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Foreword

As the rising sun is but a promise of a glorious day ahead, so our school days, rich in experience and attainment, are the assurance of the golden future to come.

In organizing and printing this YELLOW JACKET, it has been difficult to bring under one cover all of the experiences and interests of a full school year.

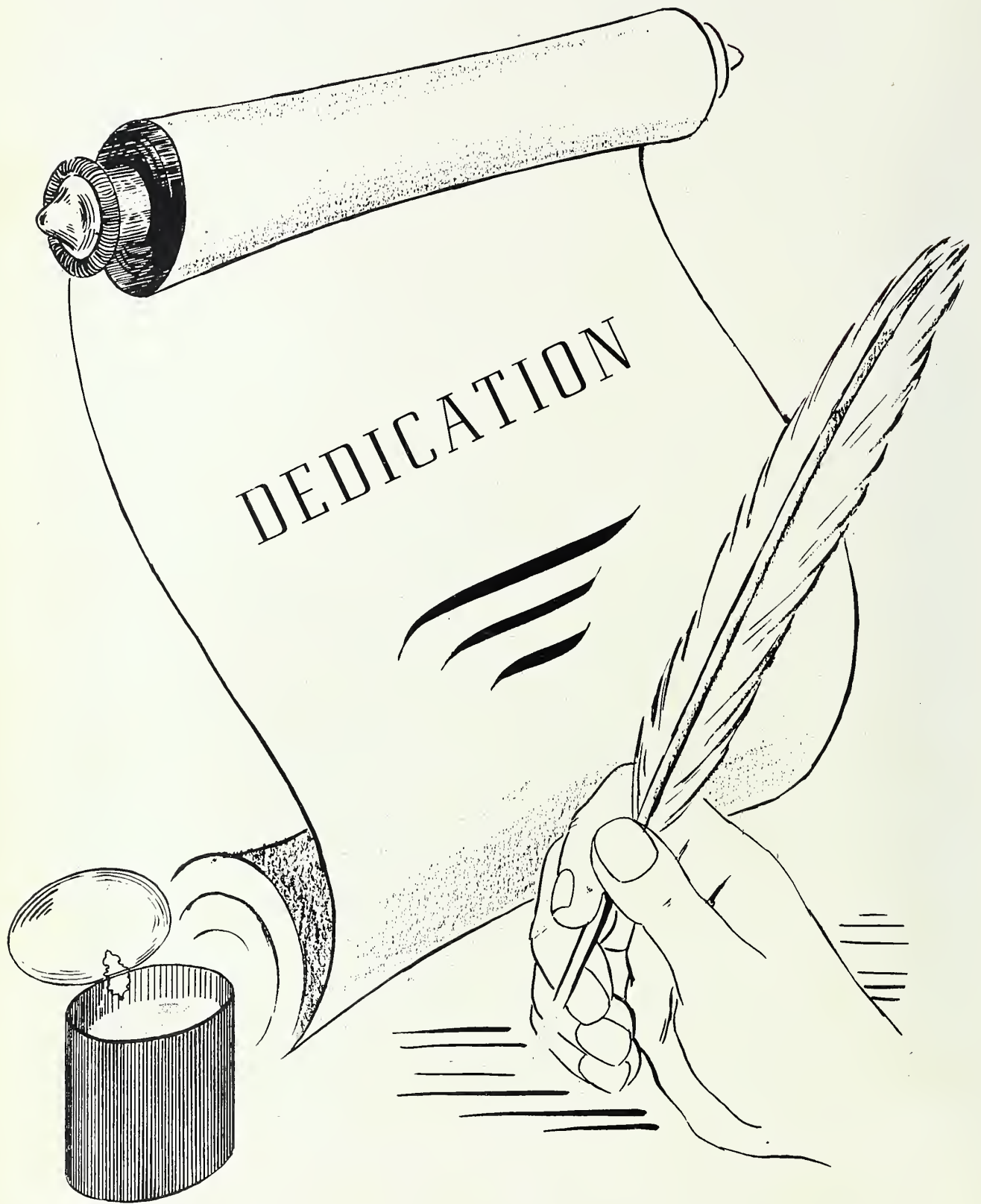
If, for the present and impending years, this book can set forth, in spirit at least, the achievements of school life and happiness found in achieving, our efforts will have been justified.



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Principal



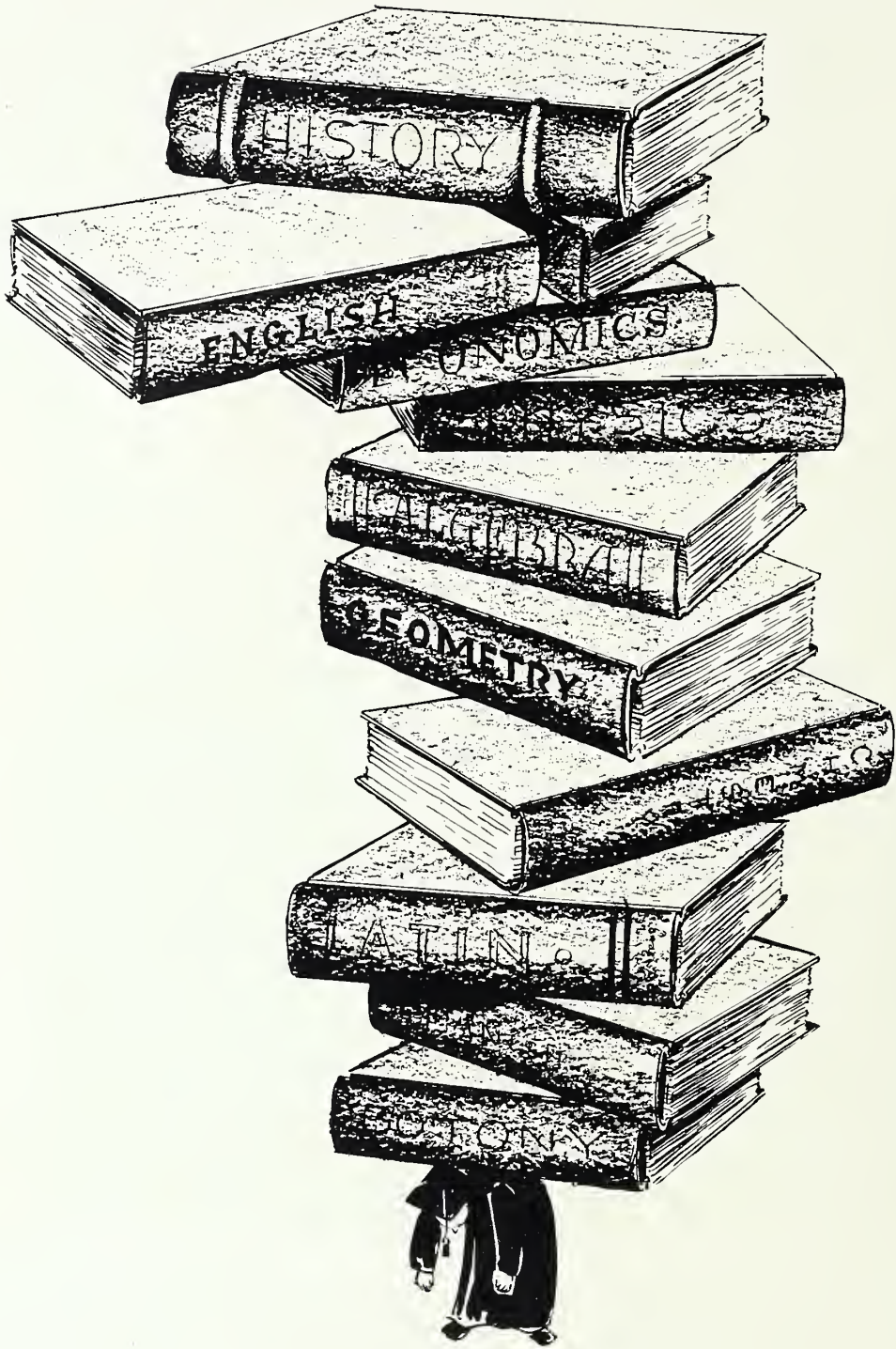
R. F. W. Brimley
Superintendent





DEDICATION

With deep and sincere appreciation for her loyal, unstinted efforts in our behalf, we, the Class of 1954, dedicate this edition of the **YELLOW JACKET** to our adviser, Mrs. M. T. Earl.



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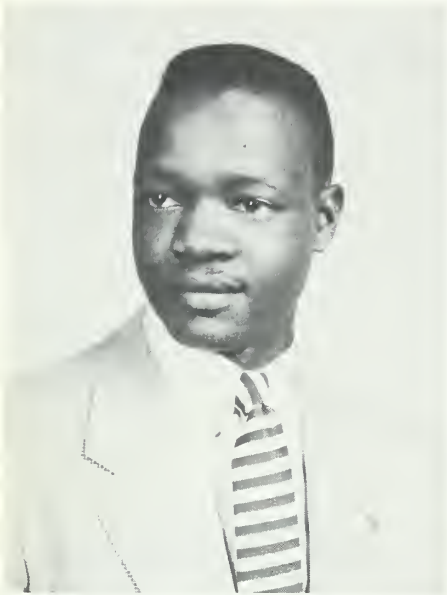
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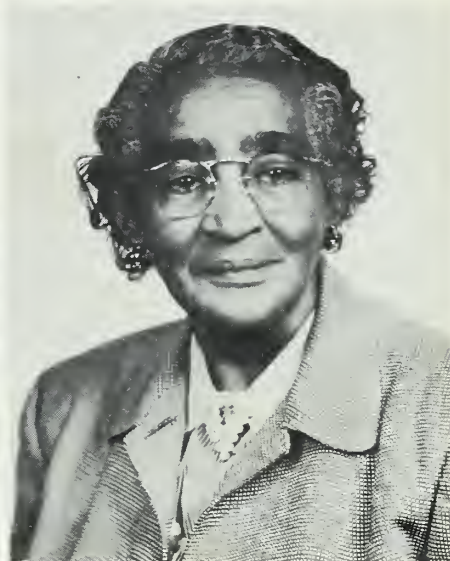
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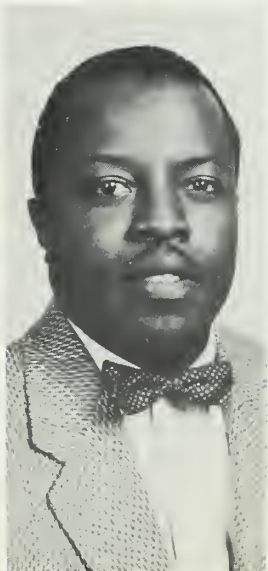
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President

"Bobby"

Activities: Crown and Scepter, F. T. A., N. F. A., Dramatics, Thespian Society, Block C Club, Presidents Club, Hi-Y, Student Council, Usher Club, Allied Youth, Football.

OFFICERS



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Secretary

"Pony"

Activities: Dramatics Club, Etiquette Club, Commercial Club, Secretary of Senior Class, Letter Girl.

Ambition: Business Secretary.

Pet Saying: "It's just like that."



LUCY WHITE

Treasurer

"Tea"

Activities: F. T. A., Student Council, Le Cercle Francais, Presidents Club, Crown and Scepter.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "Hush your nastiness."



CLARA HAIRSTON

Reporter

"Puddin"

Activities: N. H. A., F. T. A., Dramatics, Thespian Society, Etiquette Club, Le Cercle Francais.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "If I can't be first, I refuse to be last."

SENIORS



RUTH BROWN
"Mama"

Activities: Dramatics Club, Etiquette Club, Brodie Club, Q. T. Club, Social Science Club, Allied Youth, Usher Club, Le Cercle Francais.
Ambition: Laboratory Technician.
Pet Saying: "Indeedy alrite."

DOUGLAS LEROY GOLDEN
"Pete"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, N. F. A.
Ambition: Mechanic.
Pet Saying: "You know I can."

SAMUEL EVANS NESMITH
"Peanut"

Activities: Band, Glee Club, Hi-Y, Bus Drivers Club.

Ambition: Musician.

Pet Saying: "I'll do it, the first chance I get."

JUANITA JEAN NELSON
"Nita"

Activities: Dramatics, Y-Teens, Glee Club.

Ambition: Secretary.

Pet Saying: "And you know it, too."



LEON HAIRSTON

MARY RACHEL SPRINKLE
"Shorty"

Activities: F. T. A., Thespian, Dramatics, N. H. A., Le Cercle Francais, Etiquette Club, Usher Club, Q. T. Club, Commercial Club.

Ambition: Stenographer.

SENIORS

BETTY IRENE HAUSER
"Half Pint"

Activities: Social Science Club, Glee Club, Etiquette Club, N. H. A., Dramatics, F. T. A., Q. T. Club, Usher Club.

Ambition: Beautician.

Pet Saying: "And you know it, too!"

POWELL MAXINE WELCH
"Max"

Activities: Student Council, F. T. A., Le Cercle Francais, Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Secretary.

Pet Saying: "The deal is real but it's rotten."



DOROTHY MAE GOULD
"Dot"

Activities: N. N. Club, Q. T. Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "I wanna thank ya."

NATHANIEL GALLOWAY
"Tuck"

Activities: Etiquette Club, Basketball, Hi-Y.

Ambition: English Instructor.

Pet Saying: "Good things come to those who wait."

MARTHA MARIE HART
"Frankie"

Activities: Crown and Scepter Club, Presidents Club, F. T. A., Thespian Society, Etiquette Club, Ushers Club, Le Cercle Francais.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "Honey, hush!"

LIZZIE ANN KNOX
"Shortie"

Activities: Thespians, Dramatics, Y-Teens, Etiquette Club, F. T. A., Presidents Club, Usher Club, Allied Youth Organization.

Ambition: Dietitian.

Pet Saying: "Keep cool!"



SENIORS



BERNICE VIRGINIA BINGHAM

"Pudding"

Activities: Crown and Scepter Club, F. T. A., Etiquette Club, Ushers Club, Thespians, French Club.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "I'm telling you."

CHARLES EDWARD MILLER

"Butch"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, F. T. A., N. F. A., Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "I heard you when you first drove up."



SHIRLEY ANN HAIRSTON

"Money Honey"

Activities: Le Cercle Francais, Cheerleader, Y-Teens, Etiquette Club, Dramatics Club, F. T. A., Paper Staff, Q. T. Club, Dance Group, Usher Club, Brodie Club.

Ambition: Social Science Teacher.

Pet Saying: "Oh! don't you know?"

RHUDINE McNEAL SINGLETON

"Baby"

Activities: Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "I want to thank you"



MARANDA KENDRICK

"Pennie"

Activities: F. T. A., Student Council.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "Oh, boy! what a dan dan dandy."

RUTH ELIZABETH PAYNE

"Peewee"

Activities: Etiquette Club, Social Science Club, Dramatics Club, F. T. A., Q. T. Club, Usher Club, N. H. A.

Ambition: Seamstress.

Pet Saying: "Cool it, kids."



SENIORS

HOWARD BELTON

"Bauger"

Ambition: Electrical Engineer.

Pet Saying: "I'm doing it."



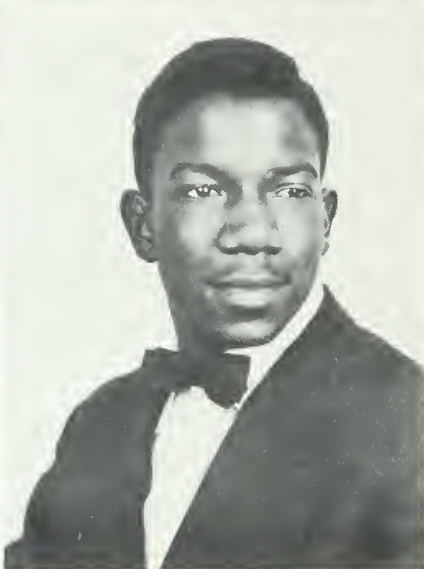
BARBARA ANN ANDERSON

"Barb"

Activities: F. T. A., Thespian Society, Dramatics Club, Cheerleader, Q. T. Club, Le Cercle Francais, Brodie Club, Senior Y-Teen, Etiquette Club, Paper Staff, N. H. A.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "It don't bother me."



MARY ANN WHARTON

"Angel"

Activities: Student Council, N. H. A., Usher Club, Etiquette Club, Q. T. Club, Paper Staff, Student Faculty Planning Committee, Le Cercle Francais, Brodie Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "And that's for sure."

WILLIAM MELVIN NELSON

"Foxy"

Activities: Band, Glee Club.

Ambition: Military Band Director.

Pet Saying: "What say, babe?"

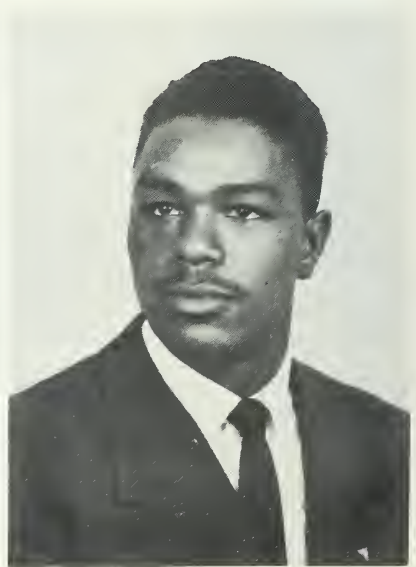
ANNETTE FRANCES KEATON

"Nettie"

Activities: Student Council, Thespian Society, F. T. A., Dramatics, Usher Club, Q. T. Club, Choral Club, Glee Club, Orientation Club, Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "No kiddin."



MELVIN ALDEAN MOORE

"Deannie"

Activities: Crown and Scepter Club, F. T. A., N. F. A., Dramatics, Thespians, Paper Staff, Football, Baseball, Block C Club, Student Council, Usher Club, Allied Youth.

Ambition: Professional Athlete.

Pet Saying: "Aw! Be funny!"

SENIORS



CLARENCE HARRINGTON

"Note"

Activities: Dramatics.
Ambition: Trade Teacher.
Pet Saying: "Now be patient."

GERALDINE LEONA VALENTINE

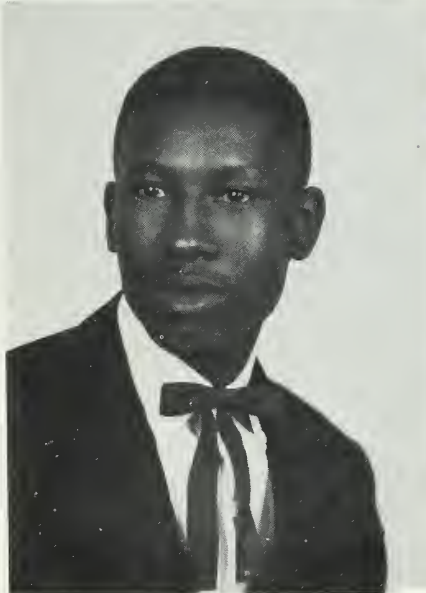
"Rickie"

Activities: Etiquette Club, Usher Club, Thespian, Dramatics Club, F. T. A., Y-Teens, N. H. A., Le Cercle Francais, Commercial Club.
Ambition: Teacher.
Pet Saying: "Honey hush."

CHARLIE ELDRIDGE

"Choo-choo"

Activities: Baseball, Football, N. F. A.
Ambition: Lawyer.
Pet Saying: "Always keep something to drink."



BETTY CAROL TINSLEY

"Mule Train"

Activities: Y-Teens, Library Club.
Ambition: Nurse.
Pet Saying: "Always ready to go."



JOHN HENRY KNOX

"Heartbreaker"

Activities: Band.
Ambition: Principal of Carver.
Pet Saying: "Love don't love nobody."

RUBY LEA GREENE

"Peaches"

Activities: Cheerleader, Student Council, Y-Teens, Thespians, Dramatics, Le Cercle Francais, Q. T. Club.
Ambition: Laboratory Technician.
Pet Saying: "No lie?"

SENIORS

GEORGE WILLIE HILL

Activities: Basketball, Block C Club.

Ambition: Brick Mason.

Pet Saying: "Most likely, but not hardly."

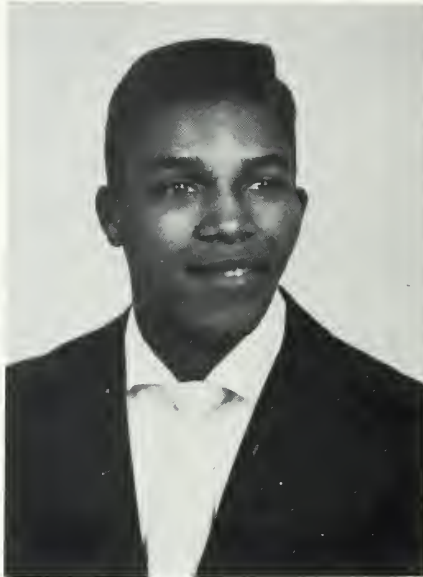
JOHNNIE MAE HAUSER

"Johnnie"

Activities: Commercial Club, Science Club,
Letter Girl, Office Work.

Ambition: Private Secretary.

Pet Saying: "Hey Ba-by."



PAUL LASH

Activities: Etiquette Club, Hi-Y.

Ambition: Science Teacher.

Pet Saying: "I hear you talking."

POLLY LORRAINE HAIRSTON

"Brown Eyes"

Activities: Band, Q. T. Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "I wants to thank you."

WILL S. McDANIELS

"Snowball"

Activities: Hi-Y, Football, Basketball.

Ambition: Lawyer.

Pet Saying: "I will try even if I fail."

ELLEN JEANETT WADDELL

"Plum Puddin'"

Activities: Y-Teens, Etiquette Club, Dramatic
Club, Student Council, Glee Club, Thespian,
N. H. A., Cheerleader.

Ambition: Medical Secretary.

Pet Saying: "Think I will, when I won't."



SENIORS



JOANNE BYRD

"The Tish"

Activities: Y-Teens, Etiquette Club, Thespian Society, Usher Club, Brodie Club, Le Cercle Francais, Q. T. Club, Dramatics Club, Cheering Squad, Paper Staff, Dancing Group.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "Just tell me anything, I'm dumb."

MARCUS CHARLES LAUGHLIN

"Little Rev."

Activities: Etiquette Club, Dramatics Club, Le Cercle Francais, Homeroom Activity Council.

Ambition: Doctor.

Pet Saying: "Hi, there."

DORMA ROSE JONES

"Stitch"

Activities: Q. T. Club.

Ambition: Secretary.

Pet Saying: "Honey, hush."

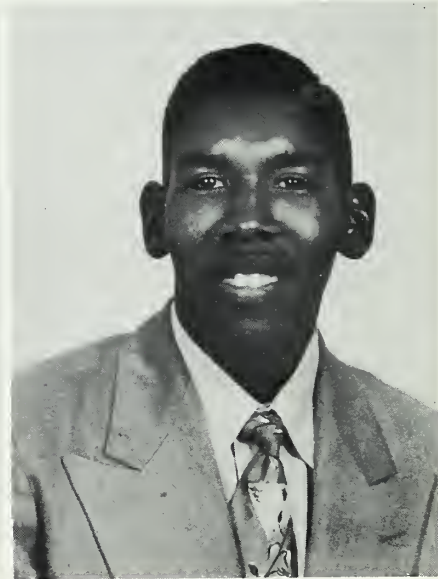
WILLIAM FINLEY FULTON

"Fiddlestick"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, Social Science, N. F. A., Hi-Y, Glee Club, Baseball.

Ambition: Vocational Agriculture Teacher.

Pet Saying: "Are you kiddin."



REV. LOUIS ROGER SLOAN

Activities: N. C. Student Industrial Conference.

Ambition: Minister.

BARBARA JACQUELYN HARRIS

"Hotrod"

Activities: Dramatic Club, Y-Teens, Q. T. Club, Brodie Club, Cheerleader, Etiquette Club, Paper Staff, Le Cercle Francais, Dance Group.

Ambition: Cosmetologist.

Pet Saying: "Just put it on ice."

SENIORS

JAMES FREDERICK JOHNSON

"Bro"

Activities: Band

Ambition: Mortician.

Pet Saying: "I wants to appreciate ya."

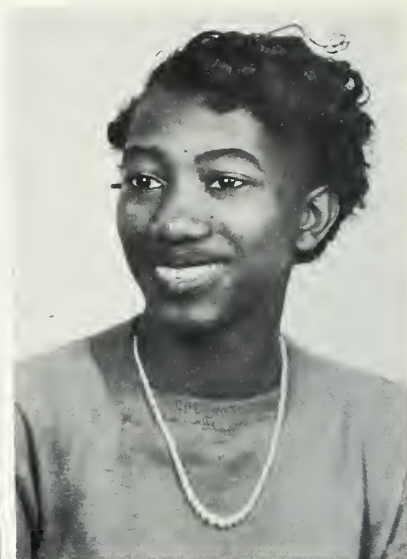
SHIRLEY ANNE GLENN

"Poundex"

Activities: N. H. A., Etiquette Club, Allied Youth, Dramatics Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "Dig that job."



RONALD ALVIN PARISH

"Redskin"

Activities: Glee Club, Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Commercial Artist.

Pet Saying: "Now, that's true."

DORIS LEE HAIRSTON

"Sweetpea"

Activities: Y-Teens, Thespian Society, Glee Club, Brodie Club, Dramatics Club, Etiquette Club, Dance Group, Choraliers, Paper Staff, Cheerleader.

Ambition: Cosmetologist.

Pet Saying: "I'm here to tell ya."

CHARLES JESSE BARON

"Big Wheel"

Activities: F. T. A., Football, Basketball, Block "C" Club.

Ambition: Coach.

Pet Saying: If in trouble call the sheriff.

VERA MAE GAMBILL

"Tinky"

Activities: Glee Club, Homeroom Council Club, N. H. A., Science Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "I'm living and learning."



SENIORS



MABLE DELOIS CROWELL

"Yakety-Yak"

Activities: Glee Club, Y-Teen, Dramatics, Thespian Society.

Ambition: Nurse or Secretary.

Pet Saying: "Son!!!"

HAROLD CORNELIUS HAIRSTON

"Cornelius"

Activities: Library Club.

Ambition: Professional Artist.

Pet Saying: "I'll always be grateful for the things you've done."



BERTHA ALDONIA ANTHONY

"Shorty"

Activities: N. H. A., Student Council, Etiquette Club, Glee Club, Y-Teens.

Ambition: Secretary.

Pet Saying: "Honey hush."

BAXTER HOLMAN, JR.

"Big Boy"

Activities: Football, Block "C" Club, Manager of Basketball team, baseball.

Ambition: Coach.

Pet Saying: "I'm always there."



DORIS DELORIS FEASTER

"Doll"

Activities: Band.

Ambition: Beautician.

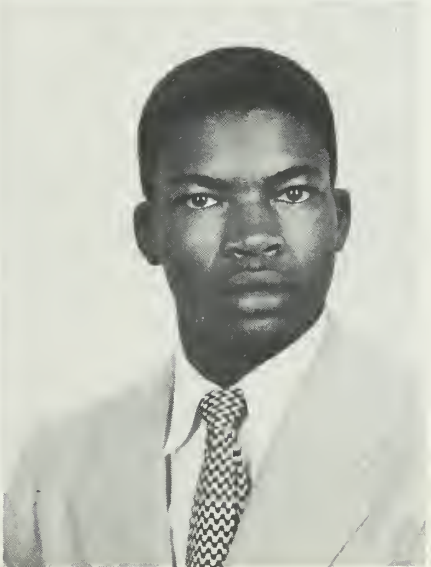
Pet Saying: "Honey hush!!!"

JAMES HENRY EVANS

"Rei."

Activities: N. F. A., F. T. A., Student Council, Bus Drivers Club, Glee Club.

Ambition: Teacher.



SENIORS

FANNIE HELEN PHILLIPS

Activities: Glee Club, F. T. A., N. H. A., Usher Club, Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Nurse.

Pet Saying: "You know—"

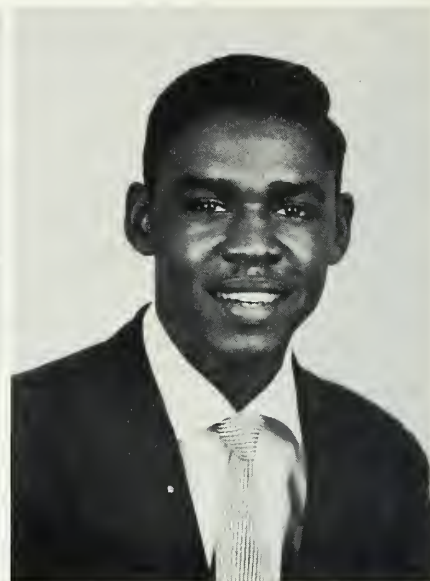
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"Chop-chop"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, N. F. A., Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Engineer.

Pet Saying: "Oh yeah."



RAY EDWARD LITTLE

"Mr. Toe"

Activities: Band, Football, Basketball, Glee Club, Student Council.

Ambition: Prize Fighter.

Pet Saying: "I wants to thank you."

LUVENIA S. DAVIS

"Hips"

Activities: Glee Club, Dramatics, Allied Youth, Etiquette Club, F. T. A., Cheering Squad, Usher Club, Q. T. Club, Y-Teens, Social Science Club, Commercial Club, Paper Staff, Brodie Club.

Ambition: Secretary.

Pet Saying: "I wants to ta ta ya mama."



ROBERT NELSON EVANS

"Rob"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, Social Science Club, F. T. A., Hi-Y, Le Cercle Francais.

Ambition: Social Worker.

Pet Saying: "No lie?"

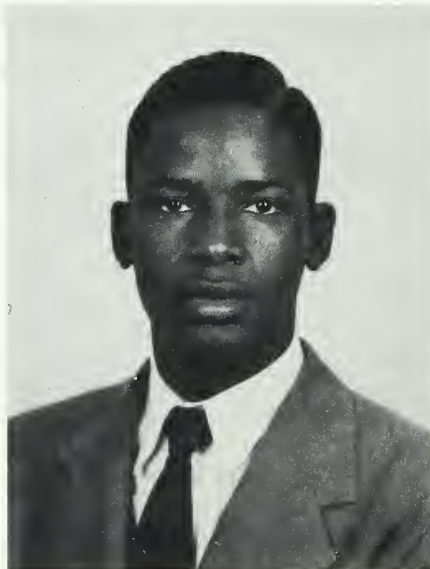
GENEVA MAE RAYSOR

"Gin"

Activities: Y-Teens, Etiquette Club.

Ambition: Beautician.

Pet Saying: "Are you kidding?"



SENIORS



ELSIE WYVONNIA JONES
"Kitten"

Activities: Student Council, F. T. A.
Ambition: Nurse.
Pet Saying: "I know what you said."

CLAUDIUS LANDIS ELLER
"Slim"

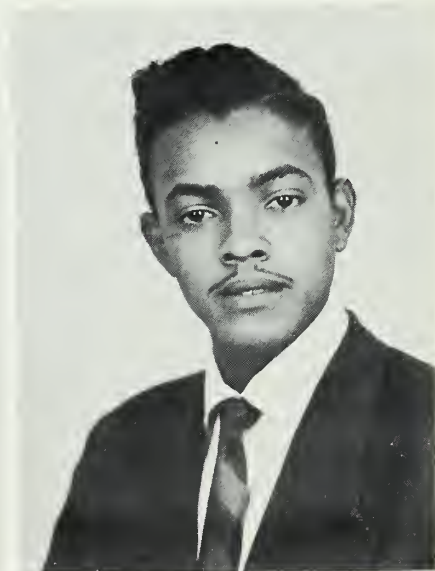
Activities: Baseball, Basketball manager.
Ambition: Doctor.
Pet Saying: "Man, that's real, real crazy."

MARY ELIZABETH PINKNEY
"Shorty"

Activities: Science Club, Etiquette Club, Usher Club.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "All Righty . . . Are you kidding?"



BOOKER LINVILLE HAIRSTON
"Choke"

Activities: Baseball, Basketball, Block "C" Club
Brickmasons Club.

Ambition: Professional Baseball Player.

Pet Saying: "Oh, but definitely."



WILLIE MAE BROWN
"Will"

Activities: Letter Girl, Etiquette Club, Dramatics, Thespian Society, Usher Club, Le Cercle Francais, N. H. A. Commercial Club.

Ambition: Teacher.

Pet Saying: "I wants to ta ta ya."

JOSEPH THOMAS KIMBROUGH
"Rain"

Activities: Bus Drivers Club, N. R. A.
Ambition: Brickmason.

Pet Saying: "Think I won't when I will?"

CLASS HISTORY

It was in the winter of '51 when we, the Senior Class of '53-'54, entered the Carver Consolidated School. We were the first freshmen to enter the new school.

We were somewhat confused, excited, and, of course, worrying about the future. At this time, we are very proud to look back over our successful high school years and sigh, "Better'n I thought it would be."

Our freshman year began with Barbara Anderson as our President; Shirley Hairston, Secretary; Willie Mae Brown, Treasurer.

Naturally, being in the of the finest schools in the South, we were a little excited, but this did not hinder our social and athletic abilities. We have been well represented in Athletics from the eighth grade until the publishing of this Yearbook. Albert Caesar Eldridge, Garland Wallace, and Harry Lee Smith have been our "aces" in football and basketball throughout this time. In our Sophomore year, however, we found a few more able athletes, namely Charles Baron, Baxter Holman, Linville Hairston, and Ray Little.

In our Sophomore year Joanne Byrd, Clara Hairston, Barbara Harris, Barbara Anderson, and Bobby Woods decided to find out what dramatics were like; likewise they joined the Dramatics Club. In their Junior year they starred in the play "Stranger in the Night." Lizzie Knox was president of the Y-Teens. Lucy White topped the honor roll often. Mary Wharton, Doris Hairston were majorettes for Carver. Samuel NeSmith and William Nelson were able members of the band. Luvenia Davis was an attendant to "Miss Carver High."

Entering our Junior year, we had nothing on our minds except the Junior-Senior Prom. Exciting things were happening. Four members of our class won sterling miniature basketballs for obtaining the title of Runners-up in the State Class AAA Basketball Championship Tournament. The prom was a success; it was talked that it was the best prom held in the new school, thanks to our Junior advisers, Mrs. O. H. Bynum, Mrs. M. T. Earl, and Mr. C. S. Greene, who worked so hard to make it such.

With our Junior year being the most successful yet, we were anxious to return as Seniors the following year.

Due to a disquantity of words we cannot express our thanks to those who were responsible for our success thus far. Our hats are off to our former principals, Mr. Hill, Dr. Watson and to our present principal, Mr. Martin, and especially to our senior advisors, Mrs. Bynum and Mrs. Earl, and to our guidance counselor, Mrs. Hedgley.

We can now appreciate your strictness and the interest you seem to have taken in us. We are now beginning to realize that you are not really inconsiderate and nosy. It now seems nice to know that there is someone who really cares about your welfare. You have shared our sorrows and joys, our social and religious ideas. I am sure I have the consent of the class when I say thanks a million, it was really worth the bother. Again I say thank you.

Well, many things have happened since that winter day in '51, and here's hoping that you have enjoyed it just as much as we have. I am sure that there is not a member of this class who can or will try to forget our most exciting and elating high school career. We shall never forget "Dear Ole Carver."

BARBARA ANDERSON,
Historian

CLASS PROPHECY

It can't be 1964! And yet my paper is dated for 1964. It is impossible for me to mistake the date.

Listen for just a few minutes while I relate a few incidents which occurred while I was visiting in a dream. In New York I had the opportunity to visit a friend in one of the very best hospitals of that city. In the office I discovered three young ladies; they were Mary Wharton, head nurse; Annette Keaton, assistant head nurse, and Fannie Phillips, matron for the young nurses in training.

Then while in Chicago I was invited to attend a banquet in honor of the graduates from the great engineering school. Weldon Reece had been elected president of the organization for young engineers. After leaving the banquet I met Willie Brown, who said she was leaving immediately to direct the Tuskegee Institute Choral Club.

I had the privilege of visiting my cousin's home in Philadelphia. I received a phone call; it was Ray Little, who had just become a military officer. We had an interesting conversation.

During my visit to one of the high schools in Philadelphia I found Richard Wilkins employed as the Physical Education instructor; Baxter Holman, Football Coach; Clarence Moore, Baseball Coach, and A. C. Eldridge, Basketball Coach. Our 1954 class was well represented there. As I continued to tour the building I discovered that Nathaniel Galloway, Mary Pinkney, James Evans, Joanne Byrd, Barbara Harris, and Marie Hart had been added to the faculty. John Knox was principal there also. Afterwards, I went to the auditorium where I heard Dr. Marcus Laughlin speak about health. I had lunch in the school cafeteria where Lizzie Knox was dietitian. After lunch I decided to tour the trade building, where Claudius Eller and Joseph Kimbrough were teaching brick-masonry.

I had the pleasure of visiting the zoo while in Philadelphia, too. There I saw Will McCaniel who said he had just left North Carolina where he was a lawyer and Rachel Sprinkle was his secretary. He told me that the Reynolds Tobacco Company had given Powell Welch, Luvenia Davis, Ellen Waddell, Geraldine Valentine, and Dorothy Gould jobs as stenographers.

I also had the privilege of visiting a friend in Washington. It was Dr. Paul Lash, who has an office there. He took me to visit another friend, Dr. Robert Woods. Johnnie Hauser was his secretary. Later we attended a baseball game. There I met Ruth Brown. She told me that she and Ruby Greene were laboratory technicians there in the city.

After I had returned to Dr. Lash's home I received another phone call. It was James Johnson. He invited me over to the funeral home which he and William Nelson were operating. Afterwards I had dinner with their secretary, Bertha Anthony. After dinner we talked over old times. She told me that she had been in the hospital and that Vera Gambill, Mable Crowell, Rhudine Singleton, Clara Hairston, and Barbara Anderson were capable nurses there.

The following day I visited a high school. There I found Harry Smith coaching and Shirley Hairston teaching. Shirley told me that Irene Hauser and Geneva Raysor had a large beauty shop in that city; and that Ruth Payne was also doing fine work as a dress designer.

On my way back to North Carolina I bought a copy of the New York Times. On the sports page I saw a picture of a football player. It was Aldean Moore! He is playing professional football with the New York Giants.

After reaching home I found my brother in the hospital. He told me of three young nurses who said they knew me. I had no idea who they were. Later, they entered. They were Doris Feaster, Maranda Kendrix, and Anne Glenn.

Now that my vacation has ended and school has started, I must prepare a test in Agriculture for the Freshman Class at Carver School.

CHARLES MILLER

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Graduating Class of 1954, realizing that the close of our school days is near at hand, think it wise to leave something to those who in the future will undertake to fill our places.

In the course of our high school days, naturally, we have accumulated various and valuable possessions; our years have been fruitful. We have acquired a vast store of knowledge along with other things that will help us through our lives. Since we are burdened with some superfluous possessions, we think it wise to dispose of them; too, we realize that the school would have a great loss without us or our valuable possessions. The underclassmen, especially the Juniors, would be handicapped if we took all our valuable assets.

To our faithful and long-suffering principals, Mr. Hill, Dr. Watson, and Mr. Martin, we leave our heartfelt gratitude for their help and co-operation in leading us to our goal.

To our senior sponsors, Mrs. Bynum and Mrs. Earl, to whom we are very much indebted for their leadership and guidance, we leave our wishes that they may have class just as they want it to be.

To our teachers, who are our friends and helpers, we leave our wishes that the oncoming students will be more willing to abide by the rules and regulations.

To individuals we bequeath the following characteristics:

A. C. Eldridge wills his athletic ability to Lester Spease.

Lizzie Knox wills her personality to Georgia Laughlin.

Bertha Anthony wills her weight to Rebecca Mitchell.

Juanita Nelson wills her slimness to Rebecca Mitchell.

Rachel Sprinkle wills her height to Joanne Williams and her dainty shod feet to Lonnie Eldridge.

Maranda Kendrick wills her position in Student Council to Johnny Poole and her friendliness to Virginia Eldridge.

Claudius Eller wills his ability to talk to Carl Rice and his manhood to Robert Cannon.

Willie M. Brown wills her neatness and pleasing smile to Barbara Payne, her position as most talkative girl to Mary Douthit, and her typing ability to Jean Miller.

Johnnie Mae Hauser wills her ability to type the Attendance Sheets to Johnnie Mae Matthews and ability to work in the office to Bryant Wardlow and Johnny Poole.

Ann Glenn wills her ability to get along with others to Aldine Myers, her streamlined figure to Rose Barksdale, and her class ring to Jerome Lash.

Barbara Anderson wills her Cheerleader Suit to Virginia Eldridge and her ability to speak French to Barbara Payne.

Ruth Payne wills her quietness to Molly Shouse, her hands to Jean Carson, and her class ring to Oscar Sprinkle.

Irene Hauser wills her hair to Janice Waddell, her weight to Rebecca Mitchell, and her kindness to Grover Lineberger.

Barbara Harris wills her Cheerleader suit to Wilma Hairston, her ability to speak French to Barbara Dark, and her ability to walk the halls to Alvin Little.

Ruth Brown wills her most studious ability to Georgia Laughlin, her Cheerleader Suit to Blanche Clement, and her height to Jean Miller.

Shirley Hairston wills her title as most "Intellectual Girl" to Felicia Martin, her Cheerleader Suit to Rosina Robinson, and physique to Mary Staten.

Joanne Byrd wills her position as most "Athletic Girl" to Barbara Dark, her position as cheerleader to Armada Young, and her ability to impersonate to Loline Witherspoon.

Mary Wharton wills her class ring to Mary Douthit and her title as most "Popular Girl" to whoever should be so lucky.

Geneva Raysor wills her smile to Barbara Jones, her quietness to Ollie Sawyer, and her typing ability to Blanche Clement.

Odessa Dobson wills her ability to get shorthand to Charline Conrad, her cuteness to Wilma Hairston, her Carver sweater to Johnnie M. Matthews, and her eyes to Annie West.

Rhudine Singleton wills her dignity to Geneva Lyons.

Marie Hart wills her ability to get French to Mary Douthit, her position as president of Crown and Scepter Club to Grover Lineburger.

Ruby Greene wills her personality to Mamie Speas, her position to work in the office to Vernice Waddell, and her Cheerleader Suit to Barbara Gray.

Clarence Harrington wills his ability to come to school to Preston Webb.

William Nelson wills his musical ability to Emanuel Johnson. James Evans wills his position on the Student Council to Clarence Massey.

Polly Hairston wills Felicia Martin her walk and Barbara Jones her legs.

Mable Crowell wills her shortness to Joanne Williams, her small feet to Alberta Hughes, and her ability to talk to Emily Mitchell.

Ray Little wills his kicking toe to Lester Spease and his position as president of the Glee Club to David Little.

Doris Feaster wills her neatness to Virginia Eldridge, and her small feet to Jean Carson.

Charles Baron wills his ability to get along with girls to Macon Patton, his title as "Big Wheel" to Lester Spease, and his basketball and football suit to Donald Thomas.

Charles Miller wills his ability to think to Clarence Massey, his Bus, number 97, to Robert Ervin, and his manhood to Robert Cannon and Ulysses Morrison.

Richard Wilkins wills his athletic ability to Samuel Couthen.

Robert Woods wills his ability to conduct a football assembly program to James Byrd and his speaking ability to Oscar Campbell.

Bernice Bingham wills her French Book to Joanne Williams, her typing ability to Johnnie Matthews.

Baxter Holman wills his tackle spot and No. 66 Jersey to James Byrd.

Harry Smith wills his setting ability in basketball to Macon Patton.

Douglas Golden wills his ability to think to Robert Ervin, and his bus to Jerome Lash.

Samuel NeSmith wills his trumpet to Josephine Atwater.

Geraldine Valentine wills her ability to type to Shirley Randleman, her French Book to Charline Conrad, and her position as most "Courteous Girl" to Lester Spease.

John Knox wills his ability to make B's and A's to all the uniors of Carver School.

Delores Hampton wills her height to Joanne Williams and her legs to Emily Hairston.

Ellen Waddell wills her ability to type to Vernice Waddell, her smile to Shirley Randleman, and her ability to sing to Mollie Shouse.

Doris Hairston wills her position on the Cheering Squad to Barbara Gray, and her position as Thespian Secretary to Gilmer Watson.

Clara Hairston wills her ability to act in plays to Grover Lineburger, her pony tall to Loline Witherspoon, and her position at Kate Biting Memorial Hospital to Geneva Lyons.

Powell Welch wills her position in the Student Council to Grover Lineburger and her ability to flirt with other girls' boy-friends to Gertrude Thomas.

Elsie Jones wills her position in the Student Council to Bryant Wardlow, her personality and smile to Geneva Lyons.

Ralph Hauser wills his height and his ability to get along with others to Jean Carson.

Annett Keaton wills her height to Minnie R. Brown and her ability to hold positions to Geneva Lyons.

Lucy White wills her duty as president of F. T. A. to Charline Conrad, her position as vice-president of the Senior Class to Grover Lineburger, and her duty as secretary of Crown and Scepter Club to Annie West.

Betty Tinsley wills her ability to talk to Joseph Venable and her shortness to Doris Hemphill.

Weldon Reece wills his ability to think logically and his personality to Robert Ervin.

William Fulton wills his ability to get lessons to James Jessup, his dependability to Clarence Massey.

Robert Evans wills his position as president of the Social Science Club to Joanne Williams and his Bus No. 56 to Gilmer Watson.

Ronald Parish wills his artistic talent to Joseph Banner.

Marcus Laughlin wills his height to Joanne Williams, his ability to wear Johnny Bulls to Grover Lineburger.

Mary Pinkney wills her Carver Sweater to Roberta Stevens, her waistline to Barbara Payne, and her personality to Jean Miller.

Will McDaniel wills his love to all the girls in the Junior Class.

Aldean Moore wills his ability to play football to Macon Patton, his scholastic ability to Felicia Martin, and his dramatic ability to Grover Lineburger.

Joseph Kimbrough wills his personality to Robert Erwin.

George Hill wills his title as the "Best-Dressed" boy to Donald Thomas.

Dorothy Gould wills her weight to Ollie Sawyer, her height to Charline Conrad.

Henry Eaton wills Joseph Banner his ability to get his lessons.

Luvenia Davis wills her shorthand ability to Lessie Sturdivant, her Italian hair style to Geneva Lyons, her Cheerleader Suit to Fannie Smith, her personality and the title as the "Prettiest Girl" to Jean Miller. Make good use of them, girls.

Linville Hairston wills his title as most "Handsome Boy" to Carl Rice.

In witness whereof we, the Senior Class of 1954, the testators, have set our last seal, this 29th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1954.

CLASS SONG

Tune: "In the Mission of St. Augustine"
In the Mission of Dear Carver High,
We say farewell.
Yet our memories here will linger still
Our love to dwell.
As down life's road we trod,
We'll think of you.
And hold your name so true
As you would have us to.

. . .

In the Mission of Dear Carver High
The parting time is here;
And we hope to again
Even though we are parting now.
For each sweet joy that we have known;
'Tis sad to part.
You're the school we will always adore
The Class of '54.

CLASS POEM

Oh, if all of our dreams would but come true,
Carver School, we would never leave you.
Here we met and were joined as one,
With you our mother and we your loyal daughters and sons.
Your ways we've known and trusted so well,
There are many secrets you hold and may never tell.
We've often wondered if these things were true,
What others were saying when they departed from you.
Had you served well?
Had you been true?
Had you shown the love of a father, too?
There are many things that we feel within,
In losing you we've lost our friends.
Oh, if all of our dreams would but **come true**,
You would be our High School, and College, too.

ROBERT WOODS

SUPERLATIVES



Geraldine Valentine
Robert Evans
Most Courteous



Shirley Hairston
James Evans
Most Intellectual



Mary Pinkney
Joseph Kimbrough
Best Personality



Rhudine Singleton
William Fulton
Most Dependable



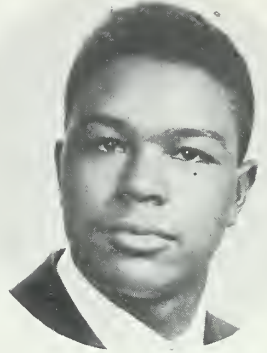
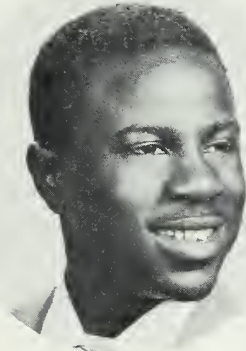
Johnnie Mae Hauser
Harold Hairston
Most Talented



SUPERLATIVES



Marie Hart
Bobby Woods
Most Versatile



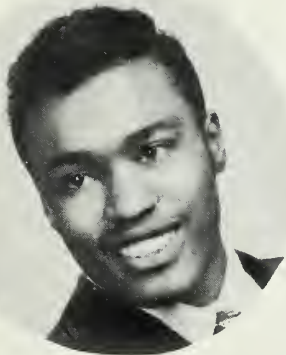
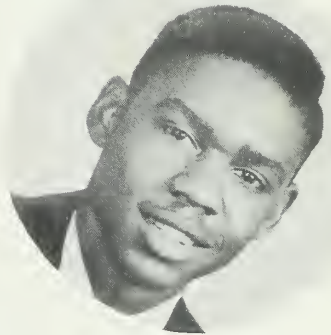
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Aldean Moore
Most Likely to Succeed



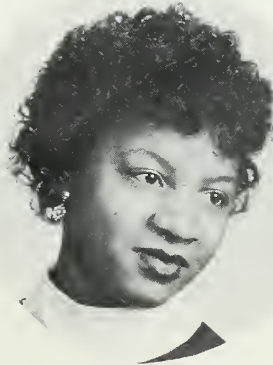
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Claudius Eller
Most Talkative

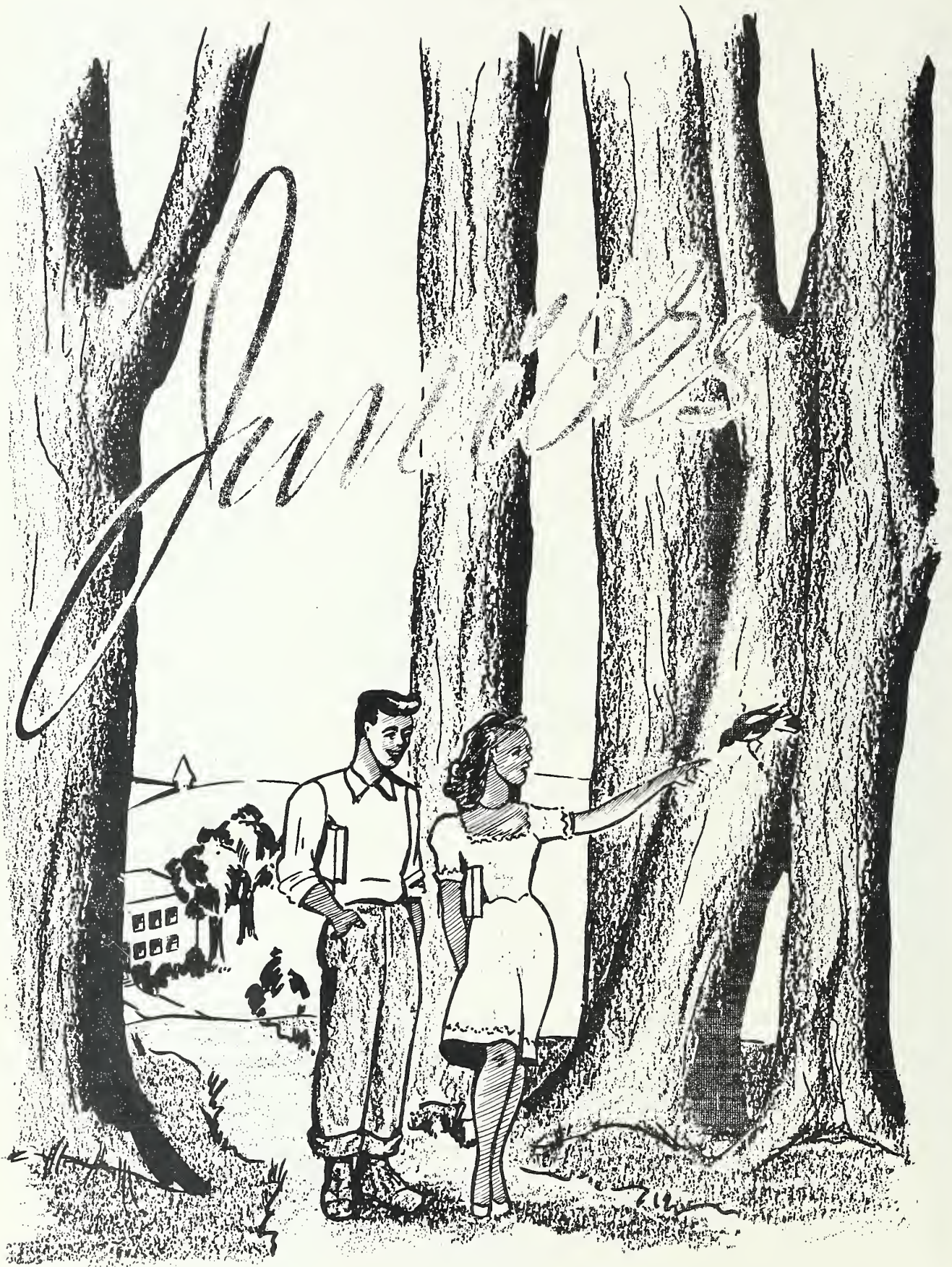


Juanita Nelson
Weldon Reece
Tallest



Geneva Raysor
Ronald Parrish
Most Bashful





JUNIOR OFFICERS



Grover Limeburger
President



Barbara Payne
Secretary



Bobby Giles
Vice-President

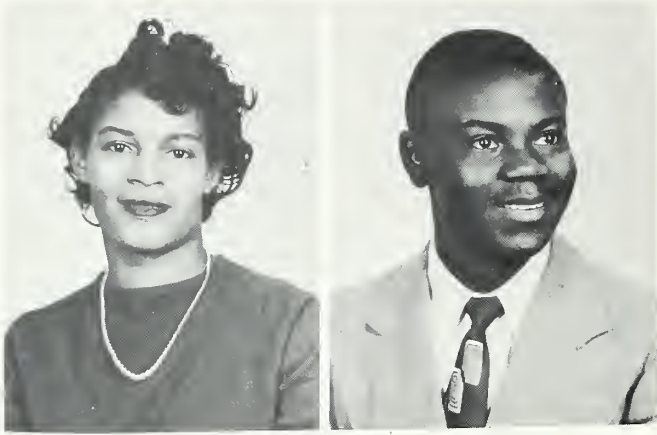


Geneva Lyons
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Mary Douthot
Reporter

JUNIORS



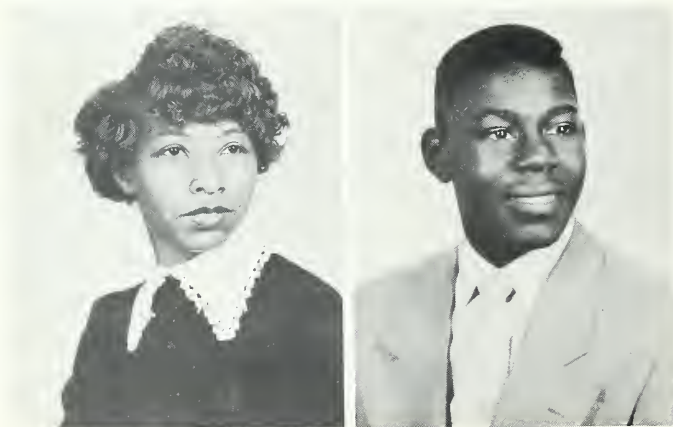
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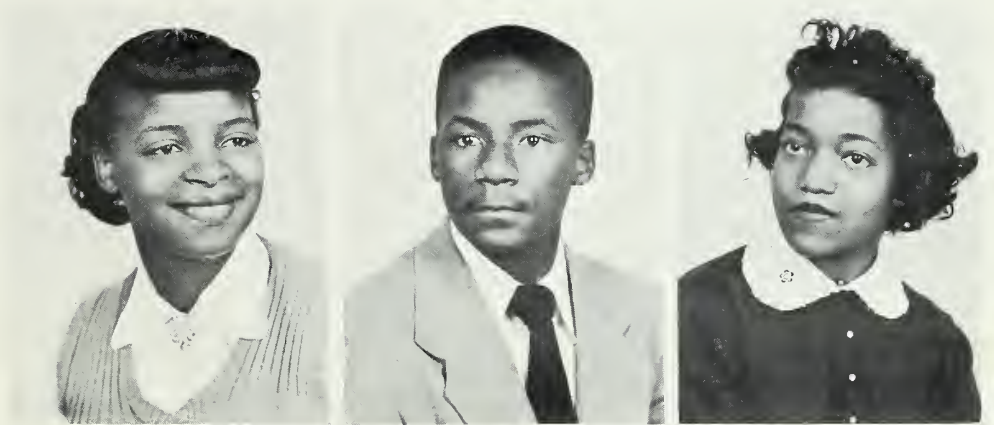
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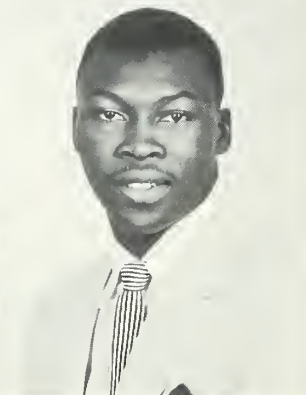
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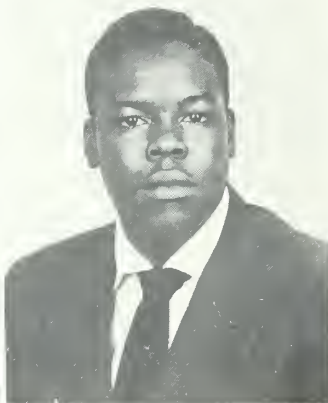
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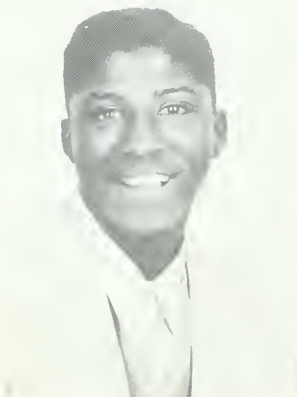
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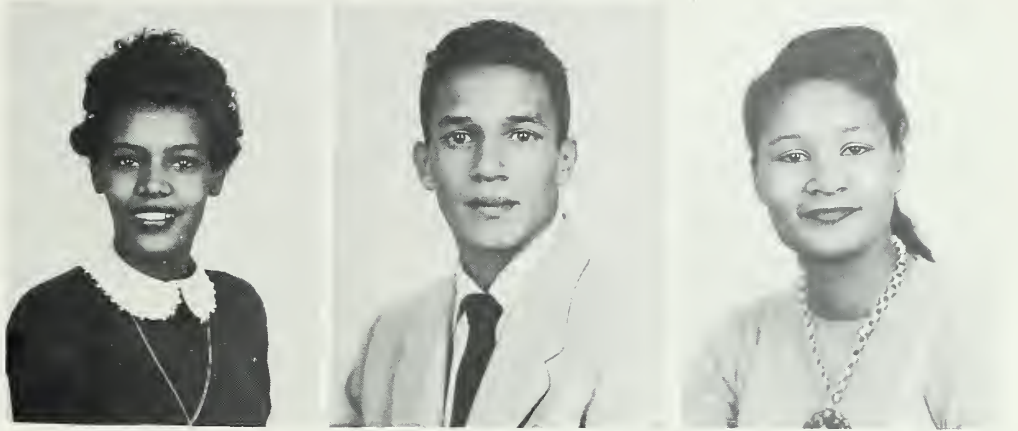
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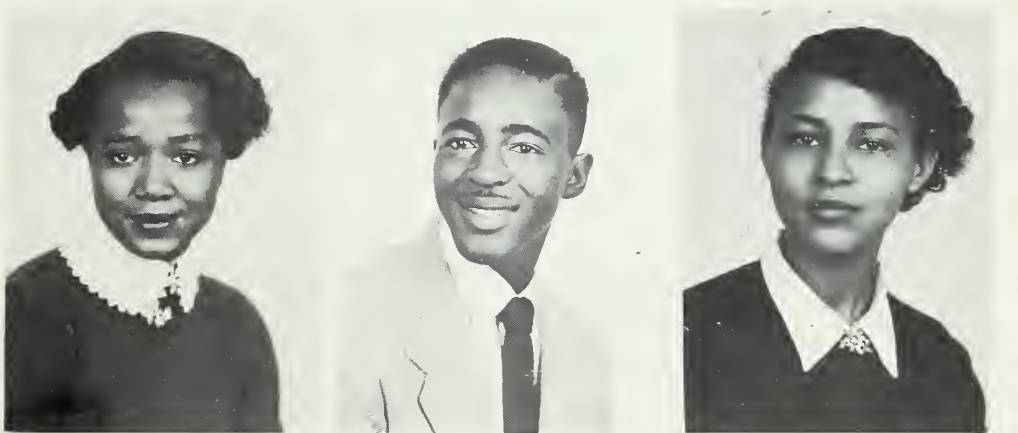
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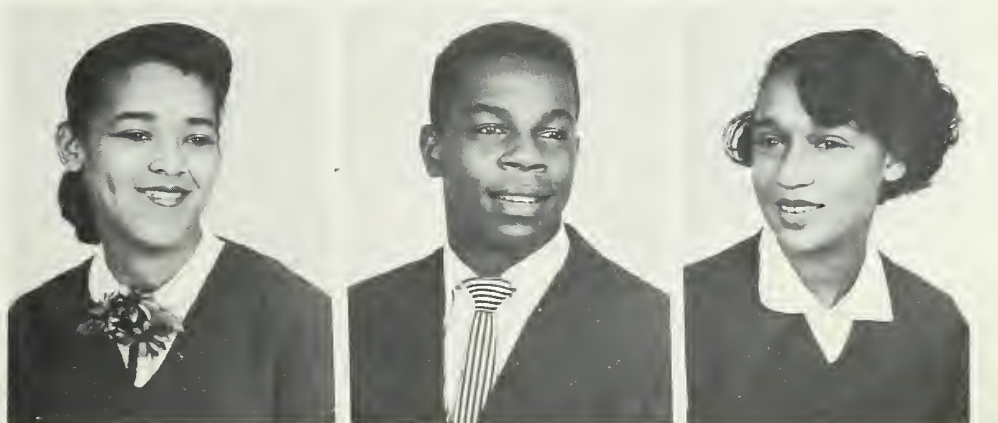
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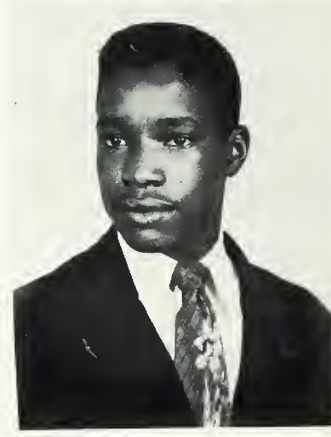
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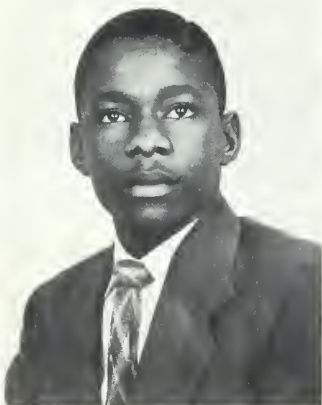
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Robert Hicks



Walter Wallice
Mary Staten
Johnny Correll



Macon Patton
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Alfred Brooks

JUNIORS

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James Jessup
Felicia Martin



Emily Hairston
Thomas Jackson
Annie West



Elva Jarrett
Jimmy Harris
Barbara Dark



JUNIORS



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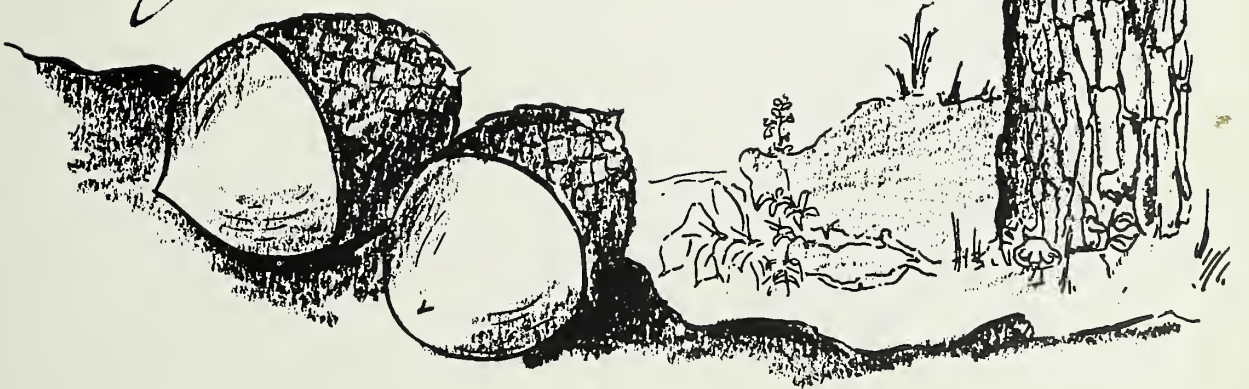


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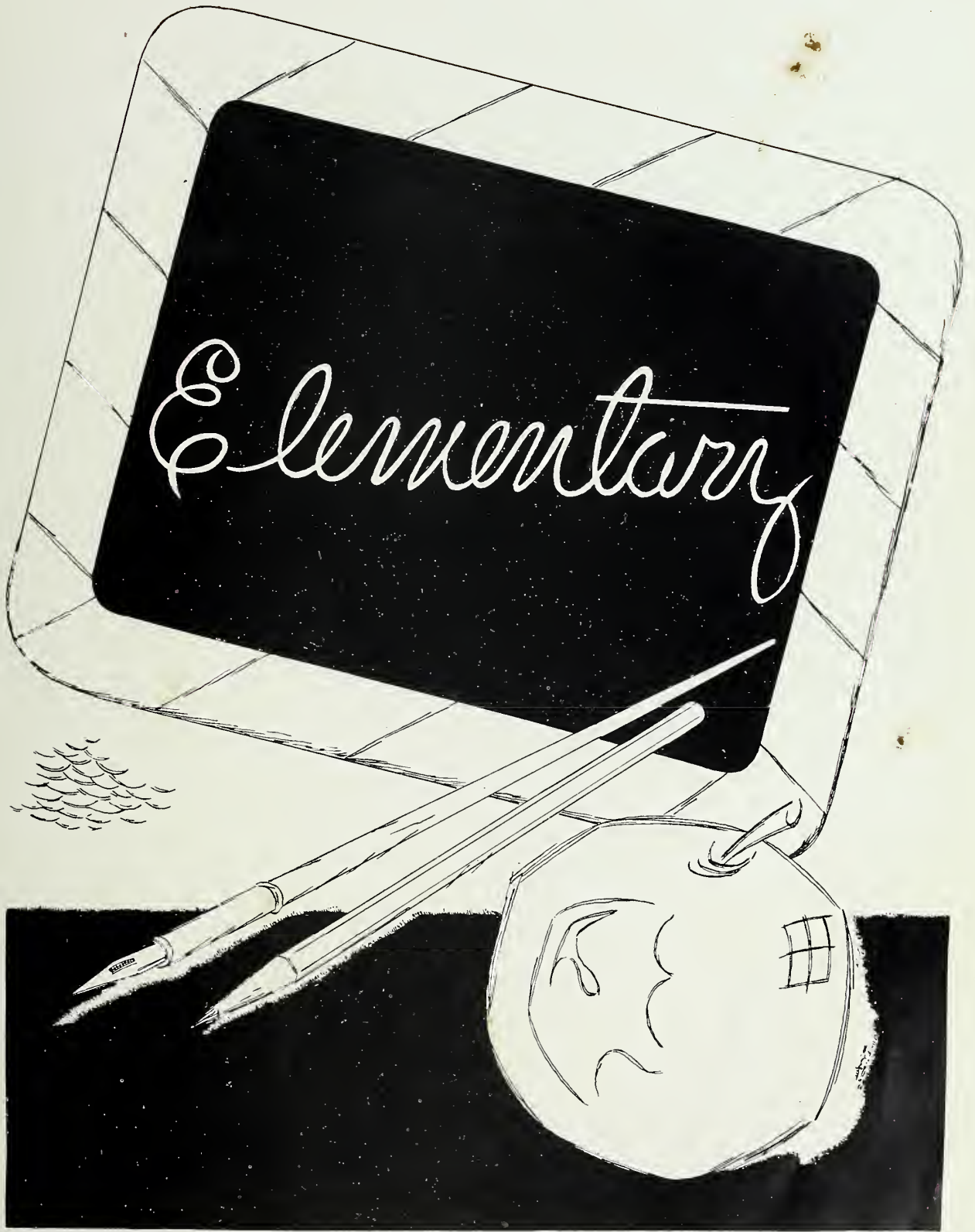


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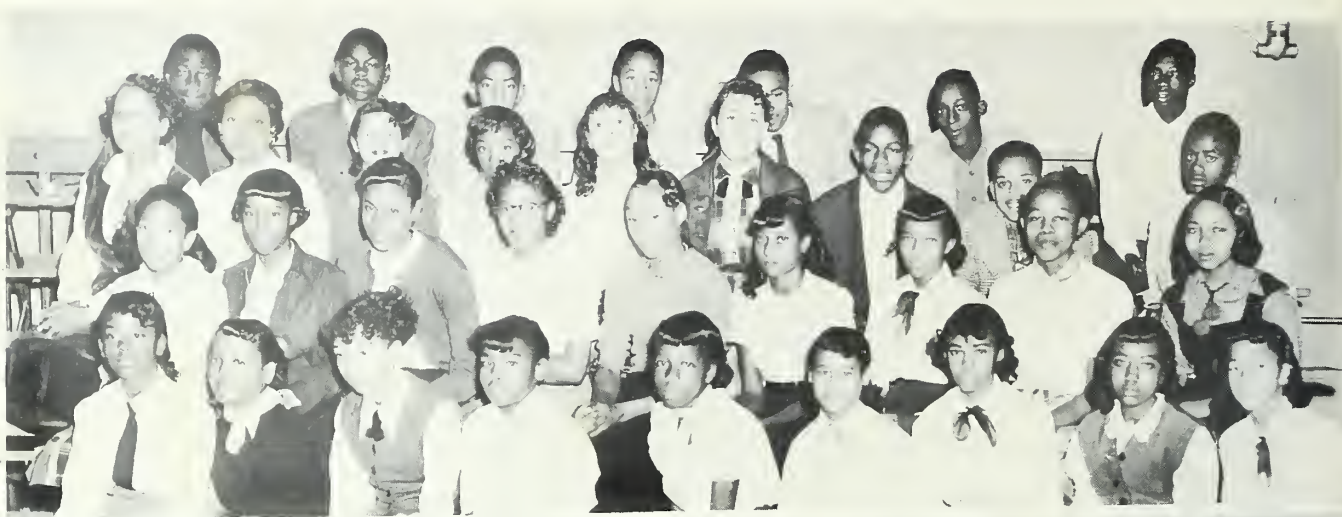


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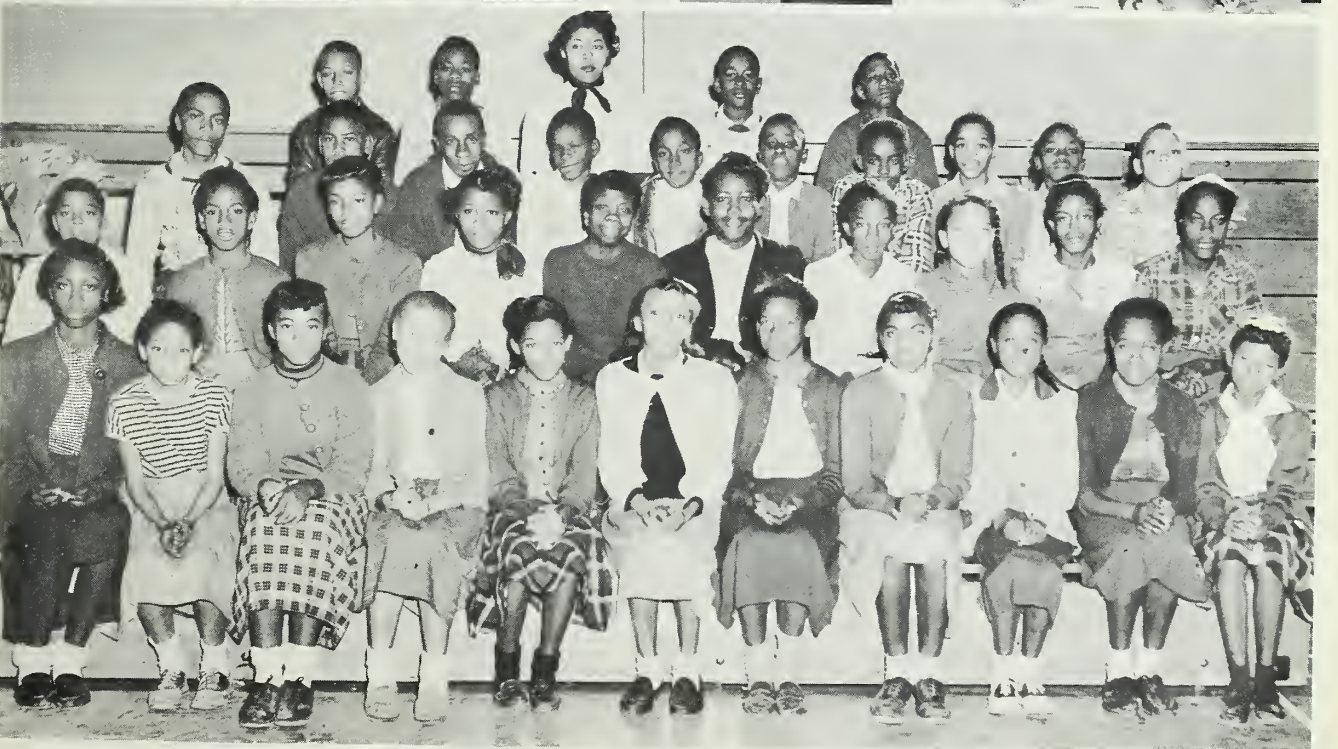


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SEVENTH GRADE



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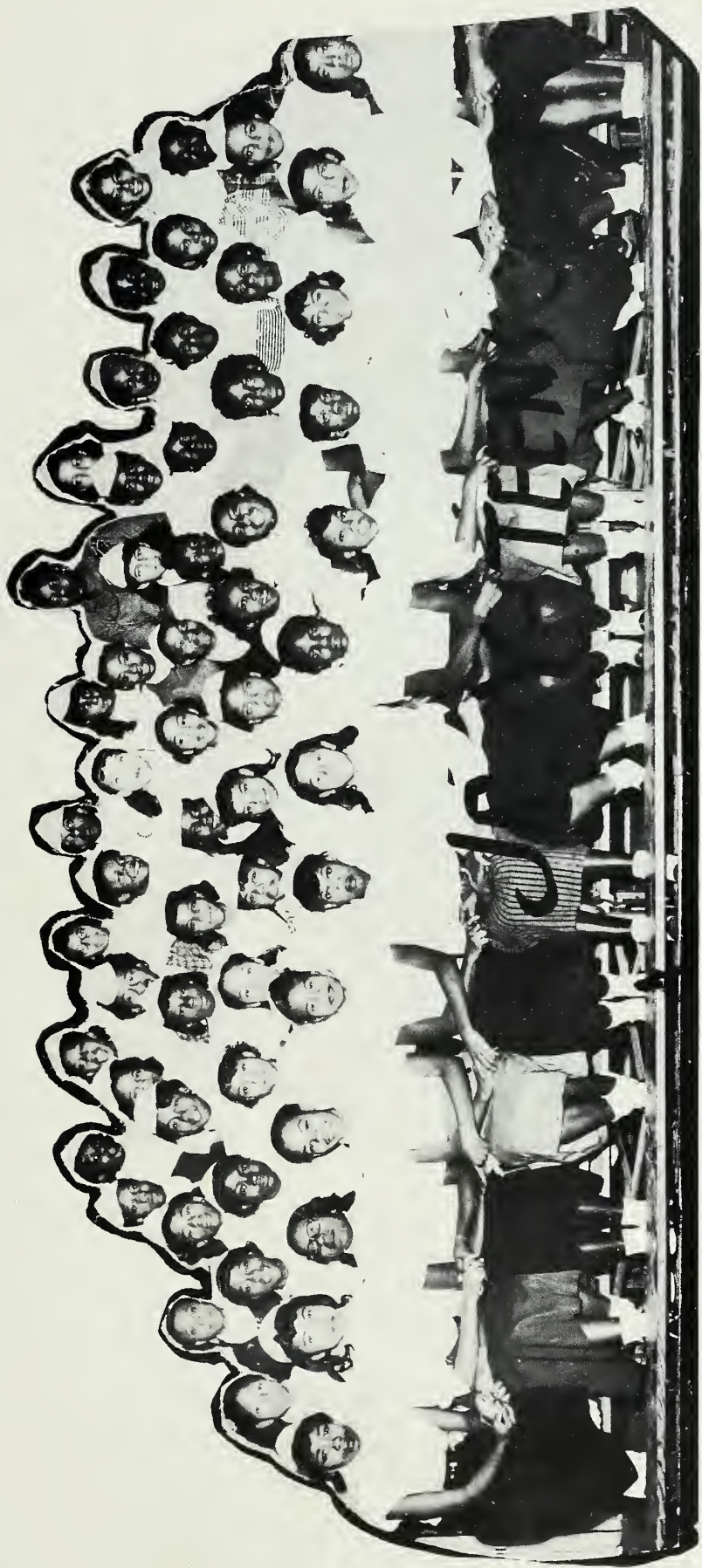


FIRST GRADE



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INTERMEDIATE GLEE CLUB



JUNIOR DRAMATICS CLUB



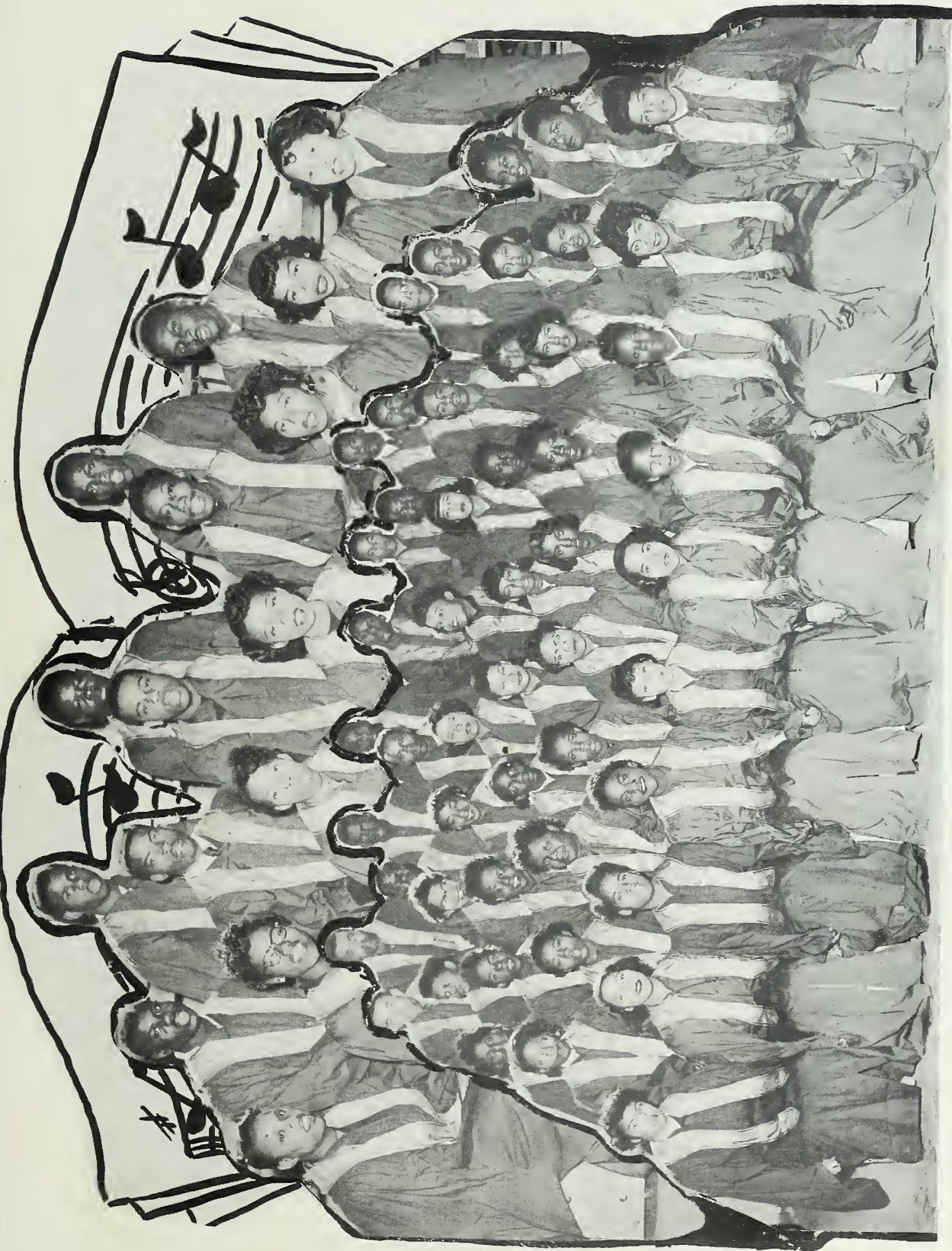
ELEMENTARY SCIENCE

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GLEE CLUB AND CHORALIERS



LIBRARY CLUB



CROWN AND SCEPTER CLUB



SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB



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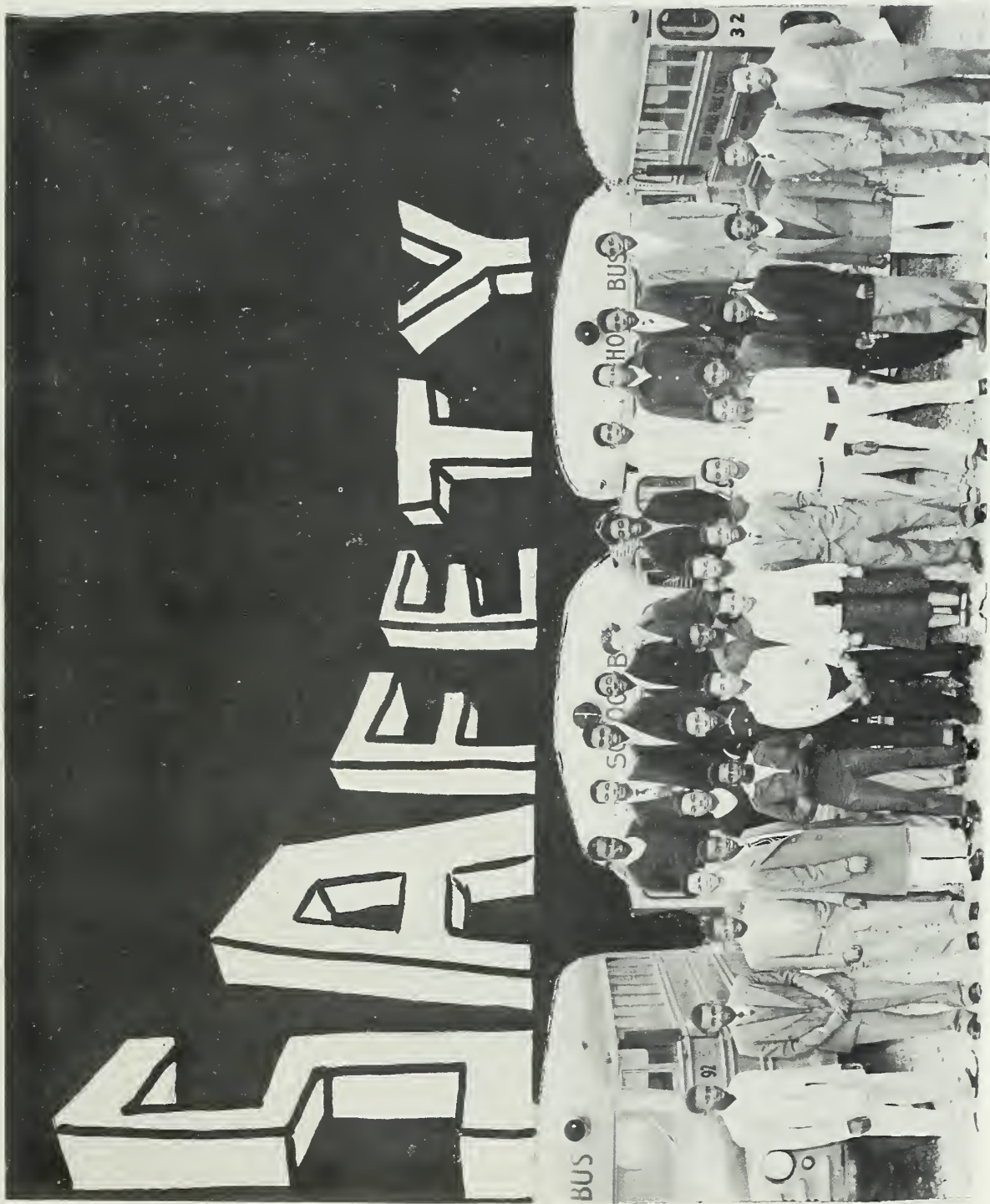




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ALLIED YOUTH ORGANIZATION



Bus Drivers Club

Pres.
Adviser

James Evans
Mr. F. K. Thomas



NEW HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



HOME ECONOMICS CLASS





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OFFERS A WIDE VARIETY
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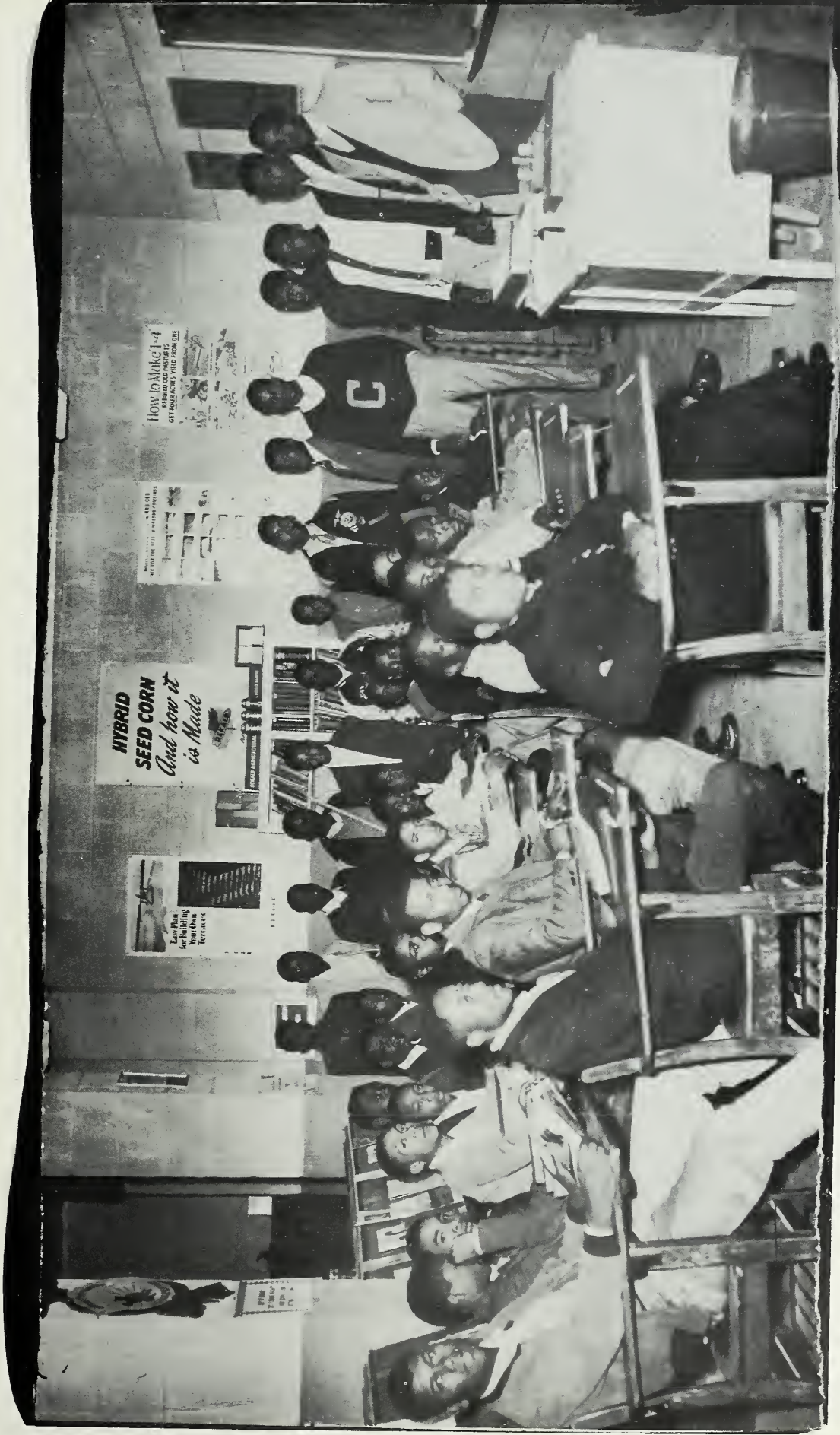
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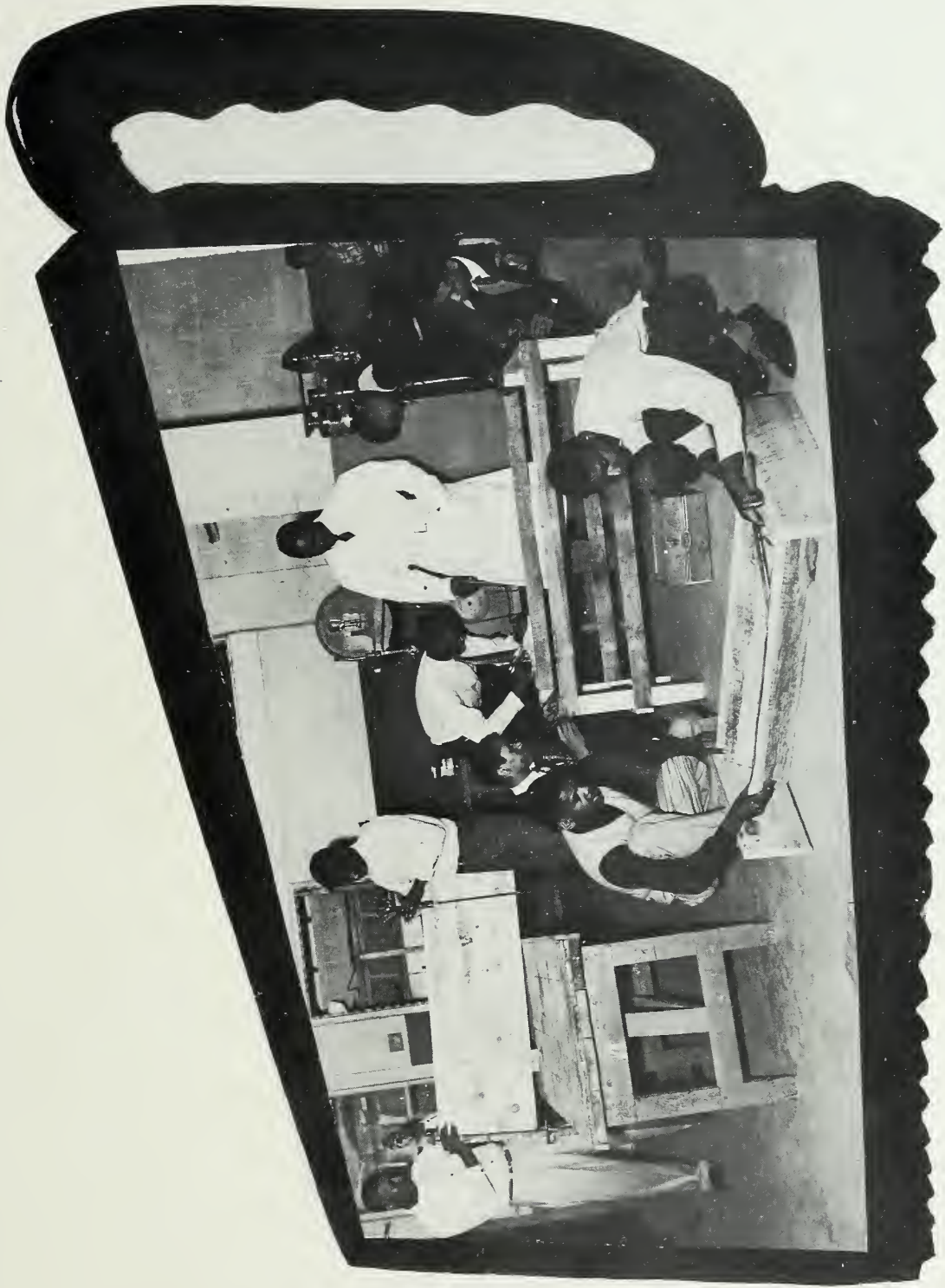








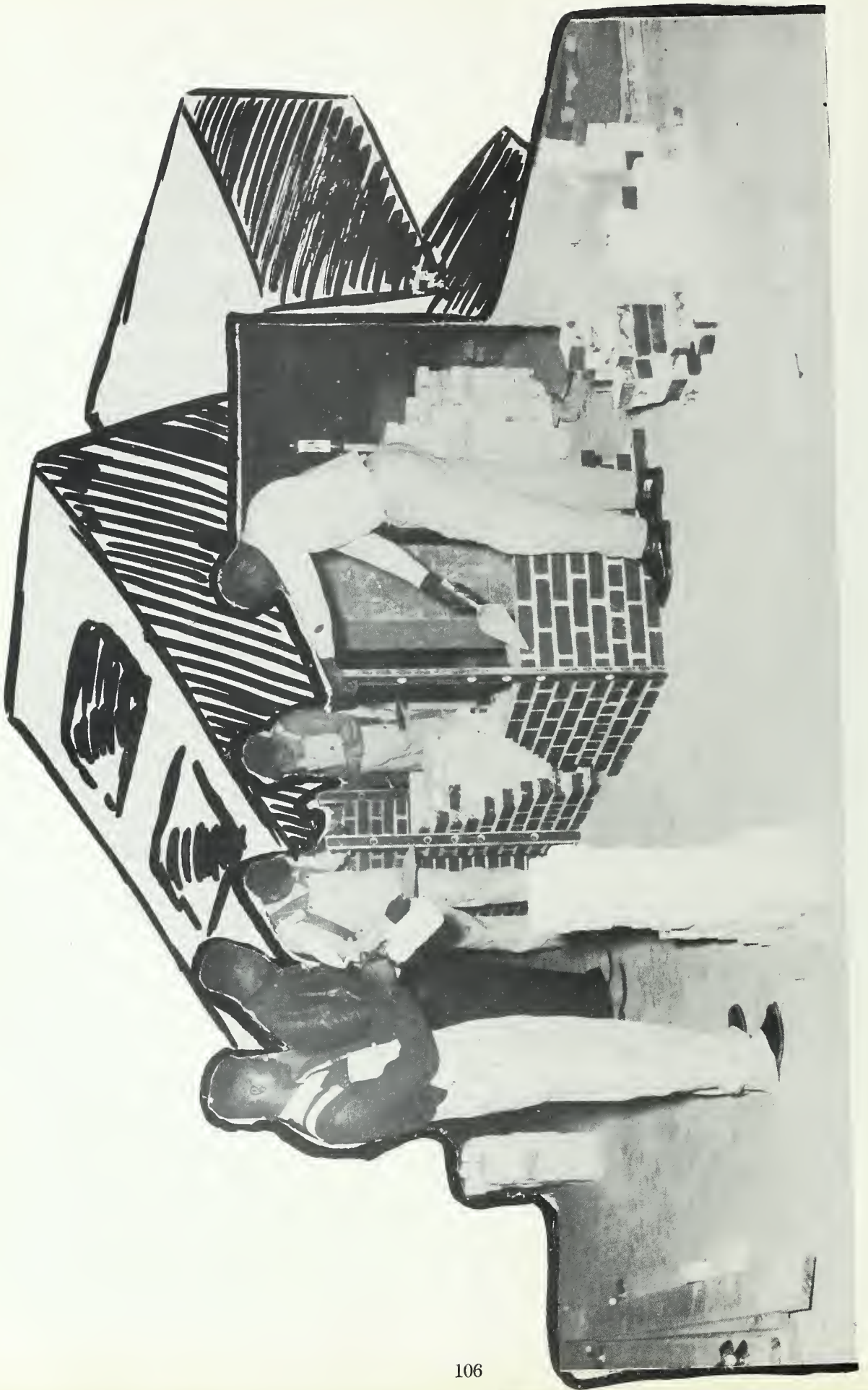
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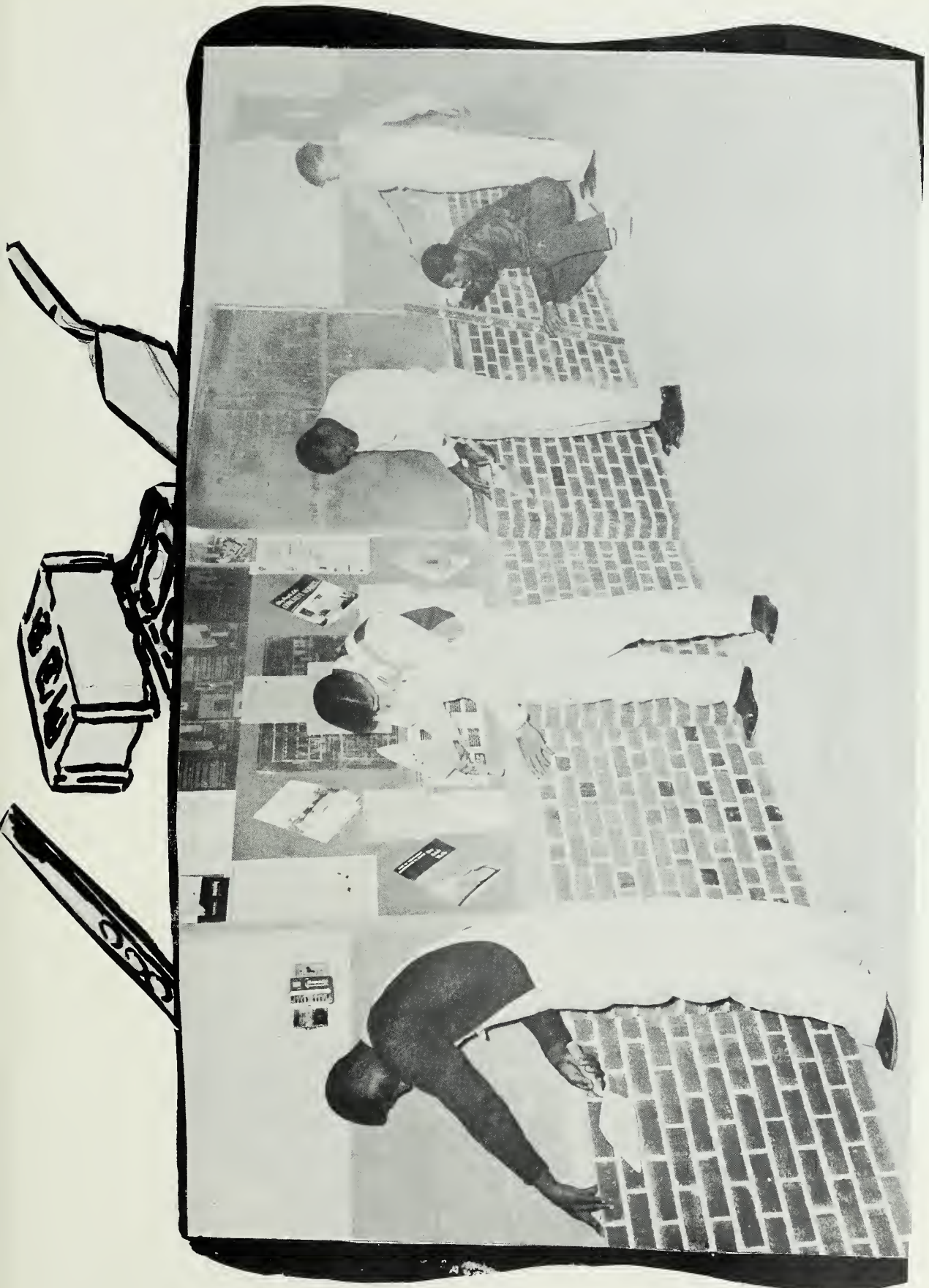
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MISS CARVER HIGH SCHOOL



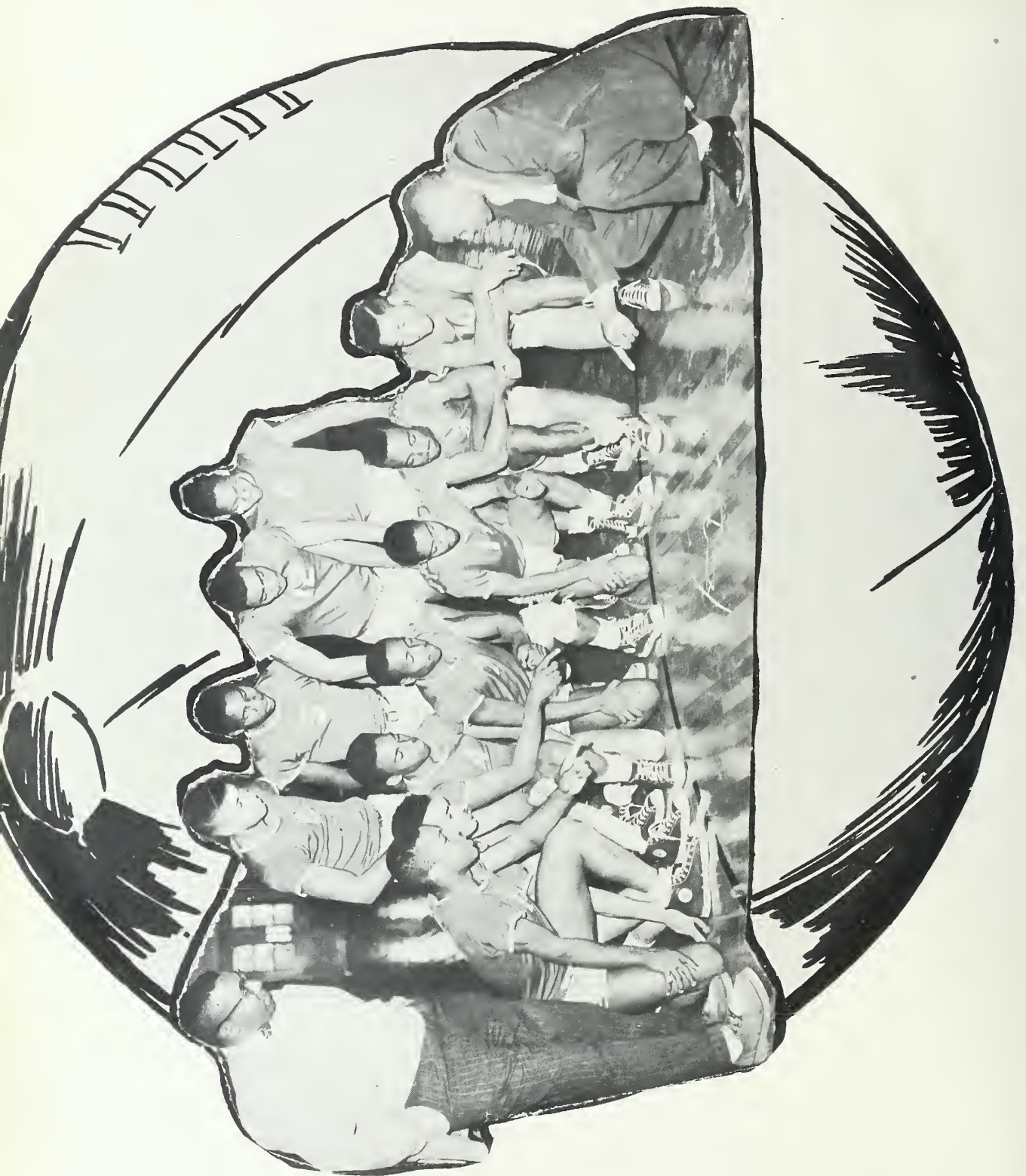
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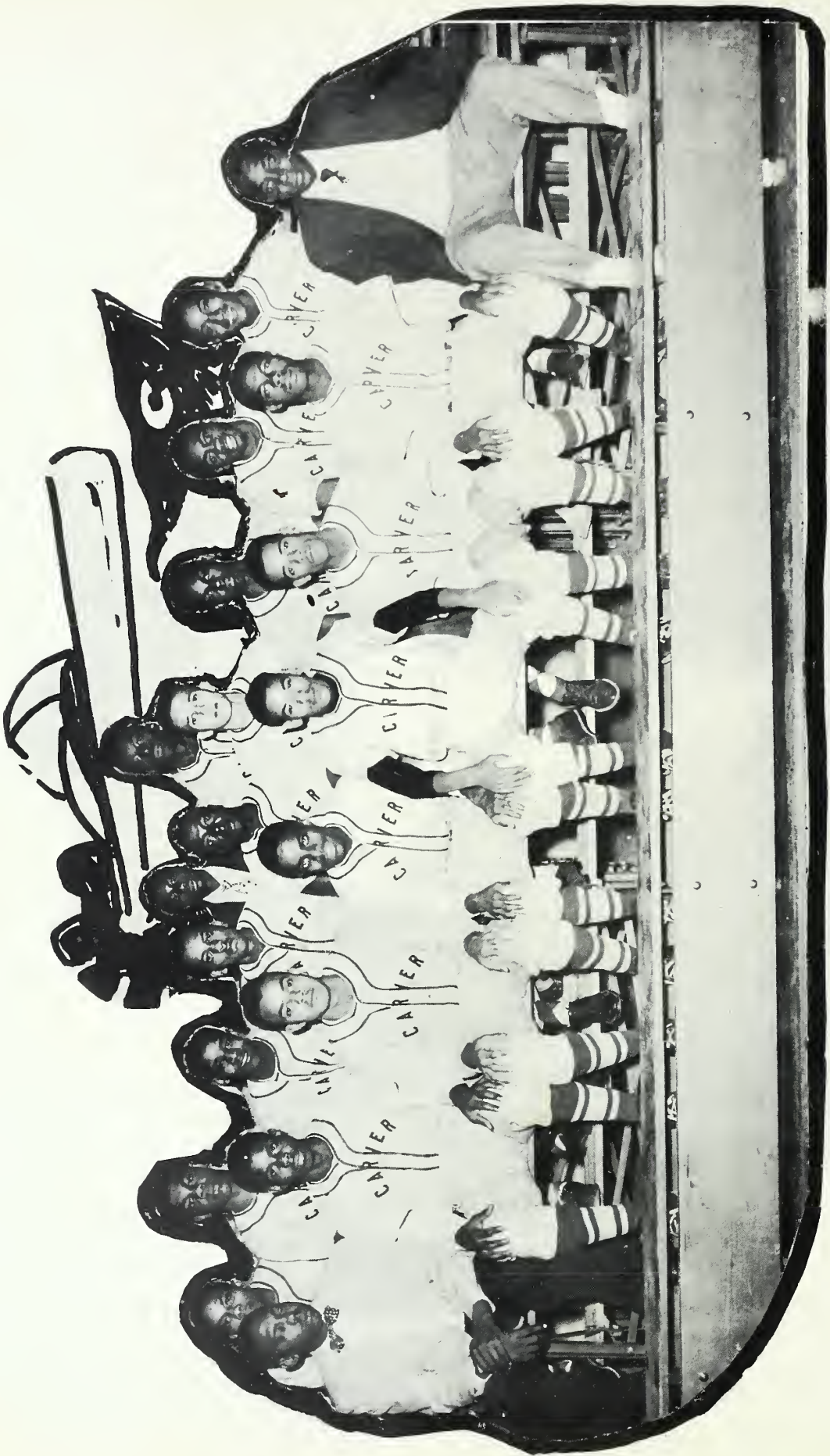
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VARSITY BASKETBALL



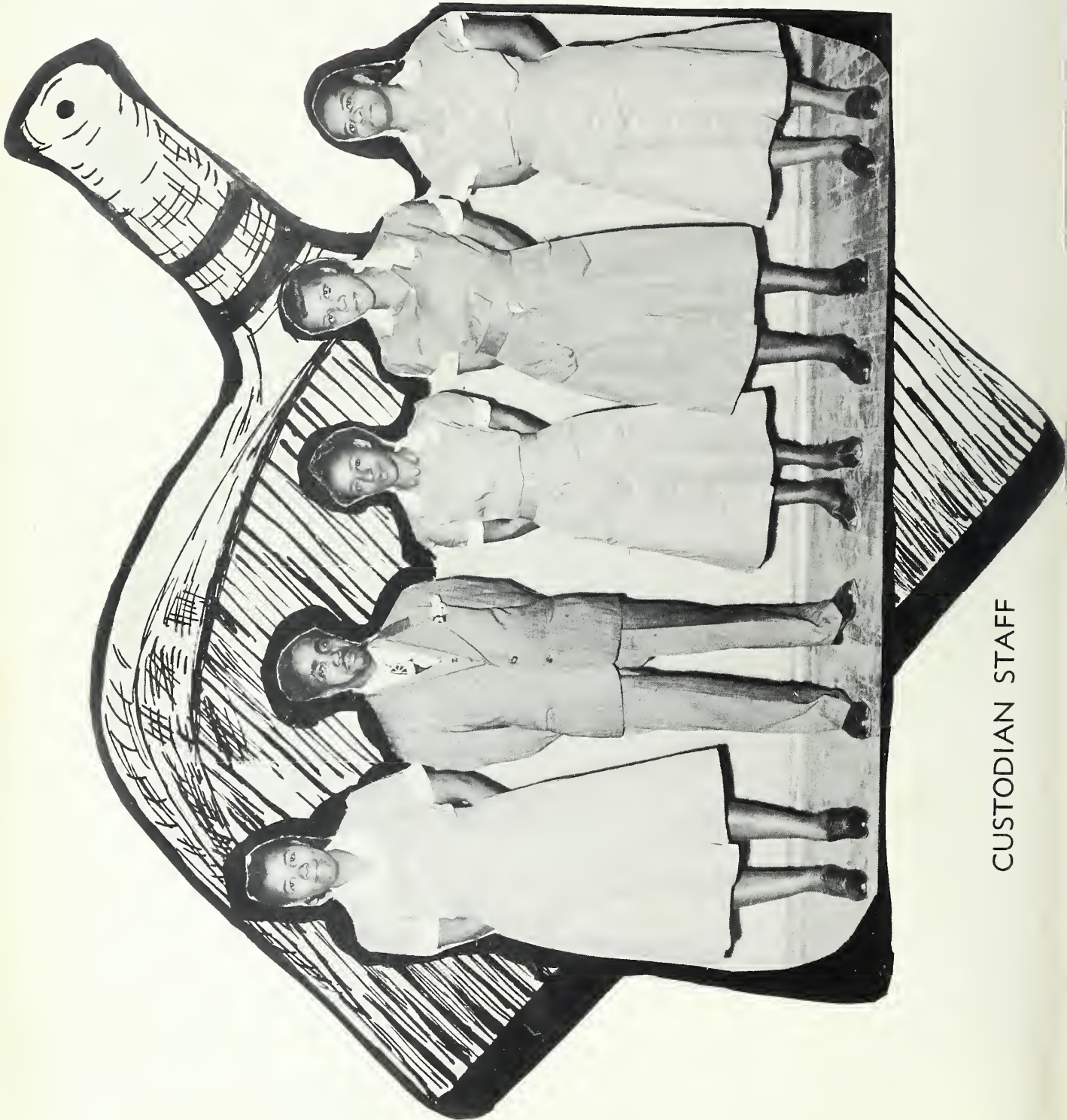
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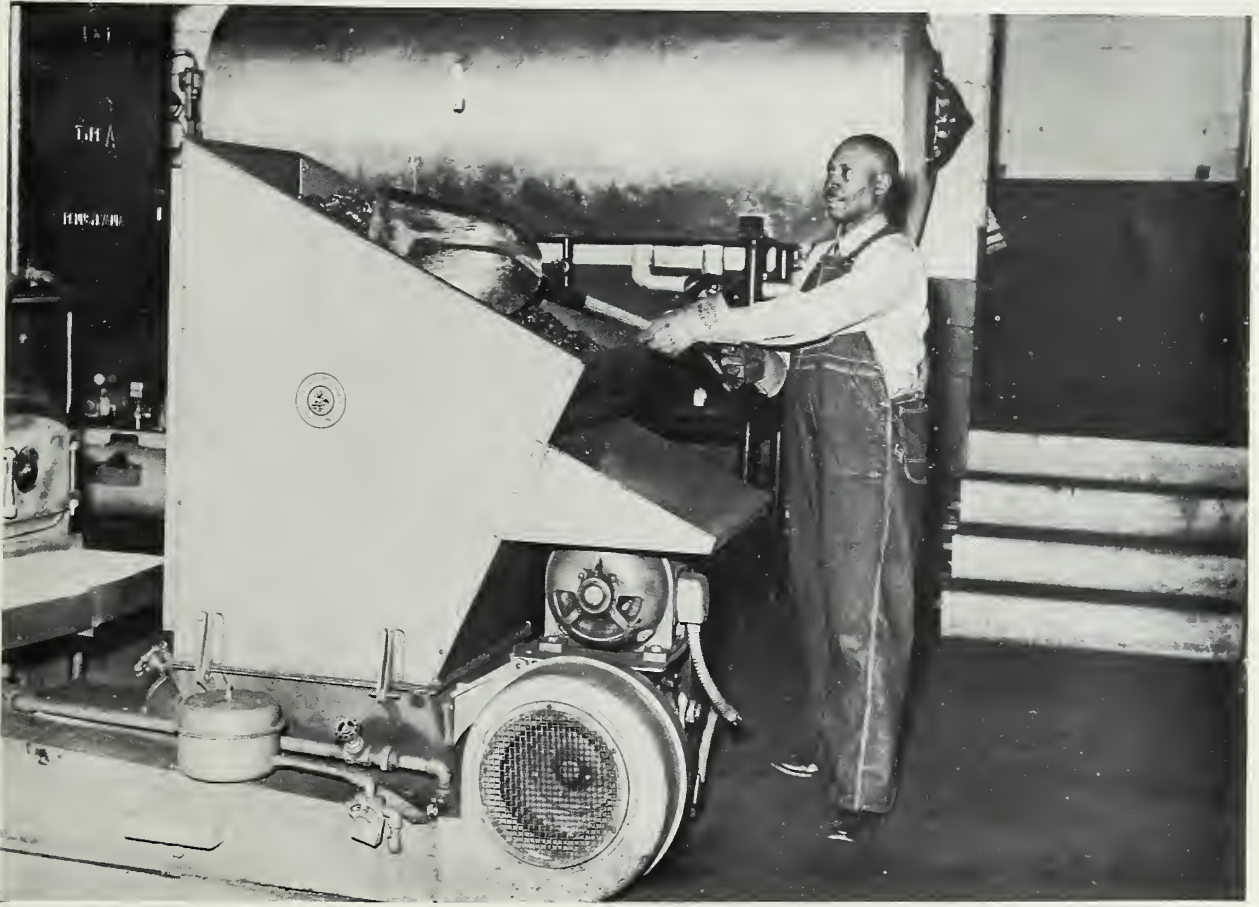
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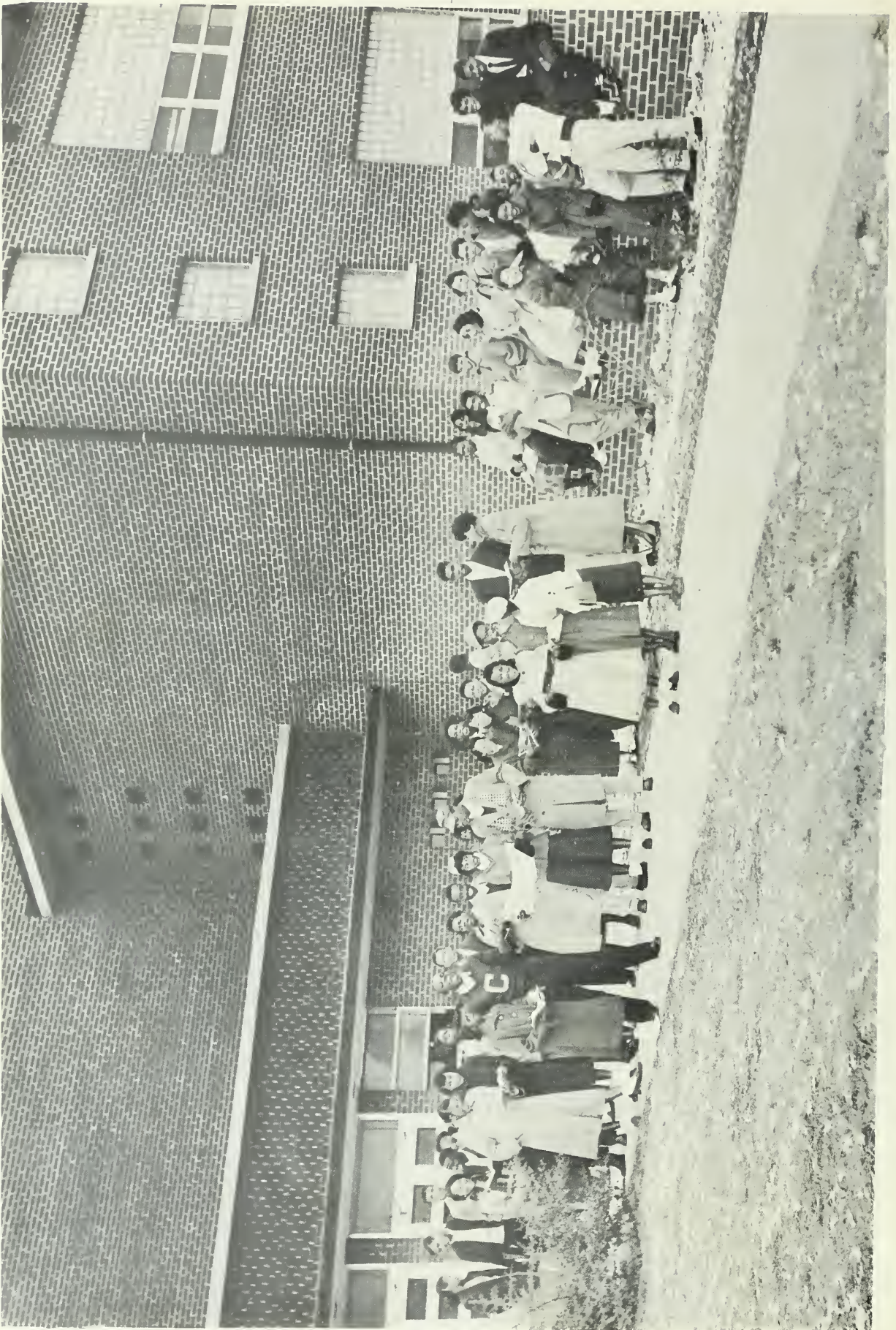
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