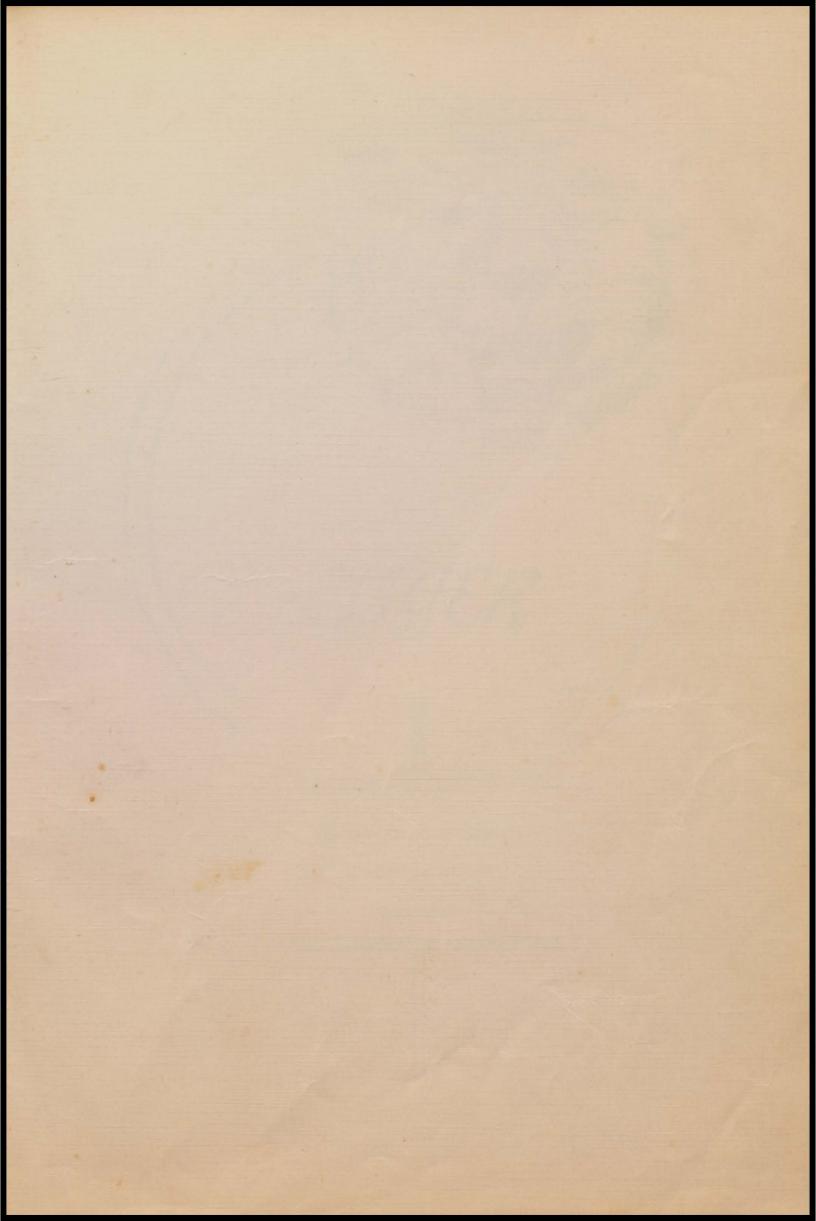
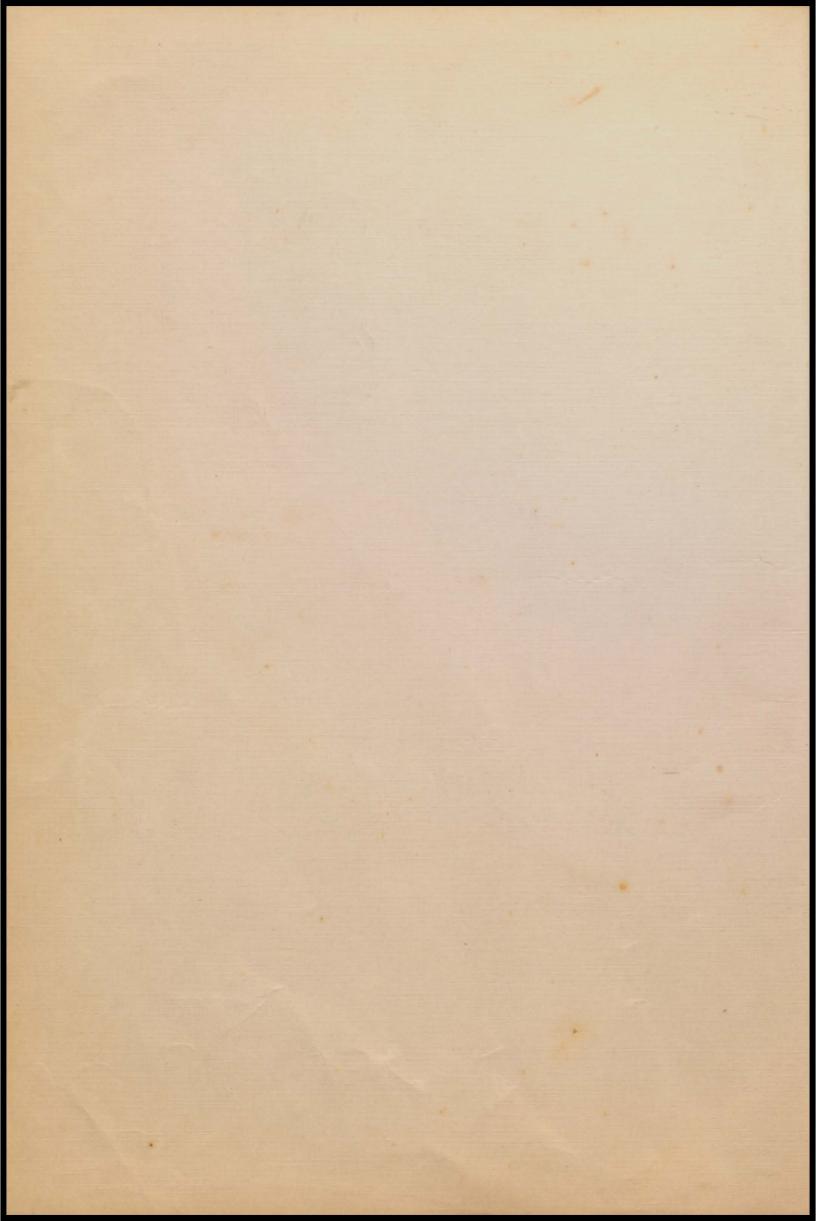
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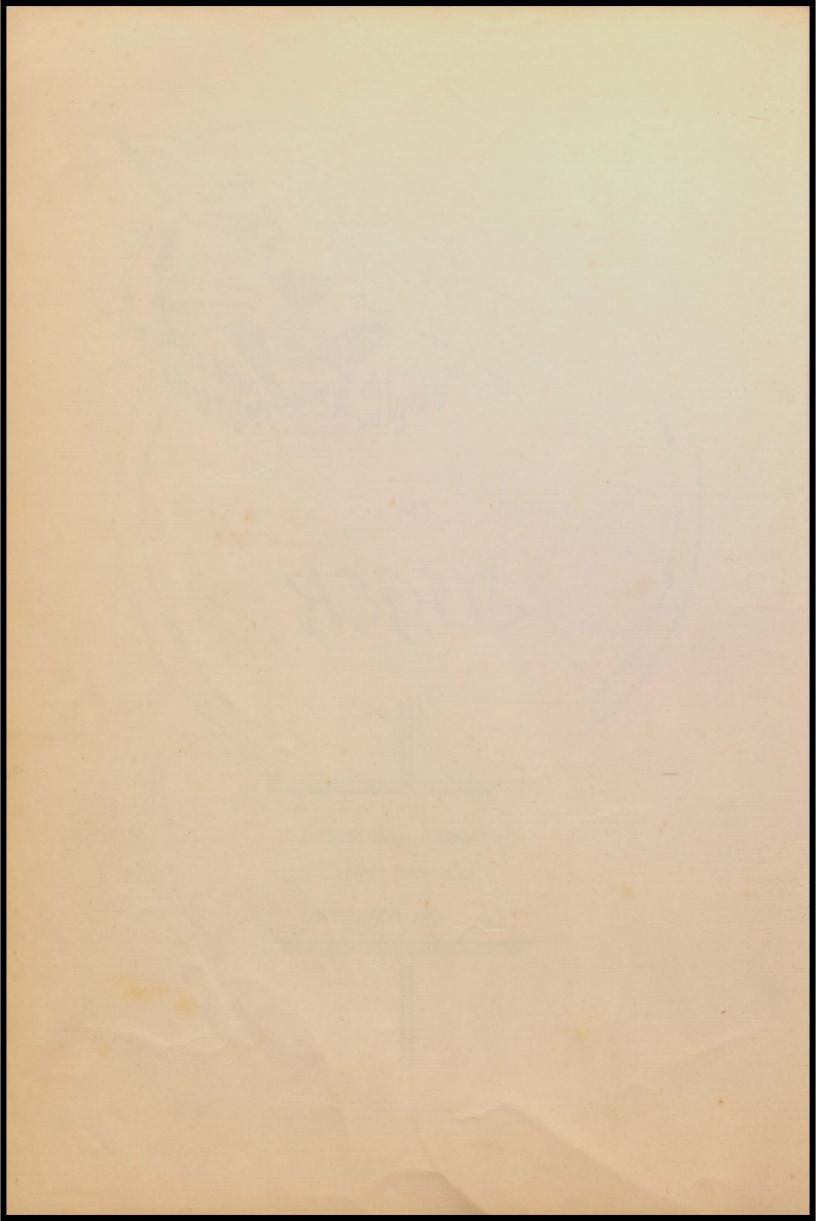
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TIDEHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

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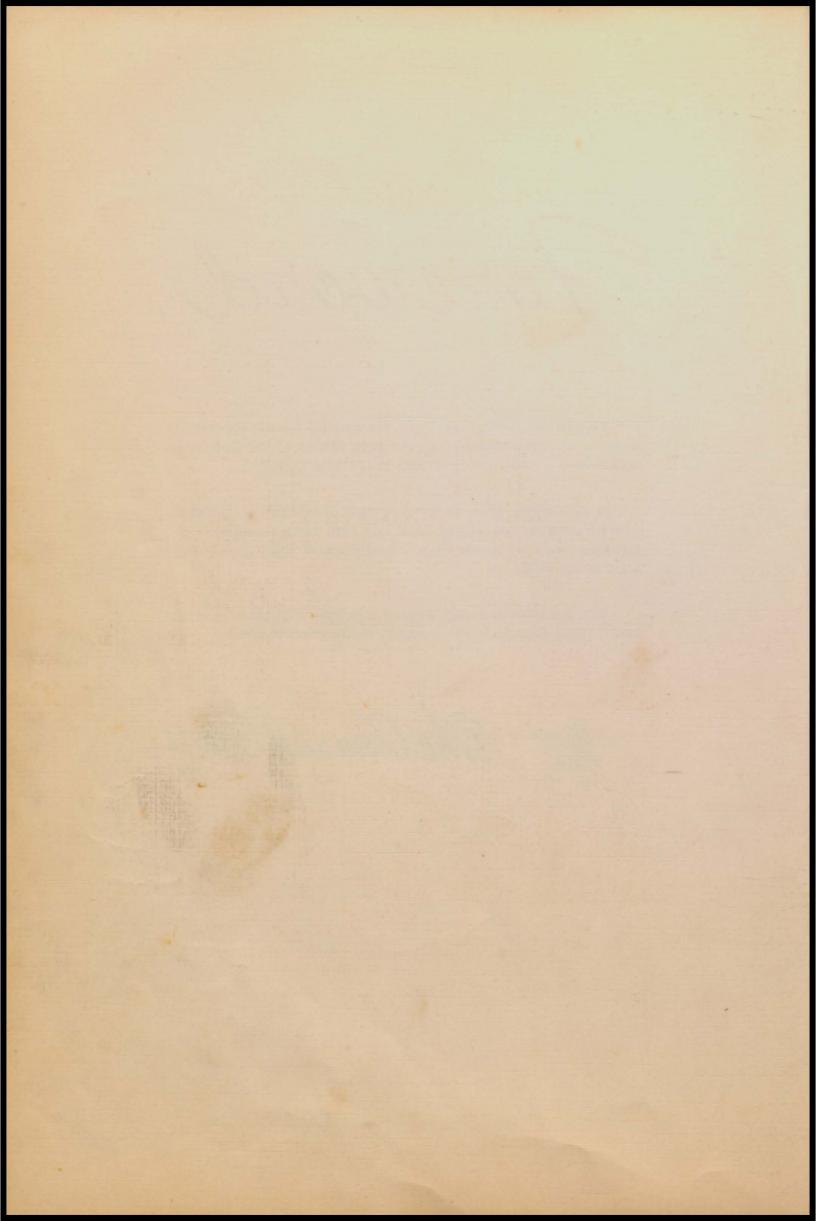
Foreword

We, the members of the Staff, are grateful for the opportunity given us to serve in producing the first edition of the Tidehaven High School Annual; the 1950 edition of "The Tiger".

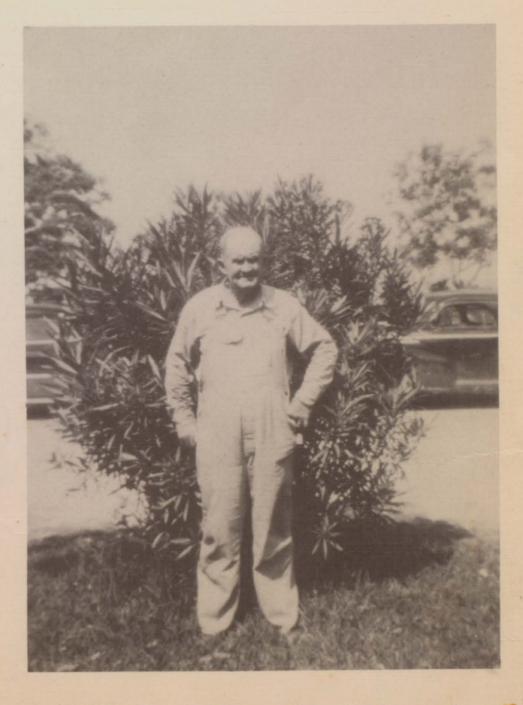
In the future, after we have entered upon life's noble work, may we take an occasional peek into this volume and have the pleasant memories of our High School Days at Tidehaven brought anew to our minds.

It is our wish that each page of this book will serve to stimulate a happy thought in your memory, in the years to come.

The Annual Staff

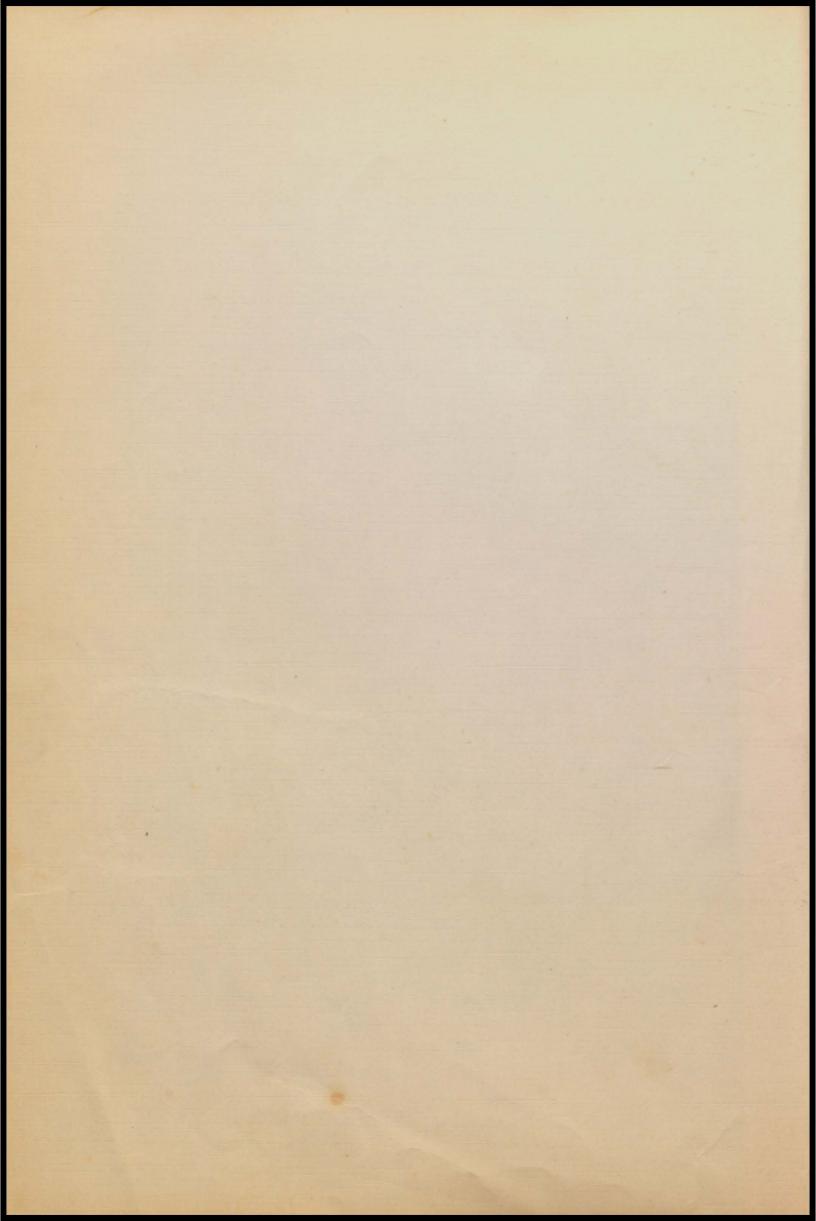


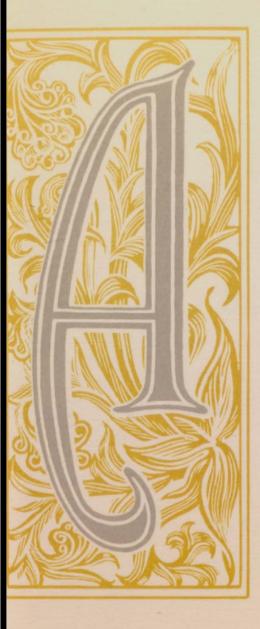
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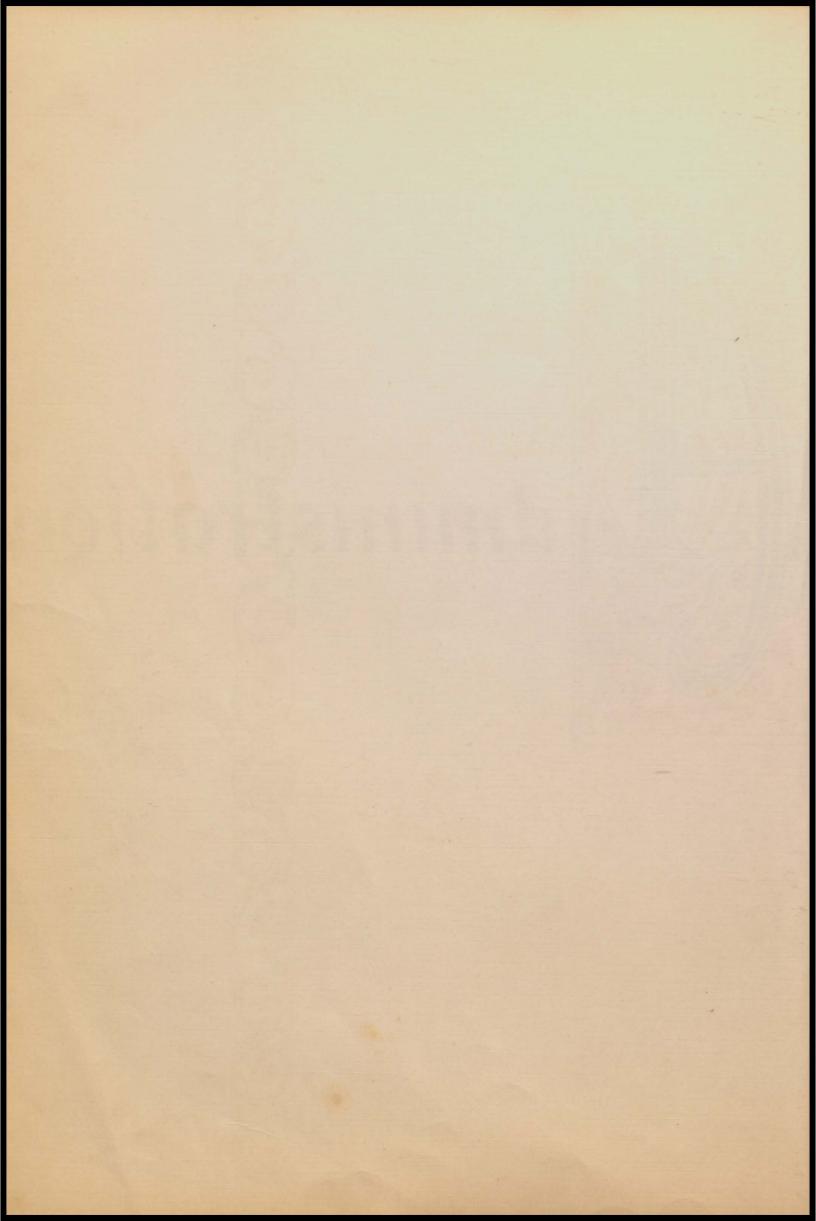
To Robert "Sawdust" Thomas, high school janitor and companion to all students, we respectfully dedicate this first 1950 Tiger, with the best wishes from all.

"THE TIGER STAFF"





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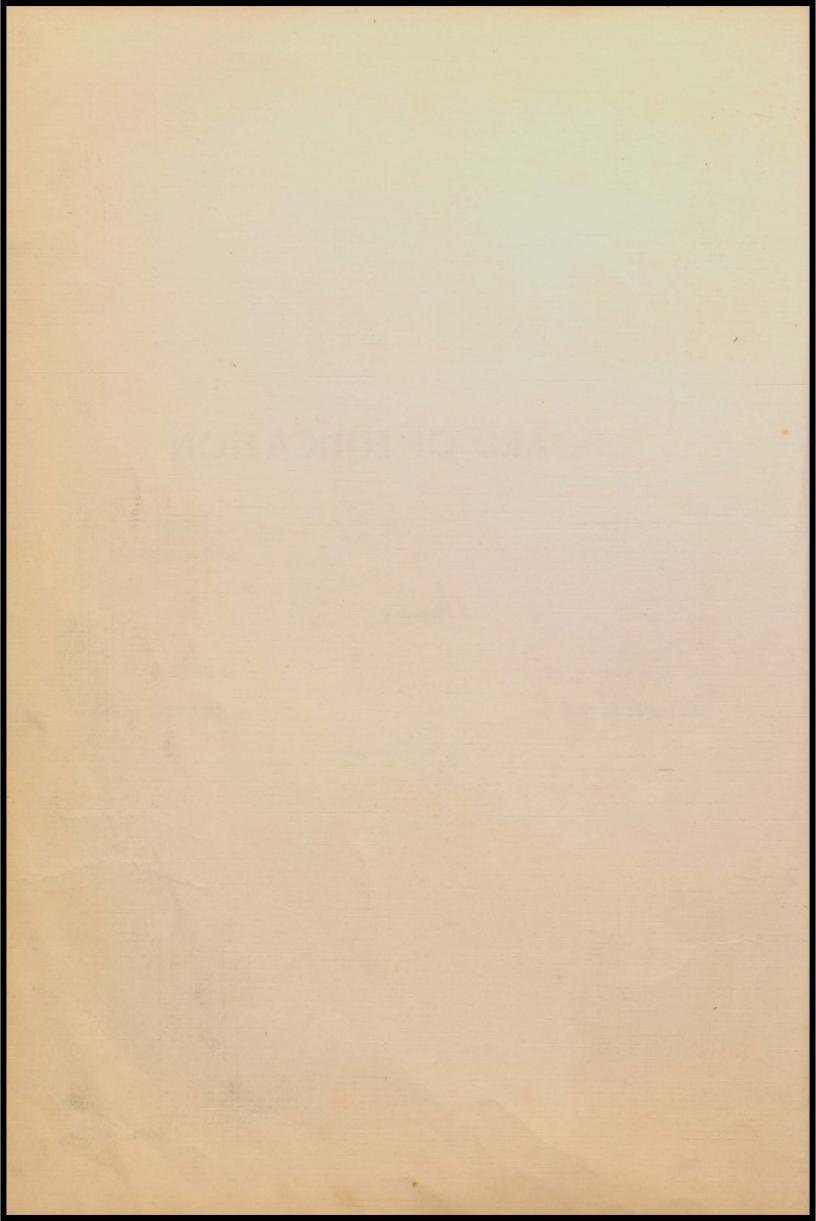
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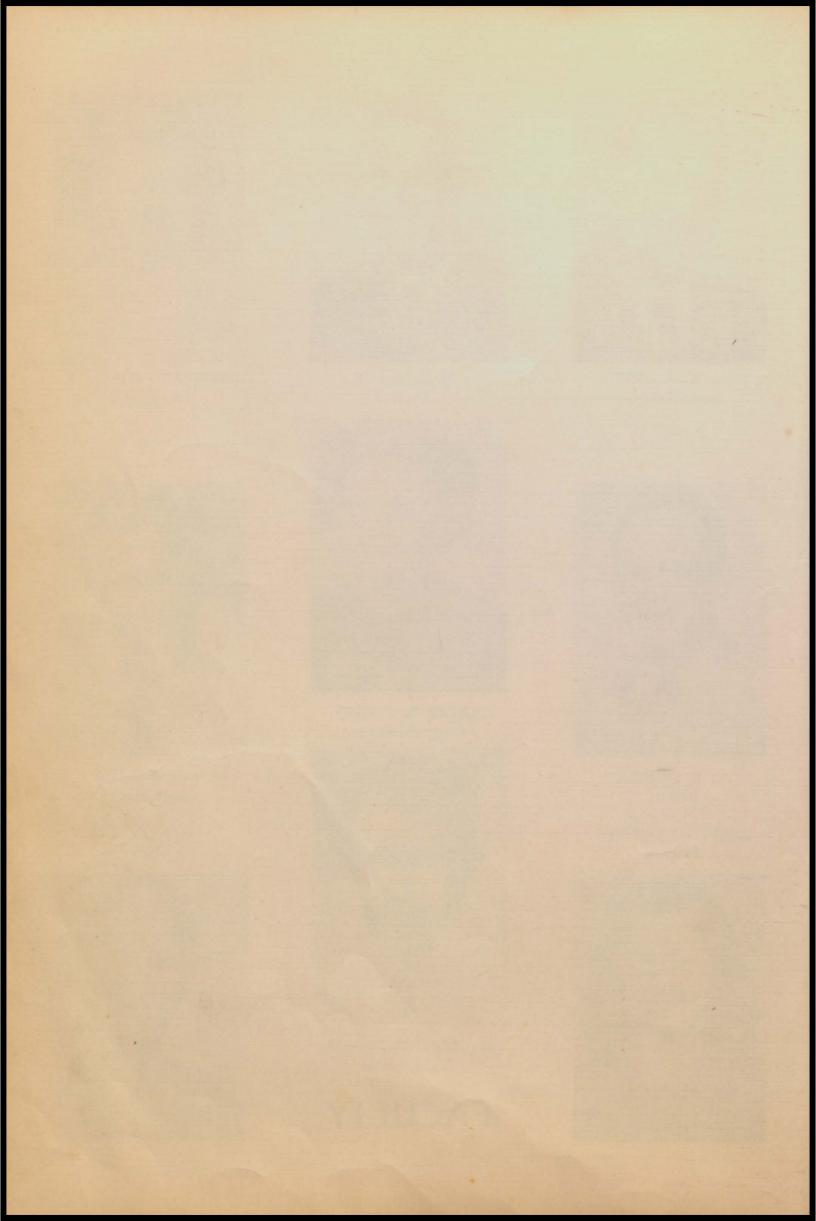
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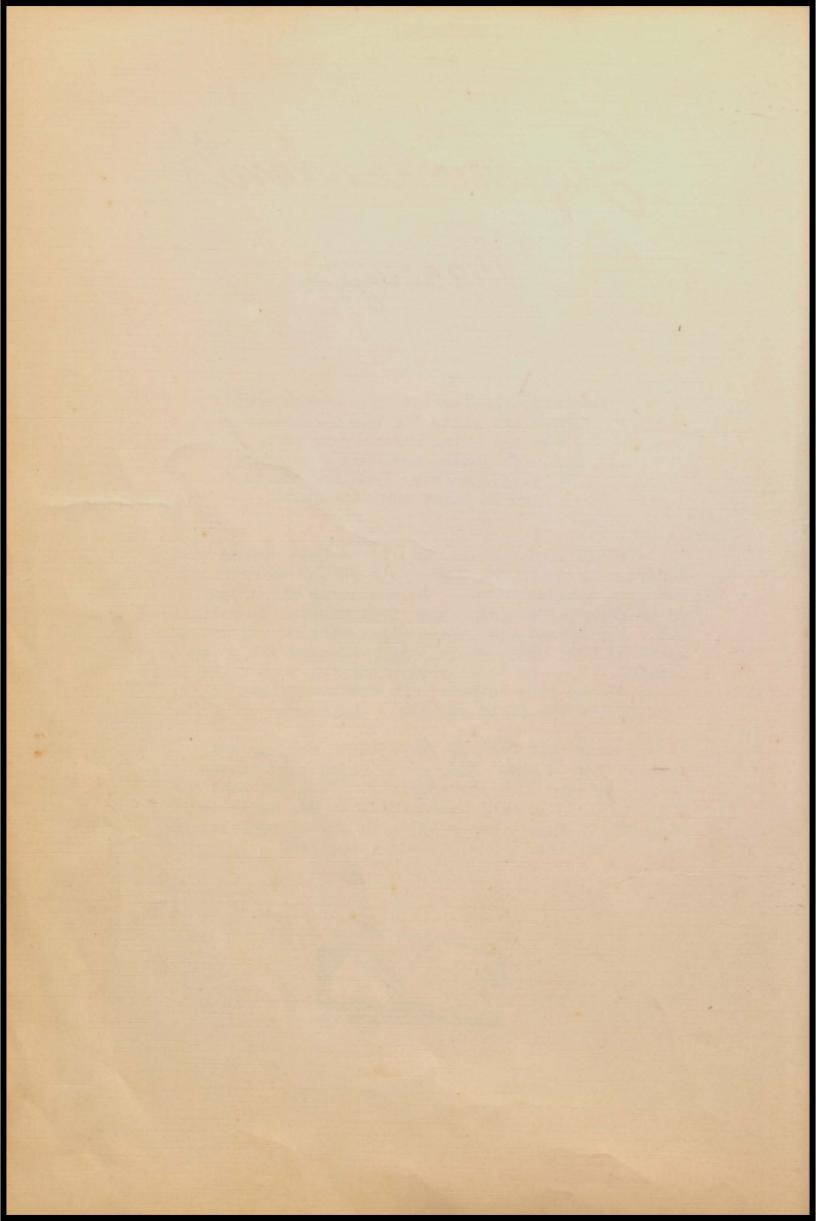
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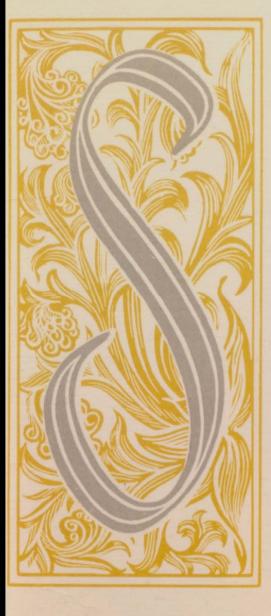
Stoddard, the American poet, once wrote: "There are gains for all our losses, There are balms for all our pain; But when youth, the dream, departs, It takes something from our hearts, And it never comes again."

It has always seemed sad to me that dreams should depart with youth, or that youth should be regarded but as a pleasant dream. He who loses his dreams as he grows older loses much that makes life delightful. Our dreams are an essential part of our development; we must dream great things when we are young and hopeful. Then as we achieve maturity, we can translate those dreams into action. The dream and then to do constitutes the field of life's endeavor.

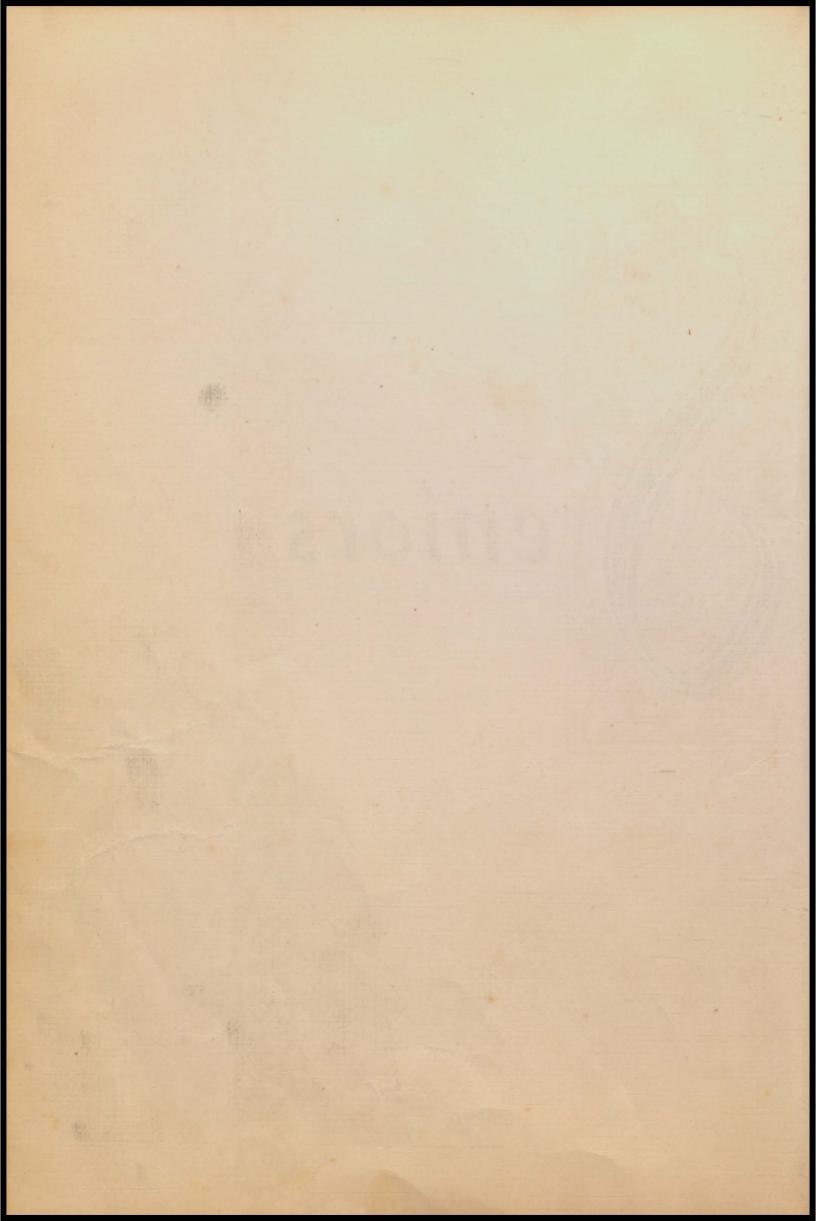
I hope that each of you will be able to hold fast to your dreams, and, with the passing of the years, to turn them into reality. Then the poet's feeling of "something beautiful that has vanished" will not be yours, but rather the joy of achievement and the satisfaction of ideals fulfilled.







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## HERBERT BUCHANAN

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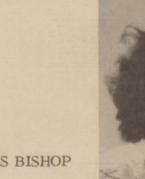


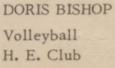
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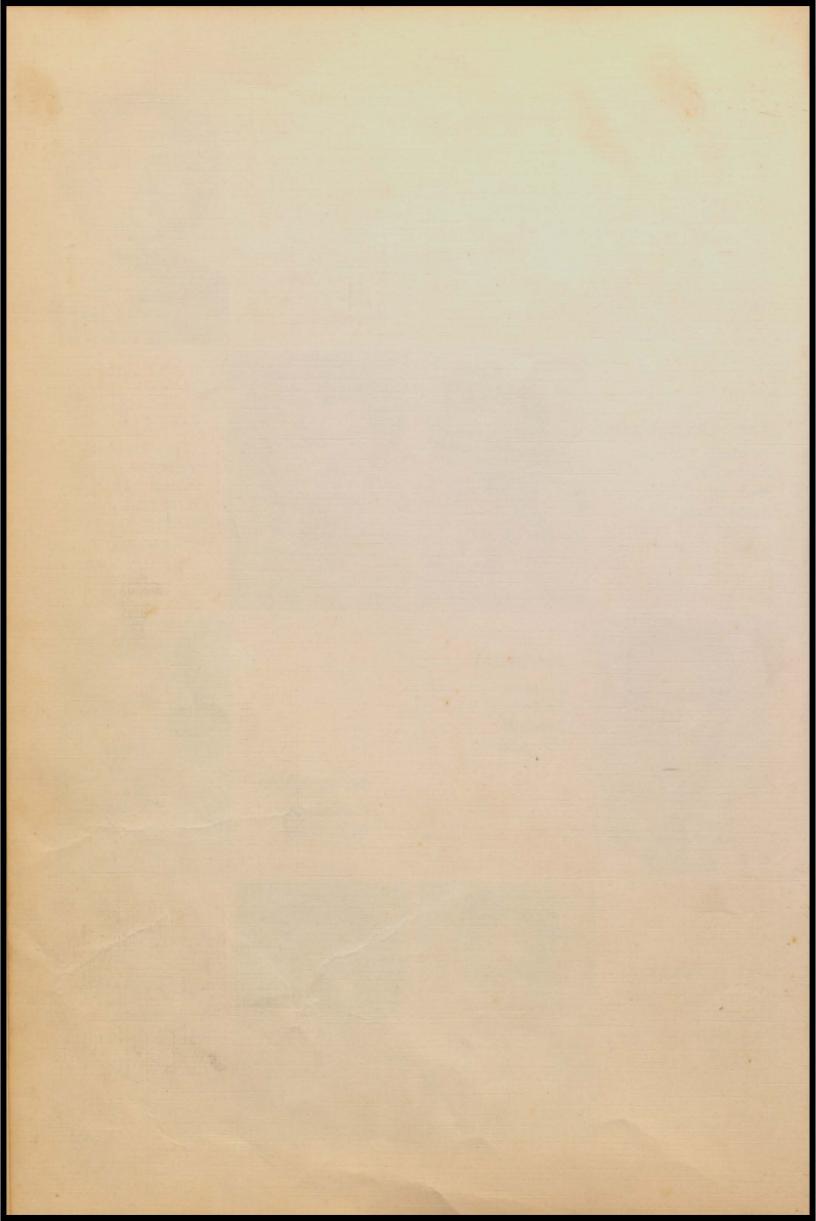
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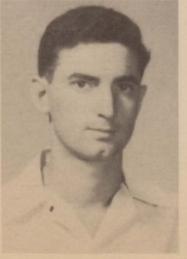
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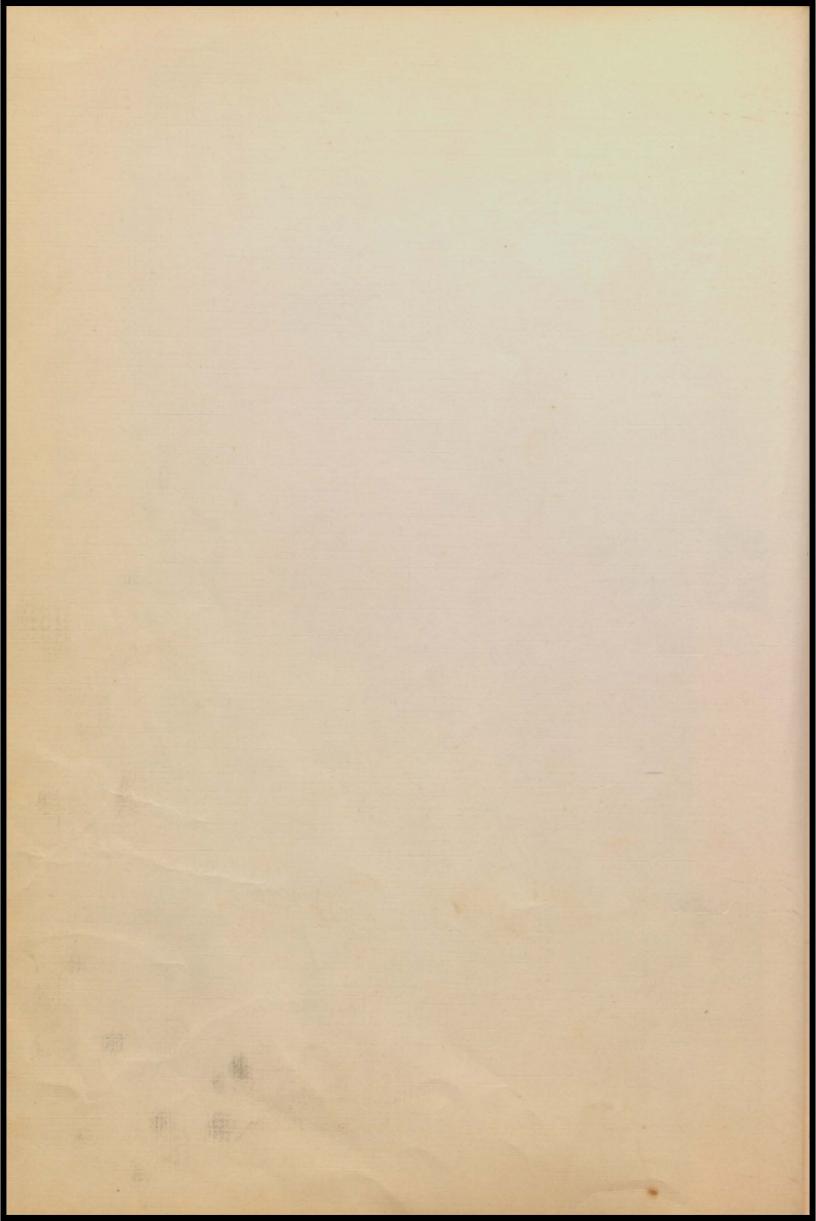


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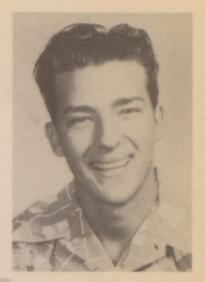




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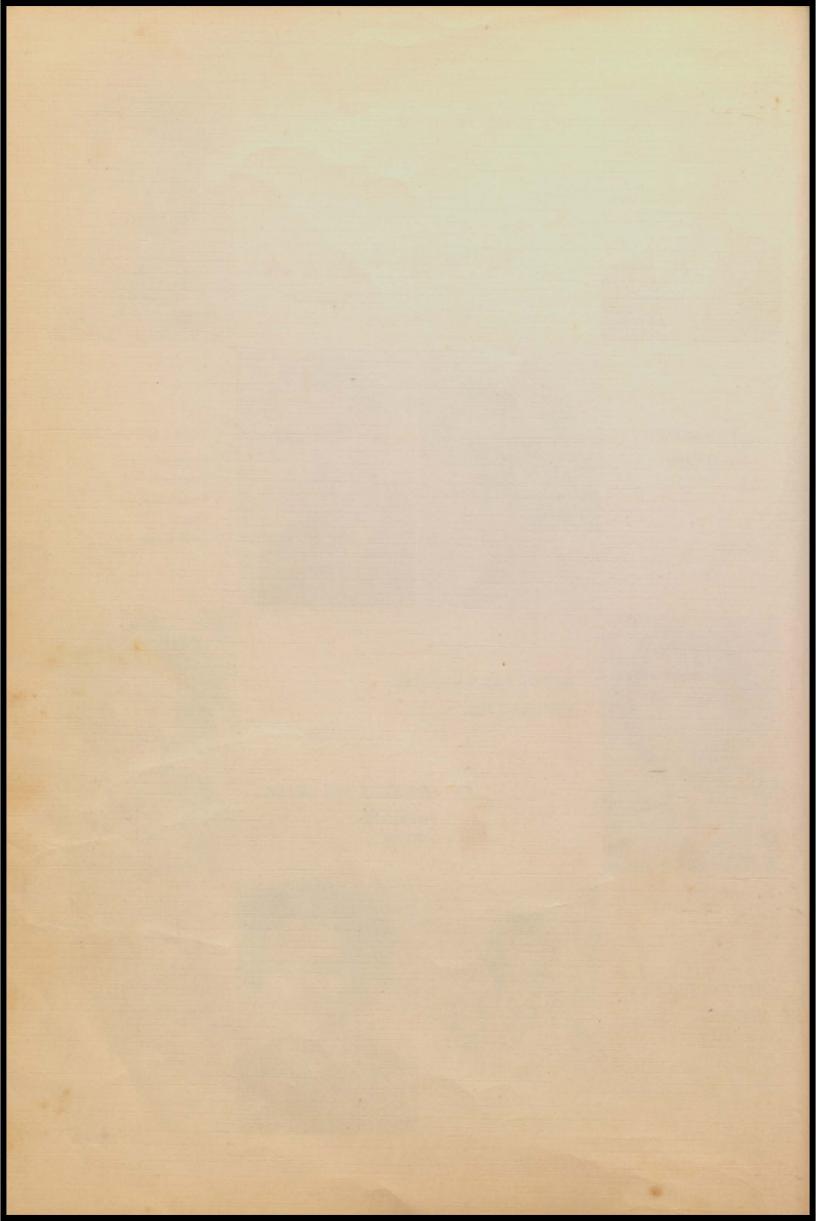


MARY OLLIE NEW Volleyball Softball





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## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Seniors of Tidehaven High School, although not of sound mind and not exactly sane, in this year of 1950, bequeath to some poor souls the following items----

I. Roger Andersen, bequeath to Mr. Nelson my cordial smile.

I, Doris Bishop, bequeath to Wilma Shindler my ability to happily get along with all people.

I, Bobby Black, bequeath to A. V. Bosak my ability to write good books and also my humor.

I, Herbert Buchanan, bequeath my thoughtfullness and ability to have girls chase me to Franklin Treumer.

I, Dottie Jo Cejka, bequeath my inability in Chemistry to Annie Hickl.

I, Billie Cornman, bequeath my ability to pull practical jokes on the teachers and get away with it to Bernice Gaas.

I, Ellen Crocker, bequeath my ability to be Drum Major to Mary Alice Herman.

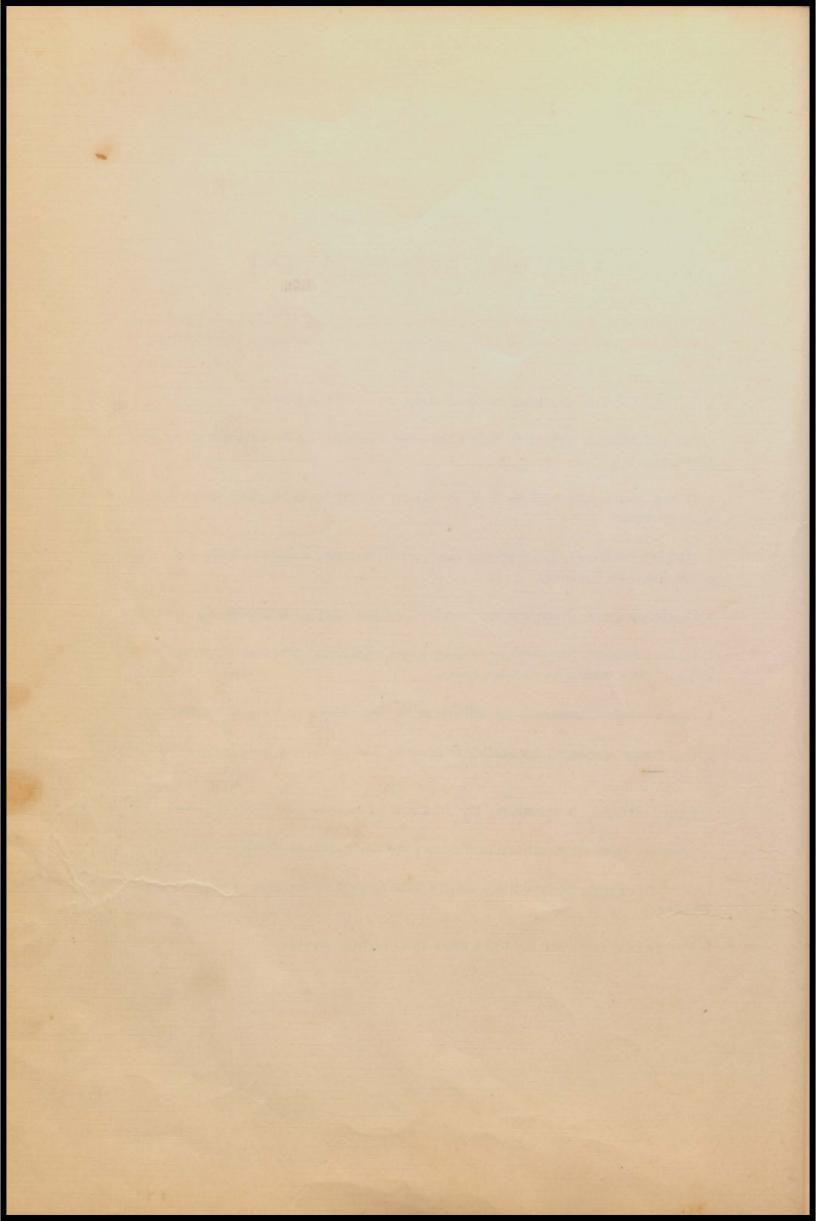
I, Dan Duffy, bequeath my ability to prop my feet up on the wall in English Class to Archie.

I, Rose Fabrygal, bequeath my curly hair and tired ways to Joan Whiddon.

I, Loretta Gaas, bequeath my ability to play volleyball to Betty Stribling.

I, Tom Lee Jager, bequeath my ability to have a great interest in girls to J. D. Tomasek.

I, Fay James, bequeath my jolly ways to Lucille Gonzales.



## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT (CONT'D)

I, Betty Zane Krenek, bequeath my ability to get along with the teachers and high school girls to Bernice Genzer.

I, Dorothy Matura, bequeath my studious attitude to Fred Day.

I, Elizabeth Ferne Morton, bequeath my chatterbox ways to Janette Lawhon.

I, Ben Murphree, bequeath my slim figure to Lanita Buffaloe.

I, Mary Olive New, bequeath my pitching ability to Kay McShan.

I, J. B. Nicholson, bequeath my ability to get along with Mr. Black to Roy Smith.

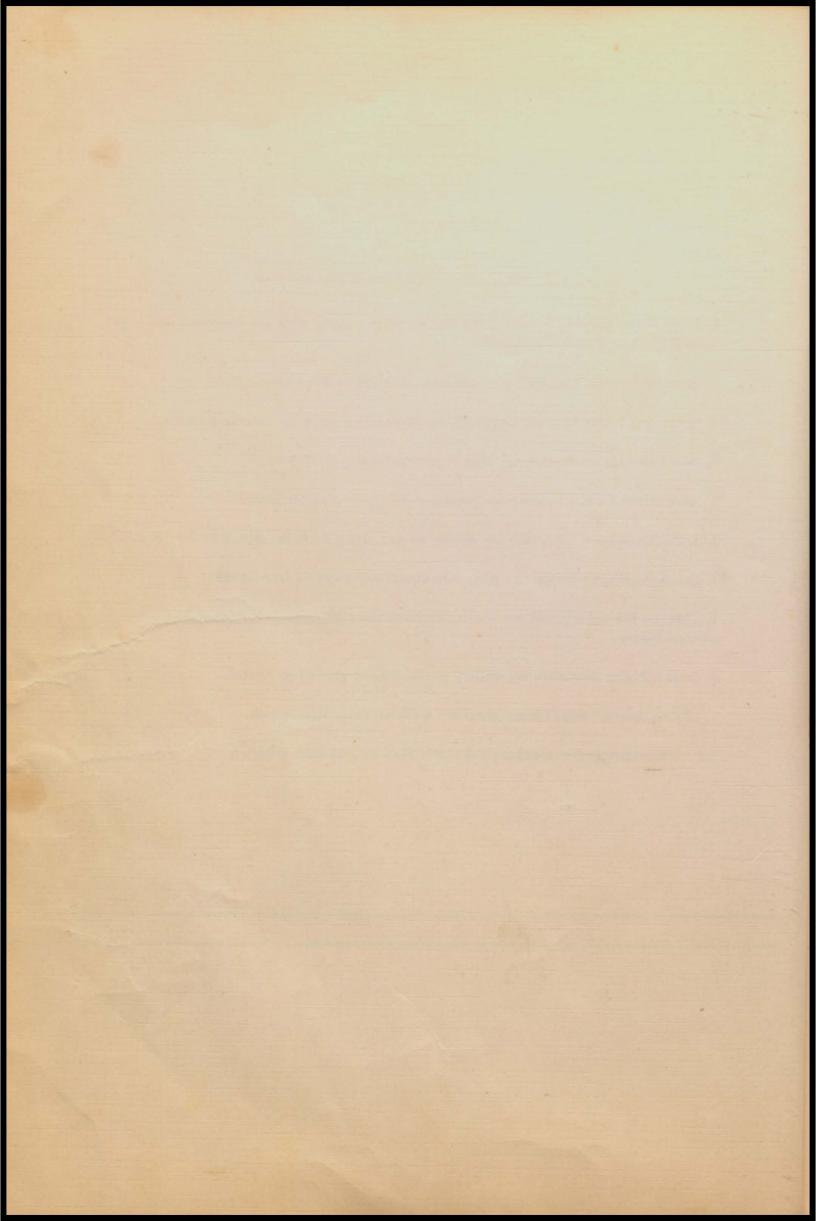
I, Erling Smith, bequeath my quiet and courteous ways to Leo Orsak.

I, Charles Warn, bequeath my ability to know the right girls when I see them, to Simeon Bauer.

I, James Fella, bequeath my ability to make good grades to Myrtle.

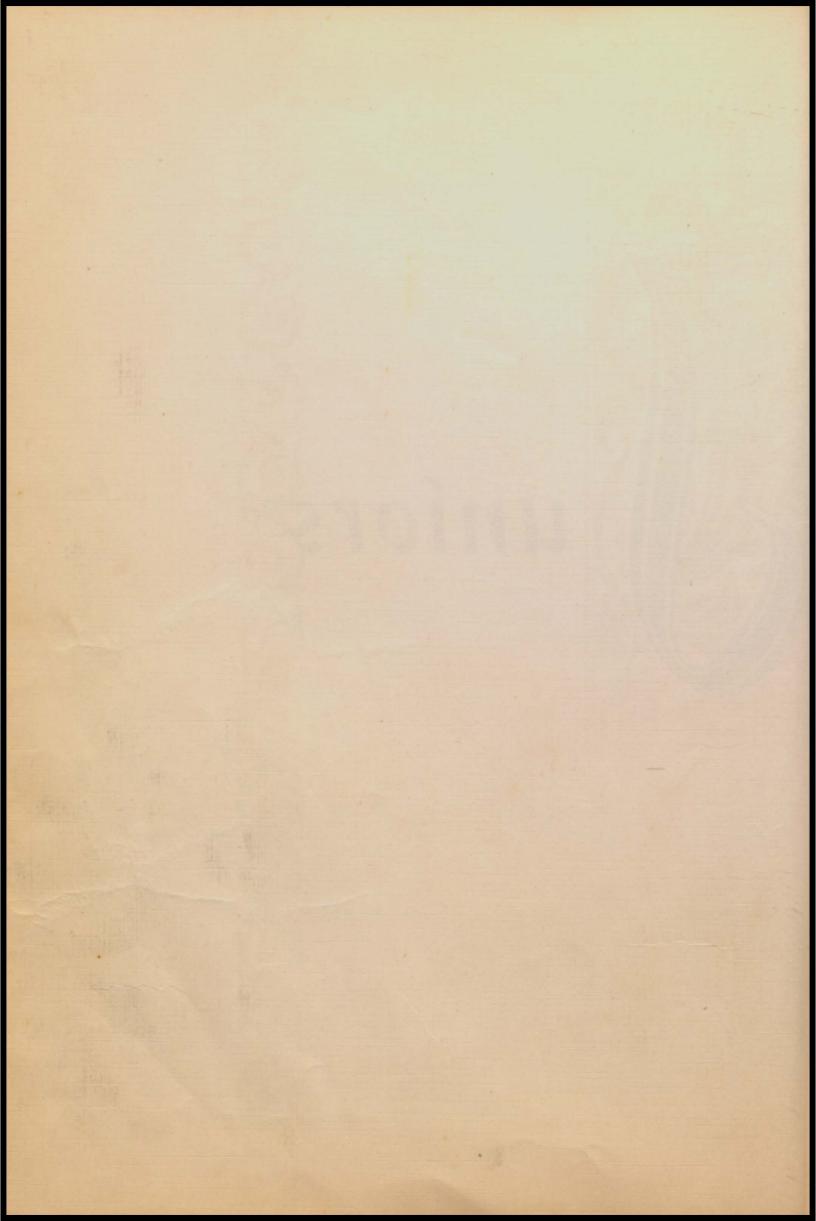
I, Elaine Spoor, bequeath my gracious walk to Vona Mae Harter.

We all together leave nothing to the rest that we can take with us.





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LANITA BUFFALOE

A. V. BOSAK



FRED DAY

BERNICE GAAS



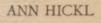


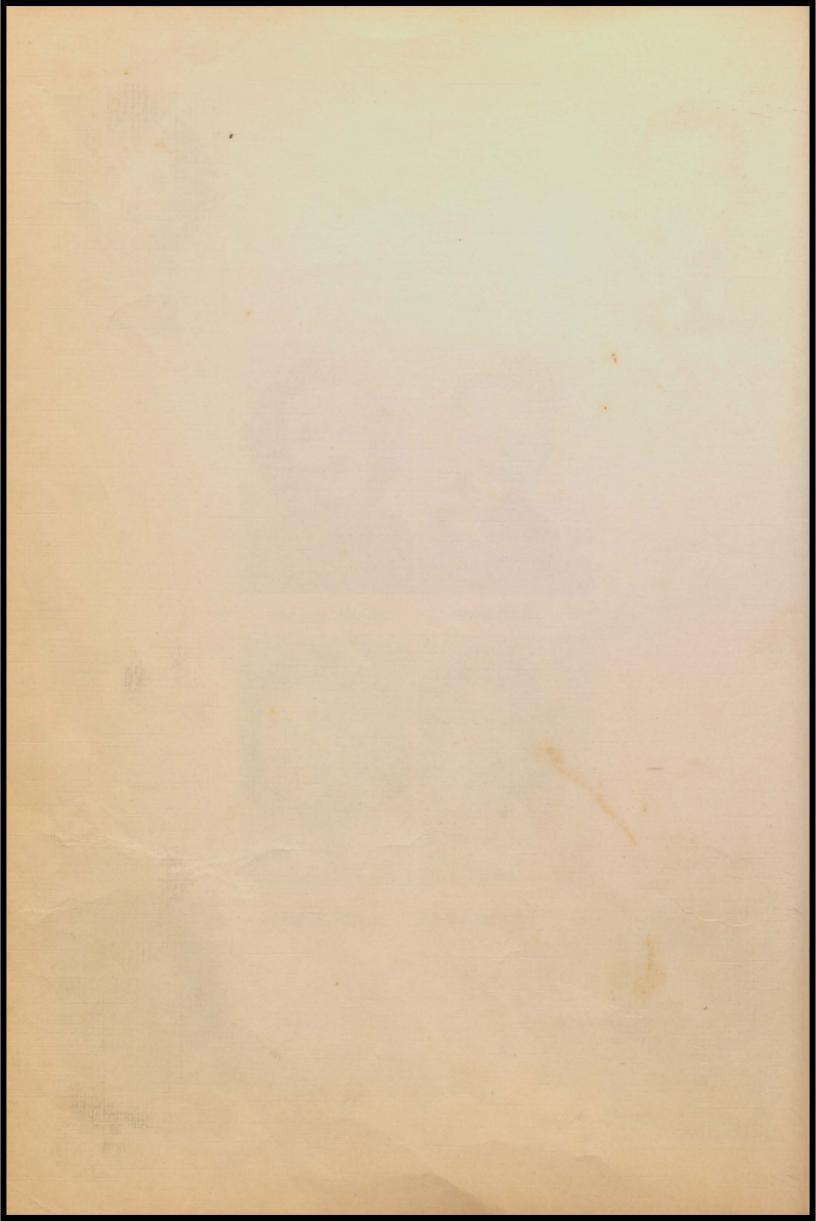
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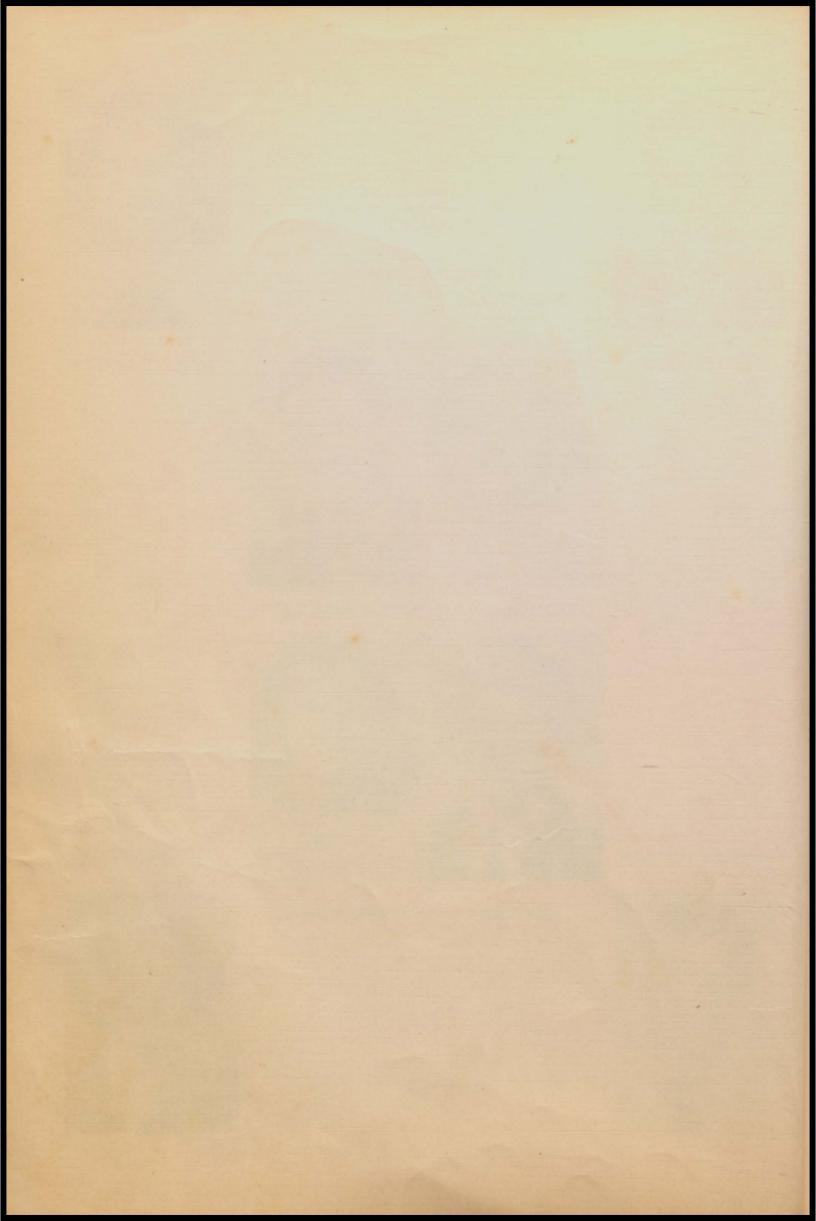
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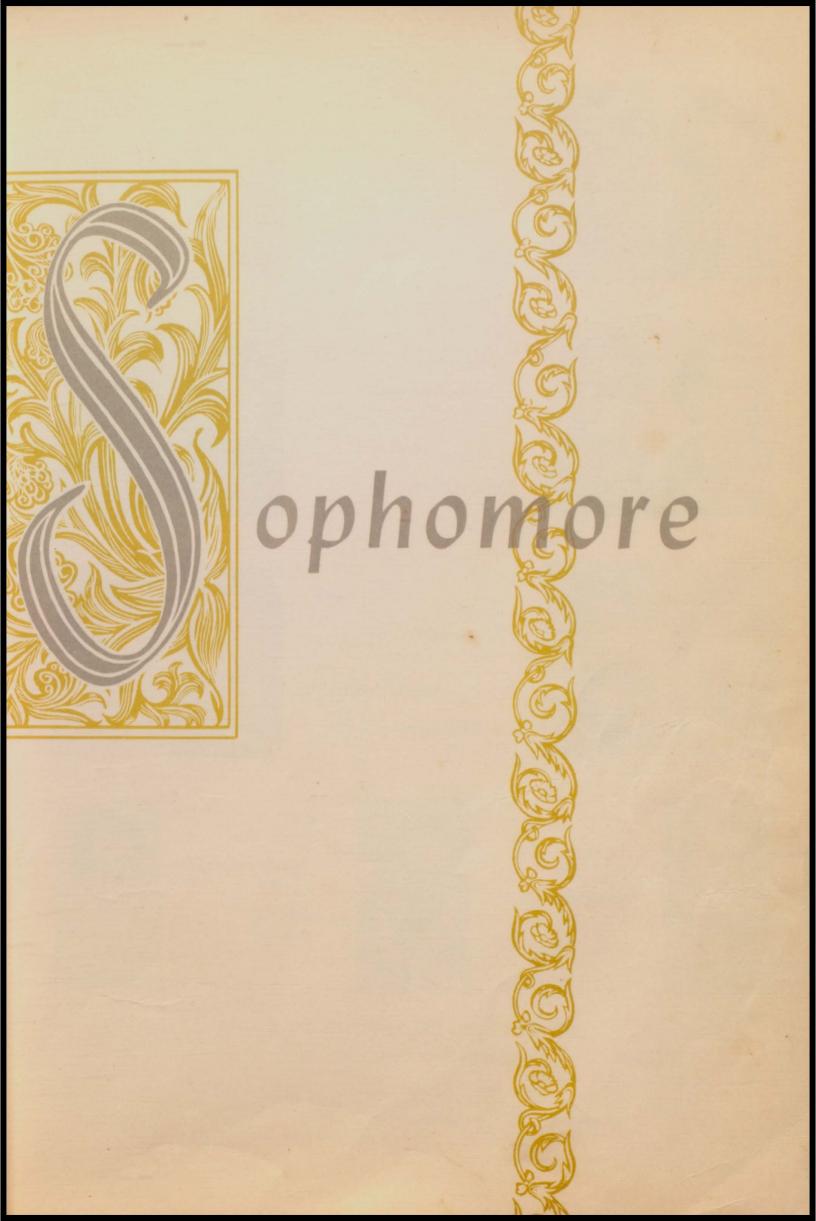


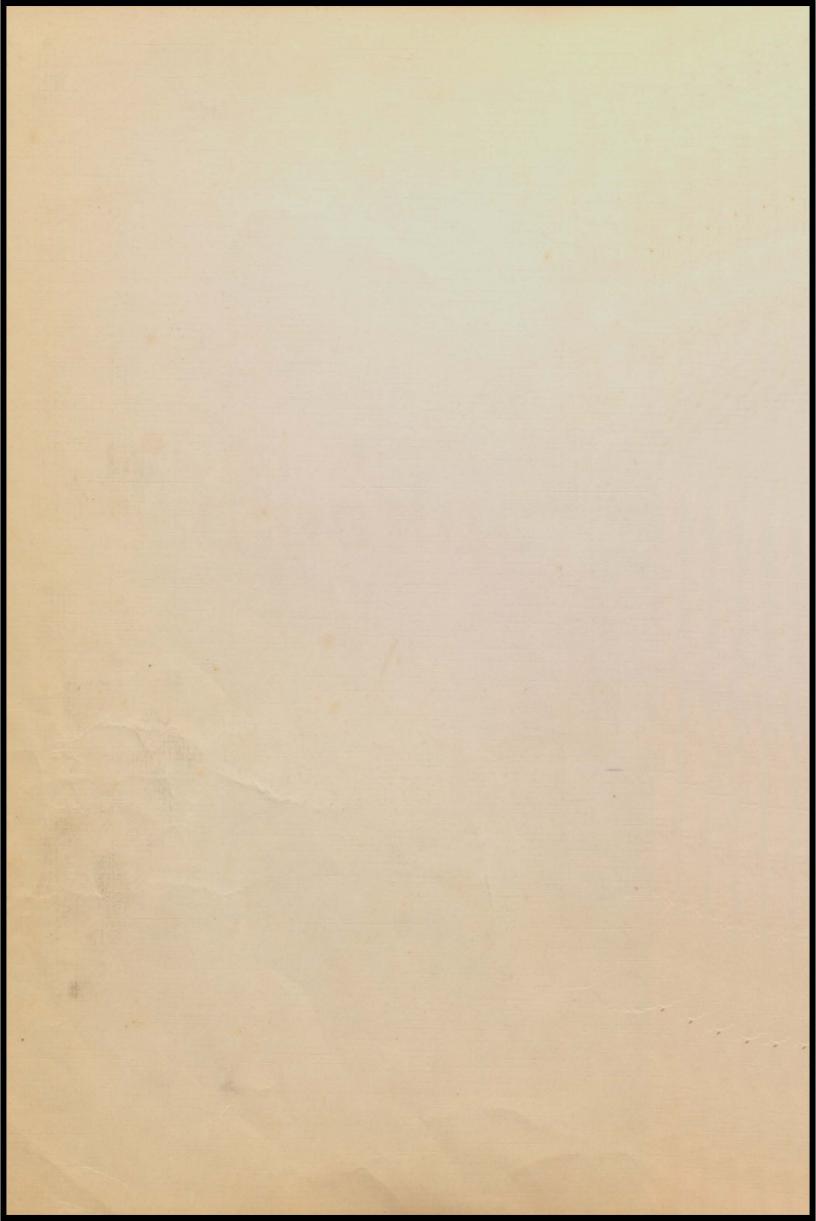


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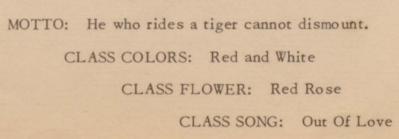


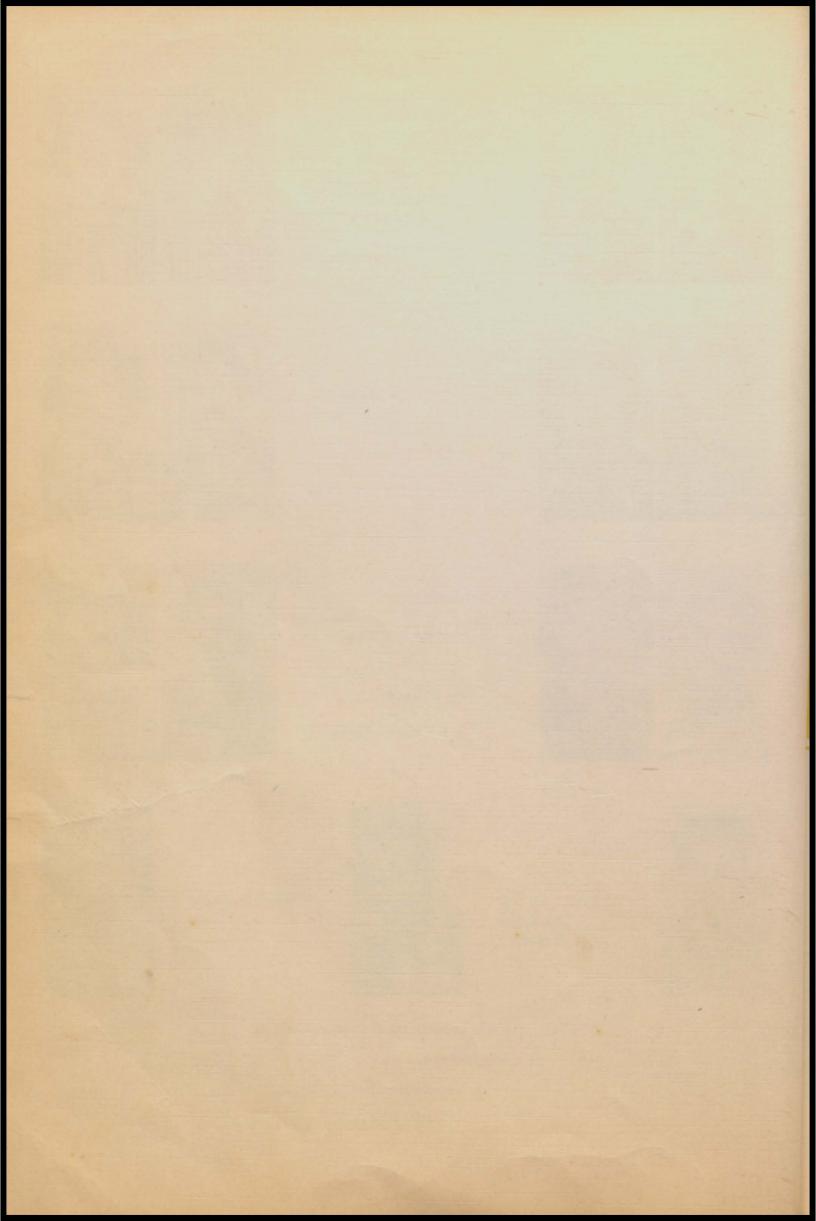
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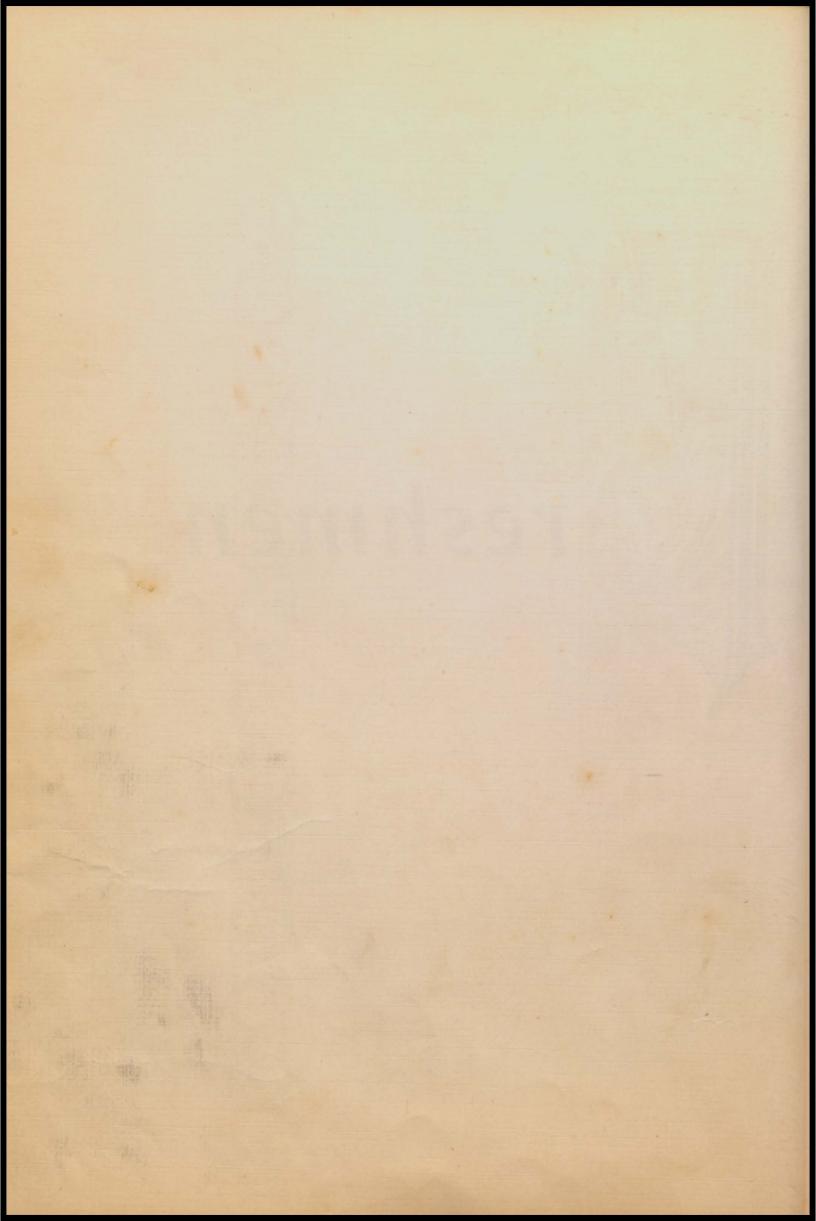
Mabel DeReese







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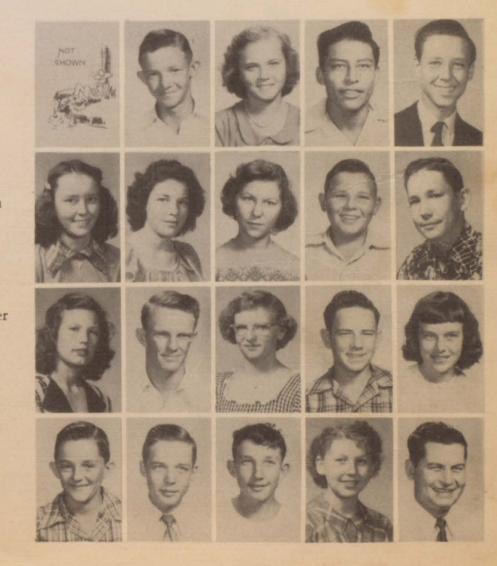
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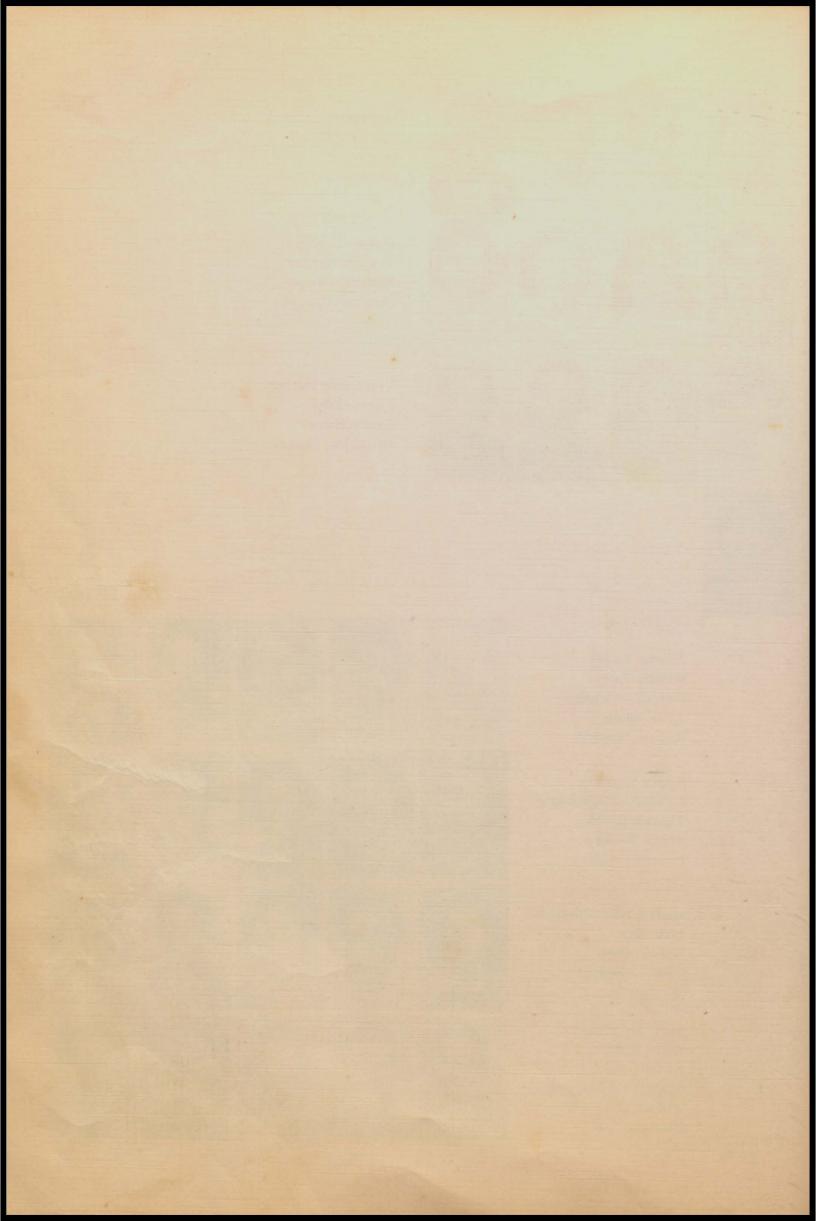
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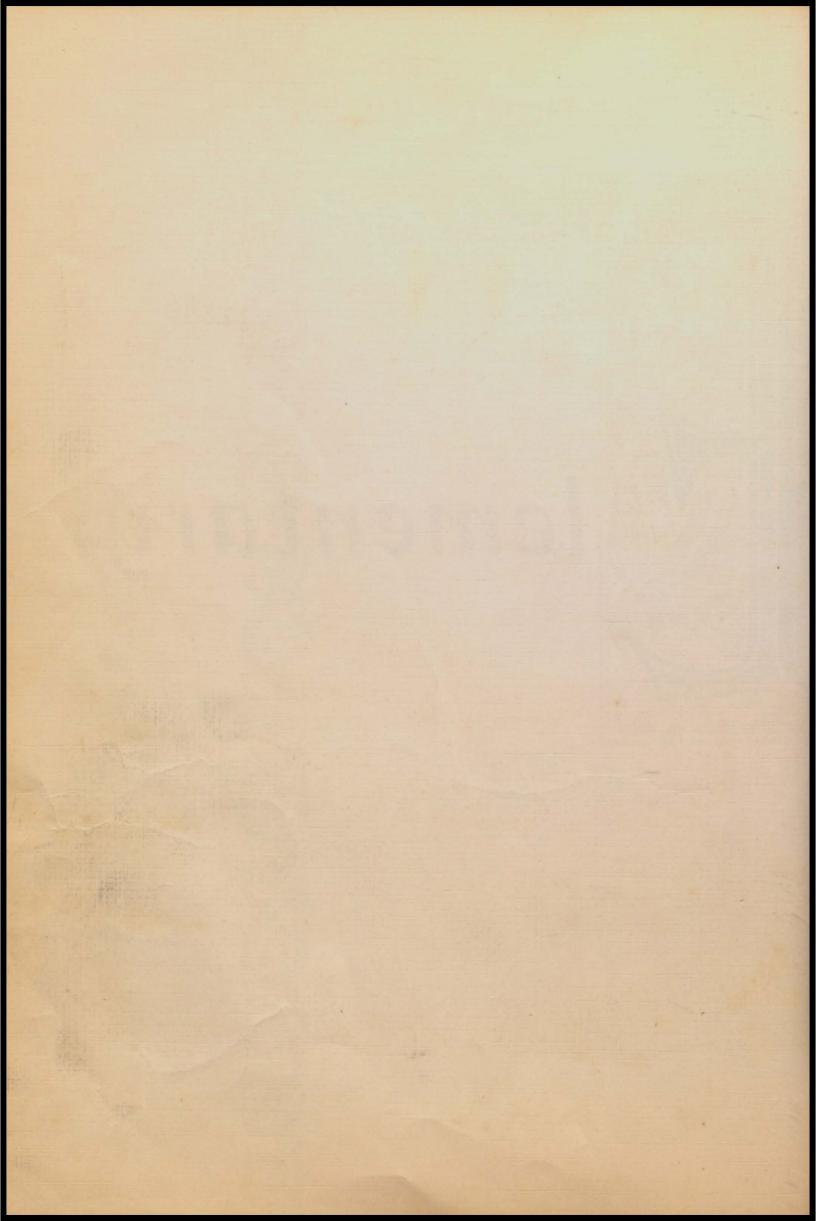






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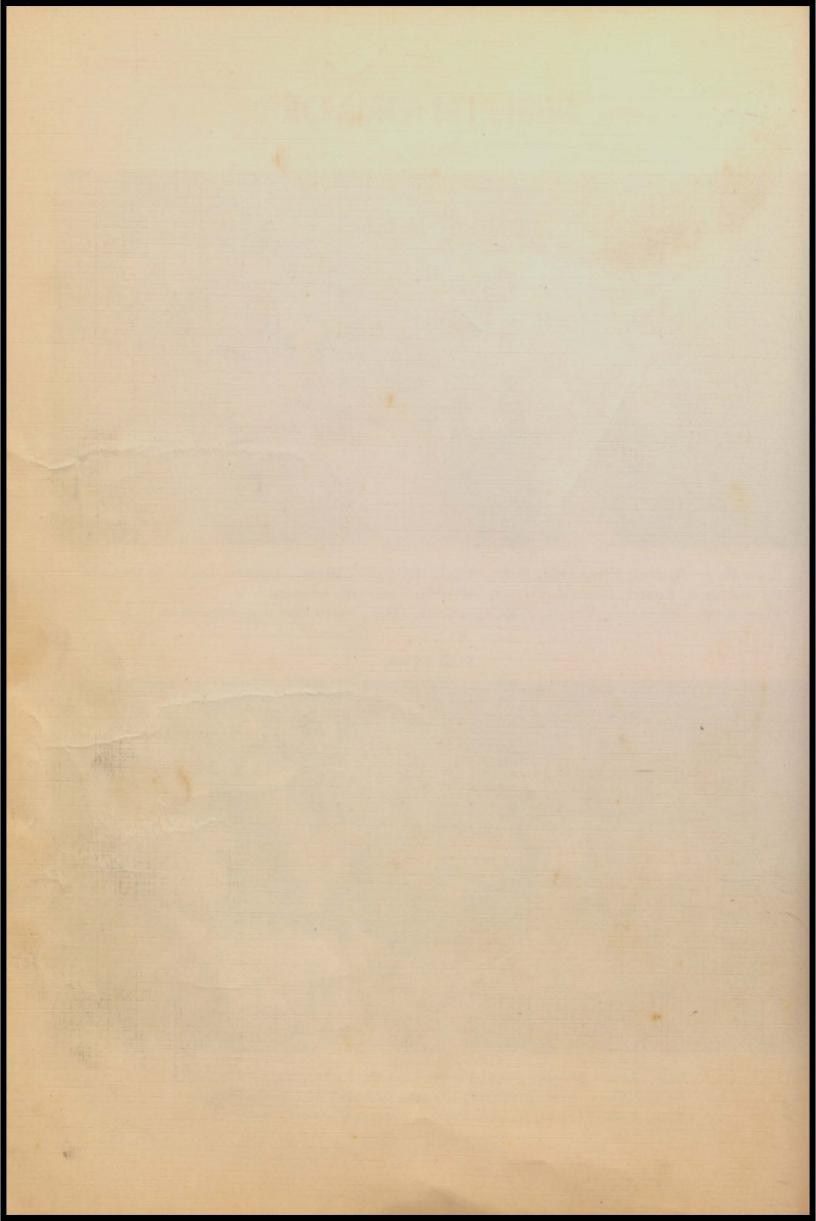


Front Row: Nygard, Fitzgerald, Hahn, Hickl, McDonald, Brown, Jalufka, Hickl, McDaniel. Second Row: Foster, Darnell, Fostor, Strnadel, Vaclavik, Fromen. Third Row: McKissick, Vacek, Saha, Gonzales, Sliva, Smith, Swinky, Nohavitza.

### MARKHAM



Front Row: Cessor, Moss, Frick, Schurtz, Keller, Warneke, Conkle. Second Row: New, Buffaloe, Krenek, Winters, Anderson, Hoffman. Third Row: Hester, Snider, Harton, Treumer.



### SEVENTH GRADE

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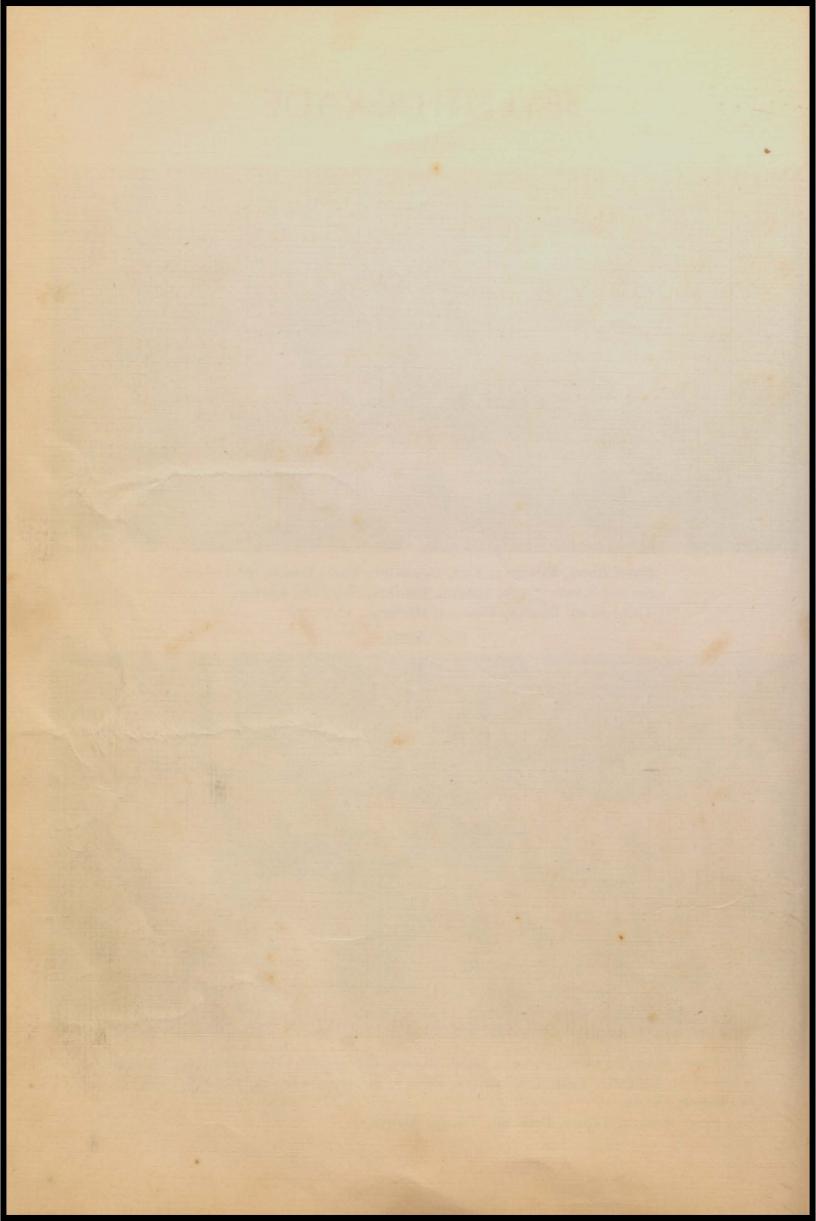
Front Row: Williams, Kee, Bohuslav, York, Loose, Andersen. Second Row: Black, Sparks, Watkins, Shindler, Katzer. Third Row: Sparks, Watkins, Medina.

BLESSING



Front Row: Saha, Zapalac, Powell, Smith, Bauer, Fitzgerald, Sliva, Zapalac, Fabrygel. Second Row: Dannels, Skutca, Gonzales, Pierce, Swinky, Tomasek, Kopecky, Meriwether, Svadlenak, Green.

Third Row: Adams, James, Driscoll, James, Alaniz.



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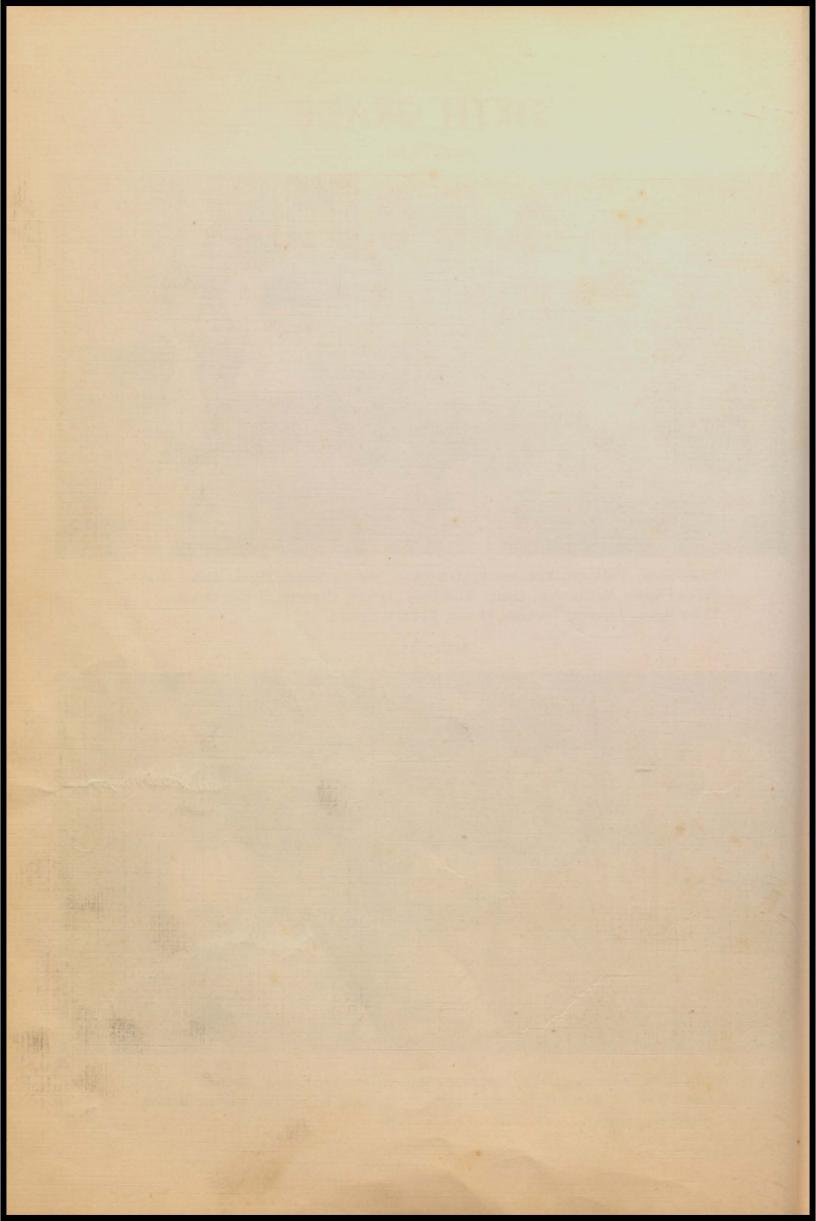


Front Row: Balusek, McKissick, Ackerman, Morris, Smith, Jager, Hickl, Hlozek. Second Row: McKissick, Hurta, Rickaway, Orsak, Hlavety, Hickl, Orsak. Third Row: Jalufka, Trenino, Orsak, Robles, Sikala.

### MARKHAM



Front Row: Katzer, Pratka, Murphree, Snider, Losoya, Boone, Zarate. Second Row: Pentecost, Losoya, Haswell, Hansen, Robertson, Lister, Hebert, Farthing, Sparks.



### FIFTH GRADE

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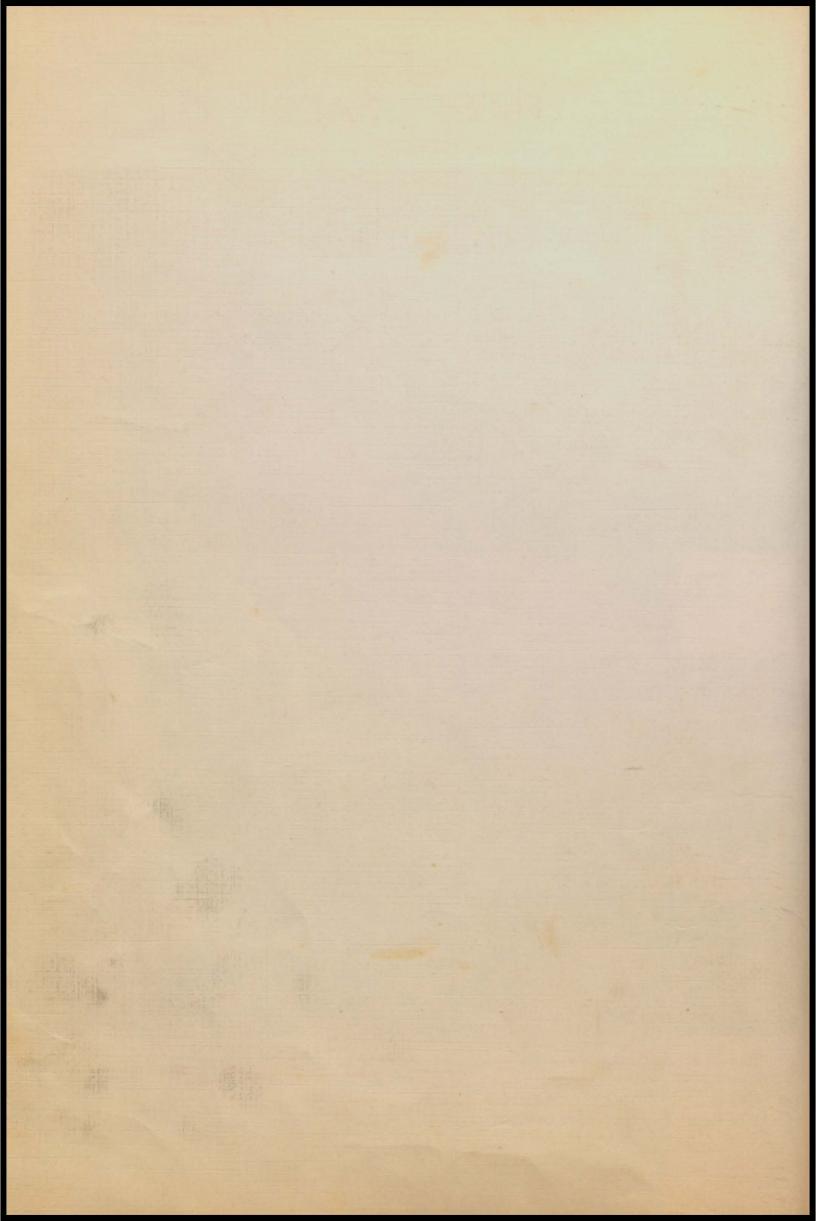
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BLESSING



Front Row: Henkes, Fitzgerald, Lezak, McKissick, Rollins, Newman, McDonald. Second Row: Williams, Pierce, Green, Greathouse, Kopnicky, Saha, McKissick, McIntosh, Sliva.

Third Row: Henyan, Greathouse, Neuman, Dannels.



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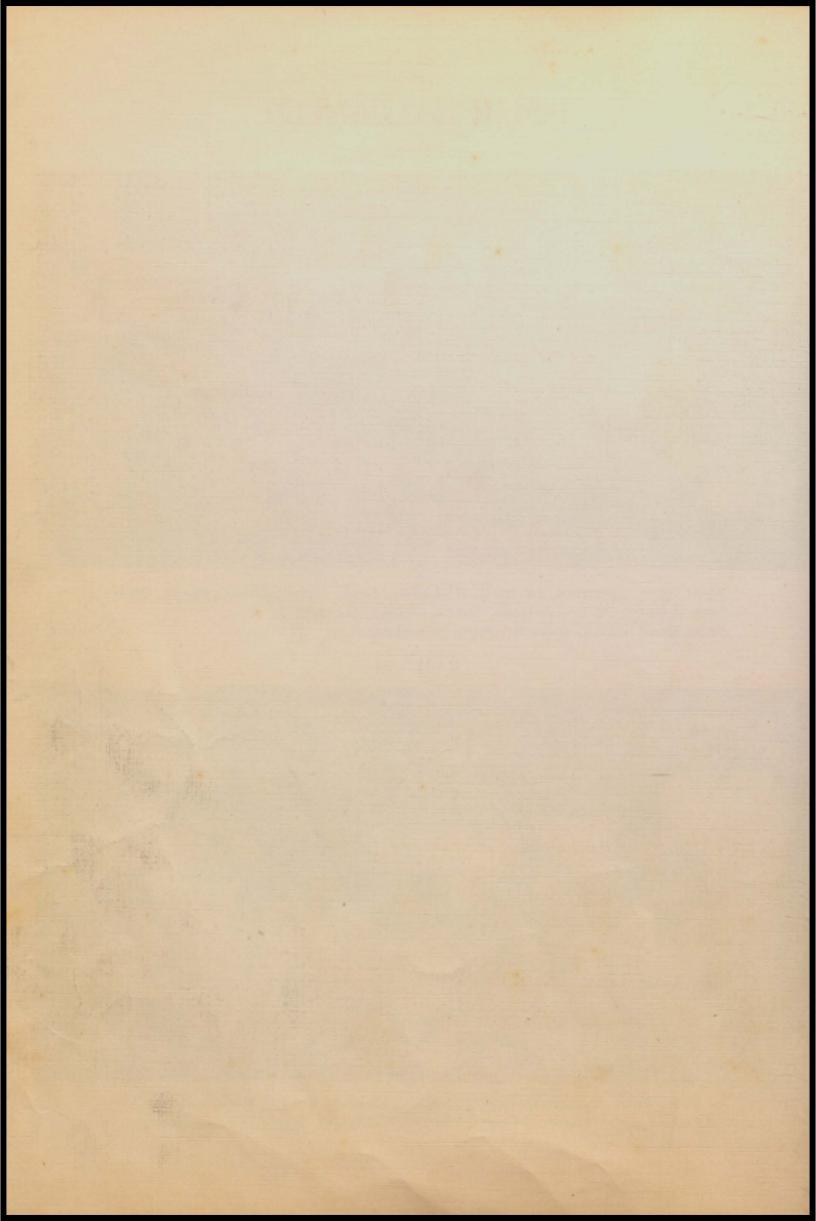


Front Row: Epperson, Driscoll, Rickaway, Heck, Havel, Chiles, Hickl, Butler. Second Row: Butler, Rollens, Bates, Swinky, Strnadel. Third Row: Orsak, Godwin, Hurta, Schoelman.

### MARKHAM



Front Row: Zarate, Quinney, Castillo, Losoya, Zarate, Ford, Zarate. Second Row: Carter, Winters, Hickey, Villarreal, Rush, Moreno, Moreno.



### THIRD GRADE

MARKHAM



Front Row: Hermansen, Snider, Pratka, Warn, Guynes, Svetlik, Shimek, White, Cowger, Lister, Hoffman. Second Row: Roecker, Schurtz, Michaelsen, Warneke, Bledsoe, Elliot, Canant, Loose,

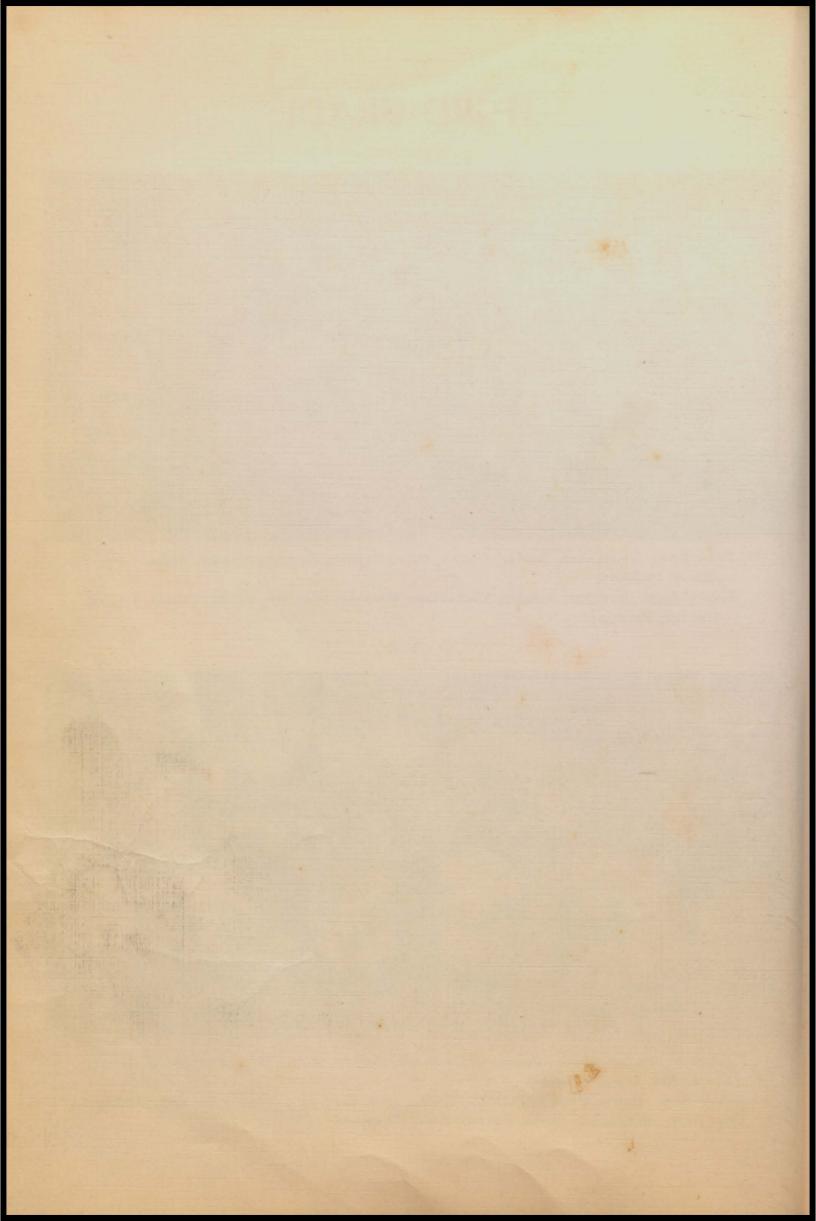
Guynes, Farthing.

BLESSING



Front Row: Magee, Green, Fabrygel, Dempsey, Nelsen, Richardson, Wheeler, DeReese, Meriwether, Bieri, Balusek.

Second Row: Hahn, Almonzor, Hickl, Wise, Roach, Kopnicky, Roach, Zapalac, Rickaway. Third Row: McKissick, Smith, Powell, Saha, Robbins.



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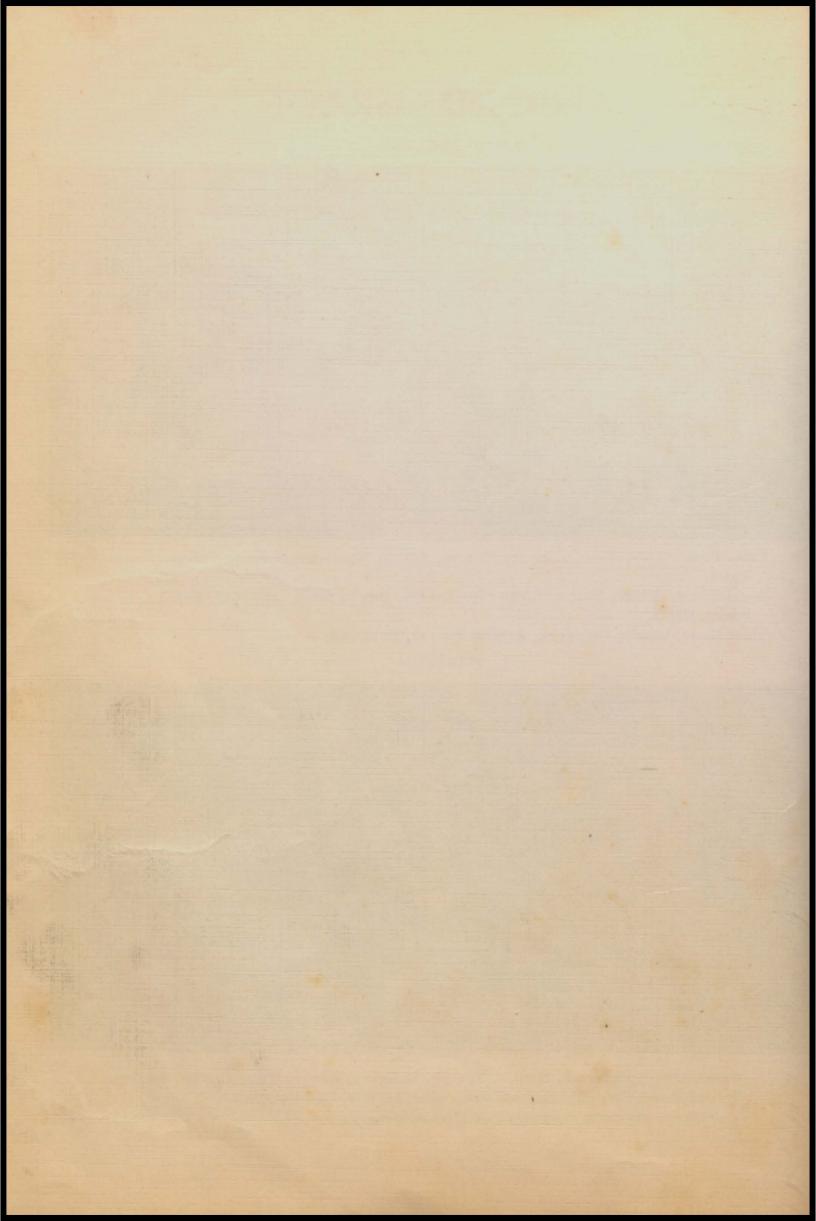


- Front Row: Sliva, Tupa, Kopecky, Lucas, Butler, Kopnicky, Skutca, Swinky, Jensen, White.
- Second Row: White, Butler, Rickaway, Jensen, Junek, Saha, Kopnicky, Fondon, Greathouse, Hickl.
- Third Row: Morris, Ondracek, Alaniz, Harper, McIntosh, Johs.

MARKHAM



Front Row: McKissick, Morrow, Svetlik, McIntyre, Zarate, Teat, Sparks, Hickey. Second Row: Orr, Elliott, Svetlik, Conkle, Svetlik, Costilla, Skow. Third Row: Sherrer, Hernandez, Villareal, Hansen.



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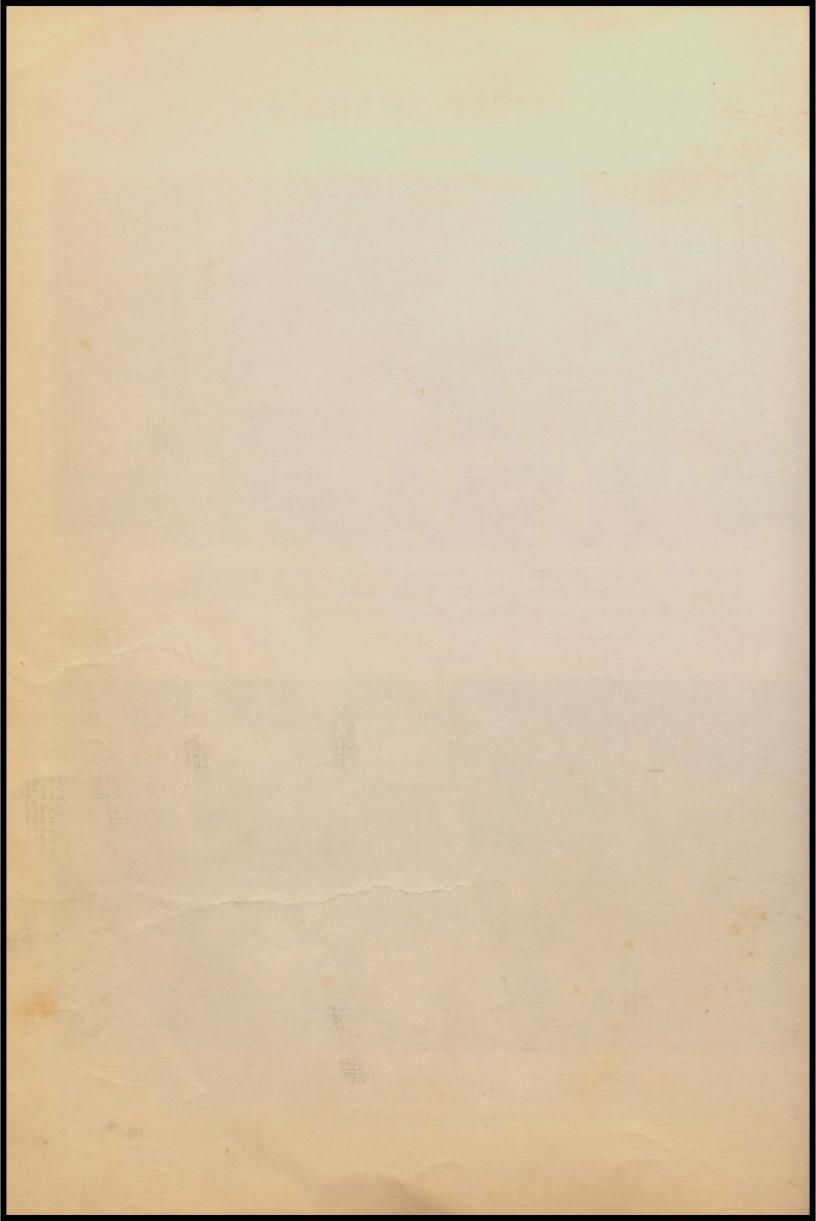


Front Row: Keller, Morena, Jurek, Warneke, Stoffer, Coward, McMahan. Second Row: Graham, Hebert, Svetlik, Harper, Zarate, Zarate, Hale, Warn, Pratka. Third Row: Lawson, Loose, Biskup, Bledsoe, McGinnis.

BLESSING



Front Row: Dannels, Hurta, Coulter, Morris, Hickl, Hurta, Swinky, Biskup, Smith. Second Row: Havel, Kosarek, Hahn, Pesak, Henkes, Hickl, Hlozek, Hickl, Hurta. Third Row: Havlik, Jager, Orsak, Jensen, Tomasek.



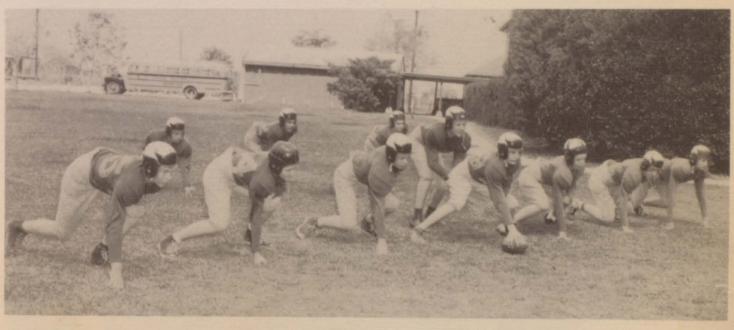
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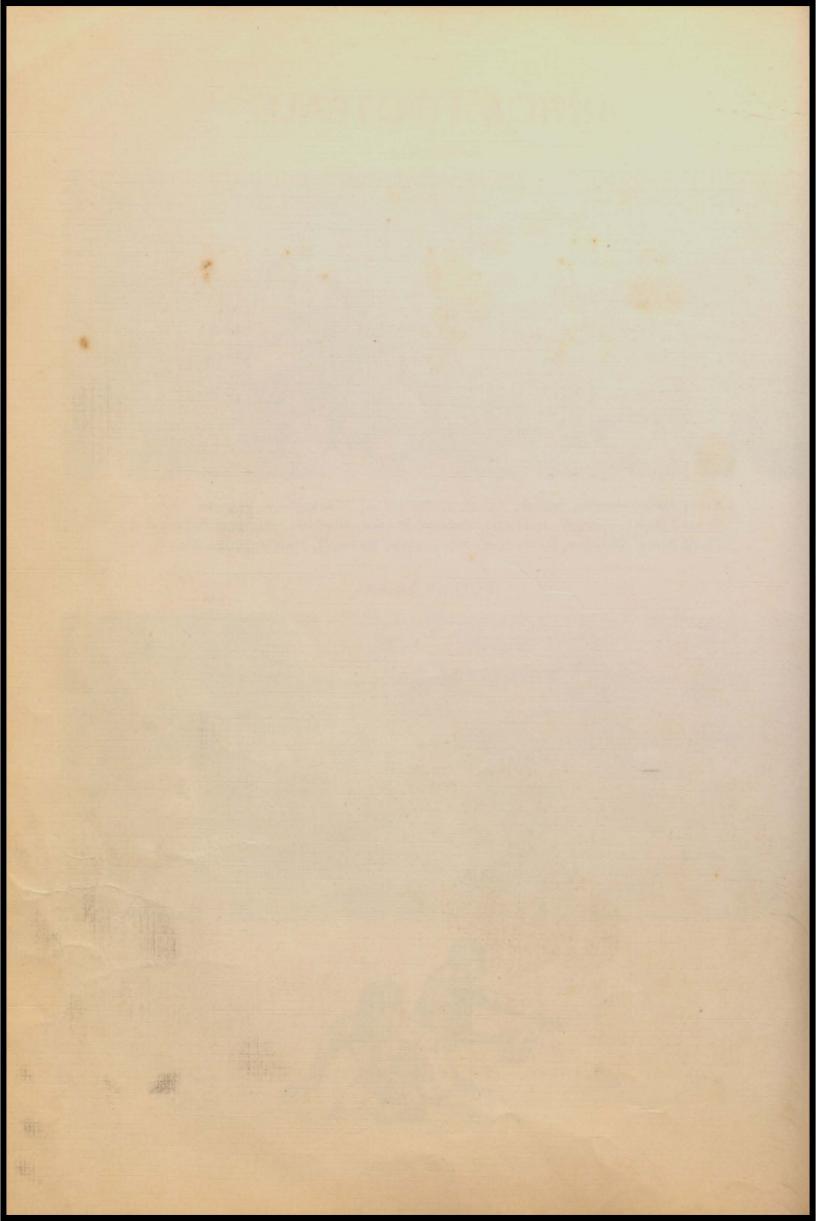


Front Row: Horton, Snider, Treumer, Anderson, Black, New, Schurtz, Skow. Second Row: Cowger, Buffaloe, Hebert, Sparks, Bledsoe, Hansen, Robertson. Third Row: Watkins, Pentecost, McKissick, Haswell, Farthing, Sparks.

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# JUNIOR FOOTBALL

BLESSING



Front Row: Tomasek, Svadlenak, Pierce, Green, Fabrygel. Second Row: Fromen, Gonzales, Dannals, Vaclavik, Sliva, Saha, Fostor, James. Third Row: Labay, McKissick, Smith, James, Driscoll, Darnell, Swinky, Vacek, Kopecky.

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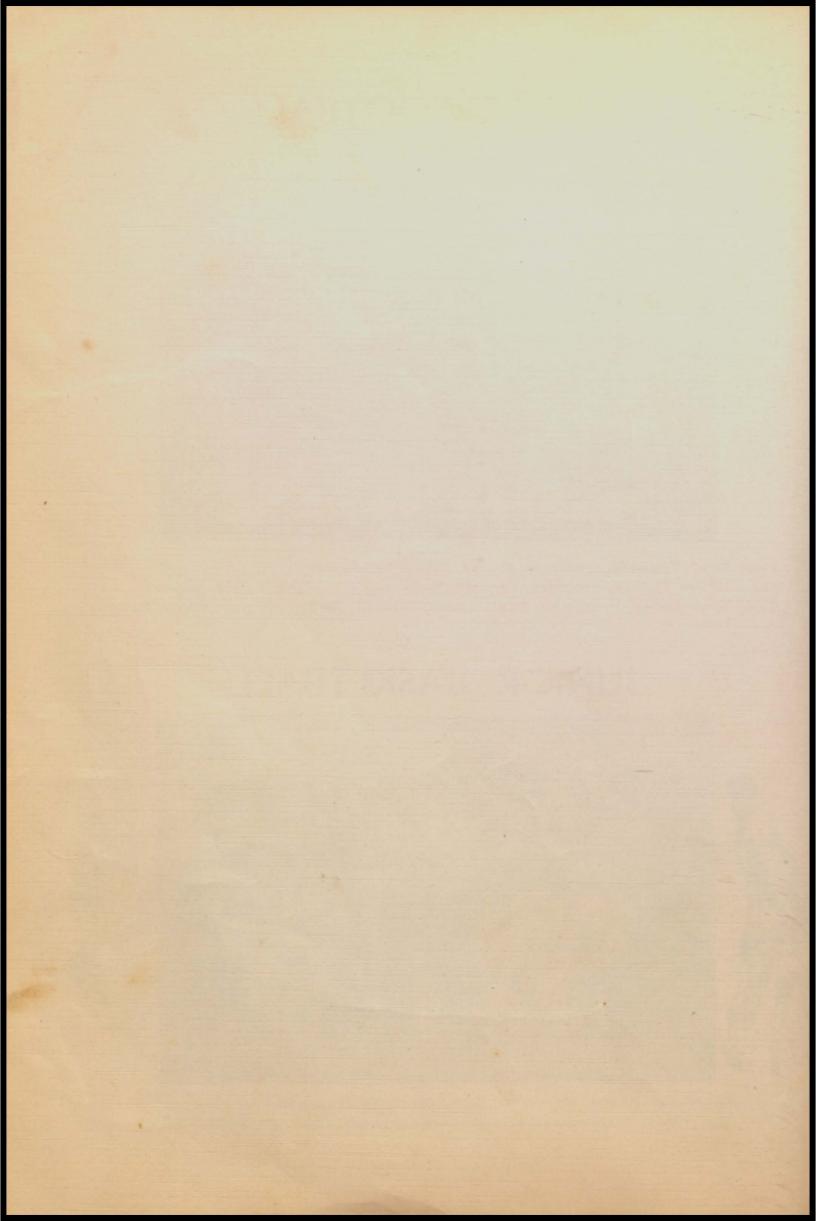
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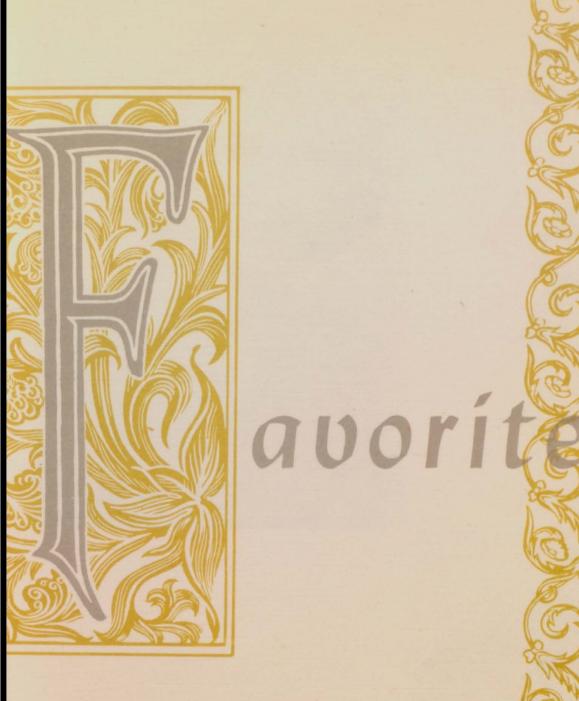
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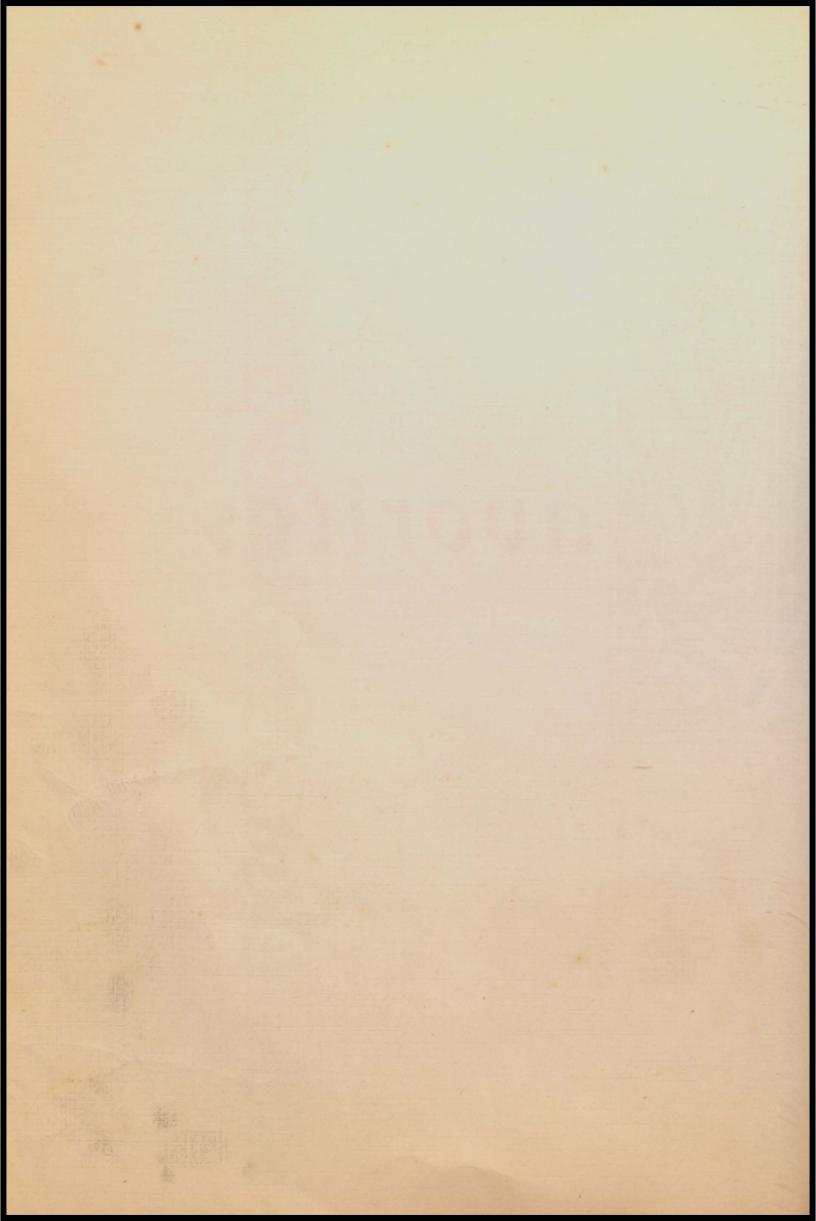
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Front Row: Fostor, Fostor, A., Saha, Vacek, Smith, Strnadel. Second Row: McKissick, Vaclavik, Fromen, Labay, Gonzales, Swinky, Sliva.





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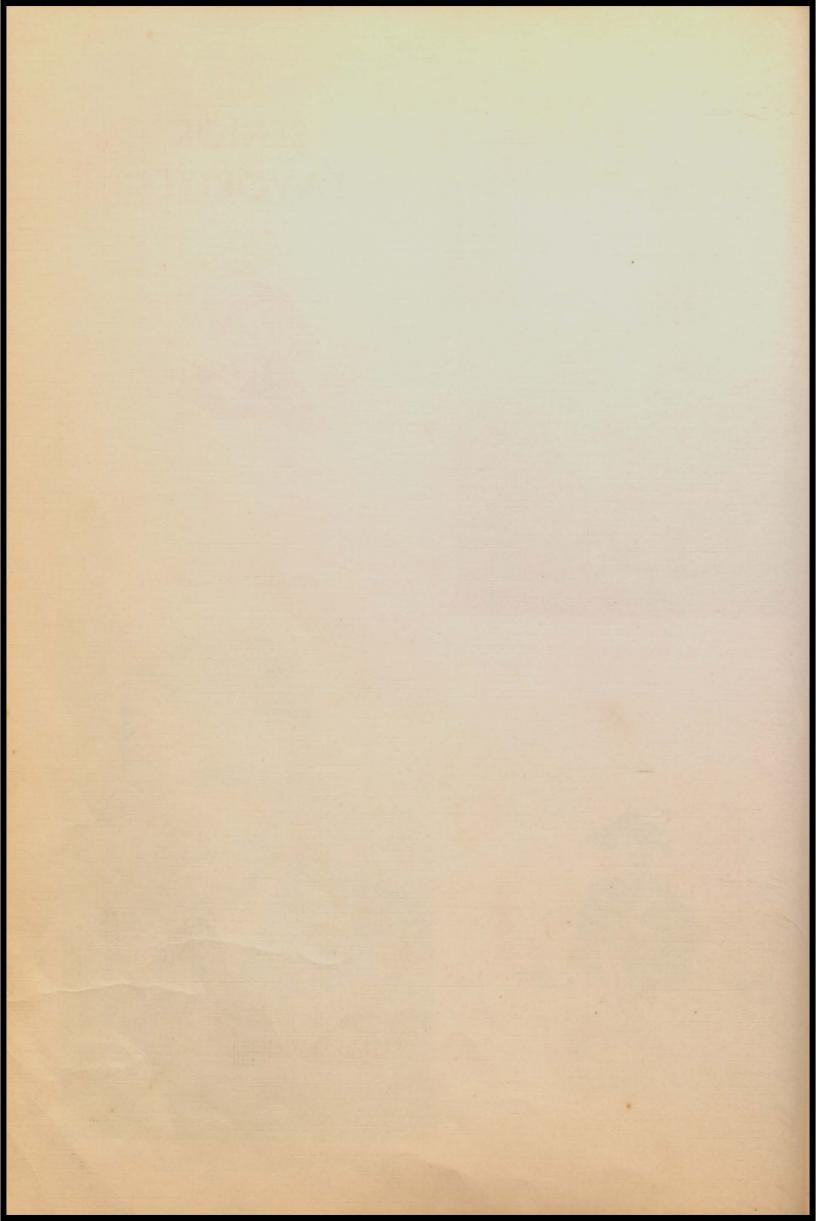


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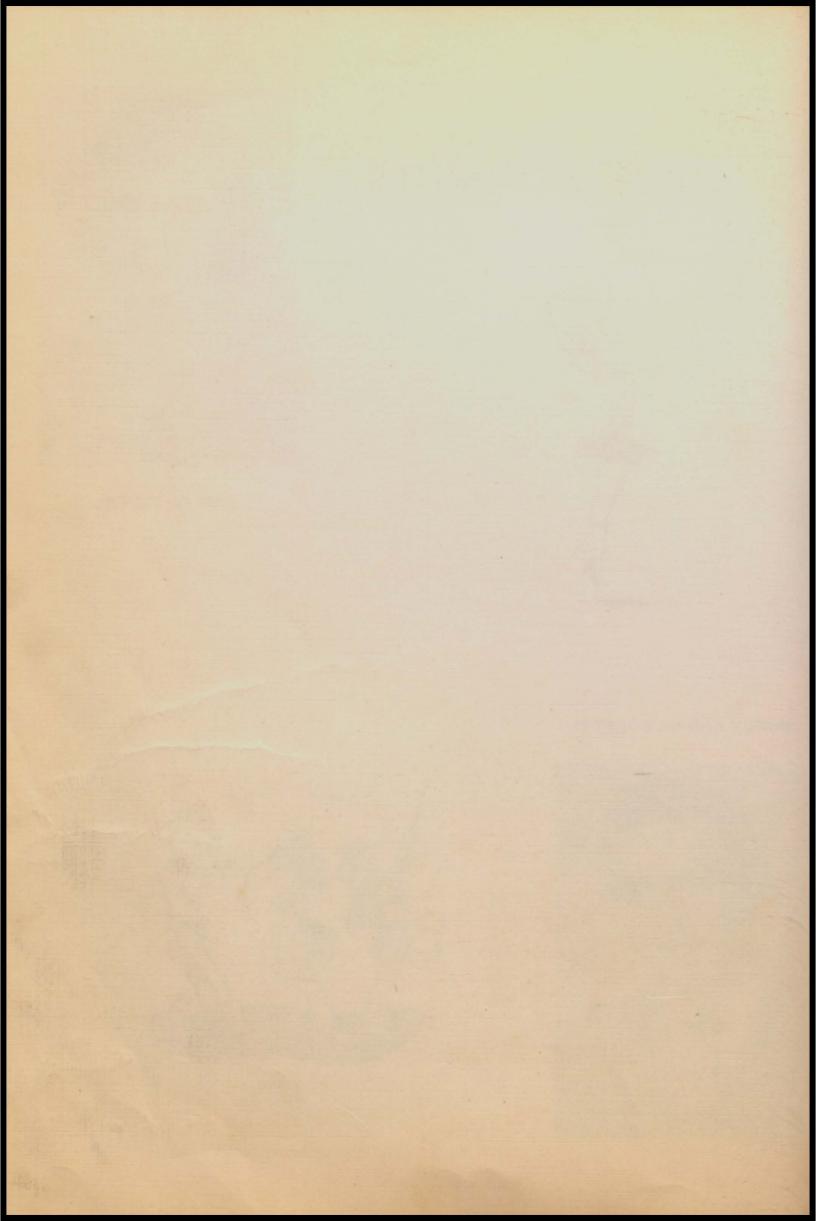


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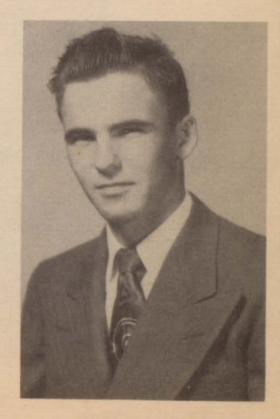
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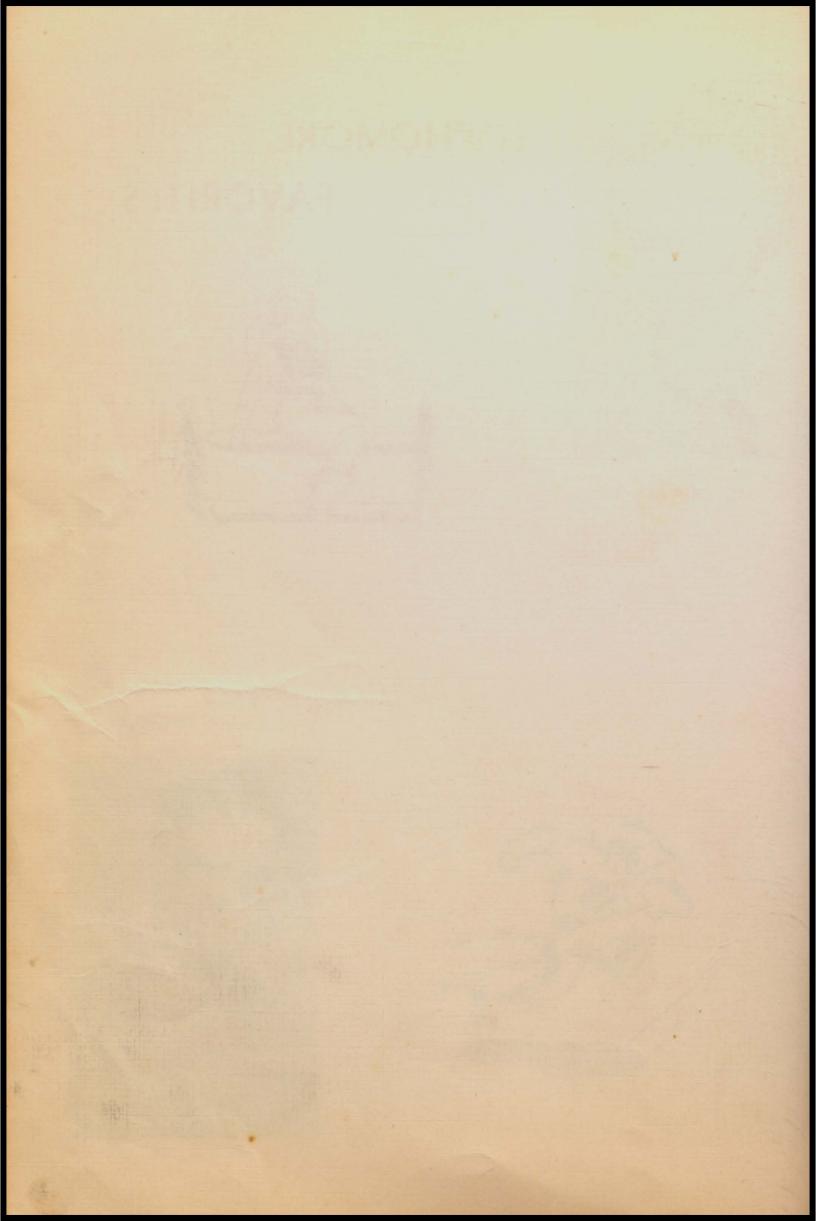
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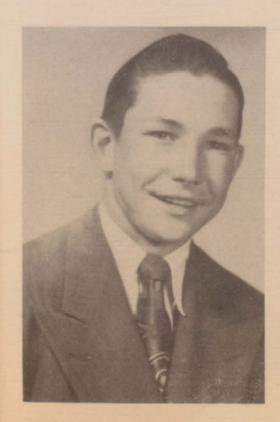
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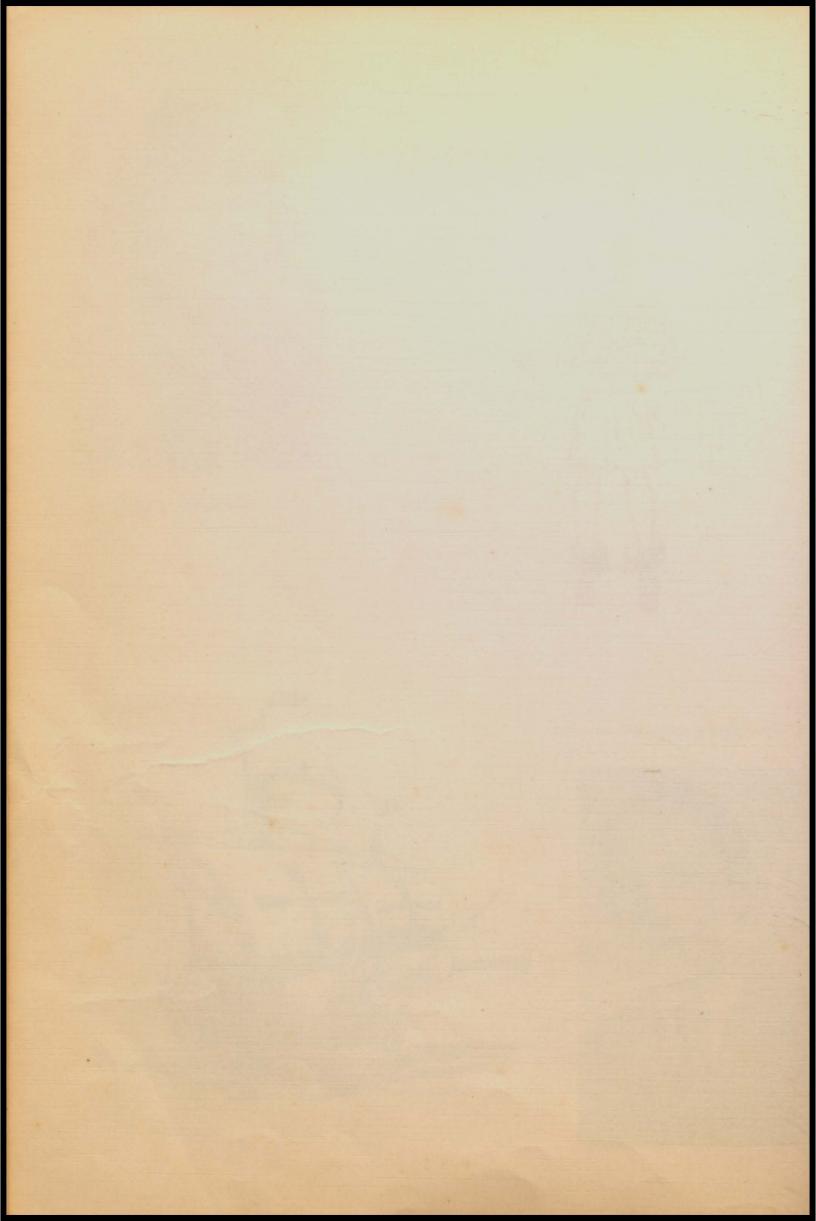


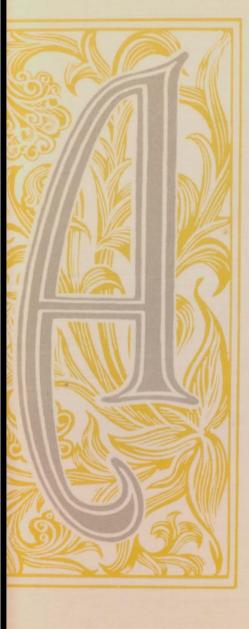
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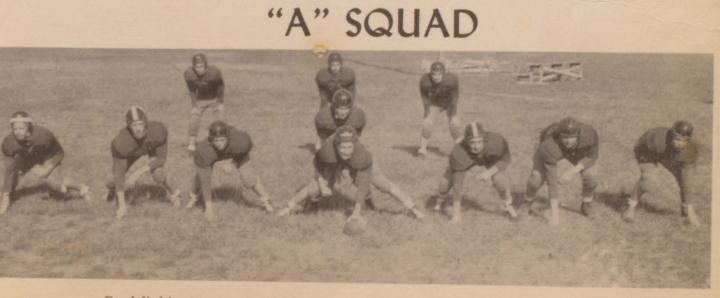
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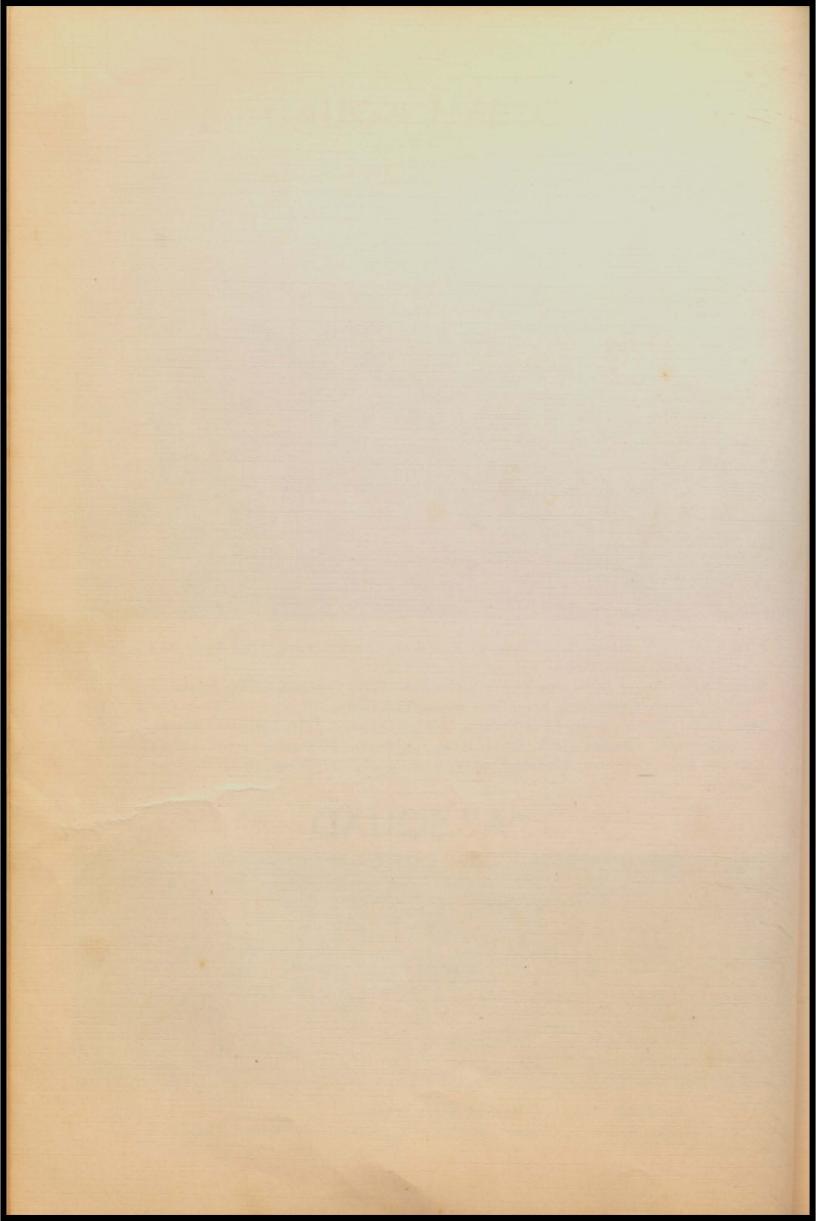
First Row: A. V. Bosak, Leo Orsak, E. R. Vacek, Charles Smith, Ellis Wind, Iven Skow, Frank Havel, James Fella.

Second Row: Roger Andersen, Travis Richardson, Billy Coleson, Erling Smith, Everett Salley, Archie Massoletti, Franklin Treumer, Dan Duffy.

Third Row: Simeon Bauer, Ellis Medina, Charles Driscoll, J. D. Tomasek, Kay McShan, Charles Warn, Charles Black, Walter Hale, Roy Smith. Managers: Frank Rickaway and Wilmer Kee. Coaches: Vincent Fromen, head coach, and George Nohavitza, assistant coach.



Backfield: Tomasek, McShan, Black, Warn. Line: Andersen, Coleson, Smith, Salley, Massoletti, Treumer, Duffy.



#### 1949-1950 FOOTBALL SCORES

TIDEHAVEN	6	LOUISE	0
TIDEHAVEN	0	CRESCENT	12
TIDEHAVEN	0	PALACIOS	33
TIDEHAVEN	20	VAN VLECK	0
TIDEHAVEN	21	EL CAMPO "B"	0
TIDEHAVEN	0	SPRING BRANCH	12
TIDEHAVEN	13	INDUSTRIAL CONS.	20
	60	TOTAL	77

#### 1949-1950 BASKETBALL SCORES

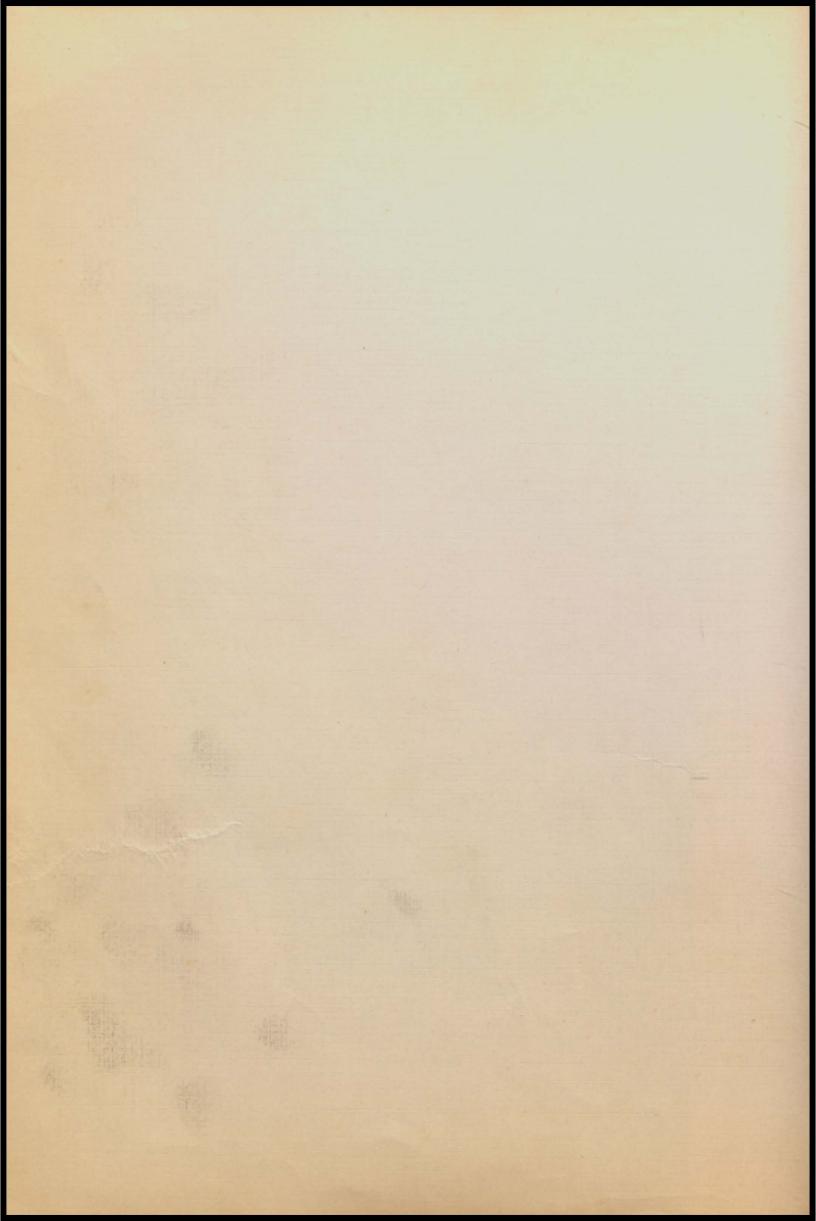
TIDEHAVEN	25	INDUSTRIAL CONS.	37
TIDEHAVEN	57	GANADO	22
TIDEHAVEN	47	GANADO	23
TIDEHAVEN	23	EDNA	57
TIDEHAVEN	25	PEARLAND	29
TIDEHAVEN	43	INDUSTRIAL CONS.	66
TIDEHAVEN	37	EDNA	29
TIDEHAVEN	28	VAN VLECK	29
TIDEHAVEN	52	CRESCENT	55
TIDEHAVEN	31	PALACIOS	45
TIDEHAVEN	36	CRESCENT	30
TIDEHAVEN	41	GANADO	29
TIDEHAVEN	42	PALACIOS	44
TIDEHAVEN	28	LOUISE	56
TIDEHAVEN	35	VAN VLECK	38
TIDEHAVEN	45	NEEDVILLE	26
TIDEHAVEN	53	CRESCENT	41
TIDEHAVEN	34	ST. JOSEPH	33
TIDEHAVEN	41	CRESCENT	46
TIDEHAVEN	36	PALACIOS	25
TIDEHAVEN	37	LOUISE	44
	796	TOTAL	804

#### TOURNAMENTS

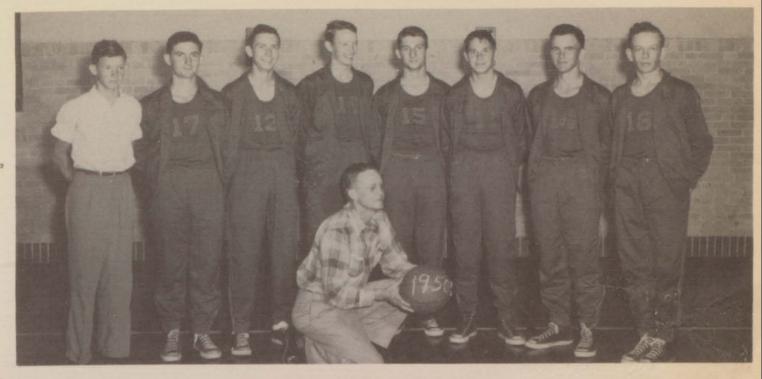
Won First in Tidehaven Tournament Won Second in Ganado Tournament

#### LEADING BASKETBALL SCORERS

PLAYER	POINTS MADE
Dan Duffy	175
Charles Warn	170
J. D. Tomasek	167
Kay McShan	130
Roger Andersen	60
Charles Black	60



### **BASKETBALL TEAM**



"A" TEAM Kee, Warn, Fella, Andersen, McShan,Duffy, Tomasek, Smith V. Fromen

Coach

### **BASKETBALL SQUAD**

BIG FIVE

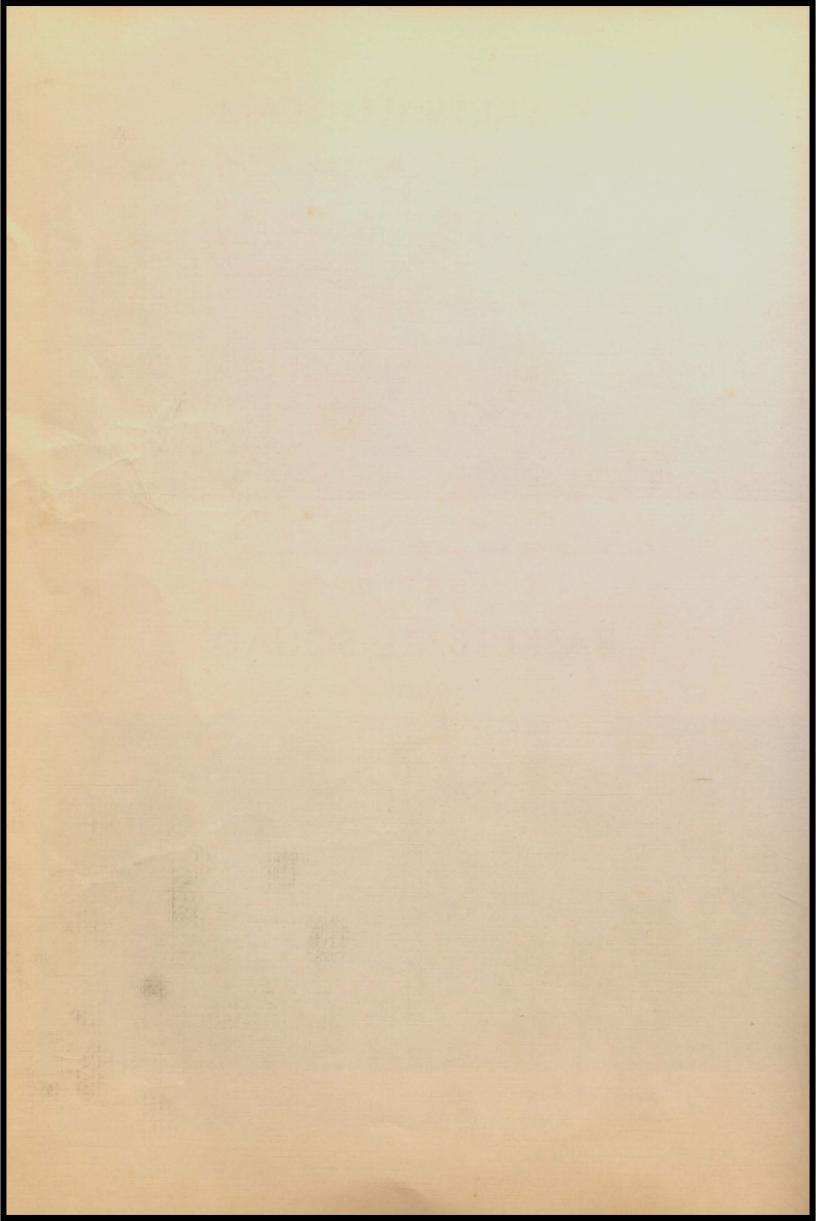


Warn Forward

Guard

McShan Center Andersen Guard

Tomasek Forward



### **BASEBALL TEAM**

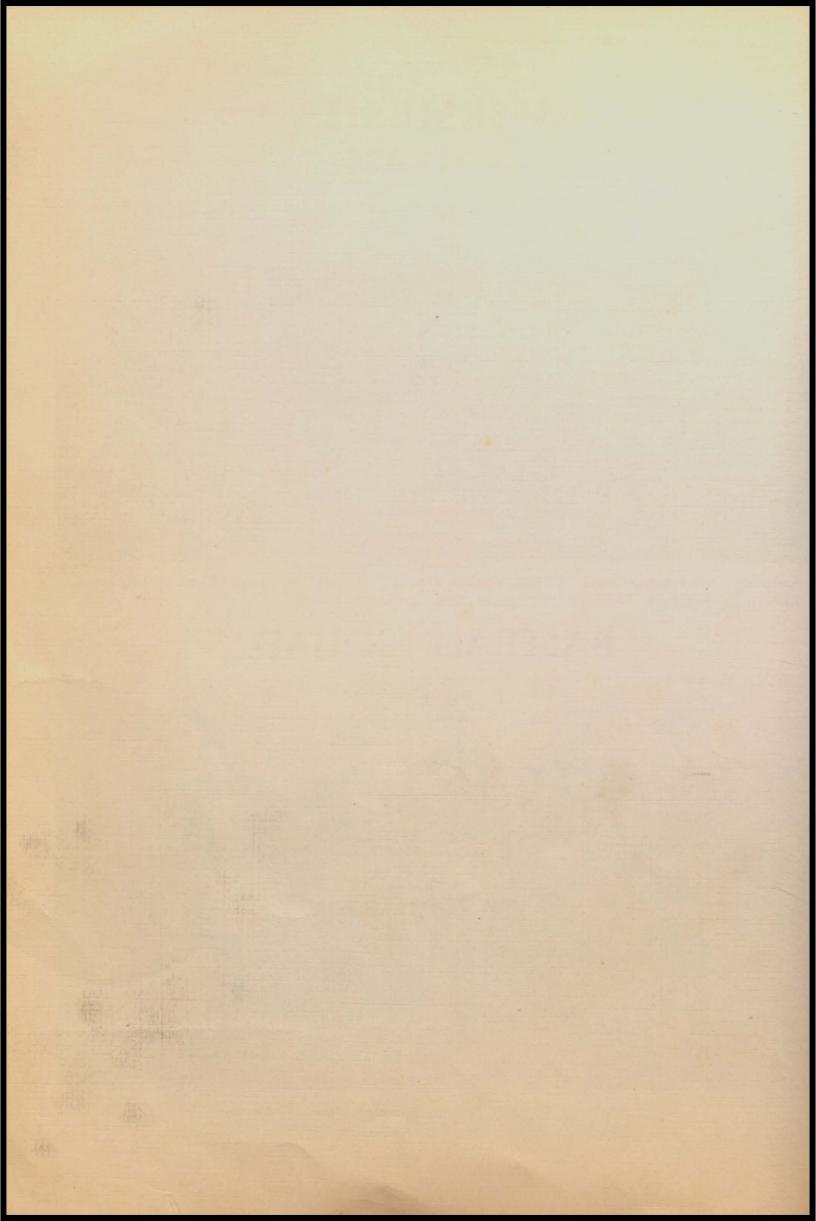


Standing: Nohavitza, Coach, Wright, Medina, Bosak, Treumer, Andersen, Wind, Smith, Skow. Kneeling: Tomasek, Smith, R., Salley, McShan, Driscoll, Bauer.

### BASEBALL SQUAD



Standing: Medina, Salley, Treumer, Driscoll, Smith. Kneeling: Skow, Tomasek, Anderson, McShan.

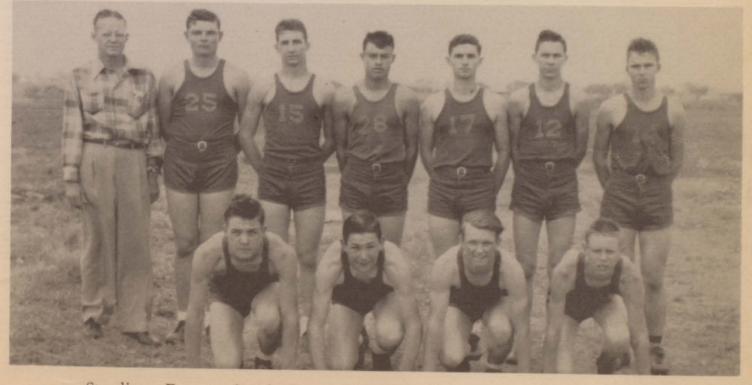


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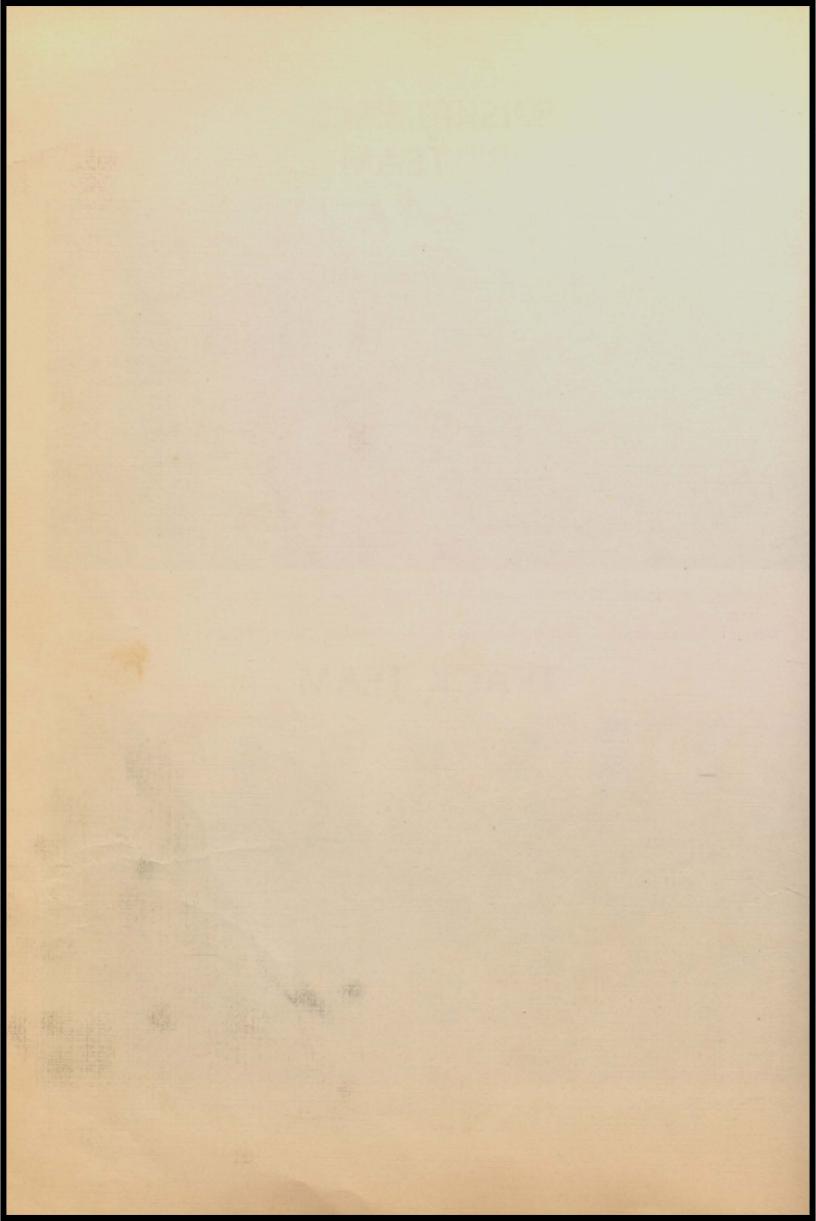


Standing: Nohavitza, Coach Balusek, Havel, Smith, Wind, Hale, Rickaway, Smith, Stribling, Kee.
Sitting: Bosak, Medina, Salley, Truemer, Bauer, Driscoll, Skow, Wright.

### TRACK TEAM



Standing: Fromen, Coach, Treumer, McShan, Driscoll, Warn, Fella, Tomasek. Kneeling: Wind, Salley, Skow, Wright.



### VOLLEY BALL



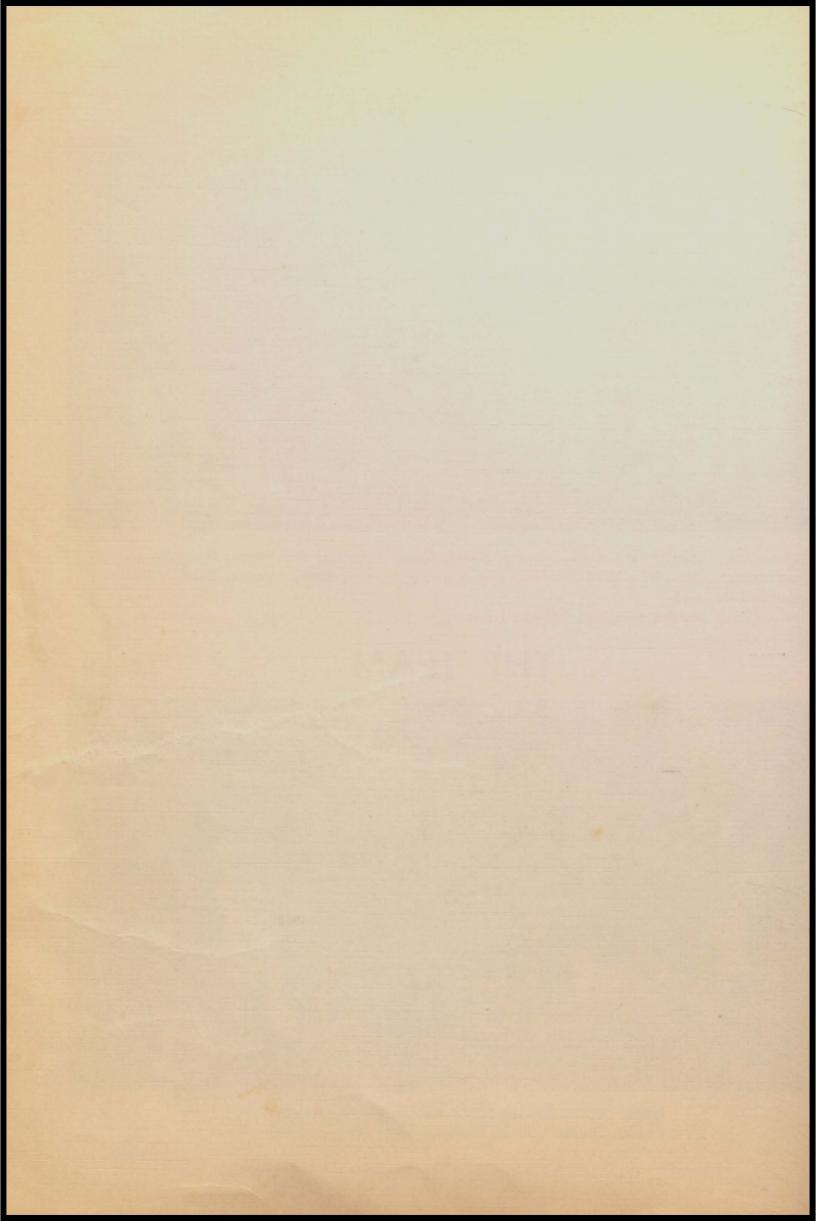
Standing: Lucille Gonzales, Dorothy Hickl, Wilma Shindler, Ann Hickl, Betty Morton, manager, Mrs. Winnifred Wheeler, coach, Loretta Gaas, Betty Krenek, Bobby Hebert, Gail Crocker.

Kneeling: Martha Shindler, Janette Lawhon.

### THE TEAM



Back: Wilma Shindler, Ann Hickl, Martha Shindler. Front: Bobby Hebert, Loretta Gaas, Janette Lawhon.



#### 1950 BASEBALL SCORES

*TIDEHAVEN	13	EL CAMPO	8
*TIDEHAVEN	2	EL CAMPO	4
*TIDEHAVEN	7	WHARTON	8
TIDEHAVEN	17	VAN VLECK	2
TIDEHAVEN	16	IND USTRIAL CONS.	4
TIDEHAVEN	8	CRESCENT	4
TIDEHAVEN	0	LOUISE	10
TIDEHAVEN	2	GANAGO	6
TIDEHAVEN	35	AUSTWELL-TIVOLI	0

Non-District Games \*

Won Third In District

#### 1950 VOLLEYBALL RESULTS

TEAM PLAYED	TIMES PLAYED	GAMES WON	GAMES LOST
VAN VLECK	2	2	0
CRESCENT	2	2	0
LOUISE	2	0	2
PALACIOS	3	1	2
LAMAR	1	0	1
BAY CITY	1	1	0
EL CAMPO	1	1	0

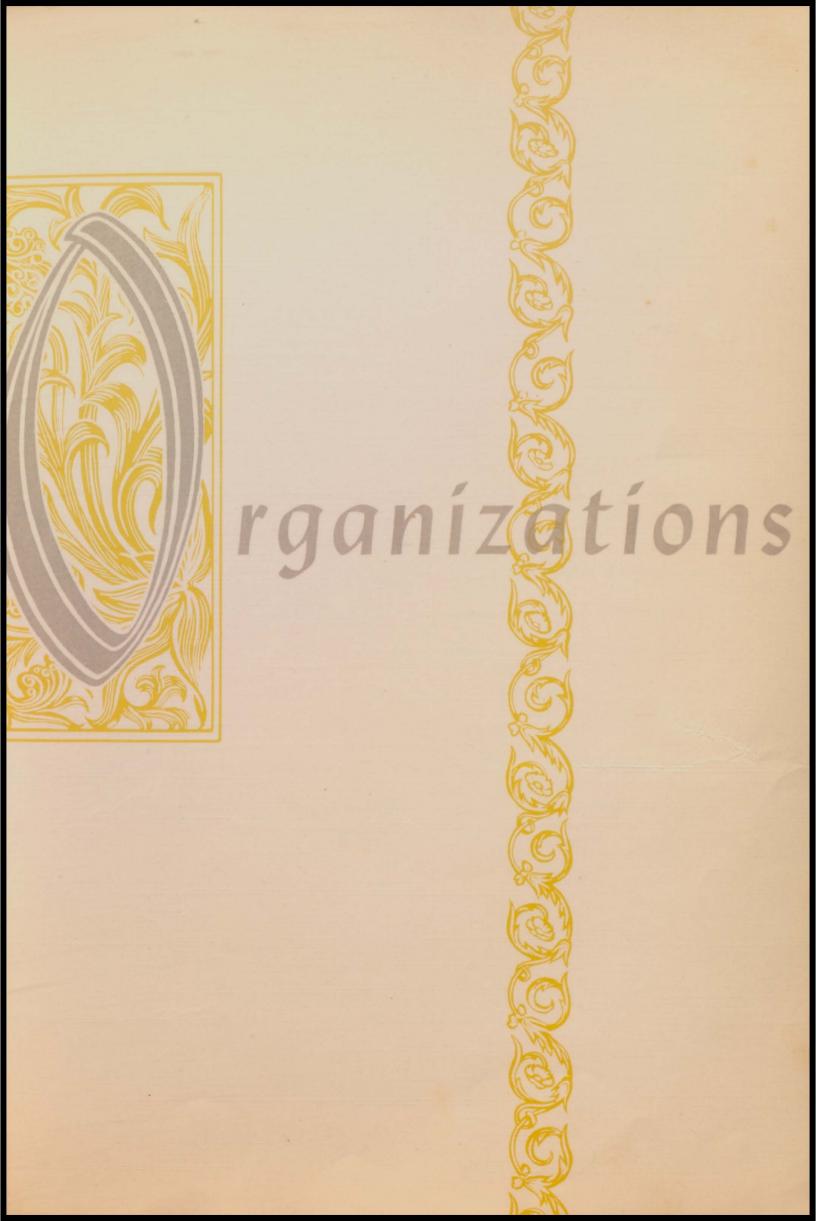
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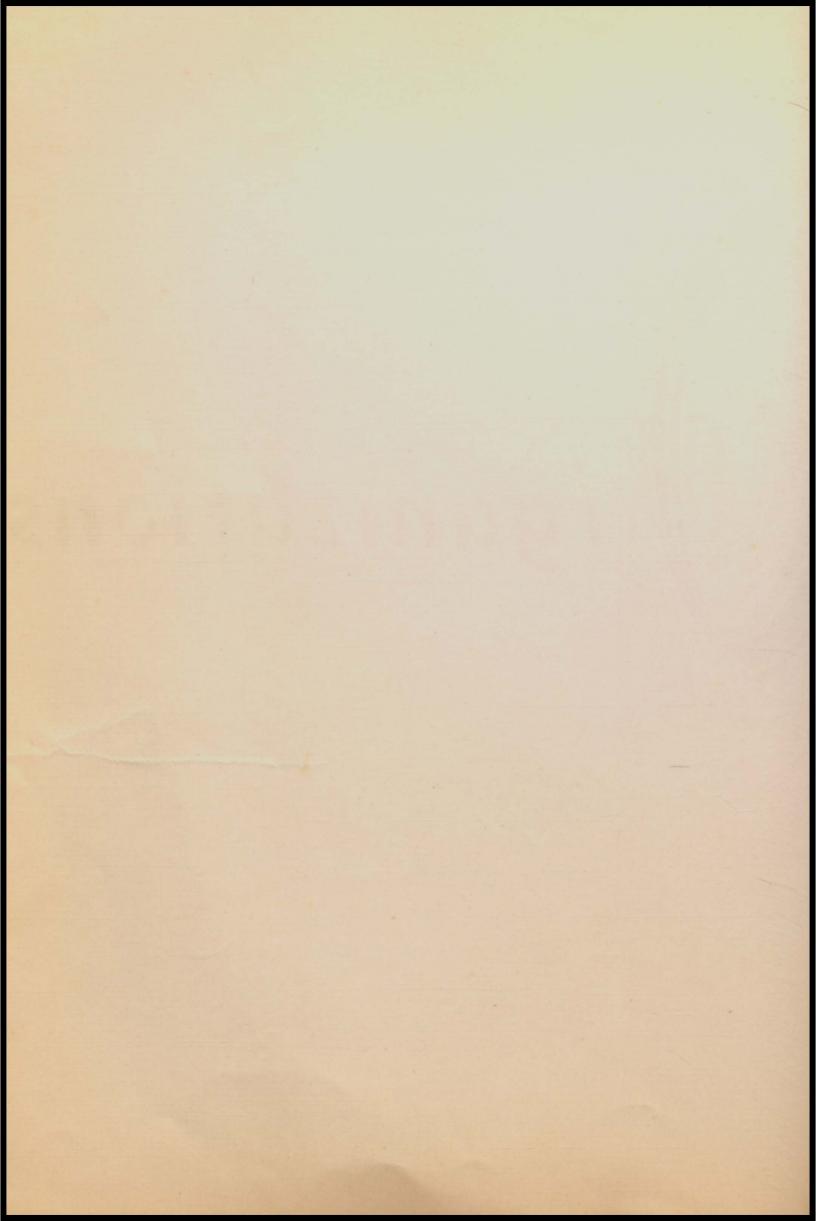
Won consolation in Palacios Invitational Defeated by Lamar in El Campo Tournament

#### DISTRICT PERCENTAGE

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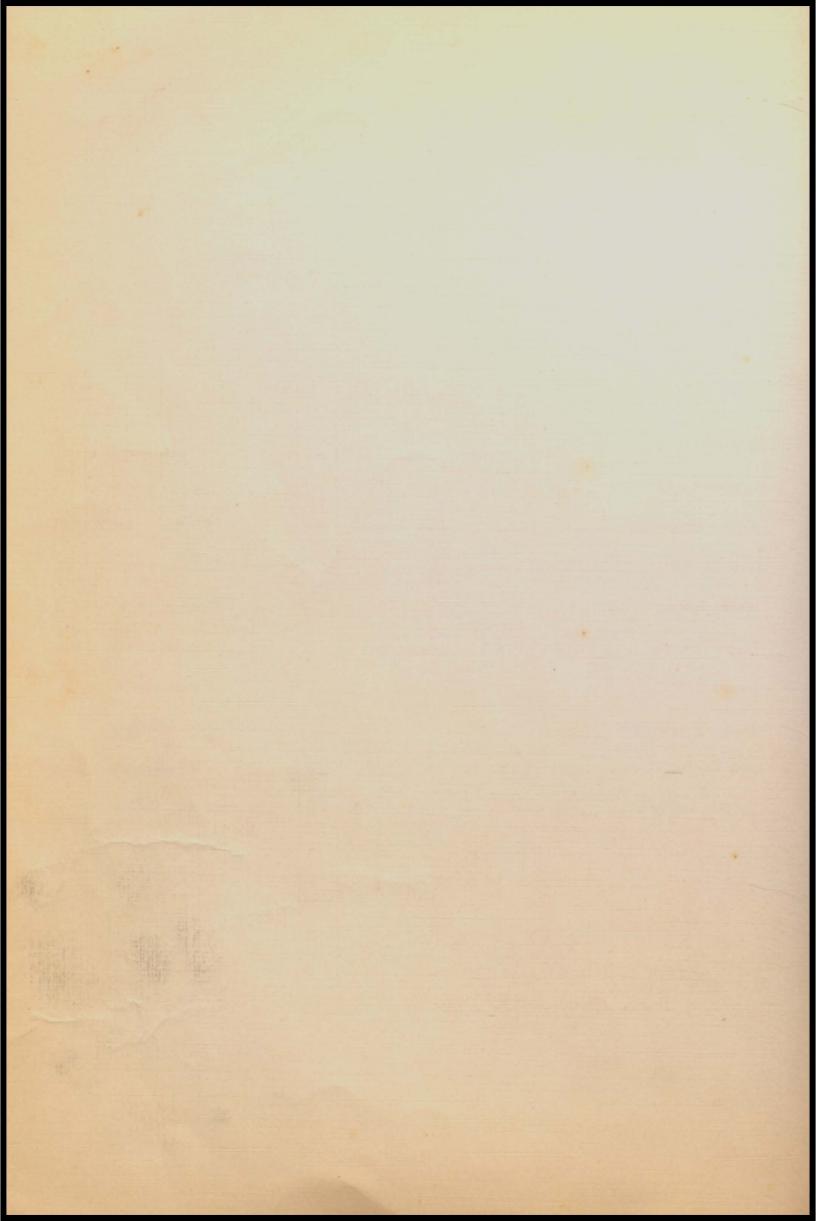


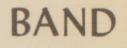


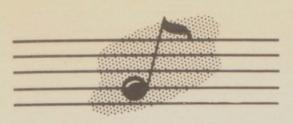
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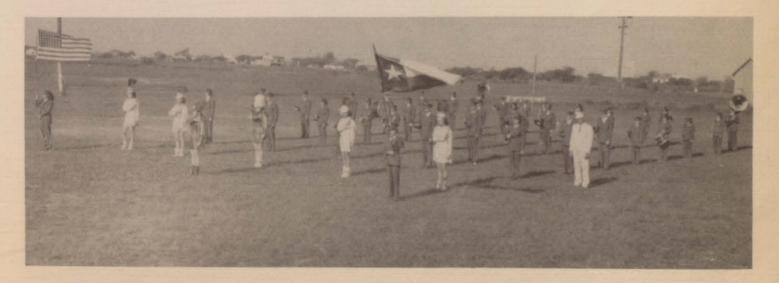


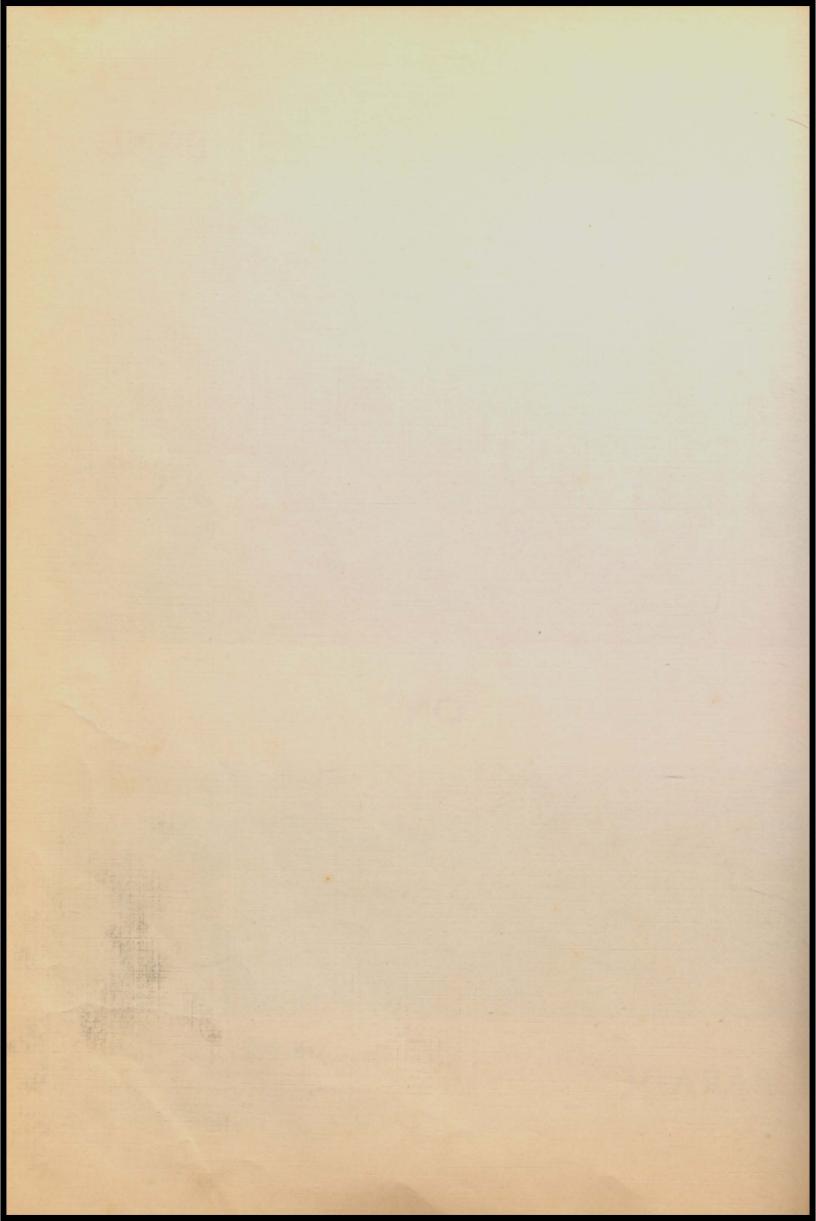


PARADE











Vona Mae Harter Marilyn Spoor Ola Mae Smith Betty Zane Krenek

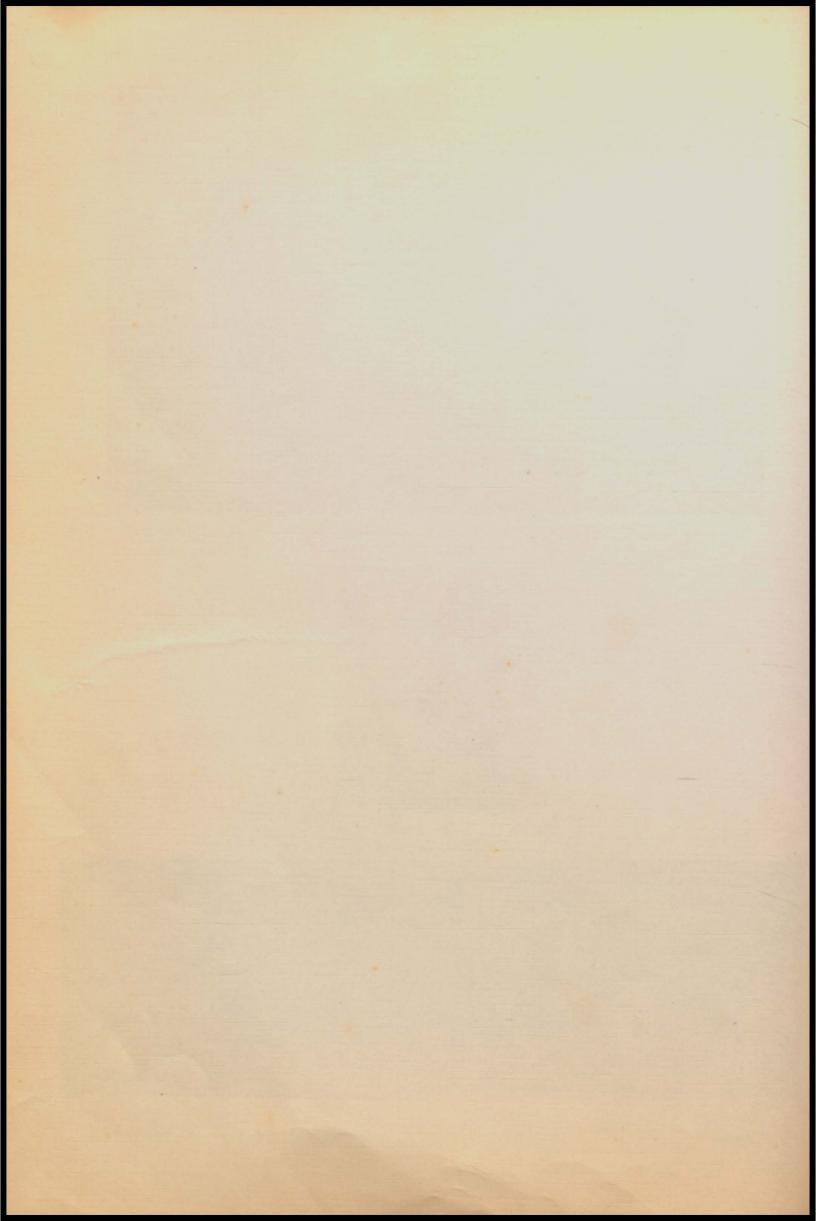
Head Twirler Barbara Hebert



Drum Major Ellen Crocker

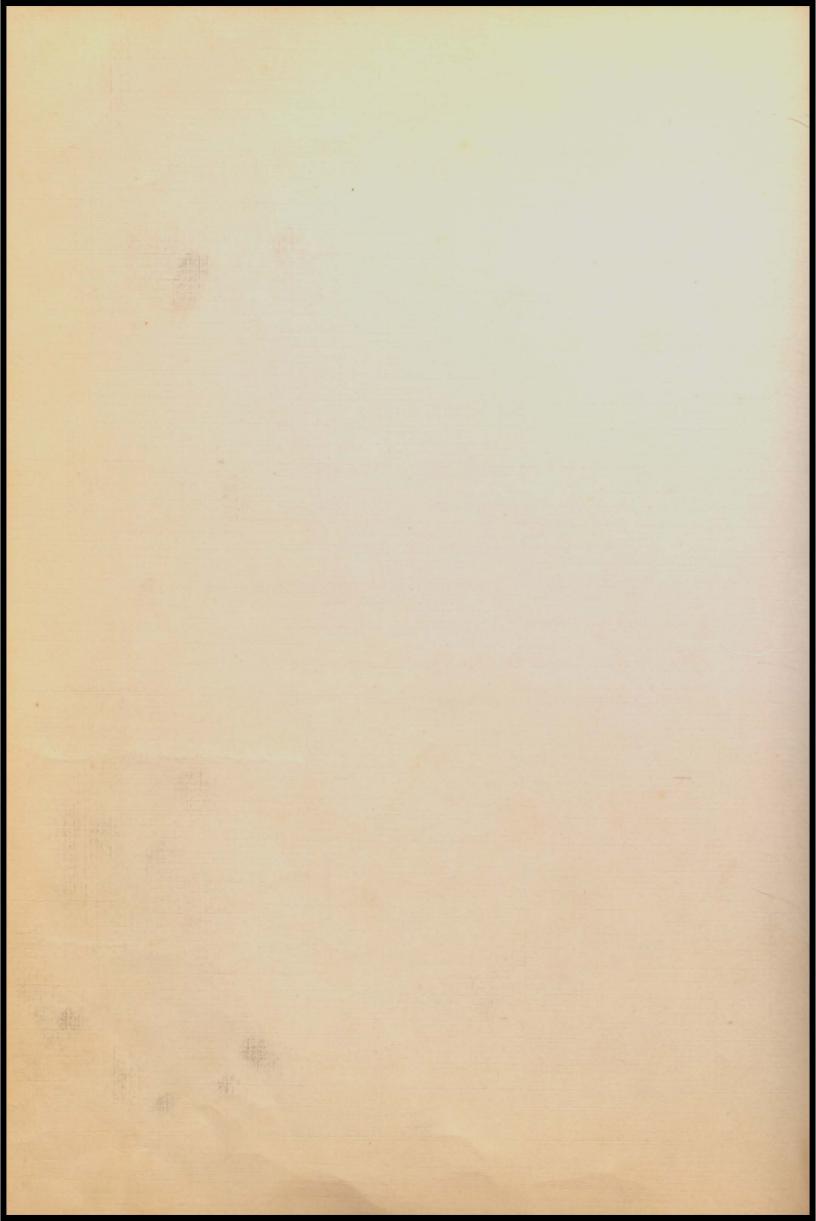
Loretta Gaas

Lanita Buffaloe Betty Stribling Joan Whiddon



#### BAND ACTIVITIES

Rice Festival - - October 7-8 - - Bay City High School Band Day - - November 5 - - Austin Fat Stock Show - - February 1 - - Houston Victoria Musical Festival - - February 18 - - Victoria Huntsville Band Meet - - April 14 - - Huntsville 4-H Club Stock Show - - March 16 - - Bay City The band attended all football games.



#### Y - TEENS

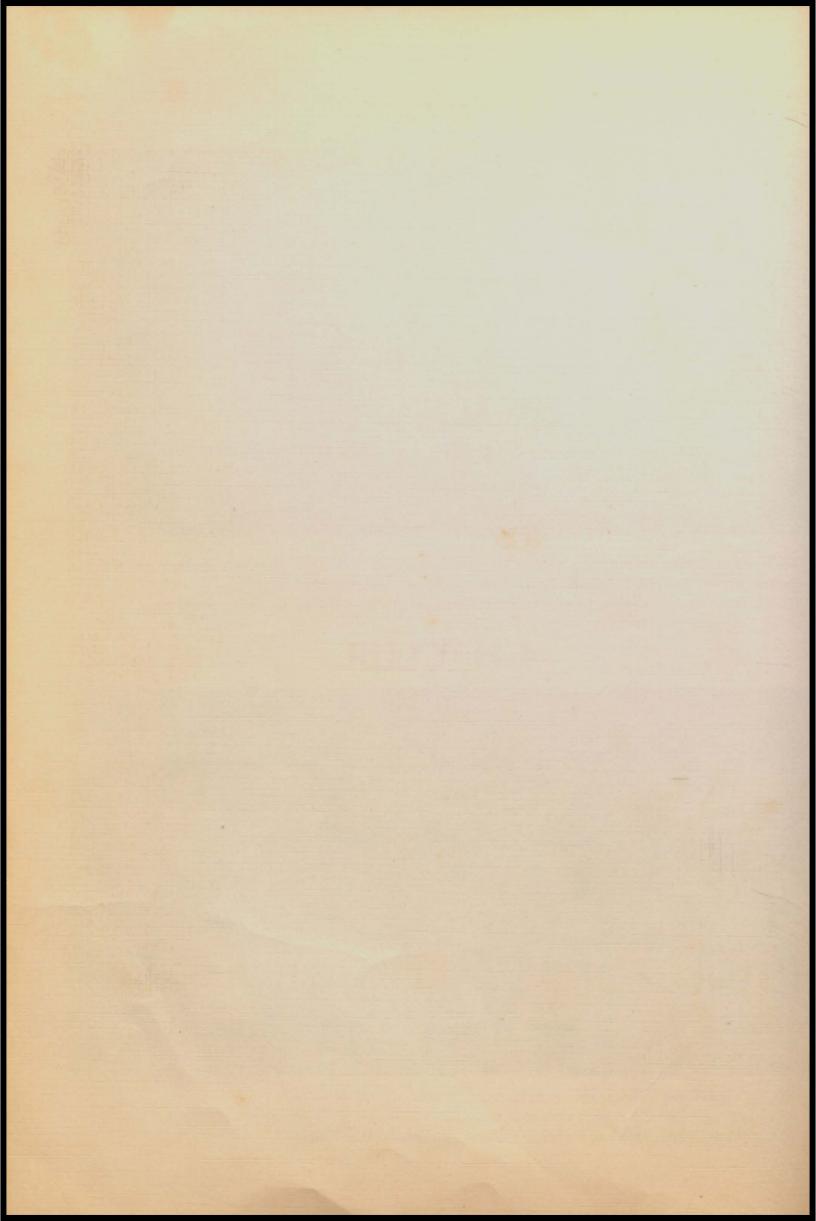


First Row: Helen Fabrygel, Dorothy Matura, Louise Svetlik, Gail Crocker, Bernice Genzer. Second Row: Janette Lawhon, Doris Bishop, Alice Herman, Joan Whiddon. Third Row: Sponsor, Mrs. Wheeler, Rose Fabrygel, Lanita Buffaloe, Betty Stribling.

### 4-H CLUB



First Row: Rickaway, Vacek, Saha, Vacek, Smith, Balusek. Second Row: Swinky, Driscoll, Tomasek, Massoletti, McShan, Hale, Havel. Third Row: Medina, Coleson, Orsak, Bauer, Black, Murphy.





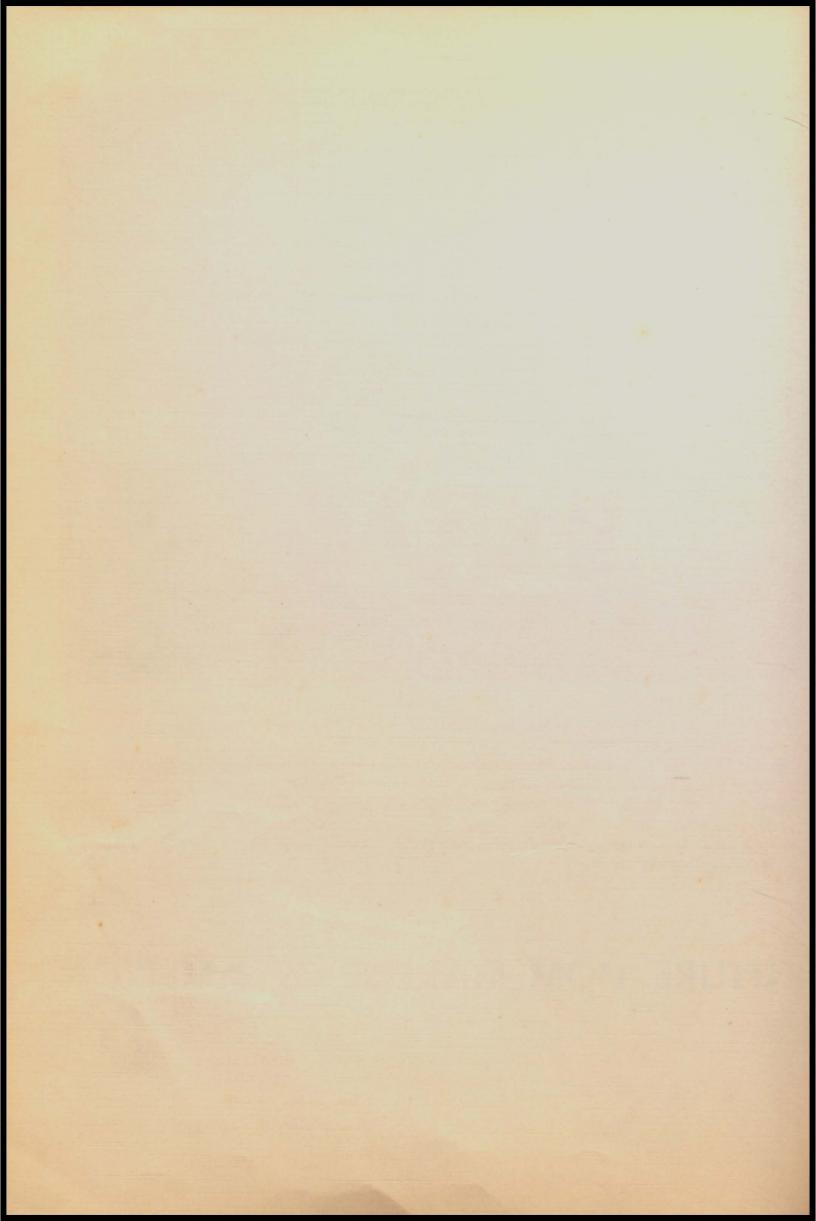
First Row: Alice Herman, Ola Mae Smith, Dorothy Matura, Dorothy Hickl, Ann Vaclavik, Lucille Gonzales.

Second Row: Mabel DeReese, Myrtle DeReese, Faye James, Louise Svetlik, Bernice Gaas, Betty Ferne Morton, Vona Mae Harter.

Third Row: Joy Herreth, Betty Brown, Mildred Green, Helen Fabrygel, Marilyn Spoor, Theresa Orsak, Bernice Genzer.

Fourth Row: Mrs. Nelson, Doris Bishop, Ann Hickl, Loretta Gaas, Lanita Buffaloe, Betty Stribling, Dorothy Gurecky.

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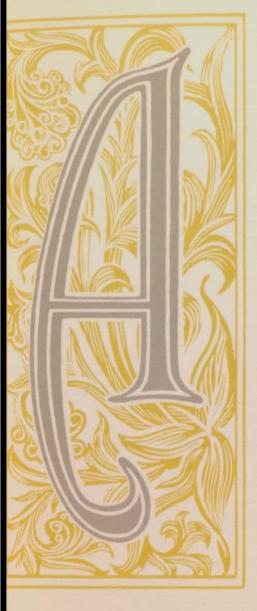
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### ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND ACTIVITIES OF F. H. A. CHAPTER 1949-50

- 1. Sold Christmas Cards to raise money for the club.
- 2. Sold magazines to raise money.
- 3. Sponsored the selling of Tuberculosis Seals.
- Made machine-made buttonholes to raise money for the treasury.
- 5. Sold Birthday Cards.
- Attended the Rodeo and Fat Stock Show at Houston, February 11.
- Attended the Area IX FHA Meeting at Luther Burbank Jr. High in Houston, April 1.
- 8. Had a special Christmas, Valentine and St. Patrick's Party.
- 9. Observed F. H. A. Week with special party.





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### THE FRESHMEN CLASS WONDERS

Which of the Smiths will win Marilyn; Erling or Charlie.

If Chico and Jack really love each other.

If Salley is really a girl's man.

If Charlie Black will ever make a great pitcher.

Why Robert uses an armchair for a pontiac in the Science room.

If Bernice really likes to argue with Mr. Nohavitza.

If E. R. will ever make a half-back in football.

Why Edwin goes to the auction sale every Tuesday. (Could it be girls)?

Who will be the next girl for Pee Wee. (Lavone again)?

If Lavone will go back to Jimmie.

If Wilmer and Delores will ever start going together.

Who Iven really likes.

If Raymond Balusek, Frank Havel, and Frank Rickaway will ever amount to anything.

Why does Henry take such interest in Gen. Math. (Could it be girls)?

Who Rosie likes.



### THE FRESHMEN CLASS WONDERS (cont'd)

Why Billy Joe is always reading love funny books in Science class.

Who Anne really likes. (Could it be the milk man's helper)?

If Vona and Robert will ever go together.

Why Norma thinks so much about baseball.

If Helen really likes Henry.

Why Dorothy always studies.

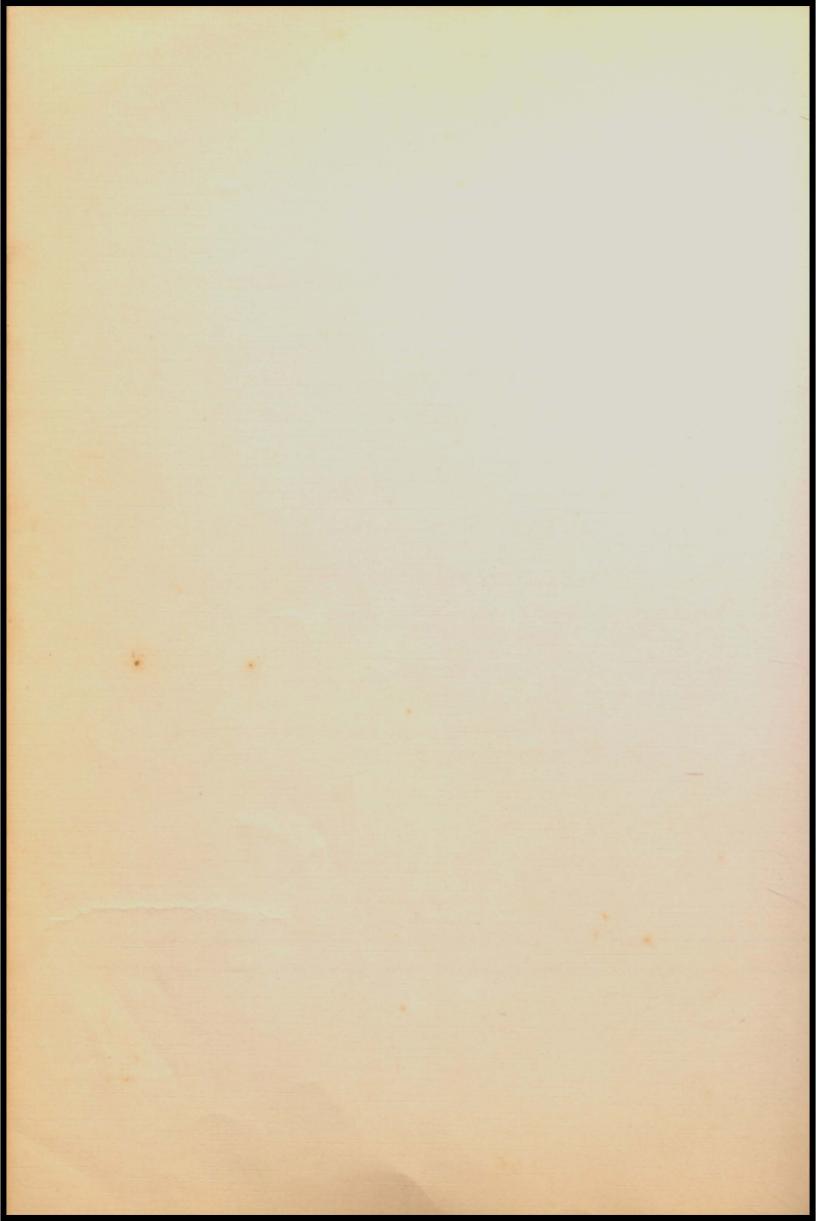
Where Theresa gets her looks.

If Mildred will ever learn to play her instrument in band.

Why Charlie Driscoll always came in last in the mile run at the track meet. (Could it be girls in the grandstand)?

Why Ethel is the only girl taking Gen. Science. (Could it be the boys)?

We, the Freshmen Class, wish to express our appreciation to our sponsor, Mr. Labay, for his kind leadership and co-operation.



### EVERYDAY SAYINGS AT SCHOOL

"Do we have any English for today?" - - Everyone

"What do we have for dinner today?" - - Chem class

"I don't have the energy." - - Joan

"Eh uh er huh duh - - in other words - - whatcha say huh whatcha say." Mr. Fromen.

"Now how can I explain this?" - - Mr. Labay

"Now let's get quiet." - - Miss Lorenz

"I ain't done ya nuting." - - Loretta

"Ya still love me woman?" - - Bugger

"Ohhh! Is Mr. Labay going to be there?" - - Janette

"You better believe it." - - Archie

"Son, I'll send you right out of here." - - Mr. Black

"ASSEMBLY right after the bell rings." - - Mr. Nelson

"Ou dis don't look right." - - Bobby

"Oh I declare!" - - Mr. Labay

"Oh goody!" - - Ellen

"Did we win?" - - Tidehaven Baseball boys

"Can't reat it, too much nothing." - - Sawdust





### SOPH'S OF '50

"Why, I wouldn't go with any other boy but Sonny." (Could this be Betty S.?)

"Well hello girlie. How are you doing? Now son, I didn't say anything to you." --Betty B.

"You ought to give Myrtle ten points for doing that over." - - Mable

"Why, I'm not going to help her make that costume. She got elected so she can do it herself." - - Myrtle

"Ouch! Get off of my ingrowing toenail." - - Aline

Was that the beacon? No, it was Gail. She just saw J. D.

Is it a monkey? Is it an ape? No, it's Floyd going into his act.

Is it Charles Atlas? No, it's just J. D.

"Kay, who are you going to the party with? Bet -- oh I mean Janette."

"Why--er--ah--I don't know. Tell her I'll be there, that is if I can get the car." (Could this be Leo?)

"Hi Shorty, what are you doing?" (This might be Walter.)

"Yes, the pups are old enough to eat, but if you wait a little while longer they may be more tender." (Could this be Sim when he feels good?)

The girl who says she will only go with one boy and means it is Joy.

Leo V. surely made a profit by taking pictures of the Sophomore Basketball players in action.

A wonderful sponsor - - Mr. Black





### STUPID QUESTIONS asked on BAND TRIPS

"Are we going to carry all the flags?" "What time do we leave?" "Are we going to stay all night?" "When do we eat?" "Do we have to wear our hats?" "How did we rate at Huntsville?" "Does anyone have a funny book?" "Will ya gimme a piece of cake?" "Why can't the boys sit with the girls?" "Red, will ya turn off the lights?" "What time is it?" "Why didn't we take two buses?" "Why doesn't Mr. Labay drive a bus on a band trip?" Maybe he doesn't like singing. "Mr. Havlik, do you have a reed?" "What time do we play?" "What time does the parade start?" "Where is Mr. Havlik?" "When are we gonna get there?" "Do I have to shine my shoes?" "How long is the parade?" "Why can't we stop at that service station?"



### WE ALL WONDER WHY

Some Senior girls can't seem to mind their own business.

Doris didn't want Mr. Nelson to hit the railroad tracks very hard while going through Alvin on Senior Day.

Betty K. couldn't sit down coming home from Galveston.

J. B. likes Palacios so much.

Tom Lee is such a gentleman.

Ellen is always having trouble with the teachers. (Could it be that she is outspoken).

Loretta wanted to give Doris's yellow ribbon to Bugger on Senior Day.

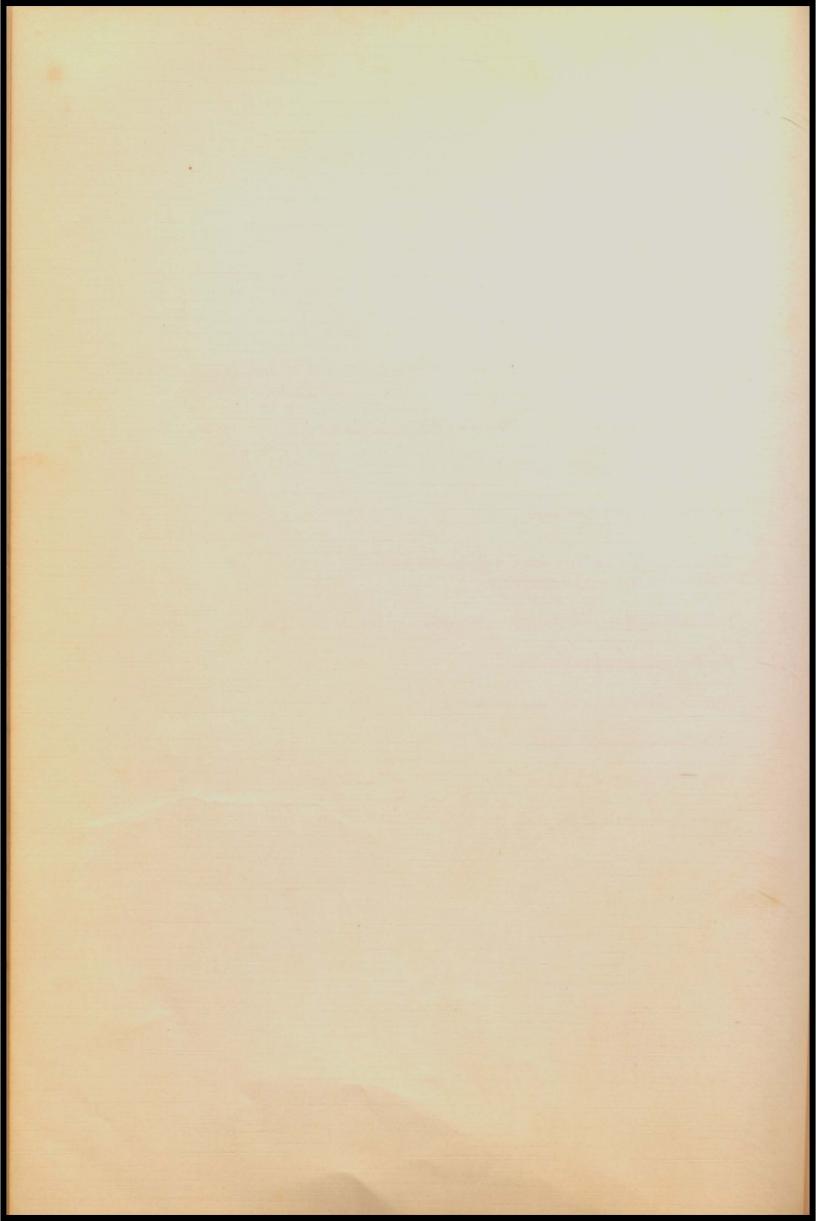
Why Dan quit going to Palacios.

Bernice Genzer asks so many questions.

Helen has a beautiful shape.

Mildred is always in a hurry.

Bosak is so afraid of the dark.



### THE JUNIOR CLASS DAILY



EDITOR: Who do you think? SOCIAL EDITOR: We'll never know! SPORTS EDITOR: Hi Steppin' Jack. ADVERTISING: "Traveling Pete"

Look at our front page:

Yes, they have been talking about a woman for president and they may have one within a year. Bernice Gaas announced that she would be a candidate for the Clabbereth nomination for president.

Dorothy Hickl's dreams have now become a reality as construction of the Shamrock Hotel "Jr." gets under way on Main Street in El Maton.

Lodger Hajmassey announced on his television show last night that Joan Whiddon would take his place during the summer.

Roy Smith, a very prospective photographer, is really busy snapping pictures around our old stomping grounds bur he won't take anyones picture except Joan's.

Louise Svetlik has announced her latest plans. She is going to finish high school and then keep up a neat, little white hut for her hubby-to-be. Farm and ranch:

Franklin Treumer left us and went west. But we are not surprised as farming and ranching was his desire. Franklin says, "Herding sheep and goats is a lot easier than typing."

Janette Lawhon finally made up her mind and now lives on a farm near Lickenmore. And if the Tidehaven Cafeteria wants to buy vegetables and taters, Janette says the deal is made.

### Sports:

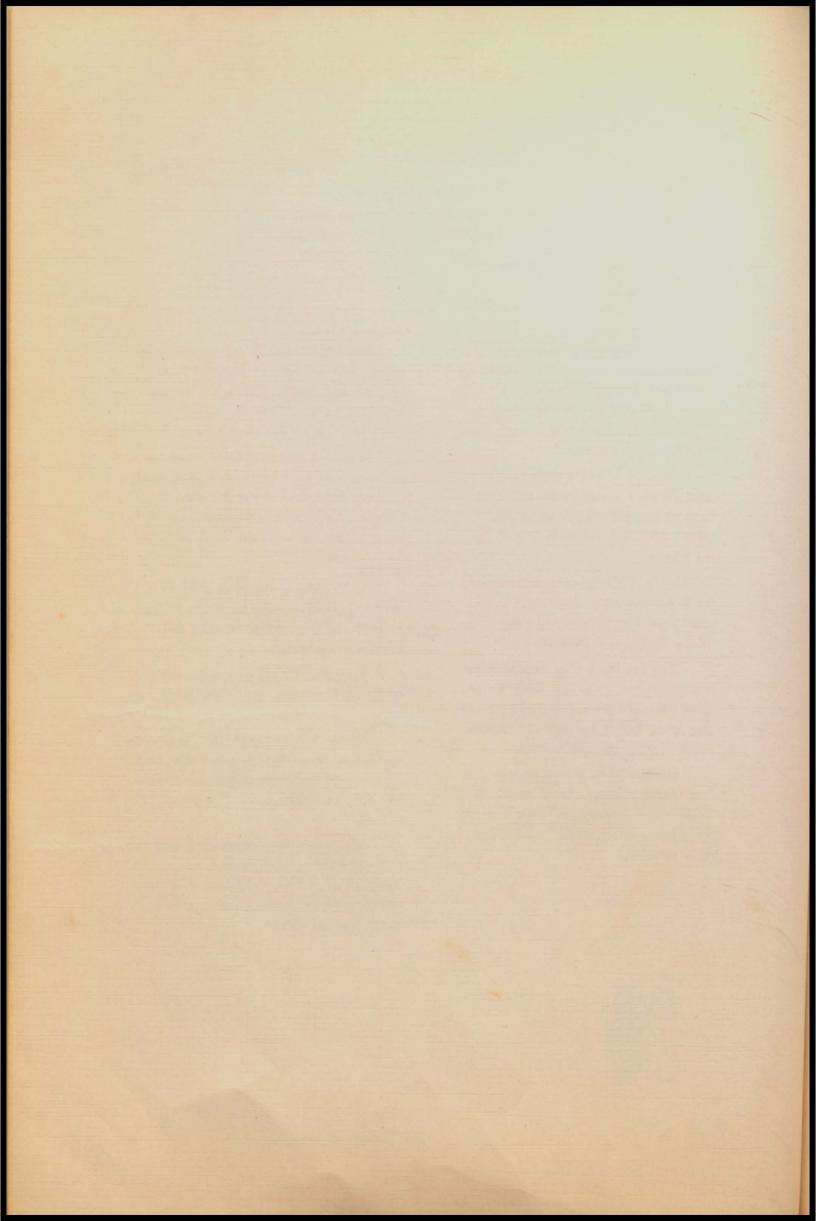
A. V. Bosak stated at a formal dinner last night that he plans to quit school and play baseball with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Fred Day lost a five mile dash to Billie Comman of Baylor University.

Wilma Shindler quit the Tidehaven volleyball team to play pro-volleyball. When interviewed by news reporters-her only comment was, "I want to see action."

Her coach, Mr. Sweetbody has announced that Lucille Gonzales, America's leading swimmer, will be ready to swim the English channel in early June of 1950.







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Woman's Page:

At a formal tea, the parents of Mary Alice Herman announced her engagement to James Garrison Fullilove of Los Angeles, California.

Annie Hickl gives her latest reports on summer fashions. "Girls, you are not in style unless you are wearing pantaloons and hoop skirts. They are strickly modern.

Lanita Buffalow is among the six bathing beauties who will compete for the Miss Texas title this summer at the Sugar Bowl swimming resort.

Love Lorn Column:

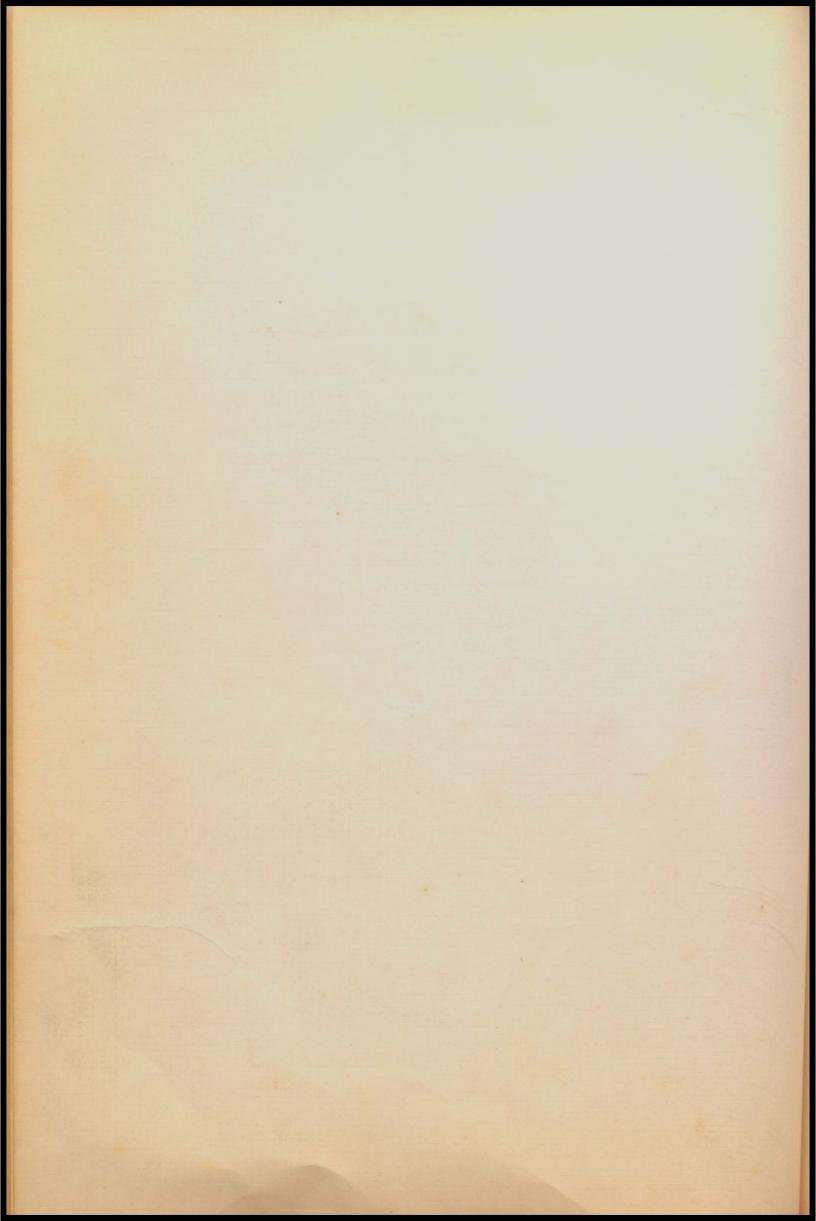
Dear Mr. Tinklestin:

Since you have been married five times, maybe you could give me some advice on how to propose an engagement to my one and only who is leaving me behind in high school. I am afraid that she will not wait and if she had a clear stone on her finger maybe it will help my dreams come true.

> Unexperienced, A. B. M.





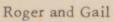






Bobby, Carolyn, and Jo Ann





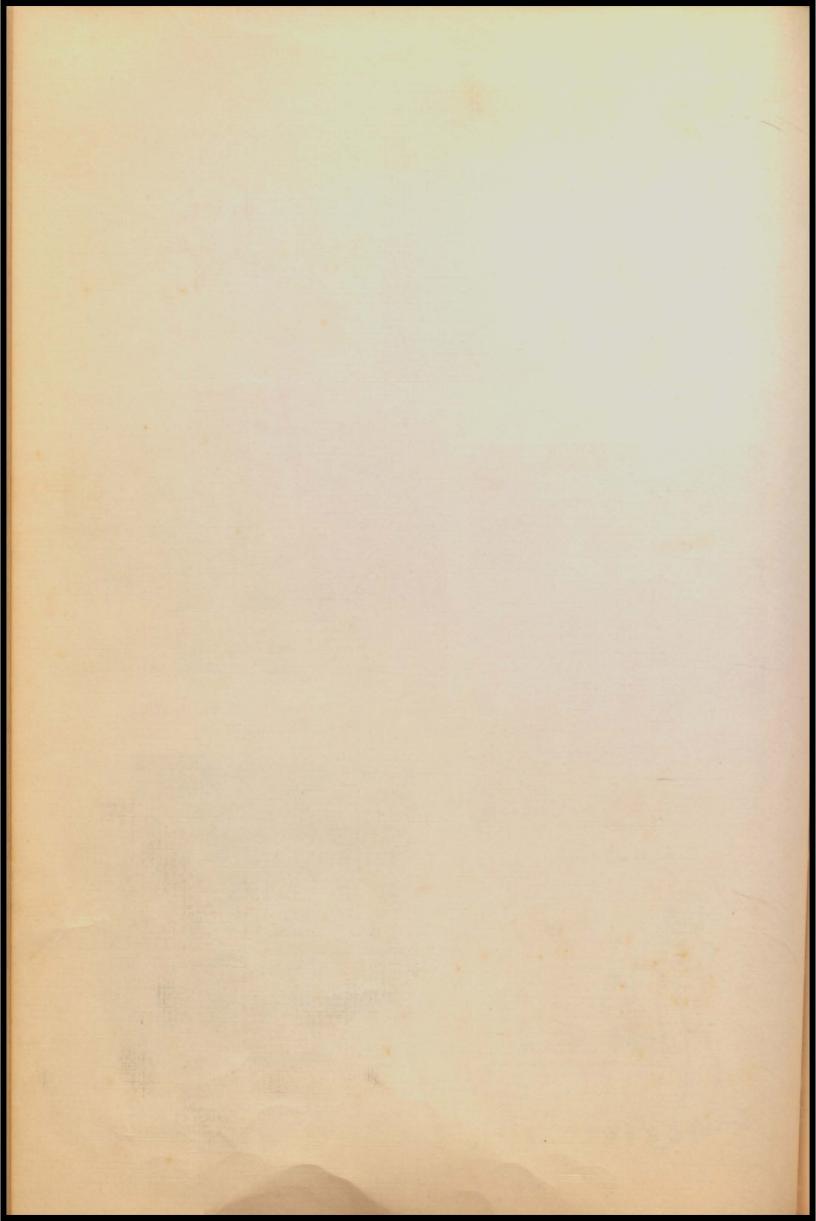




Bobby, Loretta, Wilma, Martha, Anne, and Janette



Pudgy, Doris, Bugger, Rose, Herbert, Elaine, Roger, Dorothy, Betty, and Dottie





Bobby, Ellen, Carolyn, and Jo Ann



Just boys



The Mad Rush



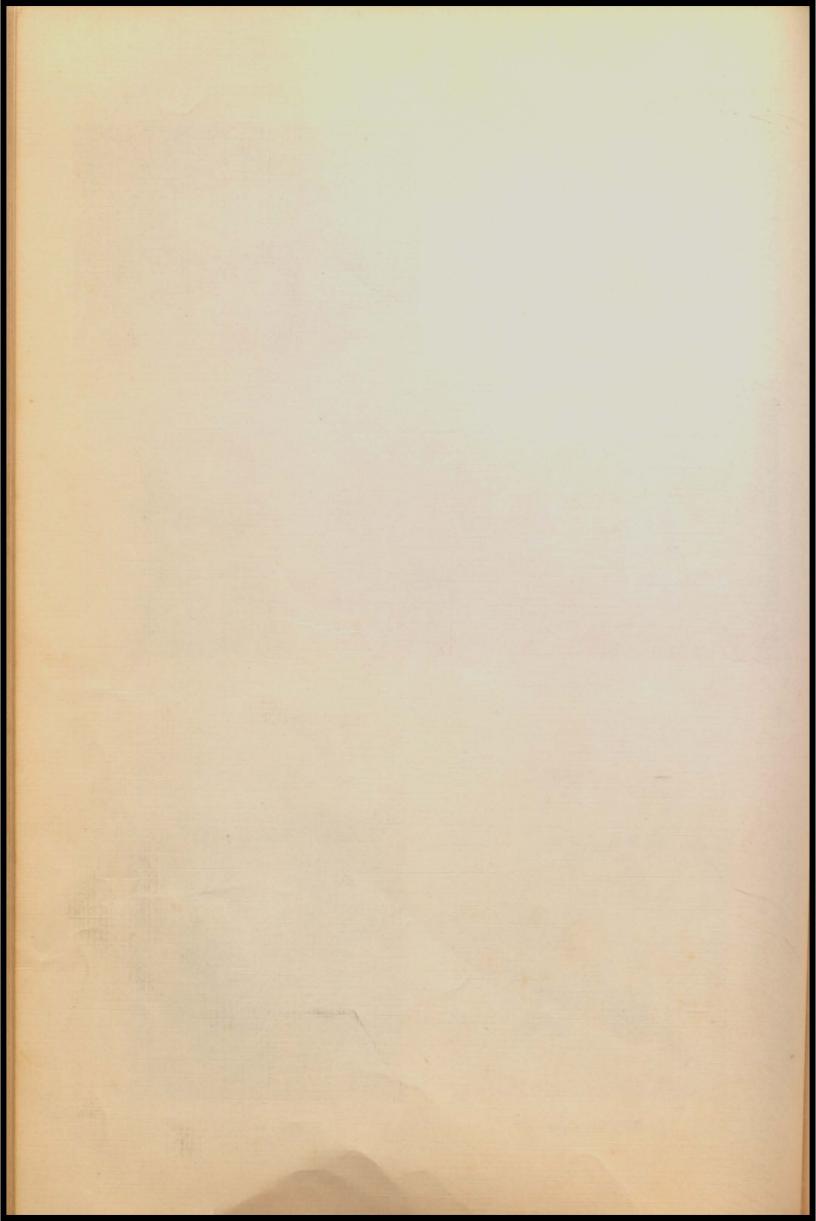
We wonder



The big fight.



Guess who





Bobby Hebert



Gail Crocker



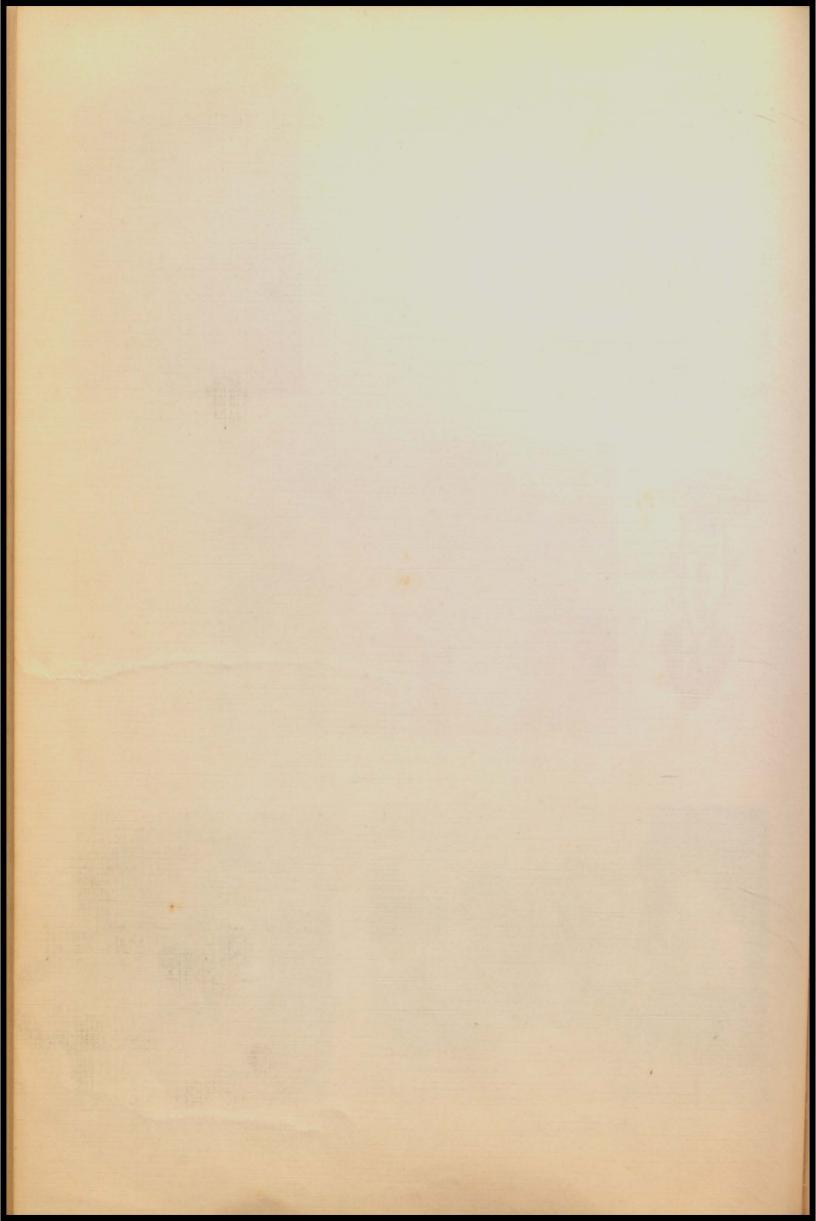
Mrs. Havlik, Mr. Havlik, Otis, Bobby, Carolyn, Archie, Red, Ellen, and Ellis



Ella Mae and Gail



Mammy's Little Wild Rose





Carolyn, Otis, and Dot



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Mr. Havlik



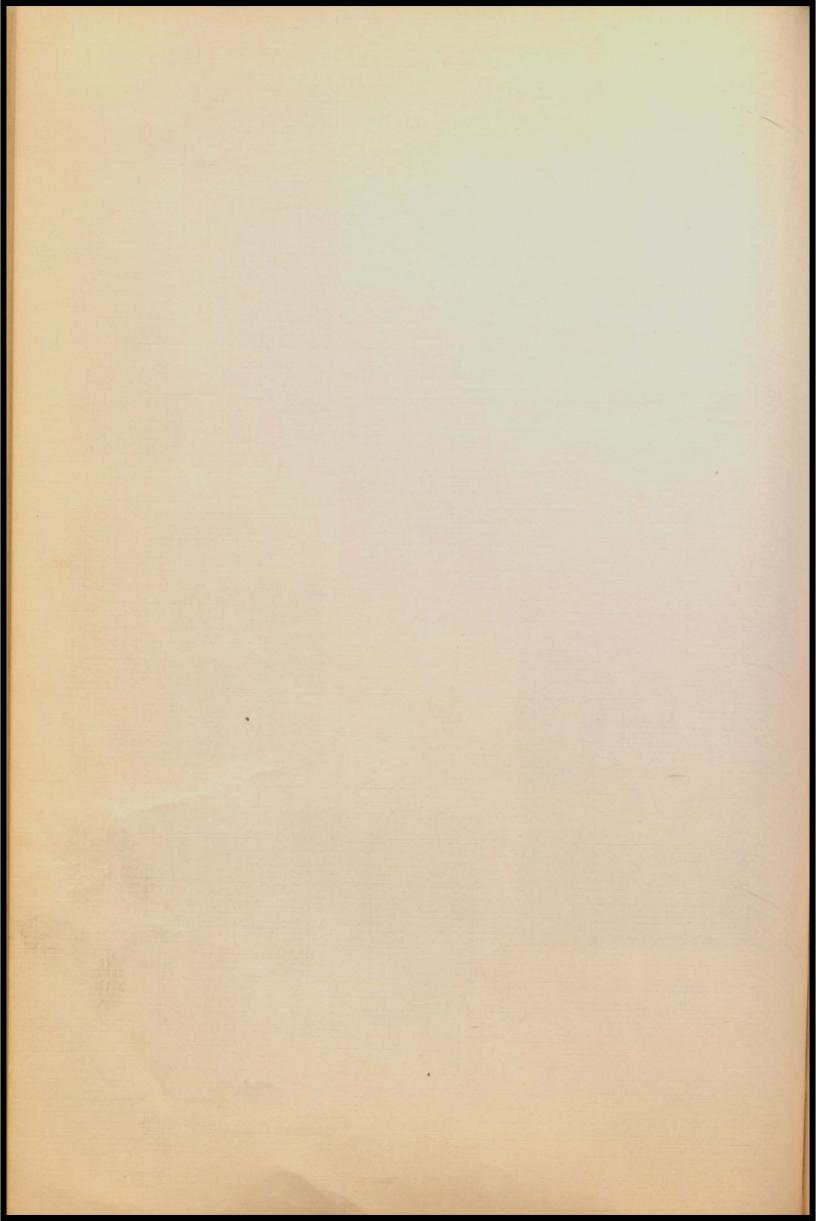
Carolyn and Dot



Volleyball girls



Ellen and Carolyn





Stepping high

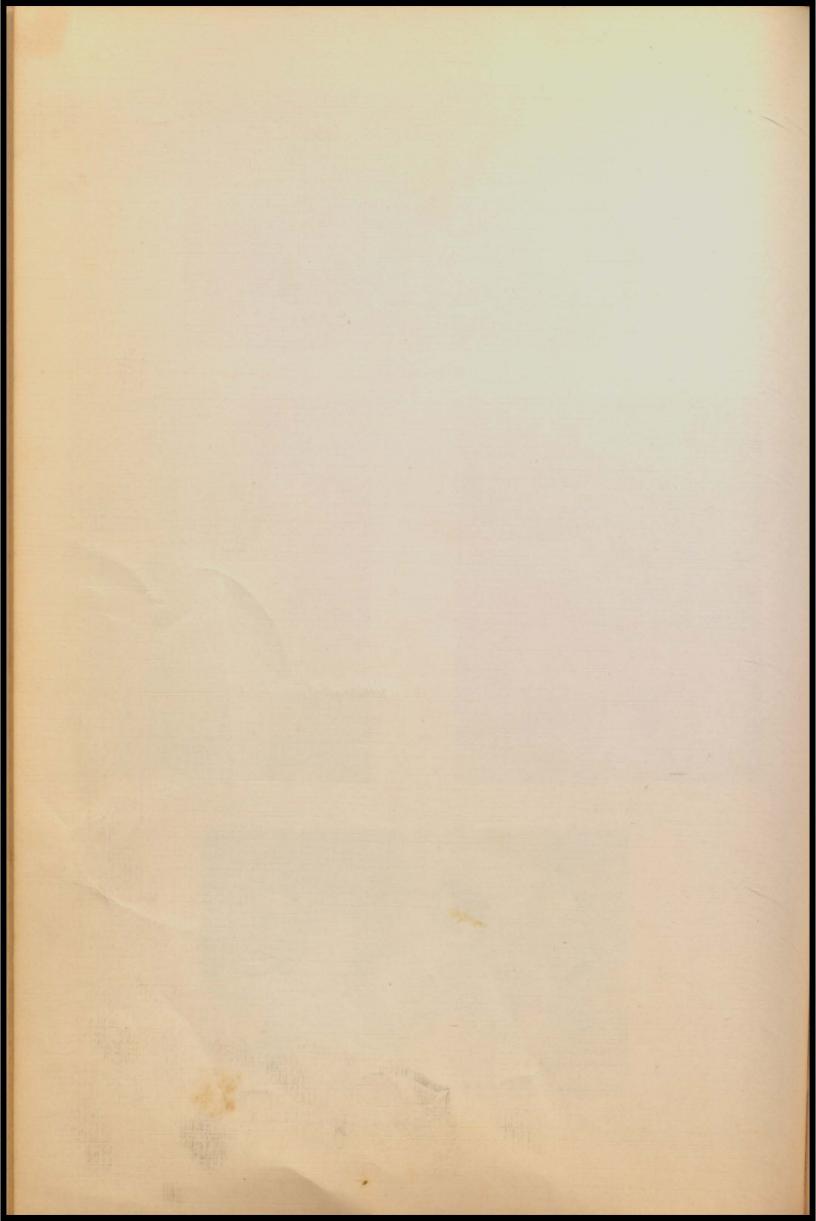




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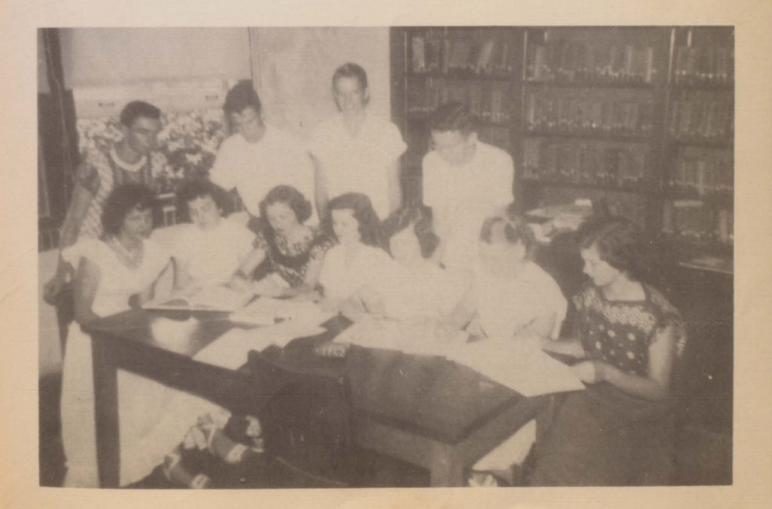


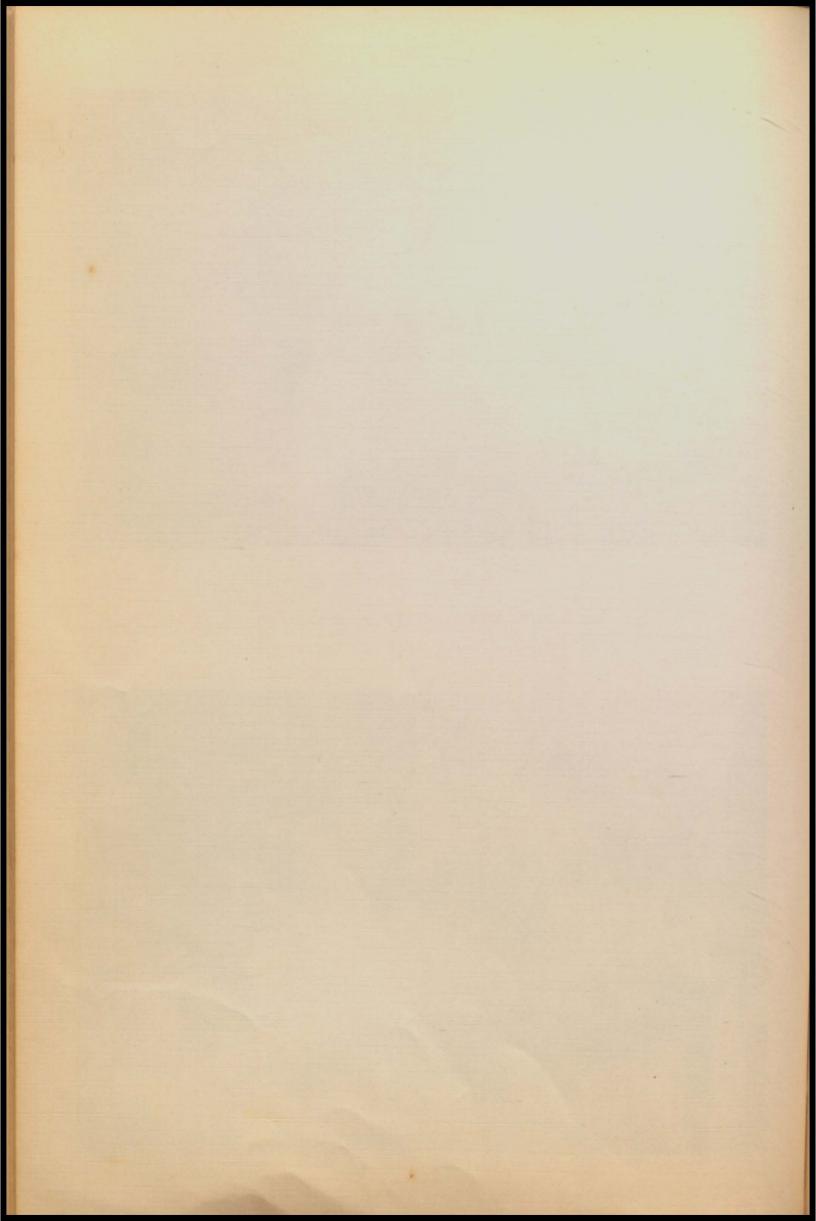
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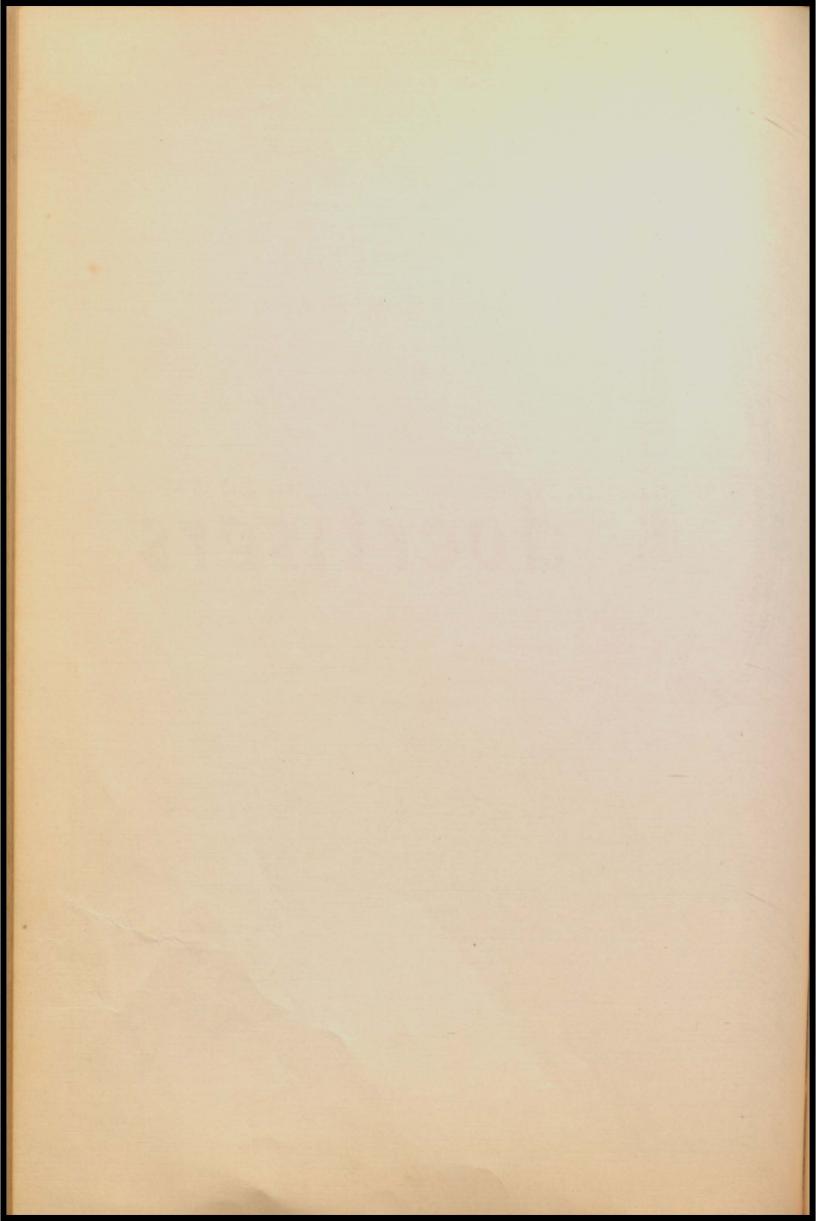
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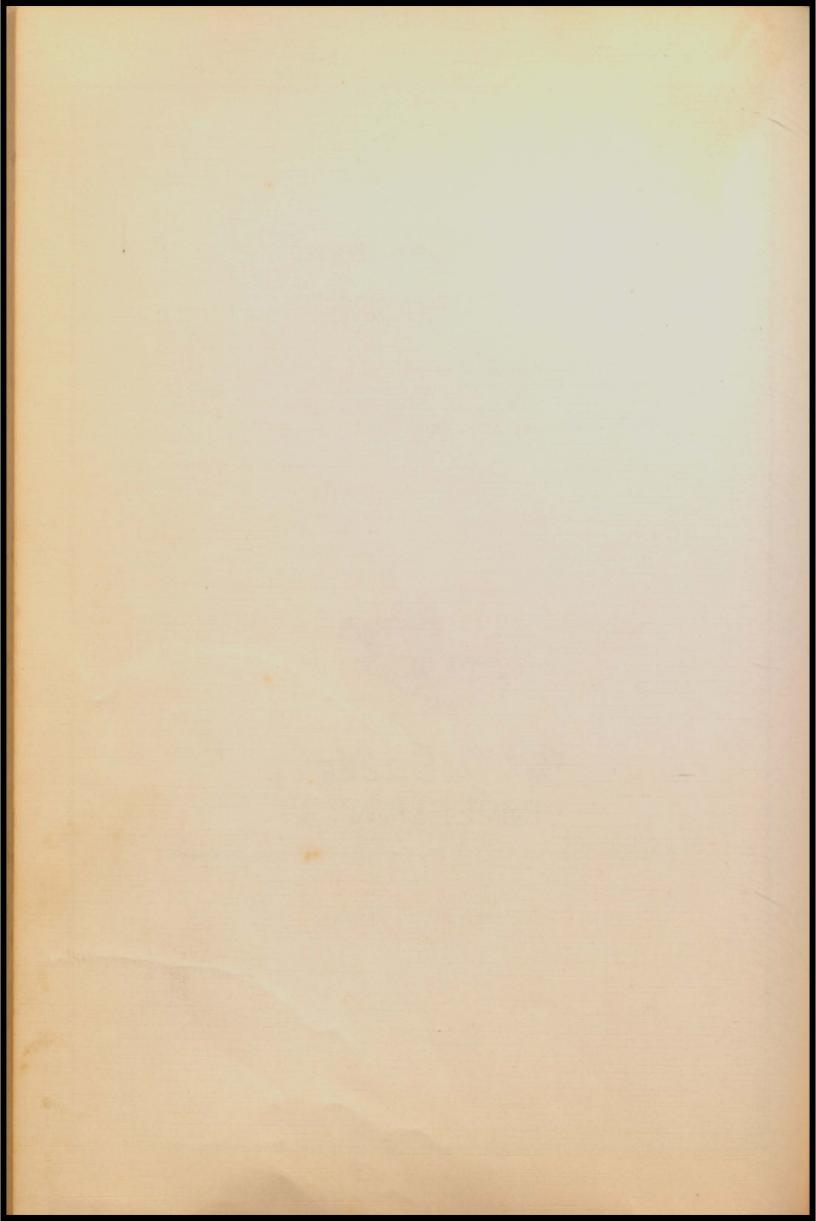
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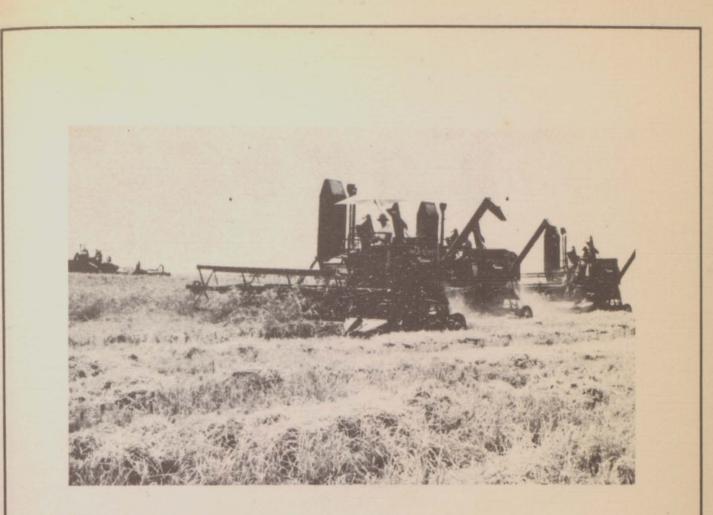


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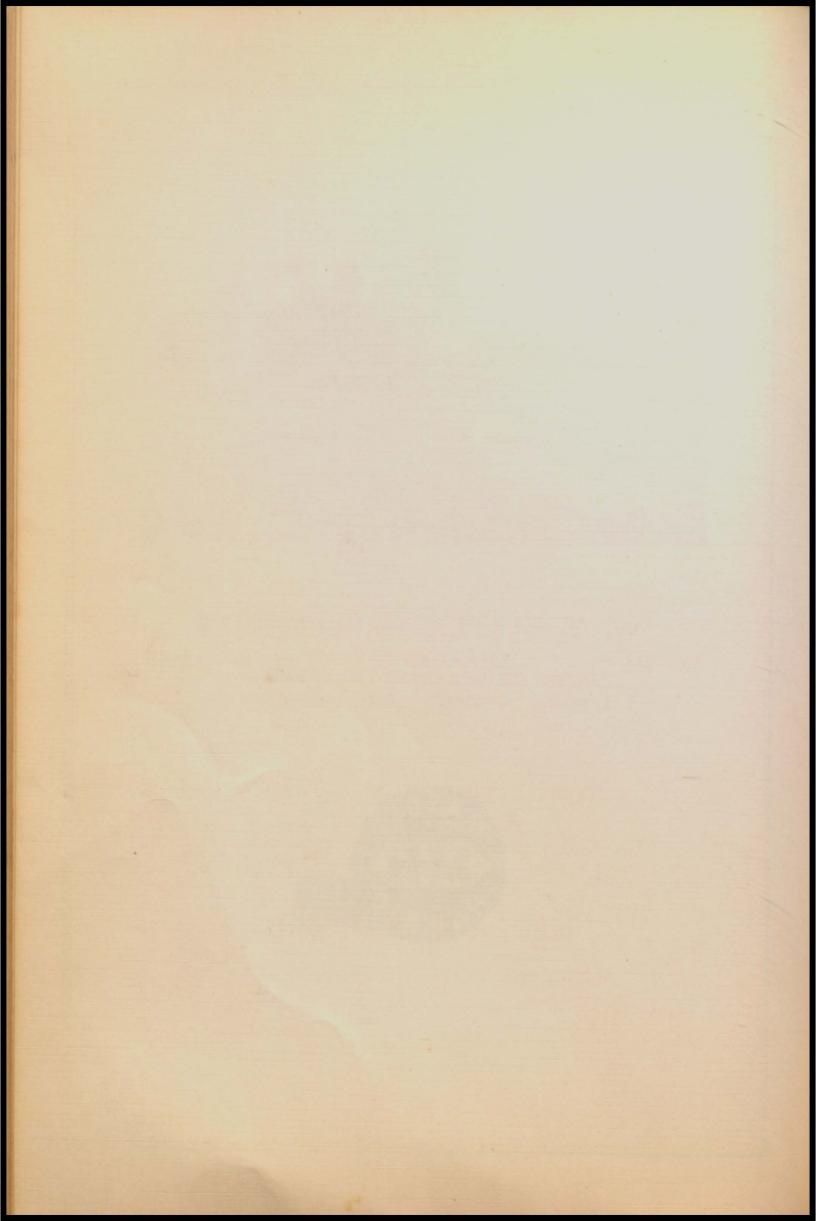


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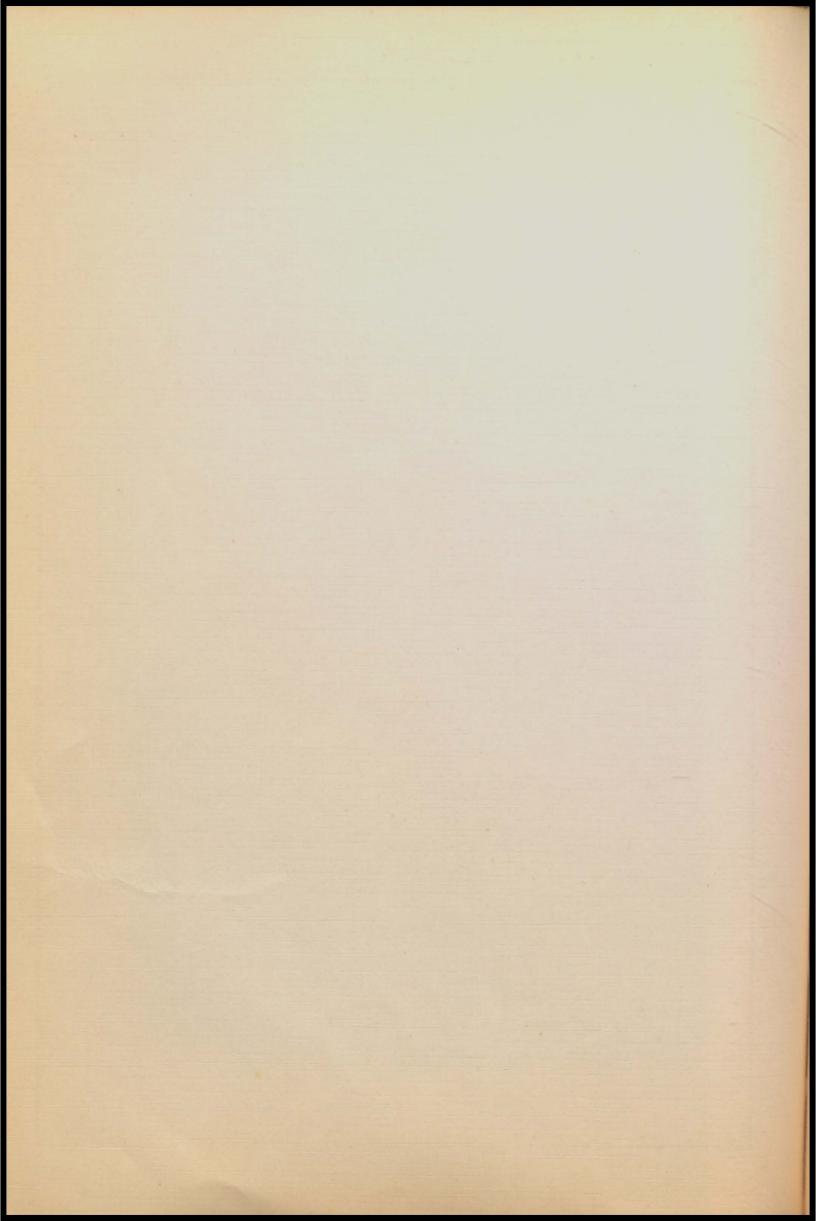
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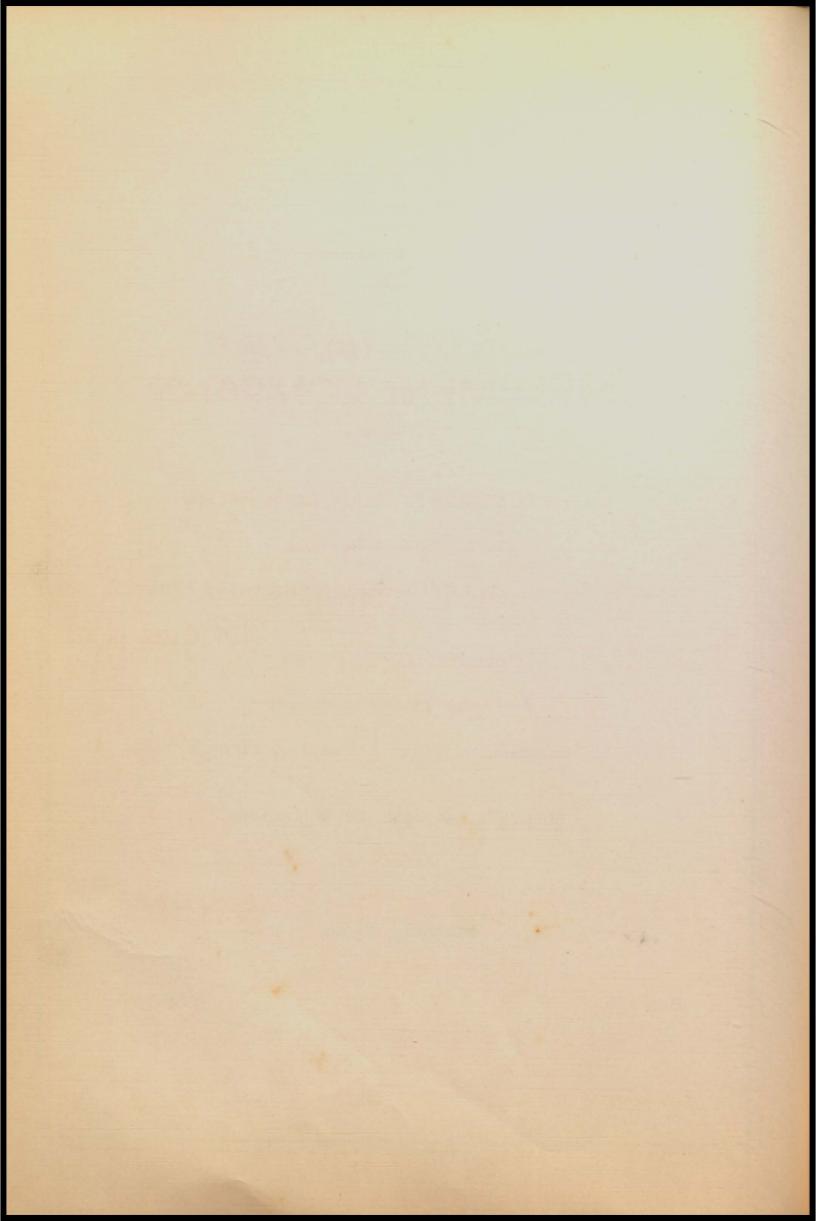
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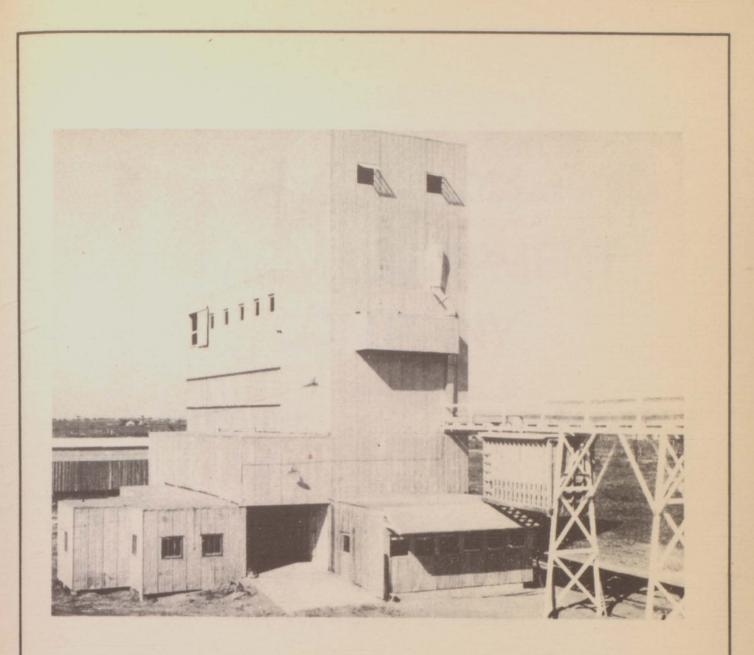
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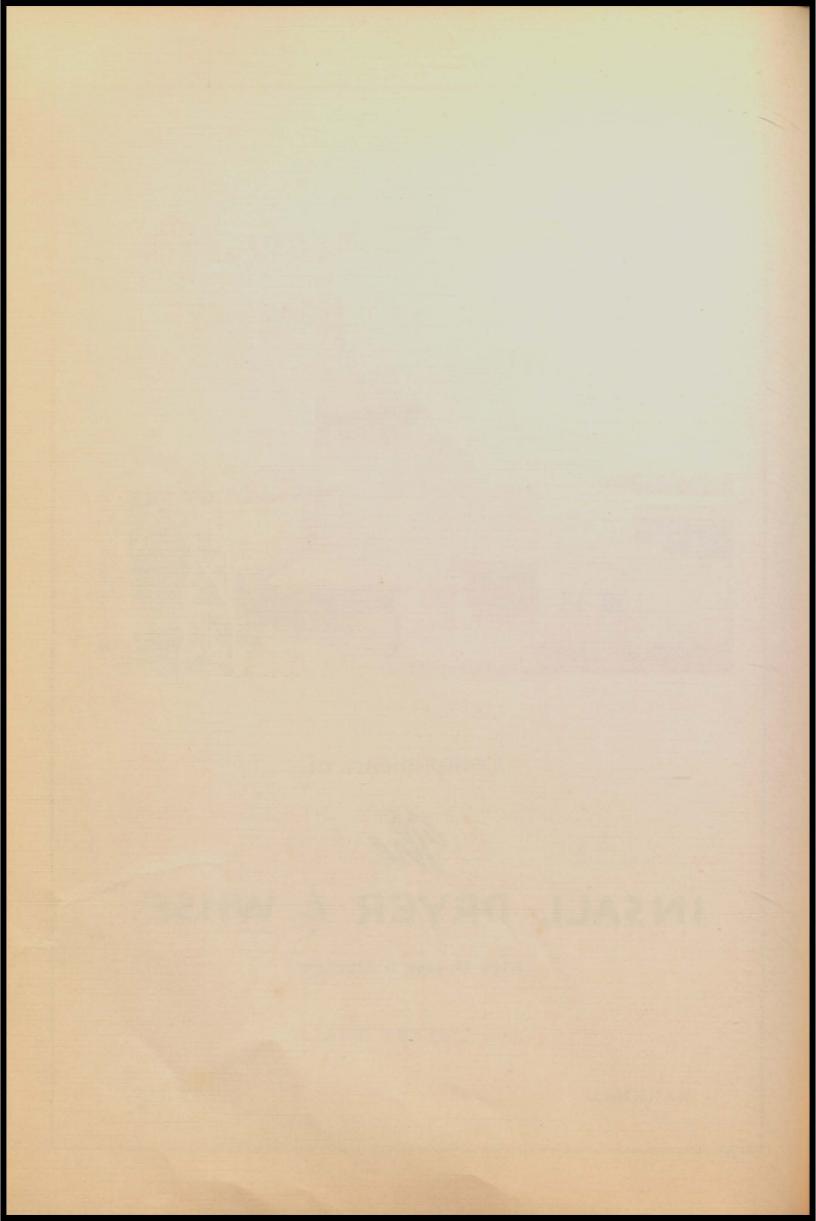
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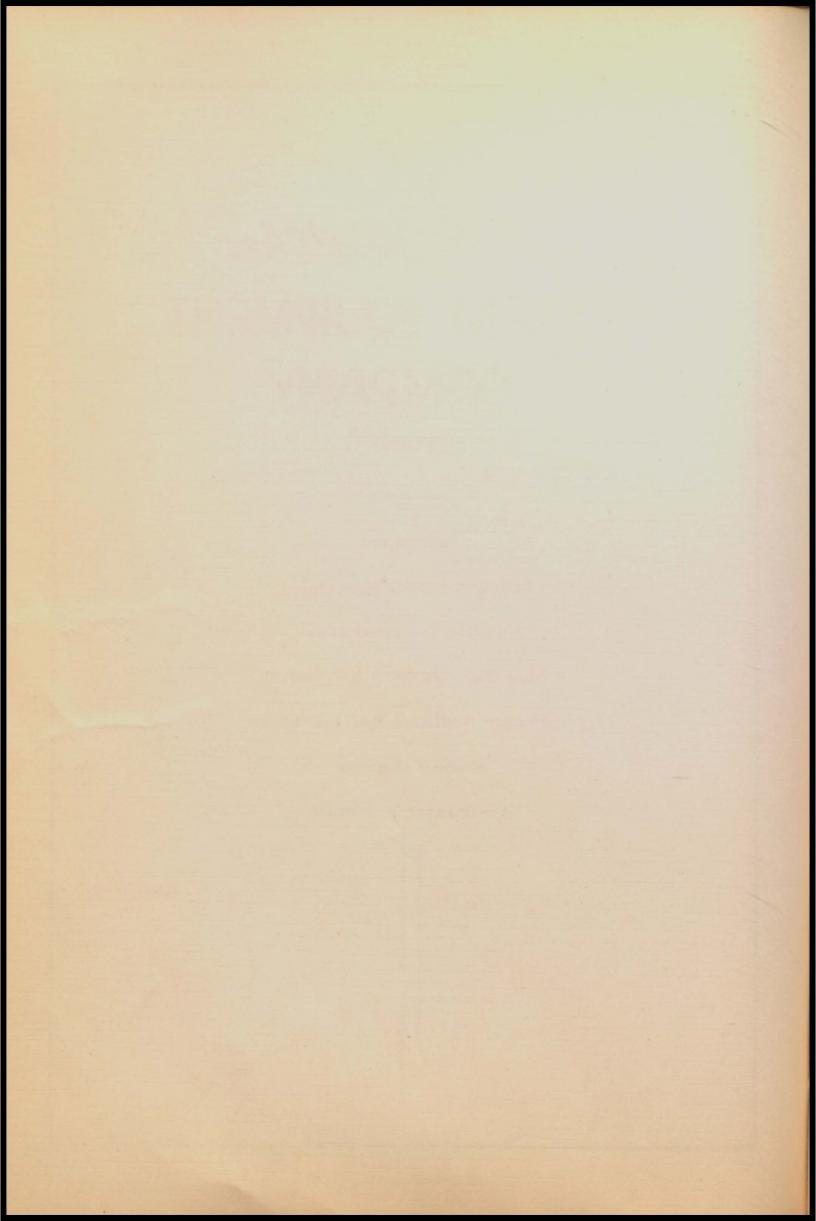
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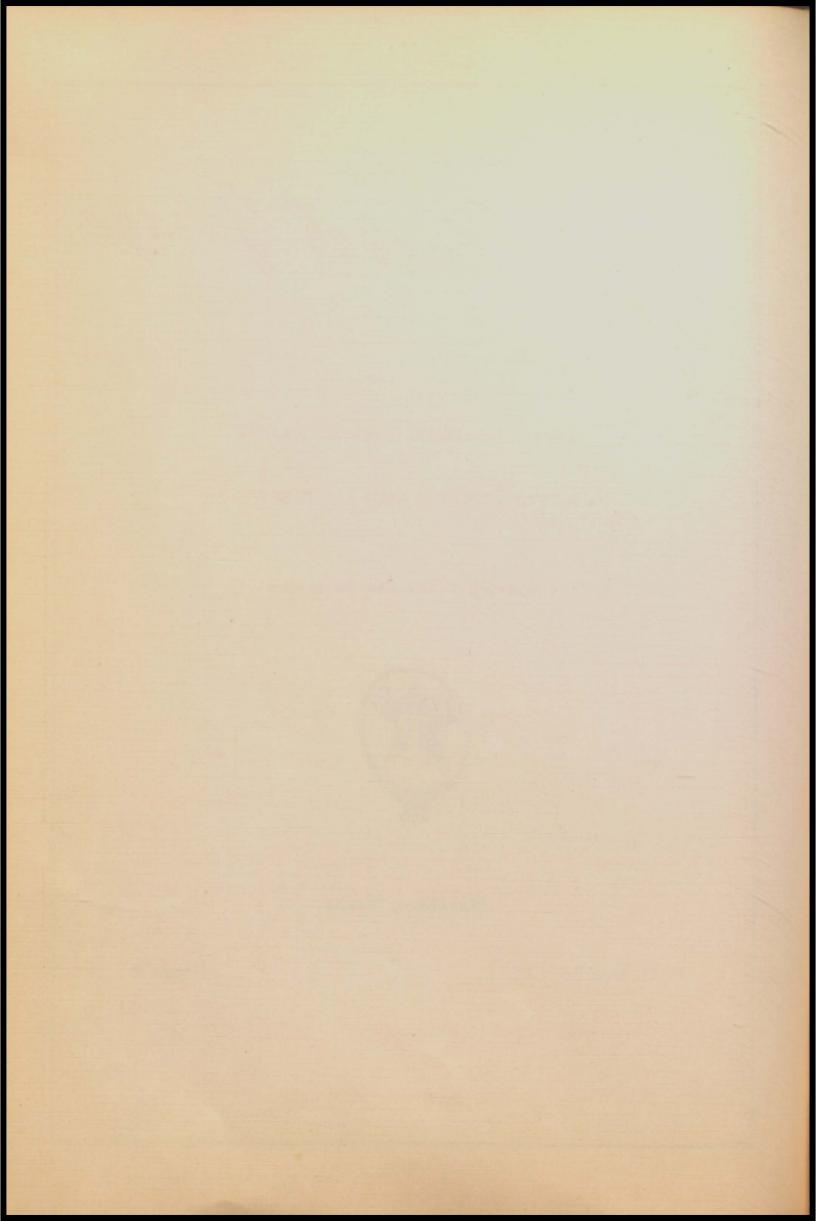
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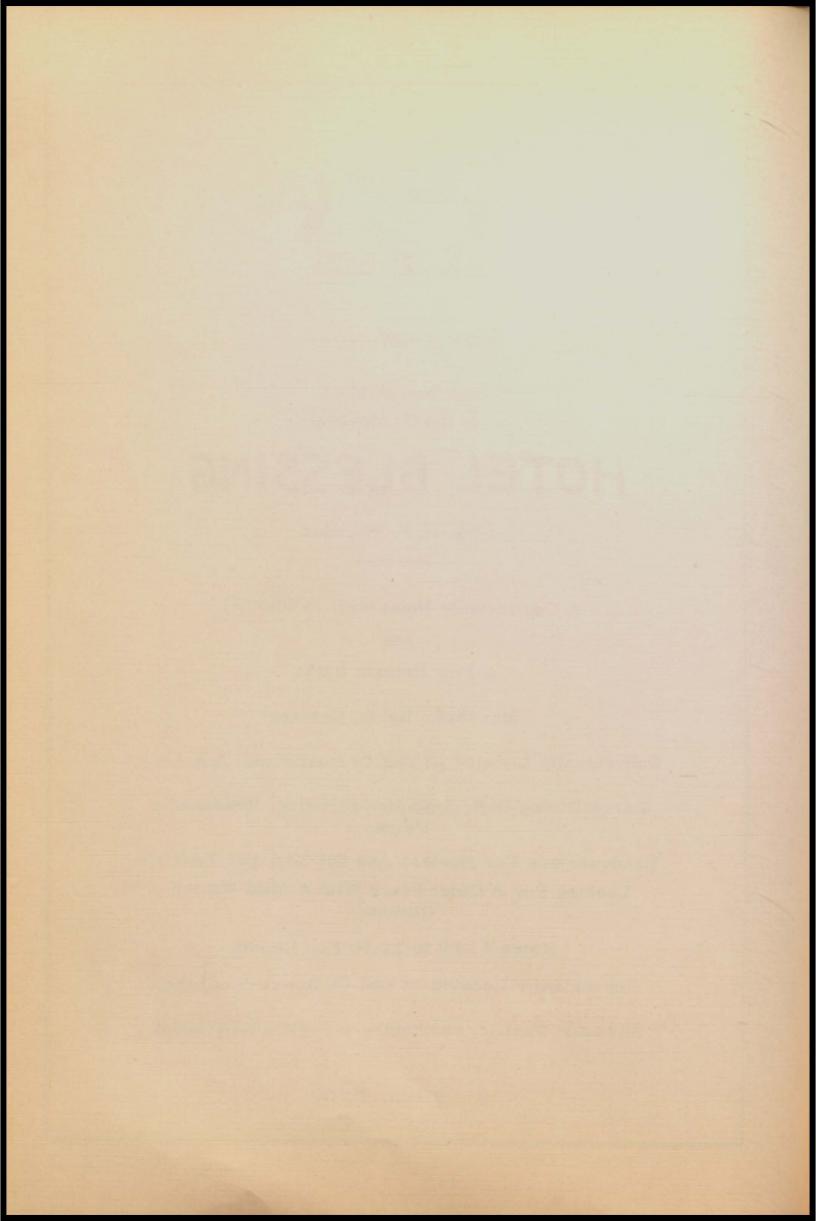
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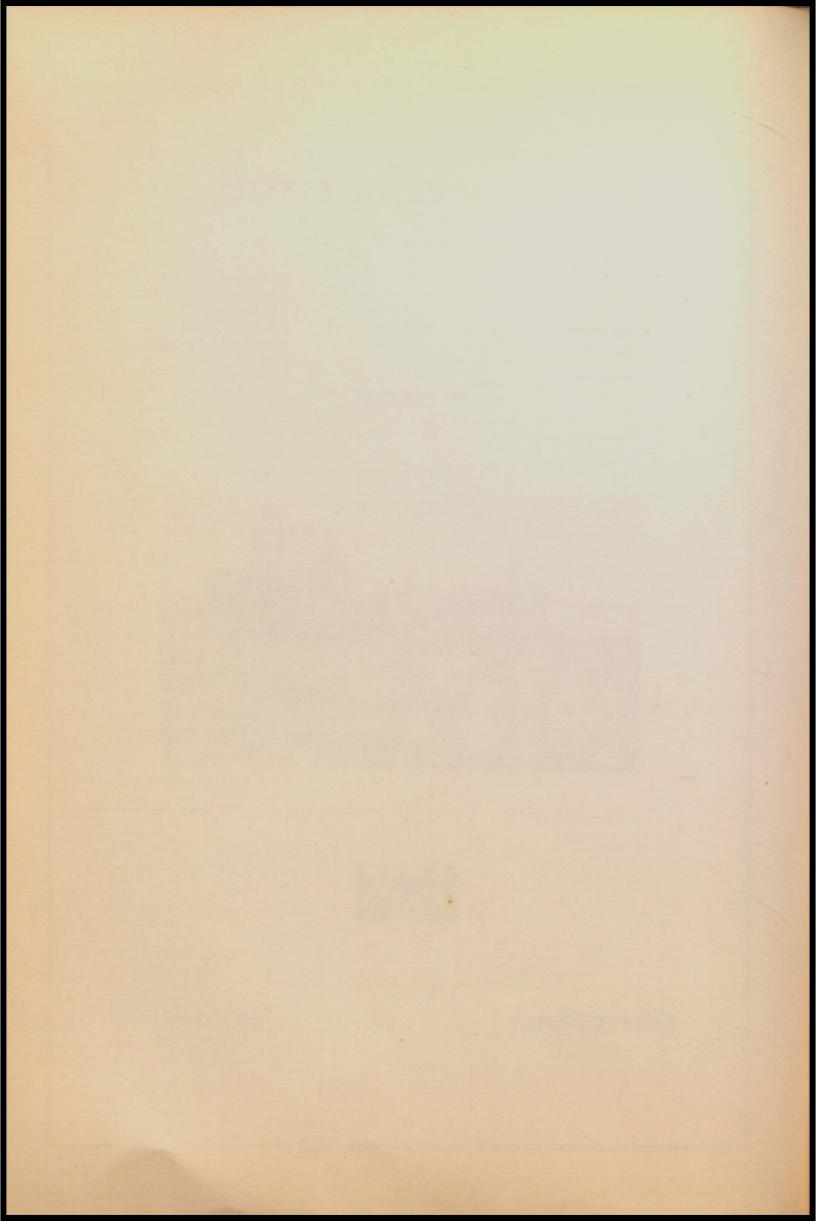
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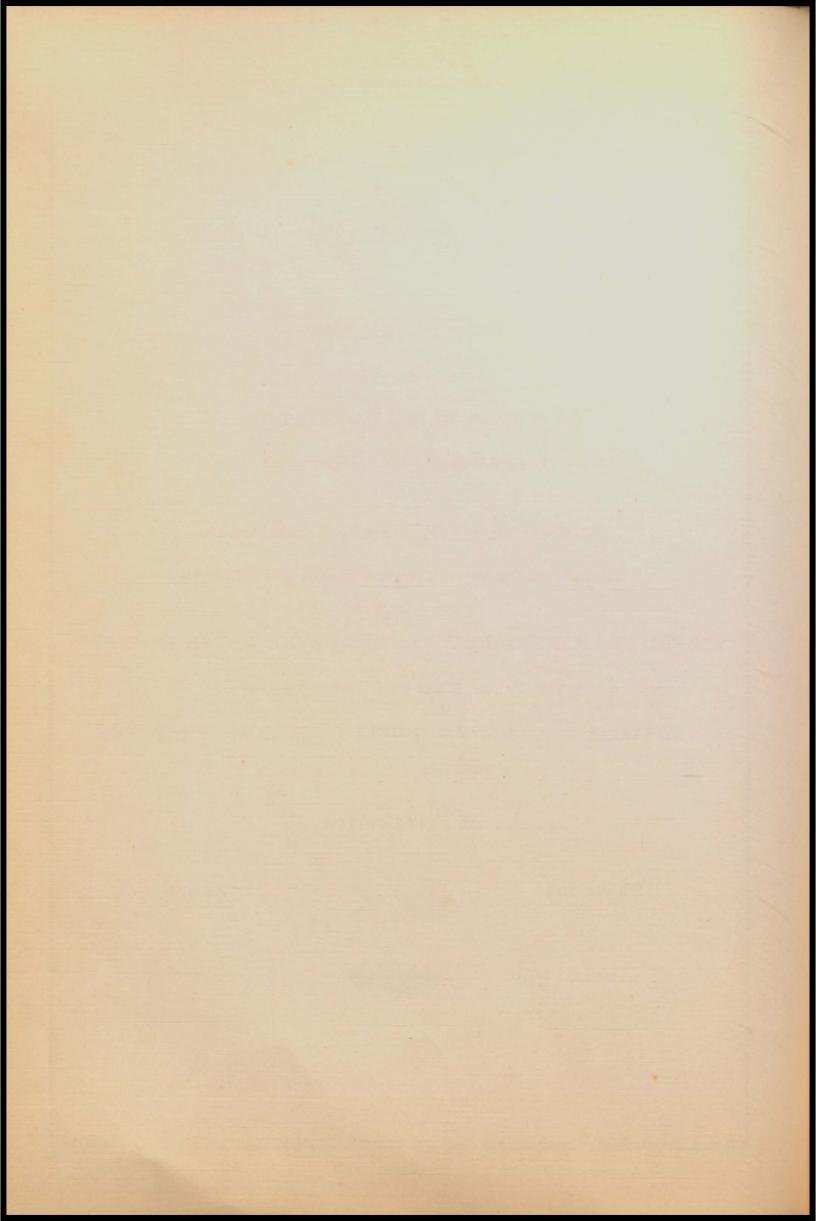
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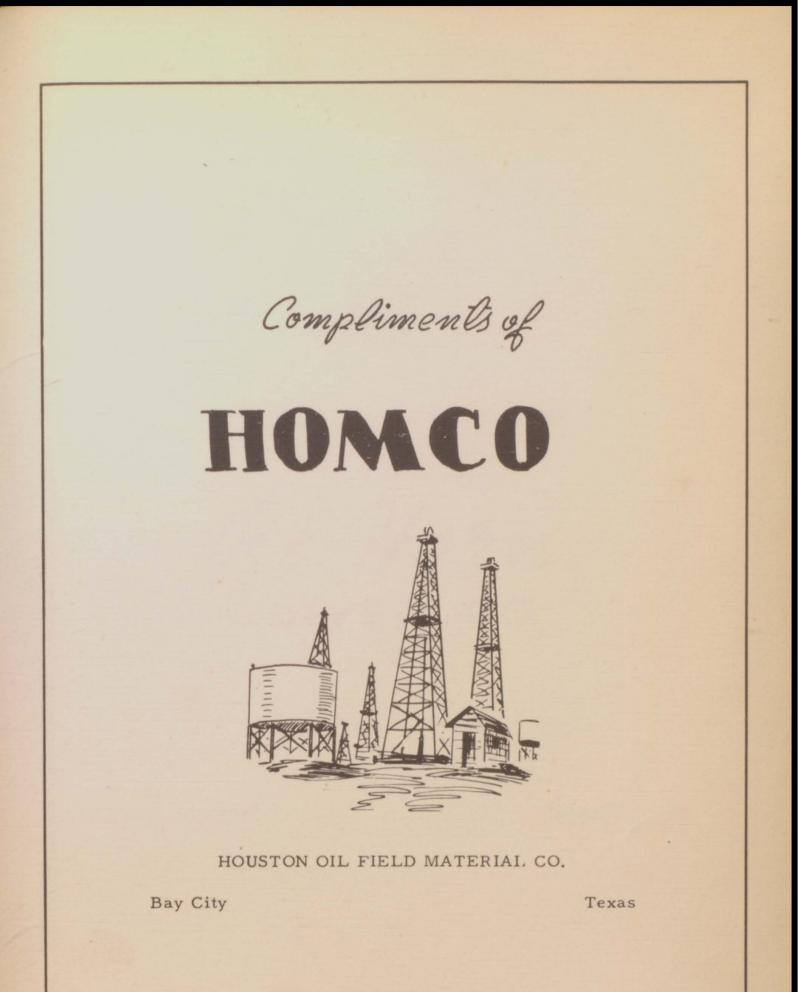
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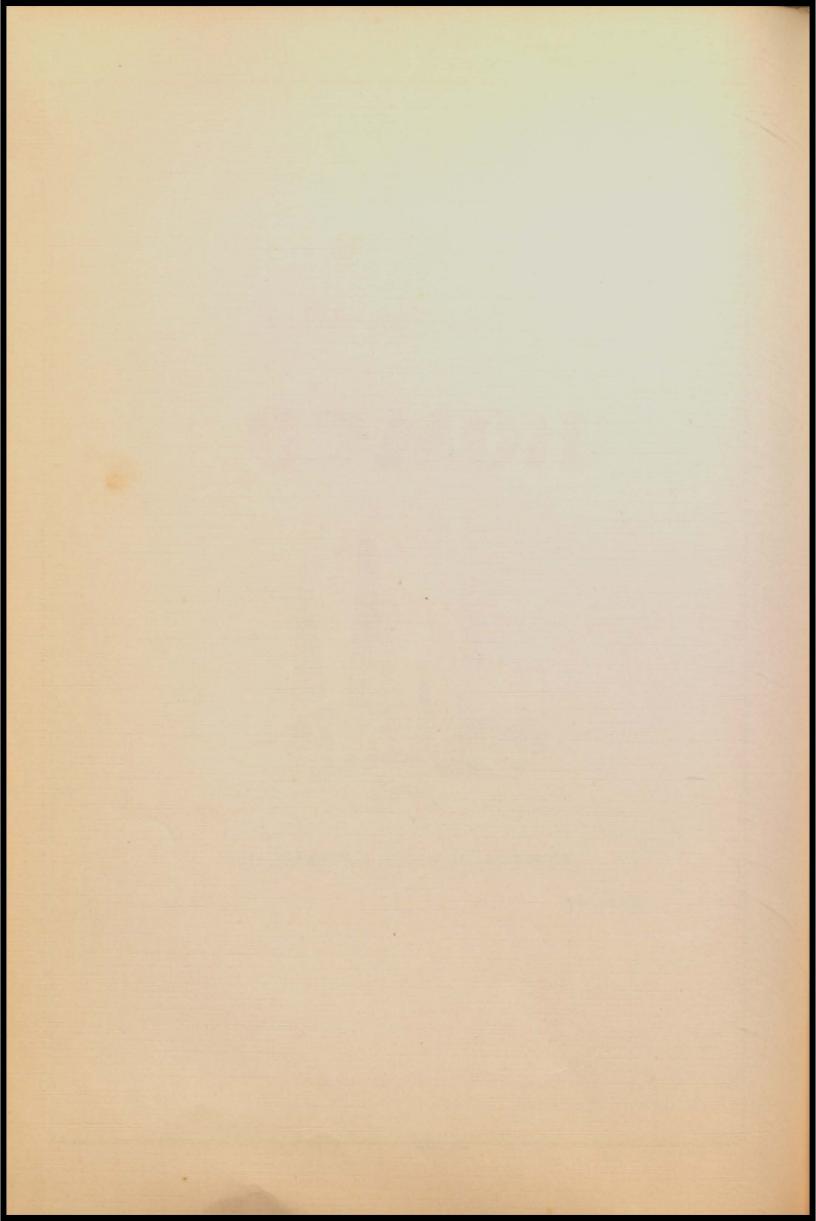
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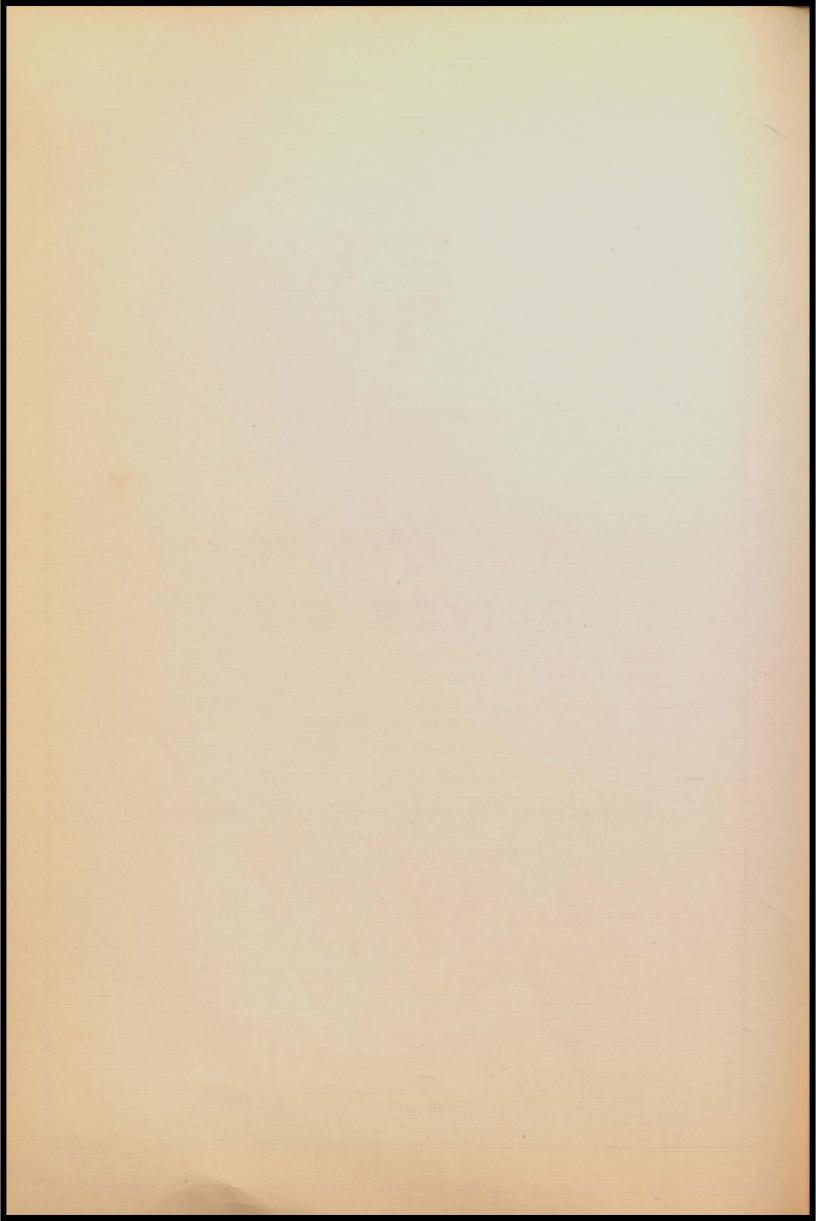
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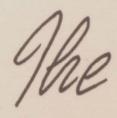
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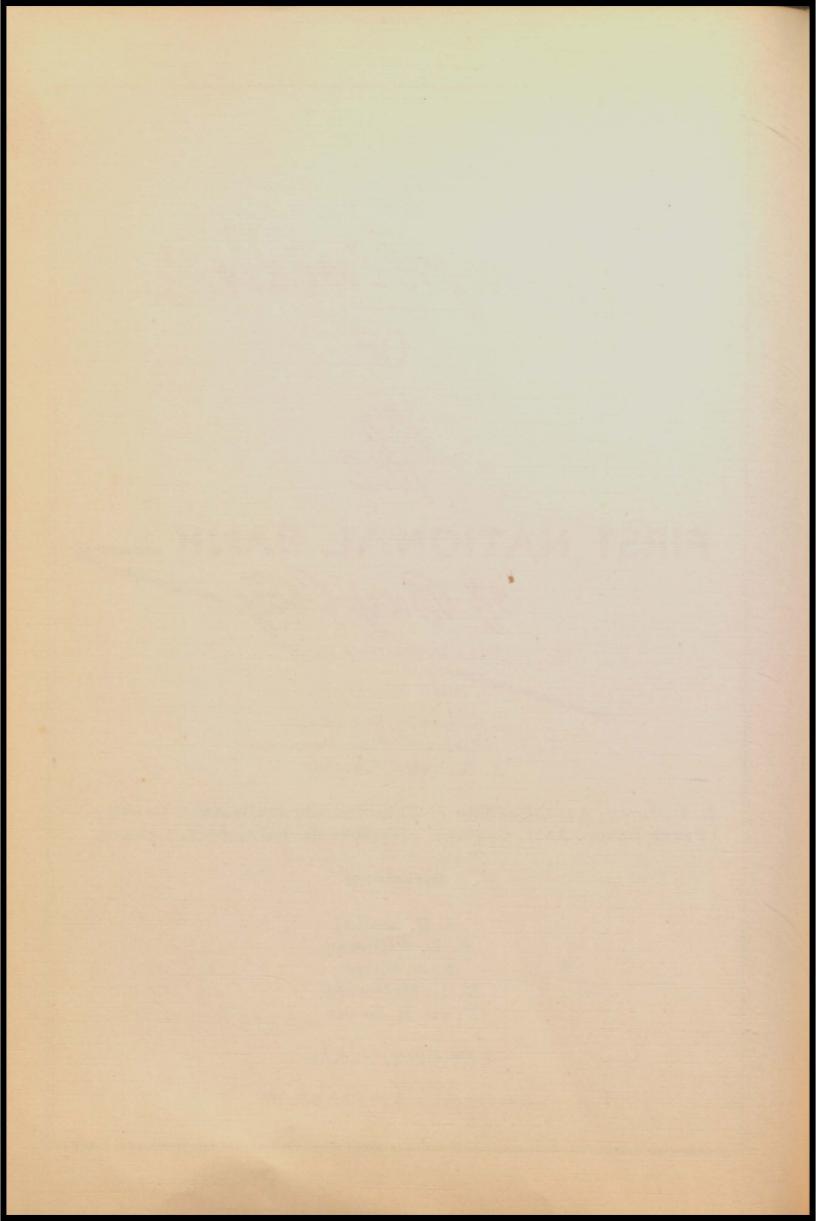
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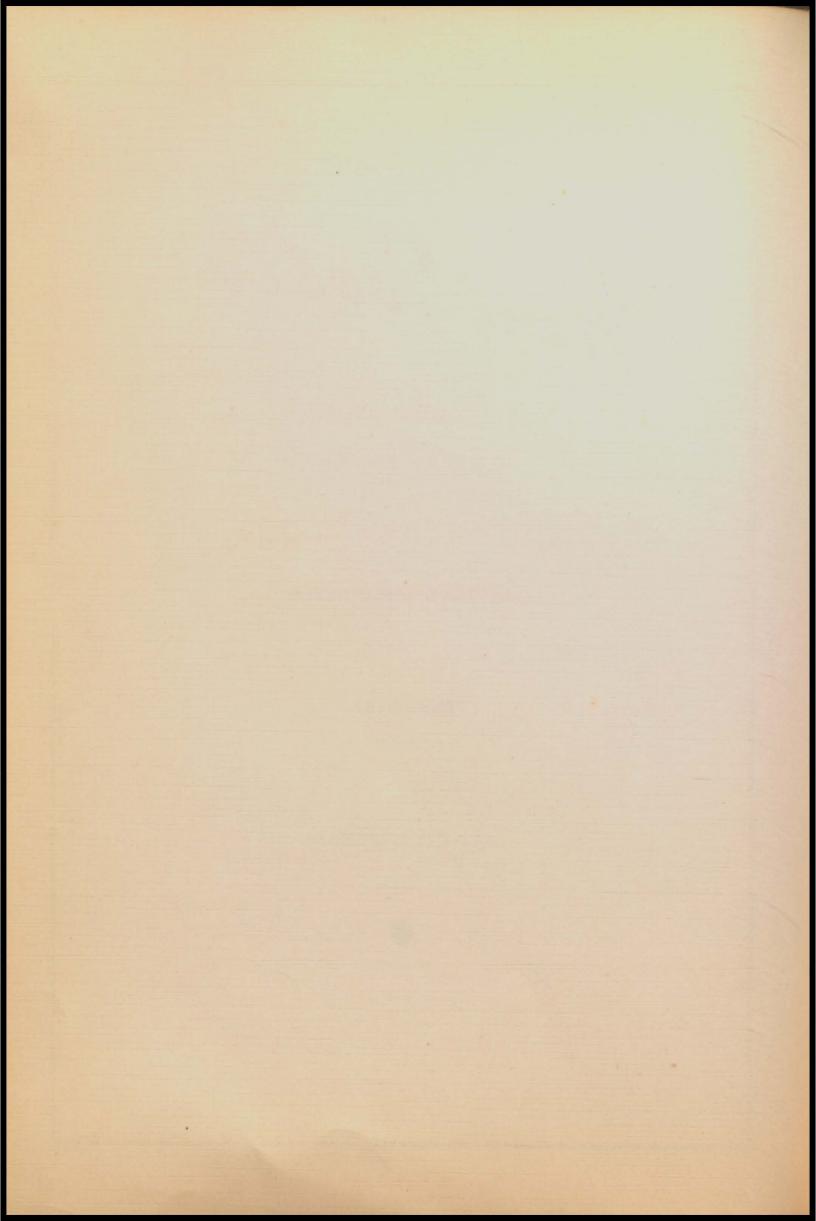
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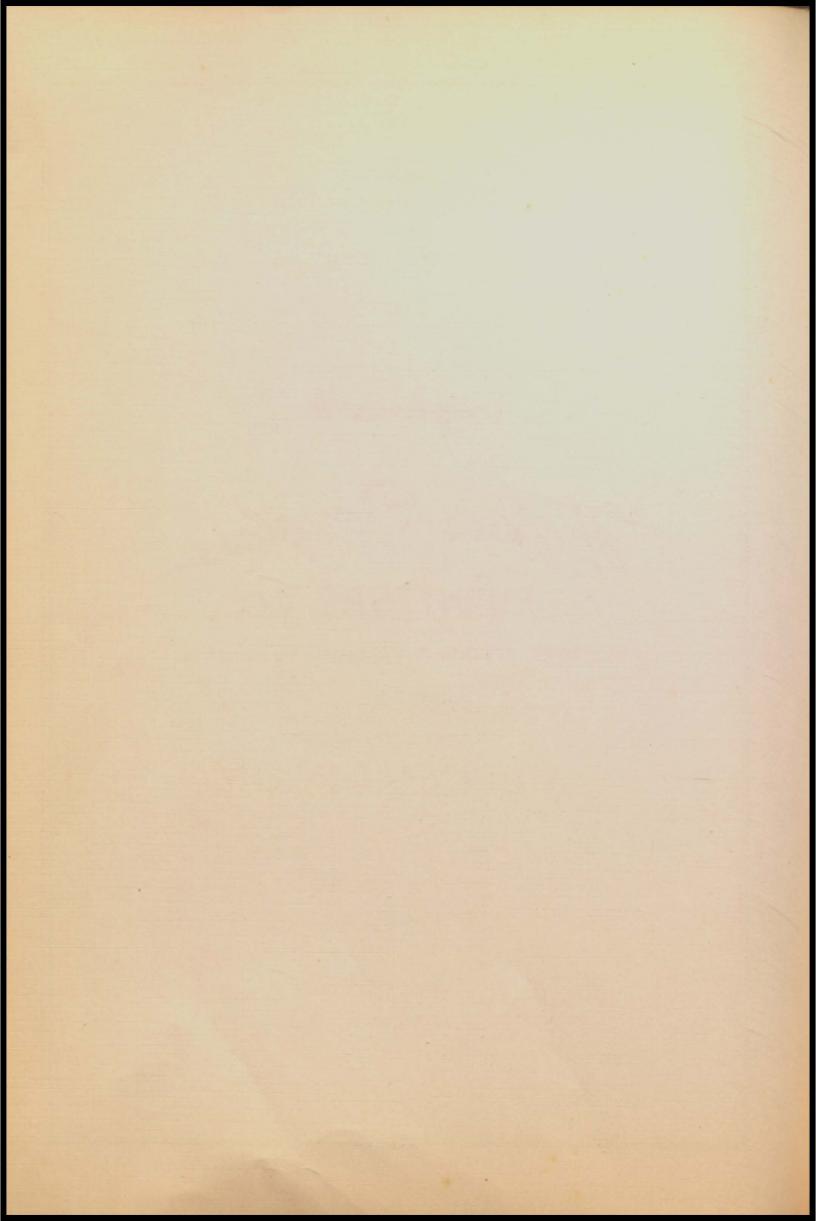
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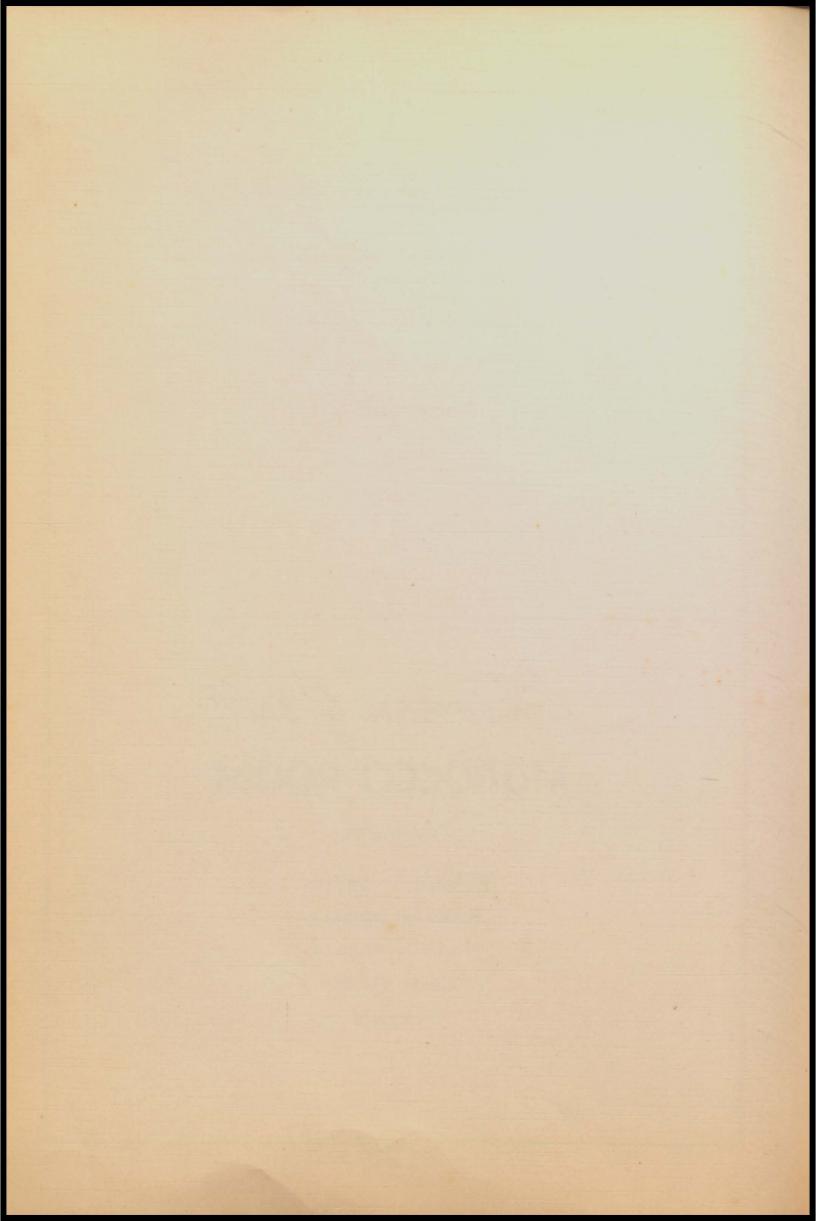
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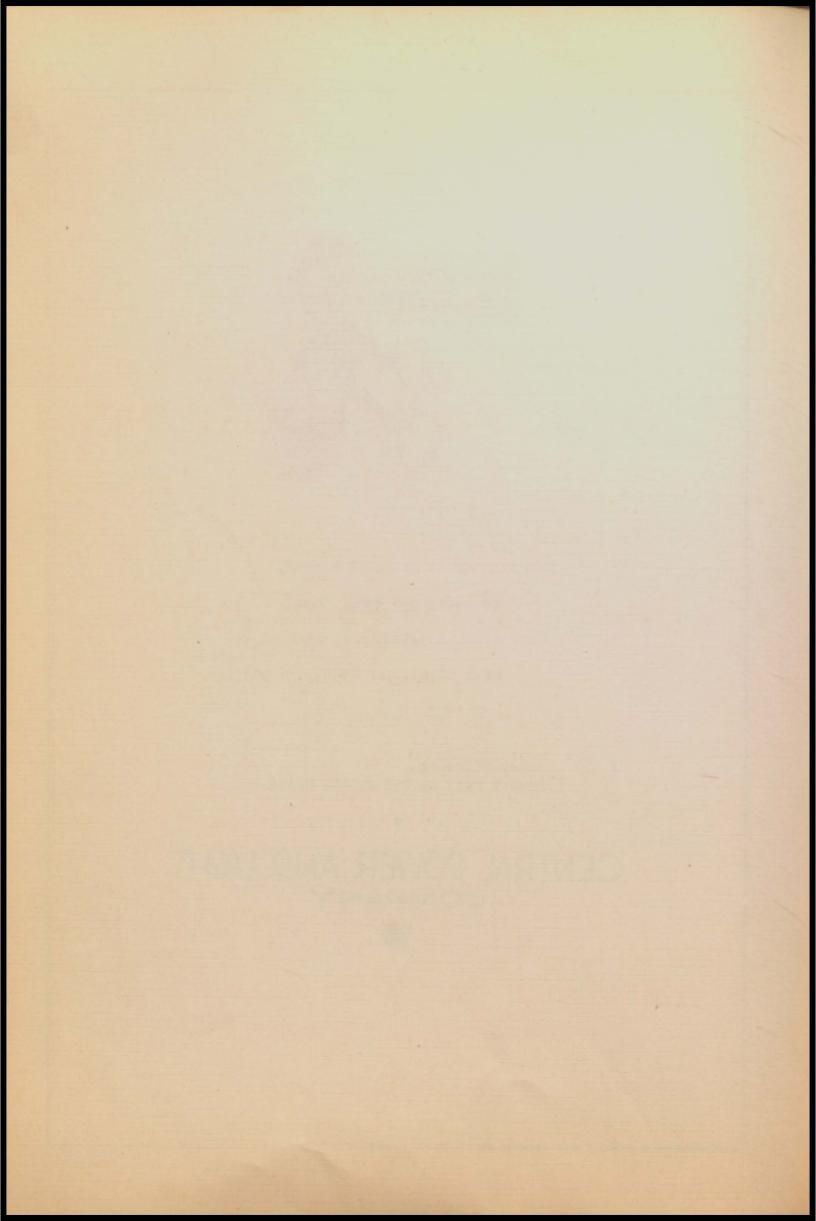




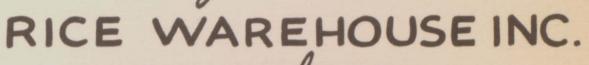
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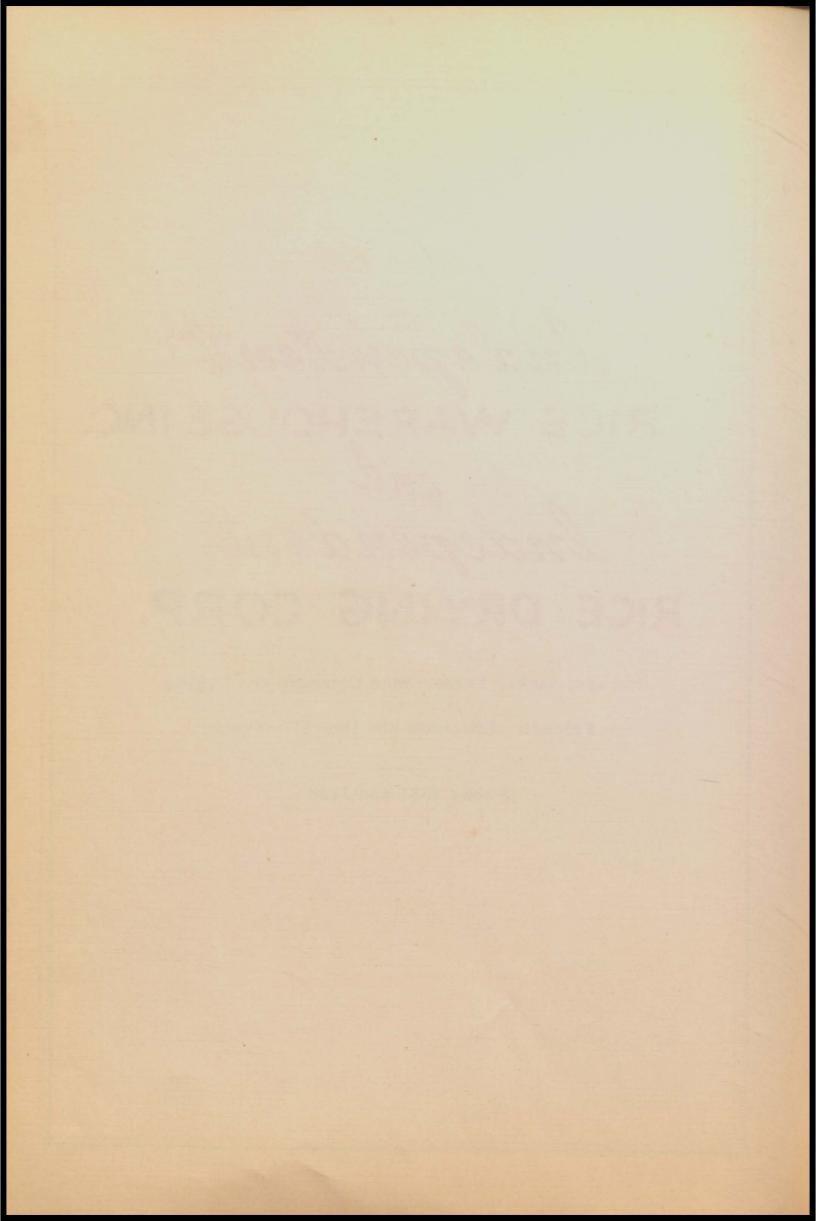
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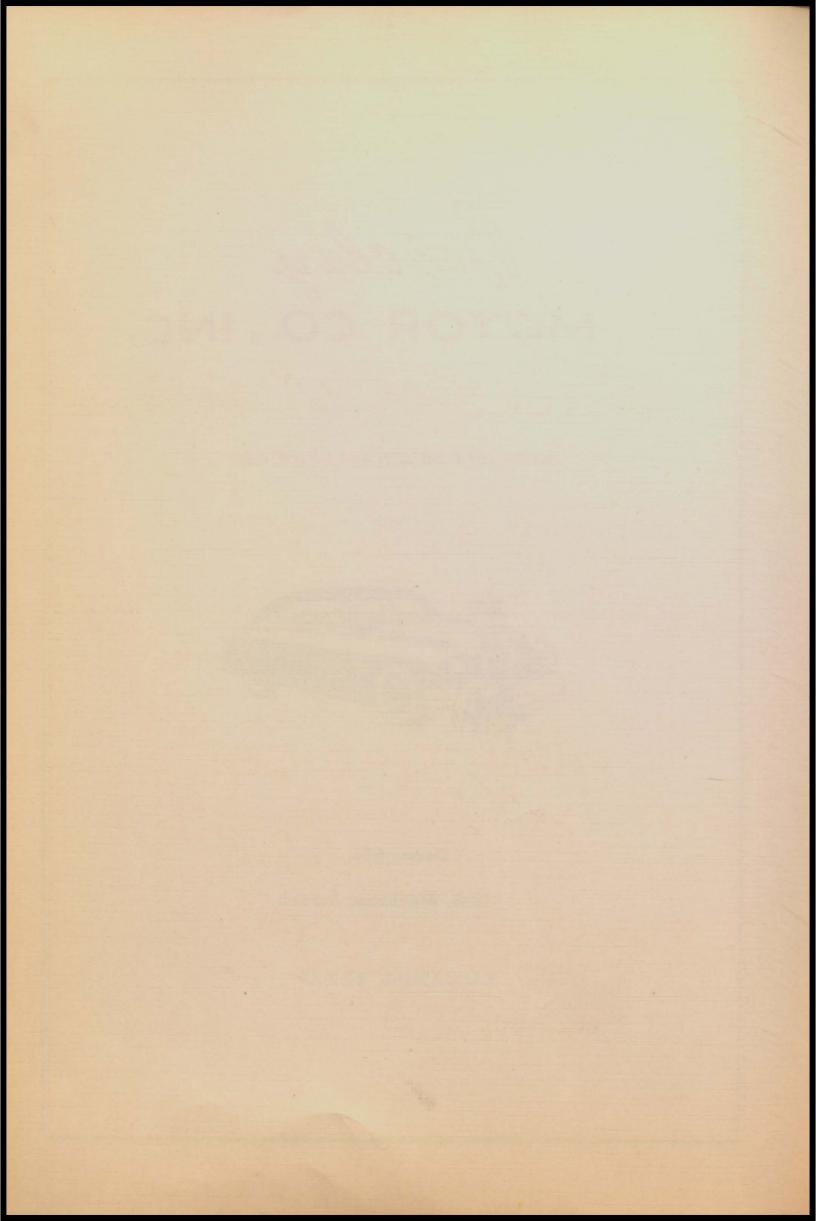
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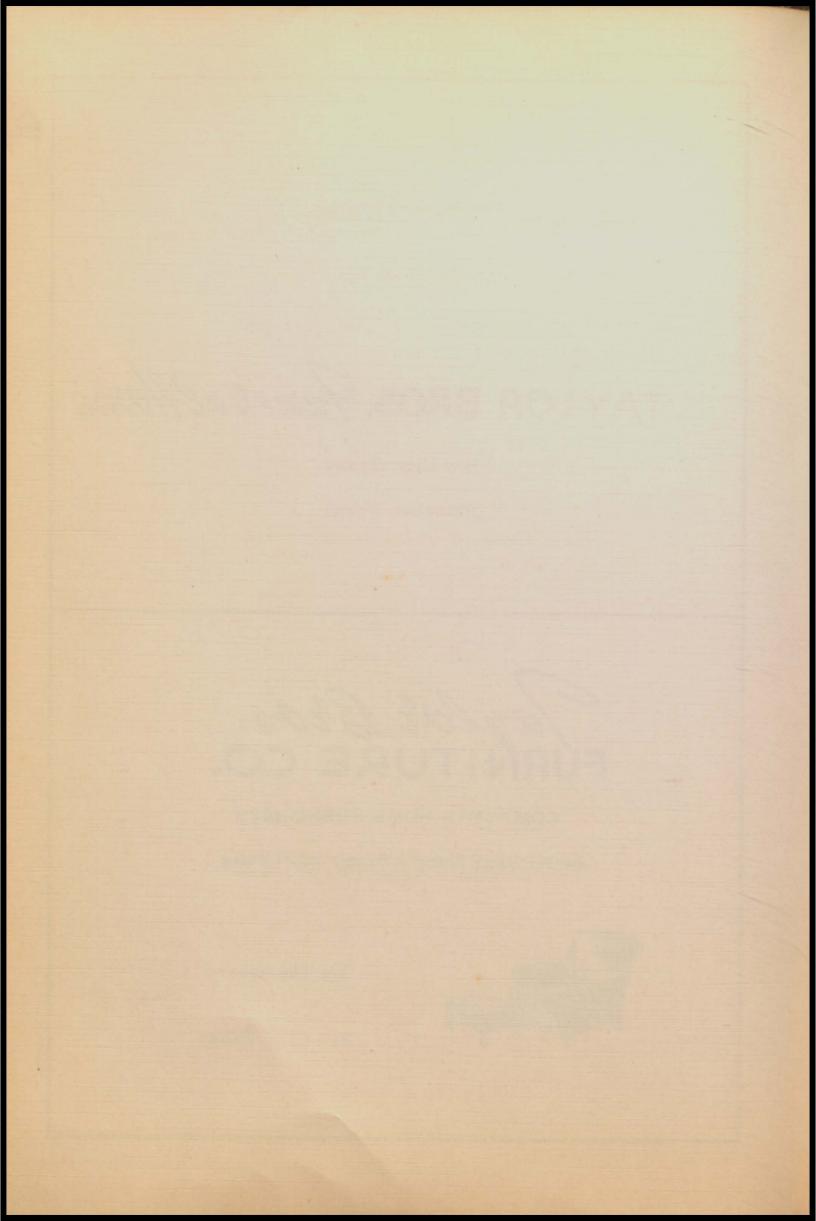
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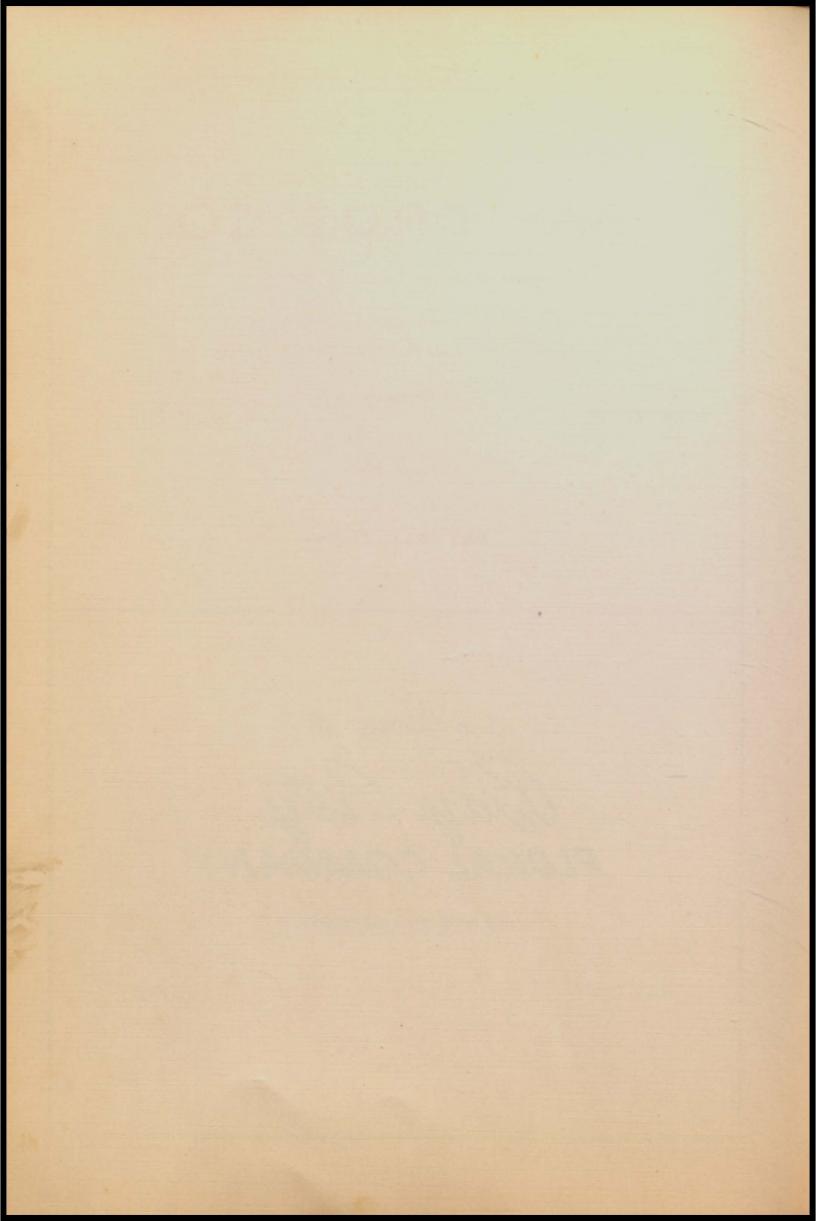
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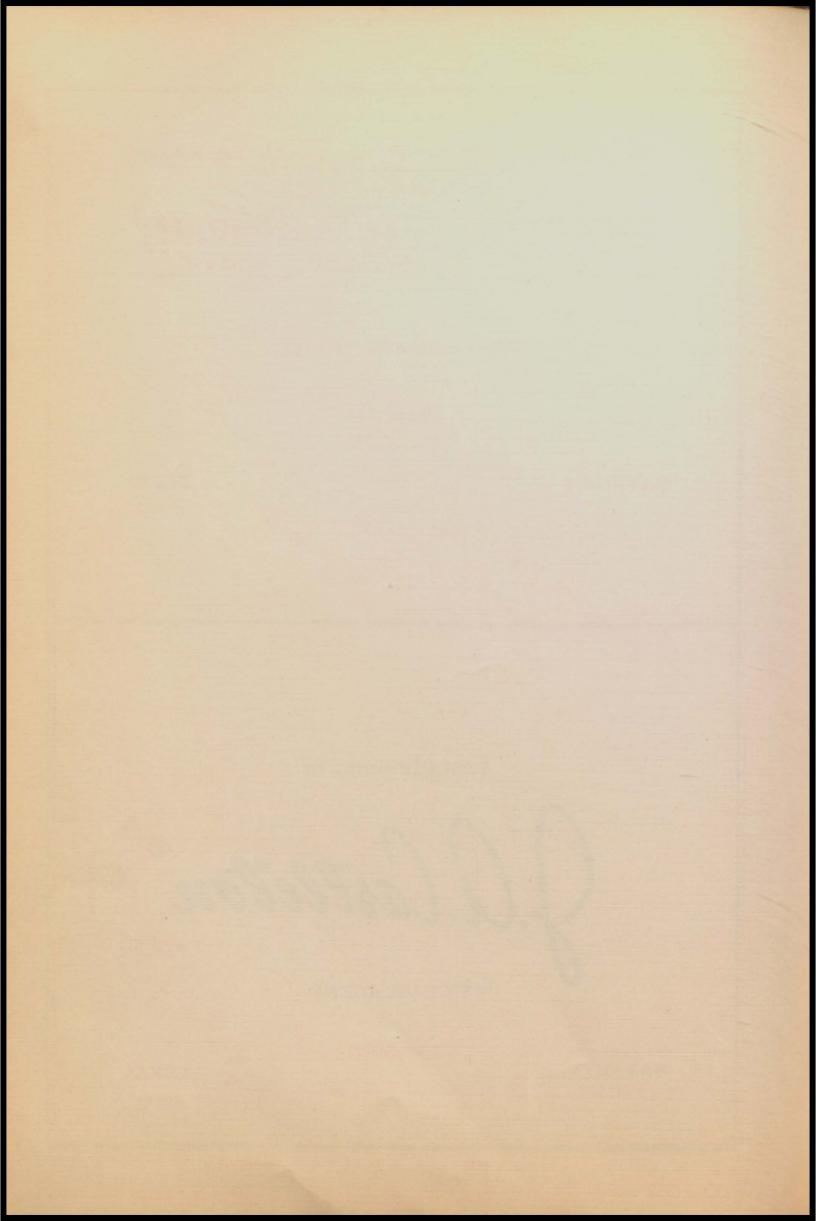
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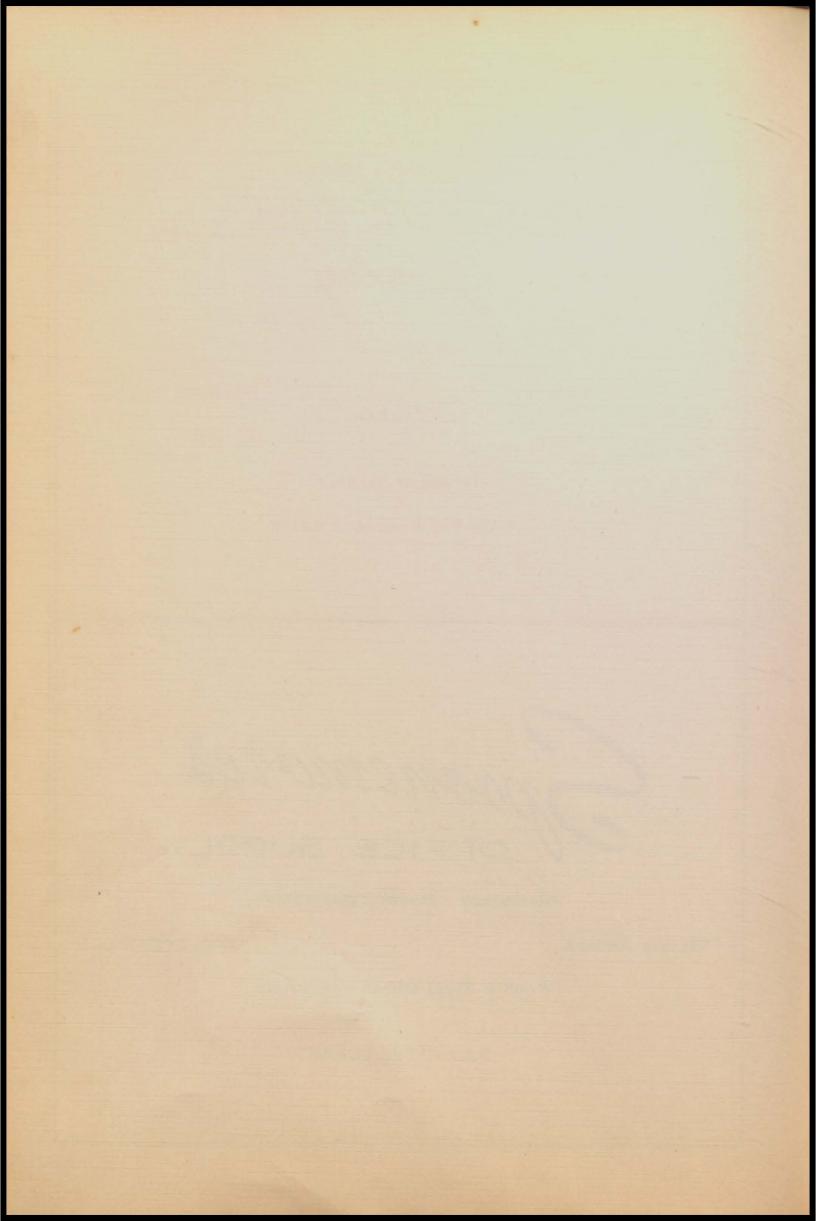
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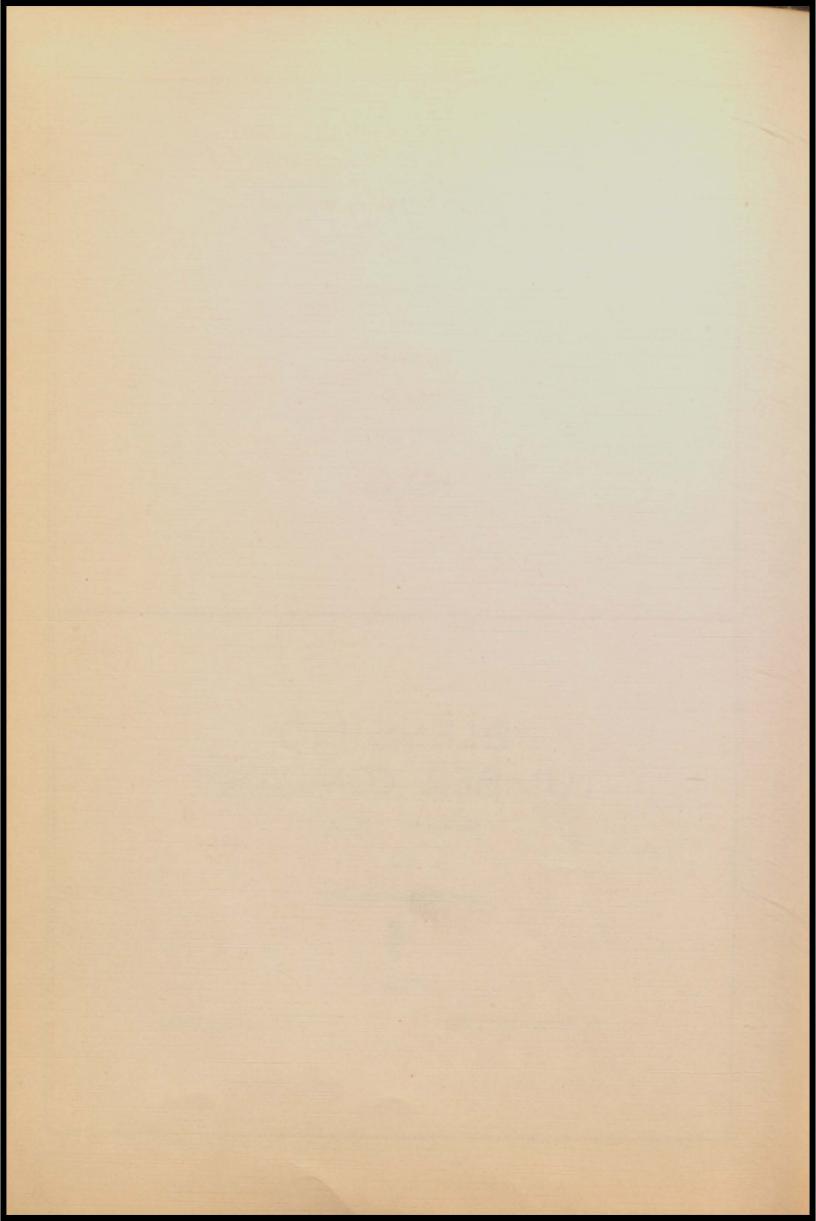
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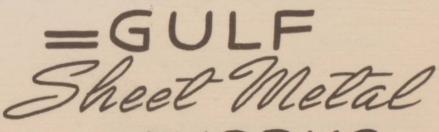
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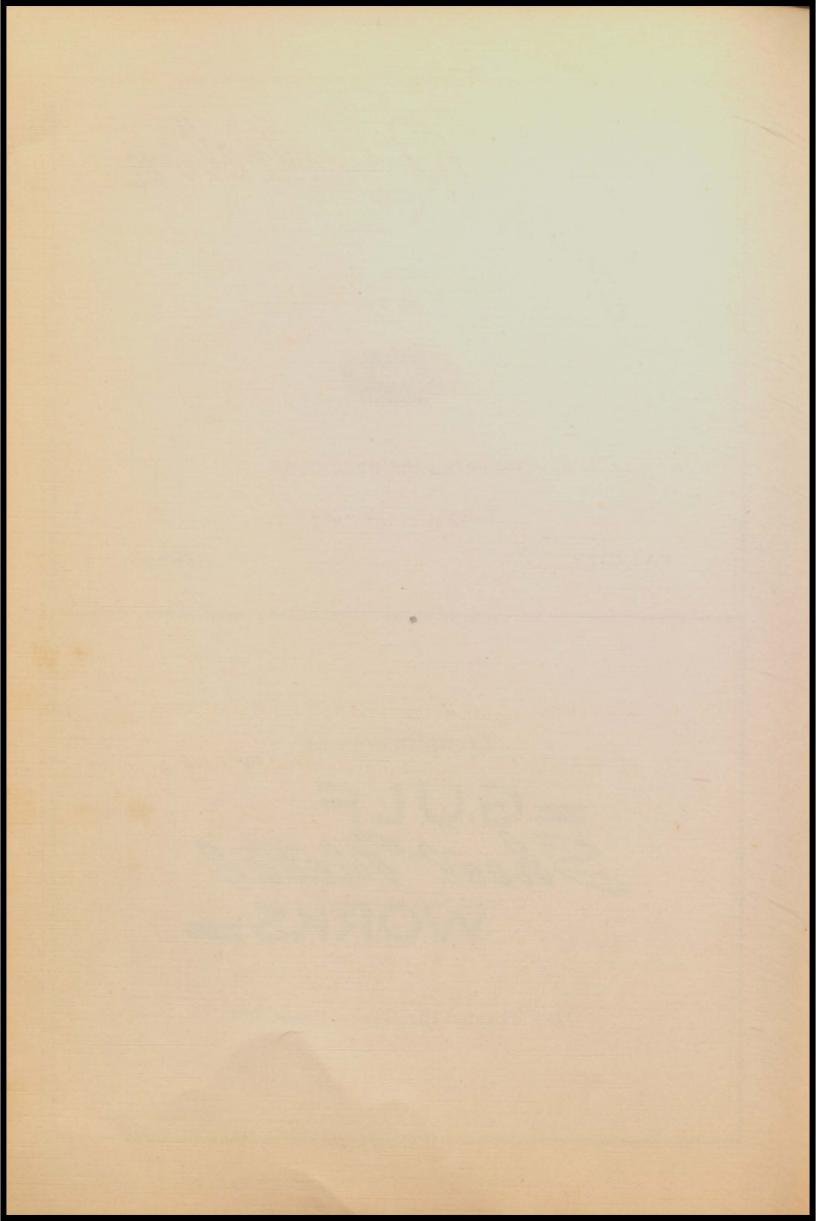
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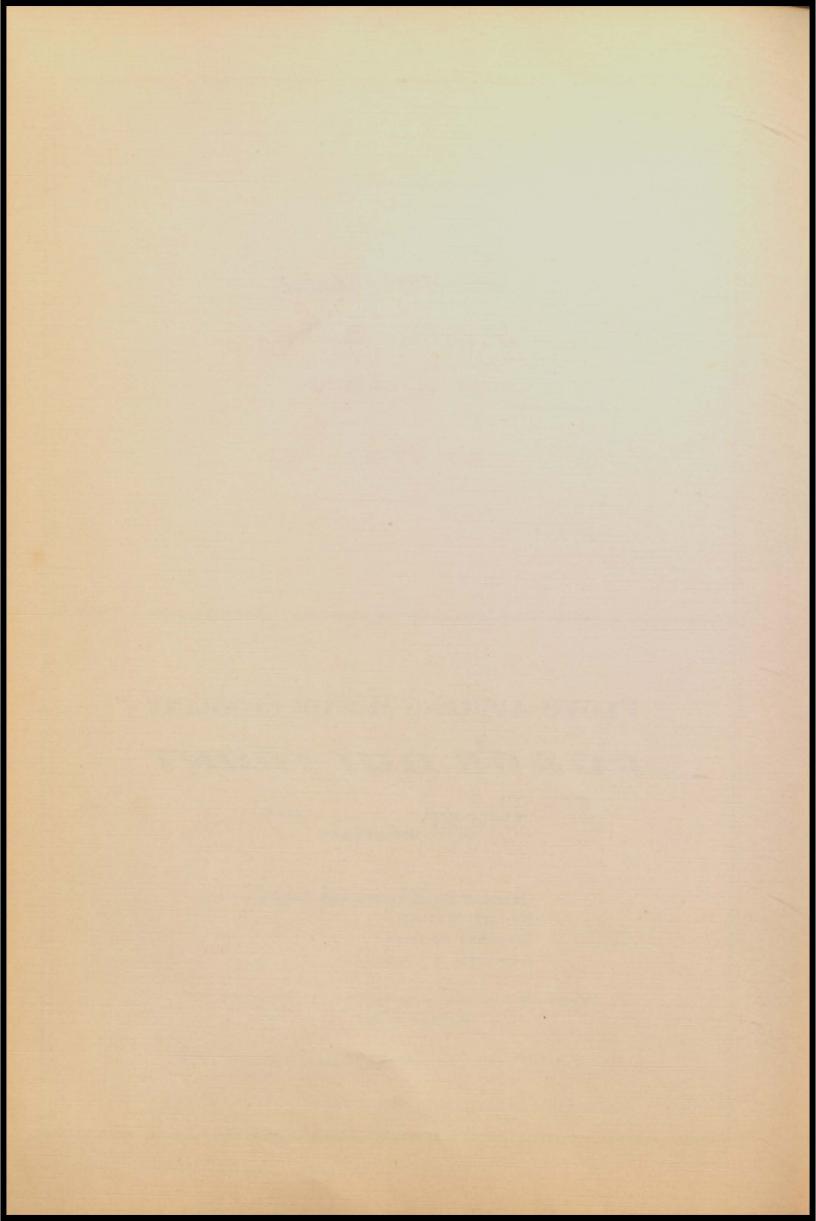
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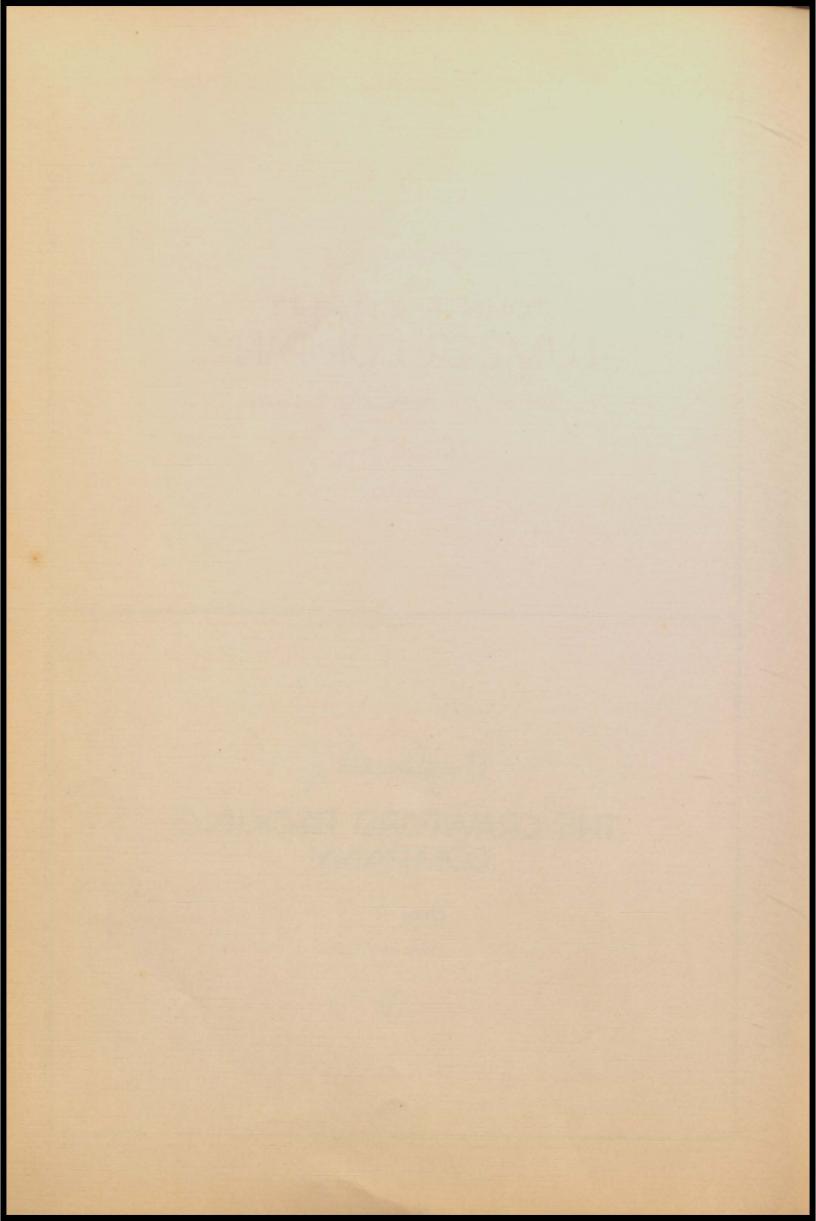
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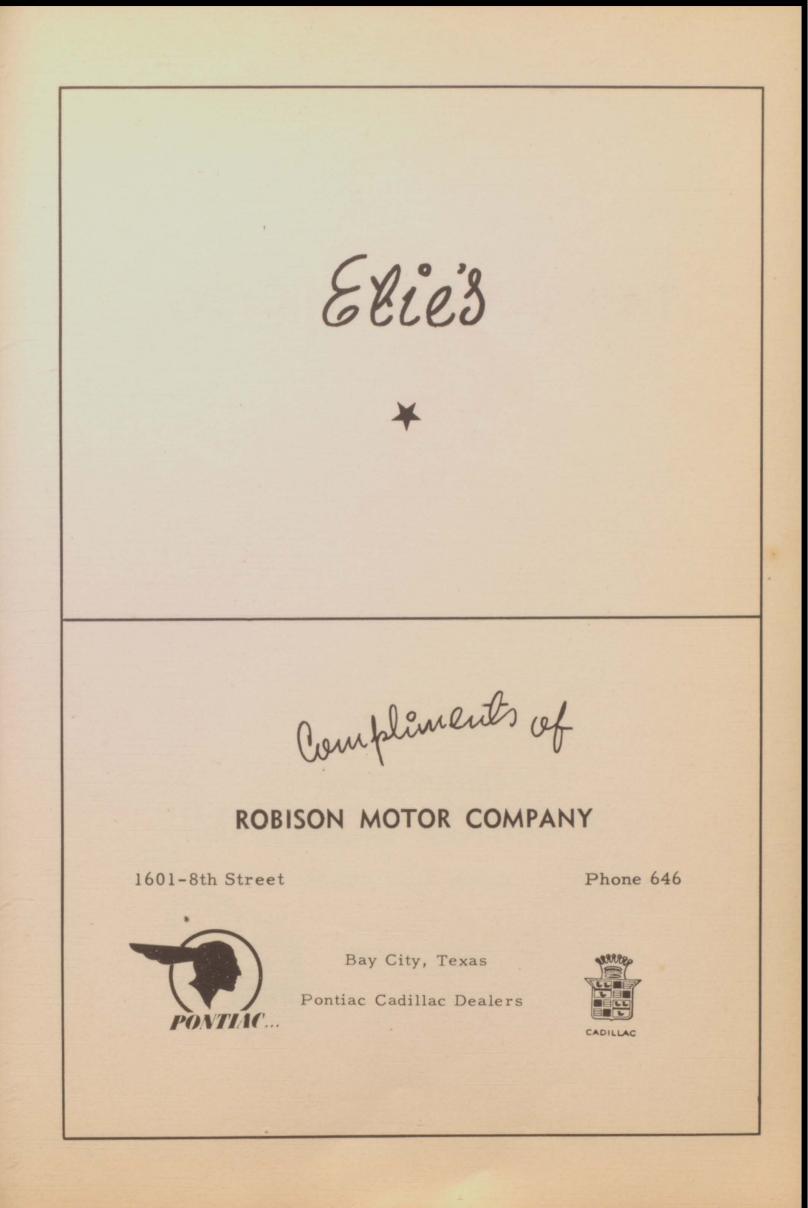
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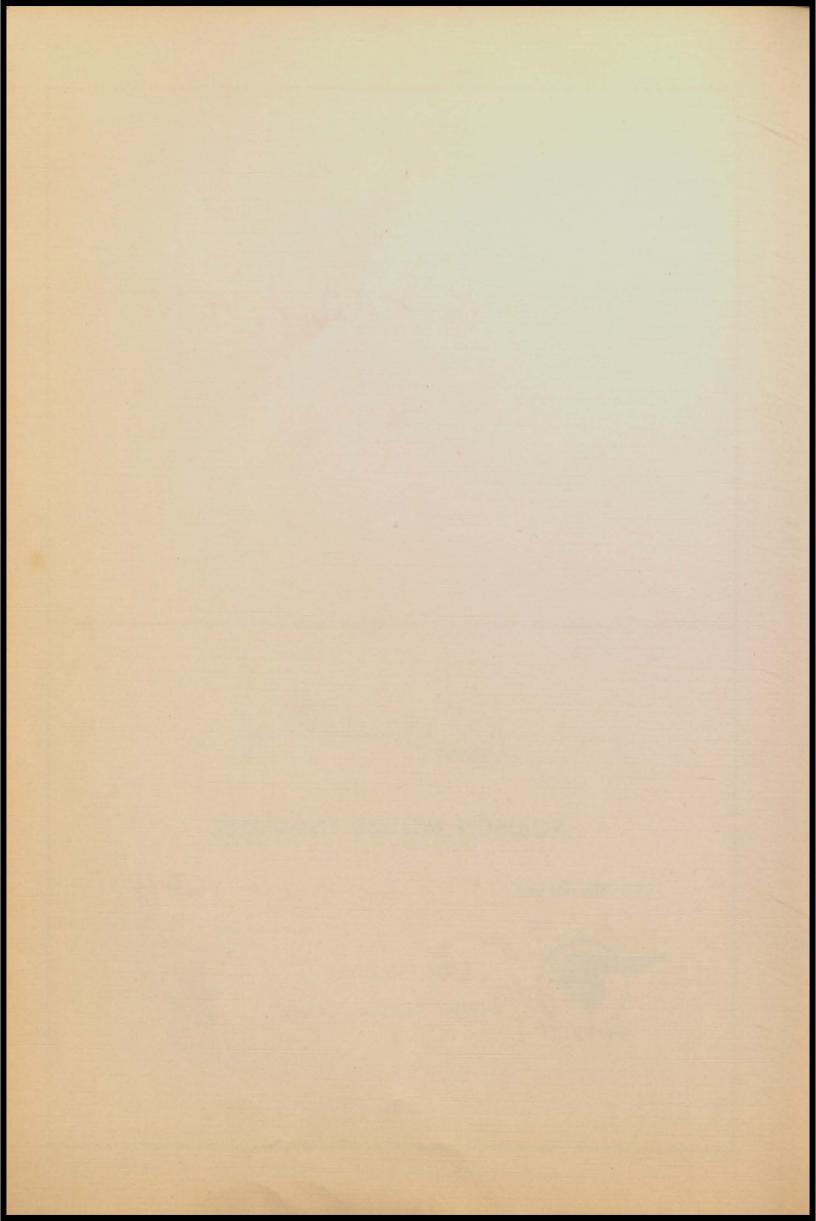
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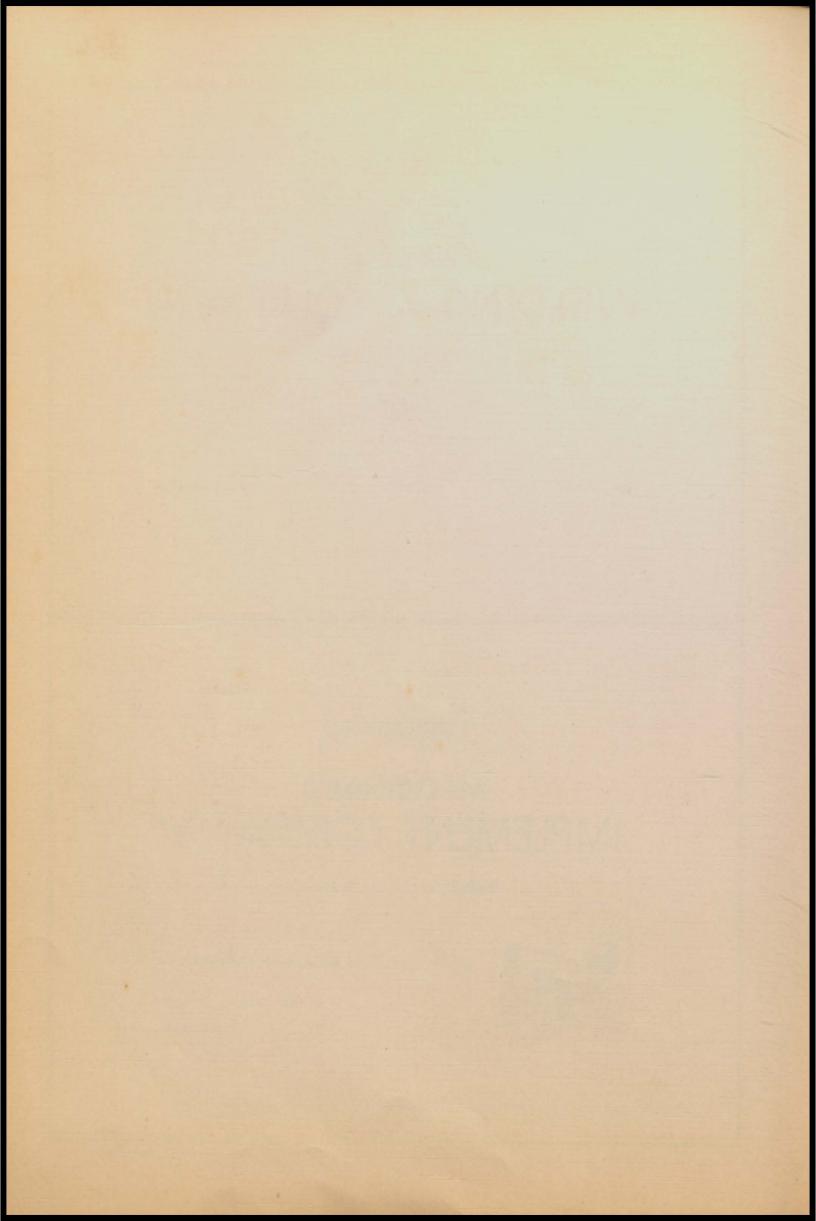
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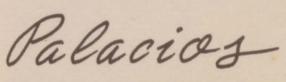
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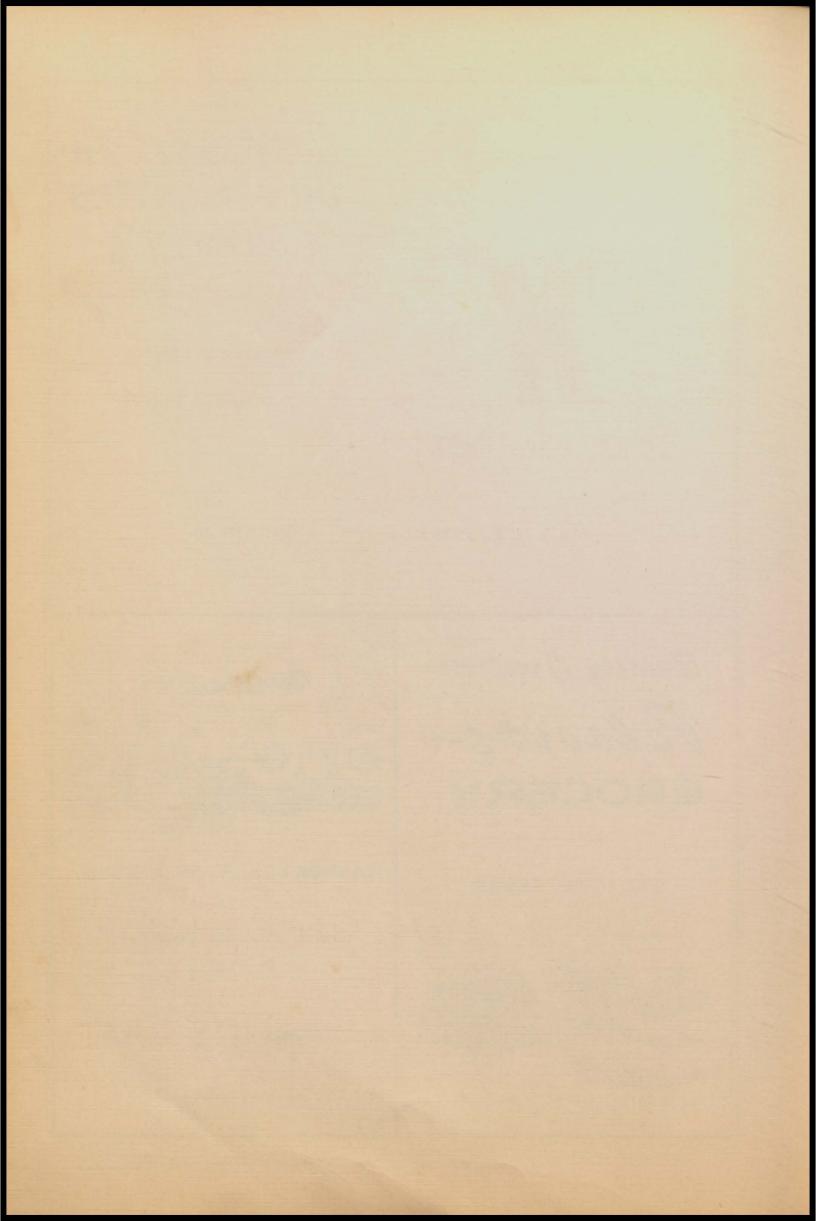


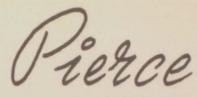
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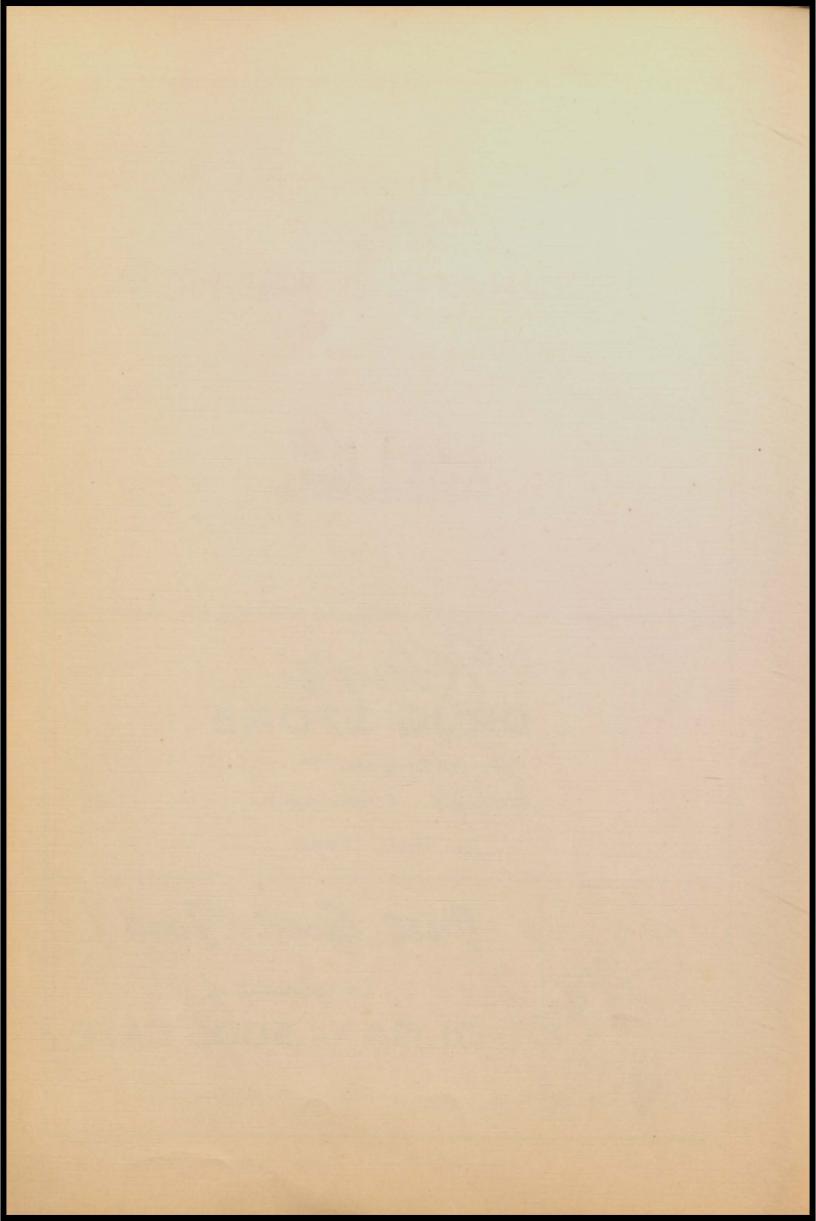
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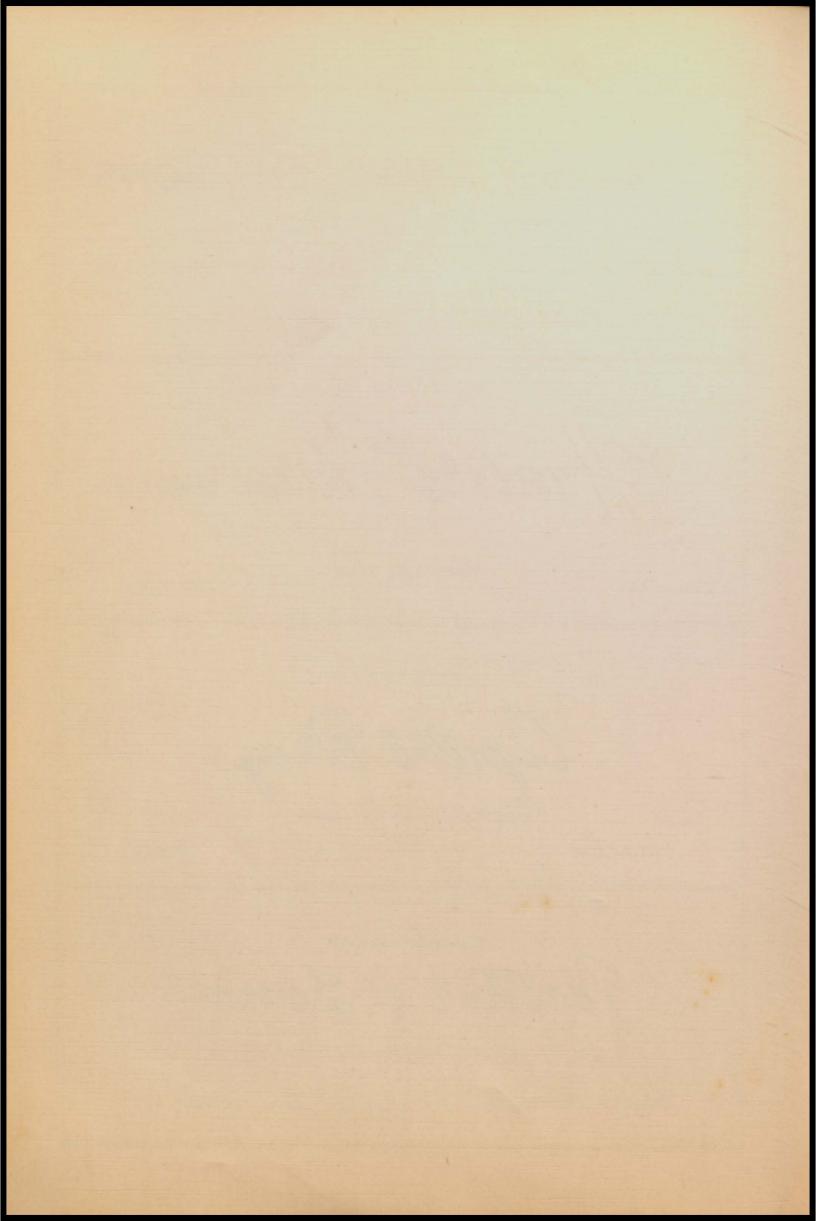
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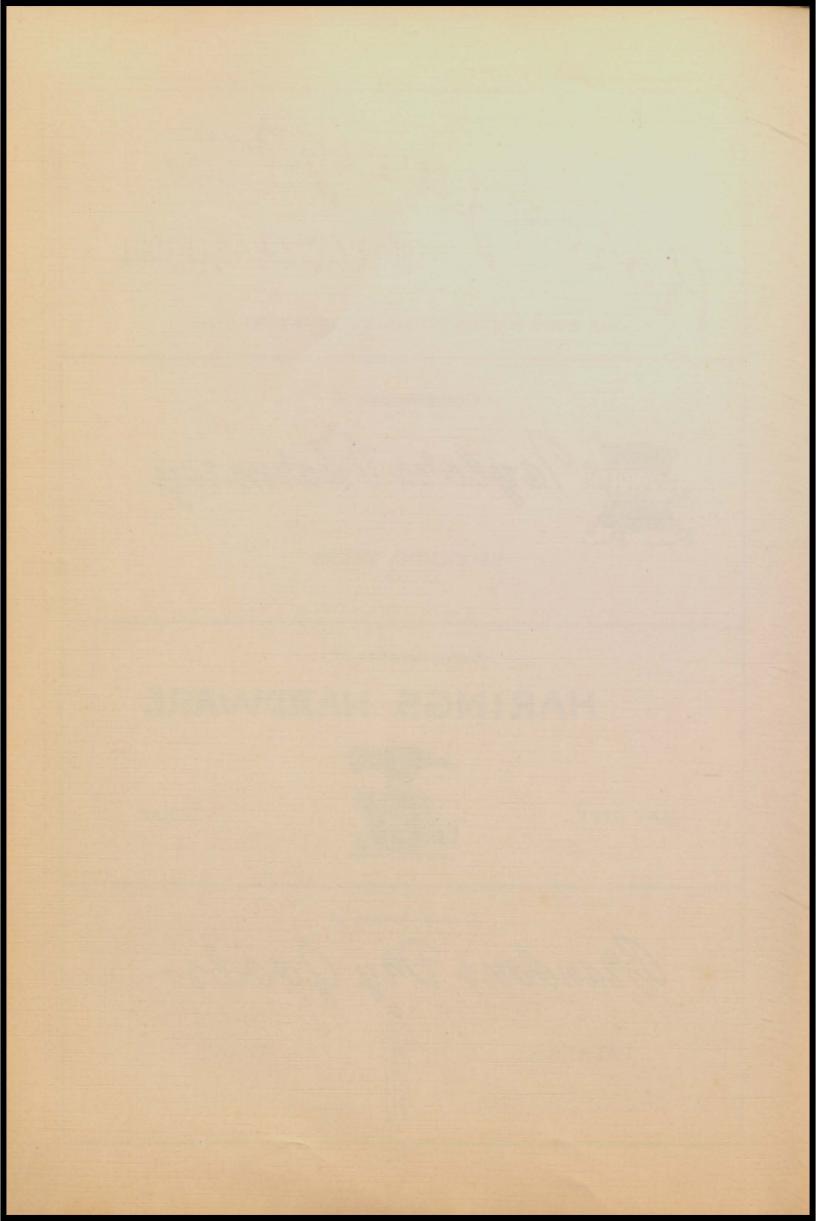
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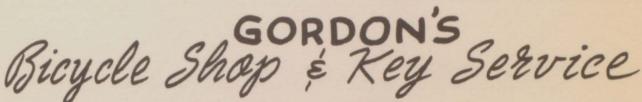


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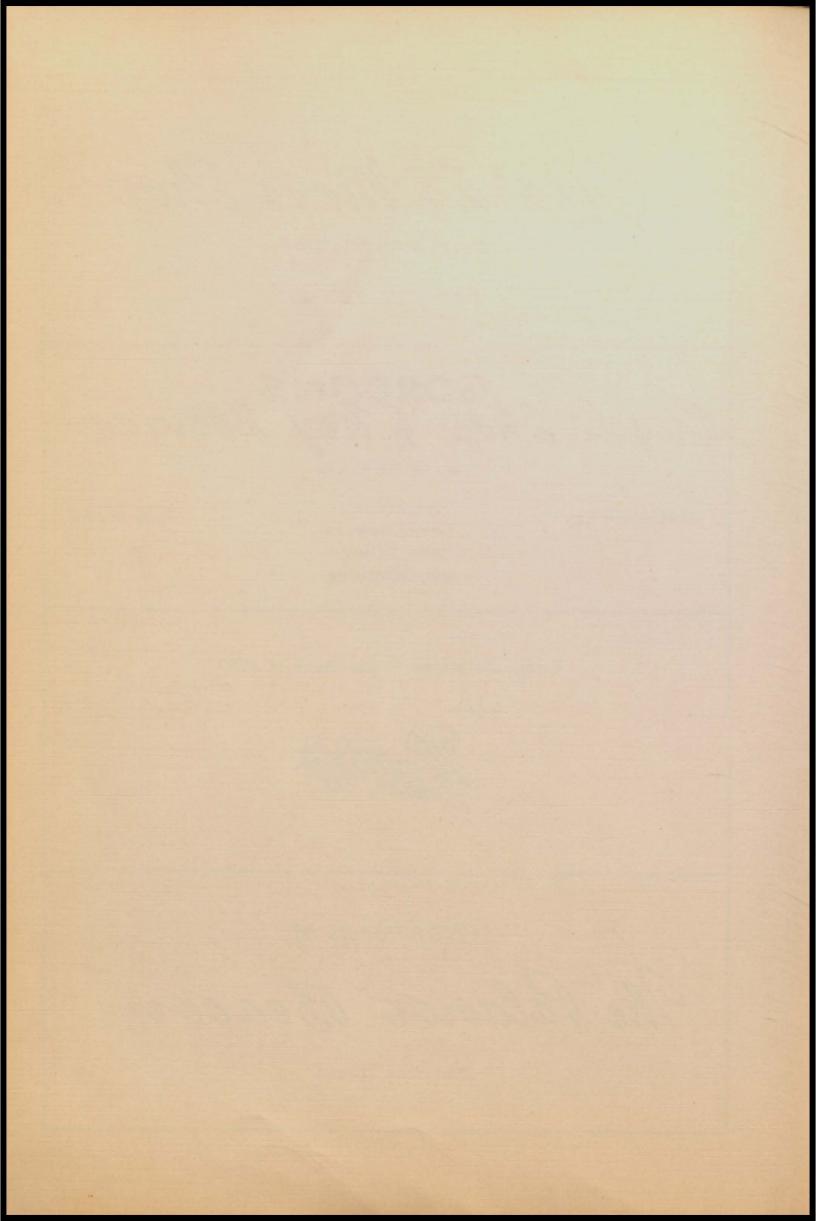
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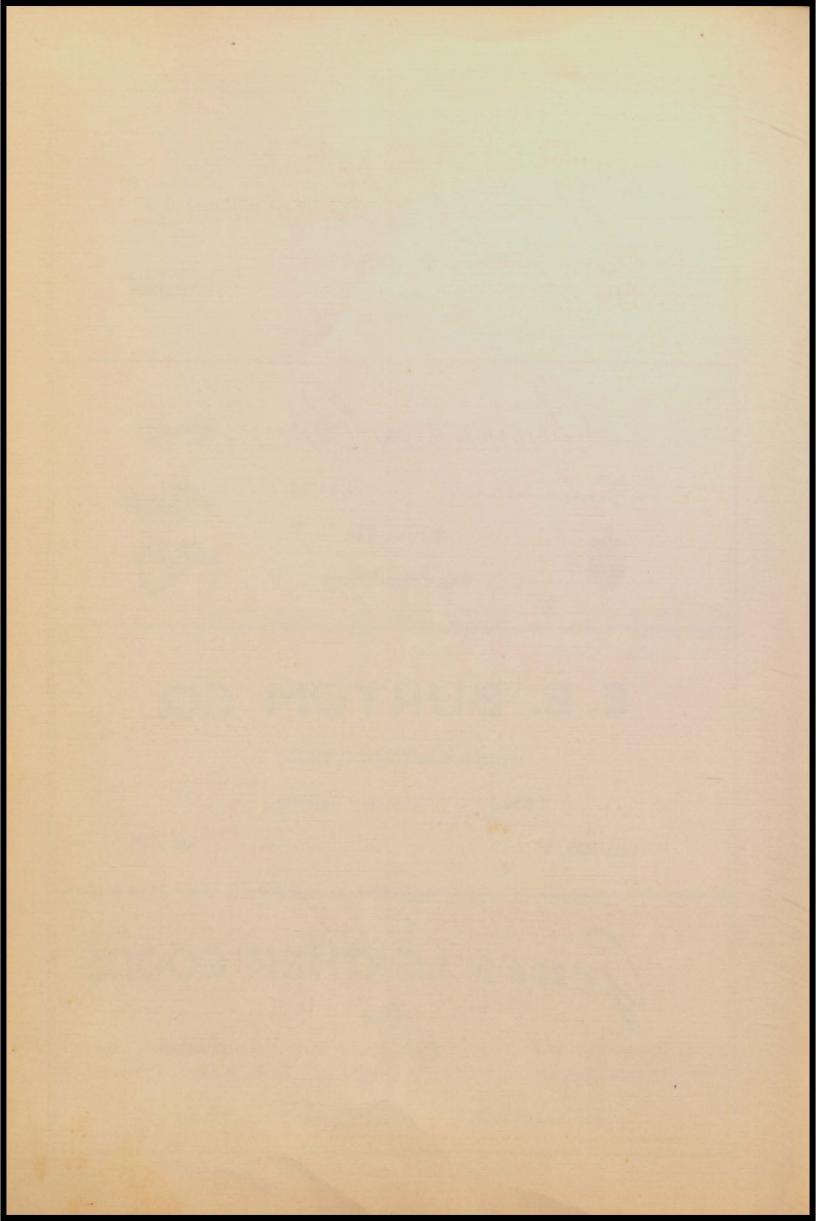
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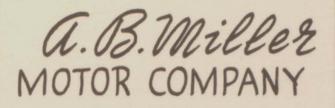
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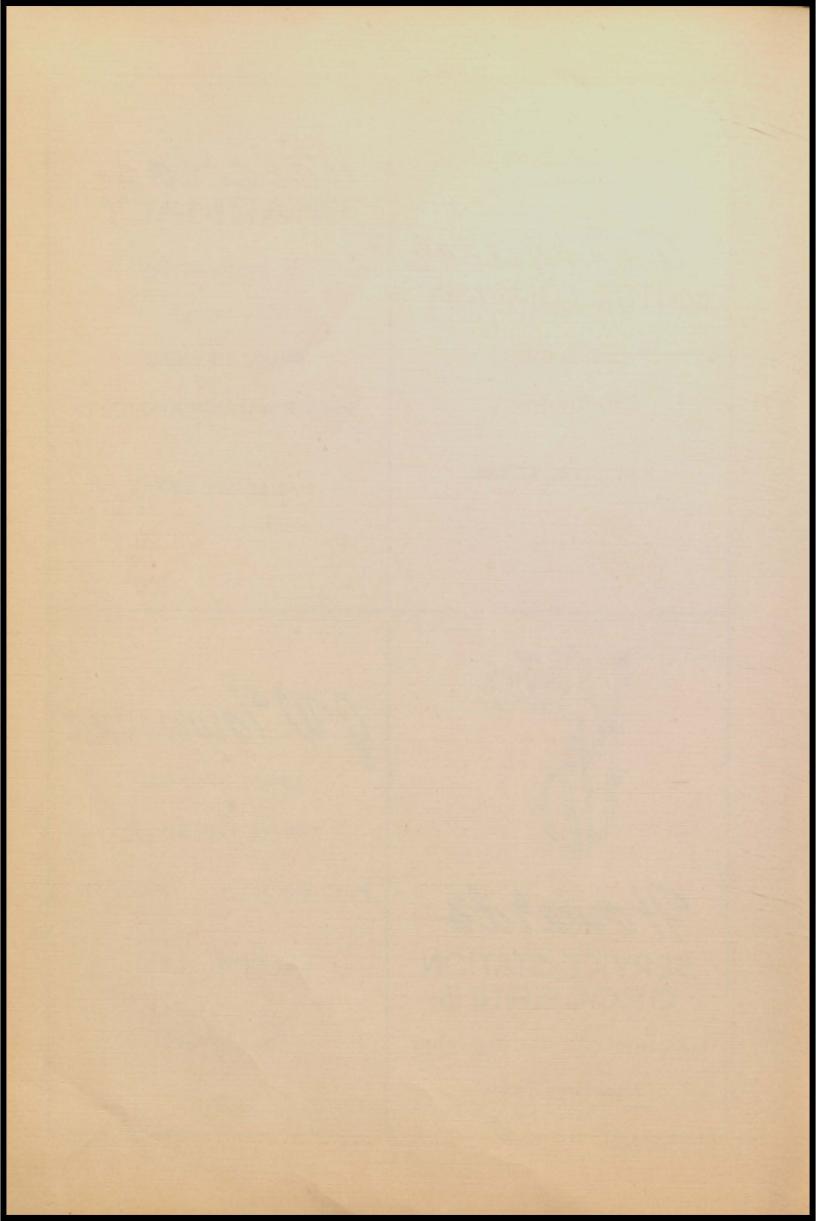
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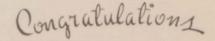


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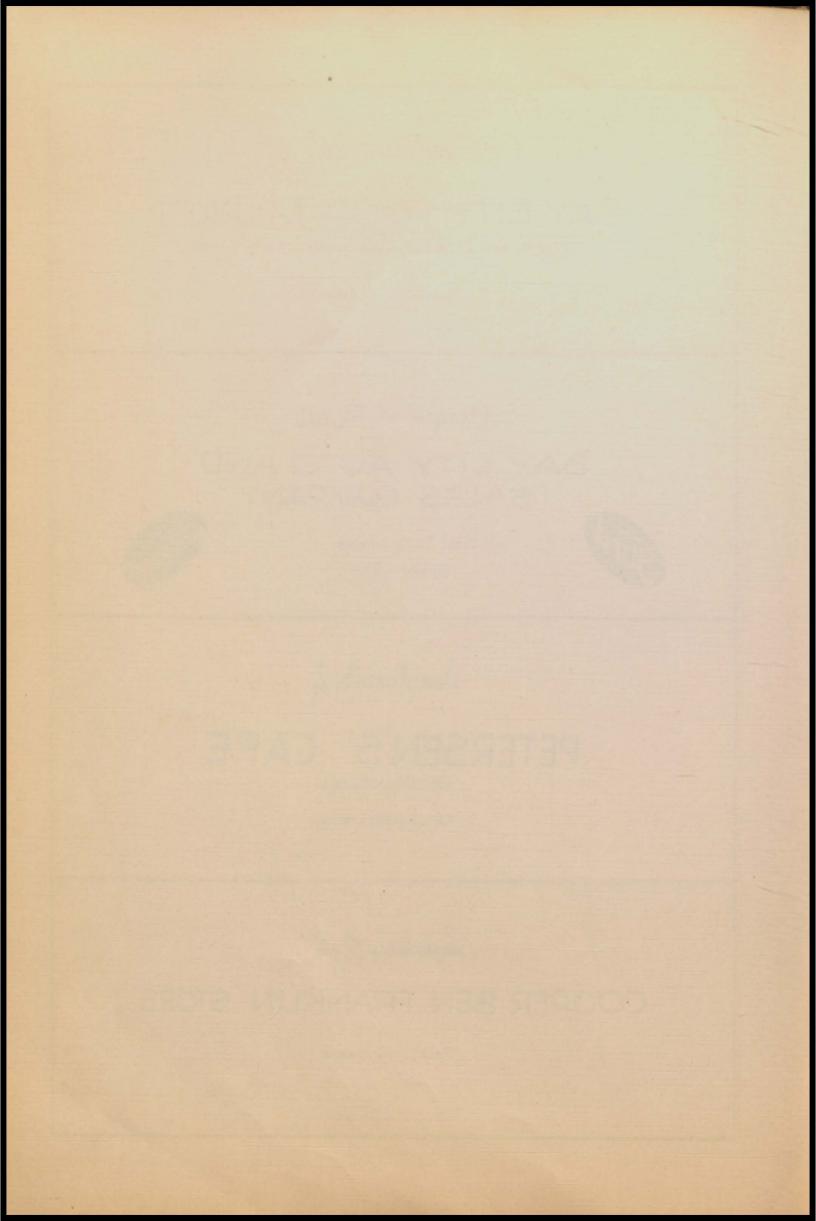
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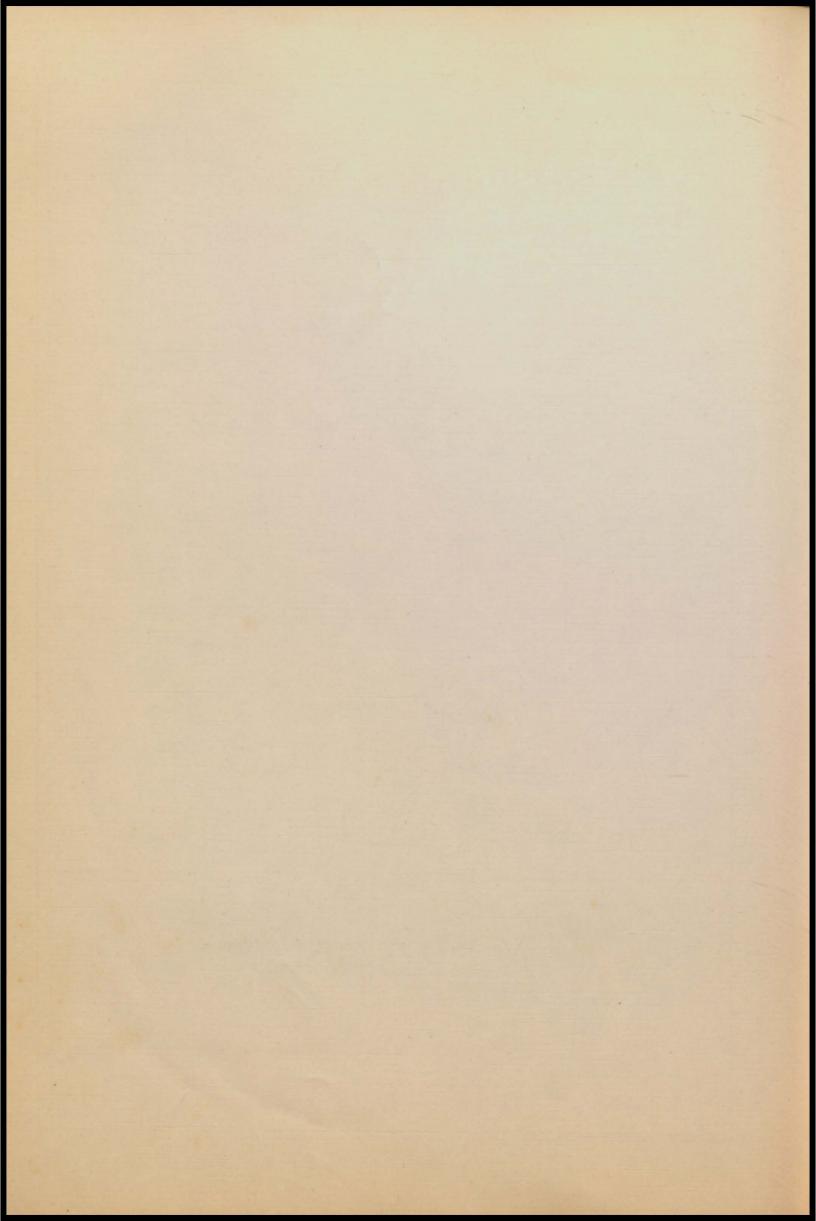
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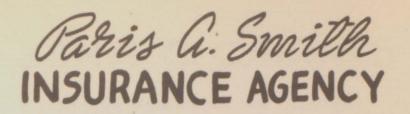
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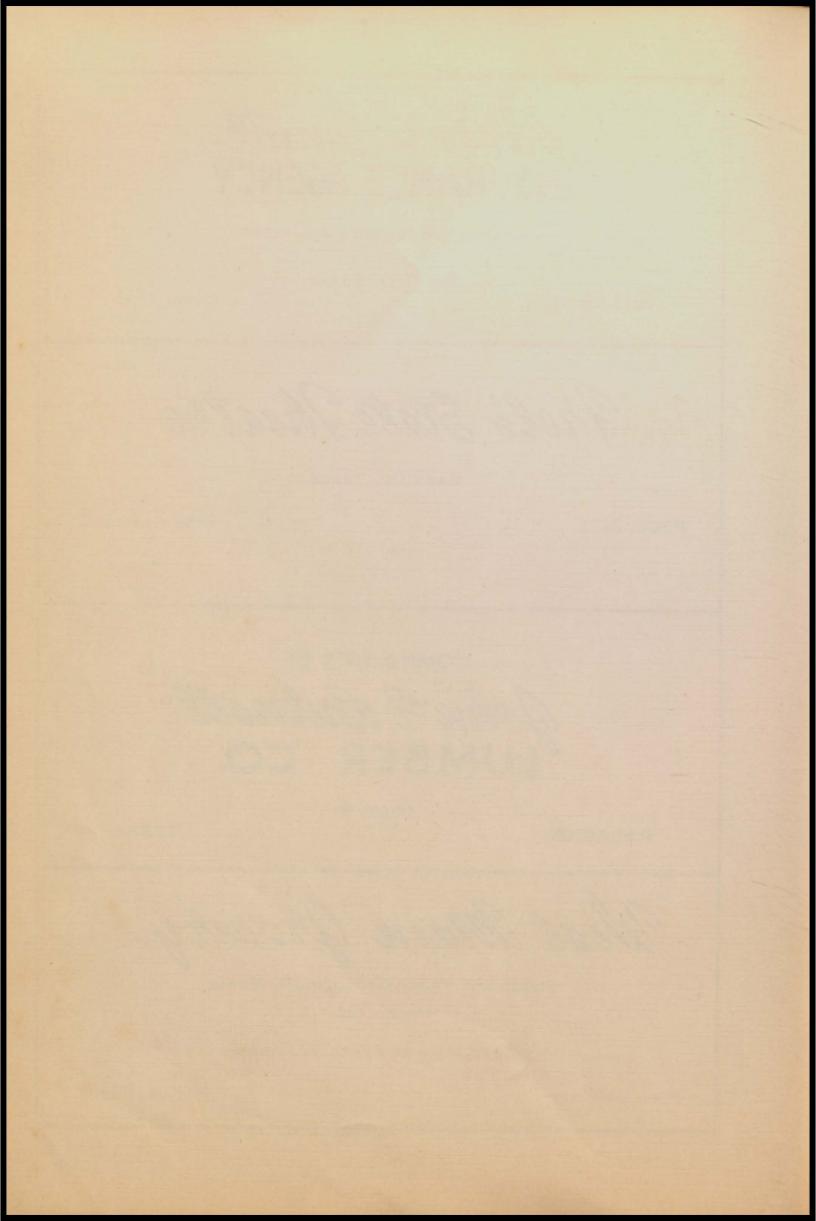
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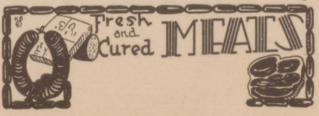
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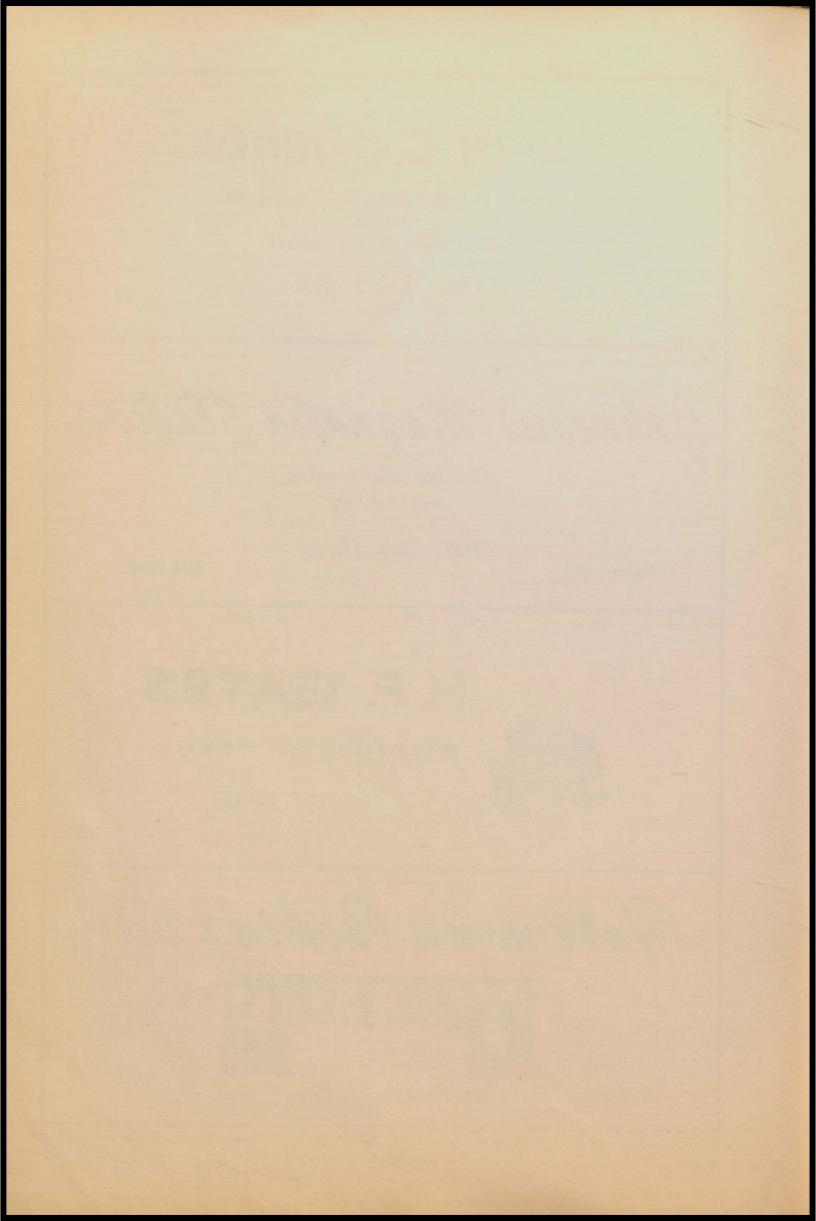
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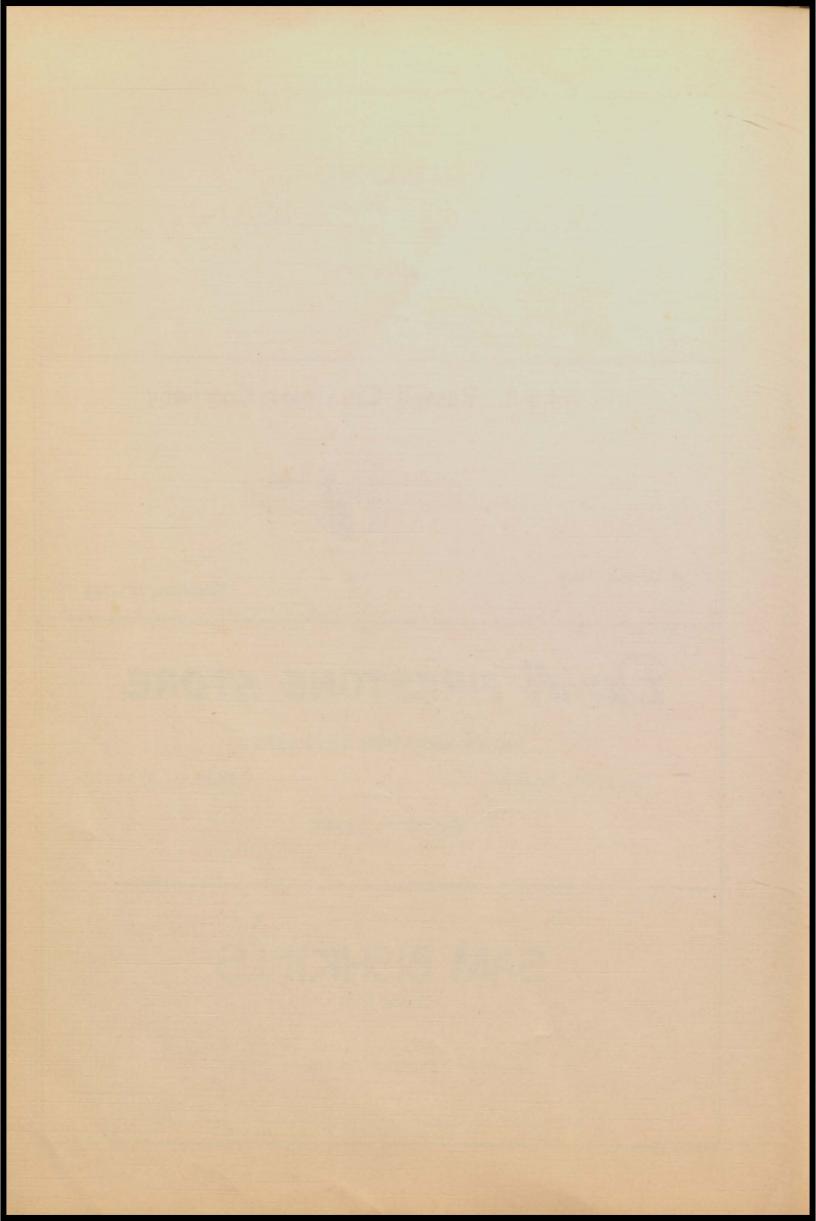
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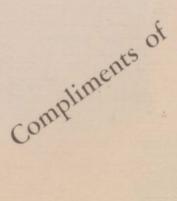
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