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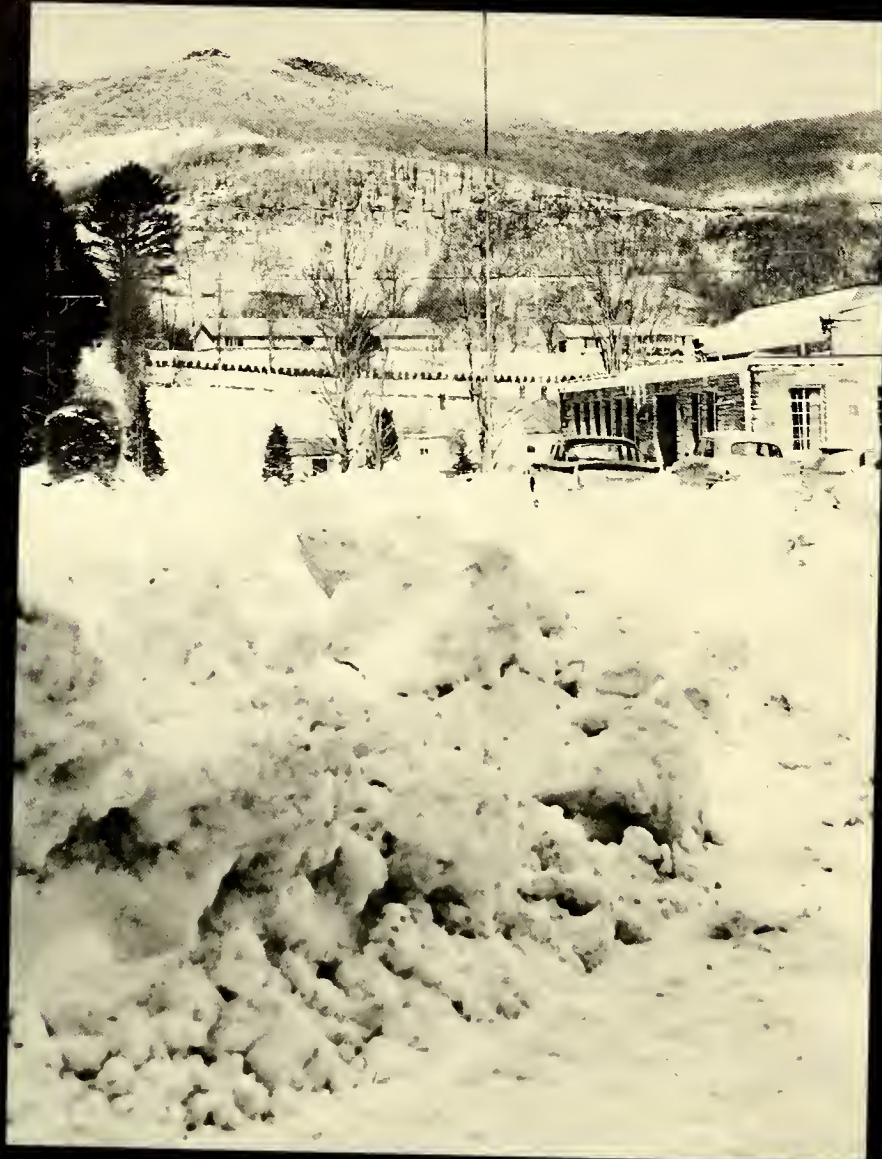


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THE 1964 ONTAR

We came to find...a small village...



McRAE COLLEGE

NORTH CAROLINA

OGA



a "campus in the clouds"...

an endless maze



Col. and Mrs. Chapman head receiving line after Convocation.

Freshman Rob Clemmer makes good use of refreshments.



new...tiring...strange...but we got into the

..registration...orientation...receptions...



Students feast with faculty and administration at Board of Trustees Banquet.



Long hours are spent in testing program during orientation.

Students join in song at Convocation.

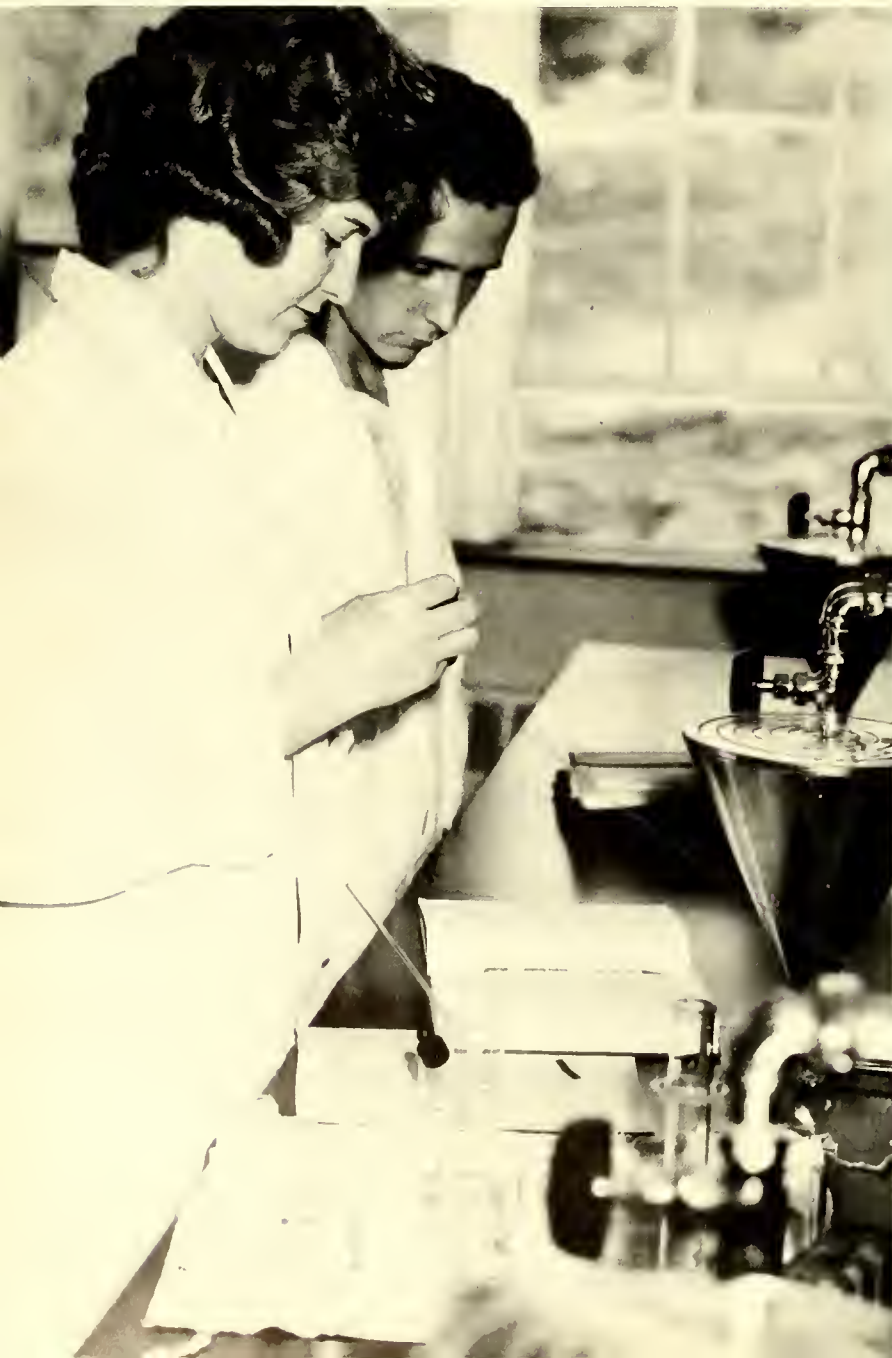


routine of things...we made new acquaintances...

there were classes...



After the first few hectic days, we settle down to the routine of regular classes. Assignments and teachers become more familiar as we adjust to our surroundings and prepare for the days to come.



Quiet hours, library, labs, regular class assignments, and projects demand our time.

labs...meetings...



The studious phase of college life shows itself on the settled campus



... But there are always friends ... the crowd to keep us busy ...

friends...ballgames...dances...to take up our time...

... social events ...

... and the excitement of a ball game to occupy our time.



We clowned around...in our more serious



Carol Bowles, Deanna Thompson, and Susan Pierce costumed for the Order of the Tower CARNIVAL.



Faculty members Osborne, Jessup and Simmerman participate in the dart throw at the CARNIVAL.

moments we found help and guidance...



Mr. McCaskey works out a problem in class scheduling with Carol Hayden.

and we remembered to study...long hours...

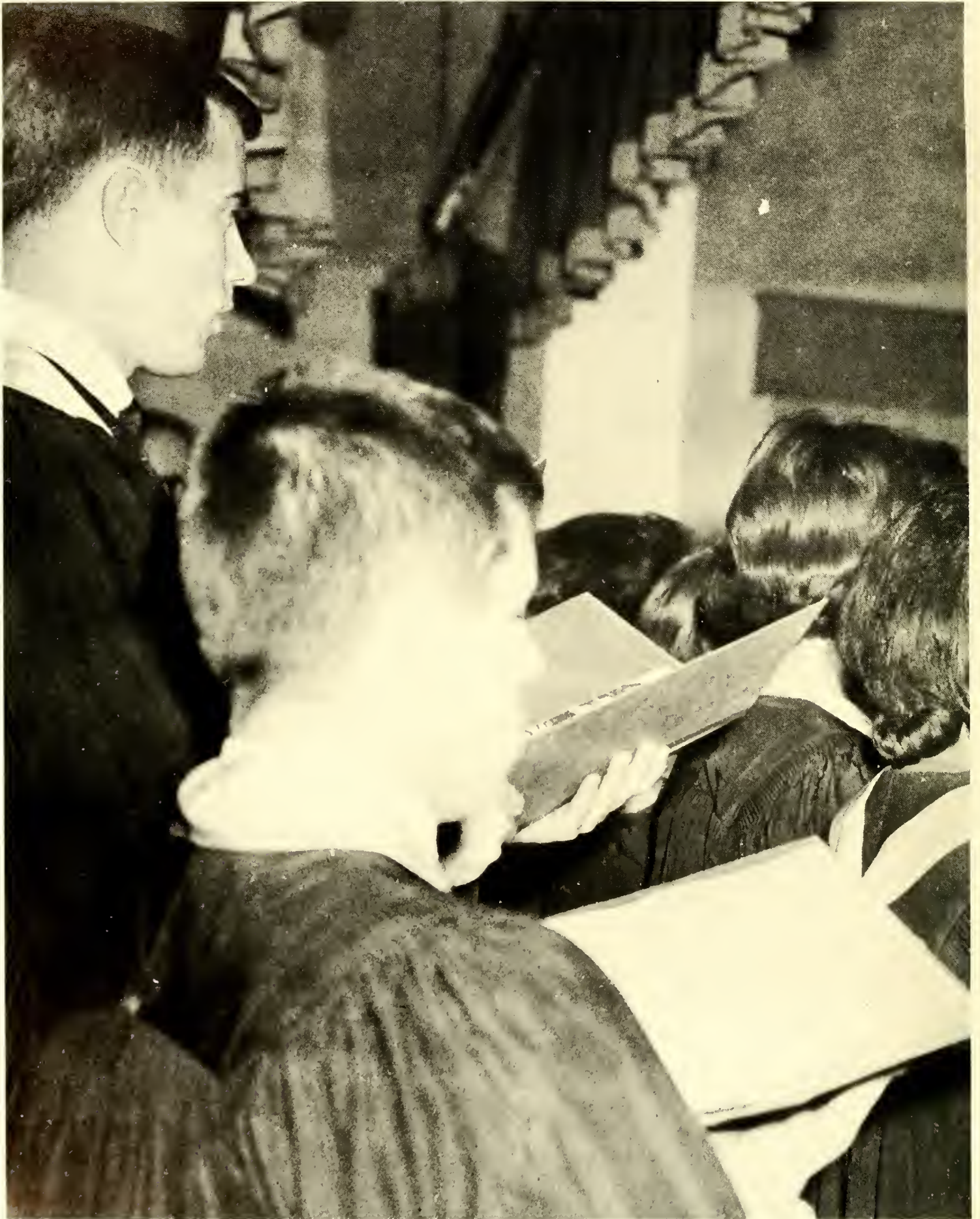
Bob Houck observes live Tarantula spider in biology lab.



Homecoming Queen, Judy Smith, finds time for the books.



We worshipped together...found spiritual enrichment



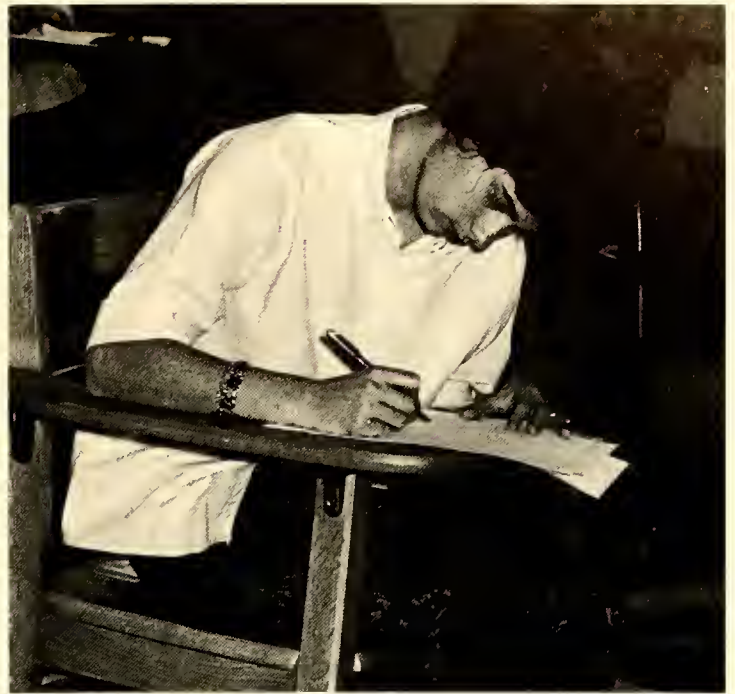
we found our place...we

here...made lasting friendships...



Toncray presides over Vespers.

Exams! Exams! Exams!



Calm after the storm.



labored to understand the meaning of the Lees - McRae way of life...

in pursuit of an education... we accepted the

FOREWORD

The year--1964; the place--Lees-McRae College; the memories--many. The purpose of the ONTAROGA is to record these memories. For the Freshmen this was a year of beginning--of taking that first step into the world as an individual. For many it was to be the first time of living away from home. This year was a year of adjustment.

For the Sophomores the year was one of taking the second step, completing another phase of our lives, preparing one's self for further advancement. For everyone this was a year of improving one's self spiritually, mentally, and physically. The Christian atmosphere was felt throughout. The mind was broadened by the many well-spent hours of study. This was a year of making lifetime friends.

Yes, these are just a few of our memories. Our year was highlighted by dances, sports, grades, and for some, the first snowfall. It was a year which passed very rapidly. Graduation time came as the excitement--sometimes happy and sometimes sad--of Sophomores seemed to fill the air and the Freshmen dreamed of their big day.

All of us at Lees-McRae College will cherish these memories of this wonderful year, 1964, at the "campus in the clouds."



Footprints in the "snows" of time.



There is always something to be learned from study.



of the opportunities offered

challenges... and tried to take advantage



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Volunteers mail alumni news letters.



at the "campus in the clouds"...

THE

IT IS WITH

The 1964 ONTAROGA Staff and student body of Lees-McRae College wish to recognize two outstanding members of the faculty who have so diligently labored for the "Campus in the Clouds" . . .

In recognition of the outstanding record he has compiled during his twenty-three years at Lees-McRae . . .

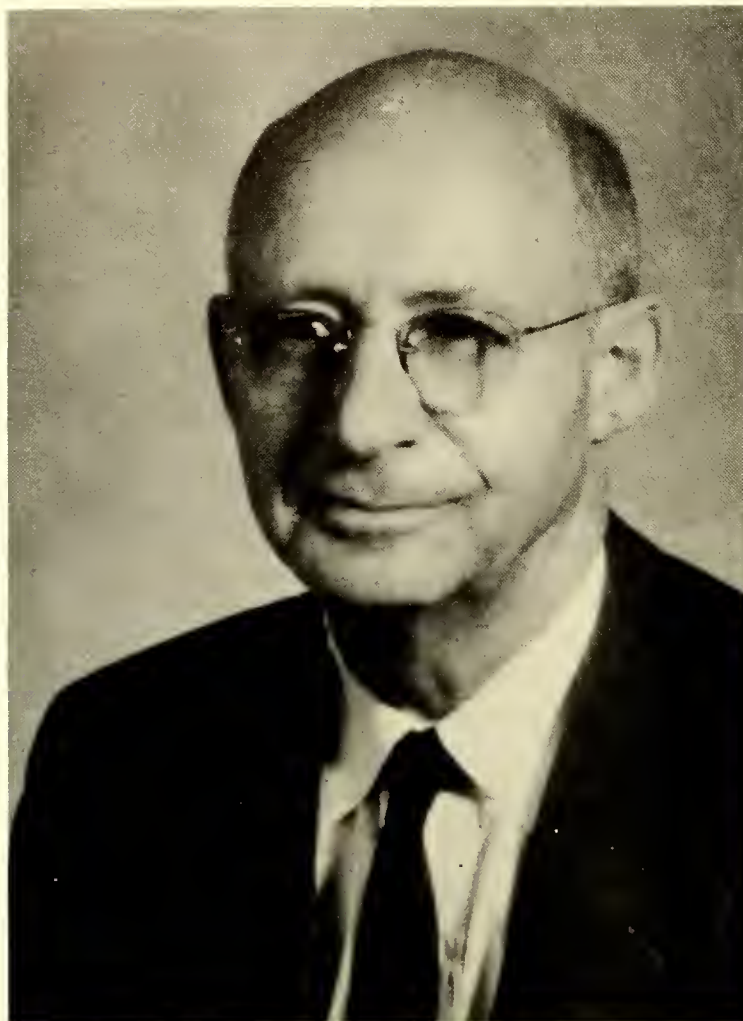
And for his firmness in dealing with students and colleagues, for loyalty, devotion and unselfish service, for his enthusiasm for our Alma Mater . . .

And for the spirit, the quality of dedication and devotion which is most fully expressed in the life of . . .

Charles F. Whitesell . . .

We wish to express our gratitude.

And . . .



CHARLES F. WHITESELL

A graduate of St. Cloud Teachers College, with additional study at Clemson College, Mr. Whitesell is an instructor in Drafting at Lees-McRae.

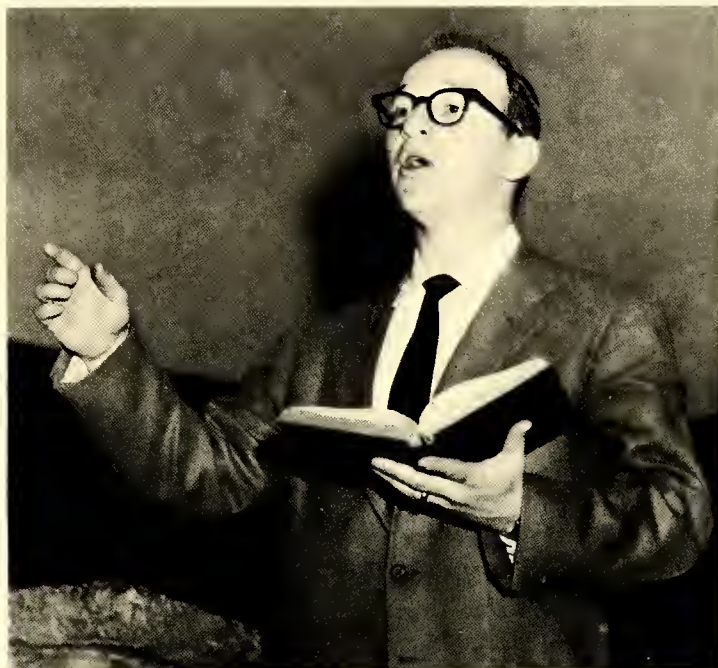


STUDENTS' CHOICE

SINCERE APPRECIATION THAT WE DEDICATE THE '64 ONTAROGA



B. HARRISON TAYLOR



To a man who is well-known on the Lees-McRae campus . . . one who stands constantly ready to aid those who call upon him . . . To one whose understanding, unselfishness, patience, genuineness, and humility have made him beloved by the students and faculty alike . . .

He heads the Bible Department of Lees-McRae College; is the advisor of the Student Christian Association, and acts in the capacity of College Chaplain. He states that his goal is " . . . to make this a fruitful and profitable year as we strive to penetrate the mysteries of life with intelligent minds and committed hearts."

And so, to the man who is an instructor and minister, and most important, a friend . . . we dedicate the 1964 ONTAROGA to . . .

B. Harrison Taylor

who symbolizes in so many ways the spirit of Lees-McRae College . . .



Rev. Taylor relaxes at home with two of his children.



Mr. Pritchett conducts biology lecture.

ACADEMICS . . .

Lees-McRae College believes that the highest education is Christian. Offering educational opportunity in a Christian environment, it strives to give meaning to its belief that Christian ideals and a trained intelligence are essentials for abundant living. Lees-McRae's determination is that students shall leave this "campus in the clouds" with minds agile enough to use, with character strong enough to hold.

A well-qualified faculty of twenty-nine members devote their time and talents to the student body both in class and in personal conferences, enhancing the academic atmosphere with excellent relationships between the teachers and the students. These people assist the

college in planning an academic program which will train the intelligence, strengthen the body, and provide a rich spiritual and social life leading to wholesome personal living.

Lees-McRae College represents an idea which is not realized in the stone of its buildings, nor the accumulated wisdom of its library or faculty, but in the minds of the young men and women who attend the "campus in the clouds". Lees-McRae is the students; the students are Lees-McRae--not as they exist one by one, but as they are unified by the idea that is contained within them.

A DEDICATED FACULTY CONCERNED WITH THE EDUCATION AND



Another "crip" quiz administered by Mr. Bowling.

What could Mr. Daniels have said that was amusing about a centrifuge?



WELFARE OF THE STUDENTS . . . THE OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTIGATION . . .



"For the Prepared there will be unlimited opportunities . . ." ASTC President, Dr. William Plemmons stated in his address to the LMC students "There will be a startling demand for dedicated and capable educations."

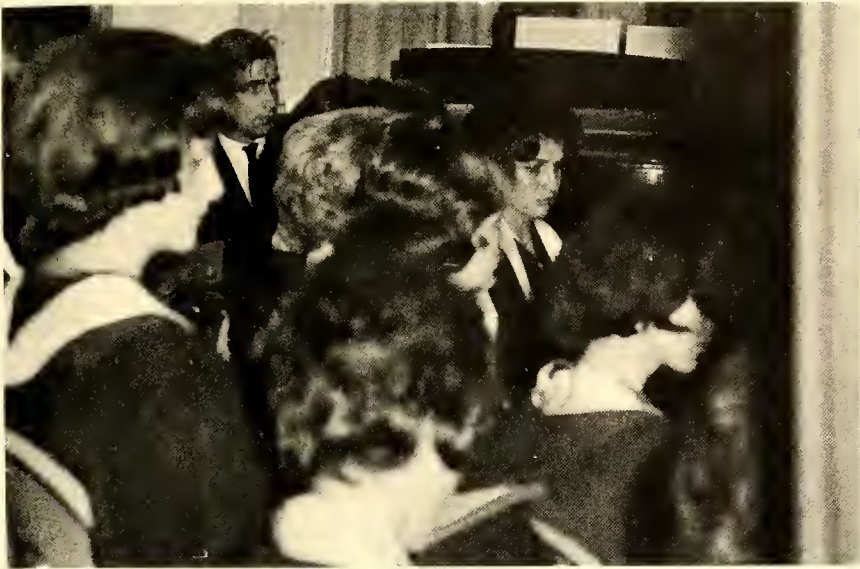


Dean Lewis Hall and his wife, Evelyn, welcome students in the reception line following the convocation address.

THE CHANCE TO QUESTION . . . THE DESIRE TO EXCEL . . . IN SHAPING OUR

Mr. Daniels observes a chemistry experiment.





Mr. Brown, director, and LMC Choir show solemn reverence at the Memorial Service for John F. Kennedy, late President of the United States.



Despite the tragedy that shook the nation, the assassination of President Kennedy, we had to study.

ATTITUDES AND VALUES THESE SCHOLARLY MEN AND WOMEN HELPED US LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR OUR NEW WAY OF LIFE . . .

The character and reputation of a college, its standing in the educational world, the measure of its influence on those who live and study on its campus, is determined in large measure by the dedication and devotion of its faculty. For us, as for many generations of Lees-McRae students, this spirit, this quality of dedication and devotion, is most fully expressed in our administration, staff, and faculty of 1963-64.

Presidents in Conference. What appears to be a Presidents' Convention is merely three gentlemen talking shop after Dr. Plemmon's address "career opportunities in Education." Mr. R. G. Hayes, President, ETMA is at left, Col. Chapman, right.





MEN LOVE TO WONDER, AND THAT IS THE SEED OF OUR SCIENCE—EMERSON



LEES-McRAE—HIGHEST CAMPUS EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI

Lees-McRae College, located in Avery County, North Carolina, high in the Blue Ridge Mountains, proudly boasts of its "Campus in the Clouds" as it was first described some two decades ago by a Readers Digest writer. Banner Elk is 4,000 feet above sea level and enjoys a delightful and invigorating climate the year around.

Most aerial photographs are taken from an airplane, but to gain a cloud-high view of Lees-McRae you need only to climb Beech Mountain to be provided with a spectacular view of the college, the town of Banner Elk, and a large portion of Avery County. The college and community are located in a valley surrounded by such towering skyscrapers as Grandfather Mountain, the Beech, Hanging Rock, and the Sugar Mountains.

Today this far western corner of the state is easily reached from NC 105 which runs from Linville to Boone past Grandfather Mountain where 184 leads four miles west to Banner Elk. West of the village is 19E which goes across the near-by Tennessee border to Johnson City, forty miles away.



CAMPUS IN THE CLOUDS ENJOYS ACADEMIC GROWTH

The college is Presbyterian Church-affiliated and operates under the Concord and Holston Presbyteries. It is an active member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the American Association of Junior Colleges, the North Carolina College Conference and the Presbyterian Educational Asso-



PRESENT EXPANSION IS NOT ENOUGH .

ciation of the South. Its work is recognized and accepted by colleges and universities throughout the country. The college is co-educational with principal emphasis on the general liberal arts course. This program gives the student a thorough foundation in liberal arts and permits emphasis on any one of the areas of science, social studies or humanities. Terminal courses are available for the students who are interested in terminal education. These courses include Medical Secretary, Medical Record Technician, Secretarial Science, X-ray Technician and Engineering Aide.



A FRIENDLY CAMPUS

Friendliness is a keynote trait of the small campus where the compact location of dorms, classrooms, and faculty homes brings about a close and cordial relationship between students and faculty. All of the buildings are attractively designed of native stone from Beech Mountain which provides a rustic continuity from oldest to the newest.

A competent faculty, working with small class groups, is able to provide individual attention to the students. With a relatively small student body, an atmosphere of friendliness and personal interest pervades the campus. Opportunities abound for each student to find self-expression and increase his self-

confidence, as well as knowledge. The Administration sponsors a strong counseling program which keeps the students in close touch with faculty advisors. This provides the desired guidance to young people faced with the problems of making far-reaching decisions for the first time.



LEES-McRAE'S GOAL—IMPROVING JUNIOR COLLEGE STATUS.

At a time when many junior colleges are considering senior status, Lees-McRae has written a very different and ambitious role for itself. Under the leadership of Colonel Max C. Chapman, President of the College, the college is busily working to become one of the foremost junior colleges in the south, offering a superior liberal arts program throughout the year.

The new science building has been completed to house chemistry, physics, biology, zoology, and related subjects as well as some of the administrative offices. The modern structure, named in honor of Adam Bowman, late Chairman of the Board of Trustees, represents an investment of \$300,000. Five new faculty homes were built last summer to accommodate additional faculty members. The student center and the cafeteria underwent renovation to improve the facilities for the student body. A new dormitory for 135 women will be completed before September of 1964. The campus is comprised of nearly 400 acres which provide ample land for future expansion.

In the summer the college will offer a nine-week summer session for high school graduates, freshmen and sophomore college students. The cool mountain climate makes Lees-McRae an ideal place to pursue extra academic credits. The summer term will begin June 15th.

Plans have been made to expand the faculty, improve the physical plant and make further improvements in the academic program in order to provide quality education to a student body of 500 students by September, 1964.



PLANS FOR THE FUTURE ARE NECESSARY . . .

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE . . .

As the 1963-64 college session becomes history, the administration thanks the Board of Trustees, the President of Edgar Tufts Memorial Association, the Faculty, the Staff, the Student Body, and the friends of the college community for making it a successful and fruitful year.

The Board of Trustees faced difficult and perplexing problems. Under the leadership of its chairman, Dr. Ferguson Wood, the Board resolved them and provided appropriate policy guidance. The College appreciates the sacrifices of time and talents made by the Trustees.

The President of Edgar Tufts Memorial Association, Mr. Robert G. Hayes, worked diligently and selflessly for the betterment of Lees-McRae. The Institution benefited greatly from his advice, guidance, and support.

The Faculty, under the direction of Dean Lewis M. Hall, fulfilled its purpose in commendable fashion. A special word of thanks goes to each member of this competent, industrious and cooperative group who completed the Self-Study Project in addition to their normal faculty duties.

The Staff provided the required administrative support. Many improvements were adopted during the year due to the initiative and dedicated work of its members. Lees-McRae thanks the Staff for a job "well done."

The Student Body made a favorable and lasting impression. Its members were attractive young Christian ladies and gentlemen who gained universal respect and admiration. Under the leadership of President Duane L. Baker, the student body cooperated as mature citizens with the administration. The college wishes each of you bountiful success and is grateful for your contribution to its betterment.

Lees-McRae Friends continued their vital support. The generosity of contributors made possible many improvements in the college. Other friends, who were kindly disposed to the efforts of the administration, likewise helped and deserve an expression of thanks.

OUR PRESIDENT . . .

MAX C. CHAPMAN





Colonel Max C. Chapman (USMC retired) assumed the duties of president of Lees-McRae College in August of 1961. Colonel Chapman, a graduate of Clemson College, has been instrumental in Lees-McRae's rapid growth and progress in the last two years. Colonel Chapman, a tireless worker is seeking to make Lees-McRae one of the finest Junior Colleges in the South. His energetic spirit is reflected in the student body and his drive and determination offers a challenge to the students of the College.

Colonel and Mrs. Chapman with friends
Fluffy and Picnic.

Colonel Chapman, second from right, chats with LMC faculty and Doctor William Plemmons President, Appalachian State Teacher's College, second from left, after Dr. Plemmons address to the Lees McRae Student Body. In the center is the amiable President of the Edgar Tuft's Memorial Association, Mr. Robert G. Hayes.





ROBERT G. HAYES
PRESIDENT, EDGAR TUFTS
MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

Mr. Robert G. Hayes, a graduate of Duke University, and a prominent figure in North Carolina business circles, became the eighth president of the Edgar Tufts Memorial Association. The three institutions that comprise the E. T. M. A. are Lees-McRae College, Cannon Memorial Hospital, and the Grandfather Home for Children. Before assuming his duties in 1961, Mr. Hayes was a member of the Board of Trustees and showed a very active interest in the progress and welfare of the three institutions in Banner Elk.



DR. FERGUSON
WOOD, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, ETMA

FRONT ROW, seated, left to right: Mrs. W. C. Brown, Mr. Andrew T. Hanes, Mrs. Lucy Tucker, Mr. John Clark, Dr. Ferguson Wood. **STANDING**, left to right: Mr. Robert G. Hayes, Admiral Cato, D. Glover, Dr. Frontis W. Johnston, Mr. L. Young White, Dr. Lee G. Davy, Mr. J. H. Carson, Dr. John A. Wilson, Mr. R. Hall Morrison, Jr., Dr. Ralph A. Brown, Mr. Clyde W. Luddreth, Mr. Carl Young. **NOT PICTURED**: Dr. David W. Baker, Dr. Walter D. Hankins, Mr. Charles Hughes, Mr. William R. Lybrook, Mr. Fred Stone, Jr., Dr. M. O. Sommers, Mr. T. Henry Wilson.



Added to the physical growth of the campus is the intellectual growth of each individual. New ideas are received, some conflicting with old standards, some upholding previous knowledge. No longer is our mental world bound by the small area by our home environment, but we encounter new ideas to stimulate new growth and expansion. Our academic world is involved in a new era of maturation through contact with intellectual stimulus.

LEWIS M. HALL

B.S. College of William and Mary
M.A. East Tennessee State College

Lewis M. Hall, as Academic Dean of Lees-McRae College, is known over the campus for his smile, friendly manner, and keen interest in the student as an individual.

ACADEMIC DEAN

LEWIS M. HALL





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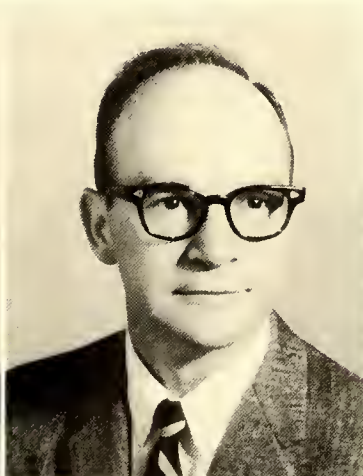
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Mr. Ronald Whittaker



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MELVIN C. BOWLING
Biology
East Tennessee State College, B.S. Tennessee Polytechnic Institute. Graduate work Tennessee Polytechnic Institute.



WILLIAM G. DANIEL
Chemistry
B. S. Arkansas State Teachers College, University of Tenn. Medical Center, M.A. George Peabody College.



The purpose of the pure science department is in general to give the student an opportunity of growth of skills in the use of elements of the scientific method, as well as growth in the development of scientific attitude. Also, the student should be afforded the opportunity of growth and development of interpretation and application of useful facts. The department should labor to help the student acquire an understanding and control of his environment and should prepare the student to take positions after graduation from Lees-McRae College, and for further science and mathematics courses to be taken in four year colleges and universities.

Mr. Armstrong conducts physics experiment.

MISS PHOEBE WAKEFIELD
Mathematics

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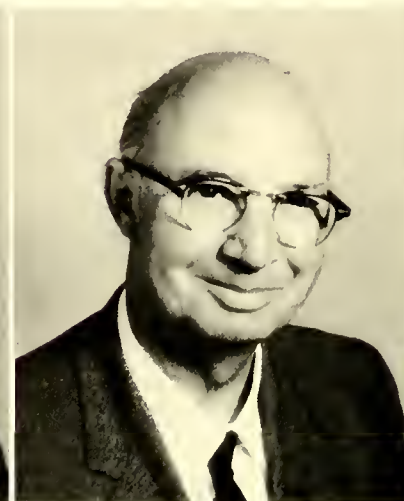
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VARIED AND CHALLENGING CURRICULUM



Barr attempts to explain how he photographs living cells.

LEWIS M. HALL
Mathematics

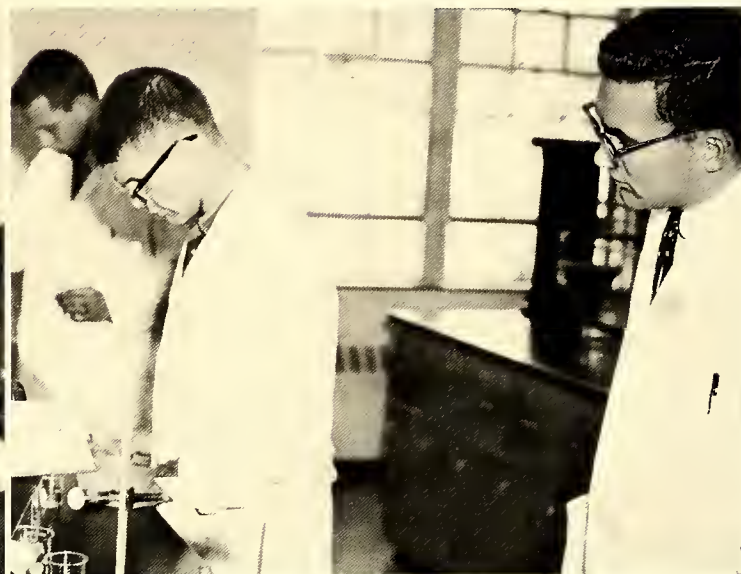
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Mr. Barr attempts to explain why he must fail some students.



Mr. Daniel observes Chemistry experiment.

CHARLES F. WHITESELL
Drafting

MRS. PEGGY SMITH WHITTAKER
Assistant in Physical Education

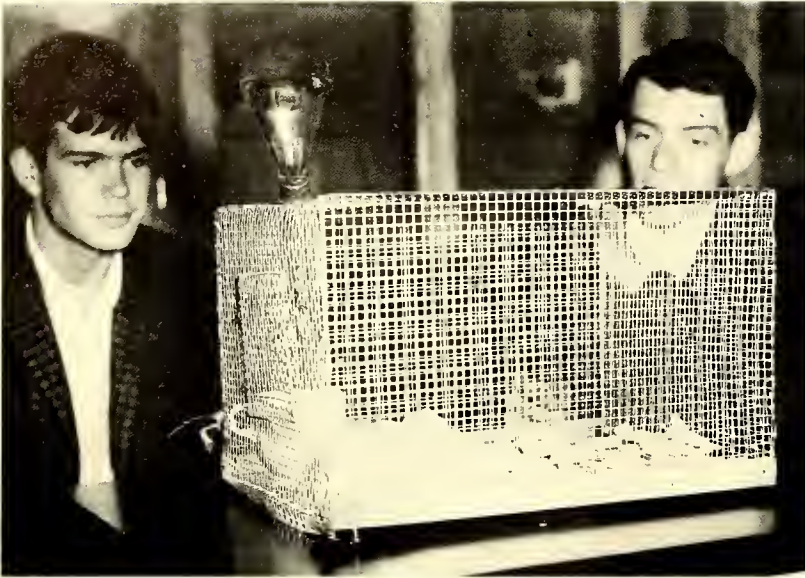
RONALD EVERETT WHITTAKER
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B. E. St. Cloud State Teachers College, I.A. Stout Institute. Additional Study at Clemson College.

B. S. Appalachian State Teachers College.

B. S. Appalachian State Teachers College, M.A. Appalachian State Teachers College.





John Stephenson and student David Hardy observe the antics of the white rat used in Psychology Lab.



Mr. Martin lectures to a captivated audience in History class.

DIVISION OF HUMAN RELATIONS AND BIBLE . . .

The purpose of the Division of Human Relations and Bible is to study how man reacts and relates himself to the world behind, the world around, and the world within. In the study of History, Bible, Sociology, Psychology, Geography, Philosophy and Economics these worlds are seen to be interrelated. Only by this understanding of what man has learned and knows of these worlds can the student see his place in the world as a whole.



Myra Elizabeth Slawson
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Institute, M. S. Virginia
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M.A. Presbyterian School
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Vienna

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Union Theological Seminary.

DIVISION OF FINE ARTS AND LANGUAGES

The aim of the Division of Fine Arts and Language at Lees-McRae College is to lead the student into an appreciation for the emotional and cultural values of music, languages, and literature, and in the process--through exercise in disciplined self-expression in music and in the spoken and written languages--to lead the student to some enlightenment concerning his withinness, his own identity, and concerning his culture--that of his country and that of the western world.

Long hours of preparation before the class lecture is presented (shown below is Mr. Luther Scales, Chairman Division Fine Arts).



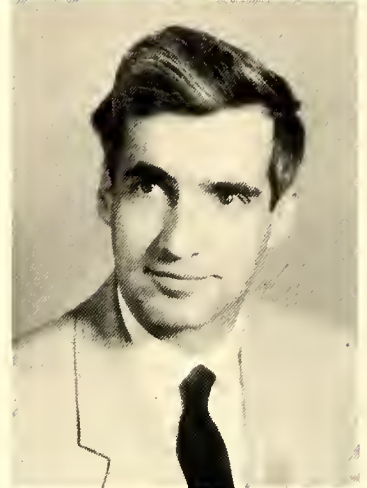
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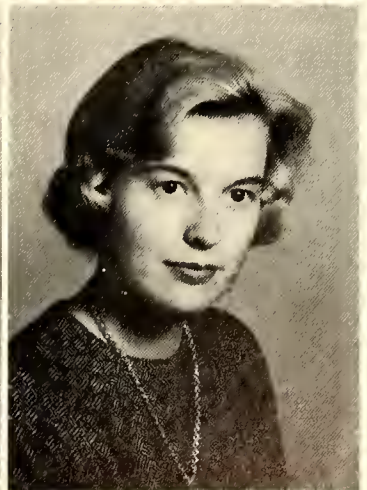


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Graduate Study University
of Alabama



DIVISION OF TERMINAL COURSES

The objective of the Division of Business and Terminal Courses is to assist the student in his intellectual as well as social development both in the classroom through the study of the basic Liberal Arts and Secretarial Studies and outside the classroom through the experience of living in a college environment.



Typing . . . Typing . . . and more typing.



Girls work diligently in secretarial science and medical secretary to increase their efficiency and skill.



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State Teachers College,
M. A. Appalachian State
Teachers College.
Additional study
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B. S. East Tennessee
State College



COLLEGE LIBRARY BULGING AT SEAMS WITH OVER 22,000 VOLUMES . . .

The A. B. Stirling Library reflects the demands placed upon academic libraries for more and more diversified service . . . besides its holdings of over 22,000 volumes, bound periodicals, and pamphlets, the library obtains art exhibits, circulates audio-visual materials, and attempts to offer to students a pleasant atmosphere for study and recreational reading. Much of the library's recent growth has been due to the generosity of friends and foundations.

Richard C. Jackson
Librarian
A.B. Western Carolina College.
Graduate Study
University of North Carolina

The library provides space for reading and study. Also, the library offers art exhibits, on loan from the North Carolina Mu-

seum of Art. BELOW: Two students observe the second in the four series entitled "Early Book Art."



LIBRARY ASSISTANTS, left to right: Kay Chester; Phil Shomaker; Jimmy White; Linda Steelman.
SEATED, left to right: Mary Lou Stanley, Margot Haines.



Miss Sara Rice
Assistant to the Librarian





Students find cultural enrichment at library exhibit of art on loan from the North Carolina Museum of Art.

LEES-McRAE PROVIDES SOUND ACADEMIC CURRICULA

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Some students relax by browsing through the 22,000 volumes in the Alison B. Stirling Library

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A college education should involve four elements-

Development of moral integrity;

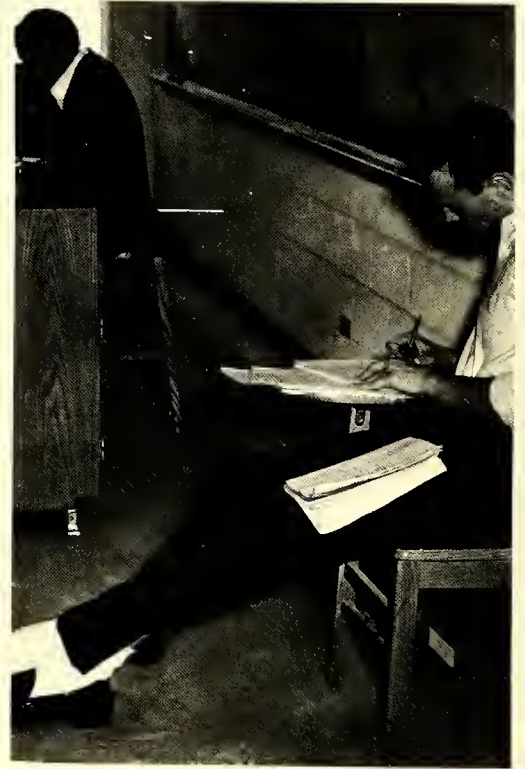
A liberal education to give a richer life, broader understanding, and to bring citizenship into proper perspective;

Acquisition of technical knowledge for professional leadership;

Development of physical fitness.

Lees-McRae tries to provide all four, with interest in students as individuals-not merely so many minds to educate.





For the sophomores there are mixed feelings as they are forced from the secure, isolated world in which they have lived, into the impersonal world of conflict and confusion. The week after school is out, a reduced community stays on making plans for next year's endeavor. Footsteps echo in the lifeless halls, a quiet, serene atmosphere pervades. Memories flood the mind's eye. Already one experiences a feeling of loss . . . a feeling of nostalgia. Where to now? Am I ready? Questions haunt the sophomore as he leaves to begin life. At Lees-McRae he has learned and been offered the necessary criteria for success. Lees-McRae will always be a part of his memories. Memories of the "Campus in the Clouds."

FOR SOME . . . THERE WAS NOT ENOUGH TIME TO DO ALL WE PLANNED



Roger Woodson, President



Sponsor, Mr. Clay Barr

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After an outstanding freshman year, the Sophomore class elected for its class officers Roger Woodson, President; Bill Ratcliffe, Vice-President; Marcia Whitener, Secretary; and Kay Chester, Treasurer.

Mr. Clay Barr was elected sponsor at the first class meeting.

SOPHOMORES ELECT ROGER WOODSON PREXY . . .

BILL RATCLIFFE VEEP . . .

Vice President, Bill Ratcliffe

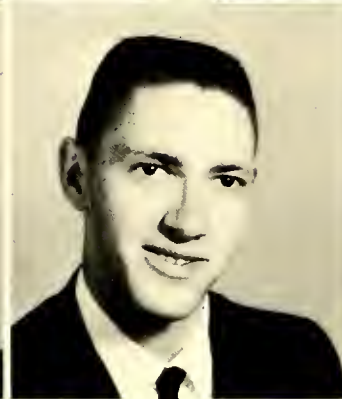


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Treasurer, Kay Chester





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Milburn, N. J.
Pre-Education
Homecoming Court 2.

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Marion, Va.
Liberal Arts
Track 1; Football 1,2; Monogram 1,2.

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BOBCAT TALES Staff, 2; Residence Counselor, 2.

CAROL ANN BOWLES
Charlotte, N. C.
Medical Secretary
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DUANE BAKER ELECTED ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT . . .

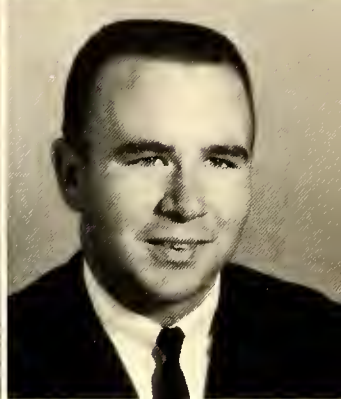
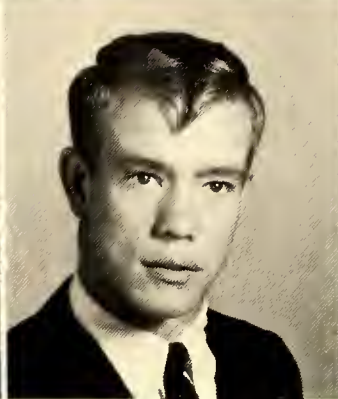
"But I don't want any spinach, Captain Dean."



CARL GLENN BOWLIN
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JANET AILEEN BOWMAN
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BOBCAT TALES Staff 1; Feature Editor.





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Secretarial Science

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Raleigh, N. C.
Lab Technician
Cheerleader 2.

CLAUDE BROWN
Jackhorn, Kentucky
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Class President 1; Student
Parliament 1; Demostheneans
1,2; Monogram Club 1,2; Foot-
ball 1,2.

MARY ELAINE BROWN
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Pre-Education
Intramurals 1,2.

PHYLLIS LYNNE BROWN
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Liberal Arts

THOMAS ALLEN BROWN
Lexington, Va.
Pre-Education
Football 1,2; Track 1,2.

WILLIAM HAROLD BROWN
Forest Park, Ga.
Pre-Law
Football 2; Monogram 2.

LINDA KAY CHESTER
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Valentine Court 1; May Court
1; Class Treasurer 2; ONTA-
ROGA Staff 2.

ROGER LEE CHILDERS
Elizabethton, Tenn.
Pre-Education
Football 1,2; Baseball 1, 2;
Track 1, 2; Resident Vice
President 2; Monogram Club 1,
2; Intramurals 1,2.

JAMES STAMPER CHRISTIAN
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Demostheneans 1,2.

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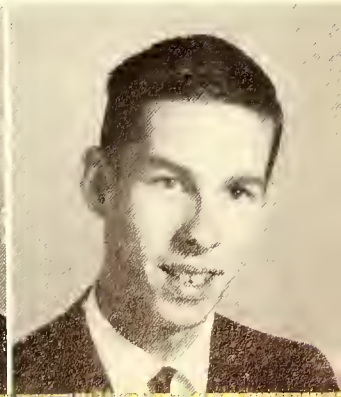
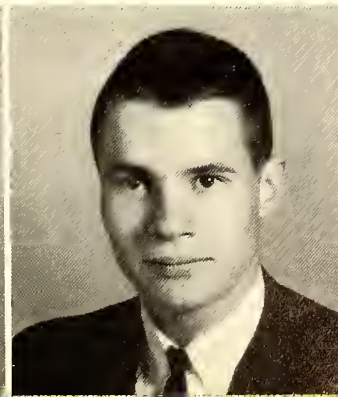
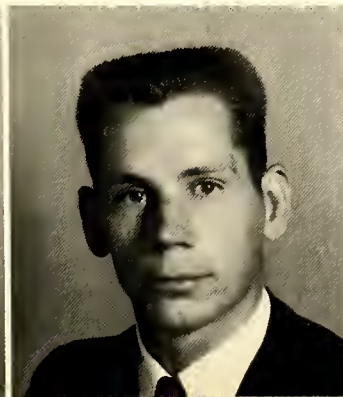
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TAROGA Staff 1,2; Class Editor;
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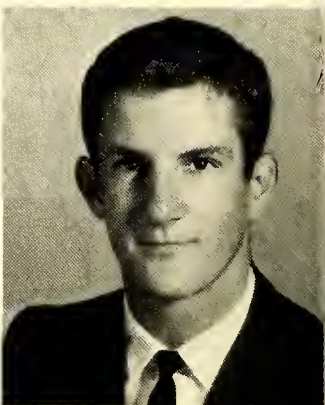
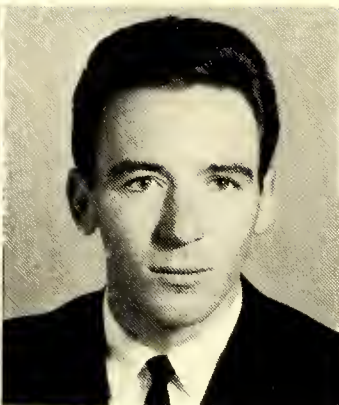
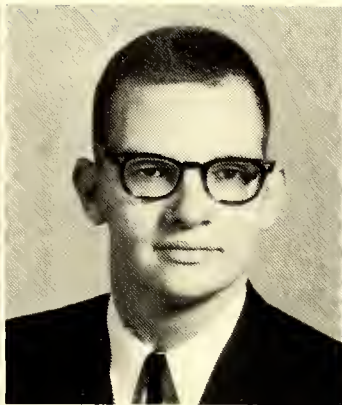
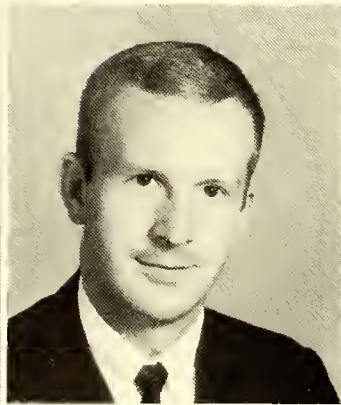
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Monogram Club 1,2; Order of
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Blacksburg, Va.
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Cross Country 1; Basketball 1,
2; Intramurals 1.

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Enka, N. C.
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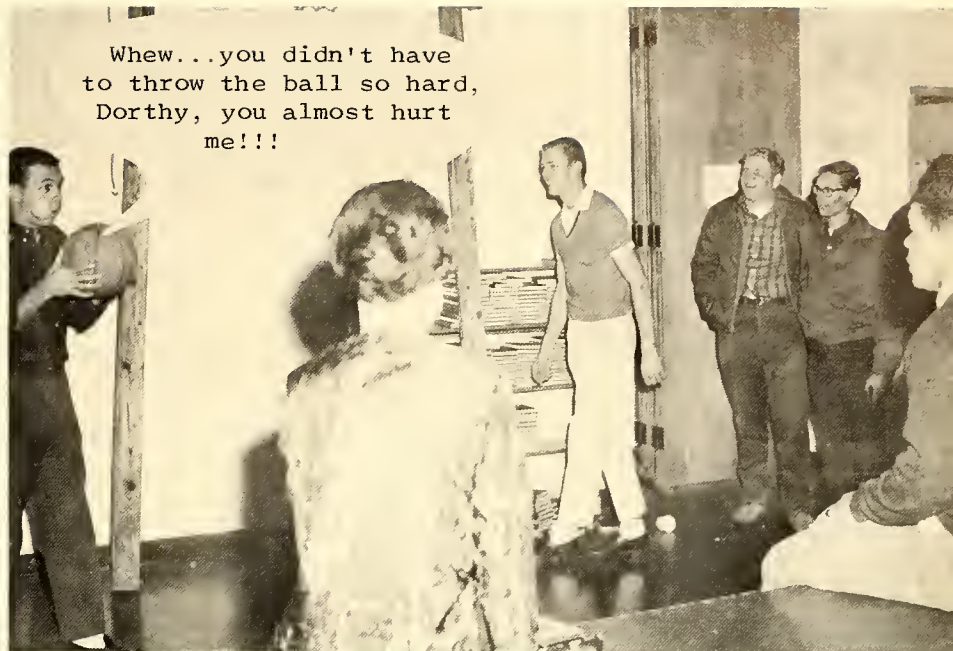
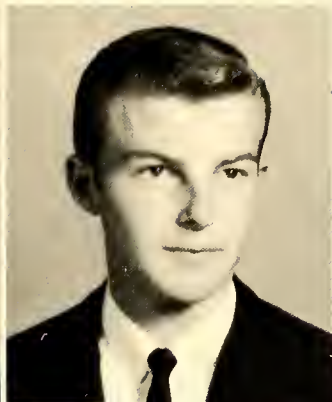
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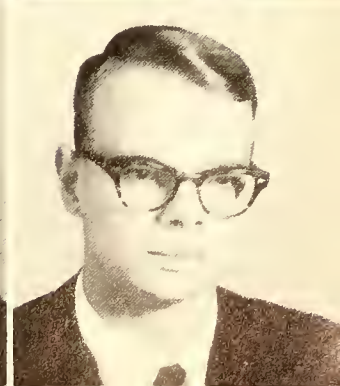
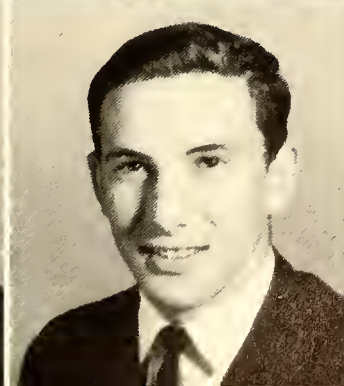
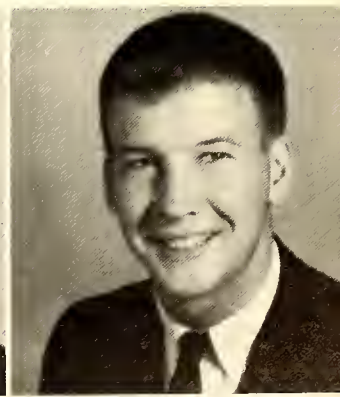
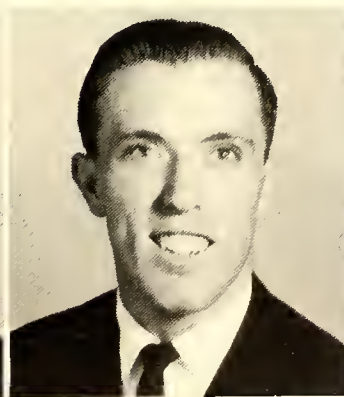
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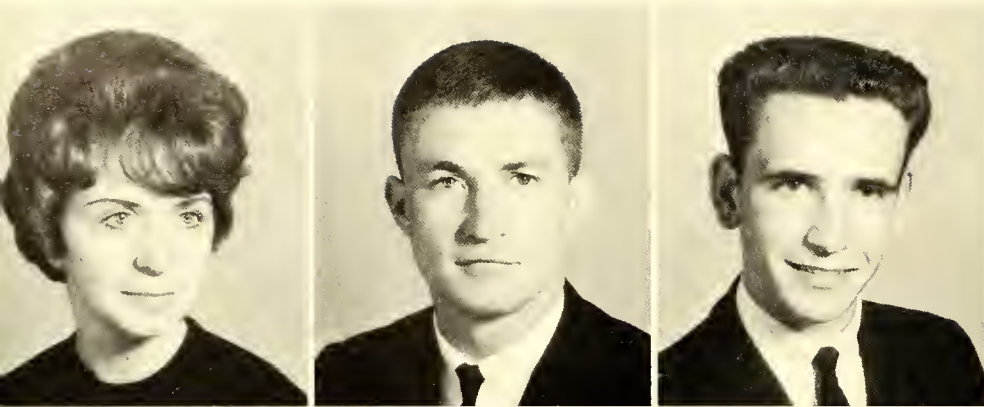
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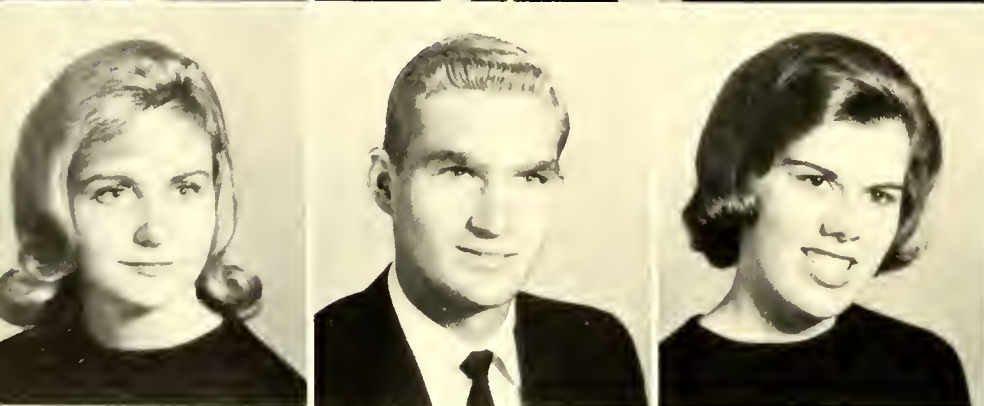
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RICHARD FANIS DIRECTS THE ORDER OF THE TOWER IN ITS



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Greensboro, N. C.
Secretarial Science
BOBCAT TALES Staff 2.

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Pre-Education
Monogram Club 1,2; Basketball
1,2; Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2;
Most Valuable Player 1; Cap-
tain 2.

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Great Falls, S. C.
Business Administration

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Lenoir, N. C.
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Intramurals 1,2; Golf 1,2.

ELIAS BROOKS McGEE
Starr, S. C.
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Monogram Club 1,2; Football 1.

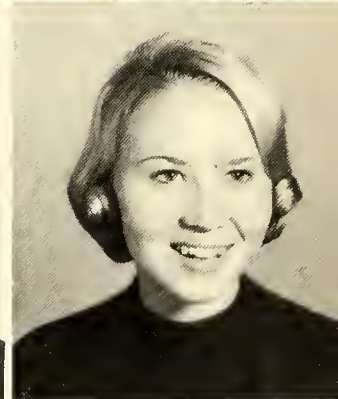
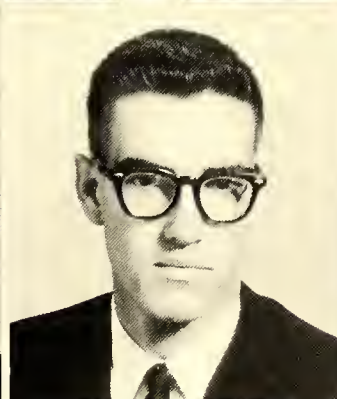
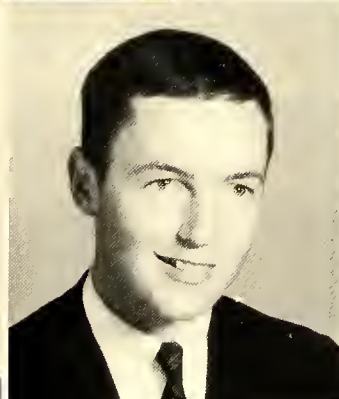
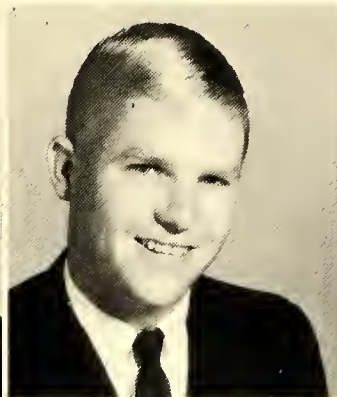
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Secretarial Science
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Secretary-Treasurer 2.

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Ware Shoals, S. C.
Liberal Arts

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ONTAROGA Staff 1,2; Business
Manager 2; Green and Gold
Masquers 1,2; Delta Psi Omega
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Business Manager 1; Editor 2.

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Green and Gold Masquers 2.



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Green and Gold Masquers, 1,2;
Delta Psi Omega, 1,2; Presi-
dent, 2; ONTARGO Staff, 2.

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Mount Jackson, Va.
Pre-Medicine

FAIRINDA FAIRFAX PAYNE
Jefferson, N. C.
Pre-Medicine
Christian Council 1,2.

RICHARD LIDDLE
Jefferson, N. C.
Pre-Education

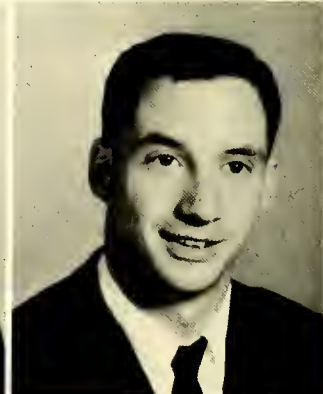
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Medical Secretary

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Jacksonville, Fla.
Pre-Religion
Westminister Fellowship 1,2;
Vice President 1; Secretary of
Southern Westminister Fellow-
ship, 2; Green and Gold Mas-
quers, 1; Resident Secretary-
Treasurer, 2.

SAMUEL ARTHUR PERRY
Bristol, Va.
Liberal Arts

JAMES THOMAS NEWMAN
Alamance, N. C.
Pre-Education
Football, 1.

SUSAN JANE PIERCE
Cherokee, N. C.
Secretarial Science



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 Pennington Gap, Va.
 Medical Secretary
 ONTAROGA Staff, 2; Faculty and Administrator Co-Editor.

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 Medical Record Librarian
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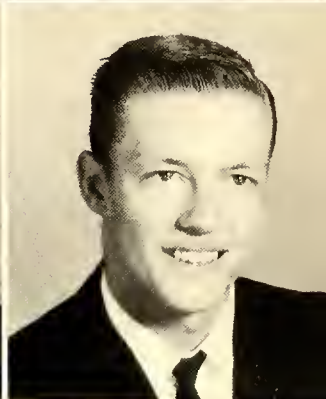
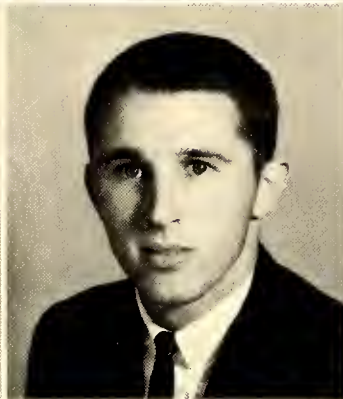
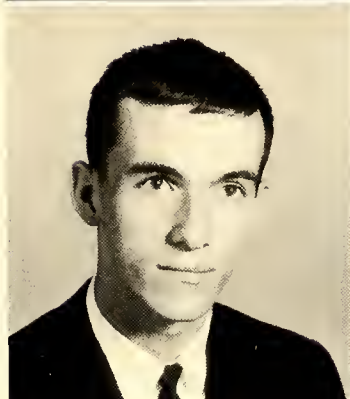
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 Medical Secretary
 Basketball 1,2; W.A.A. 1,2; Intramurals, 1,2.



CALVIN WALLACE QUAKENBUSH
 Saxapahaw, N. C.
 Pre-Medicine

WILLIAM COLUMBUS RATCLIFF, JR.
 Martinsville, Va.
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 Track 1; Co-Captain; Demostheneans, 1,2; Secretary 2;
 Monogram Club, 1,2; Treasurer, 2; Resident President, 2;
 Class Vice President, 2.

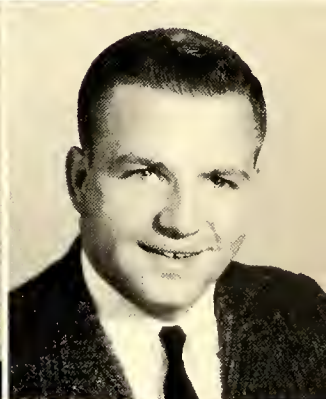
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 Sophia, N. C.
 Pre-Education
 Cross Country 1,2; Basketball, 1,2; Track 1,2; Baseball, 1,
 2; Monogram Club, 1,2; Demostheneans 1,2; Order of the
 Tower, 2.



NANCY CHARLENE RING
 Dante, Va.
 Pre-Education
 Christian Council, 1,2; Vice President, 2; Order of the
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 Kings Mt., N. C.
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 ONTAROGA Staff, 2.

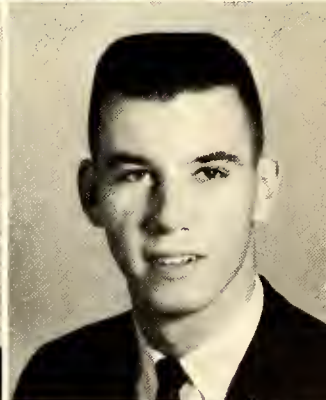
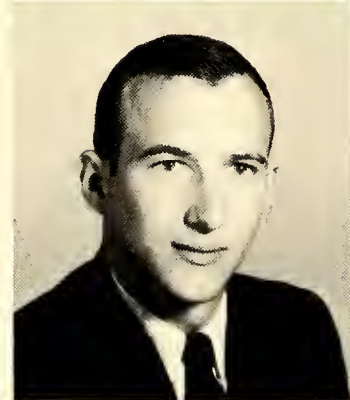
JOHN ANTHONY ROSS
 Leesburg, Va.
 Business Administration
 Football, 1; Monogram Club 1,2.



JOHN LEWIS SCOTT
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 Student Parliament; Resident President.

BETTY FRANCES SHEPHERD
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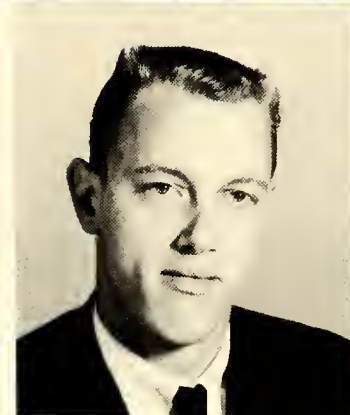
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 Basketball, 2.



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 Resident President 2.

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 Medical Secretary
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 2; Treasurer, 2; Homecoming Court, 2; Resident President
 2.



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Secretarial Science
Valentine Court, 1; Class Secretary, 1; Homecoming Court 2.

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JACK SMITH STOUT
Banner Elk, N. C.
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Sophomore boys make appreciative audience for Sullins College "Cottonpickers" performance.



Students wait for big drawing of door prize at Halloween Carnival.

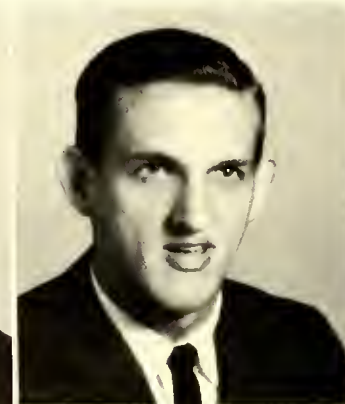
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Hampton, Va.
Pre-Law
Science Club, 1; Intramurals 1; Debate Team, 1; Green and Gold Masquers, 1,2.

EARL JUNIOR TAYLOR
Jefferson, N. C.
Pre-Forestry

LEIGHTON DOUGLAS TEAGUE
Purlear, N. C.
Pre-Education
Cross Country, 1; Basketball, 1,2; Monogram Club, 1,2.

CAROL ANNE TERRELL
Mebane, N. C.
Medical Secretary
BOBCAT TALES Staff, 1.

GARY LEE THOMPSON
Lexington, N. C.
Liberal Arts



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ATHLETIC ORGANIZATIONS . . .

BOBBIE CLATTERBUCK PRESIDES
OVER HONORARY SOCIETY,
THE PHI THETA KAPPA . . .



At the CARNIVAL three girls came dressed as themselves . . . while Fluffy came dressed as a dog.



My name is Tom Brown . . . my major is ping pong . . . my number is 34 on my jersey . . . but I'm number 1 in your hearts.

SOPHOMORES HAVE BUSY . . . SUCCESSFUL YEAR . . .

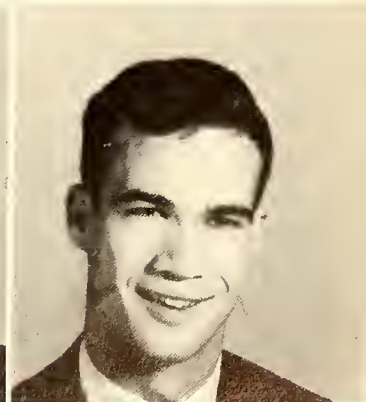
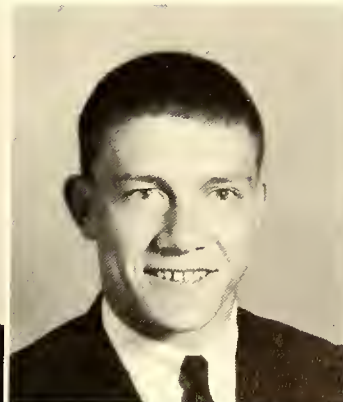
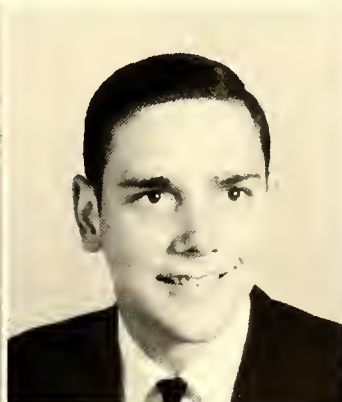
HOPE LOUISE THOMPSON
Largo, Fla.
Medical Secretary
Intramurals 1; Sullivanian Sorority, 1,2; Student Parliament, 2; Resident President, 2.

PRISCILLA RACHEL TONCRAY
Kingsport, Tenn.
Lab. Technician
Christian Council 1; Basketball 1; Intramurals, 1; W.A.A. 1,2; Vice President 2; Order of the Tower 2; Vice President, 2; ONTAROGA Staff, 2; Resident Counselor.

STEPHEN JACKSON WADE
Covington, Va.
Business Administration

DONALD CLIFTON WALL
Spray, N. C.
Liberal Arts
Football, 1, 2; Baseball, 1,2; Track, 1,2; Demostheneans, 1, 2; Resident President, 2; Student Parliament, 2.

CHARLES HARRISON WALKER
Morganton, N. C.
Liberal Arts
Football, 1,2; Resident President 2; Baseball 2.



SOPHOMORES NOT PICTURED

SUSAN LORENE ARZBERGER, Charlotte, N. C.
 CARR NEWTON BENFIELD, Newland, N. C.
 ARTHUR HERBERT BRYANT, Alexandria, Va.
 WALTER KEMPER CAMPBELL, Staunton, Va.
 ALICE FULWOOD CASHION, Huntersville, N. C.
 SANDRA EILEEN DAVIS, Asheville, N. C.
 GERALD SIELING ELLIOTT, Summerton, S. C.
 CAROL JEAN HAYDEN, Orlando, Fla.
 WILLIAM KENNETH KIRBY, Narrows, Va.
 ROY ALEXANDER LYERLY, JR., Banner Elk, N. C.
 NANCY FAY McCRAW, Greensboro, N. C.
 GLEN NELSON MACKEY, JR., Staunton, Va.
 CHARLES BARRY MEEKS, Covington, Va.
 STANLEY PAUL MEYER, Narrows, Va.
 THOMAS JONES QUERY, Lenoir, N. C.
 DEANNA KAY THOMPSON, Charlotte, N. C.
 ROBERT SPELLMAN TROY, Rose Hill, N. C.



ROBERT HAROLD WELLMAN
 Valdese, N. C.
 Pre-Education
 Baseball, 1; Basketball, 2; Bas-
 ketball Manager, 1; Football, 1,
 2; Intramurals, 1,2; Monogram
 Club 2; Resident Vice-President
 2.



"Well, I never really had a chance to be a star
 in football because"



Surely the program is not that boring.

SUSAN VIRGINIA WELLONS
 Durham, N. C.
 Sec. Science
 Christian Council, 1,2; BOBCAT
 TALES Staff, 1,2; B.S.U. 1,2;
 ONTAROGA Staff 2.

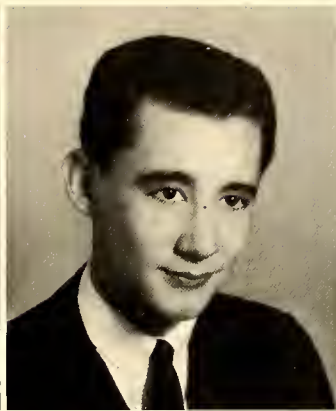
JAMES ELLINGTON WHITE
 Charlotte, N. C.
 Business Administration
 Baseball, 1,2; Basketball, 1,2.

JAMES HOWARD WHITE
 Huntersville, N. C.
 Business Administration.

MARCIA MOZELLE
 WHITENER
 Lenoir, N. C.
 Pre-Education
 Chorus, 1,2; BOBCAT TALES
 Staff, 2; Wee Quior, 1,2; Class
 Secretary 2.

GEORGE IVEY WIKE,
 JR.
 Mooresville, N. C.
 Pre-Optometry
 Chorus, 1; Science Club, 1;
 Tennis, 1,2; Captain 2.





CAROL ANN WILKINSON
 Connelly Springs, N. C.
 Med. Tech.
 Phi Theta Kappa, 1,2; Student
 Parliament, 2; Secretary 2.

DONALD BARRY WILLIAMS
 Morganton, N. C.
 Lib. Arts
 Football, 1,2; Track, 1,2; Base-
 ball, 1,2; Monogram Club, 1,2;
 Demostheneans, 1,2; Chorus,
 1,2.

JAMES ERIC WILLIAMS
 Wilkesboro, N. C.
 Lib. Arts.

JERRY WILSON WILLIAMS
 Raleigh, N. C.
 Pre-Engineering
 Intramurals, 1; Green and Gold
 Masquers, 1,2; Delta Psi Omega
 1,2; ONTAROGA Staff 2; BOB-
 CAT TALES Staff, 2.

FRANKLIN DESALES WILSON
 Rochester, N. Y.
 Pre-Forestry

Girls eagerly await their turn at
 bat during softball action



And furthermore, John Martin



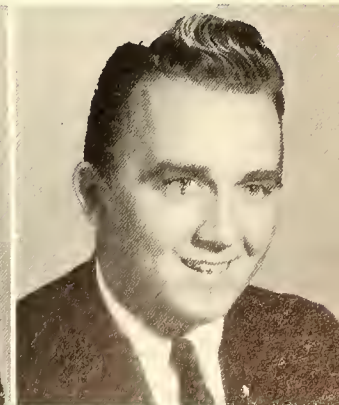
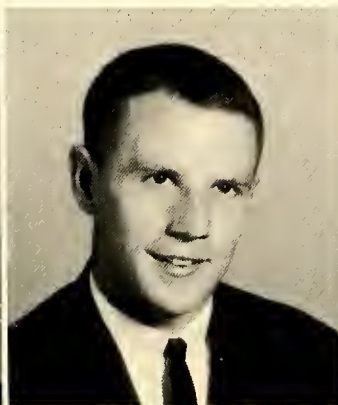
BRENDA FAYE WILSON
 Castlewood, Va.
 Med. Rec. Lib.
 Intramurals, 1; Christian Coun-
 cil, 1,2; Sec. 2; Sullivanian 1,2;
 Pres. 2; ONTAROGA Staff, 2;
 Activities Co-Editor; Student
 Parliament.

LARRY GLENN WOOD
 Mt. Airy, N. C.
 Bus. Admin.
 Cross Country, 1,2; Basketball,
 1,2; Tennis, 1,2; Track 1,2;
 Golf 1,2; Demostheneans 1,2;
 Monogram Club 1,2.

BARBARA JEAN WORLEY
 Canton, N. C.
 Med. Tech.
 Chorus, 1,2; Wee Queir 1,2;
 BOBCAT TALES Staff, 2; Resi-
 dent Vice-President, 2.

ROGER BLAIR WOODSON
 Roanoke, Va.
 Bus. Admin.
 Monogram Club 1,2; Track 1,2;
 Class Pres. 2.

WILLIAM BURGAN WRIGHT,
 JR.
 Charlotte, N. C.
 Pre.-Religion
 Green and Gold Masquers, 1,2;
 Delta Psi Omega 1,2; Wee Queir
 1,2.



CLASS OF 1965 CHOOSES

With the arrival of the largest freshman class ever, the college found itself bulging at the seams with 425 students. It was not long though, before everyone got registered, met new friends, missed old ones, bought books, attended receptions, and all those things that are a part of a new school year. Slipping back into the "old grind" was not enjoyable for many who had known it before, but for those who were strangers to this way of life, it was something new, challenging, exciting, and yet often disappointing.



Darrell Baker, President



Miss Rachel Jessup, Sponsor

GEORGE HOLLEMAN, ANN HUSTON, BOB QUERY



George Holleman, Vice President



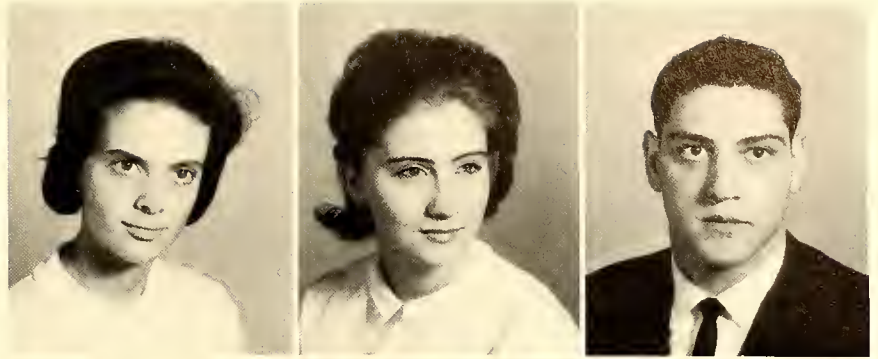
Ann Huston, Secretary



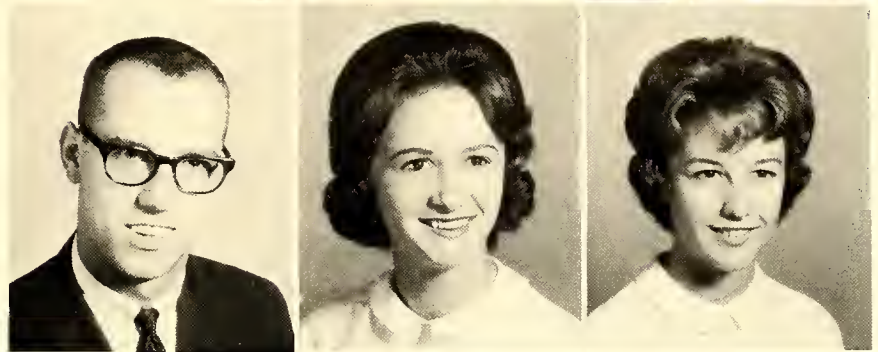
Bob Query, Treasurer

DARRELL BAKER PRESIDENT,

Ann Beveridge Abbitt
Williamsburg, Va.
Elizabeth Louise Aldridge
Durham, N. C.
David Wayne Anderson
Abingdon, Virginia



Jimmy Young Arnold
Bristol, Tenn.
Linda Elaine Avery
Plumtree, N. C.
Josephine Quillen Baker
Gate City, Va.



Darrell Anderson Baker
Charlotte, N. C.
Nancy Arlene Baldin
West Chester, Pa.
Teddy Joe Ball
Morganton, N. C.



SERVE AS VICE-PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, TREASURER OF CLASS...

Write in twenty-five words or less "Why I Love to Type."

Clemmer is first in line for refreshments.





ROW 1: Frieda Noel Beamguard, Gastonia, N. C.; Elaine Kearsing Beard, Sanford, N. C.; Elizabeth Ann Beasley, Concord, N. C.; Billie Joyce Benfield, Charlotte, N. C.; Steven Ray Beller, Gruddy, Va.; Sandra Lynn Bible, Erwin, Tenn. ROW 2: Roger Lynn Blackstone, Nora, Va.; Gary Eugene Breedlove, Asheboro, N. C.; Catherine Maguire Brill, Locust Hill, Va.; Michael Thomas Brooks, Tazewell, Va.; Phyllis Hughleen Brown, Roebuck, N. C.; Linda Sue Bufkin, Winter Garden, Fla. ROW 3: Anita Cheryl Bulla, Randleman, N. C.;

Jerry Edward Burnette, Dublin, N. C.; Sherry Beth Bush, Whitnel, N. C. Donna Button, Charlotte, N. C.; Thomas Wilburn Byerly, Sanford, N. C. James Lincoln Carte, Ico, W. Va. ROW 4: Sidney Lamar Chapman, St. Arlington, Va.; Dorothy Marie Chapmon, Reidsville, N. C.; Tommy Earl Cheshire, Rocky Mt., N. C.; Raymond Patrick Clement, Hickory, N. C.; Robert Fulton Clemmer, Gastonia, N. C.; Mary Frances Coles, Statesville, N. C.

FRESHMAN CLASS LARGEST IN HISTORY OF COLLEGE—STUDENTS EXHIBIT



ROW 1: Constance Lynne Congdon, Erwin, Tenn.; Robert Anderson Cox, Narrows, Va.; Marvin Dale Crabill, Manassas, Va.; Linda Lou Crockett, Appalachia, Va.; William Albert Crosby, Virginia Beach, Va.; Gary Lee Crouse, Sparta, N. C. ROW 2: David Millar Cullen, Gambrills, Maryland; Rosabelle Culler, Morganton, N. C.; Arthur Skelton Cummings, Chesapeake, Va.; Robert James Cummings, Elkin, N. C.; Elsie Patricia Curtwright, Charlotte, N. C.; Mary Carolyn Daniel, Pelham, N. C. ROW 3: Richard Stuart Daniels,

Jacksonville, Fla.; John Wendell Davenport, Spindale, N. C.; James Ronald Daves, Morganton, N. C.; John Allen Dempsey, Evans, Ga.; Martha Laurel Dover, High Point, N. C.; Daniel Tebault Dowdy, Chesapeake, Va. ROW 4: Linda Ellen Dowie, Alexandria, Va.; John William Droke, Church Hill, Tenn.; Hector Leon Drye, Charlotte, N. C.; Terrye Elizabeth Edwards, Huntersville, N. C.; Ralph Harold Earnhardt, Rocky Mt., N. C.; Larry Keith Esteppe, Big Stone Gap, Va.

EAGERNESS TO LEARN, ENTHUSIASM FOR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES



ROW 1: Donald Dewitt Farthing, III, Newland, N. C.; Lee Francis Faust, Charlotte, N. C.; Patricia Carol Ferguson, Yorktown, Va.; Elizabeth Jane Fetzer, Reidsville, N. C.; Jacquelyn Anne Fisher, Charlotte, N. C. ROW 2: Raymond Lynwood Fleeman, Clifton Forge, Va.; Sabra Lowe Galbraith, Concord, Tenn.; Charles Andrew Gabriel, Statesville, N. C.; Robert Edward Gayle, Summertown, S. C.; Roy Lee Gray, Clinchwood, Va. ROW 3: Frances Ann George, Hickory, N. C.; Linda Ann Greene, Hickory, N. C.; Mary Lou Greene, Spruce Pine, N. C.; Charles Lee Greer,

McClure, Va.; Diane Lee Grotophorst, Matthews, N. C. ROW 4: Julia Reid Gurley, Newton, N. C.; Deborah Kay Haga, Bristol, Va.; Charles Herbert Hall, High Point, N. C.; Richard Wayne Hall, Draper, N. C.; Benjamin Rush Hames, Lenoir, N. C. ROW 5: John Brunson Hammond, Pineville, N. C.; Charles Benjamin Hancock, Richmond, Va.; Mary Rebecca Hare, Morristown, Tenn.; Jerry Douglas Harr, Blountville, Tenn.; John Casserly Hart, Alexandria, Va.



ROW 1: Mary Agnes Hartley, Boone, N. C.; Carole Diana Harwell, Charlotte, N. C.; Garvey Olin Hayes, Boone, N. C. ROW 2: Margot Haynes, Hickory, N. C.; Cecil Wayne Heasley, Charlotte, N. C.; Earnestine Hensdill, Castlewood, Va. ROW 3: Jeweldine Hensdill, Castlewood, Va.; Brenda Ann Hibbits, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Katie Joanne Hill, Claudville, Va. ROW 4: Herman William Hodges, Prince George, Va.; Dennis Bernard Hoffmeyer, Morganton, N. C.; Anthony Ogburn Honeycutt, Raleigh, N. C. ROW 5: Jimmy Dale Hudler, Crumpler, N. C.; Donald Lee Hughes, Pulaski, Va.; Ann Louise Huston, West Chester, Penn.

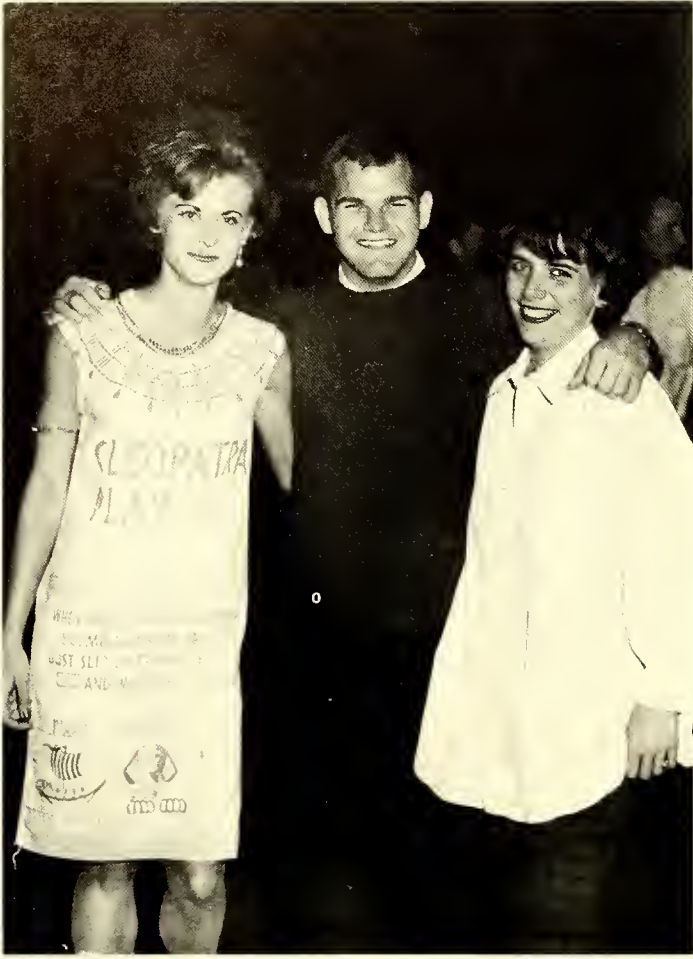
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| Carol Campbell Alexander, Matthews, N. C. | Lyle Hall McCorkle, Johnson City, Tenn. |
| Myra Elaine Anthony, Charlotte, N. C. | Marvin Hurt McGuire, III Richlands, Va. |
| Narry Henderson Beaver, Concord, N. C. | Wade Hampton McIntyre, Bennettsville, S. C. |
| Guy Burleson, Marion, N. C. | John Franklin Marston, Kinston, N. C. |
| James Robert Carter, Warm Springs, Va. | John Allen Martin, Clemson, S. C. |
| John Allen Chamblain, Boone, N. C. | Roland Lee Matthews, Fairfax, Va. |
| Ben Frank Cheatham, Mt. Pleasant, S. C. | Sarah Elizabeth Monday, Charlotte, N. C. |
| Stanly Glenn Clark, Smithfield, Va. | Sandra Pinckney Moore, Charlotte, N. C. |
| Barbara Ann Farley, Arlington, Va. | Donald R. Morgan, Concord, N. C. |
| Hansel Doyte Fleming, Clintwood, Va. | Robert Edgar Musick, Clinchoo, Va. |
| Thomas Wayne Fletcher, Concord, N. C. | Ronald Del Ponce, Greenville, S. C. |
| Helen Elizabeth Ford, Banner Elk, N. C. | Charles Nelson Proctor, Suffolk, England |
| Elwin Woodroe Harrison, Zionville, N. C. | Paul Frederick Richardson, Narrows, Va. |
| Ronald Waldo Holbrook, Elkin, N. C. | Steven Joseph Schmutz, Taylors, S. C. |
| George Bennett Holleman, Taylorsville, N. C. | Jerry Dean Shook, Morganton, N. C. |
| Charles Michael Howell, Columbia, S. C. | David Edgerton Thomas, Dover, Del. |
| Johnny Samuel Jessen, Statesville, N. C. | Geoffrey Eugene Trout, Clintwood, Va. |
| Phyllis Ada Jones, Marion, Va. | Gary Dale Vestal, Elkin, N. C. |
| Karen Lynn Kirkland, Winston-Salem, N. C. | Stuart Sydnor Walden, Alexandria, Va. |
| Walter McRay Lentz, Norwood, N. C. | Ernest Allen Wester, Rocky Mount, N. C. |
| John Palmer Littlefield, Woodruff, S. C. | Phillip Lee Witherspoon, Jefferson, N. C. |

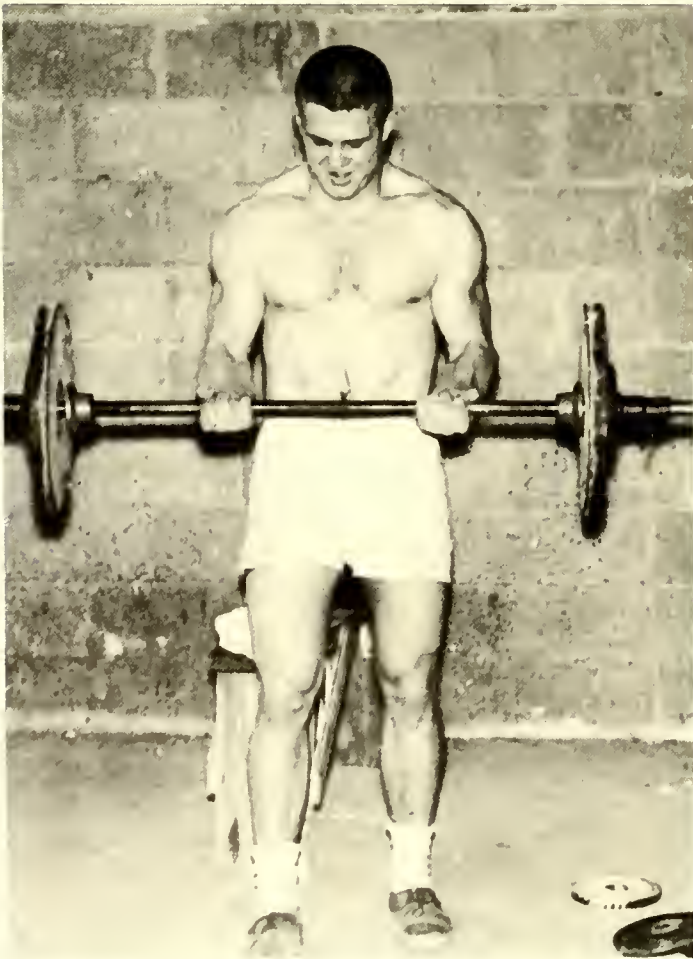
Where will I find that exciting novel REBECCA OF SUNNY-BROOK FARM?



Powell, Daniels, and Greene "goofing off" at the Halloween Carnival.



Security is when the bully kicks sand in your face on the beach, and instead of being a 97-pound weakling, you're Ray Lazor.



ROW 1: Lewis Edward Icenhour, Bristol, Va.; Linda Kay Ingle, Granite Falls, N. C.; Daniel Erwin Jackins, Statesville, N. C. ROW 2: Elizabeth Ann Jewell, Charlotte, N. C.; Janice Elaine Johnson, Cleveland, Va.; Patrick Henry Johnson, Portsmouth, Va.; Albert Elton Jones, Ft. Meade, Fla. ROW 3: Ernest Bruce Jones, Crossnore, N. C.; William Neal Kennedy, Greensboro, N. C.; John Baskerville Kent, Blacksburg, Va. ROW 4: Fred Marshall Kirby, Jr., Hickory, N. C.; Frank Walter Kirk, III, Salisbury, N. C.; Margaret Ann Kowalski, Anderson, S. C. ROW 5: Carroll Earl Lance, Hendersonville, N. C.; Jannette Lansdale, Maitland, Fla.



ROW 1: Janice Addie Lindsay, Jacksonville, Fla.; Jerry Dean Lonon, Marion, N. C.; Betty Jane MacBryde, Sarasota, Fla.; Dennis Kent McAbee, Summerton, S. C.; Eileen Rice McGee, Anderson, S. C. ROW 2: James Howard McGowan, Pataskala, Ohio; Bonnie Jean McIntyre, Danville, Va.; Jones Bradley McNeill, Lansing, N. C.; Carroll Lee Madison, Jamestown, N. C.; Carol Marie Maddux, Kingsport, Tenn. ROW 3: Mary Helen Maffitt, Charlotte, N. C.; Nan Elyse Marden, Winter Garden, Fla.; Judy Kay Martin, North Wilkesboro, N. C.; Lois Jean

Martin, Eagle Springs, N. C.; Timothy McKay Matthews, Springfield, Va. ROW 4: Darlene Sue Miller, Honaker, Va.; Mary Jane Miller, Wilkesboro, N. C.; Sallie Marie Miller, Boone, N. C.; Larry Wallace Moore, North Wilkesboro, N. C.; Lacy Barry Moore, Norfolk, Va. ROW 5: Robert Lee Moore, Roanoke, Va.; Susan Carpenter Morris, Durham, N. C.; Johnny Odell Mullins, Gate City, Va.; James Eugene Mumpower, Bristol, Va.; Darrell Crawford Myers, Thomasville, N. C.



Let's twist again like we did last summer.



ROW 1: William Iredell Myers, Wilkesboro, N. C.; Buchanan James Nelson, Fleetwood, N. C.; Peggy Lou Newman, Flat Rock, N. C. ROW 2: Raymond Earl Newton, Drexel, N. C.; Macauley G. Nicholes, Easley, S. C.; Peter Gerard Nistal, Hickory, N. C. ROW 3: John Michael Nuckolls, III, Gary, W. Va.; Dottie Fern Oakley, Burlington, N. C.; Myrtle Jane Odom, Burlington, N. C. ROW 4: Michael Ellis O'Tuel, Bennettsville, S. C.; Ruth Esther Pack, Flat Rock, N. C.; Gary Wayne Pase, Cherokee Trail, Martinsville, Va. ROW 5: David William Pearce, Hendersonville, N. C.; James Donald Pearce, Greensboro, N. C.; Mary Alex Peebles, Key West, Fla.



ROW 1: Craig Whitney Pergerson, Charlotte, N. C.; James Braxton Perry, Banner Elk, N. C.; Robert Carl Perry, Alexandria, Va.; Roger Lynn Piercy, Valdese, N. C.; William Benjamin Pitman, Charlotte, N. C. ROW 2: Edwin Lee Plowman, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Paul Allen Pondish, Jenkins, Ky.; Susie Gilbert Poore, Morganton, N. C.; Francesia Angelia Pozo, Bluefield, Va.; Carol Jean Powell, Greensboro, N. C. ROW 3: Charles Fitz-Henry Prendergast, Charlotte, N. C.; Samuel Lee Prevette, Jr., Lexington, N. C.; Barbara Gale Punch, Conover,

N. C.; Timothy Davis Purvis, Hobgood, N. C.; Robert Ruel Query, Jr., Lenoir, N. C. ROW 4: Sarah Ann Rawles, Jacksonville, N. C.; Sandra Lee Redwine, Big Stone Gap, Va.; Mary Susan Reiney, Rock Hill, S. C.; Virginia Mae Richardson, Ashboro, N. C.; David Latt Riddle, Greensboro, N. C. ROW 5: James Cleveland Roberts, Charlotte, N. C.; Helen Sue Robinette, Kingsport, Tenn.; Judy Diane Robinson, Shelby, N. C.; Larry Charles Robinson, Bristol, Va.; Ronald Roy Rogers, Lexington, N. C.



ROW 1: Harriett Jean Rozzelle, Charlotte, N. C.; Douglas Ryzewyk, Rochester, New York; Howard Scull Sandt, Big Stone Gap, Va.; Robert Davidson Saul, Salem, Va.; Donald Graham Scott, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Roger Larry Scott, Todd, N. C. ROW 2: Mary Ann Scruggs, Horse Shoe, N. C.; Nancy Pauline Shepherd, Banner Elk, N. C.; Douglas Wayne Short, Cedar Bluff, Va.; Audrey Diane Smith, Clinton, N. C.; Chester Craig Smith, Richmond, Va.; Judith Lane Smith, Greensboro, N. C. ROW 3: Sylvia Lynn Smith, Hickory, N. C.; Timothy George Smith, Gastonia, N. C.; Richard Carey Springs,

Reidsville, N. C.; Bonnie Jean Stafford, Summerfield, N. C.; Michael Graves Stanford, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Douglas Lee Stack, Greensboro, N. C. ROW 4: Linda Carol Steelman, Greensboro, N. C.; Curtis Lee Sturgill, Big Stone Gap, Va.; Billy Roscoe Sutherland, Brandy, Va.; Nancy Jane Sullivan, Lansing, N. C.; Judith Carlene Swicegood, Linwood, N. C.; John Henry Talbert, Concord, N. C. ROW 5: Stephen Matthew Tate, Gastonia, N. C.; Addie Carlton Taylor, Forest City, N. C.; Floyd Edward Thompson, Jr., Winter Garden, Fla.



ROW 1: Roger Allen Tomlinson, Big Stone Gap, Va.; Lenora Gail Troutman, Statesville, N. C.; Stephen Wayne Urick, Roanoke, Va.; Bonnie Berniece VanMontfrans, Aruba, Netherlands; Walter Thomas Vance, Newland, N. C.; Sigrid Ann Walden, Herndon, Va. ROW 2: Sidney Winston Varner, Richlands, Va.; Charles Robert Waitman, Lexington, N. C.; Danny Allen Wallace, Granite Falls, N. C.; Lydia Sharon Walters, Charlotte, N. C.; Willard Frederick Walton, Kingsport, Tenn.; Holly Anne Ward, Winter Park, Fla. ROW 3: William Nealon Watkins, Jr., Rockingham, N. C.; McDonald Wellford, Jr., Richmond, Va.; Warren Douglas Wetmore, Cleveland,

N. C.; Wendell Norris Whatley, Asheboro, N. C.; Richard David Wilcox, High Point, N. C.; Sandra Kay Williams, Charlotte, N. C. ROW 4: Susan Carol Williams, Liberty, N. C.; Barry James Williams, Morganton, N. C.; James Ennis Williams, Bluefield, Va.; Ronald Alan Wilson, Arlington, Va.; Mary Jane Wood, High Point, N. C.; Janice Lorraine Woodley, Winter Garden, Fla. ROW 5: Richard Martin Wrodsen, Manhasset, N. Y.; John Elster Yates, Fleetwood, N. C.; Marelle Yeaman, Durham, N. C.; Edmond Jennings Yelton, Rutherfordton, N. C.



Sports-minded students can find a variety of athletic events offered at Lees-McRae. Intramural sports including volley ball, basketball, tennis, and soft ball are offered to girls as well as boys and they are encouraged to participate in many of these activities. In inter-collegiate sports Lees-McRae Fields football, basketball, baseball, track, cross country, golf, and tennis teams. The college is a member of the Western Carolinas Junior College Athletic Conference and of Region 10 of the NJCAA.

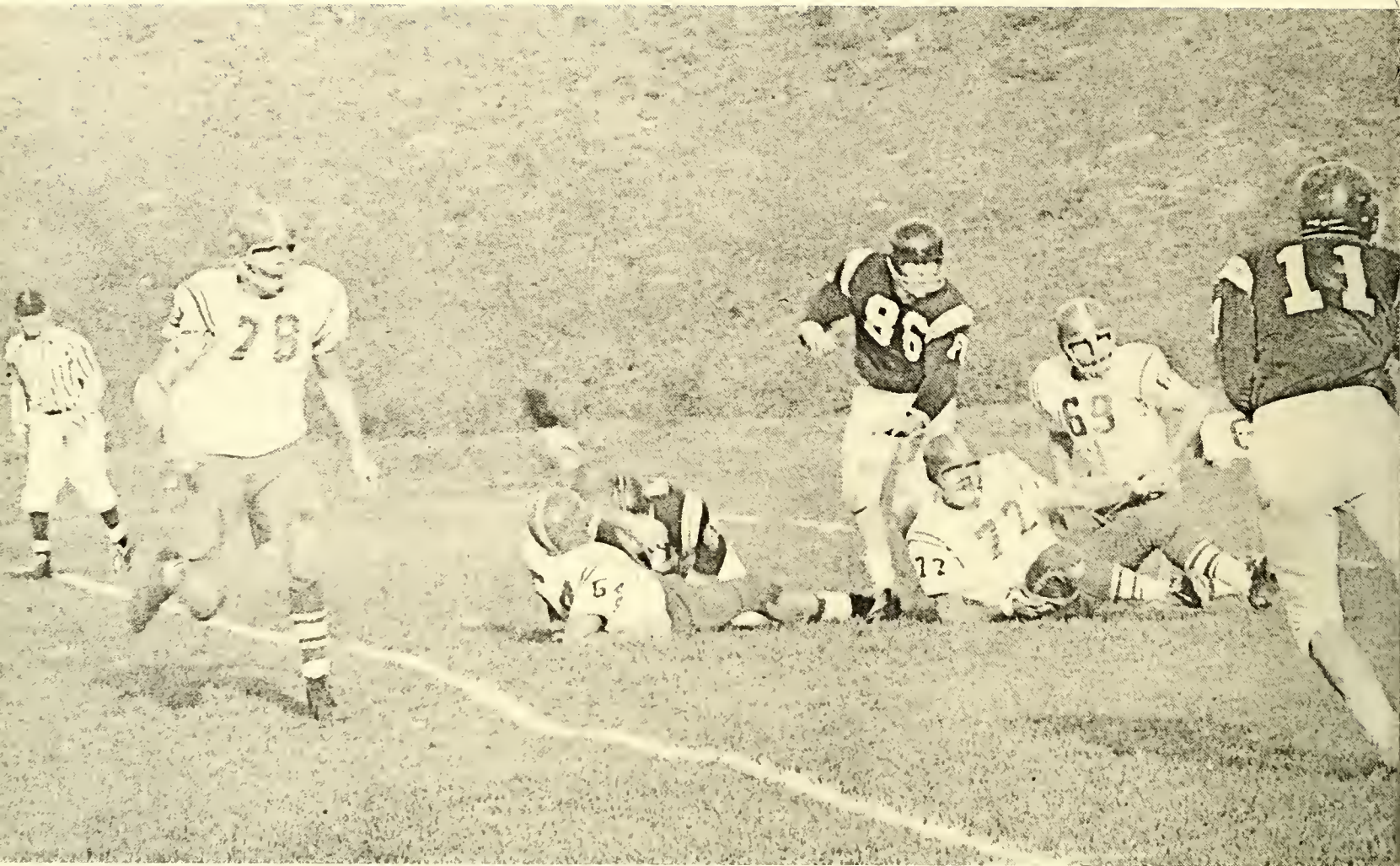
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Inexhaustible energy . . . spirit . . . desire . . . enthusiasm . . . these shaped the athletic fortunes at Lees-McRae. Athletics provided physical growth . . . team work . . . sportsmanship. But moreover, it introduced to the student the ambiguous face of competition . . . frantic one-point basketball games . . . the roar of the packed stands . . . words of encouragement at halftime . . . the hushed quiet in the locker room before a game . . . fantastic upsets . . . peppy cheerleaders . . . the crack of the bat against the hard ball . . . the race against the stopwatch . . . the overflowing trophy case . . . Bobcats proud in victory, undaunted in defeat.

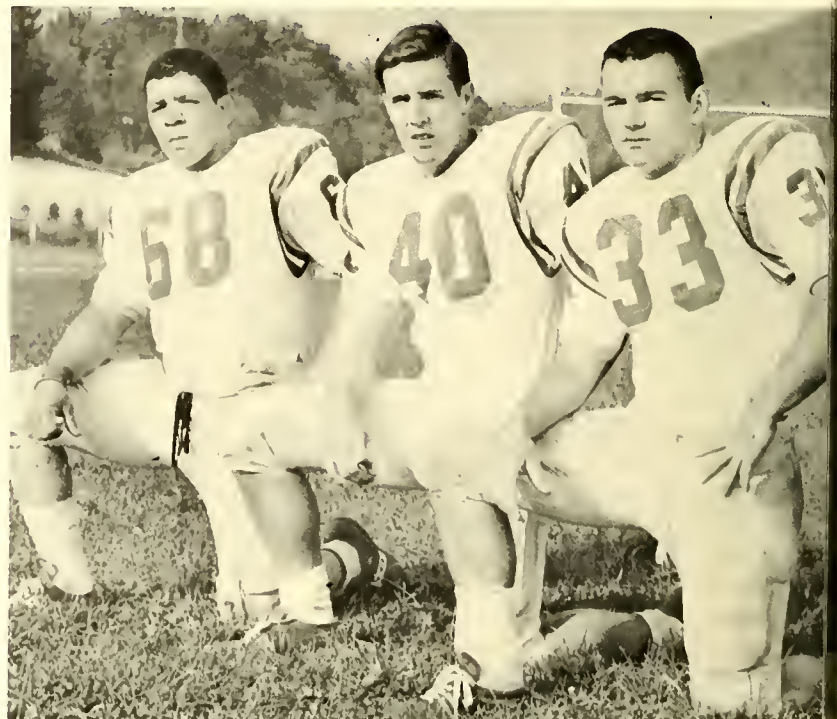
BOBCATS ENDEAVOR TO BE BEST . . . ACCEPT VICTORY AND DEFEAT



Tate breaks loose for long gain against VPI freshmen of Blacksburg. In the background is Larry Clonch (78) Bill Brown (54) Harold Wellman (72) and Wayne Heasley (69).

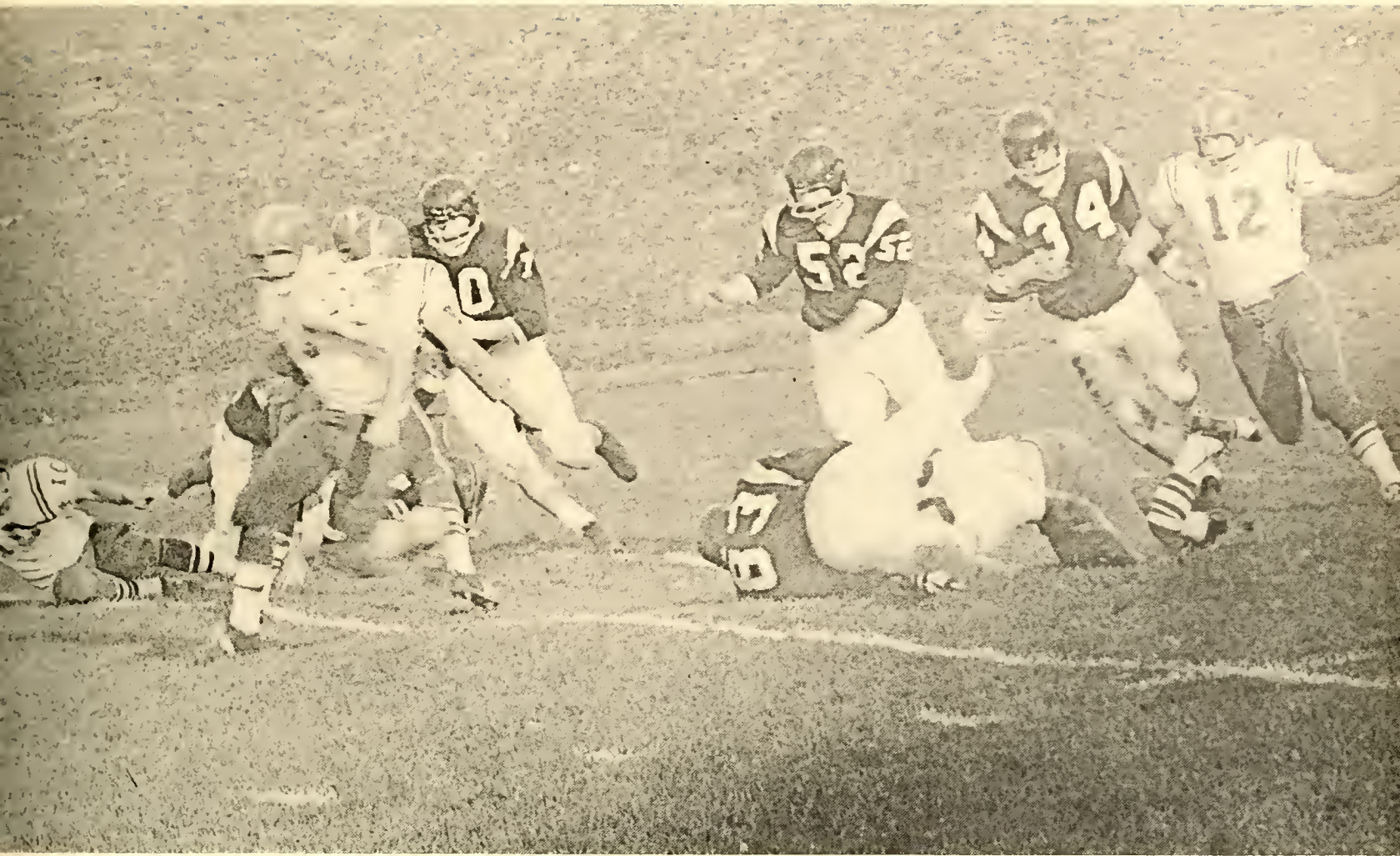
FOOTBALL AT LMC . . . FRESHMAN-LADEN BOBCAT SQUAD HAS 2-6-1 RECORD

Co-captains for the 1963 Bobcats, L-R: Bill Hollifield, Archie Hoxton, and Bob Blevins.



SCHEDULE

Lees-McRae	0	Chowan	20
Lees-McRae	6	Gardner Webb	0
Lees-McRae	6	Catawba	6
Lees-McRae	7	Davidson Frosh	3
Lees-McRae	0	Furman Frosh	41
Lees-McRae	12	Gardner Webb	21
Lees-McRae	13	Ferrum	36
Lees-McRae	7	Chowan	14
Lees-McRae	0	VPI Frosh	37



Roger Childers (10) Lane Hurley (84) Bob Blevins (on ground) and Freddie Walton (12). The Bobcats held the freshmen to 9 points until the fourth quarter when they erupted for 28 points.

PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR FUTURE . . . FOUR ON ALL CONFERENCE

Coaching staff: Ron Whittaker, assistant coach; head coach George Litton; and student assistant Ray Lazor.

Bob Blevins explodes into the end zone for the winning TD against the Davidson Frosh in the homecoming game at Banner Elk.





Tate crashes through Gardner-Webb line . . .

BOBCATS PLAY INSPIRED FOOTBALL AT TIMES . . . HOLLIFIELD, CLONCH BLEVINS,

Left to Right, **FIRST ROW:** Lane Hurley, Tom Brown, Larry Clonch, Harold Wellman, Roger Childers, Bill Brown, Archie Hoxton. **SECOND ROW:** Ron Whittaker, Assistant Coach; Curtis Sturgill, Wayne Heasley, Chuck Prendergast, Darrel Myers, Stanley Clark,

Allen Wester, Ed Plowman. **THIRD ROW:** Larry Robinson, Teddy Ball, Al Dempsey, Dick Daniels, Freddie Walton, Bill Droke, Tim Smith.



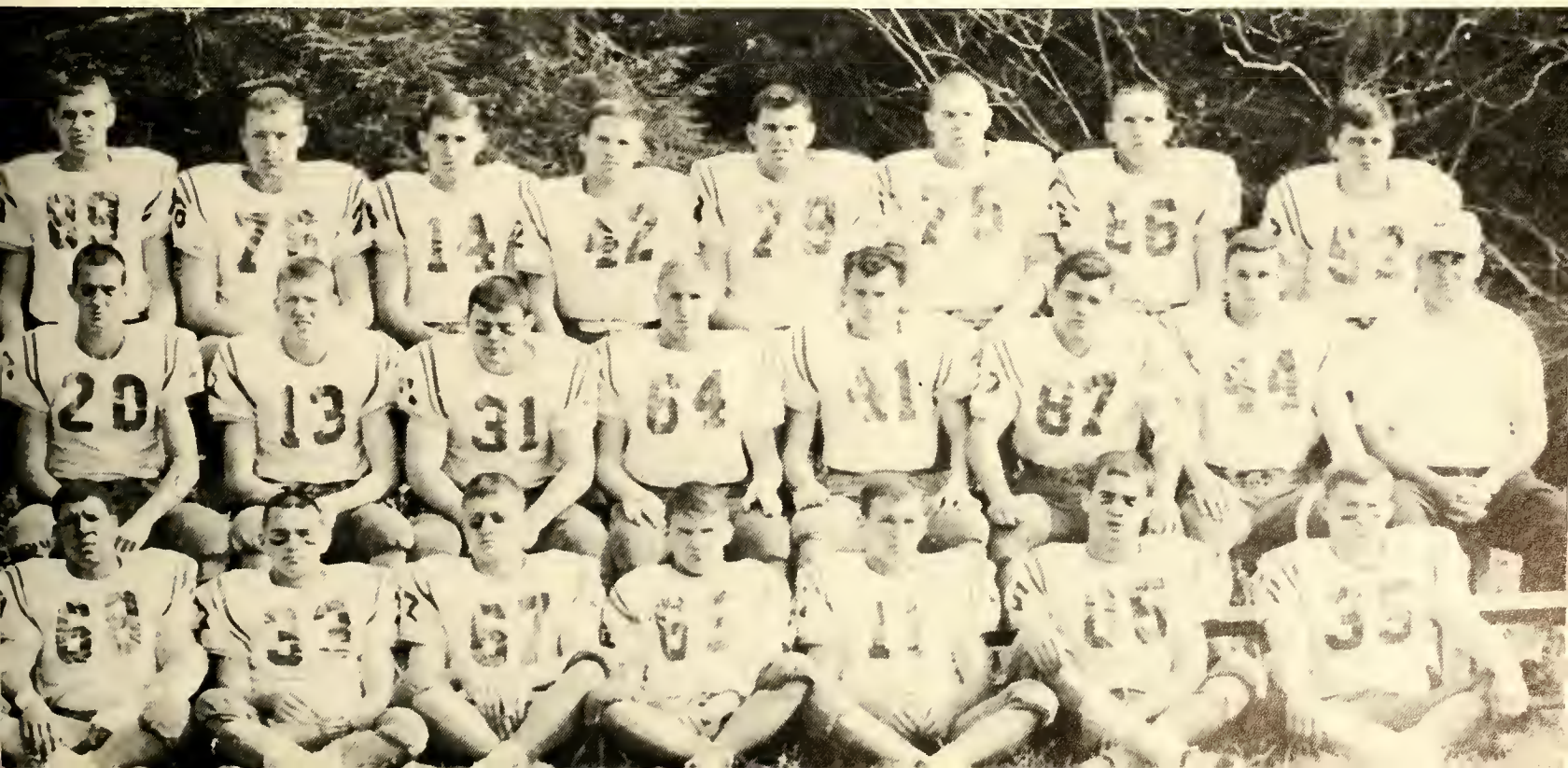


for a TD. In the background is Larry Clonch (78) Bill Hollifield (68) A. C. Taylor (52) Wayne Heasley (69).

AND HURLEY MAKE ALL-CONFERENCE—HURLEY RECEIVES ALL-AMERICAN HONOR

Left to Right, **FIRST ROW:** Bill Hollifield, Bobbie Blevins, Donnie Wall, Claude Brown, Steve Lytton, Charlie Walker, Ken Johnson.
SECOND ROW: Elton Jones, John Hammond, Jerry Lonon, Roy Gray,

Bill Sutherland, Mike Brooks, Geoff Trout, George Litton, head coach. **THIRD ROW:** Bob Cox, Doug Short, Rob Clemmer, Steve Tate, John Littlefield, Jim Roberts, Eddie Icenhour, Sid Varner

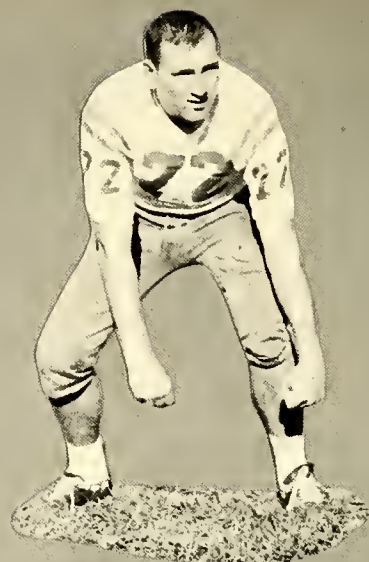




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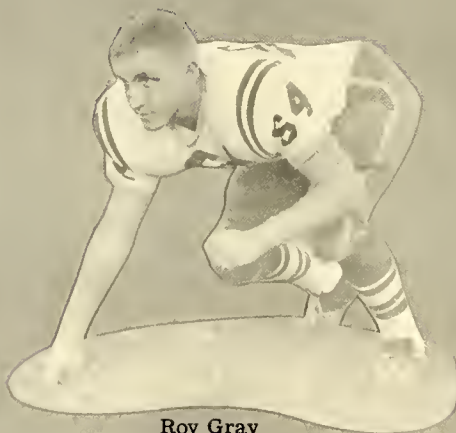
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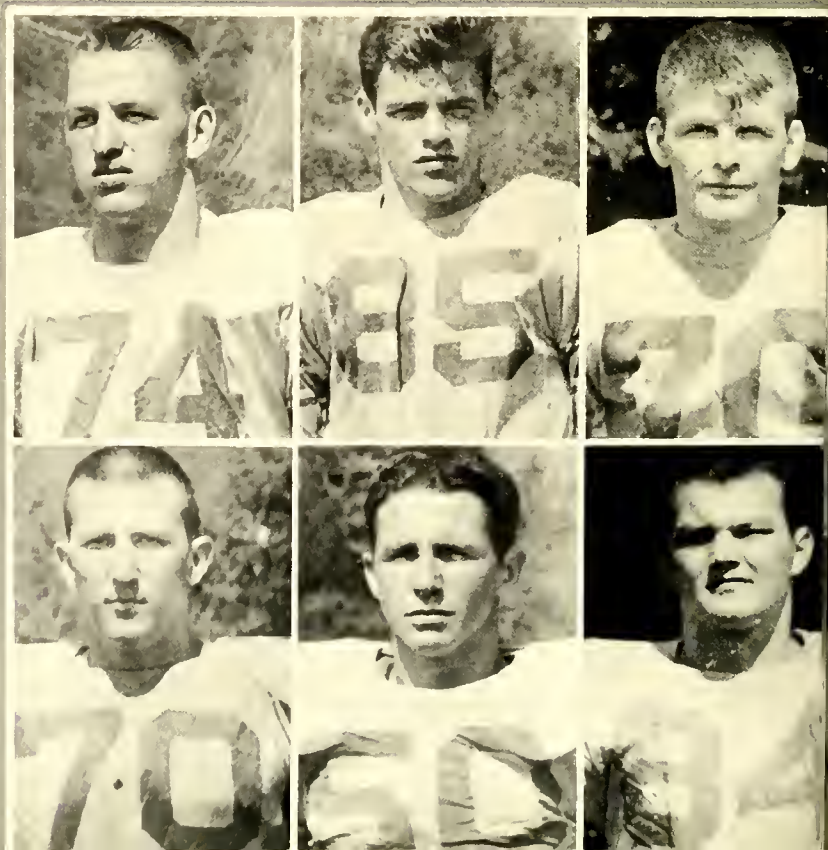
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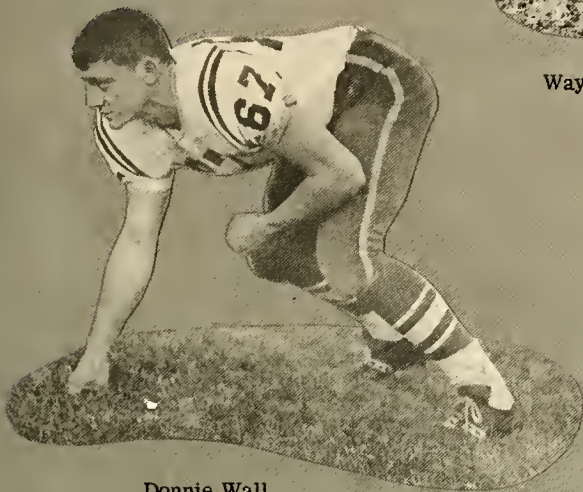
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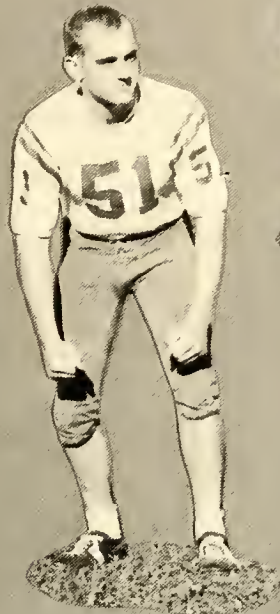
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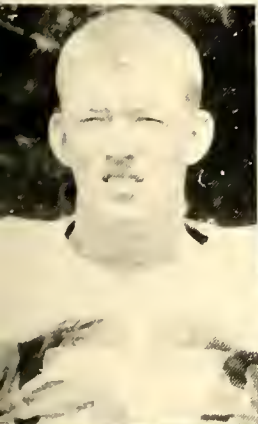
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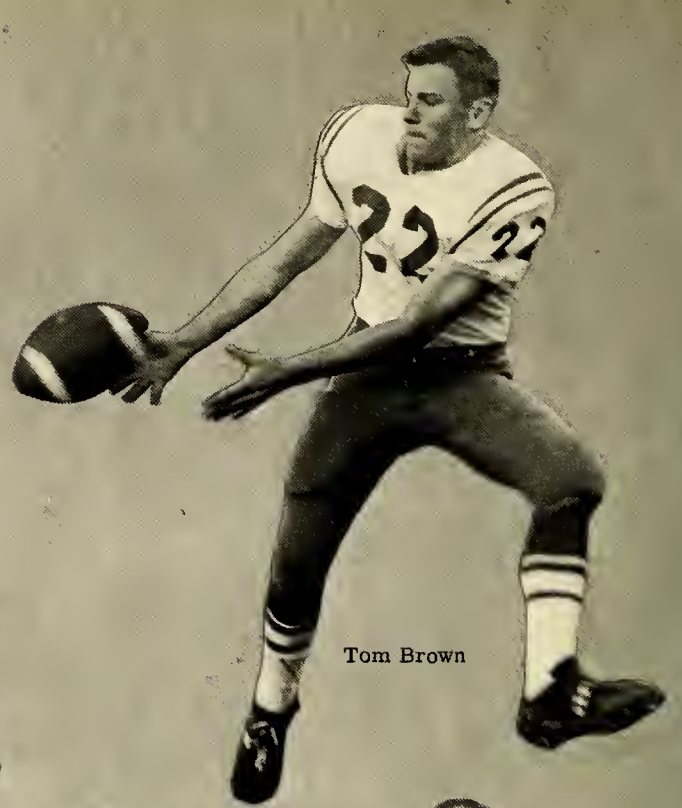




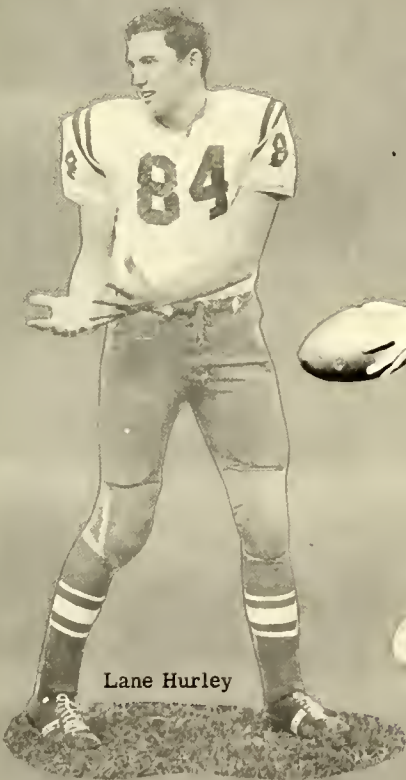
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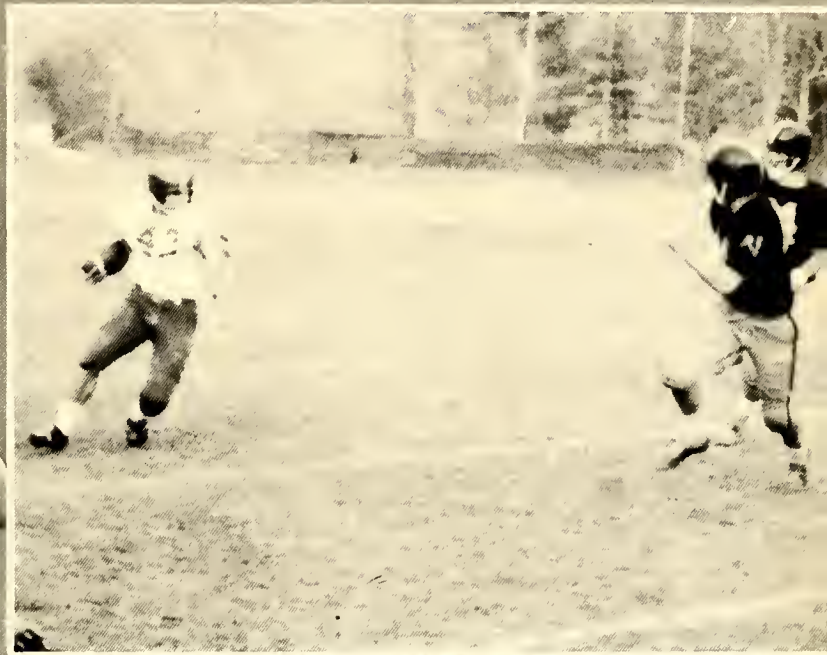
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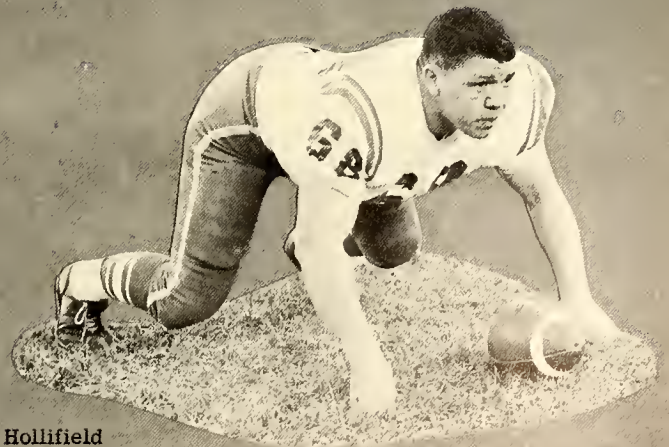
Tate rips off yardage against the Ferrum Panthers. Tate, an All Western Carolina Junior College Conference back, later scored on a 34 TD run.

Not pictured: Teddy Ball, Mackie Nicholes, and Dick Daniels.

Roger Tomlinson

Geoffry Trout

Jerry Williams



Bill Hollifield



Bobcats corral Gardner-Webb back. Making the tackle is Archie Hoxton. Coming in for the assist is Donnie Wall and Harold Wellman. Moving into the picture at right is Charlie Walker (85) and Elton Jones (20).



Jim McGowan

MANAGERS
Herman Hodges

Ben Hancock

Tate picks up yardard for the Bobcats before he is upended by a Ferrum Panther

ALL-REGION 10 CONFERENCE

Bobbie Blevins

Bill Hollified

Lane Hurley

Larry Clonch





Bobcats halt Gardner-Webb drive. Bobcats making the initial stop are Clonch (78), Blevins (33), Walker (85), and Cox (89).



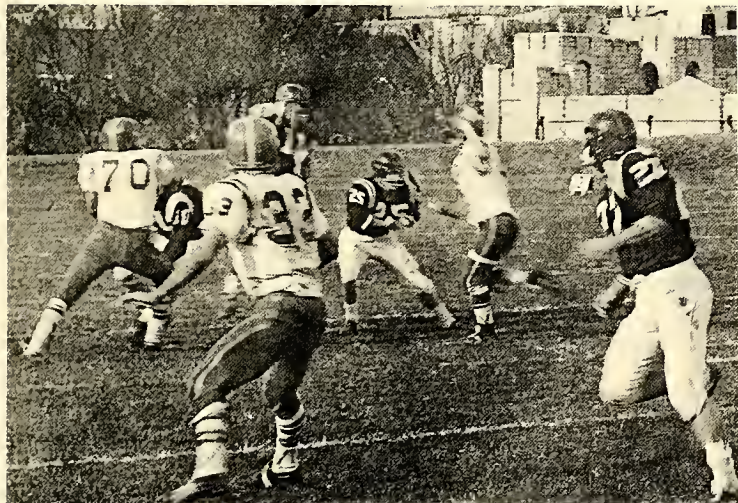
Half-back Elton Jones crashes through GW Bulldog's line.



VPI frosh stop Tate at line of scrimmage. Bobcat players are Bill Brown (54) Bob Cox (89) and Roger Childers (10).

Bobcats defend against VPI freshman pass attack. In the foreground Blevins (33) breaks up a pass intended for a Gobbler end.

A Ferrum back breaks loose as Bobcat defenders move in. Al Dempsey (26) Bob Blevins (33) and Archie Hoxton (40).





Two familiar figures in the Cross Country Circuit: Don Rich and Roscoe Dickerson.

LMC Cross Country Team-FRONT ROW, kneeling: John Jessen, Jerry Harr. SECOND ROW, standing: Wayne Hall, Doug Rysewyck, Roscoe Dickerson, Don Rich. NOT PICTURED: Donald Daves and Don Hughes.

WCJCAC CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

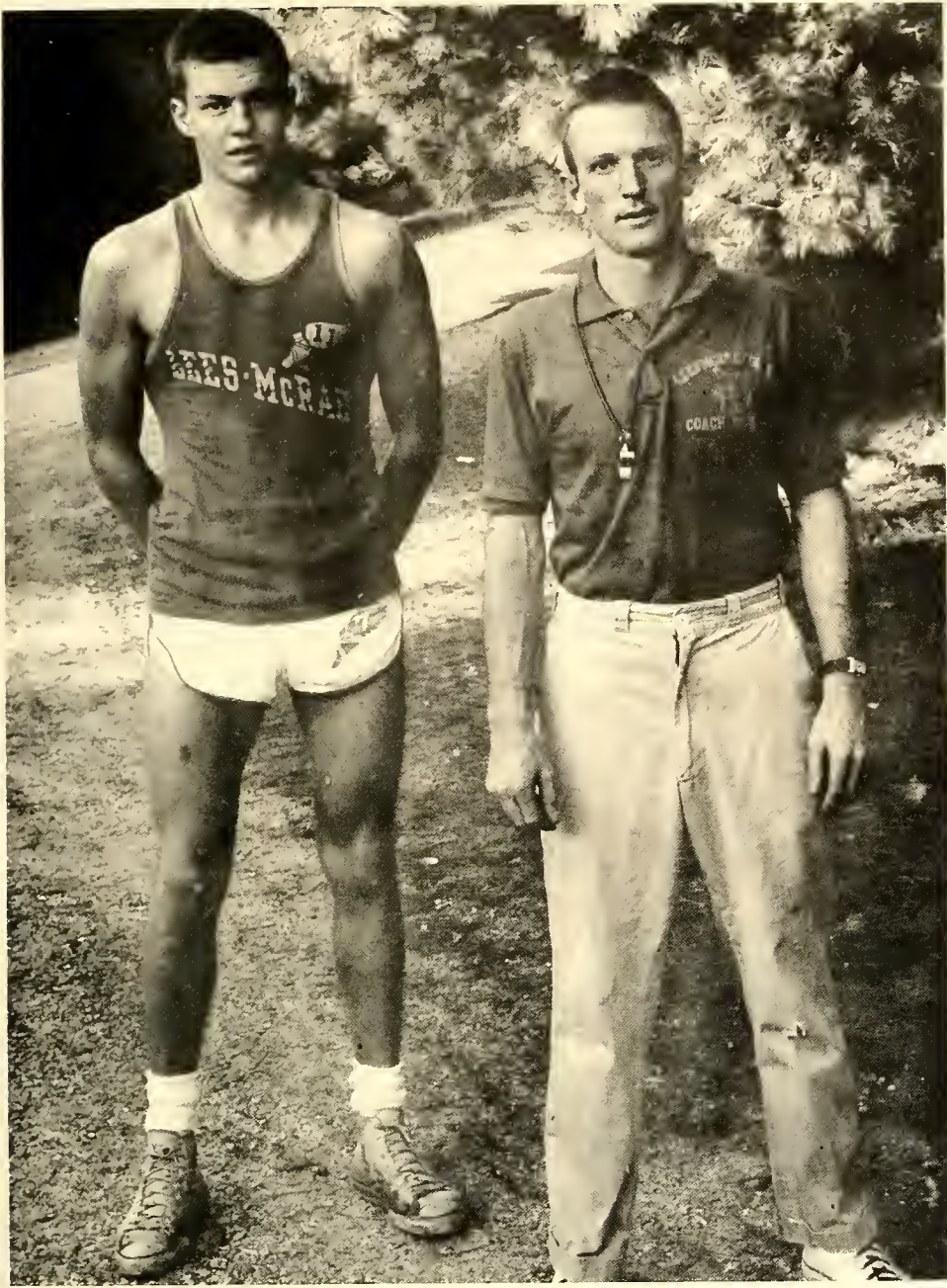
Lees-McRae 24 Wingate 32
 First-Rich (LM) Second Ussery (W) Third-Dickerson (LM)
 Fourth-Gordon (W) Fifth-Daves (LM) Sixth-McGuire (LM)
 Seventh-Webb (W) Eighth-Boundrant (W) Ninth-Hughes(LM)
 Tenth-Harr (LM)

The Lees-McRae College cross country team, in defeating Wingate College 24-32, stretches its winning streak to six straight over the past two seasons. Don Rich, never beaten in cross country competition, took first place again beating out Wingate's Darrell Ussery. Rich came in first against all opponents last year, and set a torrid pace in down-pouring rain in the season opener at Wingate with a 12:48 time for the 2.3 mile course. This was a successful debut for Mel Bowling, the new cross country team coach, who replaced ex-LMC track star, Ken Sullivan, who is now in the Navy Air Force.

Lees-McRae 21 Brevard 35
 1-Rich (LM) 2-Dickerson (LM) 3-Malsby (B) 4-Barron (B)
 5-Hughes (LM) 6-Jessen (LM) 7-Harr (LM) 8-Brown (B)
 9-Court (B) 10-Hall (LM) 11-Varden (B) 12-Rysewyck (LM)



BOBCATS WIN CROSS-COUNTRY CROWN TWO YEARS IN A ROW . . .



Captain Don Rich, left, and Coach Mel Bowling, right.

The Lees-McRae Bobcats, paced by sophomore Don Rich, won their second conference title in a row by defeating four other Junior Colleges for the Region 10 cross country crown. Rich covered the 2.5 mile course in 14:13. He has never been beaten in Junior College competition. He won nine meets and lost two-to four year Senior Colleges-Milligan and East Tennessee State University. Lees-McRae was first with 36 points, Brevard was second with 38. Other teams finishing were Wingate with 55, and Asheville Biltmore 109. North Greenville did not place. Rich, a fine example of a Christian athlete, hails from Randleman, North Carolina. His extra-curricular activities include the Demosthenean Club, Student Christian Council, the Monogram Club, and sports activities. Last year, Don lettered in basketball, cross country, baseball and spring track. He will be active in these sports this year also.

Lees-McRae 15 Asheville Biltmore 50
 1-Rich (LM) 2-Dickerson (LM) 3-Daves (LM) 4-Hughes (LM) 5-Harr (LM) 6-Jessen (LM) 7-Hall (LM) 8-Erwin (AB) 9-Hunt (AB) 10-Goolsby (AB)

Milligan 18 Wingate 59 Lees-McRae 61 Asheville Biltmore 105
 1-Woodby (M) 2-Judd (M) 3-Rich (LM) 4-Cornelius (M) 5-Weitzel (M) 6-Walters (M) 7-Dobson (M) 8-Herdon (M) 9-Napier (W) 10-Hughes (LM) 11-Bondurant (W) 12-Jordan (W) 13-Webb (W) 14-Shuler (W) 15-Hall (LM) 16-Jessen (LM) 17-Davis (LM) 18-Harr (LM) 19-Pepper (AB) 20-Hunt (AB)

Milligan 26 Lees-McRae 54 East Tennessee State University 55
 1-Morrel (ESTU) 2-Wooby (M) 3-Judd (M) 4-Prichard (ESTU) 5-Rich (LM) 6-Cornelius (M) 7-Dobson (M) 8-Weitzel (M) 9-Hendon (M) 10-Dickerson (LM) 11-Walters (M) 12-Hughes (LM) 13-Harr (LM) 14-Jessen (LM) 15-Belldmen (ESTU)

WCJC Conference Meet
 Lees-McRae 36 Brevard 38 Wingate 55 Asheville Biltmore 159
 1-Rich (LM) 2-Malsby (B) 3-Jordan (W) 4-Brown (B) 5-Daves (LM) 6-Atwater (W) 7-Barron (B) 8-Dondurant (W) 9-Dickerson (LM) 10-Hughes (LM) 11-Jessen (LM) 12-Harden (B) 13-Nelson (B) 14-Fort (B) 15-Webb (W)

BASKETBALL



JOE FARRIS



STEVE LYTTON

CO-CAPTAINS

NOVEMBER

29 Warren Wilson
30 Milligan

DECEMBER

3 *Spartanburg
7 Emory & Henry
10 Milligan
13 *Brevard
17 *Gardner-Webb

JANUARY

4 *Anderson
7 *Asheville-Biltmore
11 *Wingate
13 *Brevard
17 *Gardner-Webb
24 *Spartanburg
25 *Anderson
28 Appalachian J.V.

FEBRUARY

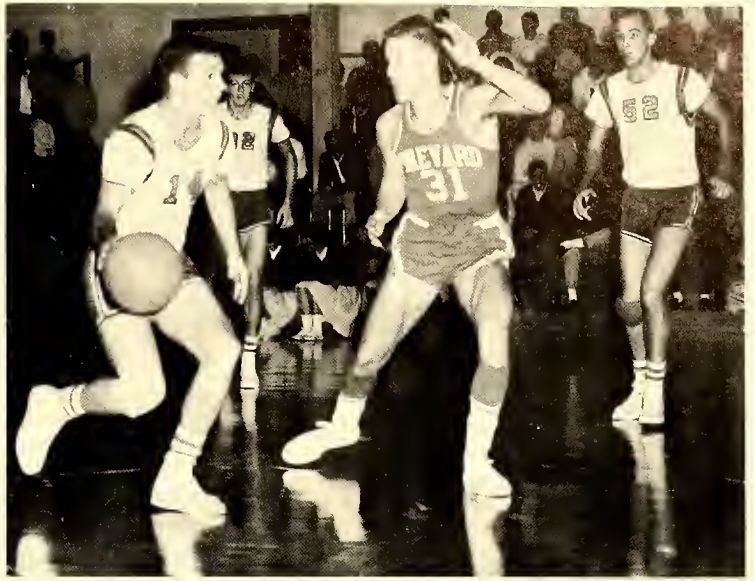
1 *North Greenville
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8 *North Greenville
14 Roanoke Nat. Bus. College
15 *Asheville-Biltmore
18 *GARDNER-WEBB
22 Appalachian J.V.

BOBCATS HAVE FOUR STARTERS RETURNING . . .

Coach Mel Bowling and his Lees-McRae Bobcats sought to improve their conference march in overall record but consistently had their ups and downs during the year. The Bobcats, hot and cold last season, began by losing to Milligan, then defeated the Milligan Quintet in Banner Elk. They were trounced by Brevard 68-56 but mauled Wingate 89-74 after building up as much as 25 point lead in the game. They looked good in defeating Spartanburg 81-69 but lost to cellar-dweller Gardner-Webb 48-47. However, the unpredictable Cats remain as a darkhorse in the hardwood race for the WCJAC and Region Ten Championship. Bowling faced with a re-building task, suffered two dismal seasons with a 14-29 over-all record, but he has built what area fans and Bobcat rooters hope to be a power house in basketball. For the first time since he has been head coach at Lees-McRae, he has good bench strength. Draper's Wayne Hall, an honor student academically, is a good ball-handler and reserve guard; big Harold Earnhart is a sharpshooter, throwing in 30 points against Milligan College in a Bobcat 86-81 victory; and Bob Cox, a rugged 6'5", 220 lb. center from Narrows, Va., gives Bowling rebound strength and added scoring power. Aside from these three Freshmen, Bowling has what area fans and most coaches consider to be three of the best boys in the conference in Joe Farris, 6'5" center, Don Rich, 6'3" forward, and fireball Steve Lytton, a guard and playmaker for the Cats. With these three seasoned veterans leading the way, Bowling is considered as having one of the finest teams in the Western Carolinas Junior College Conference.

COACH—MEL BOWLING





Lees-McRae sparkplug and playmaker Steve Lytton, drives around a Brevard defender while teammates Don Rich (42) and Joe Farris (52) look on.

Steve Lytton*

FARRIS, LYTTON, AND RICH LEAD THE WAY . . .

Joe Farris

Don Rich

Lane Hurley





Roscoe Dickerson



Jerry Harr



Harold Earnhardt

Big Joe Farris hits on a jump shot as team mate Bob Cox comes in for the rebound.

Earnhardt completes a fast-break with the assistance of Don Rich. The Bobcats beat National Business College 72-59.



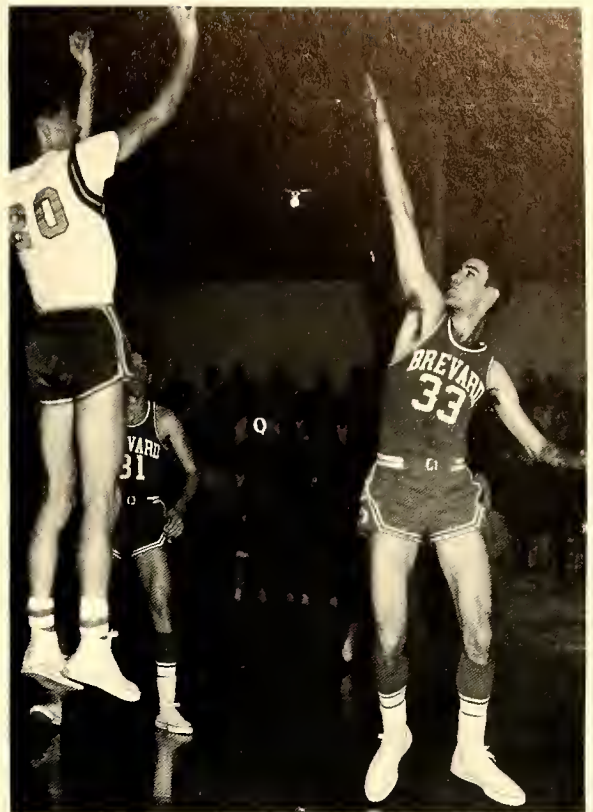


Wayne Hall



Bob Cox

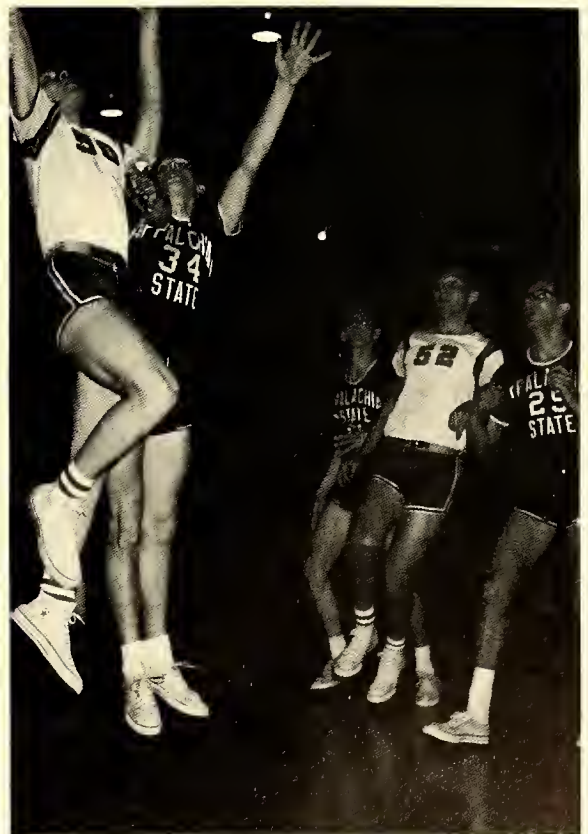
Bob Cox fires from the charity line as team mate Don Rich (32) awaits rebound.



Roscoe Dickerson a jump shot against Brevard.



Earnhardt drives in for a layup in the Bobcats' 80-75 victory over Appalachian Junior Varsity.



FRONT ROW: Roscoe Dickerson, Dickie Liddle, Don Rich, Jerry Harr, John Jessen, Lane Hurley. SECOND ROW: Bob Cox, Joe Farris, Dean Shepherd, Dennis Hoffmyer, Harold Earnhardt, Wayne Hall.





Bill Gilbert
Manager
Men's Basketball



Bert Drake
Statistician
Men's Basketball



Angie Johnson
Manager
Girls' Basketball

Hurley drives in for lay-up against NBC.



Bob Cox hits a jump shot from the corner post.



Big Joe Farris drives in
for two-pointer.





A Sullins guard tries to stop Carolyn Daniels.



A Winthrop forward snares a rebound from Becky Fuller and Elaine Loomis.



Becky Fuller stops a Winthrop drive after teammate Barringer is spilled on the floor.



FRONT ROW, left to right: Mariam Pritchard, Elaine Loomis; SECOND ROW, left to right: Rosabell Culler, Mary Daniel, Margaret Barringer, Lois Martin, Rachel Toncray, Karen Kirkland; THIRD ROW, left to right: Mary Lou Stanley, Frances Pozo, Linda Avery, Ann Scruggs, Nancy Sullivan, and Becky Hare.

LMC BOBKITTENS HAVE VETERANS

ANDERSONHOME	MONTREAT-ANDERSON .AWAY
A.S.T.C.AWAY	SULLINSAWAY
ANDERSONAWAY	WINTHROPHOME
WINTHROPAWAY	A.S.T.C.HOME
SULLINSHOME	MONTREAT-ANDERSON .HOME

The LMC Bobkittens, led by Loomis and Pritchard, face another busy schedule against formidable foes this season. Coached by Mrs. Baker, the team has a new assistant coach, Mrs. Ron Whittaker, the dean of women and physical education instructor. The Kittens are out to improve their last season's record of two wins and six losses.



MRS. JOYCE BAKER
HEAD COACH

MRS. PEGGY WHITTAKER
ASSISTANT COACH





Miriam Pritchard, Co-Captain

Rachael Toncray

Margaret Barringer

PLAY BUSY SCHEDULE . . . TRAVEL INTO VIRGINIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

No contact in practice . . . Doesn't mean there won't be any in a game

ELAINE LOOMIS, Co-Captain





Mary Carolyn Daniels



Becky Fuller



Rosabell Culler

Mary Hartley

Loomis shoots over the outstretched arms of Winthrop defenders.

Lois Martin



Linda Avery

Carolyn Daniels drives in for a layup against Winthrop College.





Mary Stanley, Francis Pozo, Brenda Hibbits, Karen Kirkland

Girls' star Elaine Loomis hooks over a Winthrop defender.

Daniels and Toncray fight for the ball.



Loomis connects for a 2-pointer



And drives with equal skill.



INTRAMURALS

Intramural sports provide Lees-McRae students with an opportunity to participate in such athletics as volleyball, basketball, and tennis. Throughout the school year girls and boys teams compete in various sports, with tournaments being held at the end of each season. Intramural letter awards and trophies are awarded to the championship teams in each sport.

In volleyball, basketball, badminton, tennis, and pool tournaments each student may find a sport to interest him, and to provide an outlet for his athletic interests and energies. Intramurals promote sportsmanship and offer the student an opportunity to excel in areas outside the classroom. The success of the intramural program is due to the superb efforts of Mrs. Ron Whittaker for the girls' activities and Mr. Whittaker and the Athletic Director Mr. George Lytton.



Big Doug Teague returns the serve against the Faculty.

More action takes place between Faculty and the "Muleskinners". The Faculty ended the season with a 5-1 record.

Typical action in the mens' volleyball game in Reynolds' Gym every Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Elaine Loomis reaches high over the net to return the ball to opponent.

Teague spikes one over Mr. Baker and Mr. Whittaker.





Billy Sutherland returns a serve as his teammates look on.



Girls scramble for the ball in typical action.

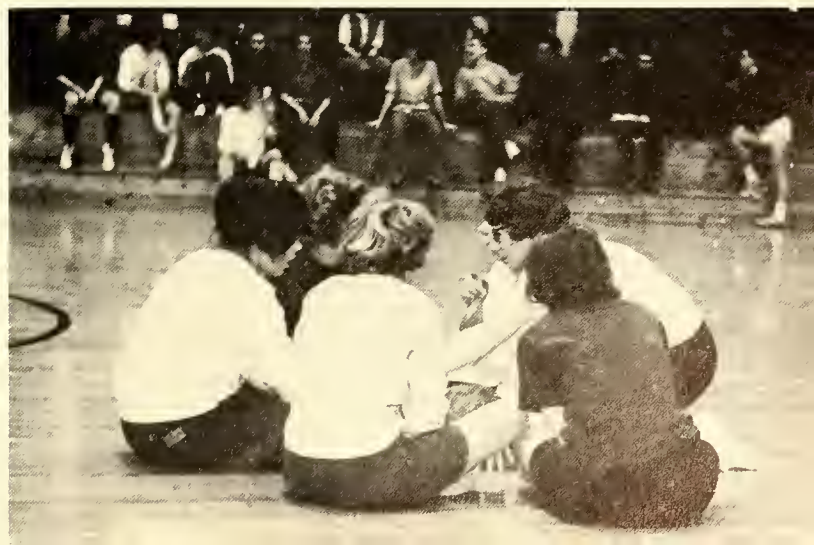


Girls Championship team. KNEELING: Margaret Barringer, Diane Hair. STANDING, left to right: Mary Hartley, Frances Pozo, Linda Avery, Becky Hare.



Roberts returns a volley as teammate Mike Brooks (87) looks on.

Hair's "Bobkitten" team takes time out during crucial game.





Typical of the girls' basketball action, a forward drives in for two points.



Holly Ward passes the ball away from defenders Daniels and Hare.



Scramble for the ball finds Carolyn Daniels the winner and Marelle Yeamen looks on.

Elaine Loomis seems to be demonstrating ballet step as she drives for the basket.





UPPER LEFT PHOTO: Debbie Haga attempts to block a shot as teammates Holly Ward and Marelle Yeamen look on.



AT RIGHT: Loomis drives in for two points over Brenda Hibbits.



AT LEFT: Joyce Bean seems to be pleading for the ball as Cassie Brill passes to teammate Janie Lansdale.

BELOW: Mrs. Whittaker keeps score as the girls set a torrid pace in basketball intramurals.





Daniels drives around Chapman and Yeaman.



Sullivan shoots the ball over Ted Ball's outstretched hand.



Another two pointer.

LOWER RIGHT PHOTO: Walton, Wellman, and Ball defend. AT RIGHT: Typical action in boys basketball intramurals. Arnold drives past Bowlin for two points.





Richardson . . . Neder . . . and Arnold go for the basket and two points.

TENNIS INTRAMURALS

FRONT ROW KNEELING L-R: Gary Pace, Steve Smultz, Jimmy Goodman, Ronnie Ponce. BACK ROW L-R: Dale Crabill, Mike McKeever, Andy Gabriel, Dick Worldsen, John Jessen, and Tim Purvis. NOT PICTURED: Larry Wood, Darrell Baker, Roy Flemen, Mac Wellford.





Larry Wood sprints out into an early lead in the mile run.

David Lohrey



Tom Brown, Donnie Williams, Bill Ratcliff, leave the starting blocks in the 100 yd. - dash against Wingate College.

Bob Blevins

Donnie Wall

Ken Johnston



Don Rich*
Co-Captain



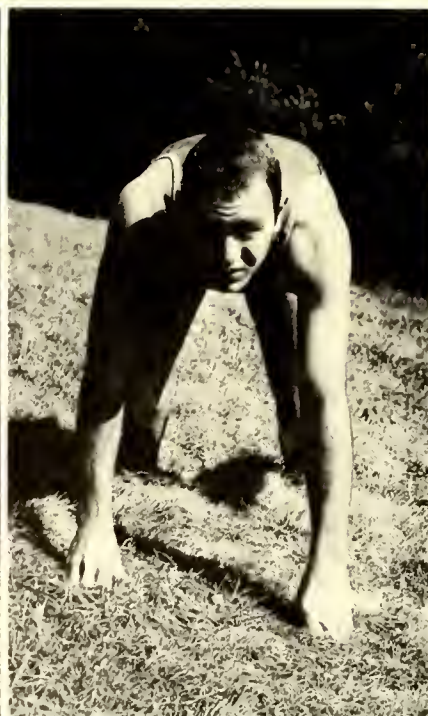
Tom Query*



Tom Brown*



Roger Childers*



TRACK

The 1963 track team under the direction of ex-LMC track star, Ken Sullivan, came in third in the conference meet at Brevard.

1964 SCHEDULE

- April 13-Wingate (Here)
- 18-Gardner Webb, Ferrum (There)
- 29-Anderson, Gardner Webb (There)
- May 6-WCJAC Meet at Brevard



Ron Whittaker
Coach



Coach Litton and Coach Sullivan start the mile relay against Milligan College.



Bill Ratcliff hands off the baton to team mate Jerry Bell.

Roger Woodson*

Bill Ratcliff*
Co-Captain

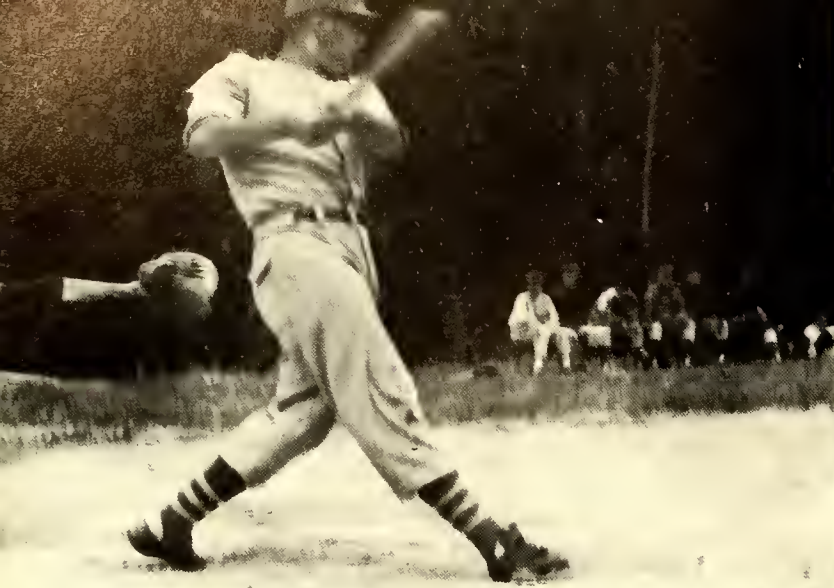


Roger Woodson soars through the air during broad jump competition with Wingate College.

Woodson and Larry Mackey take off in the low hurdles against Milligan.



Not pictured Jim Goodman*



Harold Wellman bangs out a hit



Jim Fostek drives a hard 2-bagger

Steve Lytton*

Tom Query*

Don Rich*



Harold Wellman*



Donnie Williams*



Joe Fostek*

BASEBALL

The Bobcats are forced to take to the diamond late in the Spring due to poor weather conditions. This accounts for the lean seasons the Lees McRae Bobcats have suffered. Last season they won only one game, playing in competition with many four year schools.

1964 SCHEDULE

- | | |
|-------|---------------------------------------|
| April | 4 Milligan (There) |
| | 10 Gardner Webb (There) |
| | 11 Wingate (There) |
| | 15 Brevard (There) |
| | 20 Spartanburg (There) |
| | 22 Gardner Webb (Here) |
| May | 7 Milligan (Here) |
| | 9 Wake Forest (There) |
| | 11,12,13 Regional Baseball Tournament |



While Tom Query fouls over the catcher's head in typical baseball action at LMC.

Query reaches home safely, but on this one the umpire called him out, which just goes to show you photos don't lie.



Jim Fostek*



Steve Lytton*



George Litton, Coach



Tom Query*



Don Baker, Coach

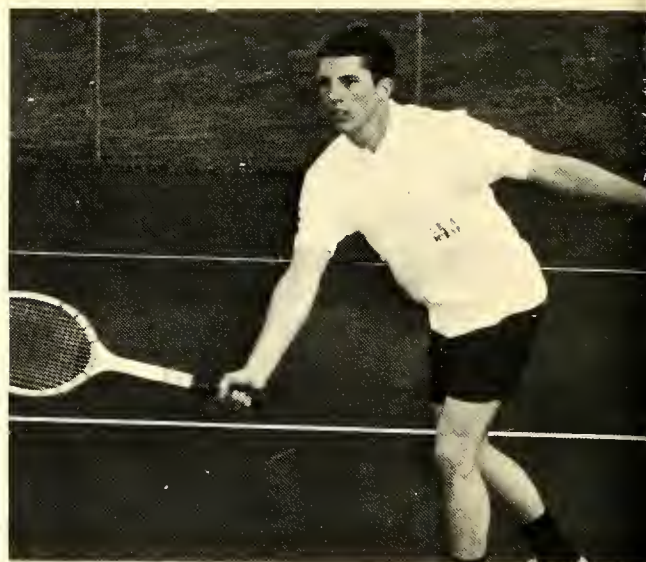
TENNIS . . .

Since Tennis became an intercollegiate sport at Lees-McRae in 1961, The Bobcats have racked up a 9-16 record over the three year period. Last year the LMC courtmen suffered their worst season since the beginning with a dismal 1-6 worksheet for the season.

'64 SCHEDULE

Gardner-Webb	There	April 10
Wingate	There	11
Brevard	Here	15
Brevard	There	24
Wingate	Here	27
Anderson	There	29
WCJC Conference Tournament at Asheville-Biltmore May 4.		

Tentative Games with:
 Milligan "B" Team, Asheville-Biltmore
 ASTC Junior Varsity.



Jimmy Goodman

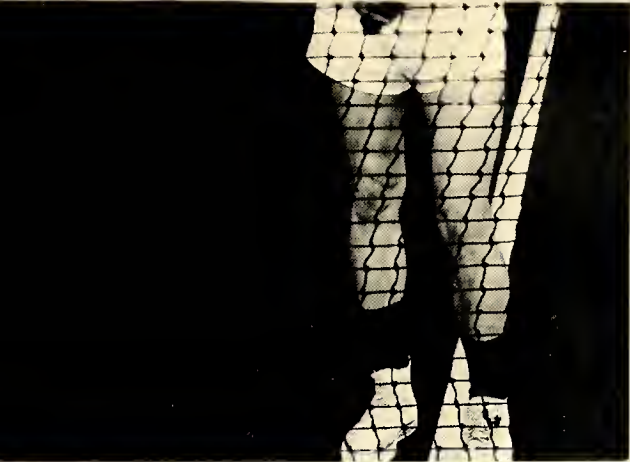
STANDING, left to right: Mike McKeever, Andy Gabriel, John Jessup. KNEELING, left to right: Steve Schmultz, Jimmy Goodman, Ronnie Ponce. NOT PICTURED: Larry Wood, Mac Wellford.



. . . AND GOLF

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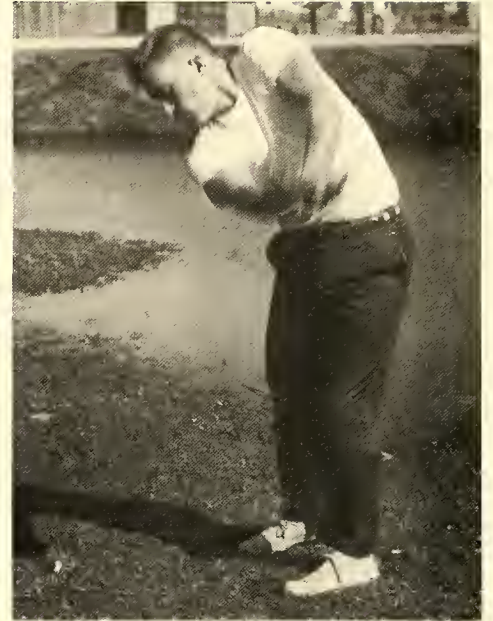
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Conference Meet - Linville		4



Larry Wood



Don McGee



Ken Johnston

*LETTERMEN

LEFT TO RIGHT: John Scott, Larry Wood, Jimmy Goodman, Buddy Wright, Don McGee, Ken Johnston, Steve Urick.



CHEERLEADERS ARE LED BY



Donna Hill



Terry Edwards

Carol Hayden

Sandy Williams



Ann Brock



HILL AND HAYDEN . . . ADD SPIRIT TO ATHLETIC CONTESTS . . .



Olivia Grzeszczak

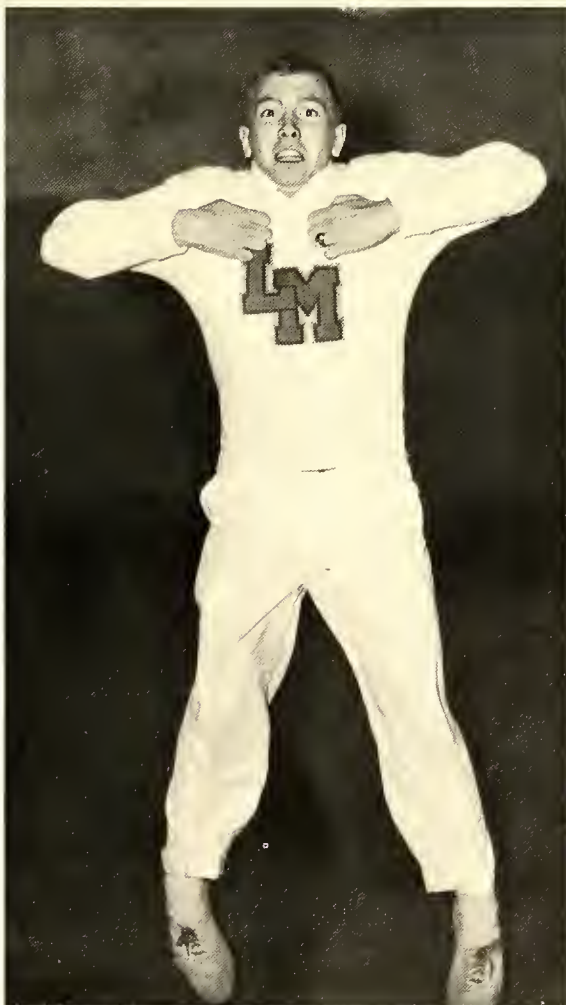


FIRST ROW: Terry Edwards, Donna Hill, Carol Hayden, Sandy Williams. SECOND ROW: Ann Brock, Marelle Yeaman, Ann Jewel, Don Pearce.

Ann Jewel

Don Pearce

Marelle Yeaman





Perhaps one of the first things any student will tell you about what he learned at college is the fact that scholastic training plays at times a very minor role. Life demands far more than intellectual achievement; it demands social and spiritual maturing as well as the development of physical abilities. These depend upon individual striving and achieving, and add much to the everyday enjoyment of life. New developments come through ever-broadening minds and lives.

ACTIVITIES PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE LIFE OF



ACTIVITIES . . .

Activities constitute an integral and important part of college life. After attending classes, struggling through the routine of the day, college students want to spend an evening together. Classrooms, while theoretically their doors should be closed, seem to come alive after dark. Behind these doors, policies are being reviewed and plans are being laid for activities and campus functions, in meetings of various campus organizations.

The Student Parliament is a vital part of Lees-McRae's activities. The purpose of this organization is to unify the Student Body in the common motive of self-government in order to assume responsibility in dealing with matters of student affairs, to perpetuate the traditions of the college, and to strengthen co-operation among students, faculty, and administration.

The Demosthenean club wisely chooses representatives to attend the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and when the first sign of spring occurs, they begin making preparations for their annual party for the boys of Grandfather Home.

The Phi Theta Kappa busily plans movies on literary and education subjects, while at the same time, ponders over the prospects for the one hundred dollar scholastic scholarship.

The Council of the Christian Association designs a monthly calendar,

(listing daily events) to be presented to each individual. It also assists with Vespers each Sunday night.

Working together, the WAA and the Monogram Club provide transportation to athletic events away from the college, in addition to sponsoring several sock hops throughout the year.

The May Dance and the Homecoming Dance are the two main projects of the School Board, but long hours of preparation and toil are employed, just as are spent by the Sullivanian Sorority on the Christmas and Valentine Dances.

These numerous meetings remove the student from his studies for a while, allowing him to relax and develop an area of interest and incentive outside of his regular class schedule.

Activities provide for the individual student an opportunity for participation and leadership. An individual needs the group; the group cannot exist without the individual. A spirit of organization, cooperation, competition and devotion exists when groups of individuals work together with mutual interests.

Through the participation of the students, activities aid in building character and developing personality. Clubs and organizations promote fellowship and service among the students, so that the ideals and standards established by these clubs will continue in other students.



Mr. Hall, sponsor



Mr. Baker, sponsor



Carol Bowles



Richard Fanis

The primary purpose of the Order of the Tower is to serve Lees-McRae College and the administration in a leadership capacity and to promote the general welfare of the college. The Dean of the College and the Director of Public Relations sponsor this organization which is composed of not more than twelve students.

The members of the Order of the Tower assist in orientation programs for freshmen and new students, serve as marshals for special programs and graduation, serve as hosts for visiting groups and dignitaries and assist the Admissions Department in the testing programs for prospective students. When called upon by the Admissions office, they conduct tours on the campus and entertain parents of prospective students. They promote good relation in all areas, and serve as advisory council to the faculty.

The annual Halloween Carnival is sponsored by the Order of the Tower, with other clubs on campus participating.

The club also assists the faculty each year in a self-study program of college.



ORDER OF THE TOWER IN SECOND SUCCESSFUL



Duane Baker



Lane Hurley



Charlene Ring



Rachel Toncray



Deanna Thompson



Richard Fanis, President

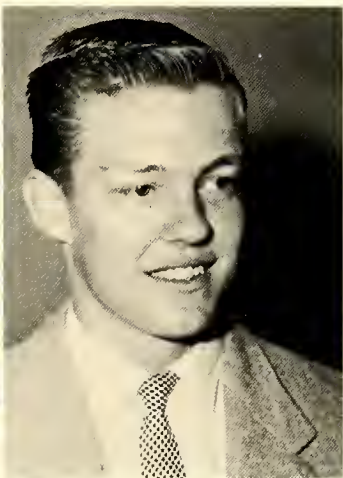


Tower members debate integration at Deans Banquet.

YEAR ON CAMPUS . . . MEMBERS SERVE IN LEADERHIP CAPACITY . . .



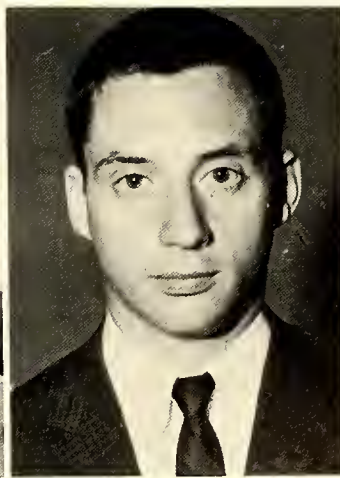
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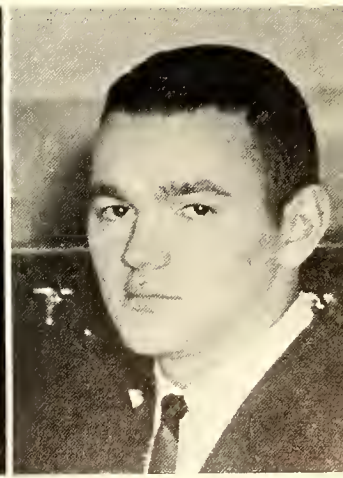
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Tommy Newman



Bobby Blevins



Duane Baker, President of ASB

LABORING THROUGH ITS OWN EFFORT TO IMPROVE

Deanna Thompson, Vice President

THE STUDENT PARLIMENT . . .

One of Lees-McRae's most outstanding characteristics is its fine Student Parliament, whose purpose is to unify the student body in the common motive of self-government, to stimulate the traditions of the college, and to strengthen cooperation among students, faculty, and administration. Each student has a voice in student affairs through this organization, and students have an actual part in the government of the school and gain a better understanding of parliamentary procedures. The Student Parliament, guided by Mr. Melvin C. Bowling, set high goals for itself in 1963-1964.

Special projects for this year included participation in the orientation program, the directions of Homecoming activities and dance, the promotion of Rat Week, bus trips to away football and basketball games, and a study of means by which to improve the academic atmosphere on campus.





Officers, LEFT TO RIGHT: Carol Wilkinson, Deanna Thompson, and Carol Bowles.



ASB President at work.



Mr. Mel Bowling, Sponsor.

STUDENT LIFE ON THE "CAMPUS IN THE CLOUDS" . . .

Carol Wilkinson, Secretary

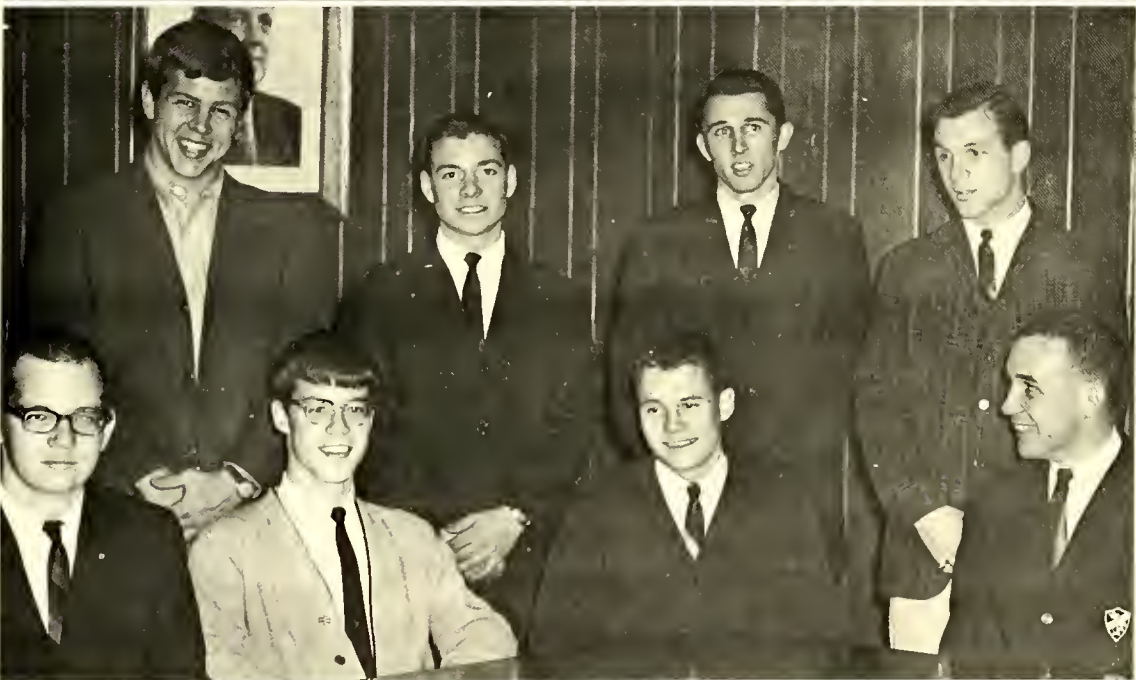
Carol Bowles, Treasurer

Virginia Dorm Resident Officers, SEATED left to right. Hope Thompson, Angie Johnson, Brenda Stover, Barbara King, and Barbara Worley.





TENNESSEE, McALISTER, GYM DORM OFFICERS: SEATED, Left to Right: Charles Walker, President, Tennessee; Ken Johnson, Vice Pres., McAllister; Donnie Wall, President, McAllister; Andy Beatson, Sec.-Treas., McAllister. **NOT PICTURED:** Harold Wellman, Vice Pres., Tenn.; Chuck Neder, Sec.-Treas., Tenn.; John Simmons, President, Gym; Roger Childers, Vice Pres., Gym; John Ross, Sec.-Treas., Gym.



OLD REID, NEW REID, CANNON DORM OFFICERS: SEATED, Left to Right: Phil Eford, President, Cannon; Howard Sandt, Sec.-Treas., Old Reid; Roscoe Dickerson, Vice Pres., Old Reid; Joe Farris, Sec., Cannon. **STANDING, Left to Right:** Gerard Elliot, Vice Pres., New Reid; Bill Crosby, Treas., Cannon; Bill Ratcliff, President, New Reid; Steve Lytton, Vice Pres., Cannon. **NOT PICTURED:** Wallie Campbell, President, Old Reid; Nelson Mackey, Treas., New Reid.



TATE DORM OFFICERS: SEATED, Left to Right: Linda Simpson, President; Carol Hayden, Vice Pres.; Becky Fuller, Sec.-Treas.; Camille Crouse, Resident Counselor; Rachel Toncray, Resident Counselor. **NOT PICTURED:** Carolyn Barnett, Resident Counselor, Margaret Barringer, Resident Counselor.



STUDENT PARLIAMENT, Left to Right: Hope Thompson, Donnie Wall, Brenda Wilson, Darrell Baker, Richard Fannis. Not Pictured: Lane Hurley, John Scott, Roger Woodson, Ed Plowman, Pegge Kowalski, Craig Pergerson.

SENIOR RESIDENTS, Left to Right: Earl Taylor, Richard Fannis, Elmon Holder, Darrell Baker, Lane Hurley, Donnie Williams, Tom Query. Not Pictured: Bill Hollifield, Elton Jones.





FIRST ROW, left to right: Joanne Little, Elaine Loomis, Brenda Wilson, Rachel Toneray. SECOND ROW, left to right: Eileen Davis, Sue Wellons, Bobbie Clatterbuck, Charlene Ring. THIRD ROW, left to right: Robert Houck, Duane Baker.

CHRISTIAN COUNCIL

The Christian Council, under the leadership of Rev. Harrison Taylor, plans and directs the religious activities at Lees-McRae. This organization serves as the core of the Student Christian Association and strives to promote a better spiritual atmosphere on campus.

The Christian Council, acting as spiritual conscience, stimulates Christian thought, study, and service within the student body, challenging each member to understand and commit themselves to the way of Christ.

To promote a more active Christian fellowship, the Council encourages student participation in worship services, service projects, and community relationships. One special duty concerns the student relations to Grandfather Home for Children to encourage individual student relationships with the children. Since this is an organization of various denominational groups, student interest and participation has been stimulated in community churches as well as the college church. The Council also raises the Recreational Equipment Fund which obtains sleds, bicycles, and skates for the use of the students.

Members of the Christian Council are elected by students and the various denominational groups.

THE CHRISTIAN COUNCIL DIRECTS AND CO-ORDINATES



STANDING, Left to Right: Brenda Wilson, Secretary; Charlene Ring, President; Elaine Loomis, Treasurer.



Rev. Harrison Taylor
First Semester Sponsor

Rev. William McCutchen
Second Semester Sponsor



THE RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS ON CAMPUS . . .



LEFT TO RIGHT: Bobbie Clatterbuck, Mahala Powell, Deanna Thompson, and Carol Wilkinson.

PHI THETA KAPPA

Scholarship, leadership, citizenship, and service are the requirements for membership in the Phi Theta Kappa. The Beta Tau Chapter, sponsored by Dean Hall, is a member in good standing with the Phi Theta Kappa, a national scholastic fraternity for junior colleges. It corresponds to Phi Beta Kappa in senior college.



Mr. Hall, sponsor

Membership in this organization is a coveted award. At the time of his election, the student must be within the upper ten per cent of the student body.

This year's activities have centered around intellectual growth at Lees-McRae. Programs were established to stimulate academic achievement and to strengthen the intellectual atmosphere. An annual scholarship is awarded by the fraternity to a deserving, rising sophomore.



Bobbie Clatterbuck, President

Mahala Powell, Vice President





SEATED, left to right: Peggy Kowalski, Carol Harwell, Ann Huston, Rachel Toncray, Diane Hair, Deanna Thompson. STANDING, left to right: Elaine Beard, Carol Terrel, Mahala Powell.

SULLIVANIAN SORORITY

Brenda Wilson, President



Leadership and service--these are the qualities of Sullivanians. The sorority, named in honor of Mary Mildred Sullivan, has as its motto the phrase, "A clear eye, a ready hand, and a pure heart."

Various activities sponsored by members of the sorority were: assisting in orientation, informal tea for freshman girls, the Christmas Dance along with the Demostheneans, the Valentine Dance, and presentation of scholarships to rising sophomore girls.





Mrs. Ruth Shingleton, Sponsor



Joanne Little
Vice President



Diane Hair
Secretary



Linda Simpson
Treasurer

STANDING, left to right: Hope Thompson, Linda Simpson, Joanne Little. SEATED, left to right: Brenda Wilson, Carol Bowles, Nina Leonhardt, Anita Bulla, Pat Ferguson, Betty Stephens, Camille Crouse.



DEMOSTHENEANS

The Demosthenean Club was originally founded in 1932 as a Debate Club. Down through the years, however, it has developed into a leadership organization for men.

Membership in the Demostheneans is recognition of distinction and leadership in some phase of collegiate activity. This leadership may be in either scholastic, athletic, social, or religious fields.

To further stimulate interest in education, the club provides for the student and faculty members programs of open discussion and lectures. It also co-sponsors the Christmas Dance and other social activities. Annual scholarships are awarded to rising sophomore men at the end of the college year.

The Club encourages the young men to participate in all collegiate activities and recognizes those who attain high standards in their individual fields.



Tom Query, President

MEN'S LEADERSHIP CLUB STRIVES TO DEVELOP CHARACTER . . .

STANDING, Left to Right: David Hardy, Darrell Baker, Duane Baker, Richard Fannis, Jim Fostek, Tom Query, Elmon Holden, Billy Ratcliff, Robert Houck. SEATED, Left to Right: Joe Fostek, Claude Brown, Donnie Williams, John Scott, Larry Wood.





Mr. John Stephenson,
Sponsor



Robert Houck,
Vice-President



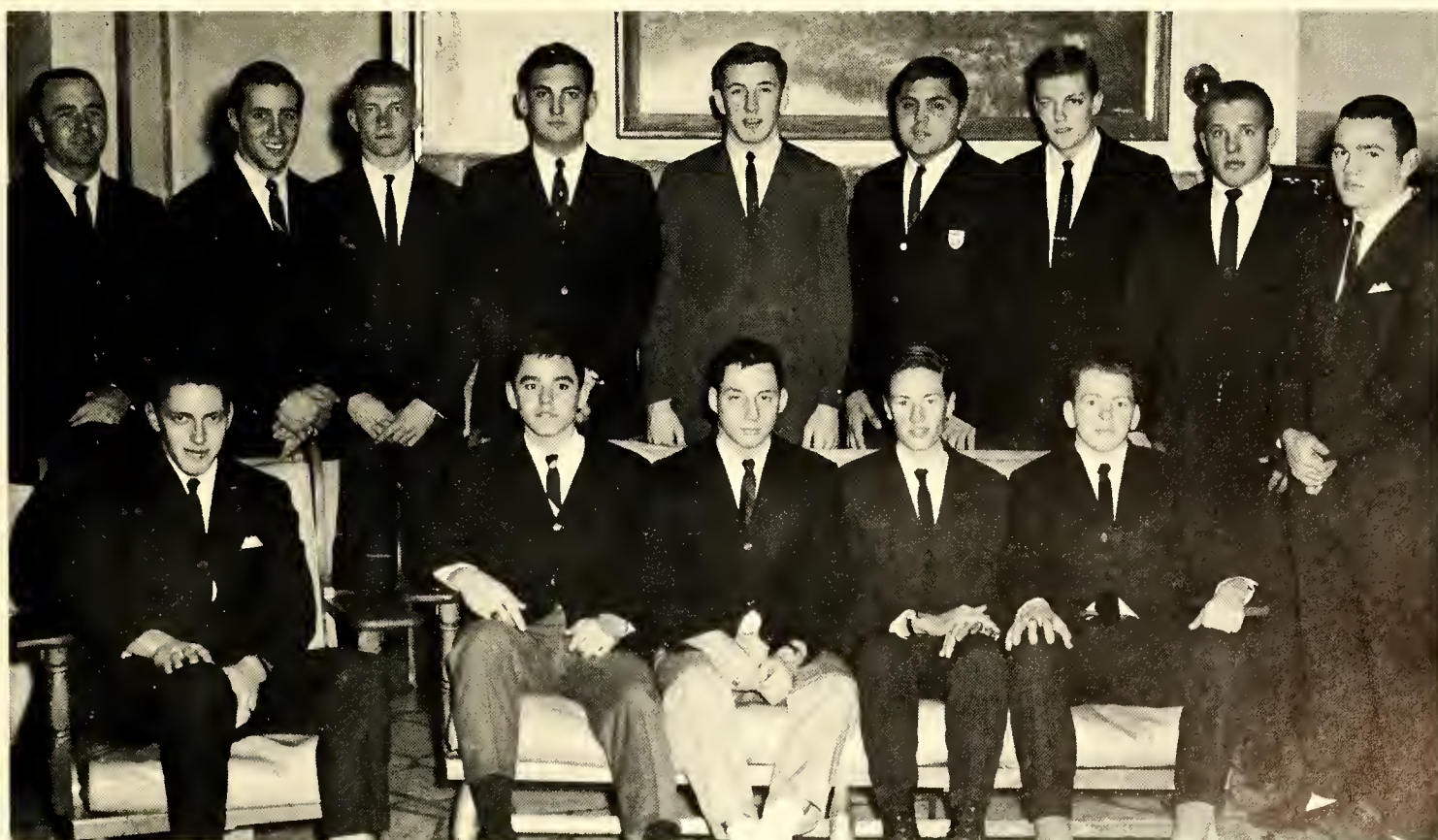
Bill Ratcliff,
Secretary



Joe Fostek,
Treasurer

. . . URGES PARTICIPATION IN COLLEGE ACTIVITIES

STANDING, Left to Right: Jim Christian, Arch Hoxton, Donnie Wall, Larry Moore, Lane Hurley, Charles Neder, Don Rich, Ray Lazor, Bob Blevins. SEATED, Left to Right: Andy Beatson, Bob Query, Tom Neuman, Herman Hodges, Ed Plowman.



WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Lees-McRae's Women's Athletic Association, which is sponsored by Mrs. Joyce Baker, is composed of girls who won letters in intramural activities or participated in basketball.

The WAA promotes girls' athletics which places strong emphasis on healthful exercise and enjoyment. The girls learn valuable skills in their favorite sport and learn valuable lessons in sportsmanship and team cooperation while they relax and have fun among themselves.

The WAA takes an active part in May Day festivities. The club also provides the students and sports fans with football programs. For their money-making project they sold yellow mums for the Homecoming game.

Each year a Citizenship Award is given by the Club to a student who is outstanding in capacities of good citizenship.



Elaine Loomis, President

SEATED, left to right: Elaine Loomis, Becky Fuller, Rachel Toncray, Margaret Barringer.





Rachael Toncray
Vice President



Margaret Barringer
Secretary, Treasurer



The WAA promotes girls' athletics and sportsmanship. Below is some of the typical action in girls' basketball. Lois Martin shoots over three Anderson College opponents.

WAA is an active sponsor of girls' intramurals. Below Elaine Loomis' volleyball team challenges Diane Hair's championship squad.





Bobby Blevins,
Second Semester, President



Ray Lazor
First Semester, President



Bill Ratcliffe, Treasurer

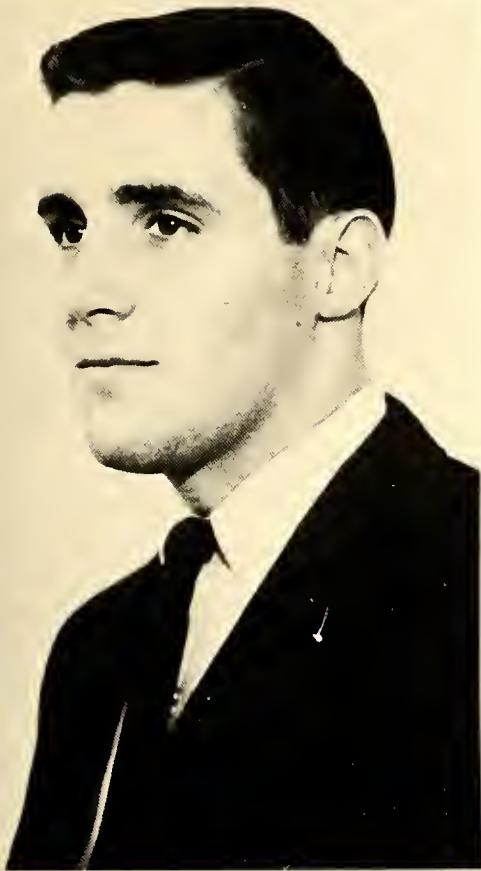


Boys who letter by participation in either of the varsity sports--football, tennis, track, cross-country, basketball, or baseball are eligible for membership in the Monogram Club.

This club, sponsored by Coach George Litton, has as its purpose the promotion of good sportsmanship among athletes and students and the stimulation of school spirit. It strives to maintain a good impression while playing at other institutions and to entertain visiting teams courteously.

MONOGRAM CLUB LARGEST ORGANIZATION ON CAMPUS

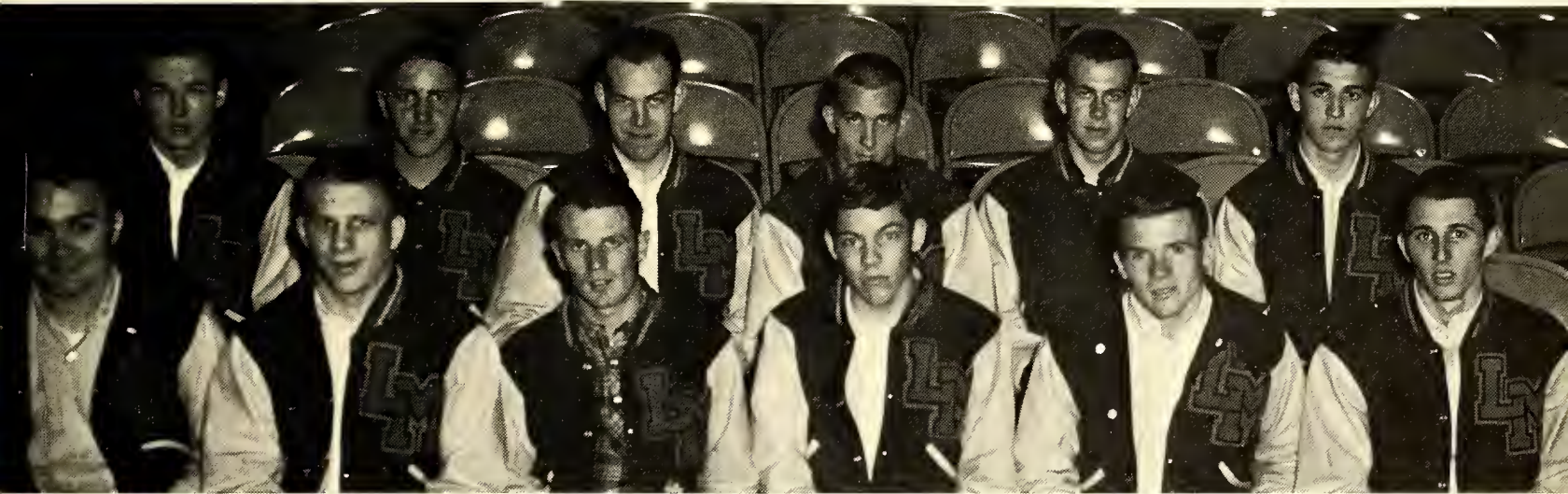




Archie Hoxton, Secretary



Mr. George Litton, Sponsor



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MONOGRAM CLUB

FIRST ROW, left to right: Steve Lytton, Larry Clonch, Donnie Wall, Jimmy Goodman, Don Ross, Tom Query, Don McGee, Chuck Prendergast. SECOND ROW, left to right: Joe Farris, Joe Fostek, Jim Fostek, Ken Johnston, Roger Woodson, Donnie Williams, Roger Childers, Herman Hodges.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Barbara Worley, Barbara King, Buddy Wright, Donnie Williams, and Brenda Stover. SECOND ROW, left to right: Marcia Whitener, Patti Curtwright, Nancy Sullivan, Lynn Bible, Frances Cole, and Tony Honeycutt.



Mr. Andrew Brown, Director

L M C CHORUS

Membership in the LMC Chorus is open to any student on an audition basis held during the first two weeks of the fall semester.

From the four main groups of the vocal section, outstanding soloists are chosen for special occasions such as Christmas and Easter.

The group makes various appearances throughout the year, singing both secular and religious arrangements, and during the spring the choir tours Holston and Concord Presbyteries upon invitation.

The accompanist, who must be familiar with organ as well as piano arrangements, is chosen from the student body.

The LMC Chorus is one of the most enjoyable organizations on campus.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Linda Steelman, Karen Kirkland, Susie Mehaffey, and Don Hughes. SECOND ROW, left to right: Bonnie Van Montfrans, Robert Moore, Allen Wester, Gerard Elliot, and Larry Moore.



Wee Queir members, FIRST ROW, left to right: Barbara King, and Karen Kirkland. SECOND ROW: Barbara Worley, Buddy Wright, and Marcia Whitener. THIRD ROW: Donnie Williams, Don Hughes, and Tony Honeycutt. FOURTH ROW: Allen Wester, Larry Moore, and Robert Moore.

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The Bobcat Tales, under the new supervision of Miss Eleanor Osborne, has given interested students training in management, advertising, and journalism. Mr. Donald R. Baker, last year's sponsor, has retired to technical advisor and layout designs for the Tales.

The Bobcat Tales is the monthly publication by the students of Lees-McRae, and serves as an organ of expression for the student body. Through the combined efforts of the Editor, John Martin, the Assistant Editor, Margaret Barringer, the advisor, Miss Osborne, and the assistance of Mr. Baker, the Bobcat Tales has maintained high publication standards and has attempted to establish a good journalistic style at Lees-McRae.



John Martin, Editor, and Margaret Barringer, Assistant Editor

Miss Eleanor Osborne, sponsor



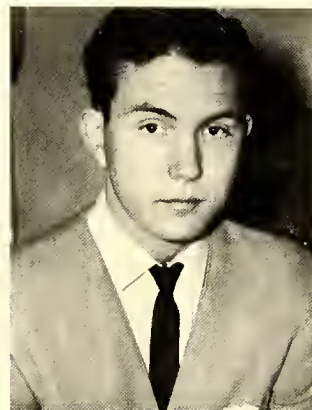


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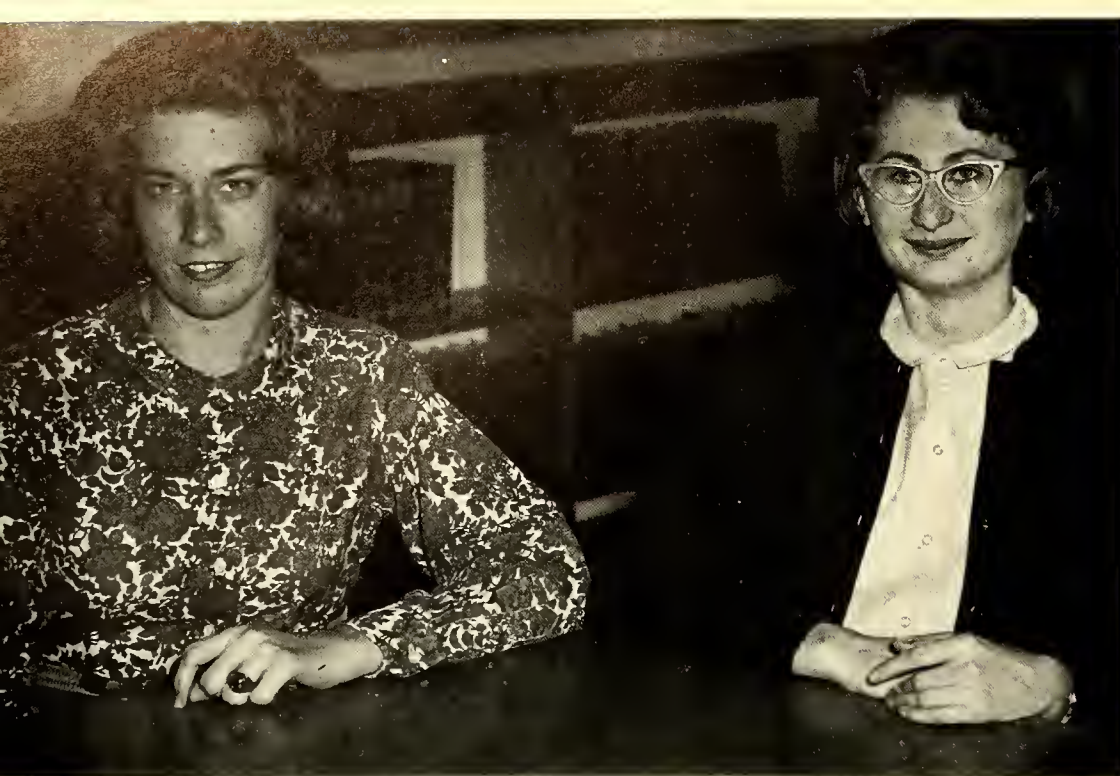
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Jim Perry, Art Work

Mr. Donald R. Baker, Technical Advisor, Layout, and Design





Co-editors Camille Crouse and Martha Ashcraft

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Crouse . . .

THE '64 ONTAROGA . . .

The 1964 ONTAROGA Staff has worked diligently for the past nine months with the aim to publish a yearbook which will include memories of friends, activities, and the knowledge acquired while at the "campus in the clouds."

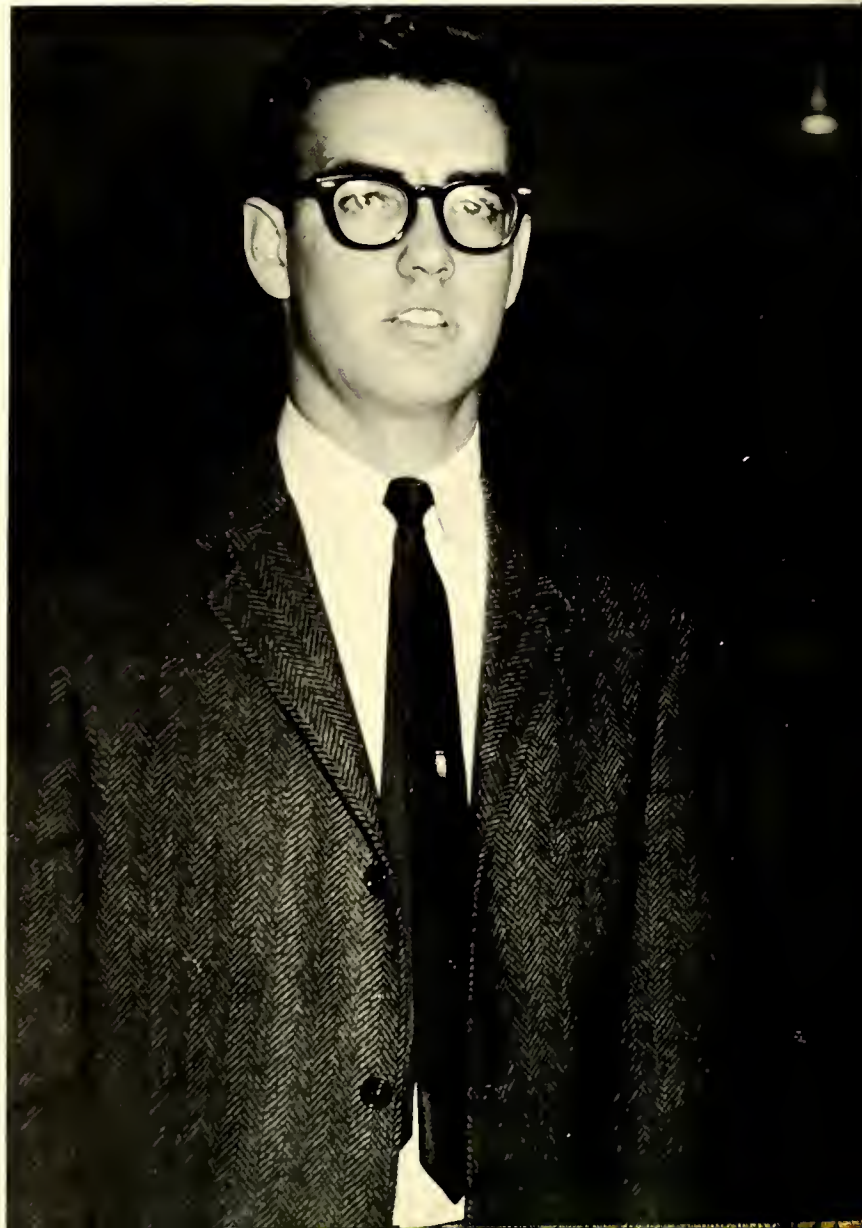
1964 will be a year long remembered by the students, and it is our hope that a record of these memories will be recorded in the 1964 ONTAROGA.

Mr. Donald R. Baker, Sponsor



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Brenda Poteet
Secretary, Sponsor and Staff



Bobbie Clatterbuck
Classes Editor



Diane Hair, Lane Hurley
Sports Co-editors

“EXCELLENCE IS THE FRUIT OF LABOR” IS THE MOTTO OF THE '64

Business Staff, John Kent, Duane Baker, John Martin, Darrell Baker.

Staff Members, SEATED, left to right: Jim Nelson, Andy Beatson. STANDING, left to right: Linda Green, Sylvia Smith.





Mahala Powell, Brenda Poteet
Faculty-Administration
Co-editors

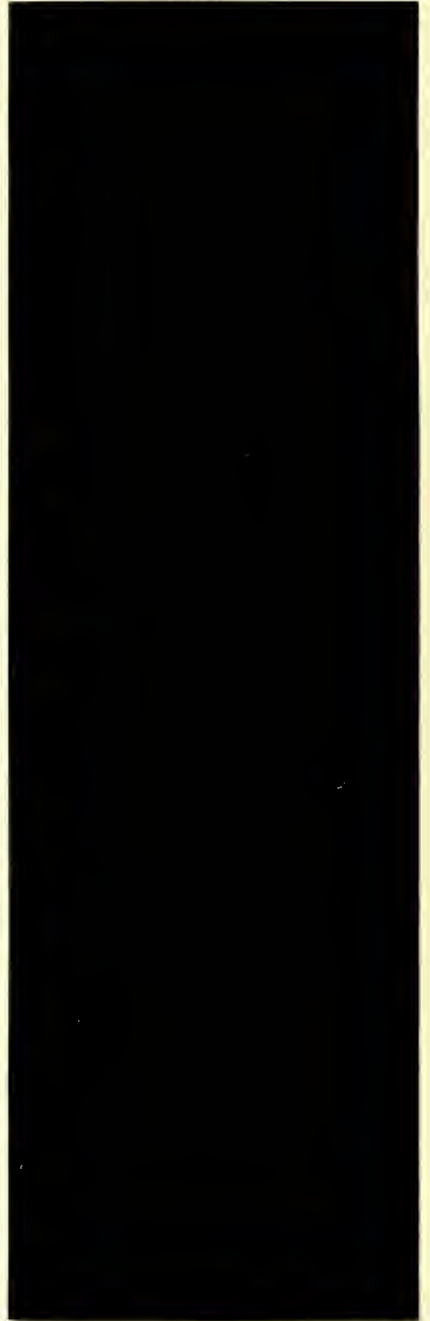


Rachel Toncray, Brenda Wilson
Activities Co-editors



Kay Chester, Betty Stephens
Features Co-editors







FEATURES . . .

With fall came the rise of a new Sophomore class and the initiation of a new Freshman class at Lees-McRae.

On the outside it was just another school year, but to the students it was full of special meaning. As we look back . . .

There were the "getting to know you" sock hops for the first few week-ends. Soon after the school year got under way, Lees-McRae held its annual Homecoming. This event was even more exciting with the defeat of the Davidson Frosh and the crowning of Miss Judy Smith as Homecoming Queen.

October 31 brought an evening of fun for all the "kids" when studies were forgotten and games, cake walks, and sponge throws were participated in by all at the Halloween Carnival.

As soon as we returned from the Thanksgiving Holidays, the Christmas spirit was in the air. Snow, snow, and more snow made the waiting even more tense. Many

couples danced in a "Winter Wonderland" at the Christmas Dance before going home for the holidays.

Returning in January, we were faced with exams. Hearts were soon enlivened again, though, by the music of the Divots to the theme of "Sois Mon Valentin." Charming Susan Pierce, as Queen of Hearts, and her court reigned over a very successful Valentine Dance.

Even more special about this year was the fact that it was a leap year--with Sadie Hawkins Day in all its gaiety--girls chasing boys, boys catching girls--a day full of excitement brought to a happy close--with an evening of fun, laughter, and dancing.

March winds and April showers brought May flowers--the May Dance and the lovely Kay Chester reigning as May Queen ushered in the climax to another successful year at the "campus in the clouds", a year filled with tears, laughter, joy, sadness, heart breaks, the making of new friends, the loss of old ones, and the promise of a bright future ahead.





Judy Smith

*Homecoming
Queen*

and her Court

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Donna Hill



Homecoming Court...



Jeannie Barker

Linda Simpson



Diane Hair

Nina Leonhardt





Queen of Hearts

HEARTS COURT



Susan Pierce



Eileen McGee

Linda Dowie



Connie Congdon





Jeanette Frye



Terrye Edwards

Joanne Little



Deanna Thompson





MAY QUEEN



Kay Chester



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Maid of Honor



MAY COURT

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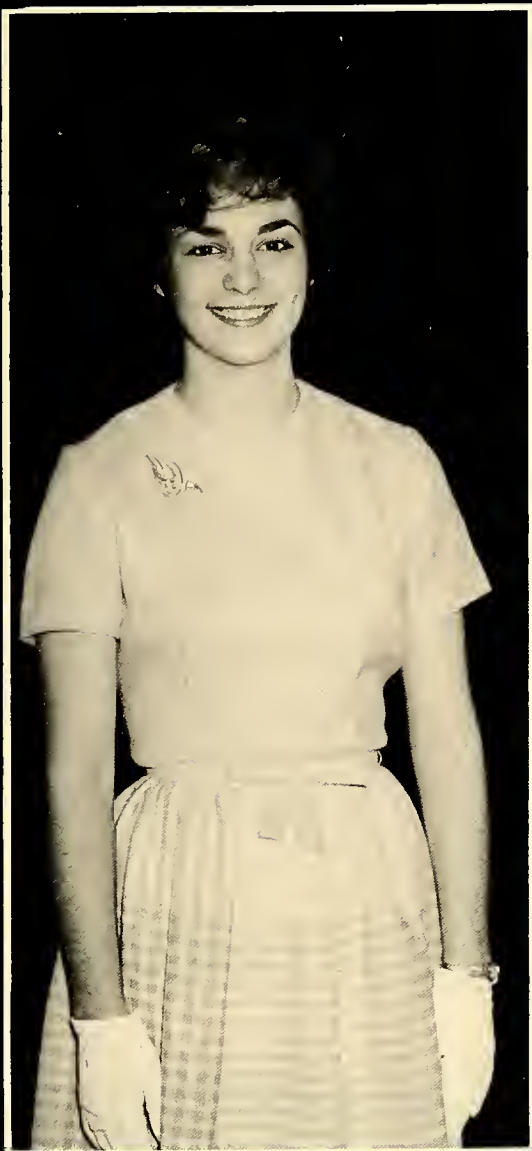


Linda Simpson

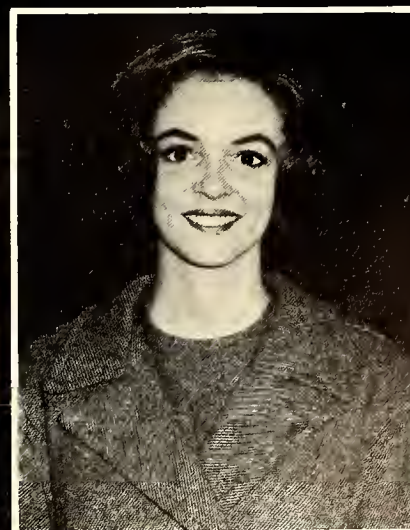


Sandy Williams





Holly Ward



Sharon Walters

GIRLS OF THE MONTH



The BOBCAT TALES staff selects a girl from the student body to be featured in the monthly issue of the BOBCAT TALES as its Miss Month. The staff tries to select girls who are outstanding and recognizes their leadership, personality, and last, but not least, beauty. The staff regrets that it is unable to choose only nine Girls of the Month. If it were possible, they would like to recognize all the female members of the student body--each one is outstanding and an asset to the college community.

John Martin Editor



Donna Hill

MISS DECEMBER



Carol Bowles



MISS JANUARY

Carol Wilkinson



Ricki McGlammery



Sandy Moore



MISS FEBRUARY
Mahala Powell



MISS MARCH
Janice Johnson



Mary Jane Wood



Mary Jane Miller

MISSES JUNE



Ernestine and Jeweldine Hensdale



Camille Crouse

MISS ONTAROGA





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Carol Wilkinson

SELECTED
FOR
WHO'S WHO
AT LMC





Camille Crouse



Duane Baker

... These sophomores of Lees-McRae College, chosen to represent WHO'S WHO, have maintained a "C" average and participated in two or more extracurricular activities. They were chosen by the faculty on the basis of leadership, scholarship, and citizenship.

Lane Hurley

Deanna Thompson

Mahala Powell



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

In recognition of the hard work done, the time spent, and the considerate advice given by the following people, we of the 1964 ONTAROGA staff want to express our sincere appreciation to them for helping to make this publication a reality.

First of all, to our sponsor, Mr. Donald R. Baker, who has contributed so much of his time and his talents in layout and design for the book and the cover and without whose guidance this book would not have been possible.



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hair

To our activities editors for untiring efforts and cooperation in taking and retaking pictures. To our class editor and her staff for many hours of work that they did on class photographs and snapshots. To the entire staff of the 1964 ONTAROGA who never lost interest in putting out the best yearbook Lees-McRae has ever had. To the Student Body and the Faculty for their co-operation and understanding. To Delmar Printing Company for making this book what we wanted it to be-

come.

To our photographer, Bill Owens, who deserves a special note of thanks for his continuously superb work with pictures. To the Business Staff, John Martin, Duane Baker, John Kent, and Darrell Baker, for an excellent job on the advertising section of the book. And finally, to everyone who helped in any way to make this book a successful one, we would like to express our sincere appreciation. Thank you.

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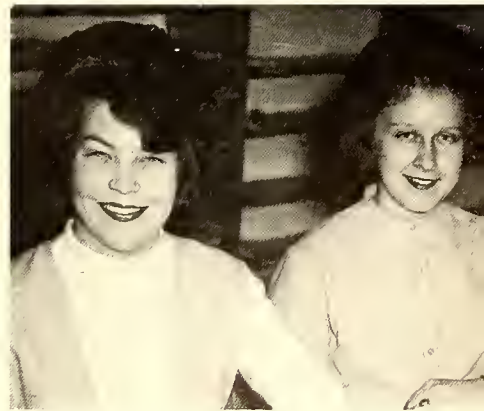
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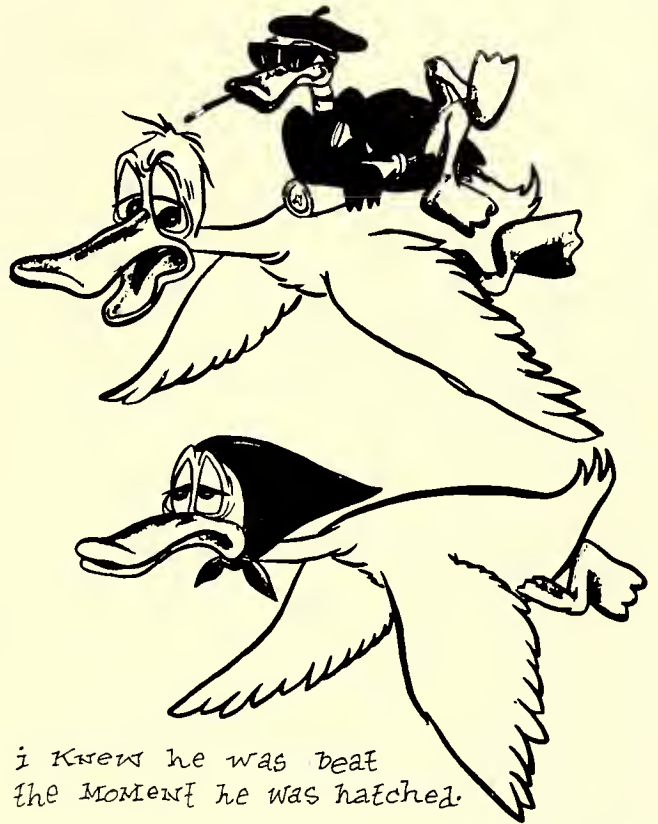
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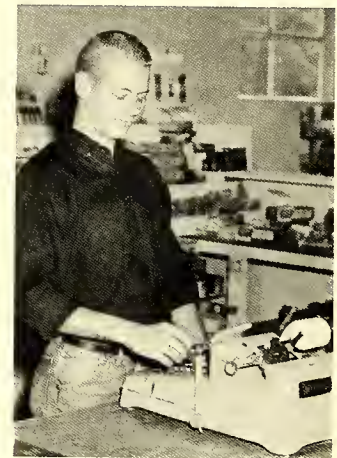
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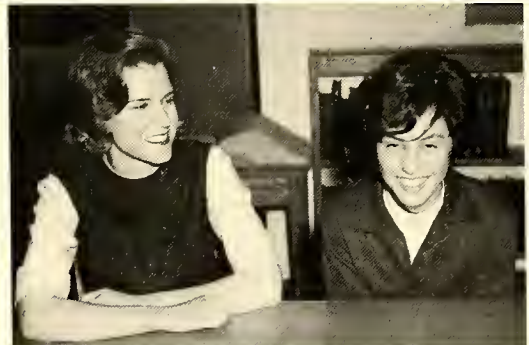
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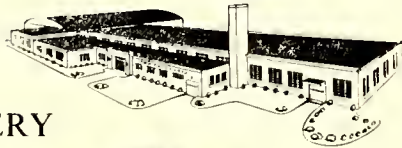
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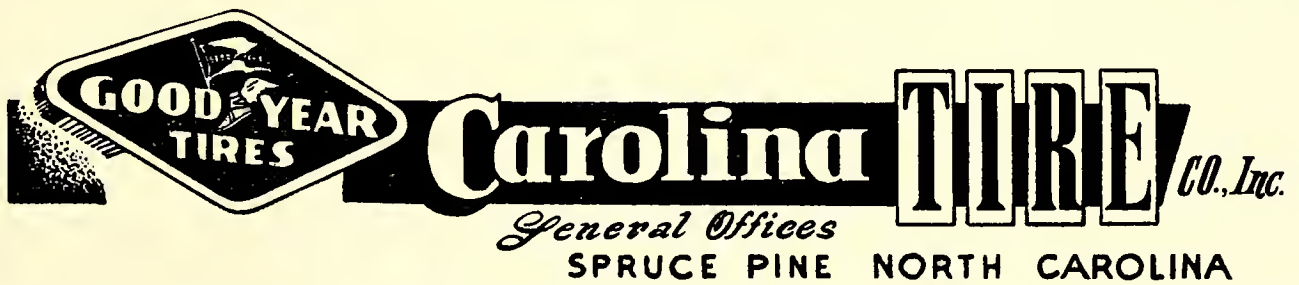
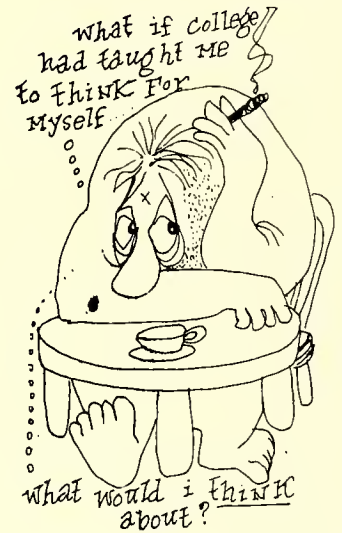


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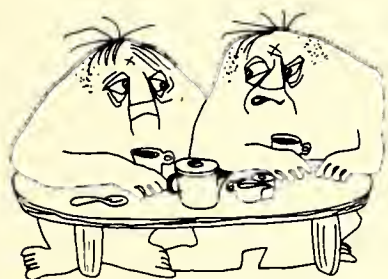
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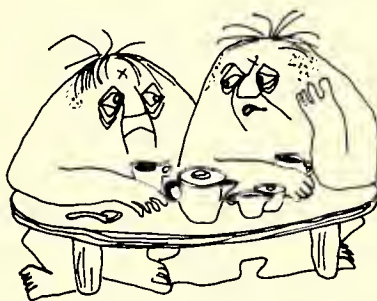
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