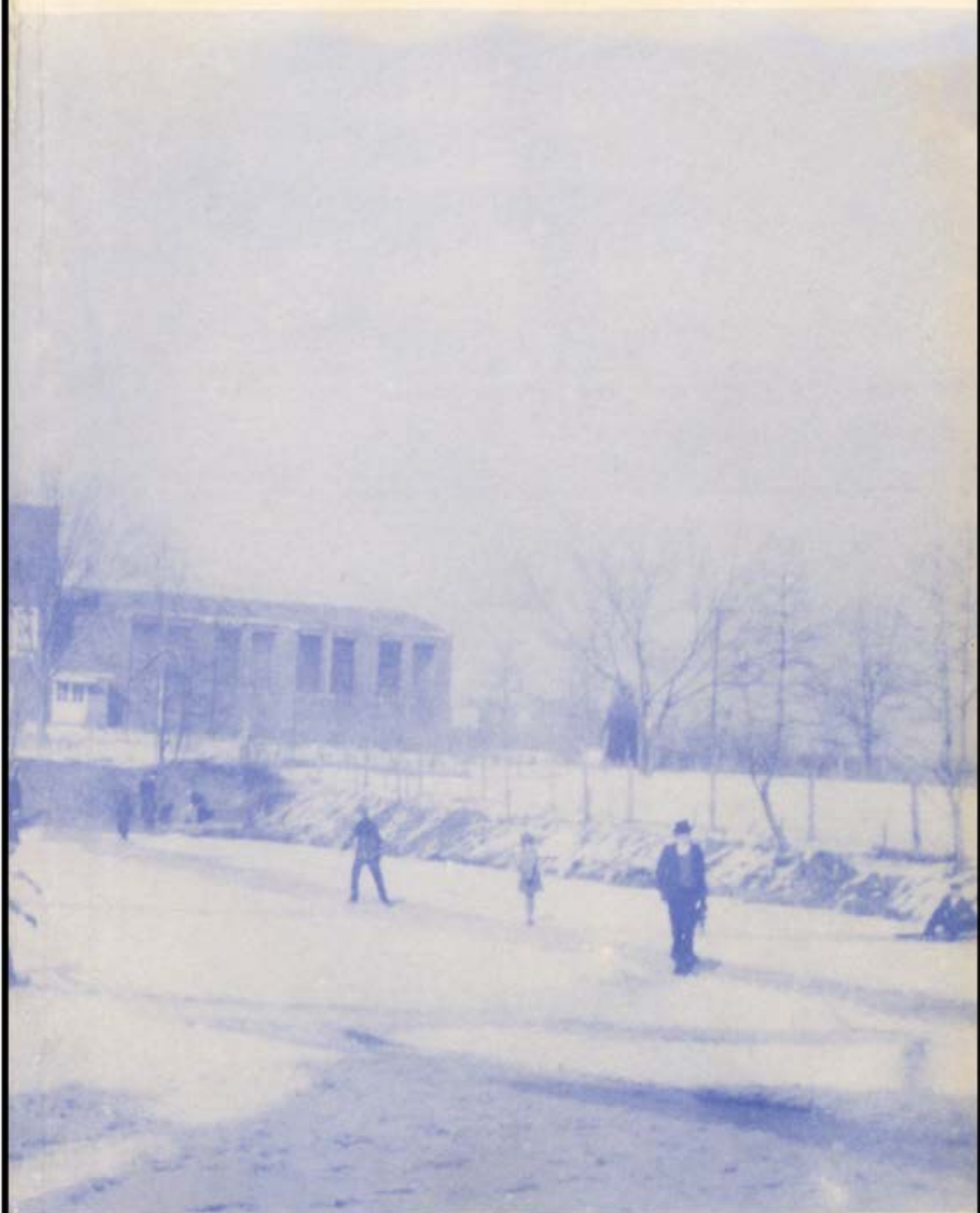
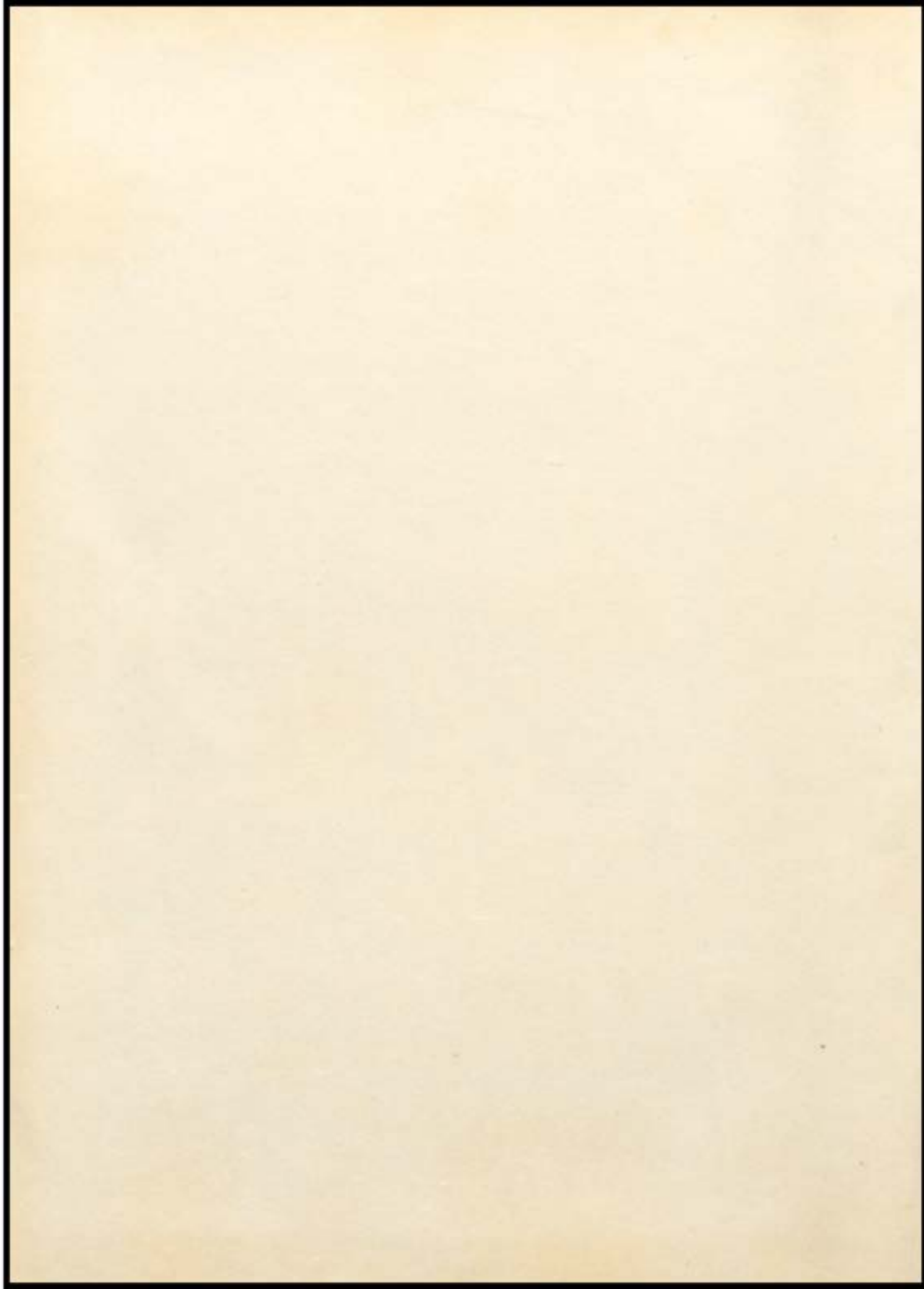


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TO THE YEAR. 1953—A YEAR THAT HAS
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GROWTH FOR DALE HIGH SCHOOL BECOME
TRUE. A NEW GYMNASIUM HAS MADE IT
TRULY A YEAR OF PROGRESS.



**WE PRESENT
THESE THINGS....**

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TO THE STUDENTS OF DALE HIGH SCHOOL:

Dale High School faces the future with hope, courage and confidence.

In a world where the rights of men to worship God as they choose and to live as free men is being denied to an ever enlarging group, our school is the hope of the world of tomorrow. She challenges us, as free Americans to bear the torch of Christian faith and liberty throughout the world. She challenges her students, her faculty, and her Administrative officers to work cooperatively to build an Alma Mater worthy of all who look to her for an education.

It is our privilege and our responsibility to build our Alma Mater upon the principles of fidelity, integrity, mercy, justice, and faith in God and man. So we build our High School, our Alma Mater of Tomorrow, and to the achievement of these ends we dedicate ourselves.

Sincerely,

Theodore Woolsey



Charles Bockstahler
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STUDENT COUNCIL

Dear Students:

The purpose of this letter is to explain briefly the purposes and aims of your Student Council. The Student Council is an organization made up of representatives of all the classes, who aid in directing school affairs, and student activities. The Council is responsible to the student body and reports its actions to the student body.

The main purpose of the council is to teach students self control, self government and democratic ways of living. Students form their character through the choices they make, the actions that they take, and the responsibilities that they accept. Student government also provides valuable experience in conducting meetings, and in debate and parliamentary procedure.

Sincerely,



Joseph C. Glegen





DEPARTMENTS



From the pleased expression on the faces of the Agriculture Boys they seem to be enjoying class.

AGRICULTURE

Mr. Beike doing one of those "jobs".

Vocational Agriculture is a subject for boys who wish to have farming as their occupation. The chief objective of Vocational Agriculture is to teach boys better farming methods and better farm management so as to succeed in their occupation. Records are an important factor in farming so records are kept on several livestock and crop projects by each pupil each year so students may learn how to keep records later on in life.

In 1953, there were 37 boys enrolled in Agriculture.

Mr. Beike taught Agriculture the first semester. The second semester Mr. Rosbottom assumed Mr. Beike's classes.



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



The Lincoln Chapter F. F. A. was reorganized in the fall of 1949, and at present has twenty-one members. Each active member must be enrolled in a Vocational Agriculture Class.

The primary aim of the Future Farmers of America is in the development of Agricultural leadership, cooperation, and citizenship.

F. F. A. SWEETHEART

President
B. Chas. Birchler

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Max Reinke

Secretary
Norman Schue

Treasurer
Robert Rickenbaugh

Reporter
David Dersch

Sentinel
Loren Kaetzel



Tanya Clark, senior was chosen by the F. F. A. Boys to be their Sweetheart for 1952. At a special meeting she was presented with an F. F. A. jacket with her name and the official F. F. A. Sweetheart Emblem inscribed on it.

SHOP DEPARTMENT



The Shop Department's aim is to train young men for most jobs that require a little knowledge in the basic fundamentals of carpentry. In spite of the limited facilities a great deal is accomplished in the time of a year. The Department has forty students enrolled at the present time, who are working on various projects, some are very intricate, thereby requiring much time and skill. It is a very progressive Department and shall continue to be so in the future.



The Explosion!!!!





DRIVER TRAINING

Driver Training was started as a part of our curriculum in the fall of 1947 and has been offered each year for the students qualified and wishing to receive proper instructions in driving fundamentals. Since its beginning there has been about 100 students who have taken the course. This year there are 26 enrolled. The car is a Ford and is being furnished by Conner Motors, Inc.





Mr. Livengood and Mrs. Upson "look over" a new Smith-Corona.

BUSINESS EDUCATION

The purpose of the commercial subjects is to contribute to the development of intelligent economic citizenship, as well as enabling students to acquire useful business skills important in everyday life. The curricular changes in the Department of Business made over the past few years indicate the attempt made to integrate the department with the new pattern of education.

A Typing Class takes a timed writing



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ENGLISH

There were about 225 students enrolled in the Department of English at the beginning of the school year. The English courses stress the fundamentals, such as the history of the language, its grammar, parts of speech and composition together with much other data acquired in learning English and its proper usage.

The department is presided over by three teachers, Mrs. Josephine P. Stone who teaches Freshman, Senior English and Speech, Miss Irene McDaniel teaches both in the Freshman and in the Sophomore years. Mrs. Esther Hoops teaches a large class of Juniors in connection with her other duties.



Speech Class reading from Reader's Digest

Hard at work is this Latin Class



HOME ECONOMICS



Miss Sadie Weedman, Teacher of Home Economics

Home Economic was, at one time, classified as one of the "frills" of education. Today home making courses have a definite and important place in all levels of education from primary grades through college. The purpose of homemaking in the schools is to help the individual live a more useful and satisfying personal, family and community life. Years ago the curriculum of homemaking education meant only cooking and sewing. Now it includes courses in the following areas of education:

1. Selection, preparing and serving of food.
2. Selection, care, renovation and construction of clothing.
3. Guidance and care of children.
4. Selection and care of the home and its furnishings.
5. Home care of sick, including first aid.
6. Maintenance of human and family relationships.

These courses enable the individuals to broaden their purposes and provide for greater self development. Thus home economics is an active and continuous process throughout school and life.

A Sophomore Home Economics Class make a Tea Ring



H.



F.

A.



The Dale Chapter of Future Homemakers of America was organized in the fall of 1950. A girl has to have one year of Home Economics before she can be a member. There are at present thirty-one members. The officers of the F. H. A. are: President, Esther Kellems; Vice President, Beverly Hartley; Secretary, Beulah Meeks; Treasurer, Margie O'Daniel; Parliamentarian, Elsie Hartung; Historian, Julia O'Daniel; Editor, Tanny Clark; Song Leader, Joy McDaniel.





Mathematics teachers: Cecil Jenkins, Hurst Livengood

MATHEMATICS

From the beginning of our education system mathematics has been considered one of the three basic cornerstones upon which the whole superstructure is built. Our high school tries to meet the needs of all pupils for future endeavor. So we try to prepare some who choose to go to college or University for training in the sciences and engineering, while others are advised to become proficient in those subjects that will be of most everyday value upon leaving high school. However, in either event we hope the student will develop a habit of approach and thinking that will help him successfully solve life's problems.





Looking at the chart are: Joseph Glezen, and Theodore Woolley

SCIENCE

Science is the window through which all knowledge comes. It is the window through which the hidden secrets of the Creator are revealed to those who labor patiently and diligently to discover them.

Science has freed man from disease, want and many hardships. It has made the world a safer and a more desirable place in which to live. It has brought him into a better understanding of his fellow man and has given purpose to his knowledge which has brought him into a better understanding of God and eternity.

Chemistry Class



Physics Class





SOCIAL STUDIES

The aims of the Social Studies Department are:

- (1) To acquaint the student with accomplishments and ambitions of the preceding generations.
- (2) To present wholly and unabridged, an opportunity for the development of an overall intelligent viewpoint of the contemporary events facing the world today.
- (3) To impress upon each student, that the value of good citizenship lies in the methods and habits developed in the process of accepting our democratic privileges and meeting our national responsibilities.





Coach Livengood points out a play while Coach Bailey watches

BOYS' HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The boys' Health and Physical Education Department at Dale endeavors to present to the students, a wholesome recreational program, based on supervised activities and designed to co-ordinate the mind and body as one single unit.

This department has maintained a rather extensive program in inter-school activities, such as football, basketball, baseball and track. However on the intra-school level, the standard is maintained by competent instructors attempting to bring forth that which will be conducive to furthering the interest of each and every student through a broad interpretation and mass participation.



CHOIR

There are 29 members under the direction of Miss Durell. The Choir participated in the Evansville Choral Festival in October where nearly a thousand high school students sang under the direction of Mr. George Krueger of Indiana University.

They participated in the solo and ensemble contest at Evansville College in February.





BAND

Miss Nancy E. Durell

Band is a comparatively new organization at Dale High School, having been organized only 3 years ago. It is composed of 44 members and is under the direction of Miss Nancy E. Durell.

On October 11 they entered the State Band Marching Contest at Salem and placed First. On October 18, they participated in the Annual Band Day Activities at Indiana University where they performed with 3657 other High School Band members and Indiana Universities famous Marching Hundred.

The Annual Winter Concert was held on December 12 in co-operation with the Choir.

On December 4th, the Band Booster Club entertained the Band at a banquet at Glenn's Cafe.

Under the supervision of the Band Booster Club the Band has a full-time summer program, during which they gave three free outdoor concerts.





LIBRARY

The Library endeavors to develop general reading interests among students by means of open shelves and a bulletin board display of new book covers.

Miss Irene McDaniel, and Mrs. Esther Hoops, the librarians are assisted by student librarians; Agnes Schum, Mary Bockting, Sally Suhrheinrich, Joy McDaniel, Patsy Day, and Darlene Polster. Those now enrolled as students who have been library assistants are; Sharon Schwenk, Pearl Ferguson, Mary Leistner, Bertha Nord, Vita Birchler, Constance Dilger, Delene Foertsch, Mary Heim, Donna King, and Elsie Hartung.



Books are keys to wisdom's treasure
Books are gates to lands of Pleasure
Books are Paths that upward Lead;
Books are friends--Come let us read.





GIRL'S PHYSICAL ED.

Take a look into the history of Greece and Rome, mother of empires and ruler of seas, not because of accident but primarily because of their stress on physical fitness which is as true today as during past centuries. This eternal principle is no less true for the women of America. Physical fitness may be developed somewhat in the home, the field or on the job; however it may come too late in life. In Dale High School, we stress activities which will endurance, stamina, and skill thru tumbling, calisthenics, marching, square dancing, basketball, soccer ball, volleyball and many other stunts and games all of which promote a healthy body together with individual and group control.

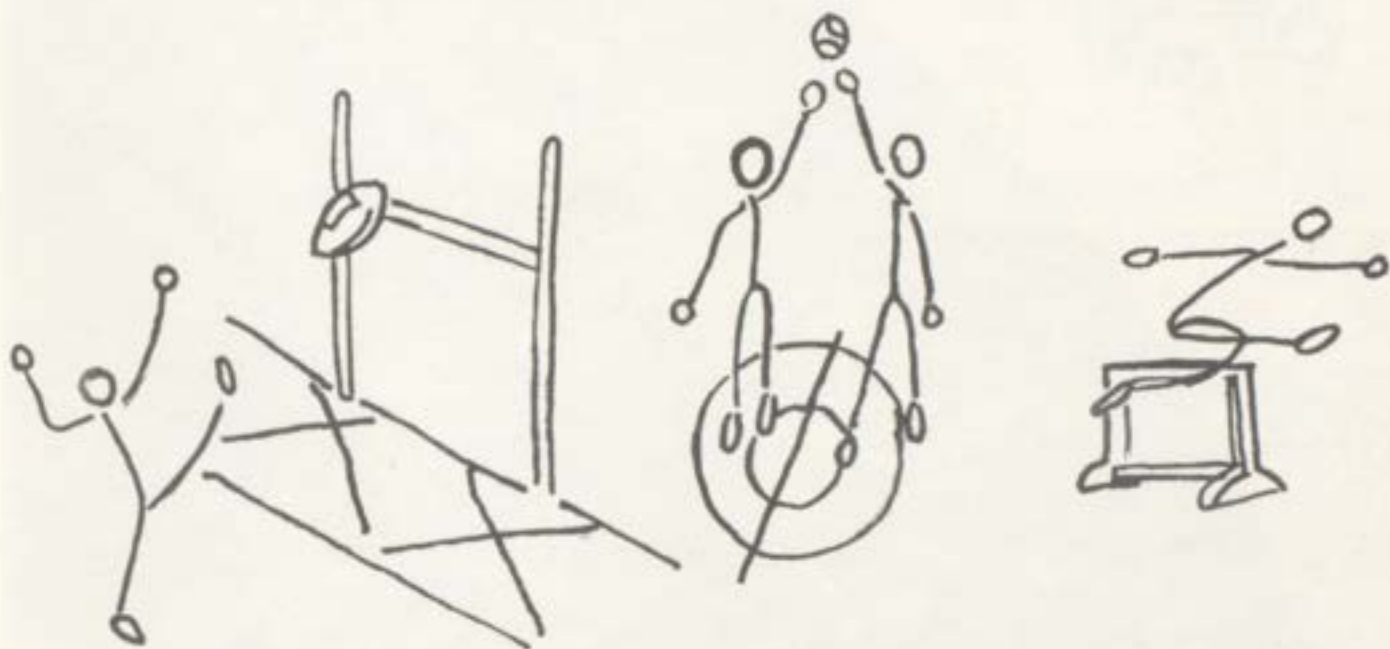
We have endeavored to elevate this department to a place where our girls have attained such perfection in the various activities that they are able to place before the public a program that is both instructive and entertaining.



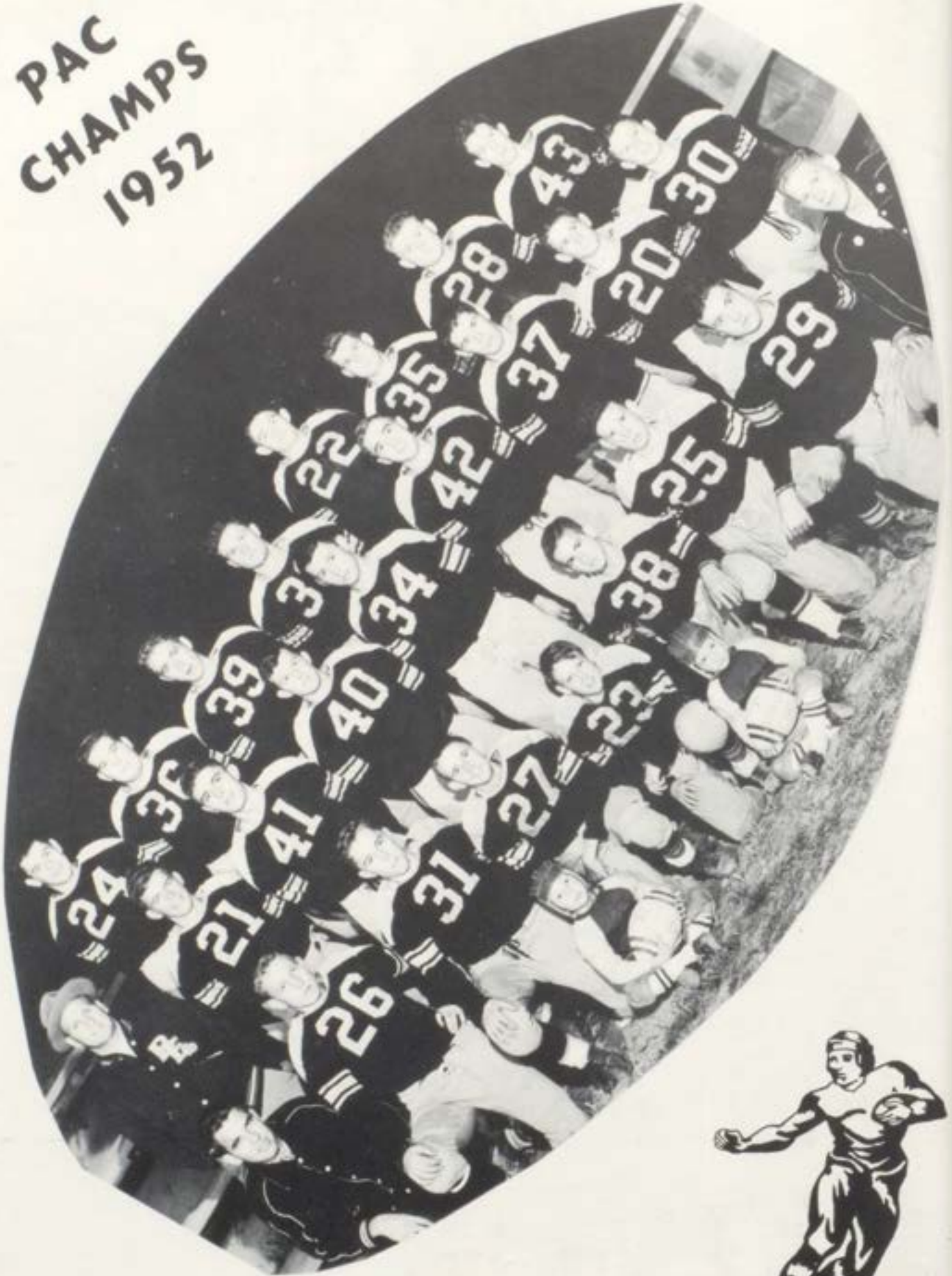


ATHLETICS...

D. H. S.



**PAC
CHAMPS
1952**





ROCKPORT 28; ACES 18

The Aces in the opening game of the season were defeated by the Rockport Zebras 28-18 although the Aces took early leads of 12-0 and 18-8. Playing before one of the largest crowds in PAC history the Aces showed great potentialities. The offense was good and the blocking was commendable but that vital cog of tackling was not there. Hedges scored the first touchdown for Dale and LeRoy scored two more.

ACES 36; CANNELTON 14

Showing the same scoring punch but improved tackling, the Aces belted the Cannelton Bulldogs 36-14. It was the Aces all the way, as Crews ran wild scoring four touchdowns, Hedges and Creulich also scored for the Aces.

ACES 22; TELL CITY 22

The Dale Aces playing a very poor brand of football in the first half, rallied in the last half to gain a 22-22 tie with the slightly favored Marksmen of Tell City. Tell City was leading at the half 22-8. In the last half Hedges scored 2 touchdowns and had a dropkick for the tying margin.

ACES 38; OWENSVILLE 20

Playing good football the Aces trounced the Owensville Kickapoos 38-20 on the Owensville Gridiron. Featuring line plunging and strong downfield blocking the Dale team ran up a 20-0 score at the half. Hedges again was the scoring leader. Crews also scored in the last half.

FOOTBALL

The Dale Aces closed a very successful 1952 season by winning the second Pocket Athletic Conference Championship in D. H. S. history. The season record of the black and gold was a very impressive 7-1-1. After an early season defeat and tie, the Aces won 6 straight games under the expert coaching of Dutch Bailey who had his first successful season in four years of Coaching in D. H. S.

Hedges



LeRoy



Gruelich



Subrheinrich



Truelove



Crews



Roos



Sergesketter





Lehr



Coffey



Huffman



Hendren



Wahl



An exciting moment in the Tell City-Dale Game.

Hunter

Coffey

Barett

Rickenbaugh

Brown





Coach Bailey and Capt. Hedges watch a new play in action.

Do student managers always have this fun?



Cooper

Gentry

Elkins

McDowell

Huffman



ACES 38; PETERSBURG 6

The Dale Aces played what was probably their best game of the season in trouncing the Petersburg Indians 38-6. The ends showed remarkable defensive improvement and were big factors in holding the Indians to one touchdown. Hedges scored three times and LeRoy had two touchdowns and a dropkick for the Aces.

ACES 54; RICHLAND 19

The Dale Aces, although being held to a 12-6 halftime lead blasted the Richland Red Devils 54-19. The small but tricky Devils surprised the Aces but couldn't keep pace with the strong Aces in the last half. Hedges scored 4 times, LeRoy 3, Lehl, and Huffman had 6 points on 3 dropkicks.

ACES 72; CHRISNEY 6

In what proved the largest total number of points scored by one time in the Conference this year the Aces blasted Chrisney 72-6. Hedges scored 6 touchdowns, Crews 2, Hunter, LeRoy and Suhrheinrich each had one in this runaway game. Roos, Sergesketter and True-love showed strong defensive ability in the Contest. Huffman again added 3 drop kicks for 6 points.



OUR NEVER-FAILING LINE-TRUELOVE, SERGESKETTER, AND ROOS

THE STARTING LINE-UP



PRACTICE SESSION FOR THE WHOLE SQUAD





KIWANIS AWARD WINNER

John Hedges, Senior, was selected by the Kiwanis Club as winner of the 1952 Kiwanis Football Award being the most outstanding football player on the Dale Squad.

This award is based upon playing ability, attitude, honesty scholarship, responsibility, sportmanship, leadership, team work and other qualities.

This is the second year this award has been given. Last year this award winner was Robert LeRoy.

ACES; 38 OAKLAND CITY 13

The Dale Aces although leading at one time had to rally to beat the Oakland City team 30-13. After the Acorns had taken a 13-12 lead in the first half, Hedges heaved a desperation pass of 60 yards which was completed to LeRoy to give Dale an 18-13 lead which was never challenged. In the last half, the Aces held the Acorns scoreless while Hunter and Hedges scored.

ACES 31; MOUNT VERNON 15

The Dale Aces won the PAC football crown of 1952 by beating the once beaten Mount Vernon Wildcats 31-15 at Mount Vernon. Hedges scored 4 touchdowns and Suhrheinrich one in the title game. Hedges played his usual fine offensive game and Roos and True-love as well as Crews and Lehr in the defensive backfield.

NAME	YEAR	POS.	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	T. P.
Jim Sergesketter	Jr.	C	5' 10"	185	0
Robert Rickenbaugh	Jr.	E	6' 1"	160	0
Robert LeRoy	Sr.	E	6'	170	57
Bob Barrett	Jr.	G	5' 11"	215	0
Berl Suhrheinrich	Sr.	E	5' 10"	145	18
John Hedges	Sr.	B	6'	185	197
Richard Roos	Sr.	G	5' 11"	180	0
Gene Wahl	Jr.	B	6'	170	0
Fred Crews	Jr.	B	5' 10"	175	42
Charles Hunter	Jr.	B	5' 6"	147	12
Larry Hendren	Jr.	E	6' 2"	185	0
Jack Truelove	Jr.	G	5' 10"	195	0
Jim Brown	Soph.	B	5' 7"	130	0
Ronnie McDowell	Fresh.	B	5' 7"	135	0
Alfred Coffey	Soph.	G	5' 9"	145	0
Robert Coffey	Sr.	G	5' 11"	150	0
Raphael Gruelich	Sr.	B	5' 7"	150	6
Frank Lehr	Sr.	B	5' 10"	155	6
Mike Wirthwein	Sr.	G	5' 11"	175	0
Calvin Elkins	Fresh.	B	5' 9"	150	0
Paul Gentry	Fresh.	B	5' 9"	140	0
Bill Cooper	Fresh.	C	5' 5"	105	0
Don Huffman	Fresh.	B	5' 6"	130	0

FOOTBALL

QUEEN

Nancy Glezen, Senior was crowned Football Queen at the Chrisney-Dale Game. She was selected by the football team.



ATTENDANTS

BACK ROW--left to right, Rita Bockting, Patsy Harper, Tanya Clark, Bethel Crews, Margie O'Daniel, Gayla Hinkle, Lynn Whitaker, FRONT ROW--left to right--Mary Bockting, Elsa Mae Roessler.





TRACK 1952

	100 YD.	220 YD.	880 YD.	Low HURD	High HURD	1/2 Mile RELAY	Shot PUT	Broad JUMP	Mile	Mile RELAY	High JUMP	440 YD.
HEDGES												
Cannelton		3rd		1st			3rd	3rd				
Tell City				2nd			3rd					
Troy	3rd	1st		1st	2nd	1st	2nd					
Mt. Veronn	3rd						3rd					
H. BYERS												
Cannelton			3rd								2nd	
Tell City												
Troy			1st						2nd			
Mt. Vernon									1st		2nd	
R. GRUELICH												
Cannelton	2nd	3rd				3rd						3rd
Tell City	2nd							3rd				3rd
Troy	1st					1st						1st
Mt. Vernon	3rd	2nd				3rd						3rd
SUHRHEINRICH												
Cannelton					3rd	3rd						
Tell City				3rd	2nd	3rd						
Troy				2nd	1st							
Mt. Vernon					3rd	3rd						
SNYDER												
Troy		2nd				1st						
GRUNDHOEFER												
Cannelton								3rd		3rd	2nd	
Tell City										2nd	2nd	
Troy										3rd	1st	
Mt. Vernon										2nd		
LeROY												
Cannelton										3rd		
Tell City										2nd		
Troy										2nd		
Mt. Vernon			2nd					3rd		2nd		

R. Byers, A. Wetzel, L. Kaetzel, A. Dilger--3rd Freshman Relay-Troy
 Other members were: T. Werne, J. Huebschman, D. Brock.

SPENCER COUNTY CHAMPS



Hedges--Captain





Snyder



Knott



Wahl

SEASON-RECORD 1952-1953



Grundhoefer

DALE

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Tell City
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Ferdinand
English
Cannelton
Lynnville
Newburg
Richland
Rockport
Owensville
Spurgeon
Oakland City
Holland
Petersburg
Stendal
Chrisney
Corydon
Boonville

OPPONENT

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Harris

COUNTY TOURNEY

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63

Rockport
Richland

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48



Hunter

Hendren

Pennington

Crews





Tip-off--Rockport Game--County Tourney



Captain presents trophy to Student Council President.

Hill presents County Tourney Trophy.



Wasn't it wonderful to see Coach Cutting down net?



ACES

The 1952-'53 basketball season held many early season disappointments as well as mid-season highlights. One of the highlights was the winning of the county tourney. This year's team defied the present day theory of fast-break basketball and developed into a defensive unit, often holding their opponents to very low scores. Using a set offense the Aces did at times use the fast-break. This year's team included several underclassmen who should carry on very capably in coming seasons.

MIN.	7	21	SEC.
43	0	0	0
	1	2	3
		4	5
VISITORS	Ⓜ	HOME	51



Dale--Richland

Coach Livengood





Principal Woolsey presents Hedges Brooner Award.

John Hedges, one of the best all around athletes in the history of Dale High School was awarded the Allen Brooner Memorial Award at the County Tourney on Jan. 10 after the Aces had trounced the Richland Red Devils for the county crown.

This award is given for sportsmanship, attitude, ability, and outstanding individual playing during the tourney.

Name	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	T. P.
John Hedges	St.	6'	185	
Carol Grundhoefer	St.	6' 3"	185	
Ray Snyder	Jr.	5' 10"	160	
Bob Knott	So.	6' 3"	189	
Jean Wahl	Jr.	6'	170	
Fred Crews	Jr.	5' 10"	175	
Larry Hendren	Jr.	6' 2"	180	
Carl Harris	So.	5' 11"	155	
Darrell Pennington	St.	6'	160	
Robert Rickenbaugh	Jr.	6'	170	
Willie Hunter	Jr.	5' 5"	140	

Name	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	T. P.
Larry Walters	Fr.	5' 10"	137	
Dickie Clark	Fr.	5' 3"	107	
Bob Schum	So.	5' 10"	142	
Jerry Stephens	Fr.	5' 6"	112	
Bob Day	Fr.	5' 7"	115	
Kenny Roos	Fr.	5' 6"	104	
Bob Roos	Fr.	5' 8"	126	
Ronnie Conner	Fr.	5' 9"	117	
Ronnie McDowell	Fr.	5' 8"	125	
Calvin Eldins	Fr.	5' 9"	130	

COACH

Hurst Livengood	5' 10"	148
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Student Managers

Jerry Taylor	5' 11"	168
Jerry Hile	6'	171

BASKETBALL

MARGIE O'DANIEL

QUEEN



Margie O'Daniel, Senior, was crowned basketball queen of 1952-1953 at the Newburgh-Dale game. She was selected by the Booster Club.



ATTENDANTS

TOP ROW-left to right-Tanya Clark, Maid-of-Honor Doris Cooper, Laura McGlothlin, 2ND ROW-left to right-Beulah Meeks, Elma Mae Vogel, Beverly Hartley, Elva Grigsby, 3RD ROW-left to right-Barbara Harper, Ball Carrier Gene Bailey, Crown Bearer Connie Brown, Nancy Glezen.





BOOSTER CLUB



The Booster Club of Dale High School has a booming membership of nearly two hundred members.

The Club is organized to pep up students before a game and to plan entertaining pep sessions.

The following officers were elected: Pres. Max Reinke; Vice Pres. Charles McCoy; Treas., Tanya Clark; Sponsors, Mr. Livengood and Mr. Bailey.



President, Treasurer, Vice-Pres.

SCHOOL SONG

On, oh Dale, On oh Dale,
Plunge right through that line
Bring the ball clear 'round the
end, a basket sure this time;

Rah! Rah! Rah!

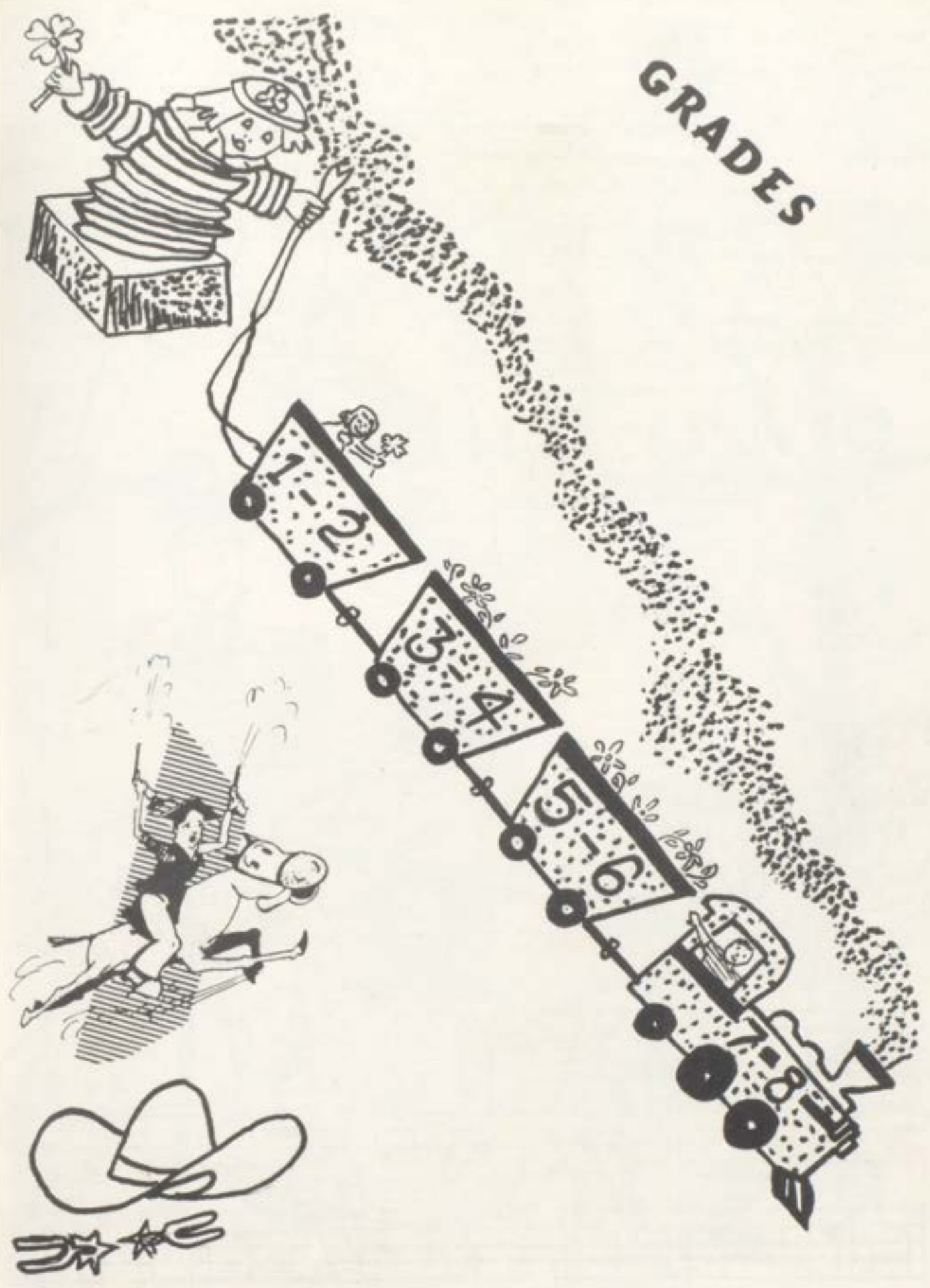
Golden Aces, Golden Aces,
Fight for love and fame,
Fight, fellows, fight, and we
will win this game.



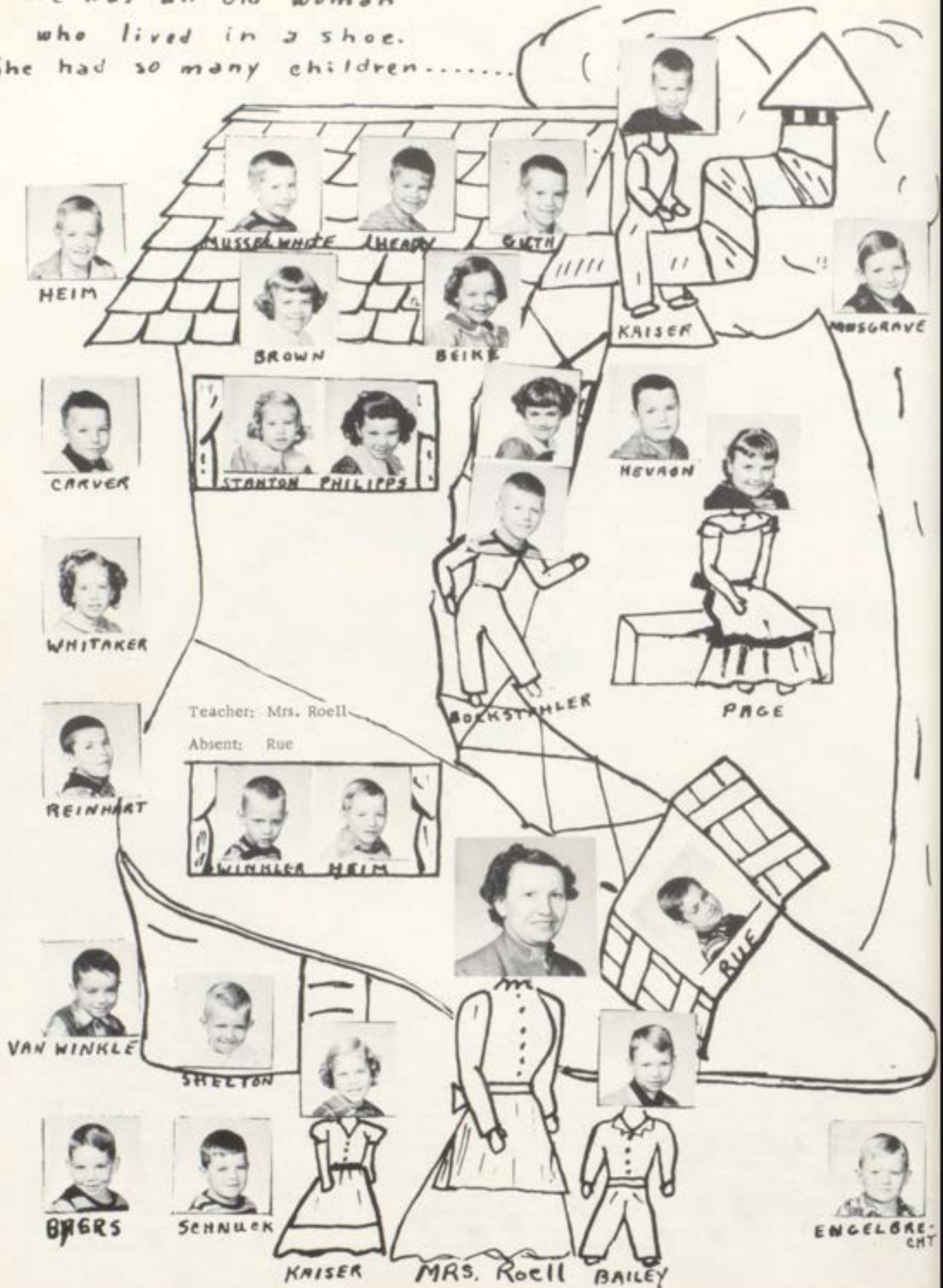
Yea, Rah, Aces!

The musical notation is written on three staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 2/4 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. The second and third staves continue the melody with similar rhythmic patterns. To the right of the first staff, there is a cartoon illustration of a person with wild, spiky hair, wearing a simple shirt, shouting with their mouth wide open and holding a megaphone in their right hand. The person's arms are outstretched, and there are motion lines behind them, suggesting they are cheering or shouting enthusiastically.

GRADES



There was an old woman
 who lived in a shoe.
 She had so many children.....



Teacher: Mrs. Roell
 Absent: Rue



HEIM



MUSSELWHITE



LHEADY



GUTH



KAISER



MANSGRAVE



BROWN



BEIKE



CARVER



STANTON PHILIPPS



BOKSTÄHLER



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WHITAKER



REINHART



WINKLER HEIM



SHELTON



RIFE



VAN WINKLE



KNISER



BAILEY



BRGRS



SEHNUICK



ENGELBRECHT



MRS. ROELL

Little Bo-Pee has lost her
 sheep And can't tell where to
 find them: Leave them alone,
 and they'll come home And
 bring their tails
 behind them.



ABSENT:
 Charles Bays

SPURLUCK

STANTON

SCOTT

WHITTEN

BROWN

HEIM

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BOCKSTAHLER

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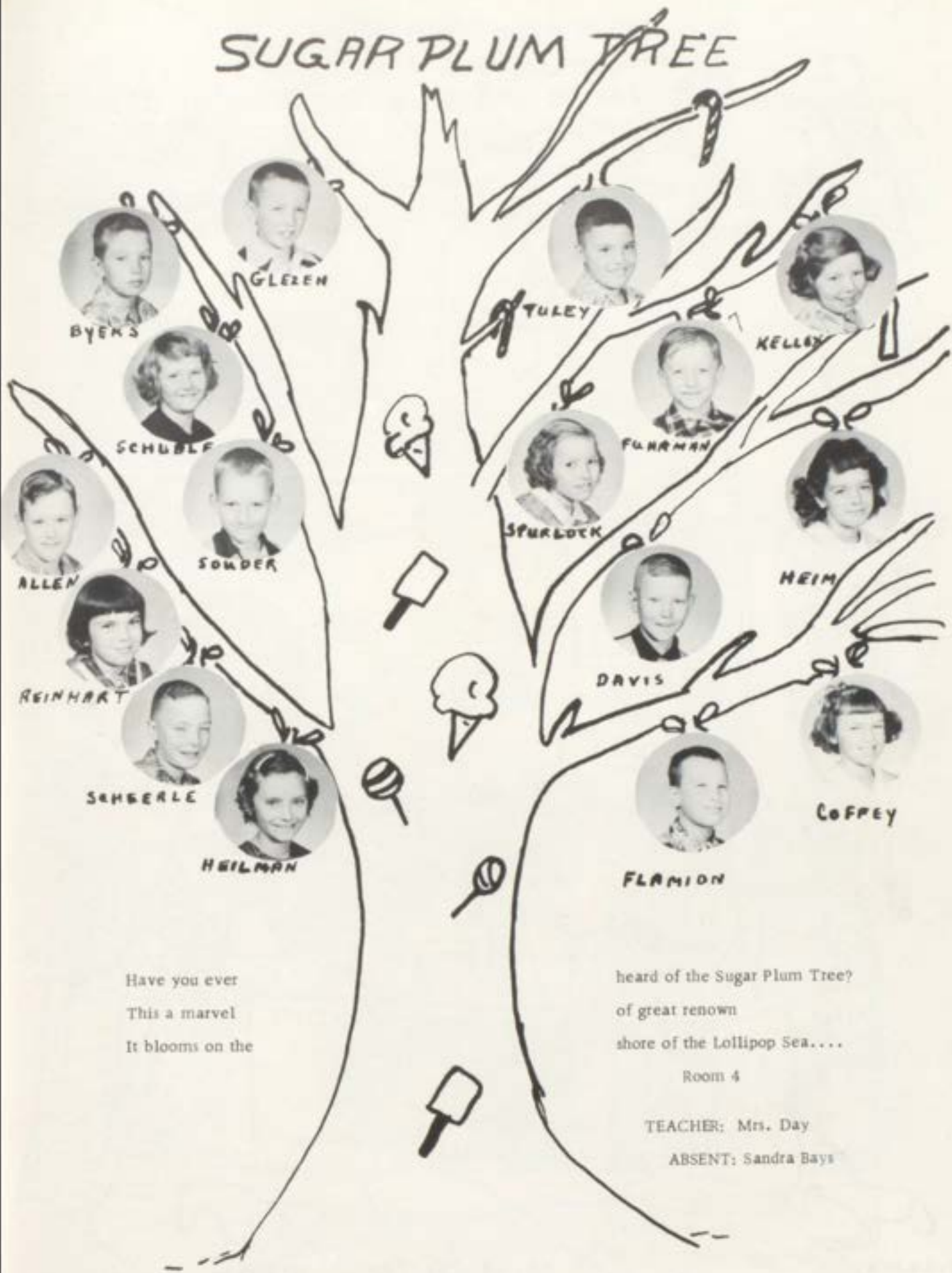
SCHARF

MRS. LINK



One little, two little,
 Three little Indians.....

SUGAR PLUM TREE



Have you ever
This a marvel
It blooms on the

heard of the Sugar Plum Tree?
of great renown
shore of the Lollipop Sea....

Room 4

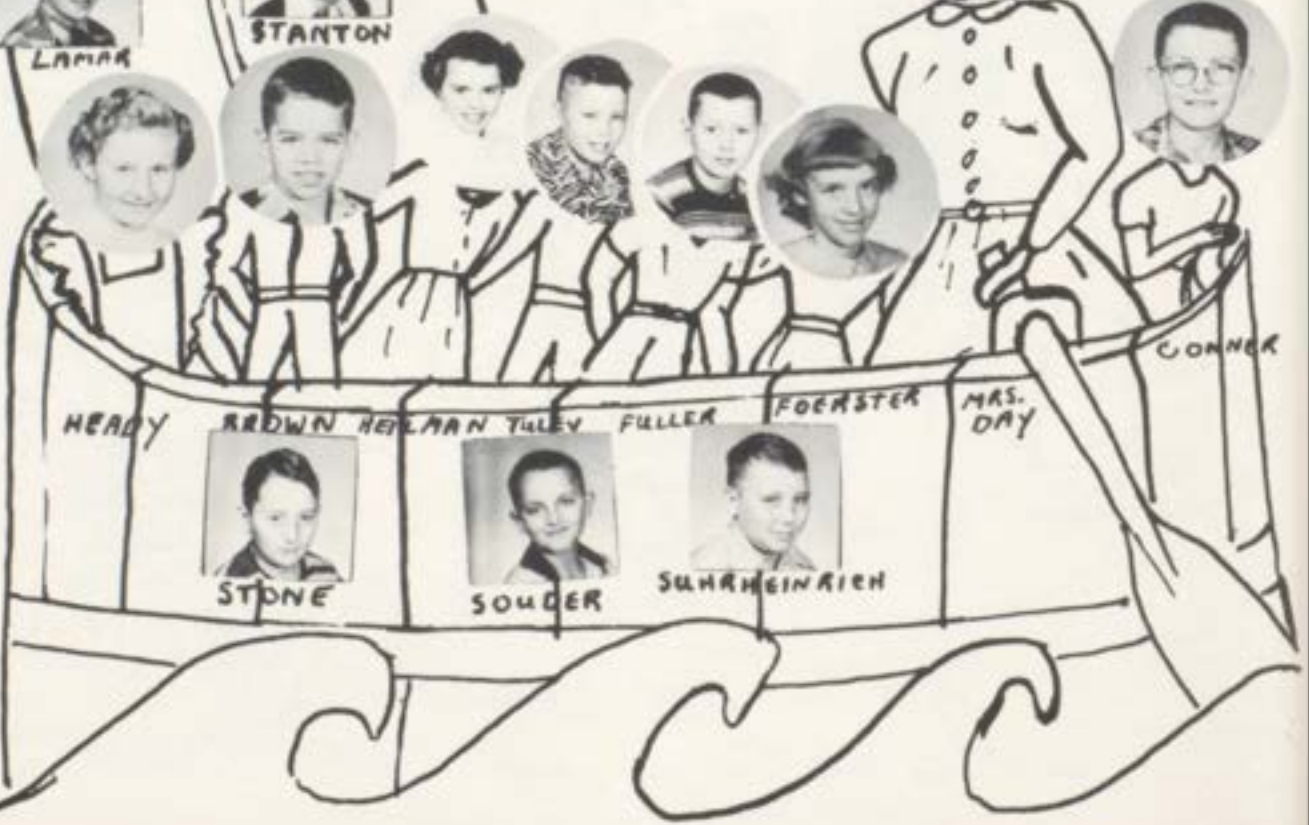
TEACHER: Mrs. Day

ABSENT: Sandra Bays

RUB-A-DUB-DUBB
 FIFTH GRADE IN A TUB
 AND WHO DO YOU THINK THEY BE....



Absent: M. Lynch
 Teacher: Mrs. Day





FIRST ROW: Chanley, Albin, Englebrect, Flamion, Kemp
 SECOND ROW: Grigsby, Neighbors, Glezen, Spurlock, Janice Hile
 THIRD ROW: Stewart, LeRoy, Amos, Reinhart, Musgrave
 FOURTH ROW: Woolley, Cooper, Bennett, Boyer, Fuller
 FIFTH ROW: Schuble, Gloria McDaniel, Perry, Coffey, Johnny Hile
 SIXTH ROW: Witte, Bockstahler, Davis, Jones, Kaetzel
 SEVENTH ROW: Byers, Mr. McDaniel



FIRST ROW: Barnett, Brown, Coffey, Chanley, Dougan
 SECOND ROW: Dike, Fleener, Forester, Geiss, Glezen
 THIRD ROW: Huffman, Hevron, Kaiser, Heim, Neighbors
 FOURTH ROW: Michel, LeRoy, Reinhart, Reinke, Taylor
 FIFTH ROW: Truelove, Woolsey, Weller, Mr. Hollander

ABSENT
 Walters
 Ferguson

"ROCKETS"

The Rockets have had a very successful season. The players are: Chuck Neighbors, Roger Kaiser, Bob Reinhart, Jerry Davis, Jerry Barnett, LeRoy Spurlock, Mark Weller, Bill Bockstahler, Vernon Geiss and David Kemp. The team is coached by Gervase Hollander, a former Dale star. The student manager is Rex Truelove who is always ready and willing to help the boys. Cheerleaders of the "Rockets" are Mary Glezen, Priscilla Brown and Beverly Hevron. The Rockets also won the Invitational Tournament held at Tennyson.

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JOHN HEDGES. "Big sports wheel." Vice President 3-4; Comet 4; Annual 4; Student Council 1-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Letter in Football 1-2-3-4; Captain in Football 3-4; Kiwanis Award Winner in Football 4; Track 2-3-4; Letter in Track 3-4; Baseball 3-4; Letter in Baseball 3-4.

BEVERLY HARTLEY. "Full of vim and vigor." Class Treasurer 1; Comet 4; Annual 4; F. H. A. 2-3-4; Christmas Queen.

FRANK LEHR. "Dream Boat." Class Treasurer 4; Class Secretary 1; Football 4; Letter in Football 4; Baseball 3-4; Letter in Baseball 4; Campus Chatter Staff 3.



CAROL GRUNDHOEFFER. "The roving kind." Football 1-2-3-4; Letter in Football 3; Track 3-4 Letter in Track 3-4.



BETTY CONNER. "She likes to giggle." Student Council 1; Choir 2-3-4; Chorus 1; Accompanist 2; Girls Ensemble 2.



LAVERNE KAPP. "The perfect homemaker." Choir 1.



CHARLES EBLE. "Likes to watch everyone else work." F. F. A. 3-4.

B. CHARLES BIRCHLER. "Mr Questionnaire." Comet 4; F. F. A. 1-2-3-4.

LAURA McGLOTHLIN. "A typical busy senior." Comet 4; Band 1-2-3-4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; F. H. A. 2-3; Choir 1-2; Girls Ensemble 2; Accompanist 1.



TANYA CLARK. "Likes everyone." Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; Booster Club Officer 4; F. H. A. 2-3-4; Class Reporter 1; Choir 3. F. F. A. Sweetheart 4.

GLEN SCHRIEFER. "Young man with a horn." Class Reporter 1; Band 1-2-3-4; Pep Band 3-4.



RICHARD ROESSLER. "School is his part time hobby." F. F. A. 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3; Letter in Football 2-3; Band 1-2.

CHARLOTTE DILGER. "Loves leap years." F. H. A. 2; Band 1-2-3-4.



ELMA MAE VOGEL. "Mrs. Santa Claus." Comet 4; Annual 4; F. H. A. 2; Choir 2-3-4; Chorus 1; Accompanist 1-2.

ROBERT COFFEY. "Corn and wheat man." F. F. A. 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4.





LUCILLE GOGEL. "A quiet brain." F. H. A. 2-4.

BERL SUHRHEINRICH. "Not a worry in the world." Annual 4; Football 1-2-3-4; Letter in Football 3-4; Track 2-3-4; Letter in Track 3-4.



THOMAS WERNE. "The Farmer." Track 3-4.

DELENE FOERTSCH. "Always with a Conner." Choir 2-3-4; Chorus 1; Accompanist 2; Girls Ensemble 2.



ANNA MAE WERNE. "Best sports girl." Comet 4; Annual 4; Library Club 3.

LOREN KAETZEL. "The strong silent type." Comet 4; F. F. A. 2-3-4.



ROBERT HUFFMAN. "Speed demon." Comet 4; Class Play 3; Football 2-4; Letter in Football 4; Track 2.

BETTY COOPER. "All for Ernie Pyle." F. H. A. 1-2.

NORMAN BORHO. "The slick bookkeeper". Comet 4; Band 1-2.

MARY JANE LEISTNER. "Always active". Annual 4; F. H. A. 2-3; Choir 3-4; Chorus 1; Speech 4.



JOHN HEUBSCHMAN. "Big man with a little car". Track squad 2-3-4.

DARRELL PENNINGTON. "The henpecked". Basketball 2-3-4; Letter in Basketball 3-4; Baseball 3-4; Letter in Baseball 3-4.



ROBERT LeROY. "Huntingburg bound". Comet 4; Annual 4; Football 2-3-4; Letter in Football 3-4; Track 2-3-4; Kiwanis award winner in Football 3.

LEO ALTMAN. "Leo the lion".



BEULAH MEEKS. "Anything in a uniform." Comet 4; Annual 4; F. H. A. 2-3-4; Choir 1-3-4; Class Reporter 4; Majorette 2-3-4.

JOHN HARRIS. "That curly hair." Comet 4; Class Play





MARGIE O'DANIEL. "Sweetie Face." Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; F. H. A. 3-4; Choir 1,3; Speech 4; Basketball Queen 4.

HAROLD D. BYERS. "Oh that red car." Comet 4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 2-3-4; Letter in Track 3-4.



JAMES STROBEL. "Sleepy...all the time." Comet 4; F. H. A. 3-4.

ESTHER KELLEMS. "Mad about school." Comet 4; Annual 4; Band 1-2-3-4; Reporter 3; F. H. A. 2-3-4; Student Council 1-2.



DIANNE KNOTT. "Our favorite blond." Comet 4.

CHARLES McCOY. "Charles means manly." Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; Band 1-2-3-4; Pep Band 3-4; Choir 4; Booster Club Officer 4.



MICHAEL WIRTHWEIN. "Always talking Huntingburg." F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Football 3-4; Letter in Football 4.

GLENDA ALLEN. "Always with Hoot." Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; F. H. A. 2-3; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1.

DARLENE POLSTER. "She loves excitement." Comet 4; Library Club 3; Annual 4.



RICHARD ROOS. "Mr. Student Council." Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; Student Council 2-3-4; Football 2-3-4; Letter in Football 2-3-4.

RAPHAEL GRUELICH. "Better known as Speedy." Football 2-4; Letter in Football 4; Track 2-3-4; Letter in Track 3-4.



BARBARA HARPER. "Always flashing her diamond." Annual 4; Class Secretary 1; Comet Editor 4; Class Play 3; F. H. A. 2; Class Reporter 2-3.

PAULINE DOOGS. "Likes to go steady." F. H. A. 2.

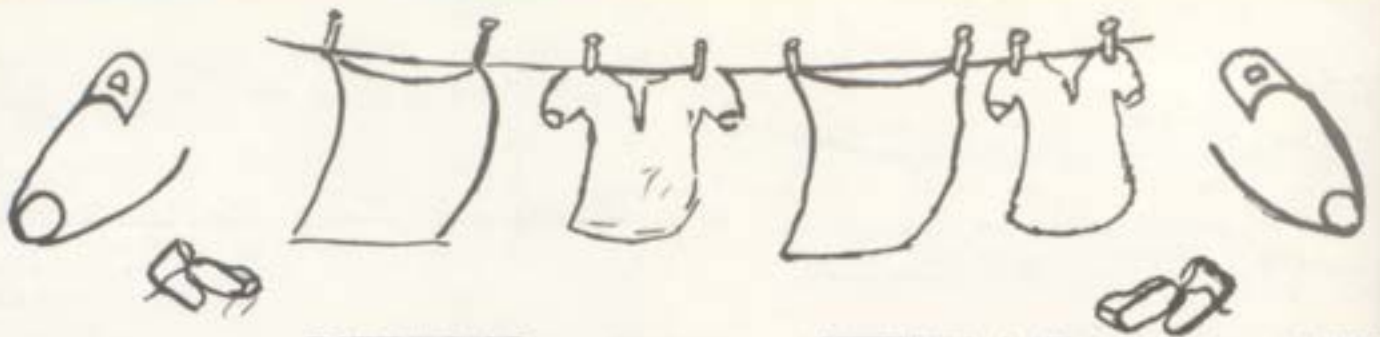


MAX REINKE. "Our Booster Club President. Class Treas. 3; Comet 4; Annual 4; Class Play 3; Booster Club President 4; F. F. A. 1-2-3-4; Football 1; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 3-4; Pep Band 3-4.

AMON REINHART. "Busy....all the time." Comet 4; Class Play 3; Track 2; Band 4.



ELVA GRIGSBY. "Lincoln City Special." Sword & Masque 2; Choir 1-2-3; Honor Citation; Minstrel Comedy 3.



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Elmer



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HISTORY



On September 5, 1949, eighty "green" freshmen started their school life at Dale High School. The class immediately met with their sponsors, Mr. Pegler, Mr. Livengood, Miss McDaniel and Mrs. Bovinet, and selected the following officers to guide them through their first year. Pres. Doris Cooper, Vice Pres. Nancy Glezen, Sec. Barbara Harper, Treas. Beverly Hartley. Student Council: Betty Conner, Doris Cooper, John Hedges, Jerry Whitten.

The Freshmen had two class parties, one at Lincoln Park and their second on the school grounds. Only sixty five "silly" sophomores came back to school, August 29, 1950, to add another step to their ladder of success.

Their able guides that year was Pres. Richard Roos, Vice Pres. John Hedges, Sec. Nancy Glezen, Treas. Doris Cooper. Sponsors: Mr. Jenkins, Mr. Bocksthaler, Miss Gabbert. Student Council: Nancy Glezen, Esther Kellams, Richard Roos, Jerry Whitten.

One class party was held at Huntingburg Park, the other party at Lincoln City.

On August 23, 1951, fifty-four "jolly" juniors came back to Dale High School. That was a memorable year of their life.

To start their school year right they chose the following leaders: Pres. Nancy Glezen, Vice Pres. John Hedges, Sec. Doris Cooper, Treas. Max Reinke. Their able sponsors were: Miss Weedman, Mrs. Upson, Mr. Bocksthaler. Student Council: Nancy Glezen, Richard Roos, John Hedges, Doris Cooper.

Their class play "If Mother Only Knew" was a success.

They went to Evansville for their class party.

Frank Lehr joined the class. He came from St. Meinrad Abbey.

At last on August 29, 1952, fifty-one seniors came back to school to put the finishing touches on their high school education.

For this final year they chose the following officers to guide them. Pres. Nancy Glezen, Vice. Pres. John Hedges, Sec. Doris Cooper, Treas. Frank Lehr. Student Council: Nancy Glezen, Richard Roos, John Hedges, Doris Cooper.

The class welcomed Elva Grigsby, who had previously been a student at Reitz in Evansville.

SENIOR FACULTY TEA

The traditional Senior-Faculty Tea, sponsored by the Sophomore Home Ec. Girls under the supervision of Miss Weedman, was served on December 13, 1952, in the Home Ec. Room.

The room was beautifully decorated in keeping with the Christmas spirit.

While we ate our delicacies and drank our punch we were entertained by a group of sophomore girls, who sang Christmas songs, and by the merry antics of jolly Santa Claus himself.



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CLASS WILL



We, the Class of 1953, in forty-nine individual and distinct parts, being about to pass out of this sphere of education, in full possession of a crammed mind, well-trained memory, and almost superhuman understanding, do make and publish this our last will and testament.

To our dear faculty, who have been our instructors in all the wisdom of the ages, we bequeath, a sweet and unbroken succession of restful nights and peaceful dreams.

To the freshmen we will any stubs of pencils, erasers or scraps of paper that we may inadvertently leave behind us in the excitement and haste of gathering up our cherished treasures for the last time.

To the sophomores we leave our seats in the senior room. Hoping they endeavor to fill them as advantageously, as promptly and as faithfully as we have done.

Next we leave our personal will to individual juniors:

I, Esther Kellems, will to thee, Melvin Brinkman, my ability to get along with all my teachers.

I, Tanya Clark, will to thee, Ray Snyder, my love for girls who wear glasses.

I, LaVerne Kapp, will to thee, Jerry Hile, my ability not to get demerits.

I, Norman Borho, will to thee, Margaret Sergesketter, my ability to copy English while in class.

I, Charlotte Dilger, will to thee, Larry Hendren, my ability to play my French Horn.

I, Darlene Polster, will to thee, Margaret Sergesketter, my ability and love for bookkeeping; and to bother Mr. Livengood.

I, Anna Mae Werne, will to thee, Donald Heuschman, my ability to be in everybody's wedding, but my own.

I, Raphael Greulich, will to thee, Ila Jean Ellis, my speed to help you in your pursuit of Max.

I, Bob LeRoy, will to thee, Charles Hunter, a pair of elevator shoes to increase your minimum stature.

I, Robert Huffman, will to thee, Cornelius Collignon, my ability to work hard in fifth pd. shop class.

I, Nancy Glezen, will to thee, Jean Wahl, my ability to get good grades in Mr. Bailey's classes with-

out studying.

I, Loren Kaetzel, will to thee, Melvin Brinkman, my desk and all the chewing gum that goes with it.

I, Boots Meeks, will to thee, Nellie Elliott, my prompt and unexcitable ways.

I, John C. Heubichman, will to thee, Beatrice Konerding, my friendship with Mike Wirthwein.

I, Glenda Faye Allen, will to thee, Bertha Mae Nord, my girlish figure.

I, Charles McCoy, will to thee, LeRoy Hildenbrand, my seat in the Government Class and my ability to have "friendly arguments" with Mr. Bailey.

I, Dianne Knott, will to thee, Bob Barrett, my ability to get along in Mr. Jenkins Class.

I, Lucille Gogel, will to thee, Fred Crews, my love for "Clarks".

I, Margie O'Daniel, will to thee, Jean Saltzman, my undecided love for those funny creatures called boys.

I, Pauline Doogs, will to thee, James Sergesketter, my love for U. S. Army uniforms.

I, Charles McCoy, will to thee, Pearl Ann Ferguson, my ability to get along with Miss Durell.

I, Darrell Pennington, will to thee, Jack Truelove, a big piece of mistletoe to do what comes naturally.

I, Barbara Harper, will to thee, Verona Leistner, my ability to write letters; especially to sailors.

I, Harold Byers, will to thee, Ralph Michel, some sawdust to fill up that partial vacuum in your head.

I, James Strobel, will to thee, Marilyn Kordes, my ability to be small and witty.

I, Delene Foertsch, will to thee, Elsie Hartung, my ability to not miss a day of school in four years.

I, Mike Wirthwein, will to thee, Gayla Hinkle, the ability to get home early at night.

I, Frank Lehr, will to thee, Norman Schue, my ability to drive fast without accidents.

I, Laura McGlothlin, will to thee, Bethel Crews, part of my love for part of the Junior Class.

I, John Hedges, will to thee, Robert Rickenbaugh, my ability to play football.

I, Thomas Werne, will to thee, Bonnie Cooper, my seat in the detention room.

- I, Elva Grigsby, will to thee, Mary Heim, my seat in Senior Math with Mr. Jenkins as your future teacher.
- I, Betty Cooper, will to thee, Wanda Eberhart, the time I lost trying to think up this will.
- I, Amon Reinhart, will to thee, Donald Heubschman, my ability to play a bass horn.
- I, Beverly Hartley, will to thee, Fred Crews, my freckles hoping he can make use of them.
- I, Leo Altman, will to thee, Bob Barrett, my ability to read comic books in school and get by with it.
- I, Max Reinke, will to thee, Donna King, all the time I took to think up this will.
- I, B. Charles Birchler, will to thee, Andrew Gogel, my friendship with the girls from Fulda.
- I, Richard Roessler, will to thee, Patsy Harper, my love and longing for schools so that you will know your time is well spent.
- I, Glen Schriefer, will to thee, Jerry Taylor, my ability to get along with Miss Durell.
- I, Richard Roos, will to thee, Ralph Michel, all of the respect that Mr. Bailey once had for me long ago.
- I, Charles Eble, will to thee, Betty Bryant, my witty personality and good looks.
- I, John Harris, will to thee, Vita Birchler, my ability to keep my mouth shut when it's taped.
- I, Mary Jane Leistner, will to thee, Elsie Mae Hartung, my ability to tease the teachers and get by with it, sometimes.
- I, Berl Suhrheinrich, will to thee, Georgia Stanton, a bottle of peroxide to make your hair more beautiful to me.
- I, Elma Mae Vogel, will to thee, Mary Jean Harris, a pillow to sit on in the detention room.
- I, Betty Conner, will to thee, Sharon Schwenk, my love for Mrs. Stone's classes.
- I, Robert Coffey, will to thee, Donald Barnett, my ability to get along with Mr. Jenkins.
- I, Carol Grundhoefer, will to thee, Christing Wetzel, my ability to get kicked out of Bailey's classes.
- I, Laura McGlothlin, will to thee, Mildred Grigsby, my ability to go steady and like it.

I, Darlene Polster, will to thee, Julia O'Daniel, my ability to safely drive reckless.

Sworn before me this 10th day of May, 1953



Richard Roos

"JUNE GRADUATE"

The Seniors presented their class play "June Graduate", under the direction of Mrs. Josephine Stone on March 27, 1953.

June Graduate, a comedy-drama in three acts, is a gripping story of a boy, Bob Gardner, who loses himself and almost his whole future, that of a college education, but finally seeing himself--and his future --in a new light and admitting his mistakes, he "finds" himself by at last facing realities. He breaks his engagement with Agnes and goes to college with the "gang."

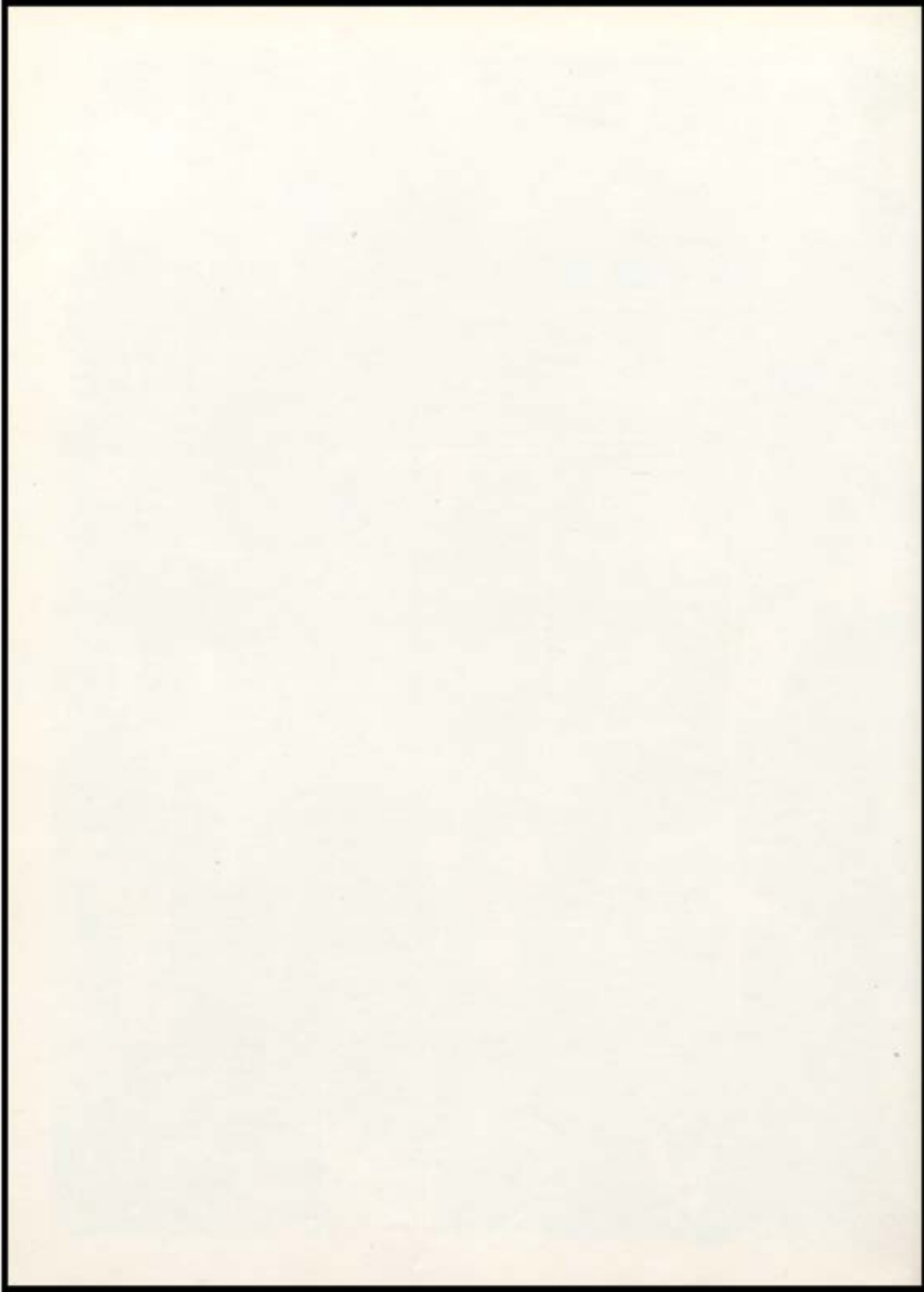
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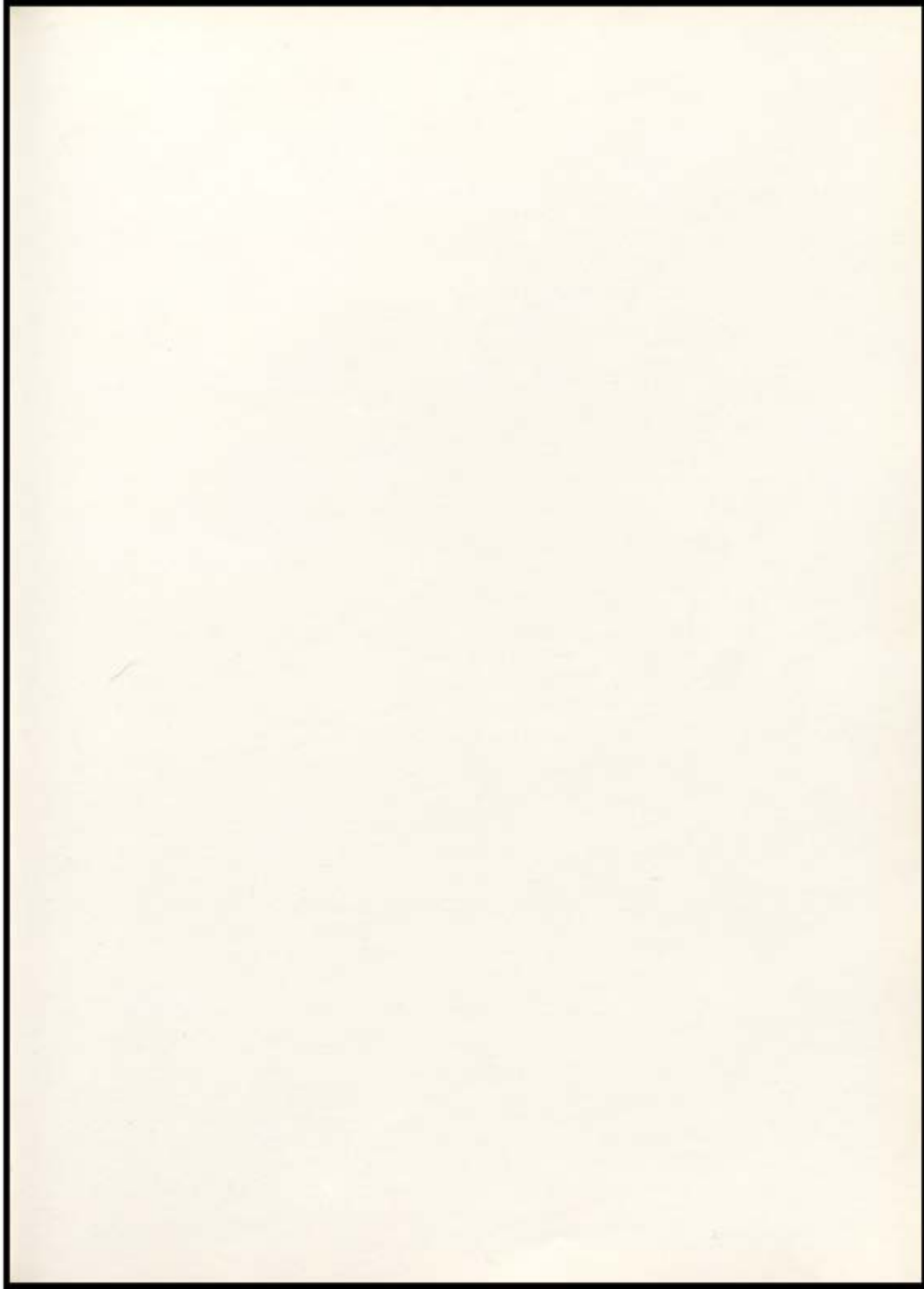
Bob Gardner	-----	Charles McCoy
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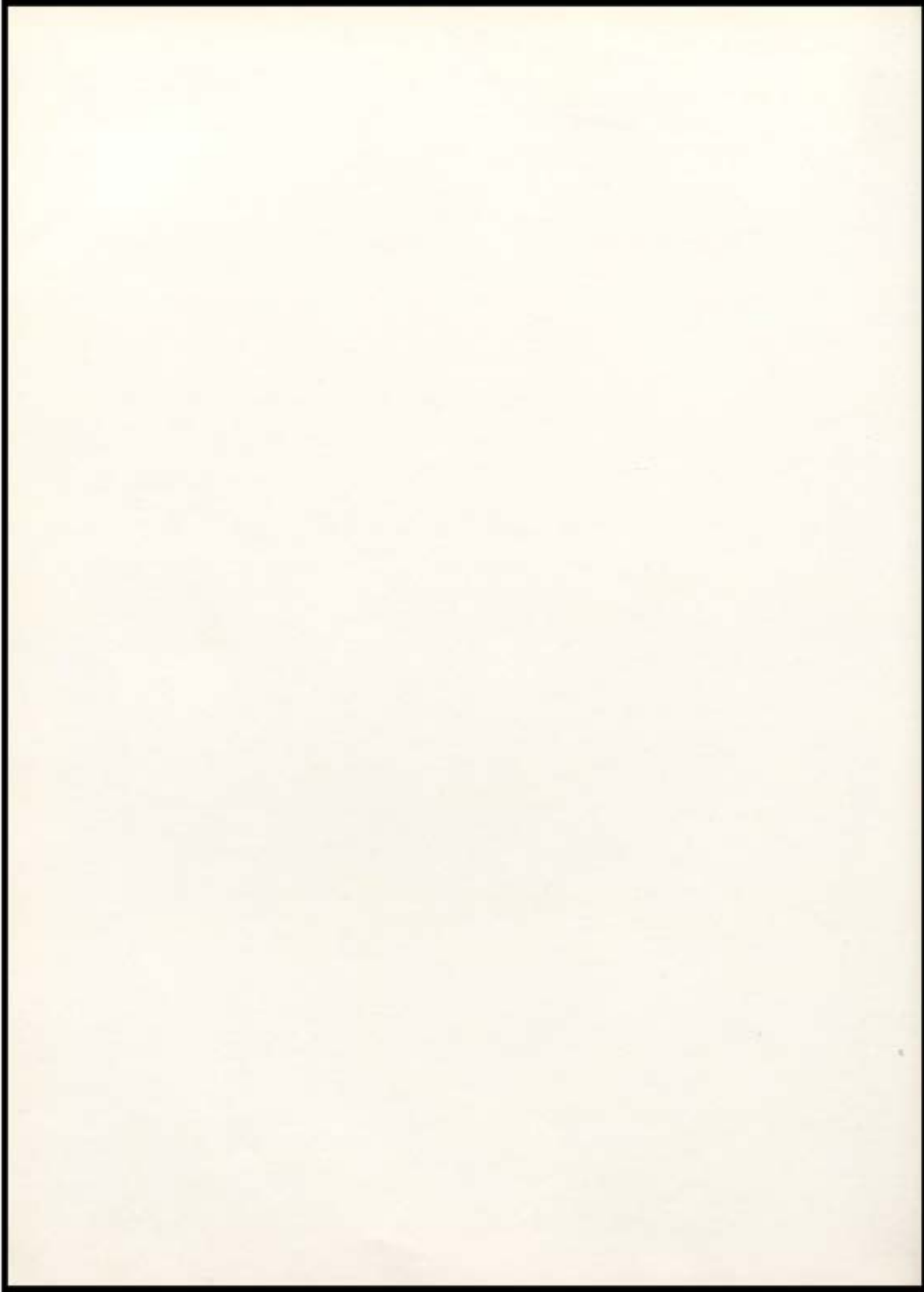


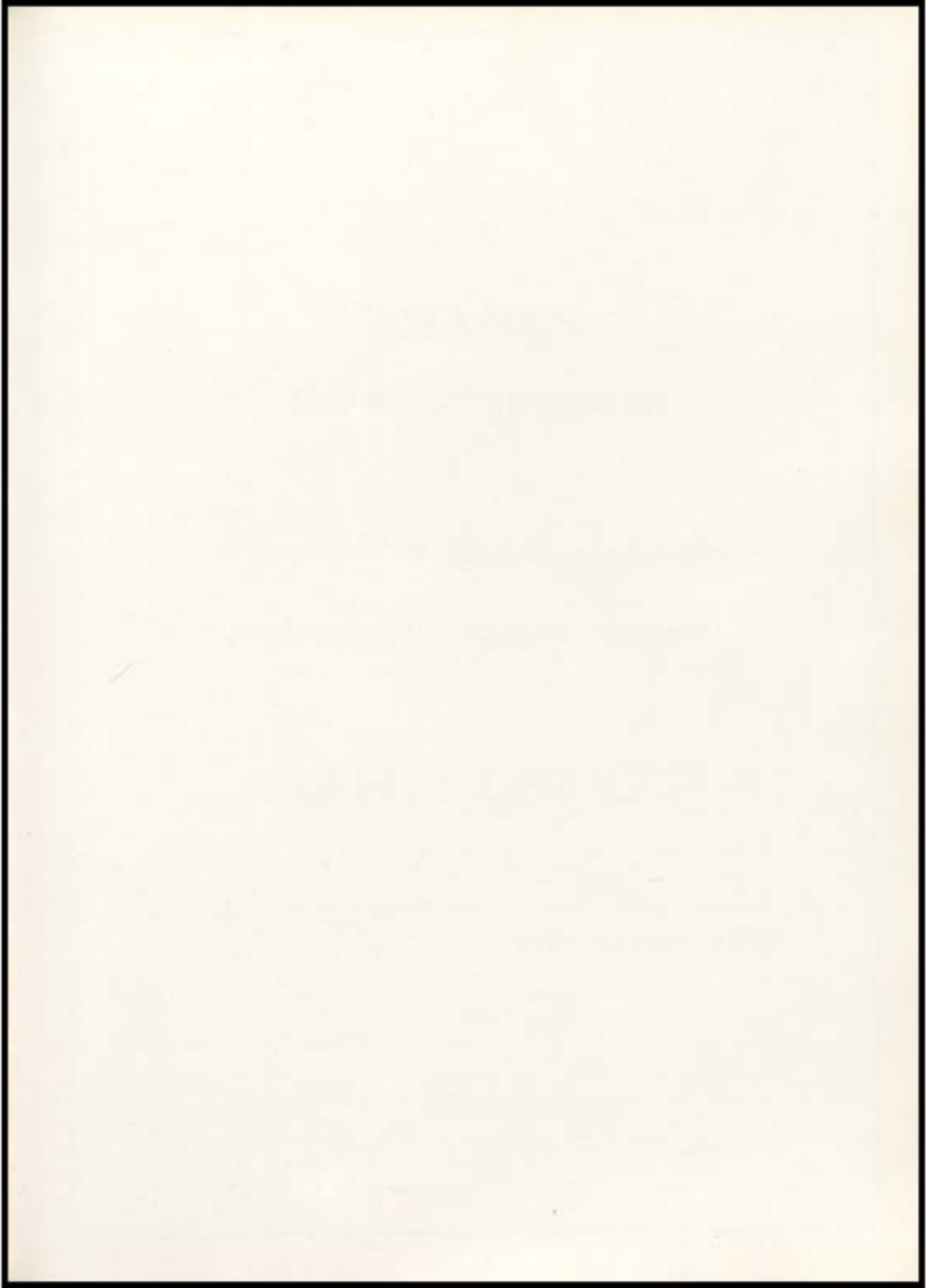


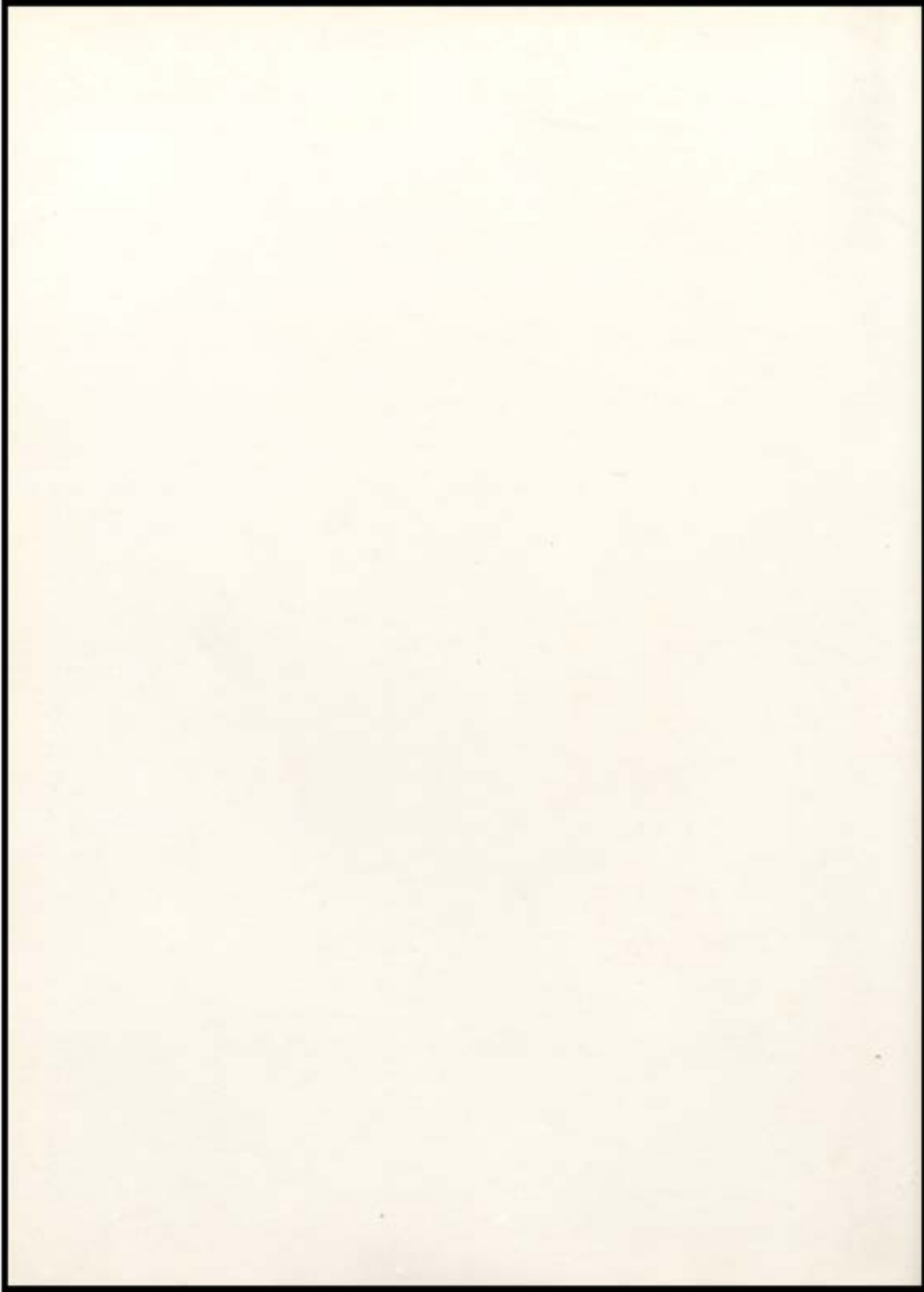












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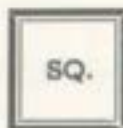
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