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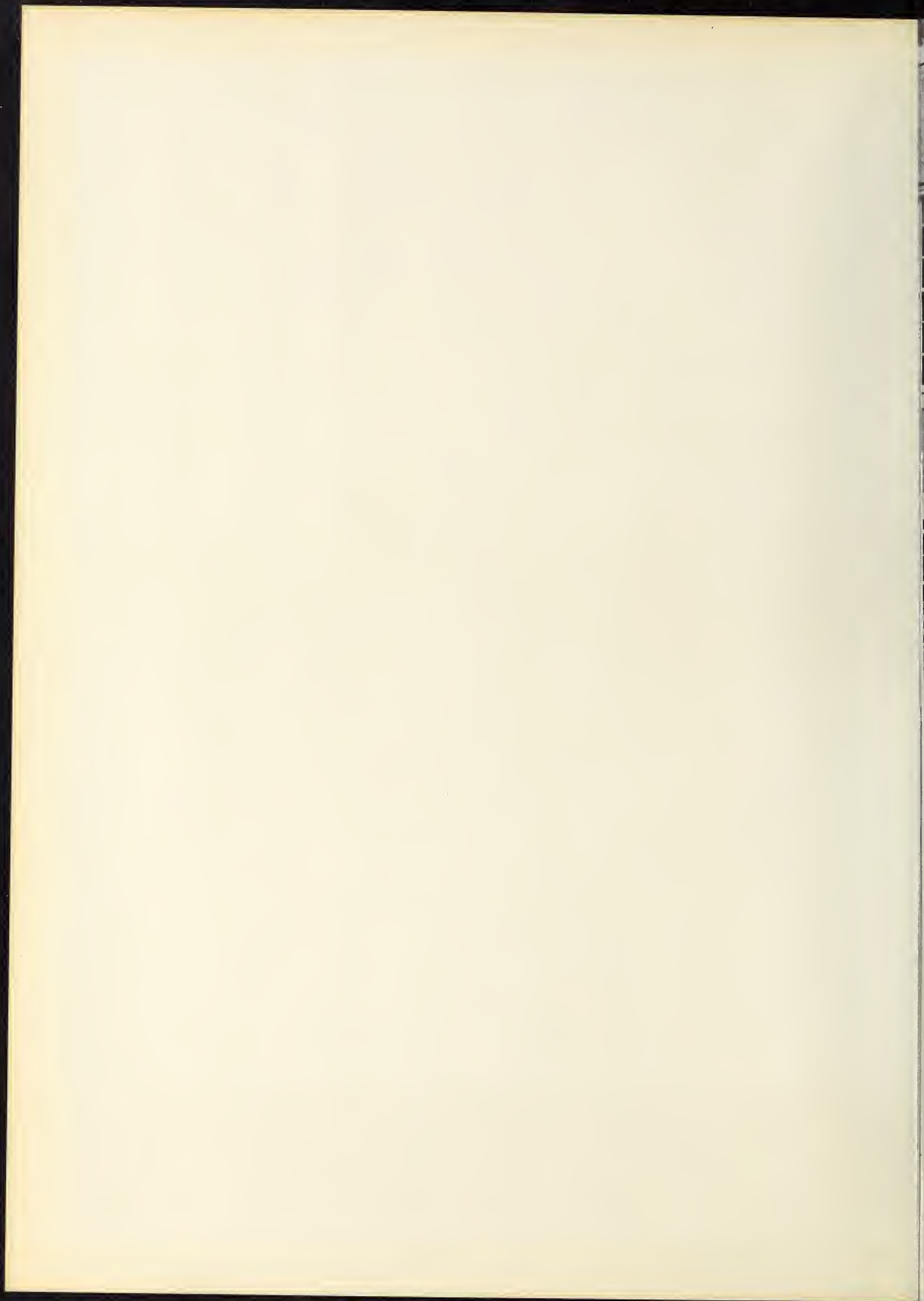




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I grasp the doorknob with a firm hand
Determined to delay no longer.
Work must be done, a goal must be reached.
So little time, I cannot spend it waiting here.

Yet still I stand, hesitating, delaying,
Not willing to take a step or move ahead.
One minute yet, I plead, a single chance
To hear once more the silly, unnecessary conversation in the hall
And understand that it was necessary:
To yell myself hoarse over a senseless game and realize that it had sense.
Only one minute and then I will turn the knob.

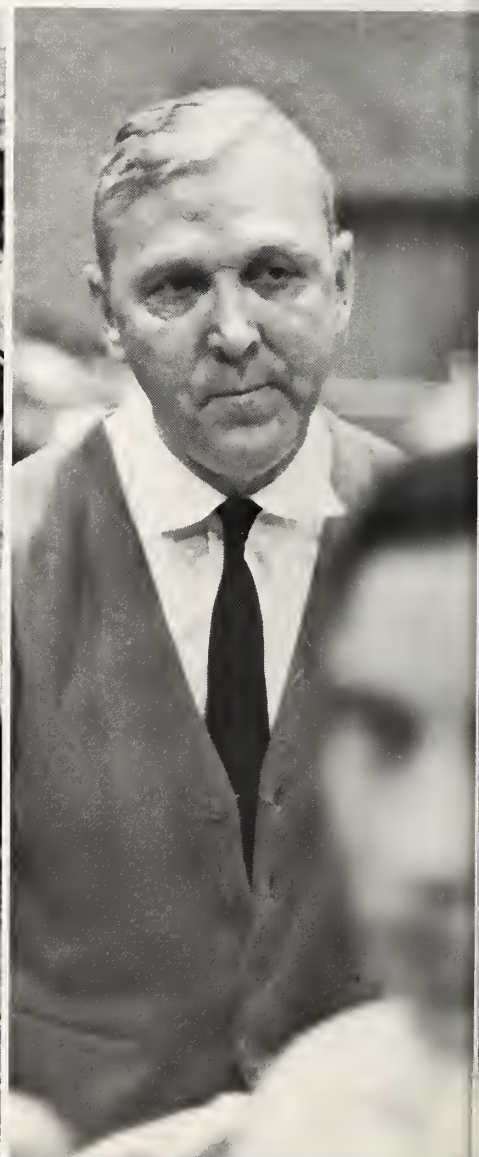
How stupid of me to argue thus.
Who hears but me and I shall not listen.
I have no right to turn back;
Neither have I an excuse to ask, "Why?"
The door is there; that is enough.
To open it is to accept the challenge of life,
To walk through it is to become a man.
How this is so, I cannot tell.
Through the crises of decision I shall grow.
Such is my nature -- to decide and to grow.
So I have studied my hand again.
I will have my leave the noisy hall and the muffled hum of the classroom.
I will turn my back on the whispered conversation and the spirited discussion.
I will turn the doorknob -- because I must.



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Mr. Payne talks to former coach, Mr. Temple.

- ... Devoted
- ... Loyal
- ... Trusted and beloved

These words could well describe the man who has been our friend and advisor throughout our high school years. By participating in various school activities, he has tried to instill these qualities in us. He has coached the J. V. football team, the girls basketball team, and the baseball team. His dedication to these teams has inspired many victories. In the classroom he has tried to instill in us that all-important desire to seek knowledge in the sciences.

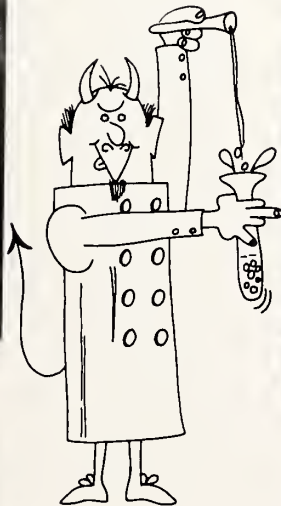
In admiration and appreciation we dedicate the 1968 "SHIELD" to Mr. H. V. Payne.



"Well you could win."



"What are they doing?"





ADMINISTRATION



MR. BRUCE F. SLOAN, Principal

The day-to-day management of a school is a monumental task and for it to be done well requires the dedicated and untiring work of a fine administrator and co-workers. This year has moved along smoothly thanks to the help of Mr. Sloan, Mr. Floyd, and the secretaries. Mr. Sloan is always ready and willing to help the students and is constantly working to make Smithfield High School a better place. Mr. Floyd assists Mr. Sloan in running our ever-growing school and keeping a check on the students. The little angels of the office are left for last but could not be done without. They are the secretaries, Mrs. Tarlton and Mrs. Barnes, whose job is never completed. There are always reports to be typed and tests to be mimeographed, which they do with a smile.



MR. JOHN W. FLOYD
Assistant Principal



MRS. C. W. TARLTON
Secretary



MRS. W. H. BARNES
Secretary



FACULTY

English



MRS. KAY WILKINS
A. B.
Women's College
University of North
Carolina
Speech and English

MRS. LEONA PARRISH
A. B.
Wake Forest University
English



MRS. RUTH BURNETTE
B. S.
Appalachian State
Teacher's College
Women's College
University of North
Carolina at
Greensboro
English

MRS. NELL REID
B. A., M. A. T.
Flora McDonald
College
University of
North Carolina
at Chapel Hill
English



MRS. GLADYS PRINCE
B. S.
Campbell College
English

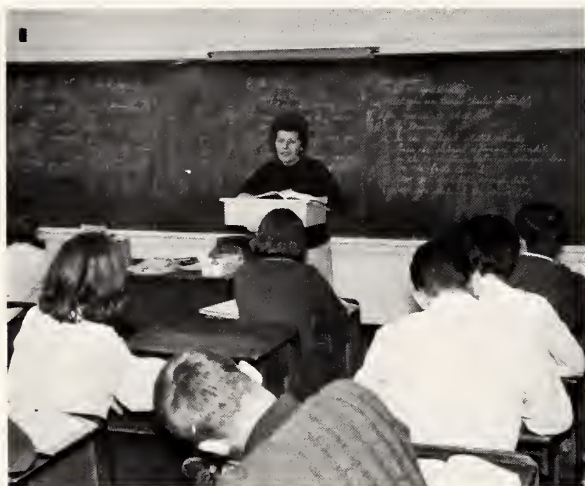


Mrs. Reid lectures to her juniors.

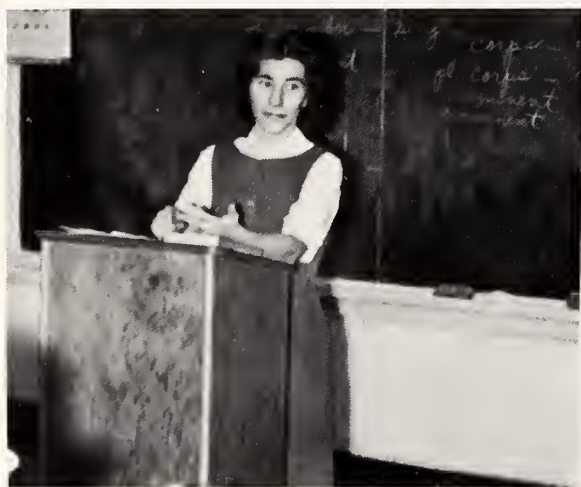


Mrs. Prince discusses Great Expectations with her Freshmen.

Exercising English



Mrs. Parrish lectures on the novel to seniors.



Mrs. Burnette discusses *Silas Marner* with sophomores.

Mrs. Reid grades her junior class vocabulary test.



Mrs. Wilkins helps Sue Jones with a theme.

Each year our English teachers teach us not only the mechanics of our language, but also about the various literary figures. Through our study of literature, including the study of novels, short stories, and poems, we gain a better understanding of our heritage. In our grammar courses we are taught how to write correctly, how to use vocabulary words, and of course, how to punctuate. This familiarity with grammar enables us to use our language more effectively. An elective course in speech is also offered at S. H. S. This year we welcome back Mrs. Kay Wilkins, who along with Mrs. Leona Parrish, Mrs. Ruth Burnette, Mrs. Gladys Prince, Mrs. Josephine Parrish, and Mrs. Nell Reid complete our English department.



Foreign Languages



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



Cathy Lewis, Craig Ennis, and Steve
Wilson ponder over French
reviews.



MRS. LOIS PEELE
A. B.
Meredith College
French



It is a fact that a knowledge of other languages helps us to more clearly understand our own language. Through the study of French we not only learn how to speak French, but we also become acquainted with French customs and culture. In Latin we learn about ancient history as well as learning the origins of many of the words used today. Clarence Woodard and Mrs. Lois Peele make up our language department at S. H. S.

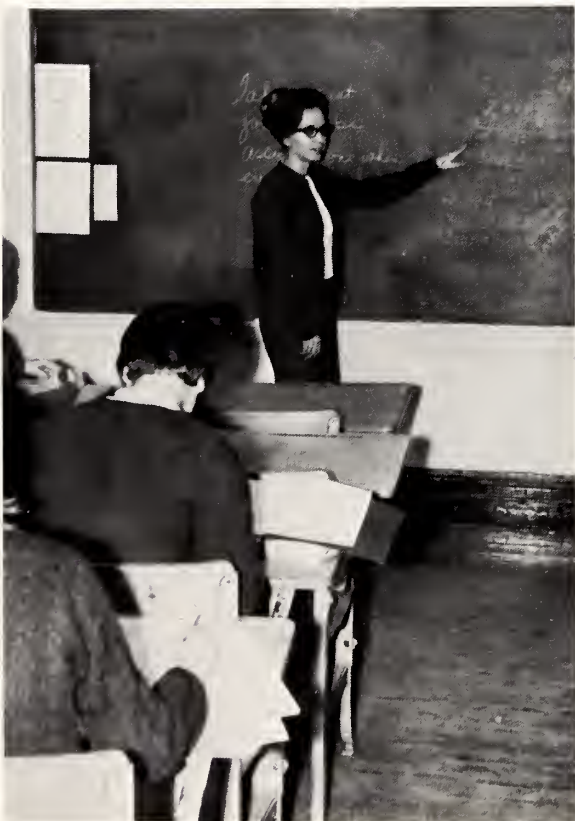


MR. VIRGIL PAYNE
B. S., M. A.
Wake Forest College
East Carolina College
Chemistry, Physical Science,
and Physics



MRS. JOANNA JACKSON
B. A.
Elon College
Physical Science and Math

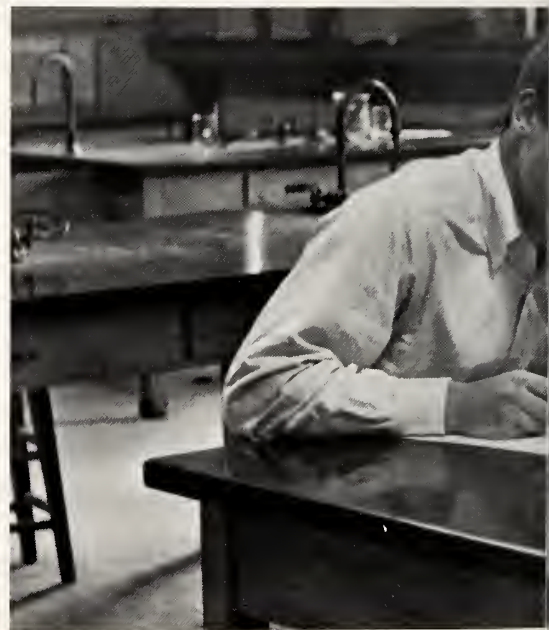
Mrs. Jackson explains the advantages
of using levers.



Payne patiently makes his point.

Science

Bobby Benson studies diligently in the
lab.





MRS. JOYCE BARBOUR
A. B.
University of North Carolina at
Greensboro
Biology

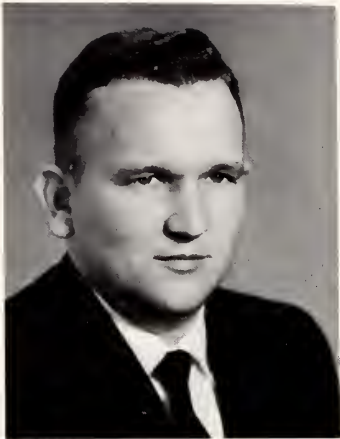


MR. RUDOLPH WIGGS
A. B.
Atlantic Christian College
General Science and Bookkeeping



Mrs. Barbour teaches her best with fear of
being replaced by the opaque projecture.





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



MRS. JUDY WORLEY
B. S.
East Carolina University
Algebra II, Geometry,
Advanced Math

MRS. RUTH DUBLIN
B. S.
Shaw University
Algebra I and II

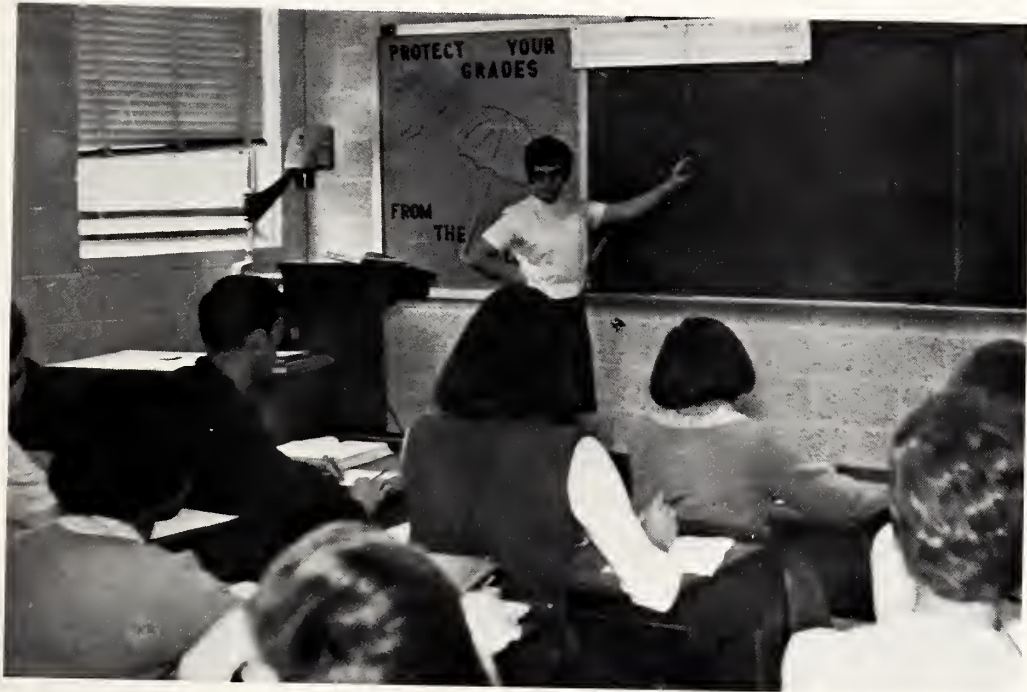


In almost every occupation handling mathematical figures and working problems are daily occurrences. In order that we may develop a better understanding of this vital subject, S. H. S. offers a complete curriculum of math. The math courses offered are General Math, Business Arithmetic, Algebra I and II, Geometry, and Advanced Math. These courses help us develop common sense and enable us to solve our own problems practically. This year S. H. S. welcomes Mrs. Ruth Dublin and Mrs. Judy Worley to the math department, along with Mrs. Andrea Boyette and Mr. J. L. Creech.

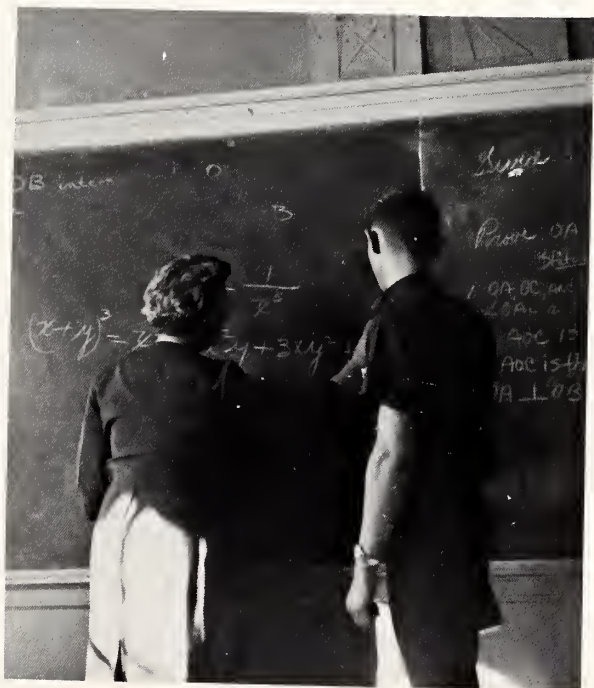


MRS. ANDREA BOYETTE
A. B.
Meredith College
Mathematics

Math at Work!



S.H.S. Math Teachers in Action





MR. JOHN W. FLOYD
B. S.
East Carolina
University
History, Economics,
and Sociology

Social Studies

What's wrong with '56 Cadillacs?



Craig, let me explain that Worms is
not a naked snake!

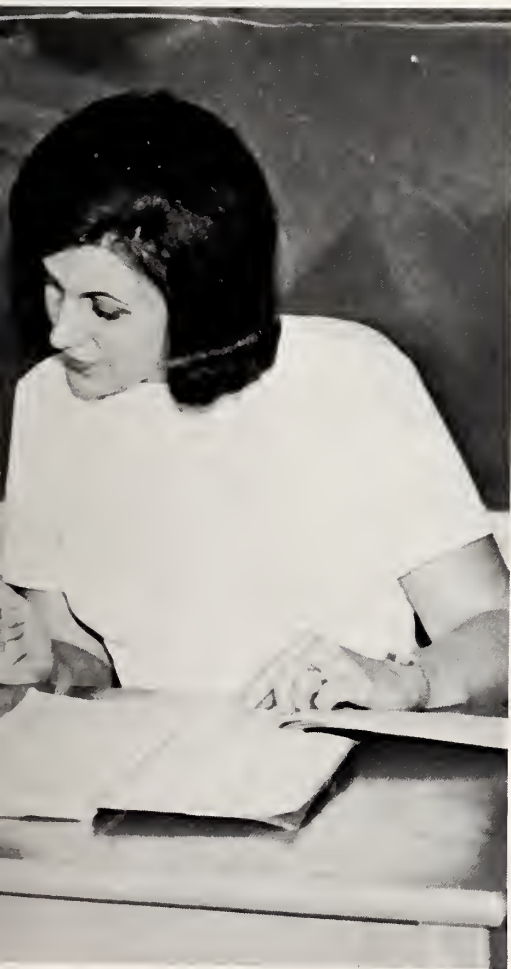


Drawing maps, learning about the framework of our government, and studying the causes of previous wars are examples of skills acquired by social studies students. In world history they learn about the rise and fall of ancient empires. In U.S. History they are taught about the development of this nation and the value of its heritage. They learn about other parts of the world and about other people through the study of geography. Also, in both economics and sociology they study the world problems of today. This year S. H. S. welcomes the addition of Mrs. Jo Parrish to its history department.



MRS. F. M.
PARRISH, JR.
B. A.
Greensboro College
English and History

Gee, Mrs. Parrish, we were just hanging loose!





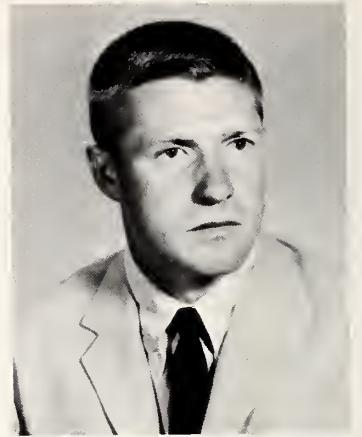
Mr. Pope points out health facts to his students.

Physical Education and Health

Freshman health and physical education classes are an enjoyable mixture of study and play. For boys there is touch football, softball, basketball and calisthenics. For the girls, volleyball, basketball, and calisthenics. Both of these courses contain lessons which are of great value to the students.



MR. BOBBY WAYNE
POPE
B. S.
Campbell College
History and Physical
Education



MR. ROY J. BROWN
A. B.
Atlantic Chriatan
Geography and
Physical Education



Well there, it's called a ball. Har! Har!

Typing

The sounds of ringing bells, clacking keys, and Mrs. Creech's "return" are constantly heard coming from the typing room. Through typing and shorthand students learn skills that will not only be useful later in life but skills that are helpful now in their school work.



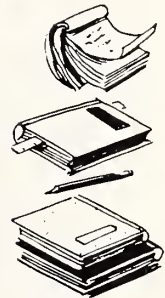
MRS. FRANCIS
CREECH
B. S.

East Carolina College
Typing and Shorthand

(RIGHT) Hands of
a master at work.



(BELOW) We make fewer errors if we listen to the Miracles!



I.C.T.



Connie Strickland exhibits on the job training.

Mr. John Massey, Industrial Cooperative Training instructor, acquaints students with the business techniques necessary for these students to become leaders in the business world. Through I. C. T., students get on the job training which enables them to acquire technical skills and information.



MR. JOHN T. MASSEY B.S.
East Carolina College
Industrial Cooperative
Training



ABOVE: Polly Pace diligently types up a contract.

BELOW: Mr. Massey gives classroom instruction before the willing workers go out on their jobs.



Distributive Education

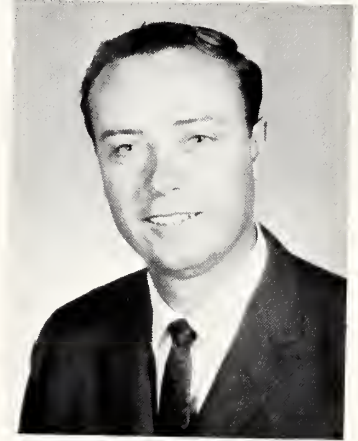
The second course offered at Smithfield High School for students preparing for outside jobs is Distributive Education. Here students learn business practices and ethics, and also how to be a good on the job salesman. D.E. also offers on the job training for S. H. S. students.



Students learn business practices before going out on the job.



Dan Simmons gets experience in civil engineering drafting at Ragsdale Engineers.



MR. WAYNE PEED
B. S.
East Carolina College
Marketing and
Distributive
Education





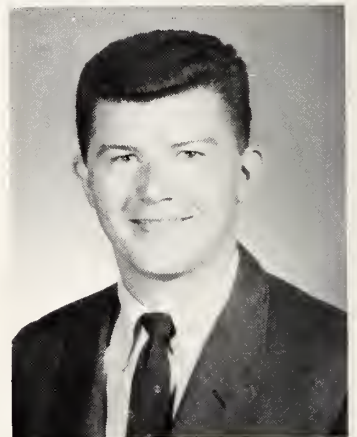
Mr. Howell assists John Creech with a drafting problem.



MR. OLIVER WILLIAMSON
North Carolina State
College
Construction Industry

Mechanical Drawing

Mr. Howell is in charge of the Drafting Department where students learn to solve drawing problems and designs and layout floor plans for homes. In Construction Industry Mr. Williamson instructs boys the proper handling of machinery. His pupils learn how to build furniture and other materials out of wood. Within both of these courses students at S.H.S. learn a skill which they can use later in life.



MR. BILL HOWELL
B. S.
East Carolina College
Drafting



Watch out and don't miss the nail ... *!#--*!!



Mrs. Woodard helps senior girls design on coat patterns.



MRS. BRENDA
HEARD
B. S.
East Carolina College
Home Economics

Home Economics

Under the direction of Mrs. Woodard and Mrs. Heard, Home Ec. students learn not only how to cook and sew, but how to decorate their homes. Through their study of decorating they learn about color schemes, room planning, and other aspects of interior design. This year the third year students exhibited their sewing skills by making winter coats. Needless to say, all three classes also planned and prepared meals throughout the year.



MRS. LOU WOODARD
B. S.
East Carolina College
Home Economics



Freshman girls listen attentively as Mrs. Heard discusses room decorating.



Guidance

We are very fortunate to have such an efficient guidance department at SHS. Students who are uncertain of future plans may seek help from Mrs. Hornaday, our able guidance counselor. Mrs. Hornaday is always kept busy writing letters of recommendation, sending transcripts, checking school credits, and giving aptitude tests.



MRS. MARGIE
HORNADAY
B. S.
University of North
Carolina
Guidance



MRS. VALERIA
VINSON
B. S.
East Carolina College
Librarian

Library

Managing a library requires a person who is far more than just someone who loves books or likes to keep them in order on the shelves. Mrs. Vinson, our librarian, maintains an efficient, quiet place for students to gain the full benefits which are in our library.





Mrs. Adams, let me tell you what I heard today!

Art

In Mrs. Adam's art class students develop basic skills in drawing and painting color composition, design, and sketching. These art students often display their paintings in attractive arrangements in school, and in various town projects.



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



MR. LEE ROGERS
B. S., M. A.
East Carolina College
Band Director

Band

Under the leadership of Mr. Lee Rogers, band members study music appreciation and are taught how to develop their musical talents. These band members also learn about today's musicians and composers. They often share their knowledge with the school through concerts and programs.



Neither rain nor snow nor broken hand can keep Lee Rogers from his band.

Glee Club

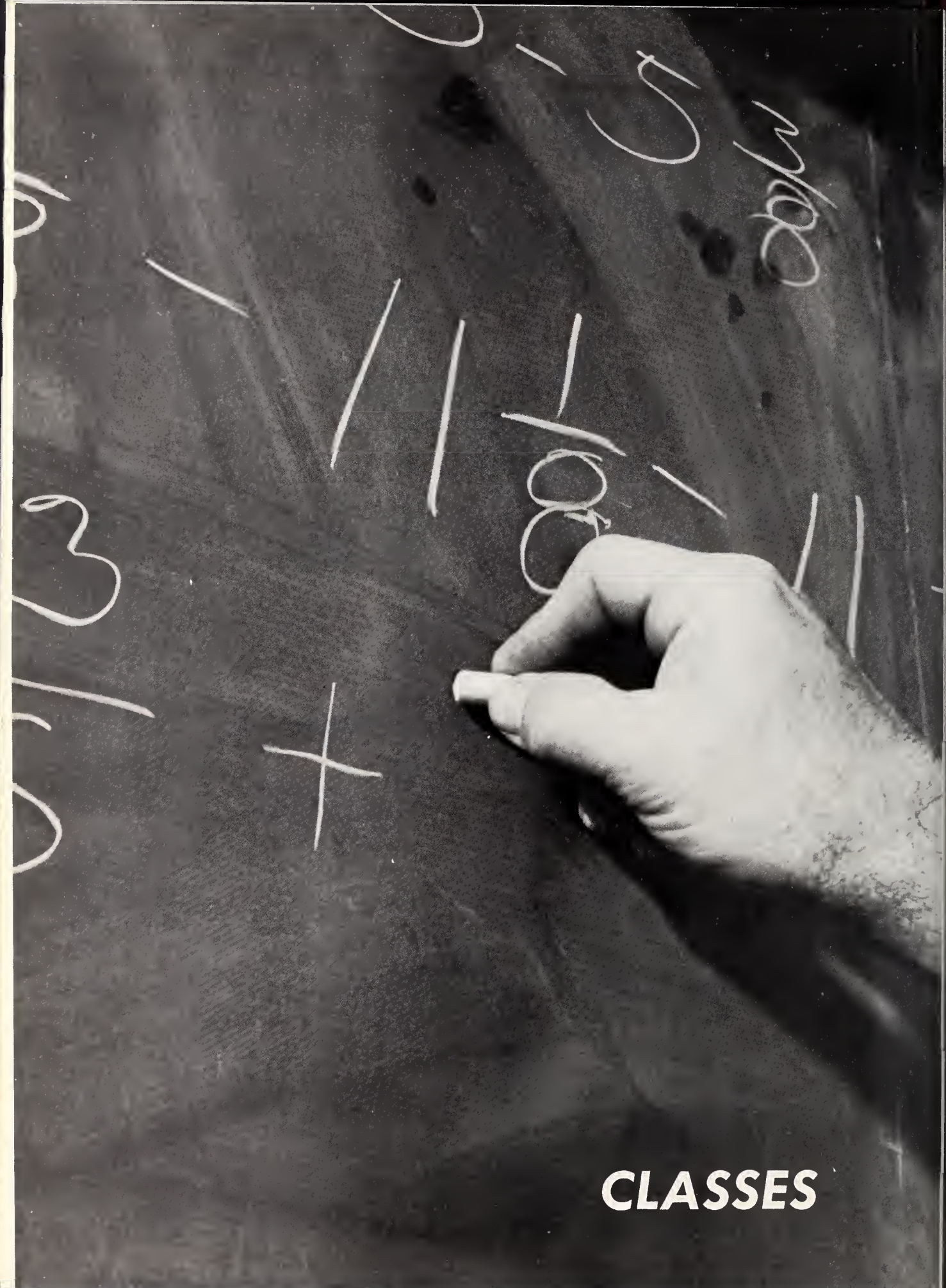
Students in the Glee Club are fortunate to have as their director, Mrs. Georgianna McLean. These students are also taught music appreciation. They too, give annual spring and Christmas concerts.



MRS. GEORGIANNA
McLEAN
B. M.
Talladega College
Glee Club



One and a two ... altogether now.



CLASSES



SENIORS



Senior Class Officers

President - CARL WHARTON

Vice-President - JANET SHALLCROSS

Secretary - POLLY PACE

Treasurer - ALEX WILSON

Seniors



GAILYA ELIZABETH ADAMS
Glee Club 1; Library Club 1, 2; Junior-Senior
Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Court 4.

JEAN HOPE ALLEN
Oral Reading Club 1; Majorette 1, 2, Co-
Chief 3, 4; Band Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-
Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming
Refreshment Committee 4; Homecoming Court
4; "Oklahoma" Cast 4.



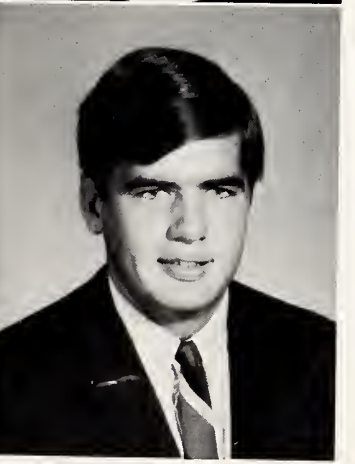
JUDY DALE ALLEN
Library Club 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver
4; Homecoming Planning Committee 3; Junior-
Senior Planning Committee 3.

MARGARET WOODVILLE ANDREAUS
Oral Reading Club, Vice President 1; High
Times Staff 3, Humor Editor 4; "The Mouse
That Roared" Cast 3; Class Secretary 3; Stu-
dent Council 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Home-
coming Court 4; Miss Senior Class 4.



CHARLES SOUTHERLAND AVERA
Football, J. V. 1, 2; Varsity 4; Science Club
1; Junior-Senior Building Committee 3; "The
Mouse That Roared" Stage Hand 3.

MARTHA ANN BARBOUR
Future Homemaker Association 1, 2, 3; Indust-
rial Cooperative Training 4; Library Assistant
1; Vocational Clubs of America, Reporter 1;
Library Club 1.



ARTHUR THOMAS BAREFOOT JR.
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

LARRY DONALD BARNES
Industrial Arts Club 1; "Oklahoma" Cast 4;
Bus Driver 4.

ROBERT ALTON BENSON

Football, Varsity 2, 3, Tri-Captain 4; Track 2; Science Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3.

RICHARD EARL BLACK

Science Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee, Decorating Committee Chairman 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Art 1, 2, 3, 4; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "Shield" Staff 4; Library Club 4.

JAMES WALTER BLAIR

Transferred to another school.

GALEN BOLIN

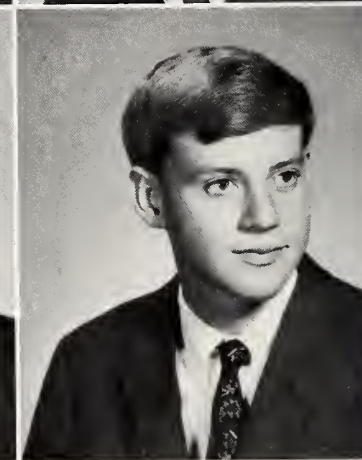
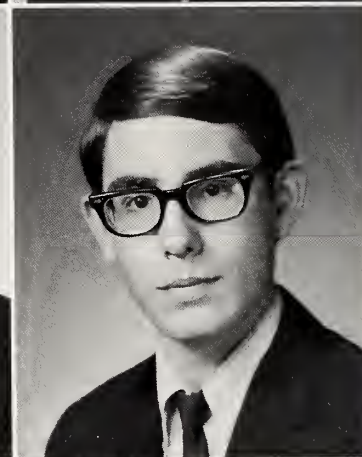
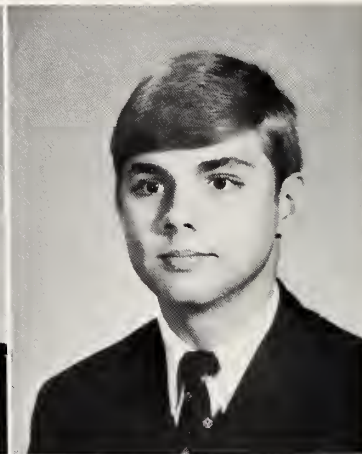
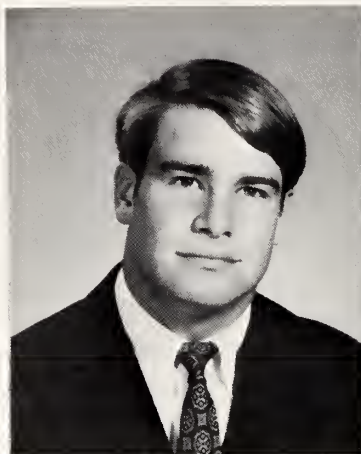
Science Club 1; "The Mouse That Roared" Sound 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Cheerleader in Powder Puff Football 4; "High Times" Photographer and Reporter 4; "Shield" Photographer 4; Homecoming Program 4.

PAUL HOWELL BRINK

Club 1; Hargrave Military Academy 2; Homecoming Planning Committee 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee, Chairman Decorating Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Lighting Director, Chairman Make Up Committee 3; "Oklahoma" Scenery Committee 4.

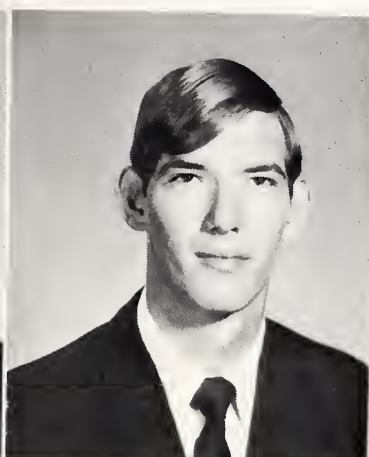
RODIN ELLIS BRYAN

Science Club, Vice President; Wildlife Club; Junior-Senior Planning Committee.



"Pepsi Cola, Coca Cola, bottle of gas ...!"

Seniors



DAVID ALLEN BRYANT
Football, J. V. 2; Wildlife Club, Vice-President 1; Industrial Cooperative Training Club 4; Class Treasurer 2; Student Council 2; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.

JOHN STEPHENSON BRYANT
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, J. V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; Football Statistician 4; Magazine Sales First Place Winner 2; "High Times" Staff Sports Editor 3, 4; "Shield" Staff Sports Editor 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Science Club 1; Powder Puff Cheerleader 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.



JOHNNY BULLOCK
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Dance Band 1, 2, 3; Industrial Arts Club 1; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Bus Driver 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.

HELEN CAROL BYRD
Four Oaks High School 1, 2, 3; Industrial Cooperative Training 4; V. I. C. A. 4.



SANDRA KAYE CAPPS
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 2; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.

SHELLEY ANN CASTLEBERRY
Oral Reading Club, President 1; Majorette 1, 2, Co-Chief 3, 4; Class Secretary 2; Class Vice-President 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3, Refreshment Committee Chairman; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Basketball Scorekeeper 3, 4; "Shield" Staff 2, 3, Editor 4; Homecoming Court 4; Chief Marshall 3.

Is it Socrates or Buddy Davis?





CATHERINE LEE CLARK

Wilson's Mills High School 1, 2; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Substitute Bus Driver 3; Future Homemakers of America 3; Bus Driver 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Powder Puff Football 4.

SANDRA ELIZABETH CLAYTON

Oral Reading Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee, Refreshment Chairman 4.

JOHN HAROLD CREECH

Football, J. V. 2, Varsity 3, 4, Tri-Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, All Conference 3; Industrial Arts Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.

JOHN WESLEY CREECH

Science Club 1; Industrial Cooperative Training 3, 4; V.I.C.A. Club, Vice-President 3, President 4.

ROBERT LEO CREECH

Wildlife Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Vocational Educational Club 4.

JAMES EVERETTE CROCKER, JR.

General Science Club 1; Track 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; V.I.C.A. Club 4.

"And the boys won too!"



Seniors

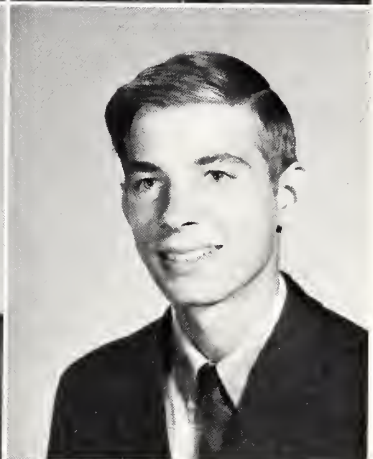
GLENN HERRING DAVIS

V.I.C.A. Club 3, 4; Wildlife Club 1; Library Club 4.



RONALD WILLARD (BUDDY) DAVIS

Football, J.V. 1, Varsity 2; Science Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4.

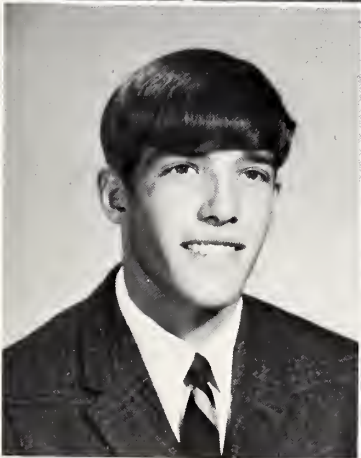


LANNY MAURICE DEAL

Garner High School 1, 2.

JERRY EXUM

Wildlife Club, Secretary 1.



JOHN LINDSAY FERGUSON III

Asheville School for Boys 1; Track 2, 3; Football, Varsity 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; "The Mouse That Roared" Stage Hand 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "High Times" Staff 4.

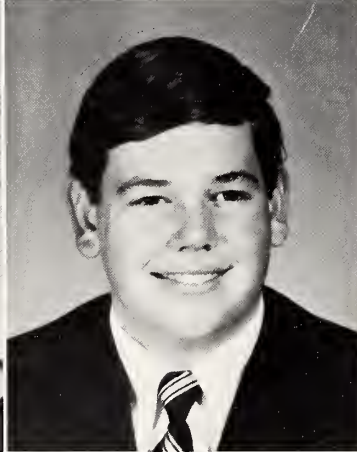


I'd walk a mile for a Camel.



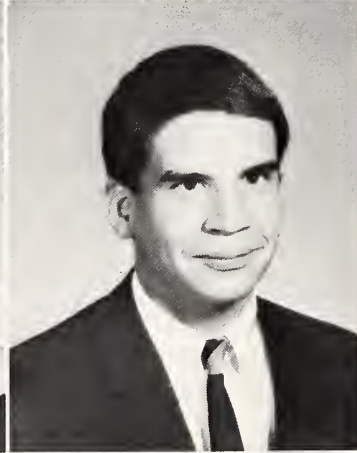
ERNEST THEODORE FORBES III
Football, J. V. 1; Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.

CAROL RICHARDSON GRANTHAM
Oral Reading Club 1; Class Secretary 2; "Shield" Staff 2, Business Manager 3, Class Editor 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Make Up 4; Homecoming Court 4; Marshall 3.



JULIA TATUM GILBERT
Oral Reading Club 1; Basketball, J. V. 2; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Homecoming Court 4; "Shield" Staff 4.

STEVEN HOWARD GOWER
Wilson's Mills High School 1, 2; Football, Varsity 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Powder Puff Homecoming Court 4.



SYLVIA ELAINE HALL
Homecoming Program 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Library Club 1; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "High Time" Staff 4; Junior-Senior Program 3; Powder Puff Football 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.

LEROY ALFRED HAMILTON
Drehen High School, Columbia S. C. 1, 2, 3; Football, Varsity 4; "Oklahoma" Stage Hand 4; Powder Puff Football Homecoming Court 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.



VIRGINIA EPPS HARRIS
Oral Reading Club 1; Student Council 2; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Shield" Staff 4; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Cheerleader 3, 4.

DEBORAH ANN HILL
Library Assistant 1, 2, 3; F. H. Club 2, 3; Civics Club 1; Glee Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.

MARGY GAY HINNANT

Band 1, Librarian 2, Secretary 3, President 4; Dance Band 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; "High Times" Staff Reporter 2, Fashion Editor 3, 4; Oral Reading Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Court 4; Powder Puff Football 4.

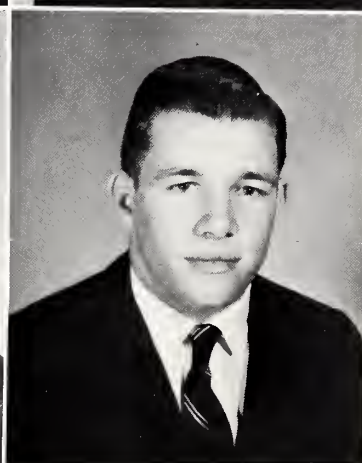
PATRICIA ANN HUDSON

Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.



PETER THORLEIF HULTH III

Football, Varsity Manager 4; Industrial Arts Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "High Times" Staff 2, Assistant Art Editor 3, Art Editor 4; Powder Puff Football Court 4; Track 4.



WILLIAM EDWARD JACKSON

Football, J. V. 1, Varsity 2, 3, Tri-Captain 4; All Conference 4; All East Honorable Mention 4; Basketball, J. V. 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

SHERWOOD TONY JOHNSON

Debating Club 1; Student Council 2; Bus Driver 3, 4; Glee Club 1.

BRENDA SUE JONES

Glee Club 1, President 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 3; Future Homemakers of America 1; Library Club 1, 2; Library Assistant 1, 2; Distributive Education 3, 4.

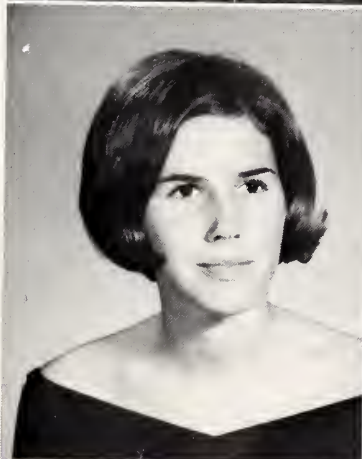


ELVA SUSAN JONES

Basketball 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Oral Reading Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Majorette 3, 4; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Shield" Staff 4; Homecoming Court 4.

HARRY ALLEN JONES, JR.

North Lenoir 1, 2; Track 3, 4; Homecoming Planning Committee, Chairman Table and Chairs Committee 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Band 3, 4.

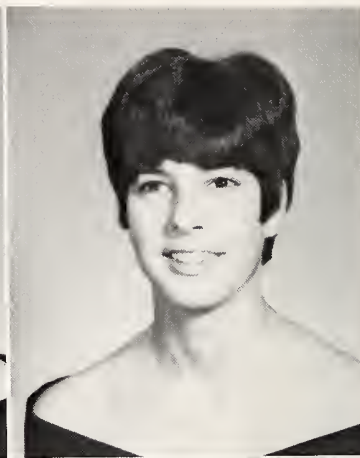


MARTHA SANDRA JONES

Library Club 1, 2, 3; Distributive Education 3, 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Library Assistant 1, 2, 3.

JANE ELIZABETH KALLAM

Morehead High School 1, 2, 3; Co-Chairman "Oklahoma" Scenery 4; Powder Puff Football 4.

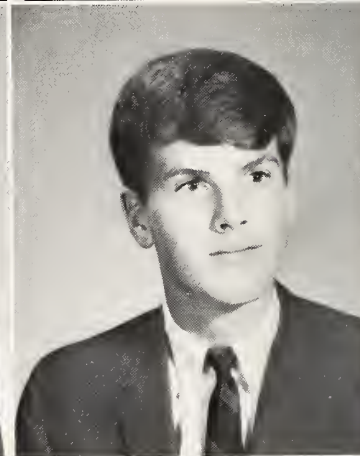


MIKE LANGDON

Distributive Education Club 3; Wildlife Club 1.

DENTON FARMER LEE

Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity 4; Track 1; Wildlife Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Student Council 2; Class President 2.

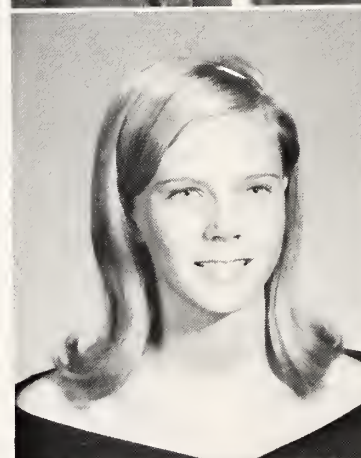


LENA CATHERINE LEWIS

Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; Oral Reading Club 1; Glee Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Pianist 4; "High Times" Staff 3; "Shield" Staff, Activities Editor 4; Marshall 3; Homecoming Queen 4.

CATHY LILES

Garner 1, 2, 3; Distributive Education Club 4; Library Assistant 3.

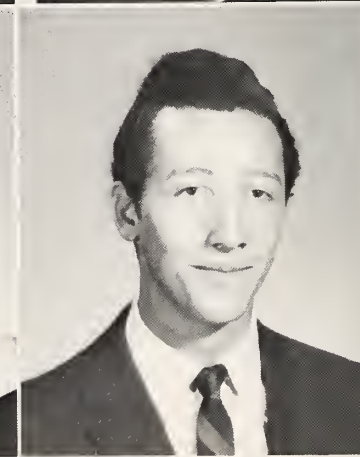


DEBORAH ANN MASON

Journalism Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Powder Puff Football 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "Oklahoma" Scenery Co-Chairman 4, Publicity Co-Chairman 4; First Place Winner "Voice of Democracy" Speech.

ORIS EDWIN MATTHEWS

Distributive Education Club 3, 4; Wildlife Club 1.



Seniors



ANN HOWARD MITCHINER
 Oral Reading Club 1; Basketball Statistician
 2; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3;
 Cheerleader 3, 4; "The Mouse That Roared"
 Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "Shield" Staff 3,
 Organization Editor 4; Homecoming Court 4;
 Homecoming Planning Committee 4.



DANIEL HARDY NARRON
 Football, J.V. 3, Varsity 4; Track 2, 3, 4;
 Band 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3;
 Science Club 1.



Monkey see, Monkey do,
 Seniors are Monkeys too!



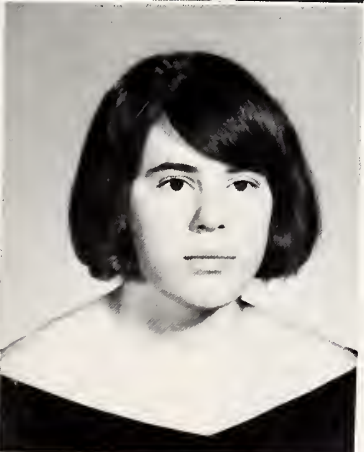
LUCILLE MARY O'MELIA
 Pembroke High School 1, 2; Junior-Senior
 Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning
 Committee 4; Homecoming Court 4; "Okla-
 homa" Cast 4.



POLLY ANN PACE
 Glee Club 1; Journalism Club 1; Junior-Senior
 Planning Committee 3; Marshall 3; "The Mouse
 That Roared" Prompter 3; Industrial Coopera-
 tive Training Club, Secretary 4; Class Secre-
 tary 4.

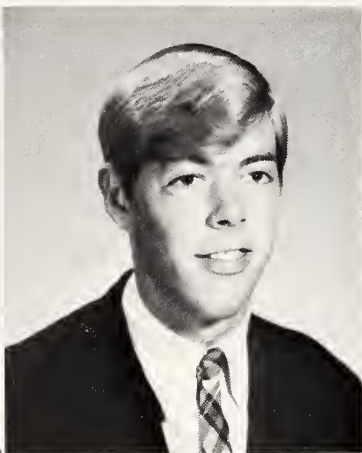


JANICE PARKER
 Library Club 1, 3, Program Chairman 1; Jun-
 ior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Distribu-
 tive Education Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3.



PATRICIA ANN PARRISH
 Future Homemakers of America Club 1, 2;
 Library Assistant 2.

Seniors "hang loose."



EDWIN HENRY PATTERSON
Basketball, J. V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 3; Science Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.

ALBERT OWEN PEEDIN
Wildlife Club 1, 2; Bus Driver 1, 2, 3; Science Club 3; V. I. C. A. Club 3.



DENNIS PENUEL
Football, J. V. 2; Wildlife Club 1.

JOSEPH DAN PHILLIPS
Wildlife Club 1; Bus Driver 2, 3; Industrial Cooperative Training 3, 4; V. I. C. A. Club 3, Parliamentarian 4.



DURWOOD RENN ROSE
Football, J. V. 1, 2; Wildlife Club 1; "Oklahoma" Cast 4.

STEVE DOUGLAS ROUSE
Middlesex High School 1, 2; V. I. C. A. Club 3, 4.



"Wait! Maybe THEY'LL
come over here!"

Seniors

PATRICIA ANNE SANDERS

Oral Reading Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Glee Club 3; Homecoming Planning Committee, Refreshment Committee Chairman 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Powder Puff Football 4.



MARY PATRICIA ANN SCHREIBEIS

Brookfield Central 1, 2; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "High Times" Staff 3.

JANET RUTH SELLERS

Oral Reading Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, President, Accompanist 4; Magazine Sales Third Place Winner 2; "High Times" Staff 2, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Marshall 3; Girl's State 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Powder Puff Football 4; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.



JANET SUSAN SHALLCROSS

Oral Reading Club 1; Basketball, J. V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; "High Times" Staff 2; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Magazine Sales Second Place Winner 2; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "Shield" Staff 3, Assistant Editor 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Second Place Winner in V. F. W. Speech Contest 4; Class Vice-President 4; Powder Puff Football 4.



VICKIE RUTH SIENKIEWICZ

Journalism Club 1; Glee Club 1; Youth Council 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Vocational Industrial Clubs of America 4.

AMOS DANIEL SIMMONS, JR.

Wildlife Club 1; Industrial Cooperative Training 4; V. I. C. A. Club 4; Bus Driver 3; Substitute Bus Driver 4.

ANN CAROLYN SLOAN

Oral Reading Club 1; Glee Club 1; Class Vice-President 2; "High Times" Staff 3, 4; "Shield" Staff 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Marshall 3; Powder Puff Football 4.



NELLIE RUTH SMITH

Princeton High School 1, 2, 3; Distributive Education Club 4.

WILLIE ALFRED SMITH

Football, J. V. 2, Varsity 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Wildlife Club 1; Industrial Cooperative Training 4; V. I. C. A. Club 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.



SANDRA DIANNE STALLINGS

Distributive Education Club 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 3; Art 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Current Events Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.

THOMAS LAWRENCE STALLINGS

Industrial Arts Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Marshall 3; Class Treasurer 3.



RONNIE EARL STANCIL

Coats High School 1; Student Council 2; Vocational Industrial Clubs of America 4; Wildlife Club 1.

LINDA SUE STEWART

Journalism Club 1; Distributive Education Club, President 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Student Council 2; Art 1; Marshall 3.



CONNIE MAE STRICKLAND

Current Events Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Vocational Industrial Clubs of America 4; Glee Club 1.

Seniors



FRANK THOMAS SUTTON
Debating Club 1; "The Mouse That
Roared" Cast 3; "Shield" Staff 4;
Powder Puff Cheerleader 4.



STEPHANIE RAY TAYLOR
Future Homemakers of America 1,
2, President 3; Junior-Senior Plan-
ning Committee 3; Glee Club 1, 2.



TOMMY MARTIN THOMPSON
Football, J. V. 1, 2; Wildlife Club 1; Distribu-
tive Education Club 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning
Committee 3; Science Club 2.



MARTHA THROCKMORTON
Future Homemakers of America 1, 2; Distribu-
tive Education Club 2; Junior-Senior Planning
Committee 4; Glee Club 1.



SHELIA KAY WALLACE
Glee Club 1, 2; Oral Reading Club 1; Junior-
Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse
That Roared" Usher.



JAMES HAROLD WALTERS
Southwestern Central High School 1, 2; Track
3, 4.



Just like Steve, always putting
his foot in his mouth!



"Do you have lobster hands?"



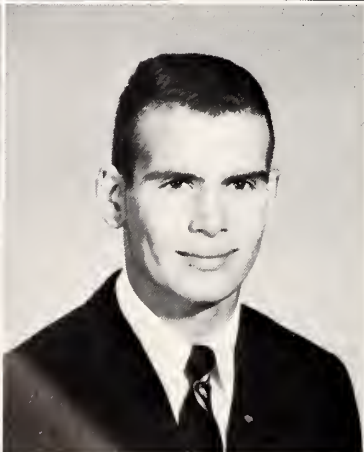
JENNIFER DUNCAN WATSON
Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity Manager 3, 4; Oral Reading Club 1; Glee Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "Shield" Staff 4; Powder Puff Football 4.

BERYL HOWARD WELLS
Variety Club 1; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.



WATSON CARL WHARTON
Industrial Arts Club 1; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; "Oklahoma" Stage Manager 4; Football, J.V. 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4, Leadership Award in Track 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee, Building Chairman 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; "Shield" Staff 4; Class President 4.

EDITH LACY WHITLEY
Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, 4; Science Club 1; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; "Oklahoma" Cast 4; "Shield" Staff 4; Marshall 3.



FRANCES GAIL WILKES
Distributive Education Club 3, 4; Library Club Reporter 3; Current Events Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

JOHN ALEXANDER WILSON
Football, J.V. 1, Varsity 3, 4; Basketball, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, Co-Captain 4; Wildlife Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Class Treasurer 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 4.



The Walls are closing in!

STEPHEN CLARENCE WOODARD

Football, J. V. 3, Varsity 4; Basketball, J. V. 2, Varsity 3, Co-Captain 4; Track 1, 2; Wildlife Club 1; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Class President 3; Marshall 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 4; Wake Forest Leadership Conference 3.

JEAN LEIGH WOODRUFF

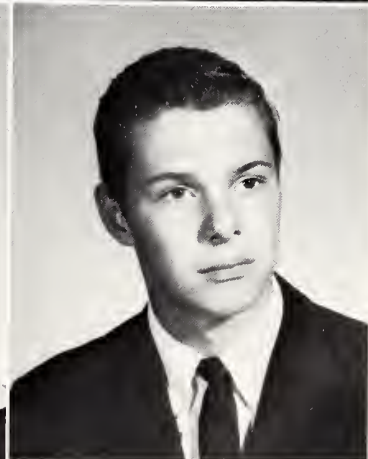
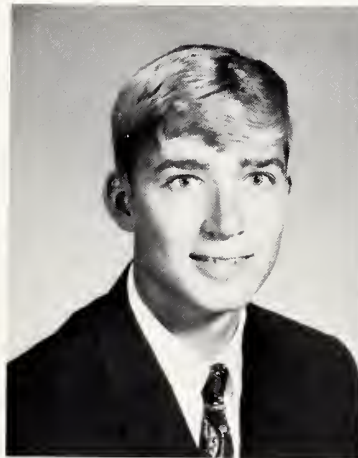
Fiviera Beach High School 1, 2; Basketball, J. V. 3, Varsity 4; "The Mouse That Roared" Cast 3; Betty Crocker Homemaker of the Year 4; Powder Puff Football 4; Band 3, Sargeant 4; Homecoming Planning Committee 3, 4; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3.

BRENDA LOU WORRELLS

Distributive Education Clubs 3; Junior-Senior Planning Committee 3; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2, 3, 4; Art 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Planning Committee 1, 2, 3.

JAMES ALBERT YOUNG

Wake Forest 1, 2, 3; Bus Driver 4.



Seniors



Mr. and Miss Senior Class

Meg Andreaus

Stephen Woodard

Mascots

Ruth Wallace Keith Underwood





Commencement Marshals

Stephen Woodard
Larry Stallings
Edith Whitley
Ann Sloan
Shelley Castleberry, Chief
Cathy Lewis
Carol Grantham
Polly Pace
Jean Woodruff
Sue Stewart
Janet Sellers





Who's Who

The students chosen for the Who's Who have been carefully selected from the senior class for their participation and leadership in school and extracurricular activities. They are the well rounded students who have excelled in various fields and have tried to make Smithfield High School a better place. To these students in recognition of their work is given the honor of being on the Who's Who.

SHELLEY CASTLEBERRY



The friendly smile of Shelley Castleberry is ever-present to let others know that she is willing to help them. She is a leader in the truest sense of the word. Not content to be only a scholastic leader, she has given of her time and talent to many activities at school. During her freshman year she was elected president of the Oral Reading Club. Shelley served as class secretary her sophomore year and vice-president her junior year. She also possesses dramatic qualities which she displayed in the casts of "The Mouse That Roared" last year and "Oklahoma" this year. Shelley's biggest job this year was the editing of this yearbook. She has spent numerous hours as the editor of the "Shield", and her efforts have resulted in a book that you can really be proud of.

CAROL GRANTHAM



As a cheerleader last year and chief this year, Carol has done much to keep school spirit high. Admired by her classmates, she was elected class secretary her sophomore year. Carol worked very hard on the Homecoming and Junior-Senior Planning Committees last year. She was a cast member of "The Mouse That Roared" last year and helped with the make-up of "Oklahoma" this year. Carol served as business manager last year and class editor of this yearbook.



MARGY HINNANT

Margy has been very active in the band for the past four years. She has served as librarian, secretary-treasurer, and, this year, as president. As president she has done much to upgrade the standards of our band. A very diligent worker, she was reporter for the "High Times" her sophomore year and fashion editor her junior and senior years. Margy did much to make the Junior-Senior Prom a success. She was on the Homecoming Court this year.

Bill has excelled in sports during his high school years. He played J. V. football his freshman year and varsity his sophomore, junior, and senior years. His leadership on the varsity team earned him the title of tri-captain this year. Because of his skill he was named All Conference and All East Honorable Mention this year. Bill also played baseball for four years and served as an inspiration to the team. Musically talented, Bill has played in the band for four years. He also tried to assure success for the Junior-Senior Prom by working on the Planning Committee last year.



BILL JACKSON

SUSAN JONES



Being full of energy is a trait which Susan Jones displays constantly. She loves sports and has been an outstanding member of the varsity basketball team for the past three years. Due to the leadership qualities which Susan possesses she was chosen co-captain of the Red Devils this year. She was a member of the cast "The Mouse That Roared" during her junior year. She has been a majorette of the Smithfield Band the last two years. Susan has done a fine job this year working on the "Shield". She is also on this year's Homecoming Court.

CATHY LEWIS



Cathy Lewis is a very talented girl in many fields. Due to her exceptional talent as a piano player she was chosen pianist of the musical Junior-Senior play, "Oklahoma". She was a member of the J. V. basketball team her sophomore year and the varsity team her junior and senior years. As a member of the "Shield" staff she has diligently worked as activities editor this year. The statement that athletic girls are not beautiful is surely disproven by Cathy. She was on the Homecoming Court this year and was chosen as Homecoming Queen. She also served as a commencement marshal in 1967.

Janet Sellers, a talented musician, has been in the Glee Club for four years and served this year as president and accompanist. Because of her journalistic qualities she has been on the "High Times" staff for three years. She was assistant editor last year and editor-in-chief this year. Janet was a cast member of "The Mouse That Roared" last year and of "Oklahoma" this year. Excelling academically, she was a marshal last year and attended Girl's State last summer.



JANET SELLERS

Janet is one of the hardest working people in our high school. She has played basketball for three years. She did much to make the Junior-Senior play and prom successes last year. Janet was also in the cast of "Oklahoma" this year. Because of her leadership qualities she was elected vice-president of the senior class. She is an excellent speaker and was a place winner in the V. F. W. speech contest this year. Lastly, but perhaps most important, Janet served as Shelley's right arm in preparing this yearbook.



JANET SHALLCROSS

SUE STEWART

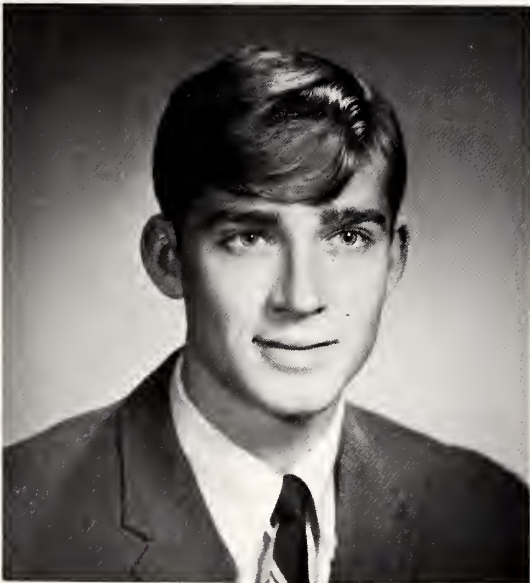


Sue was a member of the Journalism Club during her freshman year and her participation in that club laid the foundation for her role as president of the Distributive Education Club this year. Her qualities of being a leader influenced her classmates to elect her as a member of the Student Council during her sophomore year. She maintained a high scholastic average during her four years in high school. This enabled her to serve as a commencement marshal in the 1967 graduating exercises.

CARL WHARTON



Practice and determination have made Carl Wharton an athlete to be admired. Carl played football all four years of high school and was one of the prominent members of the varsity team. He has also been a member of the track team throughout his high school career and won a Leadership Award in track during his junior year. As one of the hardest working committee members he made the 1967 Junior-Senior Prom and the 1967 Homecoming Dance a success. Carl has assisted in the publication of the "Shield" this year. Lastly, but most important, he was elected president of the Senior Class and he has been an excellent leader.



STEPHEN WOODARD

Stephen has exhibited his ability as a leader in many phases of school life. In sports he has played football for two years, track for two years and basketball for three years. This year he was named co-captain of the basketball team. As president of his junior class, Stephen headed up the Junior-Senior Prom activities. With all these activities he managed to maintain a high academic average and served as a marshal last year.

Although Jean has only been at Smithfield High School for her junior and senior years, she has been an asset to the school. She played on the J. V. basketball team her junior year and had a prominent place on the varsity team this year. Jean was a member of the band for two years and this year she was chosen by her fellow band members as sargeant of the band. As a competent worker, she served on the 1967 Homecoming Planning Committee and the 1966-67 Junior-Senior Prom Planning Committee. With all her other activities she is an excellent student and served as a marshal in 1967.



JEAN WOODRUFF

JUNIORS





Junior Class Officers

Secretary - RONNIE HOPKINS

Vice-President - BRADLEY CARROLL

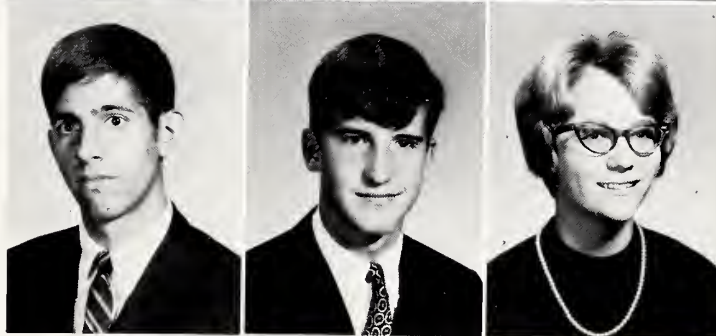
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 Pamela Adams



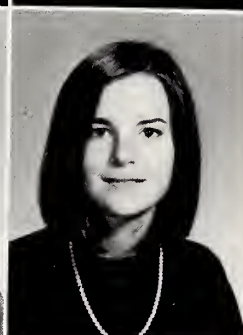
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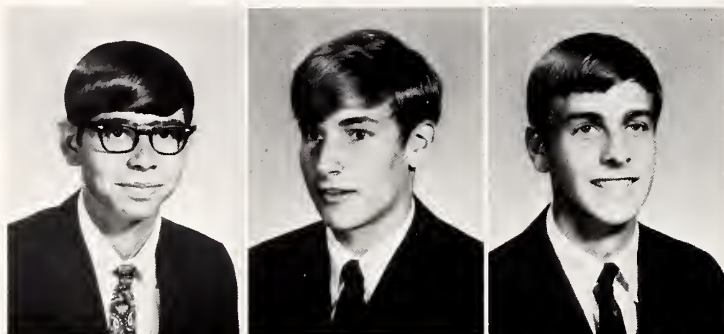


Jessie Helen Barbour
 Ricky Dean Barbour
 Judith Ellen Barefoot



Bette Jeanne Barnes
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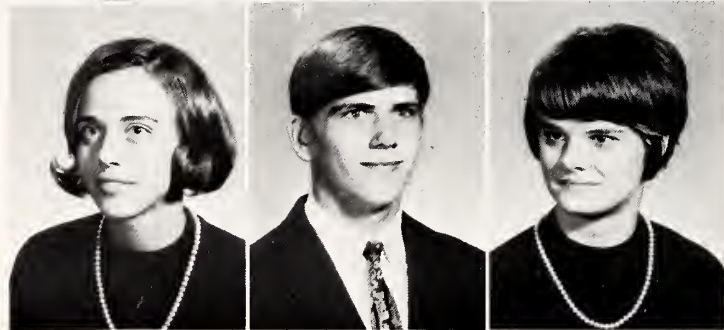
Juniors



James Douglas Blackman
Gordon Lowry Blow
Robert Burwell Brown



Bonnie Jean Byrd
Dennis Junior Byrd
Sam Ray Byrd



Sharon Leigh Cameron
Herbert Bradley Carrol
Peggy Louise Carter

Capable Juniors, Nancy Steigleman and Alan Gardner, help to entertain at Homecoming.

Juniors



Harold Steven Creech



June Lynette Creech



Sara Debra Creech
 Cathy Gwyn Cobb
 Debra Dianne Cretini
 Jane Austin Cunningham



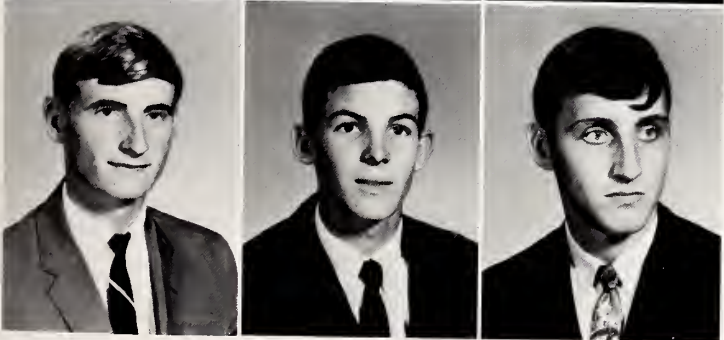
Deanne Daughtry
 Jennifer Faye Davis
 Sandra Kaye Davis
 John Robert Dupree



Judy Gail Eason
 Craig Michael Ennis
 Judy Carol Ennis
 James Erwin Faircloth



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 Gloria Alice Flowers
 Robert Clark Forbes

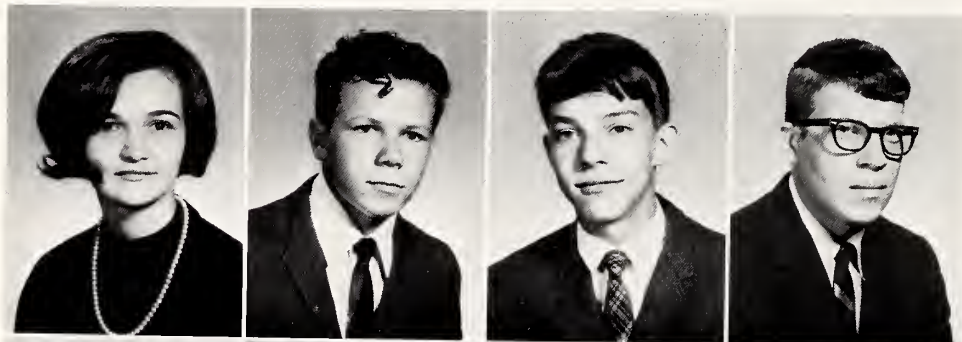


Delmonte Ray Futch
 Alan Carl Gardner
 James Dwight Gay



Could these students be jolly juniors?

Juniors



Phyllis Carol Gay
Rubin Russell Gilmore
James Everette Godwin
John Edward Gregory



Sharon Annette Gregory
Diana Jean Haas
James Barron Hall
Henry William Harris, Jr.

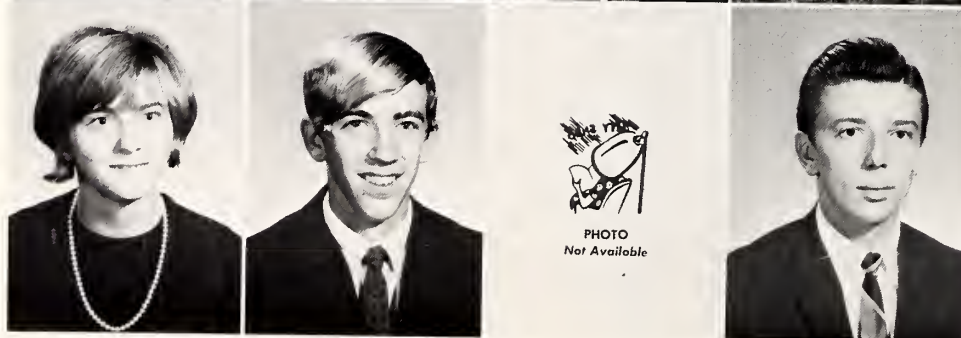


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Terri Anne Haskill
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Alfred Dewayne Hill
Donnie Raeford Hill



Emily Ann Hill
 Mary Frances Hill
 Hugh Bryan Hobbs, Jr.
 Merita Ann Holt



Richard Rowan Holt
 Teresa Kay Holt
 Ronald Joe Hopkins
 James Raymond Hudson

Jamie Sue Hughes
 Pamela Teresa Hulth
 Karen Arleen Jackson
 Michael Ray Johnson



Monnie Sue Johnson
 Thomas Glenn Johnson
 William Thomas Johnson
 Betty Catherine Jones



Carmel Theresa Jones
 Carolyn Sue Jones
 Charles Michael Jones
 David Alexander Jones



Larry Smith Jones
 Crystal Elise Jordan
 Deborah Rose Lane
 George Mack Langdon, Jr.



Romey Kenneth Langston
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 James Daniel Lee, Jr.
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Catherine Ruth Lipsak
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 Nancy Louise Liverman
 David Earl Massengill



Juniors



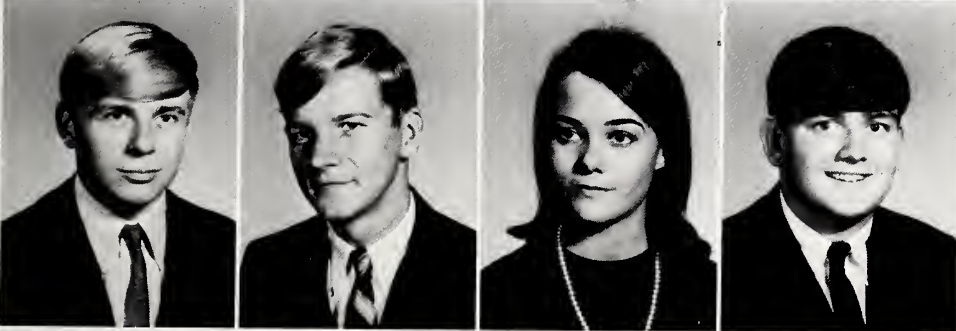
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 Victor Clarence Miller
 Burton Thomas Monroe



Monnie Rebecca Moyer
 Ronald Elbert Murphy
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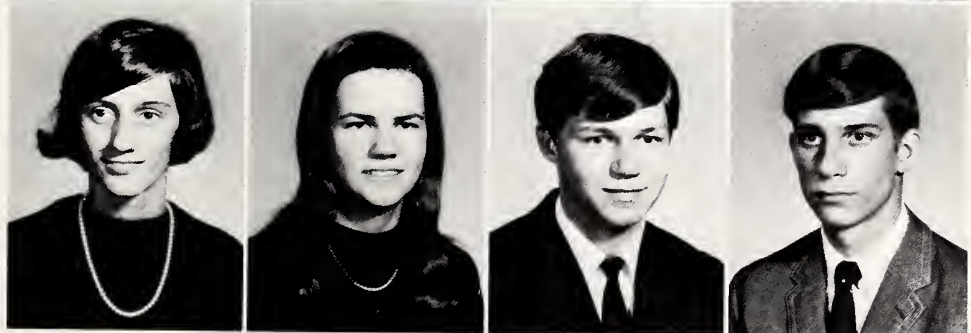


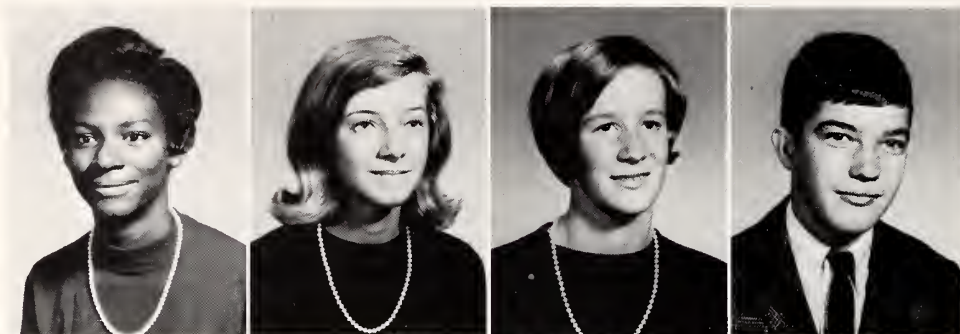
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 Jerry Lynn Roberts
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 Stephenson, Jr.

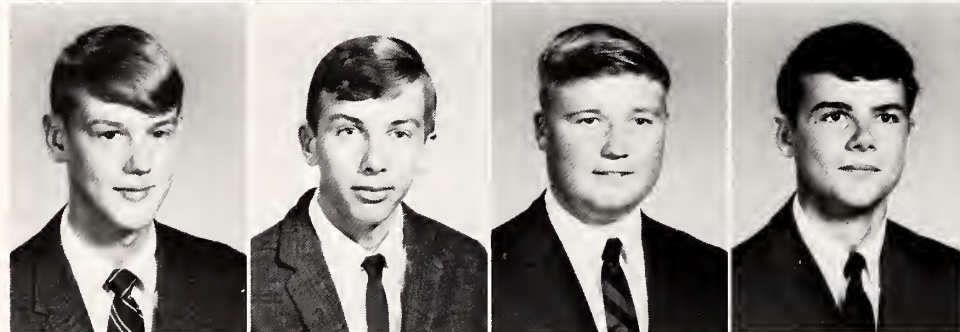




Jacqueline Elizabeth Stevens
 Nancy Nelson Stigelman
 Sally Jo Stockdale
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 Rebecca Ann Talton
 Jennifer Ann Thompson



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 Jimmy Edward Thorne
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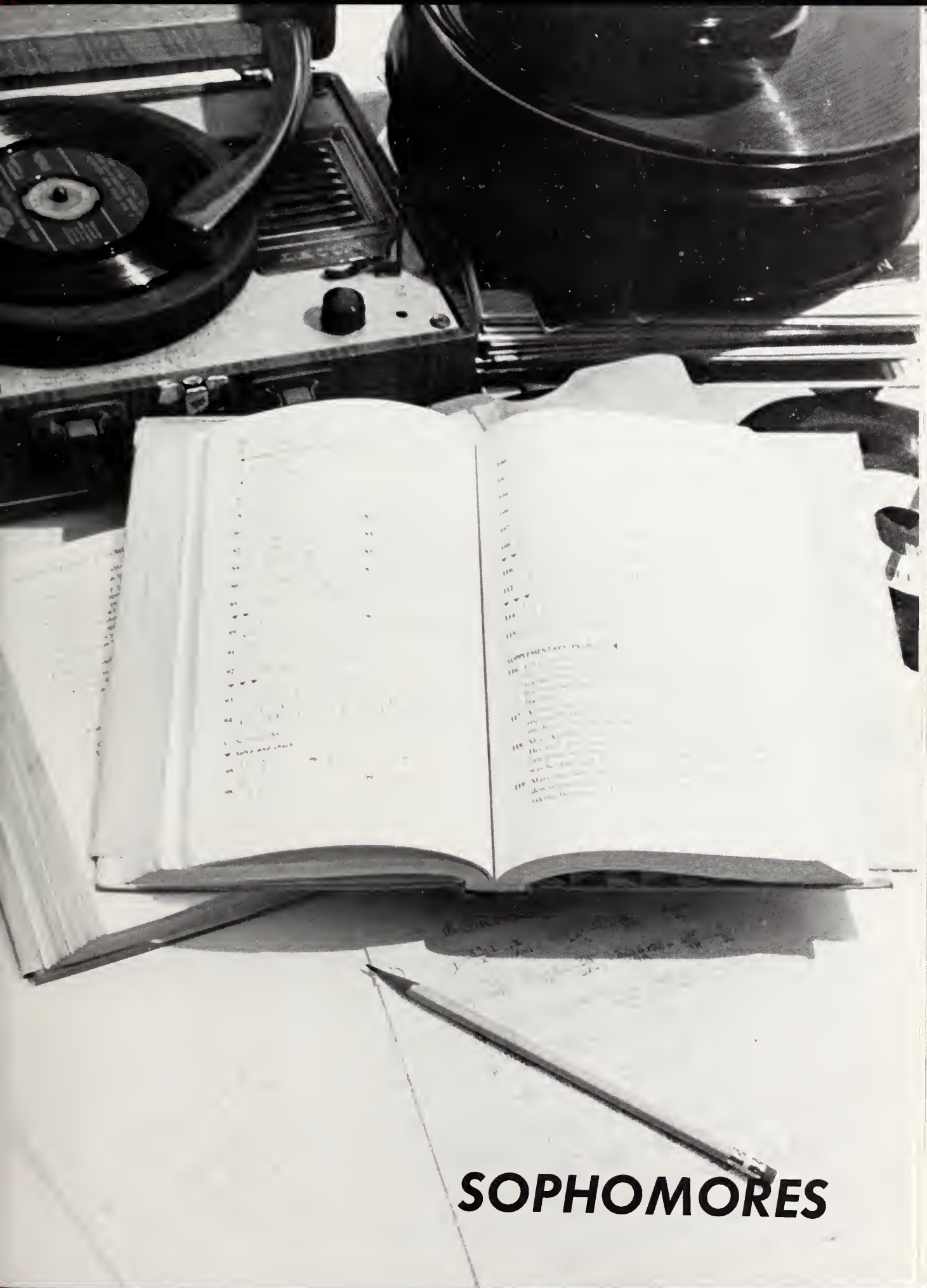


David Thurman West
 Tappy Ann White
 Carolyn Faye Williams
 Stephen Nelson Wilson

Juniors

Danny Whitfield Wood
 Deborah Jean Woodruff
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 Ralph Laverne Young





SOPHOMORES



Sophomore Class Officers

President - BARRY FOOTE

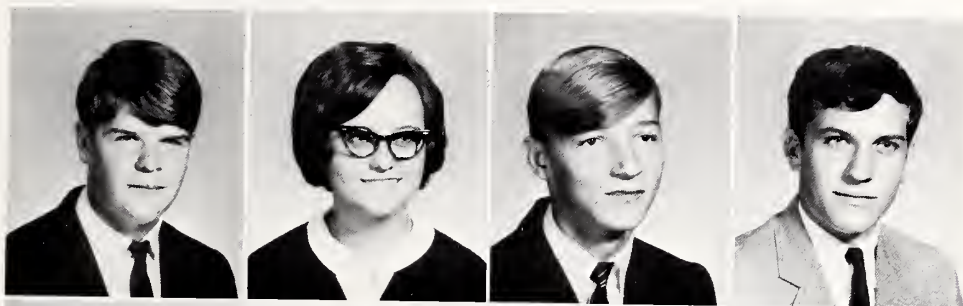
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Treasurer - EDDIE RABIL

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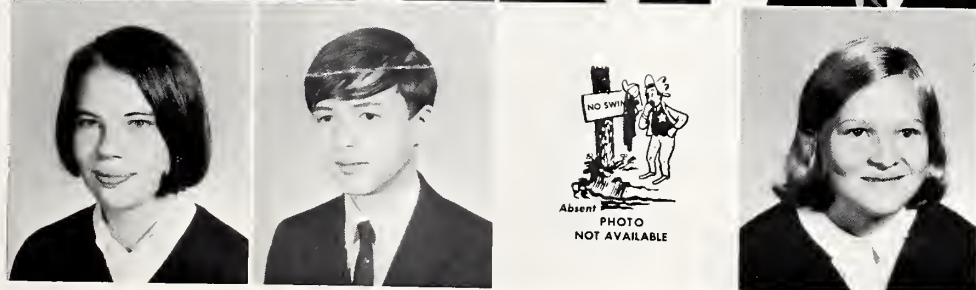
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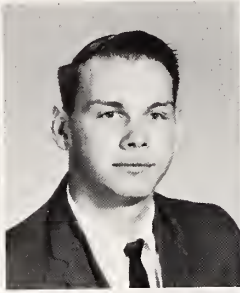
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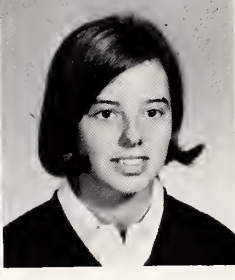
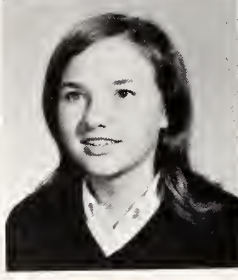
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Do "silly sophomores"
 find everything as
 amusing as Mrs. Wor-
 ley's math class?



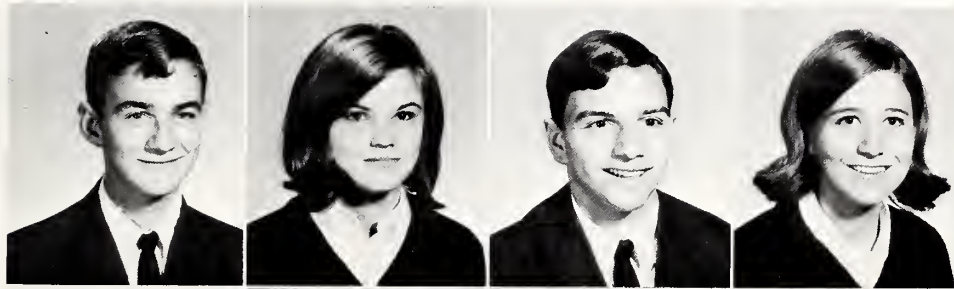
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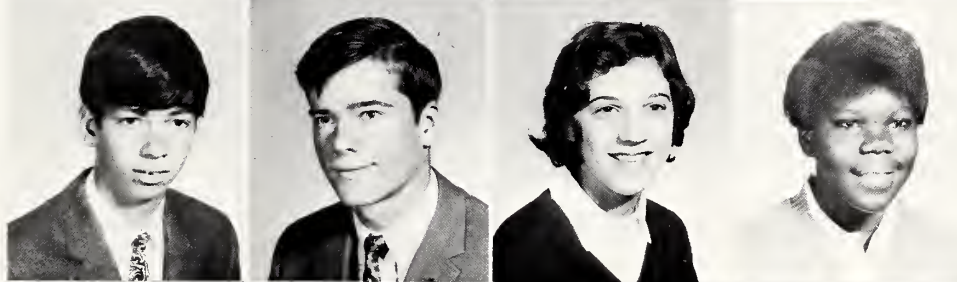
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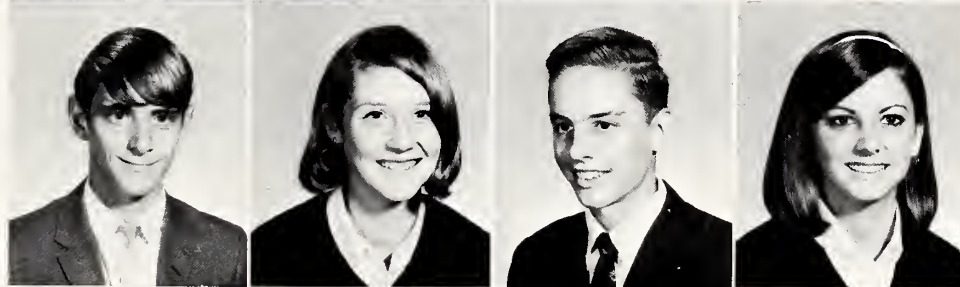
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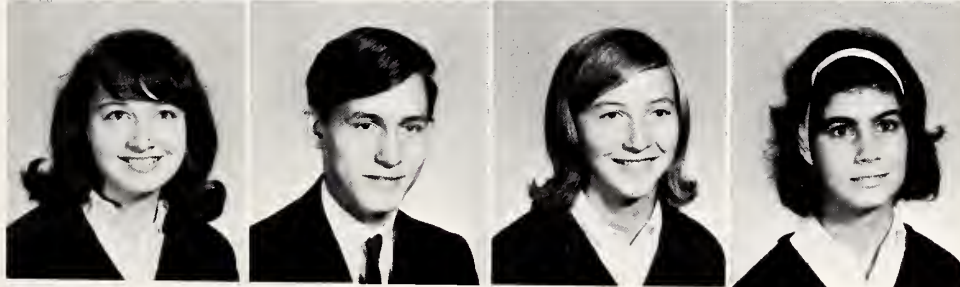
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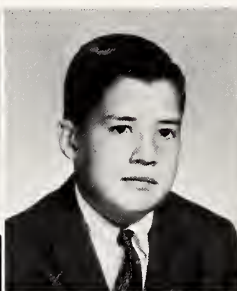
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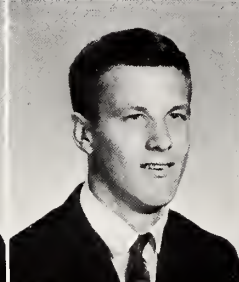
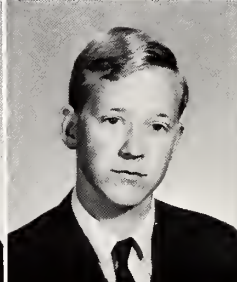
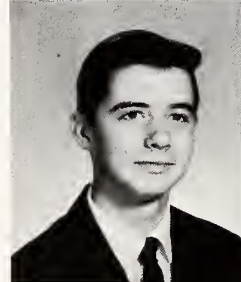
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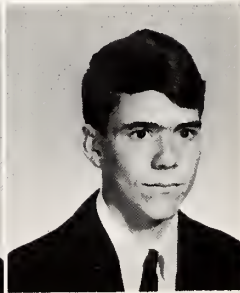
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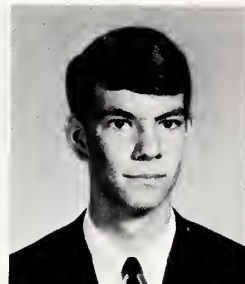


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Sophomores



Jennie Katherine Peterson
Wanda Sue Phillips
Delores Ann Pope
Harvey Craig Price



Rebecca Jane Price
Edward George Rabil III
Tillie Sue Radford
Sally Kay Rollins



James Robert Sellers, Jr.
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Karen Sanders Shepherd
Steve Russell Simmons



Connie Jean Simpson
Linda Darnell Simpson
Johnny Edward Smith
Sam Bennett Smith



Brenda Kaye Southerland
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Can they convince Mrs. Creech that the typographical errors were the machines' faults, not theirs?



Sophomores

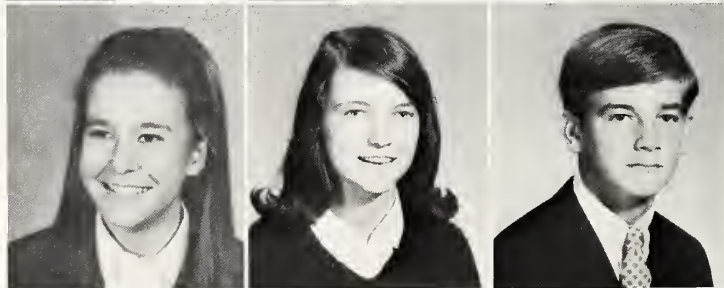


Summit Meeting at recess.

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 Danny Alan Strickland
 Janice Carolyn Strickland



Mary Jo Stephenson
 Sylvia Carol Stephenson
 William Edward Stephenson



Jeffrey Blades Stewart
 Stephanie Barbour Taylor
 Laura Diane Thompson



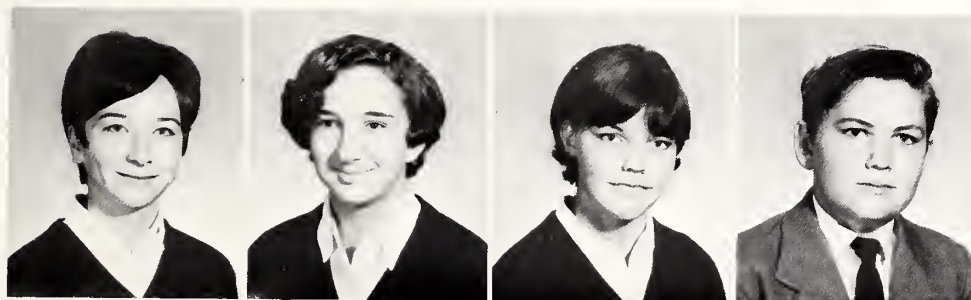
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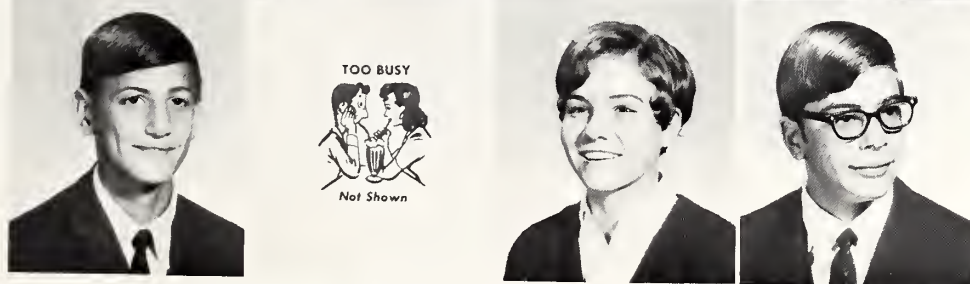
Food for thought!



Paula Marie Vernon
Gloria Stephenson Wall
Margaret Ilene Wallace
Albert Earl Watson



Robert Neal Welch
Patricia Ann West
Carol Eyvonne White
Dwight Milton Wiggs



"I prefer finger painting!"



And they say beauty isn't everything!



Marilyn Greene Woodard
Mildred Rebecca Yarborough

Denise Lynette Willie



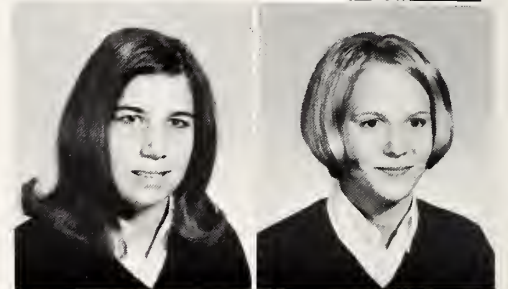
James Mitchiner Wilson



Margie Carolyn Wise



Charlie Braxton Wood





FRESHMEN



Freshman Class Officers

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Secretary - BRENDA JO SULLIVAN

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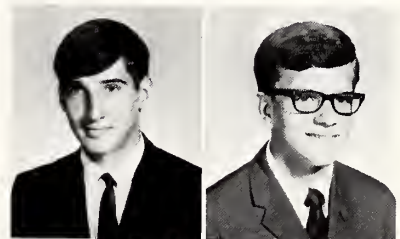
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 John Thomas Barbour
 Thomas Ray Barbour
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Senior, Galen Bolin, gives freshman, Mari
 Jonn Lewis, a word of advice.



David Bruce Barnes
 Larry Wilmond Barnes



Nellie Gray Barnes
 William Smith Barnes



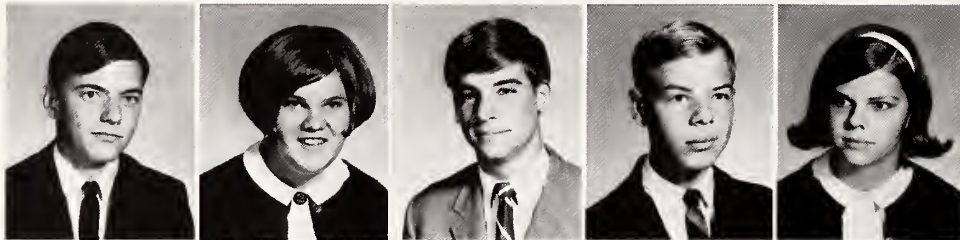
Carmen Sarai Barry
 Woodrow Gorden
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Eager new faces enlighten
classes at SHS.



Freshmen



Everette Bruce Beasley
Judy Diana Benson
Stephen Lawrence Benson
Bobby Grant Blackman
Penny Gaynell Bullock



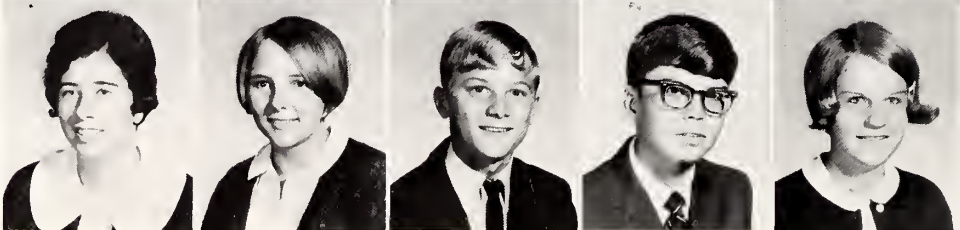
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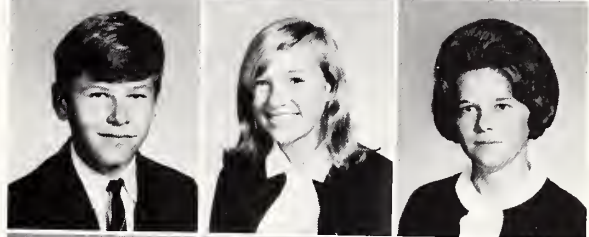


Clayton Narron naps
between classes!

Rebecca Etta Daniels
Carl Daughtry, Jr.
Barbara Ann Davis



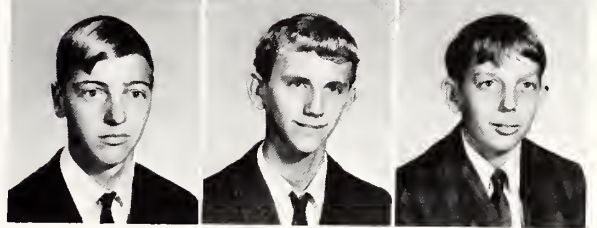
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John Wayne Evans
Deborah Irene Exum
Stephen Holt Fore
Pamela Foster



Charles Ray Freeman
Shirley Renee Gay
Larry Wayne Gerrell
Elizabeth Christine Gilbert
Billy Micheal Godwin



David Courtney Godwin
Rhonda Hope Godwin
Nancy Carol Grant
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Freshmen



Jo Ann Hamilton
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Vicki Lynn Haskill
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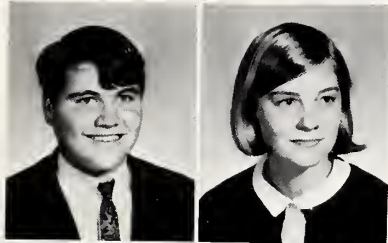
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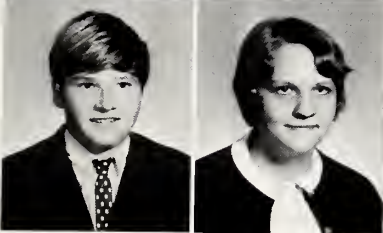
Claudia Dianne Johnson

Freshmen hoard cafeteria during lunch.

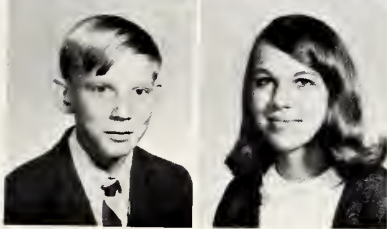




Charles Huitt Johnson
De Lane Johnson



Jeffery Leon Johnson
Helen Irene Johnson



Jerry Randolph Johnson
Carol Leigh Jones



Energy refreshed, they are ready for
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Deborah Louise Jones
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Jennifer Faye Jones
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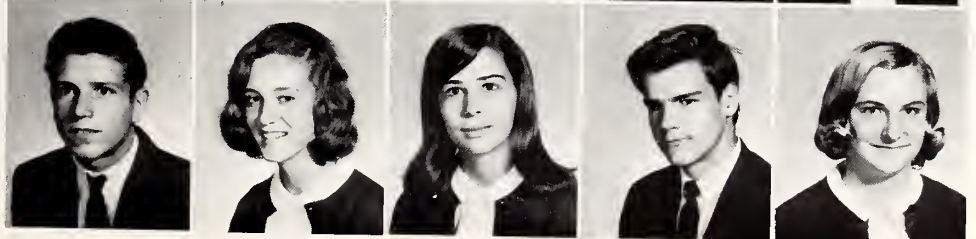
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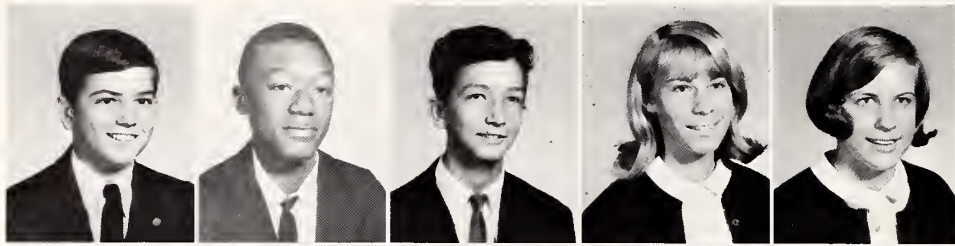
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Betty Elizabeth Manos



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Robert Craig Massengill
Kenneth Jerome Mathews
Steve Watson Mathews
Dianne Leslie McCullers
Deborah Ann McClain



Ronald Elbert Medlin
Donald Ray Medlin
Patsy Lee Moye
Robert Clayton Narron
Al Howard Paddison



Herman Adams Palmer
Brenda Elizabeth Parker
Sylvia Rose Parker
Virginia Cragin Parker
Charles Irvin Parrish, Jr.



Ricky Ray Parrish
Stephen Carl Parrish
Carolyn Diane Partin
David Sanders Peedin
Nell Elizabeth Perry



Larry Gattis Phillips
Jack Blythe Pierce
Carolyn Sue Pittman
Tony Louis Pollard
Hugh Braxton Powell, Jr.

Freshmen blocking the halls--that's typical!

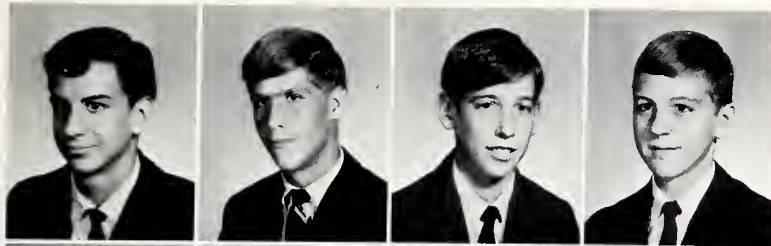


Thomas Glenn Price

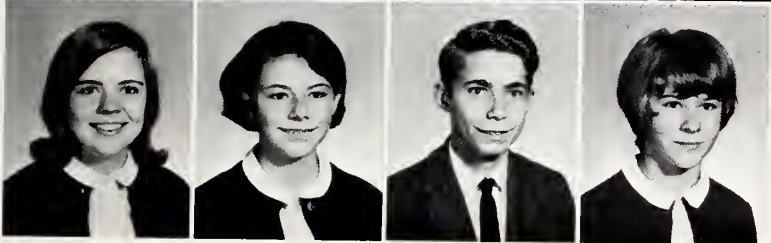


Sammy Joe Queen





Michael Louis Rabil
 Russell McIver Reid
 William Rodgers Sanders
 David Robert Sawrey



Jacqueline Mary Shallcross
 Deborah Marie Sharek
 William Frederick Smith
 Wanda Sue Simpson

Mary Jeannette Spence
 George Ann Stallings
 George Robert Stallings
 Kathy Geneva Stallings



Ralph Lawrence Stancil
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 Patricia Ann Stewart
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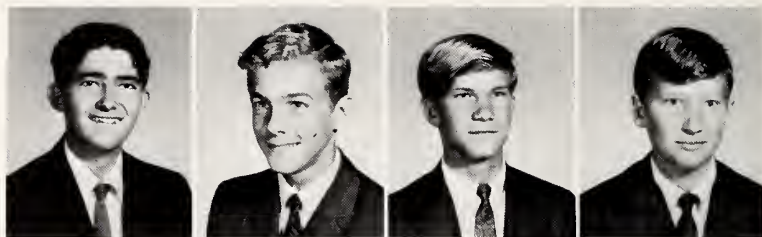
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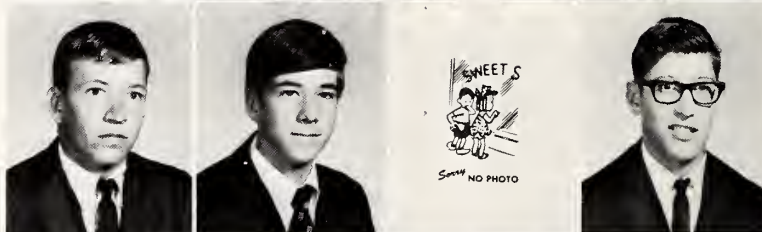
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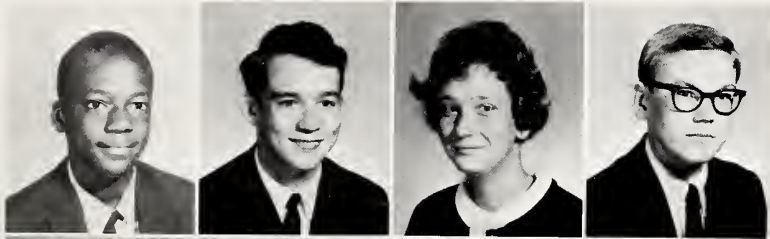
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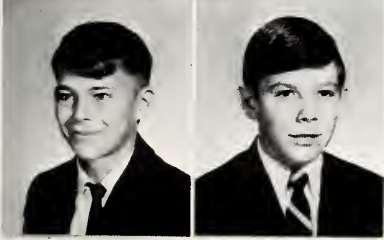
"I think he's going to take
 our pic...!"



Robert Atlas Williams
Roy Chapman Williams
Sylvia Lee Williams
Peter Holt Wilson



Sara Clarisse Wilson
Wendy Woodall
Hugh Laverne Worley, Jr.
Patricia Dianne Worley



Phillip Mandy Worley
Billy Graham Worsham, II

Patiently waiting for further instructions.



Activities

*September
til
June*

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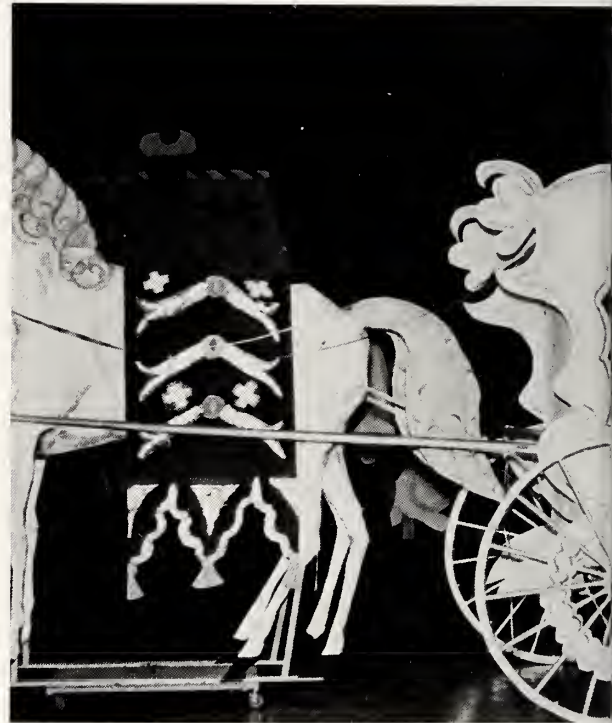
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Younger than springtime!



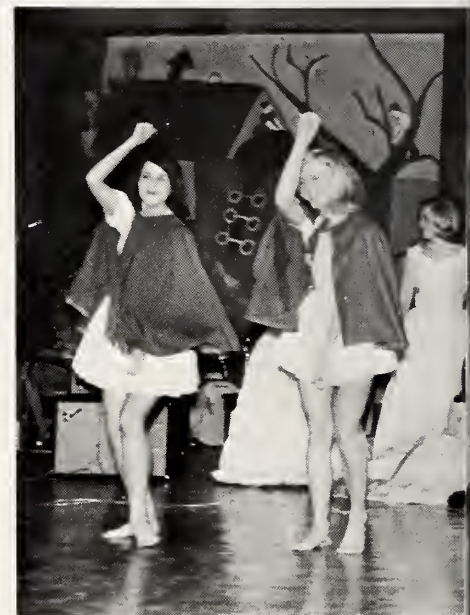
Do I love you because
you're beautiful?



Cinderella's coach arrives at



The king's court awaits the big show.



Red Riding Hood

"Land of Enchantment"



the ball.



Mr. Rogers and his band provided us with music.



They could have danced all night.



goes mod!



Amazing, isn't it!

"The Mouse That Roared"

In the spring of 1967, the classes of '67 and '68 presented "The Mouse That Roared", which was directed by Mrs. Nell Reid.

The play was about a small country, Grand Fenwick, which was ruled by a twenty-two year old girl whose name was Gloriana. Her unique solution to the near bankruptcy of her country was to declare war on the U. S. She thought that if her country would have to lose to the U. S., the U. S. would give them aid. But to upset her calculations, Tully Bascom and his bowmen did the last thing expected---they won!



Four tourists (Sylvia Whitley, Jenny Watson, Ginny Harris, and Cathy Lewis) encounter Tully in the forest of Grand Fenwick.



General Snippet and his two daughters, Debbie (Meg Andreus) and Jill (Julia Gilbert) are accosted by Tully Bascom.



Buddy Davis puts the finishing touches on the Professor.

Junior-Senior Play



Professor Kokintz (Tim Daughtry) discusses Grand Fenwick's "Declaration" with the President (Steve Gower), General Snippet (Carl Wharton), and Secretary of State (Bobby Benson.)



Gloriana's ladies-in-waiting, Helen (Nancy Johnson) and Norma (Brenda Stancil.)



Gloriana (Gail Evans) listens to a proposal made by the U. S. Secretary of State. At Gloriana's right is Tully Bascom (Steve Stephenson).



1967 HOMECOMING QUEEN: Miss Cathy Lewis

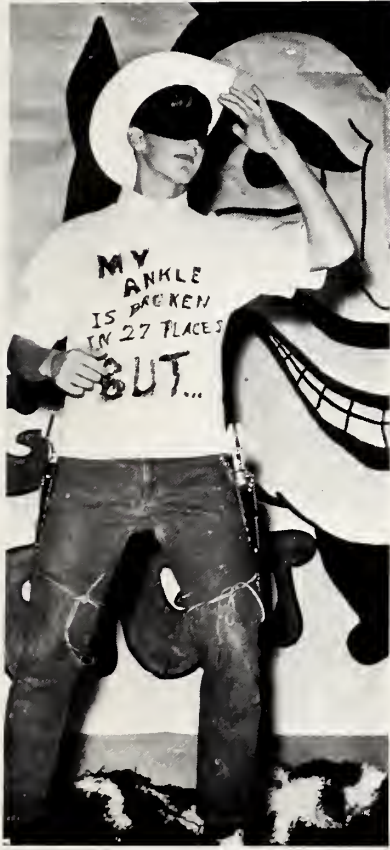
Homecoming 1967



COURT - Margy Hinnant, Steve Gower; Luci O'Melia, Bill Jackson; Hope Allen, Johnny Bullock; Carol Grantham, Leroy Hamilton; Meg Andreus, Stephen Woodard; Cathy Lewis, Bobby Benson; Julia Gilbert, Danny Narron; Shelley Castleberry, Carl Wharton; Ginny Harris, Alex Wilson; Susan Jones, Charles Avera; Ann Mitchiner, Ted Forbes; and Gailya Adams, Johnny Creech.



(Dance) Smile, you're on Candid Camera!



WOW!



(Chapel) "I'm a Red Devil born, I'm a Red Devil bred ..."



(Chapel) Keep ya faith, baby!



"Y-y-e-e-s-s-s ..."

Powder-Puff Football

Smithfield High held its first Powder-Puff football game this fall. The teams were made up of junior and senior girls, coached by Mr. Floyd and Joe Austin. Proceeds went to defray costs of the annual Homecoming Dance.

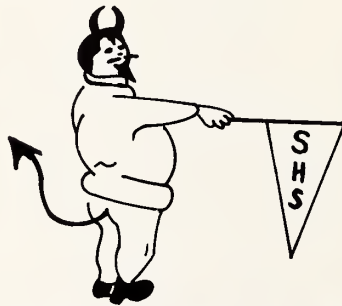


What it was was football.



Heaven help the man who comes between me and my sister! (right)

Jane Austin Cunningham led Austin's Awesome Athletes to a victory over Floyd's Fearless Fillies. (left)



Would you like to be Queen for a Day? (below)





Santa Claus (Beryl Wells) takes his children on a trip around the world.

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*“Christmas
 Around
 the World”*



(ABOVE) Santa Claus and his children from around the world sing a Christmas carol.





What do we have here?

Junior-Senior Play



"People say we're in love," says Laurey (Julia Gilbert) to Curly (Durwood Rose).



"I'm going to Kansas City," says Will Parker (Steve Little).

"Oklahoma"

In the winter of 1967, the juniors and seniors presented "Oklahoma," a musical by Rodgers and Hammerstein. Mrs. E. V. Wilkins was the overall director of the play.

The main characters in the play were Laurey (Julia Gilbert), Curly (Durwood Rose), and Aunt Eller (Meg Andraeus). Over 80 people made up the cast. A lot of time and effort were given to this play, and it paid off well. The play was a great success!



Pam Adams performs to the tune of "Many a New Day".



Laurey sounds hopeful as she sings "Many a New Day".



Jud Fry (Larry Barnes) sings a heart-warming song, "Pore Jud".

A black and white photograph capturing a moment of formal writing. A person, seen from the side and slightly behind, is focused on writing with a large quill pen on a document. The quill is held in a firm grip, and the tip is touching the paper. In the foreground, a dark wooden gavel with a rounded head and a handle lies on the desk, partially overlapping the document. The background is softly blurred, showing a window with light streaming in, creating a professional and serious atmosphere. The overall composition is clean and emphasizes the traditional aspects of legal or official work.

ORGANIZATIONS



Glee Club

Mrs. John McLean's talent and hard work have proved to be a real asset to our school's Glee Club. This year the group has displayed imagination in both the Thanksgiving and Christmas programs. The addition of the male vocalists added greatly to the overall effect of the Choral Group. By learning to use their voices to the best of their ability, the members of the choral group develop a real appreciation for music.



OFFICERS: Cathy Jones, Pam Eason, Cathy Boob, Sheri Walton, Michael Rabil, Rhonda McLean, Janet Sellers.



S.H.S. Band



BAND OFFICERS: Hope Allen, Margy Hinnant, Steve Little, Craig Price, and Shelley Castleberry.

(BELOW) And for our next number ...



The Smithfield High School Band is an important and vital part of our school. Besides performing at football games, this group also plays at various pep rallies and in chapel. They present several concerts during the year which include both classical and popular music. Throughout the state our band has been a fine representative while participating in various parades.

Majorettes

The SHS majorettes have entertained us with some spectacular half-time shows. The new fire batons added much to their routines. Besides marching in the Christmas parade, they have journeyed to other towns across the state. Their hard work has paid off well, for they have become a vital part of the SHS Band.



STANDING: Carolyn Williams, Pam Adams, June Creech, Bette Barnes, Susan Jones, Hope Allen (head), Shelley Castleberry (head).



Homecoming!



(RIGHT)
HEAD MAJORETTES:
Shelley Castleberry,
Hope Allen.



Cheerleaders

This year's cheerleaders were filled with leadership and enthusiasm. Not only did they strive to create school spirit at games and pep rallies, but they worked many hours making posters, decorating the field, practicing the cheers, and attending camps. These efforts were certainly worthwhile.

Once again these girls proved to be outstanding school representatives.



... on the bus



... hanging loose



CAROL!



Just look at those legs!



"Ya'll yell!"



STANDING: Sharon Cameron, Julia Gilbert, Ginny Harris.
KNEELING: Ann Mitchiner, Carol Grantham (chief), Kathy Reese, Page Perkinson, Susan Parrish.

J.V. Cheerleaders

This year's J.V. cheerleaders are Kathy Jones, Jeanette Spence, Beth Gilbert, Debbie Sharek, Kathy Boob, and Sherry Walton. These girls inspired pep at all the junior varsity games and proved to be excellent school representatives.



Bus Drivers



Our bus drivers have the responsibility of bringing students safely to and from school each day. None of us realize the extra hours these students have to put into their job. Because of a flawless record in safety, bus children can feel safe when entrusted to the care of our bus drivers.

ALTERNATES: Debra Creech, Judy Eason, Judy Barefoot, Gwen Cobb.

FIRST ROW: Cathy Clark, June Creech, Jenny Sanders, Patsy Sanders, Bonnie Byrd, Judy Allen.
 SECOND ROW: Danny Penny, Jerry Roberts, Tony Pope, James Young, David Stearns. THIRD ROW:
 Johnny Bullock, Tony Johnson, Larry Barnes.





"What do you mean, you want more time off?"



Distributive Education Club

The Distributive Education Club is composed of Distributive Education and Marketing students. One of its main purposes is to give the working students a chance to participate in extracurricular activities, which they otherwise have no time for due to their jobs. Among other things, club members may attend various conventions where they meet with other D. E. Clubs and compete in various contests such as job interview. The highlight of the year is the Annual Boss's Banquet held in honor of the employers of the working students.



Students learn how to be good salesmen after classroom training.

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION CLUB MEMBERS



Industrial Cooperative Training

This is the second year of our I. C. T. program and it has really been a great help to the students of Smithfield High. The I. C. T. program has been a successful one thanks to the businesses and industries who have given students part time jobs. In the program the students are obtaining on the job training. At school Mr. Massy supplies the students with the information they need to make there employers happy and they're jobs run smoothly.

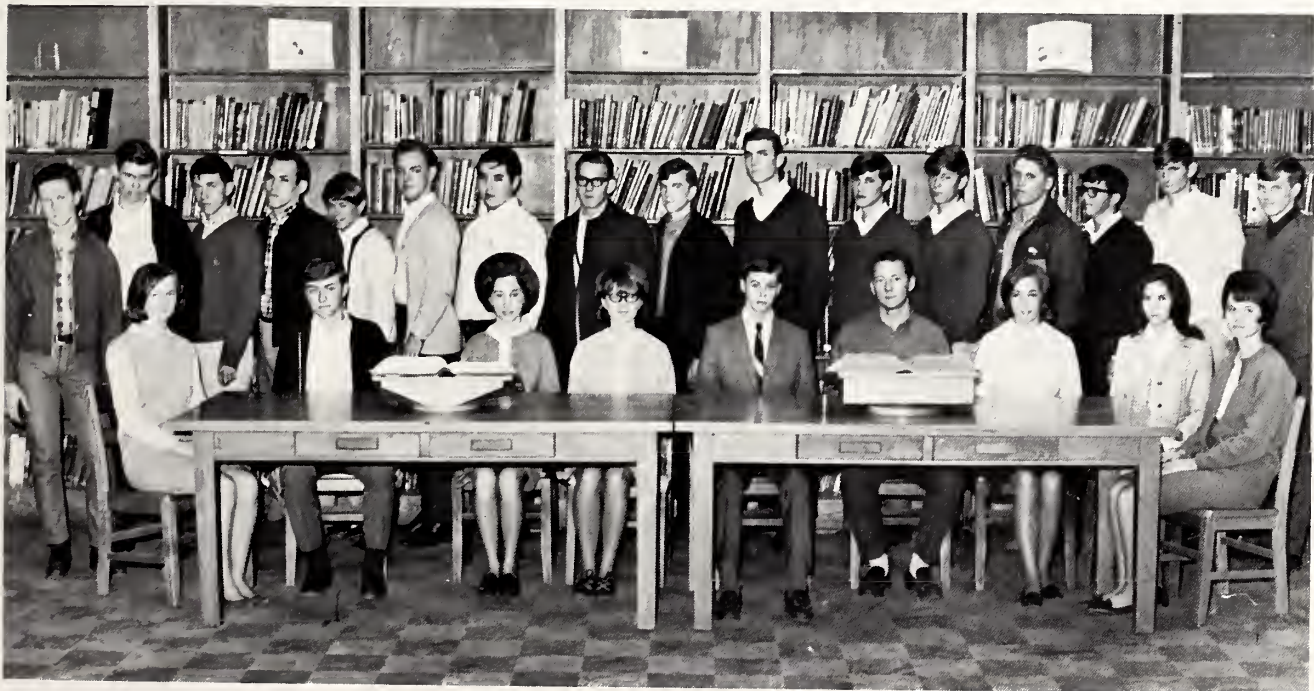


Joe Phillips asks, "What happens if you turn this little thing?" ... BOOM!!!



A project of the I. C. T. students is working at the concession stand during home ball games.

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Future Homemakers of America



Mrs. Heard, an F. H. A. sponsor, helps students with the fundamentals of homemaking.



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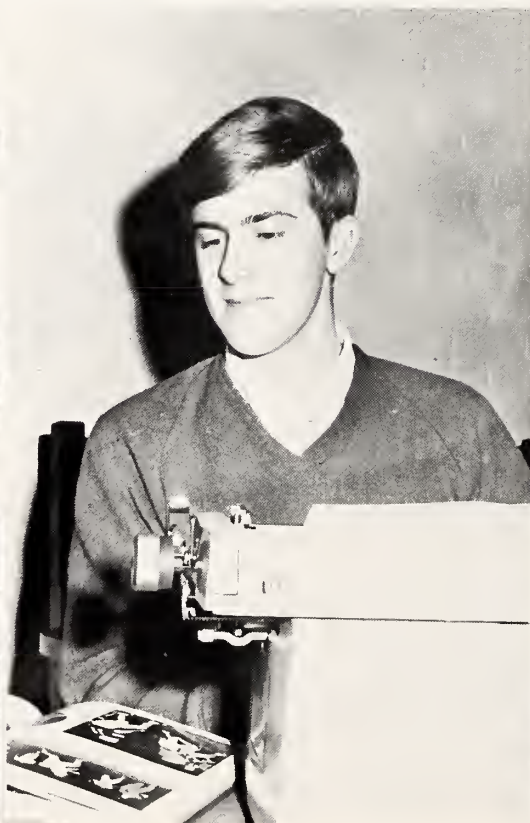


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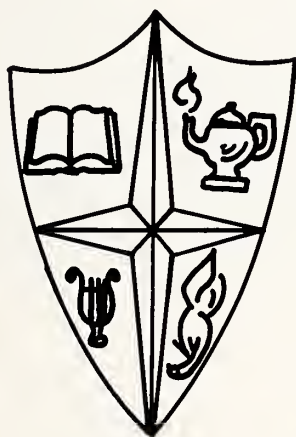




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It has been the aim of your Shield staff to capture in word and picture the events and activities of the school year 1967-68 at Smithfield High. This has been a year of many exciting and enriching experiences for each student, and we do hope that we have recorded here those events which have been most meaningful to you.

Looking backward can bring pleasant memories, and that bringing back of pleasant memories is exactly our intention in compiling this year's annual for you. May this book recall for you in years to come the friends you made, the knowledge you gained, and the fun you had in the hallowed halls of S. H. S.



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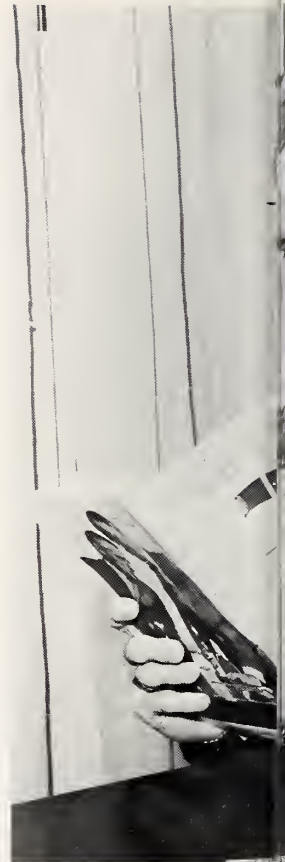


This year our school paper, the High Times, has taken on a new look. Besides resembling a miniature newspaper it has also printed photographs of some of the year's important events. The thoughts and opinions of the students who are on the paper's staff are reflected in each edition. School activities, news items, and other topics of interest inform us about important school affairs. Many hours are spent in collecting news and writing articles for each publication. Without the patience and supervision of Mrs. Burnette, faculty advisor, the High Times could not be the success that it is.



Our new High Times!

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Football '67

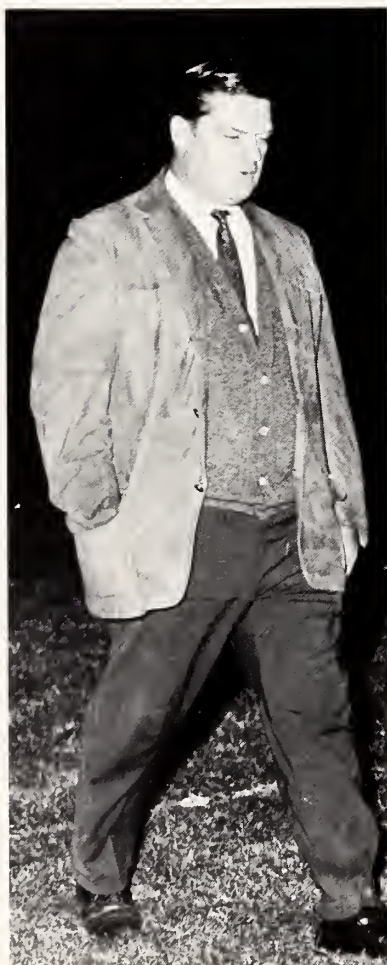
Devil Coach Gains Hundredth Victory

On the thirteenth of October of this year, the mighty Red Devils defeated the Wake Forest Red Devils by the score of 13 to 12. To most spectators it was just another close game. That is not true. The victory over Wake Forest enabled one man to reach a milestone in a coach's career. For on that night Coach Roy J. Brown acquired his 100th victory.

Coach Brown came here after graduating from Atlantic Christian College where he excelled both as a scholar and an athlete.

Coach Brown's first season was a losing one but from 1950 to 1962 he had only two losing campaigns. The football teams of 1957 and 1959 went undefeated. The 1959 team went on to become state champions in class AA football. Coach Brown was chosen Coach of the Year and selected to coach the East team in the High School Shrine Game in Greensboro.

Coach Brown's humor and personality are almost a tradition at SHS. He always seems to have a bit of humor to make his students laugh. However, on the field Brown is all business. His teams are known for their determination and spirit.





FIRST ROW: B. Jackson, D. Narron, E. Wall, B. Carroll, J. Creech, M. Langdon, J. Bullock. SECOND ROW: C. Avera, C. Wharton, B. Benson, H. Talton, B. Forbes, R. Holt, J. Adams, T. Forbes. THIRD ROW: B. Foote, S. Woodard, L. Ryan, C. Ennis, R. Jefferies, S. Byrd, J. Parrish. FOURTH ROW: Coach Brown, H. Peedin, L. Hamilton, A. Gardner, S. Gower, A. Wilson, E. Rabil.



Coach Brown talks about this year's team tri-captains Bobby Benson, Bill Jackson, and Johnny Creech.



Johnny Creech throws Henderson Quarterback for loss.

Henderson 35 SHS 0

The young, inexperienced Red Devils traveled to Henderson to open this season. The inexperience of the line was the key to the defeat. Sophomore quarterback Barry Foote had numerous passes dropped from the hands of his receiver. Early penalties set SHS in a hole they couldn't get out of all night. Foote did come through with a 46.6 punting average for the night. Coach Brown cited the hard running of Bobby Benson, Bill Jackson, and Johnny Creech.

North Johnston 13 SHS 13

"We finally jelled", "Boys didn't give up", were the words with which Coach Brown described the come from behind tie SHS had with NJHS. The devils had to overcome a 13 to 0 halftime deficit in the fourth quarter. Joe Parrish blocked a NJHS punt to change the tide of the game. Bill Jackson did some fabulous running and soon it was 13 to 6. Jackson continued his great running as Benson scored his second TD on a 7 yard run. Benson then made the all important extra point.



(ABOVE) Bill Jackson waves to 'mama' as he races around end.

(LEFT) Craig Ennis and Bobby Benson demonstrate some of the rugged second half defense against NJHS.

(RIGHT) ALEX WILSON





Red Devil bench shows outcome of Clayton game.

Clayton 53 SHS 7 Millbrook 34 SHS 7

The speed of Clayton and the crushing ground game of Millbrook caused the proud Devils of SHS to be decisively defeated. Clayton scored the second time they had the ball and quite a few times after that. Clayton hits with the long run that demoralizes.

Millbrook was entirely different. They just ram the ball down your throats and kill you on defense. Millbrook had 375 yards total offense to SHS 78 yards. The bright spot in both games was the passing of Barry Foote. He still had numerous passes dropped.

LEROY HAMILTON



Jackson looks for his blocking in Clayton game.



(RIGHT)
STEVE
GOWER



Fuquay 26 SHS 20

The best way to describe SHS's offense was in the words of Coach Brown, "The best offensive showing in two years." The mighty Red Devils showed they could come through but the defense let the Devil offense down time after time. Bill Jackson started off the offense with an 86 yard kickoff return only to be caught from behind on the three. Eddie Rabil took over for the injured Johnny Creech and his shifty style of running made him the star of the night. Big Steve Gower, Bobby Benson, and Carl Wharton shone on defense.



(TOP)
CARL
WHARTON



Jackson breaks loose for 86 yard kickoff return.



STEPHEN
WOODARD

Wake Forest 12 SHS 13

Friday the thirteenth unlucky? Not for Coach Brown and the Red Devils.

The thirteen points on the thirteenth gave Coach Brown his 100th victory and the Red Devils this year's first. The offense continued in their "new birth" and came from behind to get the win. Barry Foote called an excellent game and the offense was very balanced. Two long Wake runs kept the Devil defense from posting their best mark yet.

Coach Brown got a victory ride on the shoulders of the team and the game ball was also presented to him.



Foote scores winning TD in Wake Forest win.

DANNY NARRON



Benson runs wild against Apex as he gains part of his 150 yards.

Apex 6 SHS 25

Smithfield's mighty Red Devils' offense continued in its new found strength and ran over Apex 25 to 6. The Red Devil ground attack was in full gear and was led by Bobby Benson. Benson gained over 150 yards that night. Barry Foote continued to call another excellent game. Bill Jackson and Eddie Rabil gained consistently around the ends. Stephen Woodard and Bradley Carroll led the offensive line. The defense limited Apex to just one first down in the first half and allowed them to get into SHS only late in the fourth quarter. The defense was high-lighted by Joe Parish's 65 yard runback of an intercepted pass.



Eddie Rabil wiggles free for a large gain against Apex.

JOHNNY BULLOCK



Vaiden Whitley 13 SHS 6

The Red Devils next hosted the Vaiden Whitley Warriors and found out only too soon that they were really warriors. The Red Devil offense could not move the ball at all against these Warriors from Wake County. The Vaiden Whitley High School defense stopped almost everything that the Devils threw at them.

Vaiden Whitley scored first as they drove for a touchdown the first time they had the ball. The next time the Red Devils had the ball they also started to move. On third down and long yardage, Barry Foote had a pass blocked and intercepted by a Vaiden Whitley lineman who ran 65 yards for a touchdown.

The Devils finally got on the scoreboard with 30 seconds left. The big play was a 36 yard pass to Joe Parrish. Bobby Benson caught a 7 yard pass for the touchdown.



CHARLES
AVERA



Jackson secures victory with final TD.

Selma 12 SHS 19

A determined and spirited Red Devil team took the field against arch-rival Selma and made Homecoming a success. Bobby Benson led the offense as he scored 13 points and gained 110 yards. He also caught a touchdown pass. Bill Jackson was another star as he rushed for 53 yards, caught a 44-yard touchdown pass, and scored the winning touchdown on a three-yard run.

Coach Roy Brown said, "The boys did have the heart and spirit to overcome the Selma lead and drive for the winning touchdown. I'm really proud of them."

Brown also praised the defensive play of linemen, Leroy Hamilton and Jerry Adams, and linebackers Bobby Benson, Charles Avera, and halfback, Carl Wharton.

(RIGHT) Benson breaks clear behind good blocking.

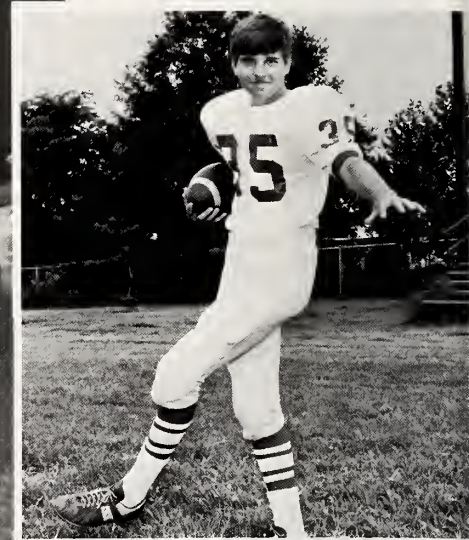


Benson 14 SHS 12

The resurgent Devils traveled to Benson to take on the Phantoms in their Homecoming game. The Devils had been having bad luck with injuries and penalties and on that night the bad luck hit its peak. Three times on third down and long yardage a penalty gave Benson first downs. The Devils had 100 yards more in total offense, but had 105 yards in penalties, 100 in the second half. The defense allowed Benson only 96 yards rushing, a team that was averaging over 200 yards. Barry Foote had his best night passing and scored both touchdowns with long passes.

(LEFT) Jackson goes for long gain after catching Foote pass.

TED FORBES





BILL JACKSON

CAC All-Conference; Honorable Mention All-East

BOBBY BENSON

Honorable Mention All Conference and All-East



Bobby Benson and Alex Wilson also got recognitions for their fine play in 1967. Bobby Benson led the team in rushing and had two nights in which he gained over 150 yards. Benson also led in tackles made on defense. Alex Wilson was second on the team in pass receiving and third in the conference. Alex was a major factor in the SHS ground game with his excellent blocking.

Bill Jackson was the only member of this year's SHS football team that made All-Conference. Bill was the leading pass receiver in the conference. He caught 23 passes in ten games. His high for the year was six receptions against Millbrook. Bill was also the second leading ground gainer of the Red Devils this year. He gained well over 500 yards this year with his high of 105 against NJHS. All but five yards were in the second half. Jim Pell, the football coach at Benson after our game with them stated, "Bill Jackson is probably the hardest runner in the conference to bring down." Jackson also was an excellent defensive back with his crisp, hard tackling.

Football All-Conference of '67

ALEX WILSON

CAC All-Conference Honorable
Mention



J.V. Football '67



FIRST ROW: W. Allen, E. Murphy, M. Overby, A. Johnson, L. Stancil, S. Allen, B. Barnes, G. Armstrong. SECOND ROW: S. Smith, R. Holley, J. Barbour, D. Thompson, C. Massengill, H. Taylor, L. Barnes, R. Reid. THIRD ROW: D. Sawrey, B. Worsham, L. Benson, J. Whitley, J. Pearce, C. Narron, T. Corbett, K. Stinson. FOURTH ROW: S. Warren, J. Moore, O. Lane, R. Lawhorn, E. Jefferies, S. Burgess, R. Barbour, E. Stephenson. FIFTH ROW: G. Adams, R. Andreaus, D. Blackman, J. Wilson, R. Castleberry, D. Strickland, C. Johnson. COACHES: Virgil Payne, Bobby Wayne Pope. MANAGERS: M. Rabil, C. Parrish.



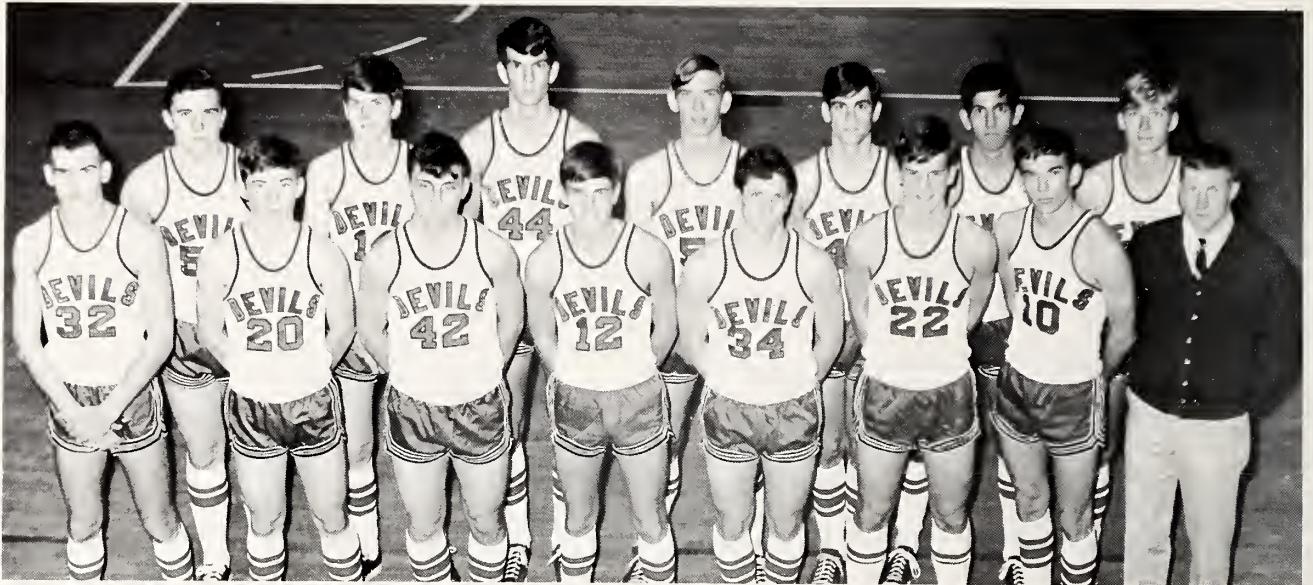
The Smithfield J. V. team was not a winning one, but it did shine in places. They almost defeated NJHS and Dunn, but bad breaks were their downfall. There was much varsity material on this team.

Danny Strickland was the spearhead of the defensive team. Tommy Corbett, Herbie Taylor, and Randy Castleberry led the line play. Danny Blackman was the main offensive threat. These boys could become a valuable asset to future Red Devil teams.

Coach Brown talks about future Varsity material with J. V. coaches, Virgil Payne and Bobby Wayne Pope.



Basketball



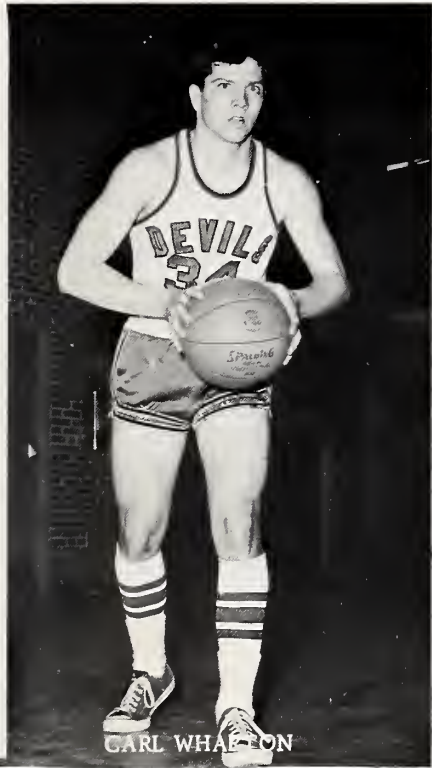
FIRST ROW: Alex Wilson, Craig Ennis, Dwight Gay, Robbie Brown, Carl Wharton, Joe Austin, Steve Wilson, and Coach Bobby Pope. SECOND ROW: Barry Foote, Denton Lee, Craig Price, Steve Bryant, Eddie Patterson, Jimmy Allen, and Stephen Woodard.

Varsity Cagers

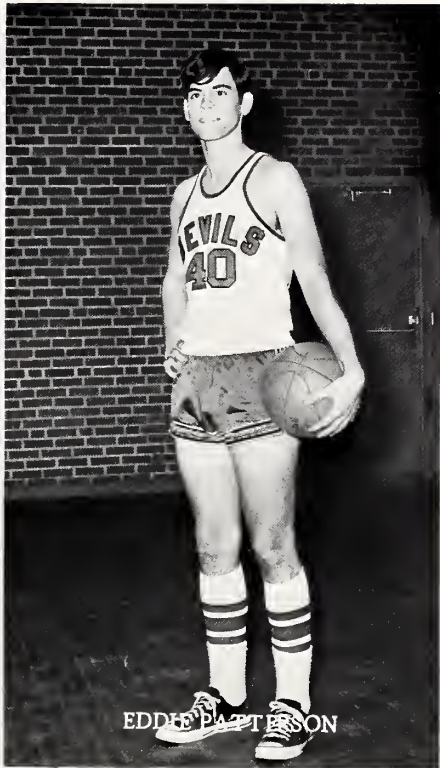
If you had to sum up our 67-68 basketball squad in one word, that word would be "unpredictable". The Red Devils, losing four starters from last year's team, started out on the right track as they stomped Four Oaks in the season's opener by 27 points, only to lose to them by five the next night. The Red Devils were held down by their inexperience, not to mention the flu epidemic they withstood. The highlight of the season was a 63-60 win over heavily favored Whitley. The Devils ended in sixth place in the conference, but the five teams ahead of them in the standings were rated among the top 15 teams in the state. Much was achieved by the Devil's 9-12 record, and the season brought forth many bright prospects for next year's squad.

CO-CAPTAINS: Alex Wilson and Stephen Woodard

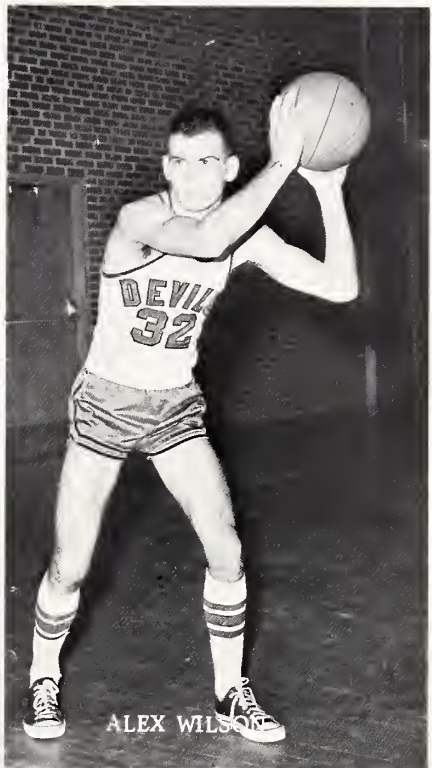




CARL WHARTON



EDDIE PATTERSON



ALEX WILSON

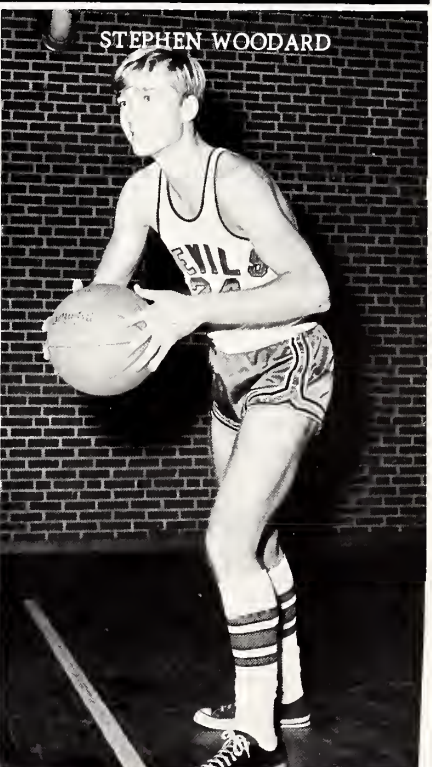
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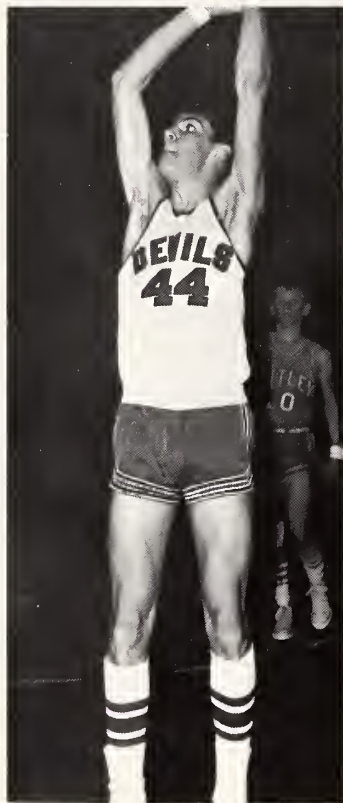
STEVE BRYANT



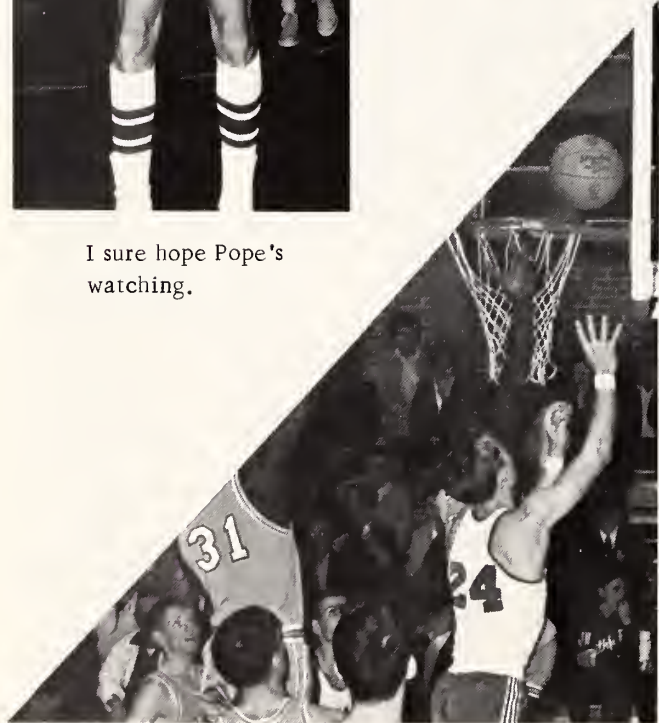
DENTON LEE



STEPHEN WOODARD



I sure hope Pope's watching.





The clod squad at its finest!



Easy does it!



Barry Foote seems to have awed his opponents.



And they're off ...

To the victors go the spoils!





Maurice uses his karate knowledge in practice.

S. H. S.	75	Four Oaks	48
S. H. S.	37	Four Oaks	42
S. H. S.	54	Benson	44
S. H. S.	44	Fuquay	58
S. H. S.	55	Selma	45
S. H. S.	68	Clayton	60
S. H. S.	55	Millbrook	66
S. H. S.	52	W. Forest	75
S. H. S.	52	N. Johnston	70
S. H. S.	42	Fuquay	55
S. H. S.	40	Apex	61
S. H. S.	69	Selma	66
S. H. S.	62	Apex	42
S. H. S.	61	Millbrook	72
S. H. S.	63	V. Whitley	60
S. H. S.	61	Clayton	51
S. H. S.	43	N. Johnston	70
S. H. S.	64	W. Forest	81
S. H. S.	74	Benson	61
S. H. S.	66	V. Whitley	76

J.V. Basketball



FIRST ROW: Eddie Murphy, Randy Castleberry, Edward Stephenson, Jim Wilson. SECOND ROW: Larry Stancil, David Sawrey, Rusty Reid, Mack David Overby, Dwight Wiggs. THIRD ROW: Curtis Umphlett, Eddie Rabil, Mike Rabil, and Manager, Mike Jones.

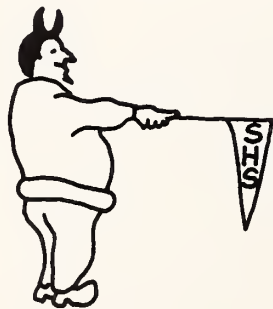


Girls' Basketball



FIRST ROW: Cathy Lewis, Susan Jones, Jane Cunningham, Janet Shallcross, Edith Whitley. SECOND ROW: Brenda Jo Sullivan, Susie Knott, Rebecca Talton, Jackie Shallcross, Bette Barnes, Jean Woodruff. THIRD ROW: Coach Virgil Payne, Becky Lancaster, Delle Cunningham, Carol Cox, Jenny Watson (manager).

"Keep the faith!" was their battle cry
 As they ran onto the court with spirits high
 Six lovely girls in red and white
 Who tried their best to win each night;
 Sometimes was hard to get a shot,
 But once they started, they stayed Red-Hot.
 Wake Forest and Selma proved worthy foes;
 We just couldn't beat 'em, but that's the way it goes.
 Benson too proved hard to beat;
 In the double overtime they turned on the heat.
 We tried our best to win the race,
 But still ended up in third place.
 After a hard season of Payne and fun,
 Maybe next year we'll be number 1.



CO-CAPTAINS: Jane Cunningham and Susan Jones



ABOVE: A bitter battle bought a better game.

Smithfield	47	Four Oaks	20
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Smithfield	31	Selma	43
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Smithfield	50	Millbrook	18
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Smithfield	52	Millbrook	17
Smithfield	34	Vaiden Whitley	21
Smithfield	25	Clayton	23
Smithfield	37	North Johnston	21
Smithfield	22	Wake Forest	41
Smithfield	30	Benson	32
Smithfield	32	Vaiden Whitley	30



ABOVE: Cathy, you just don't do the "FLY" when your partner wants to tango.



ABOVE: We know it hasn't rained in 3 weeks girls, but this is ridiculous!



ABOVE: Men are gettin' scarce!



ABOVE: Sus's shot amazes the opponents.



Brenda rocks it out for two more.



ABOVE: The big "C" goes up for two.

BELOW: Mum's the word!



LEFT:
It's Showtime!

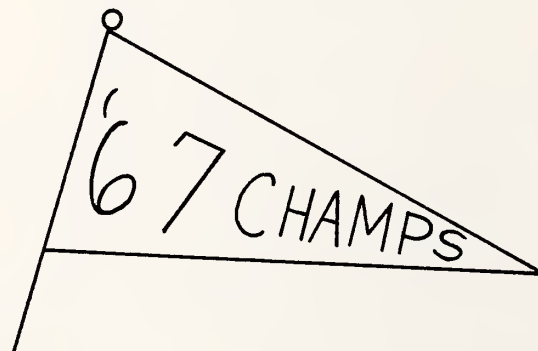




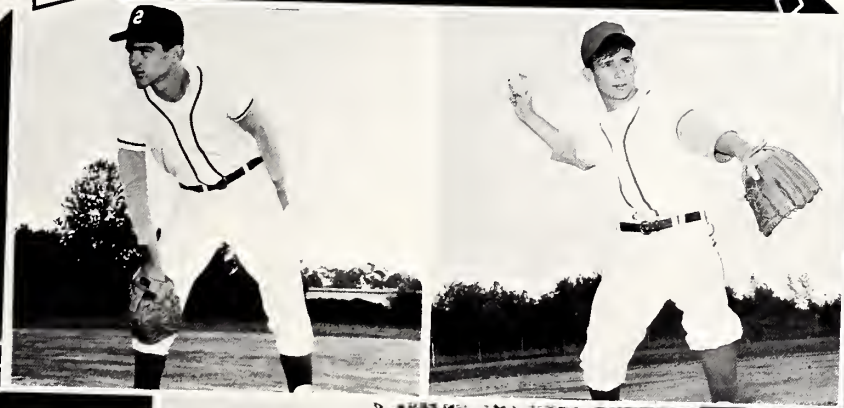
Baseball '67



KNEELING: Joe Parrish, Kenneth Stephenson, Bill Jackson, Robert Sigmon, Johnny Creech. STANDING: Coach Virgil Payne, Craig Ennis, Benny Hatcher, Ronnie Hopkins, Steve Bryant, Barry Foote, Carlton Overby, Mark Moye (absent).



The Smithfield Red Devil nine again this year, as in the past two years, came up with a winning combination to take the Southern Division of the C. A. C. with a brilliant 6-2 record. Not only did the Red Devils win their division, they went on to defeat Vaiden Whitley two games straight to win the 1967 Capital Area Conference Championship. They presented S. H. S. with its first Conference Championship in baseball since 1959. The Devils closed the season with a defeat at the hands of North Moore's Mustangs in the State playoffs and sported a 9-3 record at the conclusion of the season.



RONNIE HOPKINS

JOHNNY CREECH

CARLTON OVERBY

Devil Bats Boom!!!



DEVILS SPLIT WITH CLAYTON

With the help of a five run second inning and very quiet Red Devil bats, Clayton Comets breezed to a 5-1 victory in the opening game of the 1967 season. Carlton Overby and Johnny Creech collected the only two hits Smithfield could manage.

Smithfield won the second encounter with Clayton but the Devils had to come from behind in the bottom of the seventh inning. With the score standing 3-2 in favor of Clayton, Overby singled and stole second. With two outs Hopkins hit a triple to the center field wall scoring Overby. Creech then singled in the winning run.

1st game: Winner - Parrish Loser - Hopkins

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2nd game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Parrish

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CRAIG ENNIS - SECOND BASE



SMITHFIELD TOPS BENSON TWICE

Smithfield won both of their games with Benson this season. The Devils, playing their first game at the Legion Park, defeated Benson 2-0. Even though the Red Devils got only three hits, they managed to put them together for two runs as sophomore hurler Ronnie Hopkins held the Phantoms scoreless. Creech led Smithfield at bat with 2 for 4.

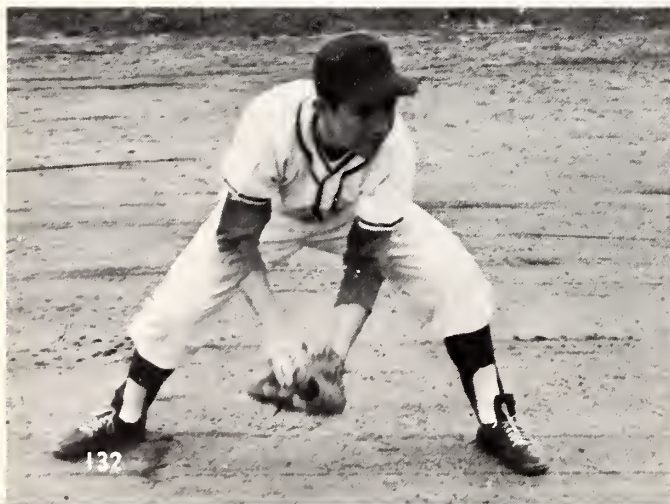
The Red Devils had to come from behind to defeat Benson in the second game 4-3. Craig Ennis and Ken Stephenson both had two hits.

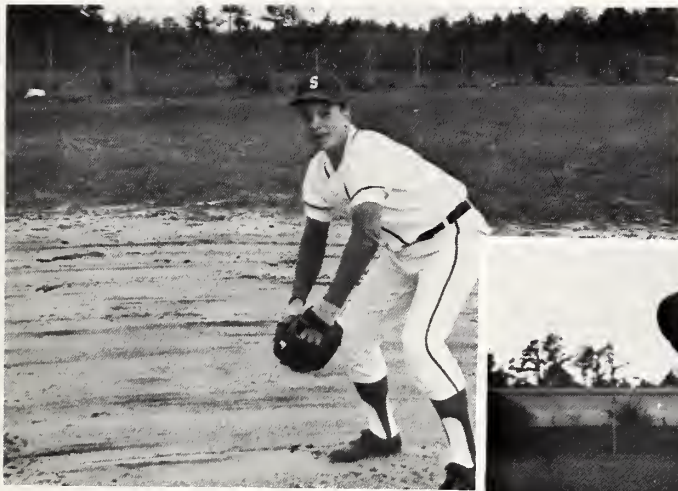
1st game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Stephenson

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2nd game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Stephenson

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BARRY FOOTE: THIRD BASE

DEVILS BLANK NISH 5-0, 1-0

Ronnie Hopkins pitched his second shut-out in a row as he limited N.J. to just one single. Ennis had the big bat as he collected two triples.

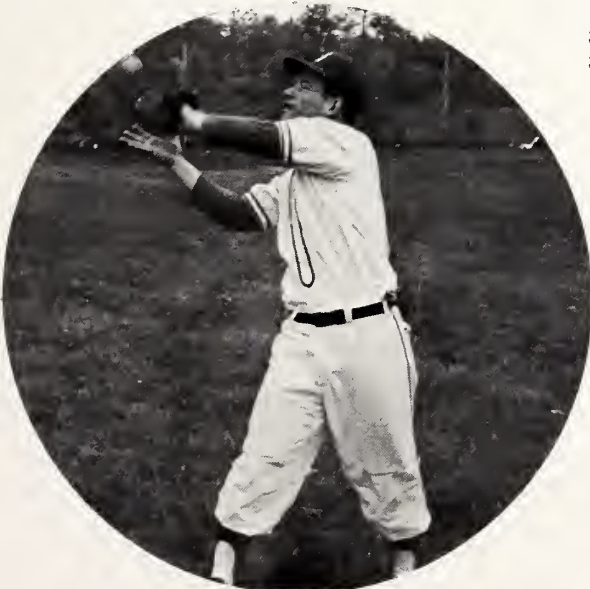
The Devils clinched their Division title as they nipped N.J. 1-0. Hopkins posted his sixth win. Both pitchers allowed only two hits each. Smithfields' lone run came in the third as Ken Stephenson walked, stole second, and scored on Overby's single.

1st game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Holt

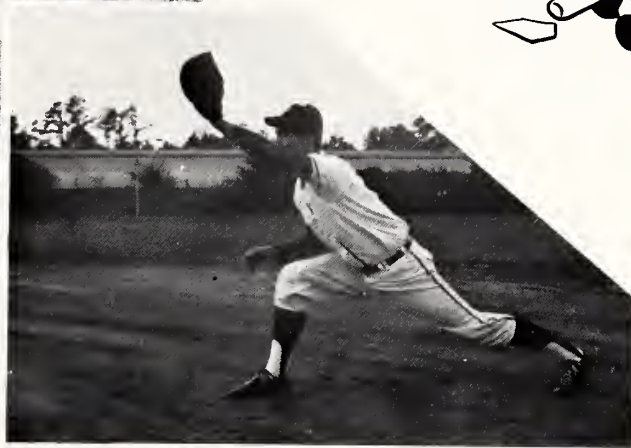
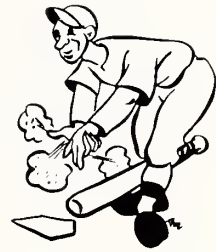
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2nd game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Holt

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"That's what I call a curve!"



STEVE BRYANT: FIRST BASE

SMITHFIELD DIVIDES PAIR WITH SELMA

Smithfield shellacked Selma 5-0 in their first encounter. Again Hopkins came through, pitching his third consecutive shut-out. The Red Devils took advantage of six walks issued by Selma pitchers, along with four hits to score the five runs.

It took eight innings but Selma outlasted the Red Devil nine 2-1. S.H.S. had eight hits but couldn't put them together as they could manage only one run, a second inning home run by Steve Bryant. Overby had two singles and a double and Bryant had a single and a homer.

1st game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Cooke

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2nd game: Winner - Pilkington Loser - Hopkins

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BILL JACKSON: OUTFIELD



Devils Take C.A.C. Championship

S.H.S. TOPS WHITLEY TWO STRAIGHT FOR C.A.C.

HONORS

The Red Devils defeated Vaiden Whitley 4-1 to take a game lead in the C.A.C. play-offs. Ronnie Hopkins pitched a three-hitter and knocked in two runs with a double. Barry Foote had two for three to lead Smithfield.

Smithfield popped Whitley 6-2 to win two straight games and the C.A.C. title. Ronnie Hopkins pitched and was backed up by some fine field play by the Devils. Whitley however, committed numerous errors and these errors proved to be their downfall.

1st game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Shearin

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2nd game: Winner - Hopkins Loser - Liles

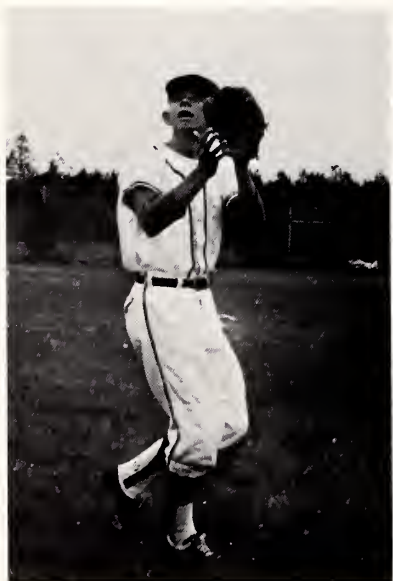
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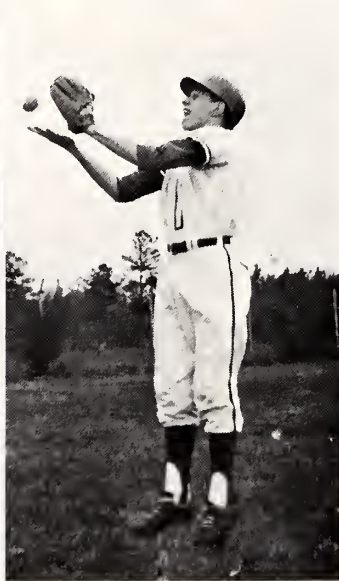
"It's got a fuse, I tell you!"

Devil Outfielders

KEN STEPHENSON



JOE PARRISH



S.H.S. BOWS OUT IN STATE PLAYOFFS

Smithfield did battle with the North Moore Mustangs on Campbell College's diamond. The outcome was a 5-1 victory by the Mustangs. North Moore's powerful bats did havoc with Red Devil pitching. Johnny Creech's seventh inning home run was the only tally Smithfield could manage.

Smithfield closed out its 1967 baseball campaign with a 10-4 record.

District playoffs:

Winner - Craven Loser - Hopkins

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Track and Golf



FIRST ROW: (left to right) Tommy Johnson, Joe Austin, Carl Wharton, Cris Finch, Jay Ferguson, Bob Keubler. SECOND ROW: Buck Boone, Ted Forbes, Clifford Foss, Bradley Carroll, Eddie Patterson, David Reid. THIRD ROW: Brian Hobbs, Danny Narron, Harry Jones, Johnny Smith, Tim Creech. FOURTH ROW: Larry Coor, Jim Walters, Mack Langdon, David Prevette.

Track *1967*

The 1967 track team, although inconsistent in certain events, showed promise. Sparked by sprinters Cris Finch and Jay Ferguson, high jumper David Reid, and outstanding relay teams, the boys showed the right attitude all season and had the desire to win.

The 1968 team should be strong in the distance events, the weights, and in the pole vault.

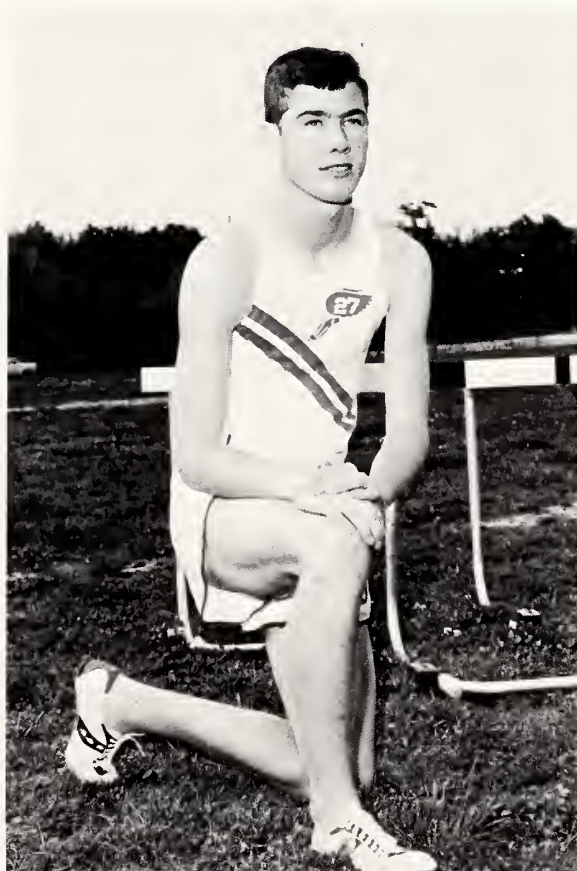


CRIS FINCH

Cris Finch, a sprinter, ran the 100, the 440 and legs on both the mile and half-mile relays. He was given the coveted "Most Valuable Player" award in track.

DAVID REID

David was undefeated in regular season track meets and in conference meet in the high jump. He occasionally ran a leg in the mile relay.





JAY FERGUSON

Jay was an outstanding performer as a sprinter. He ran the 100, the 220 and legs on both relay teams. We were very proud of Jay's excellent work.

HALF-MILE RELAY TEAM

The half-mile relay team did a fine job all season and were undefeated in regular season meets. Members of the team are Bob Keubler, KNEELING; and STANDING, left to right, Carl Wharton, Jay Ferguson, and Cris Finch.





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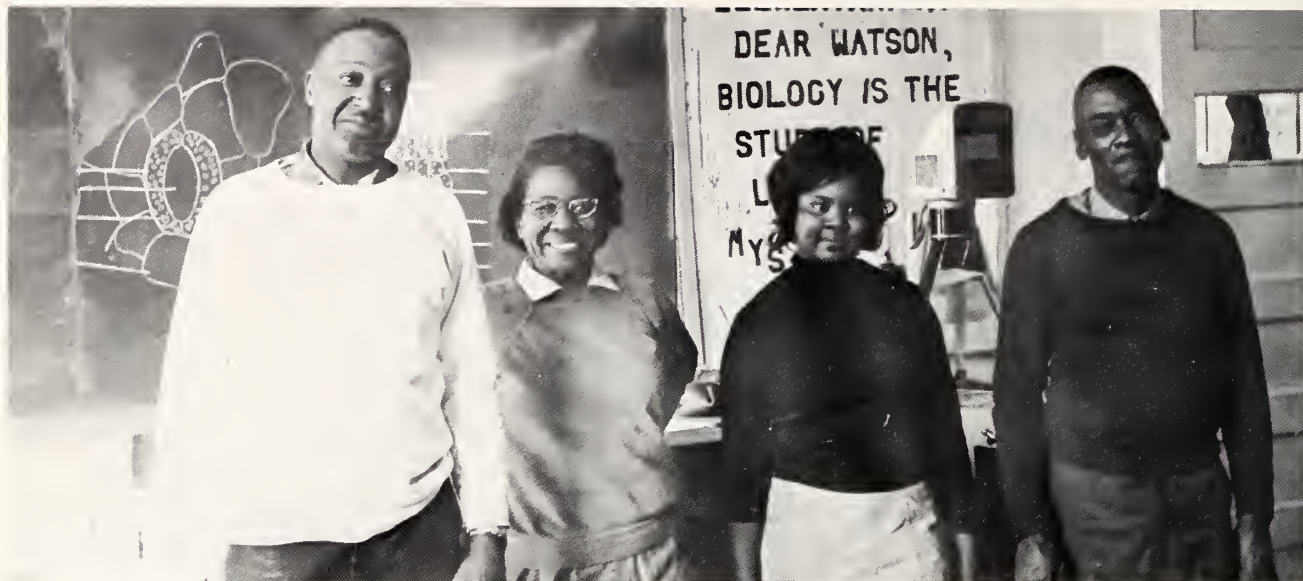
RICHARD HOLT

Golf — 1967

The 1967 Smithfield golf team compiled a record of 0-4. The losses were to Wake Forest, Vaiden-Whitley, Millbrook, and Fuquay. However, the team was composed of two freshmen, two sophomores, and only one senior; thus, the outlook for 1968 seems brighter.



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Mrs. Carroll, new lunchroom director.



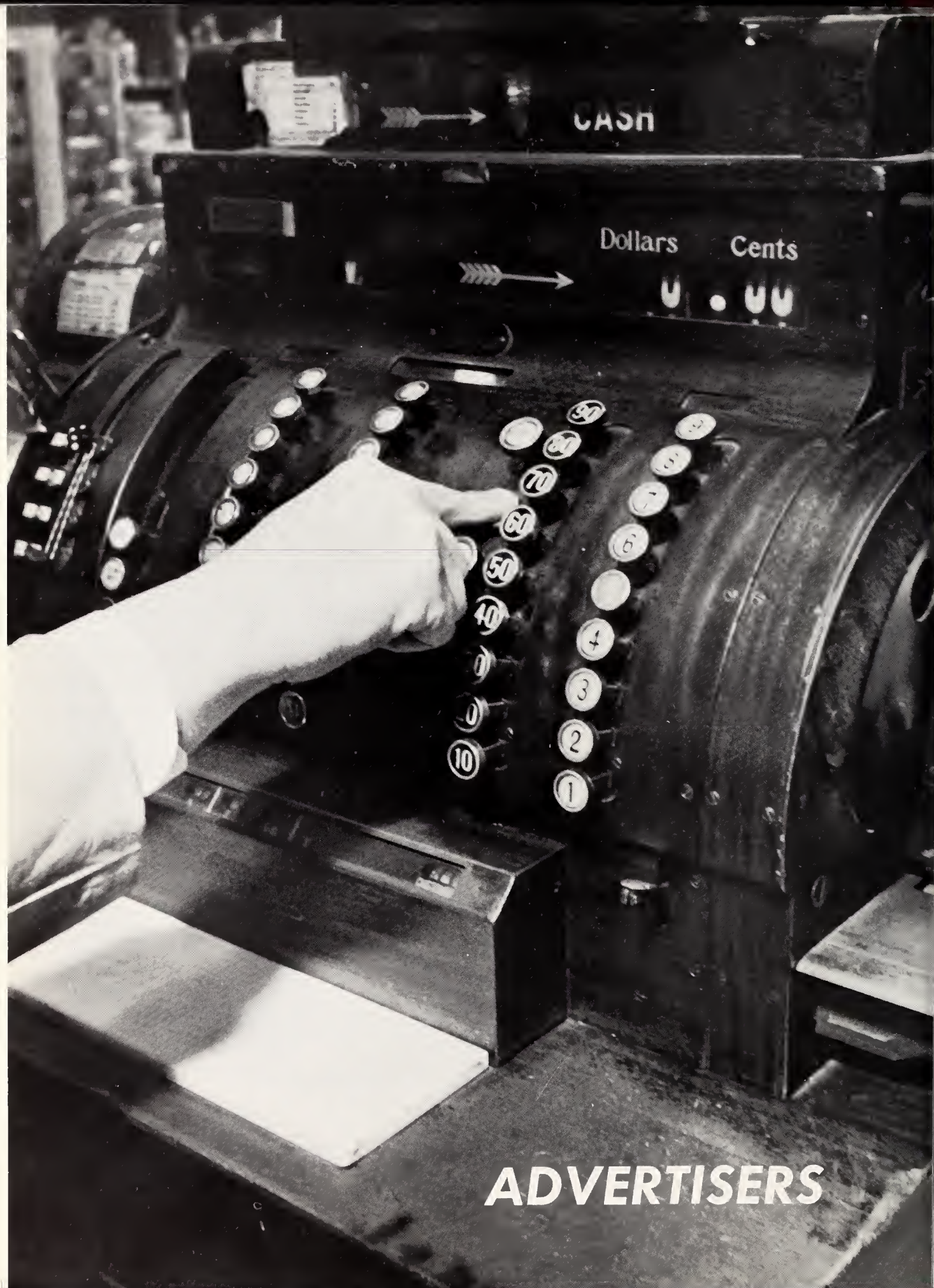
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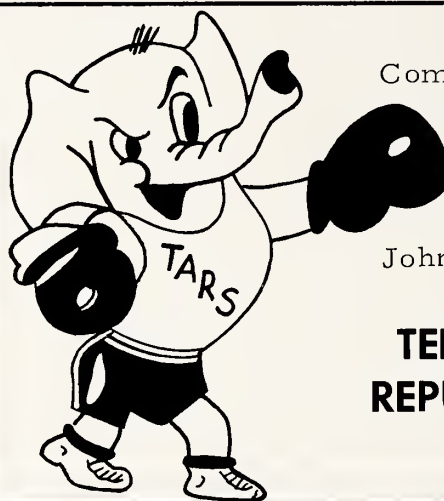
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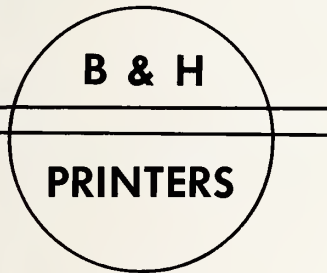
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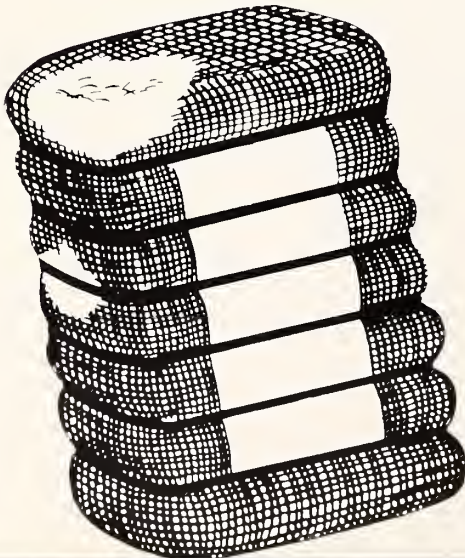
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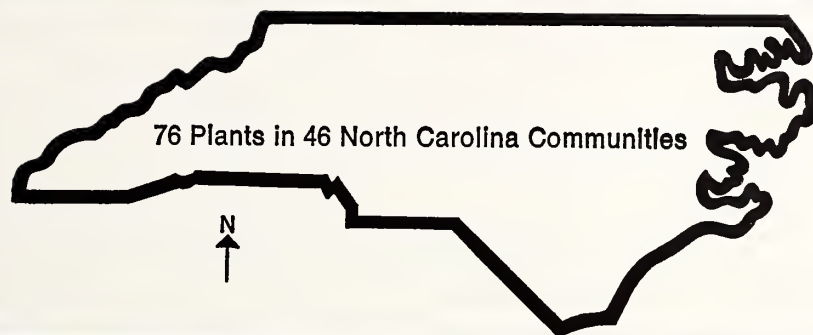
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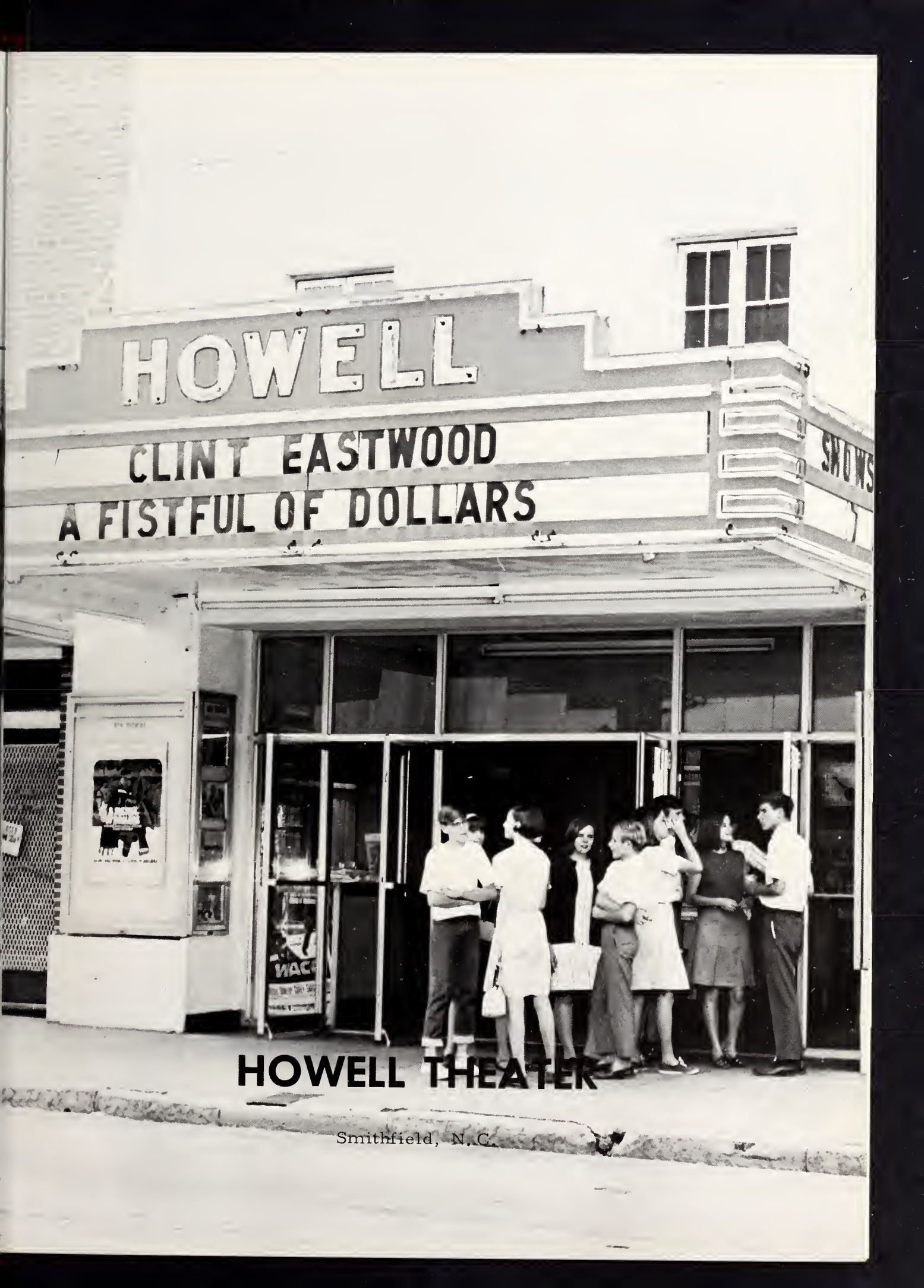
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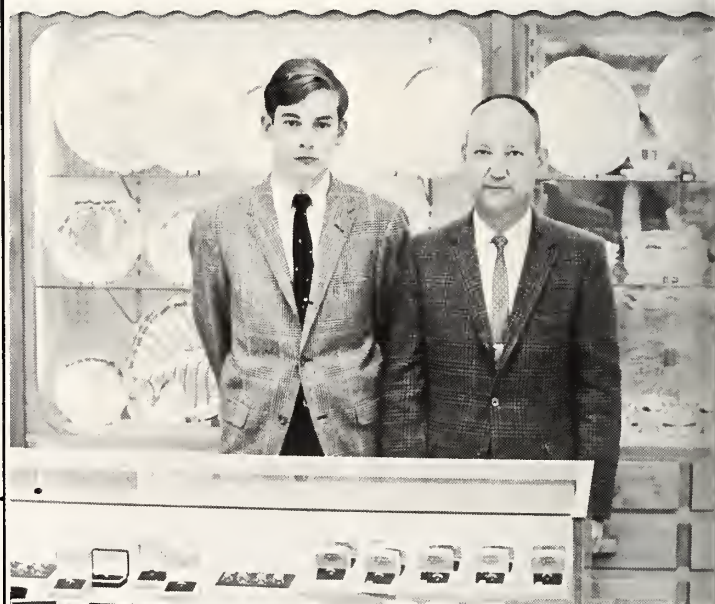
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