

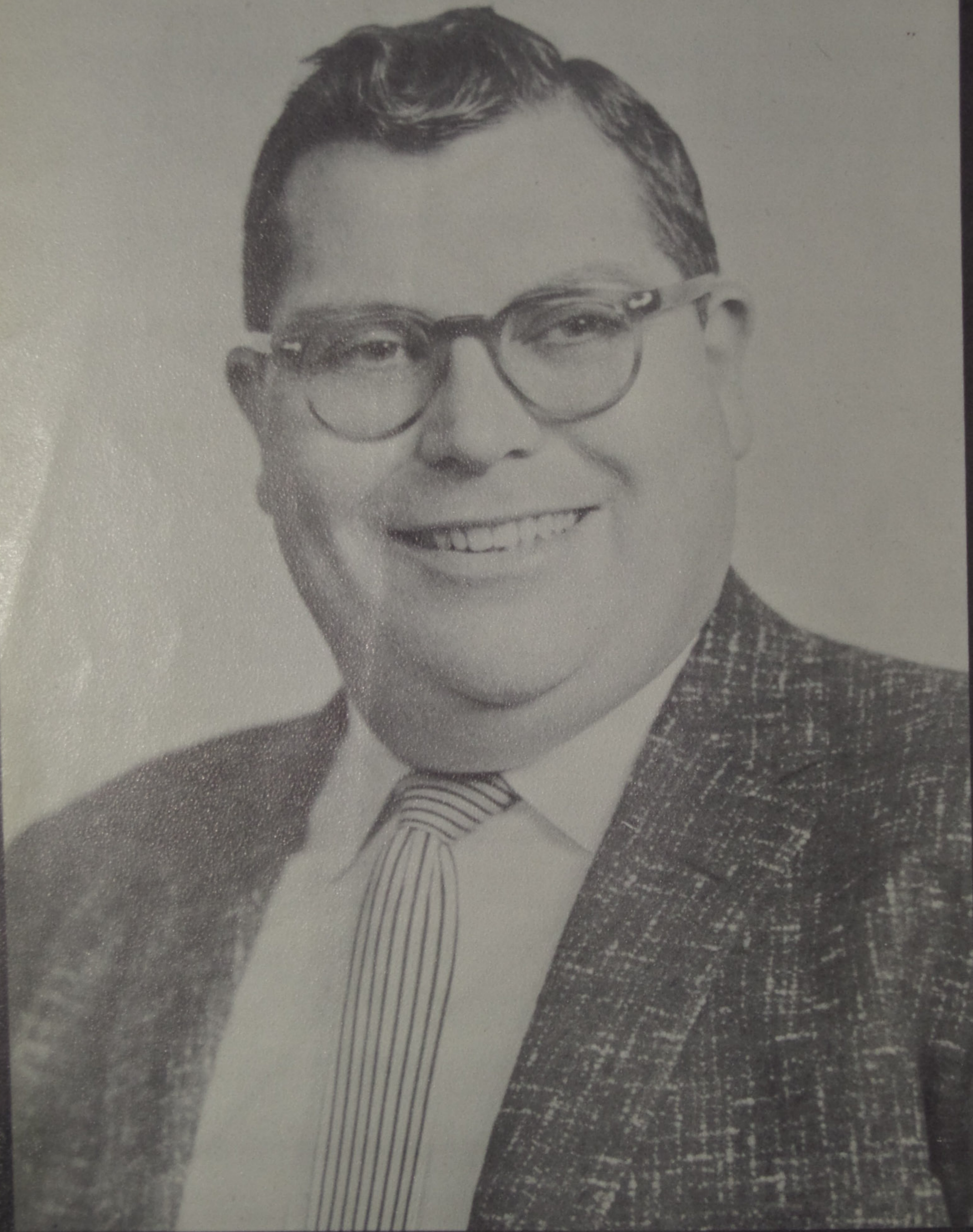
1956



THE FALCON



MINFORD DISTRICT SCHOOL



PAUL W. BUTCHER



The FALCON

MINFORD HIGH SCHOOL
MINFORD, OHIO
A. D. 1956



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Only the men who have ever served on a board of education realize the effort, time, and sacrifice that goes into this job.

These are the "middle" men between the people and the school. They hear everybody's problems, hire all school personnel, and administer the schools with a definite limited amount of money, despite the fact that sometimes people think money grows on trees.

We, who are connected with the school, pay our most sincere respects to these men who give so much and get so little.

DEDICATION

IN MEMORIAM

Thou waitest but thou knowest not
When upon thee death will fall--
What once was living, now lies still
Beneath the morning pall.

Quiet Death creeps in quickly
In the winking of an eye--
For the Master hath appointed
Once for every man to die.

Sleep well, my friend; be thou at peace
To troubles thy eyes shall close;
Below the rolling hills of green
Thou may at last repose.

Though body lies beneath the sod,
The soul again returns to God.

L. J. Kennedy
Class of '56

We, the Annual Staff of Minford High School, are dedicating our 1956 annual in memory of the late Paul William Wesley Butcher.

Mr. Butcher, who was born September 10, 1917, a son of George D. and Mary Brown Butcher, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage at his home November 19, 1955.

He attended Minford Schools and was a graduate of Portsmouth High School and Ohio State University, where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Education.

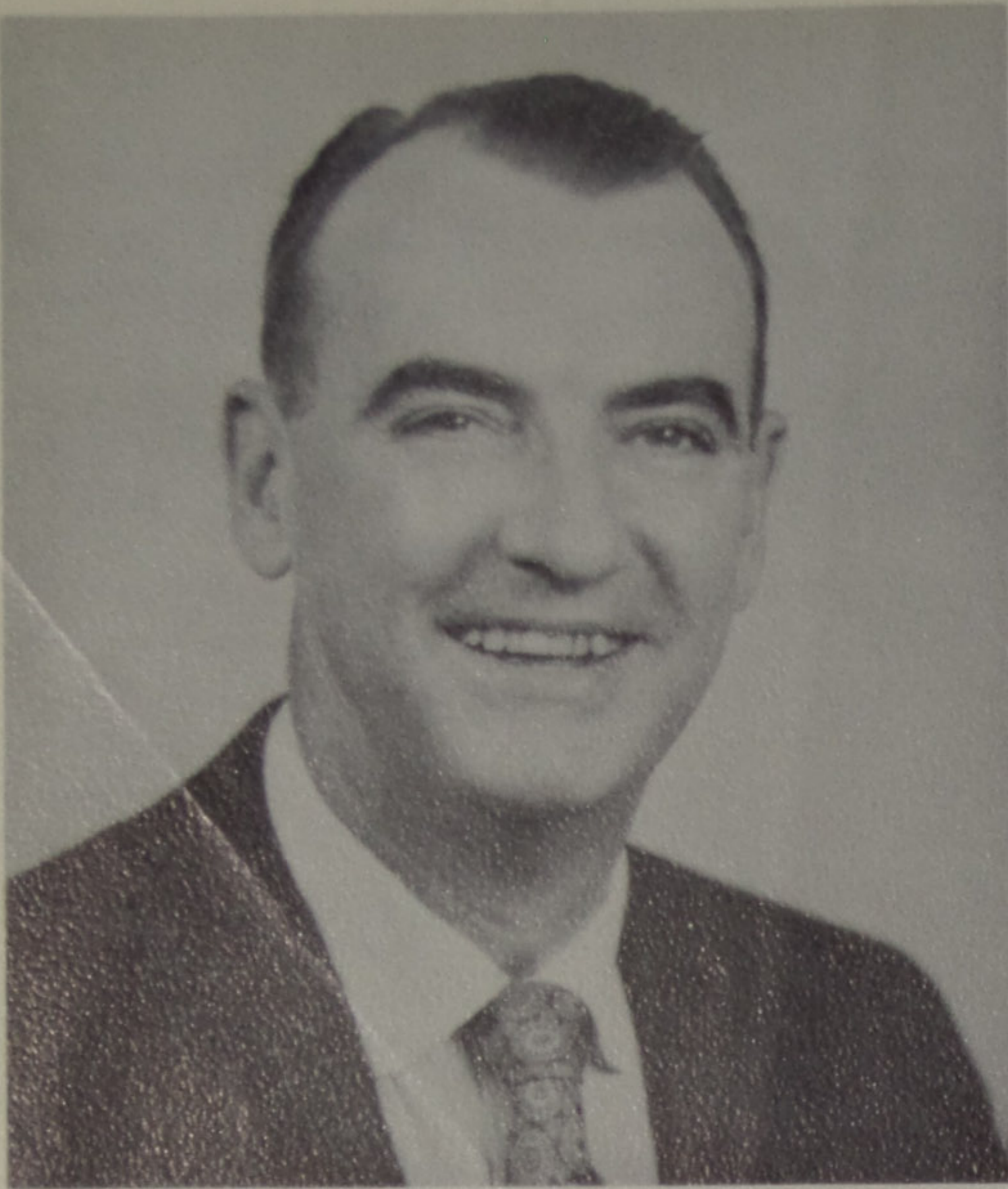
He commenced his teaching career at Minford in 1938. During World War II, Mr. Butcher served in the Army Air Corps as a staff sergeant.

Mr. Butcher taught English and Latin at Minford High School and directed class plays and school publications. He was a member of Stockdale Methodist Church and taught the Men's Bible Class the last three years.

This excerpt from "Thanatopsis" was one of Mr. Butcher's favorites

So live, that when thy summons comes to join
The innumerable caravan which moves
To that mysterious realm, where each shall take
His chamber in the silent halls of death,
Thou go not, like the quarry-slave at night,
Scourged to his dungeon, but, sustained and soothed
By an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave
Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch
About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams.

---William Cullen Bryant



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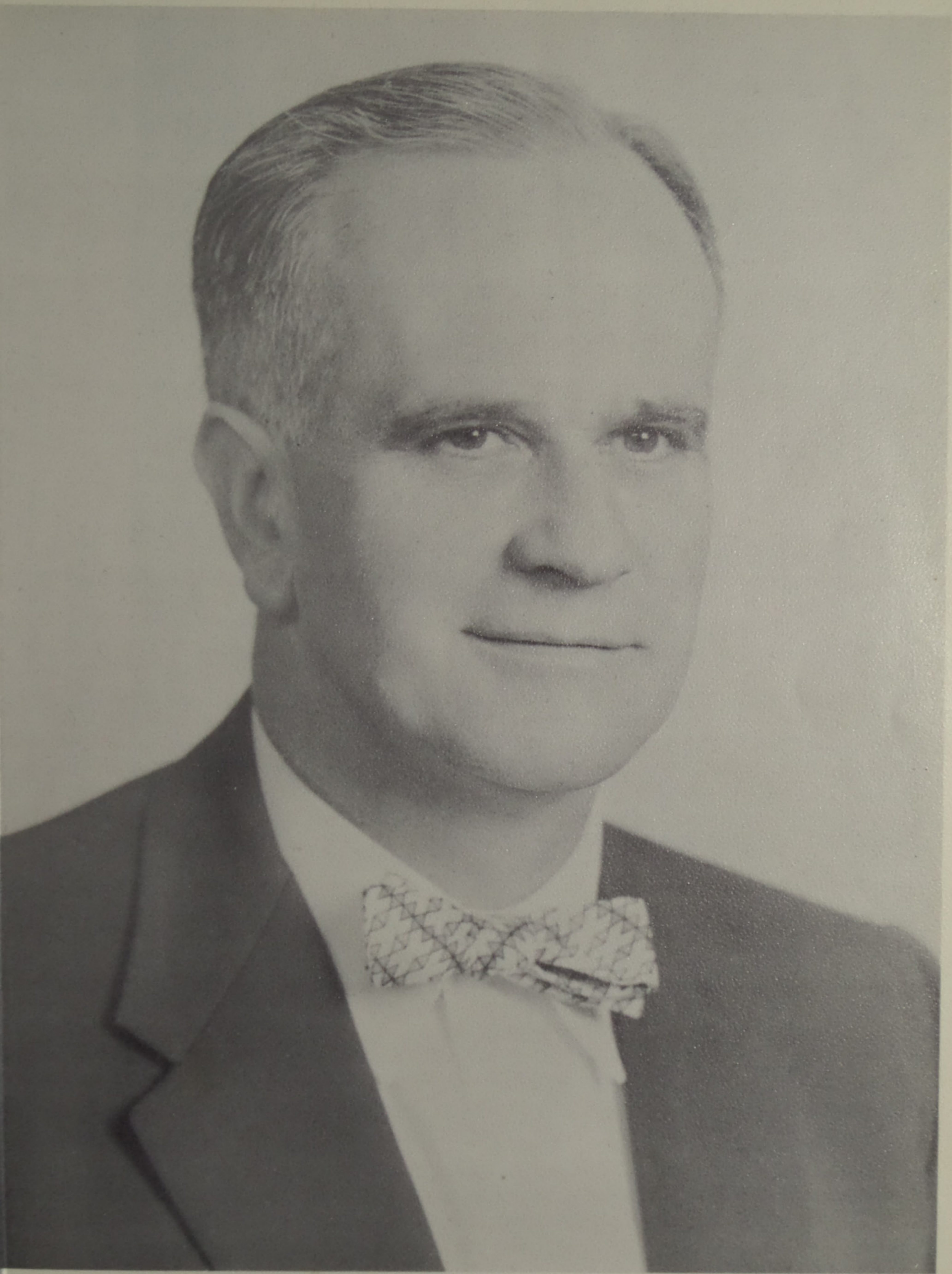


MISS FALCON Esther Purdy



ANNUAL STAFF

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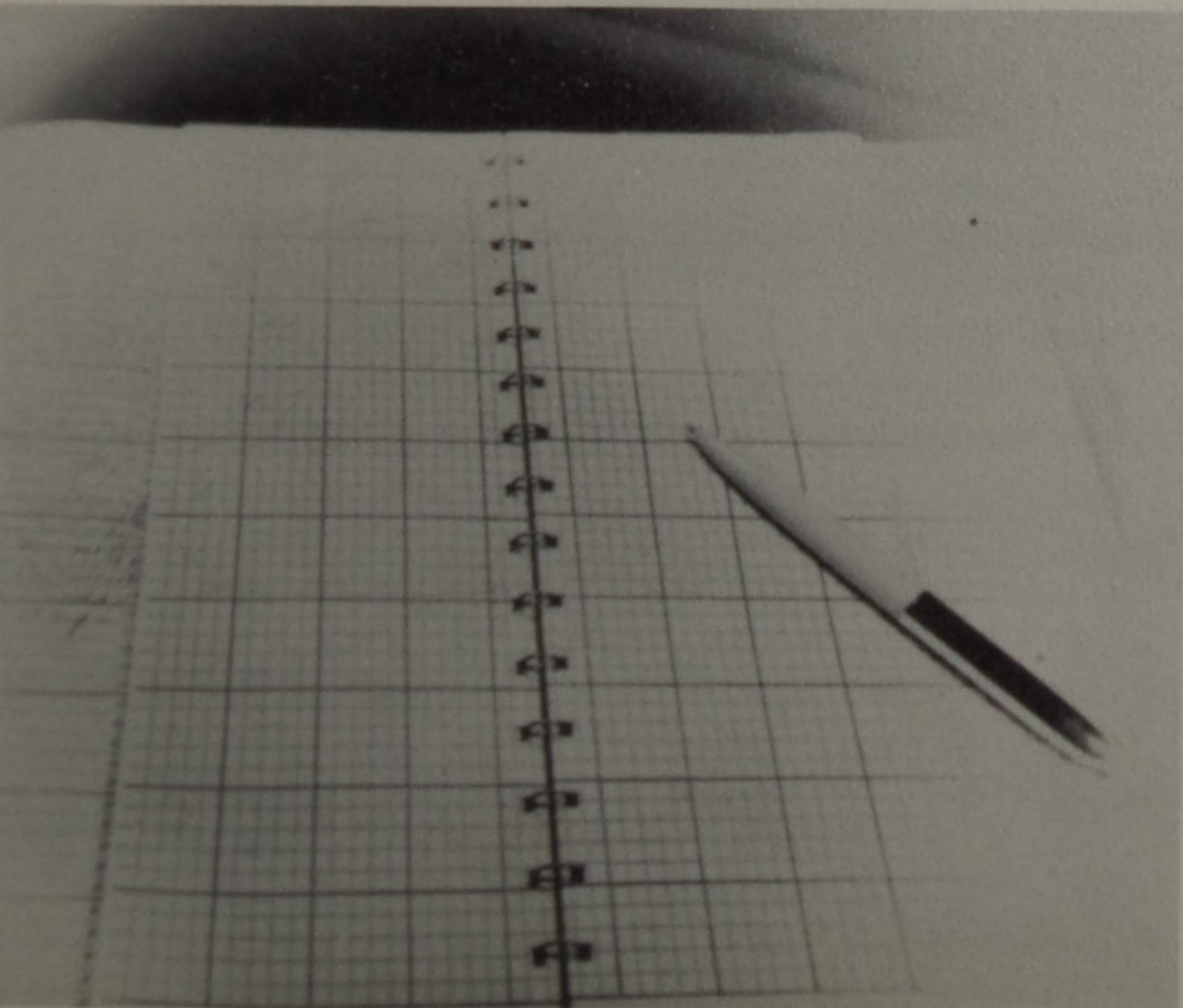


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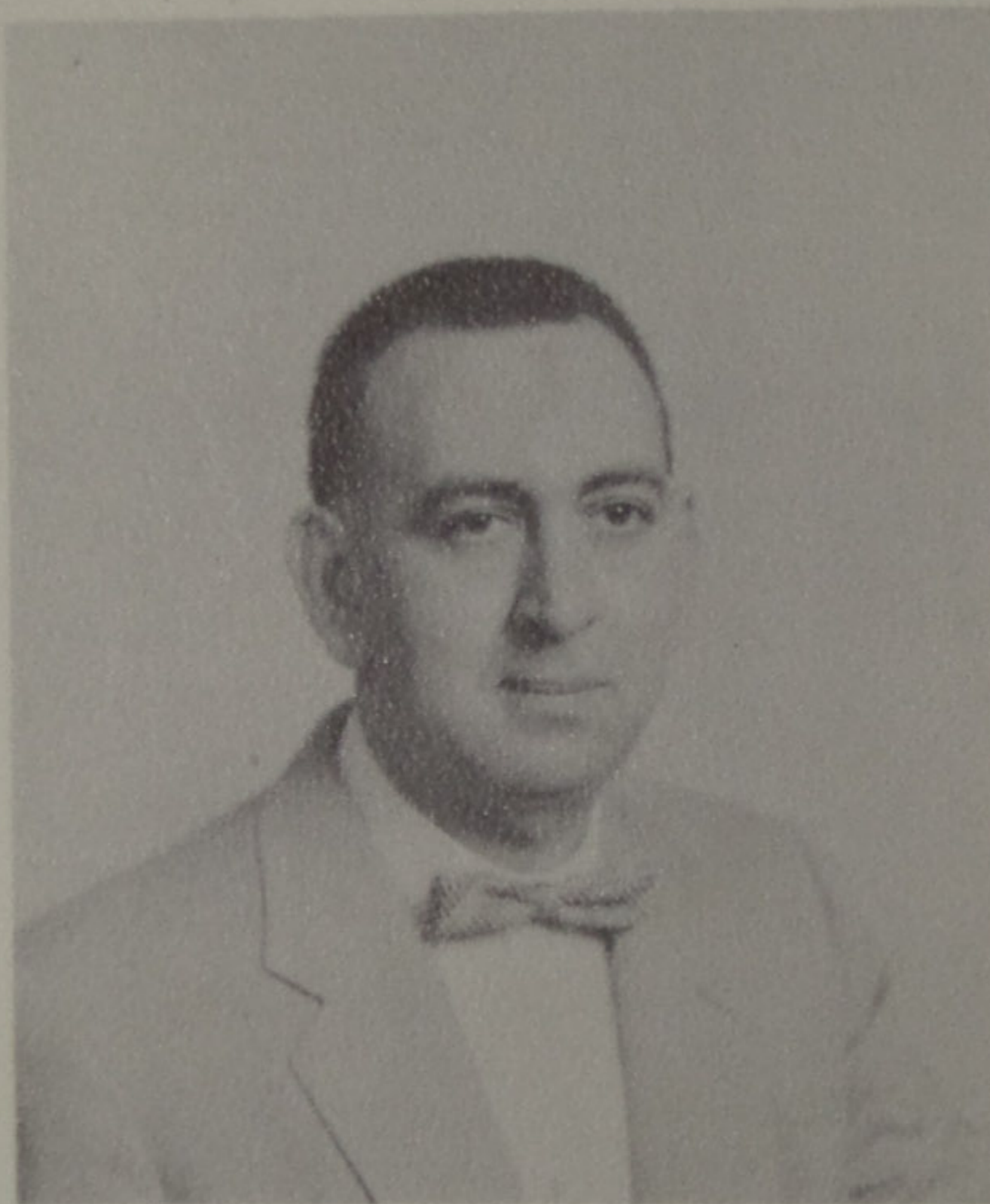
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 Eighth Grade Sponsor

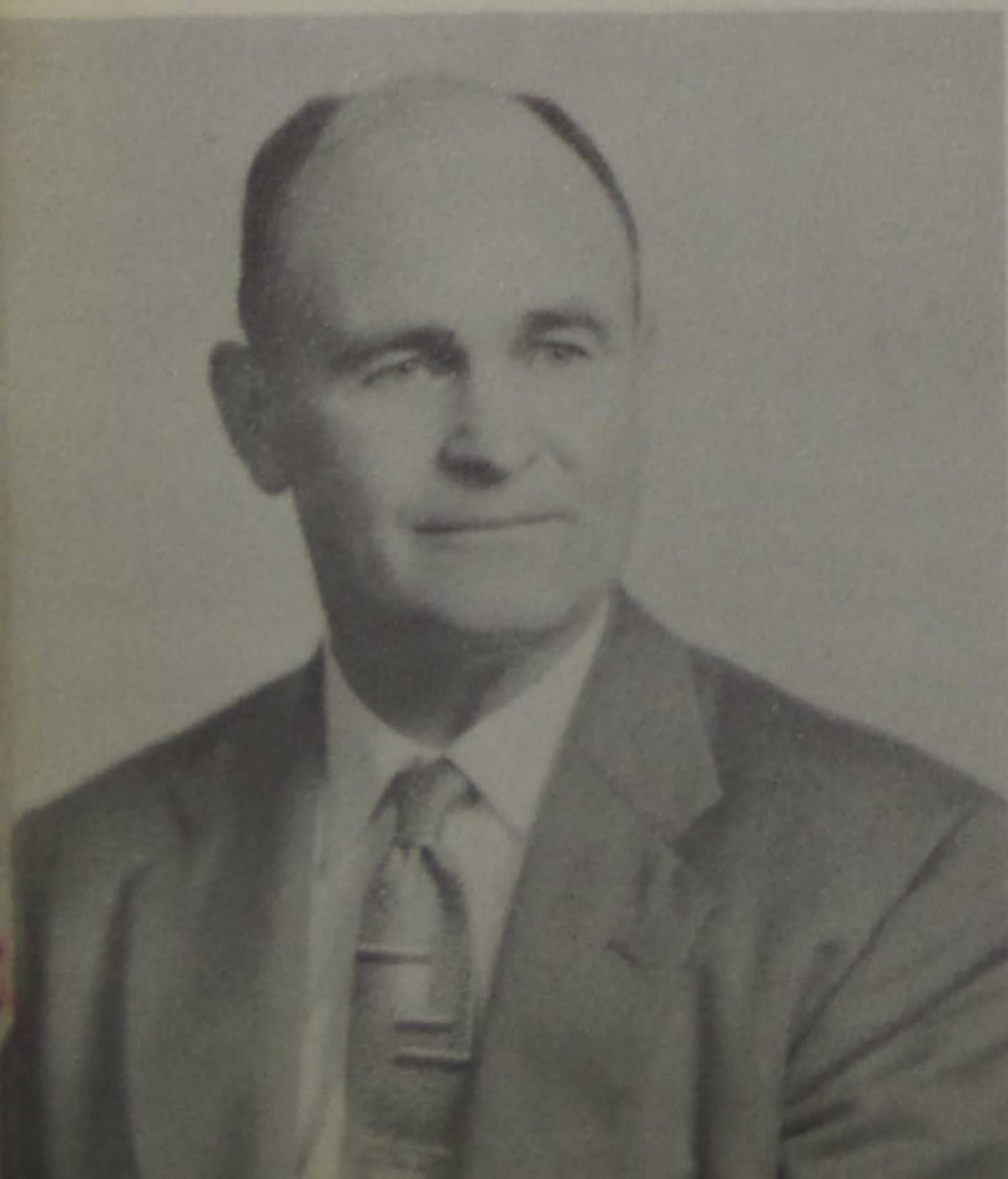


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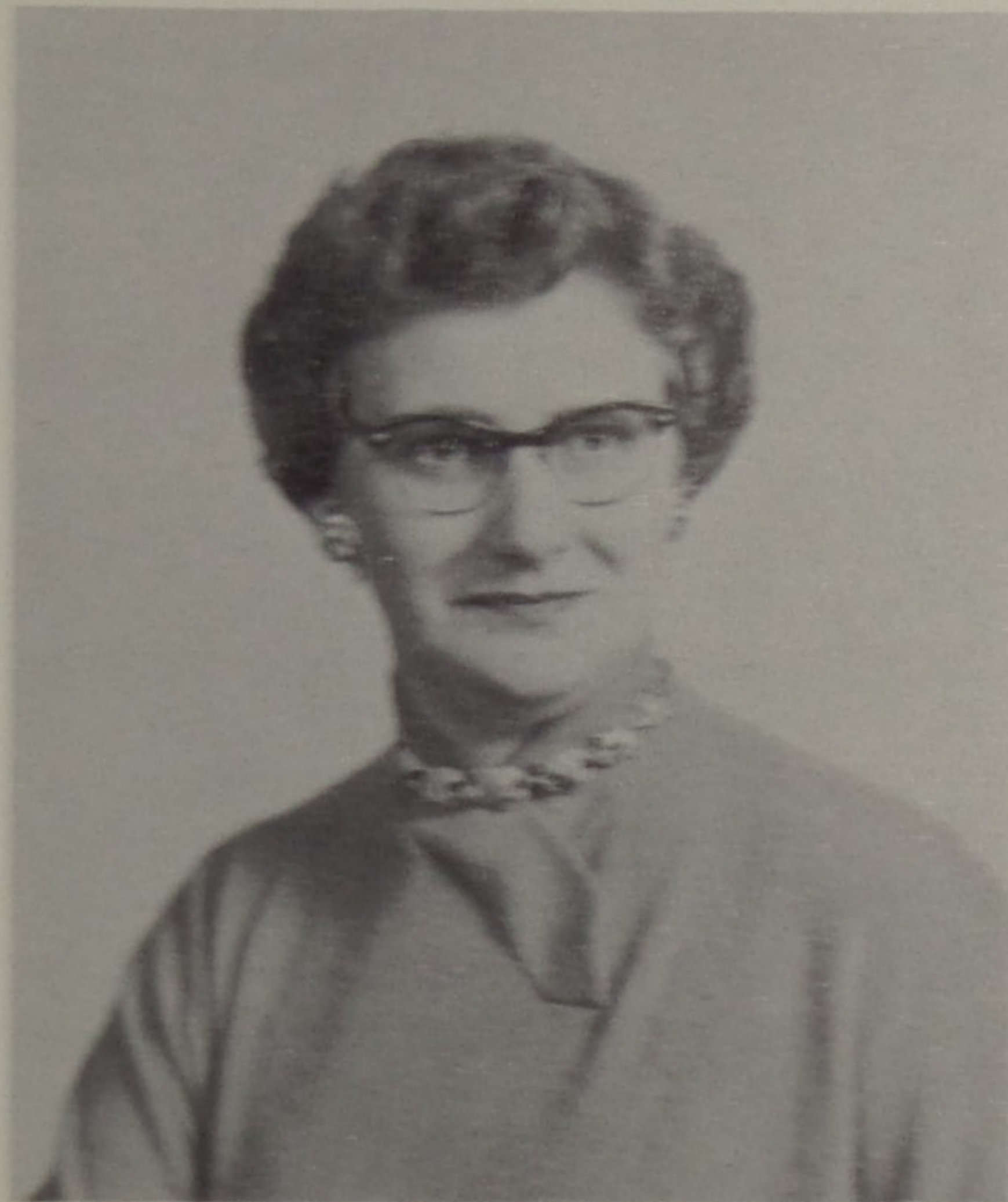




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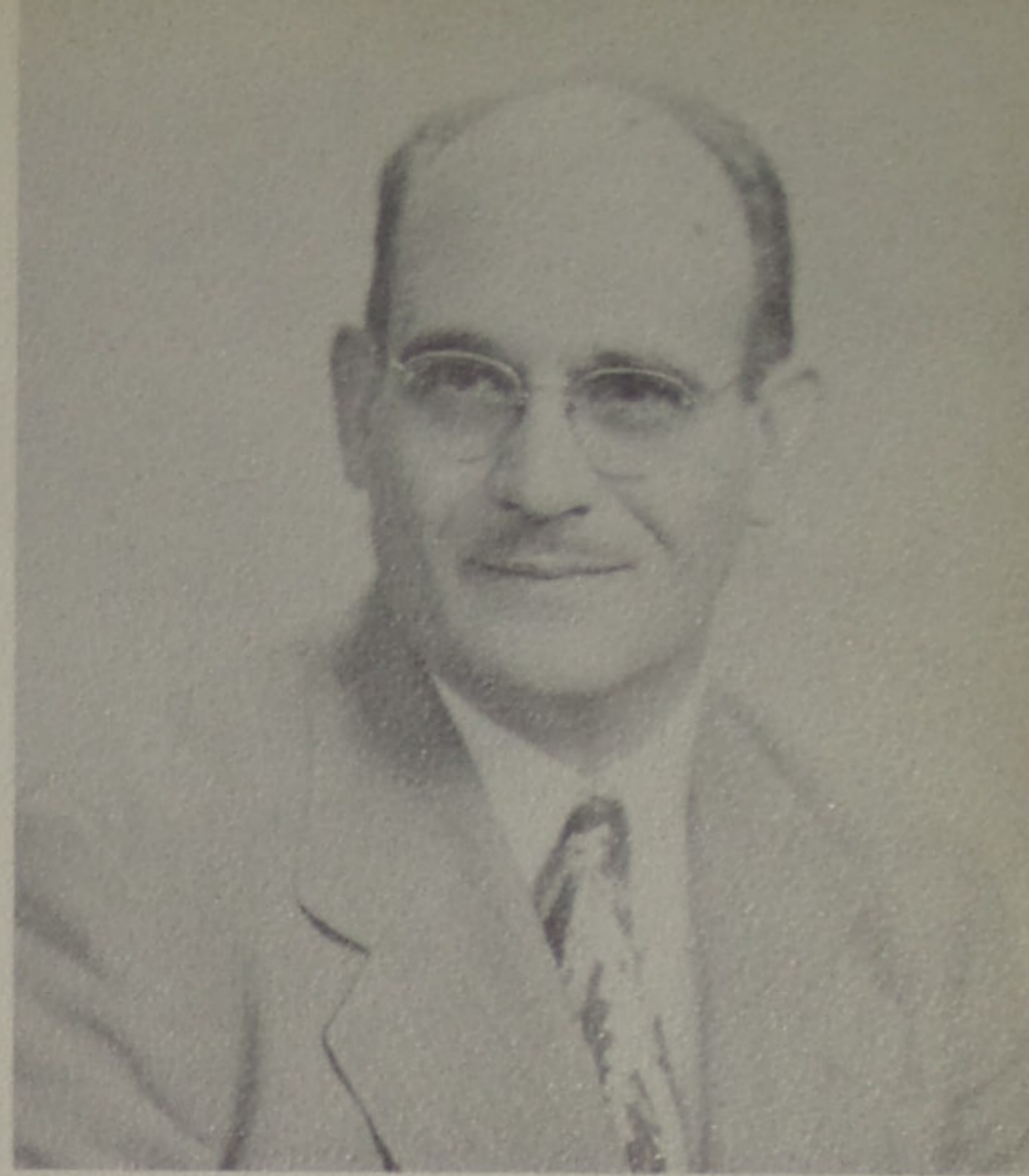
Ohio Scholarship Tests
 State Department of Education
 Columbus, Ohio

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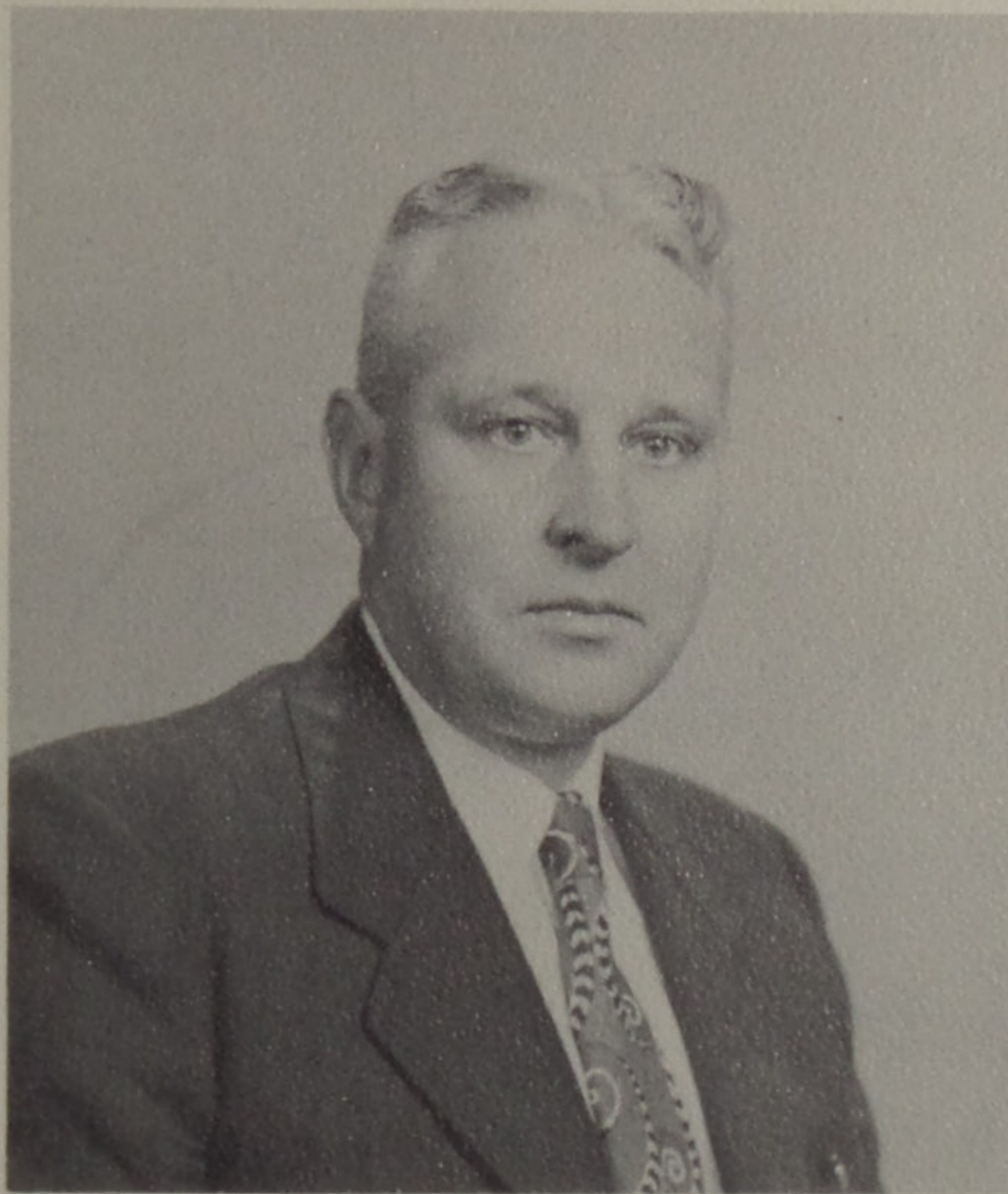
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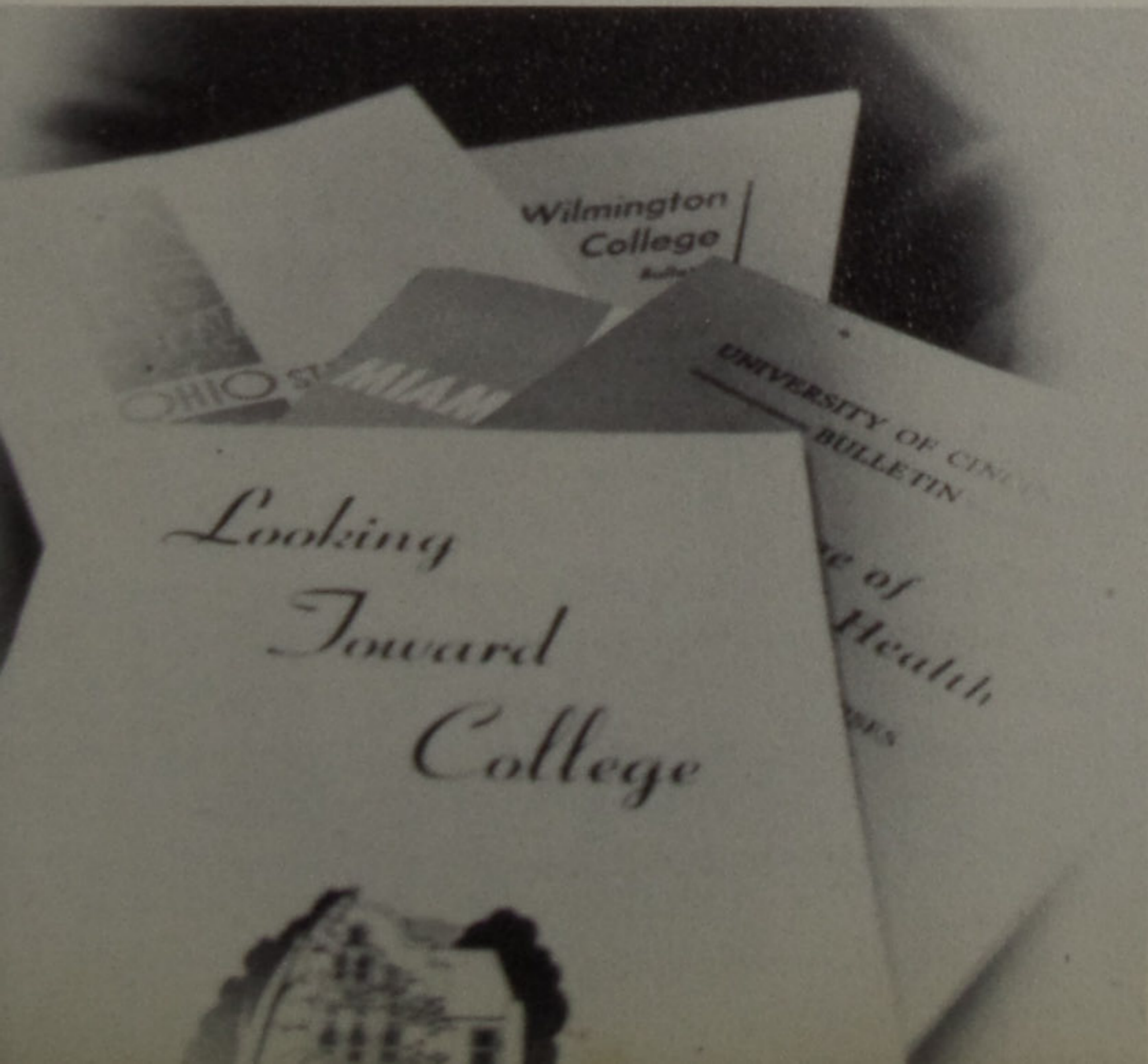
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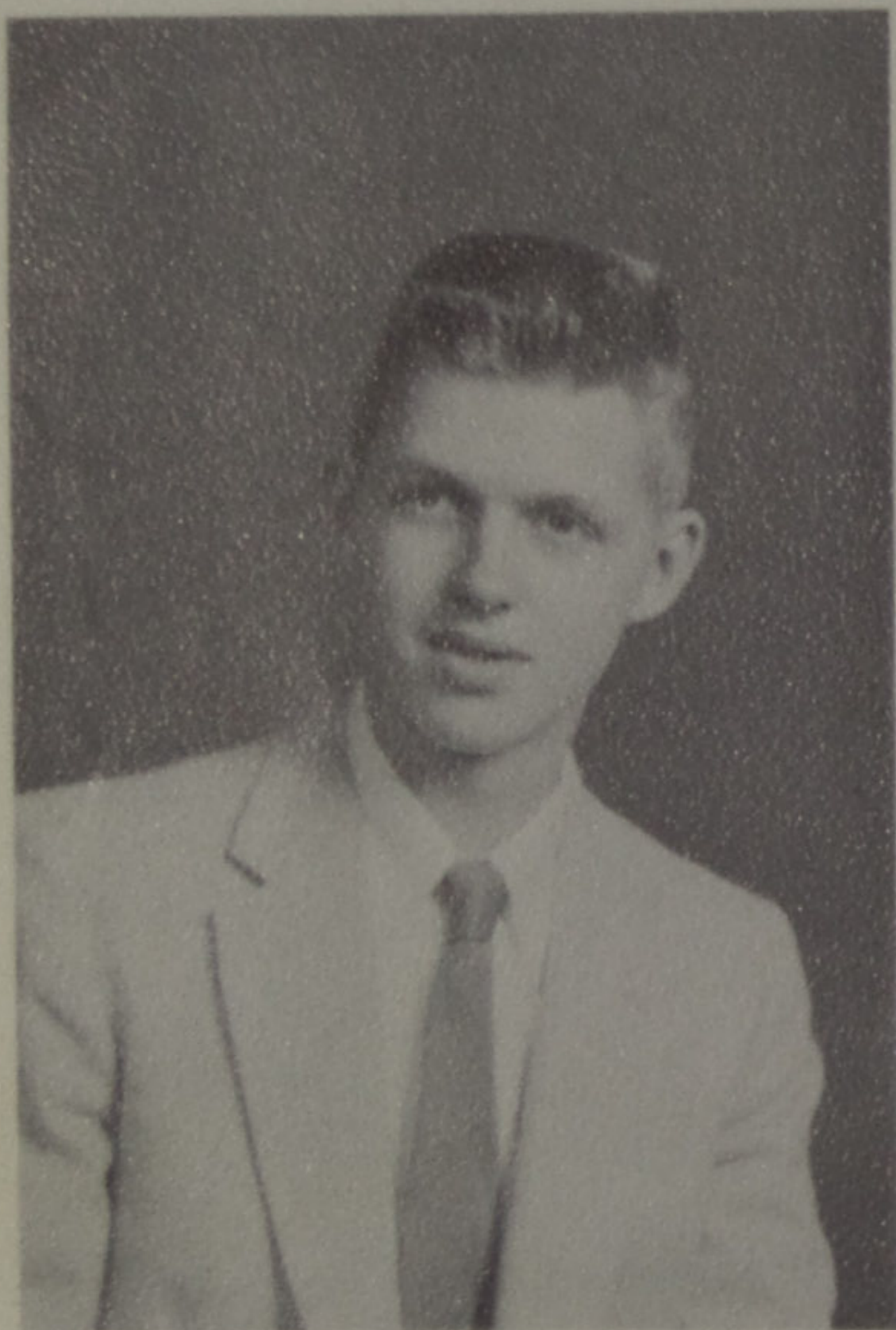
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JOYCE BARNETT

A girl who likes to have fun,
Maybe that's why she's always on the run.
Glee Club 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 3
Dramatic Club 1, 2

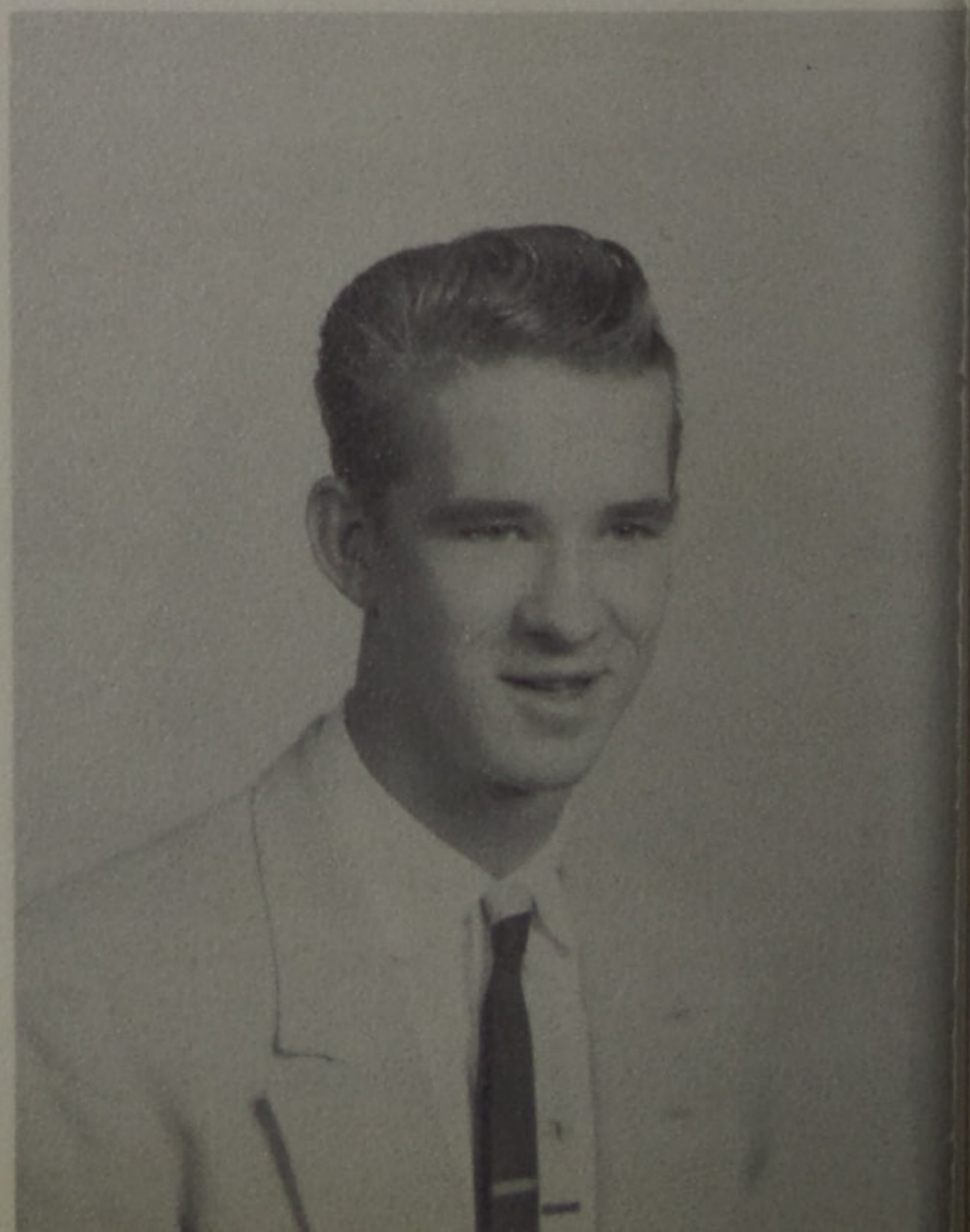


RONALD BENDER

An all-round fellow
Who is quite mellow.

DIAL BENTLEY

A very hard worker (when he wants to be).
Will he be successful? Wait and see!
Reserve Basketball 1



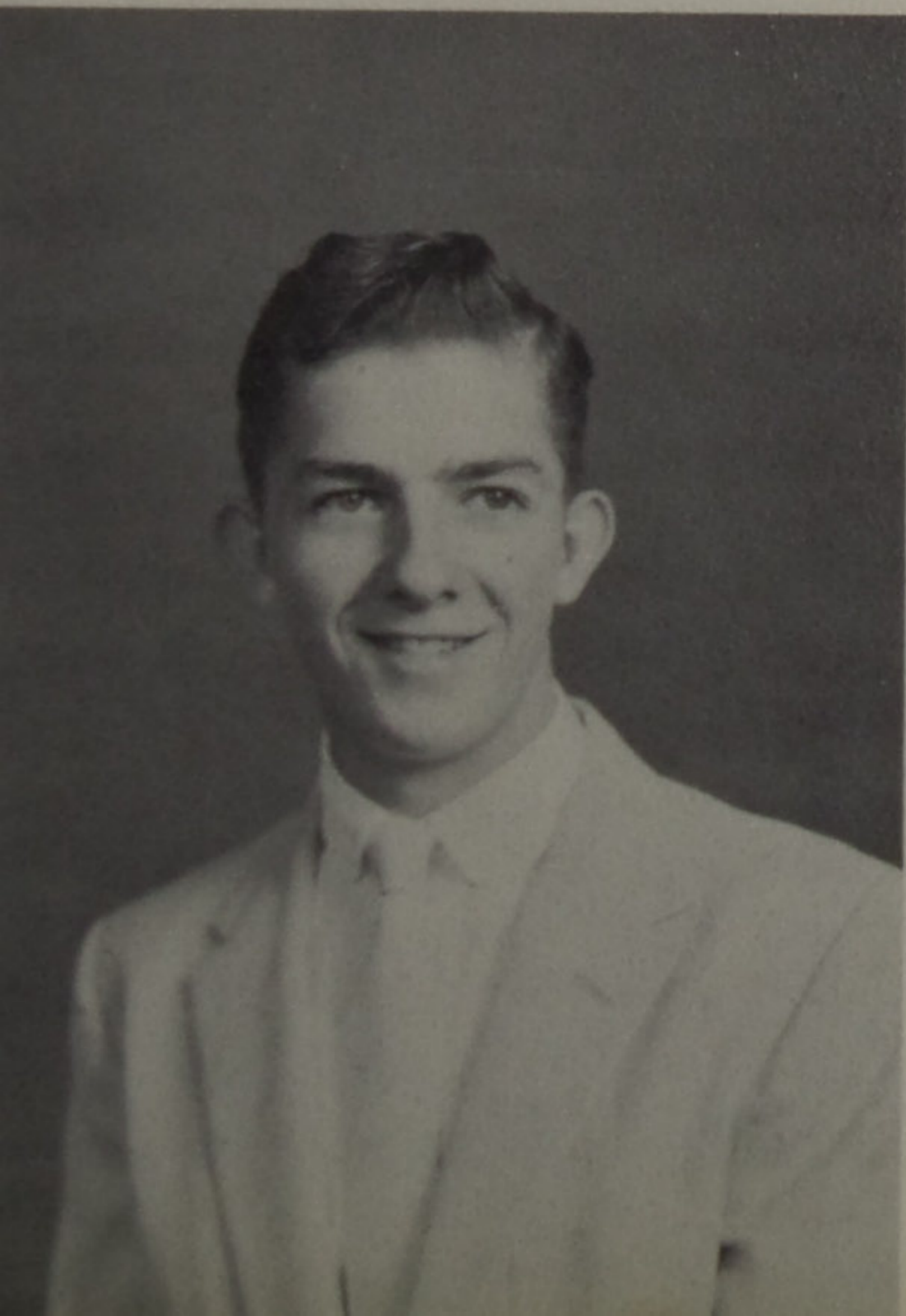
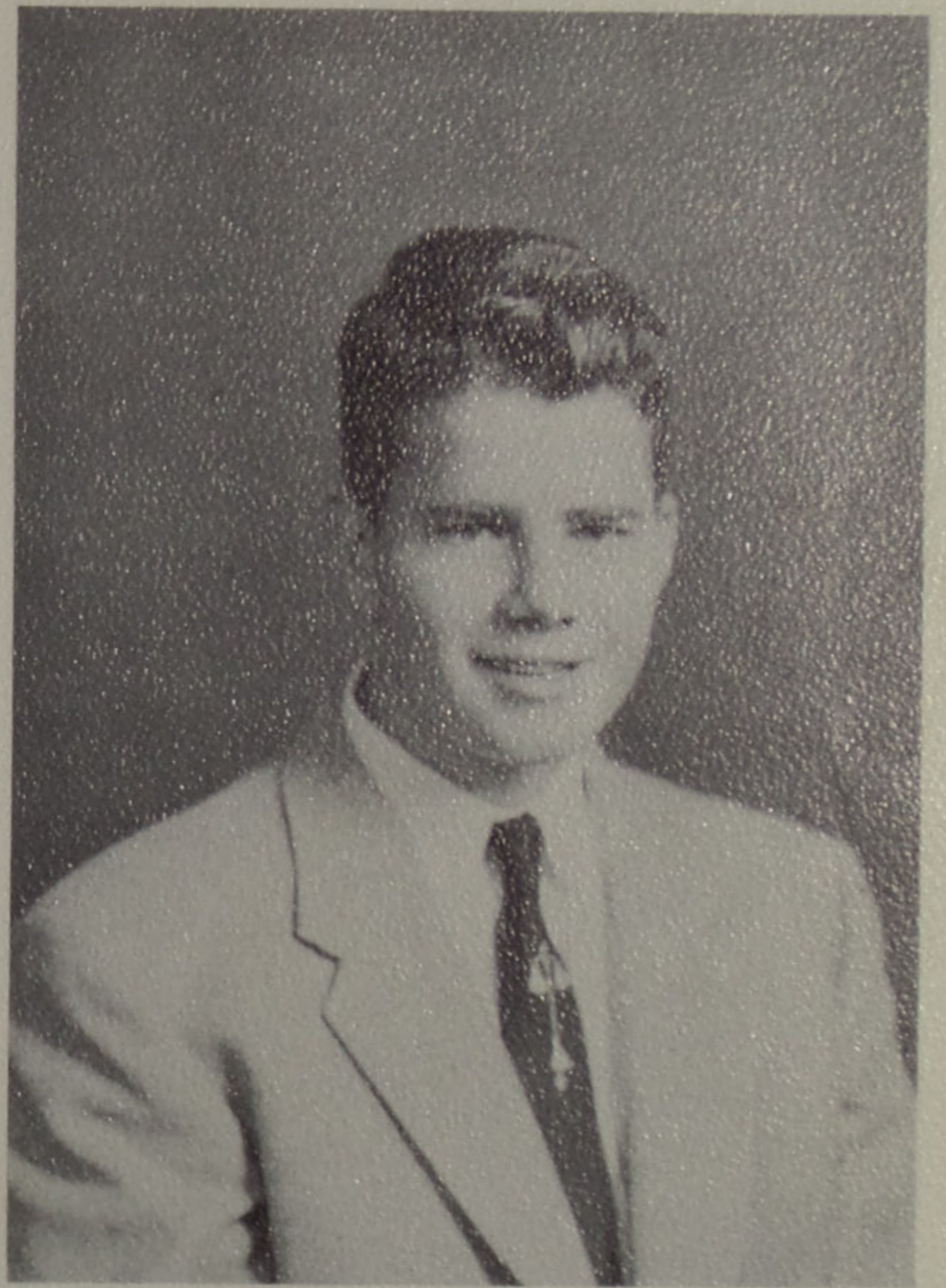


DELORES ADAMS

Reserved and quiet and very sweet
A nicer girl you'll never meet.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Music Festival 1, 3, 4
Dramatics 1, 2, 4
Cheerleader 2
Class Play 3
District Scholarship 1, 2

ROGER ADAMS

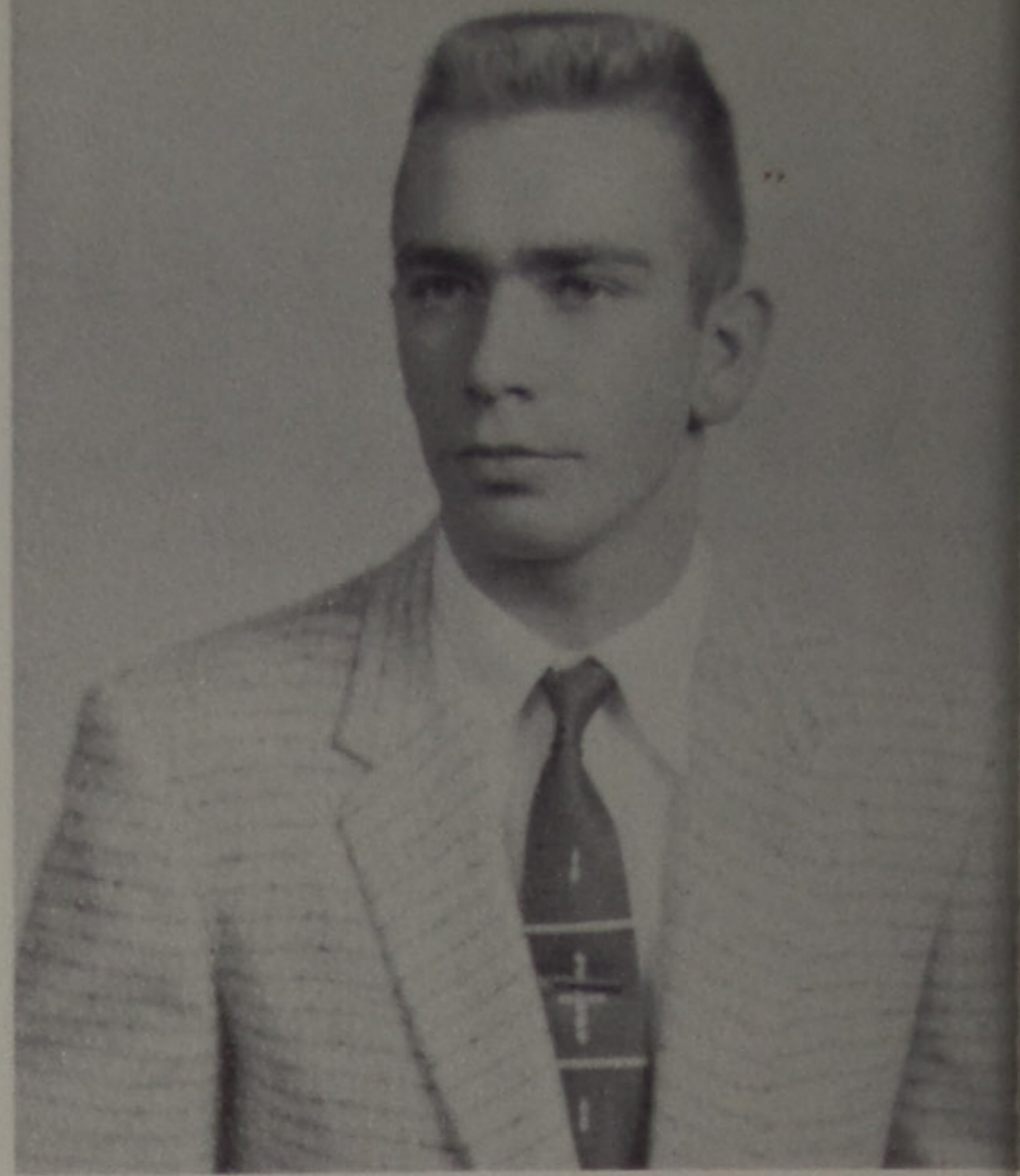
A loud voice and lot of noise
These two he always employs.
Sr. Boys Chorus 4



ELMER A. ALLEN

His favorite pal
Is his best gal.

WILLIAM BUTCHER
Better late than never!!!!
Boys Chorus 4



PAULA BYRD
"A winning way, a friendly smile,
In all a girl who is worthwhile."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Home Ec. Club 1, 2
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Tri-K Club 3, 4
Class Play 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
County Music Festival 2, 3
Office Staff 4
Popularity Poll 4
Mixed Chorus 2
Glee Club 1

JANICE CANARY
A voice like her name--
It may bring her fame,
Glee Club 1
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Festival 2, 3, 4
Home Ec. Club 1, 2
Dramatic Club 4
Class Play 4





PHYLLIS BORDERS

Always busy, never still--

She must have taken a vitamin pill.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Festival 1, 2, 3, 4

Dramatics 1, 2, 4

Home Ec. Club 1, 2

Office 4

Glee Club 1

Home Ec. Club Pres. 2

Class Play 3, 4

THOMAS ALLEN BRACKEY

We think that we shall never see,

A guy as swell as Tom can be.

Class President 4

National Honor Society (Pres. 4) 3, 4

Student Council 2, 4

District Scholarship 2

Sr. Scholarship 4

Buccaneer Club (Sec. 3) 2, 3, 4

Sr. Boys Chorus 4

Baseball (Manager 3) 3, 4

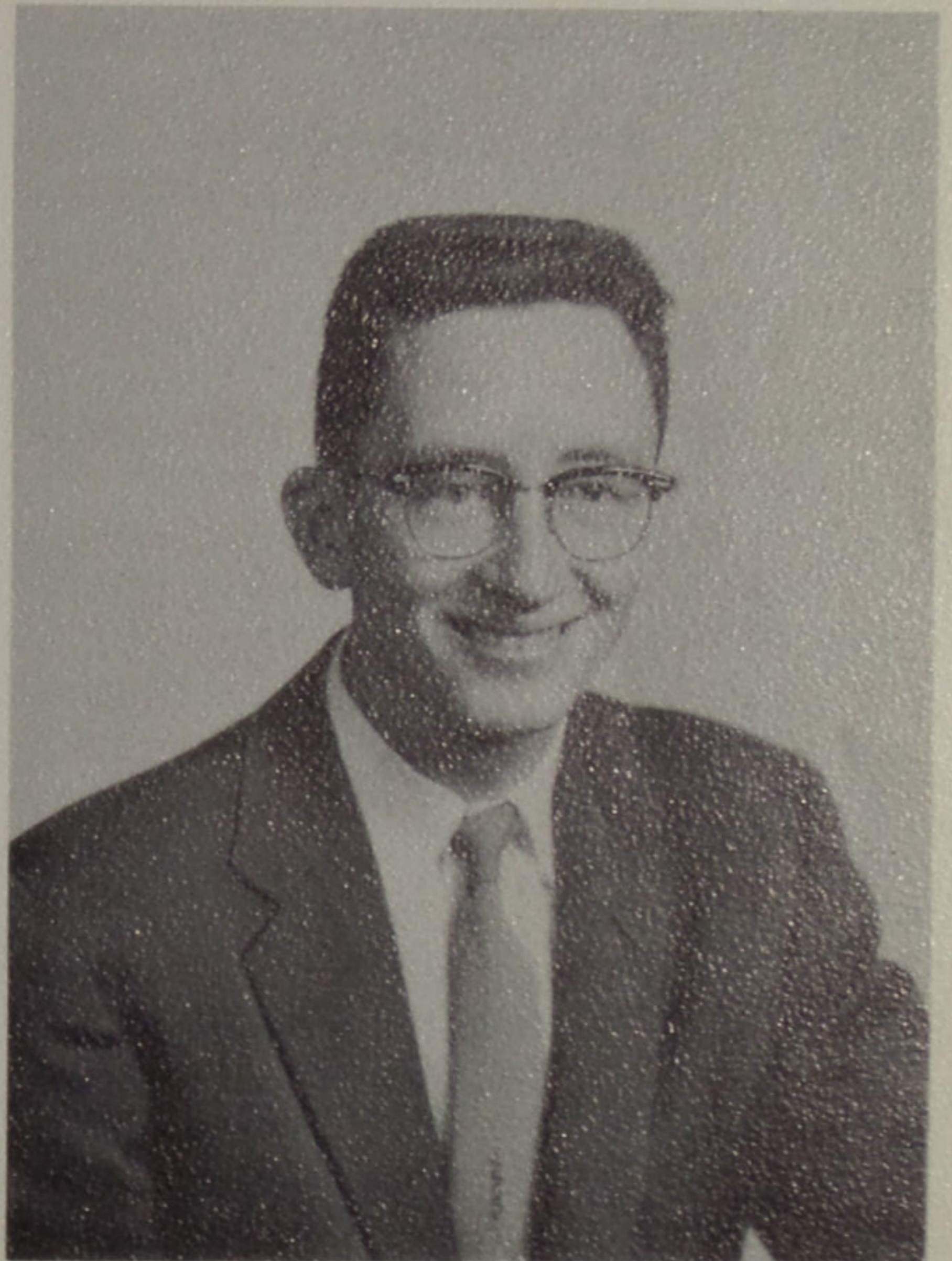
Teen-age Road-E-O 3, 4

Popularity Poll 4

Dramatic Club 2, 4

Science Fair 2

Annual Staff 3, 4



DONNA BRUNTON

When you feel as gloomy as the darkest night--

She's always around to make things bright.

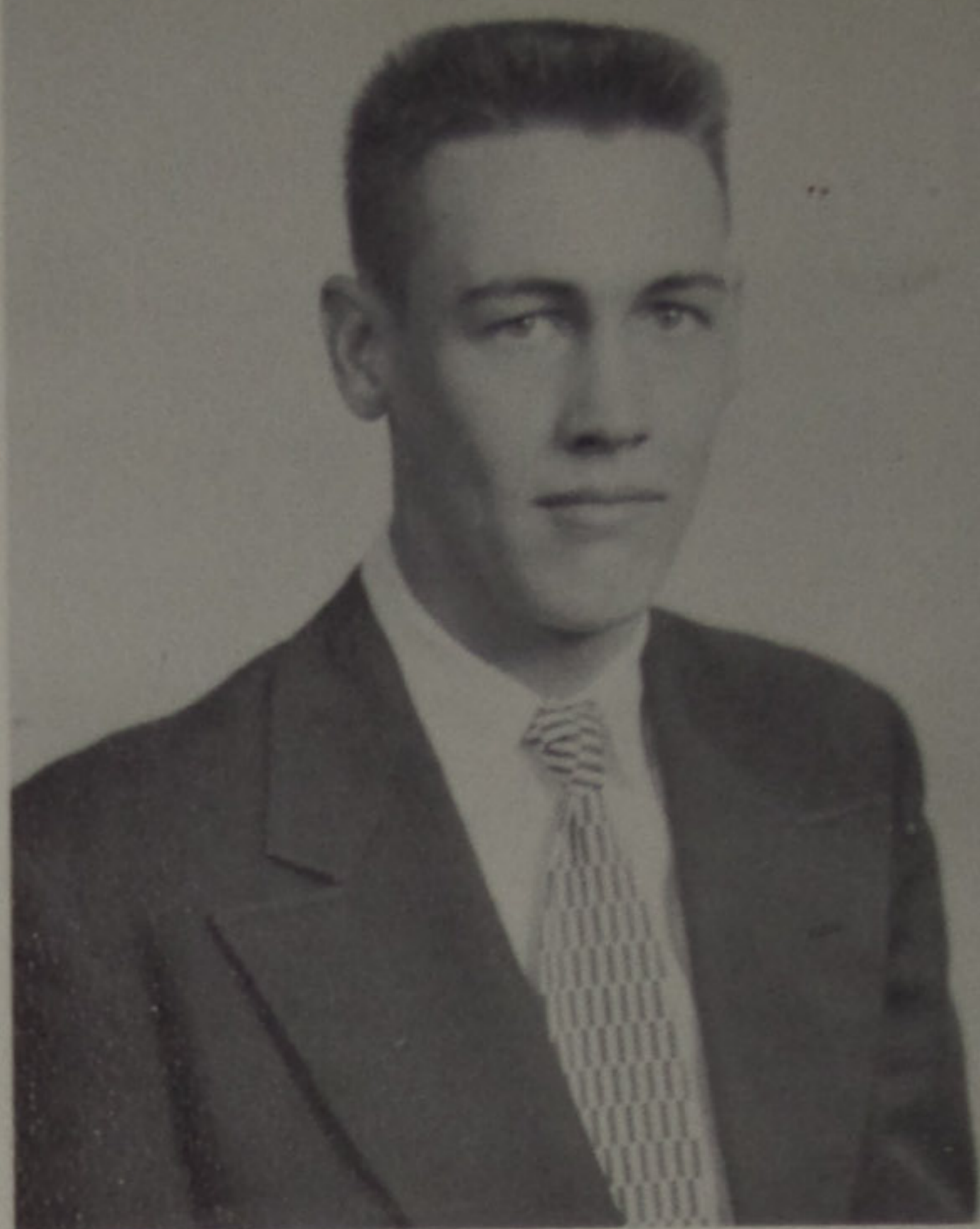
F. H. A. 1, 2

Chorus 1

Band 1

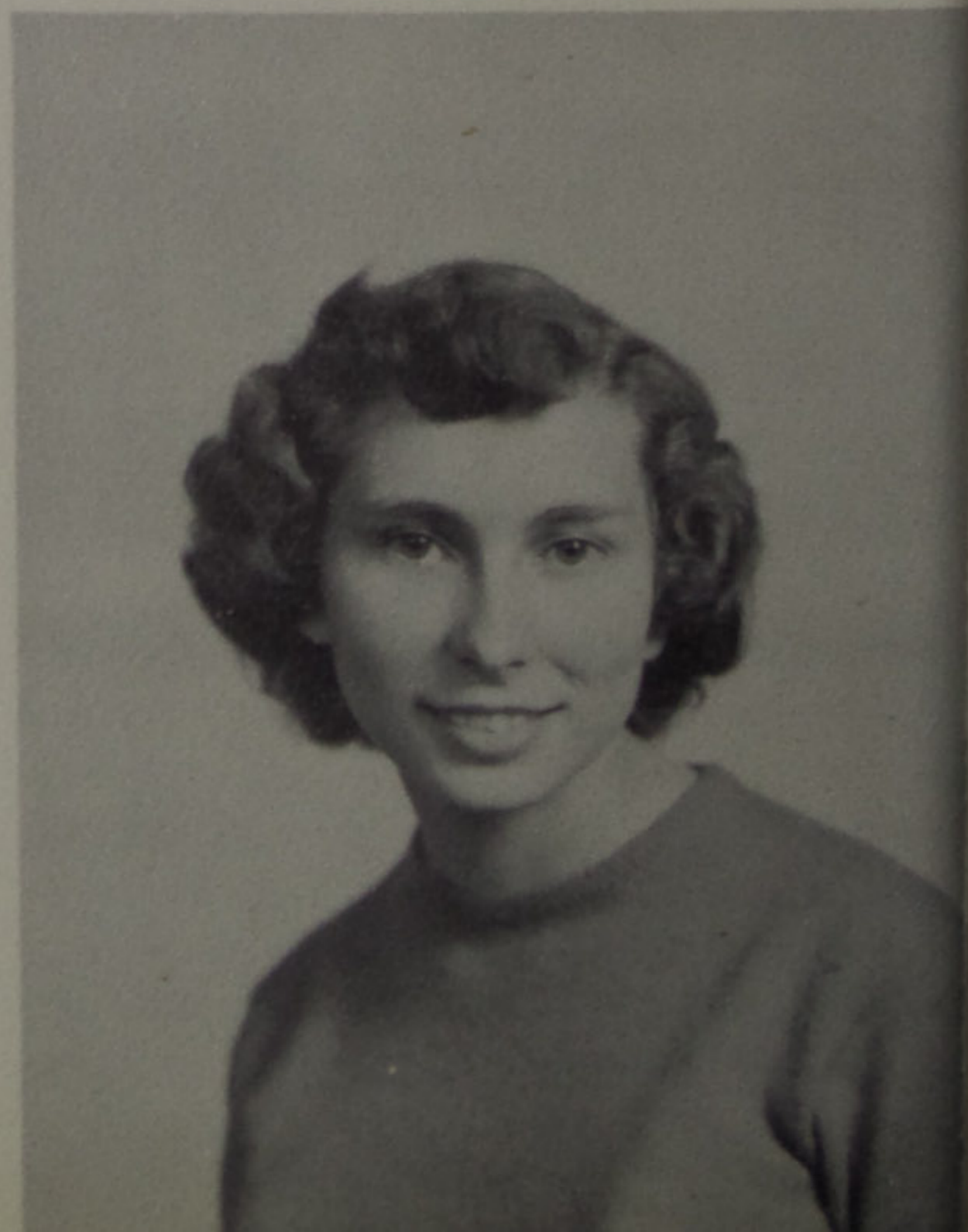
Stockdale H. S. 1, 2

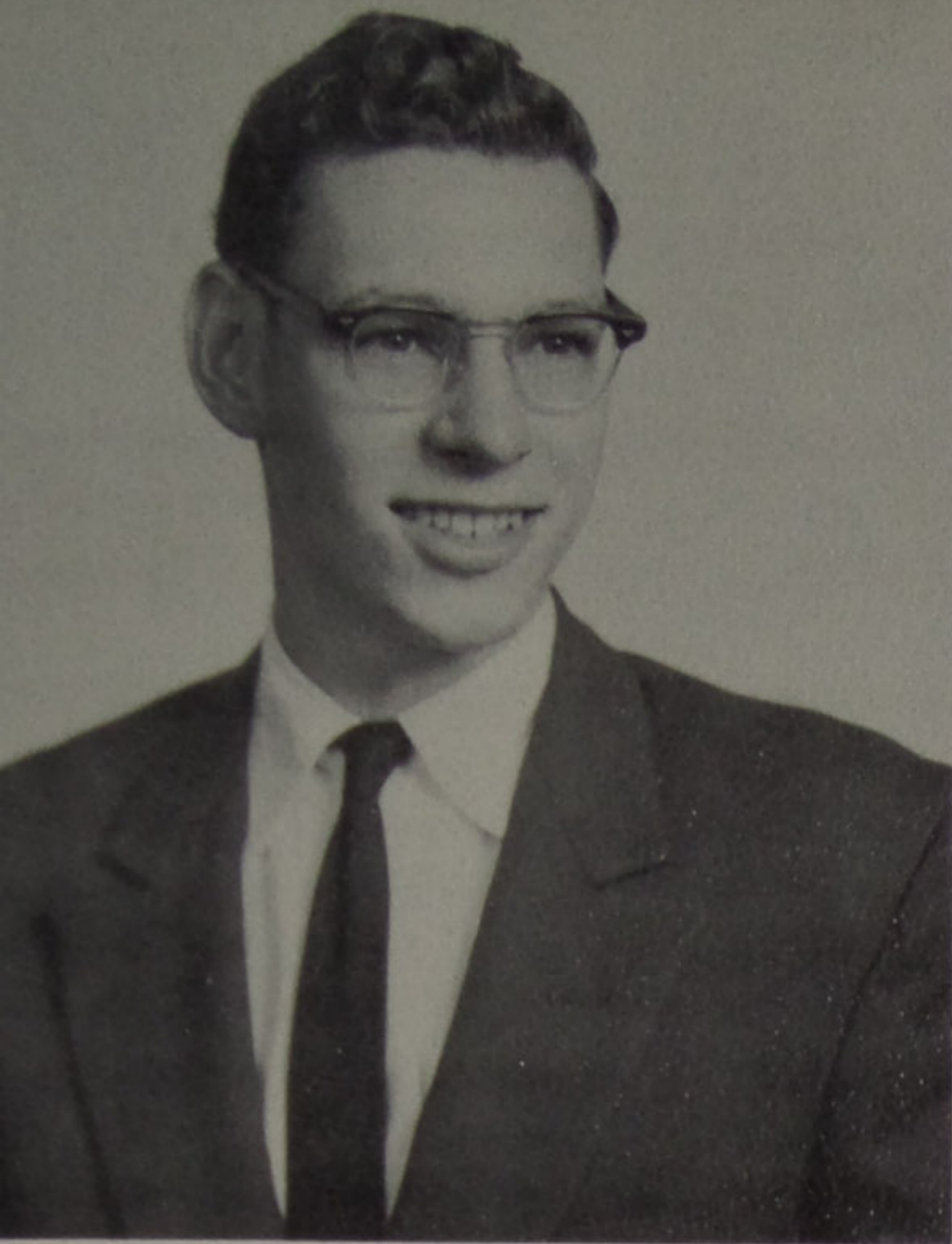
RICHARD CONKLIN
Whether at home or a far away place
Here is one boy that will keep his pace.



RUBY COOPER
That famous laugh is hers alone.
East High School 1
Dramatic Club 4
Glee Club 4
Popularity Poll 4

JANET CRACE
She knows a little about everything from A to Z,
Just the kind of friend you'd want her to be.
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Home Ec. Club 1, 2
Class Play 4
National Honor Society 4
District Scholarship 1, 4
Sr. Scholarship 4
Popularity Poll 4



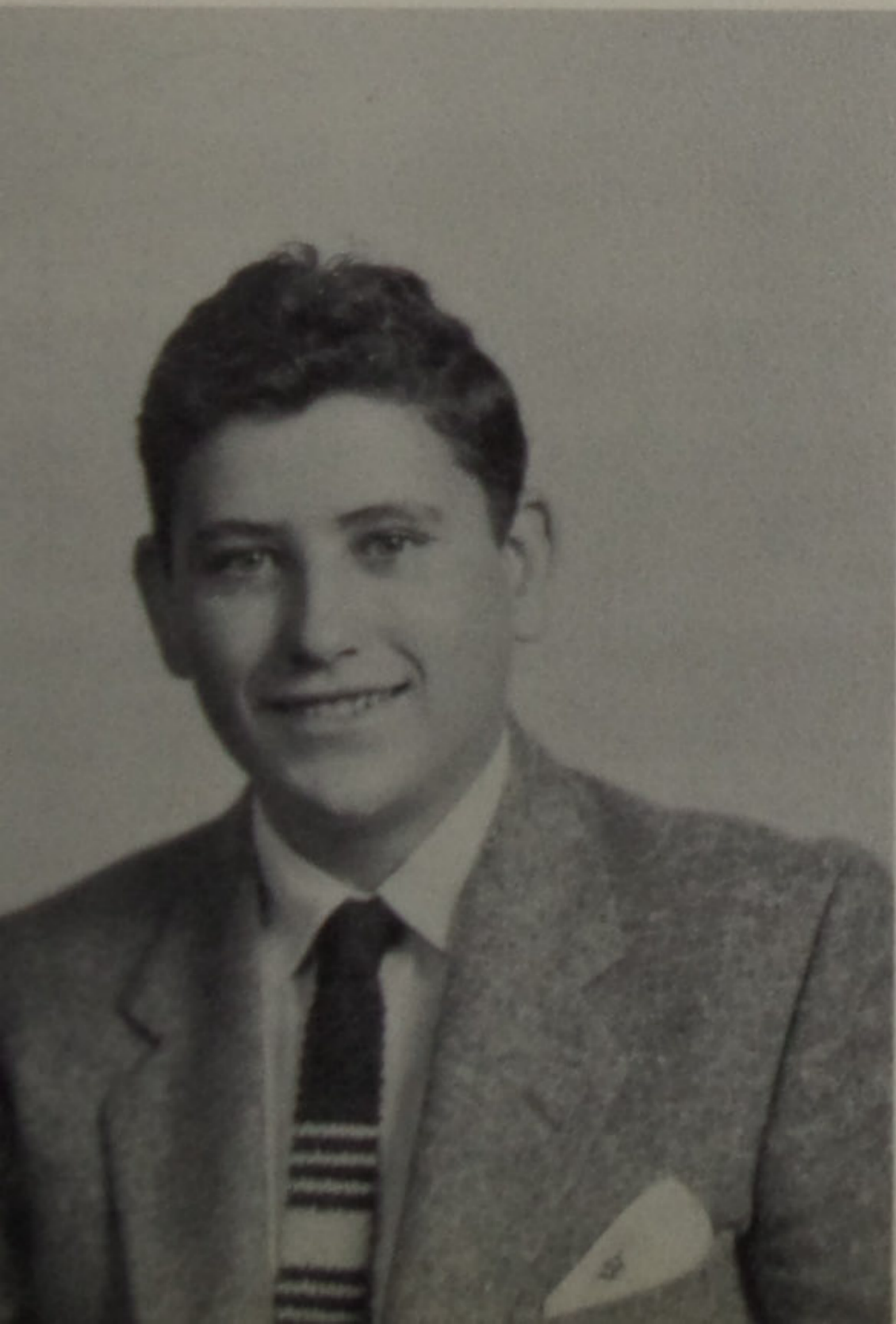
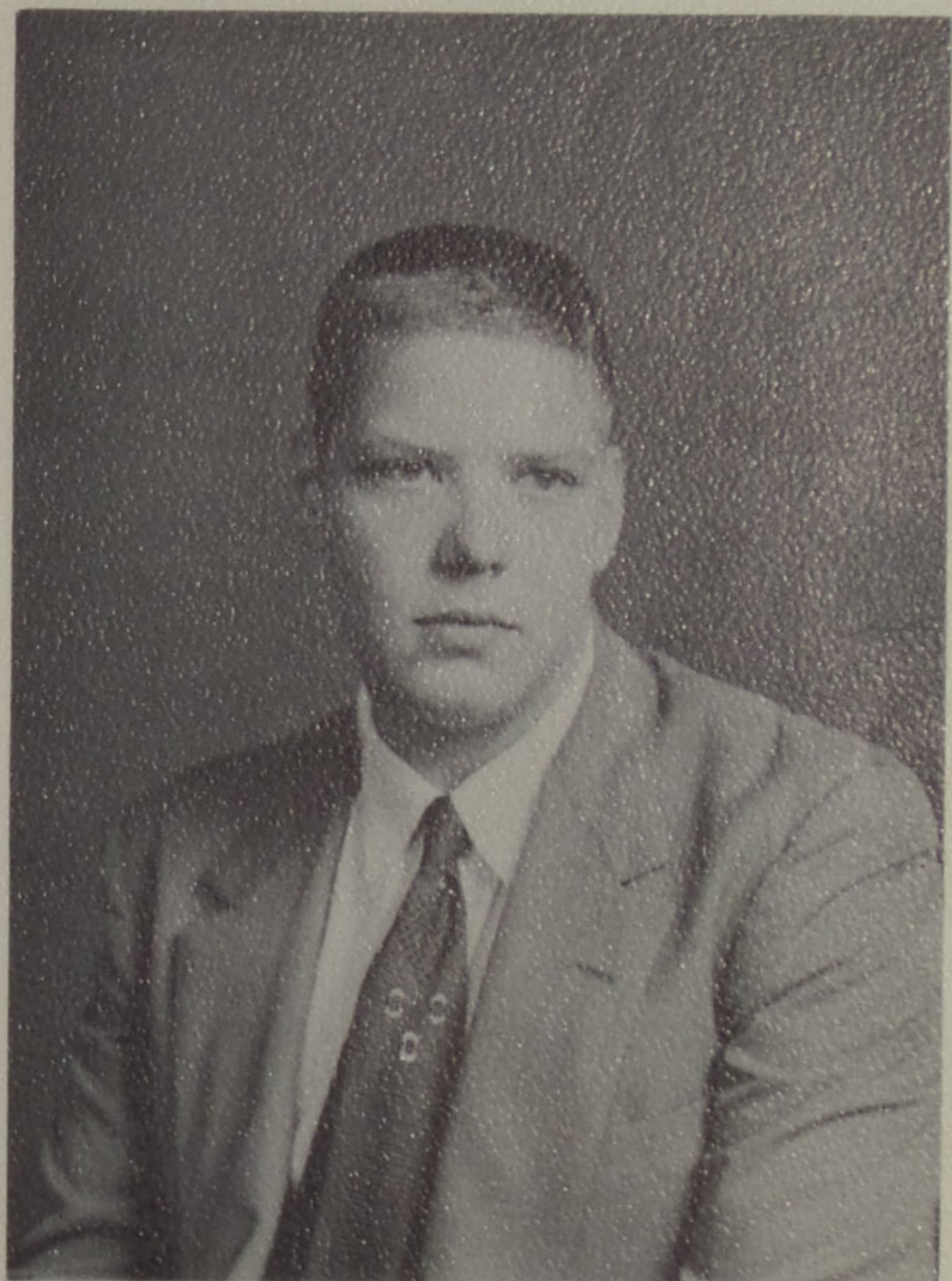


PAUL K. COLDIRON

A boy who one would never shun,
As he is tall, dark, and quite hand-some
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Scholarship 3, 4
Sr. Scholarship 4
Class Play 3
Music Festival 1, 2
Sr. Boys Chorus 4
Dramatic Club Treasurer 4
United Nations Essay 3
Conservation Essay 3, 4
Science Day, Huntington 3, 4
Athens Ohio Science Field Day 3, 4

JOHN COLLIER

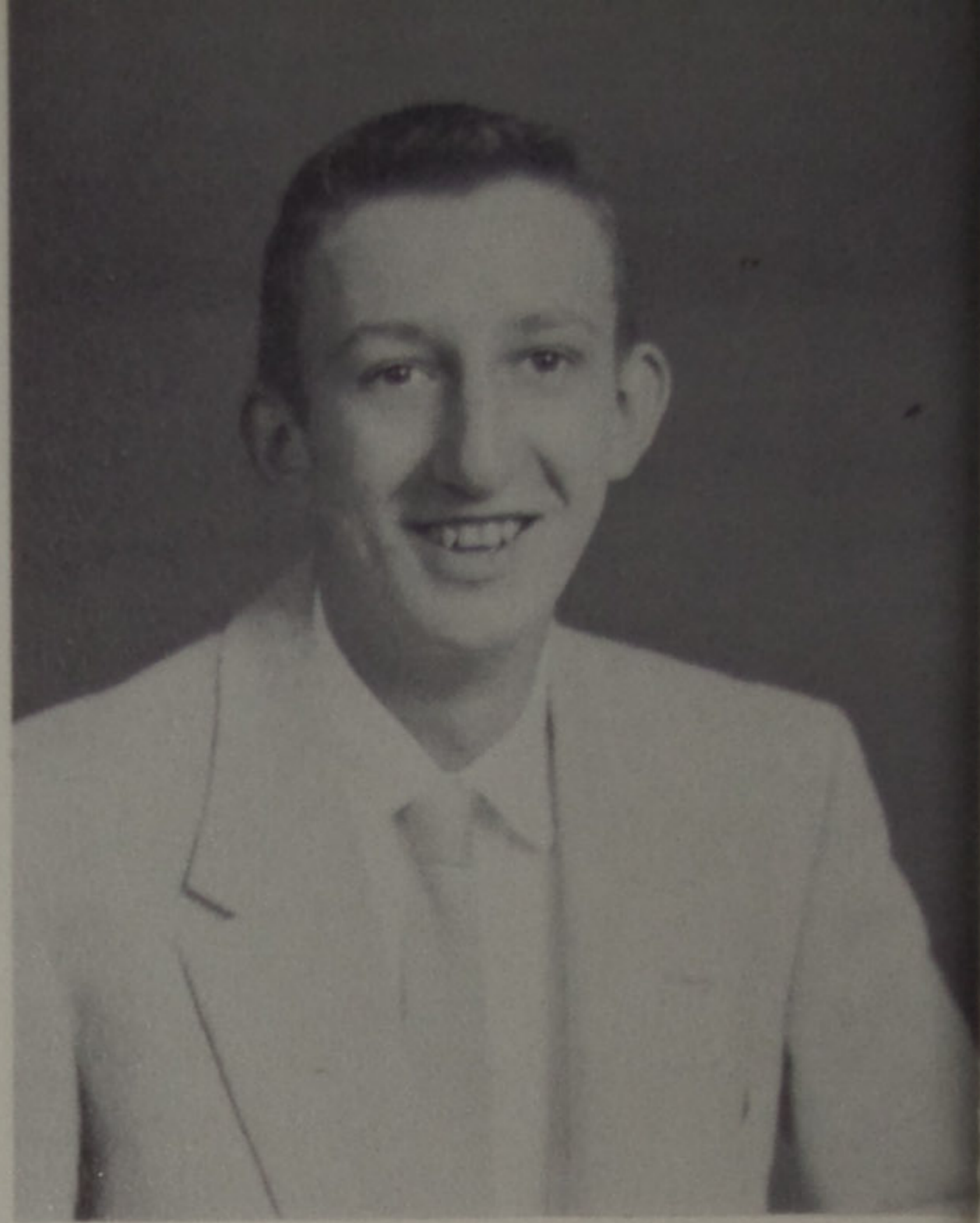
Very plump and full of fun,
His smile is like a ray of sun
Boys Chorus 4
Mixed Chorus 3



ROBERT COLLINS

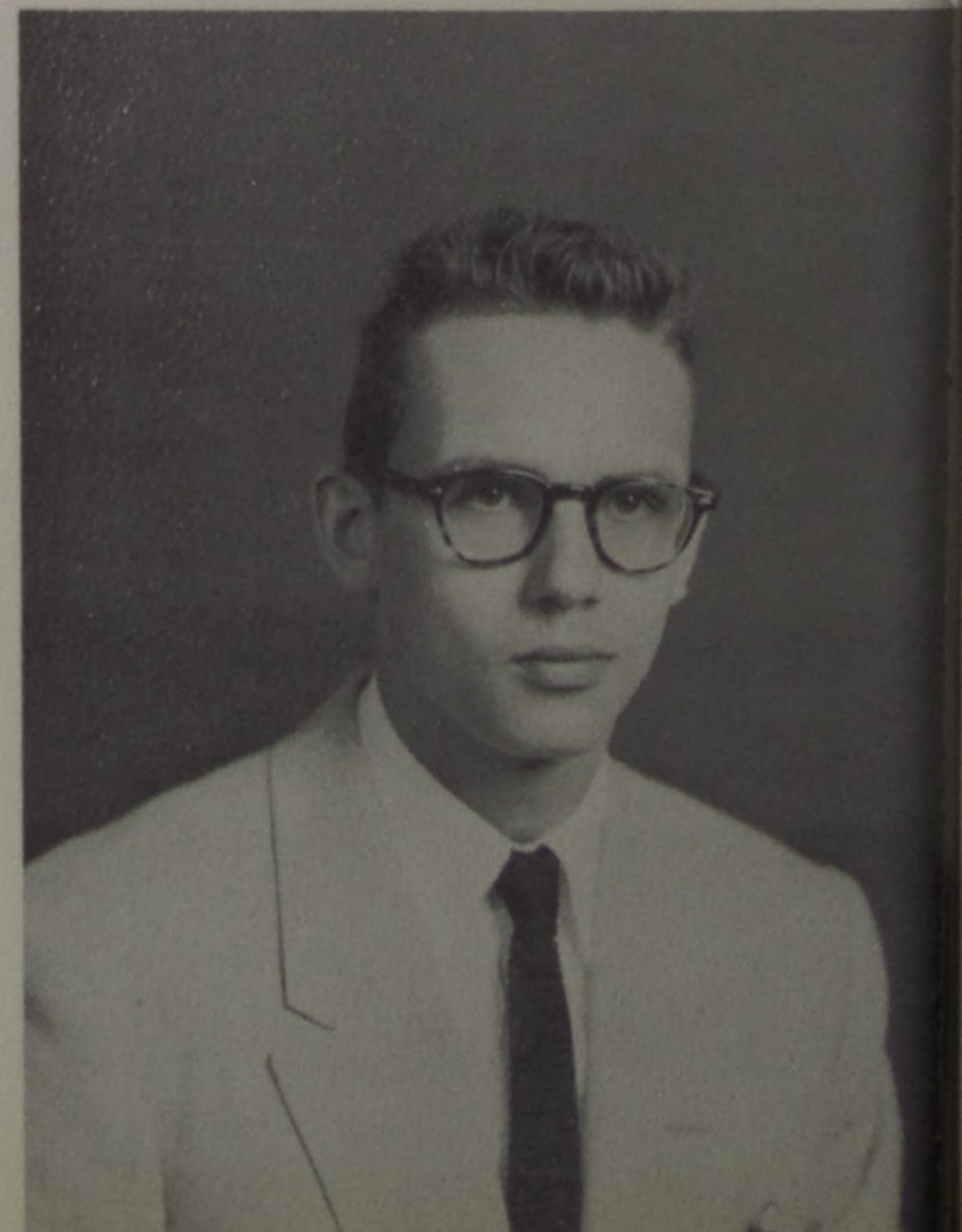
He has always tried to be fair and square
But when it comes to mischief he does his share.
Boys Chorus 4

ROBERT DEVER
He does his best to be a pest.
Boys Chorus 4



JANET DILLER
A little old Plymouth lined with sleekness,
And the guy inside is this girl's weakness.
National Honor Society 4
Tri-K 2, 3, 4
Class Secretary 4
District Scholarship 2, 4
Home Ec. Club 1
Popularity Poll 4

CHARLES RICHARD DOWNEY
Life would be dull without him.





ELIZABETH CRUM

When asked her favorite fruit to relate
She softly murmured, "Oh it's a date."

Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4

Music Festival 1, 2, 4

Homecoming Attendant 1

Sr. Scholarship 4

Band 1, 2, 4

Class Play 3, 4

Mixed Chorus 2

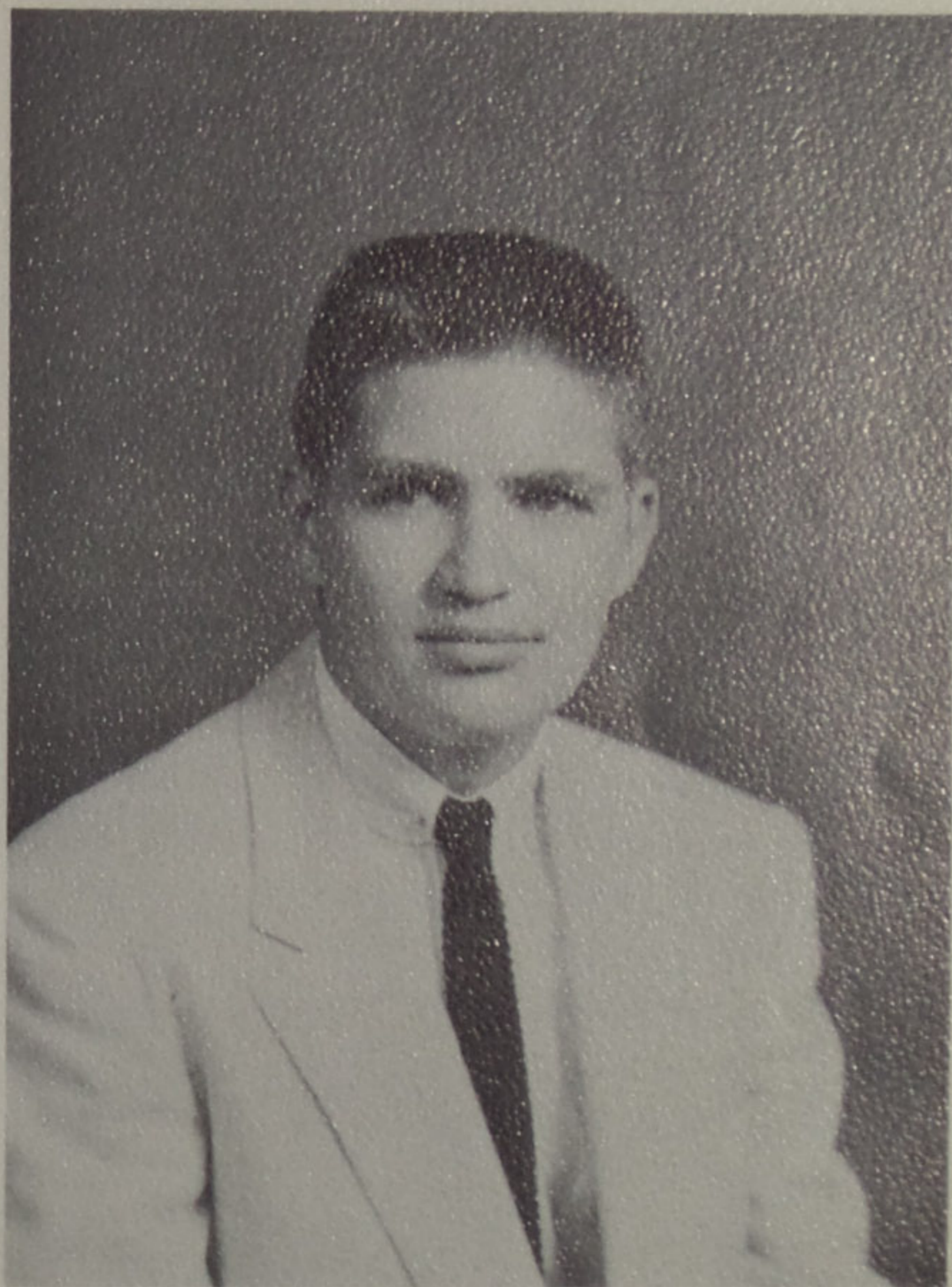
Glee Club 4

Dramatic Club President 1

Glee Club Secretary 4

National Honor Society 4

Honor Society Scholarship 4



DAVID DAWSON

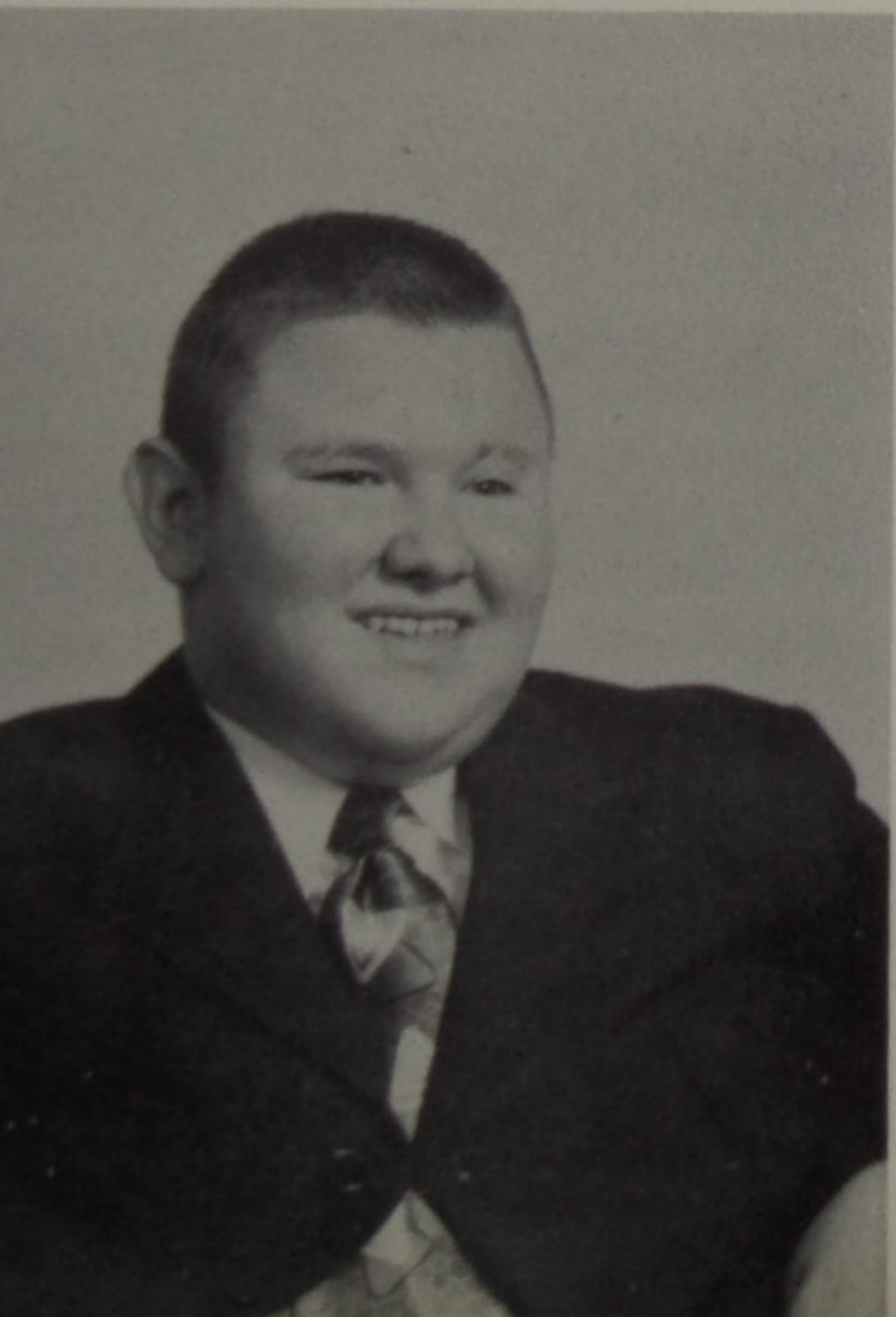
Shakespeare, who needs it?

Band 2, 3

County Music Festival 4

Mixed Chorus 4

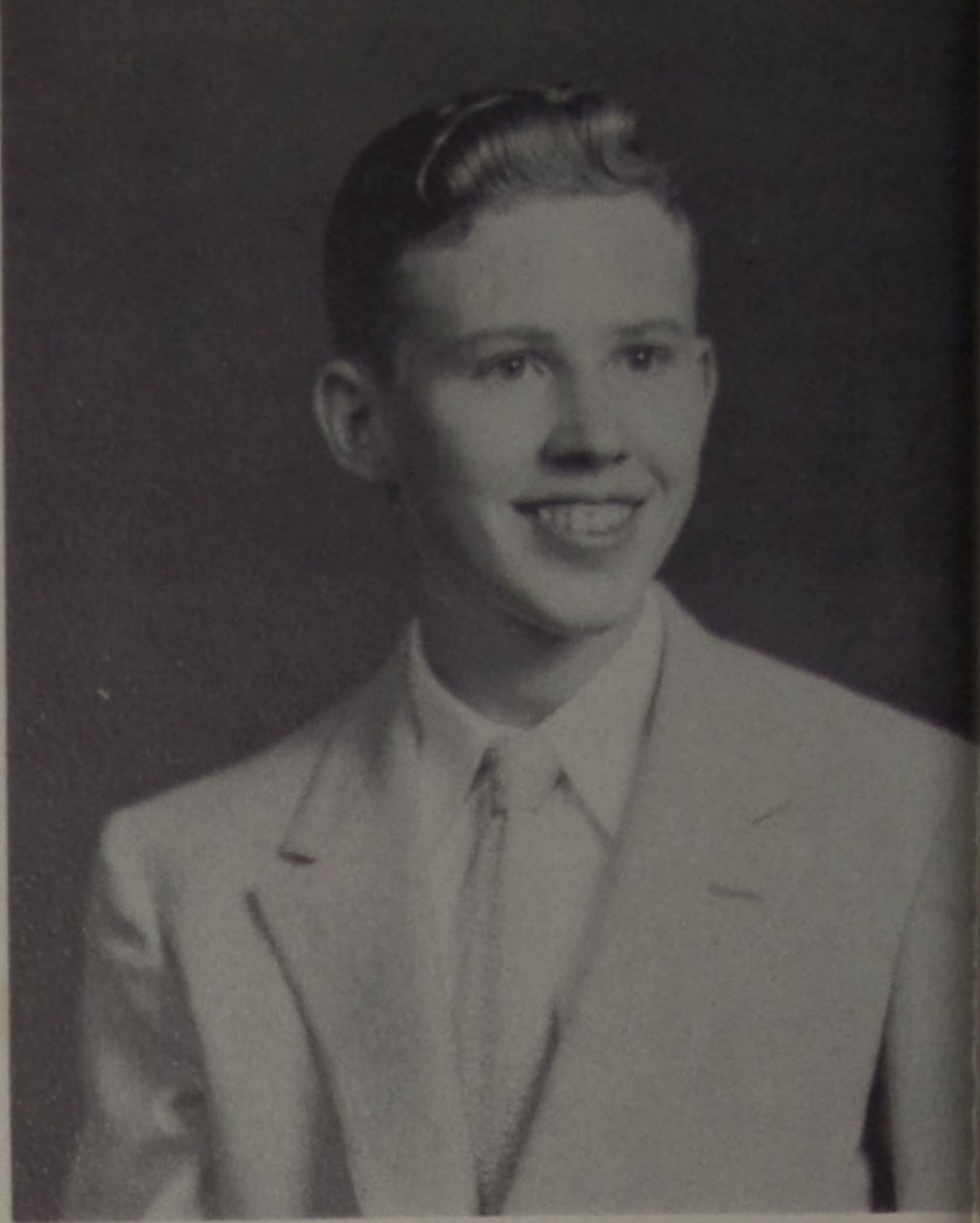
Dramatic Club 2



EARL DEVER

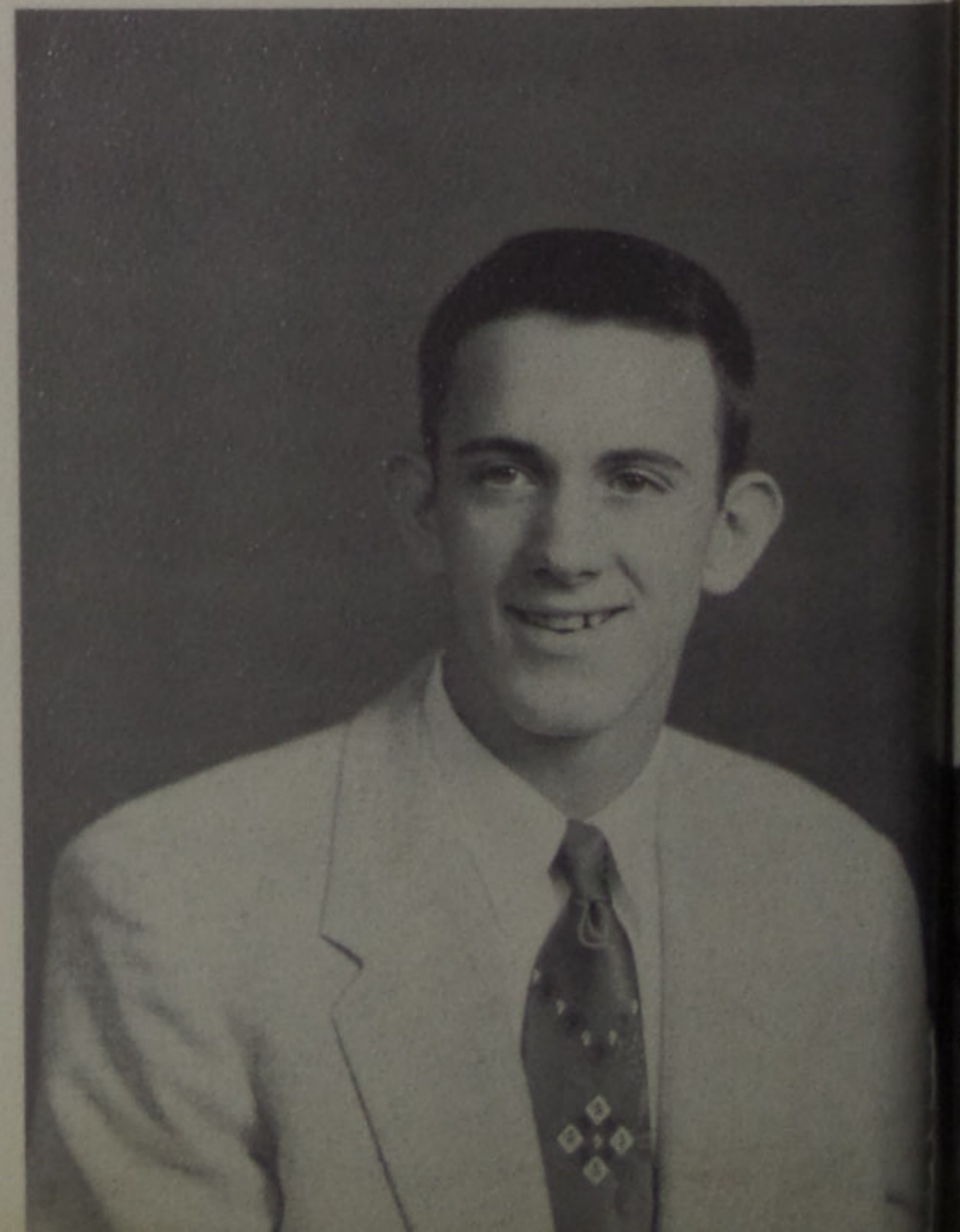
Although with us he could never meet,
Without him our class would not be complete.

RALPH W. GAMPP
 He plays the piano with the greatest of ease,
 This little fellow does much to please.
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4
 Mixed Chorus 1, 4
 Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
 Dramatic Club Treasurer 1
 Dramatic Club Secretary 4
 Class Play 3, 4
 National Honor Society 4
 County Music Festival 1, 3, 4
 District Scholarship 1, 2, 3
 Senior Scholarship 4
 Annual Staff 4
 Annual Co-Editor 4
 Pianist Boys Chorus 4



BETTY GREGORY
 She's out of circulation
 With a ring for consolation.
 Home Ec. Club 1, 2
 Dramatic Club 2
 Glee Club 1
 Cheerleader 2
 Majorette 3
 Tri-K 3, 4
 Prince of Peace 4
 Tri-K Treasurer 4
 National Honor Society 4

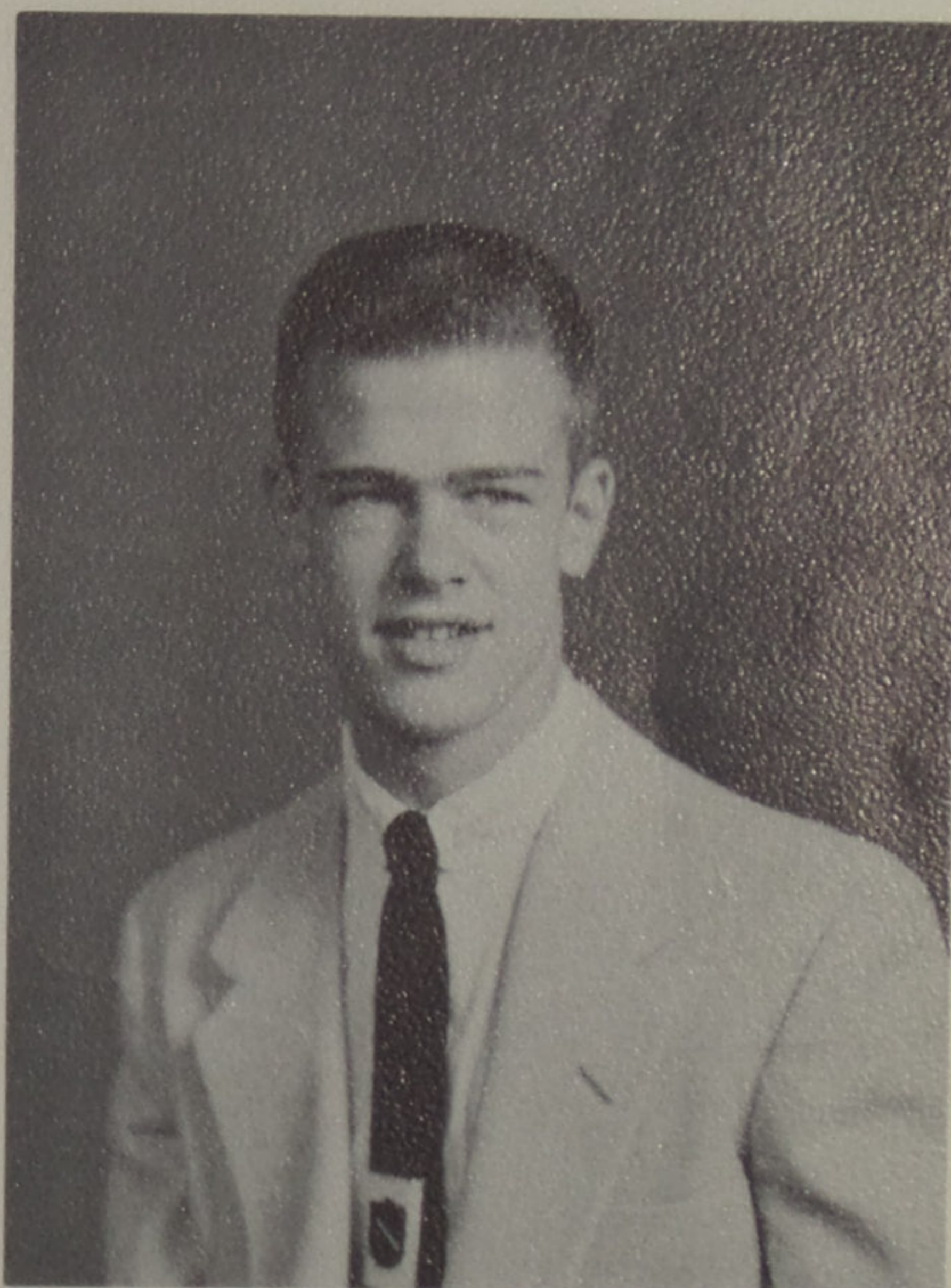
CLINTON LEE GRIFFITH
 A plodder who sets out slowly--
 But always arrives.
 Boys Chorus 4





ROSEMARY DOWNEY

Selling a sandwich or a dish of ice cream,
Always so busy, no time to day dream.
Home Ec. Club 1



RODNEY DRYDEN

If this is liberty, give me death!!!
Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Boys Chorus 4

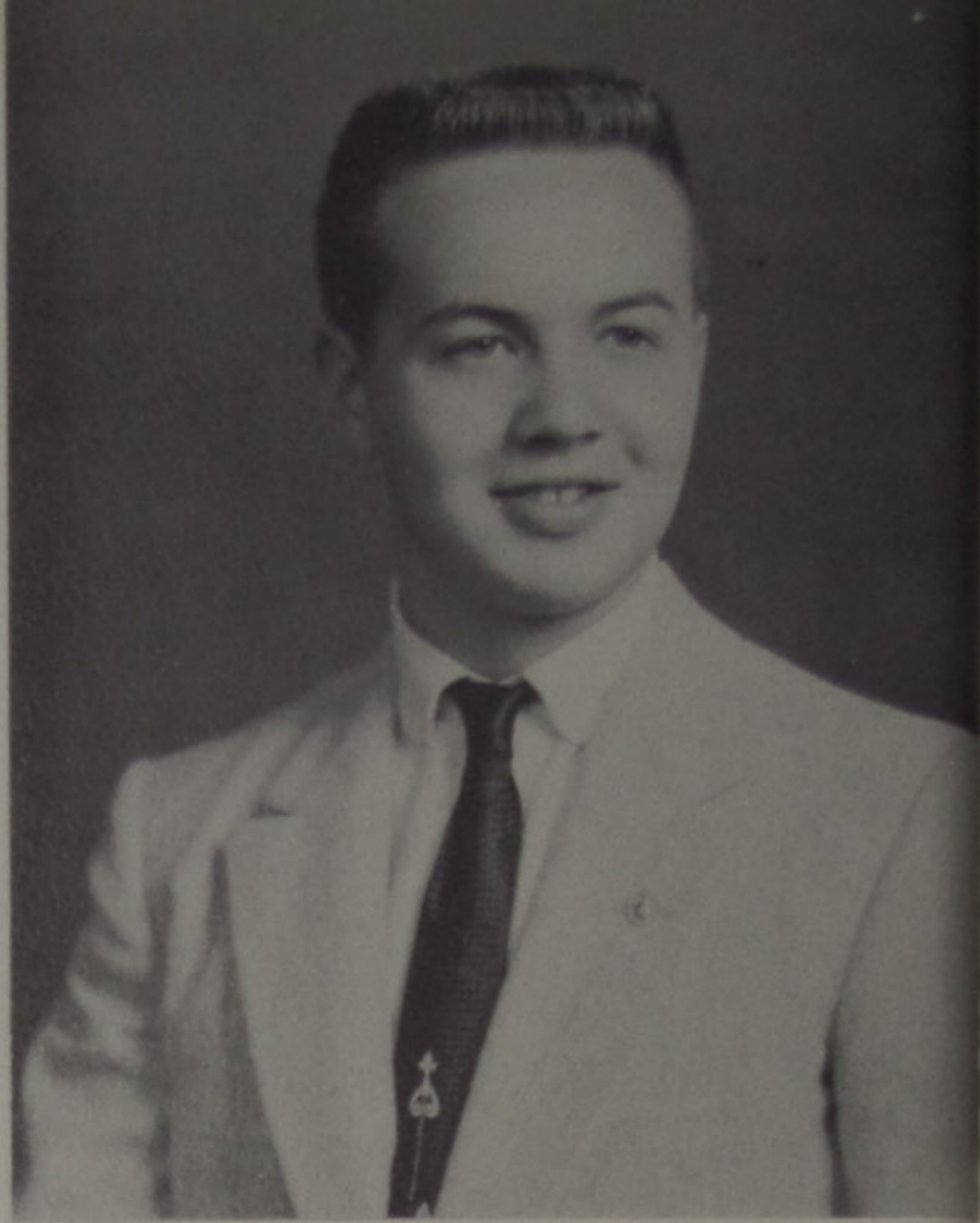


JAMES FROWINE

It takes a lot of wind to blow a bass.
Band 2, 3, 4
Student Council 4
Annual Staff 4
Mixed Chorus 3
Boys Chorus 4

LARRY HAYZLIP

A fellow whose voice is very low
A nicer guy you'll never know.
Buccaneers 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3
Dramatic Club 2



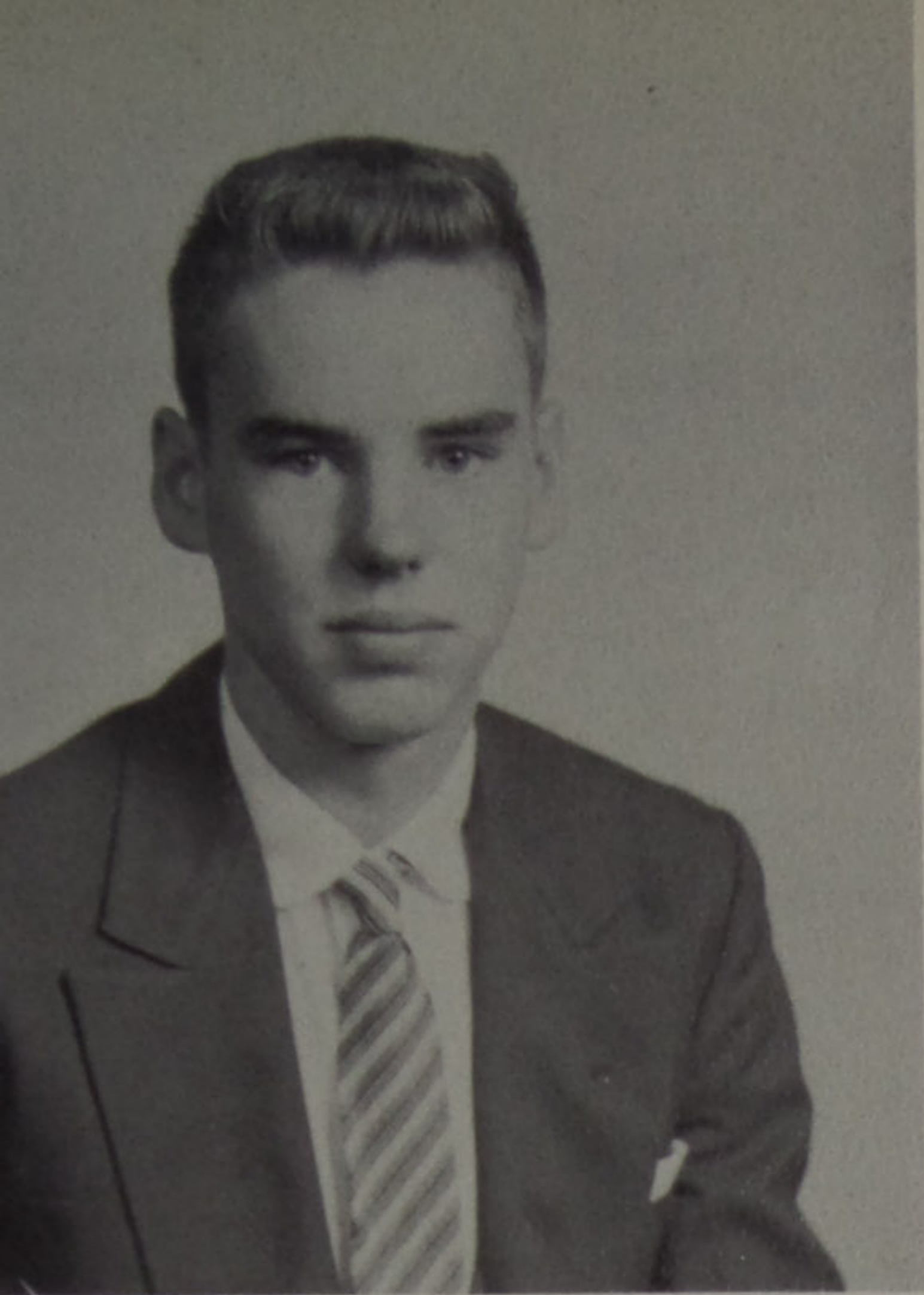
BETTY HICKMAN

She's never sad, never blue,
But always she's a friend so true.
National Honor Society 4
Student Council
Home Ec. Club 1

JEWELL IRWIN

This girl likes to have fun,
And to be always on the run.
Home Ec. Club 2
Mixed Chorus 3
Dramatic Club 4



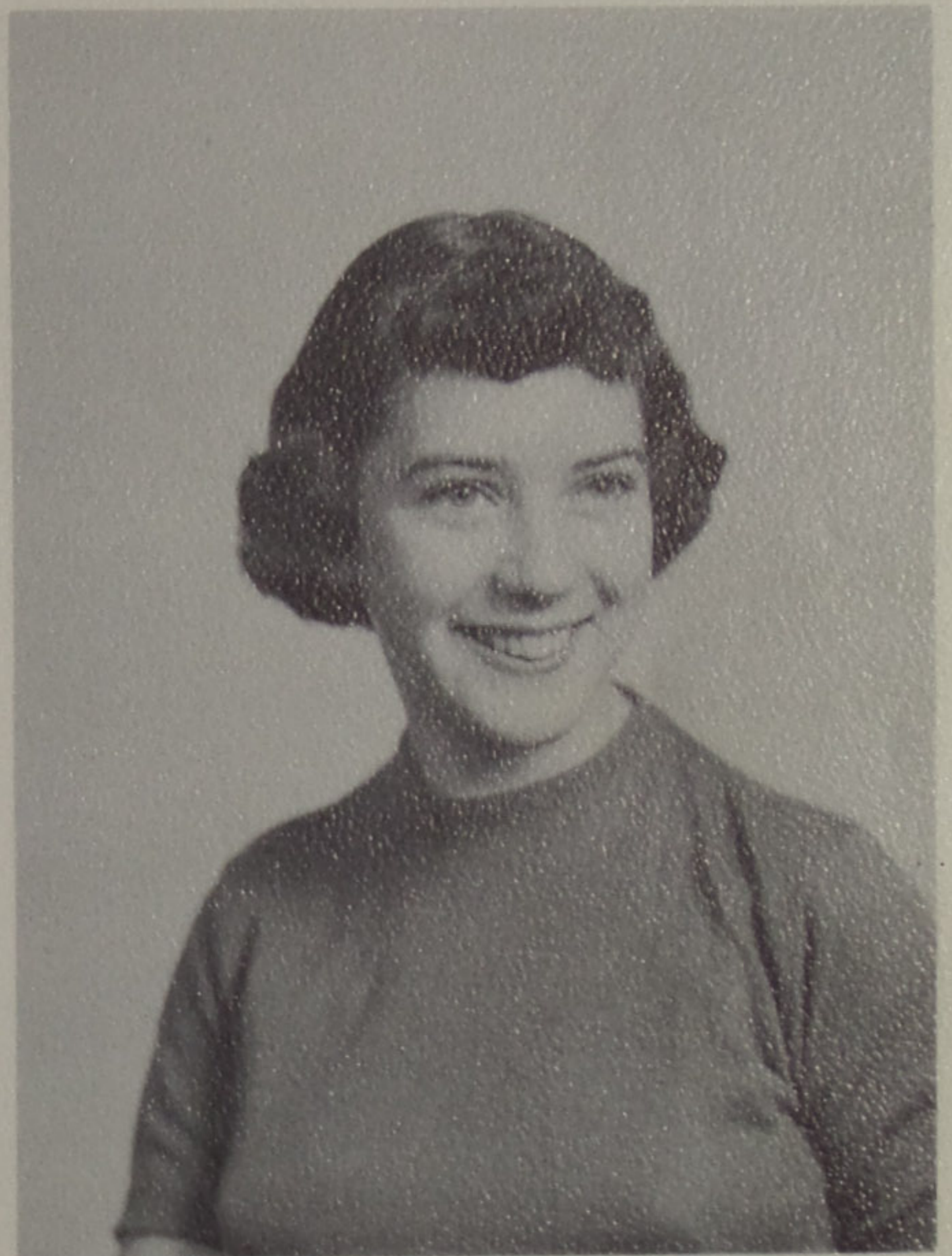


CLIFFORD JENKINS

This good fellow without his Ford
And his gal Esther would really be bored.
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Buccaneer Club 2, 3, 4
Dramatic Club (president 4) 4
Class Vice President 3
Senior Scholarship 4
Annual Staff 4
Popularity Poll 4

MARY ANN JENKINS

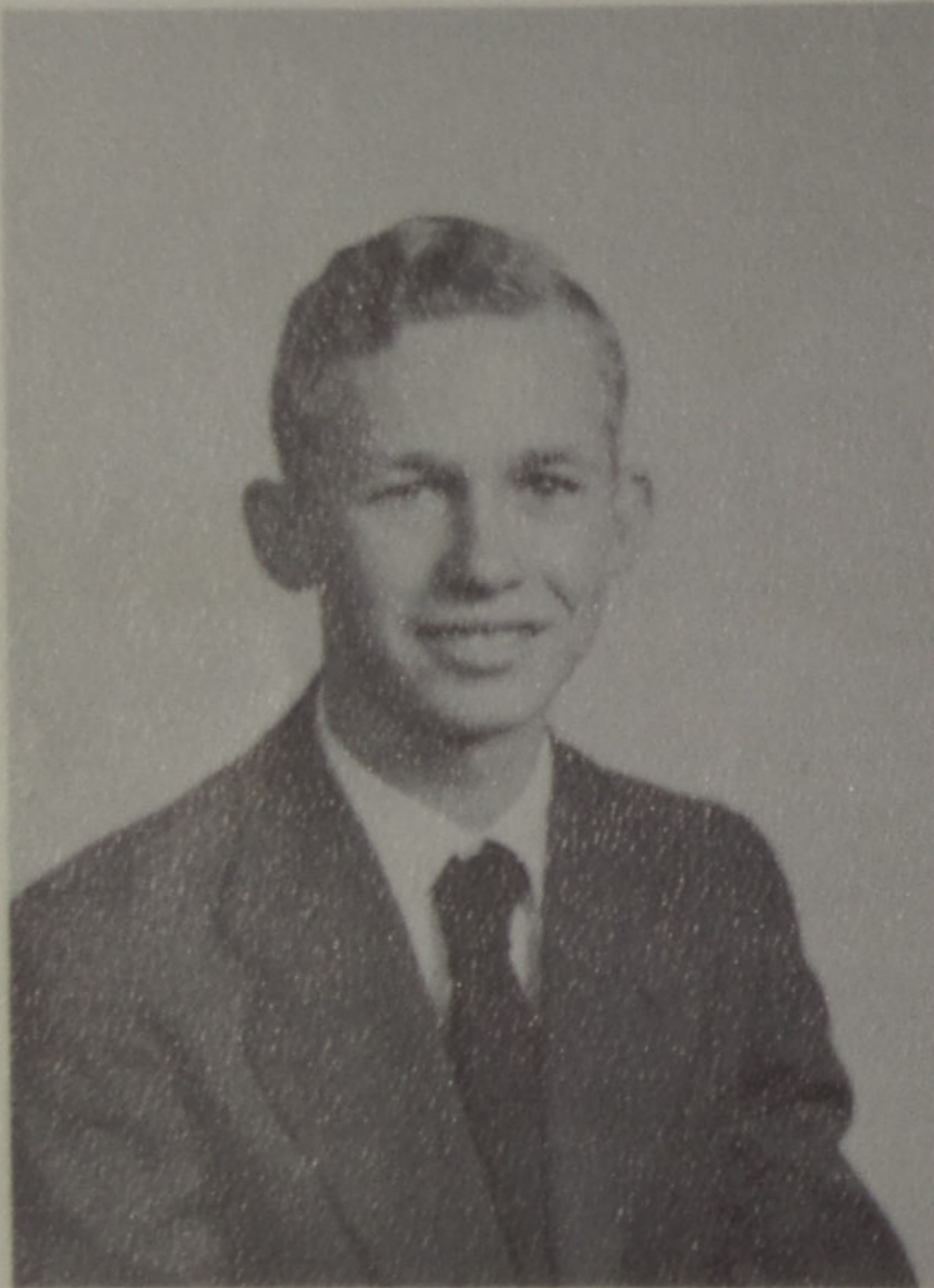
This little lady was elected our queen,
Because her smile is always a gleam.
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 4
National Honor Society 4
Class Officer 4
Annual Staff 4
Music Festival 1, 4
Tri-K Club 3, 4 (Vice Pres. 4)
Sr. Scholarship 4
District Scholarship 3
Dramatic Club 4
D. A. R. Scholarship 4
Homecoming Queen 4



CAROLE SUE JOHNSON

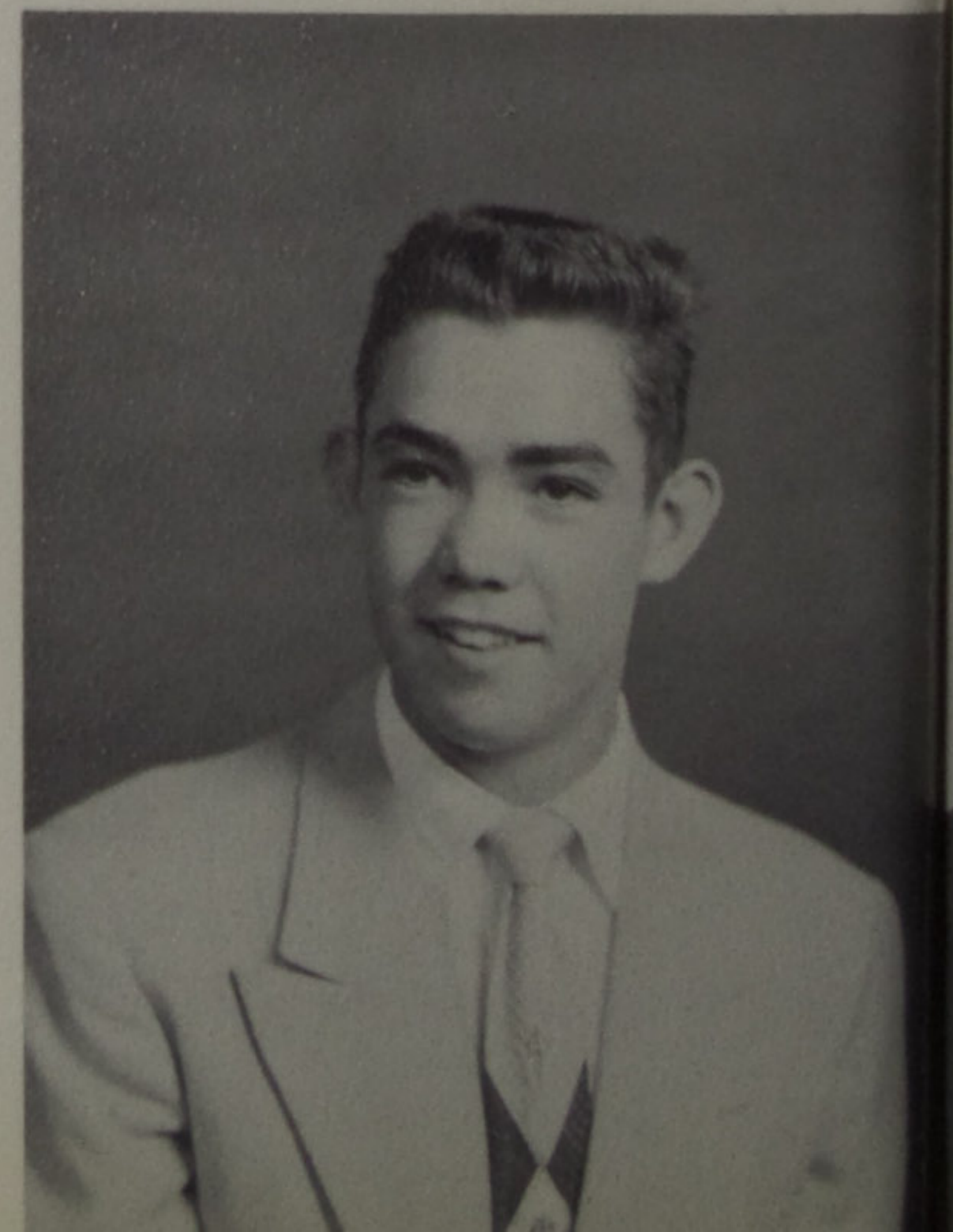
A pleasant smile and a brain worthwhile
Lucasville High School 1, 2
National Honor Society 3, 4
Honor Society Secretary 3, 4
Homecoming Attendant 4
Class Play 3
Prince of Peace 3, 4
Voice of Democracy 3, 4
Dramatic Club 4
Cheerleader 3, 4
Sr. Scholarship 4
Annual Staff 3, 4
Glee Club 4
Science Fair 3
Popularity Poll 4

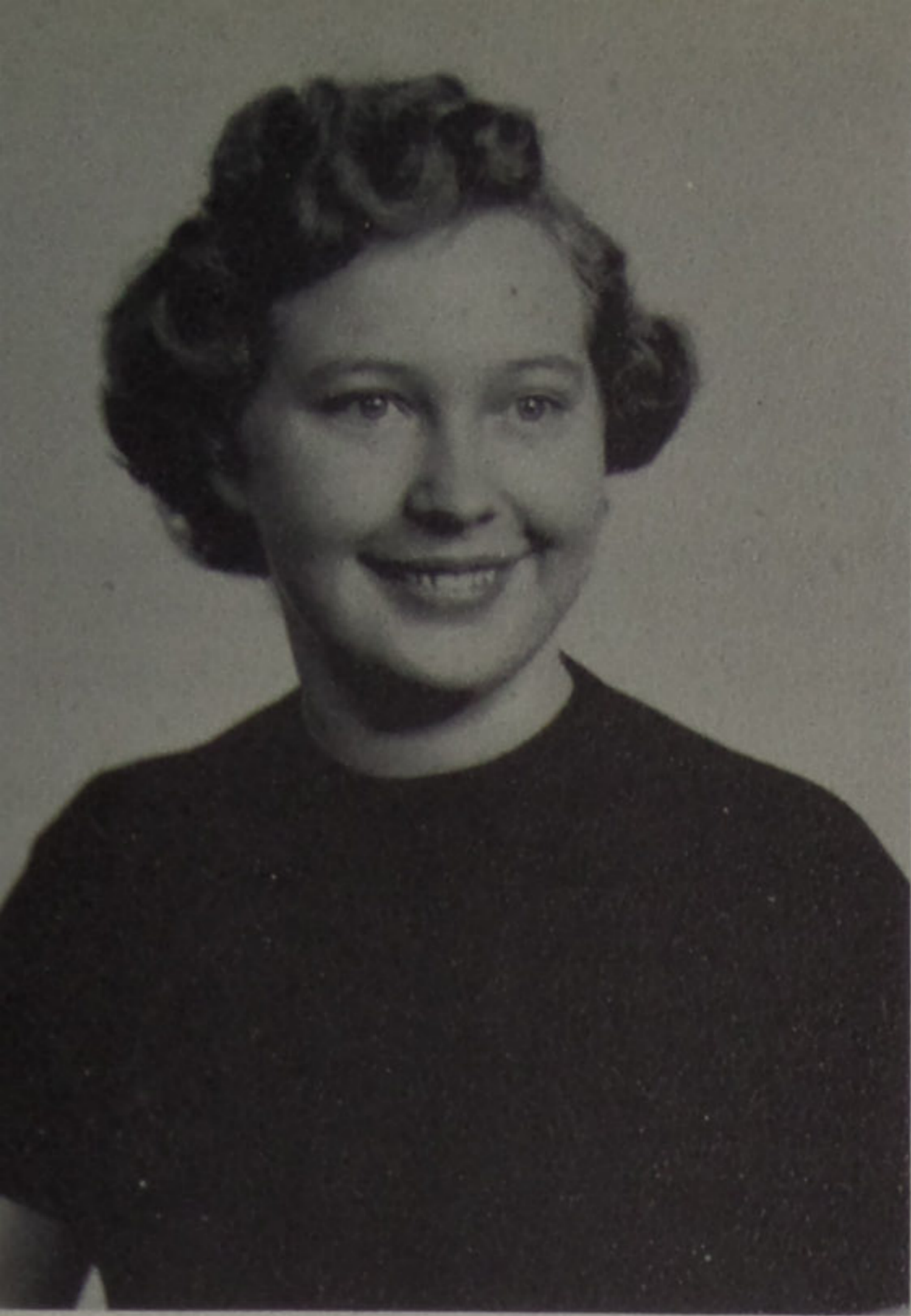
Enjoy life ere it is fled
 For when you die, you're a long time dead.
 Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3, 4
 Basketball 1, 2
 Basketball Manager 3, 4
 Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
 Voice of Democracy 2, 3, 4
 Athens Science Fair 1, 2, 3
 Huntington Science Fair 3, 4
 Honor Society 3, 4
 United Nations Essay 3
 Annual Staff 4
 Scholarship 4
 Dramatic Club 2
 Class Play 3
 Student Council 2
 American Legion Essay 3, 4



LOWELL KINKER
 Big things come in small packages.
 Boys Chorus 4

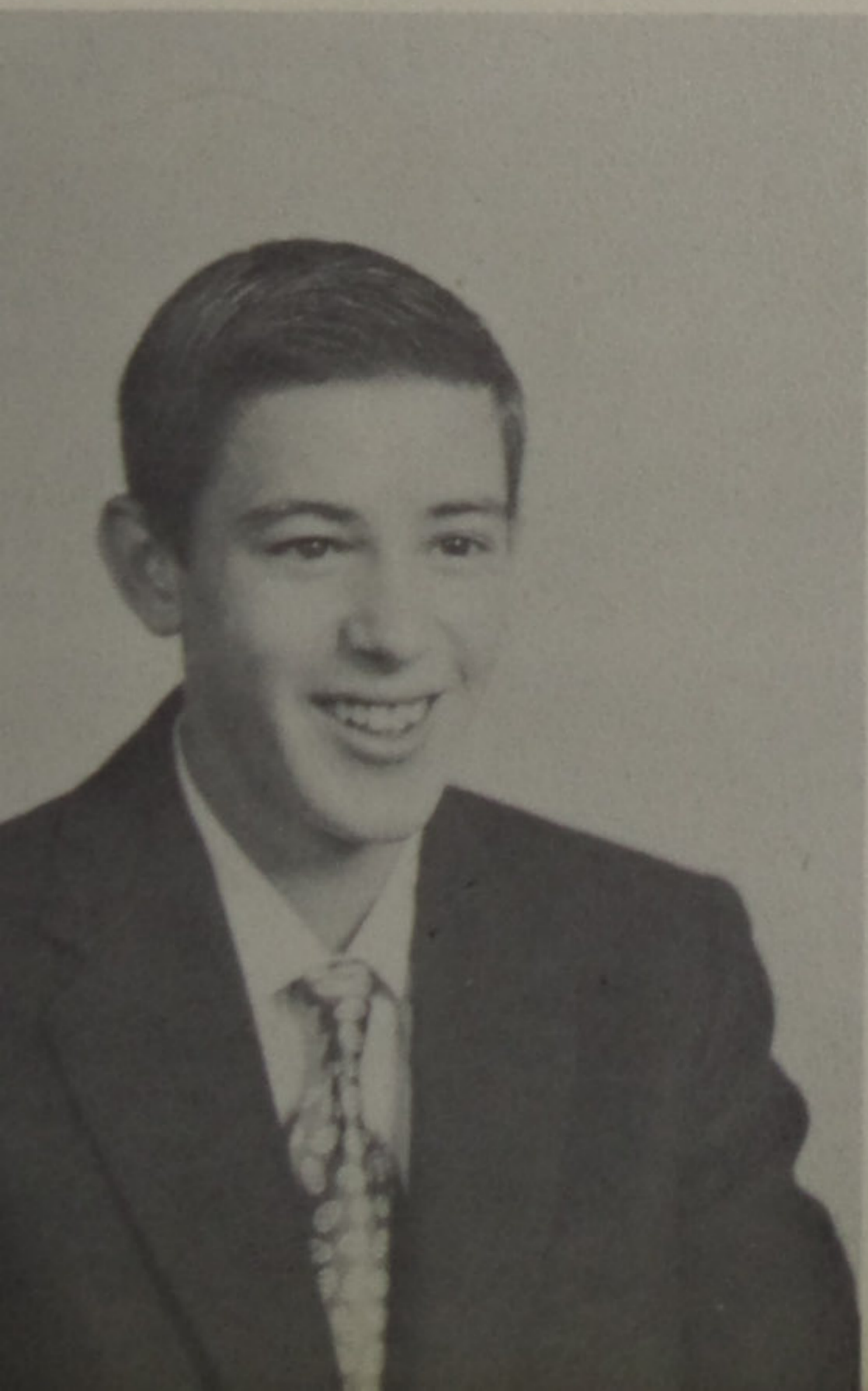
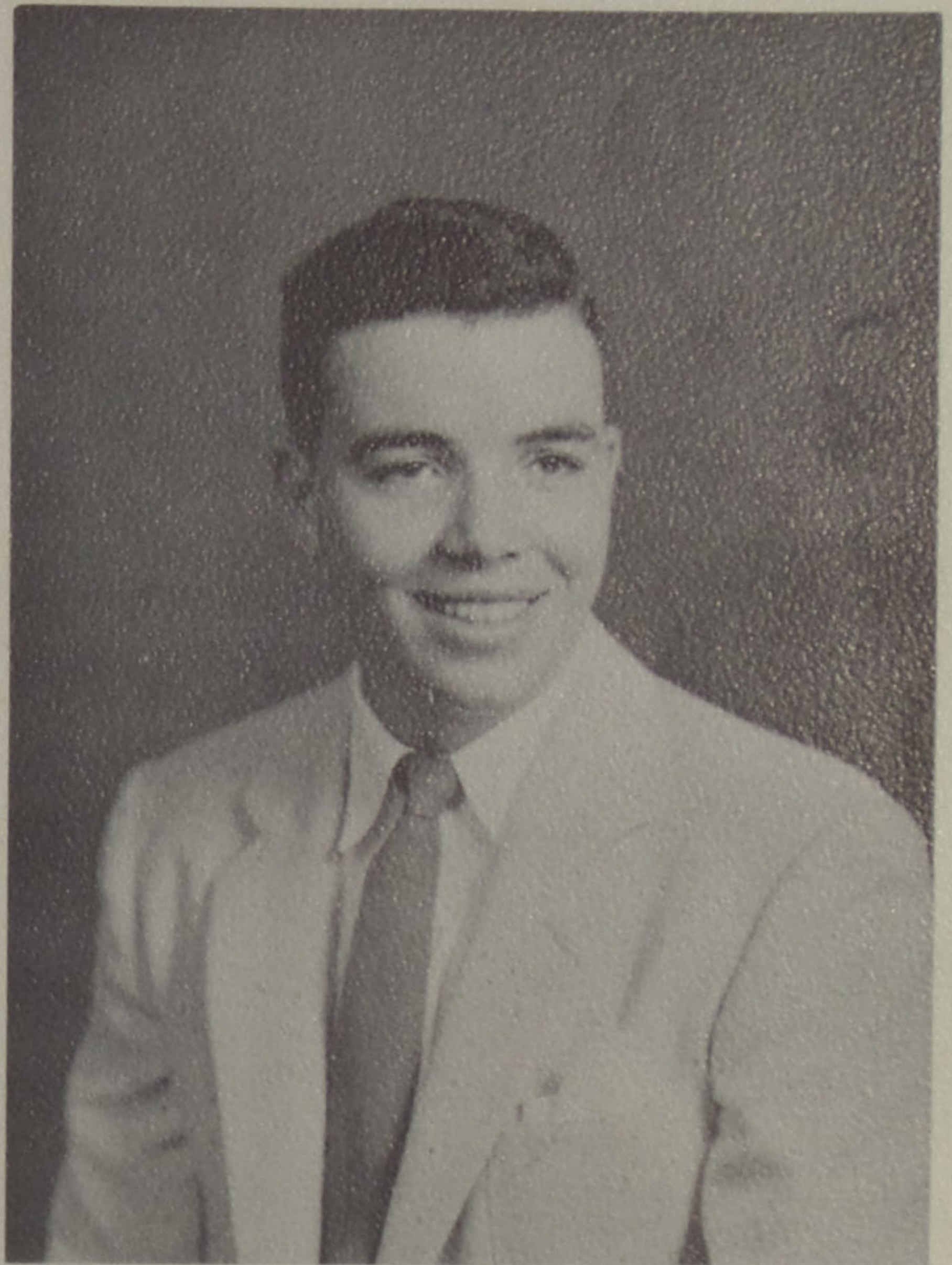
LEROY LYKINS
 He likes to wear a shirt of black
 And a cheery smile he does not lack
 Boys Chorus 4





EDNA MAGNET
Be the best of whatever you are
Glee Club 1, 2

LEON MARCUM
He's super in every way,
Knows a lot but has little to say.
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Buccaneer Club 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Mixed Chorus 2
Student Council 2, 3
Boys Chorus 4



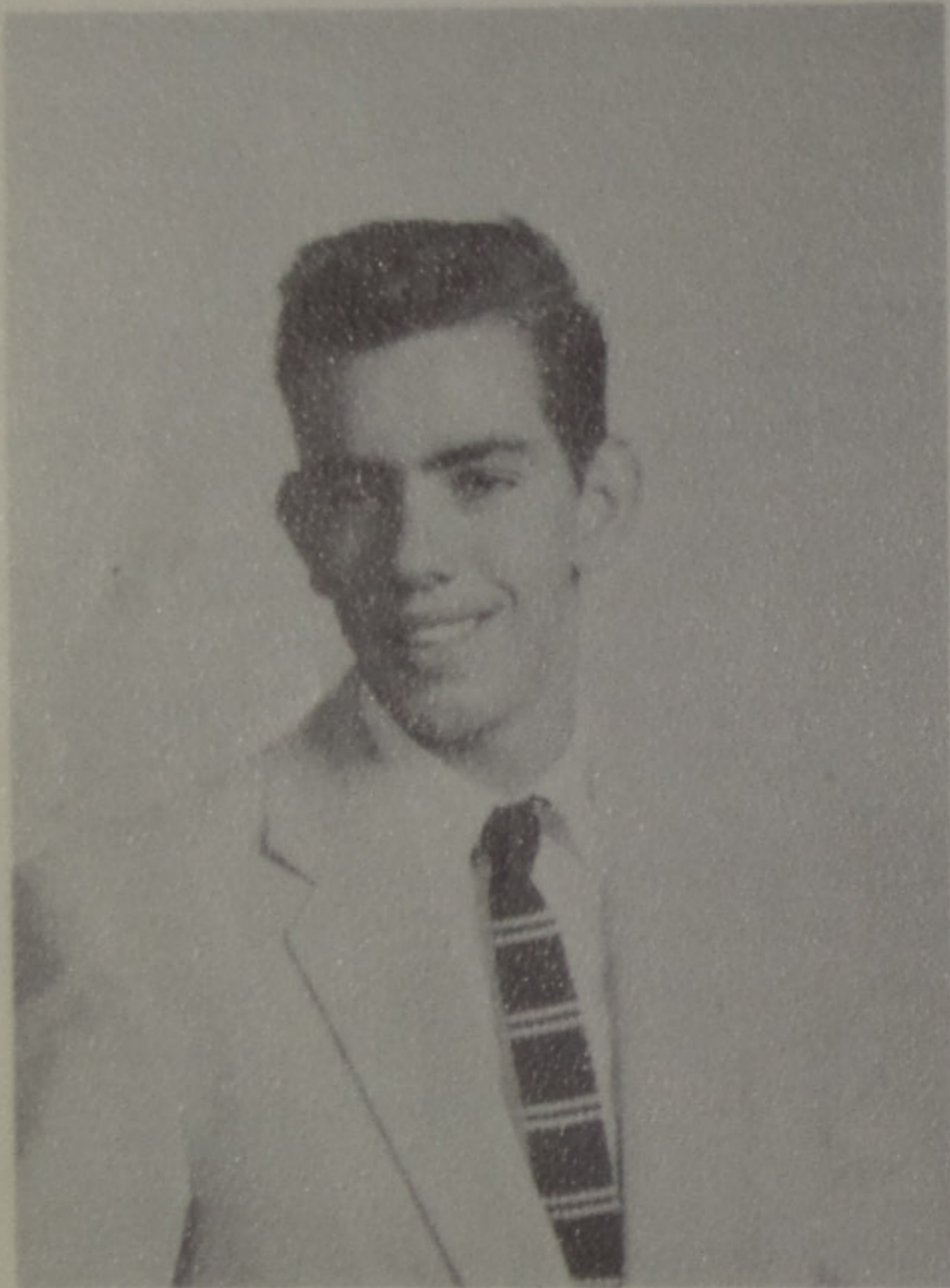
MARION MARTIN
He is handy with a tool,
And he is not anybody's fool.
Boys Chorus 4

PHYLLIS MARTIN

She must never have any fun
With all the errands she has to run.

Mixed Chorus 2, 3

Office Staff 3, 4



CLARENCE MASON

All my life is lost in laboriously doing nothing.

Boys Chorus 4

RUTH McKINNEY

Wit and beauty--Ah! what a combination!

Glee Club 1, 2, 3

Mixed Chorus 4

Home Ec. Club 1, 2

Dramatic Club 1





RANDLE MIDDAUGH

A very nice guy who is quiet and shy.
Boys Chorus 4

ALICE ANN MOUGEY

Laughing and talking she always is,
But in the classroom she is a whiz.

Dramatic Club (Sec. 2) 1

Tri-K Club (Sec. 4) 3

Glee Club 1

Mixed Chorus 3, 4

Music Festival 1, 2

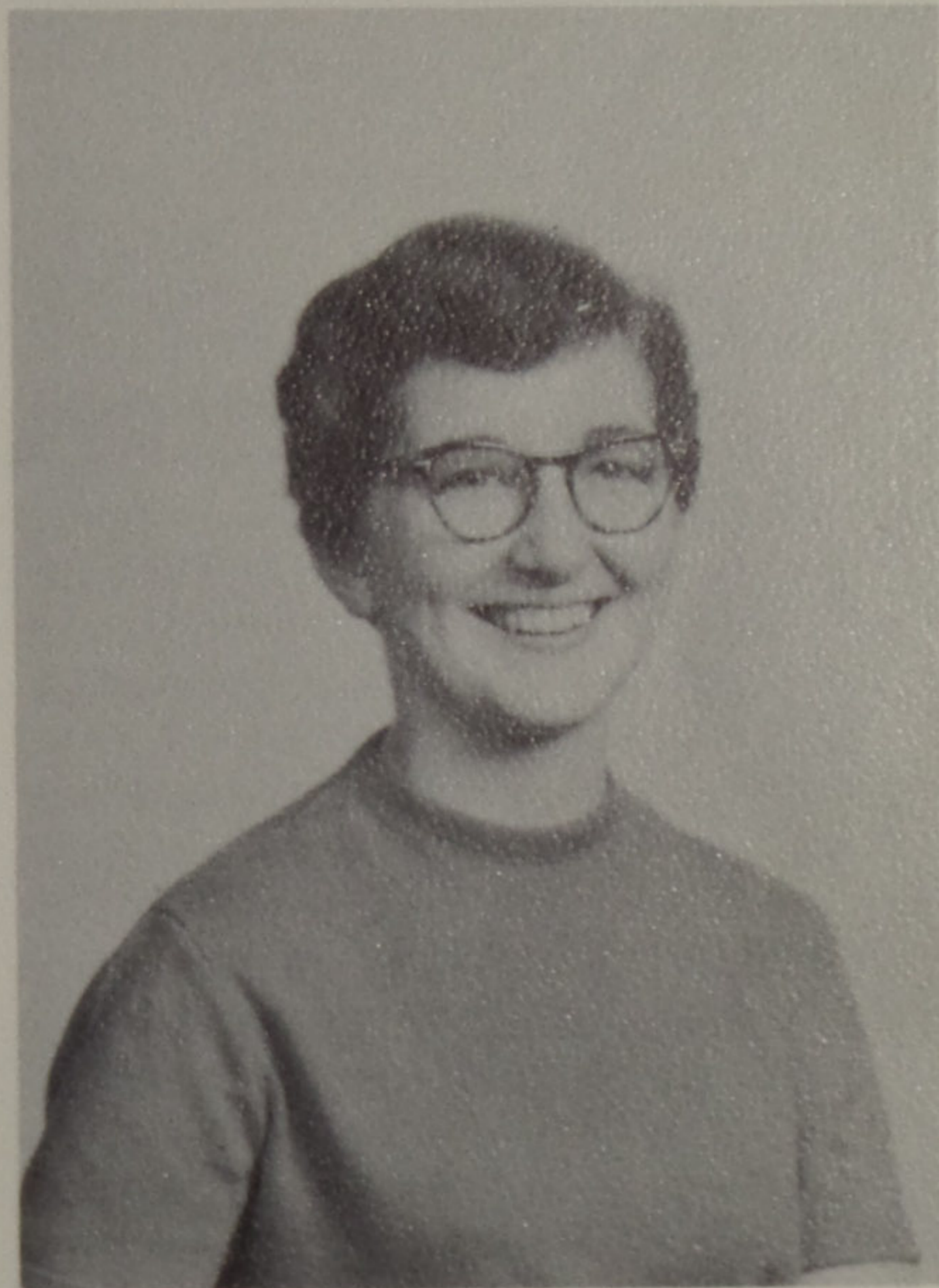
Honor Society 4

Librarian 1

Class Play 4

Sr. Scholarship 4

D. A. R. 4



FERN MUCK

She's always ready with a cheer
In a voice both loud and clear.

Dramatic Club 2

Class Treasurer 3

Cheerleader 3, 4

Mixed Chorus 3

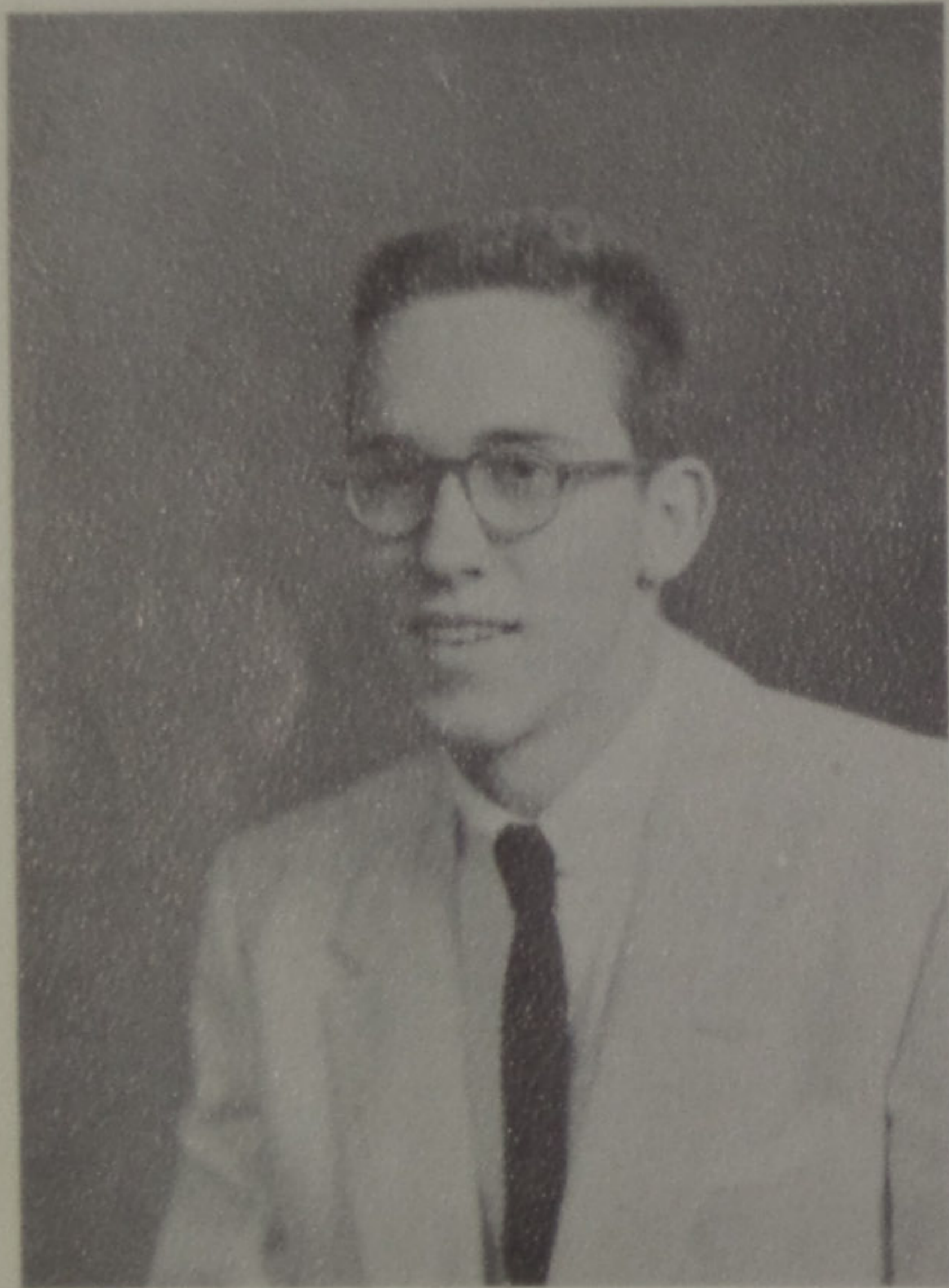
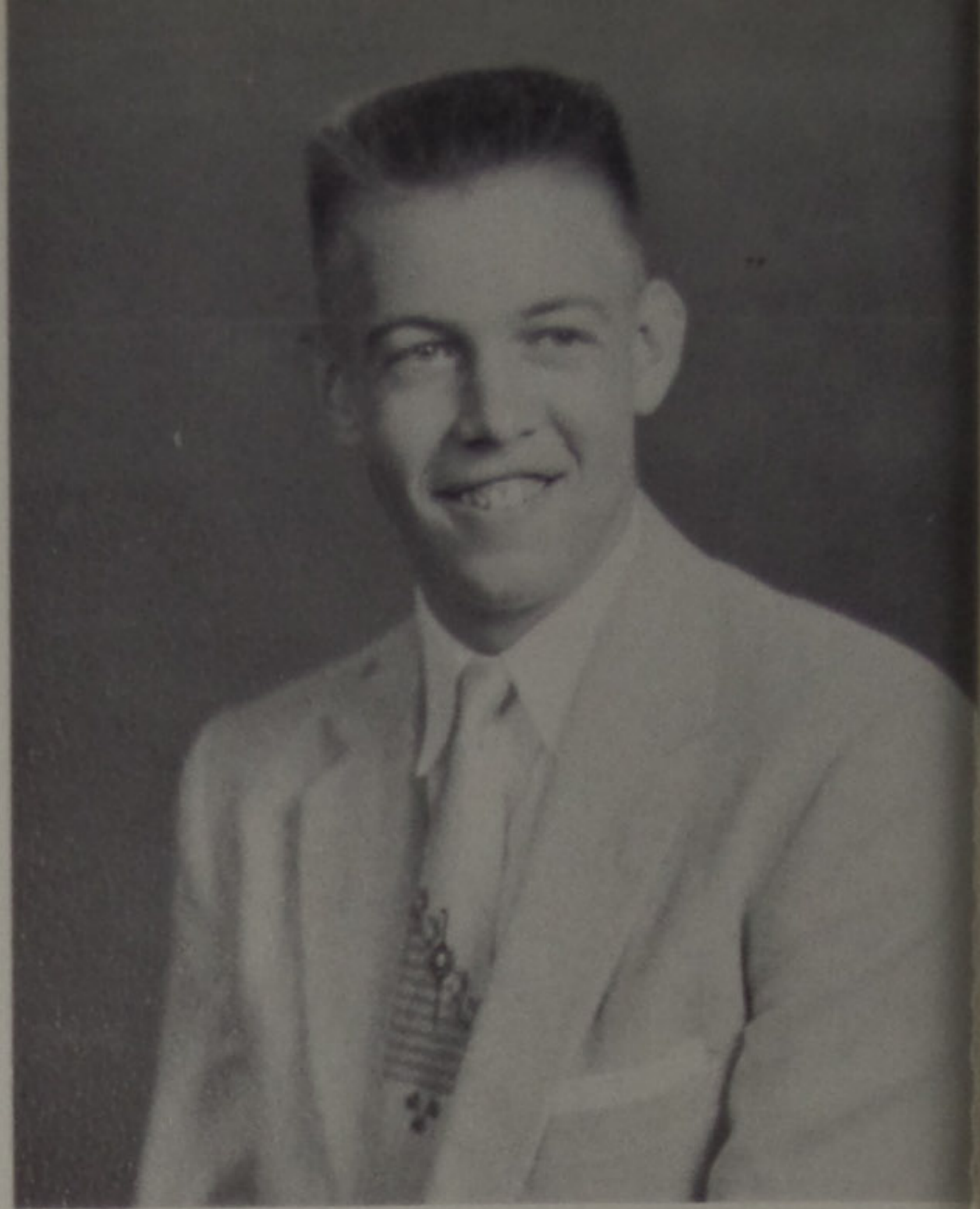
Office Staff 4

RANDALL MULLINS

We nicknamed this boy "Moon",
Maybe because it rhymes with June.

Dramatic Club 4

Boys Chorus 4



HERBERT MURPHY, JR.

Has it a motor, how fast will it go?

You can never say that this guy is slow.

Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4

JEANNINE NEWMAN

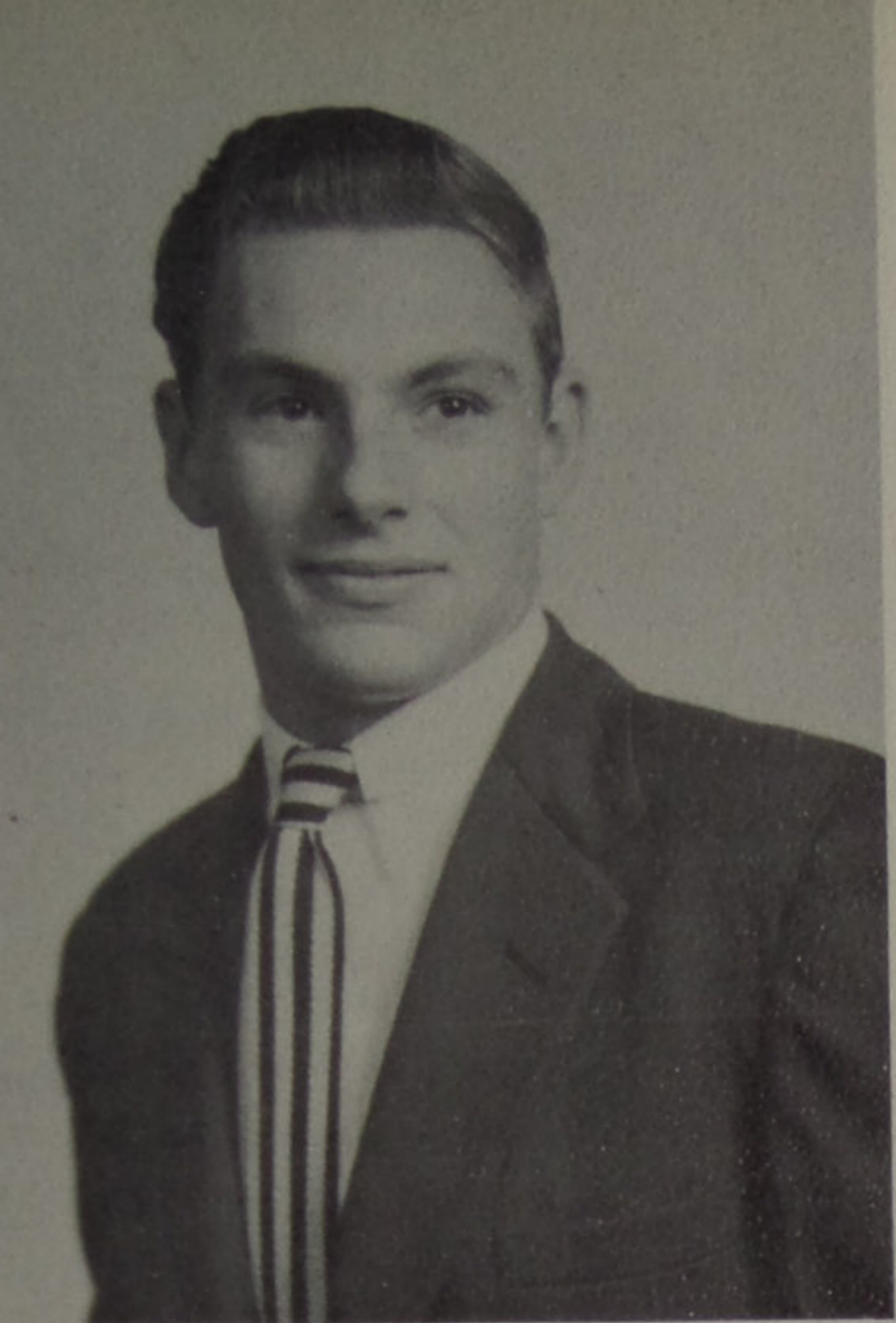
Friendly, thoughtful, and very kind,

This fine girl is quite a find.

Glee Club 1, 2

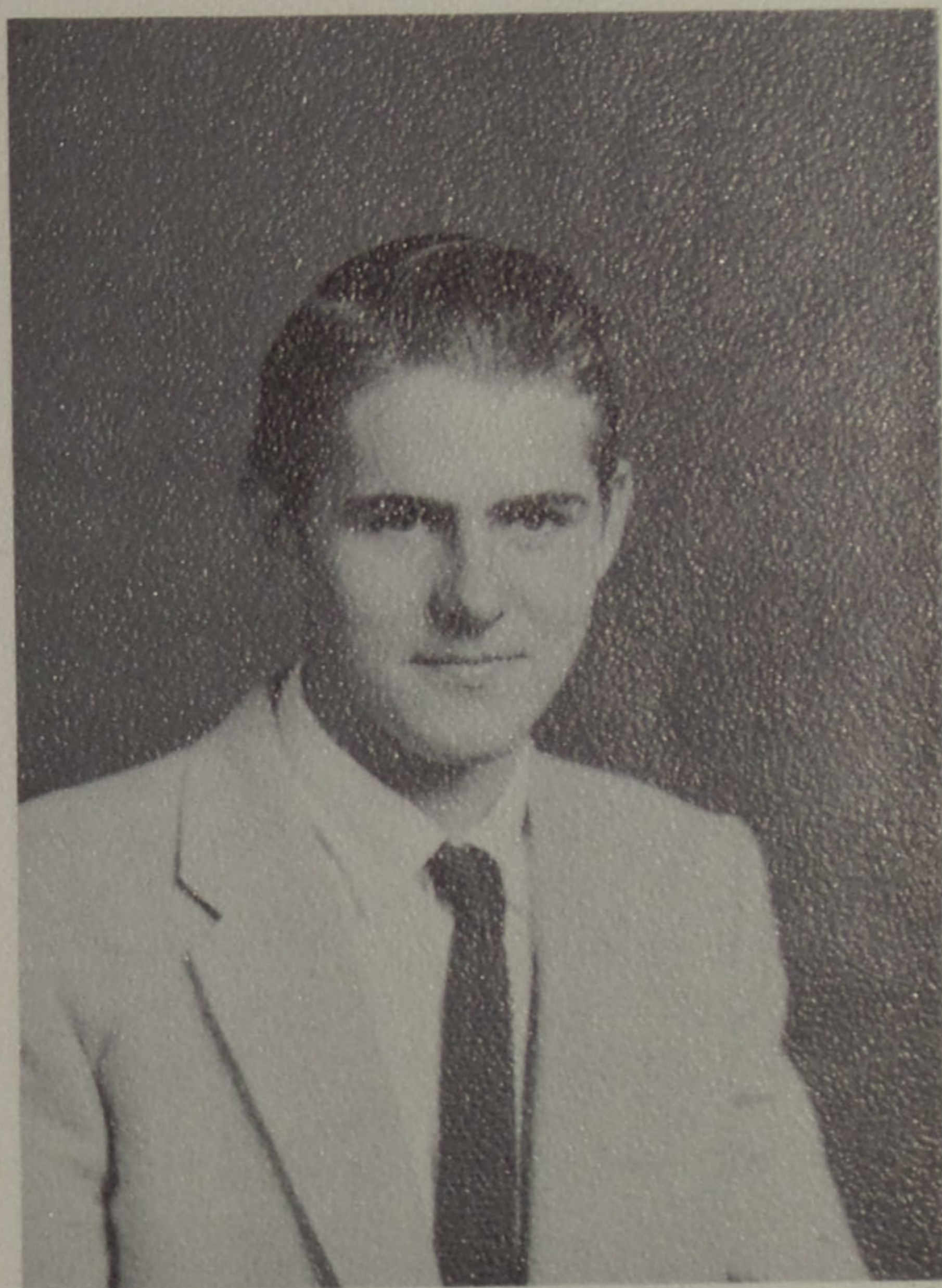
Mixed Chorus 3, 4





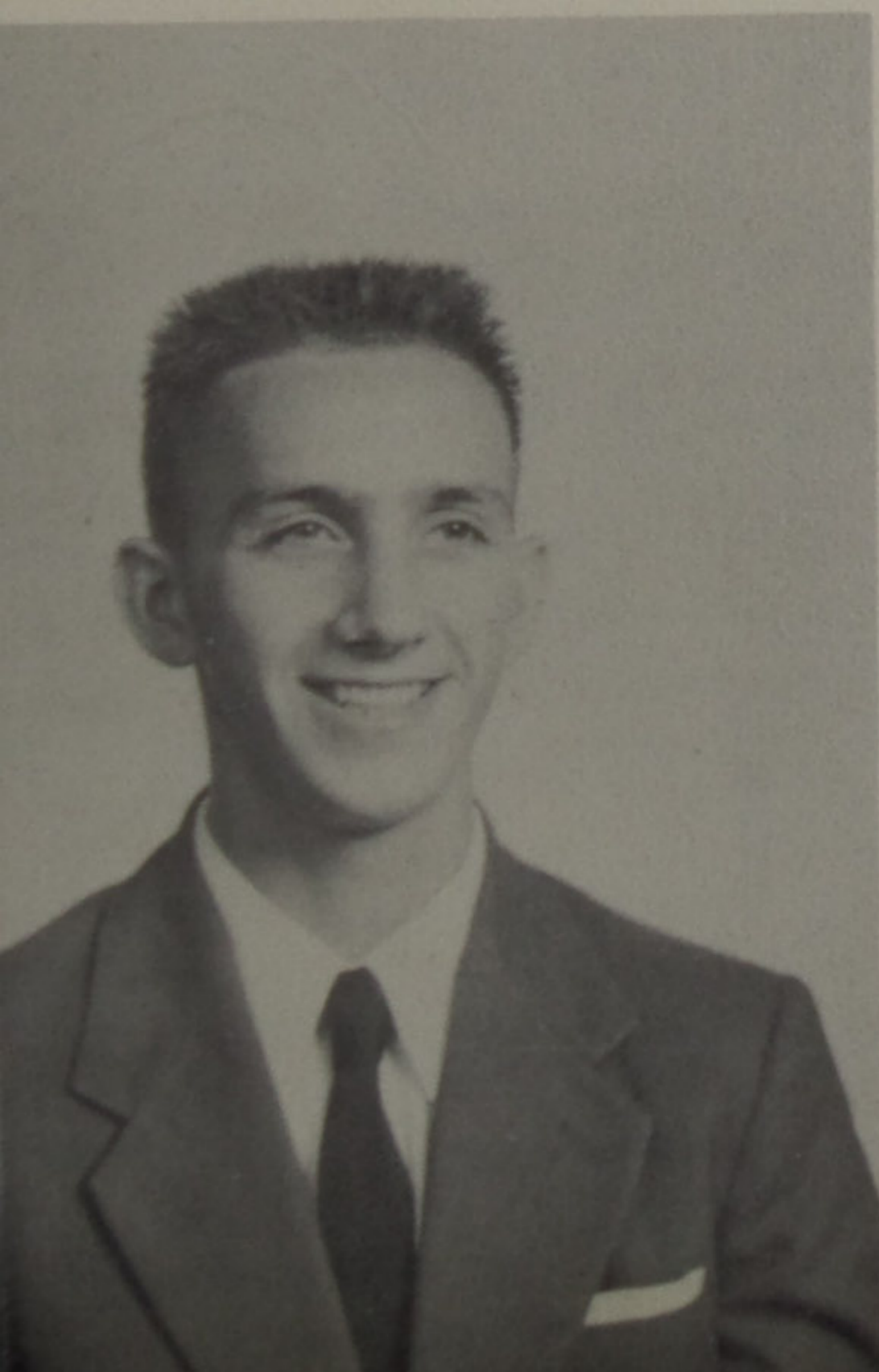
RAYMOND NEWMAN

A smart boy but he seems so shy,
Still and all he's quite a guy.
Senior Scholarship 4



ROBERT NEWMAN

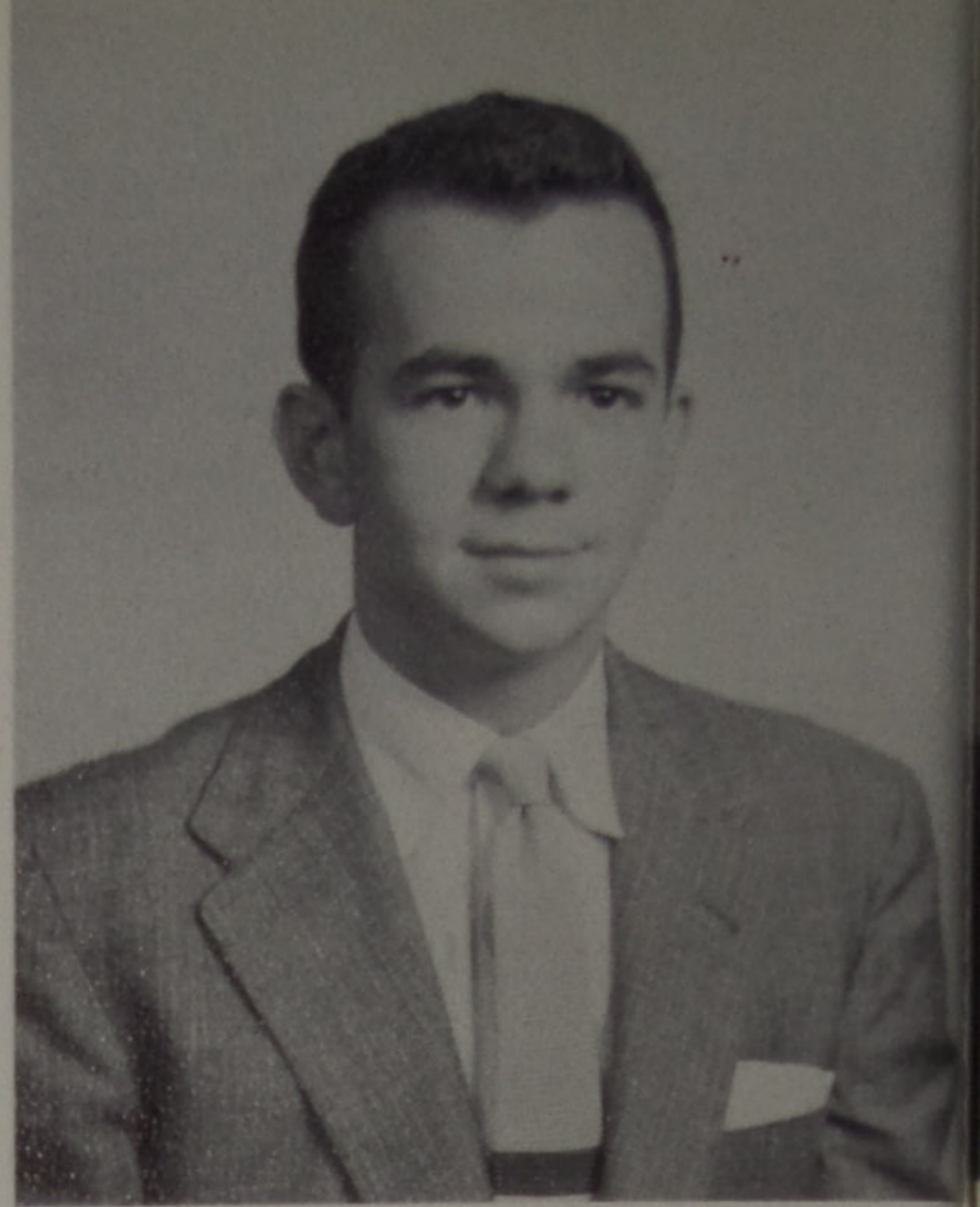
Flashing eyes and wavy hair,
You look for him and he's never there.



CLEO OBERLEY

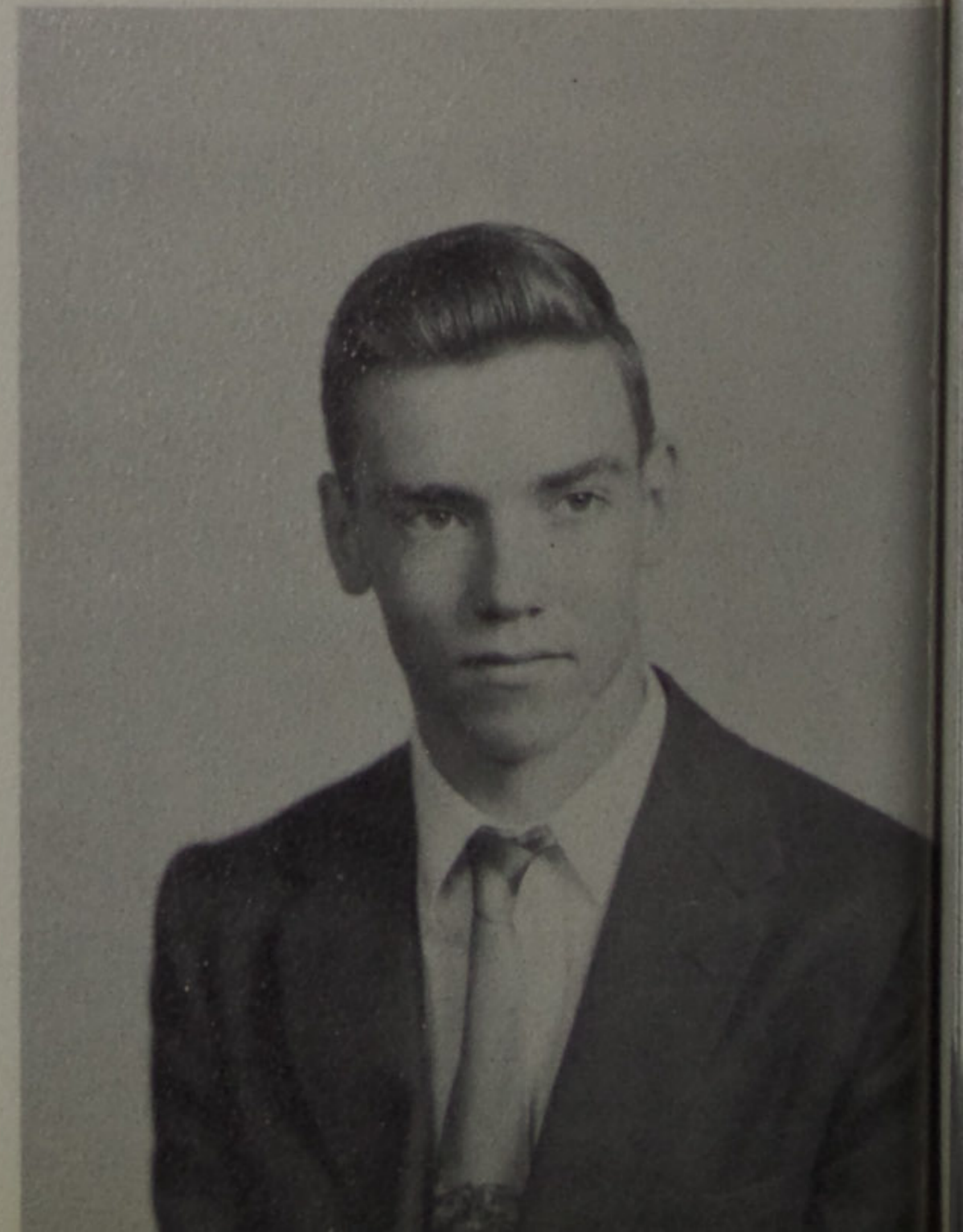
Cleo--the people's choice--
the T. V. dog that is!!!!
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Vice President 4
Student Council 3
Sr. Scholarship 4
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Popularity Poll 4

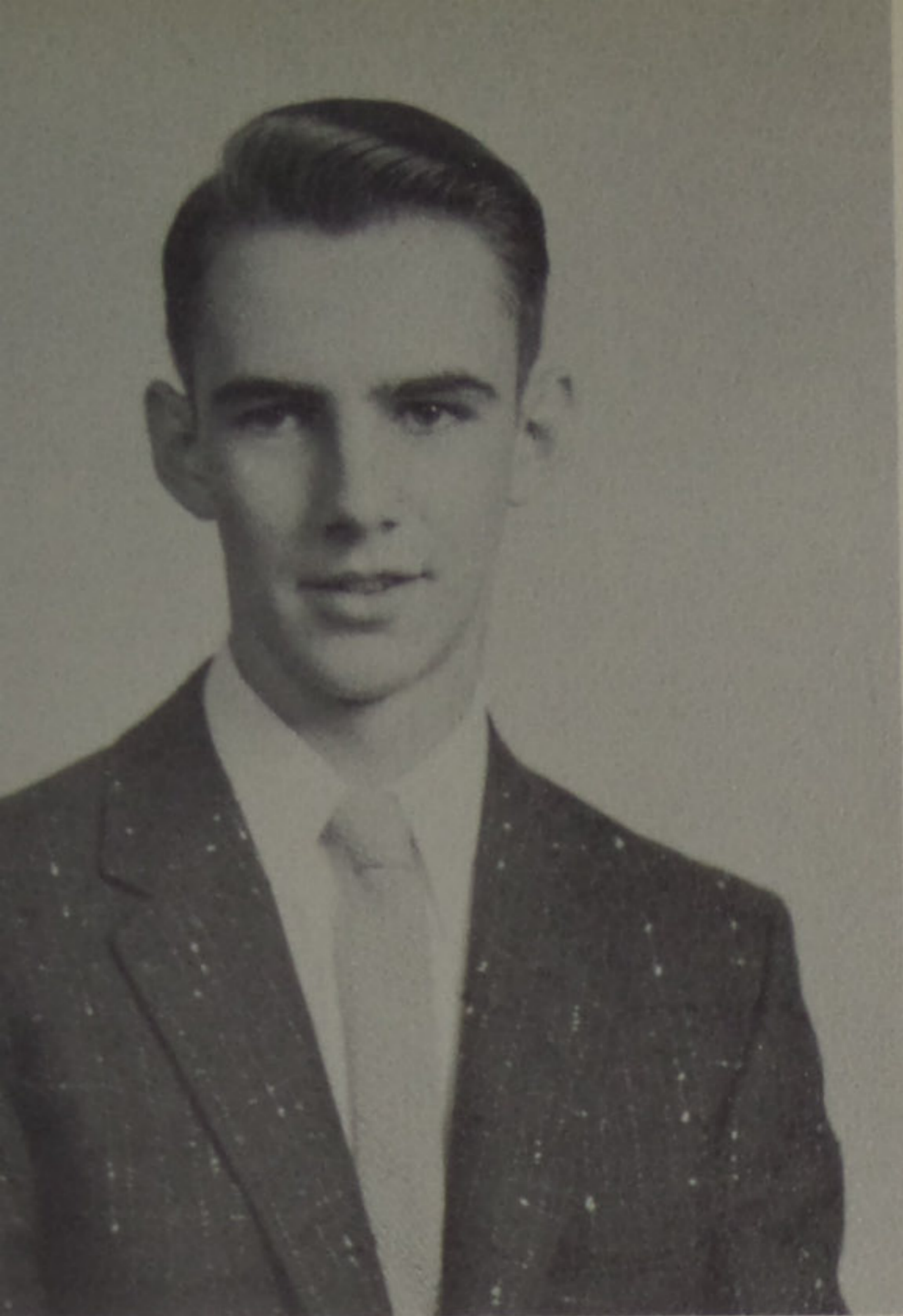
DONALD LEE O'BRYAN
He sells a suit to earn some loot!!!
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Baseball Manager 1



VERNA PACE
Cute and witty and full of fun,
She'd make a prize for anyone.
Glee Club 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 3
Home Ec. Club 1

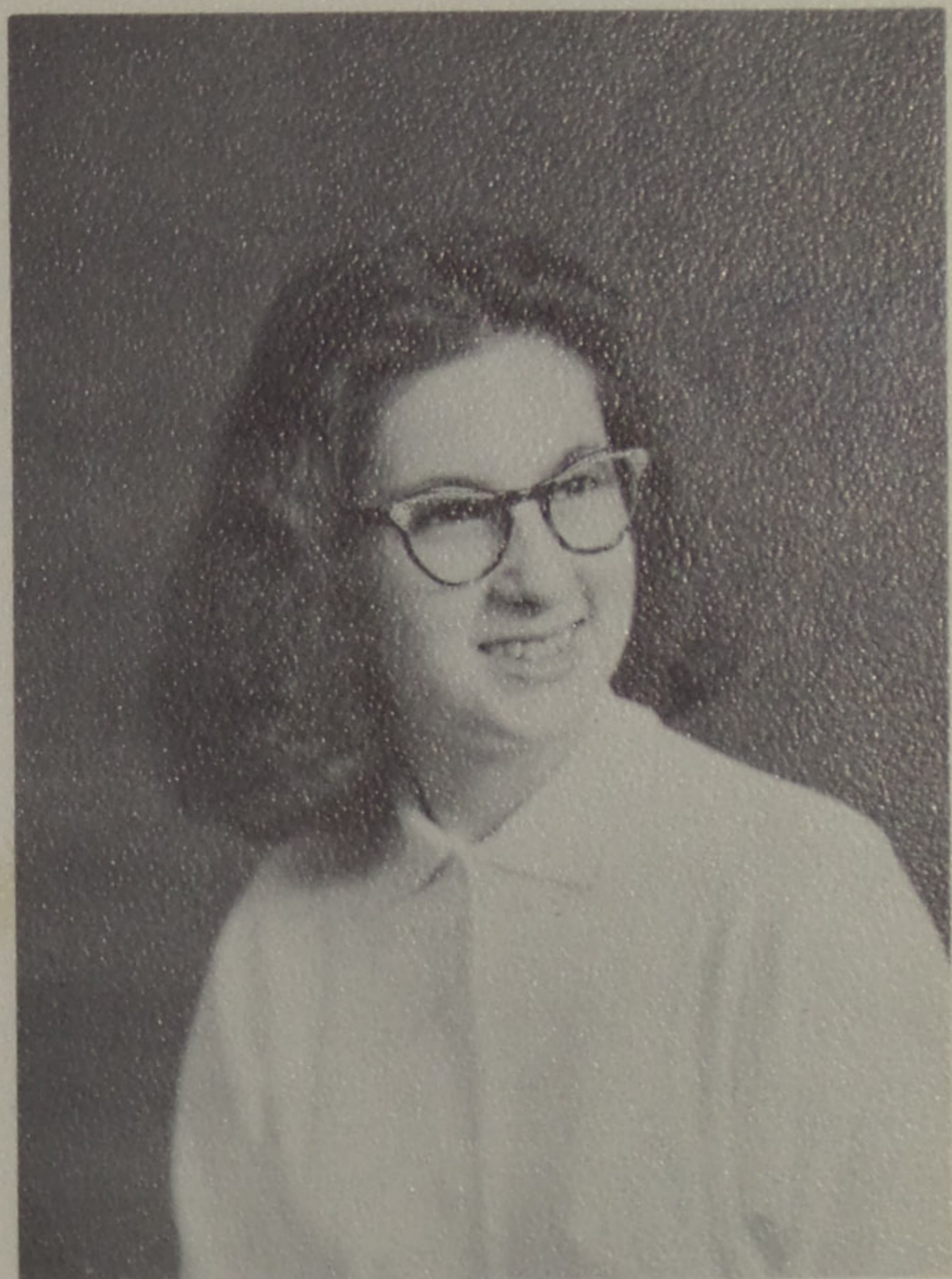
WELLS E. PEACH
This fellow likes the out-of doors,
He never fusses about doing chores.
Dramatic Club 2
Sr. Scholarship 4
Boys Chorus 4
Baseball 4





GARY FRANCIS POTTS

A nice guy who is fair and square,
To do evil he would never dare.
Boys Chorus 4



VERNA LOUISE PRICE
She 's happy when she's playing
boogie-woogie on the piano.



ESTHER IRENE PURDY

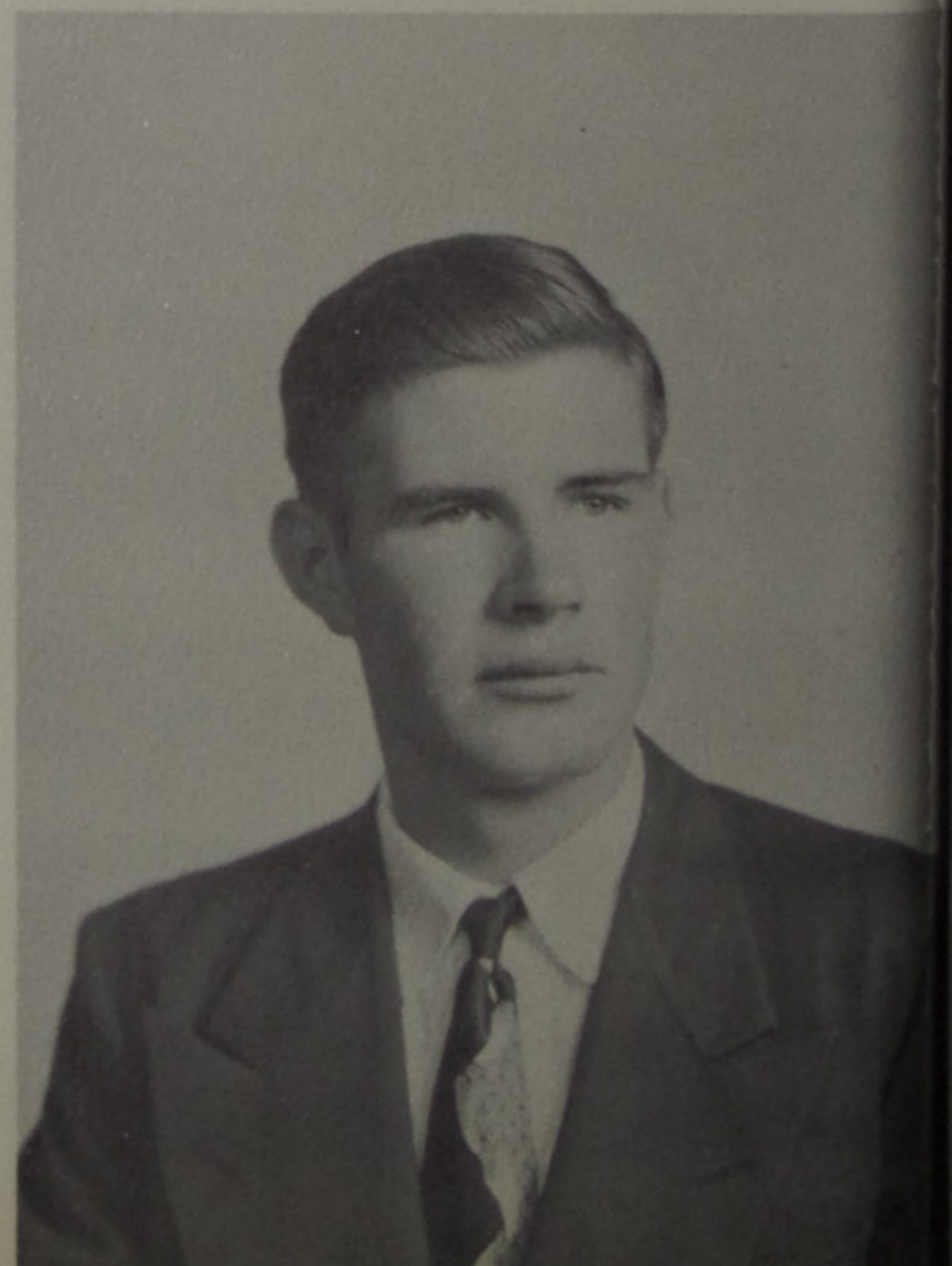
Pretty, popular and renown
She's a treat to have around.
Class Officer 1, 2
Home Ec. Club 2
Mixed Chorus 3
Glee Club 2
Homecoming Attendant 2
Popularity Poll 4
Miss Falcon 4
Annual Staff 4

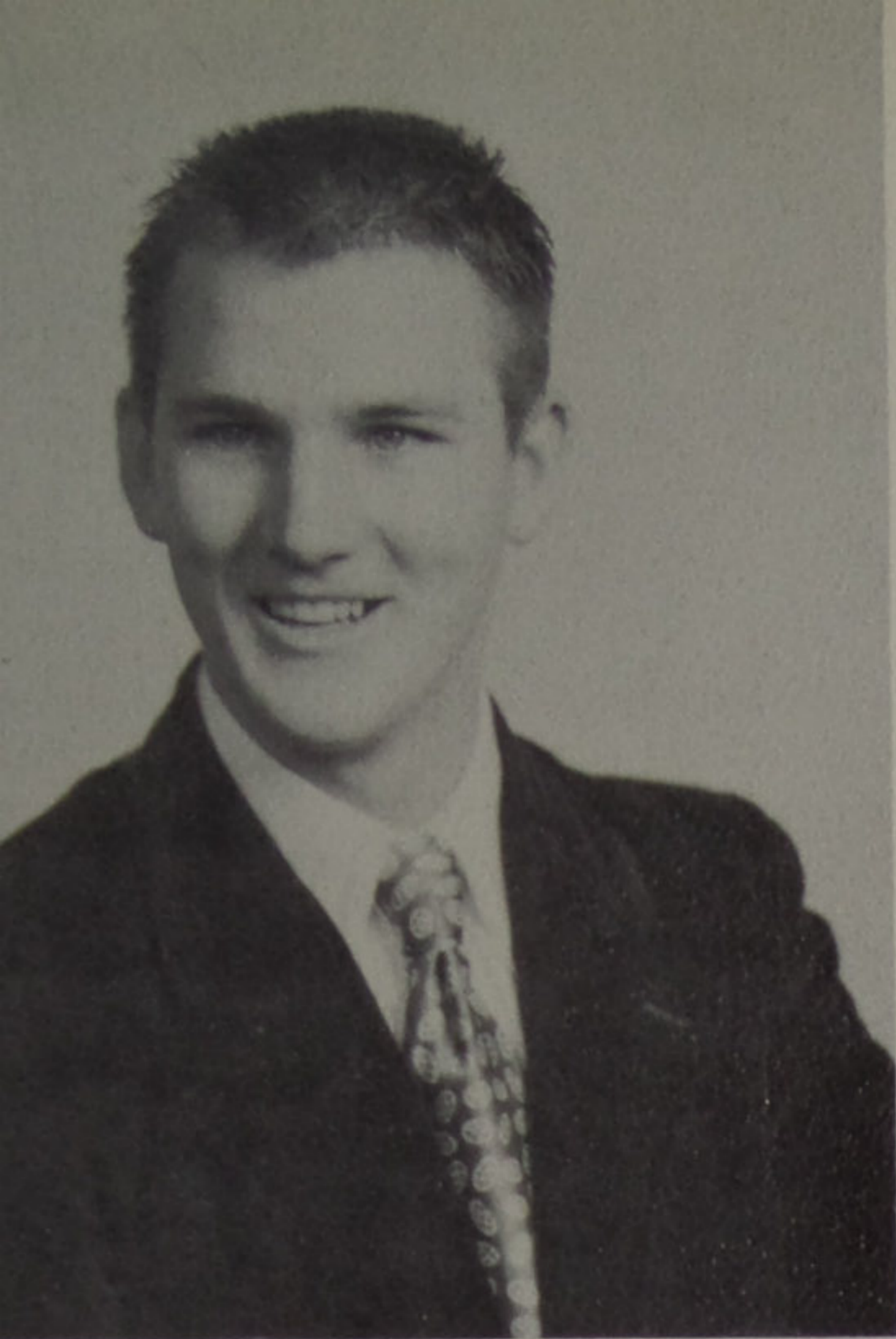
CAROLE RASE
She's not a card--
She's a whole deck.
Glee Club 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 3
Tri-K 2, 3, 4
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Home Ec. Club 1, 2
Music Festival 3
Class Play 4



VIRGINIA REED LYON
A fine lass with a pleasant way,
But still she never has much to say.
Glee Club 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 3

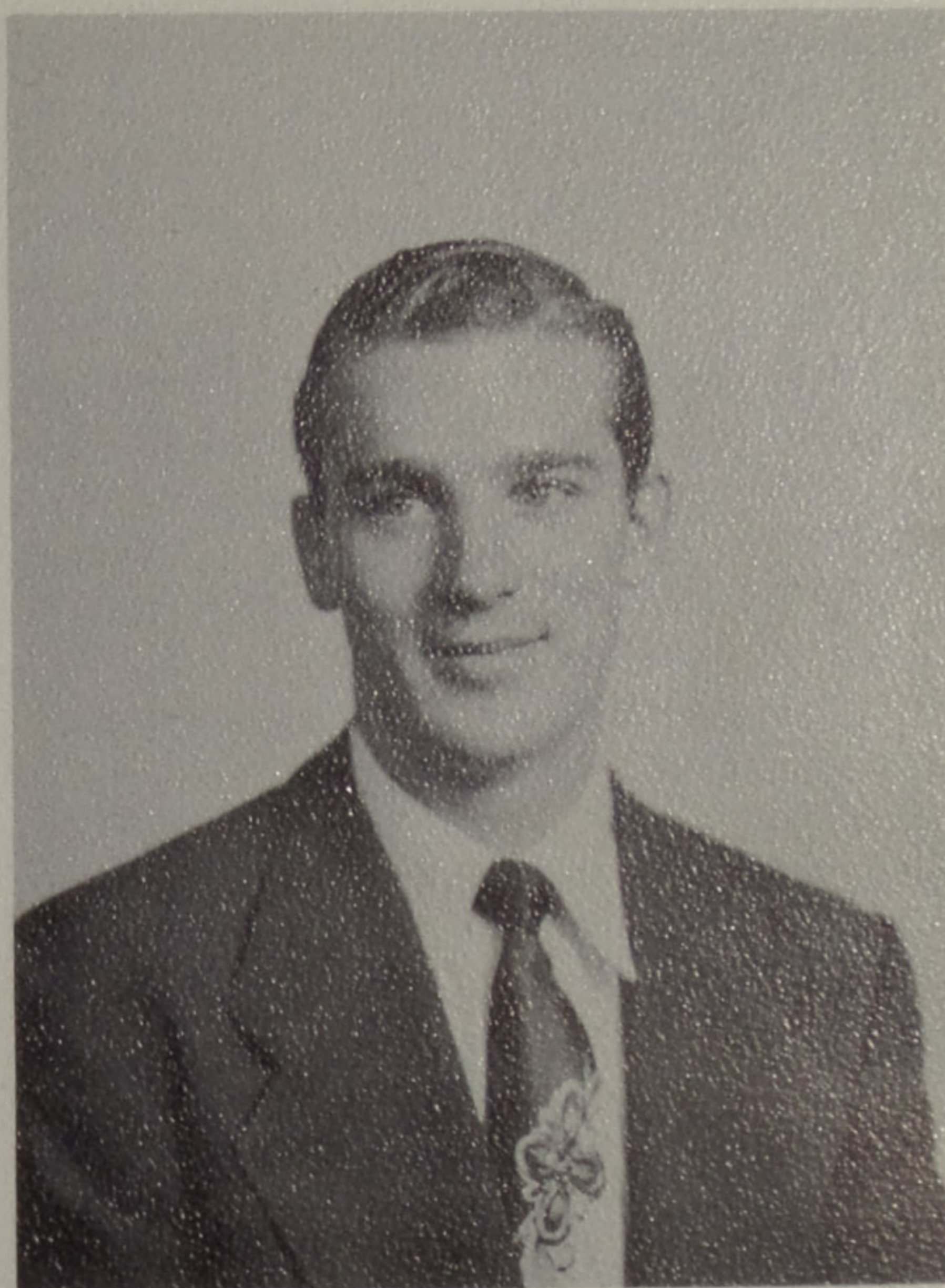
DELNO RISNER
His nice personality often shows,
He is a fine boy we are glad to know.
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Buccaneer Club 2, 3, 4
Popularity Poll 4





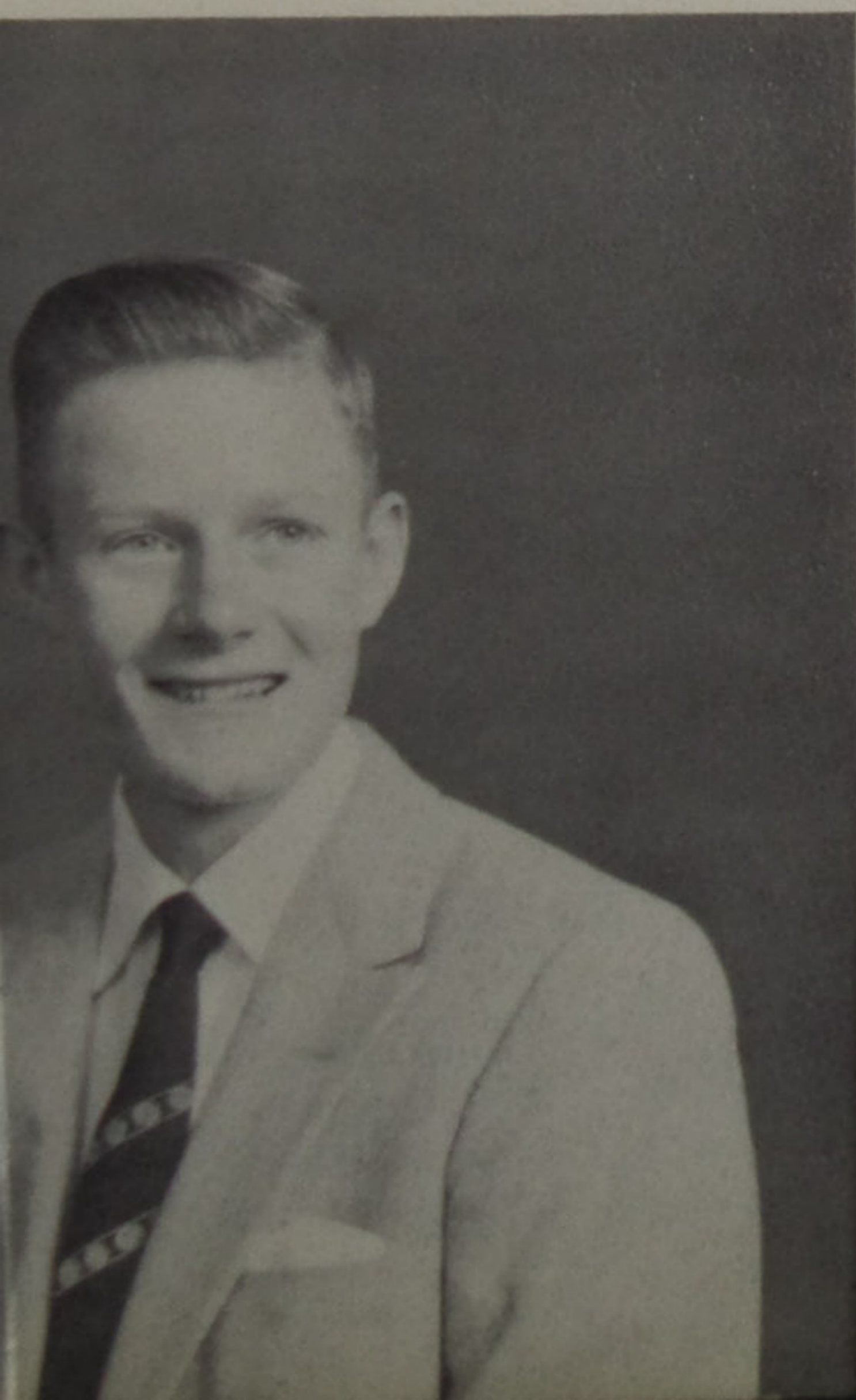
ELLIS ROFFE

Although life at times can be bitter,
This fine lad is not a quitter.
Boys Chorus 4



FRANKLIN ROFFE

Although he does not shout,
We always know he is about.
Boys Chorus 4



ROGER ROFFE

A very good student, a whiz in math,
His future leads up a very bright path.
Dramatic Club 1, 2
Buccaneer Club (Treasurer 4) 3, 4
District Scholarship 2, 3, 4
Sr. Scholarship 4
National Honor Society 4

DORIS ROSE

She seems so happy from morn 'til night,
With her it's impossible to quarrel or fight.

Dramatic Club 1, 2

Tri-K 2, 3

Home Ec. Club 1, 2

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Glee Club 1

Mixed Chorus 3

Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4

Class Play 3, 4

Home Ec. Treasurer 2



ROSEMARY SEXTON

A nice girl with a wonderful heart
One from whom you'll never part.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Tri-K Club 2, 3, 4

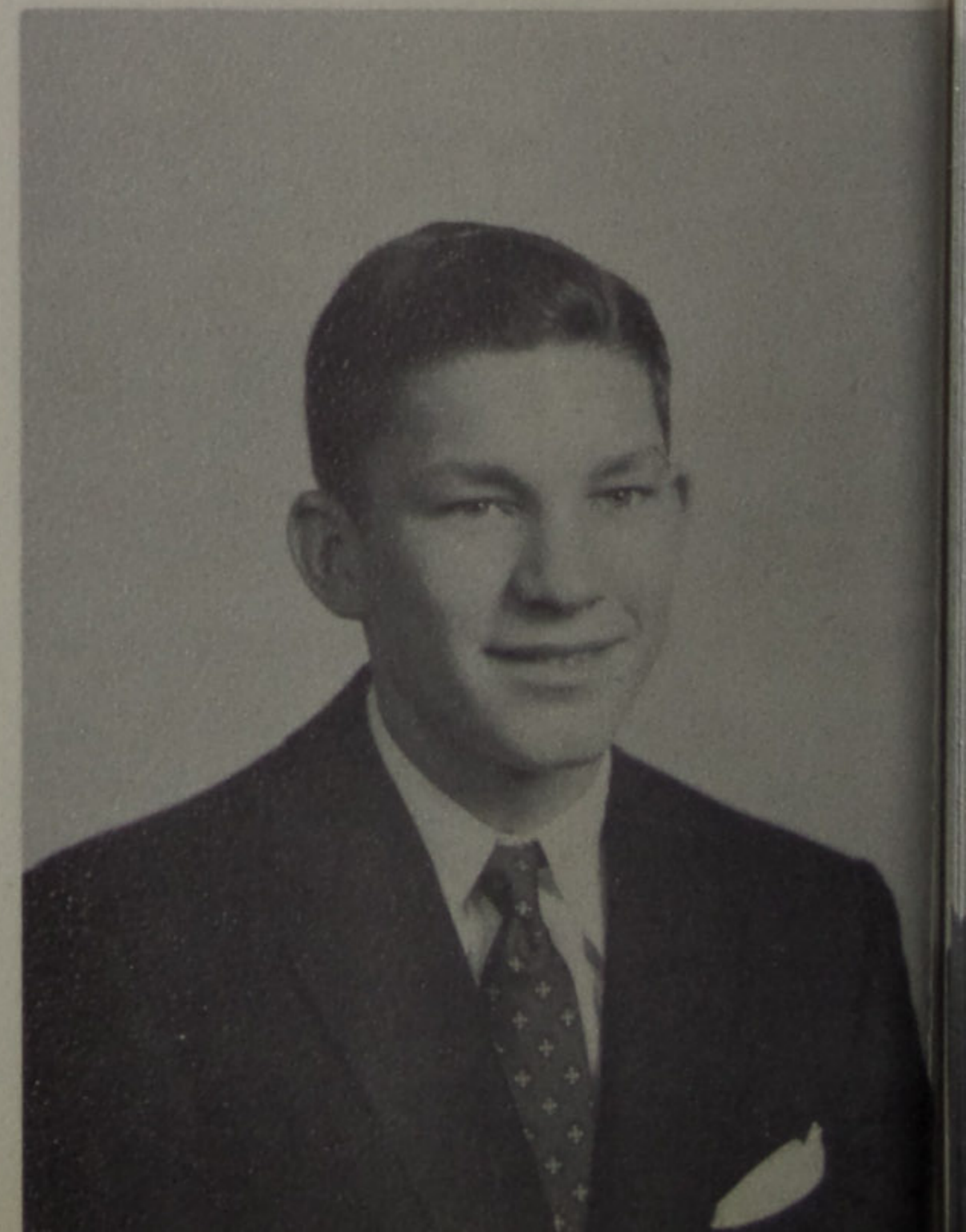
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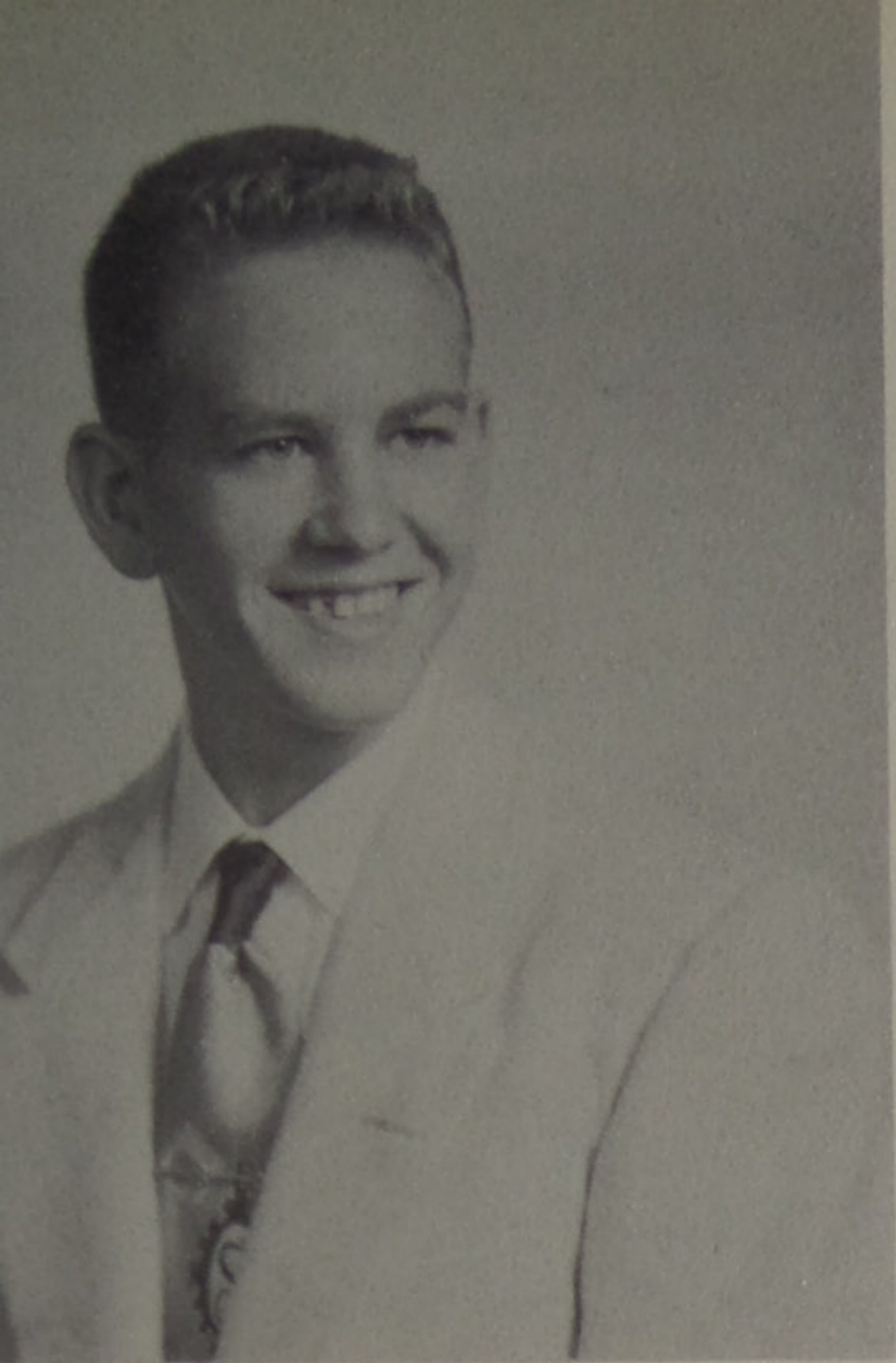
PAUL SHOEMAKER

In basketball he is great,
But in English class he doesn't rate.

Basketball 2, 3, 4

Sr. Boys Chorus 4





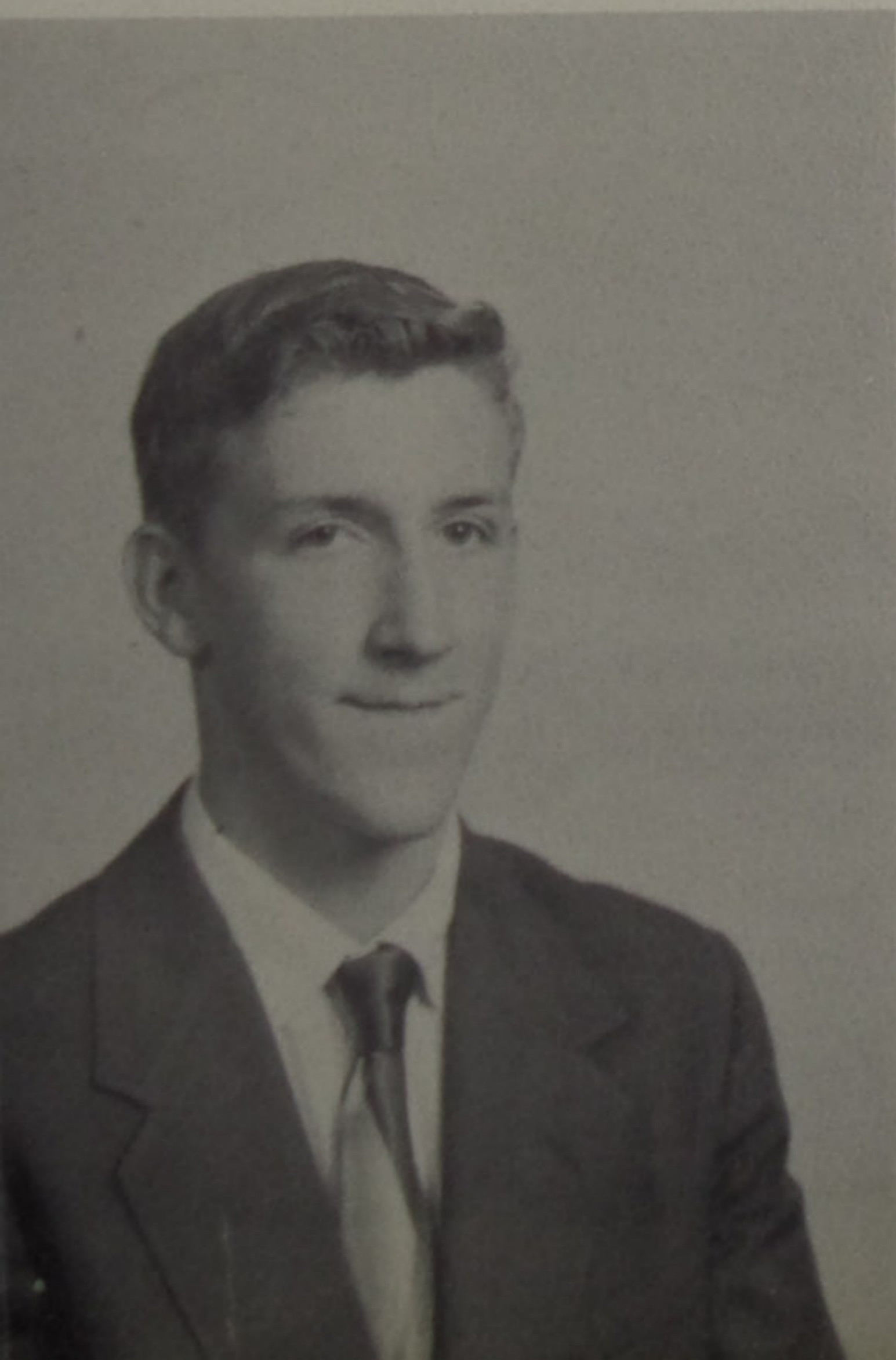
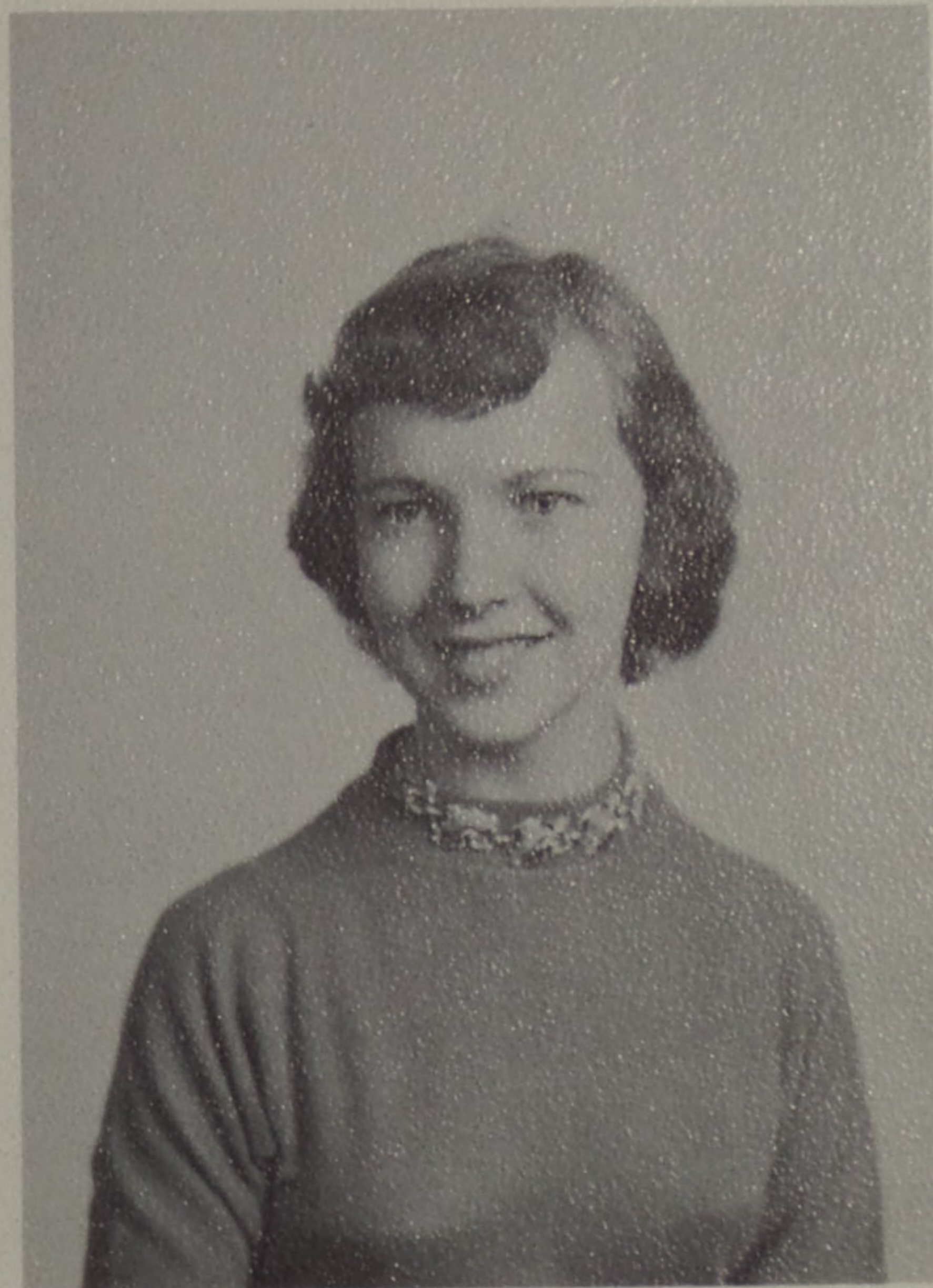
JOE SLONE

So many capers we can't relate
He went to the Air Force to recuperate.

NOLA SLONE

"A lively little girl who is always on her toes,
She is liked wherever she goes."

Tri-K 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Class Play 3, 4
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4
Prince of Peace 2, 3, 4
Senior Scholarship 4
District Scholarship 1, 4
County Music Festival 3

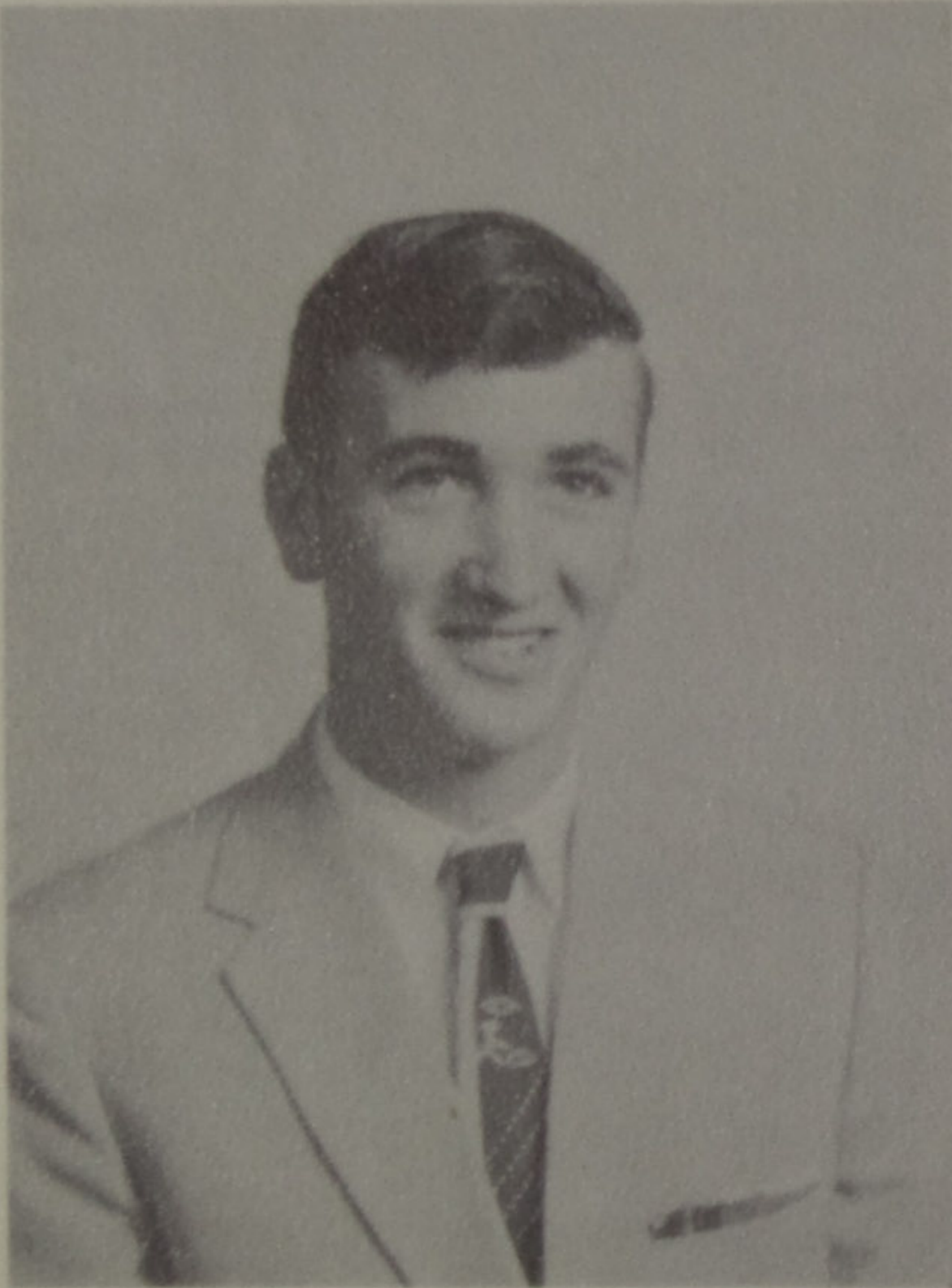
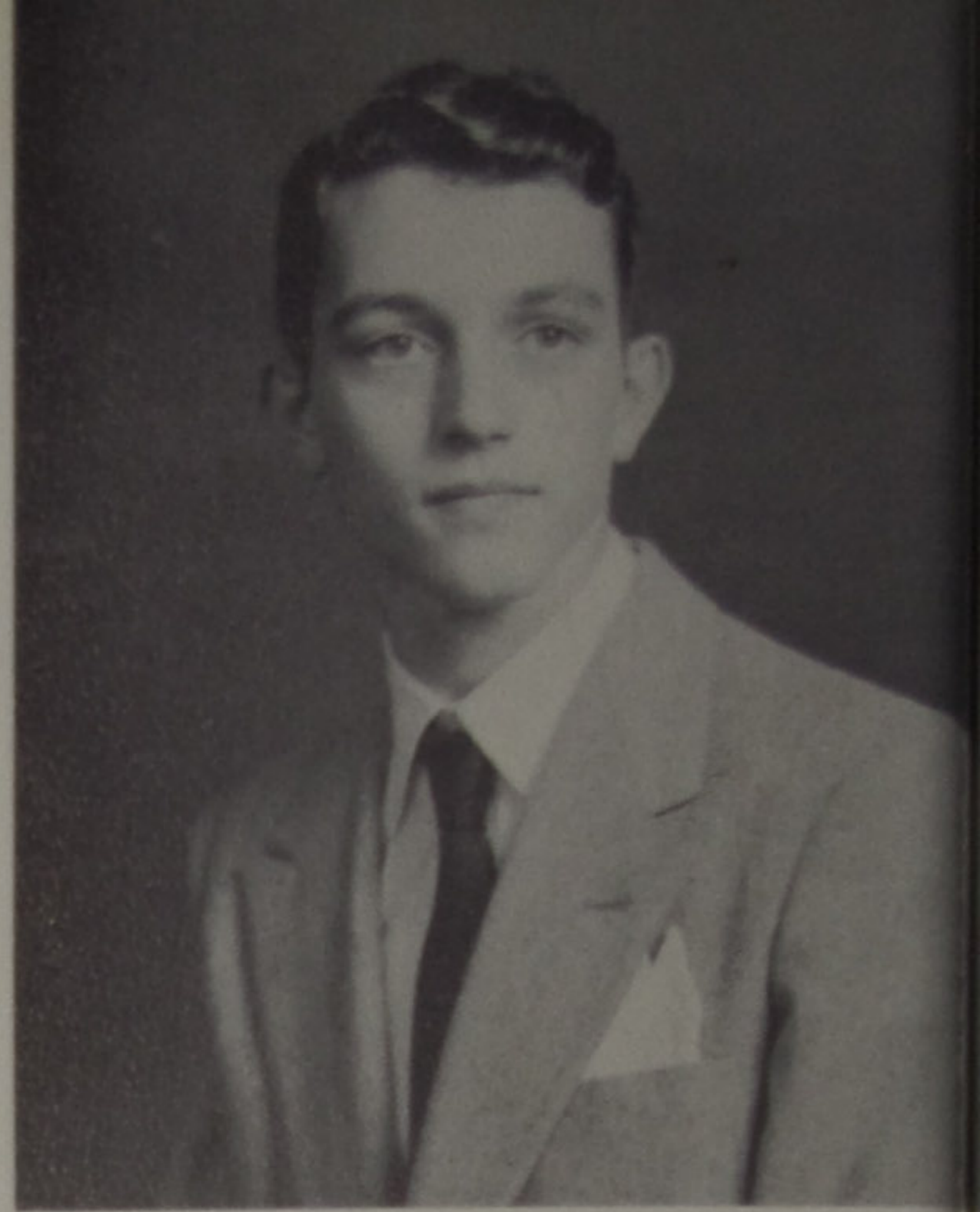


BOB SPRADLIN

"A fine boy who likes to work,
He does his duty and never shirks."
Basketball 2
Boys Chorus 4

LARENCE SMITH

A very nice boy with studies on his mind
You never can find very many of his kind.
District Scholarship 1, 2, 3, 4
Sr. Scholarship 4
Honor Society (Vice Pres. 4) 3
Student Council (Treas. 3) 2
Prince of Peace 3, 4
Dramatic Club 2, 3
Class President 3
Class Treasurer 4
Annual Staff (Co-Editor) 4
Class Play 4
Buccaneer Club (Sec. 4) 3
Boys Chorus 4

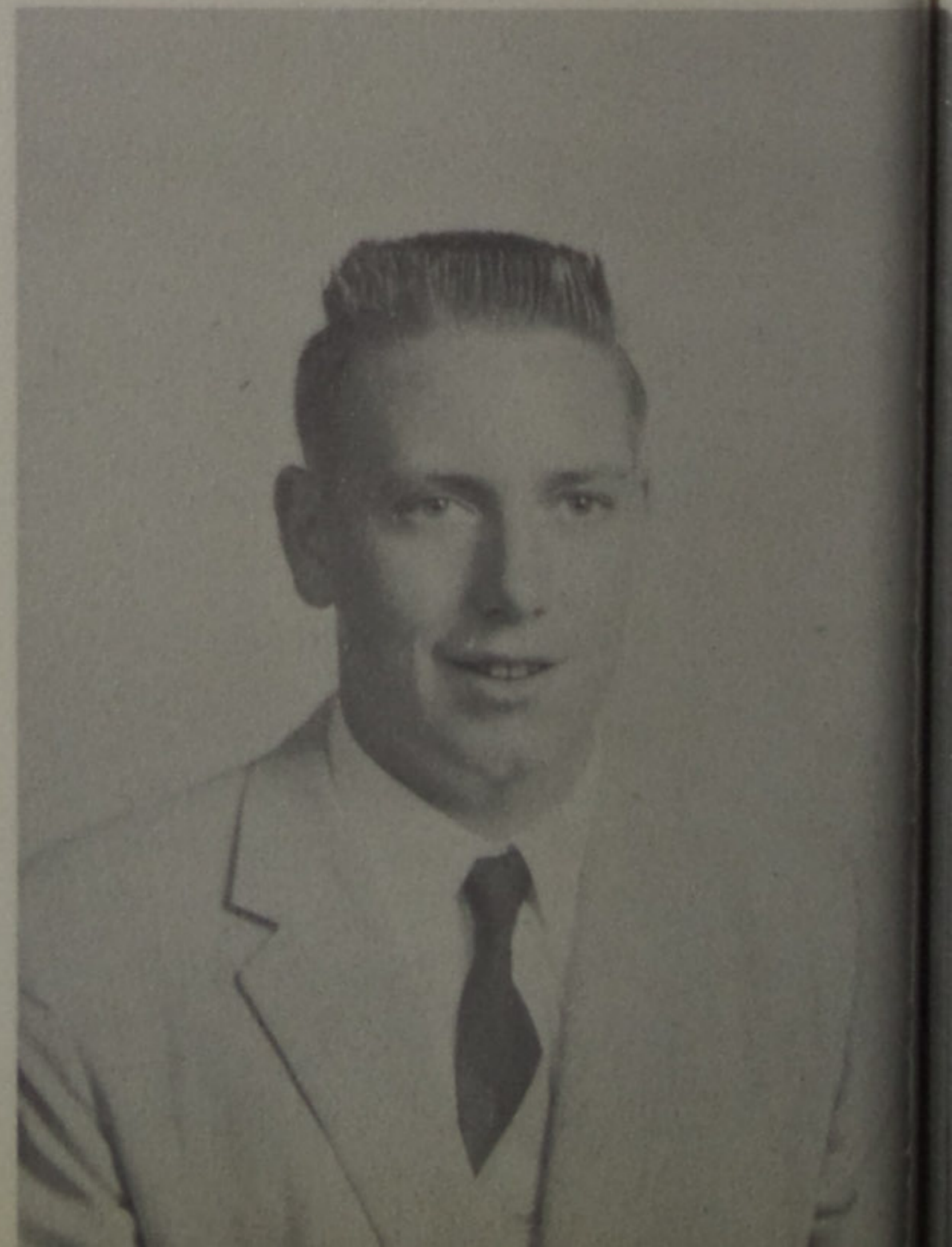


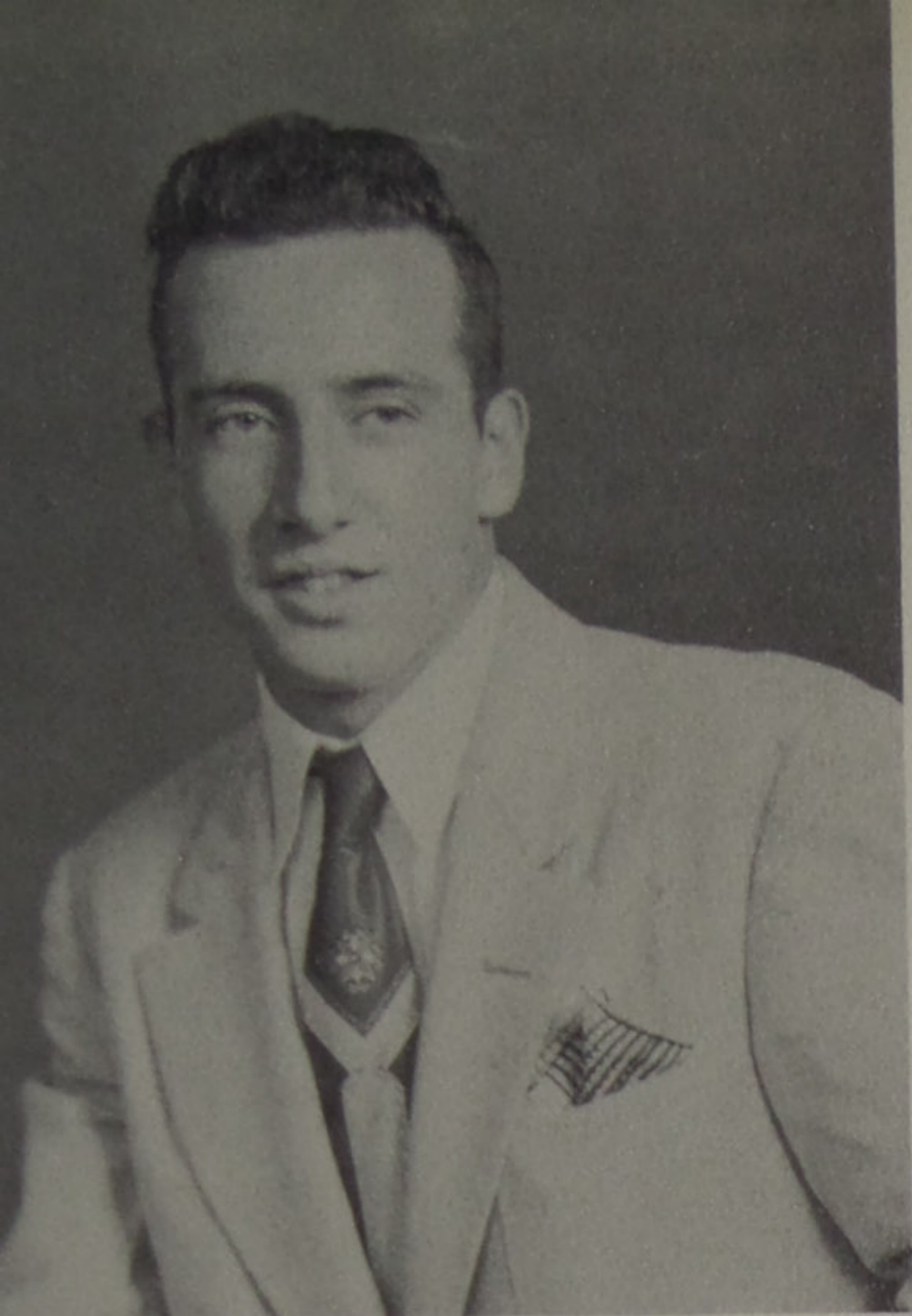
MERDY SMITH

He, as we know, can always be seen
With the movie picture machine.

RALPH SMITH

In baseball he really rates,
We predict he'll be one of the greats.
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4





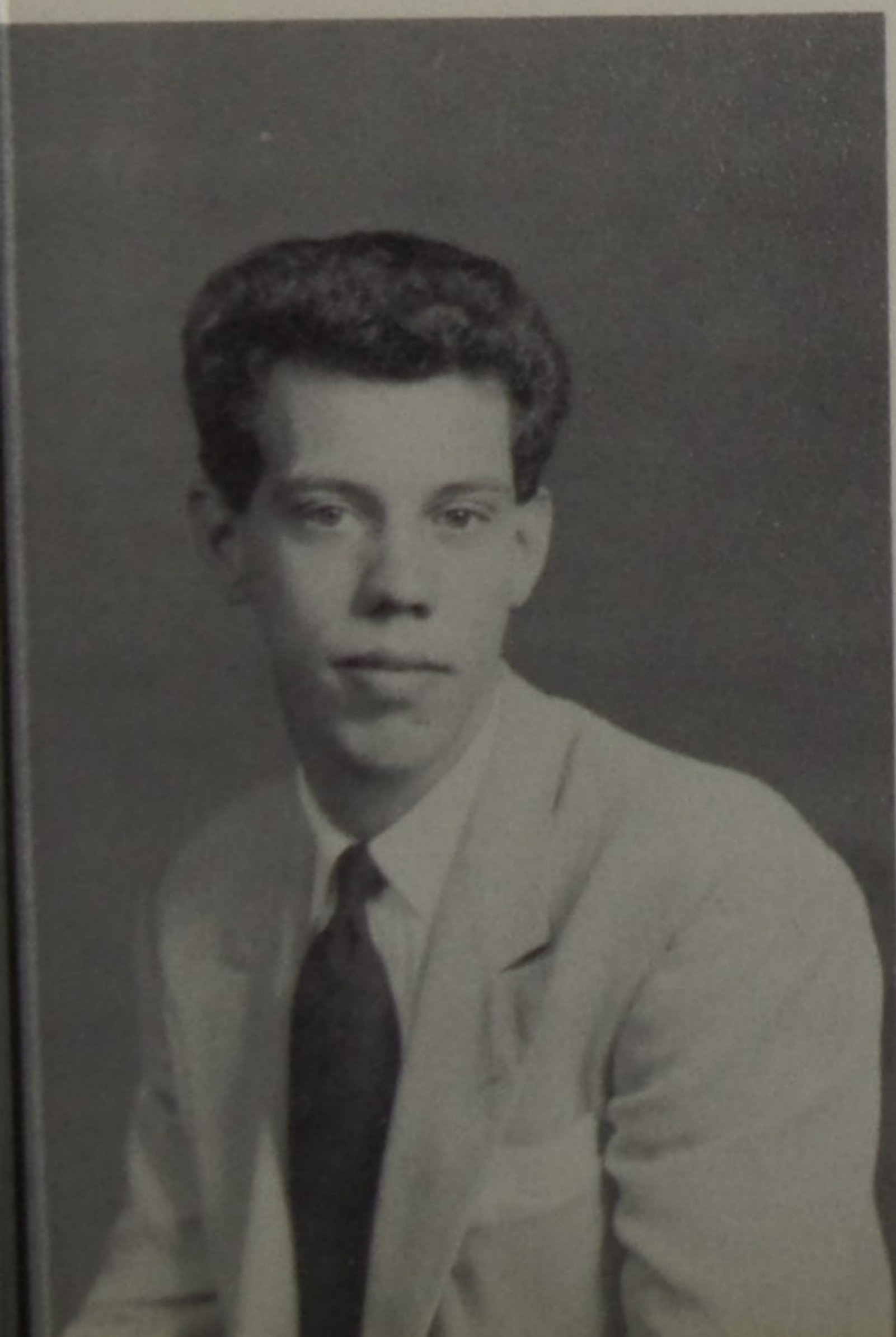
ARTHUR STATEN

He'll never reach his second childhood,
Because he can't lose his first.
Wheelersburg High School 1, 2
Class Play 4



DELORES CORDLE STROTHER

Teasing and laughing all her life,
She won a heart and became a wife.



JOE TAYLOR

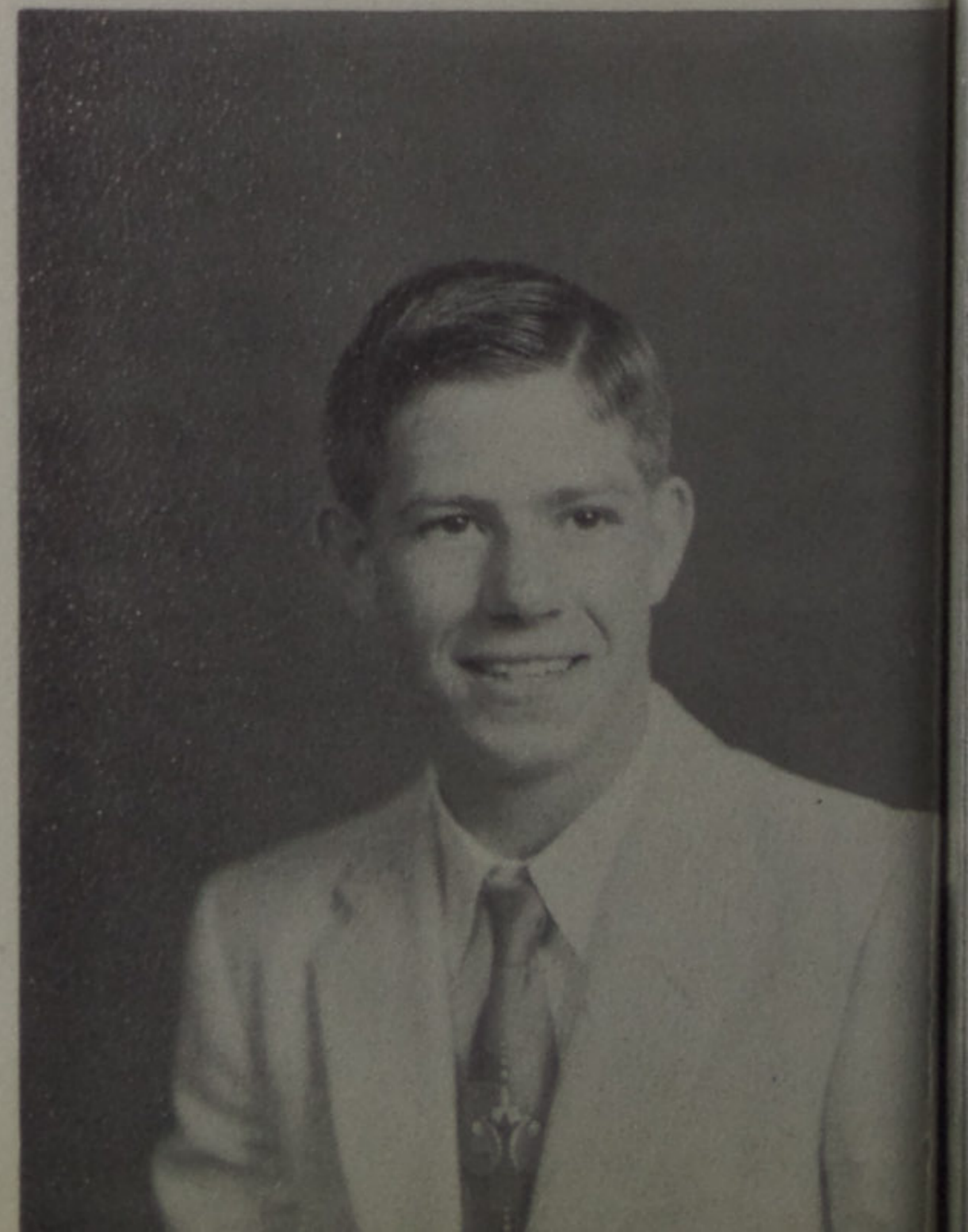
When he's playing in the band,
He can be heard throughout the land.
East High School 1, 2, 3
West High School 4
County Music Festival 4
Class Play 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4

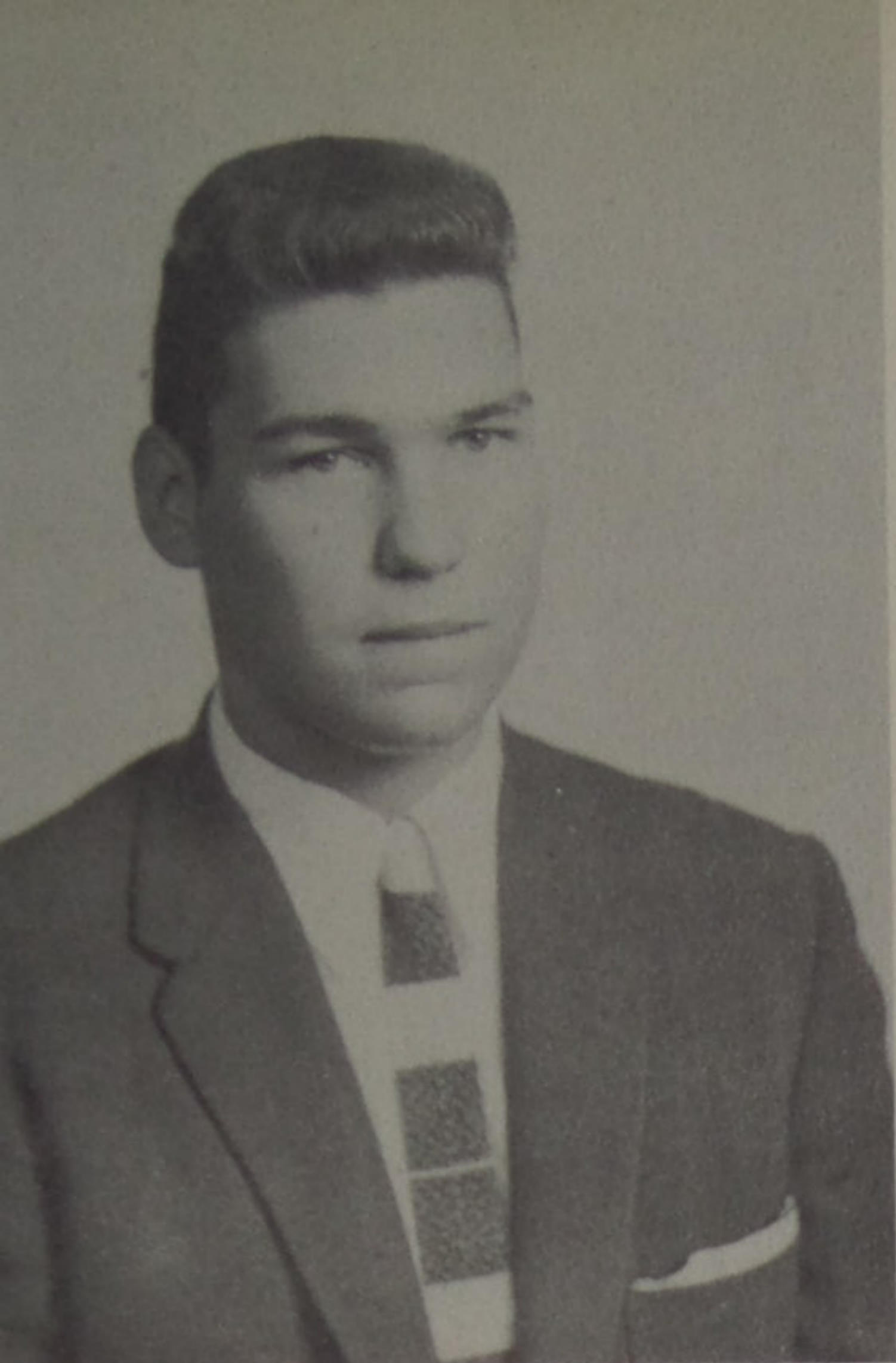
PAT TAYLOR
"Who said it couldn't be done?"
Portsmouth East High School 1, 2, 3



MARY VEACH
A girl who has her ups and downs,
But still she never wears a frown.
Glee Club 1
Mixed Chorus 3
County Music Festival 3

EUGENE VEST
When you want the best in zest---
Get VEST!!!
Class Play 4
Boys Chorus 4





JACK WARD

"Once they caught him studying. "

Buccaneers 2, 3, 4

Basketball 2, 3, 4

Baseball 2, 3, 4

IDA MAE WATTERS

"She would like to go to far away places
Just to meet some new faces. "



HAYES WILCOX

"A chuckle there, a chuckle here
You always know Hayes is near. "

Basketball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4

Baseball Manager 1

Band 1, 2, 3, 4

County Music Festival 1, 2

Athens Science Fair 1, 2, 3

Huntington Science Fair 3, 4

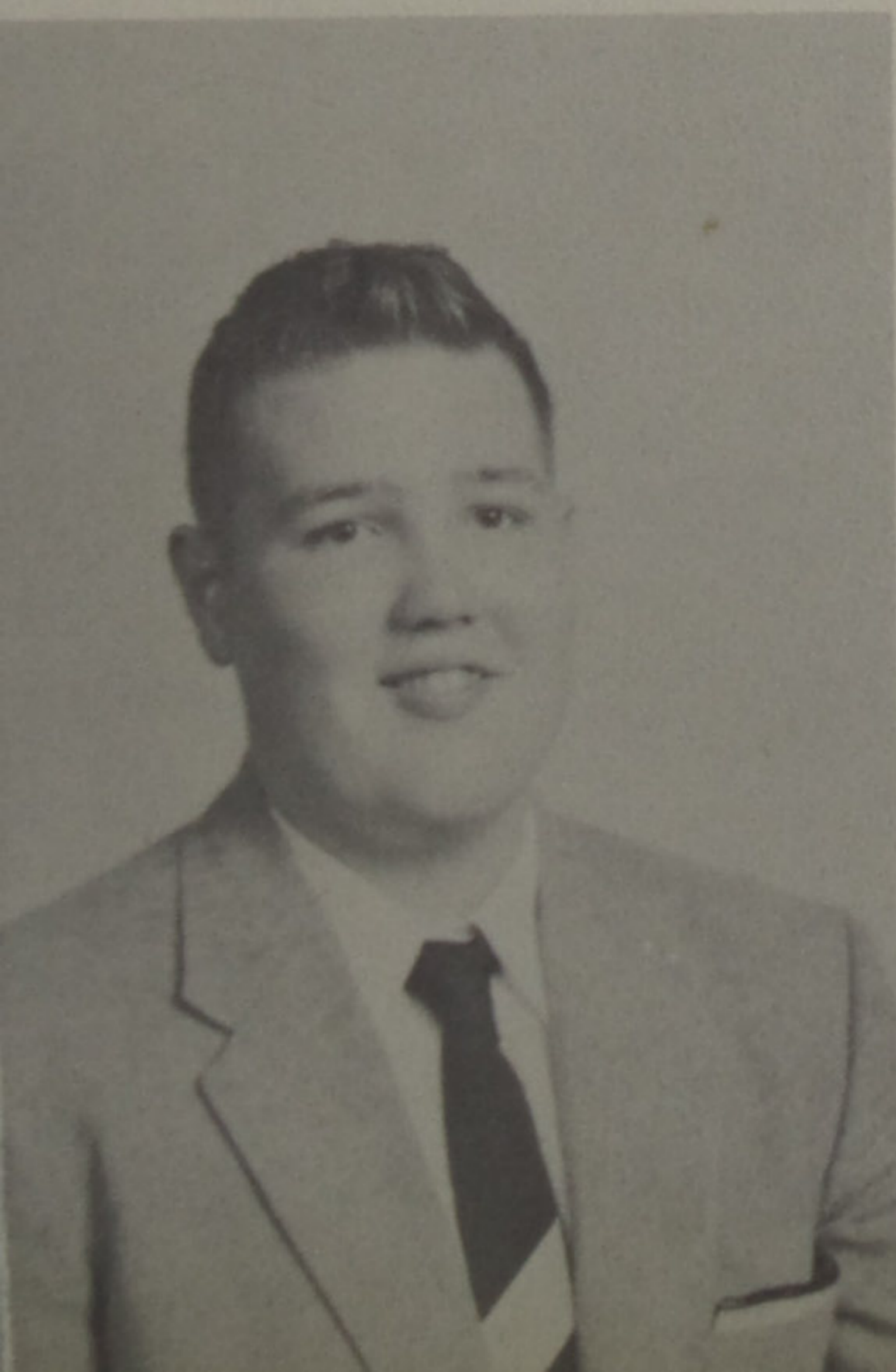
National Science Fair 4

Dramatic Club 1, 2, 4

Honor Society (Treasurer 4) 3, 4

United Nations Essay Test 3

Annual Staff 4



ROBERT WILLIAMS

A short haircut and a great big grin,
This lad will be a leader of men.

Dramatic Club 1, 2

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4

Class Officer 1, 2

Class Play 3

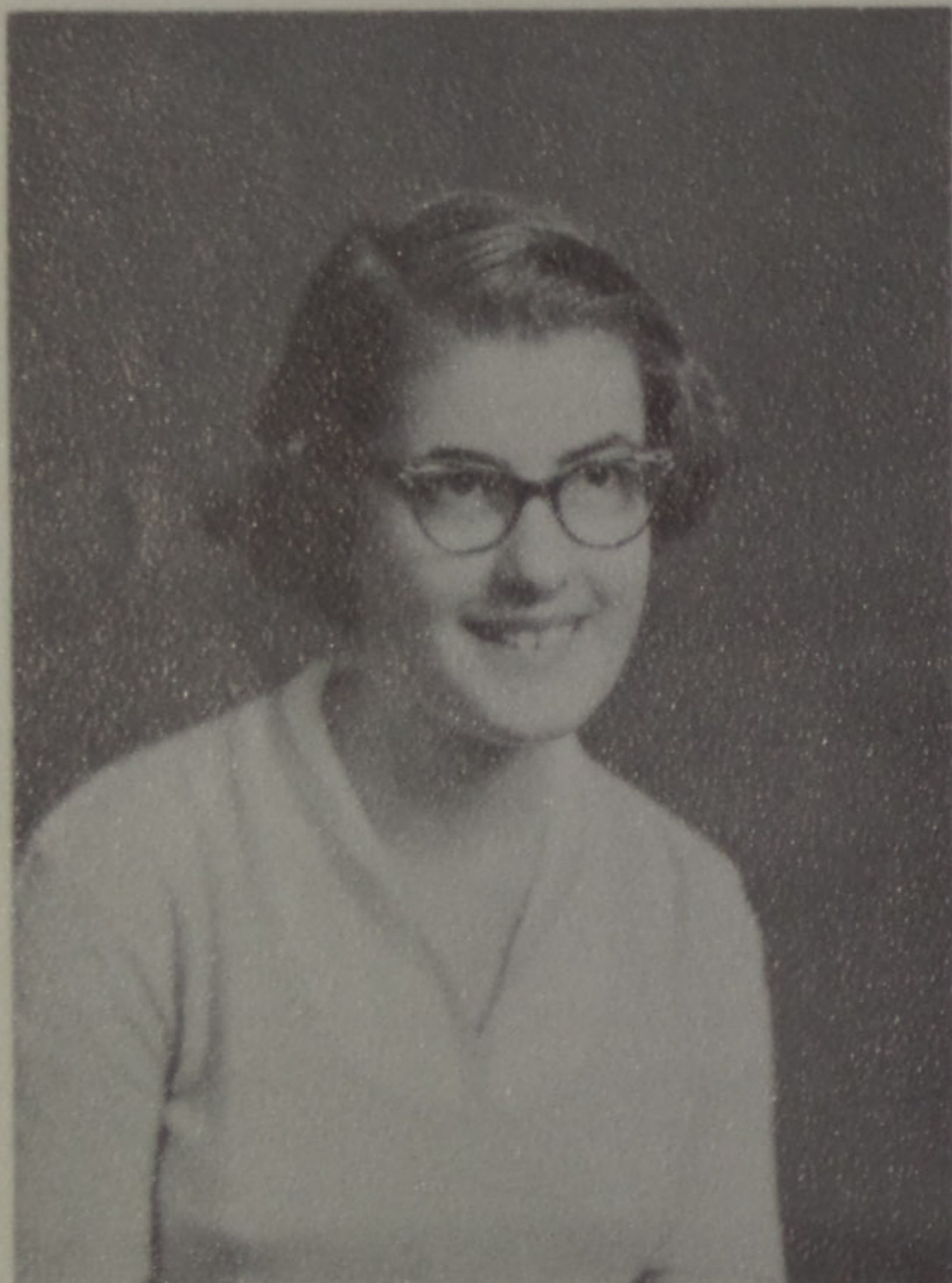
Buccaneers 2, 3, 4

Student Council 4

Mixed Chorus 4

Student Council President 4

Popularity Poll 4



WILMA YATES

Although she doesn't have much to say,
She has a very charming way.

Glee Club 2

Music Festival 2

JEANNE ELLSWORTH

She's always cheerful, always gay
Makes a new friend every day.

Home Ec. Club 1, 2

Glee Club 1, 2, 4

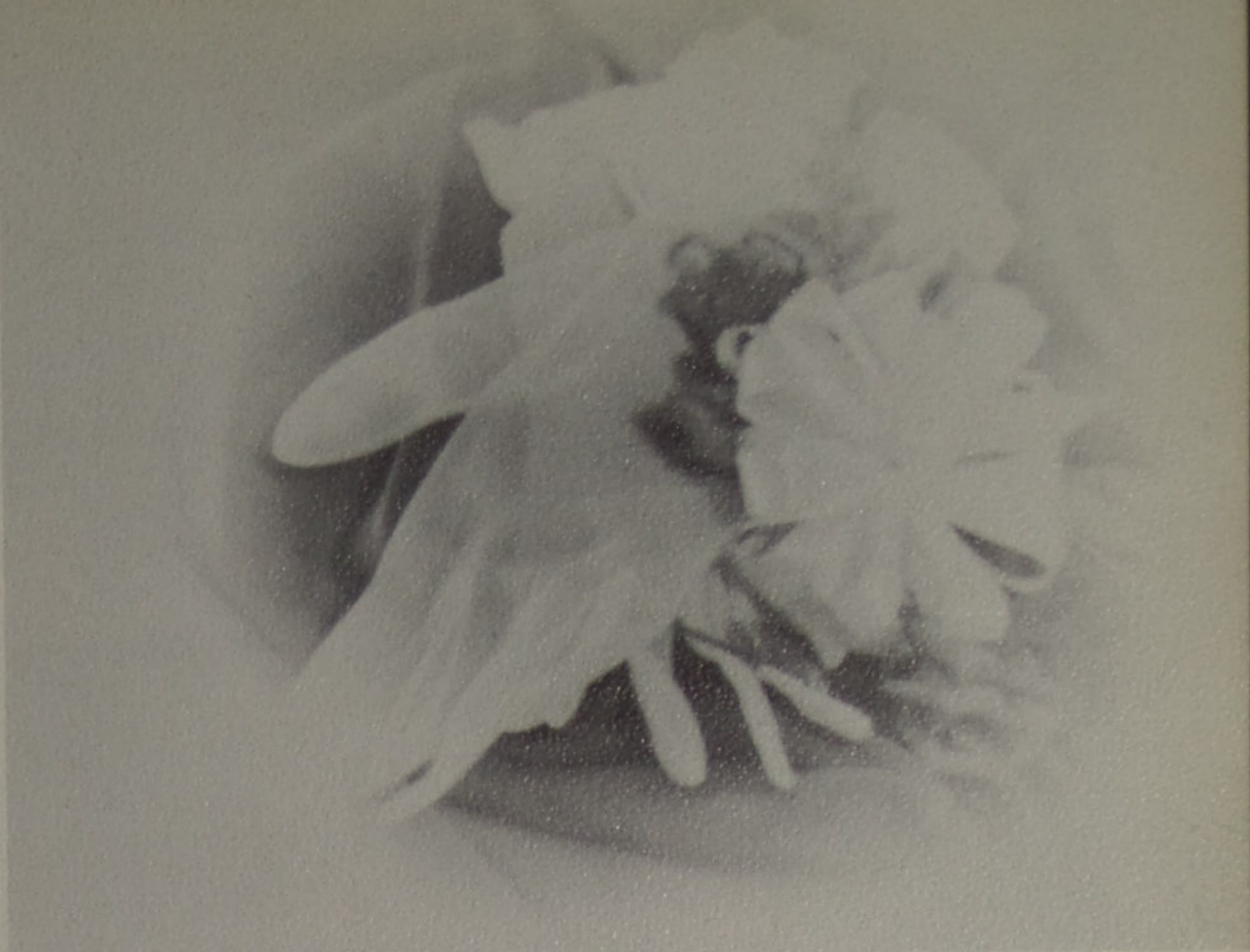
Mixed Chorus 2

Music Festival 1, 4



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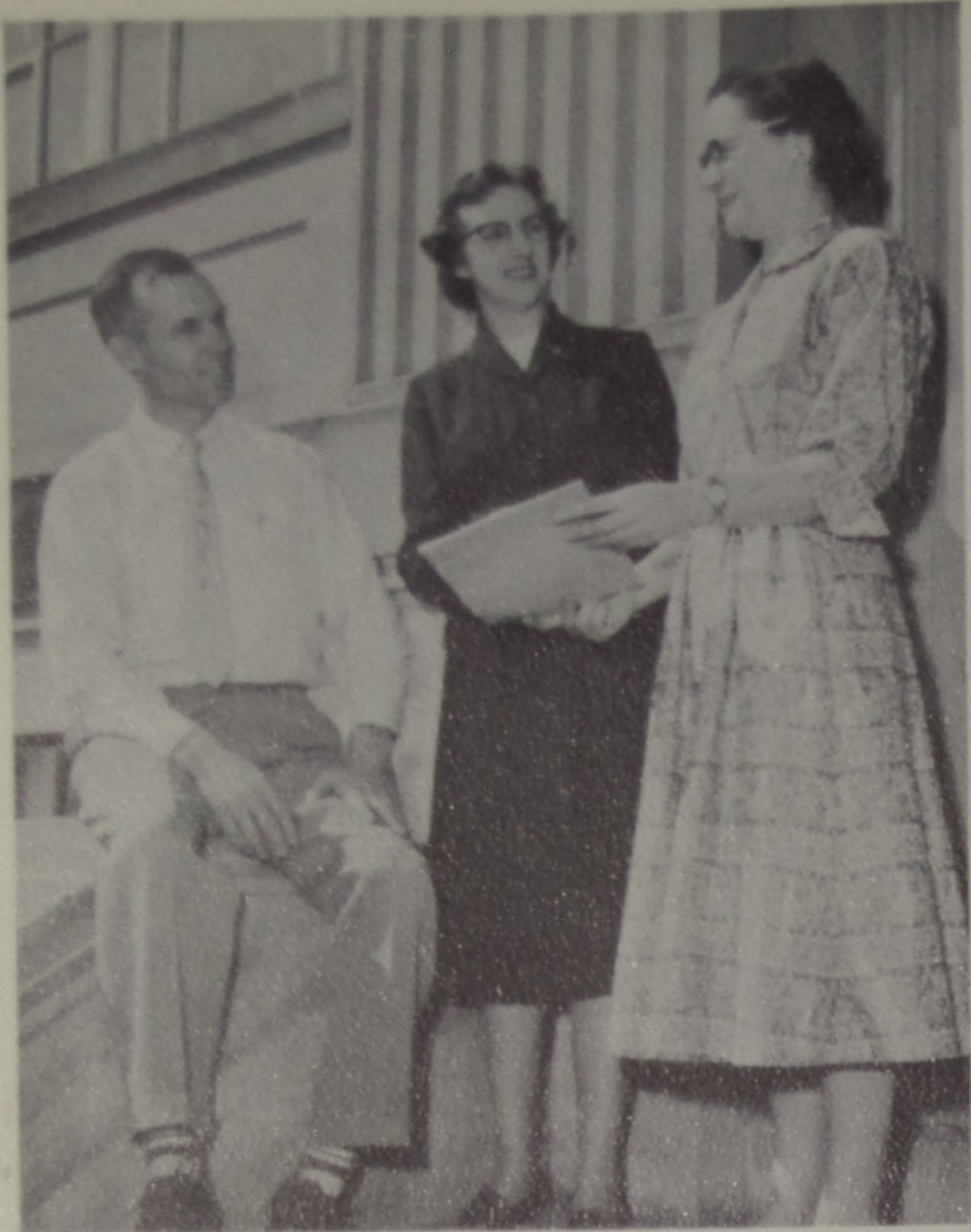
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Barbara Collins



Janie Conkel

Eloise Conklin

Christine Conley

Garnet Crabtree

Barbara Davis



Deemer

Norma Diller

Ray Doyle

John Gamp

Patsy Gillispie



Helen Goff



Lynn Goff



Mary Green



William Gregory



Bernard Hall



Katherine Hardyman



Barbara Havens



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Emma Horner



Janice Howard



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Audrey Irvin



Norma Jarrell



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Vernon Kayser



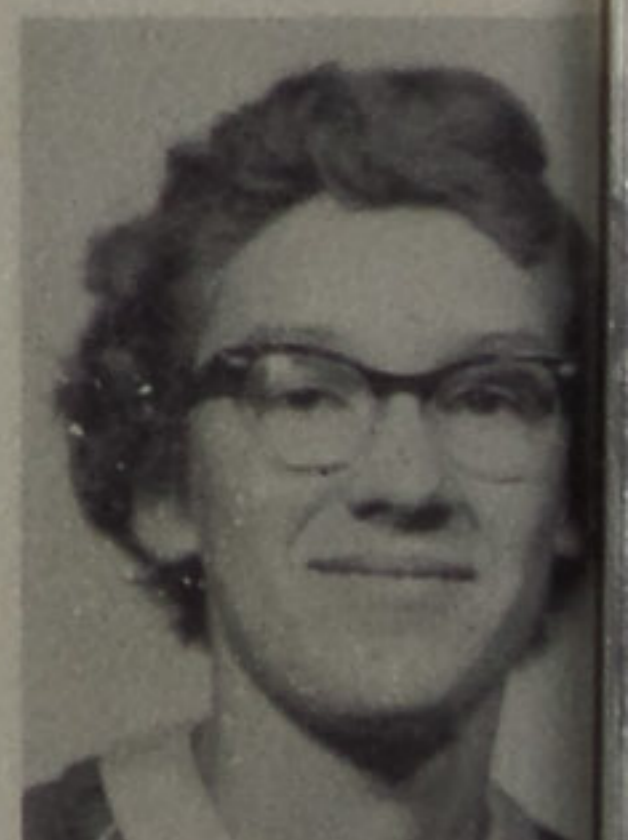
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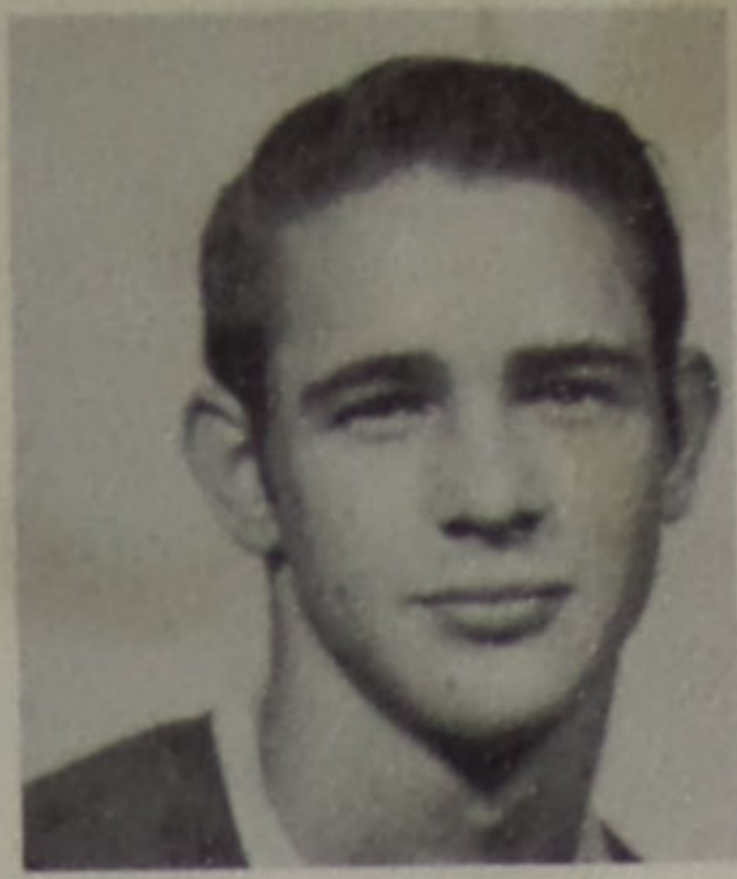
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David Lockhart



Jim Madden



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Ferris Parker



Dan Pflieger



Joan Pyles



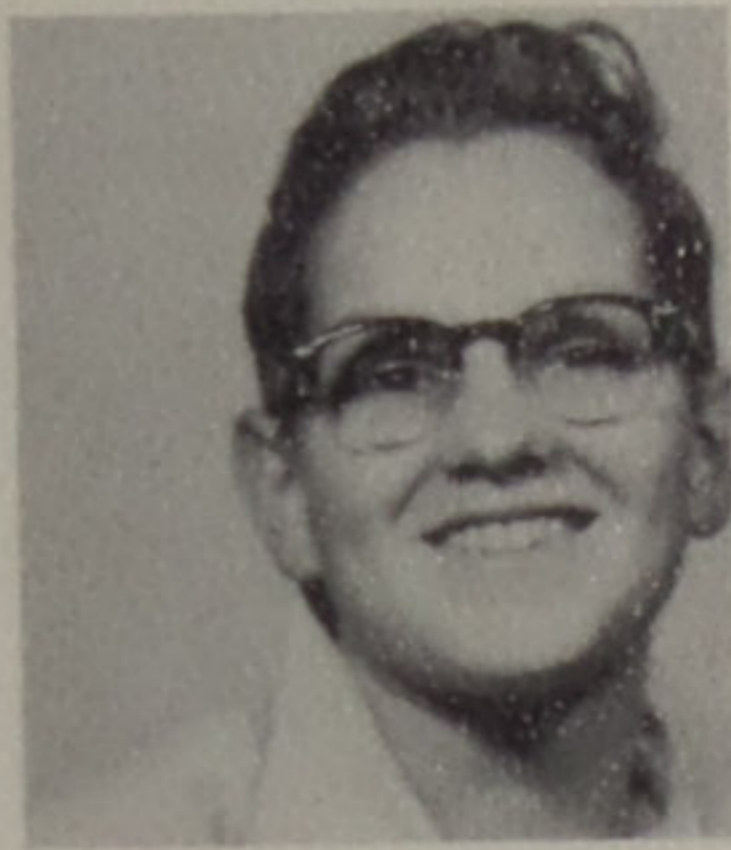
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Faye Reynolds



Wendell Roe



Bonnie Roffe



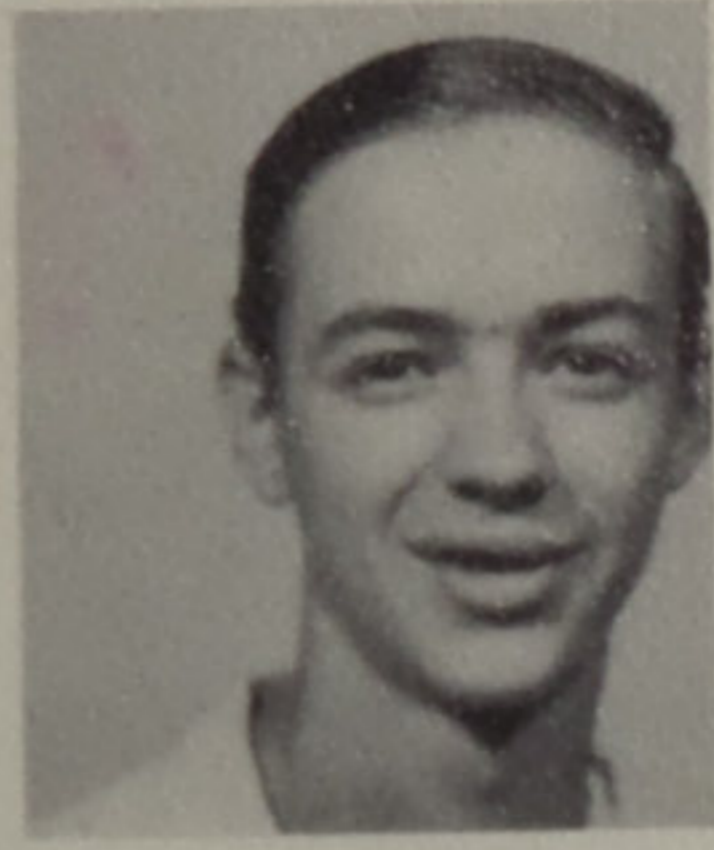
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Grol Sampson



Wanda Schisler



Tom Schomburg



Ruth Seidel



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Len Shonkwiler



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Nancy Stigall



Guy Swain



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Ruth Weaver



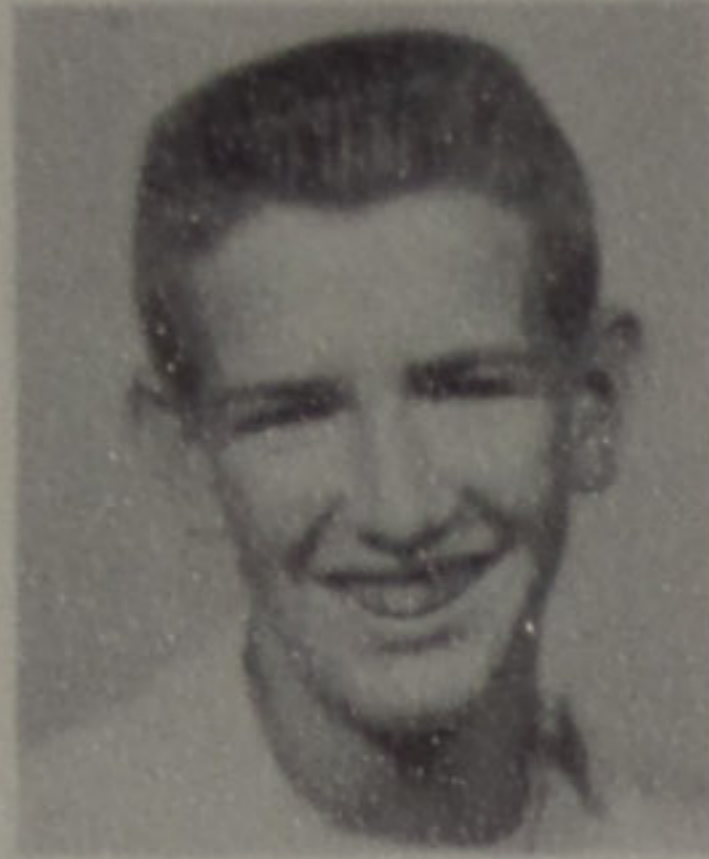
Jimmy White



Margaret Wiehl



Bill Williams



Everett Williams



Wanda Williams



Donna Williamson



Kay Wilson



Pat Wolgamott



Pat Yeagle



Sharon Zempter

TIME

O time, O time, reveal yourself
Who draws your hoary breath;
Is it the vivid vision life
Or the ghastly spectre death?

Why creep you on and never pause
To start again anew?
Still plod you on methodically
Until life's journey's through.

O time, O time, reverse yourself
Repeat your speeding ways
Give back to me for just one hour
Those happy yesterdays;

Those yesterdays so long ago
When youth and love did reign,
And never did a wandering thought
Turn to misery and pain.

O time, O time, I fear you not
You hold no divinity ---
When age has reached three score and ten
I have forever--infinity.

----L. J. Kennedy
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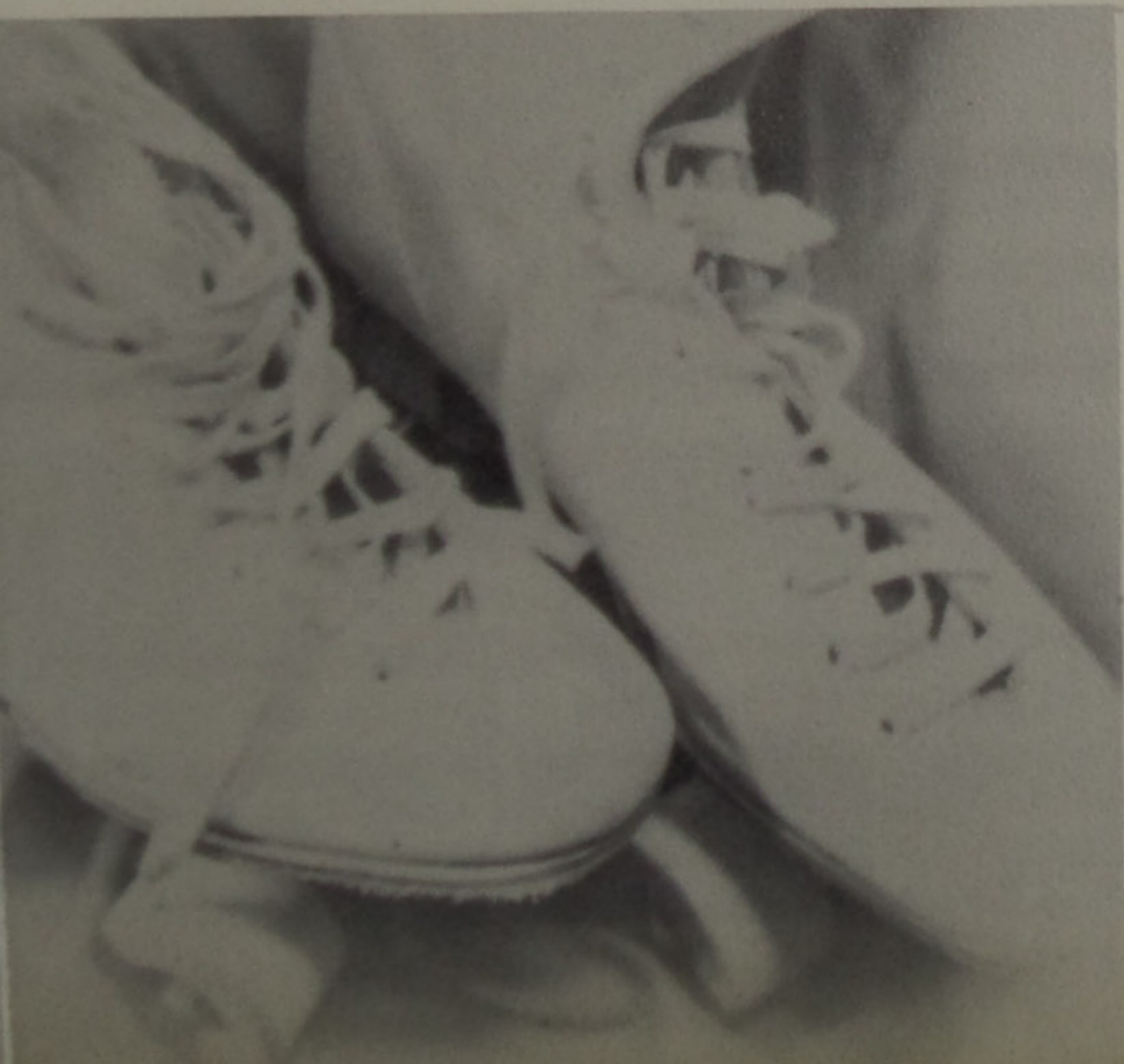
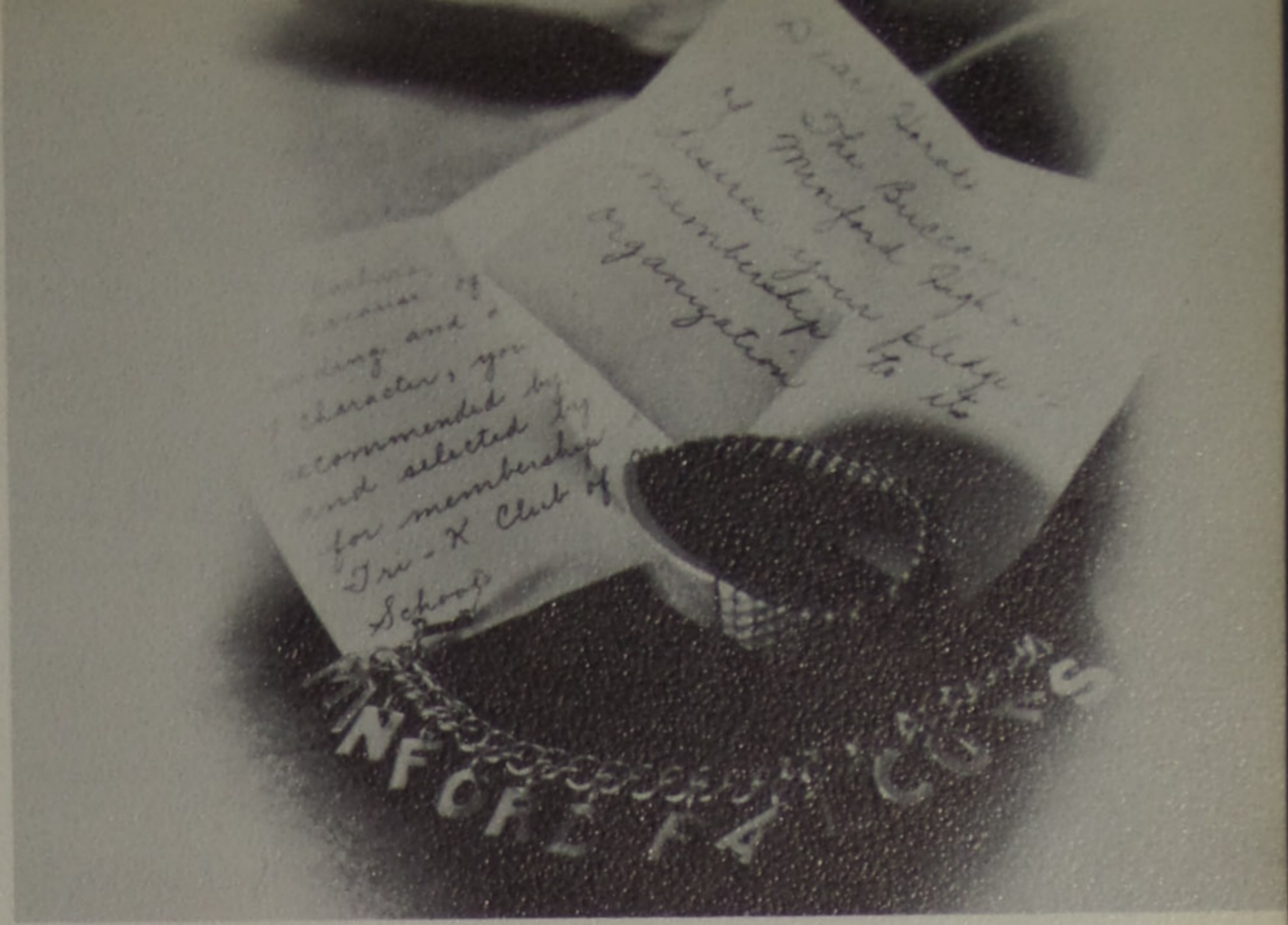
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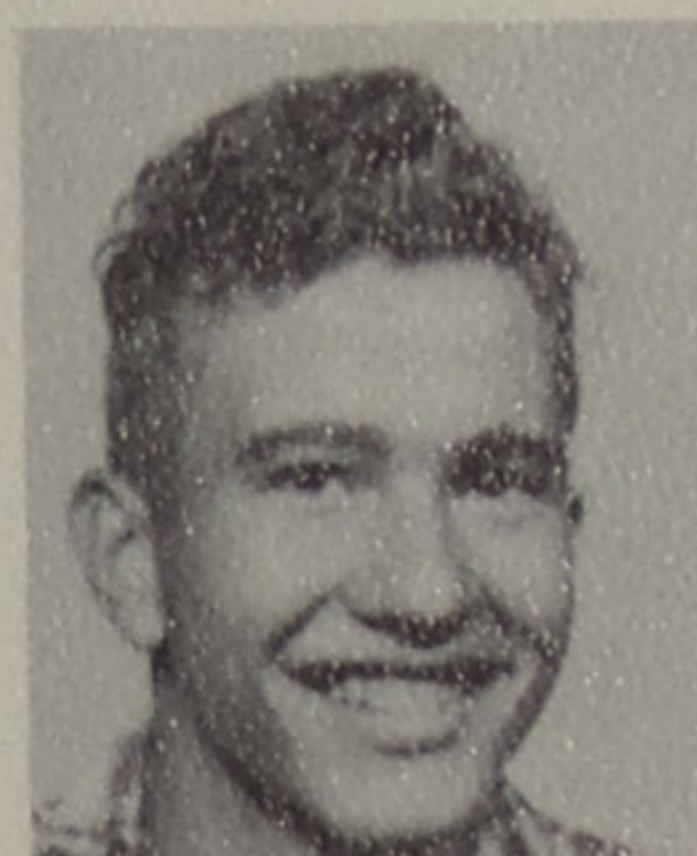
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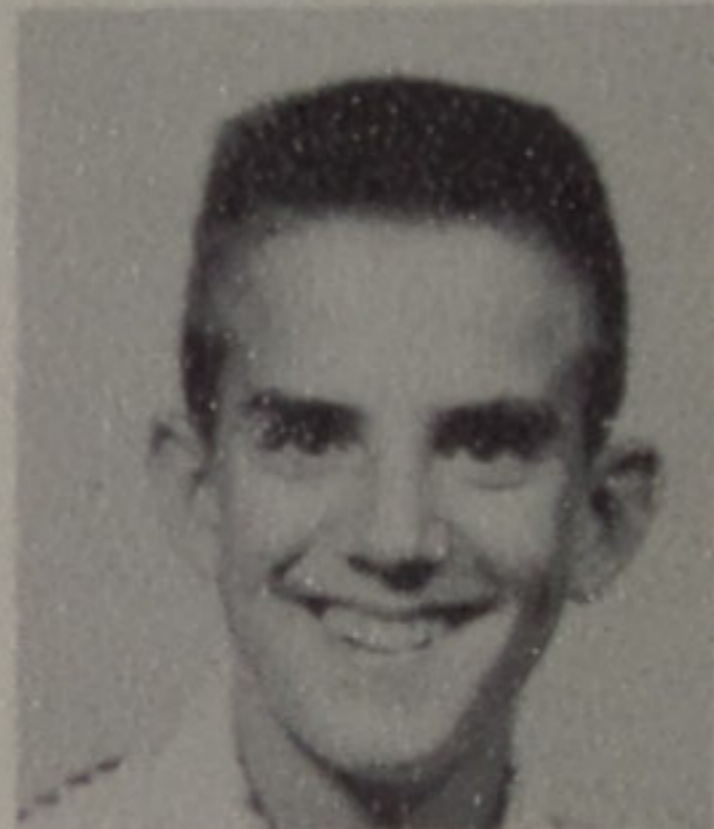
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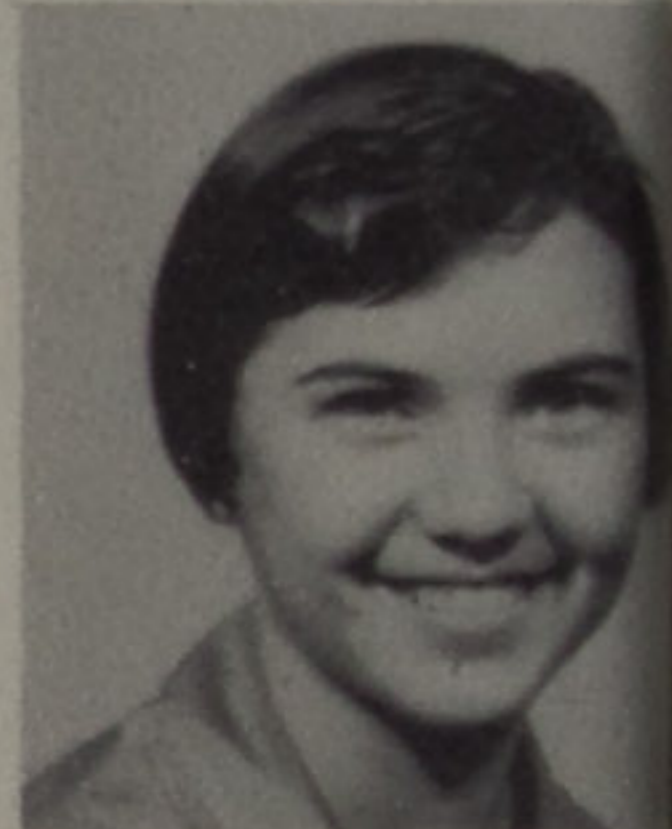
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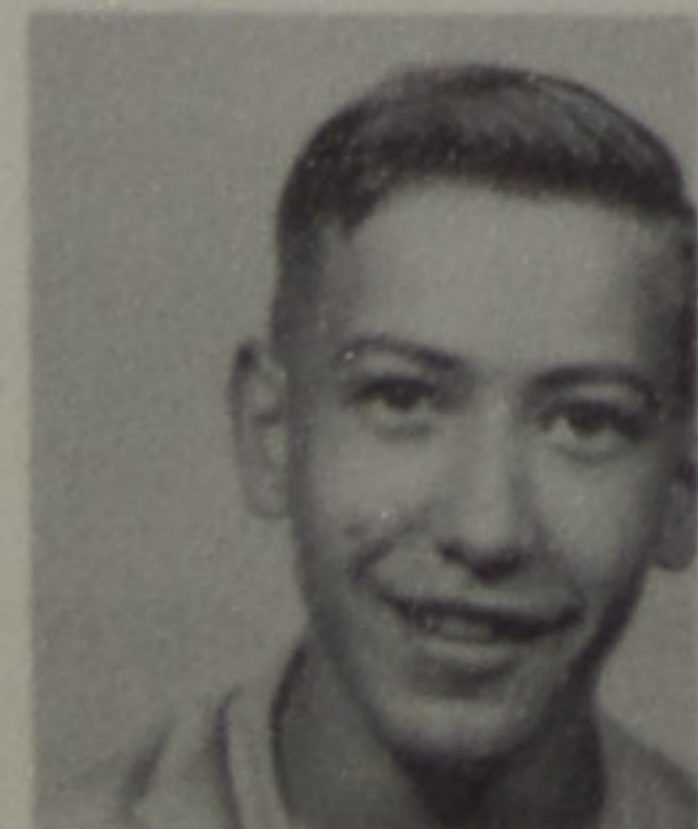
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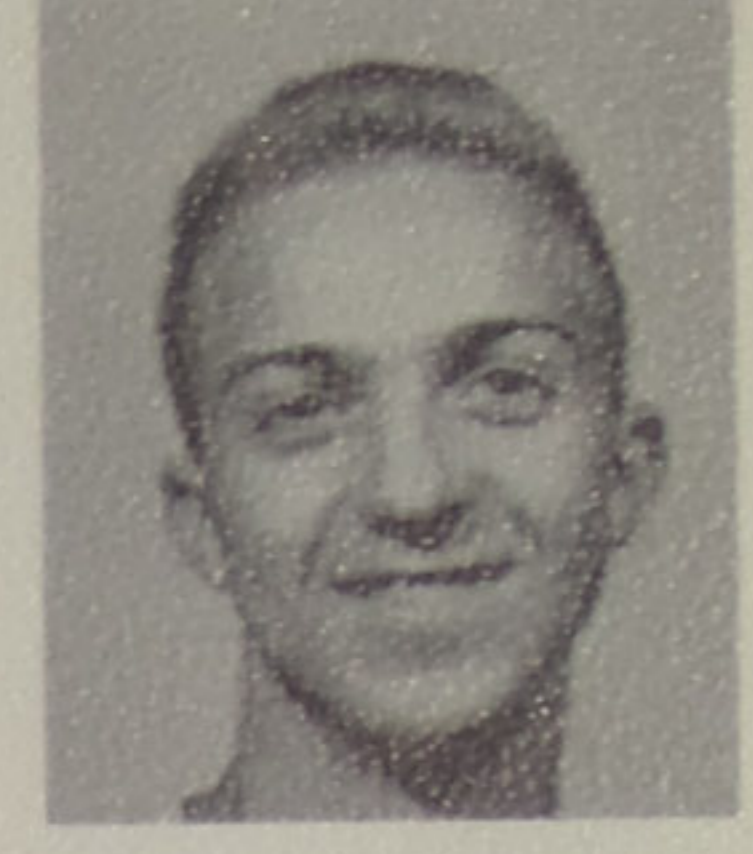
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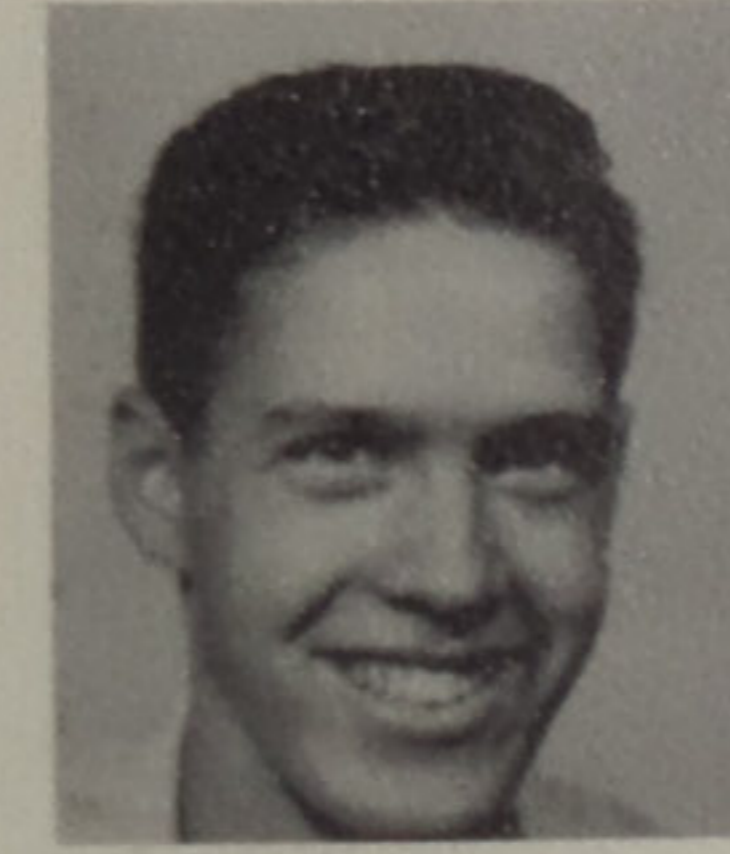
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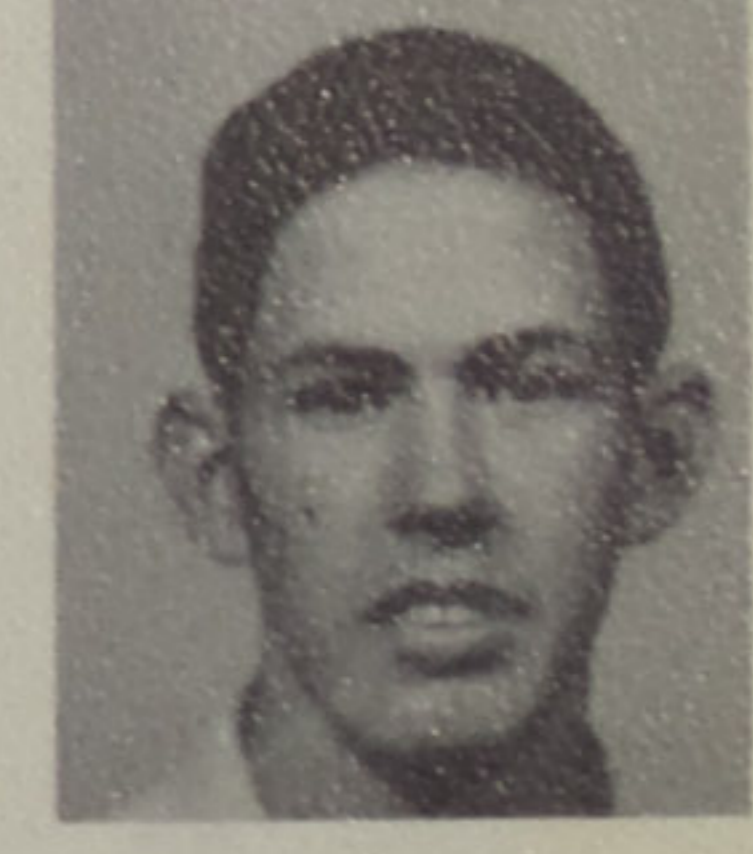
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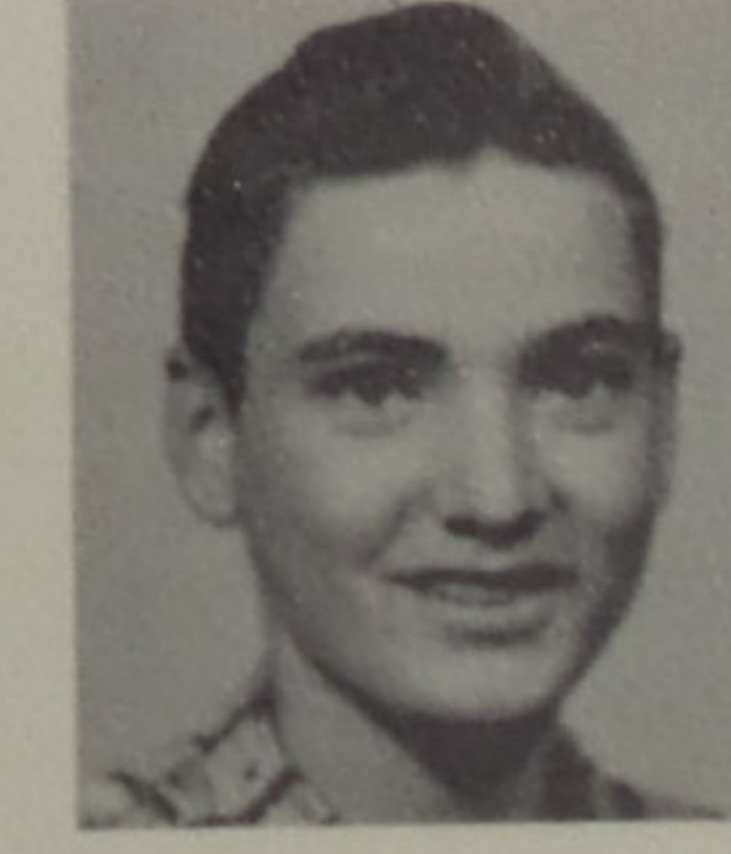
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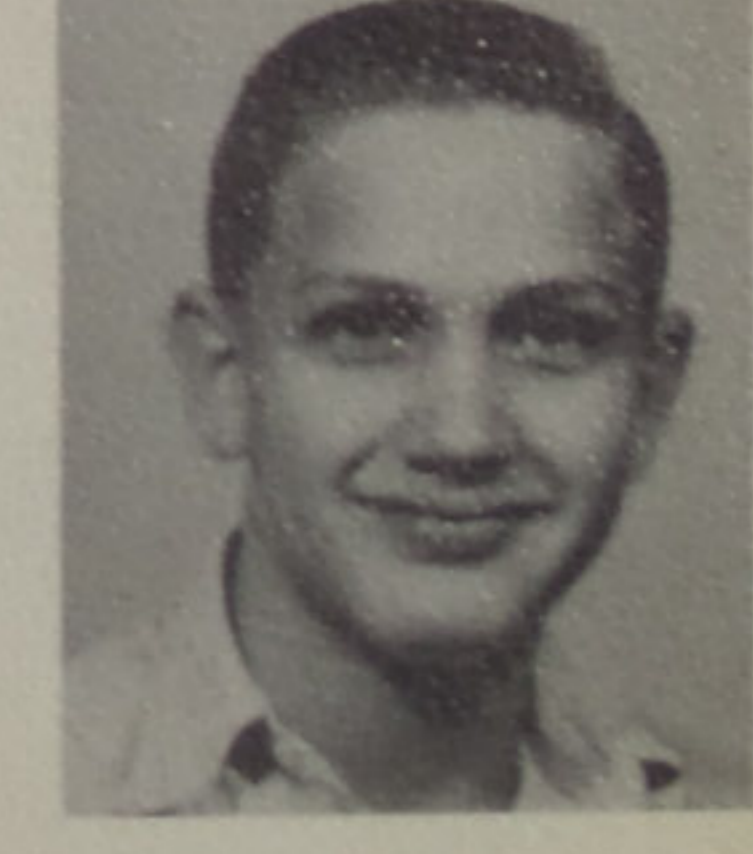
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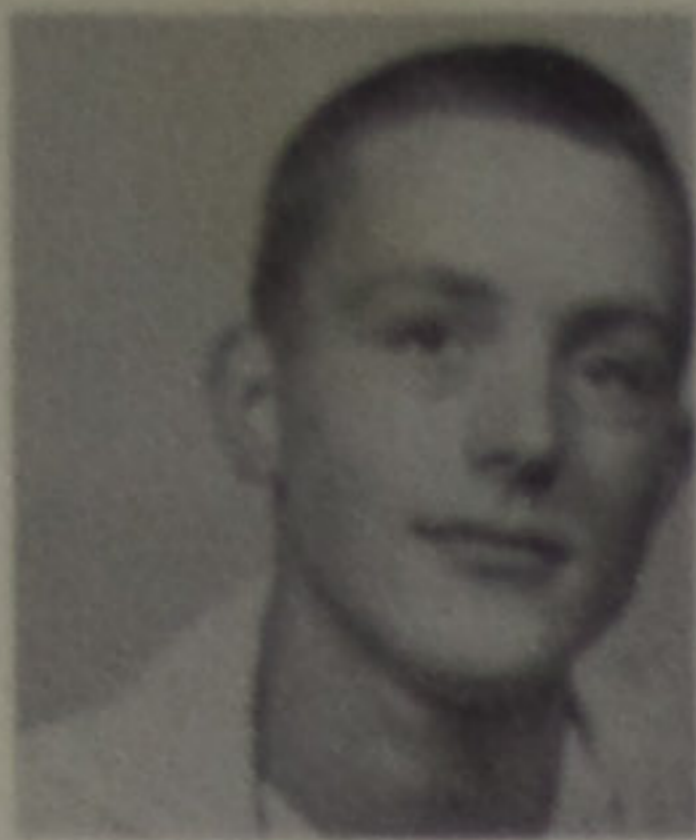
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Jonas Smith



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Roberta Stamm



Annette Stone



Larry Sturges



Tom Watters



Russell Webb



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Larry Veach



Art Young

NIGHTS SONG

I gaze into the cloudless skies
 Waiting for the moon to rise;
 And as from heavens boundless store
 The soft night shadows pour,
 And paint upon the scenes below
 Spirits dancing to and fro.
 Quiet, waiting the earth still lies,
 Watching, with a thousand eyes,
 The eastern hills to see the first
 Moonbeam from the darkness burst,
 Comes o're the smallest tree the gleam
 Of a queenly moon's first timid beam.
 One beam, then two, and four-----
 The number grows ten thousand more;
 Low hangs it like a pumpkin head
 Its face all yellow streaked with red
 And pauses briefly as to rest
 Then begins its journey west.
 The golden disk fades to a sphere
 Whose silver light seems so near
 That for a moment near its birth
 It seems that it should rub the earth.

Above the hills it slowly flees
 Skimming low above the trees.
 Its magic beams softly fall
 Upon a secluded garden wall;
 And there beside a crumbling gate
 The spirit love lies in wait
 And from an upturned pair of lips
 A kisses' dewy nectar sips
 A lover whose soul so free
 Is elevated to ecstasy.
 Softly, slowly, shadows creep
 And lull a weary world to sleep.
 High above the hills of green
 The moon looks down on earth serene
 And from the silver disk comes light
 So beautiful that human sight
 Cannot encompass the smallest ray
 To give it hope through dreary day.
 Bows even cricket to sleep's hands
 As eyes are blinded with the sands
 Of rest. And through the ether swell
 The final sounds "All is well".

---- L. J. Kennedy
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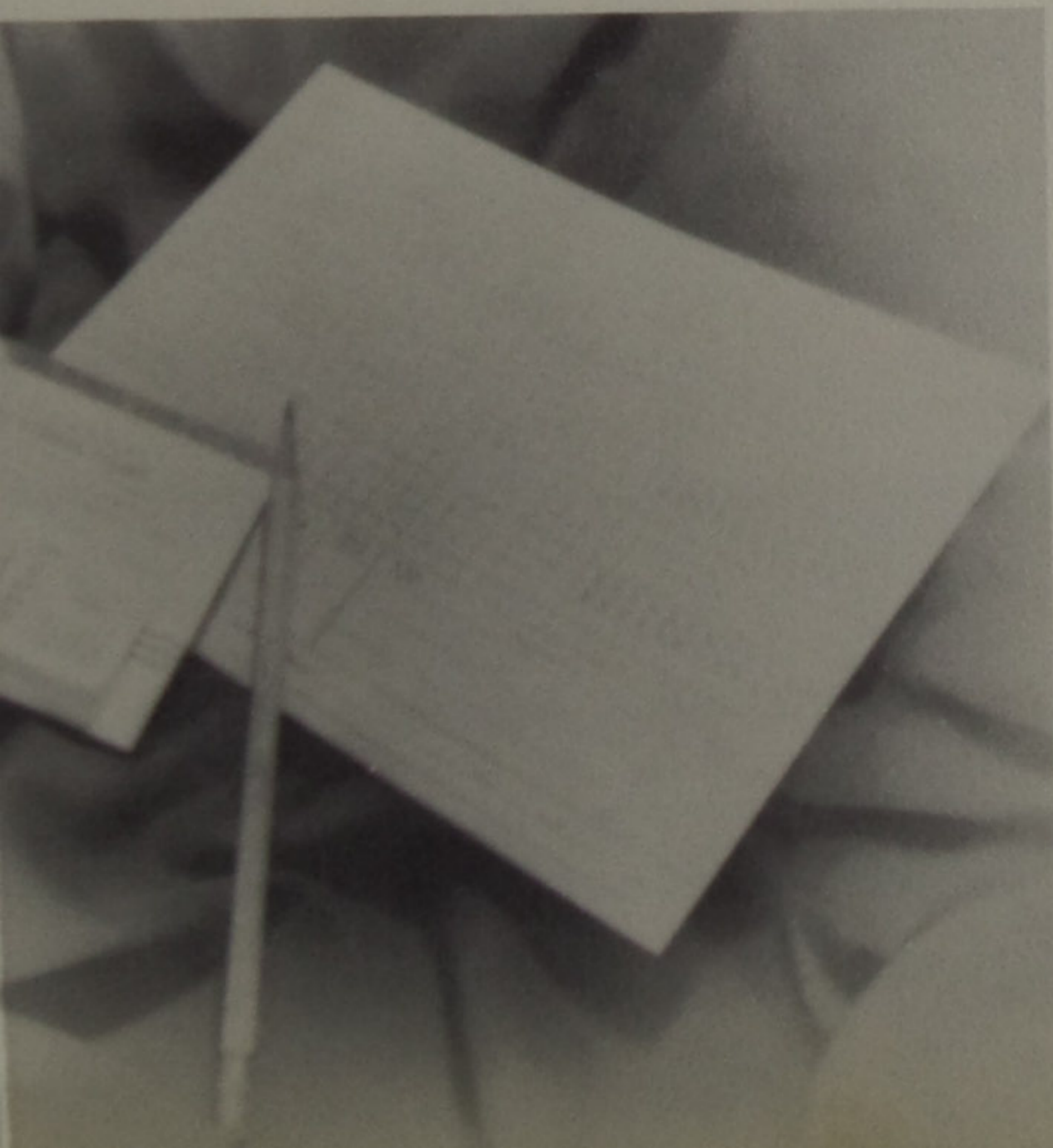
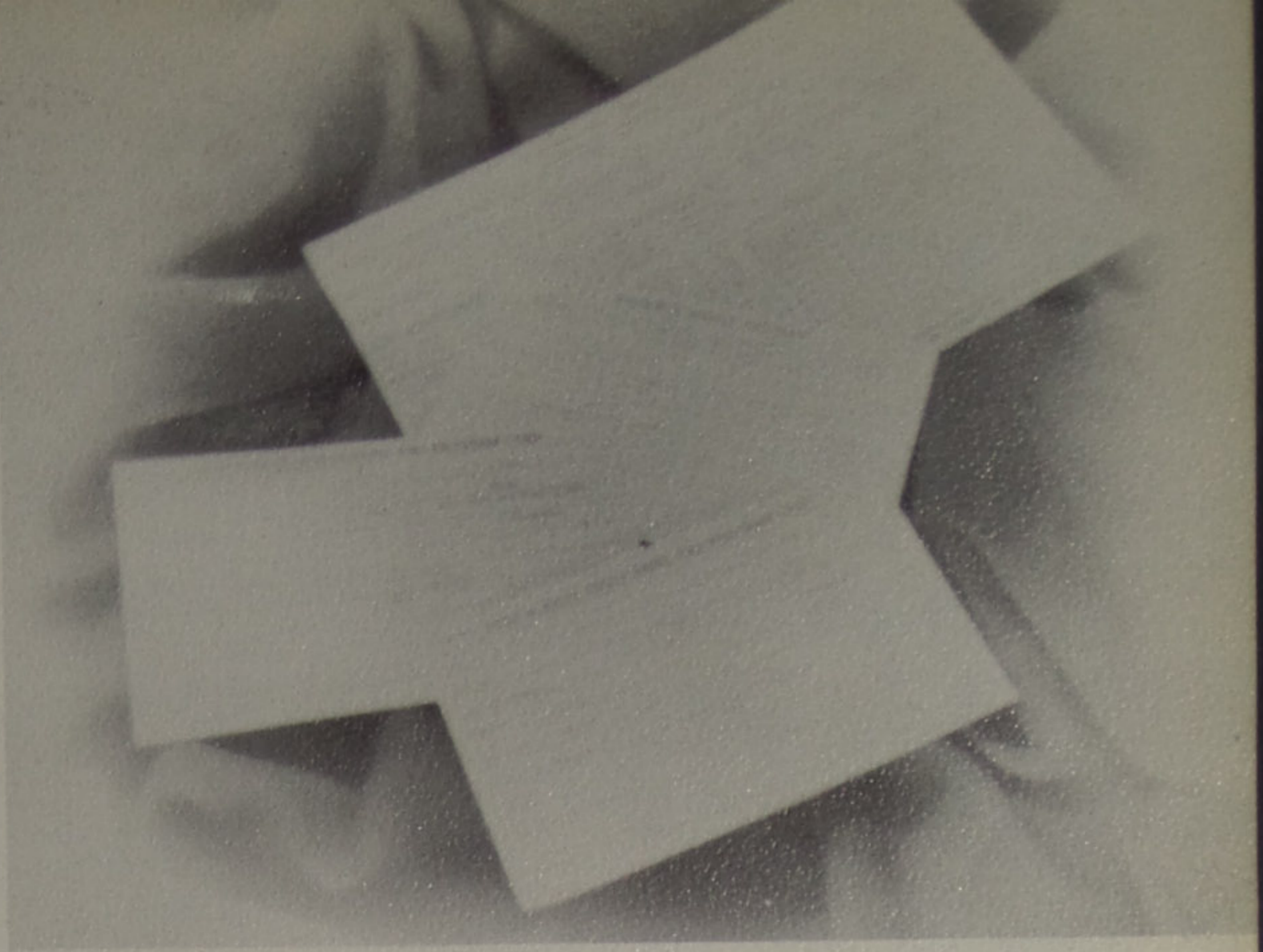
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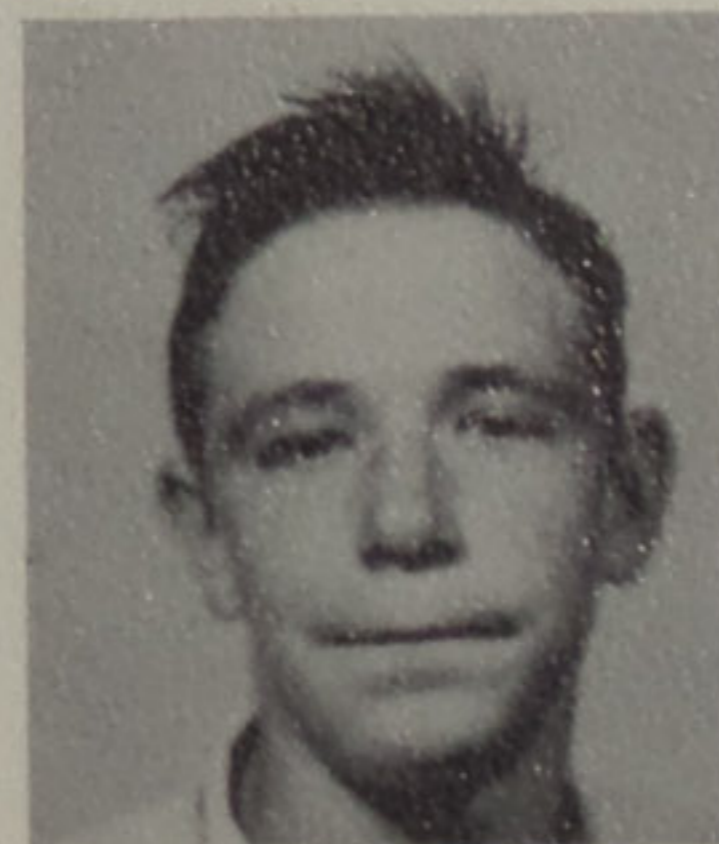
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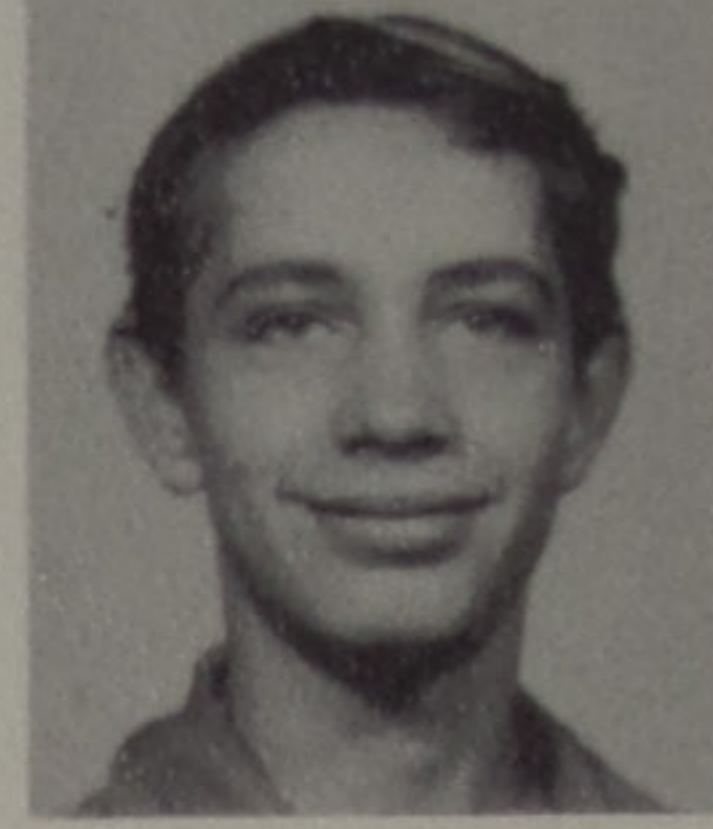
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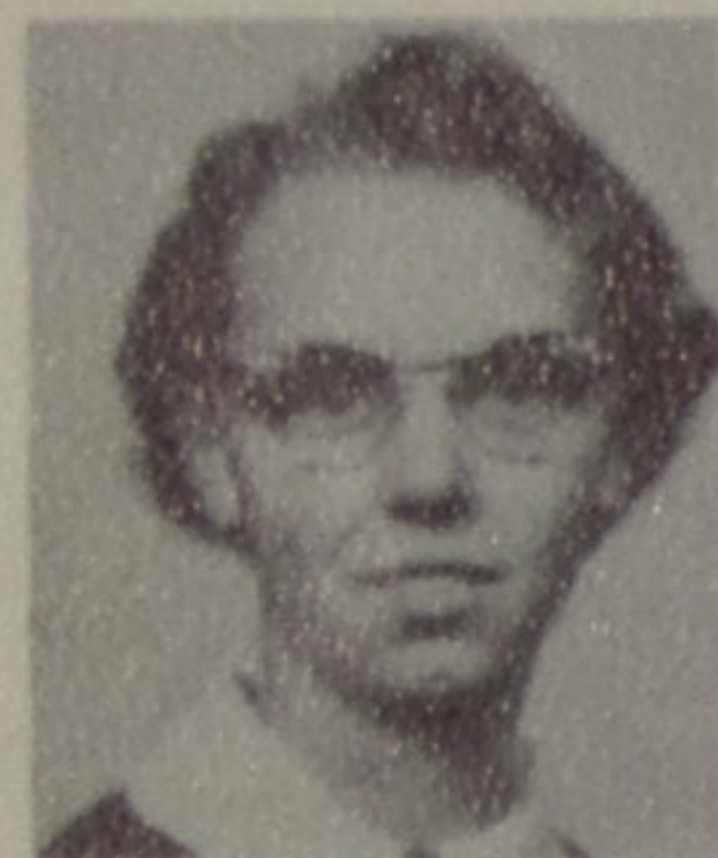
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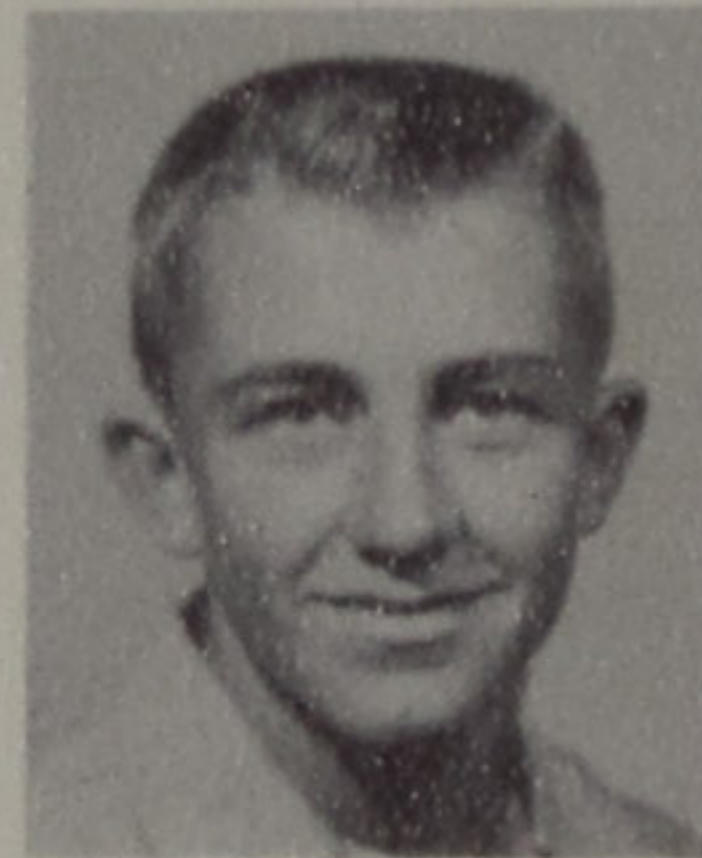
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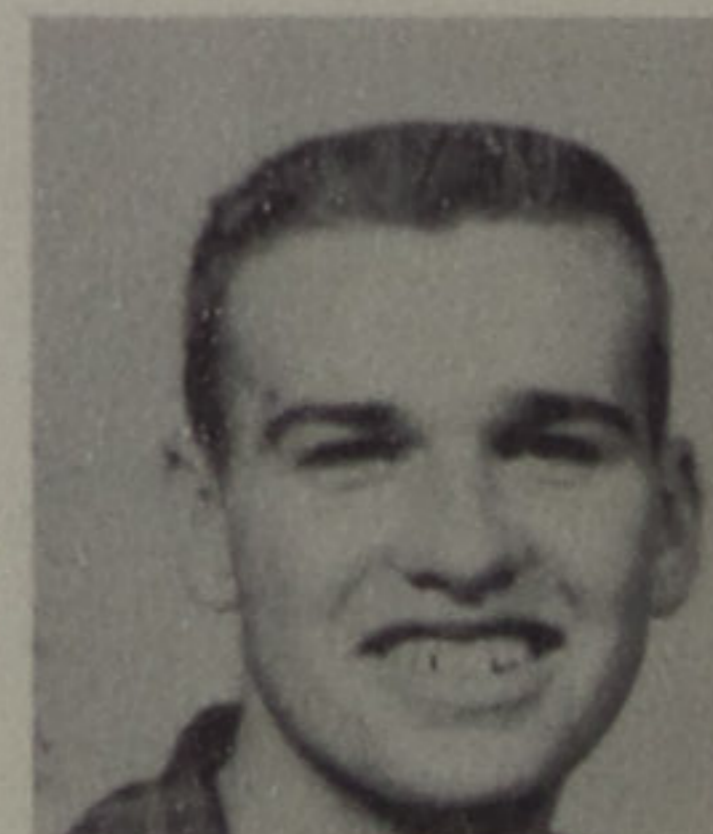
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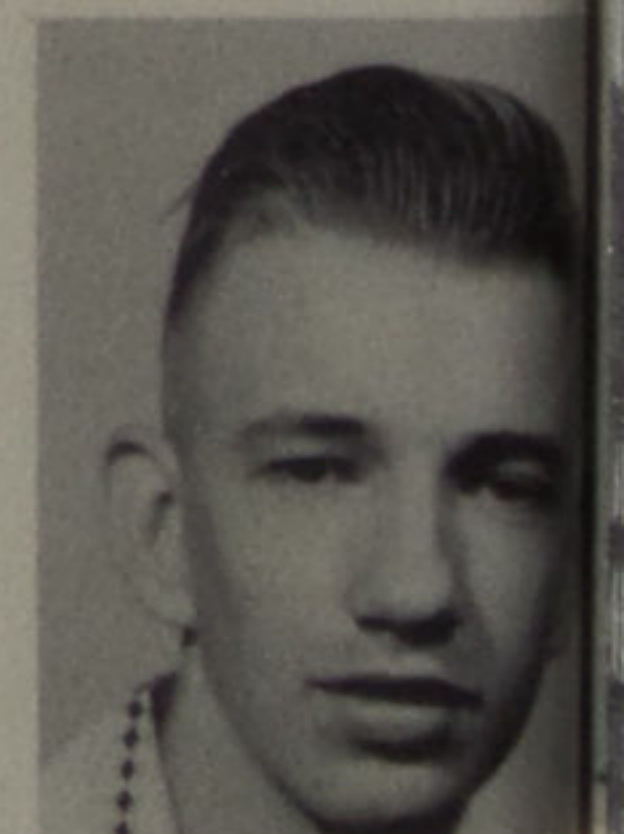
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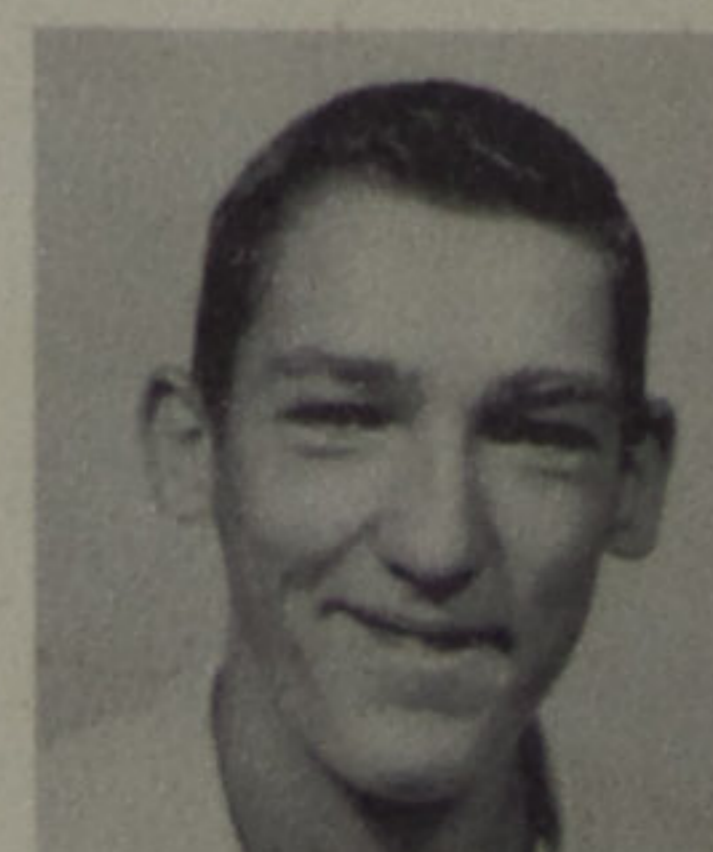
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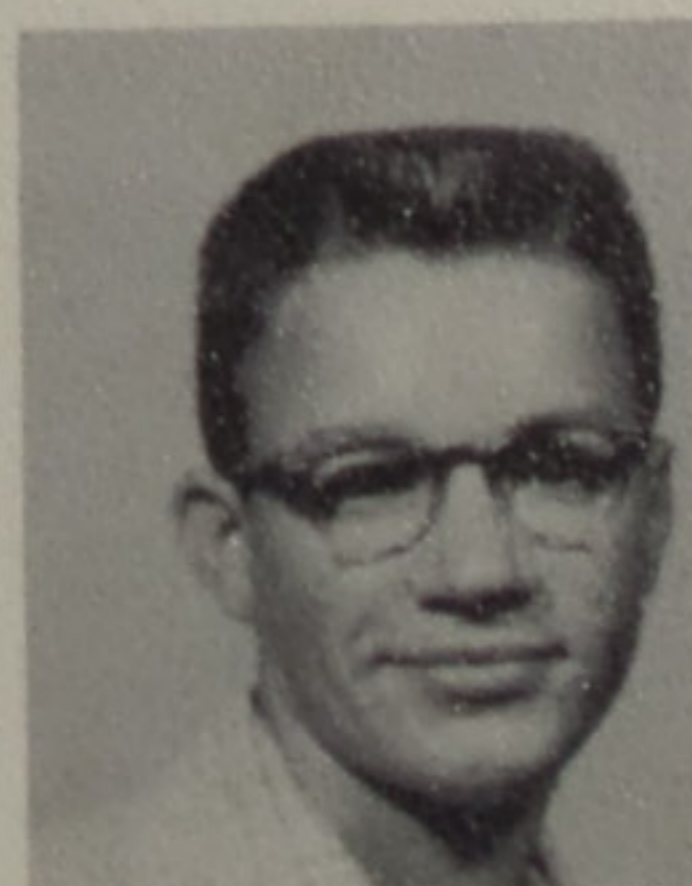
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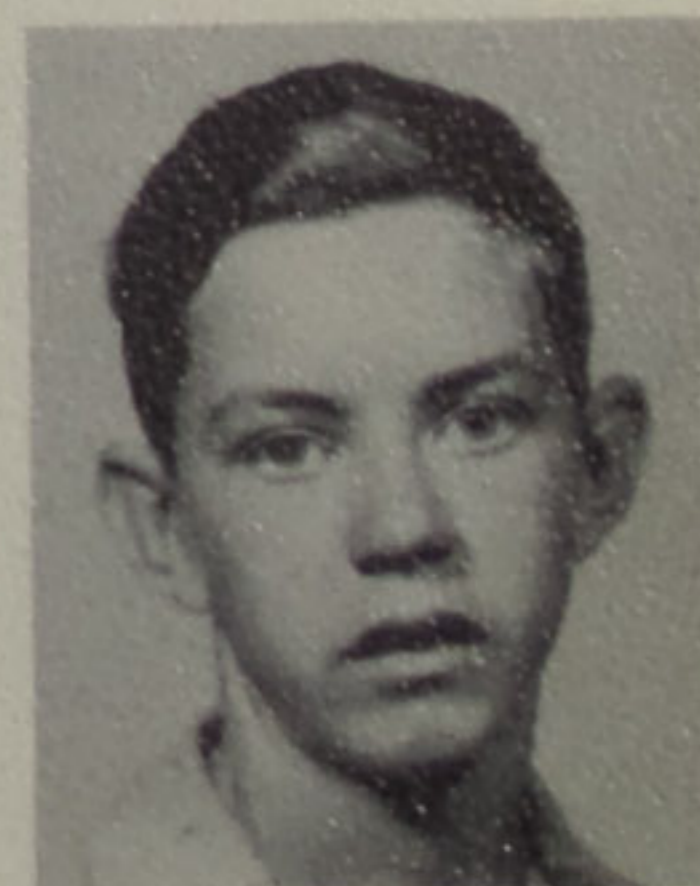
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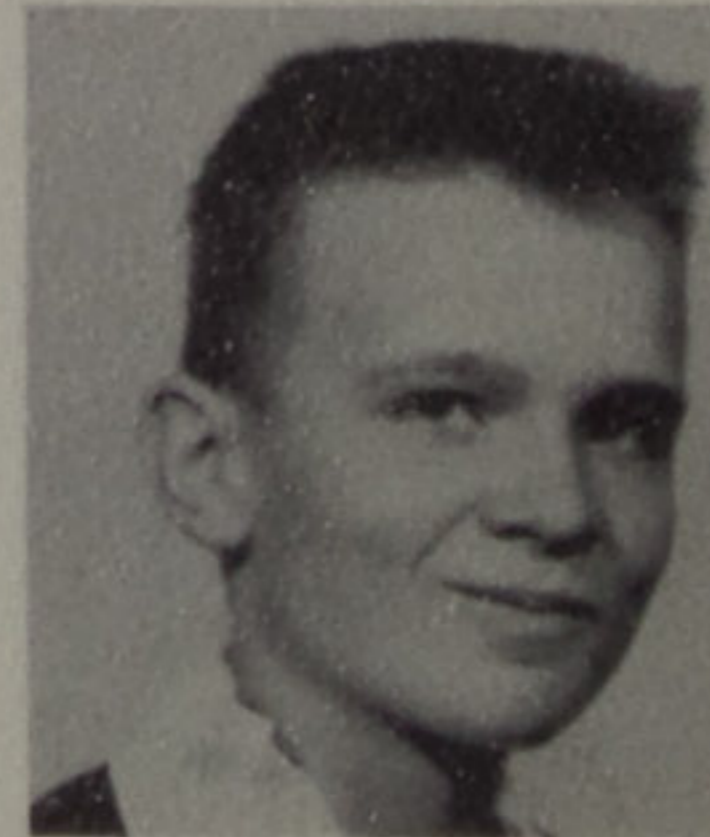
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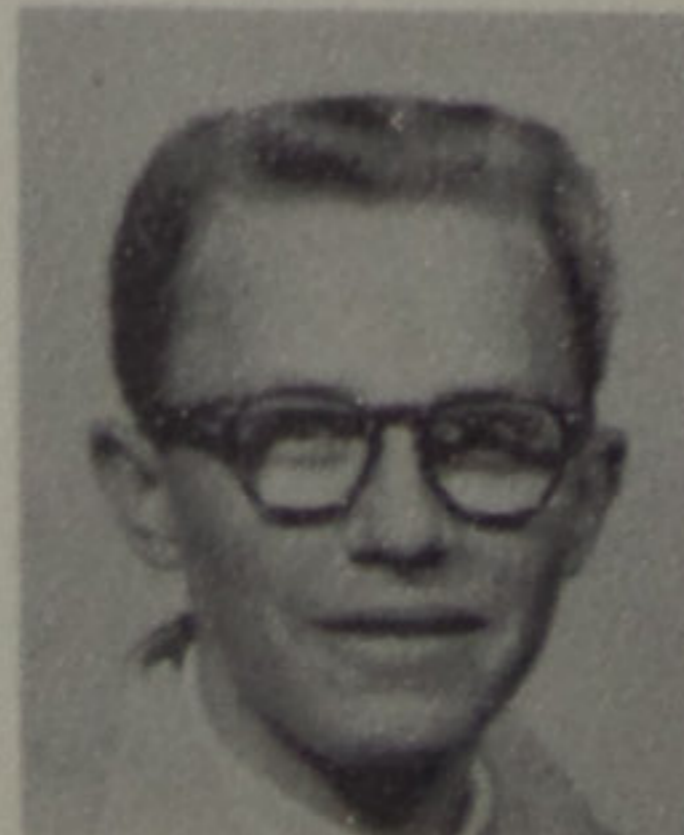
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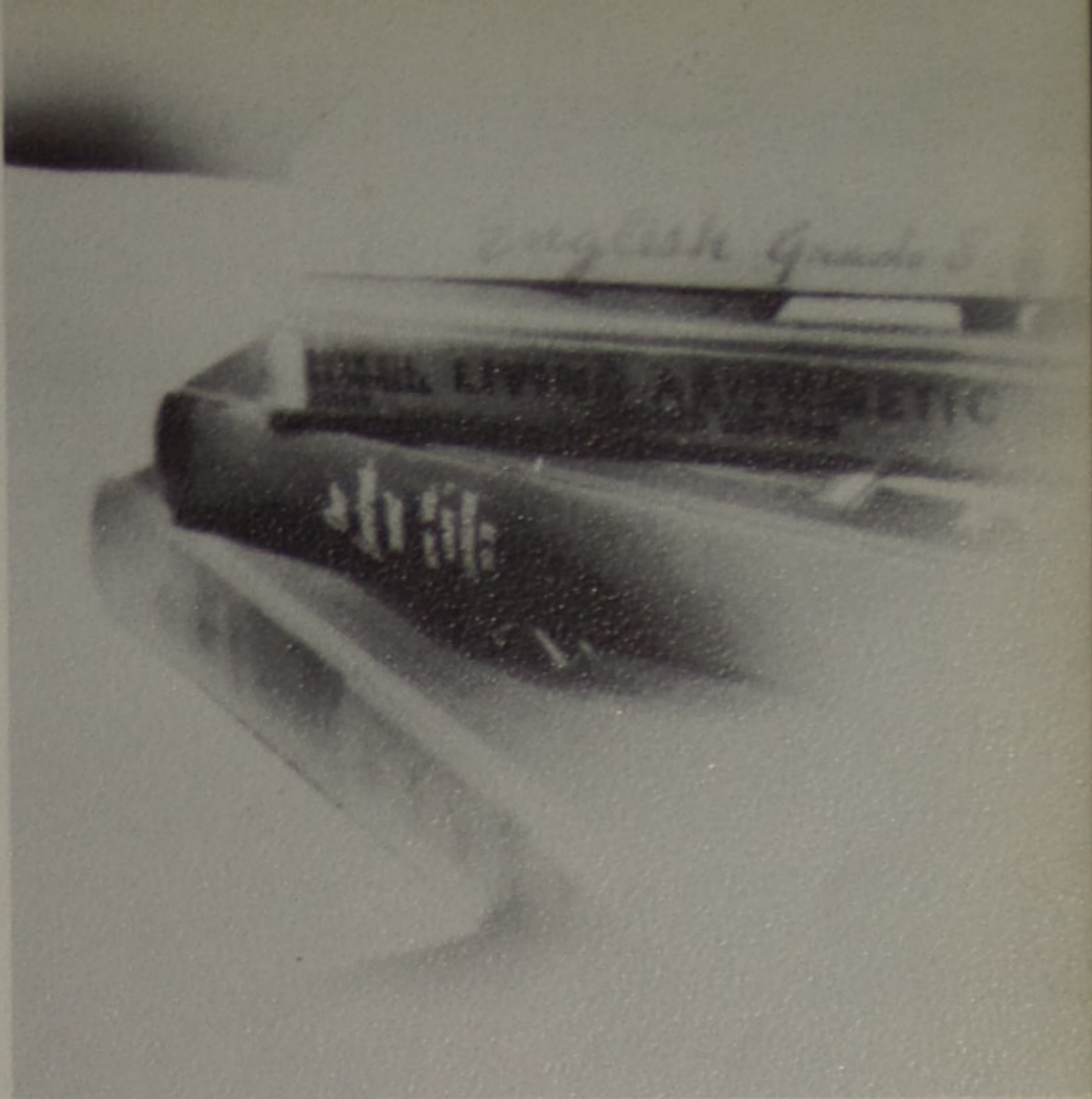
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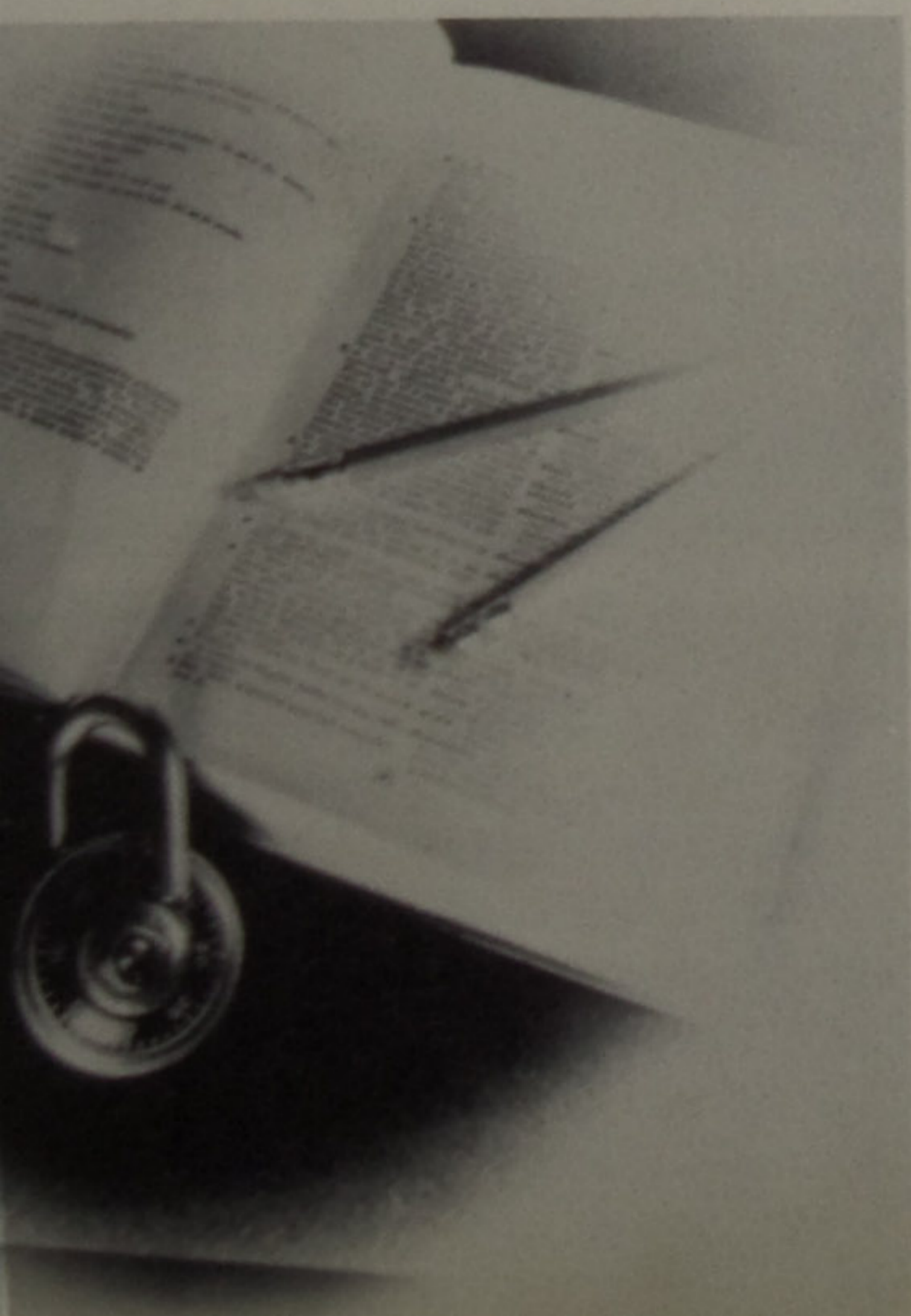
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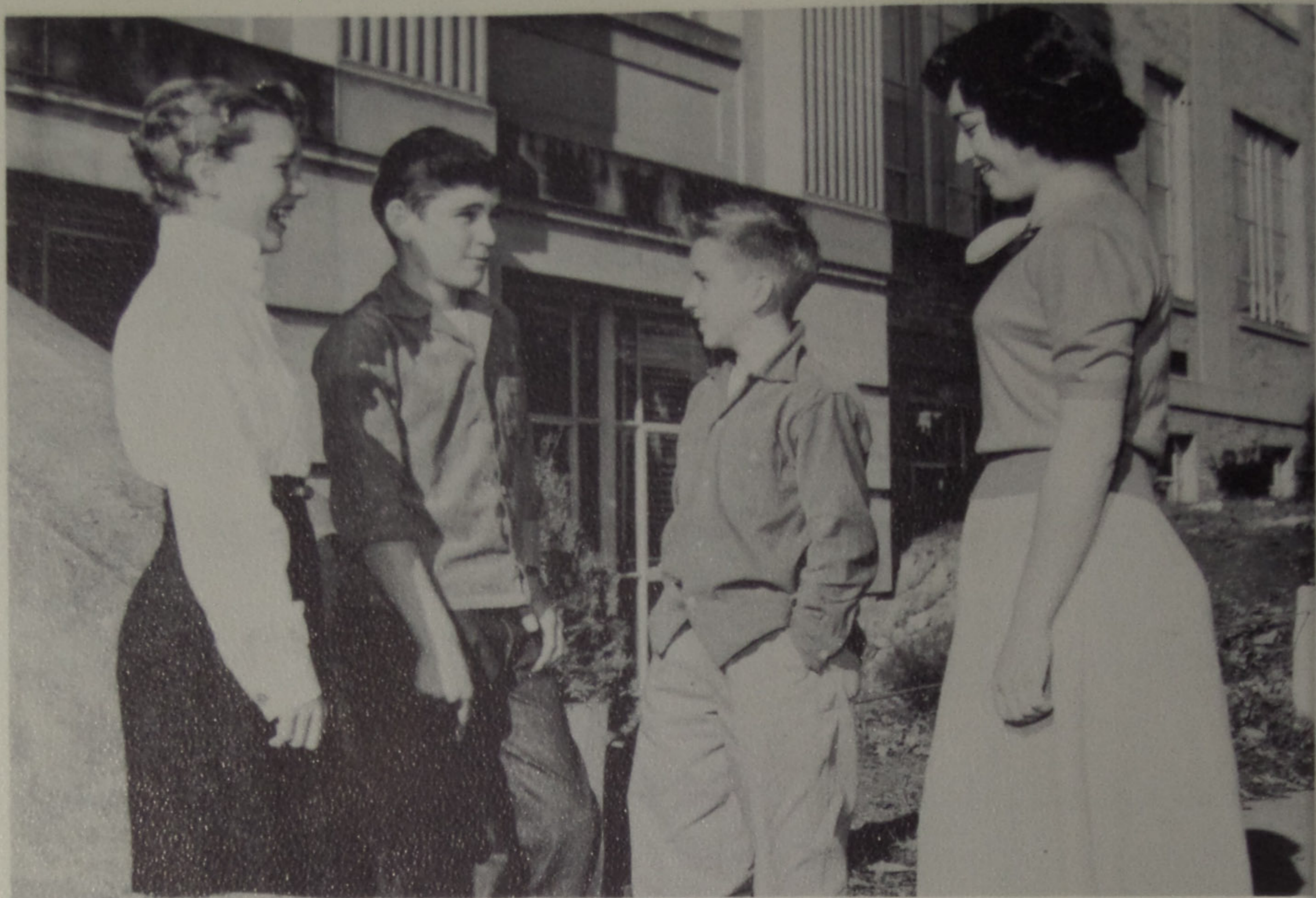


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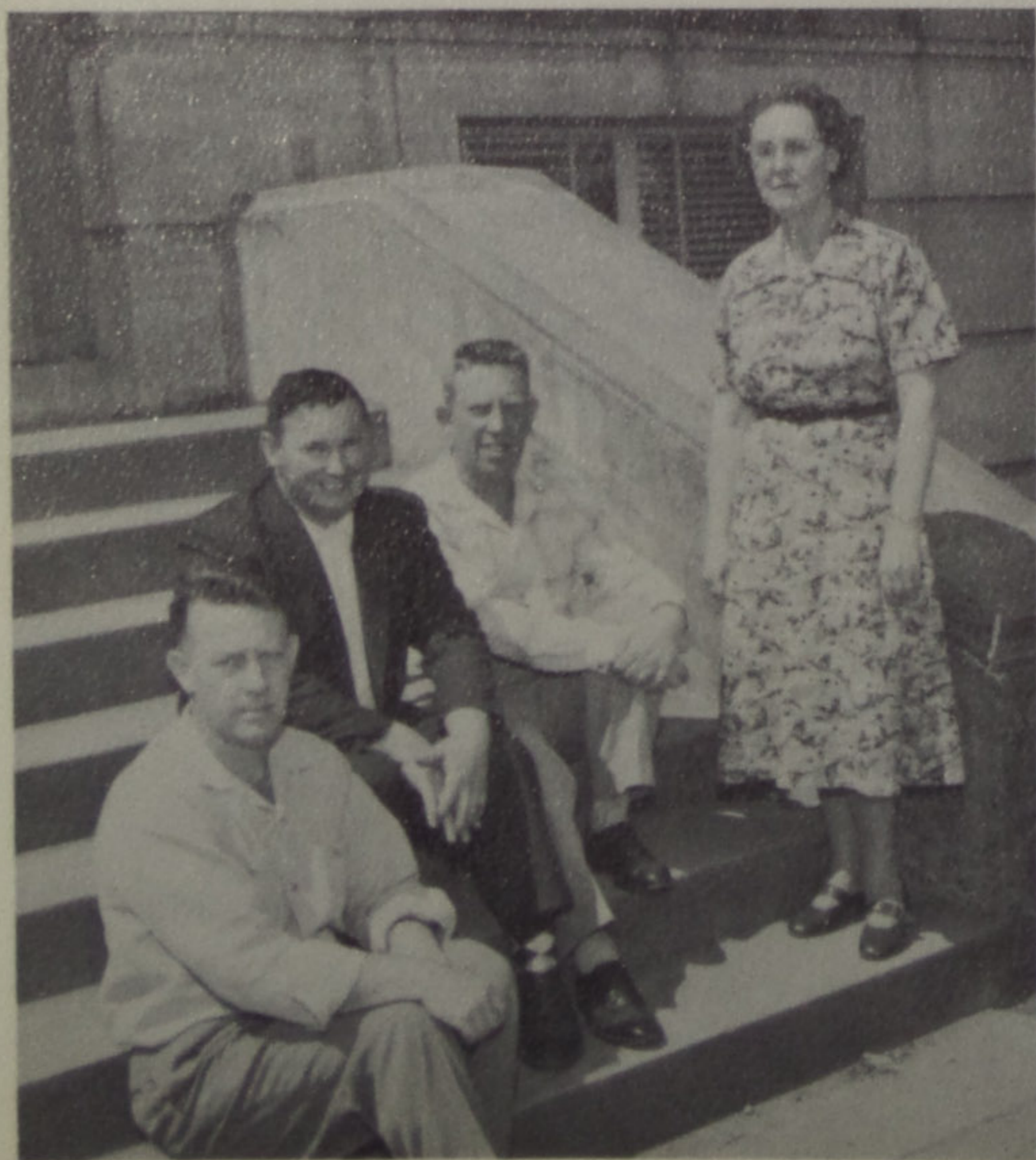
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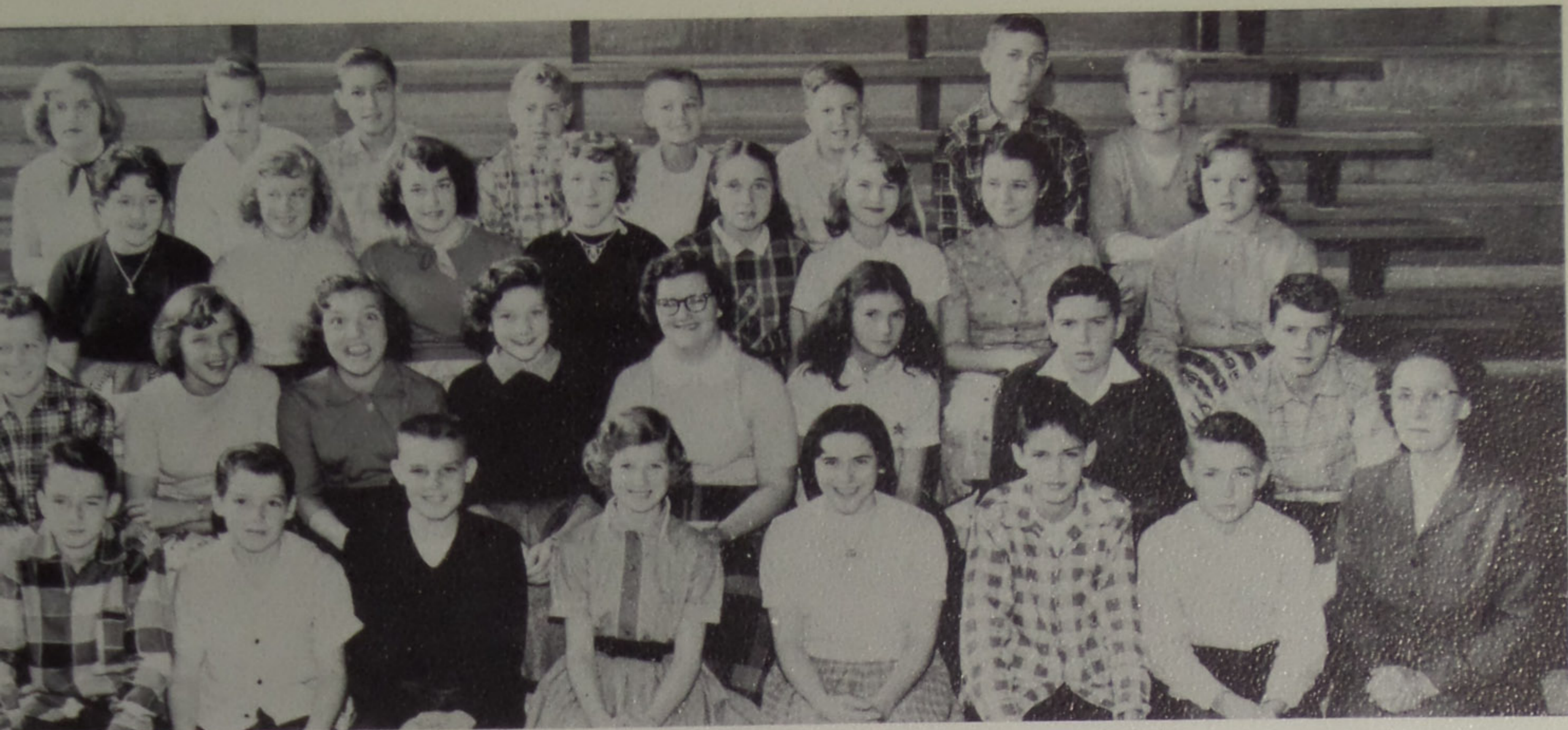
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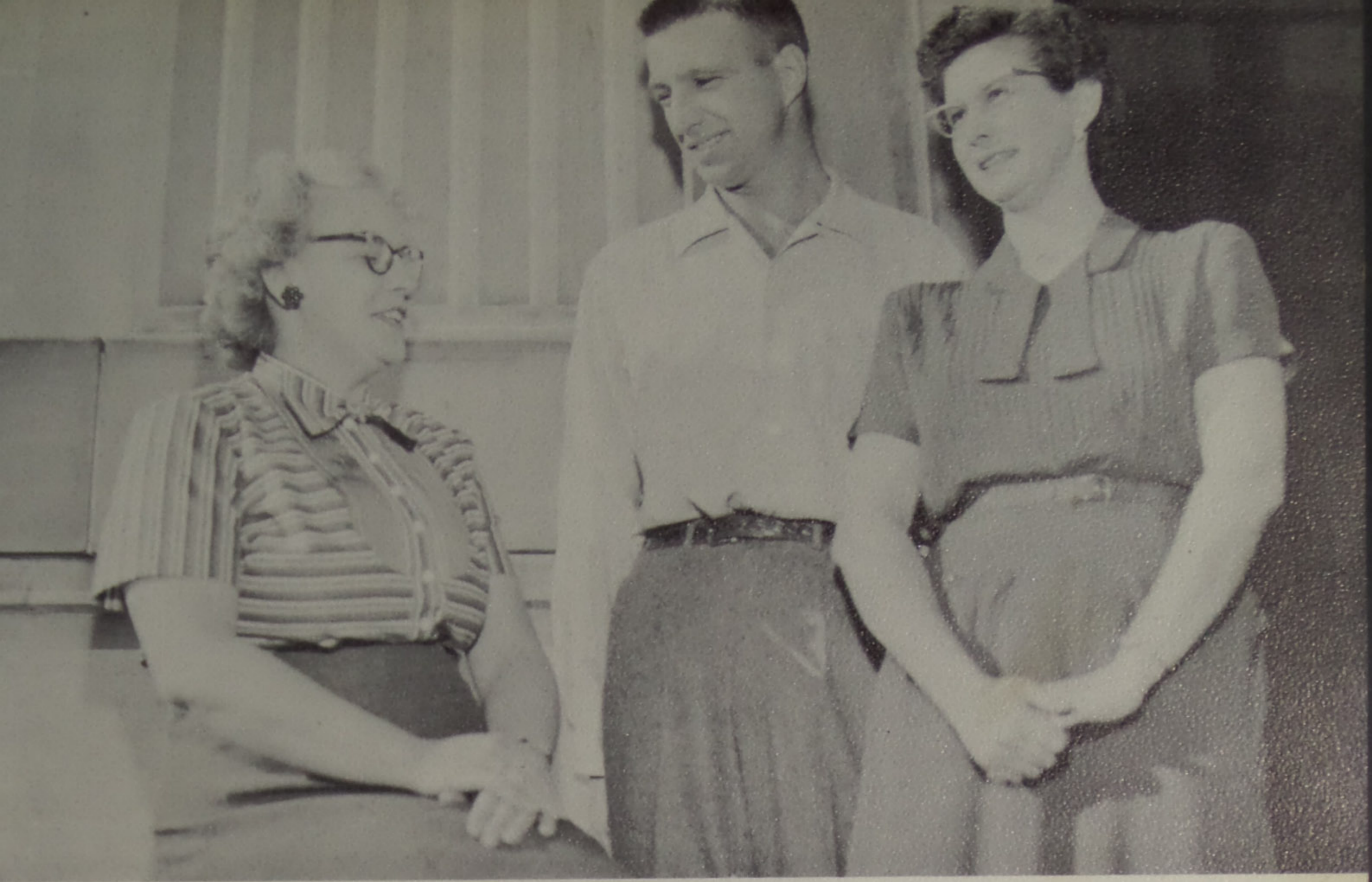
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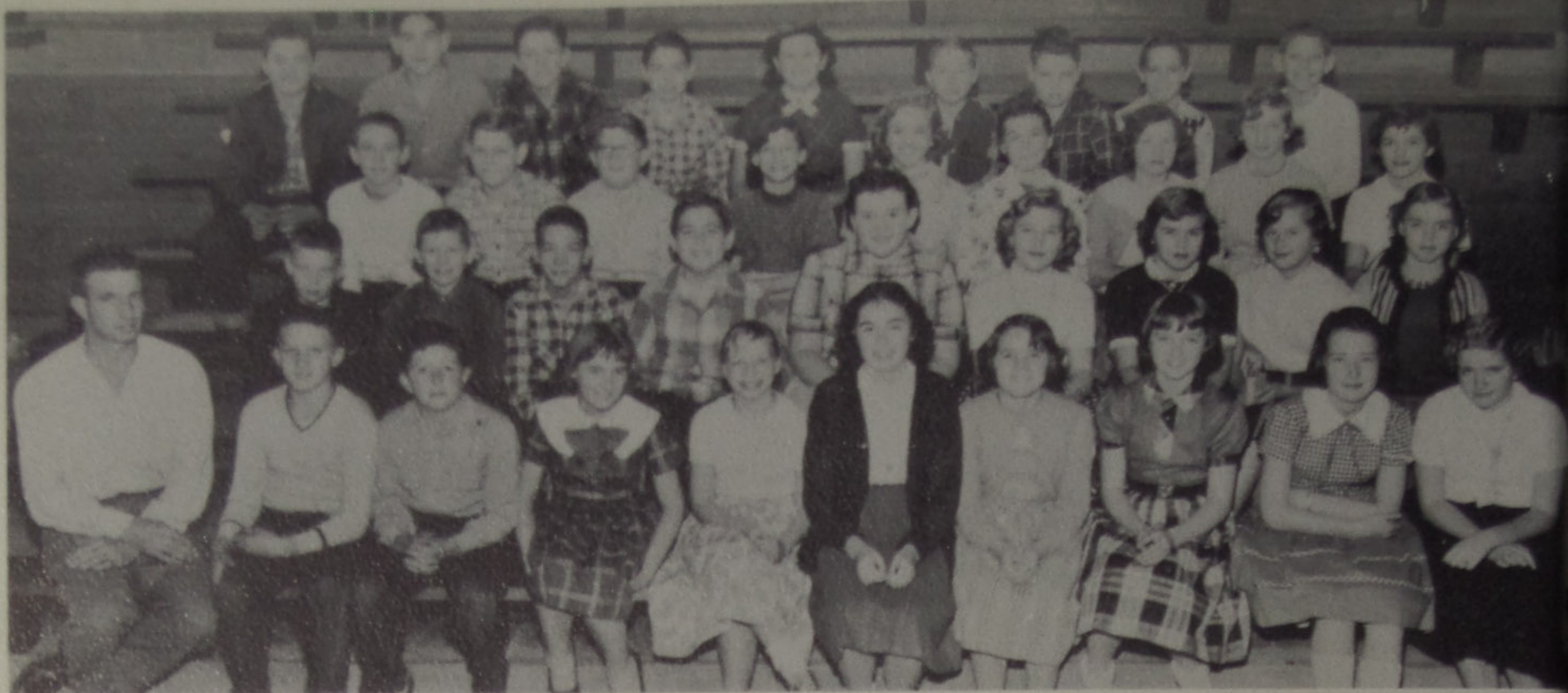
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Rudyard Kipling

If you can keep your head when all
 about you
 Are losing theirs and blaming it on
 you,
 If you can trust yourself when all
 men doubt you,
 But make allowance for their doubt-
 ing too;
 If you can wait and not be tired by
 waiting,
 Or being lied about, don't deal in
 lies,
 Or being hated don't give way to
 hating,
 And yet don't look too good, nor
 talk too wise:

If you can talk with crowds and keep
 your virtue,
 Or walk with Kings--nor lose the
 common touch,
 If neither foes nor loving friends
 can hurt you,
 If all men count with you, but none
 too much;
 If you can fill the unforgiving
 minute
 With sixty seconds' worth of distance
 run,
 Yours is the Earth and everything that's
 in it,
 And---which is more---you'll be a
 Man, my son!



HONORABLE MENTION EIGHTH GRADE STATE TEST

FIRST ROW: Freda Adkins, Eloise Smith, Marilyn Smith, Edie Sims, Sue Barker. SECOND ROW: Mary Flannery, Jeannie Pflieger, Janet Wheeler, Karen Powell, Carol Irwin, Kay Kitchen. THIRD ROW: Tommy Brisker, Bob Dawson, Charles Strickland, Joe Bennett.



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QUEEN'S COURT



Carole Sue Johnson



Ruth Seidel



Marilyn Montgomery



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HOMECOMING QUEEN----Mary Ann Jenkins



HOMECOMING QUEEN AND HER COURT



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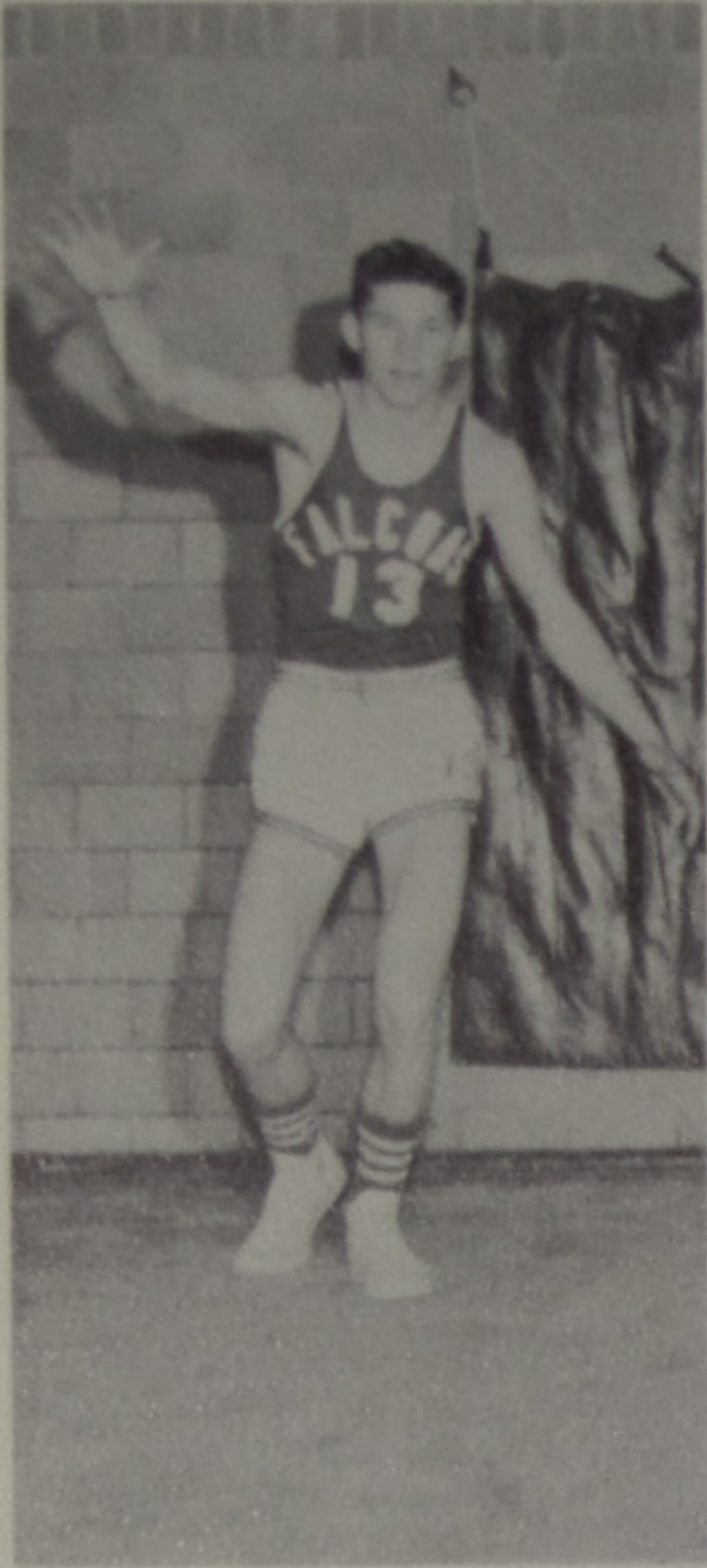
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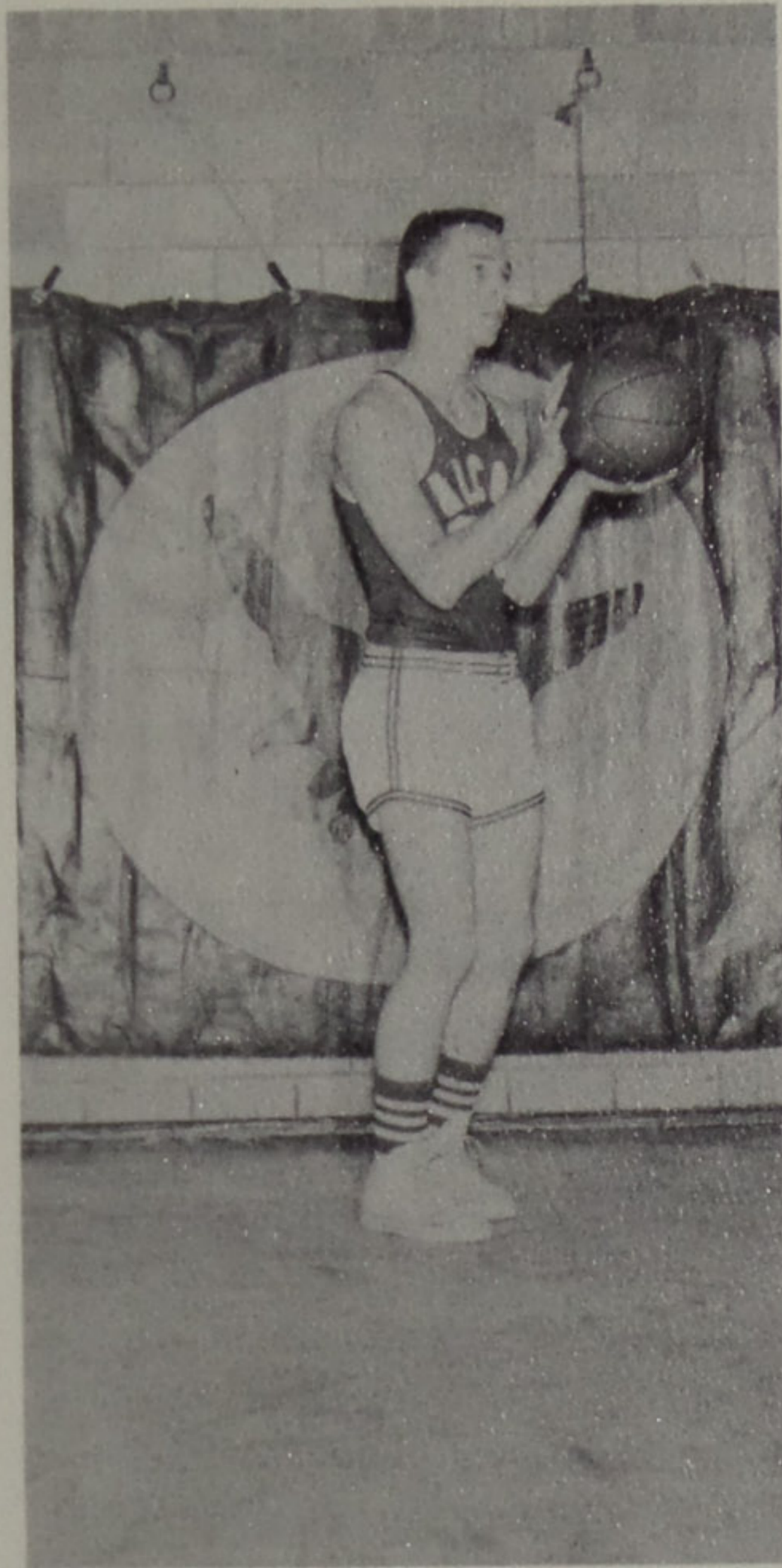


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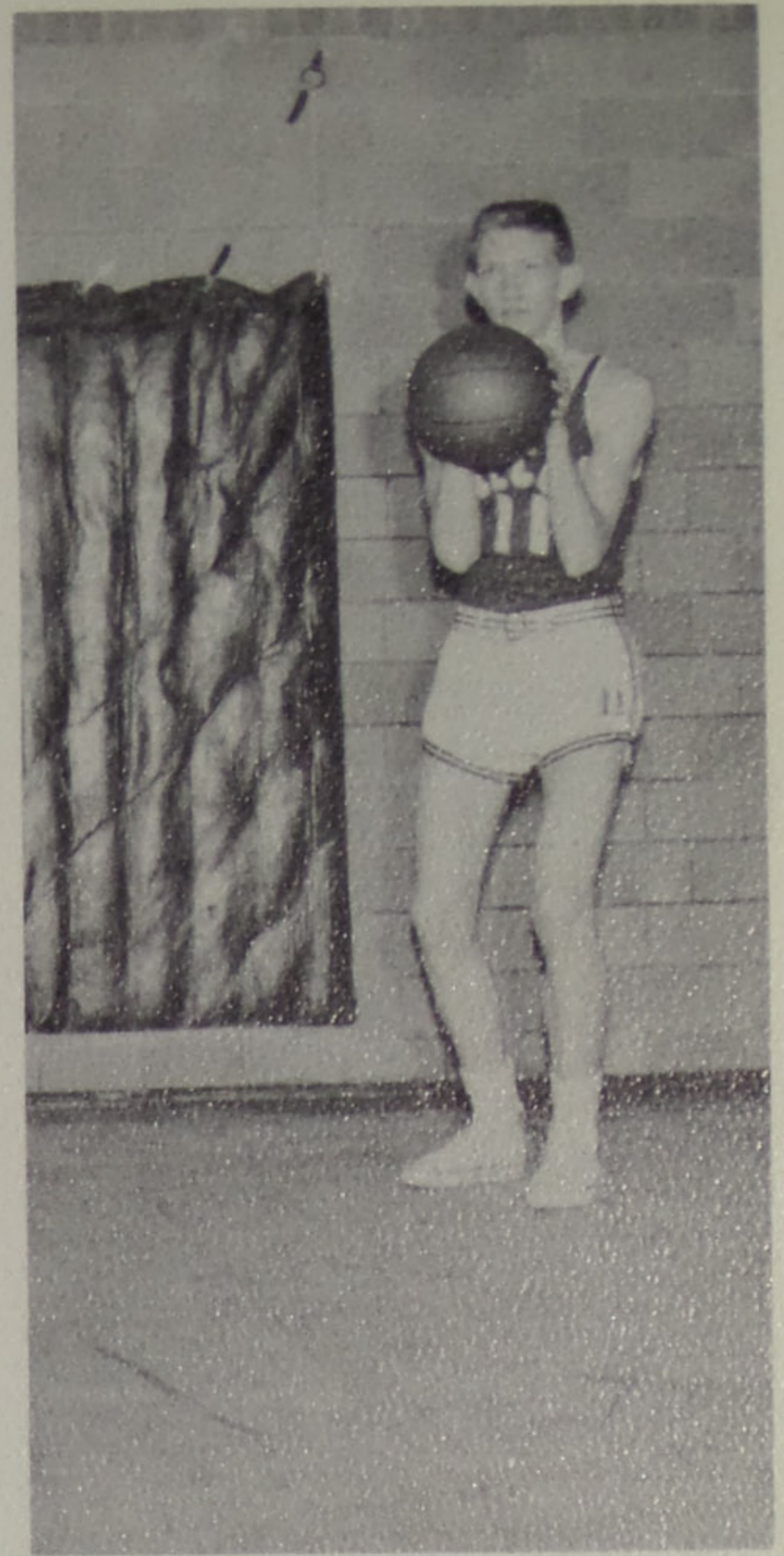




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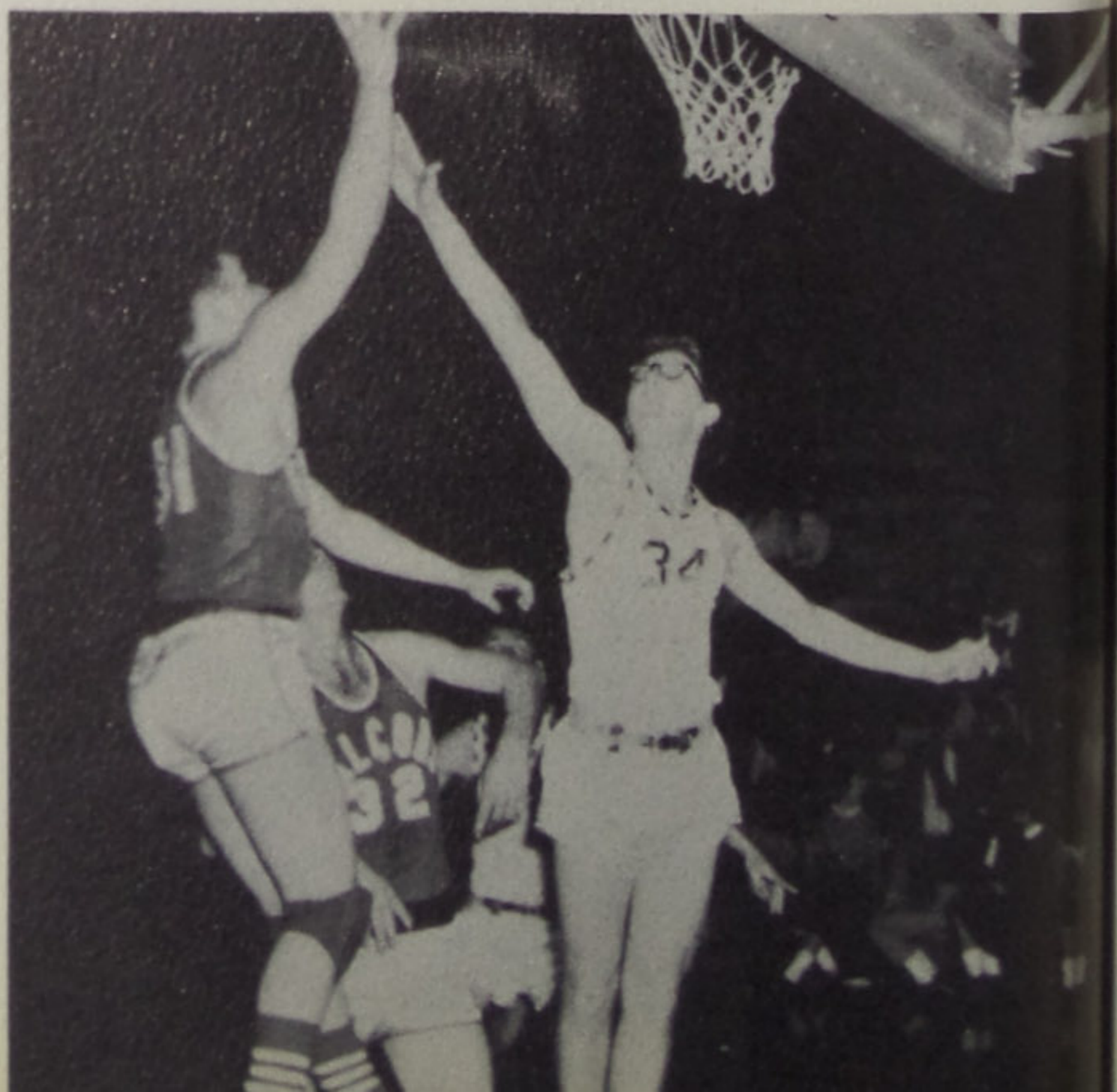




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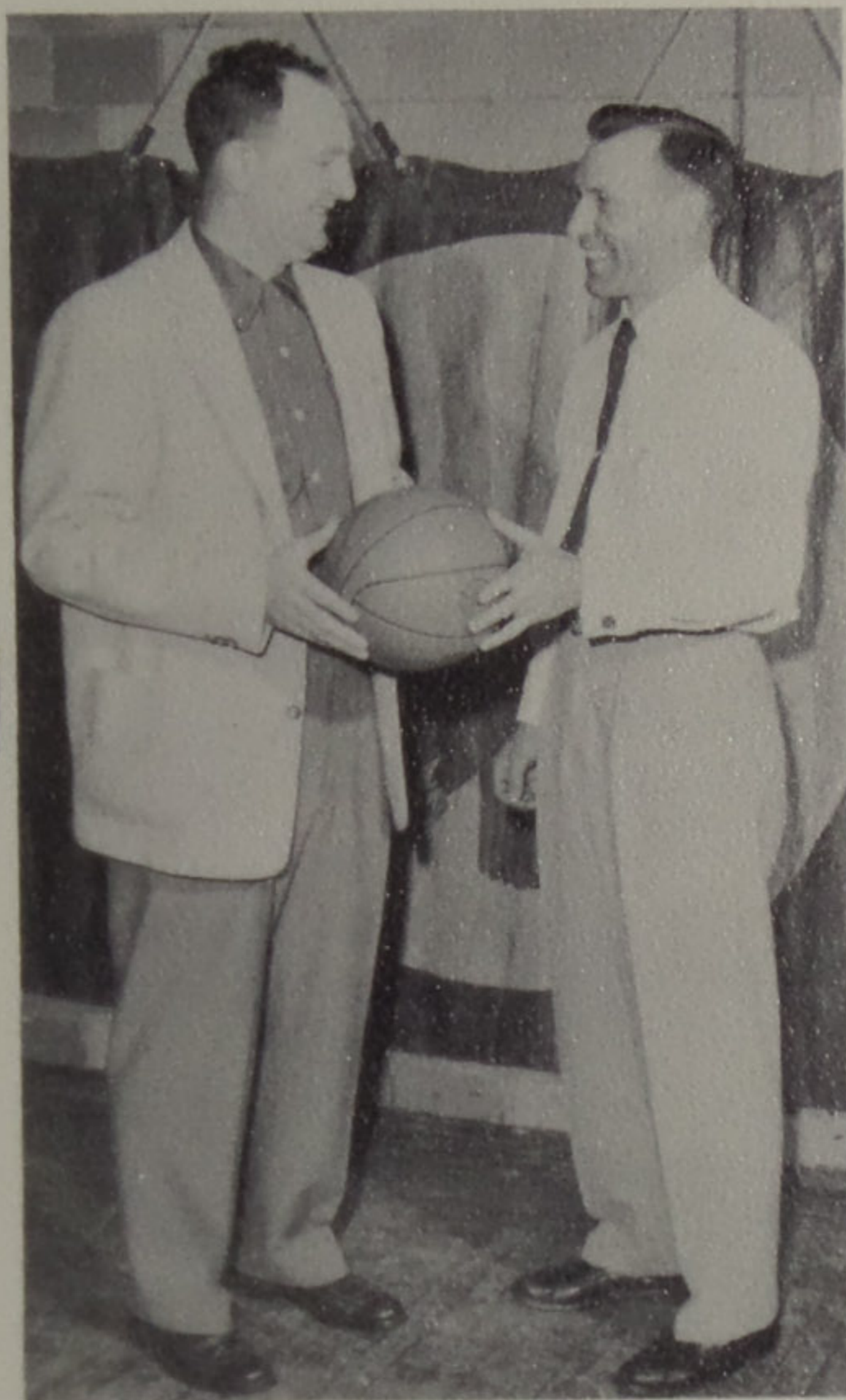
Marilyn Montgomery



Edna Grace Knore



Fern Muck



COACHES

Ed Hall, Jim Scott



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RESERVES BASKETBALL

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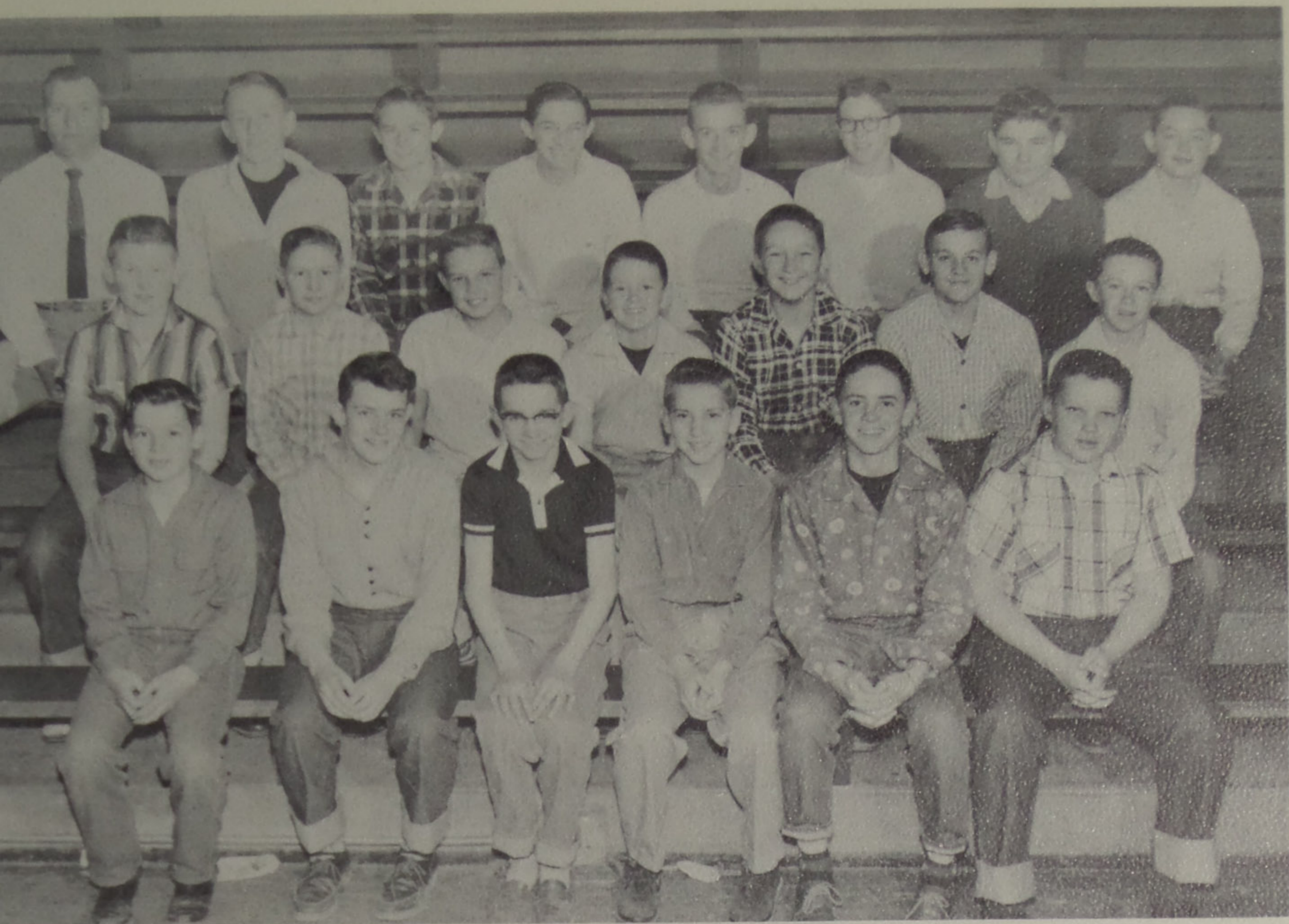


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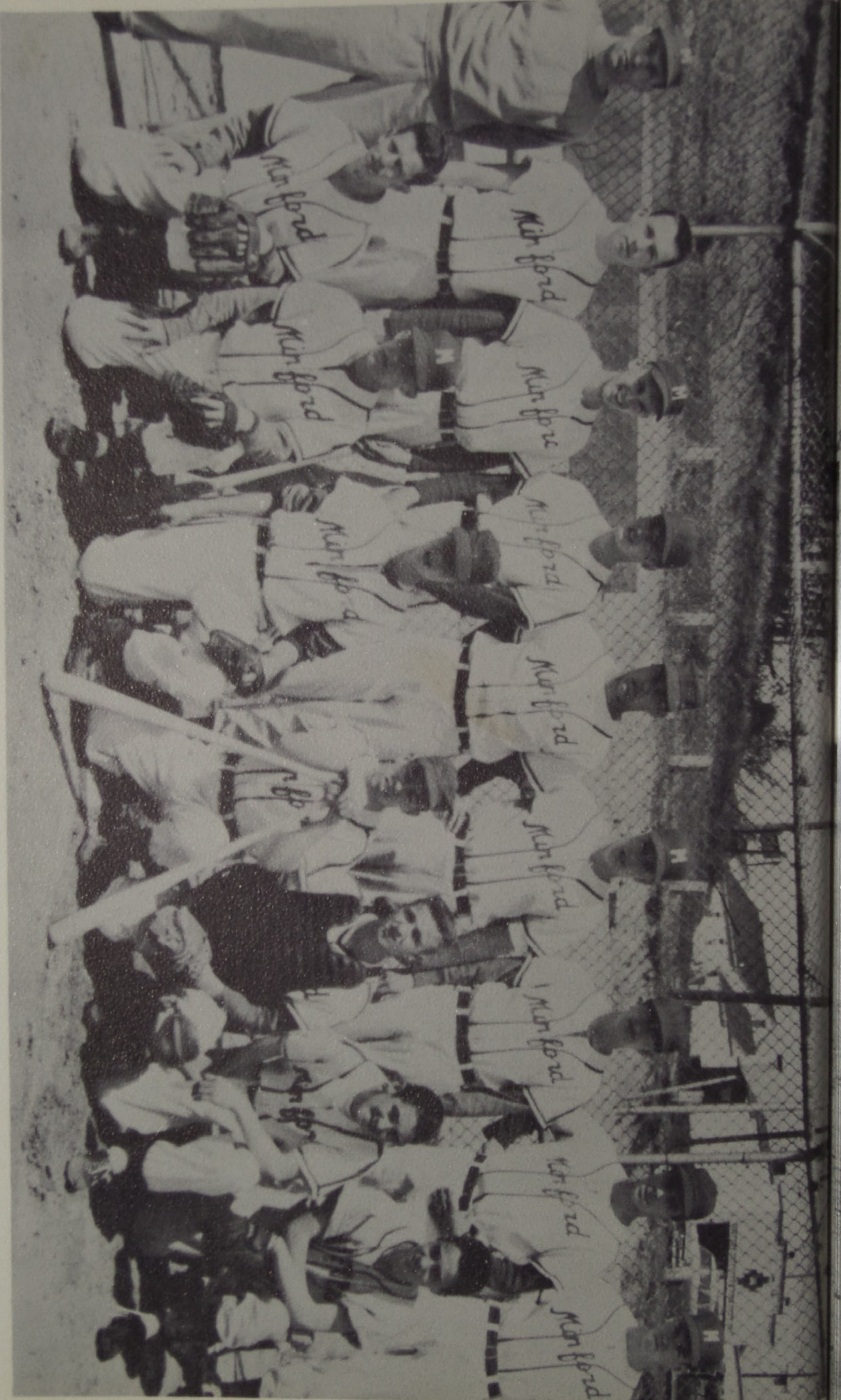
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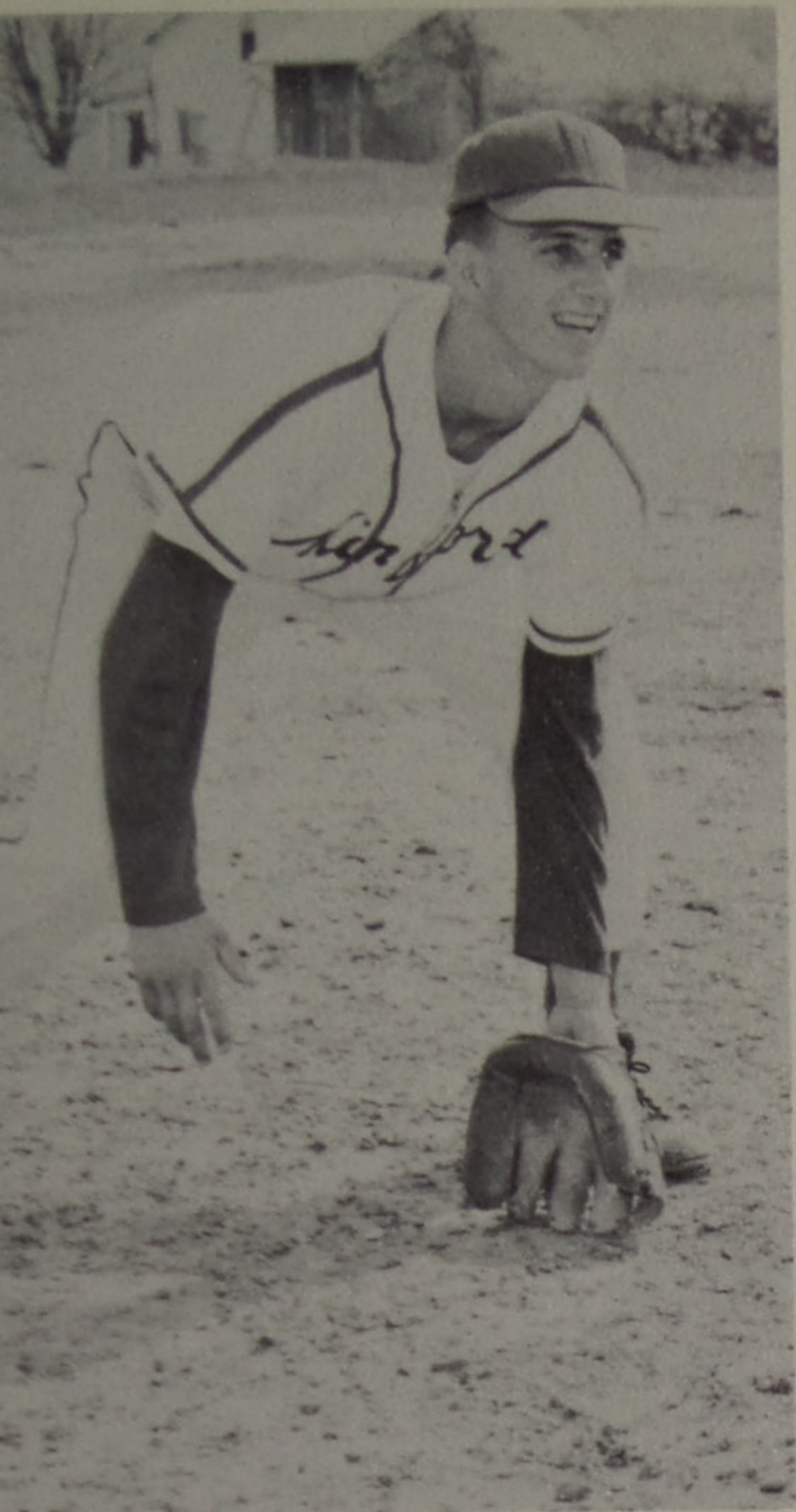
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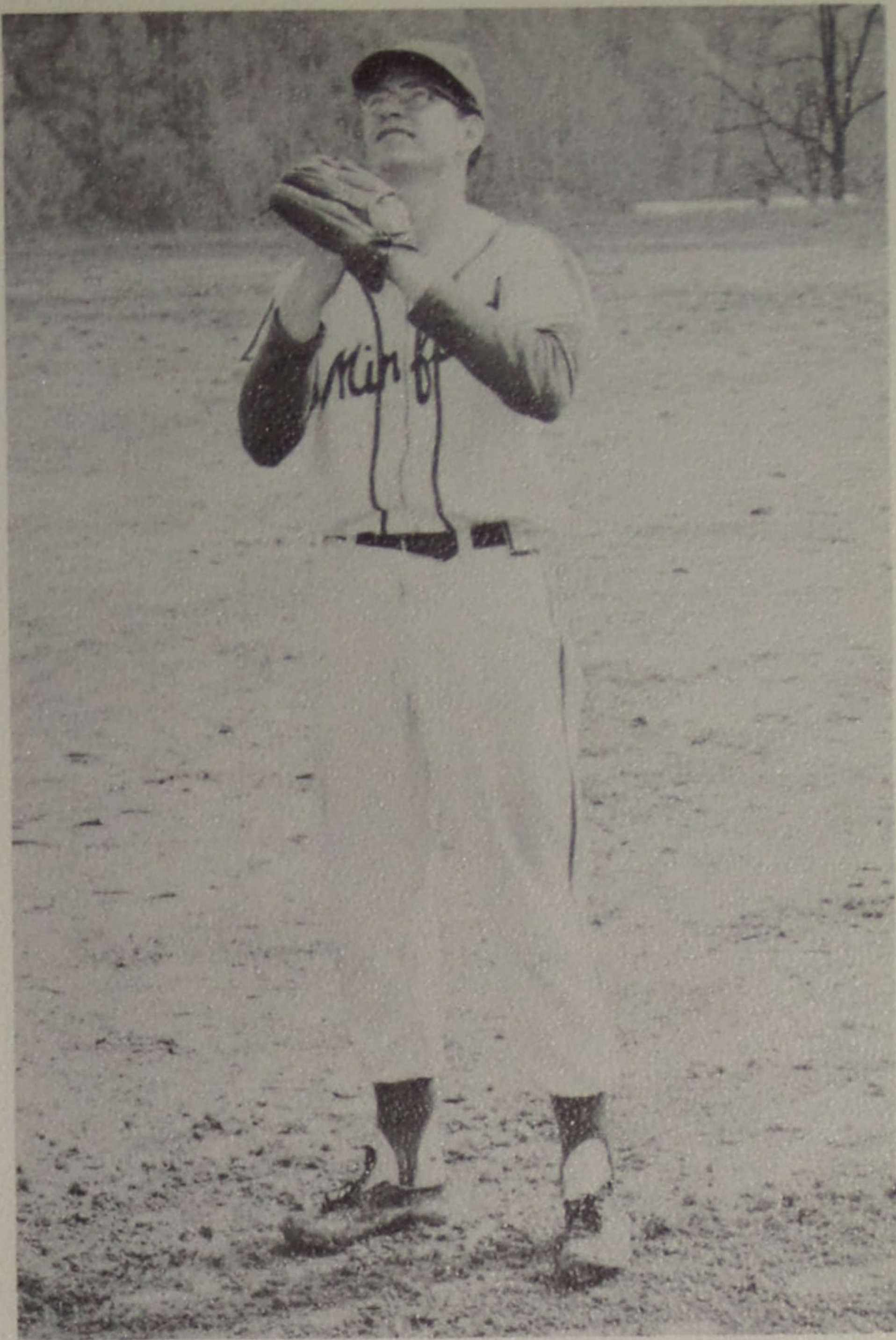
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ROW TWO: Mr. Scott,



Cleo Oberley - Shortstop
Tom Brackey - Infield

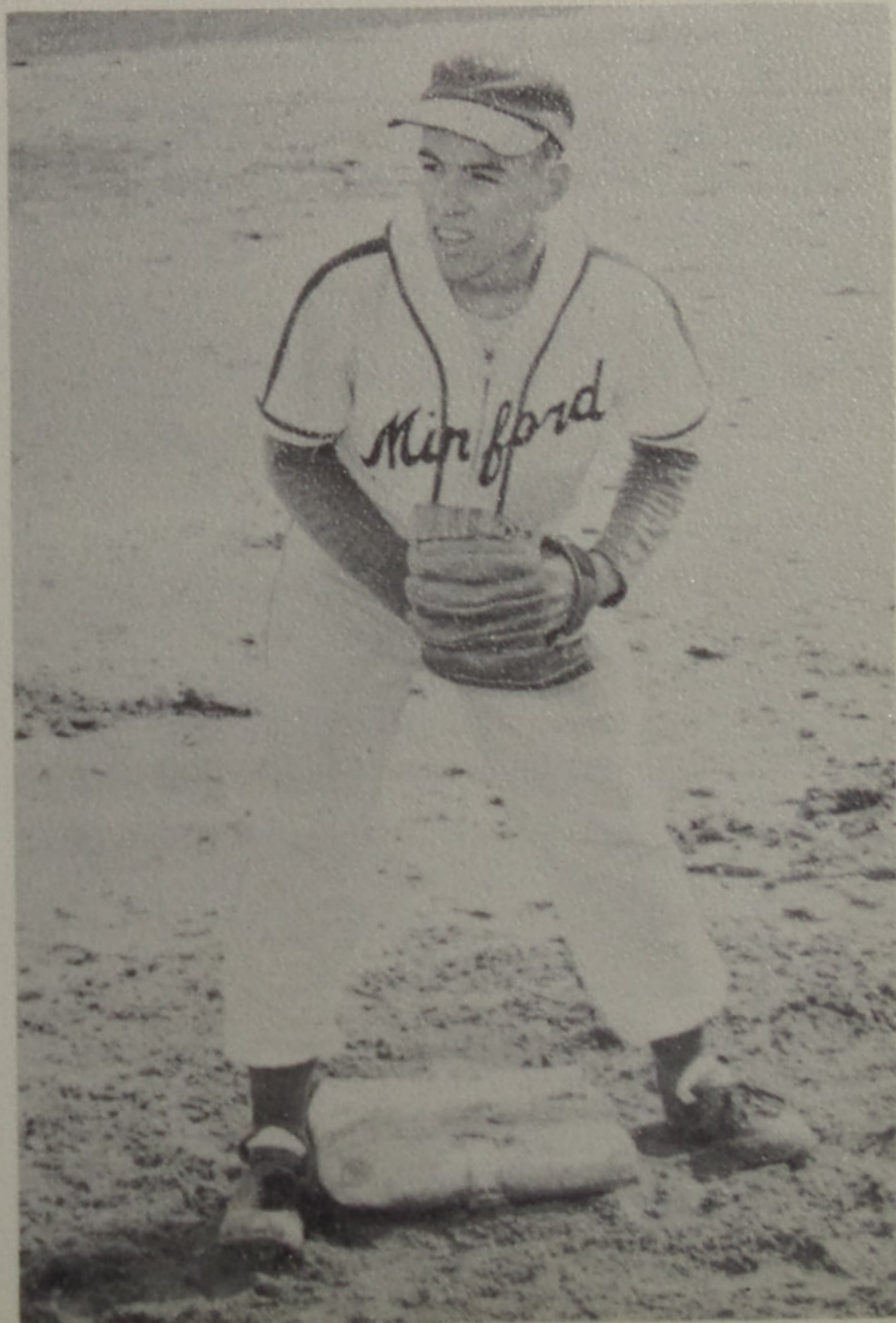
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Paul Coldiron - Outfield
John Kennedy - 2nd Base

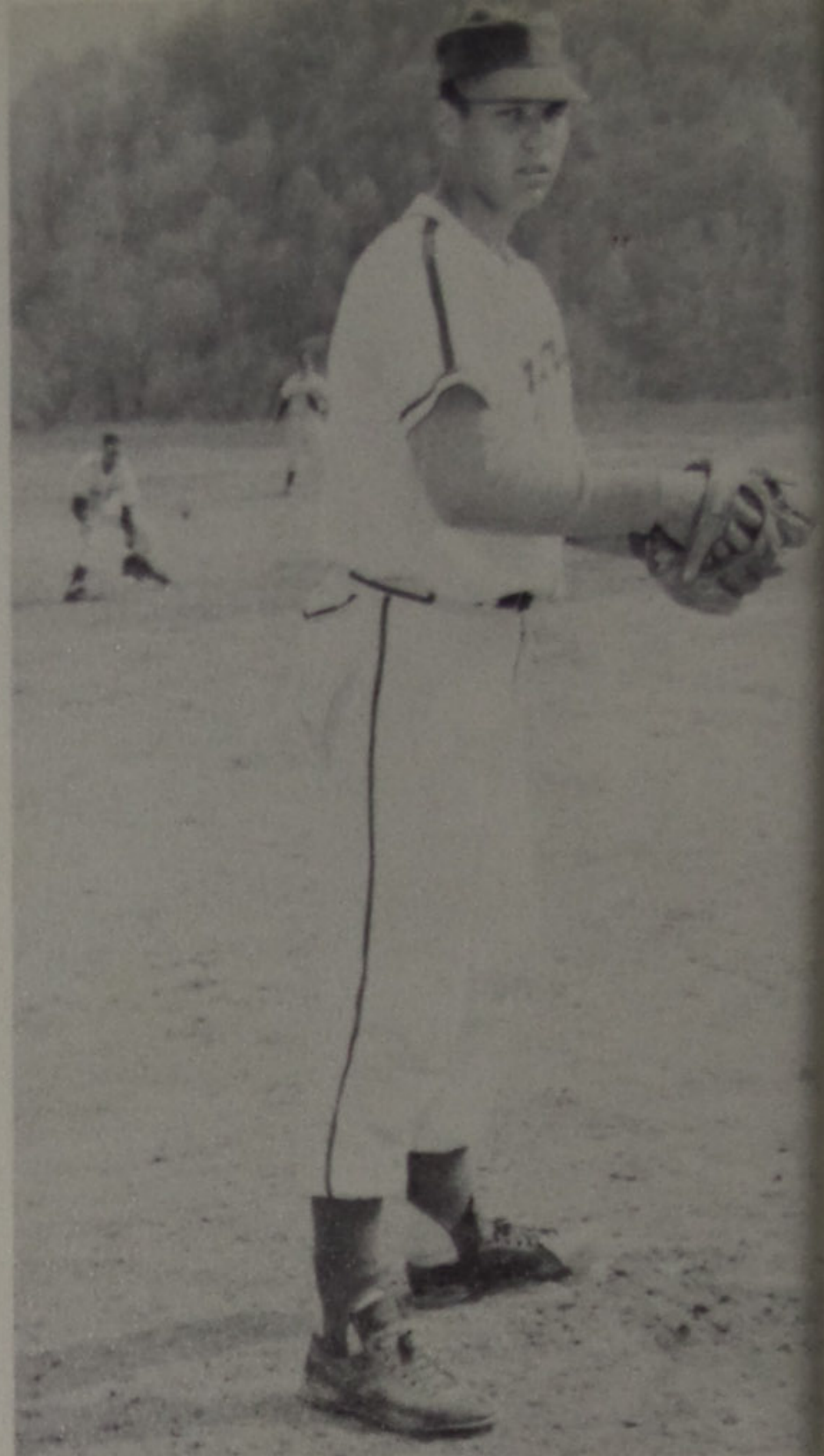


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Ralph Smith - Outfield



Jack Ward - Pitcher

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Bob Williams - 1st Base

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BASEBALL SCORES

Opponent	We	They		
South Webster	6	0	New Boston	12 8
Notre Dame	4	0	Portsmouth East	4 3
South Webster	10	2	Valley	12 6
Portsmouth West	13	9	Portsmouth High	0 8
Valley	9	5	Portsmouth West	5 1
Waverly	3	2	Wheelersburg	11 0
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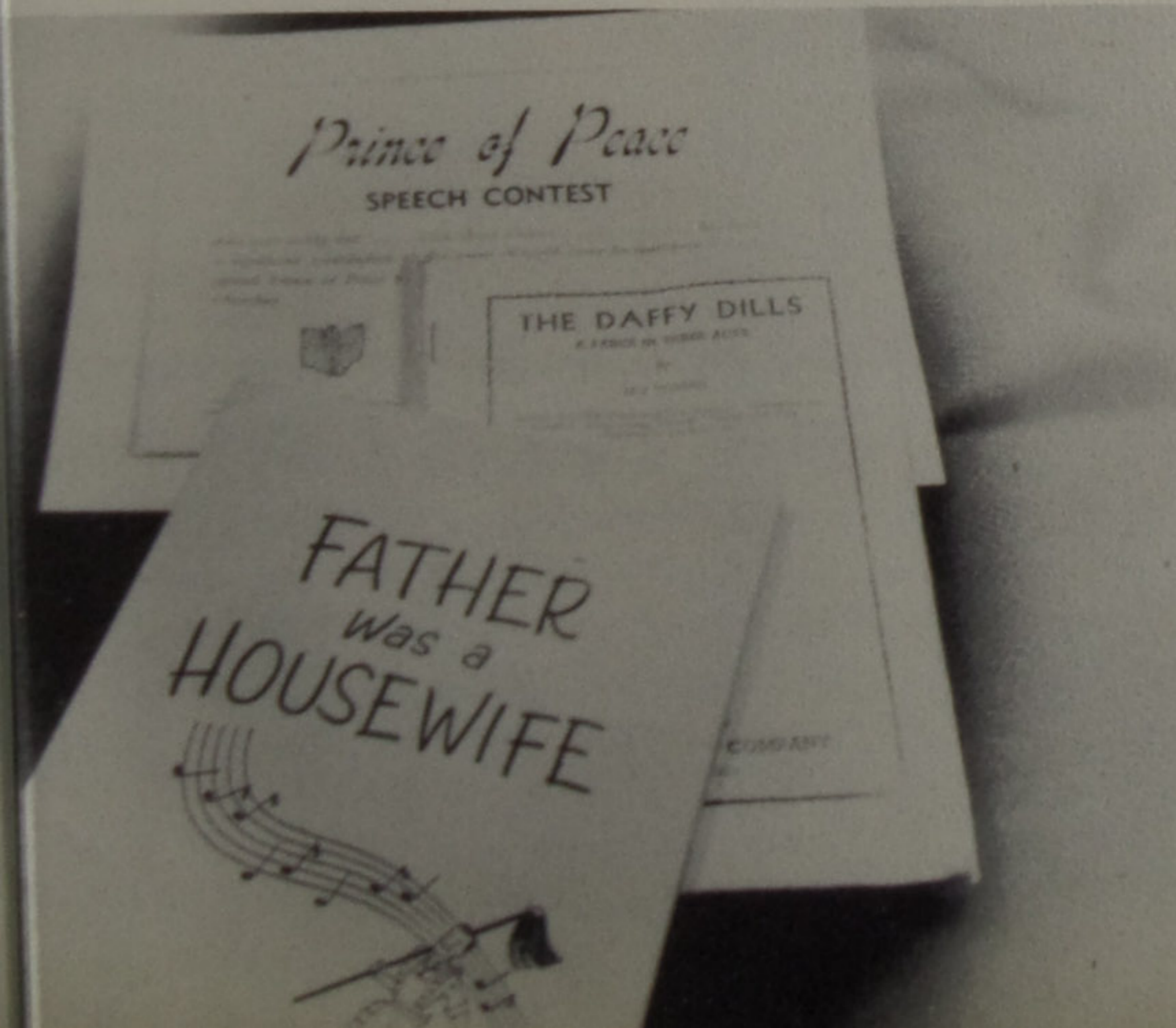
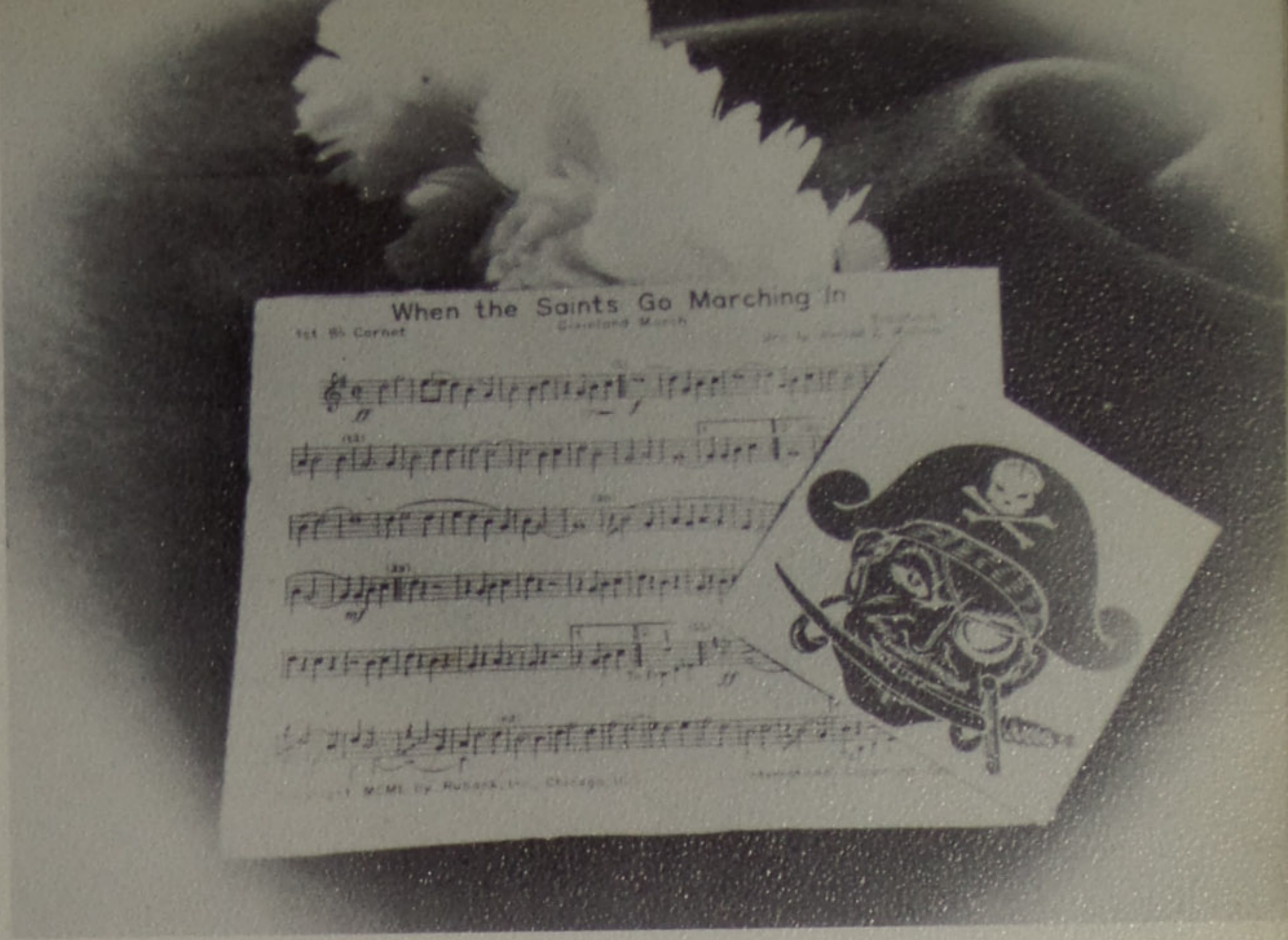
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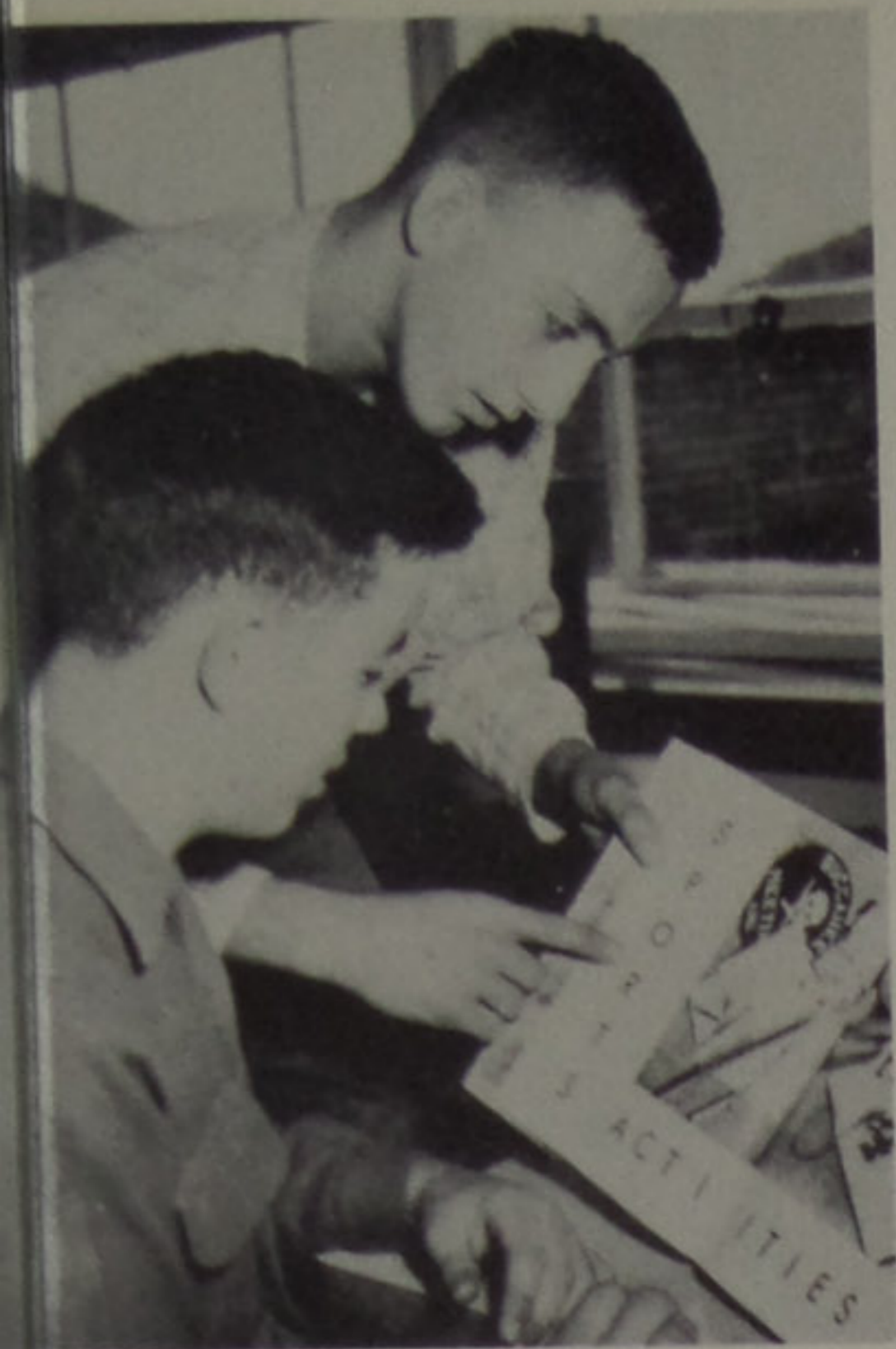


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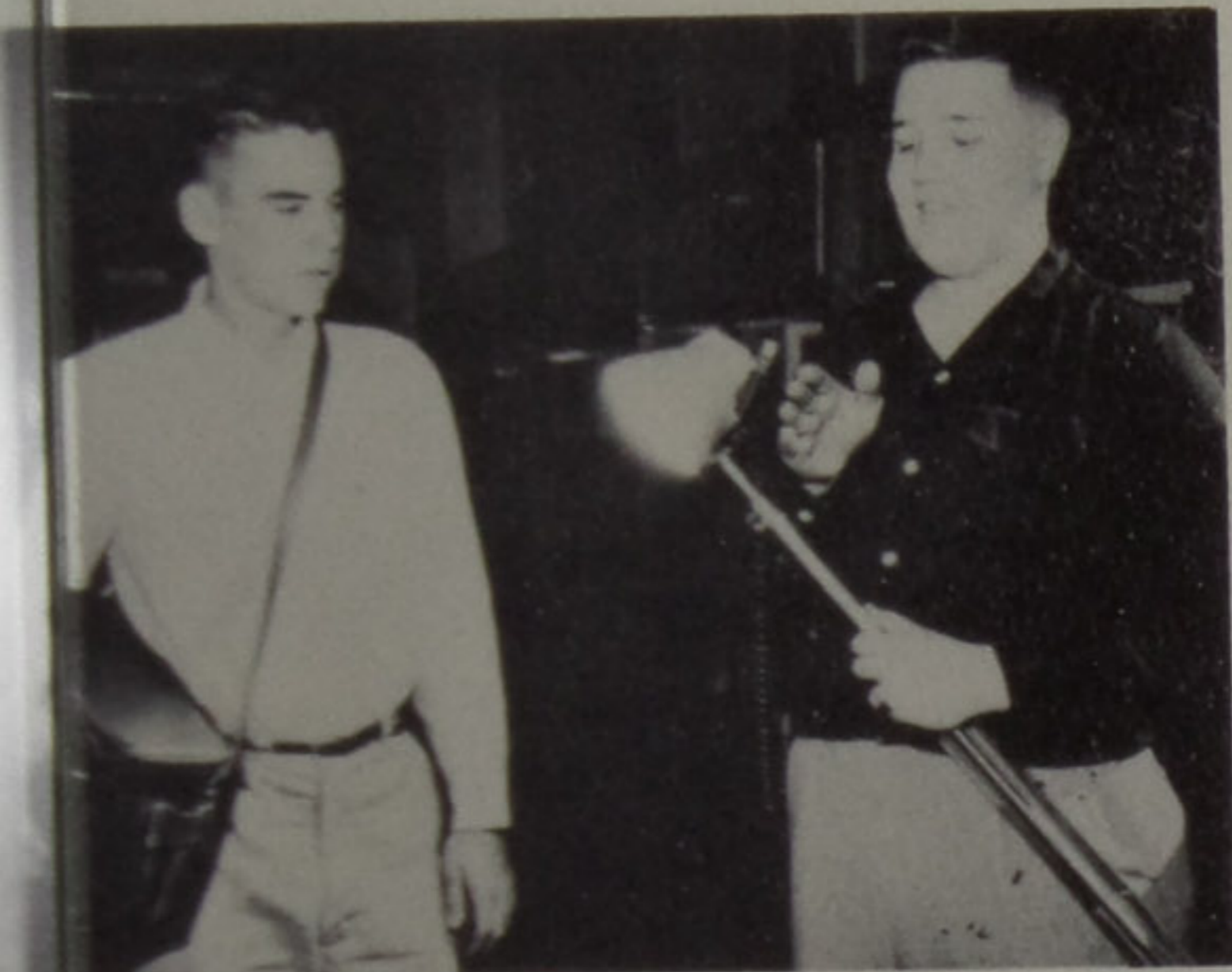


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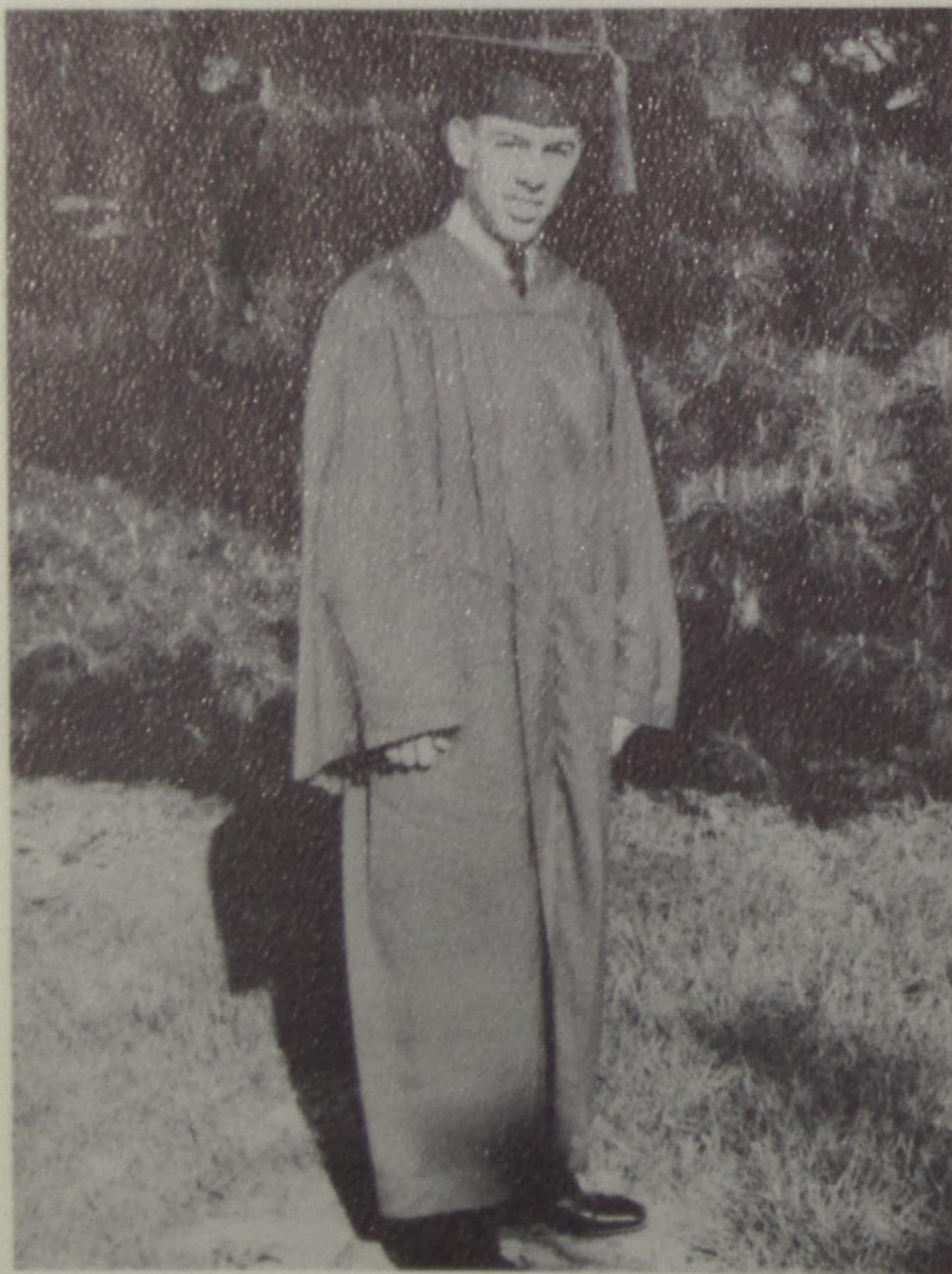
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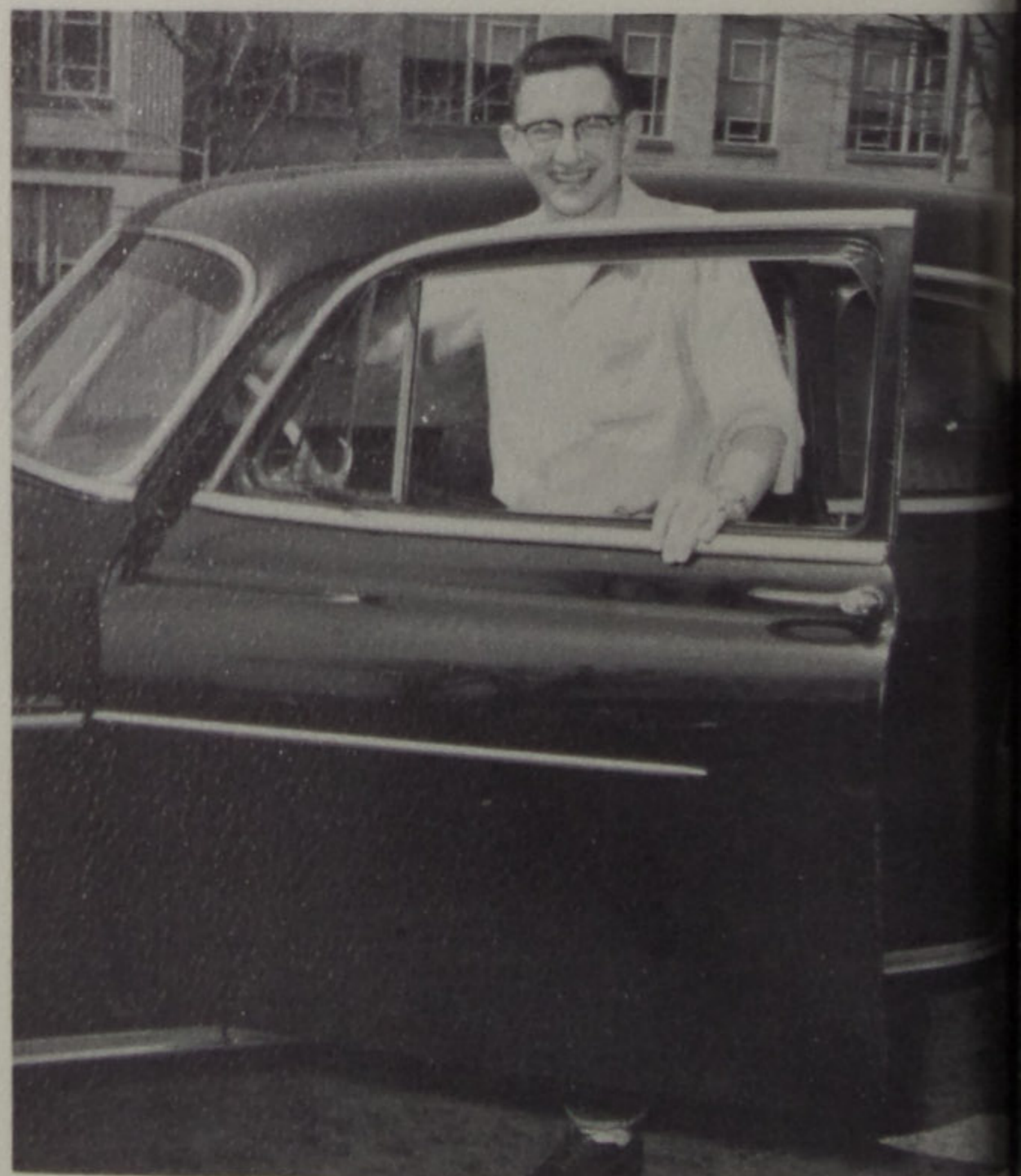
Conservation Essay Winner
Carole Rase



Marshall Regional Science Fair Winner
& Participant in National Science Fair
at Oklahoma City
Hayes Wilcox



First Place in County Senior Scholarship
John Kennedy



First Place in Scioto County Teen-Age
Road-E-O for Second Consecutive Year
Tom Brackey

POPULARITY POLL



Most Athletic
 Bob Oberley & Rosemary Sexton



Most Studious
 Janet Grace & Clarence Smith



Most Popular
 Rodney Dryden & Carole Johnson



Dearest Couple
 Heather Purdy & Cliff Jenkins



Most Musical
 Mary Jenkins & Joe Taylor



Best Personality
 Delores Strother & Delno Risner



Most Courteous
 Bob Diller & Tom Brackey



Giggliest
 Paula Byrd & Jim Frowine
 Best Dressed
 Ruby Cooper & Ronald Bender
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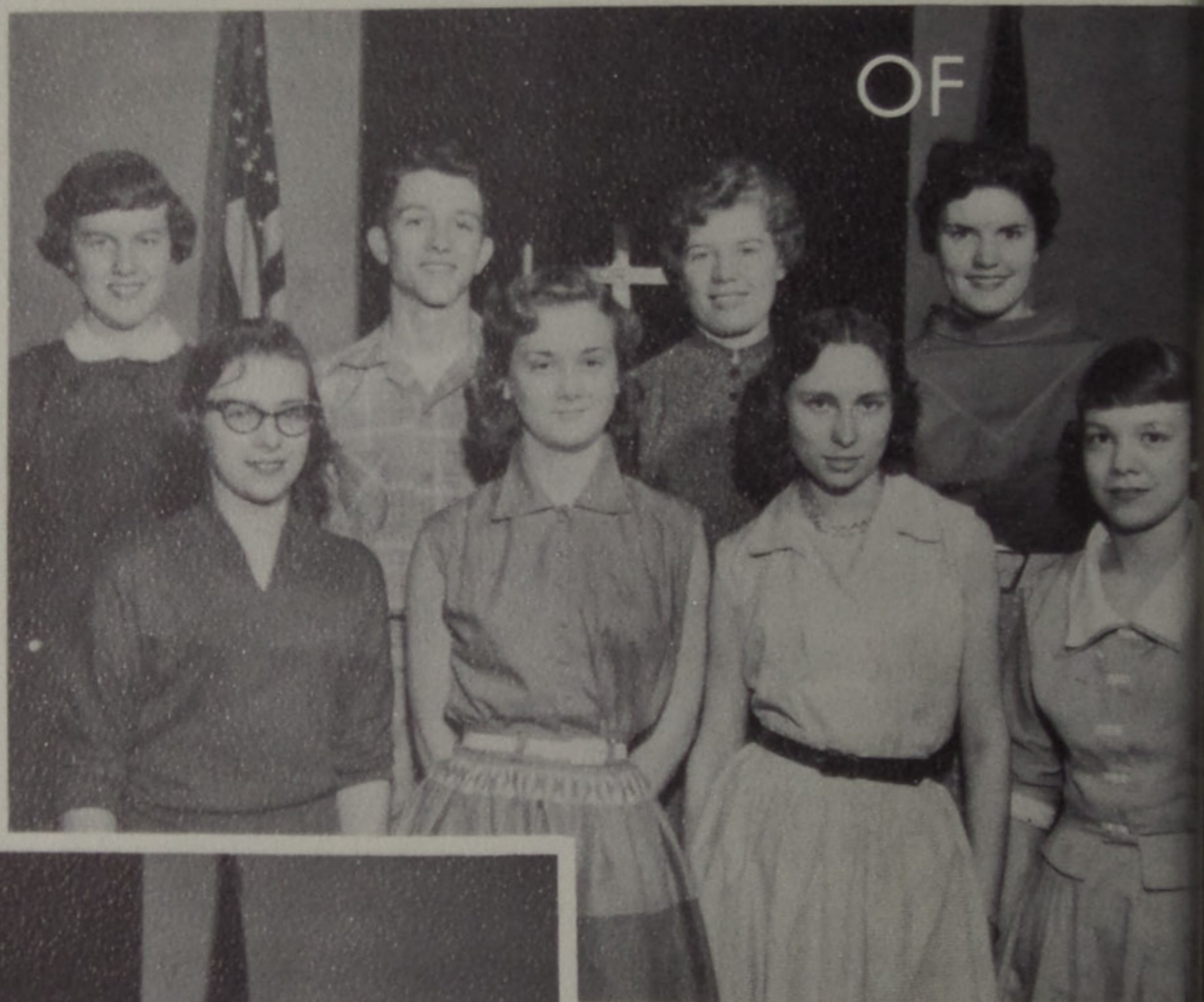
Best Looking
 Bob Williams & Phyllis Borders

PRINCE



ROW ONE: Maxine Moore, Edna Knore, Donna Lee. ROW TWO: Delores Preston, Nola Slone, Carol Sue Johnson, Ruth Seidel.

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ROW ONE: Nancy Stigall, Ruth Weaver, Janet Crace, Sandra Conkel. ROW TWO: Janice Brown, Clarence Smith, Betty Gregory, Carolyn Sims.

PEACE



ROW ONE: Marilyn Niner, Jonnie Conkel, Judy Conklin, Judy Marion. ROW TWO: Carrol Hawkins, Carol Sampson, Ruth Casebolt, Eleanor Powell.



Edna Knore
Alternate to District Champion
in Prince of Peace Contest



Carol Johnson
Runner-up in Voice of Democracy
Contest in the County.



VOICE OF DEMOCRACY

Carol Johnson, Judy Marion, Ruth Casebold, Jonnie Conkel, John Kennedy.



SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP PARTICIPANTS

SEATED: Elizabeth Crum, Ralph Gampp, Carol Johnson, Roger Roffe, Nola Slone, Clarence Smith, Mary Jenkins, Alice Mougey, Hayes Wilcox, Janet Grace, John Kennedy. STANDING: Wells Peach, Cliff Jenkins, Tom Brackey, Cleo Oberley, Raymond Newman.

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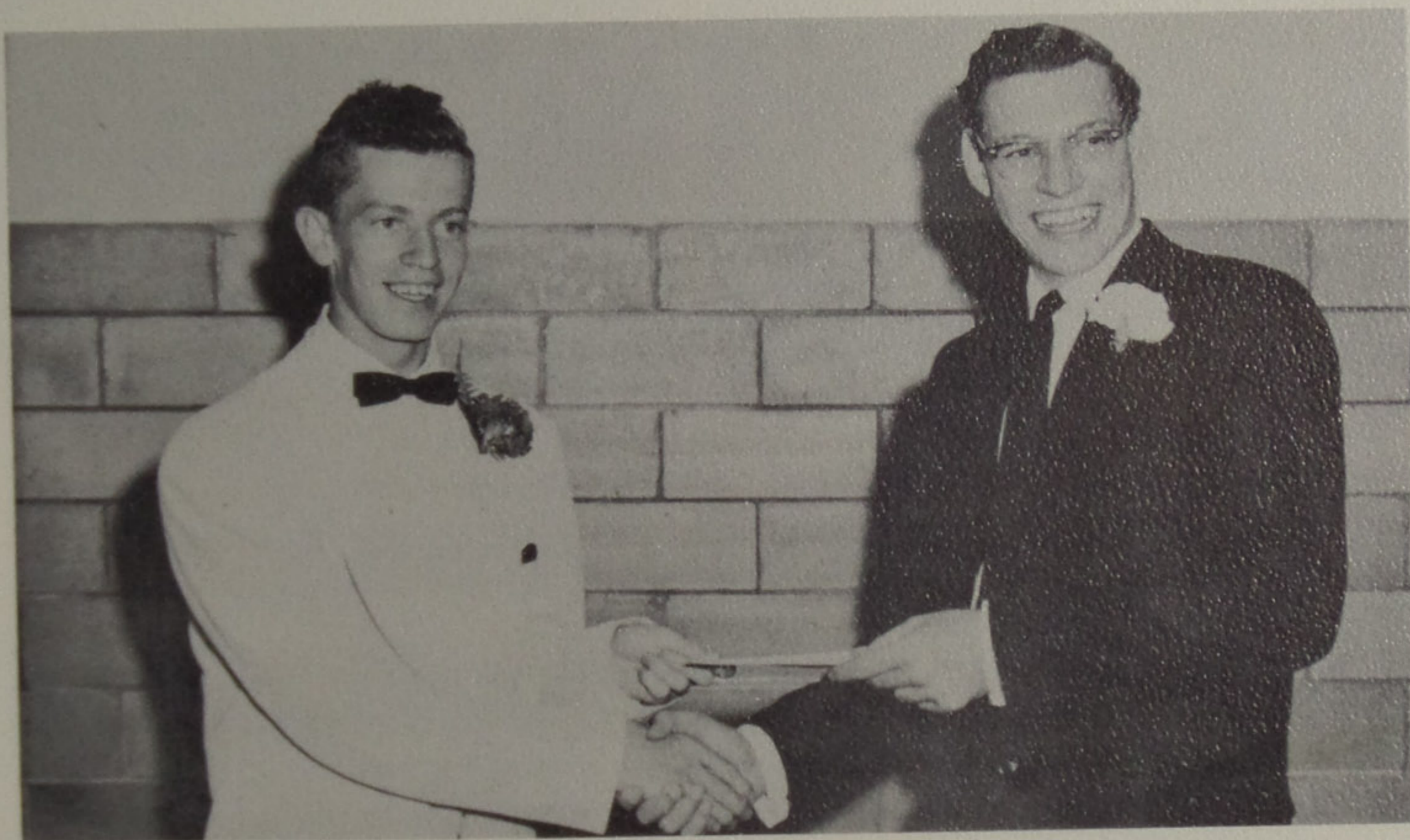
On January 20, 1956 the annual Senior Scholarship tests on science, mathematics, English, literature, vocabulary, comprehension, and agriculture were given at Green Township High School. After the examination, a free lunch was served in the high school cafeteria.

Because of John Kennedy's winning first place in the county, the tests will be given at Minford next year. In the top ten was Tom Brackey who was sixth in the county. Those who gained honorable mention were Clarence Smith and Hayes Wilcox.



DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP TEAM

STANDING: Edna Knore (English III), Ruth Casebolt (Chemistry), Patsy Oberley (American History).
 FIRST ROW: Clarence Smith (Physics), Roger Roffe (Physics), Larry Hawkins (Biology), Larry Veach (Plane Geometry).
 SECOND ROW: Paul Adams (American History), John Kennedy (Chemistry).
 THIRD ROW: Inez Deemer (Algebra), Rachel Flannery (English I), Ruth Ann Adams (English I), Sue Dawson (English II).
 FOURTH ROW: Roxie Martin (General Science), Janet Brisker (General Science), Janet Crace (English IV), Janet Diller (English IV), Eugene Risner (Algebra I).



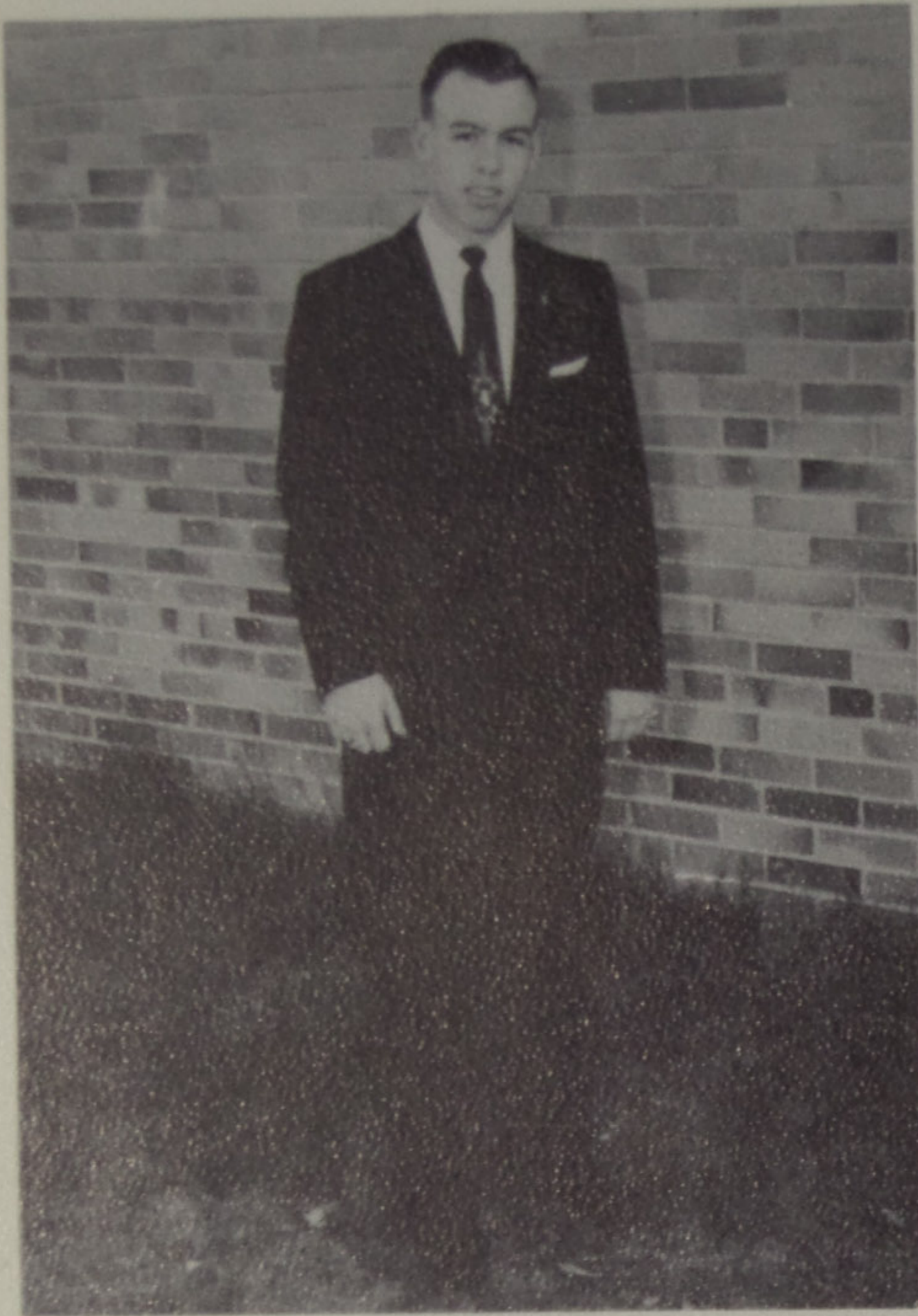
BUTCHER-SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

In memory of the late Paul William Wesley Butcher, the class of '57 has started a \$100 scholarship award to the one senior who has an outstanding record during his or her high school years. The presentation of this scholarship is based upon character traits and scholarship. The amount may exceed the stated \$100, but it can never be less.

This scholarship is to be given every year and the decision lies entirely upon the Junior Class each year. There will be ten nominees whereby each member of the Junior Class votes for the one who he thinks is most deserving.

This year's award went to a very deserving student, Paul K. Coldiron, who is receiving the scholarship in the above picture from the Junior Class President, Pat Bennett.

DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP HONORS



John Kennedy



Nadine Carver

Minford High School is extremely proud of John Kennedy and Nadine Carver. John ranked first in the District Scholarship (Chemistry Division) Test and attained a 12th position in the state. Nadine ranked first in the District Scholarship (English Division) Test and gained a 6th position in the state.

BOOKS: A GOOD ONE IS THE BEST OF FRIENDS

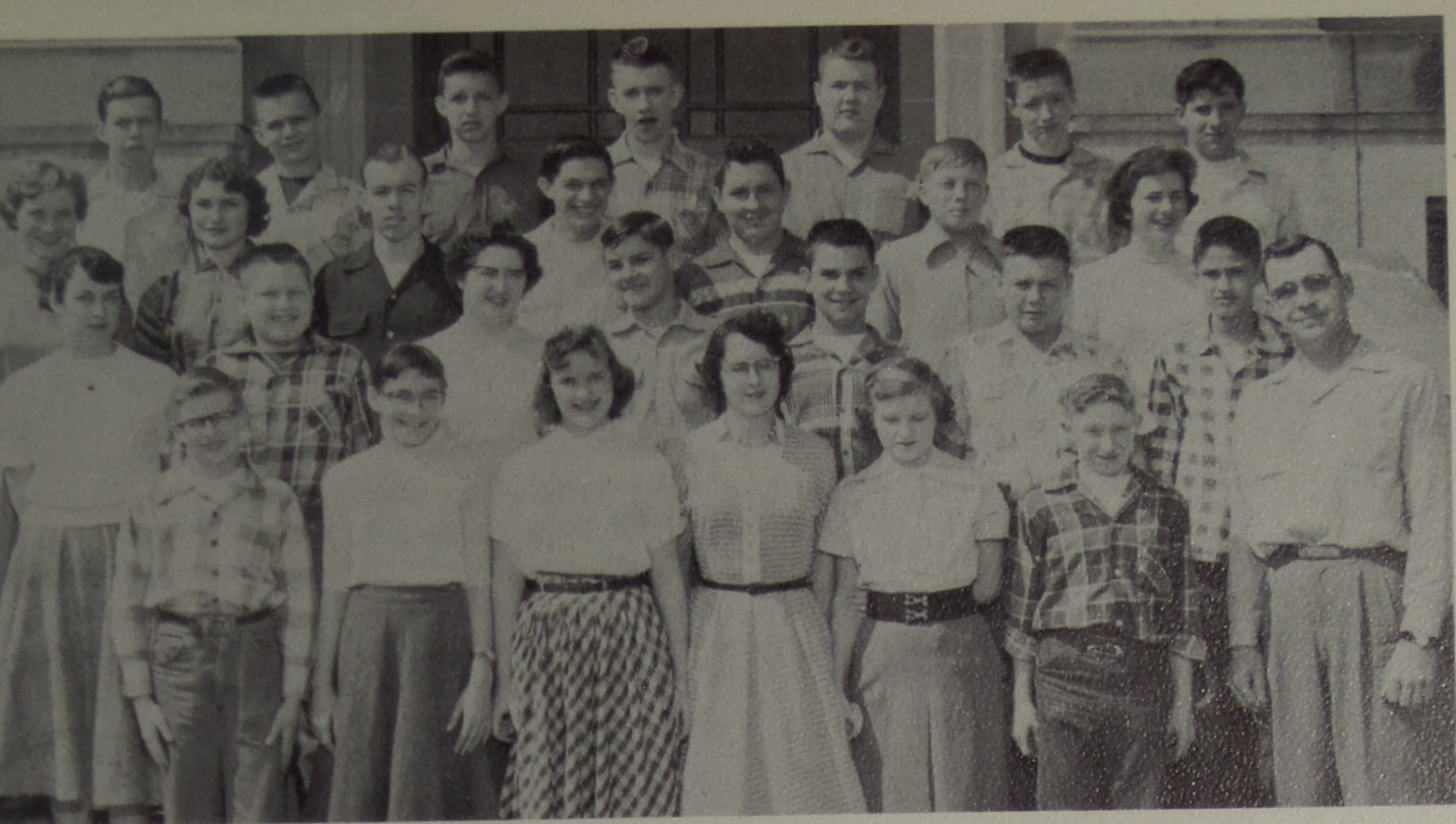
Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested.
Francis Bacon

I go to books and to nature as a bee goes to the flower, for a nectar that I can make into my own honey.

John Burroughs

Books are the legacies that a great genius leaves to mankind, which are delivered down from generation to generation, as presents to the posterity of those who are yet unborn.

Joseph Addison.



SCIENCE FAIR

FIRST ROW: Tommy Bender, Linda Coriell, Sue Barker, Carol Rase, Shirley Brame, Charles Seibert, Mr. Coriell. SECOND ROW: Wanda Diller, Tommy Brisker, Jean Pflieger, Bruce Hawkins, Roger Evans, Larry Dever, Jim Dawson. THIRD ROW: Carol Sampson, Ruth Casebolt, John Kennedy, Dixie Hinze, David Canter, Edgar McLaughlin, Ruth Seidel. FOURTH ROW: Eugene Risner, Jim Vogelsong, Harold Kronk, Jerry Lavender, Hayes Wilcox, Jerry Spradlin, Henry Middaugh.

Twenty-seven students entered the Science Fair at Marshall College, Huntington, West Virginia this year. We exceeded last year's number by twenty-two. This was the largest group from the school and at the Fair.

From this group, Hayes Wilcox captured first place in Physical Science and Grand Award for boys. He constructed his project around the theme "transformation of energy". This gave him the right to compete in the National Science Fair at Oklahoma City.

Next year the sponsor, Mr. William Coriell, hopes to have a local Science Fair which is to be held at Minford with local schools in competition.

Next year's National Science Fair will be held at San Francisco, California.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

SEATED: Betty Gregory, Janet Crace, Betty Hickman, Miss Daily, Mr. Coriell, Ruth Casebolt, Edna Knore, Carol Johnson. STANDING: Janet Diller, Mary Jenkins, Clarence Smith, Roger Roffe, Ralph Gampp, Tom Brackey, Hayes Wilcox, John Kennedy, Patsy Gillispie, Ruth Seidel, Jim White, Elizabeth Crum, Alice Mougey.

In 1900 the National Honor Society was established to serve secondary high schools. Members are selected for this society in their sixth, seventh, or eighth semester in high school on the basis of their CHARACTER, SCHOLARSHIP, LEADERSHIP, and SERVICE.

The Minford High School Chapter, named the Butcher-Coriell Chapter in honor of Mr. Paul Butcher and Mr. William Coriell, was organized March 25, 1955. Miss Daily is now co-sponsor since the death of Mr. Butcher.

The first members were sworn into office April 29, 1955 by the Amy Mitchell Chapter of Portsmouth West High School.

The four requirements of Character, Scholarship, Leadership and Service are usually scored on an equal basis.

One induction in the fall and another in the spring expanded the chapter to twenty; one more than its original quota.



STUDENT COUNCIL

LEFT SIDE: Sam Smith, Betty Hickman, Marilyn Smith, Patty McCormick, JoAnn Adkins, Sue Coriell, Jim Madden, Keith Knore, Marilyn Montgomery, and Bob Williams. RIGHT SIDE: Jerry Spradlin, Gayle Kallner, Nancy Diller, Tommy Brisker, Howard McGraw, Paul Duduit, Roy McKinney, Richard Powell, Tom Brackey, Jonnie Conkel, and Pat Bennett. STANDING: Mr. Duncan, Jim White, Jim Frowine, Glenn Gleim, and Mr. McNeal.

The third year for the Student Council was the greatest so far. As stated in the by-laws, which were drawn up by the members of the first student council at Minford three years ago, the council was made up of one member elected from each home room of grades seven through twelve plus the class presidents of each of the grades.

This being our second year of affiliation with the National Association of Student Councils, the members again received a gold embossed membership card, and this year for the first time, each member received a gold membership pin.

The group was led by Bob Williams as President, Pat Bennett as Vice President, Marilyn Montgomery as Secretary and Jonnie Conkel as Treasurer.

Mr. McNeal, the new sponsor, helped the members on all of their projects such as the Polio Drive, Clean-up Campaign, Booster Club, and many others.



TRI-K-CLUB

ROW ONE: Mrs. Higgins, Jean Bayes, Nola Slone, Barbara Havens, Katherine Hardyman, Ruth Casebolt, Mrs. Burton. ROW TWO: Dottie Bender, Bobbie Stamm, Paula Byrd, Annette Stone, Ruth Seidel, Mary Ann Jenkins, Alice Mougey, Betty Gregory, Carole Rase. ROW THREE: Myrna Simms, Janet Diller, Edna Grace Knore.

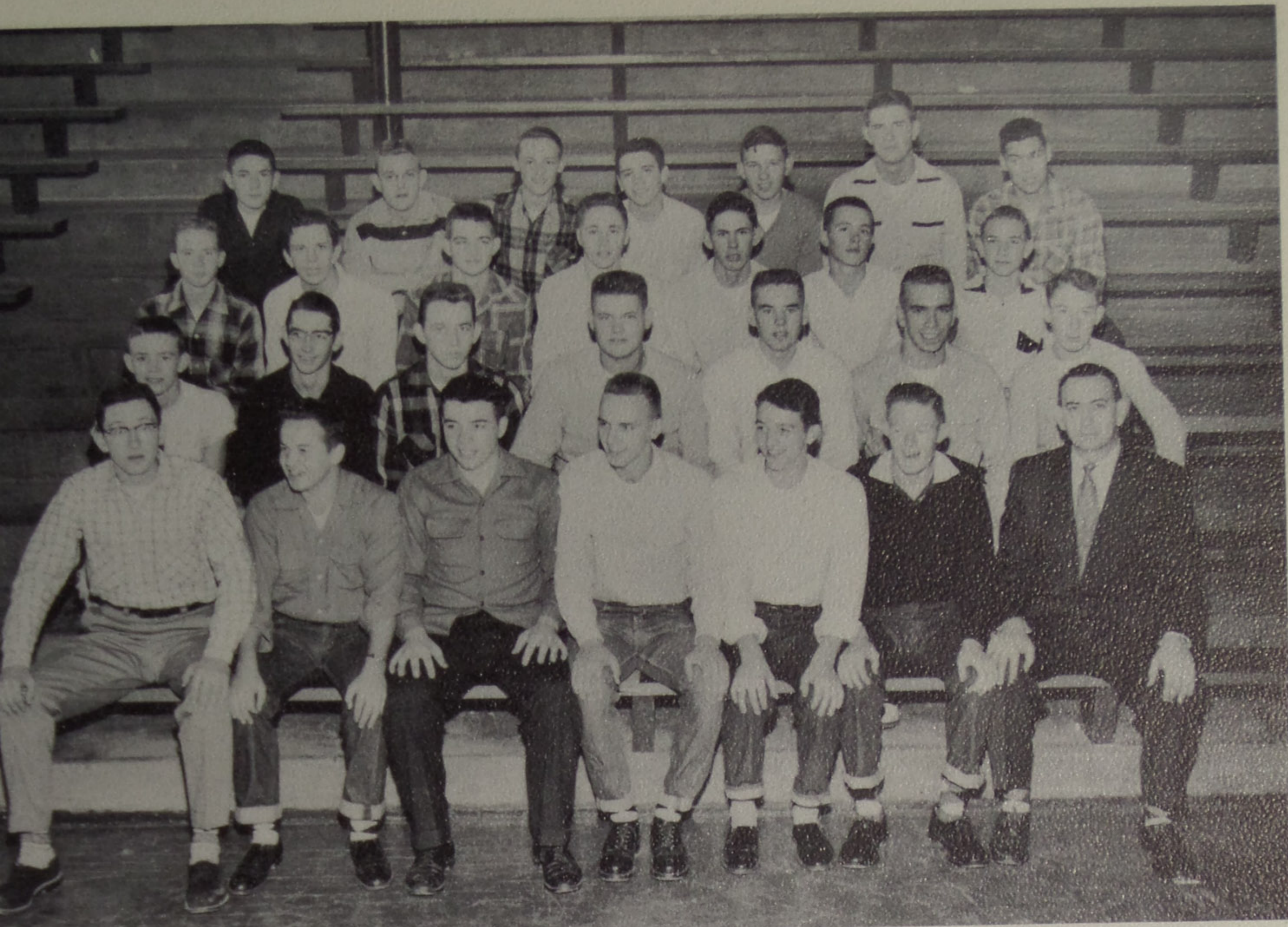
Our school takes great pride in the many accomplishments of this organization. Its standards are high and its objectives are certainly praise-worthy.

In order to be considered as a candidate for membership in the Tri-K Club, a girl must rate a scholastic average of C or better and must maintain a high social and moral standard.

Tri-K helps finance and plan our annual home-comings. This is done in co-sponsorship with the Buccaneer Club and is one of the highlights of the school year.

It is a standing policy with the Tri-K to help some needy family at Christmas time. They buy for this family a holiday supply of groceries in addition to many donations of clothes and toys brought in by the members.

Tri-K is leaving to Minford School this year a sum of money that is to be used for the library.



BUCCANEER CLUB

ROW ONE: Tom Brackey, Larry Hayzlip, Leon Marcum, President; Bob Williams, Vice President; Bill Smith, Secretary; Roger Roffe, Treasurer; Mr. Huffman. ROW TWO: Roger Hiles, John Gampp, Vernon Kayser, Don Lambert, Cliff Jenkins, Bill Butcher, Ray Doyle. ROW THREE: Ferris Parker, Jim Madden, Bill Burton, Ray King, Kenneth Risner, Wayne Smith, Gary Walters. ROW FOUR: Jerry Sims, Wendell Porter, Harold L. Crabtree, Ronnie Colegrove, Paul Adams, Delno Risner, Jack Ward.

The Buccaneer Club of Minford High School is an organization of boys who maintain a scholastic average of C or better. Its purpose is to promote better relations within the school. During the basketball season they sold soft drinks at all home games in order to raise money for a trip to Detroit. They visited the Ford Museum, the Ford Rotunda, and various stages of the Ford Assembly Plant. Also they made a side trip to Windsor, Canada.

Eleven new boys were inducted at the beginning of the year.

As has been the custom the Buccaneers in conjunction with the Tri-K Club sponsored the annual Homecoming game.

Graduating seniors are: Leon Marcum, Bob Williams, Bill Smith, Roger Roffe, Cliff Jenkins, Delno Risner, Jack Ward, Tom Brackey, and Larry Hayzlip.



SENIOR DRAMATIC CLUB

SEATED: Donna Burchett, Nancy Stigall, Judy Marion, Loretta Chapman, Pat Wolgamott, Carrol Hawkins, Barbara Havens, Carol Rase, Janice Canary, Paula Byrd, Janet Crace, Carolyn Sims, Ruth Seidel, Alice Mougey, Nola Slone, Mary Jenkins, Ruby Cooper, Ruth Deemer, Margaret Blackwell, Patsy Oberley, Carol Sampson, Nadine Carver, Jonnie Conkel, Ruth Casebolt, Maxine Moore, Edna Knore. STANDING: Carol Johnson, Elizabeth Crum, Phyllis Borders, Miss Daily, Ralph Gampp, Hayes Wilcox, Donald O'Bryan, Cliff Jenkins, Bob Williams, Tom Brackey, Dan Pflieger.

This fine group of students had a wonderful time working the first semester with their sponsor, Miss Daily. Due to other extracurricular activities this club was not in session the last semester.

The members chose as their leaders: Cliff Jenkins, President; Donald O'Bryan, Vice President; Ralph Gampp, Secretary; and Paul Coldiron, Treasurer. The meetings were held twice a month.

During the first semester this club staged three one-act plays: "Couldn't I Kiss You Goodnight?", "If Girls Ask Boys For Dates", and "Finders Keepers".

At the end of the semester the club contributed a large filing cabinet to the library.



SENIOR PLAY CAST

ROW ONE: Joe Taylor, Roger Roffe, Sonny Staten, Clarence Smith. ROW TWO: Elizabeth Crum, Nola Slone, Doris Rose, Phyllis Borders, Ralph Gampp. ROW THREE: Janet Crace, Janice Canary, Paula Byrd, Alice Mougey, Carole Rase.



JUNIOR PLAY CAST

ROW ONE: Jim White, Edna Knore, Ruth Casebolt. ROW TWO: John Gampp, Audrey Irvin, Jonnie Conkel, Nancy Stigall, Pat Bennett. ROW THREE: M. Blackwell, Carol Sampson, Ruth Deemer, Ruth Seidel, Vernon Kayser.



BOOK CLUB

FIRST ROW: Randali McRoberts, Howard McGraw, and Bill Burton. SECOND ROW: Jackie Patterson, Sue Barker, Dottie Bender, Carole Rase, Miss Daily, Mr. Duncan, Mary Susan Jenkins, and Mary Rase. THIRD ROW: Keith Knore, Tom Brackey, Cleo Oberley, Anita Powell, and Janet Brisker.



HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

ROW ONE: Carol Shumway, Donna Gahm, Judy Giles, Ellen Conkel, Shirley Pitts, Patty Lykins, Rosalie Rase, Alice Willis, Mrs. Higgins. ROW TWO: Sandra Conkel, Donna Downey, Phyllis Preston, Rachel Flannery, Joyce Coriell, Angela Turner, Barbara Dixson, Edna Moore, Naomi Seibert, Karen Clifford. ROW THREE: Sharon Roe, Roxie Martin, Gayle Kallner, Virginia Knore, Roberta Stamm, Delores Preston, Myrna Sims, Darla Martin, Norma Horner. ROW FOUR: Inez Deemer, Peggy Hutchinson, Barbara Nibert, Annette Stone, Martha Potts, Shirley Sparks, Lois Hayes, Pat McKinney, Sue Dawson.



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The girls, themselves, make the request to serve in the office, and only when period conflicts prevent this, are others solicited.

THANKS, Girls, for a job well-done.



Phyllis Borders
Paula Byrd
Margaret Wiehle



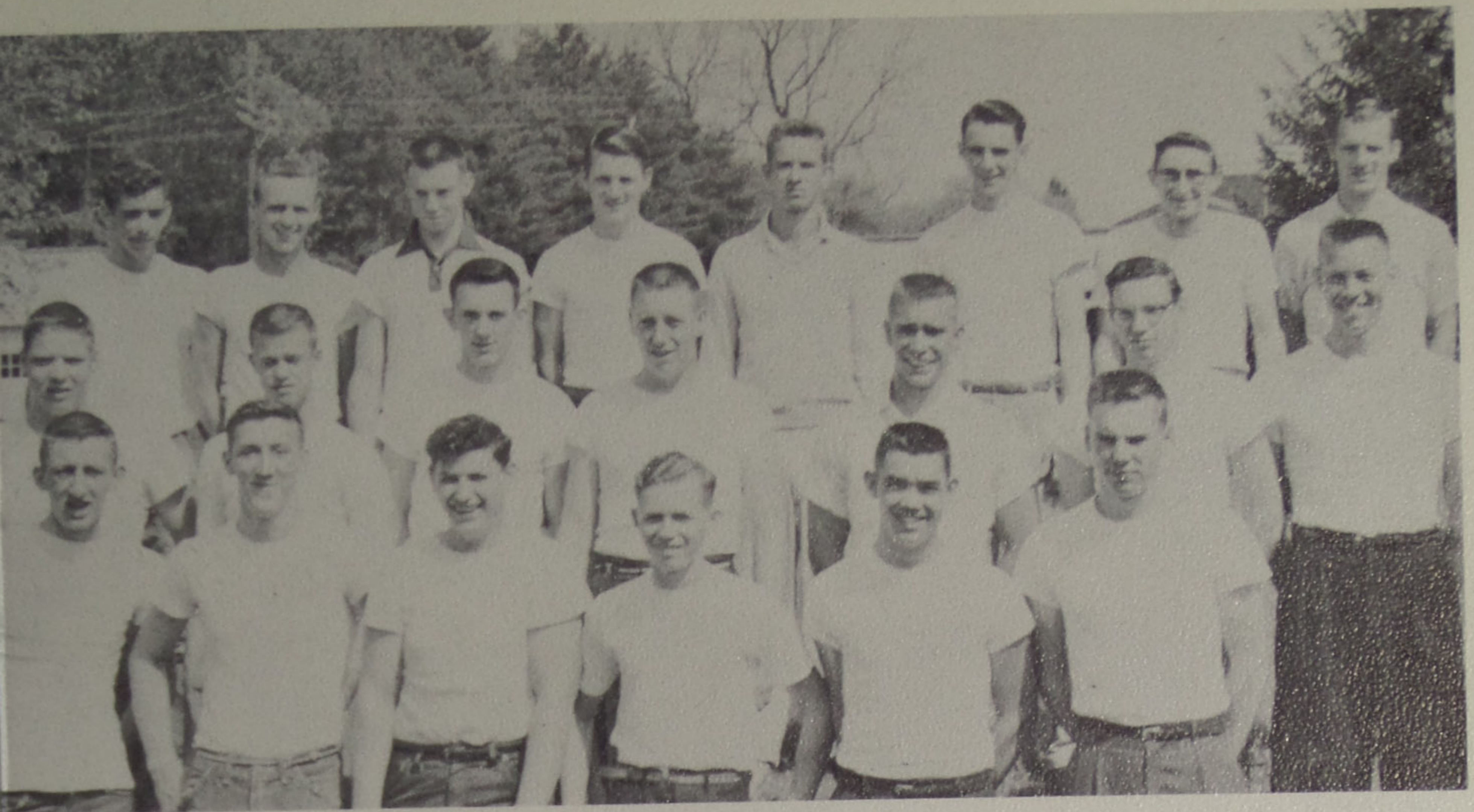
MIXED CHORUS

ROW ONE: Faye Collins, Patty Lykins, Nancy Stigall, Karen Clifford, Marilyn Montgomery, Alice Mougey, Jean Adkins, Shirley Cole, Dorothy Gilliland, Mrs. Martin. ROW TWO: Carolyn Kayser, Ruth McKinney, Jeannine Newman, Becky Canary, Jan Doyle, Janice Brown, Virginia Knore, Sharon Dutiel, Judi Massie, Sonnie Staten. ROW THREE: Marilyn Niner, Jackie Patterson, Pat McKinney, Phyllis Newman, Janice Canary, Judy Deemer, Sally Barbee, Shirley Sparks, Ralph Gampp. ROW FOUR: Bob Williams, Rodney Dryden, Harold Blankenship, Cleo Oberley, Wells Peach, Harold Lilly, Dave Dawson, Junior Murphy, Bob Newman.



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SENIOR BOYS CHORUS

FIRST ROW: Bob Dever, Bob Spradlin, Robert Collins, Lowell Kinker, Leroy Lykins, Clifford Jenkins.
SECOND ROW: John Collier, Rodney Dryden, Clinton Griffith, Ralph Smith, Bill Butcher, Paul Cold-iron, Randall Mullins. THIRD ROW: Clarence Mason, Bob Williams, Wells Peach, Ellis Roffe, Dial Bentley, Gary Potts, Randle Middaugh, Franklin Roffe.



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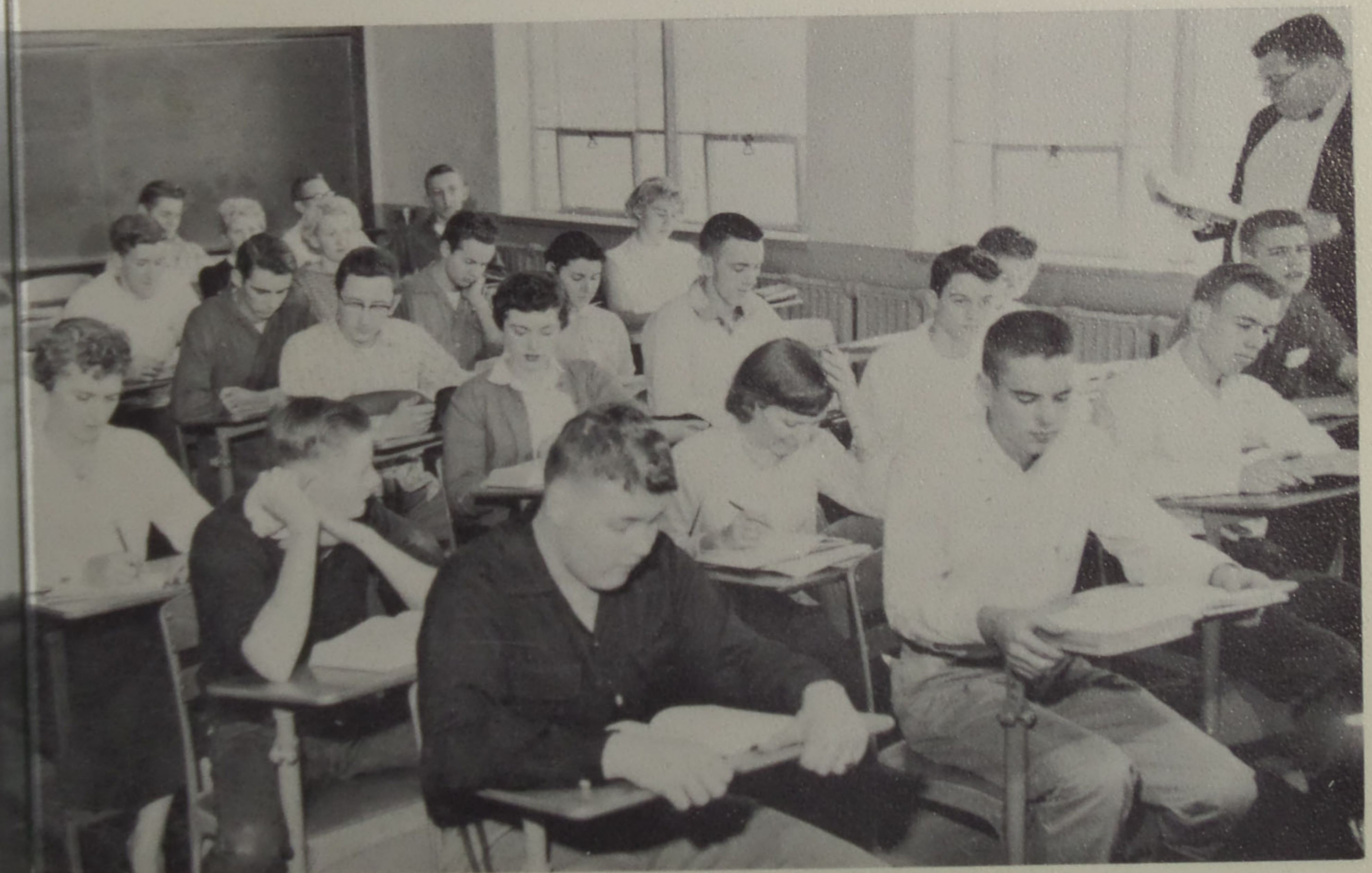


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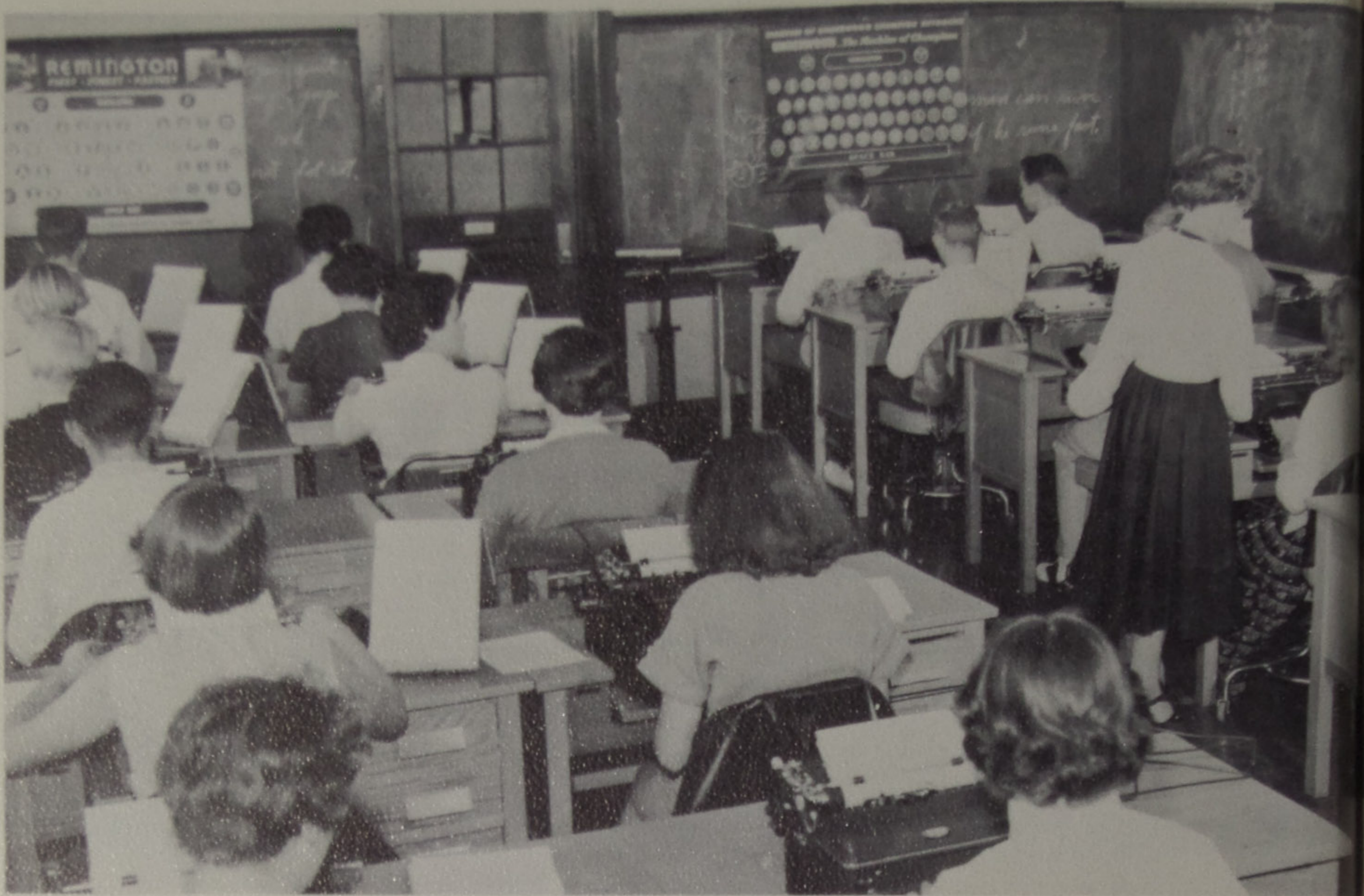
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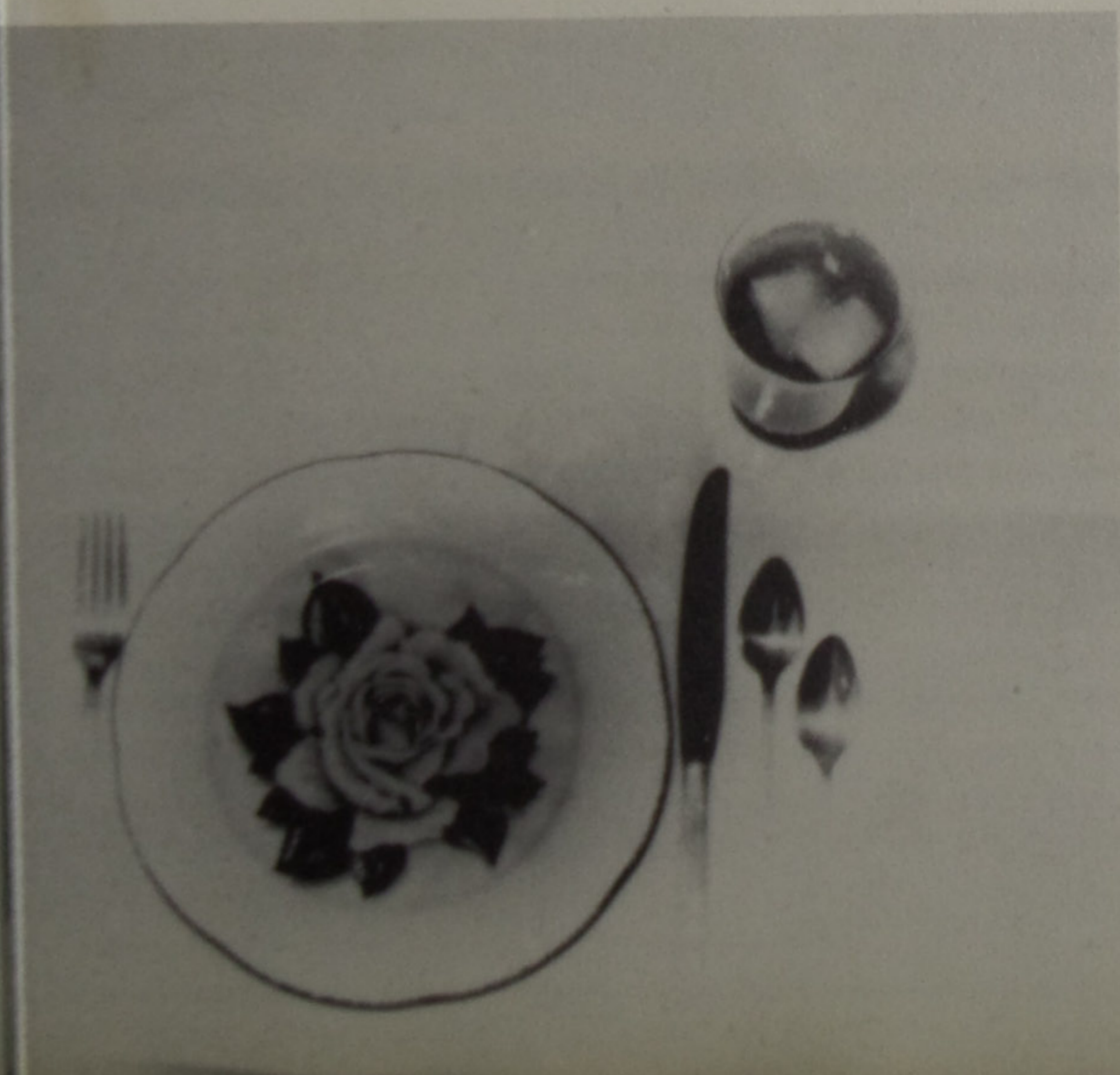
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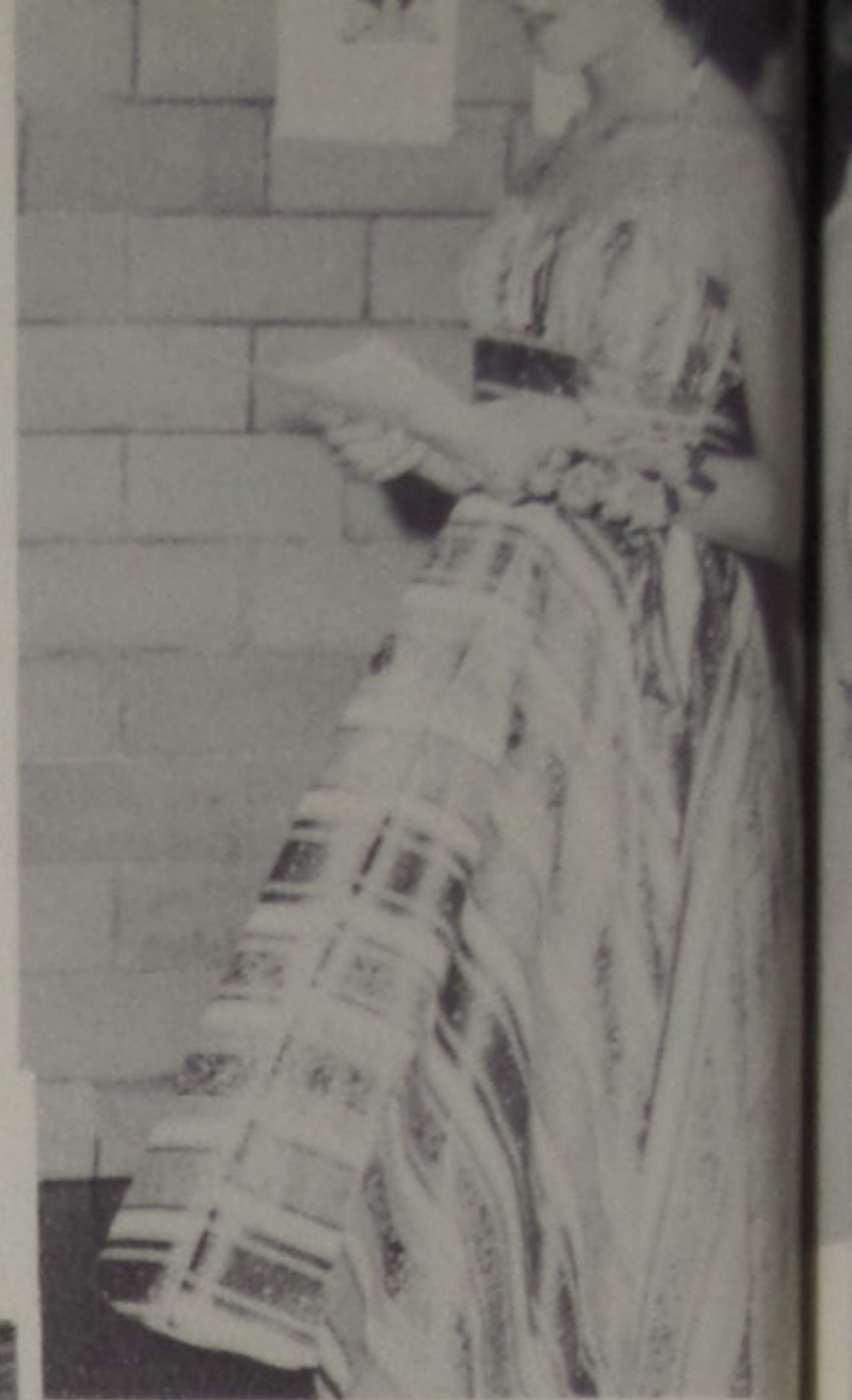
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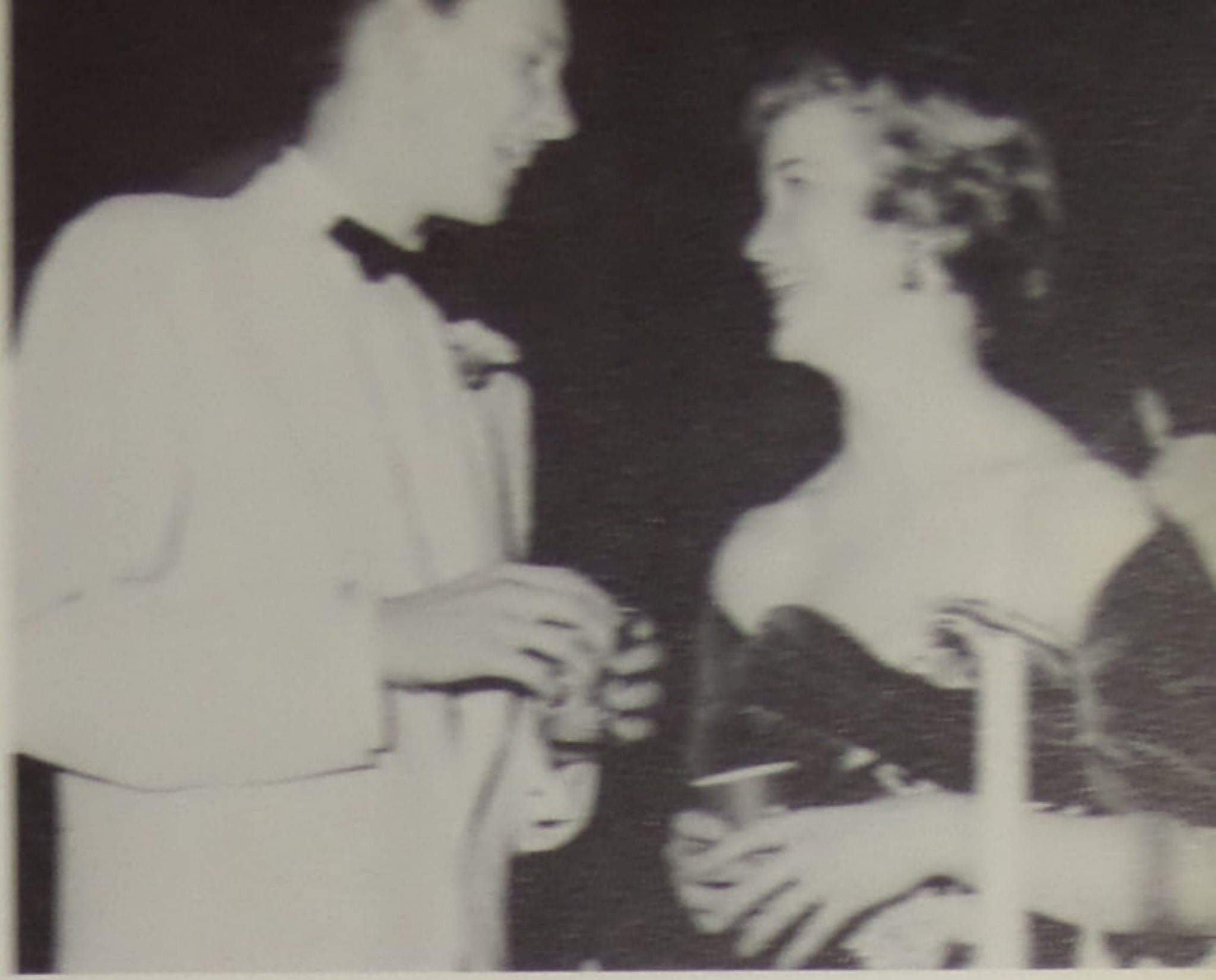


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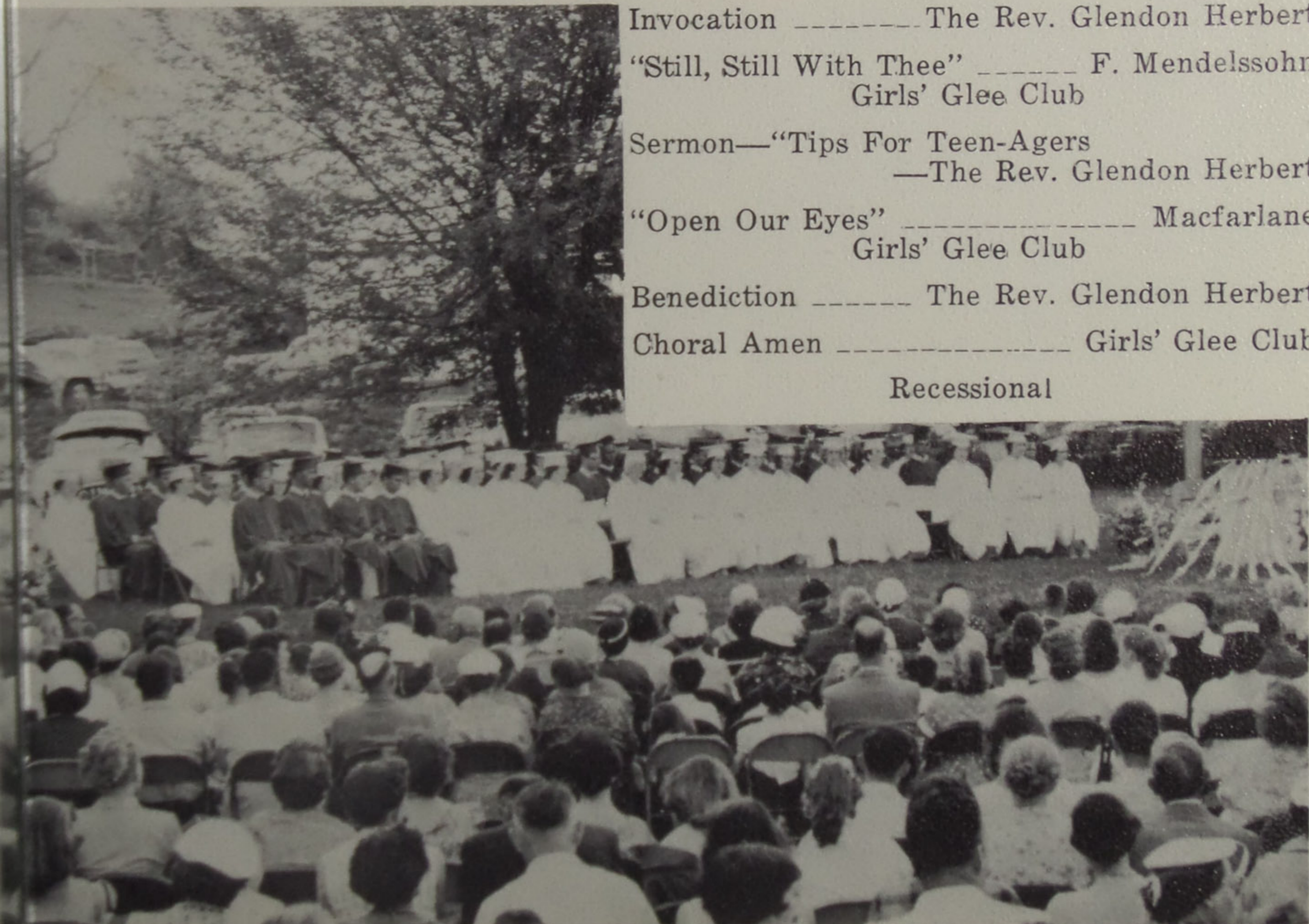
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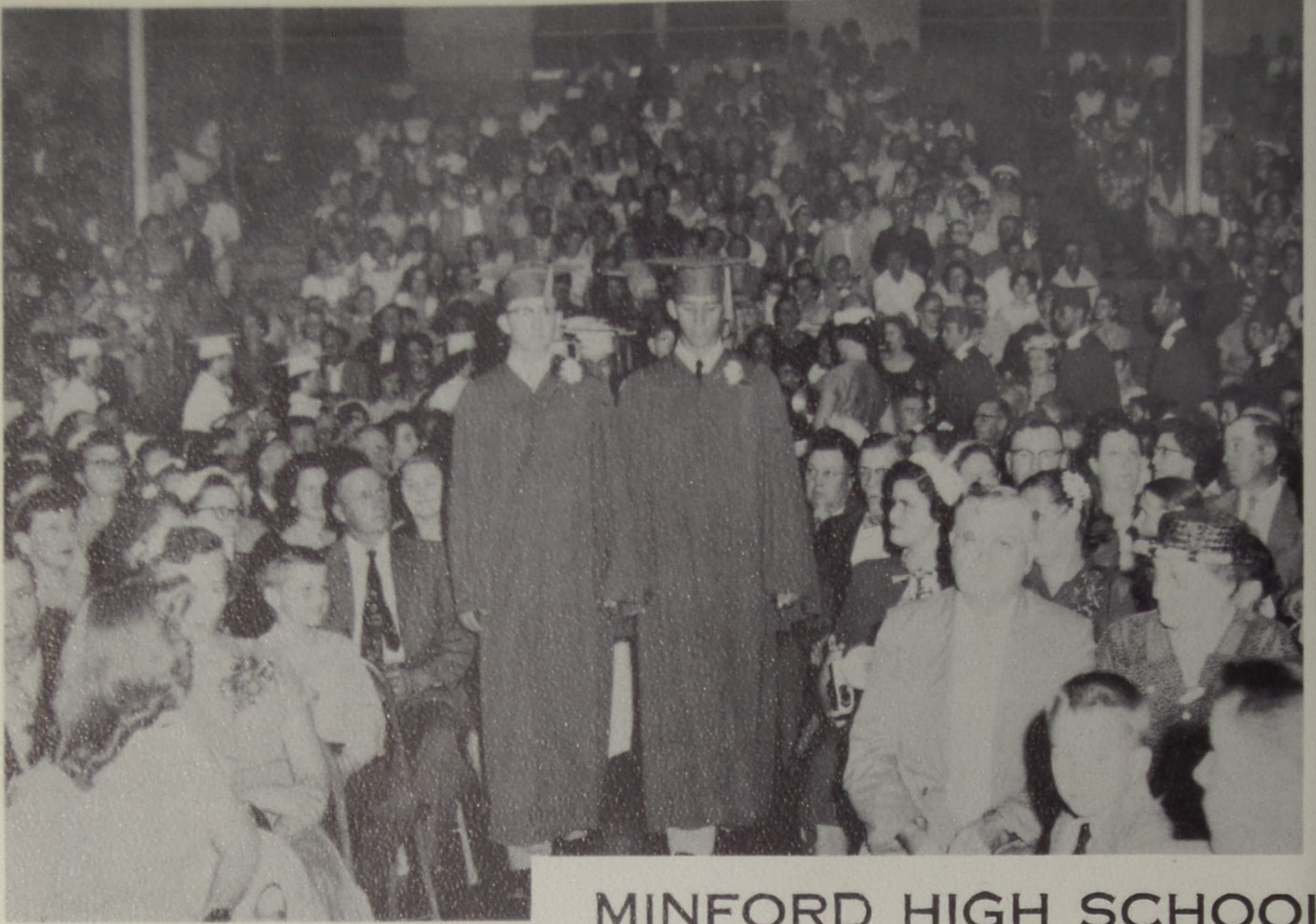
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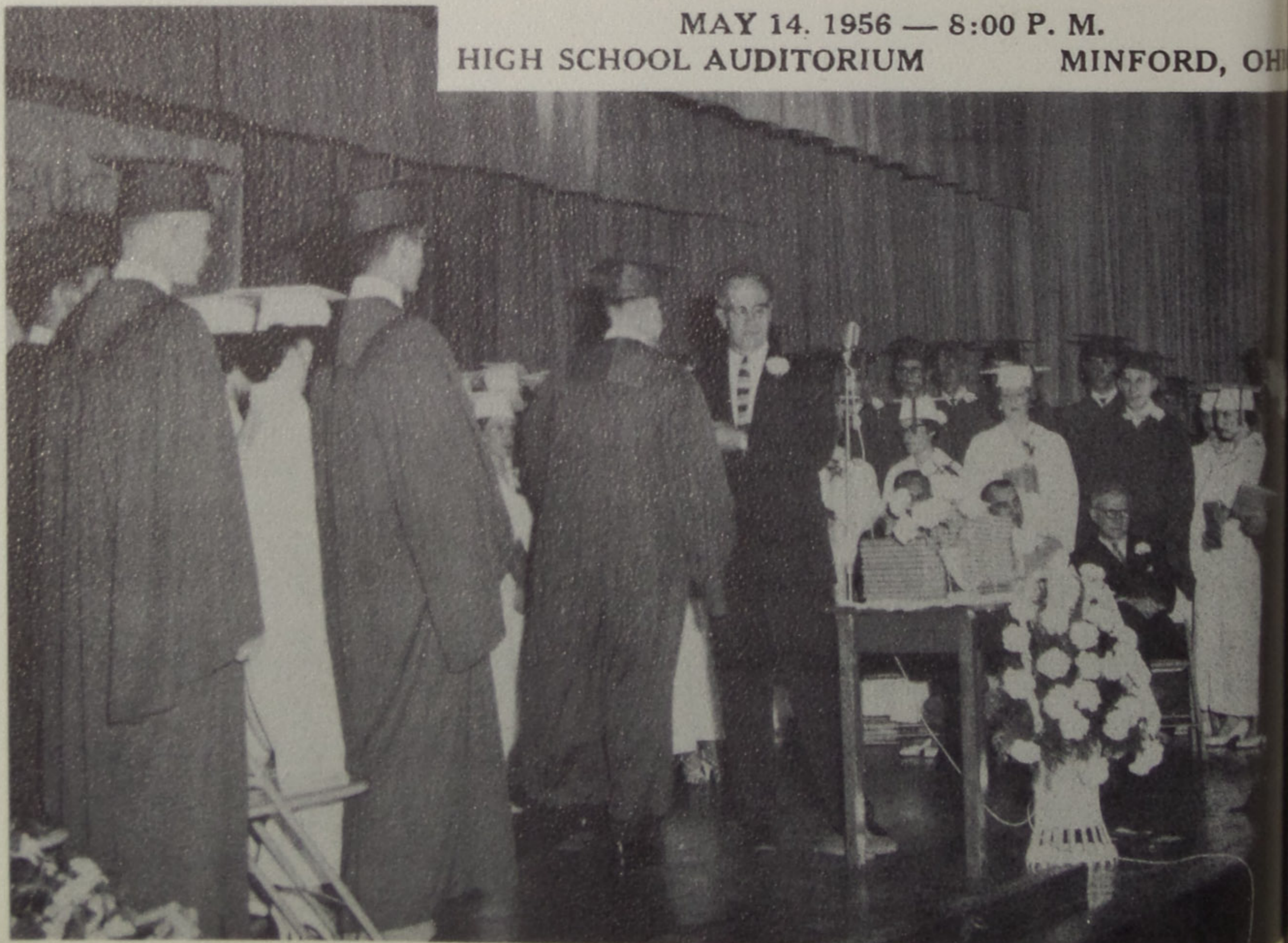
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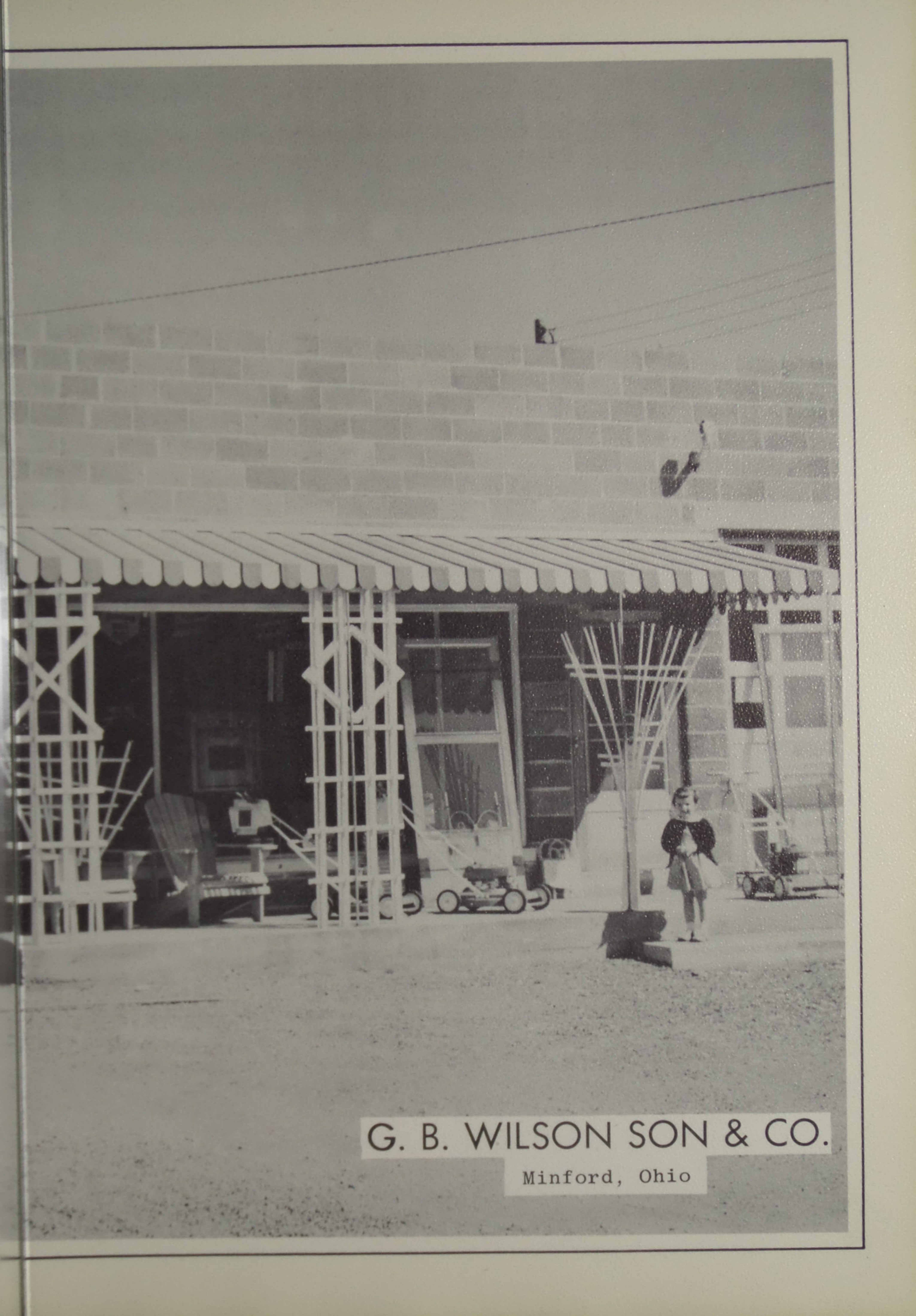
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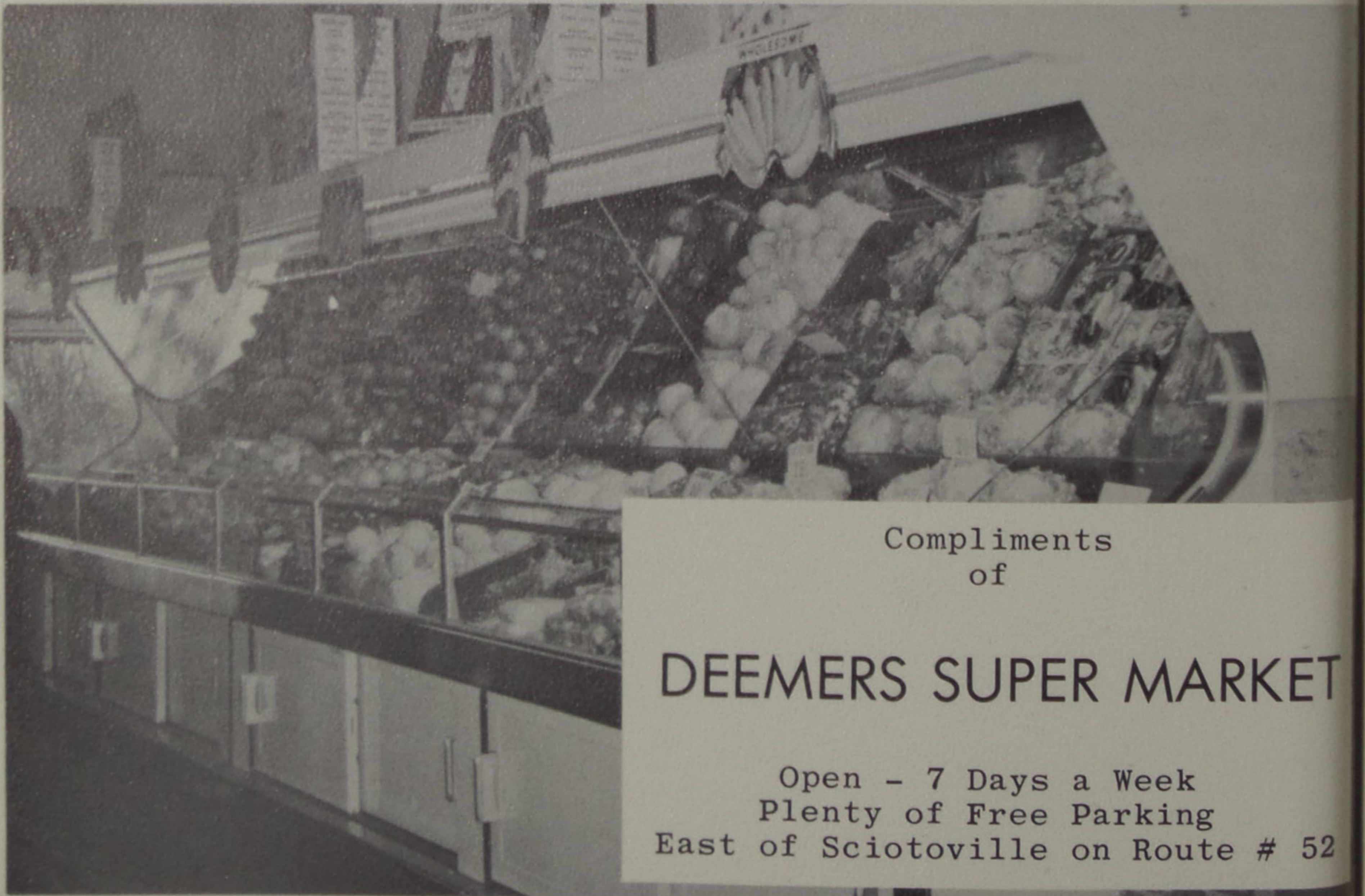






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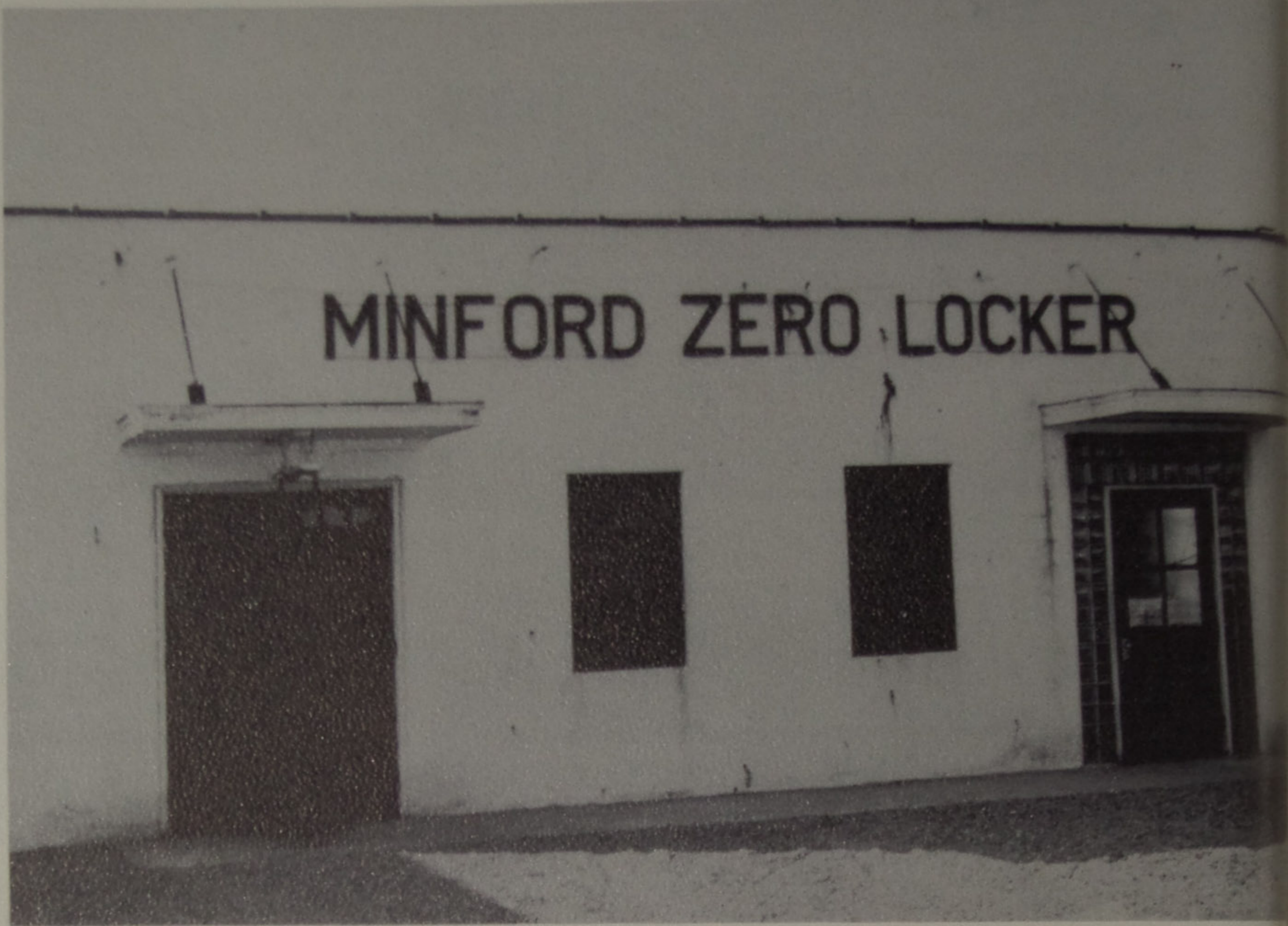
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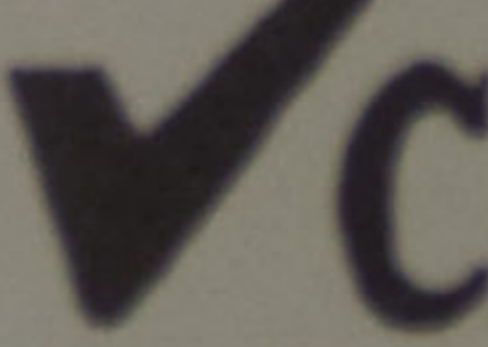
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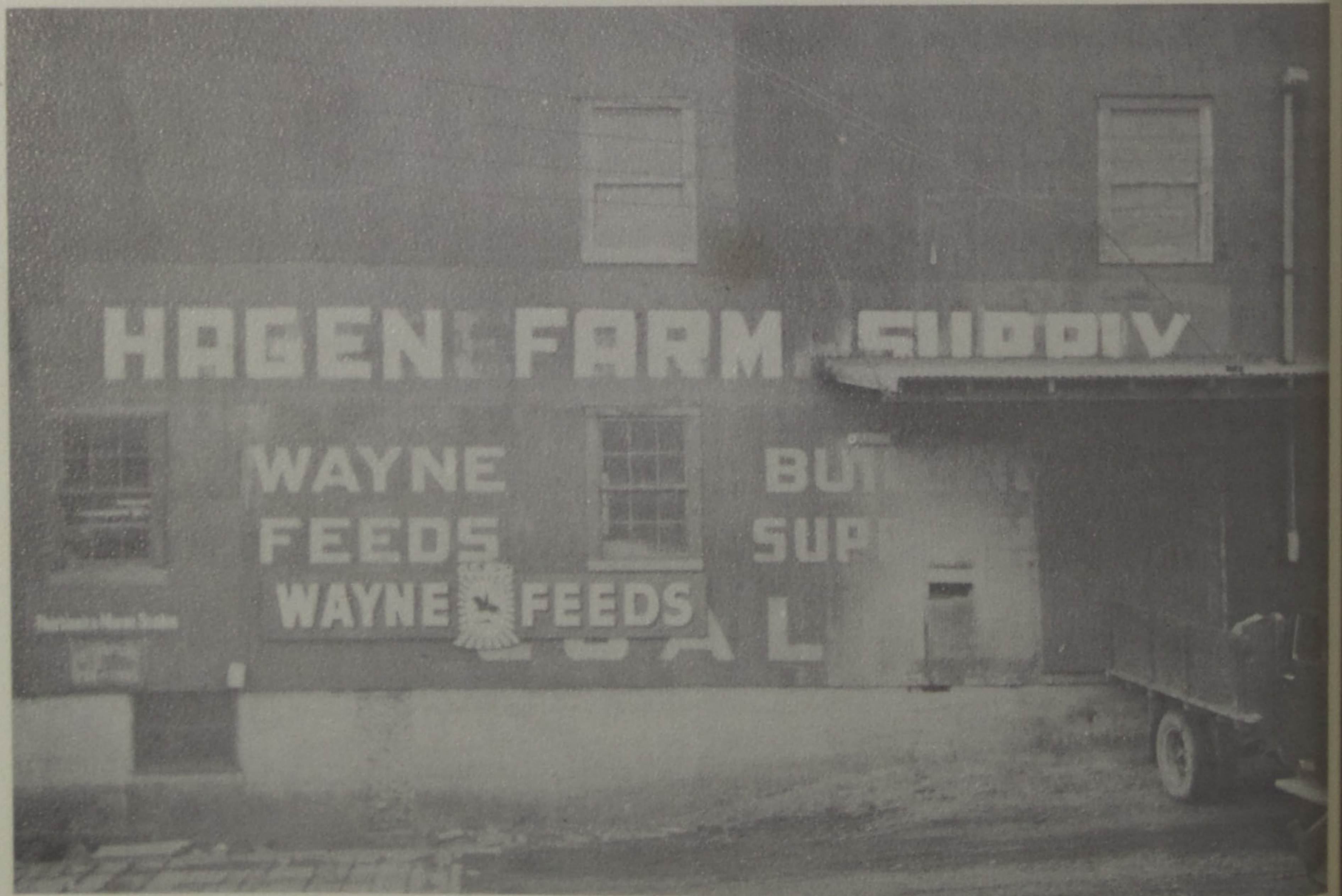
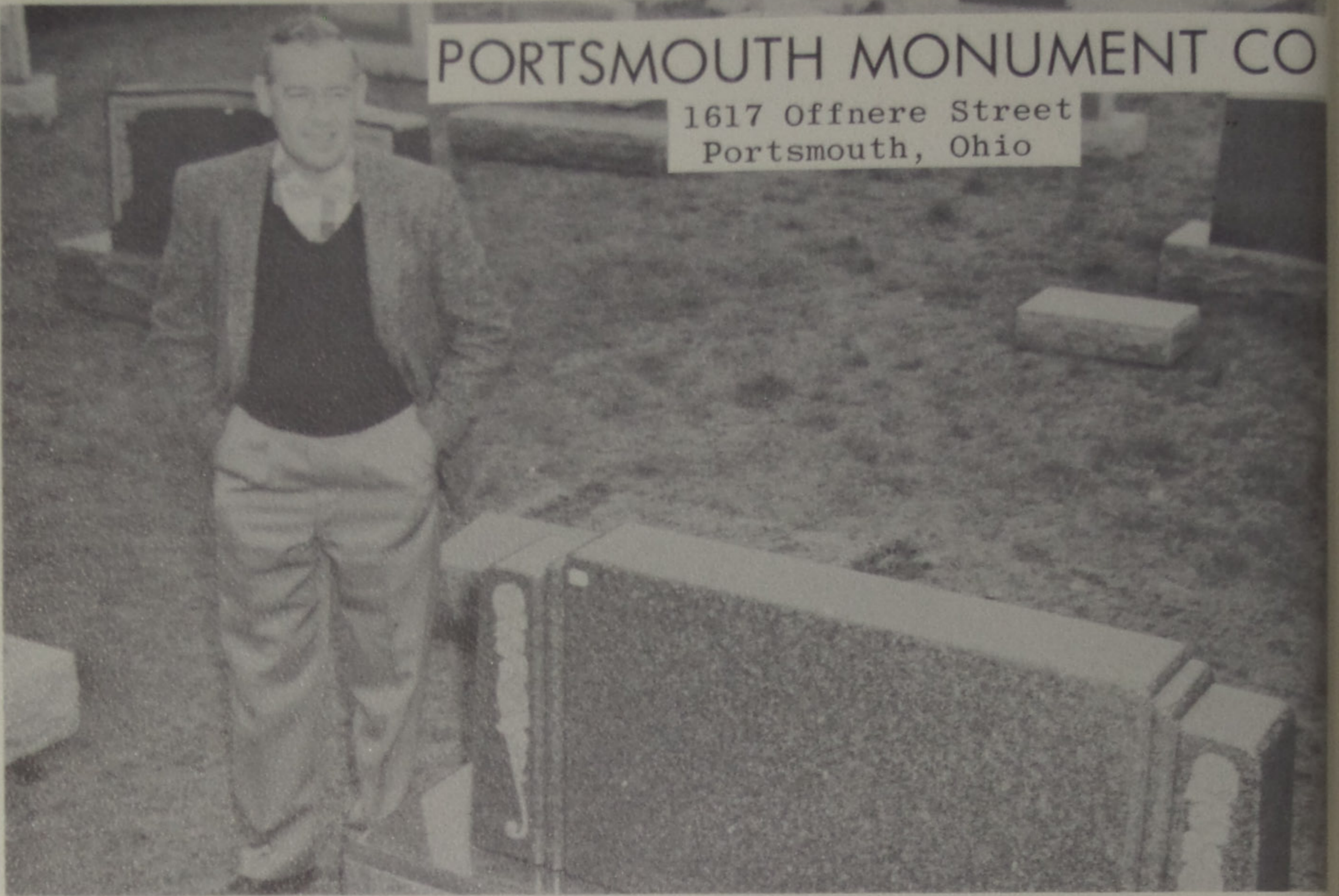
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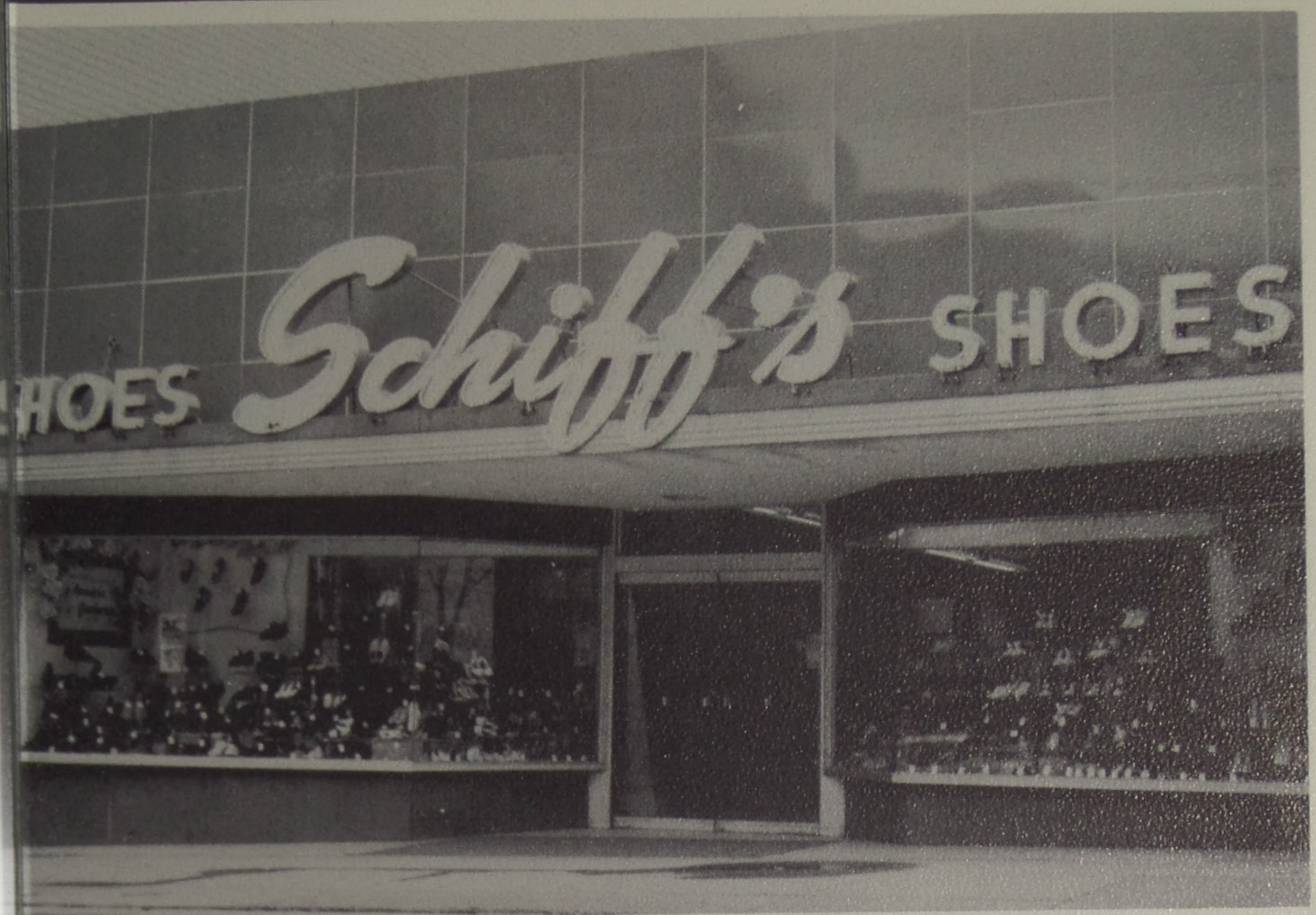




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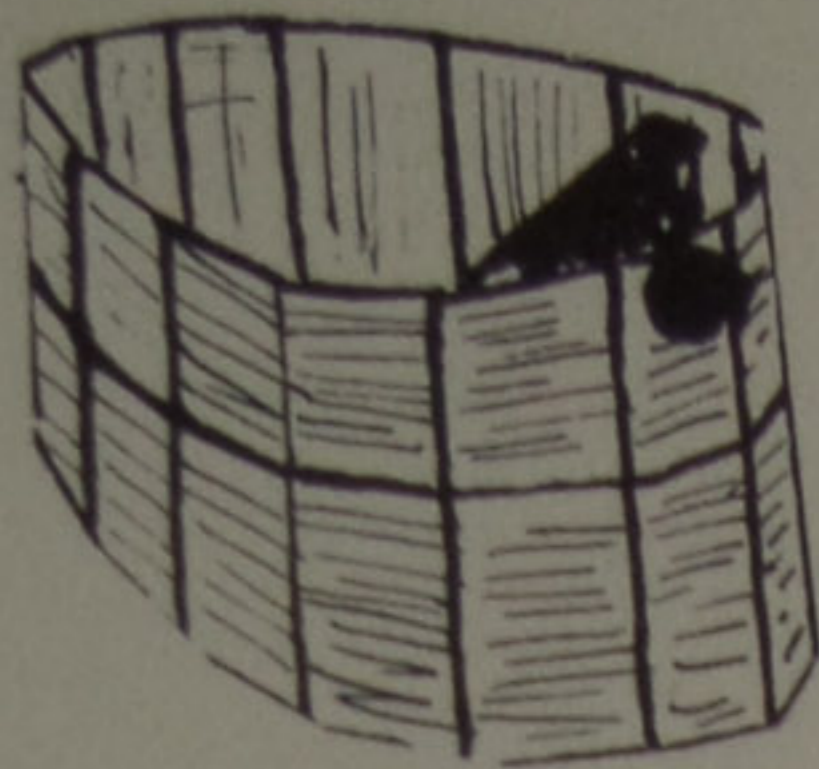
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