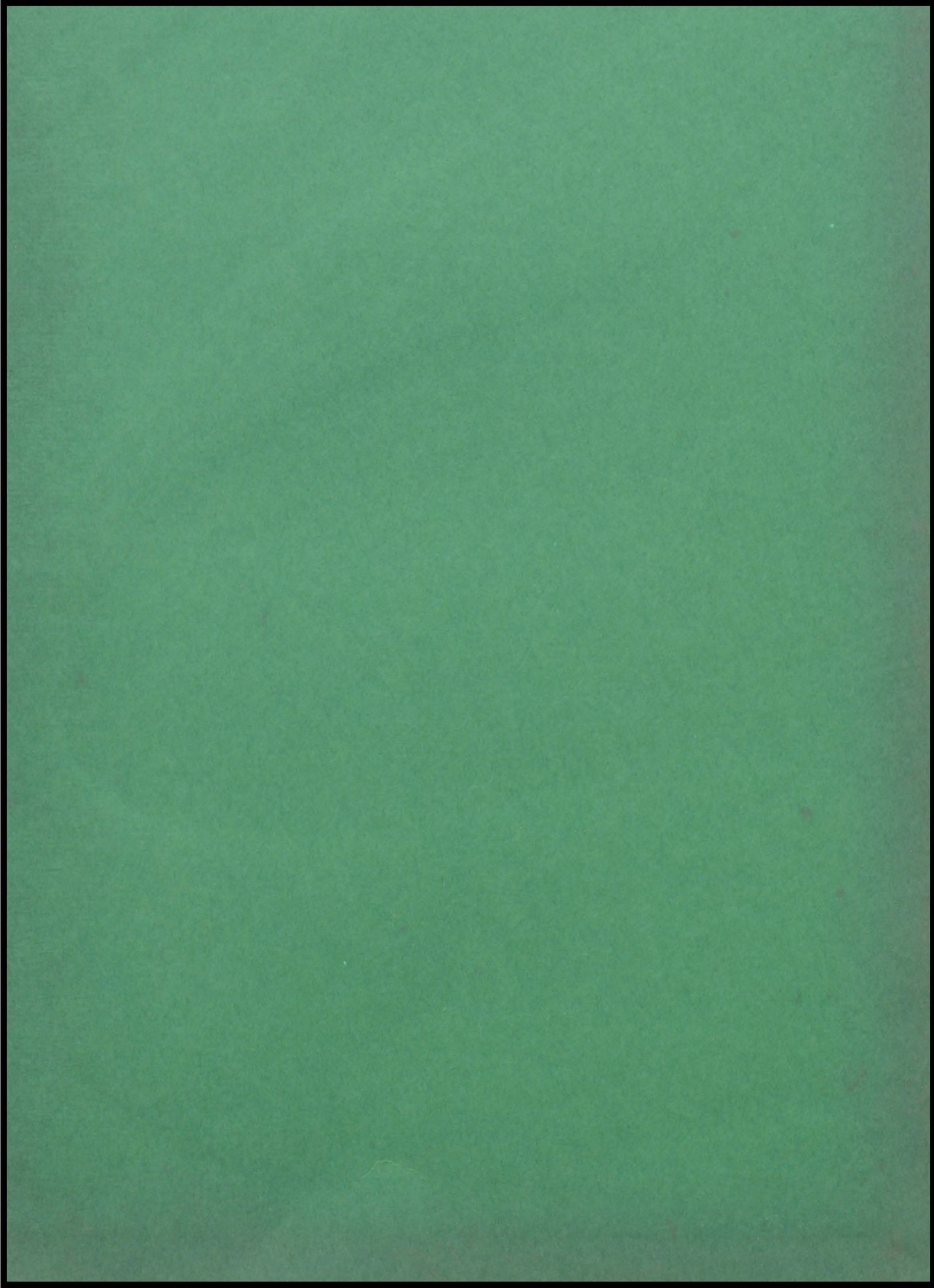
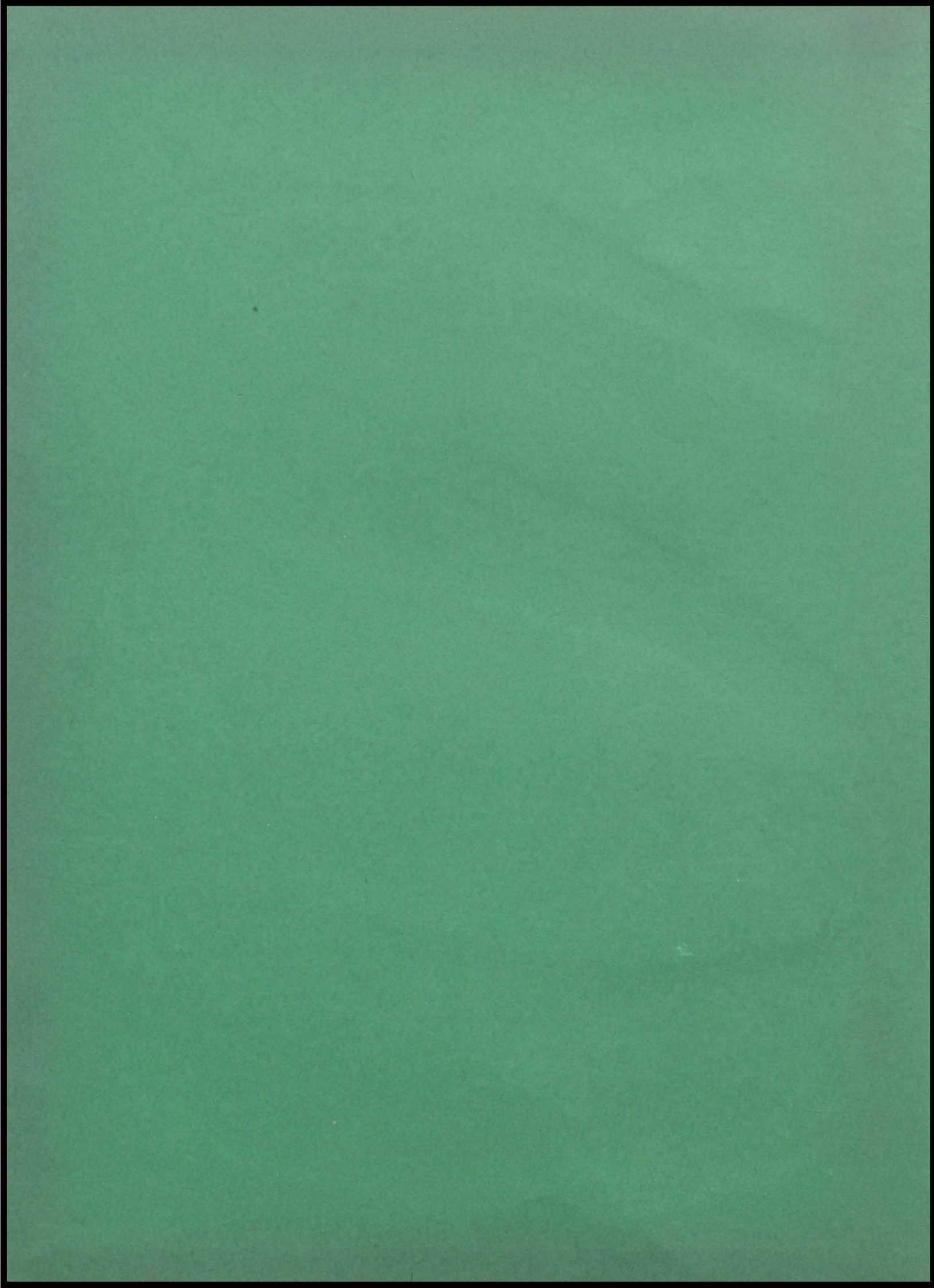


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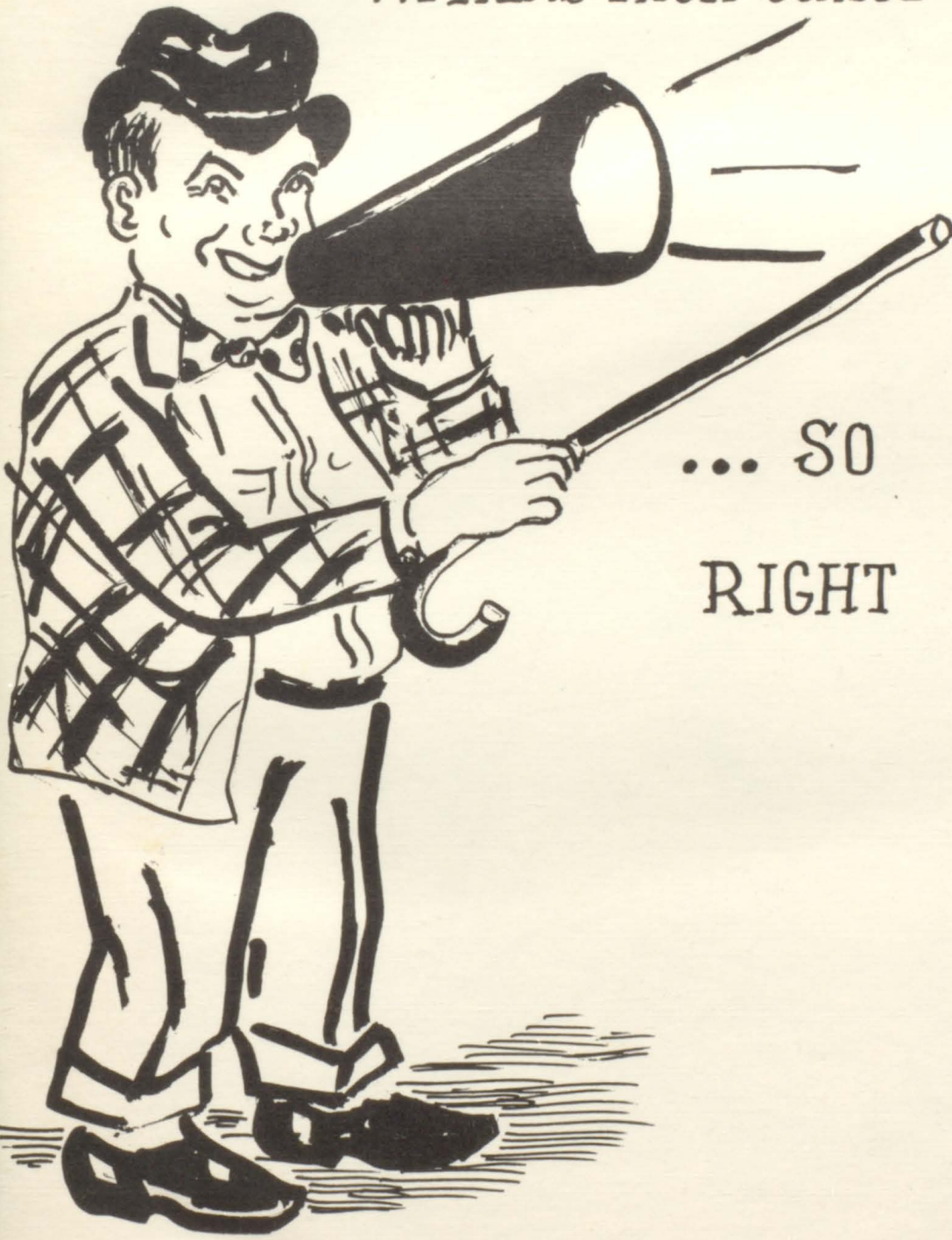




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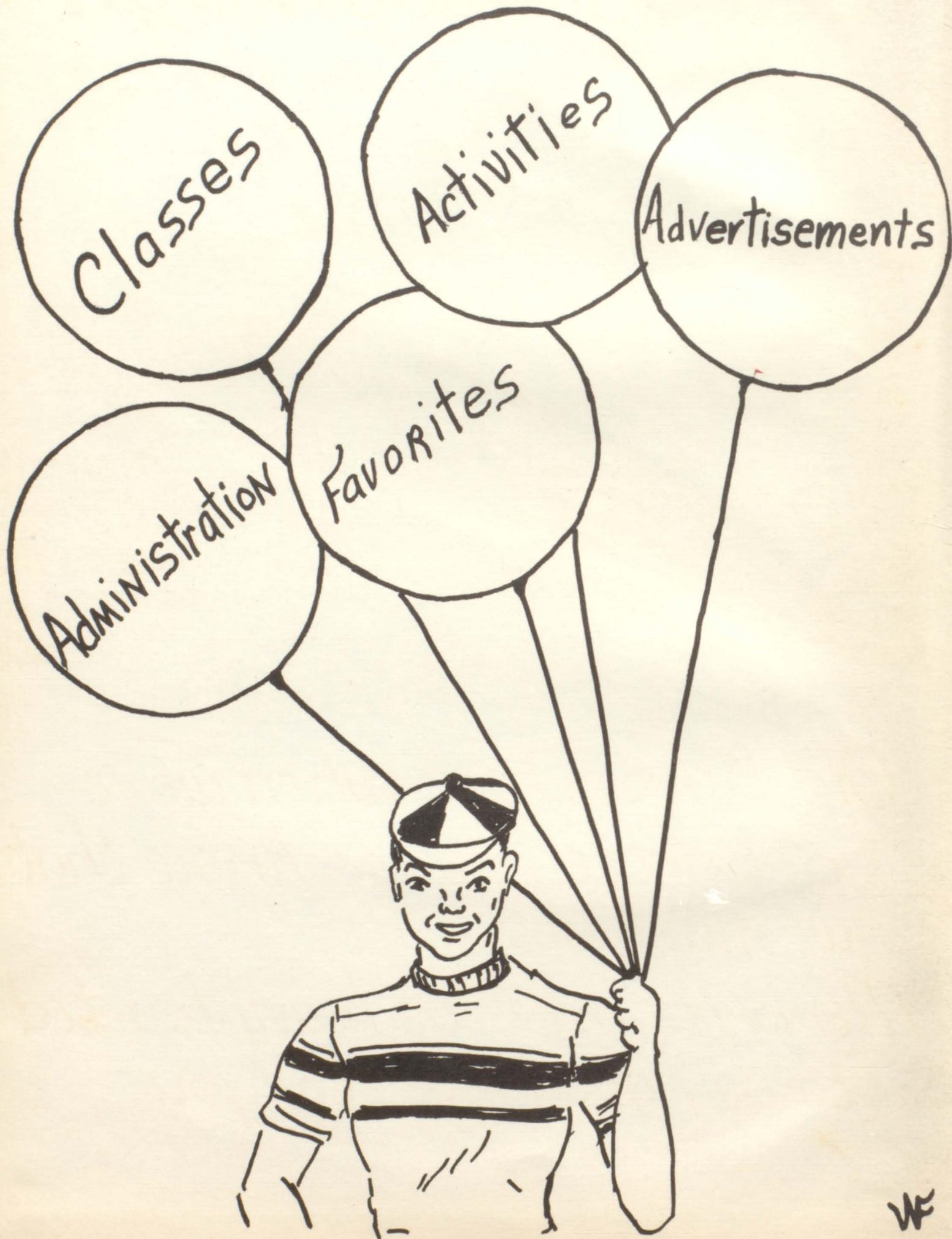
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Memories make us heavy-hearted
to say good-bye to you.



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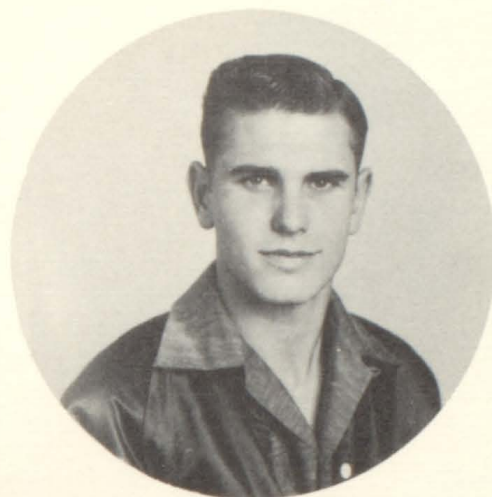


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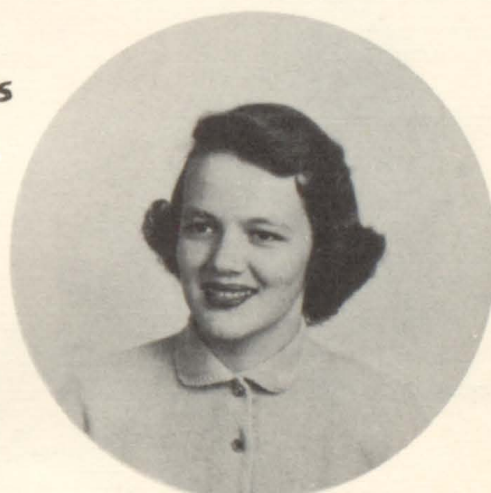
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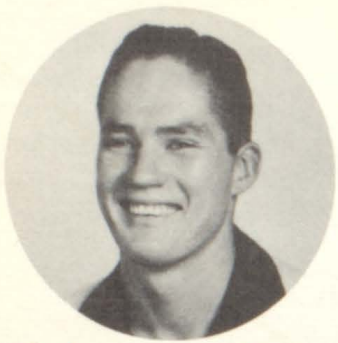
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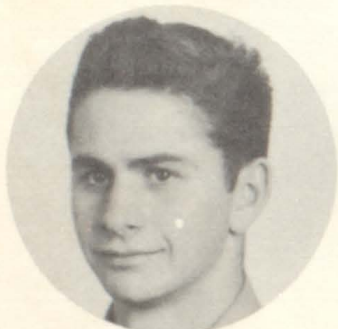
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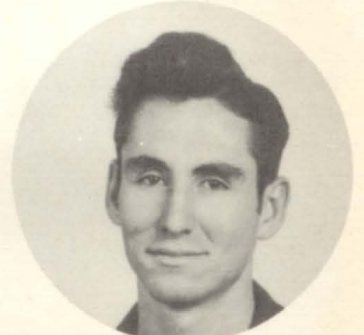
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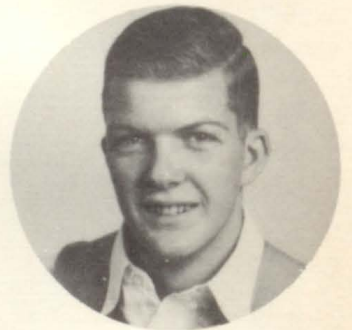
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Sincere congratulations to our class of 1953. We take pride in your achievement and will follow your future course with interest.

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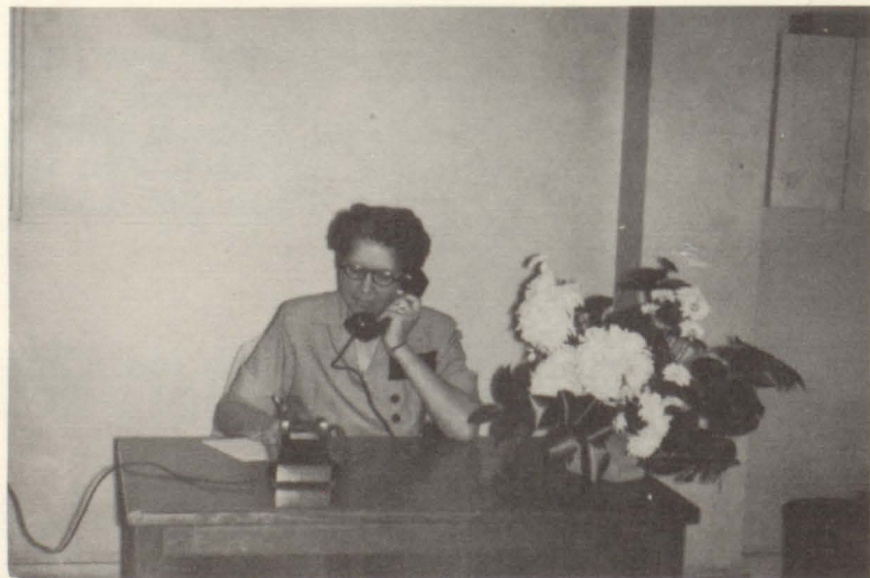
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Athens Public Schools



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Mr. Fluker efficiently manages our school and is noted for his understanding of students' problems.



MRS. H.S. BARRON

Asst. Principal

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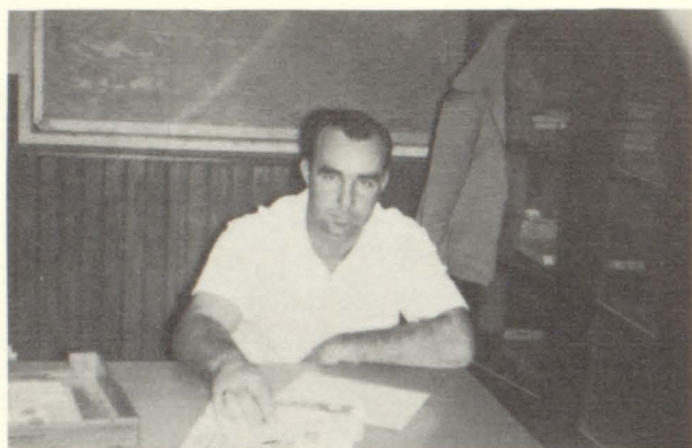
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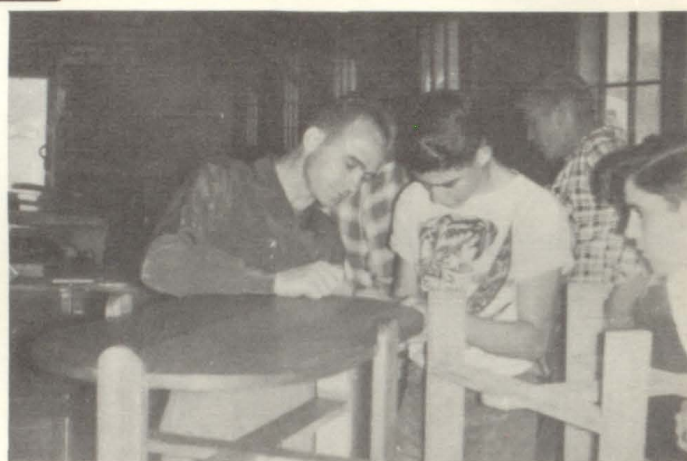
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Faculty Christmas Tea





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Mrs. Barnett
Mrs. Brisco
Mrs. Young

Bus Drivers

Front Row: Magnis,
Newcomb, Pinkerton,
Slayton.

Back Row: Mosley,
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Cafeteria Supervisor
Mrs. R. M. McGuffey

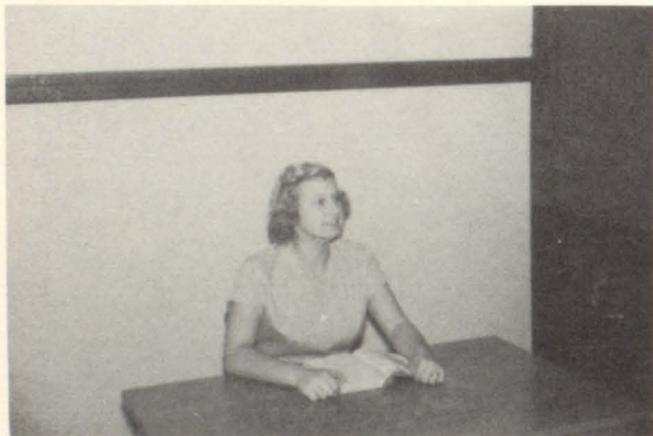
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STUDENT RECEPTIONISTS



Mary Lou Musick
2nd Period

Joan Arthur
1st Period



Sandra Daniel
5th Period

Marilyn Upshaw
4th Period



OFFICE ASSISTANTS



Noon - Sandra
Daniel



1st Period - Hazel Snowden,
Wanda Matthews, Kathleen
Jernigan



4th Period - Lilibeth
Gauntt, Juanita Barfield



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Gauntt, Wilda Evans



5th Period - Patsy Smith,
Margaret De Hart



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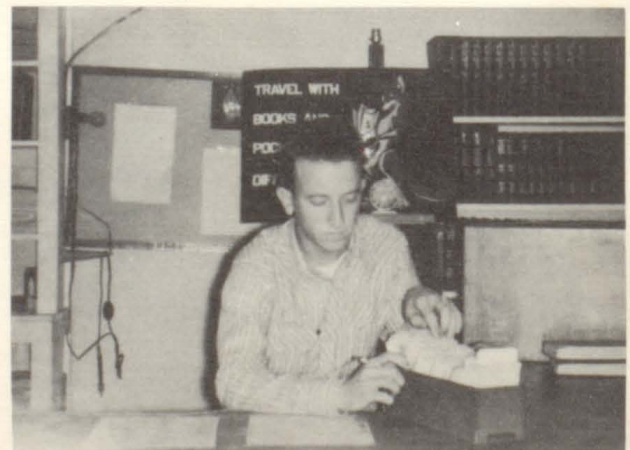
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Mitchell



5th Period - Joan Rogers,
Dana Raye McWilliams,
Jimmy Asher



Noon - Bob Moore

CLASSES





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Officers
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Bobbie
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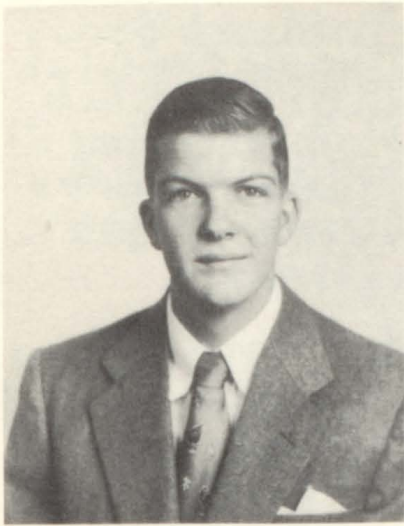


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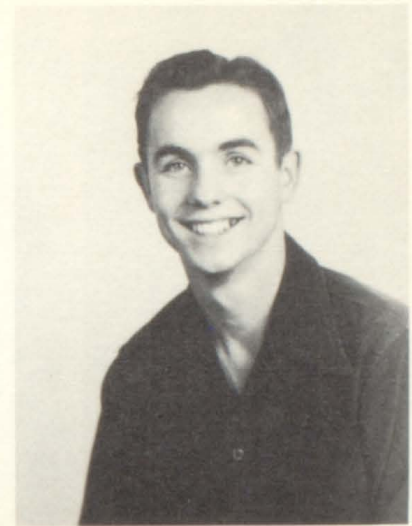


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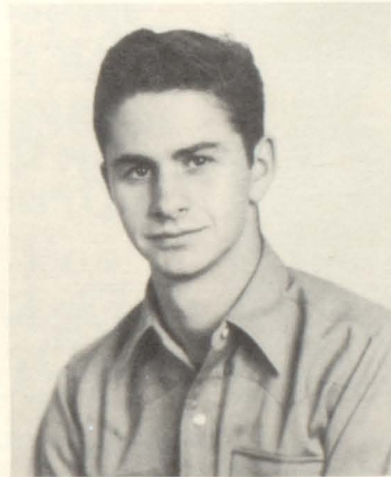


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Jimmy Asher
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Herman Taylor
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Bobbie Gauntt
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Jane McCool
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Nelda Atkinson
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 Library Club
 Homemaking Cl.
 Mixed Chorus
 Library Asst.



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 D.E. Club



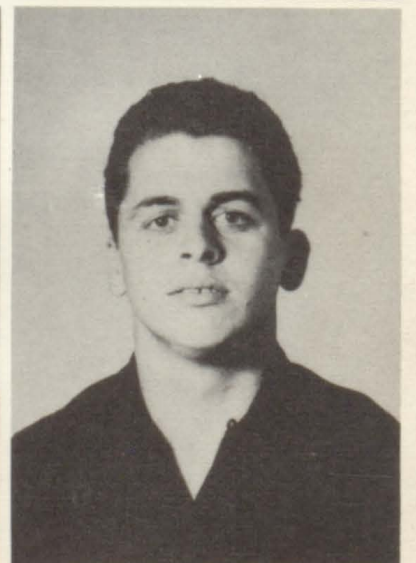
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 Majorette
 N.H.S.
 Favorite
 Jr. Usher
 Dramatic Club



DeWayne Burnett
 Class Favorite
 Basketball
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Jimmy Asher
 Library Asst.
 Hallowe'en Court
 Library Club

Patsy Breedlove
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 Annual Staff
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Jack Bateman
 Football
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 Key Club
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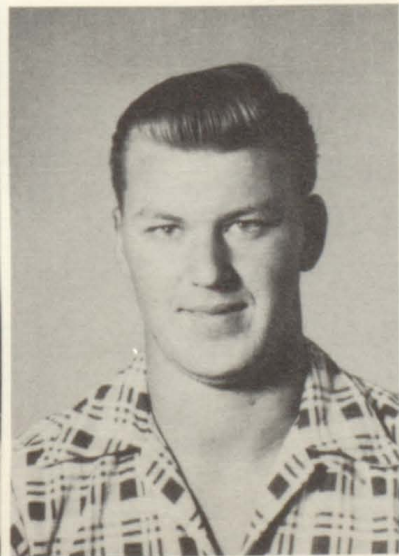
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 Annual Staff
 Runner-Up
 Key Club
 Hm. Beau
 Class Officer



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 Dramatic Club
 Spanish Club
 Office Asst.
 Teacher's Asst.
 Annual Staff

Dallas Cramer
 Tennis
 Class Favo-
 rite
 Speech Play
 Dramatic Cl.
 D. E. Club



Simmie Dowell
 Football
 Dramatic Cl.
 Class Officer
 Track



Saundra Daniel
 Annual Staff
 Receptionist
 Homemaking Cl.
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 Class Officer
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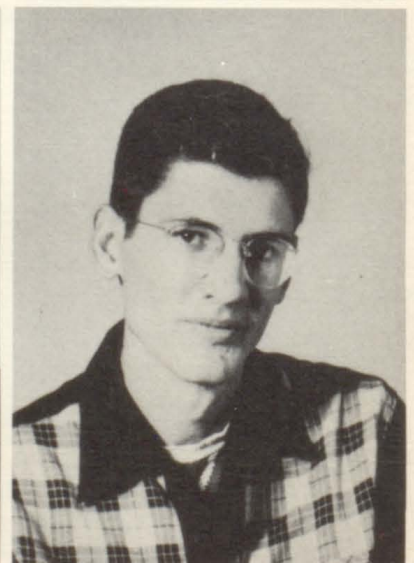
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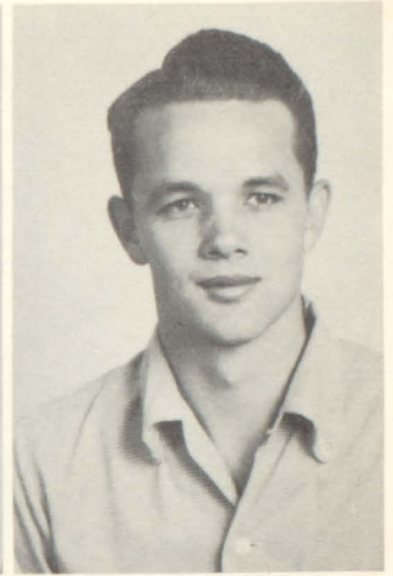


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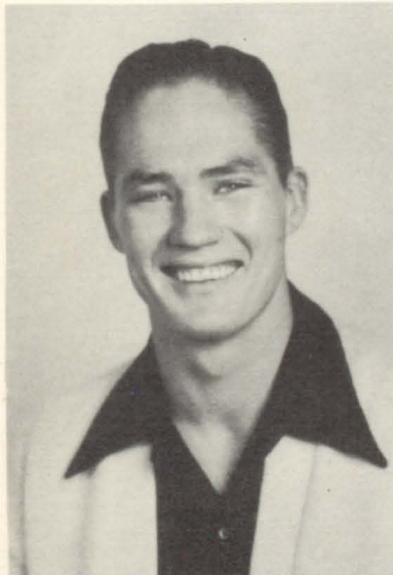
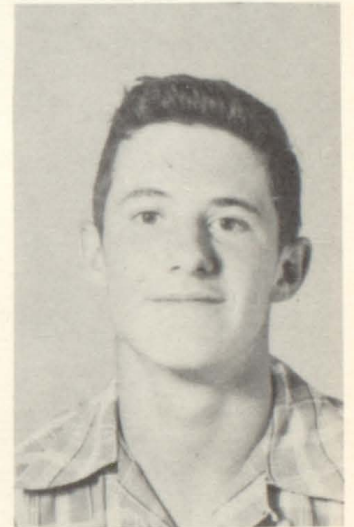


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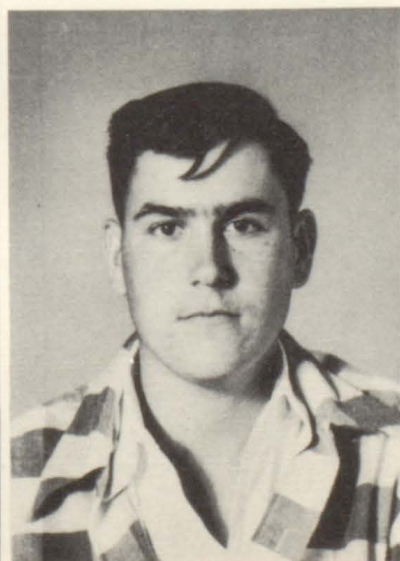
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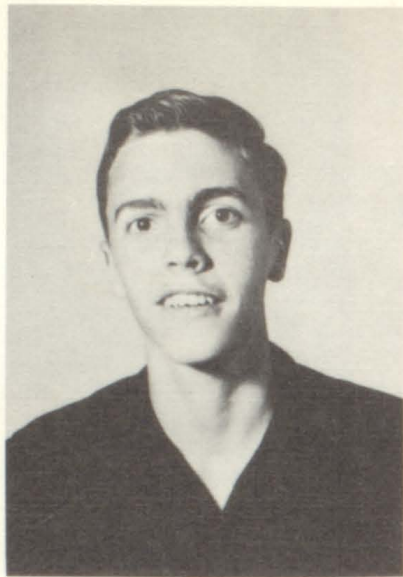


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 F.F.A.

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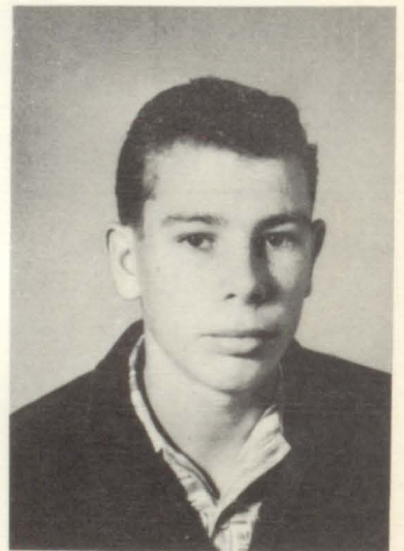
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Tiger Club

Hassell Lam bright
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F.F.A.
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Kathleen
Jernigan
Homemaking Cl.
Spelling
Intramurals

Mildred McAdams
"Buzz" Staff
Library Club
Senior Play
Library Asst.



Addie Jo Little
Dramatic Club
Library Club
Homemaking Cl.
Library Asst.

Wanda Matthews
Annual Staff
Dramatic Club
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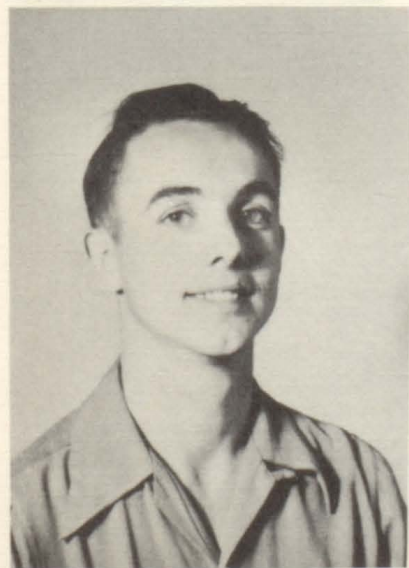
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 Dramatic Cl.
 Class Officer
 Football
 Sweet♡



Rayford Norwood
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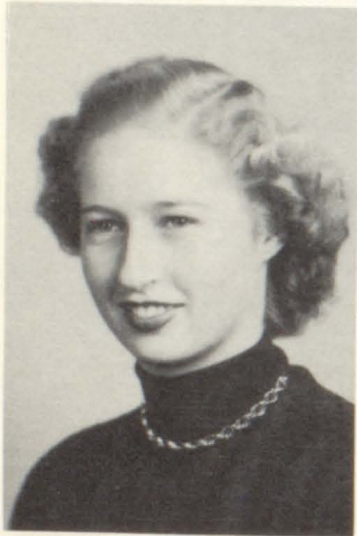


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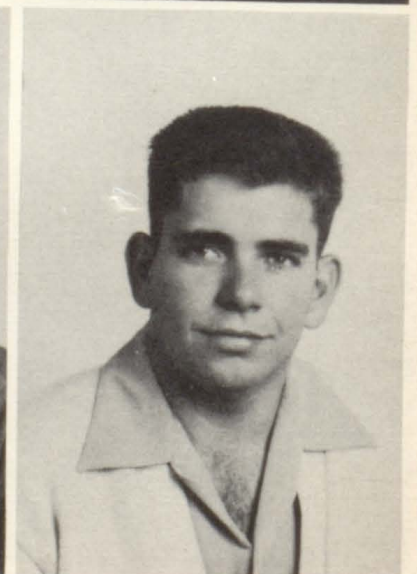
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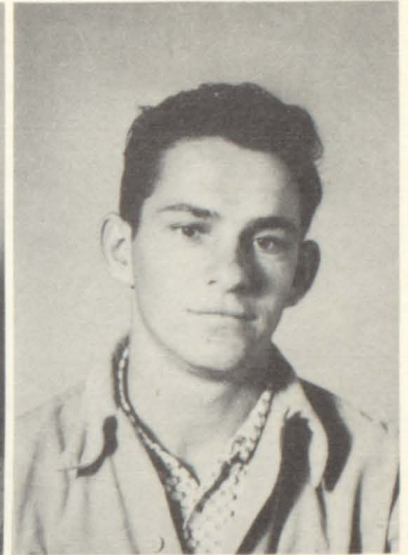


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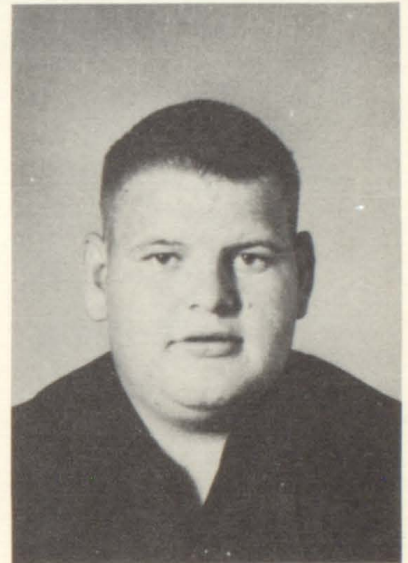


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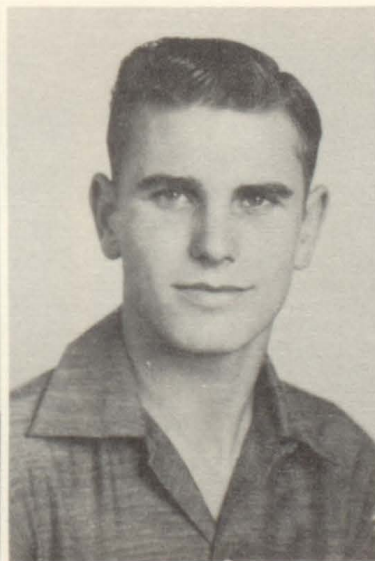
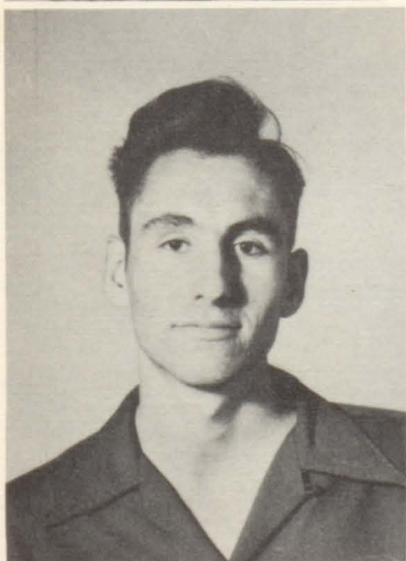
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Bobby Tinney
 "A" Association
 Annual Staff
 Class Officer
 Student Coun.
 Homemaking Cl.
 Class Favorite

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 Golf
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 Intramurals



Jerry Tidmore
 "A" Association
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 Favorite
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Patsy Smith
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 Runner-Up
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 Class Officer

Tykie Wester
 N.H.S.
 Dramatic Cl.
 Class Officer
 One-Act Play



Marilyn Upshaw
 "Buzz" Staff
 Band
 Dramatic Cl.
 Homemaking Cl.
 Library Club
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Don Williams
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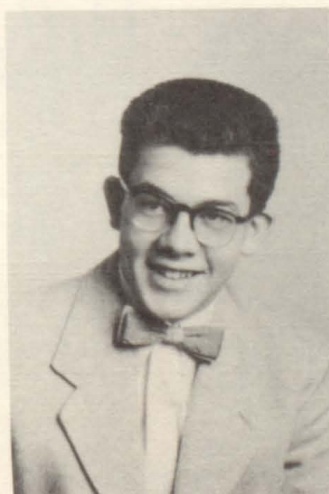
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Chosen by the 1953 Senior Class

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Lilibeth Gauntt - Phillip Gill

Estelle Tayloe - Rex Lowe

Sandra Richard - John Owen



Elva Ruth
Aaron



Dan
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Hazel
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Fite

Lilabeth
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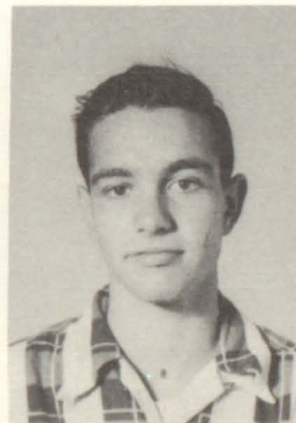
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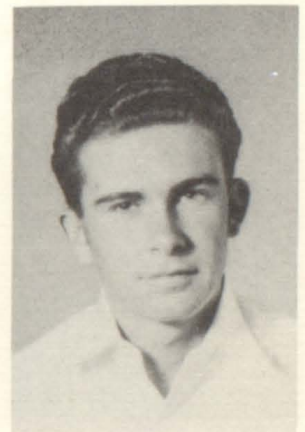
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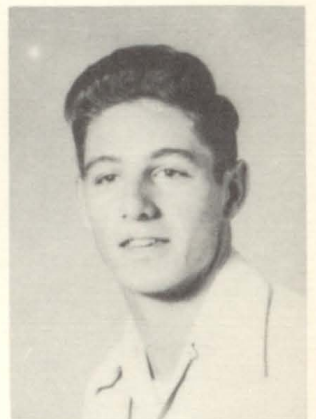
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Patricia
Warren



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Walker



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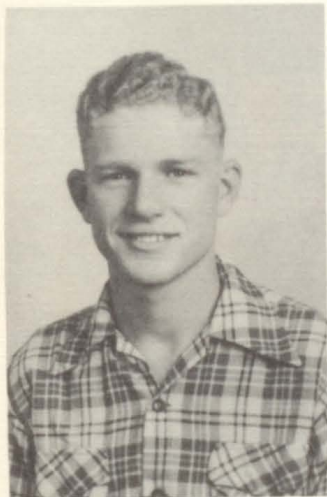
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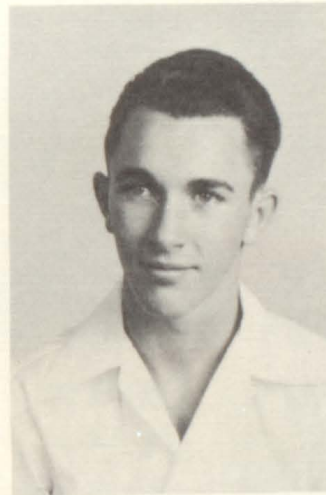
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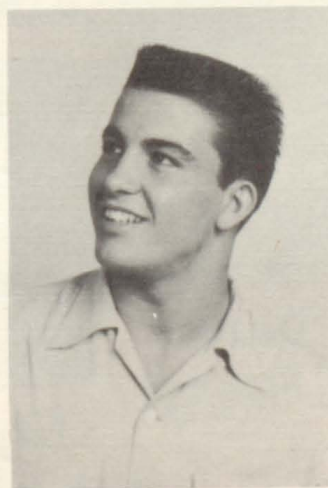
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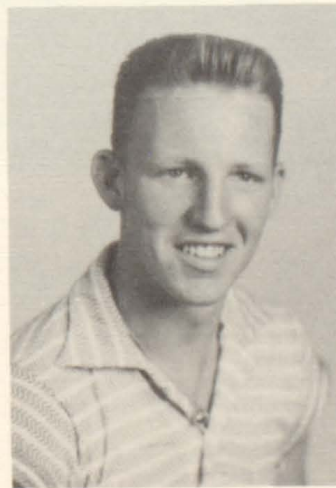
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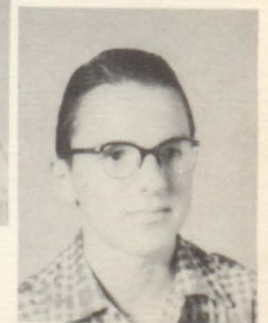
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Eaton



Wilda
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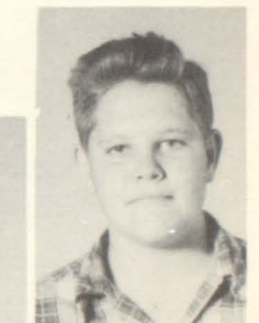
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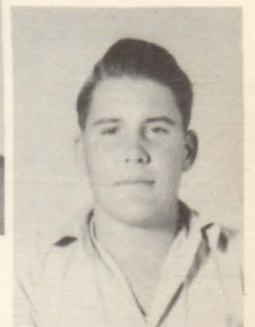
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Pugh



Carla
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Alice
Rounsavall



Barbara
Rozelle



Pete
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Sweeten



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Sally Ann
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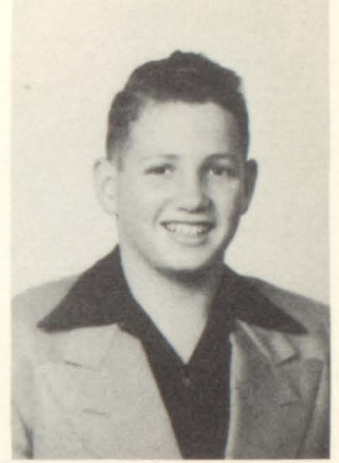
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Johnny
Hayne



Jimmy Don
Hill



Patricia
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Betty Ann
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Raymond
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Peggy
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Jimmy
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Shirley Tanner



Virginia Stinnett



Mary Stewart



Larry Stegall



Sylvia Smith



Clarie Thrasher



Charles Thorton



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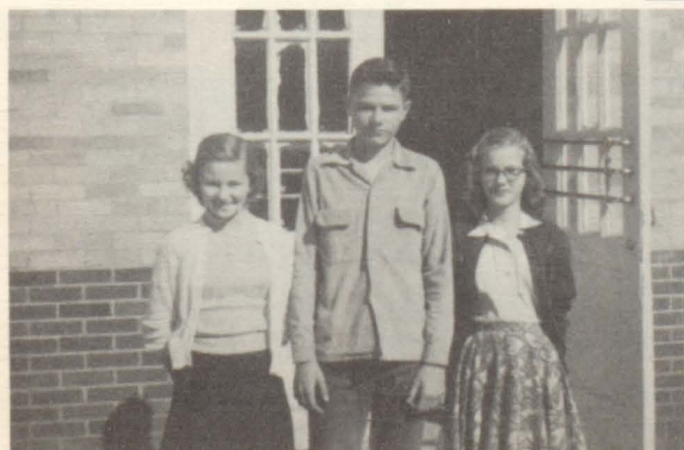
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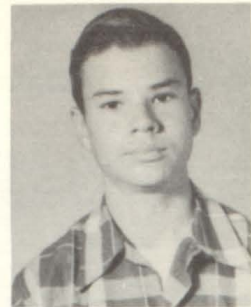


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Evelyn Giles



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Ann Hable



Lena Sue Hall



Wayne Hanks



Betty Harris



Doyle Harris



Kenneth Harris



Ike Heiflen Kathleen Heiflen Jerry Henry Nancy Henry Ronnie Herriage



Eddie Hickman Barbara Hodge Betty Hodge Gary Holiman Avon Holly



Mary Jackson Jackie Johnson Gene Keeton Jerry Kemp Jeanne Kinsey



Johnny Knott Clenton Lambright Lester Lambright Joe Lewis Millard McBurney



Wynell McClellan Robert McCool Ruby McCool Joe Massey Wayne Mitchell



Sonny Musick Jan Nelson Billy Newbill Terry Newman Larry Morris



Garford Parline Harold Pruitt Francis Richardson Kenneth Richardson Eugene Rivers



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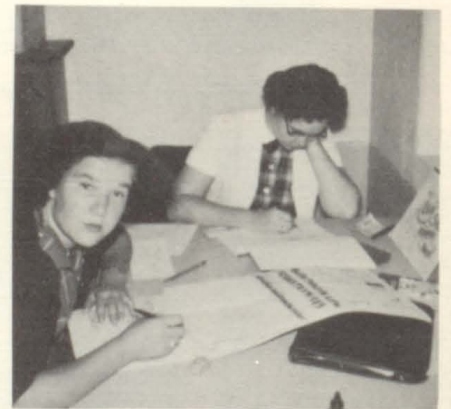
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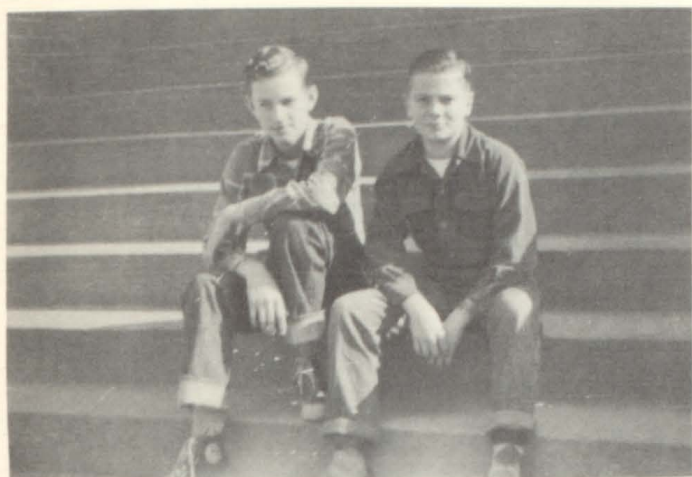
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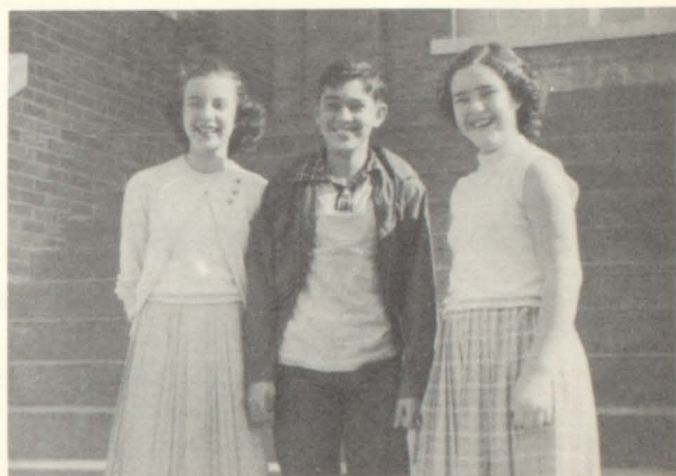
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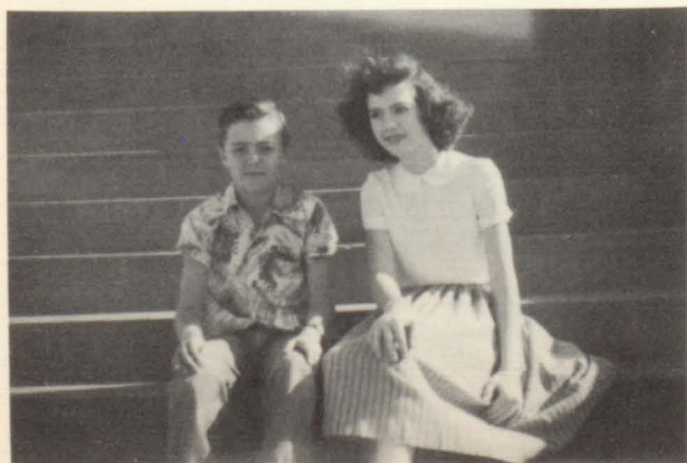


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Don Ayres John Ayres Charlie Baker Delores Barcelo



Mary Barnett Sara Barnett Jimmy Bolding Ruth Boman Essie Cox



Bobby Cox Jerry Bridges Gerald Burgamy DeWayne Cummings Howard Carter



Kenneth
Carter

Thomas
Chaney

James
Cleveland

Janna
Cobb

Katherine
Converse



Jo Ann Crain Jerry Cupp Kenneth Dannes Tillery Dingler Adraiane Dowell



Porter Dupree Louis Epper Larry Gandy Linda Gandy Pat Garner



Larry Gideon Don Gordon Jeanette Graham Deckey Hallum Daniel Head



Davie Herring Horace Hester Karon Hill Doris Halcomb Joe Holliway



Glenn Hood Nelda Hopson Frieta Higgins Peggy Jackson Elmer Jewell



Jean Johnson Wanda Johnson Reba Jones Sue Jones Tommy Jones



Walter Keiser Harold Kirksey Joe Knight Joyce Knott Don Lambright



Maxine Lambright Walter Lambright LaVell Lawson Coy Little Billy Malcom



Oscar Malcom Wayne Makerney Micky Manning Bobby Meeks Hershal Mills



Carl Milstead Sylvia Morman Rachal Morris Tommy Morton Gaynell McBurney



Loyd McCool Jack Mc Dougle Jo Ann Mc Gee Phil Norman Martha Owen



Doyle Parline Billy Payne Dolores Pool Geraldine Poindexter Bobby Rounselle



Jerry Ringers James Rogers Eugene Slagle Jeanette Smith Kelly Smith



Milton Smith Elton Stone Joyce Stone Dorothy Tanner Janet Thomas



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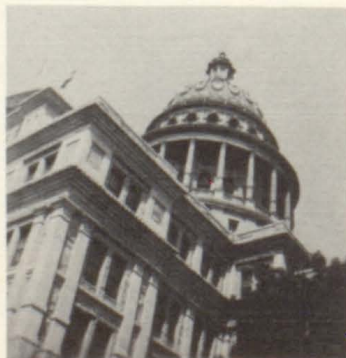
ANNUAL REPRESENTATIVES
GO TO AUSTIN
FOR ANNUAL CLINIC



La Verne York



Patsy York





FAVORITES



This year a new honor has been added in Athens High School. For the first time in our school's history the students have elected two students, this year Dana Rae McWilliams and Don Williams, as Mr. and Miss A.H.S.

This new honor created much enthusiasm among the members of the student body, and we hope there will be even greater interest shown next year.



MR. AND MISS A.H.S.



SENIOR CLASS FAVORITES
Dallas Cramer — Jackie Dickey



JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES
Evelyn Hall - Don Thormahlen



SOPHOMORE CLASS FAVORITES
Billy Chaney — Pamela Eaton



FRESHMAN CLASS FAVORITES
James Thormahlen - Patsy Ramsey



MOST POPULAR
J. P. Shull - Jane McCool



MOST VERSATILE
Roland Hallmark — Mary Russell



MOST COURTEOUS
Joan Arthur — Jerry Tidmore



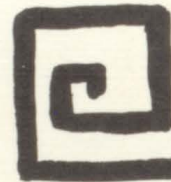
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Bobbie Jean Gauntt - Turner Gauntt



MOST VERSATILE

Phillip Gill

Wynetta Ford



MOST POPULAR

Bobby Payne

Valetta Stripling



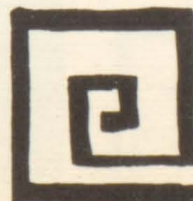
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Patsy Smith

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Carroll Clay



MOST COURTEOUS
Wanda Matthews
Jerrel Reed

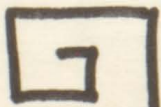




Eighth

FAVOR

MOST VERSATILE: Troy Arthur - Patricia Willis
MOST BEAUTIFUL + MOST HANDSOME: Sharon Benson - Joe Dickey

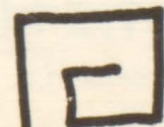


† Seventh

ITES



MOST POPULAR: Sandra Davidson, Glenn Duff
MOST COURTEOUS: Jerry Rossan, Mary Jackson





Eighth
Grade

Favorites

Betty Carroll

Smith

Gary

Holiman

Seventh
Grade
Favorites

Larry Gideon

Jeanette
Smith



A. H. S. Duchesses



*Standa
Matthews*

Duchess
to
Palestine

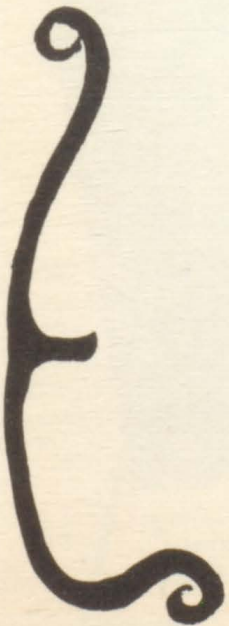


*Jane
McCool*

Duchess
to
Arlington

*Nelda
Atkinson*

Duchess
to
Lindale



HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL



Jr. High King and Queen
Jerry Bridges
Jeannette Smith



CROWNING
CEREMONY

The Royal Court



Sr. High King and Queen



Jr. High King and Queen



Lilibeth Gauntt



Dana McWilliams



Runners Up For
FOOTBALL SWEETHEART



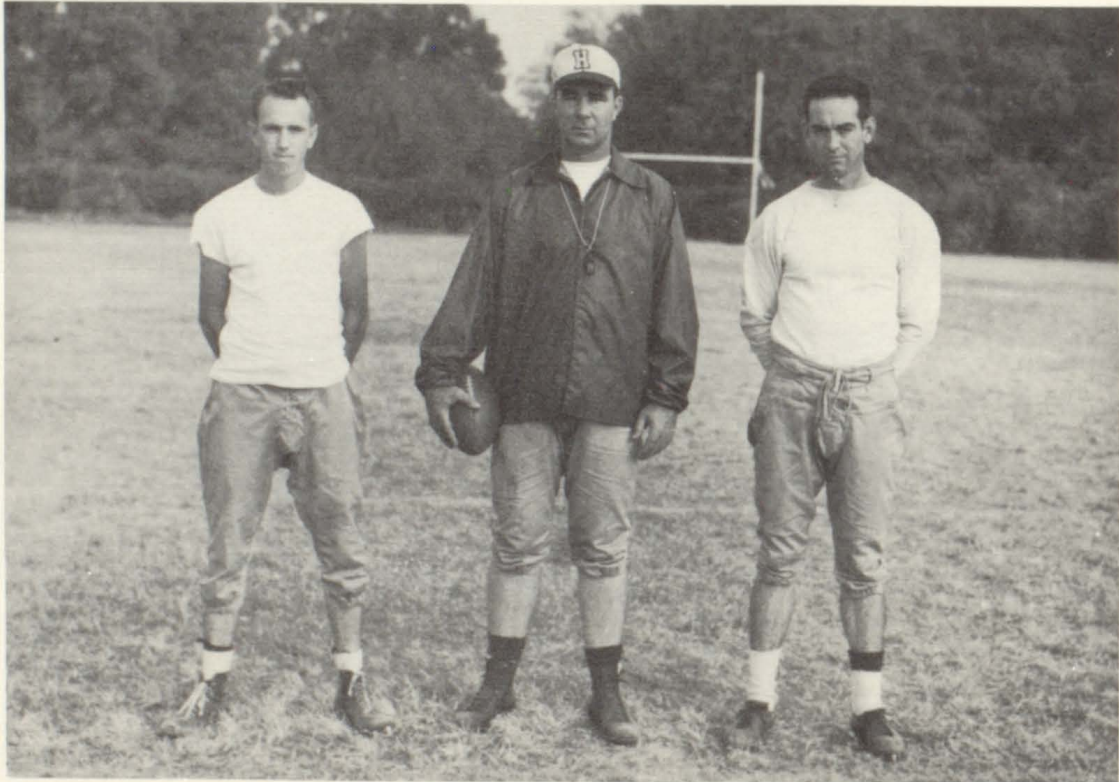
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FOOTBALL SWEETHEART
Jane McCool



'52 SEASON



COACHES

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WALKER

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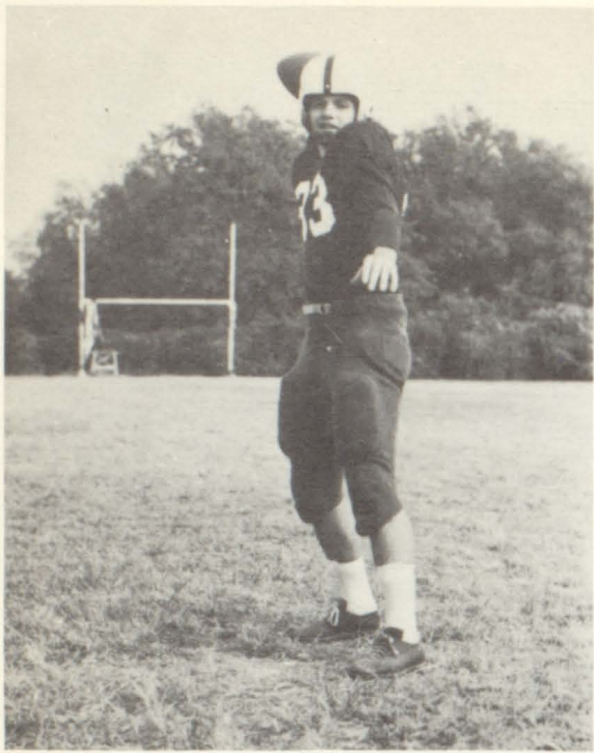


'52 HORNETS



TRI-CAPTAINS

Hallmark Gauntt Skull

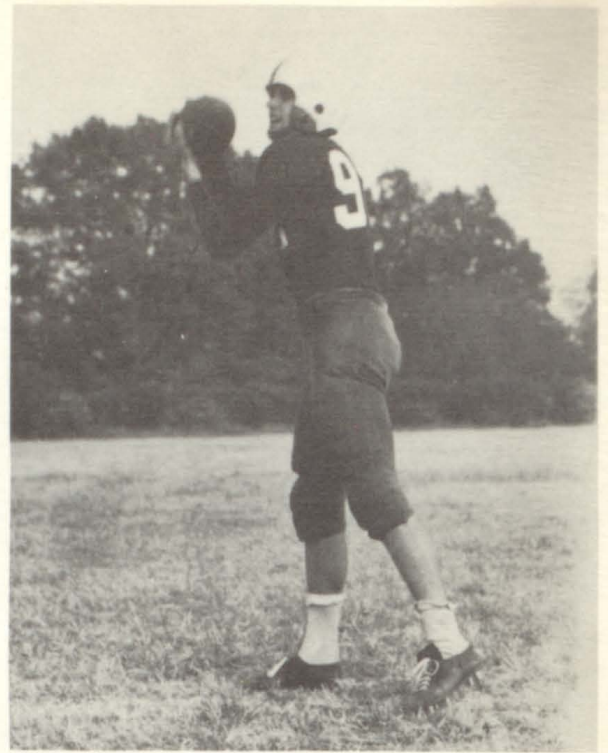
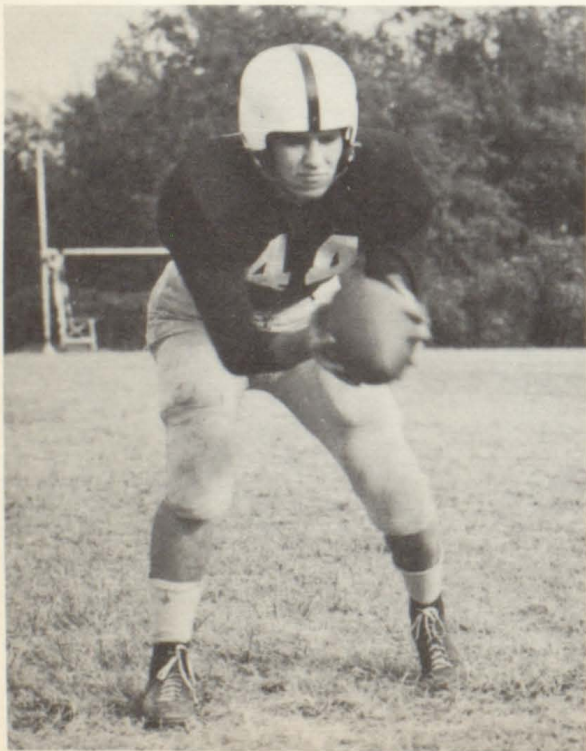


TURNER
GAUNTT

All-District 1st Team

All-District 2nd Team

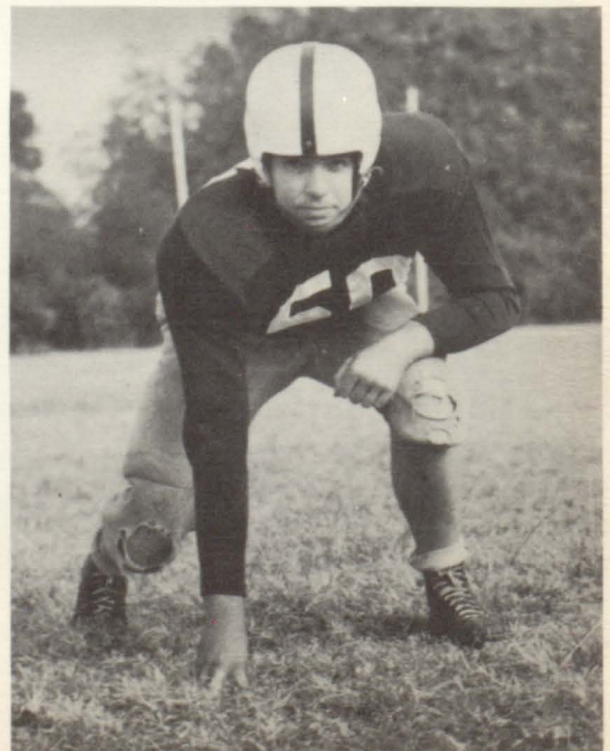
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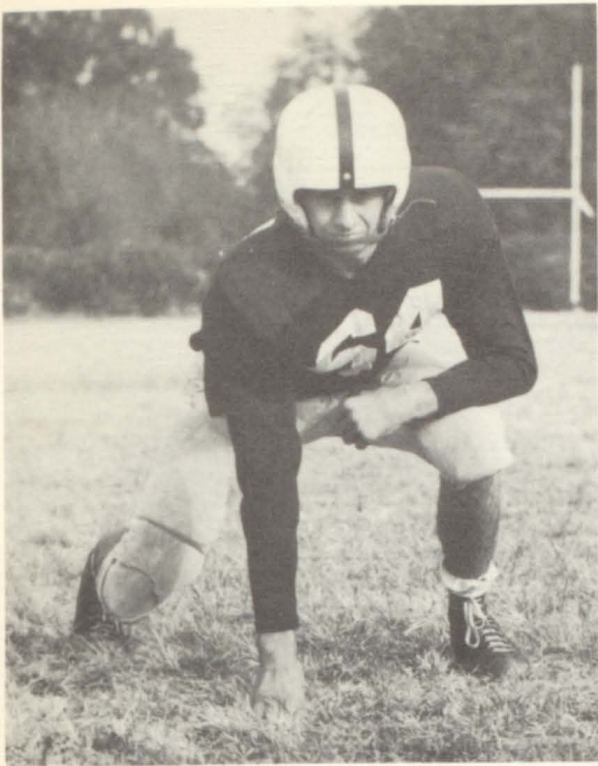


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TIDMORE

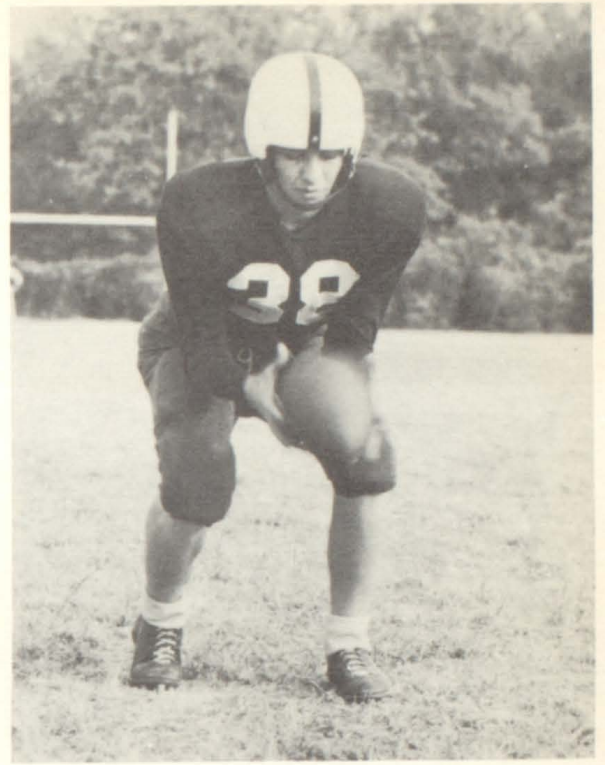
Hon. Mention
All-American

J.P.
SHULL





MYRT
TAYLOR

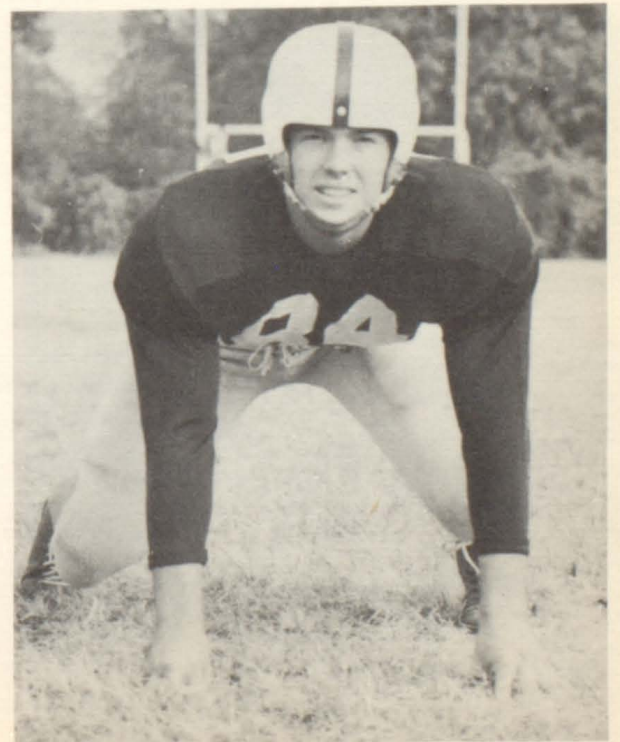
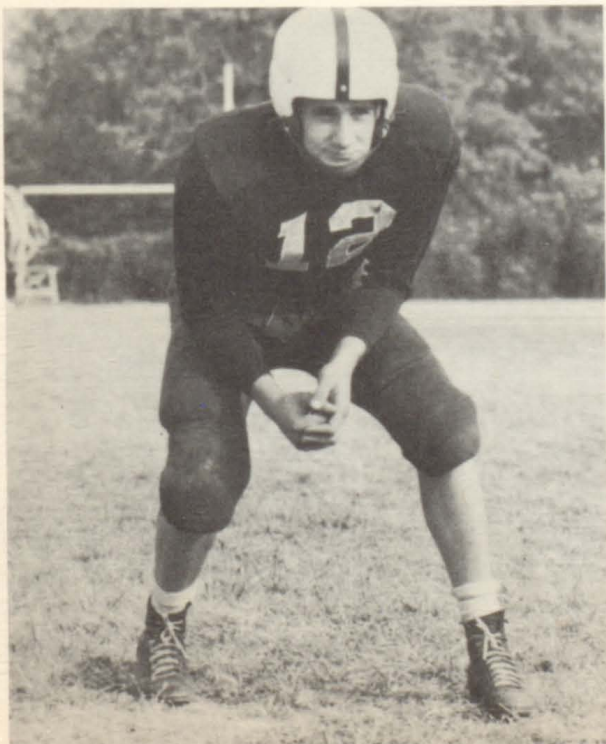


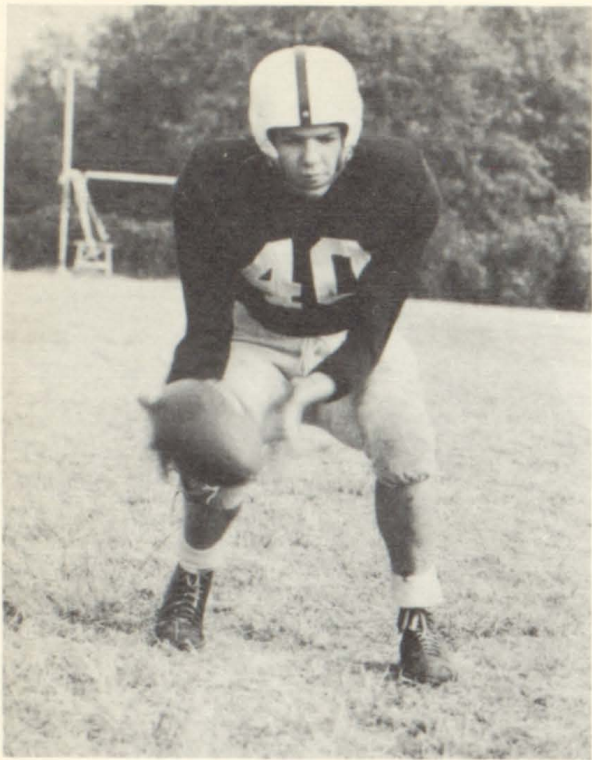
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BATEMAN

All-District
2nd Team

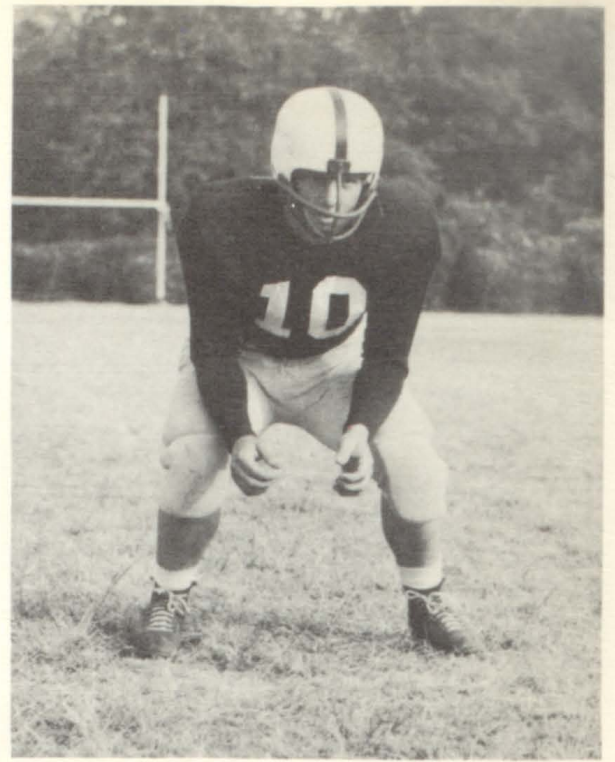
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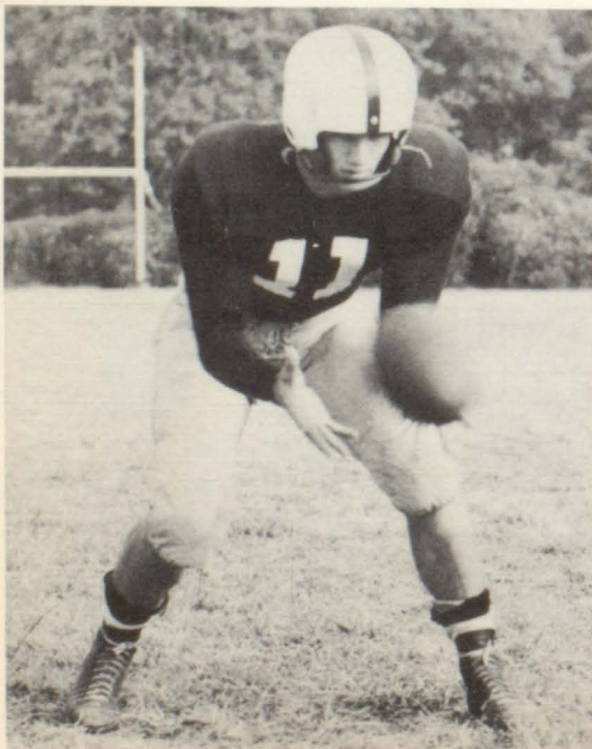


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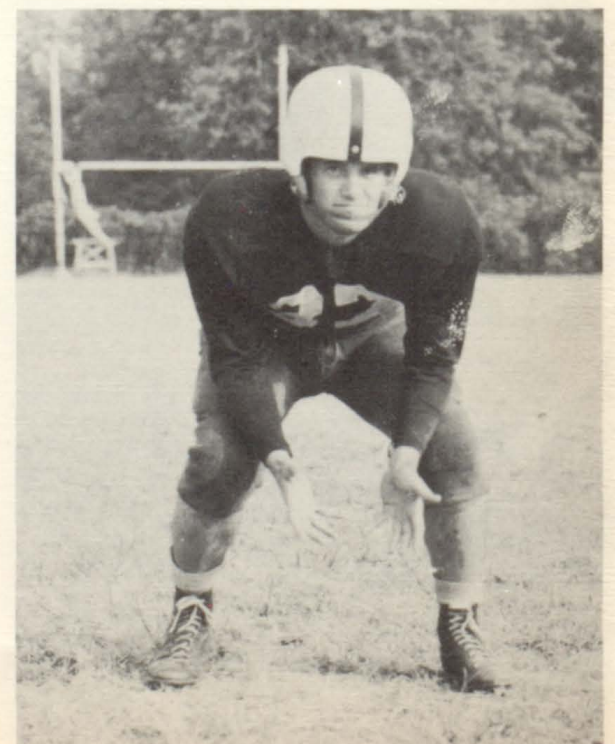


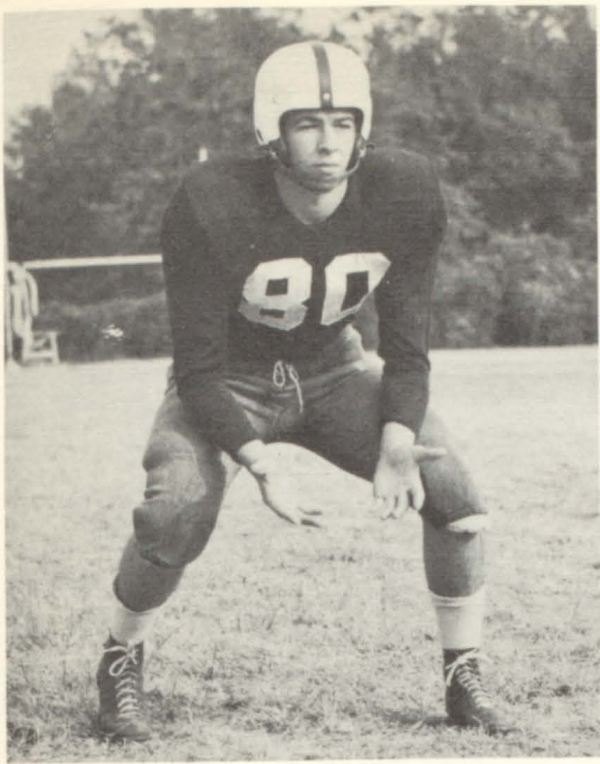
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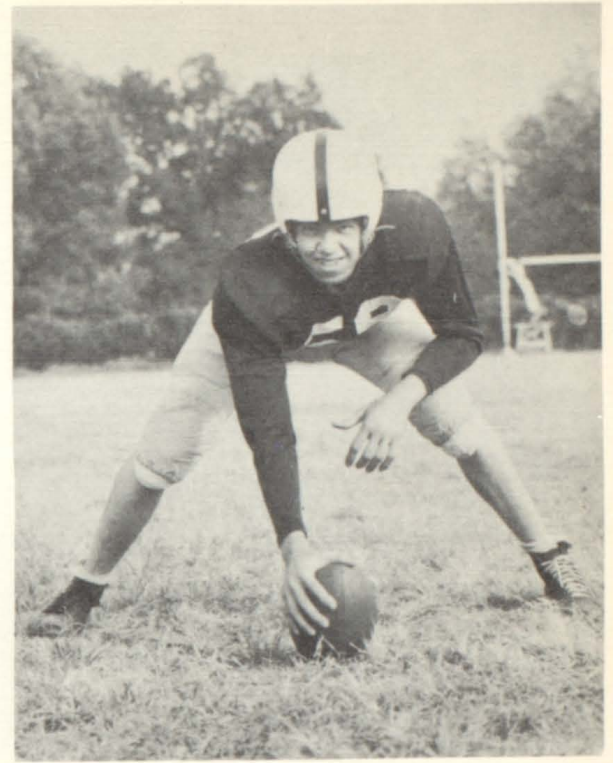


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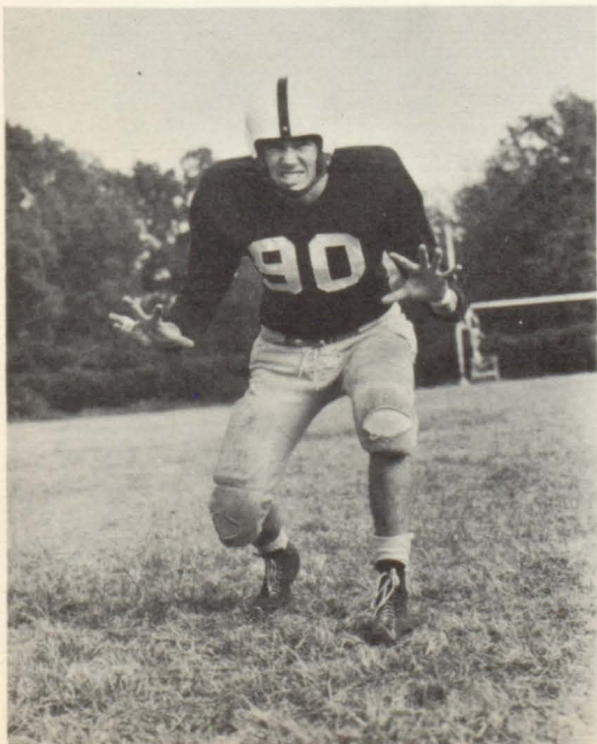


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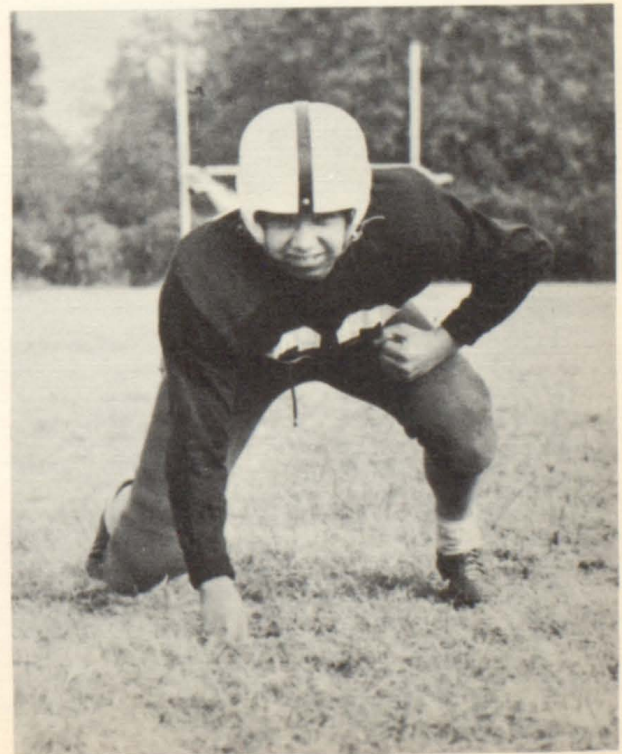


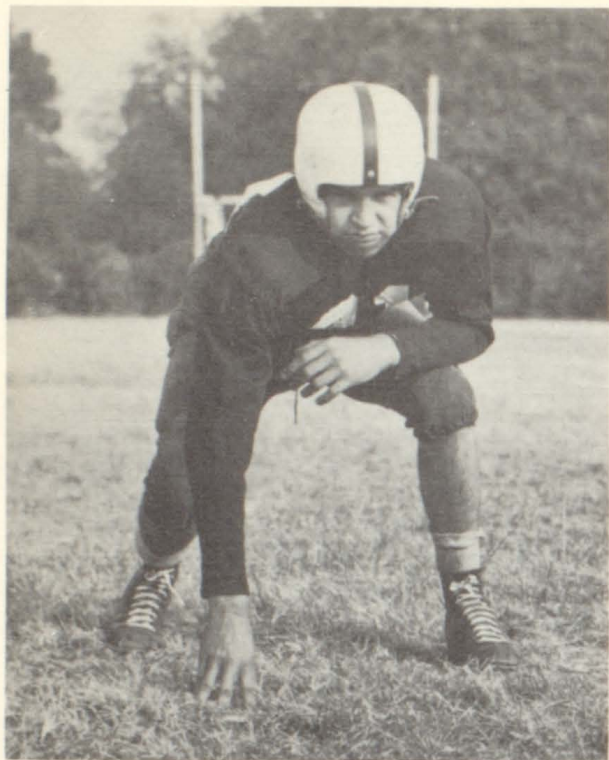
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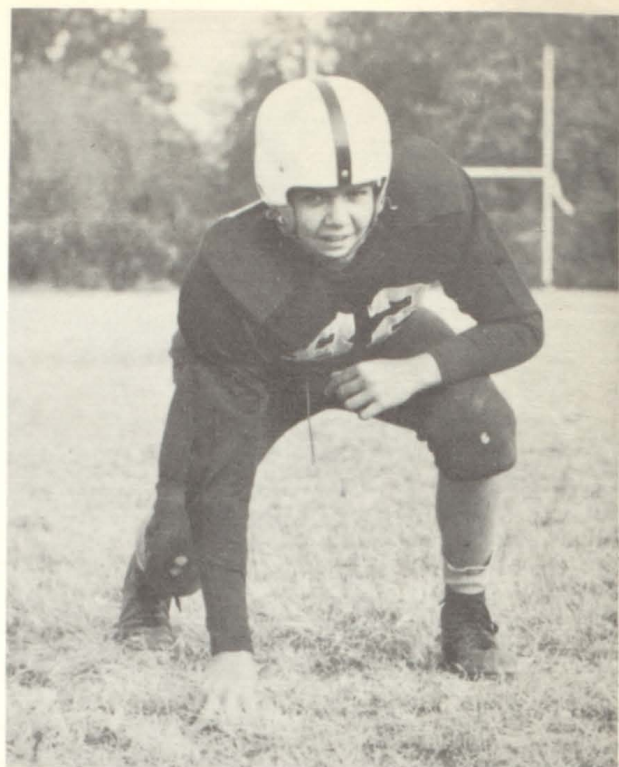


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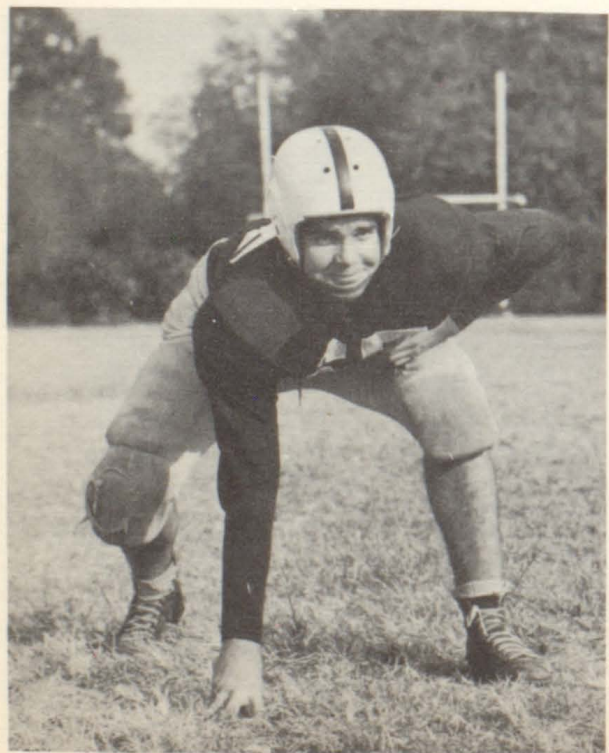


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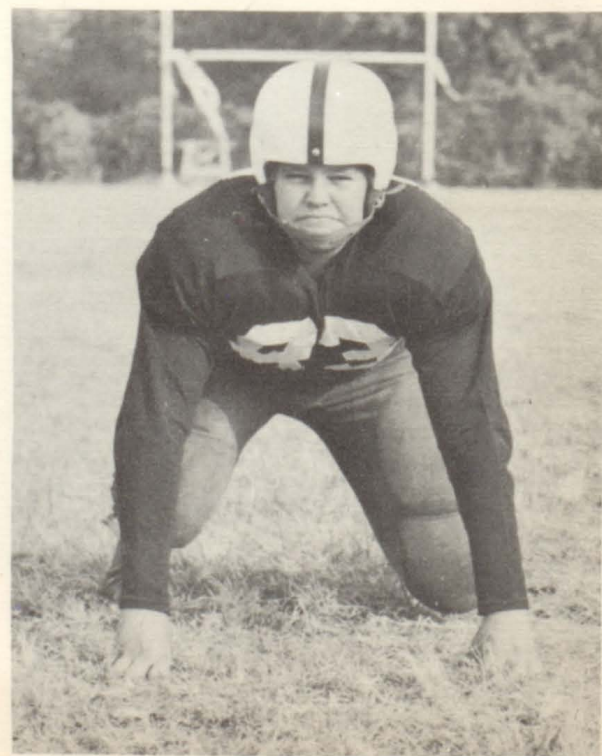


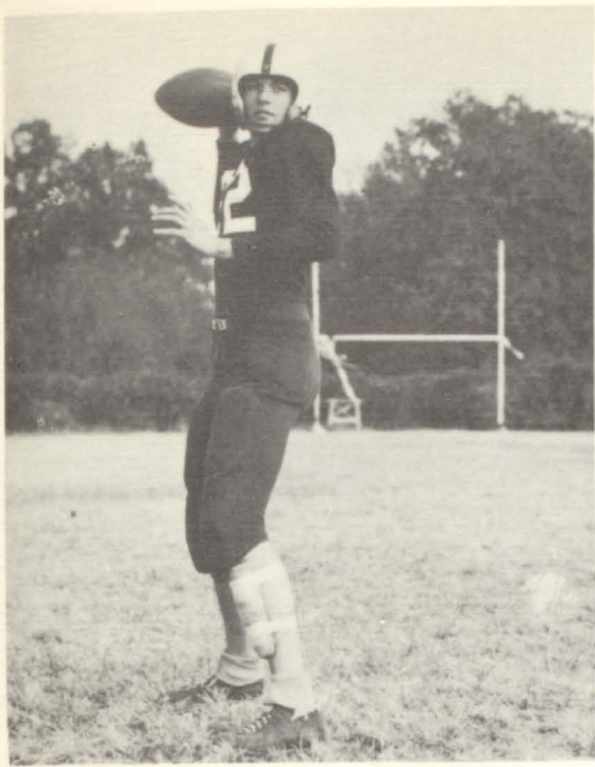
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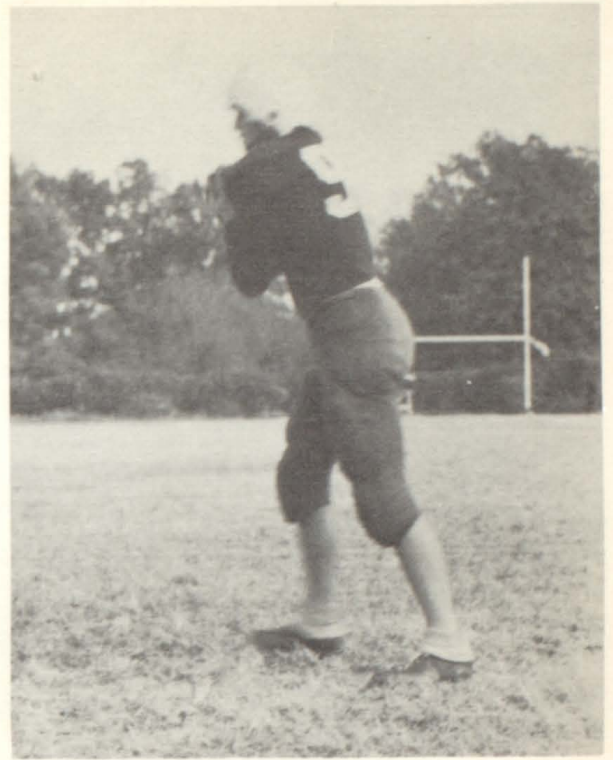


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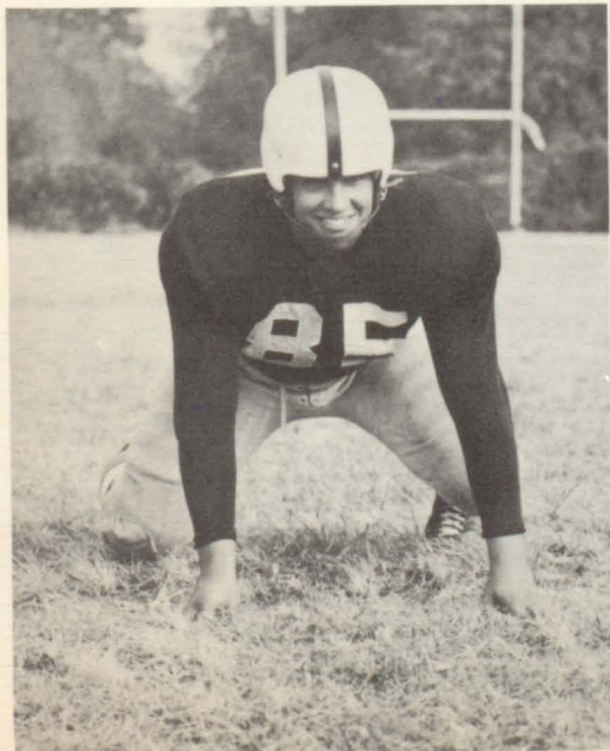
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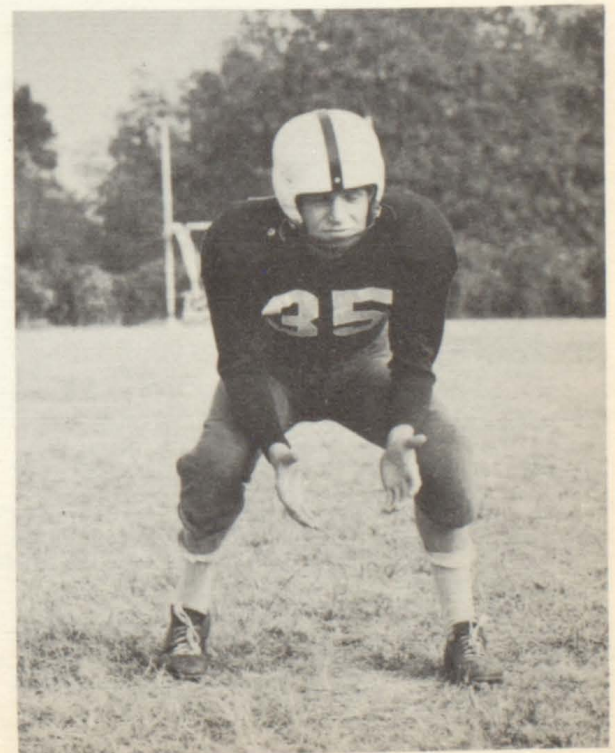
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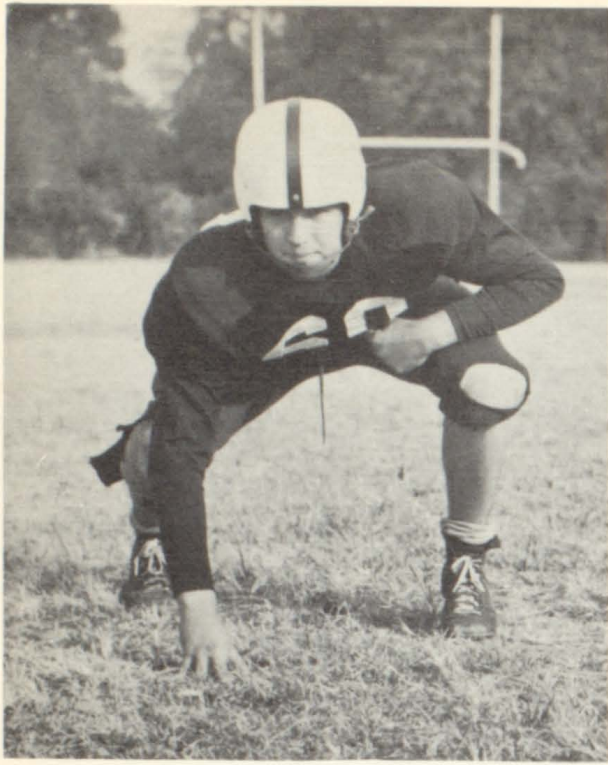
All-District 2nd Team

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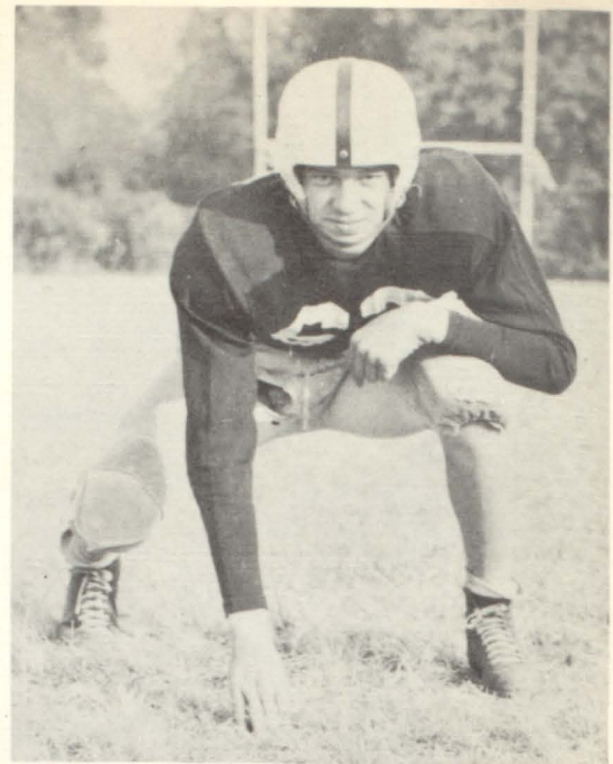


DAN
CHANEY





MELVIS
BENTON



BILLY
CHANAY

'52 HORNETS

PAT
BECKHAM



Though not winning many games this season, the '52 Hornets are a bunch of boys that deserve a lot of respect

Not once throughout the season did they give up until the last whistle was blown. Their outstanding game was played against Ennis, the district champions. The fighting Hornets were downed then by only one point.

Hats off to you boys. We're proud of you!



NUGENT HITS PAYDIRT



NUGENT GETS AWAY

GS
AC
UN
TT
RES



CW
RON
÷
24
to
6
KET



LINE UP

JR. HIGH

*It's not what
they did, but
what they will
do.*



*From these
ranks come
the Hornet
teams of the
future.*

HORNETS

**BILLY KNIGHT
ON AN OFF
TACKLE SLANT**





Girls'
Football
Game
Bruce Field
Oct. 23, 1952

SALAMANDERS



Senior
Salamanders
34

Junior
Jives
0

Sponsored by
the Senior
Class



JIVES

Runners Up For
BASKETBALL SWEETHEART



Bobbie Guantt



Patsy Smith



Sue Evans



BASKETBALL SWEETHEART
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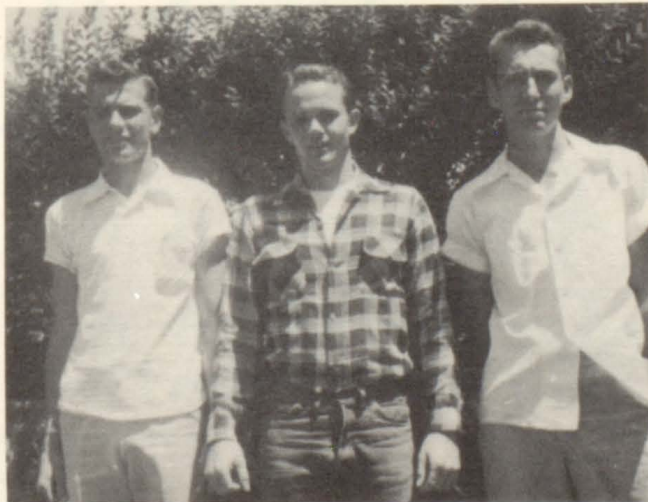
BASKETBALL

Coach



Pugh

Captains



1953

Tidmore, Gauntt, Tinney



'53 HORNETS

ALL DISTRICT

FIRST - Jerry Tidmore - TEAM
Turner Gauntt

HONERBLE - REX LOWE - MENTION
Roland Lambert

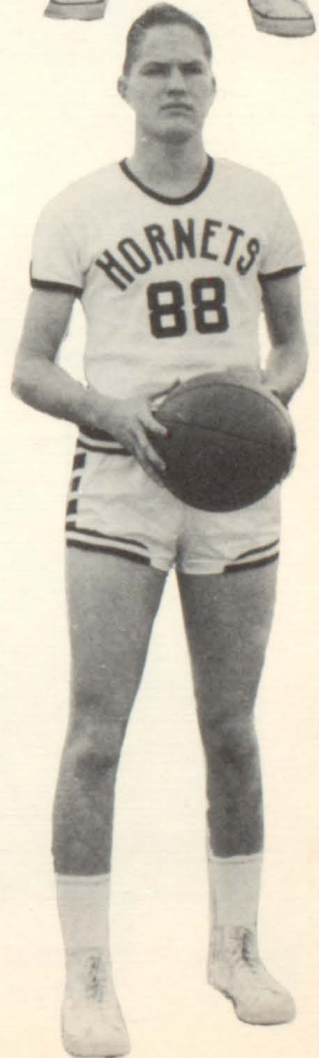
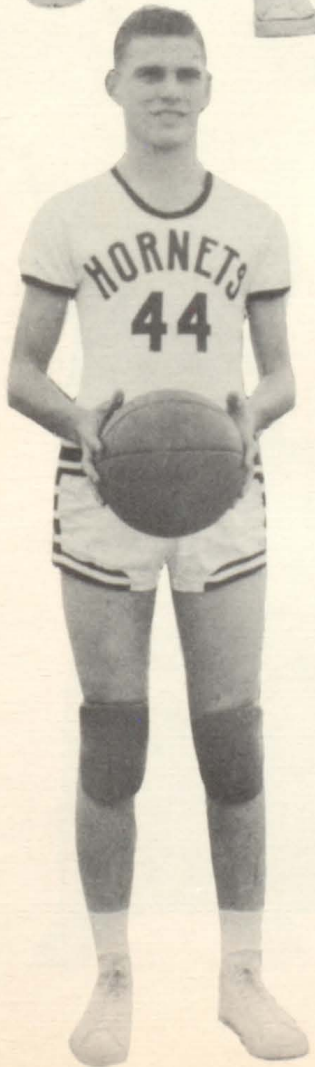


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Bobby Tinney

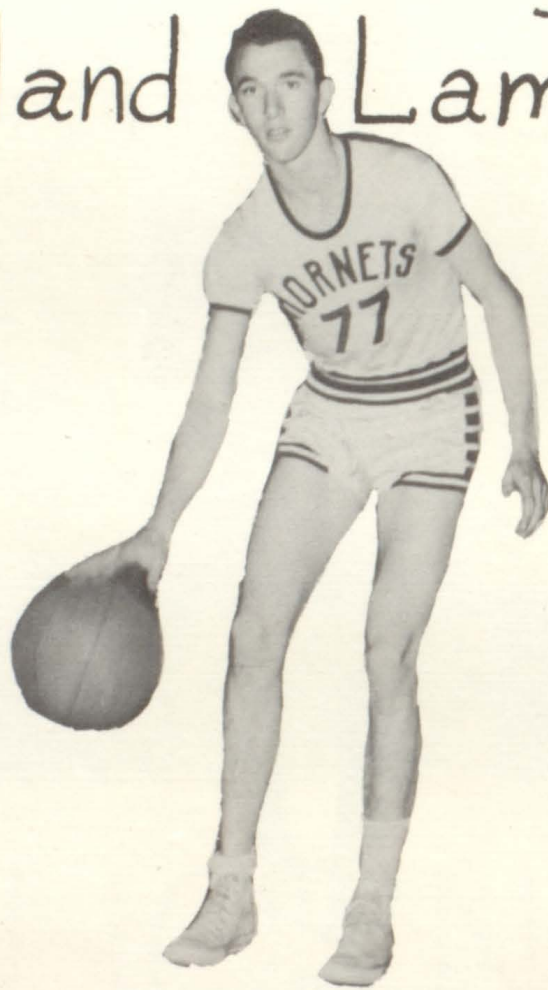
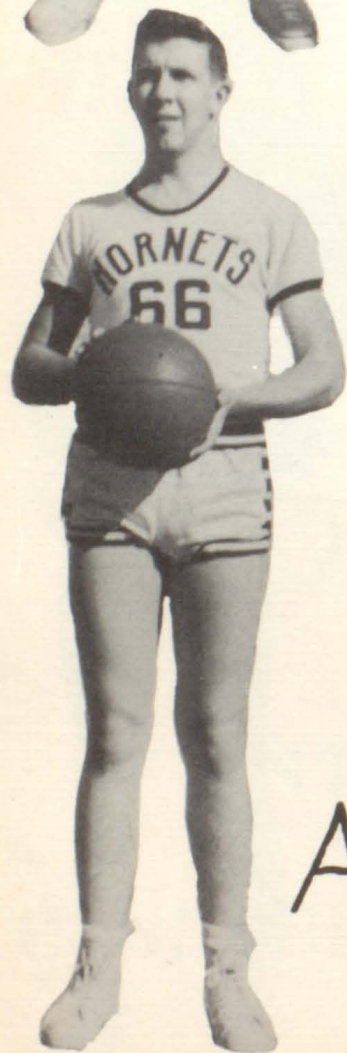
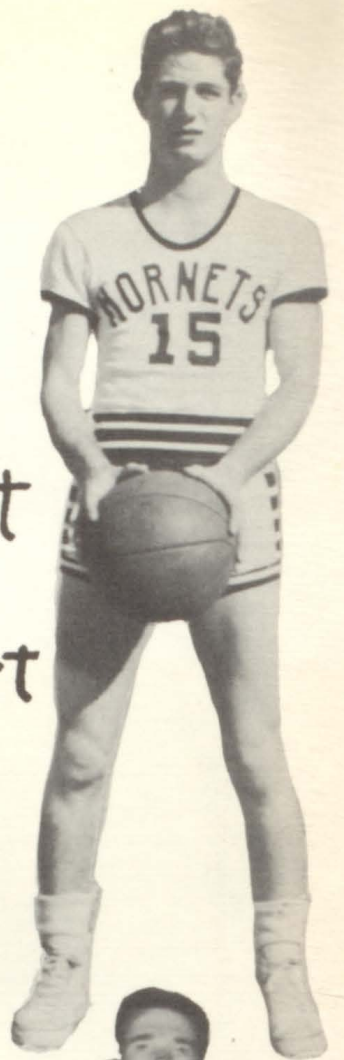


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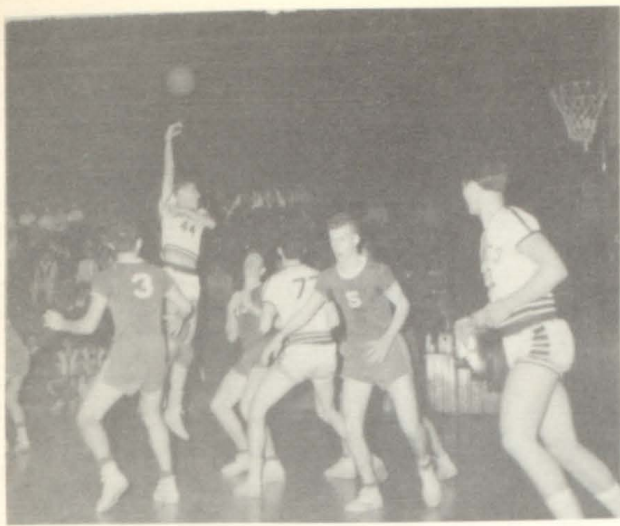
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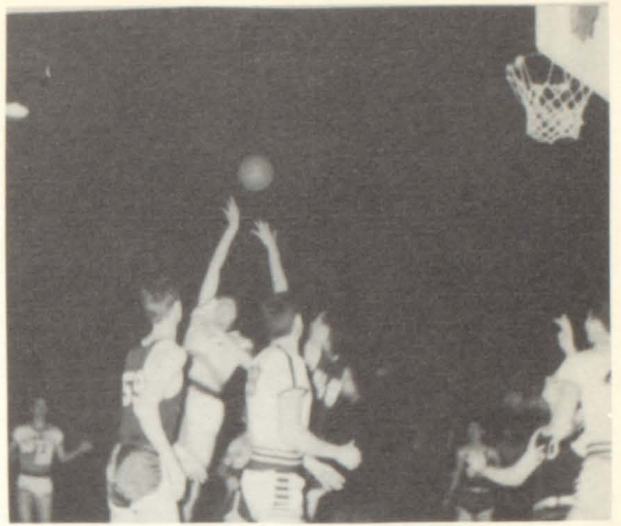
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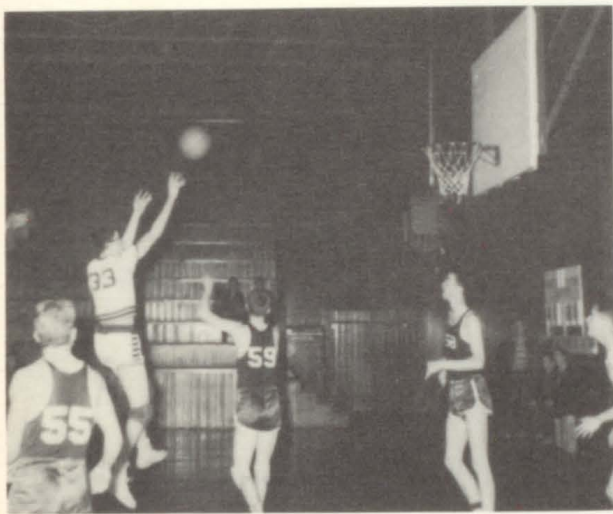
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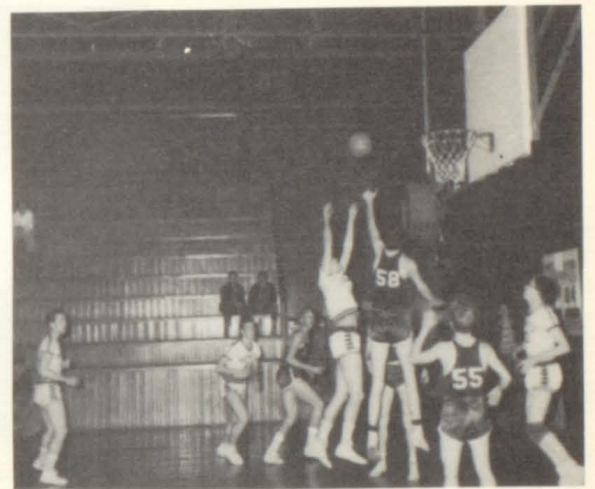
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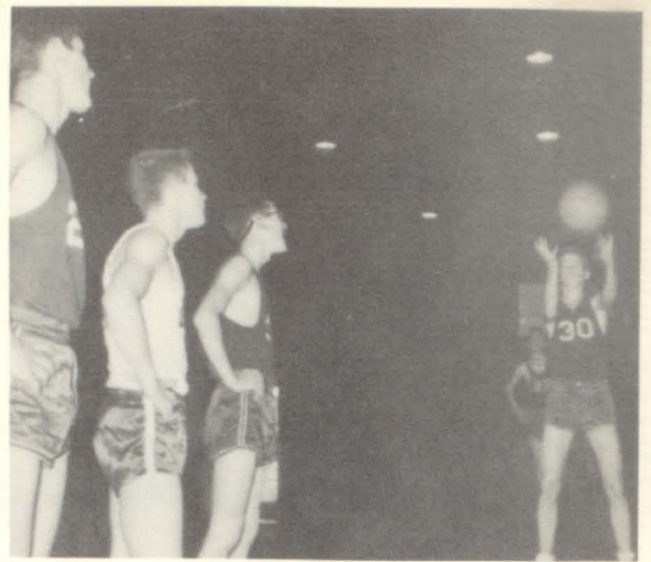


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"C" TEAM



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Managers



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Pat Bennett
—
Jack Bateman

TENNIS '53'



Coach
 Stella
 Floy
 Pace



Boy's Singles: Jerry Tidmore — Boy's Doubles: Max Smith
 Girls Singles: Mary Russell — James Walker
 Girl's Doubles —
 Patsy Breedlove
 Wynetta Ford

Athens won:

Four 1st's at
 District

One 1st at
 Regional

Two 2nd's at
 Regional

Below

Taken right after the
 tennis players won four
 1st places at District Meet



CHAMPS



Jerry Fails



Gene Robinson



Frank Duphorne

Golf



Team

(minus
Durwood Selmon)

Zeke Zeanon

Harry Gould

John Brewer



CHEERLEADERS - '52-'53



PATSY SMITH
Head Cheerleader



JANE McCOOL



DANA McWILLIAMS



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Cheerleaders' Mascot



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Jr. High Cheerleaders



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"Snow" Davidson



PAT GOSSSES



MARGARET SMITH

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Billy Ray Nugent - Track
Roland Hallmark - Football
Gene Robinson - Golf
Marilyn Upshaw - Band
Mary Russell - Tennis
Turner Gauntt - Basketball
(not shown)

Babe Ruth Sportsmanship Award

WINNERS:

Wynetta Ford
Turner Gauntt

Athens High School Band



Director:
Mr.
Ben
Shew



Student
Directors:
Marilyn
Upshaw
+
Madeline
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MASCOT
Billie Sanders

DRUM MAJORETTE
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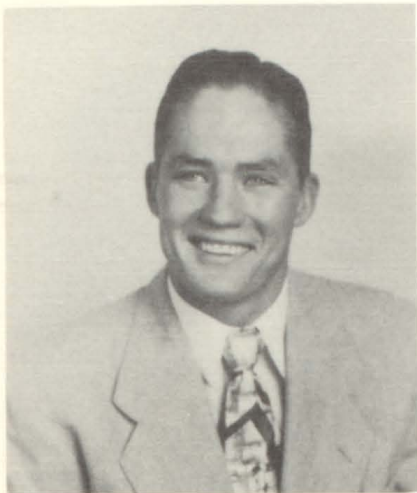


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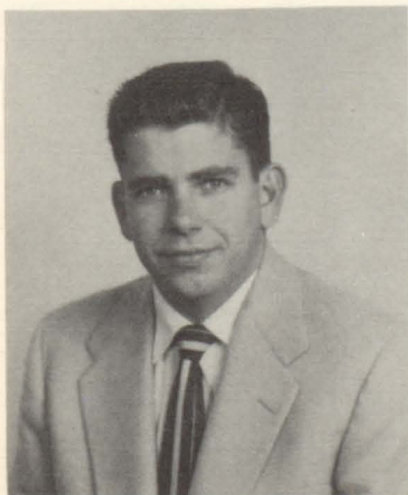
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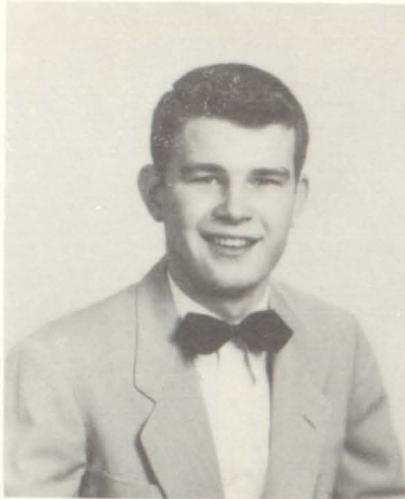
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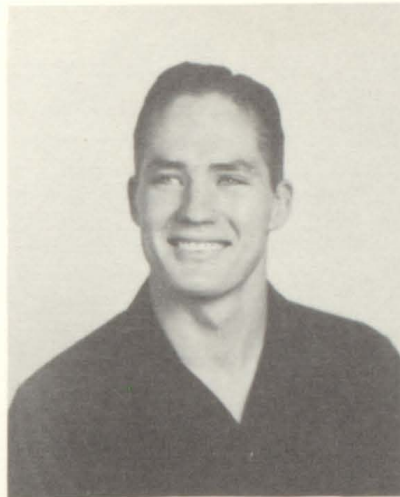
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VICE - PRES.



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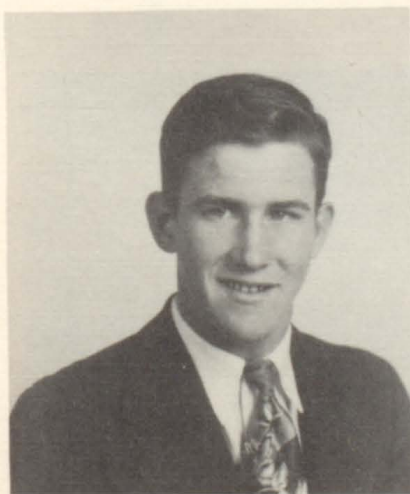
Jerry Tidmore



Fredda Davis



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William Ayres



Pamela Eaton



Frank Johns



Pat Griffin



Billie Shelton

Council delegates go to
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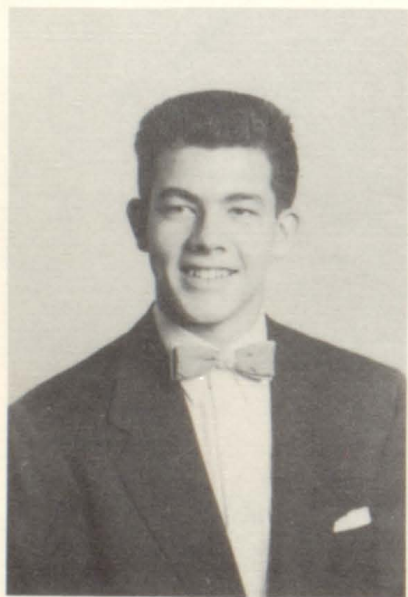


"A" ASSOCIATION



Tri-Captains
Turner Gauntt, Roland Hallmark, J. P. Shull

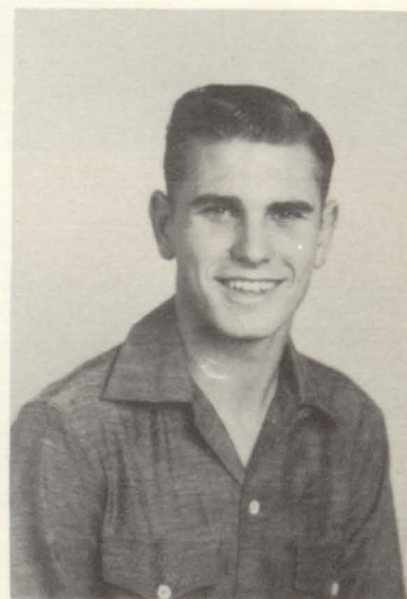
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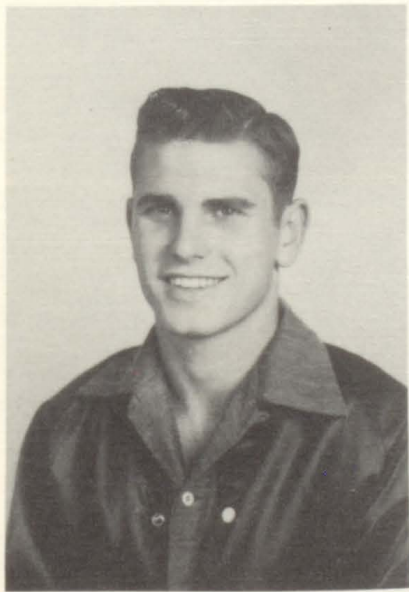


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TREASURER



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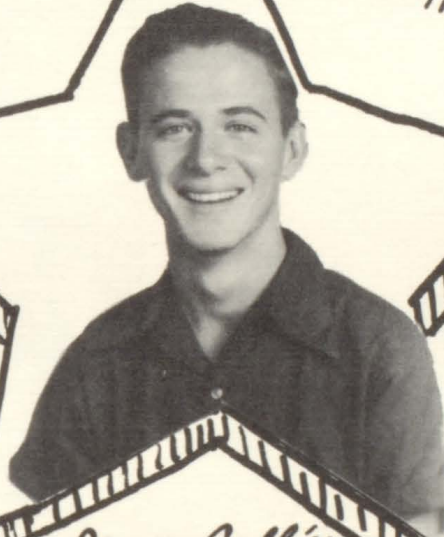
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JR. HI EDITOR



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MANAGER



Barbara Groves
ASSO. EDITOR



Marilyn Upshaw
BUSINESS MANAGER

Platter Chatter

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Jackie Aaron,
Mickey Mannin
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Walter Lambe
Jack Feagins
Patricia We
Burney-10.
Walter Gene
Summerall-
Watts, 19-
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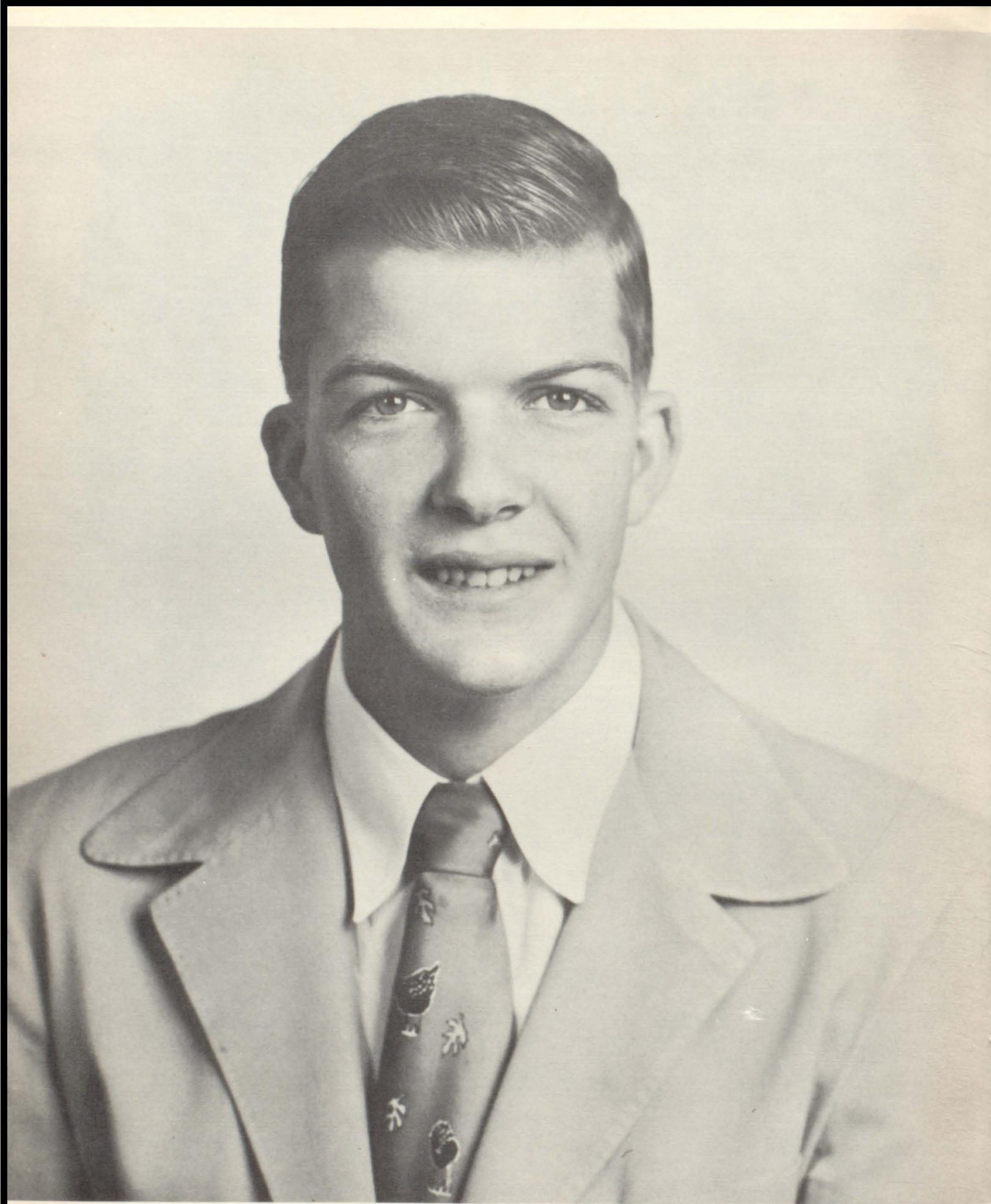
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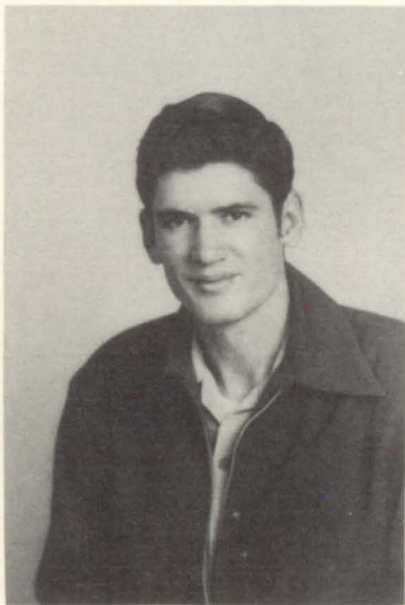


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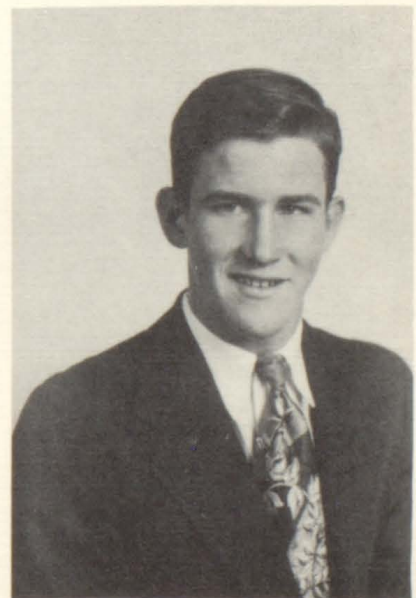
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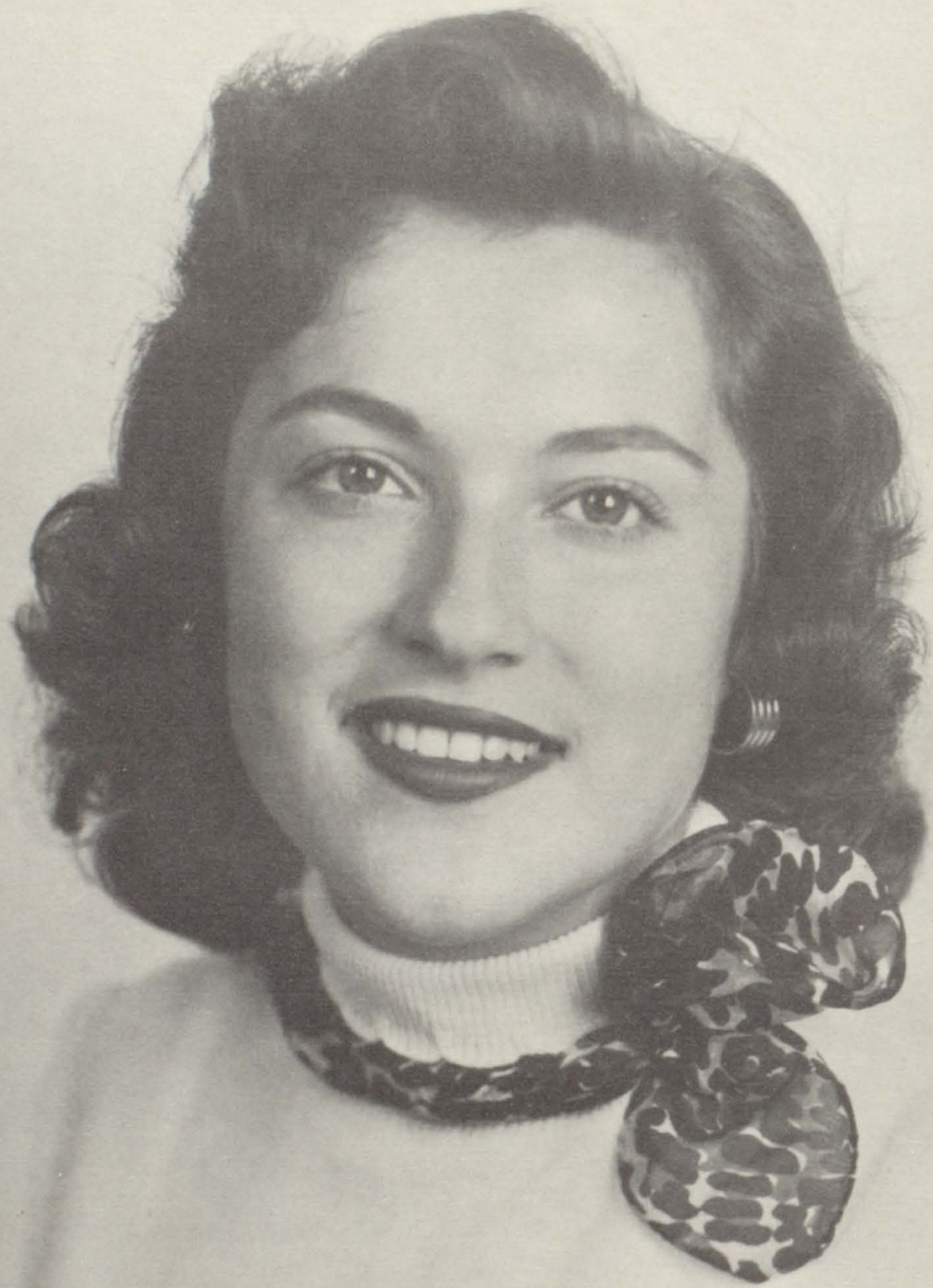
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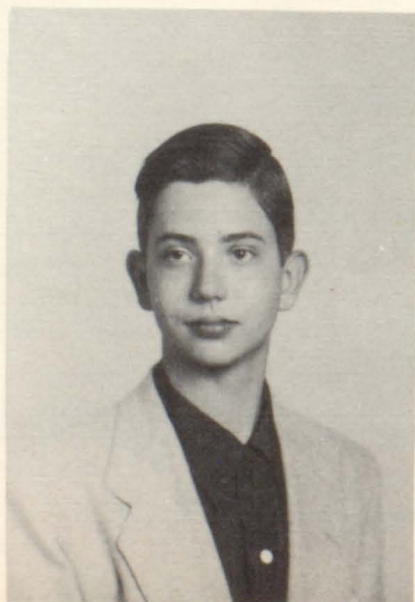


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"Lost another pound!"

"Do I weigh that much?"

Left to right: Mc Adams, York, Manness, P. Skinner, Gibbs, Mrs. Vermillion, J. Skinner, Duff, Davis, Atkinson, Loper.

Purpose: to help the "tubbies" of A.H.S. to lose weight.



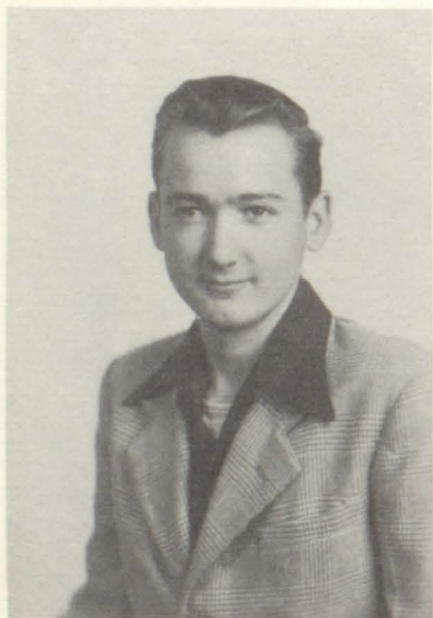
Dues: 10¢ for each pound gained or not lost.

Mrs. Martha Vermillion served as sponsor for the group. Officers were:

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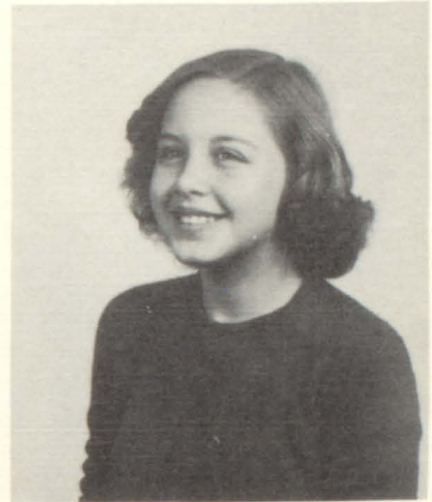
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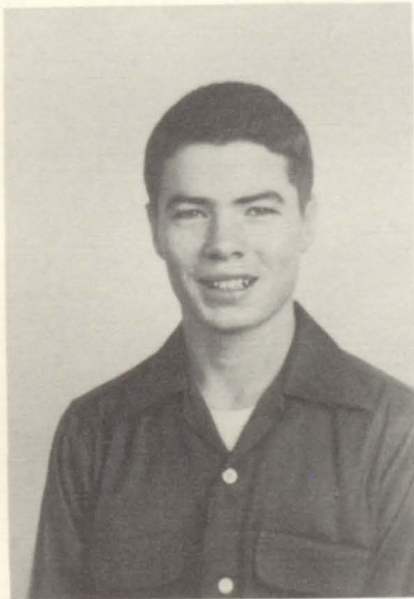


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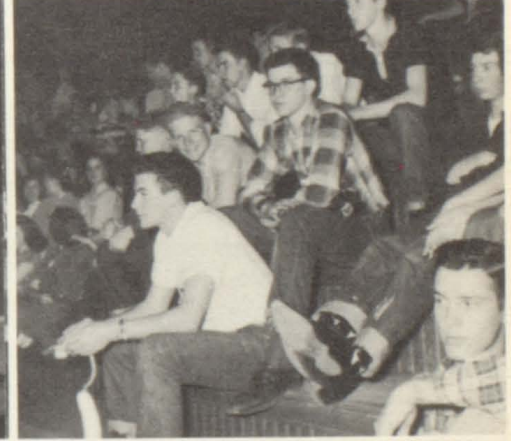


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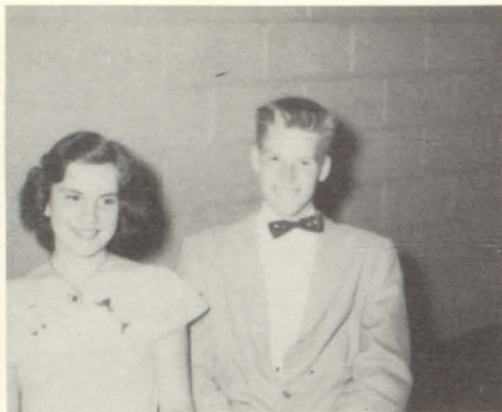
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A.H.S. HERE ^{AND} THERE



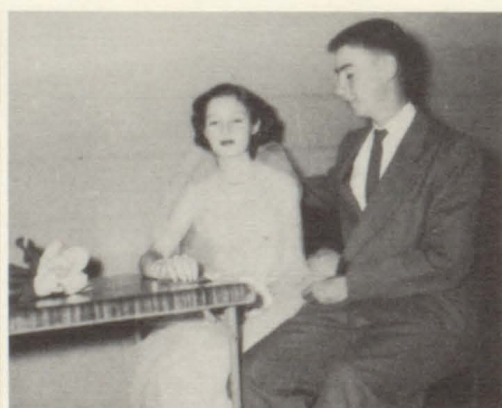
Sophomore ^{and} Freshman



AND



Jr. High Proms



Do You Remember When?



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Katherine



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Margaret



Jerry



Roland



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April 27, 1953



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*Presentation of
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Duet



*Presentation of
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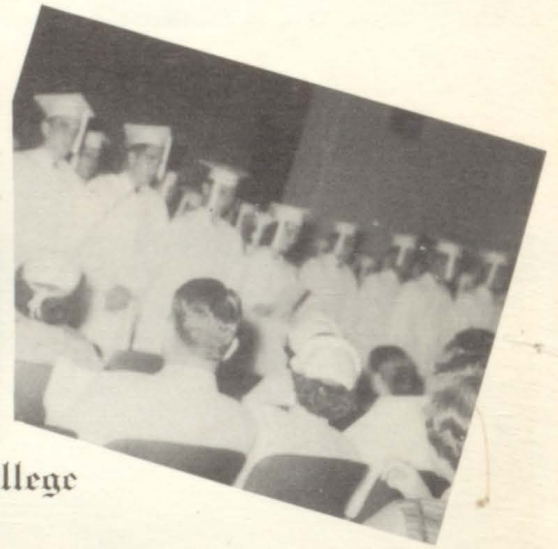
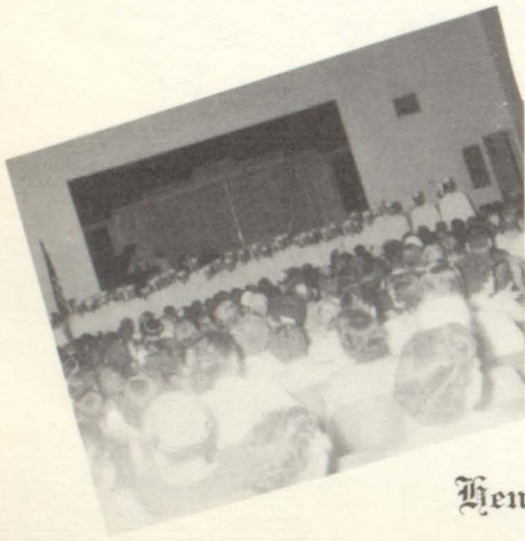
Activity Awards Winners





Graduation Program

Athens High School



Henderson County Junior College

Baccalaureate, 8:00 P. M.
Sunday, May 17, 1953

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Valedictorian

Wynetta Ford

AVERAGE: 94.39

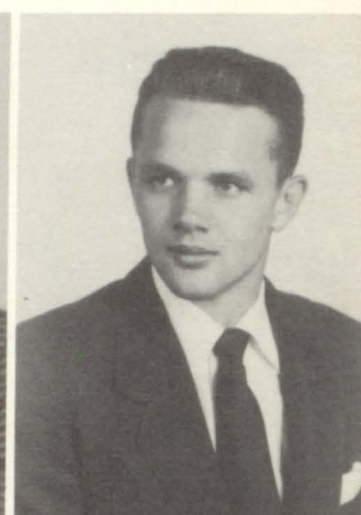
Salutatorian

Katherine Davis

AVERAGE: 93.75



HONOR GRADUATES



ROLAND HALLMARK 93.59 MARGARET DEHART 93.22 MILDRED McADAMS 92.61 TURNER GAUNT 92.39



PATSY BREEDLOVE 91.49 MADELINE SCARBROUGH 91.44 WILDA EVANS 91.00 BOBBIE JEAN GAUNT 90.50

ROLAND HALLMARK - 96½
KATHERINE DAVIS - 76½
JERRY TIDMORE - 76
WYNETTA FORD - 67½
MARY RUSSELL - 59½
JACK BATEMAN - 51½
GILBERT HARGRAVE - 53½
JANE MCCOOL - 50
J. P. SHULL - 48
MADELINE SCARBROUGH - 47½
PATSY SMITH - 44½
CARROLL CLAY 44

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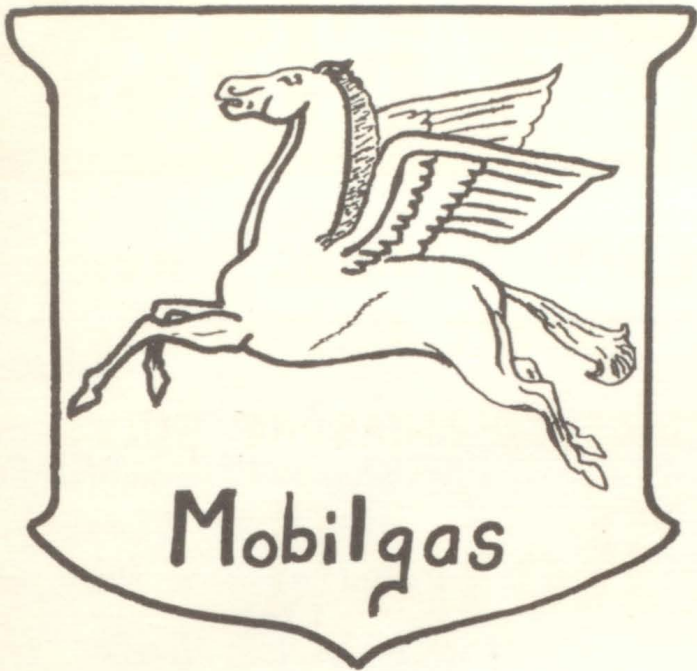


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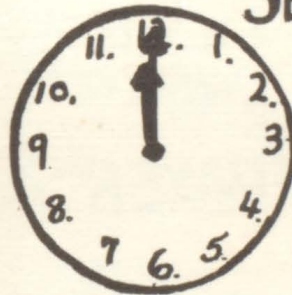
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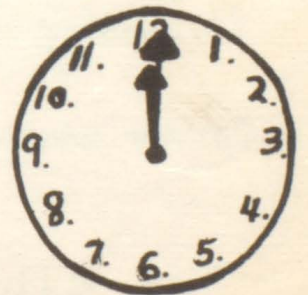
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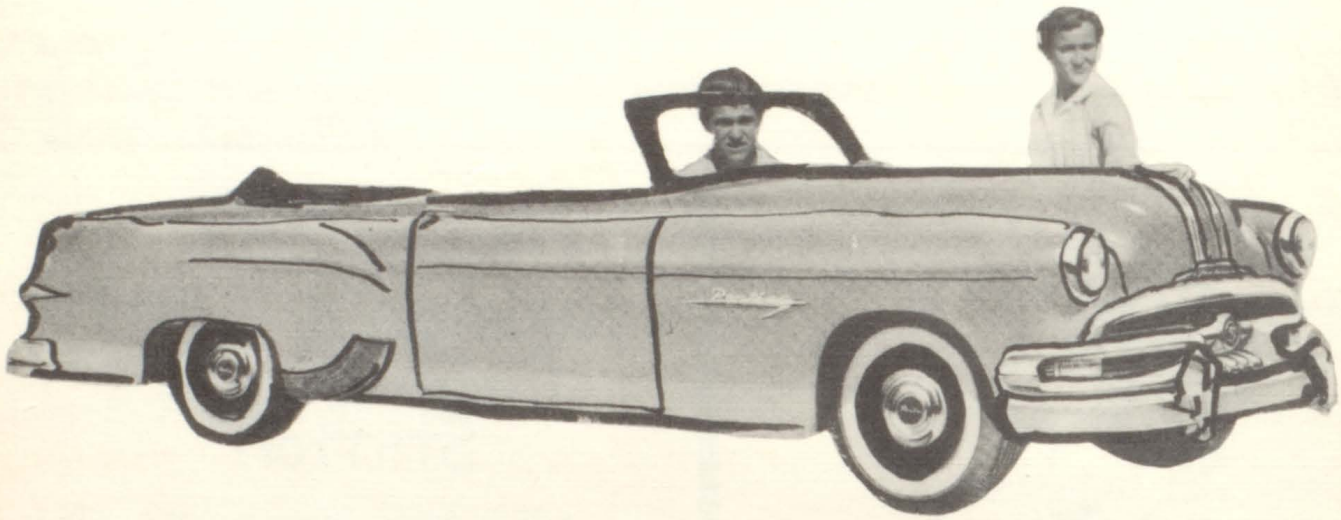
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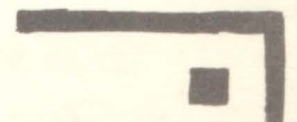
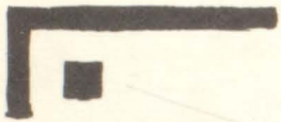


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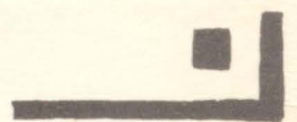
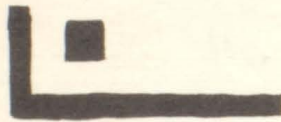


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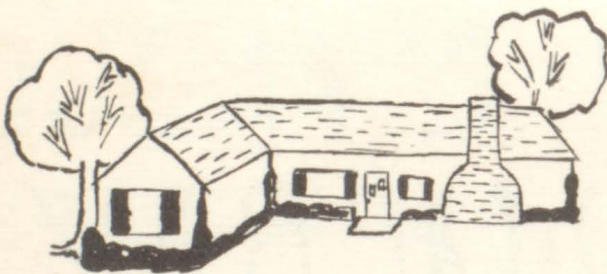
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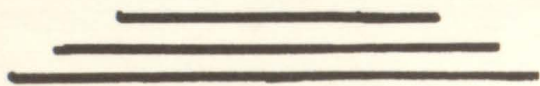
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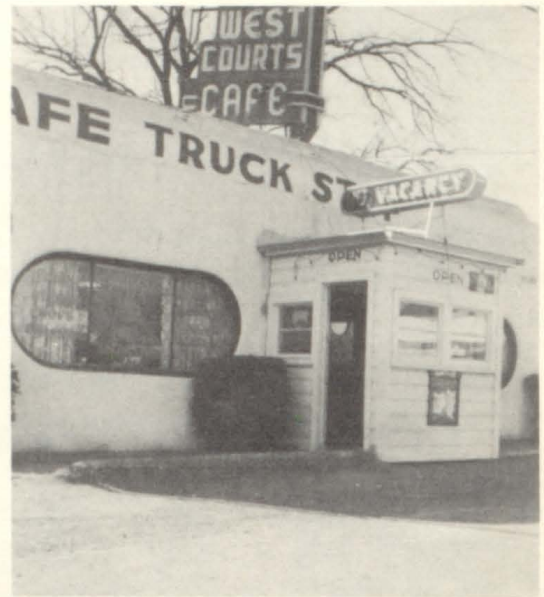
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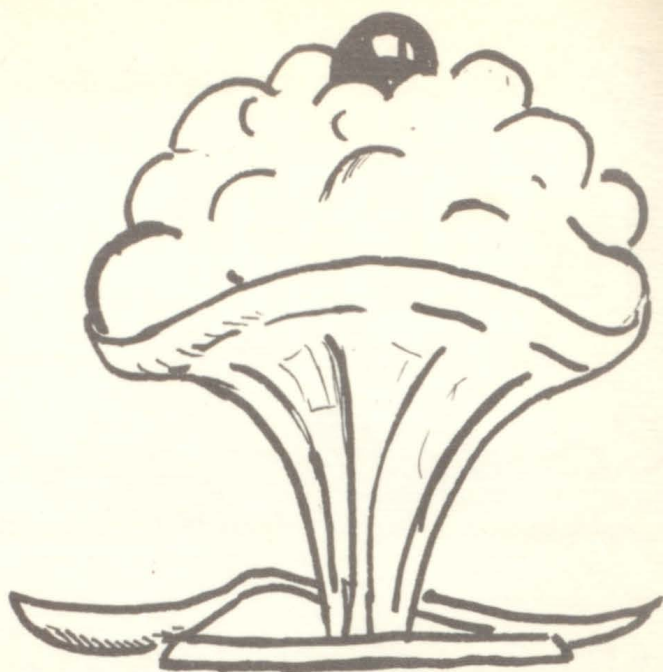


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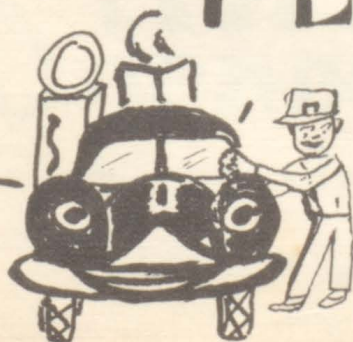


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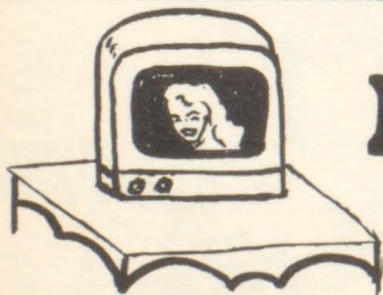
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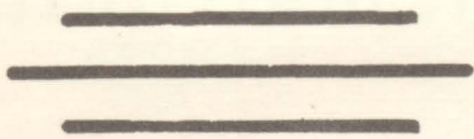
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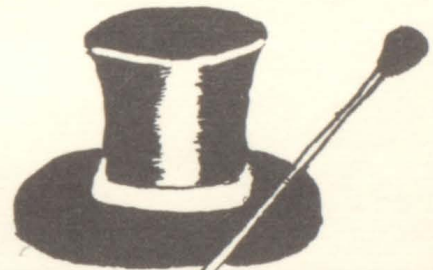
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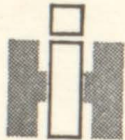
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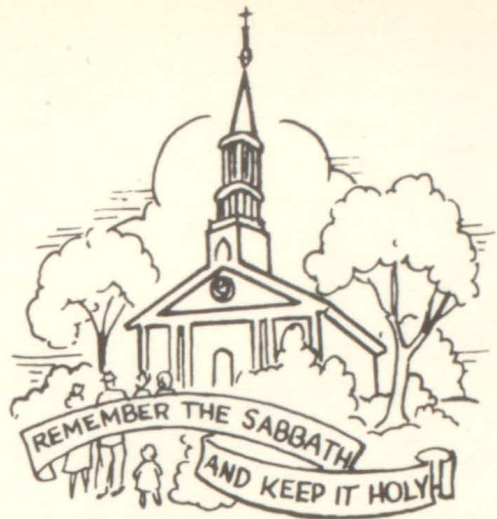
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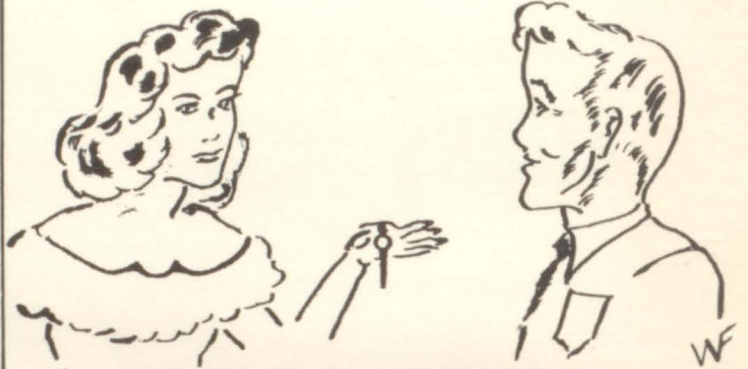
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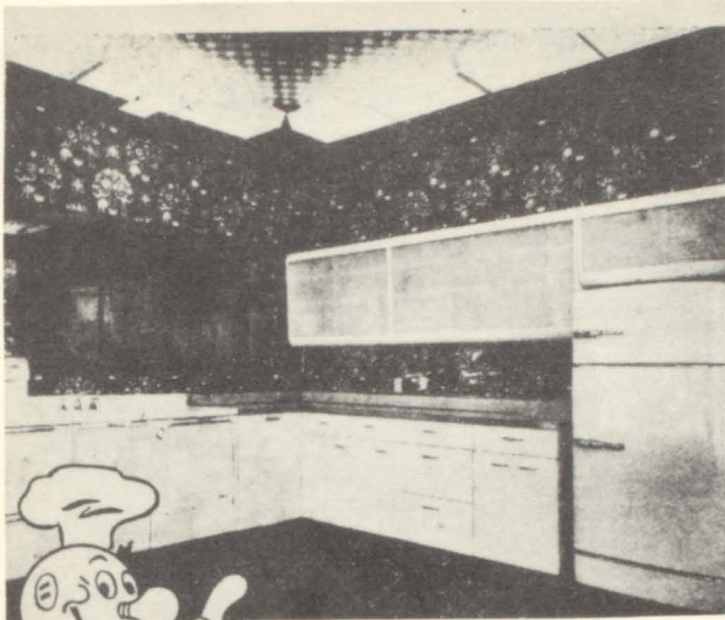
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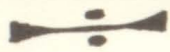
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