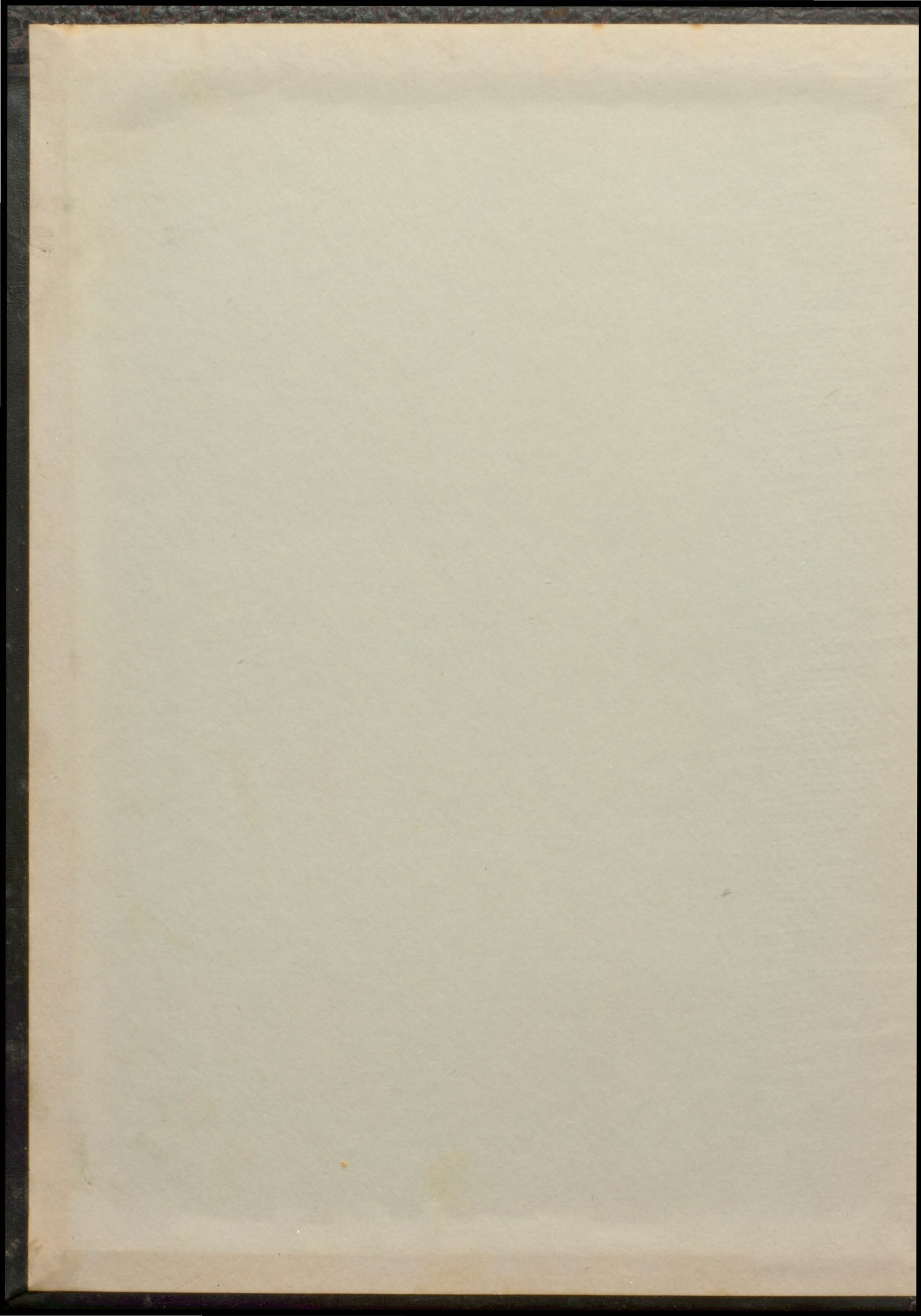
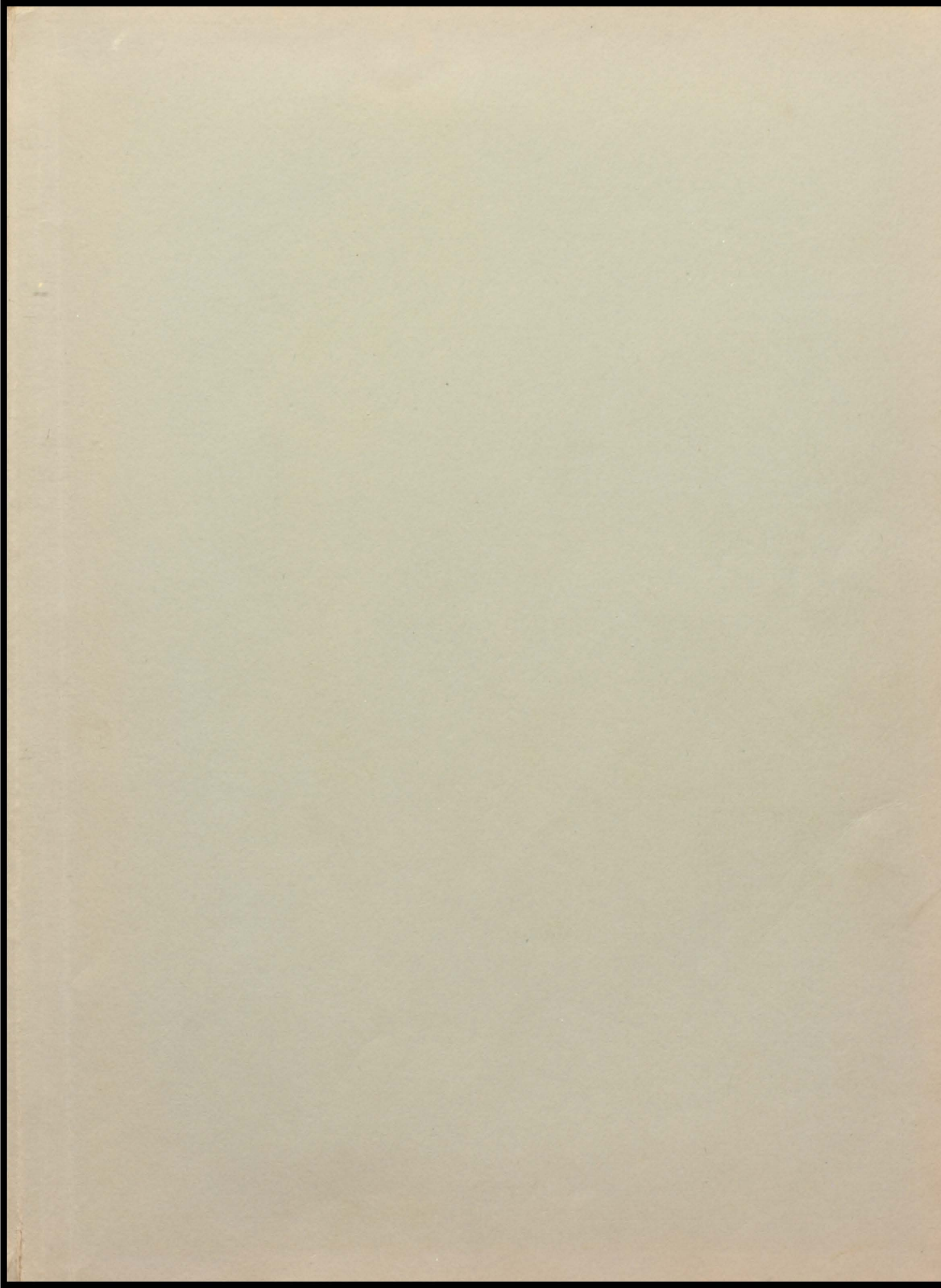


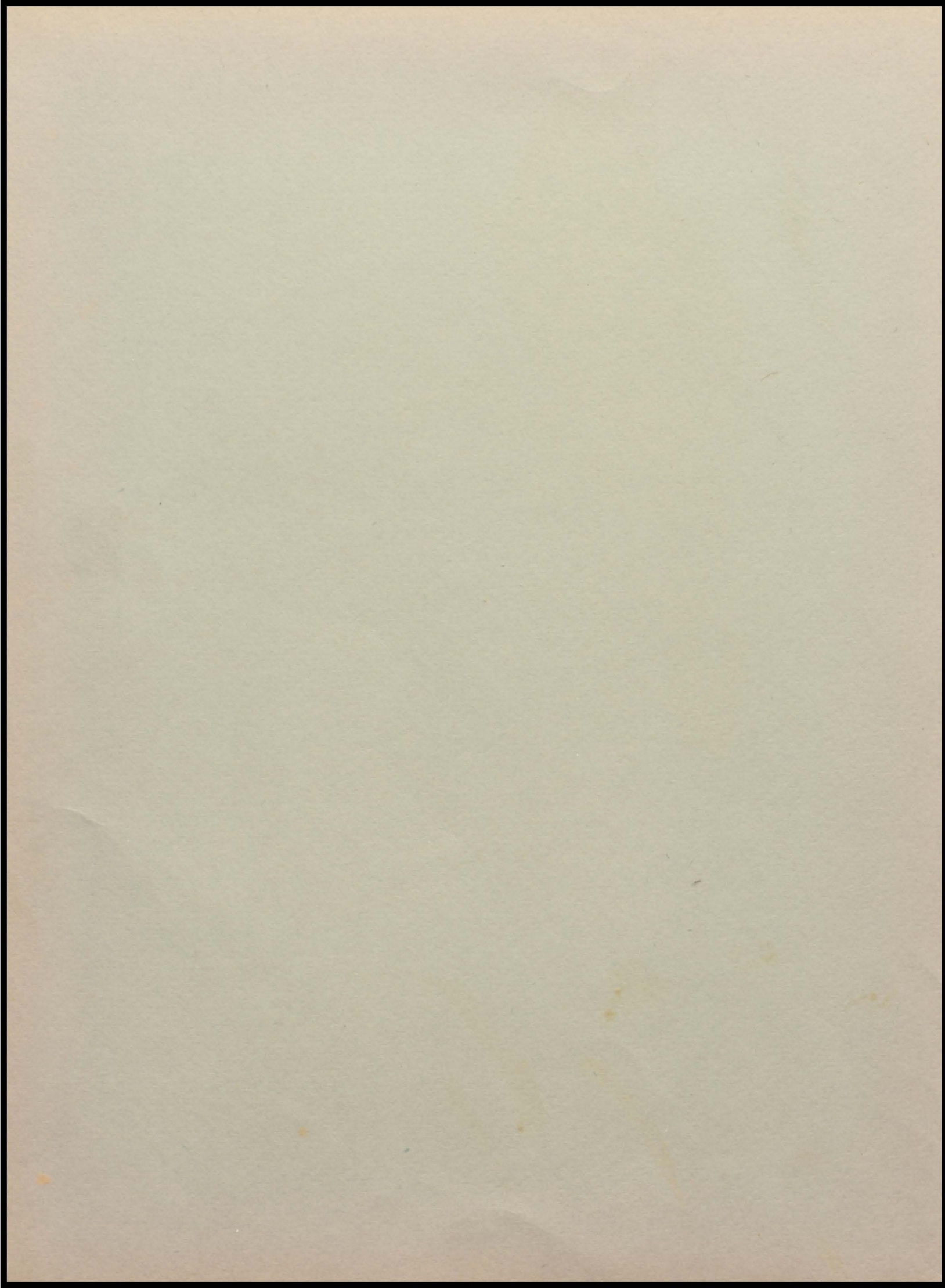
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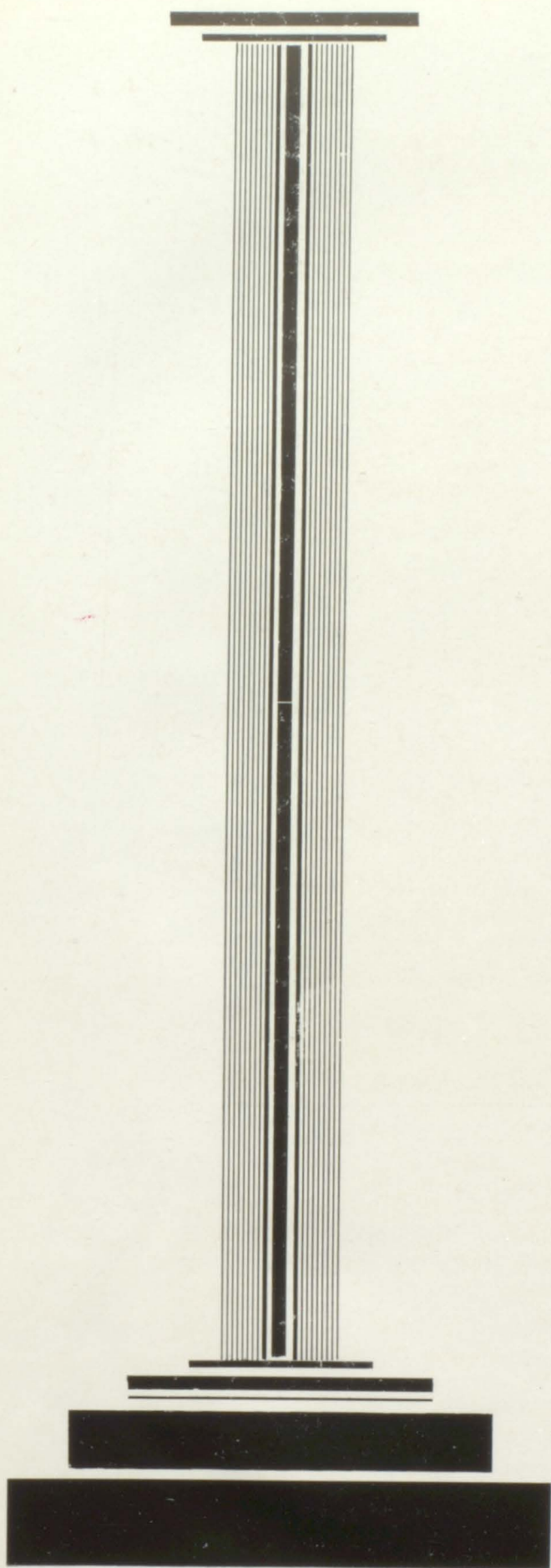
SCHOOL SONG

Petersburg High, our native school
To you we pledge our devotion.
For the Red and Black, our loyalty
Is boundless as the ocean.

REFRAIN

Dear old High School, we are with you,
Strong and true,
You will always have our tribute
And our honor, too.
May the lasting ties of friendship
Unite our memories dear,
And remain with us forever more
Throughout all the years.

Petersburg High we'll look with pride
To our efforts and endeavor.
Let Fortune take us where it may,
Our High School we shall honor.



DEDICATION



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MR. RAY SWITZER

We could in dedicating this yearbook make a long, flowing speech expressing our deep appreciation and admiration. Instead we believe it would be more fitting to tell you, in the same simple, down-to-earth way you have helped and guided us, of our gratitude for all the many, many things you have done for us.

To you, Mr. Switzer, from the Seniors of '53, "thanks a million."



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SUPERVISING PRINCIPAL

We, the class of 1953 should like to pay tribute to our supervising principal, Mr. Stewart. He has guided us through the years not only as our principal, but also our friend. He has worked tirelessly with us in everything we have undertaken, especially during our final year in high school. From our Freshman year to the graduation exercises, he was at our side, giving helpful advice.

Words cannot express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to him for his unfailing efforts in our behalf.

To you, Mr. Stewart, we of the class of '53, say "THANKS."

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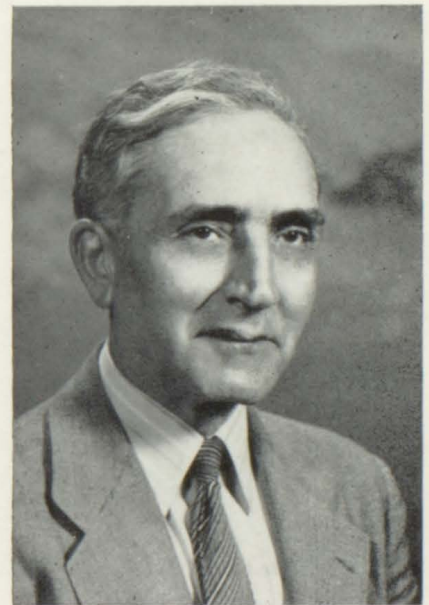
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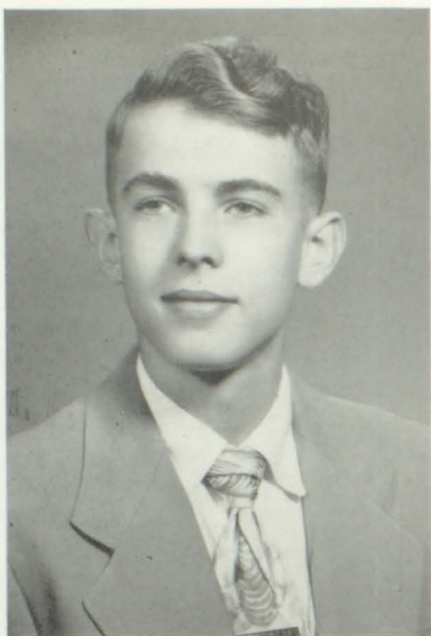


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State College
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Seniors



REN



RONALD LEROY ASHBAUGH "Yahooty"

Handsome Ron with his curls,
Is very fond of pretty girls.

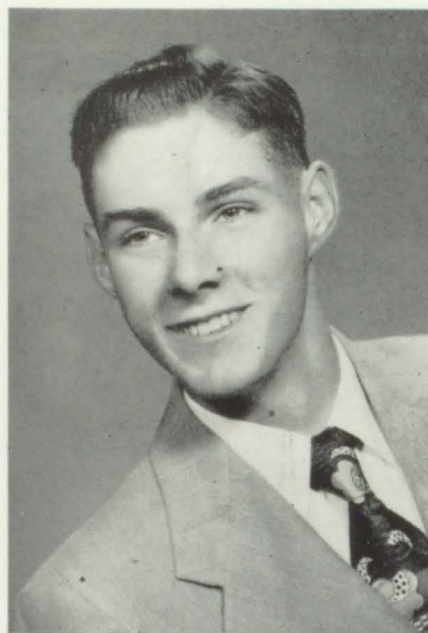
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice President 1, 2, 3;
Senior Play 4; Attendant for Prom King 4;
Baseball 1, 2.

EDWARD CHADMAN

"Chad"

When they're around he's always on hand.
Ed is a ladies' man,

Basketball 1; County Chorus 4; Senior Play 4;
Prom King 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4.



ANDREW THOMAS CHECHAK "Chewie"

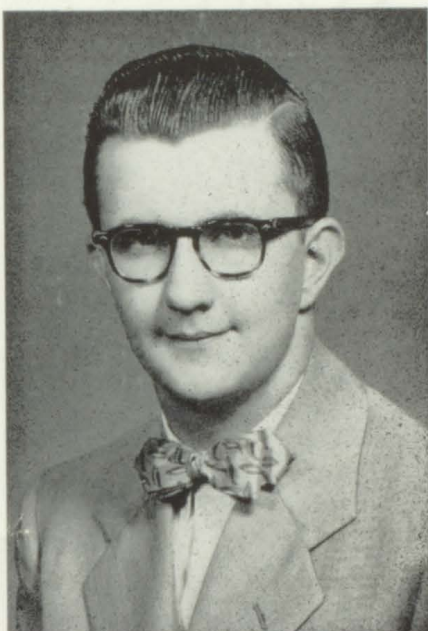
Although Andy is a bashful boy
We certainly can't deny;
That when it comes to drawing—
His pictures wet our eye.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Operetta 2, 3, 4.

ANNA MAE COLETTE DROZDA "Annie"

Anna Mae with her brown bangs,
Around Roy Nevel always hangs.

Cheerleading 2, 3; County Chorus 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4;
Senior Play 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4.



RAYMOND BRADLEY DUNKLE "Brad"

Bradley is a wonderful friend,
Always for us, till the end.

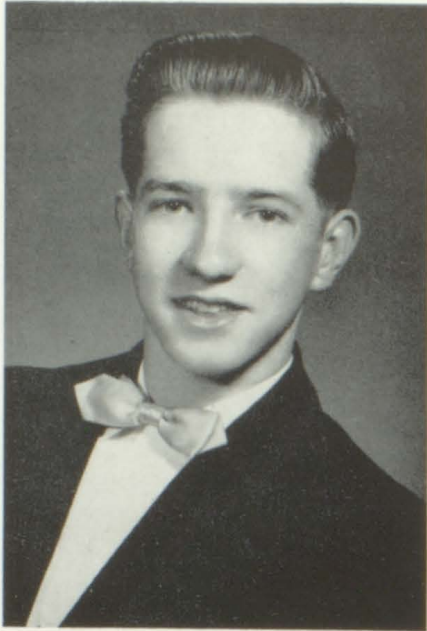
Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;
Operetta 2, 3, 4.

SHIRLEY ANN EDINGER - "Mae"

Shirley! Shirley! Always late,
When she goes out on a date.

Cheerleading 2, 3, 4; Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;
District Chorus 4; County Chorus 1; County Band 3;
Operetta 2, 3, 4; Prom Queen 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;
Senior Play 4.





RONALD LEVALE FLEMING - "Hap"

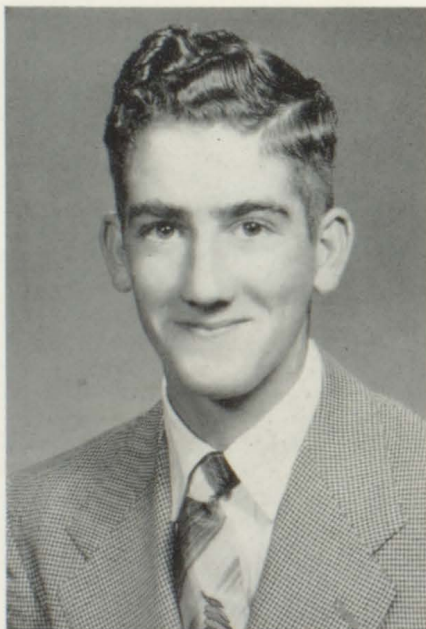
Here's another Senior, a bashful lad,
In the midst of girls he doesn't seem glad.
But we'll tell you now its just a bluff,
When "Nance" is around Ron knows his stuff.

Basketball 1; Chorus 1; Senior Play 4.

MARILYN JOYCE FOUST - "Trink"

You should see our Twinkie's feet,
When she hears that boogie-woogie beat.

Cheerleading 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;
Senior Play 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4;
Attendant to Prom Queen 4.



RAWLAND DAVID FOX - "Raleigh"

Doesn't like to study, always teasing.
Is liked by all because he is pleasing.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager 3, 4; Senior Play 4;
Operetta 2, 3, 4.

BETTY JANE HANST

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"Betts"

A Brunette secretary she will be,
A boss wouldn't mind holding her on his knee.

Cheerleading 4; County Chorus 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;
Secretary 4; Attendant to May Queen 4;
Senior Play 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Forensics 3.



MILDRED PAULINE HARNISH

"Millie"

Millie, our treasurer dear,
Has kept our funds from year to year.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3, 4; Senior Play 4;
Operetta 2.

RICHARD LEE JORDAN

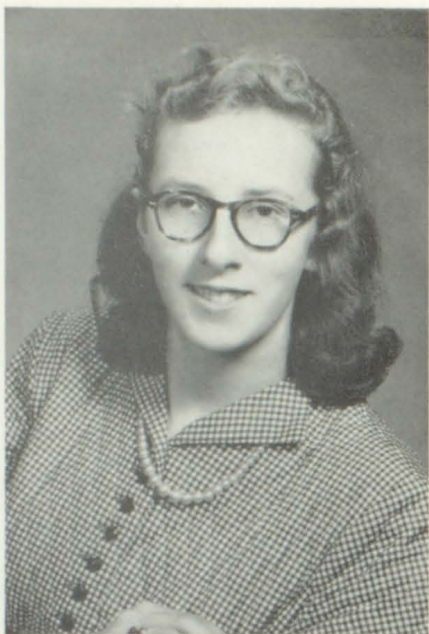
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"Dick"

At times he makes a lot of noise,
But Dick is a friend of girls and boys.

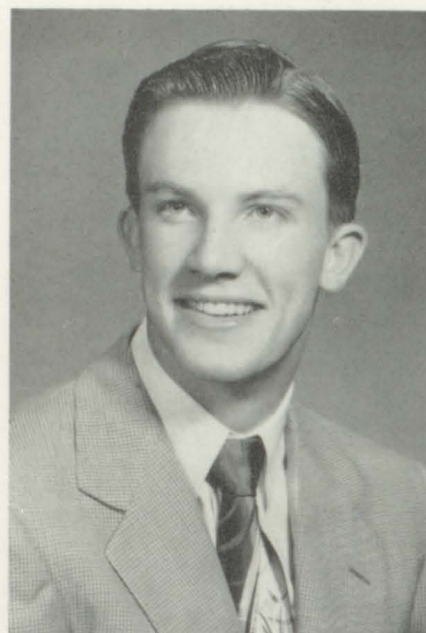
Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager 2, 3, 4;
Senior Play 4; Basketball 1; Golf 4.





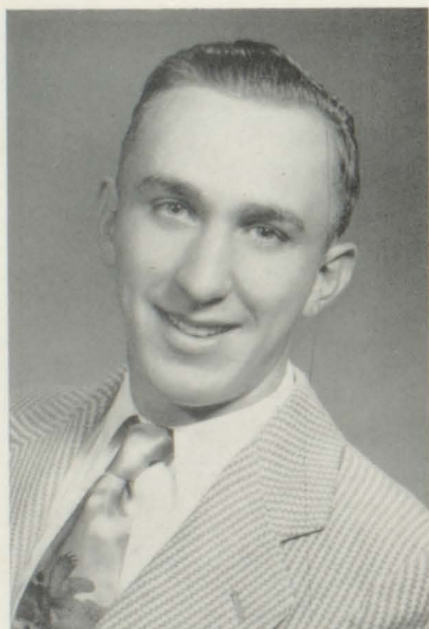
SHIRLEY MARIE JORDAN - "Beans"

Shirley always toes the mark,
And for every joke she has a remark.
Chorus 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Golf 4; Operetta 2.



ERNEST JOHN KOOS - "Ernie"

Happy-go-lucky is our Ernie,
And for Romaine he is always yearning.
Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
President 1, 2; Vice President 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3;
Operetta 2; Stage Manager 4; Track 4; Ping Pong 4.



PHILIP DWIGHT KOOS - "P' D'"

P. D. is quite a tease,
He won't even stop at the plea of please!
Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4;
Secretary 1, 2; Senior Play 4; Baseball 1;
Basketball 1; Operetta 2, 3.

DONALD LESLIE LOWERS - "Don"

Always on duty to do his part,
Toward life he has a good start.

Yearbook staff 4; Chorus 1, 2.



CHARLOTTE LORRAINE NEELY "Snap"

Charlotte with her cute little laugh,
Will probably have "laughing" on her epitaph.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Senior Play 4;
Operetta 2, 3, 4; Attendant to May Queen 4

ROY EDGAR NEVEL - "Skeeter"

Roy who is rather smart,
A senior girl holds his heart.

Yearbook staff 4; Stage Manager 4.





THOMAS BYERS PAGE

- "Tom"

Sleepy, sleepy, never awake,
In Chemistry class he sleeps too late.

Basketball 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Baseball 1, 2.

DORIS LORRAINE RAYBUCK - "Doris"

Doris always greets you with a smile,
To be her friend is really worth while.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4
Operetta 2, 3, 4; May Queen 4.



ALEXANDER S. ROBERTSON

- "Zeke"

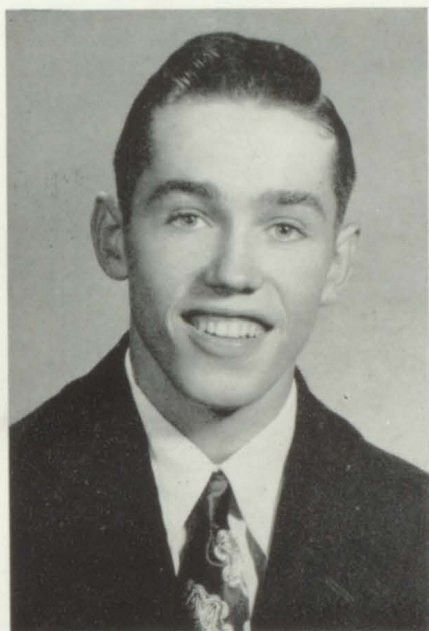
Zeke is the smartest of us all,
Give him a problem and he won't stall.

County Chous 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4;
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3, 4; Senior Play 4;
Boys' Quartet 3, 4; Ping Pong 4; Volleyball 4;
Operetta 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Golf 4;
Valedictorian 4.

OTTO JOHN SCHAEFER, JR. "Don Juan"

John is blonde and very funny,
You ought to see him with his honey.

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Band and Orchestra 3, 4;
Baseball 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4;
Treasurer 2; Senior Play 4; Forensics 4.



LAWRENCE RICHARD SHOUP "Dick"

Dick is tall and really thin,
And many friends he's bound to win.

Yearbook staff 4.

JOAN MARIE SPIRNOCK - "Jo"

Joann who is a gay lass,
Will someday teach an English class.

Band 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 4;
Senior Play 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Forensics 4;
Salutatorian



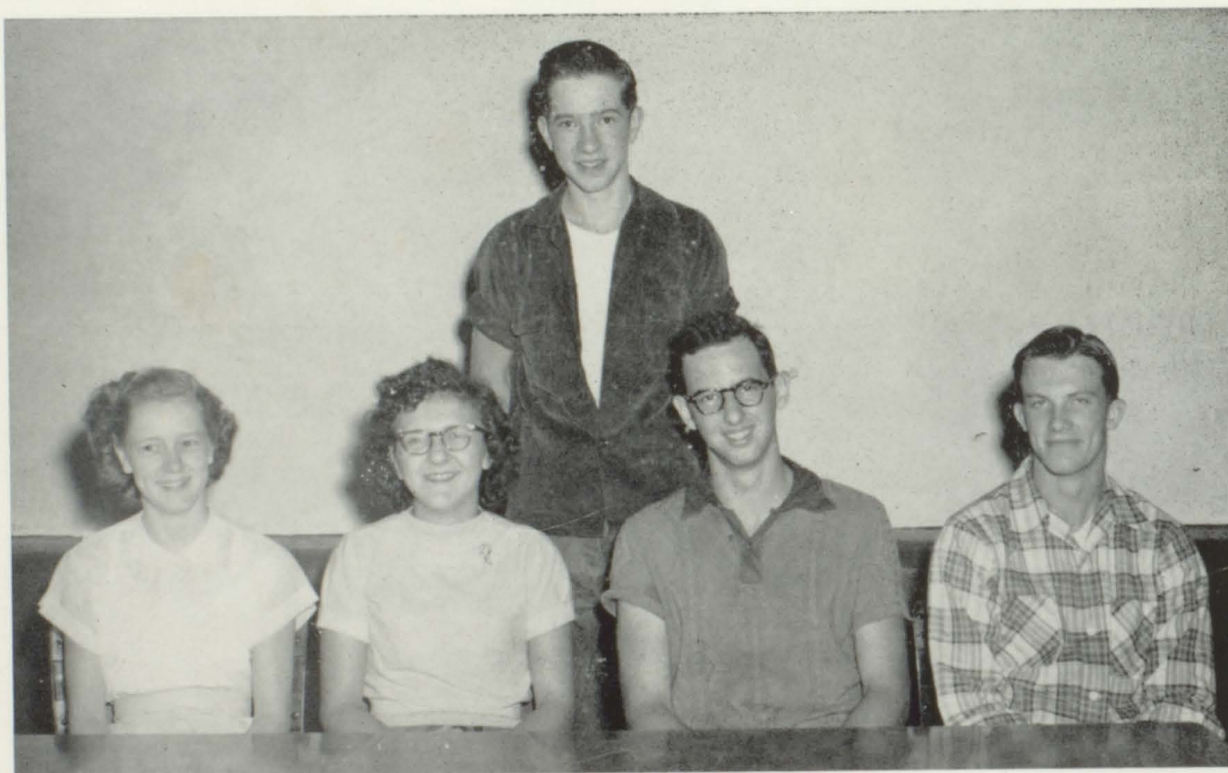


JOYCE IRENE WATSON

- "Joyce"

Joyce and Archie seem to agree
A future wife she'll probably be.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4;
Yearbook staff 4.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Mildred Harnish, Treasurer; Betty Hanst, Secretary; Alec Robertson, President; Ernest Koos, Vice President. In the background, Ron Fleming, Sergeant-at-Arms.



CLASS HISTORY



Nineteen forty-one was a big year for our Senior Class. That was twelve long years ago, but many memories come back to us of our first year in school.

Finally in September, 1949, we found ourselves in high school. We all remember the initiation the upperclassmen gave us. That got us off to a good start. We were gradually getting acquainted with our faculty and other pupils. Most of the Freshmen took part in the Girls', Boys', and Mixed Chorus. We made most of our money by selling basketball pencils and by having a skating party.

When we entered Room 202 the following September we were greeted with a warm welcome from our new teacher, Miss Colonna. We were still well represented in extra-curricular activities. We all set to work to earn much needed money. We sponsored a skating party, a bake sale, a Sadie Hawkins Party, and a sweater hop, but the greatest day of all was the day we received our class rings.

At the beginning of our Junior year we had an entirely new, but wonderful teacher, Mr. Ray Switzer. Right at the beginning of our new term the Juniors got busy earning money because this was the year we had to sponsor the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom. We began our term with a well-attended skating party. We held two candy sales, a square dance, and we sold stationery. On May 23, we honored the Seniors with a banquet which everyone enjoyed. The prom concluded our Junior year.

When we started our last nine months of school, everyone was eagerly awaiting graduation. Everyone started to work on the yearbook, the biggest project of the year. The only activities we had were a square dance, a Freshmen Initiation Party, and a bake sale. On May 1, we presented our Senior play, "The Perfect Idiot." On May 7, 8, and 9, seventeen Seniors went to Washington, D. C. On May 12, Doris Raybuck was crowned our May Queen and on May 15, Shirley Edinger and Edward Chadman were crowned Queen and King of the Junior prom. The banquet and the prom were lovely. They will remain in the memories of all of us. Then our happy school days neared an end. Baccalaureate came too quickly and Commencement quicker yet. The once happy Seniors were a little sad as "the happiest days of our lives" came to an end.

THE PROPHET SCANS THE FUTURE

Here we sit contentedly at ease with nothing but unanswered questions in our minds as to what the Class of 1953 is accomplishing. But wait! There is only one way to solve this mystery and that is to look into our magnetic telescope which will bring the visions up close into sight. As we scan, the picture is blurred, but finally after much, much focusing the objects are more distinct. Now we have it; that's much better. Well, what do we have here? Well, Well!

Residing in Pleasant Valley, California, and working for the Convaier Aircraft Corporation, we see Roy Nevel and his wife occupying a one floor ranch type home with a 1960 metallic blue convertible Jaguar. In a few years Roy will retire after giving the corporation his many new ideas and inventions for better defense. His fame has won him much publicity, associates, a wife, and three children who adore him. One of his children's names is Roy E. Nevel III, who no doubt will follow in his father's footsteps.

Making children and grown-ups laugh is Andy Chechak working in his spare time as a circus clown. In real life, he owns the biggest and most expensive cattle ranch in the West. Incidentally, Andy has done many benefit shows for the crippled children and has contributed, for these shows, some of his money which he obtained by his successful gold prospecting.

Switching over more to the Eastern part of the United States we see the "widow" Charlotte Neely. To keep her mind off discouraging thoughts of her late husband's death, she teaches Square Dancing over there in the large, white frame home on the corner. Charlotte has won many awards and medals for her dancing ability.

A model attired in a black satin formal poses for a magazine photographer. Glory be to goodness it's Doris Raybuck! She's not only a successful model, but a successful wife and mother of twin boys. Her hubby must be "real" proud of her.

Winning praise and approval from people all over the world for his outstanding work and beautiful baritone voice which made "Jambalaya" his biggest hit record, we see the celebrity, Ron Fleming, better known as "Hap." He is now playing on Broadway in "Nancy's Wish."

In show business we see a one million dollar show palace where we see celebrities from all over the world. We also see lovely and enchanting ball-room dancers. Funny isn't it? You'd expect to see some male employees! But in the foreground we see why, it's John Schaefer whom we find is the proprietor of this magnificent edifice and also employer of all these beautiful dancing girls.

Retiring after serving many years in the Spars, Shirley Jordan now takes her place in society thrilled, proud, and satisfied to know that she has done her country a good turn and that being a "5" star general is really something to boast about.

Now look at that lovely lady dressed in white! Her name is Florence Nightengale II, or even better known as Marilyn Foust. Saving lives is her biggest and main interest. She really is overjoyed about it.

Living with her colonel husband in a different locality, we adjust our lens so that we can bring this little "off-the-map" town in stronger. There in her "push-the-button" kitchen is Joann Spirnock who lets her automatic gadgets do all her work while she relaxes in the warm sun. It's a nice life Joann, if it doesn't get too tiresome. I hope you enjoy it anyway.

Working his way up the hard way in order to be an admiral, we find Dick Jordan as "swabie" aboard the ship, U. S. S. Shaw. He wants to put a good impression on the admiral who also has a beautiful daughter who is very fond of Dick. I certainly hope all your work is not in vain, Dick.

Driving racing cars at the Indianapolis Speed Way at 500 miles an hour with a car which was of his own making and which has 210 horse power, we find P. D. Koos who seems to be enjoying his adventurous life. As you know, P. D. was one fellow in St. Pete who sported around in a light green Studebaker.

Focusing the telescope in still the same position we see what? A wedding? Well, what do you know! Ernie finally got that job as "Knight-watchman." The couple will reside in Florida after their honeymoon trip and Ernie says he wants six children! We hope you get your wish Mr. Koos and we all hope that you and the Mrs. will have a happy married life together.

Wait! Stop! Look down there! Mr. Alexander "P" Robertson. The "P" stands for Pierpont an old family name which no one knows of except Alec. Alec owns the greatest soap company in the universe. "Odor Pruf" is his product and he's quite proud of it.

And look! Right next to Robertson's soap company is Bradley Dunkle's jewelry store. His wedding rings and other fine jewelry are quite unique and original. He says that this type of jewelry makes all young martial prospects love their men all the more. Not only is Bradley a world renowned jeweler, but he's also a "bridal" consultant and he has a column in the town's paper entitled "Advice to the Lovelorn."

This territory right over here is quite populated with famous men and women. And imagine, they're all from the Class of '53. How wonderful!

Making her home also in this section we find Shirley Edinger who has written many books on marital problems and "Are You Really In Love?" a book especially for teenagers. Her latest is "How to Trap Your Man Into A Proposing." Shirley has a lovely home and a wonderful life partner. She practiced all her philosophical ideas (from her book) and she won her man.

Occupying a seat of wisdom in Princeton University we find Tom Page. Many people have marvelled over him because of his abilities and versatile ways. He belongs to many "Science Honor Societies" and medals have been awarded to this mechanical thinking machine.

Producing plays on Broadway is a tremendous job for Ron Ashbaugh, but "all work and no play" is not his philosophy on life. He gives many parties and dances and he takes the Mrs. to many theatrical performances of which he is producer and director. But all this fame and success has not spoiled Ron; he is still a family man at heart and he finds time to take his two sons fishing.

In New York City, New York, we see Ed Chadman taking over Arthur Murray's worthy enterprise. This man of dance is quite the stepper, bringing back all the old time favorites as the "Charleston" and "Black Bottom." He says that "the revival of old dance routines makes you feel as though you'd like to live in the 1900's again."

Rawland Fox, we see, still has his old beat at 5th and Maple Drive. "Being a policeman isn't a very big money-making job, but it's what I've always wanted," he says. Good luck anyway, Raleigh.

As we now switch our telescope across the vast ocean's waters and into Paris, France, We find Don Lowers who is our United States Ambassador to France. The Senior Class never knew that Don was so very diplomatic, but you can't judge a book by its cover—they say.

Richard Shoup, better known as "George" to his former classmates is a very prominent person in France. All the Paris cuties follow him around as if he were the Premier of France. He is very famous for his Paris fashions and of which he is particularly noted as the man who created the French Bathing Suit.

Sunning herself on the white sand beaches of Hawaii we see Millie Harnish, the great Olympic swimming star of the United States. And Look! Beside her! Why it's Romeo Roe. It is said that Millie has swum the English Channel to and from without any resting periods. Good luck to her. We're "real" glad that Juliet found her Romeo.

Making tours all over the world we see Betty Hanst taking her annual vacation on the beautiful shores of the island of Bermuda. Although Betty's life is confined mainly to her career she finds time to be with her very handsome husband, Floyd Barger Lanzo.

Working as a governess at the Venderbilt Mansion and estate is Joyce Watson. It seems Joyce never tires of this type of work for she loves children and children love her. You can always see her playing games with these lively youngsters. She's been offered so many jobs with better pay, but Joyce refused them, just so she could be with children of all ages.

There seems to be one missing though. Why, yes, of course, how could we forget! That tiny island down there is a vacation spot of the former Anna Mae Drozda who has now changed her name. The name of the island is "Pleasure Island." We don't hear much of Anna Mae any more, but with a large home in California and a beautiful home on the romantic island, three children (two boys and a girl), and a husband, I don't imagine she has any other cares in the world. And listen! You can hear it coming from the island now. It's her all time favorite "I'm Yours."

Well, we've finished scanning the future; our journey is over and we must return to our home in the sky. We must say good-bye to all this and hope that the Class of '53 really accomplishes all their dreams, hopes, and desires. But the Class of '53 knows that without faith and hope no one can succeed in anything that is undertaken. In closing may the Class of '53 have good luck and success in all they do. They all had their faults as we all do, but they were and still are a "swell class." May God bless each and everyone of them always.

CLASS

Name	Pet Peeve	Main Interest
Ronald Ashbaugh . . .	"Yahooty" . . .	Loafing
Edward Chadman . . .	"Chad" . . .	Taking life easy
Andrew Chechak . . .	"Chewie" . . .	Women! Women
Anna Mae Drozda . . .	"Annie" . . .	"Roy"
Bradley Dunkle . . .	"Dunk" . . .	Chewing taffy
Shirley Edinger . . .	"Mae" . . .	Dancing
Ronald Fleming . . .	"Hap" . . .	"Nancy"
Marilynn Foust . . .	"Trink" . . .	Talking
Rawland Fox . . .	"Raleigh" . . .	Steady girl
Betty Hanst . . .	"Betts" . . .	"Floyd"
Mildred Harnish . . .	"Millie" . . .	Mortician's helper
Shirley Jordan . . .	"Beans" - - -	- Skating
Richard Jordan . . .	"Dick" - - -	Cracking Cornies
Ernest Koos . . .	"Ernie" - - -	- "Romaine"
Dwight Koos . . .	"P. D." - - -	Getting into mischief
Donald Lowers . . .	"Don" - - -	Anything—Nothing
Charlotte Neely . . .	"Snap" - - -	Square Dancing
Roy Nevel . . .	"Skeeter" - - -	"Anna Mae"
Thomas Page . . .	"Tom" . . .	Sleeping
Doris Raybuck . . .	"Doris" - - -	Buying clothes
Alec Robertson . . .	"Zeke" . . .	Studying
John Schaefer . . .	"Don Juan" - - -	Women
Richard Shoup . . .	"Shoupie" . . .	Being quiet
Joann Spirnock . . .	"Jo" . . .	Buicks
Joyce Watson . . .	"Joyce" . . .	"Archie"

REFLECTIONS

Always Says	Ambition	Finished Product
I'm tired! . . .	Retire at 19 . . .	Confirmed Bachelor
Hey, Blake! . . .	Gambler . . .	Hobo
Oh, Bricks! . . .	Trillionaire . . .	Editor of Esquire
I like it! I like it! . . .	California housewife . . .	Roy's
This is a C. O. D. turn . . .	Car dealer . . .	Ring Bearer
P. D.! . . .	Housewife . . .	Grandmother
Yes?? . . .	Circus Clown . . .	Nancy's
Stop it now— . . .	Nurse . . .	Comic Strip Editor
Oh, gee! . . .	Policeman . . .	Policewoman
Hey you kids! . . .	Opera Star . . .	The Pianist
For Corn Sakes . . .	Coast Guard Lifesaver . . .	Old Maid
Gee's . . .	Farmer's daughter . . .	Inspector??
Oh, bite me!! . . .	Navy . . .	"Swabbie"
Hey Fleming! . . .	"Knight" watchman . . .	Father of 6
Ernie— . . .	Hot-rod driver . . .	Husband
Leave me alone! . . .	Marry an heiress . . .	Fashion designer
That isn't so pretty good . . .	Debutante . . .	"Superwoman"
Oh, you're d—right! . . .	Retired . . .	California Resident
Let me sleep . . .	An A plus student . . .	Einstein
Who did this? . . .	Model . . .	Mr. Toy's Secretary
What's this for? . . .	Banjo player . . .	Idler
Pardona me— . . .	Have a harem . . .	Cannibal
I don't know . . .	Carpenter . . .	Wall paper hanger
Saints preserve us!! . . .	School teacher . . .	First woman president
Oh my! . . .	Archie's wife . . .	Mother of 4

Last Will and Testament

of

The Seniors of 1953

- I, Shirley Edinger, will my flirtiness, which I acquired from Peg Linnon, that she acquired from Francie Master, to Nancy Ashbaugh.
- I, Anna Mae, will my ability to get along with Roy Nevel to Terry Nevel.
- I, Shirley Jordan, will my tallness to Miss Mortland.
- I, Joann Spirnock, will my laugh to Homer Ditty.
- I, Millie Harnish, will my driver's license to Mrs. Helmtoller.
- I, Betty Hanst, will my comb to Shirley Wetzel.
- I, Marilyn Foust, will my gift of gab to Peggy Foust.
- I, Dick Jordan, will my driving ability to Ralph Logue.
- I, Dick Shoup, will my Mercury to Dunkle.
- I, Dwight Koos, will bigger and better bunches of athletic supporters to Mr. Toy at the basketball games.
- I, Ernest Koos, will pull Paul out of the ditch sometime.
- I, John Schaefer, will my food eating ability to Mrs. Helmtoller.
- I, Andrew Chechak, will my Ingram watch to Mr. Stewart.
- I, Ron Ashbaugh, will my height to Dick Konkle.
- I, Ron Fleming, will my boots to Jack Lowers.
- I, Don Lowers, will my chemistry book to Ken Hunsberger.
- I, Alec Robertson, will my aspirin bottle to next yearbook editor.
- I, Charlotte Neely, will leave and I'm not sorry.
- I, Rawland Fox, will my ability to get along with women to S. Paul Toy.
- I, Doris Raybuck, will my nerves to Mrs. McGinnis.
- I, Joyce Watson, will all my time to Arch.
- I, Roy Nevel, will my shorthand book to anyone who wants it.
- I, Tom Page, will my mustache to Mr. Helmtoller.
- I, Bradley Dunkle, will my driving ability to Dick Konkle.
- I, Ed Chadman, will my favorite parking place to Blake Neely.

Dramatics



"The Perfect Idiot"



THE PLAY CAST

The high school gang just hated the boy-wonder, Dan. They'd heard about his high I. Q. and they despised his Smart-Me! Dumb-You! attitude. But they HAD to turn to him when Puff got disqualified from all athletic events. Puff was the hope of the school. Dan offered a trade. He'll coach Puff if all the gang will rally round him long enough to satisfy his parents. They are unwilling to let Dan take the college entrance exams as long as he is so unpopular in high school. Fiery Linda likes the deal the least of all for she is to "go steady" with Dan during the period. Dan is really fascinated by Linda. Dan promptly gets busy with his hypnotic suggestion invention and shortly he has Puff a veritable scholar. Latherby, the big soap manufacturer, gets interested in the hypnotic box. The pompous Latherby picks up a suggestion that he is a rabbit and promptly starts acting like one and demanding his parsnips! Yet, there are scenes of charming relief, as the one in which Linda teaches the inexperienced Dan just how one says goodnight after a date. Many exciting events build to a climax that is the very essence of farcical fun!

THE CAST

Margaret Tennyson	Anna Mae Drozda
Jackie Tennyson	Ronald Ashbaugh
Rhodora	Joann Spirnock
Roger Tennyson	Edward Chadman
Walter P. Latherby	Alec Robertson
Daniel Tennyson	John Schaefer
Authur Barnard	Richard Jordan

Miss Baker	Mildred Harnish
Linda Barnard	Charlotte Neely
Jeanne Wilson	Marilyn Foust
Miss Booth	Betty Hanst
Carla Carlson	Doris Raybuck
Policeman	Rawland Fox
Dr. Von Barf	Dwight Koos
"Puff" Witomski	Ronald Fleming

SENIOR PLAY ACTION SHOTS



GIVE ME MY PARSNIPS!!



DON'T DOCTOR!!

The Christmas Play



Music



MIXED CHORUS



The Mixed Chorus under the supervision of Mrs. B. F. McGinnis, has had three and one-half years of success.

From this group, Betty Hanst, Shirley Edinger, Edward Chadman, Alec Robertson, Anna Mae Drozda, Donna Burrell, Mary Shreffler, David McQuiston, Bob Ketner, Bob Craig, Ed Gobrecht, Bill Logue, and John Novak represented our school in County Chorus at Clarion.

Shirley Edinger and David McQuiston were chosen to attend Mid-western District Chorus at West Hickory on April 9, 10, and 11.

A one-act operetta entitled "Kentucky Sue" was presented in the School Auditorium. The pianist was Nancy Ashbaugh.

The excellent material which it possesses will insure the Mixed Chorus of '54 much success.



GIRLS' CHORUS

First row, left to right: Mildred Harnish, Justine Linamen, Peggy Ditty, Mrs. McGinnis, Cleda Greenawalt, Donna Burrell, Alice Hoovler.

Second row, left to right: Peggy Foust, Mary Shreffler, Betty Hanst, Charlotte Neely, Anna Drozda, Doris Raybuck, Willa Linamen, Barbara Yingling, Nancy Brown, Mary Edinger.

Third row, left to right: Nancy Ashbaugh, Kay Neely, Georgia Nevel, Mary Eakman, Betty Matthews, Shirley Parker, Marilyn Foust.

Fourth row, left to right: Phyllis Klingler, Charlotte Linamen, Shirley Wetzel, Dolores Watson, Thelma Creese, Joyce Watson, Alice Whitmore.

Fifth row, left to right: Shirley Edinger, Mary McGinnis, Shirley Jordan, Joann Spirnock, Mildred Shaner.

BOYS' CHORUS

First row, left to right: Richard Beichner, Kenny Shoup, Bob Ketner, Bill Logue, Mrs. McGinnis, John Novak, Bob Craig, Bill Burrell, Ed Gobrecht.

Second row, left to right: John Wood, Marion Parker, Bradley Dunkle, Rawland Fox, John Preston, Kenneth Hunsberger, David Yingling, Mike Chechak.

Third row, left to right: Ernie Koos, John Schaefer, Dick McKinney, Dwight Koos, Tom Page, John Edwards.

Fourth row, left to right: Dick Dunmire, Bob Flick, Ed Chadman, Alec Robertson, David McQuiston.

"Kentucky Sue"

I ACT OPERETTA

Lew Wheeler is a young man who is writing his first novel which he has titled, "The Wail of the Lonesome Pine." Leaving his native New York City, he comes to the Kentucky mountains to get color and atmosphere for his book. He obtains room and board with the "Widder" Roy and her family consisting of her pretty young daughter, Sue, and two sons, Bud and Lem. A neighboring family, the Bartons, have long been feuding with the Roys. Unknown to his "kin-folk," young Buzz Barton is stuck on Sue Roy and has been "a-spark-in" her in secret. But when Sue sets eyes on the handsome Lew, she decided right then and there that she wants a "city-feller."

As none of the mountain-folk can understand anyone writing a novel, they regard Lew with suspicion, especially Buzz Barton who is certain he's a revenuer. In addition to that, Buzz is out "ter git that city-feller." So aided and abetted by his big brother, Gabe Barton, he comes to the Roy cabin fully armed. The two Roy boys meet them and poor Lew is caught right in the middle of the feud. His chances of being either shot or hung are great when the sudden appearance of his New York fiancée and her father save him. They have driven to the Kentucky hills to take him back home. And Lew is more than anxious to go with them for by that time he has all the material he needs for his novel.

Lionel Van Buren, Lew's father-in-law to be, settles the feud. He asks them what they are feuding about and none of them can remember, for it's been handed down from one generation to another. So Lionel gets them to bury the hatchet and secretly all of them are glad to do so. Buzz gets Sue and another romance between Bud Roy and Lily Hopkins is settled; and Lew prepares to depart for New York.

THE CAST OF CHARACTERS

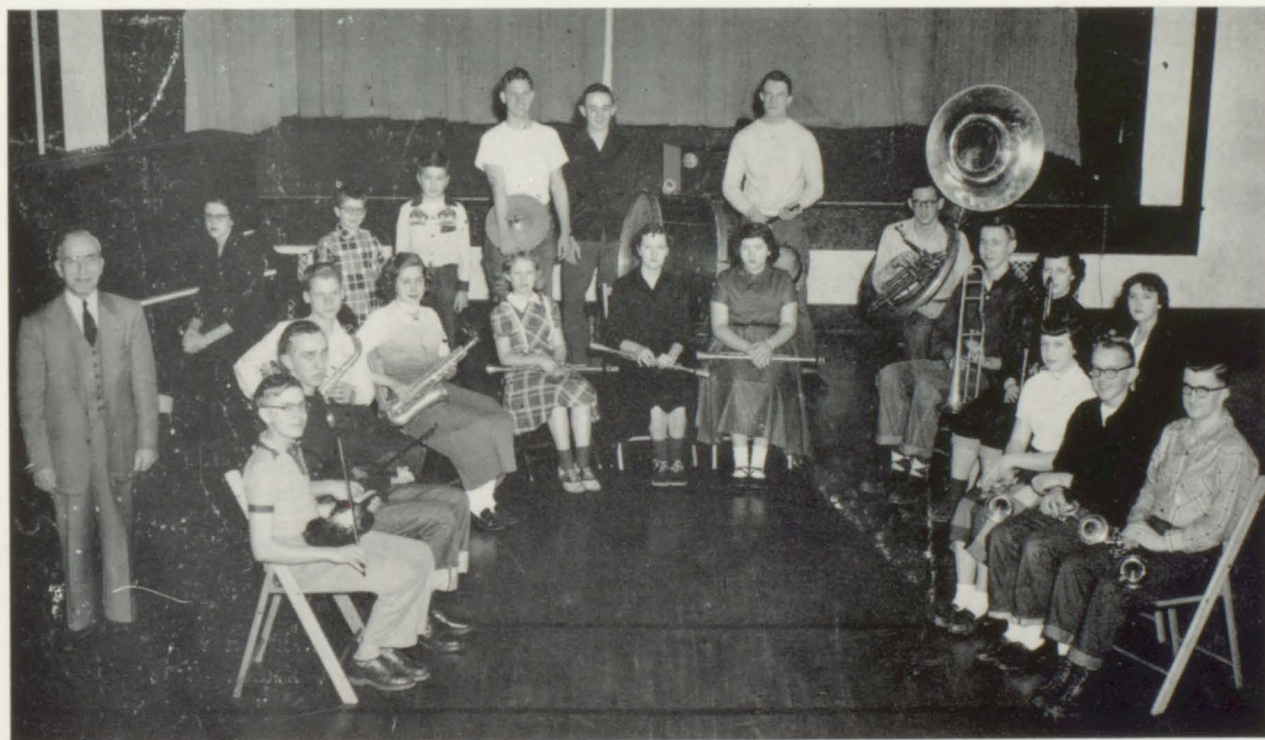
Mrs. Roxanna Roy, a widder-woman	Joann Spirnogk
Sue Roy, her daughter	Donna Burrell
Bud Roy, her son	Alec Robertson
Lem Roy, her son	Ed Gobrecht
Buzz Barton, who is "stuck on" Sue	Bob Craig
Tess Barton, his sister	Doris Raybuck
Gabe Barton, his brother	Dick McKinney
Liddy Ann Ganzy, friend of Sue	Betty Hanst
Lily Hopkins, friend of Sue	Anna Mae Drozda
Lew Wheeler, a novelist	David McQuiston
Selene Van Buren, his fiancée	Shirley Edinger
Lionel Van Buren, her father	John Schaefer

BAND



Front row, left to right: Hazel Morgan, Mary Edinger, Judy Liebrum, Valerie Graff, Nancy Vasey, Karen Murray, Linda Koos, Bob Shoup, George Edinger, Sonja Master, Kenny Shoup, Justine Linamen, David Yingling, Bradley Dunkle.
 Second row, left to right: Marilynn Foust, Alice Perkins, Mark Fichte, John Summerville, Gary Liebrum, Lennis Berlin, John Schaefer, P. D. Koos, Ernie Koos, David Jordan, Alec Robertson, Ed Gobrecht, Roger Hertz, Nancy Ashbaugh, Shirley Edinger, David McQuiston, Bill Vensel, Tommy Liebrum, Mr. Colonna, director.

ORCHESTRA



Front row, left to right: Ed Gobrecht, Dwight Koos, John Summerville, Valerie Graff, Hazel Morgan, Mary Edinger, Judy Liebrum, Justine Linamen, David Yingling, Bradley Dunkle.
 Second row, left to right: Mr. Fred Colonna, director, Nancy Ashbaugh, Gary Liebrum, Lennis Berlin, John Schaefer, Dick Jordan, Ernie Koos, Alec Robertson, Dave McQuiston, Shirley Edinger, Sonja Master.

Band and Orchestra

The band and orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Fred Colonna, although on the decrease level has improved greatly this year. The band consists of a group of younger people from the fourth and fifth grades. The orchestra is a smaller group that has a goal of playing for the commencement exercises. The band and orchestra will be greatly affected by the graduating of eight of its members. Mr. Colonna deserves the admiration of all of his students. Good luck, Mr. Colonna, in your future years of directing.

DRUMS

- *Dick Jordan
- *Ernest Koos
- *P. D. Koos
- *Lennis Berlin

CYMBALS

- *John Schaefer
- *Gary Lieberum

BASS

- *Alec Robertson

TROMBONES

- *David McQuiston
- *Shirley Edinger
- Nancy Ashbaugh
- Roger Hertzell
- Edward Gobrecht

BARITONES

- *Sonja Master
- Kenneth Shoup

ALTOS

- Robert Shoup
- George Edinger

PIANO

- *Nancy Ashbaugh

TRUMPETS

- *Bradley Dunkle
- *David Yingling
- *Justine Linamen
- Thomas Lieberum
- William Vensel
- Gary Bartow

CLARINETS

- *Mary Jane Edinger
- Hazel Morgan
- *Judy Lieberum
- Alice May Perkins
- Marilynn Foust

SAXPHONES

- *Valerie Graff
- Linda Koos
- Nancy Vasey
- Karen Murray
- *John Summerville
- Mark Fichte

VIOLINS

- *P. D. Koos
- *Edward Gobrecht

- *Orchestra Members

Under-classmen



JUNIORS



First row, left to right: Mary Shreffler, Betty Matthews, Mary McGinnis, Mary Eakman, Alice Whitmore, Dolores Watson, Shirley Parker.

Second row, left to right: Charlotte Linamen, Donna Burrell, Shirley Wetzel.

Third row, left to right: Mr. Helmtoller, Homer Ditty, Robert Shoup, Kenneth Lemmon, Dick McKinney, Bill Black, Darwin White, John Preston, Terry Nevel.

Fourth row, left to right: Ralph Logue, Steve Blackford, David McQuiston, Dick Konkle, John Edwards, Blake Neely, Jack Lowers.

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

The Junior Class consisting of twenty-six members began the year by having a Halloween Party in October.

In November a Turkey Raffle was held which turned out to be a very successful program. Another successful event of the Juniors was a skating party held at the St. Petersburg Rink in November.

They also held two square dances, one in January and one in April. There were several candy sales held throughout the year.

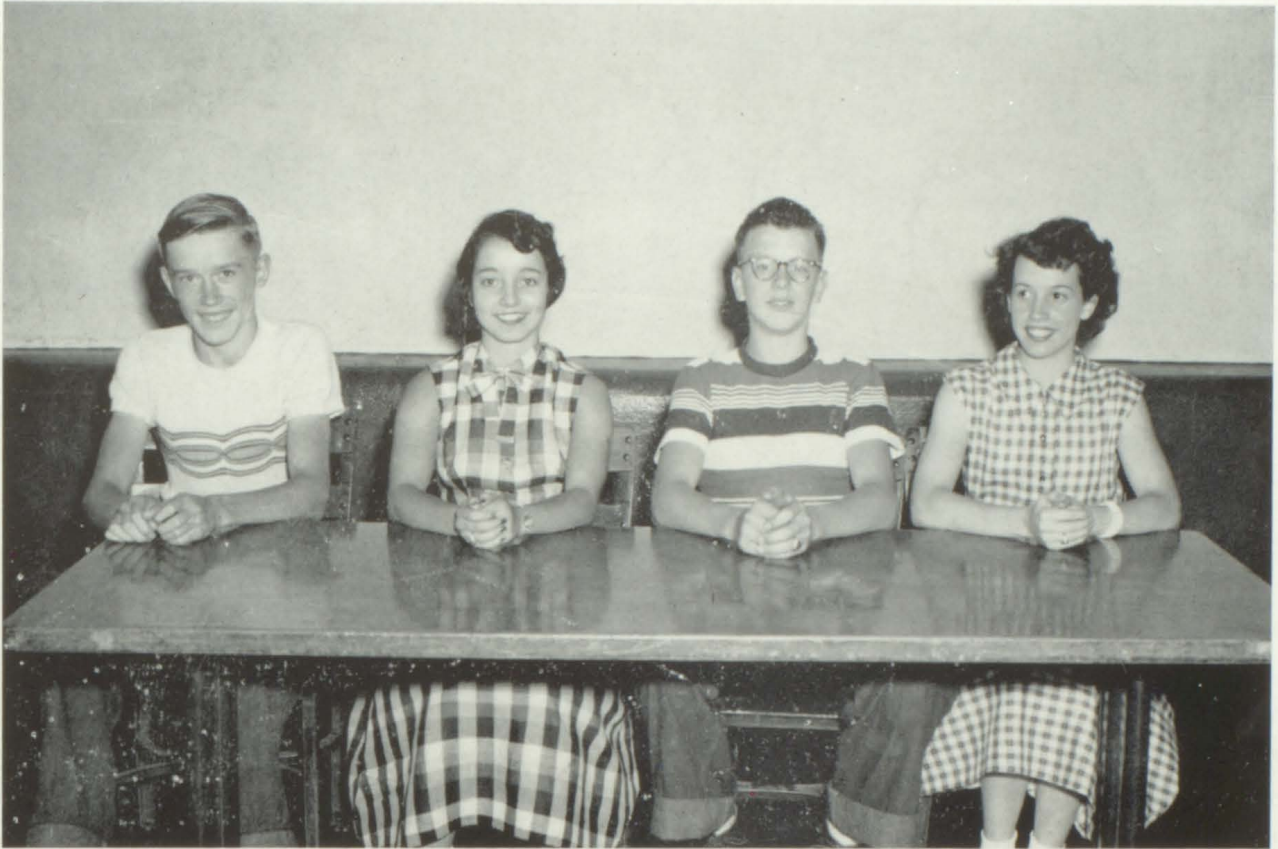
Two members participated in the band and orchestra. They also furnished four basketball players.

The class closed the year with a very successful banquet and prom.

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	TERRY NEVEL
VICE PRESIDENT	MARY ELLEN SHREFFLER
SECRETARY	DONNA BURRELL
TREASURER	ROBERT SHOUP

Junior Class Officers



Bob Shoup, Donna Burrell, Terry Nevel, Mary Shreffler

Juniors

Shirley Ketzler
 Charlotte Linamen
 John Preston
 Steve Blackford
 Donna Burrell
 Betty Matthews
 Bob Shoup
 Mary Ellen Shreffler
 Ken Lemmon
 Dolores Watson
 John Edwards
 Harold Walfe
 Tom Bousier
 Alice Whitmore
 Homer Ditty
 Dick McKinney
 Mary Emma Keshman
 Richard Helmsdoller
 Dave McQuiston
 Ralph Logue
 Dick Tonke

SOPHOMORES



First row, left to right: Dixie Bowser, Thelma Creese, Peggy Foust, Phyllis Klingler, June Sherman, Clelda Greenawalt, Norma Fleming, Mrs. Helmtoller.

Second row, left to right: Mike Chechak, Bob Craig, Willa Linamen, Kay Neely, Nancy Ashbaugh, Nancy Brown, Barbara Yingling, Maxine Texter, Ed Gobrecht, Bob Ketner, Bill Logue.

Third row, left to right: Bill Shreffler, John Novak, Arthur Bell, Ray Spirnock, Wilbur Van Zandt, Ned Whitling, Charles Deloe, Bob Hutchison, Merle Miller.

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

The school term of 1952-53 showed the advent of twenty-eight Sophomores into Room 202. The number of girls were thirteen and there were fifteen boys.

Like all progressive classes the Sophomores tried to increase the funds in their treasury. To do this, they sponsored three successful skating parties, a candy sale, and a raffle.

The Sophomores were well represented in extra-curricular activities. There were four Junior-Varsity basketball players. They were Ray Spirnock, Bob Hutchison, Charles Deloe, and Bill Logue.

Nancy Ashbaugh, Nancy Brown, Barbara Yingling, and Kay Neely were four of the Junior-Varsity Cheerleaders.

May the years ahead hold success in everything they do.

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	JOHN NOVAK
VICE PRESIDENT	BOB CRAIG
SECRETARY	DIXIE BOWSER
TREASURER	WILLA LINAMEN
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	ED GOBRECHT

Sophomore Class Officers



Left to right: Willa Linamen, Dixie Bowser, John Novak, Bob Craig. Standing: Ed Gobrecht.

Sophomore

Ray Spinnock
 John Novak
 John Novak
 Norma Fleming
 Peggy Loust
 Art Bell
 John Murray
 Merle Miller
 Terese Helmsmoller
 June Sherman
 Mary Linamen
 Hilma Chase
 Mary Brown
 Cleda Greenawalt
 Dixie Bowser
 Barbara Gidding
 Wilbur Van Zandt
 Bob Craig
 Nancy Ashbaugh
 Mahine Jester
 Ned Wm. Whitting
 Bice Shuffler

FRESHMEN



First row, left to right: Mary Edinger, Caroline Livermore, Mildred Shaner, Deanna Reed, Joyce McBride, Alice Hoovler, Georgia Nevel, Miss Mortland.

Second row, left to right: Richard Beichner, Bill Burrell, Peggy Ditty, Larry Ashbaugh, Kenneth Hunsberger, Marion Parker, Justine Linamen, David Yingling, Kenneth Shoup, John Wood.

FRESHMEN CLASS HISTORY

This class of eleven boys and nine girls entered the halls of St. Petersburg High School on September 2, 1952.

They had a skating party, a cake raffle, a square dance and several candy sales which were all successful.

Four members participated in the band and orchestra. They were: Justine Linamen, Mary Jane Edinger, Kenneth Shoup and David Yingling. Joyce McBride and Mary Jane Edinger were Junior-Varsity Cheerleaders. They also furnished four Junior - Varsity basketball players.

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	MILDRED SHANER
VICE PRESIDENT	JOYCE McBRIDE
SECRETARY	MARY JANE EDINGER
TREASURER	LARRY ASHBAUGH
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	BOB FLICK

Freshmen Class Officers



Larry Ashbaugh, Mary Edinger, Mildred Shaner, Joyce McBride in the background, Bob Flick

Freshmen

Justine
Linnaman
Robert Flick

Richard
Beichner

Alice Hooper

Mildred Shaner
Kenneth Shaup

Ott Marion Parker
William Burrell
Larry Ashbaugh

John Wood

Georgie Revel

Peggy Ditty
Caroline Livermore
Joyce McBride
Deanna Reed
James Flick

Mary Jane Edinger

Miss Mortland

David Yingling



Aye, Aye, Sir!



Boys!



Wow!



EEK !!



"Cutie Pie"



Guess who?



Mmmm ~~~~



4 stooges



Boston Blackie



1+1=1



Johnnie's girl!



4 years ago



Spit!



Dr. I.Q.



"P.D." and "Poood"



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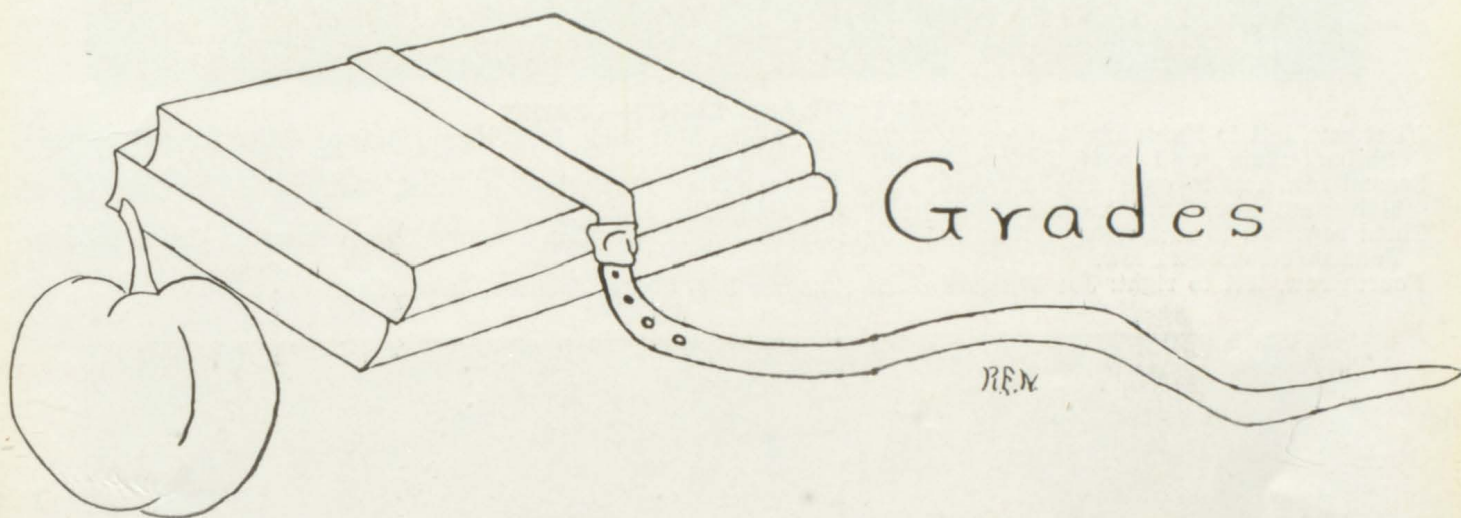
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The End!



Grades

REM



SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADES

First row, left to right: Linda Koos, Nancy Ketner, Doris Best, Judy McElhattan, Audene Wile, Patricia McNany, Barbara Blair, Joy Lander, Johanna Smith.

Second row, left to right: Mrs. Fillman, Janice Ditty, Vivian Fair, Marie Hilliard, Patty Clark, Valerie Graff, Melvene Creese, Susan Lemmon, Judy Liebrum, Josephine Landers.

Third row, left to right: Roger Herzel, Leroy Burrell, Lewis Best, Don Dunmire, James Edwards, Carlos Klingler, John Deloe, Gary Bartow.

Fourth row, left to right: Joe Wingard, John Summerville, Robert Johnson, James Best.



SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADES

First row, left to right: Sandra Neely, Rebecca Ryberg, Nancy Vasey, Eleanor Sullivan, Donna Watson, Myrtle Lowers, Dorothy Shreffler, Linda Master, Linda Cotton.

Second row, left to right: John Hunsberger, Lloyd Johnson, Bernice Parker, Billy Eakman, Daryl Watson, Stanley Fillgrove, Mark Fichte, Frand Sullivan, Billy Barlett, Tommy Liebrum.

Third row, left to right: Mrs. Potts, Sonja Master, Martha McKaern, Dick Ashbaugh, Carl Jackson, Margaret McKaern, Walter White, Clifford Shreffler, Marlene Wetzel, Lynne Winans.



FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES

First row, left to right: Sarah Wingard, Alice Perkins, Margaret Sullivan, Marilyn Milford, Hazel Morgan, Beverly Milford, Barbara McNany, Beverly Parker, Francine White, Gwendolyn Jordan, Janice Landers, Barbara Clark.
 Second row, left to right: Nancy Smith, Betty Johnson, Sammy Eakman, Lennard Shoup, Stanley Chadman, Lawrence McConnell, George Edinger, Gary Ashbaugh, Dennis Dotter, Gary Liebrum, Patty Acquaviva.
 Third row, left to right: Miss Heeter, Priscilla Wingard, Patty Texter, Gloria Hoovler, Karen Murray, Linda Texter, Carol Creese, Bertha Deloe, Helen Sherman, Georgia Fair.
 Fourth row, left to right: Robert Konkle, Douglan Best, Terry Ashbaugh, Harry Deloe, Douglas Vensel, Gary Dee, Lennis Berlin, Gerald McCall.



THIRD GRADE

First row, left to right: Sara Morgan, Effie Ditty, Yvonne Parker, Cleora Johnson, Velma McKinney, Debbie Smith, Sandra Simpson, Susan McCormick, Mrs. Earle.
 Second row, left to right: Clyde Deloe, Billy Wray, Billy Filer, Duane Deloe, Janet Coleman, Shirley Linamen, Dora Sheesley, Jack Dittman, Larry Shreffler, Freddie Clark.
 Third row, left to right: Rudy Fair, Ronald Eckelberger, John Dittman, Jerry Hiles, Charles Blair, Jimmy Fleming.



SECOND GRADE

First row, left to right: Barbara Nevel, Kenneth Magee, Ronald Shoup, Donald Jackson, Bennie Landers, Kenneth Wetzell, Ronald Sherman, Bobby Eakman, Dennis Shreffler, Beverly Linamen.

Second row, left to right: Janet Johnson, Bertha Deloe, Judy Plunkard, Gloria Deloe, Barbara Hunsberger, Margaret Grantz, Barbara Wingard, Janice Linamen, Mary Sullivan, Karen Guntrum.

Third row, left to right: Miss Jones, Daniel Fichte, Billy Schacht, Charles Hoovler, Eugene Hiles, Larry Whitling, Jimmy Van Zandt, Jack Master, Jay Dee Berlin, Leslie Whitling, Donald Allayand, Dale Clark.



FIRST GRADE

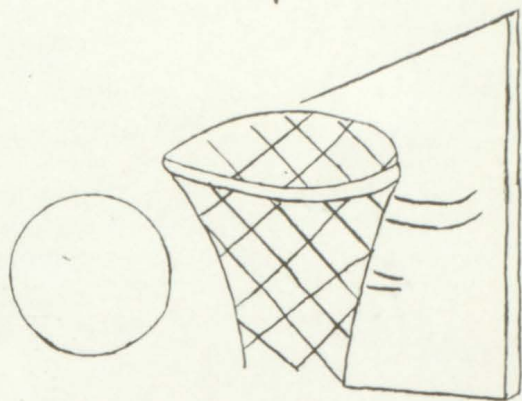
First row, left to right: Carol Magee, Judy Parker, Donna Eakman, Mae Fair, Vicki Burrell, Connie Clark, Sandra Fleming, Judy Whitling, Geraldine Curtis, Avis Kinch.

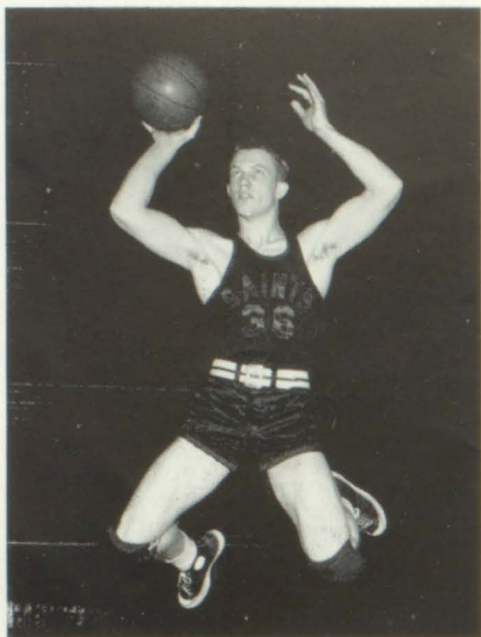
Second row, left to right: Leslie Gavin, Nancy Gross, Barbara McElroy, Delores Deloe, Ruby Dittman, Charlotte Van Zandt, Connie Konkle, Elizabeth Milford, Diane Vensel.

Third row, left to right: Miss Hale, John Jordan, Richard Jackson, Thomas Garriss, Carl Say, Sam Barlett, Douglas Smith, Robert Simpson, Neil Murray.

Fourth row, left to right: Robert McKinney, Terry Blair, Mike Shreffler, James DeHart, Eugene Grantz, Joe Landers, Frank Dittman, Billy Ditty.

Sports



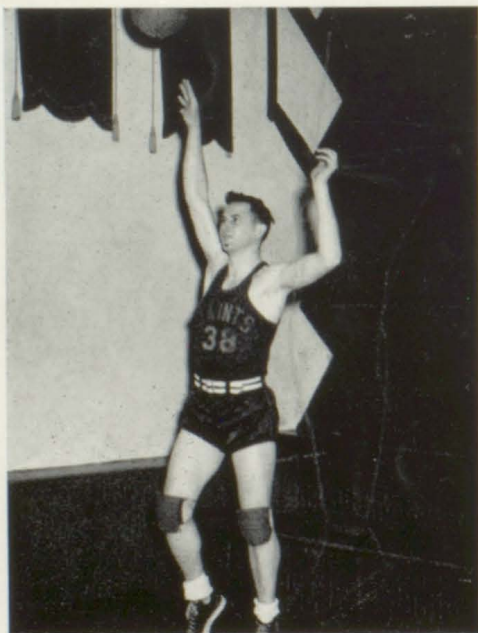


ERNIE KOOS — Captain and Guard

Ernie, captain and only three year man on the team, will be sorely missed next year. His accurate shooting, especially his one-hand jump shot, outstanding rebounding, and solid playmaking, made him the team's foundation.

ALEC ROBERTSON — Center

Alec Robertson, a Senior from Foxburg, was our ace scorer for the Saints this season. He set a new individual scoring record for St. Petersburg-Richland High as he scored 323 points in 20 games. His height, good pivot shot, and all around fair play will be greatly missed next year. Nice going Alec.

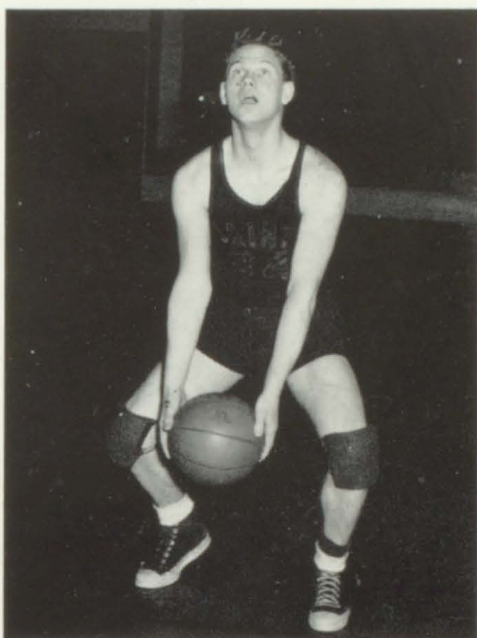


RON ASHBAUGH — Forward

Although this is Ron's first year as a Varsity member, he proved to be a very successful forward. He was the smallest member of the team but his deadly shooting and speed made him quite an asset. Good going, Ron.

RALPH LOGUE — Guard

Ralph's steady passing kept alive many a scoring spree while his outstanding defense work stopped the opposition cold. Because of eligibility reasons, this is Ralph's last year. Good work, Ralph.

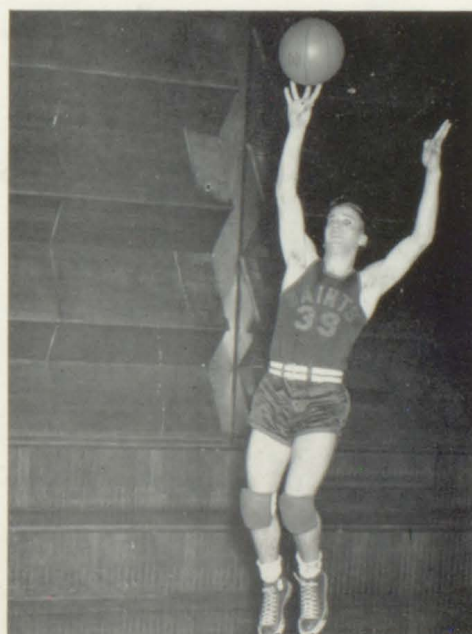


JOHN PRESTON — Forward

Although this was the first year on the Varsity for this speedy Junior from Foxburg, his accuracy on the foul line made him an outstanding player. John will be back next year to help spark the team. Keep it up, John.

JOHN SCHAEFER — Forward

John, another Senior from Foxburg, receiver his first Varsity letter this year. He showed his versatility by playing every position on the team. He provided needed strength when the chips were down.





JACK LOWERS — Guard

Jack, another Junior from Foxburg, will be the only other Varsity player to return next season. His scrappy attack will help the team immensely. Keep fighting, Jack.



MR. JAMES R. HELMINTOLLER — Coach

Coach Helmintoller, returning after a year's absence in the Marines, took up the slack where he had left off. Although his team did not take the county championship, they came in second. We wish him lots of luck with his future teams.

RICHARD JORDAN — Co-Manager

One of the unsung members of the team was this fellow from St. Petersburg. Even though he received little recognition for his services, he did an outstanding job. Dick was time-keeper for all the Saints' games. He will be greatly missed next year.

RAWLAND FOX — Co-Manager

The other manager from Turnip Hole was a behind the scenes worker. In addition to his many other jobs, Raleigh was the score-keeper for all the Saints' games. Fine work, Raleigh.



Here's How They Came Out!

SAINTS 57

We opened our season with a thrilling overtime win over the Bobcats of Clarion High on the Shippenville floor. Ernie Koos' two foul points with half a minute left in the overtime period gave us the victory. Ernie took scoring honors with 21 points while Alec Robertson and John Preston each contributed 13 tallies.

CLARION 55

SAINTS 31

Our first home game was a real thriller as a last quarter rally by the "B" champs edged us out. John Preston and Alec Robertson did most of our scoring with 11 and 10 points respectively.

EAST BRADY 35

SAINTS 58

Nine players scored for us as we copped an easy win over Emlenton on our own floor. Alec Robertson with 14 and Ernie Koos with 11 took scoring honors.

EMLENTON 38

SAINTS 42

Our first "C" League game resulted in defeat at Shippenville. The game wasn't as one-sided as the score might indicate as it was still anyone's game going into the last quarter. The loss of Robertson and Preston on personal fouls hurt us. Alec Robertson led our scoring with 13 points.

SHIPPENVILLE 65

SAINTS 52

We lost a real heart-breaker at Knox. A fourth quarter rally just barely fell short as we had the Knox five hanging on at the finish. Ron Ashbaugh had 16 points while John Preston added 13 and Ernie Koos 10.

KEYSTONE 54

SAINTS 37

We downed Clarion on our own floor. We piled up a 12-point lead at half-time and then withstood a last quarter rally by the Bobcats. By winning we became the second Saint team in school history to defeat Clarion twice in one season on the hardwood. John Preston had 12 points while Alec Robertson had 11.

CLARION 33

SAINTS 72

Our first game after the holidays saw the Saints journey to Clarion-Limestone and put on their best shooting display of the entire season as they walloped the "B" League power. Alec Robertson was sensational as he threw in 28 points while John Preston added 16 and Ernie Koos contributed 15.

CLARION-LIMESTONE 47

SAINTS 52

We again victimized a "B" League team as we trimmed the Union five on our own floor. A second-half rally wrapped this one up as Alec Robertson dumped in 20 points and Ernie Koos added 17.

RIMERSBURG 45

SAINTS 42

We journeyed to Sligo and brought home our first "C" League win in two starts by defeating a good Sligo team. We piled up a big lead at the end of the third quarter and coasted in. Alec Robertson dumped in 22 points including 8 for 8 at the foul line.

SLIGO 36

SAINTS 40

We suffered a tough league defeat at the hands of this year's "C" champs, North Clarion, on our own floor. We led the Wolves by five points going into the last quarter, but they staged a sensational rally in the final session to win. Alec Robertson with 18 and Ron Ashbaugh with 14 points did most of our scoring.

NORTH CLARION 46

SAINTS 58

Ten Saints entered the scoring column as we traveled to Emlenton and came home with an easy win. Alex Robertson had 16 points while his understudy Dave McQuiston tallied 8. Ron Ashbaugh contributed 12 points in this one also.

EMLENTON 22

SAINTS 46

We gained revenge for an earlier defeat and won our best victory of the year as we copped a league win from Shippenville on our own floor. Campbell, Wildcat's high-scoring center, was held to his lowest point total of the year as we limited him to a mere 5 points. Alec Robertson had 16 points for us while Ernie Koos weighed in with 10.

SHIPPENVILLE 43

SAINTS 42

Our poorest shooting night of the season resulted in a defeat at the hands of the Knox five on our own floor. Alec Robertson had 16 points while John Preston added 11.

KEYSTONE 49

SAINTS 41

We downed the Union five for the second time this year—this time at Rimersburg. We piled up a pretty good lead mid-way in the last quarter and then withstood a last minute rally to win. Alec Robertson had 19 points while Ernie Koos had 12.

RIMERSBURG 38

SAINTS 58

Our third "C" League victory was a thriller over Sligo on our home hardwood. After a close first half we pulled away in the third quarter to cinch the win. Alec Robertson had one of his "hottest" nights of the season as he put 27 points through the mesh while John Preston added 13 and Ernie Koos 12.

SLIGO 50

SAINTS 38

North Clarion won the "C" League title by trimming us on their floor. The Wolves caught us on an "off" night to leave no doubt as to their right to the title. Alec Robertson had 3 field goals and 10 of 13 fouls for a total of 16 points in this one.

NORTH CLARION 61

SAINTS 59

Ten Saints again scored in this one as we coasted to an easy conquest over Redbank Valley (New Bethlehem). Ron Ashbaugh had 15 points while Alec Robertson and John Preston had 13 and 12 respectively.

REDBANK VALLEY 29**SAINTS 59**

Clarion-Limestone turned the tables on us when they came to St. Petersburg and exhibited terrific shooting to nose out our Saints. Alec Robertson had 20 points for us while Ernie Koos tallied 17 and John Preston 10.

CLARION-LIMESTONE 63**SAINTS 35**

We made the long trip to East Brady and absorbed a defeat at the hands of the Bradymen, this year's "B" champions. Alec Robertson and Ernie Koos each had 11 tallies in a losing cause.

EAST BRADY 48**SAINTS 47**

Our final game of the season saw us bowing out of the Clarion County Coaches Tournament at Knox when we lost to the host team. The Keystone five eventually was runner-up in the finals of the tournament to Shippenville. Ernie Koos had 13 points in the final game while Alec Robertson had 12.

KEYSTONE 60**CLARION COUNTY CLASS "C" LEAGUE****FINAL STANDINGS**

Team	Won	Lost	P'ct.
North Clarion	5	1	.833
St. Petersburg	3	3	.500
Shippenville	3	3	.500
Sligo	1	5	.167

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

Alec Robertson set a new all-time individual scoring record for our school when he poured 323 points through the hoop during the past season . . . It topped the previous record set by Judd Wetzel during the '50-'51 championship season when Judd scored 306 points . . . Our final season record was a fine one, showing 11 wins and 8 losses in regular season play . . . At the end of the season Ernie Koos, our only three-year letterman, was elected by his teammates as honorary Varsity captain for the past season . . . In the same manner Terry Nevel was selected as honorary captain of the Junior-Varsity . . . Terry led all the J-V scorers as he tallied 117 points in J-V play during the past season . . . We started the year with a very inexperienced Junior-Varsity and while their season record showed only four victories they did show great improvement during the last half of the season . . . Several J-V players are expected to move up and bolster next year's Varsity team . . . Next year's team will face quite a rebuilding job as five of our first seven Varsity players of the past season will not be back. Those who played their last games for the Saints this year are: Ernie Koos, Alec Robertson, Ron Ashbaugh, Sonny Logue, and John Schaefer.

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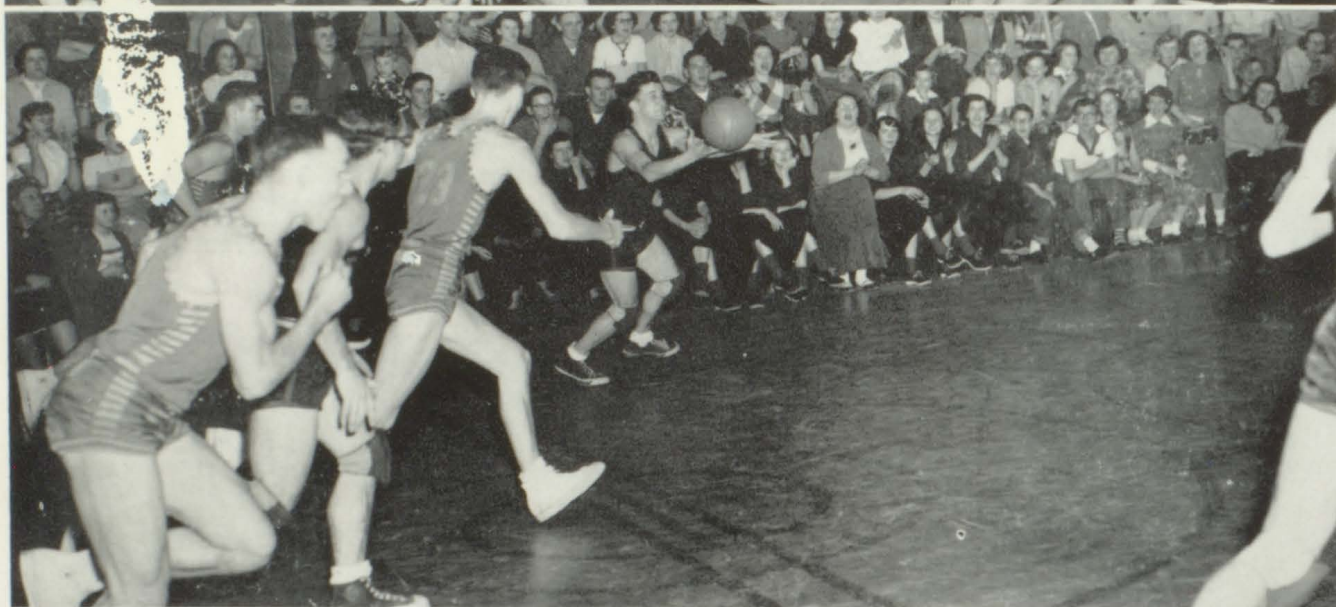
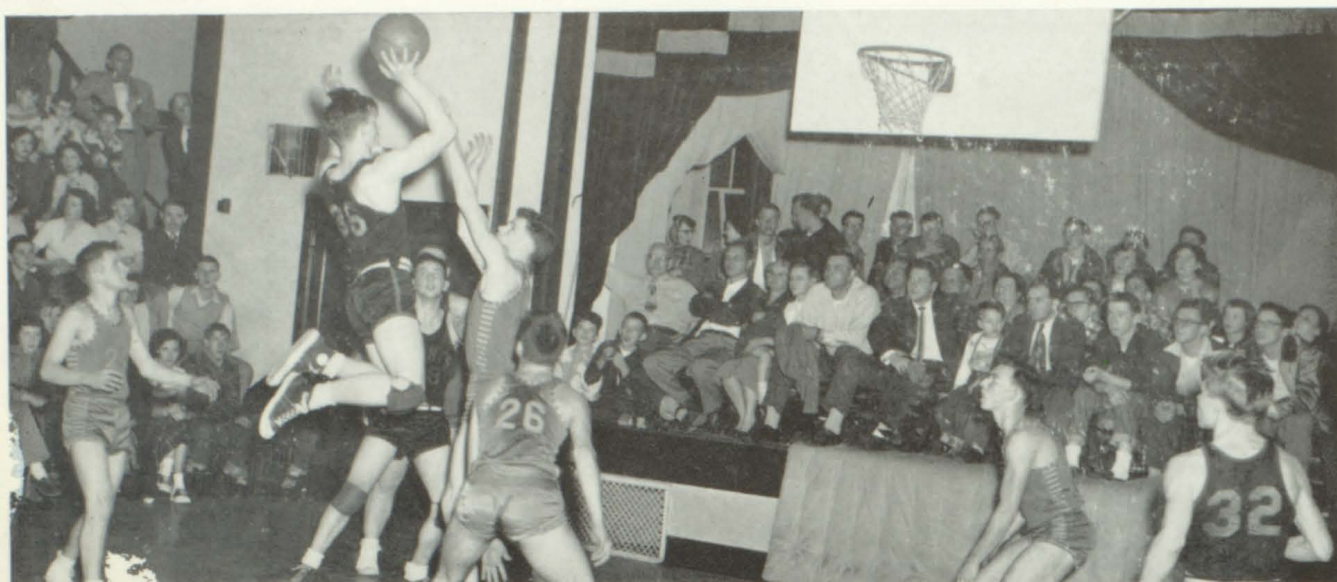


First row, left to right: Ralph Logue, Ernest Koos, Alec Robertson, John Preston, Ron Ashbaugh.
Second row, left to right: Rawland Fox, Dick McKinney, David McQuiston, Coach Helmintoller, John Schaefer, Terry Nevel, Jack Lowers, Dick Jordan.

JUNIOR-VARSITY TEAM



First row, left to right: John Edwards, Bob Flick, Dave McQuiston, Terry Nevel, Dick McKinney, Ray Spirnock, Ken Lemmon.
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VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



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Volley Ball Trophy

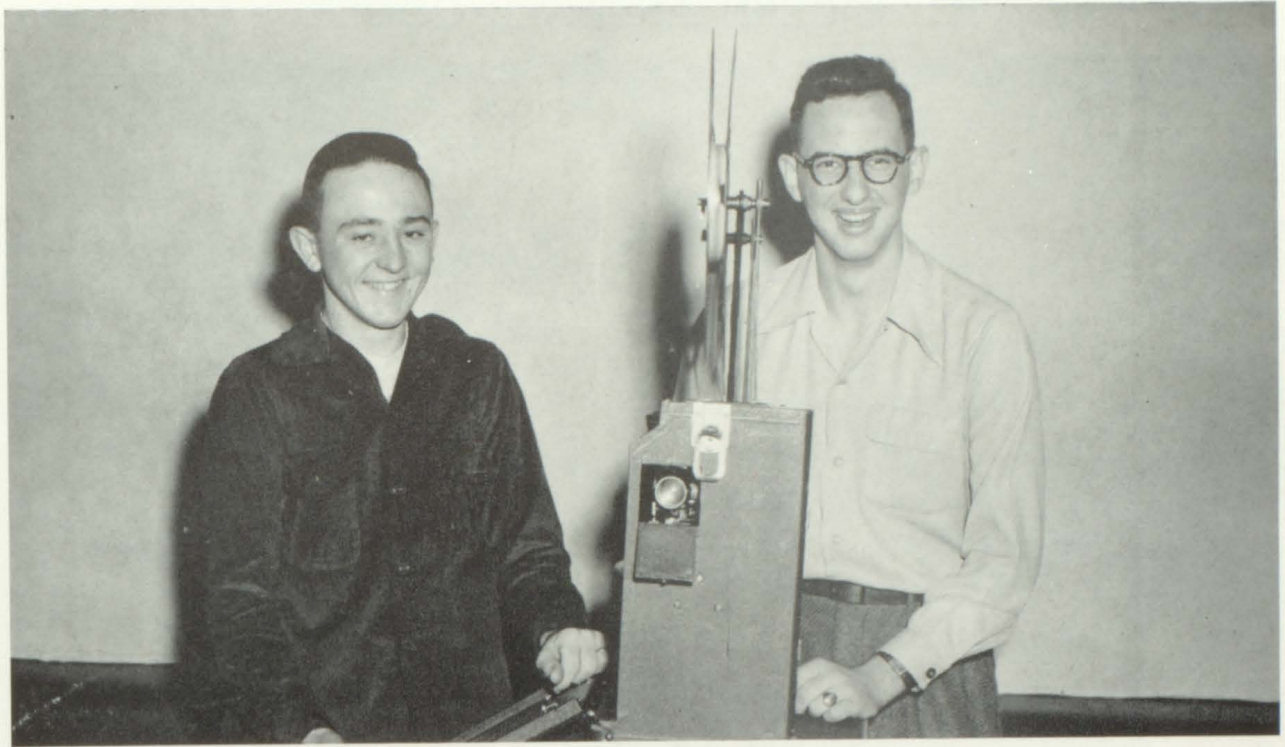


Pictured above is the beautiful trophy which was won by the St. Petersburg-Richland High Volley Ball team by taking second place in the County Tournament held at Shippenville in March.

Members of our team were: Alec Robertson, captain; Ed Chadman, Blake Neely, John Edwards, Homer Ditty, Wilbur Van Zandt, Bob Flick, and Mr. Helmtoller, Coach.

The Saints downed the volley ball team of Rimersburg by scores of 15-13, 15-8 in the first round and then trimmed North Clarion 15-1, 15-12 in the semi-final to advance to the championship match. In that match they bowed to Clarion-Limestone by scores of 11-0, 15-7.

We won additional honors that day in the County-wide Ping Pong Tournament which was also played at Shippenville, when Ernie Koos and Alec Robertson advanced to the finals of the doubles competition before bowing in a tight match to Edinger and Hall of Keystone. They brought home the attractive second-place trophies for their efforts.



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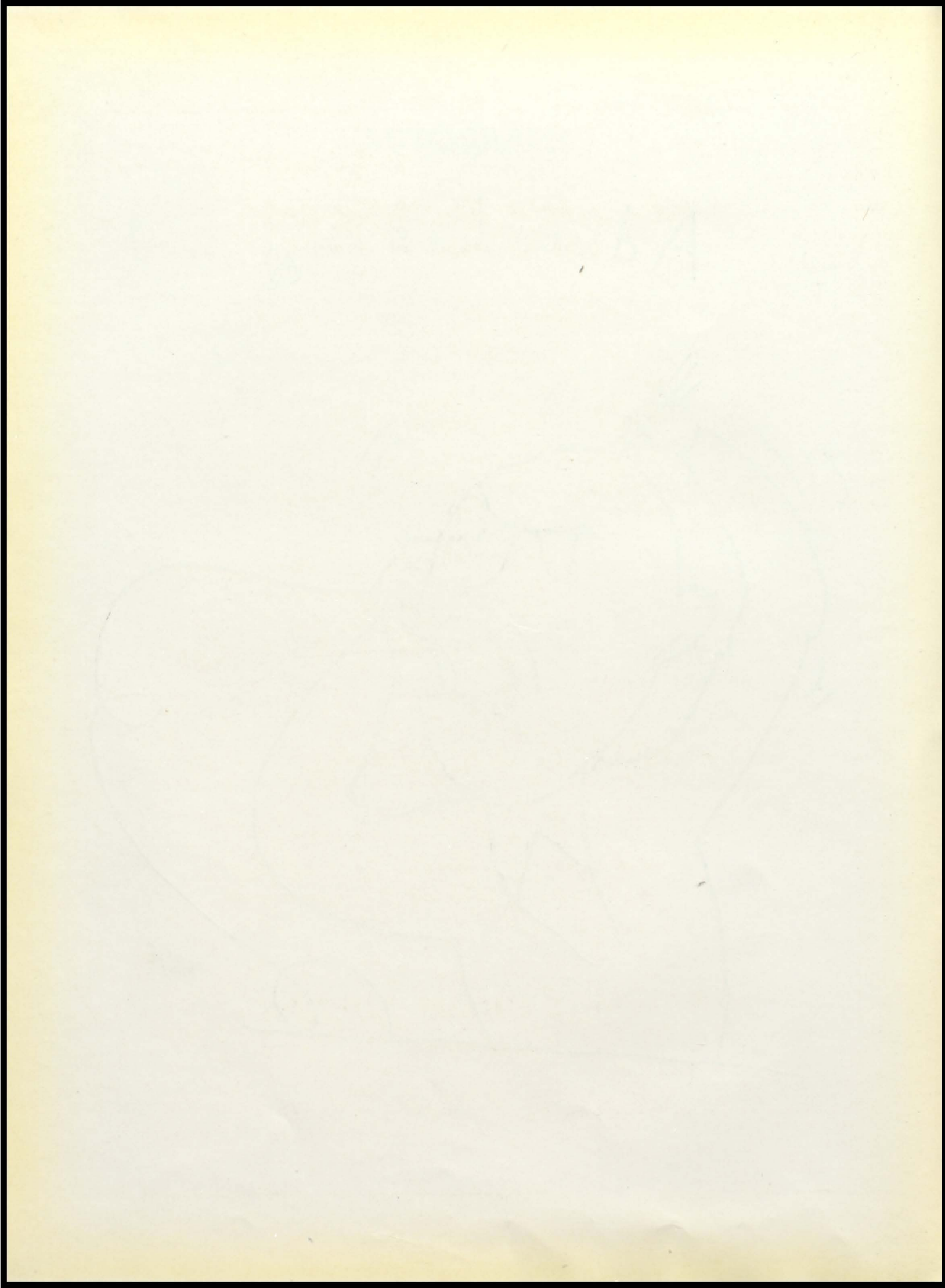
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