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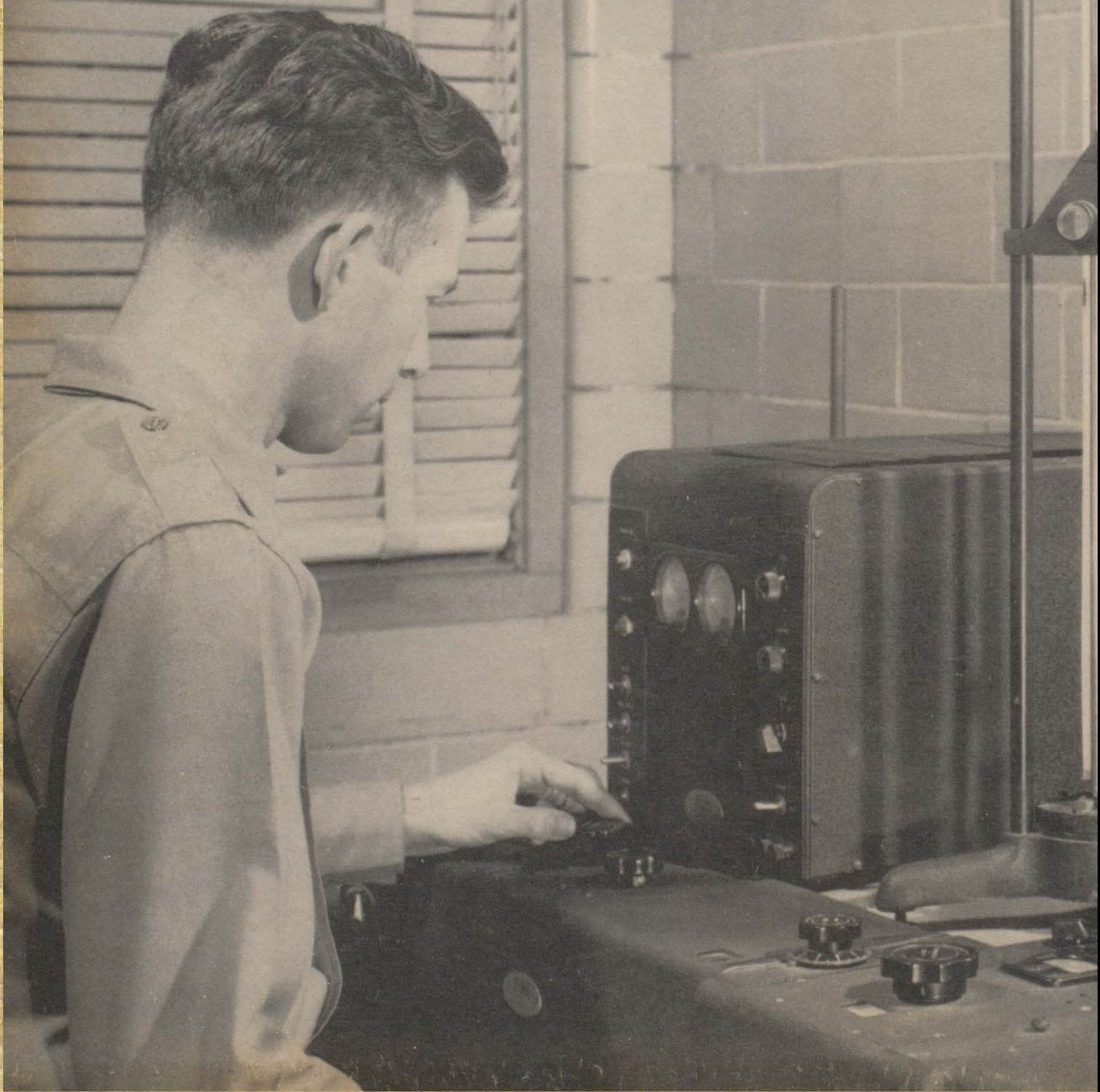


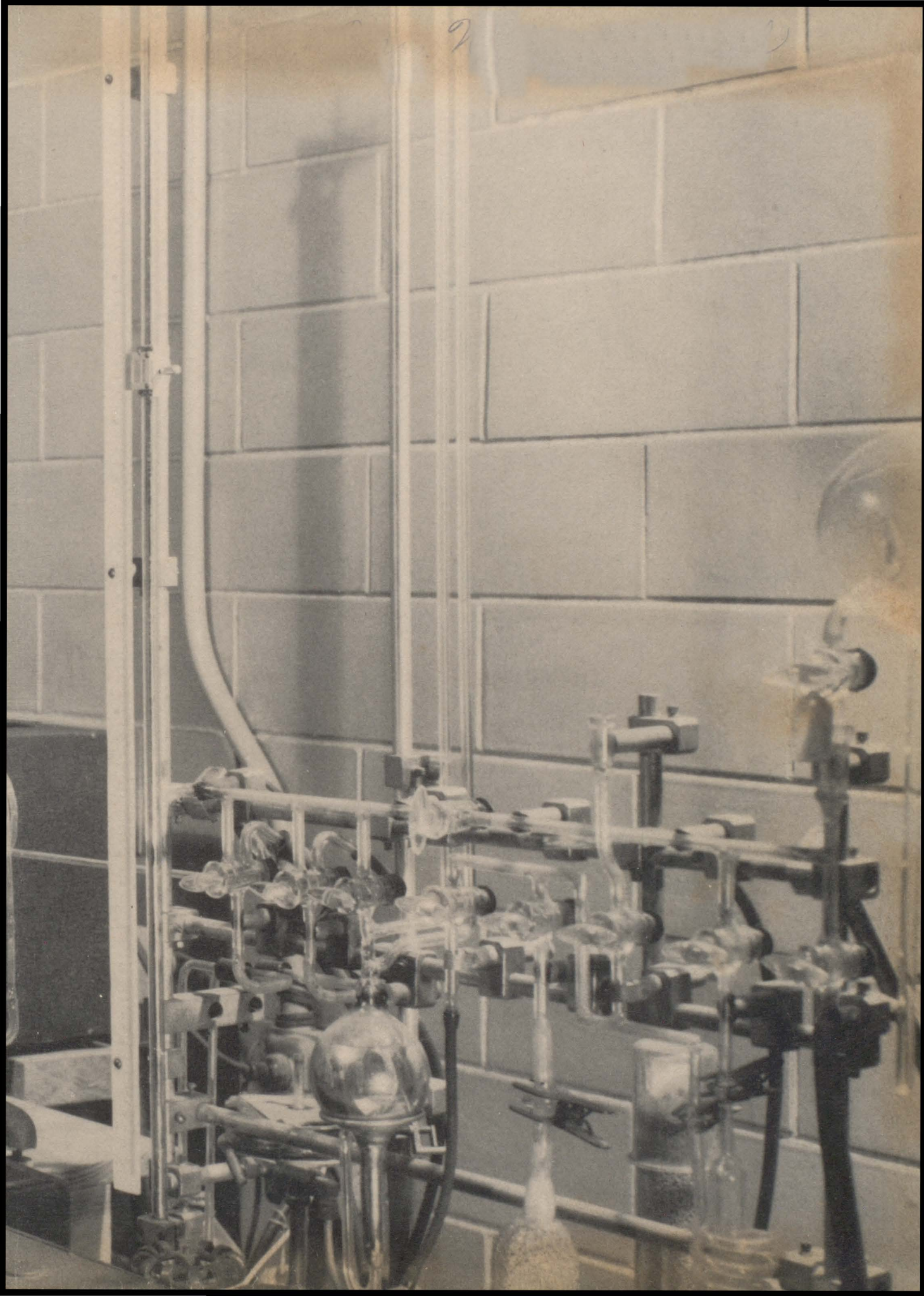
To all in Nederland High, Class of 1953

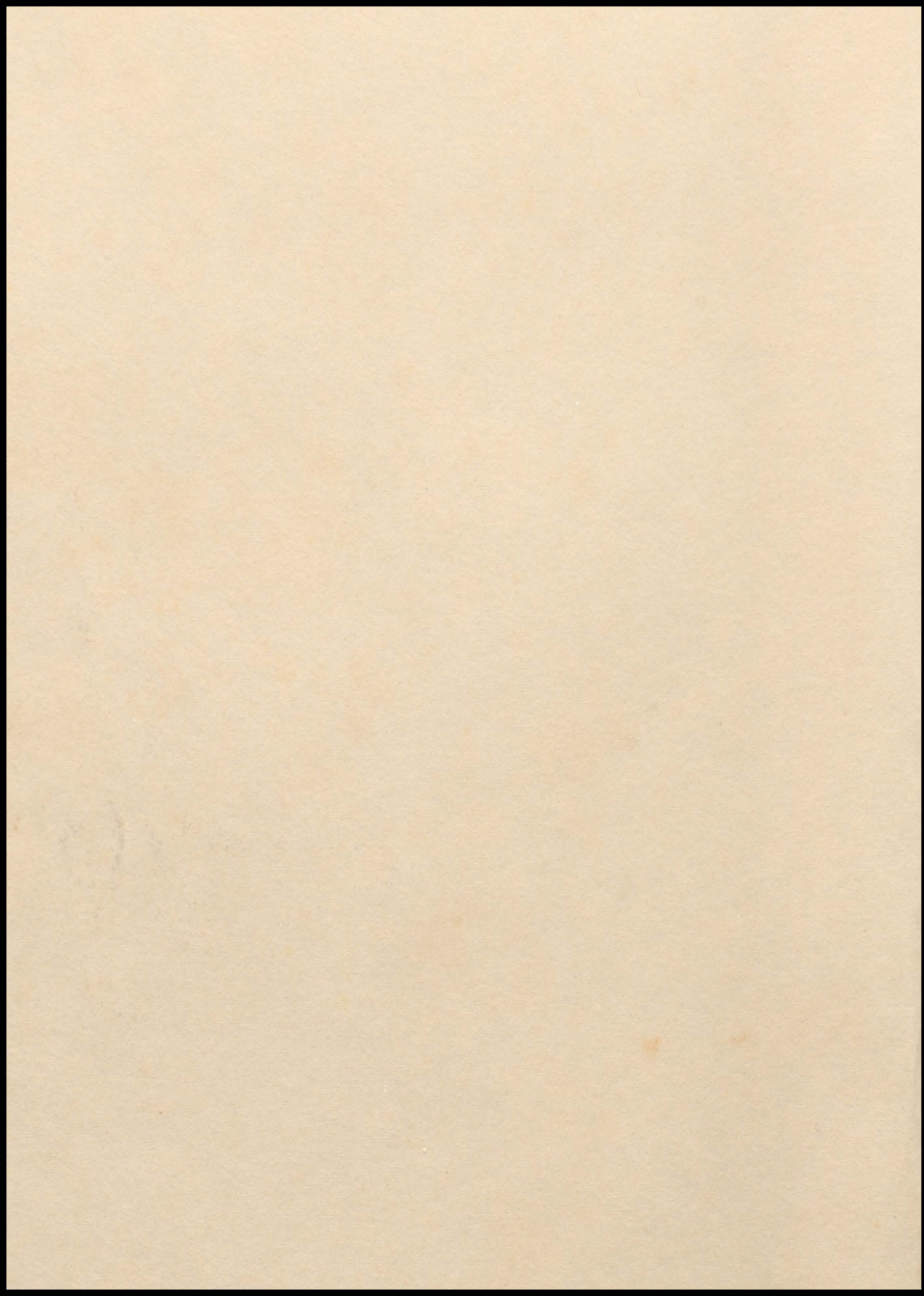
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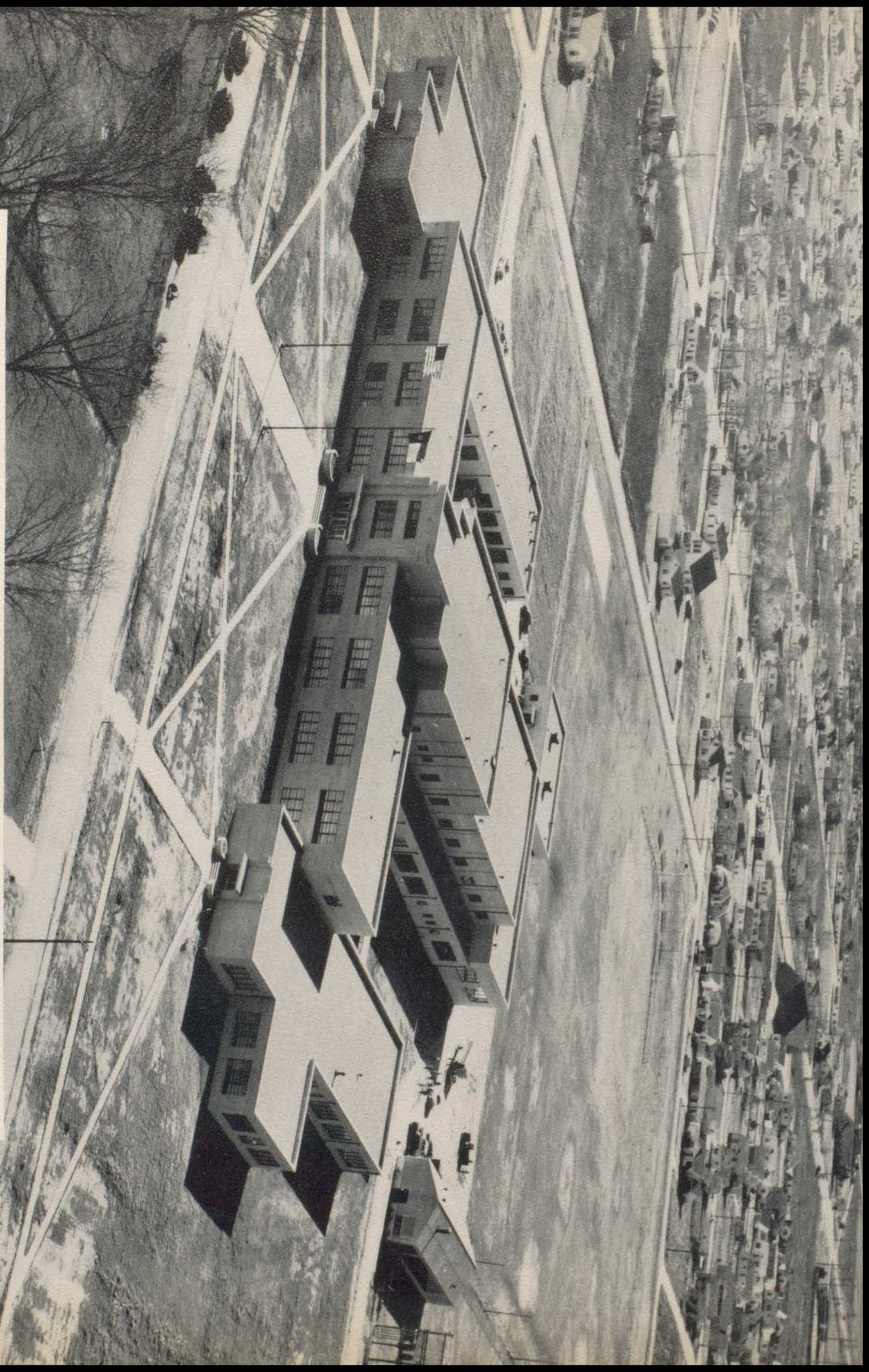
What has our high school meant to us? Has it meant only the attending of classes, listening for long hours to our teachers, and studying at night? Or has it meant the happy times we have spent together and the many memories we have shared, whether good or bad? This annual is the preservation of all the experiences and memorable happenings during our years at Nederland High School.

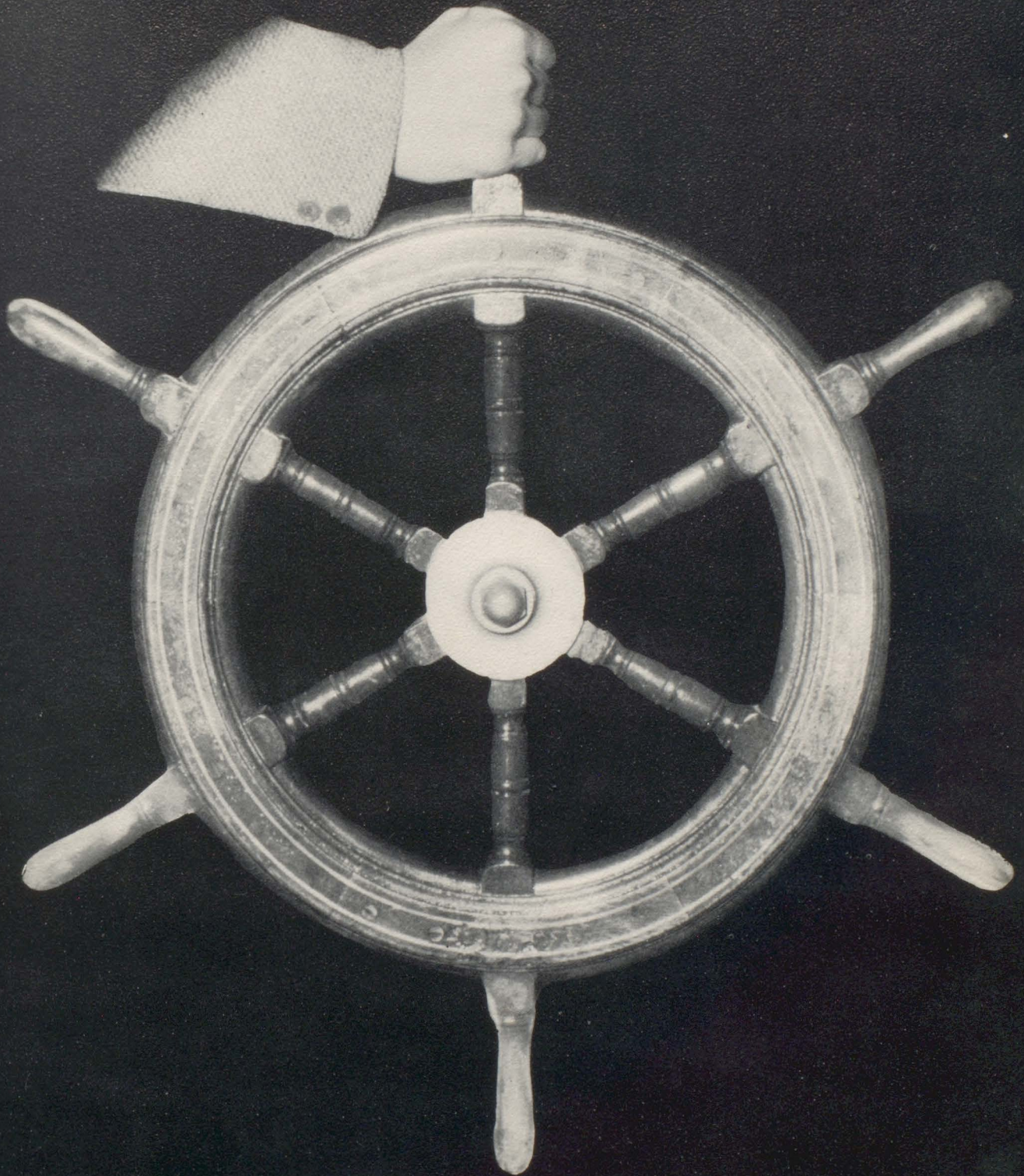
—PAULA THOMAS



To MR. M. E. PALMER, a patient and untiring leader, whose keen understanding of both teachers' and students' problems, and whose willingness to allow us to assume the responsibilities of worthy school citizenship have made our school year memorable, this 1953 edition of *THE PILOT* is sincerely dedicated by the student body of Nederland High School.

The New Nederland High School



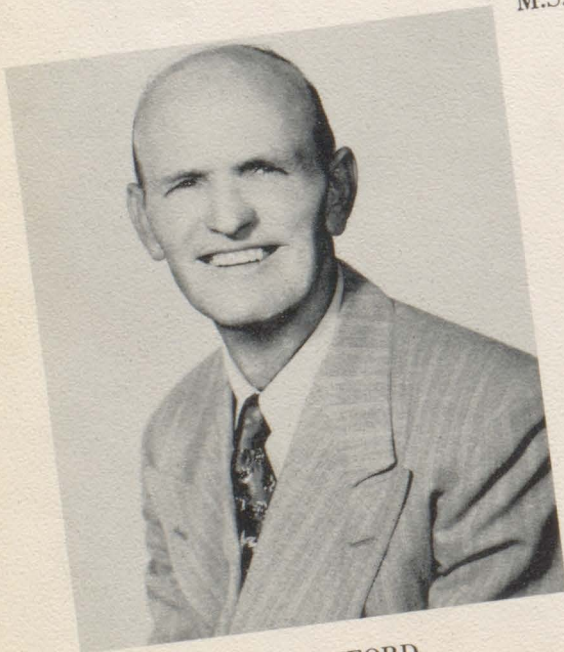


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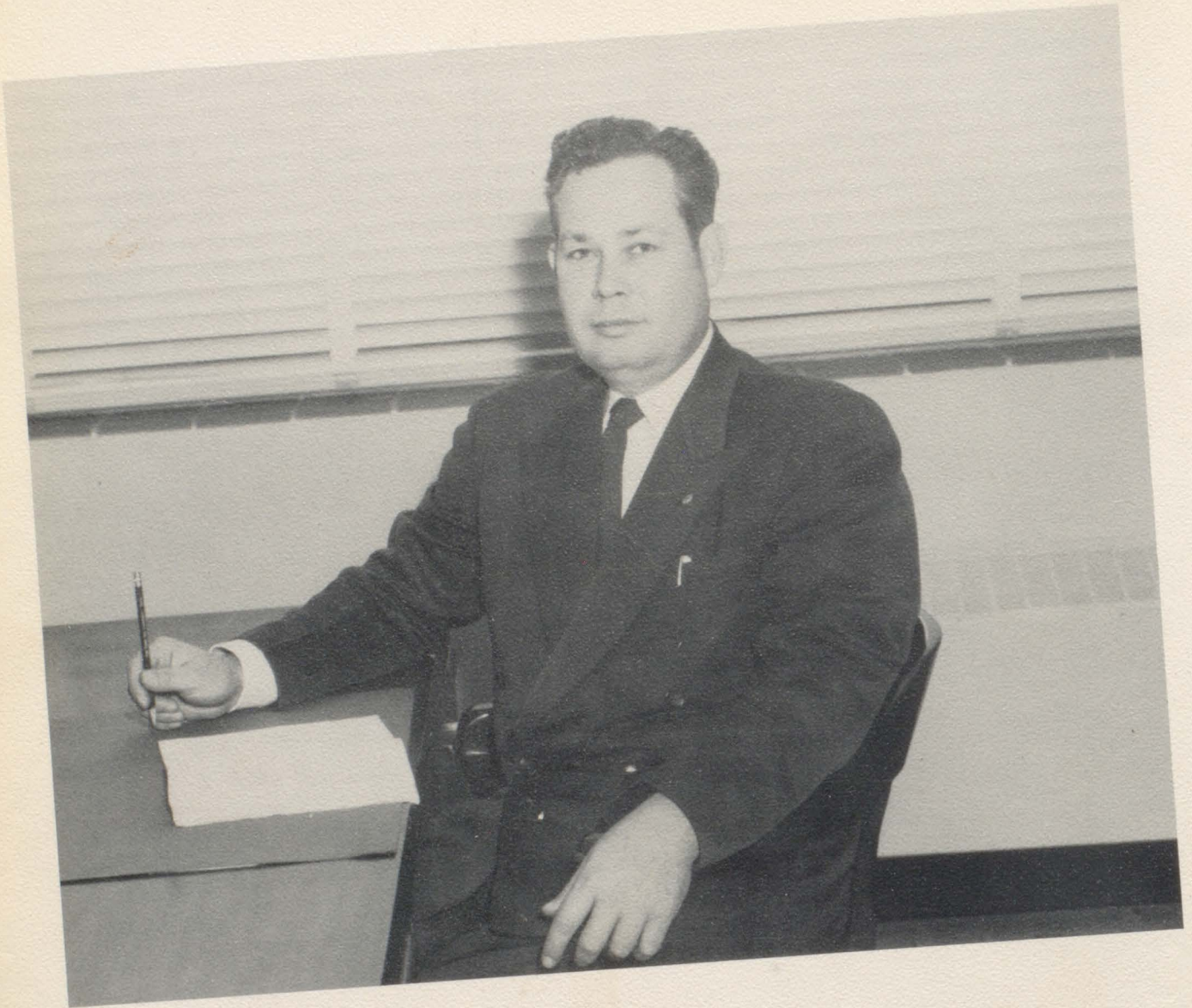
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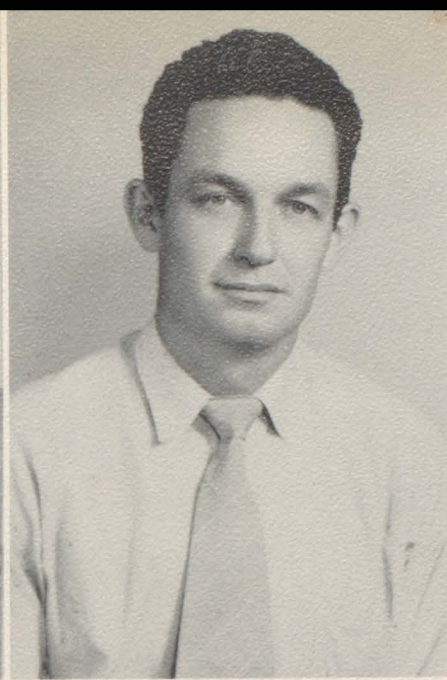
Seated: L. O. Morgan, E. A. Sturrock, Dr. B. H. Hall, President; Murray Libersat.
Standing: Charles Goss, Amidee Morgan, E. A. Palmer.

PRINCIPAL



*Hew a bow, balanced and strong,
An arrow straight and true.
Pursue with diligence and patience
Life's game.
Remember, after the arrow has left the bow,
It is too late to correct the aim.*

M. E. Palmer



CHILDS, DANIEL
A. A.; B. S.
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Algebra

COOK, W. L.
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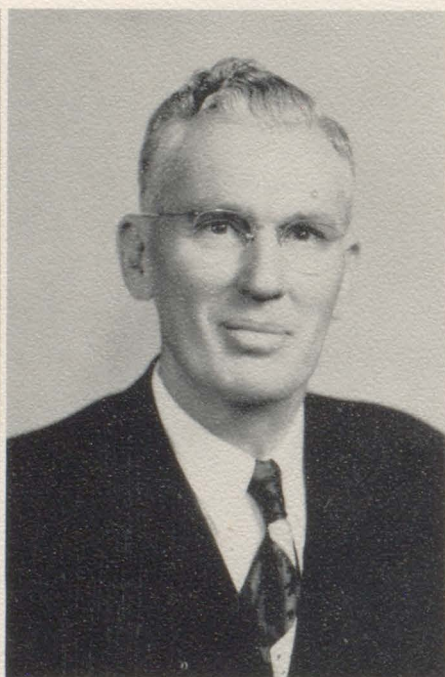
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B. A.; M. A.
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Spanish, English

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Texas A. and M.
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Industrial Education

HARRISON, SARA
B. A.
Sam Houston State Teachers College
English



HOWARD, KENNETH
B. S.
Northwestern State College
Louisiana
°Physical Education



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Southwest Texas State College
English, Annual

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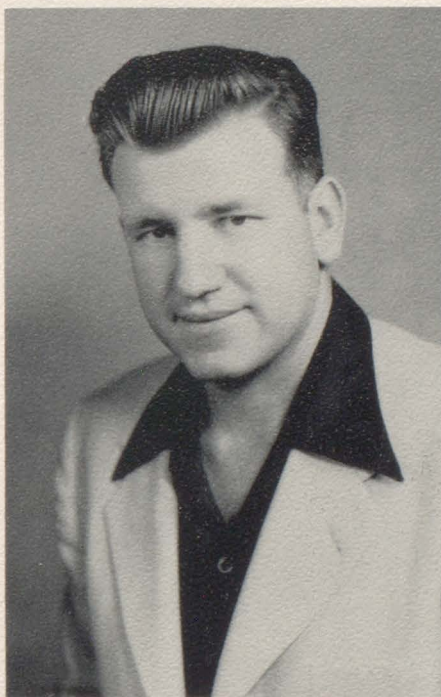
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Business Administration



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Homemaking

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B. S.
Stephen F. Austin
Head Coach

RAMKE, VERNON
B. S.
Tulane, Louisiana
Coach



ROSS, JESSIE LEE
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Science



THOMAS, MARY KAY
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Texas State College for Women
Physical Education

VILHA, W. E.
B. A.; M. A.
Daniel Baker College
Baylor University
Science

WALKER, MARY
B. A.; M. E.
Elon College, N. C.
University of Houston
English, Art



WARE, JAMES R.
B. A.
North Texas State College
Government, History



FERGUSON, BESS
B. A.; M. A.
Peabody College, Tennessee
Counselor

STANCIL, NELLEEN MRS.
B. S.; B. S. in L. S.
Texas State College for Women
Library

RUSSELL, LILLIAN MRS.
B. A.
Howard Payne College
Library



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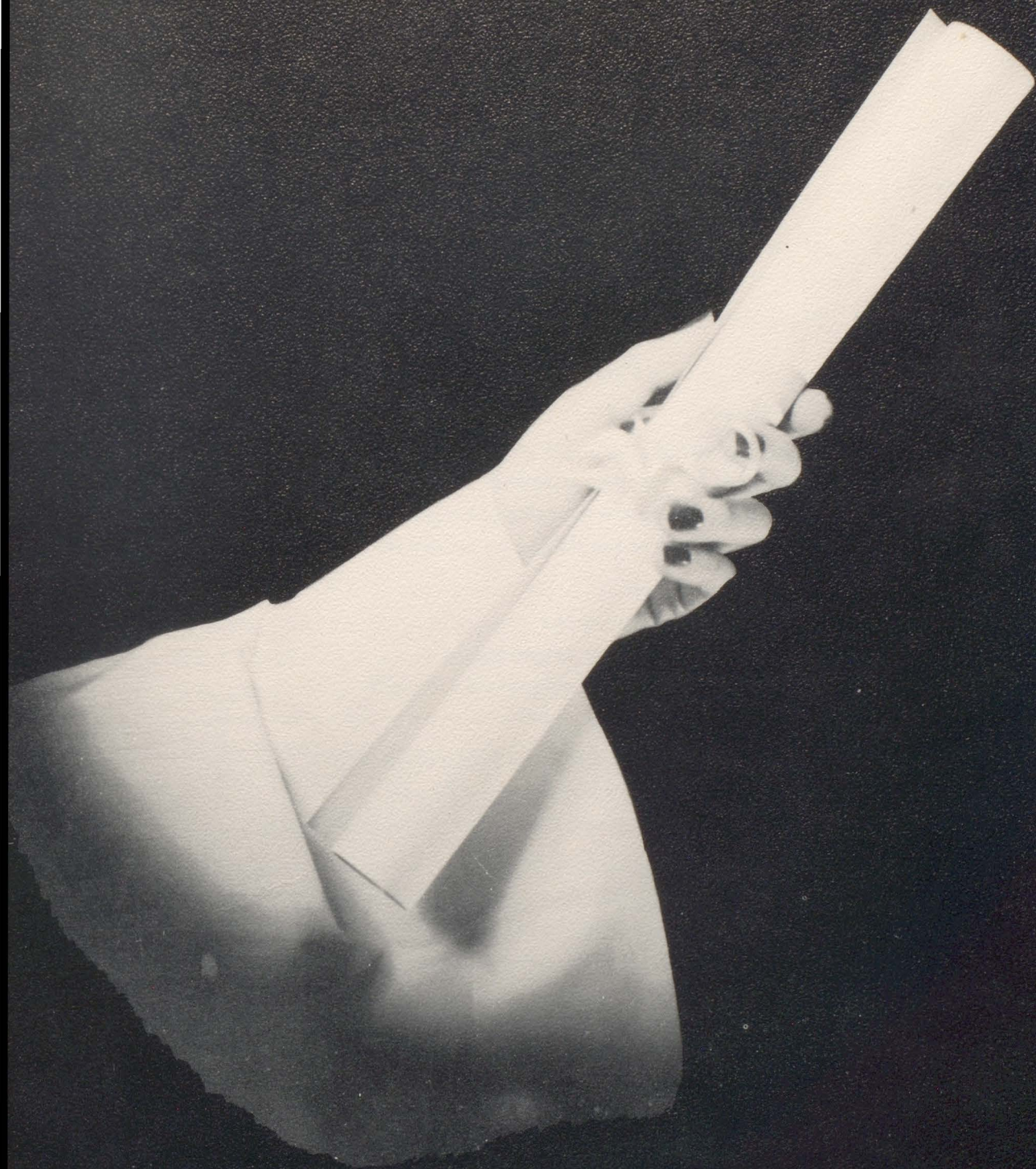
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Mr. Hebert

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SENIORS

CLASS COLORS—Blue and Silver CLASS FLOWER—Carnation
CLASS MOTTO—"United we stand, divided we fall."

Farewell

*The time has come to bid a farewell,
To say good-bye to N. H. S. and friends as well.
So long to the many happy times you've given us.
Thanks again for all you've taught and especially for your trust.*

*We cherish the days at N. H. S.,
And face the future or any other test.
Remembering always the ideals you've taught,
We'll never be found living with an unworthy thought.*

*We march out to a new phase of life,
Through the gates of adulthood to countless fields of strife,
Pushing onward — perhaps with fear in our hearts,
But gripped by a restlessness which makes us continue the march.*

*To you whom we leave behind at N. H. S.
We hope you have a happy time and always do your best.
May our Alma Mater keep us forever free.
All of these we wish, from the Class of fifty-three.*

—LYNN RIENSTRA

Senior Prophecy

NATHAN ABSHIRE is now owner and manager of the largest shoe parlor in New York City and has two hundred shoe shine boys working for him.

SYBIL ADKINS has never stopped complaining about her clothes, so she opened a dress shop of her own in Nederland.

BARBARA ANDERSON'S baby is now taking home economics from one of Nederland's better known teachers.

BRUCE ASHLEY finally found a way to make a hot rod from a bicycle.

JACK BAKER is still trying to graduate from Nederland High School.

JESSIE RUTH BAKER is still going strong with her singing career, even if it is singing lullabies to "little Buddy."

DOROTHY BARBERS has a band of her own, known as "Barber's Be Bop Band."

CARLENE BARNES is the proud owner of the International Frosty Stand.

RUEBEN BEAN has won the heavyweight championship from Rocky Marciano.

CHARLES BOND still enjoys hearing the women call him "Babe."

Would you have ever thought it? CARL BURNS is now pastor of the First Baptist Church.

RACHEL BURROWS has received her M.R.S. degree after years of waiting.

GERTIE CARUTHERS is giving Pat Johnson, Jr. six lessons on how to be neat.

BILLY DALBY has finally married Betty Ann, and they are very happy.

CHARLES DAVIS now has a special class of his own in N.H.S., teaching how to skip school and go hunting without getting caught.

RUTH DEAN is using her pogo stick to help in the car hop business. She has been voted America's number one car hop for the fifth consecutive time.

Got a letter from MELBA DOWDEN, and she said she was doing fine with her missionary work in Korea.

As I was passing the Sportsman Club, I chanced to see WAYNE DOWDEN busy blowing smoke rings while playing a game of pool. Imagine that!

JACK EDWARDS, still going to school, so he can play hookey every other day.

MARVIN ERMEL is the proud manager of Looney Bergins Ice Cream Co.

CHARLES FLETCHER has just taken Mr. Bush's place as Nederland's Night Watchman.

FRANCES FOLGLEMAN is now a nurse at John Sealy Hospital.

WINDOL FOLEY has taken "Cut Throat Charlie's" place as the top vocalist at the Triangle Club.

REID GALLION is spending all his time wiping the rust off his brains.

TOMMY GENTRY is the bouncer at the Blue Jean Club during his off hours from teaching pool.

JAMES GRAY is a top notch pitcher in the major leagues. He got his practice from throwing chalk in English IV.

AMY GREER is a barker at the South Texas State Fair. We always knew her talkative ways would get her somewhere.

FRANCES HARP is enlisting for the third time in the Army Nurse Corps.

ROBERT HARRIS is now teaching Mr. Medlin's Plane Geometry class. He knows all the angles.

GENE PAUL HENDERSON, the proud owner of "Henderson's Handsome Hat Shop," has just designed a new "cat-hat."

EMMA CLAIR HERRINGTON is now make-up girl for Evelyn West.

EARLENE HOOKS is still looking for a cure for blushing.

JANETTE HUDSON is now teaching her children how to make A's in school.

JOAN JAMES is a Sunday School teacher, teaching everybody's little children right from wrong.

BETTY JOHNSON is taking Miss Newsom's place as a famous teacher at N. H. S.

After twenty years of college JANELLE JOHNSON is teaching shorthand at dear 'Ole Nederland High.

JUNIOR JONES, ten years from now, will take the place of Solemn "Abe."

MARIE KNOBLOCK is the fat woman in the Ringling Bros. Circus.

A. J. LE BLANC is better known as America's number one hot rod driver.

ALBERTA MAXWELL is now manager of the stables at the Kentucky Derby.

NELLIE ROSE MITCHAM (FLASH!!) is now head of the lonely hearts club.

CLIFFORD MORVANT is playing Lone Ranger with Tex Ritter.

BARBARA MOSELEY holds down first place in the Ziegfield Follies.

On my vacation in Venice, I saw ALTON MUTZBAUER as a singing gondolier.

CHARLES NICHOLSON is now bat boy for the Brooklyn Dodgers.

JACK PELLOAT has a good job as a sports reporter for the Mid County Review and gets much of his material from Lefty's Sportsman Club.

VIOLA PERDUE is sitting patiently while waiting for O. R. to come home from the evening shift.

EUGENIA PRICE now is teaching dancing at the Blue Jean Club.

MARGARET PRICE, although she still isn't fond of work, won't let anyone else be lazy; she runs the employment agency.

BILLY PORTER is a successful Nederland lawyer.

I went to an All American football game and there I saw JUNIOR PULLIN in the big times (peddling hot dogs.)

ADELINE SIMMONS has just won an award as "The Typical Wife."

LYNN RIENSTRA is now operating the Dale Hotel where the 1963 N. H. S. Student Council will hold their banquet.

JO ANN ROBERTS is now playing in the New York Symphony.

JERRY ROEBUCK and Patsy are spending their 10th wedding anniversary at Niagara Falls.

WAYNE SANDERSON is now a wrestling promoter in Houston.

PRENTICE SCOFIELD is president of the Boy Scouts of America, and from all reports he is still a good scout.

LURA SEITZ, a famous model, works for Powers Modeling Agency.

ROBERT SHUART is showing off what he has slammed together and calls a car.

VIRGIL SKINNER has taken over Eddie Arnold's place as America's number one hillbilly singer.

MYRA SKOG is still bringing her daily dollar from Neisner's for her engagement ring. That's the get-rich-quick-plan.

HARRY SPONSLER, with his elevated shoes, is owner of the "Tall Man's Shop."

WILLETTE SORRELL, with her freckles and giggles, took Judy Canova's place in the Grand Ole' Opera.

JOAN THACKER is professor in the University of Buna. She majors in "how to handle a hoe."

PAULA THOMAS just made the last payment on her rocking chair to take with her to the Sabine Oaks Home.

JOYCE TYER is working at a famous car lot, handling nothing but "pickups."

LEONARD VINSON is owner and operator of the South Park Drive Inn Theater.

JOAN WILLIAMS has purchased a new foam rubber pillow. We wonder why?

JIMMY WILLS has just been sworn in as one of Pop's special deputies.

DUANE WILSON and his dog, "Gummer," still run the early morning paper route.

WETA WILSON is still trying to pass her entrance test to get in L. S. U.

CURTIS WRIGHT with his witty and clever ways will finally push Jerry Lewis off the stage.

MAX WILLIAMS has just become a member of the "Dewey for President" association.

Last Will and Testament
of the
SENIOR CLASS—1953

We, the Senior Class of Nederland High School, City of Nederland, County of Jefferson, State of Texas, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be our Last Will and Testament.

NATHAN ABSHIRE leaves his dancing ability to Vernis Bourque.

SYBIL ADKINS wills her non-complaining ways to Laurel Lambert.

BARBARA ANDERSON wills her book on "How to Get Your Man" to Martha Bennett.

BRUCE ASHLEY leaves his haircut to John Lambert.

JACK BAKER wills his ability to stay out of school to John Eagleson.

JESSIE RUTH BAKER leaves her singing voice to Wanda Ziegler.

DOROTHY BARBER leaves her place in the school orchestra to James Martin.

CARLENE BARNES wills her job at the ice cream stand to Barbara Barnes.

REUBEN BEAN leaves his place in the Rah Rah Club to Newell Bass.

CHARLES BOND leaves his weight to Lucas Papania.

CARL BURNS wills his good graces with the coaches to Raymond Doucet.

RACHEL BURROWS leaves her place as head cheerleader to anyone as deserving.

GERTIE CARUTHERS wills her dainty ways to Jean Wilson.

BILLY DALBY wills his consistency for one girl to Jack Sanford.

CHARLES DAVIS and ROYCE WHITEHEAD leave their hunting license to anyone who can use it on school days.

RUTH DEAN leaves her flirting traits to Diane (Sugar) Davis.

MELBA DOWDEN wills her noisy ways to Margaret Lewis.

WAYNE DOWDEN leaves his singing ability to Volz Hooper.

JACK EDWARDS wills his beard to Robert Stansbury.

MARVIN ERMEL leaves his love for advanced math and science to Victor Hubert.

CHARLES FLETCHER leaves his ability to play gruesome jokes to Malcolm Radford.

WINDOL FOLEY leaves his quiet and studious ways to J. C. Findley.

FRANCIS FOGLEMAN wills her poodle haircut to Dolores Abbott.
REID GALLION wills his way with Beaumont girls to "Tip" Adams.
TOMMY GENTRY leaves his feminine admirers to Paul Broussard.
JAMES GRAY leaves his place on the baseball team to Terry Rahar.
FRANCES HARP leaves her ability to get along with teachers to Eve Marie.
ROBERT HARRIS wills his yankee accent to Dave Jones.
GENE PAUL HENDERSON leaves his ability to play the piano to Charles Smith.
EMMA CLAIR HERRINGTON wills her ambition to go with them all to Birdie Huddleston.
EARLENE HOOKS leaves her ability to click in a new school to any other newcomer to N. H. S.
JANETTE HUDSON leaves her intelligence to Jo Ann Brinkley.
JOAN JAMES wills her place in the band to her sister and brother, Nelda and Jackie.
BETTY JOHNSON leaves all Port Neches boys, except Bill, to Nelda Perdue.
JANELLE JOHNSON leaves the swimming pool to Miss Thomas.
JUNIOR JONES wills his quiet ways to Barty Jones.
MARIE KNOBLOCK leaves her chemistry book to Mr. Villa.
ALBERTA MAXWELL wills her extra curves to Eva Wistner.
A. J. LEBLANC leaves his way with the Draft Board to Bill Harrington.
NELLIE ROSE MITCHAM leaves her size to Gloria Ricardo.
CLIFFORD MORVANT left, period.
BARBARA MOSELEY leaves her way with boys to Barbara Miller.
ALTON MUTZBAUER wills the Presidency of the Senior Class to any lucky Junior.
CHARLES NICHOLSON wills his place on the baseball team to anyone who can take it.
JACK PELLOAT leaves his place on the bench to any good football player.
VIOLA PERDUE wills her marriage license to Tessie Quarles.
BILLY PORTER leaves his brain to Kip Murray.
EUGENIA PRICE leaves her competition in 4-H to Gail Beagle.

MARGARET PRICE leaves her place in the Choral Club to Glenda Hext.

JUNIOR PULLIN wills the Junior girls to Jimmy Patterson.

ADELINE RABALAIS leaves the school to continue her married life.

LYNN RIENSTRA leaves her speaking ability to anyone brave enough to undertake it.

JO ANN ROBERTS leaves Nederland to go to Port Neches.

JERRY AND PATSY ROEBUCK leave their school life to any single couple.

WAYNE SANDERSON wills his two years in the Senior Class to anyone who loves school.

LURA SEITZ leaves all her boyfriends to Margaret Timmons.

PRENTISS SCOFIELD wills his red hair to Bobby Guthrie.

ROBERT SHUART leaves his green Plymouth to anyone who can drive it.

VIRGIL SKINNER wills his wolfish ways to Billy Morgan.

MYRA SKOG wills her ability to go steady to Jane Fish.

WILLETTE SORRELL leaves her laugh to George Ann Wilson.

HARRY SPONSLER wills his height to Glen Bosman.

JOE STREET still leaves all the girls guessing.

JOAN THACKER leaves her determination to get married to Edna Earl Stark.

PAULA THOMAS leaves her place as editor of "The Pilot" to Glen Lacy.

JOYCE TYER wills her sweaters to Gwen Gray.

LEONARD VINSON leaves his job at the South Park Drive-In to Jerry Shirley.

JOAN WILLIAMS leaves her quiet disposition to Peggy Thomas.

MAX WILLIAMS leaves his place as business manager of "The Pilot" to Bob Rackley.

JIMMY WILLS wills his way with "Pop" Jensen to Bobby Hanks.

DUANE WILSON leaves his inventive ways to Gordon Brady.

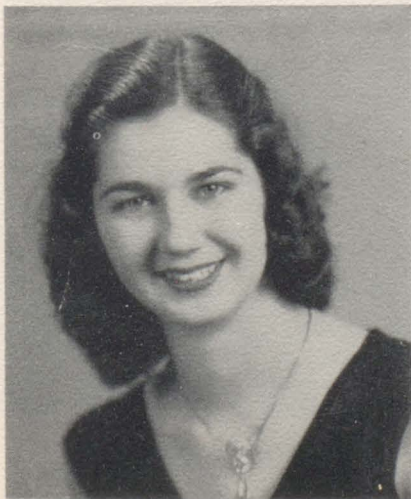
WETA WILSON leaves her title as Football Sweetheart to any lucky Junior girl.

CURTIS WRIGHT leaves his place as "goof ball" of the Senior Class to Lidney Thompson.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



*Alumni
Representative*



RACHEL BURROWS

Left to Right:

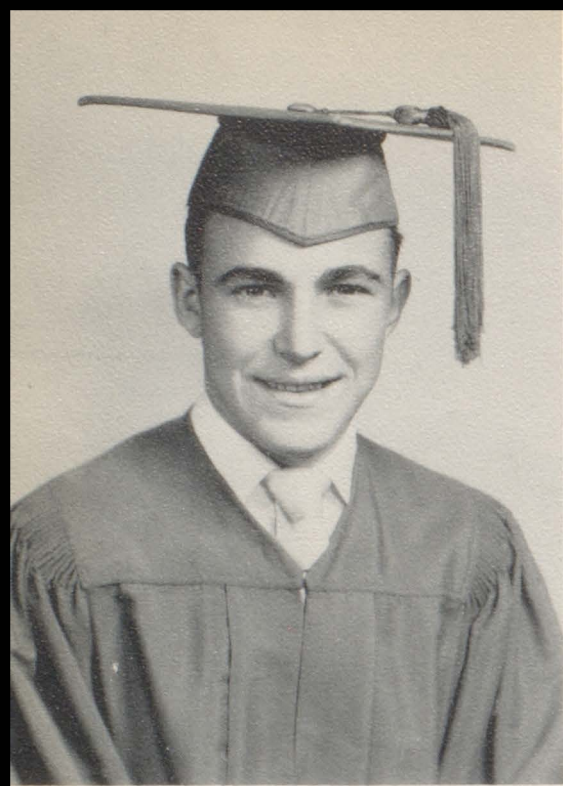
- RACHEL BURROWS *Treasurer*
 EUGENIA PRICE *Secretary*
 PAULA THOMAS
 JOYCE TYRE *Soc. Leaders*
 CHARLES BOND *Vice President*
 ALTON MUTZBAUER *President*

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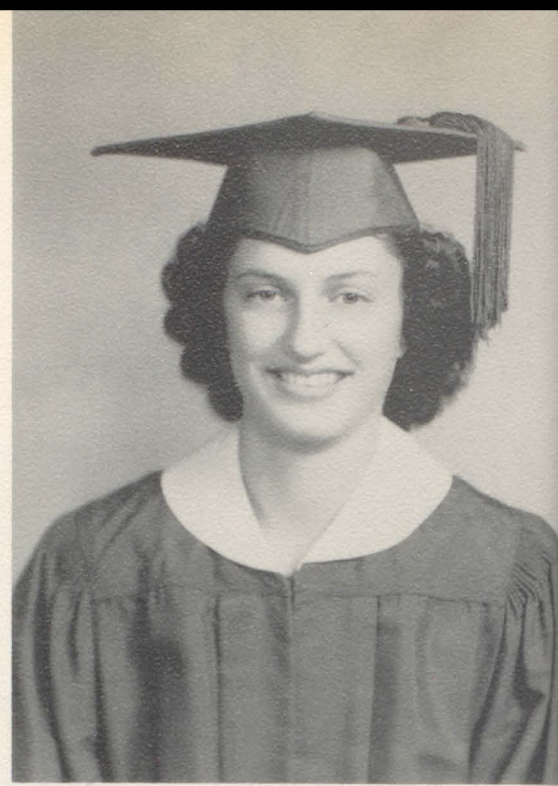


DUANE WILSON

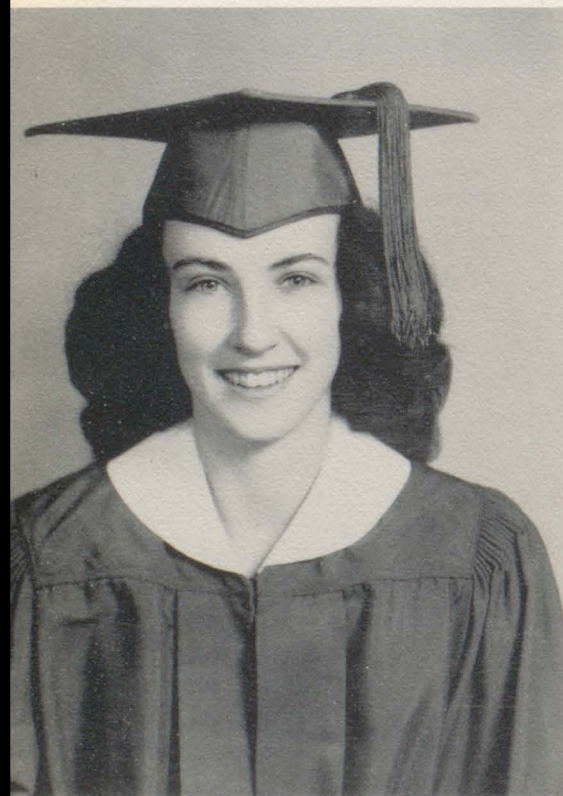
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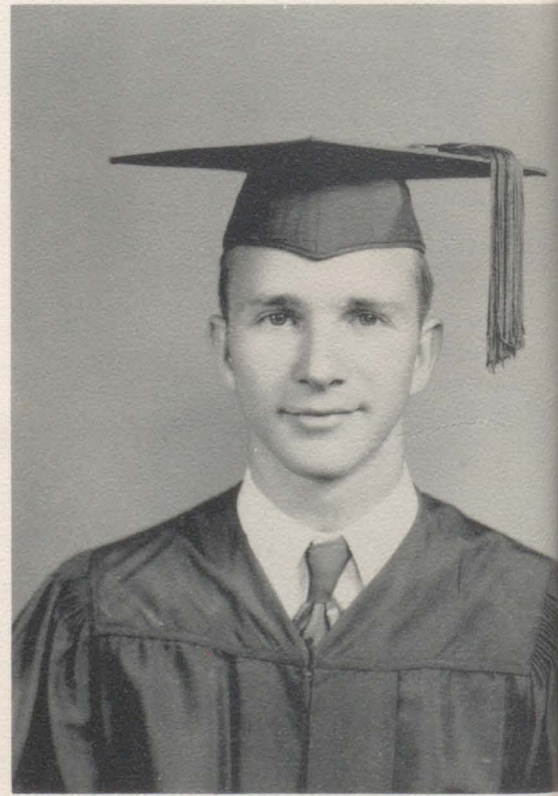
ABSHIRE, NATHAN
Science Club 1
Football Manager 1
Date Book Committee 3
Texas Rangers 4



ADKINS, SYBIL
Choral Club 3, 4
Kampus Klub 3
Spanish 1, 2
Nurses' Club 4

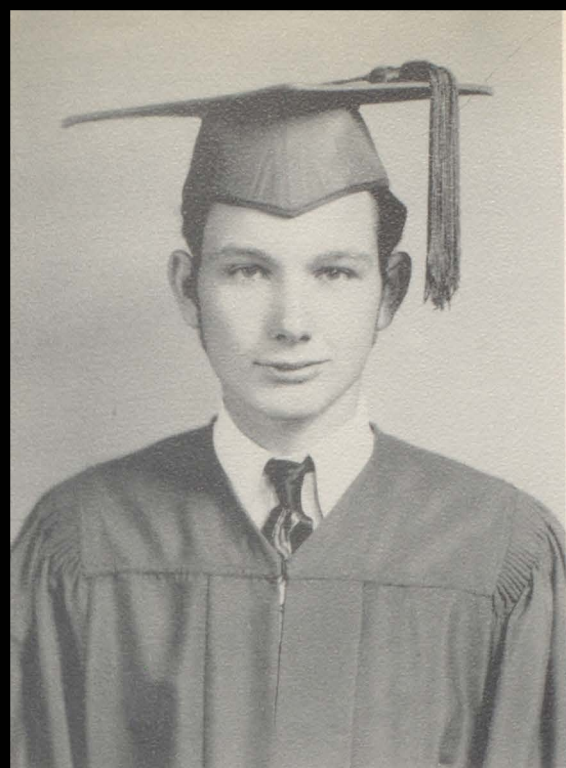


ANDERSON, BARBARA
F. H. A. 1
J. C. L. Club 2
Bona Fides, President 2
Kampus Klub 3
Junior Red Cross 4



ASHLEY, BRUCE
Spanish 2, 3

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BAKER, JACK
Choral Club 3
Track 1
Texas Rangers 4



BAKER, JESSIE RUTH
Student Council 4
Pep Squad 1-4
Class Reporter 3
Health Council 1
Choral Club 3, 4

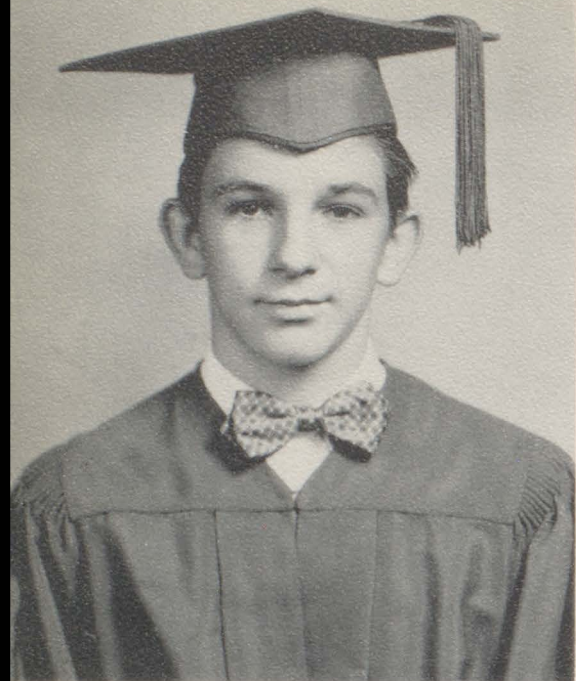


BARBER, DOROTHY
Band 4
Orchestra 4

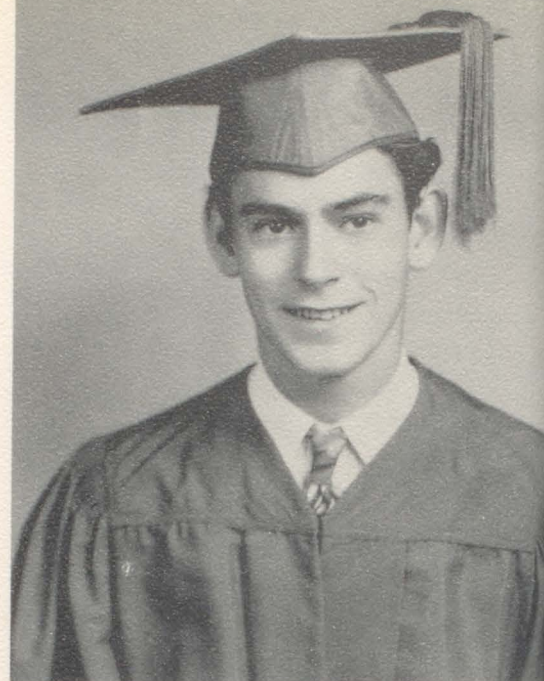


BARNES, CARLENE
Pep Squad 1-3
Choral Club 1-3
Library Club 3, 4
Kampus Klub 3
Journalism Club 3

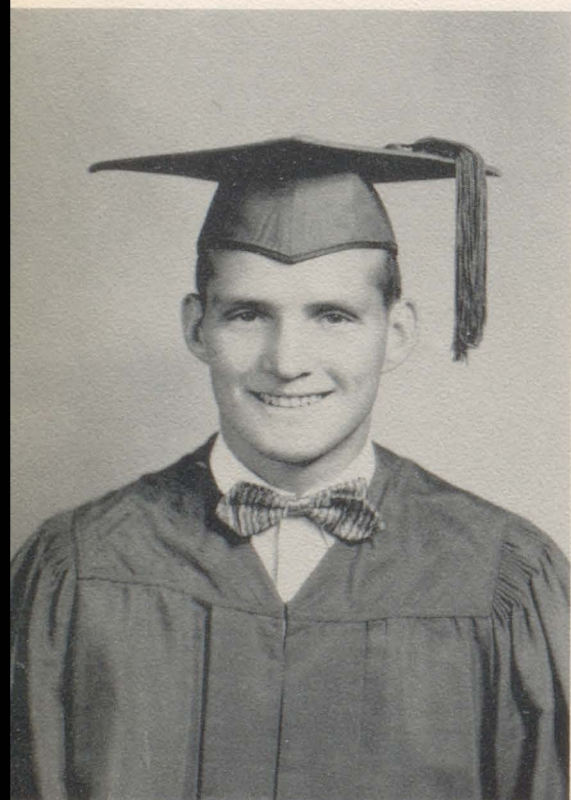
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BEAN, RUEBEN
Pep Squad 4
Swimming Club 4



BOND, CHARLES
Vice President 4
Student Council 4
Friendliest 4



BURNS, CARL
Football 2-4
All District 4
Basketball 2, 3
Secretary 2
Best All-Round 4
Athletic Club 4

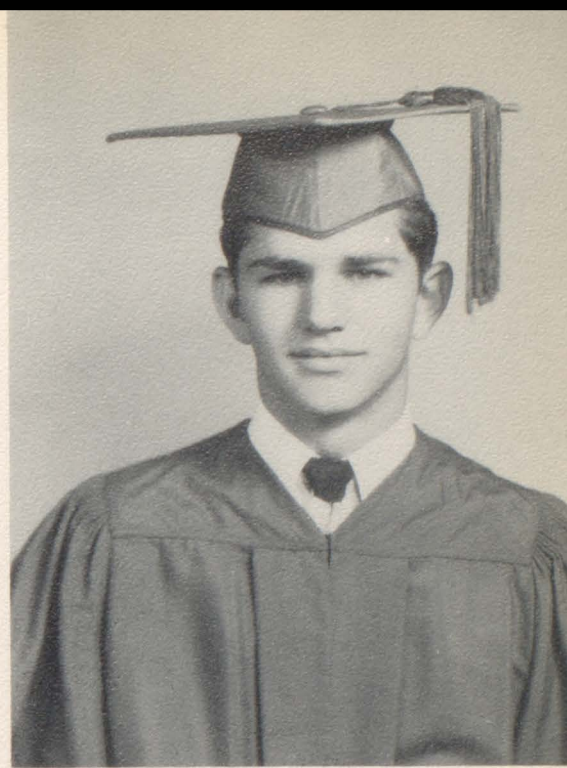


BURROWS, RACHEL
Cheerleader 2-4
Head Cheerleader 4
Treasurer 2, 4
Duchess 3
Citizenship Award 3
Democracy Speech 3

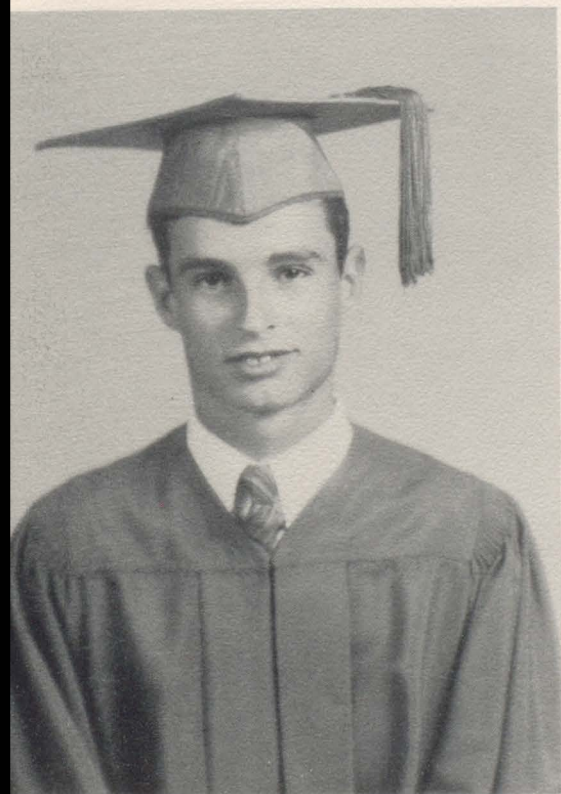
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✓ CARUTHERS, GERTIE
Student Council 1,2
Honor Society 3, 4
Social Leader 2
Annual Staff 4
Best Looking 4



✓ DALBY, BILLY
4-H Club 1-4
Football 2
Football Manager 3
Best Looking 4



DAVIS, CHARLES



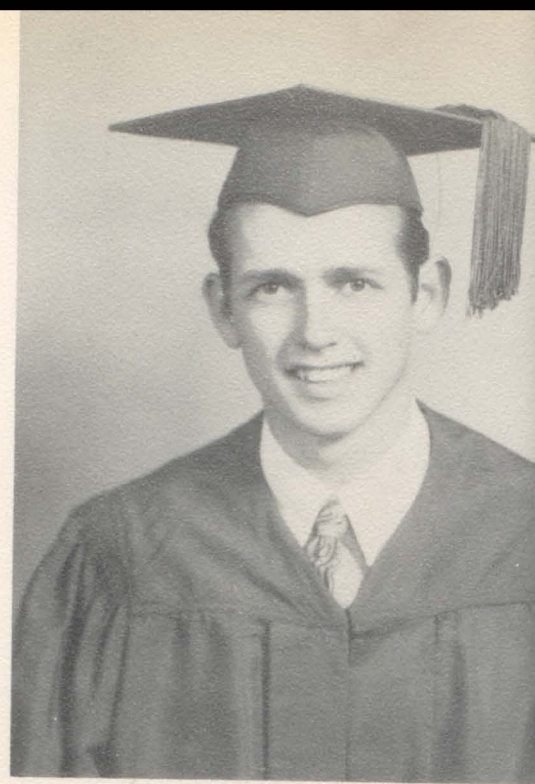
✓ DEAN, RUTH
Favorite 1
Student Council 2
Pep Squad 1-4
F. H. A. 1, 2
Annual Staff 4

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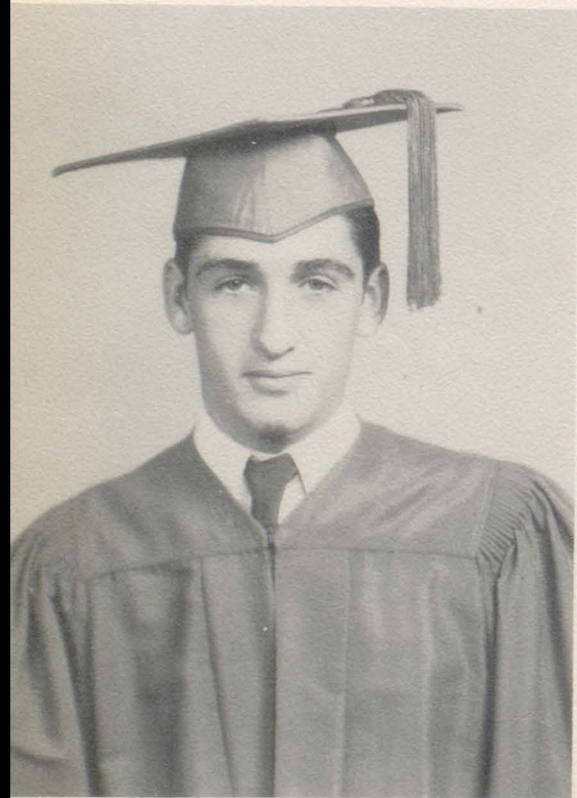
DOWDEN, MELBA

Pep Squad 1-4
Kampus Klub 3
Choral Club 3
Library Club 4
Honor Society 4



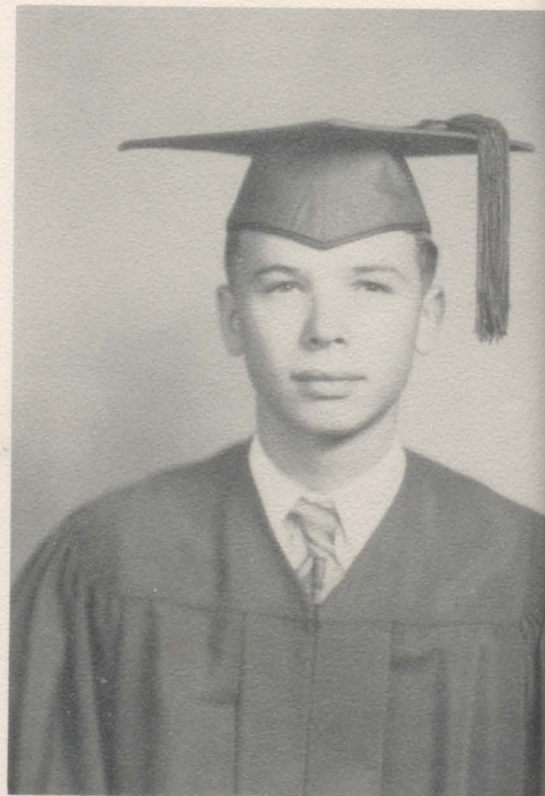
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Band 1-4
Choral 2, 3
Orchestra 2



EDWARDS, JACK

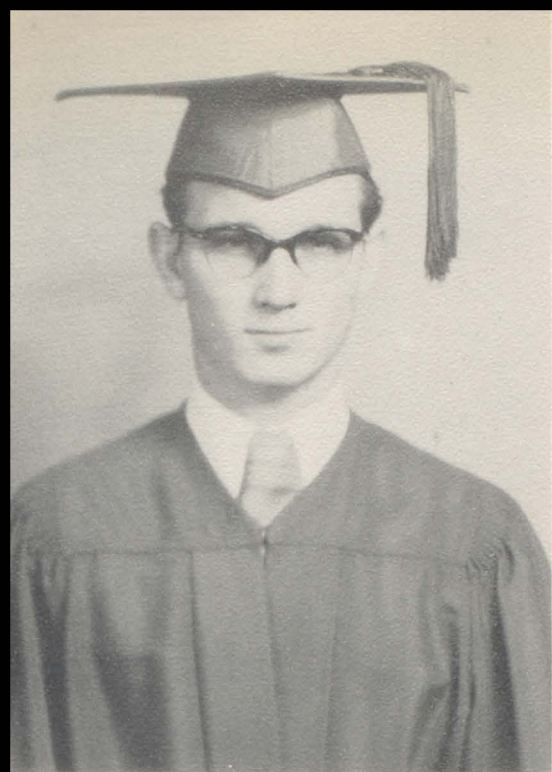
Texas Rangers 4
Swimming Club 4
Choral Club 3



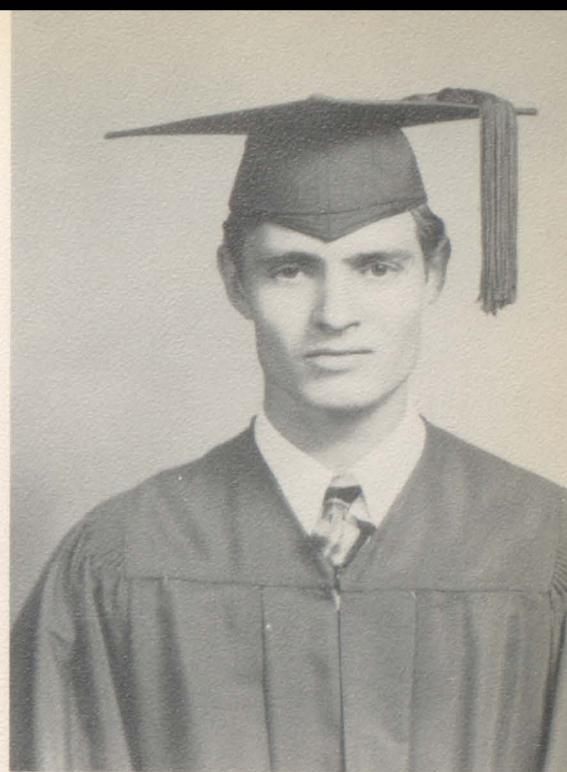
✓ ERMEL, MARVIN

Spanish 1
Science Club 1
Baseball 2, 4
Athletic Club 4

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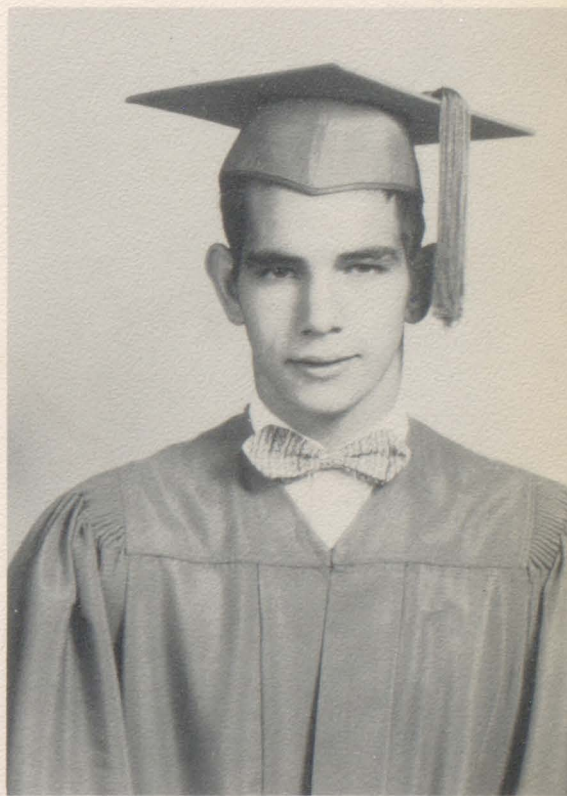
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Football Manager 1, 2
Choral Club 3
Art Club 4



✓ FOLEY, WINDOL
Track 1
Swimming Club 4
Texas Rangers 4

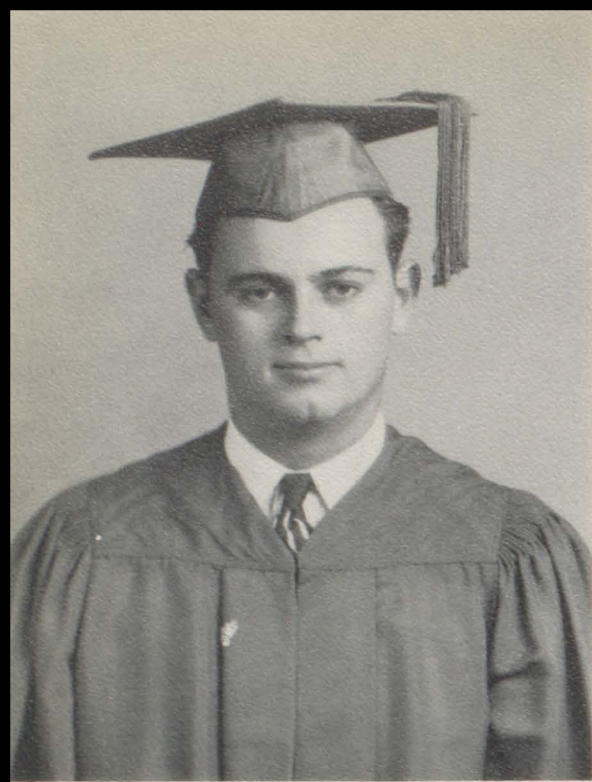


FOGLEMAN, FRANCES
Spanish 1, 2
F. H. A. 4
Junior Red Cross 4
Future Nurses 4

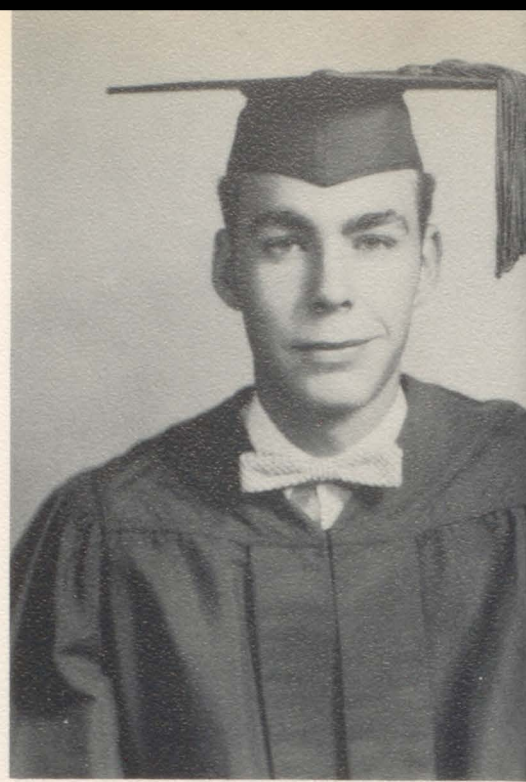


GALLION, REID
Football 2-4
Athletic Club 4

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GENTRY, TOMMY
Football 1
Basketball 1
Spanish Club 2



GRAY, JAMES
Spanish 1, 2
Baseball 2-4
Athletic Club 4
Science 4

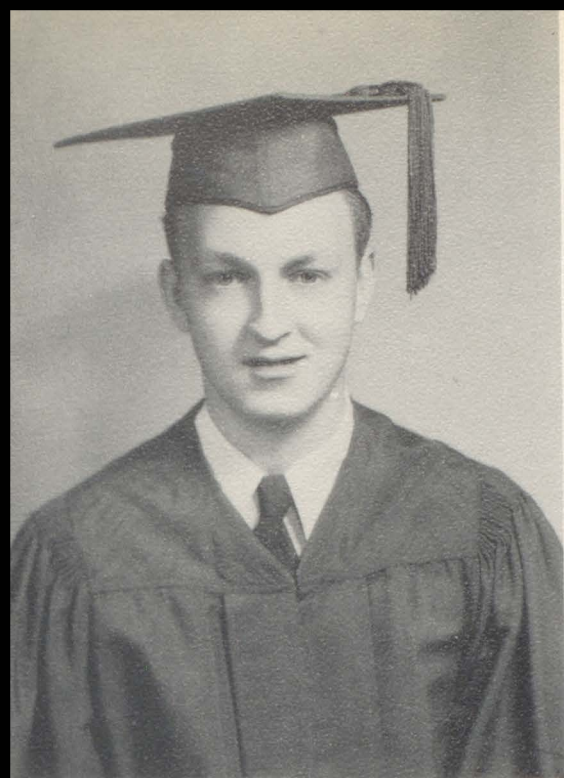


GREER, AMY
Science Club 1
Volley Ball 1, 2
Spanish Club 3, 4
Pep Squad 3
Interscholastic League 2

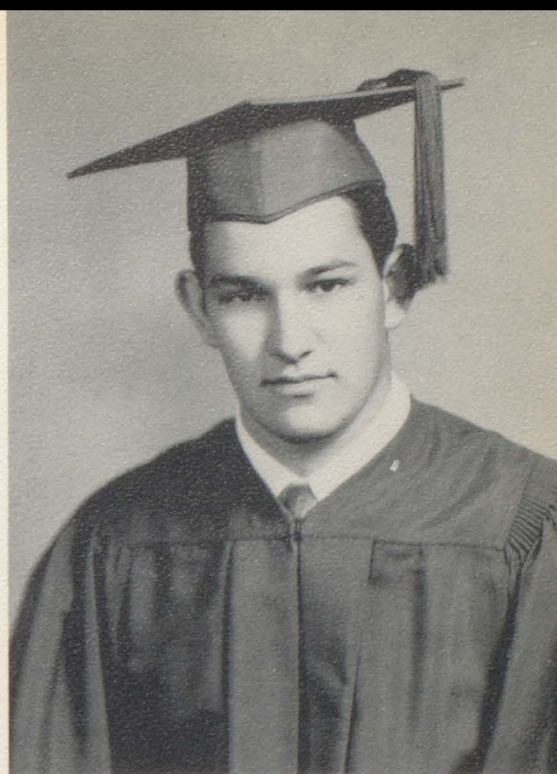


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Band 2, Keene, Texas
Pep Squad 1-4
F.H.A. 1, 4
Swimming Club 4

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HARRIS, ROBERT
Metal Club 1, Houston
R. O. T. C. 2, Houston
Good Sportsmanship League 3
Athletic Club 4
Baseball 3, 4



HENDERSON, GENE PAUL
4-H Club 1-4
Spanish Club 1, 2
Boxing 1
Football 3
Texas Rangers 4



HERRINGTON, EMMA CLAIR
Science Club 1
F. H. A. 1-3
Kampus Klub 3
Tennis Club 4
Choral Club 4



✓ **HOOKS, EARLENE**
Kirbyville
Cheerleader 3
Most Popular 3
Dramatics 2
Annual Staff 3
Basketball 3

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✓ HUDSON, JANETTE ✓
Kampus Klub 3
Pep Squad 1-4
Junior Red Cross 4
Swimming Club 4
Senior Honor Society 4



JAMES, JOAN
Band 1-4
Choral 2, 3
Art Club 4
Most Dignified 4

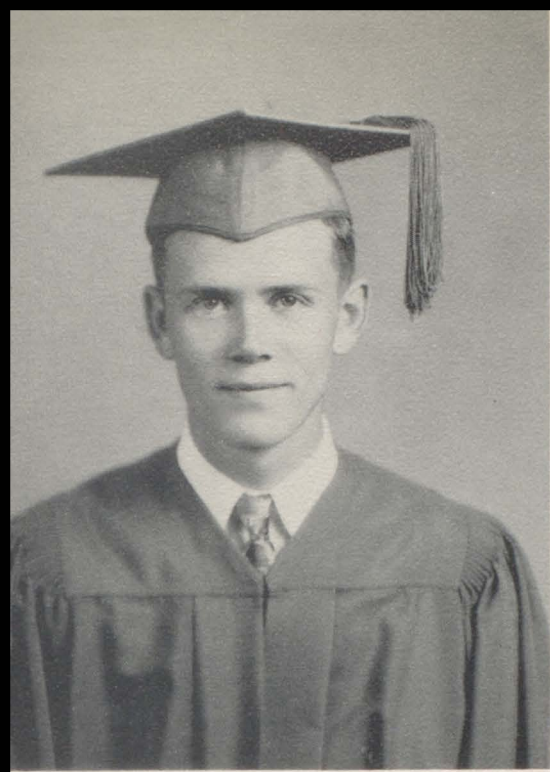


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Science Club 1
F. H. A. I., 4
Pep Squad 1, 2
Kampus Klub 3
Choral Club 4



JOHNSON, JANELLE
Spanish Club 1
Choral Club 3
Pep Squad 1-4
Junior Red Cross 4
Swimming Club 4

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JONES, JUNIOR



KNOBLOCK, MARIE
Science Club 1
Pep Squad 2
Choral Club 2-3

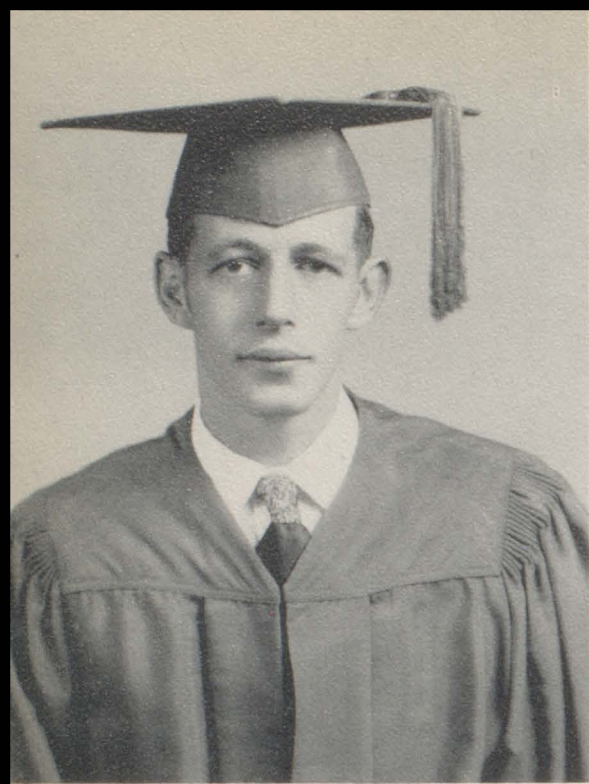


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Science Club 1
Pep Squad 1-2
Choral Club 1, 4
Junior Red Cross 4
Texas Rangers 4



MITCHAM, NELLIE ROSE
Science Club 1
Pep Squad 3
F. H. A. 1, 4
Choral Club 3-4
Band 1-2

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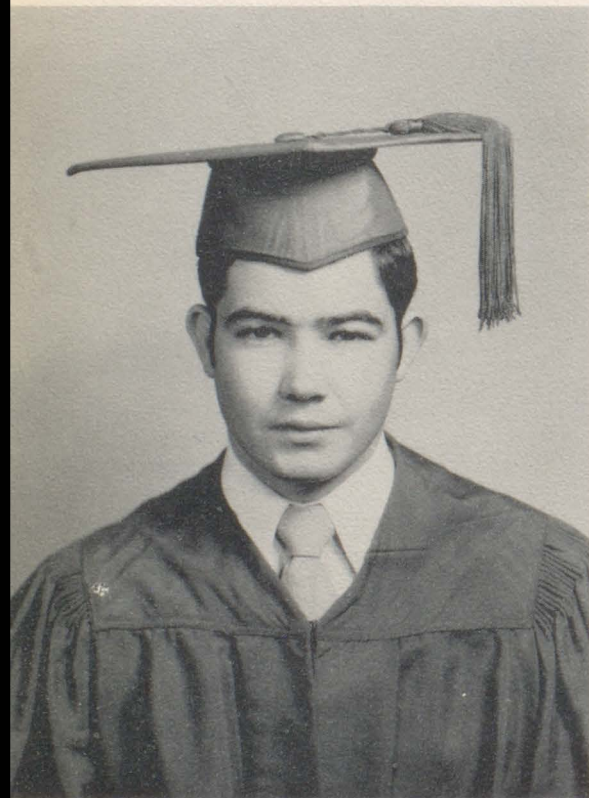
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Track 1
Choral Club 3
Swimming Club 4
Junior Red Cross 4
Texas Rangers 4



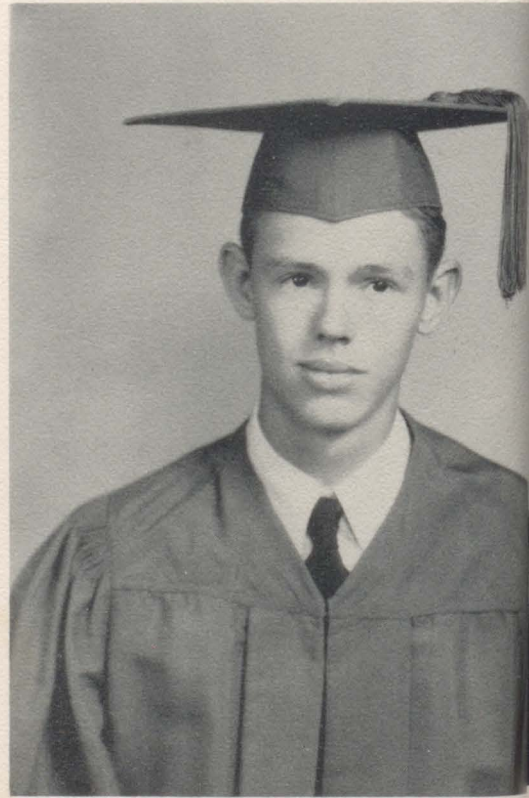
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Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Pep Squad 1-2
Texas Rangers 4



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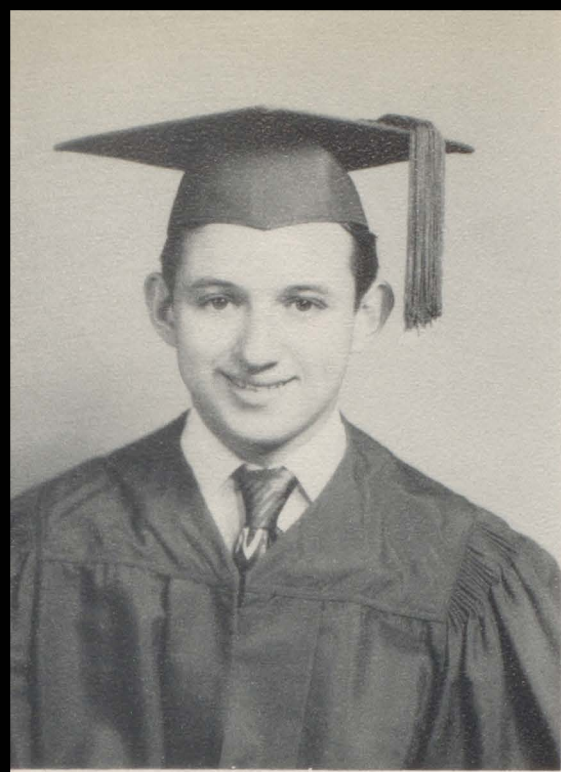
R. O. T. C., Houston
Track 3
Student Council 4
President 4
Athletic Club 4



NICHOLSON, CHARLES

Spanish Club 1
Baseball 2-4
All District 3
Honor Society 4
Athletic Club 4

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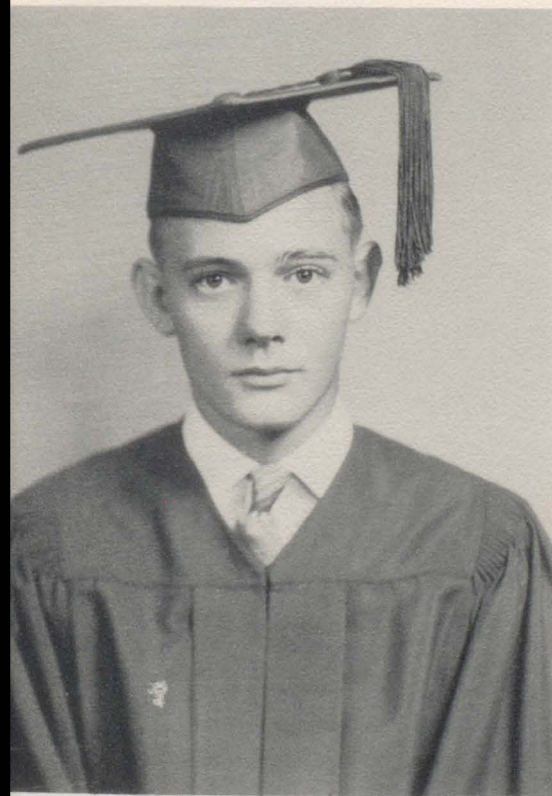
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Most Popular 2
Secretary 3
Football 2-4
Athletic Club 4
Annual Staff 4



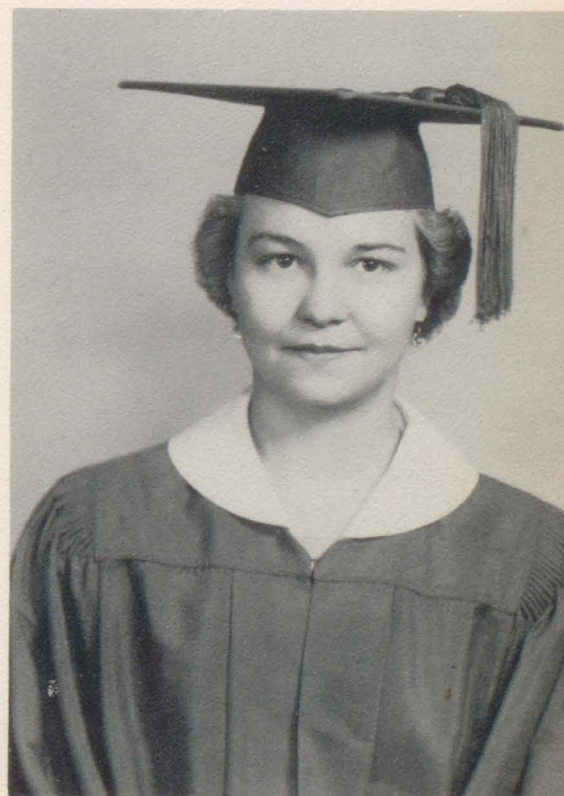
PERDUE, VIOLA

Pep Squad 1
Library Club 3
Honor Society 4
Kampus Klub 3



✓ PORTER, BILLY ✓

Band 1-4
Band Officer 4
Choral 2, 3
Science Club 4
Honor Society 4



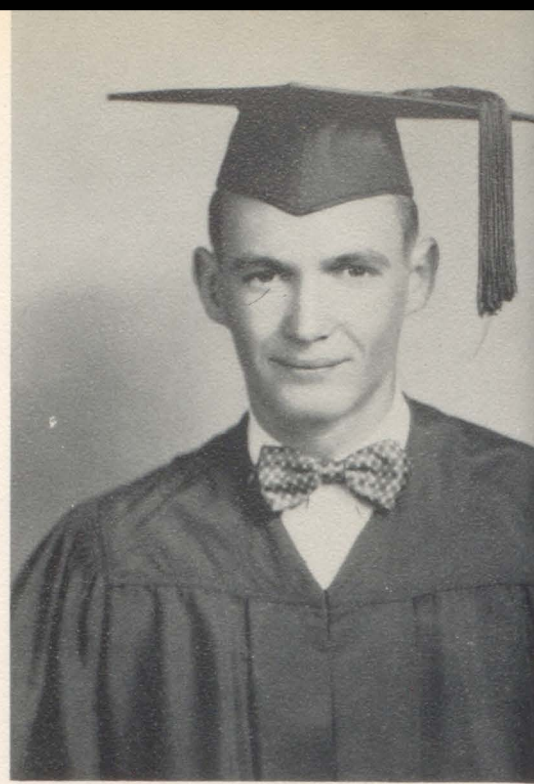
✓ PRICE, EUGENIA ✓

Pep Squad 1-4
F. H. A. 3, 4
Secretary 4
4-H Club 3
Junior Red Cross 4
Rep. to Arkansas 3

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PRICE, MARGARET
Science Club 1
Pep Squad 1-4
F. H. A. 1, 4
Kampus Klub 3
Choral Club 2-4



✓ PULLIN, JUNIOR
Student Council 1, 3
Baseball 2-4
All District 3
Football 3, 4
Most Popular 3, 4

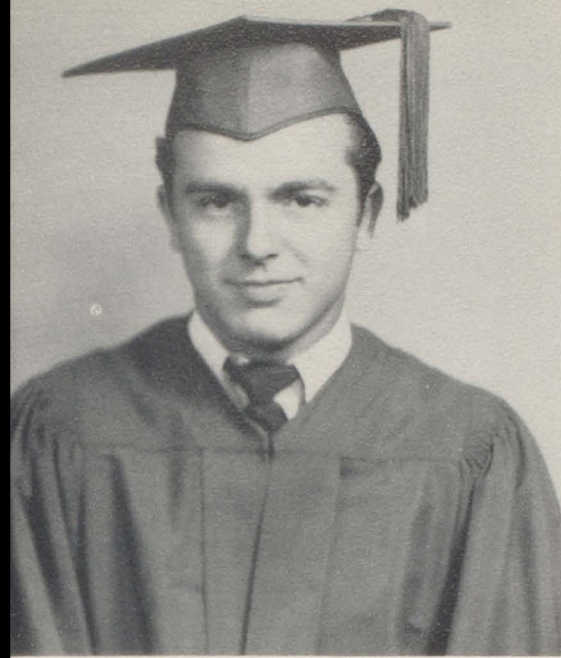


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Social Leader 1
Pep Squad 1-4
Treasurer 3
President of Student Body 4
Honor Society 4

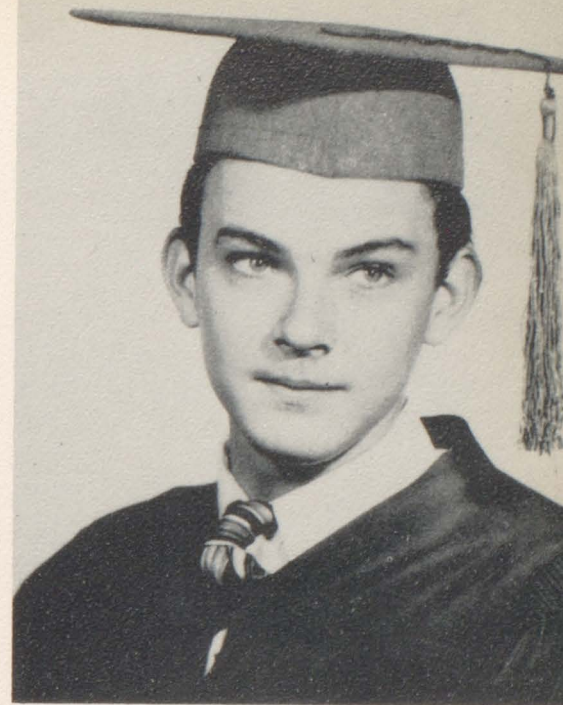


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Band 1-4
Band Officer 4
Science Club 4
4-H Club 1
Choral Club 3, 4

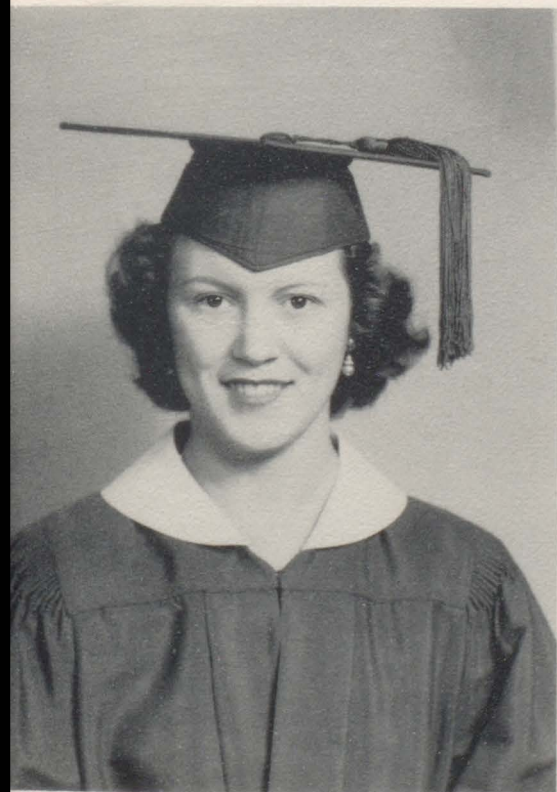
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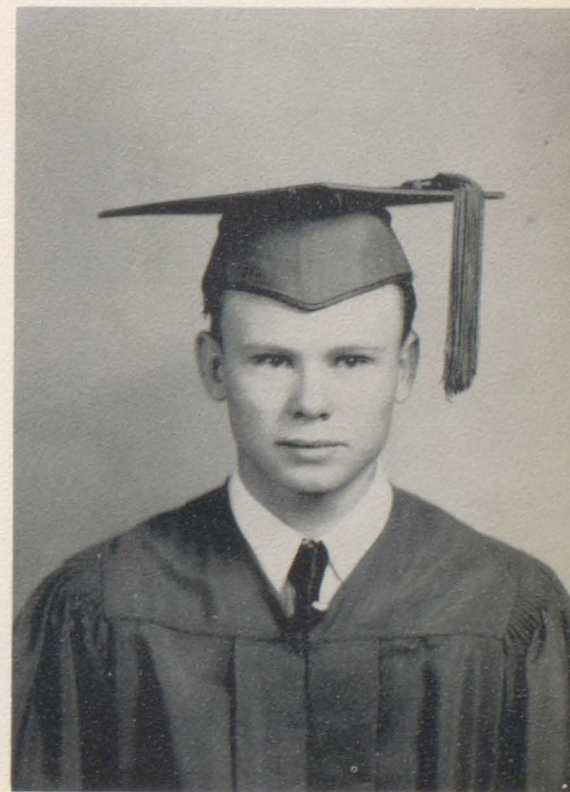
ROEBUCK, JERRY
Spanish Club 1, 2
Track 1, 2
Football 1-4
Speech Club 3
Science Club 2



SANDERSON, WAYNE
Choral Club 3
Speech Club 3
Art Club 4

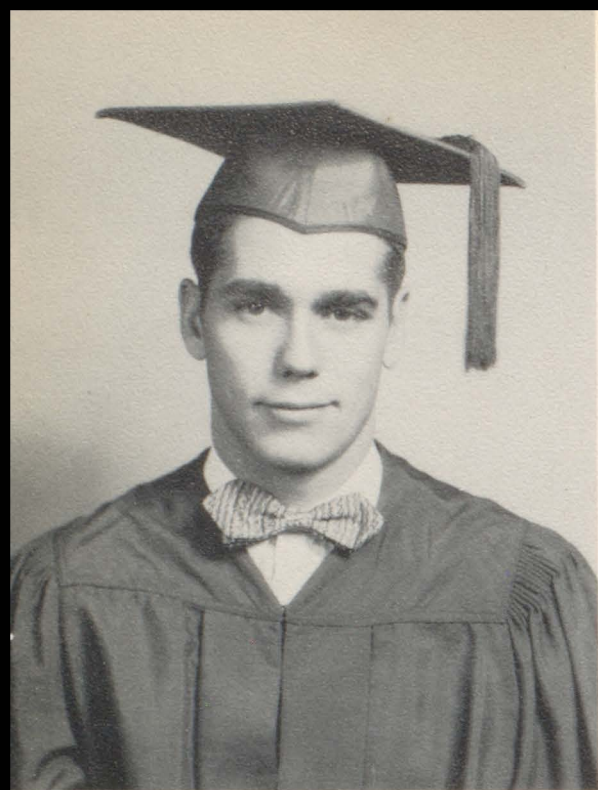


SEITZ, LURA
Pep Squad 1-3
Science Club 1
Choral 1-4



SCOFIELD, PRENTISS
Science Club 1
Track 4
Texas Rangers 4
Athletic Club 4
Honor Society 4

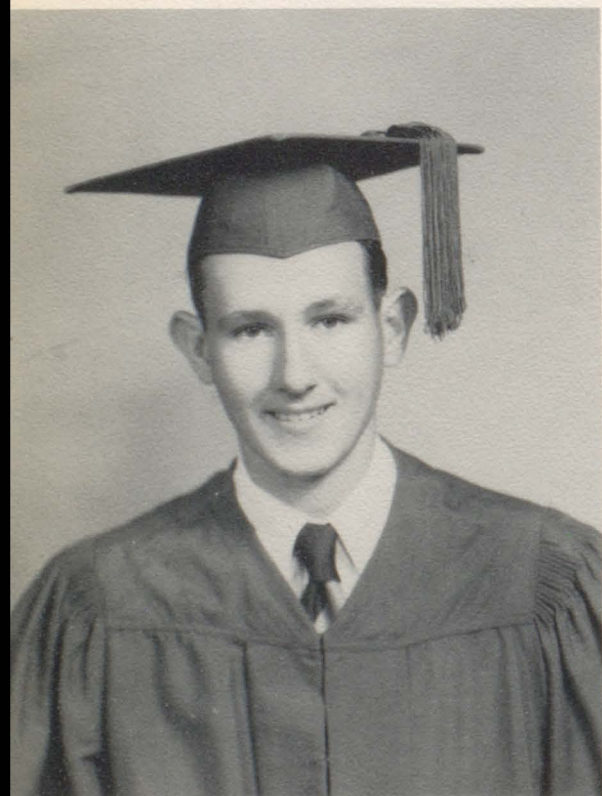
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SHUART, ROBERT
Treasurer 1
Vice President 3
Football 2-4
Athletic Club 4



SIMMONS, ADELINE
F. H. A. 1-4
4-H Club 1-3
Science Club 3



SKINNER, VIRGIL ✓
Spanish 1, 2 ✓
Texas Rangers 4
Swimming Club 4



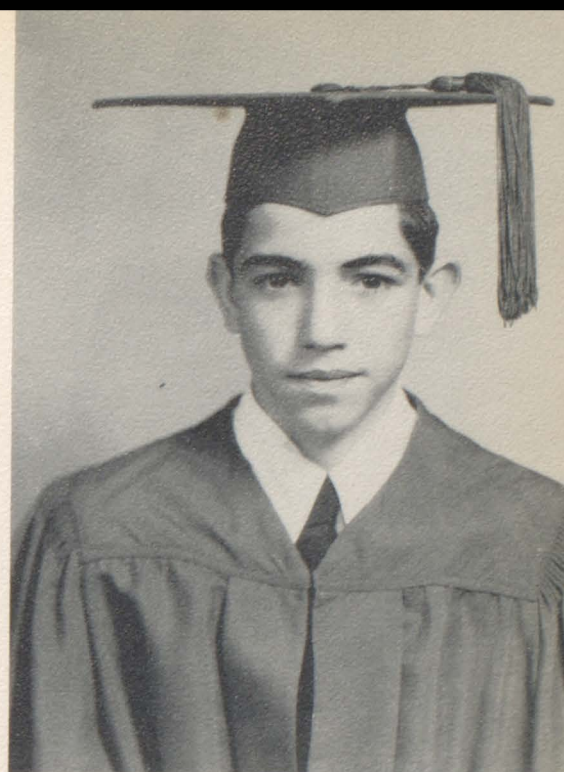
SKOG, MYRA ✓
Pep Squad 1-3 ✓
Cheerleader 4 ✓
Senior Duchess 4 ✓
Best All-Round 4 ✓
Annual Staff 4 ✓
Student Council 1-3 ✓

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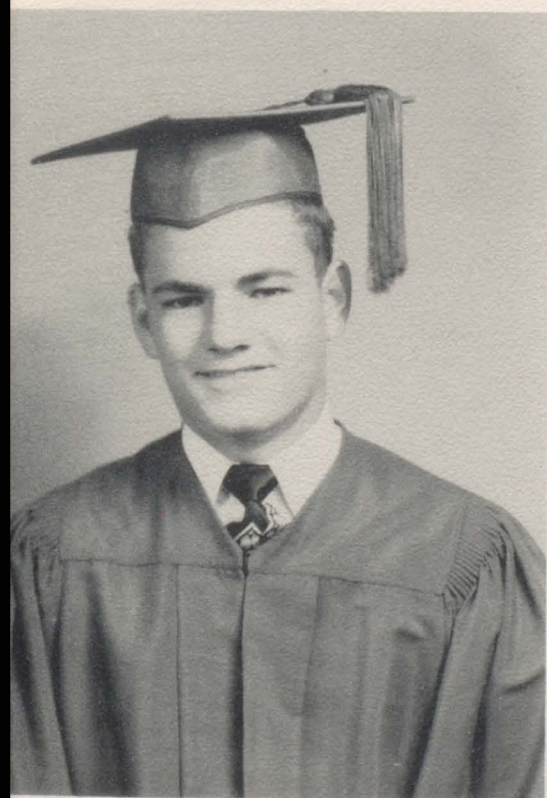
SORRELL, WILLETTE

Pep Squad 1-4
Choral Club 3
Kampus Klub 3
Honor Society 4



✓ SPONSLER, HARRY

Texas Rangers 4
Student Council 4
Junior Red Cross 4
Pep Squad 4



✓ STREET, JOE

Vice President 1
Football 1-4
Athletic Club, President 4
Football Sweetheart Escort 4



✓ THACKER, JOAN

Pep Squad 1-3
4-H Club 1-2
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Choral Club 3
Future Nurses 4
Red Cross Club 4

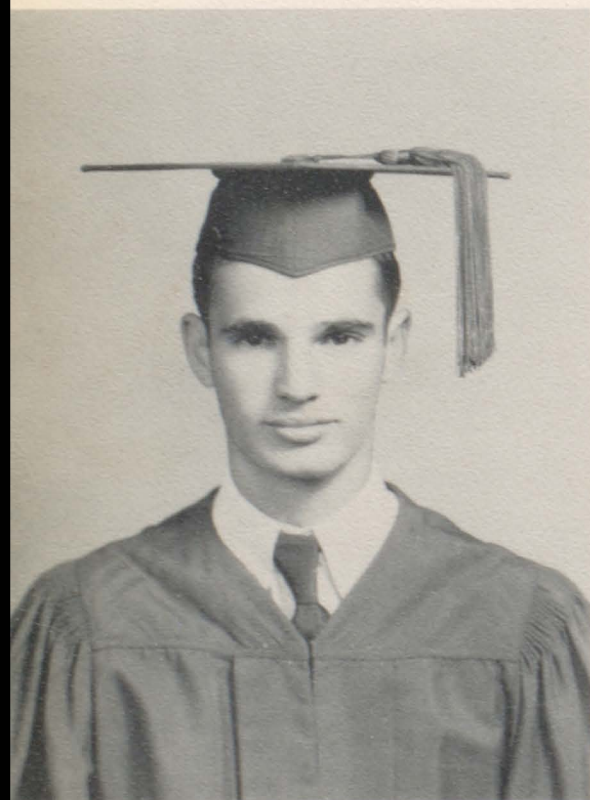
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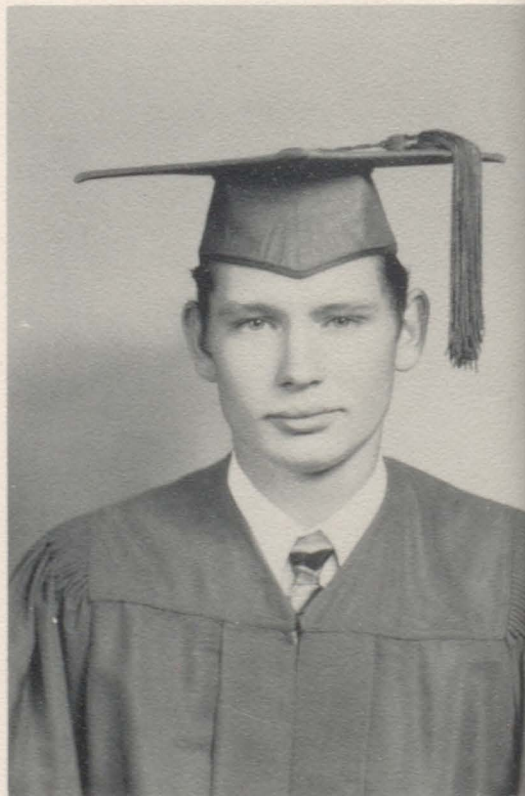
THOMAS, PAULA
Pep Squad 1-4
Vice President 2
Social Leader 4
Annual Editor 4
Most Intellectual 4



✓ TYER, JOYCE
Science Club 1
Choral Club 2
Pep Squad, President 4
Social Leader 4
Most Popular 4



✓ VINSON, LEONARD
Football 1, 2
Democracy Speech 3
Spindletop Speech 2
Texas Rangers 4



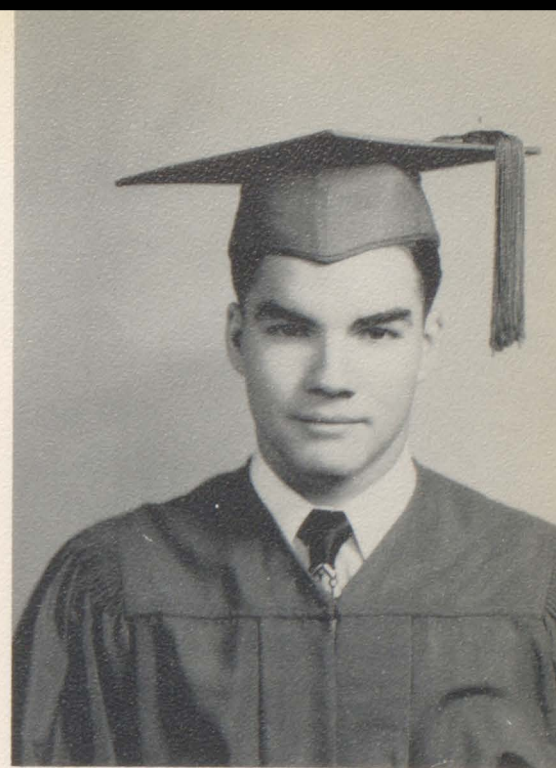
WHITEHEAD, ROYCE
Spanish Club 1, 2
F. F. A. 4
Texas Rangers 4
Student Council 4

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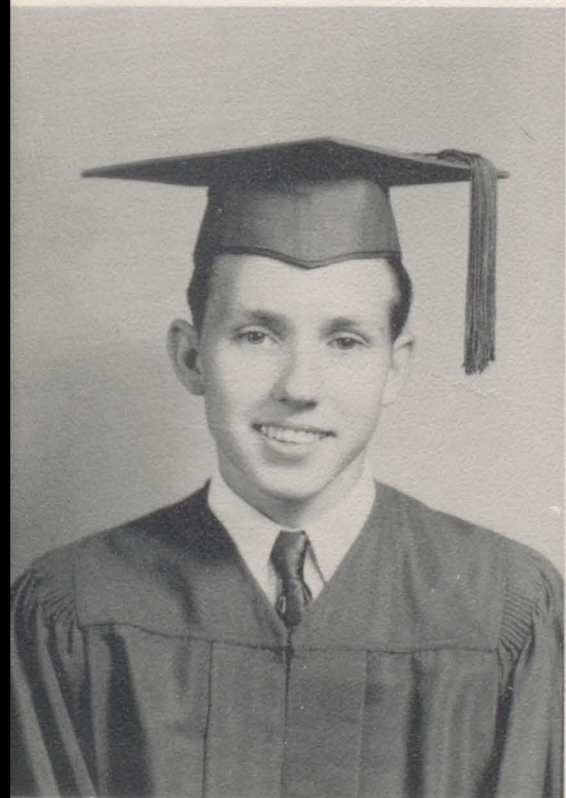
✓ WILLIAMS, JOAN

Pep Squad 1-4 ✓
Favorite 2
Swimming Club 4
Wittiest 4



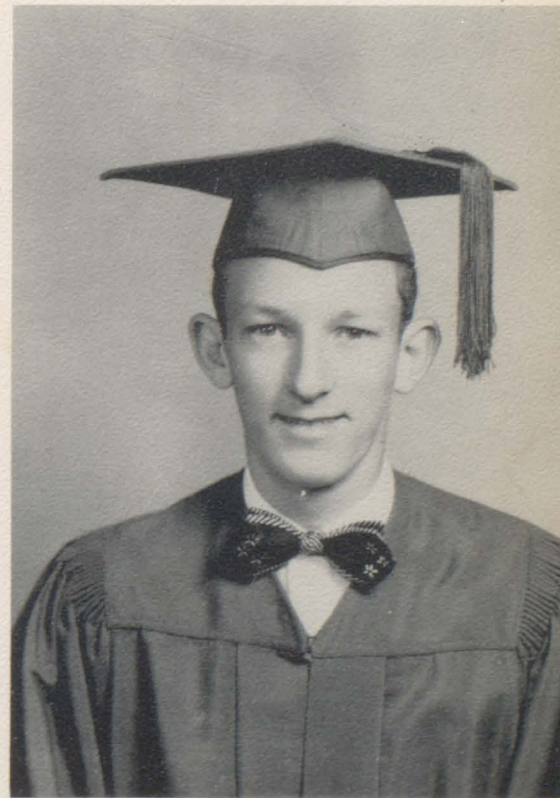
✓ WILLIAMS, MAX ✓

Student Council 2
Health Council 1
Annual, Business Manager 4
Honor Society, President 4
Most Intellectual 4



WILLS, JIMMY

Texas Rangers 4
Science Club 1



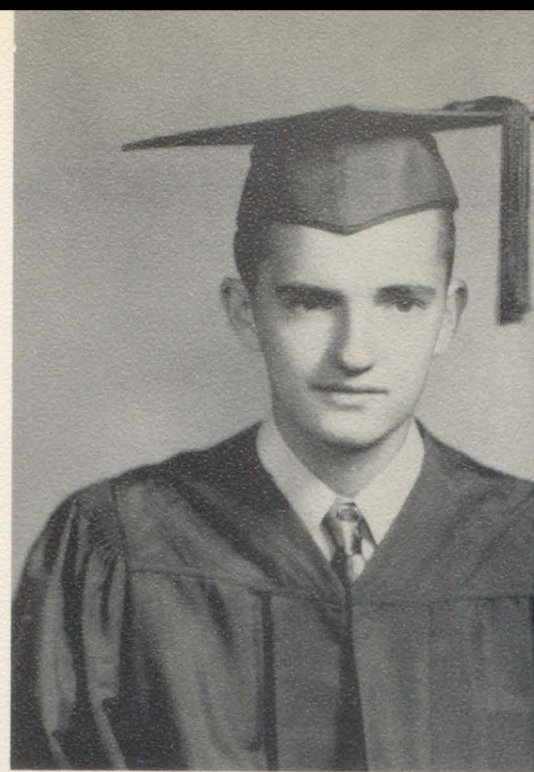
✓ WILSON, DUANE

Track 3, 4
Reading Club, President 4
Athletic Club 4
Journalism 3
Alumni Representative 4

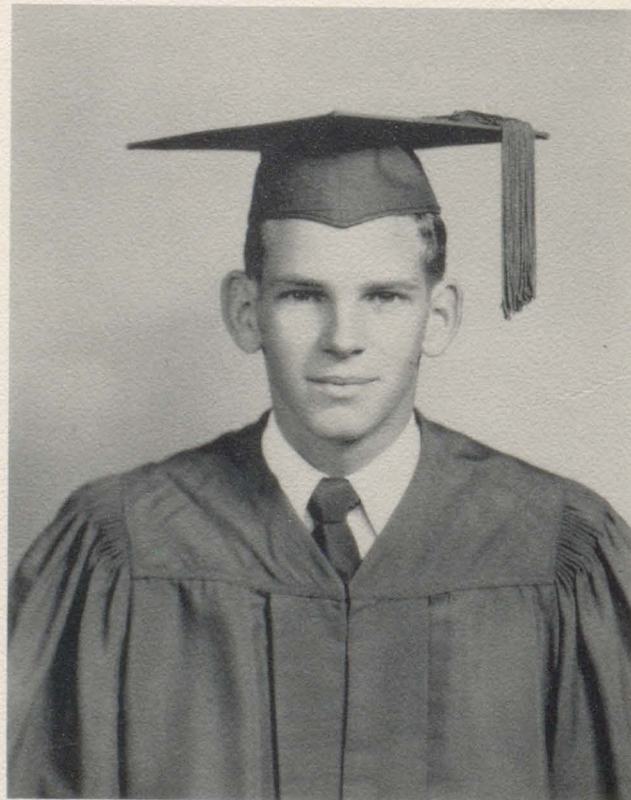
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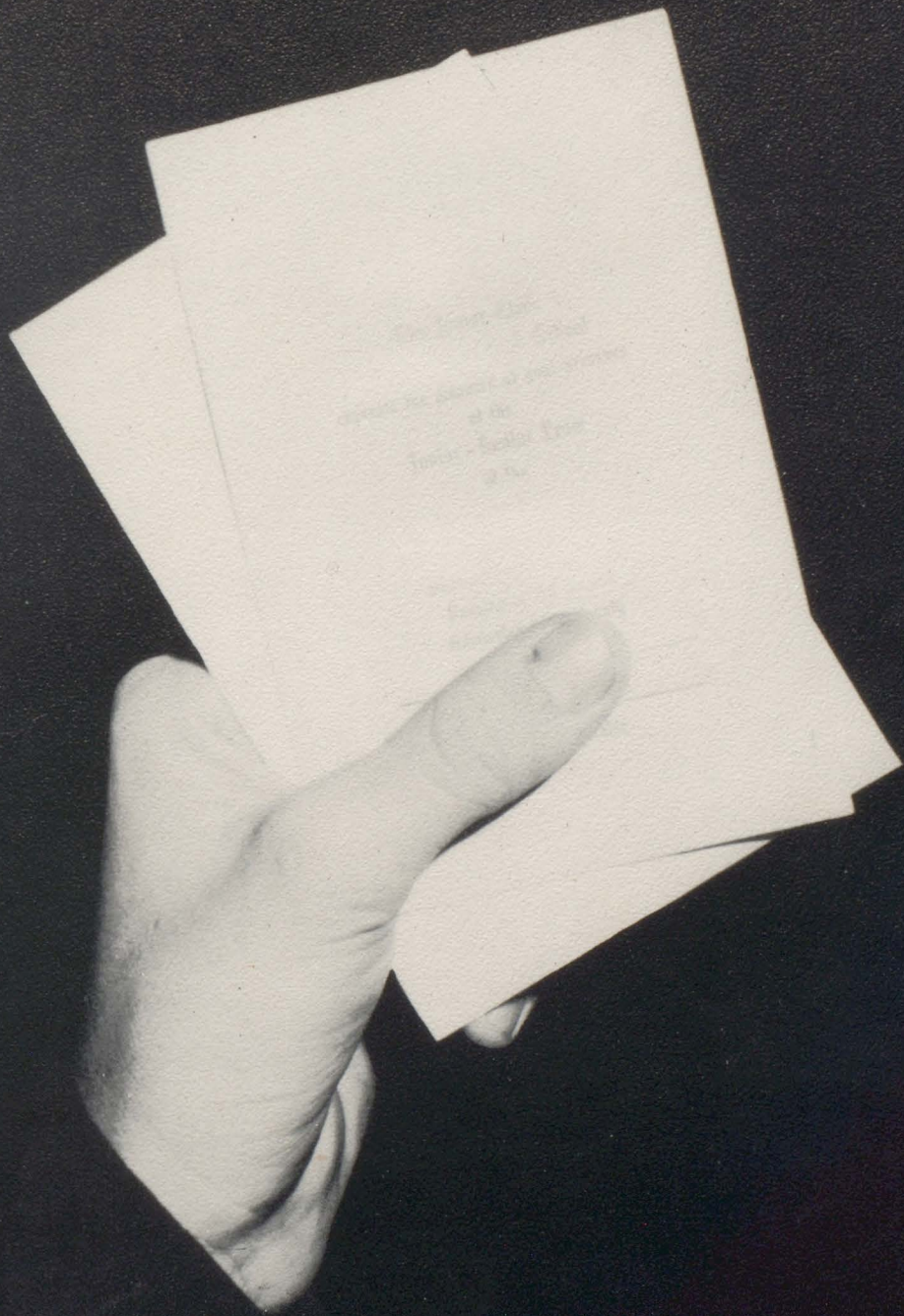
WILSON, WETA ✓
President 2, 3
Favorite 3
Cheerleader 4
Football Sweetheart 4
Student Council, Vice Pres. 3
Friendliest 4



WRIGHT, CURTIS
Chemistry Club 3
Track 3
Texas Rangers 4
Junior Red Cross 4
Wittiest 4



LEBLANC, A. J.
Football Manager 2
Texas Rangers 4



JUNIORS

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



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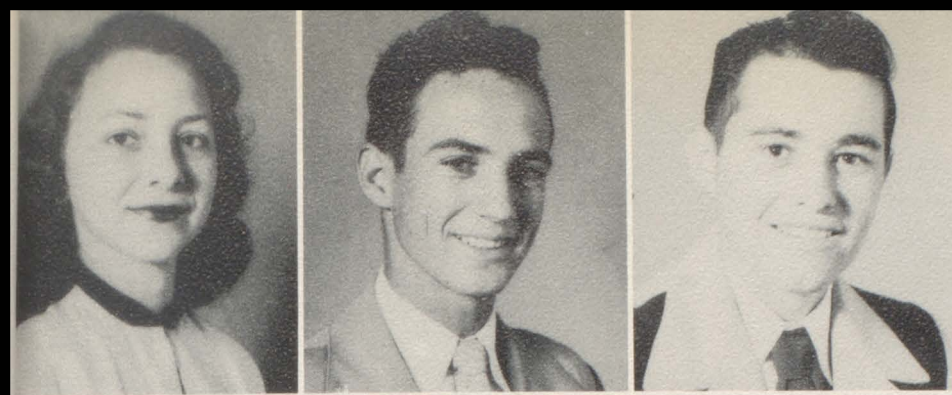
DAVE JONES *President*

JEANNE MILLS *Social Leader*

BIRDIE HUDDLESTON *Sec.-Treas.*

MARGARET LEWIS *Reporter*

KIP MURRAY *Vice President*

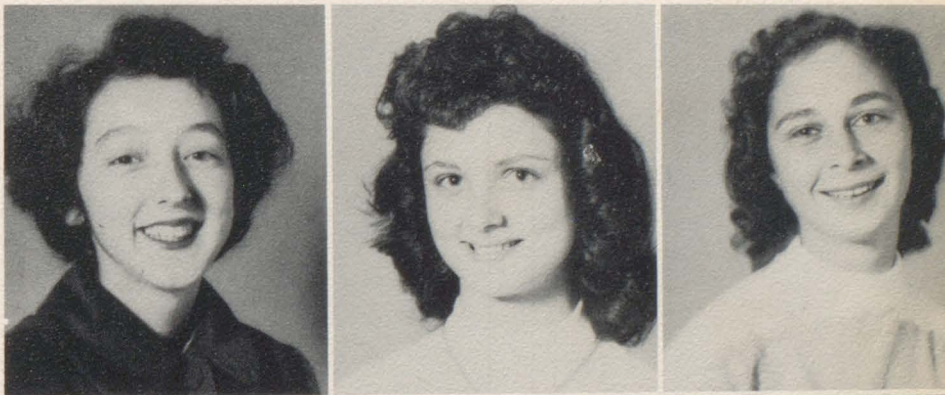


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Adams, Duane
Alegre, Gene



Andrews, Sidnette
Arnold, Jerald
Ashley, Jackie

Beagle, Gail ✓
Bennett, Martha ✓
Berlin, Jalyne ✓



Bosman, Glenn ✓
Brady, Gordon ✓
Brinkley, Jo Ann ✓



Brooks, Melvin ✓
Bourque, Vernis ✓
Cates, Deason ✓



Cessac, Karl
 Chauvin, Sidney
 Clark, Kenneth



Cole, Charles
 Collins, Marilyn
 Colville, John L.



Commander, Nell
 Conner, Shirley
 Couder, Rosella



Courts, Gaynell
 Crews, Nelwyn ✓
 Cutrer, Fred



DeCuir, Ferguste
 Denton, Thelma
 Dowden, Jaunita



DuBose, Pat
Eagleson, John
Findley, J. C.



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Guthrie, Bobby



Guidry, Janet
Hammock, Floyd
Harrington, Bill



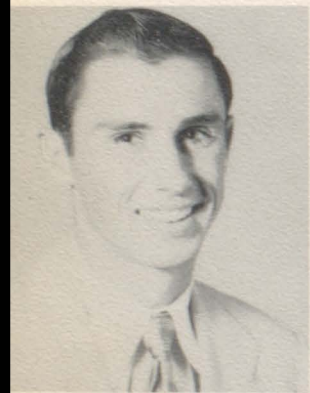
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Horne, Mitchel



Hooks, Lou Ella
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Huddleston, Birdie



Hudson, Beverly
Hudson, Charles
Jones, Barty



Jones, Dave
Jones, Patsy
Kelly, Vivian



Kieschnick, Nellie
King, Betty Joyce
Lacy, Glenn



Lambert, Laura
Lahti, Carlton
Lewis, Margaret



Manning, Myra
Manry, Wanda
Marcontel, Dan



Marris, Joe
Menard, Lawrence
Metreyon, Shirley

Mills, Jeanne
Morgan, Linda
Morrison, Dwain



Miller, Glenn
Mullins, Doyle
Munson, Gloria



Murray, Christopher
Painter, Eleanor
Papania, Lucas



Patterson, James
Patterson, Mary
Peterson, Mary



Quarles, Tessie
Quinn, David
Rackley, Robert ✓



Radford, Carolyn ✓
Radford, Malcolm
Read, Doris



Ricardo, Gloria ✓
Rienstra, Dale ✓
Roberts, Jimmy ✓



Robin, Phyllis
Root, Betty Ann
Sanford, Jack



Semons, Bob
Self, Johnny
Sheffield, Clarence ✓



Sheffield, Mary
Shirley, Jerry
Sitton, Kenneth

Smith, Charles
Spears, Bryan
Spencer, Asa



Stansbury, Robert
Stark, Edna Earl
Stark, Howard



Stephenson, Barbara
Steadl, David ✓
Stinson, Charles



Sturrock, Stephen
 Terwey, Kenneth
 Thompson, Lidney ✓



Timmons, Margaret
 Van Cleve, Guy ✓
 Vickers, Richard ✓



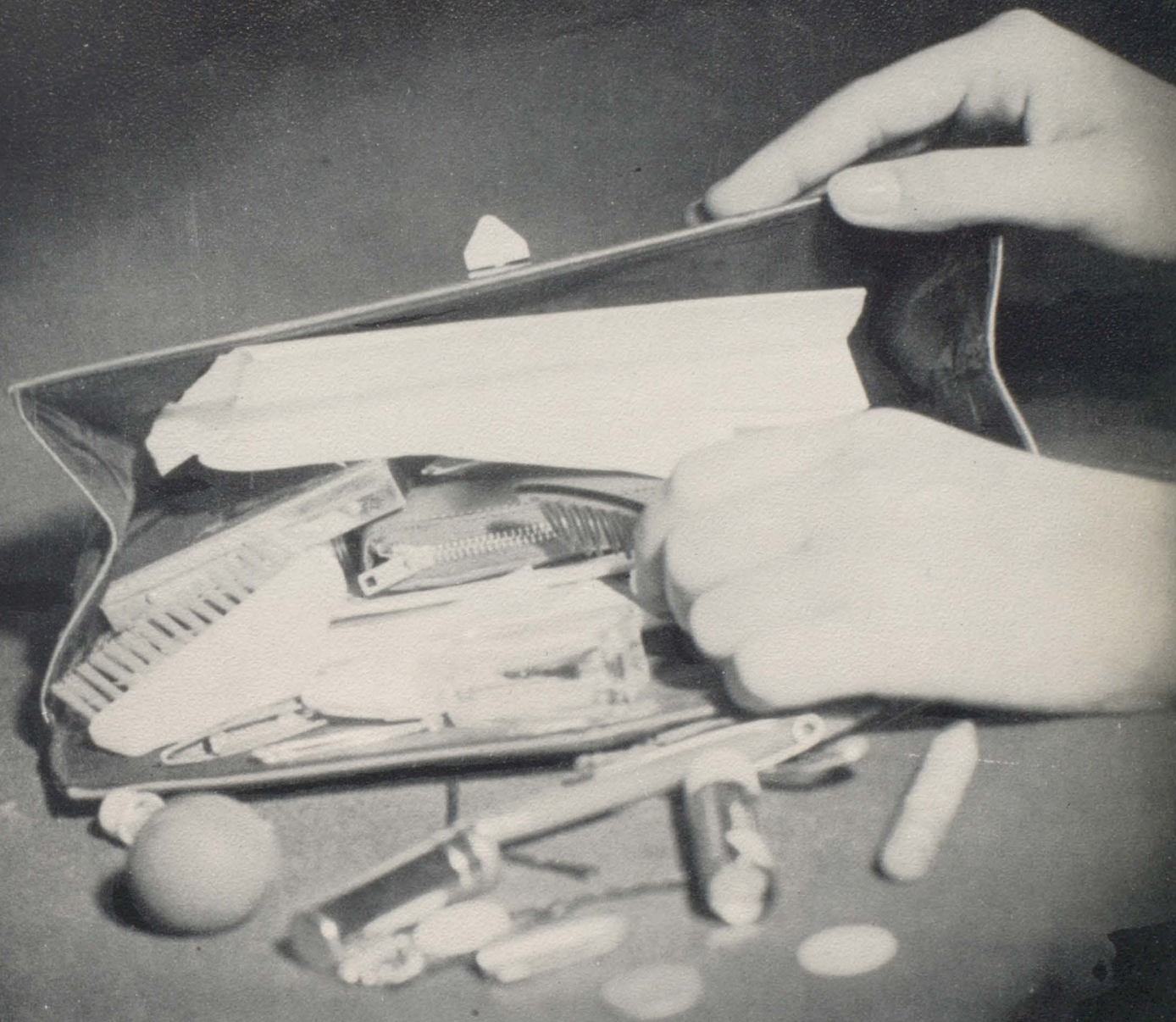
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 Whitley, Janet



Williams, Harold
 Wilson, George Ann
 Wistner, Eva Jean



Woods, Donald Earl
 Woods, Donald R.
 Young, Joan



SOPHOMORES

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS



Left to Right:

LARRY MINALDI	<i>Vice President</i>
PEGGY McCARTNEY	<i>Reporter</i>
GLENN KELLY	<i>Sec.-Treas.</i>
PHILIP ROEBUCK	<i>Social Leader</i>
JAMES MARTIN	<i>President</i>

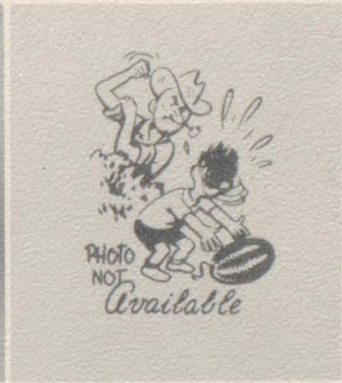


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Bailey, Jackie



Baker, Billie Ruth
Baker, Mable
Ballard, Jerry

Barnes, Barbara
Bean, Kenneth
Belt, Donald



Boudreaux, Jenell
Brandlin, Douglas
Brassieur, Beatrice



Brassieur, Dorothy
Brett, Gordon
Broussard, Ronald



Brown, Pat
 Carlson, Bruce
 Carreker, Jo Evelyn



Choate, Gwen
 Christian, Thomas
 Coffman, Frances



Courts, Raymond
 Cox, Mary Ellen
 Cumber, Billie



Davis, Diane
 DeCuir, Florence
 Doolittle, Sarah ✓



Doucet, Raymond
 Dowling, Martha
 DuBose, Buddy



Eagleson, Jerry
Fawvor, Glenda
Fletcher, Jerry



Ford, Doreen
Forman, Ronald
Fowler, Charles

Fuston, Billy
Gentry, Jolene
Goodwin, Bill



Grantham, Merle
Gray, Gwendolyn
Green, Peggy



Griffith, Virginia
Guthrie, Mary Joyce
Hall, B. H.



Handley, Minnie Jean ✓
 Hanks, Bobby ✓
 Hanley, Billy ✓



Hardy, Glenda
 Harvill, Shirley
 Hebert, Gerald



Heim, Haskel
 Hemmenway, Barbara
 Hemmenway, Patsy



Hendrix, Charles
 Hooper, Volz
 Hubert, Victor



Irvine, Kenneth ✓
 James, Jackie
 Jones, Lee Alton



Johnson, Barbara
Johnson, Betty Joyce
Kelly, Glenda



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LeBlanc, Glenn

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Luce, R. T.
McCartney, Peggy

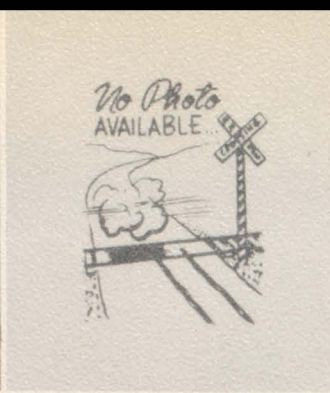
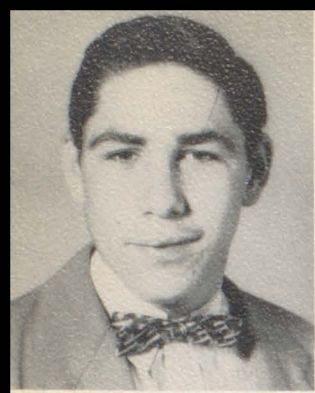


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Mainord, Robert
Manning, William



Marshall, David
Martin, James ✓
Melder, Frankie





Rose, Travis
Rowland, Dudley
Rowland, Florence



Roy, Donald
Sandlin, Billy
Schaefer, Joyce

Schichtel, Jimmie Lou
Schion, Gwendolyn
Sherer, Rhetta



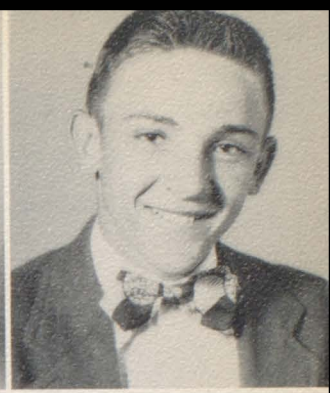
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Sibley, Charles ✓
Sitton, Joe



Skinner, Jerry
Smith, Betty ✓
Smith, Kathleen



Miller, Barbara
 Miller, Loretta
 Minaldi, Larry ✓



Morgan, Billy
 Micholson, Macie ✓
 Perdue, Nelda



Perkins, D. D.
 Pickering, Dorman
 Pratt, Jimmy



Quarles, Jack
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 Richey, Dolores

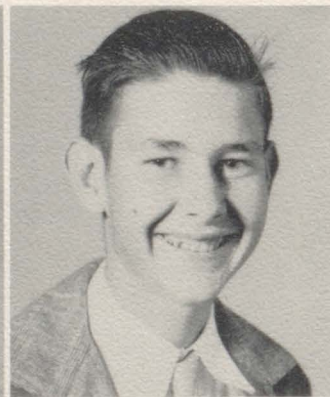


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 Root, Bobby
 Rose, Robert

Sorrell, G. H.
 Spell, Velma
 Spencer, Edith



Spittler, Martha
 Street, Dorsey
 Sturrock, Marie



Swinney, Dan
 Tantillo, Joseph
 Tantzen, Wendell ✓



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 Terry, Omer
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Turner, Morris



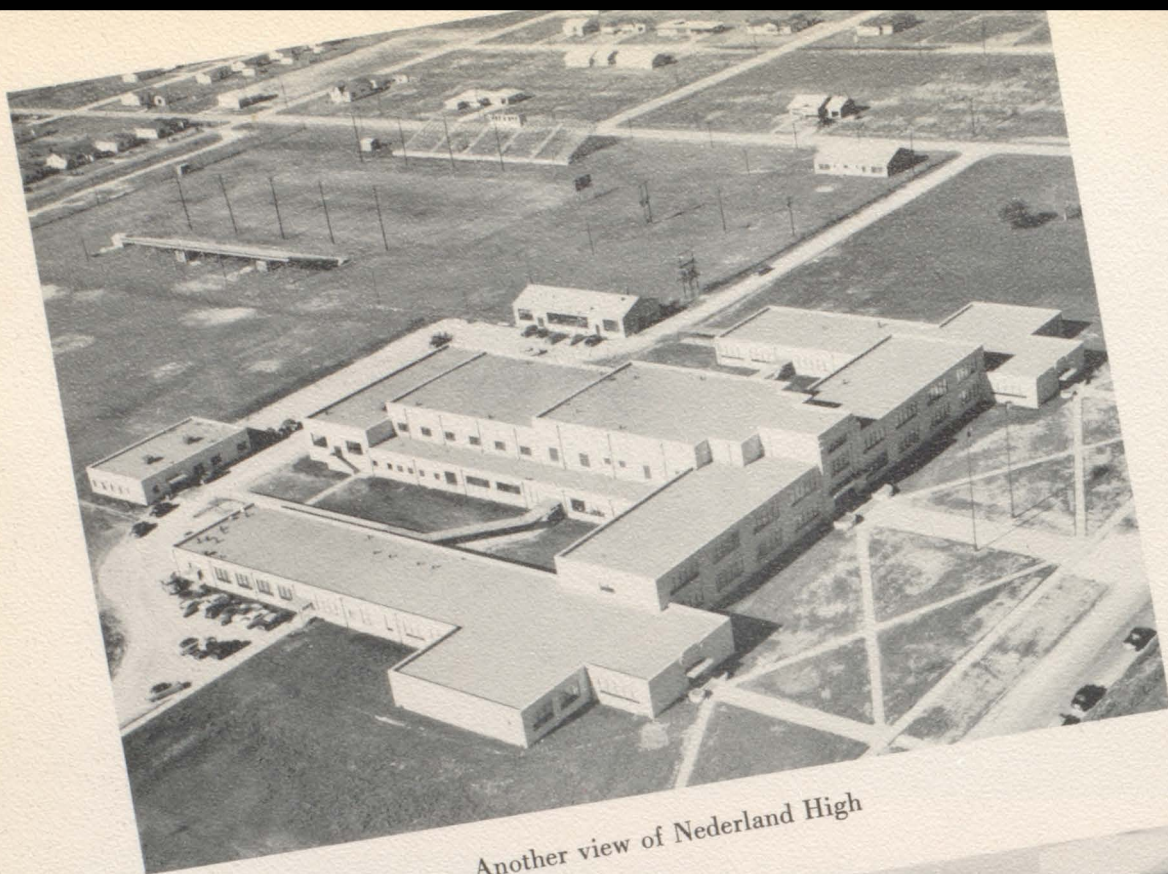
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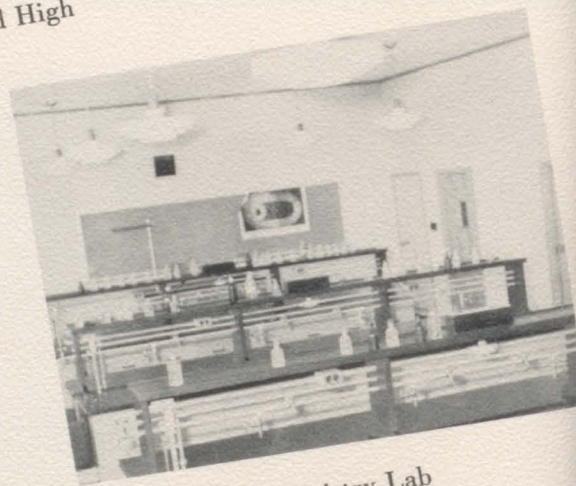




Another view of Nederland High



Our Swimming Pool



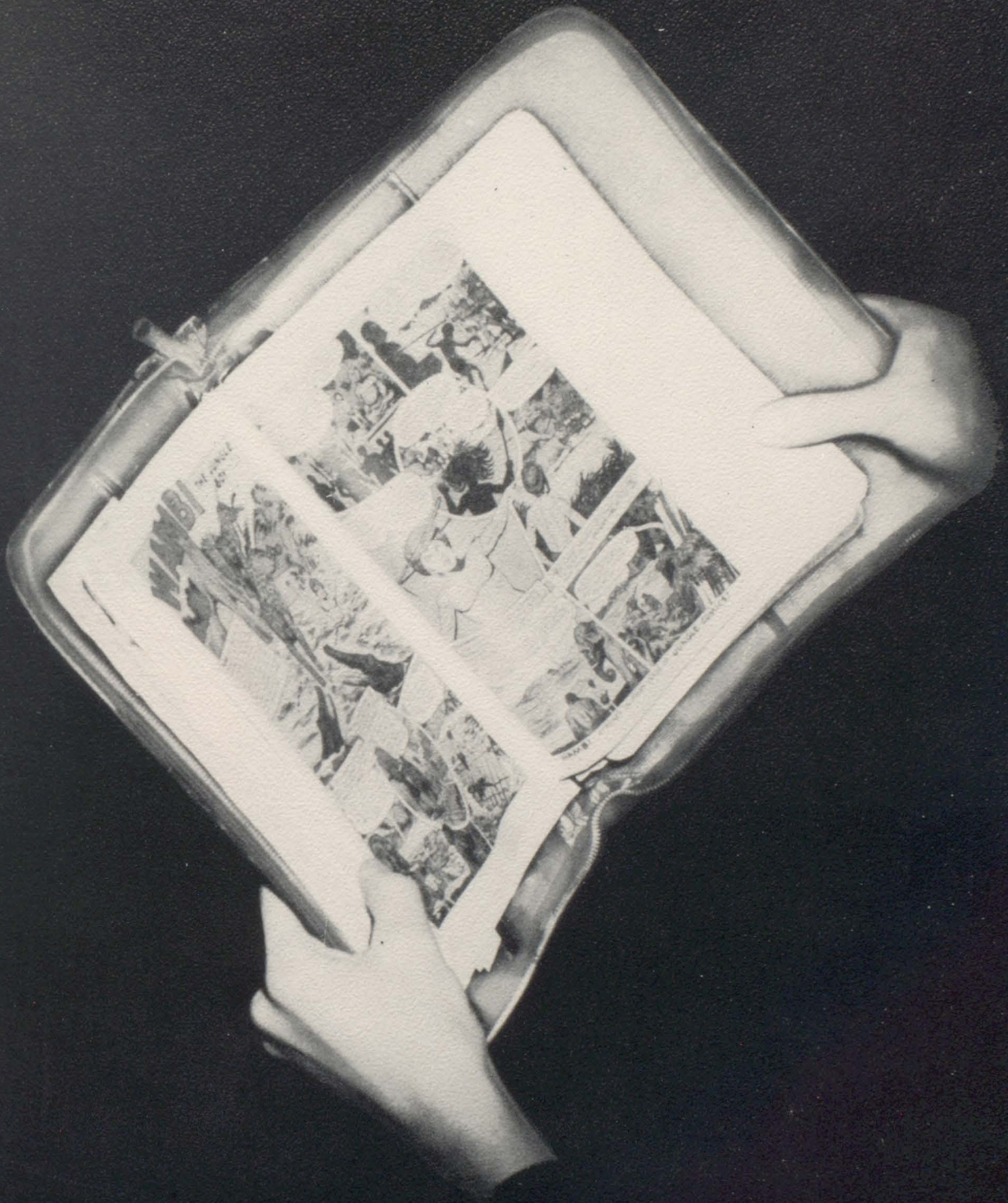
Chemistry Lab



The Library, a place of study

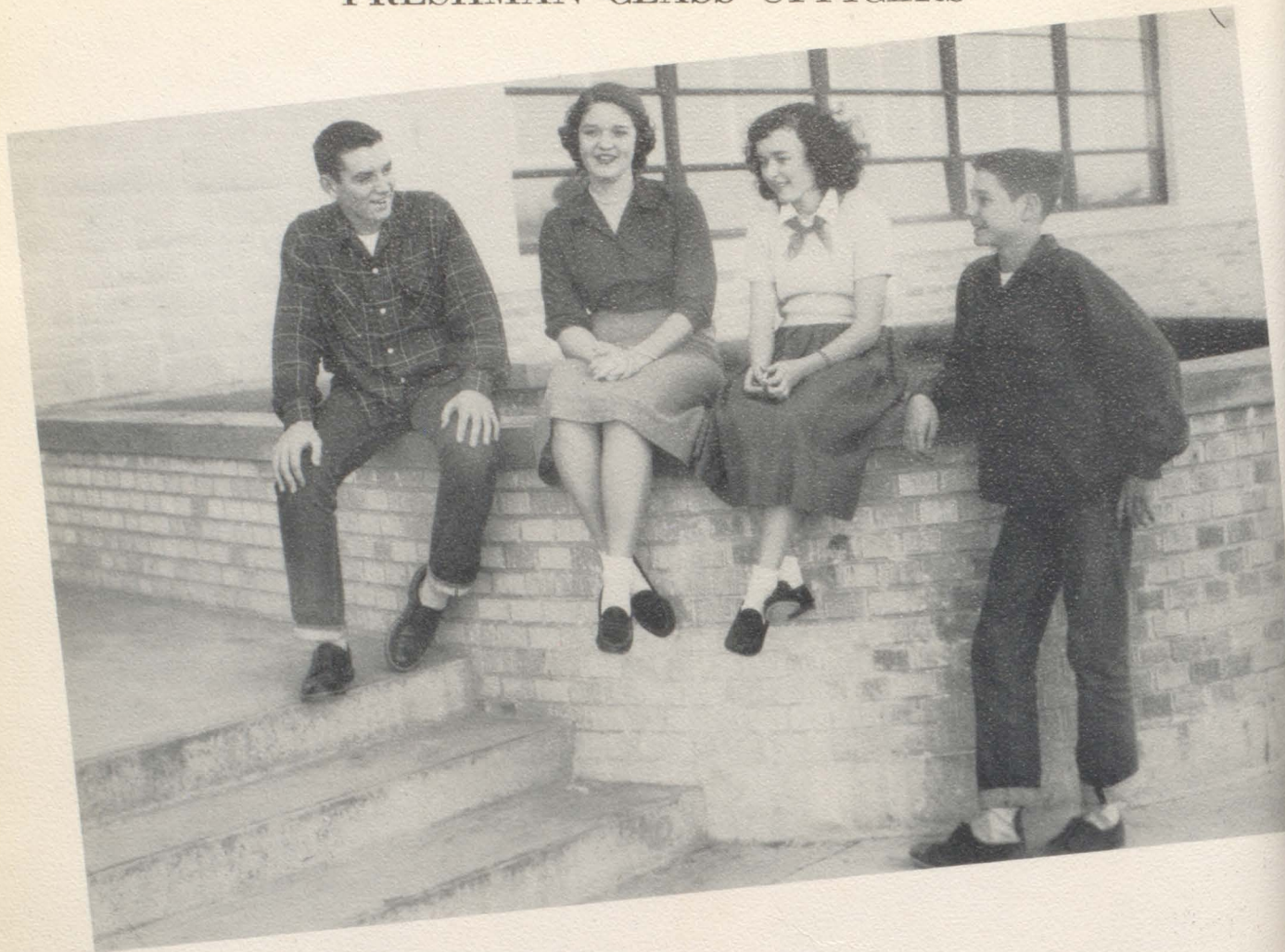


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FRESHMEN

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS



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BETTY BURNFIN *Social Leader*

MARTHA DAVIS *Secretary*

LEON FULLER *Vice President*



Abbott, Pauline
 Abshire, Valverda
 Adams, Ann
 Adams, Billy W.



Adkins, Donald
 Alford, Carroll
 Andrews, Barbara
 Anstead, Raymond



Baily, David
 Bass, Newell
 Beck, Evelyn
 Bennett, Myra

Bevil, Donna
 Bonsall, Beatrice
 Bordonars, Kenneth
 Boudreaux, Louis



Boudreaux, Mary
 Braquet, Nona
 Brett, Hiram
 Brown, Ronald



Bryan, Patsy
 Burnfin, Betty
 Butler, Billy Joe
 Campbell, Dixie



Castleman, Bobby
 Cates, Jo Ann
 Chance, Betty J.
 Choate, Carol



Choates, Sherman
 Cook, Harlan
 Concienne, Genell
 Conner, Harry D.



Corbello, Paul
 Cuccia, Cynthia
 Curtice, Jimmy
 Davis, Martha



Dean, Sylvia
 DeVries, Jerry
 Doolittle, Bob
 Dowden, Jerry



Dowden, Howard
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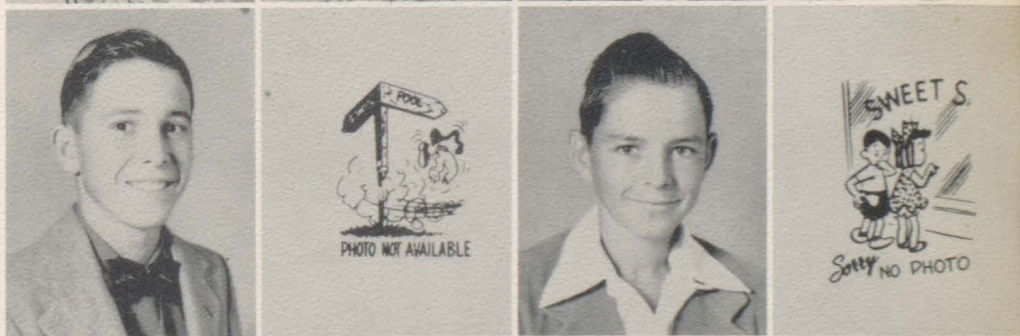


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 King, Billie
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 Lester, Marilyn
 Lisenby, Helen



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Ryman, Wanda
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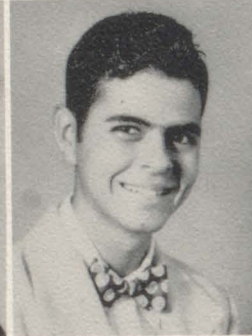
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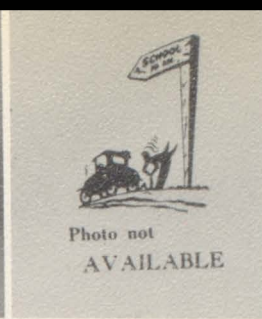
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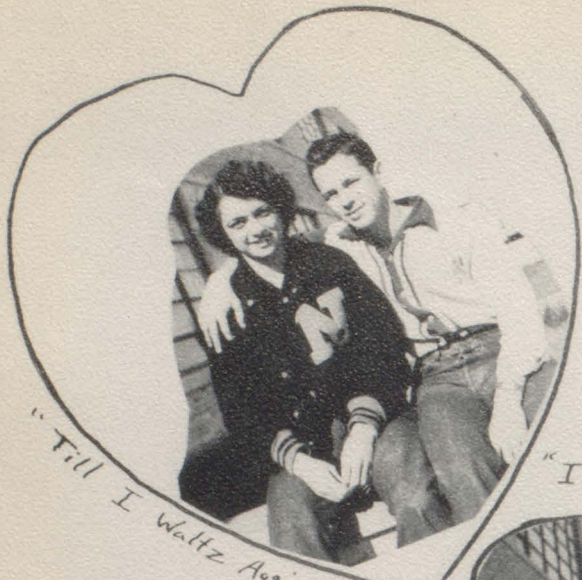


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"Till I Waltz Again With You"



"I Let the Stars Get in My Eyes"



"I'm Yours"



"Forever and Ever"



"Oh, Happy Day"



"Sonny Boy"



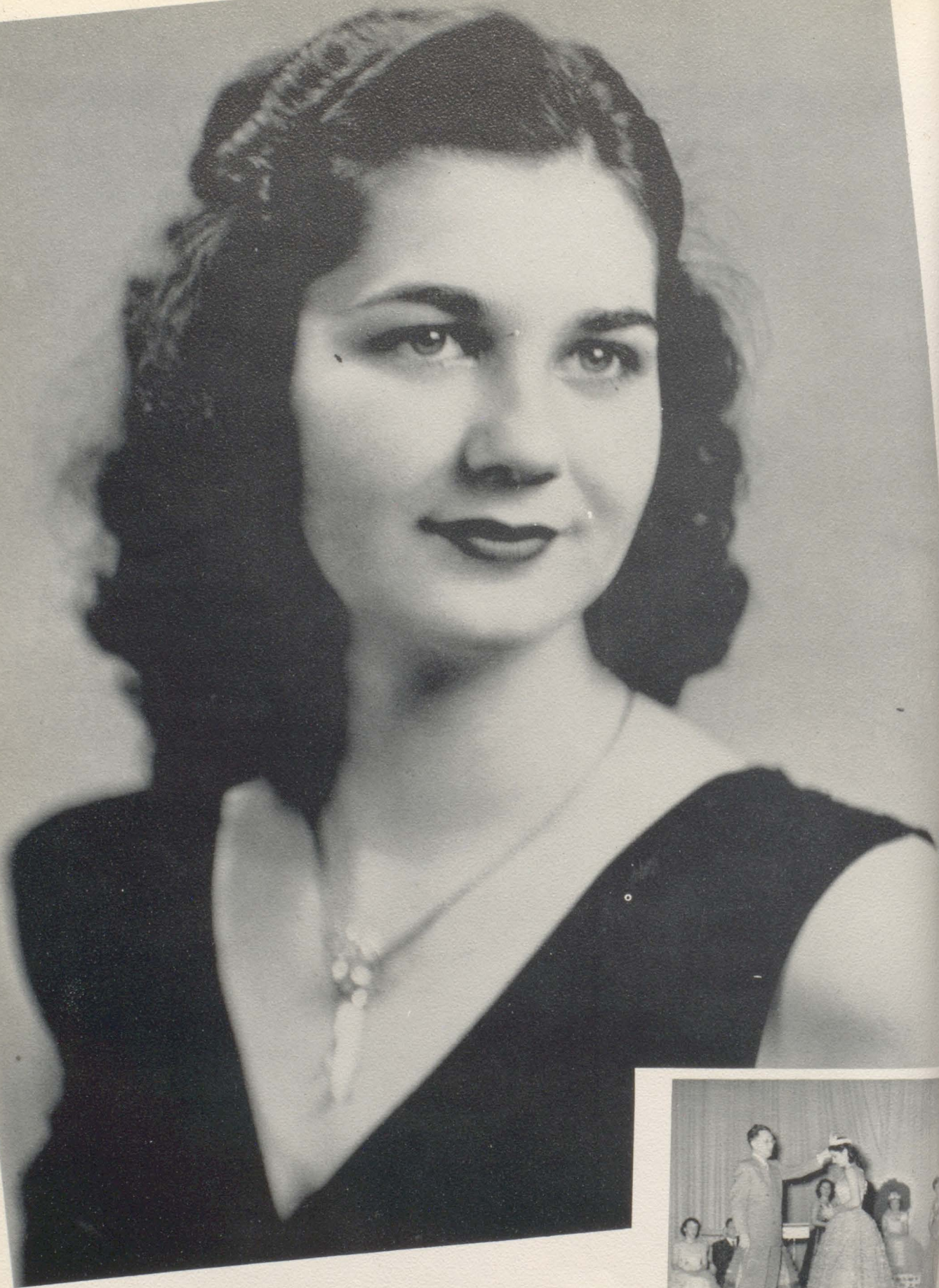
"Because of You"



"Water can't Quench the Fire of Love"



FAVORITES



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Alumni Sweetheart



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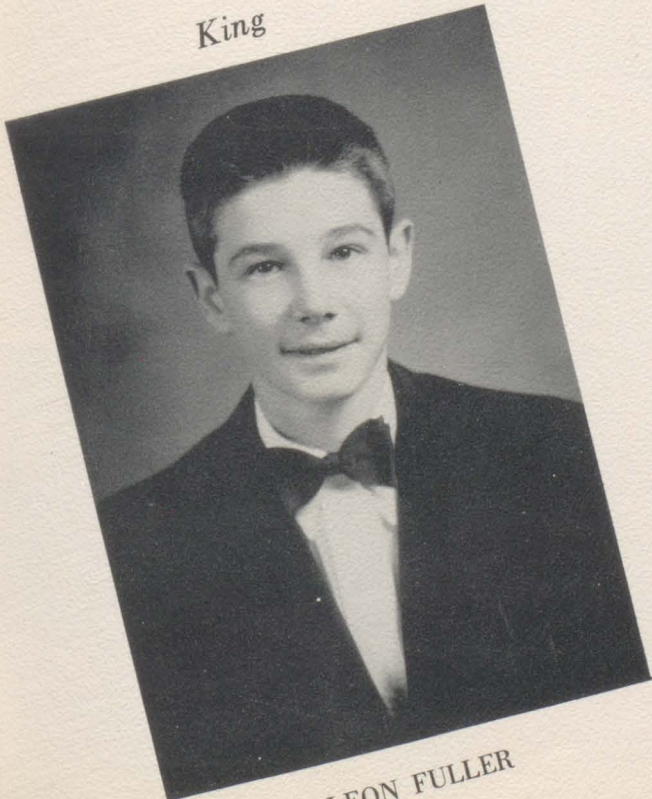
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King



LEON FULLER

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MARTHA EALY



WETA WILSON

Football Sweetheart



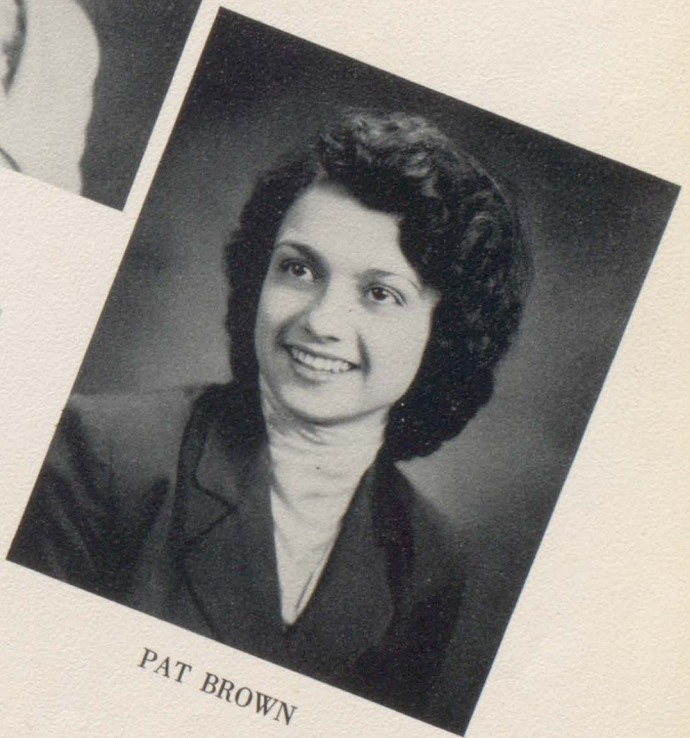
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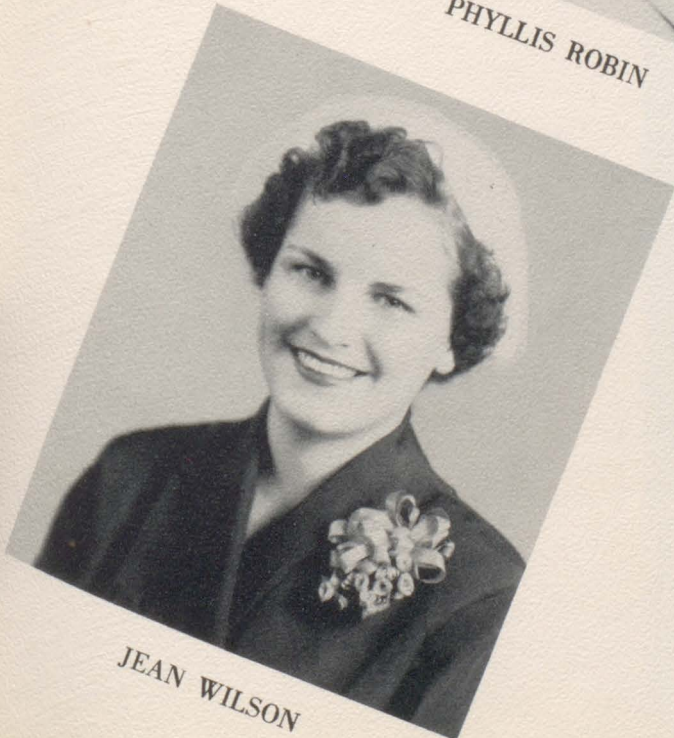
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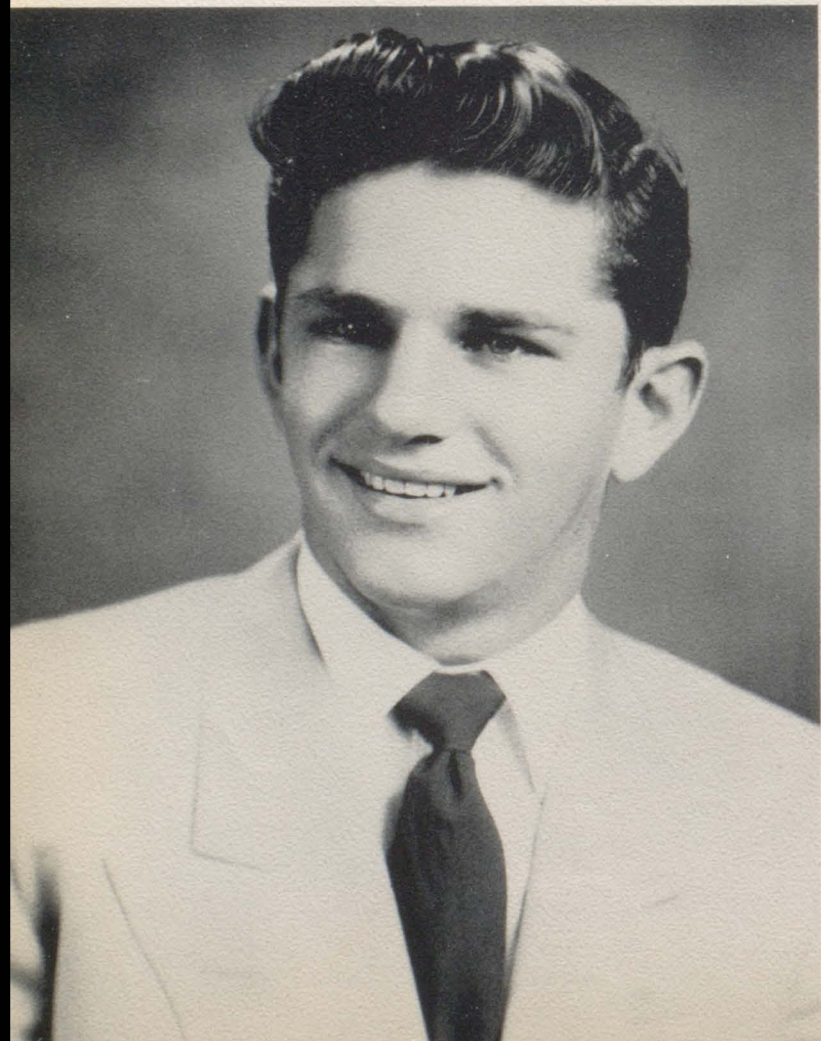
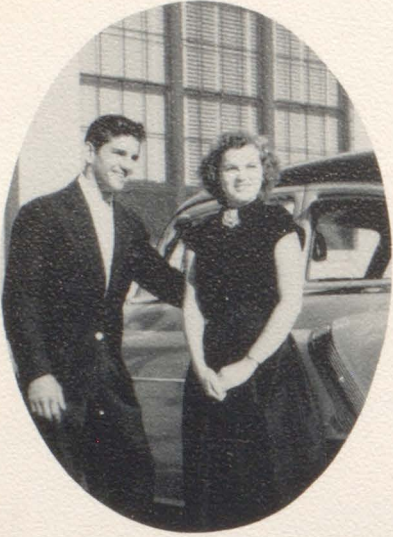
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PAT BROWN



JEAN WILSON



Best Looking

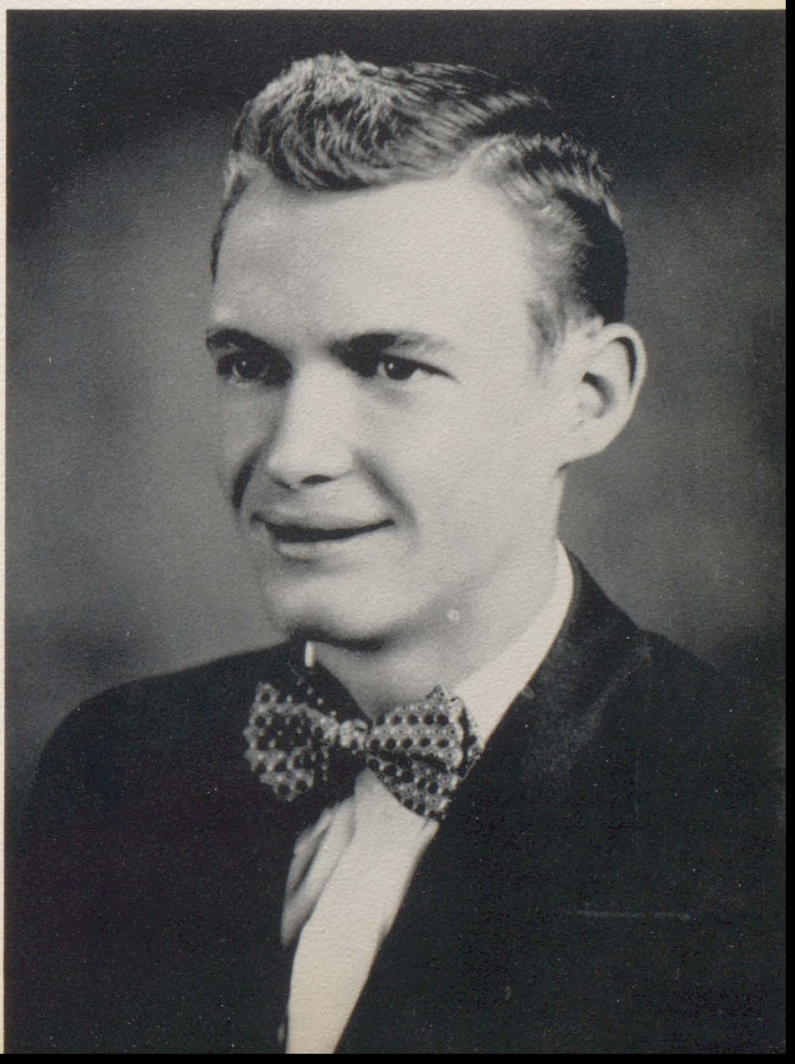
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BILLY DALBY



Most Popular

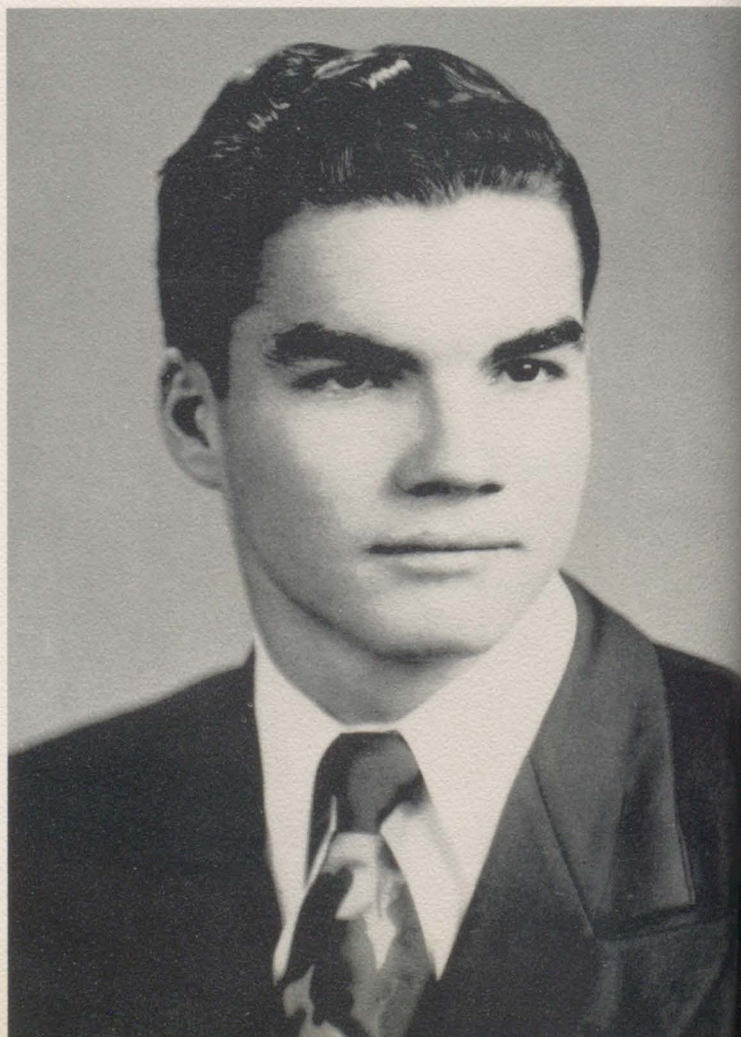
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JUNIOR PULLIN

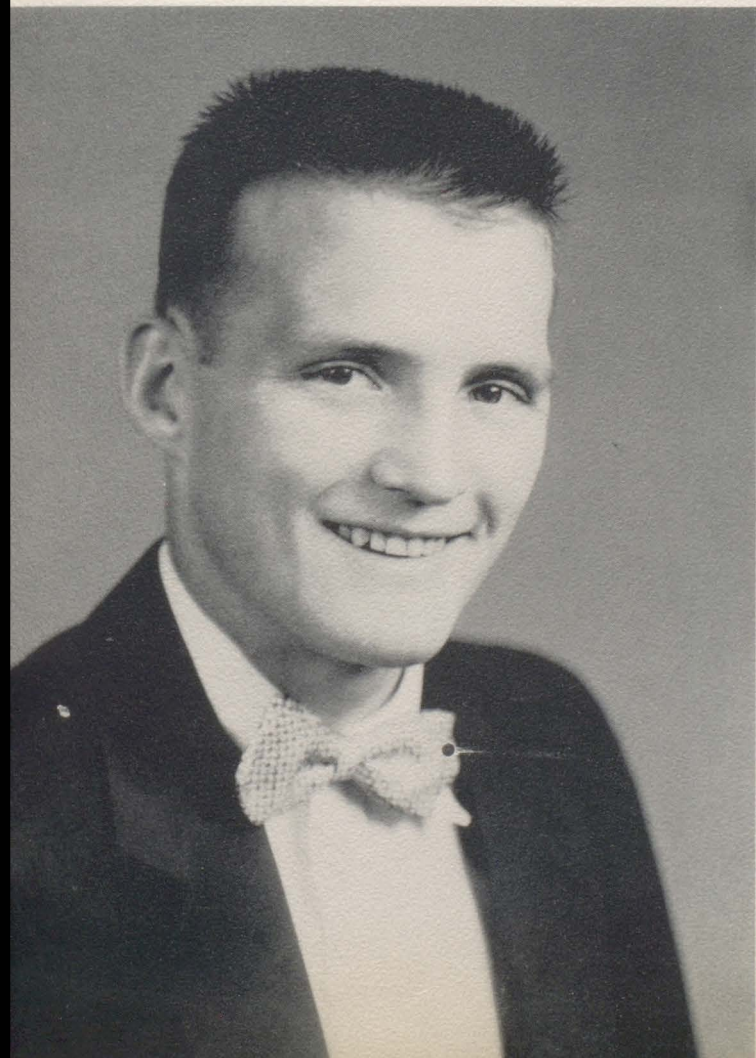




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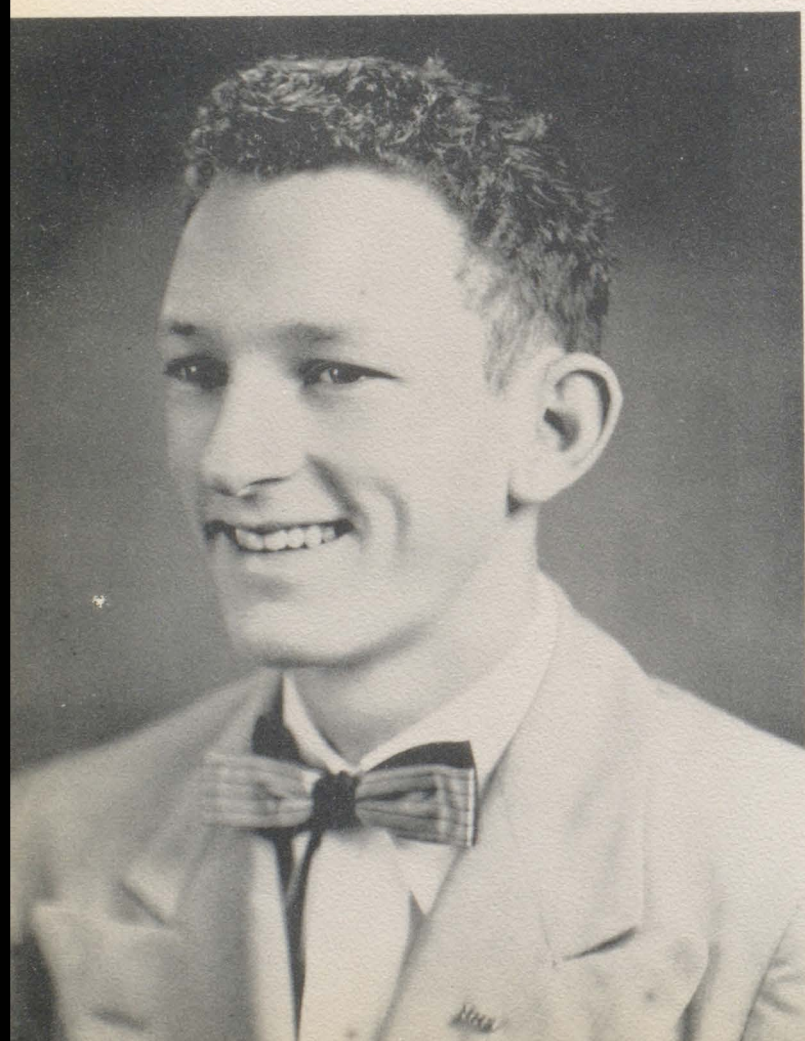
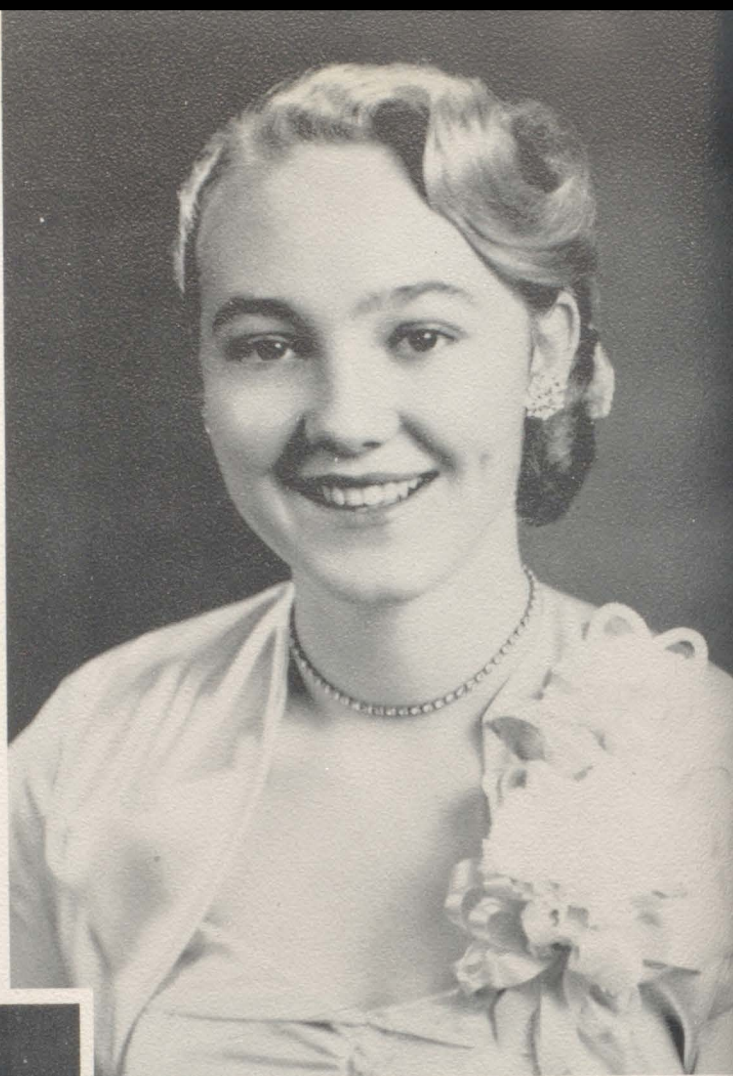
PAULA THOMAS
MAX WILLIAMS





Best All-Around

MYRA SKOG
CARL BURNS

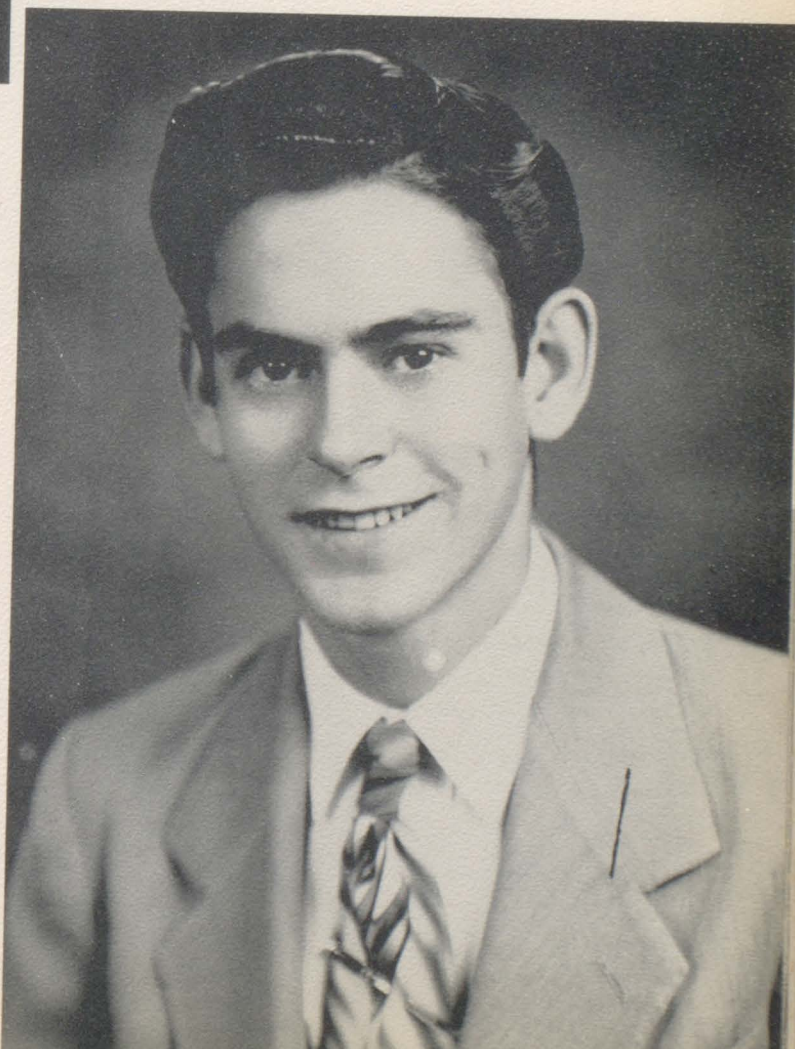


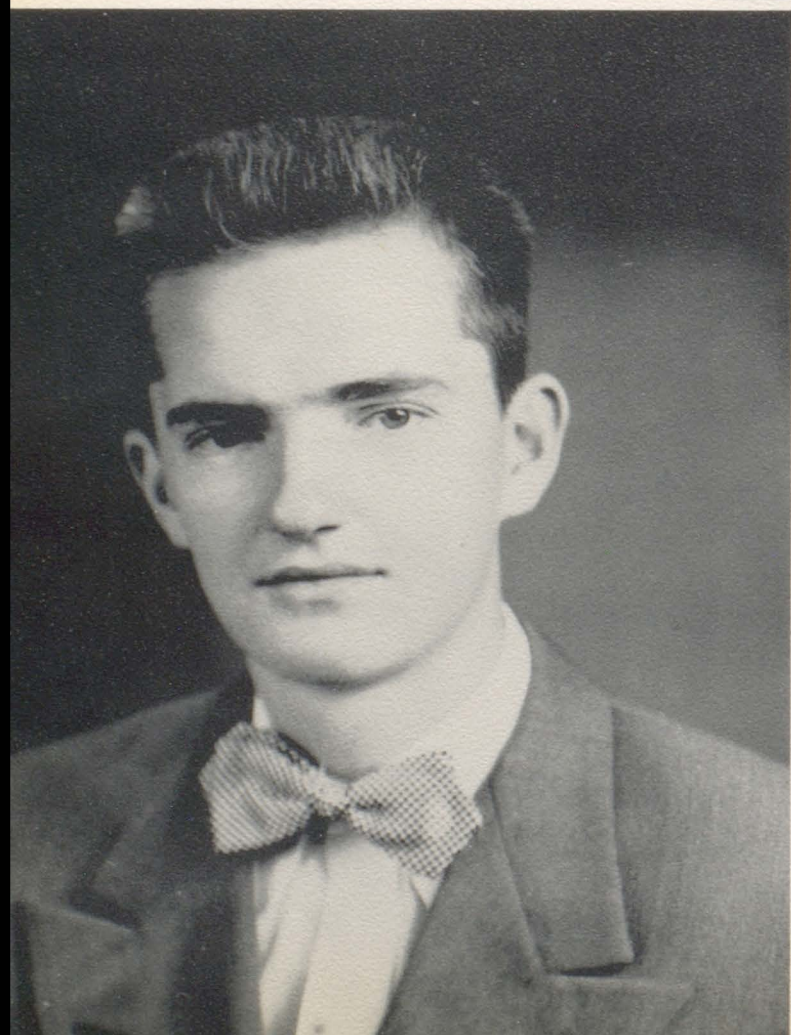
Most Dignified

JOAN JAMES
DUANE WILSON



Friendliest
WETA WILSON
CHARLES BOND





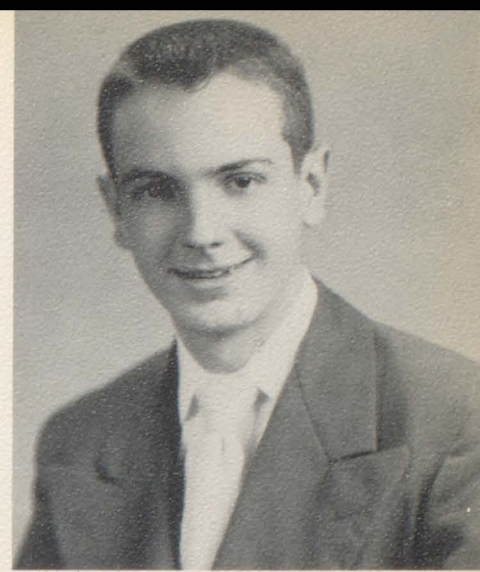
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JOAN WILLIAMS
CURTIS WRIGHT

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FRANKIE MELDER



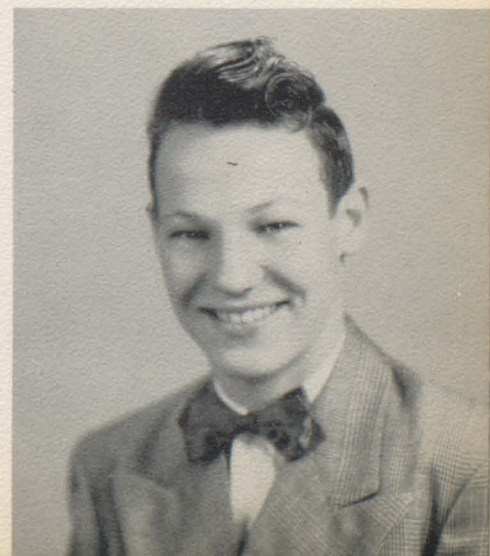
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Favorites*

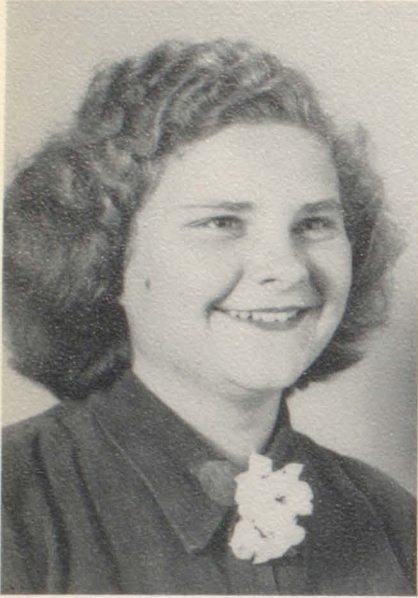


SONYA HENSON



JACK HAWTHORNE

Achievement



IONA McGUIRE
4-H Club Work



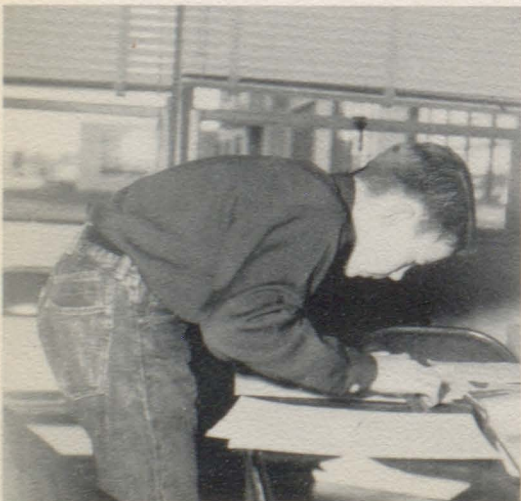
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MAX WILLIAMS
Boys' State



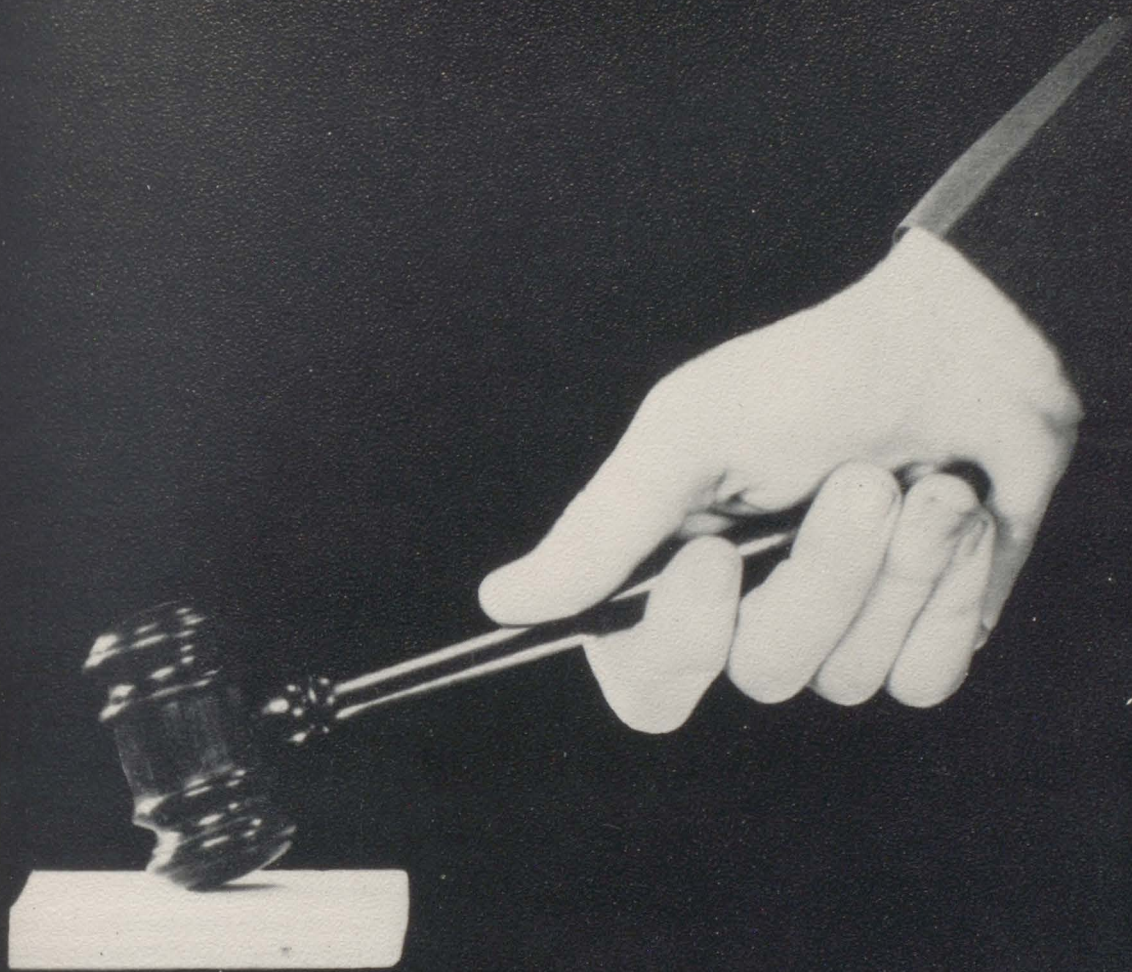
RACHEL BURROWS
Citizenship



BOB RACKLEY
Voice of Democracy



KIP MURRAY
Journalism



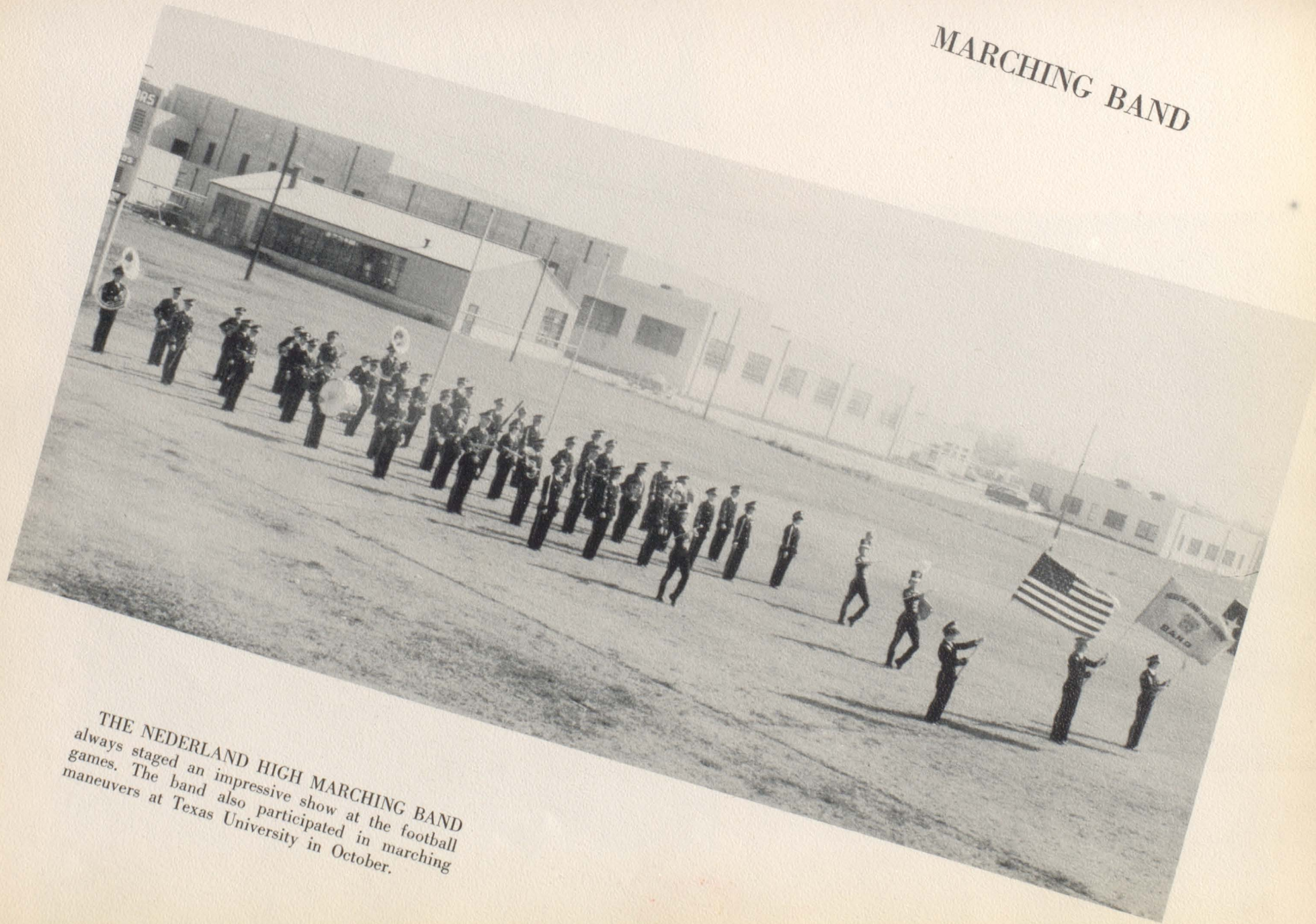
ORGANIZATIONS

BAND



THE BAND plays at all pep rallies and football games. Mr. Charles Enloe is the director.

MARCHING BAND



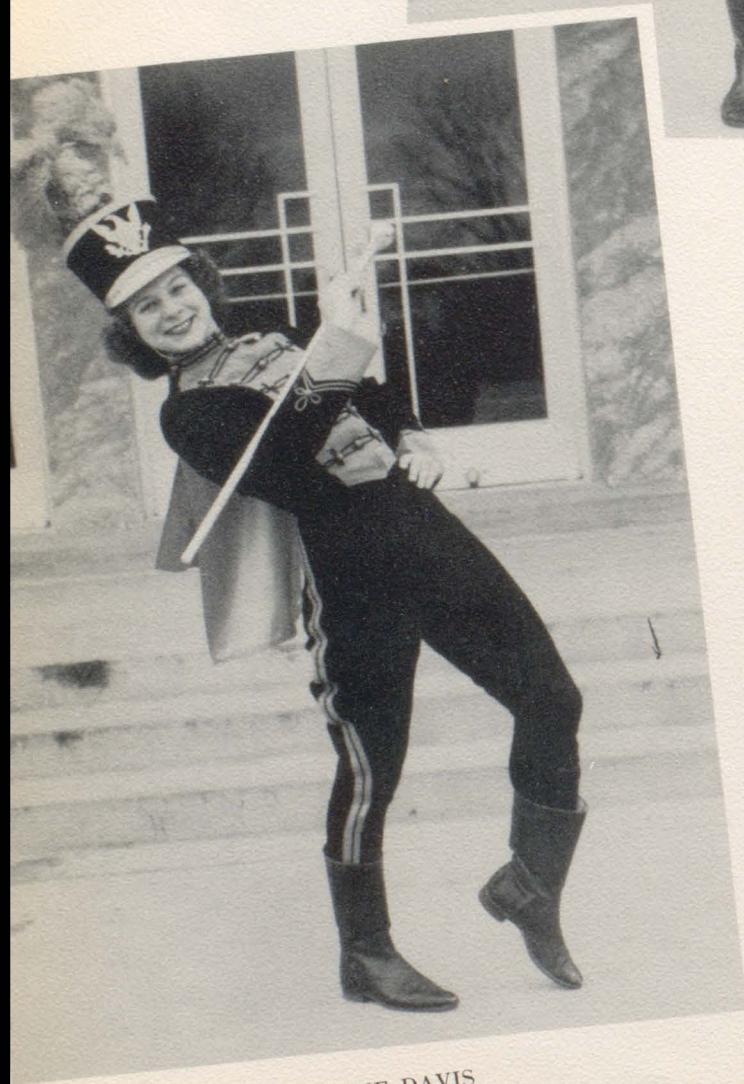
THE NEDERLAND HIGH MARCHING BAND always staged an impressive show at the football games. The band also participated in marching maneuvers at Texas University in October.

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SHIRLEY CONNER

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DIANE DAVIS



RHETTA SUE SHERER

BAND

O F F I C E R S



First row: Kay Van Cleve, Peggy Thomas, Charles Smith, Charles Hendrix, Elmer Rode.
Second row: Bob Rackley, Jo Ann Roberts, Billy Porter, Wayne Dowden, James Martin.

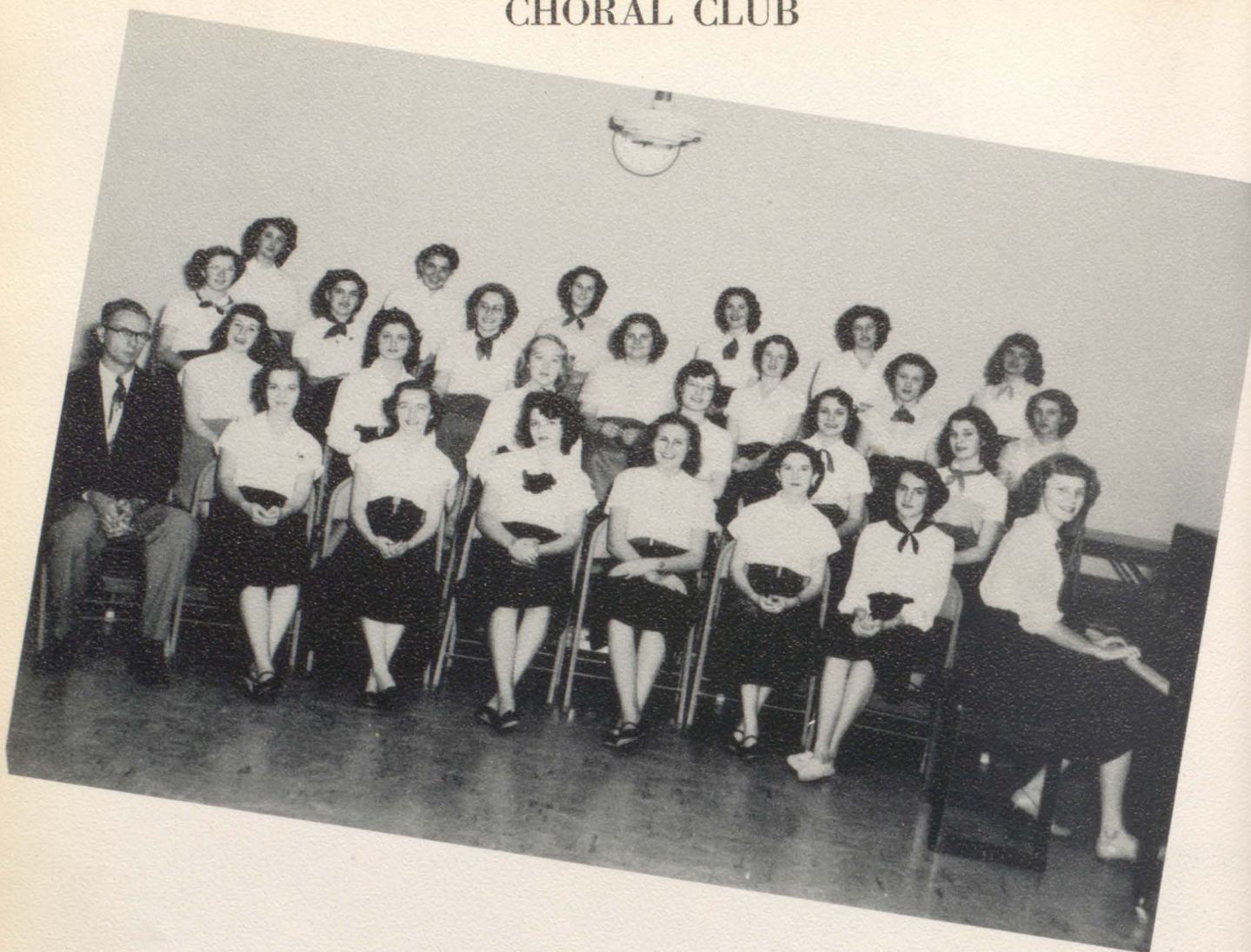
BAND HONOR

S T U D E N T S



First row: Rhetta Sue Sherer, Myra Bennett, Wanda Ryman, Kay Van Cleve, Norma Fletcher.
Second row: Kip Murray, Louis Boudreaux, Charles Hendrix, Charles Smith.

CHORAL CLUB



THE CHORAL CLUB is a group of twenty-six girls who are interested in the study and presentation of choral works of a serious nature. The club meets daily in preparation for their choral activities. Special concerts are presented at Thanksgiving and Easter.

Mr. Charles Enloe is the director of the choir, and Nelda Purdue is the accompanist.



ANNUAL STAFF



Seated: Bob Rackley, Asst. Business Mgr.; Glenn Lacy, Asst. Ed.; Rachel Burrows, Myra Skog, Paula Thomas, Editor; Gertie Caruthers.
Standing: Jack Pelloat, Mr. Lee, Sponsor; Charles Nicholson, Max Williams, Business Manager.



THE ANNUAL STAFF is composed of eight Seniors and two Juniors under the sponsorship of Mr. Gordon Lee. This staff is responsible for the publication of *The Pilot*, a pictorial record of the school life of Nederland High School.

CHEERLEADERS

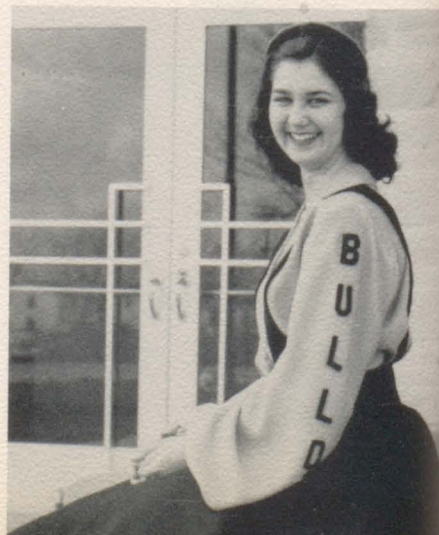


BIRDIE HUDDLESTON
RACHEL BURROWS
PHYLLIS ROBIN

REGINA BUGNA
Mascot

MARY BERLIN
WETA WILSON
MYRA SKOG

RACHEL BURROWS
Head Cheerleader



PEP SQUAD



JOYCE TYER *President*
NELLIE KIESCHNICK *Vice President*
RUTH DEAN *Secretary Treasurer*

The purposes of the Girls' Pep Squad are to support the athletic teams of Nederland High School and to create a good school spirit.

Every football game and several basketball games are attended by the group with each girl in uniform.

The Pep Squad also plans the Homecoming activities and honors the athletes with a dance. The sponsors are Miss Harrison, Miss Thomas, and Mrs. McNeill.



LIBRARY CLUB

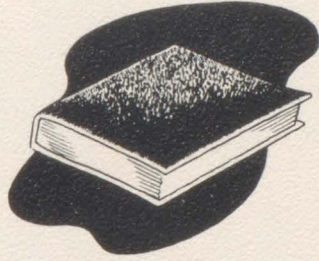
The purpose of the LIBRARY CLUB is to give the student library assistants opportunities for recognition and participation comparable to those given to students participating in other major school activities.

To arouse and to encourage interest in librarianship as a profession is one of the main objectives. The sponsors are Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Stancil.



LEISURE READING CLUB

The purpose of the LEISURE READING CLUB is to stimulate and encourage leisure reading, and to provide pleasurable and broadening experiences from reading of good books. The sponsors are Mrs. Stancill and Mrs. Russell.



SENIOR HONOR SOCIETY

The purpose of this organization is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of American secondary schools. Mrs. Fore is sponsor of the SENIOR HONOR SOCIETY.



JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY



The JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY is a group of freshmen and sophomore honor students who meet once each month to add cultural pursuits to scholastic achievement.

Programs during the year included dramatic performances, musical presentations, and panel discussions of school problems.

The officers are as follows: Mary Cox, President; Macie Nicholson, Vice President, and Wanda Ryman, Secretary. Mr. Ware and Miss Harrison are the sponsors.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS of AMERICA



The purposes of the FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA are: to further the development of creative leadership in home and community life and to promote international good will.

The officers of the organization are: Eugenia Price, President; George Ann Wilson, Vice President; Rhetta Sherer, Secretary; Edna Earl Stark, Treasurer; Gail Beagle, Reporter; Myra Manning, Historian; Janet Whitley, Parliamentarian; Linda Morgan, Sergeant-at-Arms; Emma Claire Herrington, Song Leader.

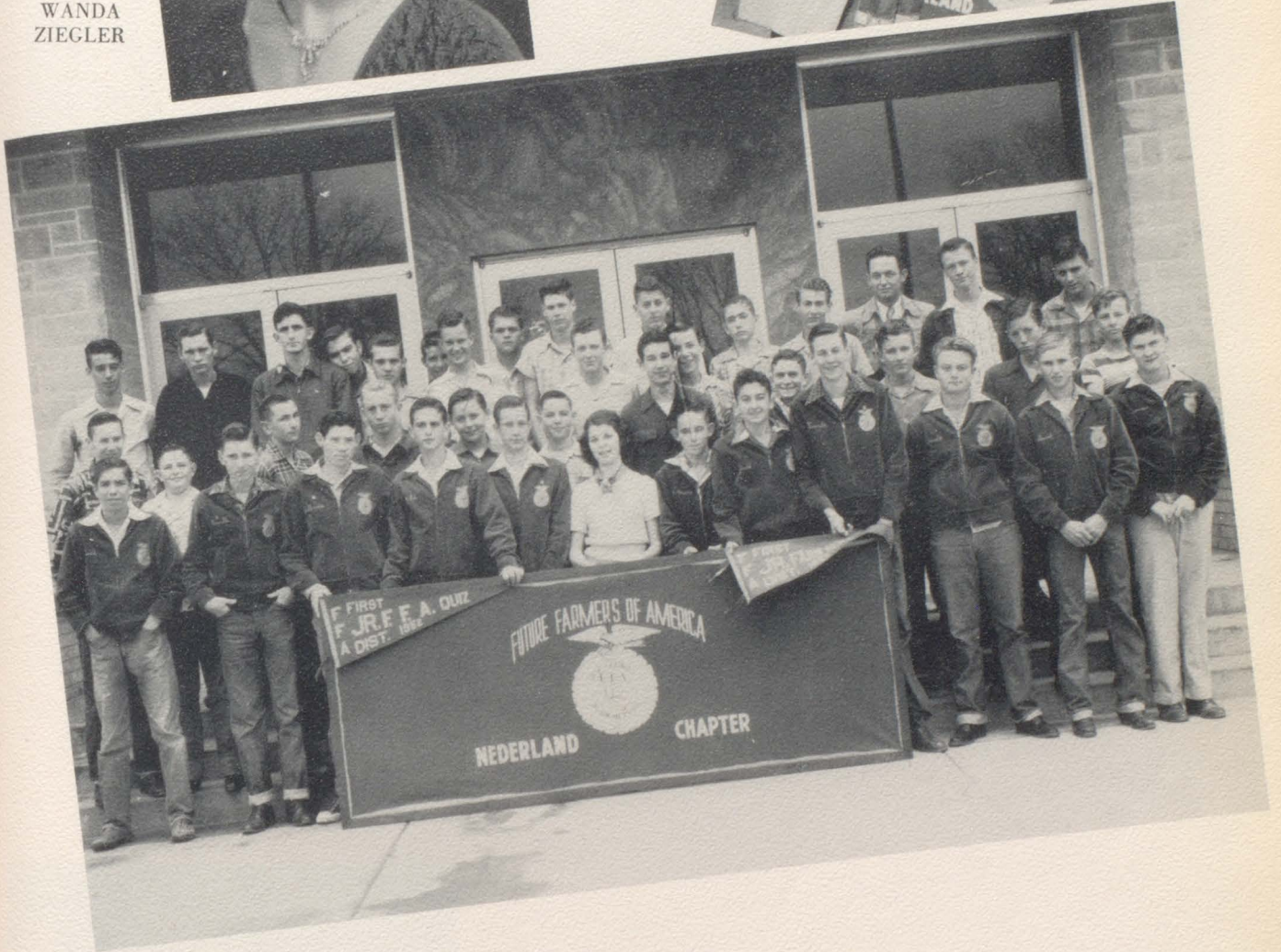
Miss Newsom is the sponsor.



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The purposes of the F. F. A. are as follows: to develop competent, aggressive, rural, and agricultural leadership; to create more interest in the intelligent choice of farming occupations; and to encourage members in the development of individual farming programs and establishment in farming.

The club participated in District and Area leadership contests and won first in the F. F. A. quiz and Greenhand Farm Skill contest in the district. This club is sponsored by Mr. Cook.

FUTURE NURSES



The NURSES' CLUB is organized for the purpose of training high school girls who are interested in a future career of practical nursing. The members engage in practical work and training that will be useful in their homes. The sponsor is Miss Frances Bevil.



MARCH of DIMES PROGRAM

JUNIOR RED CROSS



The JUNIOR RED CROSS is international in scope. The club carries out a music exchange program, carries on correspondence with foreign students, and stands ready for emergency service if disaster should occur in this area.

This club is sponsored by Miss Mary Thomas.

BULLDOG BEACON

VOLUME THREE, NUMBER SEVEN

NEDERLAND HIGH SCHOOL

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1953

IN THE BEACON'S BEAMS

Timing it just right, so that they would miss our mid term exams, four new students joined Nederland High last week. Nederland High rolls out its welcome mat for Barbara Sutherland, Delane Lytle, Shirley Faye Wells, and Doris Bussi!

A little of the fun and friendliness of the competition between the classes for their alumni sweetheart candidates was lost when someone began tearing down signs of the opposing classes.

As long as we have vandals like that operating, no class will be able to feel safe in putting up posters. If someone in your class is doing the destruction, he is jeopardizing your class's posters to the vengeful action of other classes. You can stop these actions; no one else can. Need more be said?

Your editor has been slaving and working to get out this paper, sometimes putting in as much as 16 hours in a weekend before publication. What kept him going? Was it school spirit? Did he believe that this project would make Nederland High a better school. Well, to tell the truth, one big incentive was that he was looking forward to the time when his picture would be taken for the annual with those eight beautiful girls on the staff. He plans to get a big copy of the photo to hang up in his college room. No use in boring the roommate with the explanation that the picture was strictly business!

By the way, the annual staff members have really been working lately. They had all the club and class officer pictures taken January 27 and 28. You can walk in on them almost any time and find them busily 'laying out' pages, filling out forms, and planning. They are still selling the '53 Pilot for \$2.50. Part of the reason for this is that part of the expenses will be paid by the funds from the Alumni Sweetheart contest. So don't hesitate to vote for your candidate, you'll get it back when you buy your annual.

To get an annual, see Paula Thomas, (editor), Max Williams, (business manager), Charles Nicholson, Ruth Dean, Myra Skog, Jack Pelto, Geri... Rachel B... ley or C...

ATHLETIC CLUB TO HAVE BANQUET FEBRUARY 21

All athletes of Nederland High attend Banquet high February 21, for Dean of eye, speaker. The to bring to do so to pay a be a dar sored Squad, in the banq These a meet Friday n and wer Coach "

BAND TO PLAY AT POINT

About of the Ne will go to High in P 21 to have and ensem the audit on to the ensemble playing t Lamar Tech.

Playing solos a thy Barber, baritone, phone, "Rocked in t of the Deep;" Smith, clarinet, "F James Martin, "A Song of India;" Kip Murray, clarinet, "Tdy;" Joan James, flute, "Melodie;" Norma Fletcher, flute, "Pipes of Pan;" Charles Price, clarinet, "Jesters Waltz;" Myra Bennett, cornet, "Syntanella;" Louis Boudreau, cornet, "Tyra;" Charles Hendrix, cornet, "Trumpeters Lullaby;" Peggy Thomas, baritone, "Blue Bells of Scotland;" Joe Woodward, cornet, "Lament;" Gwen Schion, trombone, "Blue Bells of Scotland;" Jackie James, baritone, "Blue Bells of Scotland;" and Edna Earle Stark, flute, "Promptu;" Vivian Kelly, Eb Clarinet, and Rhetta Sherer, tenor saxophone, will play solos.

Playing in a saxophone quartet are Beverly Hudson, Martha Bennett, Billy Porter, and Dorothy Barber. Charles Smith, Kip Murray, and James Martin will play "Concertante," a clarinet trio.

Charles Smith, James Martin, Norma Fletcher, Linda Lester, and Margaret... will accompany the on the piano.

the calendar of events: M - Solo auditions James Jefferson Port Arthur. Regional solo playing at Lamar Music Lamar Tech.

Concert playht-reading contest Tech

17 - Annual spring

Concert tour of

CLASSES CAMPAIGN FOR EES



Seated: Marla Hilton, Margaret Timmons, Margaret Lewis, Jeanne Mills, Carolyn Redford, Jo Ann Brinkley, Diane Davis, Ann Adams. Standing: Kip Murray, Editor; Mrs. Smith, Sponsor.

will be determined by popular vote. Five points for the winner and two points for the members of his team are the goals.

The class is divided into five groups with chairmen to study speech. The groups are learning to evaluate speeches and to improve their own speech. Each group will pick out a of their members to r of them in the next men of the ence She Crews, Jean les Smith and.

The points to the six w the winning team.

\$54.80 COL. FOR MARCH AT HIGH SCI

The Future of Nederland program tell in the auditor - Jan 29. During the program \$4.80 was received from the student body for the March of Dimes.

Edna Earle Stark, Joan Thacker, Janet Guidry, Glenna Kelly, Nelwyn Crews, Martha Bennett, and Margaret Timmons, and Miss Francis Bevil, sponsor, took part in the program. Marty Woods, who had had polio last summer, was a guest at the program.

The students filed past the stage to contribute to the March of Dimes.

FFA SELLS T.V. SET

The Nederland Chapter of the Future Farmers of America sold the TV set won in a magazine subscription-

Happy-Go-Lucky - Wanda Zeigler
Irritable - Rachel Burrows
Jealous - Pat Brown
Keyhole - Weta Wilson
Lovable - Phyllis Robin
Married - Viola Perdu
New - Connie LeBlanc
Optimistic - Sue Sh
Popular - Frankie
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The PRESS CLUB was organized by students who wanted Nederland High to have a school paper even though there was no journalism class this year. They published the *Bulldog Beacon* every two weeks in the *Midcounty Review*, which offered them a free page for that purpose.

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Cut-Up - B. Jby
Lover - Clarence B. deld
Mixer - Lidney Thompson
Nifty - Bob Semons
Open-minded - Kip Murray
Precious - R.T. Luce
Quizzical - Larry Minaldi
Reckless - Reid Gallion
Smart - Max Williams
Tail - Glen Bosman
Unsmiling - Coach Ramke
Vain - Jack Sanford
Witty - Curtis Wright
Exciting - A.A. Crews
Young - Curley Turner
Zealous - B.H. Hall

money to buy an electric arc welder for the farm shop.

"Cross for Rachel," for Ruth," Baker for "These logans that Nederland puns for uni Sweet-hull swing

Rachel Dean and ker, all selected Juniors, freshmen, ir candi-Sweet-

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games and in town, a cake and pie sale, shoe shining, and the pay program are being used by the Juniors as sources of revenue.

James Martin was Curly Turner's "bride" in the Fophomores pay program which s Wednesday, February 4, the w' rium. Sopho- s t' re been selling

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QUEEN ARTS TO BE HELD FRIDAY

ts will vote Fri- February 6, in a school election for the King an. Queen of Hearts for the all-high school Valentine Party in the high school gym Saturday, February 7.

The candidates, who were selected in individual class meetings, are Earlene Hooks and Junior Pullen, seniors; Shirley Connor and Dan Marcontel, Juniors; Dolores Richey and Terry Rahar, sophomores, and Martha Ealy and Leon Fuller, freshmen.

The King and Queen of Hearts will reign at the Valentine Party Saturday night; the runners-up will

BULLDOG BEACON
The Bulldog Beacon is published every two weeks in the Midcounty Review by the Press Club of Nederland High School. Staff members are Kip Murray, editor; Jeanne Mills, managing editor; Jo Ann Brinkley, publicity editor; Marla Hilton, business manager and assistant activity editor; Diane Davis, feature editor; Margaret Lewis, class editor; Ann Adams, Timmons, club editor; Carolyn Redford, sports editor; and Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, sponsor. MEMBERS INTERSCHOOL LEAGUE PRESS CONFERENCE.

SWIMMING CLUB



The purpose of the SWIMMING CLUB is to give the more advanced swimmers a chance to improve their skills with extra work and display their skills at synchronized swimming.

This organization is sponsored by Miss Thomas.



4-H CLUB



The 4-H CLUB MOTTO is: "I pledge
 My Head to clearer thinking,
 My Heart to greater loyalty,
 My Hands to greater service, and
 My Health to better living,
 For my club, my community, and my country."

GAIL BEAGLE	<i>President</i>
VIVIAN KELLY	<i>Vice President</i>
SARAH DOOLITTLE	<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i>
GAIL MAINORD	<i>Recreation Leader</i>
EVA JEAN WISTNER	<i>Demonstrator</i>



TENNIS CLUB



The purpose of the TENNIS CLUB is to introduce tennis to the students of Nederland High and to teach the fundamentals of the game to those who are interested in the sport. The club will participate in several tennis tournaments.

Mr. Howard sponsors this club.



PAN AMERICAN STUDENT FORUM

The PAN AMERICAN STUDENT FORUM is organized to encourage a respect and tolerance toward all nationalities in the Americas by studying the nations and peoples of the countries of the Western Hemisphere. The members are encouraged to learn Spanish as a medium of communication.

The club is sponsored by Mrs. M. L. Fore.

GAIL BEAGLE	<i>President</i>
JO ANN BRINKLEY	<i>First Vice President</i>
NELLIE KIESCHNICK	<i>Second Vice President</i>
DORIS READ	<i>Secretary</i>
EVA JEAN WISTNER	<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>
GWEN SHUART	<i>Treasurer</i>
CHARLES SMITH	<i>Program Director</i>



SPANISH CLUB



The **membership** of the **SPANISH CLUB** is composed of three classes of students who are studying **Spanish**. The **members** gain a greater understanding of the customs, culture, and history of the **Latin American** peoples to supplement their regular classroom study of Spanish. Mrs. M. L. Fore is the sponsor.

JO ANN BRINKLEY
CURLY TURNER
JAMES MARTIN
Presidents



STUDENT COUNCIL



The STUDENT COUNCIL is organized for the purpose of enabling the students to participate in school government; and by utilizing the training resources offered by school activities, to develop leaders for service in a democracy.

Miss Ferguson sponsors the Student Council.



LYNN RIENSTRA
Student Body President



The royal group at the Valentine dance



The Student Council sponsored the daily flag raising



Our sponsor serving at the dedication reception

Council members who served as usherettes at the dedication ceremony





GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP LEAGUE

The purpose of the GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP LEAGUE of District 28-AA is to promote friendly rivalry among its members, to provide better understanding of sportsmanship among all students, and to further closer co-operation among the students of the school of this district. The member schools are Nederland, Vidor, Silsbee, French (Beaumont), and Port Acres.

A trophy will be awarded to the school showing the best sportsmanship.



THE ART CLUB

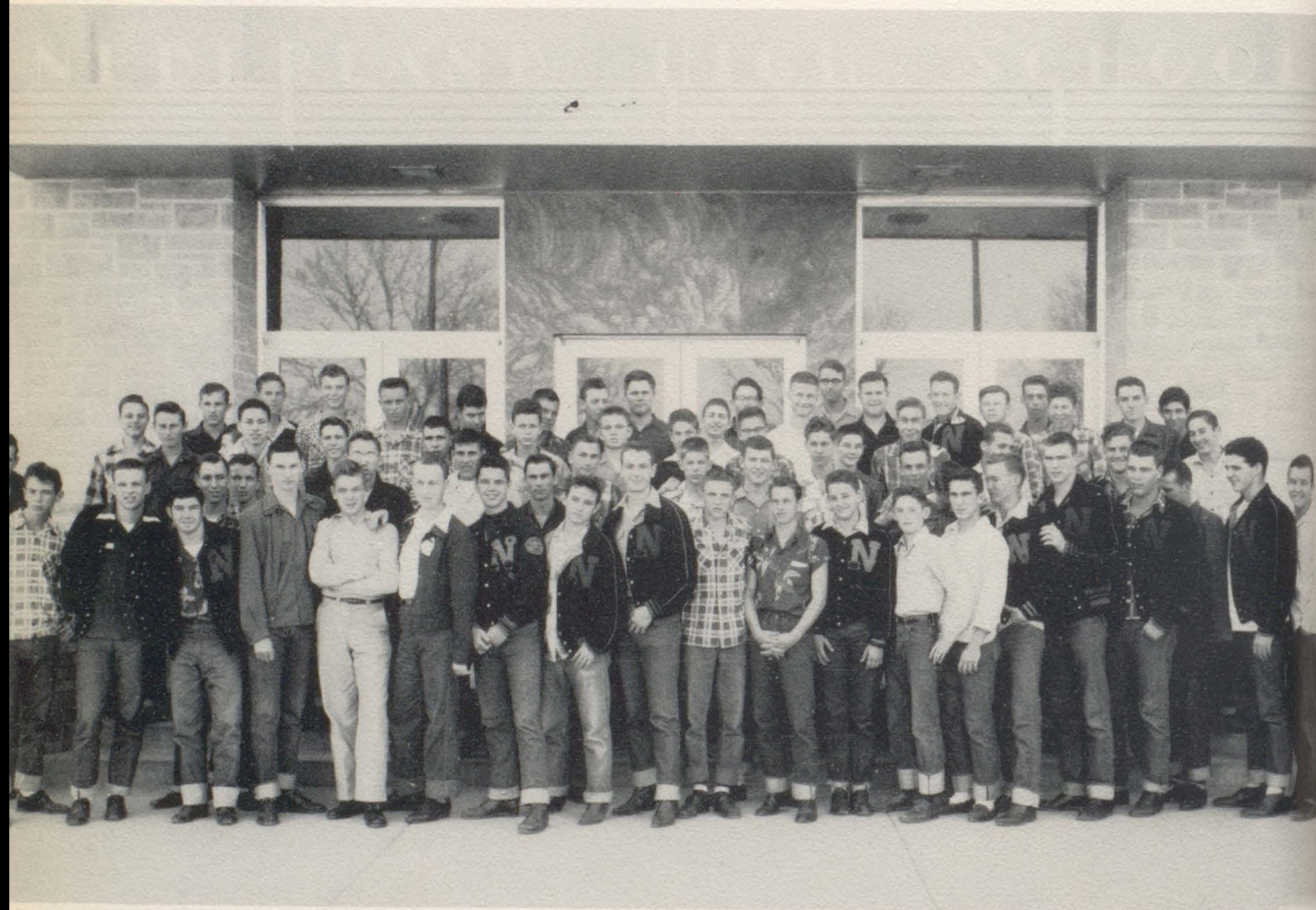
The purpose of the ART CLUB is to discover talent, to learn more about art, and to enjoy and appreciate art. The club members listen to lectures on the different phases of art and carry out various art projects during the year. Two outstanding projects were the making of the Christmas centerpieces for the cafeteria tables and an art exhibit and silver tea held on March 17. Miss Mary Walker is the sponsor of the club.

CHARLES FLETCHER	<i>President</i>
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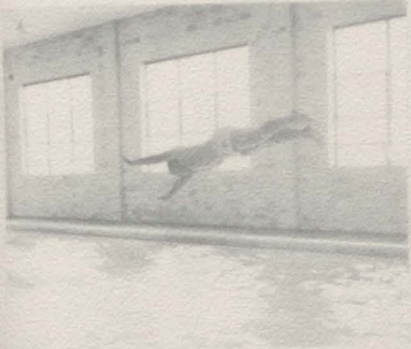
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The aims and objectives of the ATHLETIC CLUB are: to develop better attitudes and cooperation among athletes of different sports; to promote good sportsmanship and school spirit in all sports; and to provide entertainment for the athletes.

The Athletic Club was organized this year by coaches Phillips, Ramke, and McKenzie.



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From left to right are Miss Frances Earle, Miss Anna Rienstra, Miss Marjorie Newsom, Mr. Clarke A. Mathews, and Miss Ruth Hansbro. This group of educators represents one hundred and thirty years of service to the Nederland Independent School District.

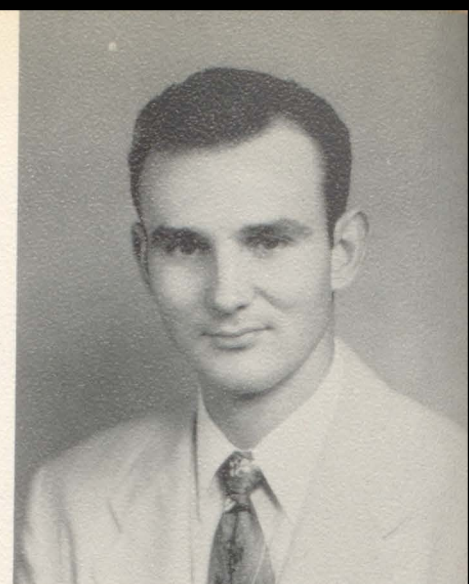
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Football

JOE STREET



Captains

JUNIOR PULLIN



LINE—Glenn Lacy, Bob Semons, Jack Pelloat, Malcolm Radford, R. T. Luce, Joe Street, Lidney Thompson.

BACKFIELD—Barty Jones, Junior Pullin, Jack Sanford, D. D. Perkins.

THE STARTING ELEVEN

The Bulldog eleven played a ten game schedule, winning five games and losing five. In conference play the Bulldogs defeated three opponents and lost only one game. Although they did not win their conference championship, the Bulldogs always played a clean, hard-fought game that won the respect of all their opponents.



THE NEDERLAND BULLDOGS

First row: Guy Van Cleve, Dave Jones, D. D. Perkins, Larry Minaldi, Jack Pelloat, Junior Pullin, Barty Jones, Jack Sanford.

Second row: Dan Marcontel, Robert Mainord, R. T. Luce, Joe Street, Robert Shuart, Percy Sanderson, Larry Ward, Clarence Sheffield, David Quinn.

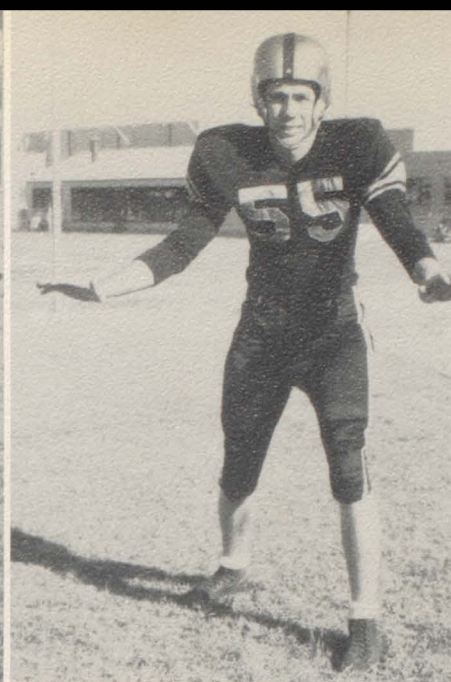
Third row: Alton Mutzbauer, Manager; Reid Gallion, Glenn Lacy, Malcolm Radford, Pat Waite, Lidney Thompson, Victor Hubert, Raymond Doucet, Bob Semons, Jimmy Roberts, Manager.

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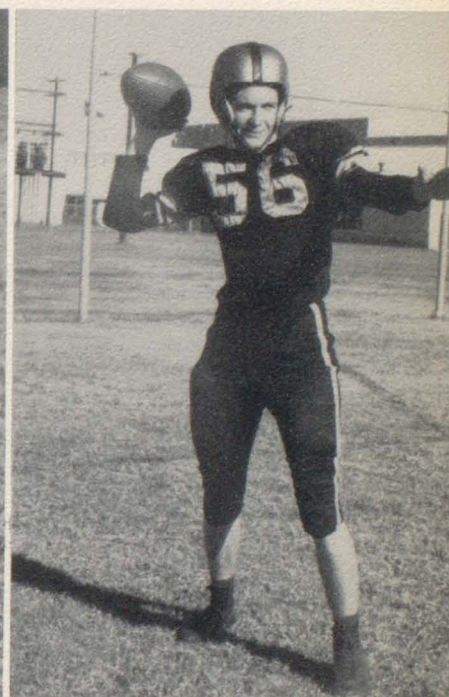
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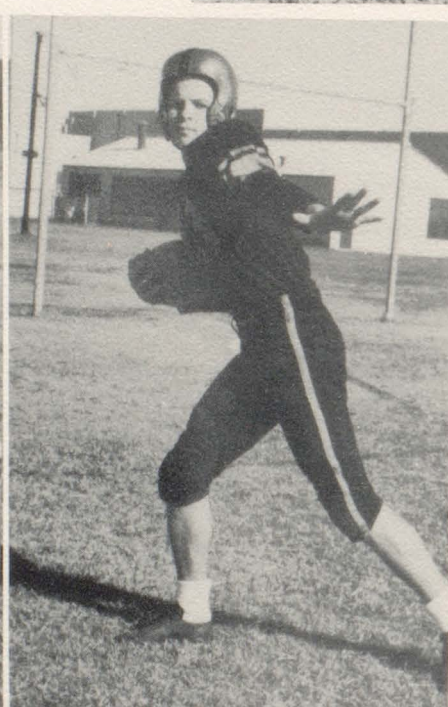
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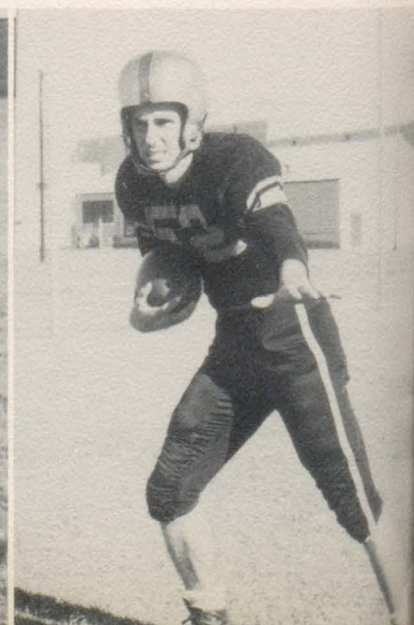
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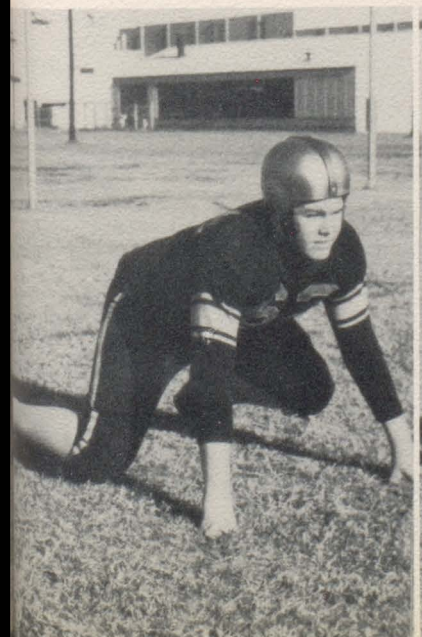
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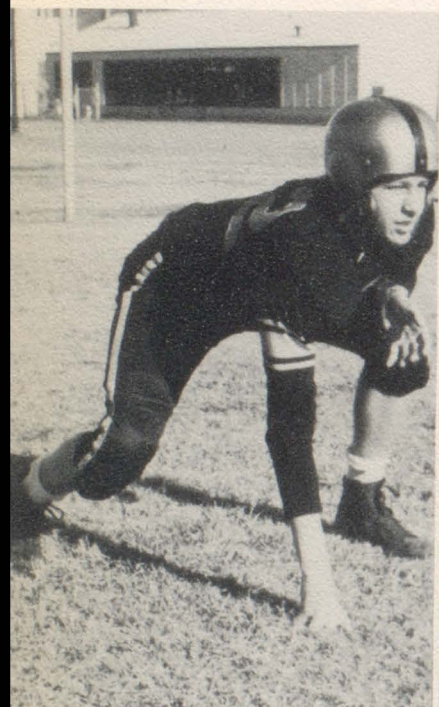
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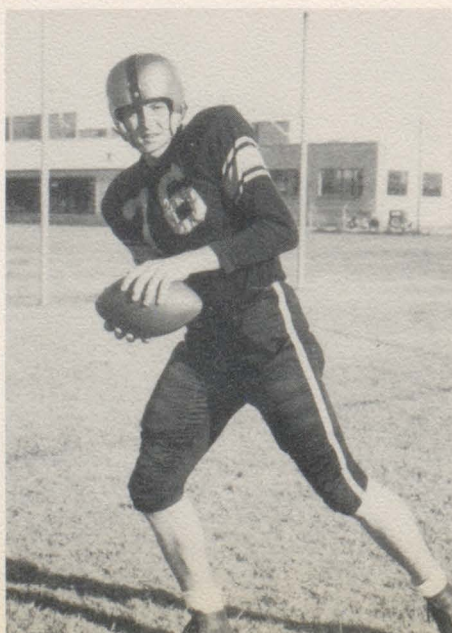
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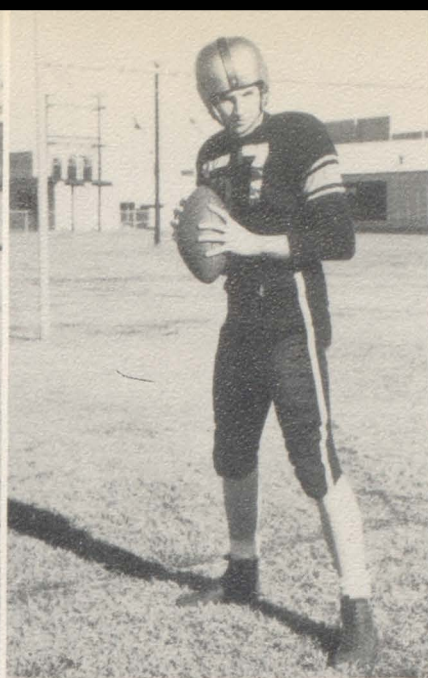
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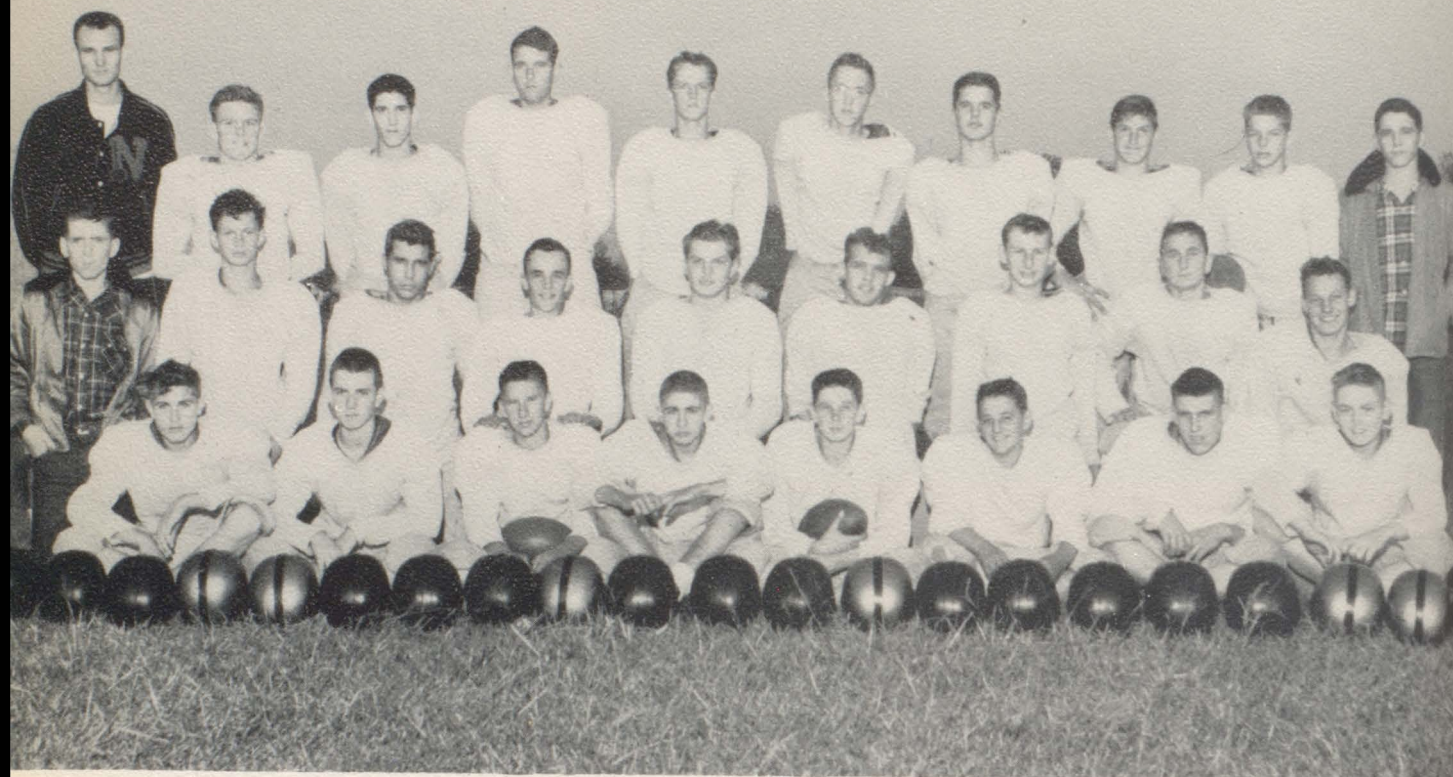
PERCY SANDERSON

Freshman
Quarterback—1 year
Reserve Letterman

Jack Sanford rips off long gain around end against Port Acres.



Junior Pullin-dashes through Port Acres defense for last Bulldog touchdown of 1952 season.



“B” FOOTBALL TEAM

First row: Jerry Griffin, Harold Woods, Jackie Askew, George Eisenman, Leon Fuller, Charles Sibley, Raymond Anstead, Billy Sandlin.

Second row: Kenneth Irvin, Donald Adkins, Norris Treme, Bobby Theriot, Phillip Roebuck, Paul Broussard, Raymond Van Auken, Jimmy Willis, Jack Hawthorne.

Third row: Coach McKenzie, Bruce Carlson, Howard Stark, Gordon Brady, James Wrinkle, B. H. Hall, Ronnie Foreman, Charles Fowler, David Johnson, Tommy Holland.



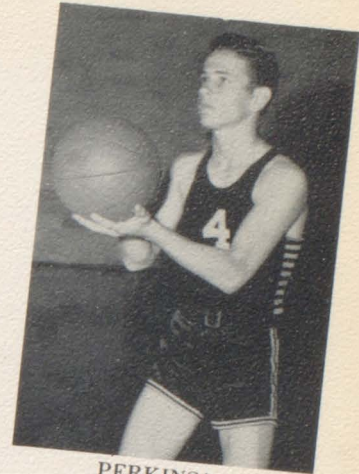
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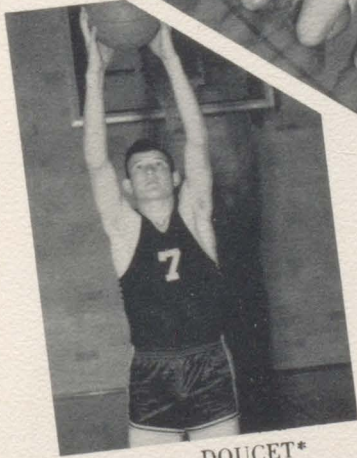
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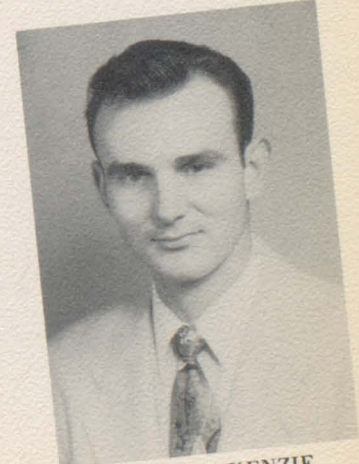


COACH PHILLIPS

THE BULLDOGS

The Nederland High School Basketball team brought the district championship to Nederland for the first time in five years.

The Nederland Bulldog Basketball team engaged in further competition in the state tournament.



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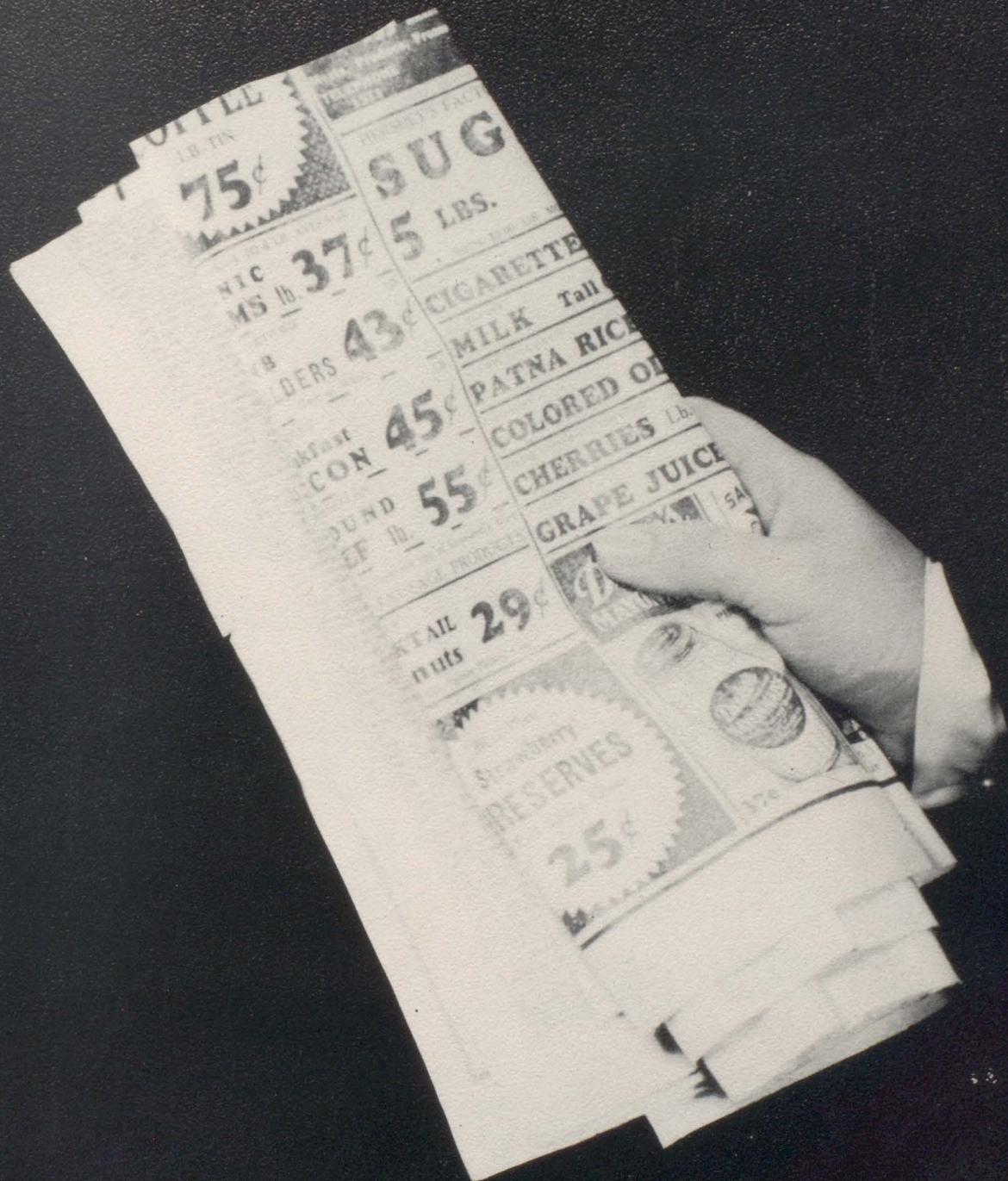
BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS 1952

First row: Jackie James, Manager; Marvin Ermel, Terry Rahar, Carl Coody, O. H. Pullin, Larry Minaldi, Curley Turner, Dwain Morrison.

Second row: David Jones, Tommy Sheffield, Charles Handley, Terry Sheffield, Ronnie Moye, James Gray, Dale Rienstra, Bob Rackly, Manager.

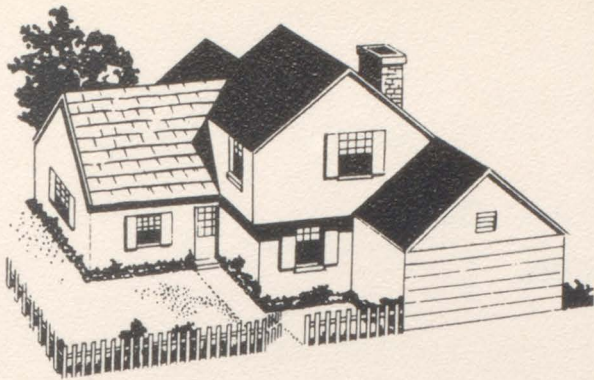
Third row: Leonard Lambert, David Quinn, Lidney Thompson, Oran Stoker, Charles Thomas, Charles Nicholson, Jimmie Grimes, Carl Burns, Vernon Ramke, Coach.

The Bulldog baseball team finished the 1952 season with the remarkable record of eight wins and two losses. The team won the district and bi-district championships, but lost a heartbreaking regional championship game to Lamar Consolidated of Rosenberg by a score of four to one. Five members of the team were named on the All District team. Oran Stoker, Ronnie Moye, O. H. Pullin, Leonard Lambert, and Charles Nicholson received this honor.



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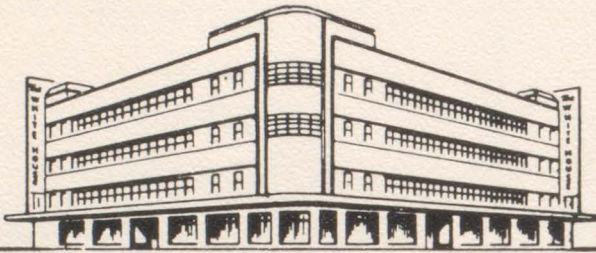
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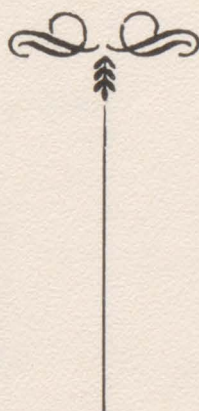
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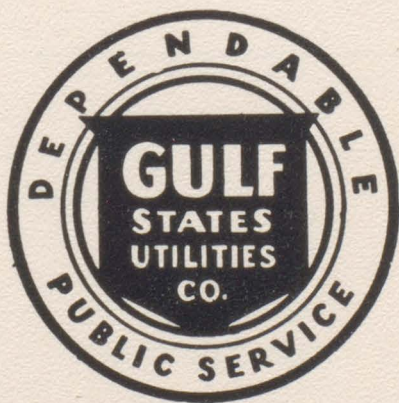
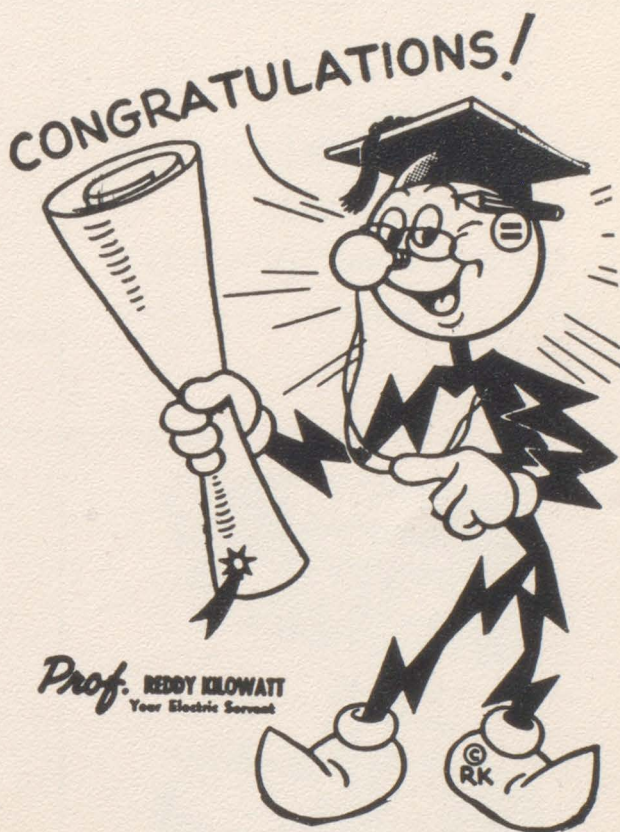
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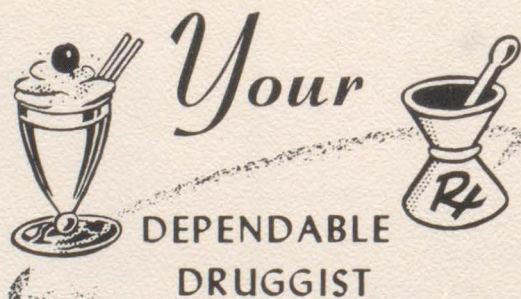


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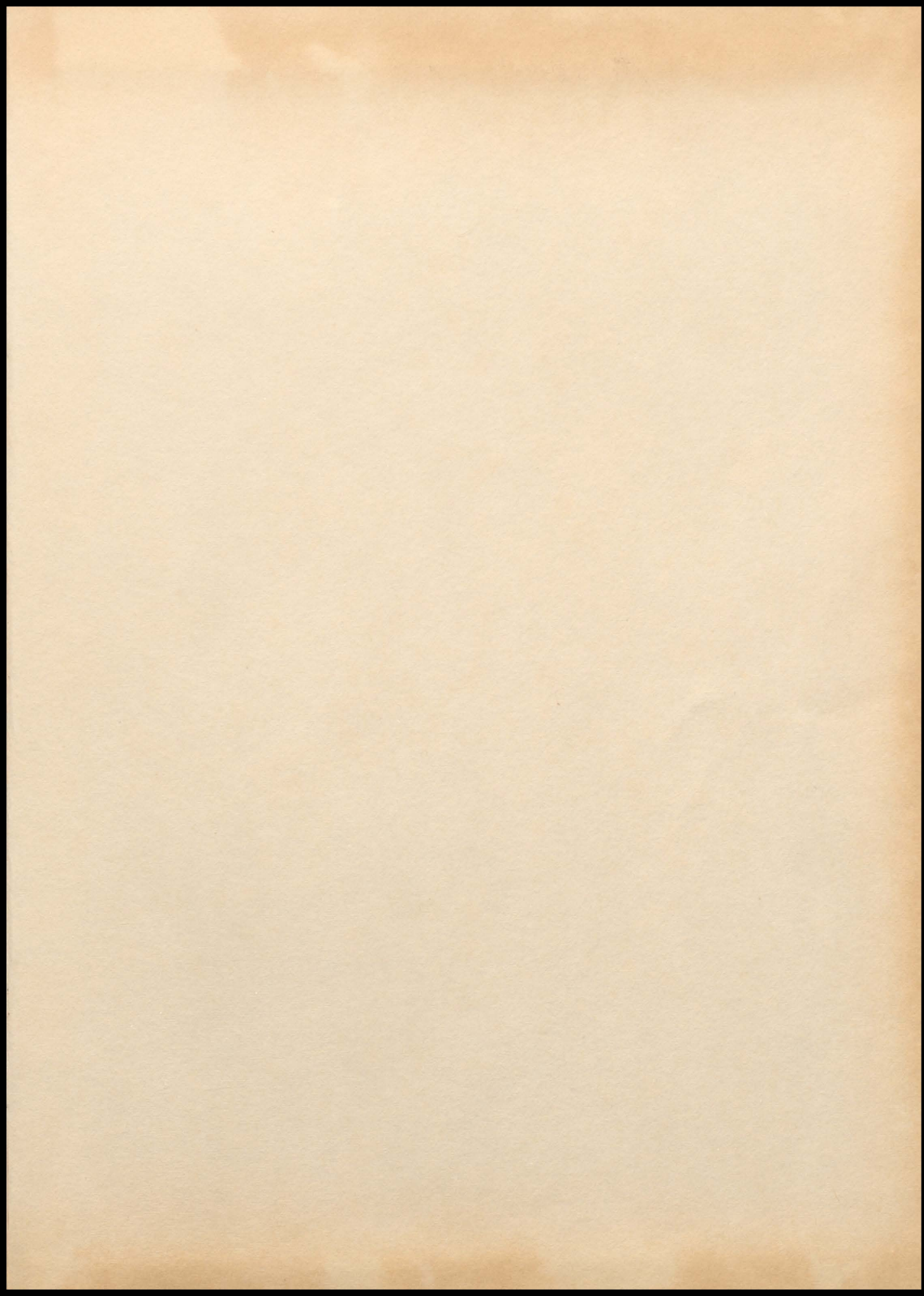
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