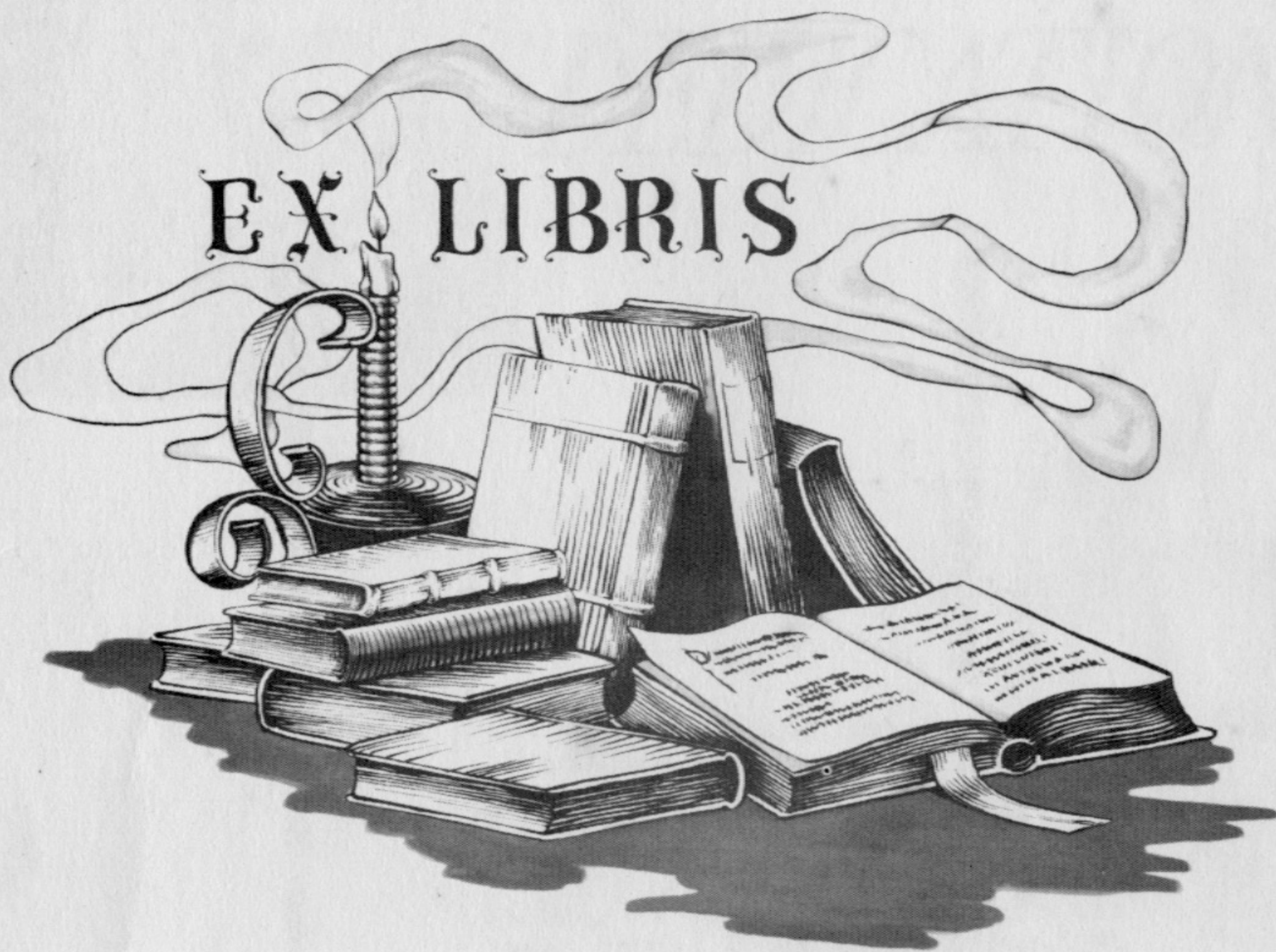


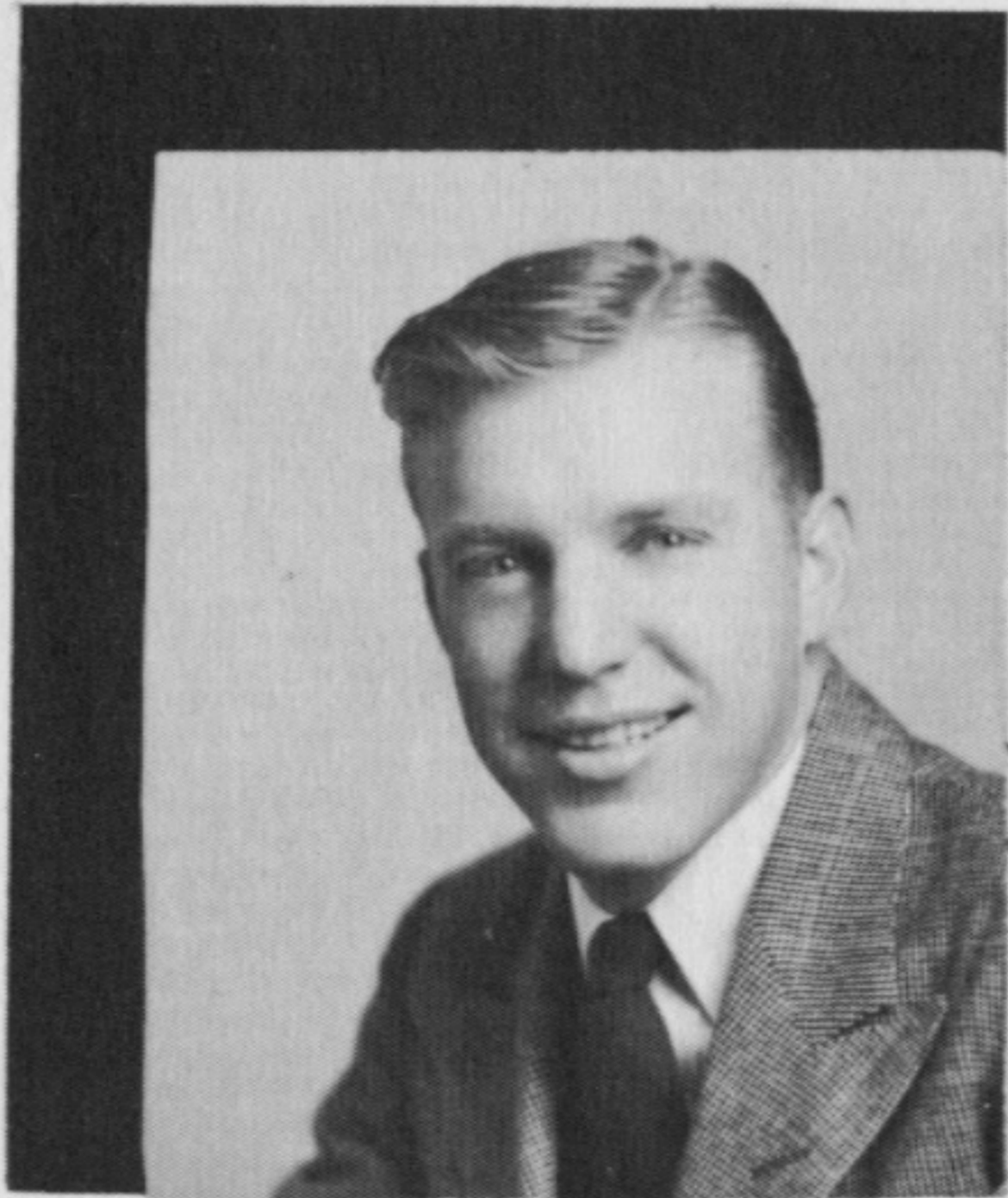


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Best wishes -
Mr Laswell



DEDICATION

One of the most beloved teachers at Mt. Vernon High School has been Mr. Jack Laswell, who for the past four years has meant so much to the lives of so many students.

Only six weeks had passed this year when he was called back into the Armed Forces to serve in Korea. We have missed him greatly, and sincerely hope that he can soon be back with his cheerful smile and glowing enthusiasm.

In grateful recognition of his qualities of leadership and loyalty, and with deep appreciation for his seriousness as a teacher and advisor, we wish to dedicate this, the 1951 Edition of the Flambeau, to our most deserving Sgt. Jack L. Laswell.



Audrey Smith

*Senior
Sponsors*

We, the Senior Class of '51 wish to express our sincere appreciation to Mrs. Smith and Mr. Linville, our sponsors, without whose untiring efforts and loyal support this publication of the FLAMBEAU could not have been possible.



Clyde Linville

Administration



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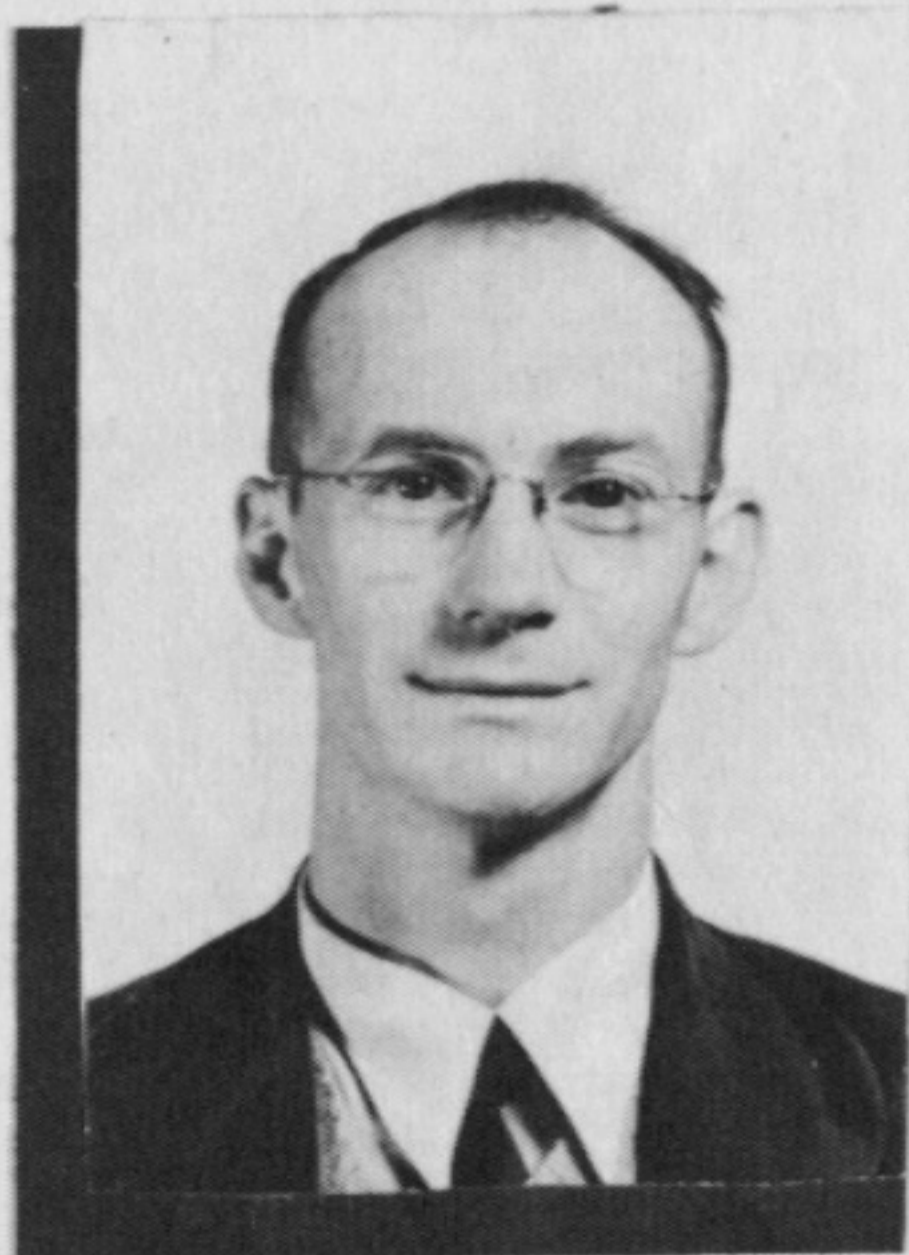
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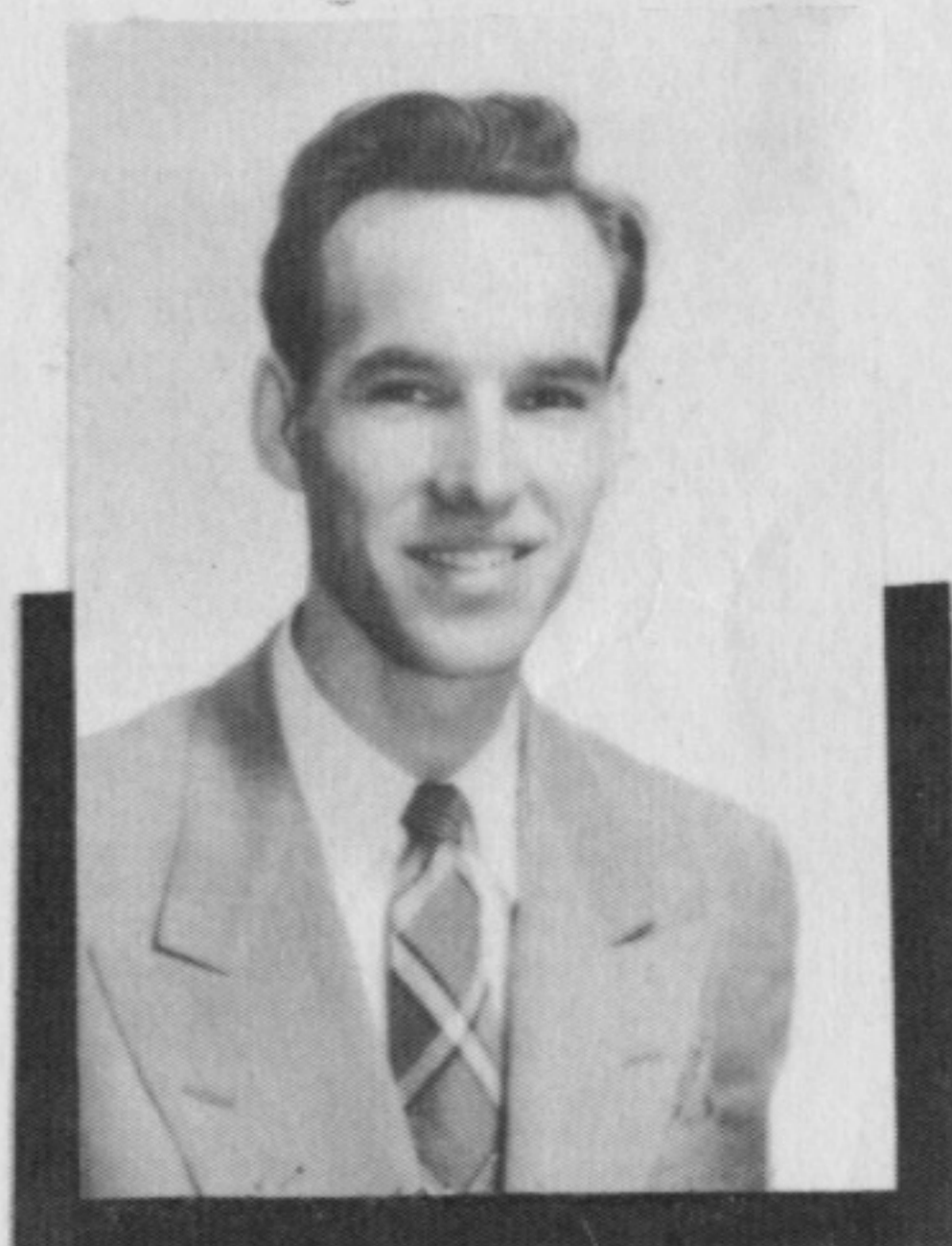
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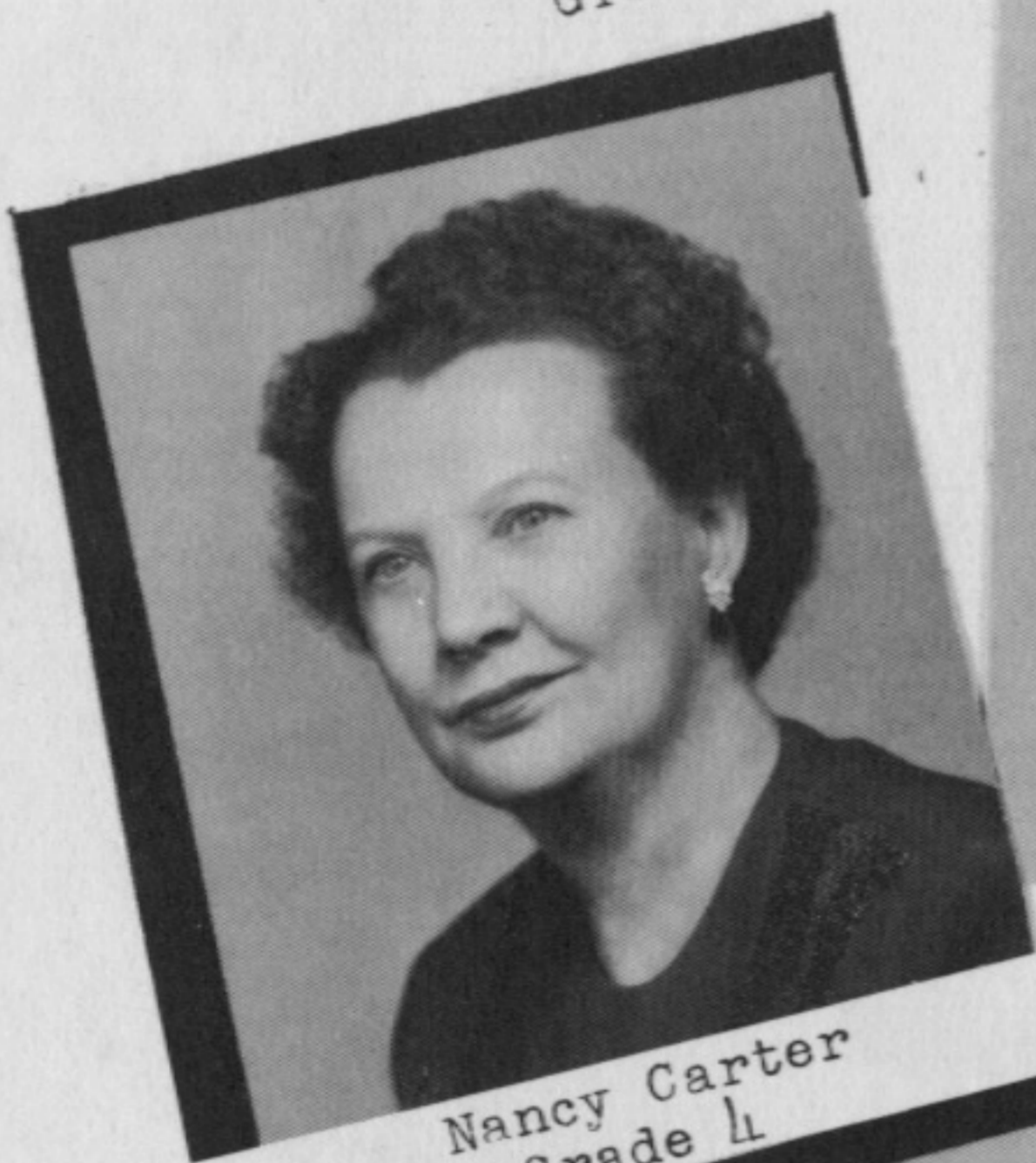
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Alza Mitchell
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Lucille Hysinger
Grade 2



Christine Krueger
Grade 7



Shirley Chrisman
Grade 3



Bragg Thompson
Band



Dorothy Holloway
Grade 2

Seniors

CLASS HISTORY



In September 1947 we the graduating class of 1951 started on our high school journey with Mrs. Audra Smith and Mr. Jack Laswell as our sponsors. They led us with confidence through our worst year as "green Freshmen". We began with a class of eighty nine, but fifteen dropped out during the year. Our activities for the year included a part in sports by having Paul Cummins and George Robinson on the baseball team. Our candidates for the Carnival were Barbara Moore as queen and Frank McHargue as king. Although we ran a good race, we lost.

Thus September 1948 came and we became brilliant Sophomores. Mrs. Smith and Mr. Laswell were still our sponsors. We had two new additions: Marjorie Faulkner and John Bond, but lost thirteen from our Freshmen year. We began taking more interest in sports by electing Rose Katherine Fred as cheerleader and had George Robinson on the basketball team. The most outstanding event of our Sophomore year evolved when fourteen of the Sophomore boys played hookey and were known to have gone to the Big Field Cave. For the next five days we missed their noise and arguments. We hope they enjoyed their vacation and the exams they had to take, which otherwise, most of them would have been exempted. The whole class had to suffer for a few weeks with threats that we could not have a trip, but Mr. Linville finally weakened and let us go to copper creek for a picnic.

Thus 1949 rolled around and we became jolly Juniors, looking forward to what was in store for us that year. We had a class of fifty nine and were very proud to have the new addition, Donald Hawkins. Our play "Cracked Nuts" was most successful. Our class candidate, Rose Katherine Fred won the title of Carnival Queen. This year we had an active part in sports and elected Rose Katherine Fred as cheerleader and had George Robinson, Paul Cummins, Carl Clontz, and Donald Hawkins on the basketball team. We lost eleven members that year. On Junior day we went to Gwinns Island, accompanied by our sponsors, Mrs. Smith and Mr. Laswell. Our banquet was most attractive in white and pink with silver decorations.

At last September 1950 arrived and we became the "Sophisticated Seniors", and very much aware of our title. Although we were sorry to lose Mr. Laswell to the Armed Forces, we are very glad to have Mrs. Smith and Mr. Clyde Linville as our sponsors for this year. We have a class of forty eight this year and have again elected Rose Katherine Fred as cheerleader with our boys playing a large part in basketball. We are planning to give a play this year, but as yet have not chosen the title. We have had a lot of school work this year, we sold candy, and magazines to make money for our school trip which we are planning about the last of May. We have also sponsored some shows to bring in more money. Our class candidates for the carnival were Betty Jo Childress and Lafe Norton. We have selected lavender and white as our class colors and our flower is a lilac.

While our class makes no claims of unusual greatness, we have played our part in the drama of Mt. Vernon High. You will Miss us for awhile until others take our place. But we shall never forget, for nothing can take the place of the four years of joy and sorrow, failures and success.

As you read this record in the years to come, grant a small portion of your memories to "The Class of '51".

Reva Abney
F. H. A.----1



Jean Anderkin
Annual Staff--1
Class Officer-1
F. H. A.-----1

Irene Anglin
F. H. A.-----1
Glee Club----1



Mary E. Anglin
F. H. A.-----2
Officer-----1

John Bond
Square Dancing1
Annual Staff--1
Safety Patrol-2
Dramatics-----1
Paper Editor--1
4-H Club-----1
Class Officer-1



Irene Bowman
4-H Club-----1
Glee Club----1

Kathryn Bullen
F. H. A.-----4
Officer-----3
4-H Club-----4



Betty Childress
Class Queen---'50
Glee Club-----3
Annual Staff----1
Dramatics-----1
Library Club----2

Carl Clontz
 Fish & Game---4
 Basketball----2
 Class Officer-2
 Baseball-----2
 Dramatics-----1
 Scouts---A-----4



Christine Cope
 Glee Club-----1



Bethada Cromer
 Annual Staff---1
 F. H. A.-----3
 Dramatics-----1



Paul Cummins
 Fish & Game--4
 4-H Club-----6
 Baseball-----4
 Basketball---2
 Scouts-----6
 Dramatics----1
 Class King---'49



Pearl Daugherty
 F. H. A.-----4
 Officer-----1



Alan DeJarnette
 4-H Club-----9
 Scouts-----6
 Dramatics-----1
 Fish & Game----2
 Annual Staff---1



Marjorie Faulkner
 4-H Club-----2



Rose K. Fred
 Carnival Queen-'49
 Band-----7
 Scouts-----8
 Dramatics-----1
 Cheerleader----3
 Glee Club-----3
 Library Club----3
 Annual Staff----1
 Class Officer---2



Dorotha Griffin
Glee Club---2



Bobby Hale
Class King '48
F. F. A.--- 2



Hobert Harmon
F. F. A.-----2
Fish & Game---1



Donald Hawkins
Basketball-----2



Cynthia Hayes
F. H. A.-----2
F. H. A. Officer 1
Class Officer---1



Edith Hurst
F. H. A. -----1
F. H. A. Officer3



Peggy King
F. H. A.---2
Glee Club--1
Dramatics--1



Louella Livesay
F. H. A. Officer--1
F. H. A.-----4



Frank McHargue
 Band-----7
 Fish & Game----4
 Scouts-----6
 Dramatics-----1
 Class Officer--2
 4-H Club-----2
 Annual Staff---1
 Class King---'47



Eula Mae Miller
 Glee Club-----2
 F. H. A.-----3

Allen Mullins
 Fish & Game---4
 4-H Club-----4
 F. F. A.-----2
 Annual Staff--1



Delora Noe
 Annual Staff-1
 Glee Club----2

Geraldine Noe
 Annual Staff--1
 Library Club--1
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 F. H. A.-----3



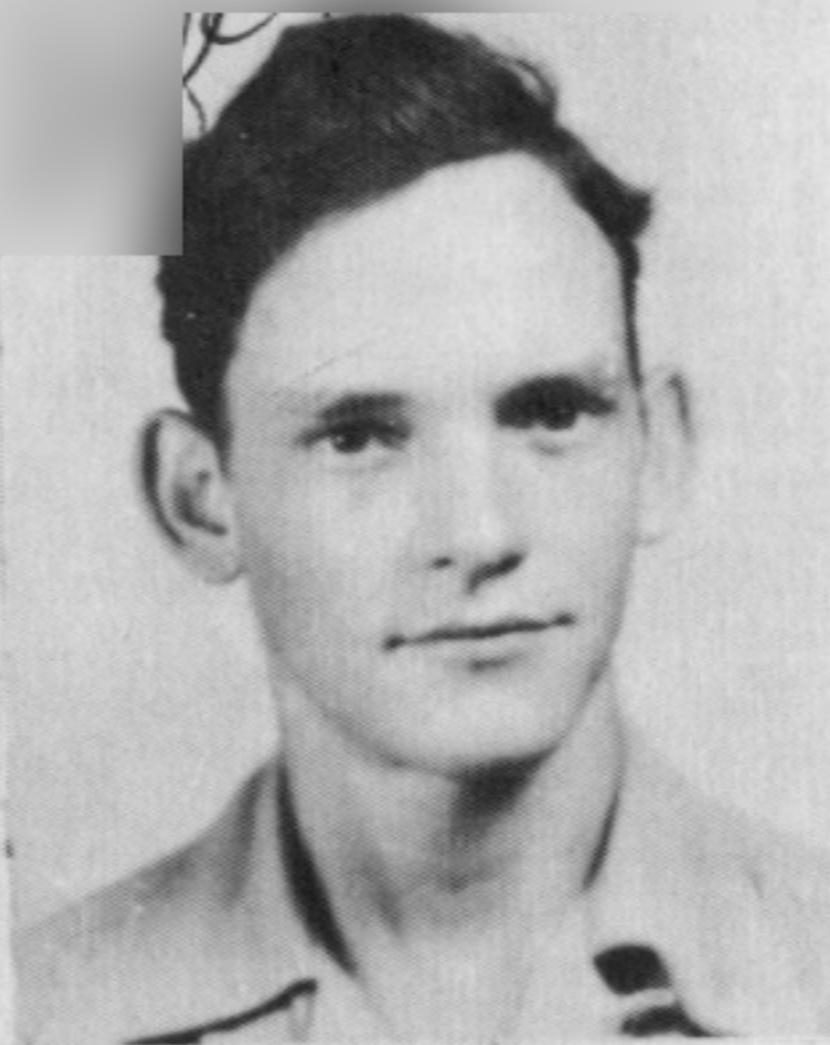
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 4-H Officer-1

Ottis Noe
 F. F. A.-----4
 Officer-----2
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 4-H Officer-3



Burnell Norton
 F. H. A.-----1

Joanna Norton
Glee Club-----2



Lafe Norton
Fish & Game-1
F. F. A.-----4
Class King'50

Lela Overbay
Annual Staff-1
F. H. A.-----1



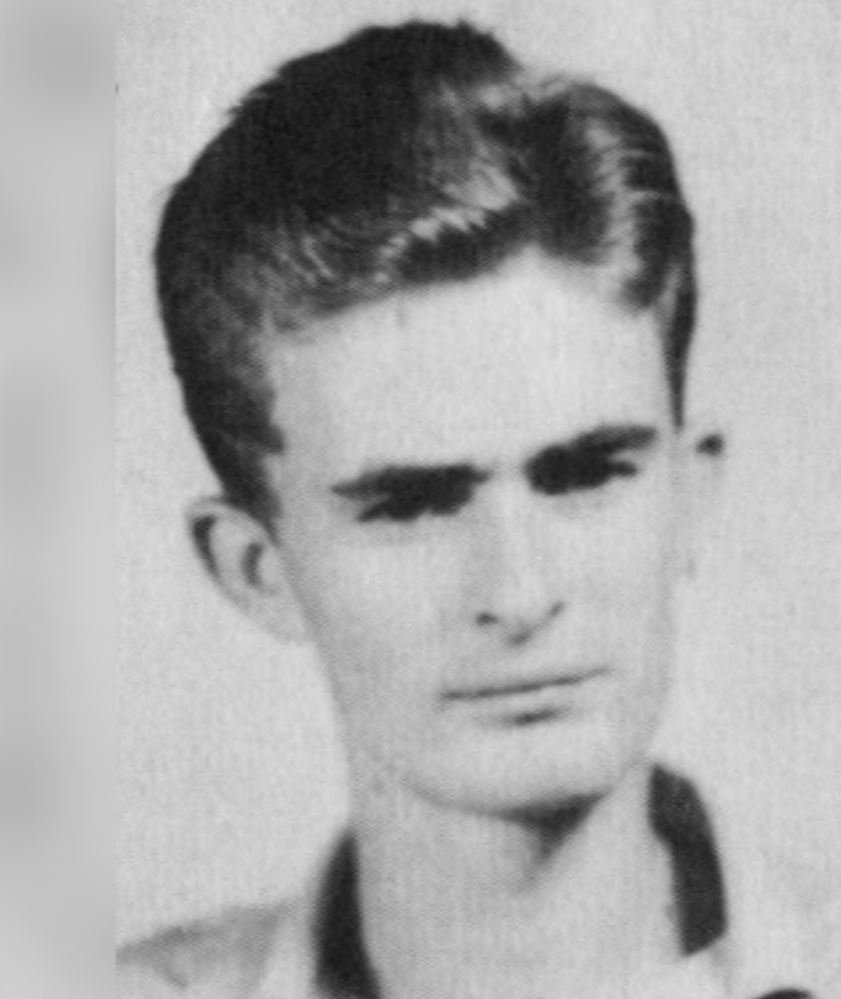
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Pauline Owens
F. H. A.-----1
Officer-----1



Sallie F. Owens
Glee Club-----2

Thomas Payne
F. F. A.-----4
Officer-----2
Class Officer 1



Emma Pitman
F. H. A.-----1
Class Queen-'48
Dramatics-----1

Helen Pitman
4-H Club-----3
F. H. A.-----1



Sally Pitman
F. H. A.-----1



Mable Proctor
F. H. A.-----1
4-H Club-----1



Lena Richmond
Glee Club-----2



George Robinson
Fish & Game-----2
Basketball-----3
Baseball-----4
Annual Staff-----1



Evelyn Roe
F. H. A.-----4
Officer-----1



Dorothy Sowder
F. H. A.-----4
Officer-----1
Dramatics-----1



Ada Thacker
Annual Staff--1
Glee Club-----1



CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of '51, being of sound body and some of us sound mind, on this day of May 11, 1951, in the year of our graduation (we hope) do declare this to be our first and last will and testament in which we will and bequeath the Following:

Reva Abney's ability to stay calm, cool, and collected on all occasions to Nell Wanda Parsons. Jean Anderkin's job as typist for Mr. Linville to Cecelia Deatherage. Irene and Mary Anglin's ability to sing to Betty Barnes. John Bond's quietness politeness and straight A's to Clinton Winstead. Irene Bowman's Dayton accent to Macie Rash. Kathryn Bullen's Homemaking Arts to Mrs. Smith to pass on to anyone who needs it. Betty Jo Childress's ability to roll her eyes (at the boys, of course) to Mary Ann Meyers. Carl Clontz's Physics book to Billy Hammonds. Christine Cope's fancy walk to Corrine Childress. Bethada Cromer's love for a certain Brodhead boy to Dorothy Reppert. Pearl Daugherty's slim, willowy figure to Cartha Jean Scott. Paul Cummins' sleeping quarters in Mrs. Hobbs room to Wendell McHargue. Marjorie Faulkner's quietness to Emily Wolfe. Kaki Fred's ex-boyfriends to Sue Lyons. Dorotha Griffen beleives she has nothing anyone wants so she wills nothing to nobody. Alan de Jarnette's blueprints of his 1960 Austin "The car of the future" to Jimmy Chaney. Cynthia Hayes' ability to stay off the honor roll to Rhoda Woodall. Edith Hurst's shortness to Sue Bullock. Peggy King's battle of peroxide to Barbara Hilton. Bobby Hale's place in Dot Griffin's heart to Harris Burton. Louella Livesay's long golden curls to Joan Livesay. Eula Miller's figure to Lena Graves. Delora Noe's height to Bonnie Lou Purcell. Hobert Harmon's ability to sing to Jack Chaney. Geraldine Noe's love for the air force to Carol Jean Purcell. Nancy Noe's bashfulness and blushes to June Cope, Joanna Norton's ability to get along with the teachers to Mildred Rickles. Donald Hawkins's ability as a basketball player to Jones B. Brown. Burnell Norton's ability to be true to her boyfriend to Melba Norton. Lela Overbay's ability to hunt mountain goats at Gwinn's to Margie Jones. Gladys Owens' big mouth to Tincy McCall. Frank McHargue's blue eyes and dimples to Norman Whittaker. Pauline Owens' ability to get her man (and ring) to Shirley Owens. Sallie Owens' gigles to Mattie Jane Price. Emma Pitman's southern accent to Barbara Ann Hansel. Allen Mullin's ability to skip classes to Albert Jean Griffin. Helen Pitman's ability to study to Iris Rose Mullins. Mable Proctor's liking for many friends to those who certainly talk about each other. Otis Noe's way with the ladies to Jack Dailey, who acts as if he doesn't need it one bit. Lena Richmond's True Romance magazines to Mrs. Ruth, with the hopes that she will enjoy them as much as Lena, herself did. Evelyn Roe has a big mouth, but she prefers keeping it herself. Dorothy Sowder's ability to teach the 8th grade to Mr. Albright. Lafe Norton's love for a certain Brodhead girl to Red Lay. Thomas Payne's long eyelashes to Johnny Machal. Ada Thacker wills Nell Wanda Parsons to Anderson Ramsey. George Robinson wills his physique to Leo Hopkins. To Mrs. Smith, we will our sincerest appreciation for bringing us through our High School journey and to Mr. Linville, for ably substituting for Mr. Laswell in our last year. To Mr. Laswell, who is absent in body, but who will always remain in our minds, we will all the luck in the world and the wish that M. V. H. may soon have him back. To the Junior Class as a whole, our good examples, and our indelible footsteps in which to follow. The Senior boys ping-pong balls to Mr. Landrum and the Junior boys. To the Sophomores we will our best regards and places on the Honor Roll, small as it was. To the Freshman, we will our sponsors and our hopes that some day they too, will be seniors. To old M. V. H. S. we leave our appreciation for the knowledge gained, ideals upheld, and happy association during the past four years, To the faculty, a new frame of mind--one of peace.

CLASS PROPHECY



Magic Mirror, on the wall
Can't you tell no tales at all
About the class of '51--
What they're doing and what they've done?

The mirror smokes, flames and then
After a moment it clears again.
In the mirror now I see
Many years revealed to me.

Through the mist I see Alan DeJarnette as president of his own Austin Mfg. Co. He invented a jet propelled Austin, which not only goes 550 miles an hour, but also swims, flies, and is guaranteed not to bend, break, burst, burn, or blow up.

The scene changes to Ohio State where I see "Kaki" Fred still trying to get into a fraternity. Look out, boys, she's pretty determined!

Now we go to Washington D. C. and I see a huge white building. Why I do believe it's the White House and there sits Gladys Owens as first lady of the land. Imagine that--married to the president! Also in Washington is Katheryn Bullen; seems she's become a lady senator now.

Tom Payne has his own office in the Court House now. He is Chairman of the Rockcastle Pest Control Committee.

Marjorie Faulkner is modeling for the Color-Back Co. Those blonde curls come in handy.

Lena Richmond is making plans for her forthcoming wedding. She is about to become Mrs. Montgomery Clift.

Cynthia "Chee Chee" Hayes is now living in her swanky Ritz Carlton Penthouse in New York. She's closed her summer home on the beach.

Carl Clontz is president of Ky's largest law firm, and his efficient secretary is none other than Geraldine Noe.

George Robison is doing a far from profitable business running the Mt. Vernon Pool Room 'cause his partner, Paul Cummins, consumes most of the profits.

Irene Bowman is living in Dayton now and seems to be quite happy. But then who wouldn't be, with two children, a dog, three cats and above all--a man!

Ze Hobert Harmon has a beauty salon on 5th avenue in New York, where he specializes in T-O-N-I, tonics.

Irene Anglin and Peggy King are modeling now for Bowers. In those new bathing suits--Wow!

Frank McHargue has just made his first million as president of the McHargue Ice Cream Co.

Professor John Bond of Berea College has received the Nobel Prize for his contributions to American Literature.

Don Hawkins has gone to Alaska on a gold rush. (Seems he lost his tooth.) He isn't doing much "rushing" though except to the "Boom Town Saloon", owned and operated by Ottis Noe and Lafe Norton. Don's fascinated by the entertainment there. The "Can Can Dance" is done by Pearl Daugherty, Louella Livesay, Edith Hurst, and Evelyn Roe--the big ole dolls!

Our scene changes to the Hawaiian Islands, and I see--why it's Burnell Norton. The grass skirt is very becoming, too.

I see Pauline Owens and Lelia Overbay running like mad. What's after them I can't see, but it appears they are about to "get got".

Sallie Fern Owens is now on the faculty at Brodhead High School. I see she is still spending a lot of time on "Hall" duty.

Ada Thacker has just broken the world's record typing, with 250 words per minute and no errors!

Christine Barnett, the former Christine Cope is getting rich quick on a book she wrote called "How To Control Your Temper".

Mary Elizabeth Anglin is now Supt. of Nurses at St. Joseph Hospital in Louisville. Her problem patient at the moment is none other than Bobby Hale. Seems he busted his bahoompus dancing to the "Shot Gun Boogie".

From here my scene goes--Good Heavens--what's that? It looks like fire,--yes, it is fire and I can see a dark figure shoveling coal into it. Why, it's Allan Mullins! Now where on earth can he be? From the looks of things he isn't even on earth! But wait, I see more clearly now; my imagination was getting away with me. Allan is only working his way around the world on a steamer.

I see a big box stamped "Fragile" and "Handle with Care", seems it's on its way to Texas. I wonder what's in----why, it's Delora Noe!!

The sophisticated Dorothy Deweese, er-- I mean Sowder, has just returned from an extended tour of Europe.

Dot Griffen is touring the U.S. by motorcycle, stopping at all high schools to give lectures on "How To Live With Your Family And Like It".

Jean Anderkin finally landed her Fish and has settled down at Wildie and started a small aquarium all her own.

Joanna Norton is working for the F.B.I. and has just rounded up a notorious gang of smugglers.

Reva Abney is a rich old maid and is raising a good sized family---- of cats.

I see Nancy Noe teaching Economics and Sociology at U.K. In reply to all questions the students ask, she gives this intelligent and thoughtful remark- "Law Yes".

Eula Mae Miller has just won the title "Miss America of 1960".

I see Bethada Cromer living on a farm just outside Brodhead. She's just sent Elmer to town after a can of flea powder.

Our "Peach from Gawjah", yes, I mean Emma Pitman, is in Hollywood now and is fast becoming another Oliva De Haviland.

Sally Pitman has just inherited a fortune from a rich cousin and now owns, not one, but two studebakers.

Mable Proctor and Helen Pitman are both married and living side by side on Richmond Street.

While still in Mt. Vernon, my scene goes to the old high school which has changed in many ways. It now has a 20 ft. wall around it and is called "Linville's Reformatory for Wayward Boys and Girls". Clyde, of course, is the number one slave driver, who beats the students for breathing. Correction--it hasn't changed much.

Now, last but by no means least, I see a very beautiful girl in the mirror. Of course, no one could guess who it is, especially since there's no one left but me. Ah yes, there I sit, still wishing I were twins so I could marry myself.

I only said that for a joke--but at that remark the mirror broke!

Although the class of '51 has great women and men,

All good things must come to an end--

Namely, this prophecy!

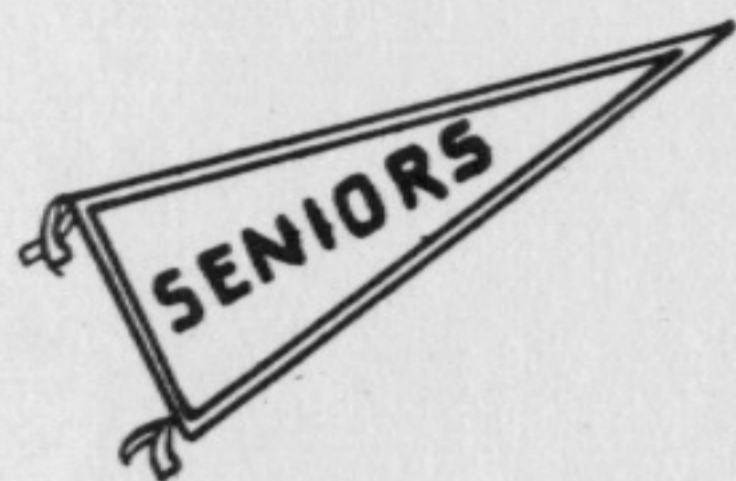




CAN YOU IMAGINE



Christine Cope with her mind on anything but Bodie?
Ada Thacker without "Tallant"?
Jean Anderkin being a tall blonde?
Cynthia Hayes not swooning over Carl Clontz and visa-versa?
Lena Richmond being short and fat?
Marjorie Faulkner being a man hater?
Nancy Noe being in love with "Hobert Harmon"?
Kathryn Bullen in a french bathing suit?
Helen Pitman & Mable Proctor being the most "fistie" girls in school?
Gladys Owens teaching Home Ec. at M. V. H. S?
Pauline Owens without Lela Overbay or visa-versa?
Sallie Fern Owens saying isn't instead of ain't?
Joanna Norton doing the "Charleston"?
Burnell Norton losing her temper?
Reva Abney being in the Air Force?
Irene Anglin living in Richmond, Indiana?
Irene Bowman with a southern accent?
Edith Hurst taking a business course?
Bobby with the "Hale" knocked out of him?
Hobert Harmon with a bay window?
Dorothy Sowder holding her temper at a basketball game?
Paul Cummins without his Hadacol?
Peggy King being president of the Bell Telephone Company?
Eula Mae Miller and Bobby having a flat tire in Berea?
Delora Noe's heart not being in Korea?
Louella Livesay being the sophisticated type?
Geraldine Noe making a 100% on a spelling test?
Dorotha Griffen not being in love with the "West"?
Ottis Noe as a Roaming Casanova?
Miss Ruth in a pale pink pinafore??
"Fuzzy" Mullins being a minister?
Mary Elizabeth Anglin as a lady wrestler?
Carl Clontz being the president of a big law firm?
Pearl Daugherty and Evelyn Roe being quiet for one minute?
Betty Jo Childress being a "teachers" pet?
Frank McHargue "hitched" up with Renfro Valley?
Kaki Fred not being fascinated by "Red heads"?
Don Hawkins captain of the U. K. basketball team? "Yea Don Baby"
Lafe Norton being a "hula" dancer?
Thomas Payne short, fat and 4-F?
Sally Pitman dancing to the "Johnson Rag"?
John Bond dancing around the hall singing it pays to be ignorant?
Alan DeJarnette as a "mad scientist"?
Emma Pitman without a "Hart"?
George Robinson dating Doris Hobbs?
Jim Clyde leading a big game hunt in Africa?
The Junior girls without Miss Bryant?
M. V. H. S. without the seniors smelling like proxide?
Bethada Cromer not singing "Elmer's-tune"?
Mrs. Smith quarreling at the Senior girls?
Mr. Landrum losing his temper in class?
Mr. Turner living in New York?
Mr. Kineman letting his class go play ping-pong?
Mrs. Landrum making eyes at the men teachers?
Miss Bryant being late to school?
Mrs. Hobbs driving a 51 Cadillac?
M. V. H. S. without 1951 Seniors?
Mr. Thompson playing a guitar?
Seniors having a play on the due date?



SENIOR PLAY

HER EMERGENCY HUSBAND

CHARACTERS

Nicholas Napoleon Nutt, "Nicky"-----A newlywed-----Frank McHargue
 Arlene Nutt-----His bonny bride-----Cynthia Hayes
 Aunt Jubilee-----The Negro cook-----Jan Anderson
 Elberta Peach-----Her dumb daughter-----Evelyn Roe
 Dorothy Dolson, "Dot"-----Who got jilted-----Kaki Fred
 Bill Jones-----Dot's emergency husband-----Carl Clouty
 Wilmer Sneed-----Dot's jilter-----Thomas Payne
 Audry Hardwick-----Bill's fiancée-----Betty Childress
 Hiram Hardwick-----Audrey's hard-boiled uncle-----Don Hawkins
 Aunt Hazel Nutt-Nicky's militant old-mail aunt--Dorothy Sowder
 Mrs. Jarboe-----Arlene's dominating mother-----Irene Anglin
 The Wild Man-----Who eats raw meat--Human!-----Alan de Jarnette


THE PLAY

The entire action takes place in the livingroom of Nicky's and Arlene's home in the suburb of a mid-western city.

- ACT I. About 10 A. M. in May.
- ACT II. A few moments later.
- ACT III. Ten minutes after the close of Act II.

Director Mrs. Ruth Blazier





Juniors



Albert Gene Griffen
Marjorie Jones



Nell Wanda Parsons
Jimmy Chaney



Cecelia Deathrage
Harris Burton



Dorothy Reppert
Anderson Ramsey



Clinton Winstead
Barbara Hilton



Dempsey Ramsey
Carol J. Purcell



Sue Lyons
Jack Chaney



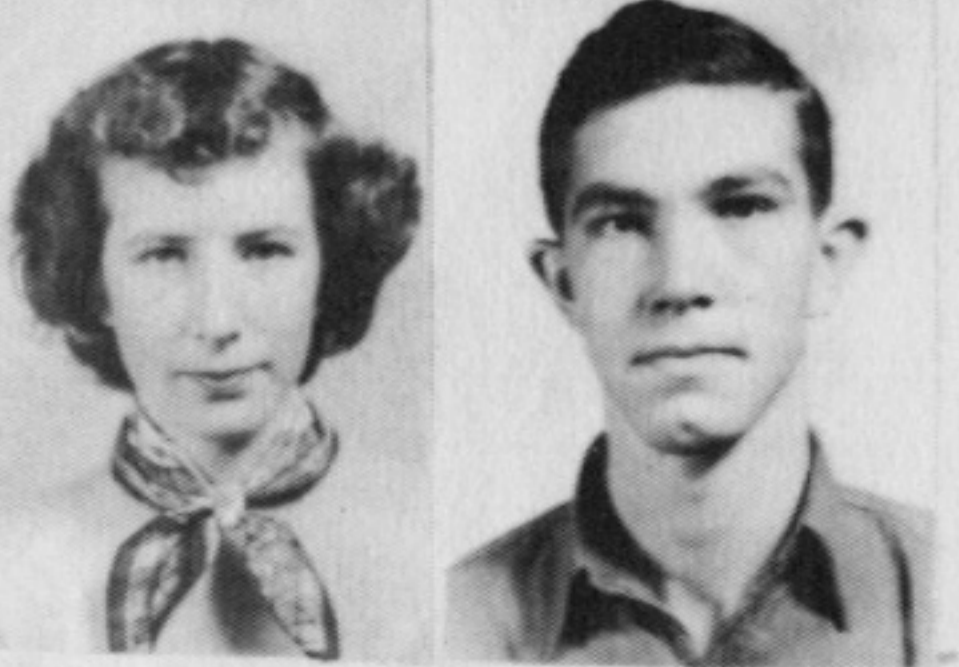
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Paul Manis



Wendell McHargue
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Rhoda Woodall
Billy M. Hammonds



Lucy Hurd
Jesse Bullock



Bobby Lay
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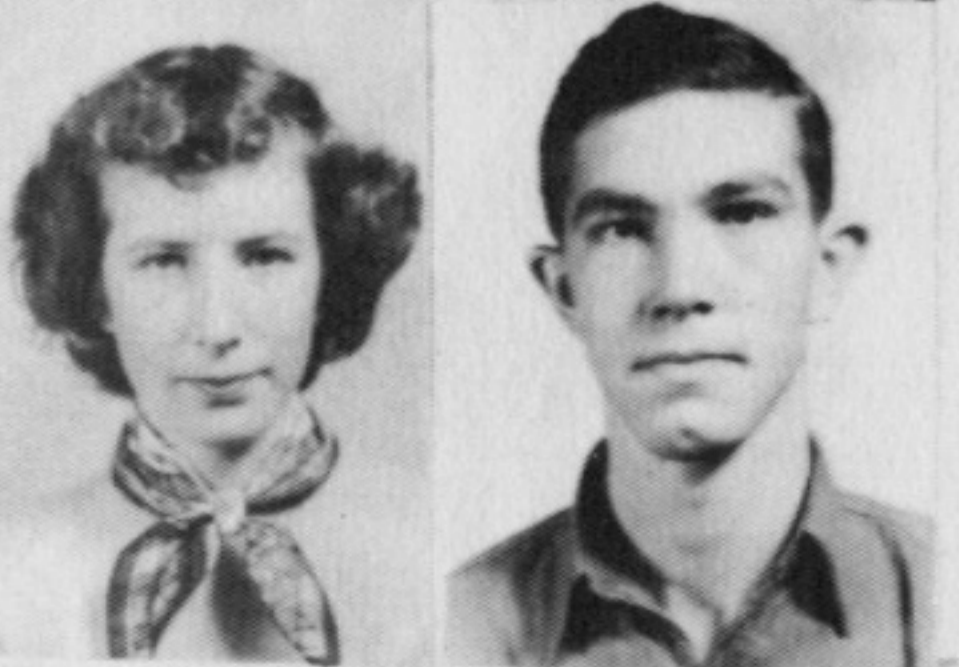
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Lucy Hurd
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Bobby Lay
Nancy Lair



Bonnie Lou Purcell
John Machal



Mildred Rickels
James Kincer



Jones Burdette Brown
Cartha Jean Scott



Norman Whitaker
Jean Anne Wallace



Emily Wolfe
Edwin Price



Macie Rash
Jack Dailey



Joan Livesay
Alwanda Watson



Melba Norton
Betty Barnes



June Cope



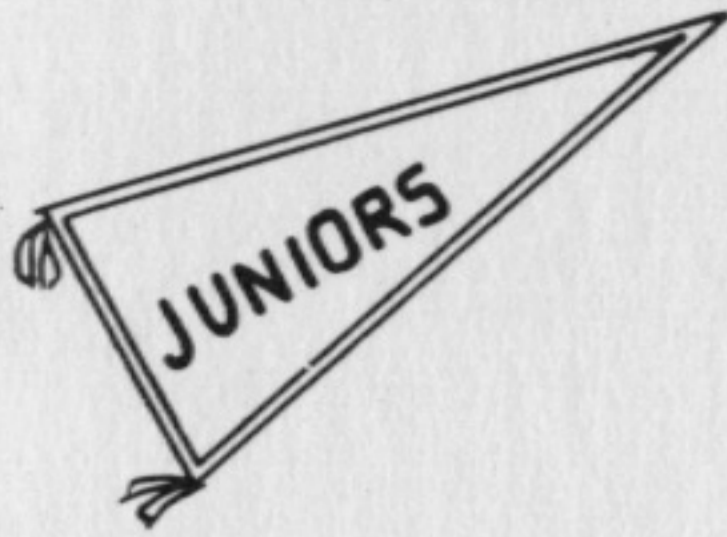
Leo Hopkins

CLASS OFFICERS



President--Albert Gene Griffen
Vice President--Barbara Hilton
Secretary--Sue Lyons
Treasurer--Rhoda Woodall





JUNIOR PLAY
THE ABLE MISS CAIN

CHARACTERS

Elinor Prescott-----Mama, who rules the roost----- Dorothy Reppert
 Leaper Prescott-Papa, who leaps when Mama speaks----- Dempsey Ramsey
 Cheryl Prescott--Mama's pet, the spoiled daughter----- Sue Lyons
 Petey Prescott-The kid brother, crazy over hypnotism- Jack Chaney
 Mary-Jo Jennings-Leaper's neice, the household drudge Melba Norton
 Mamie Magoon-----The dumb maid of all work----- Carol J. Purcell
 Gussie Smoot-----A nosey neighbor----- Marjorie Jones
 Jed Lawford-----In love with Cheryl----- Albert G. Griffen
 Orpha Van Ostade----The town's aristocracy----- Cartha J. Scott
 Alive Van Ostade-----Her darling boy----- Leo Hopkins
 Mrs. Pilsbury Livermore----The cranky boarder----- Nancy Lair
 Aunt Molly Cain-----Rich, eccentric and very able---- Cecelia Deatherage
 Izzy Finklestein---Who tries to deliver a fur coat--- Windell McHargue
 Mlle. Fifi-----Who tries to deliver a Paris hat----- Bonnie Purcell

THE PLAY

The entire action takes place in the living room of the Prescott home in Valleyview, a midwestern town of some ten thousand inhabitants.

SYNOPSIS OF ACTS

ACT I. About four o'clock on a warm October afternoon.

ACT II. Two weeks later. I P. M.

ACT III. The next morning. About 10 A. M.

Director

Myrtle Bryant



Sophomores



FIRST ROW

Kermit Norton
 Stanley Graves
 Charles Shepherd
 Carl Deatherage
 Charles Payne
 Earl Pitman
 Bobby Harper
 Billy Adams
 J. B. Payne
 William Bullen
 Roger Rickles
 Byron Crawford
 Charles Delph
 Freddie Noe
 Kenneth Price
 Kenneth Cromer
 J. M. Scott
 Ray Manis
 Bobby Bussell

SECOND ROW

Edwin Wilson
 Vira Clark
 Glenis McBee
 Shirley Owens
 Barbara Hansel
 Charles Baker
 Bobby Spears
 Nina Bullock
 Tincy McCall
 Iris Rose Mullins
 Alene Coffey
 Betty Jo Daily

THIRD ROW

Mattie J. Price
 Billie McKenzie
 Eva Ann Machel
 Sue Gail Bussell
 Elaine Parrett
 Belva Owens
 Rose Payne
 Carol Henson
 Isabel Mayhew
 Norma Jean Murphy
 Billie Wanda Childress
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 Bobby Barnes
 Clayton Pennington
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 David Henderson
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 Tommie Mink
 Donald Ballinger

SECOND ROW

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 Bessie Sowder
 Sarah Hunt
 Lucy Middleton
 Monroe Woodall
 Glen Faulkner
 Sylvia Bullock
 Phylis Milan
 Corene Hunt
 Jean Cummins
 Sue Clontz
 Louis Ramsey

THIRD ROW

Denton Dash
 Charles Proctor
 Geneva Bradley
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 Ruby Cromer
 Shirley Bullock
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Athletics



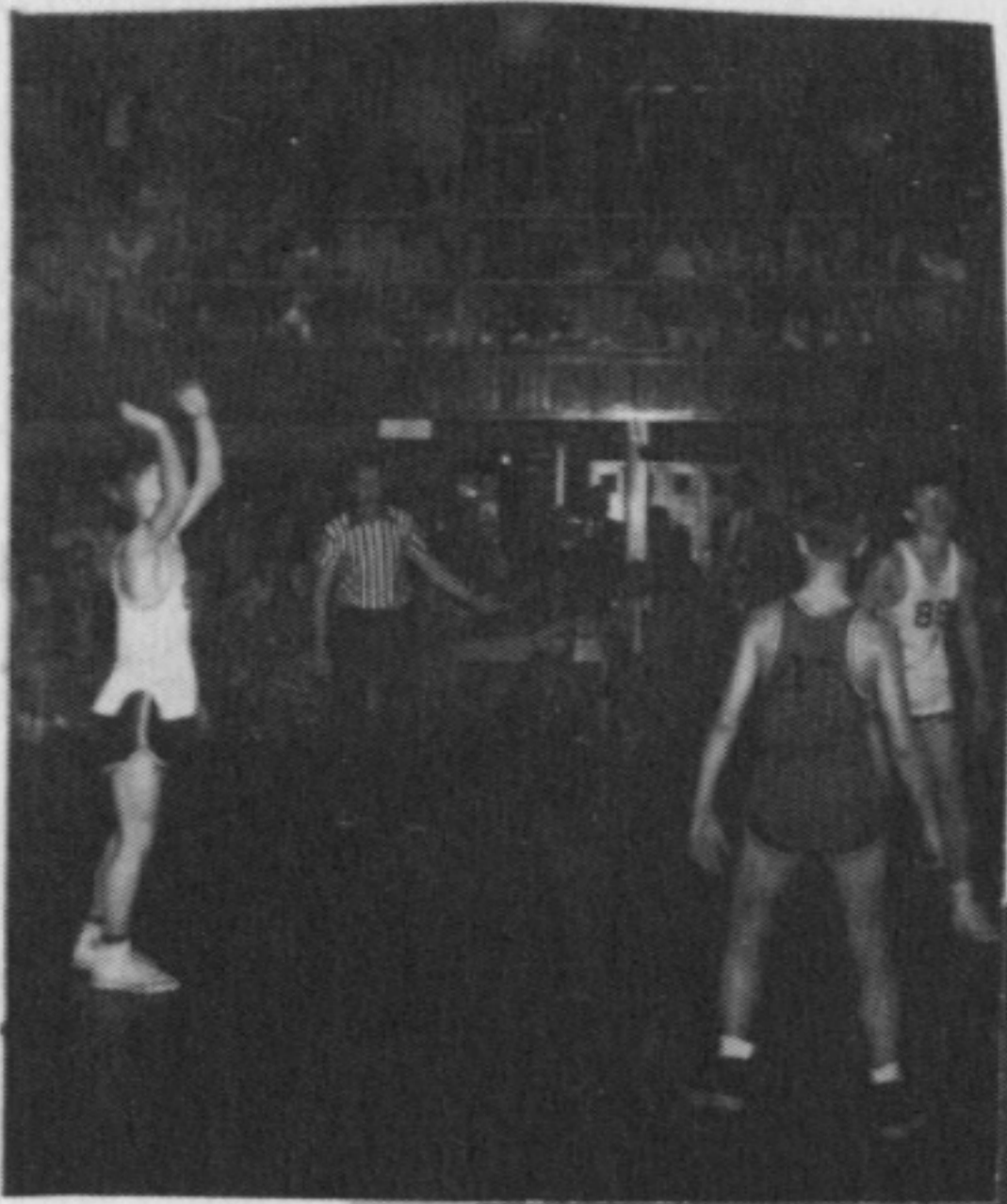
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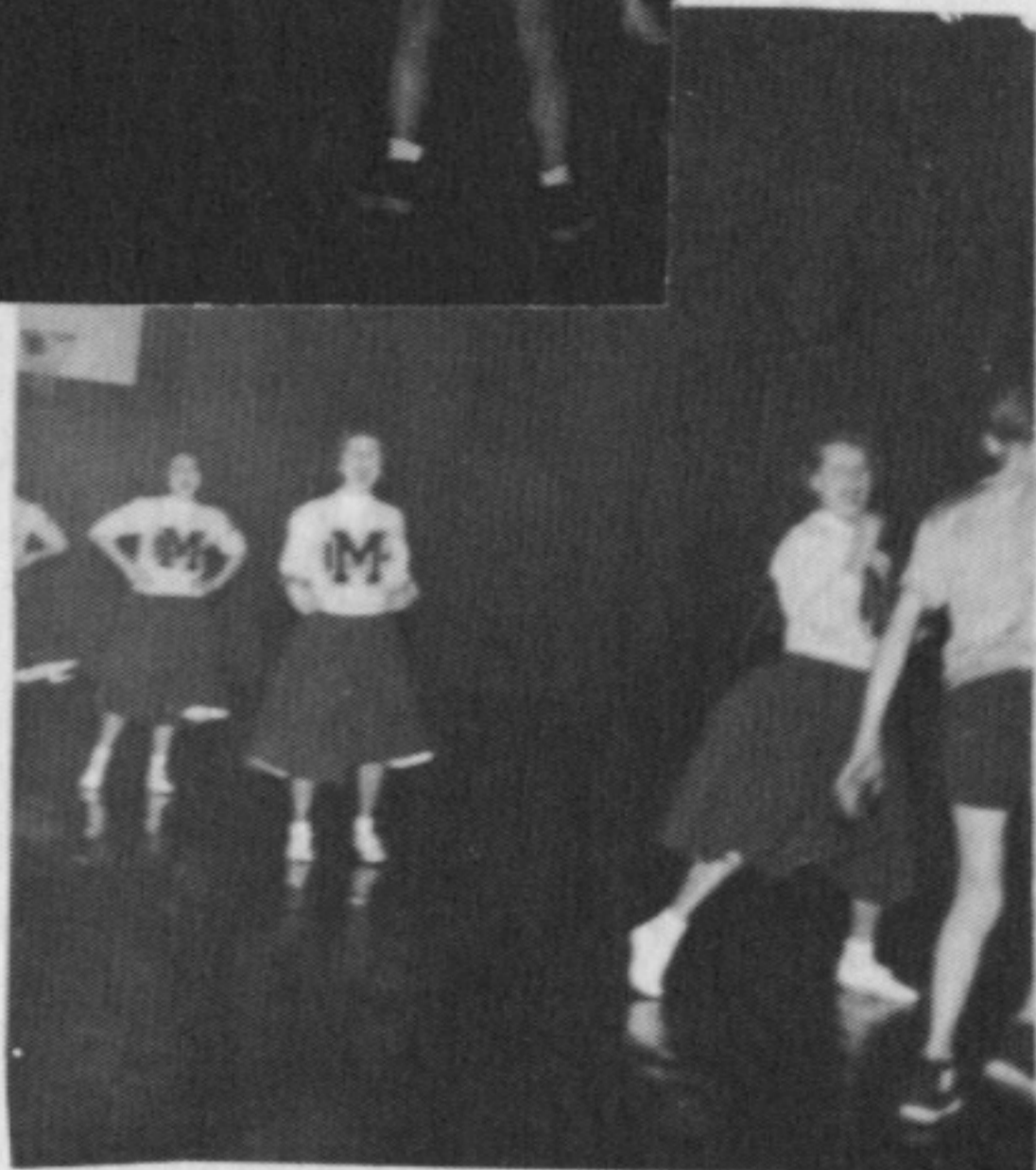
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London-----	41	" "	40	Livingston-----	37	" "	35
Liberty-----	42	" "	41	Greendale-----	19	" "	73
Berea-----	40	" "	39	Bush-----	87	" "	50
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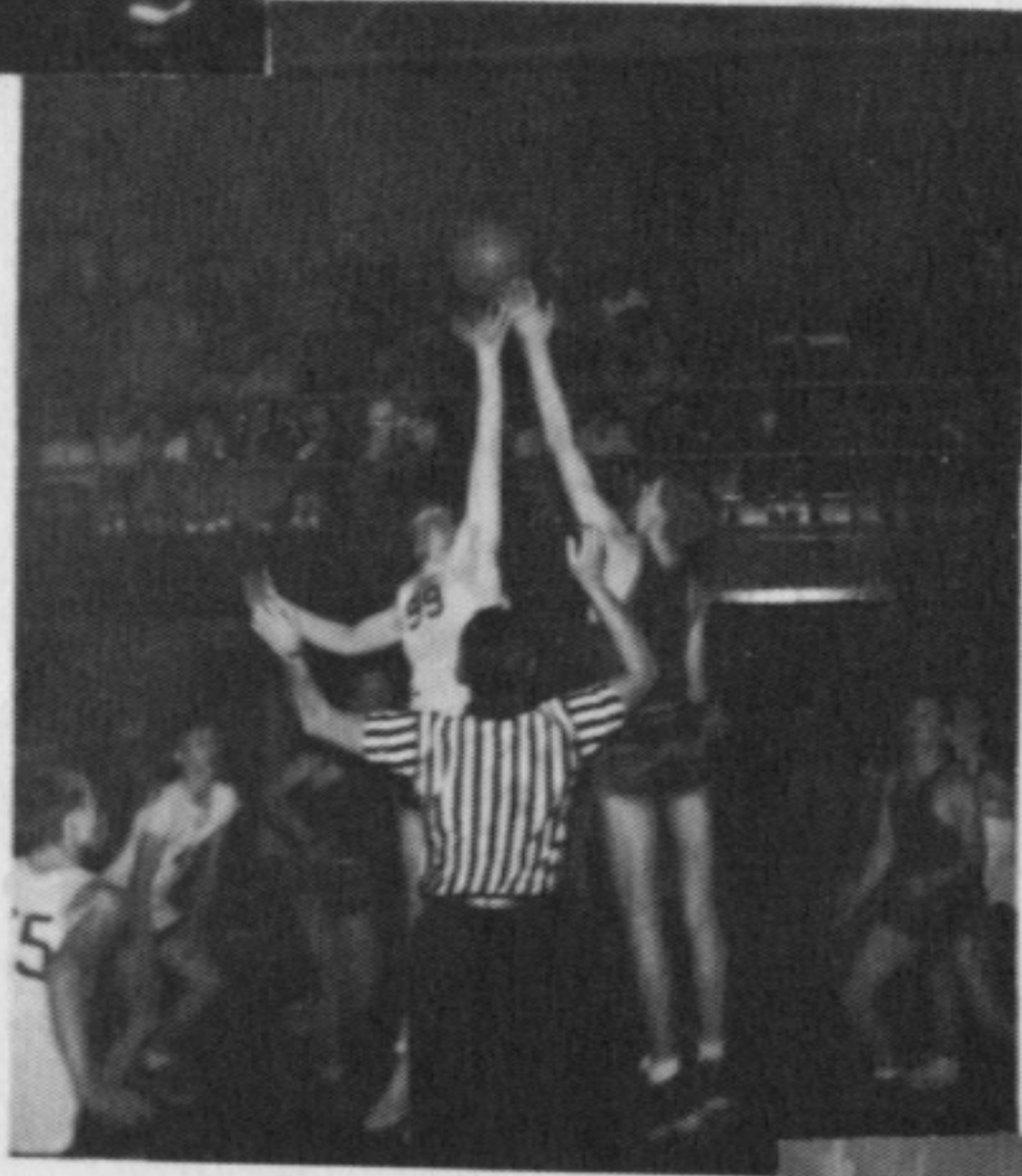




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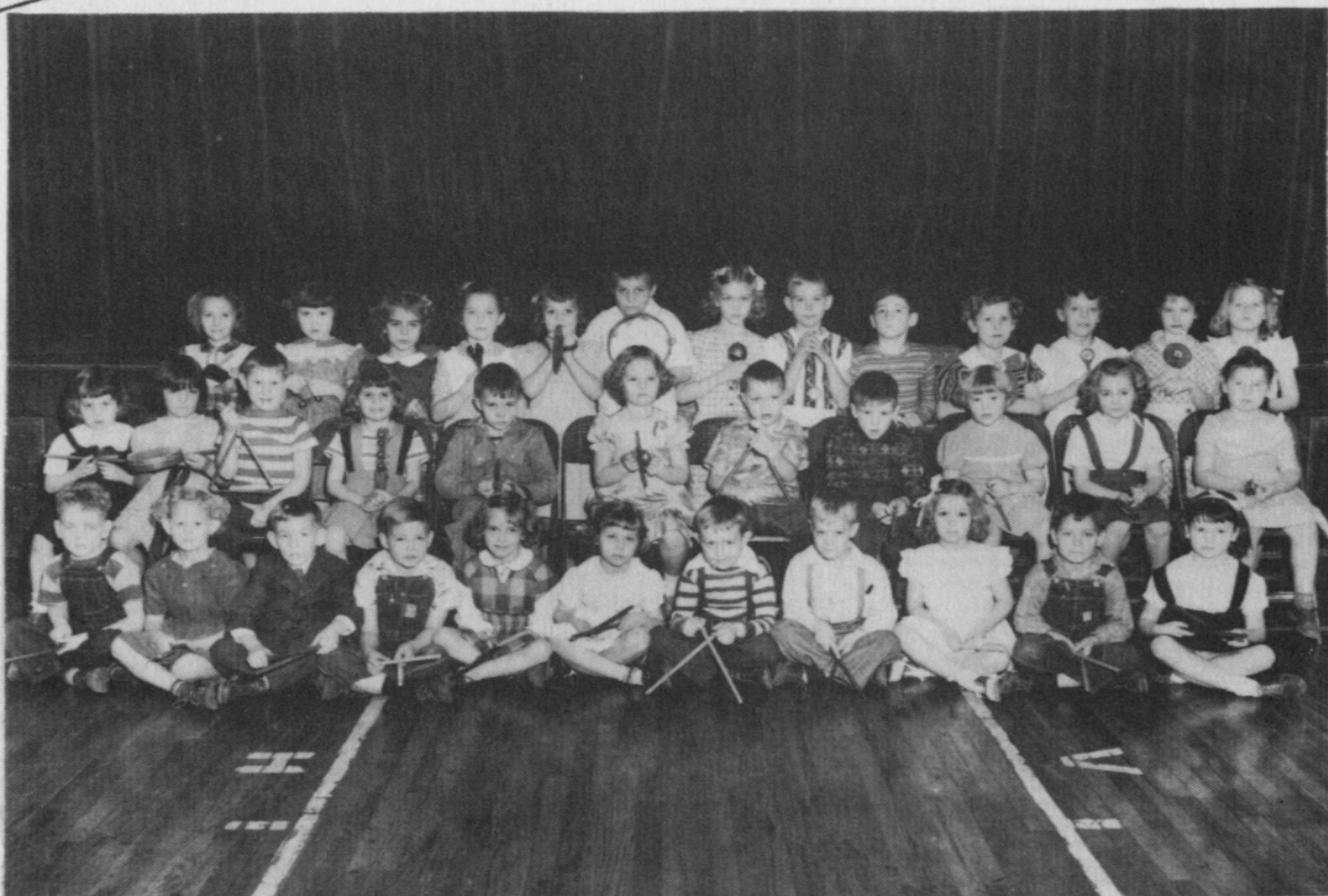
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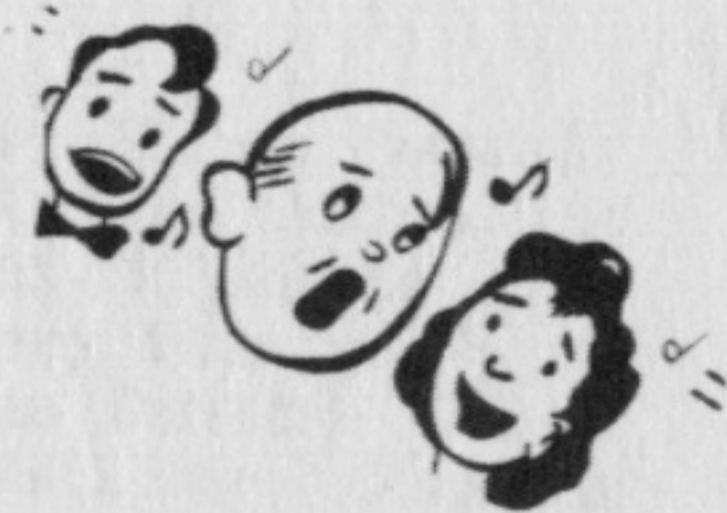
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Fall Carnival



King — Queen & Attendants

King—Clinton Winstead
Queen---Shirley Owens

Buglers

Jones Burdette Brown
Bobby Spears

Class Candidates
(Left to Right)

Lafe Norton-----Senior
Charles Sowder-Sophomore
Robert Barnes---Freshman
Rose K. Fred (Queen of 49)
Jean Cummins----Freshman
Dorothy Reppert----Junior
Betty Jo Childress-Senior

Attendants
(Left to Right)

Mary Ellen Hansel
Guinith Pardue
Gail Williams
Jerry Cox
Gene Smith
Elva James Cummins
Carolyn Carter
Patsy Cummins



BY THE SEA



SQUARE DANCE



TEDDY BEAR CHORUS

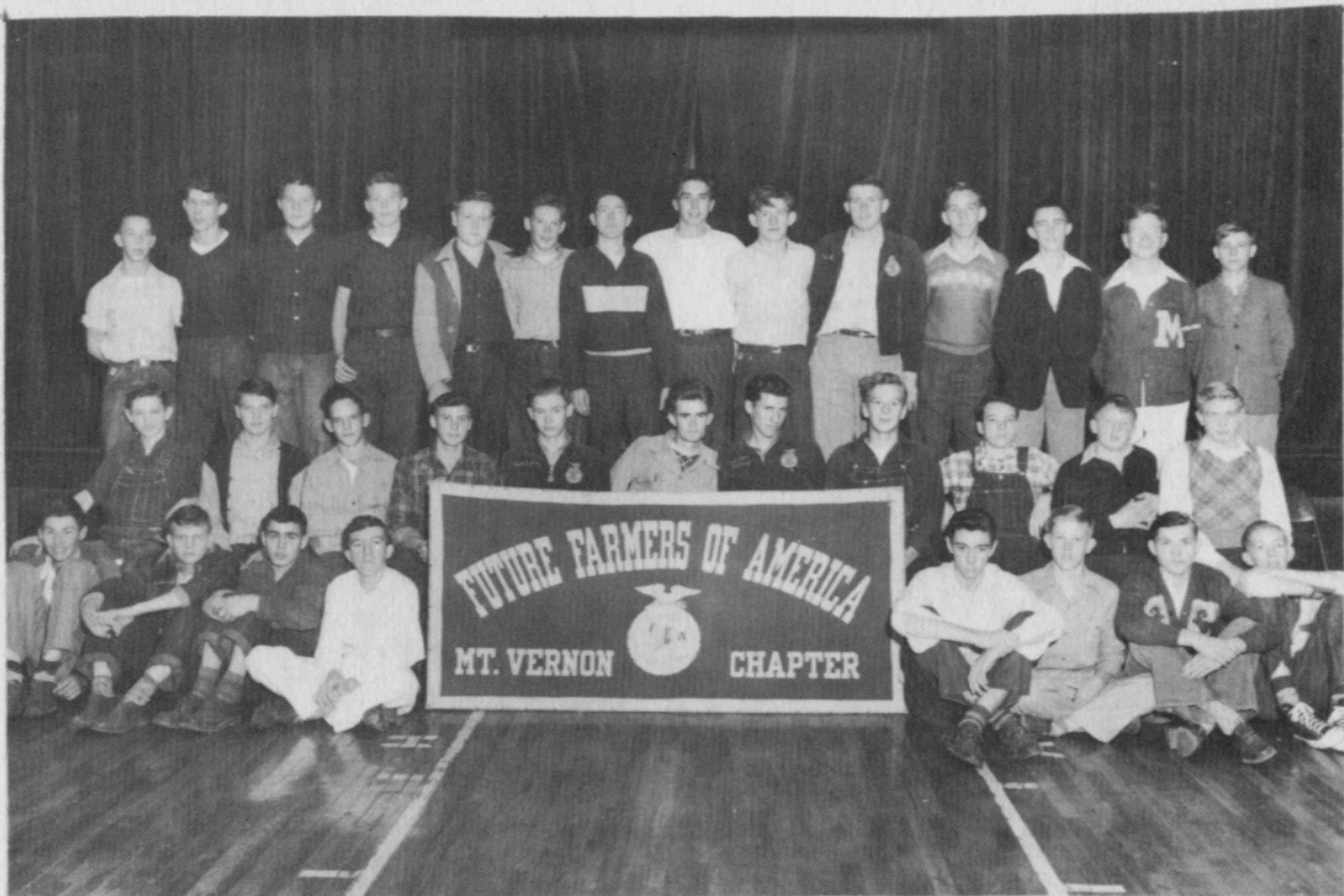


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Rose K.



Frank



Paul



George

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- Best Looking Boy Billy Adams
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- Best Actor Paul Cummins
- Best Figure Carol Jean Purcell
- Best Physeque George Robinson
- Best Athlete George Robinson
- Best Sport Charles Baker
- Most Popular Lady Teacher Mrs. Audra Smith
- Most Popular Gentleman Teacher Mr. William Landrum



Billy



Glenis



Carol J.



Charles



Mrs. Smith



Mr. Landrum

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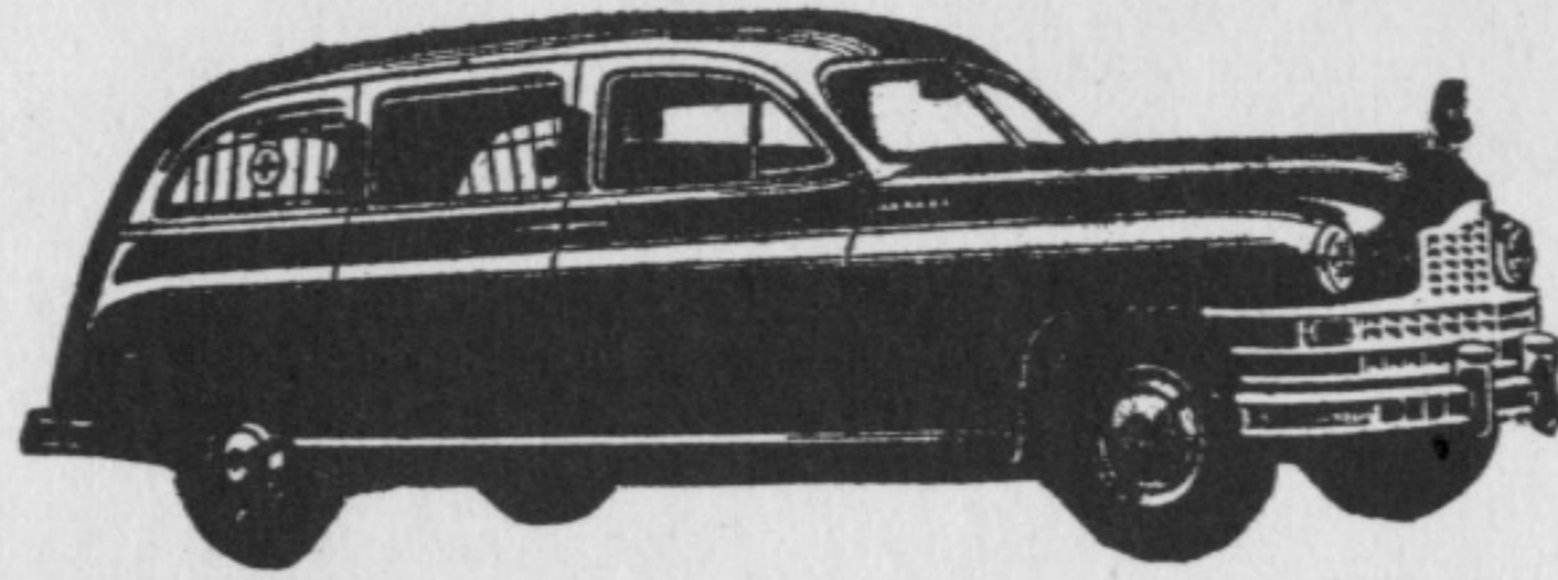
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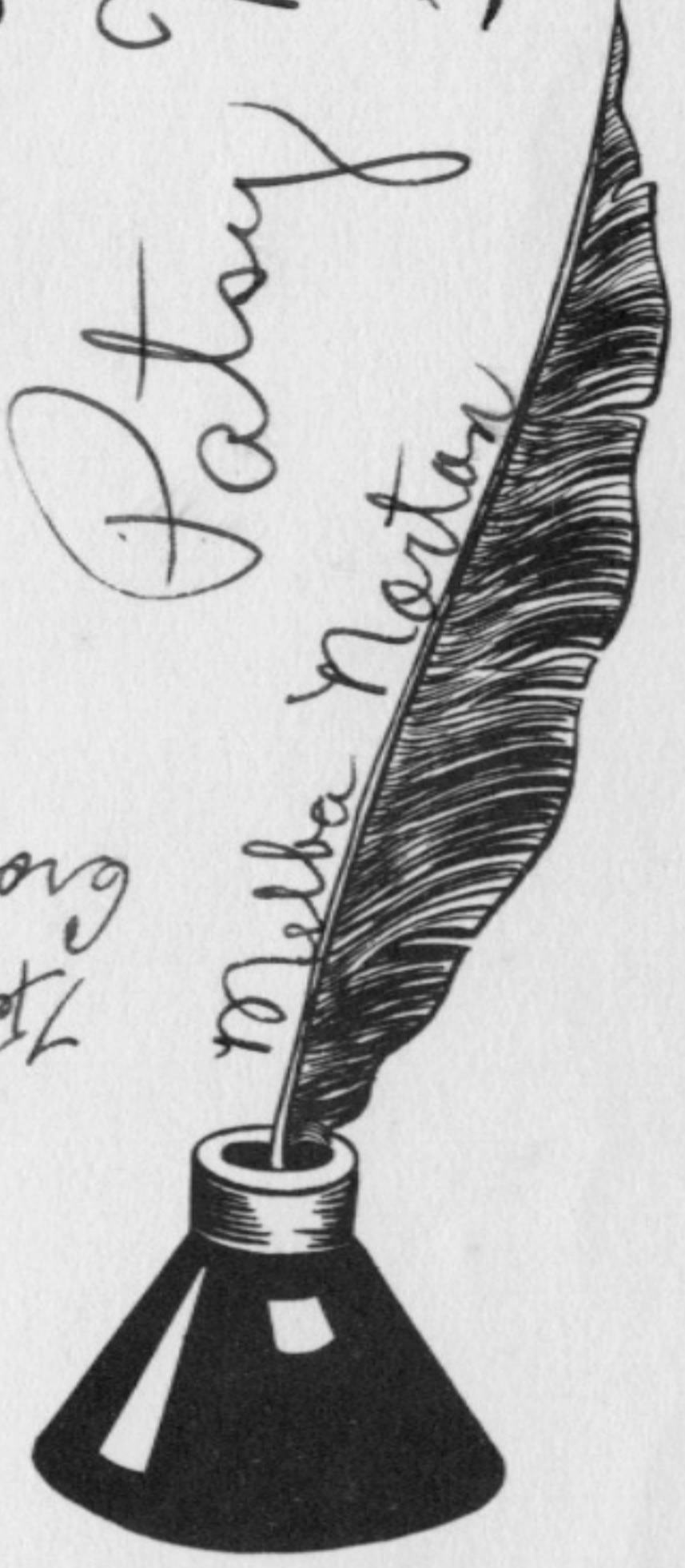
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