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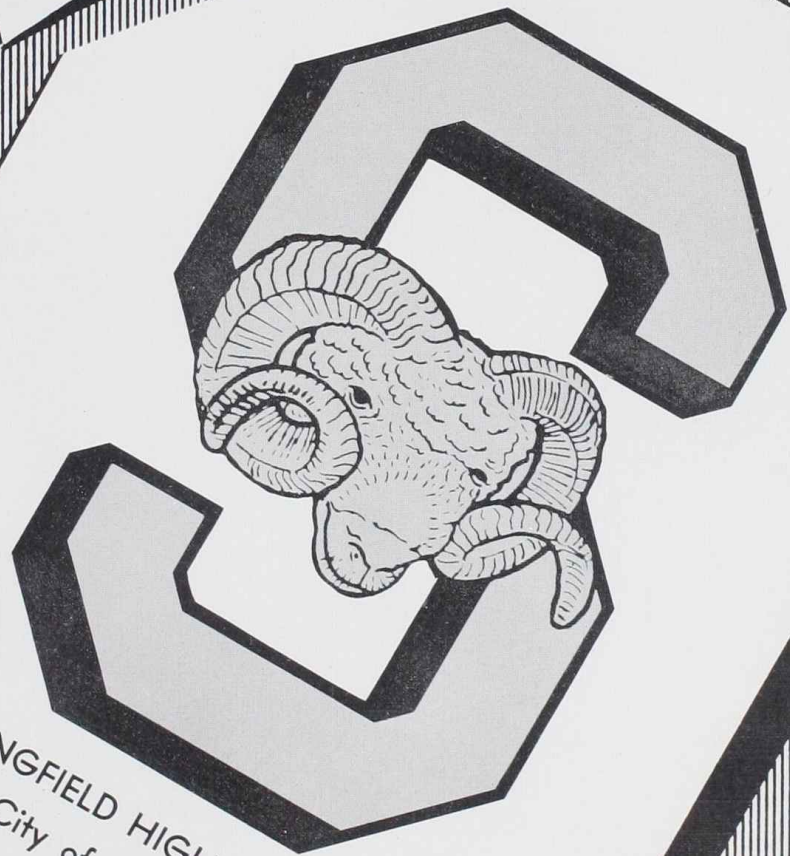
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1958



SPRINGFIELD HIGH SCHOOL
City of Springfield

BOARD OF EDUCATION



LEFT TO RIGHT: Richard Anderson, Trustee; Guy Chesbro, Secretary; Lee Boice, President; William Schieber, Treasurer; James Lewis, Trustee.

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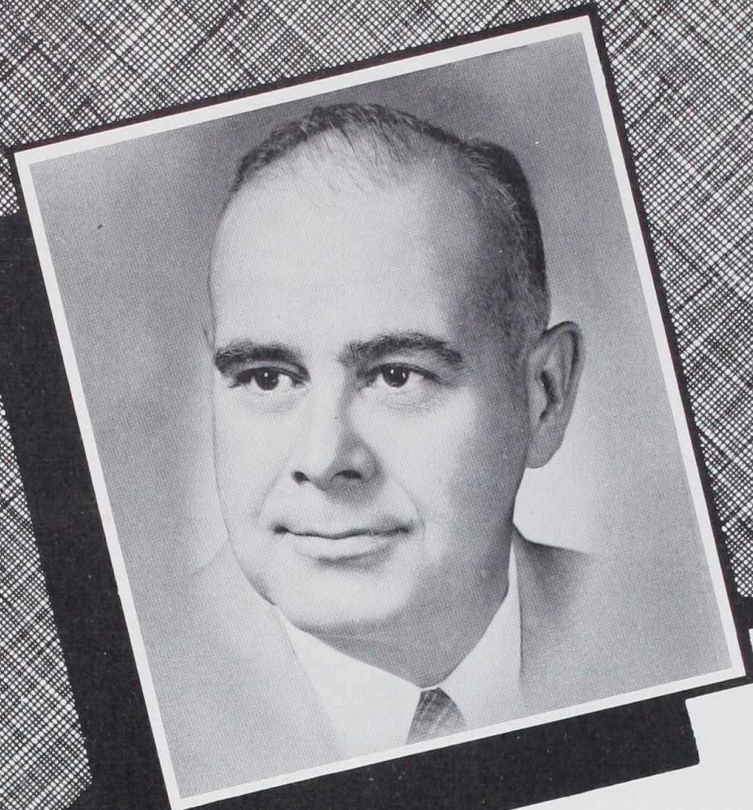


JAMES H. ROSSMAN
Superintendent of Schools



CHARLES H. MILLER
Principal of High School

DEDICATION



When picking a person for dedication, you look for someone special. That is why the 1958 Echo Staff are gratefully dedicating their book to Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Ferguson is the instructor for the industrial arts department including drafting, metal shop, wood shop, and welding. He has taught a total of 24 years, 17 of which have been at Springfield. He has served on the faculty longer than any other teacher.

He has at one time coached all athletic teams that we have, but is now coaching only baseball. He attends almost all student activities, and is highly respected by faculty, students, and community.

Many of his contributions to the students and faculty go unnoticed, but altogether they form the picture of a wonderful man who has devoted most of his life to teaching, and is surely a credit to the profession.



SPRINGFIELD SCHOOLS GROW

The recent purchase of an eleven acre tract of land by the School Board for a future elementary school to be located in southwest Springfield marks another step in the development and expansion of the Springfield Public School System. Pictorially, that expansion is shown on these pages.

At present these facilities are used by over 1100 students, taught by 52 teachers, in 43 regular classrooms plus special-area rooms such as science laboratories, homemaking area, arts and crafts, band and music rooms, two libraries, and two cafeterias, three gymnasiums, wood and metal shops.

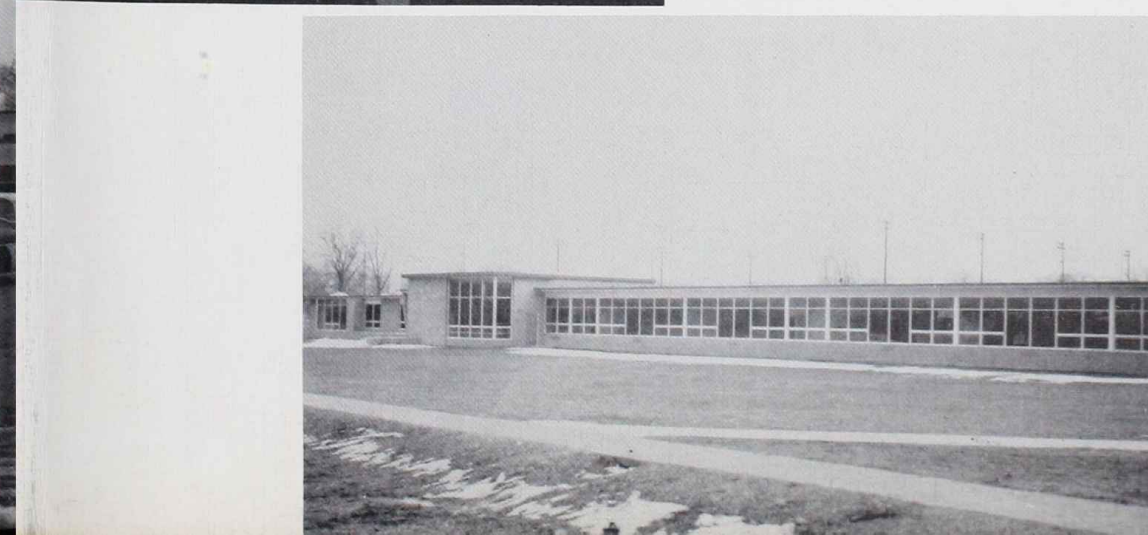
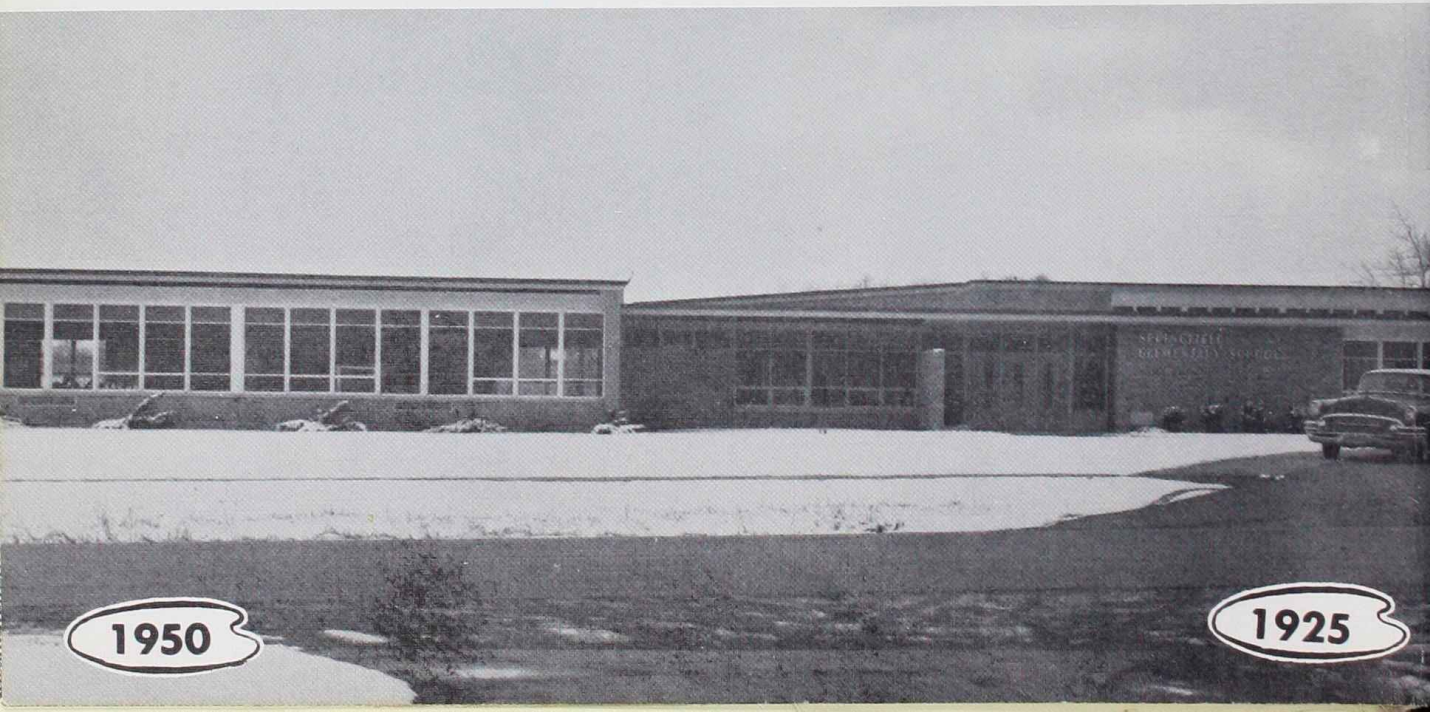
Yes, Springfield Schools are growing . . . rapidly!!



To a large extent, the rapid growth of school facilities in this community can be attributed to the unfaltering verve and unyielding interest of one of Springfield's most public-minded citizens.

Mr. William Schieber has devoted almost 29 years of his life to the development of the public schools of this community during which time he has served as president and treasurer, having been returned to office year after year by the voters.

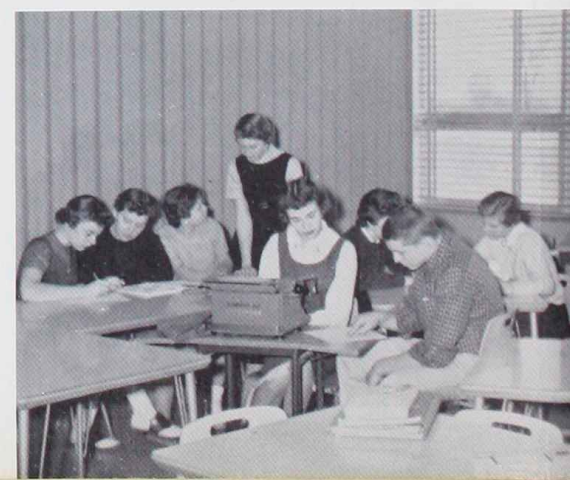
Springfield is indeed fortunate to have had him and his unfailing services on its school board. The ECHO Staff extends the gratitude of both pupils and citizens of this community for all that you have done for them, Mr. Schieber. These beautiful school buildings will stand as a tribute to your generous time and effort.



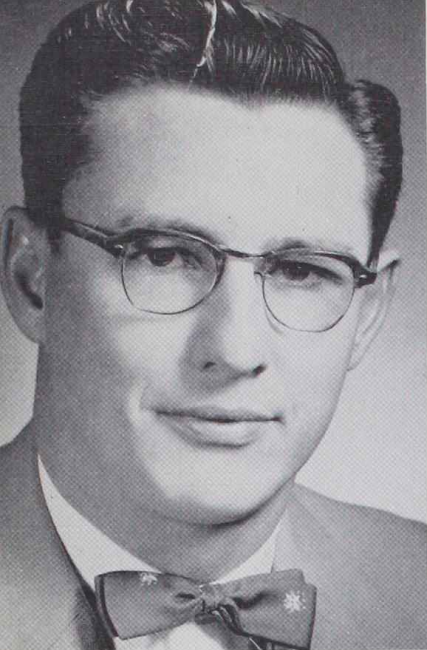
ECHO STAFF



Advisor	Mr. Musolf
Editor	Wanda Hart
Business Manager	Charlene Smith
Seniors	Edite Balks
	Myrna Vester
Underclassmen	Bev Converse
	Alice Potter
Homecoming	Rosalee Davison
	Don Dornfelt
Faculty	Marilyn McQuern
	Shirley Scarbrough
Athletics:	
Football	Gary Pulver
Basketball	Bruce Birdsong
Baseball	Mike Carrigan
Track	Jack Seage
Cheerleading	Brenda Hayes
Advertisements	Mike Carrigan
	Tom Cornell
	Gary Pulver
Art Work	Jerry Lingg
Photography	Photo Club
School Services	Harold Simon
Junior Assistants	Irene Balks
	Bruce Birdsong
	Jack Seage
	Dawn Woods



faculty



WILLIAM ADAMS, B.S., M.A.
Science

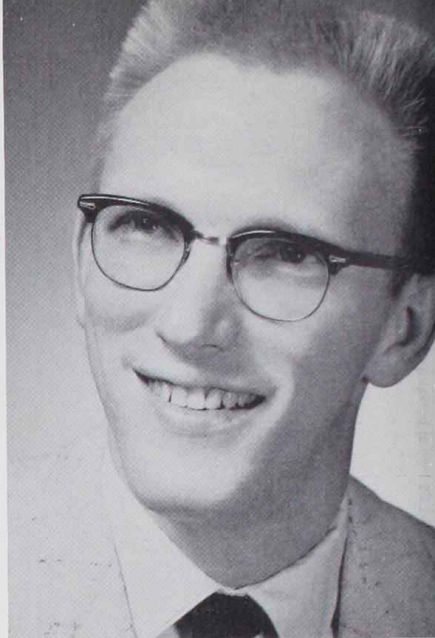


DONALD CHRISTENSEN,
B.S., M.A.
Physical Education, Driver Education,
Football and Basketball Coach



GORDON COATS, B.M.
Instrumental Music

DORA DEMASO, B.A.
Spanish, Mathematics, English,
Spanish Club



JAMES BROUWER, B.S.
Commercial, Commercial Club,
Track Coach



DAVID ELLIOTT, B.S., M.A.
Social Studies, Mathematics,
Guidance, United Nations Club

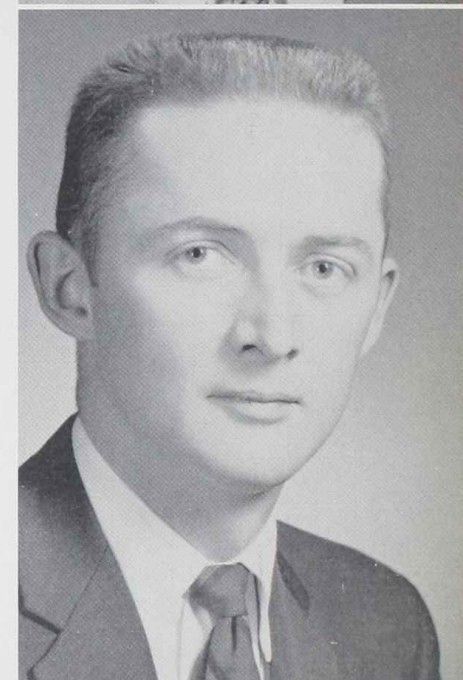
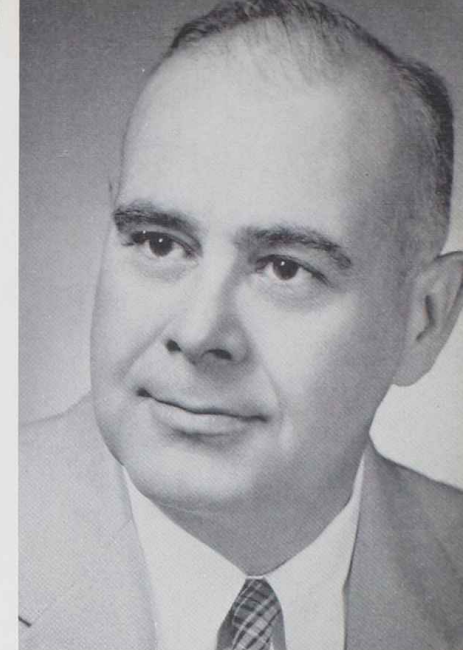


INEZ GANSON, R.N.
School Nurse



DANNY GREENMAN, B.S.
Science, Physical Education, Student
Council, Dance Club

JANE GRIFFITH, B.S., M.A.
Guidance Director, Commercial,
Student-Teacher Coordinator

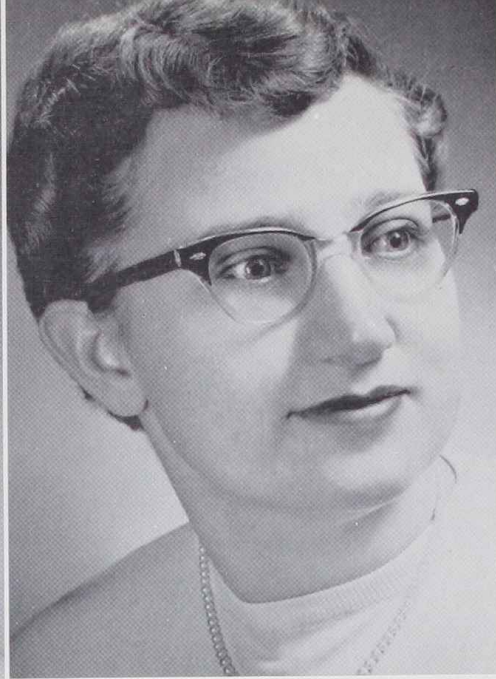


CHARLES GIERKE, B.S.
English, Social Studies

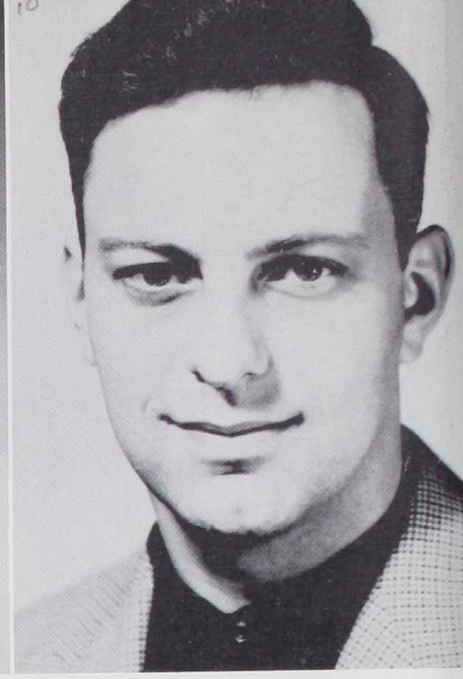




MARILYNN HEIM, B.M.
Vocal Music



ELIZABETH LACEY, B.S.
Physical Education, Social Studies,
G.A.A.



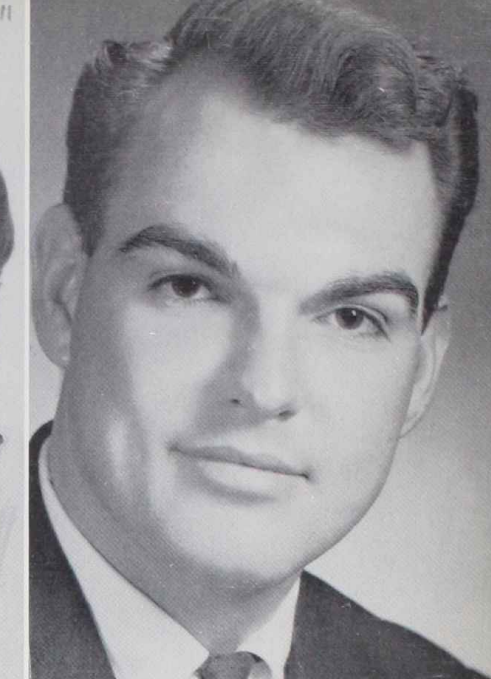
CHARLES LINK, B.S.
Mathematics, Science, Physical Ed-
ucation, Camera Club



CASIMIR SCHESKY, B.S., M.A.
Speech Correctionist



CARLA SCHMIDT, A.B.
English, Social Studies, School
Paper

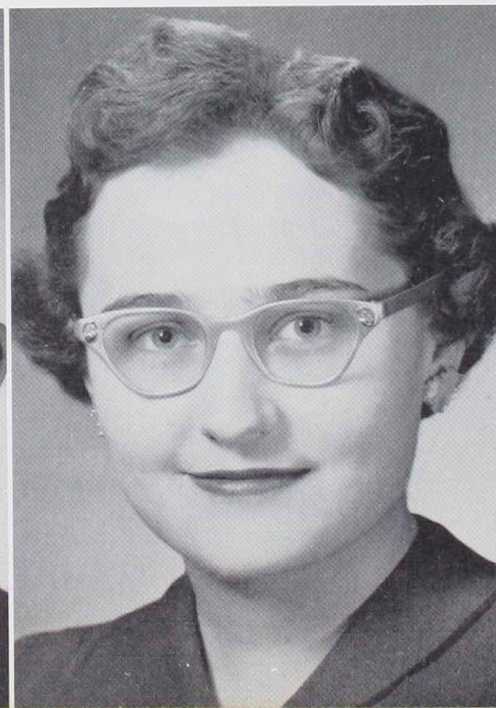


NORMAN SLACK, B.S., M.A.
Arts and Crafts, Art Club

PAUL MUSOLF, A.B., A.M.
English, Library, Yearbook Advisor



KAREN PETERSON, B.A.
English, Social Studies



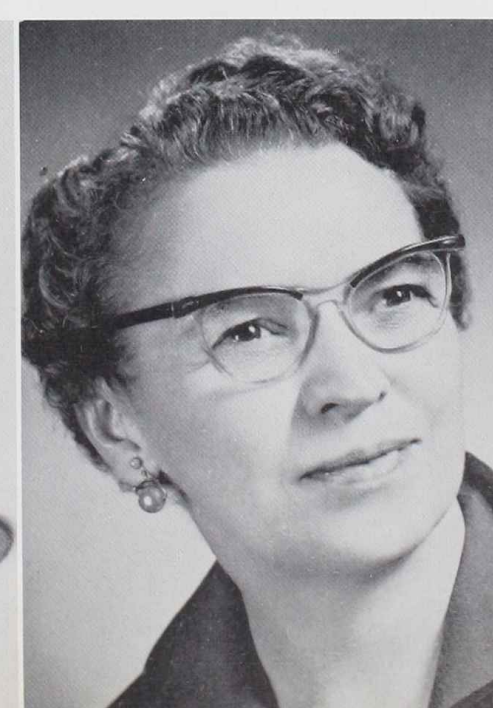
JOHN RYOR, B.A.
Mathematics



SHIRLEY STEVENSON, B.A.
English, Social Studies



MADELINE TUCK, B.S.
Homemaking, Y-Teens

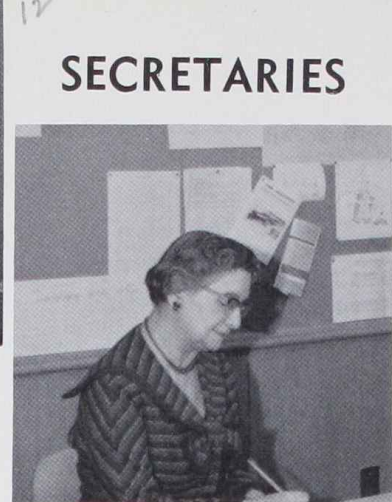


CAROL WILLIAMS, B.A.
English, Social Studies, Dramatics
Club





MRS. BEVERLY SHELTON
MRS. ELLEN NORROD
Left after first semester



MRS. ANTOINETTE SMITH
Secretary to Superintendent



MRS. EILEEN FRICKE
MRS. DORIS REICHERT
Came second semester

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY STUDENT TEACHERS



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KATHRYN BARDEN
Commercial

FRANK BULGARELLA
Social Studies

NINA KENNEDY
English, Mathematics

ALAN QUICK
Social Studies, English,
Drivers Training

MARION STONER
Social Studies, English

LOUISE VANHORN
Music

MARVIN WINEGAR
Science, Physical
Education

HENRY WURSTER
Commercial, English

ROBERT BORN
Drivers Training, Shop

JULIA CZUBERKI
Social Studies, English

LEONARD FULLER
Art

ROBERT GRILL
Band, Choir

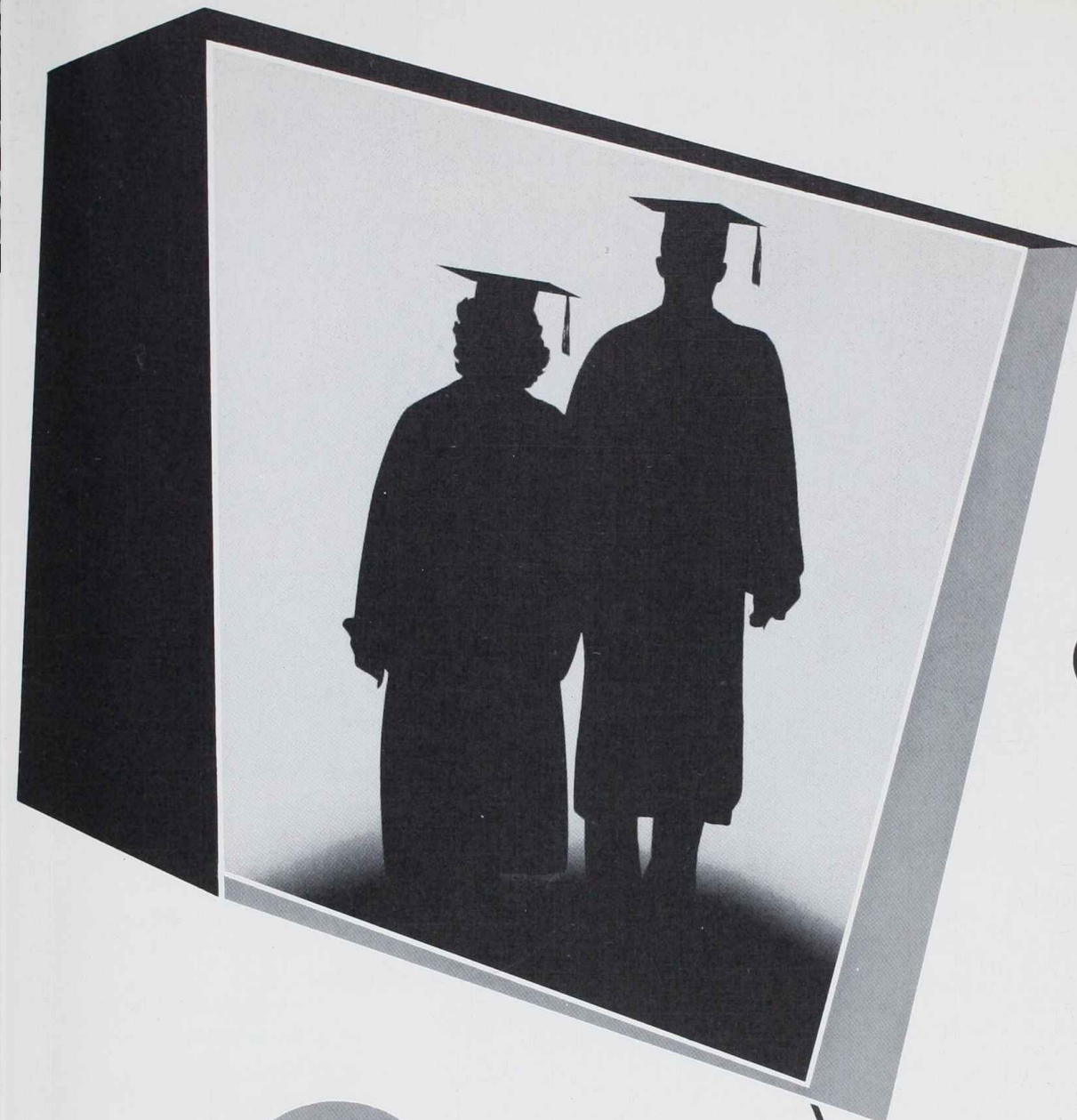
BURTON HODGES
Science

GEORGE LEWIS
Social Studies, Guidance

EARL McKEE
Social Studies, Physical
Education

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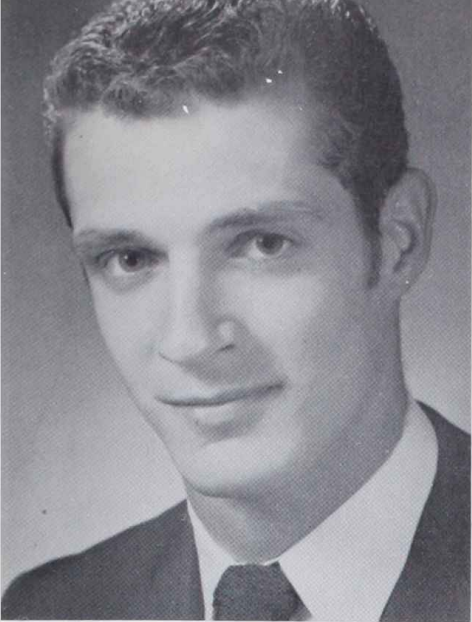
SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



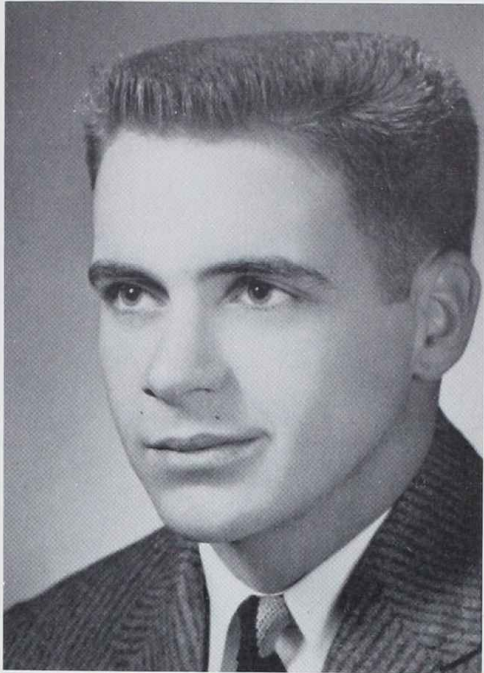
Alice Potter, *Vice President*; Gary Pulver, *President*; Janet Eichholz, *Secretary*; Charlene Smith, *Treasurer*.

BACKLOG OF CLASS OFFICERS

1954-1955	1955-1956	1956-1957
Edite Balks	Dick Severson	Judi Filipan
Dick Severson	Judi Filipan	Jim Behrndt
Noreen Shaffer	Edite Balks	Wanda Hart
Gary Pulver	Charlene Smith	Janet Eichholz



GARY WILLIAM ALLENSWORTH
"Every man is a volume, if you know how to read him."
 School Paper 3; Yearbook Staff 3-4; Football 1-3-4, Assistant Manager 4.

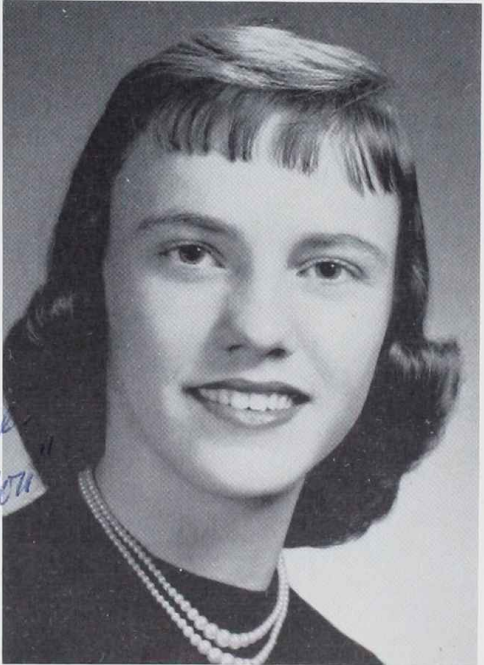


LARRY AUSTIN ANDREWS
"I never think of the future. It comes soon enough."
 Lakeview 1-2; Art Club 4.

To the Best English Teacher that ever had the Best of luck in the coming year.
Gary Allensworth

MARGARET A. BAIRD
"Good humor makes all things tolerable."
 Marshal 1-2; Student Council 4; Choir 3-4; Majorette 4.

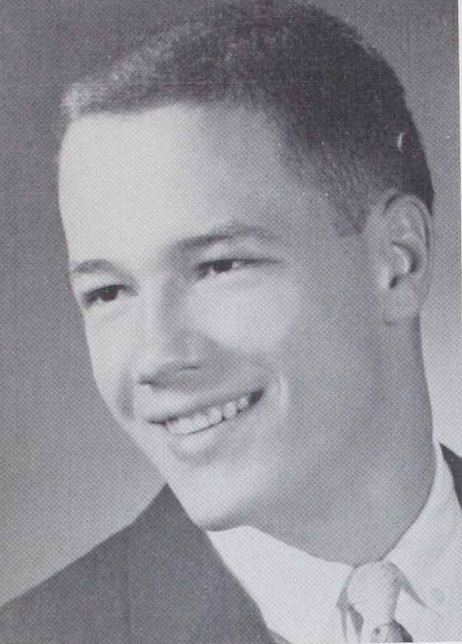
Mr. Musolf - and your really great teacher. Be good & take care. Good Be With you. Marge



Mr. Musolf, We are indebted to you for the many things you have done for us in English. I wish you could be teaching my English classes in college. Edite



EDITE VELTA BALKS
"The power of Thought—the magic of the Mind!"
 Class President 1; Class Secretary 2; Student Council 1-3-4, President 1-3; Student Vice President of CPTSA 4; School Paper 2-3; Yearbook Staff 2-4; Art Club 2-3-4, Treasurer 3; Spanish Club 4; United Nations Club 4; Pep Squad 2; GAA 2-3-4; Library 1; Honor Roll 1-2-3-4; Homecoming Court 4.



JAMES LESLIE BEHRNDT

"True merit, like a river, the deeper it is, the less noise it makes."

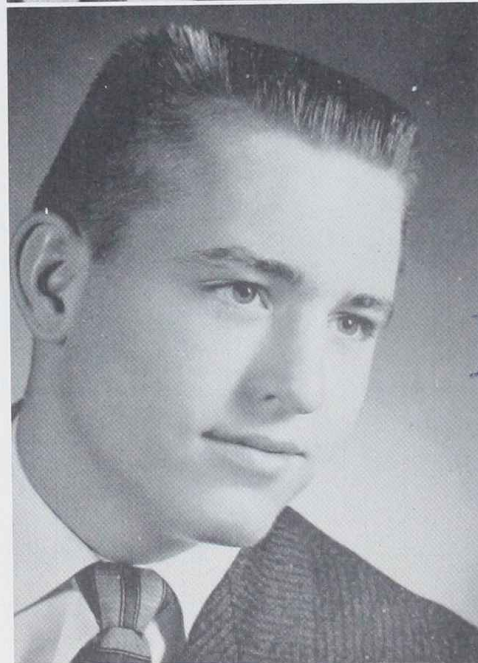
Class Vice President 3; School Paper 1-2; Yearbook Staff 4; Art Club 4; Choir 1-2-4; Football 1-2-3-4, Captain 4; Basketball 2; Track 3; Honor Roll 1-2-4.



DAVID HENRY BRADSHAW

"The more you say, the less people remember. The fewer the words the greater the profit."
Vicksburg 10; Fremont 9.

Best of luck to my
best English teacher.
I hope you will
still be here when
my children come to
school - Dave -

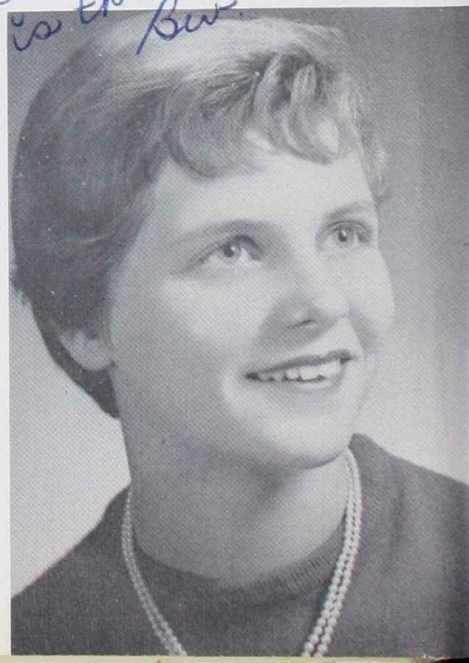


DONALD MICHAEL CARRIGAN

"Neither a borrower nor a lender be."

Class Sergeant-at-Arms 1; Student Council 1-2-3-4; Yearbook Staff 4; Choir 1; Football 1-2-3-4; Track 3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4; Honor Roll 1.

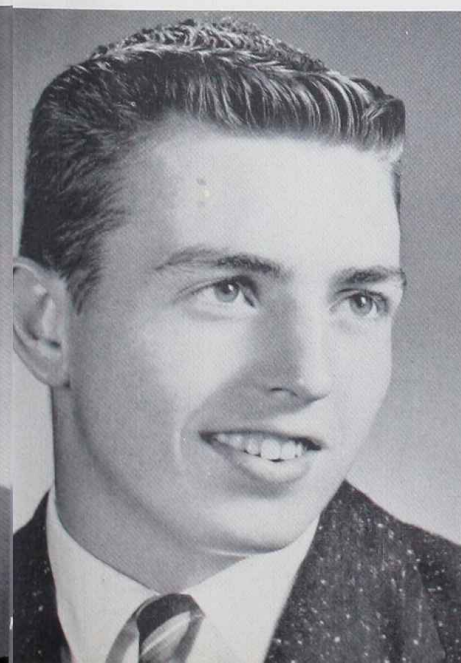
Best of luck
to a real nice
teacher. So have
is that.
Beverly



BEVERLY A. CONVERSE

"Be good, sweet maid, and let who will be clever."

Yearbook Staff 2-4; Commercial Club 3; Choir 1-2-3-4; Majorette 2-3-4.



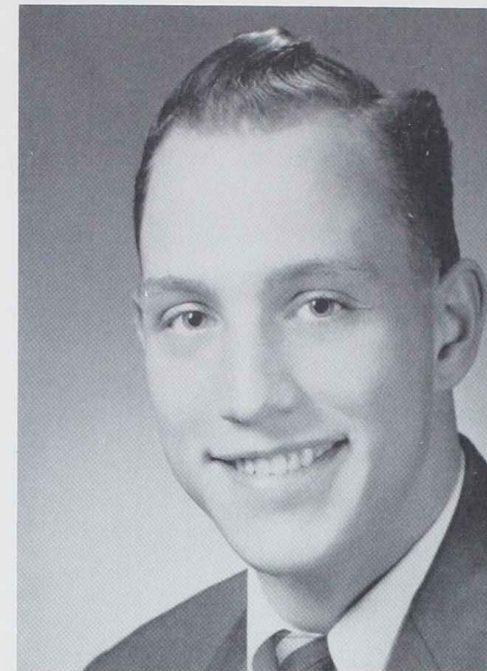
THOMAS MICHAEL CORNELL

"Hear much; speak little."

Yearbook Staff 4; Football 1-2-3-4; Choir 1.

JOHN DARREL DOUGLAS

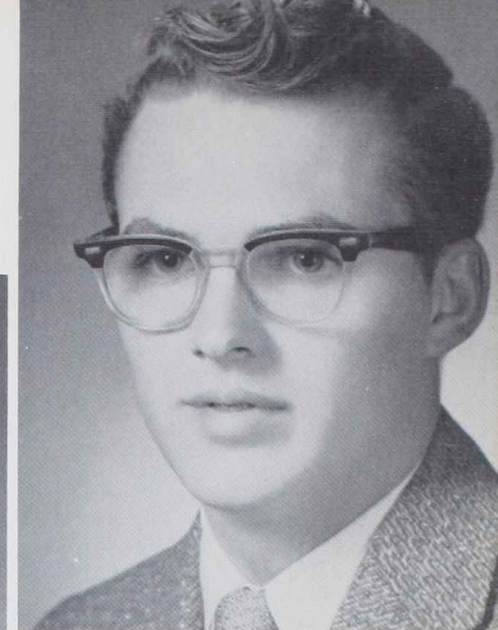
"Life is short. The sooner a man begins to enjoy it the better."
Choir 2; Basketball 2.



DONALD HERBERT DORNFELT

"Every man is the architect of his own future."

Student Council 1; Yearbook Staff 4; Commercial Club 3; Choir 4; Library 4; Basketball 1; Honor Roll 4.



ROSA LEE JENNETTE
DAVISON

"I think that I shall never scan a tree as lovely as a man."

Southeastern 1; Yearbook Staff 4; Commercial Club 3; Library 2-3-4; Homecoming Top-Ten 3-4; Honor Roll 3.



JANET CAROLINE EICHHOLZ

"Give me the ready hand rather than the ready tongue."
Class Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; School Paper 2; Commercial Club 3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Library 1-2-3-4.

Mr. Musolf:
May you have
a very happy
and relaxing summer.
You are one of the teachers
who has helped me
the most in high
school, and I appreciate
it very much. '58
Janet



JUDITH JOAN FILIPAN

"Beauty is power; a smile is its sword."
Class Vice President 2, President 3;
School Paper 1; Yearbook Staff 2; Pep
Squad 1; Art Club 2-3-4, Secretary 2,
President 3; Choir 1-2; Homecoming
Court 3.



GORDON LEE GOOCH

"It is not good to wake a sleeping lion."
Class Sergeant-at-Arms 1; Student Council 1-2, Treasurer 1; Art Club 4; Choir 3-4; Football 1-2-3-4, Captain 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 3-4; Honor Roll 4.

WANDA LEE HART

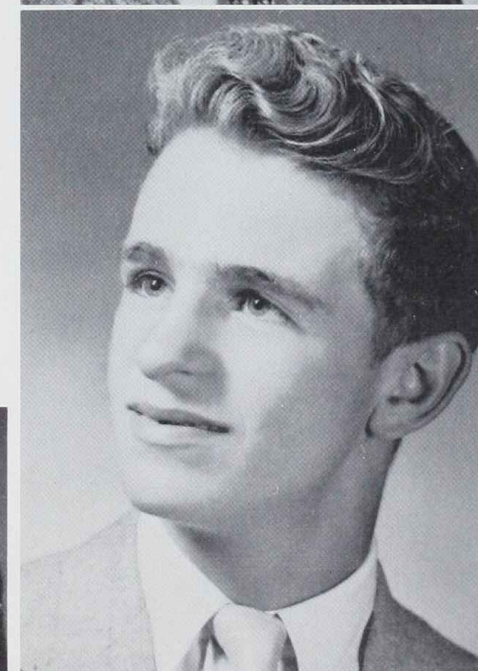
"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."
Southeastern 1; Battle Creek Central 2; Class Secretary 3; Student Council Secretary 4; Yearbook Staff 3-4, Editor 4; Commercial Club 3-4, President 3; Choir Vice President 4; Cheerleader 3-4, Treasurer 4; Homecoming Top-Ten 3-4; Honor Roll 3-4.



JAMES CARLOS KRAUSE

"Wise to resolve and patient to perform."
Class Sergeant-at-Arms 1; Student Council 4; Art Club 4; Football 1-2-3-4, Captain 4; Basketball 2-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4; Track 3; Choir Treasurer 4; Honor Roll 4.

Mr. Musolf,
To a English
teacher I will never
forget. Best wishes
always,
Brenda



THERESA ANNA HELENA LAHN

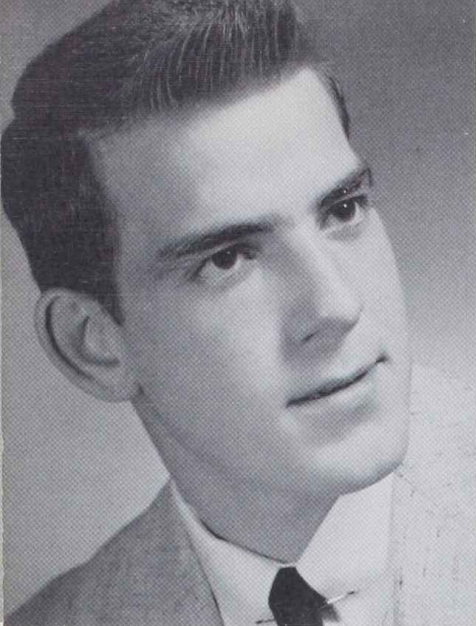
"A handful of patience is worth more than a bushel of brains."
Harper Creek 9-10; Choir 3-4; Library 4.

DUANE WESLEY KILBOURN

"Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well."
Level Park 1; School Paper 2; Football 4; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4.

BRENDA KAY HAYES

"Better to wear out than to rust out."
Student Council 1-2-3-4; School Paper 3; Yearbook Staff 4; Art Club 2-3-4; Y-Teens 2; Commercial Club 3-4; Pep Squad 2; GAA 3-4, Secretary 3; Choir 1-2; Cheerleader 4; Homecoming Top-Ten 3, Court 4.



GERALD L. LINGG

"Did nothing in particular and did it very well."
Lakeview 1-2; Commercial Club 3; Football 4; Baseball 4.

Best of Luck
Gerald L. Lingg



ROGER RAYMOND LOWRY

"I know of no way of judging the future but by the past."



MARILYN JEAN McQUERN

"Nothing endures but personal qualities."
Climax-Scotts 1-2; Yearbook 4; GAA 3; Dramatics Club 3; UN Club 4; Library 4; Band 3-4; Majorette 4.



SHIRLEY ANN PERRUSSEL

"Speech is power: speech is to persuade, to convert, to compel."
Student Council 1-2-3; Secretary 1-3; Student Vice President of CPTSA 2; Spanish Club 1-2; Band 1-2-3; President 2; Library 4; Honor Roll 2-4.

Mr. Russell.
You are one
of the craziest
but nicest teachers
I've had. I have
really enjoyed
being in your class.
"Miss Colorado"
Alice
Judy Ray

VALENTIN RAMON

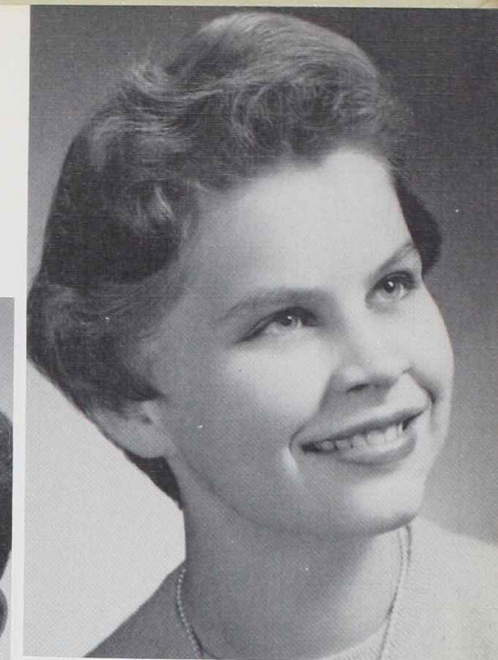
"I awoke one morning and found myself famous."
Southwestern 1; Student Council 4; Choir 4; Library 4; Football 3-4; Baseball 2-3-4; Track 3-4.

Mr. Russell.
It has been
a pleasure to have
known you these past
years. I feel grateful
to you for some advice
you have given me in
the past.
Best wishes and
good luck in all the
future.
Alice



JUDITH ANN RAY

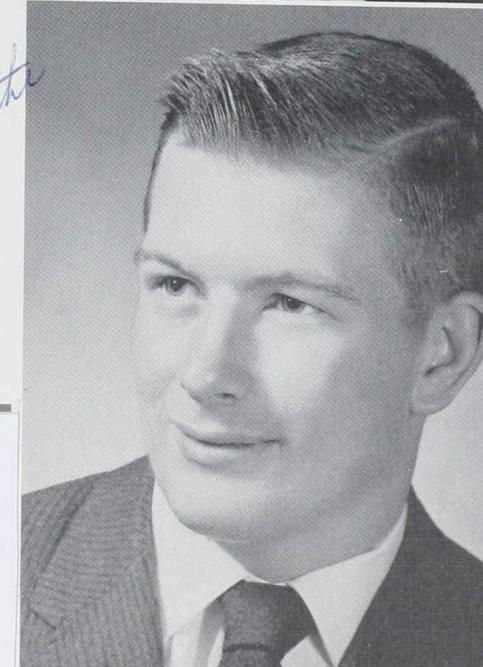
"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."
Yearbook Staff 4; Choir 3.



GARY LEE PULVER

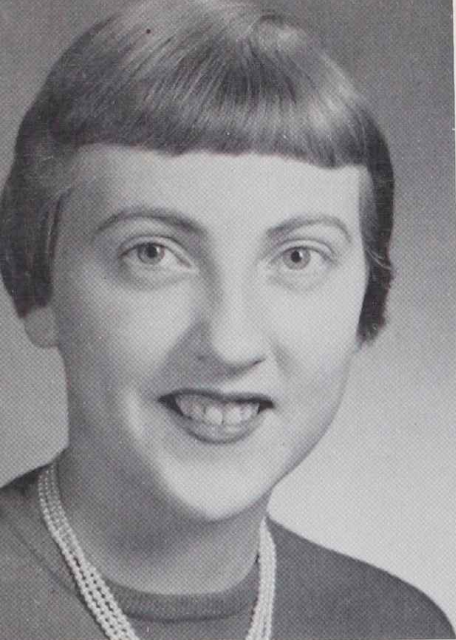
"Common sense is very uncommon."
Class Treasurer 1, Vice President 2, President 4; Student Council 1-2-3, Vice President 3; Yearbook Staff 3-4; UN Club 4; Choir 1; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4; Honor Roll 2.

To a real
swell teacher
who knows his stuff.
Best of Luck
Gary Pulver



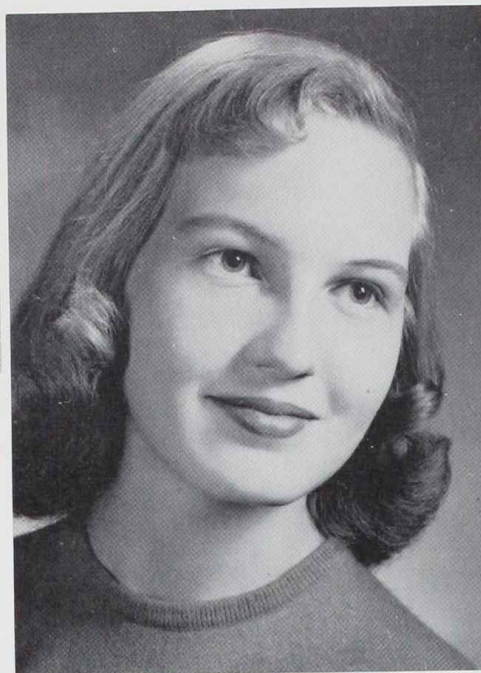
ALICE CAROLINE POTTER

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."
Class Vice President 4; Student Council 1-3-4; Yearbook Staff 4; Commercial Club 3; Choir President 4; Library 3-4; Cheerleader 1-2.



SHARON KAY RENCH

"It matters not how long we live, but how."
Library 4; Majorette 2-3.



BARBARA CATHERINE RYAN

"Let's go hand in hand, not one before another."
Alpena 1-2; Mt. Clemens 2-3; Sault High 3; Student Council 4; Band Secretary 4; Dramatics Club 4; Honor Roll 4.



EARLINE SUE SAMs

"If you would be loved, love and be lovable."
Student Council 1-2-3, Treasurer 1; Choir 1; Commercial Club 3; Cheerleader 1-2; Honor Roll 2-3.

Mr. Musolf
To my favorite teacher I wish the best of luck and most happiness.
Sue

BEVERLY LOUISE SANFORD

"In youth beauty and wisdom is rare."
Y-Teens 1; Choir 1-4; Art Club 2-3-4, Treasurer 2; GAA 3; Library 4; Homecoming Top-Ten 3, Queen 4.

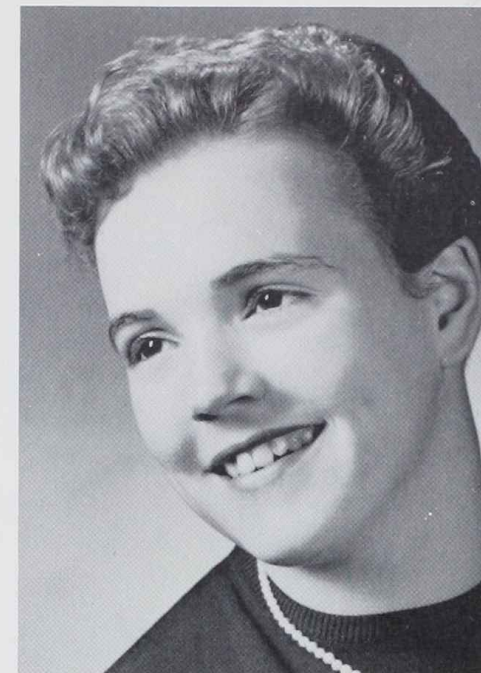
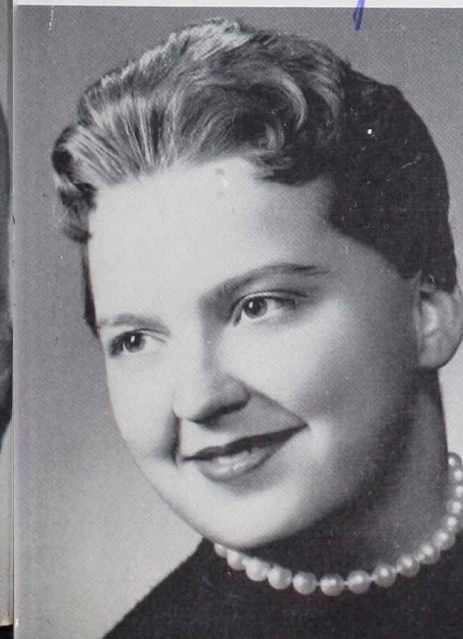
Mr. Musolf
You are really quite a guy, & I've enjoyed being in your class so. Library was a real "Ball". Best Wishes for a nice relaxing summer.
a friend always
Beverly



CHARLENE JOY SMITH

"By their fruits ye shall know them."
Class Treasurer 2-4; Student Council Treasurer 3; School Paper 2-3; Yearbook Staff 2-4; Pep Squad 2; Art Club 2-3-4, Vice President 3, Treasurer 4; GAA 3-4, Vice President 3; Commercial Club 3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Library 2; Honor Roll 2-3-4.

Mr. Musolf
So the best teacher in this school. I will never forget you and I will come back next year just to see you.
Bye "Shirley"



MYRNA BELL VESTER

"A woman either loves or hates: she knows no medium."
WK Kellogg 1; Yearbook Staff 4; Library 3-4; Choir 4.

to the teacher I like the best. (myrna)

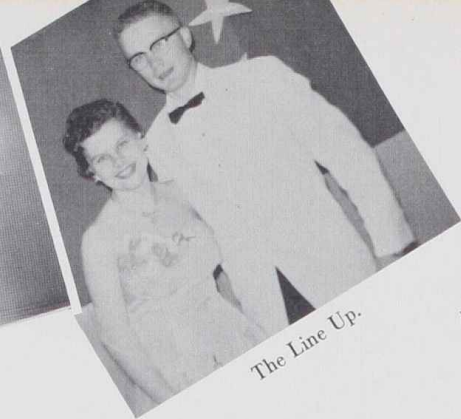
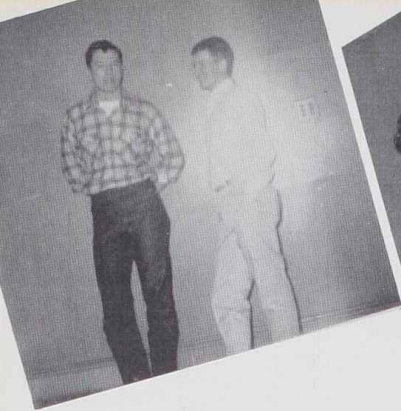


HAROLD EUGENE SIMON

"Once a gentleman, always a gentleman."
Yearbook Staff 4; Science Club Treasurer 3; Photography Club President 4; Band 1-2-3-4, Treasurer 4; Honor Roll 4.

SHIRLEY MAY SCARBROUGH

"Laugh and the world laughs with you, weep and you weep alone."
Yearbook Staff 4; Choir 4; Library 4.



The Line Up.



Wish this was school.



Say something?



Look at those knees!

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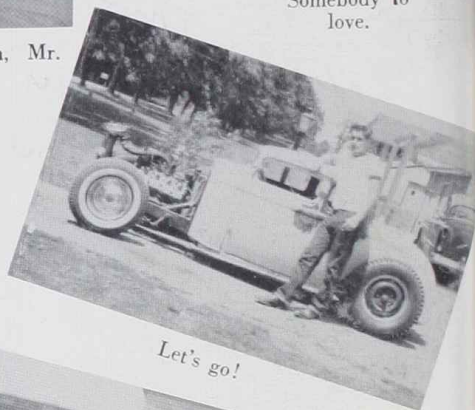


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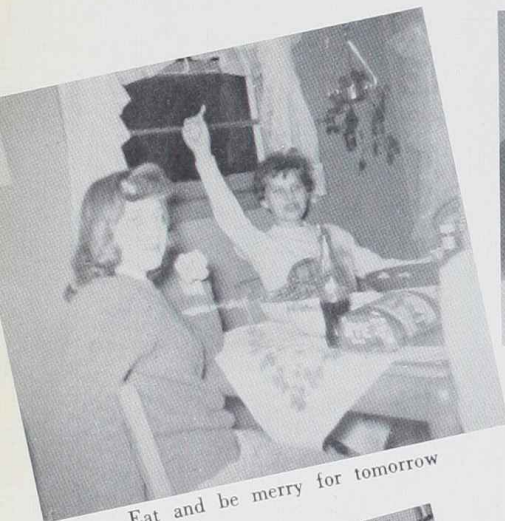
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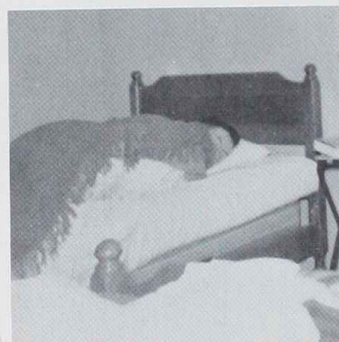
Somebody to love.



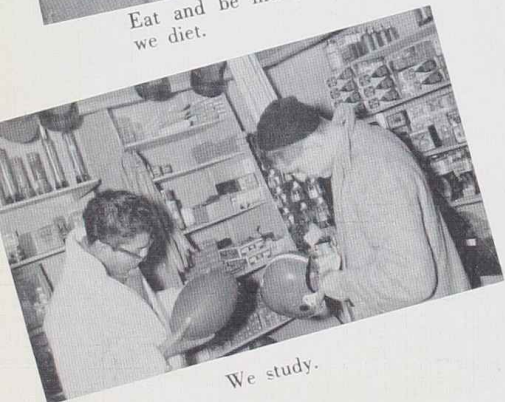
Let's go!



Eat and be merry for tomorrow we diet.



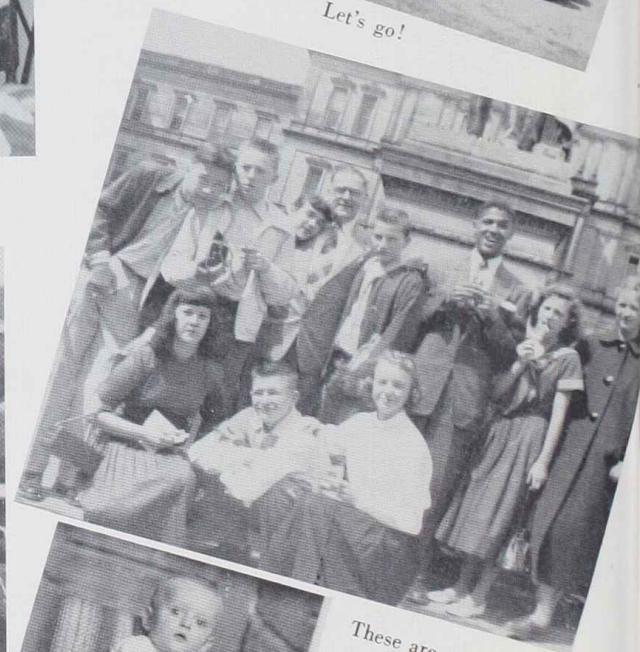
This is better than school.



We study.



What luck!



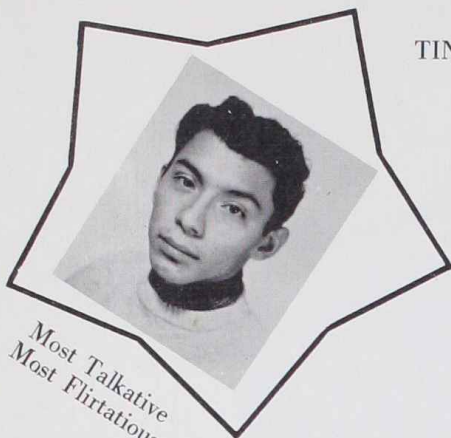
These are seniors?
The Youth.



favorites

FAVORITES

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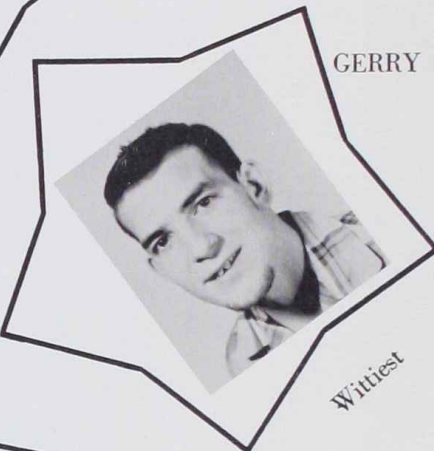
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Most Flirtatious

MARGARET BAIRD



Wittiest
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WANDA HART



Most Original
Most School Spirit

BRENDA HAYES

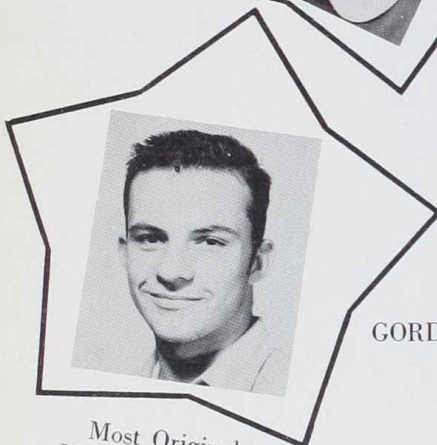


Most Popular
Most Athletic
Best All Around

CHARLENE SMITH
Contributed
Most to Class



GORDON GOOCH



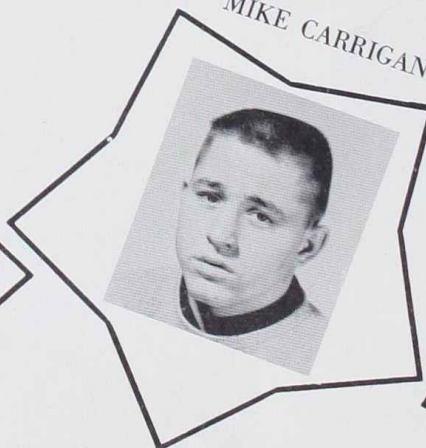
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GARY PULVER



Most Fun
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Contributed Most to Class

MIKE CARRIGAN



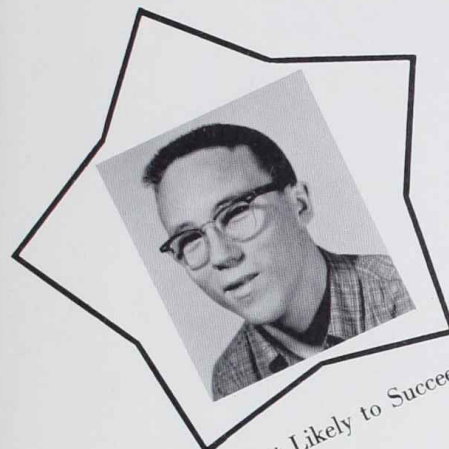
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ROSA LEE DAVISON



Best Appearance

HAROLD SIMON



Most Likely to Succeed

EDITE BALKS



Most Sincere
Most Likely to Succeed

DON DORNFELT



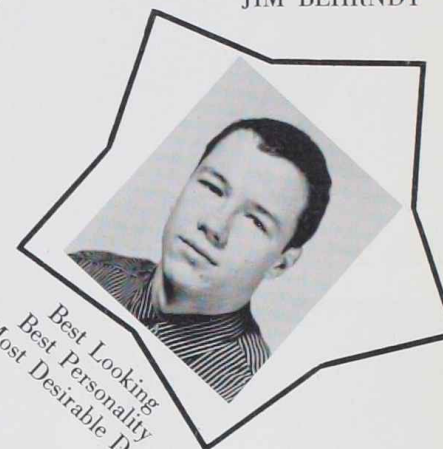
Best Appearance

BEVERLY SANDFORD



Best Looking
Best Personality
Most Desirable Date

JIM BEHRNDT



Best Looking
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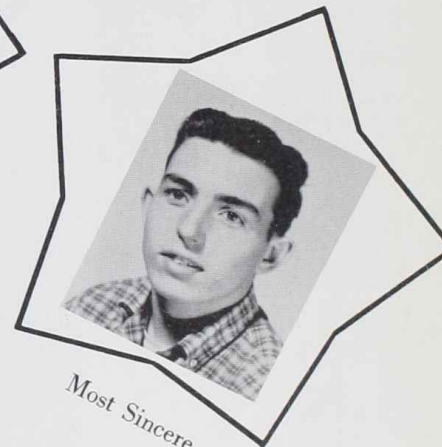
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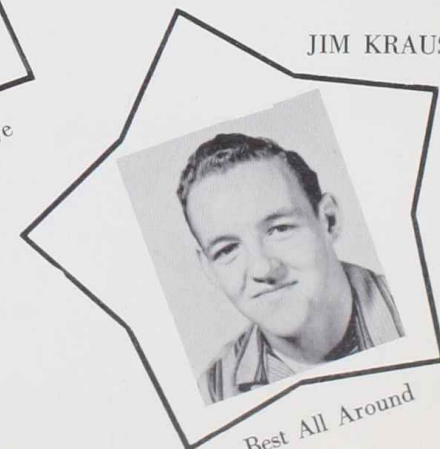
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TOM CORNELL



Most Sincere

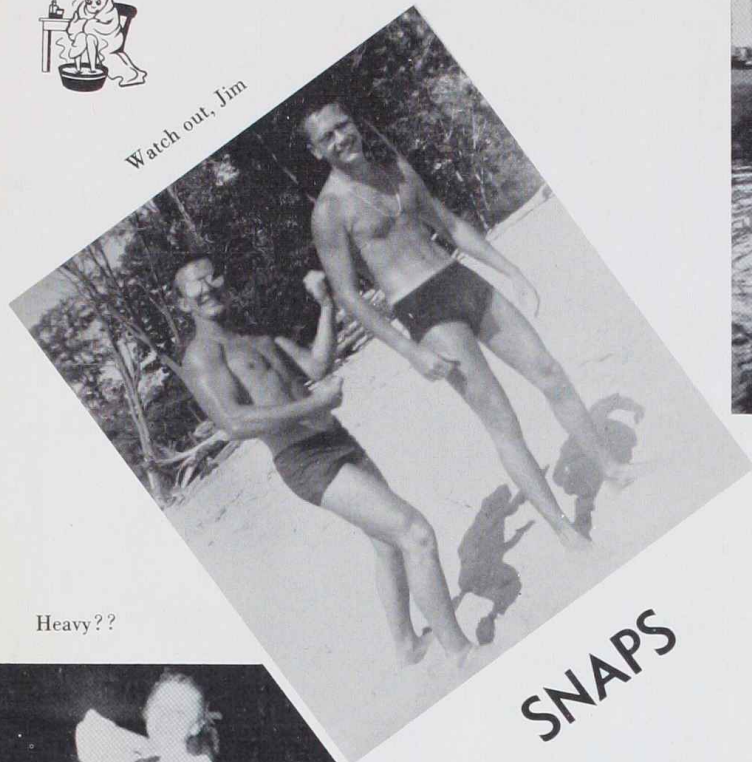
JIM KRAUSE



Best All Around



Watch out, Jim



Heavy??



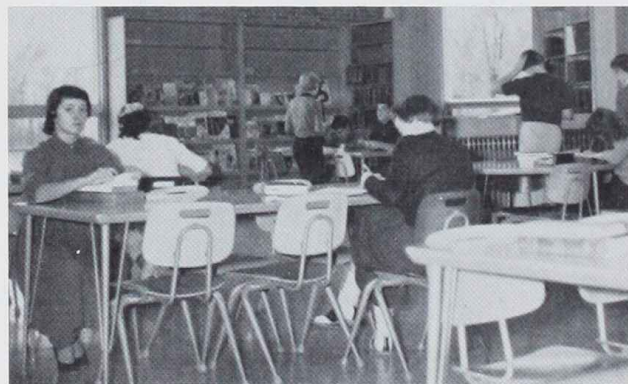
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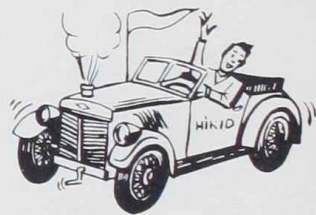
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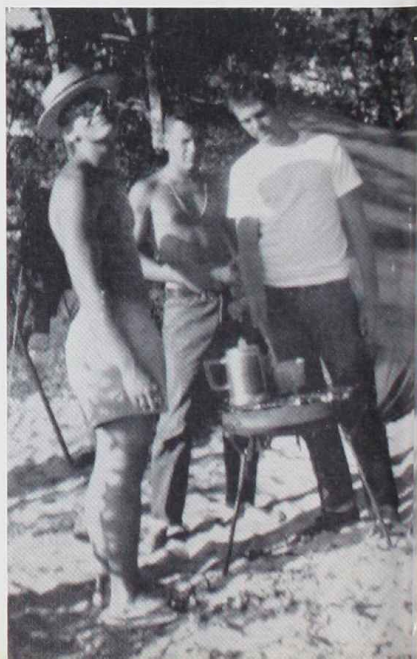
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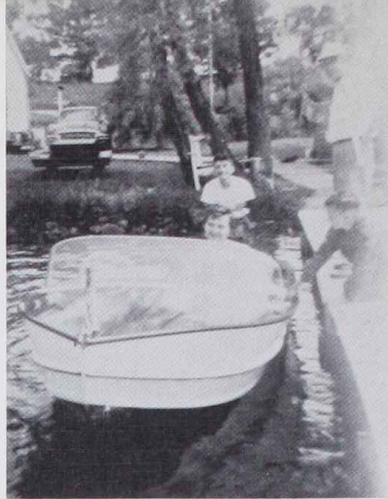
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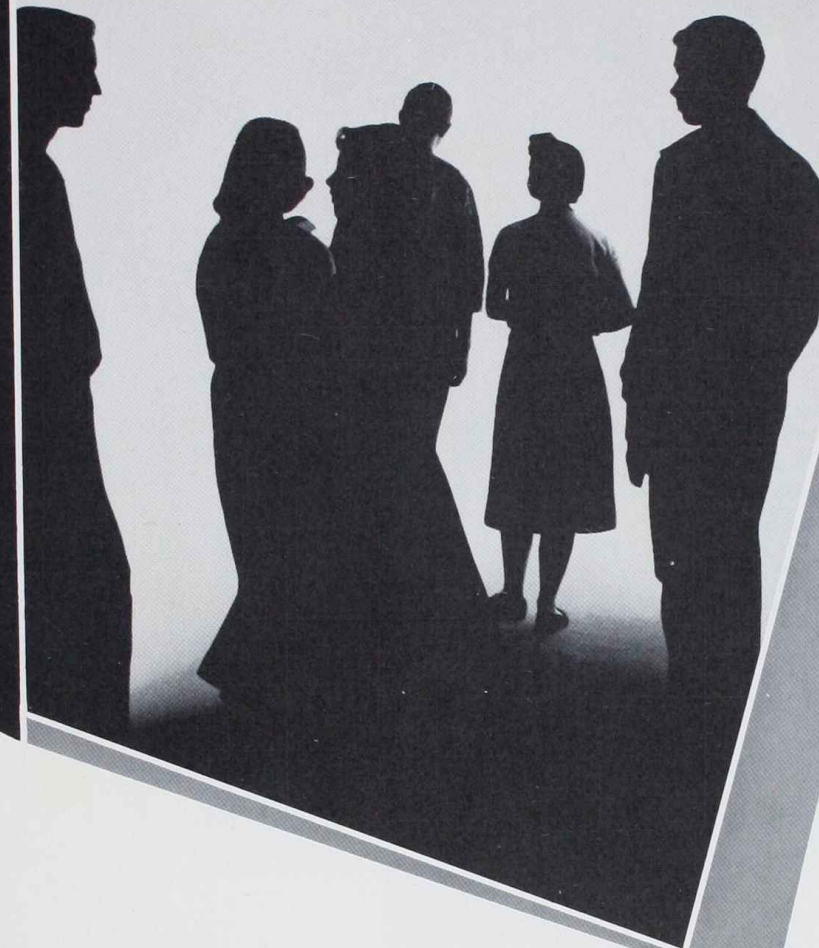
Um, good??



That's against the law, boys



T e e n a g e h o t r o d d e r



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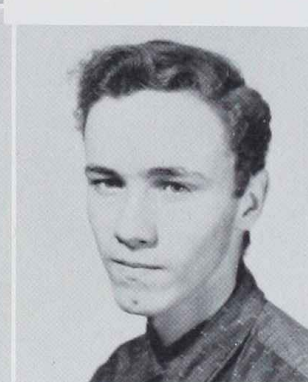
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Suzanne Baker



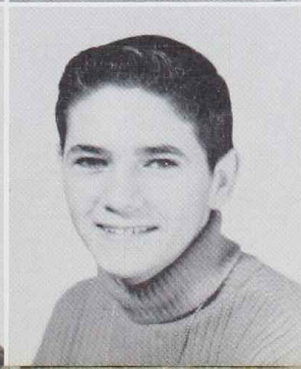
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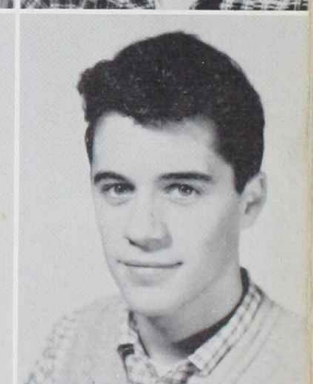
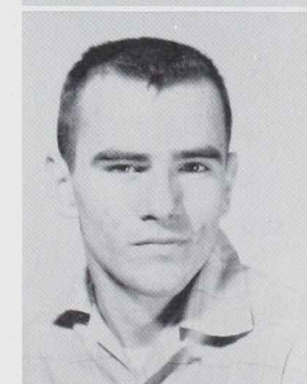
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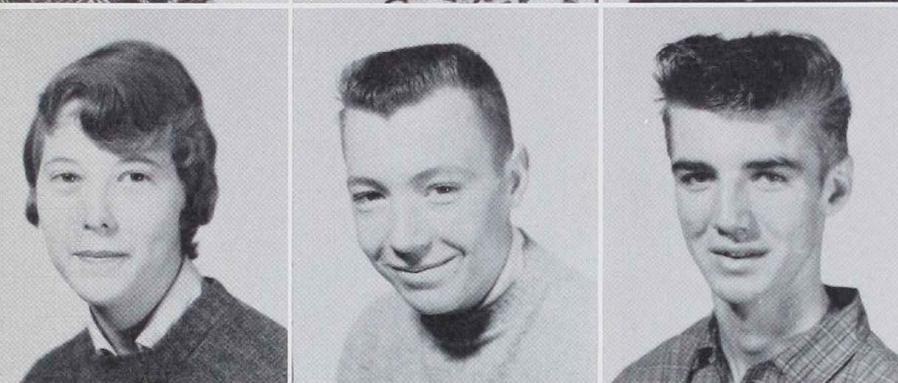
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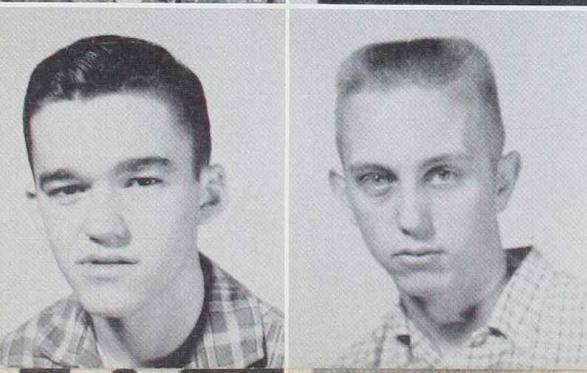
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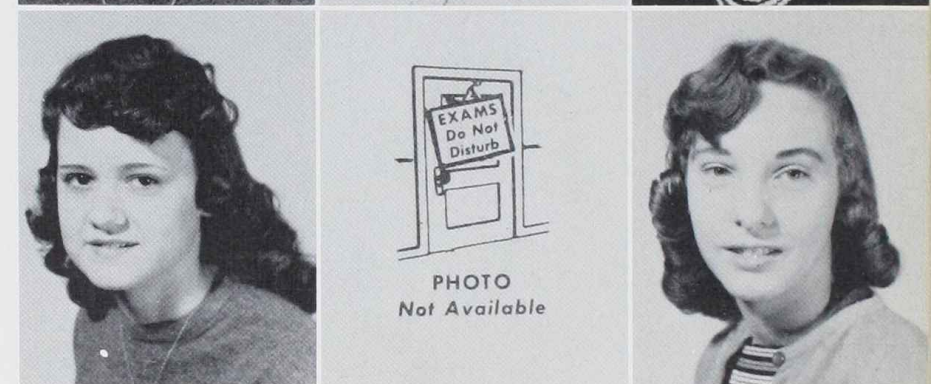
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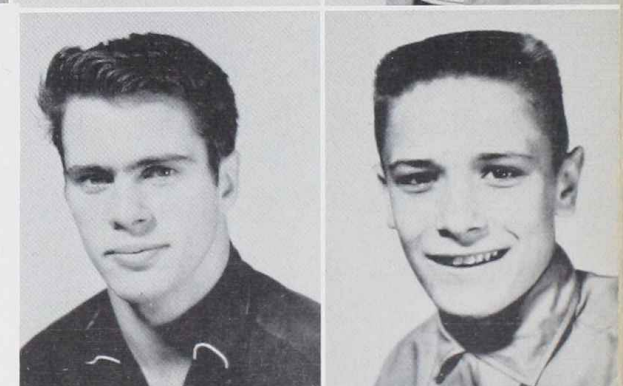
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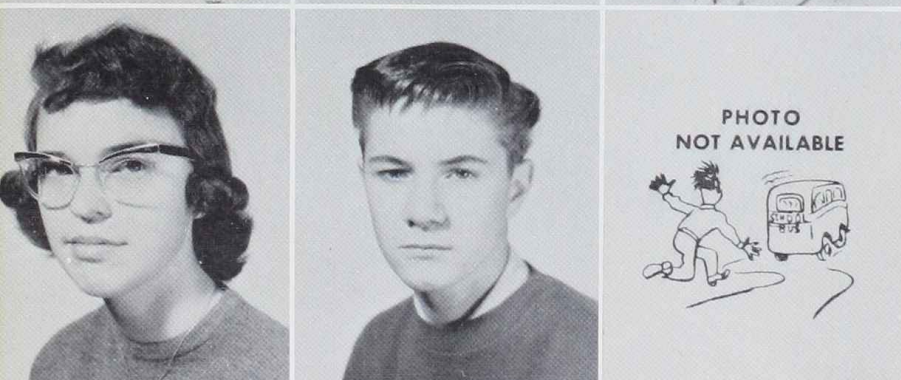
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Frank Woodward
Larry Wright
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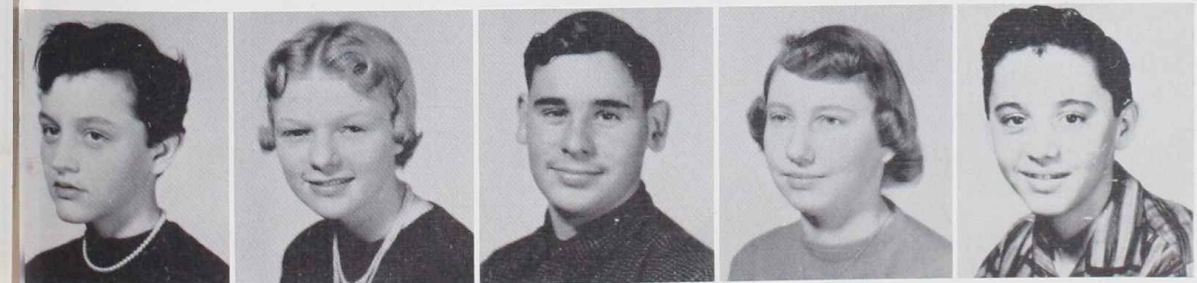
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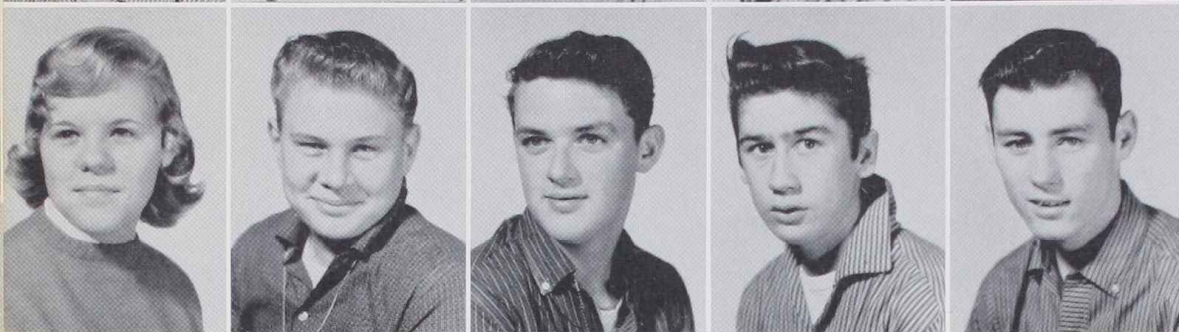


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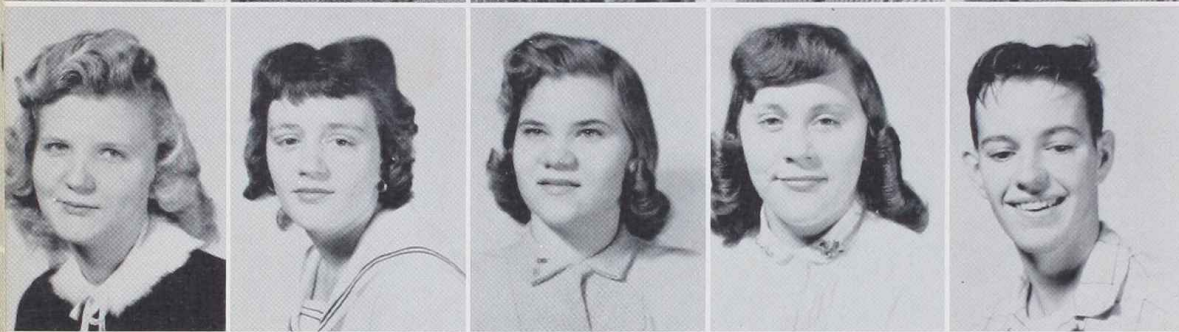
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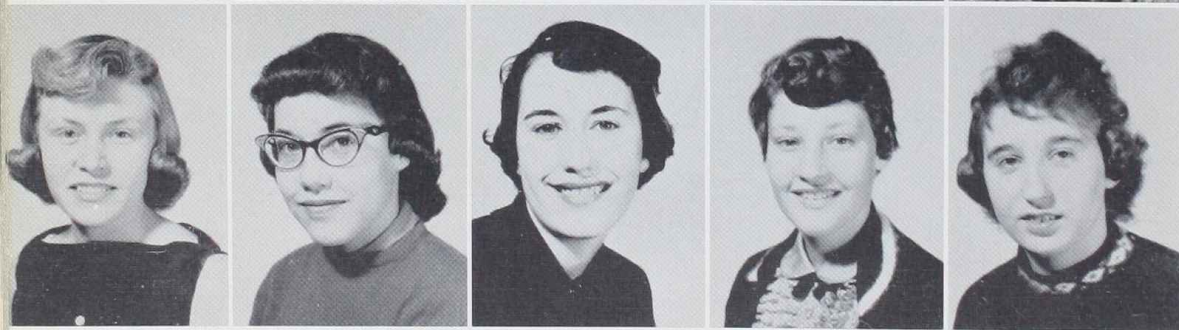
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Judy Parker
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Stanley Platsis
Margaret Prayor
Diane Prianto
Dick Raymond



Sandy Richmond Lynda Robertson Gary Rossman Evelyn Ryan Marion Silvers Jim Sleeper



Terry Smith Cynthia Teeter Jackie Vandenberg Doris Vanderford Anne Weidlich Dan Welch



Diana Woods Joan Worthington Karen Yost Ronald Zimmerman

Bill Lammer
Laverne Newburn
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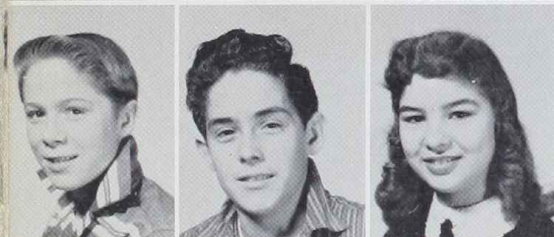
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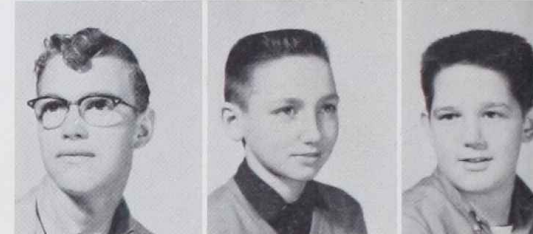
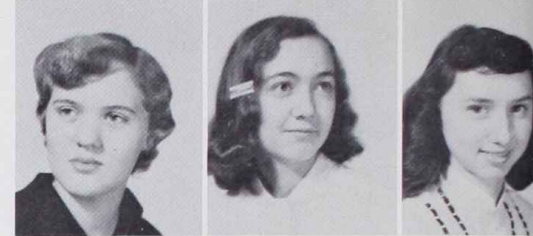
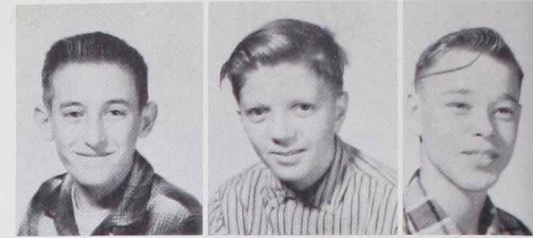
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Strippers

On the march.

Is this school dress?
Young at heart.

FOREIGN

VISITORS

Food last.

TEACHERS OFF GUARD

Smiley
Who is she?

At the end of the day.

Let's eat!

"The body and Mrs. Ganson."

Ride 'em, Cowboy!

TYPICAL TEENAGER

SNAPS



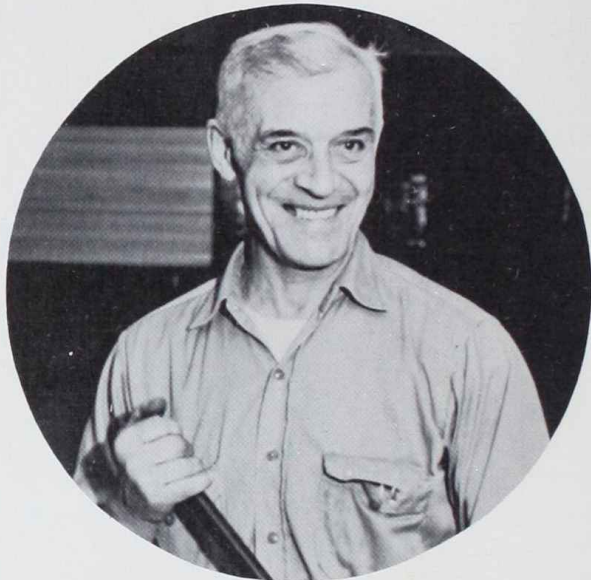
Mrs. Ida Loukota (LEFT), Cafeteria Manager; Mrs. Helen Wright, Assistant Cook.



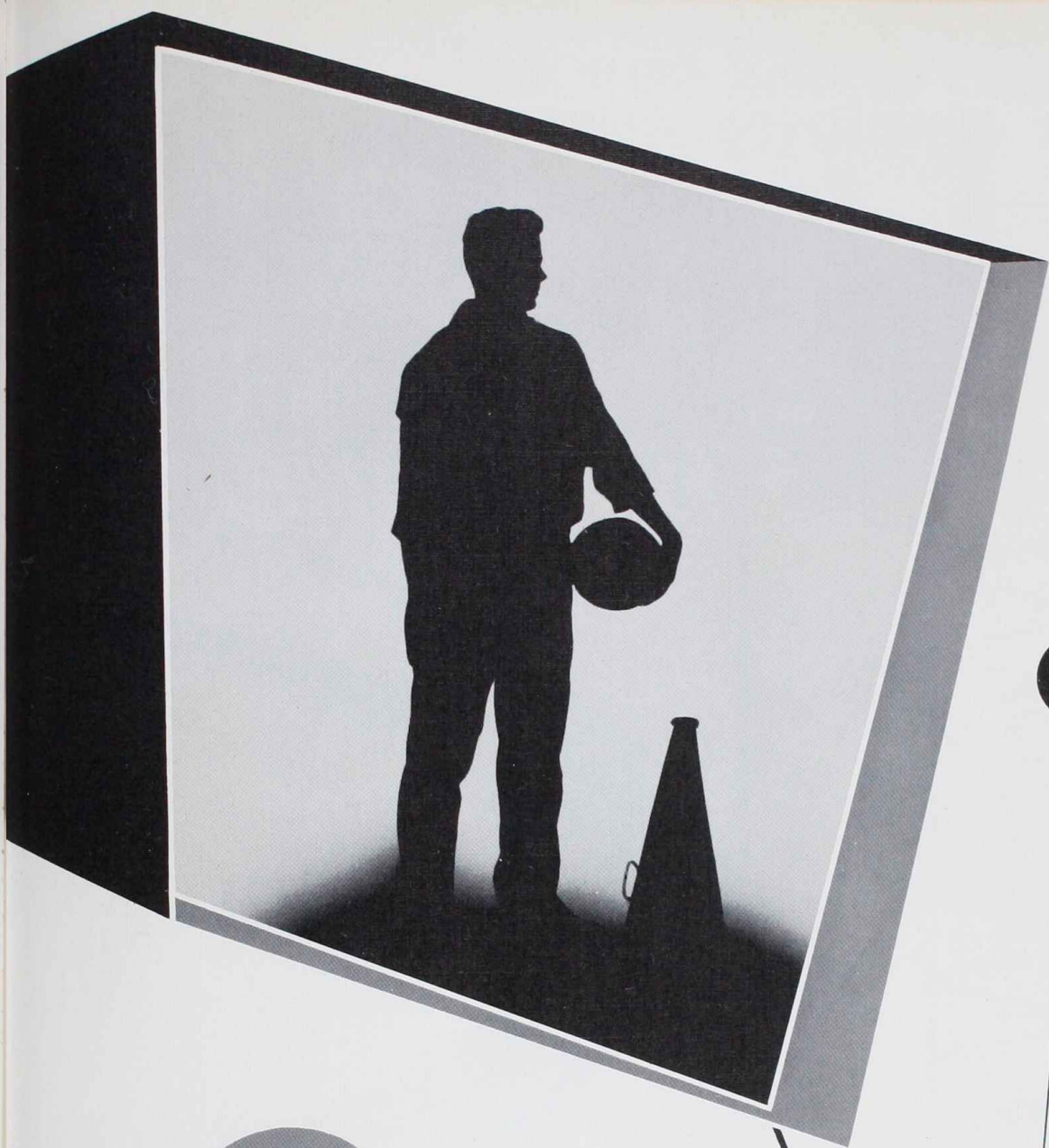
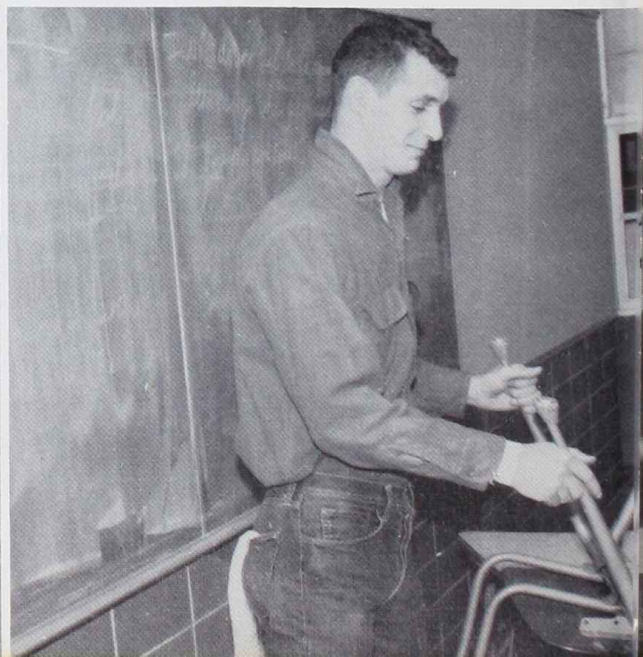
Mrs. Alene Clinton, Assistant Cook.

FOOD SERVICES

Springfield Schools are clean—glistening clean—due to the excellent care given by Pat Chaput, Chief Custodian (RIGHT), and his assistants Frank Berringer (LOWER LEFT), and student-assistant Gary Allensworth. Not shown are Mr. William Silvers and Bill Lake, another student-assistant.

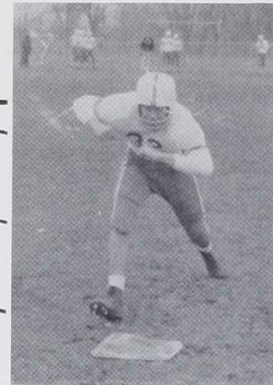


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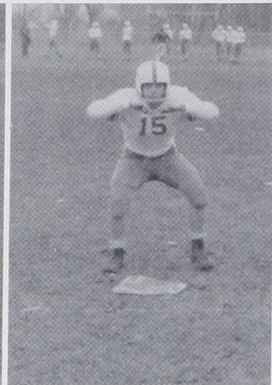


athletics

SENIORS



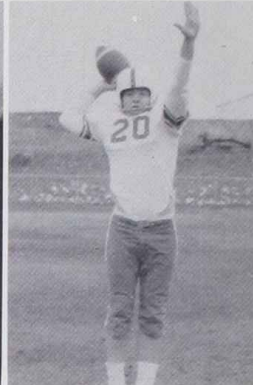
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GOOCH
Co-Captain



KRAUSE
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CARRIGAN
Quarterback

JUNIORS



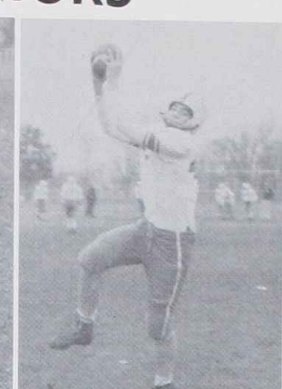
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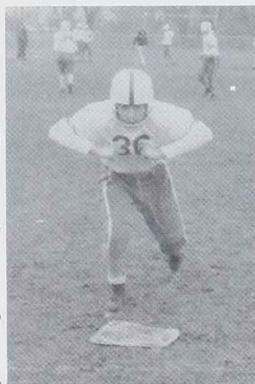
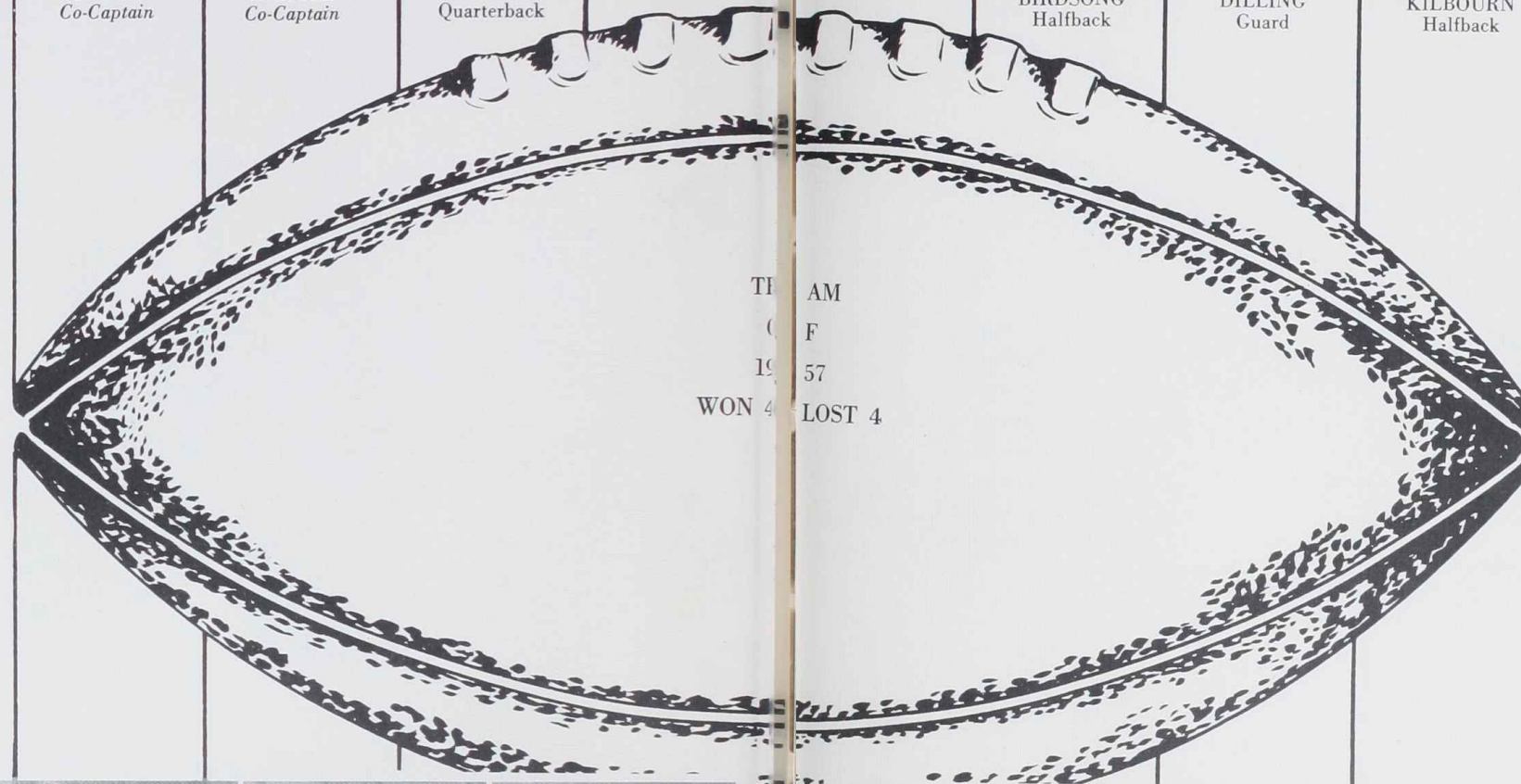
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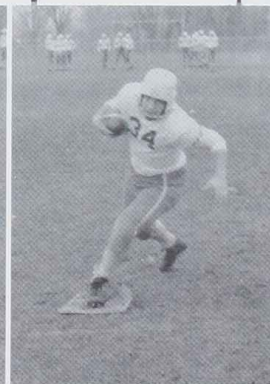
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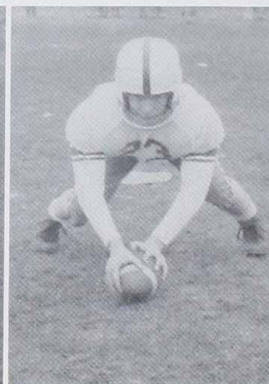
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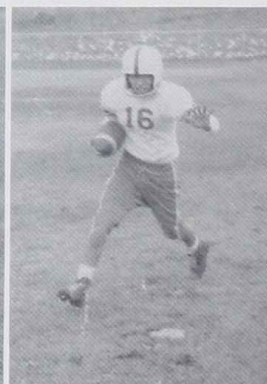
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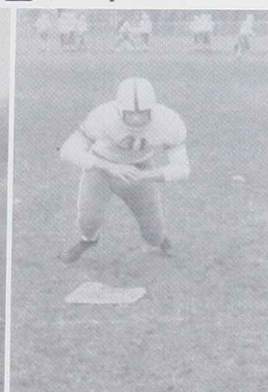
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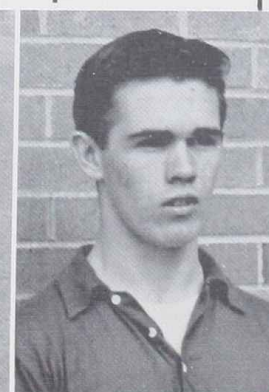
RAMON
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ROBINSON
End



SEAGE
Guard

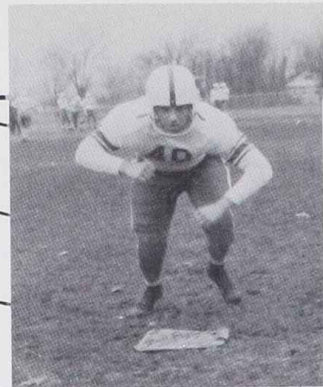


WRIGHT
Fullback



YOUNG
Halfback

SOPHOMORES



ZELICHOWSKI
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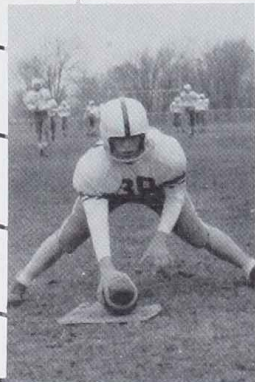
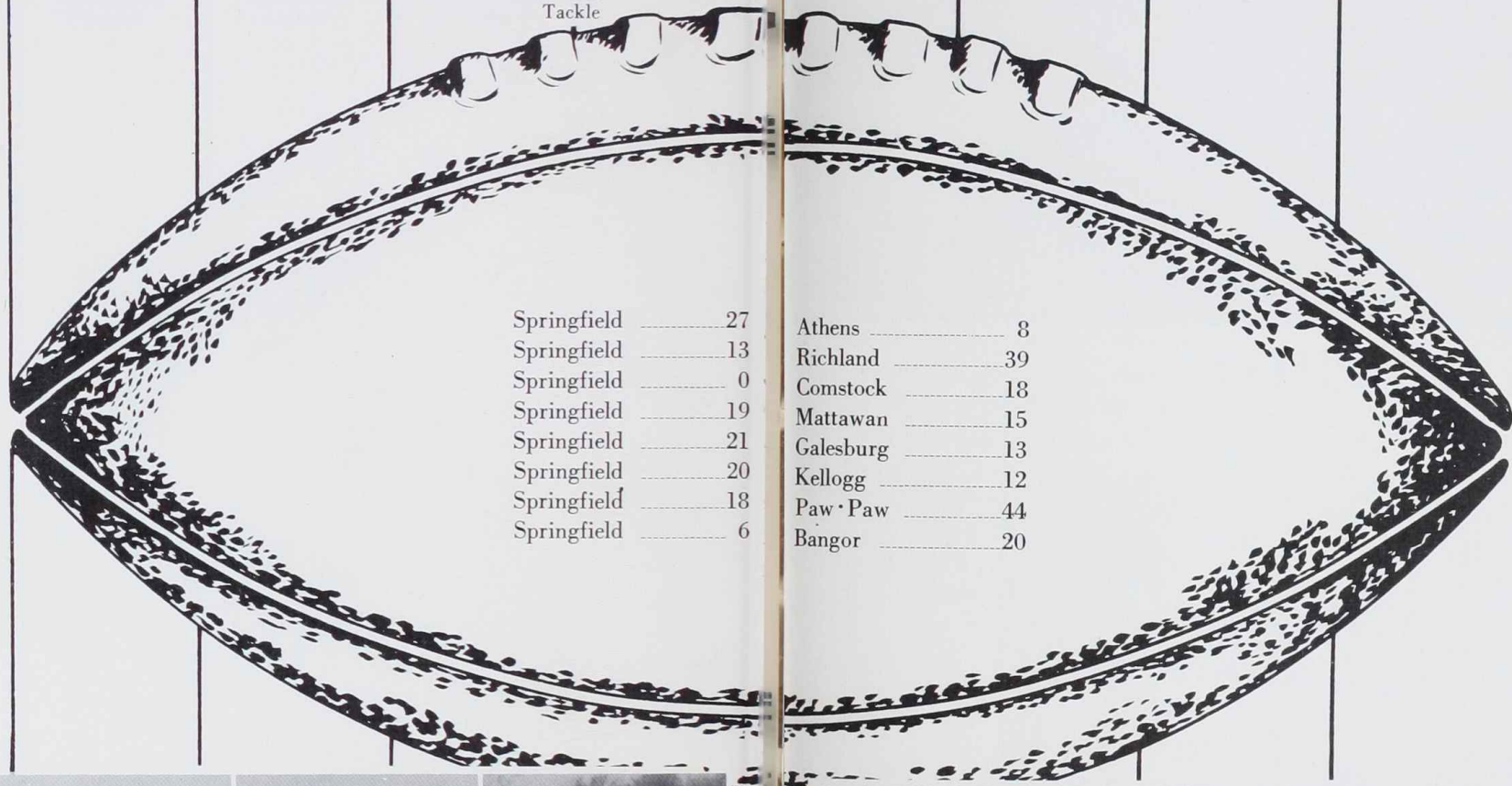
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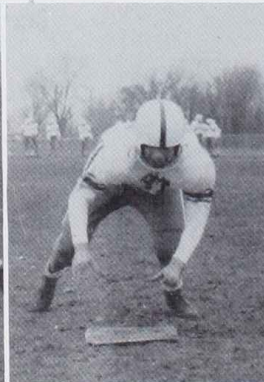
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Assistant
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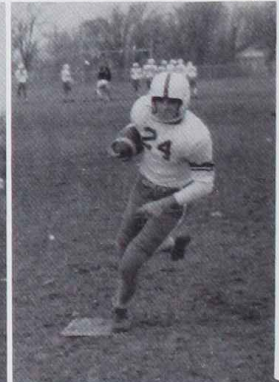
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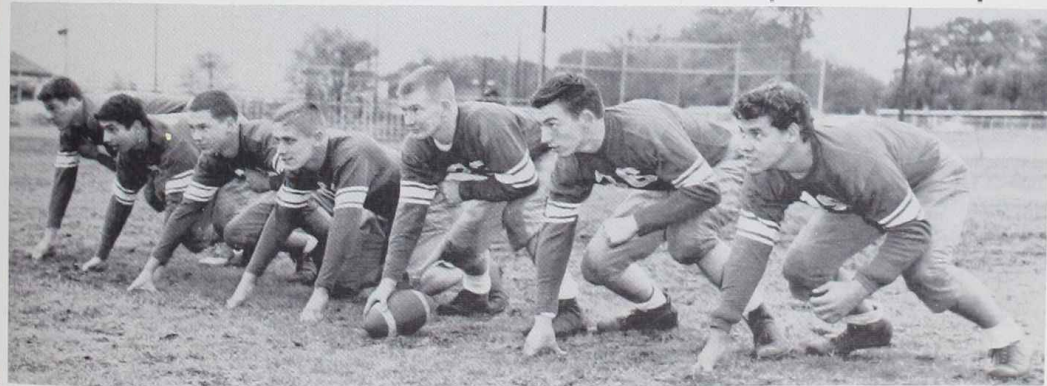
PLATSIS
Tackle



RAYMOND
End



WELCH
Halfback



STARTING LINE

This is the starting line during the middle of the season.



VARSITY AND RESERVE

Teams Combined



STARTING BACKFIELD

This is the starting backfield for one of the games during the middle of the season. Pictured in this photograph are Mike Carrigan and Bruce Birdsong who were the first to make All-KVA from Springfield.

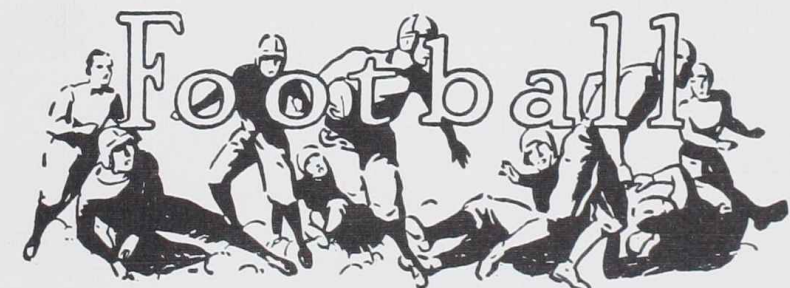
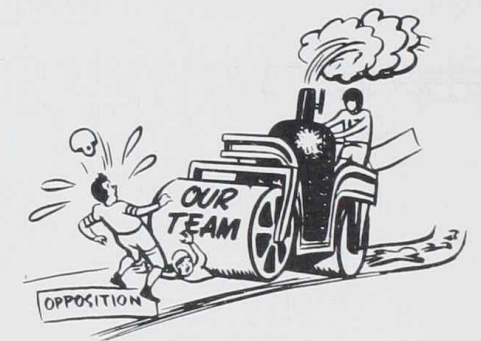


This year's team had a record of four wins and four losses. After winning the first game, the next two went down as defeats. Victory came back for the next three games, before running into trouble for the last two games of the season.

Throughout the season, the team was hit with the flu, as were most of the teams in the state.

At the beginning of the year, the team elected as co-captains these seniors: Gordon Gooch, guard; Jim Behrnt, tackle; and Jim Krause, halfback. Five other senior boys on the team were: Mike Carrigan, quarterback; Tom Cornell, tackle; Jerry Lingg, halfback; Tino Ramon, halfback; and Gary Pulver, center.

The biggest victory of the year was the 19 to 15 victory over Mattawan, which was our Homecoming game. The team worked hard all week and was highly rewarded on game night. This victory was deemed the "upset of the year" in the city.





Who's gonna get it?



We, Spring
for field.



Tired out after game.



On the go.

SPORTS SNAPS

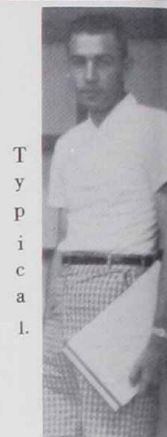
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We drew Bellvue.



Homecoming's hard work.



Typical.

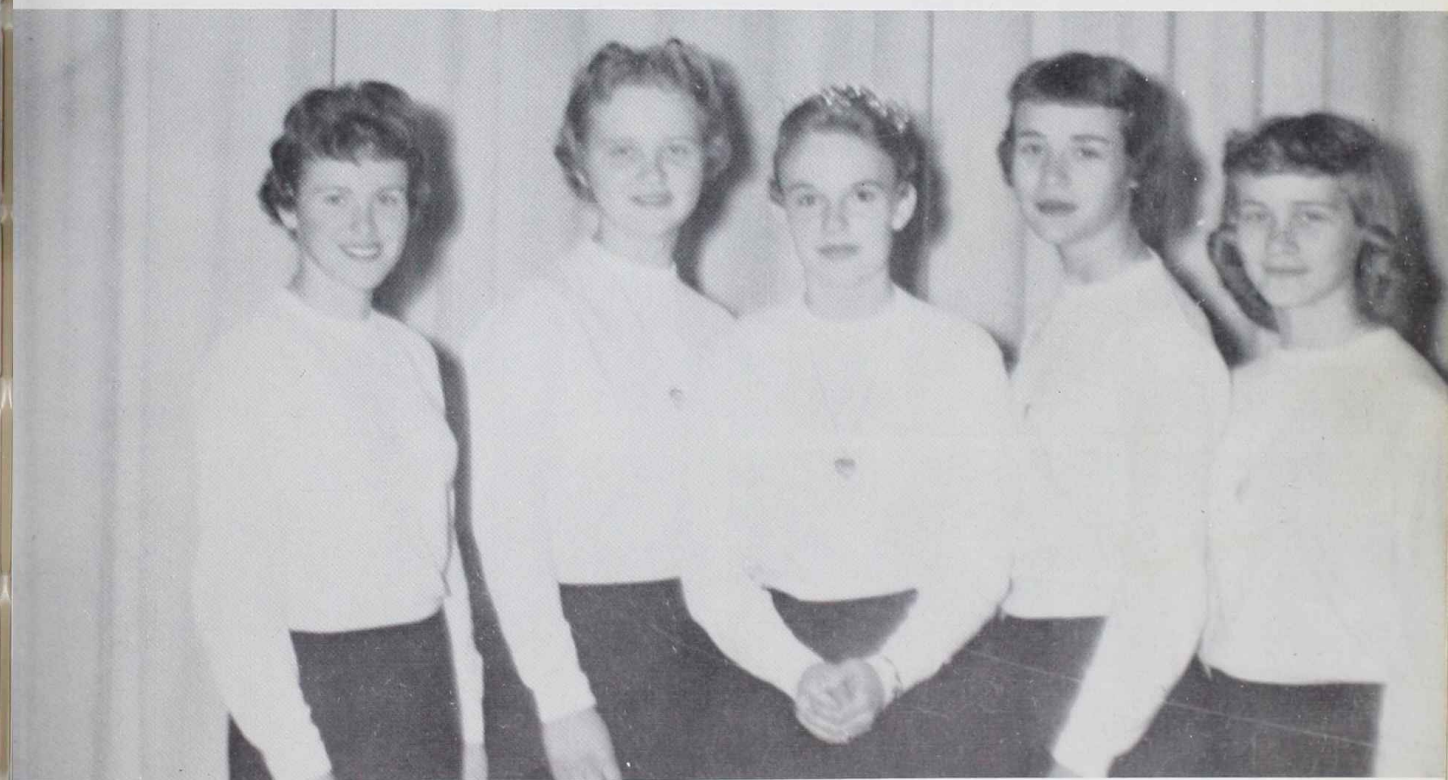
Coach??



Cheering their team to victory.



Homecoming began when the Junior and Senior boys picked the top ten. *Top row, left to right:* Sherry Gilcher, Alice Potter, Wanda Hart, Janet Perry, Sally Benedict. *Middle:* Rosalee Davison, Beverly Sanford, Virginia Reiling, Edite Balks. *Bottom:* Irene Balks, and Brenda Hayes.



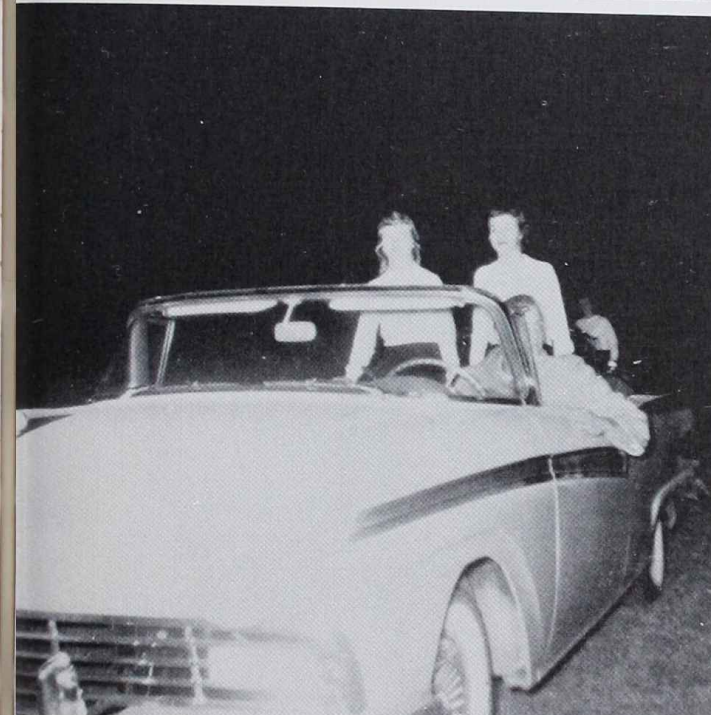
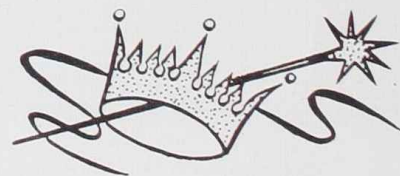
The following day her majesty Beverly Sanford and her royal Court were presented to the student body at an assembly. The court members, Edite Balks, Sally Benedict, Irene Balks, and Brenda Hayes, along with the queen were presented with engraved hearts in honor of the occasion.



Homecoming activities began with the cheerleaders leading the students in a snake dance through Springfield followed by a bonfire and pep rally. After the pep rally cider and doughnuts were served at a dance held in the cafeteria.

The Queen and Court, on the royal float, were presented during the halftime ceremonies. Jim Krause, co-captain of the football team, presented Queen Beverly with red roses. The court received corsages.

Her majesty Beverly was crowned during halftime by last year's queen, Miss Sharon Zimmerman.



The Queen and Court were driven around the football field in new convertibles preceding the game. In the first car was Queen Beverly followed by Edite Balks and Brenda Hayes, who were followed by Irene Balks and Sally Benedict.

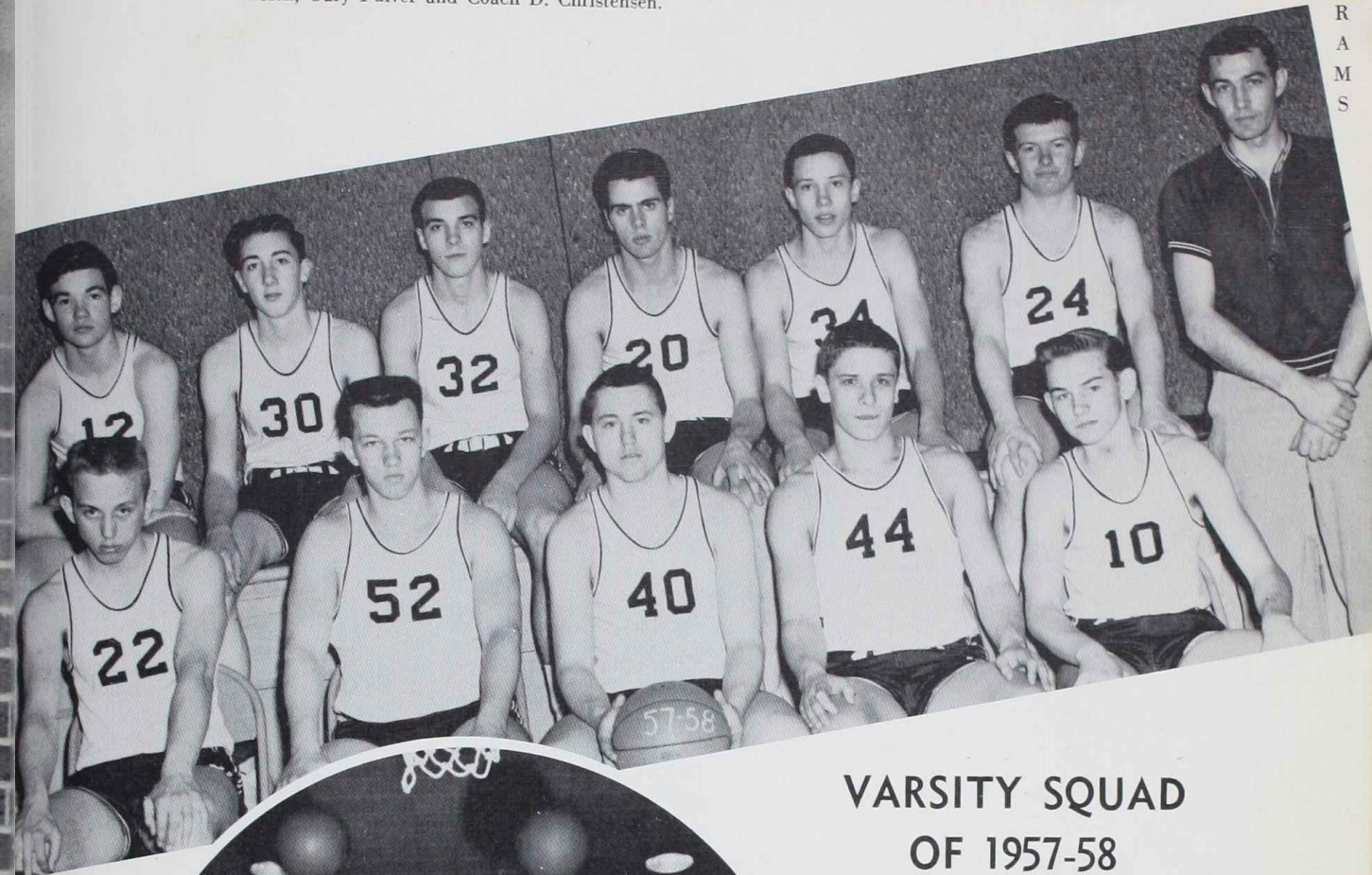
The Queen and Court reigned at the Homecoming Dance held the night after the game. This dance ended a very successful homecoming week.





HOMECOMING 1957

FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: George McNeil, Don Zelchikowski, Mike Carrigan, Jack Seage, William Reader. BACK ROW: Bob Dilling, Dick Raymond, Dan Welch, Jim Robinson, Ron Welch, Gary Pulver and Coach D. Christensen.



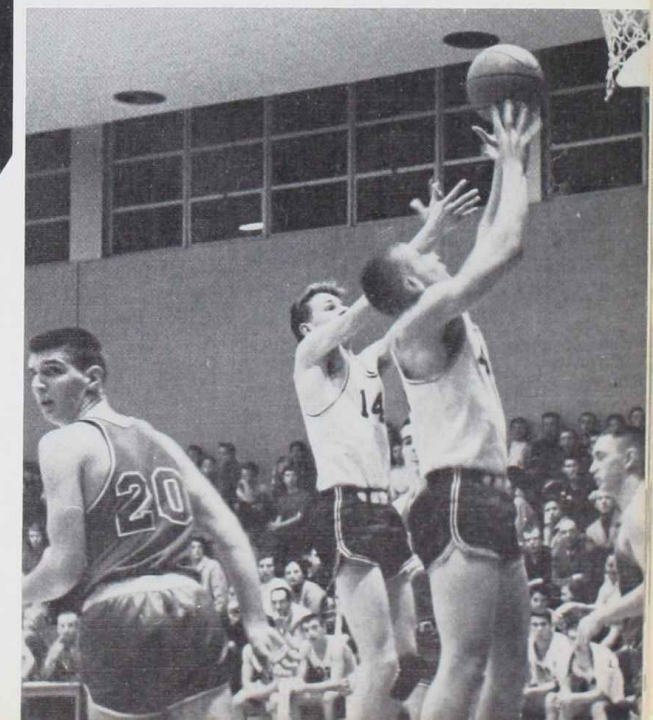
VARSITY SQUAD OF 1957-58

Jack Seage goes high in the air to snare this rebound, against Kellogg Hornets.

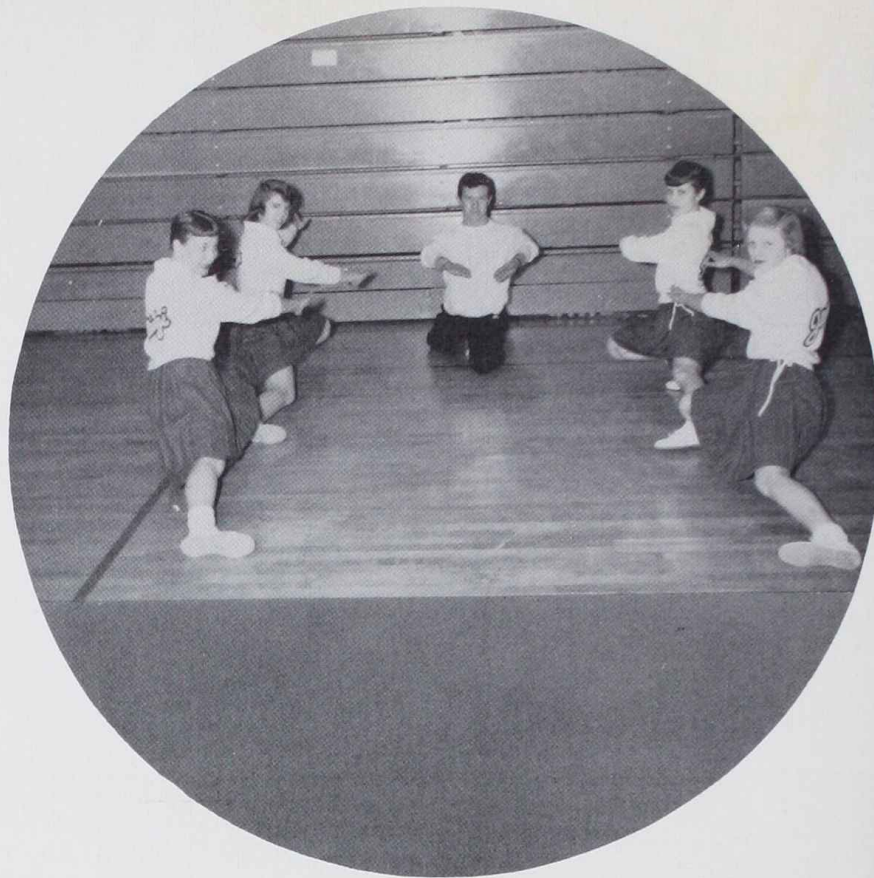


Mike Carrigan and Gary Pulver.
Senior players.

BASKETBALL 1957-58



Reserve Cheerleaders—LEFT TO RIGHT: Midgi Prayor, Donna Cummings, Doug Neil, Sharon Converse, and Janet Elliott.



RESERVE SQUAD OF 1957-58 LITTLE RAMS

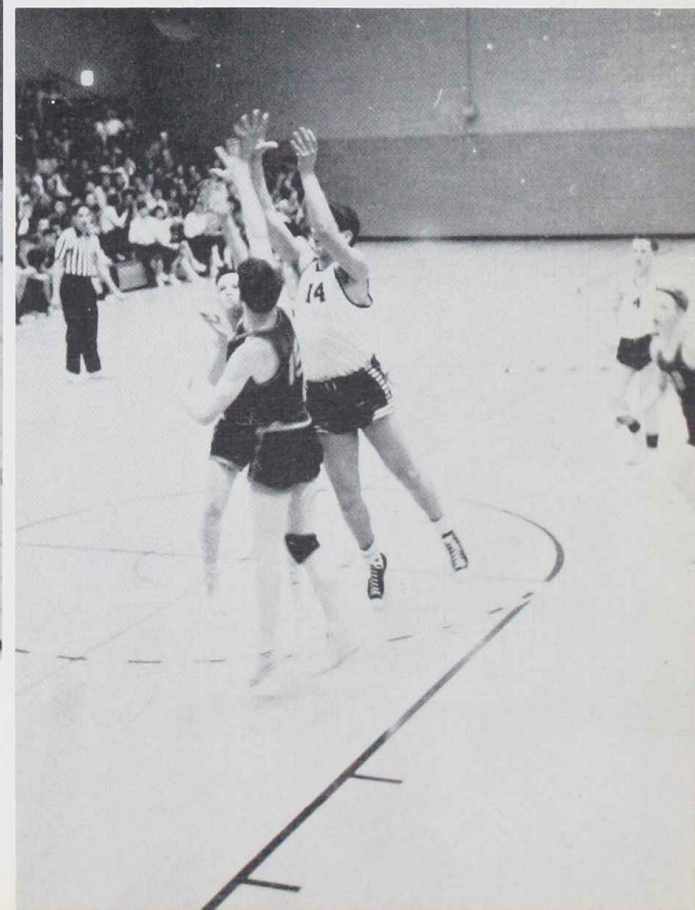


FRONT, LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Babcock, F. Girdley, G. Rossman, M. Woodward, G. Jones.
BACK: S. Platsis, D. Green, M. Young, J. Davis, J. Collins, L. Mack, and Coach J. Christensen.



RAMS IN ACTION

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SCHEDULE

Dec.	6—Paw Paw, Here
Dec.	7—Bangor, There
Dec.	13—Kellogg, There
Dec.	20—Comstock, Here
Jan.	7—Richland, Here
Jan.	10—Mattawan, There
Jan.	17—Galesburg, Here
Jan.	24—Bangor, Here
Jan.	31—Paw Paw, There
Feb.	4—Kellogg, Here
Feb.	7—Comstock, There
Feb.	11—Pennfield, There
Feb.	14—Richland, There
Feb.	18—St. Phillip, Here
Feb.	21—Mattawan, Here
Feb.	28—Galesburg, There

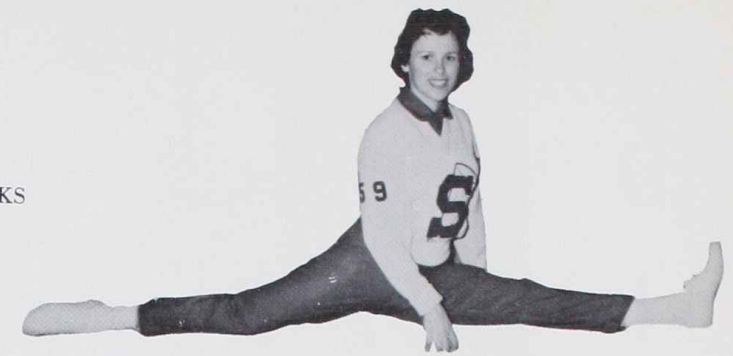
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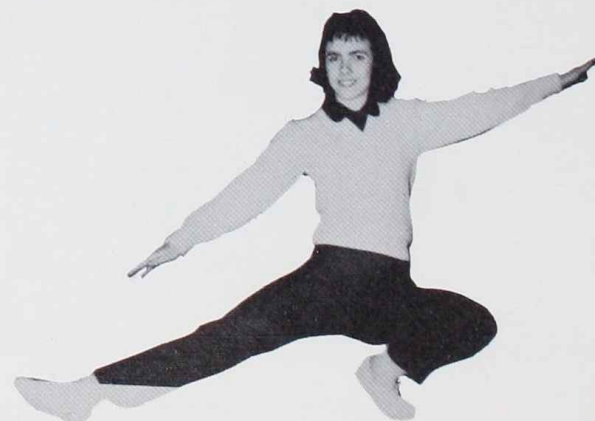
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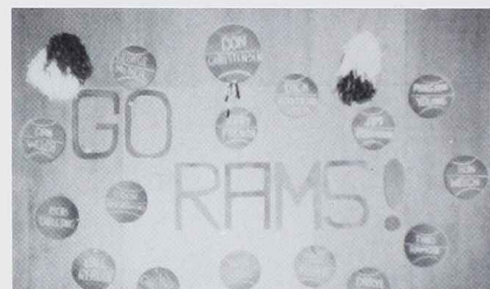
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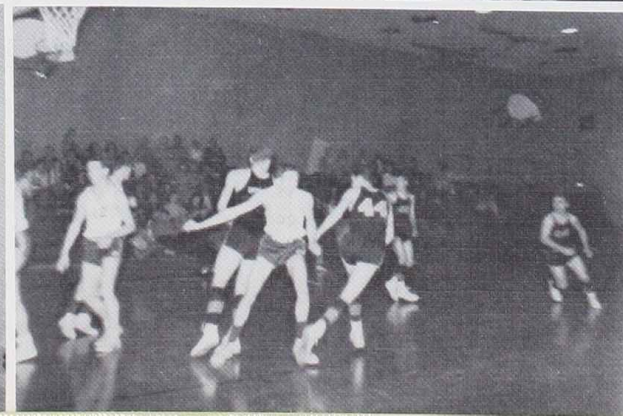
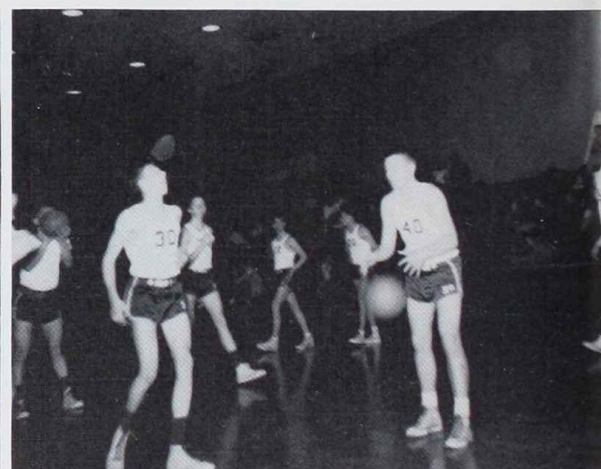
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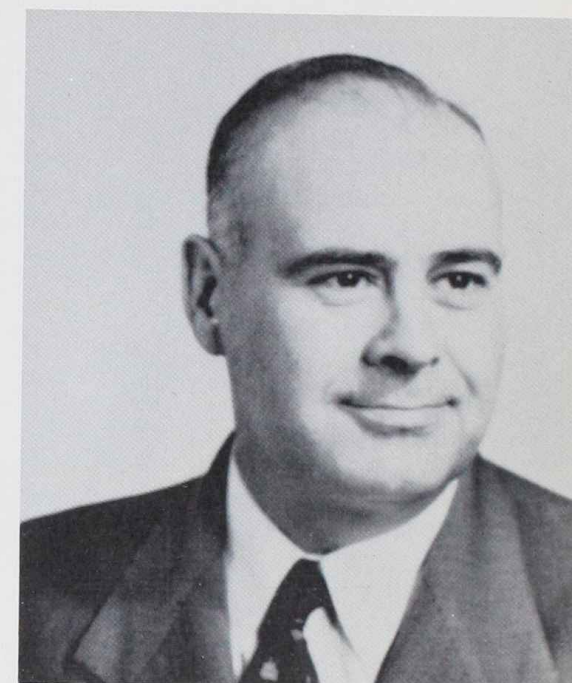
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1958 SCHEDULE

Richland. There
Comstock. Here
Mattawan. There
Galesburg. There
Kellogg. Here
Paw Paw. Here
Bangor. There

Head Coach
DON FERGUSON



Assistant Coach
CHARLES LINK



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Richland	3	Springfield	0
Mattawan	1	Springfield	0
Galesburg	0	Springfield	2
St. Philips	5	Springfield	2
Kellogg	8	Springfield	3
Paw Paw	6	Springfield	1
Comstock	5	Springfield	1
Bangor	0	Springfield	7
Pennfield	9	Springfield	11
Bellevue	0	Springfield	9

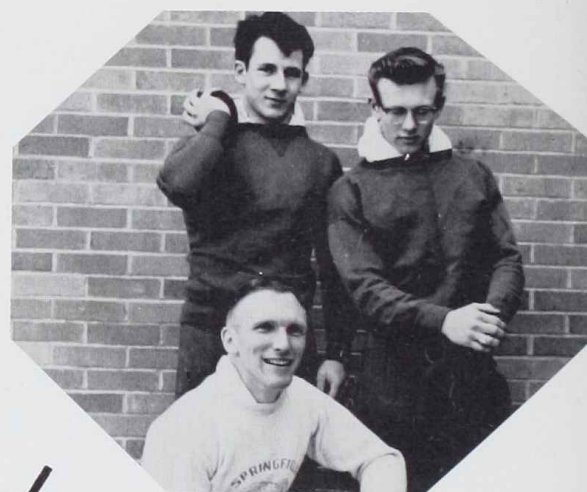


FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Harry Palmer, Jim Krause, Gordon Gooch, Bob Ray, Jerry French, Tino Ramon, Harold Simon. SECOND ROW: Pat McCarthy, Daryl Green, Dave Martin, Ron Welch, Danny Welch, Dick Raymond, Fred Girdley. THIRD ROW: Coach Brouwer, Morgan Young, Stanley Platsis, Jack Seage, Bruce Birdsong, Jim Berhndt, Jim Smith, Larry Andrews.

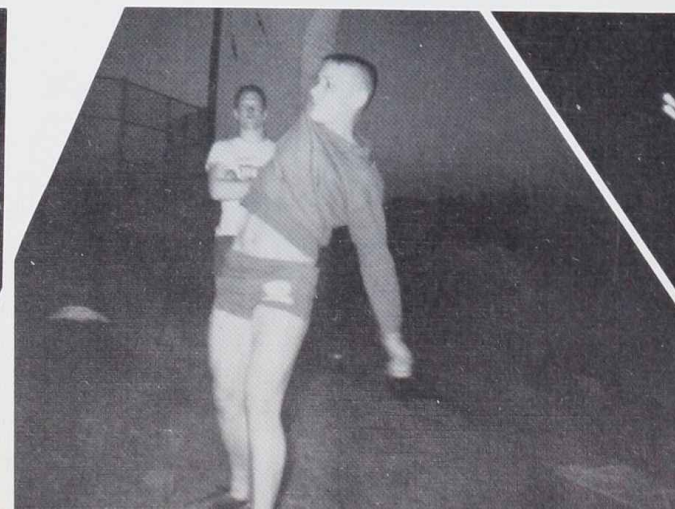
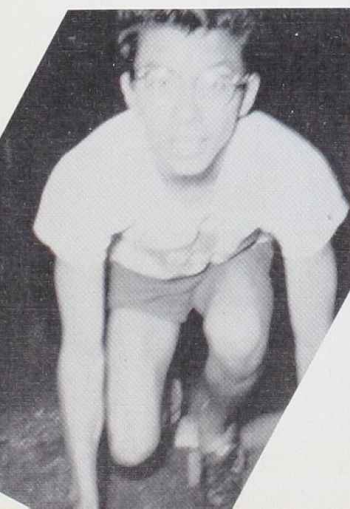
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Apr. 9—Richland, Here
 Apr. 16—Comstock, Here
 Apr. 23—Mattawan, There
 Apr. 30—Galesburg, There
 May 7—Kellogg, Here
 May 9—KVA MEET RICHLAND
 May 14—Paw Paw, Here
 May 21—Bangor, There

Quadrangular Meet, Here
 Triangular Meet, Here
 Annual Albion Relays at Albion
 State Regional Meet at Kalamazoo
 State Meet at Michigan State



Coach Brouwer along with Co-Captains Bruce Birdsong and Morgan Young talk over the tough season that lies ahead.



organizations



President, Jack Seage; Vice President, Irene Balks; Secretary, Wanda Hart; Treasurer, Virginia Reiling.



MR. GREENMAN, Advisor

All year round our Student Council is kept busy solving problems that arise daily in our school. Under the able leadership of Mr. Greenman, many of these problems are solved. Several school projects have been undertaken by the Council which have benefitted our school, but its primary function is that of a service organization for the school and student body.



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LEFT TO RIGHT: Judy Zalner, Gary Pulver, Donna DeBow, Sharon Converse, Lynn Murray, Darlene Carrigan, Edite Balks, Diane Prianto, Advisor, Mr. Elliott; Judy Moore, Gale Akins, Sherry Gilcher, Marilyn McQuern.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Wayne Booth, Joan Worthington, Sylvia Hoag, Advisor, Mrs. Williams.

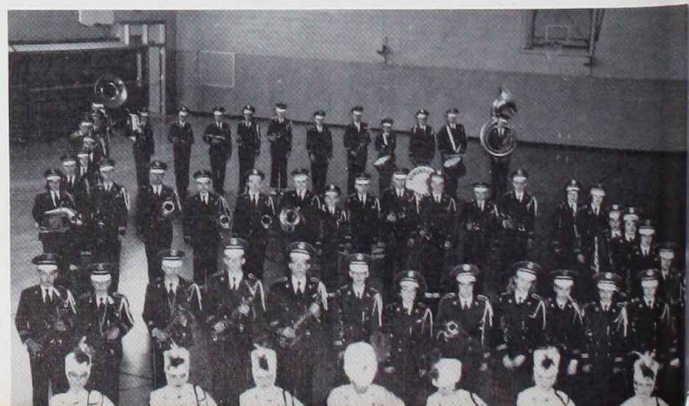


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LEFT TO RIGHT: Sherry Mitchell, Marilyn McQuern, Margret Baird, Beverly Converse, Vivian Reiling, Donna Wideman.



Stop the cars! Hold back the people! Here comes the band! See how they all pick their feet high and keep in time. And there are the majorettes in front twirling their batons and leading the others. We can always depend on the band to put on a good show.



BOWLING CLUB

LEFT TO RIGHT: Diane Prainto, Darlene Carrigan, Jackie Holden, Karen Yost, Phyllis Thayer, Sherry Gilcher, Connie Messenger, Mr. Greenman, *Advisor*; Clyde Browand, Frank Woodward, Bob Ray, David Jacobs, Dennis McComb.

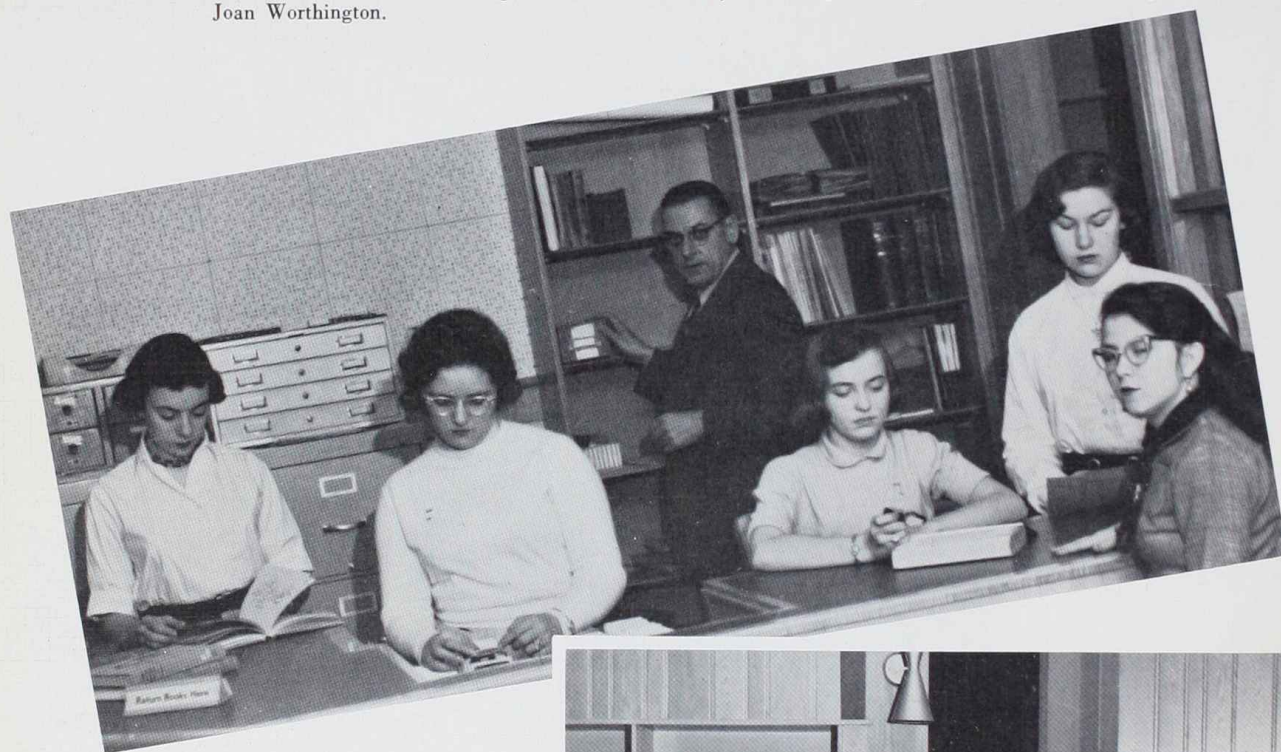
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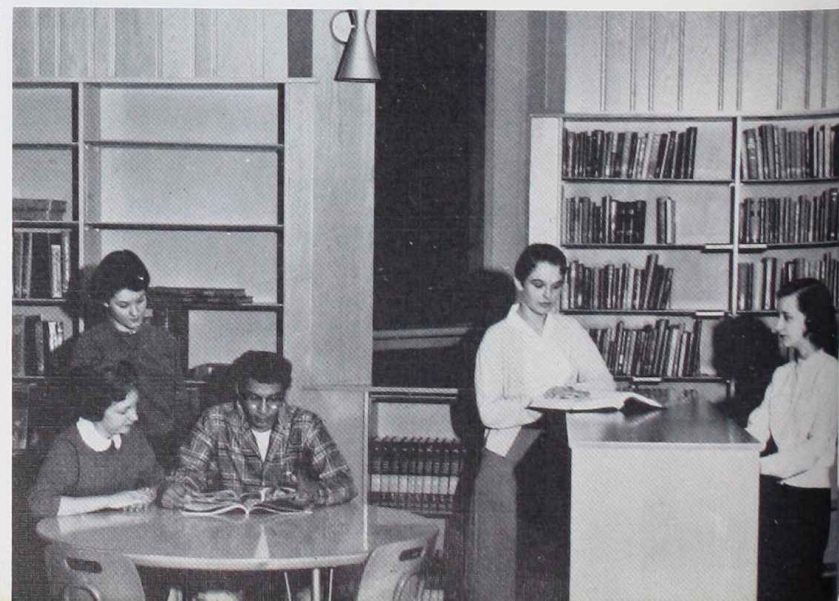
Gary Pulver, Jim Behrnt, Irene Balks, Don Ganson, Larry Andrews, Diana Woods, Jim Krause, Gordon Gooch, Judy Filipan, Edite Balks, Midge Prayor, Brenda Hayes, Virginia Reiling, Charlene Smith, Beverly Sandford, Mr. Slack, *Advisor*.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Nina King, Don Dornfelt, Shirley Scarbrough, Shirley Perrussel, Lella Phillips, Joan Worthington.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Sharon Rench, Alice Potter, Tino Ramon, Beverly Sanford, Janet Eichholz.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Marilyn McQuern, Myrna Vester, Mr. Musolf, Librarian; Rosalee Davison, Theresa Lahn, Ruth Ann Couturier.

CHOIR



Whenever there is need for music, the choir, under the direction of Miss Heim, is around to fill the bill. For instance, they sang in our Christmas program and put on the entire Easter Assembly in the spring. Listening to the M.S.U. Choir provided enjoyment as well as pointers for our group.

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Miss Heim at work

COMMERCIAL CLUB



LEFT TO RIGHT: Don Ganson, Joan Smith, Carol Lowery, Jack Seage, Dawn Woods, Kay Kloack, Virginia Cooper, Shirley Converse, Sharon Bucklin, Rosa Lee Davison, Wanda Hart, Brenda Hayes, Charlene Smith, *President*; Mr. Brouwer, *Advisor*; Connie Messenger, Virginia Reiling, *Vice President*; Versa Sturdivant, Rita Stevens, *Secretary*; Sue Baker, *Treasurer*; Janet Eichholz, Sharon Chaput.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Larry Wright, Wesley Wallace, Dwight Lamphier, Eugene Jones, Harold Simon, Larry Mack, Jim Smith, John Davis, Sylvia Hoag, Joan Smith.

SPANISH CLUB



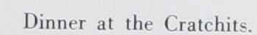
BACK ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Miss DeMaso, *Advisor*; Doug Neil, Ronnie Buckmaster, John Dailey, Gale Akins, William Lammers, Joan Worthington, Dallas McLeod, *Secretary*; Delora Barger, Dennis McComb, Edite Balks, Sandra Perrussel, Carol Harville, Judy Moore, *Vice President*; Karen Yost, *Treasurer*; Irene Balks, *President*; Jack Ray.



DANCE CLUB



Every Thursday in our gym you will see a group of teenagers doing the latest bop and other dances, under the direction of Mr. Greenman and the two student directors, Janet Elliott and Jim Collins. It's a big crowd that you will see and everyone is having fun. The club is new to Springfield kids and it's catching on.



8:15 P.M.



<i>Serooge</i>	Gordon Gooch
<i>Bob Cratchit</i>	Daryl Green
<i>Fred</i>	Ronald McComb
<i>First Gentleman</i>	Larry Dillon
<i>Second Gentleman</i>	John Broyles
<i>Marley</i>	Don Ganson
<i>First Spirit</i>	Jim Lewis
<i>Second Spirit</i>	Eddid French
<i>Third Spirit</i>	Barbara Ryan
<i>Peter Cratchit</i>	Wayne Neil
<i>Mrs. Cratchit</i>	Joan Worthington
<i>Belinda</i>	Sylvia Hoag
<i>Small Girl</i> •	Linda Saltzgaber
<i>Small Boy</i>	James Berry
<i>Martha</i>	Irene Balks
<i>Tiny Tim</i>	Bob Converse
<i>Boy's Voice</i>	Douglas Neil



G.A.A.

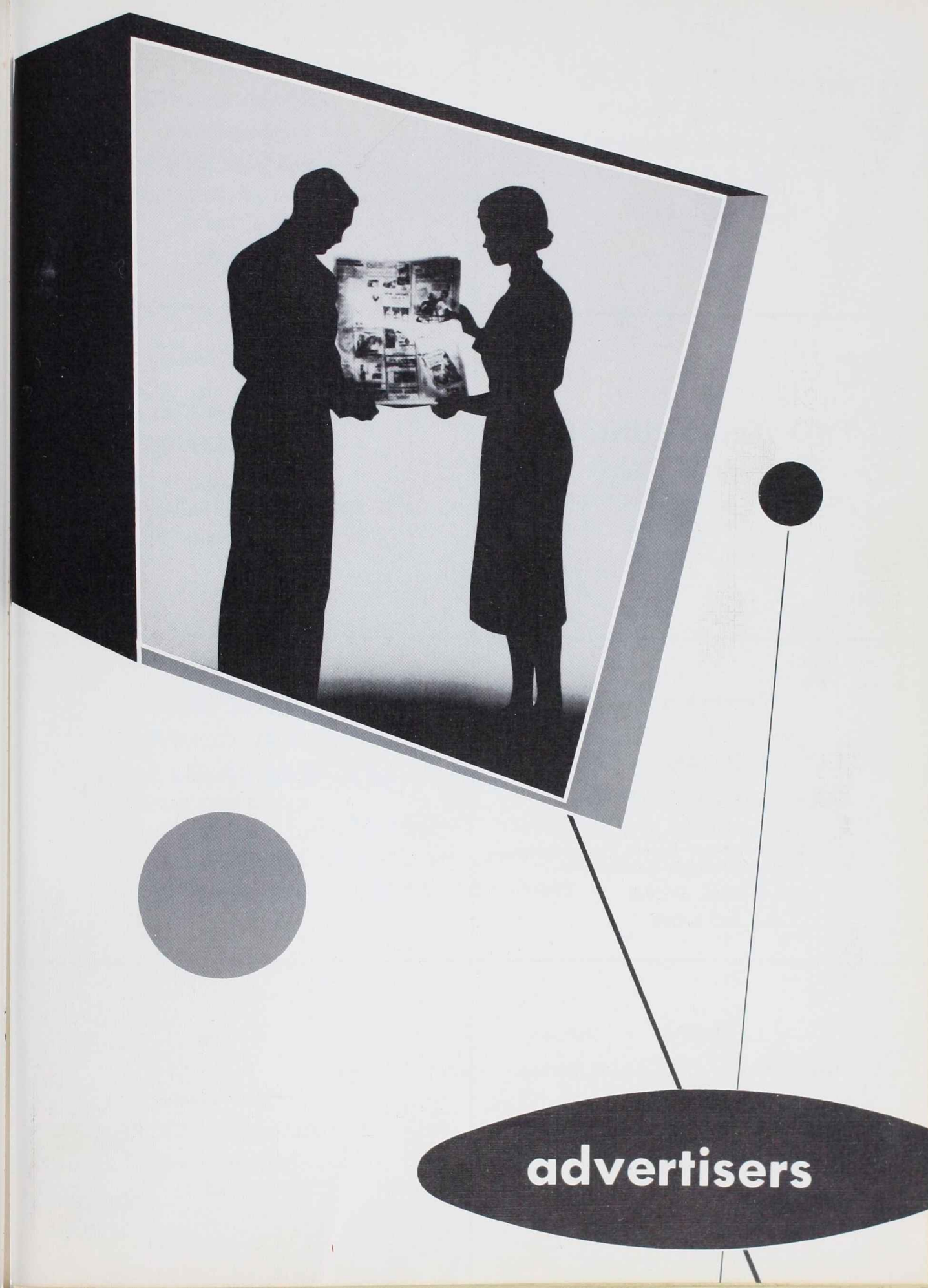
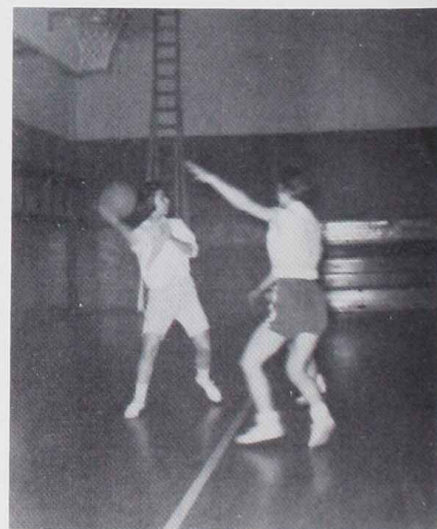
Upholding the girls' athletic events is the G.A.A. Miss Betty Lacey is the director of the group. G.A.A. takes part in volleyball, baseball, track, basketball, swimming and many other sports.



Officers of G.A.A.: Dawn Woods, *Vice President*; Joan Smith, *Secretary*; Carol Lowry, *President*; Sharon Chaput, *Treasurer*.



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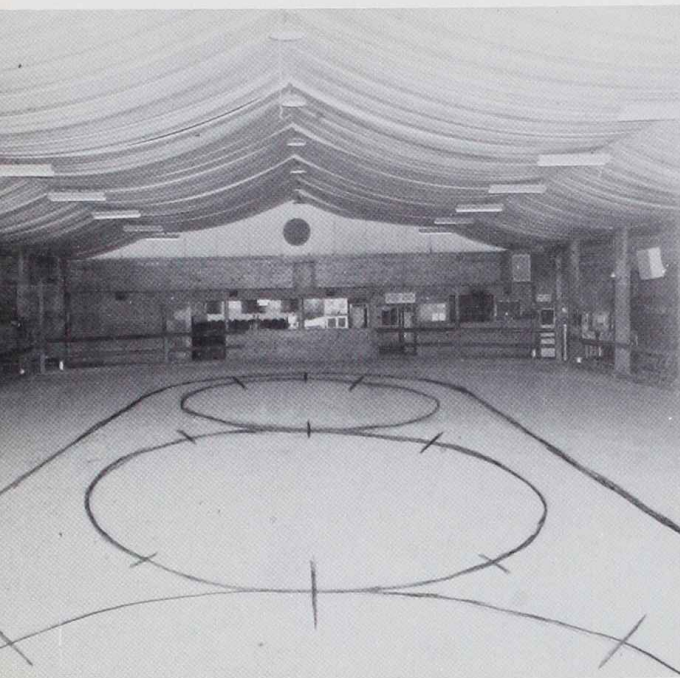
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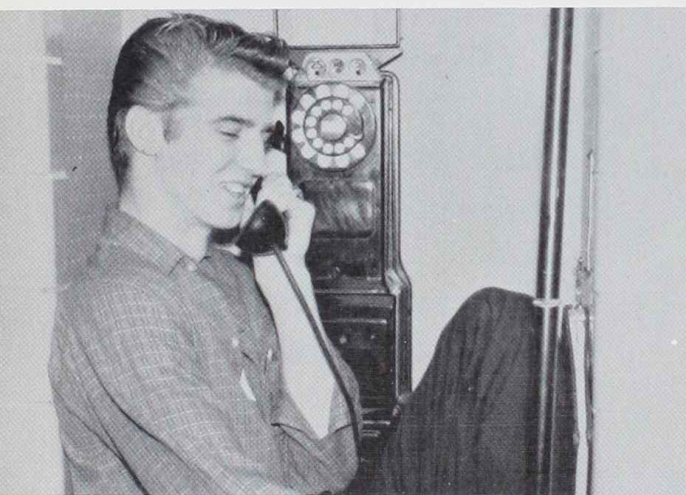
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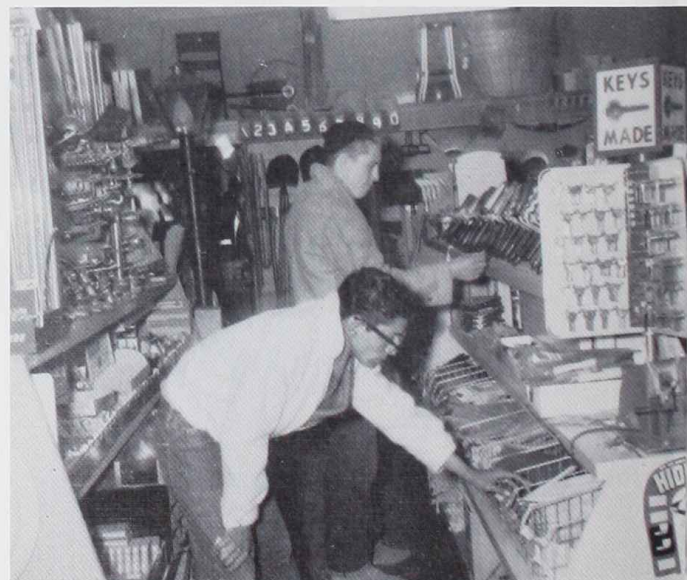
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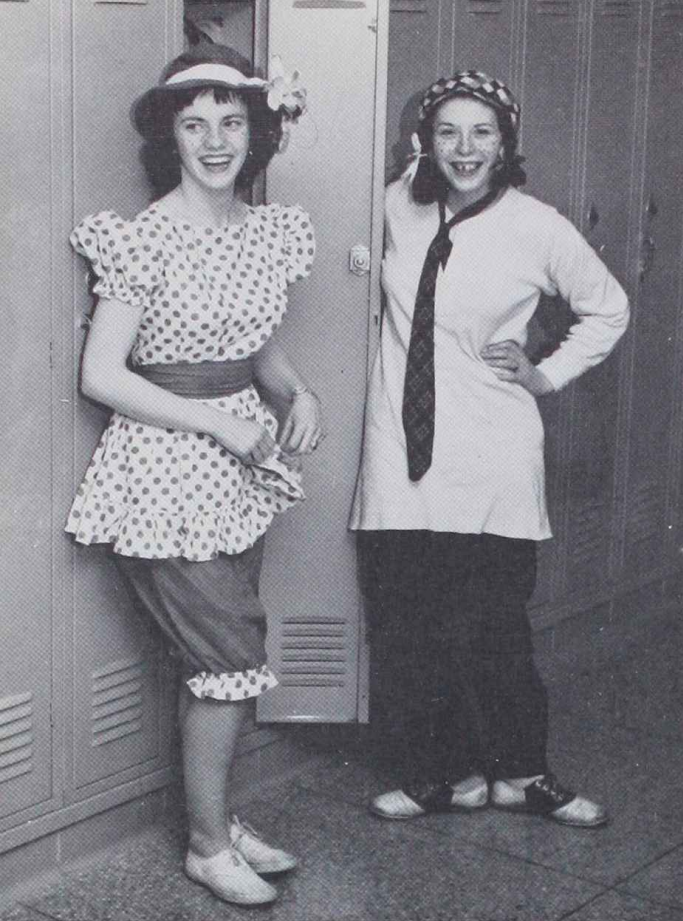
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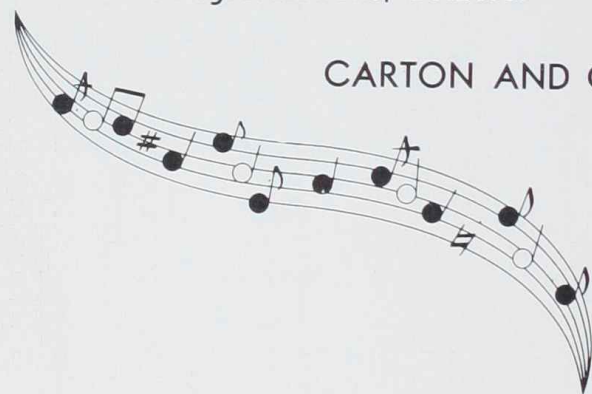
You see, he joined the Springfield faculty thirteen years ago—the same year these seniors began their formal education. From faculty member to high school administrator. And that's Mr. Miller's connection with the "Special 13."

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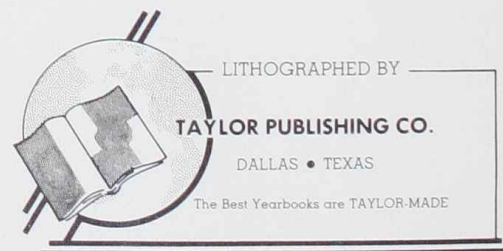
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