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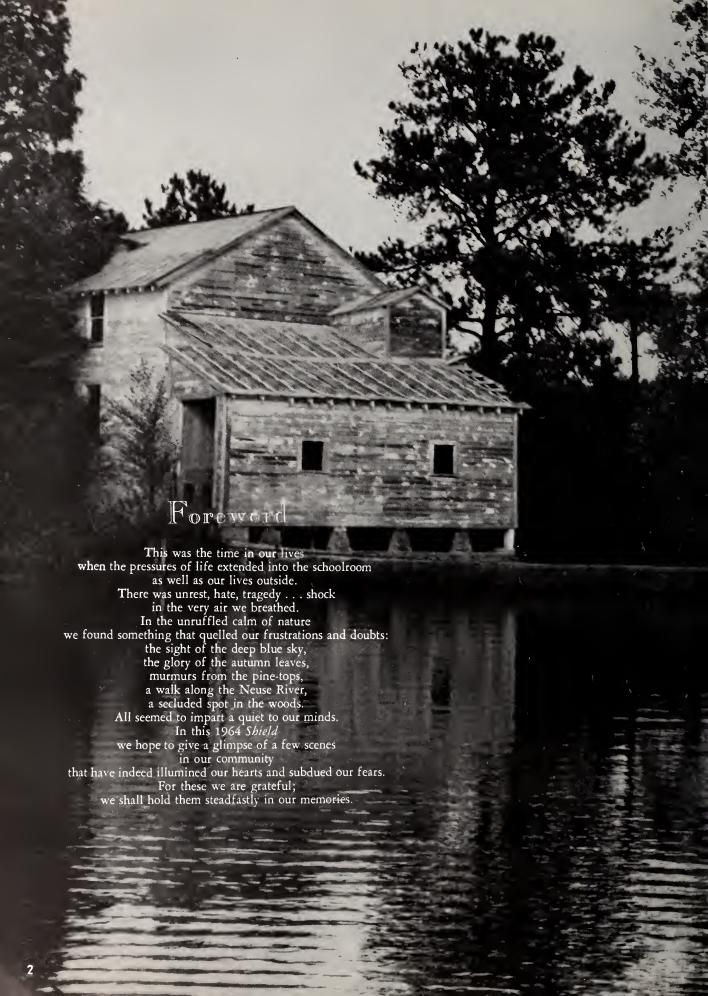
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Student

There is no life quite as colorful as that of a high school student. Follow him through these pages and you will find him unpredictable, versatile, lovable, and most certainly unforgettable.

Left: SHS students offer sacrifice to victory God.

Below: "To sleep: perchance to dream: aye, there's the rub."





All fun . . . no work

Below: "Beauty needs not the aid of ornament."





Cheerleaders' work is never done.

Life



Right: "Glad to meet you, Terry."



Below: One and-ah two and-ah . . .



Below: "How 'bout that kiss now, Sweety?"



Below: "Hey, Babe!! Wanna ride in my jeep?"



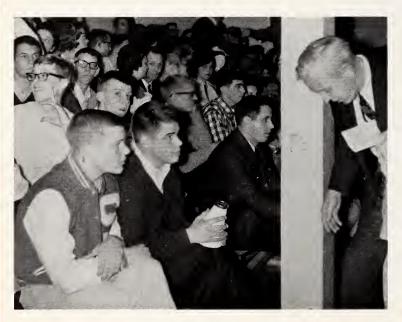
Below: "Here's a place where they have four girls to every boy."



Student



"Dreaming by the fire" . . . Junior Class officers Van Denning, Sandy Stallings, Charles Whitley, and Joyce Johnson.



It's a "Payne" . . . in my foot.



Above: My hair is right but how about my collar?

Below: Togetherness . . .



Left: They planned and directed our Homecoming Festival. Billy Gene Johnson, Leonard Stallings, Marilyn Moye, Judy Whitley, Brenda Middlebrook, and Sharon Eason.

Life



Below: . . . And we all turned out for the games.



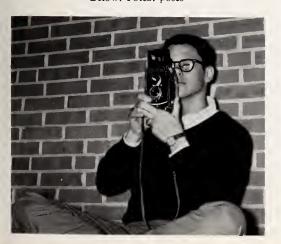
Above: Accepted at college.



Below: Poteat poses



Below: "And Caesar said, 'Hail Alfred E. Newman.' "





MR. A. G. GLENN, Principal

Mr. Glenn spends much time listening to students' problems. Here Connie Branch talks his over.

Administration

The Smithfield School system is made up of the high school, the central elementary school, and the South South Elementary School. There are 2000 students enrolled and a faculty of 80 teachers.

Our principal, Mr. A. G. Glenn, who is in his 31st year as head of our school, received the "Distinguished Citizen" award of the Chamber of Commerce this year. The award is made annually to a citizen on the basis of accomplishment and service to the community over a period of years. The students of S.H.S. were pleased that this honor came to their principal who has been a dedicated school administrator through the years . . . a wise counselor and friend to his students.



MRS. C. W. TARLTON, Secretary She keeps our records straight.



Often we came forth into the light of things and let Nature be our teacher . . .

Departments

Guidance Program

With an ultimate goal of student self-evaluation toward planning for the future the guidance program in S.H.S. is a valuable student service. Extensive vocational files and college information are available to the student to aid him in choosing a career and making his plans for that career.



"Where do I go from here," says Jimmy Putnam to Guidance Counselor, Mrs. Avery.



(Above) "Time of Decision" for Sidney Broadwell, Ray Rose, N. E. Mitchell, and Larry Wadsworth.



(Below) It's College Board time and Mrs. Avery tells senior girls all about it.





English

Whether preparing for college or a job after graduation, fundamentals of English usage, grammar, spelling, writing and vocabulary are important to students. Short themes, research papers, American literature, English literature are all a part of our English Course in S.H.S.



Above In Senior Literature class we had a corner reserved for Shakespeare, for 1964 was the 400th anniversary of his birth. Portions of *Hamlet, The Taming of the Shrew,* and *Henry V* were brought to our stage by Theatre-In-Education, Inc. "The play was the thing." Mary Mercer reviews her favorite lines from Hamlet.





MRS. A. G. GLENN A.B. Mary Hardin Baylor College English



MRS. E. V. WILKINS A.B. Woman's College University of North Carolina Speech, English



MRS. W. A. BURNETTE Appalachian State Teachers College Woman's College University of North Carolina Social Studies, English



MR. JACK TEMPLE University of North Carolina English



Social Studies

Social studies teaches about the world. Our Courses retrace the experience of mankind in its most important aspects. They go through the earliest civilization, the beginnings of modern civilization, political, social and industrial revolution to modern times.

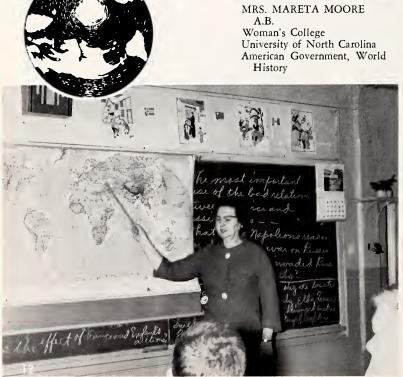


MRS. ALICE AVERY A.B. East Carolina College History, Guidance



Seniors are required to take U. S. History. It is a survey of our nation's history beginning with a review of Old World events and the American colonization. The study includes the social, economic, and political conditions of the United States throughout its history.







MRS. LEONA P. PARRISH A.B. Wake Forest College English, United States History

Left: A map aids students to think geographically about world problems in World History class.

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Mrs. Peele explains use of pronouns in French II class



Foreign Languages

Foreign languages promote understanding of other cultures as well as a means of communication with foreign neighbors. Our school offers two years of Latin and two of French. Students who wish may take both languages and many of the more ambitious do.



MR. S. C. WOODARD A.B. University of North Carolina Latin, English



MRS. LOIS PEELE A.B. Meredith College French



In Latin Mr. Woodard stresses Vocabulary as interested Freshmen pay strict attention.

Ralph Morgan pays "strict attention" to Mrs. Boyette's explanation in Advanced Math.

Mathematics

Smithfield High School students are introduced at an early age to the need for mathematical knowledge through allowances, part-time jobs, social security, and income tax, through jets, earth satellites and the prospects of interplanetary travel. The four years of math offered prepare the students for tackling the mathematical problems of everyday life and for entry into advanced mathematical study.



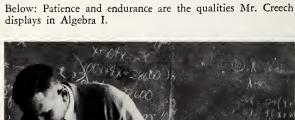
MRS. LEOLA LASSITER A.B. East Carolina College Algebra, Geometry



MR. EDWARD WILLIAM PIERCE A.B. East Carolina College Math, Civics

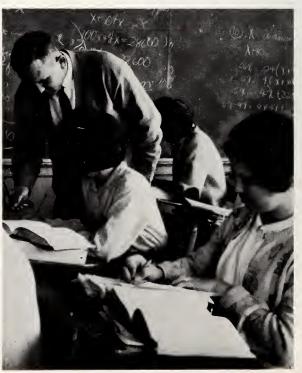


MRS. ANDREA BOYETTE A.B. Meredith College Advanced Math, Geometry





MR. J. L. CREECH, JR. Atlantic Christian College Algebra

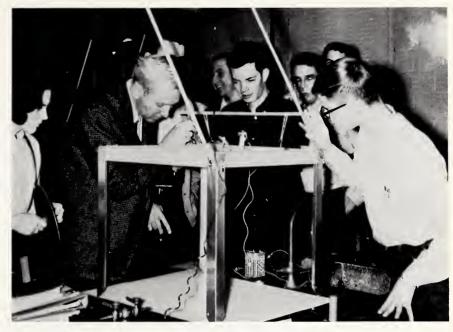


Science

In class and in the laboratory, we have opportunities to explore processes of plant and animal life, to understand our own life processes, to gain knowledge about earth and sky and atmosphere and the technical "know-how" of today's scientific world. Our seeking "Why?" is the beginning of understanding the atomic world which influences our complex lives of today.



MR. VIRGIL PAYNE Wake Forest, B.S. East Carolina, M.A. Physics, Chemistry



See the waves! Mr. Payne explains the behavior of light waves by using water waves in Physics class.



MR. T. RUDOLPH WIGGS A.B. Atlantic Christian College General Science, Bookkeeping



MRS. JOYCE BARBOUR A.B. Woman's College University of North Carolina Biology



Mr. Wiggs gives an open book test in General Science Class.





Music

Music fills the air on the second floor of the Elementary Building for Miss Canaday and Mr. Hulcher make piano the universal language. They stimulate the creative urge, and enrich the leisure hours of many students. It is thrilling to hear harmonious voices in concert when Miss Parker and Mr. Rogers direct our Glee Club of 150 voices. Music and song have always been dear to the hearts of Smithfield High School students.



Left: Miss Canaday plays a selection from Bach for Mr. Hulcher.



MISS FLORA CANADAY B.M. Peabody Conservatory Piano



MR. CHARLES HULCHER A.B., Music East Carolina College Piano



MISS FLORA PARKER B.M. Meredith College Glee Club

Industrial Arts and Mechanical

Use of hand tools power tools reading and following directions and planning and design are learned in Industrial Arts. In Mechanical Drawing skills and understanding are gained in specialized fields in engineering, architecture and industry which will contribute greatly to a correct choice and efficient performance in a career.



Earl Capps and J. L. Barbour work on a gun rack while Archie McFayden, Billy Hamilton, and Dickie Holt listen to Mr. Massey's explanation of the fundamentals of the electric drill.



MR. JOHN T. MASSEY B.S. East Carolina College Industrial Arts, Mechanical Drawing



MR. ROY J. BROWN, JR. Atlantic Christian College Physical Education, Geography



Health and Physical Education

The joy of participation in activities bringing development of physical fitness and a spirit of teamwork is afforded in Smithfield High School. For the boys there is touch football, basketball, softball and calisthenics. For the girls, volleyball, basketball, and calisthenics. A health course is taught along with these physical fitness activities.



Lou Powell leads the Air Corps Hop in Physical Education.



Techniques and skills for using the typewriter for personal and vocational purposes are developed in typing classes. Mrs. Jones kept us at it.

Typing

Experience in typing outlines, themes, research papers, and business letters is provided in typing class. Each student has at least one year of typing before he graduates. Bookkeeping and shorthand are also offered in our Commercial Department.



MRS. JEAN JONES B.S. East Carolina College Typing, Shorthand



Below: Janice Lee shows Mrs. Cash a table in her own bedroom that she refinished. This was her home project in Home Ec.

Home Economics



MRS. RAMONA CASH B.S. East Carolina College Home Economics



MRS. MIRIAM LAMM B.S. Flora Macdonald College World History, Earth Science, Home Ec.

Home projects, sewing, cooking, and a variety of things that make for better living come in our Home Economics courses. Serving meals for Civic Clubs is one of the services rendered by the Home Ec girls.





Library assistants (above) render daily service to the student body. Workshops on book processing, reference books, and routine duties have proved valuable to these workers this year.

Library

The library is an important aid to students. The freshmen have a very effective orientation program each year under the supervision of Mrs. Vinson, our librarian. 300 new books have been added to our library this year. The process of setting up an information file and setting up a permanent card file for periodicals are two library projects that are in the making at the present.



MRS. H. C. VINSON B.S. East Carolina College Librarian



MRS. EDNA EARLE
ADAMS
B.S.
Atlantic Christian College



Art

High School Art Class meets the fourth period each day. It is here that students develop basic skills in drawing and painting, color composition, design and sketching. Students, under the direction of Mrs. Adams, often display their paintings in attractive arrangements in school and for various special projects in town. Arranging bulletin boards and directing make-up for plays give art students an opportunity for another type of expression.

"Doing easily what others find difficult is talent." Buddy Hooks (seated) proves that this statement is true.





MRS. ANDREA BOYETTE

It is an honor to pay tribute to one who has become such a genuine part of Smithfield High School. Her interest in her students and her eagerness to help them have endeared her to all who have come under her influence. Because she means so much to so many in her instruction of math, we the students of S.H.S., dedicate the 1964 SHIELD to Mrs. Andrea Boyette.

Dedication

In Memoriam



John Fitzgerald Kennedy
May 29, 1917—November 22, 1963
Thirty-fifth President of the United States
... Along with the world we mourned ...
and lowered our school flag at half mast.

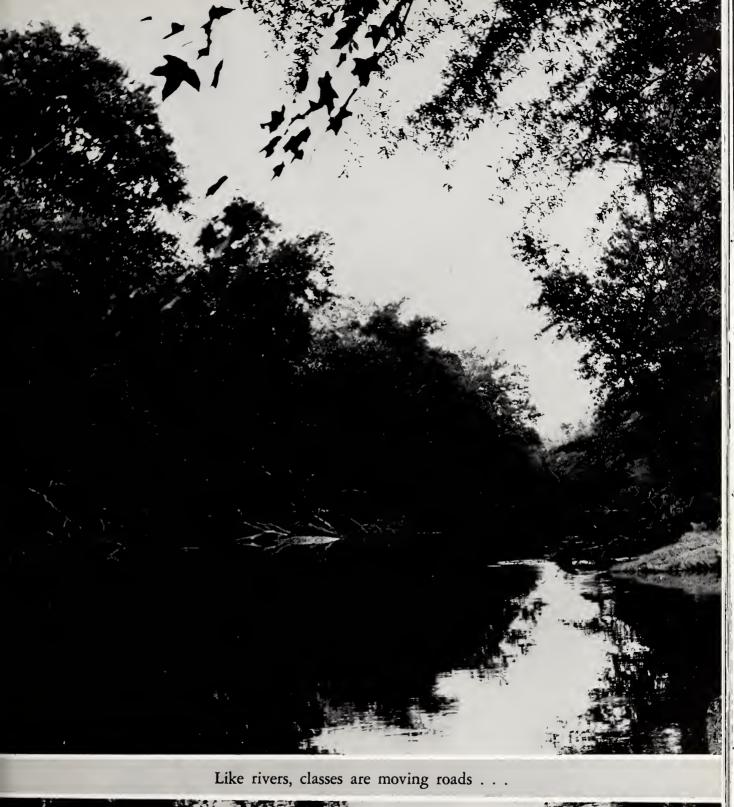


Senior Musicians

Left: Thad Hardee has obtained "superior" ratings in the National Guild of Piano Auditions; will enter spring of '64 N. C. Federation of Music Clubs Festival; vice-president Hunter Johnson Music Club '63-'64; Youth Choir First Baptist Church; accompanist, music club meetings; pianist (departmental) at Sunday School. Thad plans to major in music at college.

Below: Carolyn Lewis has been awarded "superior" ratings in the National Guild of Piano Auditions, and Federated Music Clubs Festivals; chosen in competitive try-outs; a member of the All-State High School Band for '62-'63; accompanist and soloist SHS Sr. Band; sponsored by the Smithfield Sr. Woman's Club as piano soloist for the '64 spring District Contest; President of the Hunter Johnson Music Club '63-'64; Youth Choir First Baptist Church; plays the organ; plans to continue music study in college.







Above: Pretty girls and a jeep! This was our advertising staff: Candy Jackson, Cora Bell, Lindsay Park, Geanie Upchurch, Mary Mercer, Kaye Ayscue, Ruth Ann Hamilton, Diana Gilchrist, Laura Lynn Laughter. In the jeep, Millard Stallings, advertising manager and Andrea Lee.



Below: Others worked too! Wayne Medlin typed; Joan Cooke, assistant editor, checked copy; Carolyn Lewis, business manager, kept the books; Woody Stephenson edited the sports; Bobby Poteat and Tony Stanley did the photography.



Shield Staff '64

It was a matter of putting our heads together and getting the job done. We did just this and now the fifteenth edition of the Shield is in your hands. The school bought a camera and Bobby Poteat learned how to manipulate it. By the trial and error method he learned to snap us as we really were. He called them candid shots. The girls on the advertising staff were business like and brought in creditable financial returns. Millard Stallings was their inspiration! Behind it all was Mrs. Glenn, our experienced sponsor, who kept us all in check and saw to it that we met the deadline, that fatal day, February 22.



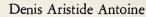
Above: Co-editors Evelyn Howell and Gary Stevens cut and measure pictures. It was all serious business to them.



Often we observed our county government and were taught that the best government is that which teaches us to govern ourselves . . .







Exchange student from Paris, France; French Club 4.

Emma Alice Avera

Fine Arts 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Assistant Secretary 4; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Ring Committee 4; Homcoming Court 4.

Kaye Welch Ayscue

Fine Arts Club 1, 2, 3, Vice-President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chairman Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4.

Connie Sue Baker

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Fine Arts Club 3; Explorers Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Cora Elizazbeth Bell

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Fine Arts Club 1, 2, 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Chairman Junior-Senior Tables Committee 3; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4.

Mark Jerome Blackman

Wildlife Club 1, 2, Secretary 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Connie Rudolph Branch

Miscellaneous Club 1; Industrial Arts Club 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; J.V. Football 1, 2, Varsity 3, Co-Captain 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Sidney Wayne Broadwell

Wildlife Club 1; Science Club 2, 4; Career Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Tables Committee 3.



1964 Seniors Settled Down

Or did they?

Eric Paul Brown

Wildlife Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Track 1, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, Vice-President 4; Varsity Football 3, 4; Chairman Mascot Committee 4.

Becky Jane Byrd

Library Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3, President 4; Library Assistant 3; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; Marshal 3; Assistant Editor "The Shield" 4.

Billy Edward (Eddie) Capps

Miscellaneous Club 1; Wildlife Club 2; Career Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; J.V. Football 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Baseball 3, 4; Invitation Committee 4.

Jimmy Ray Casey

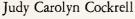
Wildlife Club 1, 2, 4; Career Club 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Stephen Nelson Clayton

Fuquay Springs High School 1; Wildlife Club 2, Vice-President 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Fred Larry Coats

Glee Club 1, 2; 4-H Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 4; Career Club 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4.



Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Phyllis Joan Cooke

Library Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3, Secretary 4; Library Assistant 3; "Inherit the Wind" Prompter 3; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; Marshal 3; Homecoming Theme Committee 4; Assistant Editor "The Shield" 4.





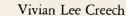


Book Report Day

Seniors discussed books and improved reading habits.







Library Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Fine Arts Club 3; Explorers Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee 3; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3.

Thomas Linwood Culbreth

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Ellen Elizabeth Daughtry

F.H.A. 1, Historian 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, President 4; Class Treasurer 3; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Mascot Committee 4; Bus Driver 4.

William Tommie (W.T.) Deese

Glee Club 1; Wildlife Club 1, 4; Industrial Arts Club 2; Career Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Sharon Lee Eason

Hobby Club 1, Secretary 2; Commercial Club 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Art 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Homecoming Decorating Committee 4; "We're All Guilty" Make-up Committee 4.

Carolyn Anne Edwards

Pine Level High School 1, 2; Basketball 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; Homecoming Queen 4.

Jerry Wayne Edwards

Wildlife Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Diana Mae Gilchrist

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2, Vice-President 3; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; F.T.A. President 4; Classs Secretary 4; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4; Homecoming Court 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Treasurer 4.



Seniors Fit Class Rings

"I did not know they made them quite so large," says petite Kaye Ayscue.

Thomas Wright Gray

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 4; Career Club 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Bus Driver 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Billy Ray Gurley

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee; Ring Committee 4.

Donald Ray Hall

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2.

Louise Henry Hall

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Lighting Committee 3.

Ruth Ann Hamilton

F.H.A. 1, Treasurer 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Journalism Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; Girls' State 3; Editor "High Times" 4; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4; Homecoming Court 4.

Leon Albert (Al) Hardee

Speech Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Ring Committee 4.



Thaddeus Earl Hardee

Wildlife Club, Secretary 1; Science Club 2; Magazine Sales 2nd Place Winner 2; Class Secretary 3; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" cast 3; French Club 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4.

William Edward (Billy) Harrell

Miscellaneous Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 4; Career Club 3; J.V. Football 1, 2; Varsity Track 1; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Homecoming Refreshment Committee 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.





In Speech Class

Seniors learn how to breathe as if they didn't already know.









Frances Louise Henry

Hobby Club 1; F.H.A. 2; Glee Club 3; Junior-Senior Tables Committee 3; Library Club 3, 4; Invitation Committee 4.

RoAnn Carlyle Hobgood

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Libarry Club 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Library Assistant 4; Invitation Committee 4.

William Robert Hooks

Science Club 1, 2; J.V. Football 1, Co-Captain 2; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Dance Committee 3; Fine Arts Club, Vice-President 3, 4; Invitation Committee 4.

Evelyn Gail Howell

Fine Arts Club 1, 2, 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Theme Committee 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Assistant Secretary 4; Homecoming Court 4; Co-Editor "The Shield" 4.

Raymond Franklin Howell

Micro High School 1, 2; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Wildlife Club 3, 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Barbara Jean Hudson

Science Club 1; Commercial Club 2, 3; Library Club, Reporter 4; Library Assistant 2, 3; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3.

Ann Candace Jackson

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2, 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4.

Billy Gene Johnson

Fine Arts Club 1, 4; F.T.A. 2; Journalism Club 3; Theatrical Make-up 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Art Committee 3; Marshal 3; "Inherit the Wind" Assistant Director Chairman Scenery 3; Art Editor "High Times" 4; Homecoming Chairman 4; Art 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Editor "The Shield" 4; Bus Driver 3, 4.



Library a Source of Help

Larry Sullivan (right) asks Mrs. Vinson: "Could you help me find material on *Paleontalogical Phenomena of the Mesozoic Era?*" She replies, "Huh?"

Gayle Noble Johnston

Fine Arts Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; Homecoming Court 4.

Hulen Mac Jones

Miscellaneous Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Track 1, 3, 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Ring Committee 4; Monogram Club 4.

Kay Worley Jones

Princeton 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 4.

Linda Sue Jones

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Ring Committee 4.

Pamela Lynn Jordan

Fine Arts Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Magazine Contest Winner 2; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; Marshal 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, Chief 4; Freshman Dance Committee, Chairman 4; Homecoming Court 4.

Cheryl Ann Kistler

Hobby Club President 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; Ring Committee 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Secretary 4.

Sylvia Grace Lassiter

4-H Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Journalism Club 3; French Club, Secretary 4; Ring Committee 4.

Laura Lynn Laughter

Fine Arts Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Vice President 4, Accompanist 1, 4; World Peace Oratorical Contest 3; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Journalism Club 3, Vice-President 4; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4; News Editor "High Times" 4.





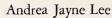


Past Is Prologue

Seniors absorbed in Mrs. Parrish's history class find the subject anything but dull.







Art 1; F.H.A. 1, 2; Magazine Sales 1st Place Winner 2; Glee Club 2, Publicity Chairman 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Journalism Club, Vice-President 3, President 4; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4; Homecoming Court 4; Class Treasurer 4.

Carolyn Louise Lewis

La Grange High School 1, Music Club 2; F.T.A., President 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Band, Librarian 2, 3, 4; Majorette 4; World Peace Oratorical Contest 3; Marshal 3; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; "We're All Guilty" Assistant Director 4; Dance Band 2, 3, 4; Business Manager "The Shield" 4.

Sharon Kaye Massey

Hobby Club 1; Library Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

James Wayne Medlin

Wildlife Club 1, 3; Industrial Arts Club 2; Track 3; French Club 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; Typing Editor "The Shield" 4.

Mary Smythe Mercer

F.H.A., Vice-President 1, President 2; Glee Club 1; Fine Arts Club 3, 4; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4.

Brenda Ann Middlebrook

Benjamin Franklin Junior High 1; Library Club 2; Commercial Club 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Fine Arts Club 4 Homecoming Decorating Committee 4; "We'r All Guilty" Make-up Committee 4.

Nathan Edgar (N.E.) Mitchell, Jr.

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Stage Crew 3; Homecoming Committee 4.

Charles Edward Moon

Miscellaneous Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 3; Monogram Club 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.



Responsible Seniors Transport Students

The lives of many students rest in the hands of Tuck Gray, Jimmy Putman, Billy Gene Johnson, Ellen Daughtry, Leonard Stallings, W. T. Deese and Pete Stallings.

Glenda Jean Morgan

Hobby Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Fine Arts Club 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Ralph Slyvester Morgan

Science Club 1, 2; J.V. Football 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 2; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; Career Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Explorers Club, President 4; Mascot Committee 4.

Marilyn Moye

F.H.A. 1, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Art 1, 2, 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Make-up and Stage Crew 3; Junior-Senior Chairman Art Committee 3; Homecoming Decorating Committee 4; Assistant Editor "The Shield" 4.

Linda Pearl Murphy

Library Club 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Invitation Committee 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ring Committee 4; Commercial Club 4.

Robert Wade Myrick

Science Club 1, 2; J.V. Basketball 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Monogram Club 3, President 4; Junior-Senior Program Committee; Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain 4.

Edith Lindsay Park

Fine Arts Club, Secretary 1, 2; Monogram Club, Honor Council 3, Secretary 4; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind' Cast 3; Basketball 2,3, 4; Advertising taff, "The Shield" 4; Homecoming Court ; Mascot Committee 4.













Linda Peedin

Meadow High School 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; Table and Centerpiece Committee 3; Library Club 4.

Linda Darnell Penny

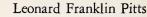
Library Club, Secretary 1; Journalism Club 3; Commercial Club 2, 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

It's Chapel Time!

Barry Stallings, better known as wrong way Corrigan, is given goal line directions by Evelyn Howell and Laura Lynn Laughter.







Science Club 1; J.V. Football 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Wildlife Club 2, 3; Track 1; J.V. Basketball 1, 2, Varsity 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Baseball 2, 3; Monogram Club 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; Transferred to Lincolnton High School 4.

Robert McNeill Poteat

Science Club 1, 2; J.V. Football 1; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Wildlife Club, President 3; Photographer "The Shield" 4; Fine Arts Club 4; "We're All Guilty" cast 4.

Willie Jerry Pounds

4-H Club 1; Journalism Club 2; Fine Arts Club 3; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; French Club 4; Ring Committee 4.

Shadrick Lassiter Pridgen

Science Club 1; Wildlife Club 2; Band Club 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Football 1, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; French Club 4.

Jimmy Ray Putnam

Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Bus Driver 3, 4.

Dan Austin Register

J.V. Football 1; Wildlife Club 1, 2, 3, Secretary 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3.

Carl Ray Rose

4-H Club 1; Wildlife Club 2; Math Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" cast 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Reporter 4; Mascot Committee 4; Explorers Club 4.

Callin Millard Stallings

Science Club 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Junior-Senior Program Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; World Peace Oratorical Contest 3; Advertising Manager "The Shield" 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4; Homecoming Committee 4; Class President 4.



Parades Were Fun

Preceding the Selma game, cars, jeeps, trucks, etc., streaming in red and white added color and interest throughout our town.

George Barry Stallings

Science Club 1, 2; Wildlife Club, Vice-President 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Band 1, 2, 3; J.V. Football 1, Co-Captain 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Ring Committee 4.

Harold Douglas (Pete) Stallings

Industrial Arts Club 1, 3, President 2, 4; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Bus Driver 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 4.

Leonard Earl Stallings

Miscellaneous Club 1; Industrial Arts Club, President 2; Wildlife Club 4, President 3; Art 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Decorating Committee 4.

James Larry Stanley

Wildlife Club 1, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 2; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Tony Ashley Stanley

Wildlife Club 1; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; Class Vice-President 3; Fine Arts Club 2, 3, President 4 "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Photographer "The Shield" 4; Class Vice-President 4.

Woody Ray Stephenson

Miscellaneous Club, Secretary 1; Wildlife Club, President 2 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Sports Editor "The Shield" 4; "We're All Guilty" Cast 4.

Gary Grimes Stevens

Wildlife Club 1, 3, Vice-President 2; "Inherit the Wind" cast 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Co-Editor "The Shield" 4.

Percy Glynwood Stewart

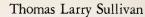
Wildlife Club 1, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 2; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4.

Seniors Took the Lead

But Juniors too were always there to lend a hand. Snap! Snip! And the tassels were ready for Friday's game!







Science Club 1; Wildlife Club 2; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; J.V. Football 1; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Mascot Committee 4

William Ralph Talton

Wildlife Club 2, 3, 4; President 1; Football 1; Junior-Senior Art Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 4.

Glenda Gail Thornton

Four Oaks High School 1, 2; Library Club 3; Junior-Senior Table Committee 3; Invitation Committee 4.

Charles Truett Underhill

Industrial Arts Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, Vice-President 4; Magazine Sales Winner 2; Miscellaneous Club, President 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Ring Committee 4

Eugenia Elizabeth Upchurch

Glee Club 1; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Fine Arts Club 1, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee 3; Advertising Staff "The Shield" 4; Homecoming Court 4.

Larry Clifton Wadsworth

Wildlife Club 1, 3; Track 1; Industrial Arts Club 2; Marshal 3; Math Club 4; Chairman Ring Committee 4.

Sandra Gail West

4-H Club, Secretary 1; Glee Club 1; Commercial Club 2, 4; Journalism Club 3; Mascot Committee 4.

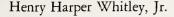
Judy Gail Whitley

F.H.A. 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Journalism Club 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Decorating Committee 3; Marshal 3; Fine Arts Club 4; Homecoming Decorating Committee 4.



Senior Girls Offer Felicitations

Geanie Upchurch and Lindsey Park take great pride in Homecoming Queen, Carolyn Edwards, and they tell her so.



Wildlife Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Chief Marshal 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Theme Committee 3; Class President 3; President Student Body 4; Track 4; Overall Chairman Homecoming 4.

William Grover Wiggs

Wildlife Club 1, Vice-President 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Junior-Senior Steering Committee 3; "Inherit the Wind" Cast 3; J.V. Football 1, 2; Varsity 3, 4; J.V. Basketball 1; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4.

Robert Wallace Williams, Jr.

Band 1, 2; Band Club 1; Wildlife Club 2, 3; Science Club, President 4; Freshman Dance Committee 4.





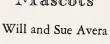
Above: In Andrea Lee's basement the senior class officers go domestic. Left: Andrea Lee, treasurer; Diana Gilchrist, secretary; Millard Stallings, class president; Whitty Whitley, student body president; Tony Stanley, class vice-president.

Left: Denis Antoine, our first exchange student in Smithfield High School, came to us in September from Paris, France. Denis was graduated from high school in Paris last year. In order to strengthen his learning in America, he enrolled in American History, American Government, English III, English IV, and Public Speaking. He has contributed much to our school life, and we are all richer by having him among us this year. We trust that he too his been enriched to some degree and that the bonds of friendship have been cemented in such a manner that he will return to us again before long.



Superlatives

Mascots



Best All-Around

Eric Brown and Lindsay Park





Most Accommodating Tony Stanley and Ellen Daughtry

Most Intellectual

Whitty Whitley and Joan Cooke





Most Athletic Connie Branch and Cheryl Kistler

Most Ambitious

Billy Gene Johnson and Ruth Ann Hamilton





Superlatives

Wittiest

Pete Stallings and Cora Bell

Best Looking
Bobby Hooks and Geanie Upchurch





Most Popular Bob Poteat and Gayle Johnston



At Church we found Christian fellowship and spiritual direction . . .

Juniors



Carolyn Adams Francis Adams Carolyn Allen Dan Allen Patsy Anderson

Sam Aycock Ken Ayscue Trudy Barbour Susan Barnes Phyllis Batten

Toni Black Ben Booker Rose Bryan Wilma Jean Byrd Harold Caldwell

Beth Capps Carolyn Sue Capps Larry Capps Calvin Clayton Danny Coates

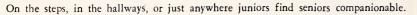


Donald Coates Helen Coats Judy Corbett



Jeanene Creech Nancy Creech

Juniors Socialize With Seniors





Steve Crumpler Edwin Daughtry Ronald Daughtry Robert Davis Sandford Davis

Janice DeBerry Van Denning Graylon Dixon Josephine Dixon Doug Driver, Jr.

Danny Edgerton Albert Edmonson Jimmy Edwards Jo Anne Ellis George Faulk

Billy Flowers Freddie Gardner Linda Gilmore Carter Glass John Gleason



W. A. Gower Joby Granthan Bobby Gurley



Joyce Hall Ralph Hall



History in the Making

Juniors take TV history notes fast and furious.

Charles Hamilton Wanda Harris Carolyn Hartley Dan Heavner Tommy Hildebrand

Leon Hill Vickie Hill Ray Hinnant Patricia Hobbs Buck Holland

Freeman Holley Melvin Holt Buddy Hooks Gayle Johnson Joyce Johnson

Patsy Johnson Susie Johnson Wayne Jones Bill Jordan Joe Jordan



Kelly Knott Rex Lamm Dennis Lasarsky



Wingate Lassiter Jim Laughter



Preparing for the Shot

Every strand of hair must be in place when the photographer calls for the junior girls.



Janet Lee Jean Lee Peggy Lee Sandra Lee Mary Lewis

Mike Lillich Larry McLamb Dianne Massengill Kay Massengill Sandra Massengill

Charles Massey Gary Mayenschein Brenda Medlin Charles Mercer Jeanne Moore

Jesse Moore R. L. Norris Becky Norton Paul Olive Phil Parker



Carlton Pernell Lois Peterson

Juniors Continually
Being Tested

This could be the PSAT, STEP, SCAT, or any number of tests to which juniors are subjected.





Sarah Ann Peterson John Prevette Wayne Price Marshall Putnam Anna Ratcliffe

Bobbie Ray Sally Register Jane Roberts Jimmy Robinson Darius Rose

Erma Royall Richard Schmidt Brenda Sellers Fommy Smith Abb Stallings

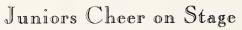
Nancy Stallings Sandy Stallings Donald Stearns Peggy Stephenson Sue Stephenson



Dennis Stewart Mike Strickland



Rudy Strickland Tamara Strickland



Yea, Team! Go! Mary Lillie Talton yells as Ginger Wellons waits her turn.



Yvonne Strickland Candace Sykes Jenny Talton Mary Lillie Talton Rose Thompson

Mickey Tyner David Upton Donald Vernon Kathy Wall Susan Wall

Johnny Ward Judy Ward Jimmy Watson Linda Watson Ginger Wellons

Ted Wells Barbara Whitley Charles Whitley Mike Whitley Pam Wilkins



Ann Williams Rudy Williams Nancy Williford

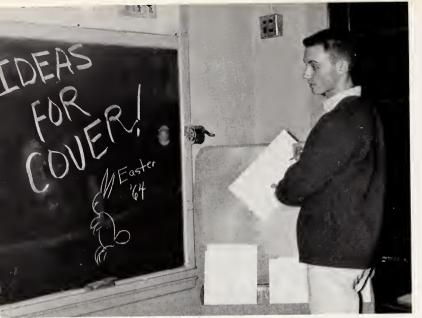


Edna Faye Wood Pat Young



TV World History Means Bulletin Boards

Becky Norton, Anna Ratcliffe, Mary Lillie Talton, and Jenny Talton use deft fingers and creative minds to arrange a bulletin board depicting the Crusades.



Above: Billy Gene Johnson, art editor, designs Easter cover.

MRS. JOHN T. MASSEY Clerk, Typist

High Times Staff

Students look forward to the *High Times* with a coverage of school news from editorials to cartoons. This year's staff has done an exceptionally good job and much thought and planning has gone into the production.





Above: Editor-in-Chief Ruth Ann Hamilton types last minute High Times News as Mrs. Burnette, faculty advisor, proofreads.



Left: Laura Lynn Laughter, news editor, and Wingate Lassiter, sports editor, study the News and Observer to get ideas as well as information.



By letters and tokens we kept in touch with far away friends and relatives . . .

Lindight



Faye Adams Carl Wade Adams Jimmy Adams Vick Adams Butch Allen Jerry Allen

Judy Allen Ricky Allen Linda Anderson Charlotte Armstrong Tom Avera Frances Aycock

Ricky Bagby Candy Baker Craig Barbour Dennis Barbour Robert Barbour Larry Barefoot

Billy Barnes Bob Batchelor Pam Batten Marvin Beland Gale Benson Francis Bingham

Mary Blandy Linda Boone Libby Boyette Jessie Braswell Mabel Broadhurst Lois Bryant



Donna Burgess Brenda Byrd Don Capps



Kay Carroll Charles Clifton

The Pause That Refreshes

Sophomores Cissie Hobgood and Emily Wharton get the "Ladies First" signal from Seniors Bobby Hooks and Eric Brown.



Larry Congleton Evelyn Creech Kenneth Creech Phil Cunningham John Dail Ginger Daughtry

Lola Daughtry Jean Davis Larry Denning Ricky Dupree Peggy Eason Charles Edwards

Vickie Ferrell Rebecca Freeman Ricky Freeman Sandra Grice Warren Grimes Phyllis Hall

Tommy Hamilton Nora Handy Jimmy Harrell Jim Henderson Kathy Hildebrand Cissie Hobgood

Faye Holland Jon Isley Anna Johnson Danny Johnson Fleming Johnson George Johnson



Jimmy Johnson Karen Johnson Larry Johnson



Marvin Johnson Monnie Johnson



Science Was the Thing

Mrs. Barbour began with the study of the lowly earthworm and evoluted to the complex study of man.

Pam Johnson Shirley Johnson Sue Johnson Jenny Johnston Bryan Jones Edna Jones

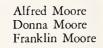
Janice Jones Judy Jones Linwood Jones Robert Jones Skip Jones Tommy Jones

John Kelly Terry Knott Carol Lancaster Joe Lasinger Linda Lassiter Bob Laughter

Debra Lawson Charles Lee Janice Lee Jim Lee Margaret Lee Mimi Lillich

Tucker Lyon Libby Mangum Clara Jean Massengill Peggy Massengill Mike Minshew Janet Montgomery







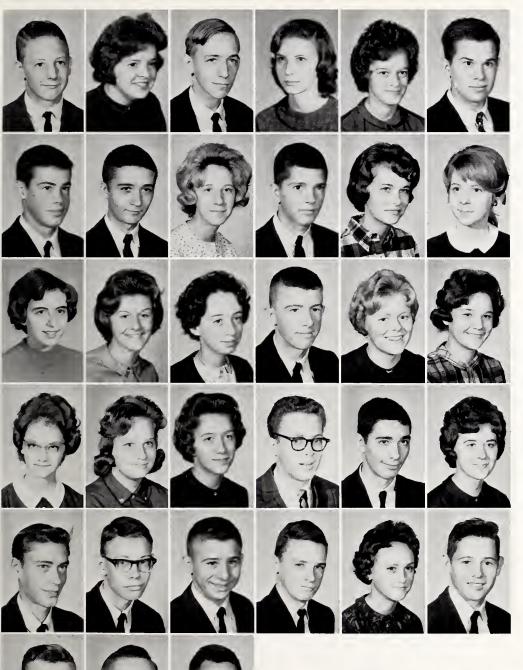
Berry Moye Elaine Murphy



Sophomores Get Business Training

Carroll Stephenson, Business Manager of magazine sales, checks the financial thermometer rise.





Jimmy Narron Clara Norris Billy Oliver Doris Olsen Elaine Page Jerry Parker

Bill Parrish Ben Peterson Jane Pitts Dick Prevette Laura Ray Cynthia Reynolds

Janet Richardson Delois Roberts Mary Sanders Mike Sellers Joan Shallcross Rose Sienkiewicz

Frieda Simmons Winnie Simmons June Smith Joby Stallings Carroll Stephenson Linda Stephenson

Ronnie Strickland Freddy Tarleton Earl Tucker Roney Underwood Barbara Vernon Linwood Wadsworth



Earl Ward Doug Warren Bucky Weishaar



Robert West Don Westbrook

Social Minded Sophomores

Here Linda Lassiter and Karen Johnson pretend to be studious.





Emily Wharton Ernest Whitley Hubert Whitley Patricia Whitley Vicki Whitley Ronnie Whittington

Mary Lou Wickham Jan Willams Carolyn Wood Kathann Woodall Becky Wright

They Overflowed the Treasury



Each year the sophomores sell magazines to aid in financing school projects. This year's class exceeded all previous classes in sales. Leading sophomore salesmen above: Joan Shallcross, third place; Libby Mangum, sixth; Terry Knott, second; Emily Wharton, fifth; Cissie Hobgood, first place; Jon Isley, fourth.



This was the place where we came and found books an endless source of pleasure and lasting enjoyment . . .





Gail Evans Gwyn Faircloth Charles Fore

Danny Alford Elaine Allen Sandra Allen Fleeter Austin Tom Aycock Nancy Bagby William Roy Bailey, Jr.

David Baker Diane Barbour Freda Barbour Jerry Barbour J. L. Barbour Leon Barbour Roy Barbour

Teresa Barbour Chip Barnes Brenda Batten Kathy Batten Robert Beland Mickey Black Lou Ellen Blackman

Justine Blow Pam Boob Buck Boone Jane Kate Brown Johnny Mack Brown Rodin Bryan Diane Byrd

Betty Jo Capps Earl Capps, Jr. Paulette Capps Buddy Capps Gail Casey Len Collier, Jr. Larry Coor

Larry Creech Randy Creech Carol Daughtry Danny Daughtry Tim Daughtry Debra Ellis LaRue Ellis



Freshmen Take High School Seriously

Young inquisitive minds find General Science intriguing.



Judy Godwin Stephen Gregory Billy Grice James Griffin Mike Grigg Dotty Grimes Billy Hamilton

Janet Hamilton Sylvia Hamilton Wayne Hamilton Susan Hardee Clyda Hill Donnie Hill Gill Hobgood

Kenneth Hobgood Dicky Holt Jane Holt Billy Howell Patricia Hudson Kaye Jernigan Gail Johnson

Nancy Johnson Stacey Johnson Vicki Johnson Katherine Jolliff Ann Jones Curtis Jones Dorette Jones

Kenneth Jones Linda Jones Linda Jones Monnie Sue Jones Beatrice Knight Kathryn Lambert Jack Lancaster

Carolyn Lassiter Bobby Lee Steven Lee Charles Leonard Gloria Little Glenn Lucas Margaret Massengill









Steve McLeod Ann Miller

It's Latin for Freshmen

It's not the place to study that matters in Latin; it's just that you do it that counts. Chip Barnes, Bob Spence, Tim Daughtry, Carol Parrish, and Ginger Osborne took advantage of the stairway.



Eddie Sutton Brent Tyner Bobby Underwood

Kathy Underwood Evelyn Walker

Freshmen Have Frustrations

"Will we make it to class on time?" says Kay Sugg as Justine Blow and Mickey Black scramble at the lockers.



Betty Jean Mills Don Morford Joe Morgan Margaret Moss Marvin Moye Larry Murphy Dennis Norris

Hunter Olive Ginger Osborne Carlton Overby Carol Parrish Linda Parrish Al Peedin, Jr. Patricia Peedin

Thomas Penny Britt Pope Barbara Poteat Judy Pounds Lou Powell David Prevette Timothy Queen

Arnold Rhodes Bill Roberts Sally Rogers LaRue Sanders Wendy Sanders Chuck Schofield David Simmons

Larry Ray Snipes Linda Snipes Bob Spence, Jr. Emma Jean Stallings Brenda Stancil Jean Stanley Pam Stanley

Dora Vick Stephenson Kenneth Stephenson Steve Stephenson Sue Stephenson Mark Strickland Kay Sugg Glenda Sullivan Ronnie Wallace Allen Wellons Jan Wellons David Whitehurst Sylvia Whitley Donna Williams Keith Williams

Harvie Jean Williford Barbara Wood Bettie Sue Wood Glenn Worrells Heath Yarborough Mary Louise Yarborough Clark Young

Phillip Ziady



Blessings on Thee, Little Men

Freshmen Billy Grice and Earl Capps, "green in judgment," seek "mature" advice from Seniors Jerry Pounds and Millard Stallings.





Worthy of High Praise





Left: Senior Lindsay Park, winner of the Betty Crocker Homemaker award, tries her hand with a new Crocker recipe.



Right: Jenny Talton, member of the junior class, has been nominated as candidate to represent North Carolina as National Vice-President of Projects at the F.H.A. National Convention in Chicago in July, 1964. Jenny (left) and her adviser, Mrs. Ramona Cash, make plans for the take-off.







The Energetic too found repose and serenity . . .



Millard Stallings (right) master of ceremonies and his date, Lindsay Park, go into the Broadway swing.



Junior 19

"New York at



Juniors present Rockettes in true Radio City form.

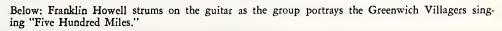


And the band played on as the senior superlatives led the grand march.

Senior

63

Night"









Modern dance it was! Andrea Lee and Billy Gene Johnson "Almost Gone."

Juniors and Seniors Make Their Exits and Entrances in "We're All Guilty"

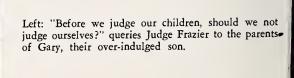




Above: "I won't be quiet!" shouts Johnny. "Somebody ought to give him the same thing he gave her . . ."

Right: "I'm sorry I lost my temper, Your Honor," apologizes Johnny, as his proud mother and sister look on. The essence of this timely play dealt with contributory guilt to our vexing problem "juvenile delinquency." Some parents abdicate their parental responsibilities by allowing their children to run wild without direction. Some are more concerned with giving material things rather than love and affection. Some stifle their children through denial of basic freedoms while others have too much freedom. All of these examples are brought out in the play emphasizing the fact that juvenile delinquency begins in the home, but in the true light of the problem *We're All Guilty*.







Above: The floor was crowded but we kept in step.

Below: The Cha Cha! Chip Barnes and Kay Suggs act like old hands at the game.

Left: In pantomime Andrea Lee portrays an overthrilled Freshman girl at the dance.

Freshman Dance Was a "Ball"

Welcome, Freshmen! And so the seniors did at the annual Freshman dance in the school gymnasium. With genial spirits and open arms, the seniors of the class of '64 received the 160 Freshmen into the folds of Smithfield High School in a fitting manner. When the night ended the sophisticated seniors declared: "Those little naive freshmen were cute as a button."

Below: Pete Stallings and Larry Sullivan in an original skit portraying Principal Glenn interviewing a Freshman's father.



Below: "Have you got a date?" says Robert Beland to Jan Wellons.





Homecoming Autumn

We got into the mood of Homecoming with Chapel on Wednesday . . . cheers . . . skits . . . and presentation of the court. On Thursday evening at the Recreation Park we continued our display of gleeful spirits around a blazing bonfire. On Friday our colorful parade through town and on to Selma climaxed pre-game activities. As for the game . . . well . . . we philosophically summed it up by saying: "It's not that you won or lost—but how you played the Game."

On the field before the Selma game Carolyn Edwards, homecoming queen, escorted by Co-Captain Connie Branch, is crowned by Coach Roy Brown.

Our Homecoming Dance began with the presentation of the queen and her court.



"The Magnificent Seven" from the senior class were "extra special" in their original novelty numbers.

Our Homecoming Court

Connie Branch—Carolyn Edwards
Eric Brown—Emma Alice Avera
Eddie Capps—Diana Gilchrist
Ralph Morgan—Geanie Upchurch
Robert Myrick—Gayle Johnston
Franklin Pitts—Lindsay Park
Shady Pridgen—Andrea Lee
Barry Stallings—Pam Jordan
Larry Sullivan—Evelyn Howell
Grover Wiggs—Ruth Ann Hamilton



1964

Festival

Whitty Whitley, president of the student body, welcomed the 400 students and alumni to the Homecoming Program Dance in the gym. The program with Millard Stallings as Master of Ceremonies went well. Lively skits, specialty song numbers, and original acts made up the main features. The introduction of the queen and her court ended the program and then we danced and danced . . . and danced.





The "Harvest Festival" was our theme. The autumn moon shone down on us all . . . but here Karen Johnson and Millard Stallings are in its glow.



Billy Gene Johnson designed the gilded cornucopia spilling out our football team. Anna Ratcliffe (right) seems to have found George Faulk (left) among the players. Charles Whitley and Becky Norton found amusement for the moment.





We Are the Music Makers



MR. LEE ROGERS A.B., M.A. East Carolina College Band, Glee Club

Deep-throated drums thump—horns pipe and squeak and sputter—can this be music? Yes—music in the making. Hours of practice and drill result in sparkling performances on the field, in the parade, and on the stage.

Gone are the pipes and squeaks and sputters and in their stead is stirring band music that quickens the pulses—the music of a band that has grown from a small group to its present size of 40 enthusiastic members.

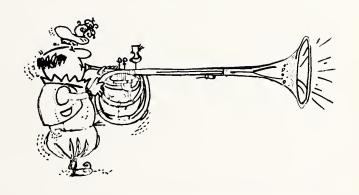


Routine fourth period practice.

Below: Dan Allen, alto saxophone; Jimmy Robinson and Robert Davis, clarinets; Tim Daughtry, French horn; and Sam Aycock, bassoon, were named to the District All-State Senior High School Band.



Right: Band officers: Bobby Ray, drum major; Sam Aycock, publicity chairman; Dan Allen, president; Carolyn Lewis, librarian; Laura Ray, secretary and treasurer; Becky Wright, librarian.









Clubs Provide Varied Interests



Above: Donald Capps gives a demonstration on ammunition showing all types of bullets and the power of each in Industrial Arts Club. This club has a membership of 20 interested boys.

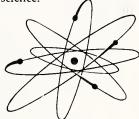


Left: Steve Clayton explains the operation of a Citizens Band Radio in Fine Arts Club. On this occasion the 25 members heard him talk to CB'ers in nearby towns. Steve finds this a fascinating hobby which could lead to a future vocation.



Science

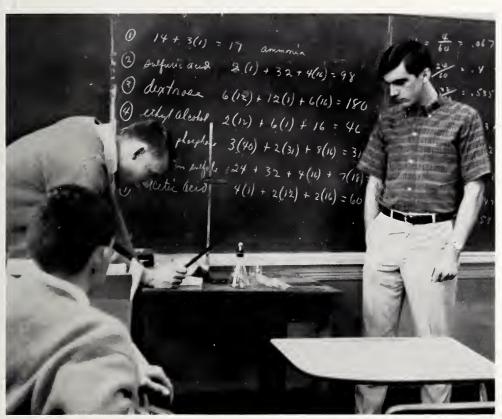
The Science Club furnishes additional science study and projects for those students who have special talent in science.



Monogram

Club

The Monogram Club of 44 members is an organization made up of all those students who have won a letter in some extracurricular sport. The club sponsors Athletics Awards Day and the annual Twerp week ending in a dance at the Legion Hut.



Above: Whitty Whitley and Robby Williams conduct an experiment in Mr. Payne's Science Club.

Below: Monogram Club officers, Robert Myrick, president, Lindsay Park, secretary, and Eric Brown, vice-president, check over some basketball statistics.



Future Teachers

Future teachers look toward a satisfying profession where the field is broad and modern trends in education makes teacher training exciting and stimulating.



Future

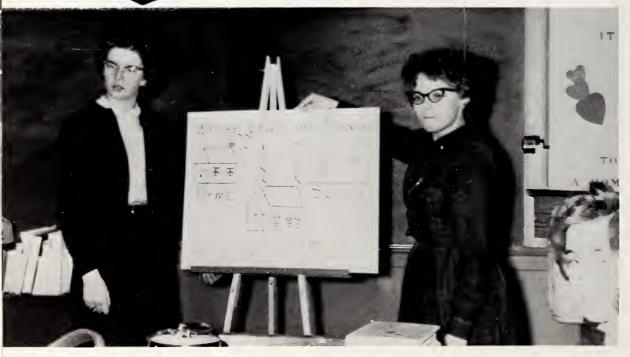
Homemakers

Through club and home projects, FHA members seek to promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfaction of homemaking and to foster the development of creative leadership in home and community life.





FTA officers: Mrs. Andrea Boyette, sponsor; Judy Ward, secretary; Diana Gilchrist, president; and Sandra Grice, vice-president.



Ellen Daughtry and Marilyn Moye give FHA program showing the influence of the home, church, and school on the student's moral values.



Athletics

Cheerleaders



PAM JORDAN Head Cheerleader

Below: Team! Team! Team!

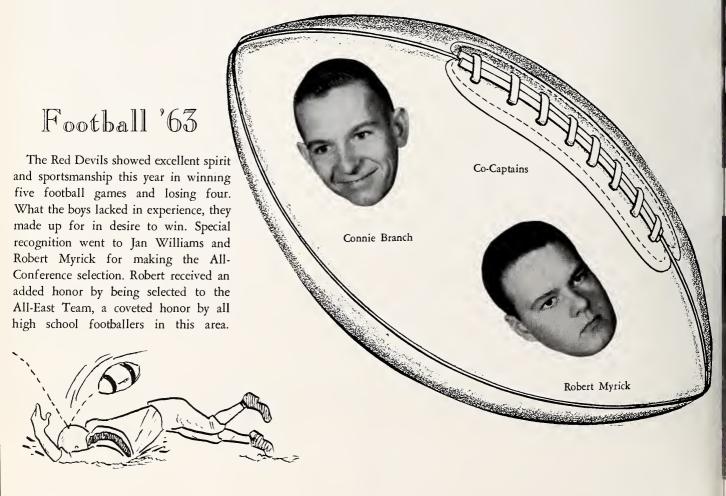
No group is more active in our school than the cheerleaders. They sell football tickets, arrange bulletin boards, wrap goal posts before each home game, travel miles and miles, encourage a fine spirit of sportsmanship in the school and in the process of all this, they often lose their voices, much sleep . . . but never their enthusiasm. To these unsung heroines we give praise!







FRONT ROW: Grover Wiggs, Larry Sullivan, Barry Stallings, Eddie Capps, Shady Pridgen, Franklin Pitts, Eric Brown. SECOND ROW: Connie Branch, Robert Myrick, Ralph Morgan, Tommy Hildebrand, Michael Whitley, Rudy Strickland, Edwin Daughtry. THIRD ROW: George Faulk, Charles Whitley, Johnny Ward, Charles Mercer, Gary Mayenschein, Donald Vernon. FOURTH ROW: Dan Allen, Robert Davis, Alfred Moore, Jan Williams, John Gleason, Ralph Hall, Bill Jordan, Coach Brown.



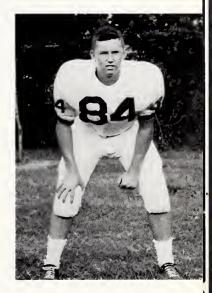
Senior Players



Connie Branch—Halfback



Eric Brown—Halfback



Eddie Capps-End



Ralph Morgan—Guard



Robert Myrick-Center



Shady Pridgen-End



Barry Stallings-End



Larry Sullivan-Guard



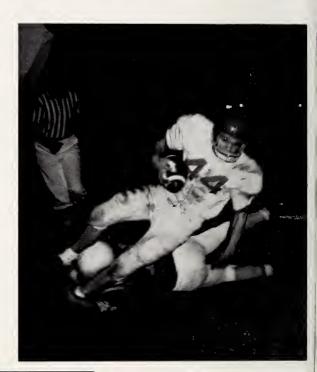
Grover Wiggs-End



Smithfield's hard-running fullback, Rudy Strickland, drives for a first down against Fuquay!

Eric Brown (27) is about to snag a pass for long yardage against Wake Forest.





"Well, don't just stand there, Grover!" says Shorty. Meanwhile Charles Whitley is being snowed-under by Garner tacklers.



What's this? Charles Whitley playing leap frog with Fuquay?

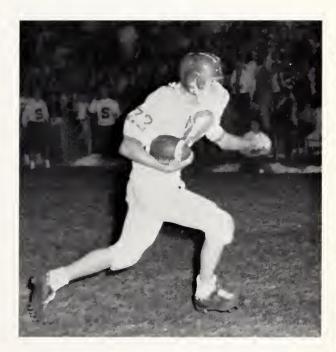




Charles Whitley (44) and Rudy Strickland (33) team up to gain needed yardage on an end sweep against Fuquay.



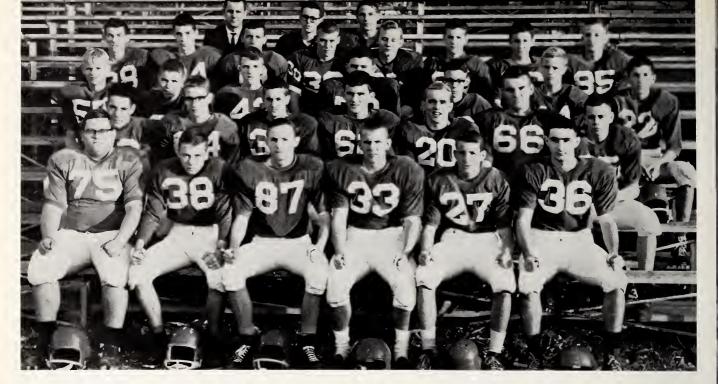
It looks as if Charles Whitley (44) just couldn't get loose this time as he is surrounded by Fuquay tacklers.



Connie Branch seems all alone as he goes on another one of his long runs.



"Practice makes perfect, Boys," is what Coach Brown always says.



FRONT ROW: Bob Batchelor, Steve McCleod, Doug Warren, Kay Caroll, Carlton Overby, Butch Allen. SECOND ROW: Arnold Rhodes, Billy Barnes, Jimmy Henderson, Skip Jones, Ernest Whitley, Marvin Johnson, Don Capps. THIRD ROW: Mark Moye, J. L. Barbour, Ricky Bagby, Jimmy Johnson, Freddie Tarlton, Warren Grimes, Doug Warren. FOURTH ROW: Buddy Capps, Carroll Stephenson, Robert Jones, Larry Denning, Richard Schmidt, Joe Morgan, Steve Stephenson, David Whitehurst. FIFTH ROW: Coach Temple, Joby Stallings, Manager, Allan Wellons.



J. V. Football



Carlton Overby (27) follows the blocking of Carroll Stephenson (84) in an afternoon J.V. game.





FRONT ROW: Grover Wiggs, Eric Brown, Robert Myrick, (Tri-captains). SECOND ROW: Sam Aycock, Robert Aycock, Robert Jones, Joe Jordan. THIRD ROW: Jimmy Robinson, Van Denning, Joe Lansinger, Coach Temple, Jan Williams, Wingate Lassiter, and Skip Jones.

Boys' Basketball

"Sophomore Joe Lansinger, who scorched the nets with 37 points, sank a field goal with five seconds to play in an overtime period Tuesday night to give the Smithfield boys a 70-68 win over Selma's quint after the Red Devils had erased a 15 point deficit during a three-minute period midway the fourth quarter." Such a headline as this in the Smithfield Herald describes our past season's basketball team. They played excellent team ball and gave the best they had in every game. Losing only three players by graduation, the future looks bright for next year's team.

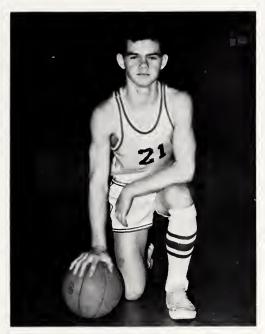


Above: This easy two pointer is the result of a perfect pass.

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Grover Wiggs, Forward

Senior Players



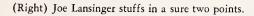
Eric Brown, Guard



Robert Myrick, Forward



(Above) "Catch me quick; I'm falling!"







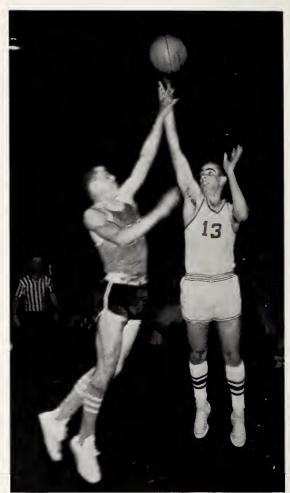
Above: A familiar sight during time-outs is the cluster of Devil players around Coach Temple.



Above: Jan Williams has his eye on the basket against Apex.



Below: Wingate Lassiter shoots over a Garner defender for a score, we hope!





Above: Eric Brown shows ballet-like form in scoring on this lay-up.

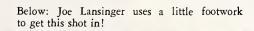
Boys' Basketball



Who can Sam be waving good-bye to?



Eric Brown and Jan Williams seem "all wrapped up" in their work.







Can Van Denning be holding hands with a Fuquay player?



FIRST ROW: Coach Payne; Lindsay Park, Tri-Captain; Carolyn Edwards, Tri-Captain; and Cheryl Kistler, Tri-Captain. SECOND ROW: Dianne Massengill, Linda Watson, Susan Barnes, and Helen Coats. THIRD ROW: Anna Ratcliff, Becky Norton, Laura Ray, and Rose Thompson.

Cheryl Kistler dribbles downcourt after stealing the ball from Selma.

Girls' Basketball

Girls can play ball and did! This year's Red Devil sextet had a winning season because of excellent ball control and a strong desire to win. They twice defeated their arch rival Selma; once, in a game with three sensational overtimes. With an eye to the future, it might be noted that this year's team included only three seniors and promises are that a good season for the varsity girls awaits us next year.







Cheryl Kistler, Rover



Carolyn Edwards, Forward



Lindsay Park, Guard



What do you see up there, Helen?

Senior Players



Lindsay Park and Anna Ratcliff team up to bring down another rebound against Selma.

Girls' Basketball

The taste of victory is sweet, right, Coach Payne?





Dianne Massengill drives in for a lay-up against Wake Forest.



Out of this "mass conglomeration" slips Cheryl Kistler . . . with the ball!



FIRST ROW: Carlton Overby, Doug Driver, Tom Aycock, Mike Strickland. SECOND ROW: Charlie Mercer, Doug Warren, David Whitehurst, Ben Booker and Mike Minshew, manager.

J. V. Basketball

This year's Junior Varsity basketball team has been very successful. With a sharp eye for the basket and good team spirit they racked up an impressive record of 10 wins and 1 loss. Under Coach Roy Brown, the Little Red Devils have developed some fine prospects for next year's varsity team.

Right: "Don't worry, Jan, Varsity's Joe Lansinger doesn't need any help."





FRONT ROW: Billy Flowers, Landis Whitley, Jerry Edwards, Eddie Capps, Earl Ward, Charles Edwards, Bill Jordan. SECOND ROW: Shorty Vernon, Bobby Penny, Durward Stephenson, Alfred Moore, Gary Mayenschien, Robert Myrick, Robert Jones, Coach Temple.



Baseball 1963

This year's edition of the Red Devil team was an inexperienced one which suffered a record of 2 wins and 8 losses. Many of these games were lost by close margins. With the experience these boys gained, the future should be brighter for the upcoming baseball season.

(Above) Robert Myrick tries for a double play in the Selma Game.

This may not be a home run but this hit will take Shorty Vernon to first safely.



(Bolow) In a conference track meet held at State College, Jay Wellons strains hard to capture third place in the 100 yard dash.





(Above) Robert Rabil clears the bar in a track meet against Fuquay.

Track '63

Although the '63 track team was large and inexperienced, their record was remarkable. The Cindermen in regular conference competition took 30 first places and scored a total of 317 points. The team under the leadership of Coach Roy Brown won three meets, came in second in tri-meet, and only last one meet. These statistics reveal that each individual practiced hard in order to keep up the school's tradition of a winning team.

FIRST ROW: Mac Jones, Ricky Dupree, Van Denning, Jay Wellons, Eric Brown, Kay Carroll, Billy Barnes. SECOND ROW: Barry Stallings Millard Stallings, Ralph Hall, Mike Whittley, Charles Moon, Huston Armstrong, Joe Lansinger. THIRD ROW: Jimmy Watson, Linwood Wadsworth, Joby Stallings, John Dail, Charles Hamilton, William Ragsdale, Wayne Medlin. FOURTH ROW: Carroll Stephenson, Doug Warren.



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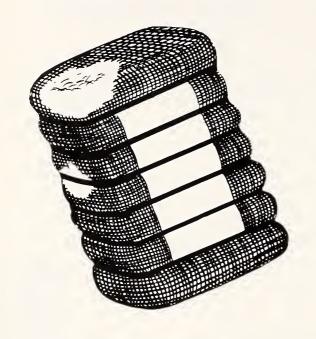
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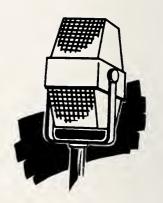
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