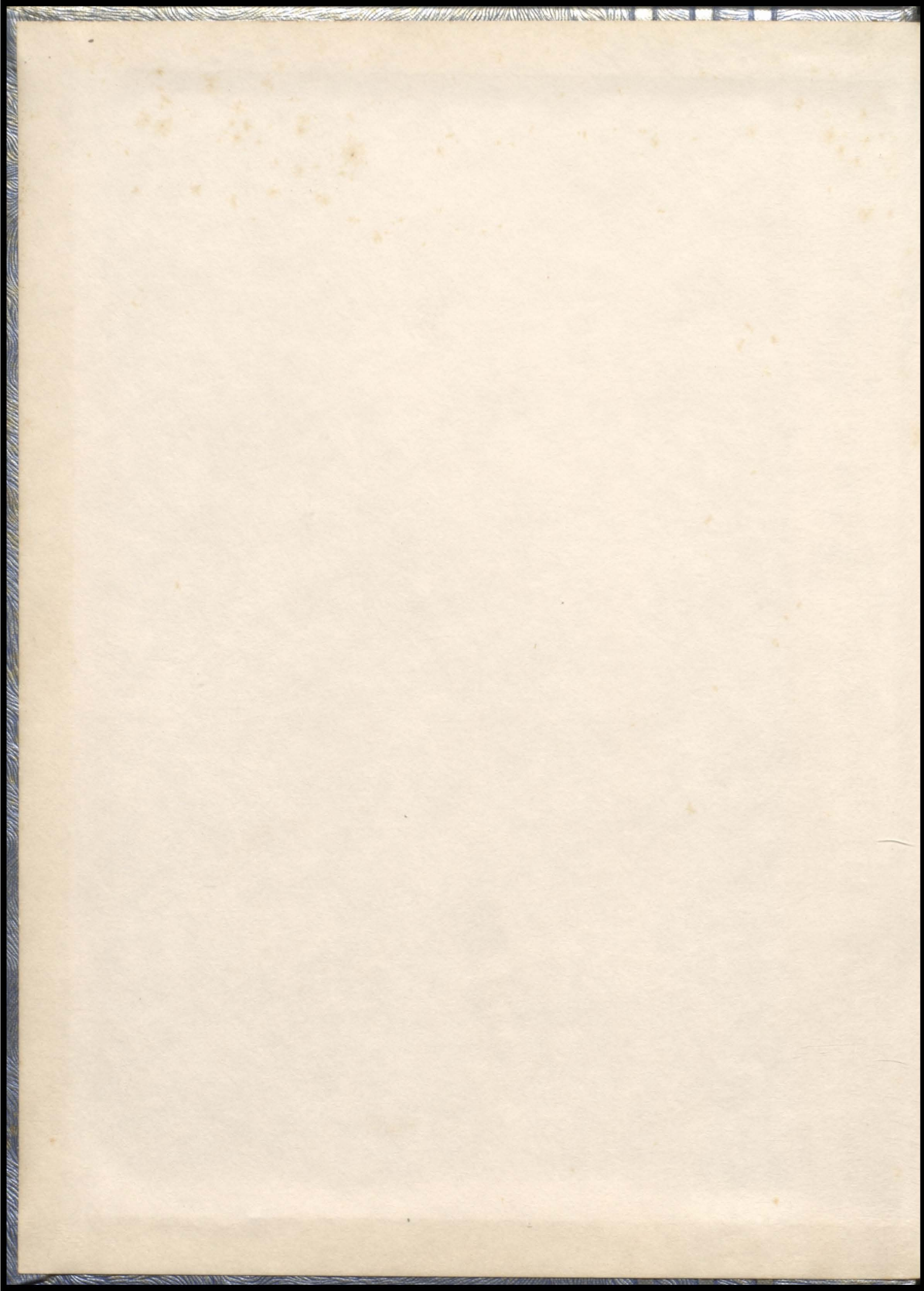




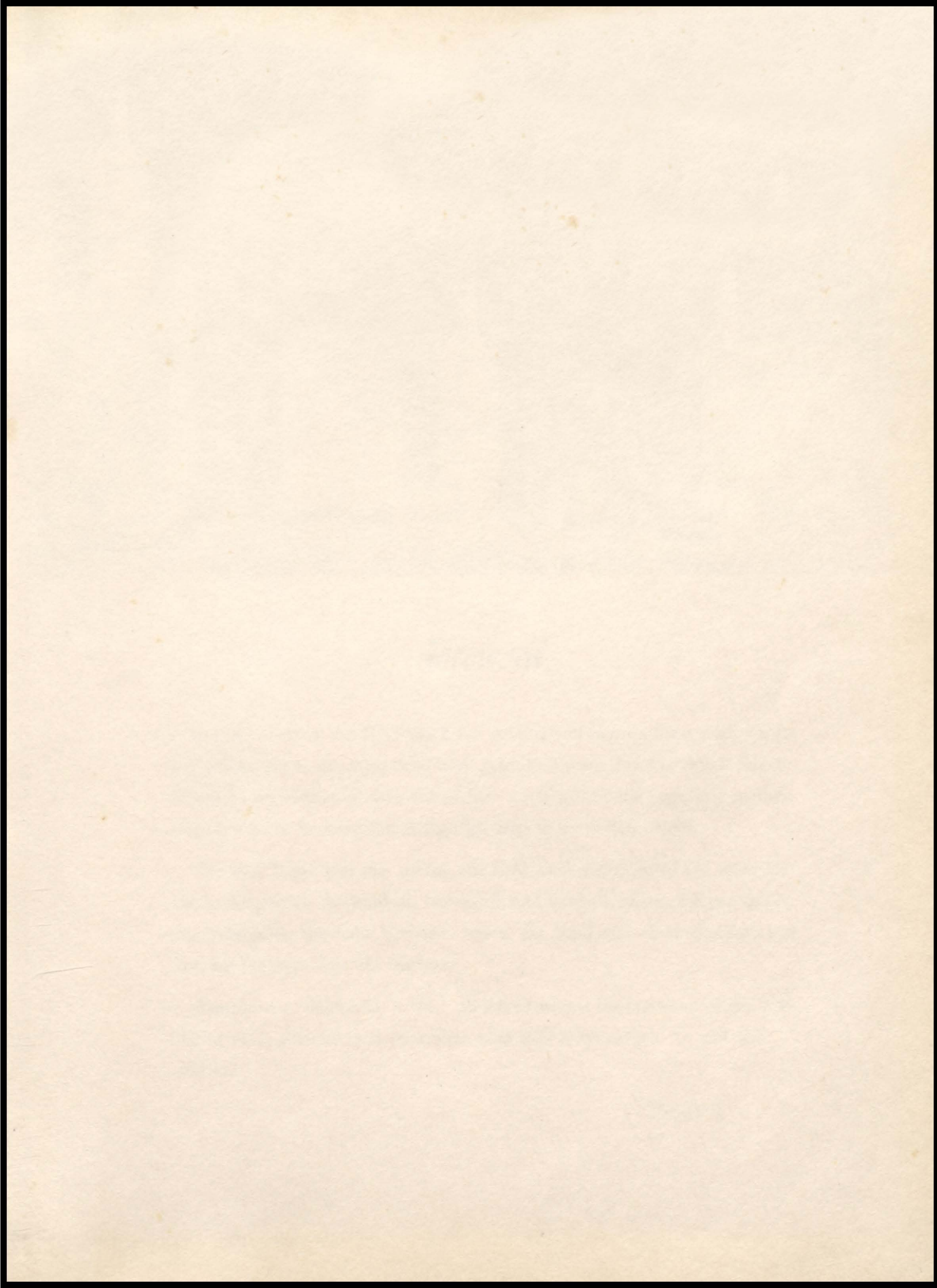
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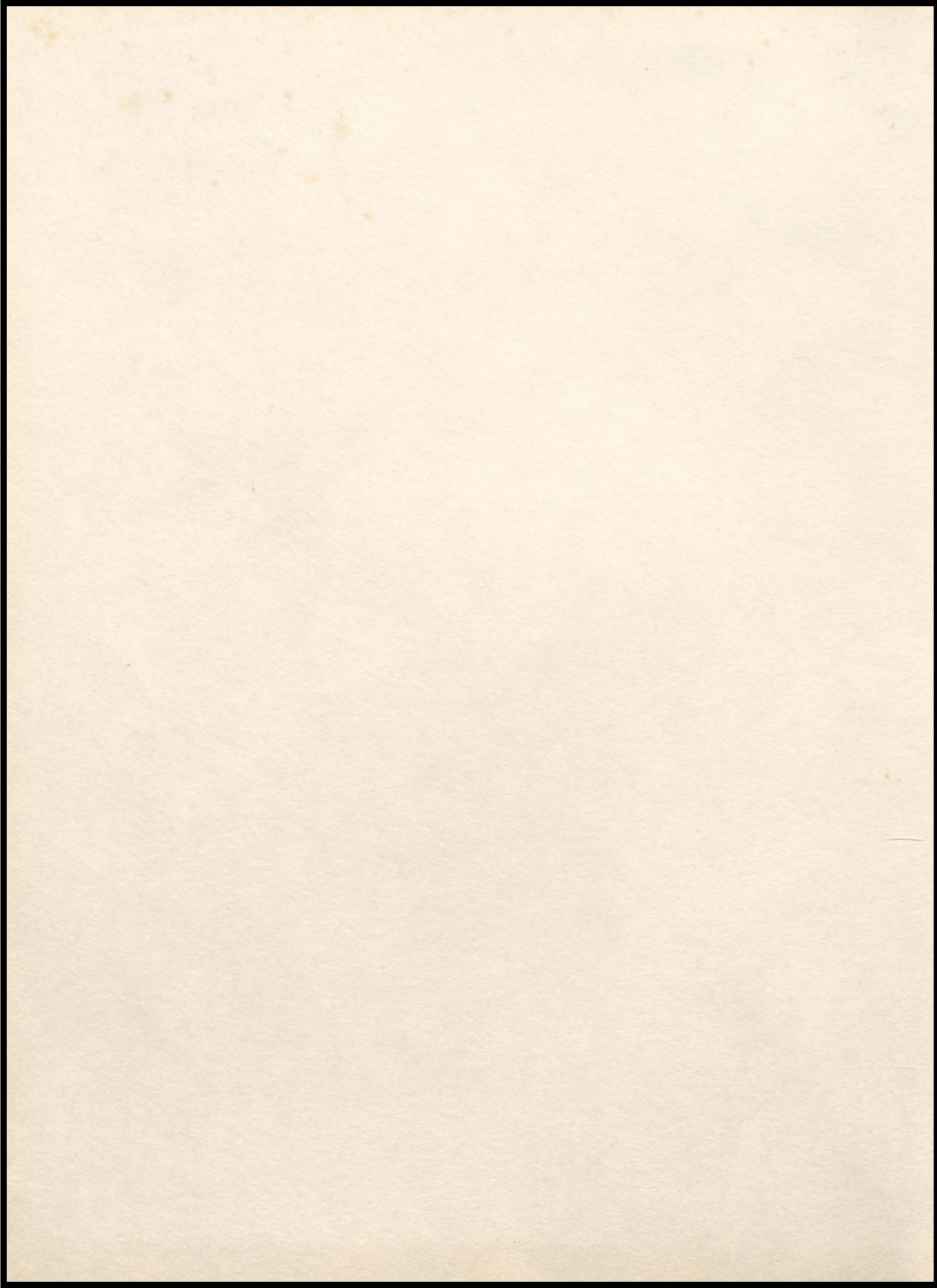




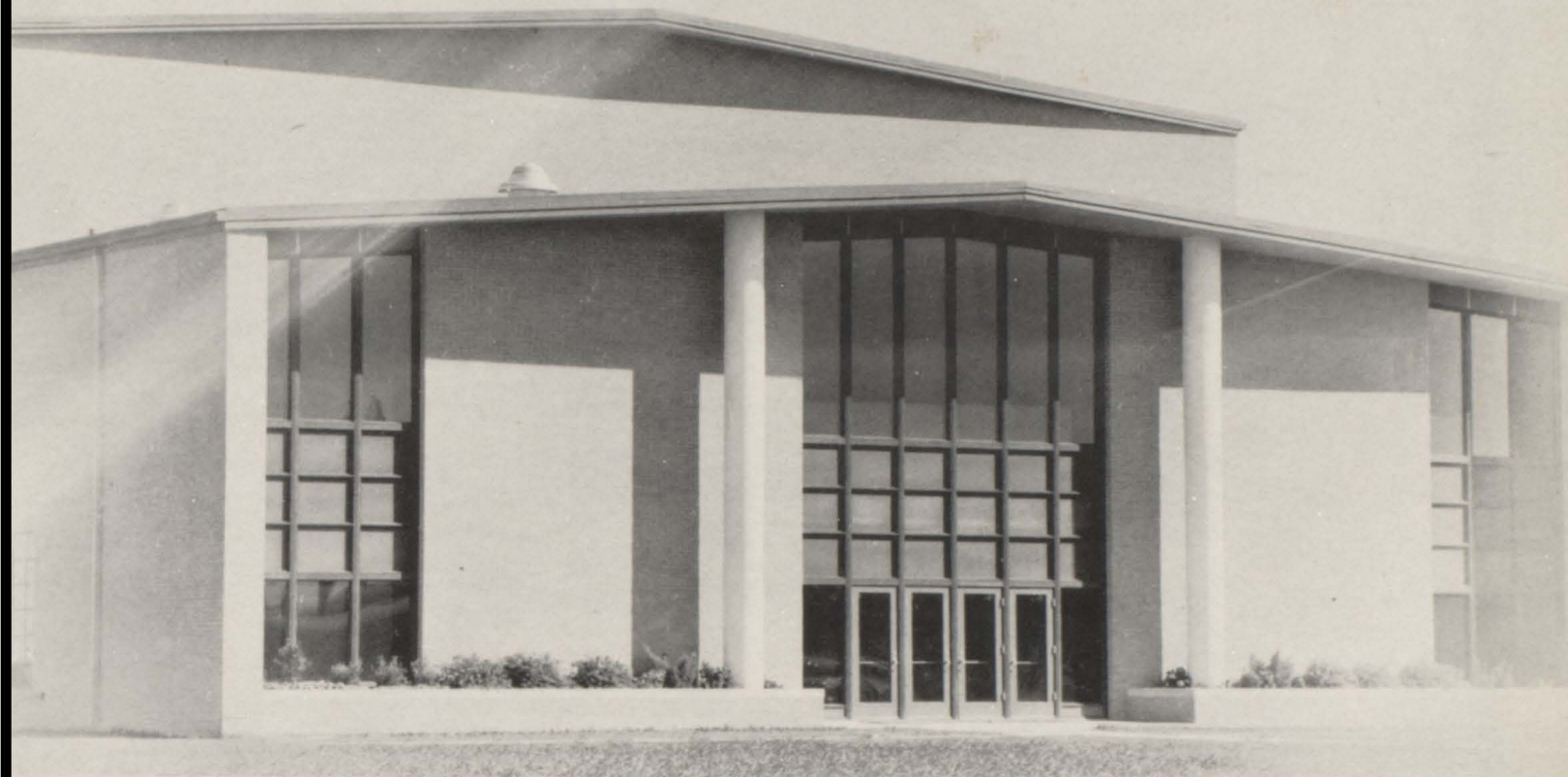












## *Foreword*

In years to come, the 1957 Black Cat Annual will mean a great deal, not to just a few, but to the many who have graduated from Bay City High School. It will be the essence of their school life . . . It will be the beginning of their mature ways of thinking and acting their lives to the fullest degree.

The staff hopes that this annual will hold fond memories of the other students, the parties, the football, basketball, and baseball games, the pep rallies, the assemblies, the halls between classes, the band and choir concerts, and last, but far from least, the teachers.

Remember to think back to the high school annual for memories of the wonderful years gone by, and remember what they mean to you . . . and you . . . and you . . .

The Staff



*The*

*Students of Bay City  
Senior High  
School  
Present  
The Nineteen Hundred  
and  
Fifty Seven*

*Black Cat*



CAROLE DYE  
*Editor*

BOBBY CRITTENDON  
*Business Manager*

JOHN PAUL CLEVELAND  
*Photographer*





Seated: Cockran, Savage, Hardy. Standing: Voyles, Graham, Smith, Salter.

## *The Board*

MR. LISTIN  
*Business Manager*



MR. CHERY





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## *Principal's Address*



The coming years bring increasingly happy memories of those days in school that today seem so much drudgery. Your teachers become quite human and helpful as you come to a more mature appreciation.

This book joins other treasured books and memories that should have value and enjoyment as the years slip by. May you profit by the friends herein pictured and the memories thus awakened.

Each heritage passed on through you makes old Bay City High School live on in spirit for those wonderful years ahead. The Black Cat teams and spirit will never die . . . You and others like you will see to that perpetuation.

E. J. MYERS

*Principal*





## *Dedication*

To Bay City's number one Gentleman, who has ploughed steadily forward tilling the soil of knowledge, sowing the seeds of kindness, never once forgetting his ideal to make next year a greater one, we, the staff of 1957, dedicate this annual. Coach Rogers, our Track Coach, we wish you many more happy years of coaching and teaching in our high school.

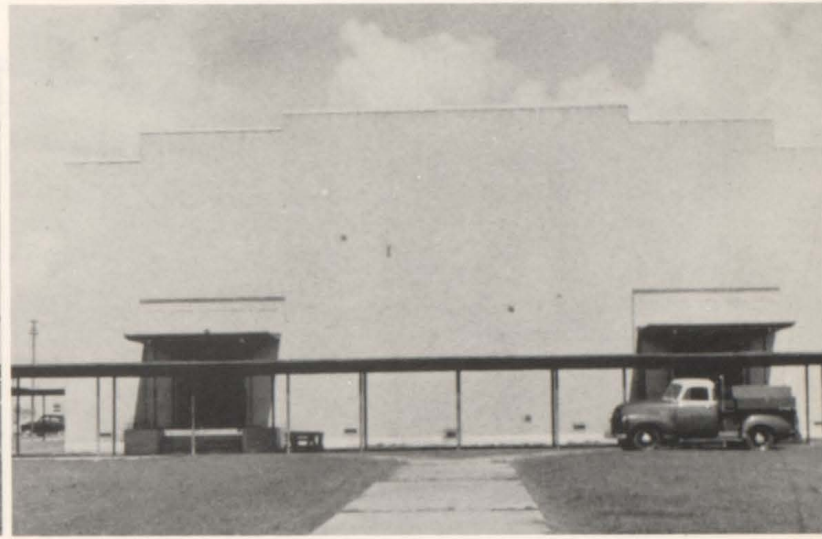
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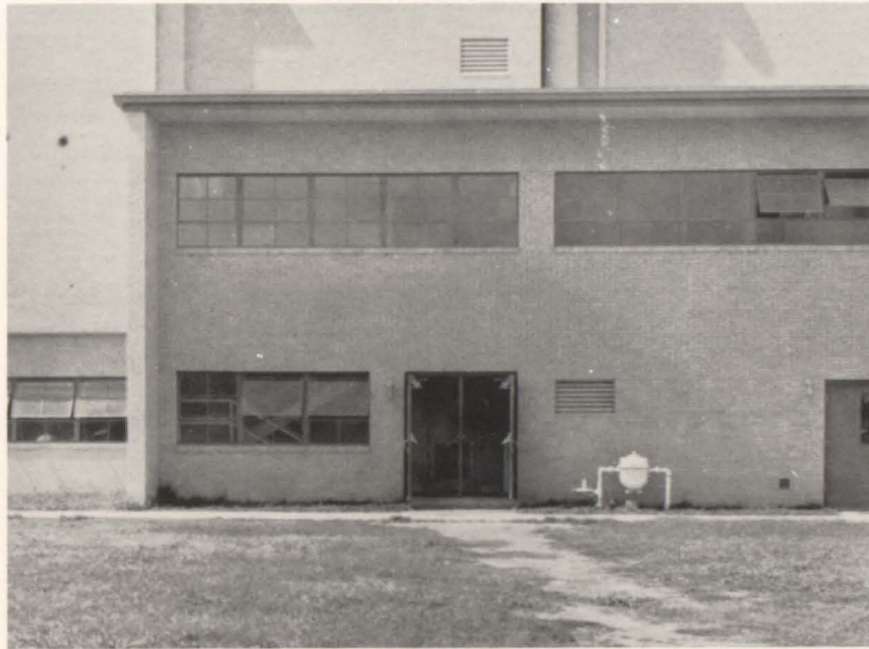
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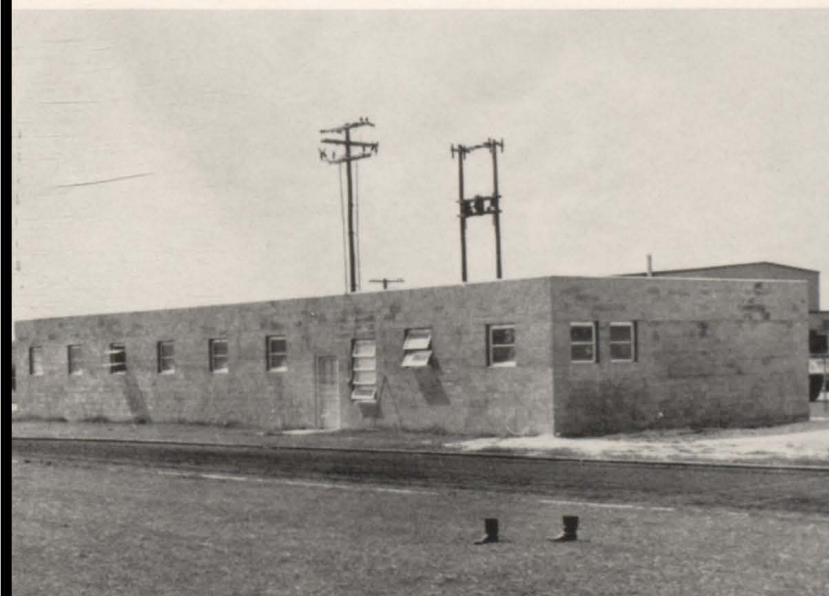
The main building



The Black Cat gym



Entrance to the Commercial Department



"Haley's Haven," the field house



Looking from the gym to the Choir Hall



## Presenting the Faculty

### AMERICA'S YOUNG SON

Young dreamer, wistful thinker,  
Looking to the great beyond—  
Prophet of the future,  
You, there, with vigilant eyes,  
America's young son.  
Born of the free winds that roam  
The green Hills, verdant meadows, deep  
valleys, desert sands, clear waters that run.  
Oh, turbulent mind, rest no more, ponder on,  
America's young son.  
The future has greatness for those who seek.  
That awesome tide you fear,  
Is not insurmountable, my friend,  
For to you is given exuberance,  
Hope, yes—conflicts, but the power  
To overcome until the end.  
America's young son.

Frances Hearn

(Sent in by senior English teacher, Mrs. Ruby Ballard. Published  
by the National High School Poetry Association.)





# The Faculty



MR. E. J. MYERS  
Principal

MRS. PAT LAFITTE  
Secretary to the Principal



MRS. KEYE INGRAM  
Counselor

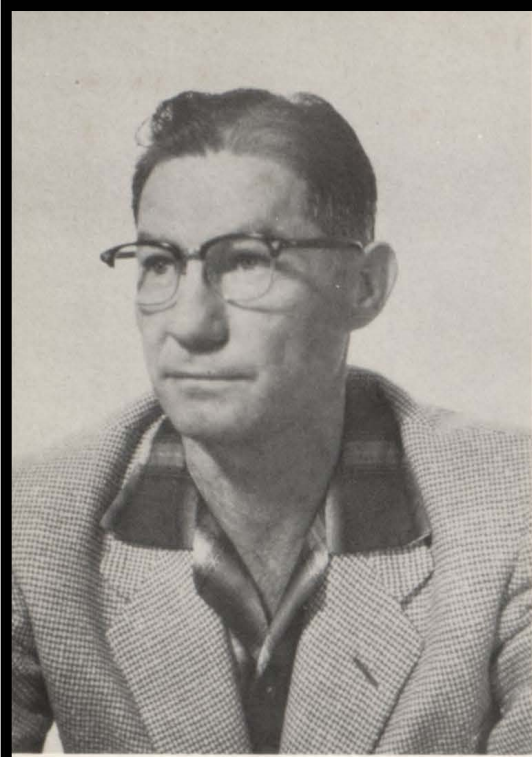




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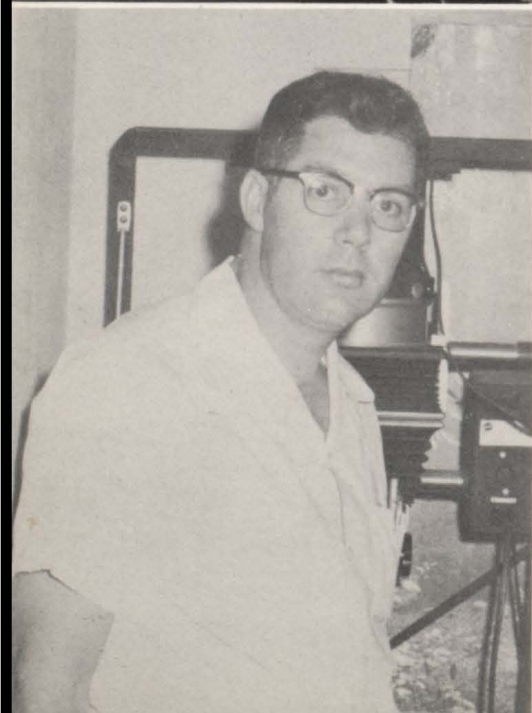
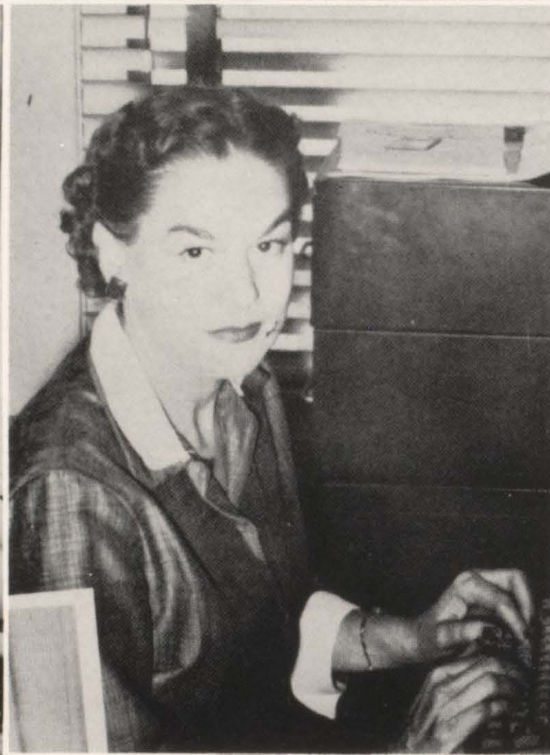
MR. JIMMY BARRON  
High School Band

MRS. NAN BROUGHTON  
Commercial



MRS. RUBY BALLARD  
English IV

MRS. BAILEY  
Secretary to Mr. Cherry



MR. BEEMAN  
Speech Therapist



# Faculty

MISS LUCILLE CHRISTIANBERRY  
Librarian

MRS. DIENTS  
Tax Collector

MRS. BESS EARLY  
Latin

MR. ERWIN GRAETER  
Chemistry

MRS. MARY GREGORY  
Commercial

MR. DON HALEY  
Head Coach





# Faculty

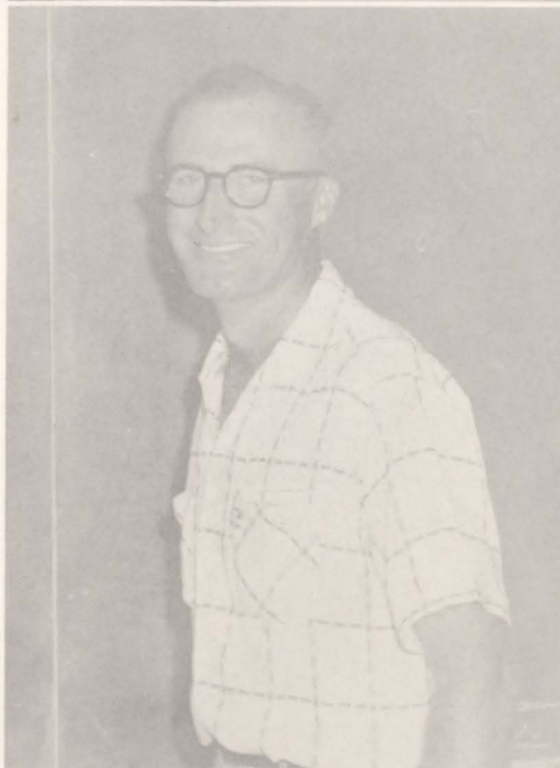
MRS. EVELYN HALEY  
Secretary to Business Manager

MRS. LOIS HARRIS  
English III



MR. JACK HUEBNER  
Physics

MRS. JOHNSON  
English I



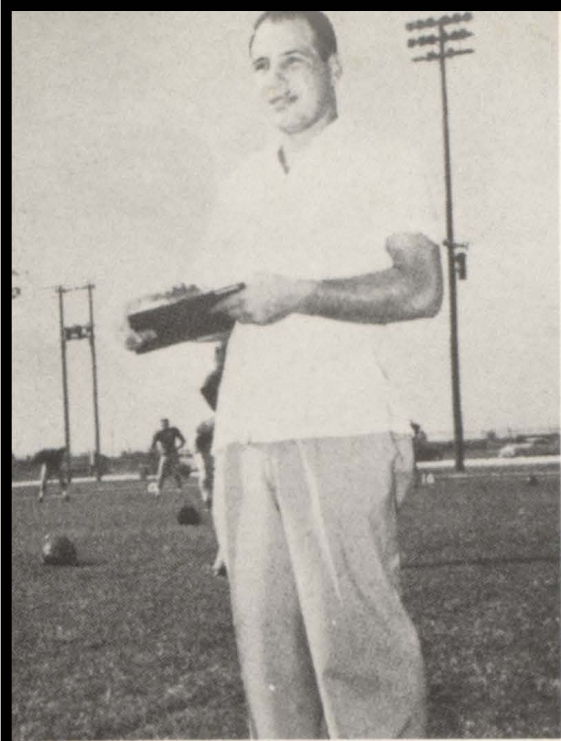
MR. CHARLES KING  
English II

MR. B. E. LISTON  
School Business Manager





# Faculty



MR. SAM MAGLITTO  
Basketball Coach  
Algebra  
Boys' Health  
Senior Sponsor



MR. DEE MARLING  
Tennis  
General Math  
Algebra



MR. R. A. McCARTY  
General Science  
Biology  
Junior Sponsor



MR. VANCE McDONALD  
Business Office  
Typing I  
Junior Business  
Black Cat Annual  
One-Act Play



MRS. NOLA McWILLIAMS  
Junior Sponsor  
Plane Geometry  
Trigonometry



MR. PHIL POINT  
Junior High Choir  
Senior High Choir



# Faculty

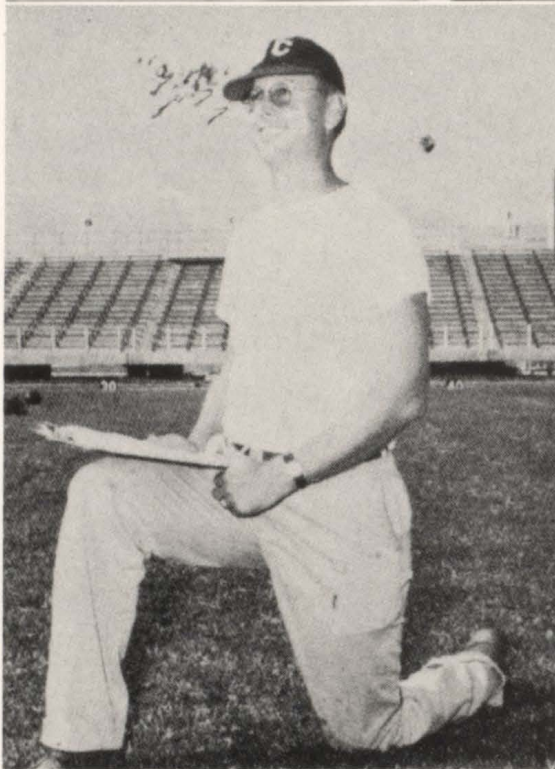
MISS RINGGOLD  
Girls' Coach  
Girls' P.E.  
Girls' Health

MRS. MAXINE ROBERTS  
Secretary to Mr. Liston



MR. JOE ROGERS  
Drivers Education  
Track Coach

MR. ORLANDO SCHRAUB  
Transferred from the  
Junior High school  
Algebra  
Boys' Health  
Boys' P. E.  
Assistant Basketball Coach



MRS. EDITH SMITH  
Homemaking

MR. SPURGEON SMITH  
Mechanical Drawing  
Algebra I, II





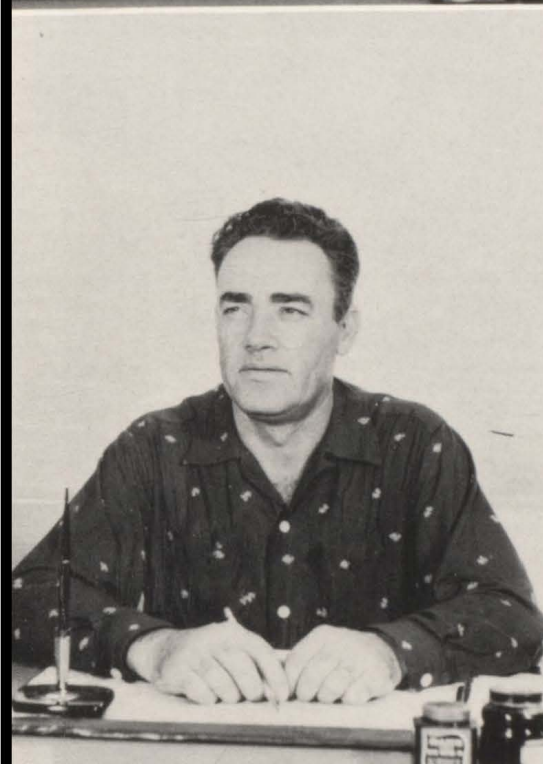
# Faculty



MISS BONNIE SOUTHWELL  
Girls' P. E.  
Girls' Health



MRS. VI SULLIVAN  
Homemaking  
F.H.A.  
Sophomore Sponsor



MR. KERMIT SPIELMAN  
American History  
Senior Sponsor



MR. JAMES SOWELL  
Agriculture  
Shop

MRS. MARY VALON  
General Science  
Cat's Tale Sponsor  
Journalism  
Aeronautics

MR. GEORGE VALON  
Spanish I, II  
Speech

MR. ROBBIE WYNN  
World History  
Freshman Sponsor





MISS CHRISTIANBERRY  
Library Staff



MISS MOZELLE LANKARD  
English I

Miss Lankard came to us at midterm, replacing Mrs. Johnson. She is a graduate of Bay City High School and of Texas University.



MRS. SUSAN PETTIT

Mrs. Pettit comes to us from the state of Oklahoma. She came in at midterm. She teaches English I and also takes care of the study hall.



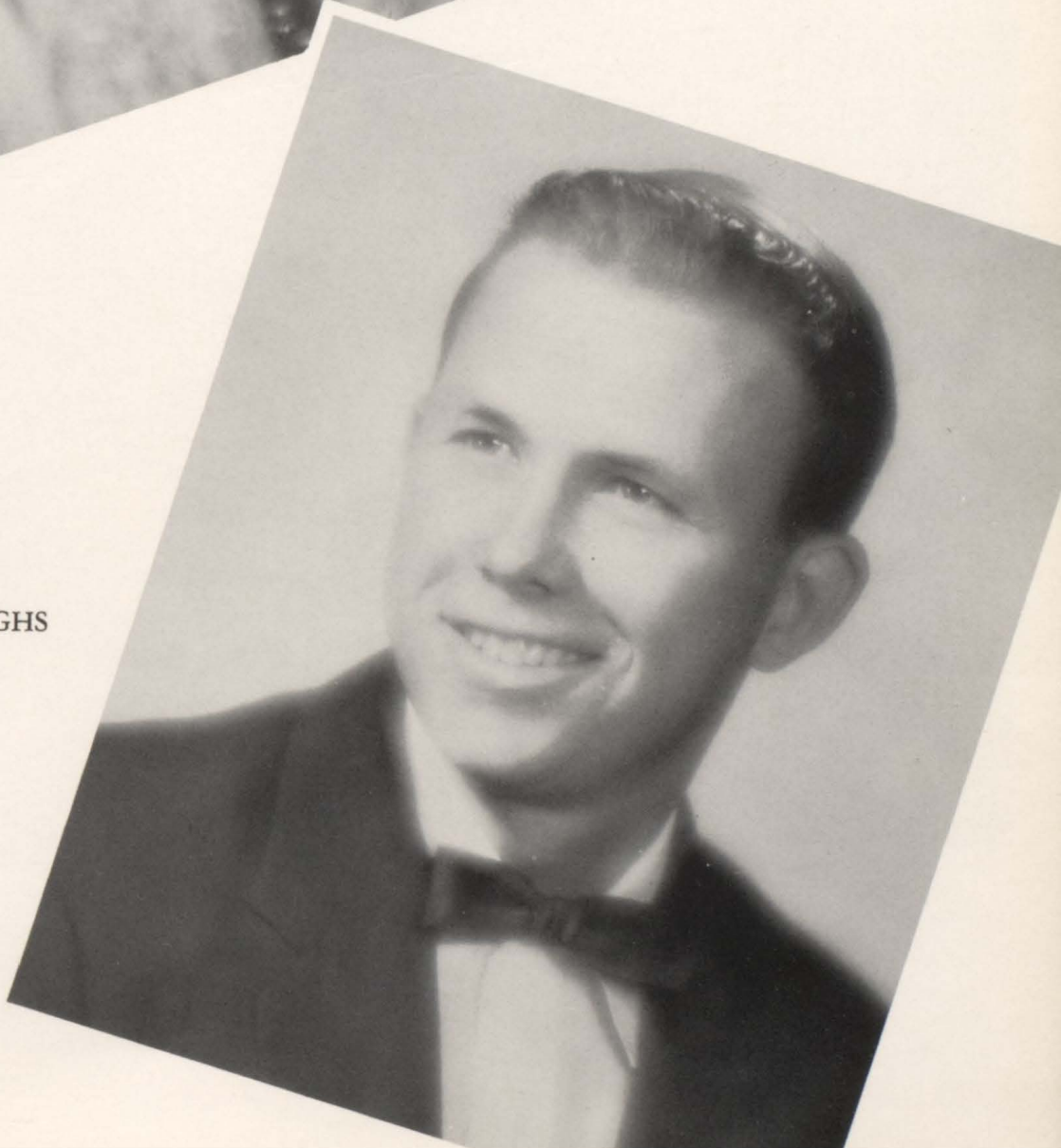


*Senior Favorites*

CHARLOTTE LUKEFAHR



JOHNNY BURROUGHS







## *Senior Officers*

WORTHAM SMITH .....	<i>President</i>
DAVID STEWART .....	<i>Vice President</i>
JOHNNIE LANGSTON .....	<i>Treasurer</i>
ANN GORDON .....	<i>Secretary</i>
KITTY DAHNE .....	<i>Reporter</i>







## GILBERT ACOSTA

*I will my ability to reduce to Romeo Mendez and Caesar Hernandez.*

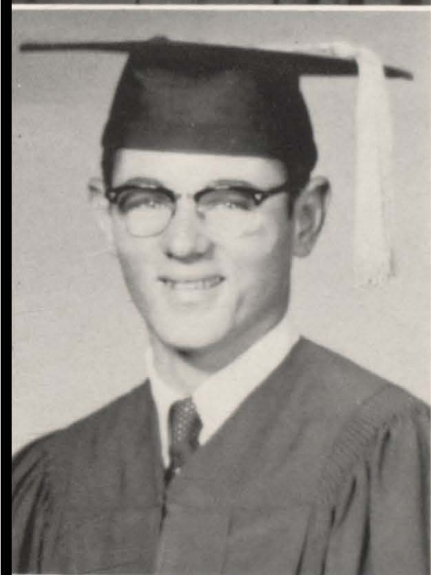
Band 53-57  
Football 53-57  
Track 53-57



## OFELIA ARIAS

*I leave my will to Helen, Matilda, and Sara to go through Senior English.*

Band 53-57  
Basketball 54-57  
Volleyball 54-57



## HARPER AUGSBURGER

*I will to Coach Sam the right to coach his own basketball team.*

Football 53-56  
Basketball 53-57  
Basketball Co-Captain 56-57  
Track 53-57

State Track Meet 54-55  
Student Council 54-55  
Class Favorite 55-56



## ARLIN LEE BARRON



## PAT BAKER

*I, Pat Baker, being of sound mind, will to Dody Lane my ability as a Senior to make "A's" and play bookey but not get caught.*

Band 54-57  
First place clarinet trio  
54-55  
Second place clarinet quartet

55-56  
Choir 54-56  
Y-Teens 55-57  
Band Council 56-57



## JOHNNY BURROUGH

*I, Johnny Burrough, being of sound mind, will to Jody Heard all the chewing gum under my chemistry lab chair, and may be have more fun chewing it than I did.*

Football 53-54  
Basketball 53-57  
Track 54-57

State Track Meet 54-55  
Class Favorite, Senior 56-57



## DONA BARBOUR

*I, Dona "Bee" Barbour, being of sound mind? will to Charlotte Tillman my ability to walk up and down the hall 5th and 7th period and not get caught, and to Don Jones, my thanks for making my senior year a wonderful one.*

Y-Teens 53-57  
Pep Squad 53-54  
FHA 56-57  
Rice Festival 56-57  
Business Staff Office 56-57  
Social Ed. and Typist, Cat's  
Tale 56-57

Duchess Sophomore  
Sweetheart 56-57  
Finalist, Most Beautiful 56-57  
Y-Teen Representative 56-57

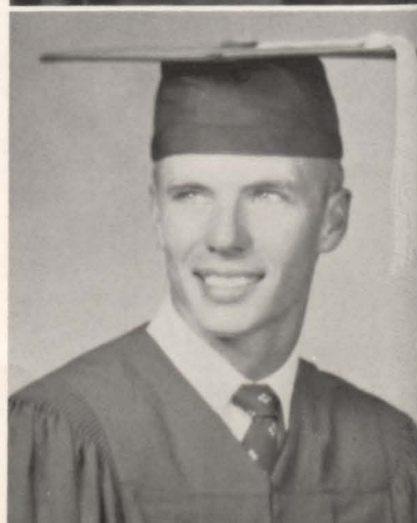


## TOMMY CASHION

*I just leave.*

FFA 53-57  
FFA 53-54, President  
FFA 54-55, Historian  
FFA 55-56, Parliamentarian  
FFA 56-57, Sentinel

4-H Club 53-57  
4-H Club 56-57  
Football 54-55  
Track 54-57  
Basketball 54-56







## MARILYN BARLOW



## DORIS ANN BARR

*I, Doris Ann Barr, will my ability to sleep until eight o'clock and still get to school on time to all sleepyheads.*

Band 53-57	FLC 55-57
Y-Teens 53-57	All-District Band 56-57
Y-Teen Cabinet 54-57	Band Reporter 56-57
Y-Teen Representative 54	Junior Class Treasurer 55-56
Y-Teen Vice President 56-57	FHA 56-57
Annual Staff 54-57	Rice Festival Contestant 56-57



## KATHLEEN BIRKNER

*I, Kathleen Birkner, will to Lola Estlinbaum my red marching shoes in hope that she can use them as much as I.*

Band 53-57	Football Sweetheart 55-56
Band Council 53-57	FHA 55-57
Twirler 54-55	Runner-up Homecoming queen 55-56
Head Twirler 55-56	Homecoming Queen 56-57
Drum Major 56-57	Most Beautiful 56-57
All-District Band 56-57	Rice Festival Contestant 56-57
All-Region Band 56-57	Declamation 56-57
Basketball 53-57	Rep. Latona Festival 56-57
Captain Basketball 56-57	Interscholastic one-act Play 56-57
Y-Teens 53-54	



## BARBARA BLUM

*I will Mr. Smith's Algebra II course to anyone who thinks he is smart enough to pass it.*

Y-Teens 54-55	Basketball Manager 55-57
4-H 53-54	Vice President FHA 56-57
Volleyball 54-57	Choir Secretary 53-55
FHA 55-57	



## ALVIN CERNY

*I, Alvin Cerny, being of sound mind, will the first-period Economics Class to all the suckers that drift into Bay City and who can put up with Coach Haley.*



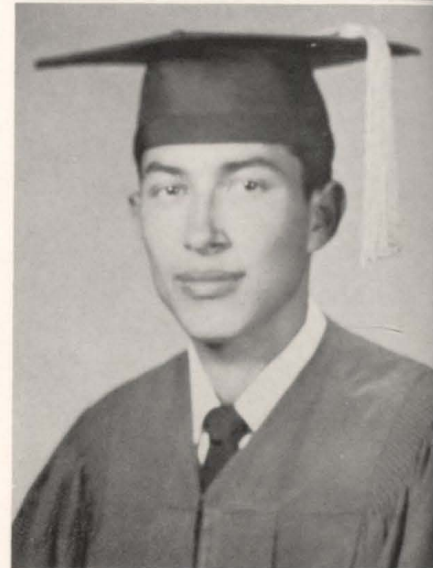
## BETTYE COOLIDGE



## NAT CHARLES

*I, Nat Charles, being of sound mind, will my happy Senior days to Baby, who made my Senior year the most wonderful year in my life.*

Band 53-57  
Choir 54-57



## KITTY DAEHNE

*I, Kitty Daehne, being of sound mind, do hereby will my ability to Karen Daehne to roam the Halls of B. C. H. S. and not get caught.*







## EDWIN DORNAK

*I, Edwin Dornak, being of sound body and weak mind, hereby will the ability to fall off Steep-Banks and not get hurt to my brother, Jerry.*

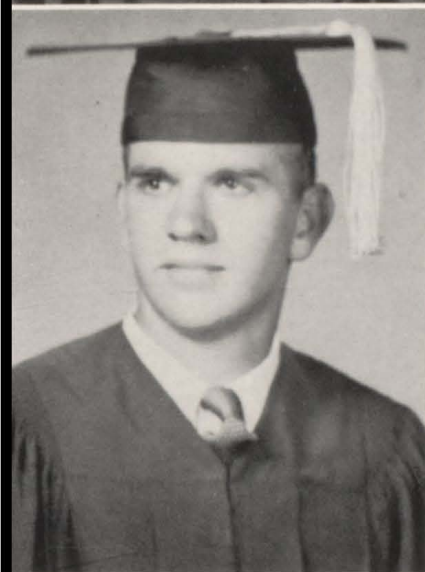
FLC 55-56  
Aeronautics 56-57



## HELEN DARBY

*I, Helen Darby, being of sound mind, do hereby will to Carole Ann Powell the ability to pass with just a little bit of studying.*

FHA 54-57  
FHA Treasurer 56-57  
Y-Teens 53-55



## JAMES DOSS

*I, Jimmy Doss, being of unsound mind, will to Sue Hixon my hardest subject, English, and hope she does better in it than I.*

FFA 53-57  
Second Vice President FFA 54, 56



## CLYDENE DODD

*We, Clydene Dodd, Rosemary Ryman, and Martha McIntosh, will the ability to struggle through B. C. H. S. while going with boys from T.H.S. to Carole Ann Walker, Sharon Ammons, Pat Lesikar, Joyce Wolle, and Betty Jean Lee.*

FHA 53-55  
Y-Teens 53-54  
Pep Squad 54-55  
Cat's Tale Staff 56-57



## LON DRAPER

*I, Lon Draper, being of no mind and strong body, do hereby leave my ability to take no books home my Senior year and to barely pass the subjects taken to anyone who is ignoramus to accept them.*

Football 53-57  
Track 53-57  
Slide Rule Club 53-57  
FLC 53-57

Golf 53-57  
Basketball Manager 53-55  
Chess Club 53-54  
Intramural Volleyball 54-55



## CHELETTE DOLLAR

FHA 53-57  
Basketball 53-56  
Volleyball 54-55  
Pep Squad 54-56  
Annual Staff 53-56

Office Staff 53, 57  
Choir 56-57  
All-State Chorus 56-57  
National Honor Society 56-57



## BILLY DYAL

*I, Billy Dyal, being of unsound mind, leave to Dick Burford my ability to talk back to managers and still get clean uniforms.*

Class President 53-54  
Student Council 53, 57  
Football 53-57  
Track 53-55

Vice President Sophomore  
Class 54-55  
FLC 54-57  
Vice President FLC 56-57



## CAROLE DYE

*I, Carole Dye, do will to my Y-Teen "Little Sisters," Sandra O'Neal and Cordelia Reed, all the wonderful and happy times of my high school days and I hope that they will enjoy every minute of theirs.*

Y-teens 53-57  
FLC 54-57  
Miss BCHS  
Student Council 53-54  
Choir 54-57  
Choir Council 56-57  
All-State Chorus 55-57  
Rice Festival Contestant 56

Editor Black Cat Annual 56, 57  
Senior One-Act Play 56  
Runner-up Homecoming Queen 56  
Assistant Cheerleader 54-55  
Cheerleader 55-56  
Head Cheerleader 56-57  
Basketball Manager 53-56





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## JIMMY ELKINS

## JOHN ESTLINBAUM

*I, Hoody Estlinbaum, leave to Frank Baten, "Mush" Augsburger, and Brent Kirby, the ability to be the biggest bums on the campus next year, and to Cordelia Reed, all the happiness in the world in her remaining years in B. C. H. S.*

Football 53-57  
Baseball 53-57  
Basketball 54-56  
Second All-District Football  
56-57

Intramural Volleyball,  
Champion 55-56  
Student Council 53, 57  
Sophomore Favorite 54-55

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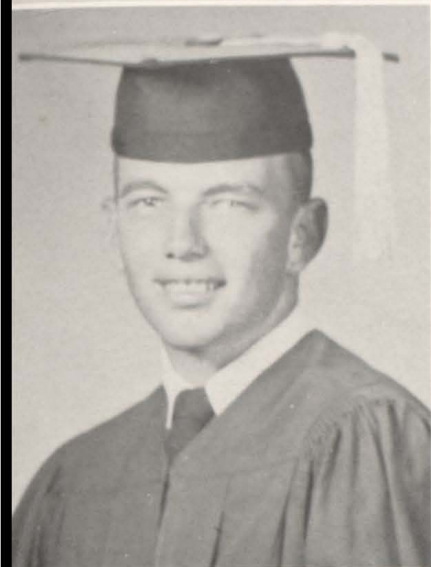
Golf 53-57  
Football 54-56

Annual Staff 56-57  
Class Editor 56-57

## JUNE FINDLEY

*I, June Findley, being of sound mind and body, do hereby will my ability to have more fun and eat more than anyone else on Band trips to Melanie Maxted, Barbara Graham, and Timmie Reed.*

Student Council 54-56 FLC 55-57  
Band 54-57 Y-Teens 56-57  
Cat's Tale 54-55 Candidate Homecoming Queen 55-56  
Art Editor Cat's Tale National Latin Honor Society 56-57  
54-55





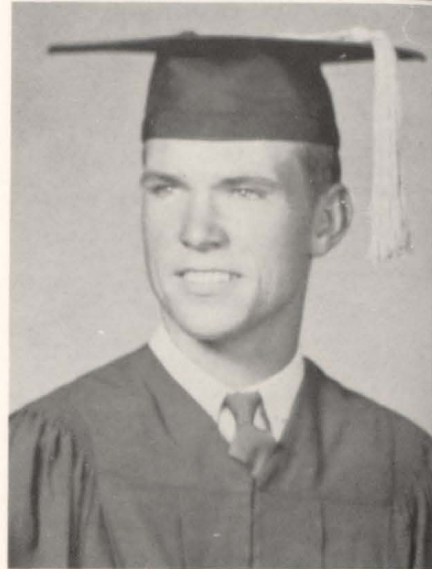
## ESTELLA GARCIA

*I, Estella Garcia, will to all Juniors to try to learn all they can.*

FLC 56-57  
Pep Squad 53-54  
Volleyball 54-55



## DONALD FALKS



## FRANCES FRIDAY

*I will to my cousin, Kitty Anderson, all of the good times I have had in "Good ole Bay City High," I only hope that she will have half as much fun as I.*

Band 53-57  
Y-Teens 53-57  
Band Council 53-57  
Band Librarian 53-57  
Orchestra 53-57

FLC 54-57  
Y-Teen Cabinet 56-57  
Rice Festival Contestant 56  
Runner-Up Girls' State 56



## GEORGE FANSON

*I, George Fanson, leave to Brent Kirby and Billy Ottis, the art of talking in class, sleeping in class, and skipping assembly and get by with it.*

FFA 53-57  
Aeronautics 56-57







## DORIS GATES

*I, Doris Gates, leave to Zenith Hammock the many wonderful times I had in High School.*

FHA 53-57  
Pep Squad 53, 57

Library Staff 54-56  
Intramural Volleyball 54-55



## CLAUDE GAY

*I, Claude Gay, will to Janet Wear, my seat in Junior and Senior English, and hope that she does better than I.*

FFA 53-57  
Vice President FFA 53-54

Green Hand Chapter 53-54  
Reporter FFA 55-56



## ANN GORDON

*I, Ann Gordon, being of ?sound? mind, do will my wonderful volleyball ability and pleasing personality to Bettye Jo Blackwell and Janice Rowland.*

Y-Teens 53-57  
Y-Teens Cabinet 54-57  
Pep Squad 53, 55  
Cheerleader 56-57  
Annual Staff 54, 56-57  
FLC 55-57  
FHA 56-57  
Football Sweetheart 56  
Student Council 55, 57  
Sophomore Favorite 54-55

National Honor Society 56-57  
Junior Class Secretary 55-56  
Miss BCHS Runner-up 57  
Senior Class Reporter and  
Scrapbook Editor 56-57  
Ready-Writers 55-56  
Nominee for Homecoming  
Queen 55-56  
Finalist Most Beautiful  
Girl 56-57



## JERRY GENZER

*I, Jerry Genzer, being of unsound mind, will all my dieting to Coach Joe Rogers.*

Football 53-56  
Basketball 53-57  
Co-Captain Basketball 56-57  
Track 53-57  
State Track Meet 55-56

Volley Champions 55-56  
FLC 53-57  
Student Council 53-54  
Who's Who 55-56  
Freshman President 53-54



## CAROLYN HAMMOCK

*I, Carolyn Hammock, will my ability to get along with Mr. Myers during first period to anyone who is crazy enough to try it.*

FHA 54-55  
Pep Squad 54, 57



## RONNY HARVEY

*I, Ronnie Harvey, being of sound mind and body, hereby bequeath my ability to go as far as the Senior year without having a date to anyone crazy enough to take it.*

Science Club 53-54  
FLC 54-57  
Camera Club 55-56

Intramural Volleyball 55-56  
Aeronautics 56-57



## PATRICIA HARDY

*I, Patricia Hardy, will to my Y-Teen little sisters, Connie Jo Lankard and Marvis Wills, my ability to make straight "A's" when they are Seniors, but never crack a book, and to not have an activity period during all their remaining years of B. C. H. S.*

Band 53-57  
Twirler 53-57  
First place Twirling  
Contest 56-57  
Second Place Clarinet  
Trio 55-56

Choir 53, 55  
Y-Teens 55-57  
National Honor Society 56-57  
First Place clarinet trio 53-54



## LINDA DARBY HARGETT

*I, Linda Hargett, will my good luck and ability to get away with all the things I have done in school, especially choir, and never get expelled, to anyone who wants to try it.*

Y-Teens 53-56  
Pep Squad 53-54  
Assistant Cheerleader 55-56  
Cheerleader 56-57

Choir 54-56  
Journalism 55-56  
Aeronautics 56-57





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## LANNY HENDERSON

*I, Lanny Henderson, will the ability to carry the bass drum to anyone who is dumb enough to do it.*

Camera Club 53-56  
Science Club 53-55

Band 53-57  
Tennis 53-57

## FRANCES HEARN

*I will to anyone with the ability to do the art work of B. C. H. S. and may they draw . . . income on their high school years.*

FLC 53-57  
Y-Teens 53, 54  
Choir 53-57  
FHA 53  
Pep Squad 53-54  
Girls' State 55-56  
DAR Award 56-57  
All-Regional Choir 56-57

Rice Festival Contestant 56  
Senior One-Act Play 56  
National Latin Honor Society 56  
National High School Poetry Association 56-57  
Third Place essay on Democracy 55-56

## KIM HORTON

## JEANETTE HOLLOWAY

*I, Jeanette Holloway, being of sound mind, will first period Civics Class to anyone who will be able to put up with Coach Haley.*

Basketball 53-57  
Y-Teens 53-54  
Choir 53-54  
Pep Squad 53-54

4-H Club 53-54  
Volleyball 54-57  
FHA 56-57



## IMA JEAN HOLLOWAY

*I, Ima Jean Holloway, will the next poor drummer the ability to play in the band for four years and never get a medal.*

Y-Teens 53-55  
Band 53-57  
Basketball 54-56  
FLC 56-57

Band Librarian 54-55  
Band Council 55-56  
Business Office Staff 55-57



## DOROTHY HOOTS

*I, Dorothy Hoots, will to my little sister, Claudia, all the happy times of high school and especially Senior year.*

FHA 53-55  
Cat's Tale Staff 56-57



## LARRY HUITT

*I, Larry Huitt, hereby will my ability for forgery to anybody fool enough to try and get away with it.*

Football 53-57  
Baseball 53-57  
Basketball 53-57  
Band 53-57

Student Council 53-57  
Student Council President 55-57  
Band President 56-57  
Lion "Cub" 55-56



## ANITA JUREK

*I, Anita Jurek, being of sound mind, do hereby will to Frances Hahn the ability to pass without much study.*

FHA 53-57  
Y-Teens 53-54  
Choir 54-55







## KAY JUSTICE

*I, Kay Justice, do hereby will to Charlotte Tillman the fun, laughs, and enjoyment of my four years in High school, and may she enjoy them as I have.*

- |                             |  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Freshman Reporter 53-54     | FHA Reporter 56-57                     |
| Annual Staff 55-57          | Homecoming Queen Candidate 55-56       |
| Y-Teens 53-57               | Cat's Tale Staff, Feature Editor 56-57 |
| Y-Teen Cabinet 56-57        | Senior Play 56-57                      |
| Pep Squad 53-54             | FFA Sweetheart Runner-up 56-57         |
| Assistant Cheerleader 54-55 |  |
| Cheerleader 56-57           |  |
| FHA 55-57                   |  |



## CAROLYN SUE KEEN

*I, Carolyn Sue Keen, being of sound mind and body, will to Sallie Milner and Janice Rowland, all of my wonderful nicknames. May they always live up to them.*

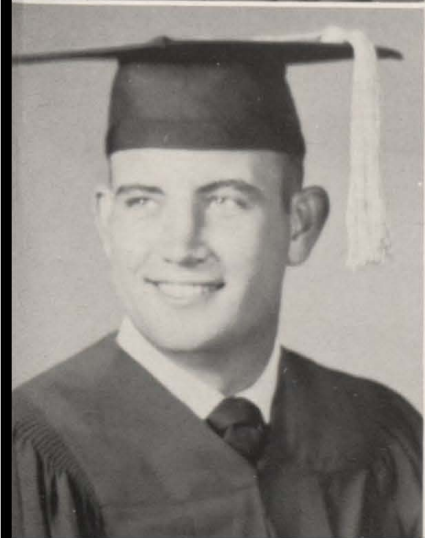
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| Student Council 53-57       | Cheerleader 55-57                     |
| FHA 53-57                   | Who's Who 55-56                       |
| FHA President 55-57         | Duchess, Rice Festival 56-57          |
| FLC 54-57                   | One-Act Play 56-57                    |
| FHA Sweetheart 56-57        | Runner-up Most Beautiful 56           |
| Y-Teens 53-57               | Student Council Secretary 55-56       |
| Class Favorite 54-55        | Student Council Parliamentarian 56-57 |
| Assistant Cheerleader 54-55 | Finalist Homecoming 56                |



## WANDA KENNEDY

*I, Wanda Kennedy, being of feeble mind and faulty body, do hereby will my ability to screech those high notes in choir to Sallie Milner.*

- |                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| FLC 53-56           | Choir 56-57        |
| Y-Teens 53-56       | FHA 55-57          |
| Pep Squad 53-55     | Office Staff 56-57 |
| Girls' Chorus 53-54 |                    |



## JIMMY KNOST

*I, Jimmy Knost, being of sound mind, will all my hardships to anybody stupid enough to have a hard time in English and all your lessons.*

- |                  |                             |
|------------------|-----------------------------|
| Football 53-57   | Choir 55-56                 |
| Baseball 53-56   | Library Staff 54-55         |
| Track 53-57      | Intramural Volleyball 54-55 |
| Basketball 53-56 |                             |



## DAVID KRISTYNIK

*I, David Kristynik, being of sound mind about as much as a monkey, will to anyone the privilege to walk through the halls during class periods and to be able to stay two periods to finish a chemistry test to anyone smart enough to try it. I wish them luck.*

State North-South All-Star  
Game 56-57  
Football 53-57  
Baseball 53-57  
Basketball 53-55, 57  
All-District Baseball 53-56  
Student Council 53-54  
All-State Football 56-57

Mr. BCHS 56-57  
Lions Club Sportsmanship  
Trophy 56-57  
Tribune Most Valuable  
Trophy 56-57  
Football Captain 56-57  
National Honor Society 57  
Lion "Cub" 56-57



## FRANKLIN KROBOT

*We, Franklin Krobot, and Jimmy Doss, being of unstable minds, will all our crummy equipment in chemistry back to Mr. Graeter.*

Science Club 53-54  
Aeronautics 55-56  
Library Staff 56-57



## CHARLOTTE LUKEFAHR

*I, Charlotte Lukefahr, will to Connie Jo Lankard my ability to foul out in Basketball.*

Pep Squad 54, 57  
Basketball 53-57  
Basketball Captain 56-57  
Y-Teens 53-54

Volleyball 54-57  
Senior Class Favorite 56-57  
Intramural Volleyball 54-56

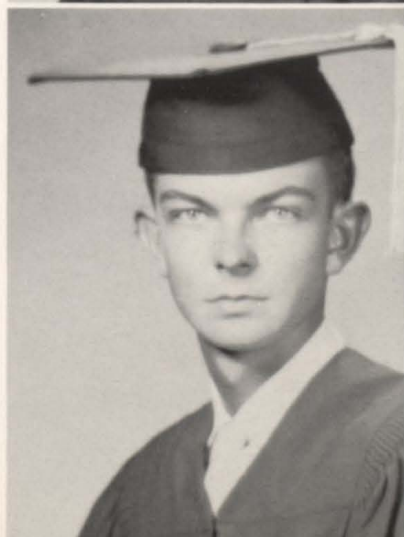


## JOHNNY LANGSTON

*I, Johnny Langston, will my mechanical drawing board to anyone in next year's class.*

FFA 53-55  
FFA Secretary 54-55  
Student Council 54-55  
Sophomore Class  
Treasurer 54-55

Junior Class Vice President 55-56  
Senior Class Treasurer 56-57  
Baseball 55-56  
Slide Rule Club 53-54







## GARY LENDERMAN

Football 53-57  
Choir 54-57

Track 54-56  
Track Manager 56-57



## EVELYN MACHACEK

Choir 53-55  
Baseball 55-56

Freshman Play 53-54

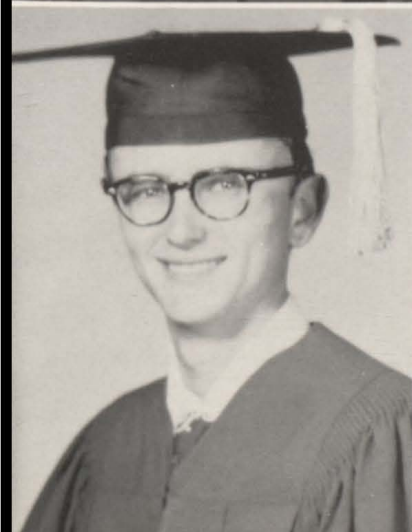


## BETTYE FAYE MEADOR

*I, Bettye Faye Meador, will my ability to keep the benches warm to Sallie Milner and Diann Fults.*

Choir 53-54  
Cheerleader 53-54  
FHA 53-54, 57  
4-H Club 53-54  
Tennis 53-57

Basketball 54-57  
FLC 54-57  
National Honor Society 56-57  
Y-Teens 54-57



## JOHN MOHON

*I, Johnny Mohon, being of sound mind and broken body, do will my ability to pass Senior English literature with a seventy average to Jerry Darunt.*

FFA 53-57  
FFA Treasurer 56-57

FFA Secretary 55-56



## JOYCE MORALES



## BEN MUNIZ

*I, Ben Muniz, will to Romeo and Raymond the two hard weeks of football practice before the first football game. May they have fun running the fifties.*

Football 53-57	Freshman Vice President 53-54
Basketball 53-57	Student Council 53-54
Baseball 53-57	FLC 54-56
Freshman Favorite 53-54	Runner-up Most Handsome 56-57



## MORRIL ANN McCLANAHAN

*I, Morrill McClanahan, being of sound mind, do hereby will to my little brother, Tommy, all the happy days of my senior year.*

Band President 53	Volleyball 56
Spanish Club 53-54	Student Director of One-Act Play 57
Booster Club 54	Business Office 57
Speech Club 54	
Debate 54	



## JOHN VOSS McCROSKEY

*I, John Voss McCroskey, being of sound mind, will my third period Chemistry class to all Juniors.*

FFA 53-57	4-H Club 53-57
FFA President 56-57	4-H Club President 56-57
FHA Chapter Beau 56-57	4-H Club Council President 55-56





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## MARTHA McINTOSH

*I, Martha McIntosh, will to Patricia Lesiker and Ruth Henderson the good times I've had in B. C. H. S. and hope they enjoy their remaining years as much as I have.*

FHA 53-57  
Y-Teens 53-56  
Pep Squad 53-56

Girls' Chorus 53-54  
Cat's Tale Staff 56-57  
Choir 54-56

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## ELIZABETH NEW

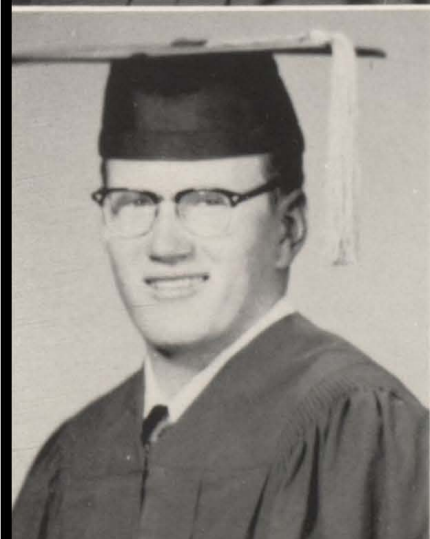


## BARBARA OLSON

*I, Barbara Olson, being of sound mind and body, do hereby will Bay City High School to my sister, Almarie Olson. May she enjoy it as much as I.*

FHA 54-57  
Pep Squad 53, 57  
Volleyball 55-56  
Library Staff 53-54  
Commercial Award 55-56

Homemaking III Award 56-57  
Office Staff 55-56  
Business Office 54-56  
Y-Teens 53-54



## ROBERT PATTON

*I, "Big Red Patton," being of sound body and sober mind, leave to my brother, "Little Red," the ability to loaf in football practice and still get tired, and to all of my friends I hope that they enjoy and cherish all their years in high school as I.*

Football 53-57  
Baseball 53-55  
Track 55-57

FLC 54-57  
Intramural Volleyball 54-56  
Slide Rule Club 56-57



## ROGER PERDUE

*I, Roger Perdue, being of sound mind, will my first period Economics class to all of the newcomers of Bay City that can put up with Coach (Don) Haldy.*



## DORIS RAGUS

*I, Doris Ragus, being of pretty sound mind, will my twirling uniform to Sharon Ammons who, I am sure, will fill it just as "snug" as I.*

Basketball 53-57  
FHA 53-55  
Band 53-57  
Twirler 54-56

Head Twirler 56-57  
Y-Teens 53-54  
Interscholastic Shorthand 56-57



## ROGER REEDY

*I, Roger Reedy, being of sound body and unsounded mind, do hereby leave to any Junior who is dumb enough to take it, the ability to argue with Mrs. Ballard every day and still graduate with a whole skin.*

Basketball 53-57  
Baseball 53, 57  
FLC 54-57  
FLC Reporter 56-57  
Football 55-56  
Tennis 55-56  
Student Council 56-57  
Debate 56-57

Science Club 53, 55  
Business Office 53, 57  
Intramural Volleyball 54-56  
Interscholastic Typing 54-55  
High School Ping-Pong  
Champ 55-56  
Senior One-Act Play Prompter  
and Director 56-57



## GAIL REINHART



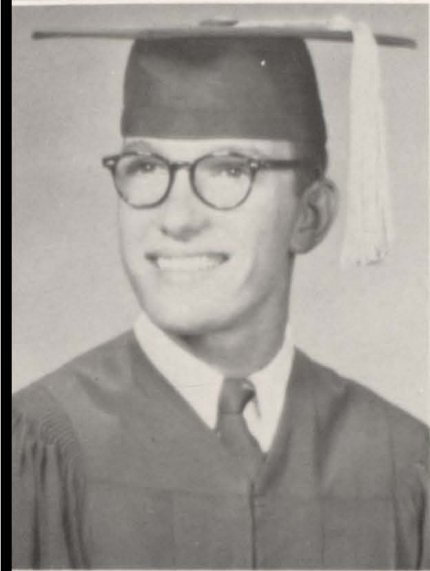




## JESSE RAMIREZ

*I, Jesse Rameriz, being of very sound mind, just leave my number, "21," for everyone to see it.*

Football 53-56  
Baseball 53-56  
FLC 54-57



## BENJAMIN ROBBINS

FFA 53-56  
Track 54-55  
Debate 55-56

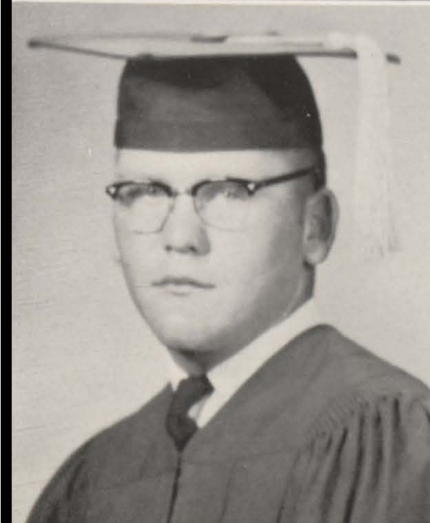


## JOYCE KAY ROGERS

*I, Joy Kay Rogers, being of sound mind and body, will to the Senior Class of '58 the happiness I have enjoyed as a Senior.*

Band 53-57  
Band Council 53-57  
Orchestra 54-55  
District Band 56-57  
Regional Band 56-57  
Annual Staff 54-56

Y-Teens 53-57  
FLC 54-57  
Choir 53-57  
All-State Chorus 56  
FHA 55-57  
Office Staff 56-57



## JAMES ROTHER

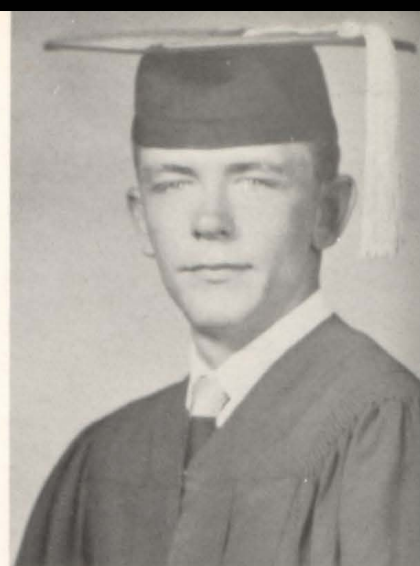
*I, Jimmy Rother, having thoroughly investigated the inmates at B. C. H. S., do find that I have nothing any of them want, so I will that anything that I have which I might have overlooked to anyone who should happen to want it and has the initiative to discover it.*

Football 53-57  
Track 53-57

FLC 54-57  
Science Club 53-55



## GARY ROWE



## CHLOE RUGELEY

*To any student who is proud to be a Black Cat, I do will all of the fun and happiness found in Bay City High School.*

Y-Teens 53-57	Sophomore Sweetheart 54-55
Cabinet, Representative 53-57	National Latin Honor Society 54-55
President 56-57	Rice Festival Contest 56
Band 53-55	Most Dependable Girl 57
Who's Who 54-56	Senior One-Act Play 56
FLC 53-57	Sophomore, Junior President 54-56
Student Council 54-57	Editor Cat's Tale 56-57
Annual Staff 55-57	Interscholastic League First Place
National Honor Society 56-57	Declamation 55-56



## VIRGINIA RUSSELL



## BILLIE RUTH SEBRING HANNA







## JUDITH SIMPSON

*I, Judith Simpson, being of sound mind and body, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to play volleyball to Vera Head.*

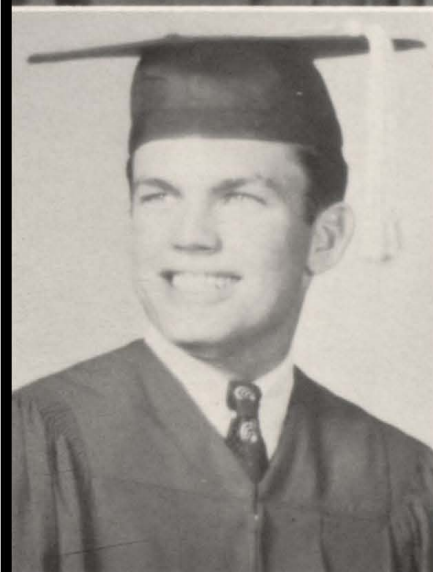
Choir 53-57  
FHA 53-57  
Y-Teens 54-55



## NANCY SEERDEN

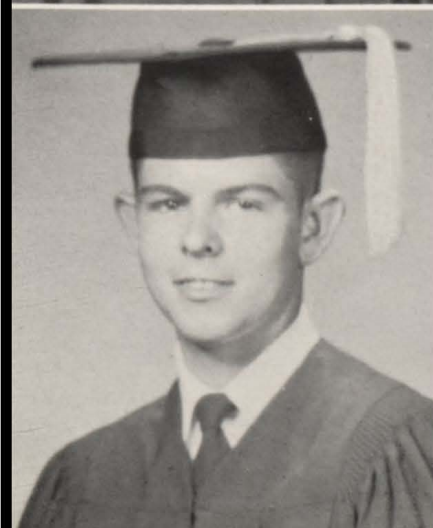
*I, Nancy Seerden, will to "Baldy" Newman, Linda Seerden, Lauradell Lawrence, Pat Moberly, Gerry Lou Norris, and all other "Fish," good Ole B. C. H. S., but please don't tear it up.*

Choir 54-57  
FHA 56-57  
All-State Chorus 56-57  
Y-Teens 53-54  
Rainbows 53-57  
Worthy Advisor 56-57  
4-H Club 53-57  
President 56-57  
Vice President 54-55  
National Honor Society 56-57  
Interscholastic League Typing 54-54  
Second Place Number Sense 55-56  
County Chairman, 4-H 55-56



## WORTHAM SMITH

Annual Staff 53-56  
Editor 55-56  
Student Council 53-57  
FLC 53-57  
Golf 56-57  
Debate 56-57  
Lions "Cub" 56-57  
Senior One-Act Play 56  
Annual Staff Business Manager 53-54  
Outstanding Student 54-55  
Senior Play 56-57



## FREDDIE STANLEY



## LEWIS STEVES

*I, Lewis Steves, will my ability to be the only one in the cafeteria line to be kicked out for cutting to Bobby Critendon and Dale Scott.*

Band 53-57	Golf 55-57
Orchestra 53-57	Choir 55-56
Band Council 55-57	Science Club 53-54
All-District Band 55-57	National Honor Society 56-57
All-Regional Band 55-57	Senior Play 56-57
Student Council 54-56	



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## MARTHA SPITDOWSKI

## BETTY SUE STEWART

*I, Betty Sue Stewart, will to Lola Ann Estlinbaum all my wonderful times in the Black Cat Band.*

Y-Teens 53-57	Representative 56-57
FLC 54-57	Rice Festival Contestant 56
Band 53-57	Senior Play 56-57
Y-Teen Cabinet 56-57	

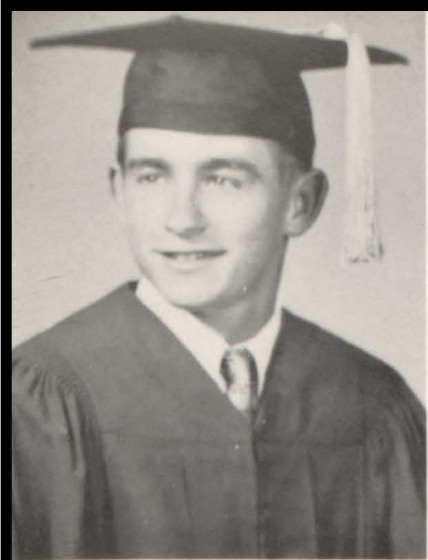


## GEORGE DAVID STEWART

*I would like to will my ability to sit in Physics class without being hit by any flying objects to Jan Norris.*

Football Manager 53-57	Senior One-Act Play 56-57
Basketball manager 54-57	Lion "Cub" 56-57
Baseball Manager 53-56	Vice President Senior 56-57
FLC 54-57	National Honor Society 56-57
Treasurer 56-57	St. Thomas University
Reporter 55-56	Scholarship 56-57





## JAMES SUTTON

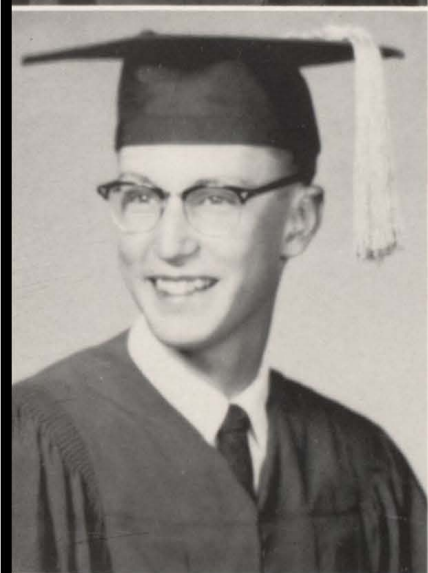


## GEORGIA ANN SWEENY

*I, Georgia Ann Sweeny, do hereby leave my ability to coast through senior year to Tommy McClanahan, and also my office as Secretary of F.H.A. to the lucky girl that has this position next year.*

Pep Squad 54, 57  
Y-Teens 54-56  
Choir 53-57  
FLC 54-56

FHA 55-57  
Secretary 56-57  
Betty Crocker Homemaking  
Award 56-57



## MICHAEL WADE

*I, Michael Wade, being of sound body, strong spirit, but weak mind, do hereby will my ability to work crossword puzzles in Mr. Huebner's Physics class and get away with it to anyone who is a big enough fool to do it.*

FLC 54-57  
President 56-57  
Basketball Manager 55-57  
Football Manager 55-57  
Senior One-Act Play 56-57  
Senior Play 56-57

Annual Staff 56-57  
National Honor Society 57  
Science Club 53-54  
Intramural Volleyball 54-55  
Camera Club Reporter 54-55  
Senior Play 56-57



## JO ELLEN WERLLA



## HAZEL WILLIAMS

*We, Hazel Williams and Myrna Uber, being of sound minds, just leave.*

Band 53-57	Library Staff 53-55
Y-Teens 53-57	Office Staff 54-56
Clarinet Quartet 54-56	FLC 56-57
Woodwind Quartet 56-57	Assistant Editor Cat's Tale 56-57
Band Council 56-57	Senior Play 56-57



## JIMMY WILLIAMS

*I, Jimmy Williams, will to Brent Kirby and Alfred Cook, the ability to leave school at activity period to go to the Dairy Mart without getting caught by anyone.*

Band 53-57	Choir 55-56
Football 53-54	Camera Club 56-57
Track 53-56	Library Staff 56-57



## SHELBY LYNN WILLIAMSON

*I, Shelby Williamson, will to Carol Ann Walker all the fun I have had in B. C. H. S. and especially the fun I had on my band trips. May she enjoy them as much as I.*

Band 53-57	Orchestra 55-56
Band Librarian 53-56	FLC 54-57
Council 54-57	Basketball 53-55
Secretary-Treasurer 56-57	Business Office Staff 54-57
Y-Teens 53-57	Social Chairman Y-Teens 56-57
Cabinet 56-57	Volleyball 55-56
Student Council 55-56	Tennis 54-55
Treasurer 55-56	Girls' Sports Editor Annual 55-56
Annual Staff 53-57	Runner-up to Black Cat Relay
Head Class Editor 56-57	Queen



## GLENDA WIX

*I, Glenda Wix, do hereby will my ability to be late to first period class and not get caught (very often) to Laura Dell Laurence, Vivian Janice, and Sandra Elkins.*

Y-Teens 53-55	Pep Squad 53, 57
Basketball 53-54	Volleyball 54-55
Choir 53-57	Choir Social Chairman 54-55
All-State Choir 56-57	





## JERRY WOOD

*I, Jerry Wood, being of little mind but sound body, do hereby will to Charles Cadenhead, my Red Ryder B-B gun as long as he can keep away from W.C.J.C.*

Band 53-57  
Football 54-57  
Track 56-57

One-Act Play 56-57  
Senior Play 56-57



## MYRNA UHER

*We, Myrna Uher and Hazel Williams, just leave.*

Y-Teens 53-57  
Pep Squad 54-56  
Y-Teen Cabinet 56-57

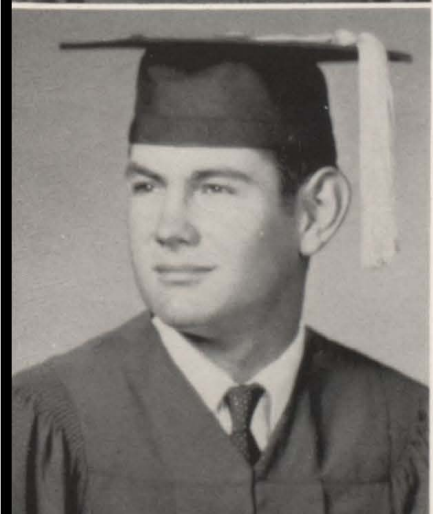
FHA 53, 57  
Library Staff 54-57  
Office Staff 56-57



## EMILY VILLARREAL

*I leave my ability to pass Junior English to Irene Montoya and Lucy Arsola.*

FLC 55-56

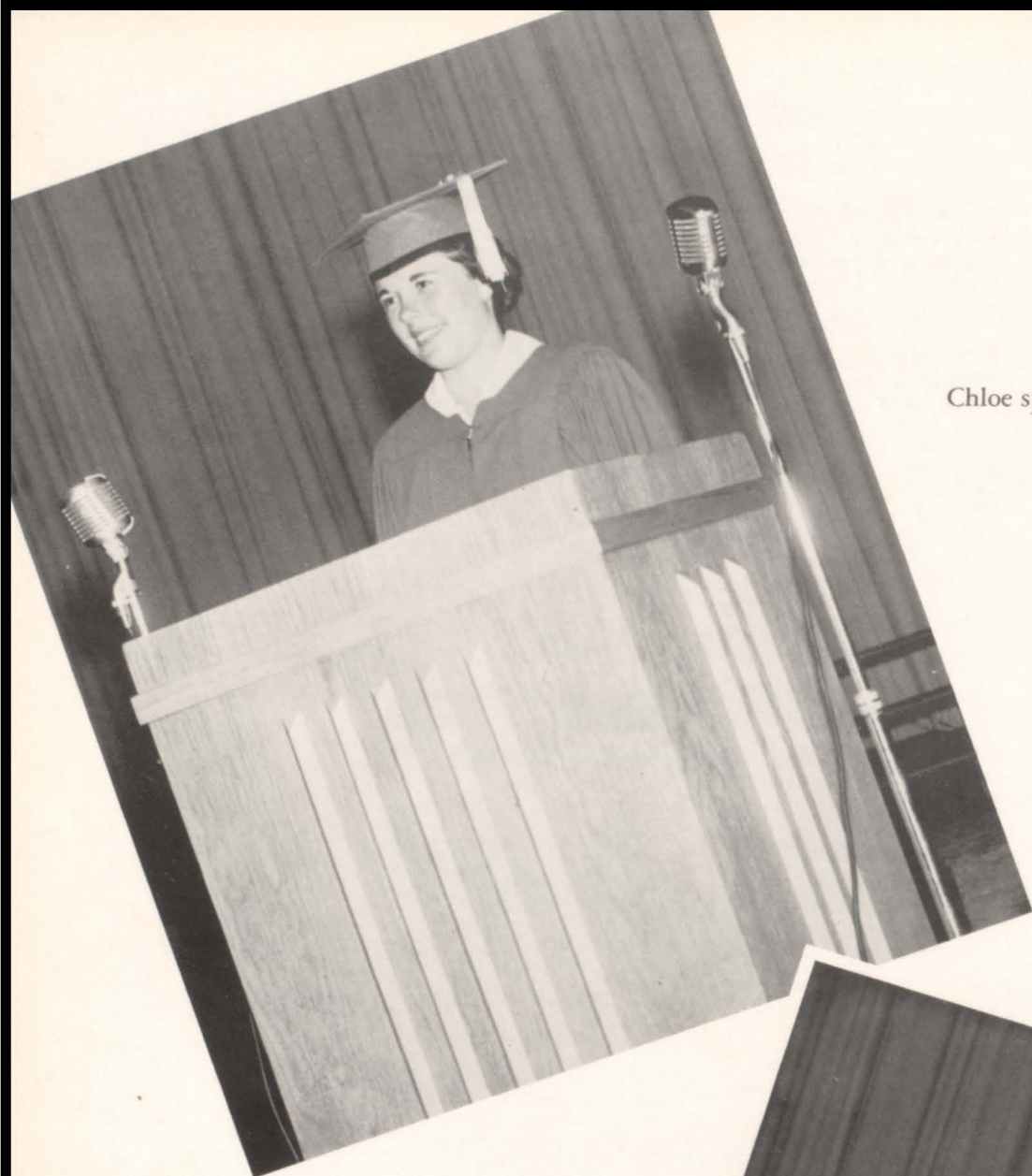


## JIMMY YEAMANS

*I, Jimmy Yeamans, from the city by the sea, Matagorda, will my fish qualities to a good friend, "Tom Luna, the tuna!"*

Football 53-55  
FLC 54-57





Chloe speaks



Carolyn Sue speaks





1957 BAY CITY SENIORS





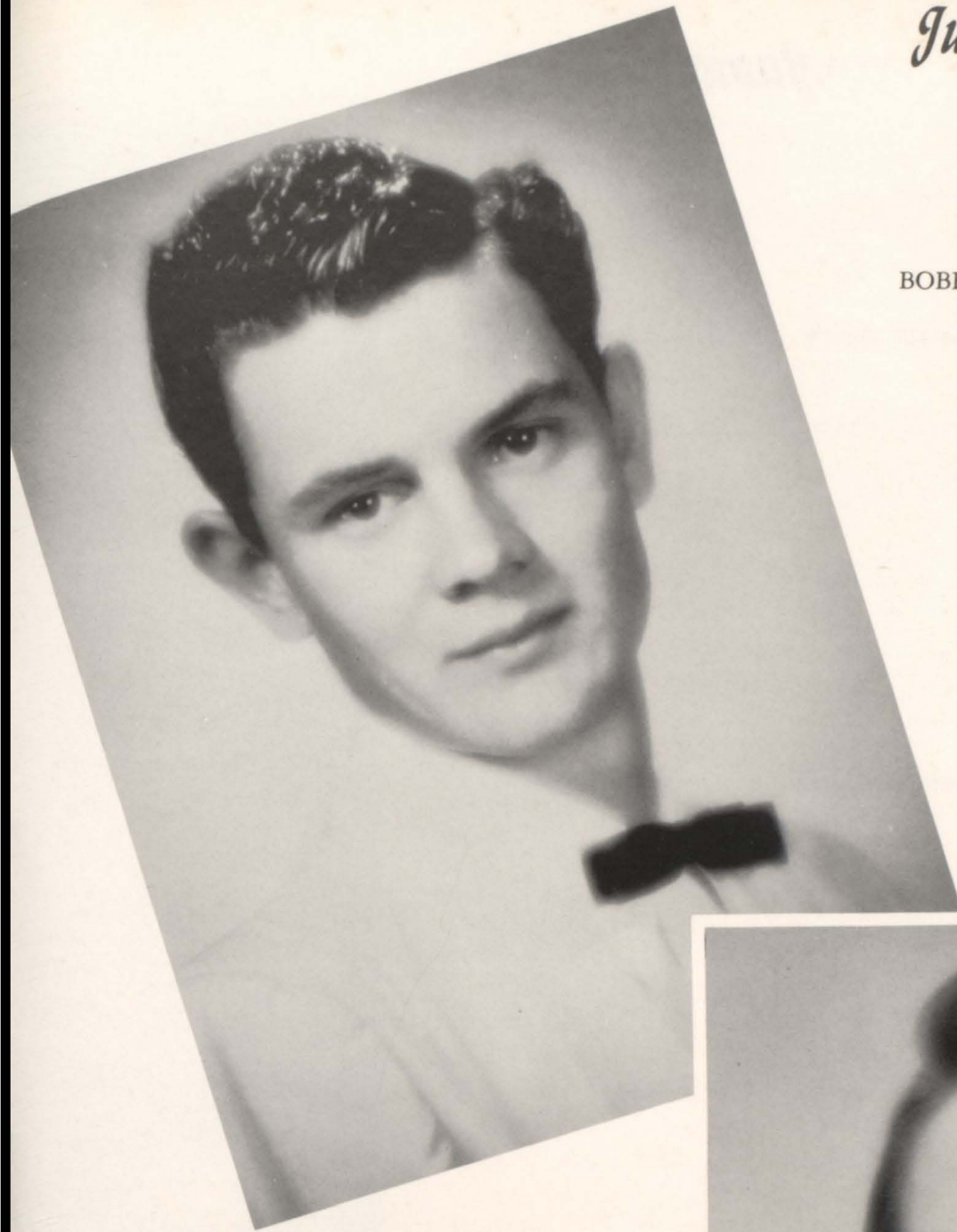
## *Junior Officers*

MARAIN ROE ..... *President*  
CARL BAILEY ..... *Vice President*  
JOANN KOVAR ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*  
BOBBIE CRITENDON ..... *Reporter*



*Junior Favorites*

BOBBIE CRITENDON

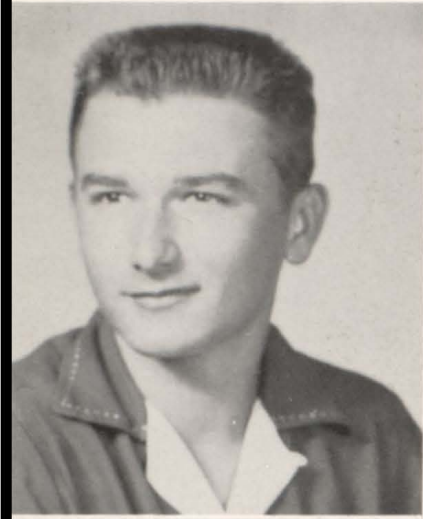


JANICE ROLAND





# Juniors



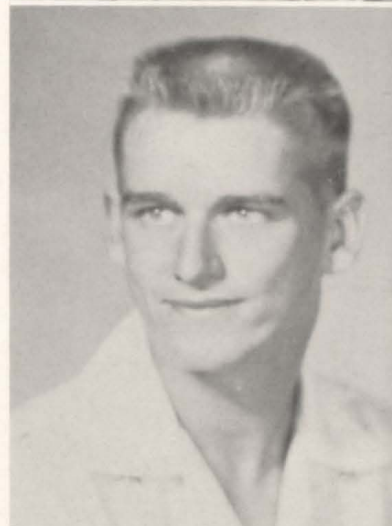
George Agnew



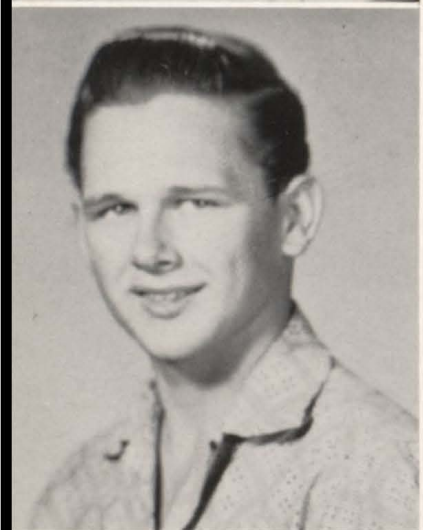
Jo Nell Bucek



Betty Albright



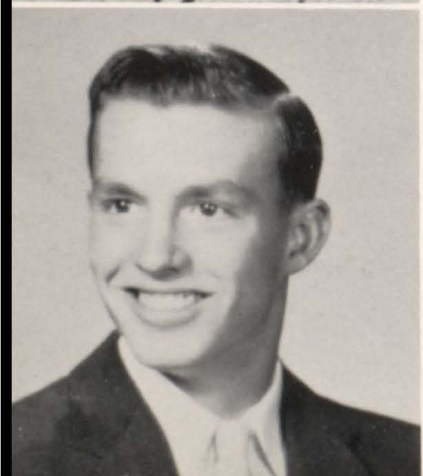
Frank Baten



Robert Ammons



Johnny Frank Bunk



Carl Bailey



Frances Balusek

# Juniors



Charles Cadenhead



Elizabeth Dickey



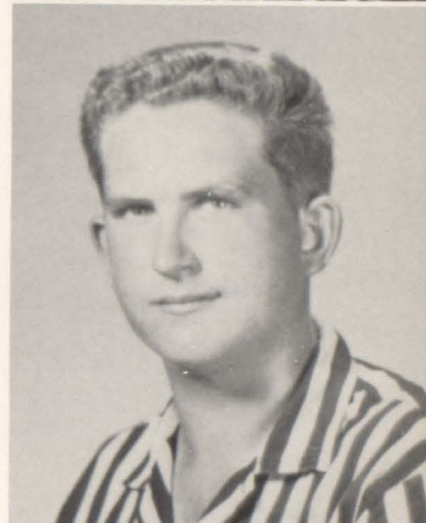
Barbara Ann Carroll



Joe Davis



John Paul Cleveland



Alfred Cook



Bobbie Critendon



Darlene Dalton



# Juniors



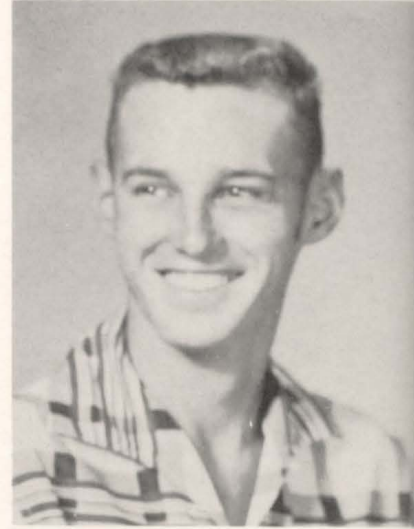
Ida Mae Fisher



Betty Dougherty



Alice Franklin



Archie Findley



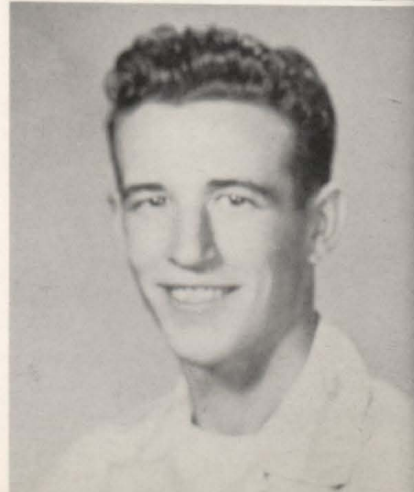
Peggy Egleston



Dianne Fults



Edna Mae Fielding



Joe Ed. Gates

# *Juniors*



Preston Franks



Barbara Graham



Patricia Guess



Winona Hariston



Jody Heard



Kay Franz



Barbara Henry



Sue Garne



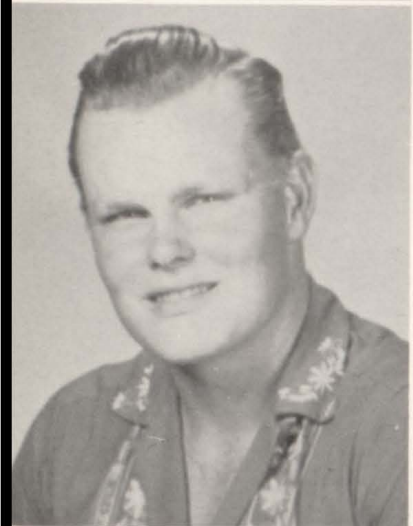
# *Juniors*



Garland Hinman



Sue Hixon



Eugene Jenkins



Barry Jones



Don Jones



Frankie Kasman

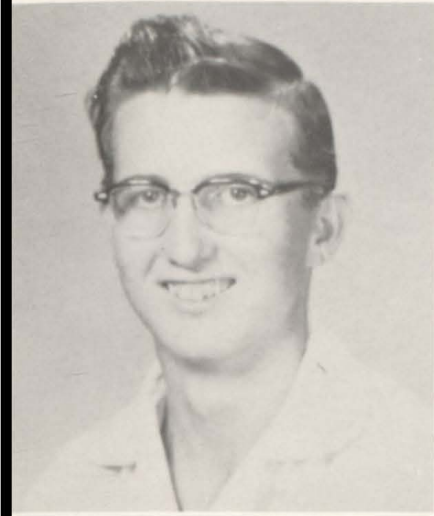


Richard Kemp



Raymond Hernandez

# Juniors



Hollis Kirkland



Jo Ann Kovar



Gregory Knost



Lovell Lawrence



Melaine Maxted



Doris Martin



Benito Martinez



Romeo Mendez



# Juniors



Patsy McCrosky



Norman May



Betty McKelvy



Barbara Mayer



Jane Norris



Sally Milner



Beatrice Mitchell

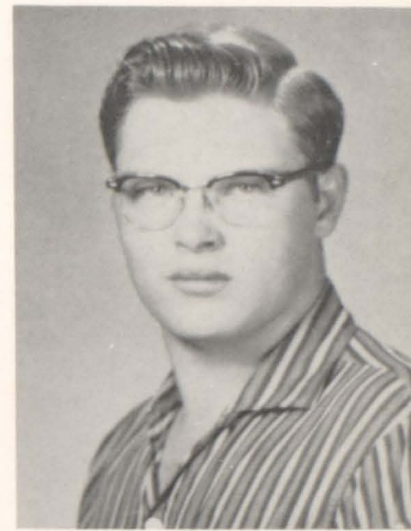


Elton Ray

# Juniors



Timmie Reed



Ray McFarland



Marian Roe



Janiece Roland



Josephine Orsag



Sara Partida



Roger Perdue



Estelene Schuessler



# Juniors



Charlotte Stuart



Joyce Stanford



Dale Scott



David Slone



Jean Ann Smith



Mary Jane Stallings



Helen DeLos Santos



Pat Strunk

# Juniors



Boltan Williams



Matilda Ybarra



Doyle Valkmer



Bowie Vaughn



Getting ready for Friday night's game.



Is it really funny?



"Studios"





Dick Burford watches while Mr. Point tries for the basket.  
Nat and Joy Kay sing at the faculty play.  
Bobbie and Timmie



Just before the game  
Barbara and Timmie  
It must be English III







Ronnie Tyson



Larry Sanders



Summer days



Barbara Olson



Preston and friend?

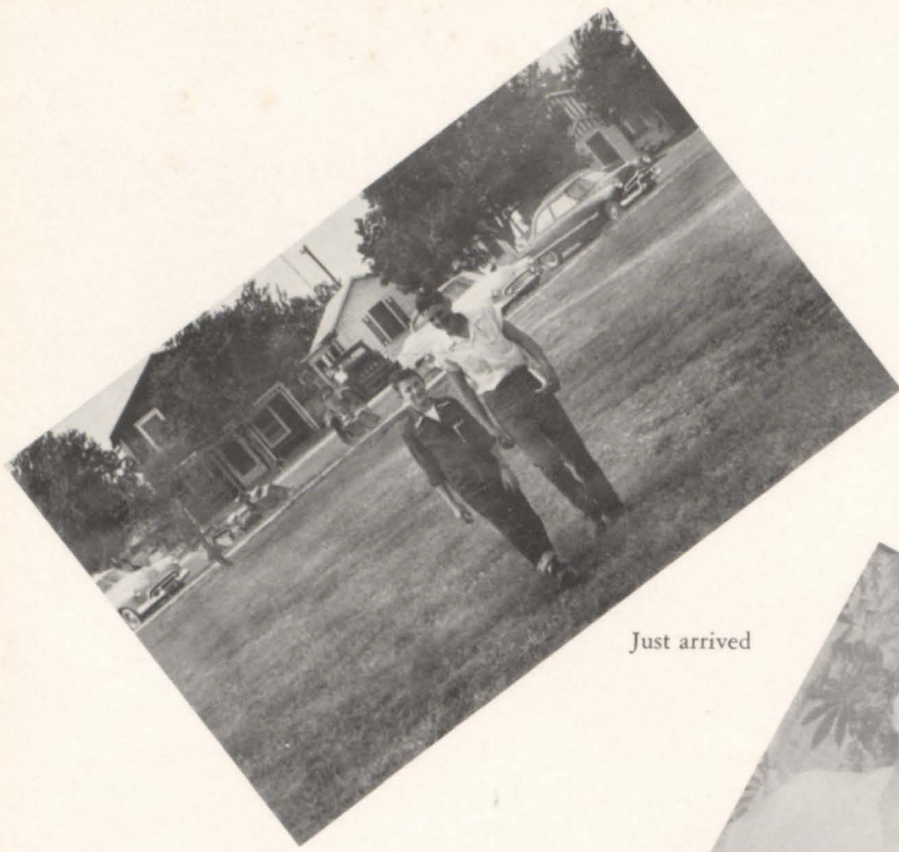


They liked the water

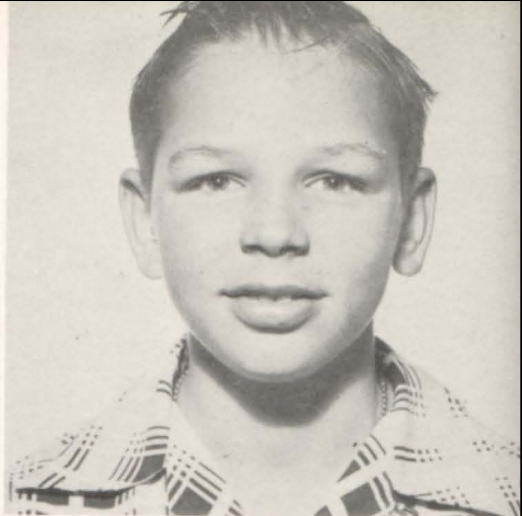


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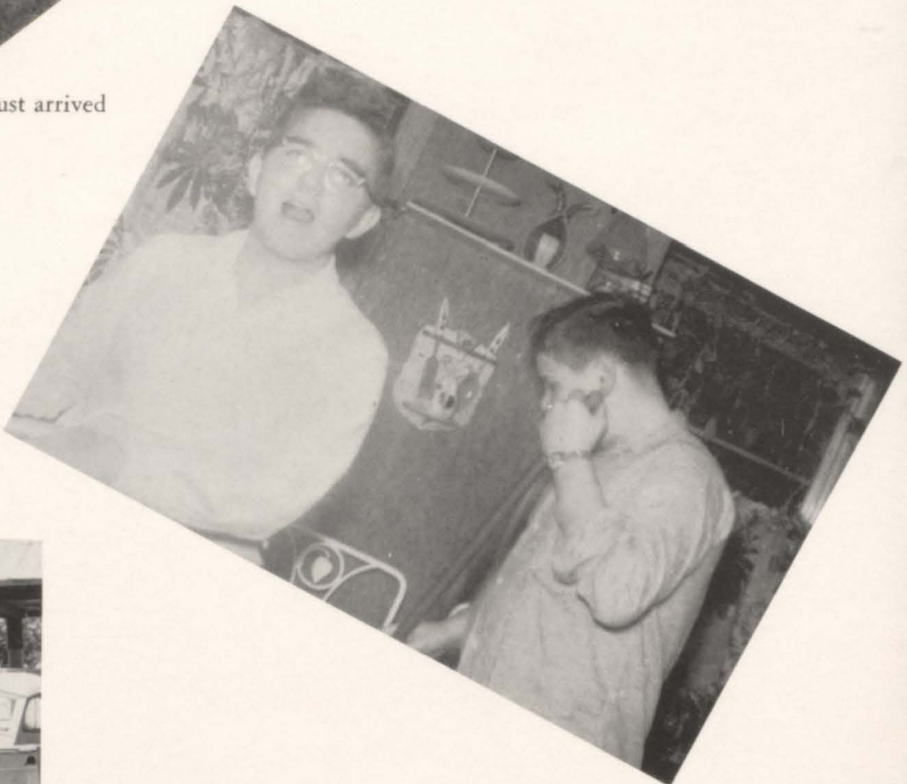




Just arrived



Larry



And he's the brother of?

Mr. Conklin wishes for?



After school



Jody





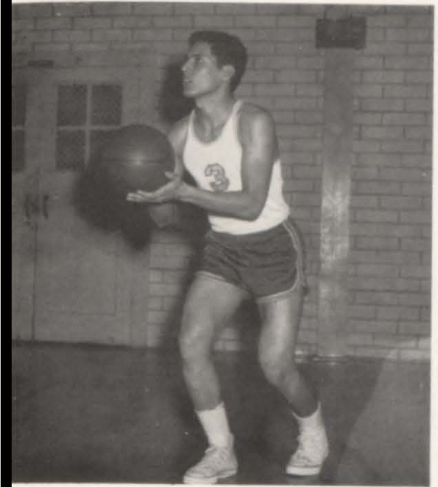
Our favorite English IV teacher



The gang



The reach



Ben



What happen?



Slumber party



Bonnie and Richard



Marvin and Curtiss



Bowie and Mike



Stewart



Miss Cris. specials



The walk





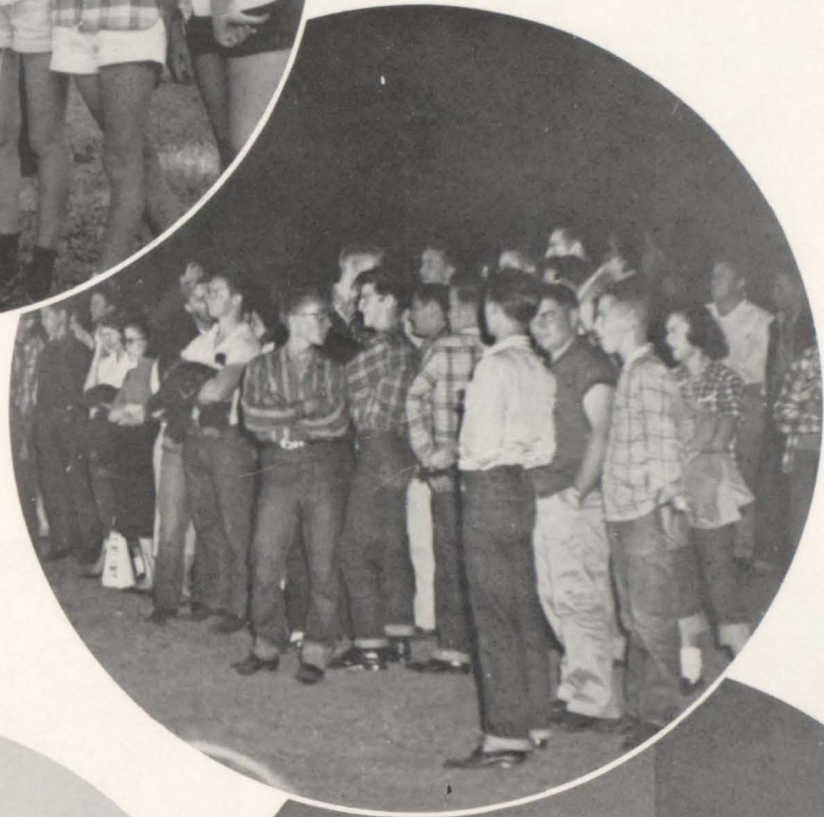
Johnny Polk  
Sallie Milner  
Diann Fults and Frances Hearn  
Miss "Cris"  
Carolyn Sue Keen







The gang's all here



Watching the bonfire



Doris Ann and Charlotte wash dishes



Miss Lankard and Mr. Heubner  
in the faculty play  
"Here Come the Brides"





CAROLE DYE  
Head Cheerleader

*Cheerleaders*



CAROLYN KEEN



DIANE ROSENTHAL



LINDA DARBY



BARBARA LANE



ANN GORDAN



KAY JUSTICE



DIANE FULTS



JERLENE CAIN



LOU ANN DOWNING





CLAUDETTE HINES,  
sophomore sweetheart,  
and her court.



LANETTE SMITH



PRESTON and SHARON



MARY JANE STALLINGS  
and her date

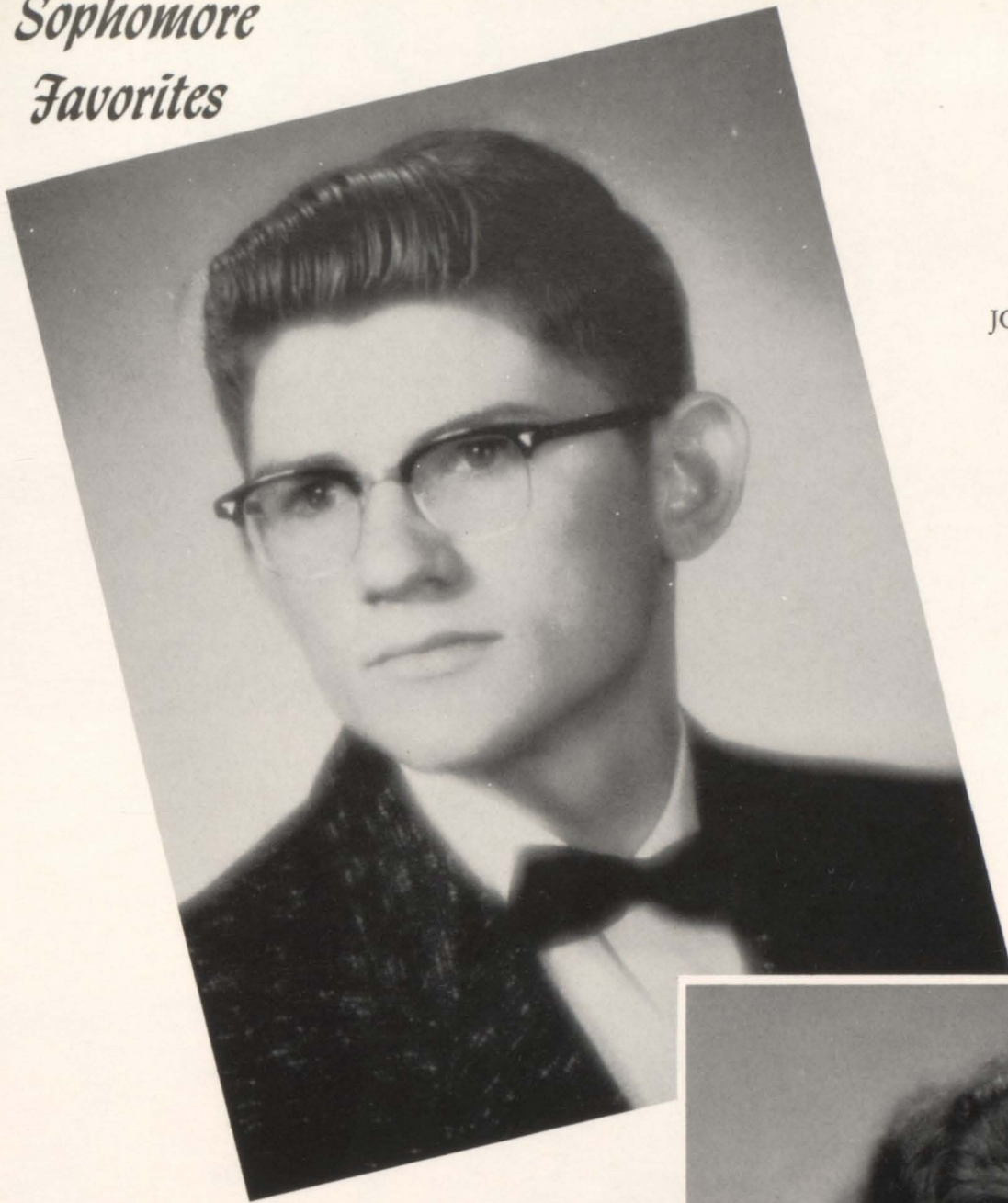




### *Sophomore Class Officers*

The sophomore class elected Billy Heilbrodt their president and Lee Polk their vice president. Bettye Jo Blackwell is their reporter, Barbara Sue Lane, secretary and Sharon Ammons, treasurer.

*Sophomore  
Favorites*



JOHNNIE KOVAR

LOLA ESTLINBAUM





# Sophomores

Karen Lee Abshier  
 Carol Ruth Alford  
 Sharon Ammons  
 Jeanne Anders  
 Hope Arias

James Paul Arnold  
 Lorna Jean Arnold  
 Lucy Aesola  
 David Autrey  
 Elizabeth Barkley

Evelyn Bersh  
 Anne Ella Benedict  
 Edna Louise Benedict  
 Betty Joan Blackwell  
 Charles Blum



Jerry Blum  
 Ruby Braden  
 David Branton  
 Frank Brown  
 Lacreeda Brown

Carol Bullock  
 Lillie Bell Bunton  
 Johnny Byrd  
 Nettie Cain  
 William Carradine

Raymond Chandler  
 John Cheatham  
 William J. Collida  
 James Conroy  
 Patricia Cook

Gwendolyn Cook  
 James O. Cox  
 Joyce Crews  
 Gayle Davis  
 William Davis



# Sophomores

Ada Merle Denton  
Sara Douglas  
Lou Ann Downing  
Drapela Harriet  
Delores Eidlebach

Ronald Elliot  
Essie Ellison  
Lola Ann Estlinbaum  
Doris Lou Falks  
Sidney Fisher

Melvin Fortenberry  
William Franklin  
Gay Frick  
Garrison Albert  
Gayle Gibbs



Charlotte Guzick  
Robert Hagaman  
Howard Ham  
Charles Harrison  
Patsy Ruth Harvey

Lila Ruth Hatchett  
Evelyn Hazelwood  
Johnny Head  
Vera Head  
Billy Heilgbroedt

Ruth Henderson  
Maxine Hibbard  
Brenda Hines  
David Hinman  
Claudia Hoots

Paul Horn  
Judy Hoke  
Charles Hoppe  
James Hubbard  
Carrilea Hudson

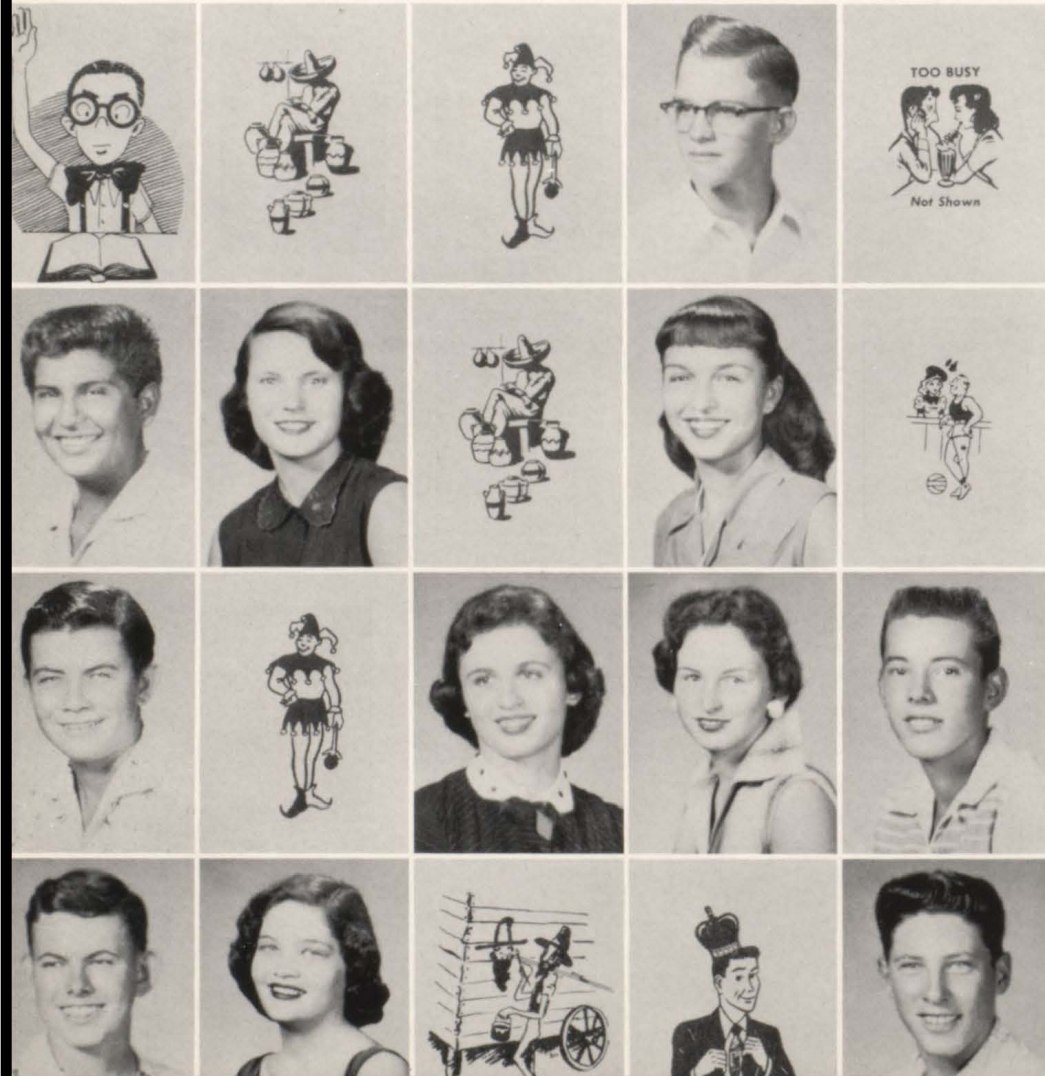


# Sophomores

Curtis Hudson  
Linda Hudson  
Vivian Janise  
Charlotte Kershaw  
George Knebel

Kathrine Knipple  
Johnnie Kovar  
Barbara Lane  
George Lane  
Connie Lankard

Betty Lee  
Patricia Lesikar  
Walter Lowe  
Robert Luna  
Claude Martin



Jack Martin  
Domingo Martinez  
Raymond Martinez  
Kenneth May  
Geneva Nelson

Johnny Mendiola  
Lena Doris Miller  
Irene Montoya  
Minnie Morales  
Jean Morris

Joel Morrow  
Robert Munson  
Frances McClosky  
Paula McCullough  
Tommy McClanahan

George McGuirt  
Nancy Newman  
Tom Orcutt  
Phillip Orr  
William Ottis



# Sophomores

Marshall Patton  
 Joylene Perdue  
 Lee Polk  
 Dorothy Prichoda  
 Cordelia Reed

Victor Richers  
 Merle Beth Riley  
 Walter Ritz  
 Bobby L. Robertson  
 Lanear Robertson

Dianne Rosenthal  
 Hillman Rouse  
 George Sandusky  
 A. L. Seiba  
 Sandra Sewell



Addie Sexton  
 Elva Schietinger  
 Barbara Schuester  
 Patricia Shaw  
 Charles Shivers

Tommie Simpson  
 Gary Slater  
 Neva Sledge  
 Arthur Slone  
 Calvin Smith

Lahette Smith  
 Paul Spitdowski  
 Robert Stewart  
 Aubrey Stephens  
 Molly Stephens

William Stuessy  
 Milton Sutton  
 Ronald Swinford  
 Don Thompson  
 Edwin Thormahlen



# Sophomores

Charlotte Tillman  
 Nora Tweedle  
 Billy Vaughn  
 Martha Vaughn  
 James Victory



Glen Voitle  
 Judy Vowell  
 Jerry Voyles  
 Carolyn Wakefield  
 Carol Walker



Judy Ware  
 Janet Ware  
 Dennis Welfel  
 Arthur Preston Williams  
 Mary Jane Williams



Marvis Wills  
 Joyce Willis  
 Joe Yeamans







Frank Baten



Brother and sister

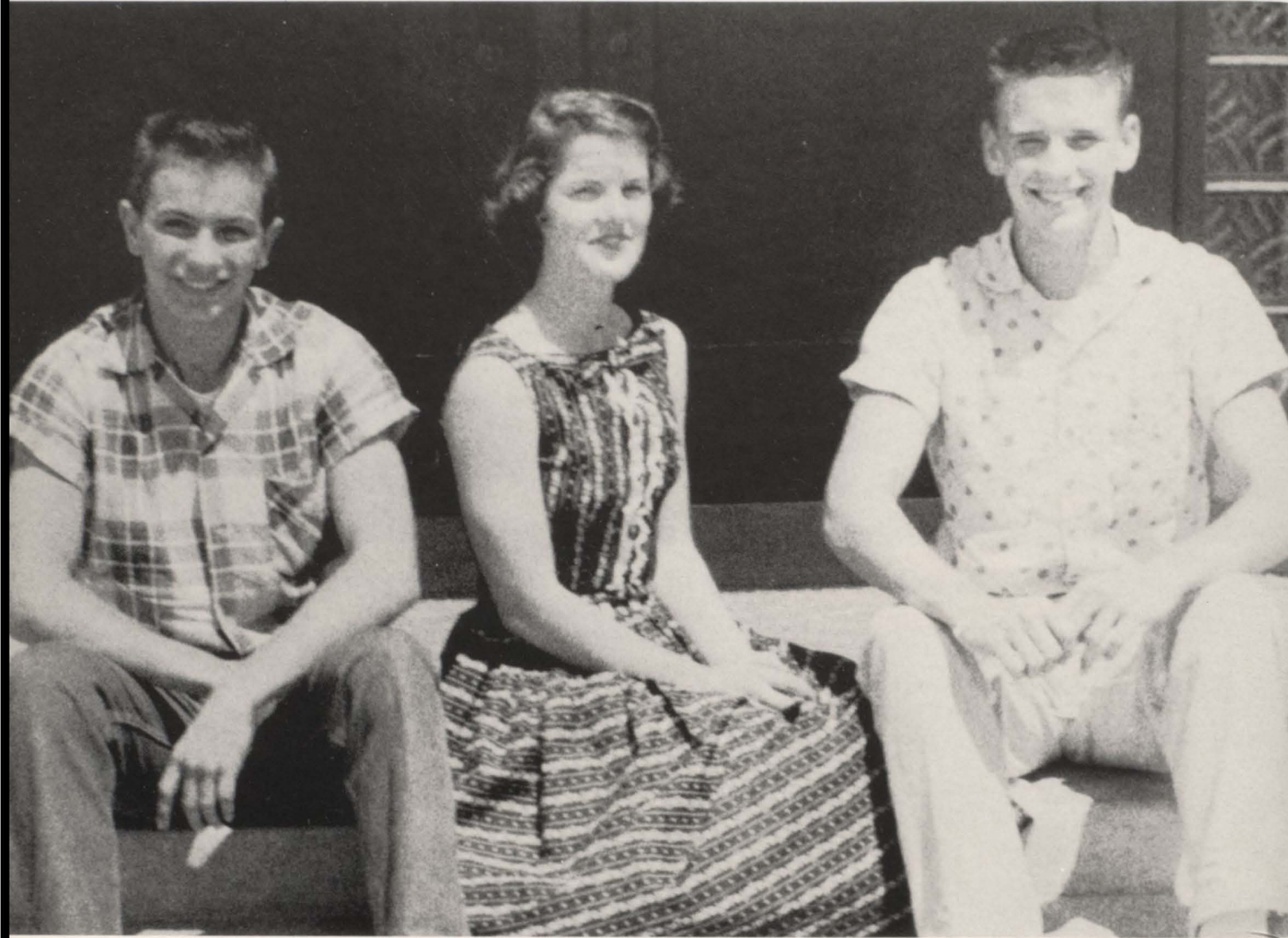


Sweethearts



Mrs. Mac





## *Freshman Officers*

This year, the Freshman class elected as their president Sonny Salter; vice president, Corrine Collins; and Jackie Lee as their secretary.



*Freshman*

*Favorites*

BOBBY ISSACK



KARAN DAEHNE



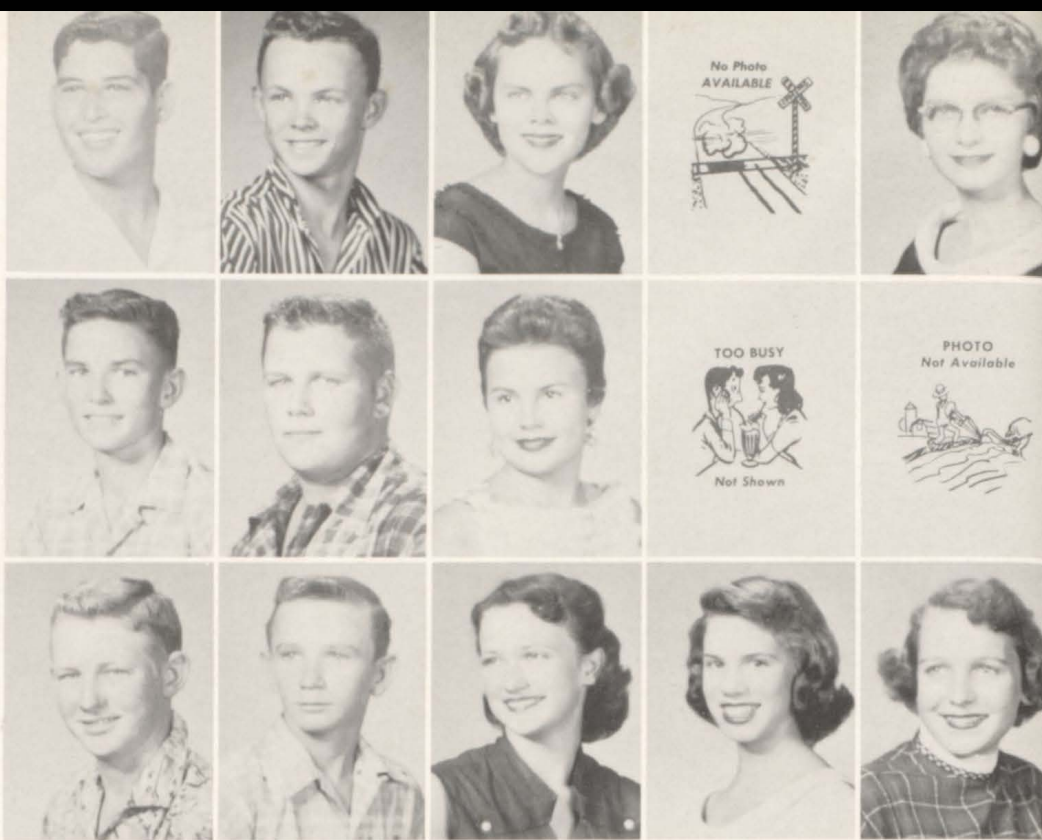


# Freshmen

Michael Allison  
John Anderson  
Katherine Anderson  
Thomas Armatta  
Brenda Aydelotte

Gene Barber  
Philip Baxter  
Barbara Beaty  
Wilton Billeau  
Judy Bird

Stephen Bolling  
Gene Bridges  
Betty Brown  
Martha Lee Brown  
Barbara Broughton



John W. Bucek  
George Bunk  
Henry Bunk  
Dorothy Burr  
Carroll Cantrell



Billy Carroll  
Delores Cerny  
Jerry Clark  
Corrine Collins  
Ronnie Cook



Joe Cordoba  
Jimmy Crabb  
Mack Crain  
Charles Crumm  
Linda Cunningham



Wilma Curtner  
Karen Daehne  
Edward Dornak  
Buz Edge  
Ramon Enriquez



# Freshmen

Erich Johs  
Neil Etie  
Delores Falks  
Edward Falks  
Bill Fehmel

Rebecca Fehmel  
Jeanette Fisher  
Charles Fox  
Billie French  
Patricia Fricke

Balo Gallegos  
Lola Garza  
Margie Gavender  
Nancy Gernand  
Katherine Gernand



Hollis Gibbens  
Carolyn Goodson  
Charles Gosting  
Joe Guthery  
Margie Green



Rebecca Green  
Ann Hagaman  
Charles Hahn  
Frances Hahn  
James Hahn



Donald Hale  
Zenneth Joy Hammock  
Claude Head  
Refugio Hernandez  
Virginia Hernandez



Robert Lee Herreth  
Carol Sue Hildreth  
Jerry Hines  
Irwin Hoke  
Lorraine Holub

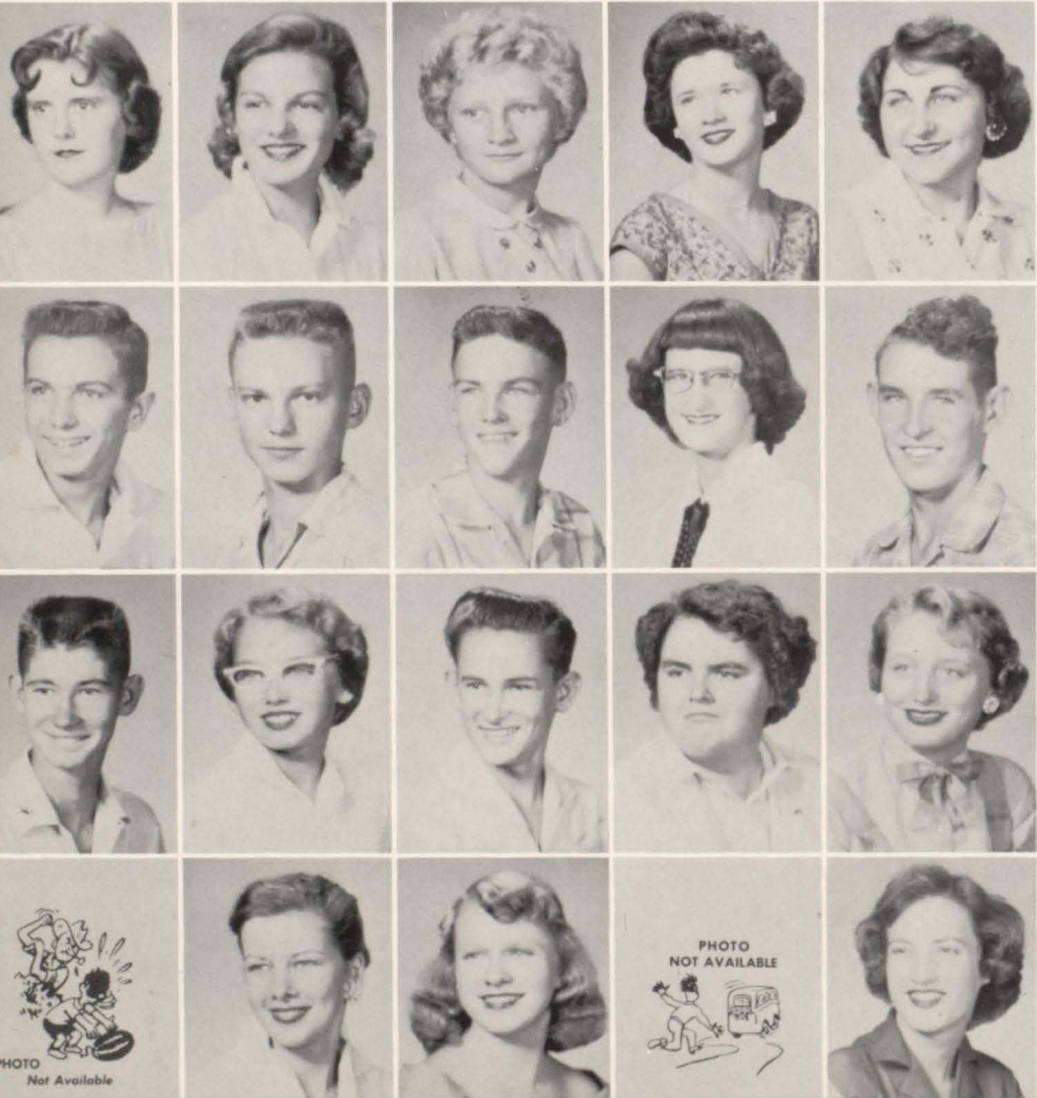


# Freshmen

Margaret Holub  
 Roy Hornbustel  
 James A. House  
 Helen Marie Hoppe  
 Bessie Mae Howell

Robert Issacks  
 Betty Sue Johnson  
 William Johnson  
 Roy Lee Jones  
 Marie Kalinec

Ann Kaseman  
 Peggy Joyce Kelly  
 Brent Kirby  
 Margaret Knost  
 Marvin Koquitt



Laura Lee Landrum  
 Bonnie Jean Lawhon  
 Wyona Jo Lane  
 Laura Dell Lawrence  
 Elizabeth Ledwig

Jack Edward Lee  
 James Robert Loos  
 George Lowe  
 Ada Lee Luna  
 Freddie Atwell Luna

Elic Lyman  
 Mary Machen  
 Clarence L. Manning  
 Lorraine Marshall  
 Ellen Matheny

Jane Matthes  
 Peggy Matthews  
 Gus Meinke  
 Kathleen Meinke  
 Lillie May Meyer

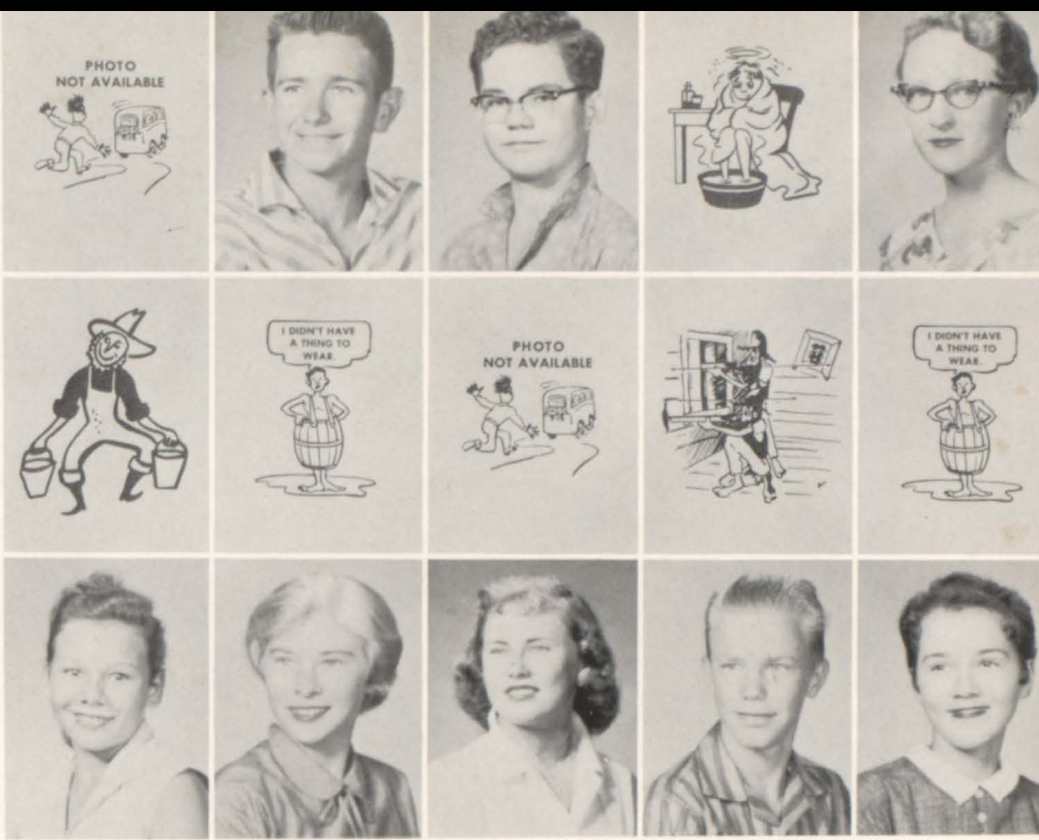


# Freshmen

Barbara Miller  
 Micheal Miller  
 Frank Miska  
 Larry Mitchell  
 Patricia Moberley

Lupe Montoya  
 Elizabeth Morris  
 Felton Munson  
 Tommy McClanahan  
 Barbara McClosky

Joan McDonald  
 Mary McMinn  
 Helen Nelson  
 Curtis Neuman  
 Garry Lou Norris



James Norris  
 Cruz Ochoa  
 Charles Oglesby  
 Lloyd Olinger  
 Almarie Olson

Sandra O'Neal  
 Rene Patterson  
 Zona Payne  
 John Polk  
 Carole Ann Powell

Dorothy Prichoda  
 Johnny Rameriz  
 Ann Rakestraw  
 Rebecca Reading  
 Donald Richardson

Louis Richers  
 Billy Rodgers  
 Bertha Rodriguez  
 Lena Eileen Rooth  
 Melvin Rouse



# Freshmen

Wright Orvid Salter  
 Marie Sanchez  
 Larry Sanders  
 Linda Seerden  
 Henry Seifort

Richard Serrill  
 Henry Sherrer  
 John Sherrer  
 Marsha Shoultz  
 Micheal Simpson

Horace Smith  
 Robert Smith  
 Barbara Spencer  
 Paul Spيتدowski  
 William Stallings



Sarah Stanley  
 James Stavinola  
 William Sterling  
 Savanna Steves  
 Sharon Strunk

Dorothy Thrope  
 Lorraine Tibbetts  
 Betty Tweedle  
 Ronnie Vannoy  
 Franklin Volkmer

Patrick Wade  
 Valline Walleck  
 Donelda Sue Walling  
 Billy Ray Ware  
 Jane Welborn

Eugene Alvin Welfel  
 Margie Williams  
 Jane Williamson  
 Dorothy Willis  
 Mamie Yanez





KATHLEEN BIRKNER

*Homecoming Queen*



# Sports

## *Bi-District Champion Basketball Team*



First row: Burroughs, Muniz, Critendon, Mendez, Krystinik. Second row: Huitt, Genzer, L. Augsburger, H. Augsburger, Batten, Franks, Falks.

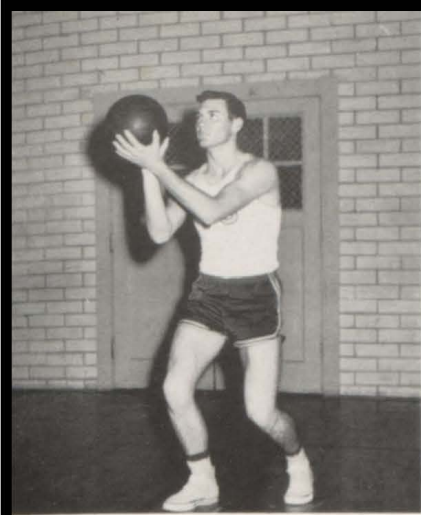
This year our Basketball Boys did a winning job under the leadership of Coach Sam Magletto and Coach Orlando Schraub.

There was a larger attendance at each game this year than in the past.

The student body takes this opportunity to congratulate the boys of the team on their sportsmanship and a job well done.







PRESTON FRANKS



JERRY GENZER



LARRY HUITT



JOHNNY BURROUGHS

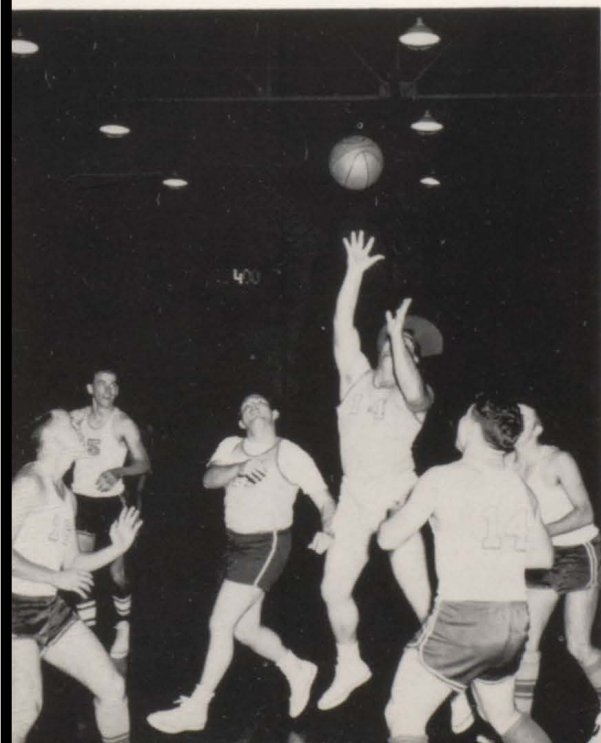


ROMEO MENDES



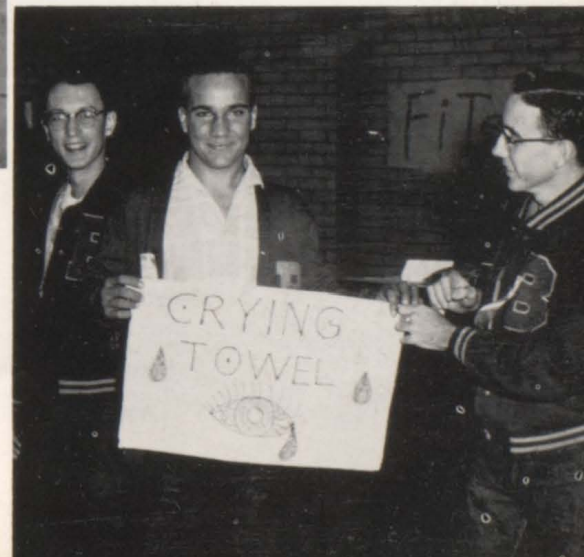
HARPER AUGSBERGER

Varsity-Faculty game



DONALD FALKS

Michael Wade, Billy Heiligbrodt, David Stewart.







Coach, DON HALEY



Manager, MIKE WADE



Manager, DAVID STEWART

## Football



Could this be the Wharton game?



West Columbia game



Manager, FRANKIE KASMEN



Guess what game this is?

Our HIGH SCHOOL COACHES  
 Coach Don Haley, Coach Joe Rogers, Coach Sam Magletto, and Coach Orlando Schraub.

DISTRICT COMPETITION  
 Lamar of Rosenberg  
 LaMarque high school  
 El Campo high school  
 Alvin high school  
 Bay City high school

DISTRICT 26AAA.



# Football

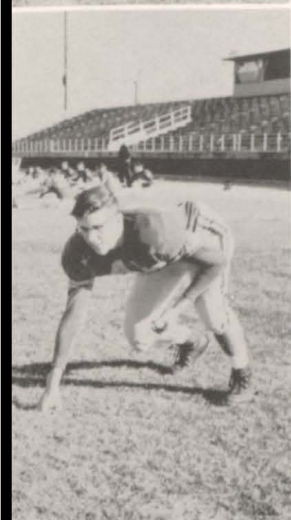


DAVID KRYSSTINIK  
Lineman

LARRY HUITT  
Lineman

ROBERT PATTON  
Lineman

JOHN ESTLINBAUN  
Lineman



JERRY WOODS  
Lineman

BEN MUNIZ  
Back

BILLY DYAL  
Back

GYNN ETIE  
Lineman



LON DRAPER  
Lineman

BOBBIE CRITENDON  
Back

DON JONES  
Back

BILLY HEILENBRODGT  
Lineman



JIMMY ROTHER  
Lineman

GREGORY KNOST  
Lineman





# Football

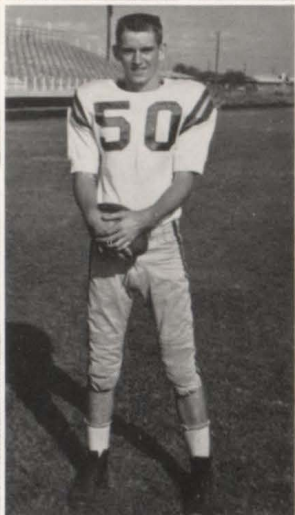
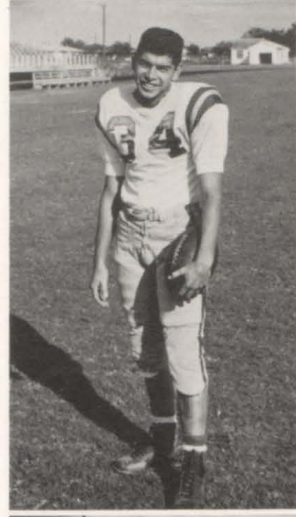


COACH ROGERS  
Assistant Coach

PRESTON FRANKS  
Lineman

GILBERT ACOSTA  
Back

CARL BAILEY  
Lineman

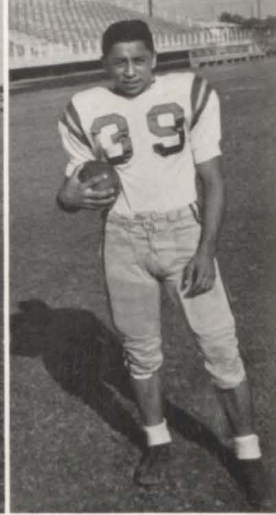


GARY LINDERMAN  
Lineman

FRANK BATEN  
Back

DOMINGO MARTINEZ  
Back

ROMEO MENDES  
Back



LARRY AUGSBERGER  
Lineman

GARY SLATER  
Back

BOWIE VAUGHN  
Lineman

CHARLES SHIVERS  
Lineman



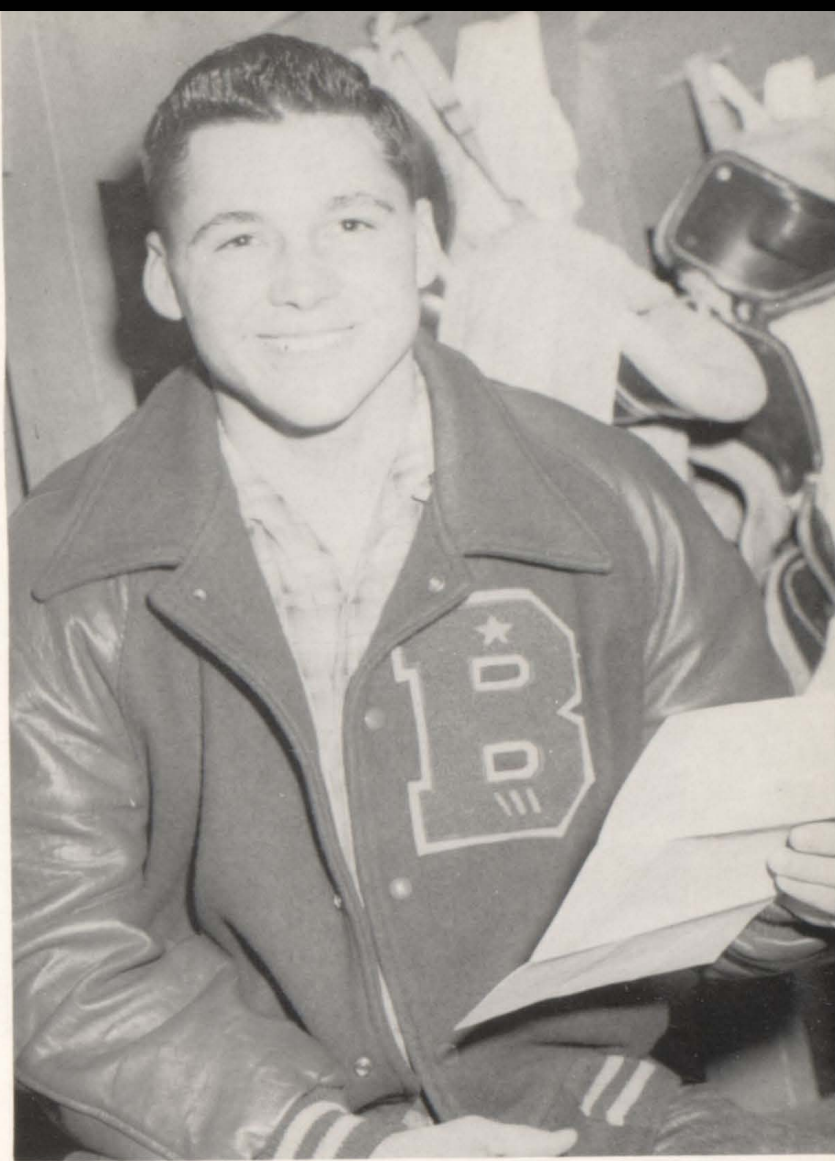
RAYMOND HERNANDEZ  
Lineman

JOE COLLIDA  
Back





David Krystinik reads over the letter he received telling him that he had been selected to play on the all-state team on August 9 in Dallas.



Another champion team for the Black Cats is the 1957 track squad under the coaching of Coach Joe Rogers. Harper Augusberger going all the way to fifth place at state meet in Austin.



# Sports



## GOLF

Vaughn, Dyal, Steves, Estlin-  
baum, Kaseman, Scott, Etie,  
Horton, Salter and Vaughn.



"HOOTIE"



"STEVE"

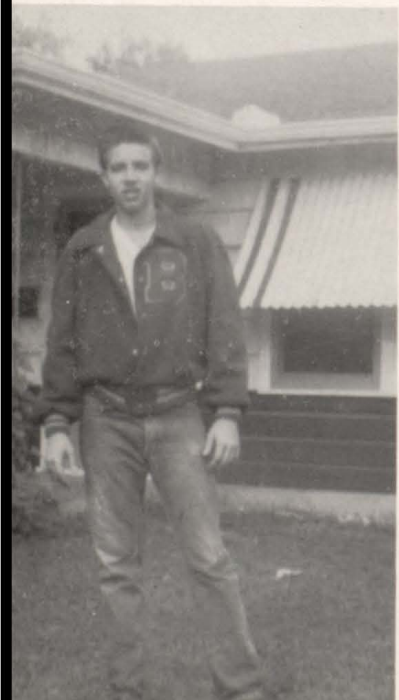


"BILLY"

BOBBY AMMONS



NELSON BROWN  
*Football Manager*

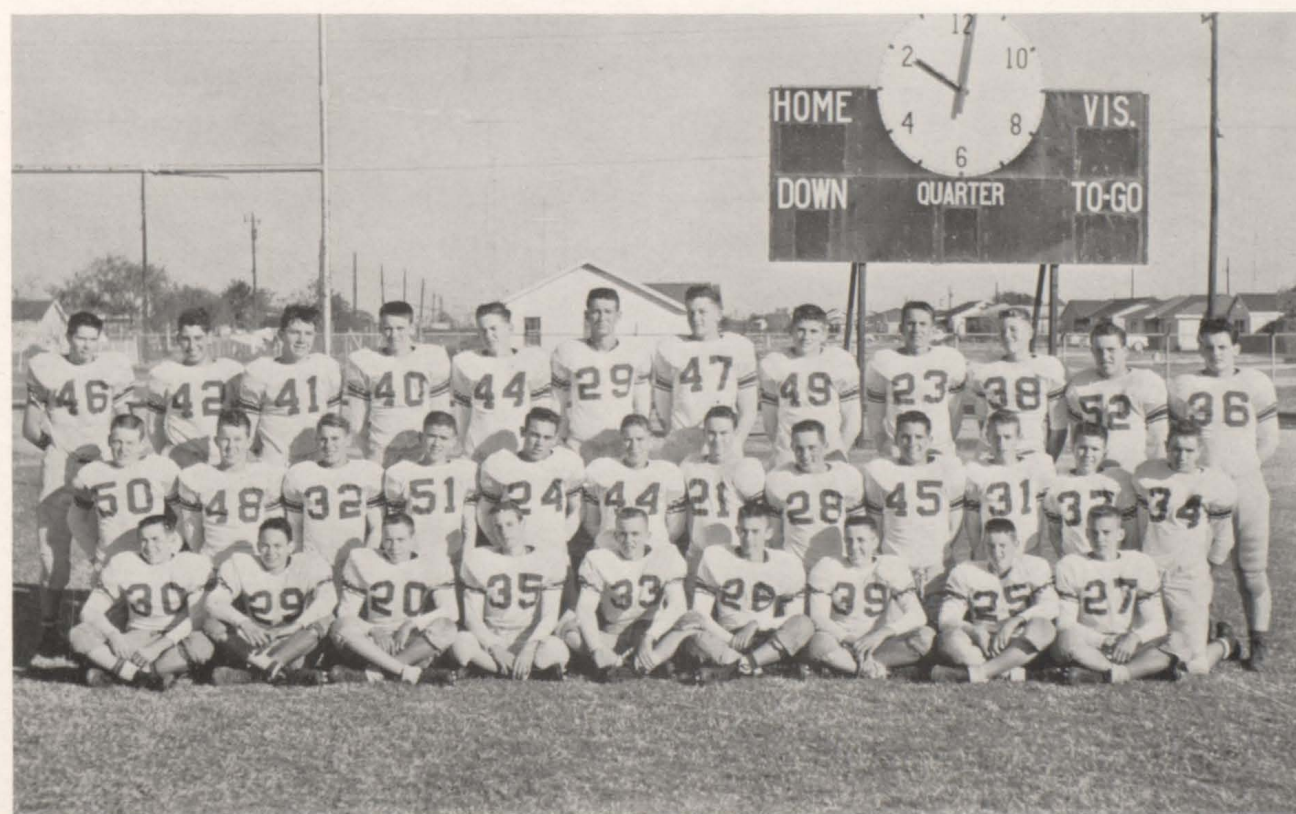






### *Champions*

The 1957 Black Cat Baseball squad were the district champions. Coach Don Haley coached the boys to a very successful year.



### *The Boys of the "B" Team*





"B" Team



BETTY MEADOW



ALICE FRANKLIN

# Girls' Basketball



"A" Team



CHARLOTTE LUKEFAHR



JEANNETTE HOLLOWAY



CATHY BIRKNER



JO ORSAG

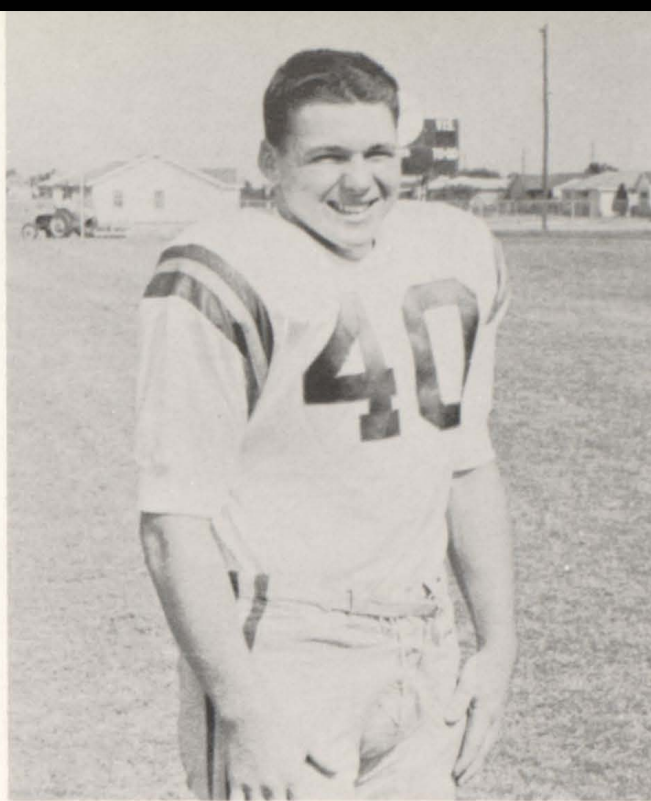


CHELETE DOLLAR



CORRINE COLLINS





Each year the Bay City Tribune awards to the outstanding athlete a trophy. This year David Krystinik won the award for his outstanding record on the football field and in good sportsmanship.



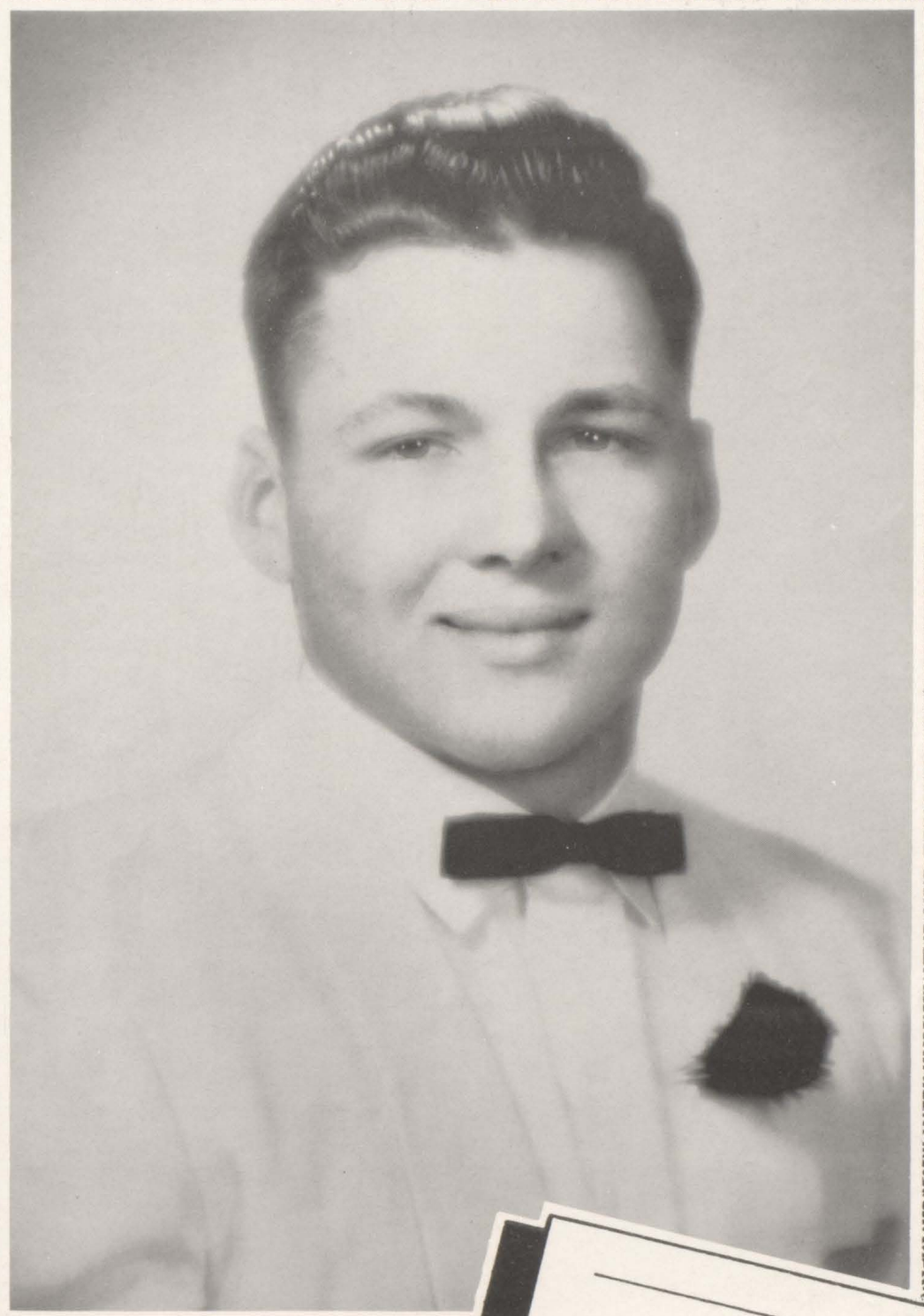
ANN GORDON, *Football Sweetheart*





*Favorite Section*





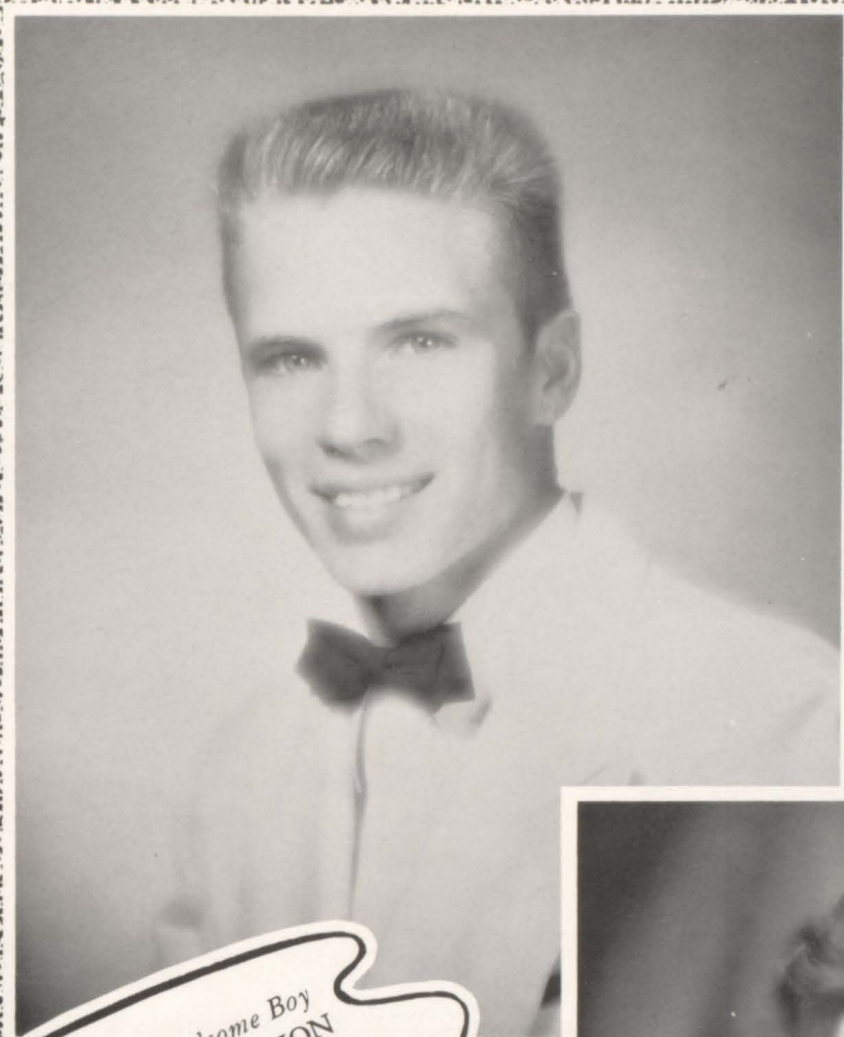
*Mr. Bay City High*  
DAVID KRYSTINIK





*Miss BCHS*  
CAROL DYE



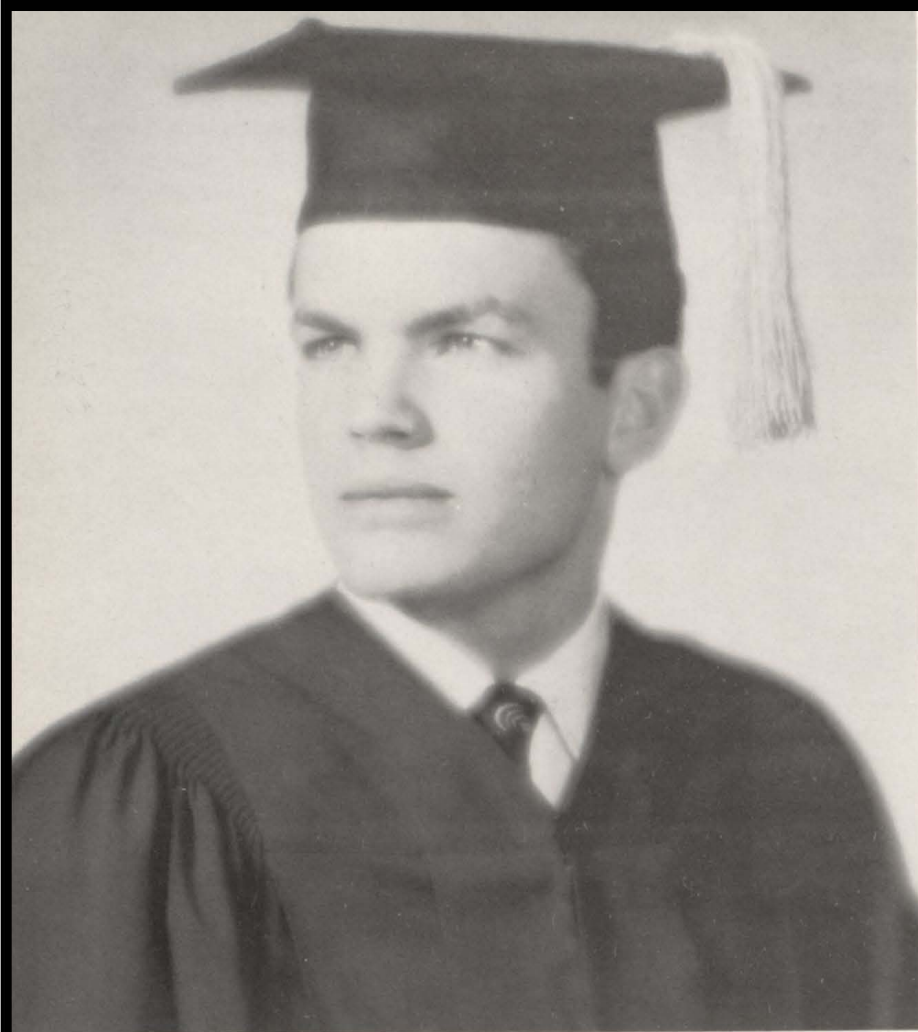


*Most Handsome Boy*  
TOMMY CASHION



*Most Beautiful Girl*  
KATHLEEN BIRKNER





*Most Dependable Boy*  
WORTHAM SMITH

Wortham, during his junior year, was editor of the annual and was elected president of the Senior Class.

*Most Dependable Girl*  
CHLOE RUGELY

Chloe has served on the annual staff for the last two years and this year was a member of the Cat's Tale Staff.







SENIOR WHO'S WHO

David Stewart, Chloe Rugely, Larry Huitt, Wortham Smith, David Krystinik.



JUNIOR WHO'S WHO

Bobbie Critendon, Marion Roe, Frank Baten, Carl Bailey, Romeo Mendez.



Billy Heiligbrodt, Barbara Lane, Elva Schietinger.



CAROLYN SUE KEEN, *F.F.A. Sweetheart*





CHLOE RUGELEY  
*Valedictorian*



CAROLYN SUE KEEN  
*Salutatorian*



## *Student Council Officers*

LARRY HUITT, *President*

BOBBIE CRITENDON, *Vice President*

CARROLL CANTRELL, *Chaplain*



## *Student Council*

Through the efforts of the student governing body, the Student Council, a new flag was purchased and placed in the new Auditorium for use in assembly programs. A new sidewalk was built and each member of the council placed their name in the cement.

The council sponsored and financed the Homecoming Activities and served as ushers during National Education Week. This group was also responsible for the dunking stand at the Rice Festival Activities.





### AERONAUTICS

MRS. MARY VALON, *Sponsor*

This Club is made up of juniors and seniors who are taking a course in aeronautics.

The group has made several flying trips to Houston, Palacios and other points of interest during the school term. The class meets the first period in the morning.



### THE CAT'S TALE STAFF

MRS. MARY VALON, *Sponsor*

Dona Barbour, Martha McIntosh, Clydene Dodd, Myrna Uher, Rosemary Ryman, Barbara Graham, Hazel Williams, Kay Justice and Bettye Jean McKelvy. Not pictured is Chloe Rugely.



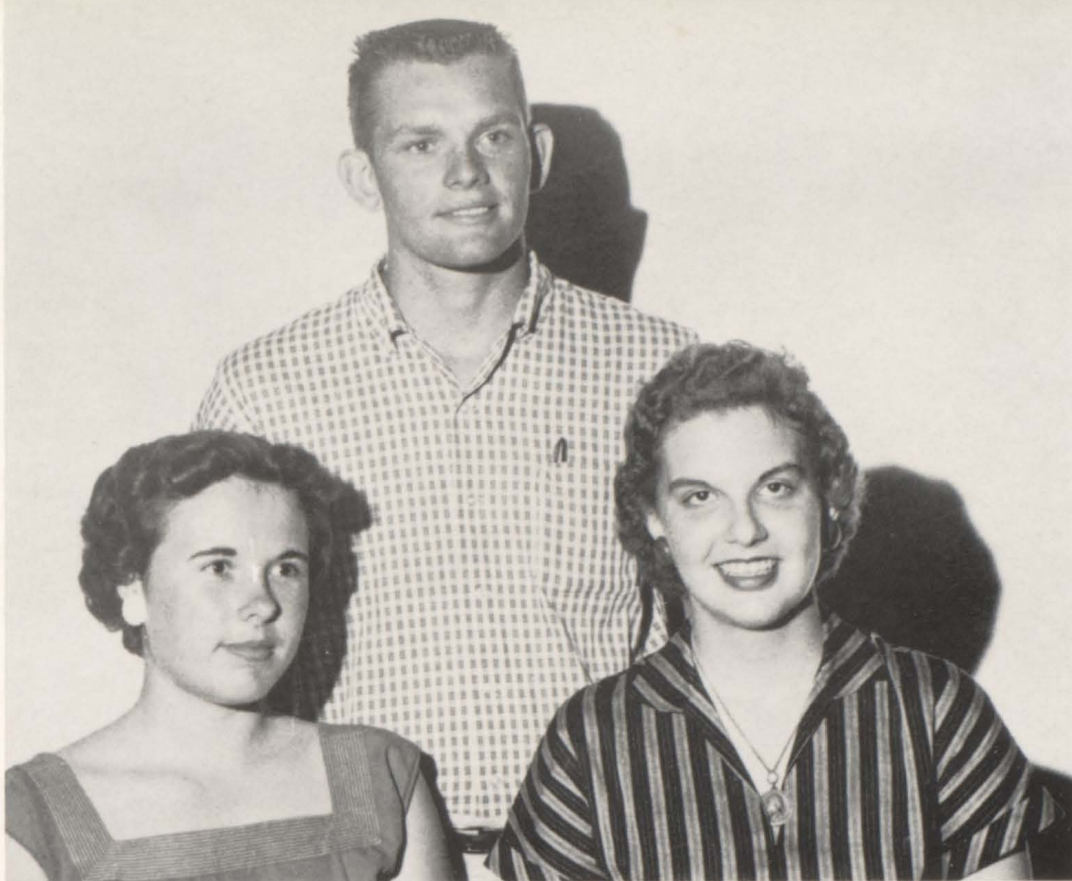
### PHYSICS CLASS

The physics class is taught by Mr. Jack Heubner. Carolyn Sue Keen happens to be the only girl among the class of boys.

### BUSINESS OFFICE STAFF

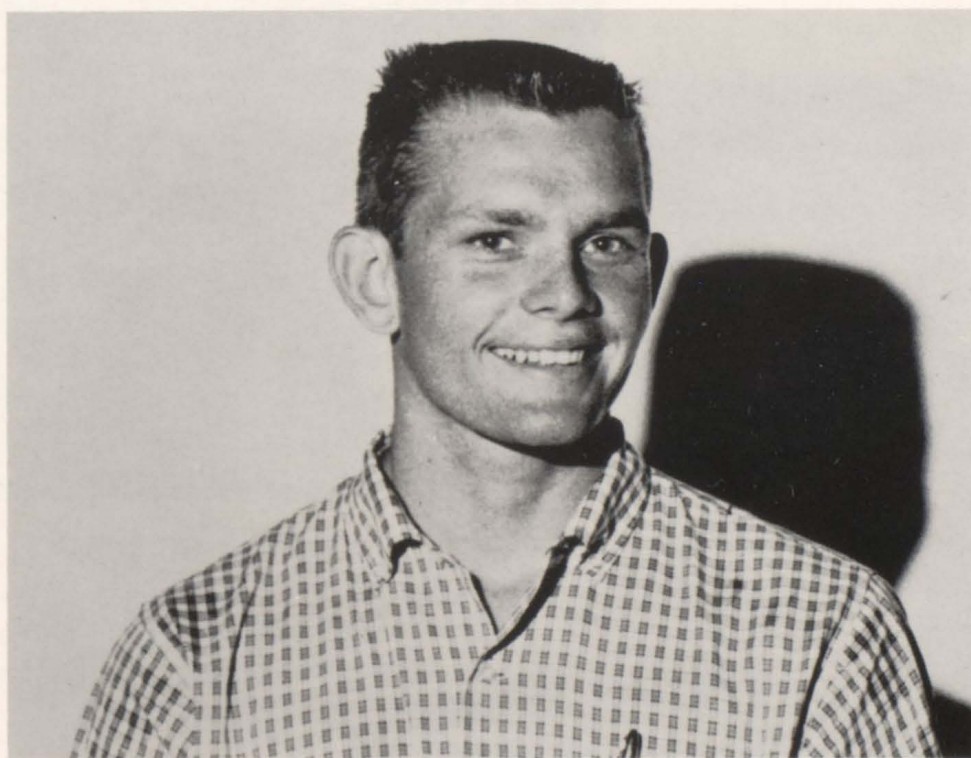
The business office is sponsored by Mr. Vance B. McDonald.





#### THE HONOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This year a new award was announced. Larry Huitt, Chloe Rugeley, and Barbara Graham were announced to be the three top ranking members of the National Honor Society. Their selection was based on the number of points accumulated during their high school years. The points were gained by their scholarship and leadership in their school and community.



LARRY HUITT  
*Band and Pep Squad Sweetheart*





John Cleveland, Jimmy Williams, and Elizabeth Dickey are the students who are responsible for the Photography for the Annual.



Carl Bailey, Junior boy, elected by the faculty to represent our high school at Boys' State.

Bobbie Ray Critendon was also elected by the faculty to represent us at Boys' State.



#### SCIENCE HONOR STUDENTS

Johnny Head, Diane Rosenthal, Luann Downing, Karan Abshier, Billy Heiligbrodt, Nancy Seerden, Pat Lesikar, June Findley, Peggy Eggleston, Charlotte Guzek.

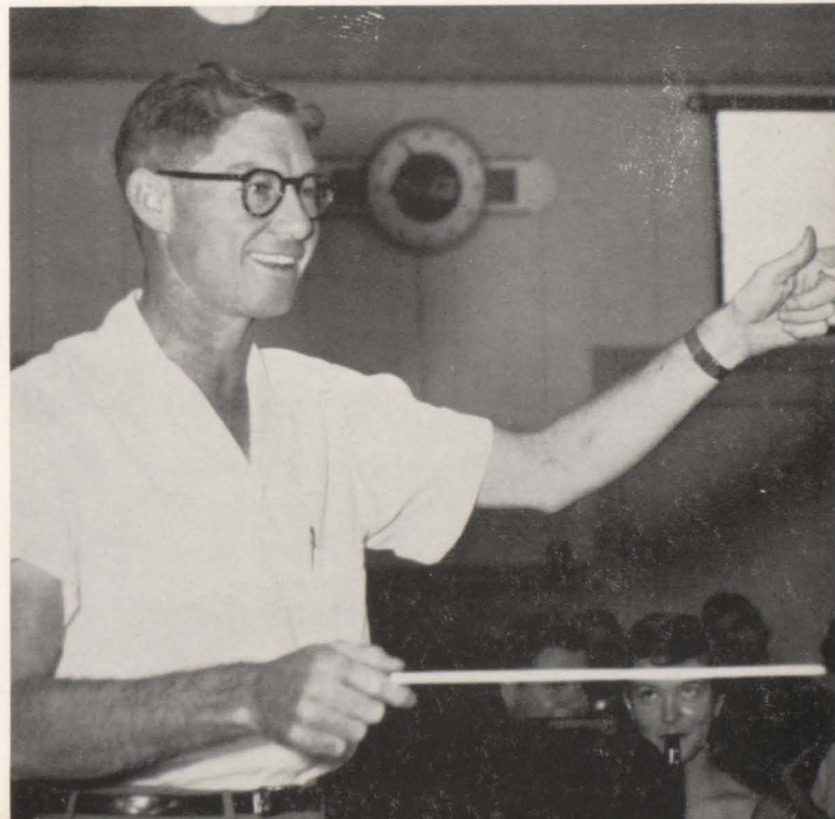






*"That Famous Black Cat Band"*

MR. JIMMY BARRON  
*Director of the Black Cat Band*







## *Regional Band Members*

Lewis Steves, Billy Vaughn, Carrol Cantrel, Kathleen Birkner, Joy Kay Rogers, Patsy Harvey, Peggy Kelly, Melvin Russell, Elva Schietinger.

CAROL ANN WALKER

CORDELIA REED

SHARON AMMONS





KATHLEEN BIRKNER  
*Drum Major*



PAT HARDY



JUDY VOWELL



DORIS RAGUS  
*Head Twirler*



LOLA ESTLINBAUN





## *The High School Choir Is Under the Direction of Mr. Phil Point.*

The Choir left on a Sunday morning this year as they began their spring tour. The Choir used Tyler as a central base and branched out to other towns. Sunday night, they journeyed to Hawkins, Mr. Point's home town, and sang in the First Baptist Church. Afterwards the young people of the town entertained with a party. Monday morning, they sang in one of the high schools in Longview, and Monday afternoon the Choir was on television. Tuesday morning, they sang at Tyler High School, then Tyler Junior College, and then began the journey home. The Choir traveled along the beautiful Dogwood Trail and sang at Frankston on the return trip. Everyone agreed it was a *great* trip!





FOREIGN LANGUAGE CLUB OFFICERS

Billy Dyal, Wortham Smith, Roger Reedy, David Stewart, Jo Ann Kovar, Mike Wade, and Frances Hearn.





## *The National Honor Society*

David Krystinik, Jerry Genzer, Billy Dyal, Lewis Steves, Mike Wade, Franklin Krobot.  
Second row: Barbara Graham, Frances Friday, Barbara Olson, Georgia Ann Sweeny,  
Patricia Hardy, Peggy Eggleston. Third row: Barbara Blum, Nancy Seerden, Doris Ann  
Barr, Ann Gordon, Betty Faye Meadow, Marian Roe, Carolyn Sue Keen. Bottom row:  
Myrna Uher, Chelette Dollar, Frances Hearn, Doris Ragus, June Findley. Not pictured:  
Chloe Rugeley.





F.H.A. OFFICERS

MRS. VI SULLIVAN, *sponsor*



MRS. EDITH SMITH, *sponsor*





## *Future Homemakers of America*

### BETTY CROCKER AWARD WINNER

Miss Georgiann Sweeny was the Bay City high school winner of the Betty Crocker award. The test was given in 11,000 high schools over the United States and Canada. She was awarded a beautiful pen designed by Trafari. Georgiann is a member of National Honor Society, Secretary of F.H.A. and A Cappella Choir.







#### BROTHER AND SISTER TEAM

Patsy and John Voss McCrosky are not only well known in Bay City high school but throughout Matagorda County.

Patsy is president of F.H.A. and was nominated as a candidate for Area Treasurer of the Area F.H.A.

John Voss is president of the F.F.A. and takes a leading part in F.F.A. activities in the Area as well as the local chapter.

Outstanding group







## *Future Farmers of America*

MISS CAROLYN SUE KING, *Sweetheart*

### MEMBERS

John Anderson, James Arnold, John Bucek, Mack Crain, Ed Falks, Leoane Fisher, James Hahn, Robert Herreth, Eric Johs, Felton Munson, Melvin Rouse, Mike Simpson, Billy Ware, George McGuirt, George Agnew, Kenneth May, James Hubbard, Gary Slater, Irvin Hoke, Balo Gallegos, Ronnie Swinford, Gerald Ludwig, William Franklin, E. J. Thormaehlen, Henry Seifert, Calvin Smith, Aubrey Stephens, James Smith, Ronnie Tyson, John Mohon, George Fanson, Mack Byrd, Claude Gay, Kim Horton, Johnny Mendiola, Johnny Langston, Gene Cole, Harvey Hayman.





F.F.A. OFFICERS

President ..... JOHN VOSS McCROSKY  
 Vice President ..... DAVID SLONE  
 Secretary ..... JOHNNY MOHON  
 Treasurer ..... HOWARD HAM  
 Reporter ..... JOE ED GATES



MACK BYRD  
 Berk Duroc Cross Hog



LEOANE FISHER  
 Berkshire hog  
 ERIC JOHS  
 Poland China hog



MACK BYRD  
 Hereford calf  
 HENRY SEIFERT  
 Duroc hog



JOHN BUCEK  
 ROBERT HERRETH  
 Duroc hog







FELTON MUNSON  
Santa Gertrudis Calf  
JAMES ARNOLD  
Berkshire hog



AUBREY STEVENS  
White Rock fryers



JOHNNY ENRIQUES  
White Rock Chickens



JAMES SMITH  
White Rock fryers



HENRY SEIFERT  
Brahman Cross  
MIKE SIMPSON



BILLY WARE  
White Rock Fryer  
MACK CRAIN  
White Rock Chicken

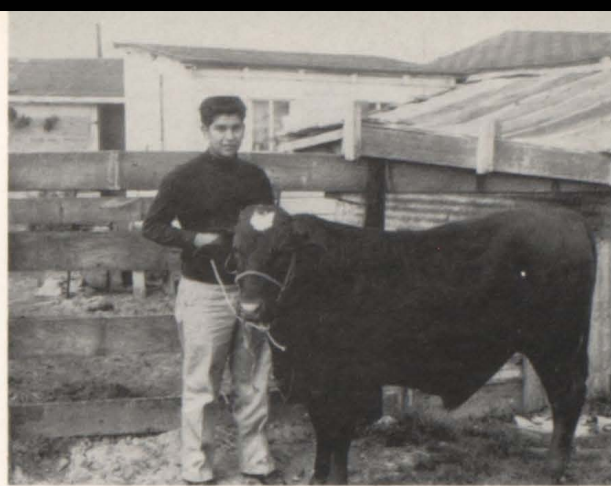






GEORGE AGNEW  
Brahman Calf

JOHNNY MENDIOLA  
Santa Gertrudis Calf



KENNETH MAY  
Duroc hog

MELVIN ROUSE  
Berkshire hog



JOEL MORROW  
White Cornish  
Cross Chickens

GEORGE MCGUIRT  
White Cornish Cross



WILLIAM FRANKLIN  
Hog

WILLIAM FRANKLIN  
Brahman

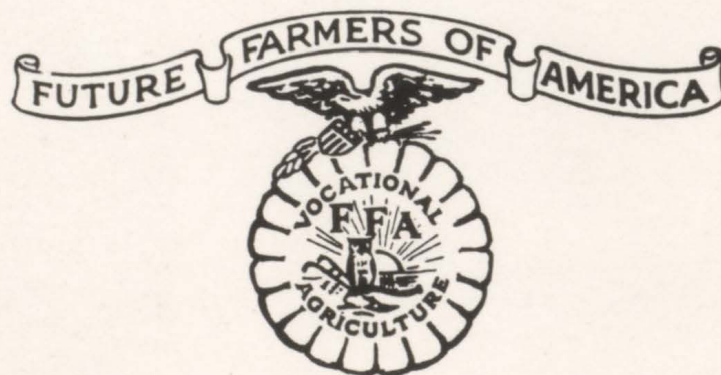




Bay City F.F.A. Awards, given at their Father and Son Banquet May 16, 1957.

## *Awards*

1. Soil and Water Management—George Agnew
2. Farm Electrification—Joe Ed Gates
3. Chapter Star Farmer—Most Projects (Five)—David Slone
4. Farm Mechanics—George Fanson
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9. Beef Cattle—Gene Cole
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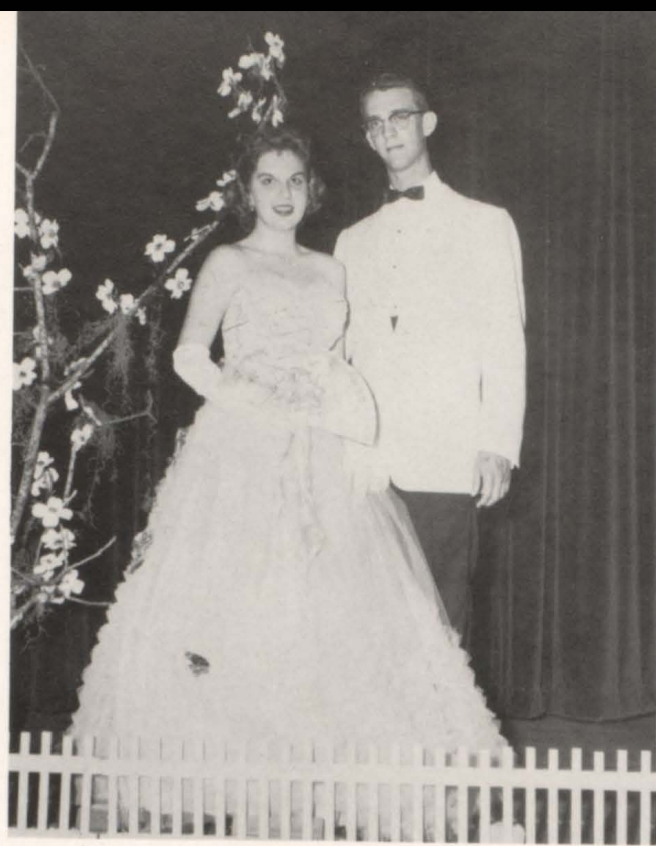


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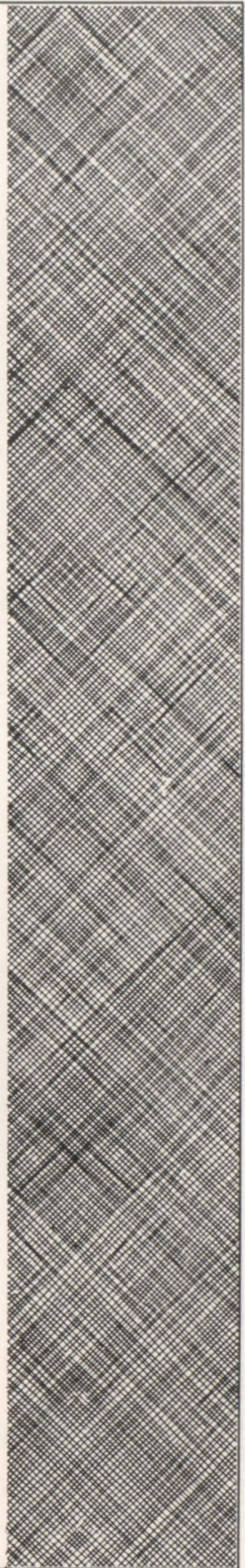
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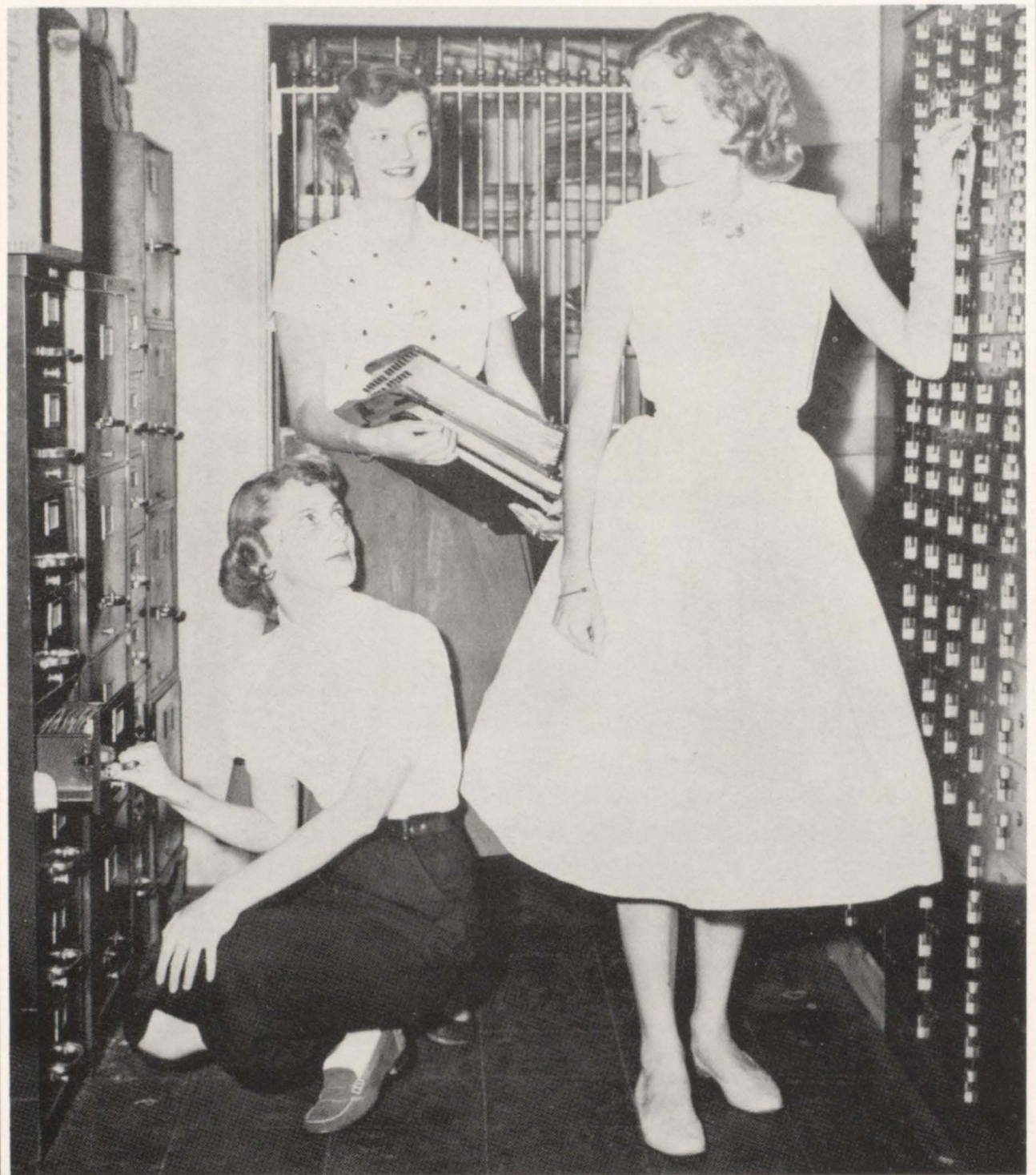




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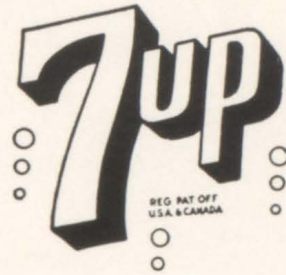
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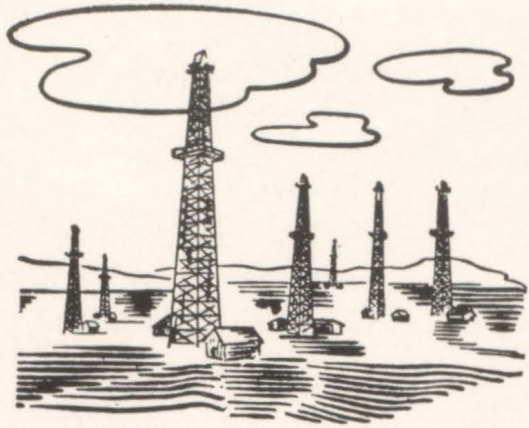




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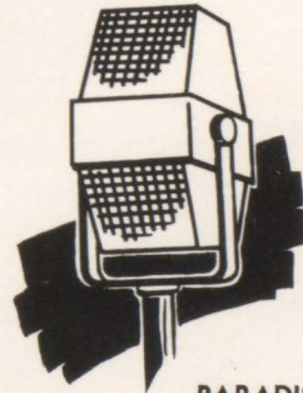
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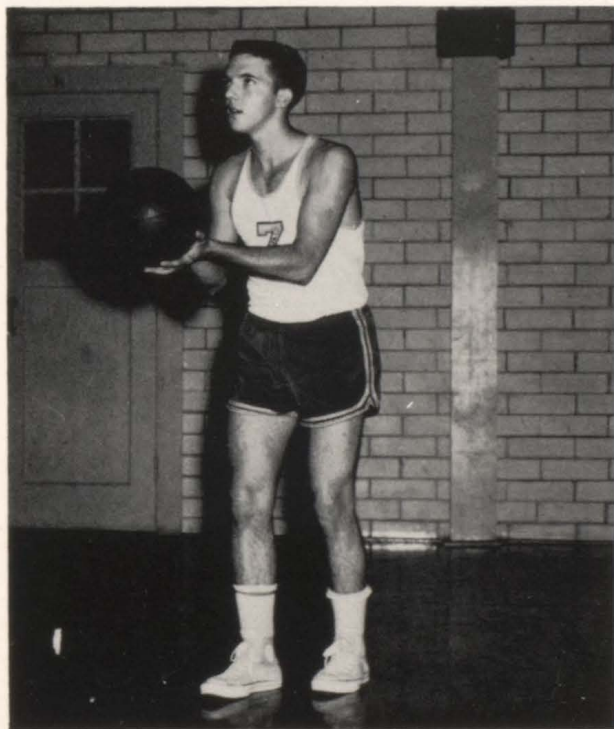




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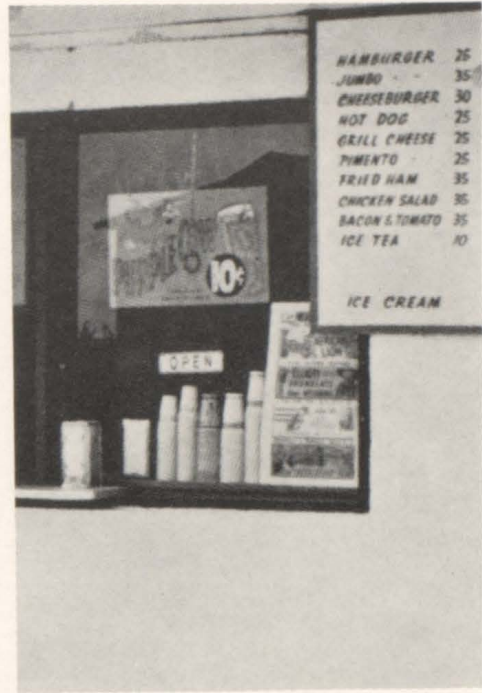
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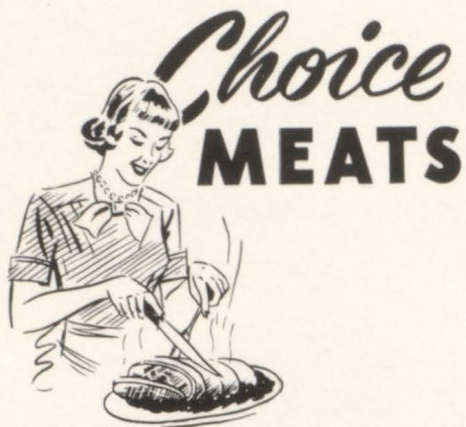
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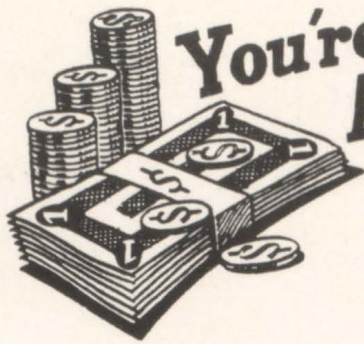


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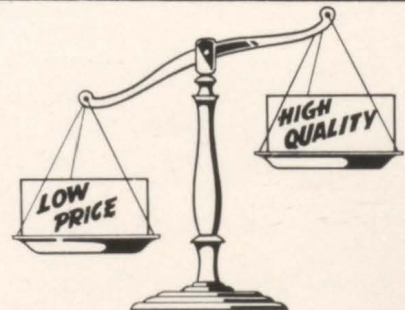
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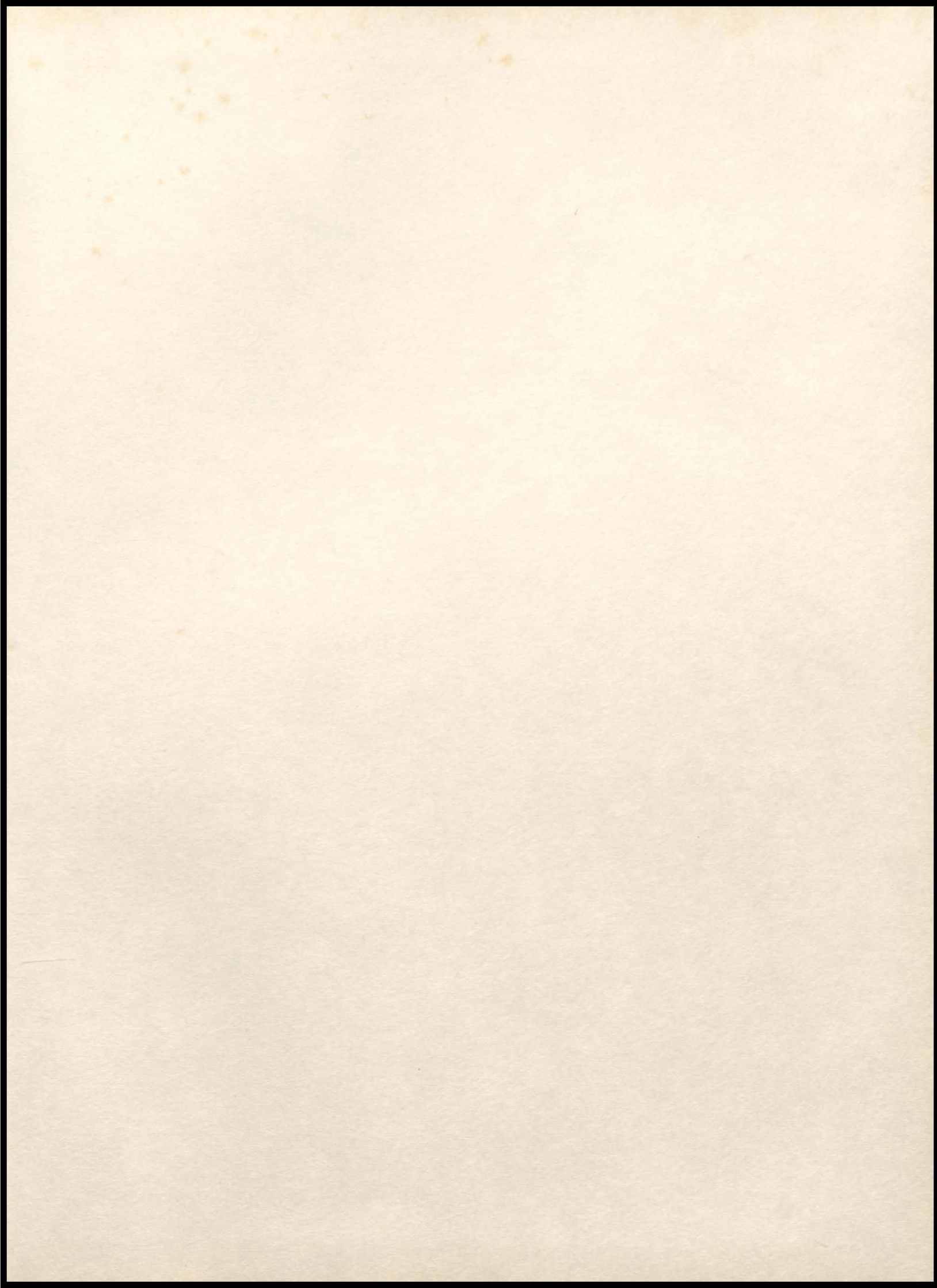


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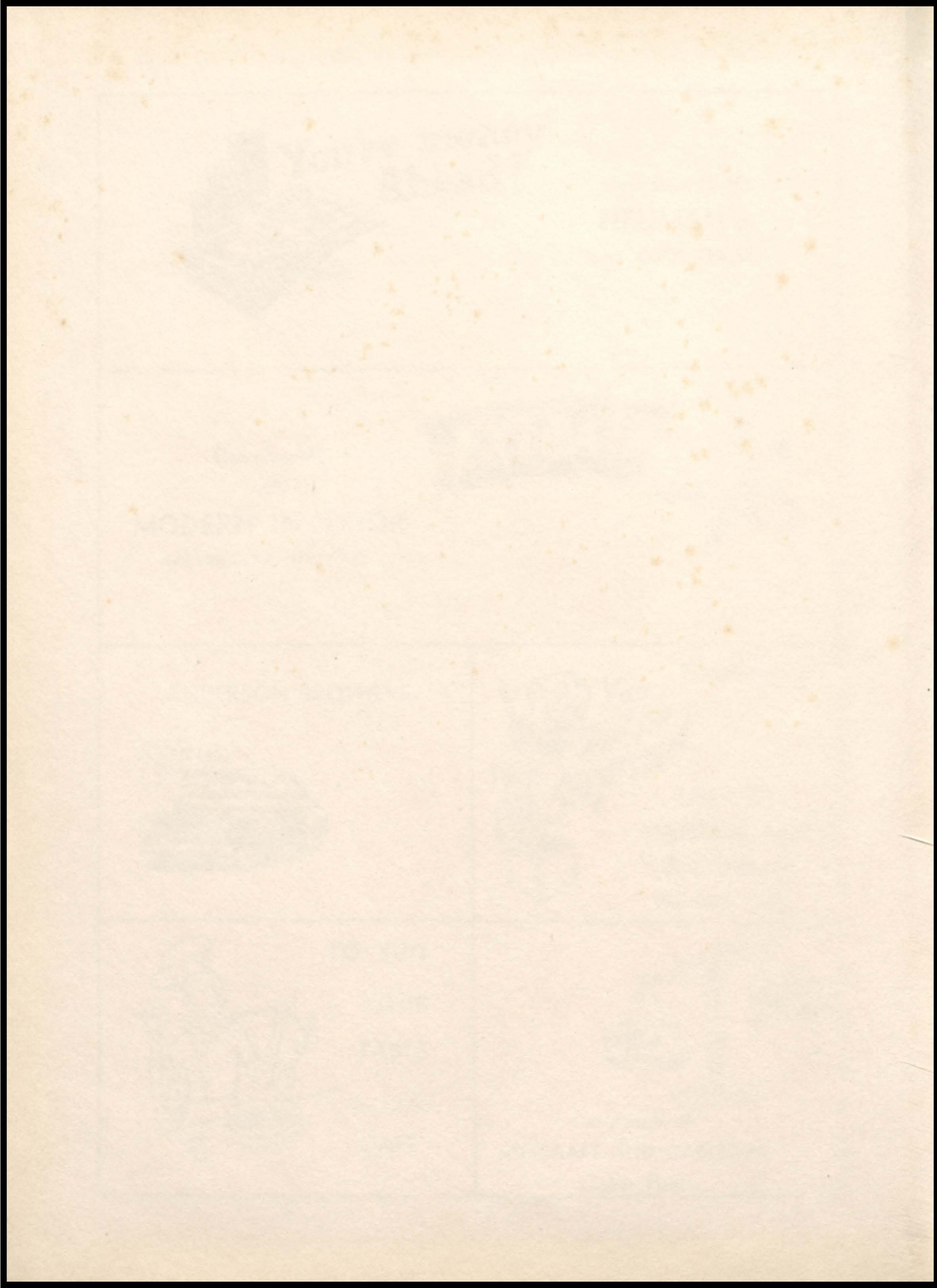


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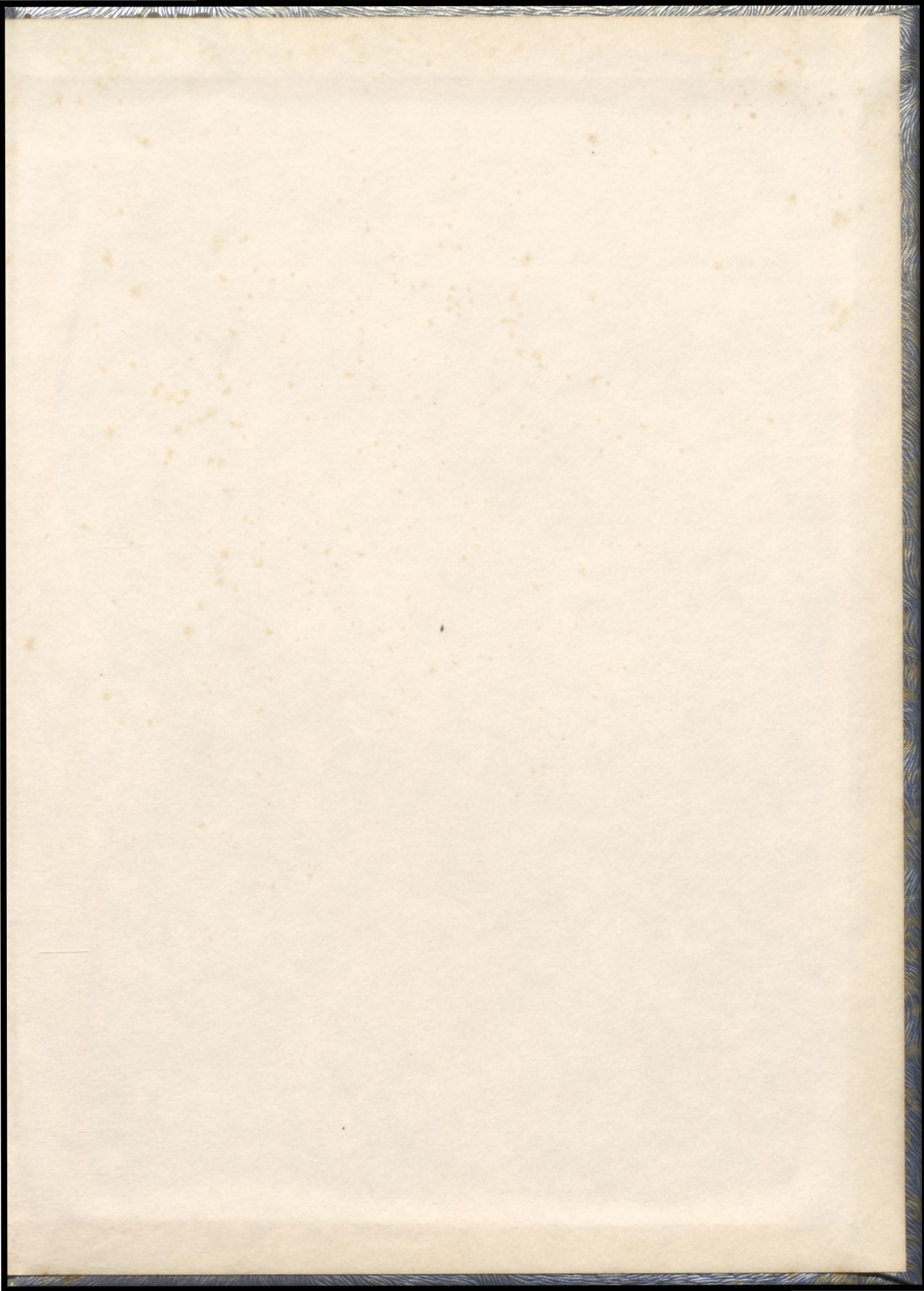




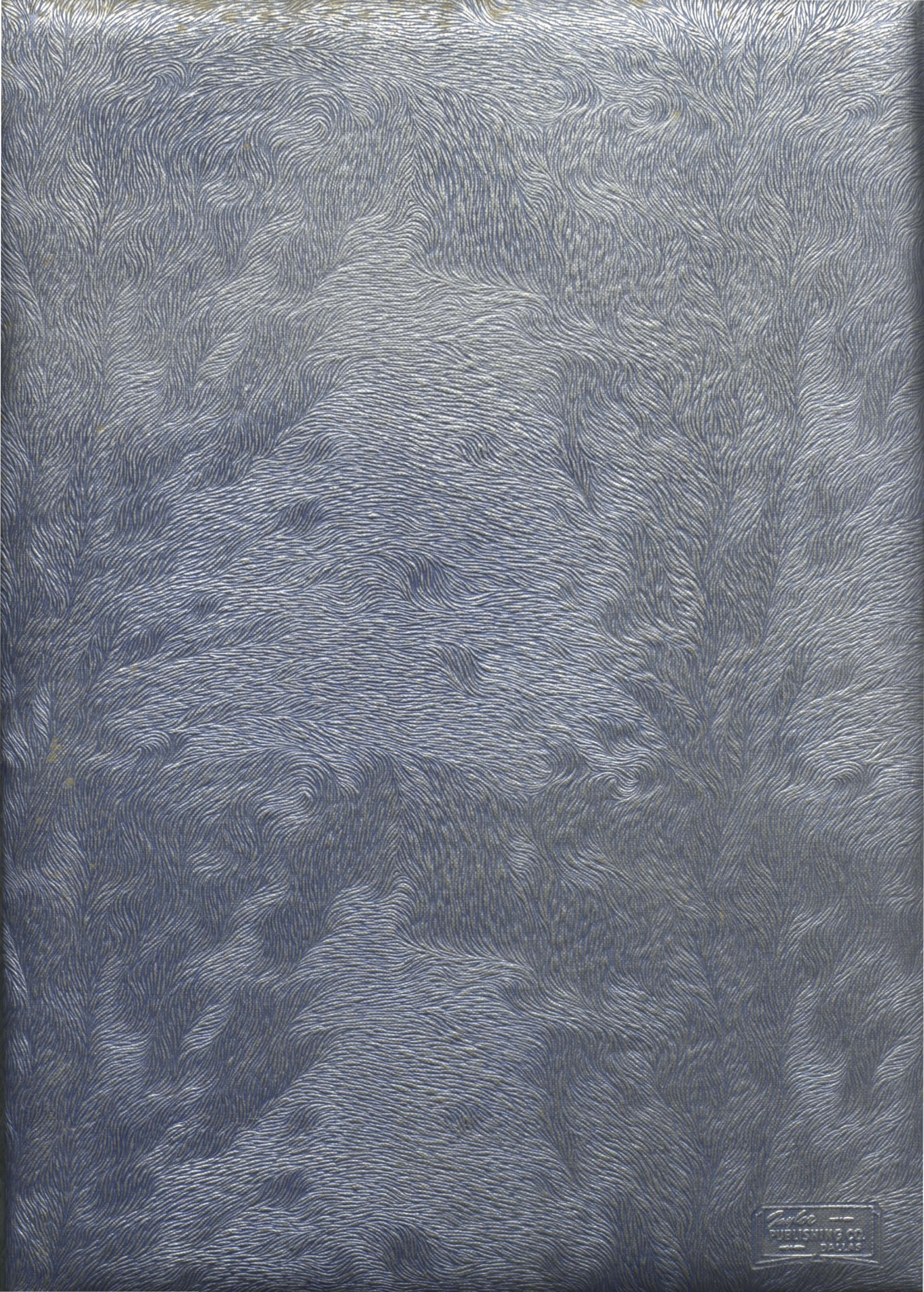












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