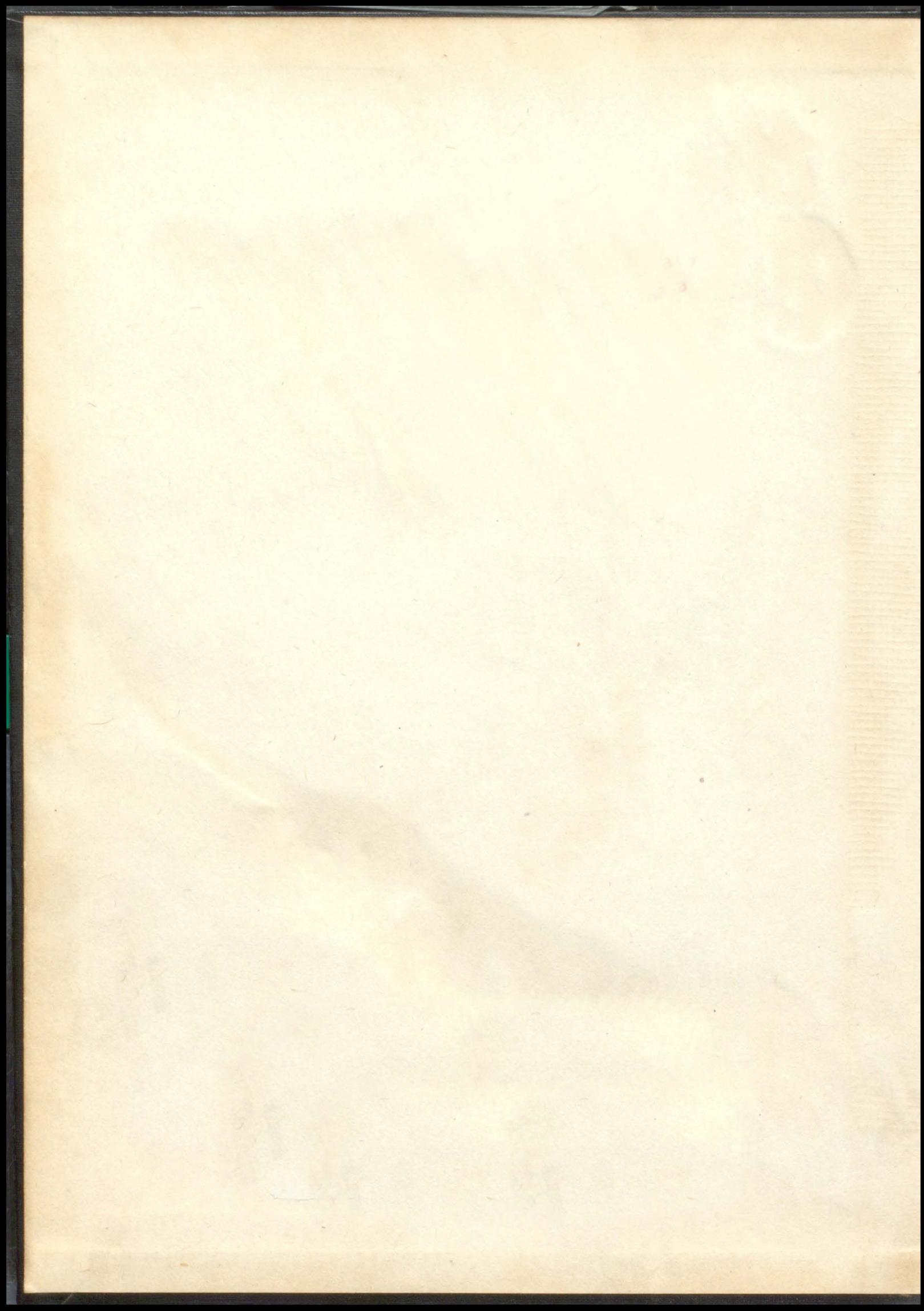
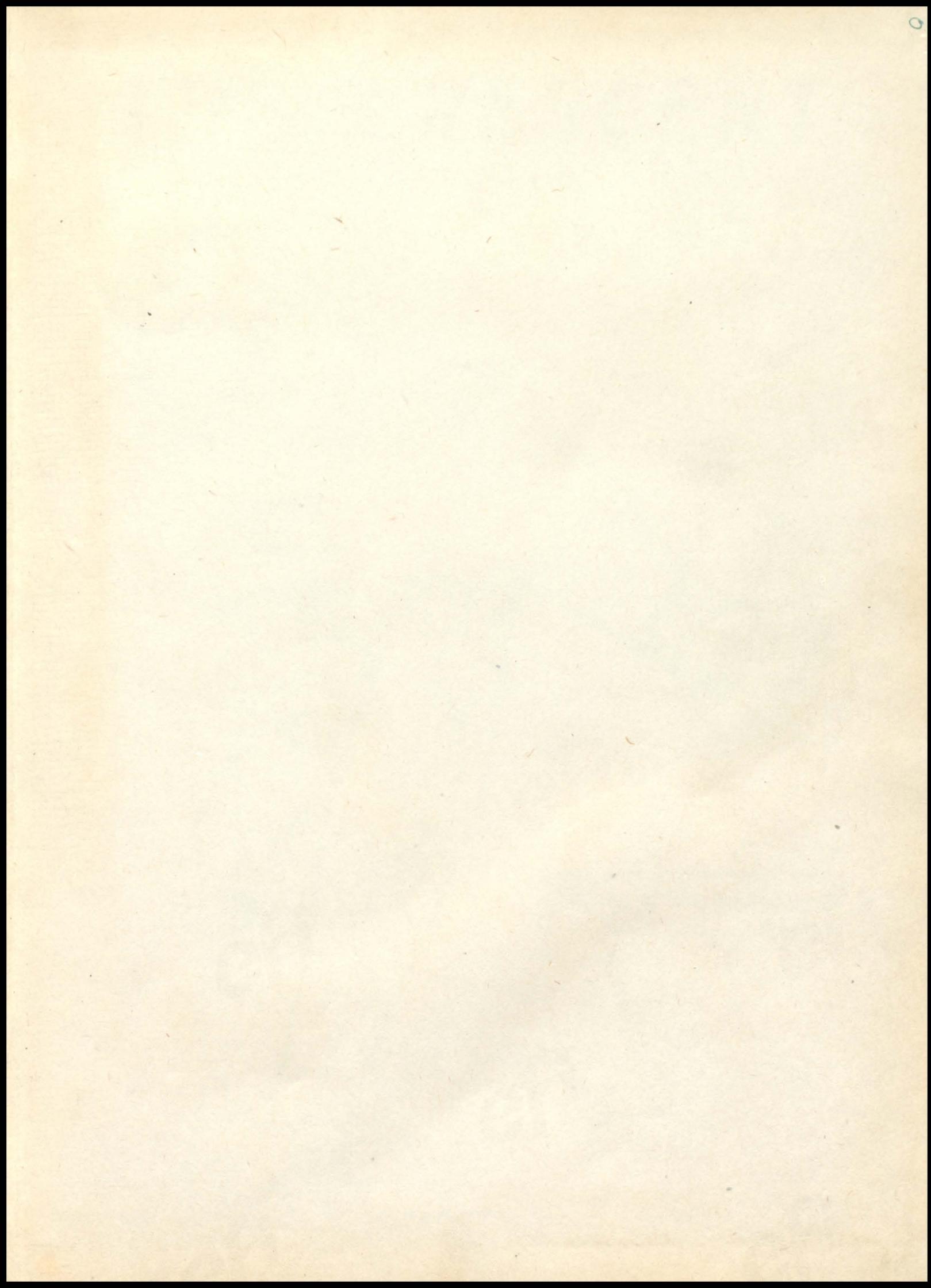
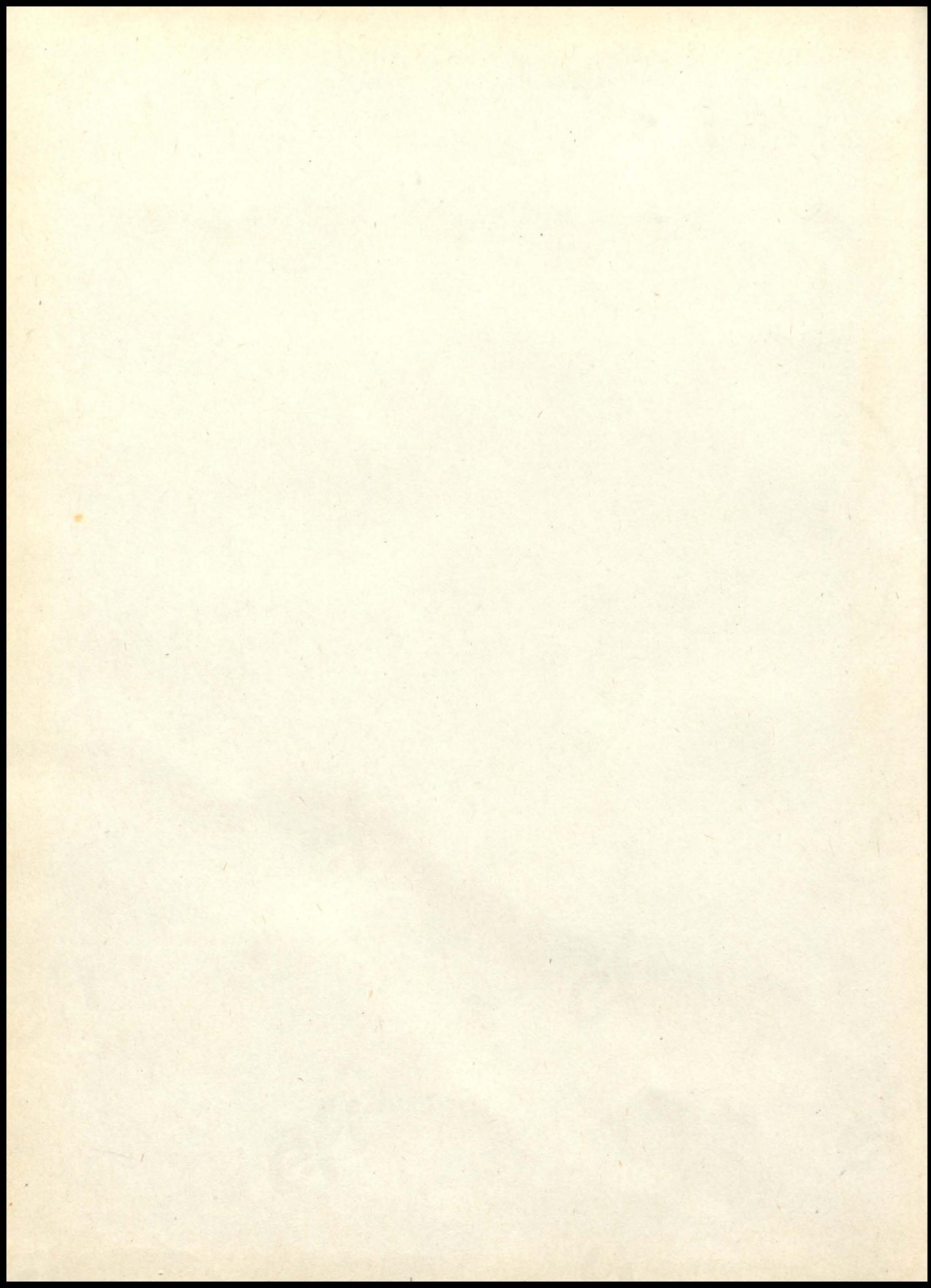


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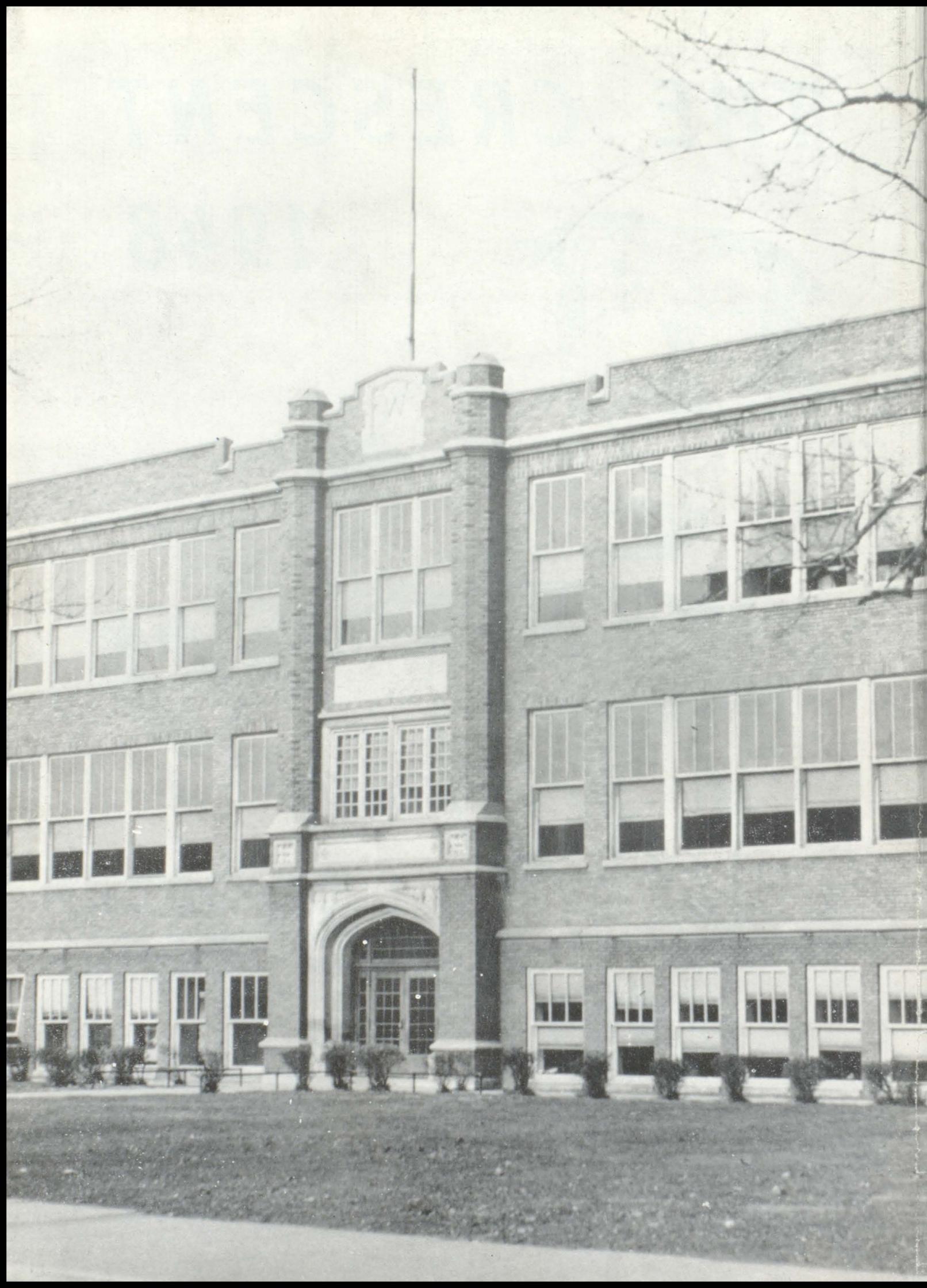


THE CRESCENT

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PAUSE THAT REFRESHES





LITTLE EVENTS

A FEATURE
OF FALL



DRIVER
TRAINING
INSTRUCTION



HOURLY
CLASH



↑ TERROR
IN
THE HALL

LOCAL
MEETING
PLACE



RETREAT BETWEEN CLASSES



WHO SAYS BOYS DON'T GOSSIP!



"SWINGIN' YOUR PARTNER"—AT AN AFTER GAME DANCE



JUNIOR-SENIOR ORIENTAL BALL



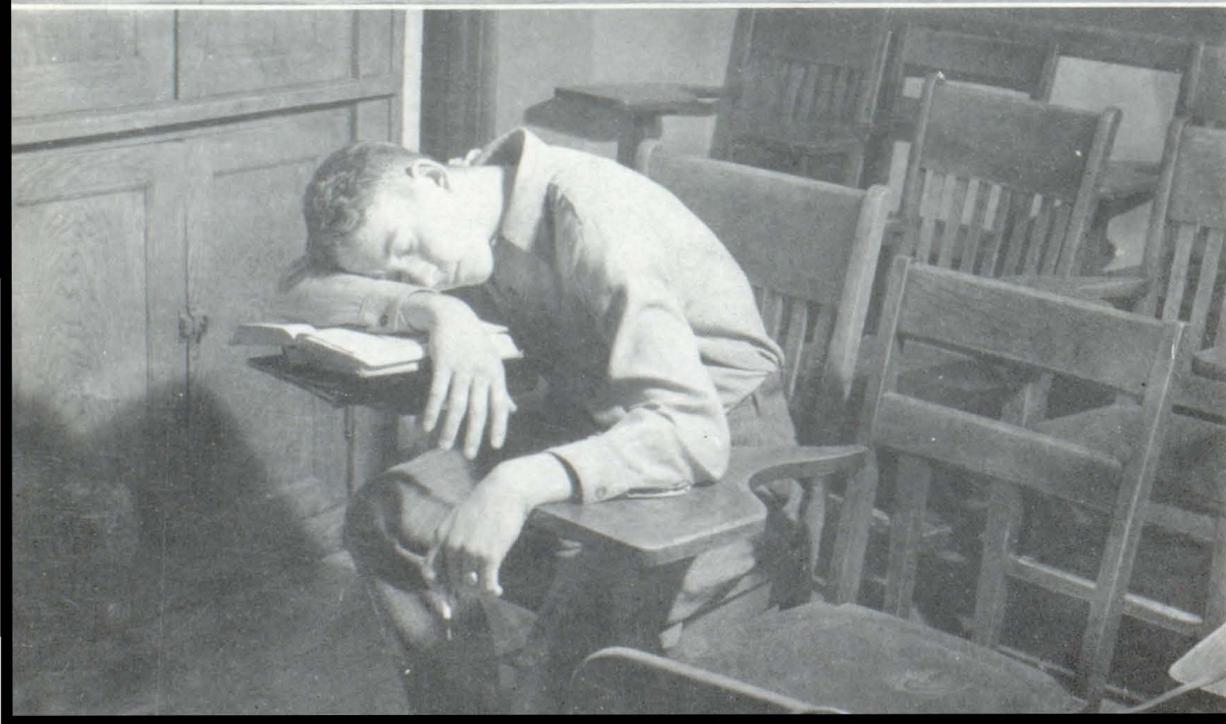
SADIE HAWKIN'S PARTY—BEWARE THE IDES OF LEAP YEAR!



A DAILY
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ELWOOD'S
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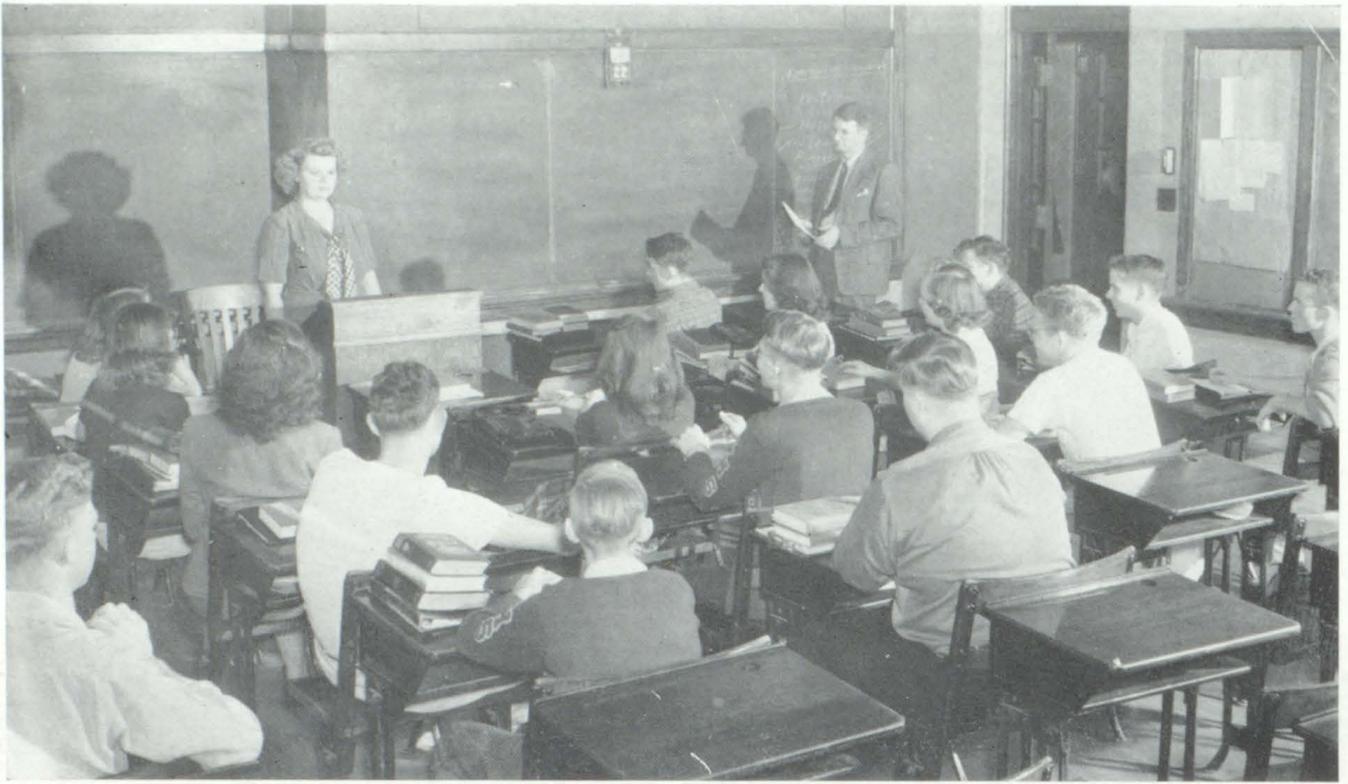


GENIUS
AT WORK



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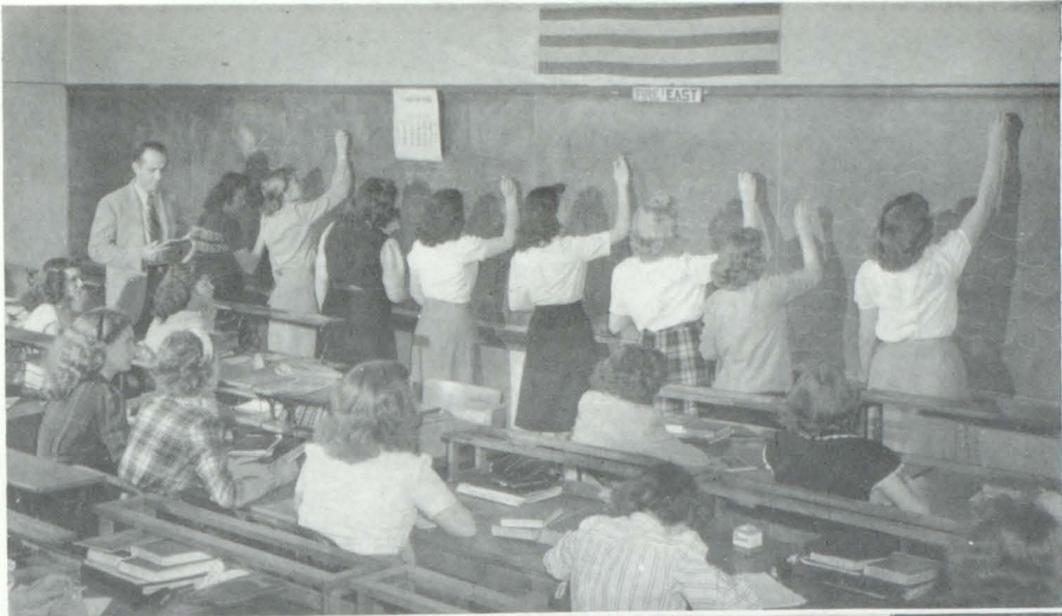


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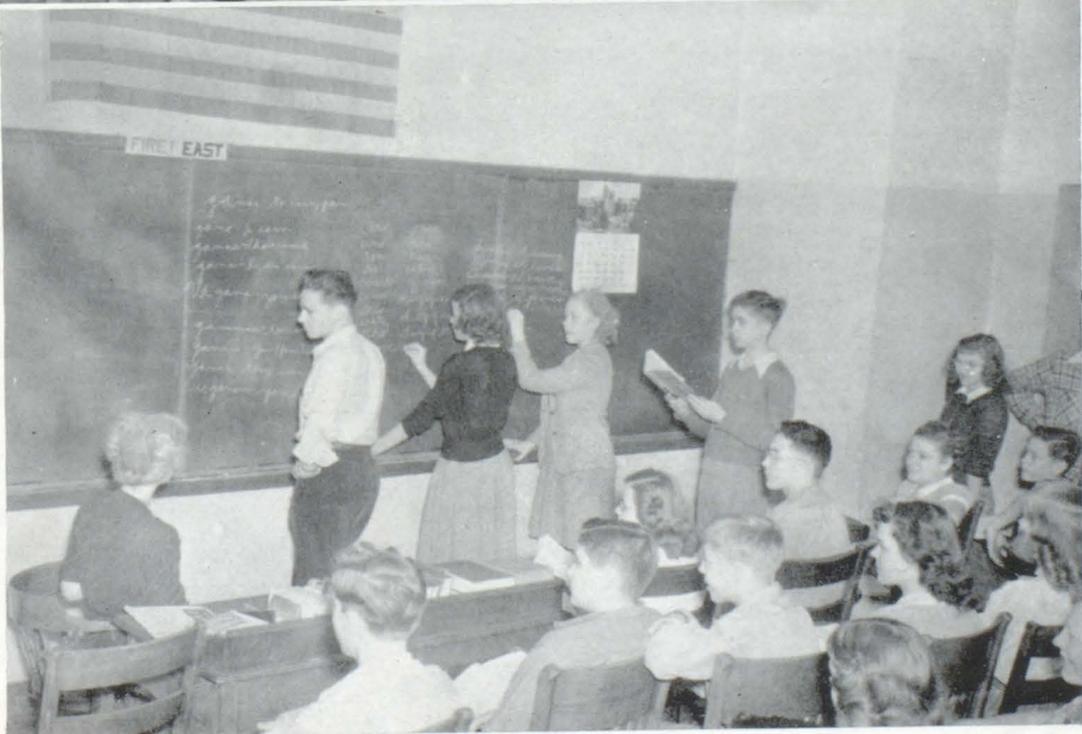


ENGLISH 5 CLASS

SHORTHAND
CLASS



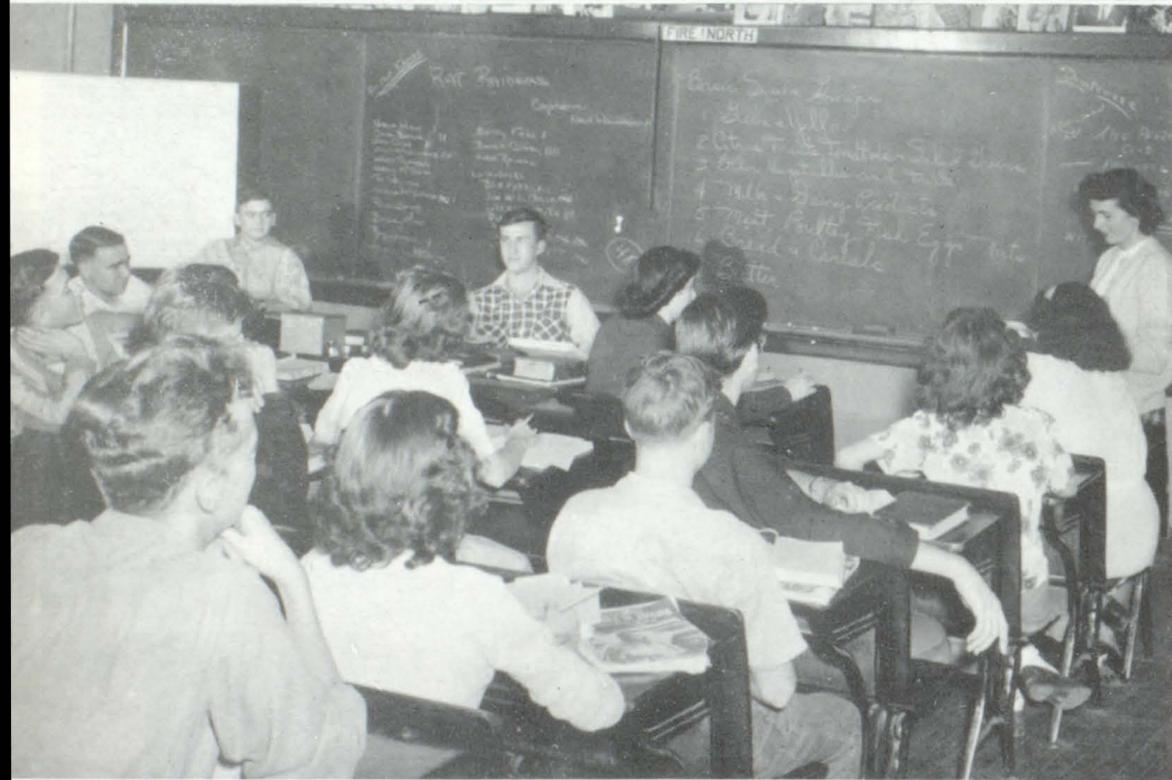
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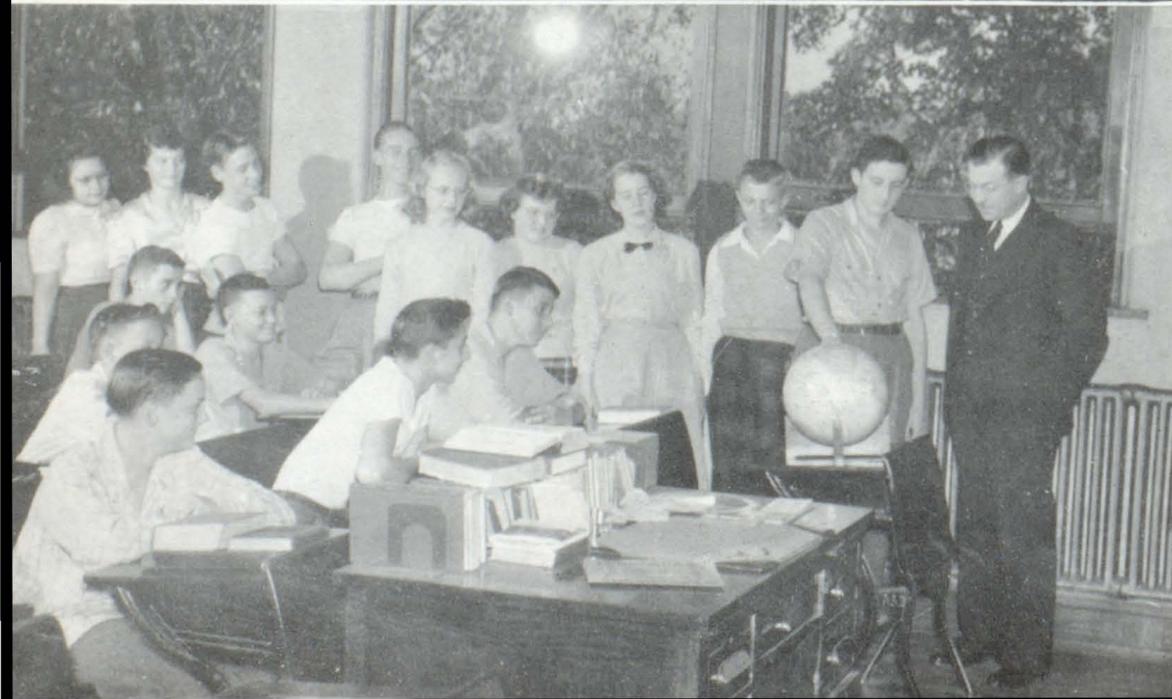
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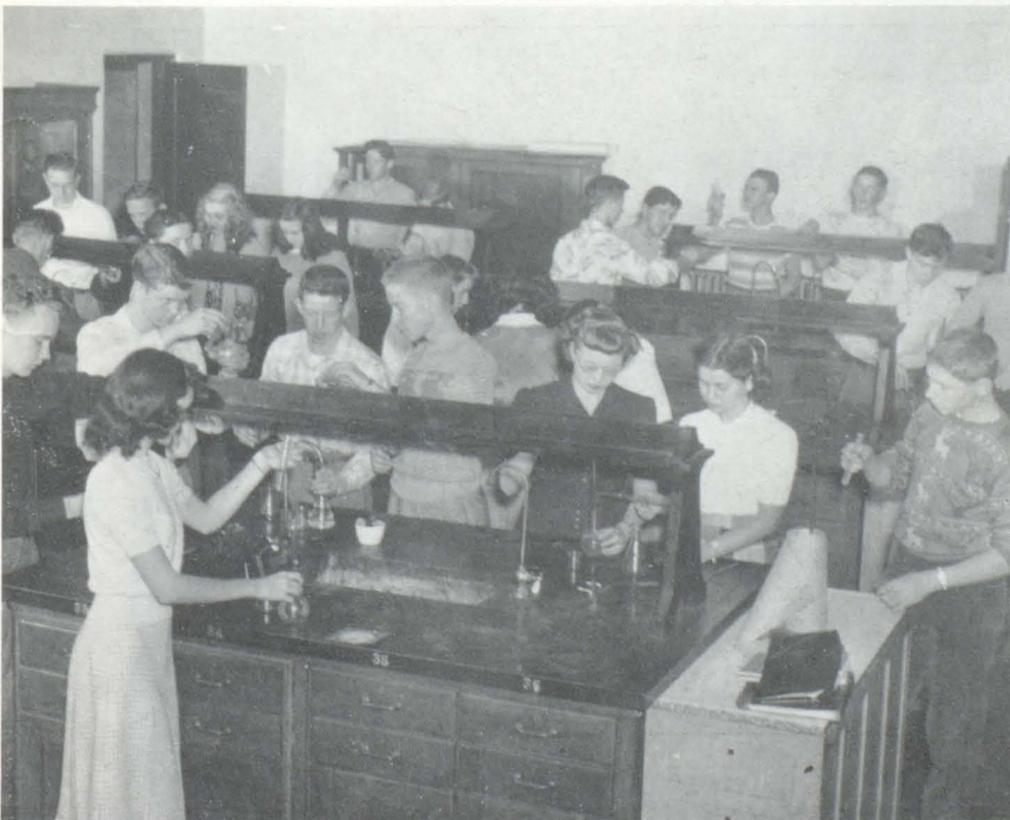
HEALTH
CLASS



HISTORY
CLASS



GYM CLASS



CHEMISTRY
CLASS



MR. KEITH SCOTT
SUPERINTENDENT



MR. M. A. COPELAND
PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL OFFICIALS

Every successful organization must have its administrations. Ours are the Superintendent, Principal, and the three men who make up the School Board. They work together to make this school what it is: solve its problems, advise the students and faculty and bring the school and community closer together.

There has been a change in the school officials since last year. Mr. Scott has become Superintendent, and our new Principal is Mr. Copeland.

The School Board, whose members are the same as last year, represent the citizens of Elwood in decisions of school policy.



MARK NOBLE, SECRETARY; MELVIN ROBINSON, TREASURER;
RALPH STEVENS, PRESIDENT

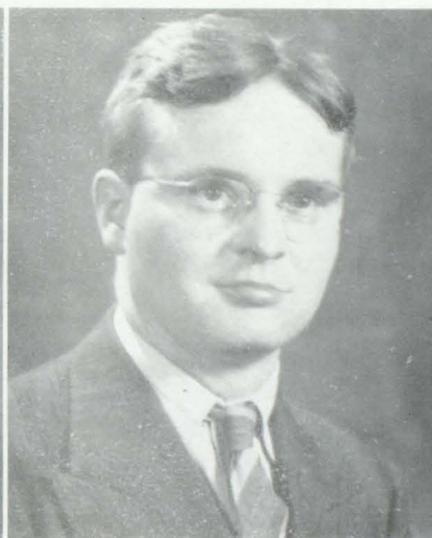


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 Ball State Teachers College
 George Peabody Library
 School
 Librarian



MARY M. BARNES, A.B.
 Indiana University
 History
 Health and Safety

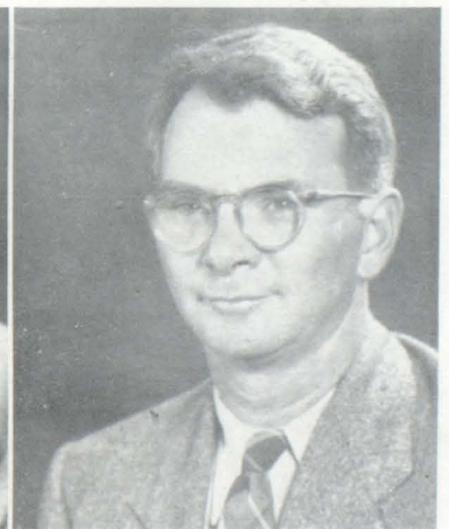
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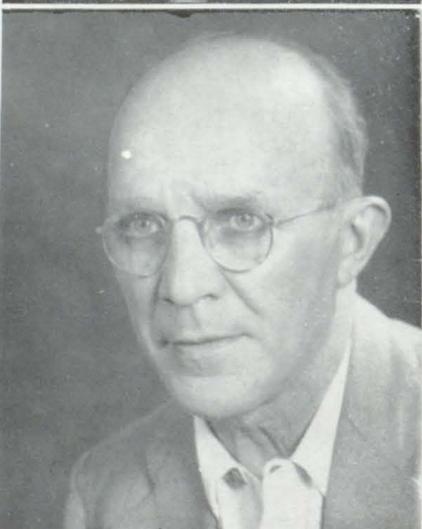
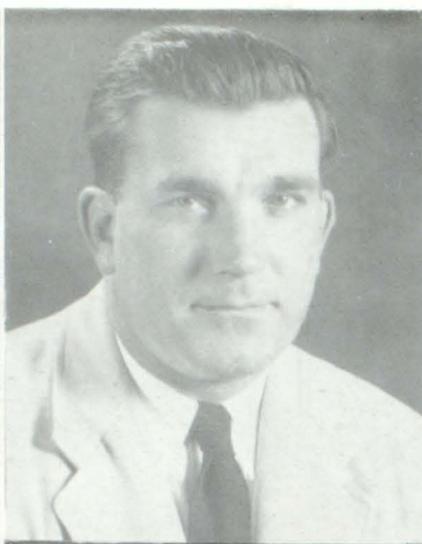
CHARLOTTE BARR, A.B.
 Ball State Teachers College
 English

WILLIAM J. BLACK, B.S.
 Ball State Teachers College
 Chemistry

HARRY M. BRIDGES, A.B.
 Central Normal College
 Civics, Social Studies
 Driver Training Education
 Health and Safety
 Assistant Coach



DONALD BROWN, A.B., M.A.
 Indiana University
 English, Public Speaking,
 Math., Journalism, Dramatics
 Debate Coach



CLIFFORD BRUGGER, B.S.
University of Cincinnati
Cincinnati Conservatory of
Music

FRANK BYKOWSKI, B.S.
Purdue University
Physical Education
Health and Safety
Driver Training Ed.
Football Coach
Assistant Basketball Coach

PAUL V. CHAMPION, B.S.
Indiana State Teachers
College
Shop

KENNETH D. COULSON, B.S.
Ball State Teachers College
Business Education

PALMER J. DAVIS, B.S.A.
Purdue University
Vocational Agriculture

BLANCHE DIGEL, B.S., M.S.
Ball State Teachers College
Indiana University
English

EARL B. FORNEY, A.B., M.A.
Indiana University
History, Math.

BETTY HOUSE, B.S.
Indiana University
Commerce

HARRY L. HOUSE, B.S.
Bradley Institute
Shop



JEANNETTE JONES, A.B.
Ball State Teachers College
English, Latin

ELEANOR KIDWELL, B.S.
Indiana University
Home Economics

GLADYS KINMAN, A.B., M.A.
Indiana State Teachers
College
University of Michigan
Mathematics

ESTHER KOONS, B.S.
Purdue University
Biology

MARY L. RECORDS, A.B.
Indiana University
English, Spanish

GEORGE SMITH, B.S., M.S.
Franklin College
Indiana University
Mathematics, Physics

HELENE SOWERS, B.S.
Butler University
Herron Art School
Art

NOLA SWEENEY, B.S.
Purdue University
Physical Education
Health and Safety

JOHN W. WARD, A.B.
DePauw University
Physical Education
Health and Safety
Sociology
Basketball and Track Coach
Assistant Football Coach

School Secretaries



BETTY DICKEY



MARY EDITH FRAZIER



LILLIAN MIKELS



BARBARA SKILLMAN, SOPHOMORE; JIM HENNEGAN, JUNIOR;
 MAX BEEMAN, FRESHMAN; BETTY MORRIS, SENIOR

CLASSES



S E N I O R S



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

GEORGE ACRES, PRESIDENT

JACK SCOTT, TREASURER

JACK SHAFFNER, VICE-PRESIDENT

JOAN STONE, SECRETARY

SENIOR CLASS

How could four years go by so fast? Why, it seems as though it were only yesterday that we reported for our first classes in Elwood High School. Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior years passed quickly, and suddenly we were **Seniors!**

In our Senior year we had so much to do that we really had to work fast. Plans were made for a class trip, and many a senior worked hard selling magazine subscriptions to raise funds for that big event.

All in all, though, we had a good time in high school, and it is with mixed feelings of pride and sorrow that we plan for graduation.

SENIORS

GEORGE ACRES
Senior Class President
Panther Den
President, 1947
Home Room Officer,
4 years
Varsity Football
Track
E-Men's Club

JACK ADAIR
Home Room Officer
Freshman Basketball
and Track
Mixed Chorus

CHARLES ALLEN
Track
Dramatic Club
Junior Class Play

DONALD ALLEN
Intramural Basketball
Projection Room
Home Room Officer

PAUL ALTHERR
Voc. Ag. Basketball
Intramural Basketball

BILLY ANDERSON
Art Club
Intramural Basketball

BURVIA ANDERSON
Dramatic Club
Senior Class Play
Junior Class Play
Art Club
Mixed Chorus

PHILIP ARNOLD
Varsity Football
Varsity Basketball
Track
E-Men's Club
Home Room Officer
Mixed Chorus

JO ANN AULT
Student Council
Senior Class Play
Junior Class Play
Crescent

BEVERLY BALSER
G. A. A.
Mixed Chorus
Art Club

Dramatic Club
Band and Orchestra
Home Room Officer

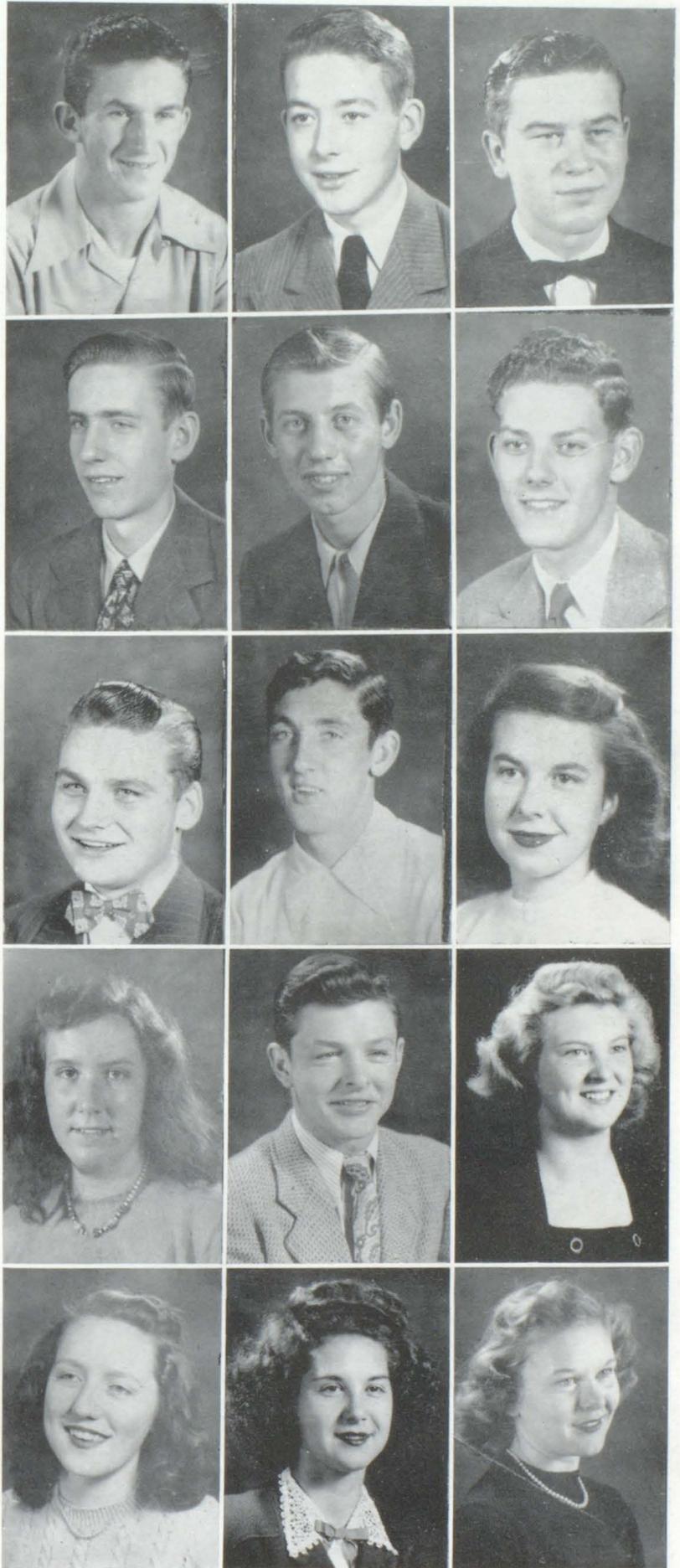
JOHN BEEBE

ANITA BECKETT
National Honor Society
Orchestra
Dramatic Club
G. A. A.
Spanish Club
Sunshine Society

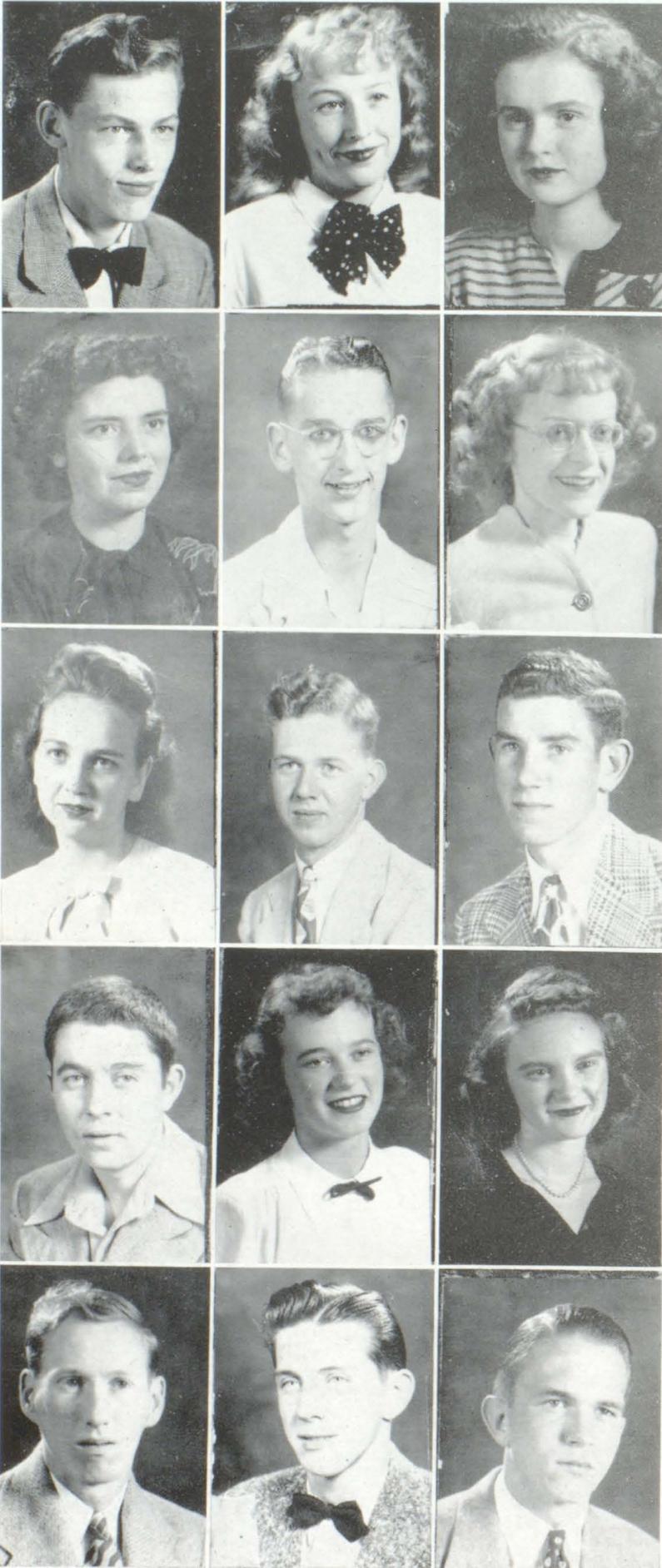
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G. A. A.
Boosters' Club
Mixed Chorus
Art Club

BETTY BEILHARTZ
Dramatic Club
Megaphone
Sunshine Society
Art Club
G. A. A.
Library Assistant
Girls' Glee Club

LOUISE BELL
Student Council
Dramatic Club
Spanish Club
Boosters' Club
Sunshine Society
Senior Class Play



SENIORS



LOUIS BENEDICT
 Dramatic Club
 Senior Class Play
 Junior Class Play
 Intramural Basketball
 Track
 Glee Club

PATRICIA BENEDICT
 Dramatic Club
 Senior Class Play
 Crescent
 Home Room Officer
 Spanish Club
 Boosters' Club

ROSALEE BENNETT
 Dramatic Club
 Sunshine Society
 Trays and Buckets
 Boosters' Club
 Mixed Chorus

VIRGINIA BOUSLOG
 Art Club
 G. A. A.

ROLAND BROWN
 Varsity Basketball
 Varsity Football
 Track
 Home Room Officer
 Art Club

MARGARET BROYLES
 Sunshine Society
 Boosters' Club
 G. A. A.
 Latin Club

MARY FRANCES CAIN
 Dramatic Club
 Spanish Club

JOHN CAMPBELL
 Glee Club
 Mixed Chorus

HAROLD CHRISS
 Agriculture Basketball

JERRY CLARK
 Intramural Basketball

BARBARA CLINE
 G. A. A.
 Boosters' Club
 Art Club

DELORES COMMONS
 Crescent
 Latin Club
 Dramatic Club
 Sunshine Society
 Junior and Senior
 Class Play Prompter

CLIFFORD CONARD
 Art Club
 Home Room Officer

ROBERT CONNERS

CHARLES COPHER
 Band
 Home Room Officer
 Orchestra

SENIORS

RUBY CROCKETT
G. A. A.

ROBERT CROUSORE
Mixed Chorus

RALPH DAVIS
Mixed Chorus

ILENE DELLINGER
Sunshine Society
G. A. A.
Art Club

IRENE DELLINGER
Sunshine Society
G. A. A.
Art Club

VIRGIE DICKEY
Sunshine Society
Crescent

DONEL DIETZER
Track
Mixed Chorus

DON DOTY
Crescent
Football

ROY ERDMAN

BENJAMIN FARR

MAURICE FETTIG
Senior Class Play
Home Room Officer
Football

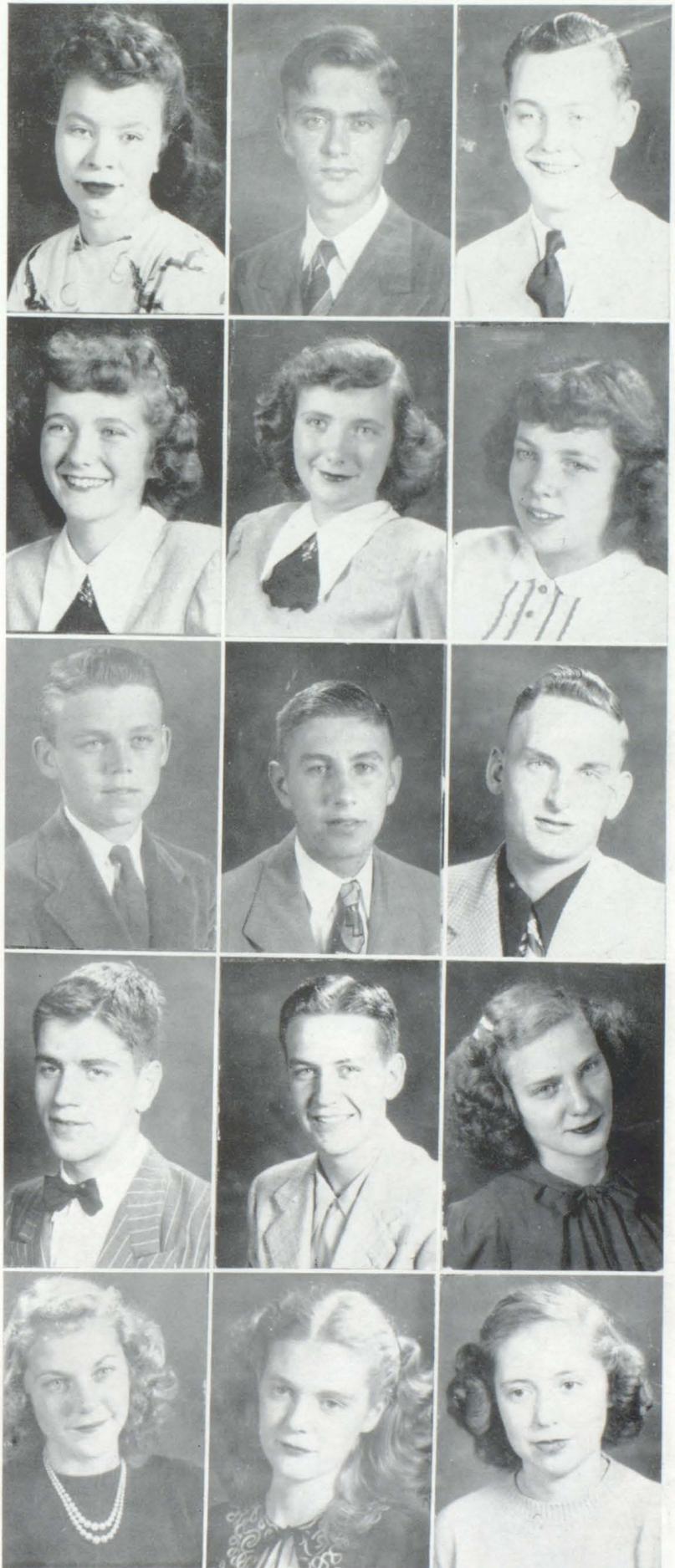
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Sunshine Society
Bocsters' Club
Latin Club

GLORIA GILMORE
Dramatic Club
Crescent
Spanish Club
National Honor Society
Band

Junior Class Officer
Student Council
Panther Den
Secretary, 1947
Program Committee

BETTY GREEN
Sunshine Society
Dramatic Club
G. A. A.
Girls' Glee Club

RITA GROSS
Sunshine Society
Boosters' Club
Latin Club



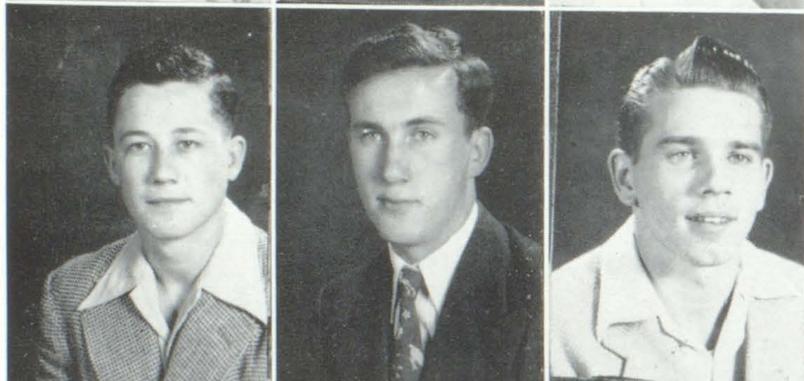
SENIORS



JACQUELINE GUARD
 Dramatic Club
 Boosters' Club
 Crescent
 Glee Club
 G. A. A.
 Mixed Chorus
 Junior Class Play
 Art Club

CHARLES HASECUSTF?
 Crescent
 Latin Club
 Band

BETTY HEATON
 Sunshine Society
 G. A. A.
 Mixed Chorus



ROBERT HEFLIN
 Usher
 Mixed Chorus
 Track
 Basketball
 Glee Club

ELTON HENDERSON
 Junior Class Play
 Band
 Basketball
 Mixed Chorus
 Dramatic Club
 Track

JACK HERSHEY
 Basketball
 Track
 Glee Club
 Chorus



PHYLLIS HIATT
 Dramatic Club
 Crescent
 Spanish Club
 Band
 Orchestra
 Junior Class Play
 Senior Class Play
 Mixed Chorus

WILLIAM HOCKER
 Varsity Football
 Basketball
 E-Men's Club
 Track

AMELIA
 HOLLINGSWORTH
 Senior Class Play
 Megaphone
 Debate



PAUL HOOVER
 Intramural Basketball

EVELYN HUGHES
 Sunshine Society
 G. A. A.
 Chorus
 Home Room Officer

JACK HUTCHESON
 Chorus
 Basketball
 Track
 Usher
 Voc. Ag. Basketball



JOHN HUTCHESON
 Chorus
 Usher
 Basketball

BARBARA HUTCHESON
 Art Club
 Megaphone
 G. A. A.
 Boosters' Club

BILLIE HOLLIDAY
 Mixed Chorus
 Dramatic Club

SENIORS

PAULINE JORDAN
Home Room Officer
Pep Committee
Spanish Club
G. A. A.
Booster's Club

FRANCES KELLY
Home Room Officer
Sunshine Society

HARLAN KIDDY
Projection Club



MARCELLA KOONS
Sunshine Society
Trays and Buckets
G. A. A.

SHIRLEY KREBS
President Sunshine Society

SCOTT LASLEY
President E-Men's Club
Varsity Football
Band Officer
Intramural Basketball



HARRY LIVENGOOD
Junior Class President
Varsity Football
E-Men's Club
Track
Intramural Basketball

WANDA LEWELLEN
Library Assistant
Sunshine Society
Crescent
G. A. A.
Band

BILL LYNAS
Voc. Ag. Basketball
Voc. Ag. Judging
Junior-Senior Prom
Home Room Officer
Chorus
Usher



DOLORES McCAN
Junior Class Play
Home Room Officer
National Honor Society
Dramatic Club
Crescent
Art Club

GERTRUDE McCARTHY
Sunshine Society
Boosters' Club
G. A. A.

HAROLD McELFRESH
Boy's Glee Club
Projection Room
Mixed Chorus
Dramatics Club



ROSEMARY McELWEE
Trays and Buckets

RICHARD McQUITTY
Junior-Senior Prom
Track

BEVERLY MILLER
Sunshine Society
Pep Committee



SENIORS



REX MOODY
Spanish Club

BETTY MORRIS
National Honor Society
Junior Class Play
Senior Class Play
Girls' Glee Club
Dramatics
Crescent

WILLIAM MOSCHELL
Student Council



JACK PARKER
Voc. Ag. Basketball
Varsity Football
Student Council
E-Men's Club

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Debate
Ushers

MARTHA PARR
Senior Class Play
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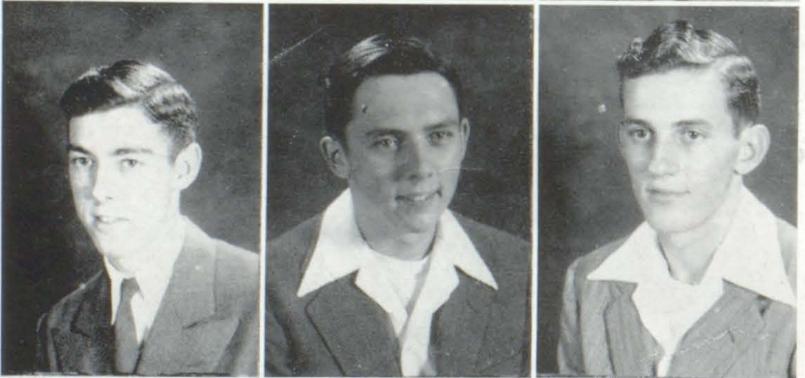
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Mixed Chorus
Spanish Club
Booster Club
Dramatics



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Debate

MARY PERRY
Sunshine Society
Orchestra
Band

DAVID PETERS
Intramural Basketball
Varsity Football
E-Men's Club
Track



JIM POOLE
Projection Club
Boy's Glee Club

RICHARD ROBBINS
E-Men's Club

MAURICE ROBERTSON
Freshman Basketball
Student Council
E-Men's Club



BETTY ROCKHILL
Sunshine Society
Girl's Glee Club
Orchestra
Band

MARY ROTT
Girl's Glee Club
Sunshine Society

LARNED RUNNELS
Crescent
Dramatics
Debate
G. A. A.

SENIORS

MARY SCHUCK
Sunshine Society
Girl's Glee Club
Booster's Club
Latin Club

JACK SCOTT

Home Room Officer
Senior Class Officer
Projection Club
E-Men's Club
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Track
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JOE SEIBOLD
Pep Committee
Intra-Mural
Megaphone
Football
Track

JACK SHAFFNER
Senior Class Officer
Home Room Officer
E-Men's Club
Basketball
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Senior Class Play
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G. A. A.

RICHARD SIVERT
Student Council
Senior Class Play
Projection Club
Dramatics Club
Crescent

LOIS SLAYTON
Girl's Glee Club
Booster's Club
Mixed Chorus
President, G. A. A.

CAROL SOUTHERN
Home Room Officer
Girl's Glee Club
Junior Class Play
Megaphone

THOMAS STRIKER
Junior Class Play

JOAN STONE
National Honor Society
Senior Class Officer
Home Room Officer
Student Council
Spanish Club
Orchestra
Crescent
Debate

JACK STURM
Intramural Basketball

MAX SUMMERS
Home Room Officer
Boy's Glee Club
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E-Men's Club
Crescent
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LEDA TANZILLI
Sunshine Society
Booster's Club
Latin Club

DARLE LOU TRANBARGER
Junior Class Play
Senior Class Play
Sunshine Society
Program Committee
Girl's Glee Club
Latin Club
Orchestra
Dramatics
Band

FRED TYNER
Boy's Glee Club
Ag.-Intramural
Ushers
Track



SENIORS



HARVEY WARNER
Home Room Officer
Boy's Glee Club
Football
Band

PATRICIA WARNER
G. A. A.

CHARLOTTE WAYMIRE
National Honor Society
Home Room Officer
Megaphone
Latin Club
Orchestra
Debate
Band



BENNIE WELLS
Football

ANNA WHALEN
Sunshine Society

ROBERT WHEATLEY
Home Room Officer
E-Men's Club
Football



JAMES WHISLER
Boy's Glee Club
Projection Club
Chorus
Ushers

AVA LEE WISLER
National Honor Society
Senior Class Play
Band Officer
Booster's Club
Latin Club
Crescent

JERRY BUCCI



BERDINA CAMPBELL
Sunshine Society
Dramatics Club
Spanish Club
Band

BETTY ERDMAN
Home Room Officer
Spanish Club
Band

EVELYN FRANKLIN
Orchestra
Crescent
Chorus



JOAN COTTON
Home Room Officer
National Honor Society
Latin
Debate

CATHERINE DAVIES
Senior Class Play
Sunshine Society
Spanish Club
Booster's Club
Megaphone
Pep Committee
Dramatics

VELMA HAAS
Sunshine Society
Student Council



ALICE
HUNTSINGER

Pres. Student
Council
Orchestra
Megaphone
Band

FLOYD
SCHIMMEL

PHYLLIS
SIZELOVE

Girl's Glee Club
Boosters Club
G. A. A.

And now we seniors—new diplomas in our hands—must leave. Our hearts, however, are not happy and light as one might suppose. The thought of leaving our friends—students and teachers—to launch ourselves into this troublesome world of today is almost frightening. But we know we can handle the situation. So we must go. Wish us luck



MADEENA
WALKER

NORMAN
McGRAW
Spanish Club
Chorus



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JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

DICK BRENNER, PRESIDENT

MARILYN STOKER, SECRETARY

KAY GIBBONS, VICE-PRESIDENT

DAVID PACE, TREASURER

JUNIOR CLASS

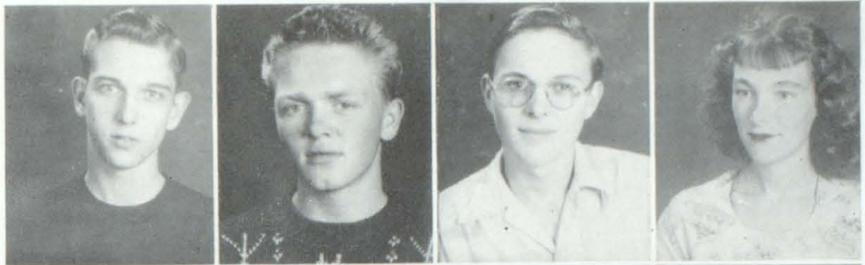
The juniors have been well represented in all the school activities this year. In the football and basketball lineups several junior boys were to be found. In the bleachers, the girls of the class were important members of the cheering section of the Boosters' Club. Not only were juniors prominent in athletics, but in all the other school clubs and organizations.

The junior-senior prom and the class play were new experiences for the class members, and wearing the class rings and sweaters was a high light of the year. Along scholastic lines we find several juniors have attained the distinction of being selected as probationary members of the National Honor Society.

Even though this year has been an important and memorable one, all the juniors are eagerly looking forward to a senior year of accomplishment.

JUNIORS

FLOYD ABERNATHY
 DICK ADAIR
 LOWELL ALEXANDER
 BEATRICE ARNOLD



MARILYN AUSTIN
 CLEMENCE BAKER
 FRANK BANNON
 BARBARA BAXTER



DON BOHLANDER
 MARY BORING
 KENNETH BOURUFF
 EUGENE BORUFF



LOREN BOYER
 RICHARD BRENNER
 JACK BREWER
 AMBERS BRIGHT



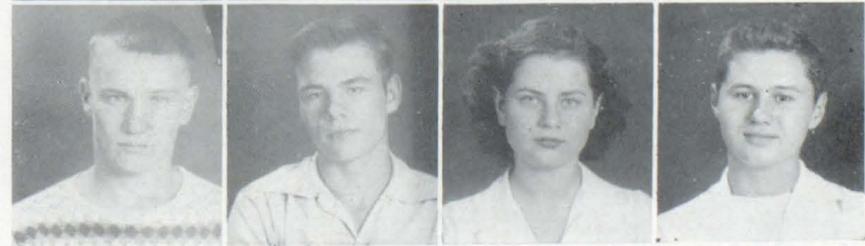
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 JOHNNY CARROLL
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 DORIS CHAMPION



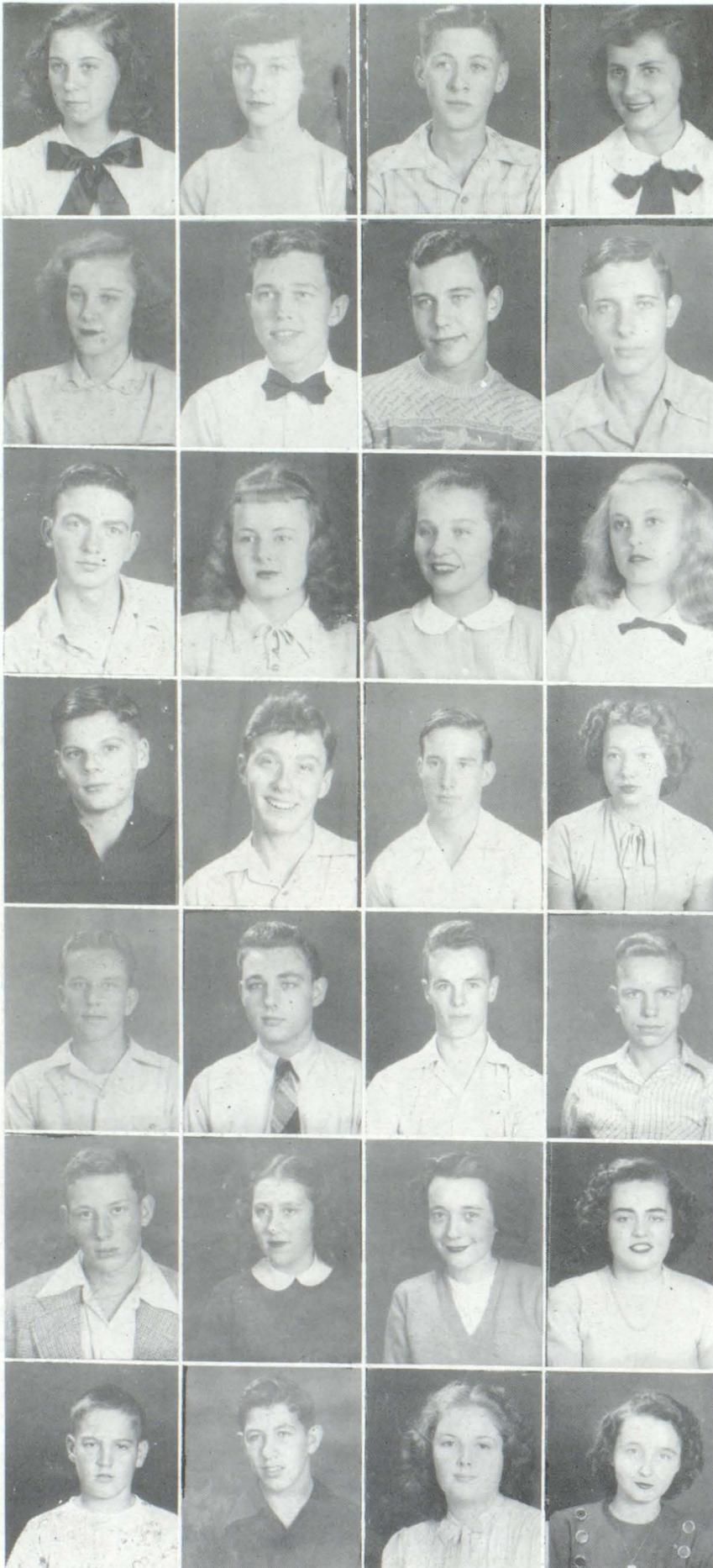
RICHARD CLINE
 PHYLLIS CLOUD
 NANCY CLYDE
 GENE CLYMER



BILL COLLINS
 JOHN CONWELL
 MARIANNE CONWELL
 LESLIE COURTNEY



JUNIORS



MARY CUNNINGHAM
 MARILYN DARROW
 LEON DAVENPORT
 MARILYN DAVIES

MARILYN DOVERSBERGER
 WILFRED DUDLEY
 WILLIS FERN
 RICHARD FISH

RICHARD FRENCH
 JOYCE GARDNER
 KAY GIBBONS
 CAROLYN GILL

LOUIS GILLESPIE
 JACK GIPSON
 EDMAN GOODRICH
 DOROTHY GOOTEE

JACK GRAHAM
 GEORGE GREEN
 RICHARD GREEN
 BILL GROOVER

JAMES N. HAMILTON
 JOYCE HANNAH
 ELAINE HARBIT
 JULIA ELLEN HARBIT

BILL HARRIS
 GENE HARRISON
 MARY HARTING
 ROBERTA HARVEY

JUNIORS

VIRGINIA HAYNES
 MAXINE HEATER
 FRED HENDERSON
 JIM HENNEGAN



VERNA HIGH
 LOWENE HINDS
 HENRY HOLLENSBE
 CAROLYN HOOD



OTIS HOPPENRATH
 DUANE HUNT
 KENNETH JARRETT
 MARY JOHNS



CAROLINE JONES
 THOMAS JONES
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 RAYMOND KELLER



JIM LASLEY
 TOM LEATHERS
 DAVID LEESON
 JANET LEGG



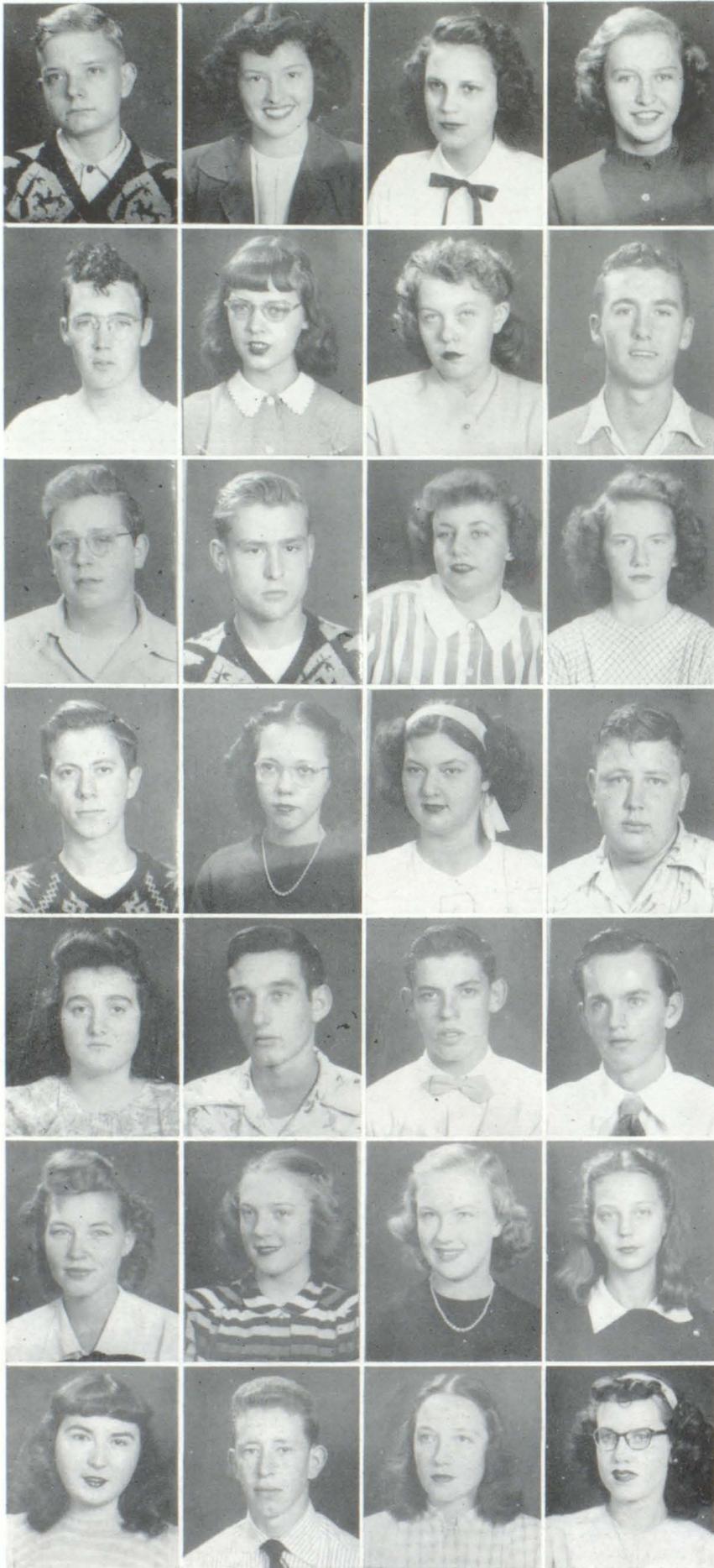
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 JOYCE LOCKE
 MARLENE LOER
 JOHN LOWDER



JAMES MARLEY
 EDWARD MILLER
 FRANK MILLER
 WILLIAM MILLER



JUNIORS



RAYMOND MONROE
 EVONNE McCALL
 JOREEN McCORKLE
 VIRGINIA McCORKLE

HAROLD McGUIRE
 DORIS McNEELY
 ETHEL McWILLIAMS
 HENRY NICKEL

ROSS NOBLE
 RICHARD O'BRIEN
 PHYLLIS OWEN
 JOAN OWENS

DAVID PACE
 CHARLINE PIERCE
 FLORA PUTERBAUGH
 DONALD QUARLES

FLORENCE QUICK
 VERLIN QUICK
 ROBERT REBUCK
 JAMES REED

DORCAS RICH
 JOAN SAMS
 DOLORES SATTLER
 OPAL SHAW

GLORIA SCHUCK
 VERNARD SKINNER
 JUDITH SLOAN
 NORAMAE SMITH

JUNIORS

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RICHARD SQUIER
KENNETH STAGE



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JACK STRANGWAY
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JOE WEBB
ANNA WERLINE
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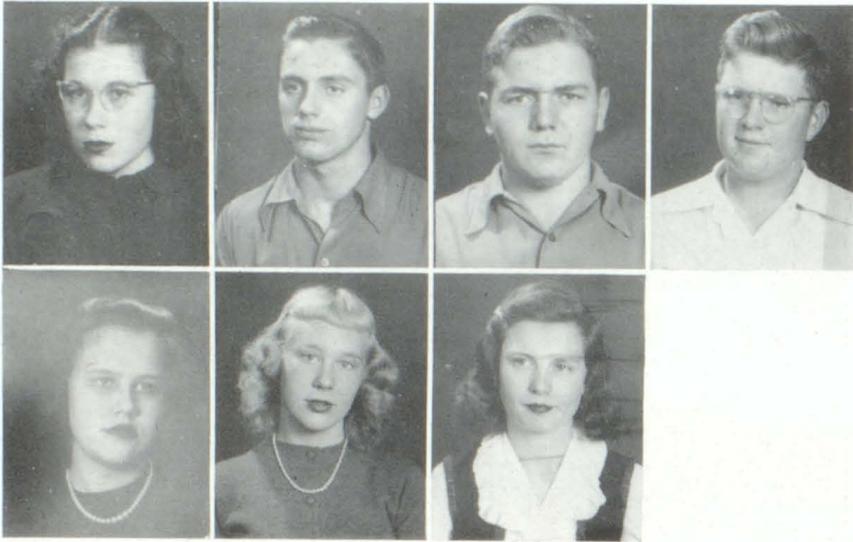
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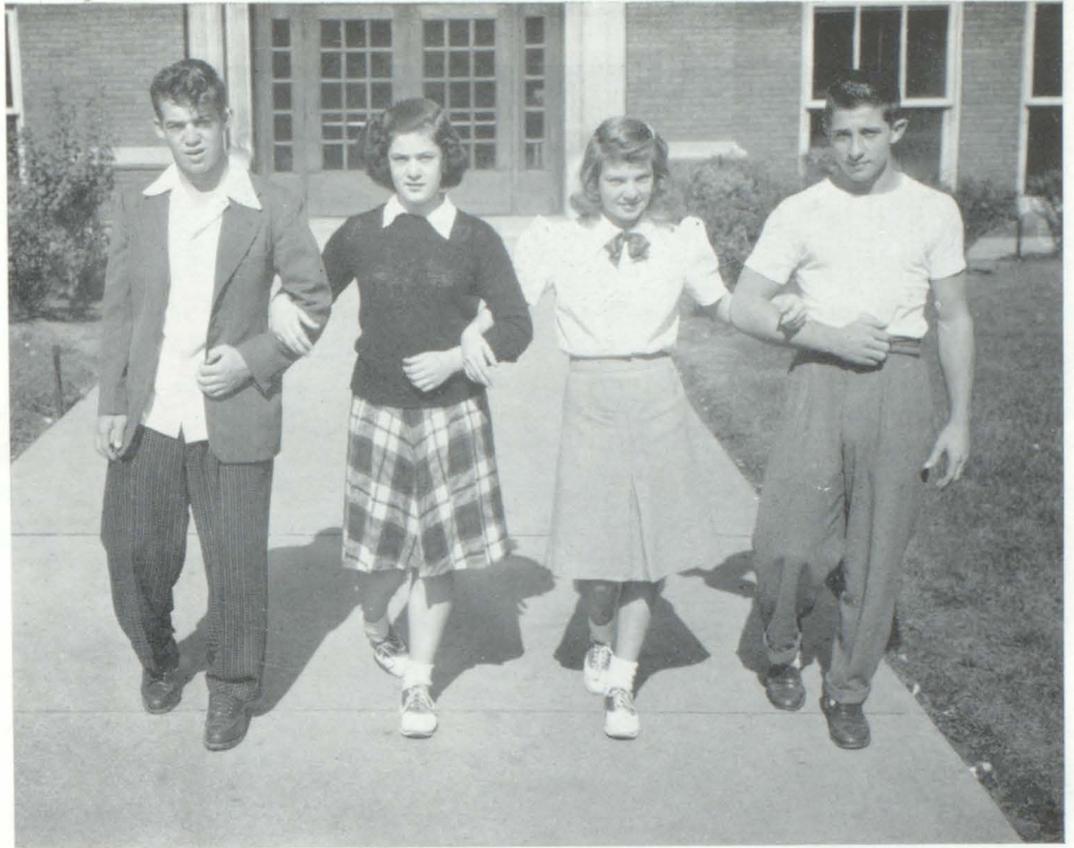
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S O P H O M O R E S



JIM ACRES, PRESIDENT
MARTHA DAVIES, TREASURER
BARBARA SKILLMAN, SECRETARY
DON KANE, VICE-PRESIDENT

SOPHOMORE CLASS

We are sophomores now and have turned the first corner of our high school career. As freshmen we were the ones to be picked on, but now we have left all that behind. We are the ones who delight in misleading this year's freshmen. We really don't want them to get a bad start, so we hope that our class will set a good example for them to follow.

Until a few years ago sophomores were not even included in the class organization of our high school, but they now hold a prominent place. The first election of class officers is held in the sophomore year. We hope to perform the expected duties and make this school year one of the best for ourselves and the rest of the student body.

SOPHOMORES



JAMES ACRES
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 HALFORD BAKER

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 DICK BEACH
 CLARA BEEMAN
 JAMES BORUFF

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 RICHARD BRADLEY
 JEAN ANN BROYLES
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 DIXIE COLLINS
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DAVID COPHER
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SOPHOMORES

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 JAMES FETTIG
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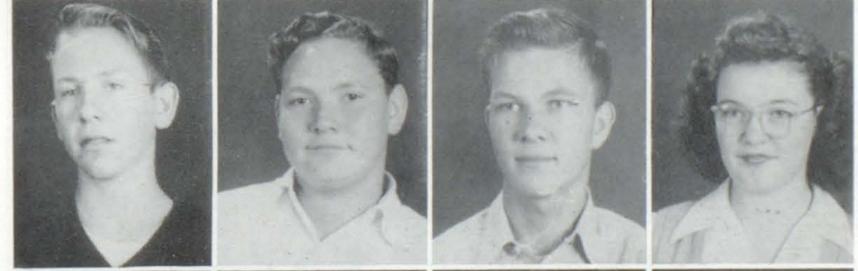
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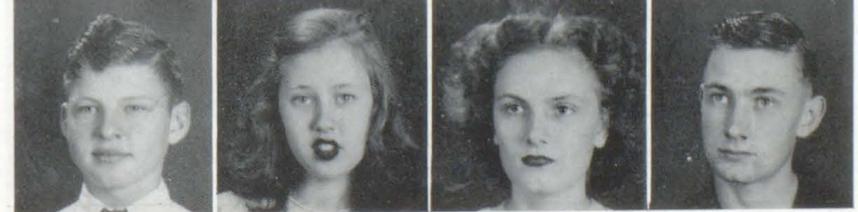
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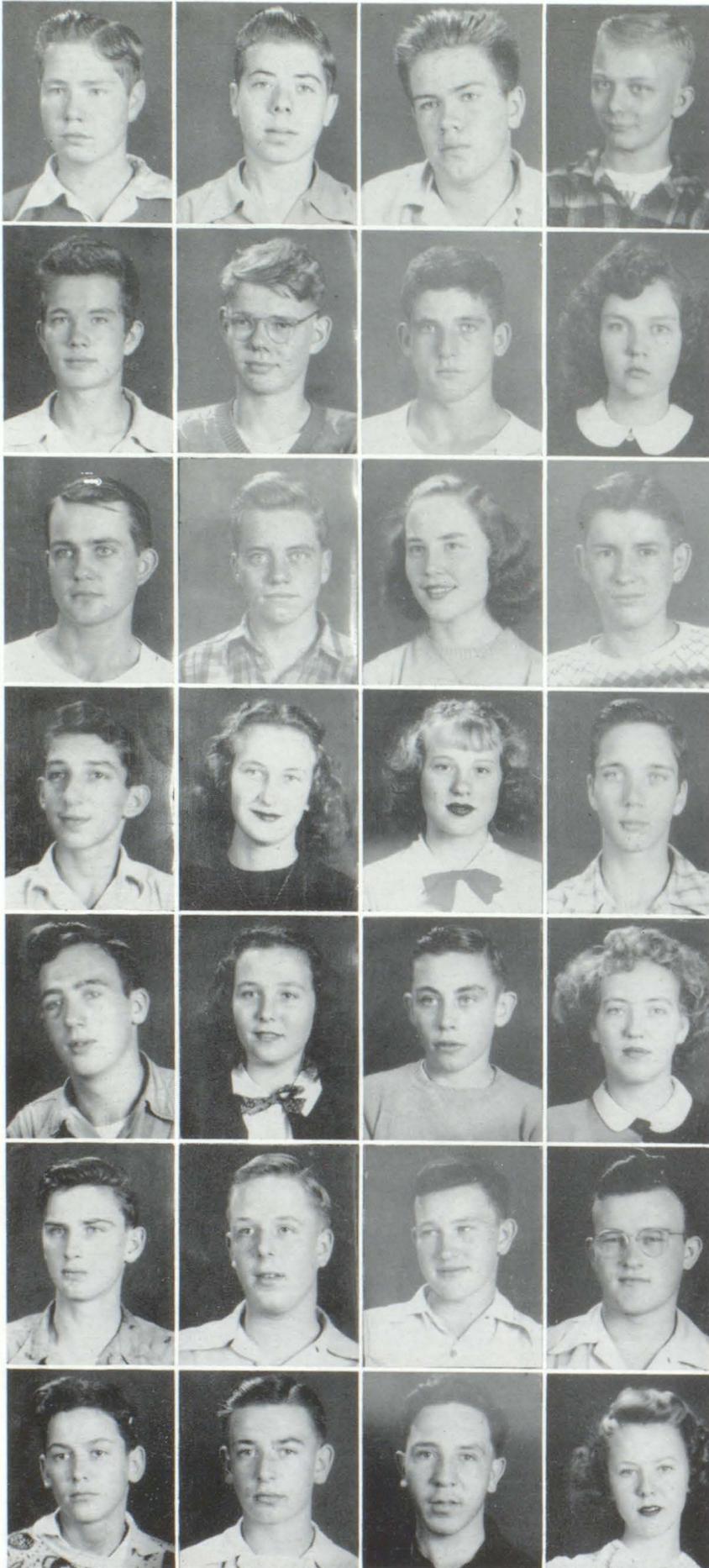
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SOPHOMORES



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 JERRY KARCH

GROVER KELLEY
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 JOAN MOODY
 PATRICIA MURPHY
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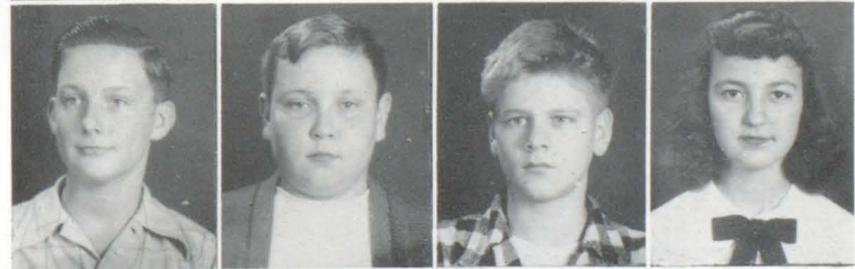
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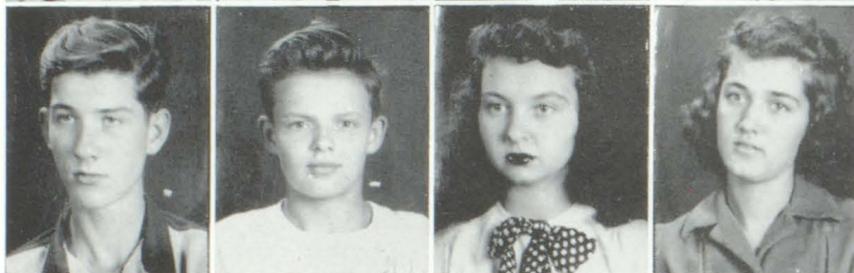
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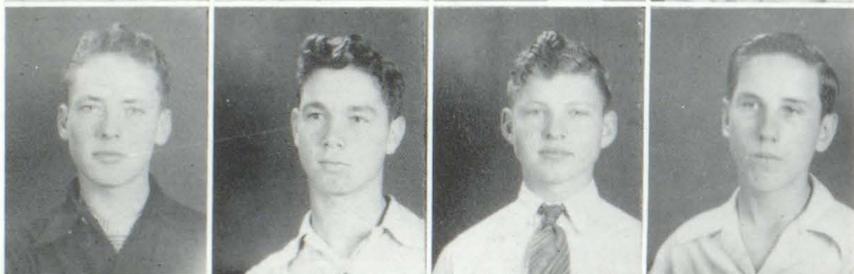
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A Sophomore's Point of View

Seniors! Last year when I was one of those poor lost souls called freshmen, I regarded seniors as a sort of monster. This year I know them as elated persons who parade around using self descriptive adjectives such as "almighty," "dynamic," and "all-powerful." They're really not so bad though. But as for senior cords, those things!! Still the seniors are really proud of them. I wonder why. Some of them are covered with writing and pictures and look as though they've never been washed—principally because they haven't. Another thing about seniors, if you look closely, you can see little dollar signs shining out of the corners of their eyes. They're always asking you to buy something; a dollar for this, two dollars for that. Poor money-mad souls.

As for the juniors, I'll make it short and not too sweet. They seem to think they're even better than the seniors—if that's possible. From the end of May to the beginning of September, they change into completely new individuals. When you were a freshman, they knew you; now they have to get acquainted all over again. I wonder why they chose red for their color. Could it be to attract attention?

All I have to say for the freshmen is that the green they wear so often goes well with their complexions.

Fanfare!! The sophomores—we are a very brilliant, talented, and skillful group of individuals. Our cords are red and blue. The blue is because of our demureness in spite of our ability. The red to keep unthinking people from overlooking us. There are in our midst many wonderful people—heroic football and basketball players—future state champions, brilliant intellectuals, talented artists, etc.

We have come through half of our high school years. We, of course, look forward to being upper classmen; however these first years have not been idle ones. You have heard a lot from us and you will hear more.

This has been my opinion of the other classmen. What do you think of us? Or should I ask?

William Stone



F R E S H M E N



FRESHMAN REPRESENTATIVES

MARY LOU SCIRCLE, TOMMY HAINES, PAT VANGETS

FRESHMEN CLASS

The freshmen sponsors this year are Mr. Forney, Mrs. Jones, Miss Koons, Mr. Bridges, and Miss Barnes.

No school could get along without its freshmen. Even though they don't have any class officers and aren't always accustomed to the ways of the school, they are certainly a vital part. The freshmen are always helped by the upper classmen who are so eager to show them where to go. Before long, though, the freshmen become wise to the helpful hints and begin to look forward to the day when they can help some other freshmen.

The remodeling of the Panther Den prevented the Student Council from having a welcoming party for the freshmen, so we would like to take this opportunity at the end of the year to say, "Welcome freshmen and good luck in your coming sophomore year."

FRESHMEN

CARROLL ALEXANDER
 JANET ANDERSON
 ELIZABETH ARNOLD
 MARGARET ARNOLD



MARY ASHWILL
 JERRY AULT
 EUNADINE BALDWIN
 SALLY BANNON



FLOYD BARNES
 REX BEACH
 MAX BEEMAN
 EMMA BENNETT



BARBARA BERGEMANM
 SHIRLEY BIDDLE
 BETTY BITNER
 NORMA BREECE



JOSEPH BREWER
 CAROLYN BROWN
 CLIFTON BURTON
 RALPH CALDWELL



EMMA CARLILE
 CAROL CARPENTER
 HAROLD CASTOR
 PHILLIP CHAMPION



JANE COLLINS
 LAWRENCE COPPOCK
 RICHARD COSTON
 CAROL COTTON



FRESHMEN



ELBERT COTTON
 ROBERT CROCKETT
 RUTH DAUGHERTY
 LUELLA DAULTON

DAVID DAVIES
 RAY DAVIS
 REVA MAE DAVIS
 MARTHA DEHNER

DAVID DELLINGER
 JAMES DICKEY
 BETTY DOWLING
 MARY DUFFITT

BETTY EVERLING
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 ELIZABETH FETZ
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 GENE GALLATIN
 JACK GALLATIN
 NANCY GARDNER

HAROLD GERARD
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 JILL GIPSON
 RAYMOND GISELBACH

AGNES GLOTZBACH
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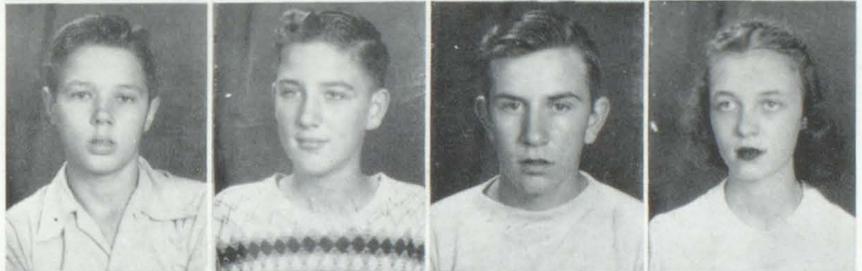
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 RAMONA KNOTTS
 MARY LAUB



FRESHMEN



PATRICIA LASTER
 SARA LEE LEGG
 BILL LEWIS
 THOMAS MANGHELLI



JANE McCARTY
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 JEAN McNEELEY



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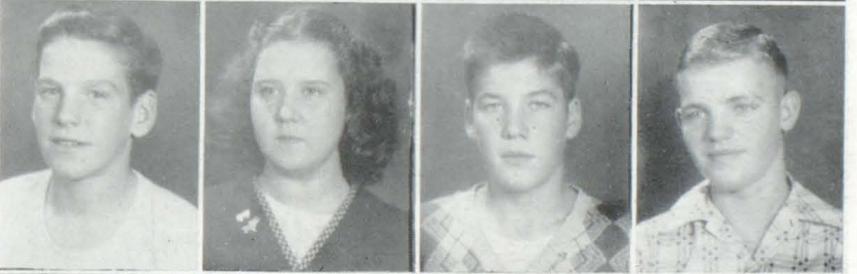
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FRESHMEN



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 MARY LEEVER
 GEORGE NOBLE

BROTHERHOOD

As I bowed my head in prayer, I looked about to see
The people of other races, who were going to pray with me.
Beside me stood a negro, his black hands gently pressed
Against the heart so full of praise, that beat within his breast.
Behind me stood a yellow lad, with slanted eyes upraised,
And looking on the other side, a Hindu I saw there
Her eyes were closed, her head was bowed in silent, fervent prayer.
And then I saw before me a fair haired Swedish maid
The eyes of blue were filled with tears, and we together prayed,—
“Our Father”—

Written by Shirley Donley
at the Cleveland Conference
January 2, 1948



A C T I V I T I E S

What would happen if we didn't have our activities? Without them we would lose some of the foundation of our school. Just think of the many extra-curricular activities with which you are concerned. Think them over slowly in order to realize their true value.

First, there is the Student Council. This is really one organization to which you can be proud to belong. It is the backbone of our school—the seat of democracy in our school.

Then there is the Booster's Club. What would our yelling section do without this loyal group? And have you noticed how pretty the Booster's Club looks?

Also there are the football, track, and basketball teams whom we shouldn't forget. Good participation is always shown in these particular activities.

We give our thanks to the Dramatic and Projection Clubs for keeping us out of that Latin or Algebra class. Of course, those pictures and plays were good, too.

The Megaphone, with representatives from all classes, keeps us in contact with all current events. The Annual helps recall many passing memories of good old times at W. H. S.

Student participation in these and many other organizations not mentioned here promote co-operation and leadership as effective citizenship training.



The Boosters



CRESCENT STAFF

Standing: Joan Stone, Phyllis Owens, Marilyn Stoker, Virginia Haynes, Nancy Clyde, Virgie Dickey
Ava Lee Wisler

Second row standing: Miss Barnes, sponsor, Carolyn Gill, Joyce Locke, Jacqueline Guard, Dolores McCan, Betty Morris, Phyllis Hiatt, Jo Ann Ault, Gloria Gilmore, Editor

Third row seated: Dolores Commons, Evelyn Franklin, Martha Parr, Wanda Lewellen, Mary K. Harting, Mary Perry, Patty Benedict, Beverly Stam, Kay Gibbons

Fourth row seated: Charles Hasecuster, David Pace, Max Summers, Jim Lasley, Don Doty, Dick Squier, Mickey Hennegan, Henry Hollensbe

The Crescent Staff

One of the really difficult jobs that comes up every year is that of preparing the Crescent for publication.

To start the Crescent drive, a program in which all members of the Crescent staff participate is usually presented shortly after school starts in the fall. Then salesmen are assigned to every homeroom, and, from then on until publishing time, the Crescent room is rarely deserted.

The make-up staff must prepare a dummy of the Crescent in order to decide just where all the pictures and articles should go. Then those hundreds of pictures have to be sorted, identified, and put in

the proper places in the dummy by the Picture Staff.

The Literary Editor must decide upon the length of all the articles to be written and assign those articles to the members of the Literary Staff. Those members, in turn, must try to think of something to write before the rapidly approaching deadline. When all those articles are finished and corrected, they are typed exactly as they will appear in the Crescent.

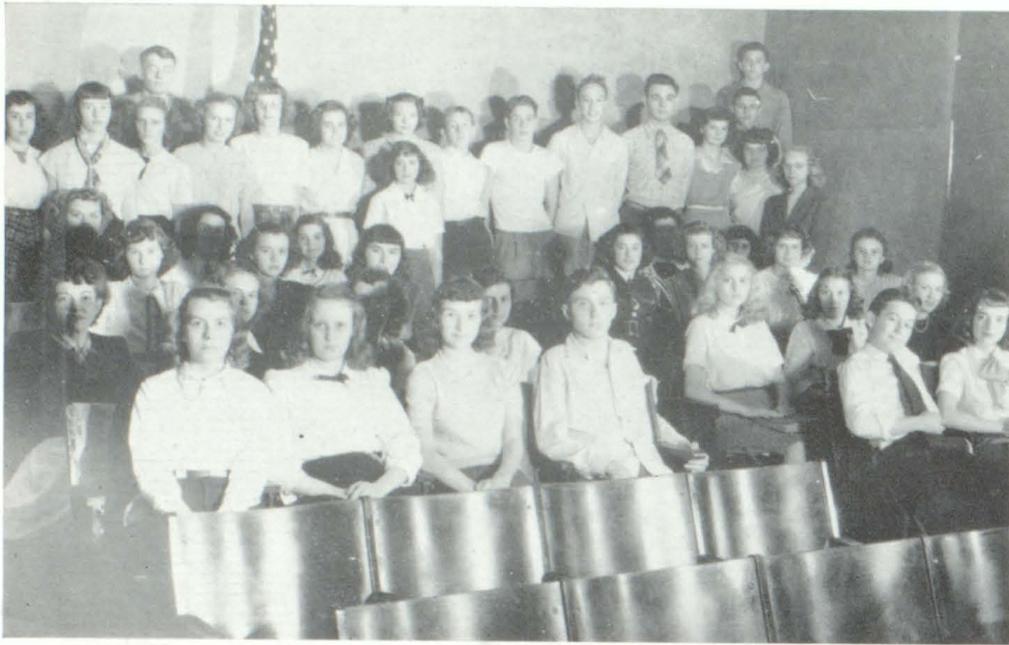
At length this work is completed and the finished model is sent to the publishers. The staff then is able to sit back and know that it is now only a matter of waiting until those nice, new Crescents arrive.

Kay Gibbons, assistant editor
Miss Barnes, sponsor
and
Gloria Gilmore, editor



Standing: Charles Hasecuster, Dolores McCan, Max Summers, Kay Gibbons
Seated: Jo Ann Ault, Miss Barnes, sponsor, Phyllis Hiatt, Betty Morris, Gloria Gilmore, Editor, Virgie Dickey,
Joan Stone, Pat Benedict





Seated left to right: Virginia Haynes, consul, Joyce Locke, Marilyn Darrow, Jack Gipson, consul, Dick Squier, Betty Morris.

Second row seated: Mrs. Jones, sponsor, Doris Champion, Noramae Smith, Marilyn Davies, Carolyn Gill, Joyce Hannah, Dolores Sattler.

Third row seated: Dorothy Woodrum, Margaret Williams, Gloria Schuck, Martha Davies, Margaret Broyles, Jo Ann Cotton, Dolores Commons.

Fourth row seated: Darle Lou Tranbarger, Clarabelle Theobald, Martha Parr, Mary Schuck, Leda Tanzelli.

Standing: Ava Lee Wisler, Marlene Loer, Evelyn Fritz, Charles Hasecuster, Virginia McCorkle, Martha Scircle, Juell Harbit, Rita Gross, Dorothy Gootee, Mickie Hennegan, Robert Clary, John Ward.

Latin Club

The consuls for the Inter Nos Latin Club for this year were Jack Gipson and Virginia Haynes who alternated in presiding over the bi-monthly meetings. The activities of these meetings ranged from contests, songs, and special reports to short plays.

This school year marked the first Latin Week for the local club, high lighted by a formal initiation of new members and a program presented to the student body. This year also marked the affiliation of Inter Nos with the Junior Classical League, a division of the American Classical League.

Each year on Honor Day the club presents awards to three members with outstanding scholastic and achievement records.

Library Assistants

Although the library assistants form no official organization, they are an indispensable group in our high school. Under the direction of Miss Allen, the librarian, these pupils help to keep our library in order and assist in the handling of books and magazines. Each of the students works in the library during his study periods.

Our school library is always a pleasant room in which to study—a room always kept in perfect order and one which contains well-organized shelves of books. Miss Allen and her library assistants are to be highly commended.

Left to right: Bill Dever, Jim Fettig, Johnny Carroll, Harvey Warner, Kathleen Graham, Jack Shaffner, Max Summers, Phil Arnold, Betty Beilhartz, Myrna Lou DeLong, Miss Allen, librarian.





Standing left to right: Jack Parker, Joe Seibold, Jack Gipson, Jerry Ault, Johnny Carroll, Catherine Davies, Norma Breece, Glenda Woods, Second row seated: Judy Sloan, Joyce Hannah, Carol Southern, Louise Bell, Pat Benedict, Amelia Hollingsworth, Mrs. Barr, sponsor, Charlotte Waymire, editor, Alice Huntsinger, Pauline Jordan, Marilyn Darrow, Betty Beilhartz, Barbara Hutchison, Linda Robinson.



Megaphone

The Megaphone, our school paper, has quite an interesting historical background. The need for a school paper was first realized in 1923, a staff was organized, and plans were laid. Aided by teachers, patrons of the school, business men and its sponsor, Mr. Emig, the staff produced in January, 1924, our first school paper, "The Forge." Although it was small, it satisfied its readers not only giving them news of school activities but also other interesting and amusing features, such as a gossip column.

After several years of inactivity, the paper was reorganized in 1941 under the direction of Miss Cynthia Demaree. The first small mimeographed edition of the Megaphone was a far cry from the professional appearing publication we look forward to reading today.

The Megaphone staff is a member of the Indiana High School Press Association and attends press meetings which are held each year at Franklin, Indiana. Under the capable supervision of Mrs. Barr, the sponsor of the Megaphone, the staff is able to produce one of the best school papers in the state of Indiana.

As you know, no school paper is better than the staff behind it. This explains why the Megaphone is outstanding.



JUNIOR
AND
SENIOR
GROUP

Sunshine

The Sunshine Society is such a large organization that it has been divided into two groups, the freshmen and sophomores and the juniors and seniors. These two groups meet on alternate Mondays under the sponsorship of Miss Esther Koons.



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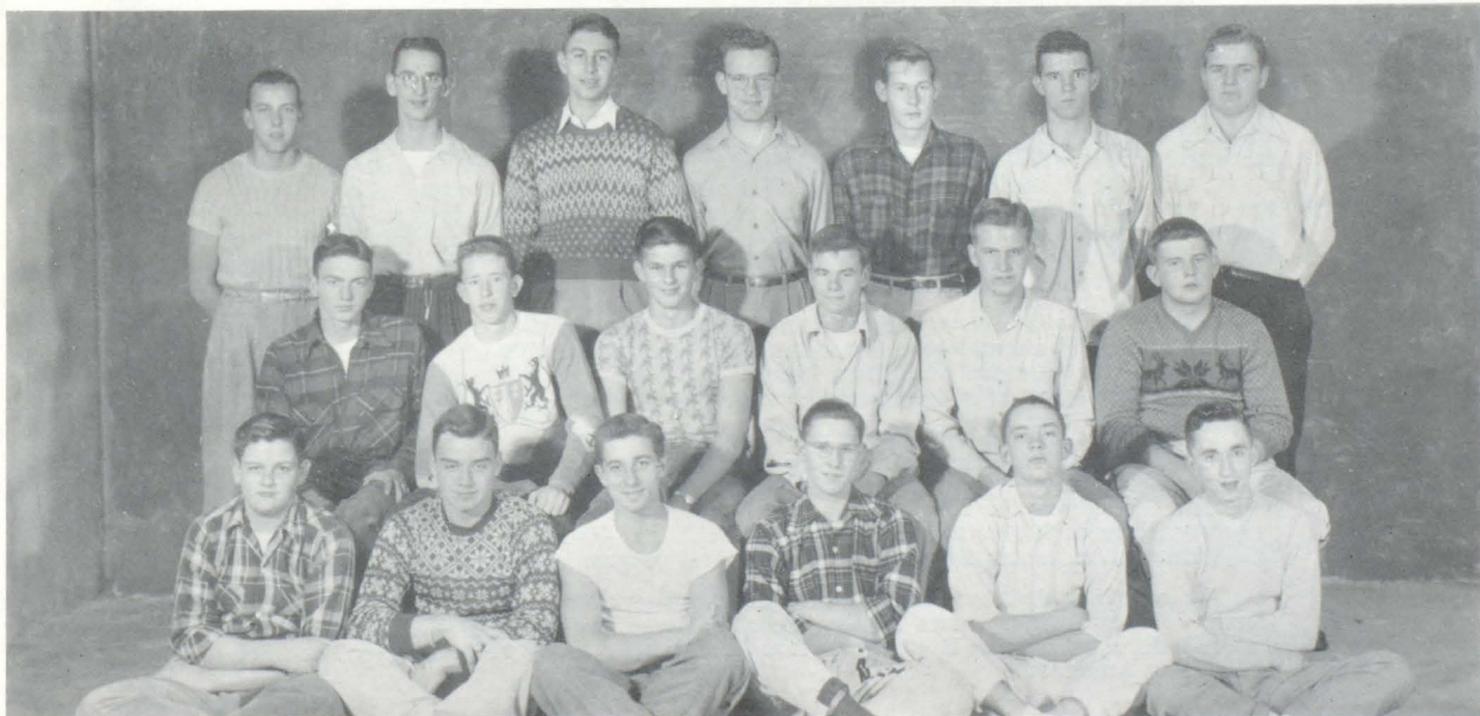
Dramatic Club

The Dramatic Club has again proved itself capable of providing the school with excellent entertainment. Much of its success is due to the leadership of Mr. Brown, the sponsor.

The first play was given before Christmas and three one-act plays were successfully presented during the second semester. The Dramatic Club also assisted in producing the junior and senior class plays.

"E" Men

The E-Men's Club is the representative body of our high school athletes. Since its organization three years ago, it has been the goal of attainment for the football, basketball and track hopefuls. The club, with its roster of thirty-five members, is sponsored by Mr. Ward and presided over by Scott Lasley.





The Senior Class Play

Have you ever wondered what would happen if the man you intended to marry suddenly decided that he didn't want to marry you? That is exactly what happened in the senior's lovable comedy—"The Groom Said No."

The groom, Steve Cameron, had been in World War II and had been treated in a hospital for a leg injury. He could not help but fall in love with a certain nurse by the name of Shirley Anderson, but when he came home, he found to his dismay that he was to be married to Clara Curtis, an old high school flame. What could he do? As he had been in a hospital, he decided to act as if he were a psycho - neurotic. Shirley came to his rescue as his very pert, but alert nurse, and then there was Steve's sister, Patty, who helped their love life along. But also there was his Mother who was very much determined to have Clara, and not Shirley, for a daughter-in-law. We mustn't forget Father who was a good natured, easy-going man with a keen sense of humor. Everything seemed to be very complicated until Ed Smith came and stole Clara away from co-operative Steve. Naturally, there was a happy-ever-after ending.

Some side attractions were a little flirtation between Steve's sister, Virgie, and her boy friend, Willie and Mrs. Sorenson, a determined neighbor, who added comedy to the play. The little girl next door, Mary Alice (who couldn't keep a secret), helped in making this a play to be long remembered.

Although the cast had a great part in making the play a success, there was also the production staff which was made up of many students. The play was given under the excellent direction of Mr. Donald Brown, dramatic coach, and Anita Beckett, assistant. The prompter was Dolores Commons; stage manager, Charles Hasecuster; property, Dolores McCan; costumes, Betty Beilhartz; make-up, Shirley Krebs; publicity, Burvia Anderson; tickets, Joan Stone; and programs, Francis Kelly.

The cast included Ava Lee Wisler, Barbara Shaw, Louise Bell, Amelia Hollingsworth, Jo Ann Ault, Maurice Fettig, Richard Sivert, Catherine Davies, Louis Benedict, Martha Parr, Phyllis Hiatt, Darle Lou Transbarger, Betty Morris, Patty Benedict, and Burvia Anderson.



Back row standing: Mr. Brown, sponsor, James F. Hamilton, Carl Utterbach, Barbara Hutchison, Johnny Carroll, Bill Whitenack, William Stone, Danny Good

Standing: Betty Pietz, Verna Jean Parrill, Joan Cotton, Charlotte Waymire, Amelia Hollingsworth, Kathleen Graham, Myrna DeLong

Speaker: Jack Parker

Debate

The question is "Resolved: That the federal government should require compulsory arbitration of labor disputes in all basic industries."

The season got under way with the Elwood teams going to Ball State Teacher's College and emerging victorious. Both negative and affirmative teams were entered.

On January 3, Jack Parker and Amelia Hollingsworth, negative; Betty Pietz and Charlotte Waymire, affirmative, journeyed to Wabash to win five out of six debates. This was the second straight year in which Elwood teams had won the Wabash tourney.

On January 17, a debate tourney was held in Elwood with 13 teams participating besides our own. Concordia won the tourney—with Elwood teams "A" winning two, losing two, and teams "B" tying for first place.

Several other trips were made by the teams during the school year. Their record has been extremely good.

This year's team is made up of students with two, three or four years in debating. Those students who have debated in the various tourneys are: Betty Pietz, Charlotte Waymire, Jack Parker, Amelia Hollingsworth, Joan Cotton, James Hamilton, Carl Utterbach, Myrna DeLong, William Stone and Jack Gibson.

At the Ball State tournament Joan Cotton and Jack Parker entered the extemporaneous speaking contest. Jack won the rating of excellent and Joan was rated good.

The hopes of these debaters were very high when it came to the sectional, regional, semi-final, and final state debate contests.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Standing left to right: Dolores McCan, Ava Lee Wisler, Noramae Smith, Marilyn Darrow, Joan Cotton, Anita Beckett, Virginia Haynes, Dorothy Woodrum, Clarabelle Theobald, Joan Stone
 Seated left to right: Charlotte Waymire, David Pace, Jack Gipson, Mr. Brown, sponsor, Dick Squier, Gloria Gilmore, Betty Morris.

National Honor Society

The National Honor Society is a scholastic organization recognized throughout the nation. Members are chosen from the upper ten per cent of their class, and membership is based upon four qualities—character, leadership, scholarship and service. Probationary membership is granted to a group of juniors and seniors, but permanent members may be chosen only upon graduation. By honoring worthy students and promoting worthwhile activities, the National Honor Society makes good citizenship and outstanding scholarship in high schools a matter of distinction.

HONOR ROLL

Seated: Alice Huntsinger, Mary Katherine Harting, Joan Stone, Jill Gipson, Dorothy Woodrum, Noramae Smith.

Standing: Larry Noble, John Ward, Anita Beckett, Mary Lou Scircle, Lucy Hubbard, Maurice Fettig, Rex Moody.





STUDENT COUNCIL

Standing:

Lowell Alexander, Pat Phillips, William Lange, Teddy Rowe, Jack Kiphart, George Acres, James Acres, Bill Moschell, David Copher, Charles Dunn, Fred Henderson.

Seated:

Kay Gibbons, Noramae Smith, Velma Haas, Roberta Harvey, Phyllis Walker, Alice Huntsinger, president, Mr. Copeland, sponsor, Max Summers, vice-president, Jo Ann Ault, secretary, David Pace, treasurer, David Dellinger, Jerry Ault, Don Wire.



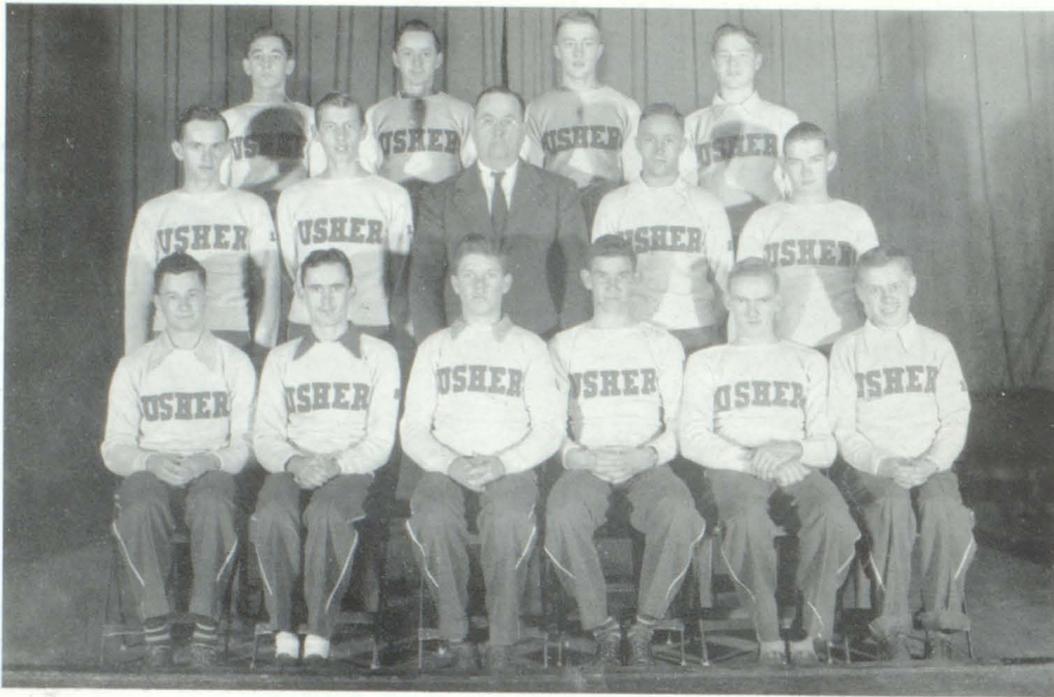
STUDENT COUNCIL

Members for the Student Council, the governing body of the school, are chosen by the members of each home room. The Council meets once a week to discuss all problems which concern the school. Many of the pleasures and privileges we now enjoy in our school were brought about by members of the Student Council through our own suggestions. One fine example of the Student Council's work was getting the Panther Den started. The building of the new cafeteria was also brought about largely through the efforts of the Student Council.

Another duty of the Council is compiling and revising the little book about the high school which proves very valuable to freshmen and to other pupils in selecting a course and in finding out about clubs and awards.

One of the most important annual events is Award Day. This was started by the Student Council. Each year the Council spends several weeks planning and forming committees to find out who receives awards, to arrange the seating of those who will, and to set a date for Award Day.

Each year the members of the Student Council elect a sponsor and Student Council officers. This year the officers were as follows: Alice Huntsinger, president; Max Summers, vice-president; Jo Ann Ault, secretary; and David Pace, treasurer; Mr. Copeland, sponsor.



USHERS

Bottom row seated:

Bob Heflin, Bill Lynas, Fred Tyner, Harold Chriss, Jack Hutcheson, Jim Whisler.

Second row Standing:

Jim Reed, Paul Altherr, Palmer Davis, sponsor, Lowell Ebert, Kenneth Bourff.

Third row standing:

Jack Brewer, Kenneth Jarrett, Charles Wilburn, Donald Hughes.

USHERS' CLUB

The Ushers' Club was organized by Mr. Davis eleven years ago to serve as guides and information centers during home basketball games. Fred Tyner has acted as head usher of this efficient group the past year.

PEP COMMITTEE

The Pep Committee was organized for the purpose of creating new yells and planning the school's pep sessions.

In contrast to the former plan of having only six members on the committee this year a representative from each home room and the four yell leaders make up the committee.

PEP COMMITTEE

Back row:

David Peters, Joe Seibold, Danny Green, David Davies, Bob Clary.

Third row:

Elaine Harbit, Kay Gibbons, Janice Henderson, Joan Lewis, Verna Mae High, Betty Pietz.

Second row:

Amelia Hollingsworth, Gertrude McCarthy, Carolyn Hood, Pauline Jordan, Catherine Davies, Pat Benedict.

Front row:

Bill Dever, John Carroll, Joe Brewer, Dick Robbins, James Acres.





SPANISH CLUB

Standing:

Rex Moody, Norman McGraw, Dick Sivert, Bill Waymire, Ray Jackson, David Copher, Charles Dunn, William Stone, Tommy Hubbard.

Seated third row:

Catherine Davies, Jo Ann Cotton, Anita Beckett, Mrs. Records, Mary Frances Cain, Pat Benedict.

Seated second row:

Betty Erdman, Pauline Jordan, Barbara Skillman, Helen Joyce Tyner, Verna Jean Parrill, Joan Stone.

Seated first row:

Birdena Campbell, Phyllis Hiatt, president, Gloria Gilmore, secretary, Louise Bell, treasurer, Larry Noble, vice-president.

THE SPANISH CLUB

A new club, the Spanish Club, has been added to our organizations. The purposes of the Spanish Club are: the practice of Spanish, the study of Spanish customs—especially those of Latin America, the study of various aspects of the culture of Spain and Latin America, and the promotion of friendship with Spanish-speaking peoples. Some of the members are now corresponding with students of Latin American countries.

The club is sponsored by Mrs. Records, who has taught Spanish to each of the members. This year the officers were: president, Phyllis Hiatt; vice-president, Larry Noble; secretary, Gloria Gilmore; and treasurer, Louise Bell.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

The program committee scanned countless entertainment advertisements to select

the best so that our auditorium programs might always be interesting and enjoyable. This committee selected entertainment of the highest and finest type. The programs which they chose for the student body this year were the kind that they thought everyone would enjoy.

"The Roamers," a group of four talented vocalists, sang music representing a cross-country tour of America. Jack's Xylophone Band not only presented unusual musical entertainment, but also many talented entertainers.

The Latin Club and the Spanish Club each presented an appropriate program. Mr. Hazard, the Canadian artist, fascinated us all. Our frequent Chapel programs were all very beautiful and impressive. The public speaking classes gave two sparkling programs. An unexpected magician enthralled the auditorium. A fine Awards Day program climaxed the term.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Darle Lou Tranbarger
Johnny Carroll
Mrs. Records
Tommy Hubbard
Mr. Smith





ART CLUB

Standing:

Mrs. Sowers, sponsor, Dolores McCan, Beverly Balser, Clara Jean Beaman, Burvia Anderson, Clifford Conard, Irene Dellinger.

Seated:

Virginia Bouslog, Lois Slayton, Barbara Hutchison, Betty Beilhartz, Pat Benedict, Ilene Dellinger, Jacqueline Guard.

THE ART CLUB

The art club is a new organization in W. H. S. this year. It was organized by Jacqueline Guard and Barbara Hutchison under the leadership of Mrs. Sowers, the art teacher. Alpha Rho Tau, the Greek letters which spell art, was selected as the club's name.

This club was organized for those art students interested in outside art work, such as contest entries and visits to different exhibits. The club also has plans for bringing traveling exhibits to our high school.

Officers of Alpha Rho Tau are:

President: Jacqueline Guard
 Vice-President: Barbara Hutchison
 Secretary: Patricia Benedict
 Treasurer: Betty Beilhartz
 Business Manager: Roland Brown

MRS. SOWERS
 THIRD PERIOD
 ART CLASS



PROJECTION CLUB

First row seated: Max McCorkle, Larry Noble, Ross Noble, James Webb.

Second row: James Poole, Harlan Kiddey, Tom Leathers, Jim Hamilton.

Third row: Carl Utterbach, Danny Good, Philip Champion, John Holliday, Ralph Scott.

Fourth row: Johnny Baden, James Whisler, Kenneth Jarrett, Mr. Smith, sponsor, William Stone.

Fifth row standing: Richard Sivert, Richard Squier, Bill Lange, Edmund Goodrich, Jim Lasley, Verlin Quick, Charles Wilburn.



PROJECTION CLUB

The Projection Club, under the direction of Mr. Smith, meets once a week in the projection room to assign a visual education film to all operators who desire to show one. This organization is also responsible for the public address system which is used at all of our home football and basketball games.

The officers of the club are Verlin Quick and Jim Lasley.

TRAYS AND BUCKETS

This organization is important, at least for the enjoyment of basketball fans. In addition to providing refreshments at home games, this group strives to develop executive ability, sales ability, and cooperative spirit among the members and to do anything to promote the best interest of the school.

The present officers are: Rosemary McElwee, president and chairman of the sellers; Beverly Mort, secretary; William McGuire, manager; Bob McQuitty, assistant manager; and Miss Digel, sponsor.



TRAYS AND BUCKETS

Kneeling left to right:
Joan Rockhill, Jean McNeely, Doris McNeely, Dortheia Snipe, Vera Ebert, Ethel McWilliams, Beverly Mort.

Second row:
Bob McQuitty, Bill McGuire, Miss Digel, sponsor, Rosemary McElwee, Edward Miller, Jerry Taylor, Fred Miller.



ORCHESTRA

First row: Mr. Brugger, Director, Anita Beckett, Joan Stone, Pat Fihe, Nancy Holtsclaw, Marilyn Darrow, Phyllis Hiatt.
 Second row: Jane McCarty, Evelyn Franklin, Richard French, David Copher, Alice Huntsinger, Nancy Clyde.
 Third row: Jack Gipson, Betty Rockhill, Virginia Haynes, Joan Moody, Darle Lou Tranbarger, Charlotte Waymire
 Fourth row: Bill Waymire, Janice Henderson, Marilyn Henderson, David Pace, Jo Ann Ault, Henry Hollensbe
 Fifth row: Willis Frye, Richard Squier

ORCHESTRA

The high school orchestra is the oldest of all the divisions of our music department. During its many years of existence, it has grown into the fine organization which is now ably directed by Mr. Clifford Brugger. Much of the success of the orchestra is due to the efforts of Mrs. Zimmerman, the instructor for stringed instruments.

The orchestra furnishes music for the junior and senior plays, and for the past few years has played for commencement. It has also become a factor in the community, its members having appeared on various programs sponsored by civic groups.

Through its willingness to serve both the school and the public the orchestra has gained the appreciation it well deserves.



FIFTH PERIOD
LABORATORY
CLASS
IN CHORAL MUSIC



MIXED
CHORUS



SIXTH PERIOD
LABORATORY
CLASS IN
CHORAL MUSIC



BAND

Our high school band was first organized in 1921 with Mr. Robert Burt as director. From that time until the present the band has been an important part of our school life. For the past two years the band has been directed by Mr. Clifford Brugger.

A new attraction, the twirlers who have performed at football and basketball games and in public parades, has been added to the band. These six girls have become skillful in the art of twirling.

During both the football and basketball seasons the band plays at all of the games, working up various formations and playing additional selections during the intermissions and after the game. Wherever it plays the band adds greatly to the spirit of the occasion.



TWIRLERS

Joan Moody
 Martha Dehner
 Marilyn Darrow
 Jo Ann Ault, Majorette
 Pat Vangets
 Mary Lou Scircle
 Linda Robinson



BAND OFFICERS

Standing: Jo Ann Ault, Charlotte Waymire, Virginia Haynes, Charles Hasecuster, Darle Lou Tranbarger, Jack Scott
Seated: Scott Lasley, Marilyn Darrow, Gloria Gilmore, Ava Lee Wisler, Phyllis Hiatt





A T H L E T I C S



COACHES

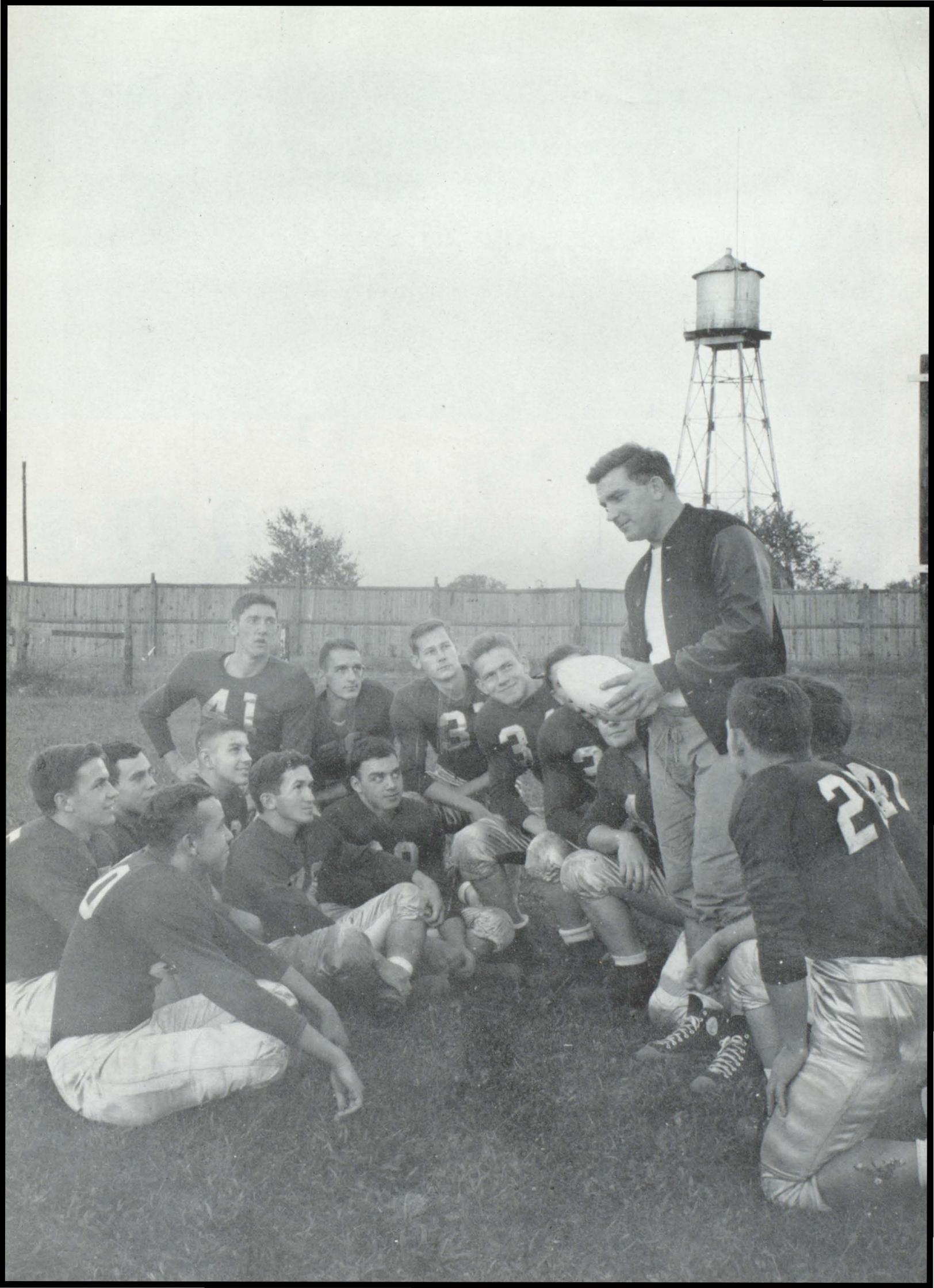
Seated: Frank Bykowski—Head Football Coach; John Ward—Head Basketball Coach
Standing: Harry Bridges and Maurice Patterson, Assistants

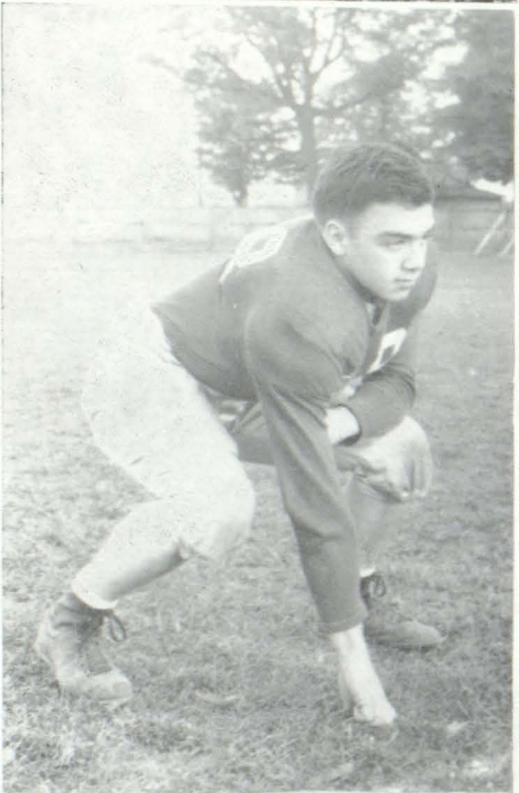
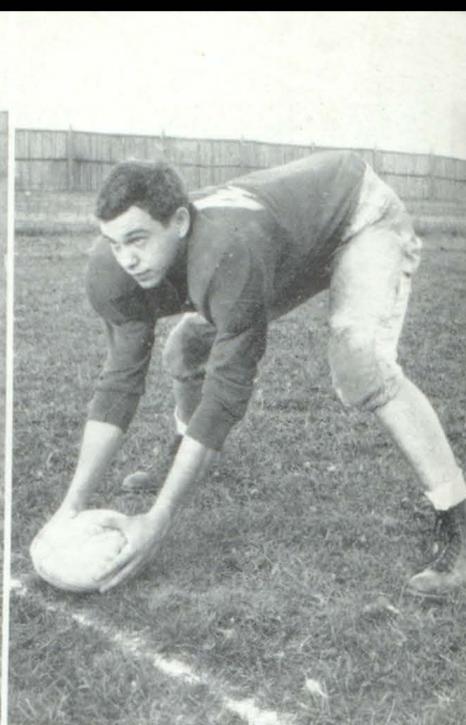
ATHLETICS

Every school is proud of its athletes and we are, by no means, an exception. There are many good reasons why we have the right to be proud of the young men in our student body who participate in athletics. Participation in football, basketball and track develops the co-operation and follow-through that make for success—not only on the playing field but long after graduation. Through the training period and the vigorous exercise of active participation in sports are developed the wholesome, healthy men and women who are a basic asset of our democracy. By means of athletic contests not only those actually playing but also the entire student body are able to express their loyalty and pride for their school. When victory is achieved each of us feels that it was his school and his team that won it. We are all proud of that team and of the fine members who compose it.

Still victory is not always possible and although defeat does occur at times, it is this cycle of victory and defeat which gives athletes their greatest lesson—good sportsmanship. This important quality becomes impressed in the minds of all athletes and without sportsmanship no one is properly prepared to live in our modern world.

Yes we are proud of our athletes—of the games they play, of the men they are, and of the good citizens they will be.





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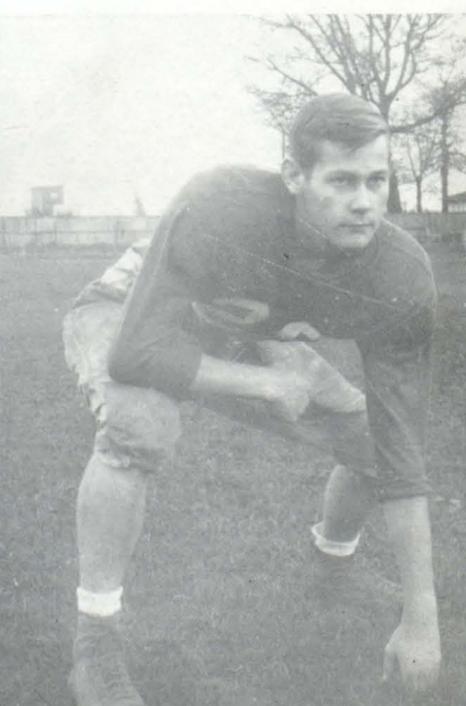
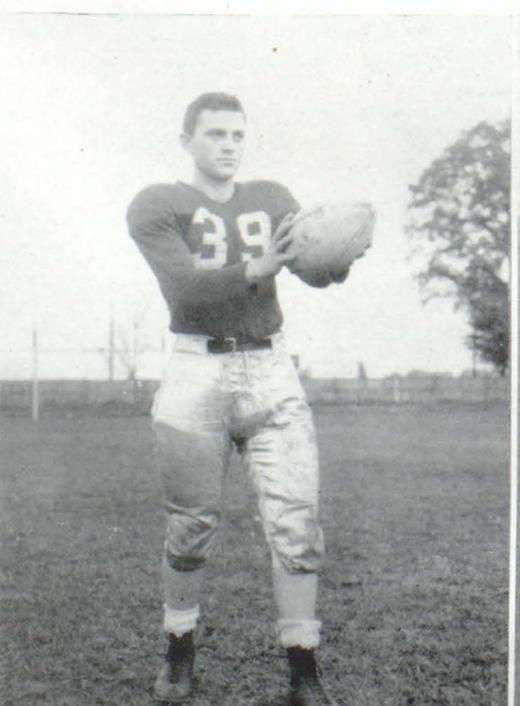
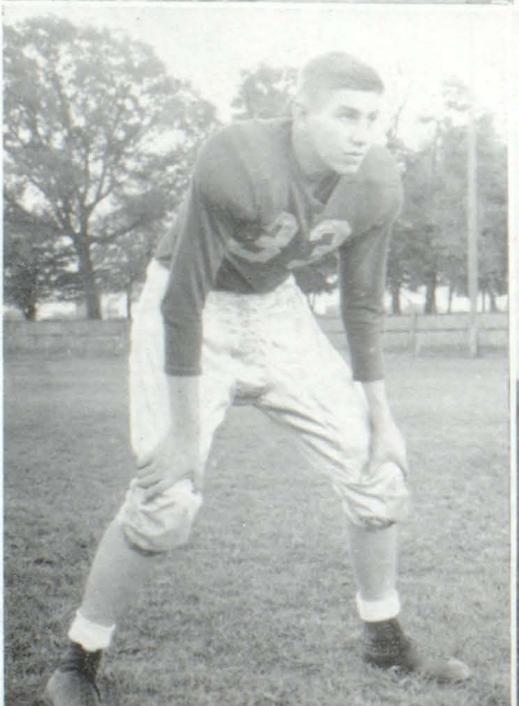
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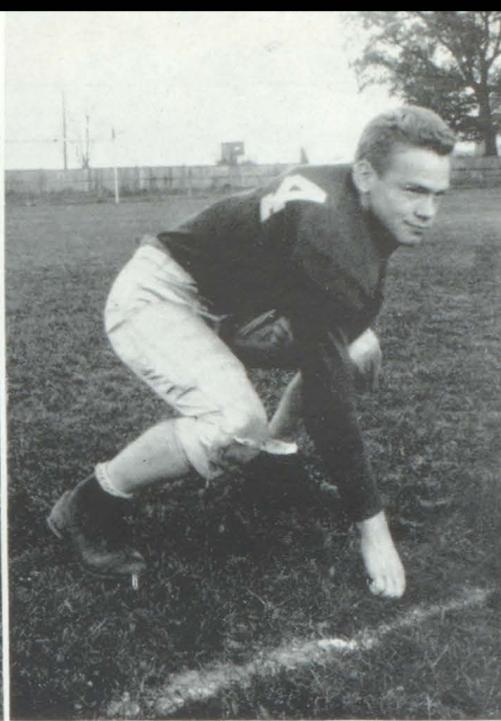
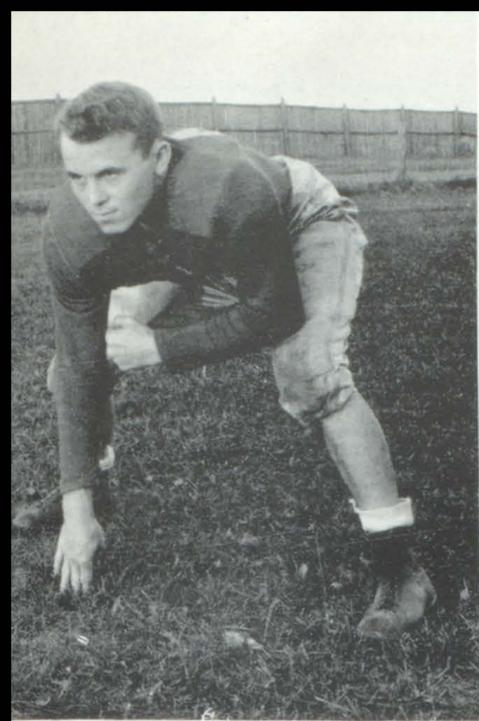
- 1. Scott Lasley—Quarterback and fullback;
- 2. Roland Brown—End;
- 3. Willis Fern—Center;
- 4. Bob Wheatley—Guard;
- 5. Don Doty—End;
- 6. Joe Cannon—Halfback;
- 7. Dave Peters—End;

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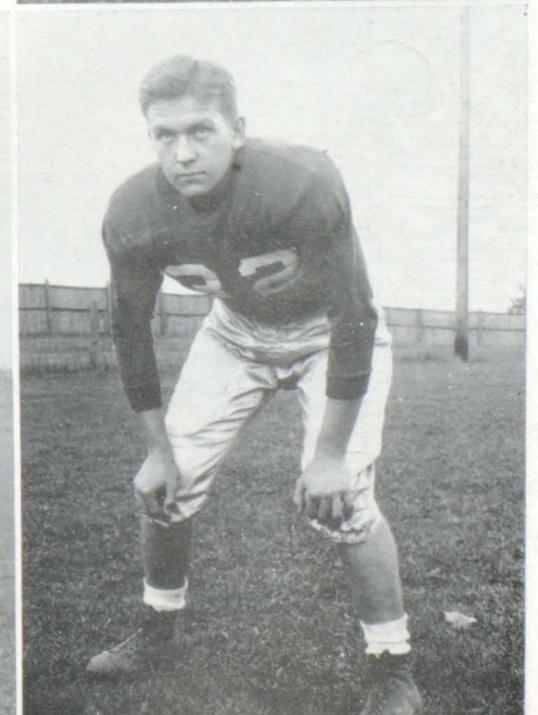
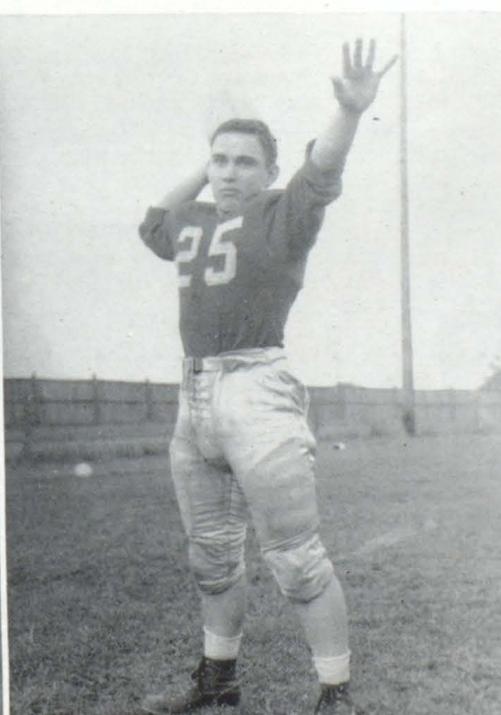
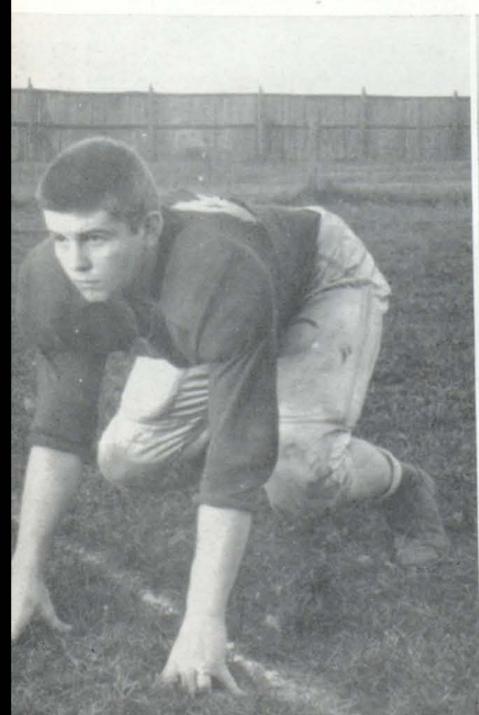
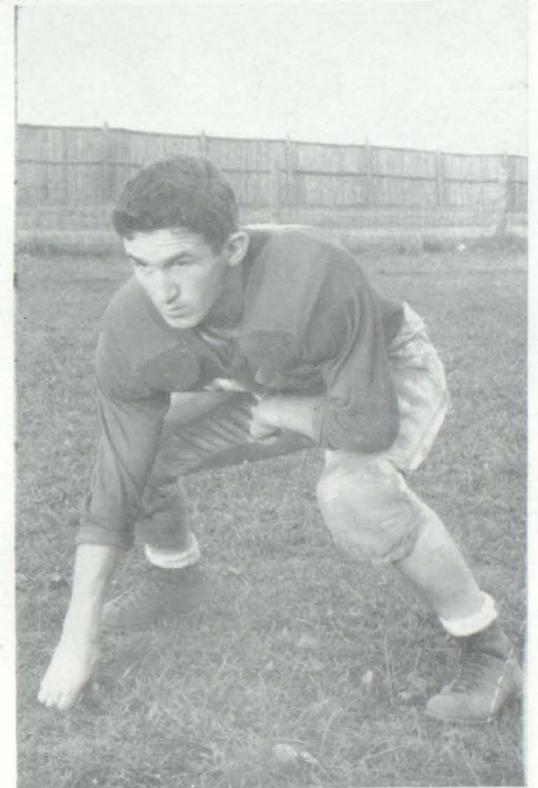
- 1. Bennie Wells—Guard;
- 2. Jack Parker—Tackle;
- 3. Phil Arnold—Halfback;
- 4. George Acres—Guard;
- 5. Bud Livengood—Tackle;
- 6. Bill Hocker—Quarterback;
- 7. Moe Fettig—End.

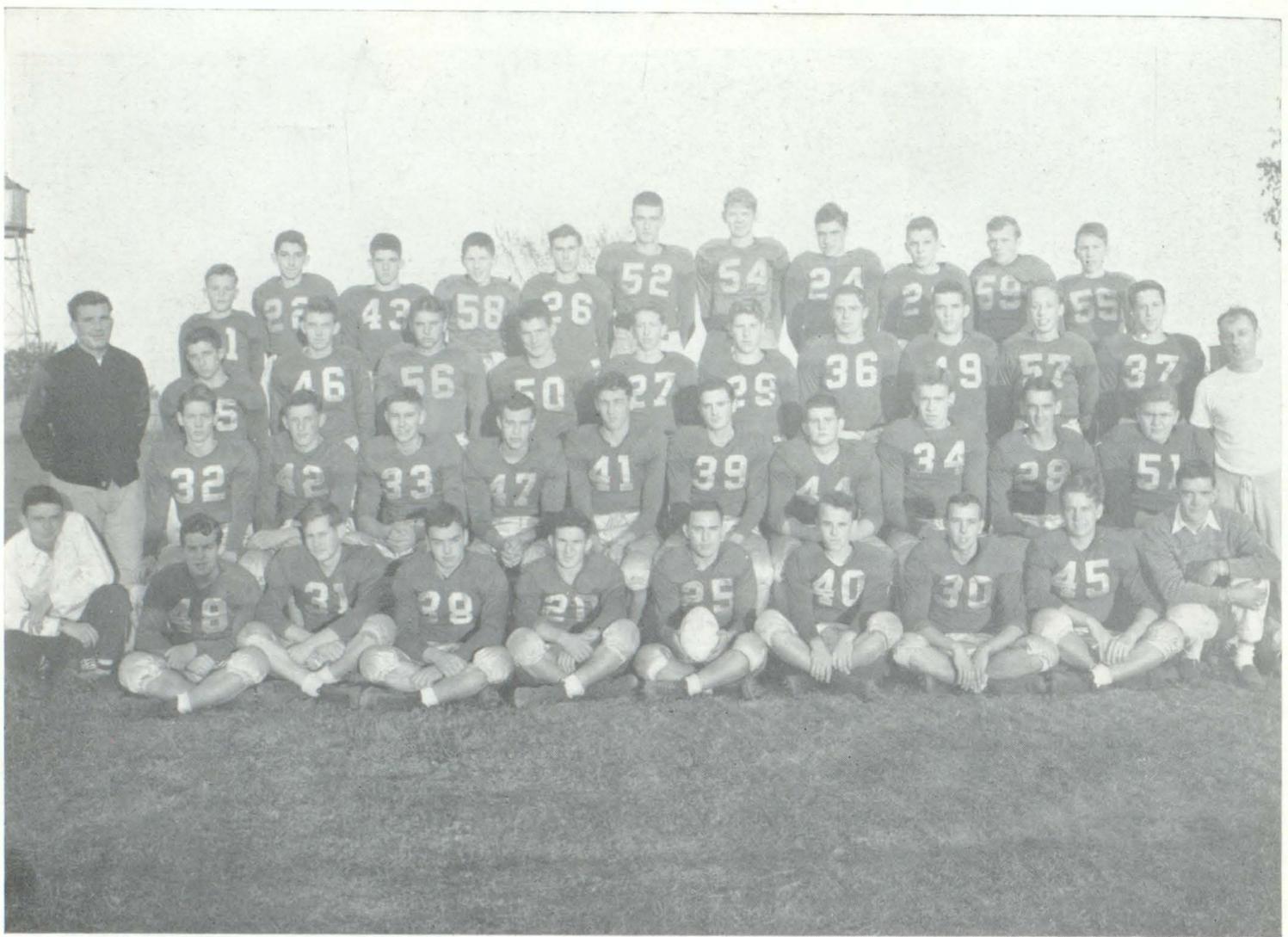
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First row: Richard French, student manager; James Acres; David Peters; Robert Wheatley; George Acres; Bill Hocker; Bennie Wells; Scott Lasley; Maurice Fettig; Jack Scott, student manager
 Second row: Mr. Bykowski, coach; Bob Clary; James Hamilton; Don Doty; Willis Fern; Philip Arnold; Joe Cannon; Bud Livengood; Jack Parker; Roland Brown; Bill Warner; Mr. Ward, assistant coach
 Third row: Don Kane; Don Wire; Joe Kelich; Kenneth Fuller; Vernard Skinner; Loren Boyer; Ronald Virgil; Jack Coston, John Ward, Jr.; David Copher
 Fourth row: Tommy Hubbard; Darrell Miller; Jack Laub; Jim Hennegan; Jim Webb; Robert French; William Lange; Fred Henderson; Ray Keller; Ralph Carpenter; Mickey Hennegan

VARSIY FOOTBALL



Last season's football team was one to be proud of as they rode over eight of their ten opponents in high gear. The only trouble they encountered was from Wabash and Marion.

The team had one of the deciding factors of a winning combination—spirit. Not once through their campaign were they in low spirits. Their offensive power was much stronger than was their defensive. Much of this offensive force was generated by Phil Arnold, all-state and conference halfback.

No definite tragedy struck the Panthers except for a few achin' backs and legs, or bloody noses, until the Noblesville game. It was then that they lost much of their reserve line strength when Bill Morgan suffered a broken right leg.

Coach Frank Bykowski had the right type of material for a successful team and with his fine leadership and able help of his assistants, John Ward and Pat Patterson, a winning combination was soon reached. At the end spots they relied upon Dave Peters and Roland Brown, the tackles were filled with big Bud Livengood and Jack Parker. The guard spots were occupied by George Acres and "Buck" Wheatley, or Bennie Wells. Willis Fern held down the center spot most of the time.

The backfield was one to be proud of as most of the "rompin'" was done by Phil Arnold, Joe Cannon and Scott Lasley. The signal backer's position was ably filled by Bill Hocker.

There are other boys, too numerous to mention, who were always trying to break the line up—such as Jack Coston, Don Kane, Jim Acres and Jim Hamilton, but they'll be around next season.

Moe Fettig and Don Doty scarcely saw action due to the effectiveness and ability to last a whole game on the part of Dave Peters and Roland Brown, but they were there when called upon.

All in all, the Panthers were something to be proud of, and W. H. S. says, "You did a big job, and we're proud of you."

ARE WE WINNING?

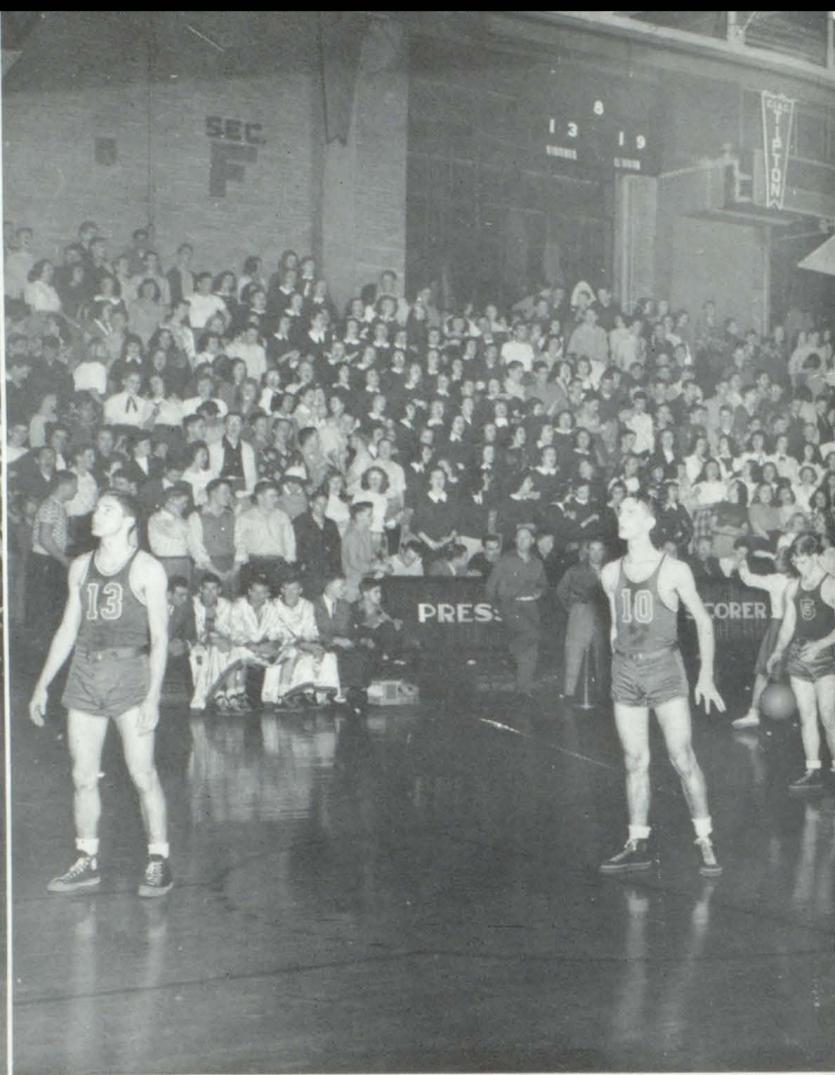


FRESHMAN FOOTBALL



Tommy Manghelli, Rex Beach, Jack Green, Dick Coston, Bill Huntsinger, Hal Waymire, Teddy Rowe
 Manager John Fihe, Gene Moon, Ralph Caldwell, Gene Gallatin, Dale McQueen, Robert Tally, Raymond
 Green, Bob Jordan, Jim Hoose, Orville Tranbarger.

Robert Farr, Jack Kiphart, Ronnie Southern, Bill Lewis, Jess Vanhorn, Philip Haynes, Don Wire, Tommy
 Haines.



FOOTBALL SCORES

Elwood 37	Alexandria 6
Elwood 0	Wabash 13
Elwood 33	Noblesville 6
Elwood 26	Tipton 0
Elwood 9	Kokomo 7
Elwood 24	Monticello 0
Elwood 12	Huntington 6
Elwood 13	Marion 14
Elwood 12	Anderson 0
Elwood 25	Alexandria 0
Total	Elwood 191
	Opponents 51



INDIVIDUAL BASKETBALL

JACK SHAFFNER
GUARD

PHIL ARNOLD
CENTER

RONALD VIRGIL
FORWARD

MAURICE ROBERTSON
GUARD

JACK COSTON
FORWARD

BILL HOCKER
GUARD

GEORGE WRIGHT
CENTER

ROLAND BROWN
FORWARD

JOHN LOWDER
GUARD

JOHN CONWELL
FORWARD

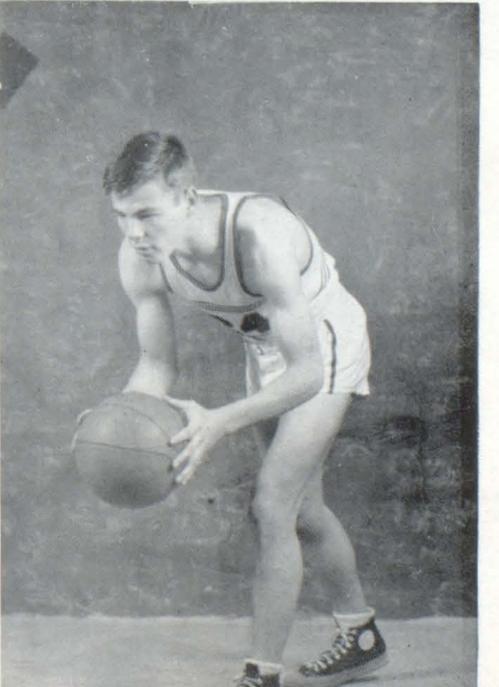
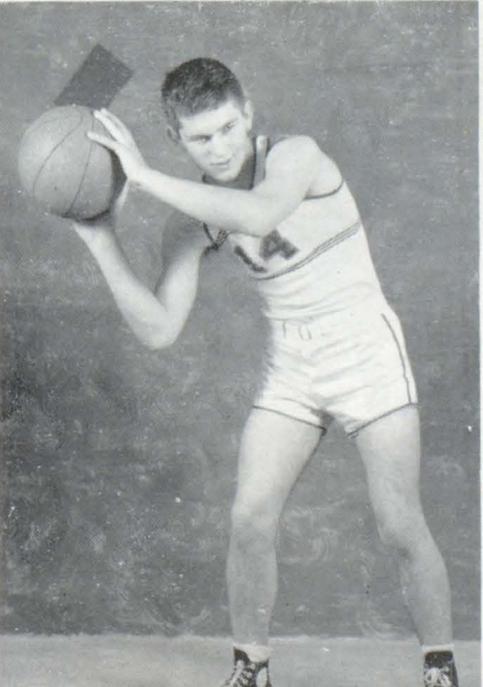
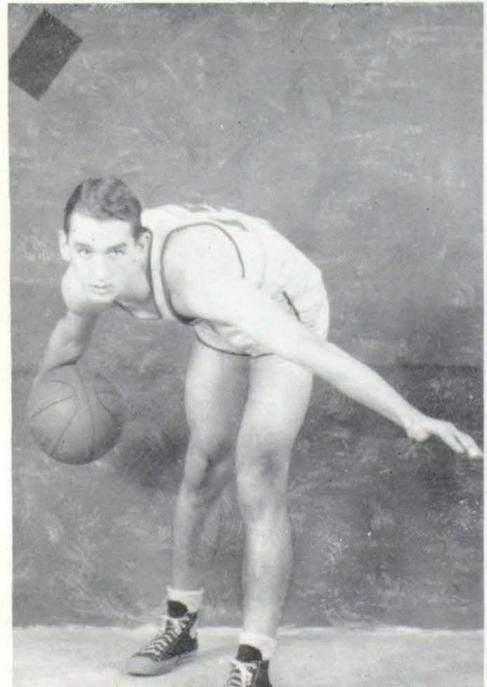
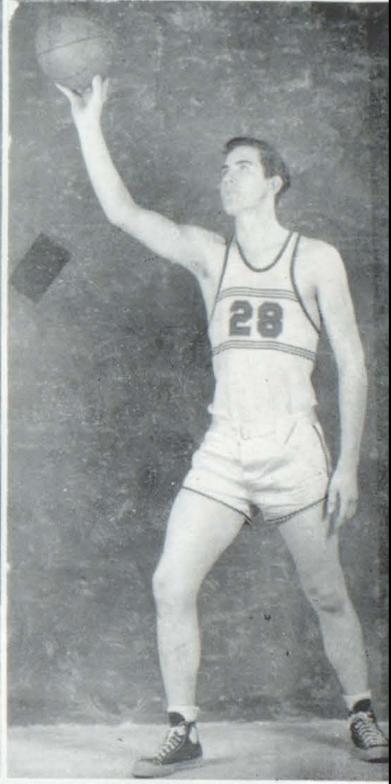
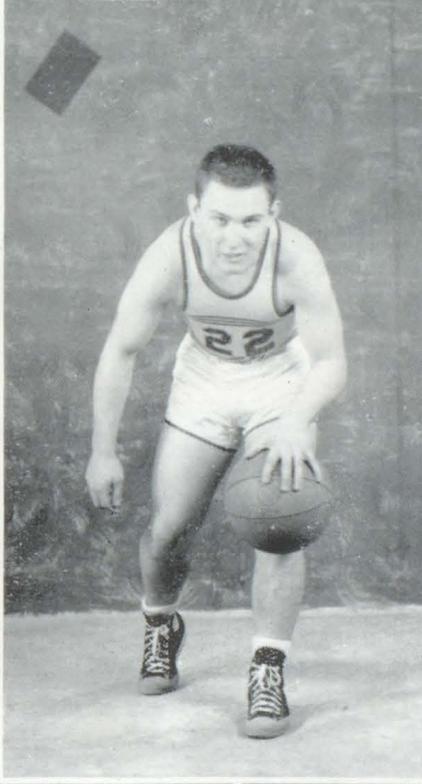
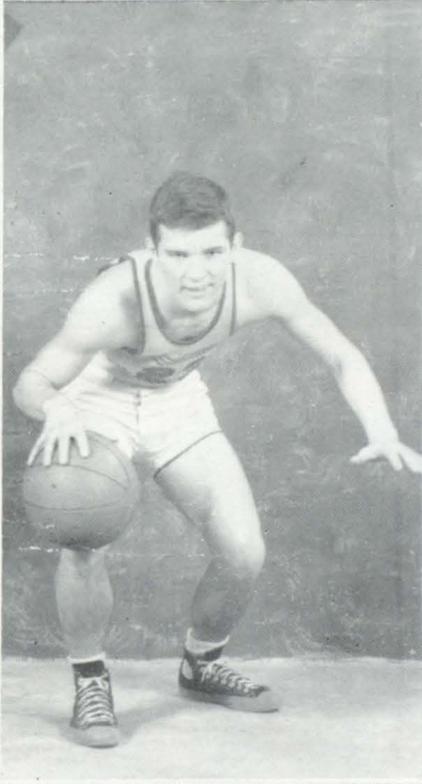
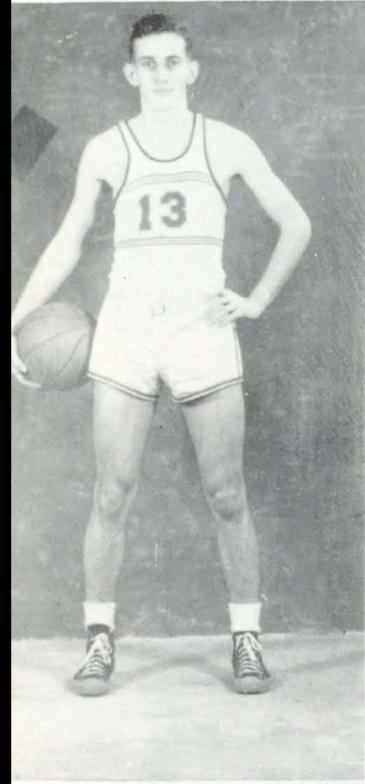
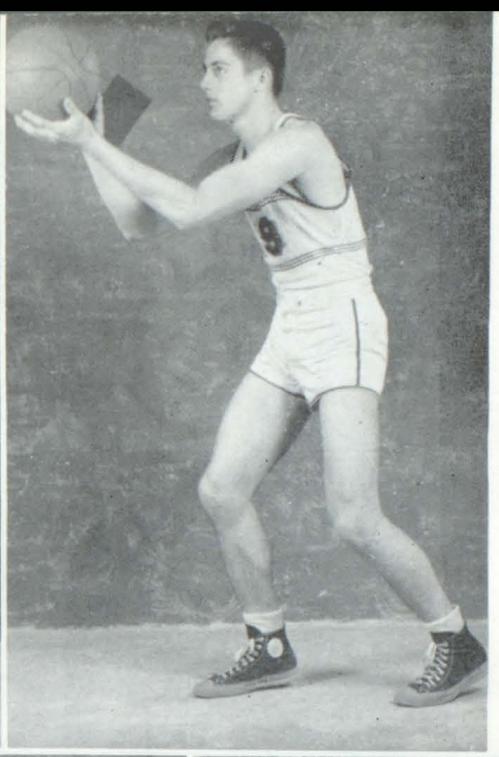
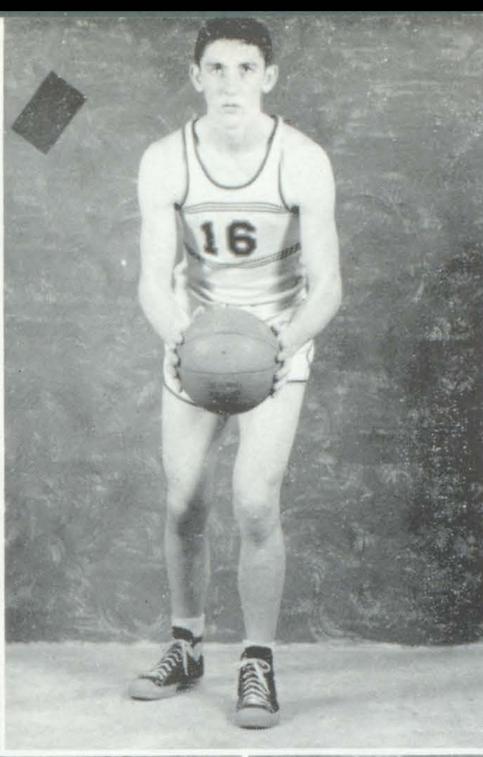
BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

1947

Elwood 45	Noblesville	43
Elwood 36	Southport	44
Elwood 41	Plymouth	44
Elwood 41	Marion	39
Elwood 31	Greenfield	30
Elwood 40	Wabash	43
Elwood 33	Alexandria	43
Elwood 30	Tipton	33
Elwood 31	Kokomo	44

1948

Elwood 40	Rochester	37
Elwood 51	Tipton	32
Elwood 44	Hartford City	43
Elwood 35	Huntington	55
Elwood 31	Anderson	39
Elwood 35	Peru	55
Elwood 37	Lapel	41
Elwood 34	Alexandria	47
Elwood 48	Burriss	37





Seated: Fred Caldwell, Vernard Skinner, John Conwell, Bill Hocker, Jack Shaffner, John Lowder, Bill Coston.

Standing: Mr. Ward, Coach, Maurice Robertson, Roland Brown, George Wright, Don Doty, Ronald Virgil, Phil Arnold, Jack Scott, Student Manager.

VARSITY BASKETBALL



The most eagerly awaited period in the school year is the basketball season. This year, as usual, we had very good attendance at all of the home games, for one would miss seeing our team fight their hardest to make Elwood victorious.

School spirit at all of these games was very high; and even though we were sometimes defeated, it was only because of the overwhelming odds the team had to face.

When I asked Mr. Ward what he thought of the team, he replied, "I have never had a finer group of boys to work with. They were very cooperative and there was never any problem of discipline."

Each of the boys, I am sure, enjoyed playing under Mr. Ward's fine supervision, and we of the student body wish to thank him for the fine team he produced this year.

SECOND TEAM BASKETBALL



First row: Coach Ward, Fred Henderson, Jim Webb, Mickey Hennegan, Philip Foley, Vernard Skinner, James Acres, Manager Dick French.

Second row: Bill Lange, Bob Clary, David Copher, John Ward, Richard Brenner, Richard Gill, Bob French.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL



First row: Max Beeman, Hal Waymire, Jerry Ault, Dick Coston, Bob Jordan, Teddy Rowe.

Second row: John Fihe, Don Wire, Ralph Caldwell, Elbert Cotton, Tommy Haines, Bill Lewis, Jack Kiphart, Bill Huntsinger, Dallas Hester.

AGRICULTURE BASKETBALL TEAM



First row: Jack Case, Bob Heflin, Jack Hershey, Jack Hutcheson, Bill Lynas.

Second row: David Leisure, Fred Tyner, John Hutcheson, Dallas Hobbs, Danny Green, Lowell Ebert.
Mr. Davis, sponsor.

YELL LEADERS

JOHNNY CARROLL
KAY GIBBONS
JOAN LEWIS
BILL DEVER



TRACK



First row: Jack Shaffner, Jack Scott, Max Summers, Vernard Skinner, Jack Hershey, Bill Hocker.

Second row: Jack Coston, Roland Brown, Mr. Ward, coach, Ronald Virgil, Phil Arnold.

TRACK

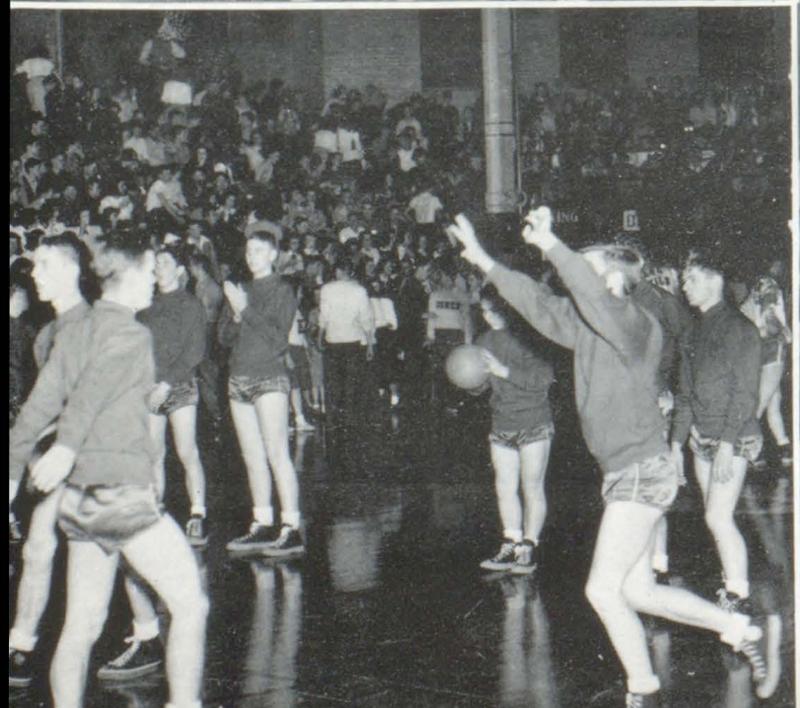


When Spring comes around each year, there is always a group of high school boys who will go to the cinder path to pursue their hopes of being a track man.

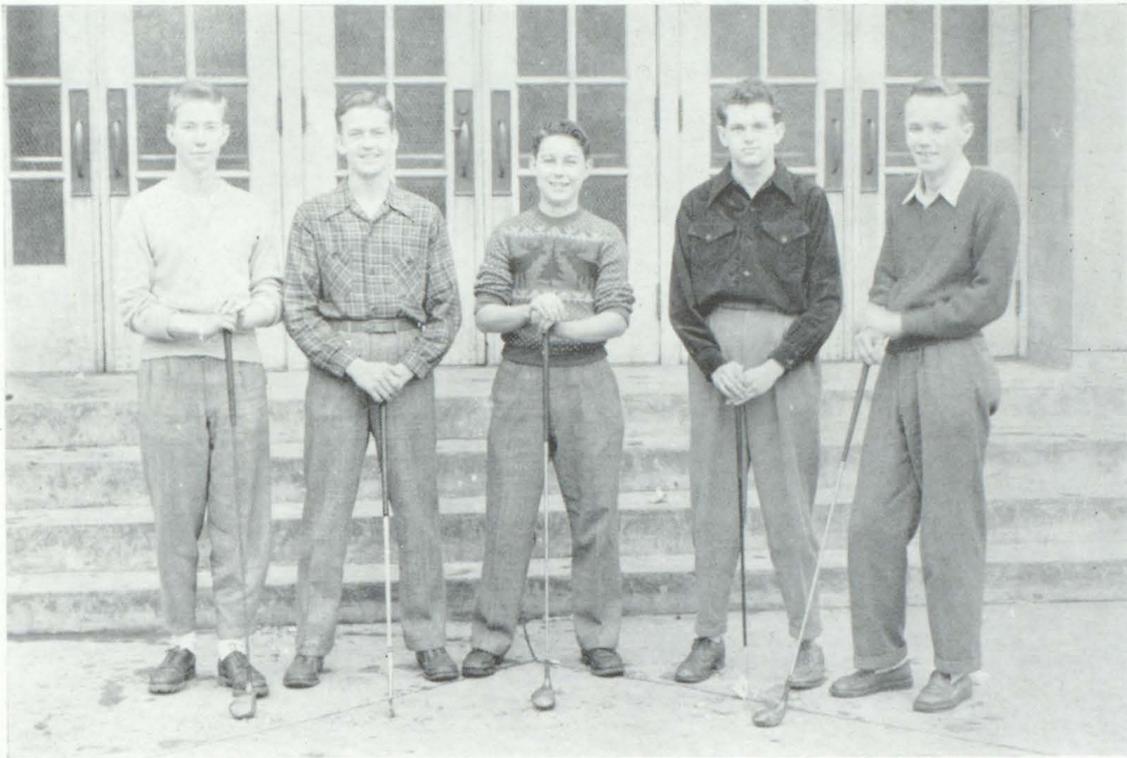
Track is the most highly individual sport in athletic lines. There is no one to pass the ball; no one to run interference; the winning or losing is a personal responsibility.

Last year's Panthers specialized in dashmen, pole vaulters, and high jumpers. Among the outstanding men of the '47 team were: Max Summers, Phil Arnold, Jack Scott, Jack Schaffner and Vernard Skinner.

Because of printer's deadlines, the track results of the '48 season cannot be carried.



GOLF TEAM



Henry Hollensbe, Maurice Fettig, Dick Squier, David Leeson, Johnny Carroll

BOWLING TEAM



Standing: Pat Fihe, Wanda Lewellen, Clara Beeman, Betty Beilhartz, Nancy Heflin.

Kneeling: Lois Slayton, Pauline Jordan, Clemence Baker,
Phyllis Owen, Kathleen Graham.



GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

G.A.A. is the organization which sponsors girls' sports. Bowling, basketball, volley ball, volley ring, and tennis are the major activities. This year "Play Nights," which have proved to be very successful, have been held.

Although the Girls' Athletic Association is a relatively new organization, it has provided a long felt need for a girls' athletic activity.

BONNIE HINDS, JOAN MOODY,
MARY LOU SCIRCLE, JANICE HENDERSON



MISS SWEENEY'S
THIRD PERIOD GYM CLASS





JACK PARKER, RALPH BOHLANDER
DON BOHLANDER, DALLAS WALKER



JACK HUTCHESON, FRED TYNER
JAMES MARLEY, EUGENE BOURFF

AGRICULTURE TEAMS

DAIRY JUDGING TEAM

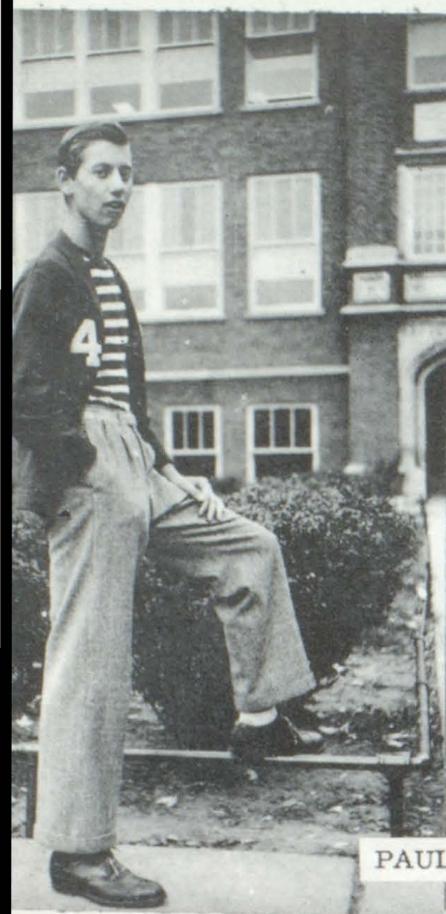
The dairy judging team placed first in the Madison County contest held in the Elwood community on the dairy farms of Edgar Ball and the Goins Brothers. Ralph Bohlander placed first among the 169 boys who participated in the county contest. In the District, our team of four boys placed sufficiently high to attend the Purdue Roundup along with the crops team and participated in the judging of dairy cattle in the state contest. This team placed among the highest teams at Purdue University and were made eligible to attend the Indiana State Fair and judge again in the State contest. Here they placed third in their class, which is a distinct honor.

CROPS JUDGING TEAM

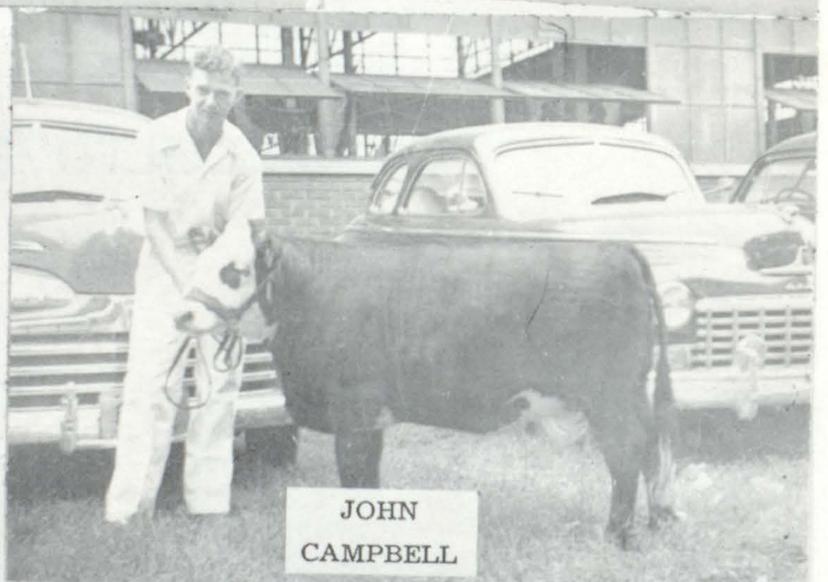
The crops judging team is composed of four boys who have been trained by Mr. Davis in the technicalities of judging corn, oats, wheat, clover, and alfalfa hay for quality.

This year's crop team is one of the best Elwood has ever known. The boys brought several samples to the agriculture department, and judged them by score card and comparison judging. By doing this, they were trying to acquire perfection.

The team placed second in the Madison County contest held in late March of 1947. They also placed at the District Contest held at Knightstown and Richmond early in May. Their placing was high enough to warrant their attendance at the state contest for judging held at the 4-H Club Round-up at Purdue University.



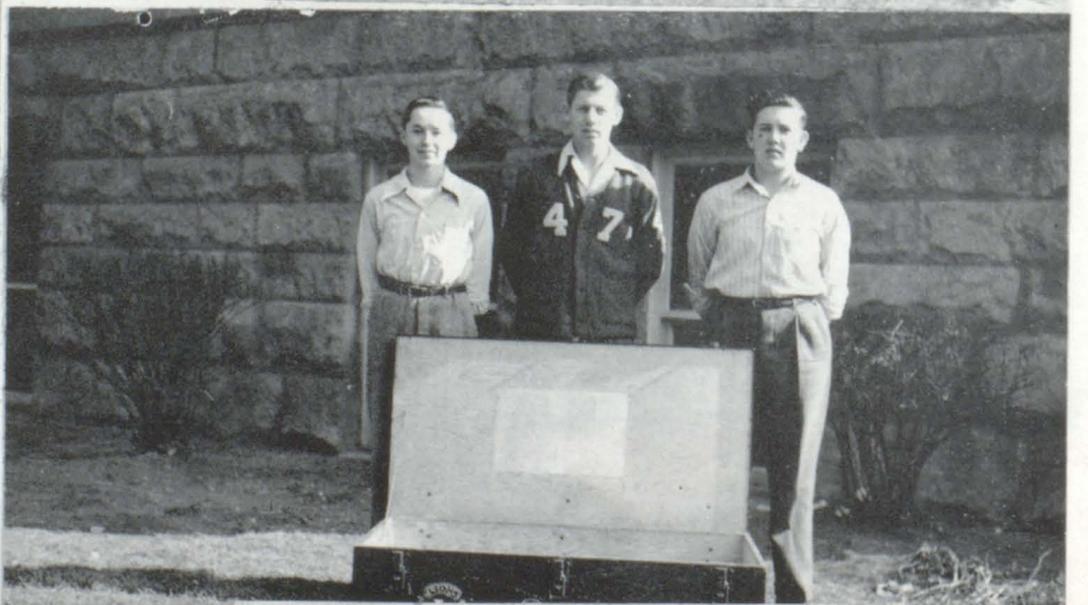
PAUL ALTHERR, FRED TYNER, EUGENE BOURFF



JOHN CAMPBELL



ANNA L. PARKER



K. JARRETT, P. ALTHERR, GENE BOURFF



What's the big problem?



Norma Smith and Jim Hamilton



Ever lovin' Anita and Bill



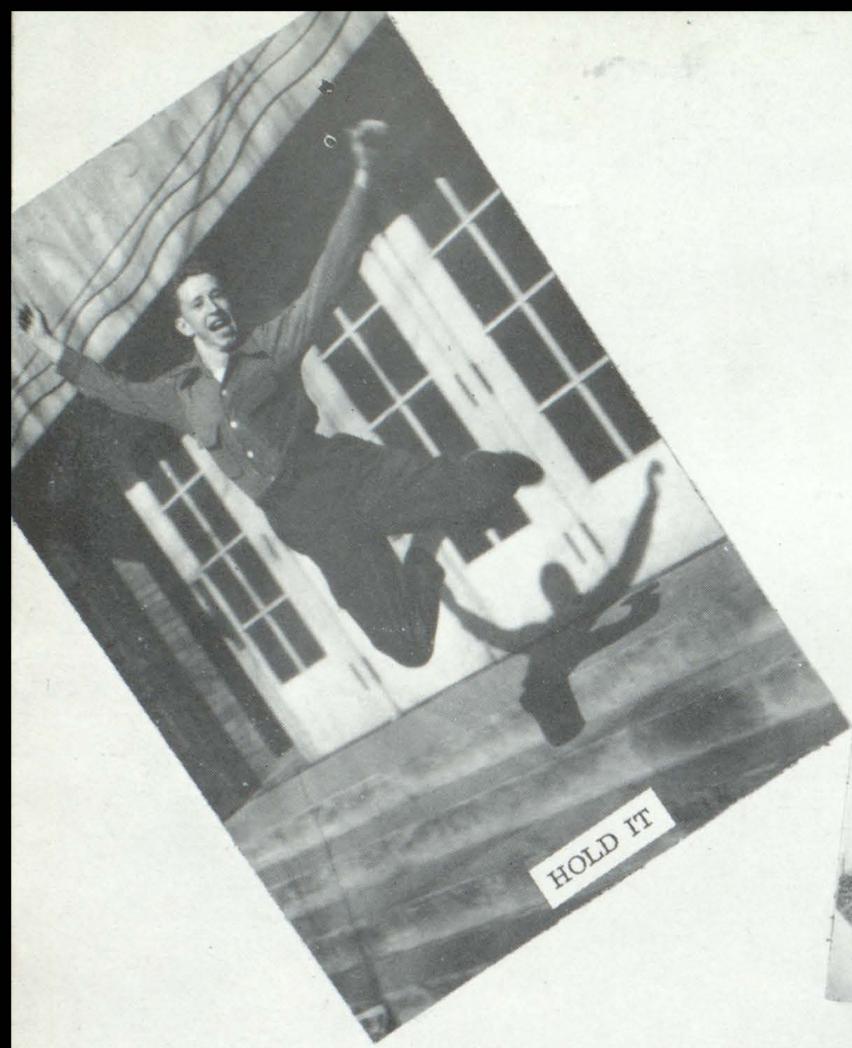
Willis and Linda



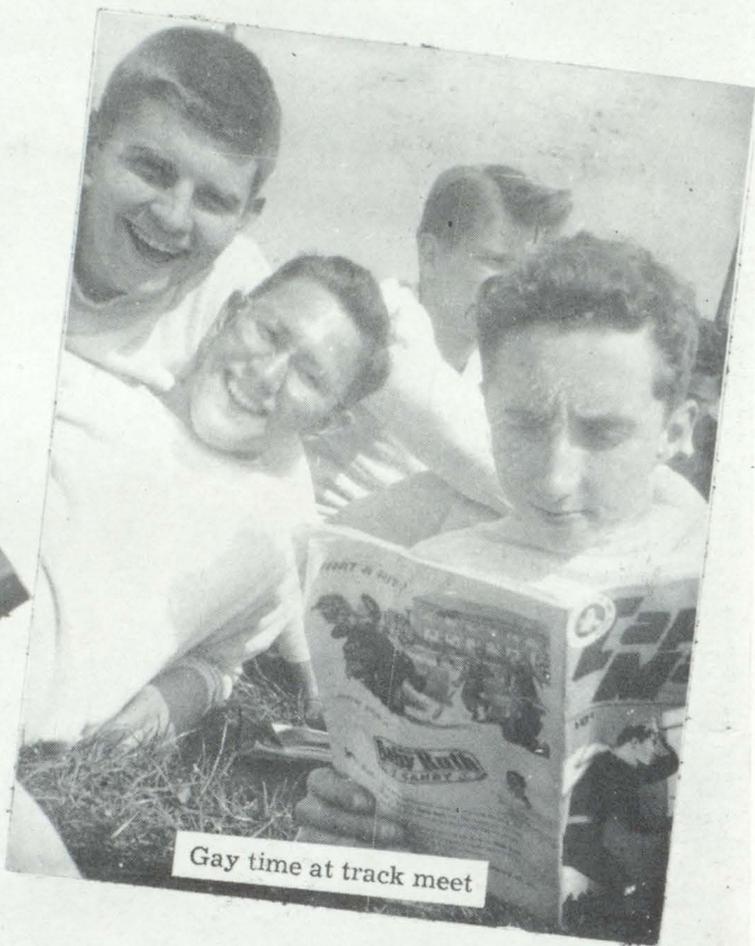
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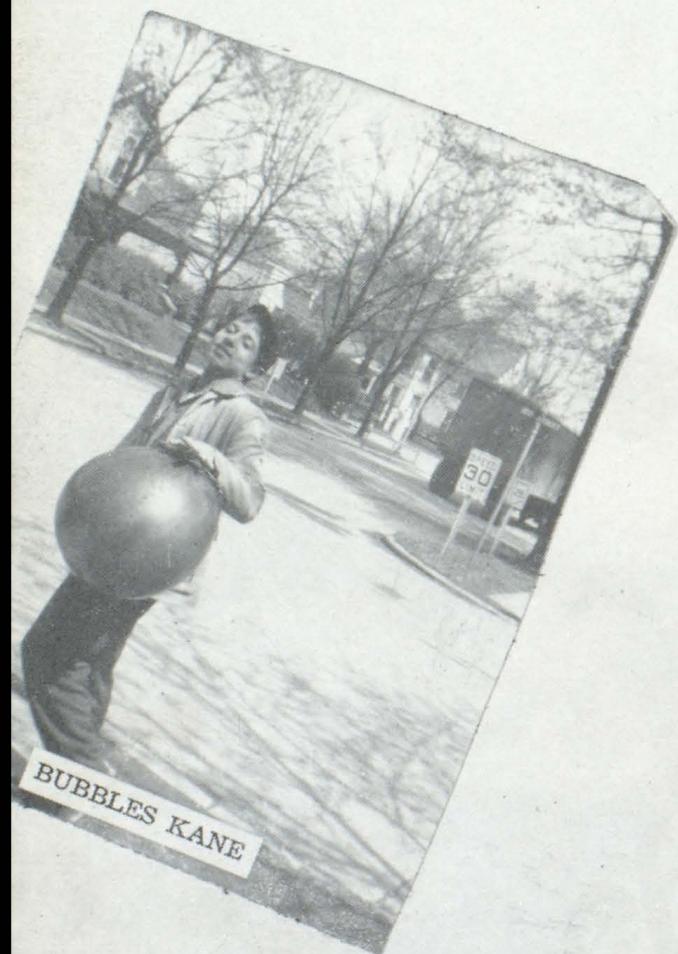




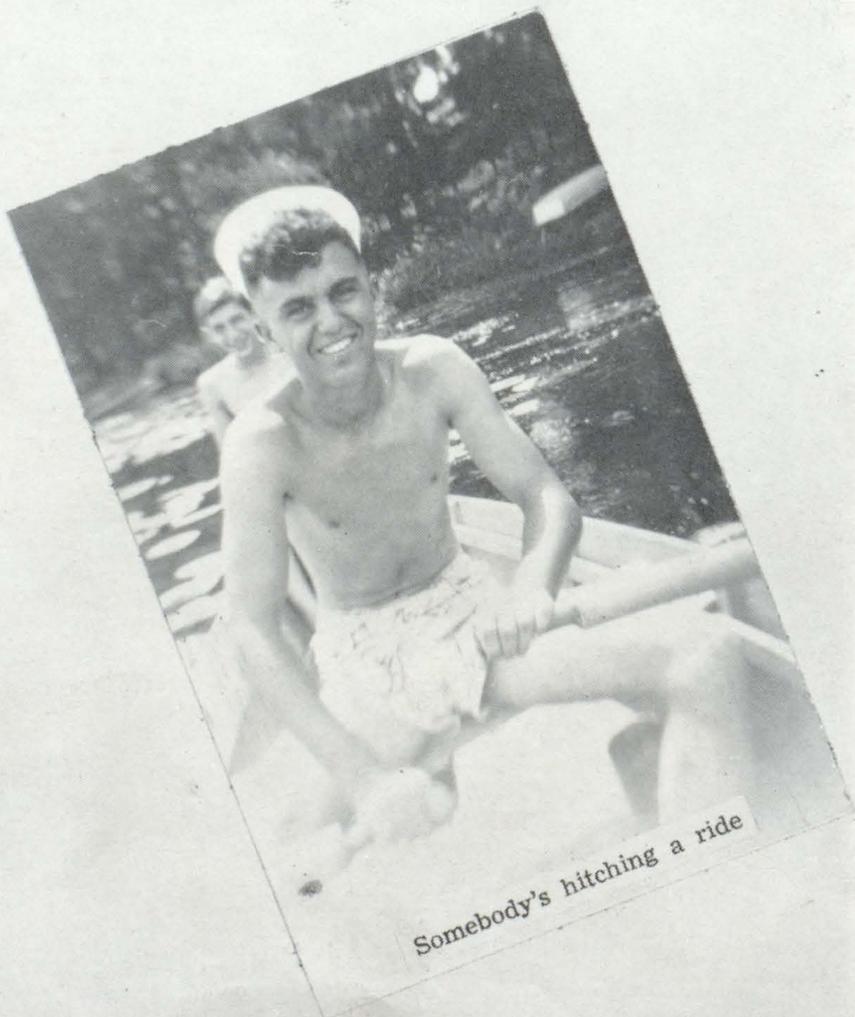
HOLD IT



Gay time at track meet



BUBBLES KANE



Somebody's hitching a ride



Moe and Mr. "B's" Mary Jo



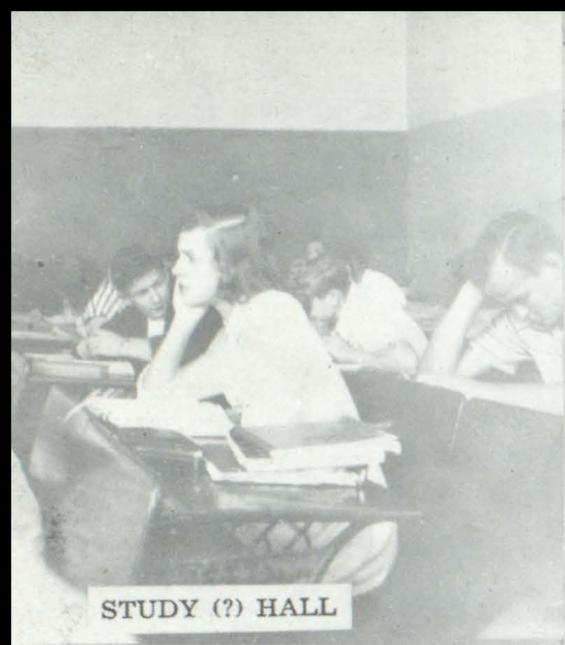
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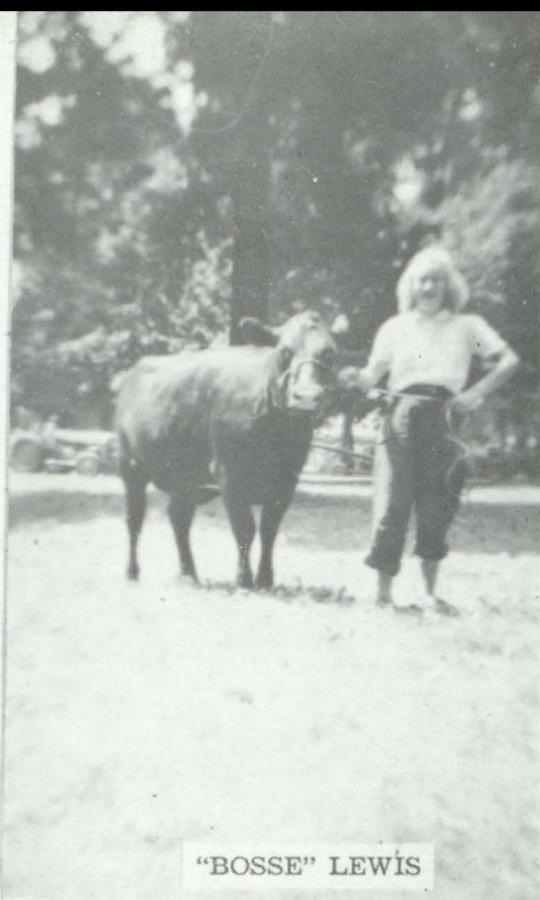
Director Mr. "B" cutting Class Play cake



Cast of "Groom Said No"



STUDY (?) HALL



"BOSSE" LEWIS



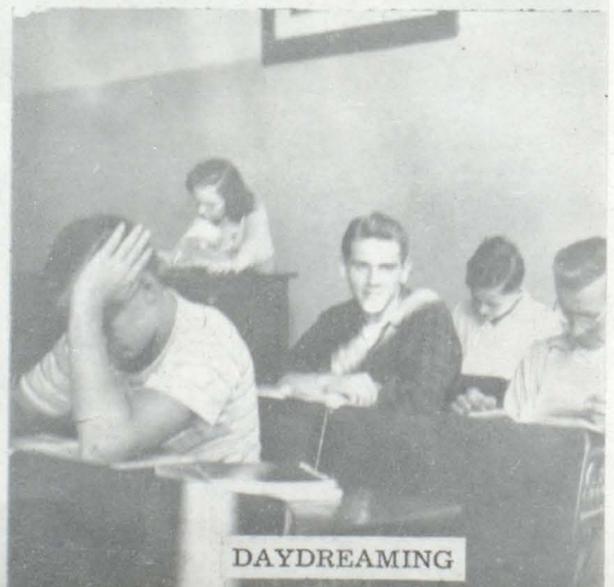
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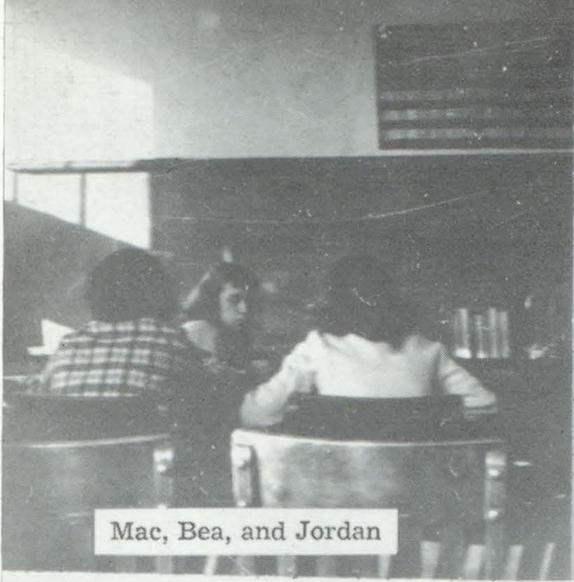
CUB POOLE



Daily trouble for Jo



DAYDREAMING



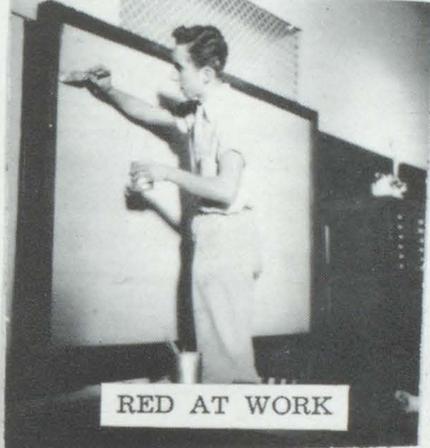
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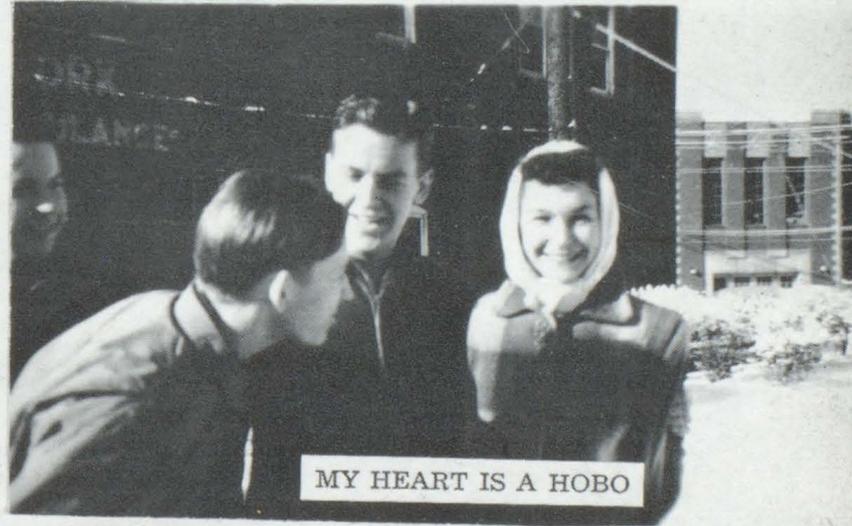
DEE COMMONS



It must be the water!



RED AT WORK



MY HEART IS A HOBO



Class of '49's trip to Cincinnati

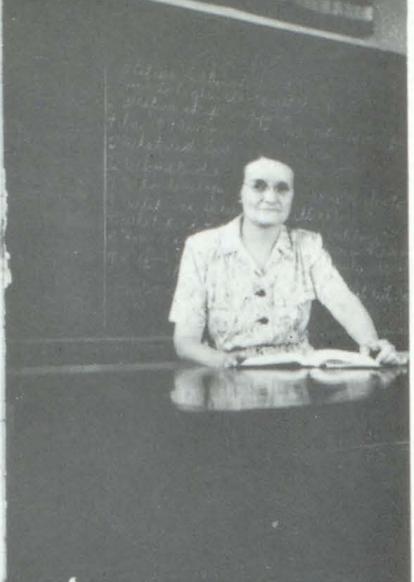


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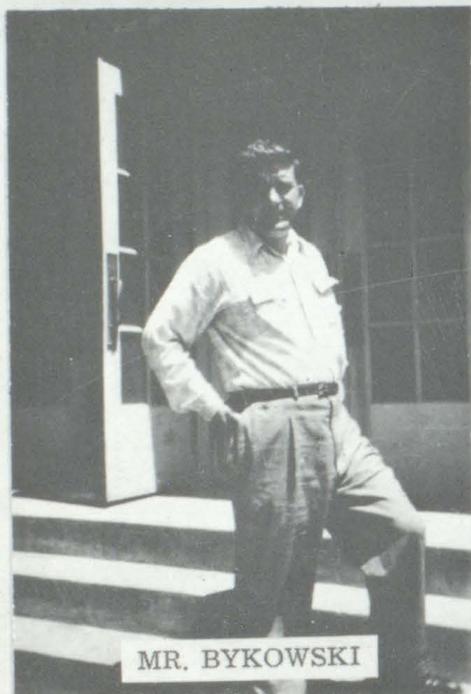
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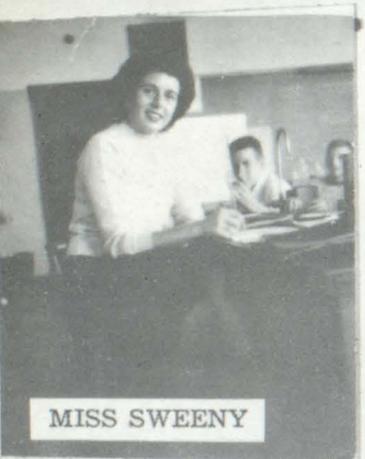
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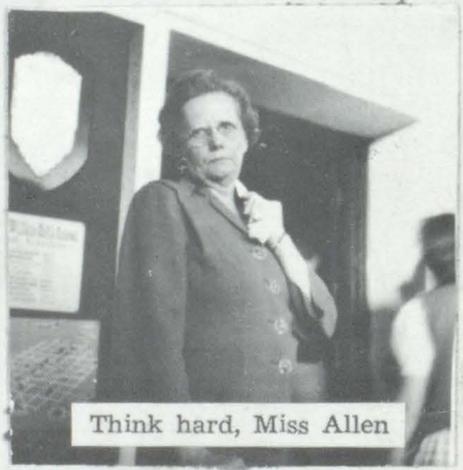
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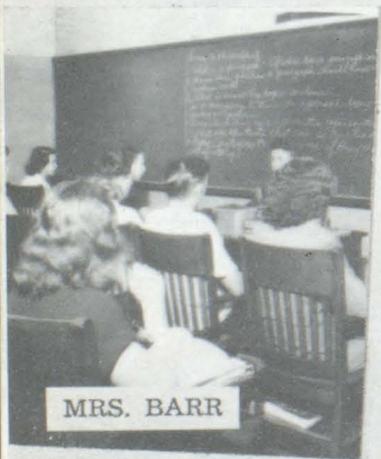


Think hard, Miss Allen

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DATE	TEAM	PLACE
SEPT. 8.	ALEXANDRIA	57 HERE
SEPT. 12.	WABASH	8 HERE
SEPT. 16.	NOBLESVILLE	53 THERE
SEPT. 26	TIPTON	20 THERE
OCT. 3.	KOKOMO	9 THERE
OCT. 10.	MONTICELLO	HERE
OCT. 17.	HUNTINGTON	HERE
OCT. 21.	MARION	THERE
OCT. 28.	ANDERSON	THERE
OCT. 31.	ALEXANDRIA	THERE

Oh, what a wonderful season



MRS. BARR

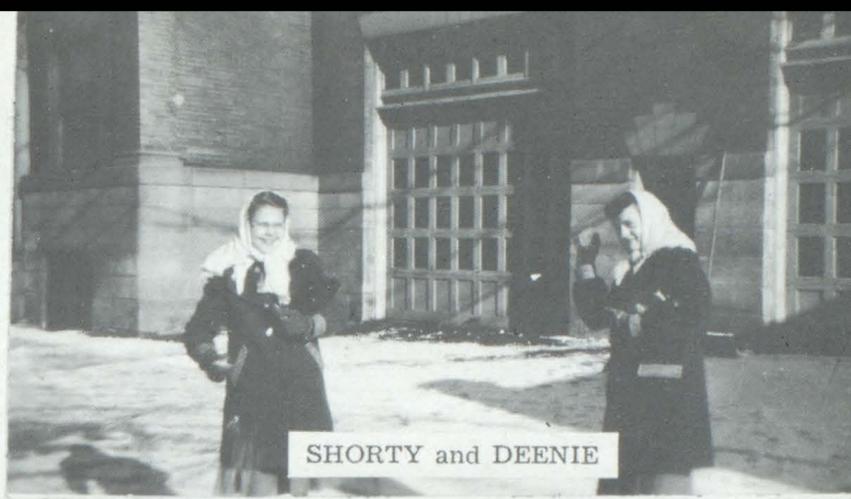


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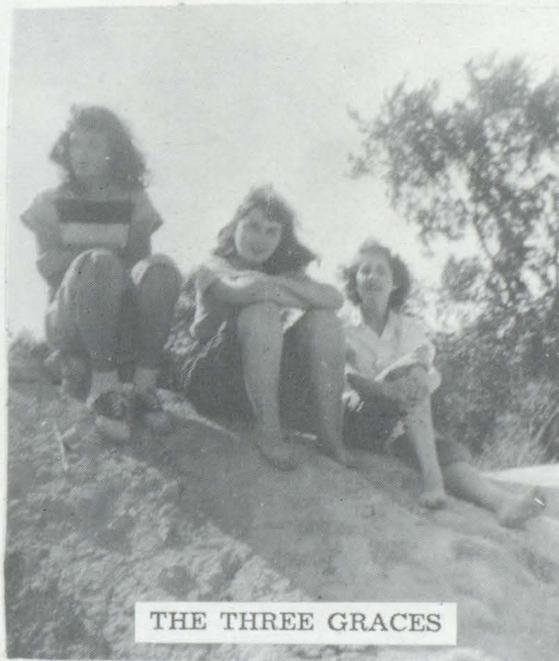
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SHORTY and DEENIE



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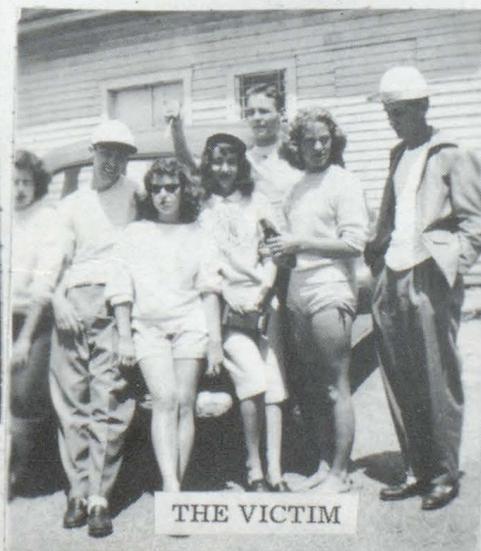
THE THREE GRACES



HAVING TROUBLE, JO?



ONLY ONE CHAIR



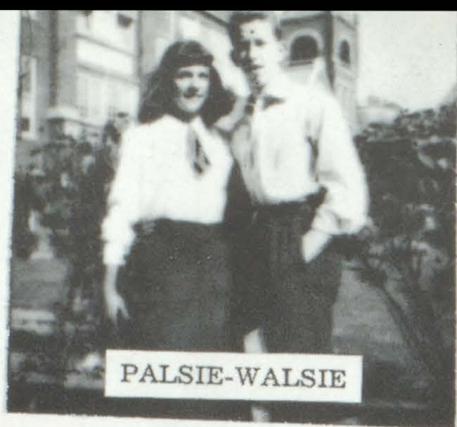
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Be careful, it might go off



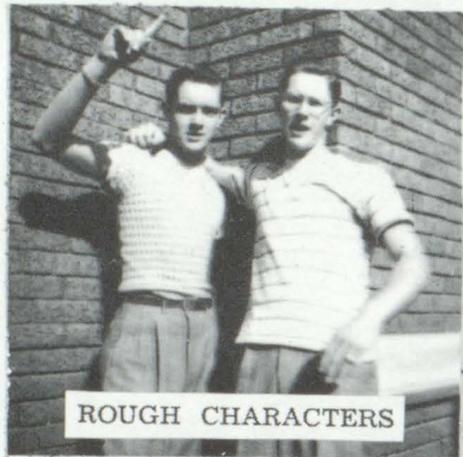
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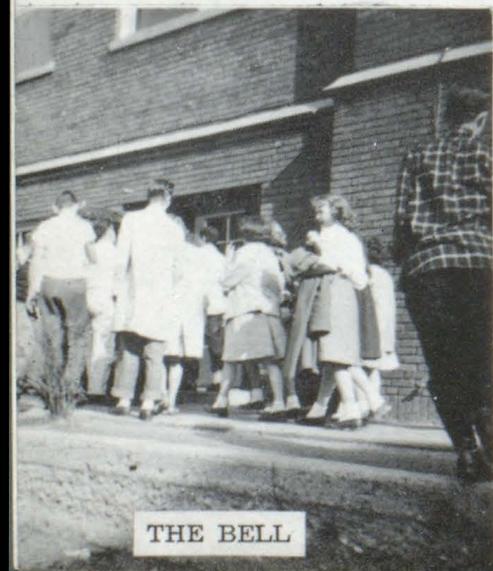
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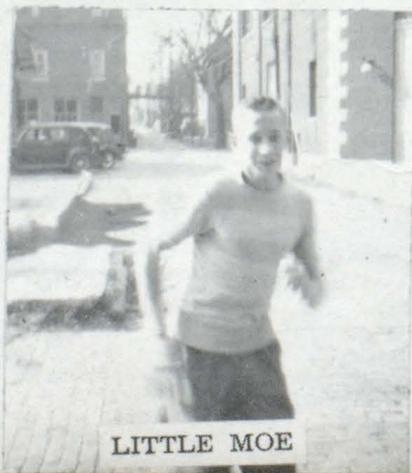
SURPRISE



Something in common,—jackets, that is



THE BELL



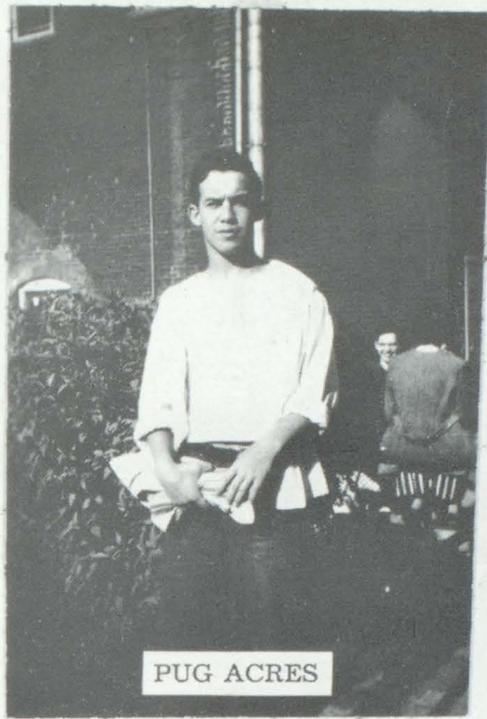
LITTLE MOE



WHO'S THE VICTIM?



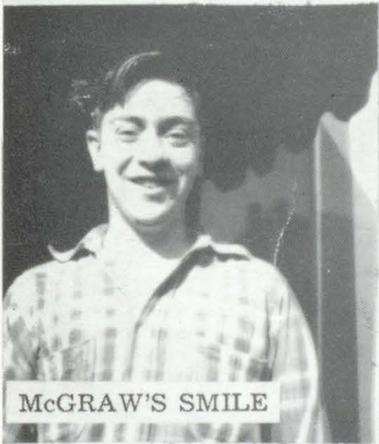
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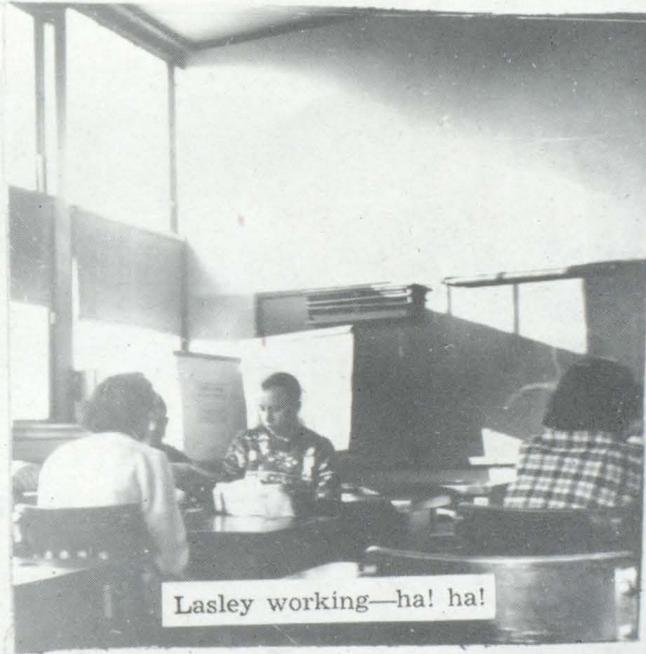
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Bill Miller and Joan Sams



McGRAW'S SMILE



Lasley working—ha! ha!



Come, Come, Norma!



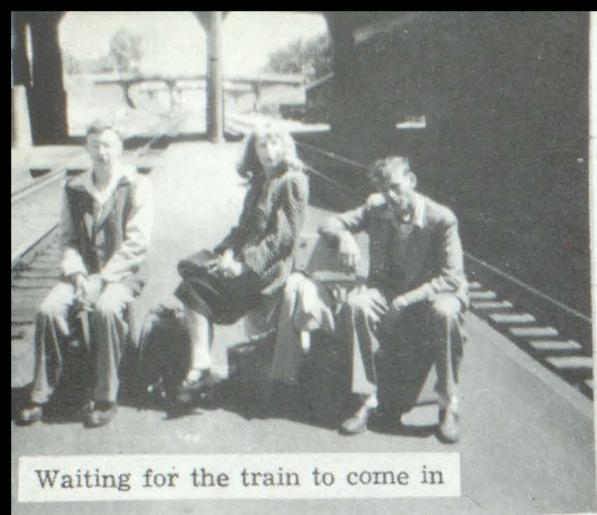
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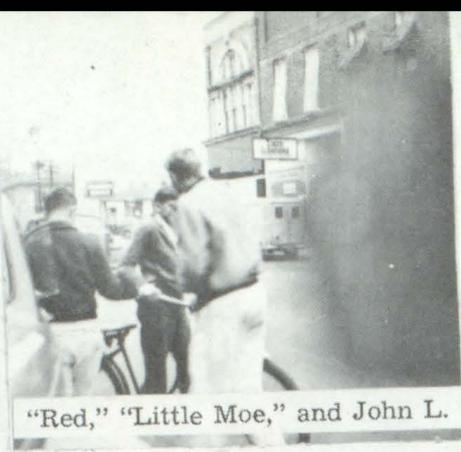
MMM—FIVE, TOO



SAILORS?



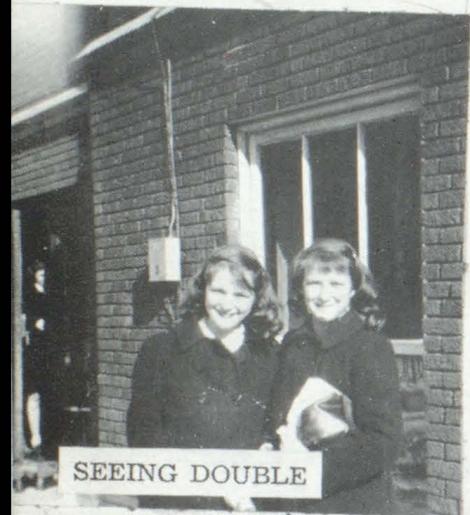
Waiting for the train to come in



"Red," "Little Moe," and John L.



WATER BABY



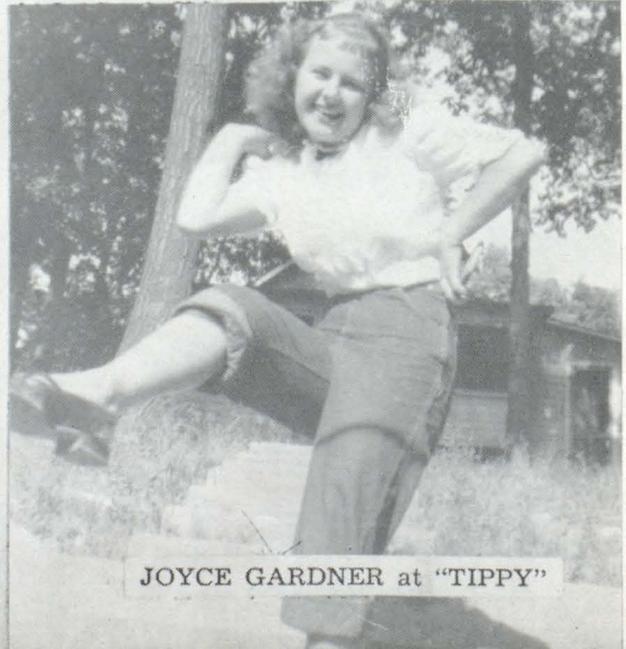
SEEING DOUBLE



REPORT CARDS



LAMMIE LEWIS



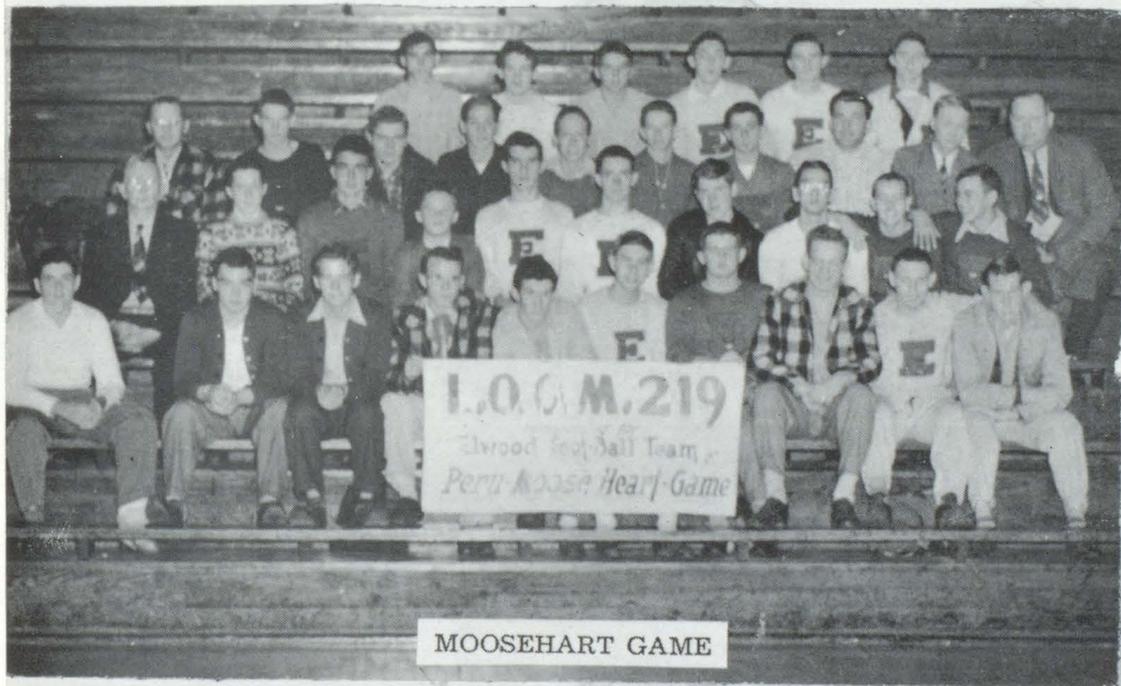
JOYCE GARDNER at "TIPPY"



Tuesday? nope Wednesday? nope
Thursday? well—



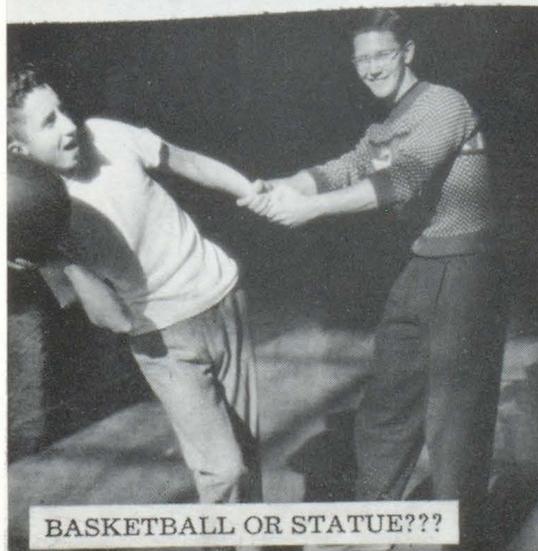
Jo puts her heart in it



MOOSEHART GAME



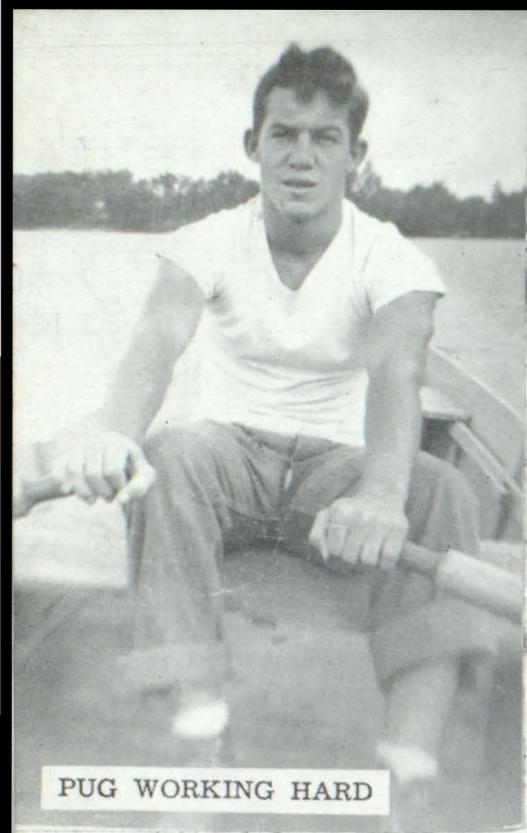
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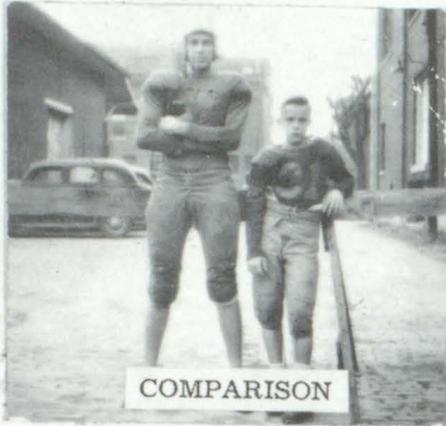
BASKETBALL OR STATUE???



CUTE, AREN'T THEY!



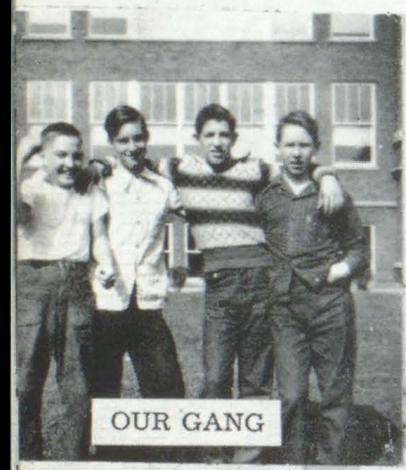
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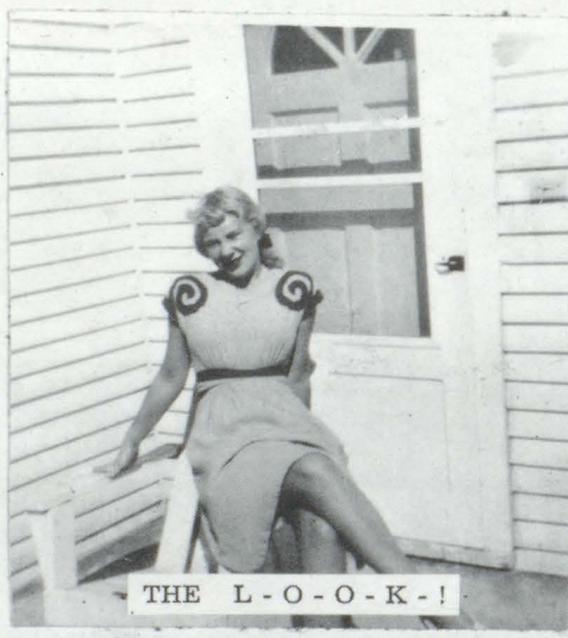
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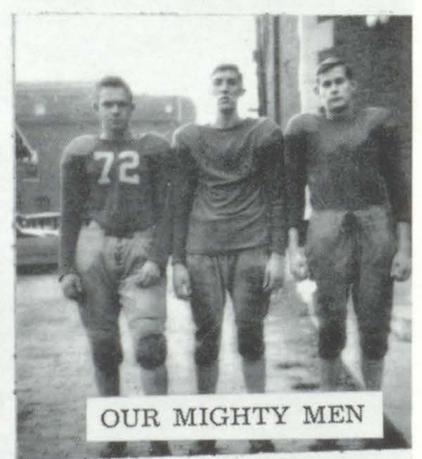
Louie Scircle, Marty Dehner, Jill Gipson



OUR GANG



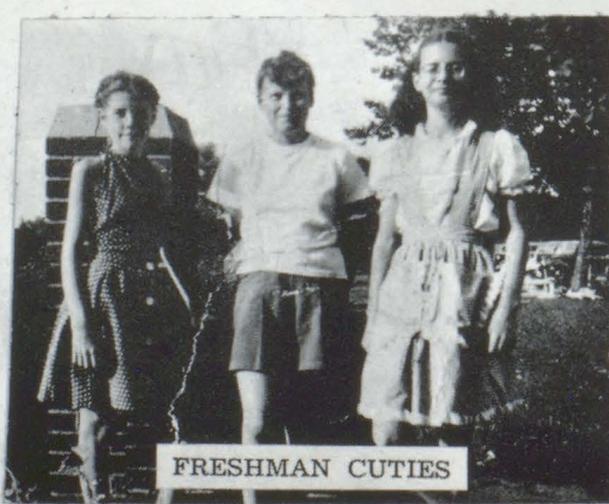
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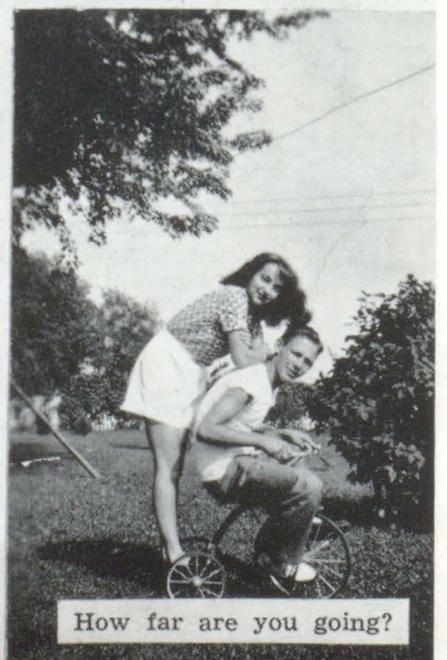
OUR MIGHTY MEN



OFF TO JAM SESSION



FRESHMAN CUTIES



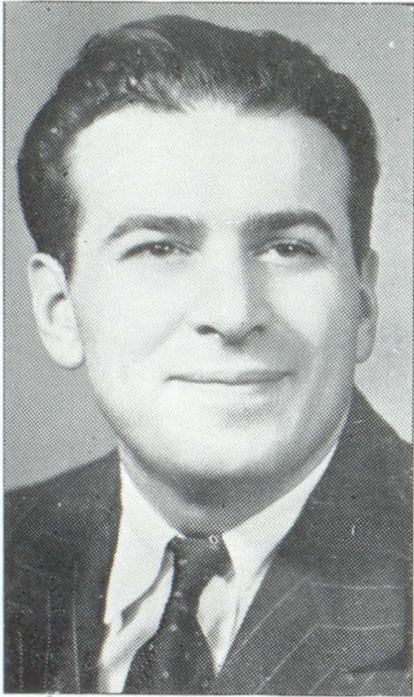
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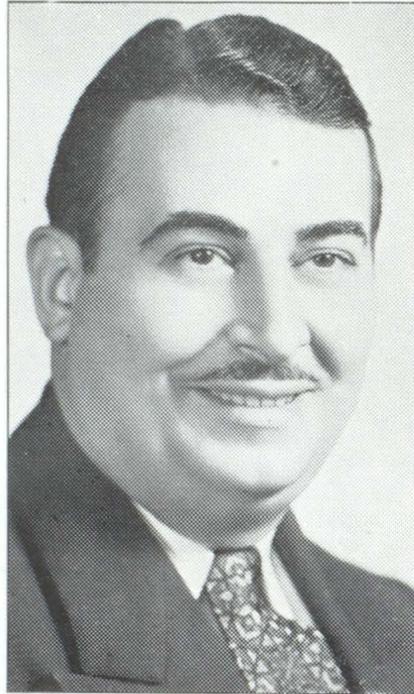


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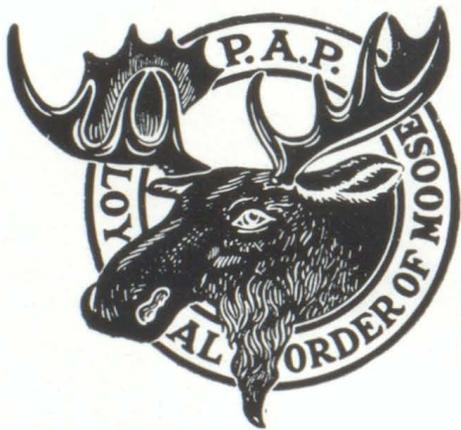
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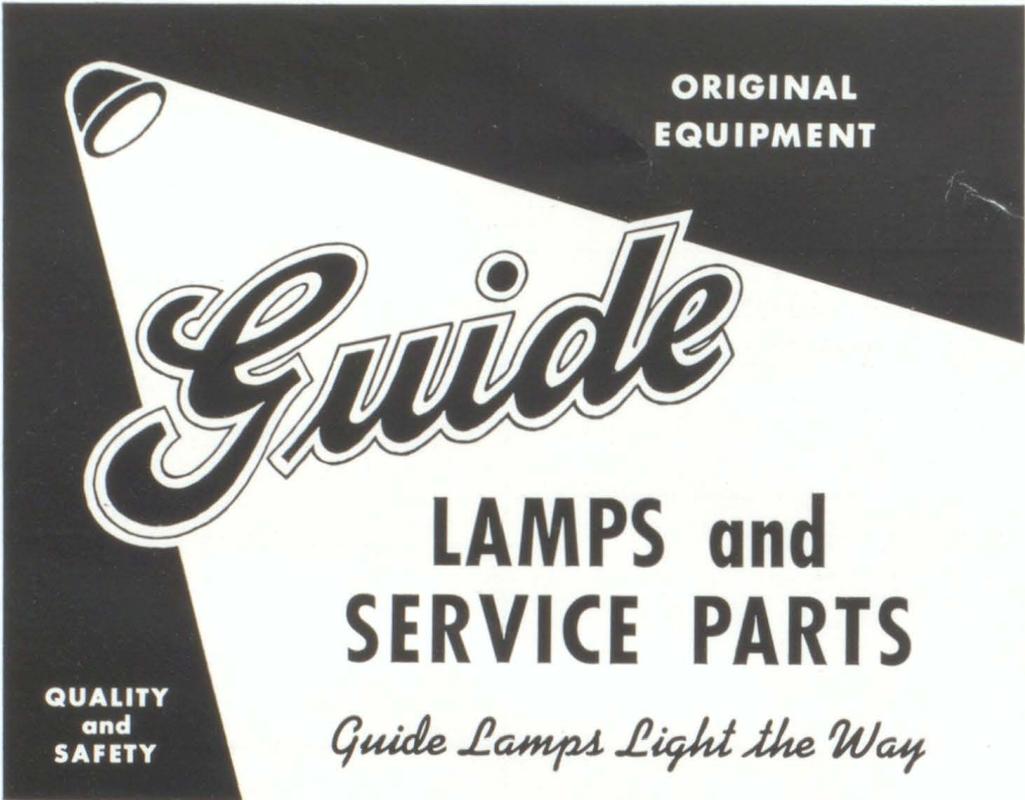
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