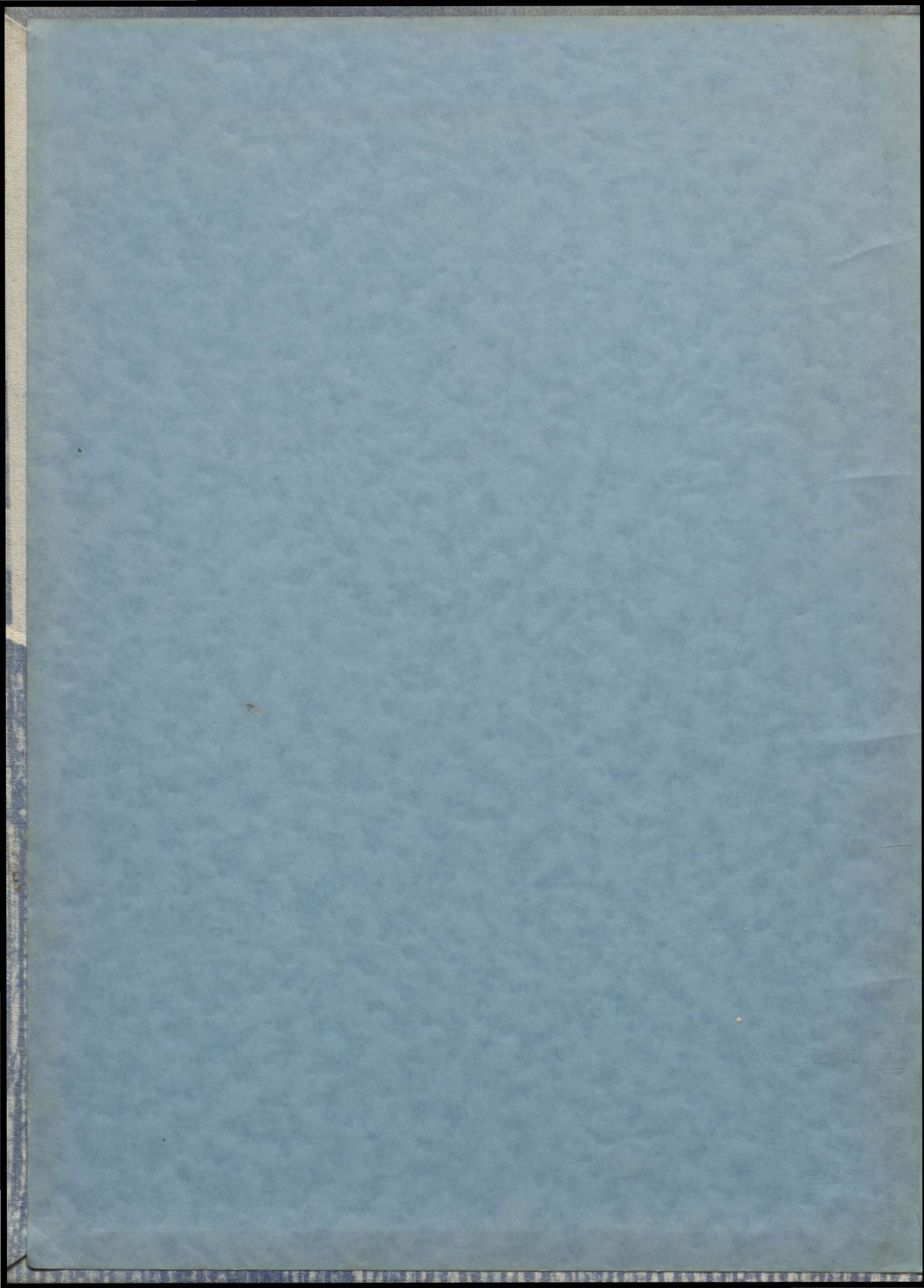


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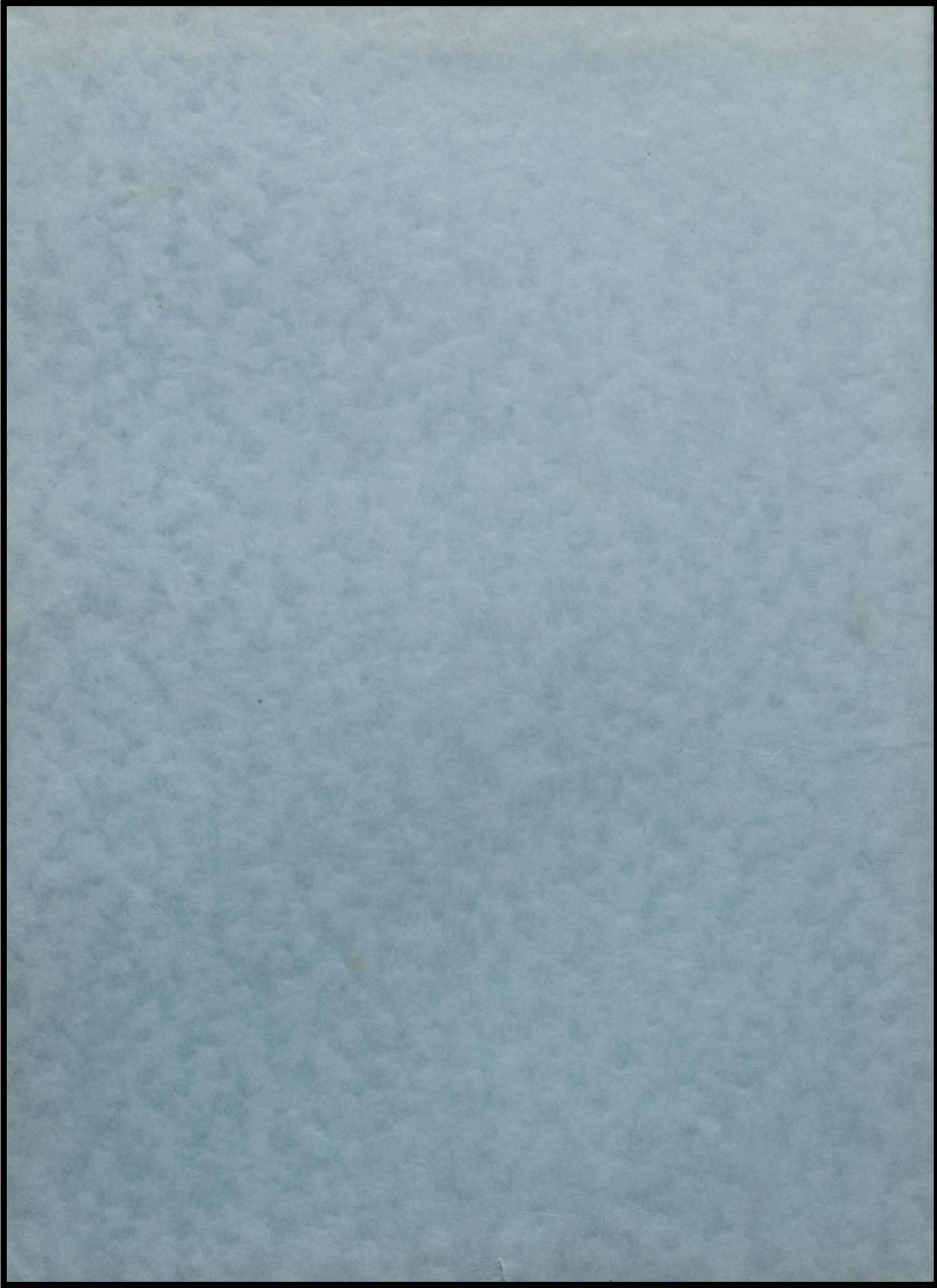
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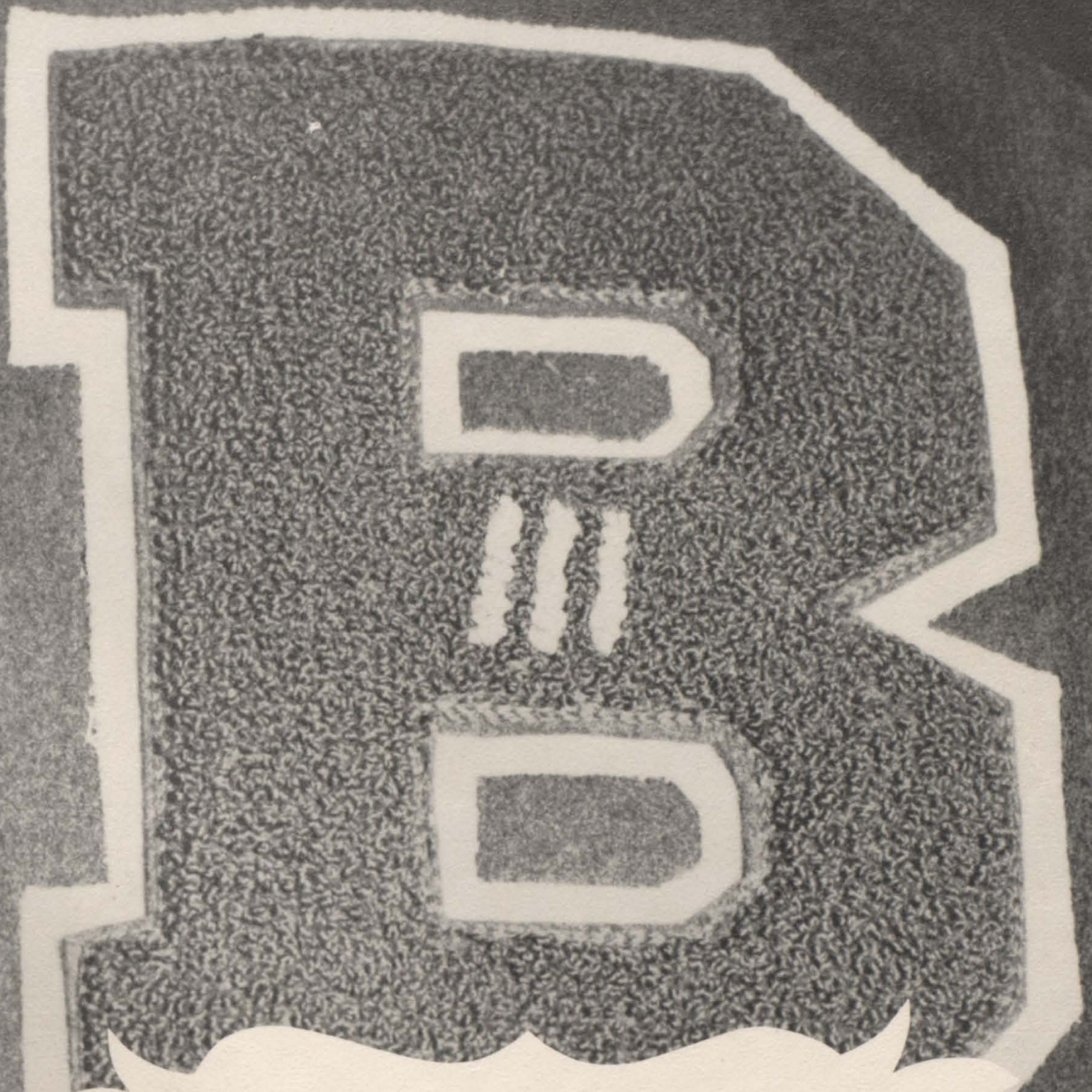
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The Black Cat '52
Bay City High School
Bay City, Texas

We, the BLACK CAT STAFF of 1952, present this book to you, hoping your hearts will be lighter and your lives will be happier for the memories it may bring.

In the years to come, when you look through these pages, if you relive these glimpses of your varied activities and remember these "happy days," then our efforts will not have been in vain.

Speaking for the '52 Seniors, we would like to thank all those whose interest has made possible the education, the lasting friendships, the smiling faces, and pleasant memories of our years at Bay City High School. To those who have founded this system of freedom and education — parents, taxpayers, school board members, administrators, and teachers — our sincere thanks.

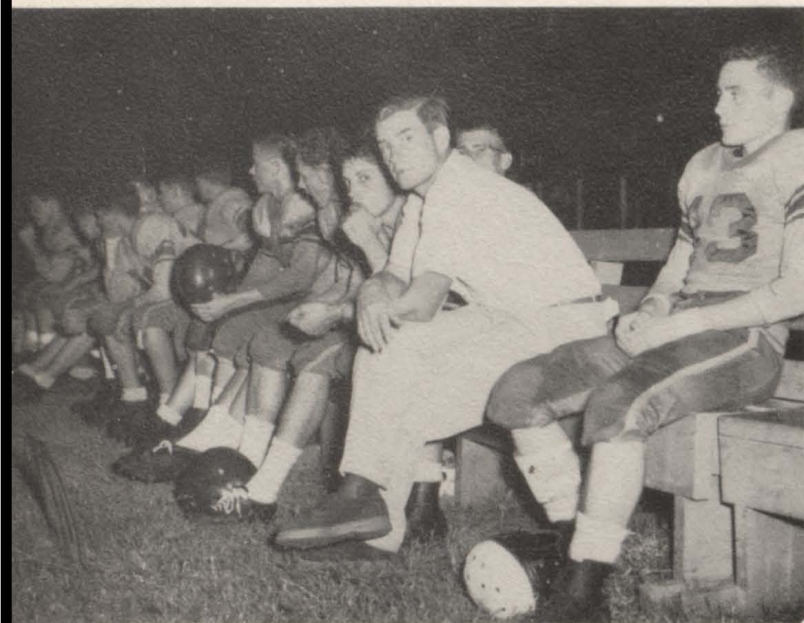
The Black Cat is much indebted to Mrs. Culver for her support, leadership, help, and advice in making our 1952 annual the most interesting and complete of any yet published for this school.

Cora Louise Morgan

Black Cat Editor



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• PRACTICE FOR THE BIG DAY



• FAVORITES ARE PRESENTED

word

Since this may be the last yearbook in which I will have "sponsor billing," I've decided to express a few things of importance to me and to the staff of '52.

First, I would like to thank all of the people who have had a part in the annuals I've sponsored — the faculty, students, and advertisers who have shown their interest in our book as an important part of school life. I think it is important, for it is the one tangible thing we all have to show the return of a year spent at B. C. H. S.

Secondly, let me say how gratifying a part of teaching it is to be the sponsor of a yearbook, for, although it is sometimes a trying proposition, the feeling you have when the books get in and you actually see the results is a mighty fine one.

My special thanks to all of my "top-notch" editors — Yvonne Lyle, Ruth Glenn, Robert Deutsch, Nancy Moore, and Cora Louise Morgan — also to Mrs. Sue Morrow and Mrs. Key Ingram who have always helped when I have needed it.

So — here is your '52 BLACK CAT — a record of what you did, where you went, whom you knew. Hope you like it!

Bobbye Jo Culver
Black Cat Sponsor



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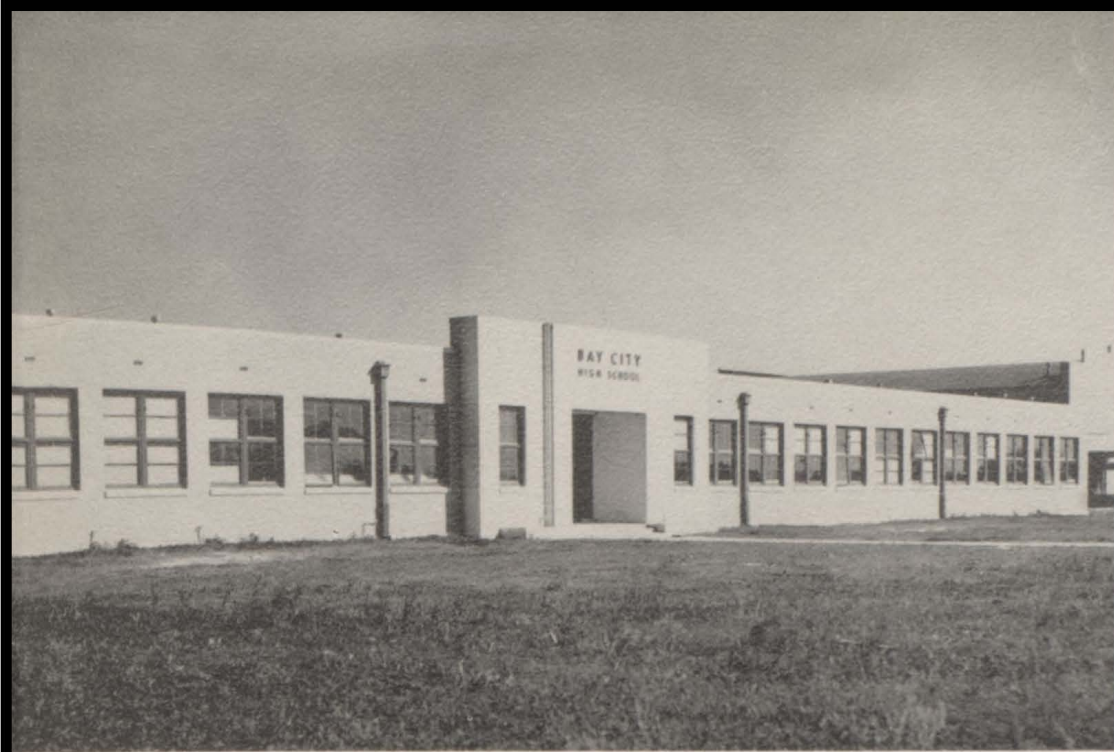
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Superintendent's Message



To the Graduates of 1952:

Memories--There will be moments when you will permit yourself to meander mentally through the halls of incidents and personalities of the Bay City High School. However, I am sure you will not allow yourself to live in the corridors of the past, because you are the hope of our democracy and our democracy is the hope of the world.

Your generation has a job to do; it has a battle to fight. Your great task is to keep the lamp of Liberty burning with increasing brilliance. As an individual you can do little, but through unity, fellowship, and cooperation there is strength and power--strength and power that can increase the brightness and expansion of freedom and democracy.

Do not meditate in the past for it is gone; it cannot be improved. Better the present for it is yours. Go forth with a manly heart to meet the shadowy future without fear and timidity. Life is but a game; play it fairly. You may get knocked down once, twice, and many times. This you must expect for there are many hazards that will force you not only to keep your mind on the game, but to always to play your best. You will be scored upon how you played the game.

JOHN H. CHERRY
Superintendent of Bay City Schools

Principal's Message



To the students of Bay City High School:

Congratulations to your Black Cat Staff and Mrs. Bobbye Jo Culver on this, her final yearbook.

I wish to express our sincere appreciation to Mrs. Culver for this most fitting culmination to her years of fine work with us. Also I wish to express my thanks for the loyal co-operation and hard work of each one who has made possible the most complete annual we have ever published.

This volume will weld more firmly the strong bonds of future friendship that make the passing years more worthwhile.

It will add to your treasured memories as we recall those happy hours along with uneasy moments.

Here is an old treasure chest of fond memories unfolding places, people, and things that have become basic in our pattern of life for the days and years ahead.

The molding of your character--heart, mind, and soul--was and is, a heritage--priceless--that will sustain you in life's great school. Through you, I feel that the best part of me lives on forever.

To give, rather than to get, is my wish for you.

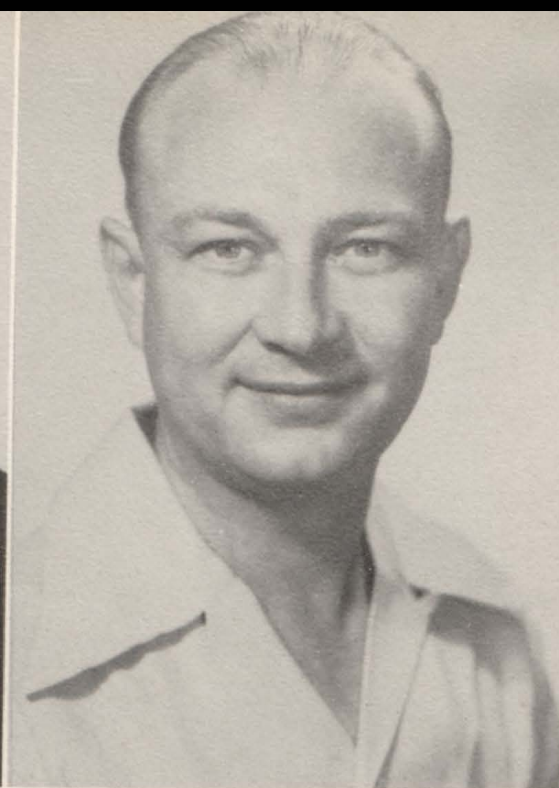
E. J. Myers

E. J. Myers
Principal of the Senior High School



KEYE INGRAM

B.A., Southwestern University; University of Mexico; University of Houston, Master of Education, Counseling and Guidance.



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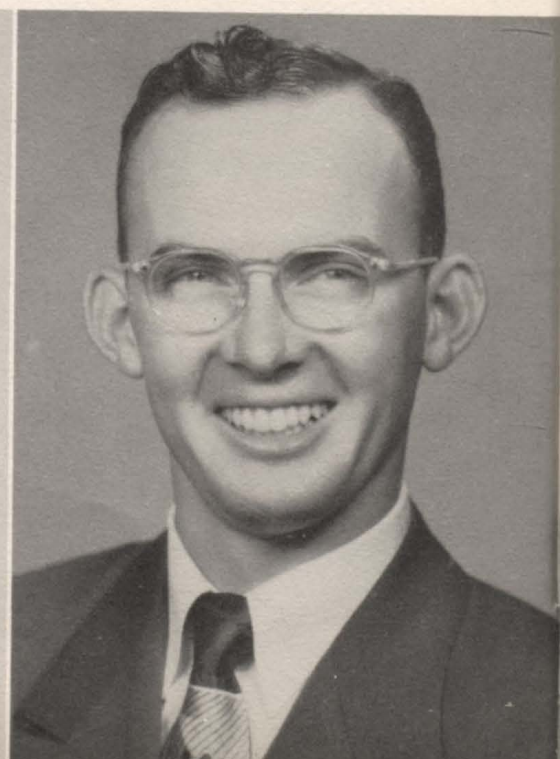
B.S., Southwest Texas State College.

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CHARLES M. KING
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KERMIT SPEILMAN
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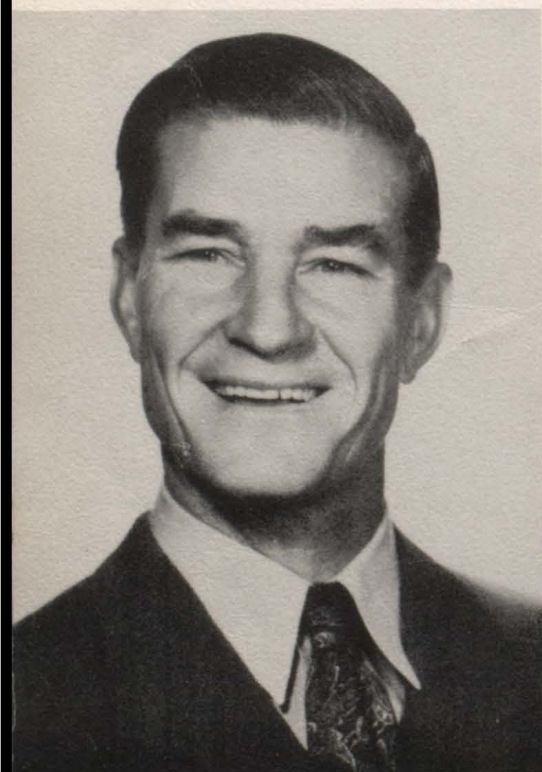
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B.S., Hardin Simmons University.

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VIRGINIA WYNNE
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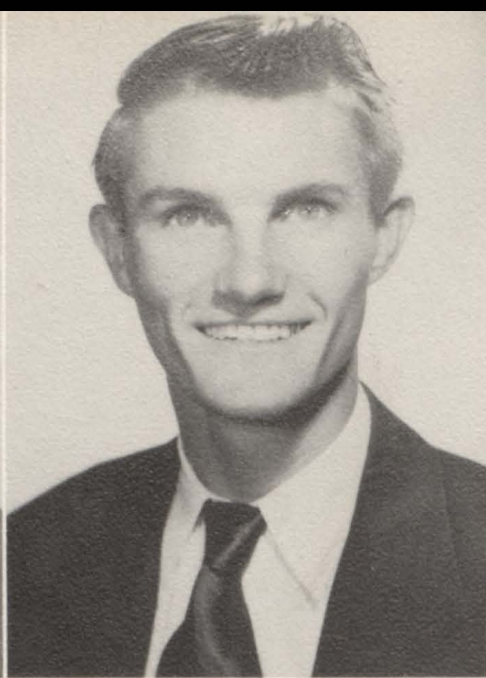


Classes



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

<i>President</i>	KENT BURKHART
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PAT ABELL

Science Club 52; Queen of Sweetheart Dance 52.

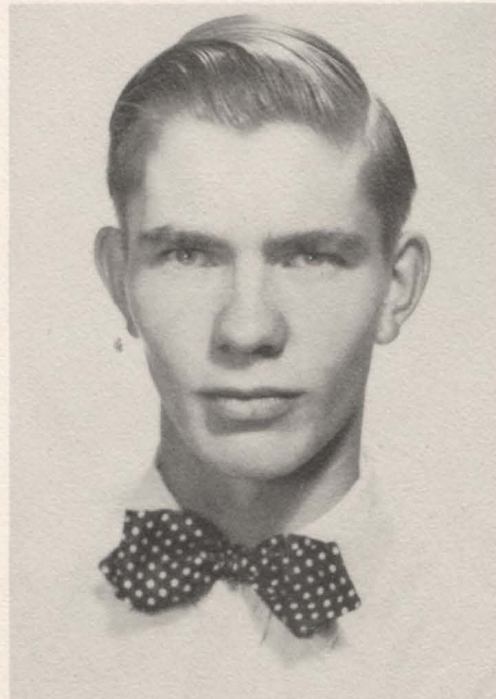
ALBERT AINSWORTH

Football 50-52; Track 50-51; District, 2nd Reg. 50; District, Reg. 51.

EDWIN ARNOLD

CLAUDE BAXTER

FFA 49-50; Track 50-52.



DONALD BRADSHAW

LUCILLE BRIGGS

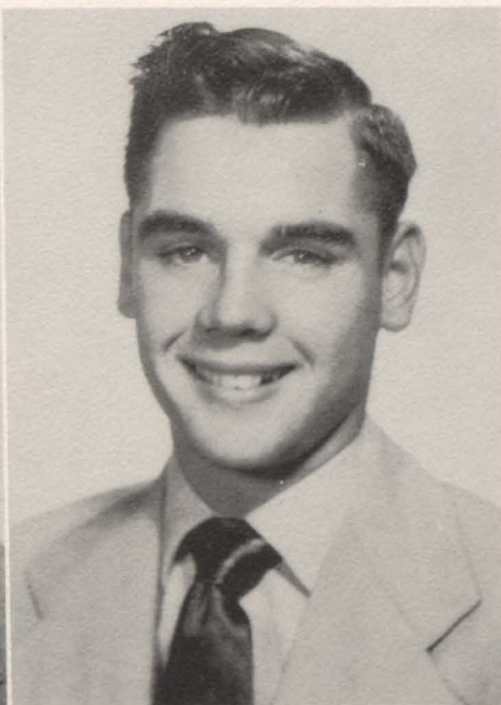
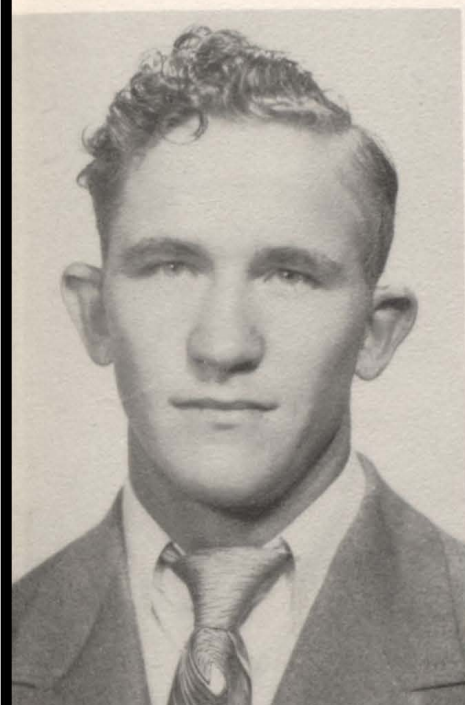
Assistant Cheerleader 51; Cheerleader 52; Y-Teens 49-51; Basketball 50-52; FHA 50-52; Volleyball 50-52; Pep Squad 50 52; Band 49; Commercial Club 50-51.

ARDETH BROCKMAN

Y-Teens 49-52; Cabinet 50-52; Assistant Cheerleader 51; Cheerleader 52; Basketball 50-52; Volleyball 50-51; Society Editor, Cat's Tale 52; Pep Squad 49-52; FLC 49-51; Choral Club 49; Senior Play Cast; Quill and Scroll 52.

KENT BURKHART

Reporter, Junior Class 51; President, Senior Class 52; President, Commercial Club 52; Vice President, Student Council 52; Editor, Cat's Tale 52; Publicity Manager, BLACK CAT 52; Science Club 49-50; FLC 50-52; Senior Play Cast, Quill and Scroll 52.



WESTLEY COKER

Football Manager 49-52; Track Manager 49; Basketball Manager 49-52; FFA 51-52.

MORRIS CRITENDON

Football 50-52; Track 49-52; Sophomore Favorite 50; Sophomore Class Treasurer 50; A Capella Choir 51-52, President 51; Basketball 50-51.

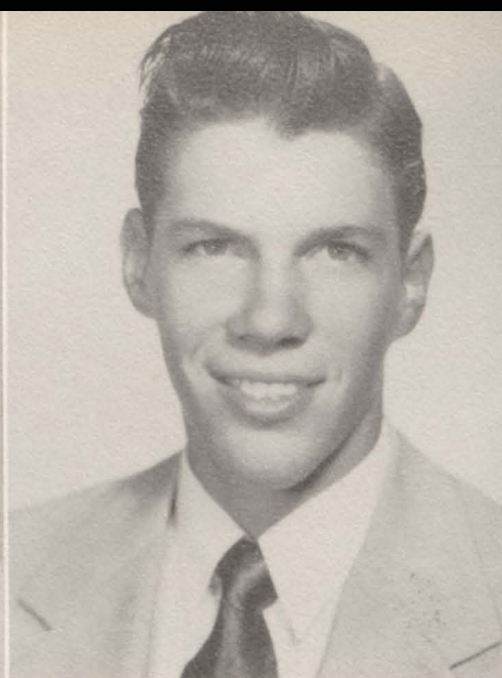
GAIL CROCKER

Pep Squad 52; Tidehaven, Class President 49-51; Class Secretary 50; Class Favorite 50-51; Assistant Editor Annual 51; Band 49-51; Band President 50; Twirler 51; Student Council 49-52; Y-Teens 49-52, Secretary 50; Inter Club Council 50; Volleyball 49.

LOTHELL MARIE CULVER

Choral Club 49; FHA 49.





DORIS MARIE DAEHNE

Student Council 49; Y-Teens 50-52; Y-Teen Cabinet 51-52, Representative 51; A Cappella Choir 50-52; Band 49-52; Sophomore Favorite 50; Homecoming Queen 52; Lionettes Quartette 52; Commercial Club 50-51; Vice President, Y-Teens 52; FHA Secretary 51; Song Leader 51; Pep Squad 49; Senior Play Cast.

JAMES DICKEY

FFA 49-52, 3rd Vice President 49-50, 2nd Vice President 51; President, "National High School Champion Rodeo Association" 52; Aeolian Choir 52; Football 49.

GERALDINE DUNLAP

Band 49-50; FHA Club 49-52; Pep Squad 50-52; Volleyball 50-52; Basketball 50-52; Science Club 50-51.

JAMIE EDMONSON

Y-Teens 49-52; Junior Vice President 50; Senior Treasurer 51; Senior President 52; State Registrar 51; State Planning Conference 50-51; State Conference 50-51, Representative 50; FLC 49-52; Commercial Club 50-51; Band 49-52; Council 50-52, President 52; BLACK CAT 51-52; Assistant Snapshot Editor 51; Snapshot Editor 52; Who's Who 51; Basketball 51-52; Doubles Tennis 50-52; Senior Play Cast.



ELTON EDWARDS

FLC 51-52; Football 49; Baseball 50-52; FFA 49-51; Parliamentarian 51.

MILTON EDWARDS

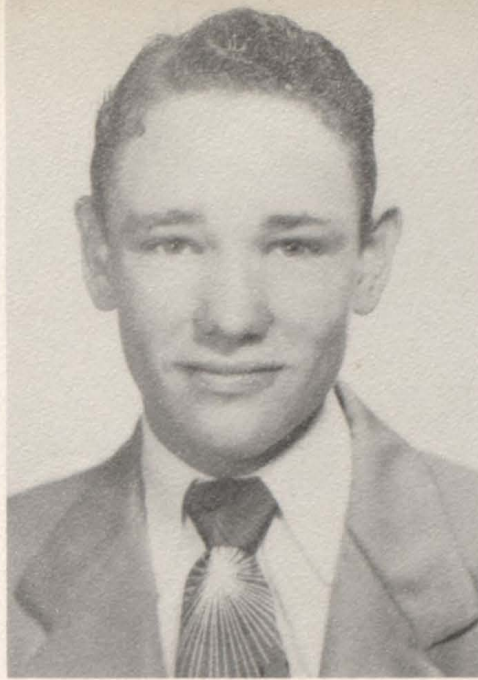
FLC 50-52; Football 49; Baseball 49; Choir 51-52; FFA 49-51; Historian 50-51.

LAMAR EVANS

Football Manager 49-51; Baseball Manager 49-51; Basketball Manager 50; Basketball 51; Commercial Club 50-51; Science Club 50; FFA 49-51.

LEE FRANZ

Band 49-52; Band Manager 52; A Cappella Choir 52; Boys' Quartette 52; Science Club 50-52, Secretary 50, Program Chairman 51-52.



VONDEL GIBSON

FHA 49-52; Pep Squad 49-52; FLC 49-51; Commercial Club 51-52; Basketball 50-51; Senior Play Cast.

W. C. "LITTLE DOC" GOSLING

Football 50-52; Basketball 50-52, Captain 52; Baseball 50-52; Student Council 52; FFA 50-52, Treasurer 50; A Cappella Choir 51-52; Wharton Youth Rodeo 52.

EVELYN HALEY

Girls' Choir 49-50; FHA 51-52; FLC 51-52; Pep Squad 51-52.

RALPH "STUMPY" HAMILTON

Football 49-52; Who's Who Runner up 51; Co-Sports Editor, Cat's Tale 52; Junior Favorite 51; Junior Class President 51; Senior Favorite 52; Senior Class Vice President 52; Boys' State 51; FLC 50-52; Student Council 50-52; FHA Carnival King 51.





RAY HAMILTON

Science Club 49-52, President 52; Tennis Club 50-51.

GEORGIA RICE HERRETH

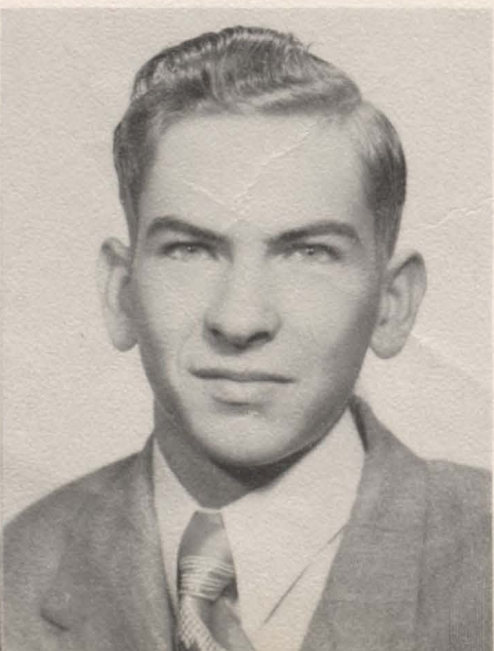
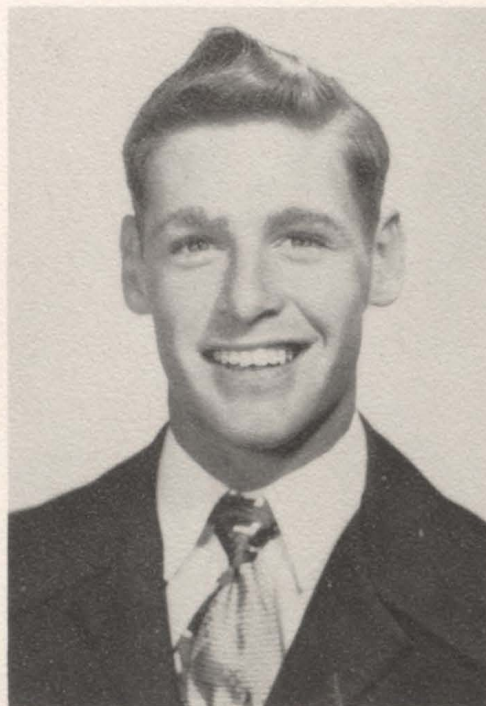
Blue Triangle 44-45; Four-H Club 44-45; FHA 45-46; Girl Reserves 45-46; FHA 46-47; Commercial Club 46-47.

JAMES JACKSON

Football 49-52; Basketball 49-50; Track 49-52; Pole Vault Winner In District, 2nd in Reg. 50, District, Region and State 51; Student Council 49-51; Camera Club 49; Boys' State 51; BLACK CAT staff 51-52; Sports Editor 52; Journalism Joker 51; FFA 49-50, Secretary 49; CAP Cadet 52; Mr. B.C.H.S. 52.

NANCY KAIN

Pep Squad 49; Commercial Club 49-51; Y-Teens 50-52; FHA 50-52; Cat's Tale Staff 52; A Cappella Choir 51-52.



TOMMY KAIN

Football 50-52; Track 50-52; Baseball 49-50; FFA 49-51; Vice President 49-50; Commercial Club 50-51; Science Club 50-51.

JIMMIE LAIRD

Band 50-52; FFA 50-52; Junior Secretary 50; Senior Treasurer 51; High School Orchestra 51-52.

MARY LYNN LANE

Y-Teens 49-52; Cabinet 49-52; FLC 49-52; Choral Club 49; A Cappella Choir 51-52; Lionettes Quartette 50-52; May Fete Queen 50; Senior Class Favorite 52; Band 50-52, Secretary 51-52; Student Council 50-52; Pep Squad 49; Senior Play Cast.

PAUL LANGHAM

Football 50-52; Basketball 50-51; Baseball 51-52; A Cappella Choir 52; FHA Carnival King 52.



BOBBIE LAWRENCE

Band 49-52, Majorette 51-52; Y-Teens 49-51; FLC 49-52, Reporter 52; A Cappella Choir 50-51; Choral Club 49-50; May Fete Duchess 49; Science Club 49; Cat's Tale Staff 52.

BRYAN LEE

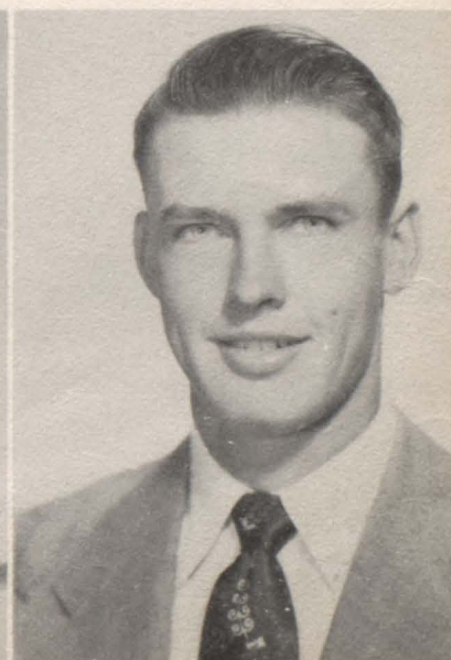
Football 51-52; Track 51-52, Third in District, Discus 51; FFA 49-52.

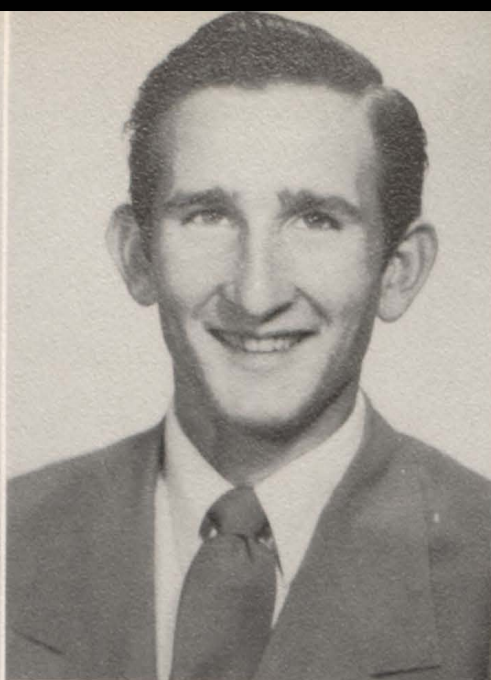
BILLIE JOYE LEGG

FHA 50-52, Vice President 51, President 52, State Meeting 50, Sub-Area Chairman 52; Junior Homemaker Degree 51; Student Council 50-52, Secretary 51-52; Junior Class Secretary 51; Y-Teens 50; FLC 49-52; Commercial Club 51-52, Secretary-Treasurer 51, Vice President 52; Choral Club 49-50; Fish Play 49; Secretarial Training Awards, Junior and Senior O.G.A. Membership, Complete Theory Award 60 and 80 w.a.m. Certificate.

RONNIE LUNA

Football 49-52; Track 49-52; FFA 49-51.



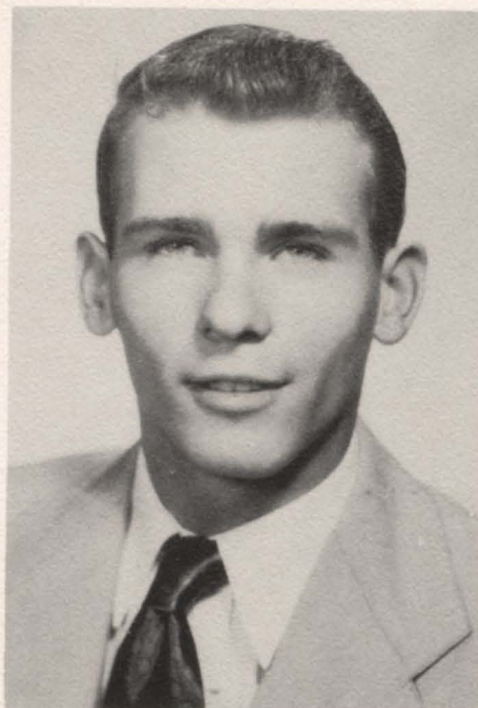


MARY GUDELIA MARTINEZ
 FLC 51-52; FHA 49; Choral Club 49-50.

EVERETT MCINTOSH
 Football Manager 49-50; Baseball 49-50.

JOHN BILL MILNER
 Football 49-52; Basketball 49; Track 49, 51-52; FFA 49-50-51.

CAROLYN MOHON
 Choral Club 49-50; Y-Teens 49-50.



CORA LOUISE MORGAN
 Y Teens 49-52; Junior Secretary 49; Junior President 50; Senior Secretary 51, Representative 49-50; FLC 49-52, President 51; Commercial Club 50-51; Band 49-52; Council 51-52; Singles Tennis 49-52; Junior District 49; Senior District and Reg. 51; BLACK CAT Staff 51-52, Editor 52; Fish Class Secretary 49; Who's Who 49-51; Student Council 50-52, Vice President 51; Girls' State 51.

KAY REA OTTIS
 Senior Play Cast; Y-Teens 49-52; FHA 49-52; Cabinet 51-52; FHA Carnival Queen 52; Pep Squad 49-52; Basketball 50-52; Y-Teen Cabinet 49-52.

LESTER PAINE

Band 49-50; Football 49-52; Track 49-52; Basketball 49-52; Commercial Club 50-51; Science Club 49; FLC 49-51; Student Council 49; Cat's Tale Reporter 52.

BONNIE JEAN PENNYCUICK

Y-Teens 49-52, Cabinet 49-52; A Cappella Choir 51-52; Choral Club 49-50; Camera Club 49; All State Choir 52; Band 49-52; Sub. Twirler 51, Head Twirler 52; Commercial Club 50-52; FLC 49-52; Senior Class Treasurer 52; Who's Who 49; Lionettes Quartette 50-52; Senior Play Cast.



MELVIN PLESS

FFA 47-49; Science Club 50-52; Tennis 51.

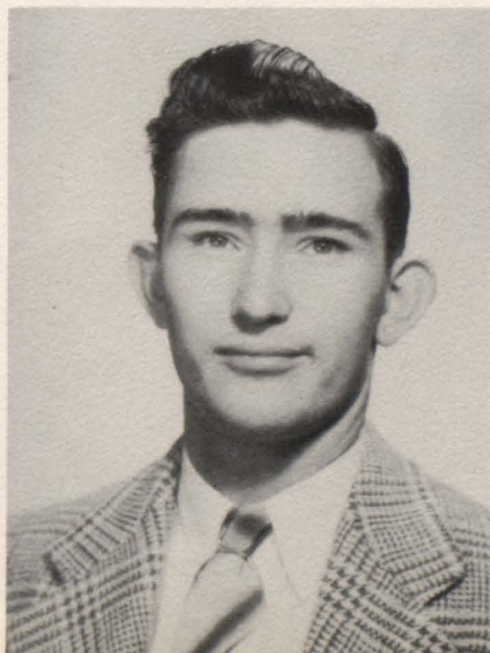
MAGDALENO RICO

Baseball 49-52.

JOHNNY RYMAN

NORMAN RYMAN

FFA 49-52; Track 50-52; Football 50-52.





BARBARA SELLERS

Band 49-52.

BOBBY "BIG BOB" SHAW

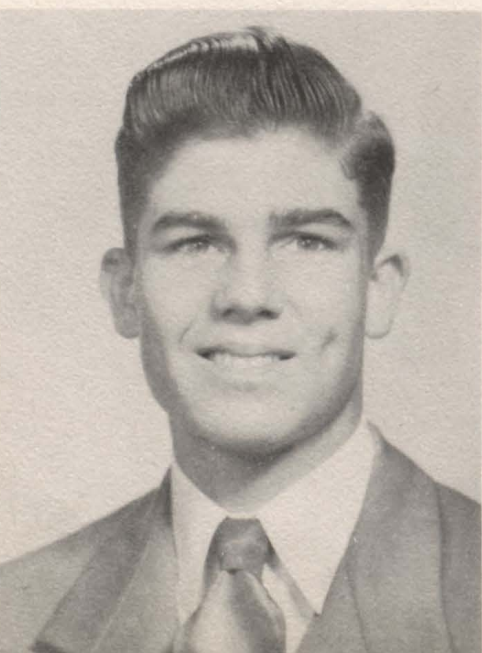
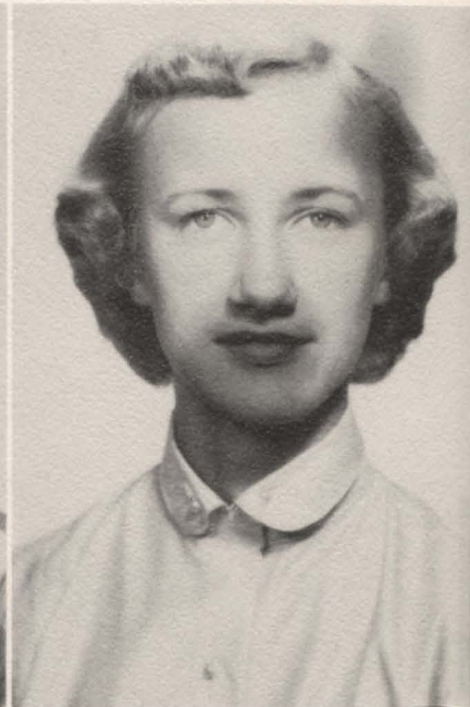
Football 49-52; Basketball 49-52; Track 49-51; Baseball 50; FFA Vice President, Treasurer 49-50; Sophomore Class President 50; A Cappella Choir 51-52; Cat's Tale Staff 52; All State Rodeo 52; Wharton Youth Rodeo 50-52.

BARBARA SIMONS

Y-Teens 49-52; Senior Secretary 52, Representative 51; Commercial 50-52; Student Council 52; Band 49-52; Twirler 51; Drum Major 52; Band President 51; FLC 50-52; FFA Sweetheart 49; Fish Class President 49; Sophomore Class Secretary 50; Fish Class Favorite 49; Junior Class Favorite 51; Miss B.C.H.S. 52; Runner-up in Who's Who 51; Homecoming Queen Runner-up 52; Senior Play Cast.

FLOSSIE SLIVA

Y-Teens 49; FHA 49-52; Choral Club 49; Pep Squad 50-51; Senior O.G.A. 52.



WAYNE SLONE

Senior Play Cast; Band 49-52, Council 49-52; FFA 49-52, President, Green Hand 49; President Local Chapter 51, President District Chapter 51, Vice President Area Chapter 51; Who's Who 50; Who's Who Runner-up 51; Student Council 49-52, President 52.

MANIS SMITH

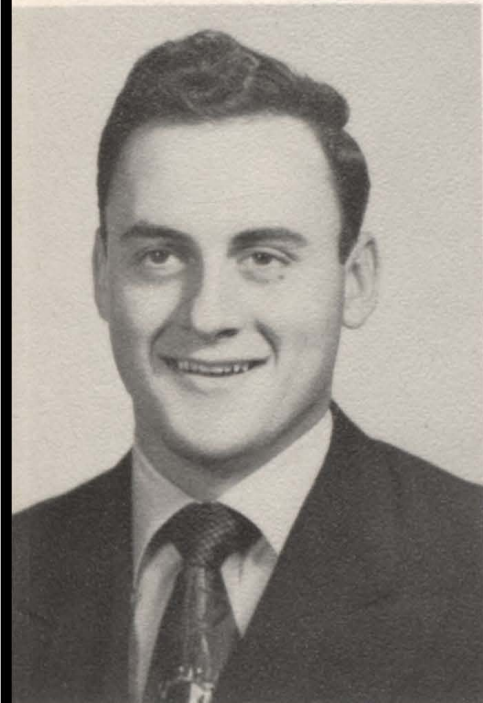
FLC 49-52, Vice President 51, President 52; Commercial Club 52; Track 49-50; Football 49-52; Cat's Tale Staff 52; Student Council 51; Science Club 49-50.

DOROTHY LEE SPITDOWSKI

FHA 49-52; Y-Teens 49-50; Choral Club 49.

URAL LEE STANFORD

Pep Squad 49-51; FHA 49-52, Treasurer 52; Choral Club 49; Y-Teens 49; Basketball 51; Commercial Club 51-52, Reporter 52; Senior O.G.A. 52; Junior O.G.A. 52; District Typing Meet 51.



JAMES STEINMEYER

Band 50-52; Choral Club 49-50, Vice President, Camera Club 49; FLC 49; Annual Play 50; A Cappella Choir 51-52; Science Club, Vice President 52; All State Chorus 50-51; Commercial Club 51; Senior Play Cast.

JOHN "BOOGIE" STEVENS

FFA 49-52, Reporter, 2nd Vice President, Program Chairman, Parliamentarian; Choral Club 49-50.

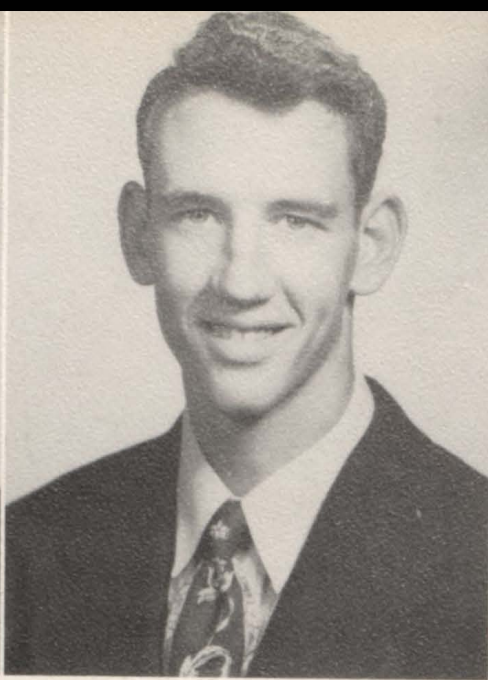
CHARLES STONE

Football 49-52; Track 51-52; Science Club 49; Band 49-50; Cat's Tale Staff 52; A Cappella Choir 51-52.

JOE SUMNERS, JR.

Football 49-52; Track 51-52; A Cappella Choir 52; Fish Favorite 49; Sophomore Favorite Runner-up 50; Sophomore Class President 50; FFA 49.





CLARA SWEENY

FLC 49-50; Choral Club 49-50; Pep Squad 49-52; FHA 50-52.

TOMMY SWINFORD

Football 49-52; Basketball 51-52, All District Team 52; A Cappella Choir 51-52.



JUNE TEYKL

FHA at Lamar 49-50, Vice President 49, President 50; Volleyball 49-52; Basketball 49-52, "B" Team Co-Captain; Y-Teens 50-52; Tennis 49-52; Cat's Tale Assistant Editor 52; FFA Sweetheart 51.

GILES TIPPETTE

A Capella Choir 51; Baseball 50-52; Football 50-51; Track 52; Tennis Club 51-52; Senior Play Cast.



JA LA NELL TOMLINSON

Volleyball 50-51; Basketball 50-52; FHA 49-52, Photographer 52, Rep. to State Meeting 51; Commercial 51; Pep Squad 49-52; Assistant Cheerleader 52.

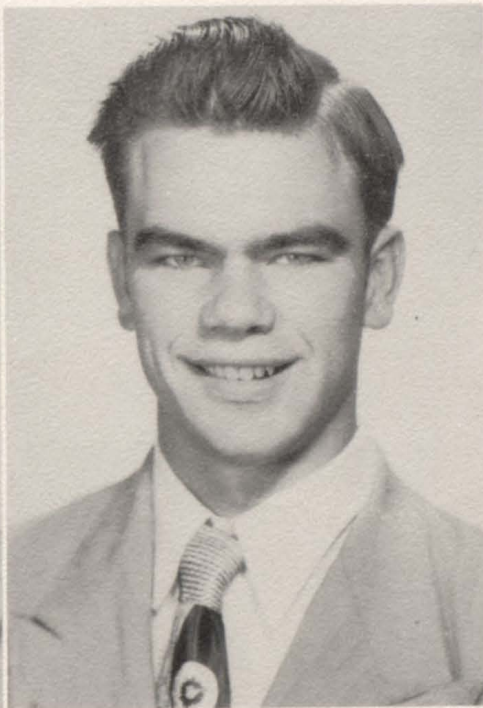
BONNIE JEWEL TOWNSEND

Y-Teens 49-52; Cabinet 49-50; Commercial Club 50-51; Senior Class Secretary 52; Band 49-52, Vice President 52; Duchess of Sweetheart Dance 49, Queen of Sweetheart Dance 50; Member Junior and Senior O.G.A. 52.

JANE VAUGHAN

Pep Squad 49-52, Assistant Cheerleader 50, Head Cheerleader 51-52; FHA 49-52, President 51, Rep. to State Meeting 50; Junior Degree of Achievement 51, Sub-Area Chairman 51; Y-Teens 49-52, Cabinet 49-52, Representative 51, President Interclub Council 52; BLACK CAT Staff 51-52, Assistant Business Manager 51, Business Manager 52; FLC 49-52; Commercial Club 50; Junior and Senior O.G.A. 52; Student Council 50-51; Basketball 50-51; Who's Who 51; FHA Carnival Queen 51; Homecoming Queen 51.

LOLA VILLANUEVA



MARCELLA VILLANUEVA

J. W. WATSON

Football 49-52, Captain 51, All District 51; Basketball 49-52; Track 49-50; Baseball 49-50; Junior Class Treasurer 51; Who's Who 50; Band-Pep Squad Favorite 52; A Cappella Choir 51-52, President 51; Student Council 50; FFA 49; Duke at May Fete 49; Cat's Tale Staff 52; Quill and Scroll 52; Tribune Trophy 52.

JANICE WILDER

Y-Teens 50-52, Treasurer 52; Student Council 50 and 52, Treasurer 52; Commercial Club 51-52, Secretary-Treasurer 52; FLC 50-52; BLACK CAT Staff 51-52; Pep Squad 50-52, Assistant Cheerleader 51, Cheerleader 52; Football Sweetheart 52; Journalism Joker Staff 51.

SYLVIA WILLIAMS

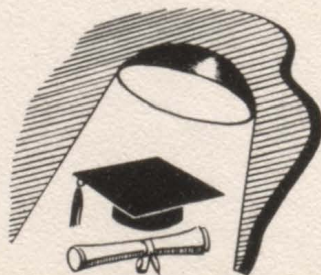
FHA 49-51; Choral Club 49; Y-Teens 49-52, Cabinet 49-50; Basketball 50-51; Assistant Cheerleader 51, Cheerleader 52; Pep Squad 49-52; Student Council 51, Treasurer 51; FLC 51 52; Commercial 51.



Senior Class Will

- I, Ural Lee Stanford, being of sound mind, leave to Katherine Calk, my picture of her boyfriend.
- I, Georgia Rice Herreth, leave my role as housewife, student, mother, and "Inn-keeper," to anyone else who is foolish enough to kill themselves trying it.
- I, James Steinmeyer, leave my ability to spend the day at the river and get back into the next day class without an admit, to the rest of the "river-gang."
- I, Joe Sumners, being of sound mind and good heart, do hereby will to my beloved brother my ability to escape from school unobserved by E. J. M.
- I, "Stumpy" Hamilton, after playing football, being over half-sane and nearly of sound mind, do hereby leave my number 13 football jersey to someone who isn't superstitious.
- I, Barbara Simons, will my ability to always remember my "tights," to Barbara Lane.
- I, Jamie Edmonson, being of weak mind, do hereby will my front desk in chemistry class to anybody with strong lungs or a gas mask who is fool enough to take it.
- I, Elton Edwards, being of sound mind and body, will my ability not to stay on pitch in choir to Bobby Turner.
- I, Doris Daehne, being of very sound mind, leave my ability of sticking my foot in my own mouth and telling dumb, pointless jokes to Barbara Lane.
- I, Milton Edwards, being of weak mind and body, do hereby bequeath my ability to act to Billy Doss.
- I, Nancy Kain, will my height to Anna Ruth Birkner and Mr. Marling.
- I, Gudelia Martinez, leave all my good times at B.C.H.S. to Dorothy Montaya and Connie Perez and Paula Mendiola, hoping they will enjoy it as I have.
- We, Bonnie Jean Pennycuick and Jamie Edmonson will our everlasting love for the Aggies to Finch, Stewart, Franks and Huitt.
- I, Wayne Slone, do hereby will and bequeath my "suction" with all the teachers to anybody who is too lazy to make their grades any other way.
- I, Magdaleno Rico, leave my research theme to Katy Mendiola if she can get it from Mrs. Morrow.
- I, Lola Villanueva, leave my giggling box to Katy Mendiola.
- I, Jane Vaughan, leave to Virginia Conerly and Allan Franz my only two unbroken chemistry test tubes.
- I, Bonnie Townsend, leave my ability to write two research themes and make an "A" on both of them to all "steadies."
- I, Billie Joye Legg, will my ability to be gone half of the period in homemaking—getting out of the work—and still get to eat, to JoAnne Mielsch, Louise Fikes, and Dorothy Manofsky.
- I, Paul Langham, will the front seat in Mrs. Morrow's English class to Charles Teutsch.
- I, Bobbie Lee Lawrence, will my "monkey suit" twirling uniform to any girl stupid enough to freeze to ice in the winter.
- I, Sylvia Williams, will to Libby Glenn the height which I never acquired and hope that she gains more by it than I did.
- I, Dorothy Spidowski, hereby will my best wishes of luck and success to Minnie and Ruth through their remaining years of school.
- I, "Corky" Morgan, will to "Fish" Ruthie Fikes the pleasure of playing red-headed center forward on the basketball team and the endurance to "stick" with the game of tennis. May she enjoy it as much as I did.
- We, "Prima" Wilder and Kay Rea Ottis, being in our usual state of mind, do hereby will to Shirley Mayberry and Louise Fikes, respectively, our undying love for blonde, curly hair and black straight hair, also respectively.
- I, Ardeth Brockman, will to Barbara Foote, the ability to keep the office first period and still not lose her mind.
- I, June Teykl, will my ability to make straight "A's" in biology to "Modesta."

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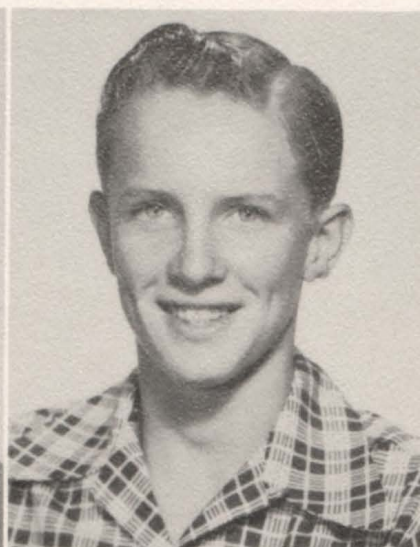
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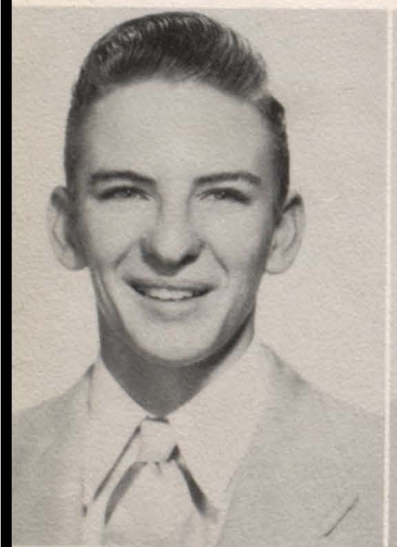
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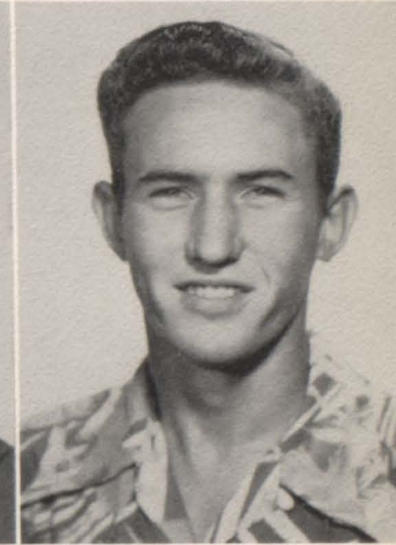
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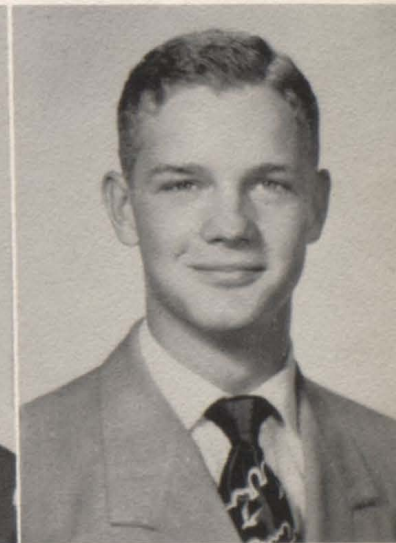
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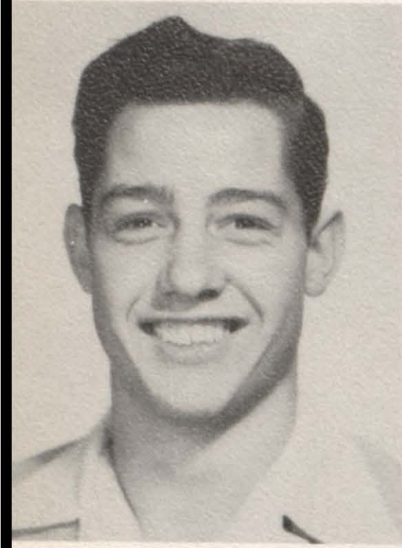


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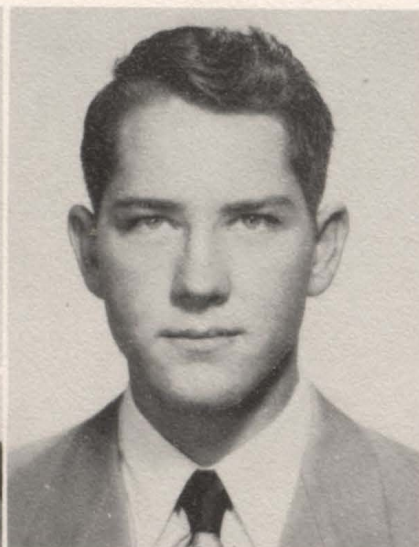
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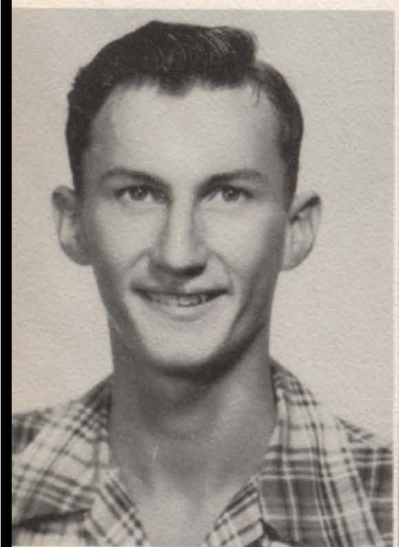
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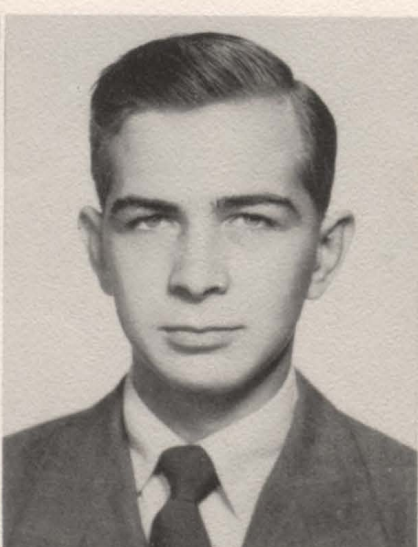
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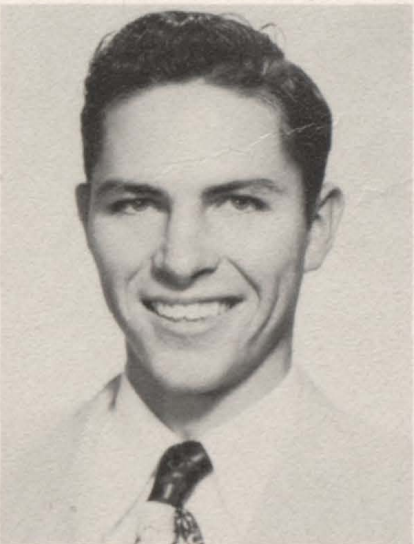
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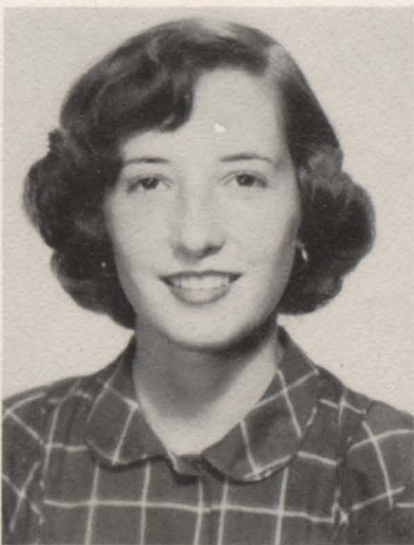
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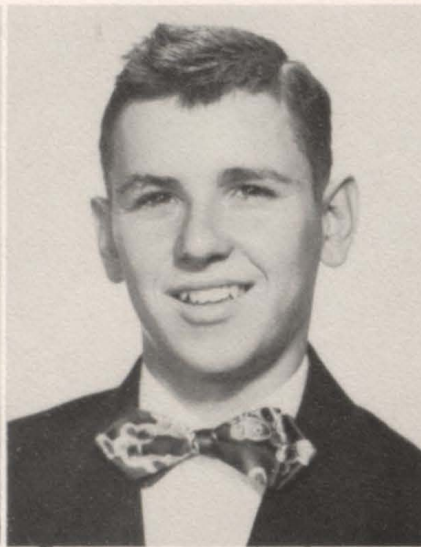
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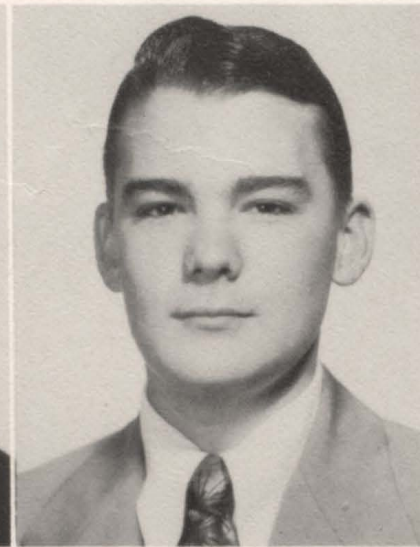
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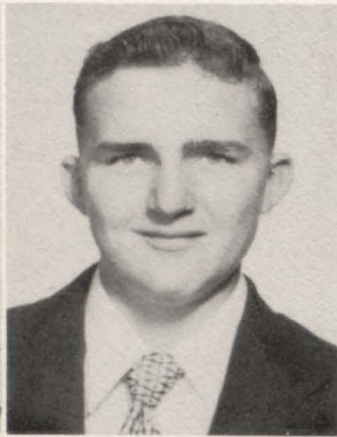
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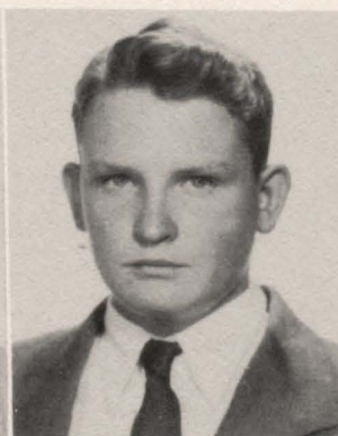
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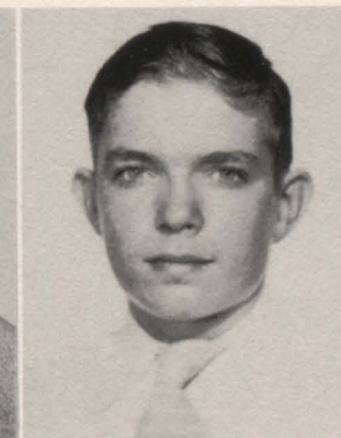
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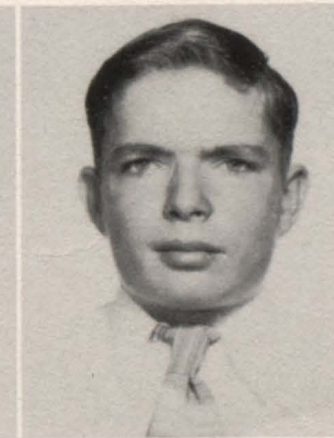
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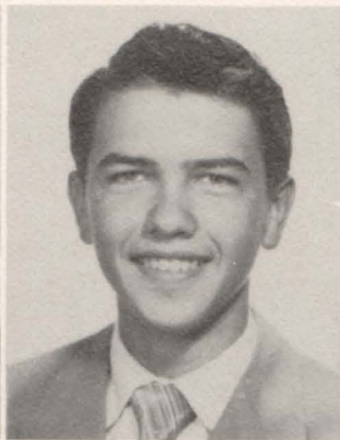
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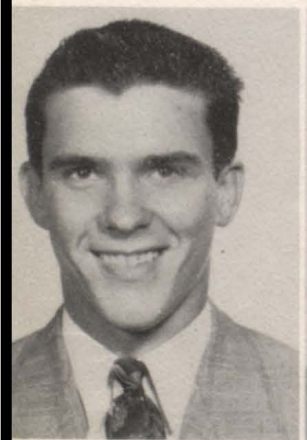
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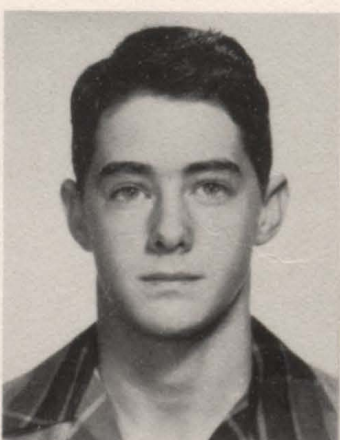
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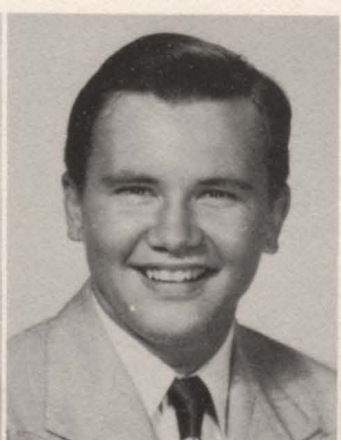
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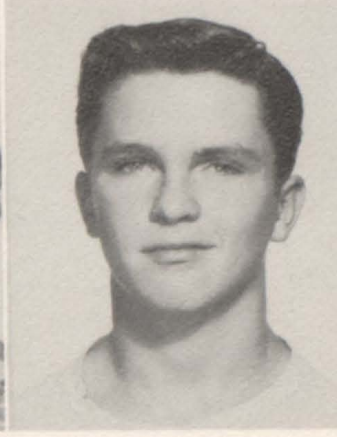
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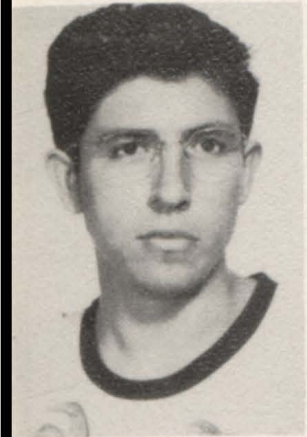


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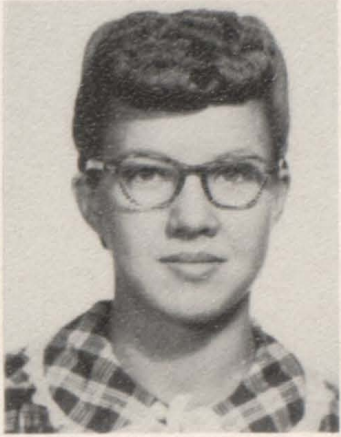
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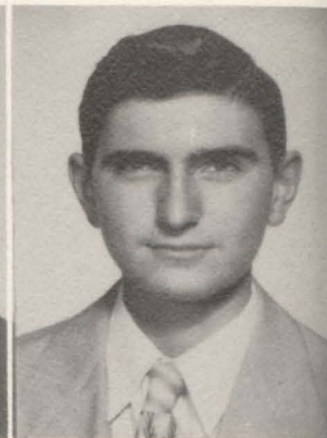
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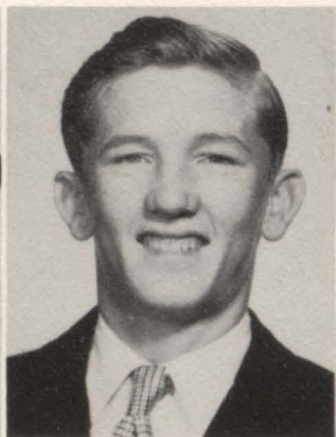
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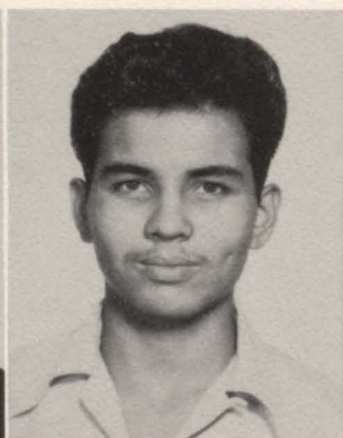
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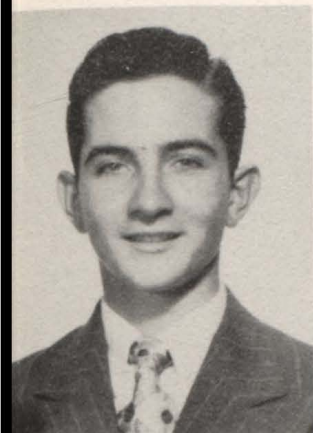


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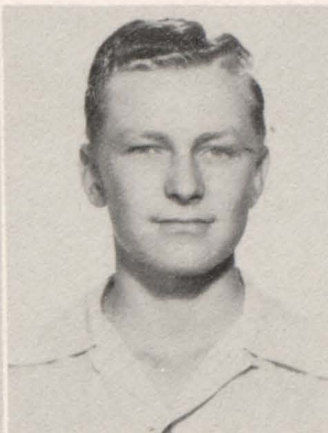
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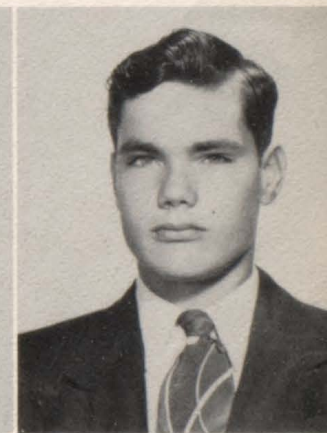
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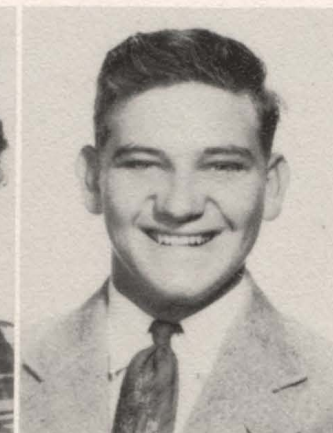
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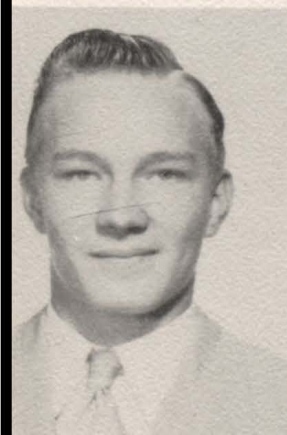
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Celia Villanueva



Marcia Voyles



Jean Ware



Garland Watson



Travis Watson



Martha Jane Wilde



Freddie Williams



Paul Zepeda

SENIOR WILL

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We, Geraldine Dunlap and Flossie Sliva, will our ability to pass shorthand without doing work in class to Ruthe Blackwell and Katherine Calk.

I, Lothell Culver, do will to Regina Richers and Sybil Ryman my ability to loaf in the hall at noon and torment Mr. Peilman.

I, Melvin Pless, will all of Bay City High School to the Seniors of 1952-53.

I, Kent Burkhart, will my amazing ability to speak Spanish fluently to Scott Stewart.

I, Ja La Nell (Tomlinson) Vanderhider, will my ability to get by without writing a research theme to Joan Knott.

I, Carl Imhoff, will to Pier Lee all my forged admits.

I, Lucille Briggs, will to my Siamese twin, Joyce Hughes, all the good times I have had in basketball, volleyball, and cheerleading.

I, Bobby Shaw, will my laziness to loaf in football practice and still make the line-up to Bobby Craft.

I, J. W. Watson, will my right to come in late every morning and not stay in to Gene Steinmeyer.

I, Jimmie Laird, being of sound mind (?), do hereby will my ability to skip V.A. III, to go to the park and not get caught by the man with the board, to Jack Stegall.

I, Giles "Slugger" Tippet, will to "Pody" Slater my amazing ability to hold the record for striking out for two consecutive years.

We, Charles Stone and W. C. Gosling, being of sound mind and good spirits, will our ability to take numerous trips out-of-town and get away with it, to all the junior boys who like the free, easy, and gay life.

I, Norman Ryman, alias "Jake," being of sound mind, will my nick-name "Jake" to Joan Knott and my warm-ups No. 22 to Gus Richers.

I, James Jackson, being of sound mind!!, hereby will my ability to walk my girl to class and still make it at least 2.5 seconds before the bell to "Podie" Slater.

I, Claude Baxter, being of sound mind, just leave.

I, Lamar Evans, will all the malts Coach Haley owes me to anyone lucky enough to collect them.

I, Vondell Gibson, leave to Dorothy Manofsky my Southern drawl so that she won't run out of breath all of the time.

I, Evelyn Haley, will my plane geometry book to some poor, unsuspecting person. May you have more luck with it than I.

I, Carolyn Mohon, do hereby will to Jeanette Medlin all my great intelligence. Or is it needed?

I, Clara Sweeny, do hereby will my ability to sit in plane geometry two years, and still not learn anything to Sybil Ryman.

I, Boogie Stevens, do hereby will my ability to sleep in English class to Jimmy Cashion.

I, Ray Hamilton, being of sound mind, do hereby will my regular trips to the Corporation Court to Jackie Summers and Bobby Turner.

I, Lee Franz, being of unsound mind, do hereby will my safe and sane driving habits to Barry Barbour and J. B. Waltermeyer.

I, Marcella Villanueva, do hereby will my ability to pass driving test to Katy Mendiola.

I, James Dickey, leave to anyone who hates to stay in class, my ability to get out through a window and then back in without getting caught.

I, Gail Crocker, leave my twirling experience to Barbara Lane.

I, Tommy Kain, will my track shoes to anyone who is crazy enough to wear them.

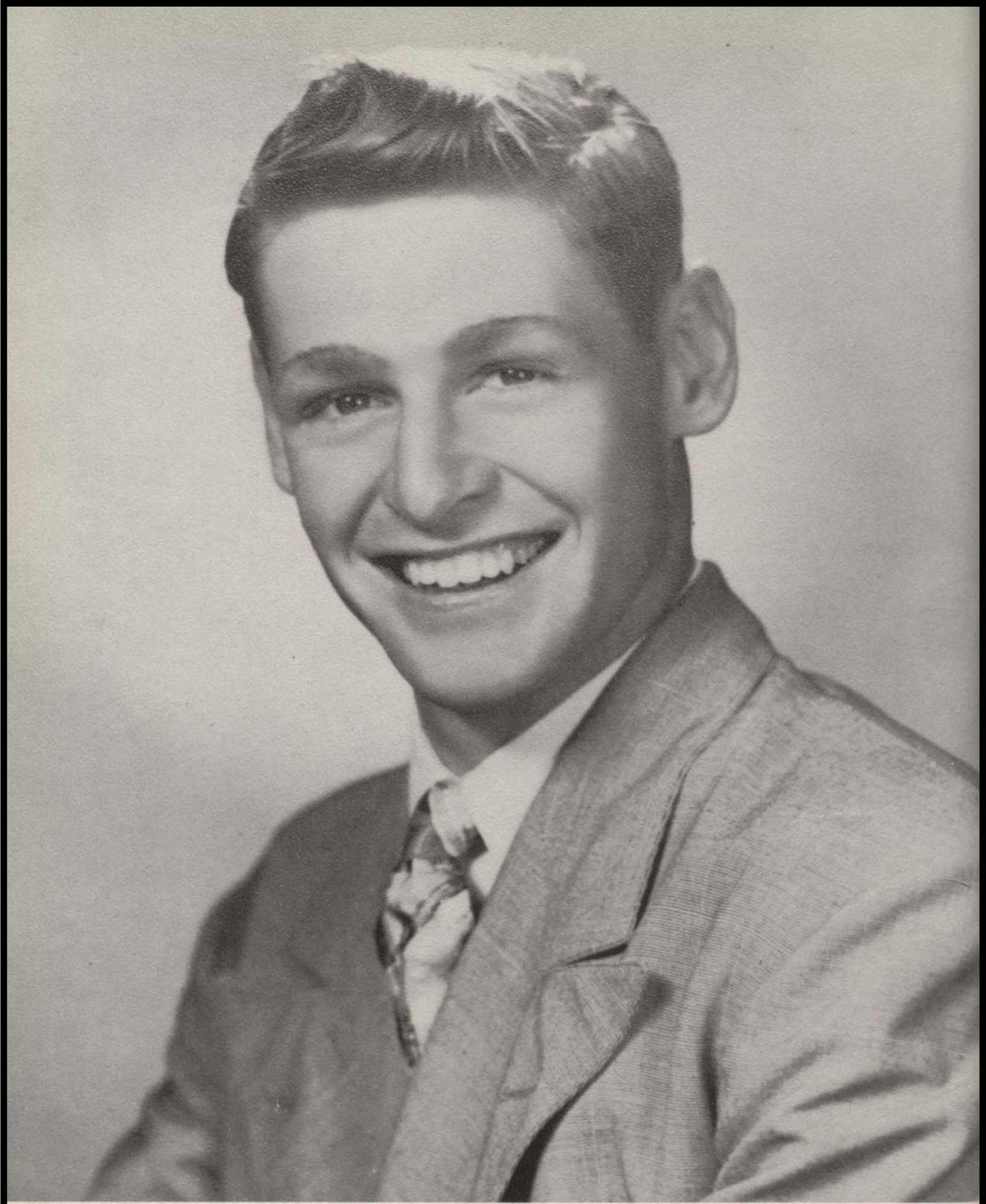
I, Bonnie Jean Pennycuick, will my size 10 twirling boots, and the position of head twirler to Anna Ruth Birkner. May she fill my boots well.

We, Jamie Edmonson, Doris Daehne, "Corky" Morgan, and Mary Lynn Lane, will our ability to eat dill pickles and peanuts in biology class and get away with it to Ruthie Fikes, Jeannie Jeanes, Bobbie Amos, and Linda Kay Broughton.





Favorites



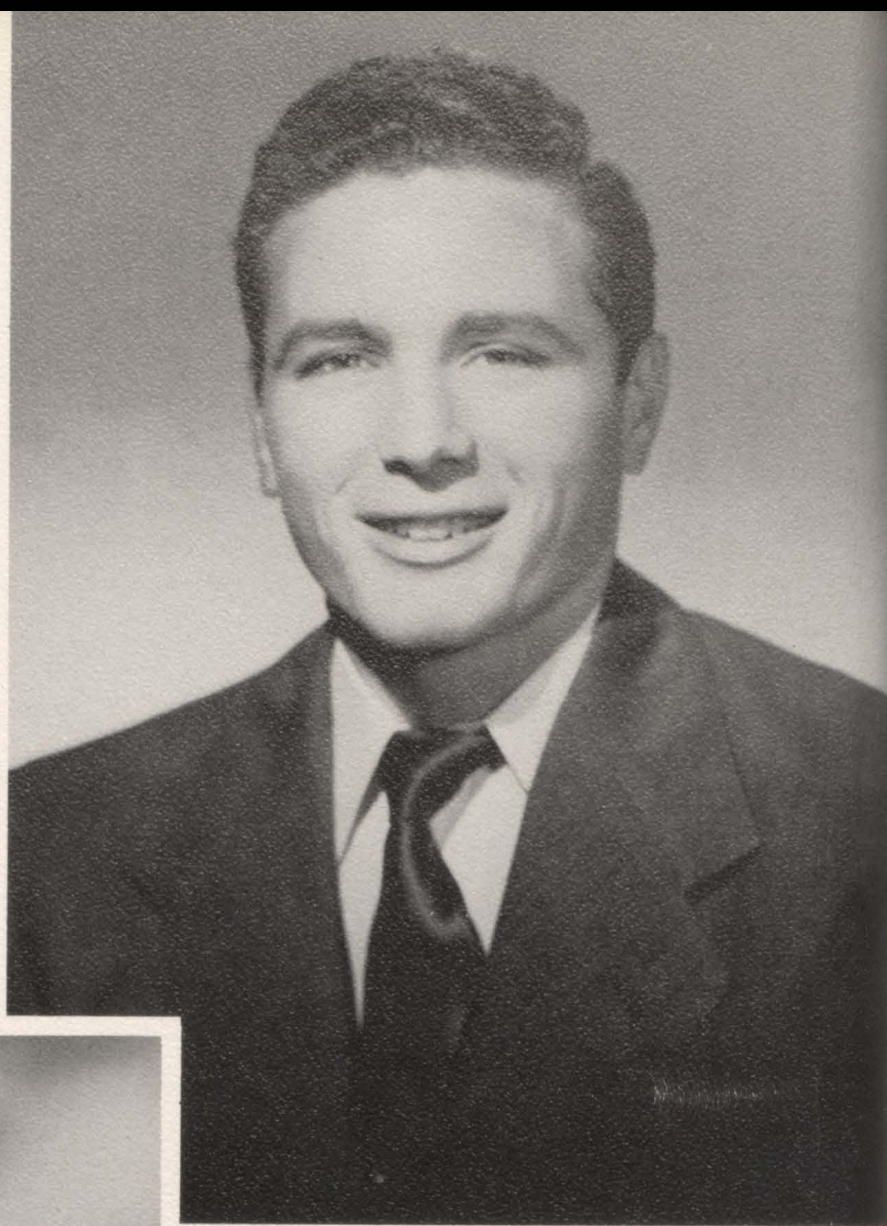
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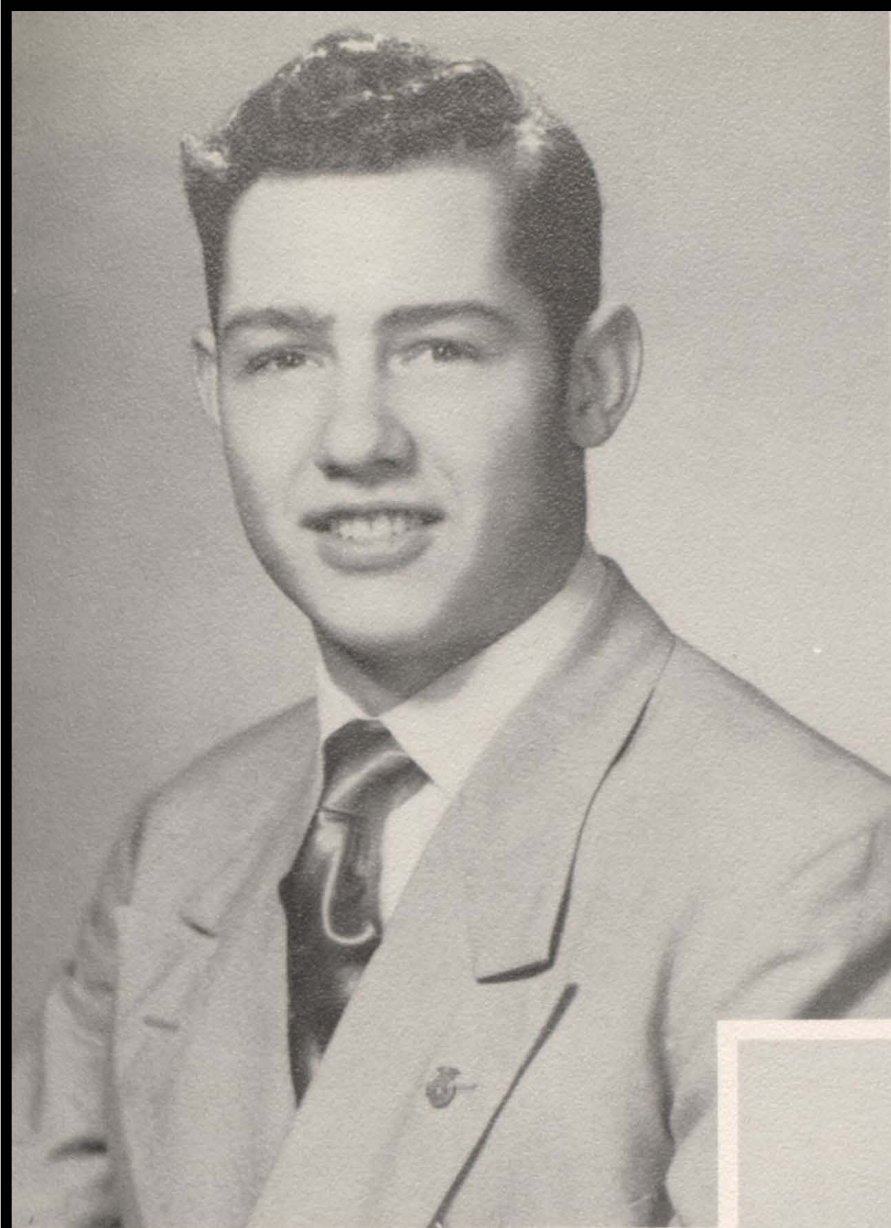
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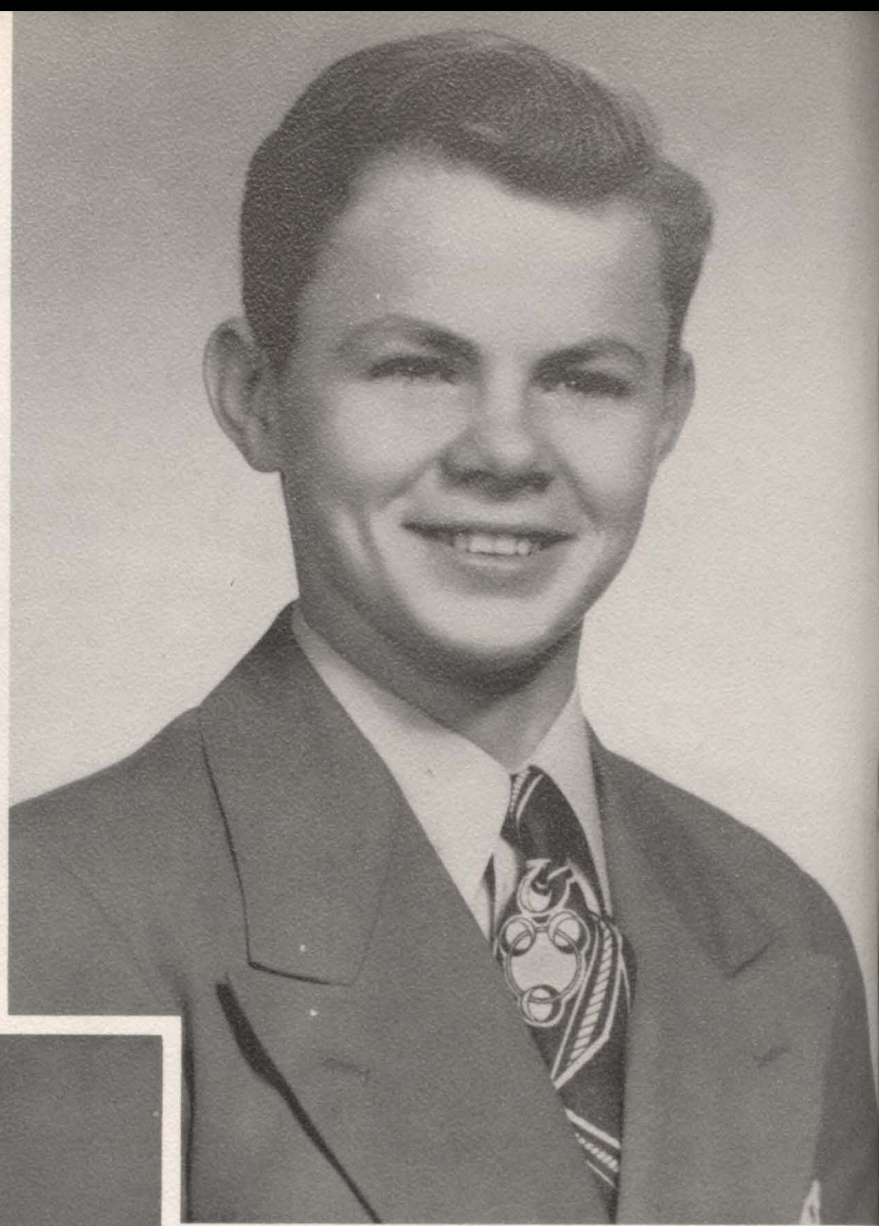
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Band - Pep Squad

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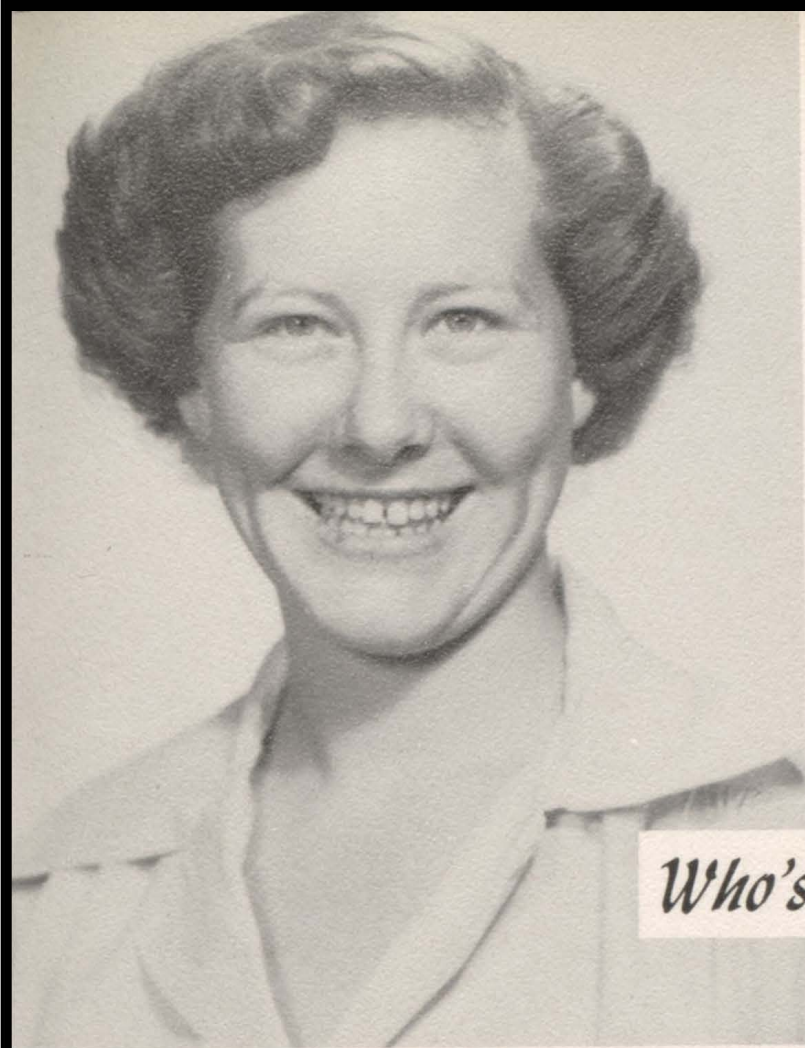
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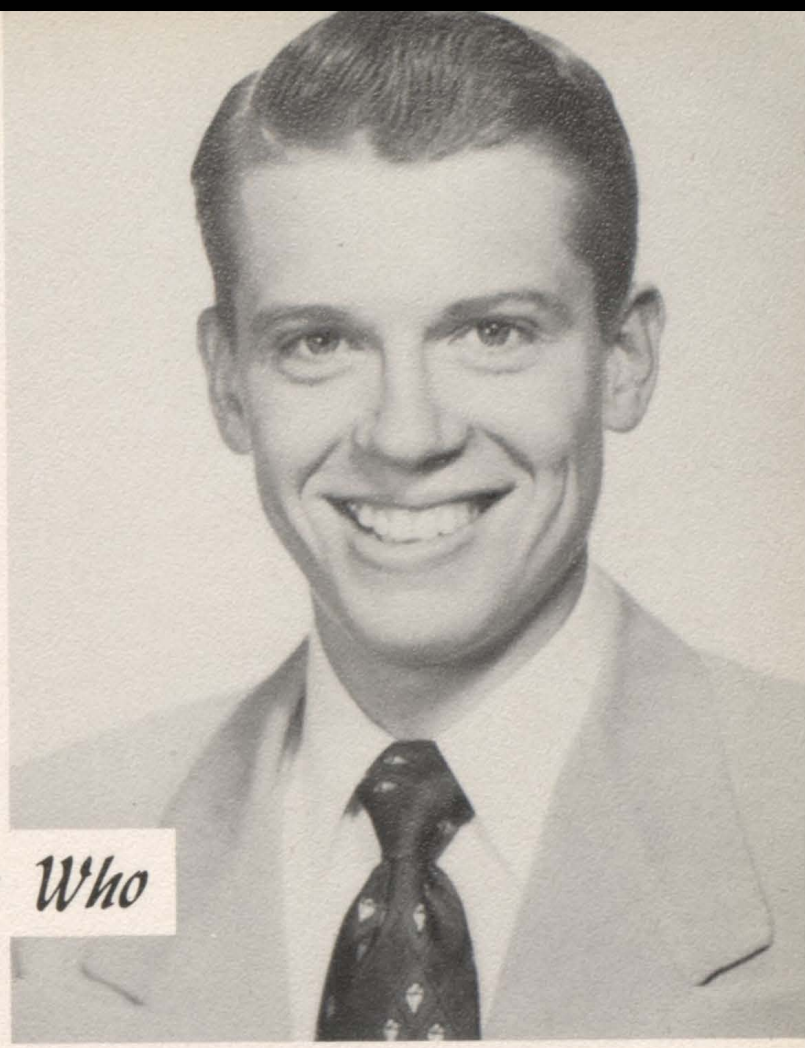
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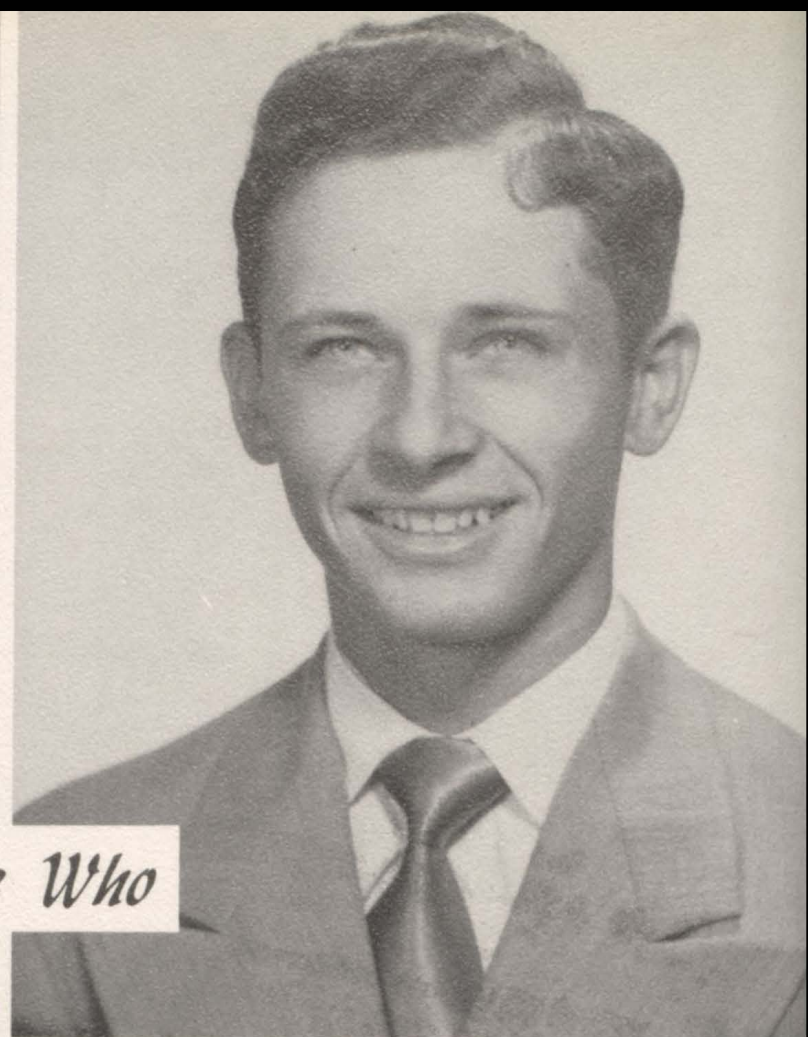
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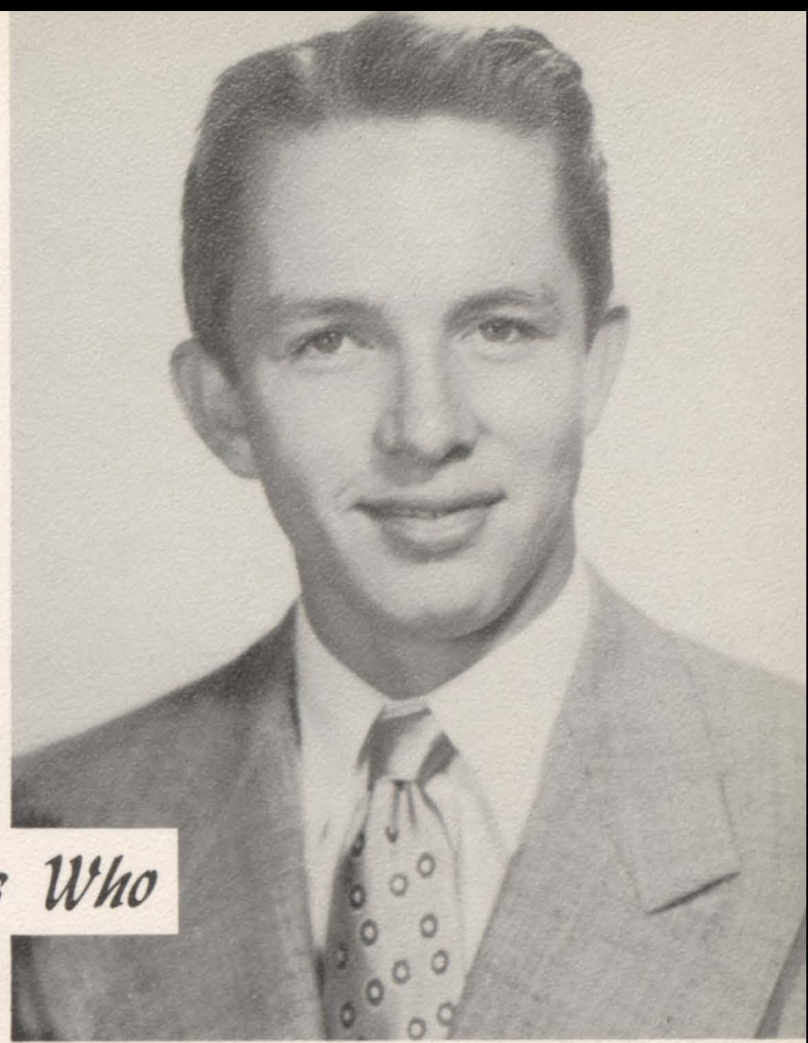
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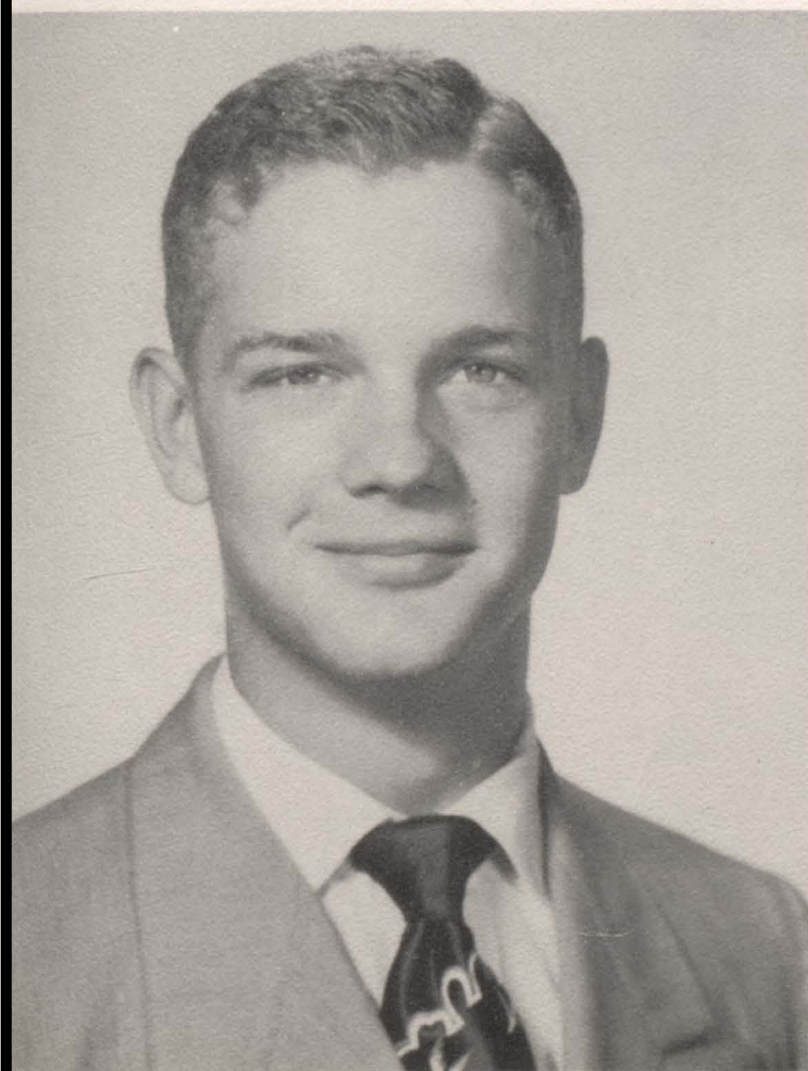


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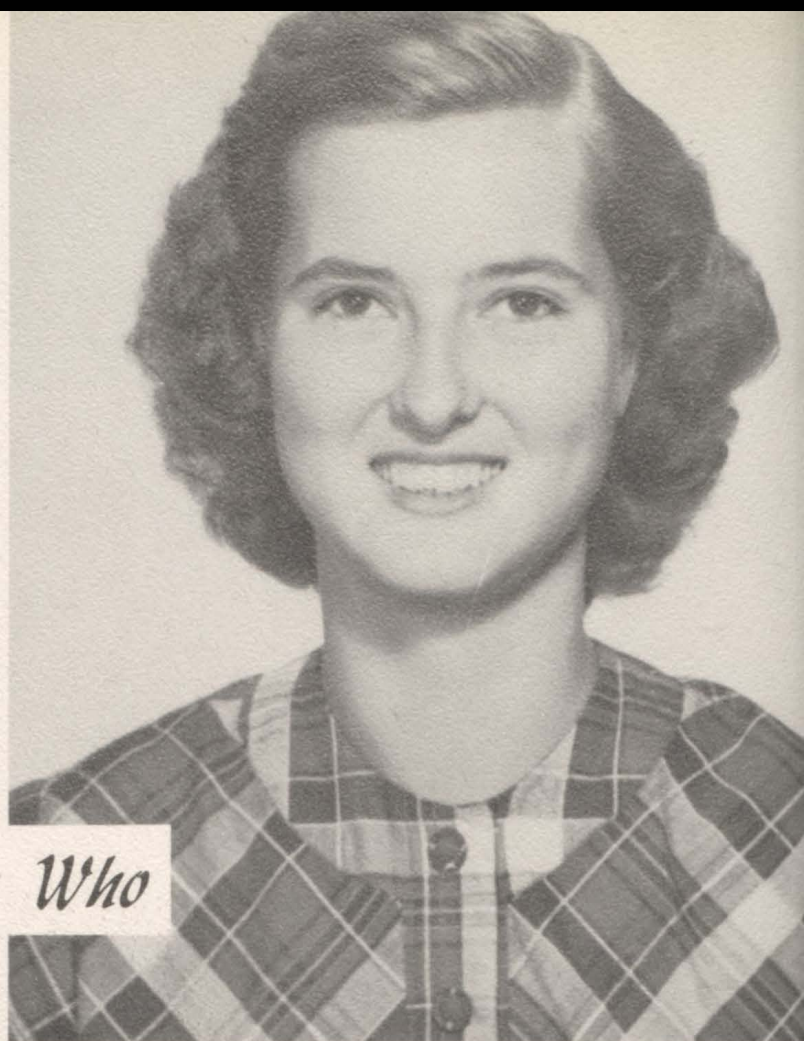
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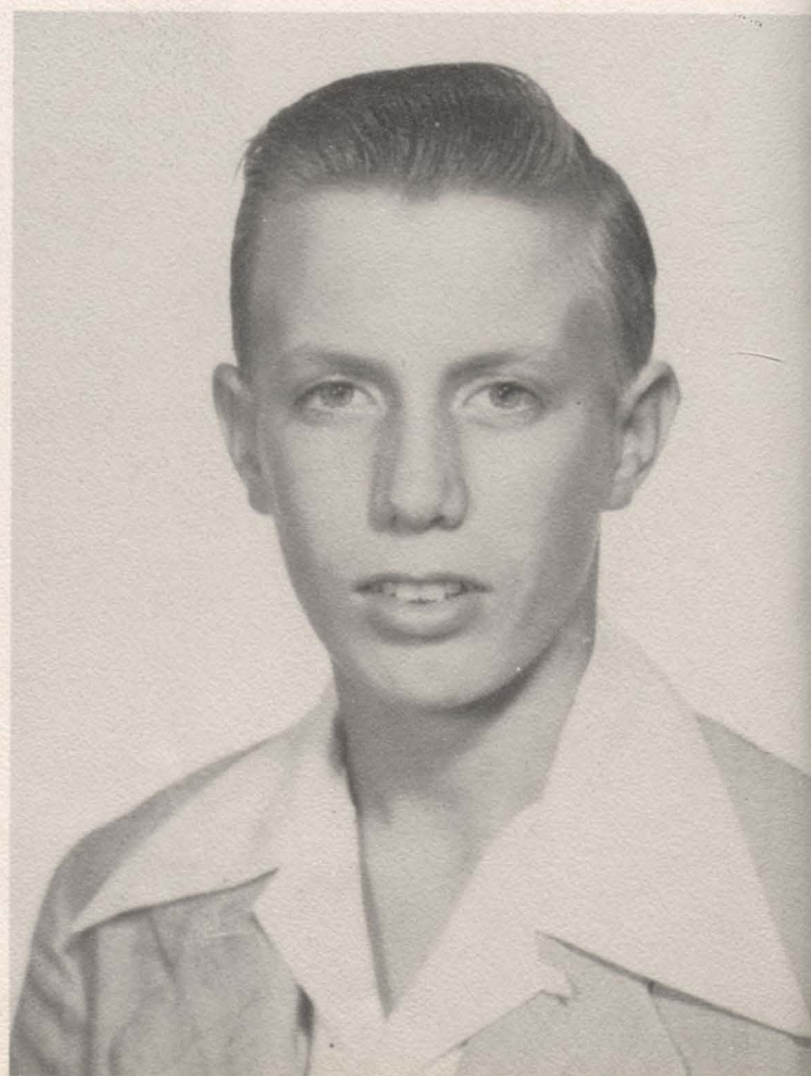


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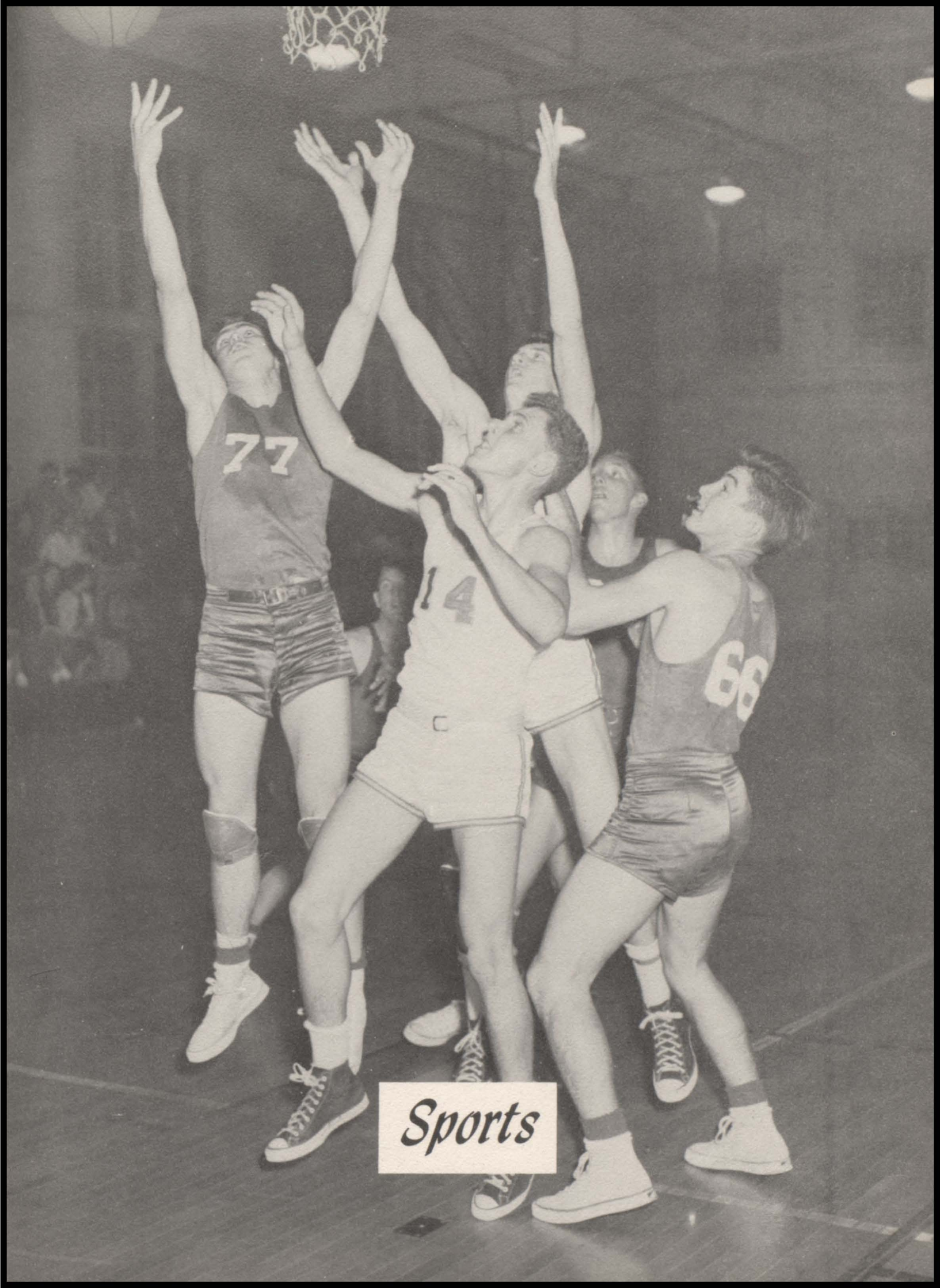
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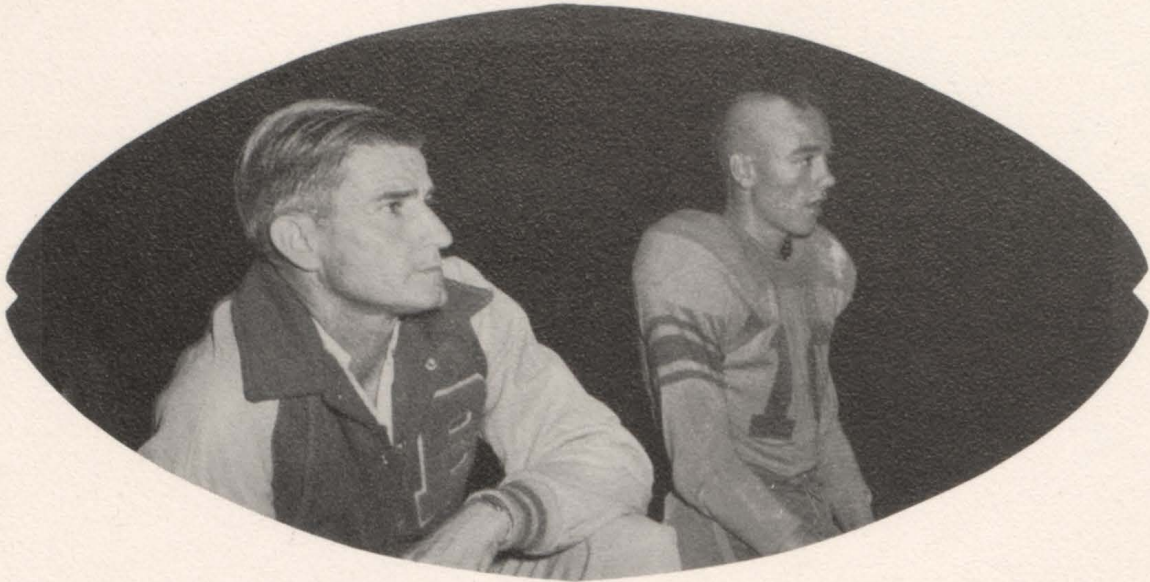


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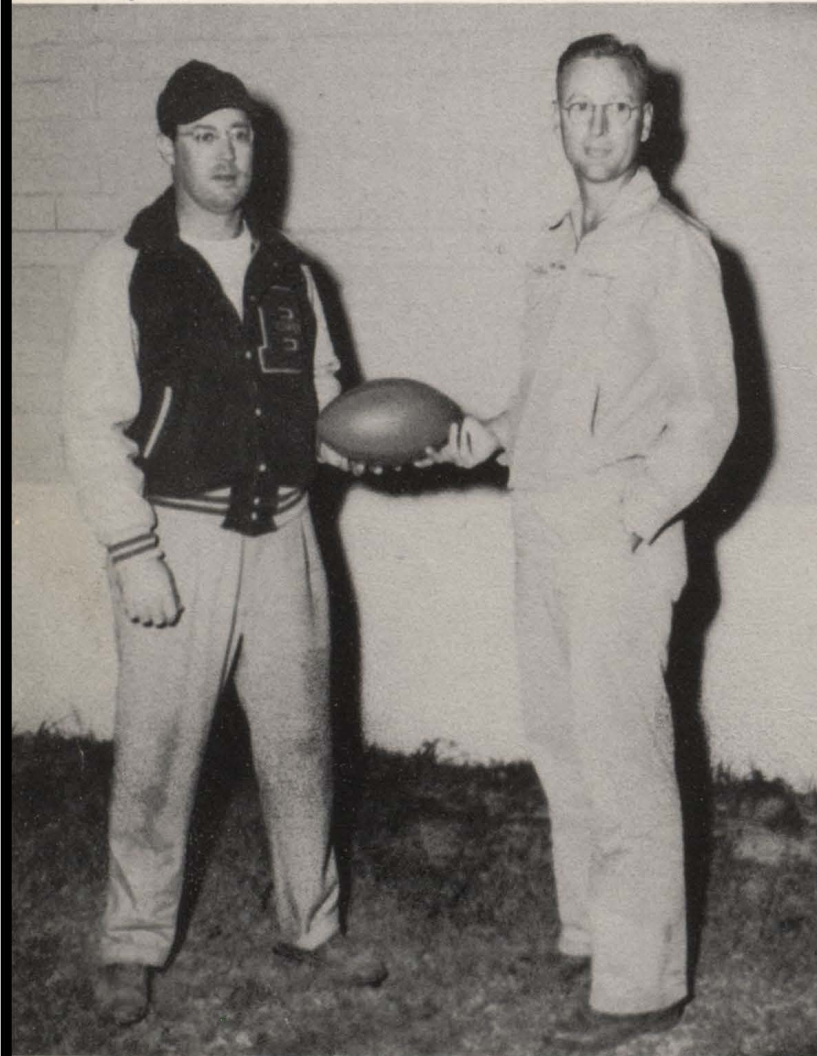


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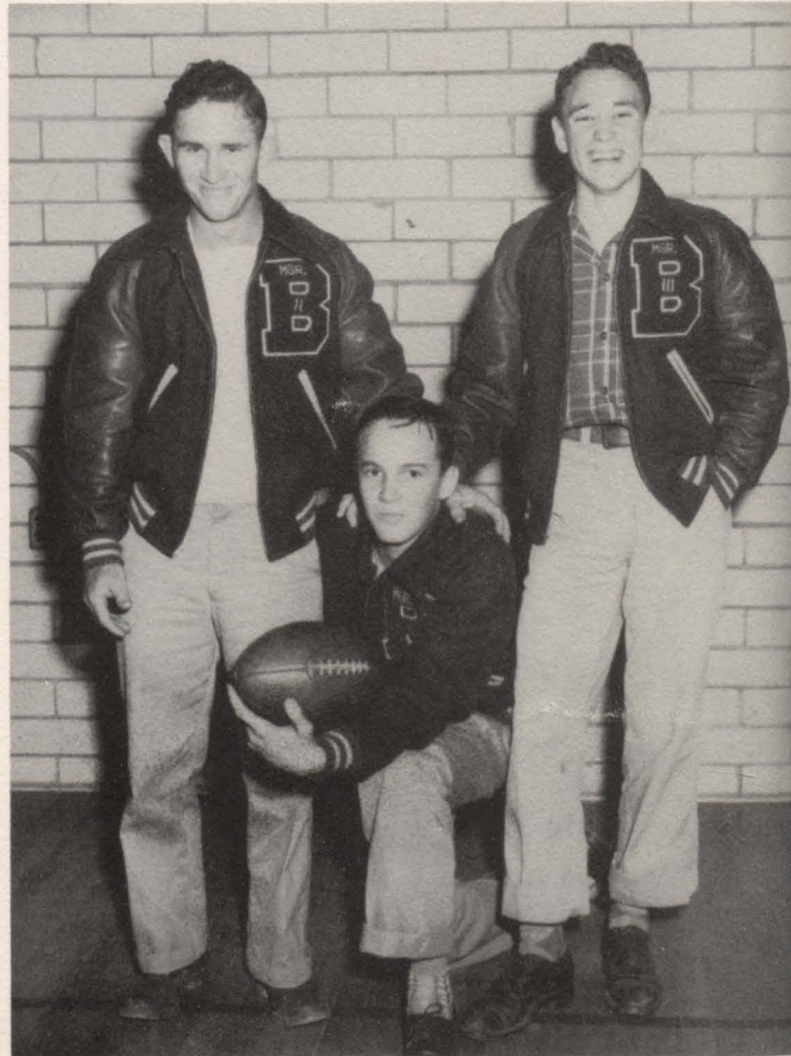
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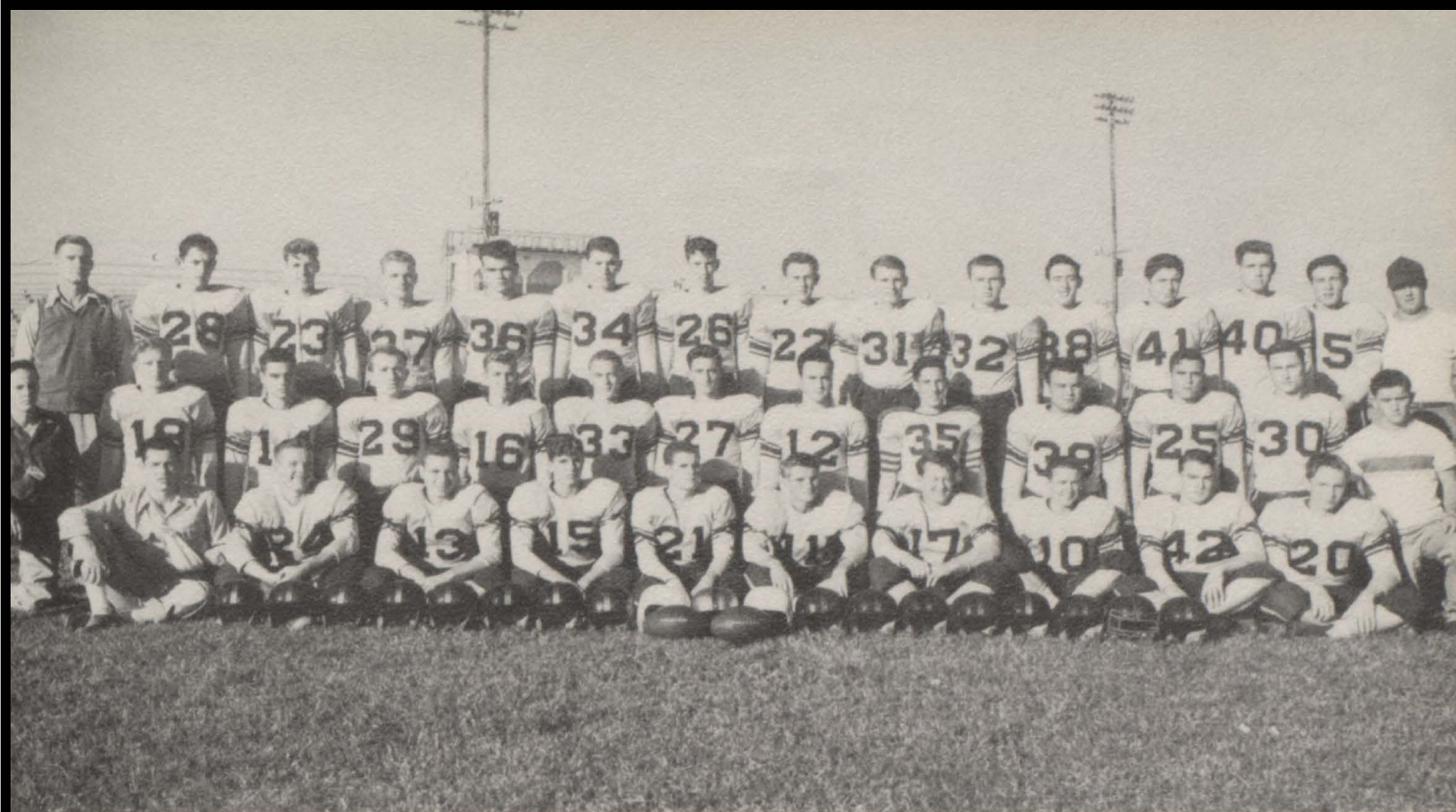
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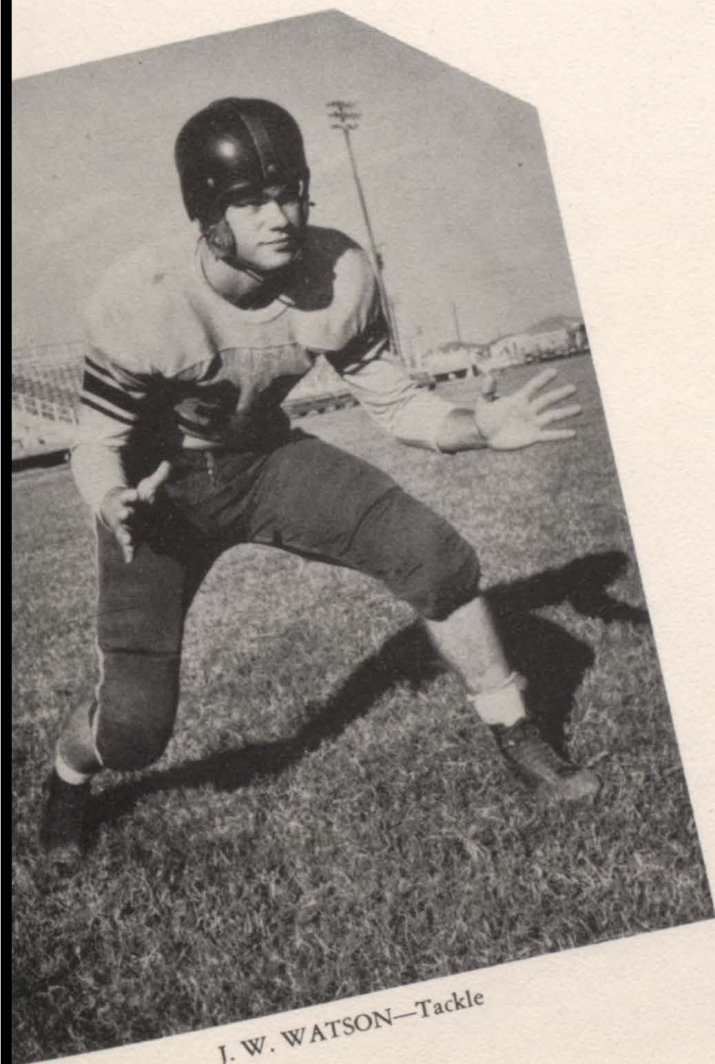
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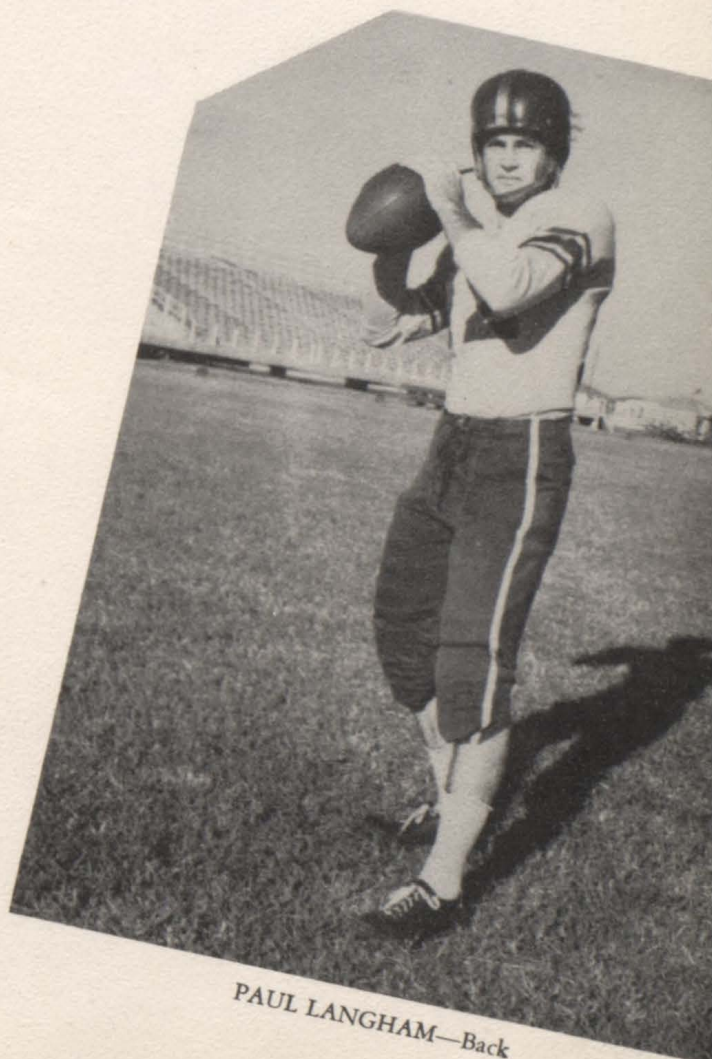
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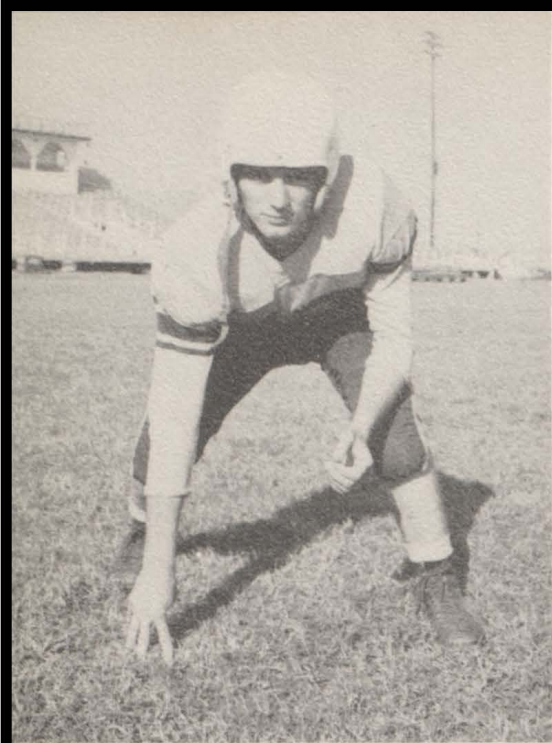
Black Cat Team



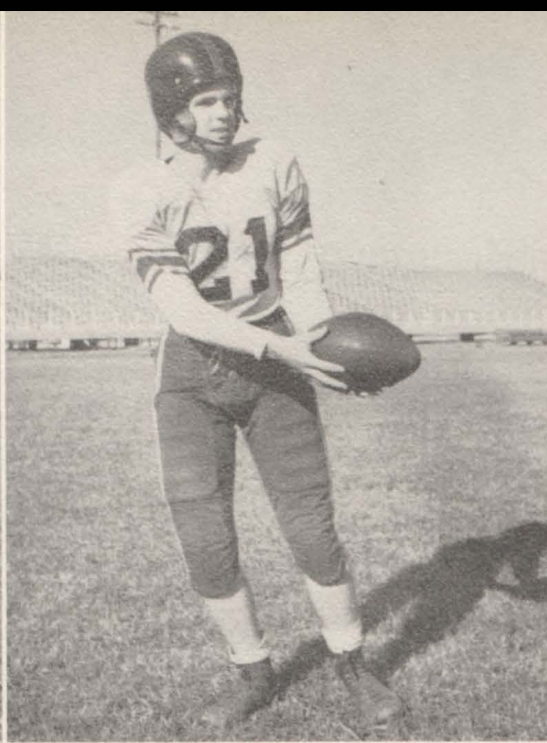
J. W. WATSON—Tackle



PAUL LANGHAM—Back



RALPH HAMILTON—Guard



ASA YEAMANS—Back



PIER LEE—End



BAY CITY—7 LAMAR—13

The loss of the Lamar game was the only mar on the Cats' record.

The Cats, bewildered by the Mustangs' split T, couldn't find running room. Their passes and trick plays couldn't click like they should have. Barrett scored on a pass and Watson converted.

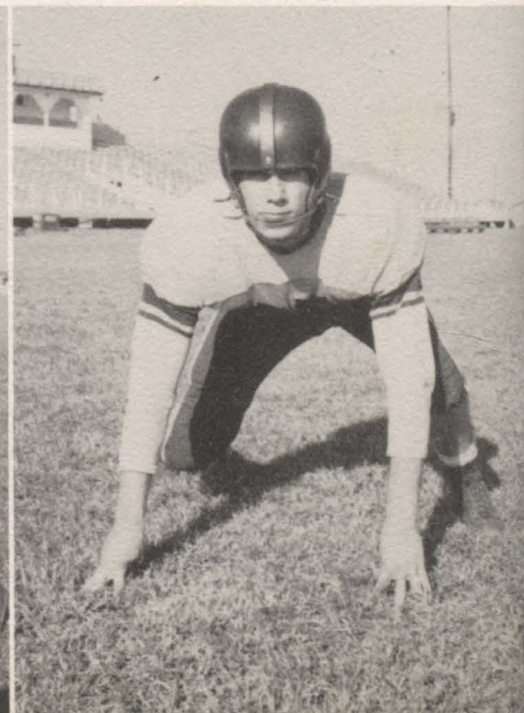
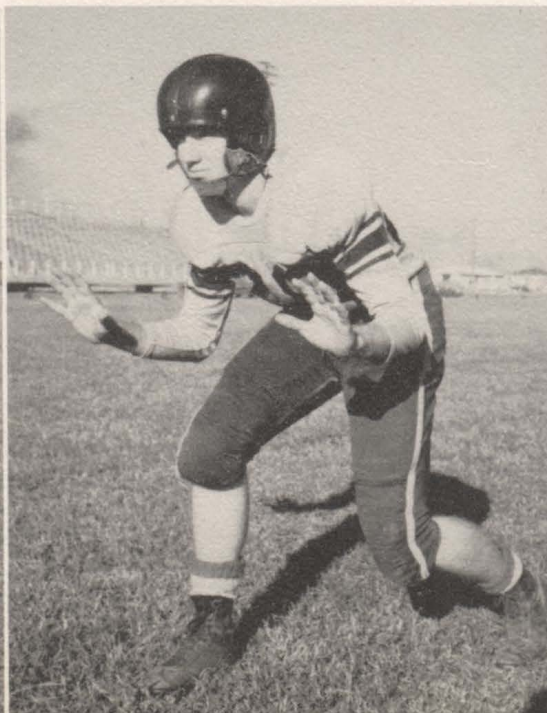
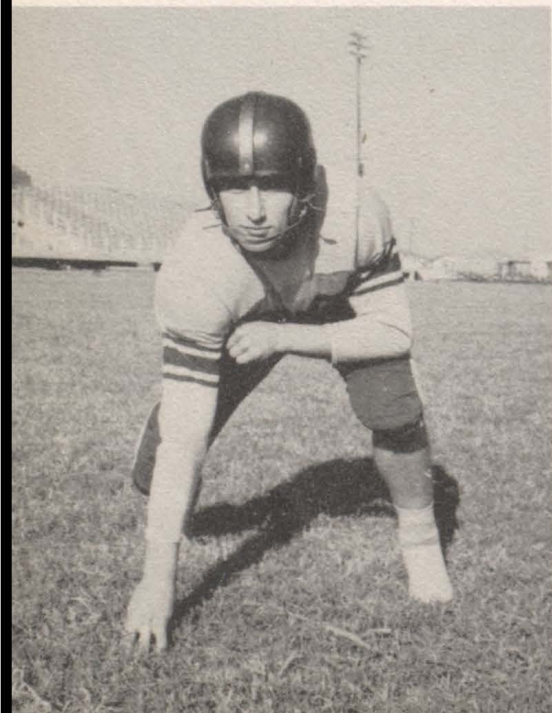
Chupik scored both of Lamar's touchdowns. Ansel converted one out of two tries.

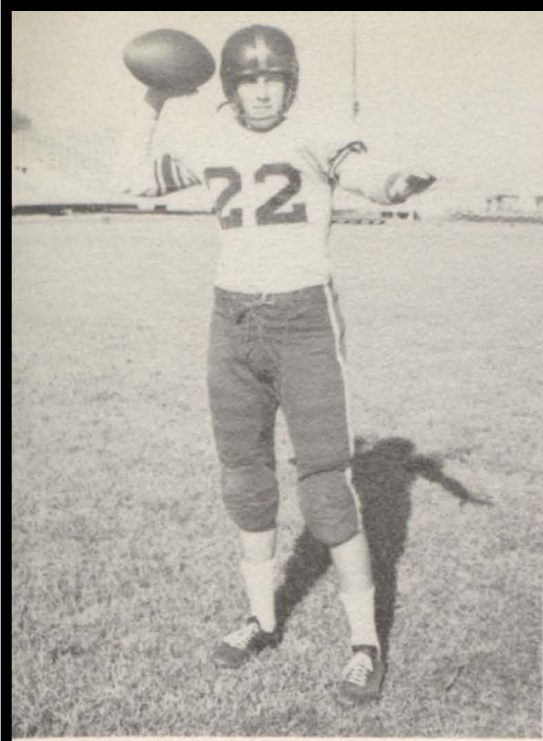
Lamar was the only district team that scored on the Cats.

TOMMY KAIN—End

SCOTT STEWART—End

JOE SUMNERS—Tackle





W. C. GOSLING—Back



MORRIS CRITENDON—Back



JAMES JACKSON—Back

BAY CITY—27 EL CAMPO—0

The powerful Black Cat team closed out their season by rolling over the El Campo Rice Birds, 27-0.

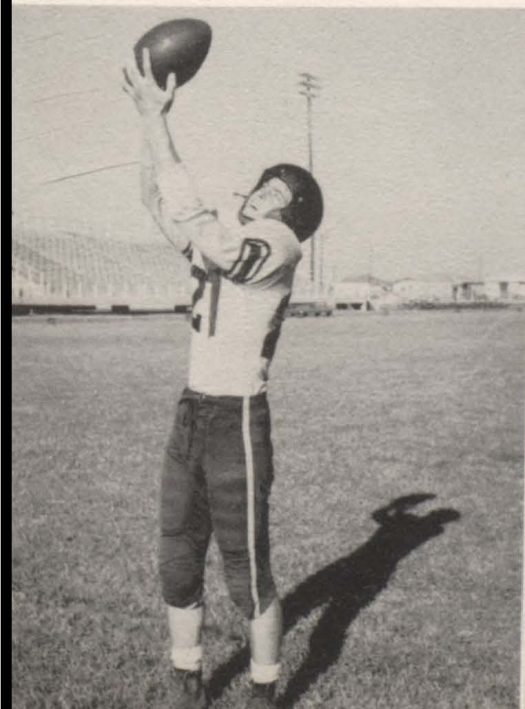
Barrett made two touchdowns on passes and one on a nice 51 yard run.

Jackson intercepted a Rice Bird aerial and returned it 27 yards for a T.D.

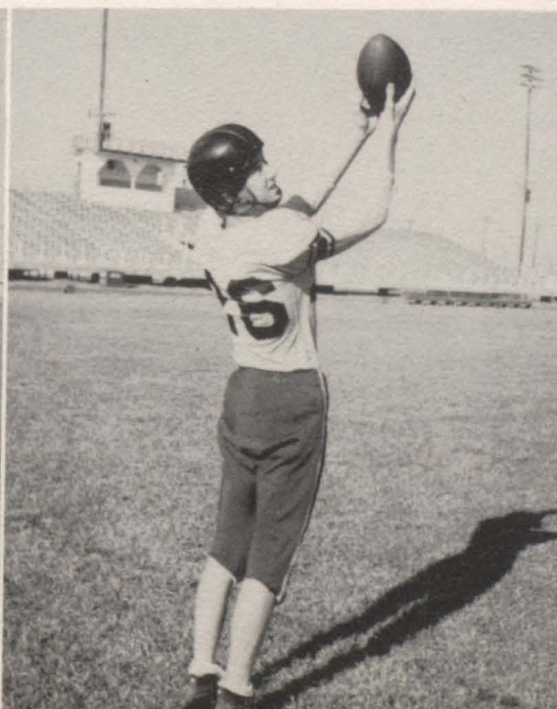
Watson made three out of four conversions.



NORMAN RYMAN—End



TOMMY SWINFORD—End

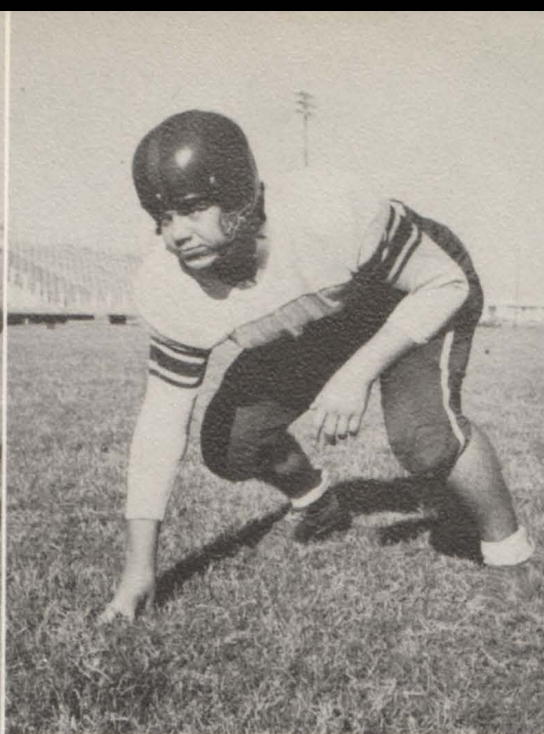


MAURICE ASHCRAFT—Back

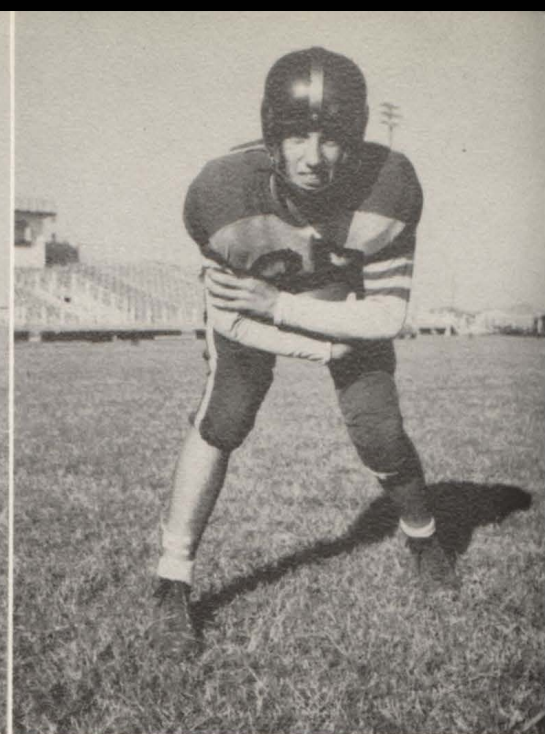




GEORGE WAINNER—Back



LEWIS FRANKS—Tackle



LESTER PAINE—Back



BAY CITY—34 WEST COLUMBIA—0

Bay City continued their perfect record by defeating the Roughnecks of West Columbia with a 34-0 score.

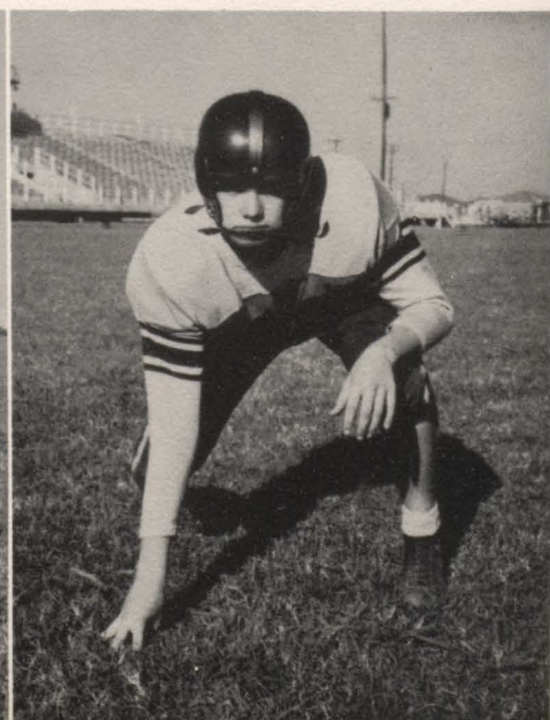
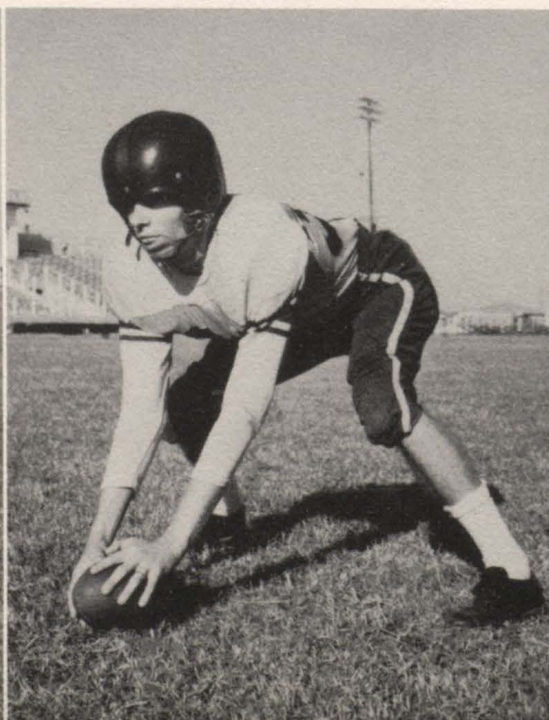
Crittendon scored on a 40 yard scamper, Barrett scored three times on runs, and Ashcraft raced 30 yards for the last score of the night.

Watson converted four out of five times. After the West Columbia game the Cats piled up 103 points to their rivals' 0.

RONNIE LUNA—Guard

JOHN BILL MILNER—Center

BOBBY TURNER—Tackle





BUDDY BARRETT—Back



PODY SLATER—Back



BRYAN LEE—Tackle

BAY CITY—42 WHARTON—0

This was the big one for the Black Cats—they'd been waiting for Wharton all season. When the smoke died away, the visiting Cats had romped to a 42-0 win.

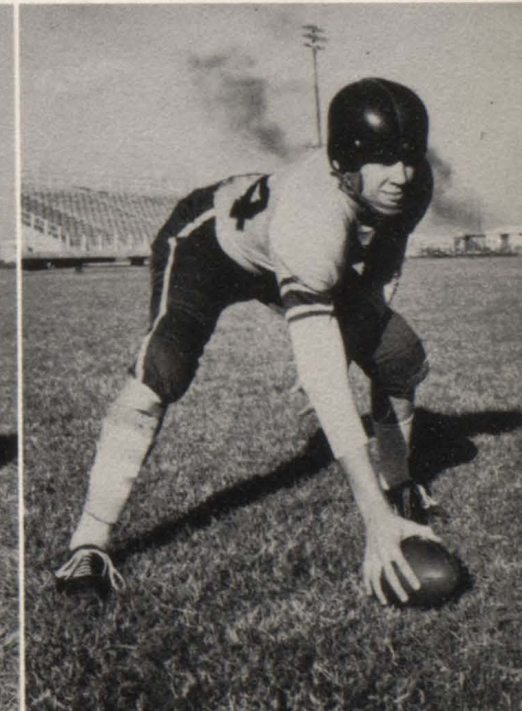
Bay City got the ball and after four plays had seven points to their credit. Barrett scored twice on passes, Jackson scored once on a ten yard end sweep and once on a forty-five yard pass interception, Lee scored on a long pass from Gosling, and Langham scored on a quarterback sneak.

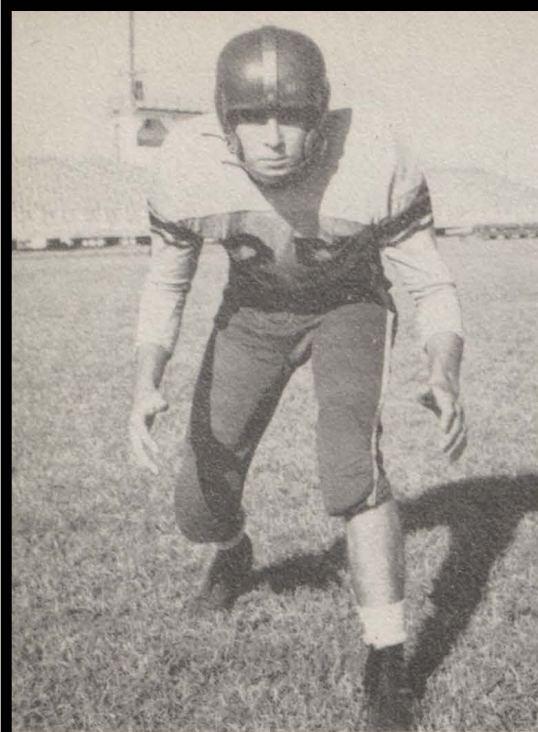


GENE STEINMEYER—Guard

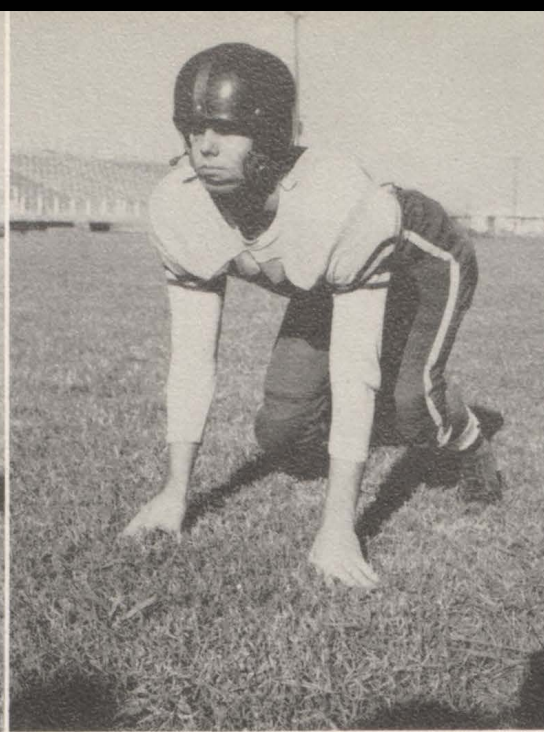
JACKIE SUMNERS—Tackle

BOBBY SHAW—Center

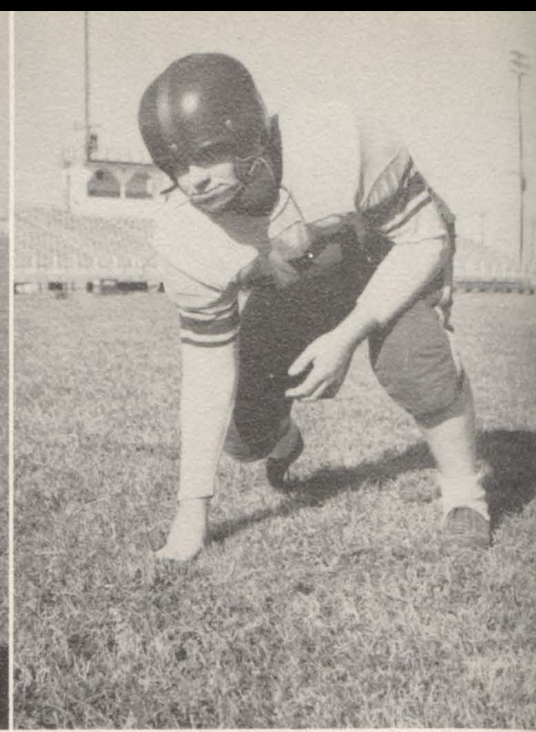




CHARLES STONE—End



MANIS SMITH—Guard



LADELL SUMP—Guard



BAY CITY—37 BOLING—0

The Black Cats sent Boling home on the short end of a 37-0 score.

Midway in the first period, after several Boling scoring threats, Crittendon dived the last three yards to score.

Ashcraft scored two touchdowns on runs of eight and thirty-eight yards.

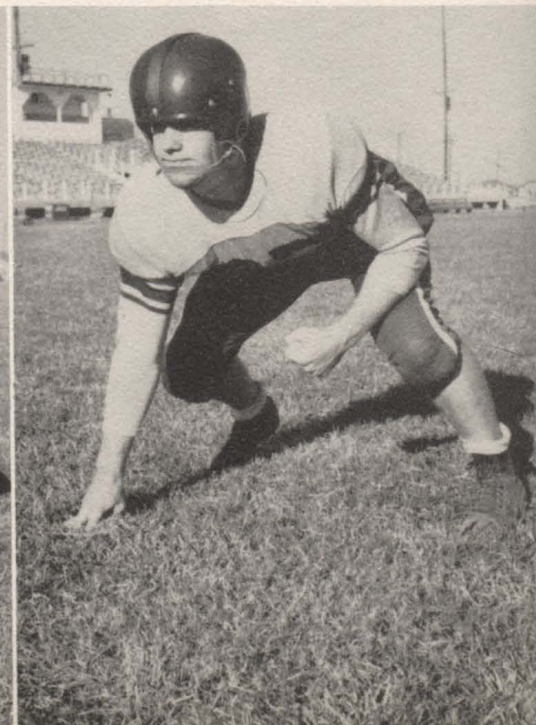
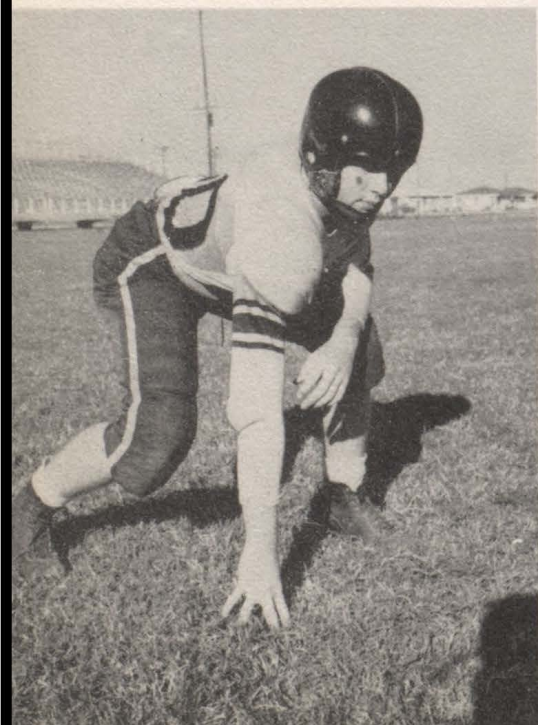
Barrett scored on a sixty yard gallop and Jackson scored after Steinmeyer's brilliant 41 yard pass interception.

Watson kicked one field goal and four extra points.

MILTON WILLIAMSON—Guard

J. B. WALTERMIRE—Tackle

RAY NOBLE FINCH—Tackle





Black Cat Backs



Black Cat Linemen

Girls' Basketball Team



DISTRICT CO-CHAMPIONS of 1952 was the title earned by the girls basketball team.



HAZEL BETH McCALL
Coach



JUMP BALL!



LUCILLE BRIGGS



ARDETH BROCKMAN



JAMIE EDMONSON
Co-Captain



JOYCE HUGHES



MERIDETH McKELVY
Manager



CORA LOUISE MORGAN
Co-Captain



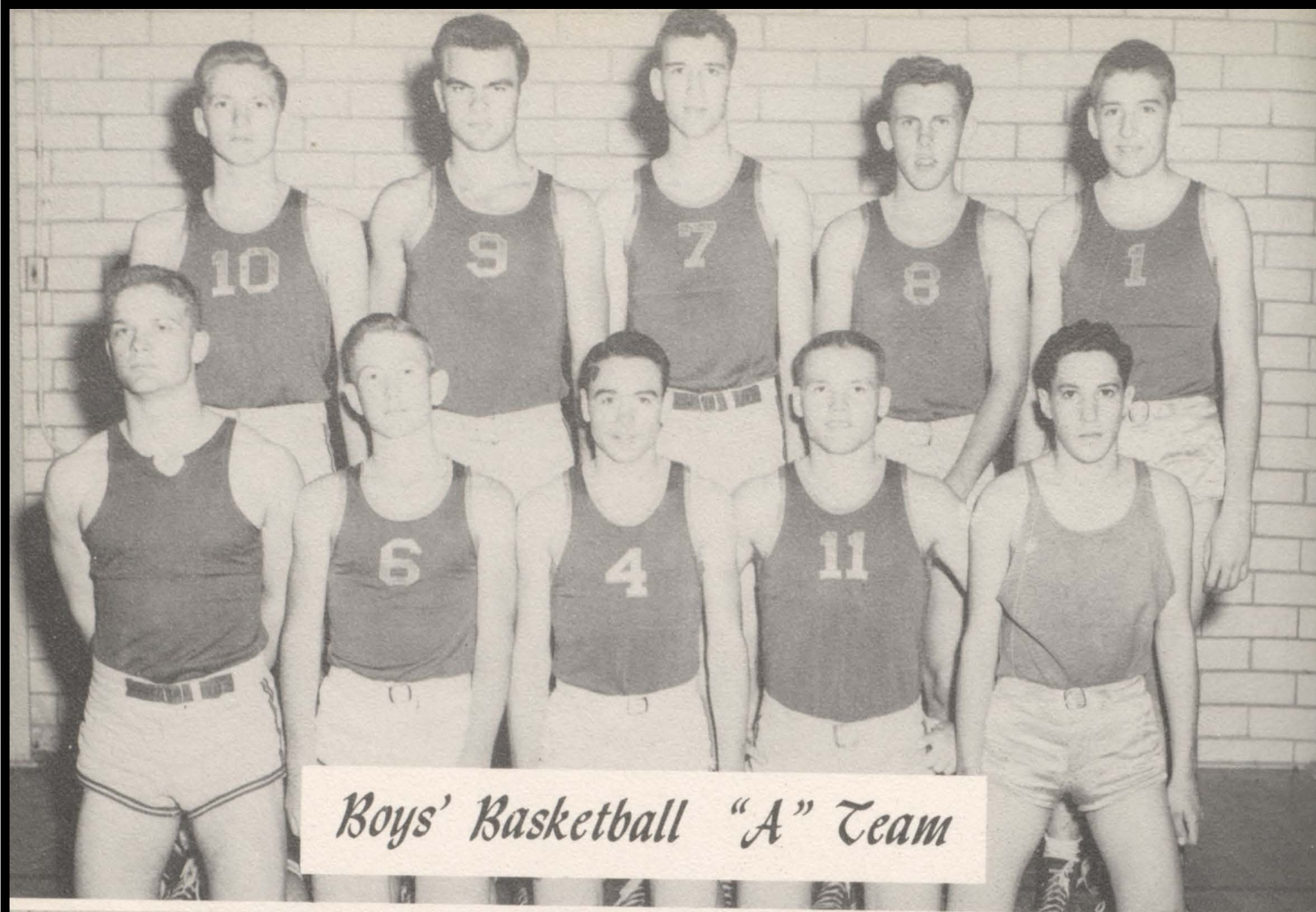
KAY REA OTTIS



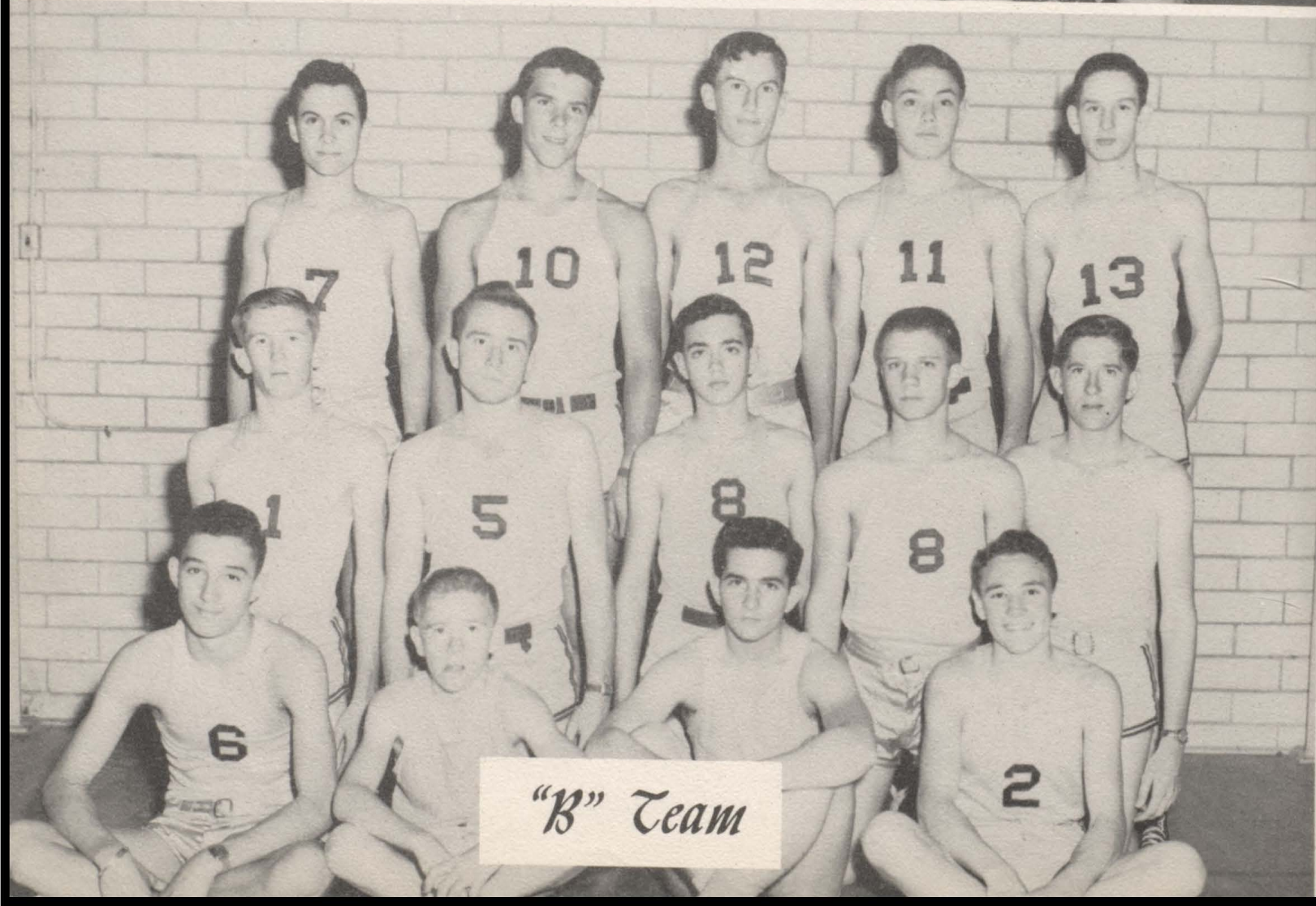
JUNE RAGUS



EARLENE SMITH



Boys' Basketball "A" Team



"B" Team



Girls' Tennis



Boys' Tennis

Track Team



THE 1952 BLACK CAT TRACK TEAM copped first place honors at the regional meet in Houston this year.



Coach Rogers and his three vaulters.



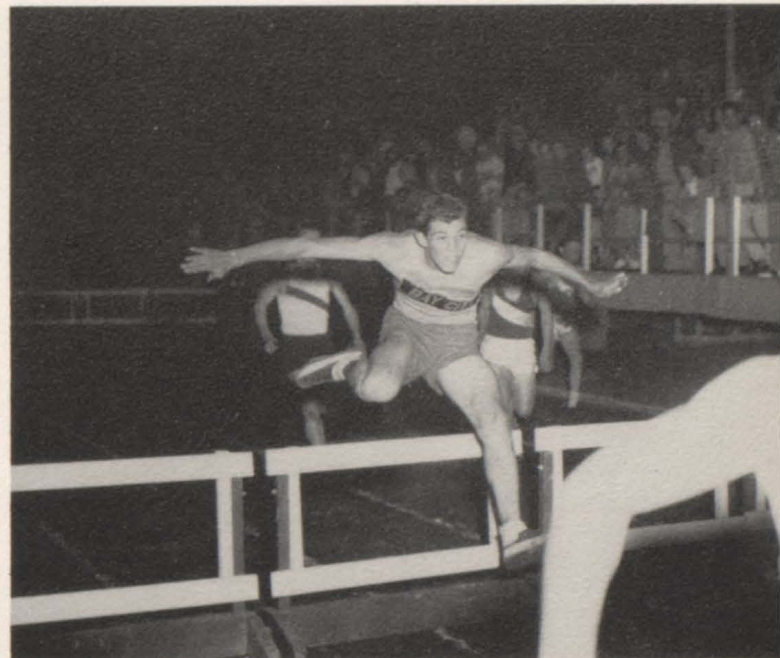
"Jake" wins the 880 yard run.



Charles is way ahead.



"Crit" gives his "all".



Giles takes the hurdles.

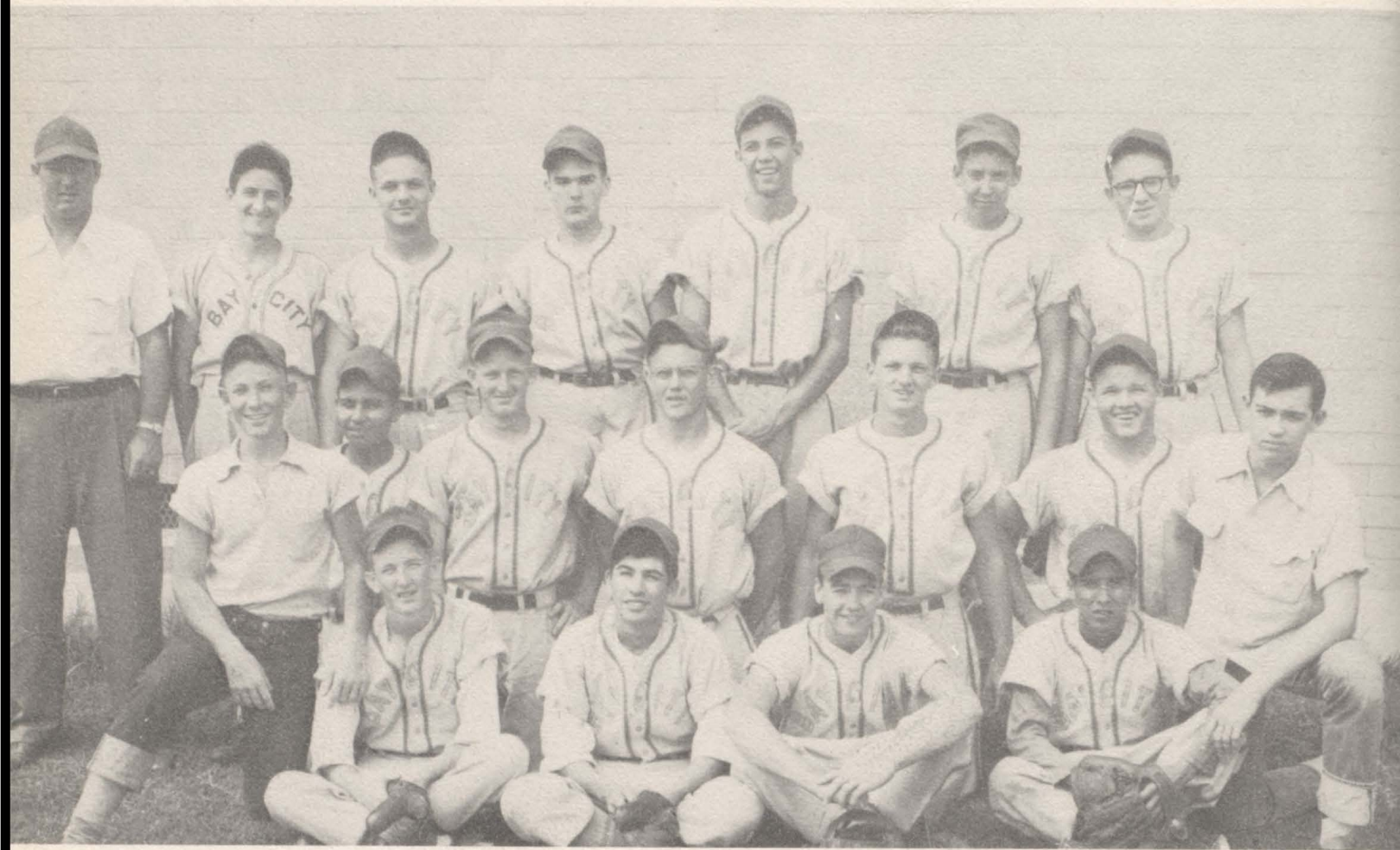


Ronnie tosses the shotput.



James goes over.

Baseball Team



Girls' Volley Ball Team





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Cheer Leaders



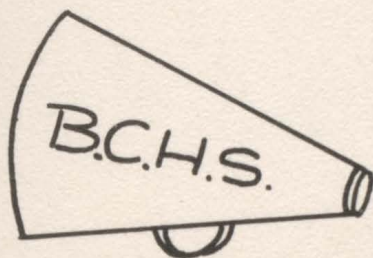
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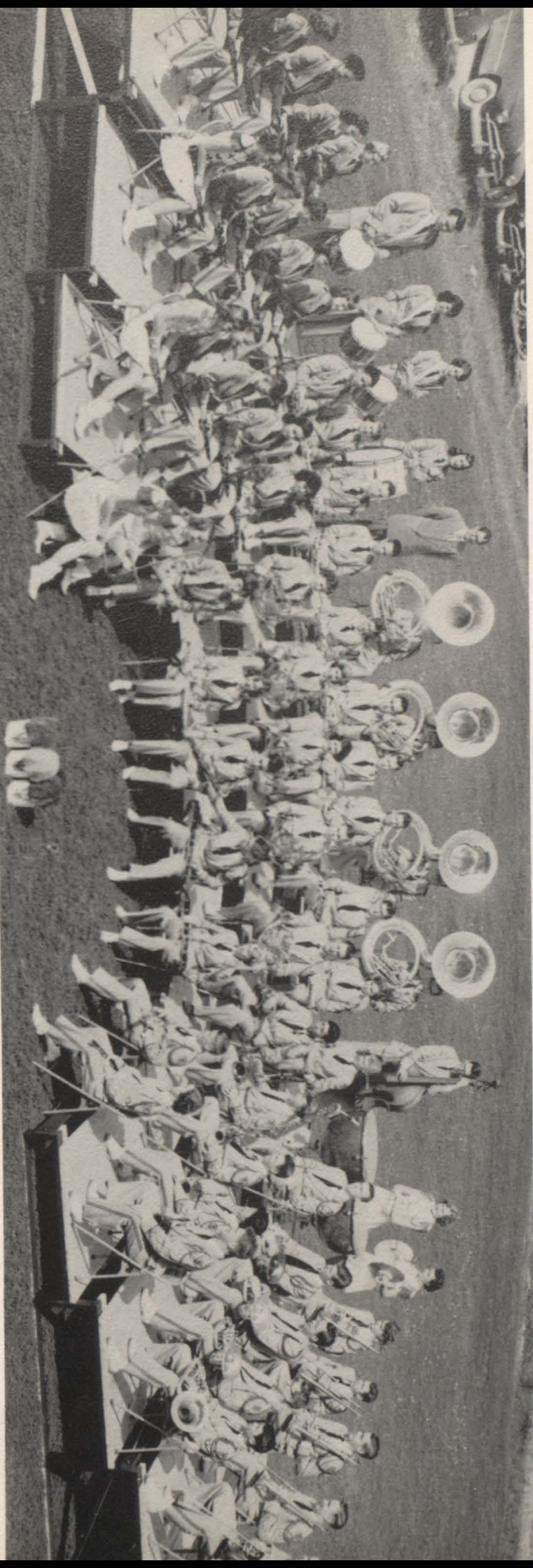


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BOBBIE LEE LAWRENCE

Black Cat Band--First Division at Regional Meet



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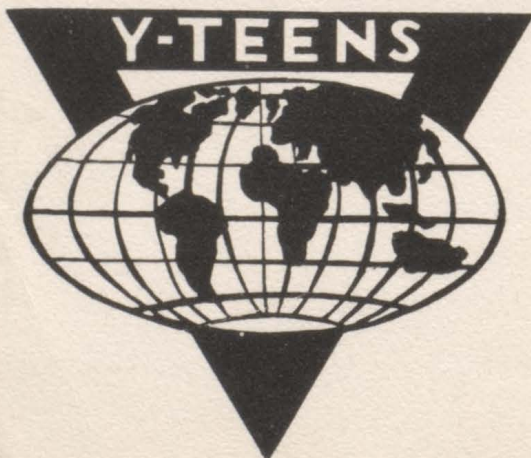


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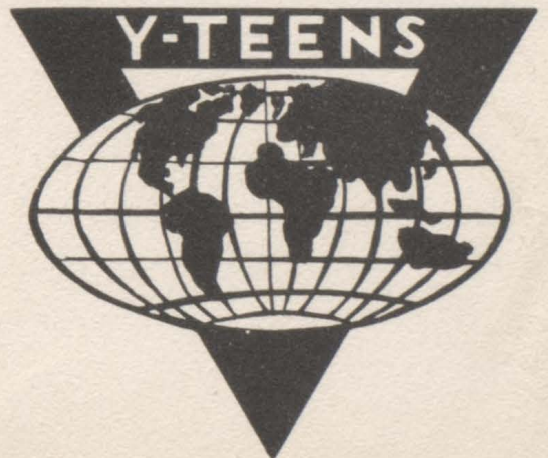
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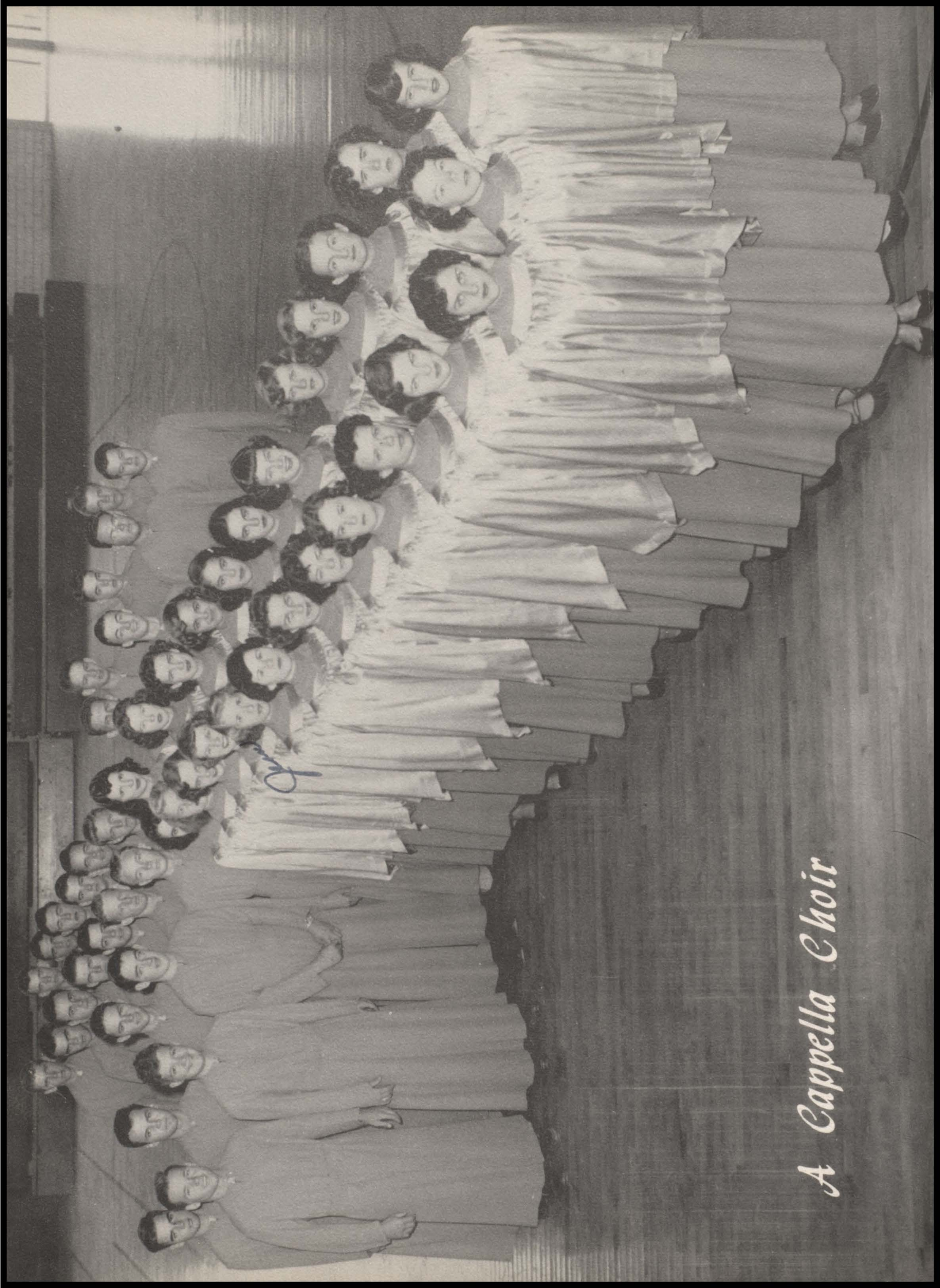




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A Cappella Choir

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National Honor Society



The NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY was organized for the first time in Bay City High School this year by Mrs. Sue Morrow, Mrs. Bobbye Culver, Mrs. Keye Ingram, and Mr. Dee Marling.

Requirements were set up and approved by the faculty and school board. They were based on scholarship, leadership, service, and character, and Bay City High School received its charter from the National Council in Washington, D. C.

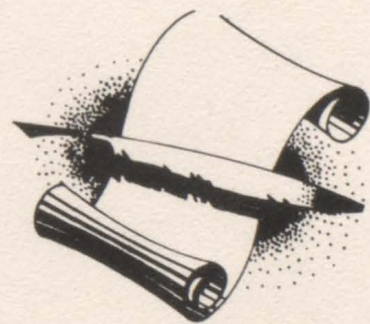
Charter members of the first chapter of Bay City High School are Cora Louise Morgan, Billie Joye Legg, Bonnie Jean Pennycuick, Janice Wilder, Barbara Simons, Jamie Lee Edmonson, Vondell Gibson, and Ural Lee Stanford

Quill And Scroll



The membership in the QUILL and SCROLL testifies to attain to a high level of proficiency in the dissemination of news and to observe the established ethics of the craft. To master the techniques of journalism and of the writing arts is the true goal of the earnest staff member.

Charter members of the organization are Kent Burkhart, Mederith McKelvy, J. W. Watson, and Ardeth Brockman.





Half-time ceremony



Doris Daehne is crowned Homecoming Queen by last year's queen, Jane Vaughn. She was the honor guest at the big Homecoming Dance.



Black cat managers



Favorites are congratulated



Favorites of the band-pep squad and football team.



Winners of the Booster Club tournament.



Features

Mary Jane, Jane, and Jamie represent the Y-Teens.



The Black Cat Band parades.



The Future Homemakers sport a convertible.



Festival

Virginia, Bonnie Jean, Mary Lynn, Doris, Barbara, and Jane were among the contestants for queen of the 1951 Rice Festival.



Doris represents the Bay City Art Club.

Vanita and two of the judges.



"Twin Twirl"

Given by FOREIGN LANGUAGE CLUB



"Polka-dot Twins."



Refreshments are served.



More twins.




Mrs. Ingram demonstrates the javelin throw.



These are the ones that planned the "Twirl."



Ottis wins a ribbon.

F.L.C.
Slave Sale

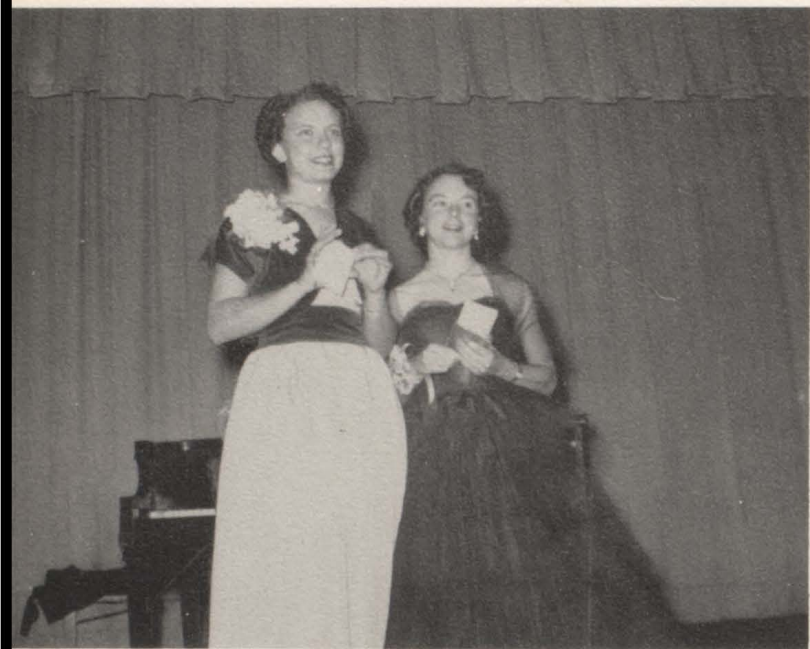




The Lionettes sing.



"Prima" and Jaems and Lamar observe.



Ann and "Little Mo" entertain.

Junior Christmas Dance



Mary Jane and Willy engrossed in program.



Joe and Barbara sit one out.



Elected Sweetheart of the Sophomore Dance was Pat Abel; Cora Louise Morgan was runner-up.



The refreshment line.



Something funny, Tippet?



Happy foursome.



Mary Lynn and James sing in the garden scene.



Jamie and Douglas dance.





“Meet Corliss Archer”

Corliss Archer.....	Mary Lynn Lane
Mr. Archer.....	James Steinmeyer
Mrs. Archer.....	Jamie Edmonson
Cousin Agnes.....	Bonnie Jean Pennycuick
Mr. Franklin.....	Wayne Slone
Mrs. Franklin.....	Barbára Simons
Dexter.....	Giles Tippet
Mildred.....	Ardeth Brockman
Betty.....	Kay Rea Ottis
Louise, The Maid.....	Vondell Gibson
The Doctor.....	Kent Burkhart
The Nurse.....	Doris Daehne
Directors.....	Mrs. Sue Morrow and Mrs. Bobbye Jo Culver
Stage Crew.....	Jimmy Laird, Manis Smith, Cora Louise Morgan, and Bonnie Townsend





"Dear Diary, No one knows the agony of living in a house seething with hatred and . . . degradation!"



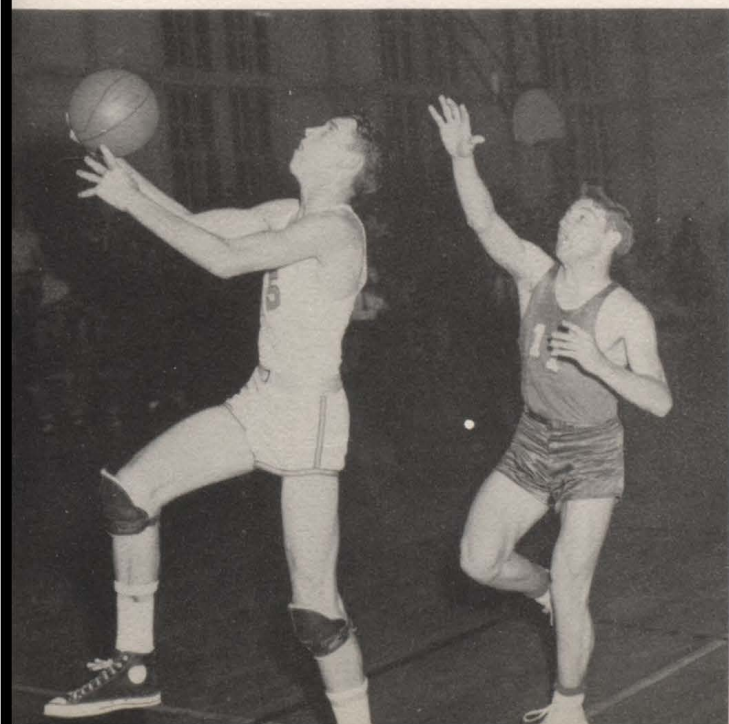
"Why did you do a terrible thing like that? *Why?*"



"Everything is wrong. Cousin Agnes read the diary!"



"Didn't *anybody* notice me come up in the ambulance?"





"Betty Boop of '52"



Junior-Senior Banquet



"Judy Garland" Hart



"Mitzi of the Bijou"



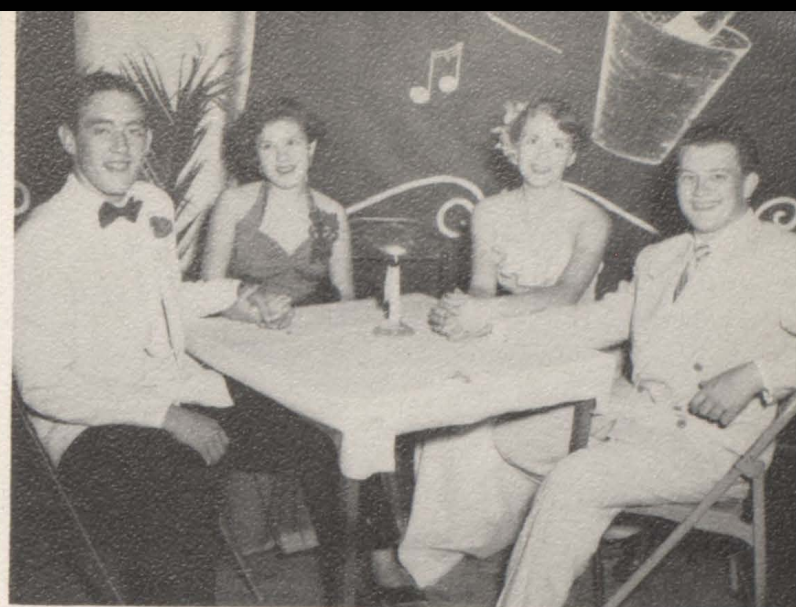
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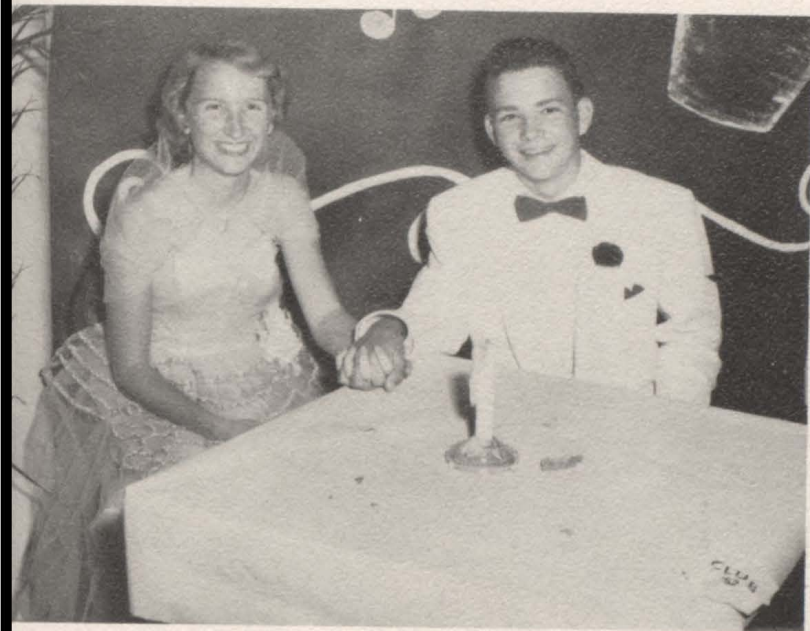
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Jack Summers, Louise Fikes, Katherine Porter, and Ladell Sump.



Betty Jo Jackson and Jimmy Gartrell.



Virginia Conerly and Billy Anderson.



Milton Williamson and Virginia Conerly.



Sherwood Richers, Lois Sonnier, Jimmy Jurek, and Claudie Roberson.



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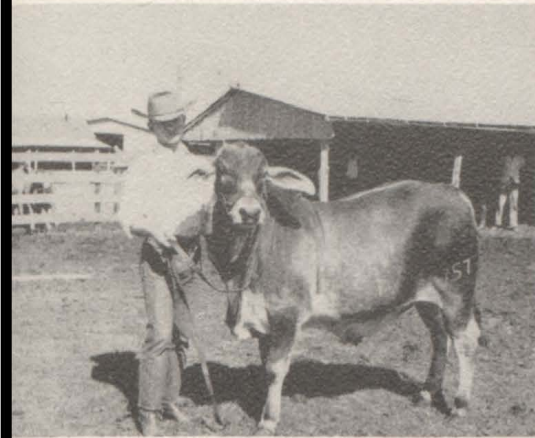


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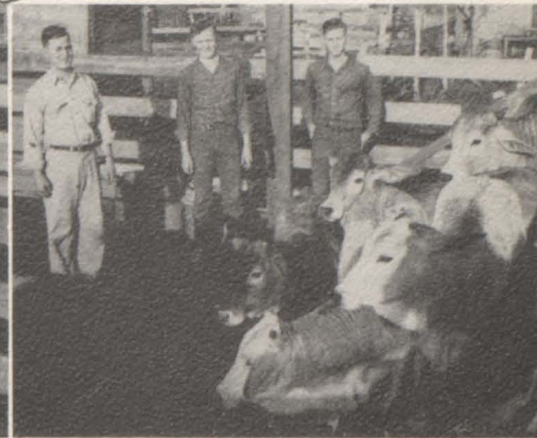
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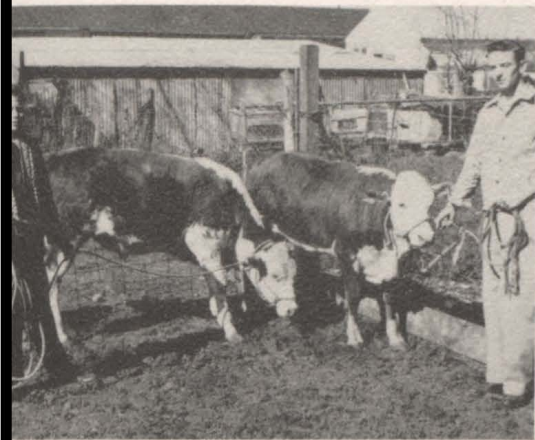
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Bobby Collins



Charles, Howard, Travis, Cartwright



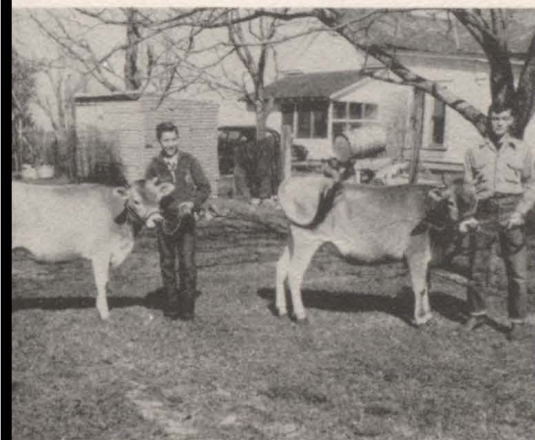
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Westley Coker



Bryan Laird



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Dickie McCullough



Clancy Baxter



Bonnie Jean Pennycuick and Tommy Morris



Mary Lynn Lane and Sully Harrington



Cora Louise Morgan and Manis Smith



Doris Daehne and Ray Noble Finch



Barbara Simons and Joe Sumners



Jane Vaughan and Giles Tippetts



Barbara Lane and Jim Ray Fondon



Ann Elkins and James Dickey

Y-Teen Spring Formal



Chosen as Ideal Girl of '52 was Jamie Lee Edmonson.



Jamie Edmonson and Kent Burkhart.



Ruthie Fikes and Travis Watson



Mary Jane Boring and Milton Williamson



Martherle Broughton and Bobby Craft



Louise Fikes and Jackie Summers.

Senior Day '52



The Seniors of '52 visited the San Marcos Aquarena, then went to Landa Park in New Braunfels.



The chow line . . .



Bathing Beauties . . .



In line for barbecue . . .



Eating barbecue . . .



Kay and Mrs. Ingram kibitz . . .



The Glass-bottom boat . . .



Hungry Senior Boys . . .



Taking a little sun . . .



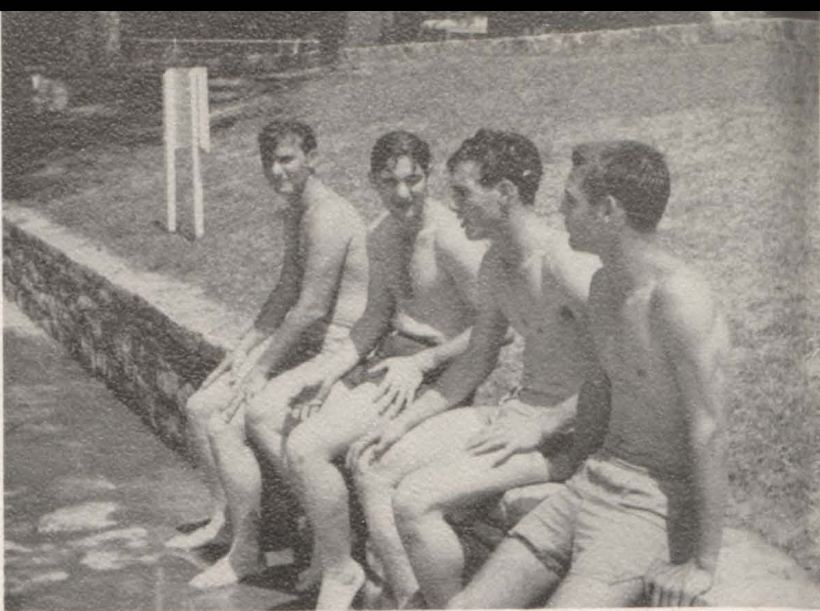
"Bicycle built for two . . ."



Anxiously waiting for food . . .



Look at Kay Rea and Morris . . .



All wet . . .



"Zeb" and Bobby row the boat . . .



Six pretty girls . . .



Two "nibblewicks" . . .



After dinner shot . . .



James and "Crit"



Having a snack . . .



James and Tommy . . .



"No one sleeps on this bus!"



Watching a big blue bass . . .



Bobby Shaw, Bonnie Townsend, and W. C. Gosling were honored with a barbecue at Letulle Park.



Scavenger Hunt and Dance honors Prima, Lamar, Kay, J. W., Jane, Lester, and June.



The honorees and their dates.



Gail, J. D., Claire, Lester, Charles and Ardeth.



Jimmy, Dorothy, Ruthie, and G. P.



Ruthie, G. P., Ann, and Gene.

Watching the activities.



First and Second Division



MICHAEL FRICKE
Baritone



JOHN REINKE
Trombone



DICKIE DYE
Baritone



CLARINET QUARTETTE
Jackie Henderson, Eudora Robertson, Vanita Davenport, and Barbara Simons

Winners at Regional Meet



IRA ANDERSON
French Horn



JIMMY SCOTT
Saxophone



BRYAN SIMONS
Trombone



CLARINET QUARTETTE
Glenda Starnes, Bobbie Jean Long, Linda Rogers, and Timothy Hardy.



Mary Lynn, Doris, and Bonnie Jean are honored with a garden party given by Barbara and Mrs. Simons.



Pat, Bonnie, Shirley, Doris, Cora, and Patricia.



Barbara and Bonnie are honored with a coke party.



Coke party honors Billie Joye.



Jane, Prima, Ardeth, Nancy, Sylvia, and Bonnie.



Janiece, Claire, Vanita, and Merideth.



Kay is watching you, Jane!



Mrs. Ingram, Jane, and Mary Lynn.



At least, Mary Lynn posed!



"Mo" and Scott oblige us with a smile.



Bonnie, Pat, Sylvia, Doris, and Gail.



Who is telling whom what?



What a pair!



Gay group.



The band plays for a pep rally.



Mr. Kogutt presents megaphone.



Annual room activities.



Little girls and their dolls.



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Formal Dance Honoring ARDETH and SYLVIA



Ardeth and Sylvia are "all smiles."

Guests are served.

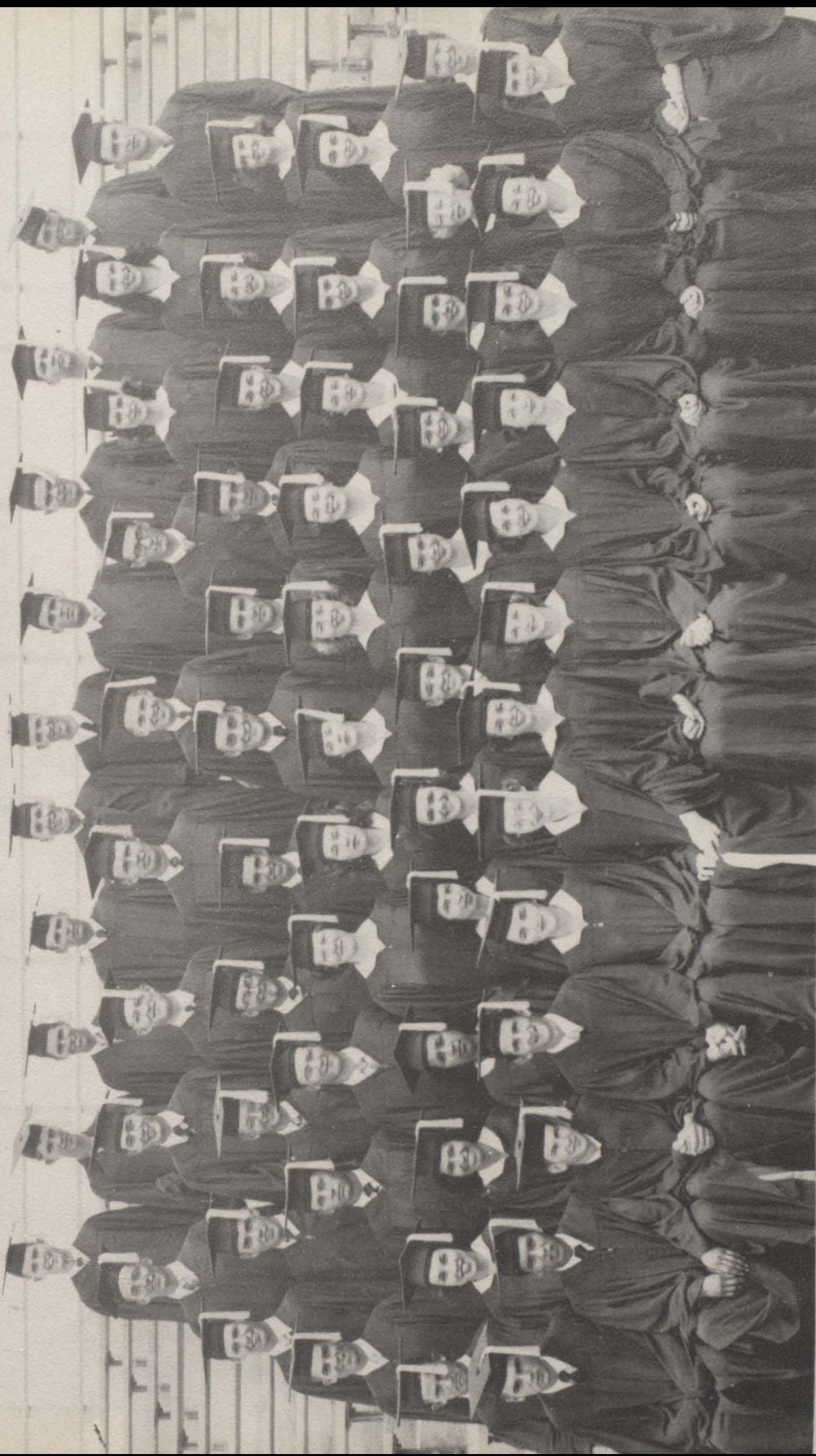


Ardeth, Everett, Sylvia, and Kent.



Dancing.

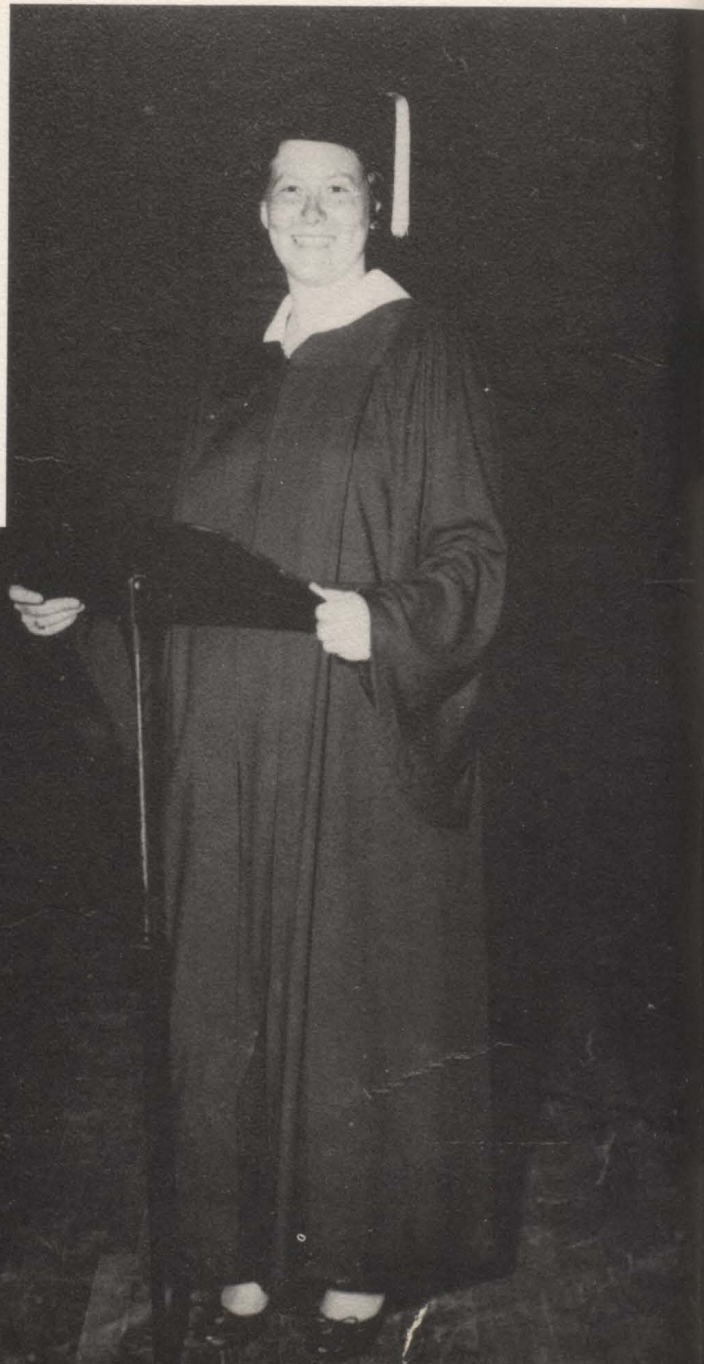
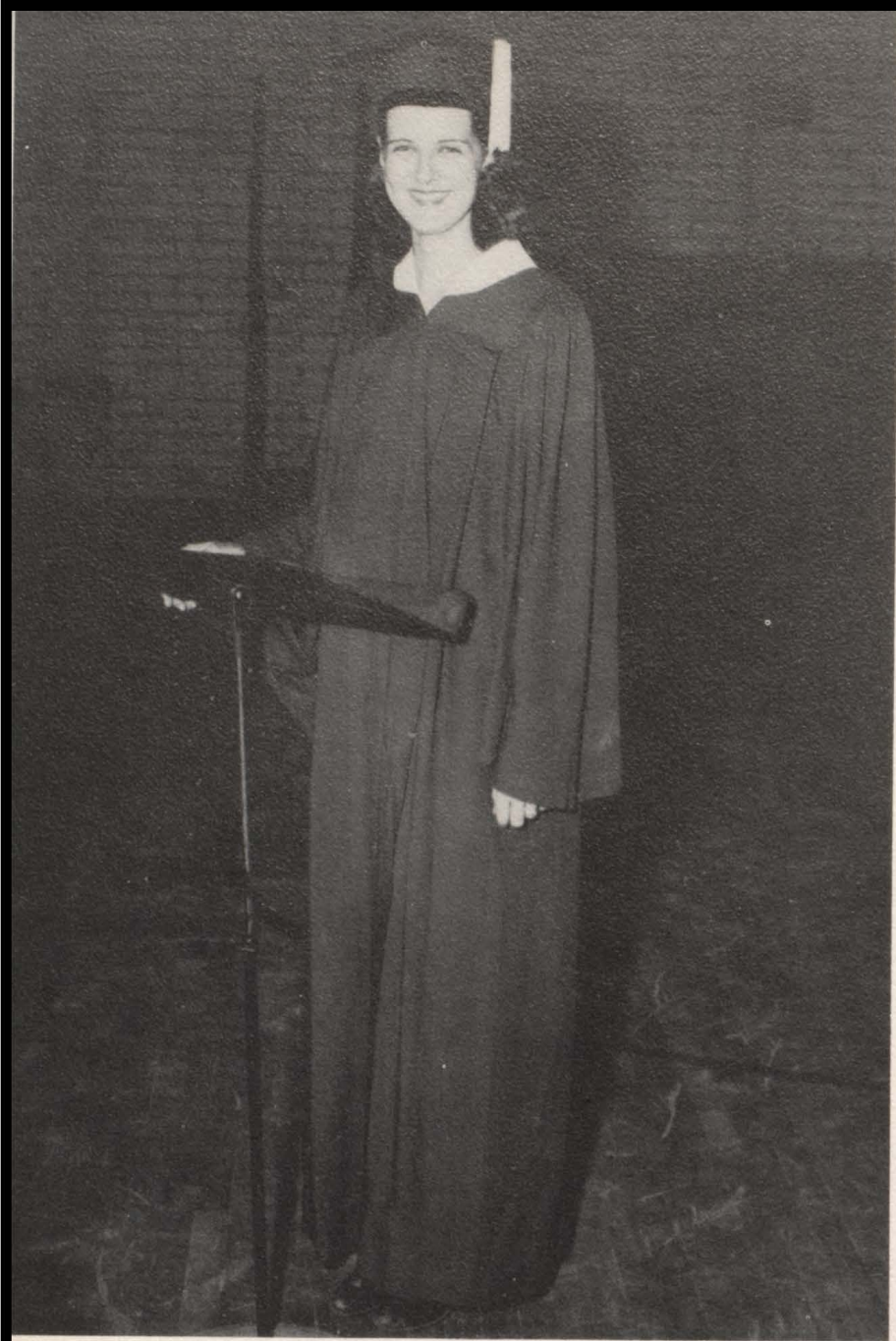




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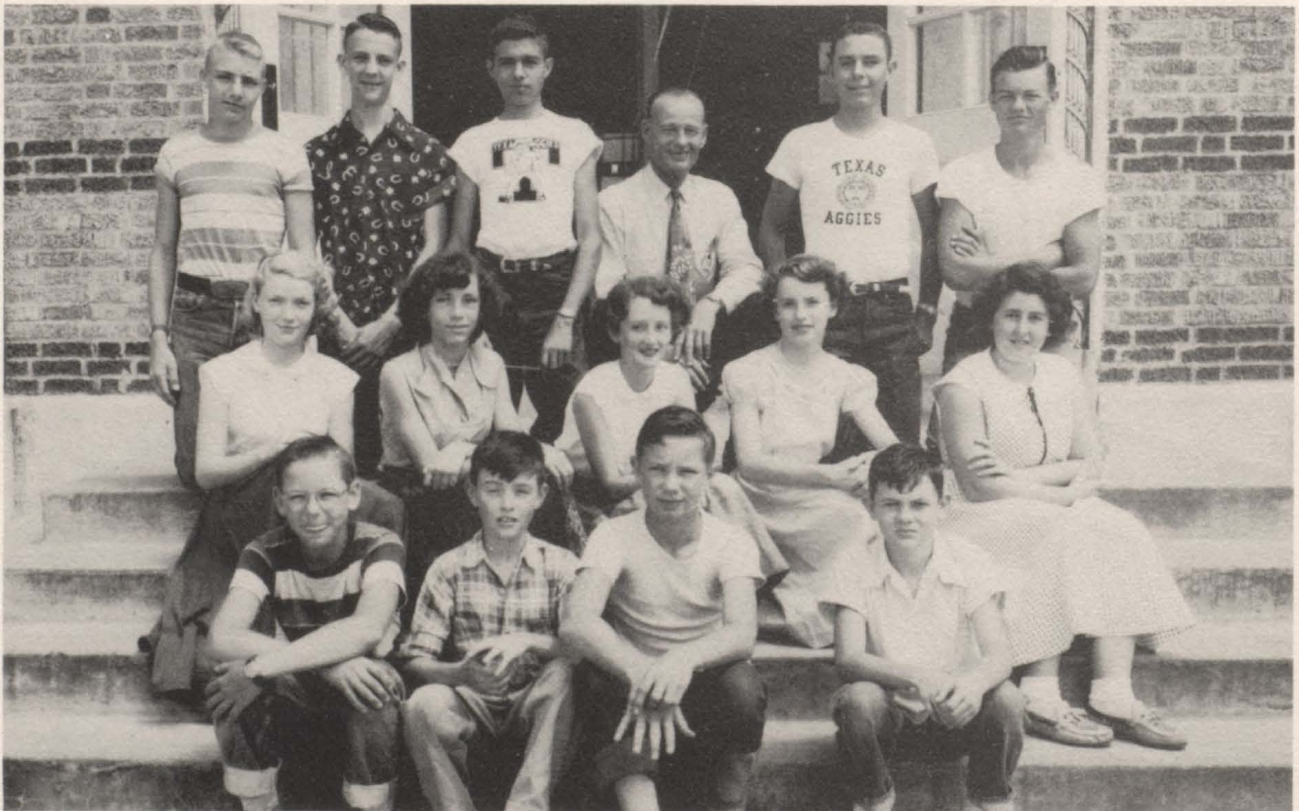
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Front row: Frank Balusek, Dorothy Clayton, Jo Frances Walraven, Dorothy Buffington, Helen Stone, Vi Sullivan, Vevi Stevens, Mary Peterson, Jim Howze. Top row: Emma Chamarad, Jo Williams, Valarie Sweeny, Eva Einkauf, Evan Weaver, Glen Sutton, Bonnie Staten, Della Oliver, Kenneth Kerley.

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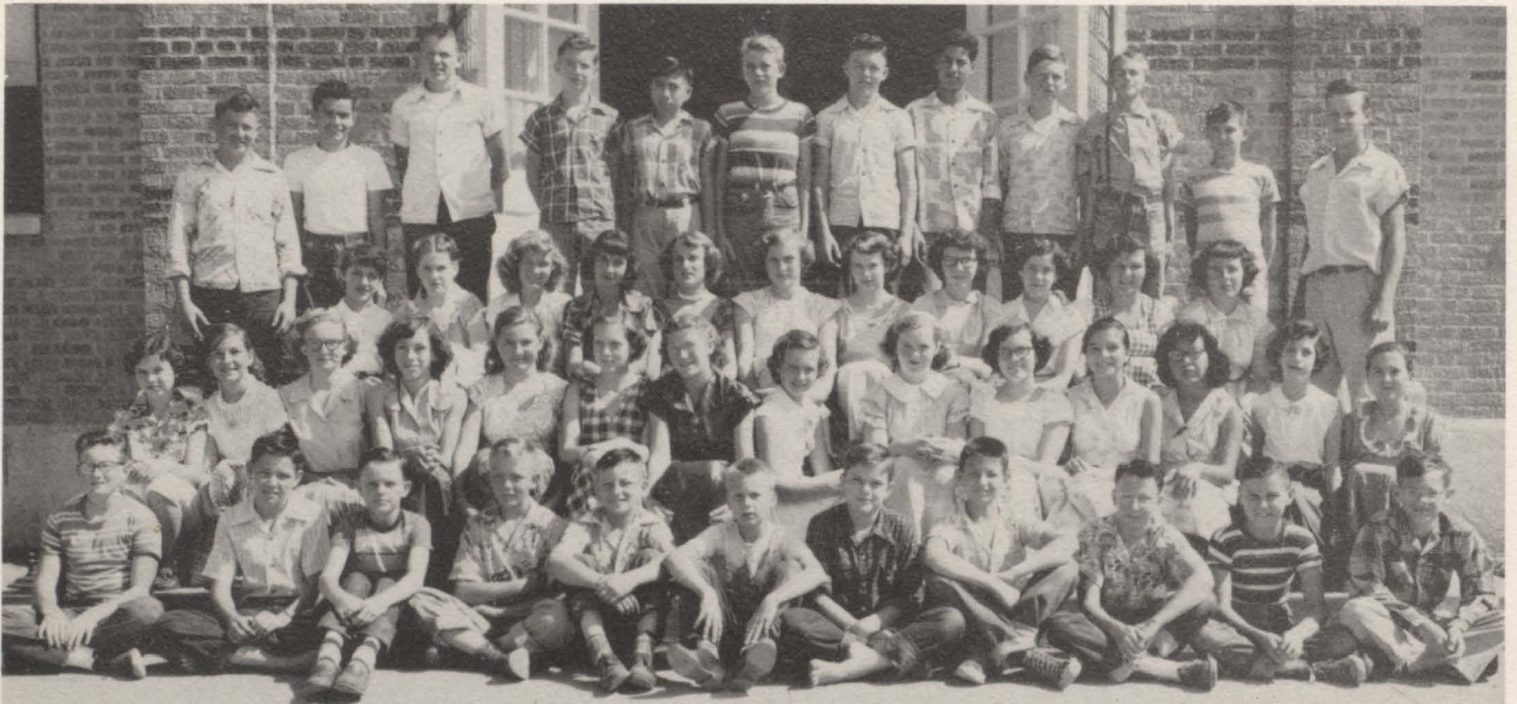


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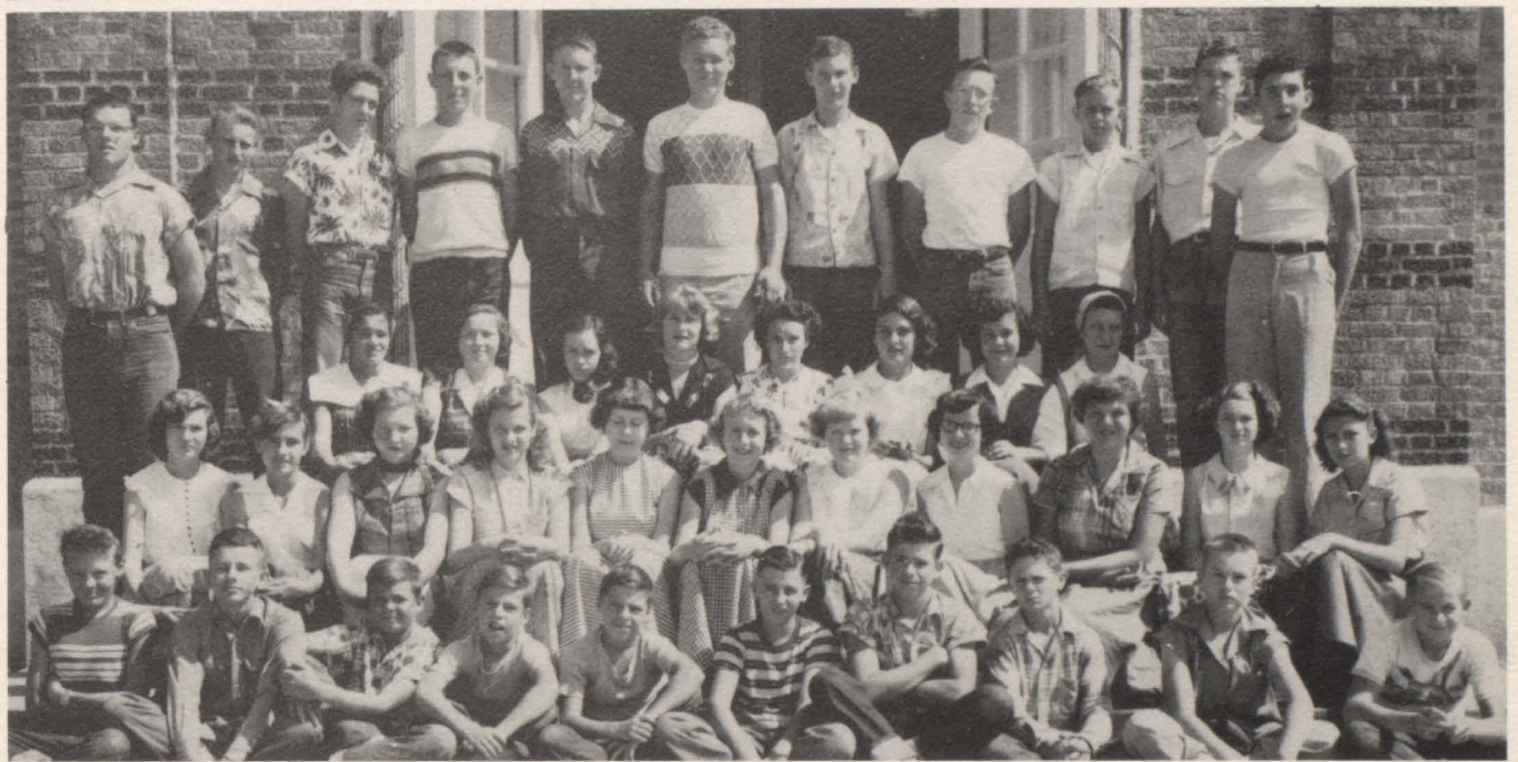


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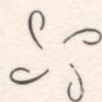


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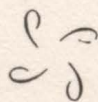


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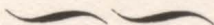
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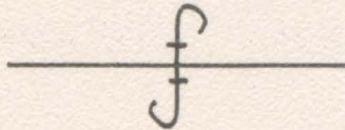
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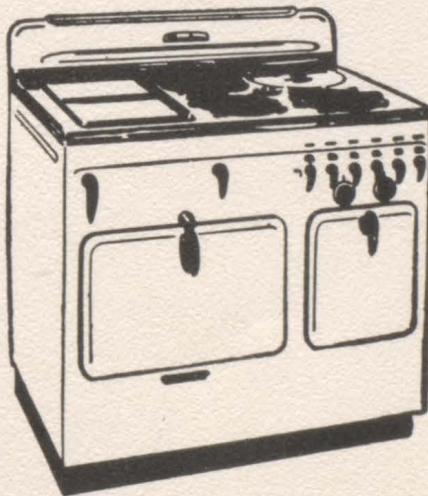
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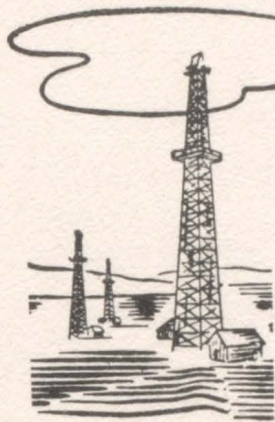
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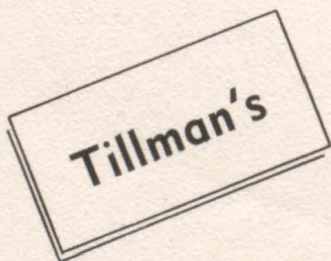
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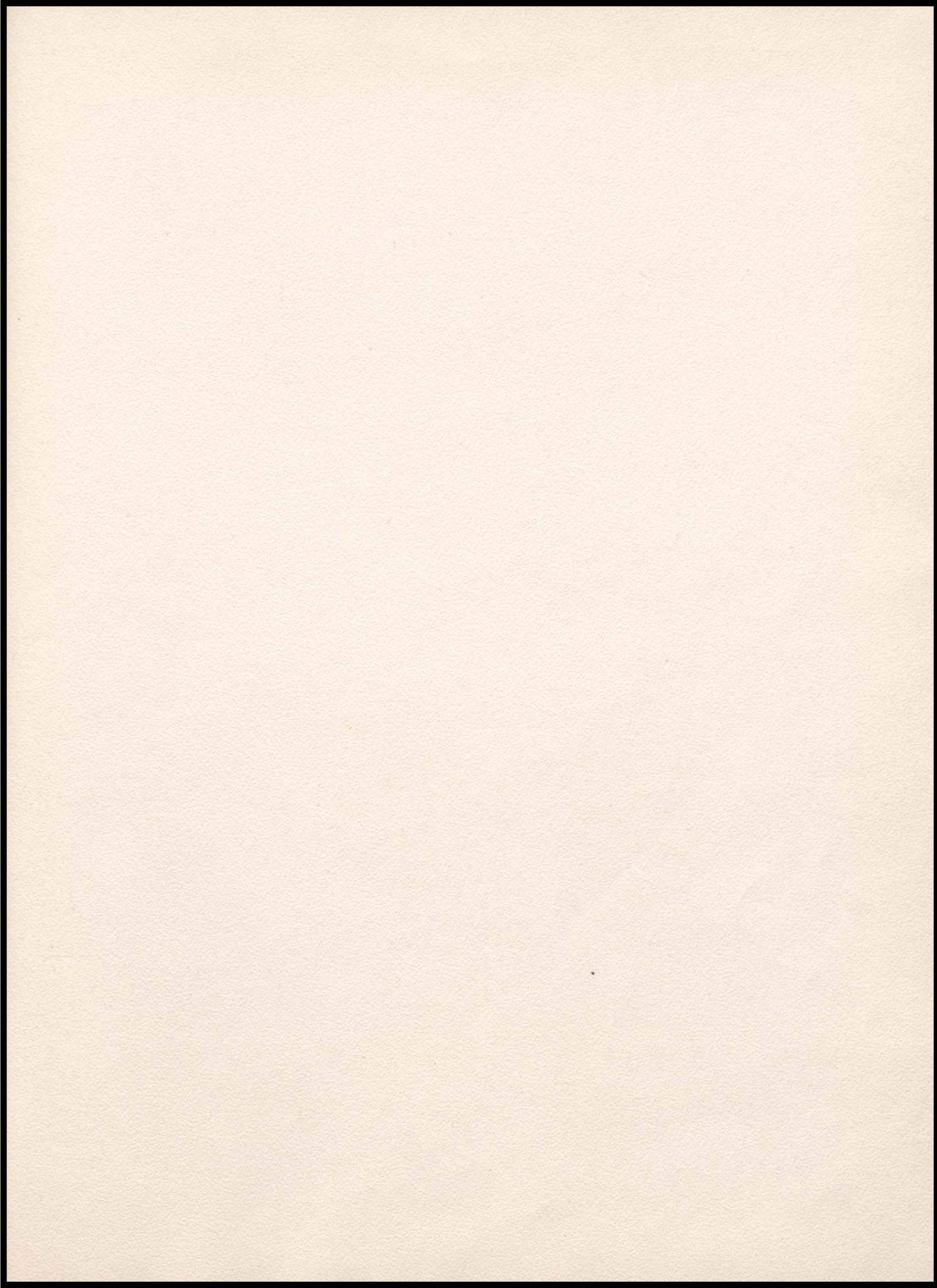
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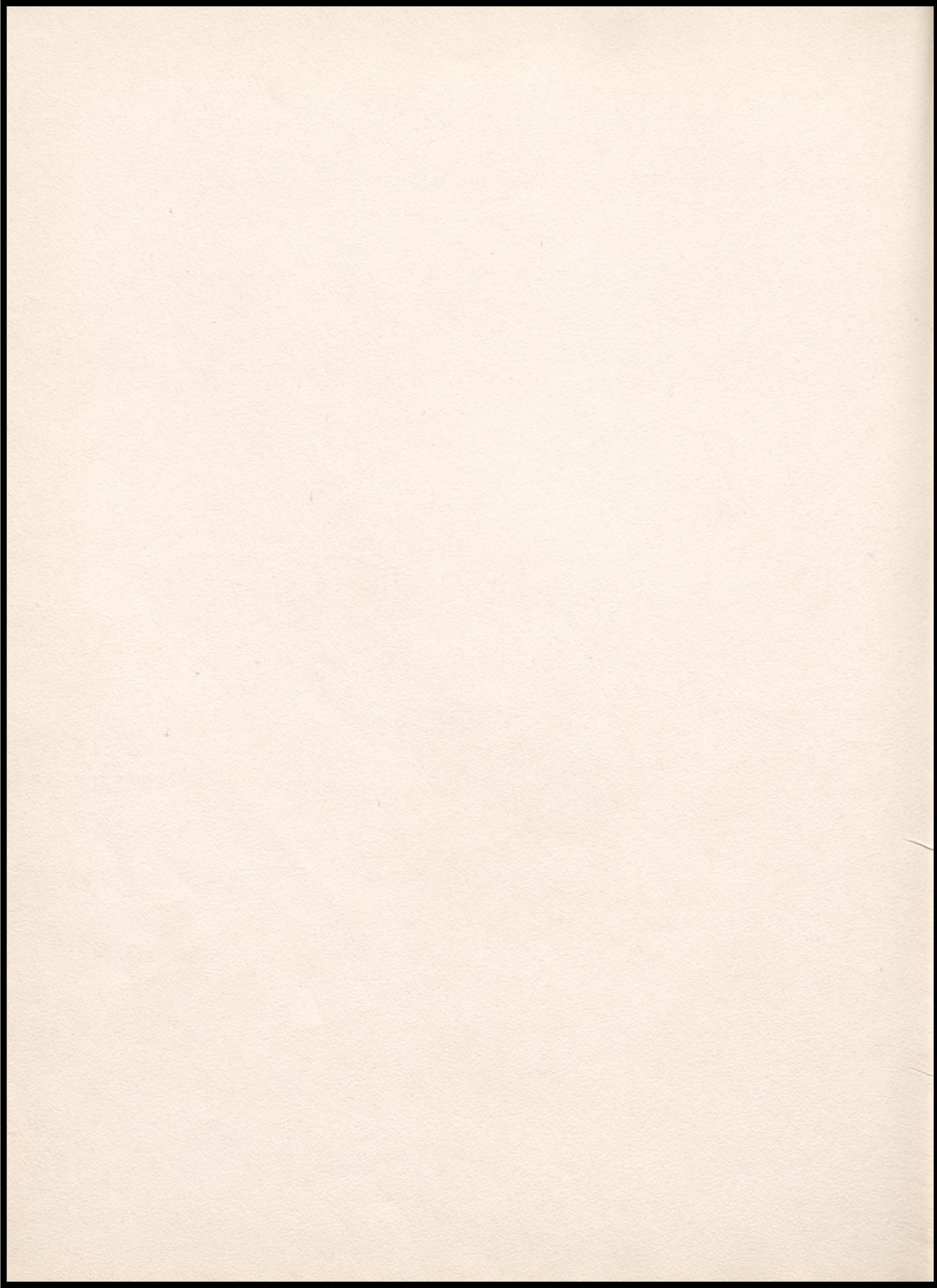
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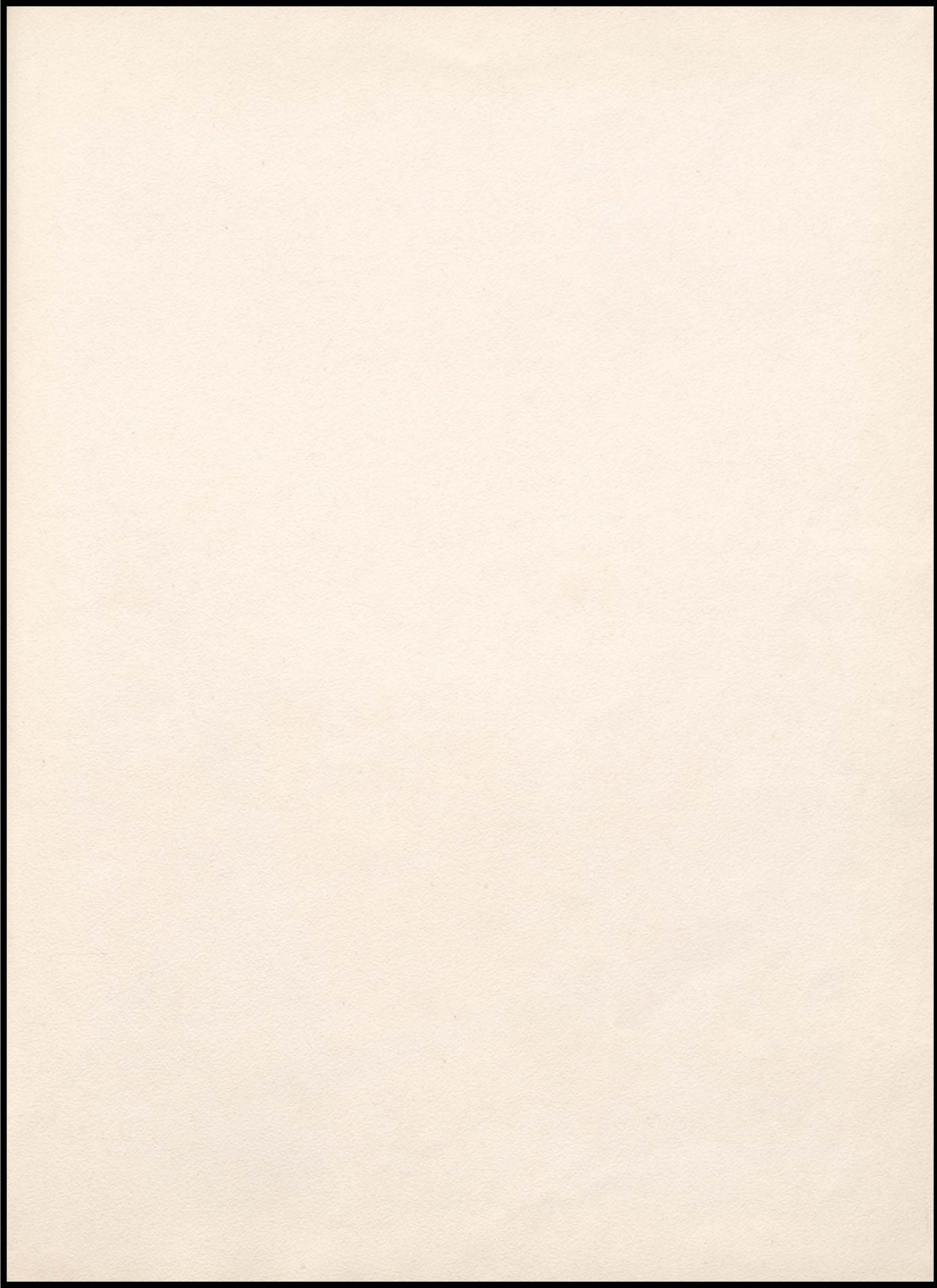
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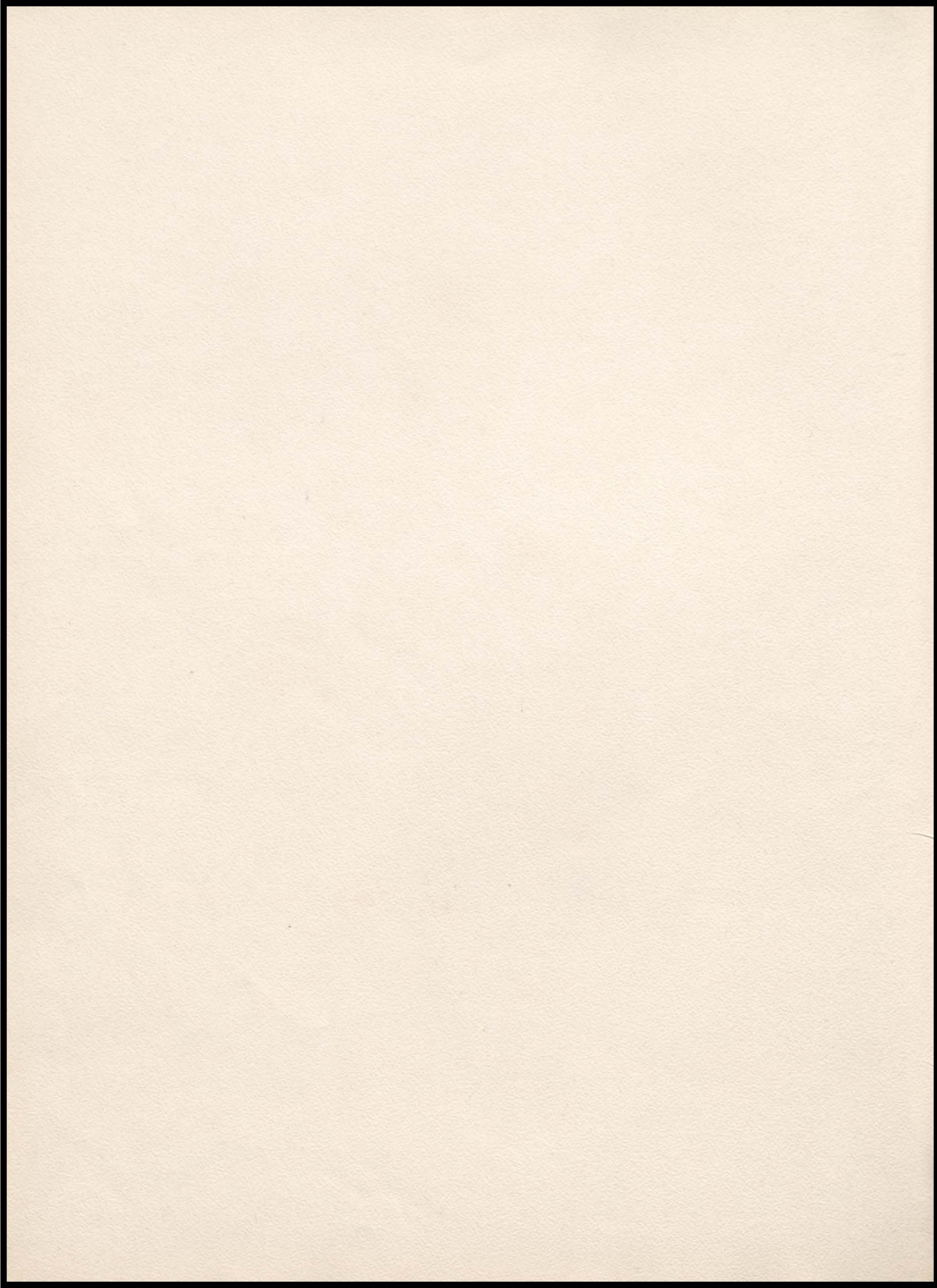
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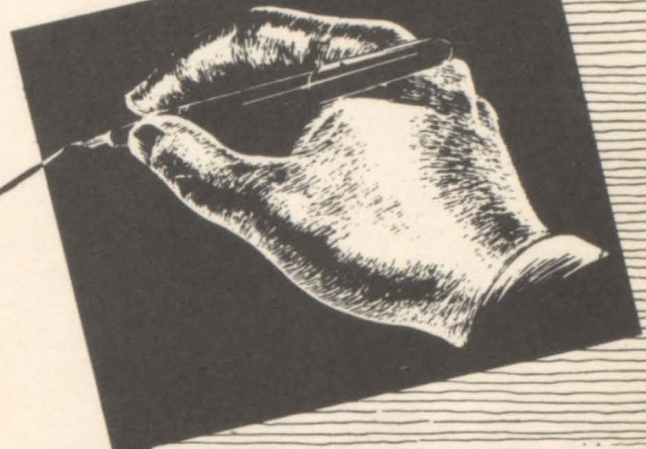








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