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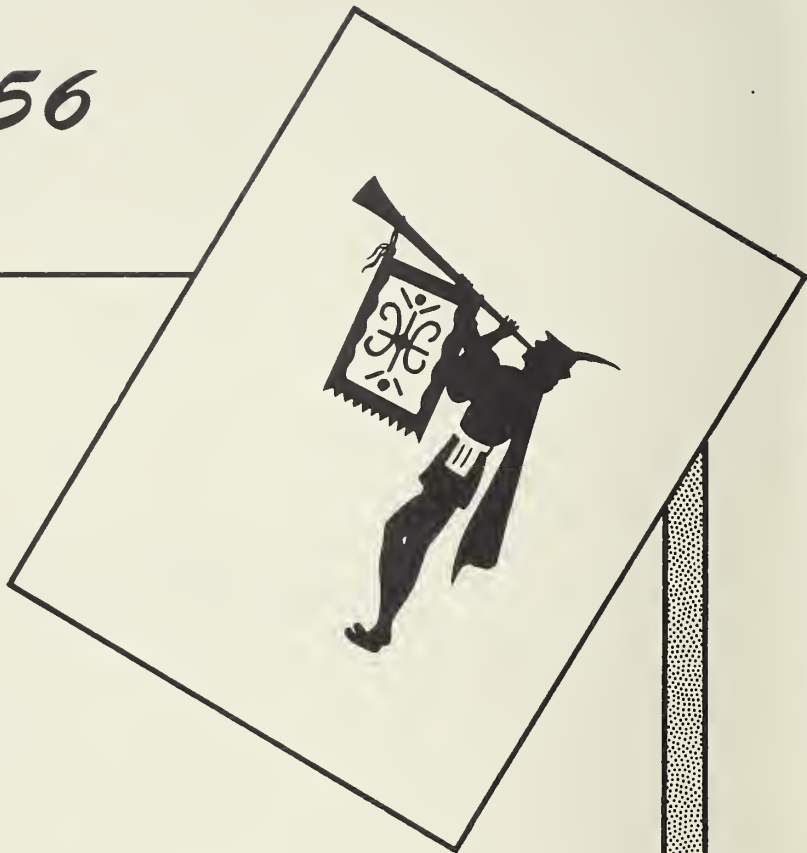
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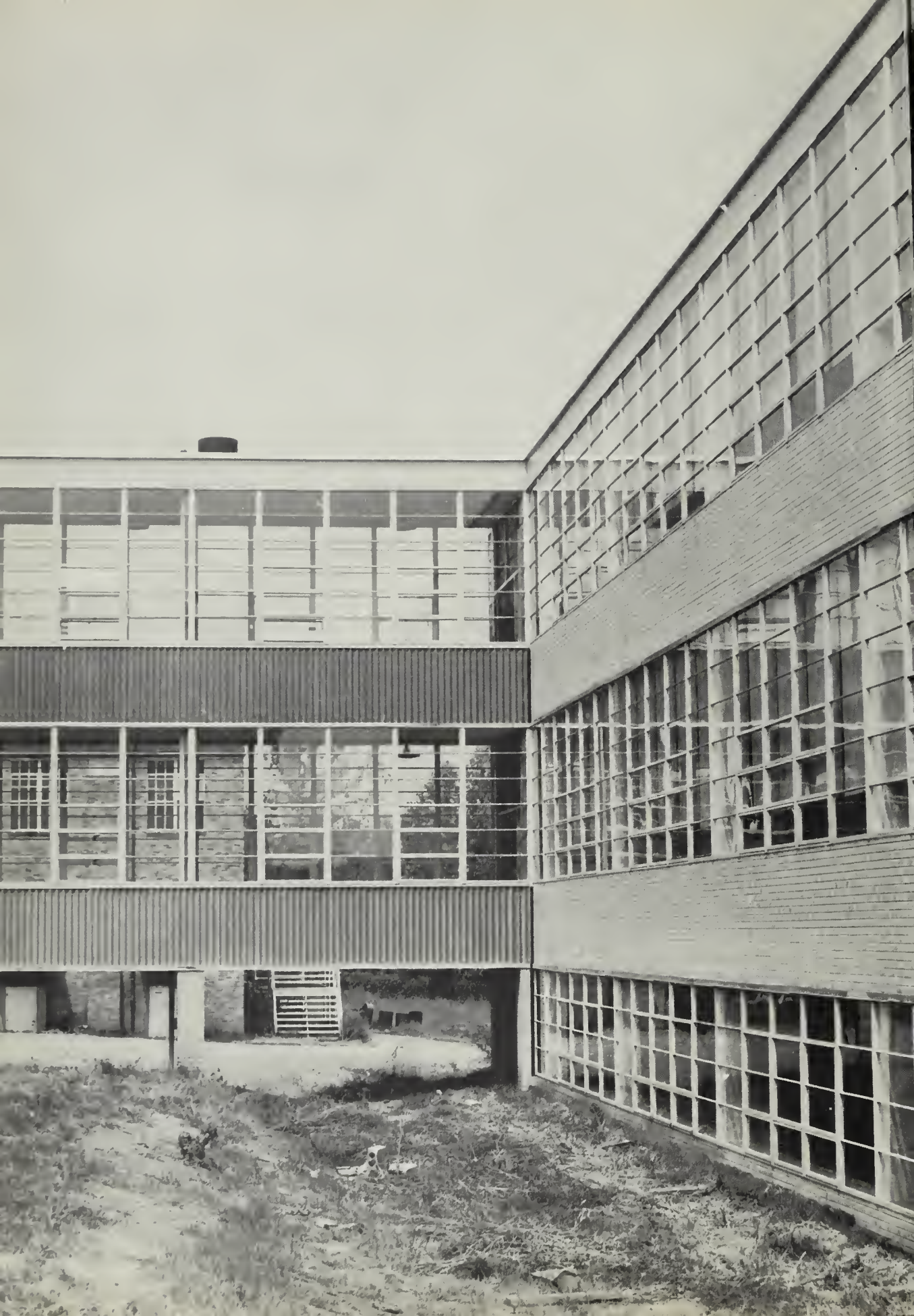
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of
BELMONT HIGH SCHOOL

Belmont, N. C.

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SHIRLEY BRIDGES

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East



North

Before High School . . .
one of these



Central

In the 1956 CLARION your staff has tried to tell to the best of its ability the story of your years at B.H.S. and to produce the finest annual possible. We trust that it will serve as a lasting memory of the people and places pictured in it. This is the purpose of our book; and if we have accomplished it with your approval, we are more than gratified. Our sincere hope is that each of you will find it to be a storeplace of joyful memories through the years to come.





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*A typical year
School is many things.
experiences that*





*at Belmont High
Here are some of the
were yours.*



It is our sincere hope that in the years ahead when you look again through your 1956 CLARION many vivid memories may be brought to life.

We hope that you will recall with pleasure your athletic teams, your clubs, your teachers, your classes, your parties and banquets, your chorus and band, and most of all your fellow students.

We hope that none of you will recall these days with regrets and that you will not feel that your many fine dreams, high resolves and lofty ambitions of these days have faded with the passing of the years.

To those of you who are ending your high school days we wish Godspeed.

DALTON M. MANN



Be sure when you talk that you know when to listen;

Be sure when you judge that you know when your information is accurate;

Finally, be certain when you are "cocksure" that you know when the world cannot do without you. The indispensable person is yet to be born.

Sincerely,

GERALD COURTNER



TO HUGH M. WHITLEY . . .

For your belief in your students,

For your human understanding and unfailing
kindness,

For your efforts to increase interest in music
and good English,

For all the ways in which you have helped
to make our lives richer and fuller,

The Senior Class of 1956 is privileged to
dedicate the Clarion to you.







School Board



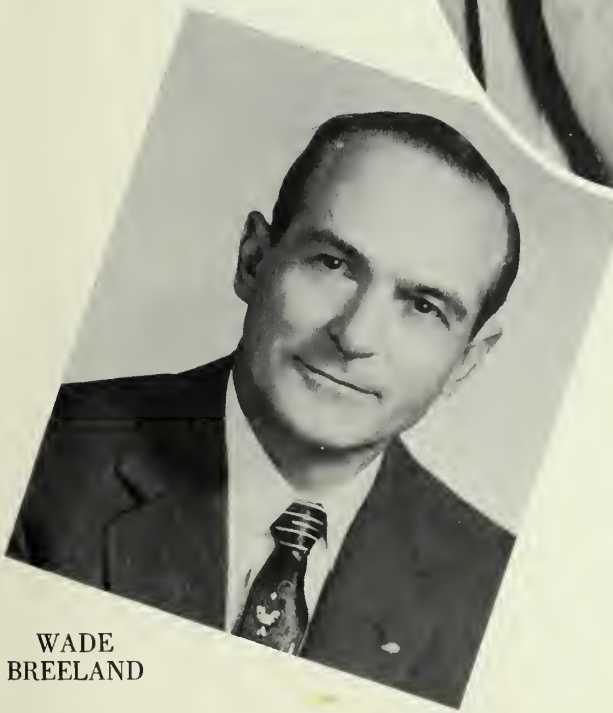
GRADY
PARSONS



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HORTON



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The chief purpose of the School Board is to provide better educational facilities for students. The Board promotes harmony between school and community, acting as a link between patrons and administrators. In addition, the Board supervises schools in regard to state and local laws and provides guidance in originating and enforcing school policies.



NANCY WATSON
Secretary

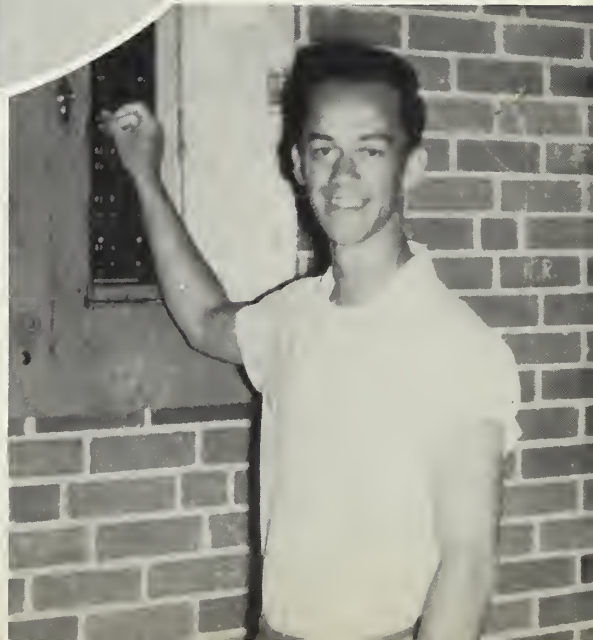
The major purpose of the Student Council is to help in creating a smooth working organization within Belmont High School. Each year the Council attempts to encourage each club to undertake one major project for the improvement of the school.

The Student Council is composed of 2 representatives from each homeroom and the officers of the student body. Each representative must have passed all his subjects the preceding semester and must be an outstanding citizen.



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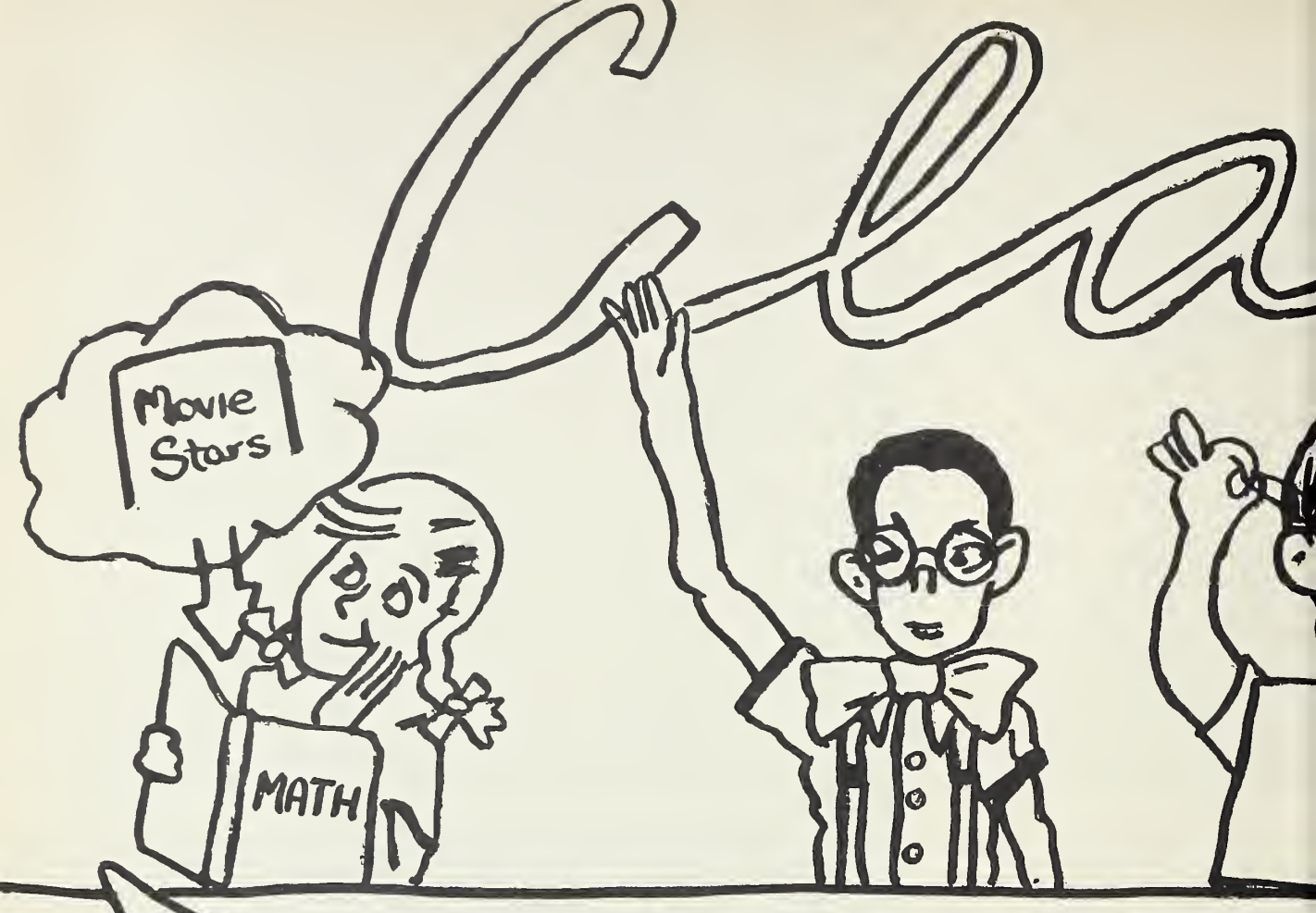
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ROSA MAE ADCOCK
"Rosie"

It matters not how long we live, but how.
Student Council 1; Beta Club 3, 4.

BETTY JUANITA ARMS

Never ever serious; not too frivolous; but a rare good girl.



MIKEL LEE ARMS

He just prefers to sit and rest.
Shop 2; Textile 3.

CHARLOTTE ANN ARMSTRONG
"Ann"

The hand that made you fair made you good.
Letter Girl 2, 3, 4; Sponsors' Club 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.

ERSKINE ARMSTRONG

If studying were the only cause of death then happily could I live forever.
Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

SHIRLEY BEALE

Loyal of heart, strong of mind, a better girl nowhere you'll find.
Secretary of Sophomore Class; Student Council 2, 4; FHA 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; President of Tri-Hi-Y 4; Looping 4; Best All-Around 4; "B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Basketball 3.

SHIRLEY ANN BRIDGES

So earnest in her work and fun, we know not half the work she's done.
Student Council 1, 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Girls' State 3; Junior Play 3; Chorus 3, 4; Clarion 3, 4, Editor-in-Chief 4; Most Likely to Succeed 4; Most Accomplished 4.

PHYLLIS ANN BRITAIN
"Phil"

Not too serious, not too gay, but a real good girl in every way.
Textiles 3; Chorus 4; FHA 4; Looping 4.

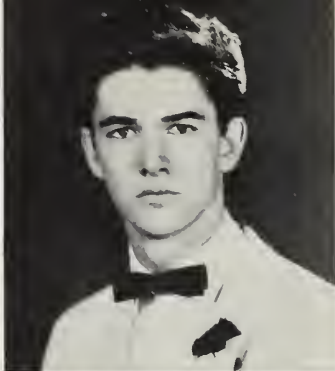
CLAUDE ELEX BUMGARDNER

Let everybody do and be himself.
Freshman Football; Textiles 3.

VICKY MARIE BURNETTE

Happy am I; from care I'm free! Why aren't they all contented like me?
Chorus 2, 3, 4; Looping 3.





ROBERT RANDOLPH BURNS

"Randy"

I yam what I yam and that's all I yam.

Stage Crew of Junior Play 3; Chorus 3, 4; Football 4; Monogram 4.

WILLIAM TED CALDWELL

Bubbling over with joy, and laughing all the while.

Publicity Director of the Junior Play 3; Library Assistant 4; Library Club 4; Chorus 4; Journalism Club 4.



GAIL ELIZABETH CAMPBELL

Leave silence to the saints, I'm human!

Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Library Assistant 3; Student Council 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Treasurer Senior Class 4.

ROBERT FARRELL CARRIGAN

"Asia"

I say what I think, no more, no less!

Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

DERRY EUGENE CARVER

Why should I worry, for worry never made men great?

Football 1; Basketball 1; Shop 2; Textiles 3.

LILLIAN CAROL CASKEY

A mind at peace with all.

Looping 3.



POLLY CHRISTINE CHERRY

Talking she knew not why and cared not what.

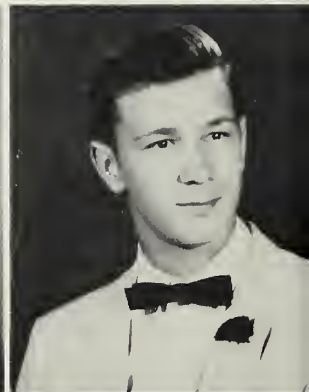
Looping 2; FHA 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 4.

JOHNNY LAWRENCE COBB

"Cobb"

Not too serious, not too gay, but altogether a jolly good fellow.

"B" Team Basketball 2; Textiles 3; Chorus 3, 4.



LINDA CODY

"Cody"

Her joy is as deep as the ocean, her troubles as light as its foam.

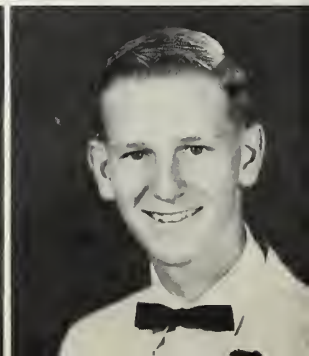
"B" Team Basketball 1; Chorus 2; Publicity Committee Junior Play 3.

BILL DEAN COLLIER

"Willard"

Here dwells no frown nor anger.

Student Council 2, 3; Stage Crew Junior Play 3; Shop Assistant 3; Womanless Wedding Cast 3.



ELIZABETH ANN COLSTON
"Annie"

Laugh and the world laughs with you.
Journalism Club 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4.

RETIA GARNELL COMPTON
"Retia"

Love all, trust a few, do wrong to none.
FHA 2, 3, 4; Textiles 3; Tri-Hi-Y 4.



DONALD LLOYD COOK
"Don"

Life is what you make it.
Textiles 2, 3.

SUE CRAIG

A friendly smile, a laughing face.
"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Chorus 3; Tri-Hi-Y 4.



GINGER JANET CULP

She has a natural, wise sincerity, a simple truthfulness.
Tri-Hi-Y 4.

AUBREY DEAL
"Pete"

Thinking is but an idle waste of thought.
Textiles 4.

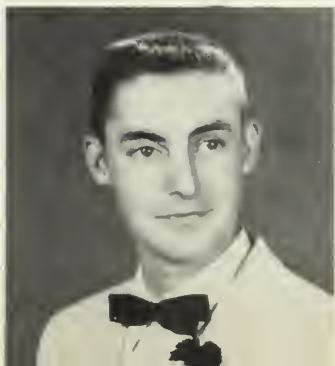


DAVID R. DELLINGER

Without music, life would be a mistake.
Dramatics Club 1; Sports Club 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4, Vice President 3, Assistant Director 3, 4, State Choral Clinic 3; Textiles 4.

ALFRED DIXON

In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength.
Student Council 3; Cast of Womanless Wedding 3; Photography Club 3, 4.

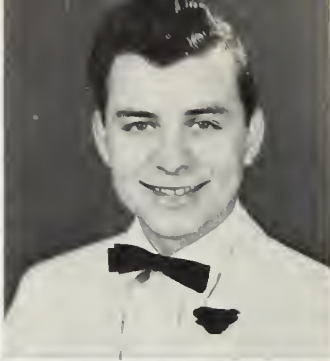


PATRICIA ANGELENE DRENNAN
"Ann"

A cheerful heart, a cheerful smile, a charm of friendship all the while.
Secretary of Freshman Class 1; Student Council 2, 3; Varsity Basketball 3; Football Queen 3; Secretary of Junior Class 3; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Chief 4; Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Most Popular Girl 4; Friendliest Girl 4; Clarion Staff 3, 4, Business Manager 4.

LAMAR DRUM

Just when I seemed about to learn! Off again.
Science Club 1; Textiles 3; Baseball 4.



DORIS MARIE DYE

There is, likewise a reward for faithful silence.

FHA 2; Looping 3.

MITCHELL DAVID ELDRIDGE

"Mickey"

What should a man do, but be merry.

Shop 2; Shop Assistant 3.



JUNE ENGLISH

Loveliness needs not the foreign aid of ornament but is when adorned, adorned the most.

Treasurer of Freshman Class 1; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Prettiest 4.

GLENDA SUE EWING

"Vickie"

Fairest and best adorned is she whose clothing is humility.

Stage Crew Junior Play 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Clarion Staff 4; Girls' State 3.

JO ANN EWING

"Jo"

Precious things come in small packages.

Student Council 1; Sponsors' Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; "B" Team Basketball 3; Most Original Girl 4; Football Queen 4.

FLOYD FARMER

Don't take life too seriously.

Lowell High School 1, 2, 3.

BETTY JEANNE FEATHERSTONE

Those about her shall learn from her the perfect ways of honor.

Student Council 1; Library Assistant 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4.

CAROLYN FLOWERS

"Carol"

What care I when I can lie and rest? Kill time and take life at its very best.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Assistant 4.

RAYMOND EARL FLOWERS

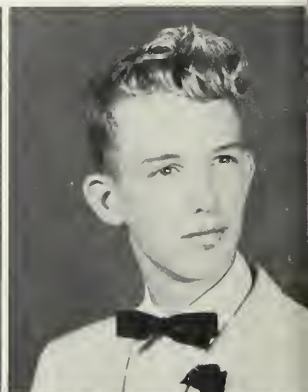
He laughs not at another's loss, he grudges not another's gain.

Shop 2, 3, 4; Textiles 3.

ALFRED ERVIN FORD

Never trouble trouble till trouble troubles you.

Shop Assistant 3; Textiles 3.



MARY SUE FOX

"Foxie"

Sincerity maketh a happy heart.

"B" Team Basketball 1; Library Assistant 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Photography Club 4.

DANNY CRAIG FUNDERBURK

"Burg"

The man who loves and laughs must sure do well.

Freshman Football 1; Freshman Basketball 1; Stage Crew, Junior Play 3; Cast, Womanless Wedding 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Journalism 4.

CAROL JEAN GREENE

Modesty, dignity, and calm content.

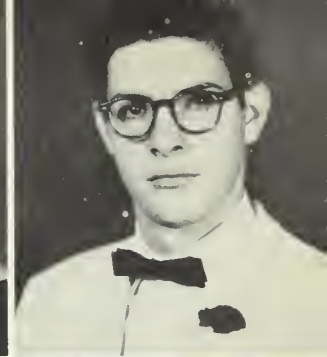
FHA 1, 2, 3, Vice President 4; Library Assistant 4.

WILLIE HERMAN GRINDSTAFF

"Bill"

It takes a friend to be one.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4.



NANCY JANET GUIN

"Guin"

Not very quiet, mostly gay, but loyal and true in every way.

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Secretary 4; Photography Club 4.

JIMMIE RANDOLPH HALL

"Hall"

A good sportsman, he doth with his whole heart play the game.

Cafeteria Helper 1, 2, 3, 4; "B" Team Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4; Textiles 3; Shop 2; Monogram 2, 3, 4, Vice President 4; American Legion Baseball 2, 3, 4.



FRANCES HAMILTON

Charming way—winning smile.

FHA 1; Chorus 2, 3, 4; "B" Team Basketball 1.

DONALD GRAYSON HAMILTON

"Greek"

There is no need to speak when one has nothing to say.

Student Council 2, 3; Basketball 1; Shop Assistant 3; Womanless Wedding Cast 3.



MARVIN N. HARDEE

"Hard Rock"

Ready to join in all the fun—little caring if lessons be done.

Chorus 2, 3; Baseball 4; Textile School 4; Clarion Staff 4.

RACHIEL ANN HARPER

Serene, I fold my hands and wait.

Waitress at Junior-Senior Banquet 2; Library Assistant 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Most Dignified 4.



SHERRY LUCILLE HARRIS

Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace.

Looping 2; Beta Club 3, 4.

DORIS RUTH HARVEY

"Dot"

Think not, I am what I appear.

"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Journalism 2, 3, 4.



ROBERT RAY HELTON

Why should life all labor be?

Student Council 1; Shop 2; Textiles 3.

RUTH HIGHTOWER

Secret and self-contained.

Looping 2; Library Assistant 3; Student Council 4.

PEGGY LOUISE HIPP

"Peg"

Better be merry than be a queen.

Looping 4; FHA 4.

HARRY WOODROW HOWE, JR.

I envy no man that knows more than myself, but pity them that know less.

"B" Team Football 1; Junior Varsity 2, 3; Manager of Varsity 4; Monogram Club 4; Textiles 4.

DONALD M. HUFFSTETLER

You never get there 'less you strive.

Shop 2; Textiles 4.

EDDIE ISENHOUR

Sometimes foolish, sometimes wise, often brilliant for his size.

Beta Club 3, 4; Vice President 4; Hi-Y Club 4; American Legion Baseball 3; Baseball 3, 4.

JAMES MONROE JENKINS

"Jimmy"

I would be faithful to each small task.

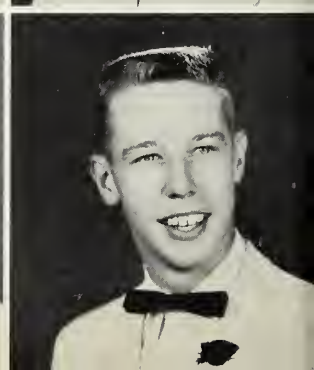
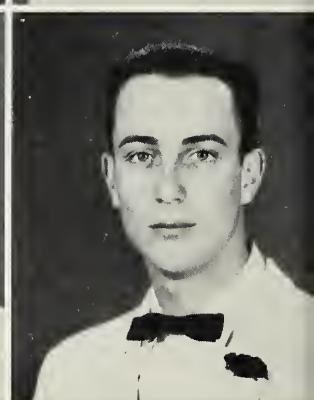
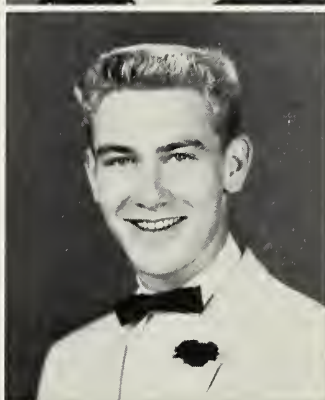
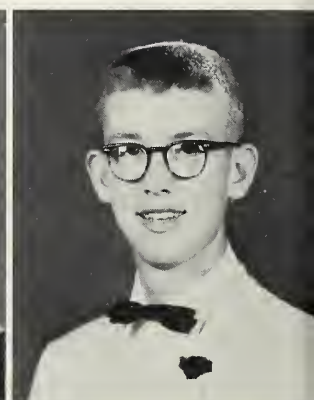
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Bantam Football 1.

WILLIAM HENRY JONES

"Hank"

As brimful of mischief, wit and glee, as ever a human frame could be.

Monogram Club 3, 4; Beta Club 3; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4, Chaplain 3; Journalism Club 2, 3, 4, Sports Editor 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Basketball Manager 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Sports Editor of Clarion Staff 4; Junior Play 3; Vice President of Senior Class 4; Delegate to Interstate Hi-Y Conference 3, 4; Most Original Boy 4; Womanless Wedding 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3.



HARDIN KELLEY

Let the world wag as it will, I'll be gay and happy still.
Clover High School 1, 2, 3.

DOROTHY DOLORES KIMRAY

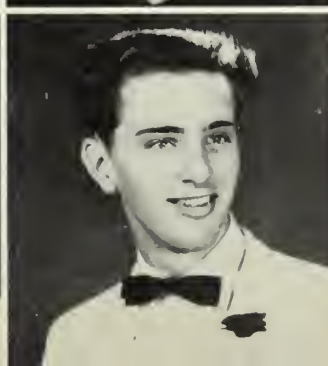
Quiet in nature, consistent in mark, and truly a friend—that characterizes Delores.
FHA 1, 4; Library Assistant 1, 4; Library 4; Journalism Club 4.

A. V. KITCHEN

"Kitch"
In Dixie land, I'll take my stand.
Student Council 1, 2, 3; Treasurer of Sophomore Class; Chorus 3; Journalism 3, 4, Business Manager 4; Photography Club 3, 4.

WILLIAM DURIAM LATHAN

"Bill"
Woman inspires us to do great things—and prevents us from accomplishing them.,
Photography Club 1; Library Assistant 2; Textiles 3; Senior Play.



ANDREW ELDRIDGE LAYE

"Andy"
Life is what you make it.
Freshman Football 1; Shop 2; Stage Crew Junior Play.

EVELYN LEWIS

Quiet and gentle in her way.
Library Assistant 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4, Treasurer 4; Student Council 4; Office Assistant 4; Journalism Club 4.

LUTHER TRUETT LINEBERGER

"Luke"
One who never turned his back but marched breast forward on.
Vice President Freshman Class; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4, Treasurer 3, President 4, Chief Marshal 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice President 3, President 4; Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 3, 4, Manager 1; Boys' State 3; Junior Class Play; Bus Driver 3; Most Accomplished Boy 4; Most Popular Boy 4; Womanless Wedding.

DORTHA GRAY LOWE

"Dot"
Her air, her manner, all who saw admired.
Stanley High 1; Waitress for Junior-Senior 2; Publicity Committee for Junior Play 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Chaplain 4.

ROLFE PHELPS MAIAFFEY

Happy art thou, as if every day thou had'st picked up a horseshoe.
Belmont Abbey Prep 2, 3; Chorus 4; Library Assistant 4.

ARTHUR MARSHALL

"Sonny"
Why rush? Rome wasn't built in a day.
Football 1; Sports Club 1; Textiles 4.



DOUG MAULDIN

Admired by all who knew him well.

President of Freshman Class 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Vice President 4; All-County, All-Conference, All-State, All-Southern, Honorable Mention, All-American in Football; All-Conference Baseball; Gazette Best Back 3; Gaston County Leading Scorer 3; Athletic Award 3; Back of the Week 3, 4; Best Athlete 4.

BILLIE CARROLL MIZE

A maid so tender, fair, and happy.

FHA 1, 2, 5; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Journalism 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4.



WENDELL MOORE

He is what he is and we like him that way.

President of Sophomore Class 2; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4, President 4.

JAMES MOORE

I dare do all that I may to become a man.

Student Council 1, 2; Best Dressed 4.

DON LEE MURPHY

A patient man is a pattern for a king.

Textiles 3, 4.

MARTIN HENRY MURPHY

My heart is won, my fancy free, so run along girls, don't bother me.

Bantam Football 1, 2; "B" Team Football 3; Varsity Football 4; Vice President of Junior Class; Hi-Y 3, 4; Photography Club 3, 4, Vice President 3, 4; Junior Class Play Stage Crew 3; Chorus 4; Monogram Club 4; Journalism Club 4; Best All-Around Boy 4.

KENNETH BOYD McCARN

"Ken"

I have never been hurt by anything I didn't say.

Student Council 2; Shop 2; Shop Assistant 3.

BARBARA LEE McELVEEN

"Babs"

To be awake is to be alive.

Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor of KAMPUS KAPERS 3; Waitress for Junior-Senior 2; Student Council 3; Chorus 3; Publicity Committee for Junior Play 3; Photography Club 4, Secretary 4; Business Manager of Clarion 4.

JANE MCGINNIS

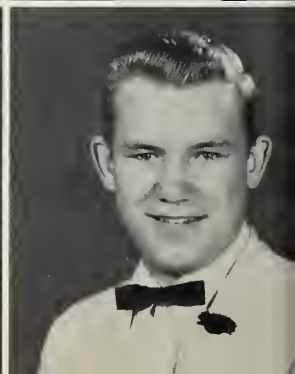
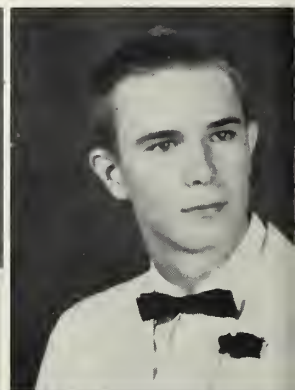
Sincerity makes a happy heart.

"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor of KAMPUS KAPERS 4; Clarion Staff 4.

ROY EVERETTE MCGINNIS

A short saying is often wise.

Junior Class Play 3; Textiles 4.



LYNDA MCGINTY

A perfect girl, nobly planned, to warn, to comfort, command.
Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; "B" Team Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Clarion Staff 4, Sports Editor 4; Chorus 3; Alternate Letter Girl 4; Sponsors' Club 4; DAR Citizenship Award 4; Best Athlete 4; Journalism Club 4.

JAMES SAMUEL MCKNIGHT

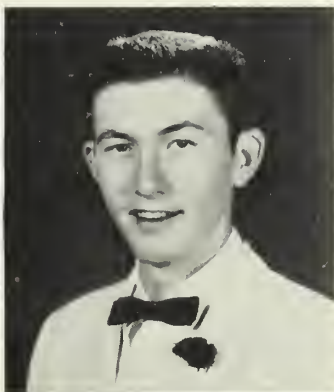
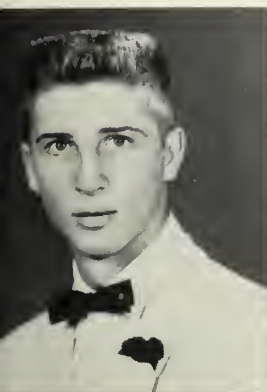
"Sam"
Fun mixed with knowledge makes a well rounded boy.
Band 1, 2, 3; Freshman Football; Beta Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Hi-Y 4; Chorus 4.

MARVIN BREVARD MCLEAN

"Cloudy"
And the ladies, strange to say, pester me night and day.
Band 1, 2, 3, Vice President 2, President 3; All-State Band Clinic 2, 3; Band Award 3; Bantam Football 1; Chorus 3, 4, Vice President 4; Student Council 3; President of Junior Class 3; Junior Marshal; Clarion Staff 3, 4; Hi-Y 4, Treasurer 4; Cafeteria Assistant 4; Journalism 4; Biggest Ladies Man 4.

JIM NORRIS

Behavior is a mirror in which everyone shows his image.
Freshman Football; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4.



LARRY ORREN

The tongue runs fastest when the brain is in neutral.
Band 1; "B" Team Football 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Journalism Club 3, 4; Photography Club 4.

ANTHONY FRANKLIN PACK

Wit and wisdom are born with a man.
Freshman Football; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 4; Junior Class Treasurer 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Journalism Club 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 3, 4, Chaplain 4.

NANCY CAROLYNN PARKER

"Nan"
Without love and laughter, nothing is pleasant.
"B" Team Basketball 1; Student Council 1; Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 4.

CHARLES ROGERS PERKINS

Better to be small and shine than to be great and cast a shadow.
Shop 2; Textiles 3, 4.

JUDY PERKINS

Little but loud--a friend that is true; this describes Judy to you.
Journalism 1; Chorus 3; Square Dance 1; Basketball "B" Team 2.

SHELBY SMITH PERKINS

The world looks brighter behind a smile.
"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Looping 2; Textiles 3; FHA 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y Club 4.



DIANE PRICE POPE

A rare compound of oddity, frolic, and fun.

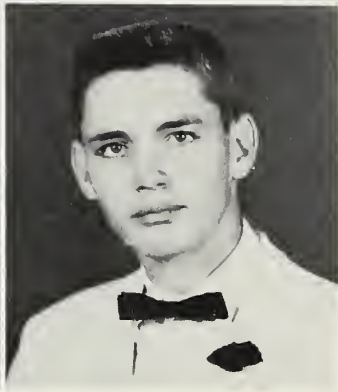
"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3; Junior-Senior Play Committee 3; FHA 4; Journalism Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4.

JOE BEAM RANKIN

"Cephus"

Full of fun and mischief too, doing things he shouldn't do.

Cafeteria Helper 1; Shop 2; Textiles 3; Wittiest 4.



BETTY RUTH RANKIN

Rare compound of quality noble and true, with plenty of good sense and humor, too.

Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, Exchange Editor 2, 3; Chorus 3.

NORMAN REID

"Goatman"

A jolly, good sport and all-round guy; such a pal no money can buy.

Football Manager 3; Junior Play 3; Varsity Football 4; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4.

MARY DORIS RHINEHART

"Cooter"

She loves to laugh, she loves to walk, and oh my goodness, how she loves to talk.

"B" Team Basketball 2; Publicity Committee Junior Play; Looping 4.

THOMAS ROBERTS

I am very fond of the company of ladies.

Science Club 1; Shop 3; Most Handsome 4.

MAX ROBINSON

"Robby"

Of honest worth, truly one on whom we can depend.

Laboratory Assistant 1; Sports Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2; Football Manager 3; Student Council 3; Chorus 3; Physical Education Assistant 2, 3; Monogram Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Library Assistant 4; President of Senior Class 4.

LOLA MAE RUST

A little of her we know, but a lot of her we love.

Transferred from Leaksville High; Library 4.

JANICE JOANN SMALL

Quiet and gentle is her way, let life come as it may.

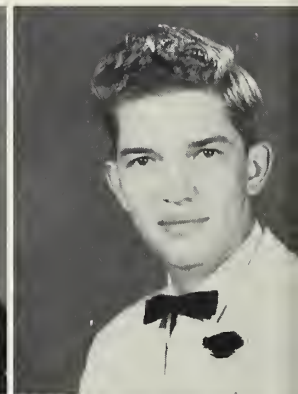
"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

MICHAEL F. SMITH

"Casey"

The harder the task, the greater the achievement.

Student Council 1; Journalism 2, 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Clarion Staff 3, 4, Photography Editor 3, 4; Photography Club 4, Treasurer 4; Junior Class Play; Chorus 3; Library Assistant 3; Most Likely to Succeed 4.



JILL RENEE SMITH

Small, but big of heart and mind, to know her is to love her, for she's a girl of the very best kind.

Student Council 1, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Usher for Junior Play 3; Football Attendant 4.

GEORGE GILES SOLOMON

My heart belongs to—my bus.

Sports Club 1; Shop 2, 3; Shop Assistant 3; Student Council 4; Bus Driver 3, 4.

JIMMY LEE ST. CLAIR

"Jim"

Just a real good boy, jolly and fair. We all like him, we declare.

Freshman Football; Student Council 1; "B" Team Football 2; Baseball 2, 3; Shop Assistant 3; Womanless Wedding.

BARBARA JEAN STEWART

"Little Un"

Sober, quiet, patient and demure; a friend of whom you're always sure.

FHA 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Waitress for Junior-Senior 2; Clarion Staff 4.



SCOTTIE SUE STEWART

"Scot"

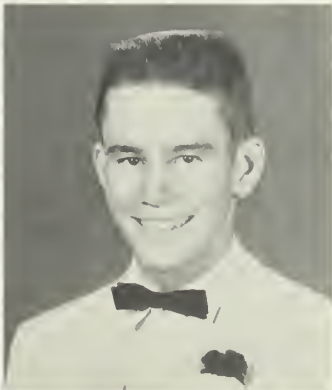
Pretty, witty, full of fun, a brainy girl, she's all in one.

Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; President of Girls' Chorus 3; Stage Crew for Womanless Wedding 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Clarion Staff 4.

TALMADGE STREET

Our thought and our conduct are our own.

Freshman Basketball 1; Textiles 3, 4.



MARY ANN SUGGS

Always laughing, never sad. Sometimes naughty, never bad.

"B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Basketball 3; Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Best Sport 4; Softball 1, 2, 3.

TROY L. THOMAS

The force of his own merit makes his own way.

Student Council 1; Football 2; Junior Play 3; Most Dignified 4.



LARRY REEVES THOMASSON

"Pop"

Ability to stay and make others happy is an art.

Cafeteria 1; Student Council 1.

CARROLL TRULL

"Vigorow"

To play the game for all that's in it, to play the game and play to win it.

Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; "B" Team Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; All-Conference Basketball 3; Gazette Lineman of the Week 4; Greensboro Daily News All-State Check List 4; Baseball 3, 4.



KAY HAMILTON TUCKER

Try and trust will remove mountains.

LORETTA JOYCE UPTON

She's merry, she's jolly, we love her by golly.

Student Council 1, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Waitress for Junior-Senior 3; Miss Hi Miss 4; Clarion Staff 4.



FRED C. WALTERS, JR.

"Freddie"

If girls interfere with work, quit work.

Cheerleader 1; Hi-Y 3, 4; Junior Play 3.

NANCY WATSON

In youth and beauty, wisdom is but rare.

Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4, Secretary 4; "B" Team Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3; Monogram 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Beta Club 3, 4, Secretary 4; Junior Play 3; Junior Marshal 3; Clarion Staff 4; Chorus 3; Football Queen Candidate 4.

LORETTA LEE WATTS

"Wattsy"

A quiet maiden with a steadfast mind.

Journalism Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Vice President 4; Student Council 4; "B" Team Basketball 1, 2; Usher for Junior Play 3; Waitress for Junior-Senior Banquet 2; Secretary of Senior Class 4; Chorus 2, 3.

RACHEL ANN WHITNER

As full of spirit as the month of May.

Student Council 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Sponsors' Club 4; Most Attractive 4; Neatest 4.

NELLIE WHITENER

Beauty of style and harmony and grace depend on simplicity.
Looping 3.

ROBERT A. WILLIAMS

"Wildman"

Quiet unassuming boy, the true representation of a senior.

Basketball 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Student Council 2, 4; Most Polite 4; Monogram Club 4.

LORETTA DEANE WILLIAMS

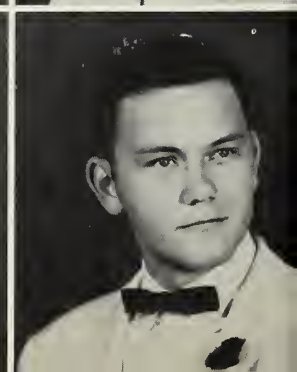
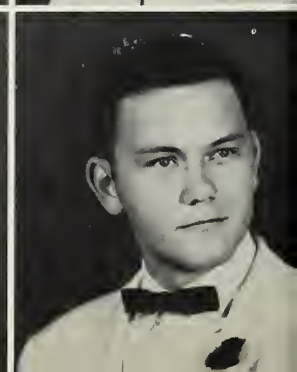
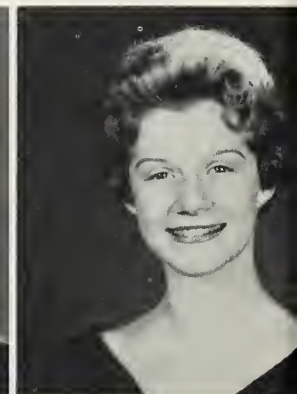
Grace was in her footsteps and beauty in her eyes.

FHA 1, 2, Secretary 2; Student Council 2, 3; Junior Play Usher 3; Beta Club 3, 4; Most Dignified 4.

DANIEL WILSON WINGATE

For a man by nothing is so well betrayed as by his manner.

West Mecklenburg High School 1, 2, 3; Baseball 4.



RUBY WYKE

Remain silent and get the benefit of the doubt.

Looping 3, 4.



MARIE WYLIE

Contentment is better than riches.

Transferred from Lowell High School; Textile School 4.



ROY GENE YOUNG

"Roo"

Life is but a stream I go fishing in.

Freshman Basketball 1; Volleyball Team 2; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; American Legion Junior Baseball 3; Journalism Club 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 3, 4.





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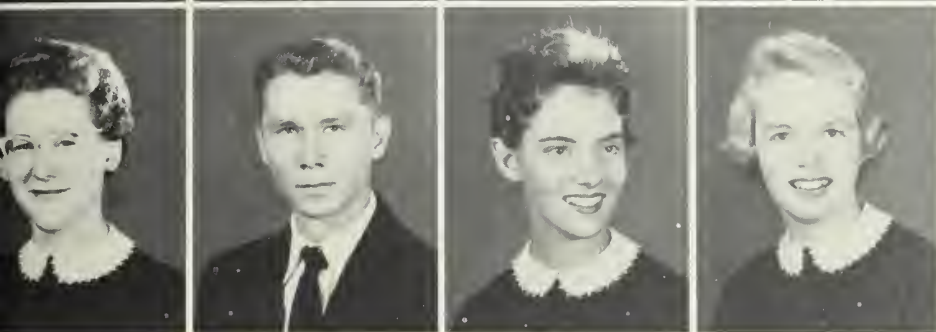
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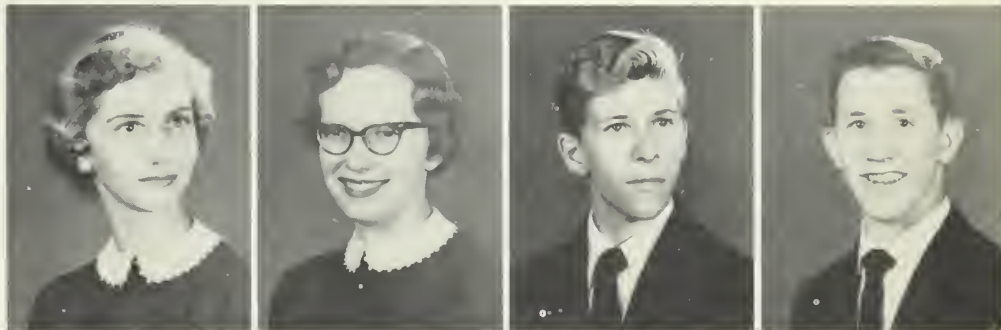


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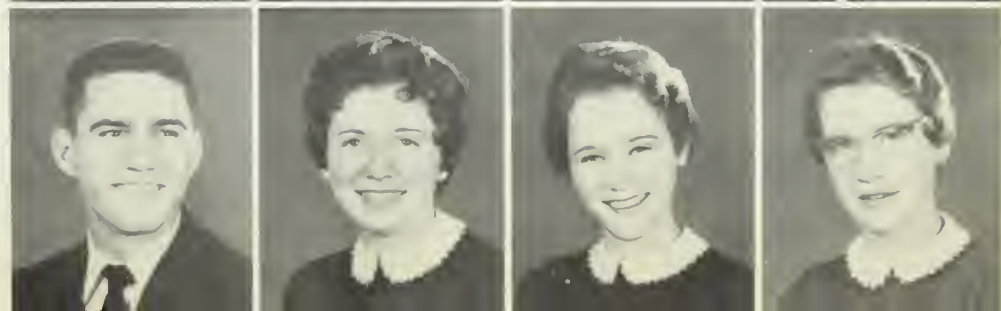
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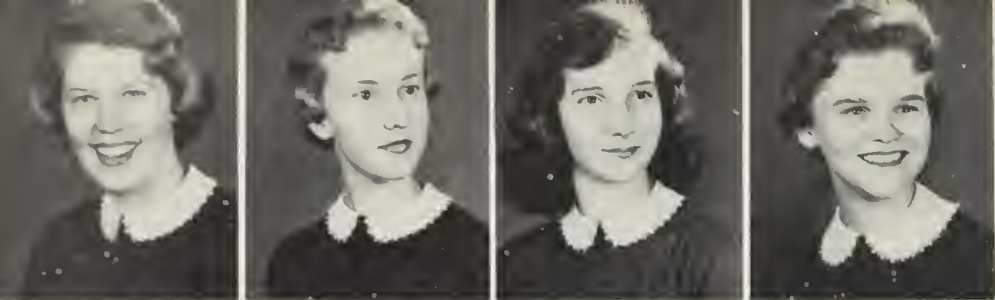


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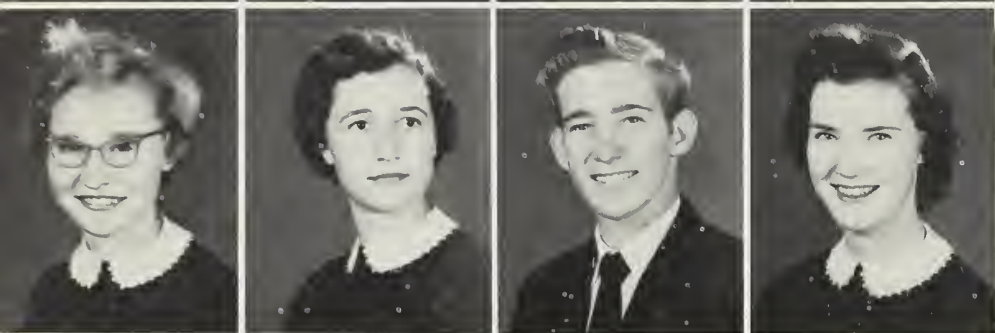


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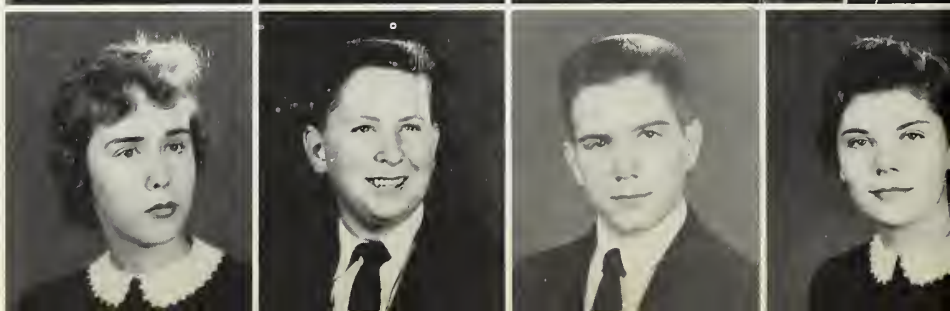
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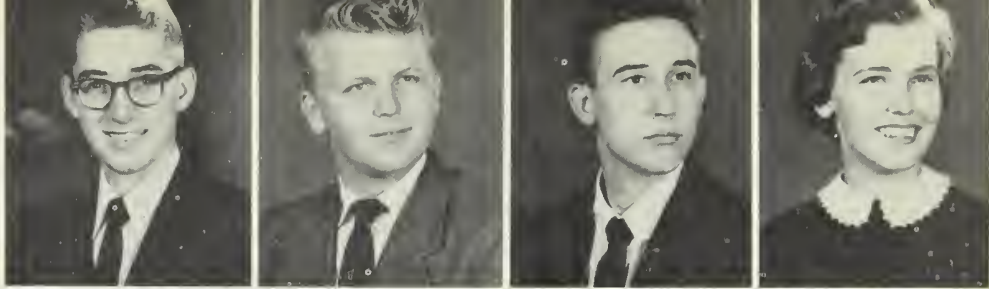
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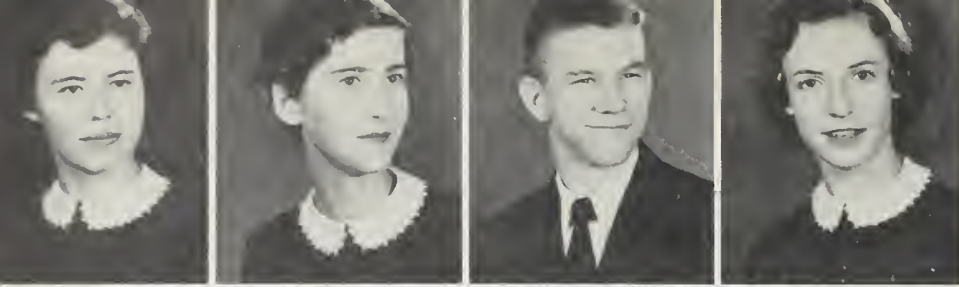
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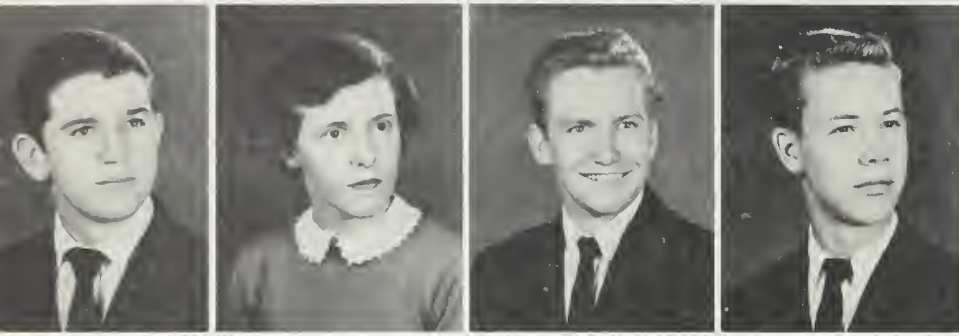
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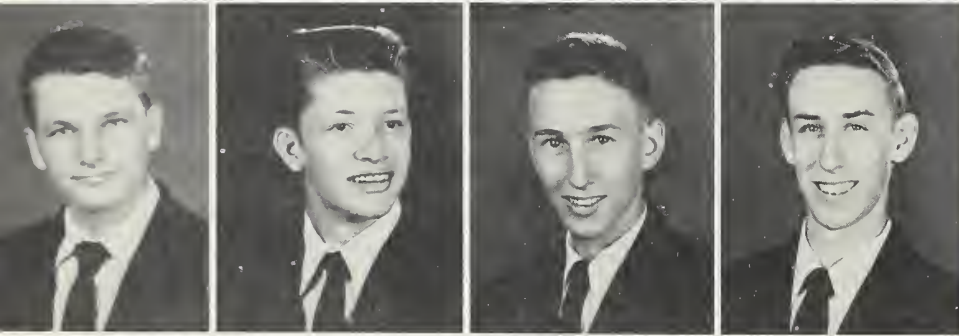
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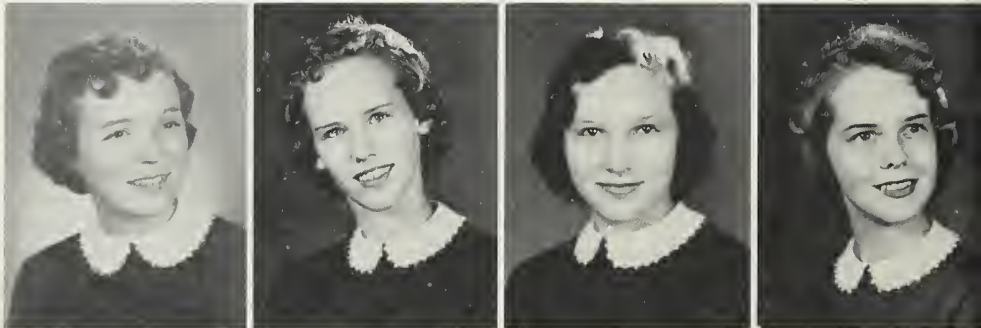


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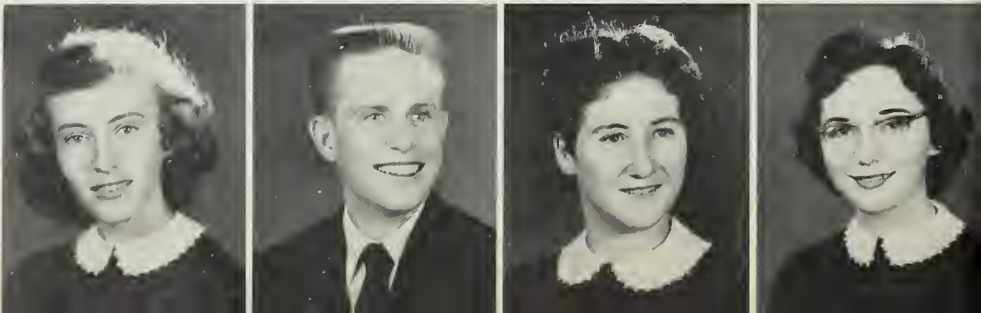
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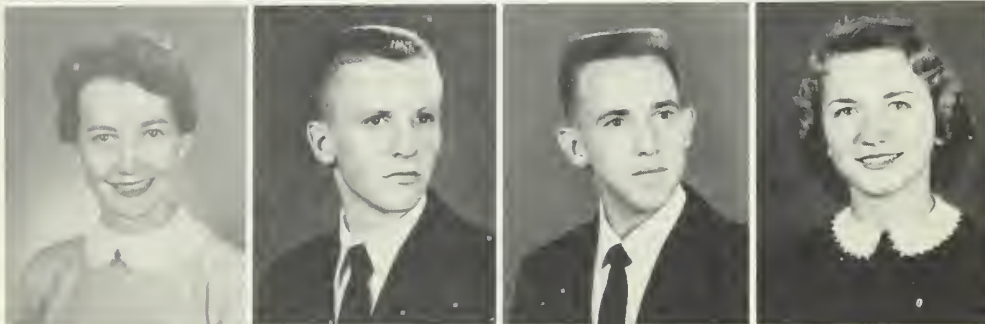
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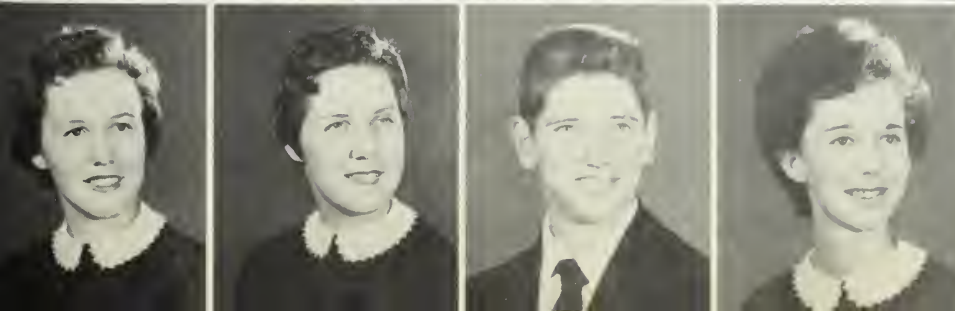
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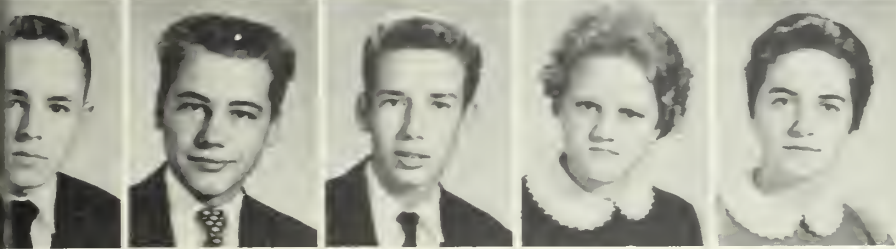
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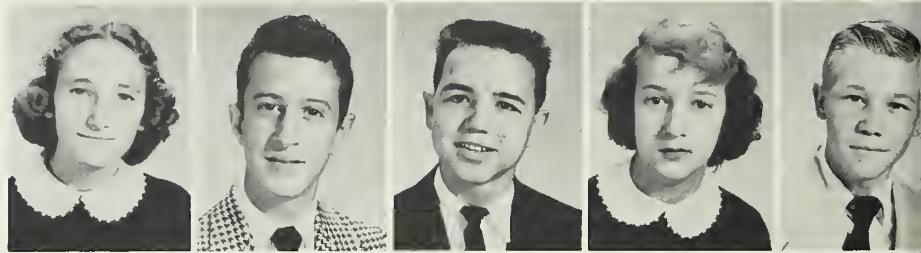


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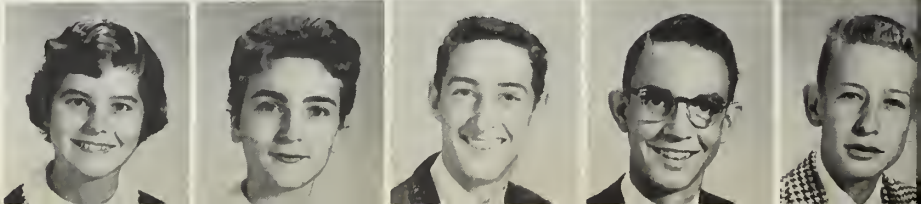
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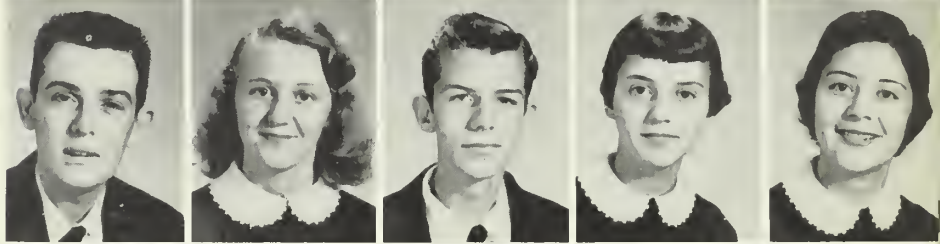
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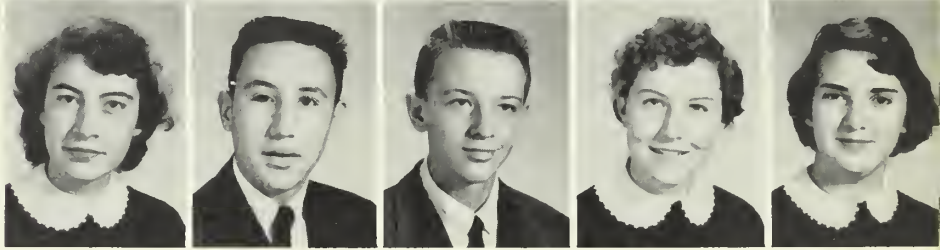
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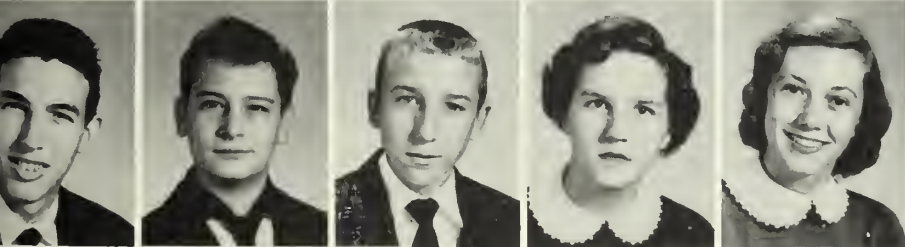
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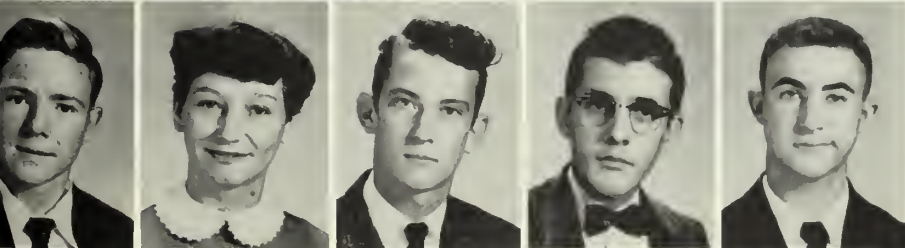
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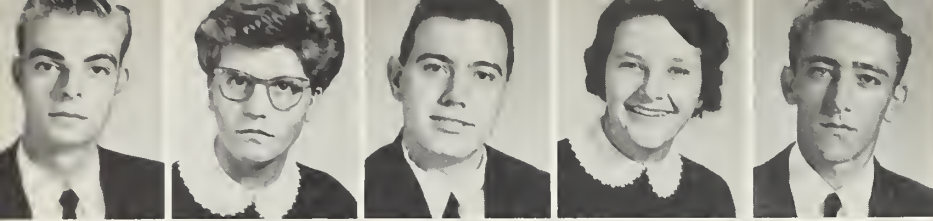
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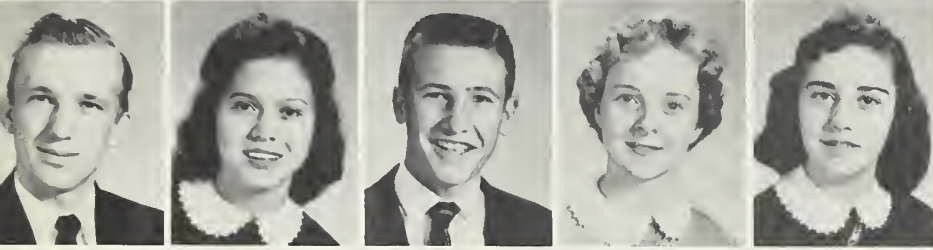
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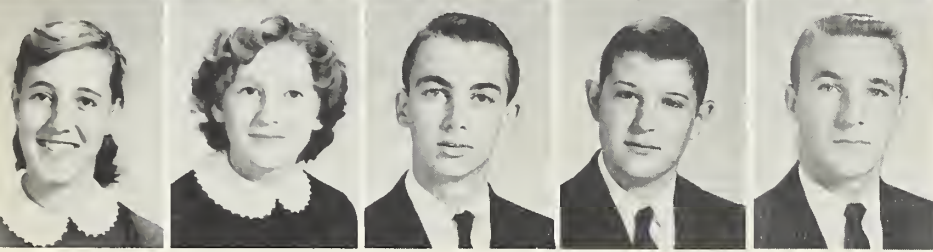
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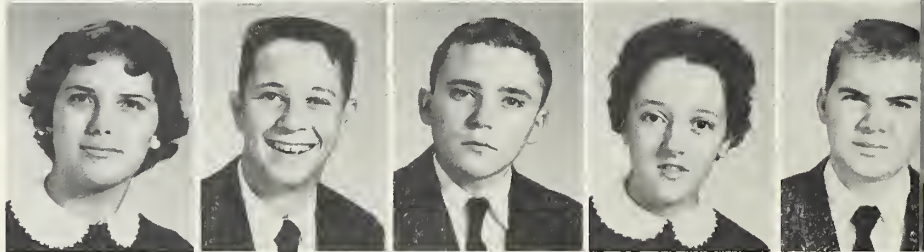


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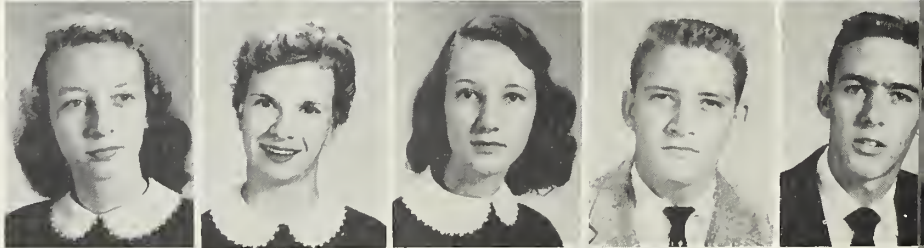
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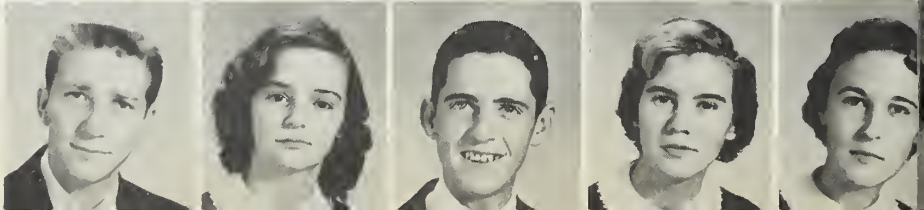
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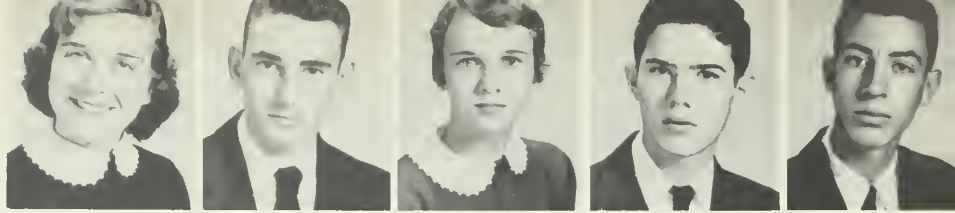
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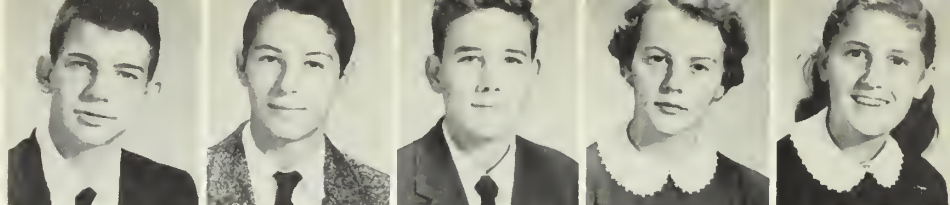
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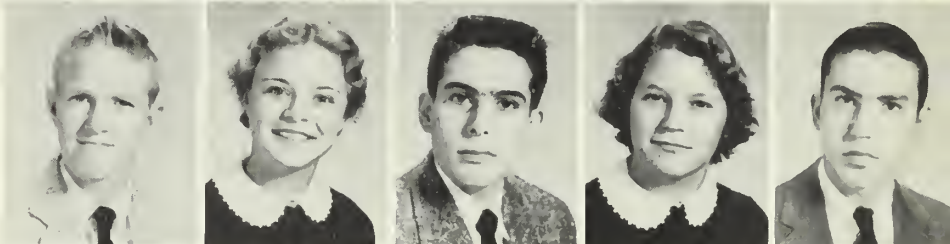
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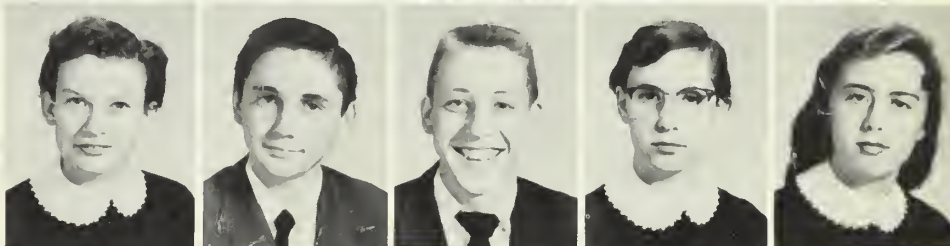
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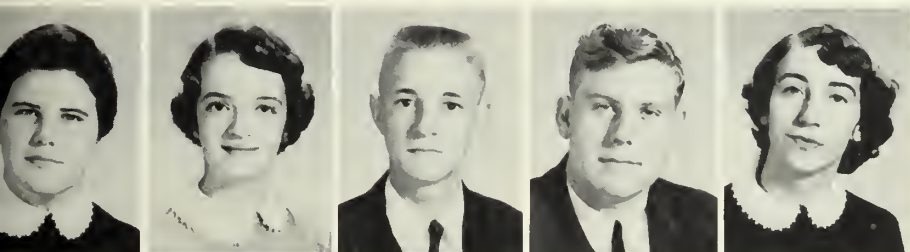
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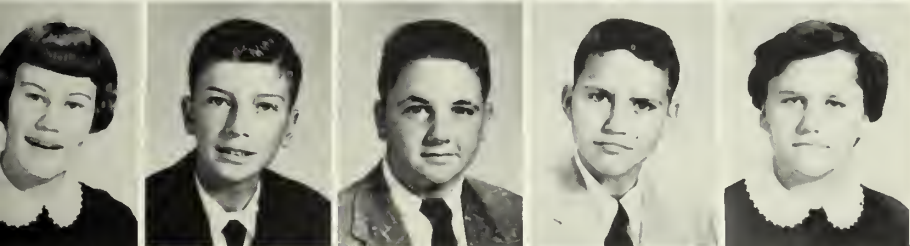
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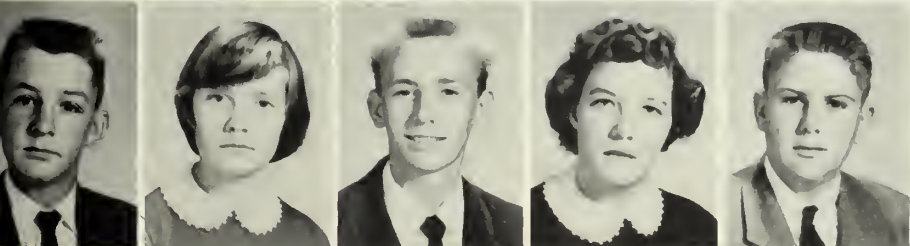
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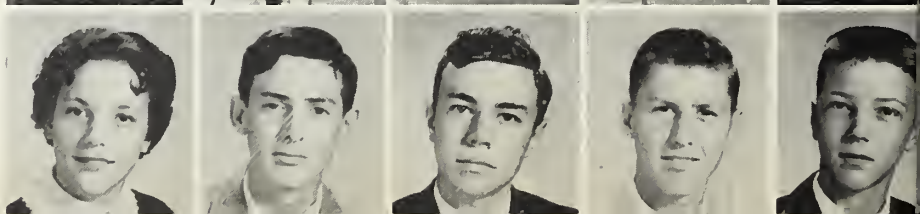
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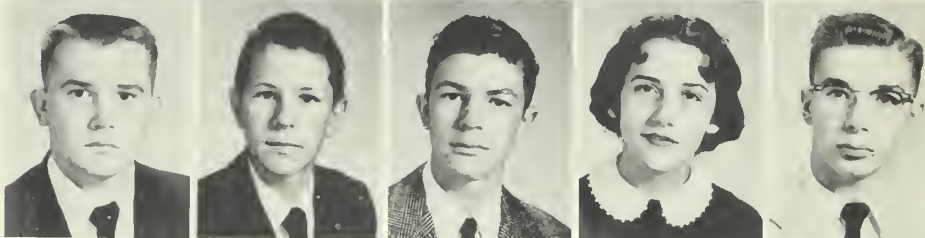
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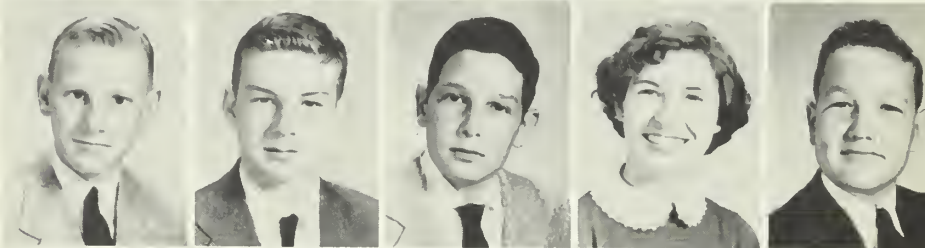
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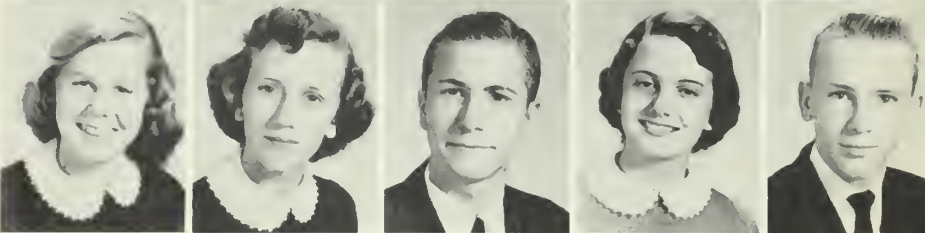
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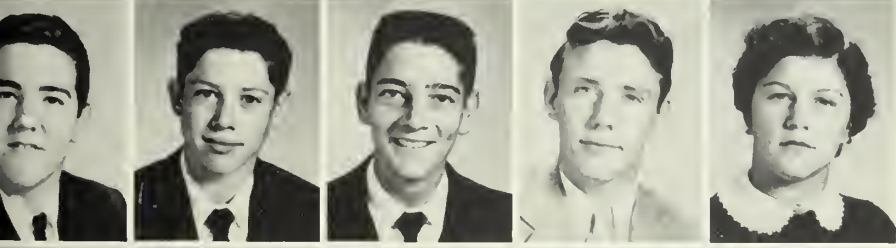
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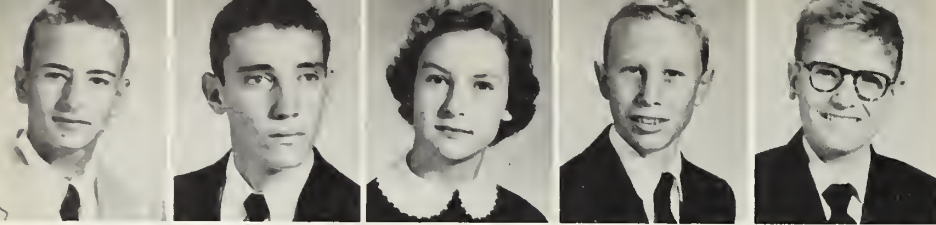
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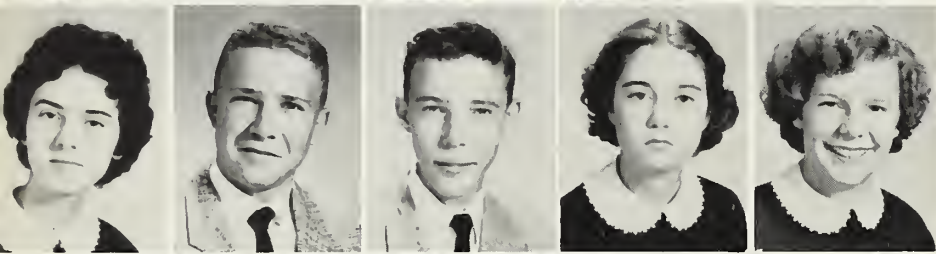
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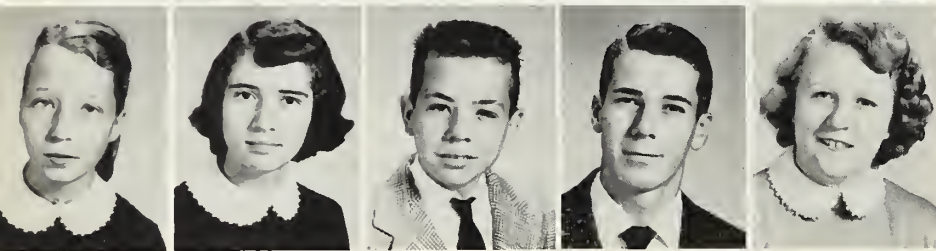
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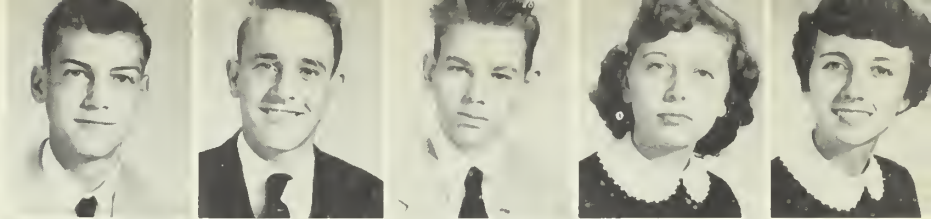
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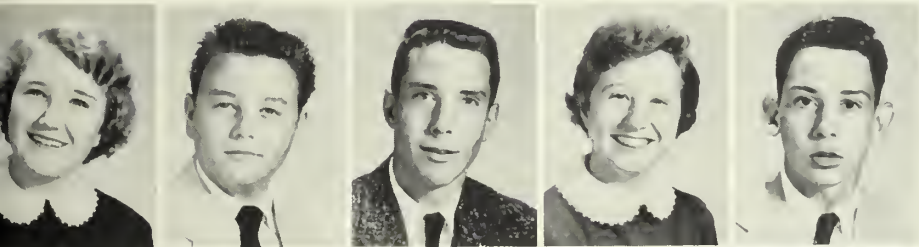
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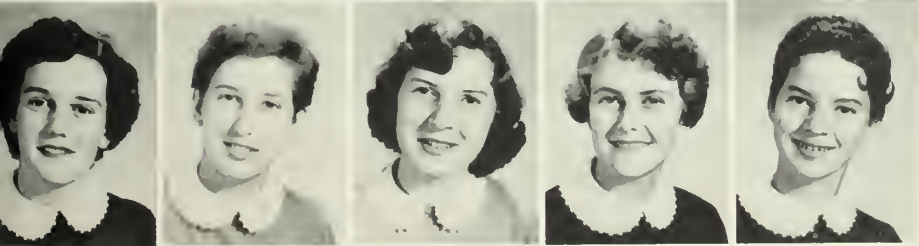
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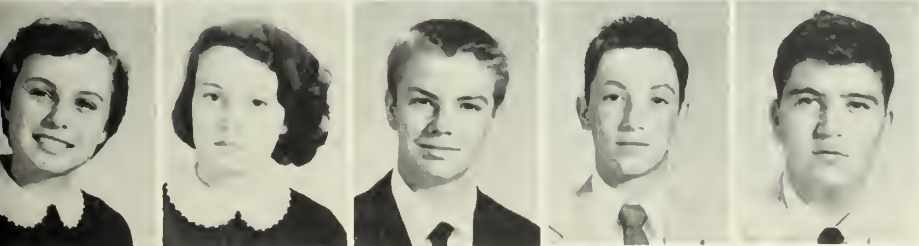
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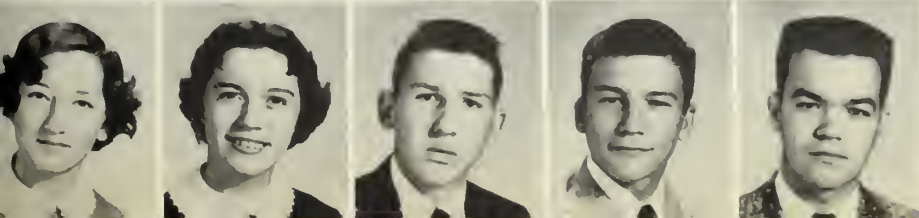
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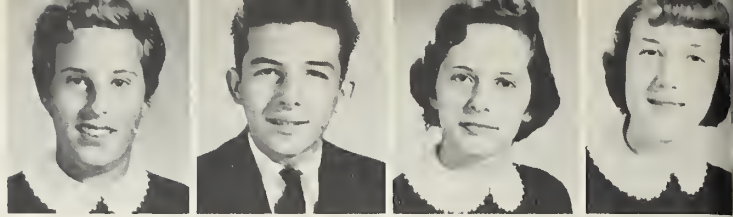


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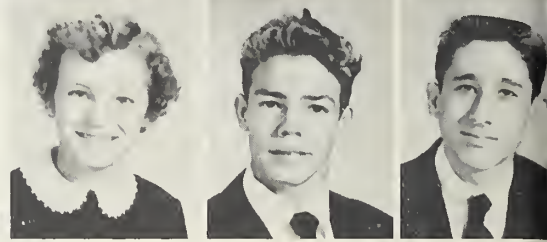


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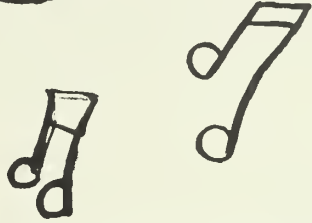




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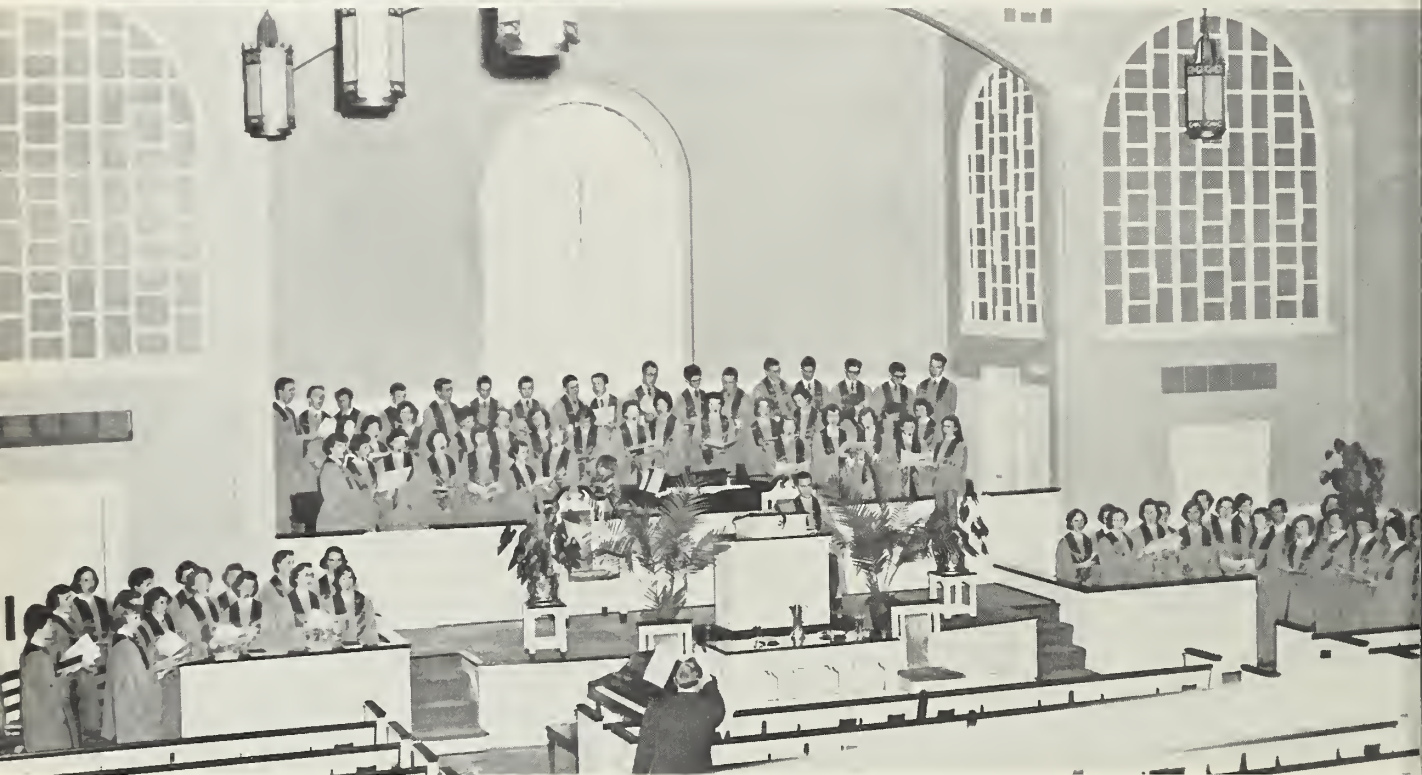
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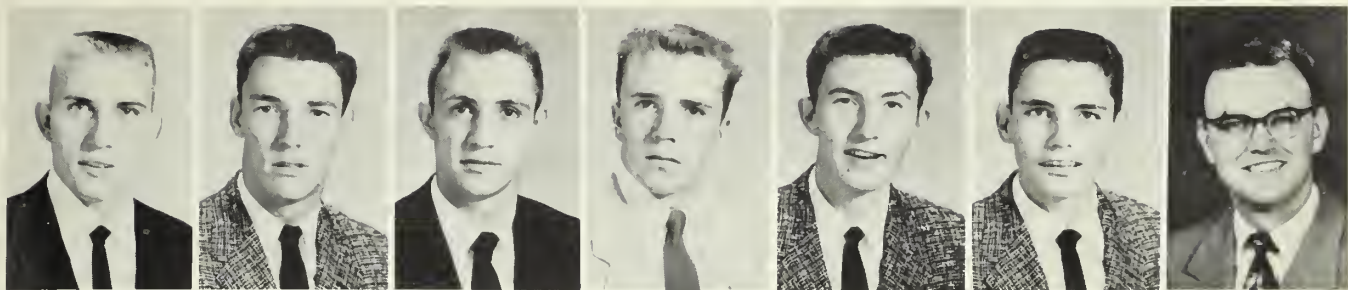
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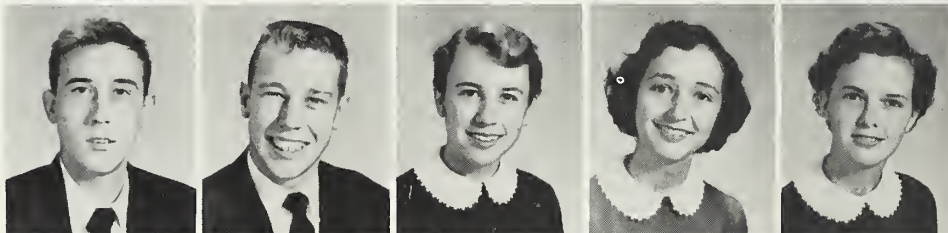
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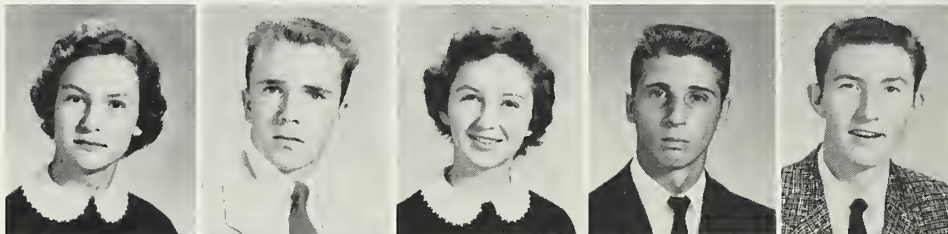
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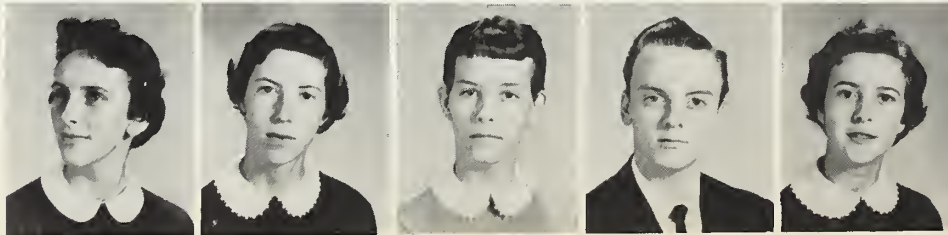


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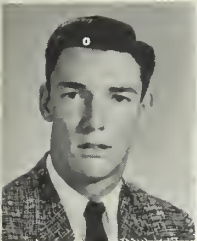
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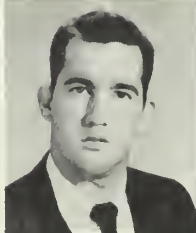
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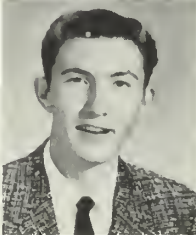
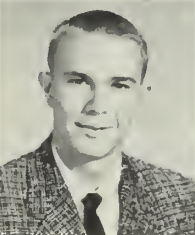
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Head Coach Johnny Smith turned in an outstanding job in his rookie year of coaching. He was ably assisted by Terrell Hall, Willie Holland, and Bunk Carpenter. The coaches are looking forward to next year. Doug Mauldin gained over 1,000 yards rushing for the second straight year and led the Southwestern Conference in scoring.

Truett Lineberger and Carroll Trull were named to the All-Conference team, while Mauldin received honorable mention All-State.

The Raiders, going into the 1956 season, have scored at least one touchdown in 38 straight games, a record unequalled by most football teams.

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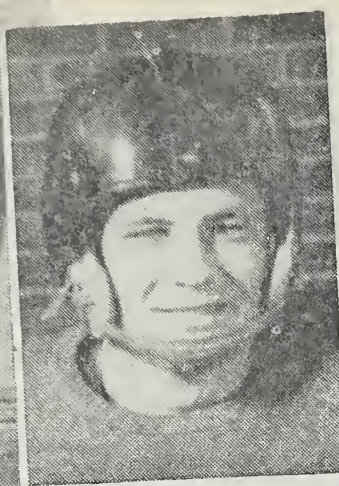
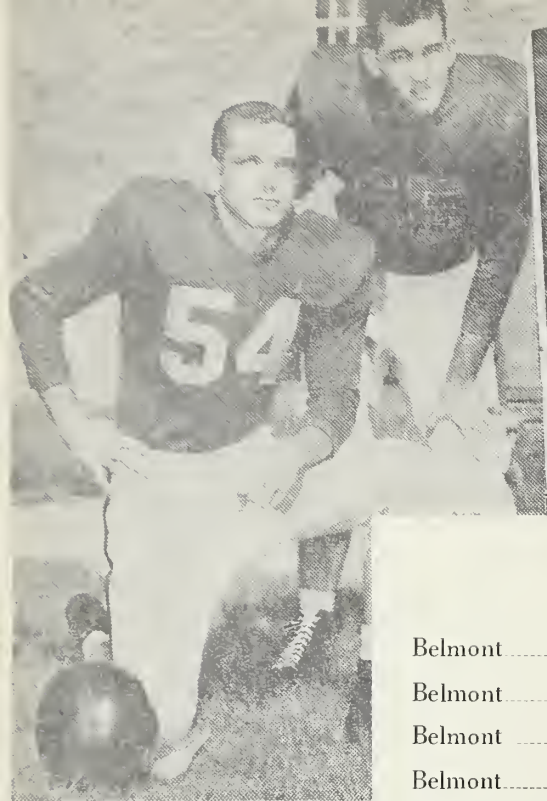
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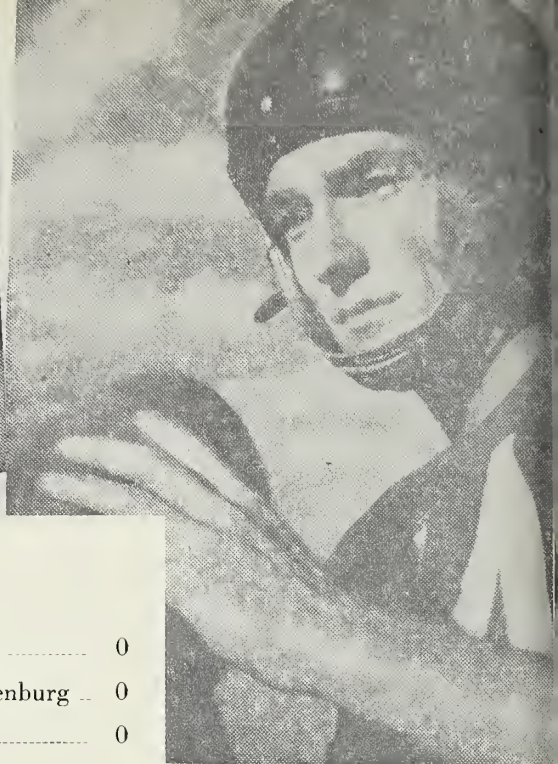
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Belmont	14	Cherryville	0
Belmont	12	North Mecklenburg	0
Belmont	14	Cramerton	0
Belmont	31	R-S Central	0
Belmont	19	Shelby	7
Belmont	13	Lincolnton	13
Belmont	12	Hickory	20
Belmont	6	Morganton	18
Belmont	6	Forest City	13
Belmont	6	Kings Mountain	20

BELMONT BRUISES—Belmont High's bruise (left) at 185 and Joe Lewis (right) posing teams trouble this fall. Lineberger, Lineberger, soph at North Carolina tomorrow (Thursday)

Belmont O. Good Star

—BY DWIGHT F. (Gazette Sports Writer)
Belmont High School will never know how big their 14-0 win over Cherryville was last night before some 3,000 fans at Davis Park.

The Lineups

BELMONT (14)
Trull, Williams, Garrett, Barker, Lewis, S.

The third Raider of the Week was not hard to pick. Carroll Trull is chosen without hesitation. Although he has played a bang-up brand of defensive basketball, against Rutherfordton he really strutted his talents. Against Cramerton, Carroll caught two

down passes that were not caught because of penalties. But Friday he was not denied as he snagged three 18 big points. The catches were for 40, 19 and 40 yards each occasion, Carroll kept the defense completely on their feet to get clear. On several occasions no one was within 15 yards of him. Although Carroll is a rugged football player that has the college scouts taking notice (it's reported that Davidson College is mighty interested), I think he excels on hardwood. Last year, though playing on a team that one only one reference game, Carroll

was chosen on the Southwest All-Star squad. Carroll led the Raider five in scoring with a 16 plus average per game. He is big 6' 3", 180 lbs. gangly Trull has the physical build to n

Belmont's Mauldin

ON THE BALL
J. B. Owens covered his fourth fumble of the season last night and J. B. Owens got his hands covered fumbles by the two boys. Owens had recovered in four games. Owens, leading both boys play on the field, a top to Raider foes, don't fumble. Owens will bet the ball.

... away at the R-S Central ... rains come like some soaked





First row, left to right: Bobby Brown, Buddy Eller, Dicky Suggs, Doug Mauldin, Truett Lineberger, Joe Lewis, Don Hayes, Jerry Patterson.

Second row, left to right: Carroll Trull, Kermit Williams, Leroy London, Randy Burns, Bobbie Stewart, Irvin Ellington, Johnny Robinson, J. B. Owens.

Third row, left to right: Larry Garrett, Norman Reid, Jimmy Miller, Micky Byers, Martin Murphy, Bob Williams, Vernon Heaffner.

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Belmont	42	Cramerton	54
Belmont	34	Mt. Holly	57
Belmont	45	West Mecklenburg	43
Belmont	64	Tri-Hi	54
Belmont	60	Cherryville	53
Belmont	45	Forest City	61
Belmont	72	R-S Central	61
Belmont	53	Shelby	37
Belmont	48	Lincolnton	82
Belmont	54	Cliffside	55
Belmont	57	Kings Mountain	32
Belmont	74	Tri-Hi	77
Belmont	44	West Mecklenburg	51
Belmont	72	Cherryville	71
Belmont	70	Forest City	74
Belmont	77	R-S Central	74



Coach, "WILLIE" HOLLAND



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Left to right: Marold Woods, Dick Suggs, Jimmy Hall, Tommy Sanders, Carroll Trull, Tommy Hand, Johnny Robinson. Kneeling: LeRoy London, Richard Nixon, Kermit Williams. Not pictured: Roy Young and Bobby Brown.

Boys

TOMMY HAND

HAROLD WOODS

DICK SUGGS

ROY YOUNG





COACH TERRELL HALL

Belmont	47	Cramerton	59
Belmont	52	Mt. Holly	45
Belmont	40	West Mecklenburg	79
Belmont	48	Tri-Hi	38
Belmont	67	Cherryville	85
Belmont	61	Forest City	38
Belmont	61	R-S Central	58
Belmont	40	Shelby	42
Belmont	40	Lincolnton	56
Belmont	60	Cliffside	62
Belmont	35	Kings Mountain	54
Belmont	52	Tri-Hi	42
Belmont	47	West Mecklenburg	49
Belmont	49	Cherryville	45
Belmont	64	Forest City	70
Belmont	54	R-S Central	50

Basketball

KERMIT WILLIAMS



TOMMY SANDERS



JIMMIE HALL



CARROLL TRULL





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ROY YOUNG



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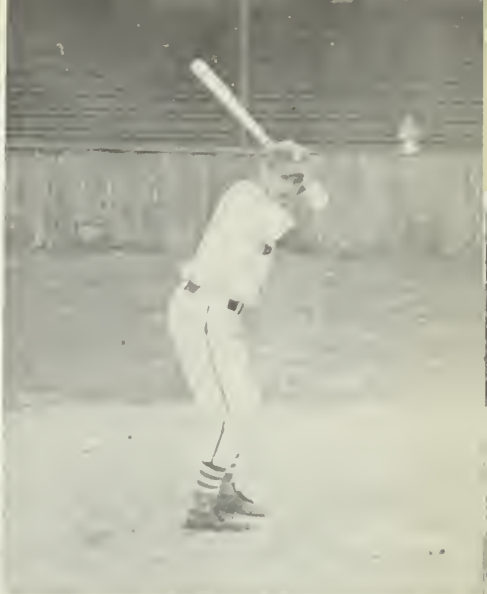




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Baseball '55

RESULTS OF 1955 SEASON

Belmont	8	R-S Central	1
Belmont	5	Cherryville	4
Belmont	2	Shelby	5
Belmont	11	Cliffside	0
Belmont	7	Shelby	4
Belmont	18	Tri-Hi	5
Belmont	17	Kings Mountain	1
Belmont	11	Gastonia	12
Belmont	4	Lincolnton	3
Belmont	13	Forest City	0

BRIEFS: Shelby afforded the Big Red its biggest competition, followed by Gastonia; Belmont won 9 while dropping 2; the Red Raiders finished second place in the Southwestern AA Conference.

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Foa



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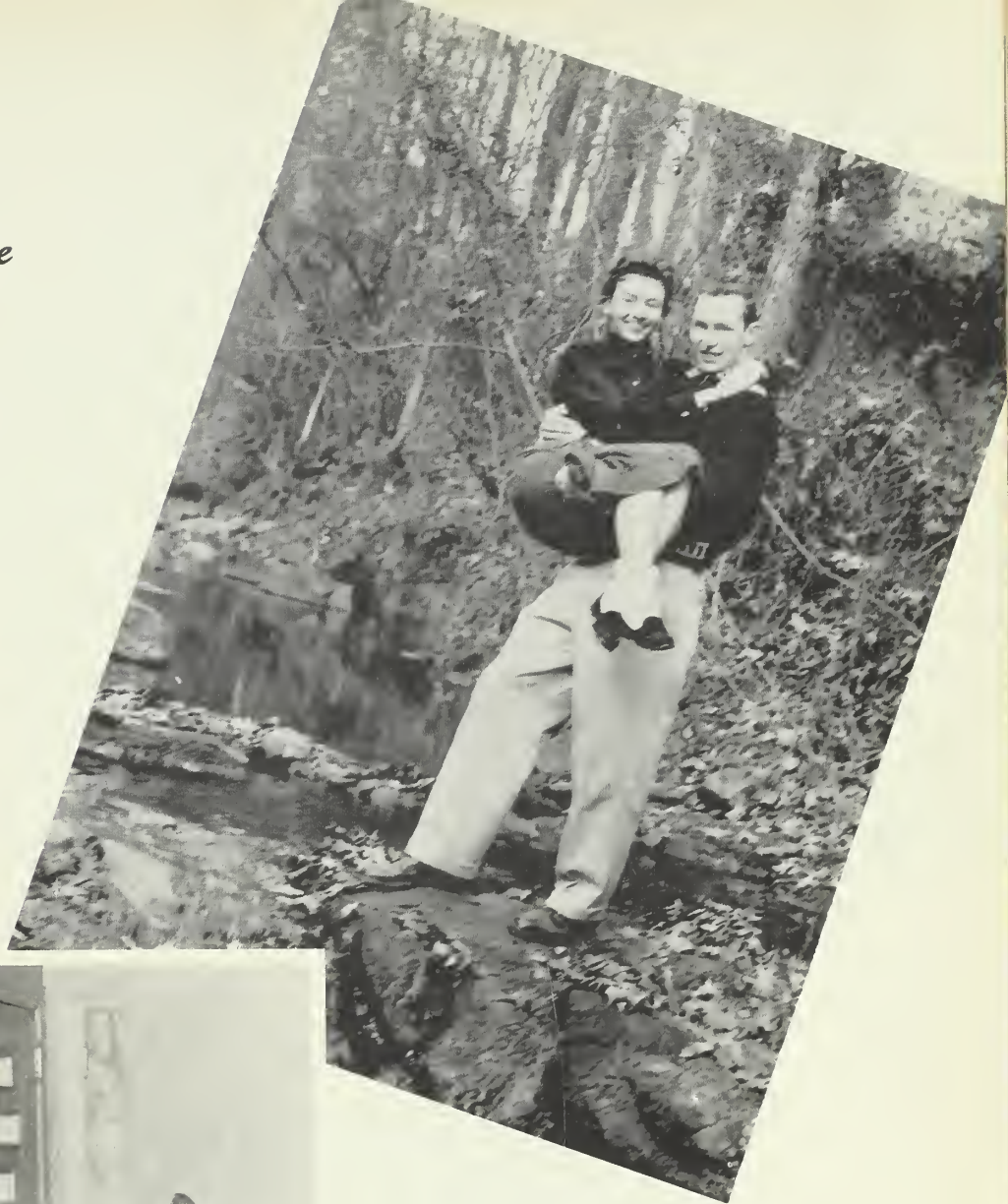
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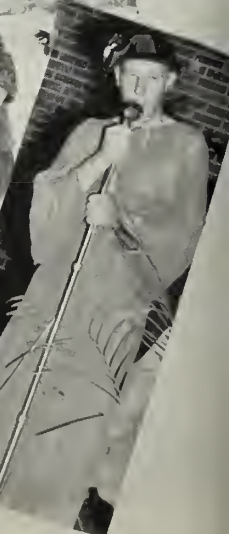
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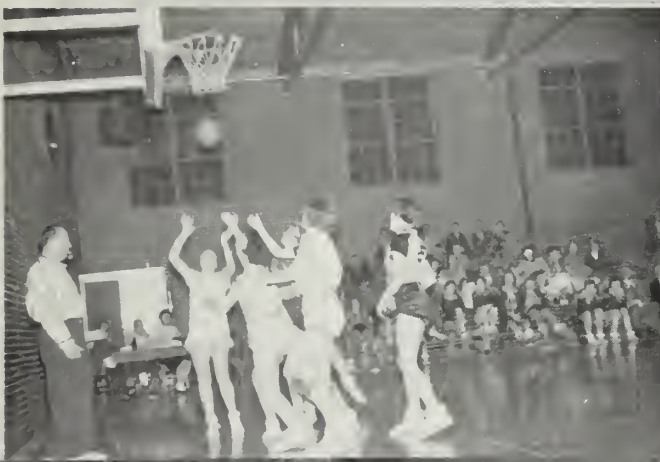
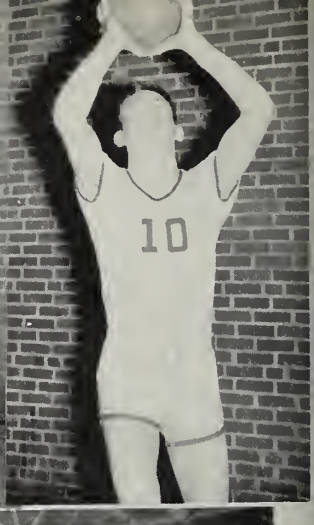




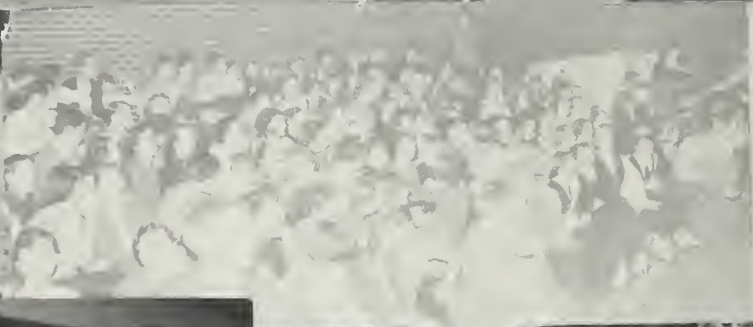


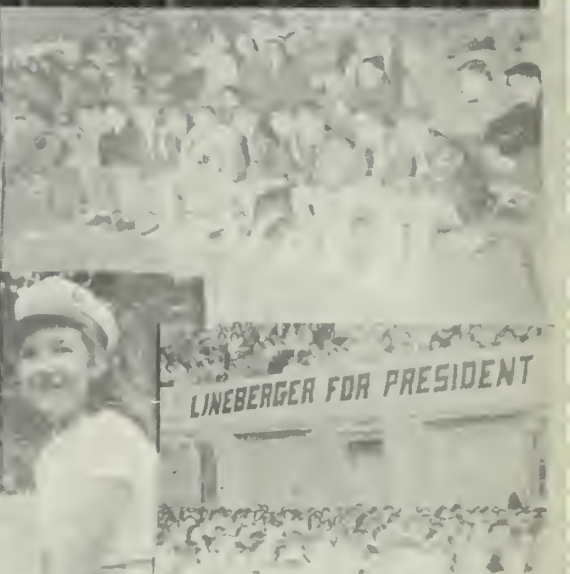












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