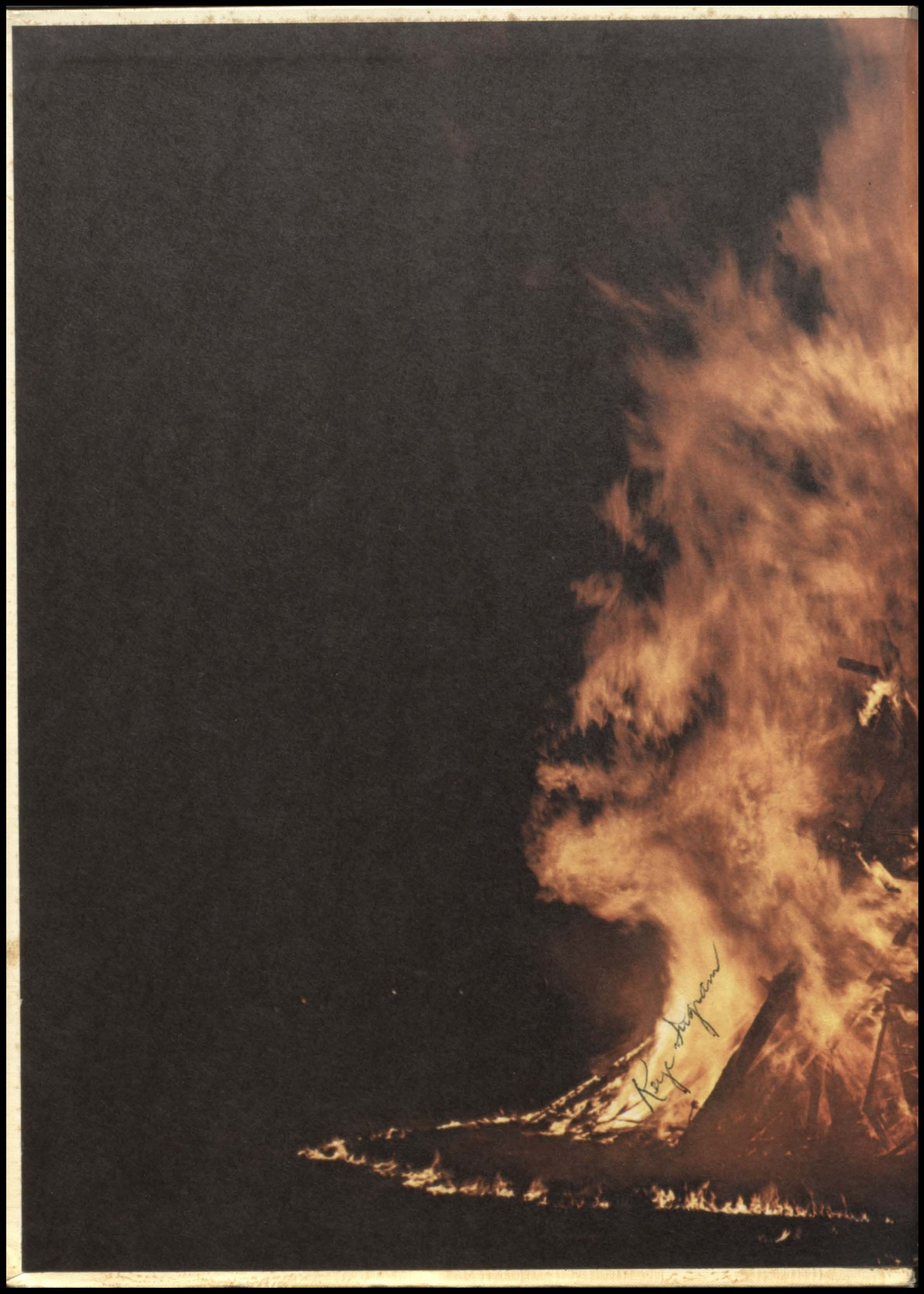




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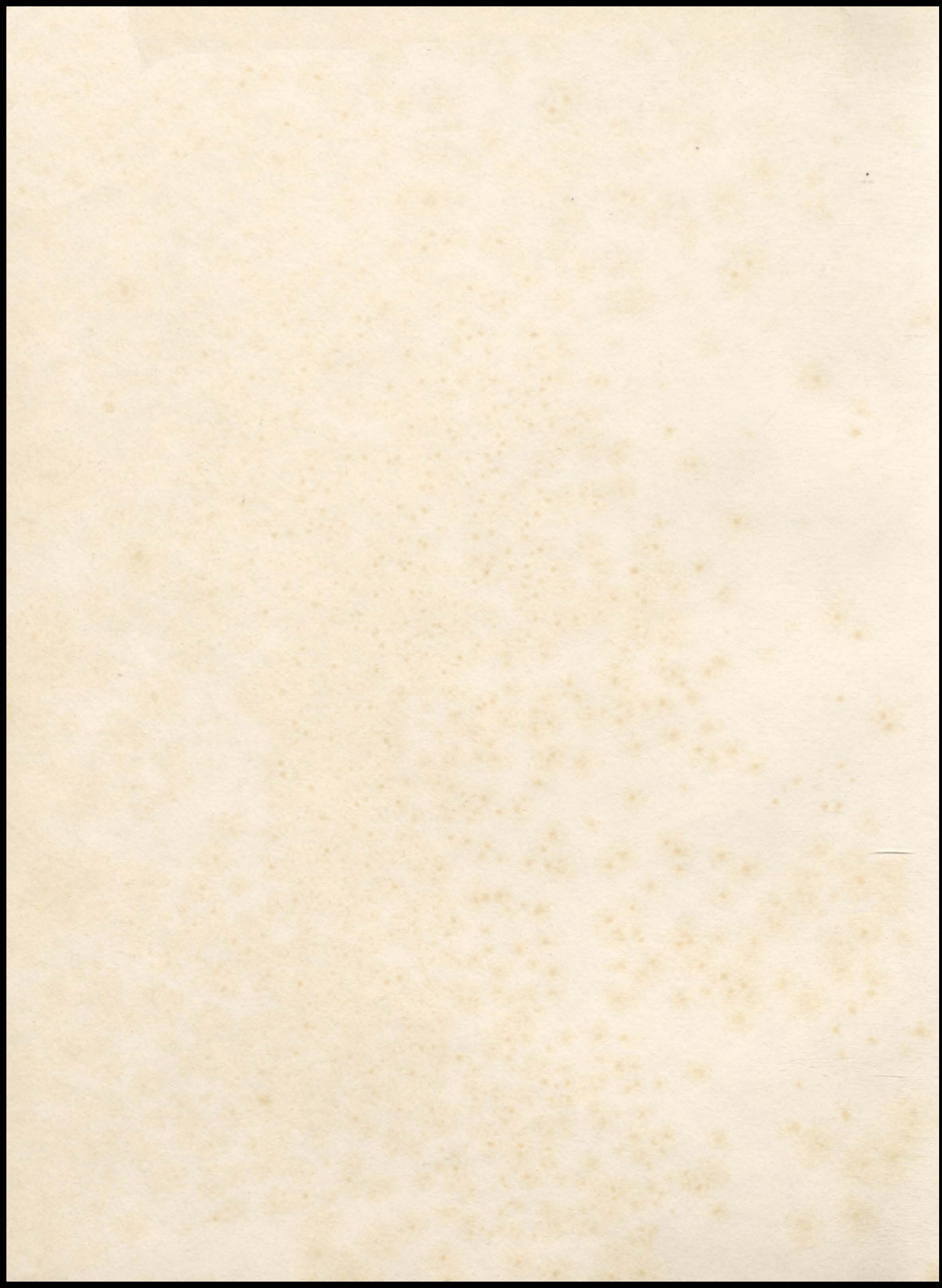
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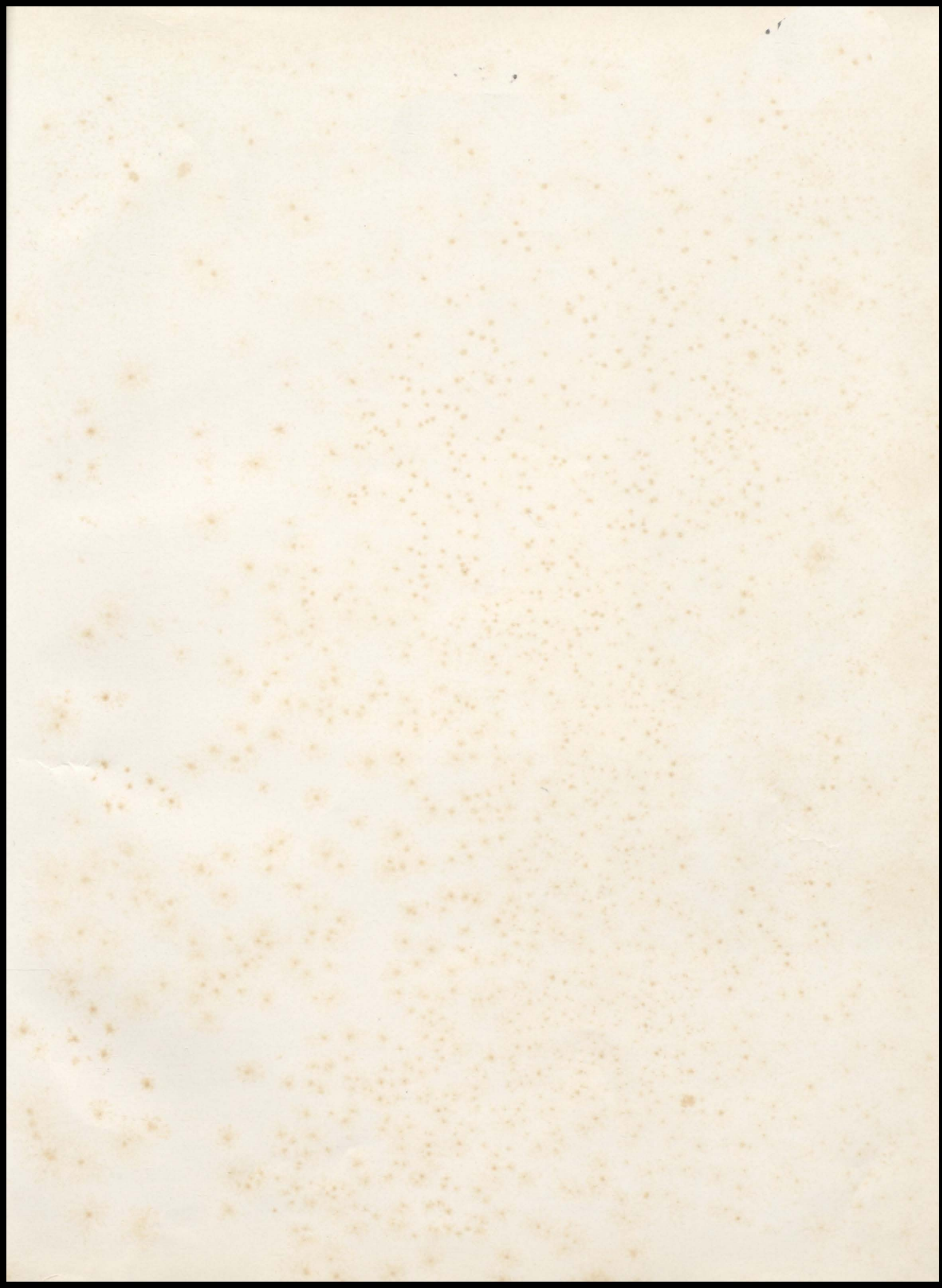


Ray Sigmund

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THE AUDITORIUM

Predominating the campus like a giant, the Bay City High School Auditorium and Cafeteria stands above all other buildings on the campus.

From its windows on the top floor one can see for miles the panoramic view of Bay City and its countryside. Shadows on a growing town may be seen from early morning through the twilight hour. Then at night to the hours just before dawn they play and dance on the building itself.



THE ANNUAL STAFF
BAY CITY HIGH SCHOOL
Presents

THE 1962 BLACKCAT ANNUAL

Ronny Williamson, *Editor*
David Graham, *Co-Editor*
and
Business Mgr.



TOOLS OF LEARNING



Foreword

There are many types of shadows in the world of today; both shadows of evil and shadows of good. The staff of the 1962 BLACK CAT has chosen shadows and silhouettes as the theme for this year's annual, and sincerely hope that you will enjoy this particular theme as it is carried out through the following pages.

As you turn through this year's BLACK CAT, consider the different kinds of shadows that have been cast upon you throughout the last year. Ponder over the guiding shadows that your teachers have thrown over you as a student, and consider how really fortunate you are to have a shadow of knowledge cast your way. Consider the effects of the shadows of the different sports and activities in which you have participated, and consider how much they have meant to you in your days at Bay City High School.

Then, as you finish this edition of the BLACK CAT, consider what kind of shadow you would like to cast upon the rest of the world, and work hard to throw forth your own shadow of truth, honesty, and courage. As you have noticed many times, it does not take an important or rich man or woman to cast a tremendous shadow upon the ground, and this same idea holds true as you cast your own shadow on other individuals around you in life.

The Staff

Dedication

To Mrs. Ruby Ballard, a teacher in the finest sense of the word, and a friend and advisor to all who have cast shadows on the walls of Bay City High School through the years, we dedicate the 1962 BLACKCAT.

Mrs. Ballard, a Baylor graduate, has given the highest measure of devotion to the welfare of the many who have graduated from our high school during the past six years in which she has taught here. Her dedication, sympathetic understanding, and knowledge are deeply appreciated by all.





MRS. RUBY BALLARD



B.C.H.S.



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Home
of
the
“Fighting Blackcats”



The Board of Education

The 1962 Board of Education is made up of men and women who are leaders in the community and their profession. Mrs. David Krumholz, President, mother and former teacher, Mr. Don Wertz, Sec., Implement Dealer, Mrs. Clarence Mehrens, mother and former teacher, Dr. Dean Smith, Dentist and former teacher, Mr. Francis Savage, Rancher, Dr. H. C. Mathis, Surgeon, and Mr. Tommy Gordon, Wholesale dealer. Each of these casts a shadow of direction, guidance, and planning to all concerned with Bay City High School.



MR. H. J. McALLISTER
Superintendent of Schools
Bay City Independent
School District

Through years of Service to Bay City and its School District and in years to come the "Shadows" of a Godly man will live on and on. Teacher, Principal and Friend.



R. H. RENFRO,
Bay City High School Principal

Administration



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MRS. ELAINE HUDGINS
High School Secretary



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Faculty



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Spanish I and II
B.A., Southwest Texas



In the mornings, in the afternoon and sometimes into the shadows of the evening the library is a place of various activities.

Faculty



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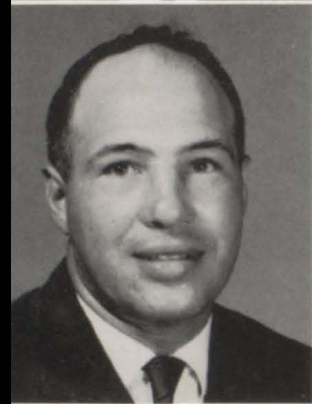
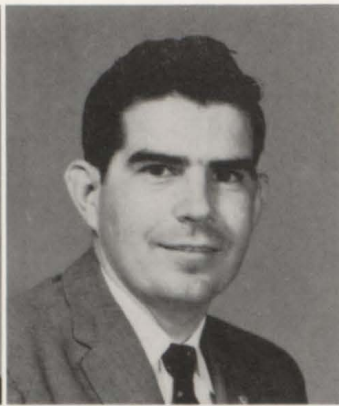
MR. RALPH KIES
B.M., Baylor U.; University of Texas

MRS. JOYCE KNAPIK
English I and II
B.S., University of Houston



ities. Teachers use it for faculty meetings, and students some times for study.

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Mr. Sam Maglitto

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Houston State



"Where oh where Has the little Theme Gone" Could this be the name of the Record Mrs. Ballard is playing for English IV.?

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Mr. Orlando Schraub

Miss Sandy Seay
Mr. Spurgeon Smith

Miss Bonnie Southwell
Mr. Kermit Spielman

Mr. Gene Steinmeyer
Mrs. Vi Sullivan

Mr. Marvin Sulak
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B.S. Degree, Texas Lutheran
College

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B.A., Baylor University



Mr. Leroy Hanys, Industrial Arts instructor, gives Leonard Arnold, annual photographer, some good advice.

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Science and Phys. Ed.
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Mr. James D. Sowell



Mrs. Brown is caught cleaning out her purse.



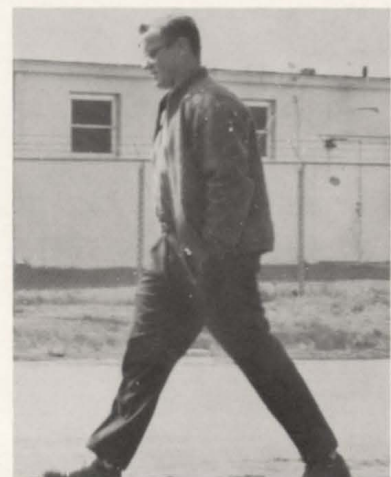
Mrs. Ballard giving out the daily assignments.



Coach Haley, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Robenson, and Mr. Rains "suffer" to take time out for coffee.



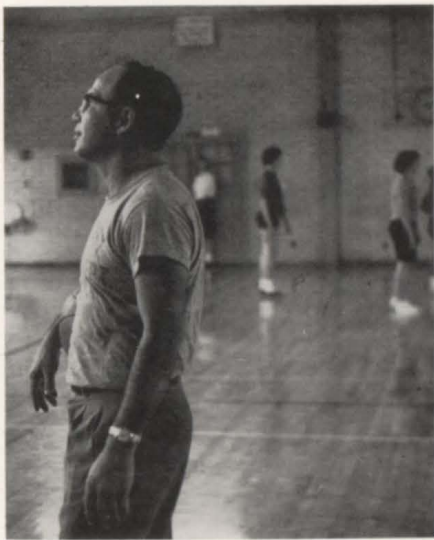
Miss Ringold reads her paper with her mid-morning coffee.



Coach Steinmeyer hurrying out to the field house.



Mr. Black, Mr. Sulak, Coach Rogers, Coach Maglitto, and Mr. Jecmenek "chew the fat" before classes start on Rodeo Day.



Coach Maglitto watching potential basketball stars.



Coach Haley beams brightly after a recent victory.

Mr. Renfro soaking up a little sun, before going in for the remainder of the day.





Those Who Help Make a School Day Happy

CUSTODIANS

Cleophus Brown, John Rodriguez, and Justo De Los Santos.

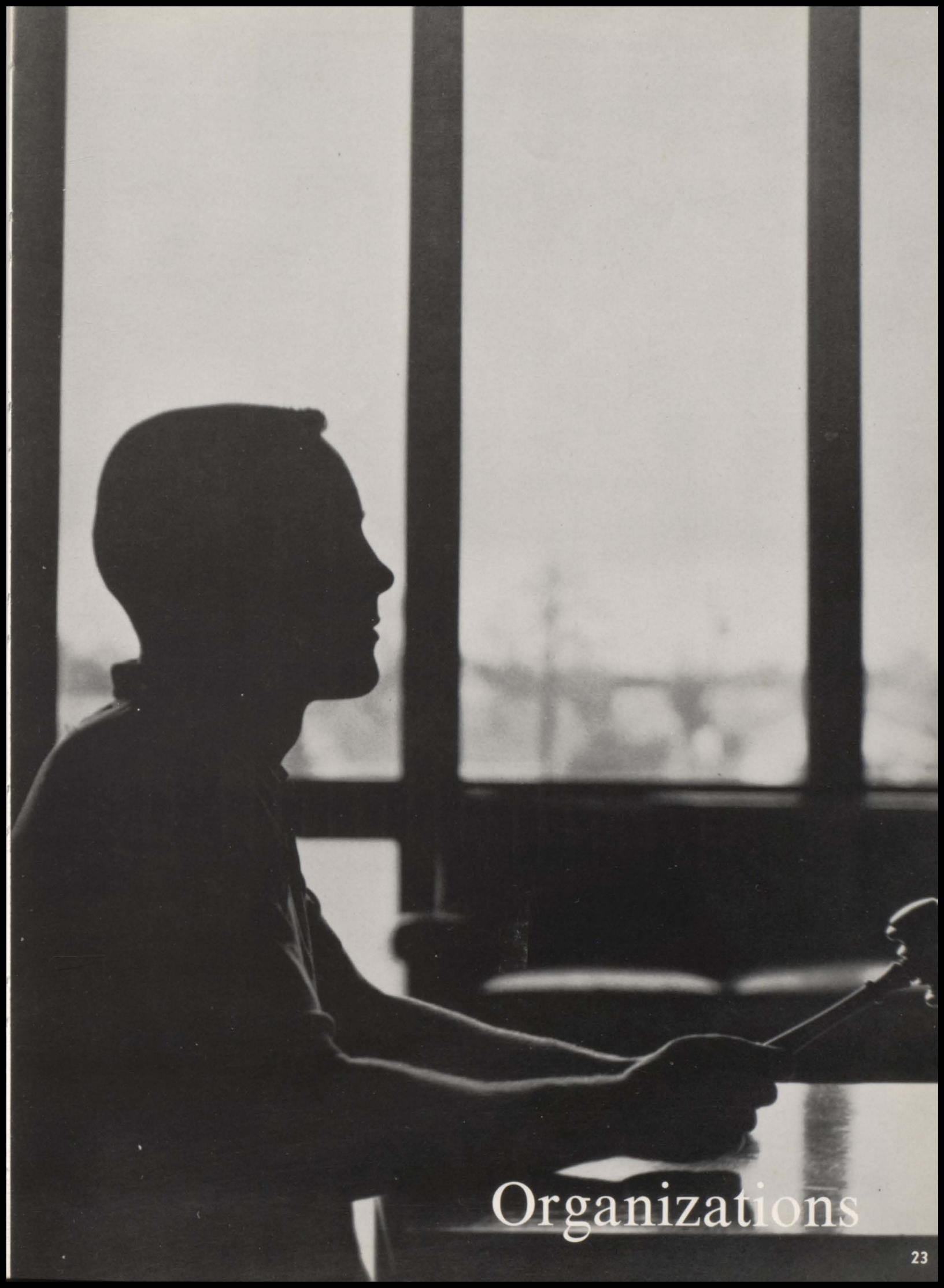


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MR. BEN TENBERG
Maintenance Foreman





Organizations



The 1961-62 Bay City High School
Student
Council

Student Council



TOMMY PATTON—President
JIMMY HUNT—Vice-President



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

Vernon Harrison, Dale Coe, Trish Evans, Phoebe Reading, Joyce Lawrence, Taylor Evans, Jimmy Hunt, Tommy Patton.

Top Students



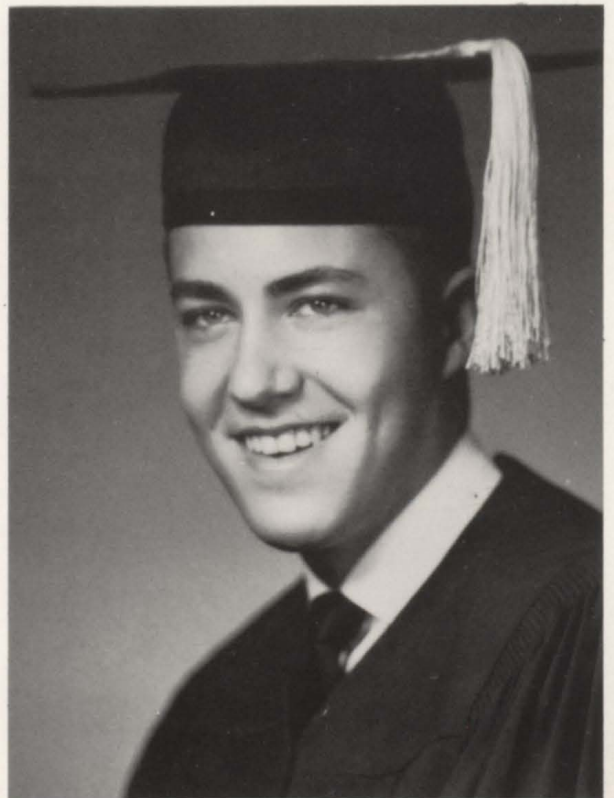
TOMMIE HAHN—Valedictorian
95.47



PAULA BREWER—Salutatorian
95.35



MELBA ROBBINS—Third ranked in class
95.26



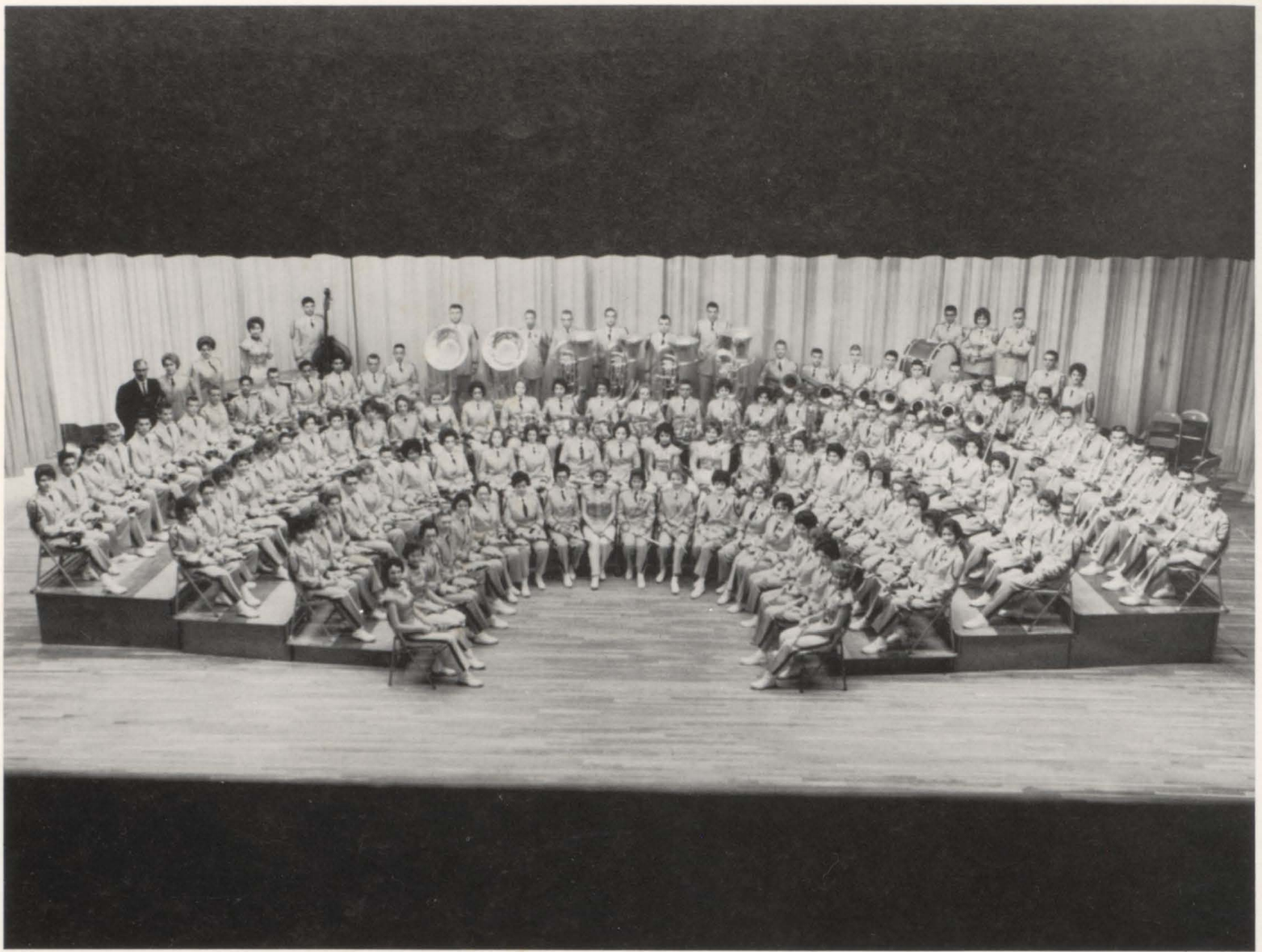
DAVID GRAHAM—Highest ranking boy
95.17



National Honor Society

BACK ROW, L-R: Arlene Welfel, Linda Simpson, David Graham, Dickie Barr, Leslie LeGrand, Jimmy Hunt, Buddy Hurst, Lupe Perez, Phillip Paine. MIDDLE ROW, L-R: Judy Reddoch, Shirley Hayton, Sydonia Manna, Kay McRee, Joyce Lawrence, Sally Bunk, Judy Hale, Sandra Garrison, Linda Rogers. FRONT ROW, L-R: Sherry Williams, Sheila Schuesseler, Gennie Eastman, Janis Bertman, Ida Breaux, Paula Brewer, Evelyn Fisher, Tommie Hahn, Harriet Brady, Sue Werlla.





“That Famous Black Cat Band”

MR. J. I. BARRON, Director



BAND OFFICERS

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<i>Reporter</i>	Elaine Briscoe
<i>Manager</i>	Robert Noster
<i>Librarian</i>	Betty Withrow
<i>Drum Major</i>	Judy Watson
<i>Secretary</i>	Harriet Brady

BAND OFFICERS



ALL DISTRICT BAND

TOP, L-R: Wayne Evatt, Charles Eppright, Bill Klein, Keri Soli, Charles Townsend, David Graham, Jimmy Shawler, Neil Sims. SEATED: Nita Draper, Paula Barron, Jullianne McAllister, Larry Shaffer, Linda Simpson, Elaine Briscoe, Bobby Bryden, Ann Lewis, and Grace Dyal.



WALLACE KLINGAMAN,
Band President



ALL-REGIONAL BAND

TOP, L-R: Wayne Evatt, Neil Sims, Bobby Bryden, Charles Eppright, Keri Soli. SEATED: Jullianne McAllister, Elaine Briscoe, Charles Townsend, Paula Barron, and Nita Draper.



BAND COUNCIL



First Division Solos and Ensembles.



KERI SOLI, All-State Band.



TOMMY DEARMOND, Student Conductor.



JUDY WATSON, Drum Major



THE TWIRLERS



NITA DRAPER



GRACE DYAL
Head Twirler



JO DE LOS SANTOS



PAULA BARRON



PAT RENFRO



JUDY RUSSELL



The High School Choir



Regional Choir



Outstanding Vocalists



Girls Chorus



SHARON COX



Sharon Cox, Martha Wilkenson, Jo Ann Harang.



MARSHA HOBSENSIEFKEN



CHOIR OFFICERS

Sammy Oates *President*
 James Allen *Vice-President*
 Judy Hale *Secretary*
 Evelyn Fisher *Reporter*



CHOIR FAVORITES

Connie Neeley
 Larry Clark



NINA CONNELLEY
 All-State Choir



SALLY BUNK
 All-State Choir



JUDY HALE
 All-State Choir



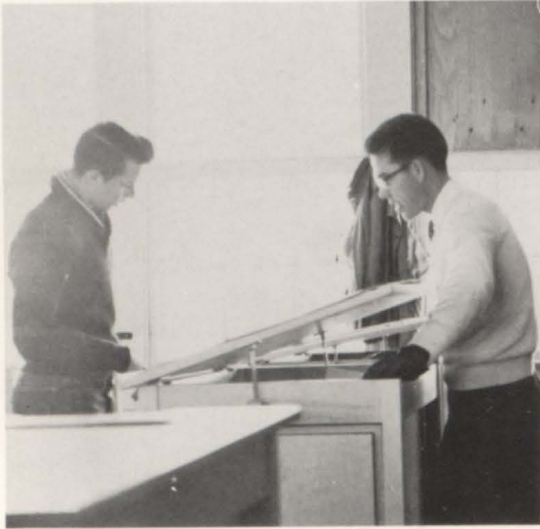
Spanish Club



Thespian Society



Photography Club



Mr. Hany, instructor in the photography department, also teaches mechanical drawing.



Looks like it gets pretty crowded when everyone gets busy.



Buster Arnold works on some pictures for the annual.



Skipper Reddoch mixes chemicals while Linda Ottis stands in the background.



"Even the photographers have tests, or so it seems."



Is Larry Clark using cheat notes?



Future Teachers of America

“Those who learn today to teach tomorrow.”



F.H.A.

“Good things begin to happen
when one joins the F.H.A.”



The end of the school year trip made each year by the girls in Homemaking is always enjoyable.

"Cold or Sinus, Sherry?"



We even had classes at night.

Sue, Sandy, Elizabeth and Joyce help prepare supper for the Mothers.



Melba Robbins takes care of the tea at the supper.

Melba and Shirley get ready for trip.



Future Farmers of America

The Future Farmers of America, Bay City Chapter, under the leadership of Mr. James Sowell, Vocational Agriculture teacher, had a very profitable year.

Mona Sellers, high school senior, whom the Future Farmers elected as their sweetheart, went all the way and became District Sweetheart.

At the beginning of the year, hurricane Carla did away with the Rice Festival, and the boys did not have their yearly money-making booth on the Courthouse square, but they had a busy year nevertheless.

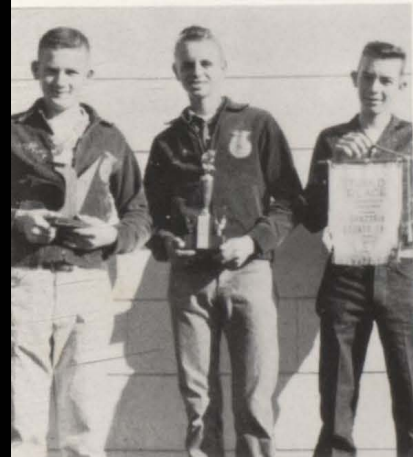
The livestock judging team won a place in the district meet and the right to represent Bay City High School at state.

Introducing "A PARADE OF CHAMPIONS"

Representing the FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



MONA SELLERS
District Sweetheart



Third place, Livestock Judging, David O'Rear, R. D. Arnold, and Farris Crain.



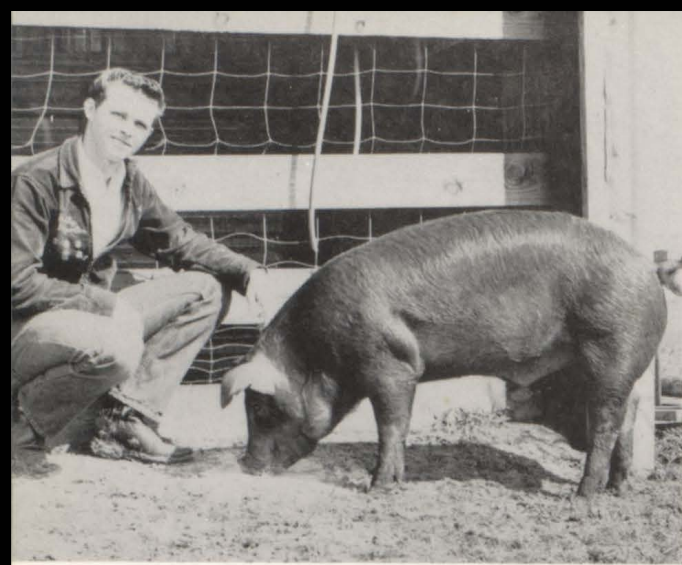
Manuel Trevino and his Reserve Champion Hog.



Frank Allen and his Grand Champion hog.



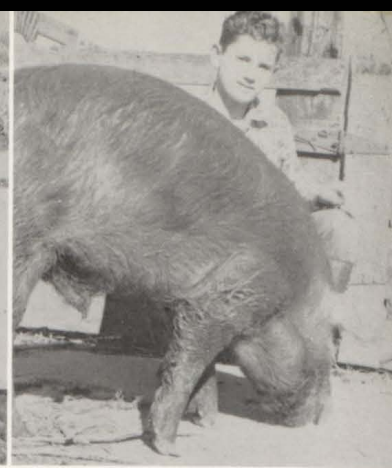
Edmund Kalinec and his Grand Champion Fryers and Judges.



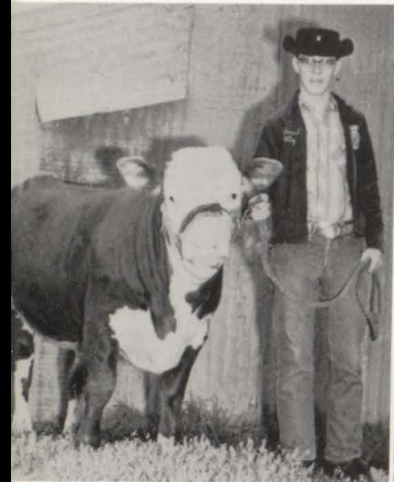
BILL BEATY



ROBERT O'NEAL



HERBERT KELLEY



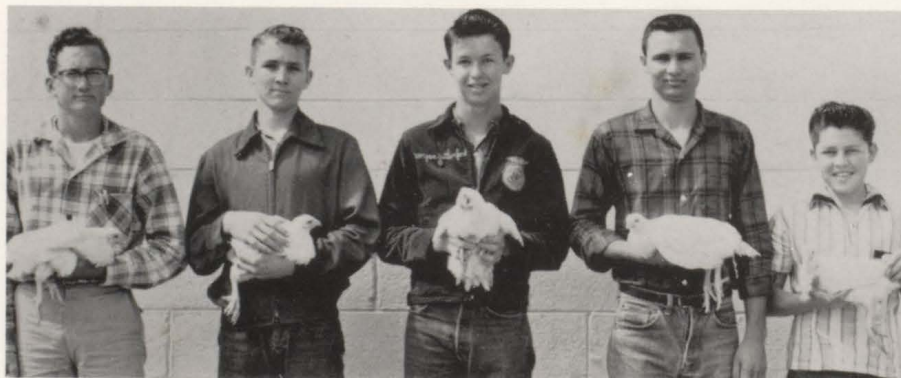
JOHN WINFREY



LEWIS COKER



Taft Snow, Morgan Rutherford, and Donald Jurek.



Roy Durochez, Richard Harvey, Morgan Rutherford, Edmund Kalinec, and Wayne Wilson.

Future



Farmers

Governor Price Daniel proclaims F.F.A. Week February 18-24.



FREDDIE BRYANT



CLYDE BALSLEY



LEO BROWN



DANIEL ESTES



RONNY ABENDROTH



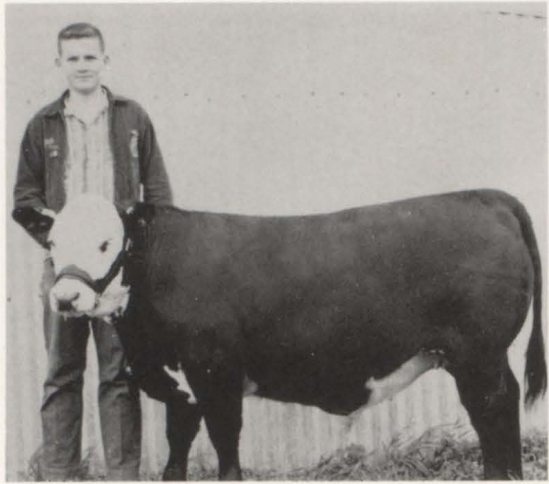
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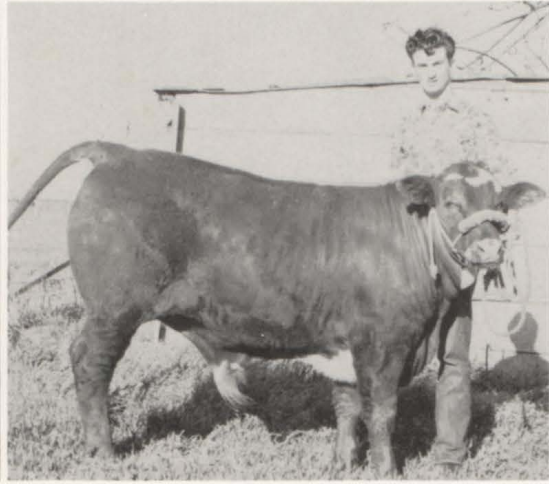
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R. D. ARNOLD



DAVID O'REAR

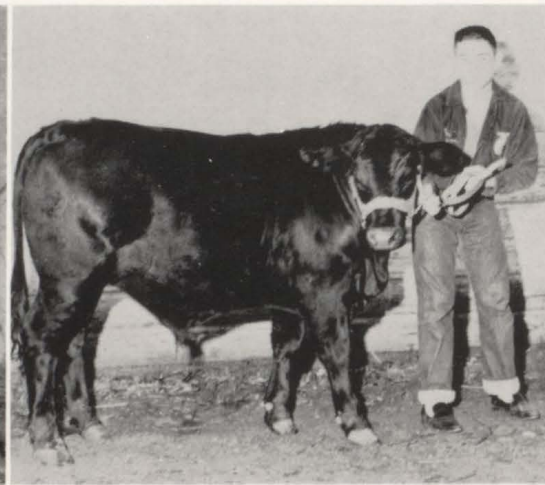


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Bay City Future Farmers and Their Projects



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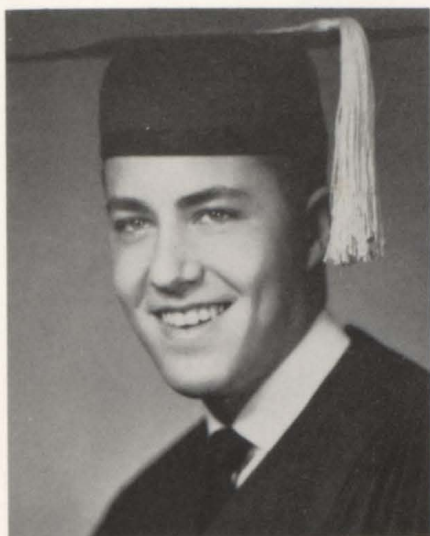
THE OFFICE
STAFF



FOOTBALL GAME USHERS

The ushers are rewarded with a meal at the La Palma.

Special Awards and Special Honors



DAVID GRAHAM
American Legion Award
and
Woodmen of the World Award



SHEILA SCHUESSLER
American Legion Award



GENNIE EASTMAN
Runner-up American Legion Award



DICKIE BARR
Runner-up American Legion Award

Special Awards and Special Honors



PAULA BREWER
D.A.R. Award



DALE COLE
Girls' State



CLAIRE COLLINS
Girls' State



VERNON HARRISON
Boys' State



DENNIS GANN
Boys' State



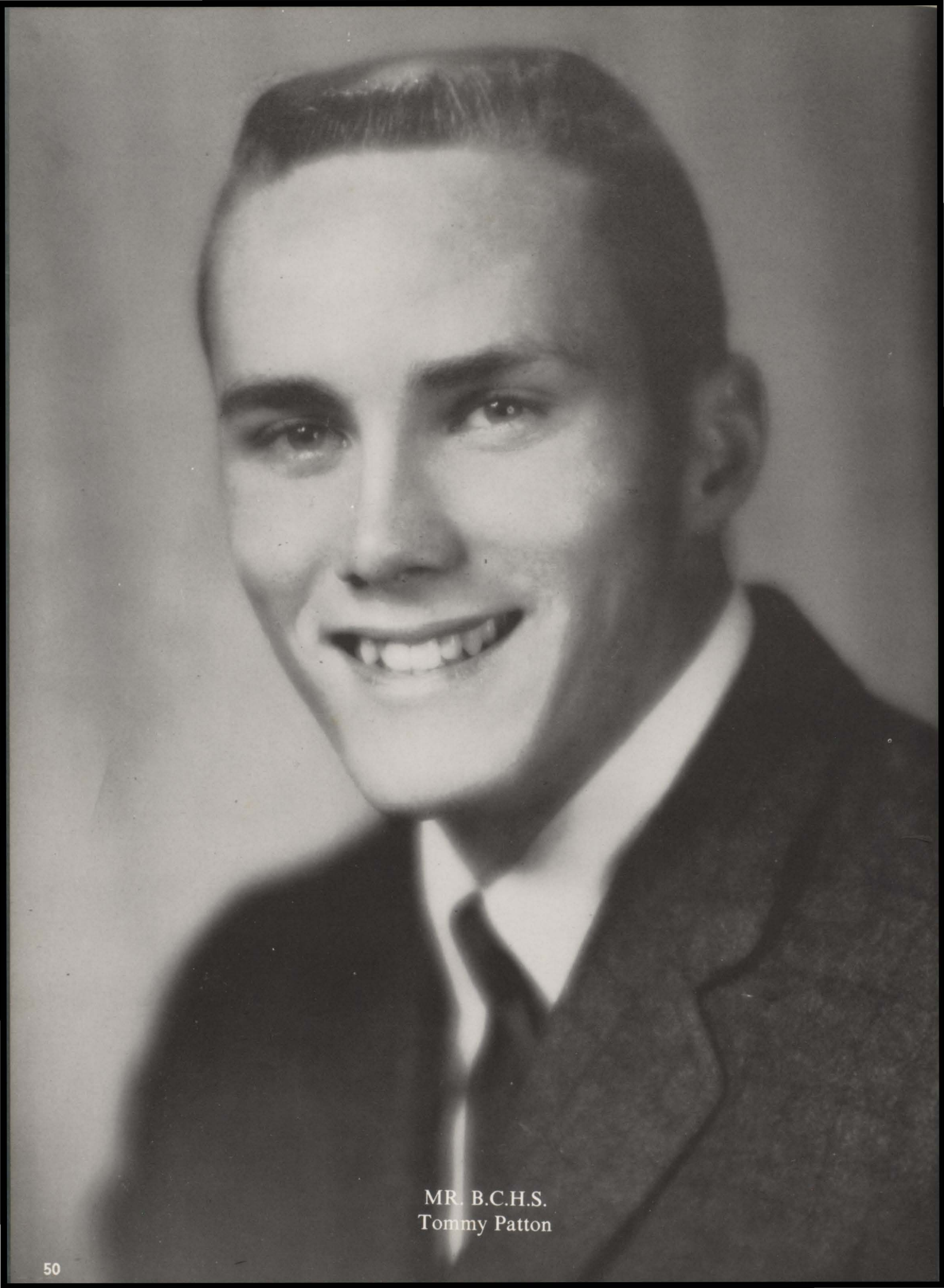
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Rebekahs' Representative to
United Nations



STEVE POLK
Odd Fellows' Representative
to United Nations



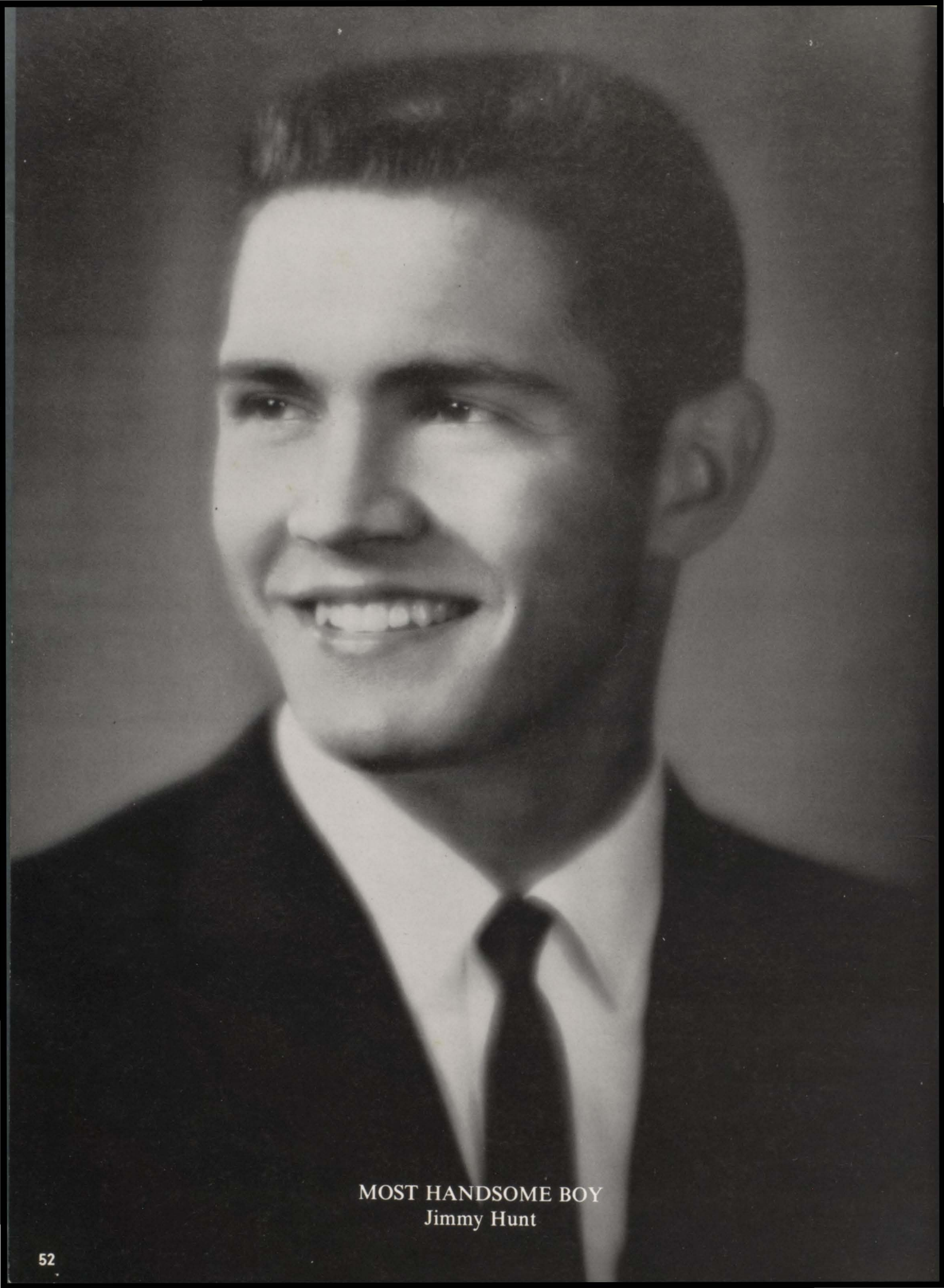
Favorites



MR. B.C.H.S.
Tommy Patton



Trish Evans
MISS BAY CITY HIGH SCHOOL



MOST HANDSOME BOY
Jimmy Hunt



MOST BEAUTIFUL
Gennie Eastman



MOST DEPENDABLE BOY AND GIRL
E. B. Reddoch III Tommie Marie Hahn



MOST ATHLETIC BOY AND GIRL
Lupe Perez Sandra Garrison

Runners-Up



MOST BEAUTIFUL and MOST HANDSOME
Joyce Lawrence and Butch Cashion



MOST DEPENDABLE
Paula Brewer and David Graham



MR. and MISS B.C.H.S.
Roy Green and Ann Rice



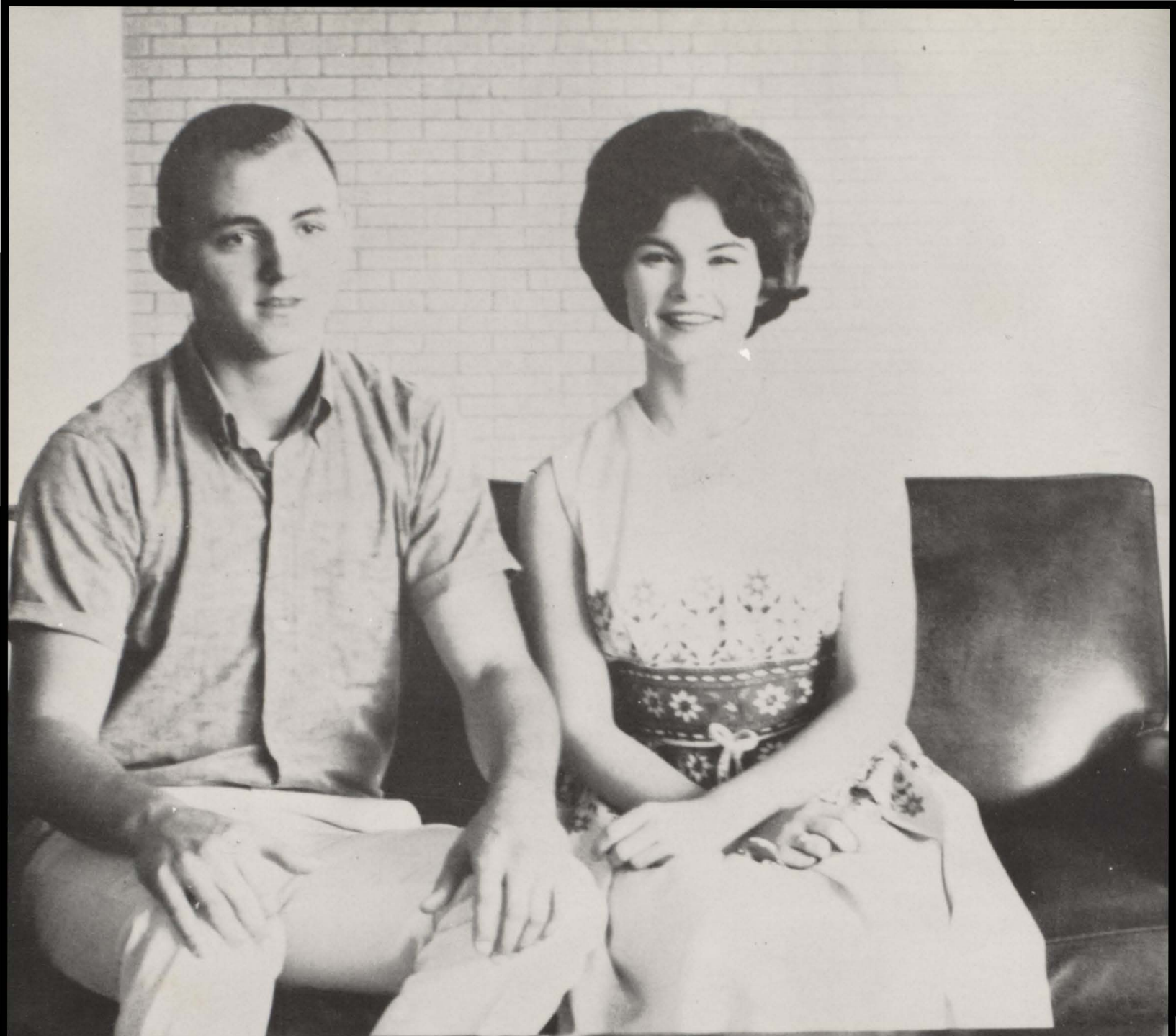
MOST ATHLETIC
Ann Rice and Sammy Oates



Senior Favorites

BILL McDOWELL

JOYCE LAWRENCE



Junior Favorites

DENNIS GANN

CLAIRE COLLINS



Sophomore Favorites

BUBBA HUDSON

CHERYL BRUNDAHL



Freshman Favorites

FRANK BAKER

ELAINE LEWIS

HOMEcomings QUEEN

Trish Evans



BLACK CAT RELAY QUEEN

Gennie Eastman



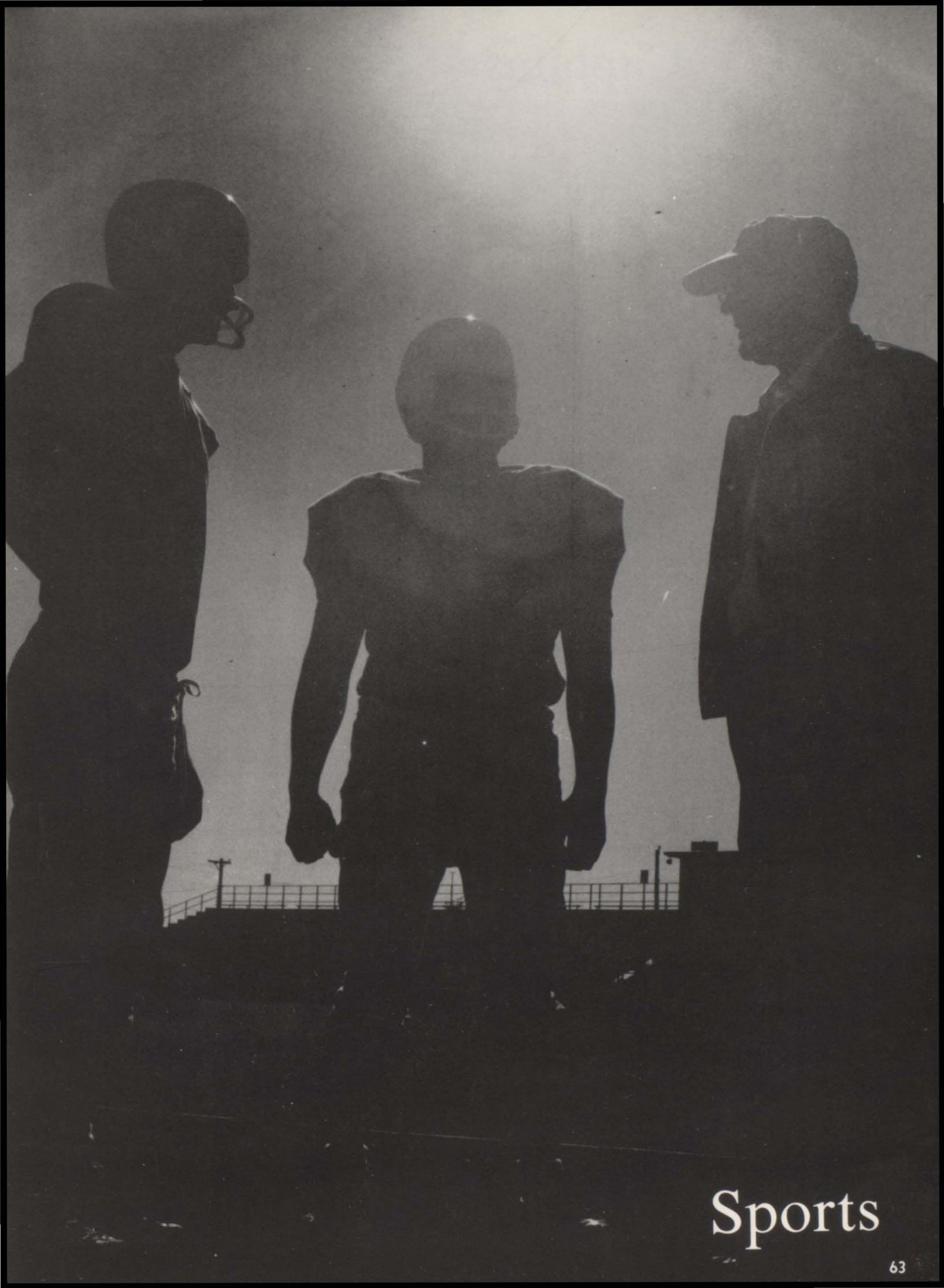
Judy Hale
Elaine Briscoe
Gennie Eastman
Sherry Harkey

THE LIONETTES



LANTANA DUCHESS

Judy Merhens

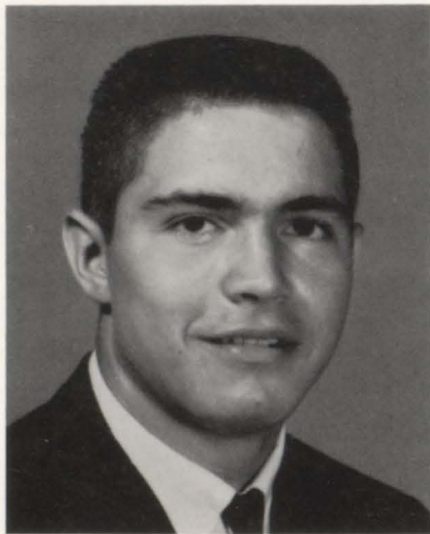


Sports

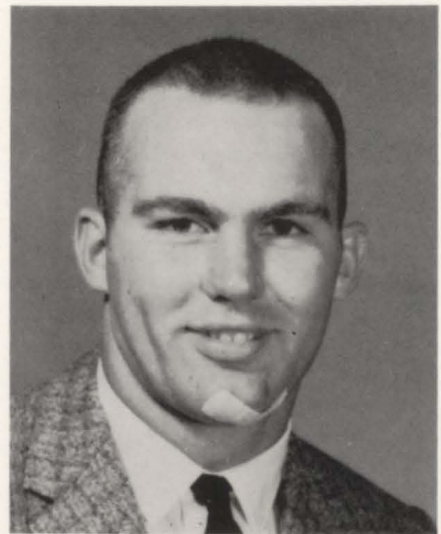
Captains of Sports



LUPE PEREZ
Football



JIMMY HUNT
Basketball



SAMMY OATES
Track



LARRY HEAD
Baseball

Football



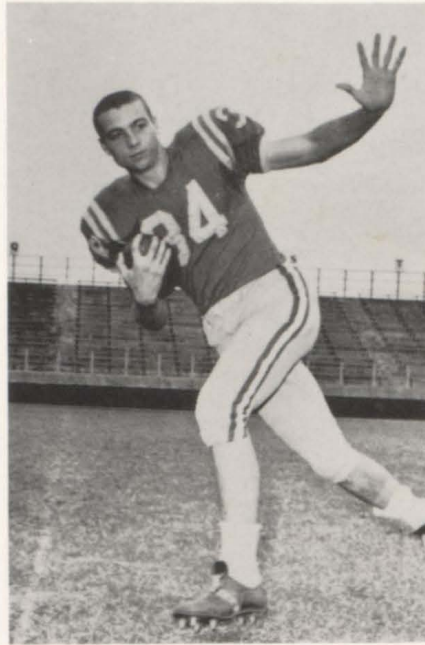
The 1962 Black Cats — 11 AAA Champions



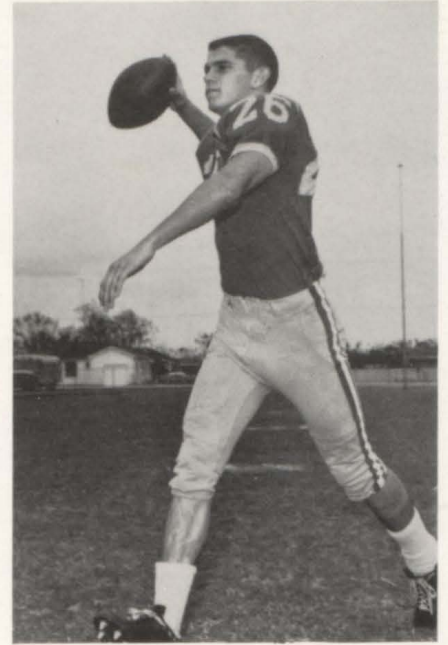
COACHES: Head Coach Don Haley, Coaches Joe Rogers, Sam Maglitto, Orlando Schraub.



TOMMY PATTON
Back



JACKIE YOUNG
Back



ROY GREEN
Back



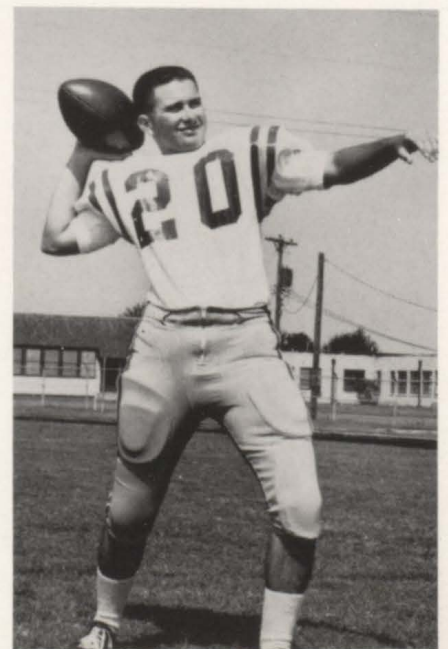
Dennis Gann carries the ball as Sammy Oates and Charlie Townsend clear the way.



JIMMY HUNT
Back



RAY STAVINOKA
Back



RONNIE MILLER
Back



DENNIS GANN
Back



EARL McWILLIAMS
Back



JAMES SPURR
Back

Anxious coaches and players watch for the referee's first down signal.



JESSE CORDOBA
Back



NELSON KEEN
Back



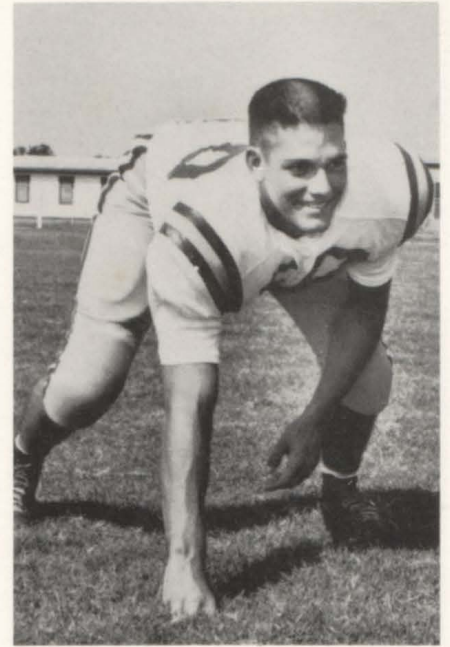
JOHN FAESLER
Tackle



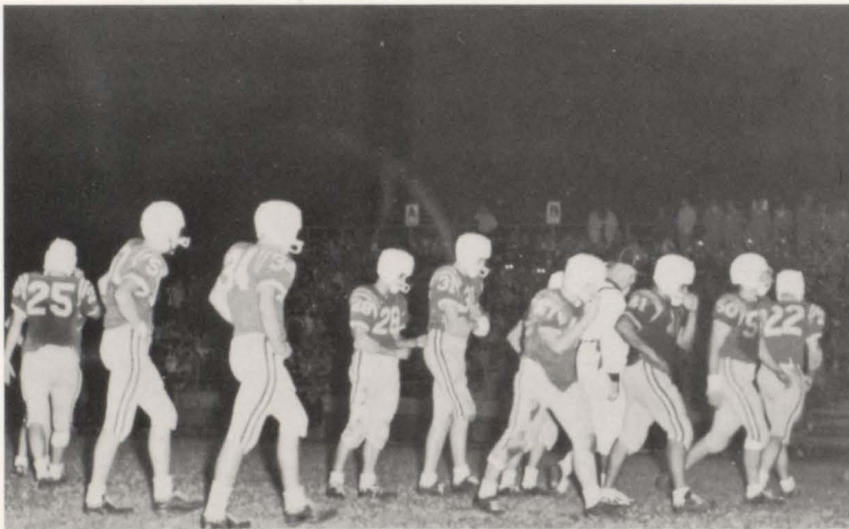
LUPE PEREZ
Guard



LESLIE LeGRAND
Tackle



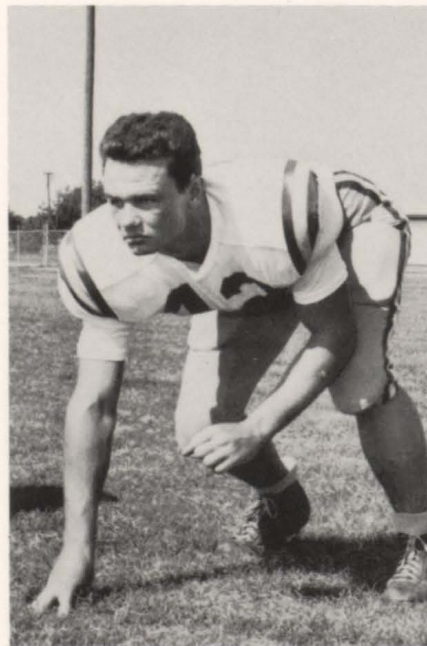
JIMMY ALLEN
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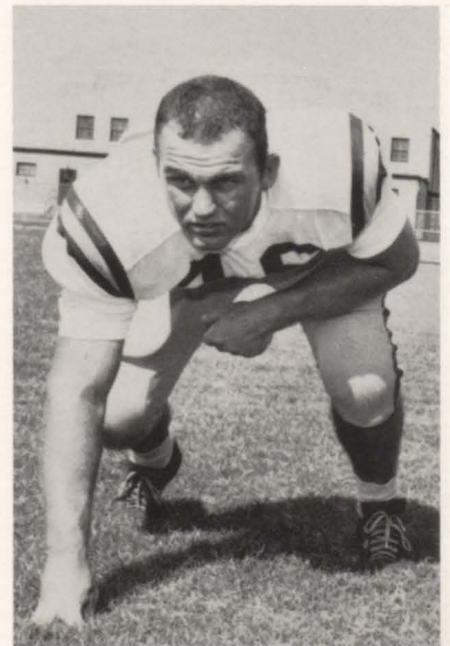
That's a break, now let's hold them,
Cats.



SPENCER SMITH
End



E. B. REDDOCH
Guard



SAMMY OATES
End



LARRY HEAD
End



ROBERT NOSTER
Center



NOEL ELKINS
Tackle

Come on, Black Cats, let's hit the field!



CHARLIE TOWNSEND
Guard



VERNON HARRISON
End



WALLACE KLINGAMAN
Tackle



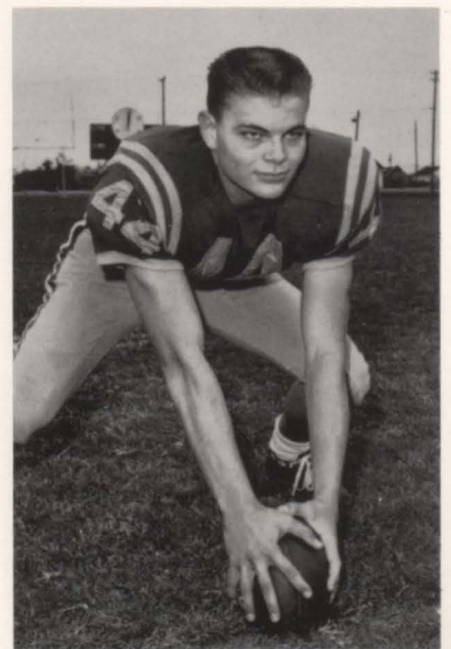
TAYLOR EVANS
End



A Black Cat hobbles a Mustang.



Young takes the ball, and Evans takes two tacklers.



TOMMY ANDERSON
Center

B-Team



STANDING, L-R: Wayne Volkmer, Kenneth Garcia, Lee Vaughn, Grady Queeny, Marc Landrum, Gerald Meyerdirk, Theo Knipple, Sonny Hildreth, David Smith, A. N. Dunaway. MIDDLE: Jesse Cordoba, Matt Morales, Pip Savage, Joe De La Cruz, James Hatchett, Dennis Yates, Dewayne Siptak, James Anderson, Bubba Hudson, Clyde Sifford. BOTTOM: Joe Tillman, Mike Wainer, Tommy Buller, Rudy Morrow, Wayne Siptak, Clifton Cook, Steve Polk, Joe Lawhorn, Joe Kelly.

Football at Bay City High School Freshman Team



STANDING: Don Ruble, Richard Manna, Howard Crain, Wayne Adams, Courtney Grover, Cecil Rooks, Gary Olson, Ed Oates, Charles Hennig, Tommy Saunders, Wayne Milberger, Fred Perez, Allen Wade. MIDDLE: Ed Barkley, Jimmy Baker, Rudy Becerra, Larry Herndon, Randall Parker, Frankie Webb, David Harrison, James Harris, Doug Ingraham, Melvin Newsum. BOTTOM: Ricky Carter, John Letcher, Dusty Dalton, Skipper Osborn, Ray Wilson, Roger Holloway, Murraye Gordon, Ben Powell, Jerry Cordoba, and Ray Stewart.



Coach Don Haley accepts the district trophy for sportsmanship in football.

SEASON RECORD

Bay City.....	6	Angleton	20
Bay City.....	38	Clear Creek	16
Bay City.....	16	Alvin	6
Bay City.....	35	St. Thomas	14
Bay City.....	16	Channelview	0
Bay City.....	36	*Wharton	8
Bay City.....	14	*Lamar Cons.	13
Bay City.....	17	*El Campo	3
Bay City.....	22	*Cy-Fairbanks	2
Bay City.....	33	*Brenham	6

* District Games

There are not many teams that win both the district trophy in the athletic event and sportsmanship. This year's football team was winner of both.

Everyone in Bay City High School is proud of its team and coaches.

Basketball



Harrison reaches high as Evans looks on.



Meyerdirk draws a steady bead.



Hunt jumps high for two points.

DISTRICT GAMES

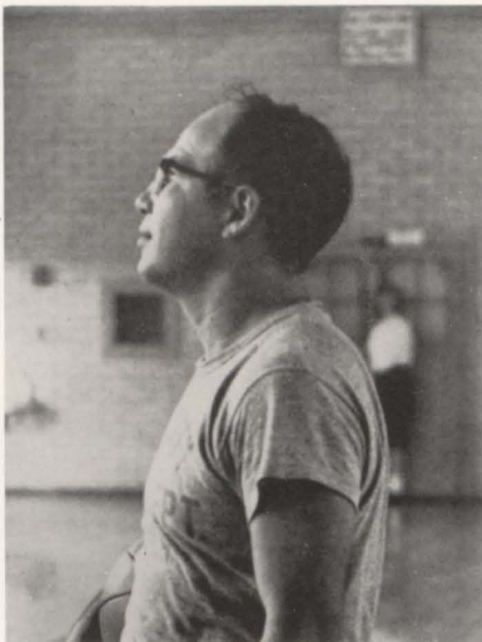
Bay City.....51	Wharton	47
Bay City.....39	El Campo	51
Bay City.....58	Cypress-Fairbanks	52
Bay City.....49	Lamar Consolidated	52
Bay City.....49	Brenham	43
Bay City.....44	Wharton	40
Bay City.....46	El Campo	73
Bay City.....49	Brenham	55
Bay City.....54	Cypress-Fairbanks	64
Bay City.....49	Lamar Consolidated	50

DISTRICT RECORD
4 Wins, 6 Losses

A-Team Members



TAYLOR EVANS



COACH SAM MAGLITTO

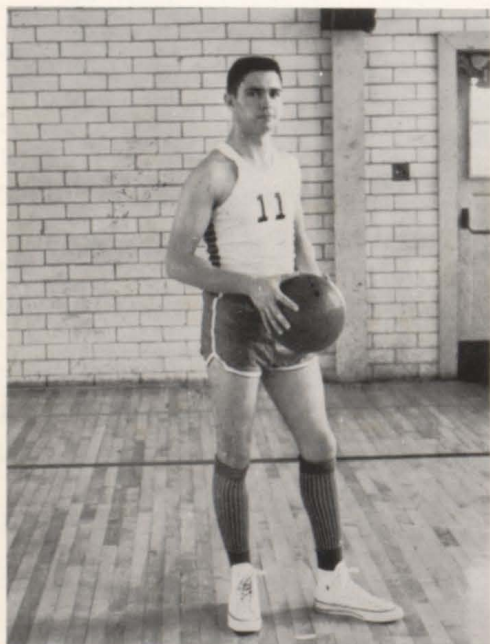


MARC LANDRUM



BASKETBALL MANAGERS

L-R: Sonny Hildreth, Charles Curtiss,
James Hachett.



JIMMY HUNT

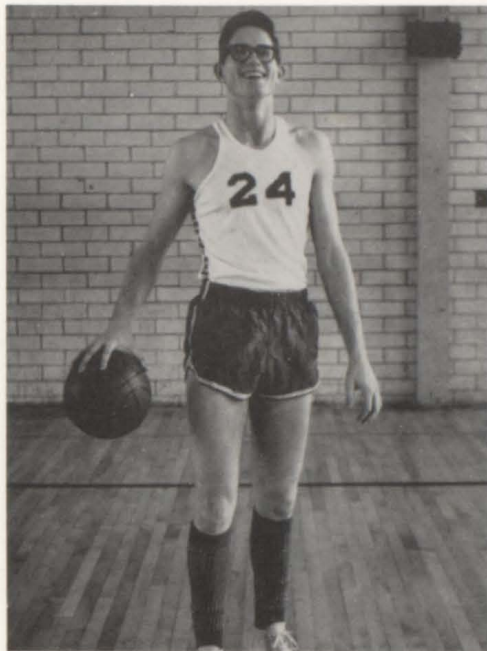


RONNIE MILLER

A-Team Members



PAUL BACA



VERNON HARRISON



GERALD MEYERDIRK



B-Team

FRONT ROW, L-R: Bryon Perkins, Steve Polk, Wayne Siptak. SECOND ROW, L-R: Russell Anders, John Faseler, John Boeker, Ray Halford, Eddie Wright.

Freshman Team

STANDING, L-R: Frankie Webb, Melvin Newsom, Ira Chasnoff, Charles Hennig, Gary Olson, Jimmy Baker, David Harrison, Steve Coleman. BOTTOM ROW, L-R: Robert Douget, Ben Powell, Mike Lively, Ray Stewart, Dusty Dalton, Skip Osborne.



Black Cat Track Team



Todd hands off to Roy.

MILE RELAY

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Roy passes the baton to Doyle.



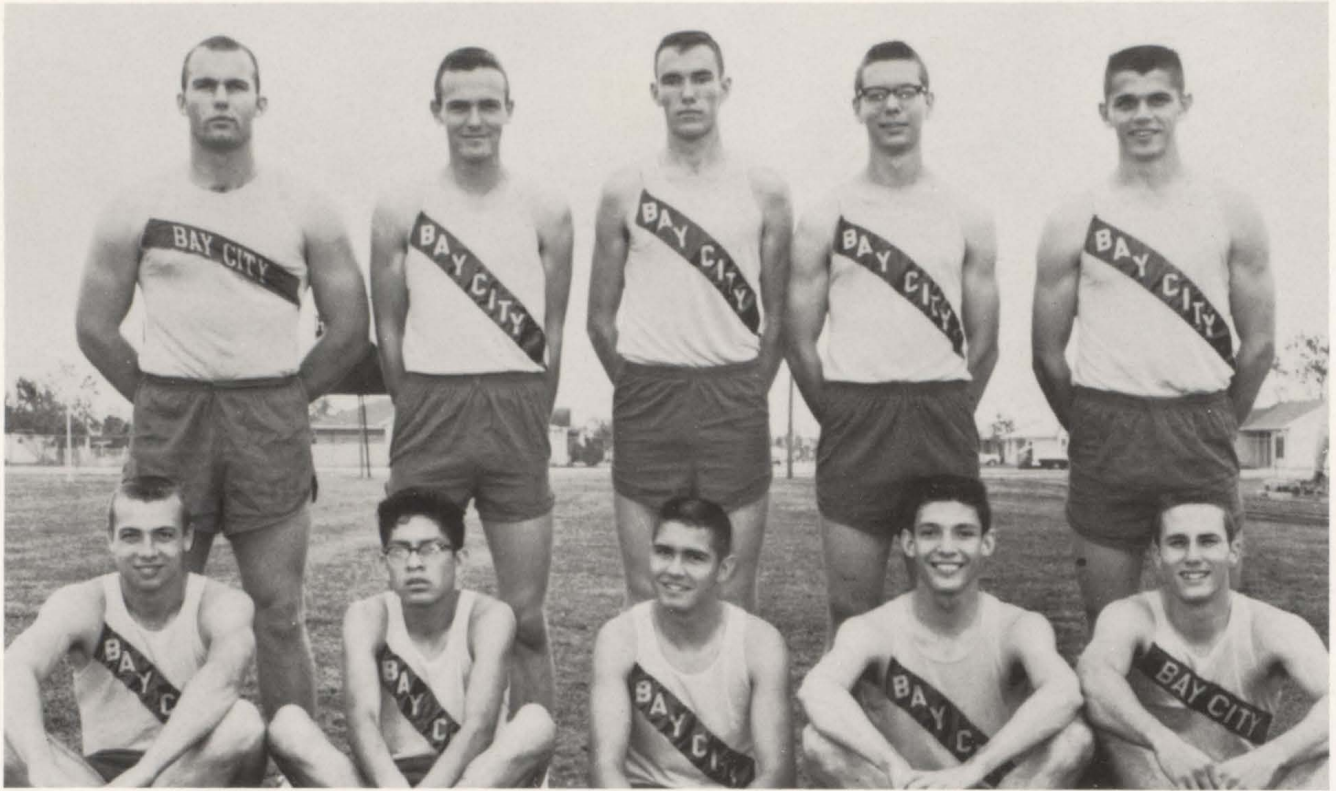
The District Track Team



Doug Short takes the lead in the high hurdles at the Black Cat Relays.

Doyle Shivers anchors another winning mile relay.





The Regional Track Team



Manuel Perez finishes the mile.



Coach Rogers adds up the points.



Coach Rogers and the boys composing the 440 and 880 yd. relay teams.



Jackie's "off and running."



Todd Patton presents Gennie Eastman, Relay Queen, her gift. Phoebe Reading and Jeanne Anderson were runners-up.

Baseball



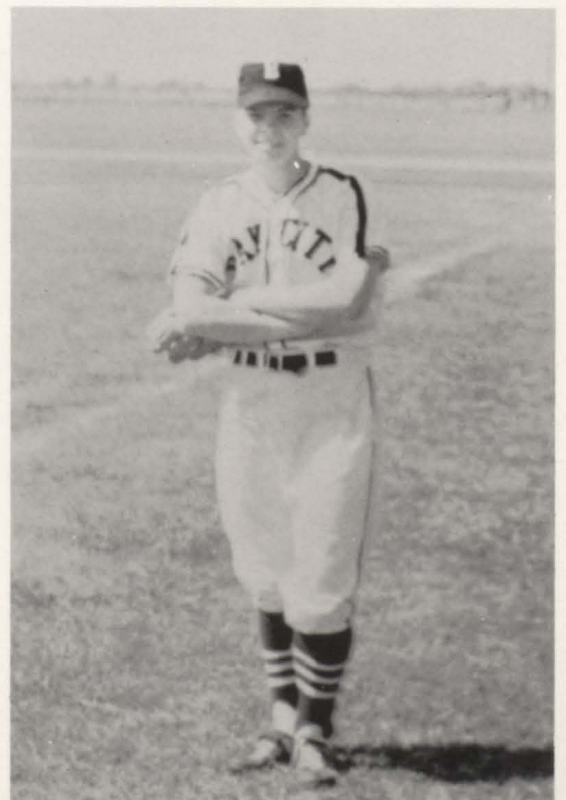
COACH DON HALEY



MANAGERS
Charles Curtiss, Wayne Volkmer



LARRY HEAD
Pitcher



LESLIE LeGRAND
Catcher

Team Members



BUBBA HUDSON
Catcher



CHOP RENYA
First Base



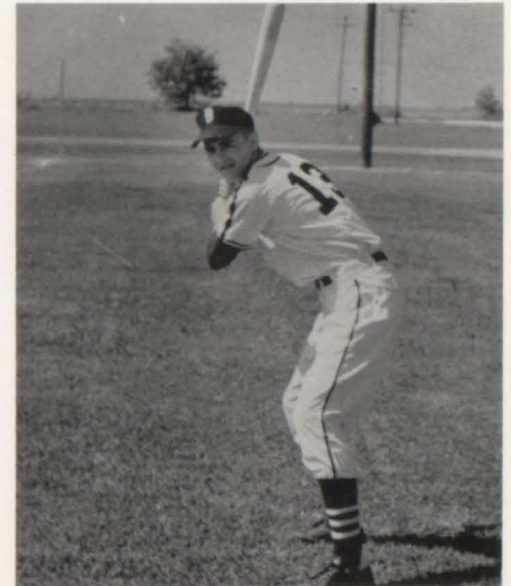
EARL McWILLIAMS
Second Base



JOE LAWHON
Center Field



Coach Haley warms up the infielders.



JOHN FAESLER
Center Field



WAYNE SIPTAK
First Base



DEWAYNE SIPTAK
Second Base



RICHARD WAGNER
Pitcher

Team Members



VERNON HARRISON
Center Field



JOE KELLY
Pitcher



ERNIE GAJDOSIK
Right Field



WAYNE HEAD
Left Field



The Cats prepare for a game.



TAYLOR EVANS
Shortstop



BOBBY BALSLEY
Catcher



HOWARD WILLIAMS
Outfield



MIKE LIVELY
Right Field

Golf



DISTRICT 11AAA CHAMPIONS

BOTTOM ROW: Steve Polk, Bill McDowell, Buddy Hurst, Bubba Hudson. TOP ROW: Jerry McAllister, Eddie Wright, Jimmy Baker, Mike Root.



BILLY McDOWELL



JIMMY BAKER



STEVE POLK



BUBBA HUDSON



FRED HOSEY



MIKE ROOT

Girl's Basketball



Varsity Team



MISS RINGGOLD
Head Coach



MISS SOUTHWELL
Assistant Coach

"A" Team Members



TRISH EVANS
Guard



ANN RICE
Forward



ANNA MAE ORSAG
Forward



MANAGERS

Linda
Ray

Dianna
Thorpe

Joyce
Martin



MARY ACOSTA
Guard



SANDRA GARRISON
Forward

MARGIE RAINEY
Guard



"A" Team Members



DEBBY SHORT
Forward



CINDY MARTIN
Forward



PHOEBE READING
Guard



TRI CAPTAINS

Sandra
Garrison

Ann
Rice

Trish
Evans



MARY FROMAN
Guard



PAT WILLIAMS
Guard

GAYLE FALKS
Takes a Shot





B-Team

GIRLS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1961-62

Bay City	vs.	Tidehaven	W
Bay City	vs.	Edna	L
Bay City	vs.	Angleton	L
Bay City	vs.	West Columbia	W
Bay City	vs.	Wharton	L
Bay City	vs.	Wharton	W
Bay City	vs.	Sweeny	W
Bay City	vs.	Edna	L
Bay City	vs.	Angleton	L
Bay City	vs.	Sweeny	W
Bay City	vs.	West Columbia	W

DISTRICT GAMES

Bay City	vs.	Brazosport	L
Bay City	vs.	El Campo	L
Bay City	vs.	El Campo	L
Bay City	vs.	Brazosport	L

Cheerleaders and Pep Squad



TRISH EVANS



CLAIRE COLLINS
Head Cheerleader



ANN RICE



Pep Squad



GENNIE EASTMAN



PHOEBE READING



Activities

Homecoming — 61



Homecoming begins with the giant pep rally.



The band leads the parade to the square.



The cheerleaders really have the spirit of homecoming.



One of the many decorated cars in the parade.

Bay City 14 — Lamar Cons. 13

Homecoming — 61



Football boys get a free ride.



Cheerleaders lead the way for homecoming game.



Trish Evans is chosen Homecoming Queen. Gennie Eastman and Claire Collins were runners-up.

Senior Play



Grandpa (Hill DeWolfe) prays this way.



Attention on the Kirbys (Jimmy Allen, Sheila Schuessler).



Kolenkhov (Don Wertz) gives praise to Alice (Judy Watson).



Mr. DePinna (Ronnie Miller) poses.



Penny (Barbara Vaughn) has news that excites everyone.

You Can't Take It With You, the Senior play of 1962, was a comedy that delighted all who had the pleasure of seeing one of its two performances. The play contained action evolving from love to G-men, and there was never a dull moment. The Seniors and Mr. Rains, director, can surely be proud of a job well done.



Last minute briefing from Director Rains before curtain.

Speech Play



Hours before the play begins, the make-up crew prepares actors for the stage.

DEATH TAKES A HOLIDAY

The Drama Class, Speech Classes, and members of the National Thespian Society, Troupe 2124, presented their annual Spring Play in the Bay City High School Auditorium on March 22-23.

Mr. Dale O. Rains, director, and Miss Carolyn Sparks, student director, coached a cast of thirteen students in their interpretation of the Broadway play, *Death Takes A Holiday*.



The Baron Cesarea, "a tremendous lover."



Don toasts to the success of the play before curtain on opening night.



"Shall we serve tea?" ask maids, Elaine and Evie Jean.

Sophomore Sweetheart Dance



Phoebe Reading was chosen "Sophomore Sweetheart" of 1962.



Phoebe, Roy, and Claire Collins, last year's queen, and Vernon Harrison lead the way for the many who attended the dance.



Bubba Hudson and Elaine Lewis go under during the grand march.

Kid Day — '62



"Even kids get hungry!"



"These kids are in a gay mood."

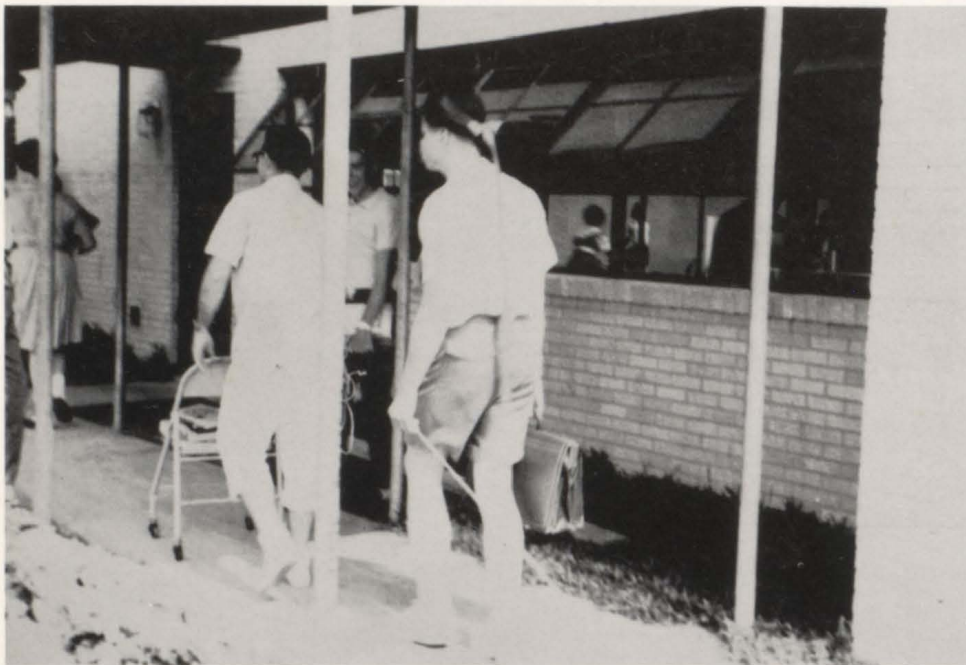


"What's going on here, kids?"

Kid Day — '62



"Clear the way, here comes our Valedictorian!"



"Gosh, Wallace, did you see that girl on the bike?"



The kids wait their turns to jump rope.

Western Day



"Think I'll head her off at the pass, Charlie."



"A Western Spanish Class?"



Bay City's own "little" cowgirl, Elaine McCrosky.



"You are too bowlegged."



Cotter's first period dudes.



Pencil pushing cowgirls.



The High Noon Gangs



Quick Draw "Catfish."



Fish Go Western, too



"The Tall Texan?"

Students and faculty alike turned out in their Western duds Thursday, March 15, Western Day, to show their interest in Matagorda County Annual Fat Stock Show and Rodeo. There were no horses, but everyone wore their cowboy shirts and pants combined with boots and ten gallon hats. School was dismissed early to participate in the parade with the trail riders.

Faculty Basketball Game



The "Agile Academians" warm up with a little hot coffee.

VERSUS

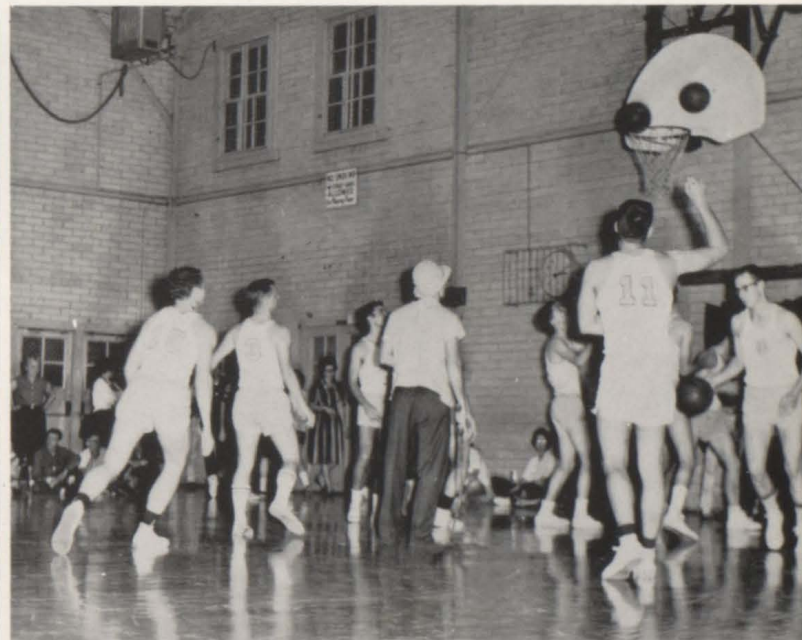


The members of the men's team burn up the court practicing.

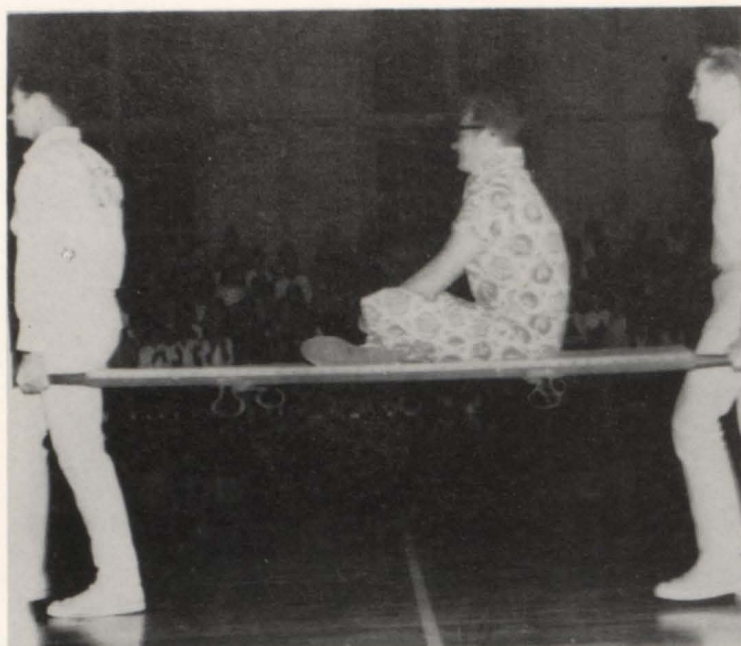
VERSUS



The Senior Girls' team or "The Twisters" take time out in the game to pose for photographer.



The Senior boys' team practice shooting the basket.



The "star," Mr. Gregg, is carried in royal style.



Cheerleaders for the "Twisters"



Mrs. Hurst is really working for the fighting Academians.



Mrs. Coffey is about to get a penalty for arguing with referee Renfro.



The "Agile Academians" aren't so agile after the long and hard fight.



Classes

Seniors



CLASS MOTTO: "Today's Goals, Tomorrow's Successes"

CLASS SONG: "We'll Have These Moments to Remember"

CLASS COLORS: Pink and Silver

Senior Officers and Sponsors



Sponsors

MR. JECMENEK
MRS. BROUGHTON
MISS SEAY
MISS HYLTON
MR. SPIELMAN

Class Officers

DOUG SHORT—President
E. B. REDDOCH—Vice-President
FRED HOSEY—Chaplain
SHELIA SCHUESSLER—Treasurer
HARRIET BRADY—Reporter
JOYCE LAWERENCE—Secretary



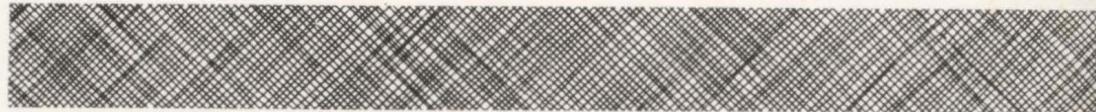
SHARON ABENDROTH
 FHA Pep-Squad, Library Staff, Shorthand and
 Typing Interscholastic League, Shorthand
 Awards, Typing Interscholastic League, Catstale
 Staff.

PATSY ADAMS
 Pep Squad, Shorthand Award, Typing Award.



LYNDA ALFORD
 FHA 1-4.

GLENN ALLEN
 Football, Basketball, Track, Rodeo Team 1-3,
 Sgt.-At-Arms of Freshman Class.

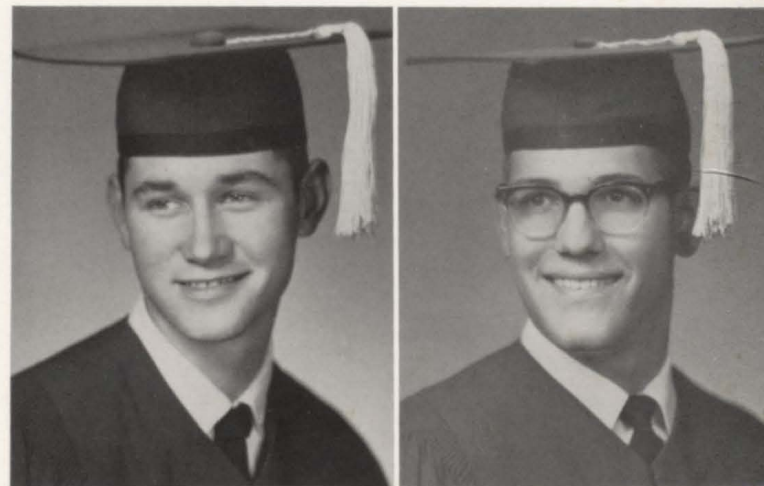


JAMES ALLEN

A Cappella Choir, Greenhand President, Livestock
 Judging Team, Delegate to State FFA, Judging
 Team, FFA Leadership Award, FHA Beau, Vice-
 President of Choir, All Regional Choir, District
 Sec. FFA.

JIMMY ALLEN

Football 1-4, Basketball, FLC, Golf 1-3, Track,
 National Latin Honor Society, Speech Club,
 Variety Show, Library Staff, All District Foot-
 ball Offense.



PAUL BACA

FLC, Football 1, Basketball 1-4, Intramural
 Horseshoes.

LINDA BALSLEY



ELISA BANADO

FLC, FTA, Thespian Society, Senior Play, Speech Play, "Diary of Anne Frank," Choir, Accompanist for Choir, Annual Staff, Variety Show, Pep Squad, League Poetry and Ready Writing, Regional Choir.

DICKIE BARR

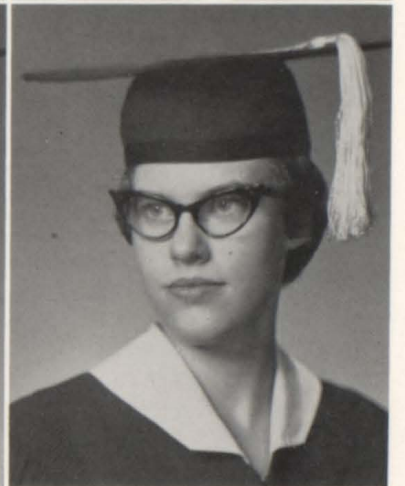
Band, District Typing, Orchestra, FLC, Latin Honor Society, Ass't Editor Catstale, Senior Play, Thespian Society, President of Thespian Club, National Honor Society, Annual Staff, Master Musician, Speech Play, "Death Takes a Holiday."

JOHNNY BAXTER

FLC, Greenhand Vice-President, Greenhand Chapter Conducting Team, FFA Livestock Judging Team, Best Chapter Fryer Award, Catstale Reporter.

JANIS BERTMAN

Latin Honor Society, Science Fair, Latin Club Reporter, Sophomore Class Treasurer, Variety Show, FHA Pep Squad, National Honor Society, FHA Girl of the Month, Christmas Angel Duchess, FHA Chapter Degree, FHA Junior Degree.



MARILYN BLUM

Pep Squad, FHA Career Day Hostess, Latin Club, Catstale Staff, Annual Staff, Office Staff, FTA.

HARRIET BRADY

Band, FLC, Career Day Hostess, Variety Show, Band Council, FHA, National Honor Society, Senior Class Reporter, Band Treasurer, Master Musician.

AIDA BREAU

Office Staff, Library Staff, Bookkeeping Awards, National Honor Society.

PAULA BREWER

Band, FLC, Latin National Honor Society, Editor of Catstale, National Council of Teachers Achievement Awards, Daughters of American Revolution Good Citizen Award, President of National Honor Society Bay City Chapter, Master Musician.





ELAINE BRISCOE

Band, Junior Degree FHA, District Band, Sophomore Favorite, Girl of the Month, Variety Show, Career Day Hostess, Band Council, Orchestra, Band Reporter, Thespian Club Clerk, Master Musician, Speech Play, "Death Takes a Holiday."

BILL BROUGHTON



GAREY BROWN

Band, Slide Rule Team, Variety Show, Band Council, Senior Play, Master Musician.

JANNETT BULLOCK

Band, FLC, Latin National Honor Society, Hostess for Career Day, Shorthand Award, Thespian Society, Drama Club Reporter, Student Director of Senior Play, Cast of Speech Play, "Death Takes a Holiday."



SALLY BUNK

Choir, Pep Squad, Career Day Hostess, Pep Squad, FTA, Regional Choir, All State Choir, National Honor Society.

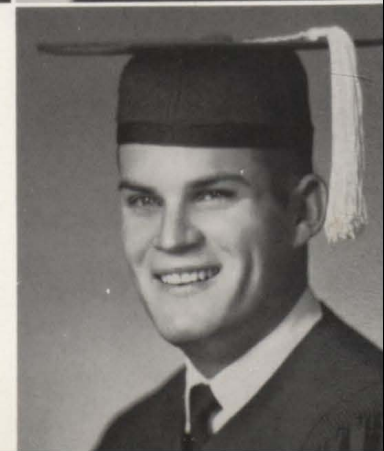
PAULINE CALDWELL

Choir, FHA, National Poetry Association.

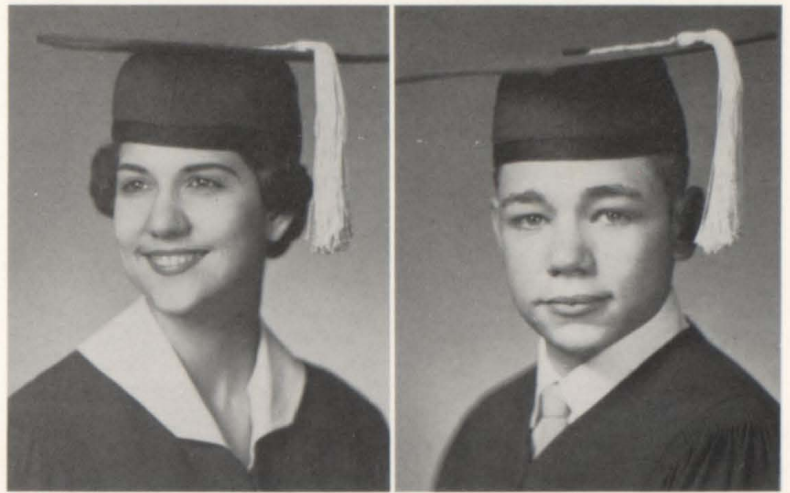


TOMMY CHAMBLISS

Football, Basketball, Speech Club, Senior Play, Catstale Staff, Debate Team.



PATSY CIHAL
Band 1-4.
JOHN COLE
FFA, Spanish Club.



NINA CONNELLEY
Choir, Regional Choir, Alternate to All State
Choir, Pep Squad, Variety Show, All State Choir,
FHA, FTA.

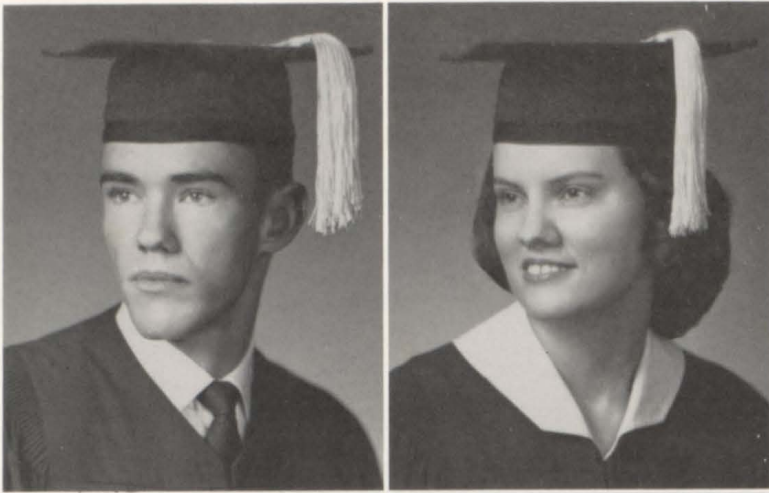
SUSAN CROSSLAND
Pep Squad, Choir, FTA, FHA.



JAMES DANCER
Science Club.
ROSA DE LA CRUZ
FHA, Pep Squad, Choir

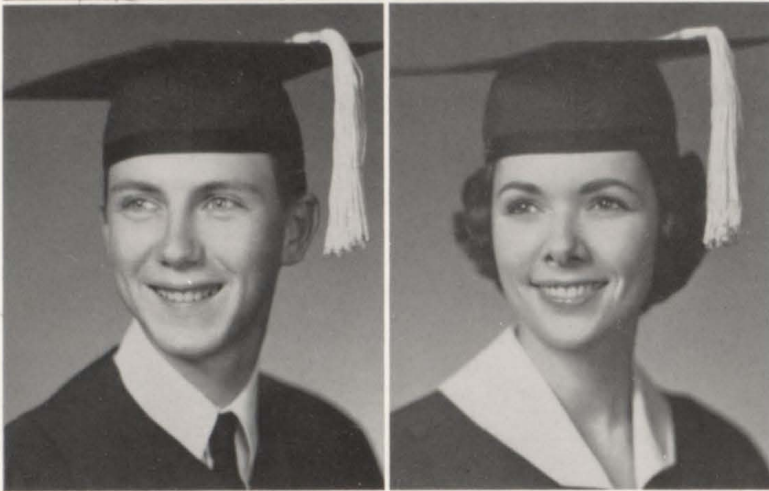
JO DE LOS SANTOS
Band, FHA, Career Day Hostess, Twirler, Sec.
of Junior Class, Office Staff, Variety Show.

TIM DE REECE
Football, FLC.



HILL DE WOLFE
Football, Basketball, Track, FLC, Variety Show,
Football Manager, Senior Play.

LINDA DILLEY
FHA, Intramural Badminton.



JACK DRAPELA
Choir, Library Staff, Variety Show.

GENNIE EASTMAN
FHA, Pep Squad, Basketball, Choir, FLC, Sopho-
more Sweetheart Duchess, Career Day Hostess,
Parliamentarian of Pep Squad, Assistant Cheer-
leader, Student Council, Bluebonnet Girls State,
Junior Class Favorite, Blackcat Relay Queen,
National Honor Society.



TRISH EVANS

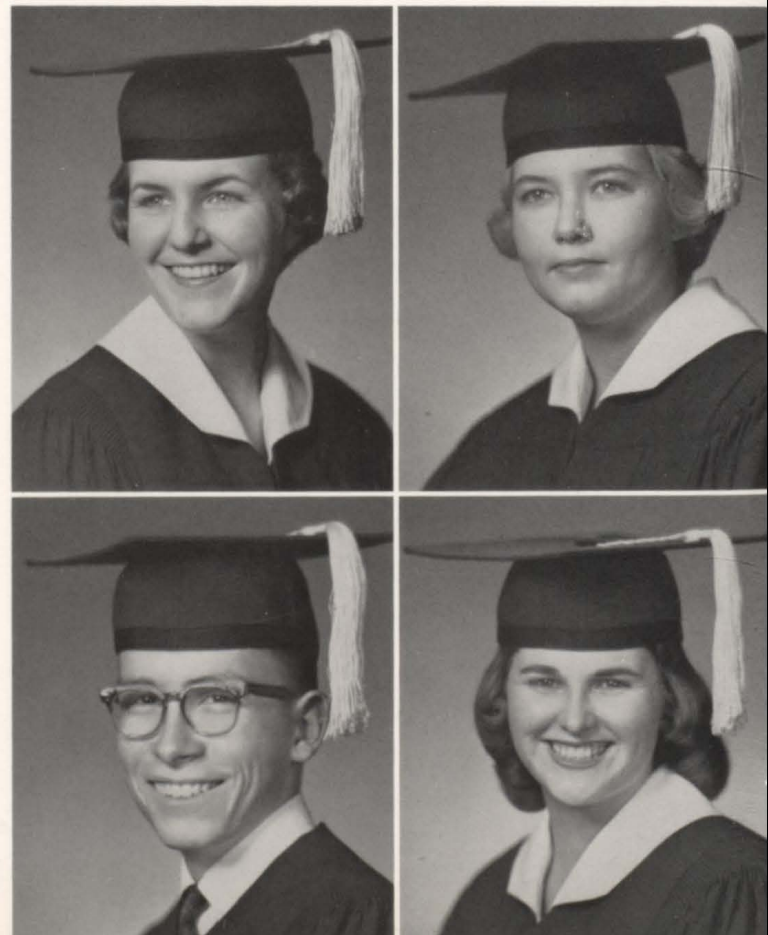
Pep Squad, Runner-up Homecoming Queen,
Sophomore Sweetheart Duchess, Student Council,
FHA, Spanish Club, Basketball, Choir, Basket-
ball Tri-Captain, Variety Show, Homecoming
Queen—4, Career Day Hostess, Christmas Angel
Duchess 3.

EVELYN FISHER

Choir, League Spelling (District First Place),
Hostess for Career Day, Choir, National Honor
Society, Senior Play, FTA Historian, FTA Dele-
gate to State Convention.

JIMMY FOREMAN
Spanish Club.

BETTYE FORREST
Pep Squad, FHA.

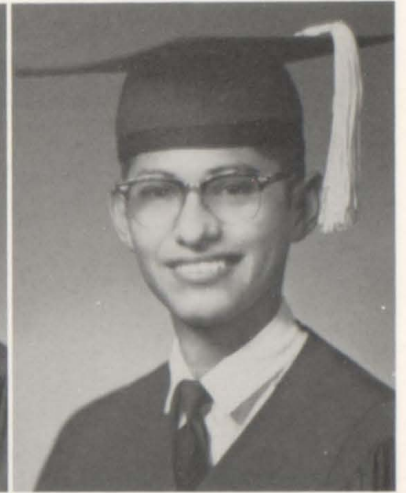
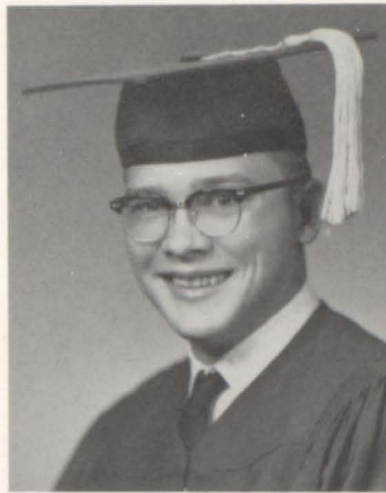


DONALD GANN

Band, Talent Show, Latin Club, Science Fair, Senior Play.

MANUEL GARCIA

Band Manager, Library Staff, Variety Show, Orchestra.



SANDRA GARRISON

FHA, Basketball, Shorthand Award, Filing Award, National Honor Society.

GAYLE GIBBENS

FHA, Bookkeeping Award, Gregg Subject Filing Awards, Commercial Staff.



DAVID GRAHAM

Band, Orchestra, Pres. of Sophomore Class, Student Council, All District Band 1-3, FLC, Boys State, Latin Honor Society, Variety Show, National High School Poetry Association Award, Senior Band Representative, Co-Editor and Business Manager of Annual Staff, National Honor Society, Slide Rule, Master Musician.

ROY GREEN

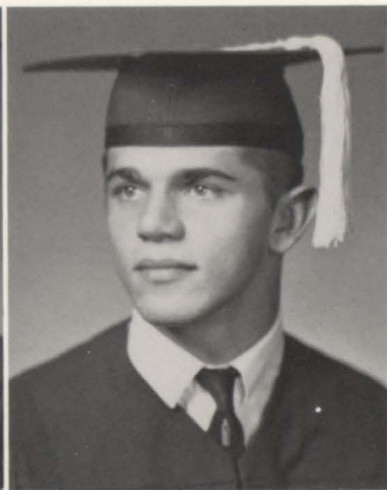
Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Track 1-4, State Meet Track 3-4, Student Council, Junior Favorite, Choir, Golf.

TREVELYN GRIGGS

FHA 1-4, Drama Club, Pep Squad, FHA Reporter, Secretary of Pep Squad, Junior Play.

BILLIE MARIE GRIMES

Band, FHA, Career Day Hostess, Debate Team.





NORMAN GALLE

Library Staff, Football, Annual Staff, Intramural Basketball, Intramural Horseshoes, Intramural Ping Pong.

TOMMIE MARIE HAHN

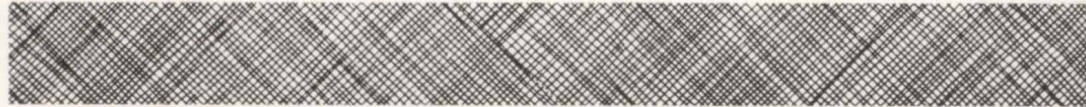
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JUDY HALE

Pep Squad, Choir, Regional Choir, FTA, Career Day Hostess, Cast of "Diary of Anne Frank," All State Choir, FTA President, Pep Squad President, Thespian Society, National Honor Society.

TOMMY HARKEY

FFA Green Hand Sentinal, High Point Individual Wharton County Livestock Show, Judging Contest, FFA Vice-Pres., Bus. Mgr. Catstale Staff.



SHIRLEY HAYTON

FHA Pres., FHA Girl of the Month, Hostess Career Day, FHA Parliamentarian, FHA Delegate to State Meet, Catstale Staff, Co-Editor Catstale, Senior Play, National Honor Society, Best Actress District Interscholastic Play.

EVIE JEAN HEAD

Girls Basketball, FHA, Library Staff, Office Staff, Speech Play, Photography Club.

LARRY HEAD

Football 1-4, Baseball 1-4, Basketball 1-3, Track, Intramural Volleyball and Badminton, Captain of "B" Football Team, All District Football, Annual Staff, Catstale Staff, FLC.

JOHNNY HOBSON



PAULETTE HOOTS

Choir.

FRED HOSEY

Football, Student Council 3, FLC, Art Club, Intramural Volleyball, Basketball, Intramural Tennis, Latin National Honor Society, National High School Poetry Association Award, Golf, Senior Class Chaplain.

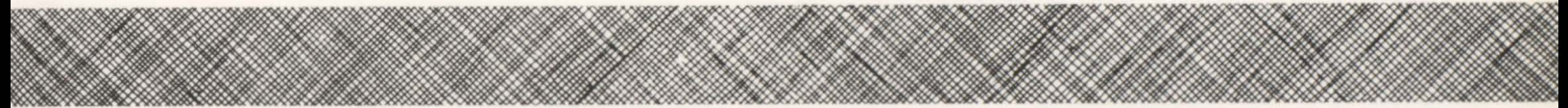
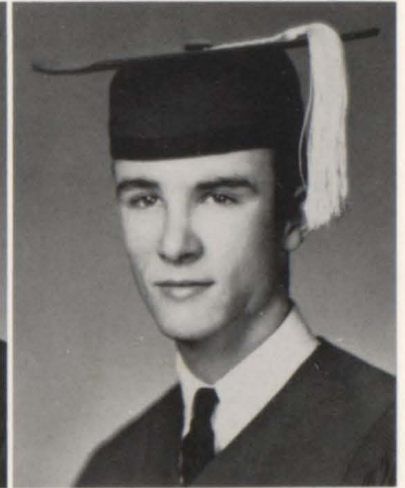
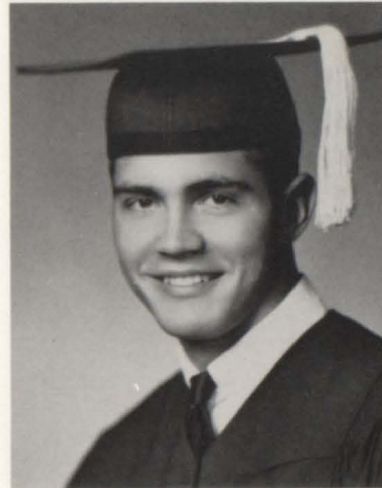


JIMMY HUNT

FLC, Latin National Honor Society, Basketball, Football 2-4, Baseball, Student Council, Variety Show, Track, Basketball Captain 4, 2nd Team All District Basketball, Vice-President of Student Council, National Honor Society.

BUDDY HURST

FLC, Golf Team District Champs, National Honor Society.

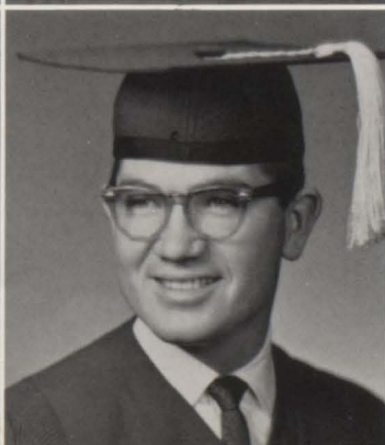


WANDA JOHS

Pep Squad, FHA, Career Day Hostess, Choir, Catstale Staff, Library Staff, Office Staff.

BARBARA KARKOSKA

FHA 1-3-4.

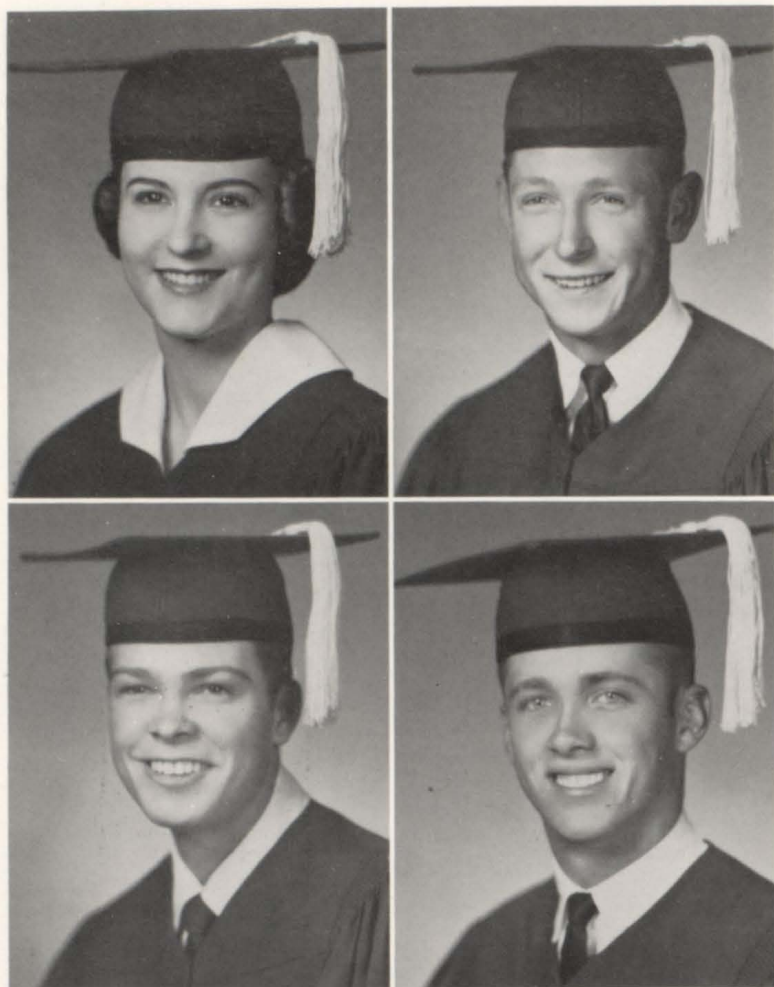


MARIGENE KENNE

FHA Choir, FTA Pep Squad, Choir, Regional Choir.

WALLACE KLINGAMAN

Band, Band President, Orchestra, Band Council, Master Musician, All Senior Honor Band.



JOYCE LAWRENCE

Pep Squad, Basketball, Choir, Sophomore Duchess, Candidate Blackcat Relay Team, Student Council, Junior Class Reporter, Drama Club, Cast "The Diary of Anne Frank," Variety Show, Candidate Homecoming Queen, Historian of Student Council, Vice-Pres. National Honor Society, Thespian, Candidate Blackcat Relay Queen.

DEWAYNE LEDWIG

Greenhand Conducting Team, FFA Sentinel, Livestock Judging Team, Dairy Judging Team, Beef Judging Team, Library Staff.

LESLIE LEGRAND

Football 1-4, Basketball, Baseball, National Honor Society, Debate Team, Speech Class Play, Senior Play, Pres. of Drama Club, Thespian Society, FLC.

HUNTER LUDWIG

Track Manager, FFA, Greenhand Treasurer, Parliamentary Procedure Team.



SYDONIA MANNA

Band, League Typing, Student Council, FTA, Bookkeeping Award, Commercial Staff, National High School Poetry Association Award, Master Musician, National Honor Society, Gregg Filing Award.

ANN MATTHES

FLC, Duchess Sophomore Sweetheart Dance, Variety Show, Catstale Staff, Blackcat Mascot, Senior Play, Sec. Thespian Society, League Play.

JERRY McALLISTER

Band, FLC, Basketball Manager, Golf District Champs, Variety Show, Latin National Honor Society, National Honor Society.

BILLY McDOWELL

Golf, FLC, Latin National Honor Society, Band.



SHARRON McKENZIE

FHA, Catstale Staff.

KAY McCREE

Pep Squad, Library Staff, Choir, Variety Show, Shorthand Awards, Catstale Staff, National Honor Society, Filing Awards, Bookkeeping Award, Commercial Staff.



JUDY MEHRENS

Band, Pep Squad, FHA, Library Staff, Choir, FHA, Career Day Hostess, Library Staff, Office Staff, Lantana Duchess, Catstale Staff, Annual Staff.



JANIE MORALES



DONNA MORAN
Pep Squad, FLC; FHA.

C. G. MILLER

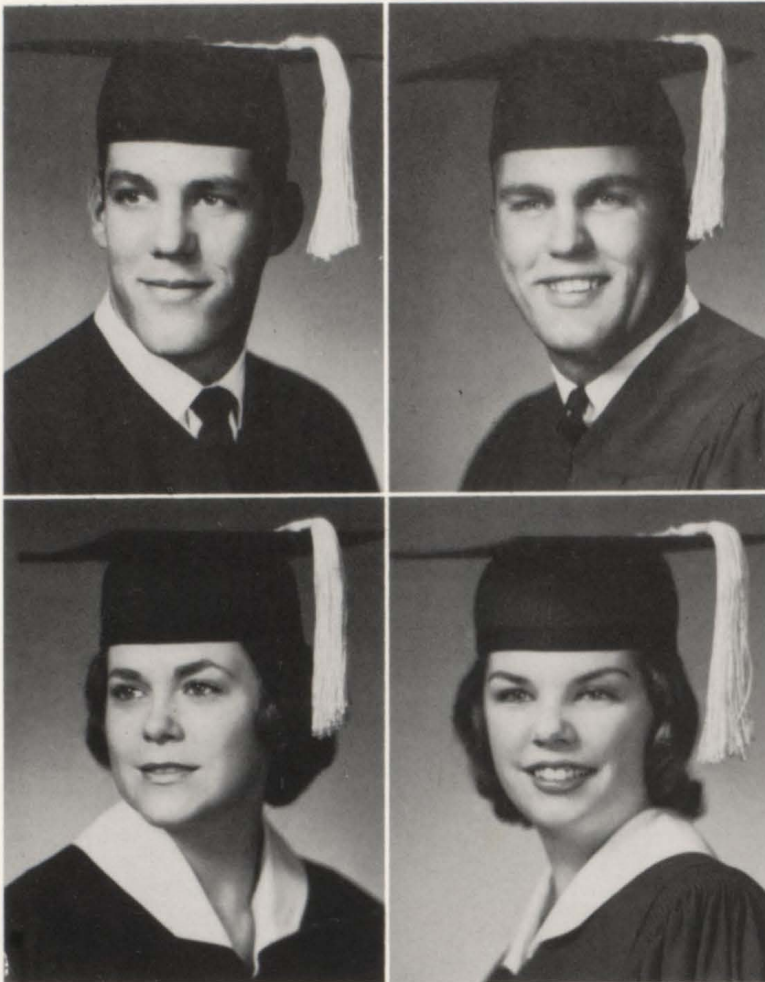
Band, Library Staff, Football Mgr., Track Mgr., Band Council, Band Vice-President, Senior Play.



RONNIE MILLER
Football, Senior Play, Basketball.

CONNIE NEALY

FLC, FHA, Bookkeeping Award, Choir, Office Staff, Candidate for Blackcat Relay Queen.



ROBERT NOSTER

Band, Football, Basketball, Track, All Senior Honor Band, Orchestra.

SAMMY OATES

Football, Track, Choir, Variety Show, Annual Staff, State Meet—Discus, Track Captain, Choir President, Photography Club.

LYNDA OTTIS

Pep Squad, FHA, Pep Squad Sec., Catstale Staff, Annual Staff, Senior Duchess to Sophomore Dance, Thespian Society, Speech Play, Principal's Office Staff.

MARY LOU OTTIS

Pep Squad, FLC, FHA, Catstale Staff.



PHILLIP PAINE

Band, FLC, National Latin Honor Society, Intramural Basketball and Horseshoes, Band, National Honor Society.

TOMMY PATTON

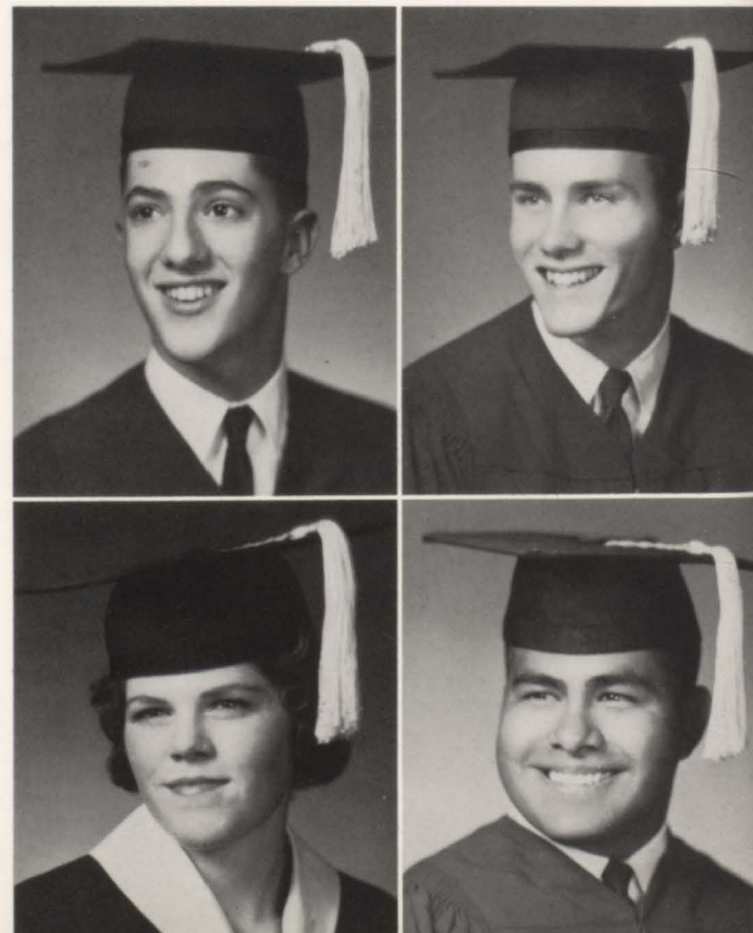
Student Council President, Football, Basketball, Track, Golf, Junior Class President, All District Football Team, Student Council 1-4, Slide Rule, Senior Play Cast.

CAROLE PENLAND

FHA 1-4, Pep Squad.

LUPE PEREZ

Football 1-4, Co-Captain Freshman Football Team, Captain A Squad, Sportsmanship Award, National Honor Society, Vice-Pres. Sophomore Class.



MANUEL PEREZ

Track, Spanish Club, Intramural Horseshoes.

SAMMY PEREZ

Track, Intramural Basketball, Intramural Volleyball and Horseshoes.



MELODIE PETERSON

Band, FHA.

PAM RAKESTRAW

Pep Squad, FLC, Career Day Hostess, Latin National Honor Society, FHA, Library Staff, Spanish Club.



LINDA RAY

FHA, Library Staff, Basketball Manager, FHA Parliamentarian.

JUDY REDDOCH

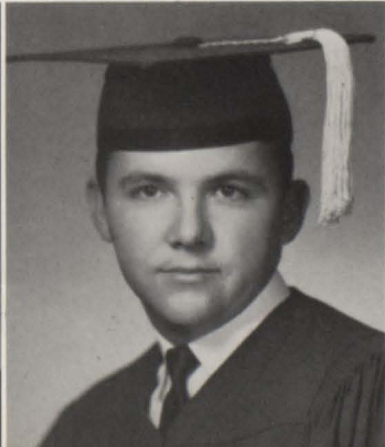
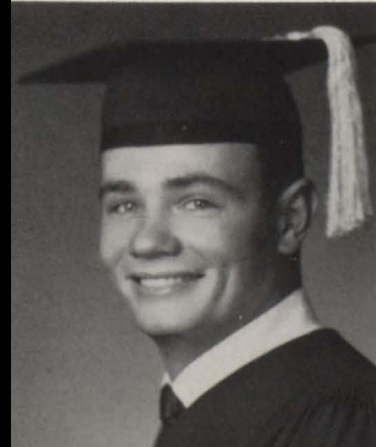
Band, FHA, Career Day Hostess, Band Librarian, Band Council, League Typing, League Shorthand, Bookkeeping Award, Commercial Staff, National Honor Society.

SKIPPER REDDOCH

Football, Basketball, Track, Sophomore Class Treasurer, Sophomore Class Favorite, FTA, Senior Class Vice-President.

STUART REEDY

Football Manager, Basketball, Library Staff, FLC, Library Staff, Variety Club.





VINCENT REYNA

Football, Intramural Volleyball, Intramural Basketball, Intramural Ping Pong.

ANN RICE

Pep Squad, Basketball, Freshman Candidate for Relay Queen, Student Council, Volleyball, Cheerleader, Sec. of Sophomore Class, Annual Staff, Career Day Hostess, Choir, FHA, Sec. Spanish Club, Variety Show, Spanish Club Candidate for Homecoming.

MELBA ROBBINS

Library Staff, FHA, FLC, Outstanding Future Homemaker, FHA Treasurer, FHA Girl of the Month and Girl of the Year, FHA Junior Degree, FHA Secretary, FHA Chapter Degree, National Honor Society.

PETE RODRIQUEZ

Band, Spanish Club, Football, Track, Intramural Basketball and Volleyball.



LINDA ROGERS

Pep Squad, Library Staff, Choir, Shorthand Award, Candidate for Blackcat Relay Queen, National Honor Society, Filing and Bookkeeping Award, Commercial Staff.

JUDY ROTH

Pep Squad, Library Staff, Spanish Club, FHA.

MARY ANN ROTHER

Pep Squad 1-3, FHA 1-4.

GERRY ROWLAND

Pep Squad, Career Day Hostess, Library Staff, FHA, Spanish Club.



GALE RUTH

FHA, Pep Squad, Office Staff, Speech Play, "Death Takes a Holiday," Thespian Society, Sec. of FTA, Sec. of Drama Club.

MARGARET SANDUSKY

Band, Band Librarian, FHA, Annual Staff.



NANCY SANNER

Freshman Class Favorite, Freshman "Most Likely to Succeed," FHA, Basketball, Library Staff, Debate Club.

SHEILA SCHUESSLER

Student Council, Sec.-Treas. Freshman Class, FLC, Band, Latin National Honor Society, Career Day Hostess, Treasurer of Senior Class, Office Staff, Science Fair, Master Musician.



STEPHEN SCHUESTER

Transferred from Auburn, Indiana, Intramural Volleyball and Horseshoes.

CHARLES SCRUGGS

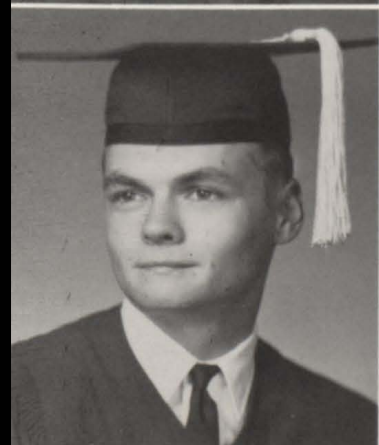
Baseball, Football, FFA, Choir, Junior Play.

BURL SELLERS

Band, Orchestra.

MONA SELLERS

Basketball, FHA, FLC, Pep Squad, Variety Show, Choir, Cheerleader, FFA Chapter Sweetheart, FFA District Sweetheart, FTA, Candidate for Homecoming Queen, Candidate for Relay Queen, Career Day Hostess, Student Director of Speech Play.





DOUG SHORT

Band, Football, Track, Choir, Drama Club, FLC, Nuclear Science Symposium, Student Council, President of Senior Class, Thespian Society.

LINDA SIMPSON

Band, FHA, Treasurer FHA, Junior Degree FHA, District Band, Regional Band, Speech Play, "Death Takes a Holiday," National Honor Society, Thespian Society.

SPENCER SMITH

Football 2-4, Basketball 2-3, Vice-Pres. Junior Class, Variety Show, Boys State, Debate Team.

CAROLYN SPARKS

Band, FHA Junior Degree, FLC, Career Day, Hostess, Student Director for Speech Class Play, Thespian Society.



JAMES SPURR

Football, Track.

SAM STANLEY

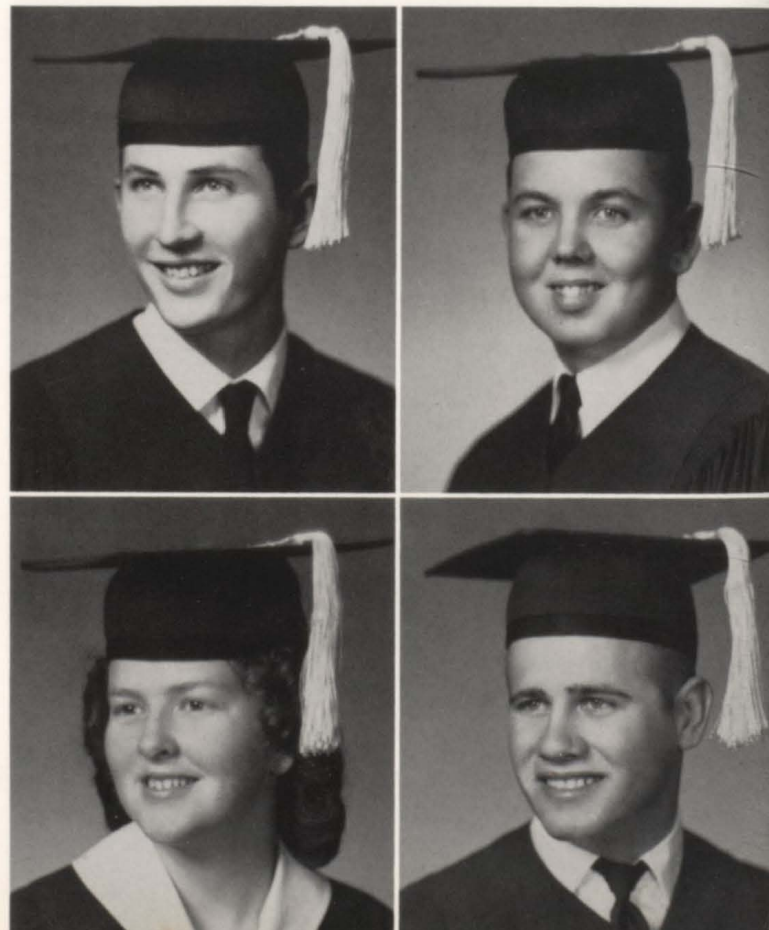
Sec. FFA, Greenhand Chapter Conducting Team, Livestock Judging Team, Library Staff.

BETTY STARKS

FHA 1-2-4.

RAYMOND STAVINOHA

Football, Track, Freshman Class Favorite, Library Staff, B Team Football Captain, Junior Class Treasurer, Variety Show.



FRANK SUSIK

Basketball Manager, Library Staff, FLC, Variety Show, Intramural Basketball and Volleyball, Choir, Debate Team, Thespian Society, All Regional Choir, Catstale Staff.

JIMMIE SUE THOMPSON

Band 1-4, FLC, FHA, Filing Awards.



BARBARA VAUGHN

FHA, Pep Squad, Choir, Regional Choir, Volleyball, Career Day Hostess, Variety Show, All State Choir, Senior Play, Vice-President FHA, Girl of the Month.

JUDY WATSON

Band, Band Council, Band Librarian, FLC, Career Day Hostess, Drum Major, Senior Class Play.



ARLENE WELFEL

FLC, Pep Squad, Hostess Career Day, Reporter for FHA, National Honor Society, League Typing.

SUE WERLLA

Band, Basketball, Basketball Manager, National Honor Society, Filing Awards.

DON WERTZ

Band, FLC, FTA, Speech Class Play, Variety Show, National Thespian Society, Senior Play, Debate Club.

SHERRY WILLIAMS

Member of Band Council, FHA, All District Band, Junior Homemaker Degree, Orchestra, Chapter Homemaker Degree, Reporter FHA, Career Day Hostess, Necchi-Elna Award, Variety Show, Sec. National Honor Society, State Homemakers Degree.





RONNY WILLIAMSON
Blackcat Annual Editor, Transferred from Milby
High School, Houston, Texas.

JANIE YBARRA



JACKIE YOUNG
Football, All District Football, Track, Speech
Club, Spanish Club.



"Cold weather just seems to sweep John Cole off his feet."



"Everyone likes cold weather."



"David stands on top of the heap."



"It can't be that bad, boys . . . or can it?"



"Who is Tommy holding hands with?"

Senior Snaps



"Tom loves his cigar."



Team and admirers.



Two against one.



The "team" goes for a swim.



Best wishes to Todd, Buddy, and Doug.



Gerry and Pam dry Gerry's hair.



Jimmy and Ann talk about the senior trip.



"Just waiting to twist."



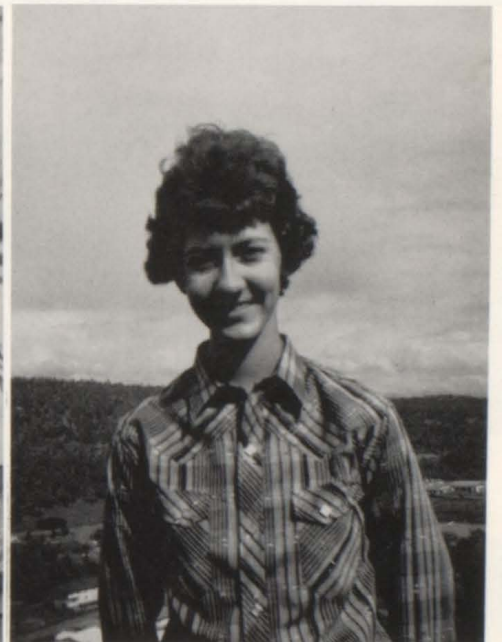
"If you knew what I knew."



"Not in the pit, please!"



"Yep, it's Methyl and Janis."



"Nature Girl"



Elisa does it again.



"We stand on the fifth amendment."



"Don't believe a word . . ."



"Remember"



Just us girls



Three's company



Paul

On the Beach



Spencer



In the mood



Lupe had a party



Must be late



What did you say?



What page did you say?



Deadline



The Judge and the defendant



Blue ribbon



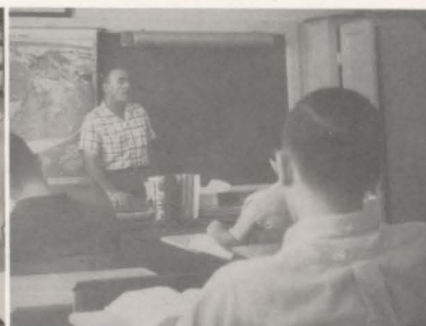
Billie Marie



Skipper



Doughnuts



"And we won the war"



Where did they go?



Look at picture 4, it's me.



Annual photographer



Off Guard



"Stew" and sand



Congratulations Did you know?



Senior Trip — '62



A cowpoke that all the seniors will remember.



Everyone had fun on the way up to Mayan Ranch.



The pool had plenty of use.



The brave ones rode horses.



Sam's eyeing the mule he ended up with.



The girls got tired.



So did the boys. (Except Bill)



The sponsors look a little tired also.



"What do we do now?"



"Well, we could—never mind."



"Remember the night at this place?"

Senior Trip



The morning breakfast and horseride were great.



"We're ready to start home."



Ann went swimming again at Landa Park.



They had boats at Landa Park also.



Some (like our Army sponsor) took a big boat.



Sue and everybody else were tired on the way home.

Junior Officers and Sponsors



Sponsors

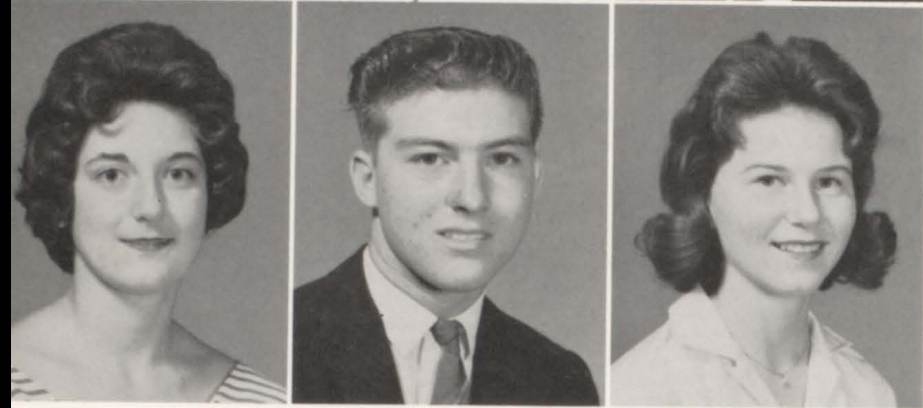
MR. MUSKIET
MRS. O'NEAL
MRS. GREGORY
MRS. BROWN
MR. ROBINSON

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KAYE LYNE WESTMORELAND—Treasurer
KERRY GRAHAM—President
DALE COE—Reporter
KAREN SHOULTZ—Secretary

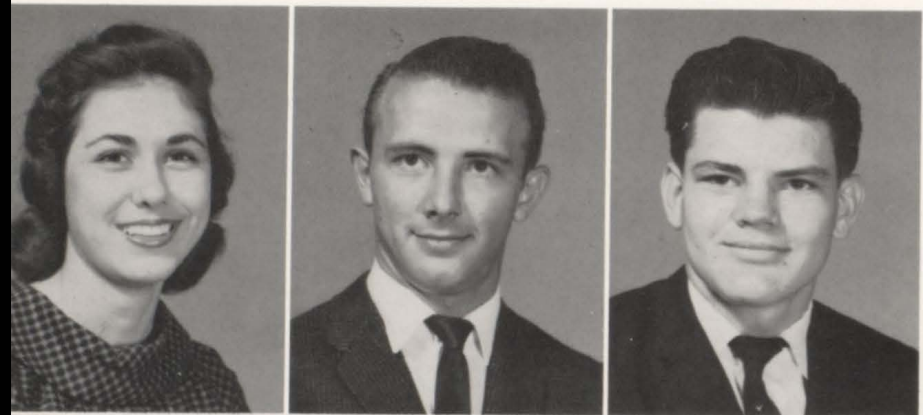


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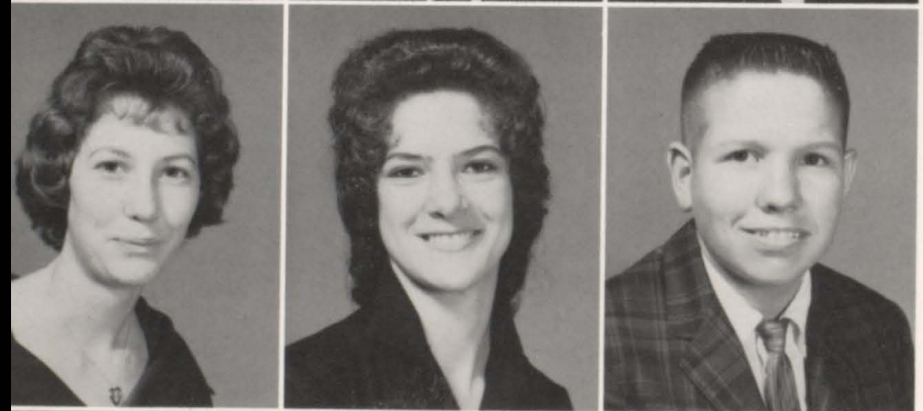


Annis, Elizabeth
Balsley, Bobby
Barron, Paula

Juniors



Bay, Cheryl
Blount, John
Blum, Peter



Boring, Frances
Brasher, Linda
Broughton, Freddie



Bryden, Bobby
Bunk, Paula
Bunk, Susan

Butler, Jenyne
Cannon, David
Cantu, Brunilda



Cerny, Mildred
Chambliss, Sarah
Curtiss, Charles



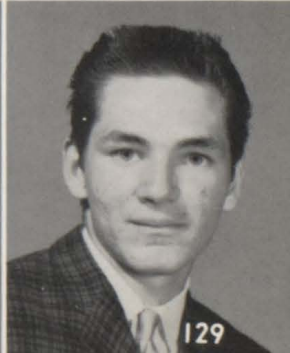
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Clark, Larry

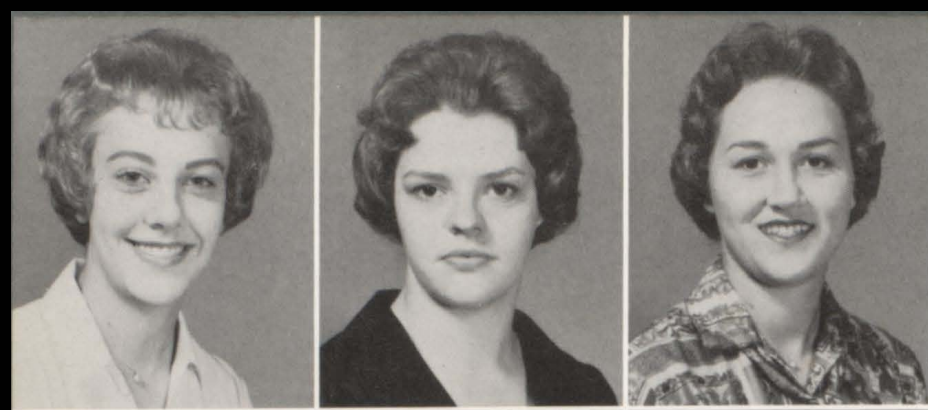


Connors, Thomas
Currie, Leslie
Dalton, Kay



Dearmond, Tommy
Draper, Nita
Dunaway, A. N.





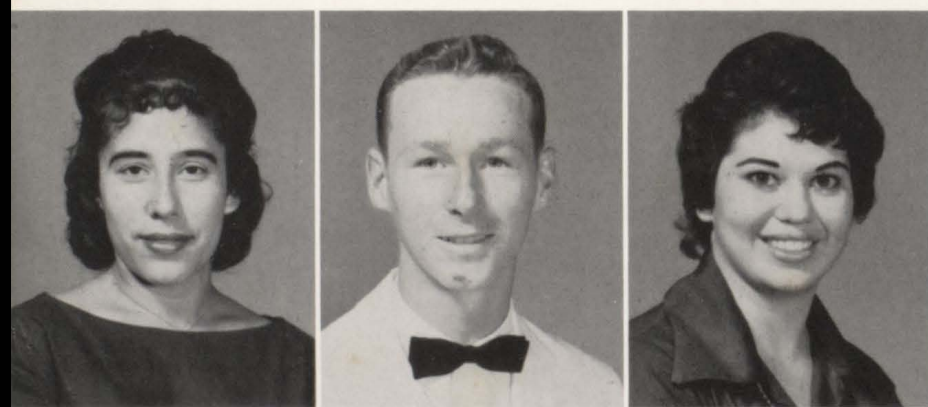
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Entzminger, Mary Ann



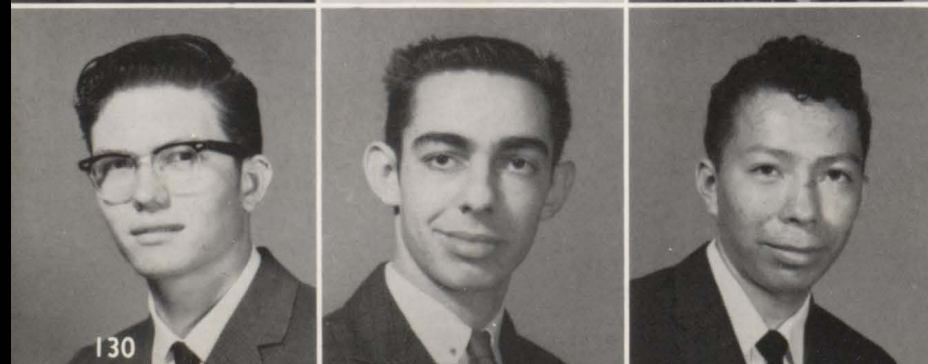
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Escamilla, Ofelia
Falks, Gayle



Fisher, Pat
Frazier, Karyle
Gann, Dennis



Gonzales, Sarah
Graham, Kerry
Green, Dorothy



Griffith, Joe Frank
Guzick, Louis
Guzman, Valentino

Hahn, Dolores
 Hahn, Pat
 Hanzik, Gerald



Harkey, Sherry
 Harrison, Kathy
 Harrison, Vernon



Hart, Leslie
 Head, Wayne
 Henkes, Barbara

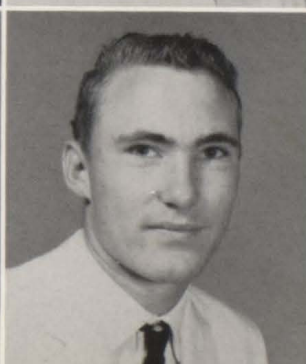


Juniors

Holloway, Larry
 Hunt, Linda
 Janise, Eunice



Jones, Barbara
 Jurek, Donald
 Kalinec, Edmund



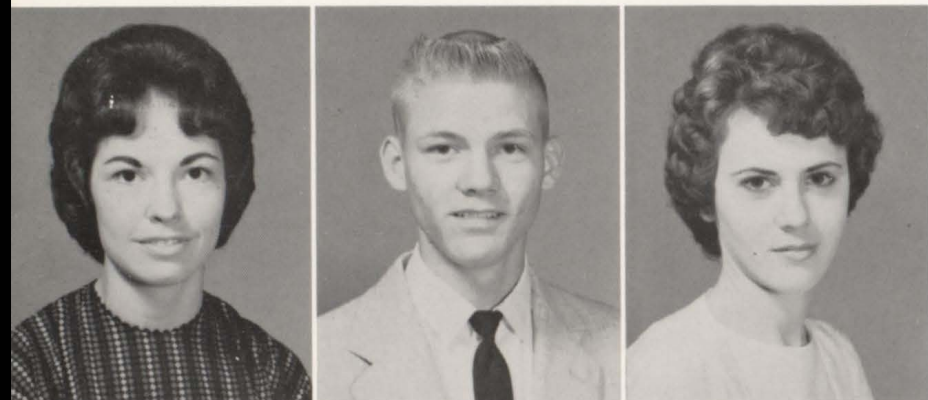
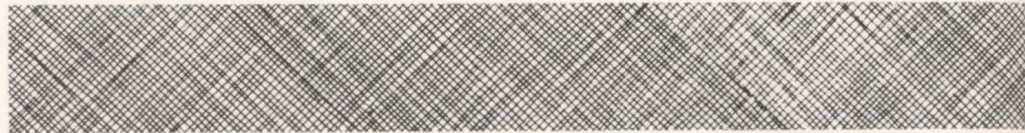


Keen, Nelson
Kilbride, Jimmy
Kinard, Shirley



Kirton, Bill
Knott, Bethelene
Landrum, Marc

Juniors



Lenderman, Sue
Lipinski, Jerry
Lively, June



Long, Johnny Frank
Luna, Gloria
Martin, Joyce



Martinez, Florence
McAllister, Julianne
McCrosky, Elaine

McKissick, Jerallyn
McWilliams, Earl
Mehrens, Camp



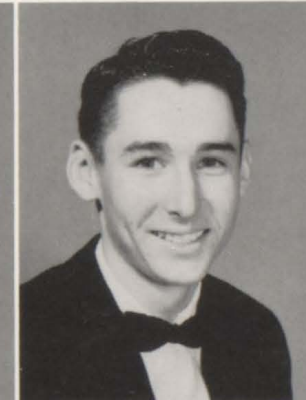
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Minatrea, Narita
Myers, Louise



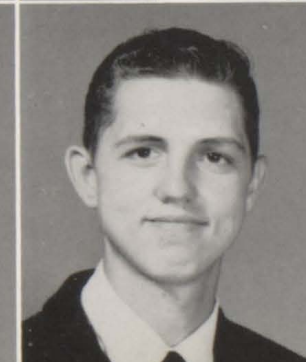
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Parker, Susan

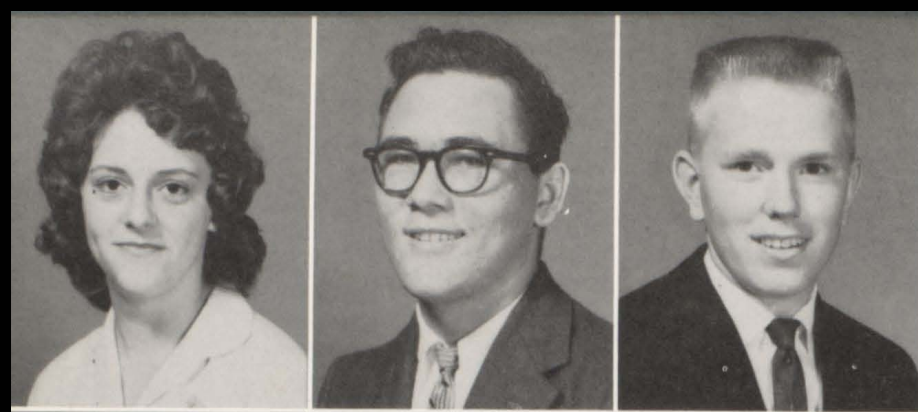


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Perkins, Bryan
Pruett, Jimmy



Renfro, Pat
Revelle, David
Reyna, Eysabel

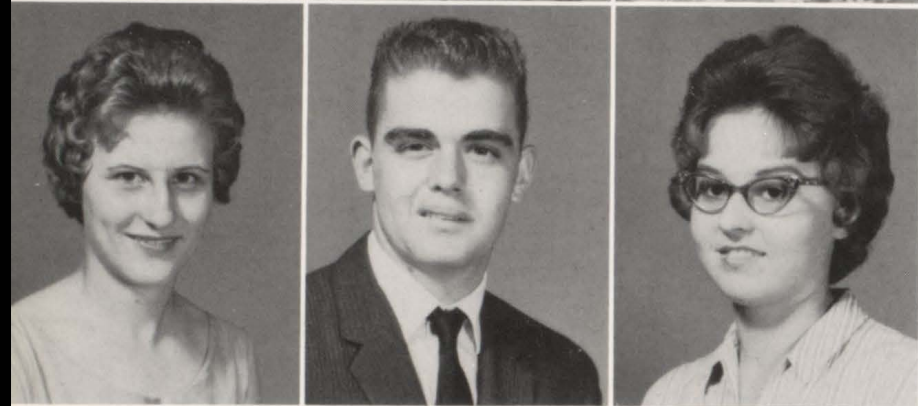




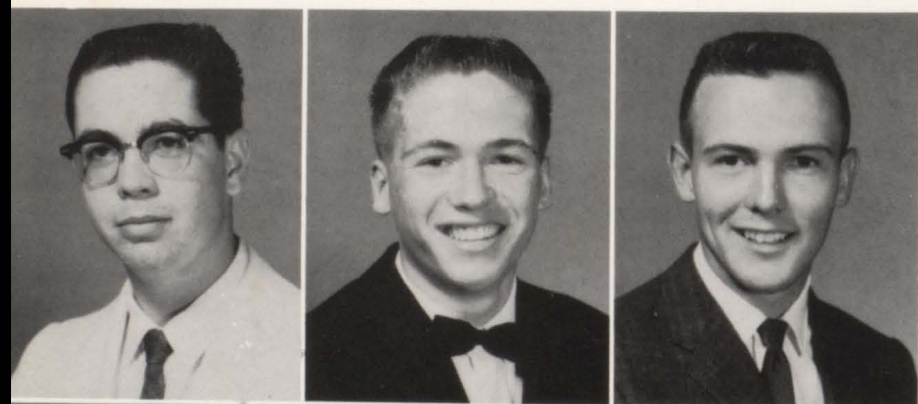
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Rowland, Tommy



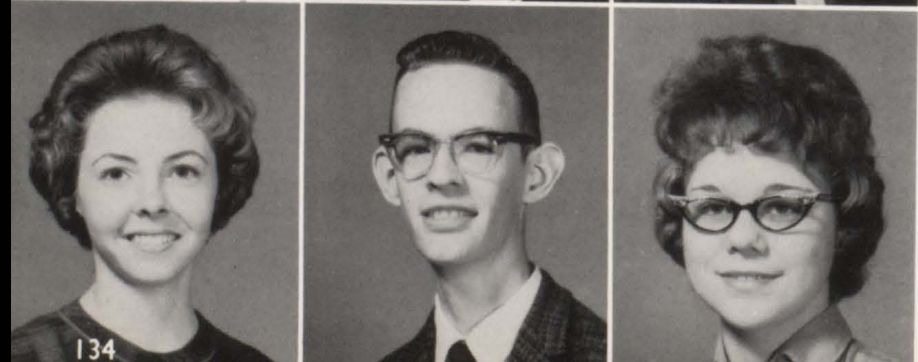
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Ryman, Carolyn
Ryman, Elizabeth



Schimek, Janice
Sellers, Clarence
Salter, Sandy



Sanders, Jimmy
Shaffer, Larry
Shivers, Doyle



Shoultz, Karen
Sims, Neil
Smith, Eyvone

Smith, Nadine
 Smith, Michael
 Smith, Patricia



Sterling, Mary
 Svetlik, James
 Tibbetts, Mary



Townsend, Charles
 Vaughan, Lee
 Vinson, Sue



Juniors

Wagner, Audrey
 Wakefield, Jimmie
 Westmoreland, Kaye Lynn



Wilson, Robert
 Withrow, Betty Lou
 Younts, Lynda





Ybarra, Lydia
Zimmerman, Carol



"Let's hope the ice doesn't break"



"Freshman slaves lead a cheer."



"Eager Eaters"



"Lynda, are you alive?"



"Who is Pat eyeing?"



"Rough Night?"



"Sleeping beauties?"



"Blackmail!"



"Try and catch me asleep, will you!"



Junior girls are after the Senior boys.



Two happy Juniors.



Pat's on the beach again.



"James is thinking?"



Junior girls are so becoming.

Sophomore Officers and Sponsors

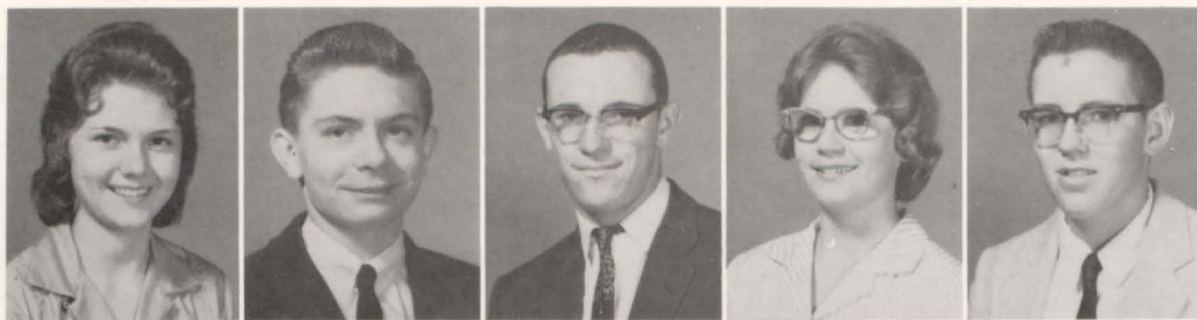


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PHOEBE READING—Vice-President
MIKE STAMPLEY—Secretary
RUSSEL ANDERS—Treasurer



Allen, Nancy
Anders, Russell
Anderson, James
Baca, Susie
Barron, Kenneth



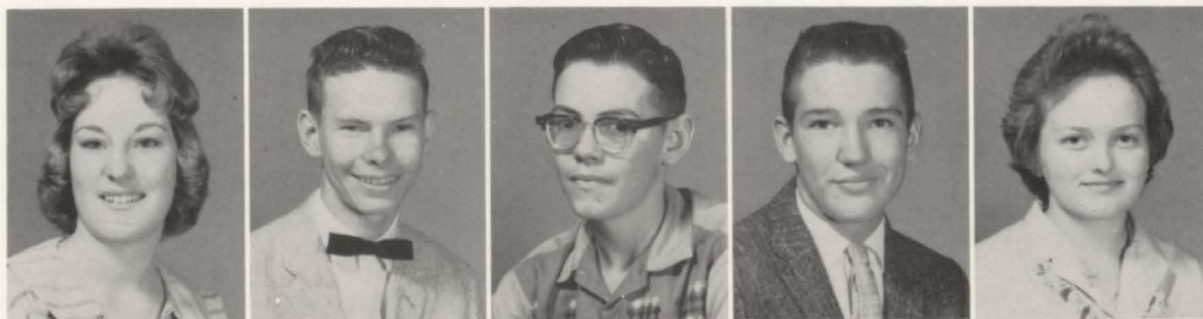
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Bertmann, Linda
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Boeker, John



Bossley, Susan
Brasher, Glinda
Bridges, Lana
Broughton, Janie
Brundahl, Cheryl

Sophomores

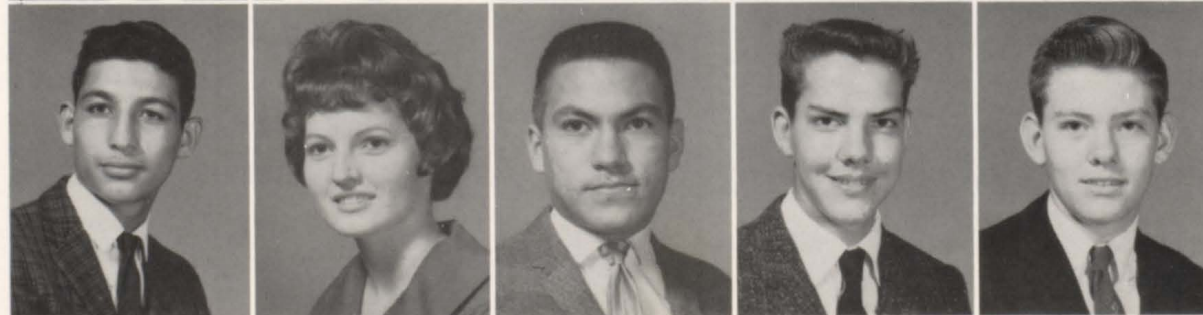
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Carroll, Dela Jo



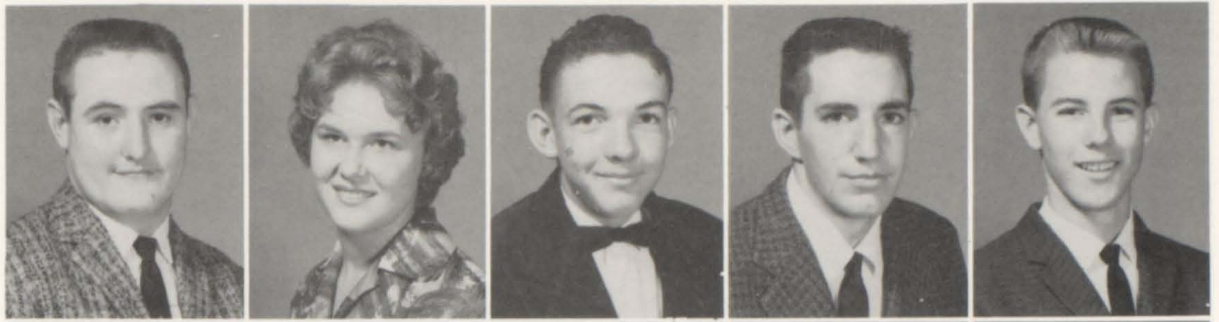
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Collida, Steve Ann
Cook, Clifton



Cordoba, Jesse
Dean, Mazie
De La Cruz, Joe
Dilley, Jerry
Duncan, George



Elkins, Nowell
Entzminger, Peggy
Estes, Danny
Evans, Taylor
Evatt, Wayne



Faesler, John
Feinberg, Steven
Franklin, Beverly
Fromen, Mary
Garcia, Kenneth



Gassen, Rosemary
Gates, Rebecca
Graeter, Georgia
Hagaman, Barbara
Hahn, Rosey



Hall, Ruth Ann
Hamilton, Judy
Hallford, Ray
Harvey, Ervie
Hayton, Joe



Hennesey, Rhonda
Henery, William
Hickey, Weldon
Hildreth, Sonny
Hlavinka, Mary Ann



Hinman, Laura
Hoke, Kathleen
Hoke, Morene
Homann, Bob
Hudson, Bubba



Huebner, Bill
Hurd, Paul
Johnson, Dorothy
Johnson, Linda
Jones, Arliss

Jones, Millie
Kelly, Joe
Klepac, Tommy
Klingaman, Donna
Knapic, Judy

Knipple, Theodore
Lane, Tommy
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Lesikar, Vance

Sophomores



Le Tulle, Linda
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Luder, Karen
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Lyle, Patty



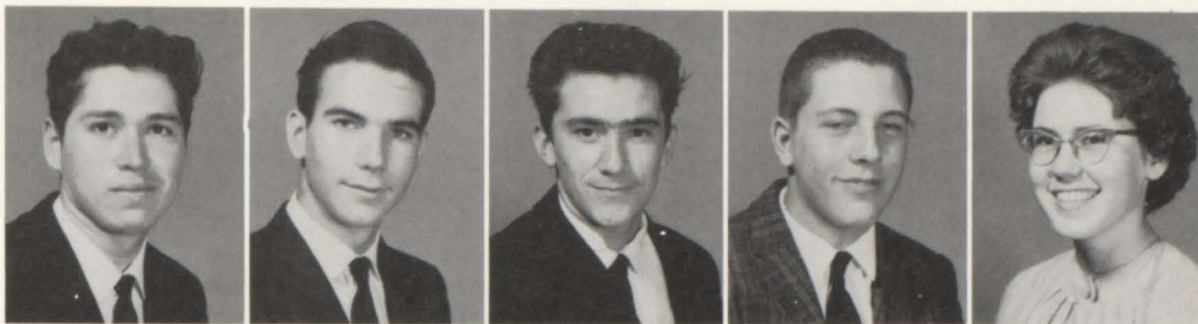
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McGuirt, Pat



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Mendiola, Minnie
Mills, Tom
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Morales, Janie



Morales, Matt
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 Munoz, Joe
 Ottis, Dickie
 Patterson, Nancy



Pena, Daniel
 Polk, Steve
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 Reddoch, Donna



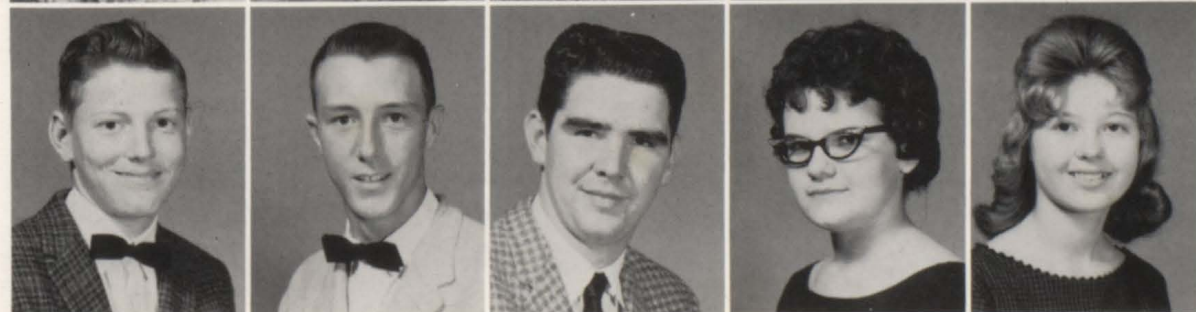
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Root, Mike
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 Sanchez, Janey
 Sanchez, Ophelia
 Savage, Pip



Scott, Frances
 Short, Debbie
 Sifford, Clyde
 Slater, Bill
 Slone, William



Smith, Curtis
 Smith, David
 Snow, Artie
 Sowell, Betty Sue
 Springer, Lynda



Stampley, Mike
 Stanley, Nikki
 Stavinoha, Shirley
 Stephens, Wayne
 Steves, Diana

Siptak, Dwaine
 Siptak, Wayne
 Svetlik, Doris
 Svetlik, Nancy
 Swinford, Ricky

Taylor, Joyce
 Tenberg, Maxie
 Tinnin, Nova
 Thormaehlen, Linda
 Thornton, Sandy

Sophomores



Thorpe, Diana
 Thiabeaux, Beverly
 Tillman, Joe Don
 Torres, Mary
 Trenino, Manuel

Vaughan, Sue,
 Vega, Alice
 Volkmer, Wayne
 Wagner, Richard
 Ward, Elaine

Wainner, Mike
 Welfel, Rosalie
 Wells, Linda
 Williams, Pat
 Wilson, David



Wright, Eddie
Ybarra, Justo
Ybarra, Ray
Zernicke, Ernie



Sophomores



"You don't think he saw us, do you?"



"Give me a double Sophomore over ice."



Sophomores keep Freshmen in tow.



"Even Bill likes sophomores."



"Jackie and Pat"



"Western Day"



Sophomores, as they view Black Cat Relays.



Linda has a come-as-you-are party, and then all go for a swim.



"Phoebe"

Freshman Officers and Sponsors



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Secretary—Anthony Doubek
Reporter—Martha Wilkinson

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Mrs. Louise Thomas
Mrs. Joyce Knapik
Mr. Henry Black

Abendroth, Tommy
 Acosta, Louis
 Adams, Wayne
 Alexander, Sandra
 Allen, Charlotte
 Anderson, Shirley



Annis, Sue
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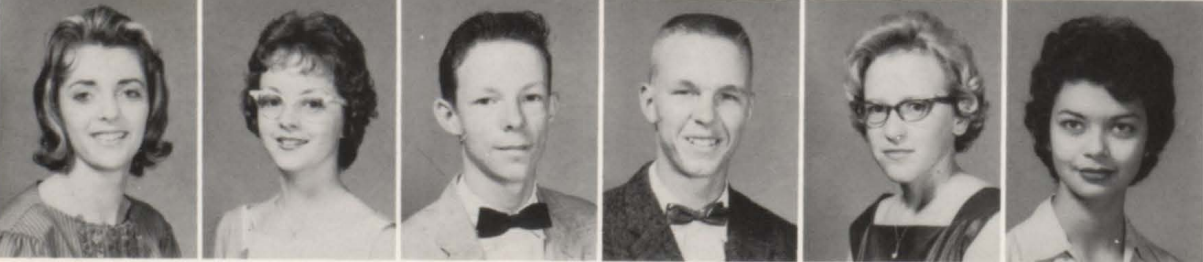
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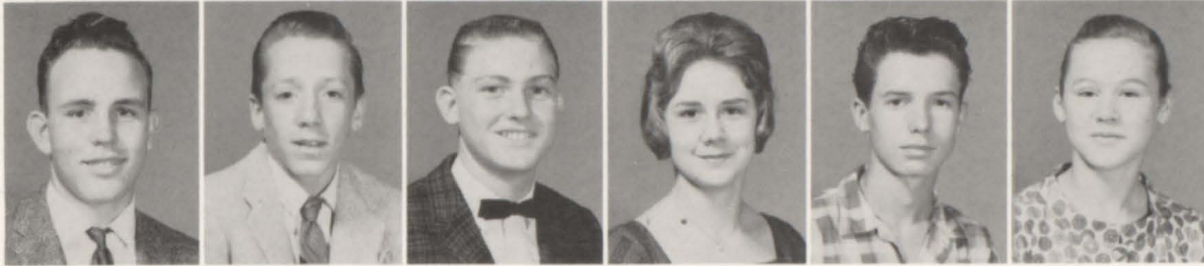
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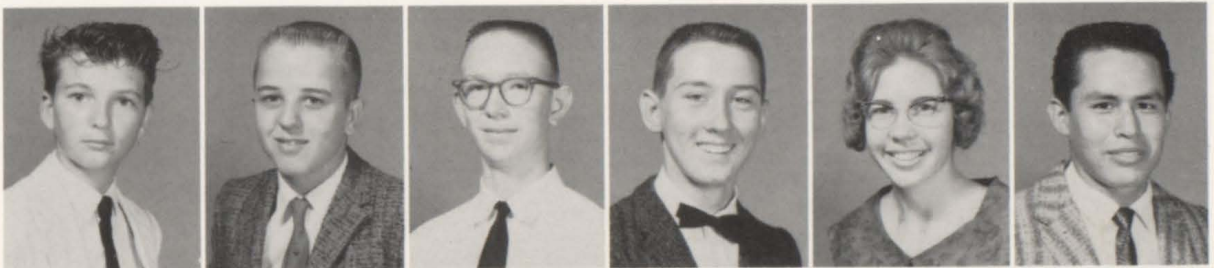
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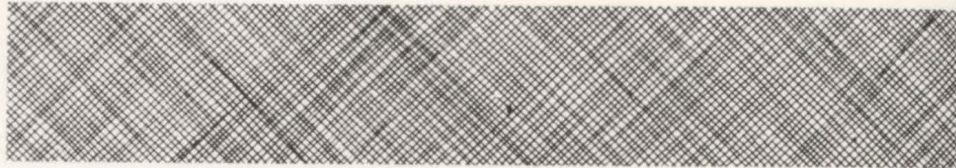
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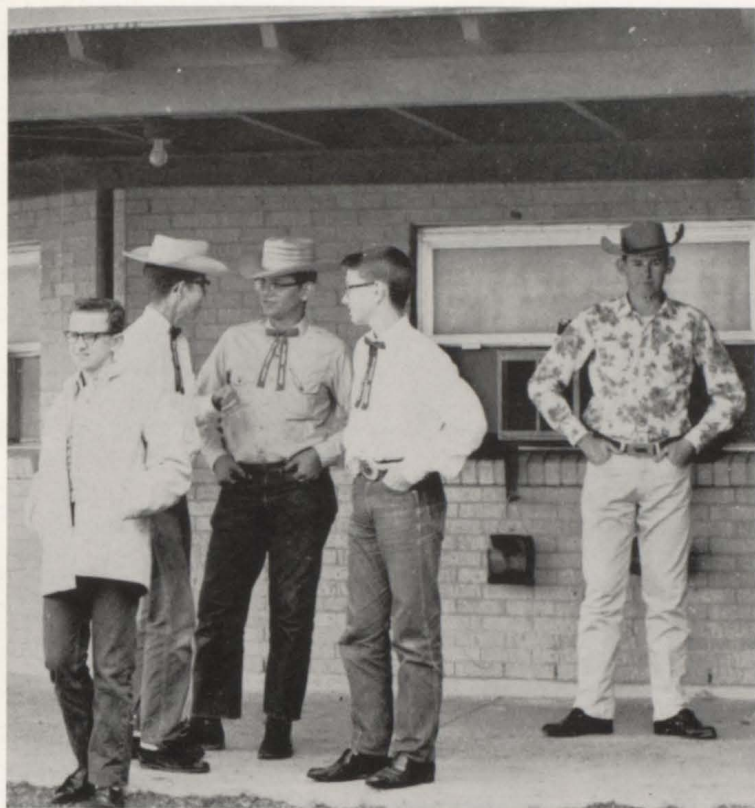
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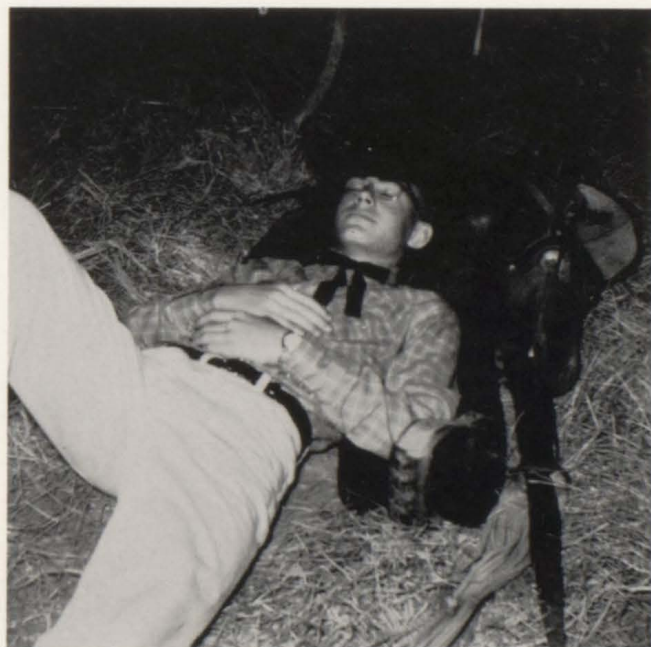
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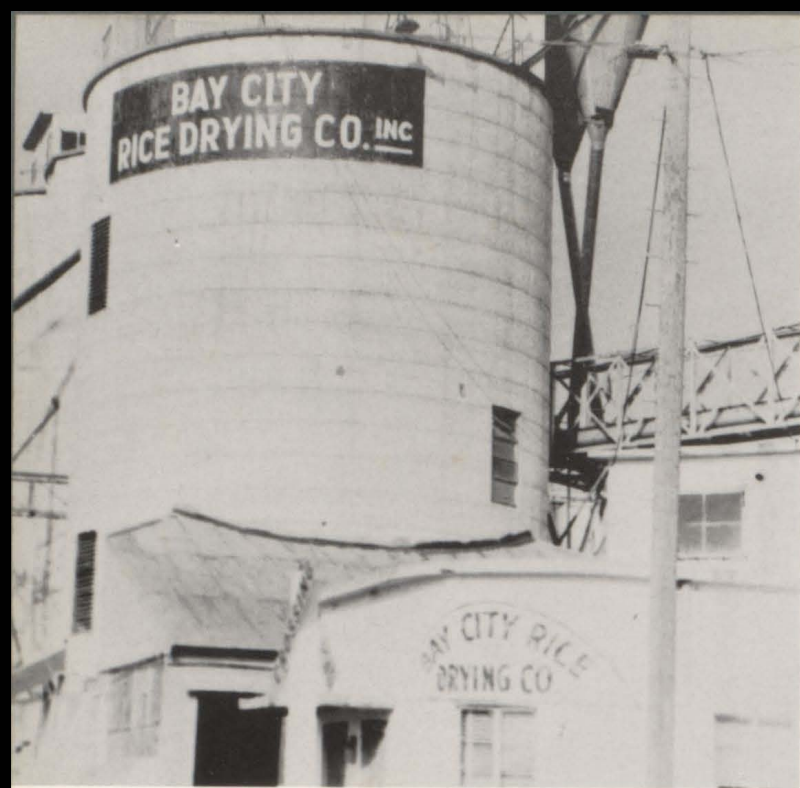


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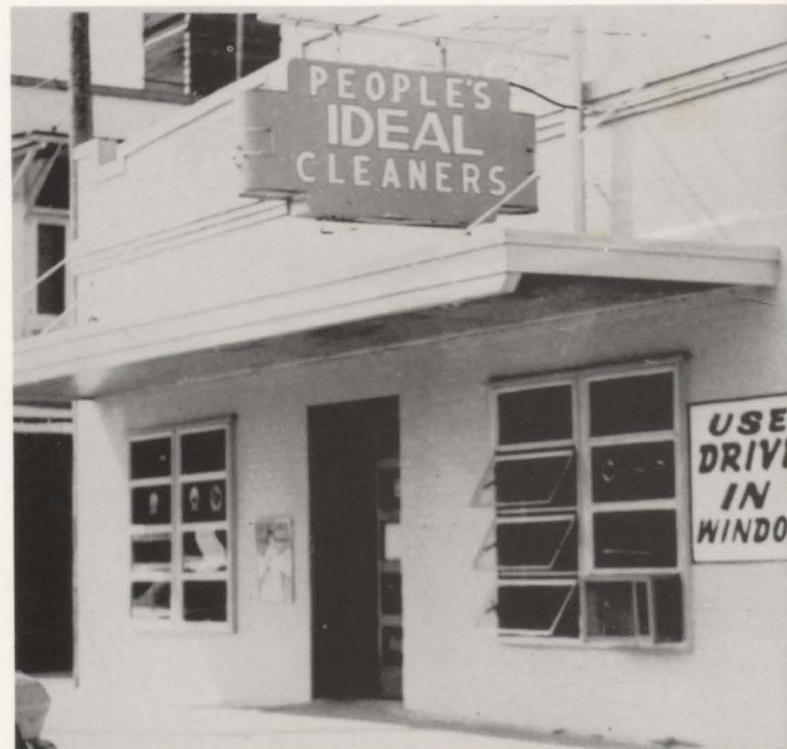
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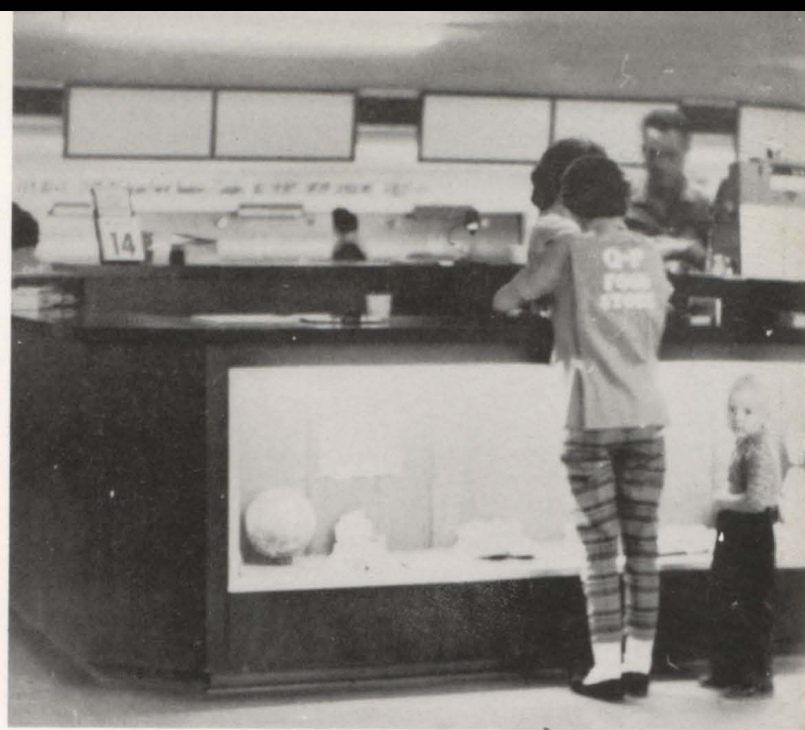


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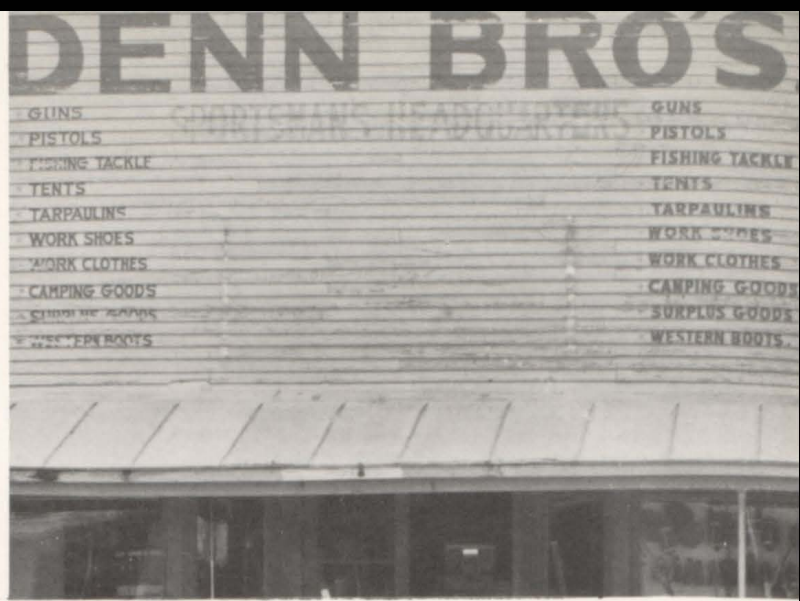
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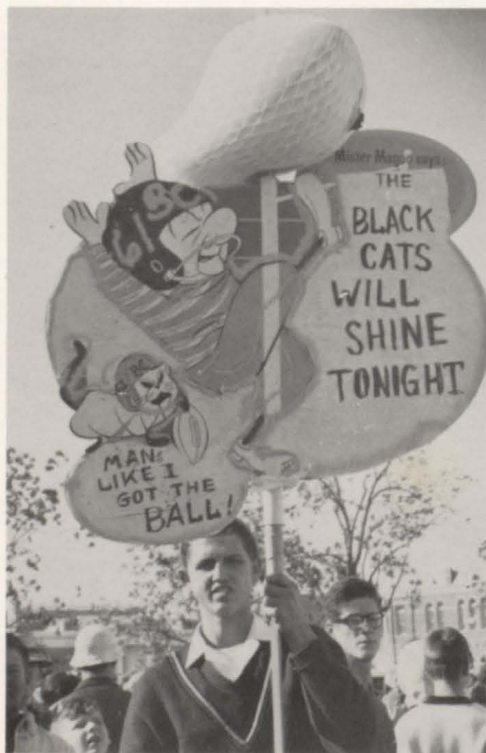
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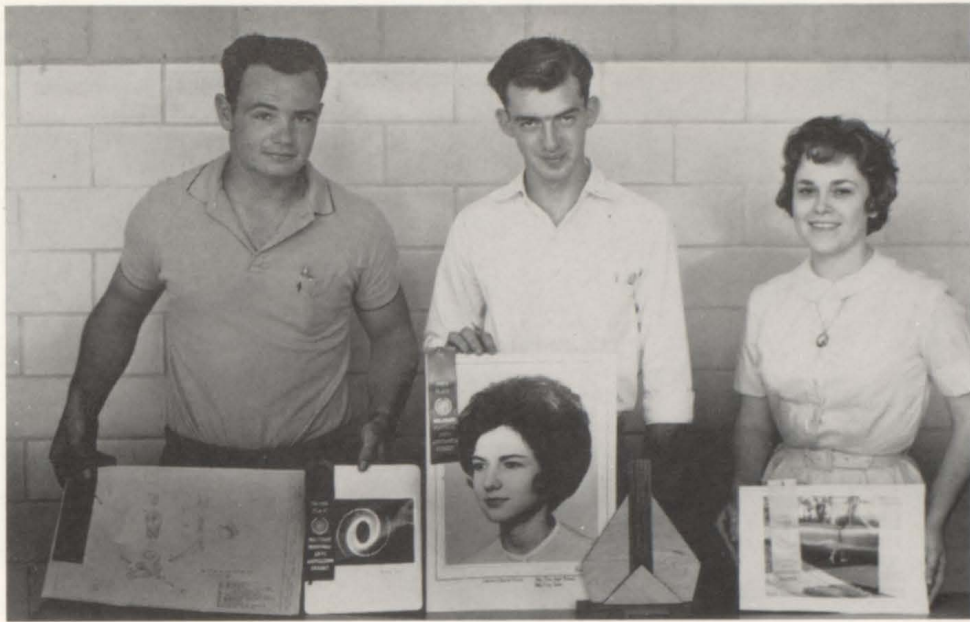
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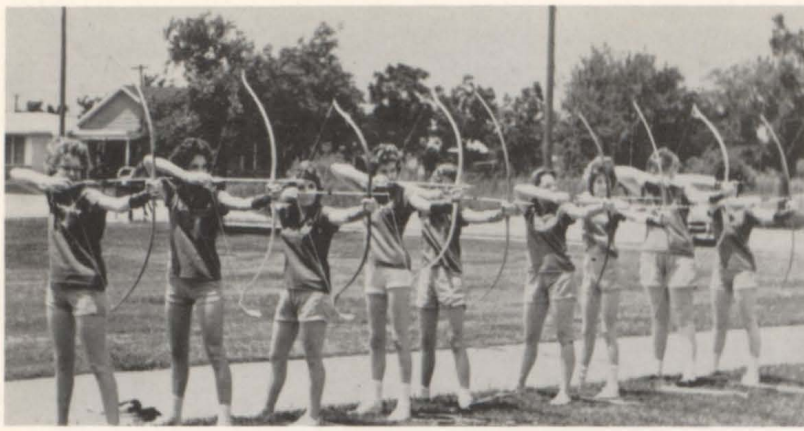
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