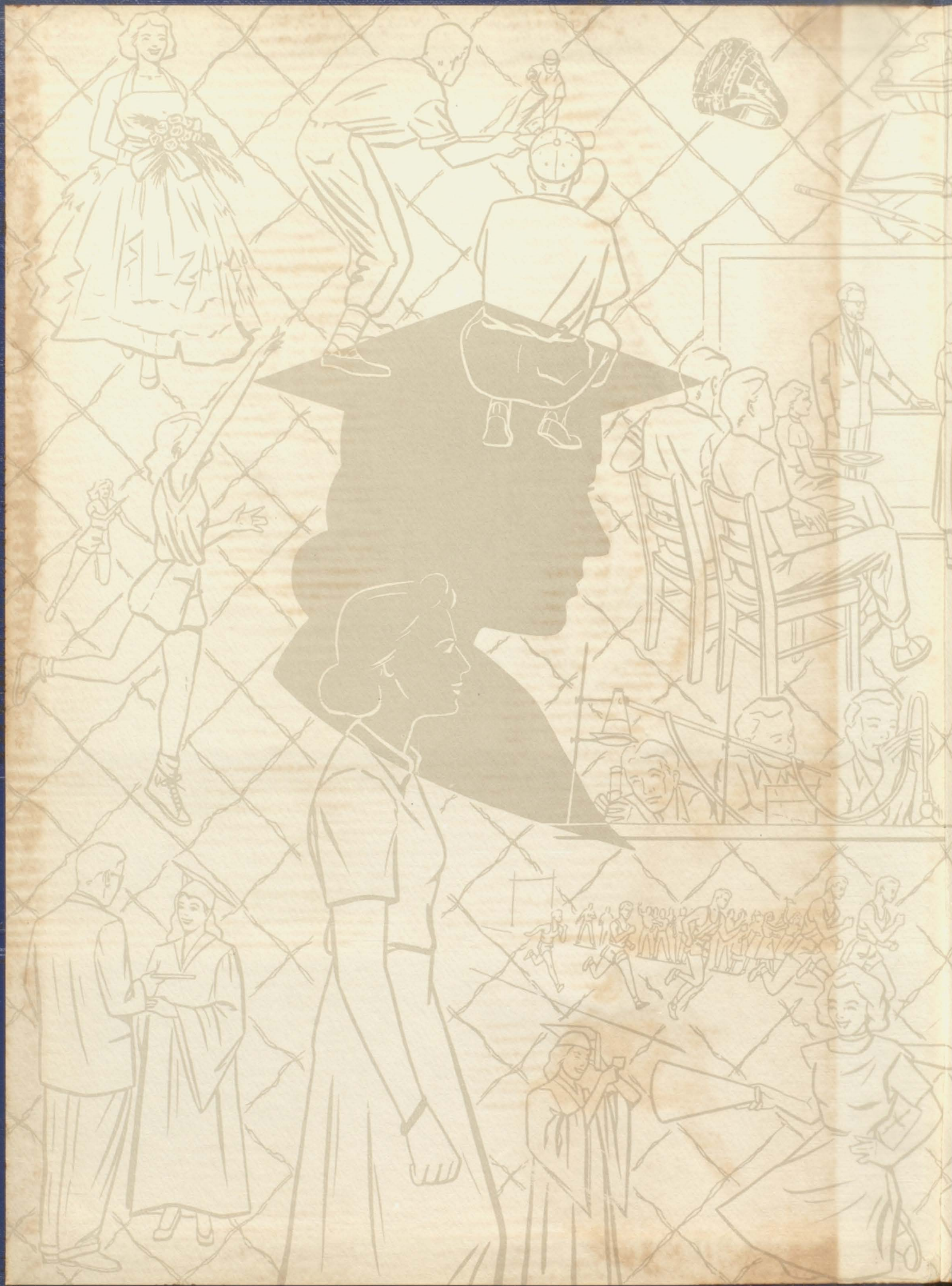
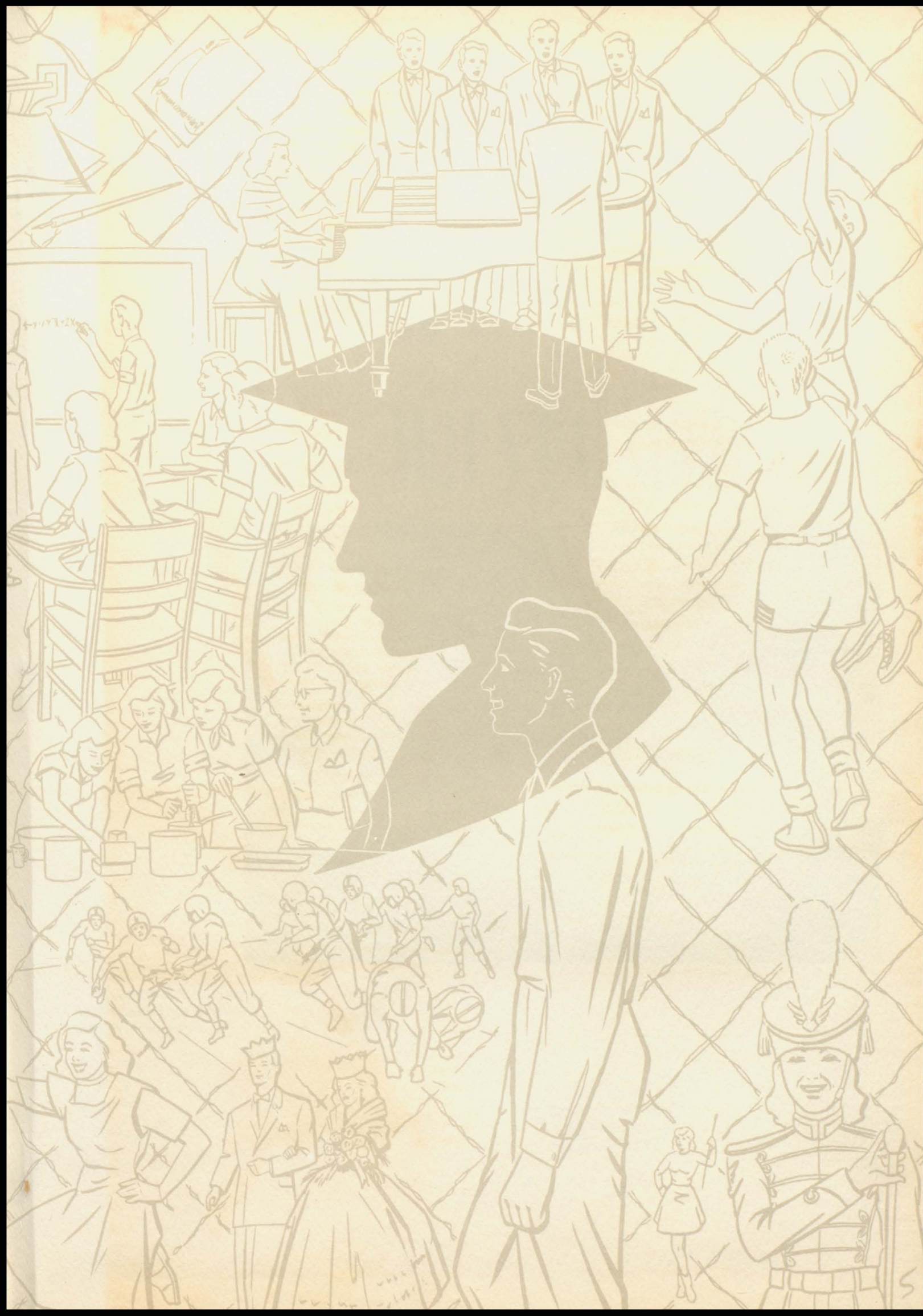


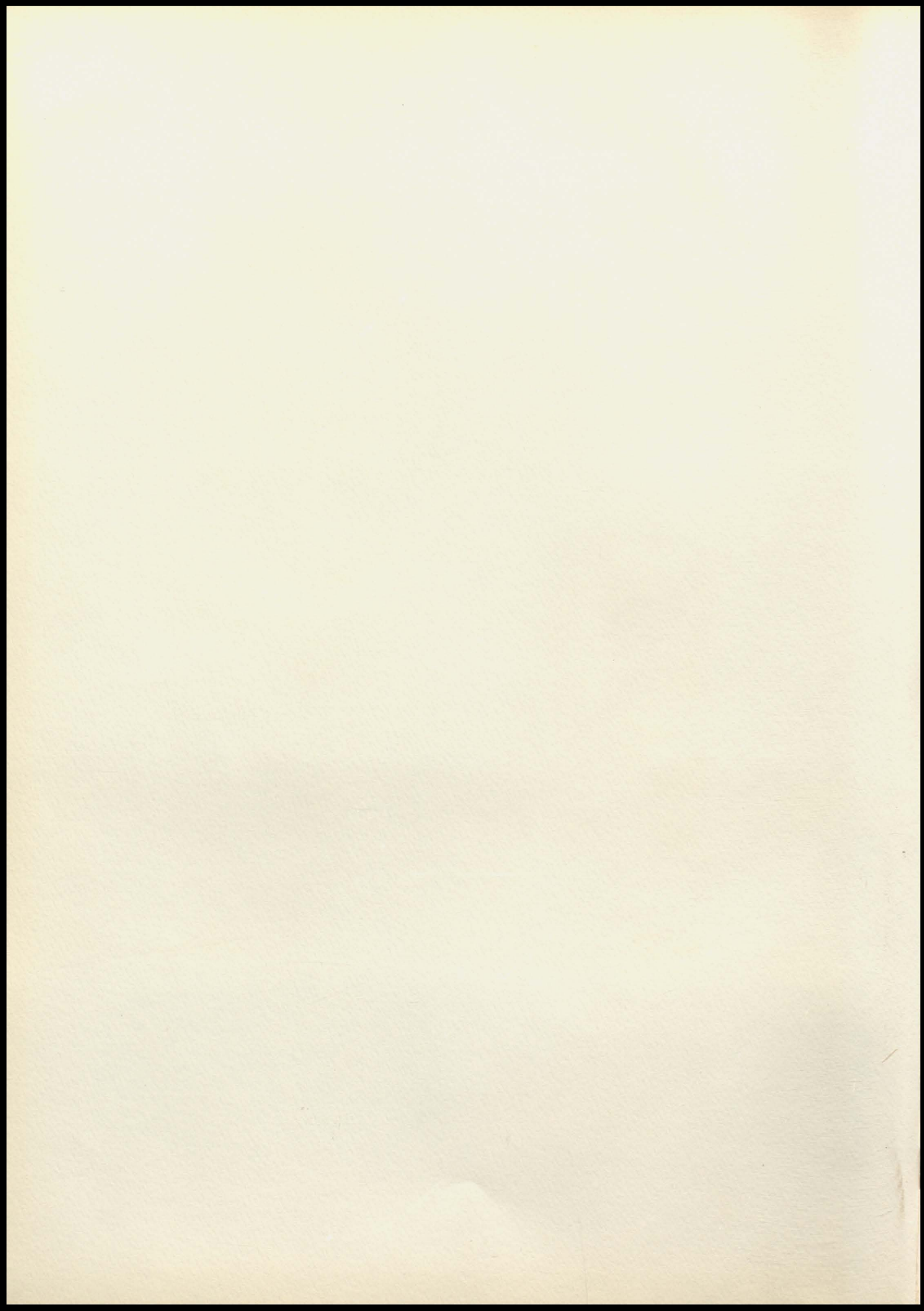


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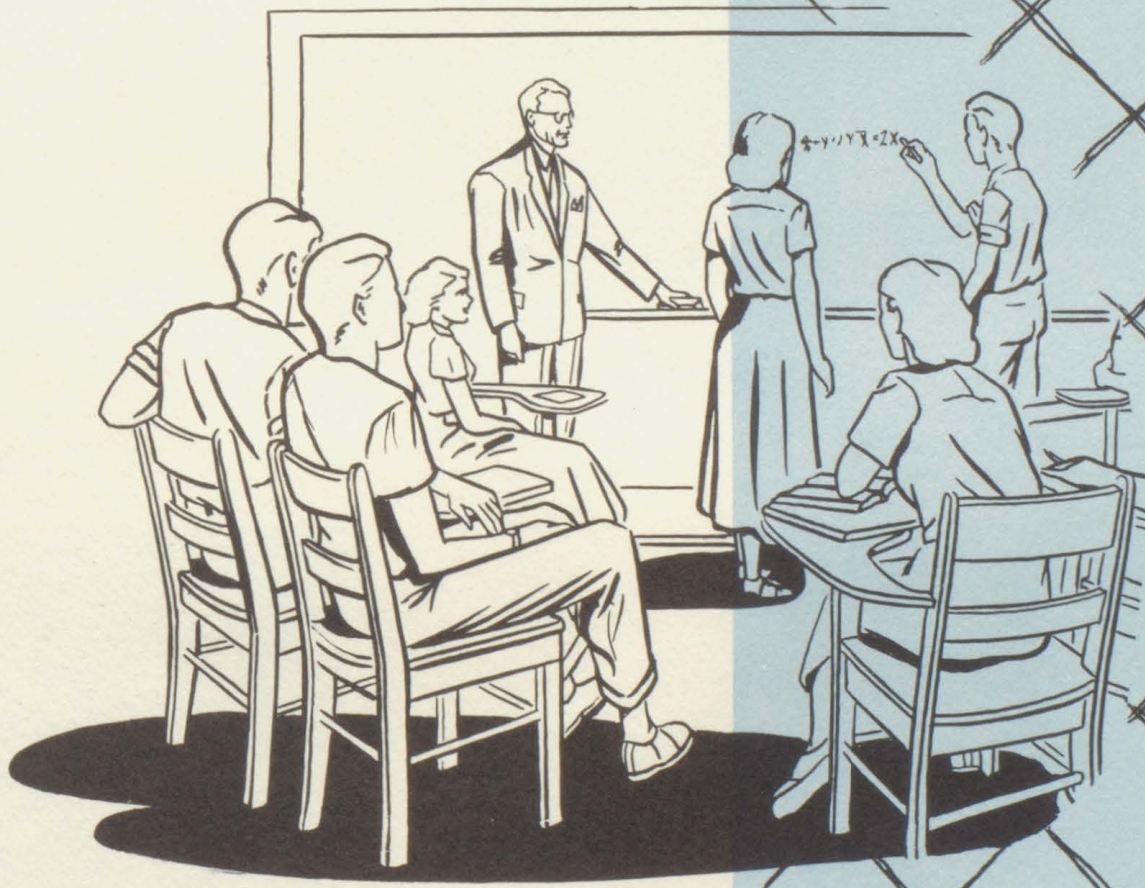


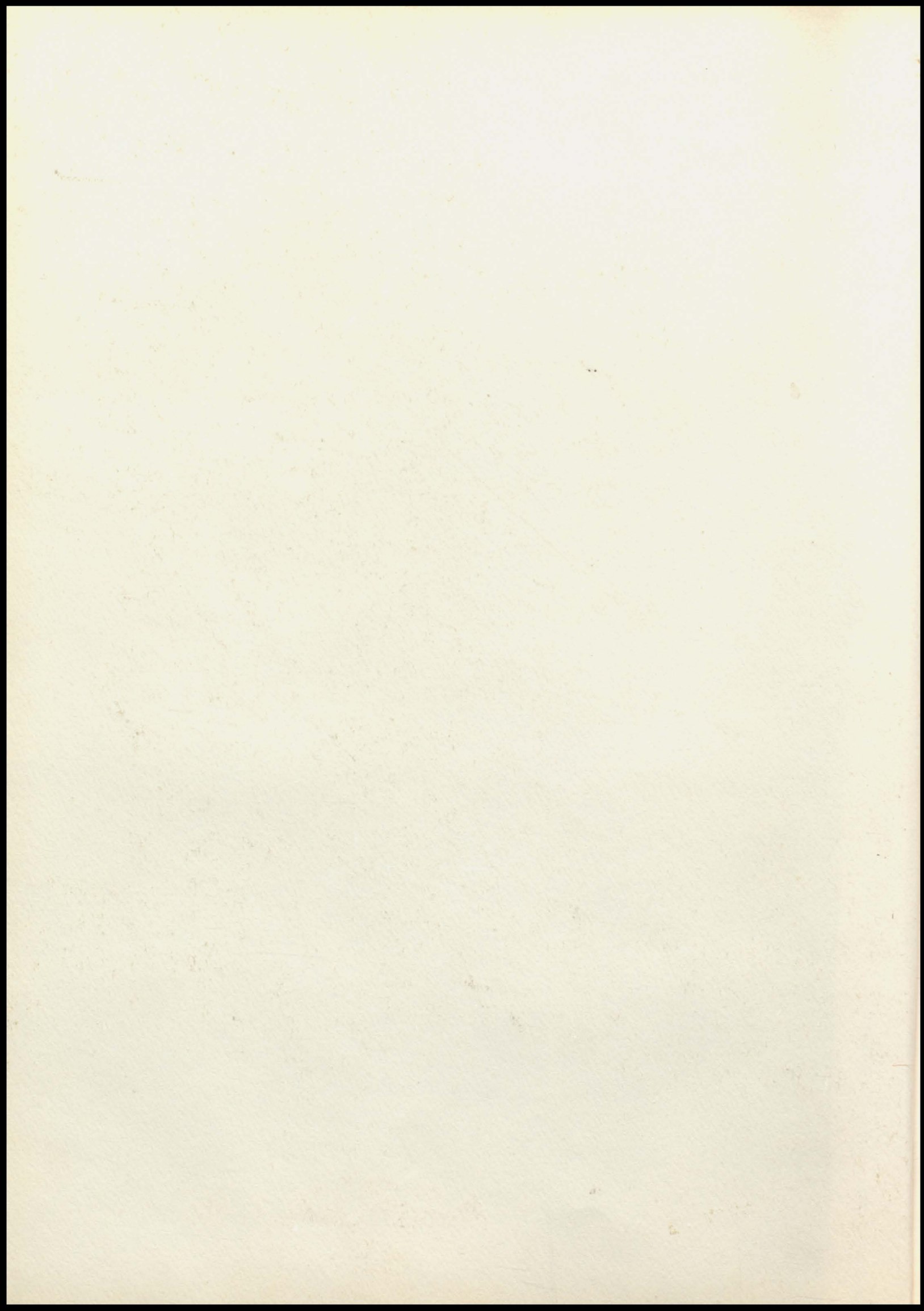
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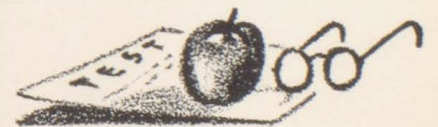


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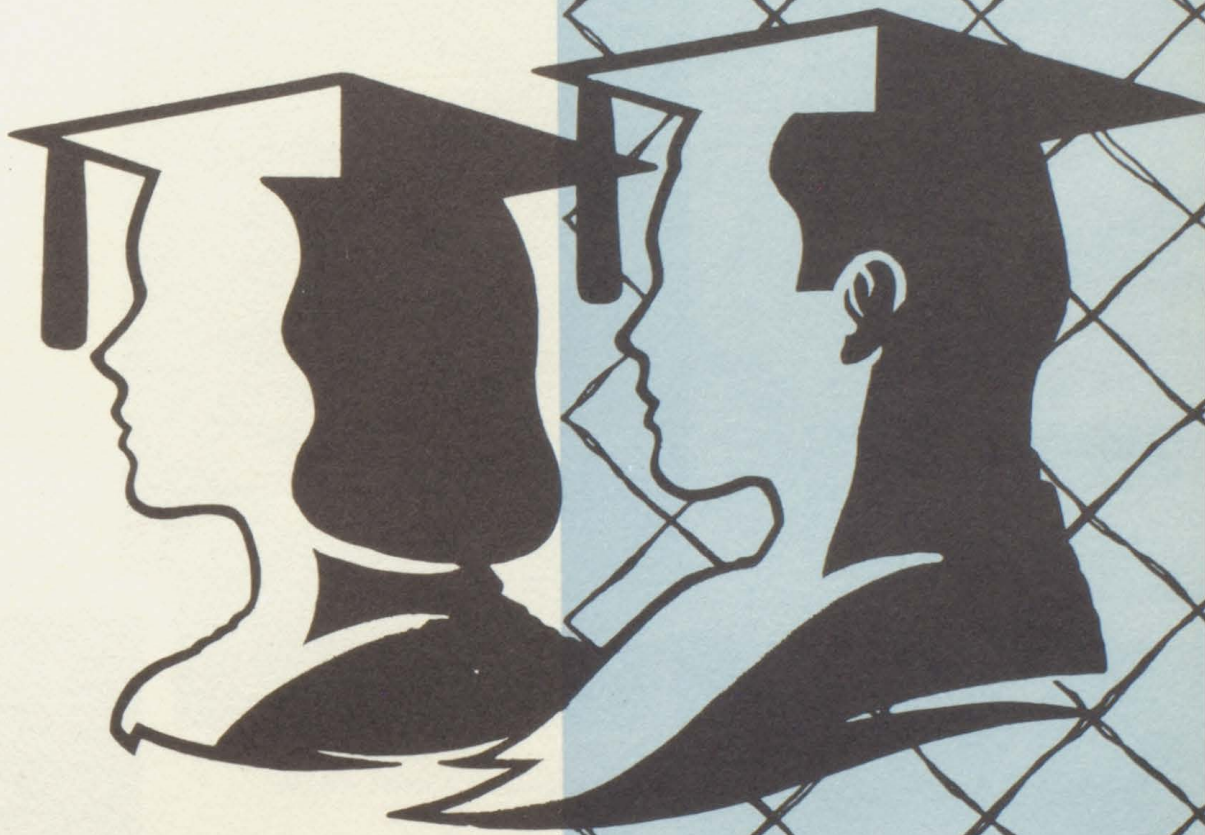
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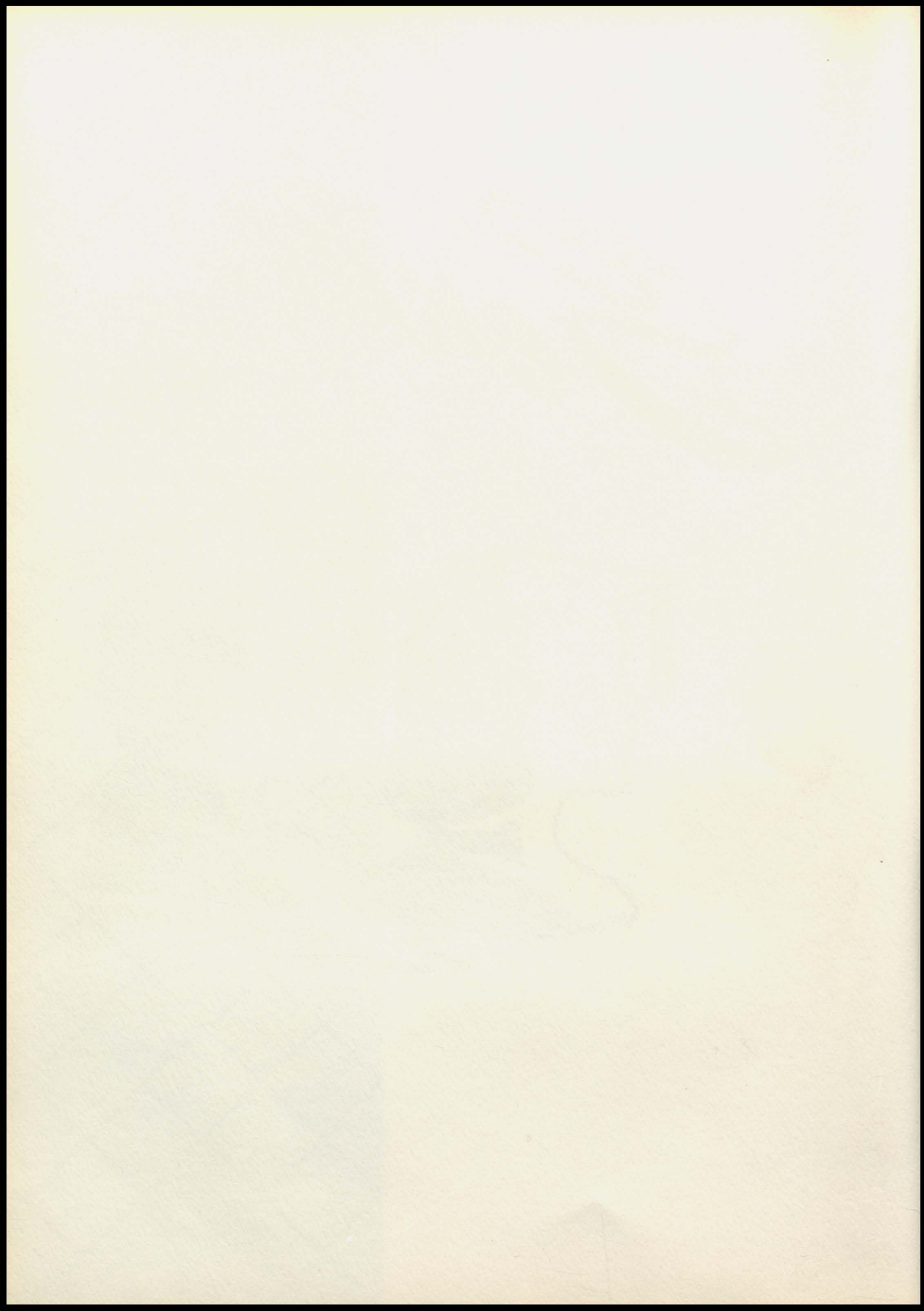
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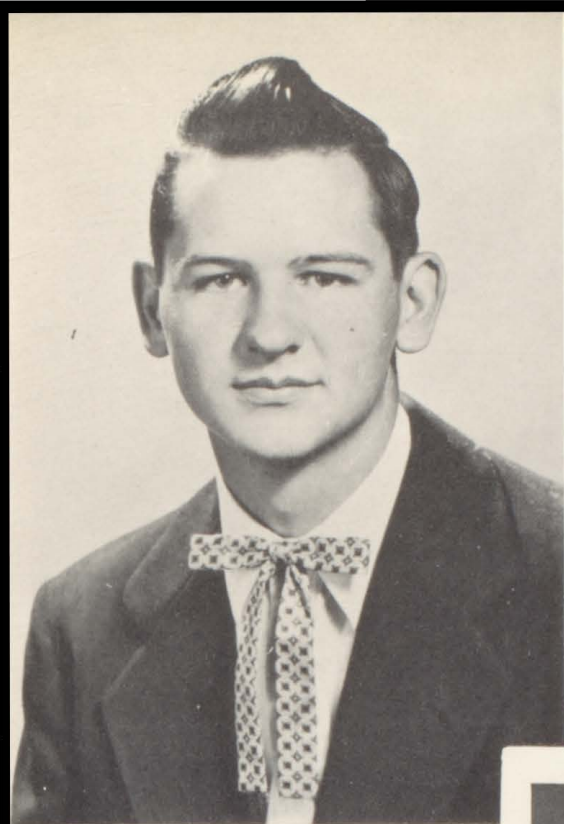


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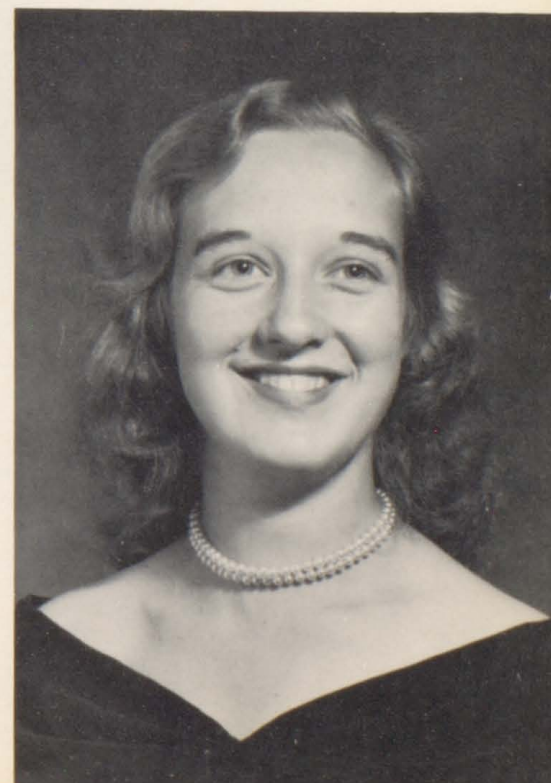
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Favorite Saying-
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Favorite Saying-
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Favorite Saying-
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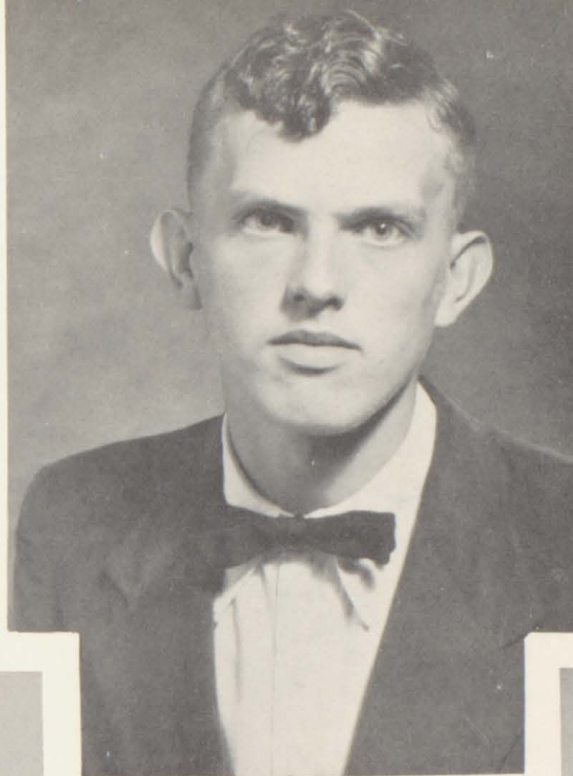


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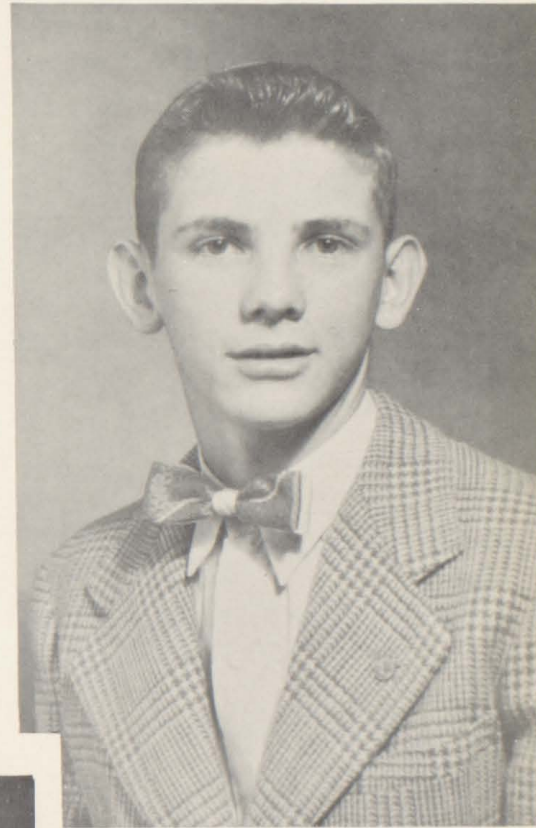


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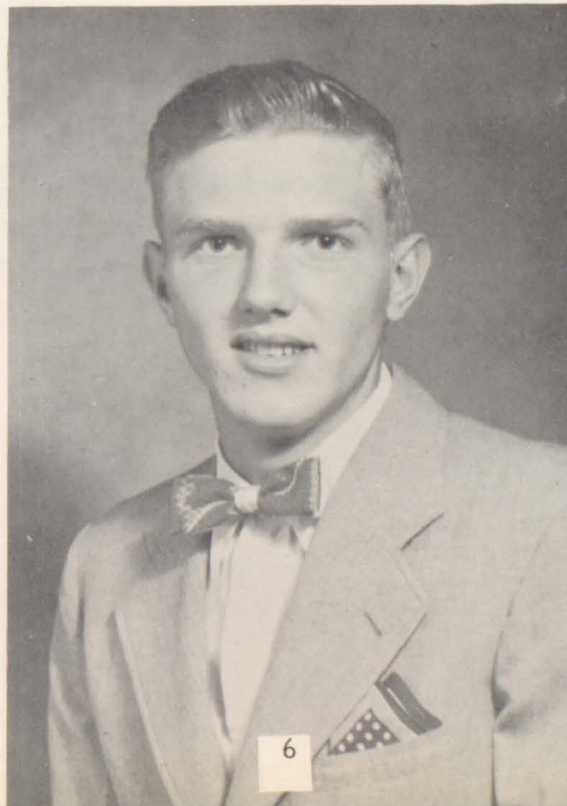
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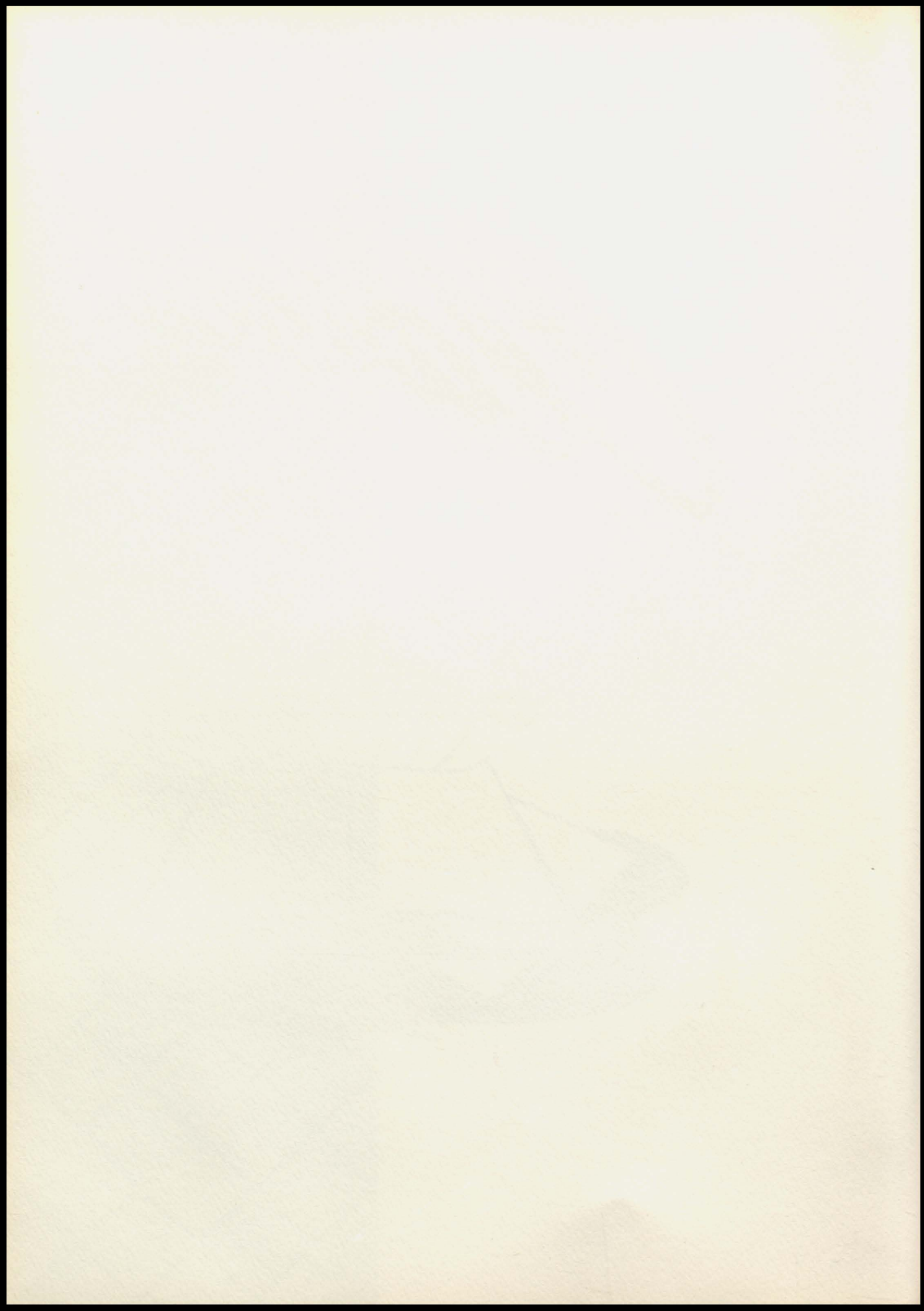


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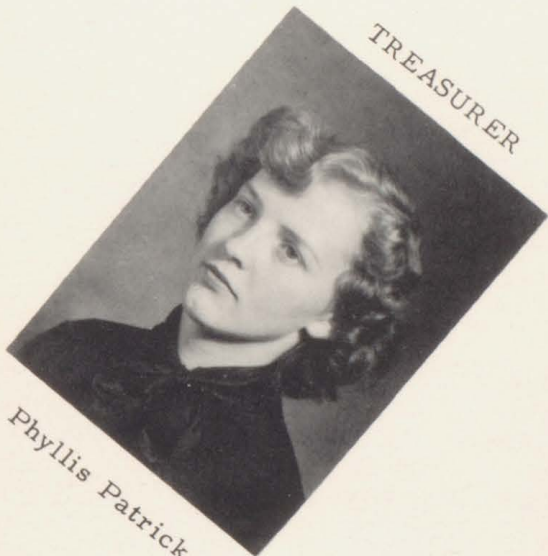
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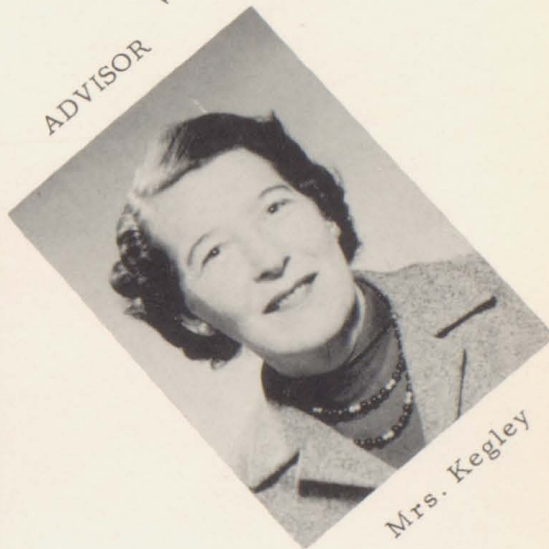
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Geraldine Scott



Kay Kitts



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Larry Tibbs



Barbara Umbarger





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 Gilmer Cox, Vernon Neel,
 Johnny Scott, Ronald Burge,
 Miss Kidd, teacher. Second-
 Norma Sue Hall, Dottie
 Hubble, Juanita Robins,
 Charolette Harden, Johnny
 Ingram, Bob Compton, Third-
 Patty Umbarger, Wanda Fields,
 Aileen Dillow, Ollie Mae
 Lambert, Joan Umbarger, Harry
 Neel, Fourth--Larry Waddell,
 Wayne Church, Ralph Scott,
 Darnell Cox, Hayden Church,
 Richard Cregar, Billy Crab-
 tree. Fifth--Wilma Edwards,
 Martha Sue Cassell, Donny Ray
 Atwell, Phyllis Durham, Dorothy
 Umbarger, Hermie Tibbs, Ronnie
 Repass.



Grades



First row l. to r.---Judy
 Hancock, Frances Harden,
 Claude Lambert, Ann Hubble,
 Judy Umbarger, Wayne Um-
 barger, Allen Umbarger
 Second--Allen Webb, Billy
 Ingram, Richard Lambert,
 Woodson Umbarger, Jerry
 Groseclose, Arnold Cregar,
 Eddie Cregar. Third--Sue
 Repass, Lanny Waddle, James
 Hayton, Doris Cassell, Nancy
 Compton, Martha Hall, Hilda
 Hubble. Fourth---Daniel
 Hanshew, Bobby Brown, Della
 Mae Cruff, Mae Leonard,
 Charles Hancock, Ray Um-
 barger. Fifth---Miss
 Groseclose, teacher,
 Larry Cox, G. R. Harden
 Gayle Cox.





First row l. to r.--Eadith Hounshell, Betty May Thompson, Reggie Neel, Darlena Cox, Artie Repass, David Thompson, Bobby Neel. Second, Donnie Lambert, Ann Brown, Larry Dun Perky, Ted Compton, Danny Hounshell, Carson Atkins, Dwight Cox, Bobby Cruff. Third, Betty Jean Umbarger, Donnie Ray Dillow, Norma Hanshew, Iris Cassell, Audrey Cox, Sharon Cox. Fourth, Eileen Hancock, Charles Umbarger, David Lambert, Gary Umbarger, Mrs. Thomas, Jerry Lee Thompson, Rosabelle Cregar, Alice Leonard.

Grades

First row l. to r.--Faye Cregar, Janice Cregar, Tillie Tilson, Jimmy Brown, Walter Dillow, Charles Neel, Bonnie Lambert.

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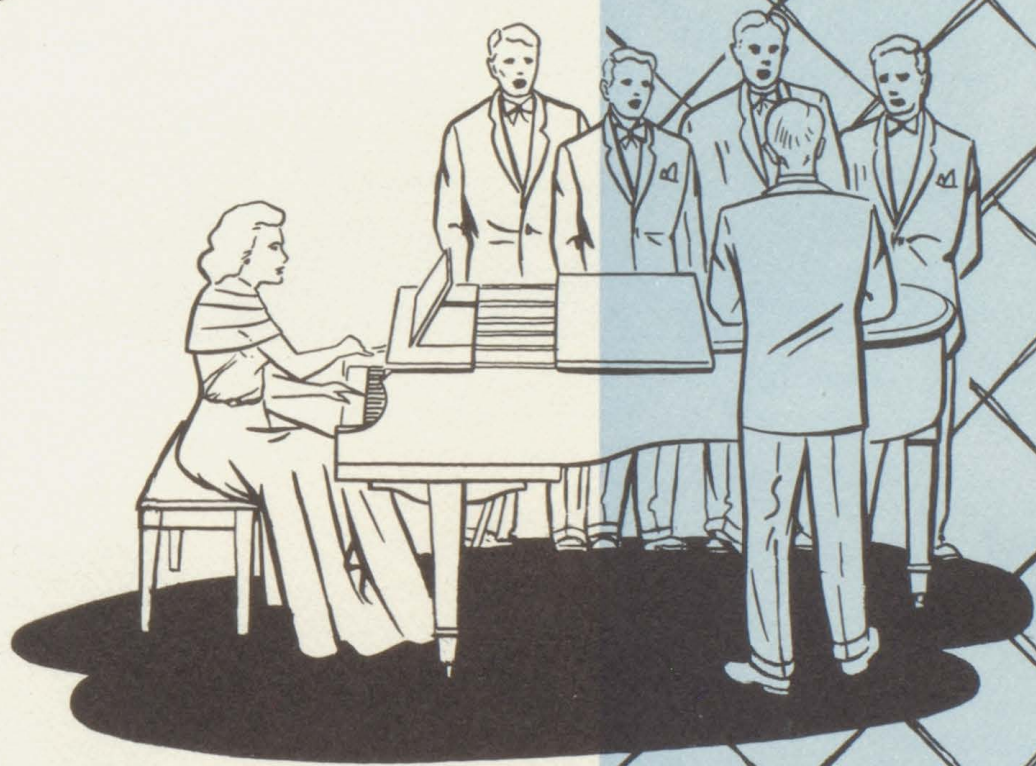
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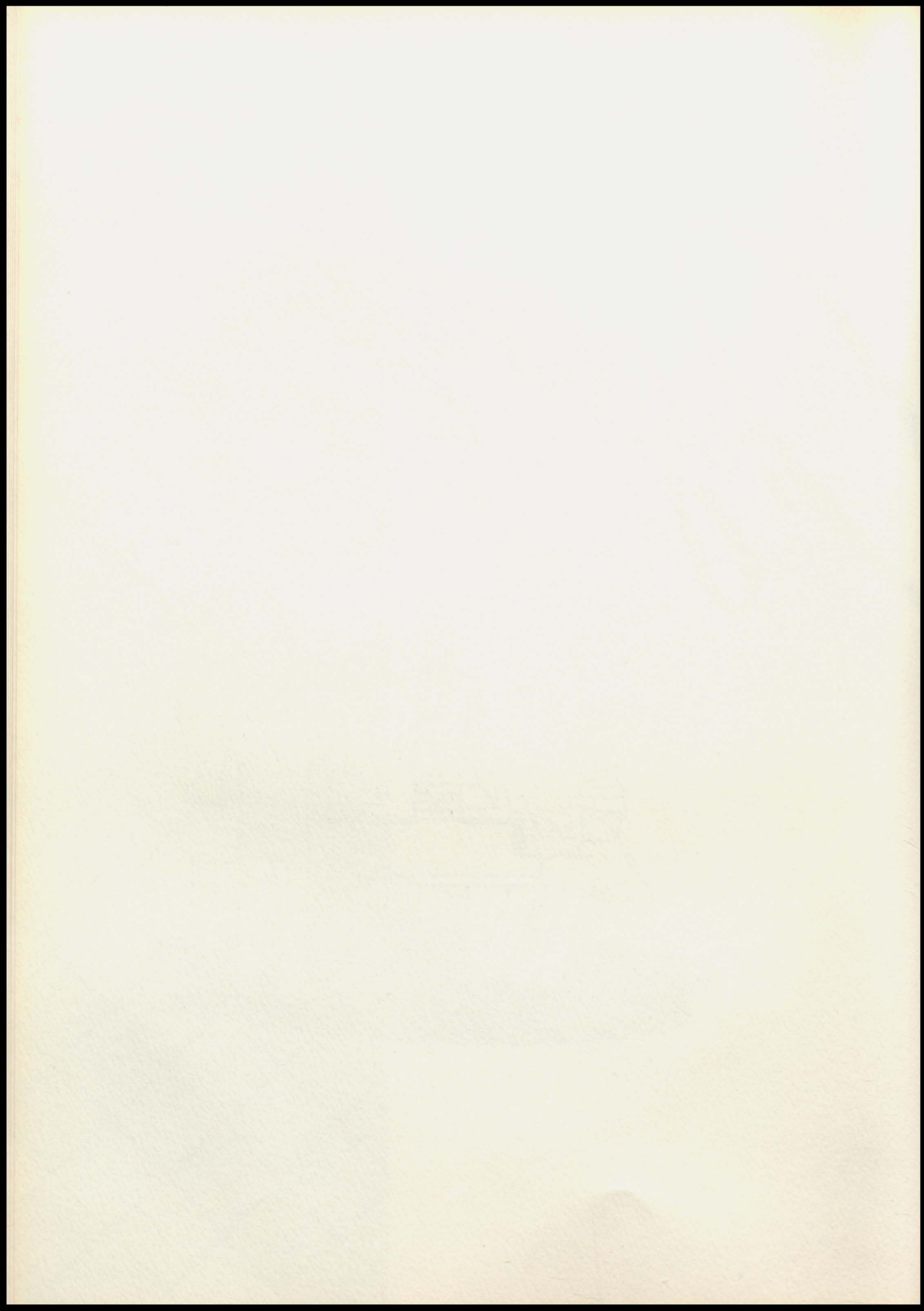
Fifth row l. to r.--Polly Hayton, Ronnie Neel, Andrew Cruff, Jimmy Burge, Mrs. Cassell.





Organizations







Seated l. to r., Dennis Hall, Dick Compton, Anne Hubble, Jean Cassell, Carroll Hancock.
 Standing, Wade Tibbs, Betty Umbarger, Billy Creggar, Grace Thweatt, J.W. Cassell, Marvin Hayton, Johnny Clemons.



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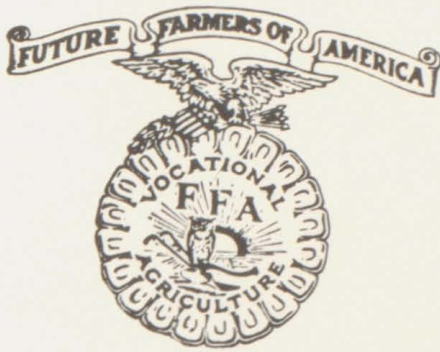


Junior girls work on couch and chair cover.

L. to r., Gerry Scott, treasurer; Jean Cassell, vice-president; Beth Neel, president; Barbara Umbarger; Linda Neel, reporter. Geraldine Umbarger, secretary, absent.





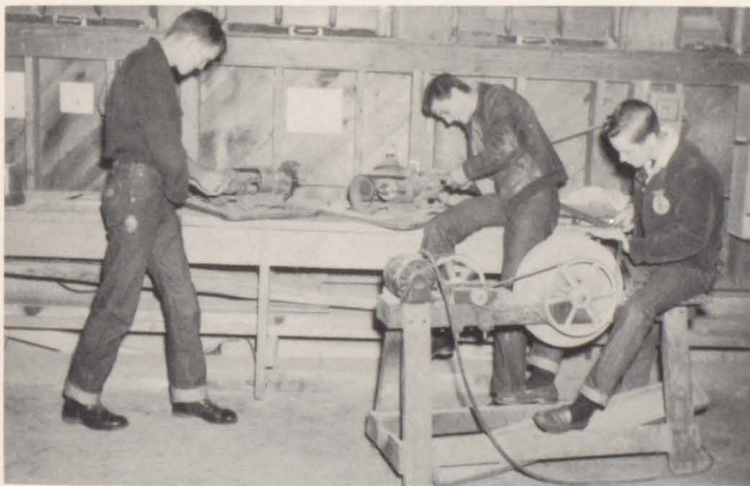


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Second, Andrew Cassell, Charles Anderson, Johnny Crabtree, Adrain Tibbs, Benny Cox, Kay Kitts, Emory Lambert, Richard Tibbs, Don Compton, Larry Tibbs, Paul Catron, Larry Dillow, Carroll Hancock.

Third, Mr. Meek, Advisor, David Davis, Jimmy Cassell, M. H. Pennington, Jerry Lindamood, Dennis Hall, Vernon Stowers, and Billy Crigger.





These are pictures of the junior and senior boys at work in the shop with Mr. Scott.



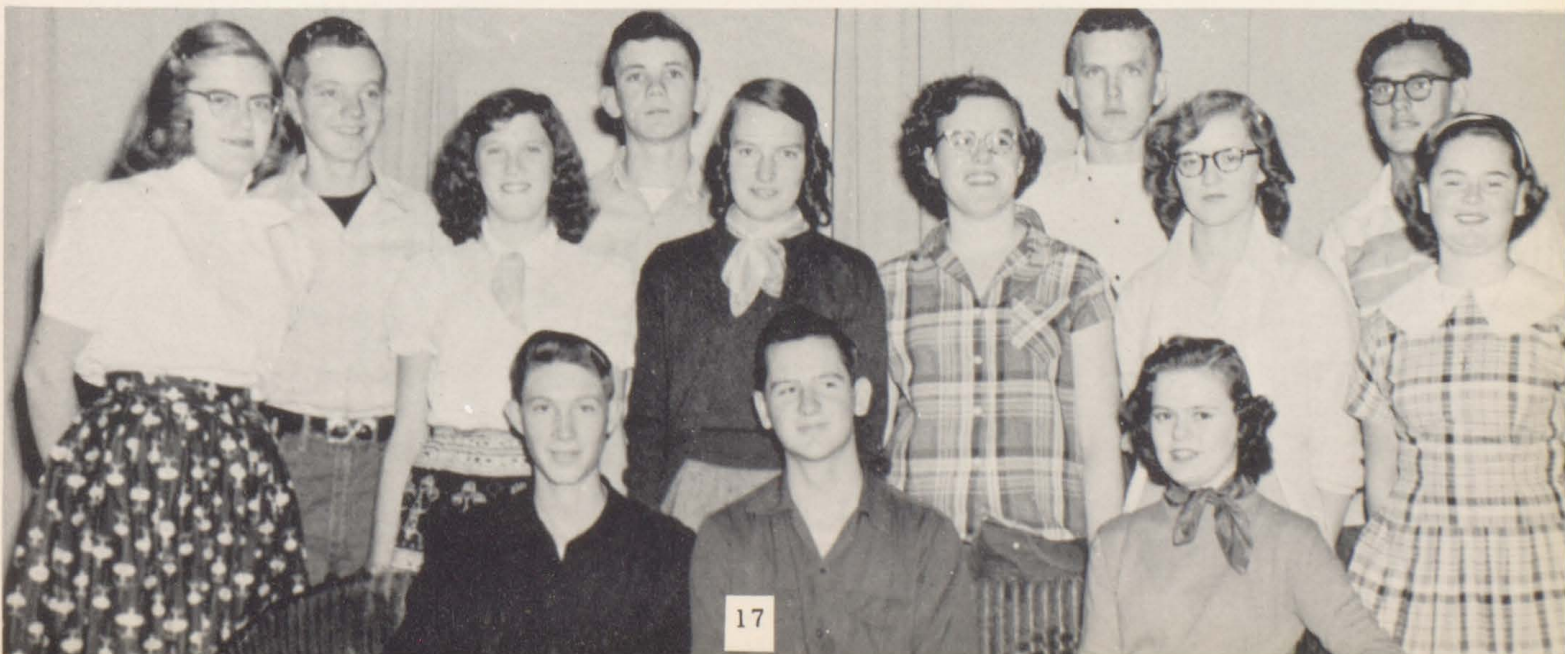
Student Council



Seated at table l. to r., Anna Laura Atwell, Secretary; Jean Cassell, Reporter; Anne Hubble, President; Gerry Scott, Vice-president; Wiley Cox, Treasurer. Council members, standing, l. to r., Mercedith Harden, Benny Cox, Geraldine Umberger, Richard Tibbs, Dennis Hall, Carroll Hancock, Mrs. Waddell, Advisor, Noel Atwell, Phyllis Patrick.

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First row, l. to r., Billy Dillman, Vice-president; Dick Compton, President; Ann Cox, Secretary-Treasurer. Second row, Anne Hubble, Phyllis Umberger, Jean Cassell, Shelby Compton, Phyllis Patrick, Anna Laura Atwell. Third, Noel Atwell, Billy Cregar, J.W. Cassell, Johnny Clemons. Mr. Thomas, Advisor, absent from picture.







BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA. Kneeling, Rev. W. F. Wadsworth, Vernon Neel, Billy Crabtree, Richard Crigger, Larry Waddle, Buddy Ingram, Daniel Hanshew, G. R. Harden, Charles Hancock, Johnny Scott. Seated, Richard Tibbs, Kay Kitts, Johnny Crabtree, Wayne Church.

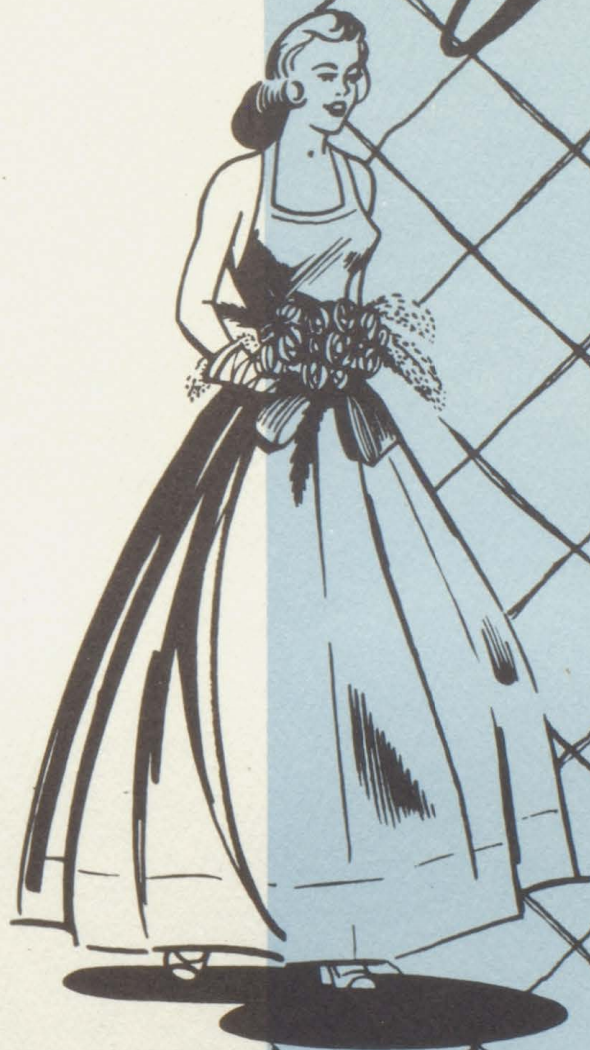
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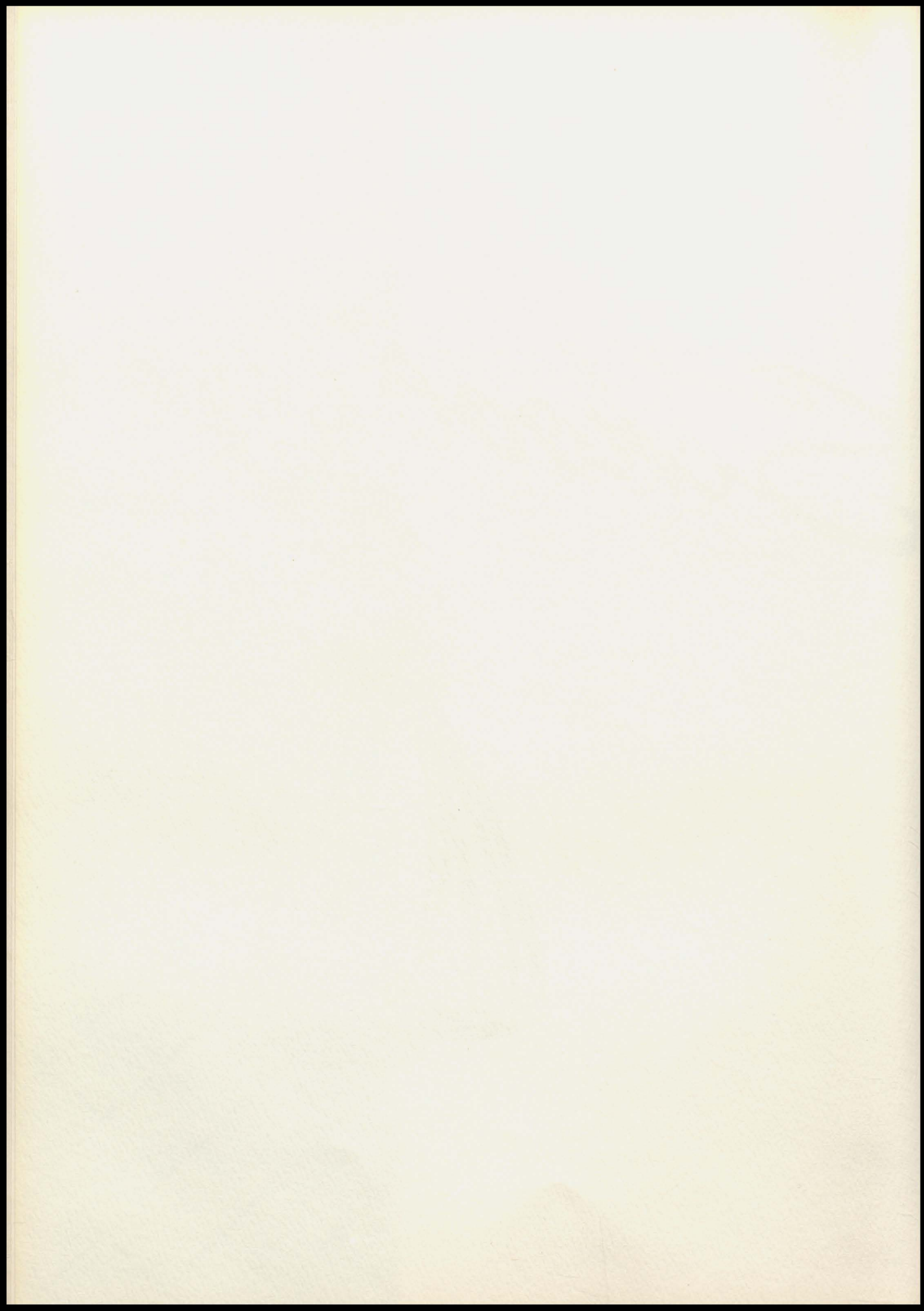
Kneeling, Marvin Hayton, Captain. Standing, Dennis Hall, Noel Peck, Johnny Crabtree, Shirlee Tibbs, J. W. Cassell, Elaine Hanshew, Vernon Stowers, Jean Cassell, Larry Dillow, Billy Cregar, Charles Anderson, Noel Atwell, Ronald Burge.





School Life





Campus Scenes

No. 1. Delegates attending yearbook meeting at Roanoke. 2. Jean and Marvin at V.P.I. 3. Miss Crabtree's farewell party. 4. Familiar scene at lunch time. 5. Sixth graders giving Christmas program. 6. Loading up after school. 7. Ceres versus Rural Retreat. 8. Fight, fight, Ceres High School! 9. All set up and raring to go. 10. Marvin guards against Rural Retreat's Bedwell. 11. Banquet we gave seniors on the first of April, 1955. 12. Elementary grades at play period. 13. Mother-Daughter Banquet.



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Superlatives



- No.1, INTELLECTUAL--Dick Compton, Jean Cassell
- No.2, POPULAR--Dennis Hall, Anne Hubble
- No.3, MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED--John Clemons, Betty Umbarger
- No.4, INDOLENT--J.W. Cassell, Dennis Hall
- No.5, SOPHISTICATED--Carroll Hancock, Anne Hubble
- No.6, ATHLETIC--Marvin Hayton, Betty Umbarger
- No.7, JOVIAL--Wade Tibbs, Grace Thweatt
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 Second row L to R--Carroll Hancock, manager, J.C. Dillow, Wade Tibbs, G. L. Hubble, Vernon Stowers, Wiley Cox, Sonny Kirk, Wade Farmer, coach.



Larry, Wiley, Marvin



Donkey Baseball Game

BASKETBALL REPORTS

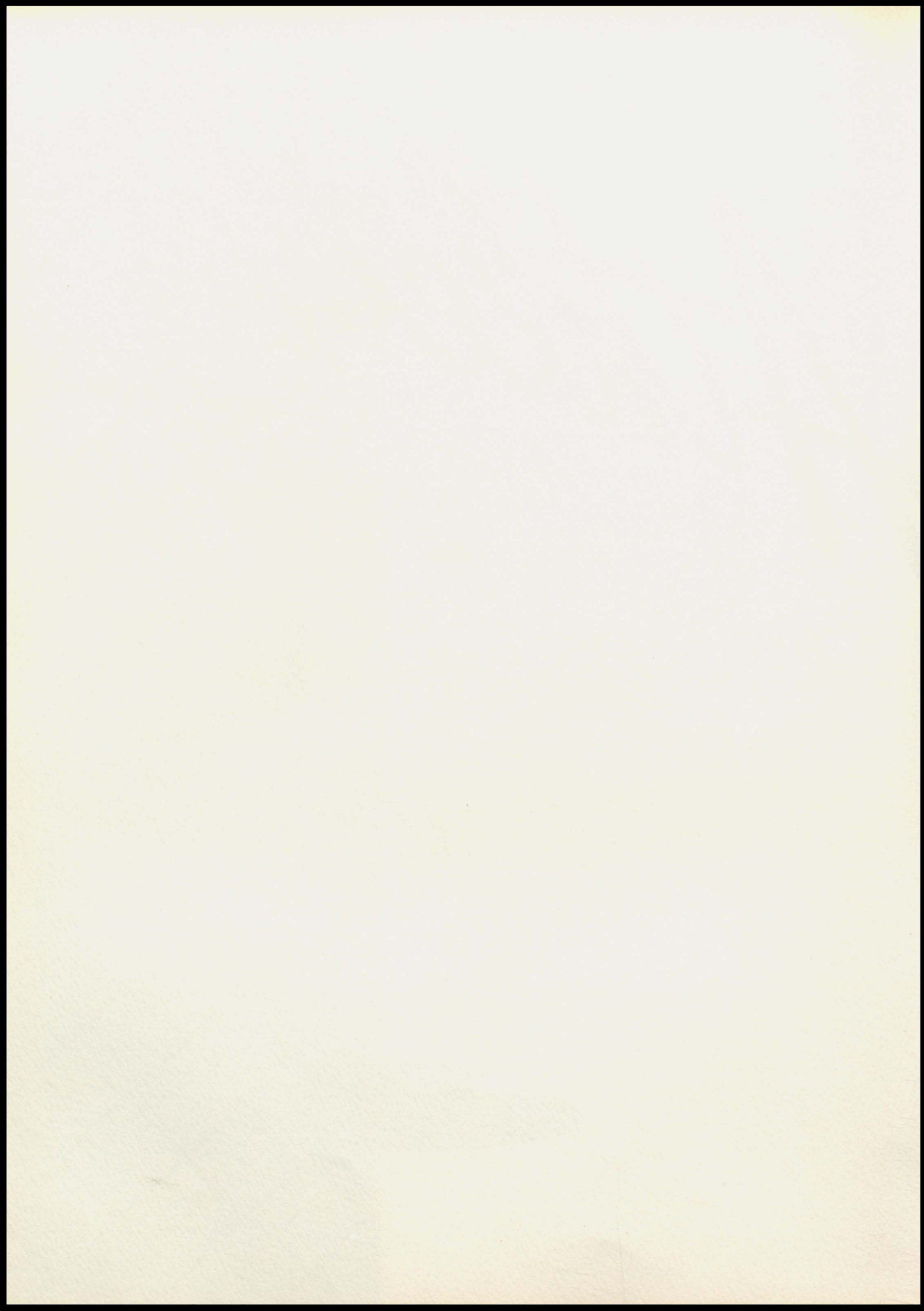
The Ceres Wildcats have had a reasonably good year, considering that many of the players are first year men. The following is a schedule and the score available at publishing time. You may fill in the scores not given.

When	Here	There	Scores	We	They	Boys'	We	They
			Girls'	44	20		54	35
December 2	Rocky Gap			29	52		53	57
December 19		Bland		19	22		23	46
December 13		Rich Valley		37	23		37	39
January 6	Burke's Garden			24	50		39	62
January 10		Rural Retreat						
January 19	Bland							
January 27	Rich Valley							
February 3		Burke's Garden						
February 7		Rocky Gap						
February 14	Rural Retreat							



Atletics





Girls' Basketball



Linda
Vilma



Shelby
Phyllis



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Mercedith



Mary Ellen
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Evelyn
Anna Laura



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Barbara
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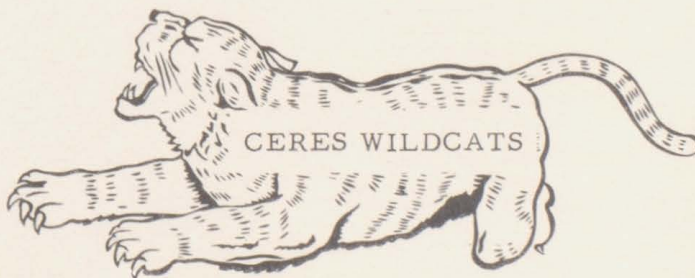


Kneeling 1. to r., Wiley Cox, Richard Tibbs, Billy Cregar, Billy Dillman, Marvin Hayton.
 Second row, Kay Kitts, Benny Cox, Johnny Crabtree, J.W. Cassell, Larry Dillow, Andrew Cassell.
 Third row, Wade Tibbs, manager, Noel Atwell, Charles Anderson, Vernon Stowers, Dennis Hall,
 Roy Meek, Coach.



Boys' Basketball

RUTH B. KEGLEY



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"Hi, there!"

Cheerleaders



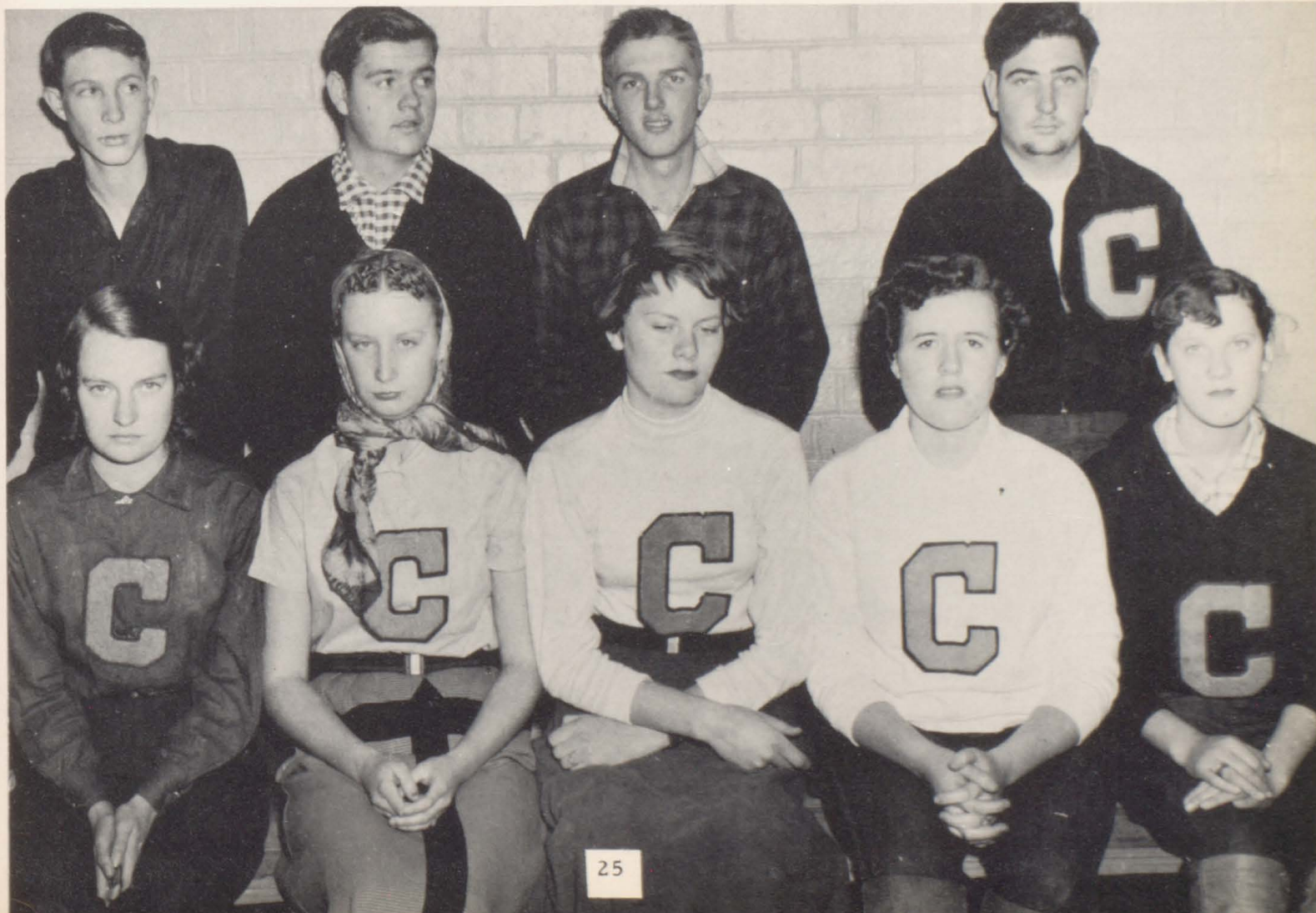
DOROTHY
"C.H.S., oh-h-h yes!"



ELAINE
"Welcome!"

Lettermen

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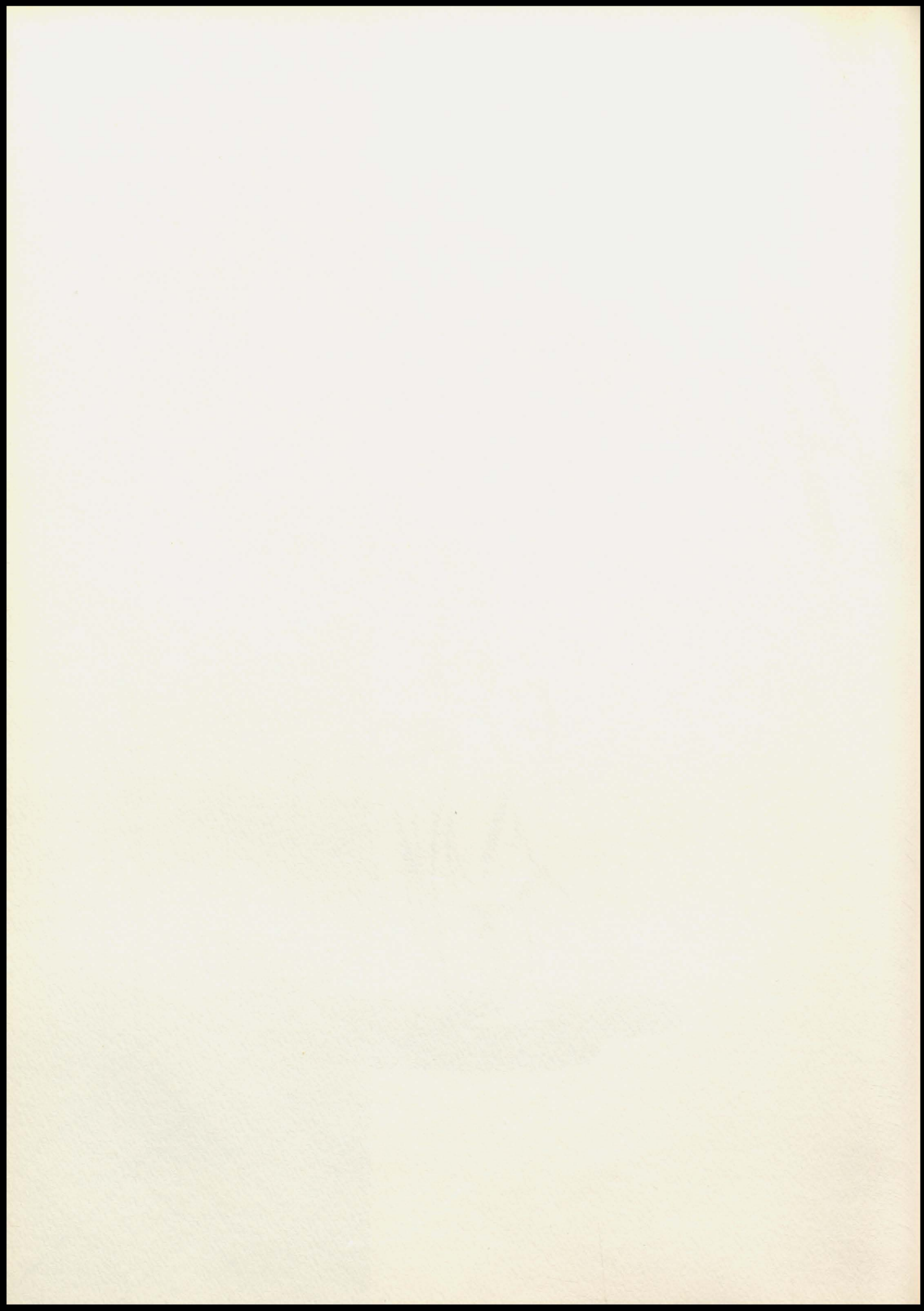
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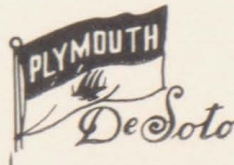


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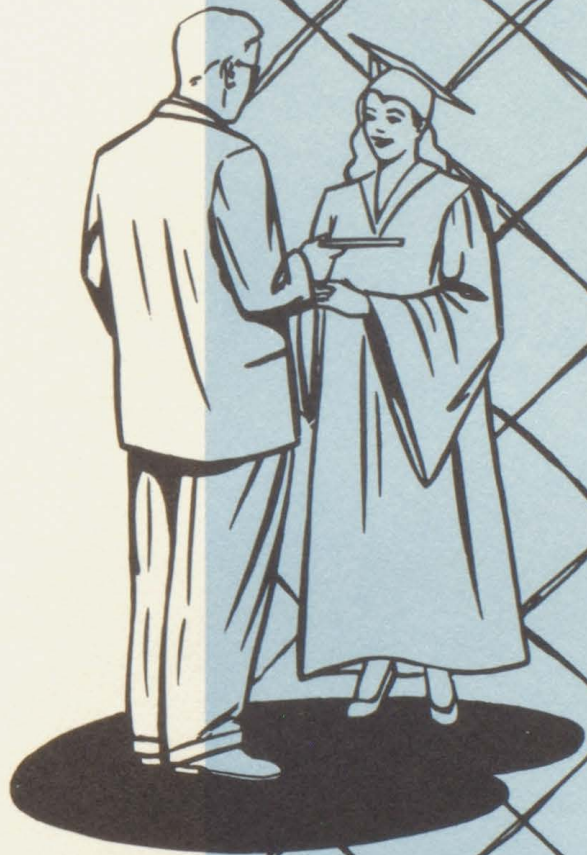
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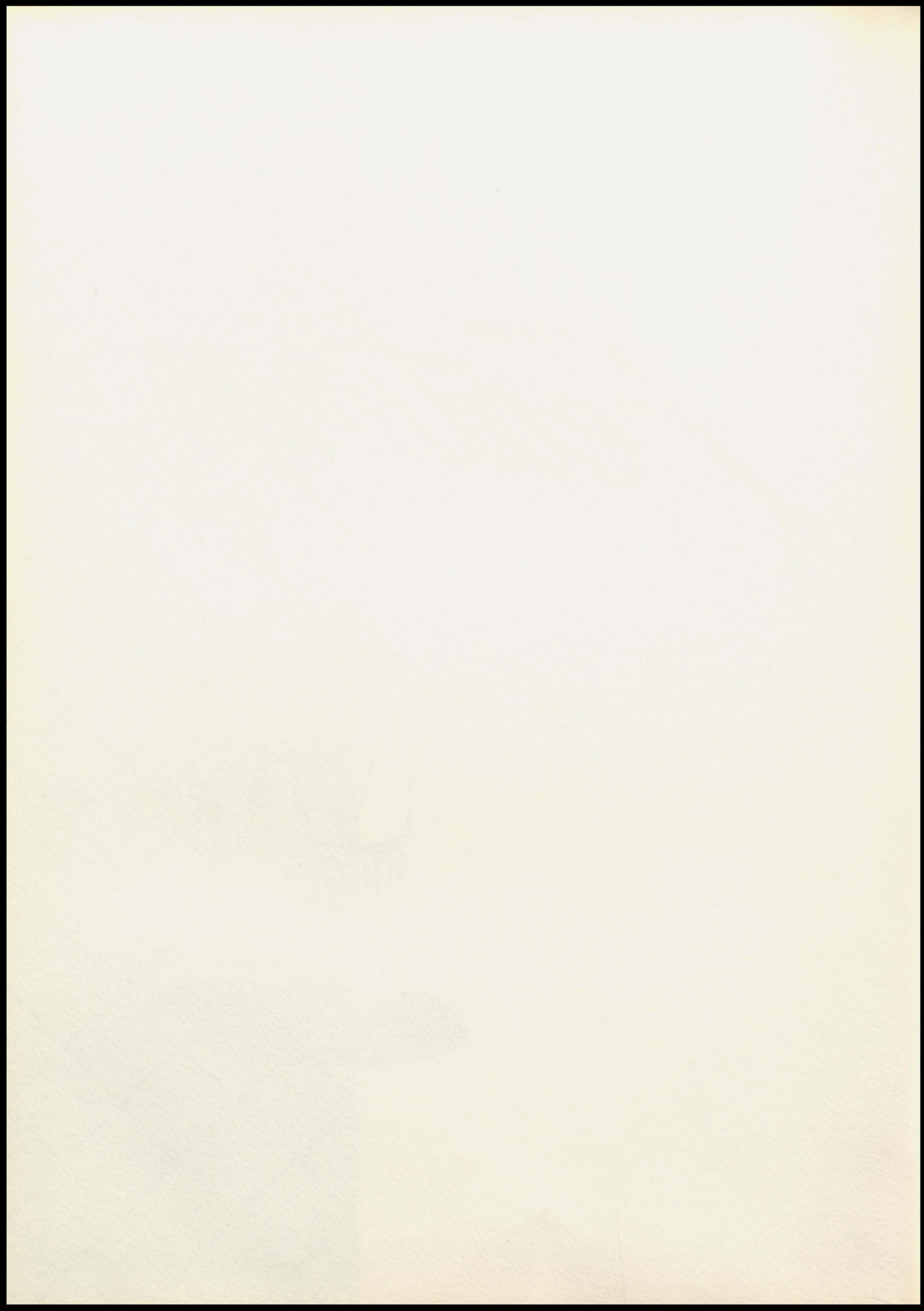
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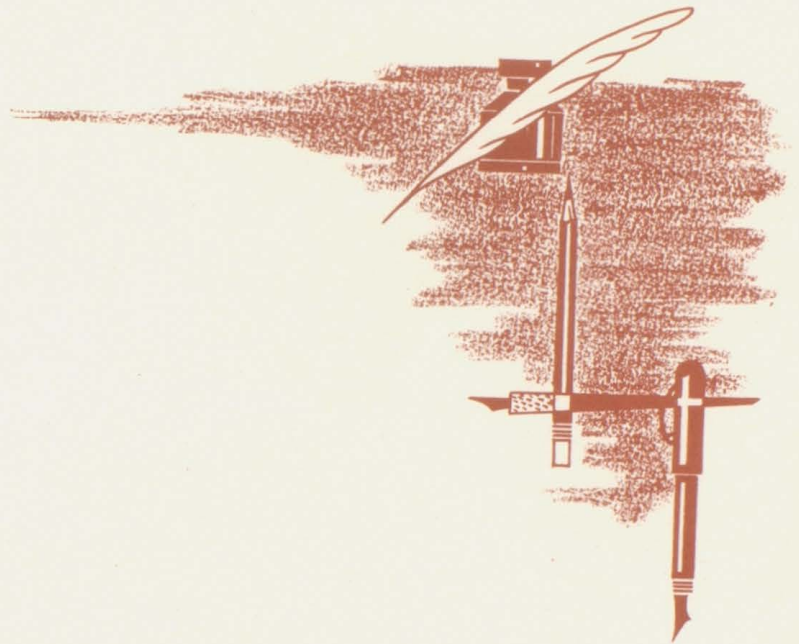






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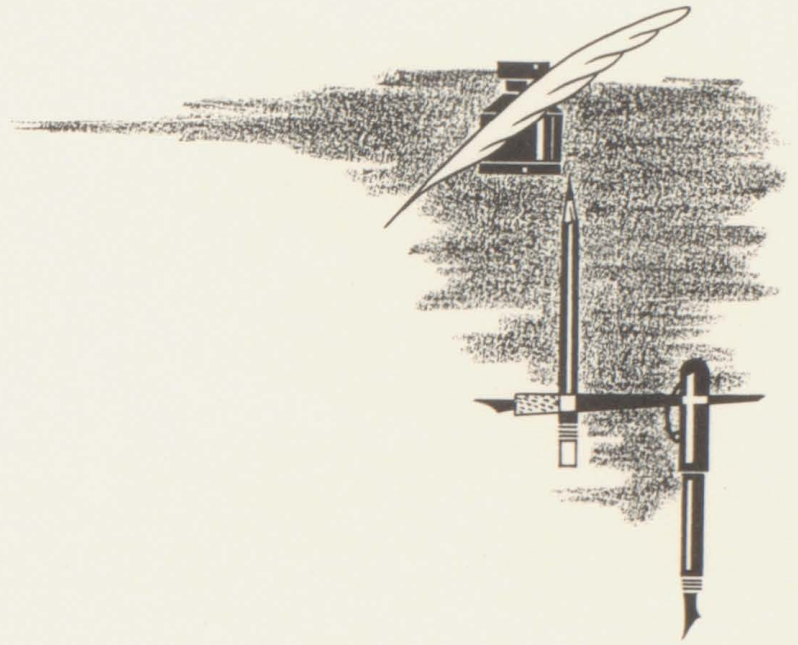




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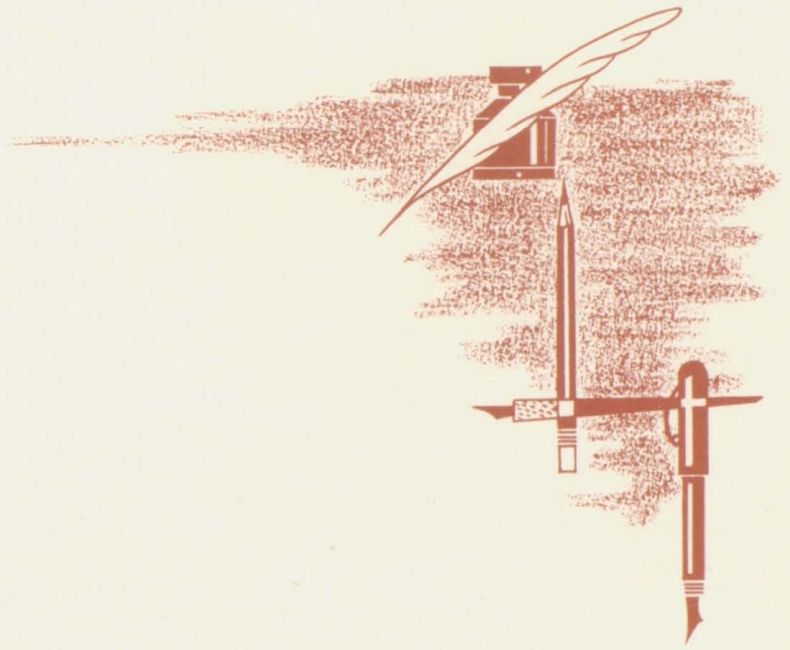






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