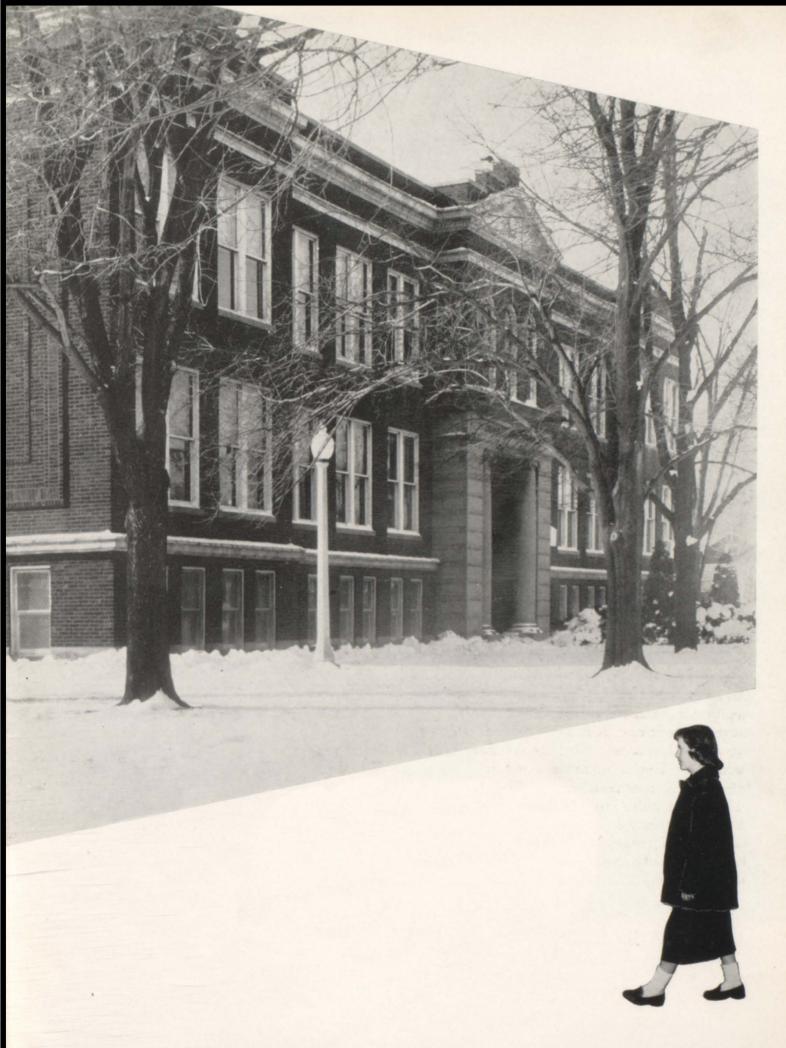


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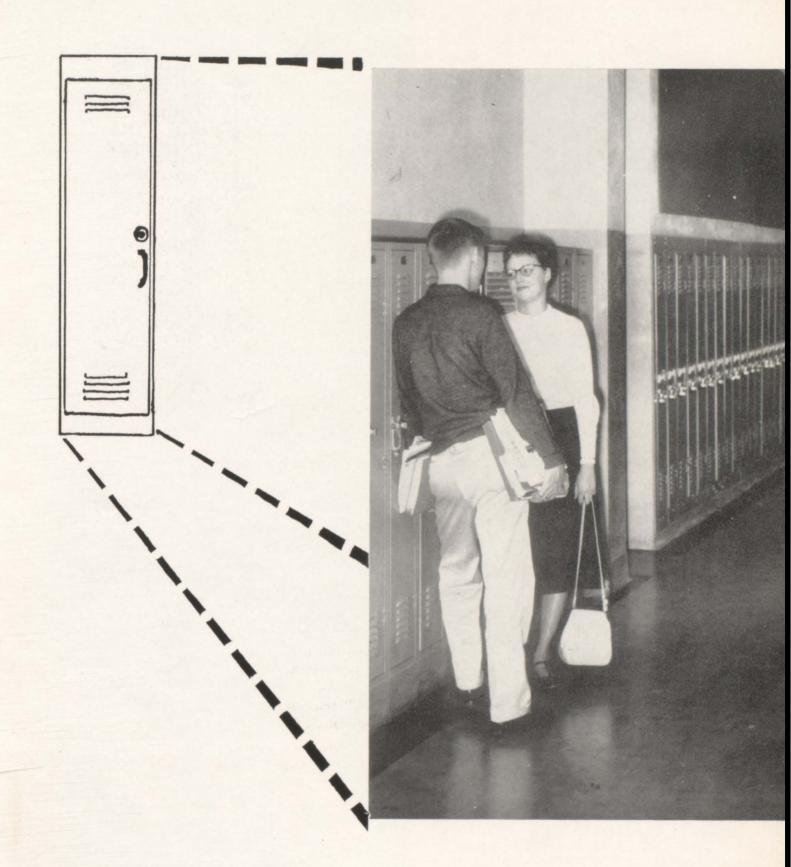


Memory is like a well of water, sweetened with age, in which the drinker dips constantly to taste again the pleasant experiences of days gone by. Many are the parts of a memory, for it is a life in itself, and we, as individuals, have memories which are dear to us alone. In future years we shall drink deeply in remembrance of our days in school, of the life we led in our academic work, extra activities, and social functions. The school itself is a living memory, for it is real to the students of the present but it will exist forever through reminiscences stored conveniently in many places such as a metallic cell, the locker . . .





The locker stands silently, absorbing the life of us all. We unknowingly share with it our laughter, our tears, our fun, and our sorrows. A sponge, the locker fills with tales which mingle, yet which can be miraculously removed intact, personal. As a guide, a protector, a confidante, and a conscience, it is both parent and child. Abused, scorned, chipped, slammed, kicked, and even destroyed, the locker still remains a symbol of school life. Tapped, the locker will tell of many things.





Business Advisor Frances Hewitt

Editorial Advisor Jean Devaud

Literary Advisor Helen Christoe

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Editors

David Grieve, Editor-in-Chief; Sharon Schmidt, Classes; Allen Powers, Sports; Nancy Cota, Activities; Carolyn Pinkerton, Art; Sandy Renshaw, Organizations; Hubert Yoder, Photography; Robert Oetting, Managing Editor.

Staff

Classes . .

Bonnie Buckner, Connie Buckner, Gwyneth Dilliard, Frances Glowczewskie, Twila Grover, Nancy Hicks, Joyce Karns, Sandy Langwisch, Catherine Retzer, Wilma Rogers, Joyce Wagemann.

Activities . . .

Landon Brazier, Marilyn Ellis, Ellen Hartman, Robert Proffer, Becky Skundrich.

Organizations . . .

Gerry Campbell, Ann Miller, Ruth Ann Scott, Don Steinberg, Mary Ullrich, Jim Wall, Carolyn Waterman.

Art . .

Judy Berry, Bonnie Link, Carole Spiller, Sallie Underwood.

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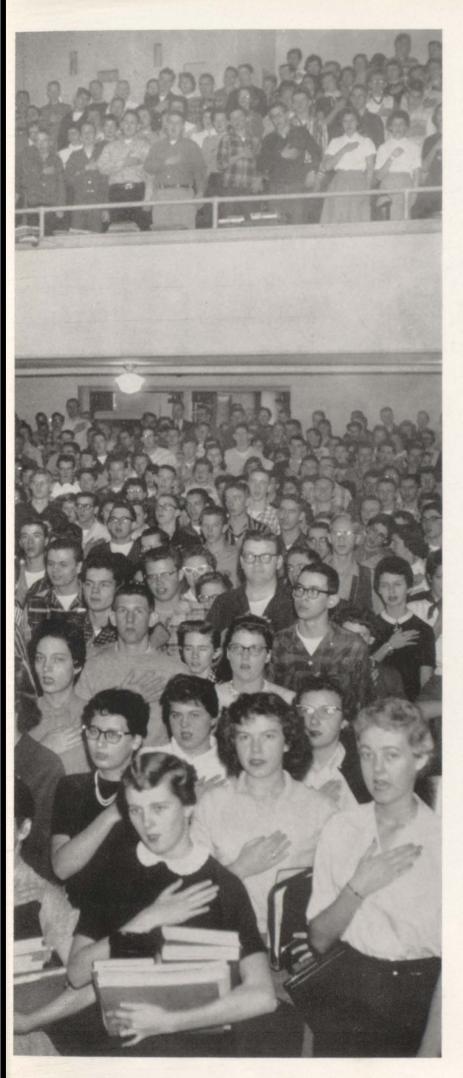
William Hart, John Ladd, Douglas Taylor, John Watson.

Sports . .

Larry Ellis, Richard Neece, Berry Seward.

Business . .

Paula Weese, Manager: Judith Dewitt, Carole Grieve, Sylvia Keith, Sharon Madison, Sandy McCoy, Beverly McDonough, Nancy McVey, Carolyn Orr, Susie Pinkerton, Phyllis Rinehart, Marjorie Sadich, Myra Smithson, Diane Vinovich.



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Pledge of Allegiance opens a morning assembly.

Departments and Faculty

The locker is not only the theme of this book but the theme of the school. Many times a day a locker enters the life of the students. However, this metallic box is not reserved for students alone. In its various shapes, the locker becomes a necessary item for the administrators and the faculty. The teachers who try so diligently to teach and guide each fresh delivery of students show their dependence on the boxes in the office, called the teachers' lockers . . .





Girls from clerical use the high school version of Univac in compiling data.



Fern Thomas, Phyllis Jones, Rosemary Shoemaker, and Linda Schueler investigate the array of duplicating machines available in Business Education.



Barbara Lack in clerical class slips the cards into the box, but she is only filing her nails.

Business

JOSEPH J. GROHOVSKY, M.S. Ed. Indiana University Basic Business, Distributive Education, Future Distributors.



JAMES HARRIS, M.A.

Department Chairman
Washington University
Clerical Practice. Basic Business, Typing, Assistant Track.



ADELINE LAKIN, M.A.
Northwestern University
Shorthand, Typing.



RICHARL L. PAYNIC, M.A. University of Illinois Typing, Bookkeeping, Business Manager.



MARY LOU WINTER. B.S. Western Illinois University Personal Typing, Clerical Practice, Secretarial Practice.





Freshmen sing lustily in one of the new twice-weekly classes. Two assemblies were presented by these newcomers, many of whom have discovered a hidden talent.



Woodwind section of the combined bands rehearses diligently. Instrumentalists perform in the Concert Band, Marching Band and some with the Wood Cats swing band.

Fine Arts





JEAN DEVAUD, B.F.A.

Department Chairman
University of Illinois
Art, Oiler, Quill and Scroll.



VERA E. JONES, A.B. Shurtleff College Vocal Music, Choral Ensembles, Christmas Pageant,



CHESTER L. HUGHES, B.S. Indiana State Instrumental Music. Wood Cats.





Machines speed the completion of garments designed by advanced clothing students.



"Scissor wizard" Sharon Blackburn performs the first step in the complicated process of dressmaking.

BERTHA M. DARLING, B.S.
Bradley University
Homemaking
Future Homemakers



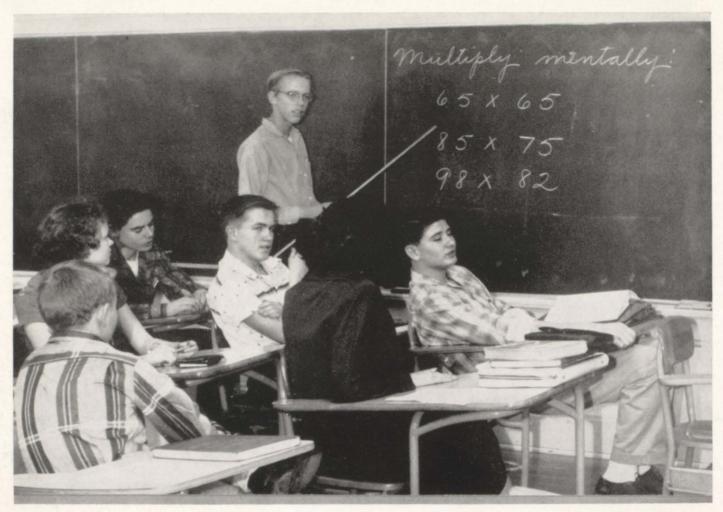
Homemaking

RUTH FINLEY, B.S.

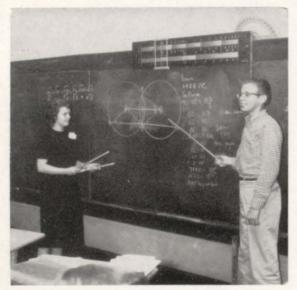
University of Illinois
Homemaking
Advanced Clothing
Family Living
Ass't. F.H.A.







"4,225 - - 6,375 - - 8,036," computes Wayne Hellemeyer. "I can do them with my eyes shut," confides Jack Wilson.



Randy Kienstra demonstrates a law of just plain geometry.



The Pythagorean Theorum gets a rise from the junior mathematicians.



Hidden talent stays hidden in Algebra when the "slip-sticks" come out.

Mathematics

FAVRE GOULD, M.A.

Department Chairman
Washington University
Trigonometry, Geometry, Algebra,
Tennis.





WILSON A. FULTON, M.A. Missouri State University Algebra.



OLIVE V. HICKS, M.A.

Northwestern University
Geometry, Algebra, Mathematics,



JOHN M. SPAETH, M.S.

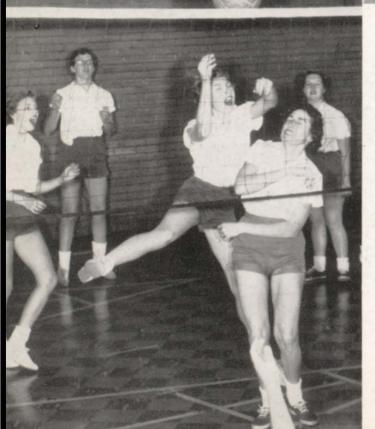
Southern Illinois University
Mathematics, Algebra, Metal
Shop. Student Council.

Seventeen



Two fists are better than one when the score gets close.

Spirited upper classmen block, leap, and dodge gracefully while on the offensive.





Helping hands aim the spheroid toward the hoop; but geometry or not, the shot is still worth only two points.



"1,238 - - 1,239 - - pant, pant - - 1,240! Aw, come on, Mr. Scharf." Bicep building for sophomores.



Miss Marvin, U of I student teacher, explains the skills in volleyball for eager freshmen.

Physical

Education



MARILYN DEVAUD, B.S.

Department Chairman
University of Illinois
Girls' Physical Education
Girl's Athletic Association



RUTH MOSS, B. S.
Oklahoma College for Women
Girls' Physical Education
Cheerleaders



BARBARA J. MUTZ, B.S. University of Illinois Girls' Physical Education Cheerleaders



MARGARET POAG, R.N., B.S., Shurtleff College Future Nurses Club Health, School Nurse



FRED SCHARF, M.S.
Millikin University
Boys' Physical Education
Cross Country, Wrestling,
Track and Field



ORIVELL YOCUM, M.A.
University of Wyoming
Boys' Physical Education
Lettermen's Club, Football,
Freshman Basketball



Four homo sapiens prudently prod a RANA PIPIENS, Translation: Gig it!

Don Steinberg adds the oxidizing agent to the dextrose and levilose which Mary Jane Smithson has concocted while Bob Oetting adds thermal energy which is reaching the kindling temperature. Translation: Pour in a little more.



Natural Science

OR ENGINERAL CORP.

Larry Moore and Allen Powers conduct an independent experiment to test the powers of Bufferin in reaching the blood-stream twice as fast as aspirin. Translation: I've got a splitting headache.



HOWARD A. OETTING, M.A., Department Chairman Washington University Chemistry, Biology, Geometry, Junior Engineers



JAMES ARNOLD. B.S.
Illinois State Normal
Physics. Advanced Algebra,
Junior Engineers



RAYMOND WALKER, M.S.
University of Illinois
Senior Science. General Science,
Junior Engineers,
Freshman Football



ROBERT P. ZARUB. M.S. Western Illinois University Biology, Atom Smashers



Gerry Campbell locates the salt mines of Siberia as object lesson for fellow freshmen in social studies.

U.S. History class demonstrates unusual concentration which is the key to the art of studying the past.





Joan Carlton and Sandy Langwisch find happy tidings among news which daily rocks our swiftly moving world.

RUTH M. STEEL, M.A. Department Chairman University of Missouri American History, Sociology



VALLIE ROBINSON, M.S. Monmouth College Social Studies, American History, Ass't. Football, Ass't. Wrestling

ROBERT E. VASEY, M.A. University of Iowa U. S. History



RUTH WATSON, M.S. University of Illinois Social Studies, Student Council

Social Science



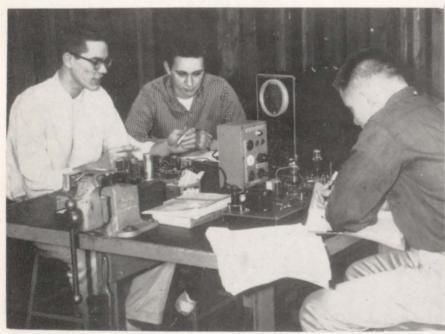
CHARLES SUMMERS, B.A. McKendree College World History, Baseball, J.V. Basketball





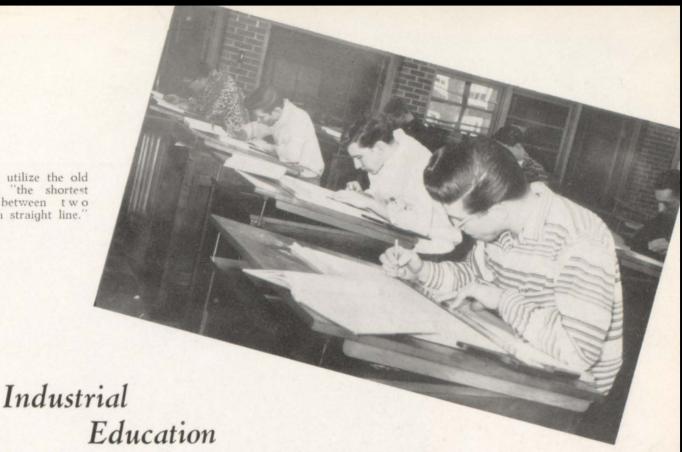
Building Trades class administers blows, strokes, and scrapes on a variety of household gimmicks.

Radiomen Keber, Zagar, and Lipe collaborate with the "IGY" to track "Sputnick."



"Stars and Stripes" may soon be needed if that hand doesn't eject from between the offset press and the Sandburr.





Draftsmen utilize the old rule that "the shortest distance between two points is a straight line."

WALLACE G. STEVENSON. M.S., Department Chairman Adult Education Director, Vocational Machine Shop, Industrial Education Club



VERNON W. HOECHE, M.Ed. University of Illinois Electricity, Radio Club



RICHARD COX, B.S. Kansas State Teachers Printing, Drivers Training



HENRY J. STUDNICKI, M.S. Bradley University Welding, Machine Shop, Driver Education, Industrial Education Club



RAYMOND E. FLOYD, M.A. Southern Illinois University Industrial Drawing, General Mathematics, Pep Club, Ass't. Football



LEROY H. WILEY, M.S. University of Illinois Wood Work, Building Trades





Rita Rice gives an extemporaneous speech on the benefit of co-education while Larry Ellis and Shirley Jones smile approval.



Students in reading are held spellbound by a Dickens of a good novel, **A Tale of Two Cities.**

A junior English class takes full advantage of the library in completing their term

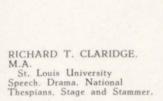
paper.



Senorita Howard checks the reference books on an Argentina city pointed out by Senor Mennerick.



LOOKWOOD E. WILEY, B.L.S.
Department Chairman University of Illinois English Literature, Librarian, Director of Coronation, Christmas Pageant.





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English.

HELEN CHRISTOE, M.A. University of Wisconsin English

AVIS B. SPRAGG, M.A. Columbia University English.

Language Arts



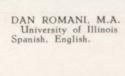
FRANCES HEWITT, M.A.
University of Missouri
English, Algebra,
Geometry, Oiler.





HELEN KRUEGER, B.S. Southeast Missouri State Latin, Sandburr.

GERALD MOORE, B.S.
Eastern Illinois University
English.





HELEN PATISON, M.A. Washington University English, Stage and Stammer.

FRANCES E. SMITH. M.A. University of Illinois English. Reading.

Twenty-Seven



THE LIBRARY does not come under a particular department but it serves all subject areas. Typically here students are finding references for themes, browsing through the open stacks, and locating books by means of the card catalog. A new feature this year was the Picture of the Week, a display of student or professional painting and drawing.

Administration





VELORA BUSCHER
Dean of Girls
M. S.
Washington University



J. PAUL GARDNER Acting Superintendent M. A. University of Illinois

ELDON G. WHEELER
Dean of Boys
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University of Chicago

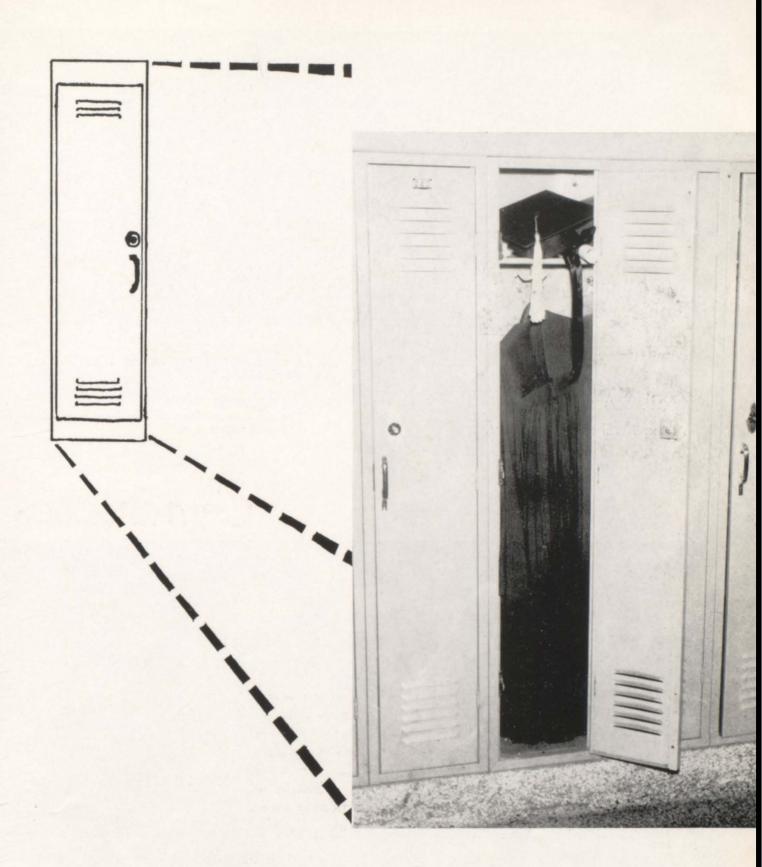


BOARD OF EDUCATION Seated: Mr. Smith, Mr. Skinner, Mr. Militello, secretary, Dr. Cooley, president, Dr. Hudson, Mr. Snow, Dr. Kelley; Standing: Mr. Paynic, business manager, Mr. Gardner, principal, Dr. Wheeler, assistant principal.



Graduates

The locker functions in a cycle which usually lasts four years. Many times the years bring about its deterioration, but all the injuries and insults are forgotten when the end of a cycle nears. Having been taken for granted, the locker assumes a beauty and dignity when it is dressed in the cap and gown for graduation. Then it beams as if alive, and shares with its owner the pride and joy of the occasion. After the ceremony is over, the old moves on, and once again it's just a locker . . .











EUGENE ABERNATHY

KAREN ADCOCK National Thespians 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 2; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Concert Band 1, 2, 4.

WENDELL AFFSPRUNG Lettermen's Club 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4.

TOM AMBURG Student Cabinet Rep. 3; Sandburr 3; Football 3, 4; Office Assistant 3, 4.









FORREST AUSTIN Industrial Education Club 3, 4; Football 1.

RUBY BALLENTINE

National Thespians 2, 3, 4, Vice-president 4, Executive Board 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1; Sandbur 3, 4, Editor 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 3; Future Teachers 2, 3, Secretary 2, Vice-president 3; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Voice of Democracy Winner 4.

SHARON BAUER Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Future Nurses 1; Concert Band 1.

CHARLES BEAN Office Assistant 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track.



Senior Class Officers

James Mennerick, President Jan Stringer, Vice-President Janice Helmkamp, Secretary

EDITH BECKHAM
Sandburr 4; Pep Club 2; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3; Office Assistant 2; Chemistry Club.

EDWARD BECKWITH

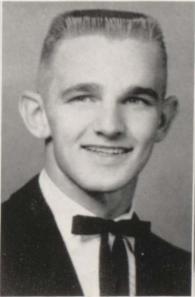
Student Cabinet Rep. 1; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Pep
Club 4; Choir 3; Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Wrestling 4.

BEVERLY BELDEN

EDWARD BERKEMEIER

Industrial Education Club 3, 4; Concert Band 1; Football 1, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.









Thirty-Three









PEGGY BICKMORE Sandburr 3; Pep Club 2.

JOANN BOOKER
Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 3; Junior Engineers 3, 4;
Pep Club 2; Future Homemakers 2; Concert Band 1, 2, 3.

JOEL BOOTH Student Cabinet Rep. 2, 4; Industrial Education Club 3, 4, President 4.

SHERRY BRIGMAN
Big Sisters 4; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorettes 3, 4.

Seniors







JANE CAIN



PAUL BRYANT
Student Cabinet Rep 1; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4;
Football Manager 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

DIANA BURRIS Oiler 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3.

JIM CHAPMAN Camera Club 2, 3; Concert Band 1, 2.

National Thespians 2, 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1; Melody Maids 3, 4; Mixed Chorus.

Thirty-Four

CHLOE CHAPPELL

Student Cabinet Rep. 4; National Thespians 2, 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 2; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3; Future Teachers 2, 3.

DENNIS CHILDS Color Guard 2, 3, 4; Football 1.



NANCY COTA

Big Sisters 2, 3, 4; Oiler 2, 3, 4, Editor 3, 4; Junior Engineers 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Future Teachers 2; Girls' Glee Club 2; Melody Maids 1, 2; Cheeleader 1, 2; Quill and Scroll 4.









MARTHA CUNNINGHAM

Stage and Stammer 1, 2, 3; National Thespians 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2.

ELLEN CURTIS

Pep Club 2, 3; Future Homemakers 1, 2; Girls' Glee
Club 1, 2.

PHYLLIS DARR Stage and Stammer 1, 4; Pep Club 4.

ROY DENTON

















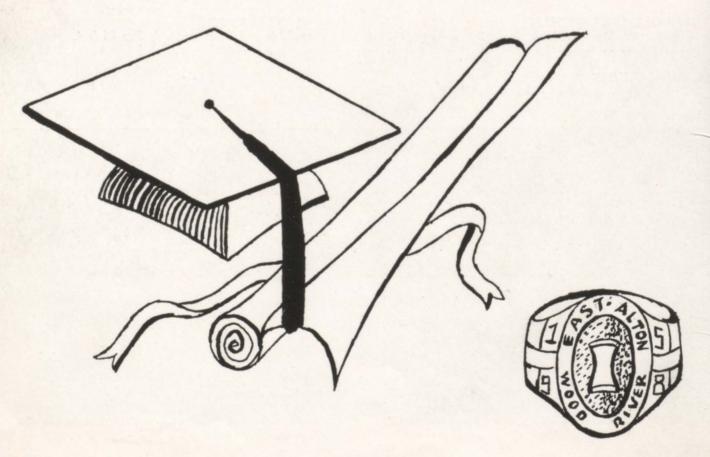
SUE DIAMOND Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Oiler 3; Big Sisters 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2; Pep Club 2; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Melody Maids 2, 3, 4.

JERRY DONA Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Office Assistant 4; Football 2, 3, Manager; Basketball 2, Manager.

PHILIP DUBA

KAYE DWIGGINS Pep Club 2.

Seniors



KAROL EARL
Oiler 2, 3, 4: Sandburr 3, 4: Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2,
3, 4: Pep Club 1, 2, 3: Camera Club 1, 2: Mixed
Chorus 3, 4: Girls' Chorus 2.

GARY EAST Lettermen's Club 3; Football 1; Tennis 1, 2. TAMERON EDEN
Oiler 1; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3; Pep Club 1, 4; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Executive Board 1, 2,; President 4; Office Assistant 1, 2, 3, 4.

LARRY ELLIS Oiler 3, 4; Sandburr 2, 4.

















CAROL ENDICOTT

JUDY FEATHERSTONE Stage and Stammer 1, 2, 3; Oiler 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3. ALAN FERGUSON Coronation Escort 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Vicepresident 4: Pep Club 4: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-captain 4: Basketball 1, 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4; Boys' State 3.

JEAN FRANKE Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2, 3, 4.









GLORIA FRANKLIN
Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 4; Pep Club 2; Future Homemakers 2, 4; Distributive Education Club 4; Concert Band 2, 3.

CAROL FRIEND Oiler 3; Pep Club 2.

BARNEY FULP Choir 1; Football 1.

NORMA GLOWEZEWSKIE Stage and Stammer 2; Oiler 1; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Pep Club 2; Sandburr 2, 4.

Seniors









ERMA GOEWEY

DAVID GRIEVE

Coronation Escort 4: Oiler 3, 4, Editor-in-chief 4; Sandburr 3; Junior Engineers 1, 2, 3, 4; Chief Engineer 4; Radio Amateur Club 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Thespians 4.

Thirty-Eight

TWILA GROVER
Oiler 3, 4; Sandburr 4; Pep Club 2.

BONITA HARP

Student Cabinet Rep. 2, 3; Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4.

ELEANOR HARPER
Oiler 2, 3; Sandburr 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 4; Future Homemakers 1, 2, 3, Secretary 2, Vice-president 3.

CHARLES HARRIS
Student Cabinet Rep. 4; Lettermens Club 2, 3, 4,
Secretary 4; Pep Club 4, President; Football 1,
Manager 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 3, 4.

ELLEN HARTMAN

National Thespians 4; Stage and Stammer 3; Oiler 4; Sandburr 3, 4, Editor.

BOB HARTSOCK









BOB HAYES

JOYCE HELM

Class Vice-president 2, 3; Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Cabinet Officer 4, Secretary; National Thespians 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Sandburr 3; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 4; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4.

BERDIE HEIL Choir 4.

JANICE HELMKAMP

Class Secretary 3, 4; Oiler 3; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers 2, 3, Secretary 2, 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4; Girls' State 3; D.A.R. Award 4.









Thirty-Nine

Seniors

PHYLLIS JONES
Big Sisters 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 3; Girls' Glee
Club 1, 2.

SHIRLEY JONES
Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Future
Nurses 2, 3, 4.

SHARON KASTNER
Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Future Homemakers 1; Distributive Education Club Treasurer 4; Office Assistant 2, 3.

KAY KEASLER
Oiler 3; Sandburr 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 4; Pep
Club 1, 4; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 1,
4; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 4.









TOMMY HILL Basketball 2; Track 1; Tennis 2.

DENNIS HINKLE
Distributive Education Club 4; Football 1; Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3.

LARRY HUBER
Student Cabinet Rep. 1; Sandburr 4; Football 1;
Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2.

PAUL INMAN Football 1, 2.









TERRY KIRBY Radio Amateur Club 1; Choir 1; Football 1; Tennis 1.

GLENDA KLAFFER
Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Future Homemakers 1, 2;
National Honor Society 2, 3, 4.

MIKE KNOX Industrial Education Club 1; Radio Amateur Club 3; Football 1; Wrestling 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

BARBARA LACK Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Future Homemakers 2.









TERRY LACKEY Distributive Education Club 4, Vice-president.

FRANK LAVITE





Coronation Pageant 1, 2, Crown Bearer, Dancer; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 2; Basketball 1; Tennis 2. GERRY LAMARSH

JOSEPH LAVITE







Outstanding Seniors

Janice Helmkamp and Allen Powers, D.A.R. and American Legion citizenship award winners, received an overwhelming vote of confidence from this year's graduating class.







JOAN LAWTON
Distributive Education Club 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

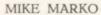
ROSE LILLEY

RAMONA LINK

DARLENE LLOYD Concert Band, 1, 2. JIM LYNCH

Coronation Pageant 4, Escort; Junior Engineers 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 3, 4.

ROSINA MALLEY



Coronation pageant 4, Queen's Escort; Oiler 1, 2; Junior Engineers 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Concert Band 1. 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Cocaptain 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3.

JIM MARTIN

















JIM MATHIAS
Leitermen's Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3.

GUILLERMO MAYORGA
Student Cabinet Rep. 4; National Thespians 4; Stage and Stammer 3; Junior Engineers 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4.

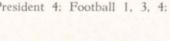
JAMES McDOW Industrial Education Club 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, Manager; Lettermen's Club 3.

MARK McGILL

Seniors

VERLA McKINNEY Concert Band 1, 2, 3.

DON McMILLEN Lettermen's Club 3, 4, President 4; Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 2.









JAMES MENNERICK

ANN MILLER

Class President 4; Coronation Pageant 4, Escort; National Honor Society 3, 4.

Oiler 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 3.











RONALD MILLER Industrial Education Club 4.

LARRY MOORE

Class Vice-president 1; Coronation Pageant 4, Royal Minister; Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 4; Student Cabinet Officer 4, President; National Thespians 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Engineers 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Pep Club 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Wrestling 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

RAMONA MOORE Future Teachers 2: Choir 1.

SHARON NEEMAN

Coronation Maid 4; Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Wood Cats 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 4; Madison County Festival 2, 3.









CHARLES NOWLIN Wood Cats 1, 2; Concert Band 1, 2.

BOB OETTING

Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 3, 4, Editor 4; Sandburr 2, 3; Junior Engineers 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Radio Amateur Club 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Football 4; Track 3; Wrestling 3, 4; Cross Country 3; Quill and Scroll 4.

SHARON ORR Big Sisters 4; Pep Club 3.

MARILYN OWENS

Student Cabinet Rep. 3; Sandburr 1; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 3, 4; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2.

BEVERLY PAGE

Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2, 3; Sandburr 3, 4.

BEVERLY PILGER

Sandburr 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Future Nurses 2; Future Homemakers 1, 2, 3, 4.

DARLENE PEARCE Future Nurses 1.

ALLEN POWERS

Coronation Pageant 4, Escort; Student Cabinet Rep. 2, 3, 4; Student Cabinet Officer 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Oiler 3, 4, Editor 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Football 1; Basketball 1; Track 1; Cross Country 2; American Legion Award 4.









Forty-Five

Seniors

DONALD PRICE

Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Football 1; Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 2.

BRUCE RADEMACHER

Class Secretary 1; Student Cabinet Rep. 1; Oiler 3; Football 1; Track 1.

SANDRA RENSHAW

National Thespians 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 3, 4, Editor 4; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4, Executive Board; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 2; Girls' Glee Club 2; Girls' State 3.

CATHERINE RETZER

Oiler 2, 3, 4, Editor 3; Sandburr 3, 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Pep Club 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Office Assistant 2, 3, 4; Graduation Procession Marshall 3.









LARRY REYNOLDS
Football 3; Wrestling 2.

RITA RICE

National Thespians 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 2; Sandburr 3, 4; Big Sisters 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2; Pep Club 2; Future Teachers 2, 3, Secretary 2; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorettes 3, 4.

PHYLLIS RINEHART

Oiler 2, 3, 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Choir 3; Girls' Glee Club 1; Melody Maids 2, 3; Mixed Ensemble 3.

LARY RINGERING

Student Cabinet Rep. 2; Football 1; Track 1, 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 3.









Forty-Six









JUDY ROBINSON

Class President 1; Coronation Queen 4; Coronation Pageant 1; Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2; Big Sisters 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 4; Future Teachers 1, 2; Melody Maids 1, 2.

MARY RYAN

Pep Club 2; Future Homemakers 1, 3, 4.

WILMA ROGERS

Oiler 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 4; Mixed Chorus 2.

BILL ROOSE

Coronation Pageant, Crown Bearer 1; Student Cabinet Rep. 4; Radio Amateur Club 3; Football 1; Tennis 3; Wrestling 2, 3, 4.









DANNY SADICH Fcotball 1; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

DOROTHY SCHMIDT

Pep Club 1, 2; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2.

GINGER SCHMIDT Future Nurses 2.

DON SCHUBERT

Industrial Education Club 1, 2; Tennis 3.









LINDA SCHUELER Future Homemakers 2, 3.

ROSE SEARCY Student Cabinet Rep. 3, 4; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4, Executive Board; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3, Secretary; Pep Club 2; Girls' Glee Club 2.

LINDA SCOTT
Pep Club 1; Future Homemakers 1, 2.

DOROTHY SEITZINGER Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 3, 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 1, 4; Future Homemakers 1.









MICKEY SHETLEY Basketball 1; Tennis 3.

LAURIE SKEI
Student Cabinet Rep. 2, 3; National Thespians 2, 3, 4,
President 4; Stage and Stammer 1, 2, 3, President 3;
Sandburr 3; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls Athletic Ass'n. 1,
2; Pep Club 2.

ROSEMARY SHOEMAKER Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 2, 3, 4, President 3; Pep Club 4.

JUDITH SMITH
Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Sandburr 4; Girls' Athletic
Ass'n. 1; Future Homemakers 2, 3; Distributive Education Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 1; Melody Maids 3.

MARY JANE SMITHSON Office Assistant 2.

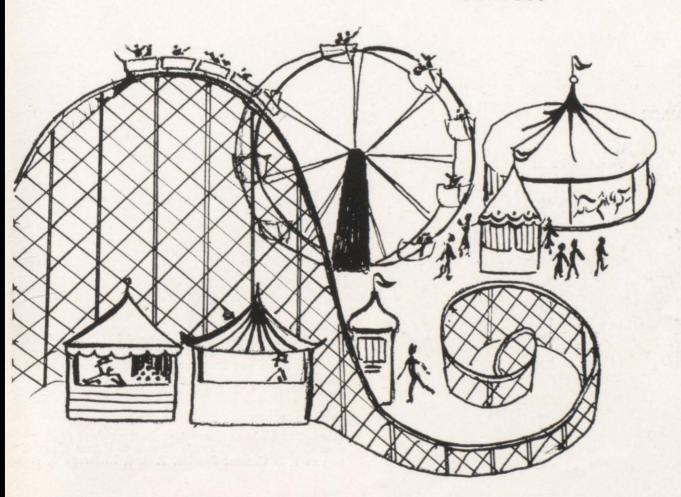
DOROTHY SPANN
Stage and Stammer 1; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Future Homemakers 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, President 4; Concert Band 1, 2.

MIKIE SPARKS
Class Vice-President 1; Sandburr 3, 4, Editor 4; Big
Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 3; Pep Club 2, 3;
Future Homemakers 1, Treasurer; Future Teachers 3.

WAYNE STANDEFER Choir 1; Football 1.



Seniors







PHYLLIS STASSI

Coronation Maid 4; Coronation Pageant Page 1, 2; Big Sisters 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3; Concernt Band 1, 2; Majorettes 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Student Cabinet Rep. 1.

DON STEINBERG

Oiler 4; Sandburr 3; Junior Engineers 1, 2, 3, 4; Radio Amateur Club 3; Boys' State 3.

Seniors

TOM STRACK

BONNIE STREMMING

Oiler 1, Future Homemakers 2; Distributive Education Club 4, Secretary.





BRENDA STEVENSON

National Thespians 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Oiler 2, 3; Big Sisters 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2.

RANDALL STOVER

Coronation pageant 1, Crown bearer; National Thespians 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 3; Football Manager 1; Tennis 1, 2.









JAN STRINGER

Class Vice-president 4; Coronation Maid 4; Student Cabinet Rep. 4; National Thespians 2, 3, 4, Historian 4; Stage and Stammer 1, 2; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Choir 3, 4; Melody Maids 1, 2, 3; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4.

BARBARA TIMAR

Coronation Maid 4; Coronation Pageant Page 3; Student Cabinet Rep. 1, 2; Big Sisters 4; Future Homemakers 1, 2; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4.

CAROLE TODD

National Thespians 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Stage and Stammer 1; Oiler 2, 3; Sandburr 4; Big Sisters 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 4; Future Nurses 1; Chorus 1, 2.

SHARON TUTTLE

Coronation Pageant 1; Pep Club 2; Future Nurses 1, 2.

EDGAR TOHILL

Class Vice-president 1; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Baseball 3, 4; Cross Country 3.

JOHN USSERY



JIM WALL
Oiler 3, 4; Sandburr 3, 4; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

ELEANOR WEBB

Student Council Rep. 2; Big Sisters 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3.

LEE WALLACE Football 1, 2.

PAUL WETTER

Student Council Rep. 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Camera Club 1, 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1.

JANE WHITE Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1; Future Homemakers 1, 2, 3.

TERRY WILLIAMS
Coronation Pageant Herald 4; Student Council Rep. 1,
3; National Thespians 4; Sandburr 4; Junior Engineers
4; Wood Cats 3, 4; Concert Band 2, 3, 4; Football 1.

JUDY WOOLRIDGE Future Nurses 1, 2, 3; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2.

SANDY WRIGHT Stage and Stammer 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Ass'n. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Homemakers 1; Future Teachers 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 3.



HUBERT YODER Class President 2, 3; Oiler 2, 3, 4; Sandburr 3, 4; Industrial Education Club 1; Football 1; Track 2; Cross Country 2.

FRED RICHARDSON Wood Cats 1, 2, 3; Concert Band 1, 2, 3.

LOWELL ROBERSON

JUDY RUSHTON

Seniors exchange name cards, an annual spring rite. Eagerly amassing their collections are Randall Stover, Terry Lackey, Bonnie Stremming, Rosemary Shoemaker, and Ellen Hartman.



SENIORS NOT PICTURED

Mary Sue Batty Roger Carnes Bob Couch Jim Dewitt Carmelita Forbes Shirley Frazier Bob Full Don Grable Donald Keber Jerry McCann Fern Thomas Albert Travis Carl Zagar





DONNA SCHUBERT

CLARA SAUNDERS

Seniors

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ERMA NOASCONA

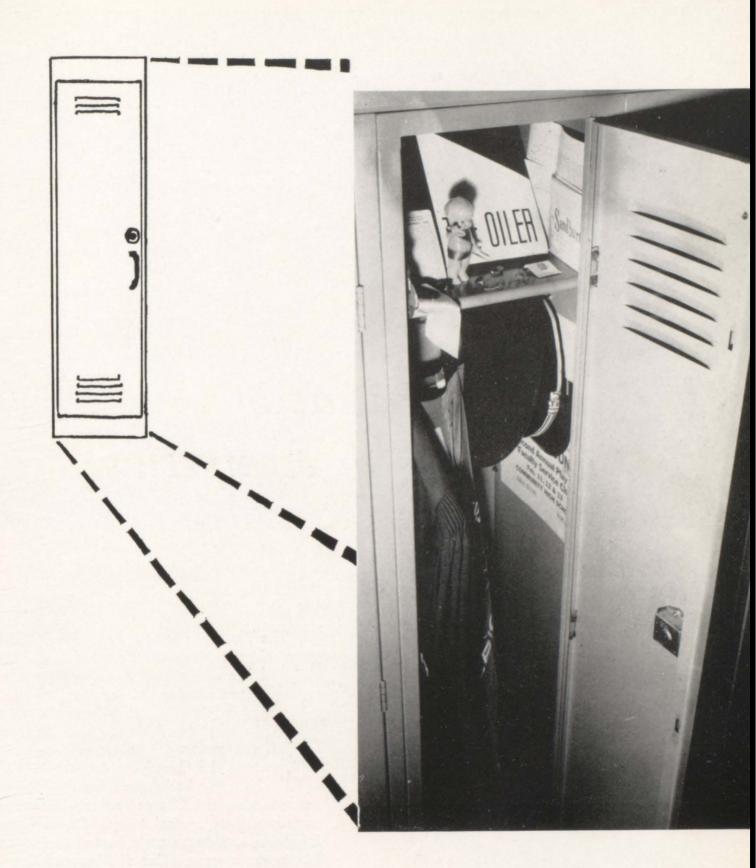


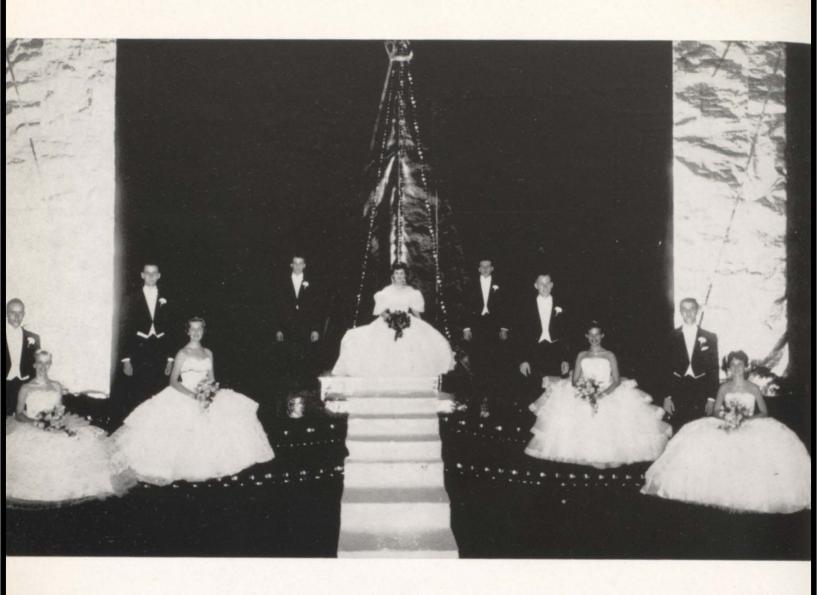


Fifty-Three

Organizations and Activities

The locker, in a pretense of being a servant to its owner, wishes the best for its master, knowing that memories cannot be formed on the trite and commonplace. Laughs and joys of high school youth diminish to a minimum unless the student tries to obtain all from school that is possible. Organizations and activities are many in the school, offering not only the occasions for fond remembrances but sentimental, material rewards, found carefully tucked away in the locker . . .





Pageantry and Pomp
Prevail At
30th Coronation

The Thirtieth Queen of the Harvest, Miss Judy Robinson, was radiant as she came to the scene of her coronation. After receiving her crown, she promenaded and bowed to her many subjects. She then gracefully ascended the white carpeted steps to her throne. The deep wine-colored curtain and two gold panels directly behind the Queen and her maids provided a glittering background for their lovely gowns. After the Chorus and the Band had completed their musical tribute, Queen Judy, her maids, and their escorts formed a reception line in the outer corridor of Memorial Gymnasium.



Queen Judy



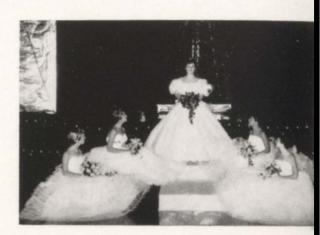
Fifty-Seven

Maids of the





Miss Sharon Neeman



Miss Barbara Timar





Royal Court





Miss Jan Stringer



Miss Phyllis Stassi







A typical example of the feverish campaign waged prior to the Coronation.

Miss Judy Kay Blacklock and her escort, Greg Robertson, bids farewell to her subjects as the final hours of her reign came to a dramatic ending.



Carefully planned decorations designed by the advanced art staff create a beautiful background for the crowning of the queen.

Phases and Facets



The servants of the court, who make a premature appearance, are Larry Moore, Royal Minister; Terry Williams, Royal Herald; Lewis Mennerick, Royal Messenger; Lester Graham, Royal Equerry.



Practice bows and curtsies are made by the finalists who are supervised by Miss Christoe.



Taking time from hectic waiting to appear calm are the escorts. Top to bottom: David Grieve, Allen Powers, Alan Ferguson, Mike Marko, Jim Mennerick, and Jim Lynch.

Beneath a perforated umbrella of maroon and gold danced the royal subjects, celebrating the night of the thirtieth annual Coronation.



of Coronation



An active campaign brings out many unique and imaginative ideas.

Band Plays
Busy Schedule
At Home
And Away

Whether a student is a member of the Marching Band or the Concert Band, he is assured of being a part of many events during the school year. At football and basketball games the band is on hand to provide stirring music; at the coronation it sets the tone of regality and romance; at commencement it sounds the farewell note to the graduates.

Last fall the band took part in Wood River's Fiftieth Anniversary parade, the East



Front row: Sharon Neemann, Lanny Brazier, David Grieve, Paul Grenzeback, Jo Ann Dworzynski, Jerilyn Bradley; Second row: Lydia Holden, Barbara Timar, Ronnie Ingersoll, Ruby Ballentine, Billie Schillinger, Raymond Todd, Judy Carlton, Deanna Smith, Sherry Brigman; Third row: Marilyn Ellis, Jane Coale, Sharon Blackburn, Jim Maneke, Bill Stewart, Ronald Kohlmiller, Lester Graham, Mike Mefford, Richard Weise, Kenyard Carstens, Mike Rice.

Alton Hallowe'en parade, and the Southern Illinois University homecoming celebration. In the spring the group went on tour in Missouri. In all these activities the school had reason to be proud of its representatives.

In October the advanced students attended the Madison County Sight Reading Conference, and in March they played host to the All-County Music Festival, held in the Memorial Gym with Mr. Frederick Ebbs of the University of Iowa as guest conductor.

Director: Mr. Hughes



Brass section readies itself with a Bach chorale for the mid-winter concert.



Front row: Sarah Myers, Barbara Beal, Kay Atkins, Janet Allen, Kay Matejka, Sharon Vroman, Rita Rice; Second row: Joyce Mercer, John Guccione, Karen Adcock, Jim Wall, Ned Coulson, Darrell Waters, Robert Hewitt, Dick Neece, Harold Smithson, Sally Allen; Third row: Betty Meyers, Richard Worthen, Curtis Rister, Don Accord, Louis Mennerick, Joan Carlton, Nickolas Adcock, Terry Williams, Janet Paulos, Carol Burris.

Tantalizing Tricks In Tails and Top Hats

To help liven any occasion, the students call on the Majorettes. With their sparkling uniforms and lively routines the Majorettes lead the Band during halftime at our home football games. This year, the Majorettes marched in the Wood River Golden Anniversary Celebration making a fine showing in high stepping cadence. Last fall they journeyed to Carbondale to represent our

school in Southern Illinois University's Homecoming Parade.

The Majorettes have two sets of uniforms. They wear short white pleated skirts and maroon coats while performing at football games, and dress in white shorts and coats trimmed in maroon while marching in parades. All of the Majorettes belong to the Band.

Advisor: Mr. Hughes

Kneeling: Sharon Neeman, Barbara Timar, Sherry Bidgman. Standing: Sharon Vroman, Bette Meyers, Rita Rice.





Winter Audience Warms Toward Classics



Captivating clarinetists, Misses Blackburn, Ellis, Coale, make way from band room to stage.



Back stage glimpse of the concert shows hard-working bandsmen completing a strenuous se-

At the Mid-Winter Concert the audience was treated to some excellent music by both the Concert Band and the guest artist, Mr. Earl O. Bates, principal clarinetist of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. Even the confirmed "rock and roll" enthusiasts agreed that the highbrow music was well worth hearing. Mr. Hughes is to be complimented on his well-disciplined band.



Servers in geisha costumes enliven the refreshment table.

Tea House Dance Is Big



"Tea House of the August Moon," was the exotic theme of the Big Sisters all formal dance. Glowing Chinese lanterns, strung across the dance floor, created an oriental atmosphere. A large painted Buddah sat at the top of the center stairs surrounded by maroon velvet and silver lame draping. A silver screen sparkling with red and blue light provided background for the refreshment table. The doorways formed entrances to silver temples aglitter with vari-colored lights.

A steaming, bubbling lime-colored punch and tea cookies were served by girls in oriental costumes.

A quartet of guests "wait for a slow one."



Sister Fall Success

Guests taste the smoldering punch cautiously.





Harvest Queen Judy Robinson and "Rocko" Wetter rock!

Three couples are caught in various moods of syncopation.



Sixty-Seven

Freshman Welcome Starts Big Sister Year

Big Sisters are the first upper classmen the freshmen see when they enter high school on Freshman Day. These girls are all juniors and seniors who serve our school in many ways, such as ushering at the band concerts and P.T.A. Open House.

The girls are chosen on the basis of service to the school. The group has many activities of its own. During the year the Big Sisters sponsor the Alumni Reunion Tea, Fall Formal Dance, Bow Day, and their own Pledge Tea.

This organization was founded by Miss Velora Buscher, Dean of Girls, and has served our school for the past 21 years.

Advisor: Miss Buscher





First Row: Sandy Renshaw, Phyllis Stassi, Barbara Timar, Sharon Orr, Nancy Cota, Judy Crull, Phyllis Jones, Bette Dickerson, Sue Diamond; Second row: Ruby Ballentine, Joyce Helm, Janice Helmkamp, Sharon Neemann, Susan Hale, Carole Todd, Suzie Pinkerton, Rose Searcy; Third row: Phyllis Rhinehat, Mikie Sparks, Eleanor Webb, Judy Robinson, Karen Wilson, Susie Hayes, Sally Hale, Tammy Eden, Harriet Garrison, Jan Stringer; Fourth row: Janet Hamilton, Carolyn Pinkerton, Brenda Stevenson, Rita Rice, Marolyn Pinkerton, Chloe Chappel, Laurie Skei, Judy Featherstone, Martha Cunningham, Catherine Retzer.



Front row: Sharon Mullady, Connie Buckner, Judy Taynor, Bonnie Buckner, Ellen Hartman, Joyce Wageman, Carole Spiller, Marilyn Ellis, Sharon Schmidt: Second row: Gerry Campbell, Sandy Renshaw, Nancy Hicks, Wilma Rogers, John Watson, Jerry Rister, Ellen Belt, Sandy Langwisch, Twila Grover, Ruth Ann Scott; Third row: Carolyn Pinkerton, Becky Skundrich, Catherine Retzer, Larry Ellis, Jim Wall, Bill Hert, John Ladd, Joyce Karns; Fourth row: Bonnie Link, Gwyneth Dillard, Robert Proffer, Richard Neece, Landon Brazier, David Grieve, Don Steinberg, Allen Powers, Hubert Yoder, Carolyn Waterman.



Oiler Business Staff Front row: Carole Grieve, Myra Smithson, Diane Vinovich, Sylvia Keith, Paula Weese, Susie Pinkerton; Second row: Marjorie Sadich. Sandra McCoy, Nancy Mc-Vey, Judy DeWitt, Beverly McDonough.

Advisors Miss Hewitt, Mr. Devaud

Editors: David Grieve, Bob Oetting, Allen Powers, Sharon Schmidt, Nancy Cota, Sandy Renshaw, Carolyn Pinkerton, Hubert Yoder, Paula Weese.

We Humbly Submit

What can be said for the Yearbook Staff? Between this cover lies the answer. In this one book are all the meetings, all the assignments, and all the fun which will be recalled when one thinks of his days on the staff.

The staff was divided into various groups which handled the different sections of the book. These groups were headed by eight editors who served to correlate and organize the information, stories, and pictures presented by the individual staff members. No individual, however, can take credit for the Oiler, which is a single thing shaped and built by all who strove to create it.

Working on the '58 Oiler has been strenuous but enjoyable. The staff hopes the reader will pause and think of its effort as he passes this page.



Seated: Allen Powers, Joyce Helm, Larry Moore, Ned Bacheldor; Front row: Kay Gowan, Donna Ireland, Janet Rich, Janice Militello, Joyce Hendrickson, Paula Biondolillo, Phyllis Jones, Rose Searcy, Charlene Harper, Nancy Rye, Jim Oldham, Franny Errandi; Second row: Carol Cason, Judy Berry, Randy Kienstra, Jane Dewlen, Laurie Skei, Janice Helmkamp, Dean Burk, Pam Greenshields, Pat Pitchford, Bill Roose, Mary Bracken, Bette Dickerson; Third row: Brenda Rees, Janice Stogsdill, Bonnie Leavell, Rose Fry, Judy Crull, Bruce Hammann, Bill Mayorga, Bill Sherer, Sally Hale, Betty Meyers, Susan Hale, Joyce Karns, Phil Eslinger; Fourth row: Ron Walkington, Roger Carnes, Karen Wilson, Jan Stringer, Chloe Chappell, Marolyn Pinkerton, John Ebbert, William Stewart, Mike Mefford, John Heck, Mike Napp, Paul Wetter, Ray Tucker.

Council Benefits are School-Wide

Student Council plans many things for the benefit of all of us. It provides a measure of self-government, promotes numerous school activities, and helps develop respect for our school. Student Council works in all ways toward the best interests of the students and the school.

Among the varied activities sponsored by the Student Council this year were the Sock Hop, election of class officers, care of the student center, publication of the Buzz Book, and the revision of the Student Council constitution.

Members are elected from their home rooms and must have at least a "C" average. All class officers are also members. Student Council can be proud of being one of the oldest in this area. It belongs to the national and state organizations of student councils.

Advisors: Mrs. Watson, Mr. Spaeth.
Officers: Larry Moore, Ned Bacheldor, Joyce
Helm, Allen Powers.



St. Louis Symphony

"East Side" music lovers came this year to Wood River for the St. Louis Symphony's fall visit. Nearly 2000 high school students from neighboring towns crowded into Memorial Gym for an hour of light and long-haired music.

Frosh Singers

A new tradition was started this year when the massed freshman class chorus performed for the Thanksgiving Assembly. Seated in the coveted senior section, the lower classmen sang lustily.







Style Show

Most fashionable spring event was the Home Economics Style Show. On a rainbow decorated stage the talented seamstresses modeled their own creations ranging from peddlepushers to formals.

Seventy-One



Zan looks for more mischief.

Brightly painted scenery and a wide array of costumes provided a colorful setting for the opening of our fall dramatics season.

"The Emporer's New Clothes" is based on an old fairy tale. It deals with an extremely vain oriental emperor who loved his gorgeous clothes as well as he loved himself. The Emperor and his villainous Minister of the Robes are shown up for the fools they actually are by two roguish scalawags named Zar and Zan.

One outstanding feature of the play was costuming. Many of the costumes were authentic, having been brought from China before the outbreak of war. The remaining costumes were designed and reproduced by students.

Fairy Tale Delights Young and Old

Han, the Minister of Robes, repents his misdeeds as citizens threaten angrily.



Seventy-Two



Zar and Zan are captured by the outraged weavers in front of their homes on the "Street of the Weavers".

Principle characters, Zan (Sandy Jamerson), Zar (Phil Eslinger), the meek Empress (Jan Stringer), the Emporer (David Hord), Minister of the Robes (Terry Williams), and the General (Gerry LaMarsh), parade across the stage.



Seventy-Three



Front row: Carole Todd, Sandy Renshaw, Ruby Ballentine, Jan Stringer, Phil Eslinger; Second row: Jane Cain, Joyce Helm, Carole Cox, Ellen Hartman, Susie Pinkerton, Sandy Mullady, Judy Crull; Third row: Bill Mayorga, Karen Adcock, Donetta Sutton, Brenda Stevenson, Lorna Wilbur, Janet Rambo, Virginia Orr: Fourth row: Bonnie Link, Chloe Chappell, Dennis Reeder, David Hord, Tom Burk, Larry Moore, Rita Rice, Janet Hamilton, Karen Wilson, Sandy Jamerson.

Dramatists Direct Play Series

National Thespians is the dramatic organization whose main aim is "the promotion of dramatics in the secondary schools." Eligibility for Thespian initiation is gained by earning ten points (100 hours of work) in staging or acting in plays and musicals. Some of this year's activities have been an Officer's Conference for this area, student-directed one-act plays, and the annual National Thespian Banquet at which awards were given. Highest recognition from the troupe is the Best Thespian Award presented to the outstanding worker for the cause of dramatic art.

Advisor: Mr. Claridge.

Officers: Laurie Skei, Ruby Ballentine, Carole

Todd, Jan Stringer, Sandy Renshaw,

Phil Eslinger.

Stage & Stammer Understudies Thespians

The curtain rises, and the play begins. Minutes later the curtain lowers and applause fills the room. Who can resist the thrill of being part of this?

This is the idea behind the Stage and Stammer Club, which strives to interest high school students in the dramatic arts. Acting, back-staging, and make-up techniques are learned by those interested as they earn points toward the National Thespian Organization.

Stage and Stammer has no membership qualifications except a fondness for drama and a desire to work. The club takes pride in being the first step toward an experience in dramatics.

Advisor: Mrs. Patison.
Officers: Phil Eslinger, Jack Simons,
Ruth Mitchell.



S & S crew prepares flats for the winter production.



Front row: Marilyn Ellis, Jan Story, Marilyn LaMarsh, Phil Eslinger, Patrich Turley, Jan Millikan, Evelyn Jamerson, Joyce Hendrickson, Sharon Mullady; Second row: Sandy Vaughn, Lydia Holder, Gerry Campbell, Gayle Watson, Brenda Hendrickson, LaDonna Booth, Brenda Rees, Judy Earlton, Sandy McCoy; Third row: Becky Skundrich, Joan Stone, Barbara Holbrook, Karen Odle, Donna Haner, Pat Pitchford, Kay Zimpel, Paula McCoy, Joyce Karns, Joan Carlton:; Fourth row. Anne Kirk, Ruth Mitchell, Ray Todd, Jerry Gann, Mary Lou Fish, Rosalie Dwyer, Esther Teat, Kay Howard, Beverly McDonough.



The lonely husband confides his troubles to Doctor Colline (Bob Campbell).

Comedy, entertainment, and clever acting brought the dramatic season to a memorable conclusion in 1957.

"The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife" is an amusing account of a lawyer's marriage to a girl who had been unable to speak since early childhood. The lonely husband confers with doctors to help his wife. This he later regrets. After recovering her speech, the wife finds it extremely difficult to keep quiet. The poor husband, wearied by her incessant chatter again consults the doctors only to learn that nothing can be done except for him to become deaf - - which is quickly accomplished.

"Over Tones," a fantasy in one act, opened the evening. It is the humorous story of the two very prim and proper women and their struggle with their cultured selves and their lesser selves.

One Act Comedy



Seventy-Six

"My dear, I have an idea that will enable you to talk," says Judge Botal (Ken Kistner) to his speechless wife Catherine (Mary Lynn Smith).



The doctors prepare to render Judge Botal deaf.



"How nice to speak to all cf you!" Catherine descends the stairs showing everyone how she can now talk.

Closes Dramatic Season



"Here we go 'round the mulberry bush!" Merchants go mad from Catherine's incessant talking.

"My dearest, my darling, only death -- or a trip to Turkey -- can separate us," ad libs Kenny.



Seventy-Seven

"Gloria
in
excelsis
Deo"

The Christmas Pageant



THREE KINGS, played by Mike Marko, Allan Powers, and Bruce Rademacher, bring their gifts from far away kingdoms



MARY, portrayed by Judy Robinson, cradles the Baby Jesus in her arms.



SHEPHERDS, acted by David Grieve, Alan Ferguson, and Raymond Todd, follow the star to Bethlehem.



THE LOWLY MANGER becomes a gathering place for the mighty and the lowly, the heavenly and the earthly, who gaze in wonderment upon the Son of God.

Accompanists and soloists for the Pageant pose after the performance. Center: Martha Cunningham, Janice Helmkamp; Back: Sharon Neeman, Mike Burris, Bill Mayorga, Bruce Schoeneweis, Jane Fry, Judith Bermes, Ned Bacheldor, Sandra Vance, Myra Jennings.



Seventy-Nine



Back Stage Before

Practice, practice, and more practice - - that's what makes perfect.

"Now, let's try that again."



And a few tips from the Director help.

"Look startled, and whirl to face the audience."



The prop room is a little cramped; sets get broken up.

"This trellis could stand a few nails."

the Big Night

This series of pictures was taken during the production of three one-act plays presented last January. The plays were under the direction of the Thespians, and the casts were made up of members of State and Stammer. Proceeds from ticket sales went to the March of Dimes.



Setting up the scenery is a major undertaking.

"How will we ever be able to make it that night?"

Last minute adjustments on the lights are needed.

"Keep that spot on the action!"



It's the night; the audience is filing in. Nervousness overtakes the cast.

"Will I be good?"

Then, the house lights dim, and - - "It's play night!"



Eighty-One



Glee Club

Front row: Sharon Duncan, Simetta Harp, Donna Whittleman, Judy Wooden, Pat Brown, Carole Spiller, Cecily Lowery, Anne Sheraka, Sharon Liley, Pam Greenshields; Second row: Claudia Lotz, Geraldine Koenig, Evelyn Jamerson, Shirley Holtman, Jane Fry, Joan Goble, Billie Sanchez, Vicki Cunningham, Sandy Jamerson; Third row: Brenda Rees, Donna Gibson, Edna Holbrook, Charlotte Warner, Kay Fiedenbaum, Carmen Allen, Barbara Clarkson, Sandy McCoy, Jeane Dewlen, Jackie Walker, Nancy Courtright, Becky Skundrich, Pat Pitchford; Fourth row: Joyce Jones, Carole Houser, Judy Todd, Carol Cason, Faye Ann Pees, Carolyn Orr, Wanda Eihausen, Ruth Murray, Myra Jennings, Donetta Sutton, Roberta Whitten, Gayle Woolverton.

Vocalists Serve Both School and Public



Choralettes

Front row: Jane Fry, Judy Wooden.

Second row: Nancy Courtright, Roberta Whitten, Jackie Walker.

Third row: Jeane Dewlen, Barbara Clarkson, Sandy Mc-Coy, Carolyn Orr.

Fourth row: Carmen Allen, Kay Fiegenbaum, Carole Houser.

Mixed Ensemble

Front row: Janice Helmkamp, Kay Keasler, Sondra Vance, Sharon, Neeman, Jan Stringer, Sue Diamond, Bonita Harp, Wilma Rogers.

Back row: Joyce Helm, Bill Mayorga, Ned Bacheldor, John Simons, Jim Zacny, Dennis Reeder.

Advisor: Miss Jones.



Choir

First row Sondra Vance, Dorothy Schmidt, Joan Stone, Joyce Helm, Janice Helmkamp, Sharon Neeman, Wilma Rogers, Jane Cain, Bette Dickerson; Second row: Jan Stringer, Kay Keasler, Birdie Heil, Janet Rambo, Douglas Trautt, Patrick Turley, Sue Diamond, Judy Woolridge, Martha Cunningham; Third row: Wayne DeVault, Dennis Reeder, Larry Hale, Kenny McMillen, Phil Eslinger, Mike Burris, Terry Abernathy, Bonita Harp, Janet Hamilton; Fourth row: Ned Bacheldor, Bob Borman, Bernard Moore, Gary Jenkins, Jim Zacny, Bill Mayorga, Richard Haas, Richard Wiegand, John Simons, Jerry Arnold.



Front row: Allen Powers, David Grieve, Bob Oetting, Janice Helmkamp, Catherine Retzer; Back row: Larry Moore, Wendell Affsprung, James Mennerick. Not pictured is Glenda Klaffer, who transferred from Eldorado, Illinois.

NHS Shows School's Cross-Section

National Honor Society was established to recognize high school students of high quality in the realms of scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Membership is restricted to the top scholars and leaders of the junior and senior classes.

A check of the attainment records of this select group will show that, though

small, the NHS members present a cross-section of the community and the school. Athletes, actors, writers, musicians, and scientists are all represented. Many of the members are proficient in several of these vocations or avocations. Excelling both in and out of class is a great service to oneself, one's school, and one's community.

Advisor: Miss Buscher

Best Journalism Recognized by Q & S

Quill and Scroll is an international honorary organization for high school students who are on the staffs of the yearbooks, newspapers, and other school publications. Juniors and Seniors who have shown ability in journalistic endeavors are eligible for membership.

Members of the local chapter are editors chosen from the Sandburr and

Oiler staffs. They are initiated in a formal ceremony, at which time they are presented pins which symbolize their achievement and the honor of belonging to this elite group. No activities are planned since it is purely an honorary organization.

Advisor: Mr. Devaud



Front row: Nancy Cota, Ruby Ballentine, Paula Weese, Ellen Hartman; Back row: Carolyn Pinkerton, Ron Hass, David Grieve, Bob Oetting, Allen Powers, Mikie Sparks. Not pictured is David Apple.



Dancers Find

Junior - Senior class students and their guests found themselves waltzing in a "Spring's Dream," the theme for the 1956-57 Prom. Six large and gaily decorated butterflies flew to and fro, while a huge one hovered above three enormous sunflowers.

Ellen Hartman and Rita Rice put the finishing touches on the butterflies.



Eighty-Six



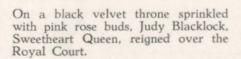
Marilyn Rhodes and Carol Dugger found the spicy punch as delightful as the dancing.



News of the Sweetheart Queen was about to be revealed.

Spring's Dream

The Dancers entered upon the floor through two arbors, which were accented by beautiful multicolored roses. As a memento of the evening, small pearled butterflies were given each guest as a souvenir.







In formal attire the band looks as good as it sounds.

Band Delights Audience at Spring Concert

Hep cats in this cool section are really jumping.



Eighty-Eight

Set on a brightly decorated stage, the Concert Band displayed sparkling virtuosity in their spring concert. The bright and varied program, including the difficult "Beguine for Band" by Osser, was pleasing to the audience.

Appearing also on the program were the Wood Cats. This lively group displayed great ability with their selections which ranged from "Design for Autumn" to "Baby Sitter Blues." It has often been said that the Wood Cats are the best high school dance orchestra in this section of the state.



Top to bottom: Ned Coulson, Ken Carstens, Darrell Waters, Betty Meyers, Bob Hewitt, Landon Brazier, Richard Weise, Mike Rice, Richard Neece, Sally Allen, Ray Todd, Richard Worthen, Sharon Neeman, Terry Williams, Paul Grenzeback, Harold Smithson.

Wood Cats Favorites for Jazz

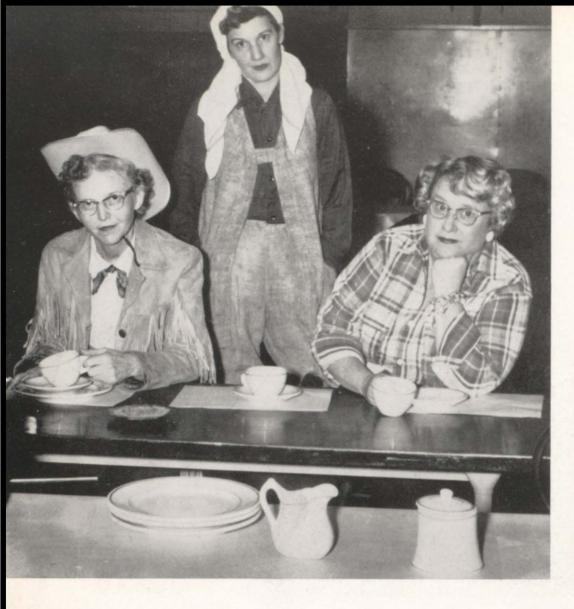
"Baby Sitter's Blues" is their theme song. Recognize them? Of course! They're the Wood Cats. At rehearsals twice a week after school these "blow hards" really rock.

The Wood Cats were organized in 1953. Their arrangements, ranging from Dixieland to modern jazz, are styled after big name bands. The instrumentation consists of three alto saxes, two tenor

saxes, one baritone sax, three trumpets, three trombones, a piano, bass fiddle, and drums.

This past year these "Cats" appeared at all home basketball games. They also played for the Coronation, at pep assemblies, at several dances, and at various gatherings around the community.

Director: Mr. Hughes



Tish, Aggie, and Lizzie ponder their problems at the trouble-ridden Eagle Hotel Cafe.

Miss Jones, Mrs. Groshong, Mrs. Gould.



"Oh! Dorice, darling, I'm so glad to see you got here from Hollywood!"

Mr. Harris, Mrs. Watson.

The vehicle this year for the spry members of the Faculty Service Club was "Tish," a lively play by Alice Chadwick. With a collection of a dozen different characterizations, the amateurs were able to run the gamut of emotions. The plot, dealing with three well-meaning, but meddlesome old maids, permitted everybody to get in and out of sticky situations by a quirk of fate or a quirk of the light switch.

Staged in the popular "arena" style in the student center, the play ran for three nights. Good attendance contributed generously toward the scholarship fund, the prime motive behind the Club's activities.

Teachers Cut Loose In Farcical Play

Second Success In-the-Round Pays Off For Scholarship Fund







"You're going to jail for this!" shouts Sheriff Lem Pike to Tish.

Mrs. Gould, Miss Moss, Miss Jones, Mrs. Devaud.

"Ugh! Aw nuts," grunts Charita the hotel maid.

Miss Christoe.

"Just put your arms around her like this . . . " demonstrates Tish for the Sheriff.

Miss Jones, Mr. Gould.

"Oh, Aunt Tish, not again!" exclaims Charley Sands after hearing of another of her escapades.

Mr. Romani.

Right: "You addle-pated piz-meyer!" screams miserly Luther Hopkins as he stomps off in a rage.

Mr. Wiley.







Front row: Marianne Martin, Kay Cowan, Marsha Gibbons, Roseann Cafazza, Karen Smith, Norma Ashbaker, Janice Storey; Second row: Ann Tinsley, Faye Wallace, Sharon Palmer, Barbara Wooff, Carole Spiller, Dorothy Certa, Joyce Hendrickson, Paula Biondo-lillo; Third row: Beverly Cunningham, Ann Ufert, Dorothy Spann, Nancy Hicks, Carol Cason, Karen Myers, Beverly McDonough, Claudia Lotz, Carlene Beyer, Susie Stassi, Jackie Lavite.

Homemakers Prepare for Future

Future Homemakers of America is a national organization composed of high school students who have had one year of homemaking or are presently enrolled. Membership here totals fifty girls.

FHA's main goal is that of learning to live better today in order that the lives of the homemaker and their families may be better tomorrow. Their motto: "Toward New Horizons."

Some activities in which the club participated this year are visit to the county home, Hallowe'en and Christmas parties, Daddy Date Night, a mother-daughter pot-luck, and a tea for future freshmen girls from the junior-high schools.



Girls raise money for FHA with a spring cookie sale.

Advisor: Miss Darling.

Officers: Dorothy Spann, Nancy Hicks, Carole Spiller, Carol Cason. Chapter Mother: Mrs. Lorell Hicks.



Front row: Donna Gibson, Lorna Wilbur, Tameron Eden, Shirley Jones, Sharon Vroman; Second row: Carolyn Herman, Pat Holtzcher, Judy Apple, Evelyn Jamerson, Sheri Bramlett, Judy Carlton, Fran Dammann, Marilyn Herman; Third row: Carolyn Clark, Gail Cromwell, Edith Beckham, Carole Grieve, Velma Friemann, Kay Keasler, Bette Dickerson.

Nursing Career Mutual Interest of FNA

F.N.A. is a club that provides companionship and mutual interests for those girls who are looking forward to a nursing career. It extends academic pursuits of math and science into useful projects that will help them in the field of nursing.

The girls visit various hospitals to gather knowledge of the work they will enter. They assist in the health program of the school by helping during the different physical tests given during the year.

On the lighter side they enjoy a picnic at their first meeting and a banquet at their last one. At the banquet, awards are made for the best complete project, officers are installed in a candle-light ceremony, and the Future Nurse of the Year is named.

Advisor: Mrs. Poag.

Officers: Tameron Eden, Lorna Wilbur, Shirley Jones, Donna Gibson, Sharon Vroman.

"Jets" Initiate Cadet Program

This organization is designed to promote an interest in gaining knowledge and perfecting skills in science. Members are encouraged to develop a better understanding of the importance of science in their daily living by making projects.

This year the club added an amendment to their constitution which states that the club will now accept freshmen and sophomore cadets. A cadet, although a non-voting member, will receive all the benefits of regular members.

Every other year the club is given a trip to Chicago. This being the "off" year, the members were privileged to go on a trip to the Science and Engineering Open House held at the University of Illinois.

To be a member of Junior Engineers, a student is required to have three years of English, four years of mathematics, and three years of science, including physics and chemistry. The student must have a B average.

Advisors: Messrs. Oetting, Arnold, Walker.
Officers: David Grieve, Bob Oetting, Nancy

Cota



Front row: Douglas Taylor, Bill Mayorga, Don Steinberg, David Grieve, Nancy Cota, Bob Oetting, Larry Moore, Jo Ann Bocker, Ray Todd; Back row: Sam Guccione, Carolyn Pinkerton, Dennis Reeder, David Apple, Bob Proffer, Ned Coulson, Larry Peeler, Jerry Logsdon, Paul Grenzback, Ed Lyons, Irvin Inskip, Darrell Waters, Tom Burk, Landon Brazier, Richard Neece, Larry Townsend, Mr. Walker, Terry Williams, Mr. Oetting.



Clockwise: Lloyd Hartson, Don Keber, Boris Kusmanoff, Gary Carson, Robert Cooley, Ronald Ash, Guy Johnson, Bob Hosian, Mr. Hoeche, Sam Guccione.

"Hams" Eavesdrop On Russia

This is the second year of the Radio Club's existence. During this time eight of its members have become "hams", that is, amateur radio operators. This year the club journeyed to Scott Air Force Base to inspect the radio facilities. Among those visited were the radar, plane to ground, and plane to plane sets.

The Club uses the electronic facilities of the high school shop. They have "picked up" ham operators from many lands, including Russia.

Extensive plans have been made by the amateurs for addition to their facilities, including a powerful transmitter and matching receiver.

Advisor: Mr. Hoeche.

Officers: Don Keber, Bob Cooley, Sam Guc-

cioni.

FDA Means Experience Plus Profit



Front row: James Dewitt, Terry Lackey, Bonnie Stremming, Sharon Kastner; Back row: Mr. Grohovsky, Robert Couch, Frank Lavite, Dennis Hinkle, Joan Lawton, Gloria Franklin, Judy D. Smith, Erma Goewey.

F.D.A. is a young organization at our school, having been here only two years. All distributive education students are eligible for membership. These students are making their way to the future by learning the "do's" and "don'ts" of selling. As a part of their class these distributive education students work on outside jobs. They get their experience

while making a profit. This being an allsenior class, almost all of the graduates have jobs waiting for them after graduation.

The highlight of this year's activities was a trip for four members to the Annual State Leadership Training Conference at Springfield in February.

Advisor: Mr. Grohovsky.

Officers: James DeWitt, Terry Lackey, Bonnie Stremming, Sharon Kastner.



Front row: Forest Austin, Paul Butkovich, Kenneth Fish, Joe Booth, Curtis Worthy; Second row: Vernon Harbour, Guy Johnson, Ed Berkemeier, Tom Smith, Gary Ballard, Ron Miller, Leonard Thomas; Third row: Don Prickett, Paul Caldwell, Danny Byrd, John Denfip, Jim McDow.

I E Club Stresses Labor-Management Relations

It has been a busy year indeed for the "future backbones" of industry. These are, of course, members of the Industrial Education Club. Among their many activities this year were tours through the Owens-Illinois Glass Company and the Standard Oil Refinery and a visit to the Auto Show. The group heard several talks by local industrial leaders and saw movies illustrating industrial principles and ideas.

Advisors: Mr. Studnicki, Mr. Stevenson.

Officers: Joel Booth, Don Prickett, Ronald Walkington, Paul Caldwell, Ed Berkemeier.

A charter member in the state organization, this is the local chapter's sixth year. The club's purpose is to encourage appreciation of the dignity of work and to teach the proper relationships between labor and management in industry.

Membership is restricted to students who are taking or have successfully completed an industrial education course.

Varsity Cross-Section, Boast of Lettermen

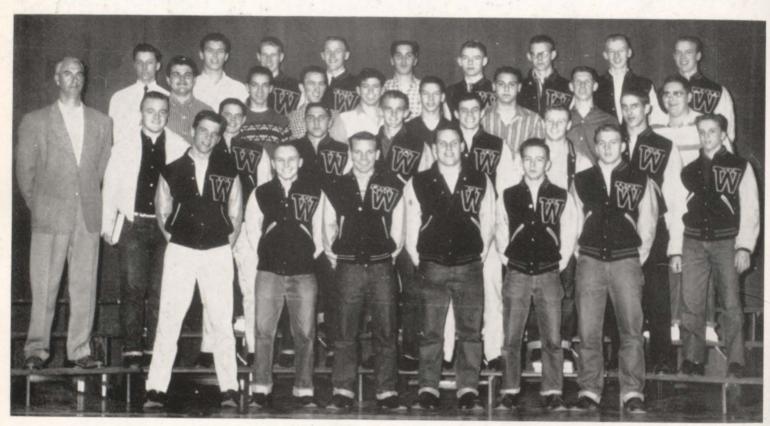
Lettermen's Club is a cross-section of the high school's athletic program. Members are varsity athletes in football, cross country, basketball, wrestling, track, baseball, and tennis. Any boy who has varsity-lettered in any of these sports is eligible to become a part of this active group. The maroon and gold W is their badge of merit.

The Lettermen sponsor the annual Lettermen's Banquet as well as various other school events. This year they participated in the Granite City Lettermen's Club talent show and traveled to a weekend camp in southern Illinois. Fund raising methods consist of selling refreshments every season during home games.

Advisor: Mr. Yocum.

Officers: Don McMillen, Charles Harris, Louis

Timar.



Front row: Mike Marko, Jack Wildt, Louis Timar, Don McMillen, Charles Harris, Alan Ferguson; Second row: Mr. Yccum, Jerry Lipe, Scott Sidener, Larry Townsend, Ed Beckwith, Paul Wetter, Mike Russell, Jerry Hanner, Jim Oldham; Third row: Eddie Lyons, Ronnie Walkington, Ed Tobill, Ned Bacheldor, Larry Feezel, Ray Todd, Mike Napp, Richard Carlton; Fourth row: Wendell Affsprung, Jim Zacny, David Whitten, Larry Moore, Don Prickett, Robert Oetting, Irvin Inskip, Dennis Bunting, Roger Kamp.



Front row: Dorothy Seitzinger, Sheran Broadway, Eleanor Harper; Second row: Susan Russell, Marjorie Hayn, Brenda Walker, Charlene Summers, Sandy Pizinger, Kay Keasler, Brenda Hendrickson, Donna Harper, Rita Wadsworth, Judy Apple; Third row: Gayle Bauer, Norma Ashbaker, Judy Seitzinger, Joan Carlton, Gladys Dial, Donna Fulton, Linda Taylor, Marilyn Hermann, Mary Butkovich, Carolyn Herman; Fourth row: Tammy Eden, Becky Skundrich, Ruth Kirk, Rosemary Shoemaker, Velma Friemann, Gwyneth Dilliard, Mary Lou Fish, Sharon Hauer, Shirley Jones, Judy Retzer.

GAA Enjoys Sports, Parties, Camping



Bowling is just one of many sports enjoyed at bi-weekly meetings.

By peering into the upper gym on Tuesday or Thursday, an interested person can see a good game of girls' basketball going strong as one of the activities of the Girls' Athletic Association. The G.A.A. also participates in other sports including kickball, volleyball, bowling, deck tennis, and shuffleboard. As if this is not fun enough, the girls enjoy themselves at parties, picnics, and a weekend camping trip.

These girls of G A.A. are interested in phyiscal education and athletic fitness. Every girl in school is eligible to join. By taking part in G.A.A., the girls earn points and for every 75 points get an award.

Advisor: Mrs. Devaud.

Officers: Sheran Broadway, Dorothy Seitzinger,

Eleanor Harper.



First row: Ron Hass, Ruby Ballentine, Ellen Hartman, Mikie Sparks, Marilyn Hayes, David Apple; Second row: Joan Stone, Pat Brown, Marilyn Ellis, Rita Wadsworth, Judy Apple, Joyce Estes, Joyce Wagemann, Margie Reeder, Pat Holtzscher, Carole Cox, Louis Treadway; Third row: Carolyn Waterman, Kay Atkins, Myrna Ritter, Karen Odle, Vickie Cunningham, Paula Weese, Sandra Mullady, Janet Rambo, Virginia Orr, Phil Eslinger, Pam Greenshields, Eleanor Harper; Fourth row: Sandy Jamerson, Randy Kienstra, Carole Grieve, Lorna Wilbur, Sandra Vaughn, Bette Dickerson, Diane Vinovich, Twila Grover, Mike Burris, Carol Todd, Jerry Stanley, Ann Tinsley, Bette Glass, Edith Beckham; Fifth row: Gwyneth Dilliard, Becky Skundrich, Sally Hale, Faye Ann Pees, Ann Murry, Tom Burk, Robert Proffer, Bob Guess, Jack Simons, Stacy Hagemann, Jim Wall, Sandy McCoy, Claudia Lotz, Barry Seward.

Sandburr Initiates New Printing Press

This energetic group of newshounds worked hard this year in a successful attempt to make their "sheet" unique. The Sandburr, done in offset printing on the new press purchased for the class in printing, is reduced in page size but not in number of pages or in content.

The Sandburr has contained feature stories of interest to the school and reflected the spirit of the student body. Events reported by the would-be-journalists were the latest thing off the student grapevine. If they found no news they made some; for example, it was rumored that one of the staff drained all the fuel oil from the tanks to get out of school for one day in January.

The advisor welcomes to the staff all who like to have "ringside seats" at E. A. W. R. activities and particularly those who like to write.

Advisor: Miss Krueger.

Officers: Ruby Ballentine, Ronald Haas, Ellen Hartman, Mikie Sparks, David Apple,

Marilyn Hayes.



Front row: Sandy Wright, Judy Robinson, Dale Coffman, Donnie Cobb, Shreda Johns, Pat Bourland, La-Donna Booth, Brenda Stevenson, Carolyn Pinkerton, Paula Biondolillo, Charles Harris; Second row: Leslie Sparks, Sandra Sawyer, Nancy McVey, Phyllis Chinn, Mildred Broadway, Kay Keasler, Charlene Summers, Tammy Eden, Sharon Bauer, Sharon Broadway, Bonnie Buckner; Third row: Carol Gotway, Sharon Mullady, Ester Teat, C. Vinyard, Joan Klee, Evelyn Jamerson, Cliffa Ancell, Larry Moore, Sharon Schmidt, Connie Buckner, Rose Dare, Janet Rich; Fourth row: Roberta Whitten, Donna Ireland, Becky Skundrich, Joan Stone, Janet Rambo, Jackie Walker, Sandy McCoy, Beverly McDonough, Joyce Hendrickson, Dennis Reeder, G. Watson; Fifth row: Pam Greenshields, Cecily Lowery, Judy Todd, Sandy Jamerson, Donneta Sutton, Faye Ann Pees, Judy Crull, Karen Wilson, Mary Kay Bracken, Franny Errandi, Betty Dickerson, Susan Hale, Sandy Mullady; Sixth row: Sally Allen, Lee Dabbs, Barbara Borman, Ruth Scott, June Wooldridge, Nancy Courtright, Jean Dewlen, David Whitten, Don Prickett, Jerry Lipe, Ron Walkington, John Ladd.



Pep Club card holders sit in reserved gym bleachers to give out a mighty roar.

Advisor: Mr. Floyd.

Officers: Paula Biondolillo, Charles Harris, Sandy Mullady, Carolyn Pinkerton.

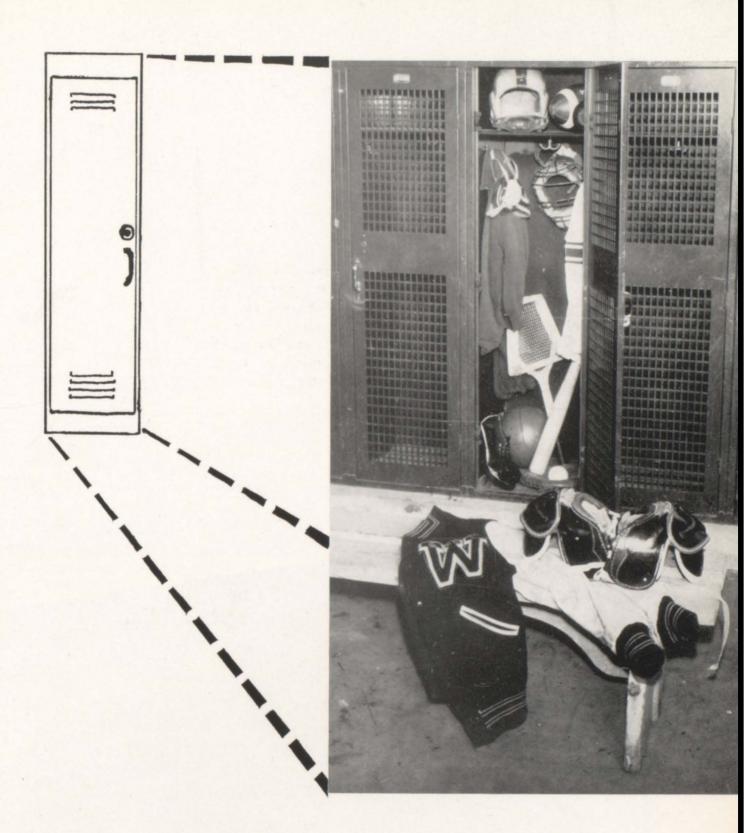
Pep Club Revived With a Roar

Would you like to promote sportsmanship at EAWRCHS? You can by joining the Pep Club. To start things rolling, the five cheerleaders lead their fellow members through cheers and yells to speed the Oilers to victory.

The Pep Club was organized this year with Mr. Floyd as advisor. One of the biggest endeavors of the club was to provide transportation to ball games played away.

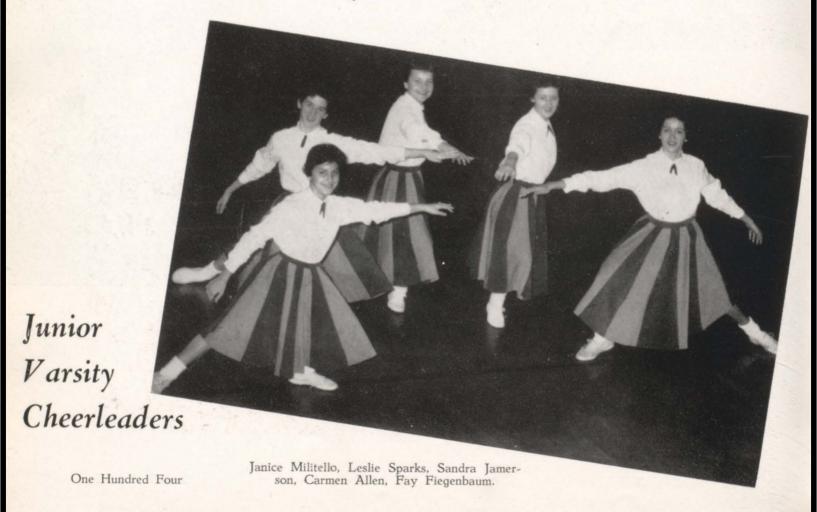
From its re-organization at the beginning of the year it grew rapidly. Requirements for membership are attendance at meetings and sitting with the Club at all sports events. The locker, in one of its numerous capacities, becomes selective and general. As it changes form, the locker performs its most popular of all roles, the sports enthusiast. Possessing the spirit of the students, this metal fan yells silent cheers to urge on the teams. When the glitter is over and the lights are turned off, the lockker is then caught stilled, doing its assigned job, protecting the equipment for another time.

Sports



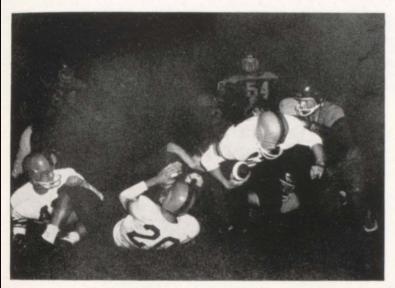


Varsity Cheerleaders





After receiving pass, Yopp picks up added yardage while Wetter moves in to throw block against Edwardsville player.



Ferguson crashes through Roxana line. Inskip and Wetter block out.

Single wing formation by the first string. In backfield are Wetter, Bunting, McMillen, and Ferguson; on the line are Yopp, Marko, Whitten, Kamp, Moore, Todd, and Beckwith.

Gridders Have Fair Season

"Rough and steady" are two words which best describe the type of football played by the '57 Oiler gridders to grind out a fairly successful 3 won, 4 lost, and 1 tied season. Team spirit ran high throughout the year, as displayed by the fact that our closing game ended in an upset for powerful Granite City as the Oilers won 6 to 0.

A lack of returning lettermen gave junior members on the squad many opportunities to see action. Their contributions helped make our season successful in many ways.

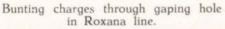
One of the most unusual games Oiler fans have ever witnessed was our season opener with Bethalto. Wood River scored four touchdowns, but had three of them called back on penalties. These penalties hurt, but not enough. We won 7 to 6.

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Another exciting game which provided many thrills was our Homecoming contest with Roxana. The game went scoreless into the fourth quarter, when Yopp recovered a fumbled Roxana ball on their one-yard line. This set us up for our lone touchdown, to which we added the extra point, leading the game 7 to 0. Roxana retaliated with a touchdown of their own, but, to make the game more exciting, failed in their try for the extra point. However, an offsides penalty against the Oilers gave them another chance, in which they succeeded. The game ended in a 7-7 tie.

Special mention should be made of fullback Don McMillen, quarterback, Alan Ferguson, and end Tom Yopp, all of whom received the Alton Evening Telegraph's "Player of the Week" award. These boys provided a lot of pep and drive for this year's team.







Mike Marko, Tackle, Co-captain



Larry Moore, Center



Roger Kamp, Guard



Edward Berkemeier, Tackle



Varsity Football Team

Front row: Coach Yocum, Ed Beckwith, Larry Moore, David Whitten, Don McMillen, Alan Ferguson, Mike Marko, Paul Wetter, Ray Todd, Tom Yopp, Roger Kamp; Second row: Manager Jim Oldham, Scott Sidener, Tom Amburg, Dennis Bunting, Mike Napp, Louis Timar, Larry Peeler, Ed Berkemeier, Ed Lyons, Jim Mathias, Manager Ron Walkington; Third row: Dale Childs, Bill Everett, Gary Taylor, Victor Harvey, Kenneth Fish, Larry Priest, Irvin Inskip, Ned Bacheldor, Jerry Lipe, Jim Zacny, Coach Floyd; Fourth row: Gary Ruff, Darryl Ellis, Roy Webb, Bruce Hammond, Jerry Bodenbach, Jerry Hanner, Ned Coulson, Larry Townsend, Dennis Reeder, Ira Wilkinson, Coach Robinson; Fifth row: David Akers, Dale Coffman, Ron Wilkinson, Bob Oetting, Jim Brigman, Paul Stracke, Don Prickett, Harley Nischwitz, Jim Chapman, Richard Baker, Ralph Hall.



Paul Wetter Halfback



Alan Ferguson Quarterback Co-captain



Don McMillen Fullback



Mike Russell Halfback

One Hundred Seven

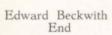


Ervin Inskip End



Tom Yopp End

Varsity Line-up





Dennis Bunting Quarterback



Tom Amberg End



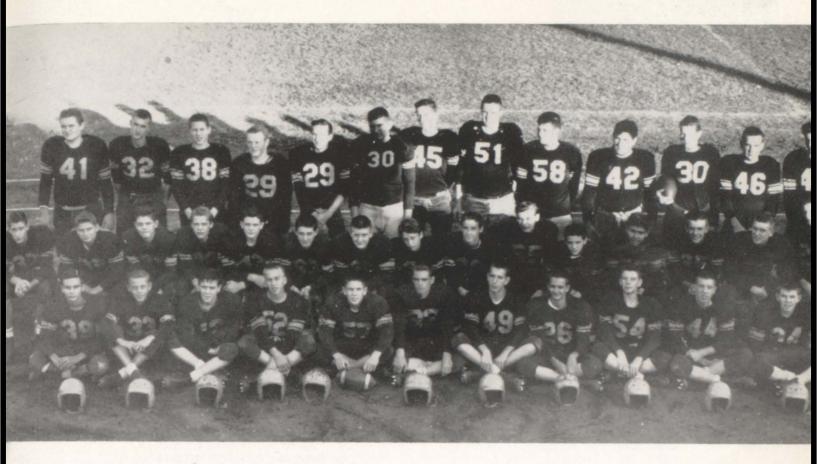
Louis Timar Center



Ray Todd Tackle



David Whitten Guard



Freshman Team

First row: Paul Galligos, Gary Cooper, Ronnie Evans, David Miller, Gary Lane, Dale Lippert, David Williams, Wayne Yoder, Jim Kanter, John Heck, Jim Blackledge; Second row: Ray Tucker, Jack Wilson, Ronald Barnett, Richard Braden, Mike Ufert, Kip Smith, Denny Burk, Gary Cox, Mike Bandy, Larry Lipe, Denny Newman, David Basler, Augie Sorgea, Dan Proctor, Larry Hinson; Third row: Darrel Kokos, Larry Strahan, Donald Neece, Roy Haley, Lee Graham, Tommy Young, Jerry Arnold, Gerard Gray, Van Johnson, Don Heiens, Eddie Haydon, Jim Maneke, Eugene Bicciochi.



Tucker "snags" pass in practice session.



At blocking practice, Bodenbach shows 'em how it's done.



Smith, Barry, Brown, and Lynch. Top performers on our '57 team.

Cross-Country

Our 1957 Cross Country team came through with a very impressive season, winning six of the nine meets in which they participated and placing seventh in the Southwestern Conference meet at Alton. Leading the pack were Jim Lynch, Bill Brown, Larry Barry, and John Smith. Congratulations are due to Mr. Scharf for doing a very fine job his first year as Cross Country coach.

In the Junior Division, the Oiler harriers won four of the six meets in which they participated and walked away with first place in the Junior Division of the Southwestern Conference. Four of our runners won medals in this meet. They were Larry Barry (1st), John Smith (3rd), John Wright (7th), and Bob Borman (9th).

Front row: Phil Walkington, Terry Abernathy, Bruce Schoeneweis, Maurice Gray, Stanley Bailey, Paul Butkovich, Earl Thompson, Richard Hirsch, Mike Harmon, Lawrence Hale, Randy Kienstra, Bob Hayn; Second row: Gary Carstens, Robert Cooley, Dale Reynolds, Gerald Magurany, John Wright, Ron Ford, Philip Whitlock, Douglas Upple, Gordon Hill, Bob Borman, Donald Pearson; Third row: Tom Smith, Larry Barry, Robert Edmiaston, David Apple, Jerry Messick, Bill Brown, Jim Lynch, Walter Bowling, John Simons, John Smith, George VanHorn.



Looper's Season Runs Hot and Cold

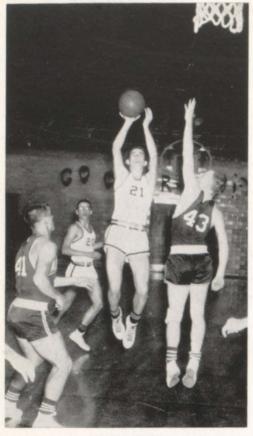
Coach Horton's playmakers battled through one of the toughest schedules to be seen here in many years, including such teams as Collinsville, Herrin, Jacksonville, and many other top-ranking ones. The season was concluded with an overall total of 14 wins and 11 losses and a total of 1544 points.

In Southwestern Conference play, competition was unusually stiff. Wood River fought all the way and the final record of five wins and seven losses gained us the third place berth in the Conference, along with East St. Louis.

Excepting guard Edgar Tohill, the team was composed entirely of underclassmen. Of the latter, juniors Tom Yopp, Darrell Waters, Jerry Messick, David Apple, and Mike Napp were first five regulars.

During exciting Alton contest, guard Mike Napp scores as teammates Tom Yopp and David Apple position for rebound.





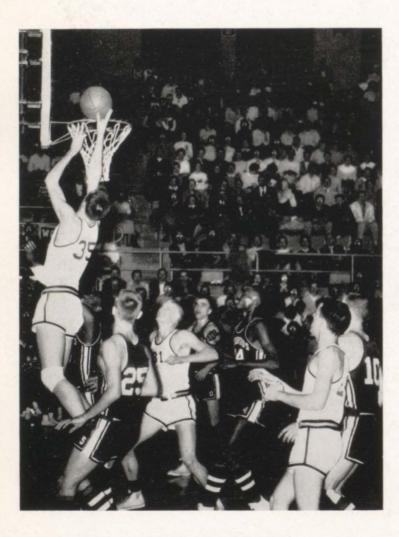
TOM YOPP Guard



DAVID APPLE Forward



JERRY MESSICK Center



Varsity

Tops on the team in point making and rebounding was 6'7" center, Jerry Messick. Jerry finished the season with a total of 522 points and 268 rebounds. His average was 20.9 points and 10.7 rebounds per game.

Some of the season's highlights: The first game with Belleville which we won in the last few seconds by a score of 53-51 . . . the game with Herrin, 1957 state champs, which we lost 63-61 . . . the Holiday Tournament game with Roxana which we won 57-56 . . . the Freeburg game we won 54-53 . . . the Carbondale game where we squeaked by 70-68 . . . a very exciting return game against Edwardsville which we lost 77-76.

Messick reaches over rim to tap one in against Alton.



DARRELL WATERS Forward



MIKE NAPP Guard



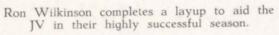
EDGAR TOHILL Guard



Left to Right: Larry Feezel, Ed Tohill, John Smith, Ronnie Wilkinson, David Apple, Jerry Messick, Darrell Waters, Wesley Tucker, Tom Yopp, Mike Napp, Gordon Hill, Ike Wilkinson. Center: Coach Horton.

JV Completes Searing 14-5 Season

Wood River	Opponent	
59	Nashville	48
73	Jacksonville	56
51	Belleville	45
69	Western Military	58
70	Edwardsville	60
54	Freeburg	32
44	Carbondale	46
51	East St. Louis	50
56	Granite City	47
58	Collinsville	60
61	Belleville	42
54	Quincy	56
	Roxana	45
69	Edwardsville	77
68		58
55	Alton	61
72	East St. Louis	61
75	Granite City	39
54	Collinsville	
61	Dupo	69
58	Alton	56







Front row: Richard Baker, Gordie Hill, Ira Wilkinson, Larry Feezel, Larry Barry, Bruce Hammon, Coach Summers; Second row: George VanHorne, Roy Webb, John Smith, Wesley Tucker, Ron Wilkinson, Larry Priest, Dan Ufert, Robert Edmiaston.



Front row: Ron Evans, Dave Williams, Ray Tucker, John Heck, Mike Ufert, Eugene Biciocchi, Gary Lane, Larry Straham, Augie Sorgea; Second row: Phil Walkington, Gary Cox. Bob Borman, Larry Arnold, Kip South, Ron Whitlock, Coach Yocum.

Freshmen Capture Christmas Invitational

Wood River	Opponents	
56	Edwardsville	58
55	Western Military	28
65	Civic Memorial	31
52	N. Jr. High, Alton	37
52	Jerseyville	30
56	Roxana	44
69	N. Jr. High, Alton	43
47	Edwardsville	64
50	W. Jr. High, Alton	52
46	E. Jr. High, Alton	48
79	Western Military	47
58	Roxana	54
65	Civic Memorial	38
41	W. Jr. High, Alton	42
74	E. Jr. High, Alton	61
62	Jerseyville	38
64	Belleville	45
56	Coolidge	48
44	Edwardsville	42

Freshman basketball team wound up a very successful season of 14 wins and five losses by soundly defeating Jerseyville 62 to 38. This up-and-coming team also won their Christmas Invitational Tourney here when they edged by Edwardsville 44 to 42 in the championship game. Of the five losses suffered, two were by two points and two were lost by only one point. Their total of 1,091 points for the season gave them an average of 57.4 points per game.

Matmen Start Weak, Finish Strong

Oiler matmen finished the season much stronger than they started by winning four of their last five matches. These wins were against Highland, Greenville, Jacksonville School for Blind, and Edwardsville, consecutively. Of their first eleven matches, however, the matmen won only three and tied one. The season record was seven won, eight lost, and one tied.

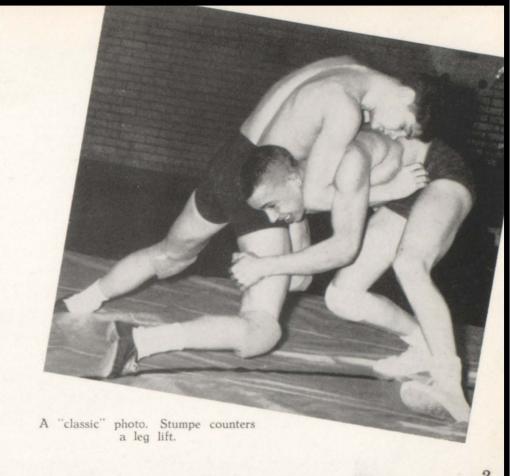
Led by little 95-pound Tony Kusmanoff, who won a second-place medal, the wrestling team captured fourth place in the District Tournament. Members of the team who won third-place medals are Bill Roose, 112 pounds; Boris Kusmanoff, 120; Louis Timar, 127 pounds; and Paul Stracke, 154 pounds. Those who captured fourth-place spots are Bob Oetting, 145 pounds; Alan Ferguson, 165 pounds; and Larry Moore, 175 pounds.

An exciting and memorable contest was the team's first match with Roxana. Wood River was trailing 23-14 with only three bouts remaining. But the wrestlers won all three to tie the match 23-23.

Front row: Tony Kusmanoff, Paul Butkovich, Larry Lipe, Jim Kanter, Jim Pyle, Richard Hirsch, Mike Bandy, Olen Merideth; Second row: Jerry Lipe, Robert Stumpe, Alan Ferguson, Larry Moore, Paul Stracke, Louis Timar, Barry Seward, Boris Kusmanoff, Bill Roose, Jack Wildt; Third row: Don Neece, Victor Harvey, Wayne Yoder, Richard Braden, Ed Beckwith, Jack Wilson, Clark Miller.



- Tony Kusmanoff attempts a takedown.
- 2. Harvey's on top and intends to remain there.
- 3. Roose sits out to prepare for an escape.
- 4. Moore is about to pin his opponent.











Strong Junior Division Highlights Season for Oiler Thinly Clads

Individual honors and a strong Junior Division highlighted the season for the Oiler thinly clads. In the Senior Division, the Oilers took two triangular meets, one against Bethalto and Bunker Hill, and the other against Western Military Academy and Jerseyville. The Oilers lost to a powerful Alton team and to Belleville and Roxana in another triangular contest.

The elder Oilers had three consistent performers throughout the season in Ed Berkemeier, who threw the discus, Jim Yates, hurdler. and Alan Ferguson, sprinter. Berkemeier and Bill Brown, sophomore pole vaulter, qualified for the Junior Olympics held in St. Louis at the conclusion of the season. Special recognition is also due Brown for representing the Oilers at the state finals in Champaign.

Junior Division was led by an outstanding 880-yard relay team consisting of Tom Smith, Dale Reynolds, Bill Brown, and Jerry Hanner. An important event for the Junior Division was the taking of second place in the track and field conference meet.



Dennis Bunting practices his high-jumping form



Members of the flying track team do their nightly work out.



Front row: Sam Guccione, Boris Kusmanoff, Bob Hayn, Dale Reynolds, Dennis Reeder, Larry Barry, Bill Brown, Robert Stumpe, Tom Smith, Vic Smith, Alan Ferguson, Jim Mathias; Second row: Ronnie Walkington, Manager, David Apple, Dennis Bunting, Dale Shirley, Jerry Hanner, Ned Bacheldor, Bob Oetting, Gary Ruff, Don Wilson, Manager; Third row: Bill Everett, Robert Guess, Jim Lynch, Darrell Waters, Irv Inskip, Ray Webb, Ronnie Wilkinson, Kenneth Fish, Jim Bussey.



Bill Brown, pole vaulting, and Ed Berkemeier with the discus, qualified to participate in the Junior Olympics held in St. Louis, Brown also represented the Oiler track team at State by tying for second place at the District.



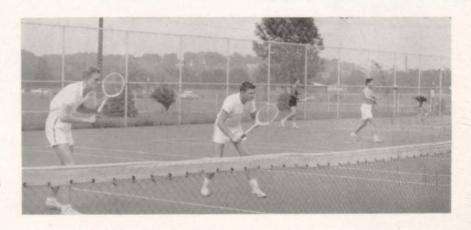
Front row: Ronnie Cranford, Weldon Stevenson, John Curtis, Bob Awe, Tom Traband, Ed Freeman, Larry Neeman.

Second row: Fred Richardson, Tom Burk, David Gentry, Stacy Hegeman, Coach Gould.

Tennis Team Places In Southwestern, District Meets

In the Southwestern Conference our 1957 tennis team tied for fourth place, and in the District tournament took third. The season record was two wins and ten losses. Wins came against Collinsville and East St. Louis.

Members of the first string were John Curtis, first singles; Bob Awe, second singles, Dan Byrd, third singles; Weldon Stevenson and Tom Traband, first doubles; and Ed Freeman and Larry Neeman, second doubles. Under the leadership of Mr. Gould the squad started fall practice this year. This helped get the players in shape and gave new players an idea of the spring training season.



Awe and Stevenson get set for action.



Front row: Jerry Lipe, Wendell Affsprung, Bob Campbell, Maurice Juhlin, Paul Bryant, Chuck Harris, Mike Knox, Roger Guffey, Coach Summers; Second row: Louis Popelar, Danny Sadich, Dennis Hinkle, Mike Schoeneweis, Howard Miller, Larry Moore, John Sheraka, Roger Kamp, Ed Beckwith, Darrell Ottwell.

Baseball Squad Boasts Strong Hurling Staff

Defeating Marquette 3 to 0 in their first game and battering Alton 10 to 0 in their second game, the Oiler baseball team took first place in the District Tournament.

Progressing to the Regional at Collinsville, the Oilers defeated Madison 3 to 0 but were defeated by Staunton in the finals 4 to 0 on a muddy field.

One of the high points of the season occurred during the game against Lincoln. The score was tied 5 to 5 in the last half of the last inning. Oiler runners were on first and third bases, with two outs. The Lincoln pitcher balked, bringing in the player on third base to score the winning run and give Wood River a hard-won 6 to 5 victory.

Darrell Otwell did a great job of pitching for the Oilers with help from the fielding of Paul Bryant, Roger Guffy, and Chuck Harris among others.

Wood River	Opponent	
77	Nashville	56
49	Jacksonville	55
53	Belleville	51
61	Herrin	63
63	Edwardsville	57
64	Sparta	52
57	Roxana	56
46	Edwardsville	68
54	Freeburg	53
70	Carbondale	68
59	East St. Louis	56
62	Granite City	44
54	Collinsville	76
42	Belleville	47
57	Quincy	42
72	Roxana	65
76	Edwardsville	77
59	Alton	64
61	East St. Louis	77
82	Granite City	74
60	Collinsville	69
74	Dupo	66
60	Alton	69
76	Lincoln, Venice	70
66	Edwardsville	72

THE SCOREBOARD



Football

Wood River	Opponent	
7	Bethalto	6
8	Edwardsville	19
21	Riverview Gardens	7
0	Alton	40
6	Quincy	48
7	Roxana	7
6	Jerseyville	20
6	Granite City	0

Varsity Basketball



Wood River	Opponent	
31	IBSSS	19
0	Granite City	46
13	Belleville	30
23	Roxana	23
6	Vandalia	40
3	Belleville	43
0	Granite City	54
36	Edwardsville	18
14	Quincy	23
28	Greenville	24
15	Roxana	27
44	Highland	8
21	Riverview Gardens	24
34	Greenville	14
37	IBSSS	13
30	Edwardsville	26

Wrestling





Miss Busher's Assistants

Front row: Tammy Eden, Susie Pinkerton.

Second row: Catherine Retzer, Emily Earl, Barbara Borman, Bonnie Link.

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Sally Underwood, Myrna Ritter, Sandra Mullady, Diana Underwood, Rose Searcy, Myra Smithson, Barbara Farthing, Gwyneth Dilliard.



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Front row: Barbara Strange, Sharon Pitman, Barbara Woolf, Barbara Teutkin, Linda Taylor, Louise Treadway, Dorothy Hess.

Second row: Donna Fulton, Sandy Pizinger, Annette Janke, Naomi Williams, Treva Gifford, Bill Everett.



Cafeteria Matrons

Front row: Mrs. Stoffer, Mrs. Wathern, Mrs. Rethorn, Mrs. Cannedy.

Second row: Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Gibson, Miss Darling, director, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Wilson.



Custodians

Front row: Mrs. Kendrick, Mrs. Faris, Mrs. Hall, Mr. Stevens.

Second row: Mr. Powers, Mr. Compton, Mr. Knight, Mr. Wiseman, Mr. Hager, Mr. Fairless, Mr. Kelly.



Cafeteria Assistants

Front row: Barbara Barber, Shirley Blackston, Edith Estes, Diana Burris, Ann Miller, Darlene Pearce, Marianne Martin, Ann Murray.

Second row: Tom Guthrie, Larry Guthrie, Dick Strack, Frank Langwisch, Jim Lattimore, Alfred E. Neumann, LaDonna McNeil, Sharon Schmidt.



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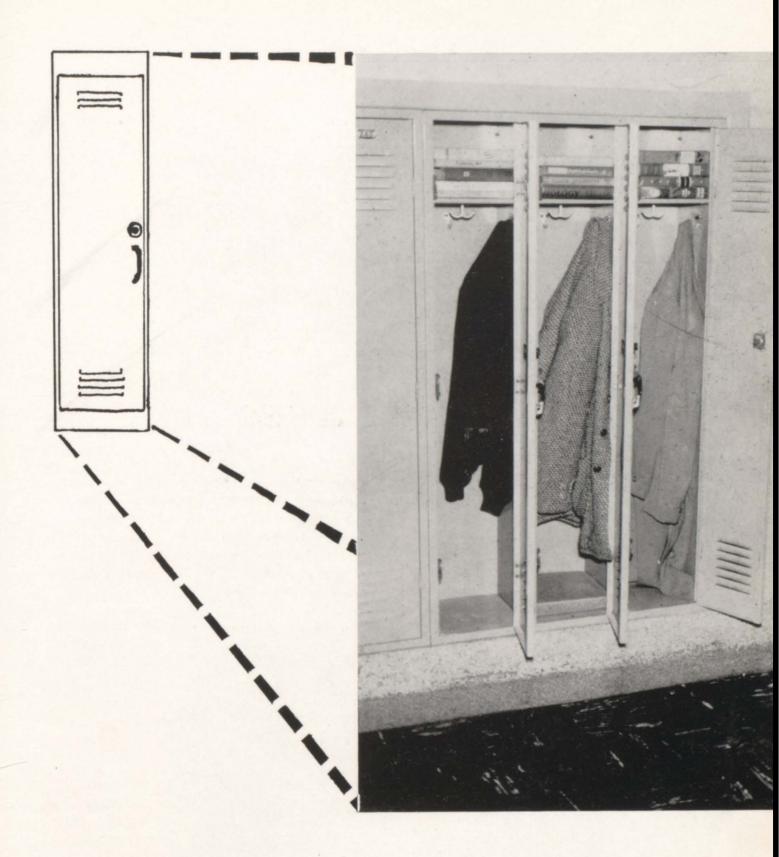
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Undergraduates

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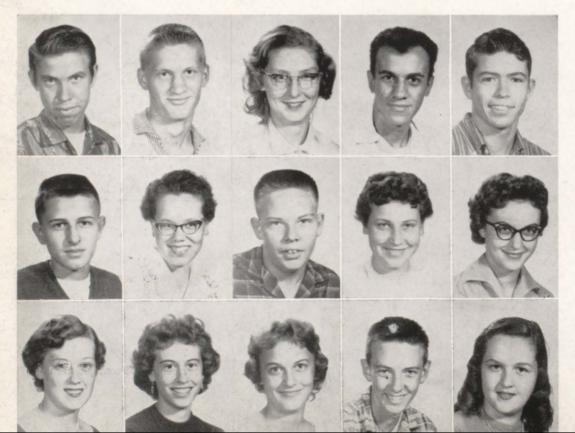


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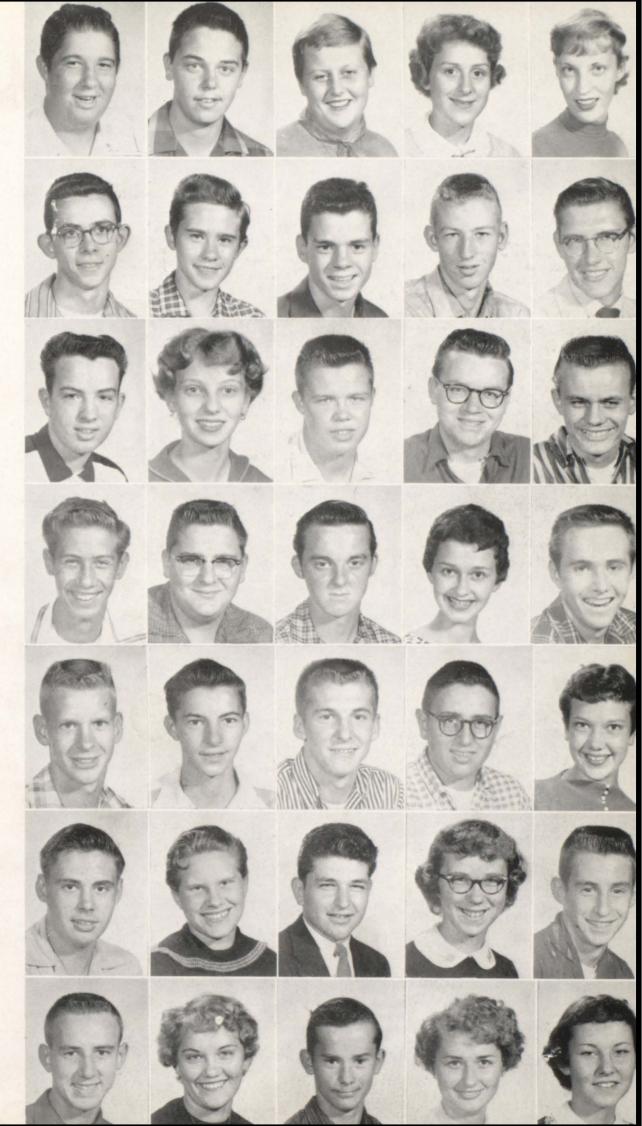
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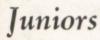






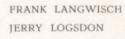


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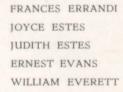












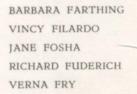












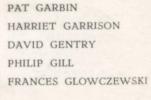






















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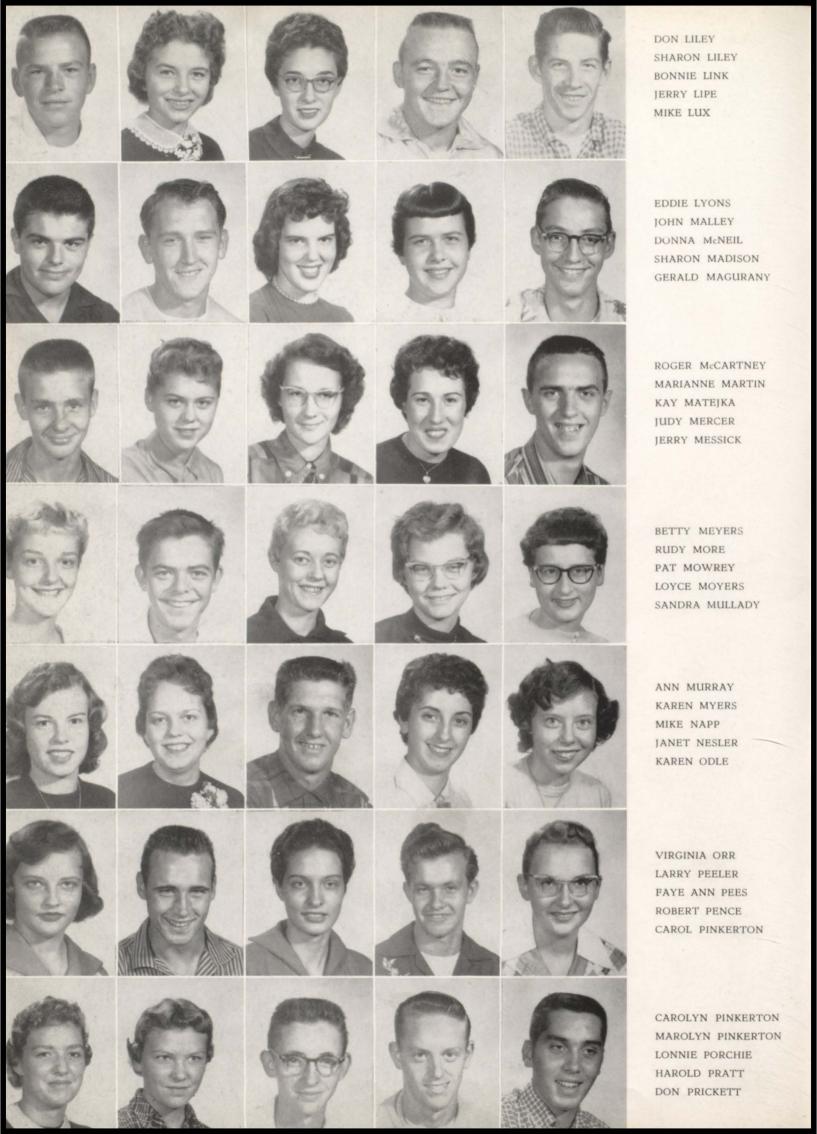
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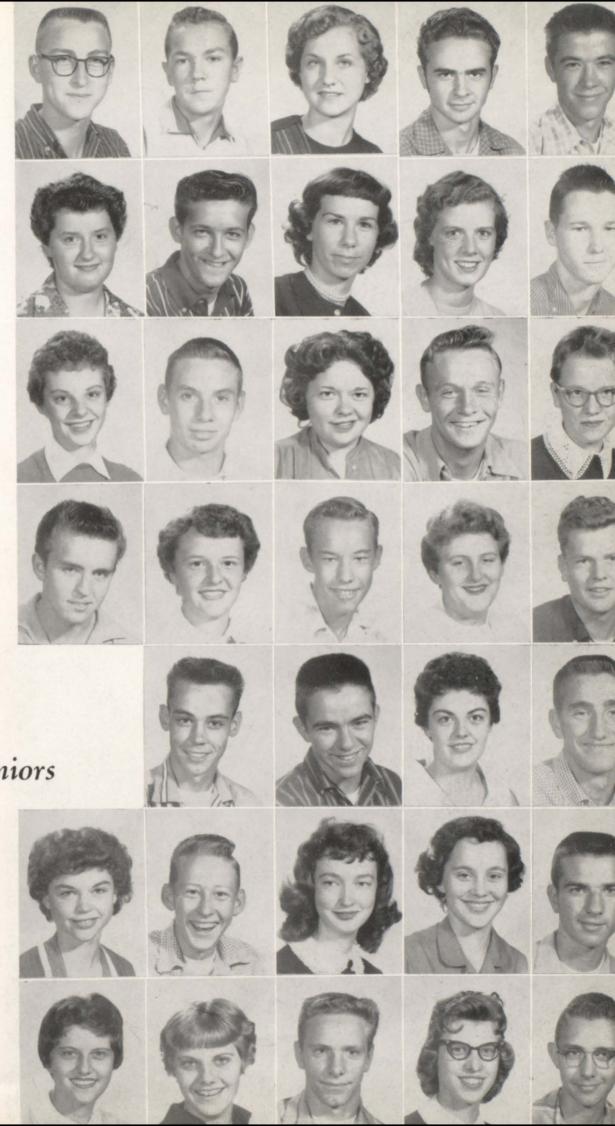
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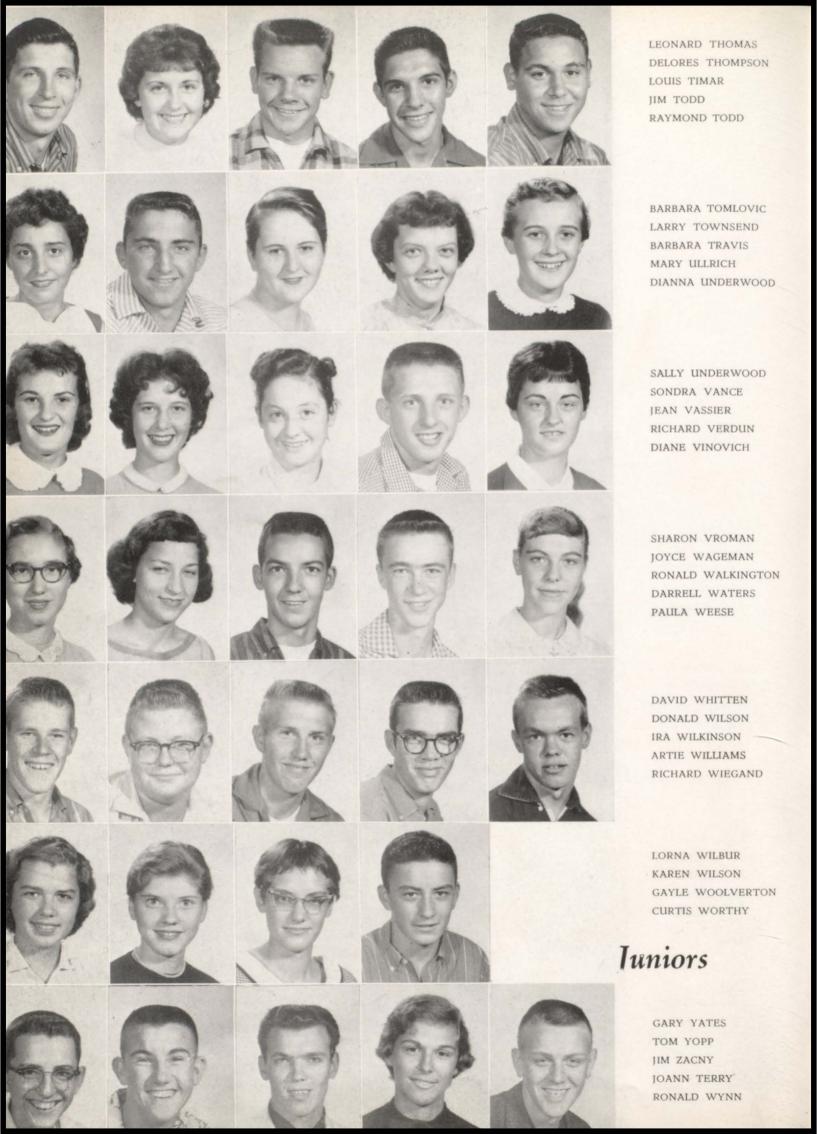
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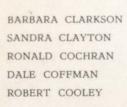












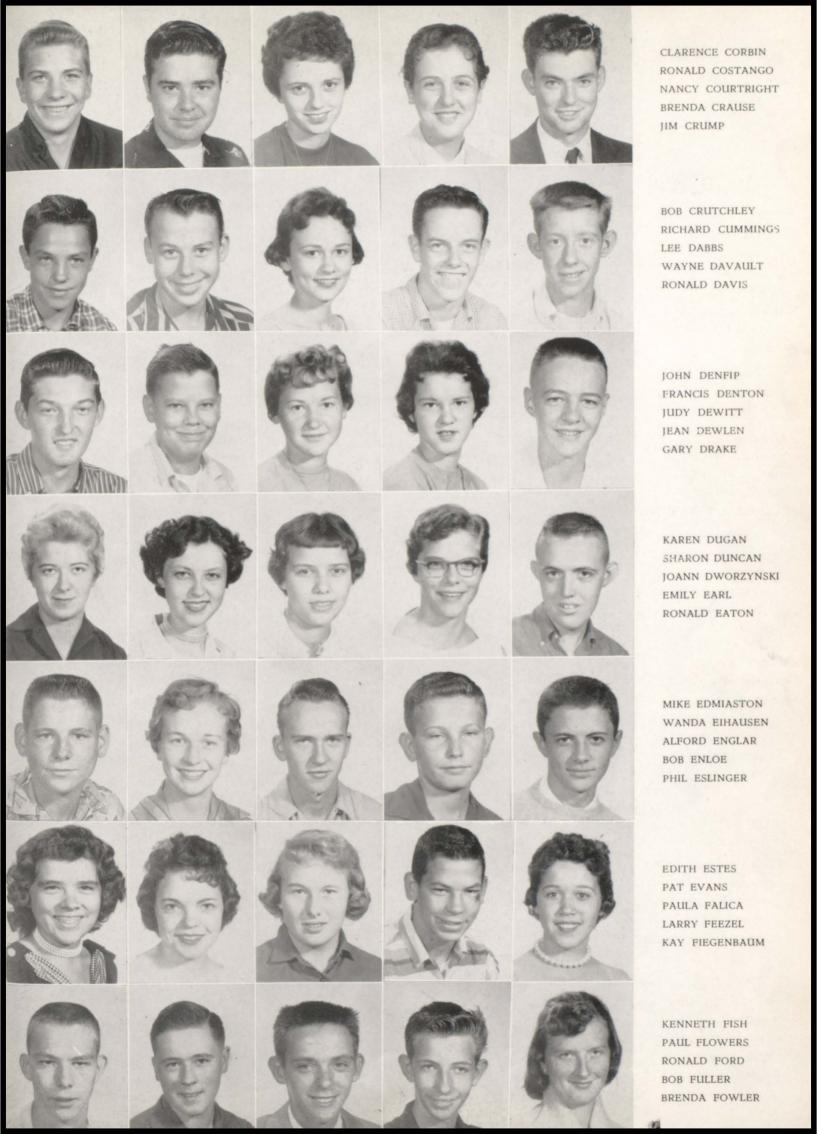












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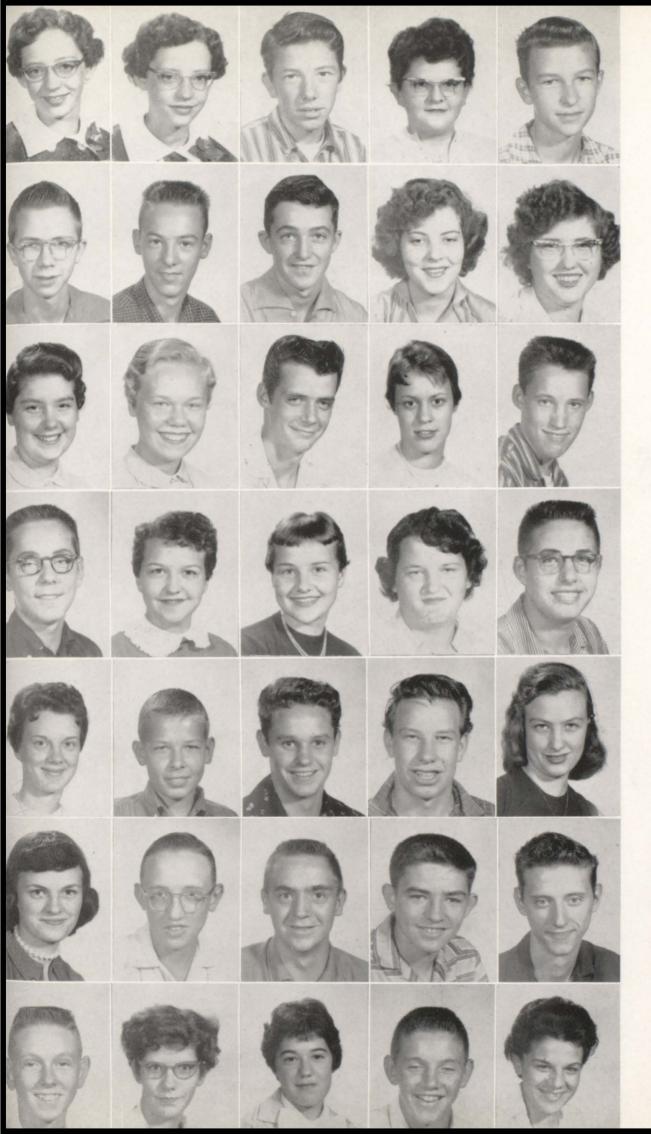
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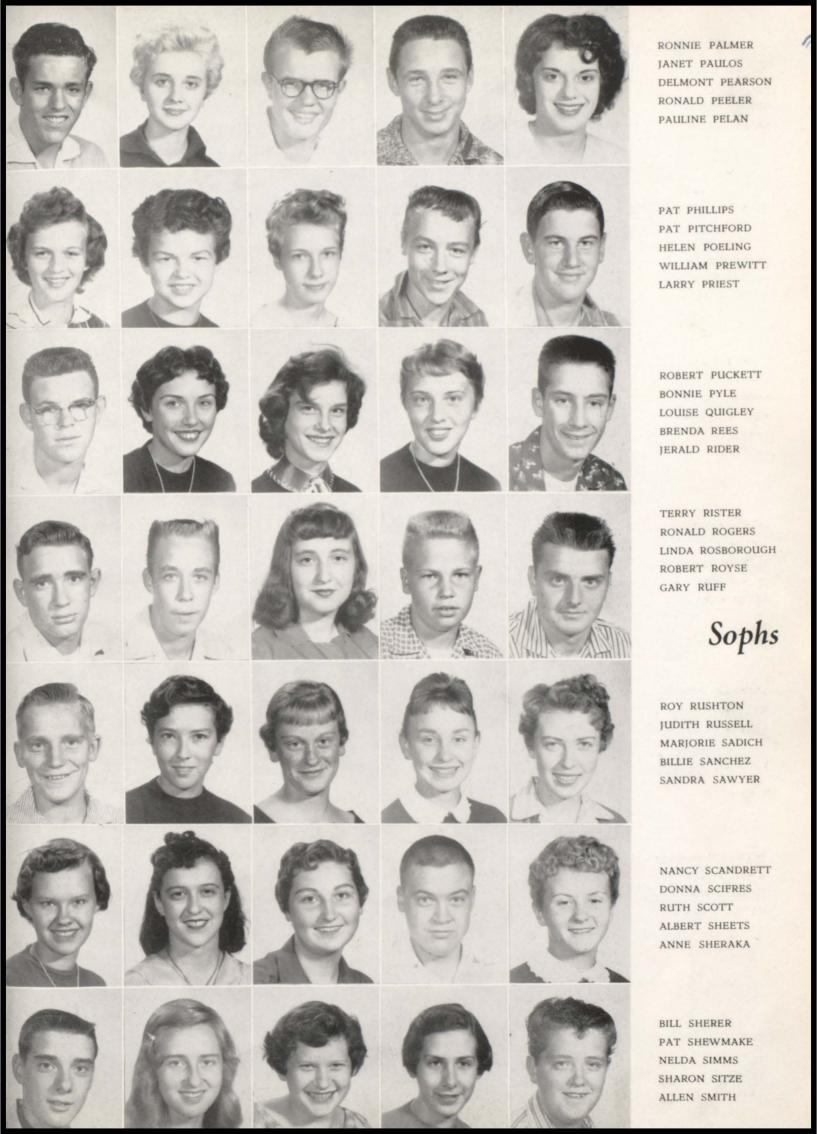
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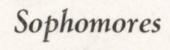


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Typical Sophomore, books in hand, climbs the stairway to success.



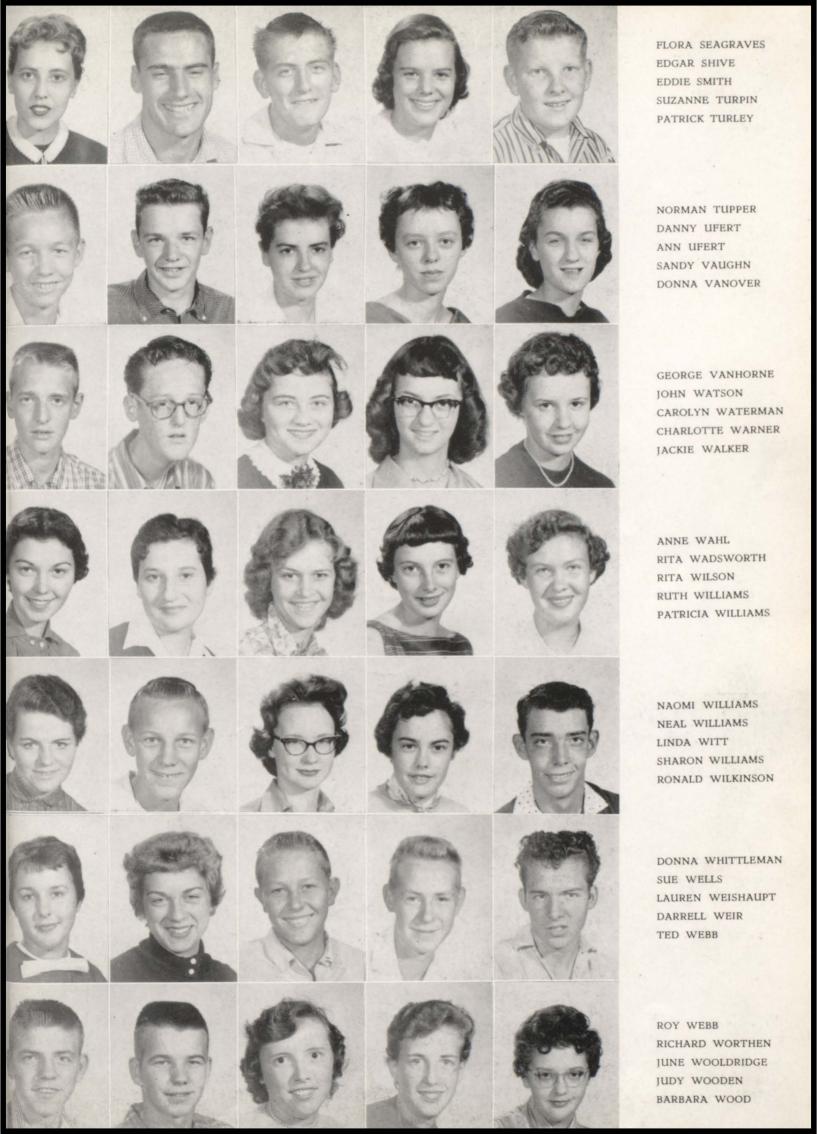
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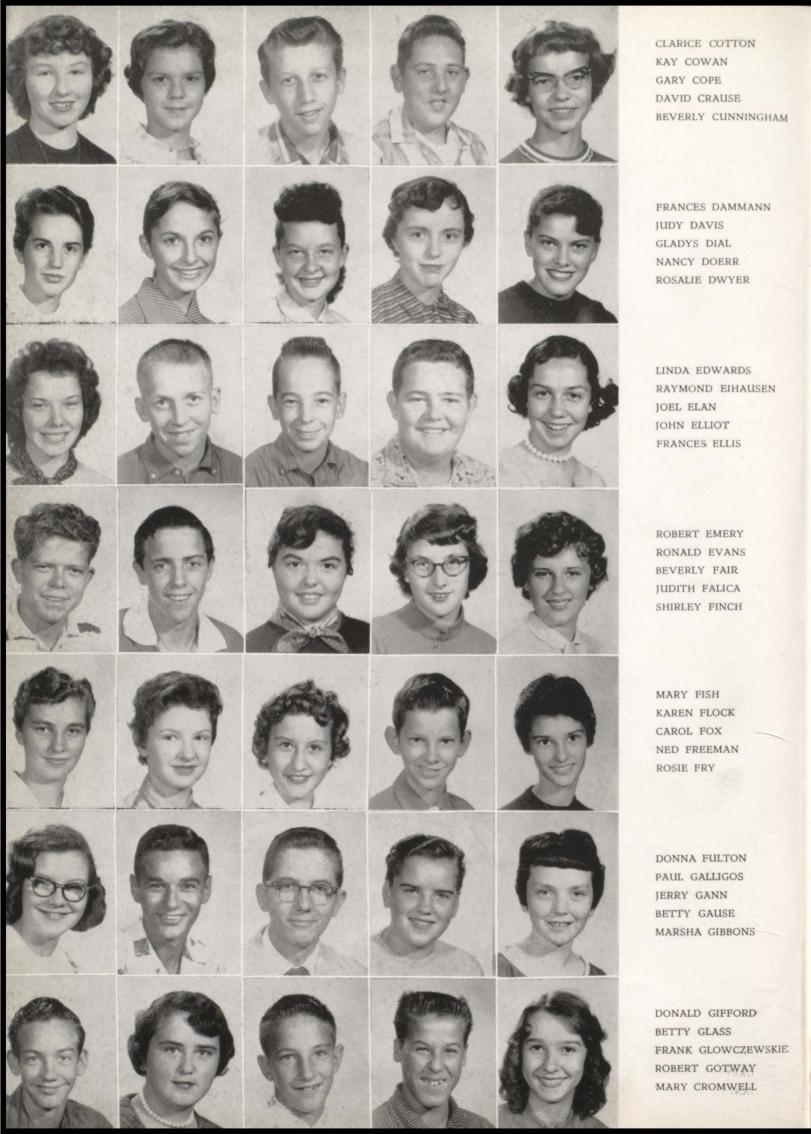
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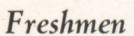


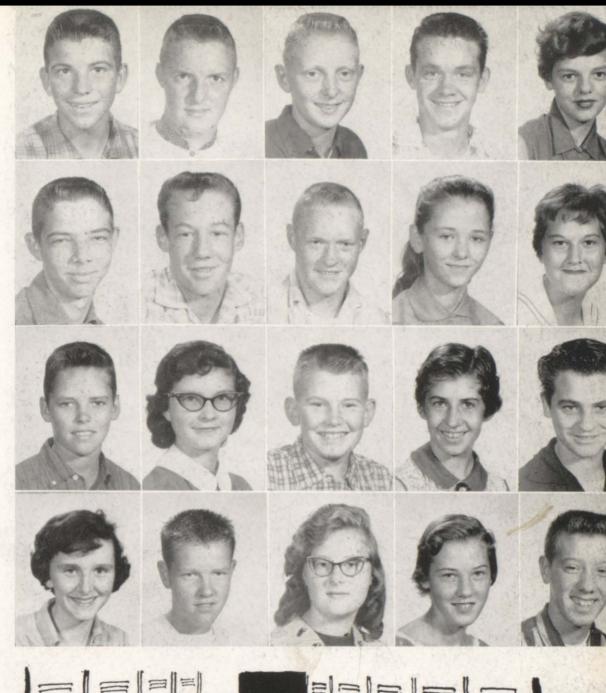
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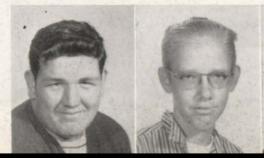






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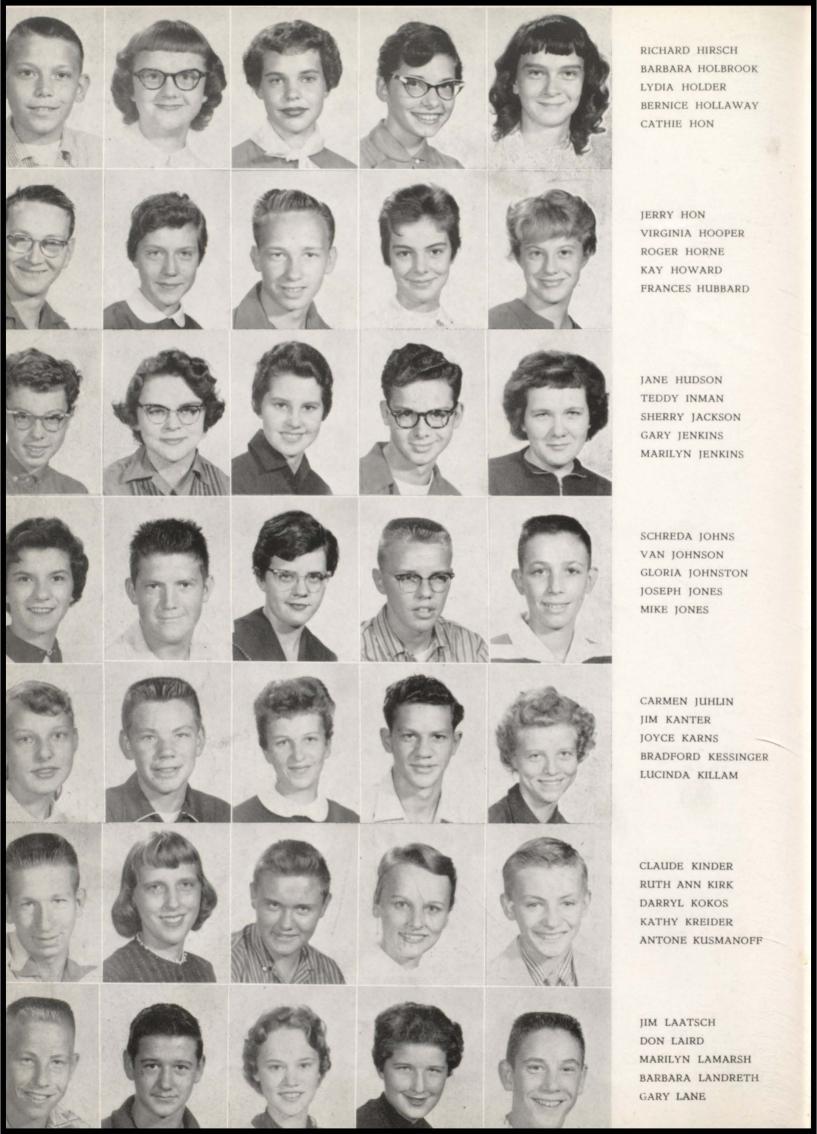
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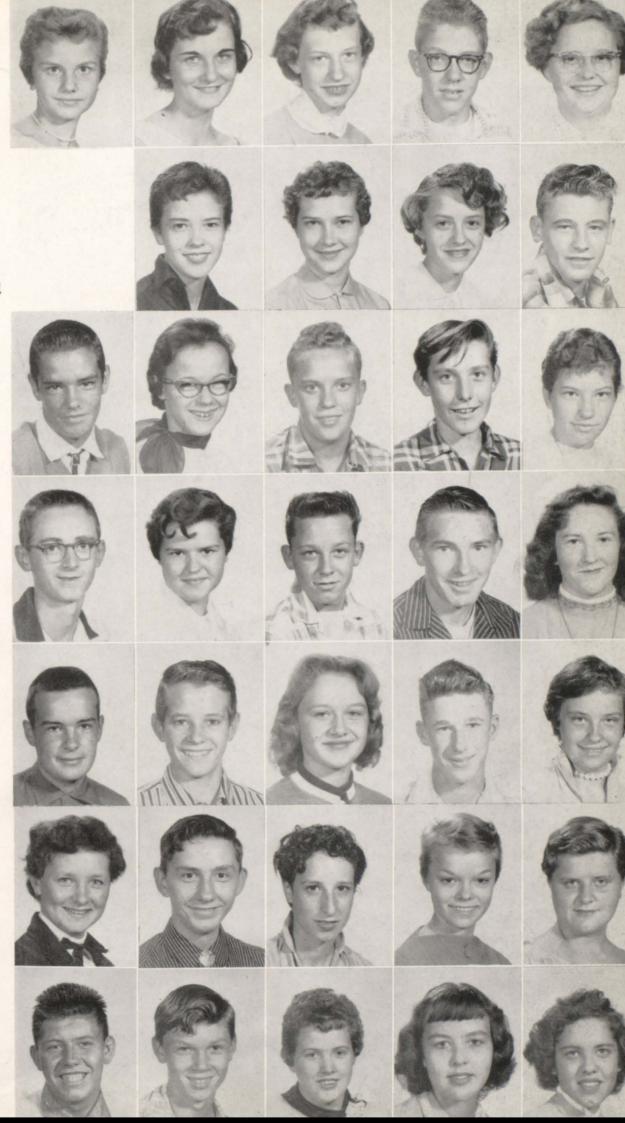
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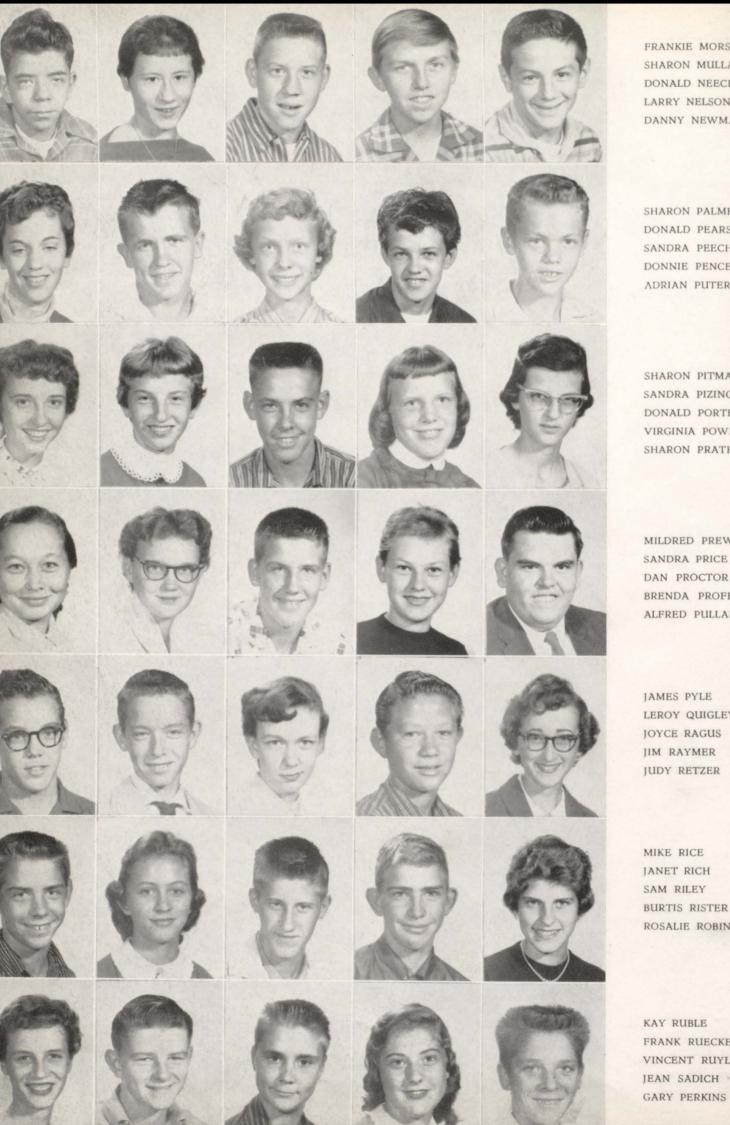
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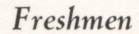








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Freshman's consolation: The bigger they are the harder they fall.



"You're on!" Freshmen Crown Bearers head for the stage. Left to right: Larry Harp, Ned Freeman, Harry Quigley, Richard Hirsch, Tony Kusmanoff.

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