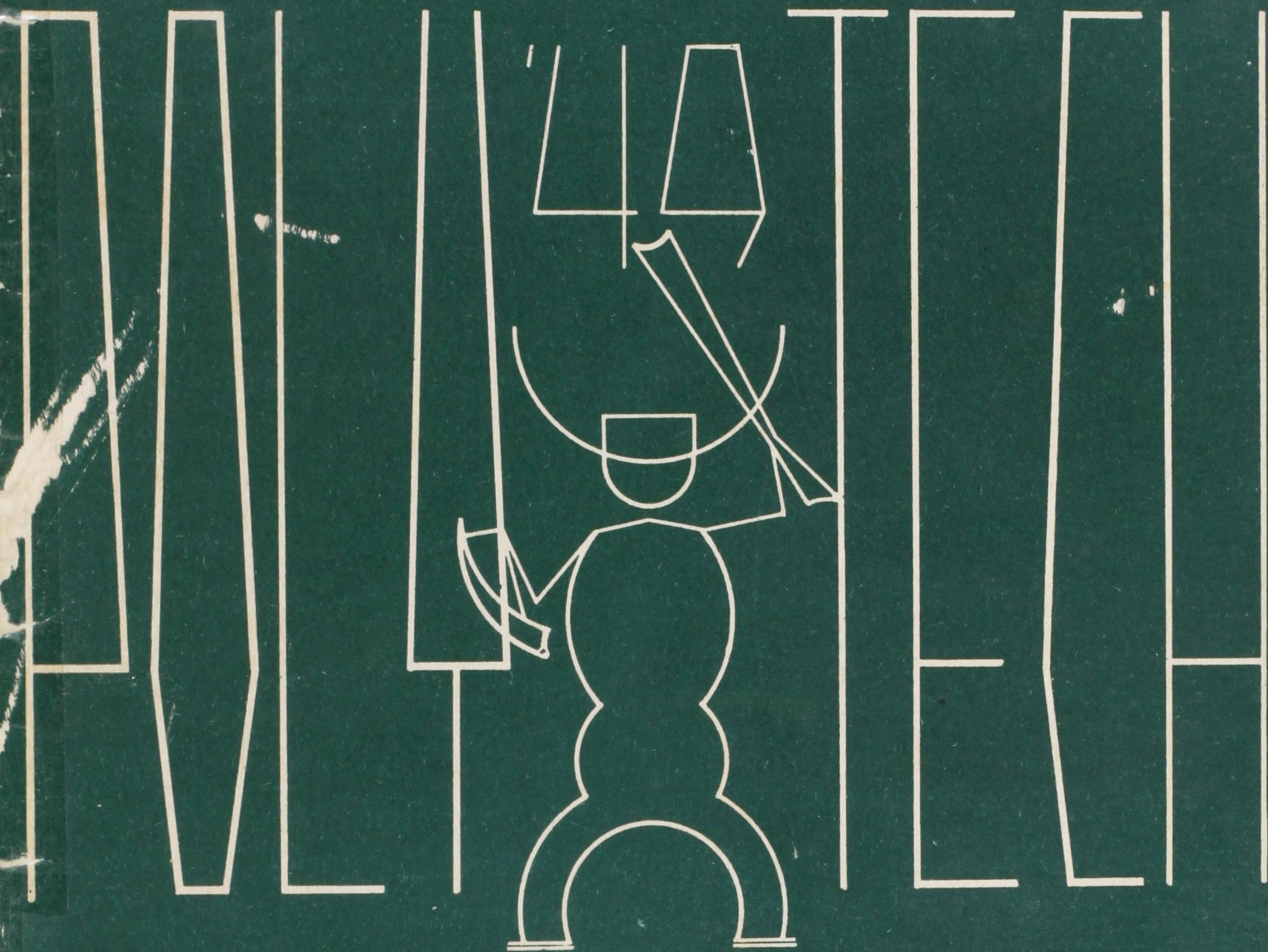


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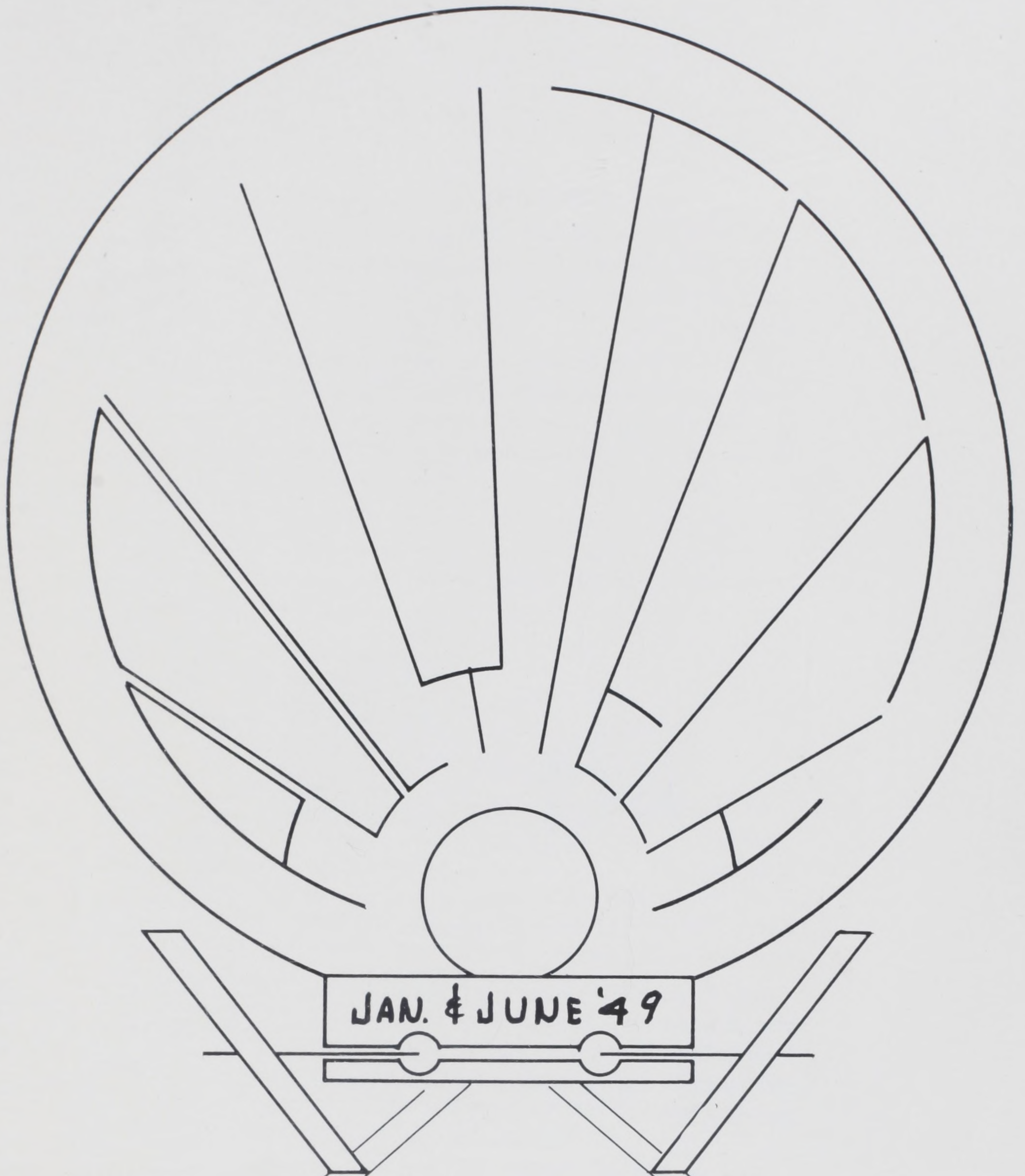
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## **FOREWORD**

The Poly Tech, published annually by the graduating class of Benson Polytechnic High School, is not a record of the seniors only, but of the entire school.

In publishing this book we have tried to give the reader a complete picture of the school and its activities. We have tried to show, in a pictorial of this type the spirit of the students as they go about classes, clubs, sports, and student government activities.

It is the hope of the staff that this work will long remain as a memorial of the varied experiences and lasting friendships that have been made in this school.

## **APPRECIATION**

We, the Poly Tech Staff, wish to express our sincerest appreciation to Mr. Rein Jackson, our principal; Miss Barta, our yearbook advisor; Miss Beck, Mr. Suwol, and Mr. Karnopp, the class advisors; and Mr. Schrei of the photography shop for the time and effort they have freely given.

Also, thanks to Roy Mather and David Hoppe, student photographers; Steffens-Colmer Portrait Studio; Irwin-Hodson Co., printers; and all of the students and faculty for their contribution toward the publishing of this annual.



## In Memoriam



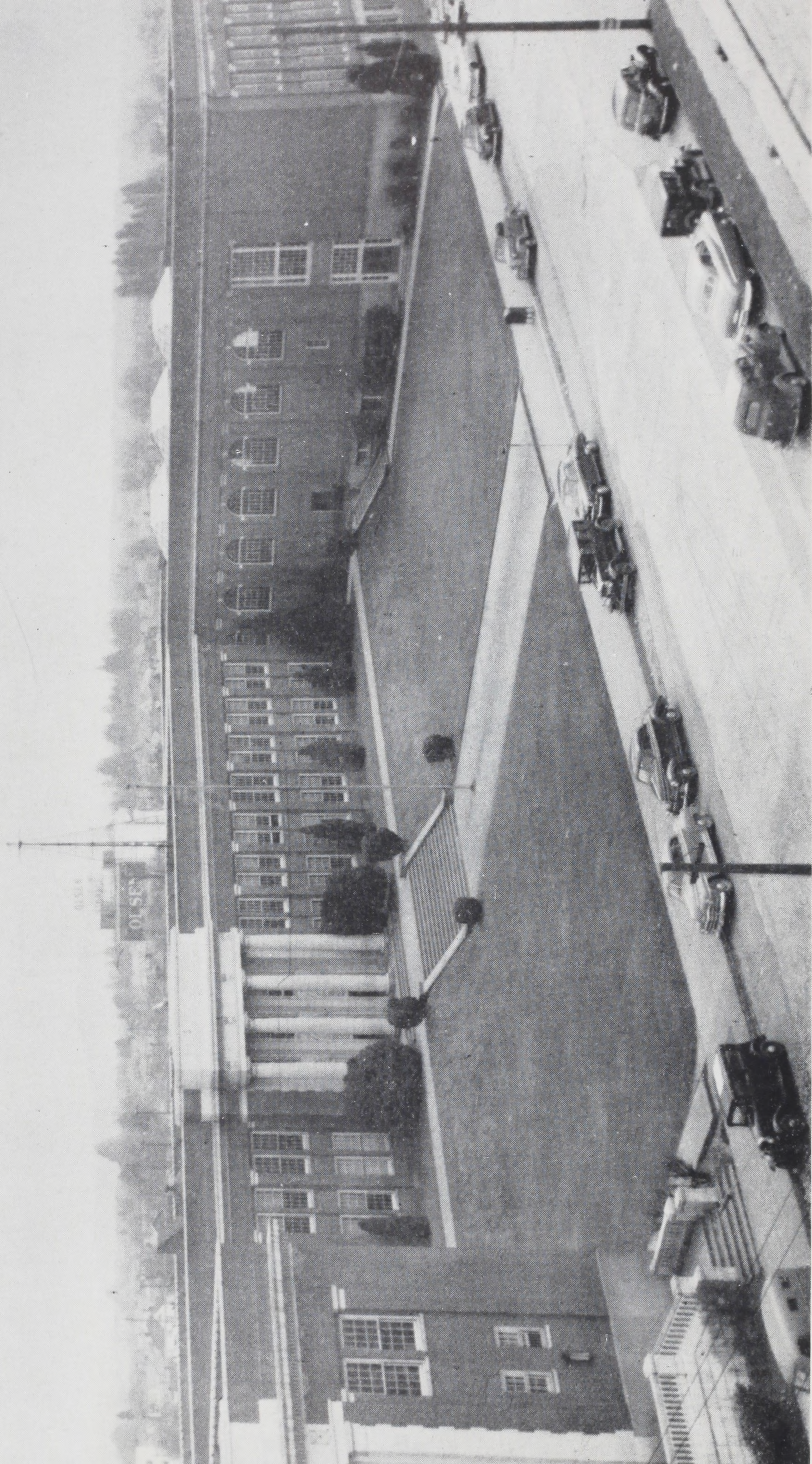
LEO L. OLDRIGHT

The senior class of 1949 is honored by the opportunity to dedicate this annual to the late Mr. Leo L. Oldright, who served for many years as an instructor at Benson.

Those who knew him shall long remember him as a helpful advisor, sincere friend, and a teacher who was interested in seeing the student learn the subject which he taught.

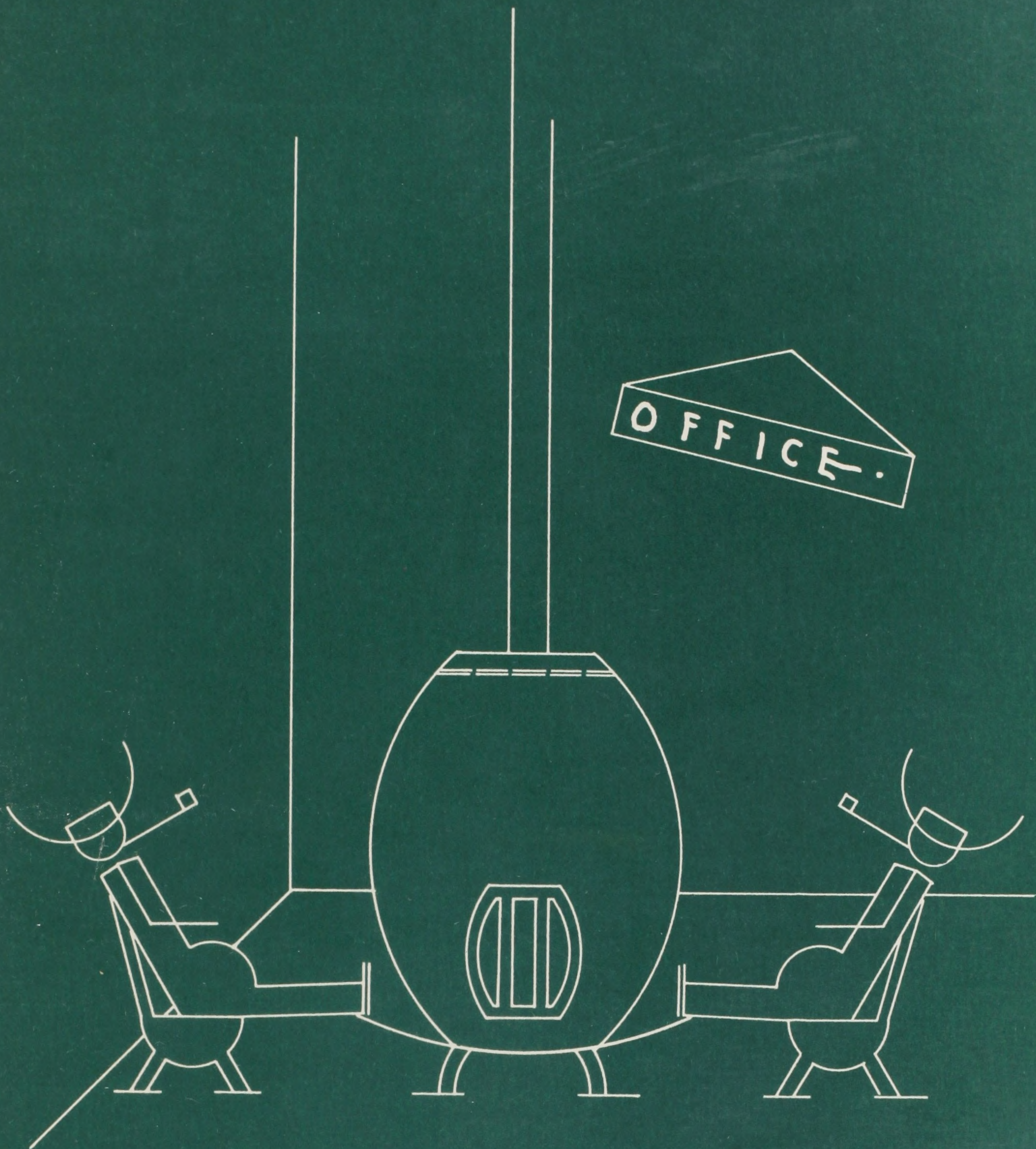
In your memory, Mr. Oldright, we dedicate this 1949 Poly Tech.





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**MR. REIN E. JACKSON**

Principal

This 1949 Poly Tech adds another mile-stone in the history of the Benson Polytechnic High School. This yearbook reflects the superior ability of those who have been responsible for its publication. Its editor, its staff, and its advisors have cooperated in true Benson manner; depicting the cooperative spirit which permeates the student body and the faculty. May I congratulate all who have helped make this book a credit to the school.

My best wishes are extended to every member of the graduating class.

REIN E. JACKSON, Principal.





**MR. BROWN**  
Vice-Principal

One of the most industrious men in the administration of Benson is Mr. George Brown, vice-principal. Mr. Brown, who is in charge of attendance, has one of the hardest jobs in the school. He has been a member of the faculty for many years in the science department. He replaced Mr. Hargreaves as vice-principal during the war years and was assigned his present position after the retirement of Mr. Omar Bitner. Mr. Brown has a sincere interest in the students at Benson and takes pleasure in helping them. We all wish to thank him for all he has done in helping us during our stay at Benson.

Mr. Harry H. Hargreaves, who is the vice-president in charge of programing, is very understanding and capable of helping us with our problems. Mr. Hargreaves has been at Benson since the 1920's except during the war, when he was Director of Athletics for the Portland Public Schools. Here we take the time to express our gratitude to him for his time and effort on behalf of the school.



**MR. HARGREAVES**  
Vice-Principal





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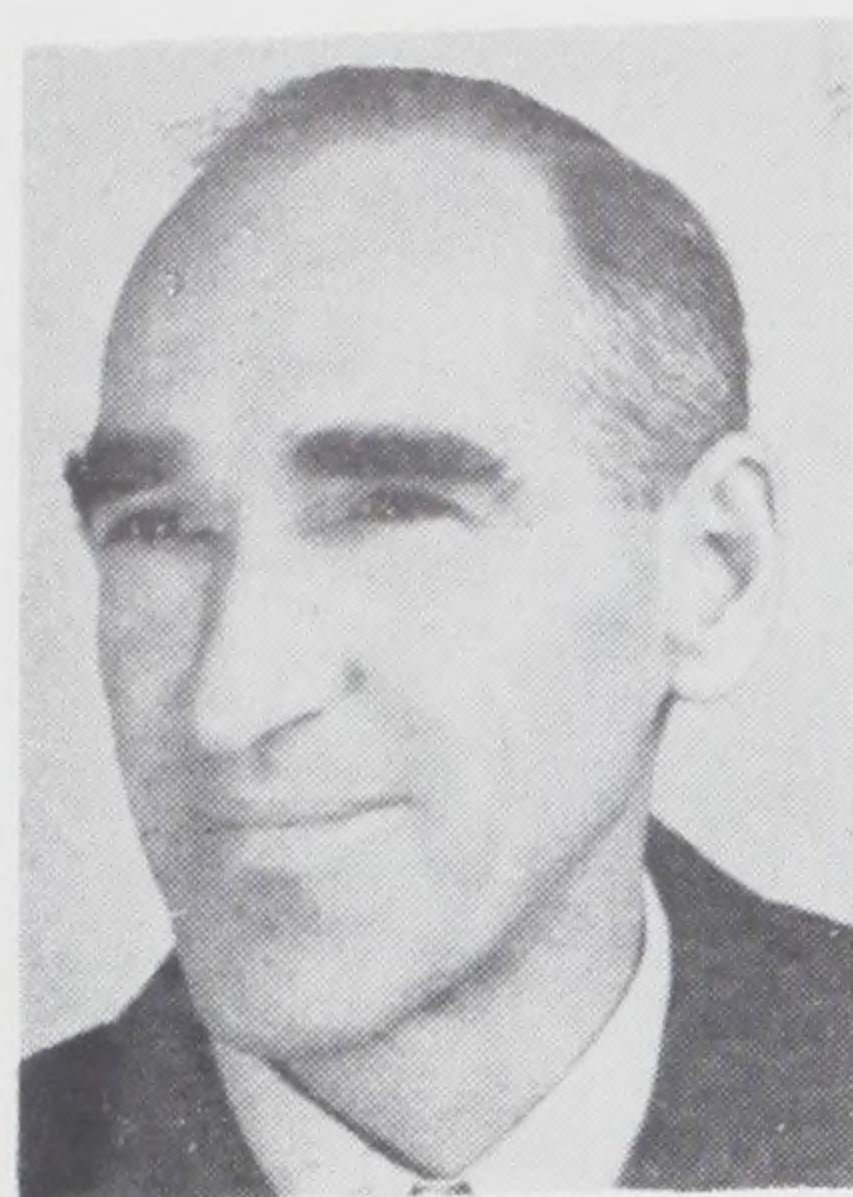
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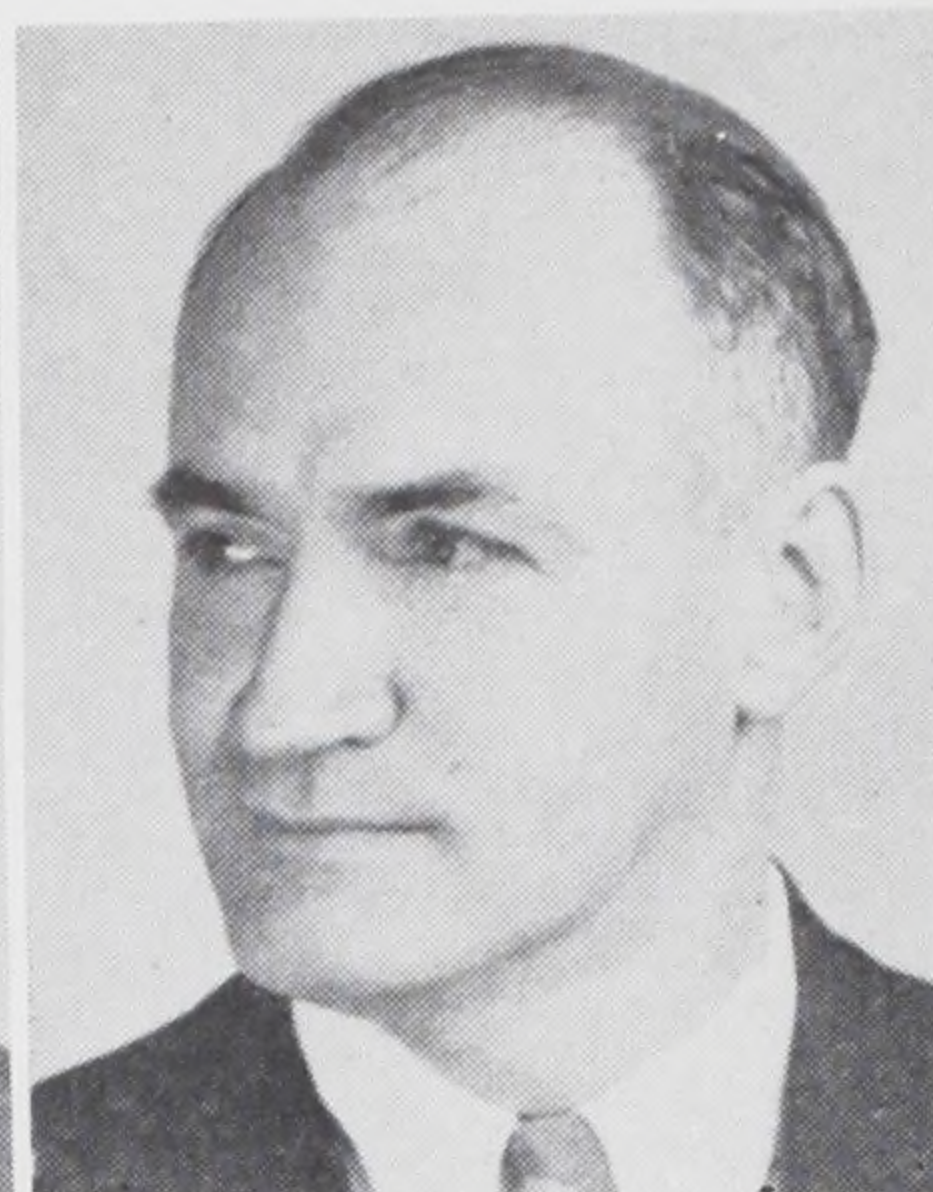
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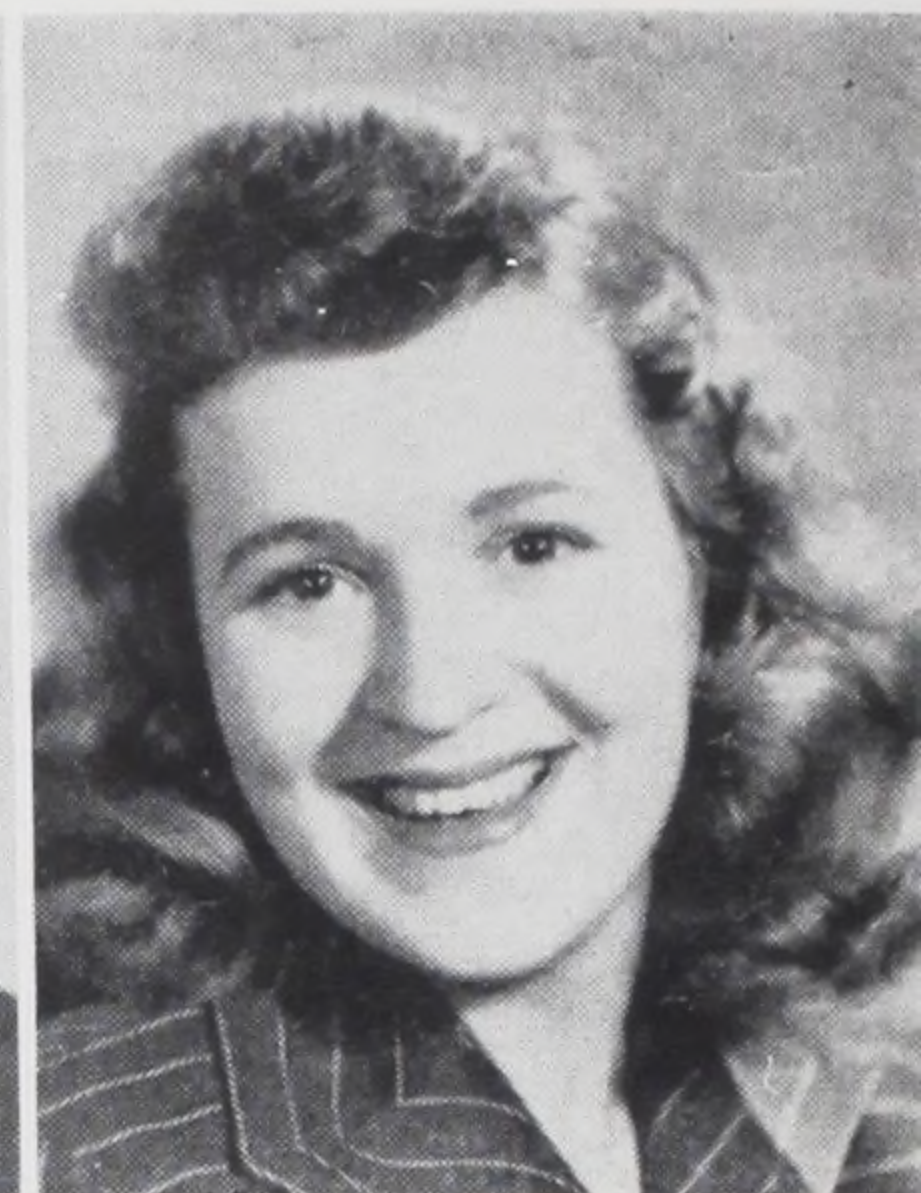
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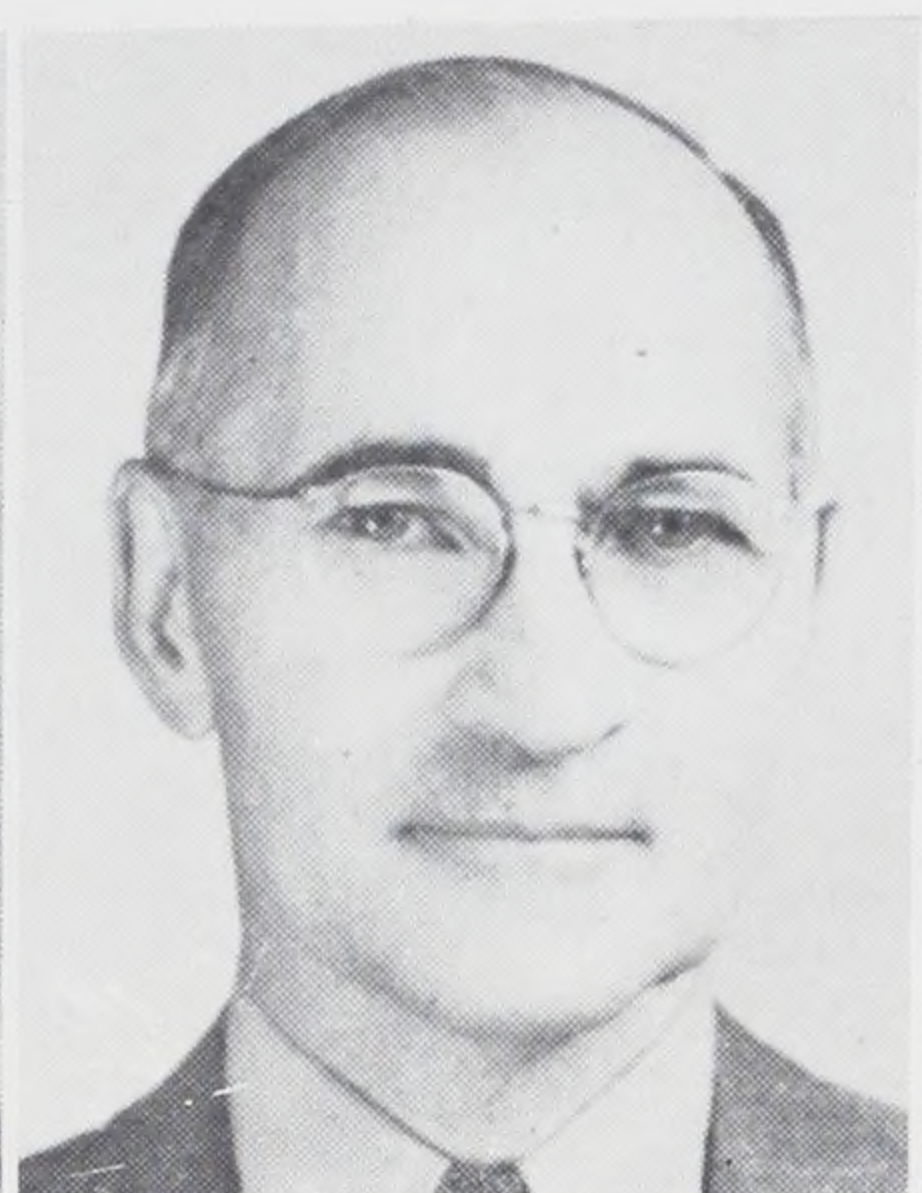
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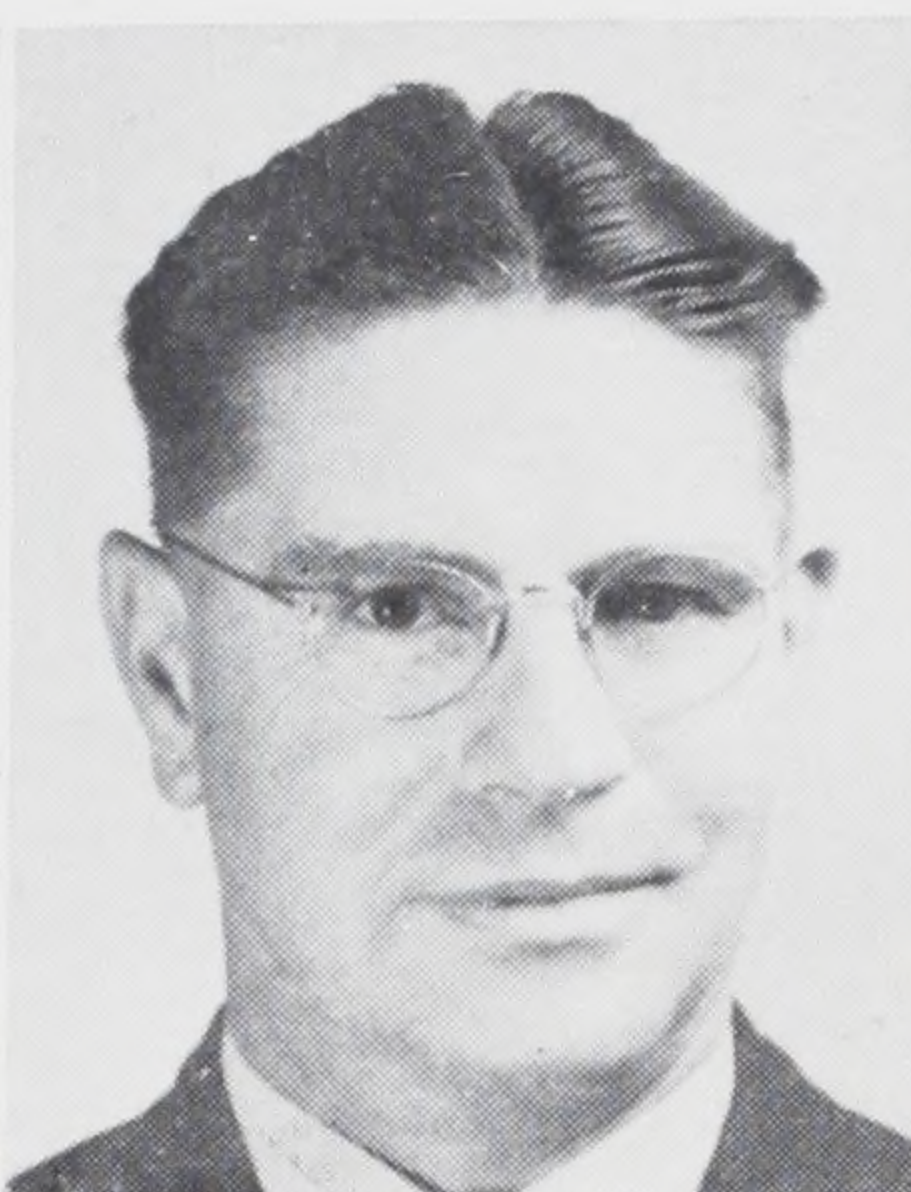
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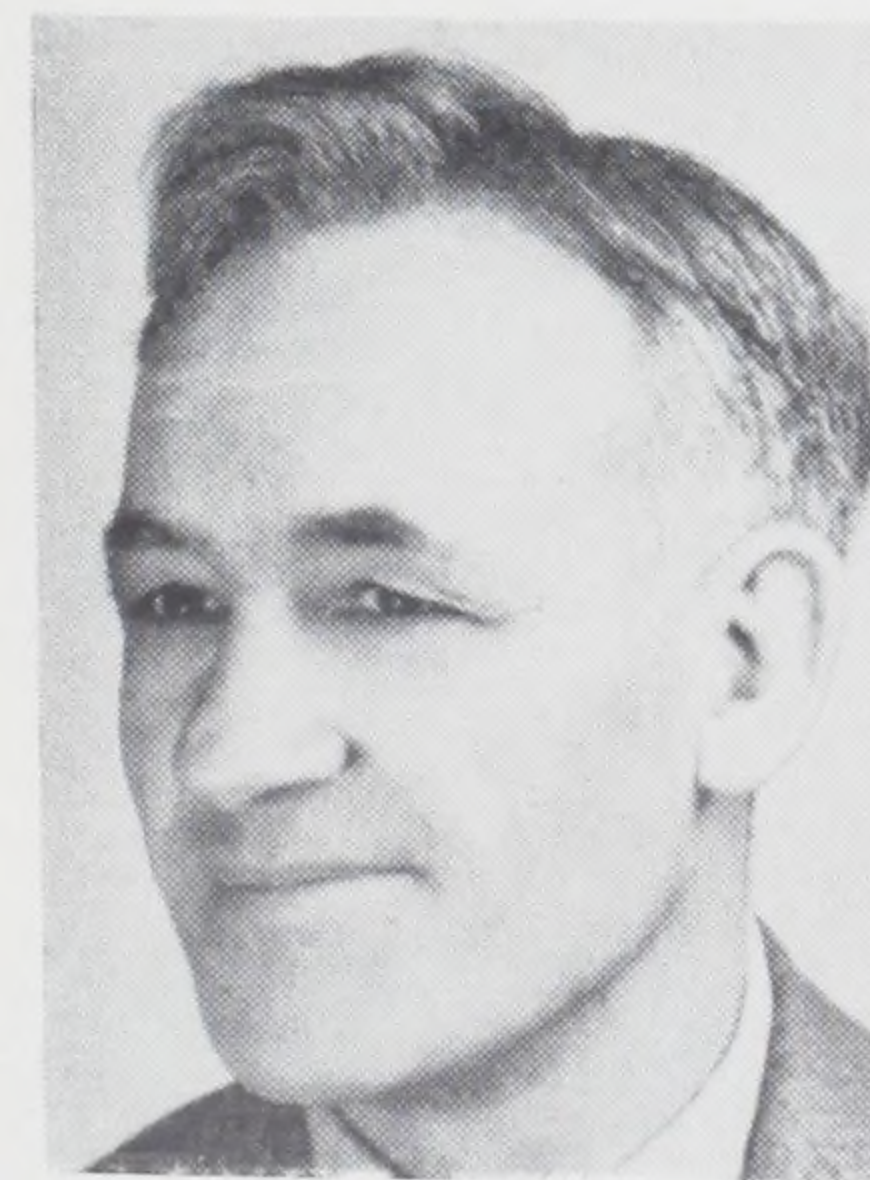
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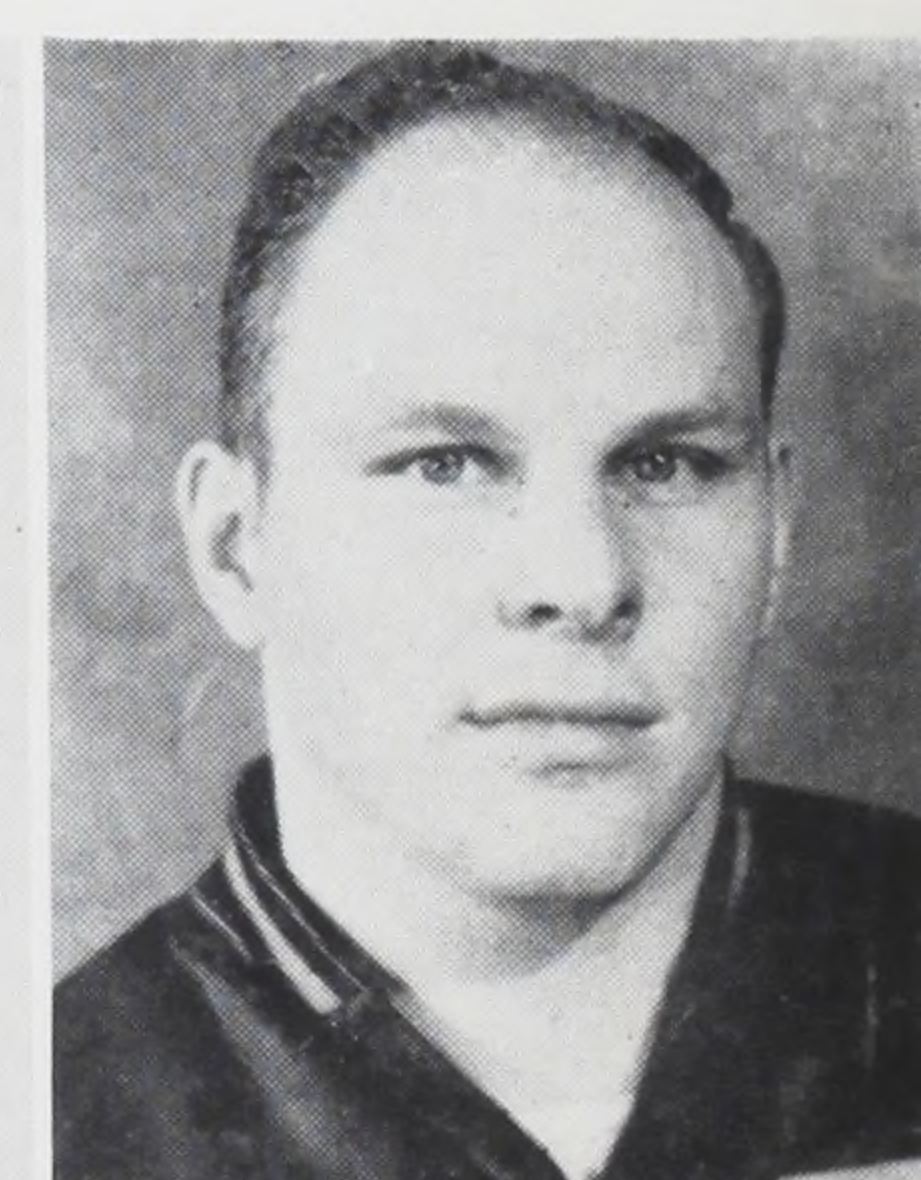
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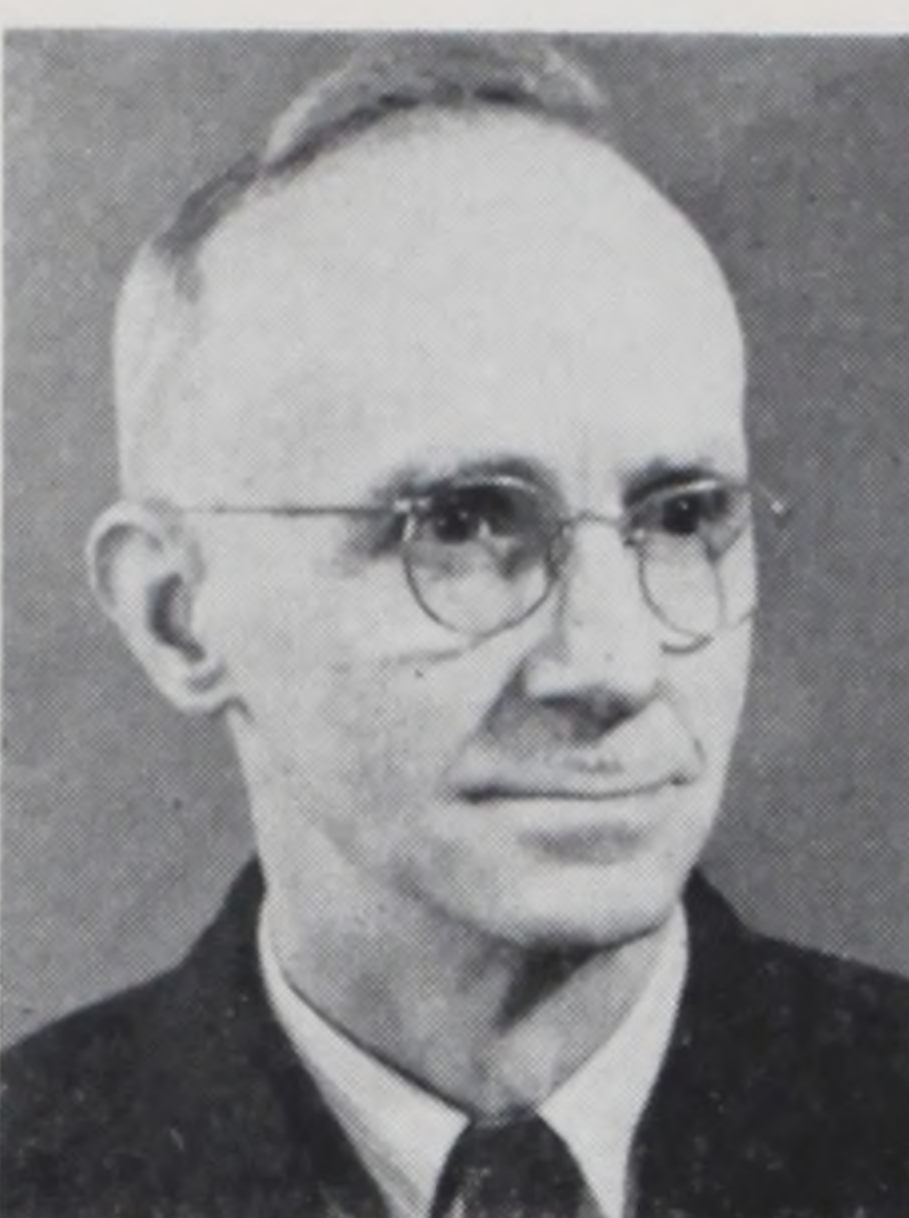
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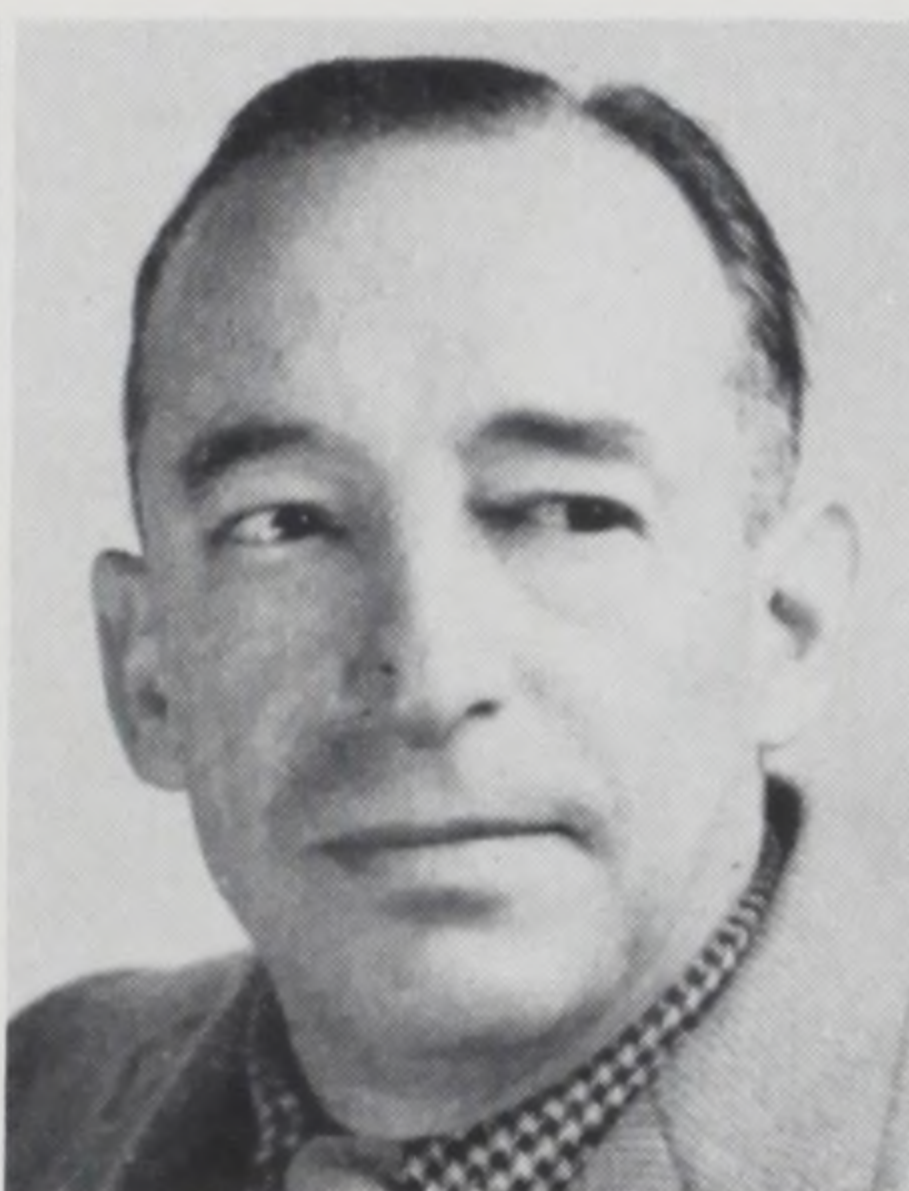
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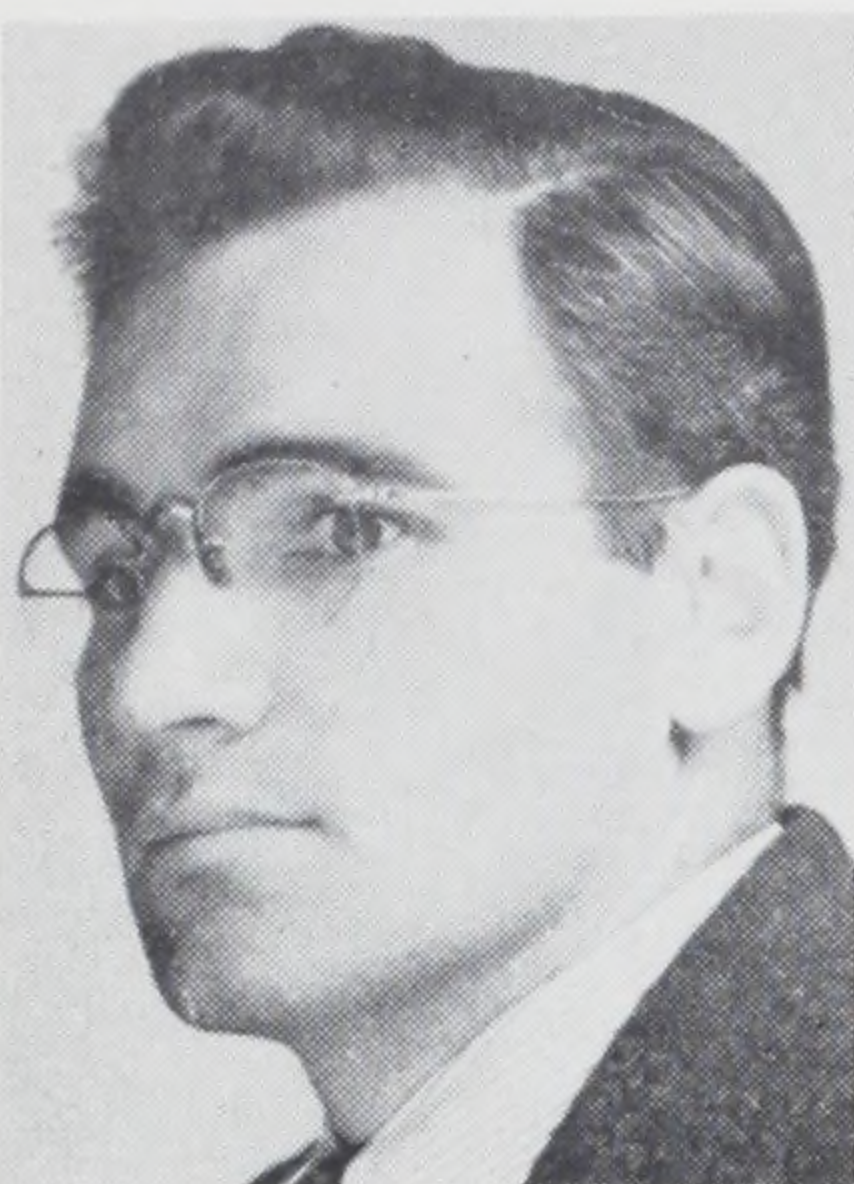
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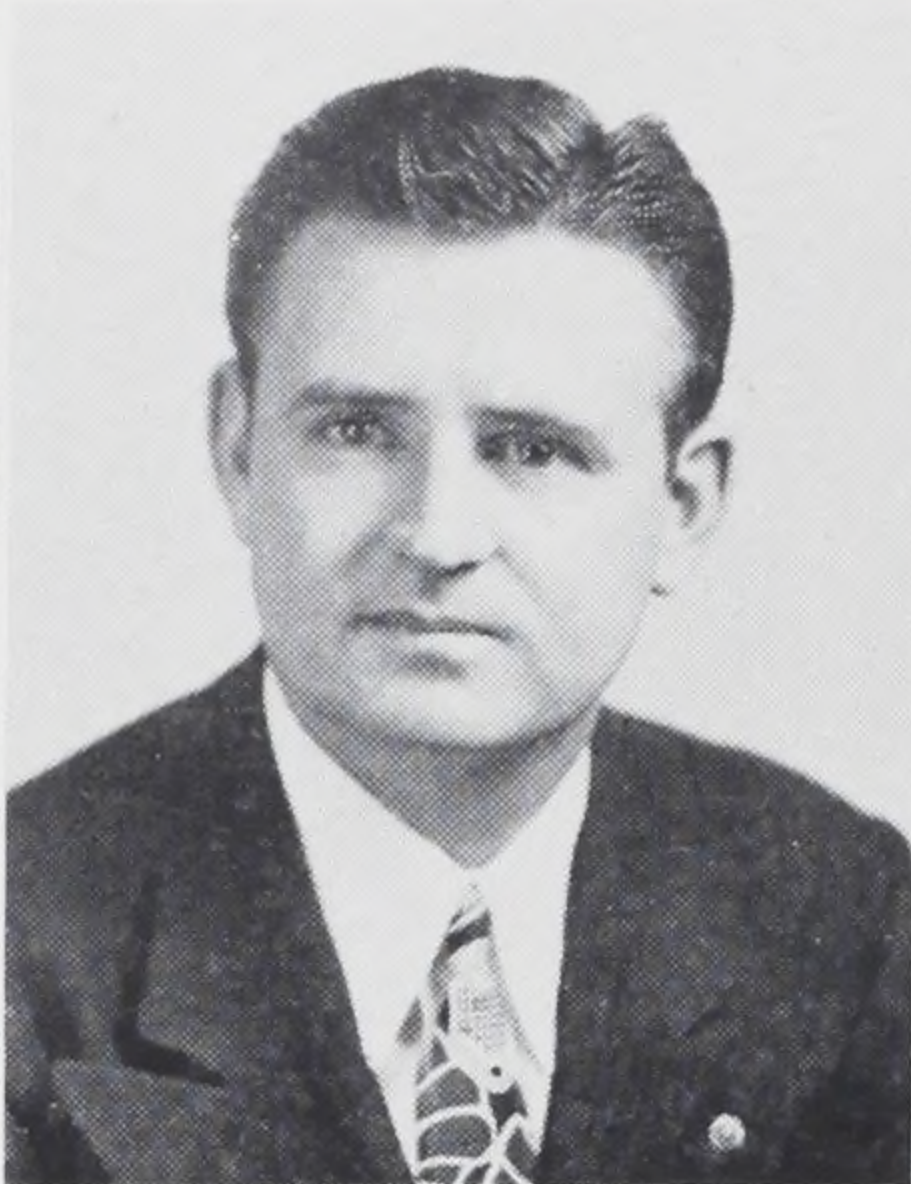
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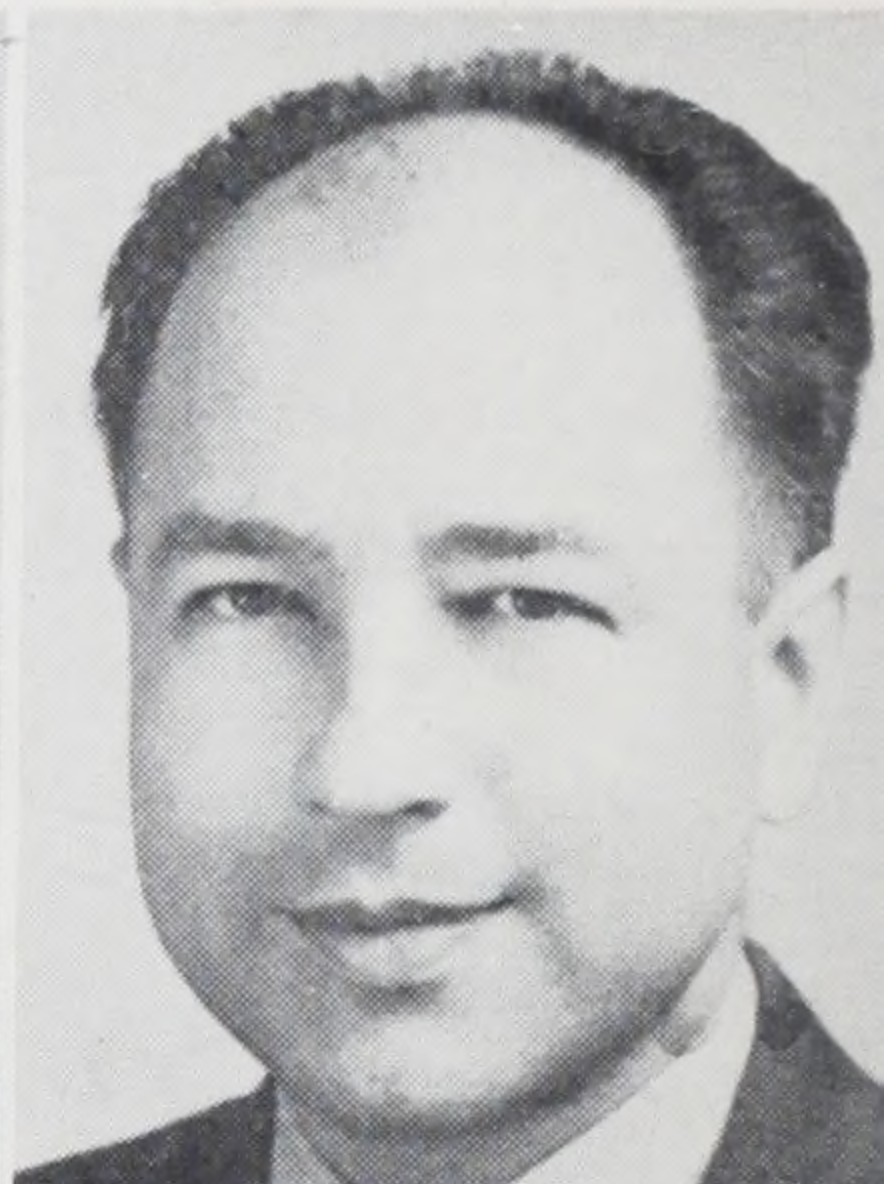
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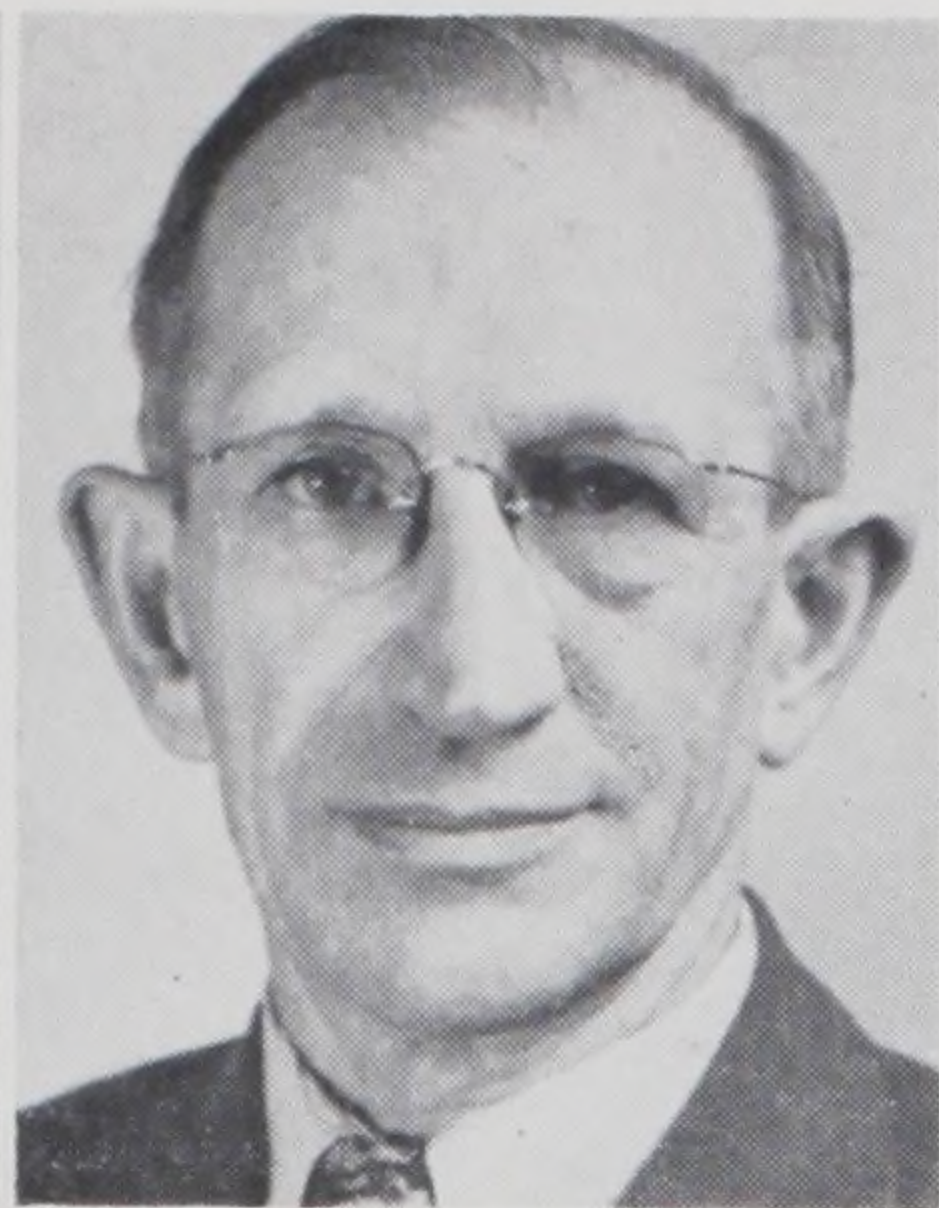
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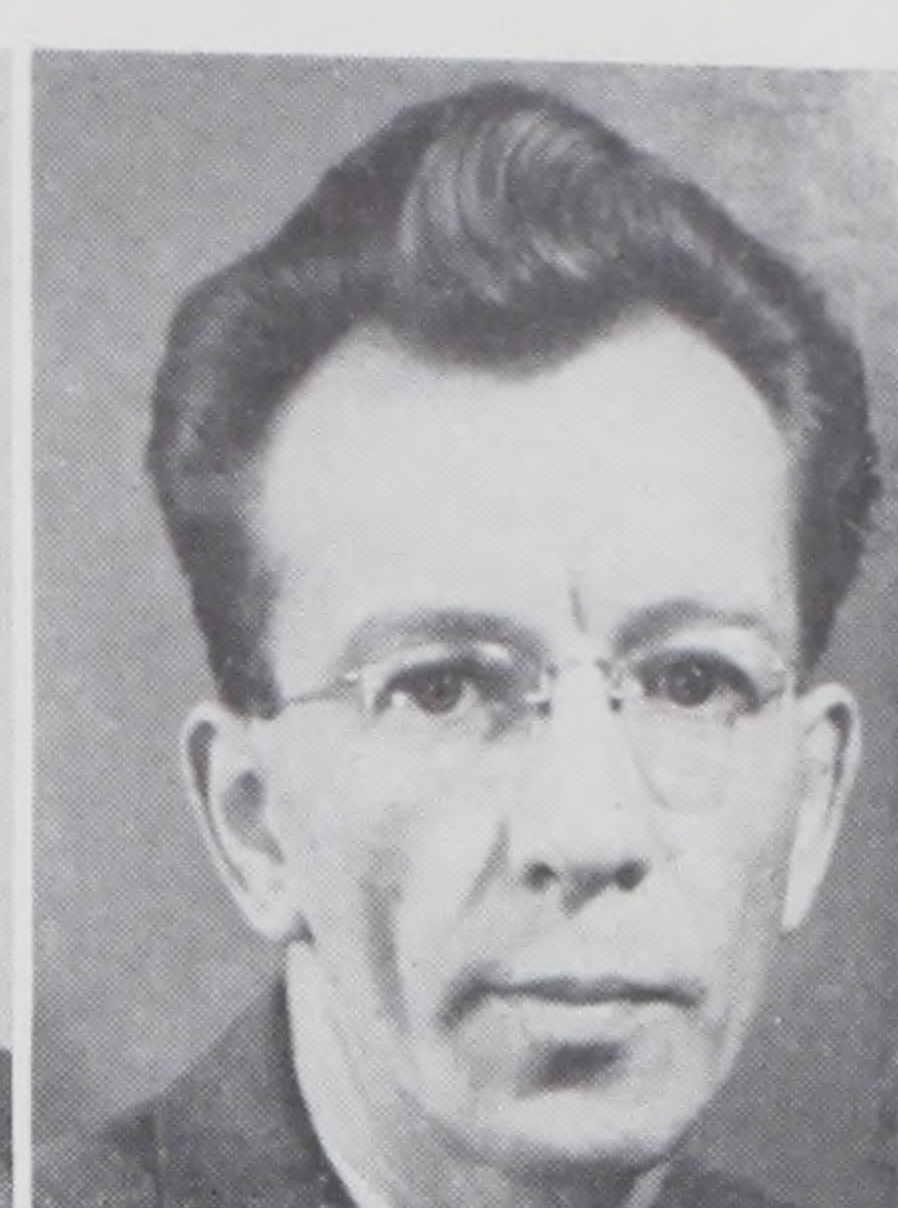
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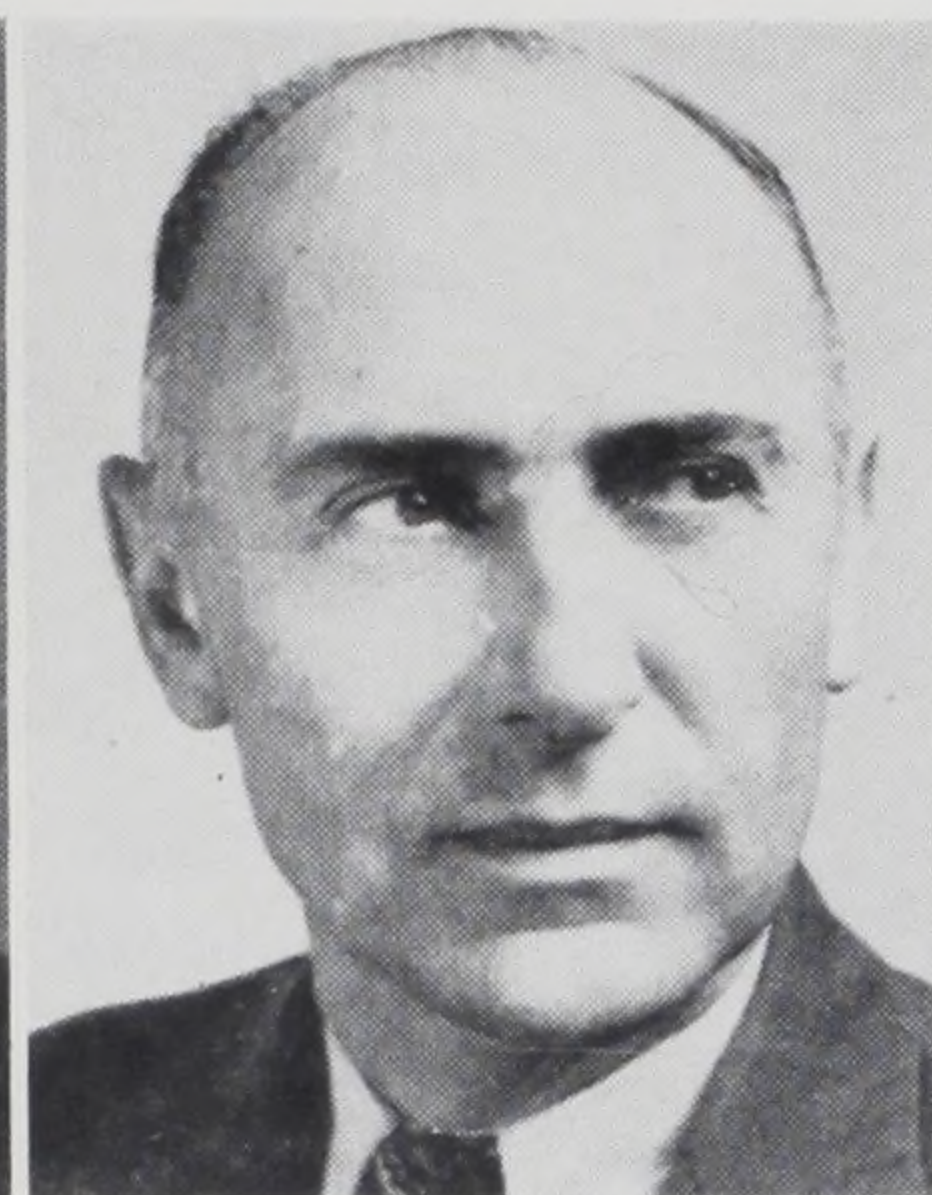
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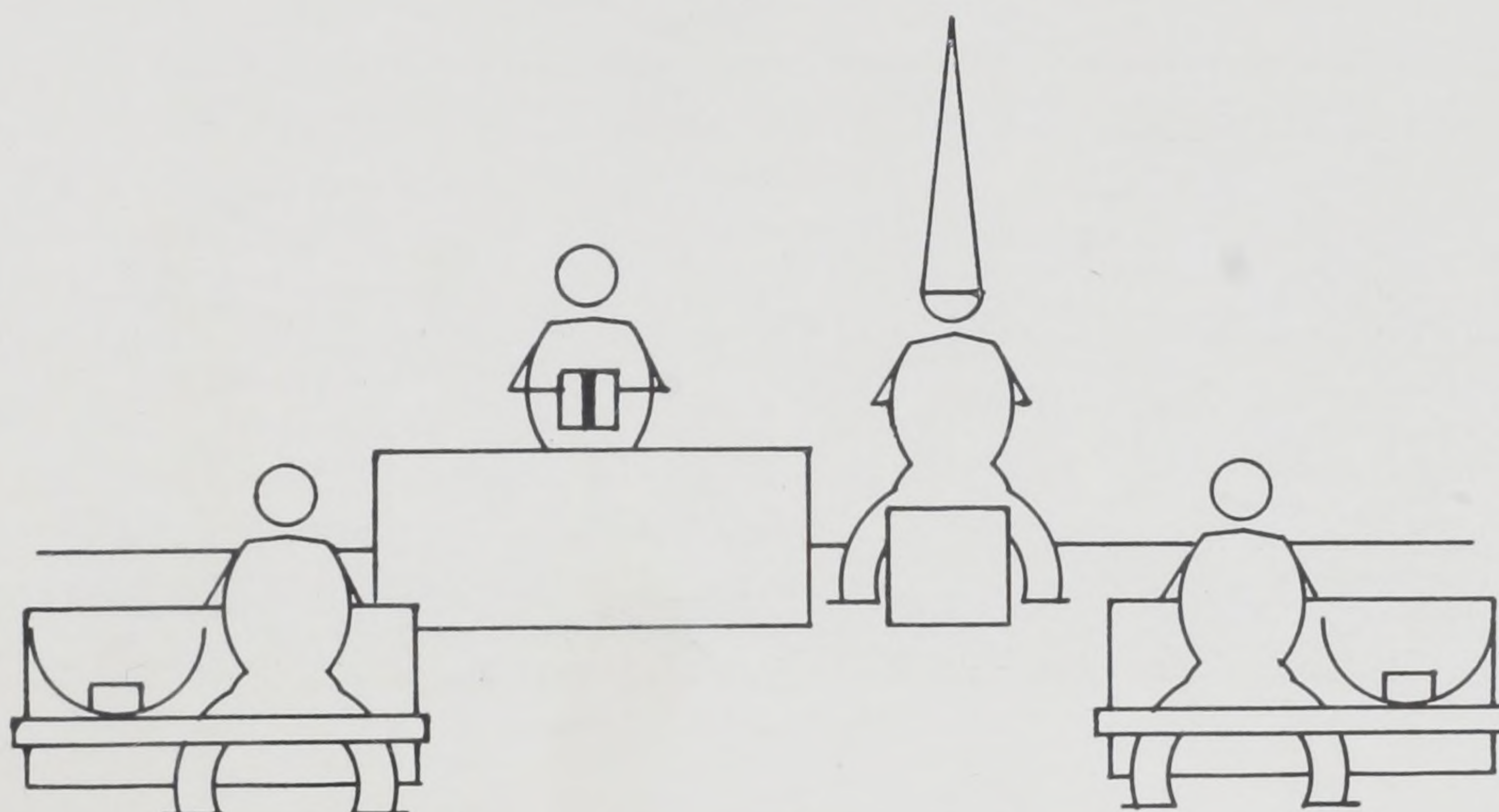
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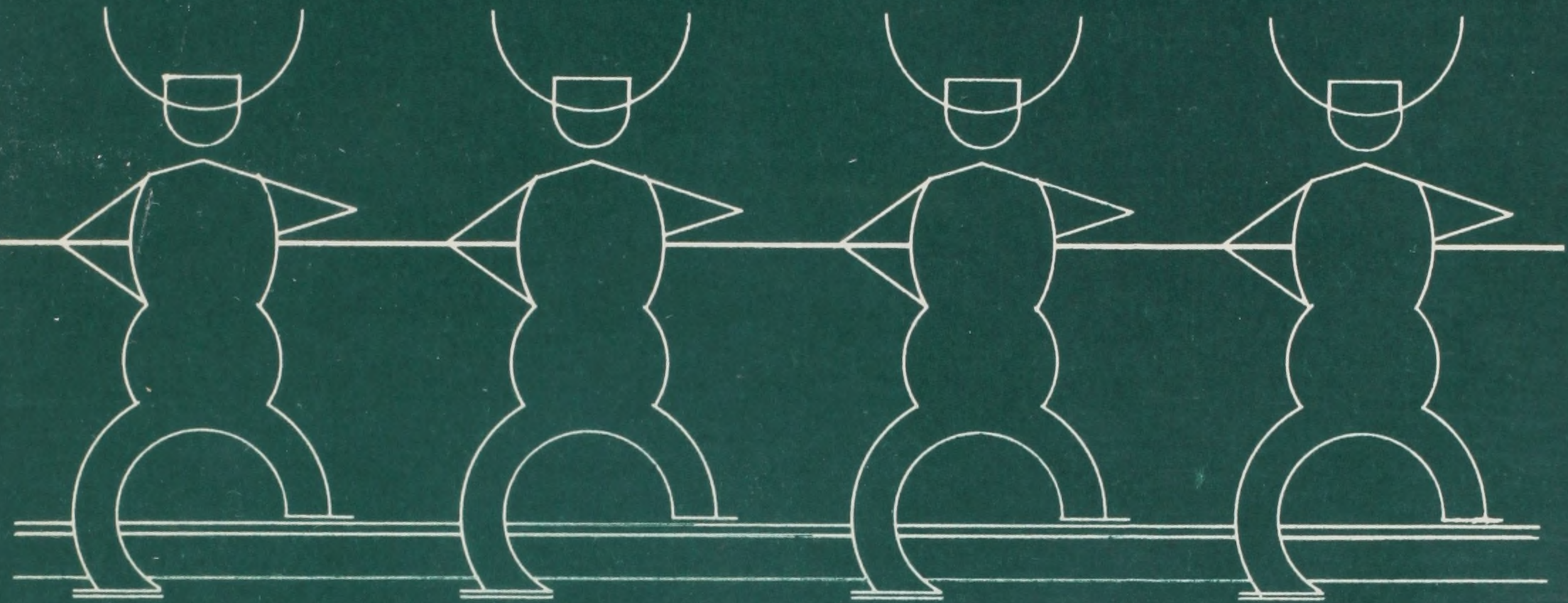
The library at Benson was started when the school was changed from the "Portland School of Trades" to "Benson Polytechnic School" in 1917. Shortly after that Simon Benson gave the library one thousand dollars and from his own library he gave some costly technical books which the students have at their disposal.

We should be justly proud of our library as it is the best technical high school library in the Northwest, having over six thousand books with an exceptionally good collection of technical books such as: architectural drawing, machinery, and science books and eight-five different magazines, a good many of which are technical, covering the fields of electronics, aviation, machine works, and sheet metal. Another feature of our library is the industrial arts readers guide for our technical magazines.

We take this chance to thank Miss Morrison, the librarian, and to salute our library for the wonderful services which it performs.



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MISS BECK



MR. SUWOL

### JANUARY CLASS ADVISORS

The January class chose for their advisors Miss Beck of the English department and Mr. Suwol of the History department. They were of great service to the class officers and helped the officers out of many a difficulty. Through their efforts our class was able to have a farewell dance and banquet. This class wishes to thank Miss Beck and Mr. Suwol for all they have done and we only hope the classes in the future can have as capable advisors.



# JANUARY 1949 CLASS WILL

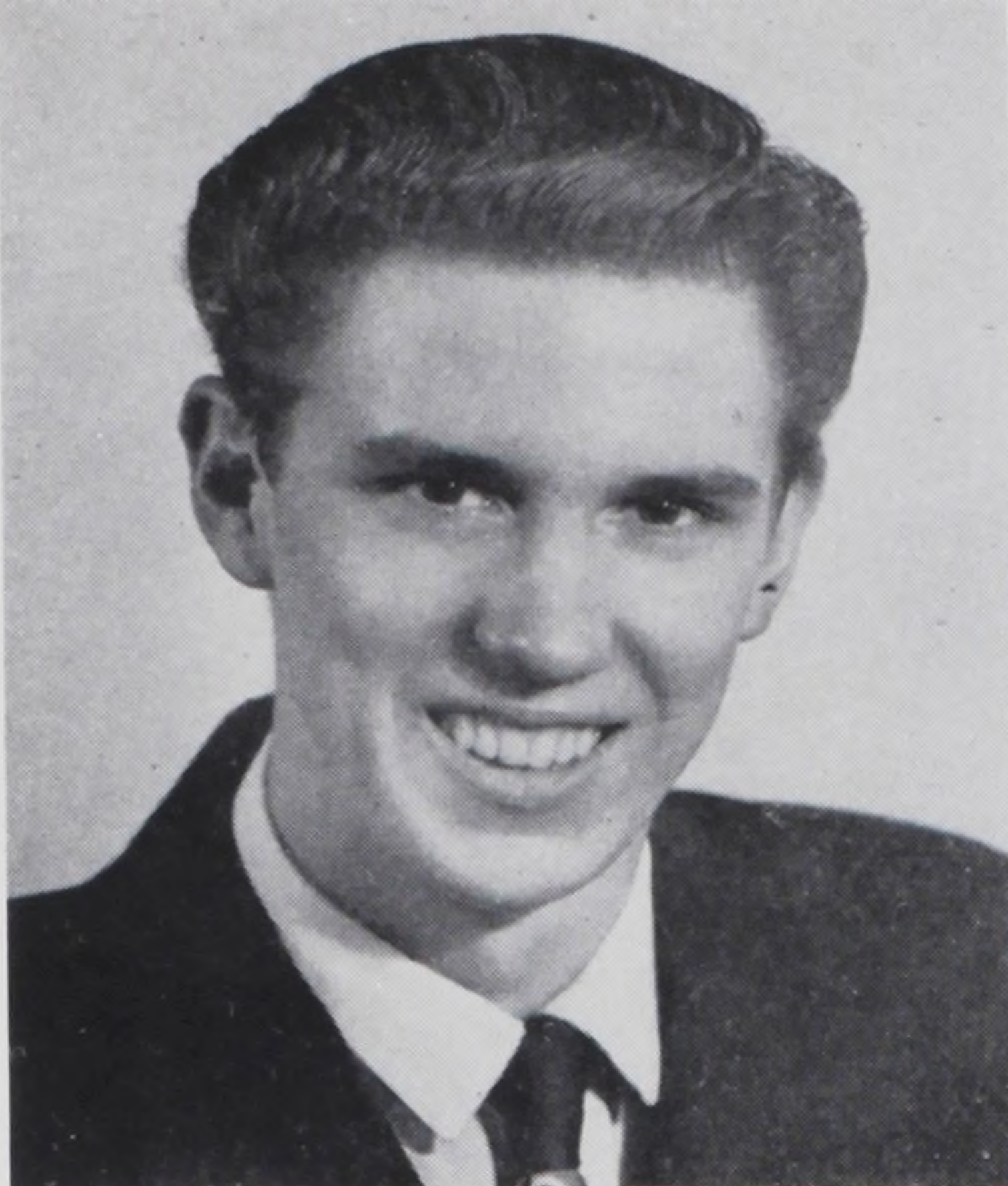
Preamble—We, the graduating seniors of Benson Tech, do leave the following . . .

Charles Bell	Leaves with his ringing personality.
Don Berke	Leaves Mr. Arnold wondering about Don Berke.
Colonel Boardman	Leaves for Washington.
Wayne Bollenbaugh	Leaves with Machine Shop's Fire Drill.
Dave Brainerd	Leaves . . . . . somehow.
Jim Carr	Leaves cross country.
Bill Clark	Leaves his joke book to Jack Jennings.
Tom Cohen	Leaves flashbulbs everywhere.
Allen Cole	Leaves in his "Buick".
Tom Daklos	Leaves a big hole in the line.
Carl Dannehl	Leaves despite Mr. Krieger.
Bob Furrow	Leaves the kettle drums to the cafeteria.
Orlando Green	Leaves his whisker tonic to some admiring Freshie.
Ernest (KBPS) Hardt	Leaves his will to be transcribed for release at a less convenient time.
Dick Hennessy	Leaves the cast for his leg to Miss Barta.
Bob Hunsucker	Leaves wondering what makes a radio tick.
Al Jenness	Leaves with all the football gear he could carry.
Lloyd Jepson	Leaves his track shoes to the basketball team.
Sam Kaser	Leaves with the ice cream scoop.
Roy Kirkham	Leaves the Poet's Corner to some other crazy poet.
Jesse Kregal	Leaves imitating the "Scarlet Horseman".
Lawrence Lieble	Leaves Mrs. Macklin's books in a mess.
Ray (Longies) MacKinnon	Leaves by the back door.
Chris Pazeotopolos	Leaves . . . . . miracle!
Jack Rasmussen	Leaves very few whole test tubes.
Fred Rathbone	Leaves dancing out the door.
George Roth	Leaves the Senior Class wondering.
Ted Routson	Leaves Mr. Sieforth untangling stage ropes.
George Schmidt	Leaves with our Football.
Loran Schellhouse	Leaves Mr. Krieger with a ray of hope.
Bill Squire	Leaves running for Student Body Prexy.
Henry Tambara	Leaves with the class history.
Roger Troen	Leaves the Tech Pep printing weekly papers once a month.
James Wilson	Leaves for Chuguicamata, Chile.
Willy Wittkop	Leaves with the class funds.
Tom Zwald	Leaves everything he couldn't get into his pockets.



**JANUARY  
CLASS**

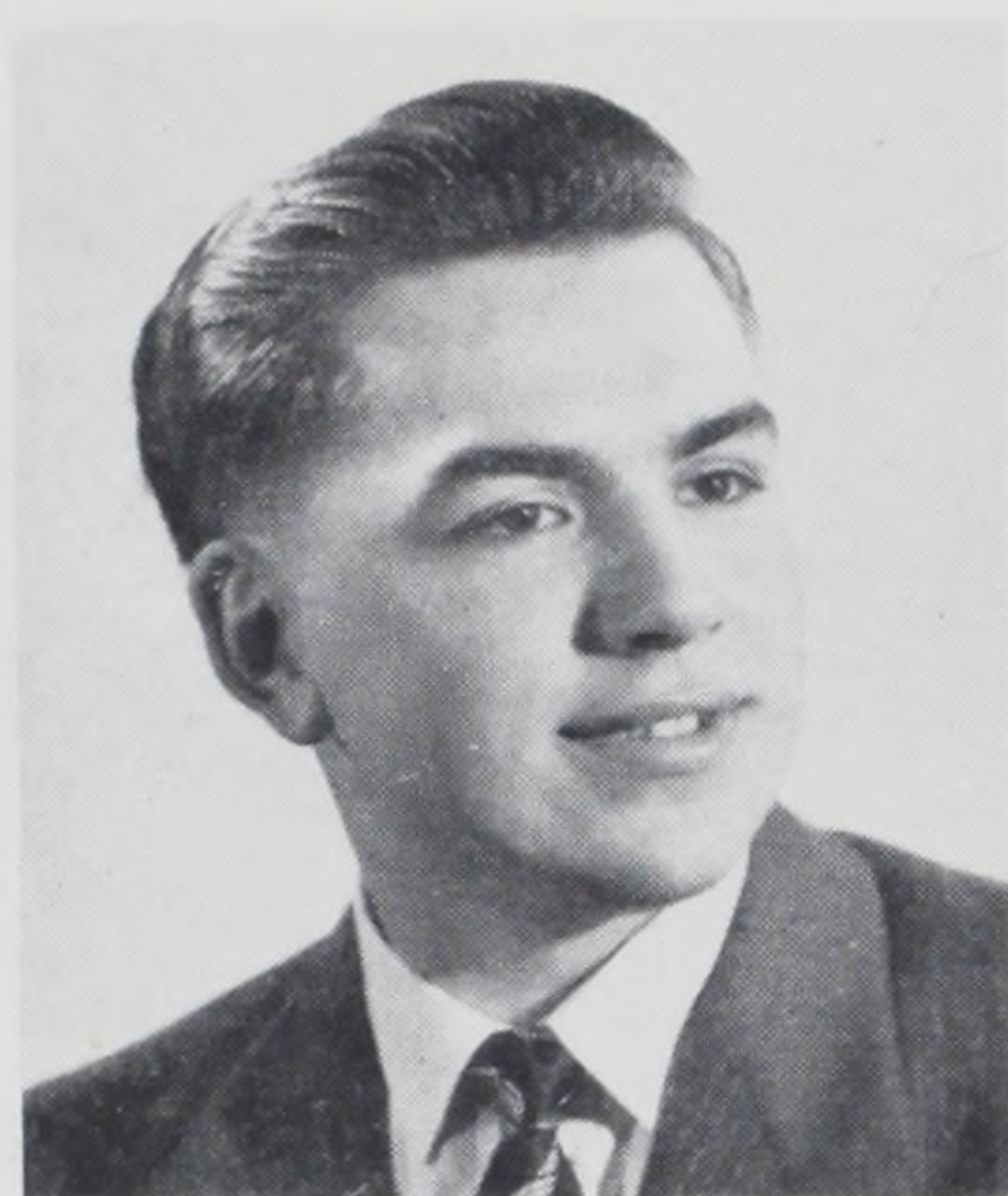
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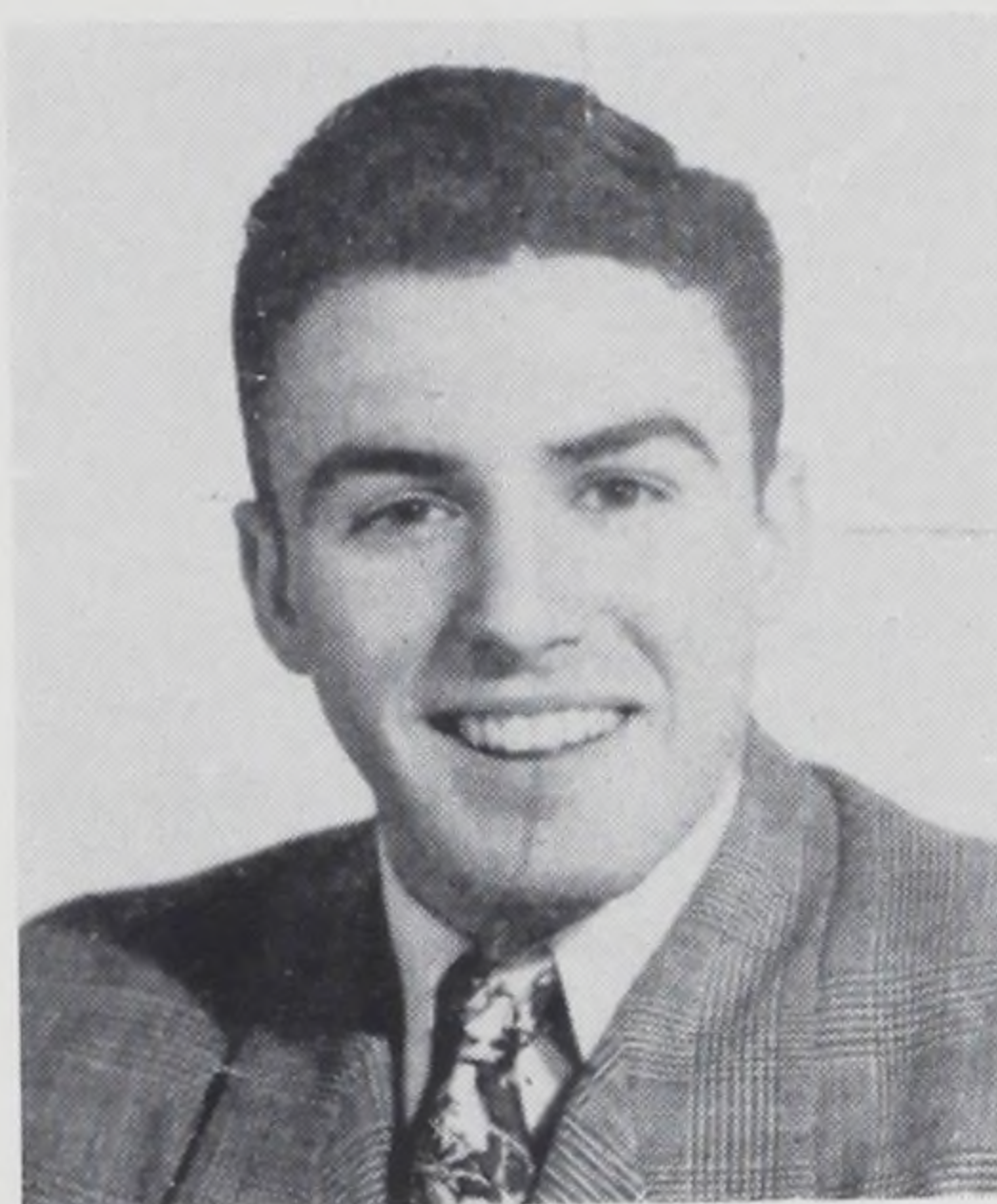
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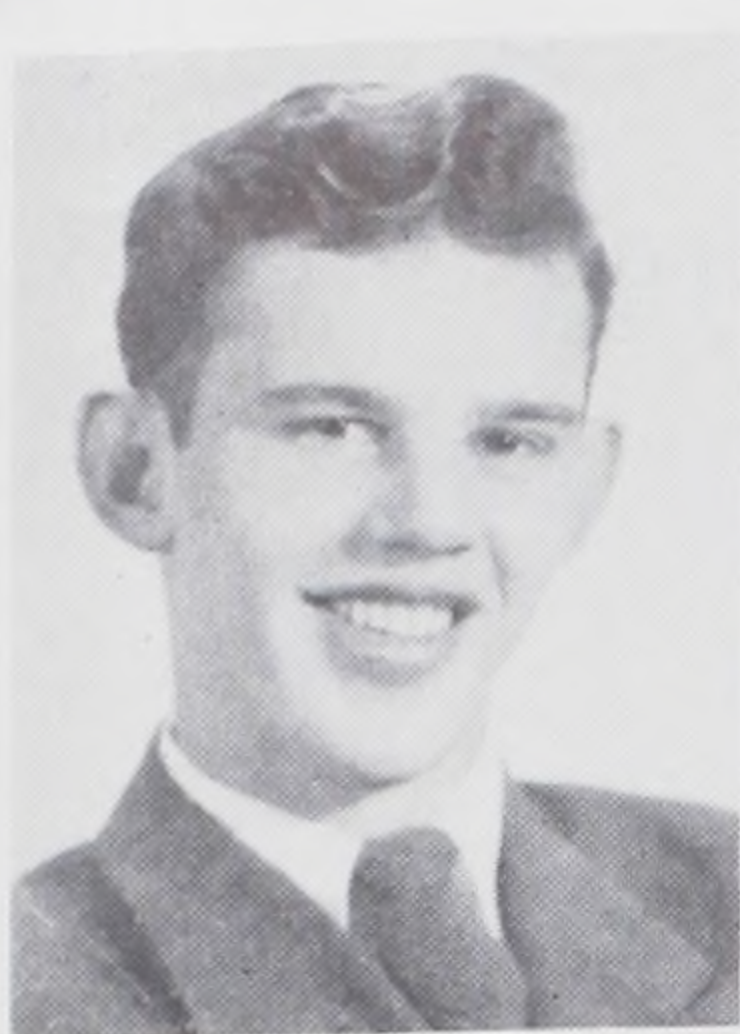


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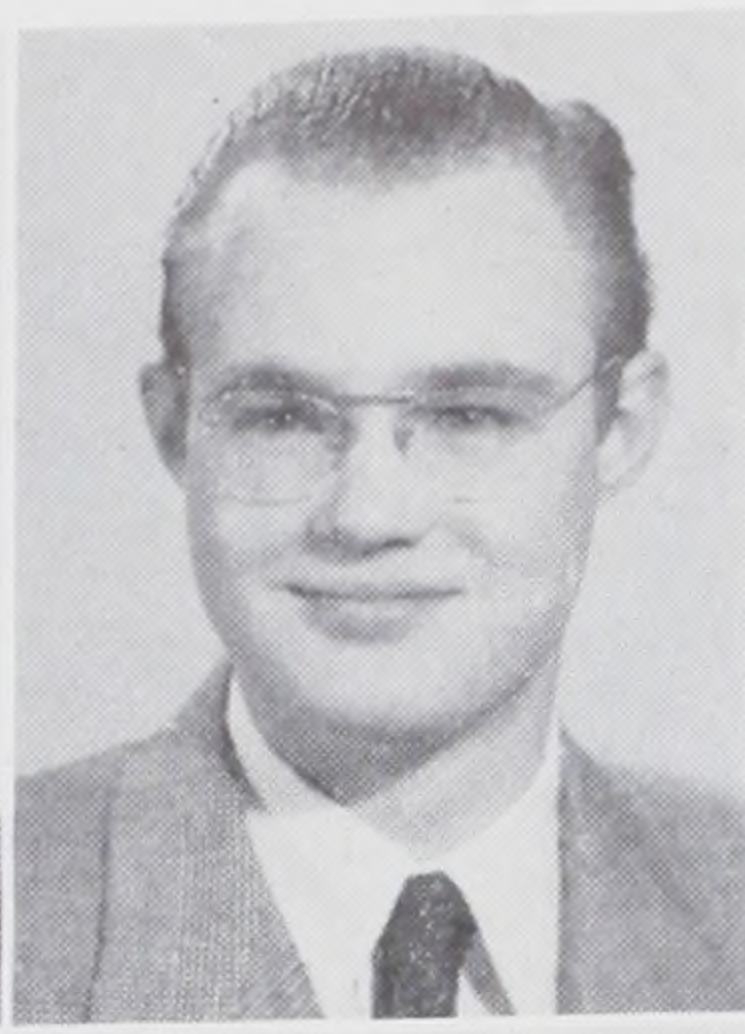


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Sergeant-at-Arms



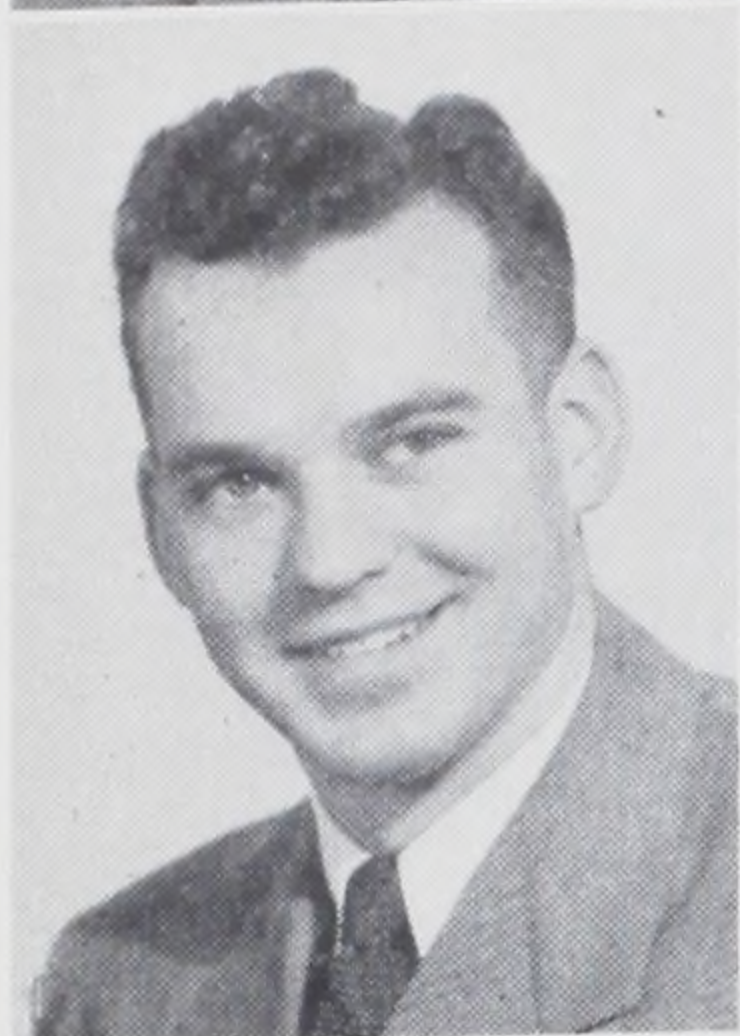


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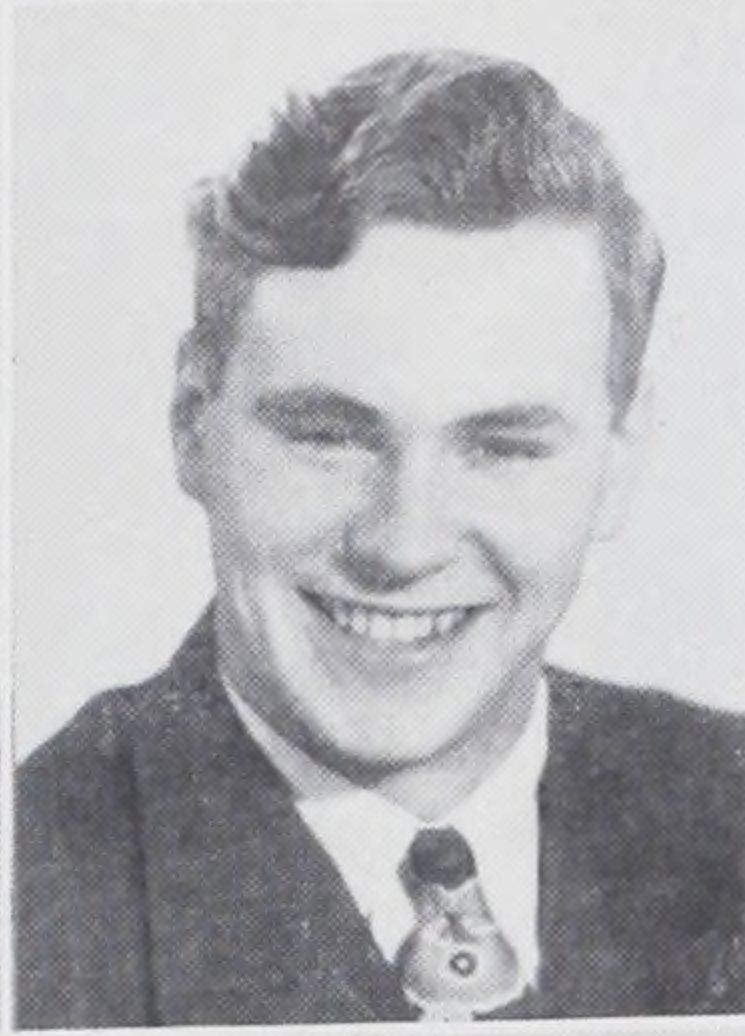


**WALTER BEADLING**

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Creston; Technical Radio; Executive Board; KBPS Staff; Optimist Club; Junior Football; Junior Basketball; Bowling.



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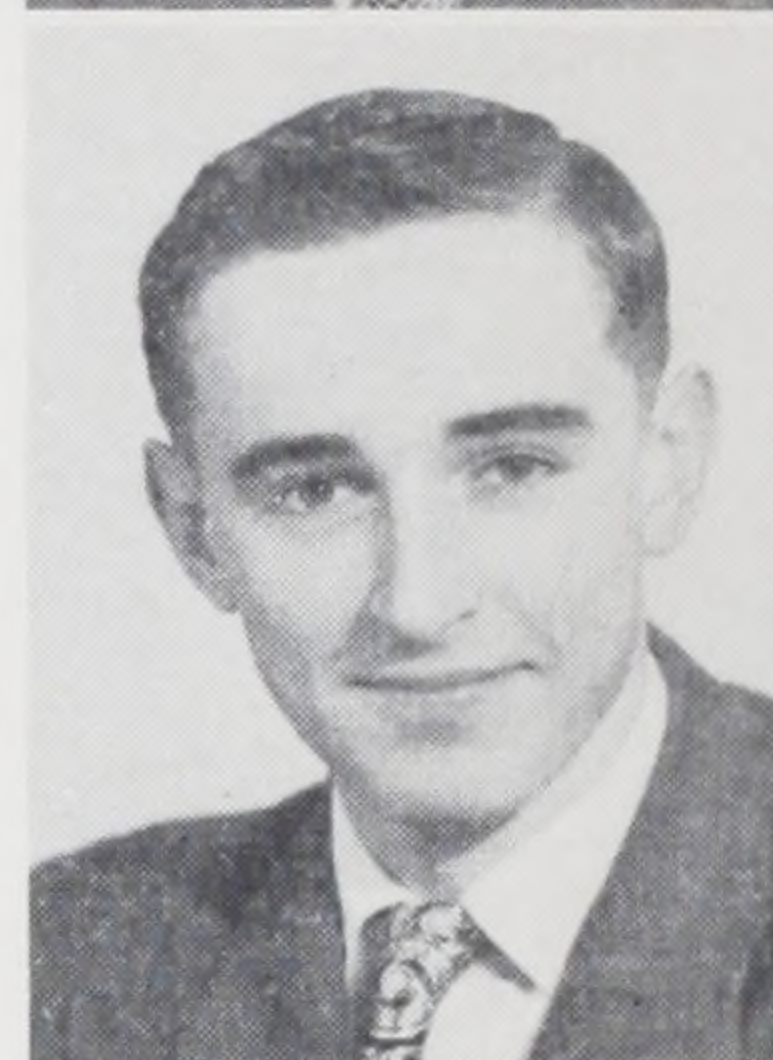
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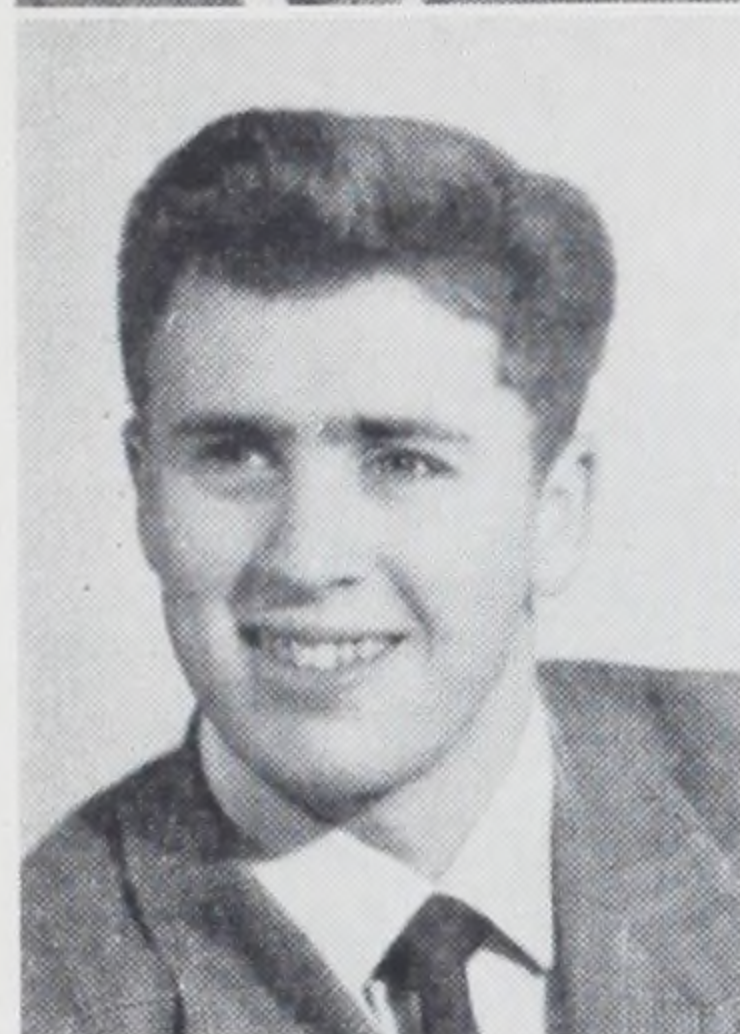
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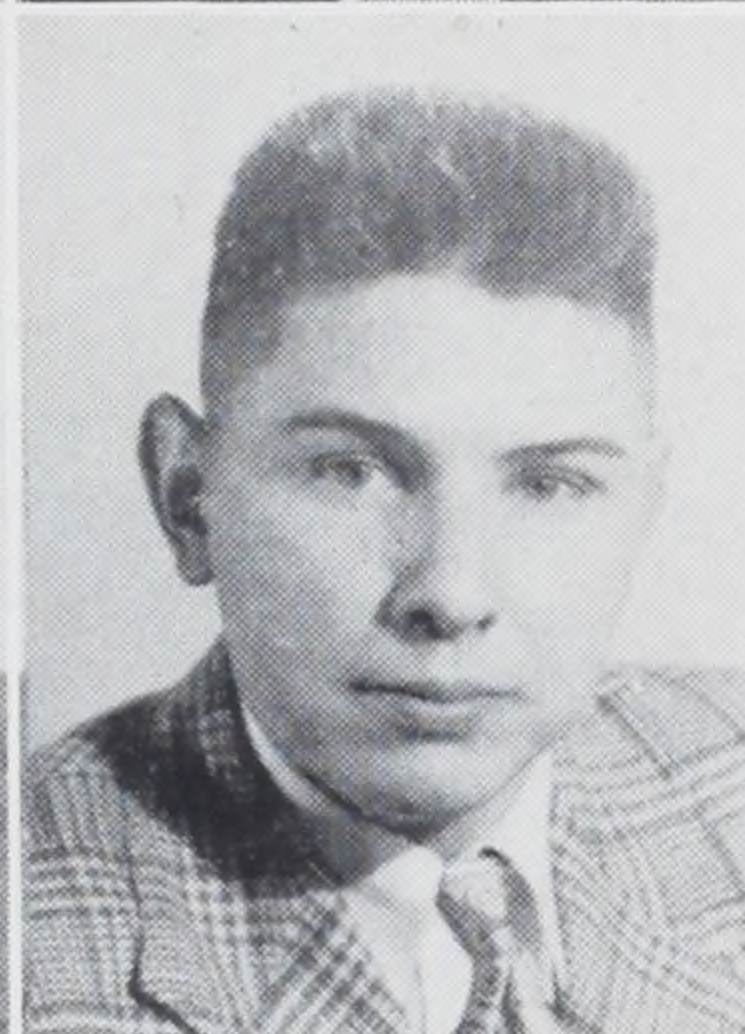
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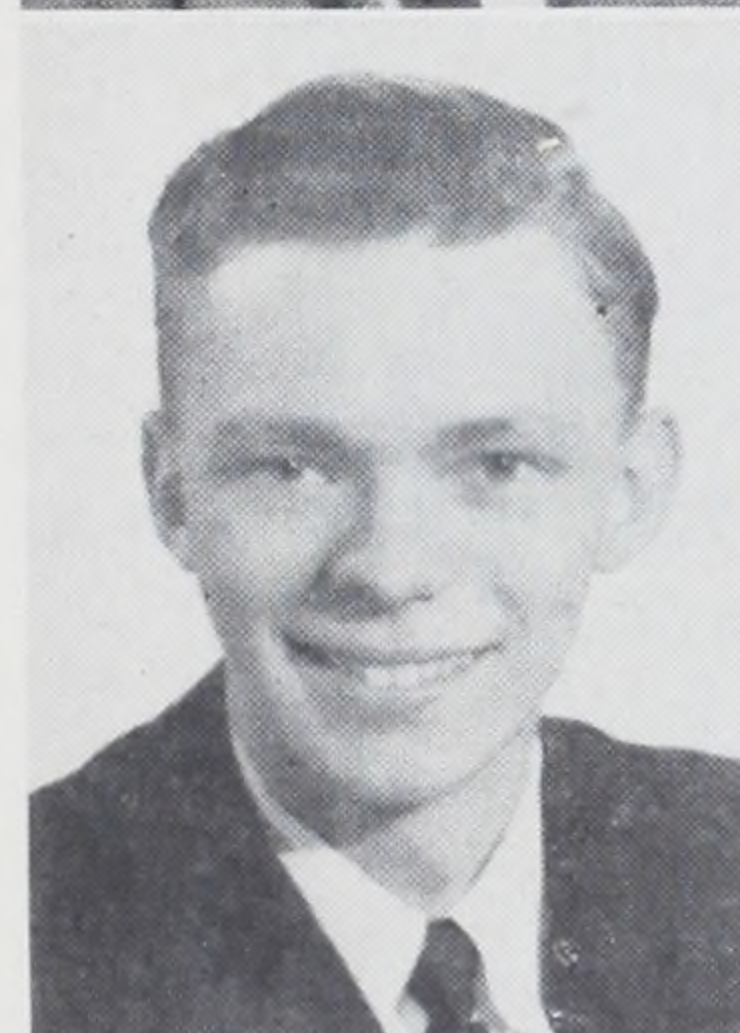
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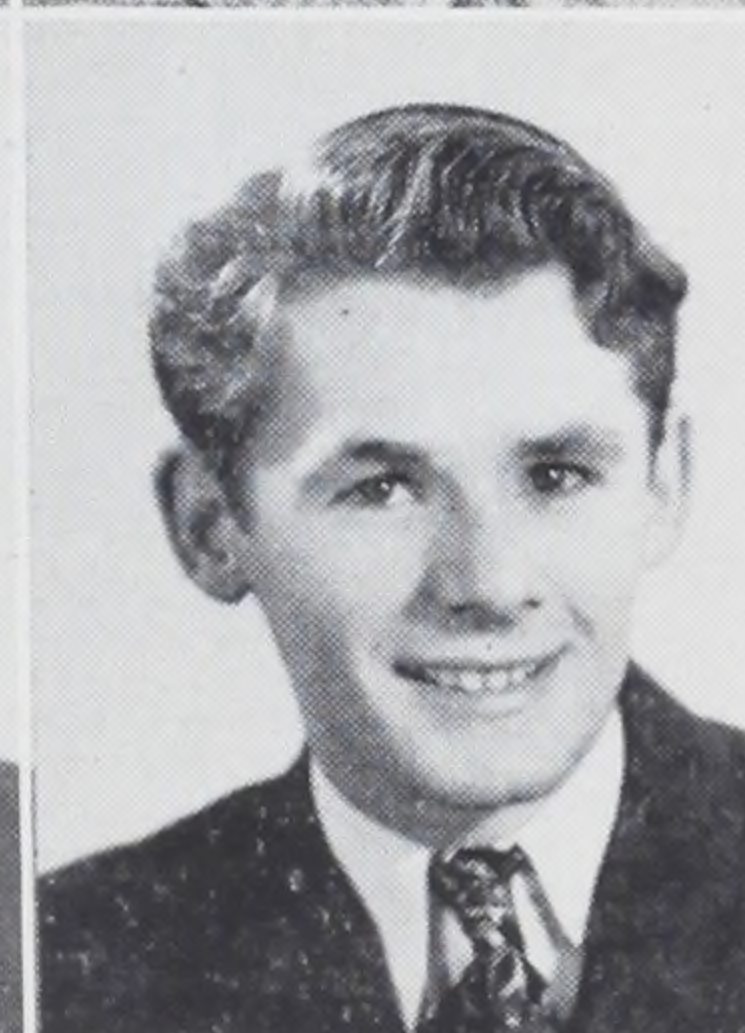
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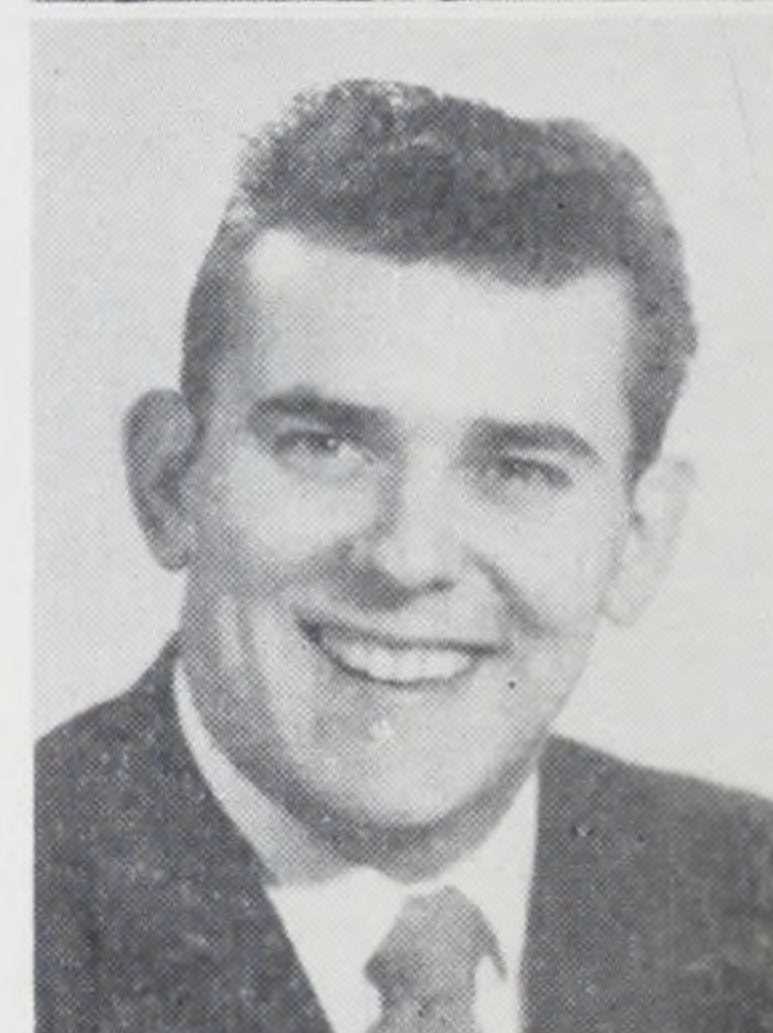
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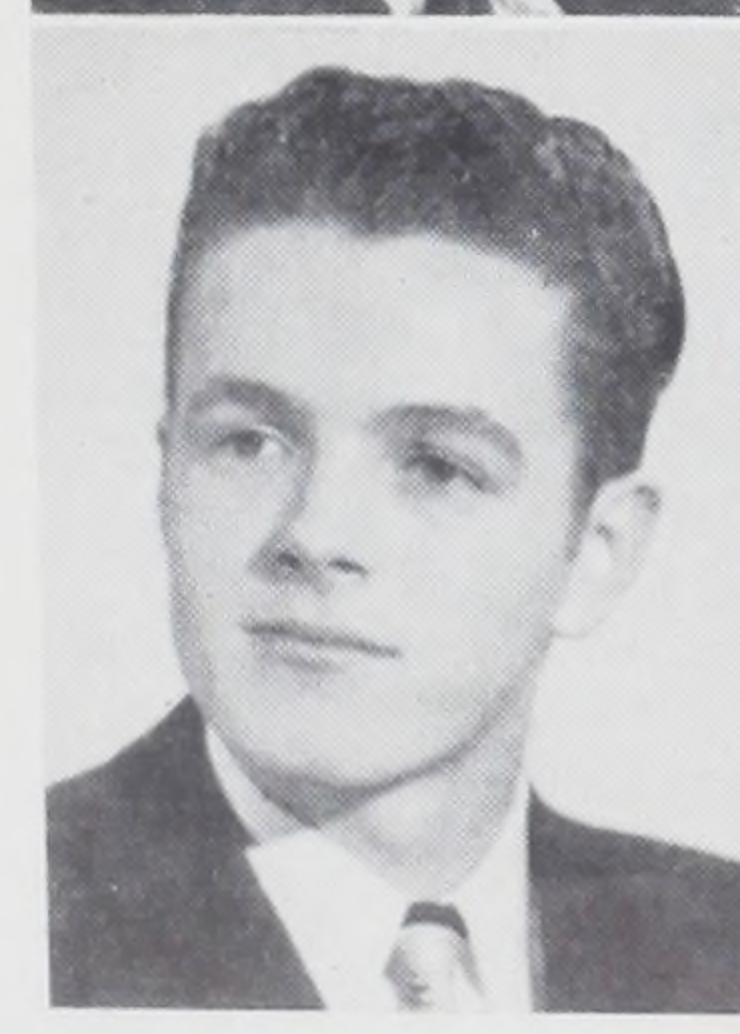
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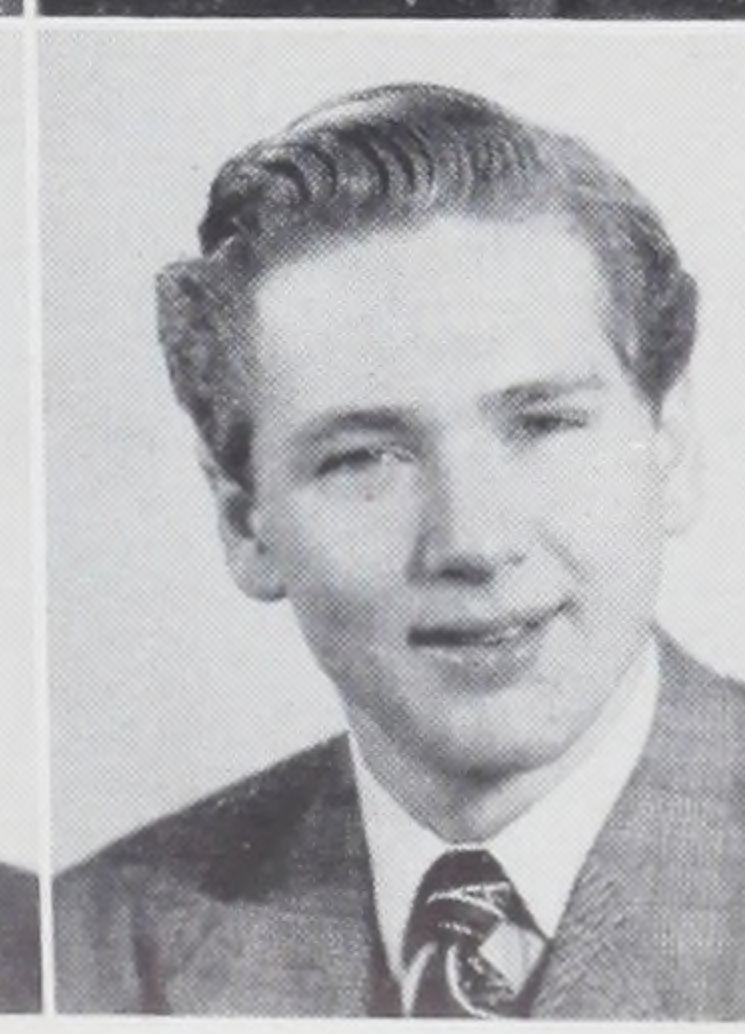
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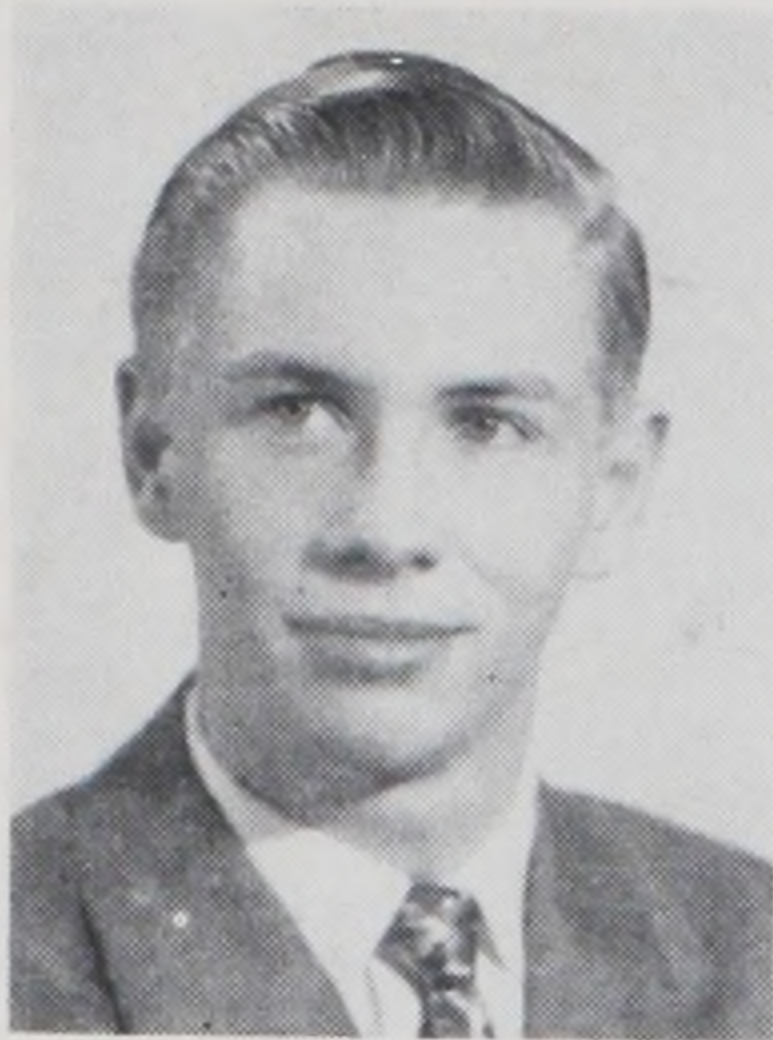


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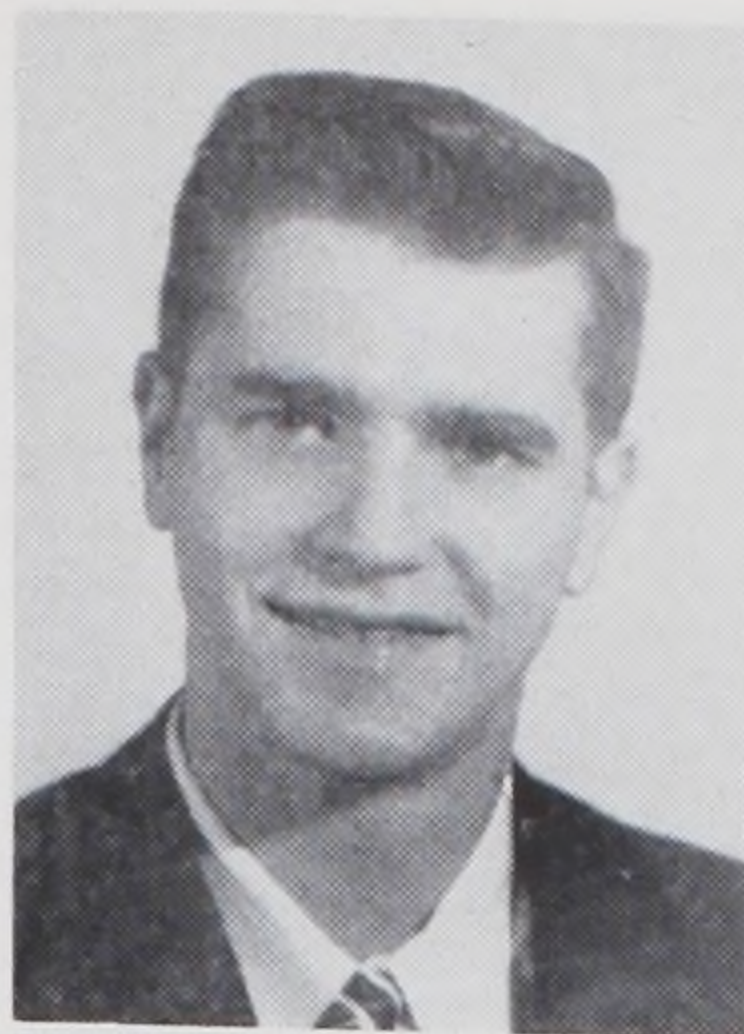


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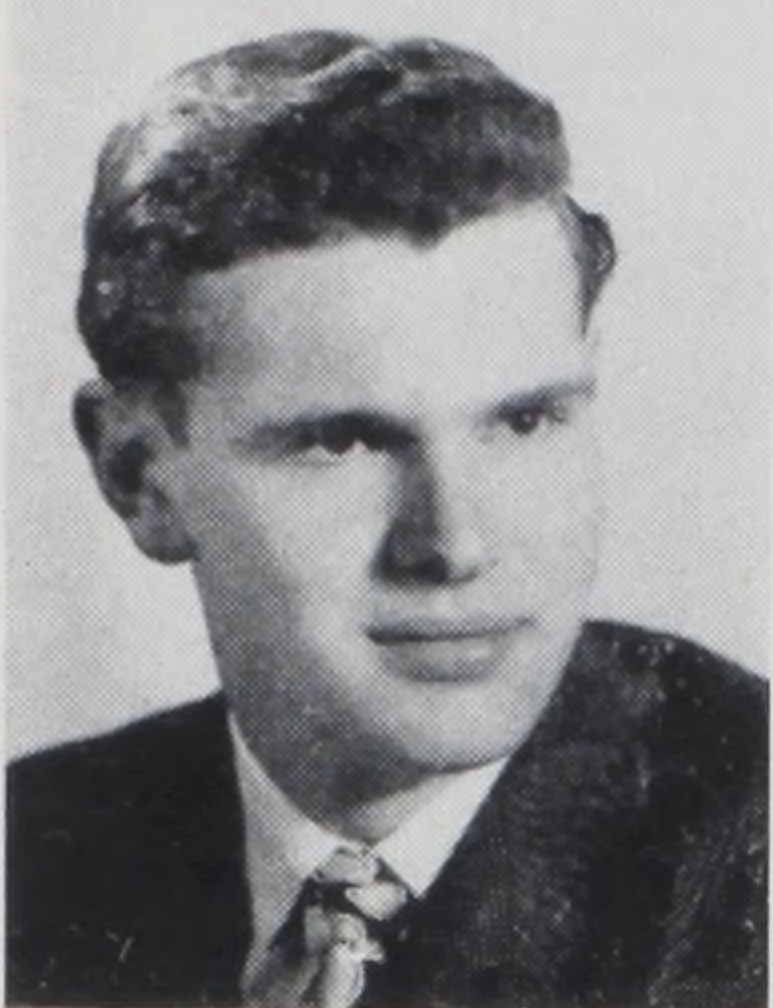
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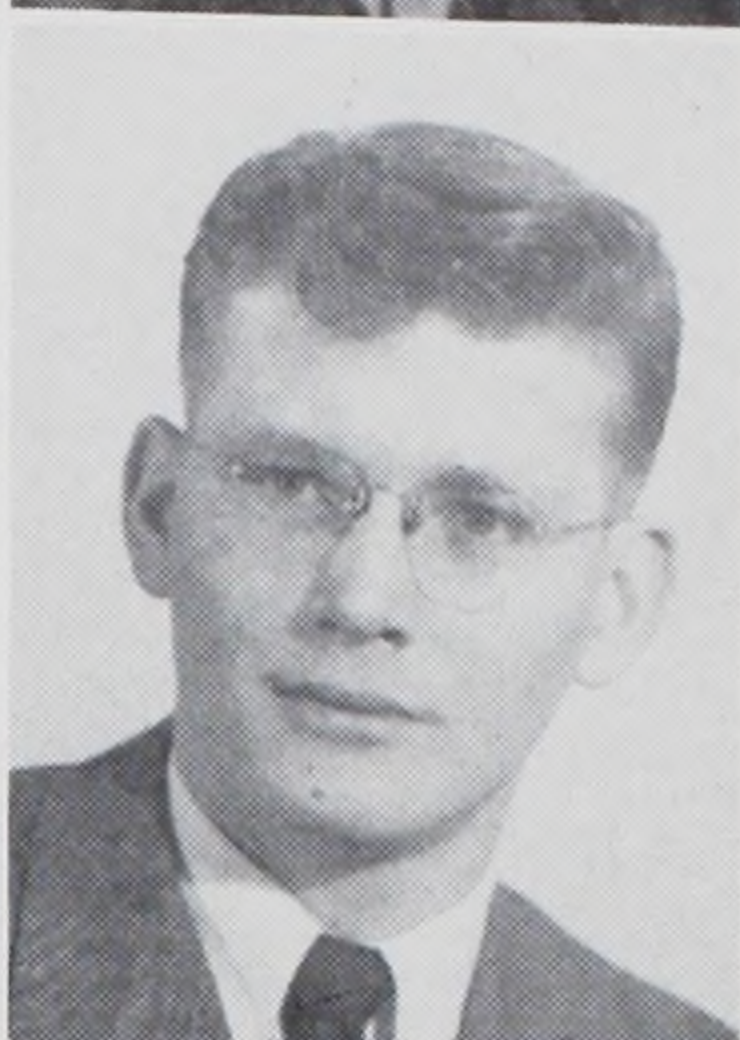
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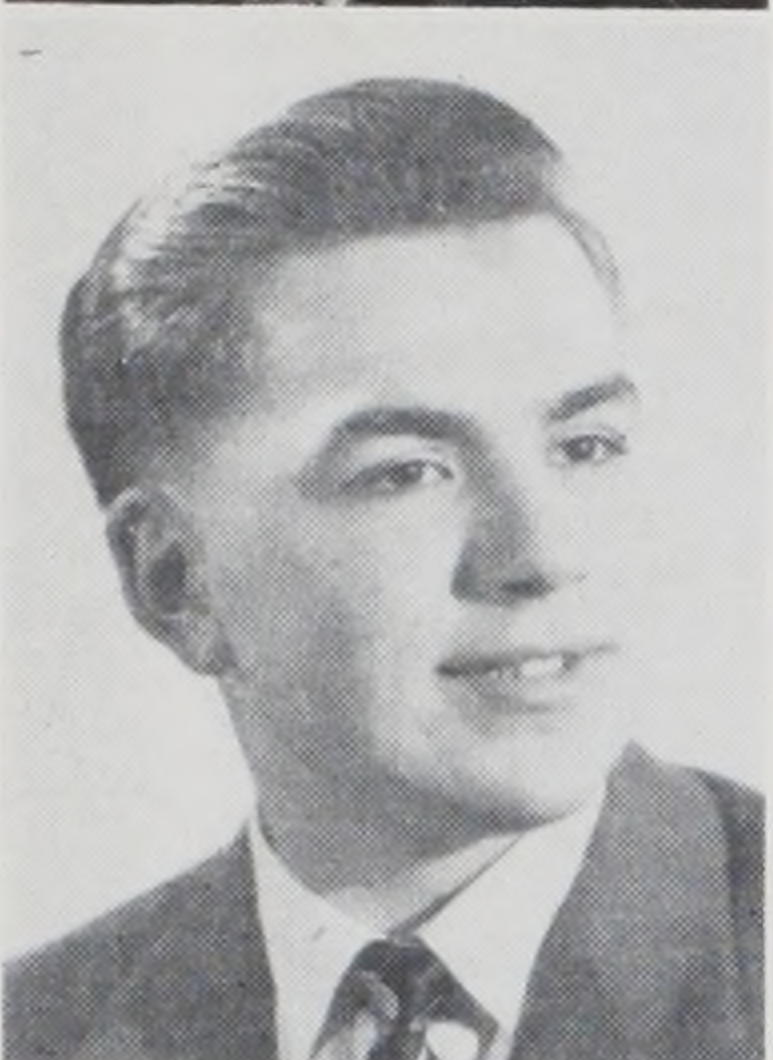
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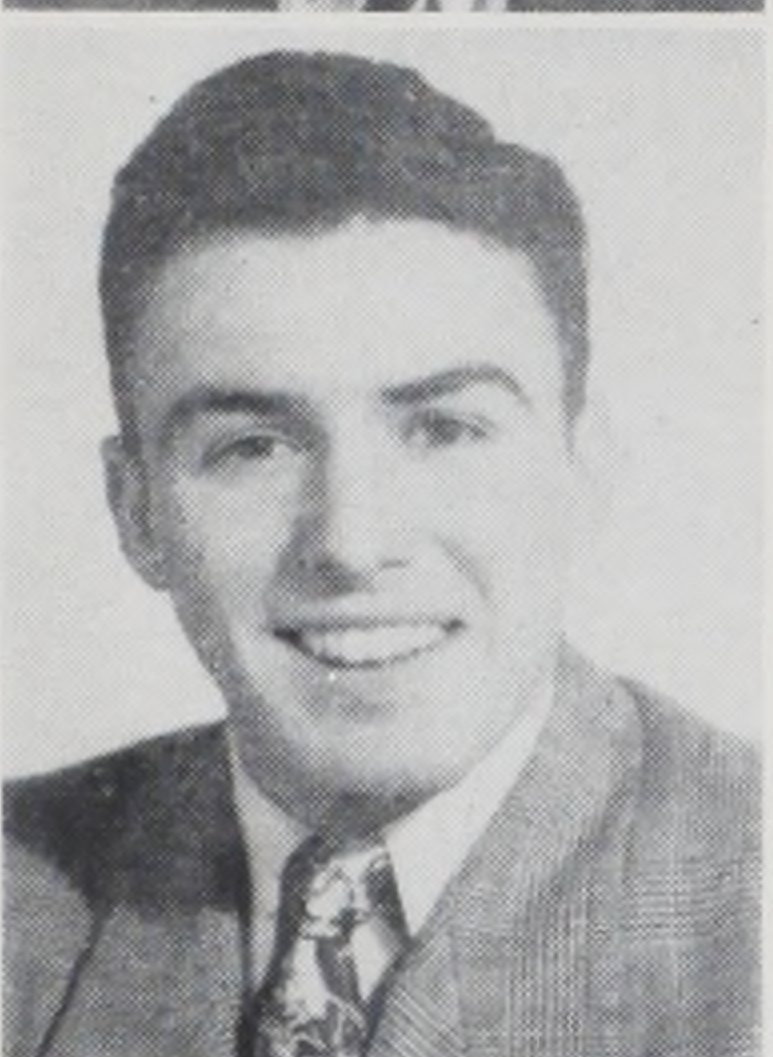
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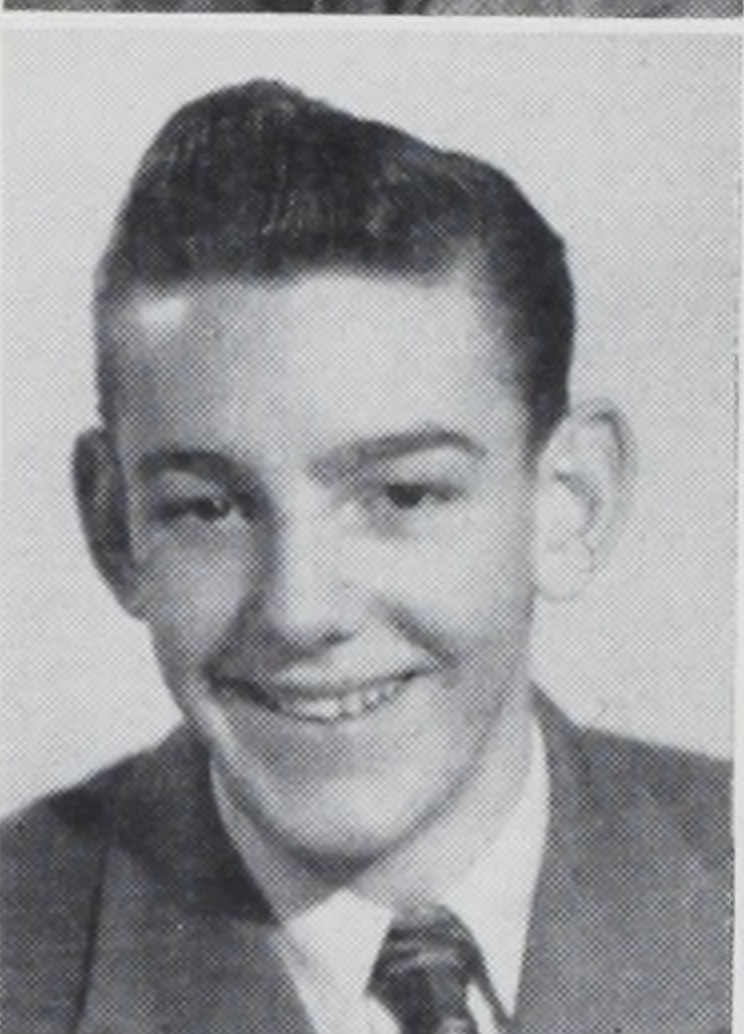
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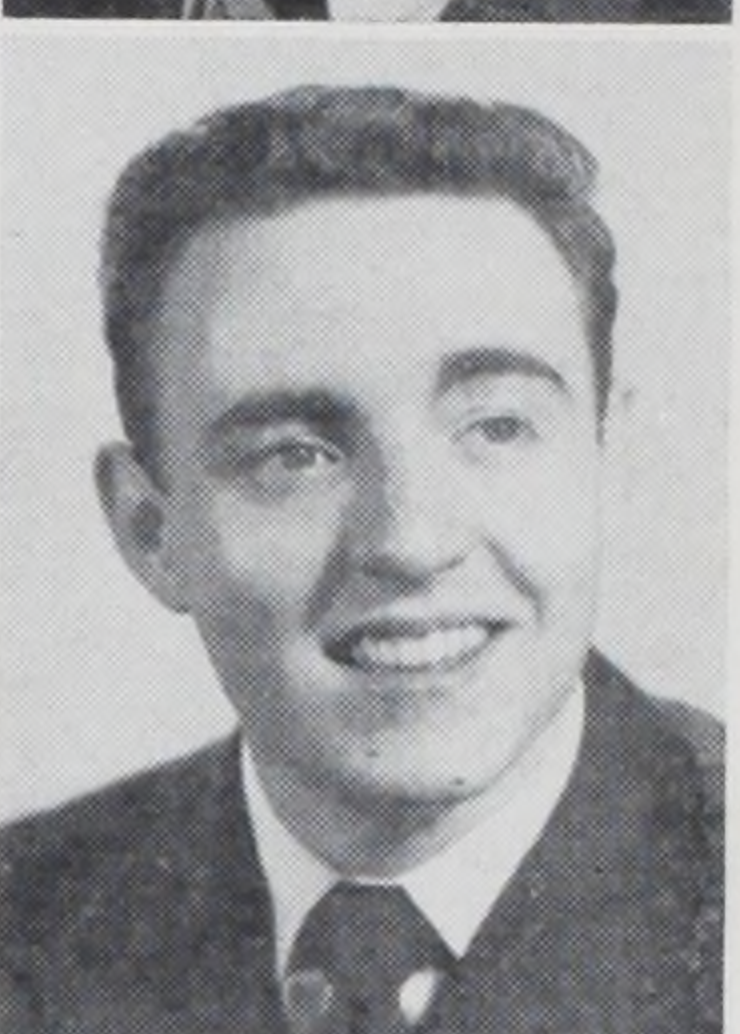
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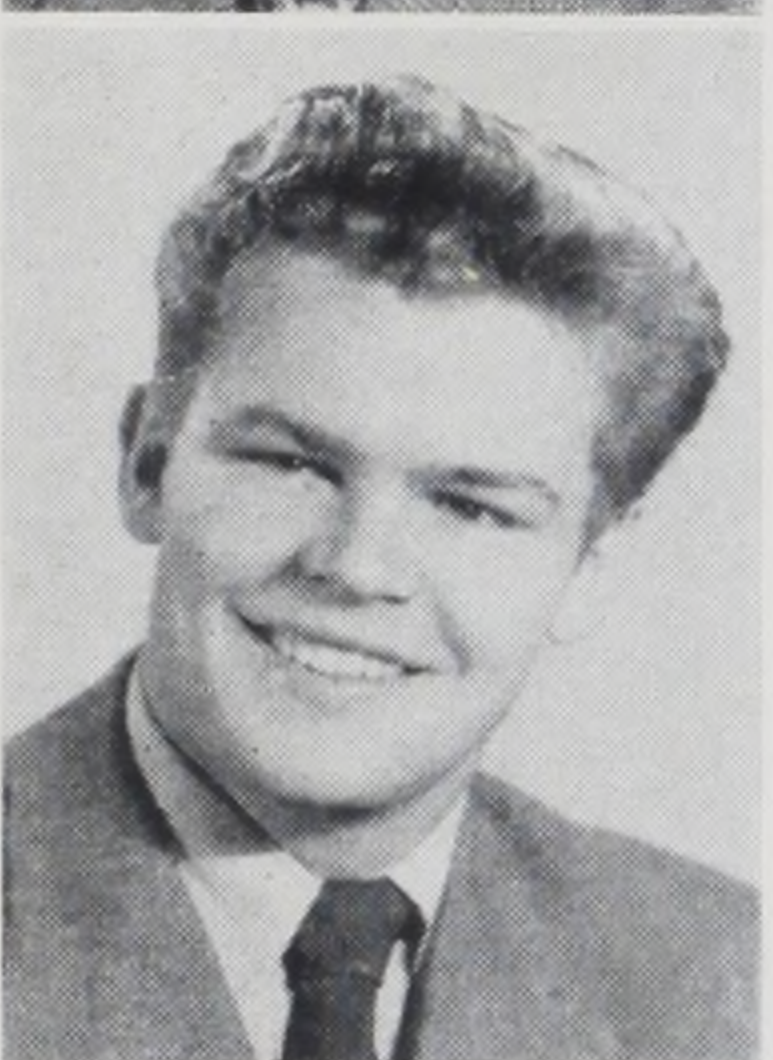
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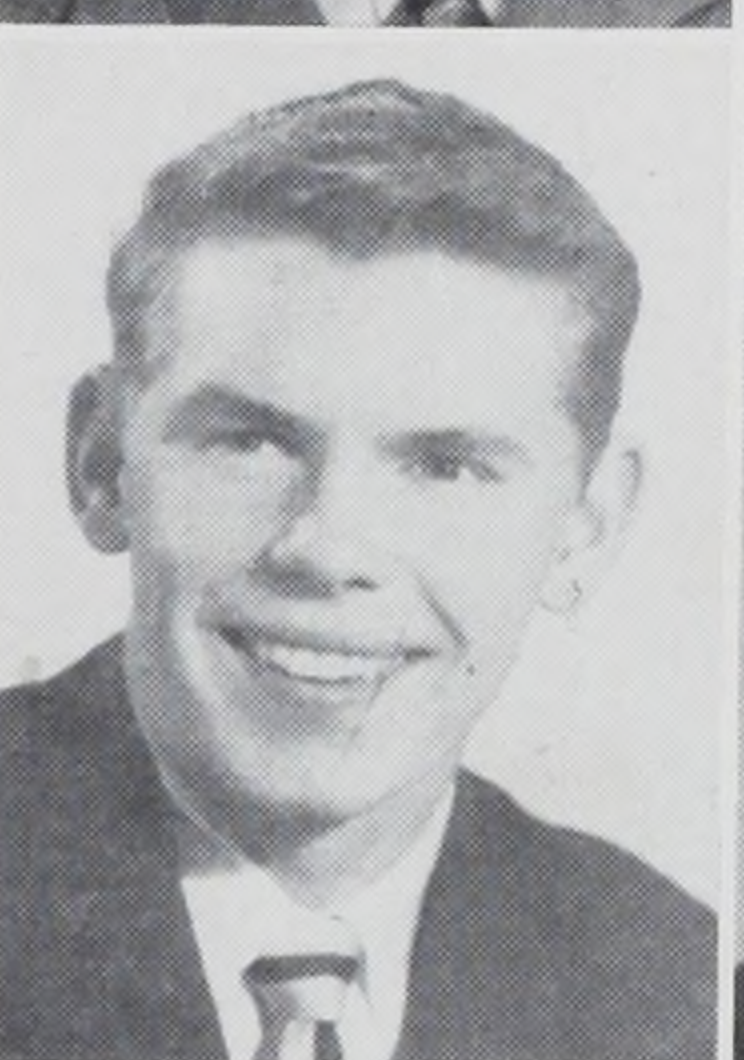
Kinzua; General; Safety Council.

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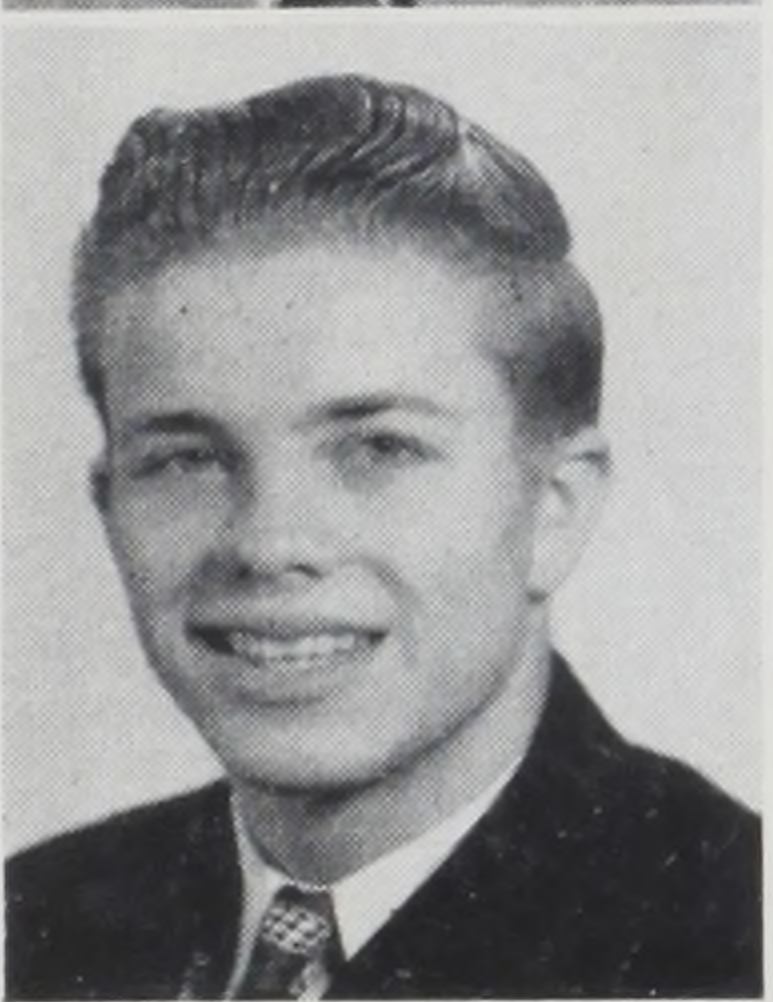
Portsmouth; General; Hi-Y; Orange B; Aquatic Club; Junior, Varsity Football; Junior Basketball.

**LLOYD JEPSON**

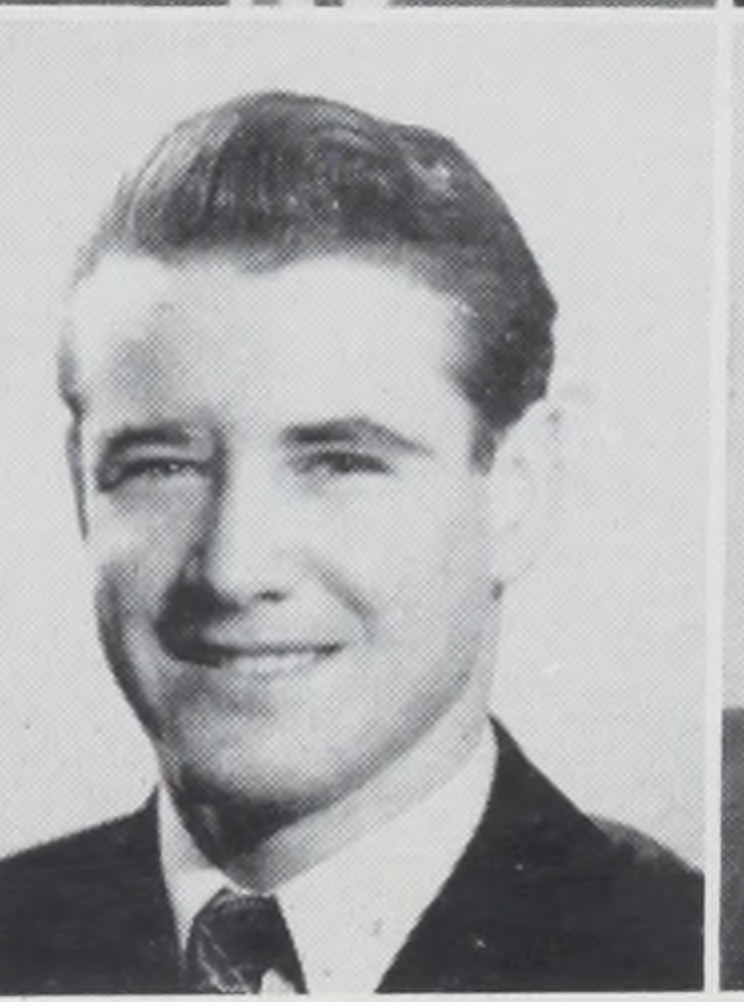
Woodlawn; Technical Aviation; Executive Board; Hi-Y; vice-president Inter-Club Council; president Minutemen; treasurer, president Orange B; Yell King; Citizen of the Week; Varsity Cross Country; Varsity Track.

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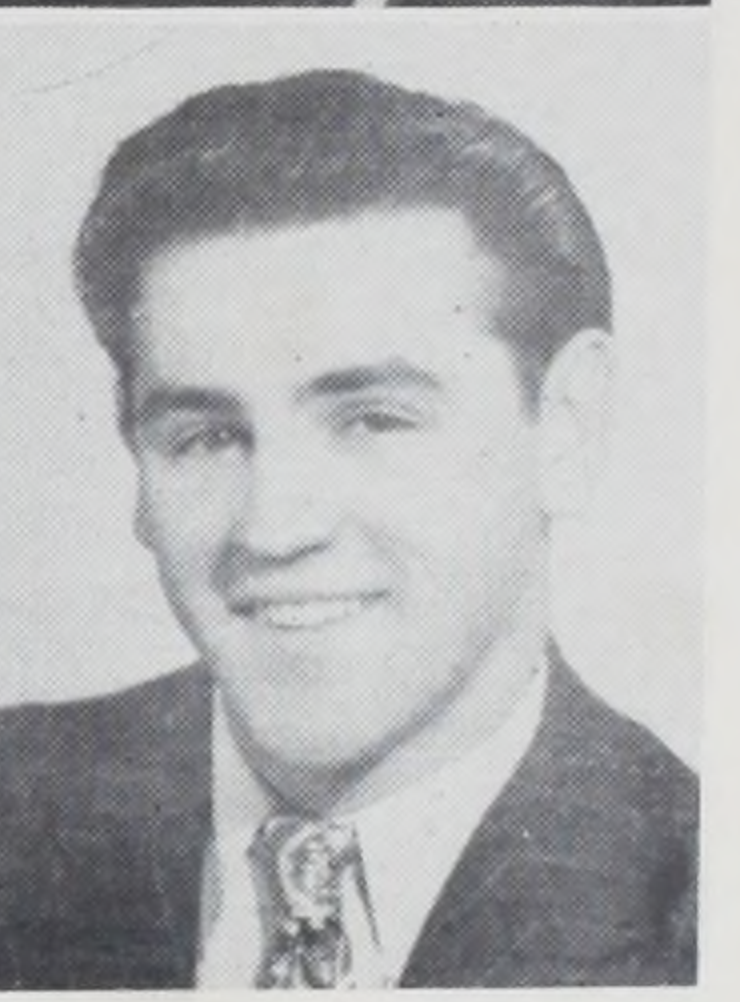
Richmond; Technical Electric; Minutemen.

**WESLEY T. JOHNSON**

Gregory Heights; Technical Electric; Electric Club; Executive Board; Fire Squad; Minutemen; Orange B; Radio Actors Guild; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins; Equipment Manager; Cross Country.

**SAM V. KASER**

Mt. View, Silverton, Ore.; Technical Electric; Electric Club; Roller Skating Club; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins.

**RICHARD L. KIDD**

Couch; General.





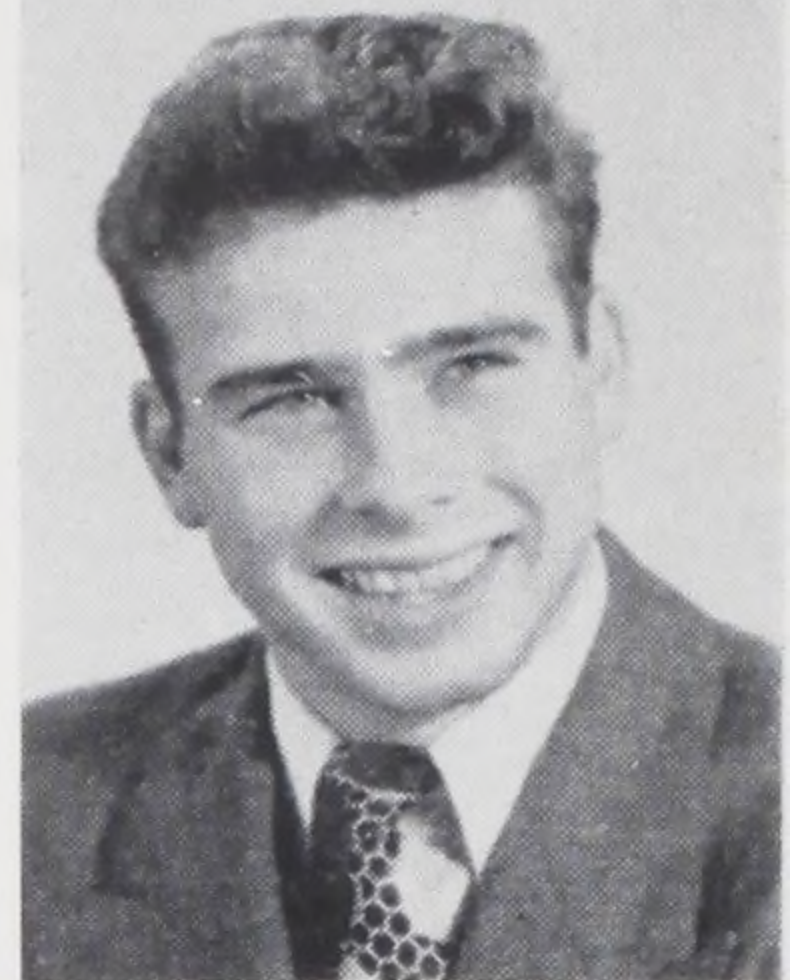
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Alameda; Technical Building Construction; treasurer Beta Sigma Delta; Minuteman; assistant editor Poly Tech Staff; sergeant-at-arms, treasurer Public Speaking Club; sergeant-at-arms, secretary-treasurer Radio Actors Guild; Tech Pep Staff; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.



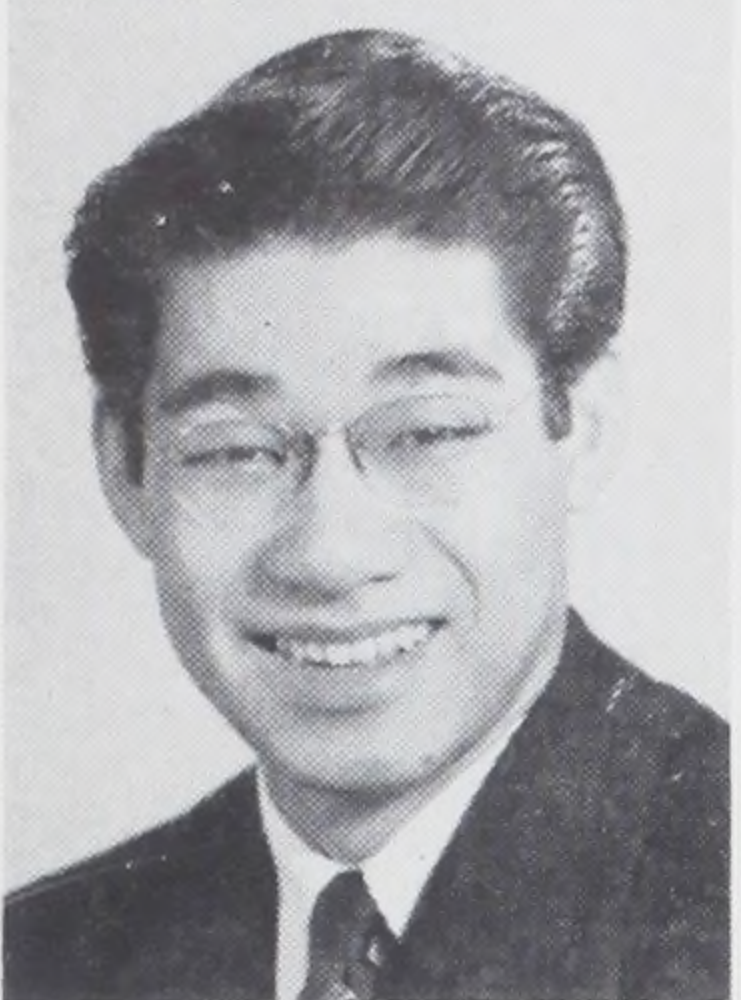
**JESSE KREGAL**

Irvington; Technical Electric; pep band, all-city band, librarian, secretary-treasurer, vice-president Band; Electric Club; Executive Board; Inter-Club Council; Radio Actors Guild; Cafeteria Cashiers; Bronze, Silver, Gold, Special Gold Scholarship Pins; Junior Cross Country.



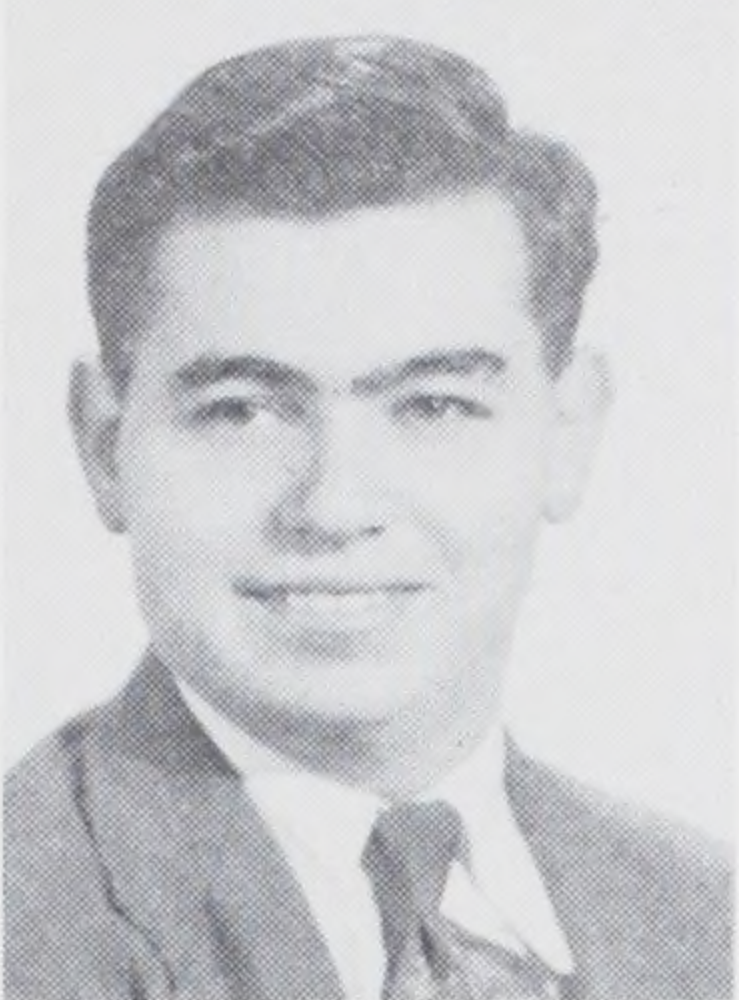
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Mt. Tabor; Technical Radio; Minuteman; Junior, Varsity Football.



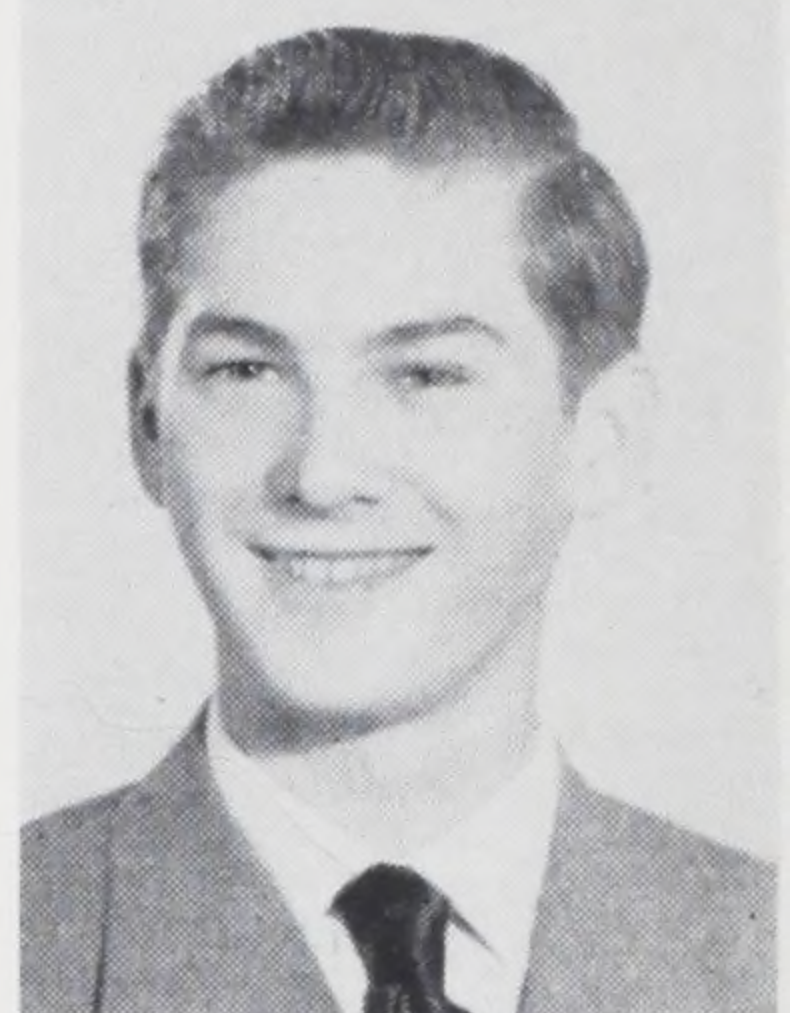
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Couch; Technical Electric; Electric Club; Bronze Scholarship Pin; Tennis.



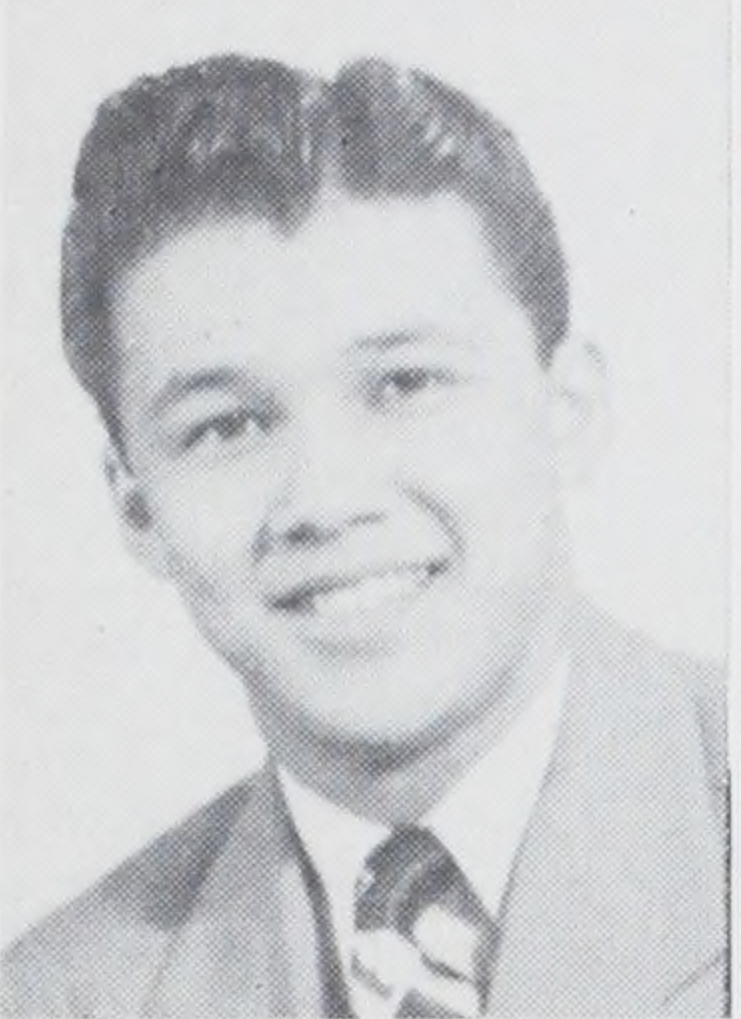
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Kenton; Vocational Printing; Candy Stand; Inter-Club Council; Business Manager Tech Pep Staff; treasurer, president Type-Hi.



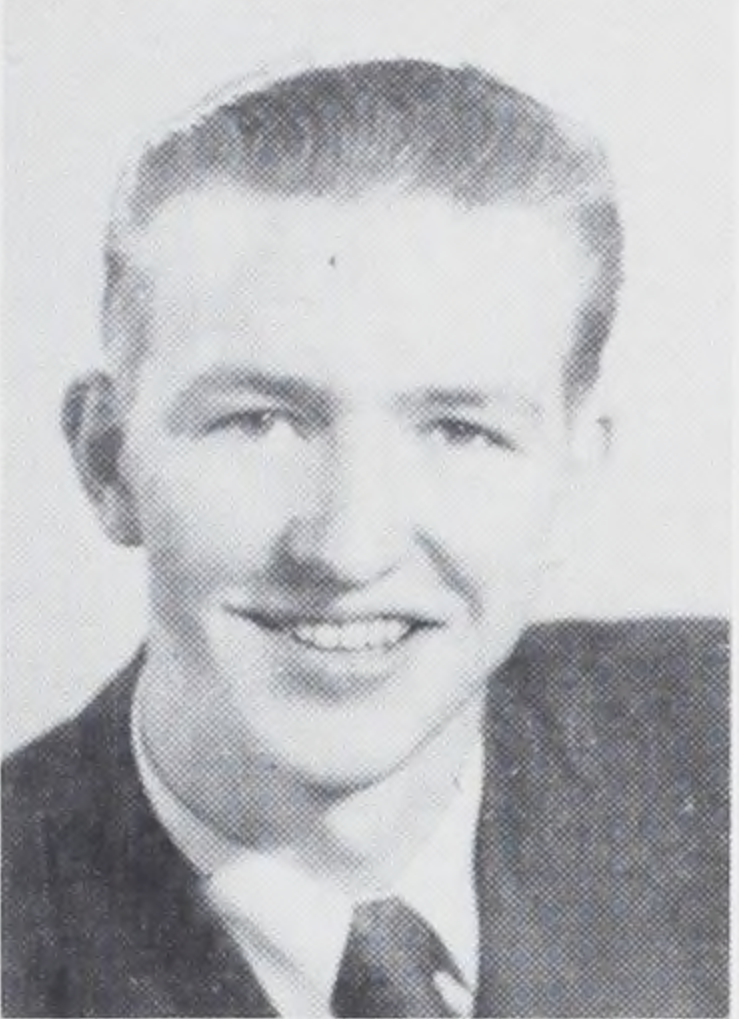
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Holy Rosary; General.



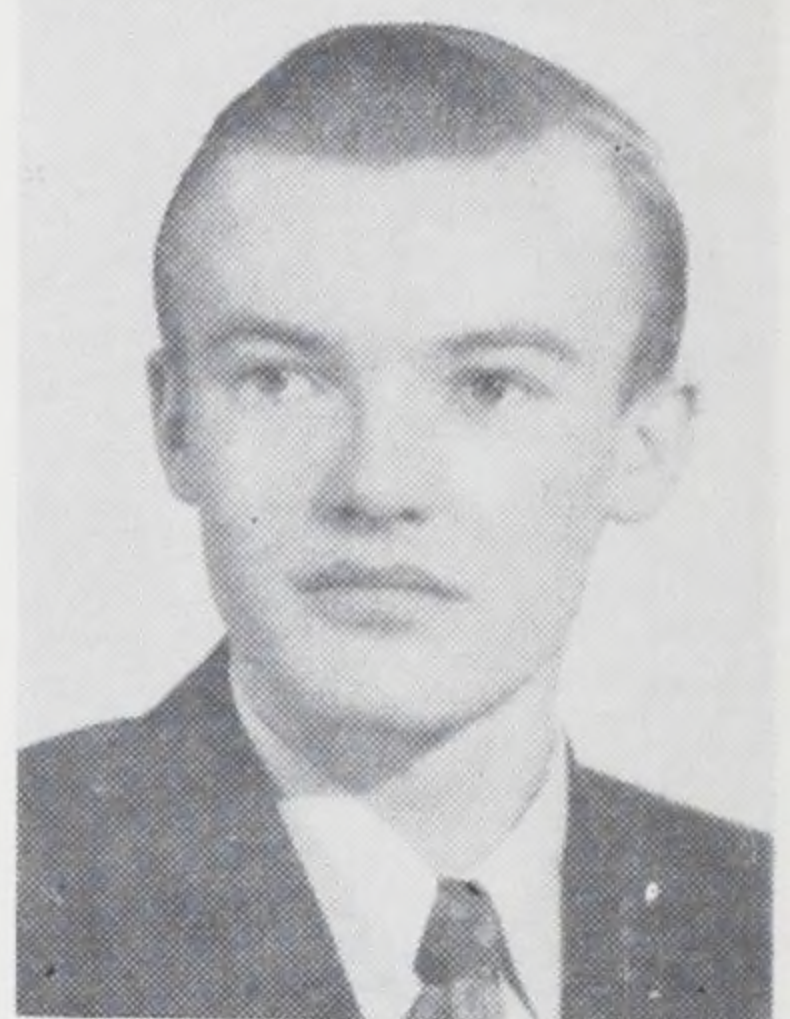
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Fairview; General.



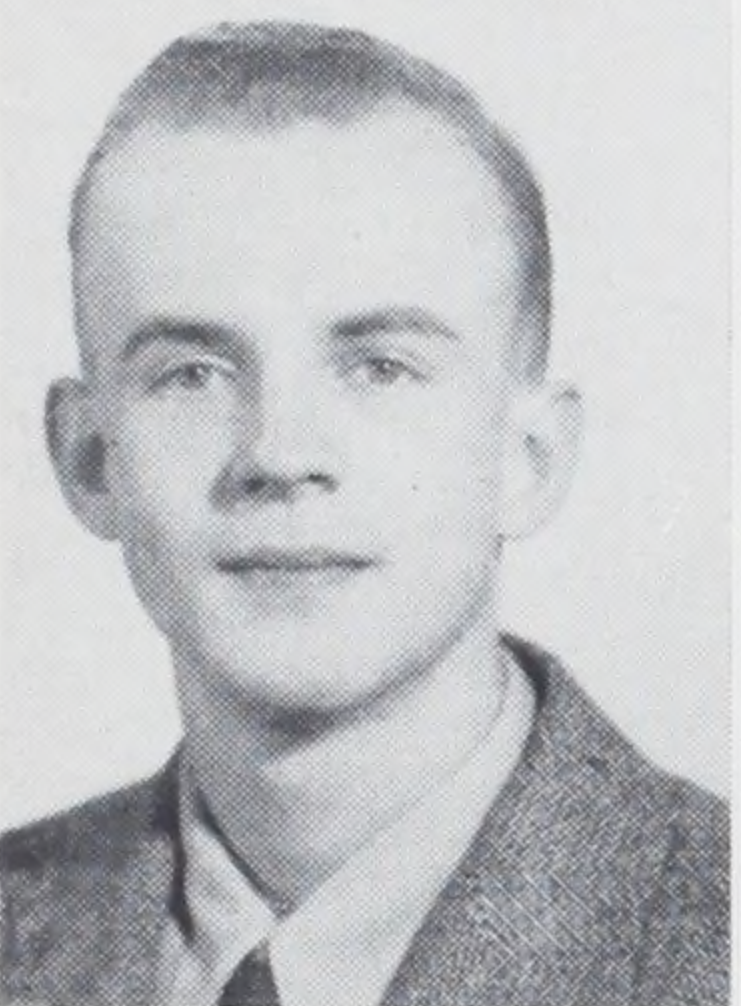
**RAY MacKINNON**

Rigler; Technical Electric; Electric Club; assistant chief Fire Squad; Inter-Club Council; Minuteman; Orange B; Usher Corps; Equipment Manager.



**JOHN ROBERT MILLS**

Highland; General.



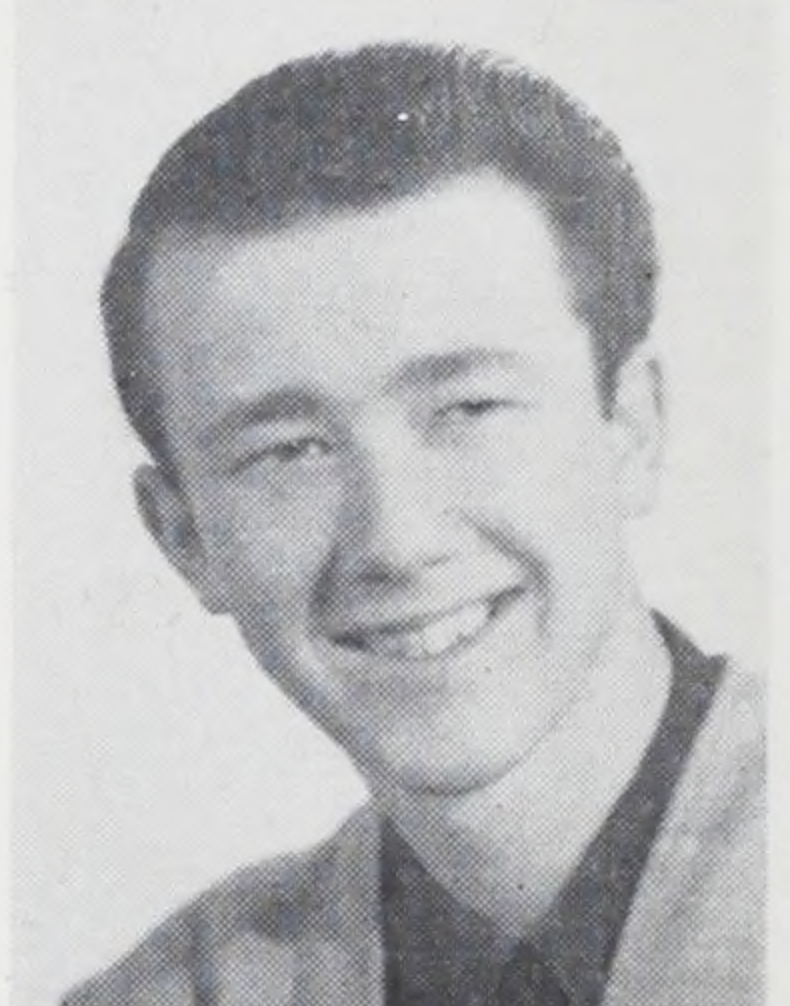
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Llewellyn; Vocational Printing.



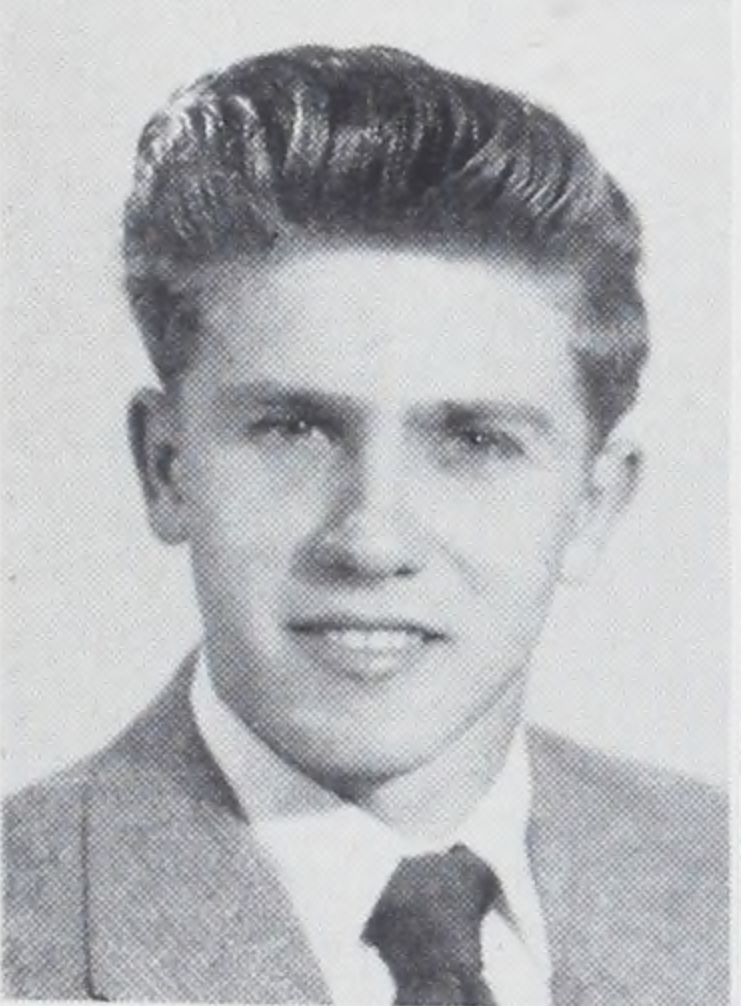
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James John; General.



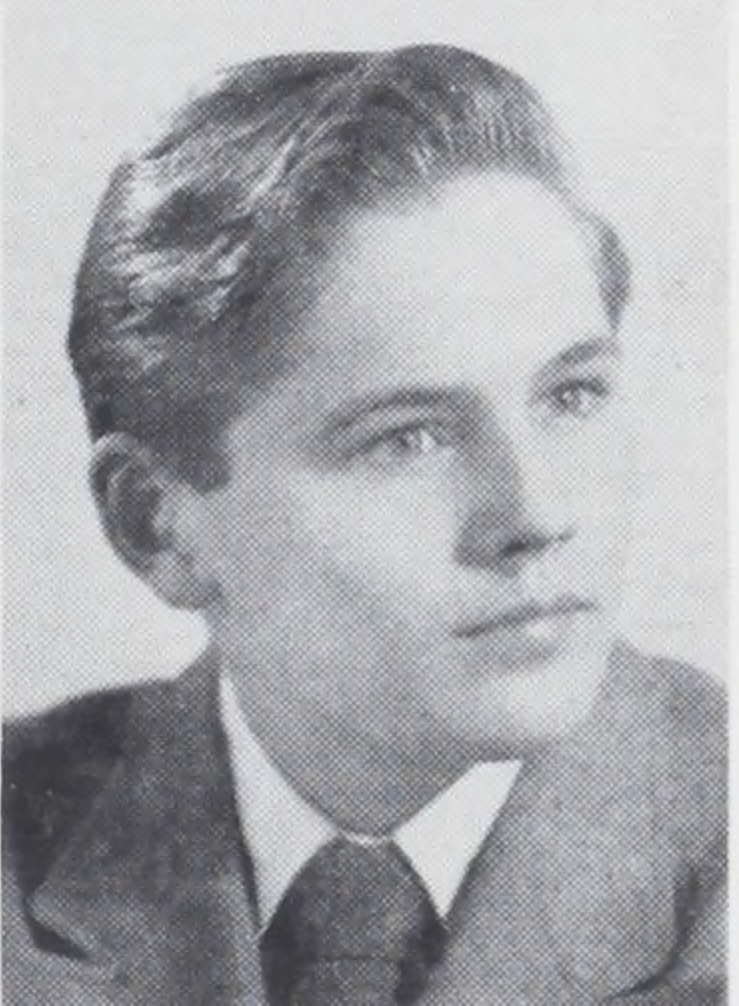
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Glencoe; Technical Aviation; Aviation Club; Golf.



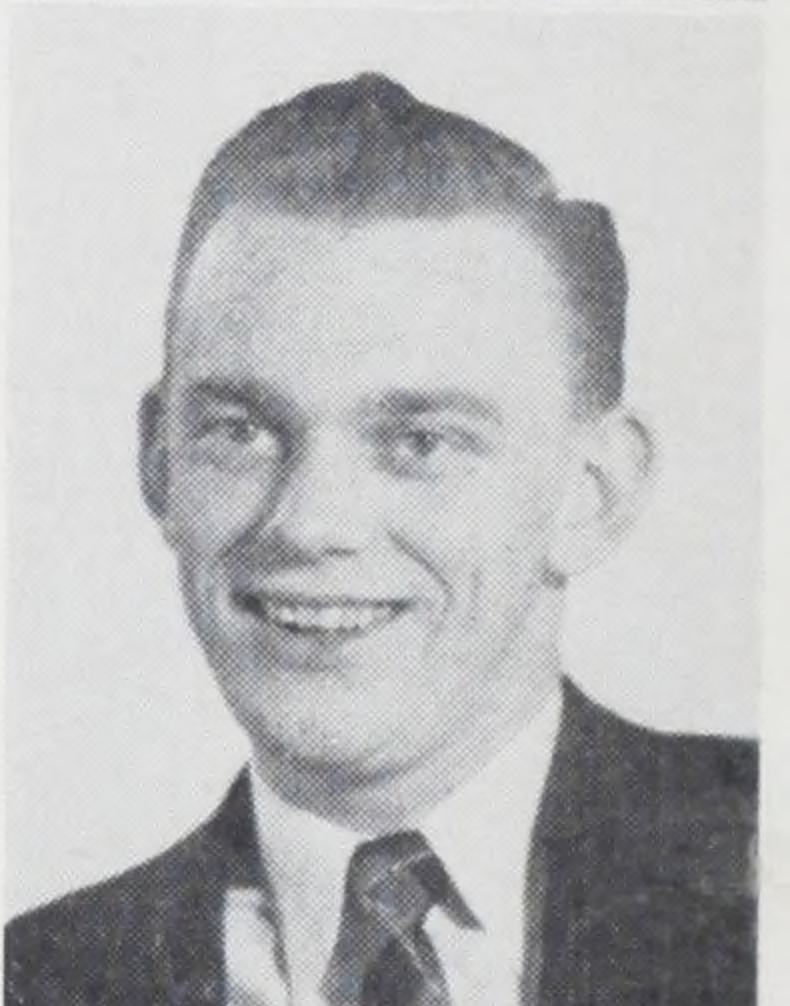
**CHRIS PAZEOTOPOULOS**

Eliot; Technical Electric; Executive Board; Hi-Y; cub-editor Tech Pep Staff; Baseball.



**LYLE POTTER**

General.



**JACK RASMUSSEN**

Rose City Park; Technical Electric; Hi-Y; Aquatic Club; Junior, Varsity Football.



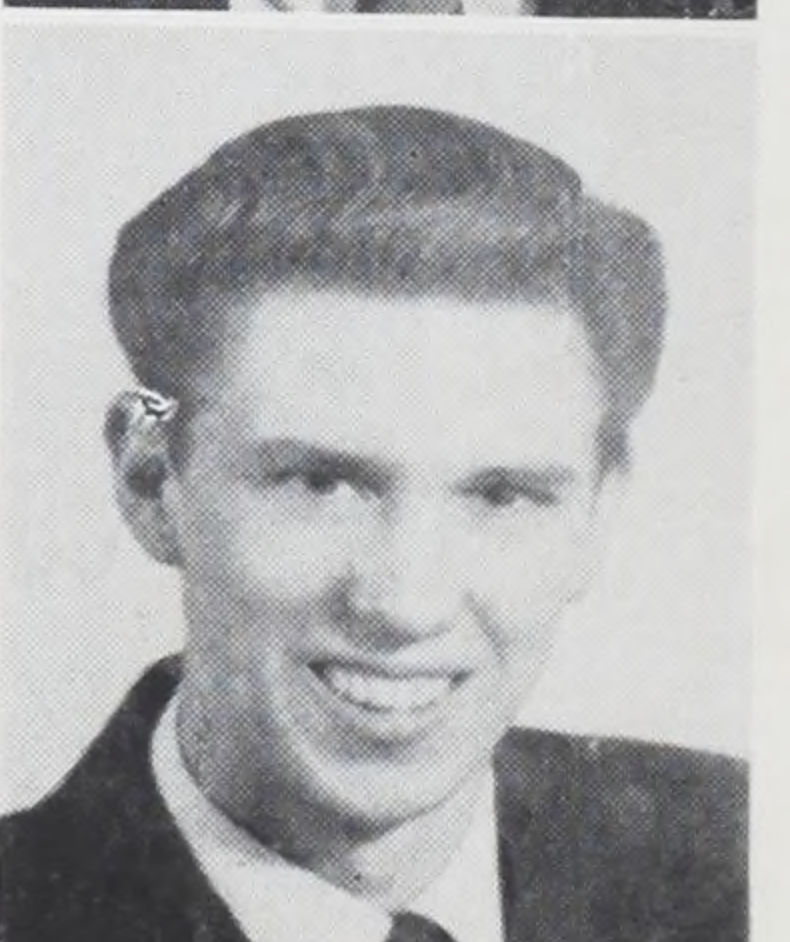
**FRED RATHBONE**

Shady Brook; General; Defendre Ipse; Student Body Vice-President; Fire Squad; Glee Club; Inter-Club Council; Minuteman; Poly Steppers; Usher Corps; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.



**RENE REDELSPERGER**

Vestal; General; Radio Actors Guild; Tech Pep Staff; Type-Hi.



**GEORGE MICHAEL ROTH**

Arleta; Technical Radio; sergeant-at-arms, president Beta Sigma Delta; Executive Board; sergeant-at-arms Inter-Club Council; Chief Announcer KBPS Staff; Minuteman; feature staff news editor Tech Pep Staff; Class President; Citizen of the Week; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Junior Basketball.





**TED ROUTSON**

Glencoe; Technical Electric; president Electric Club; Fire Squad; Glee Club; Inter-Club Council; Poly Steppers; Chief Carpenter Stage Crew.

**RICHARD RUDIG**

Buckman; General; Minuteman; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.

**GEORGE SCHMIDT**

Gregory Heights; Technical Electric; captain Fire Squad; sergeant-at-arms Hi-Y; sergeant-at-arms Inter-Club Council; Orange B; Aquatic Club; secretary, vice-president Usher Corps; Class Vice-President; Player of the Week; Junior, Varsity Football.



**ALVIN SCHWARTZ**

Couch; Technical Radio; Band; KBPS Staff; Minuteman; Radio Club; Roller Skating Club.

**LORAN BERNARD SCHELLHOU**

Kellogg; Technical Electric; treasurer Electric Club; Fire Squad; Inter-Club Council; treasurer Usher Corps; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Equipment Manager.

**BOB SOUTHARD**

Lake Grove; General.



**WILLIAM SQUIRE**

Burlingame, California; General, Beta Sigma Delta; Bowling Club; KBPS Staff; Minuteman; Radio Actors Guild; Aquatic Club; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.

**ROY STICKEL**

Ascension; General.

**STANLEY SWARTZ**

Irvington; General.



**HENRY TAMBARA**

Hunt, Idaho; Technical Radio; Bowling Club; Electric Club; Junior Football.

**DONALD LEE TIEDEMAN**

Woodmere; Technical Machine; Bowling Club; Machinist Club; Poly Steppers; Aquatic Club; Junior Baseball.

**ROGER TROEN**

Beach; Technical Printing; Glee Club; Radio Actors Guild; news staff, editor-in-chief Tech Pep Staff; Type-Hi.



**DWAYNE VEDDER**

Goldstone; Vocational Machine; Student Store.

**KAY WARNER**

Technical Radio.

**KENNETH WEAVER**

Joseph Lane; General.



**BOB WESCHE**

Buckman; Technical Electric; Fire Squad; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.

**JAMES EDWARD WILSON**

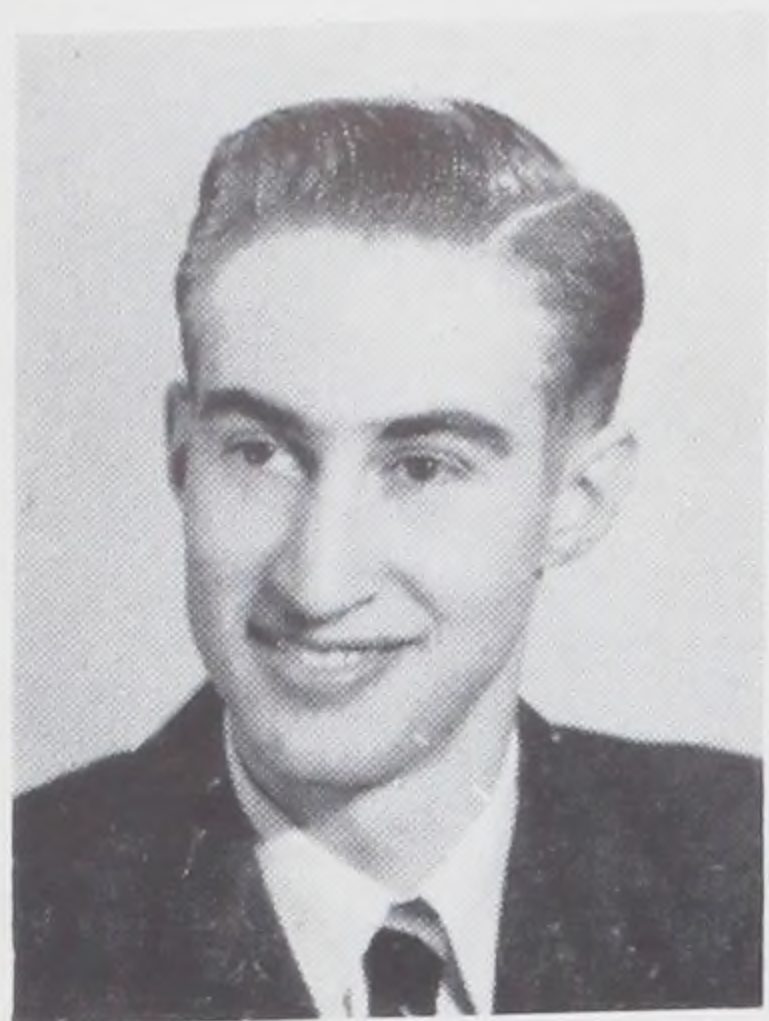
Chuquicamata, Chile; Technical Electric; Electric Club; Junior Craftsmen; Bronze Scholarship Pin; Junior Track.

**WILLIAM WITTKOP**

Sellwood; Technical Electric; Fire Squad; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.





**CLIFFORD YATES**

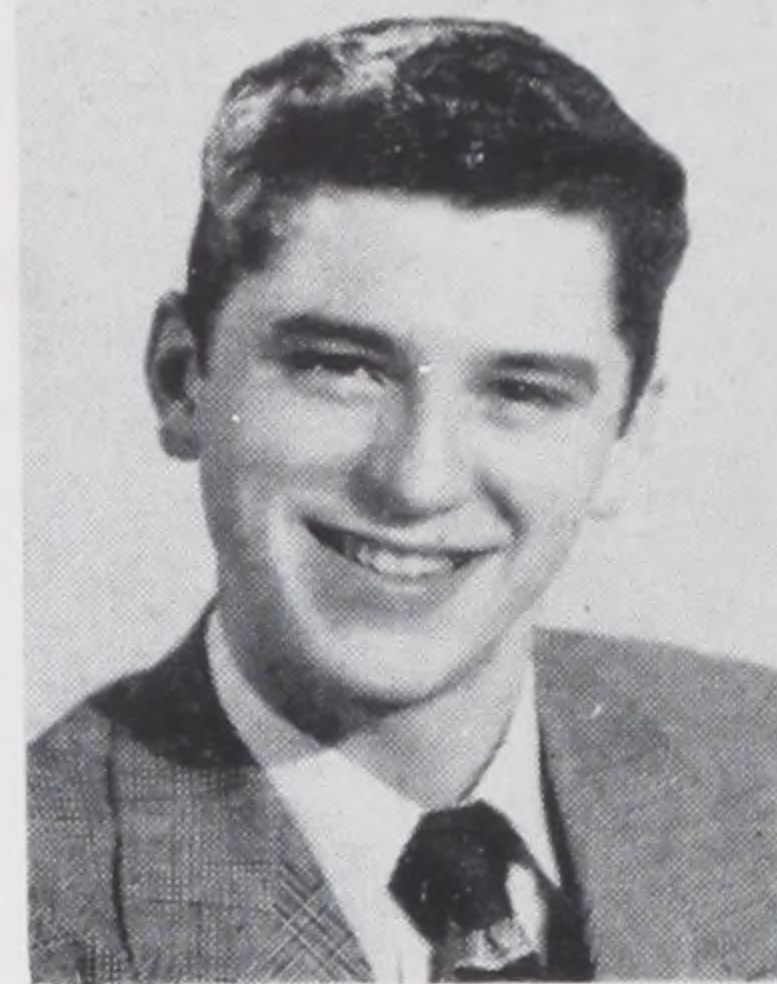
Vestal; Technical Radio; KBPS Staff; Poly Steppers;  
Safety Council.

**RICHARD YOBP**

Russellville; Technical Aviation; Aquatic Club; Junior  
Football.

**TOM ZWALD**

Gregory Heights; Technical Electric; pep band, treas-  
urer Band; Executive Board; Fire Squad; H.-Y; Orange  
B: Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins; Equipment  
Manager.

**NOT PICTURED**

DONALD BAUER  
JAMES A. BELL  
MELVIN BOARDMAN  
LOUIS BREIDENBACH  
ALBERT BRIGGS

RICHARD BURNHAM  
CALVIN DUNHAM  
MERVIN GRIFFITH  
HERBERT MEIER

JOHN G. NEWMAN  
ALLEN ROSS  
EDWARD RUCKMAN  
RALPH SCHOENFELDER

MACE SMITH  
LeROY SPOHR  
DARYL SWENSON  
AL TANZER

**JANUARY CLASS HISTORY**

On a cloudy day in January, 1945, about 250 students attended Benson for their first time. After instructions from Mr. Cleveland each student went his individual way. Three and one-half years later the remaining 100 boys were organized into "The Graduating Class of January '49".

We elected Miss Mary Beck and Mr. Sam Suwol as our advisors and under their guiding hands proceeded to get the business of the class under way.

For our officers we chose: George Roth, president; George Schmidt, vice-president; Ernest Hardt, secretary; William Wittkop, treasurer; Dick Hennessy, sergeant-at-arms; and Tom Cohen, Poly Tech editor.

We picked our class pins and chose Steffens-Colmer to take our class pictures.

At 8 o'clock on the evenings of December 3 and 4 we presented a class play jointly with the June class entitled "Room Trouble".

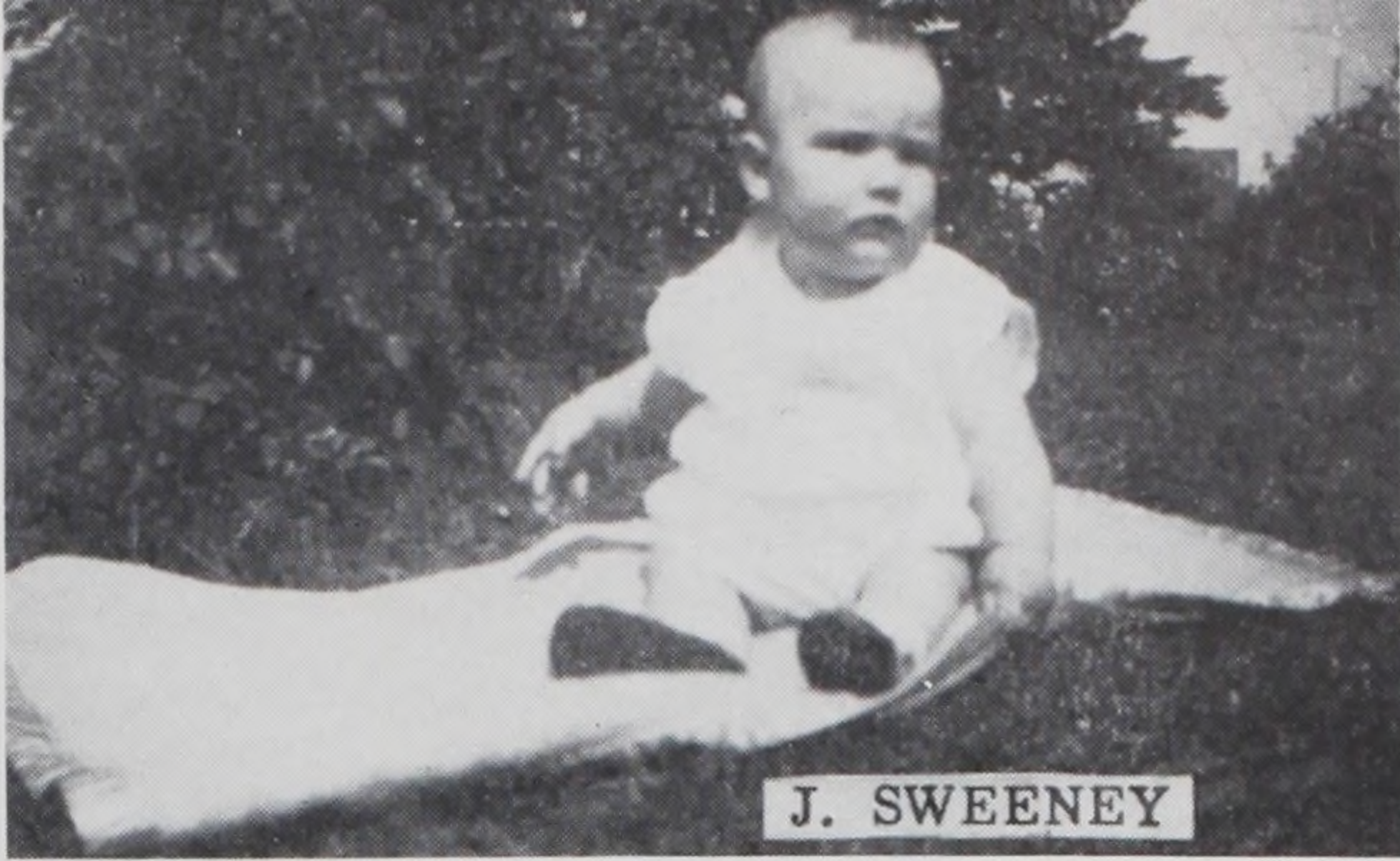
On January 21st we held a banquet and then went to a farewell dance sponsored by the January graduating classes of Benson and Cleveland High Schools.

We received our diplomas on the evening of June 9, 1949.





L. LIEBLE



J. SWEENEY



MISS BARTA



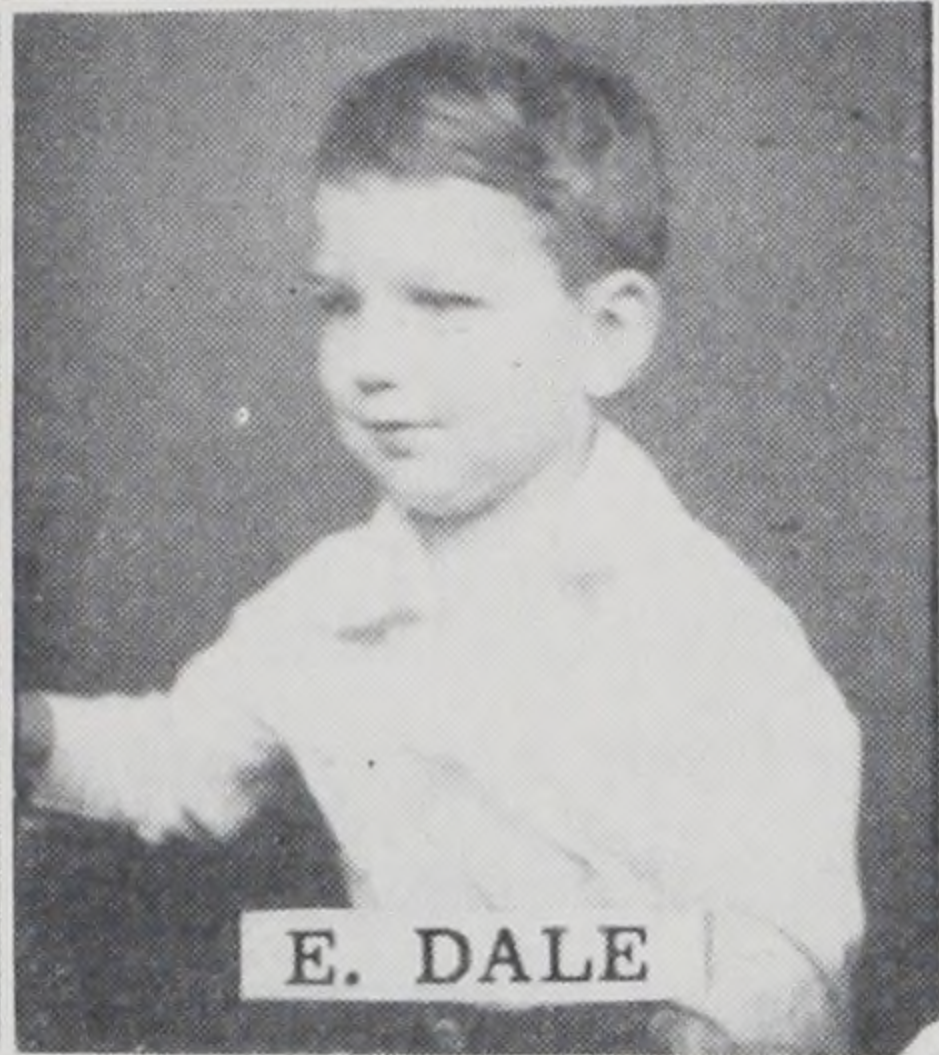
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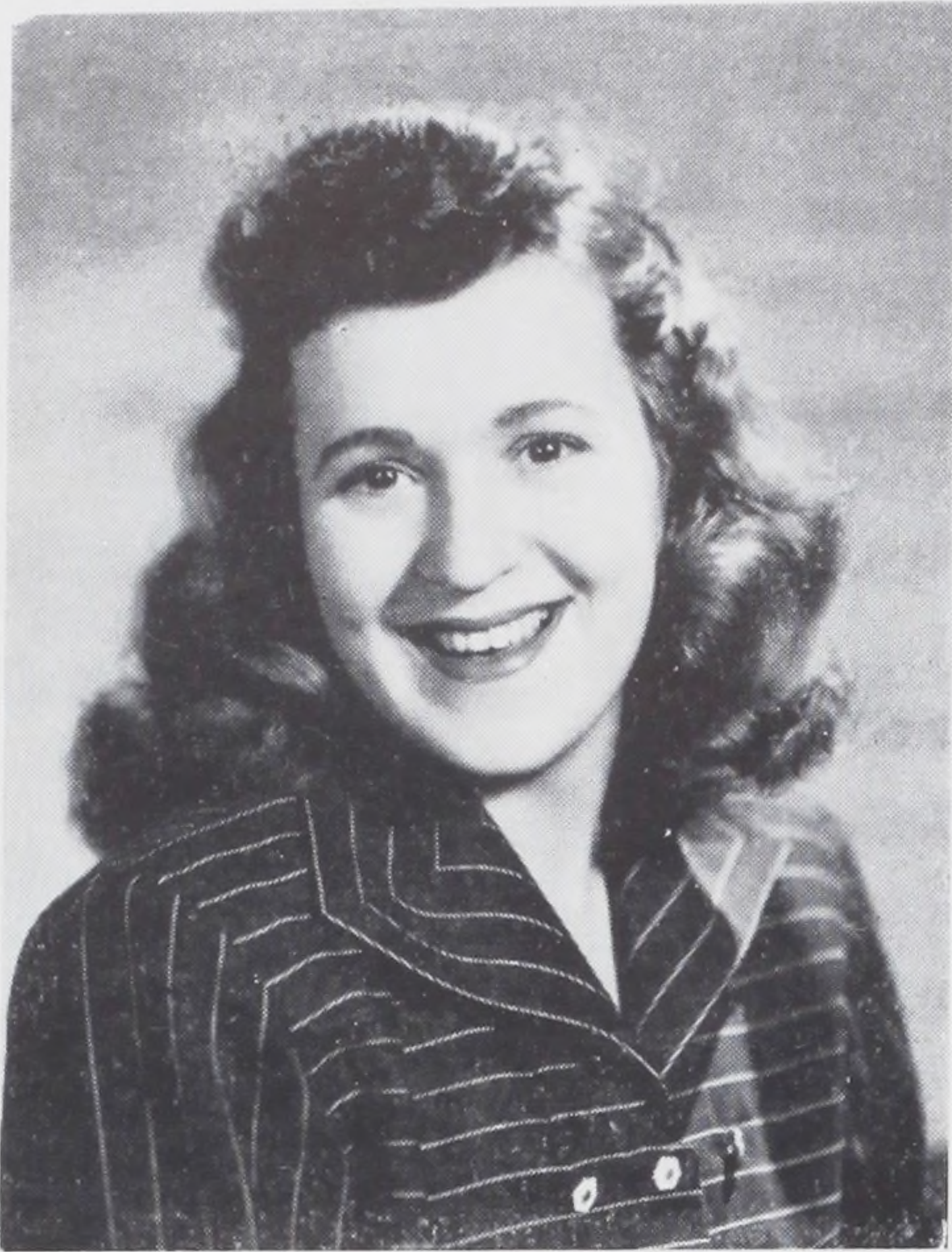
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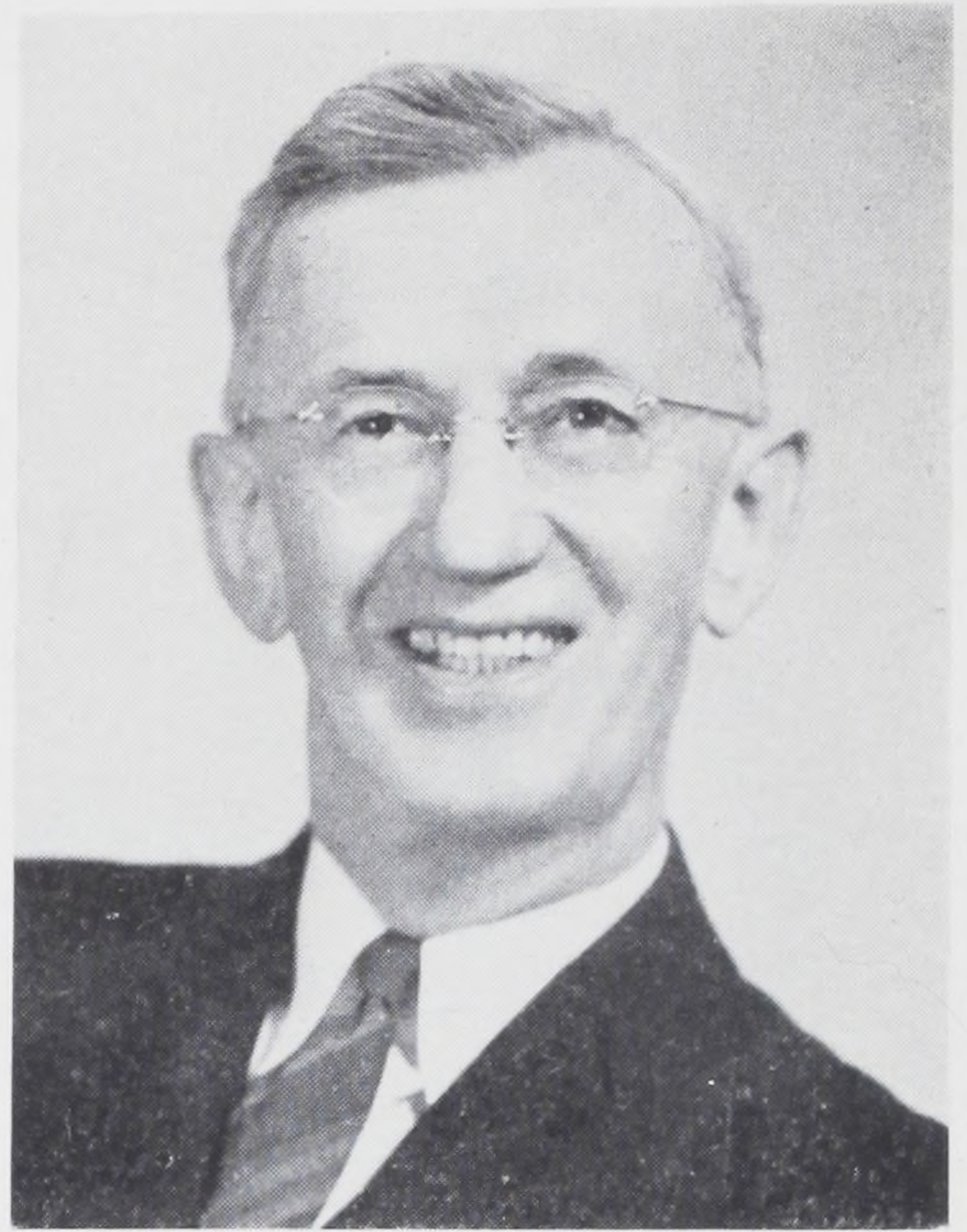
B. HILMER



## JUNE CLASS ADVISORS



MISS BARTA



MR. KARNOPP

### CLASS HISTORY

No world-wide news nor nation-wide acclaim have we, the June, 1949, class, made during our four years at Benson. But we have made news here at Benson since that day in September, 1945, we entered this institution as freshmen.

In the fall of 1948 we elected Jack Andersen as president of the class, Gerald Chadburn, vice prexy; John Ake, secretary; John Dannenmann, treasurer, and Lester Forney, sergeant-at-arms. John Ake and Lester Forney retired at the end of the term and were replaced by John Neuman and Charles Mariani. The class chose the popular instructors Miss Barta and Mr. Karnopp as our class advisors.

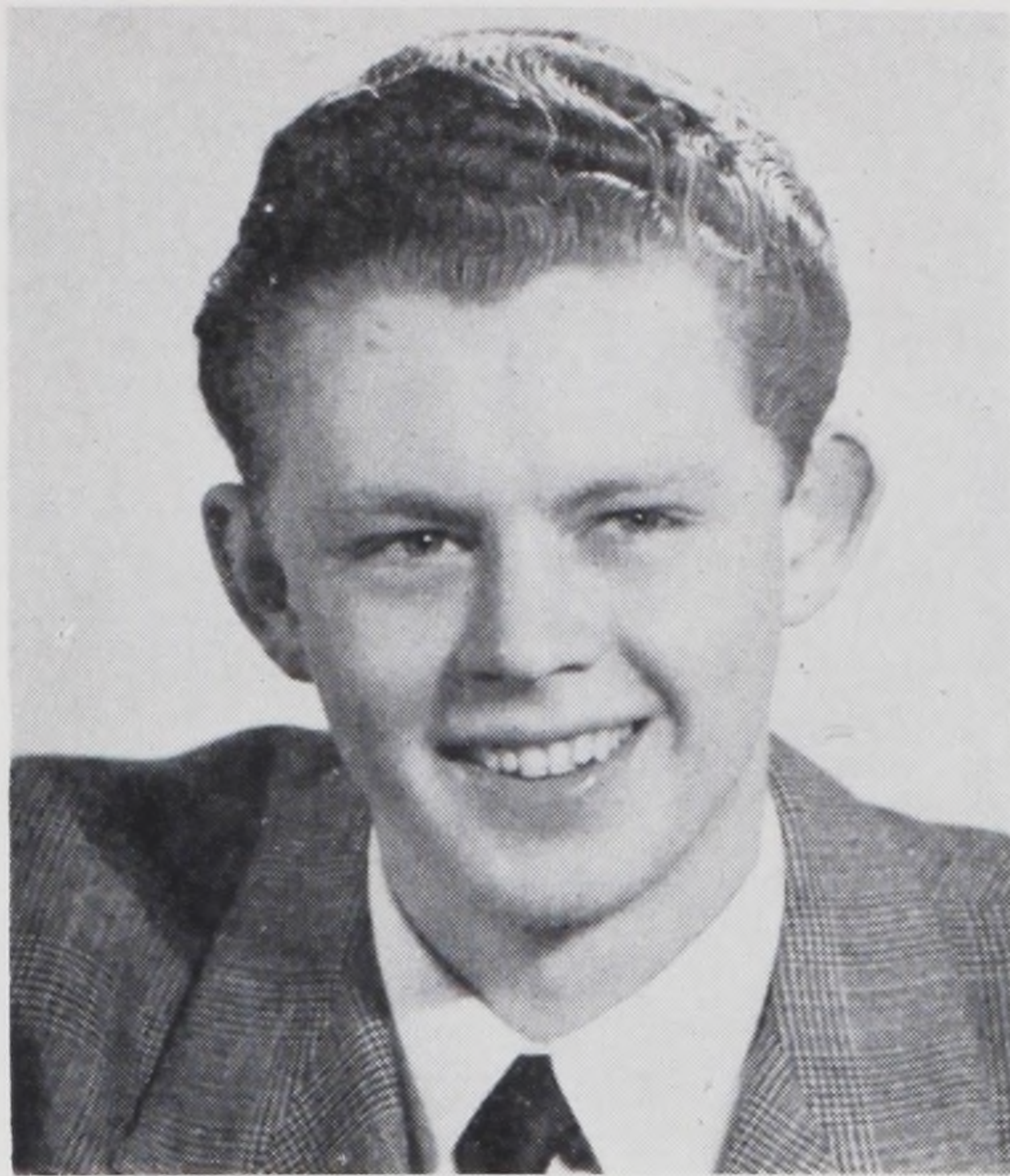
December 3rd and 4th we gave a terrific play called "Room Trouble". Steffens-Colmer Studios received a large amount of business taking our graduation pictures and gave Al Urquhart, the Poly Tech editor, a headache on the make-up of the book.

Class pins, announcements, and meetings all highlighted our senior year. The last Sunday before our graduation, baccalaureate services were held in Mt. Tabor Presbyterian Church. On the night of June 3rd, with our best girl and soft lights and dreamy music, we danced at the prom, our last big social get-together.

On June 9th, with mingled joy and regret, we marched down the aisles and upon the stage at our commencement exercises. When given our diploma thoughts of our school life were all relived. A memory we shall never forget was born.

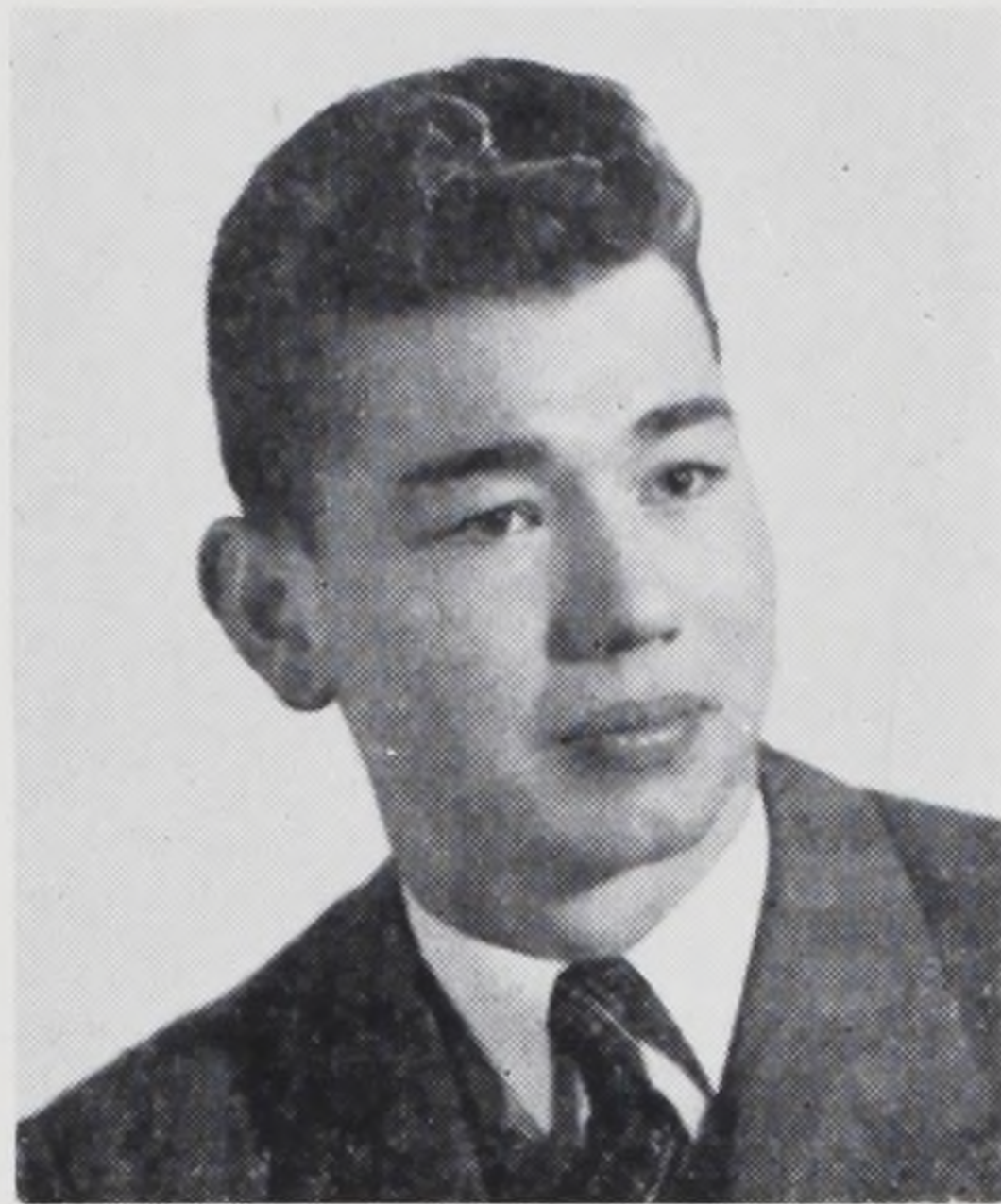


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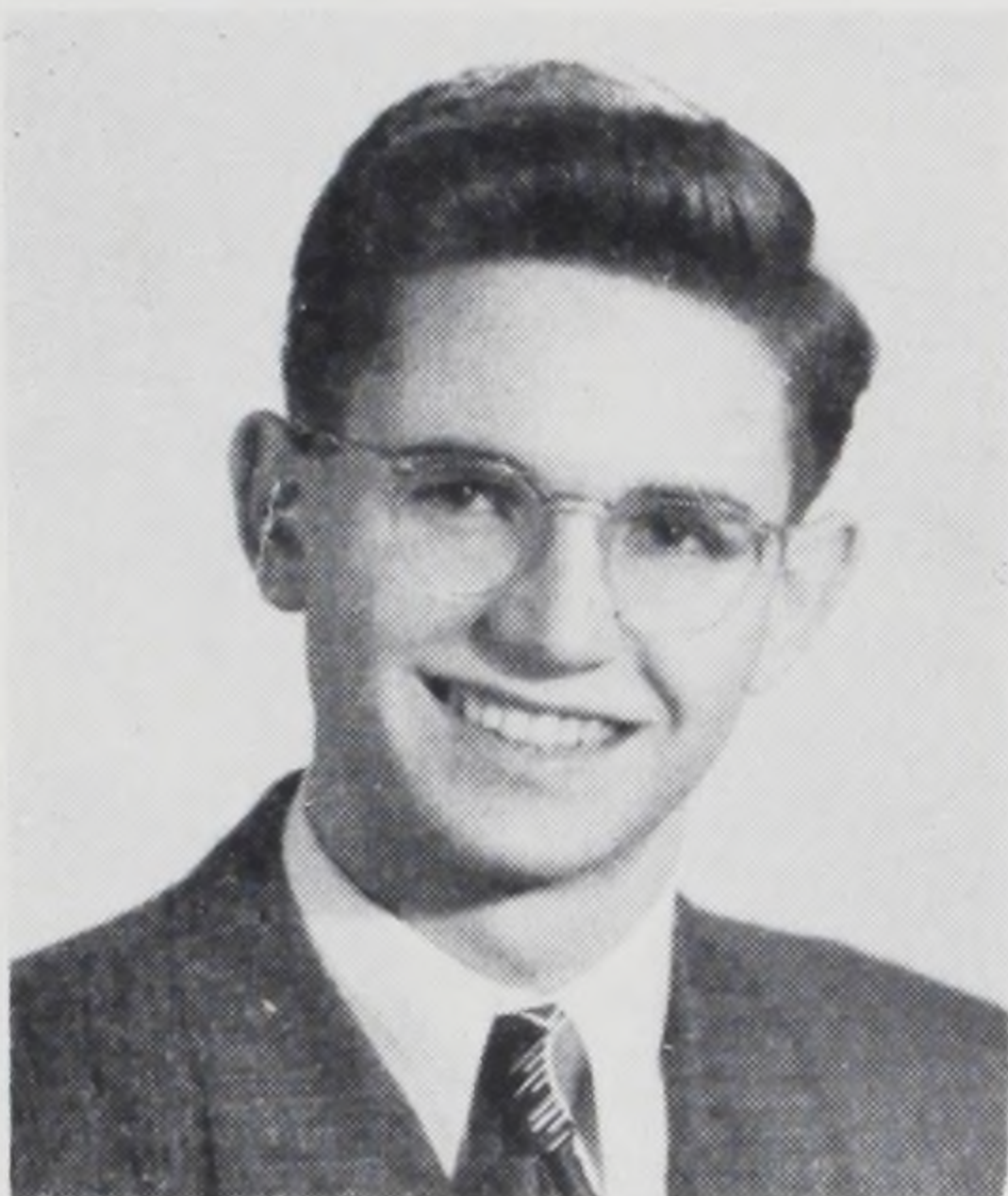


**JACK ANDERSEN**  
President

# 1949 OFFICERS



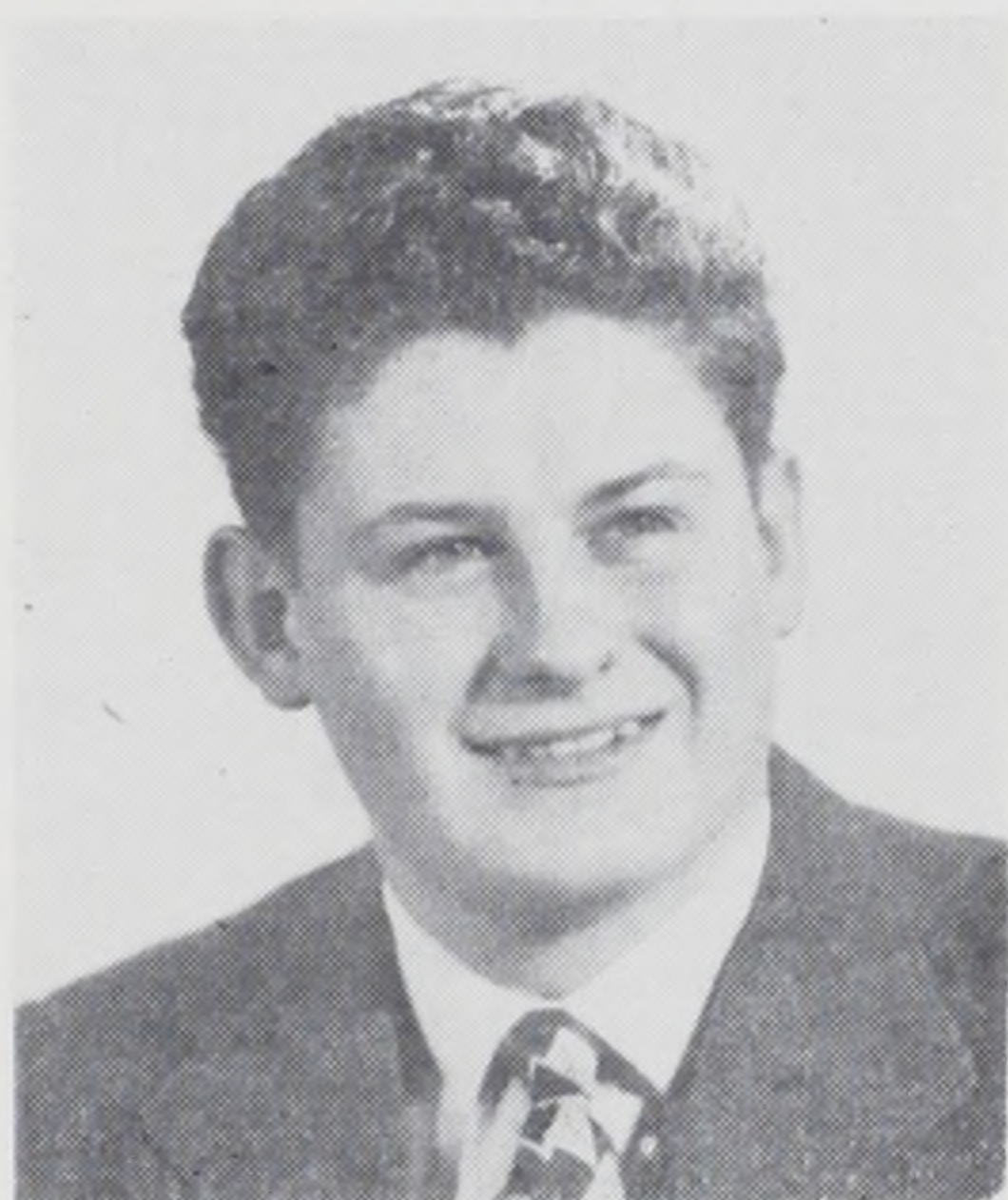
**GERALD CHADBURN**  
Vice-President



**JOHN NEUMAN**  
Secretary

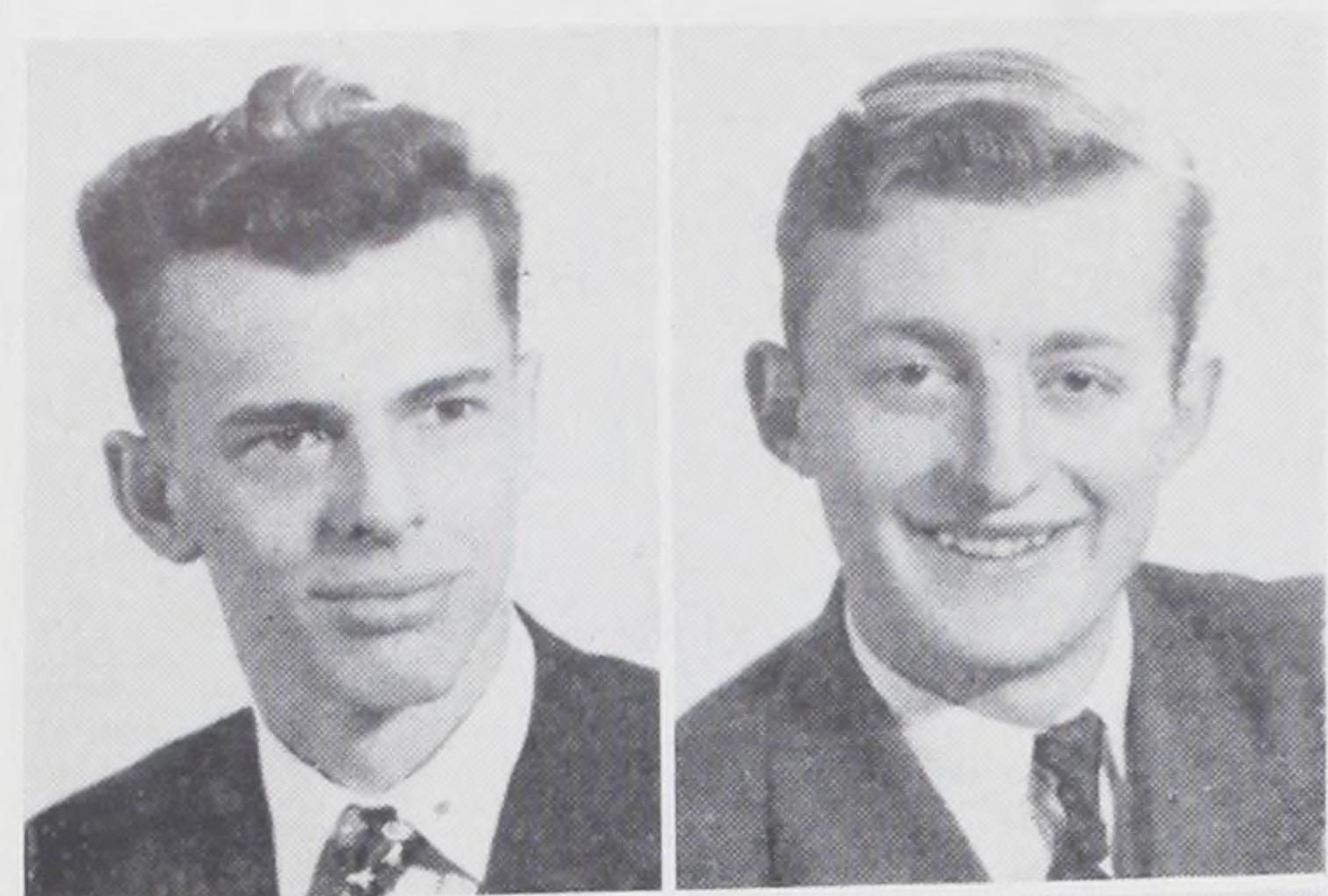


**JOHN DANNENMANN**  
Treasurer



**CHARLES MARIANI**  
Sergeant-at-Arms





**JOHN W. AKE**

Technical Electrical; secretary, president Electric Club; Executive Board; lieutenant Fire Squad; Minuteman; Secretary Senior Class; Class Play Staff; Commissioner of Properties; stage manager Stage Crew; Bronze, Silver, Gold, Special Gold, Ruby Scholarship Pins.

**ROBERT ALBRECHT**

Technical Radio; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins.

**JACK E. ANDERSEN**

Technical Aviation; Executive Board; sergeant-at-arms Hi-Y; president Minutemen; secretary, vice-president Orange "B"; Junior and Varsity Football; Junior and Varsity Basketball; Varsity Baseball; Player of the Week; President of Senior Class.

**GERALD ANDERSON**

General.

**RONALD ARNOLD**

Technical Electric; sergeant at-arms Electric Club; lieutenant Fire Squad; Minuteman; Orange "B"; Poly Steppers; Public Speaking Club; president, vice-president Radio Actors Guild; Stage Crew; Yell King; Bronze Scholarship Pin; Junior and Varsity Track; Junior and Varsity Cross Country.

**LAWRENCE ARTHUR**

Technical Aviation; Band; Fire Squad; Optimists; Usher Corps; Tennis.

**ARTHUR ASHWORTH**

General.

**CLIFTON AUGUST**

General; Ski Club; Junior Baseball.

**DUSTIN BACKEBURG**

General.

**WALTER BACKUS**

General; Glee Club.

**LLOYD BALLARD**

General.

**JOHN BARBER**

General; president Optimists; Yell Squad.

**ERNEST BAUDER**

Technical Electric; drum major Band; Candy Stand; Electric Club; Executive Board; Glee Club; assistant editor Poly Tech; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Commissioner of Athletics.

**FRANKLIN A. BEESON**

Technical Mechanical; Minutemen; Bronze, Silver, Gold, Special Gold, Ruby Scholarship Pins; Representative Council; Safety Council.

**CHARLES L. BELL**

Technical Mechanical; Executive Board; Orange "B"; Cross Country Track.

**RUDOLF BENCICH**

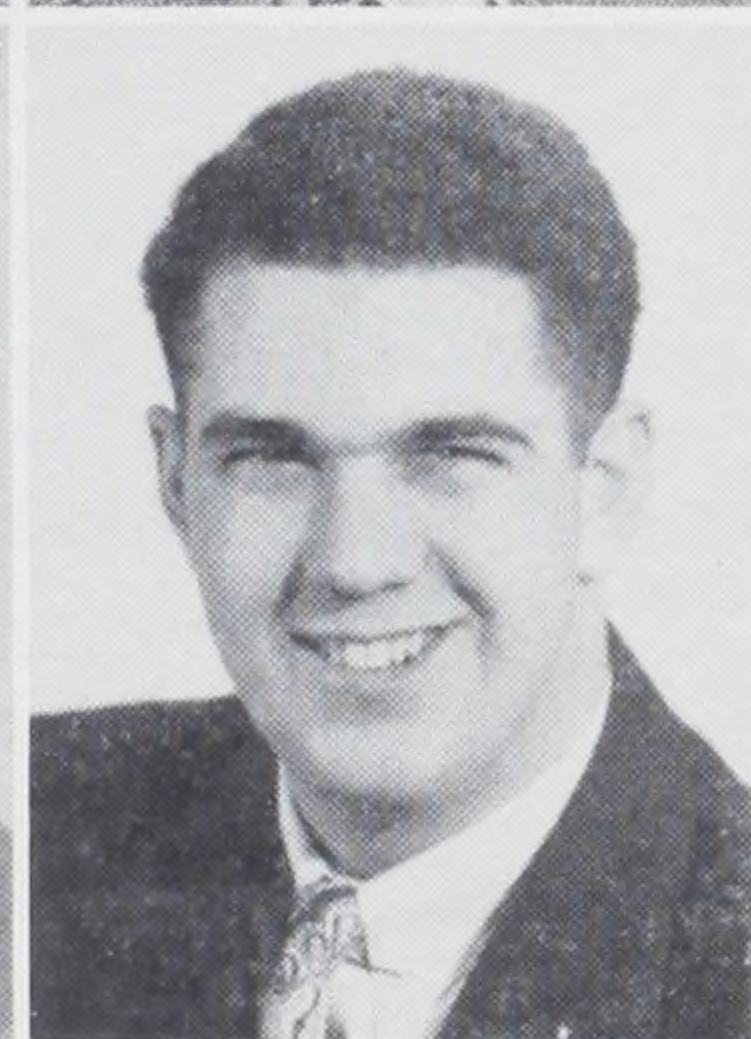
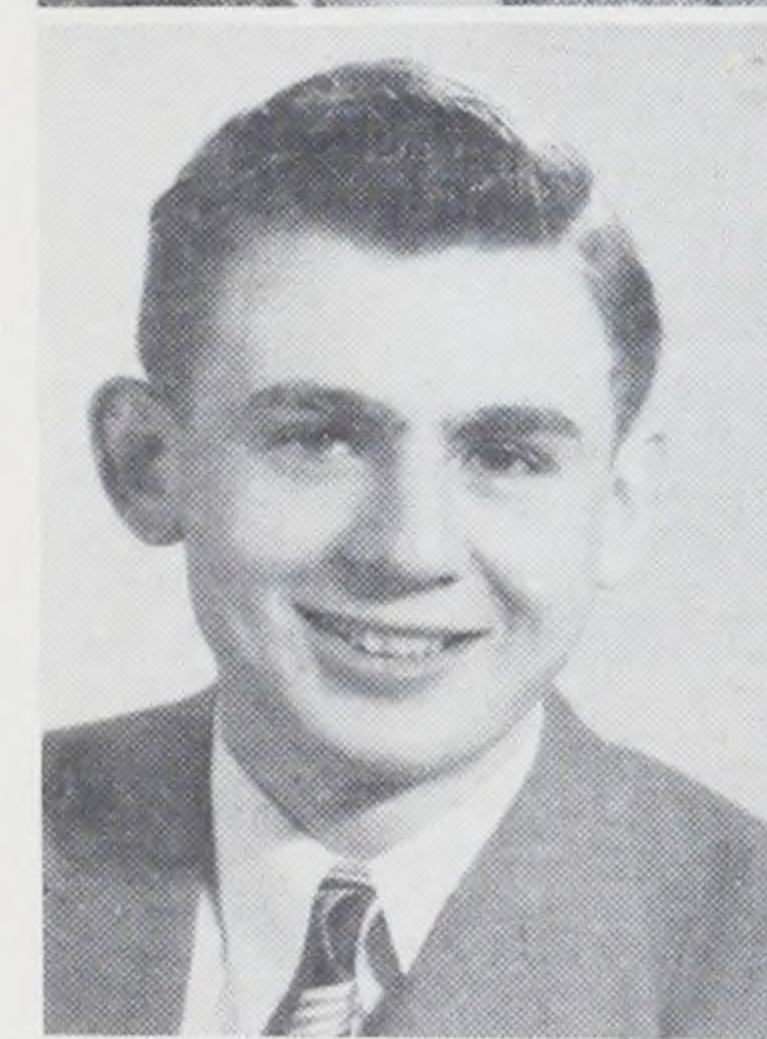
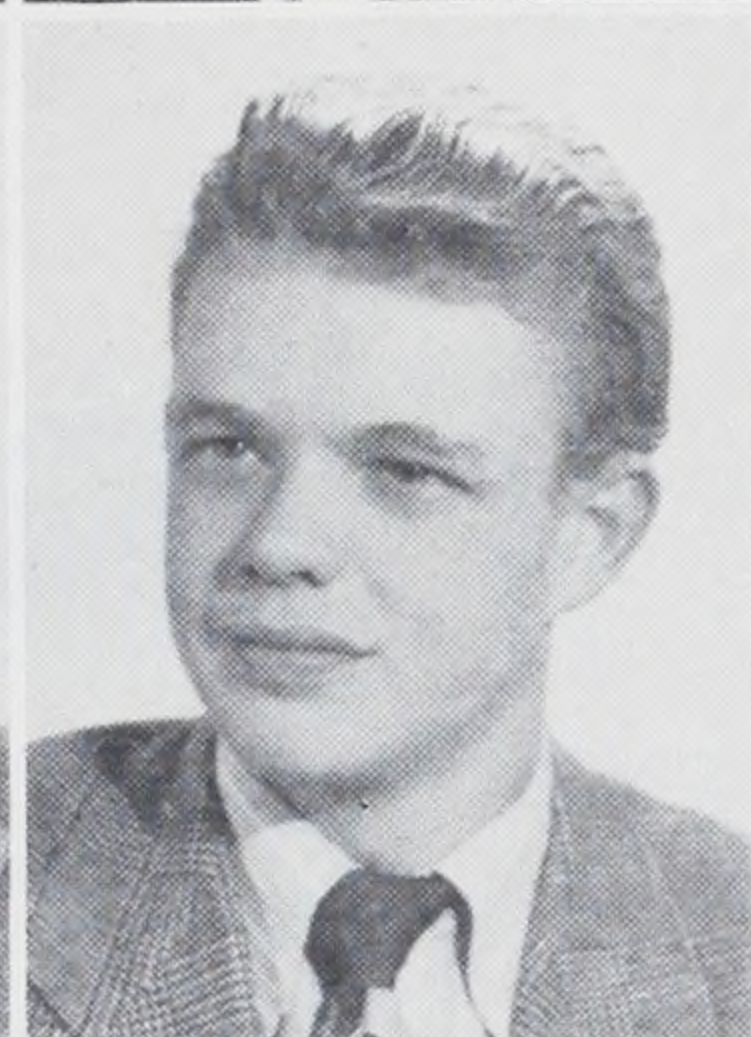
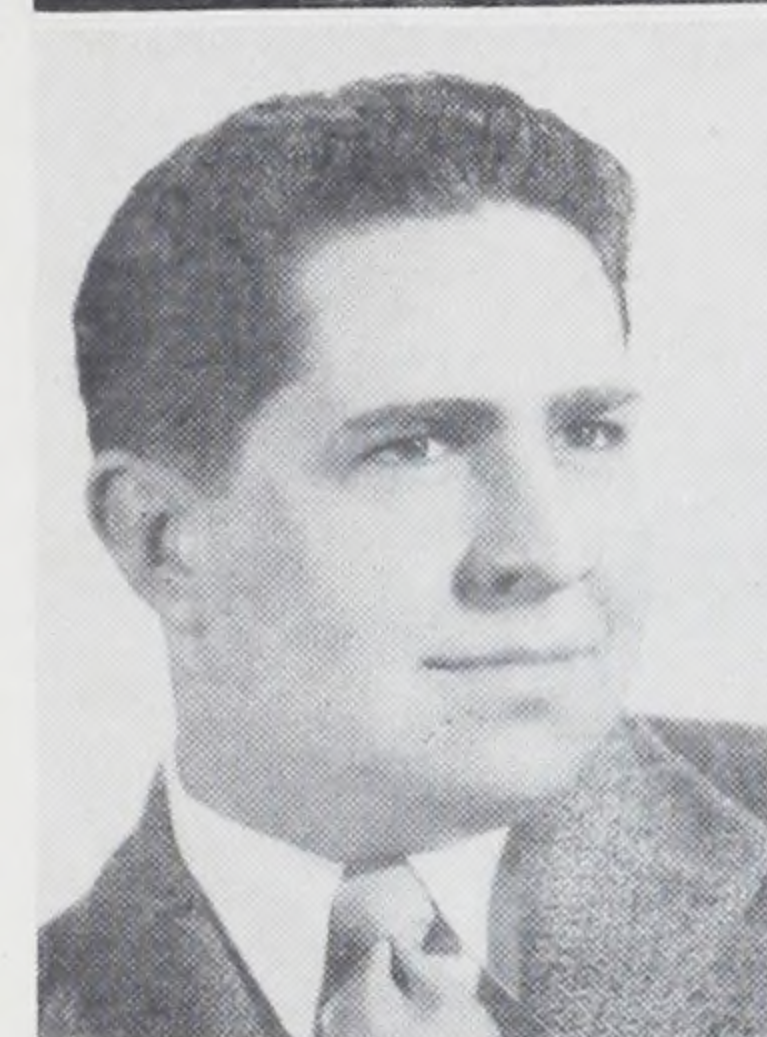
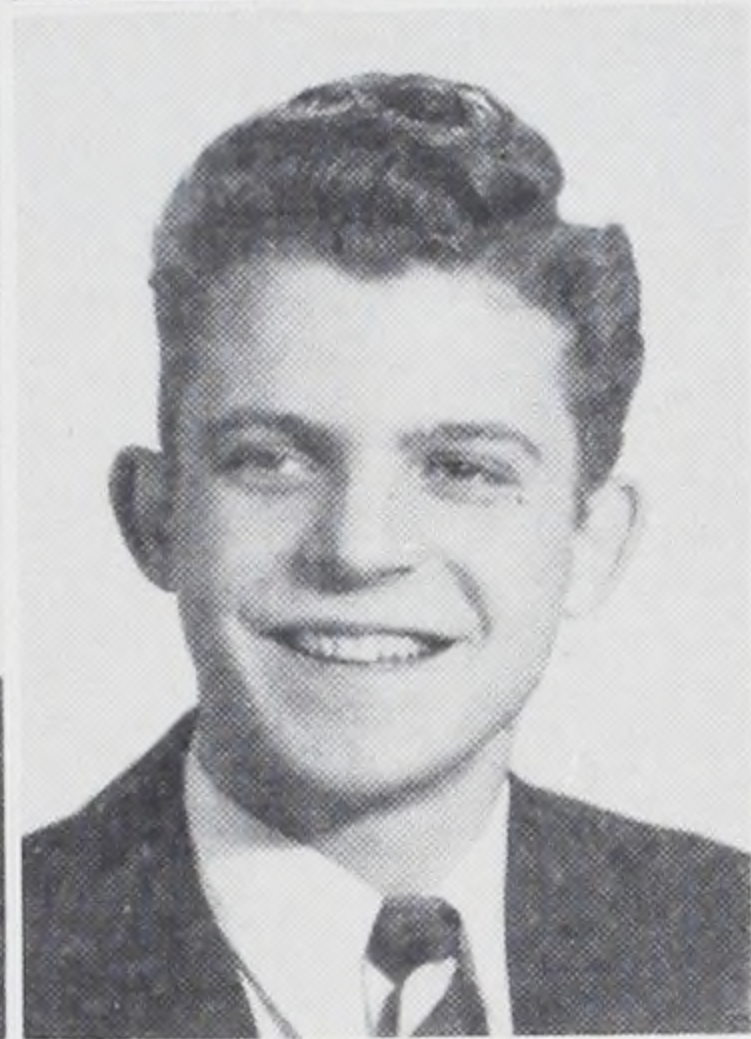
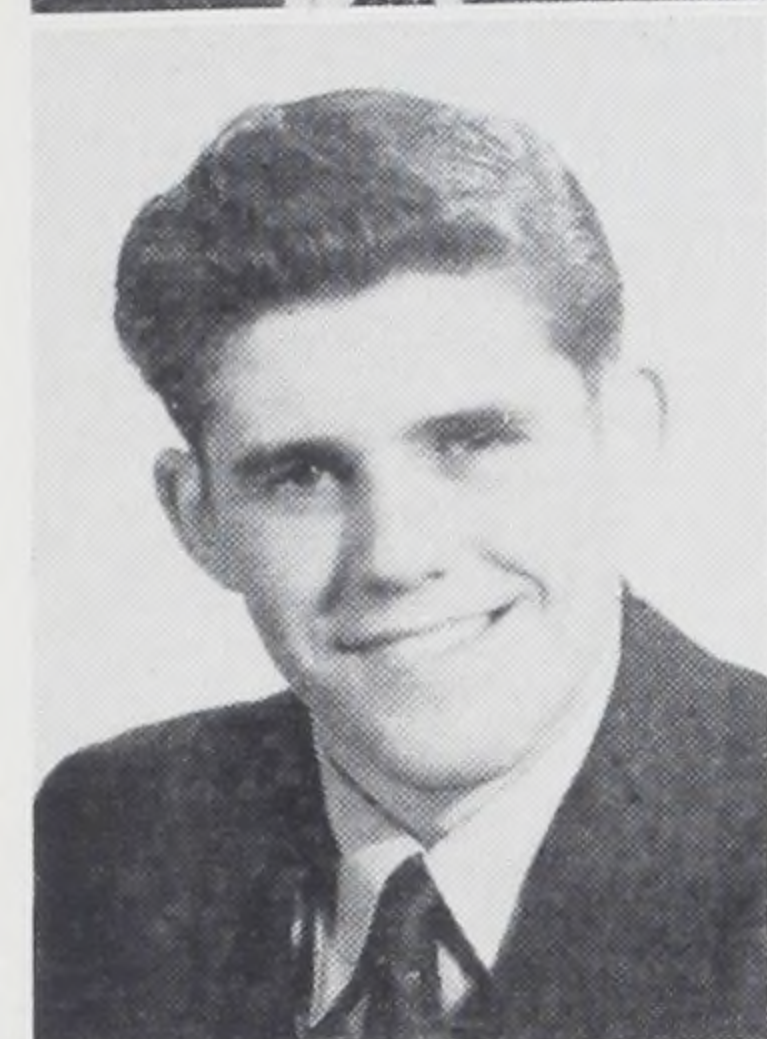
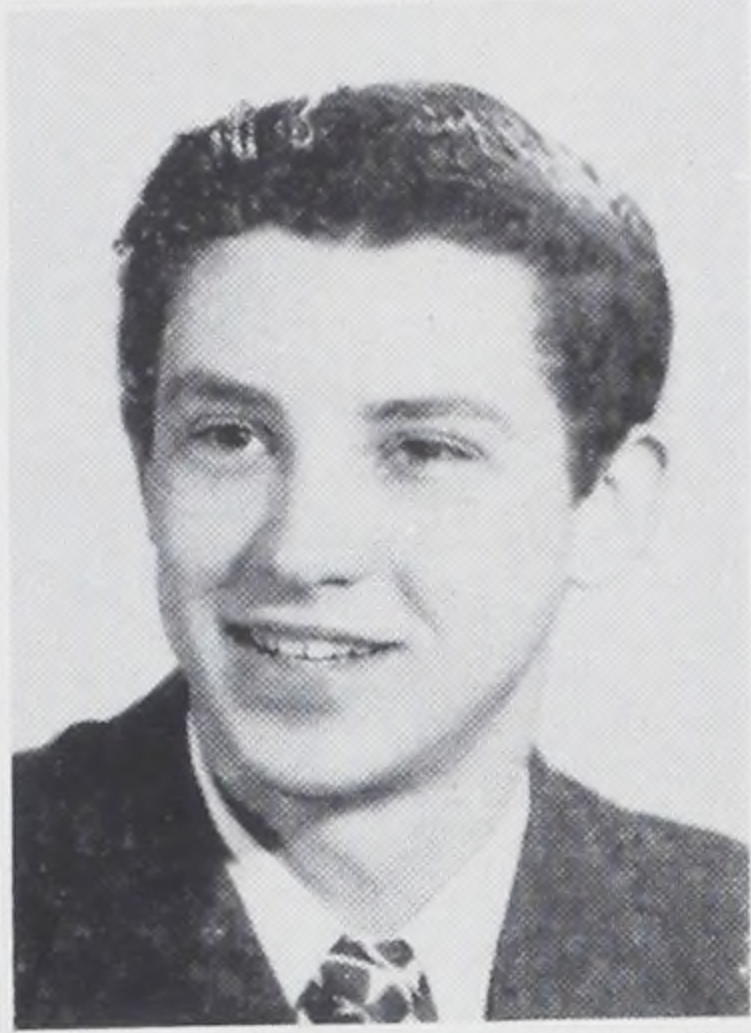
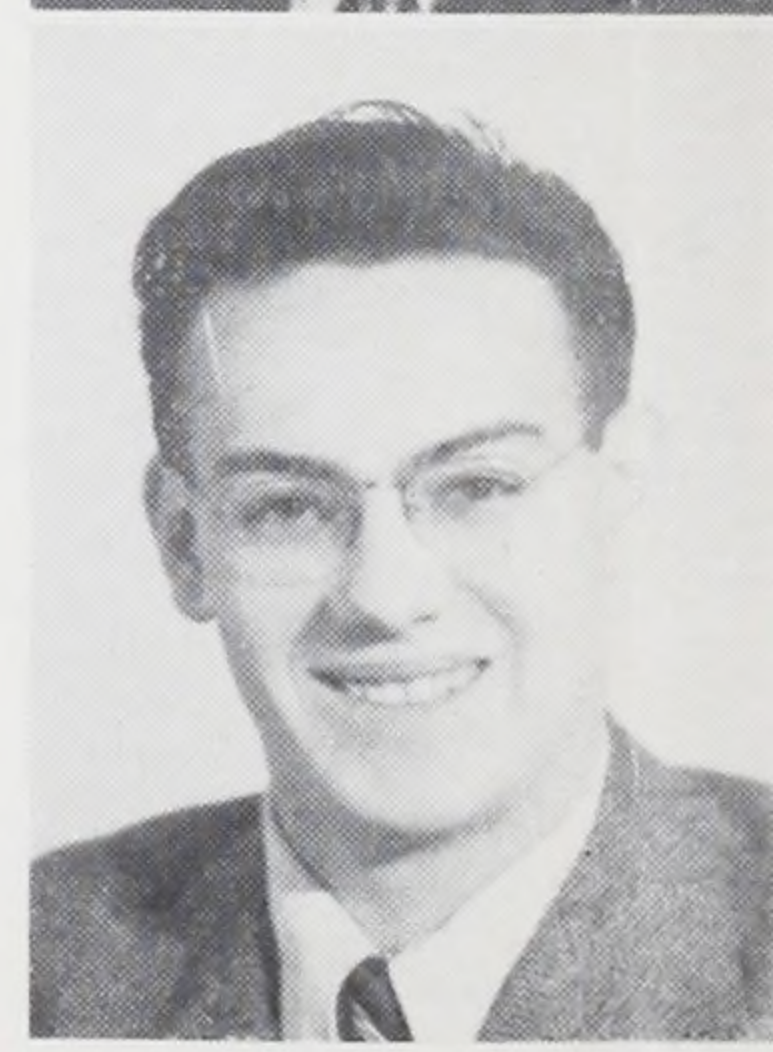
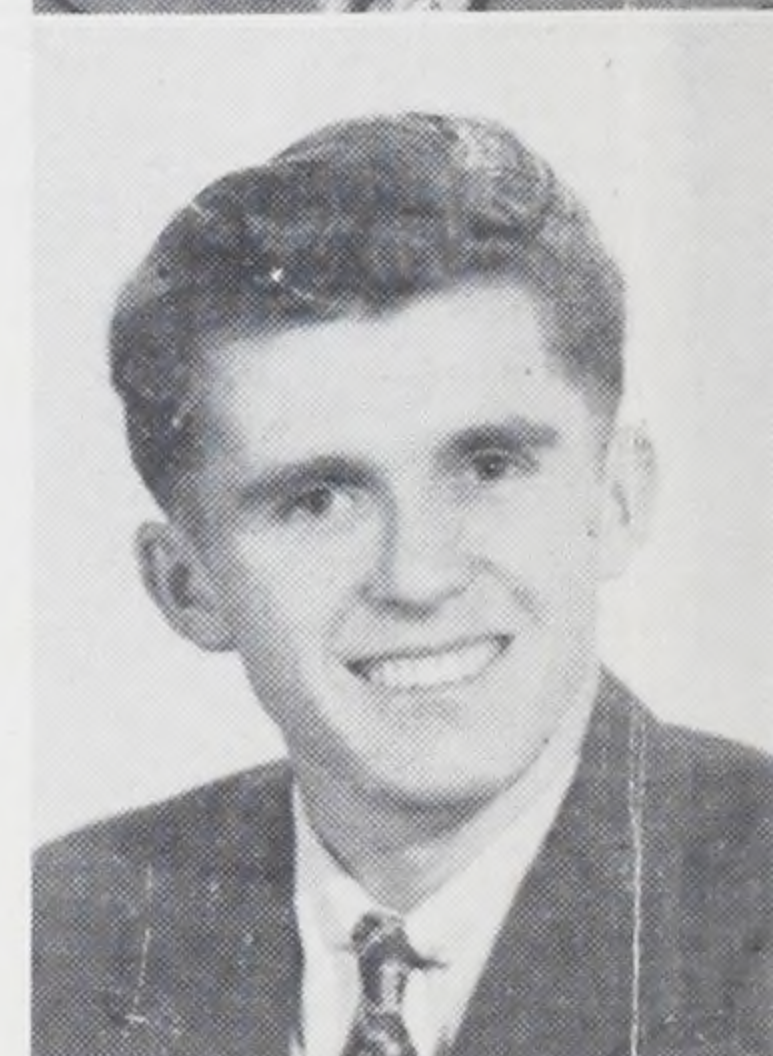
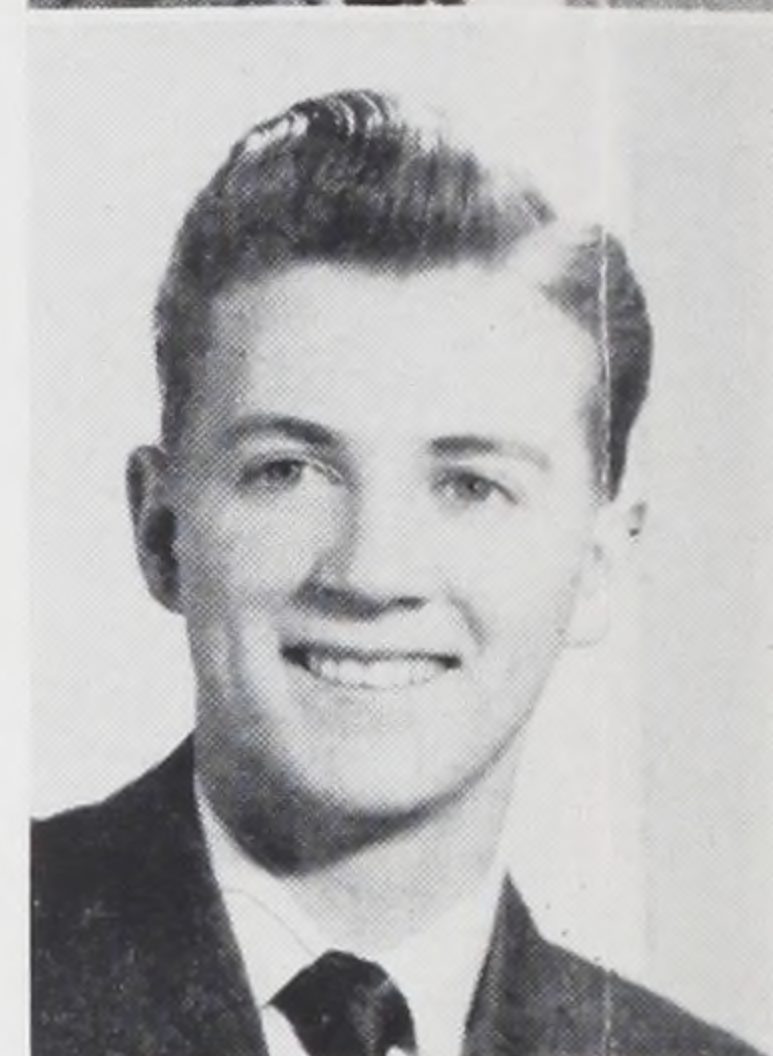
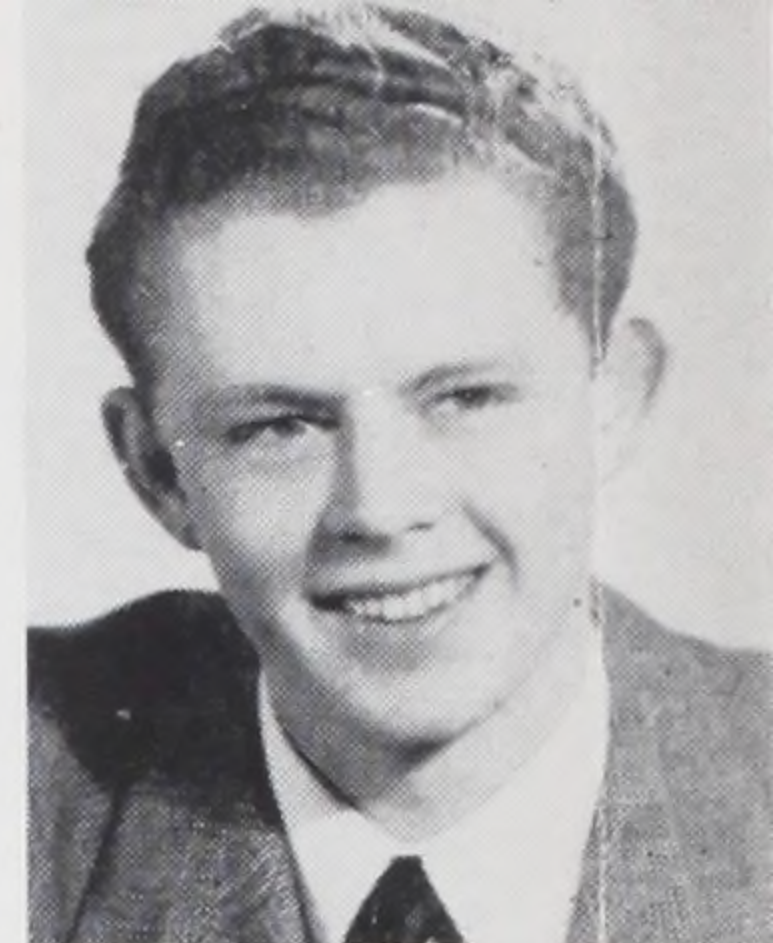
Technical Radio; Camera Club; Electric Club; Fire Squad; Minuteman; Ski Club; Swimming Club; Usher Corps; Tennis; Golf; Swimming; Skiing.

**MICKEY BERRY**

Technical Electric; secretary, president Minutemen; vice-president Roller Skating Club; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Cafeteria Cashiers.

**LEE BISHOP**

Technical Aviation; Band; Poly Steppers.







**ENRICO BONADUCE**

Vocational Machine; Safety Council; Junior and Varsity Track.

**LAWRENCE BONADUCE**

Vocational Machine; Safety Council; Junior and Varsity Track.

**REX BOWLES**

General.



**WILLIAM BOYER**

Technical Machine; Minutemen.

**STAN BOZICH**

General; sergeant-at-arms; Executive Board; lieutenant, captain Fire Squad; Hi-Y; Inter-Club Council; assistant chief Projection Booth; president Orange "B"; Patrol Squad; Junior and Varsity Baseball (Captain); All City Ice Hockey.

**EARL BRAND**

Technical Mechanical; Usher Corps.



**WAYNE E. BRANIN**

Technical Electrical; Minuteman; Roller Skating Club; Swimming Club; Cafeteria Cashier; Junior and Varsity Cross-Country; Junior and Varsity Track.

**DWIGHT BROWN**

Technical Sheet Metal; Band; Executive Board; lieutenant, captain, chief Fire Squad; treasurer Hi-Y; Minutemen; treasurer Orange "B"; Patrol Squad; Junior and Varsity Football; Junior and Varsity Basketball; Junior and Varsity Track; Player of the Week; Cafeteria Cashiers; Class Captain.

**LESLIE BUSBY**

General; Glee Club.



**EARL BUSS**

Technical Machine; Bronze Scholarship Pin.

**WILLIAM CARROLL**

General.

**CALVIN CARVER**

General.



**GERALD CHADBURN**

Technical Aviation; Executive Board; Fire Squad; Vice-president, secretary Hi-Y; Minuteman; business manager Poly Tech Staff; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Junior and Varsity Baseball.

**CHARLES CHANEY**

Technical Aviation.

**FLOYD CHAPMAN**

Technical Machine.



**DON CHRISTY**

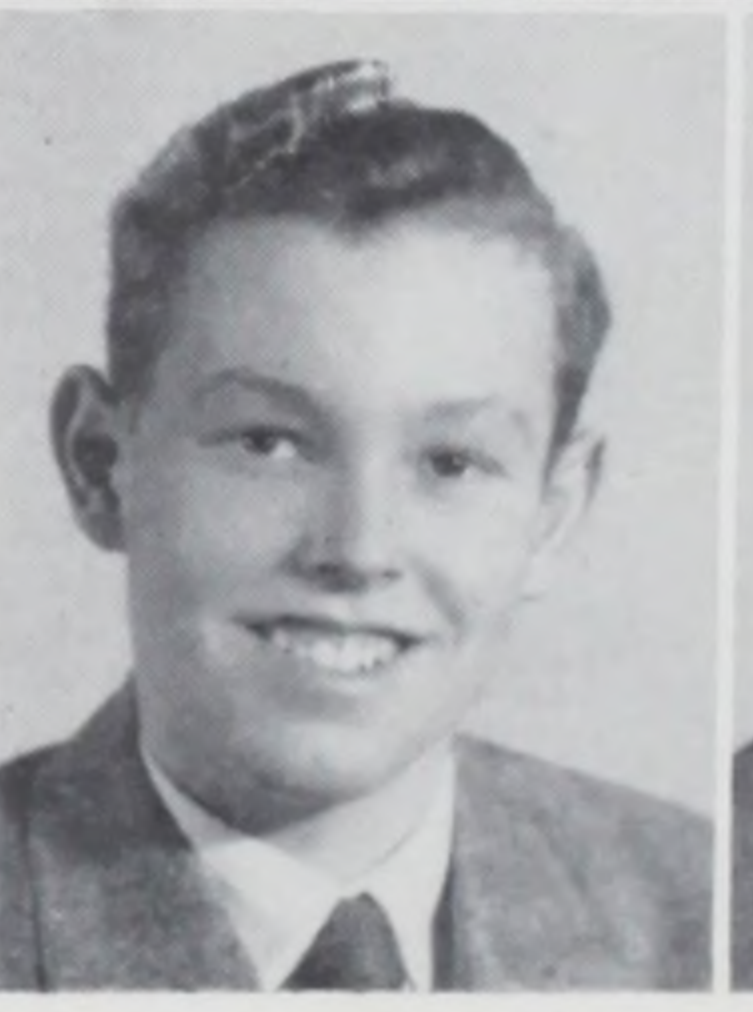
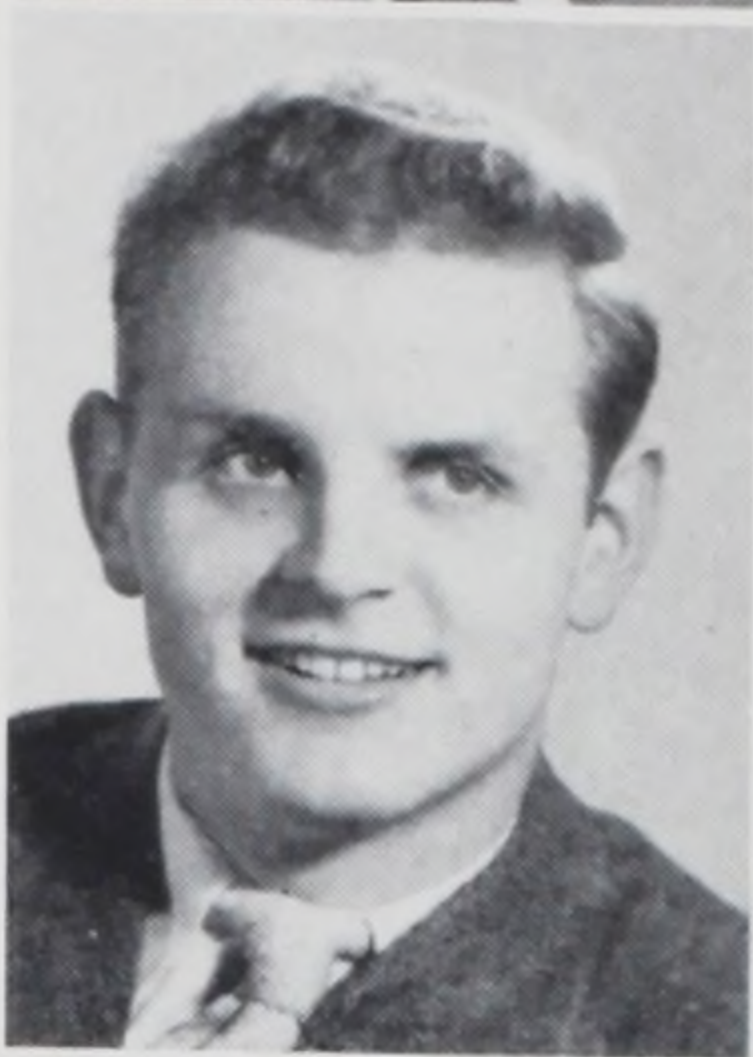
General.

**WILLIAM CHURCH**

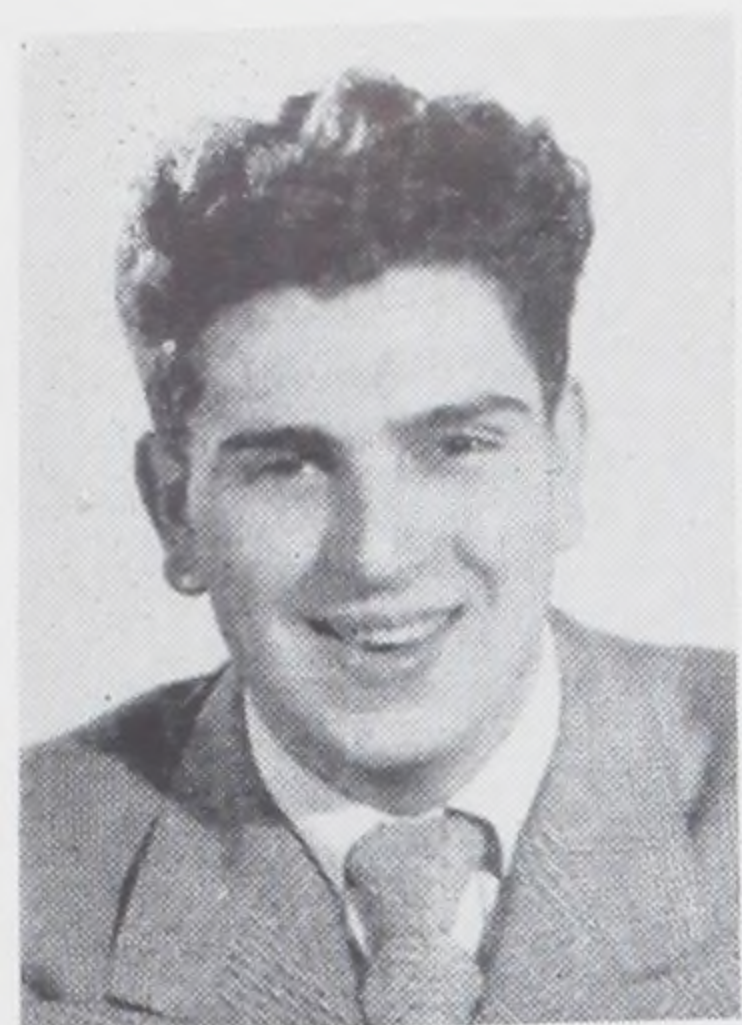
General; Minuteman.

**ROBERT CLEMENTS**

Technical Sheet Metal; Executive Board; Fire Squad; secretary Hi-Y; Student Body Secretary; Inter-Club Council; Minutemen; sergeant-at-arms Orange "B"; Bronze, Silver, Gold, Special Gold Scholarship Pins; Junior and Varsity Football; Junior and Varsity Track; Junior Basketball; Safety Council.



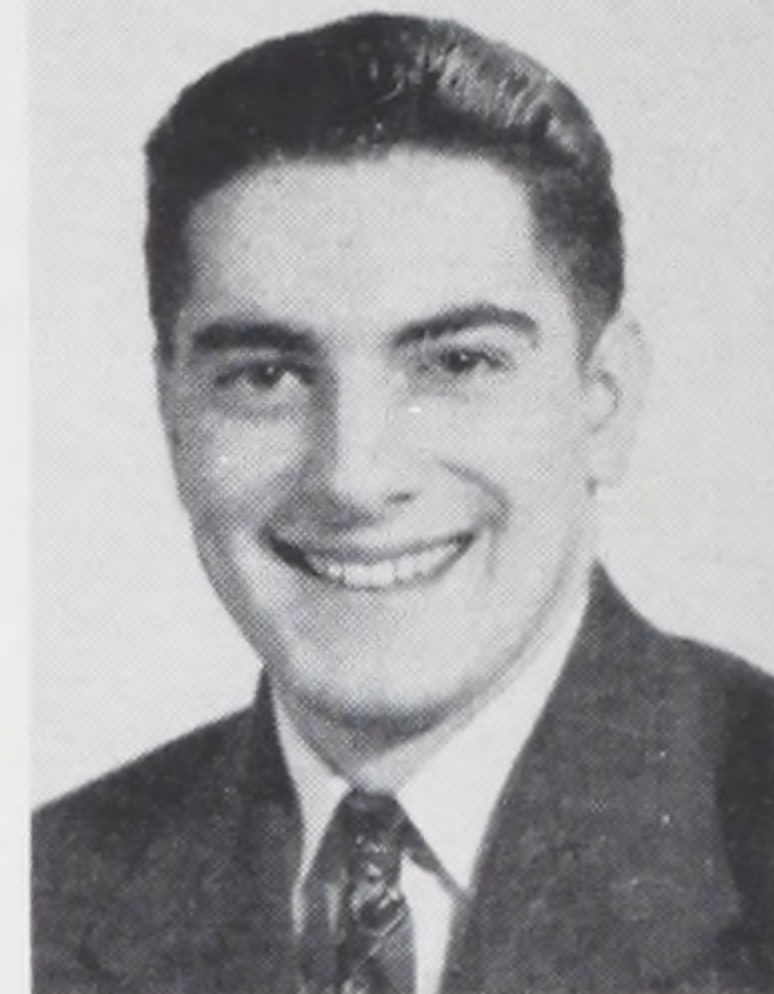




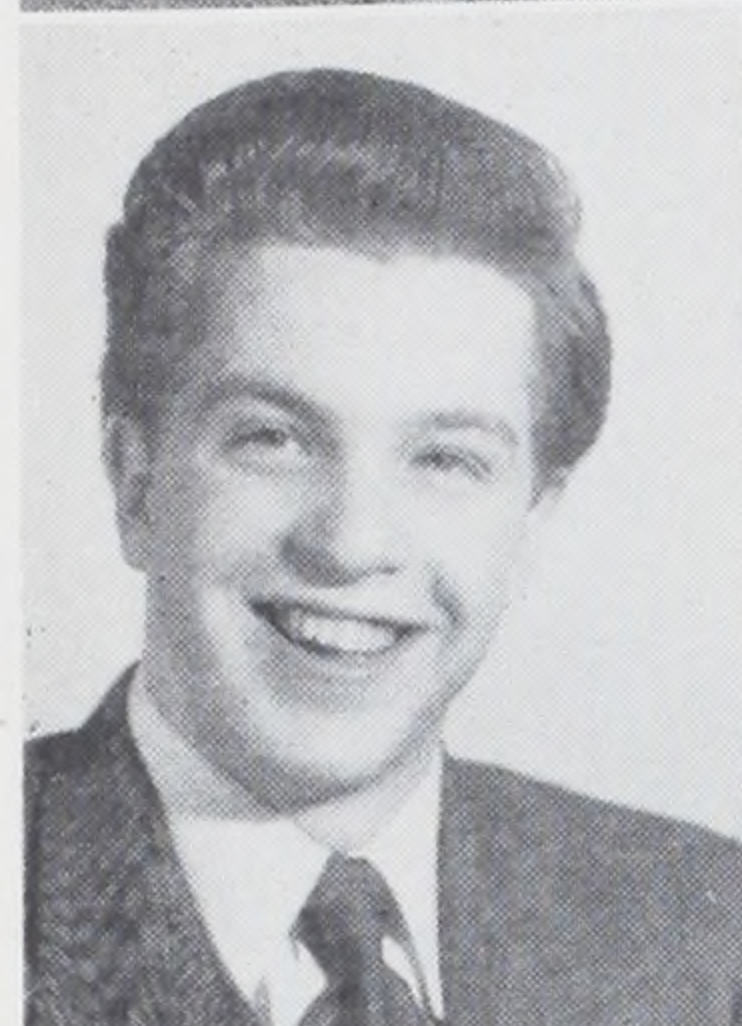
**JOSEPH COLISTRO**  
General; Cavaliers; Fire Squad; Inter-Club Council;  
Minuteman; sergeant-at-arms, president Optimists;  
Radio Actors Guild.



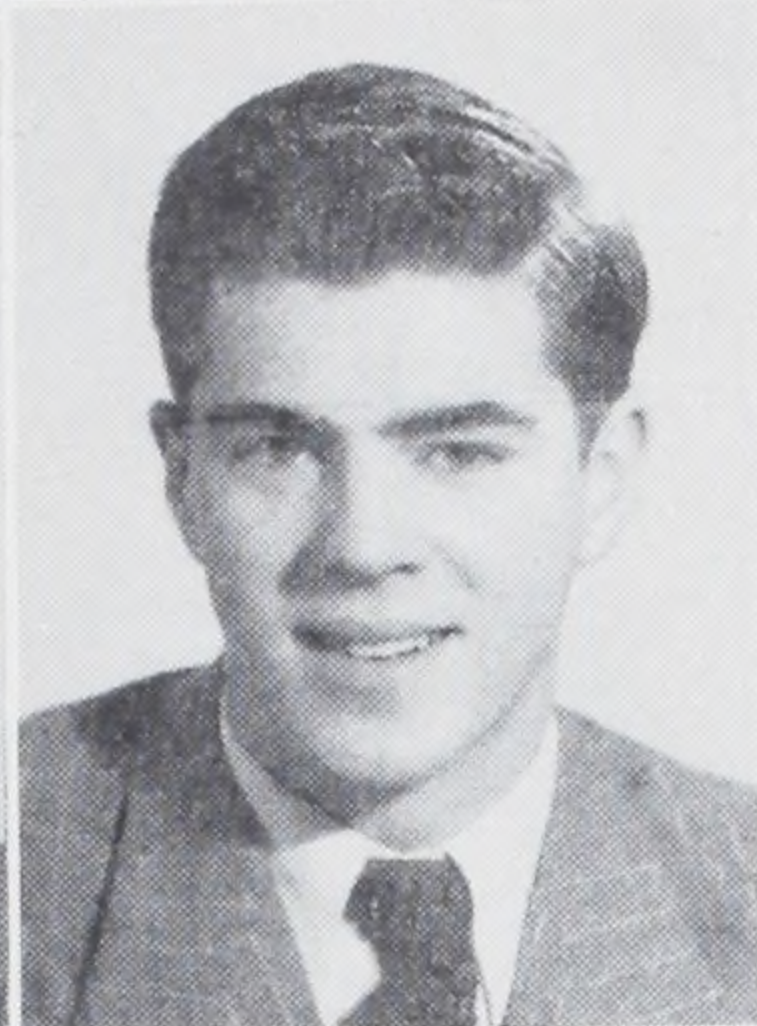
**THOMAS COOK**  
General.



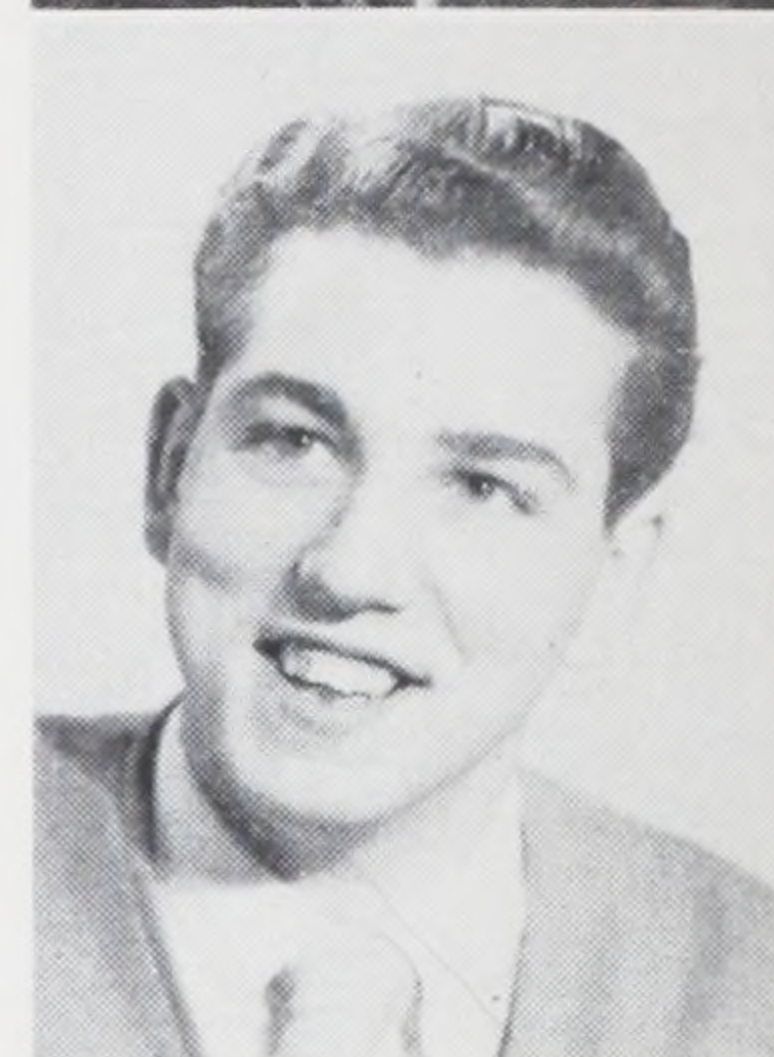
**BRUNIE COTONZARITI**  
Technical Gas Engine; lieutenant Fire Squad; Orange  
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ball Manager.



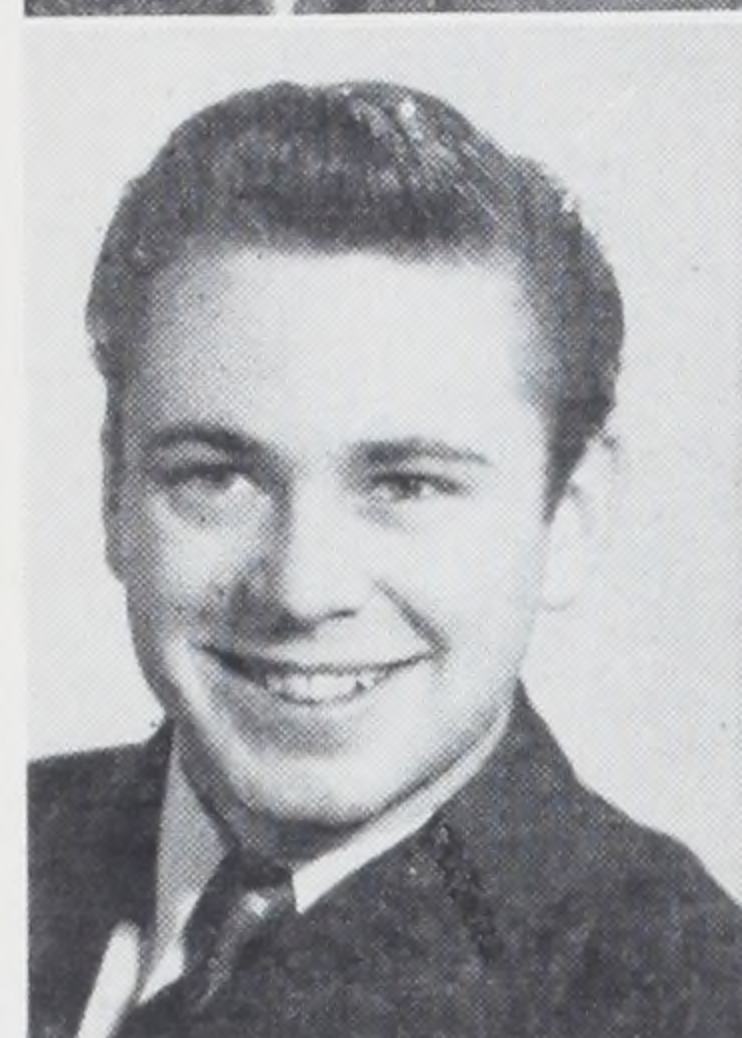
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Technical Machine; Minuteman; Junior Football.



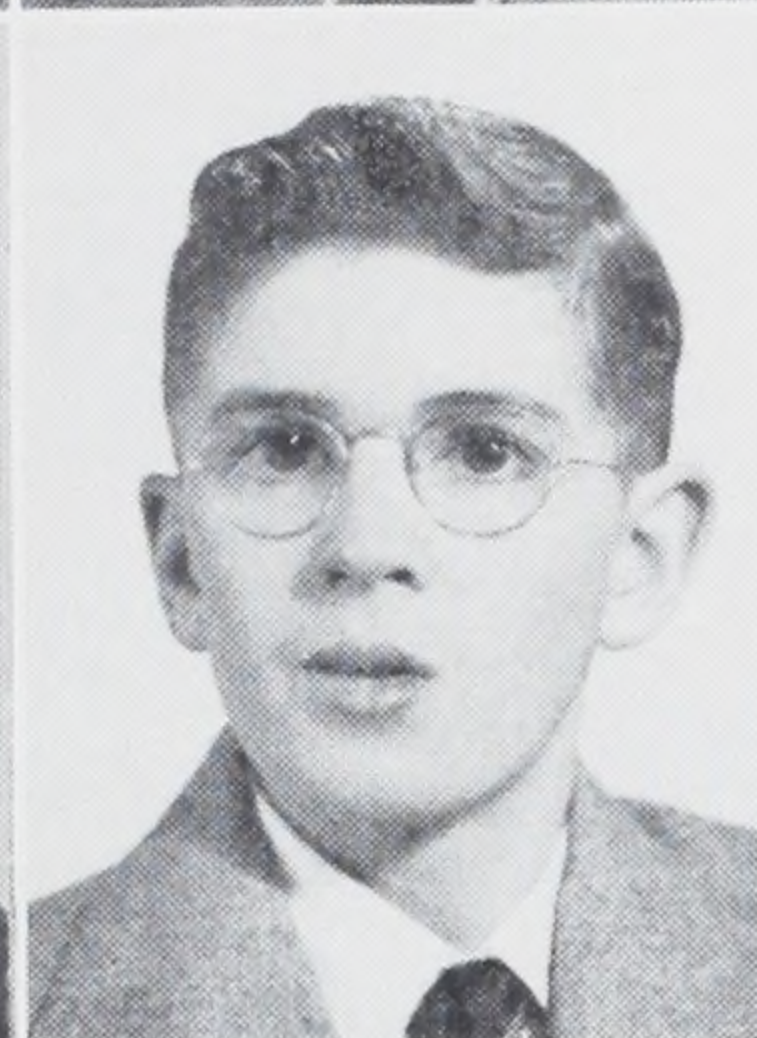
**ROBERT CURRY**  
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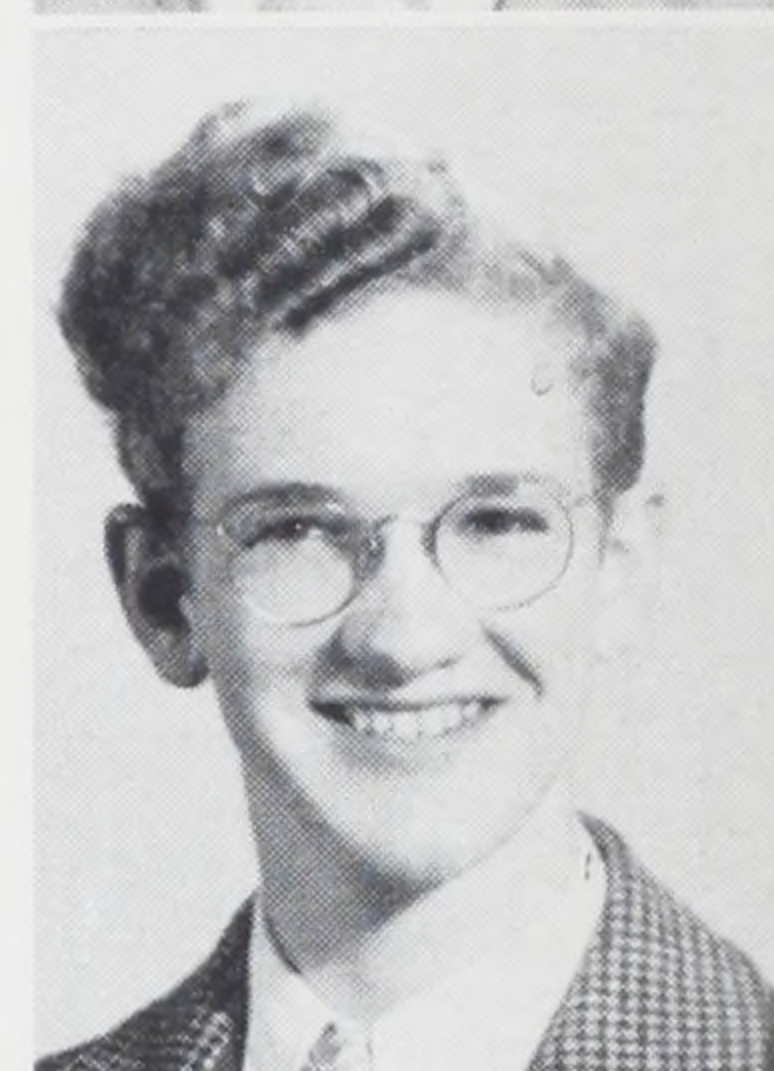
**EVERETT DALE**  
General; sergeant-at-arms, secretary, vice-president,  
president Defendre Ipse; Inter-Club Council; Poly Step-  
pers; Roller Skating Club; Class Captain.



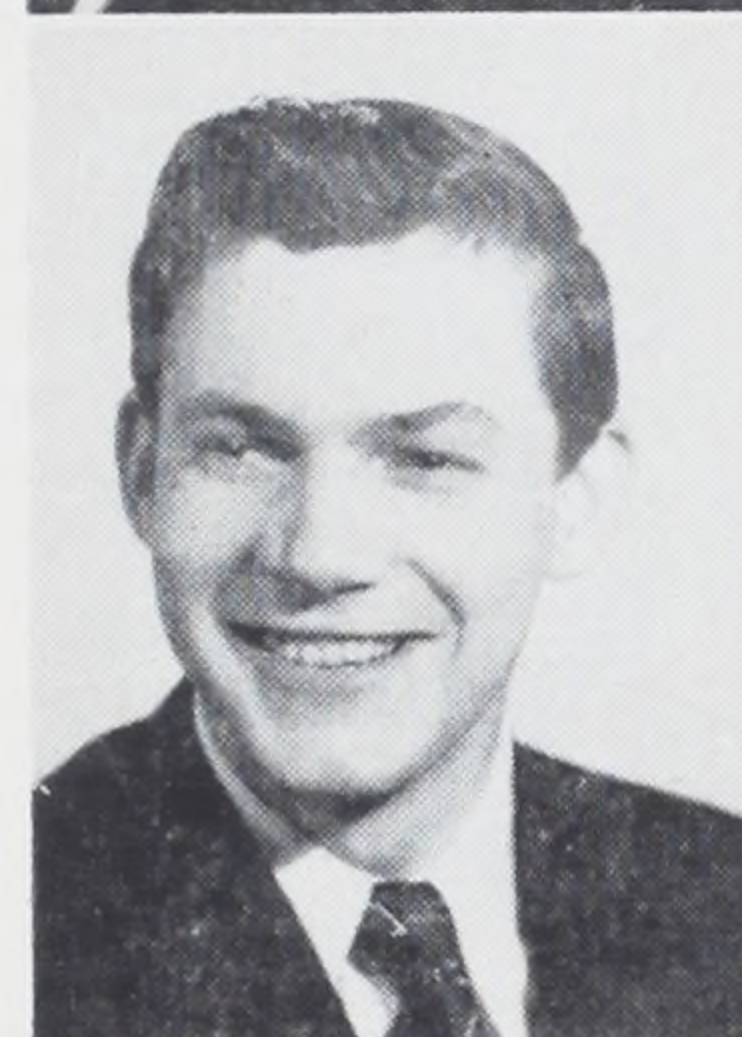
**JOHNE E. DANNENMANN**  
Technical Radio; School Store; Bronze, Silver, Gold  
Scholarship Pins; Senior Class Treasurer.



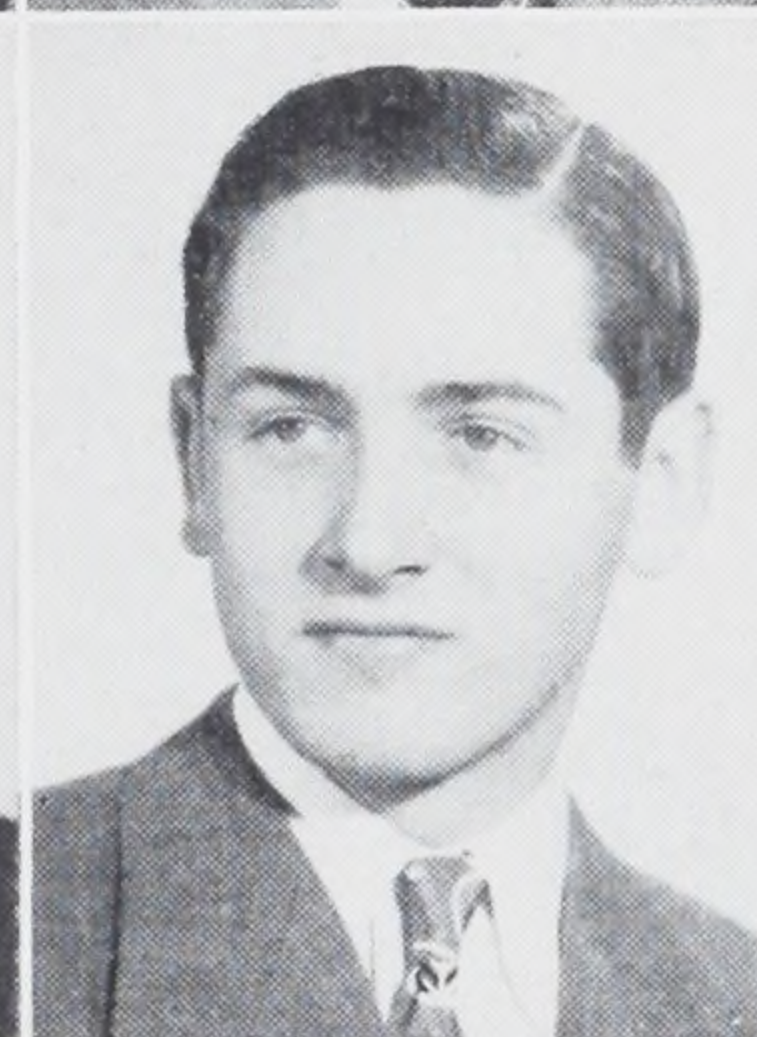
**DONALD R. DAVIDSON**  
Technical Aviation; Defendre Ipse; Cross-Country;  
Track.



**WESTLEY DIX**  
Technical Radio; Band; Electric Club; KBPS Staff;  
Radio Club; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins.



**WARREN DIXON**  
Technical Electric; Silver Scholarship Pin.



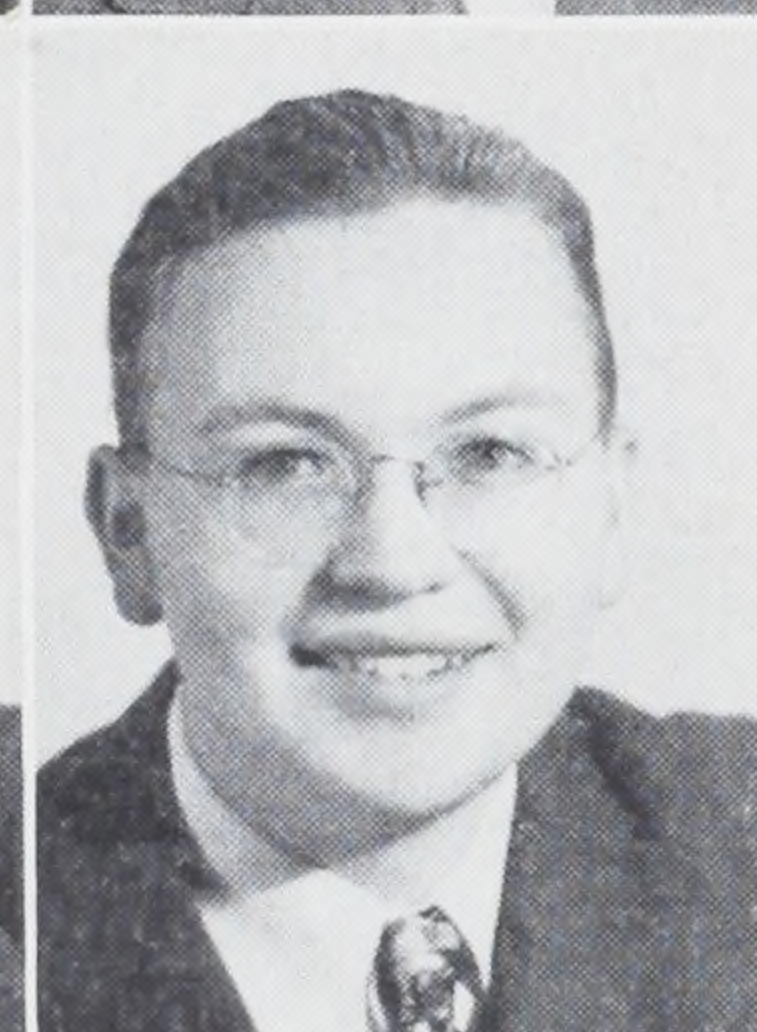
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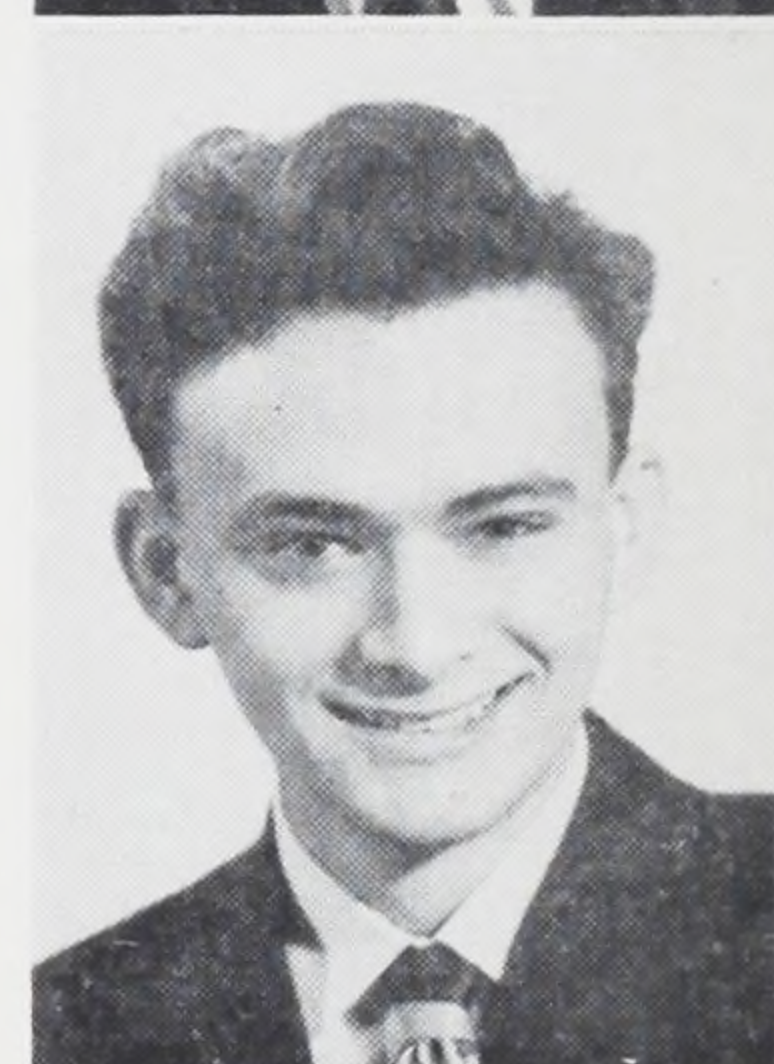
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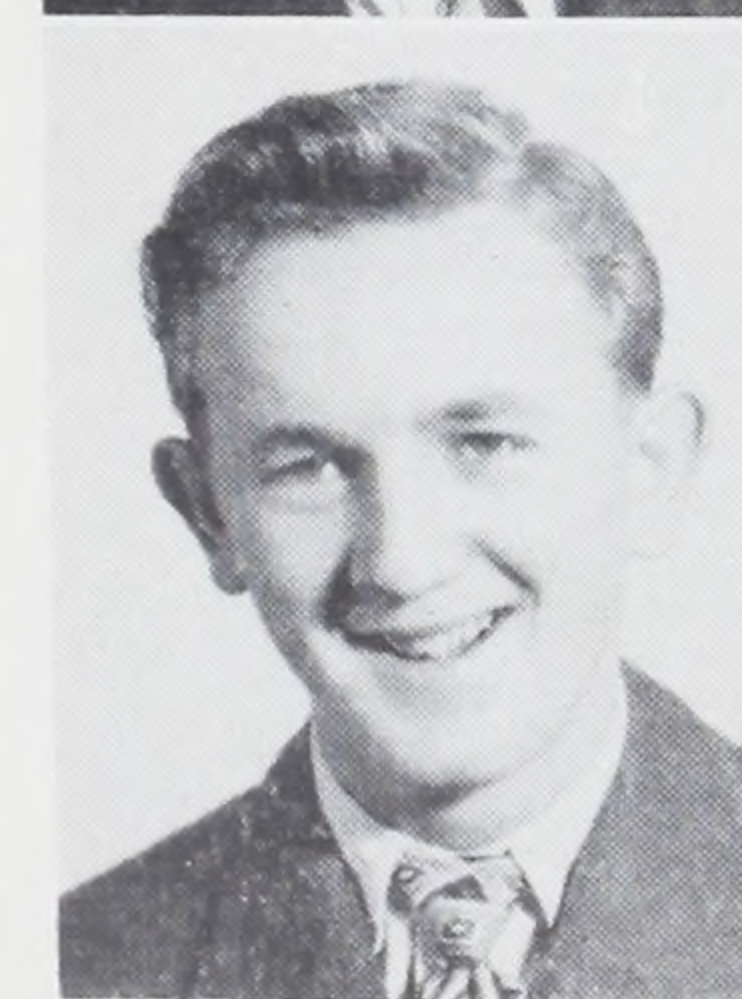
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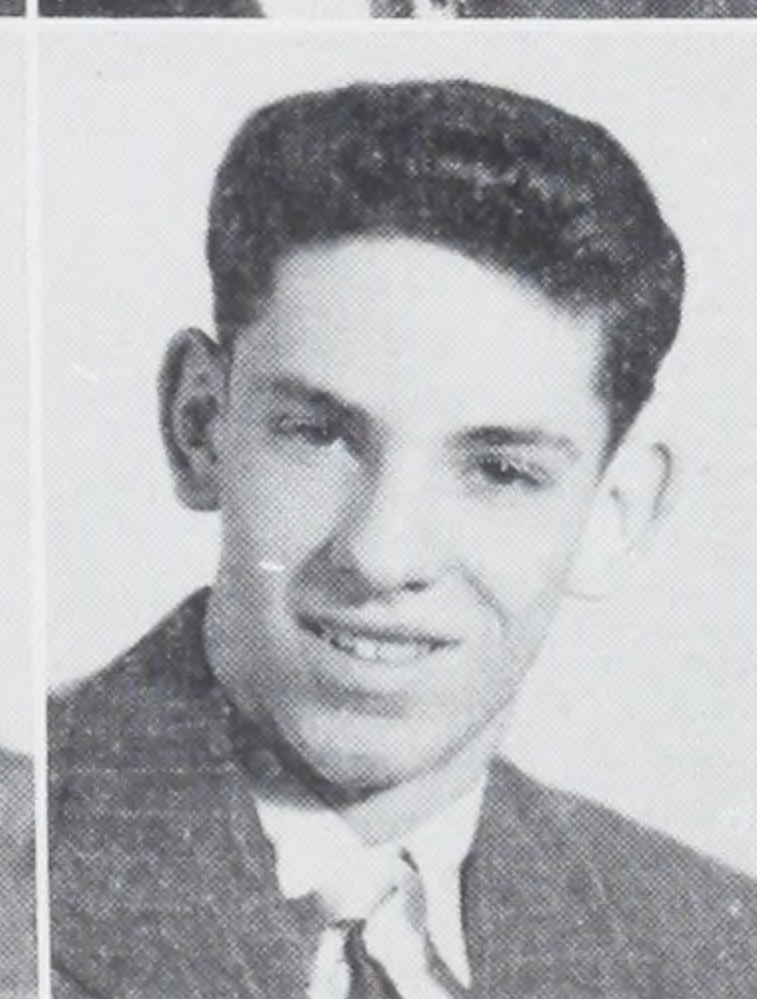
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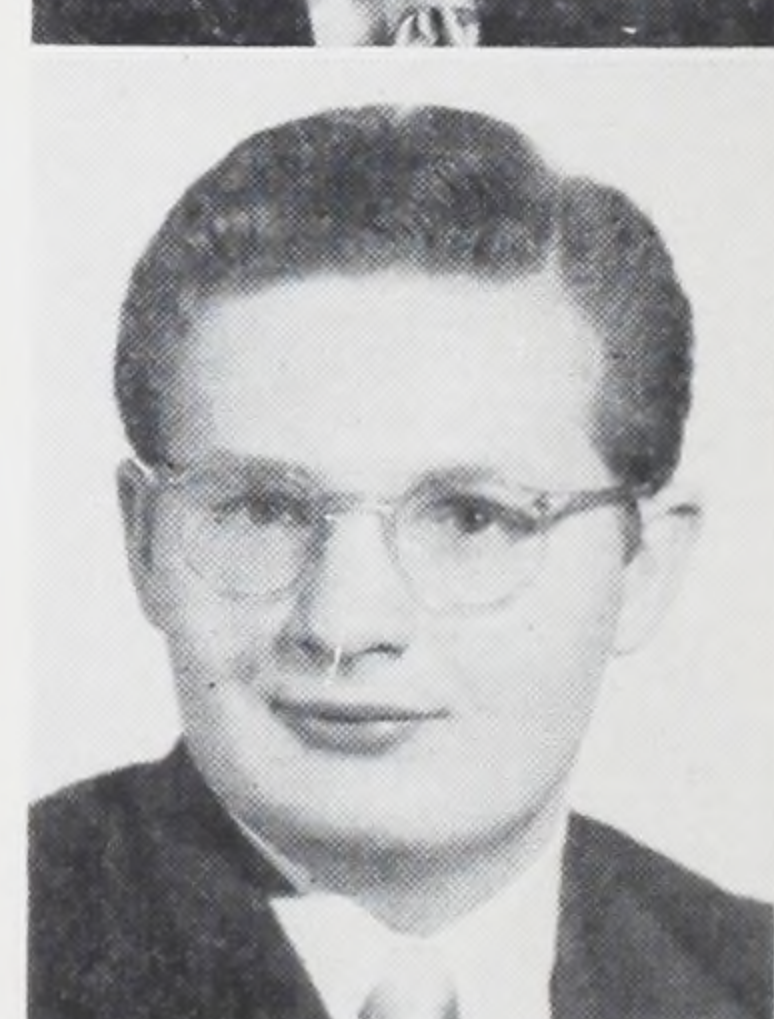
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**ROBERT FIEDLER**  
Technical Mechanical Drawing.





**EDWARD FIELDER**  
General.

**CHARLES FIELDHOUSE**  
Technical Blacksmith; Fire Squad; treasurer Safety Council; Stage Crew.

**JOHN FORNEY**  
Vocational Gas Engine.

**LESTER FORNEY**  
Technical Building Construction; Candy Stand; Executive Board; Fire Squad; Hi-Y; Minuteman; president Orange "B"; Varsity Baseball; Cafeteria Cashiers; Ben-Ja-Fors; sergeant-at-arms Senior Class.

**DAVID FRANZEL**  
Technical Electrical; Band.

**BILL GALLAGHER**  
Technical Aviation; Minuteman; Bronze Scholarship Pin.

**GLENN GARFIELD**  
Technical Electric; Electric Club; lieutenant, captain Fire Squad; Usher Corps; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.

**RICHARD GARLAND**  
Technical Building Construction; treasurer Architectural Club; Chess Club; Optimists.

**WALTER GEE**  
Technical Radio; Electric Club; Equipment Room Manager.

**THOMAS GIBBY**  
Technical Mechanical.

**HUGH GOBLER**  
Technical Radio; sergeant-at-arms Beta Sigma Delta; Electric Club; Fire Squad; Minuteman; Class Captain; Poly Tech Staff.

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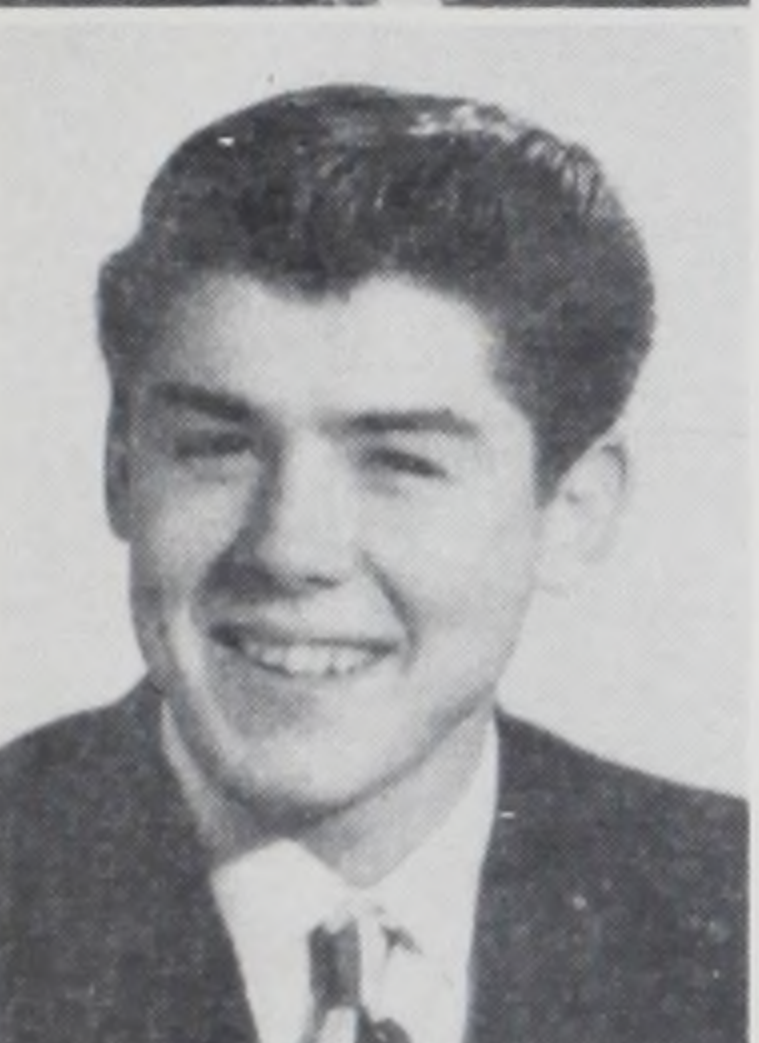
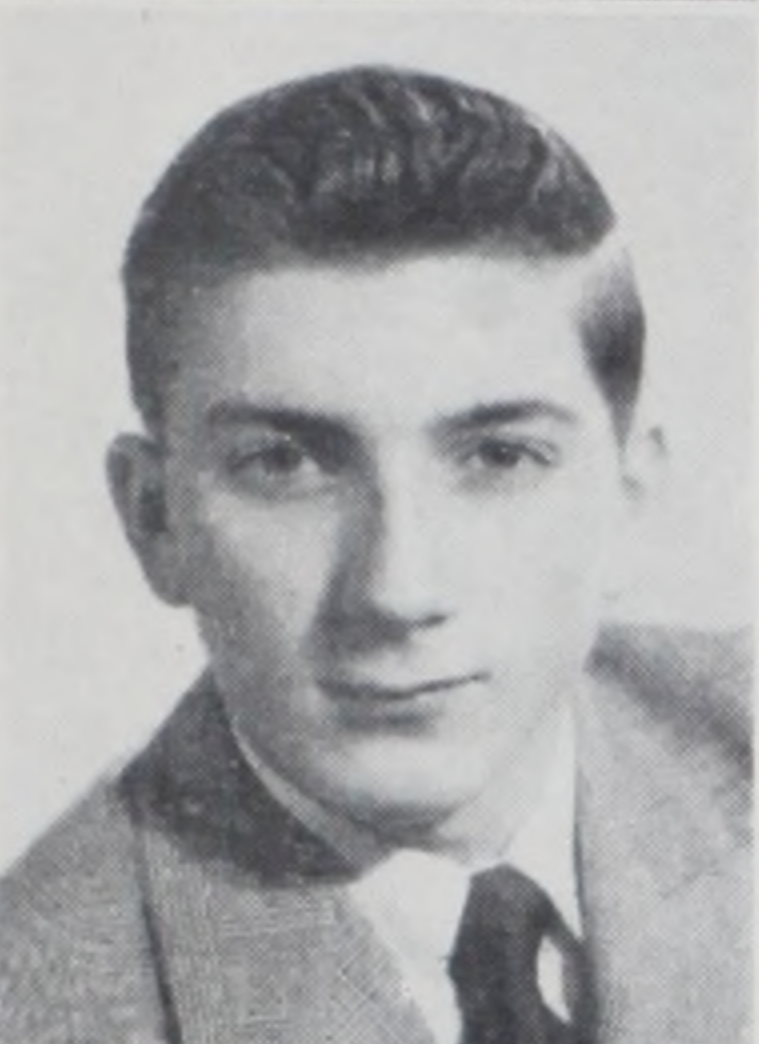
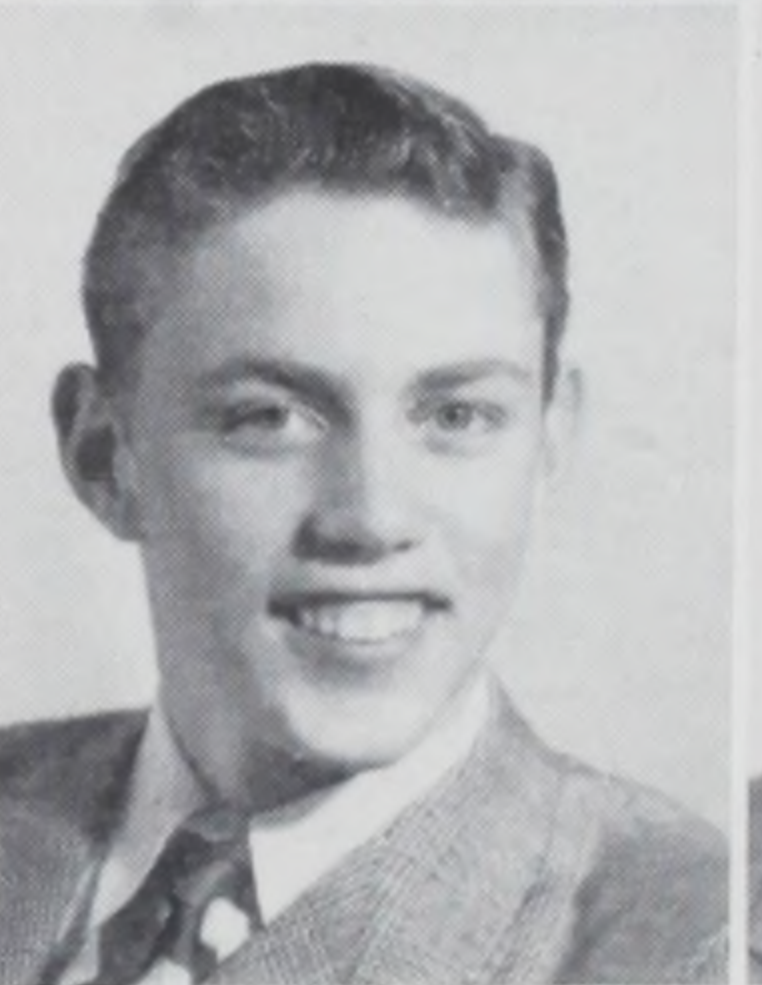
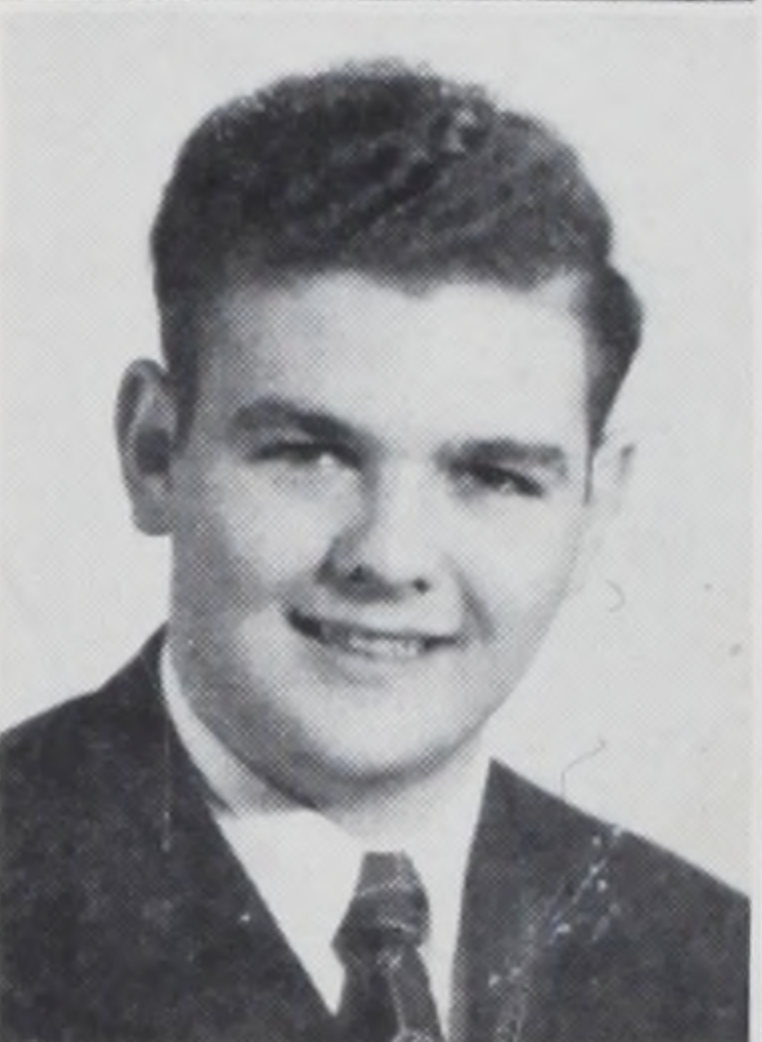
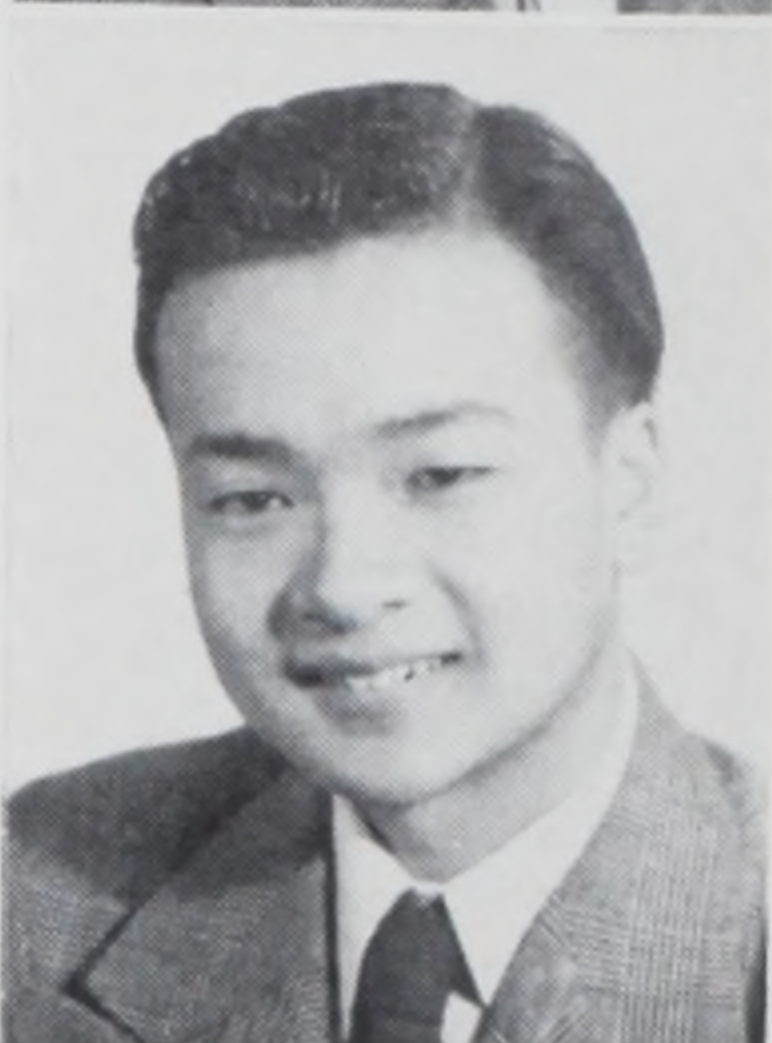
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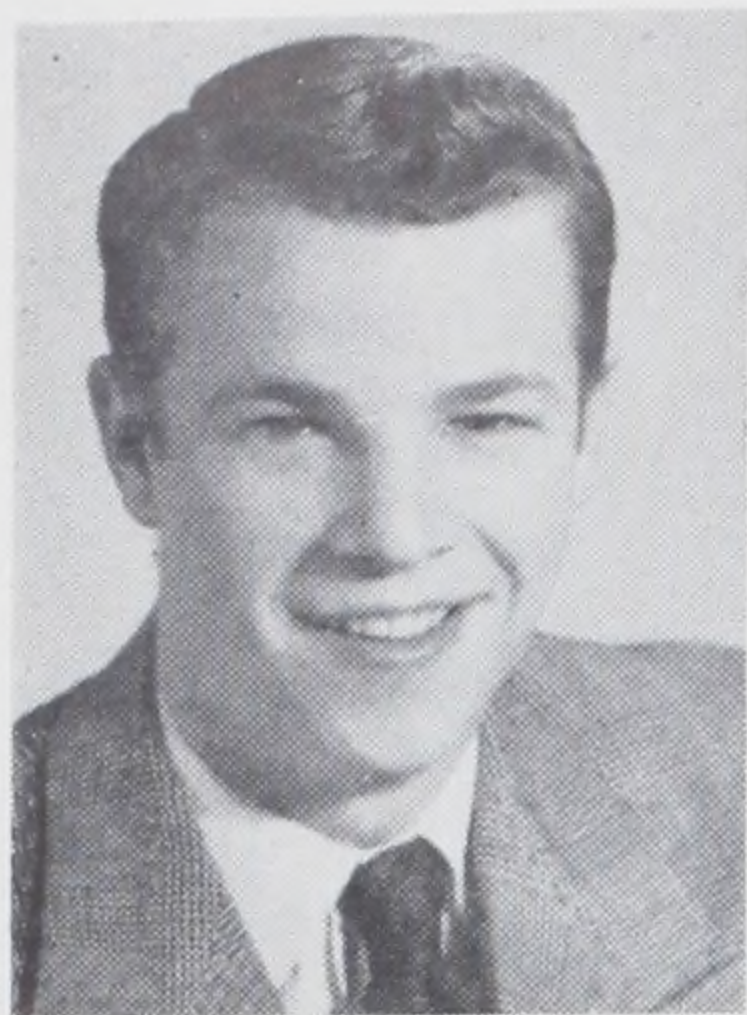
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General; secretary, president Beta Sigma Delta; Bowling Club; president Chess Club; Electric Club; Fire Squad; Inter-Club Council; Minuteman; Roller Skating Club; Club Editor Tech Pep.

**ED HANSEN**  
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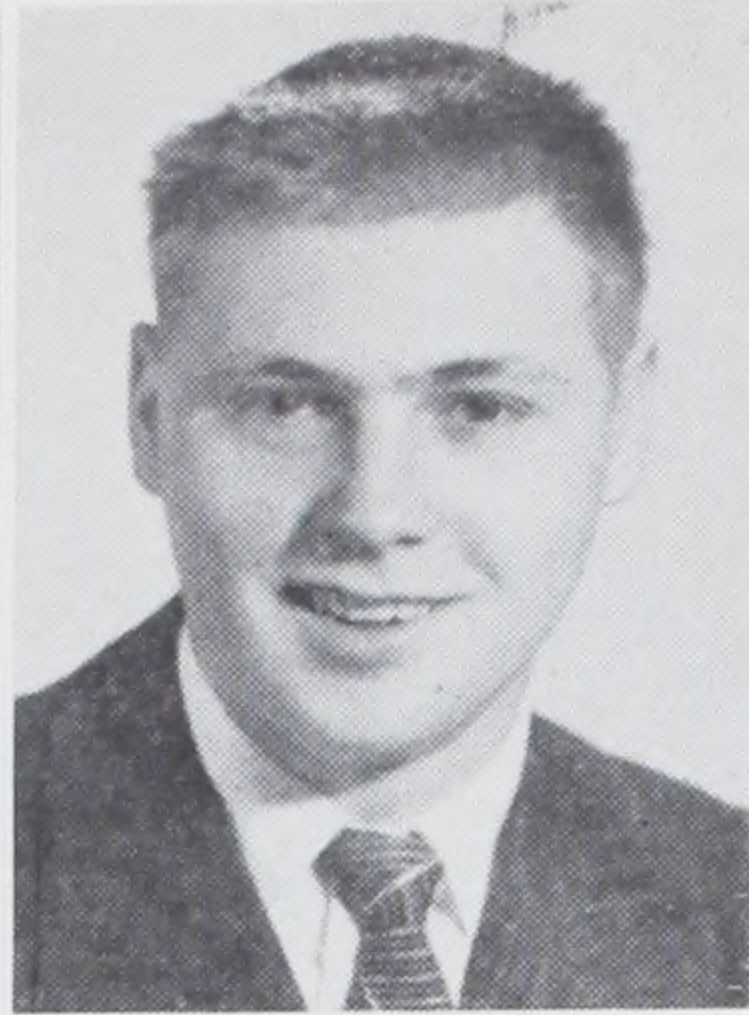
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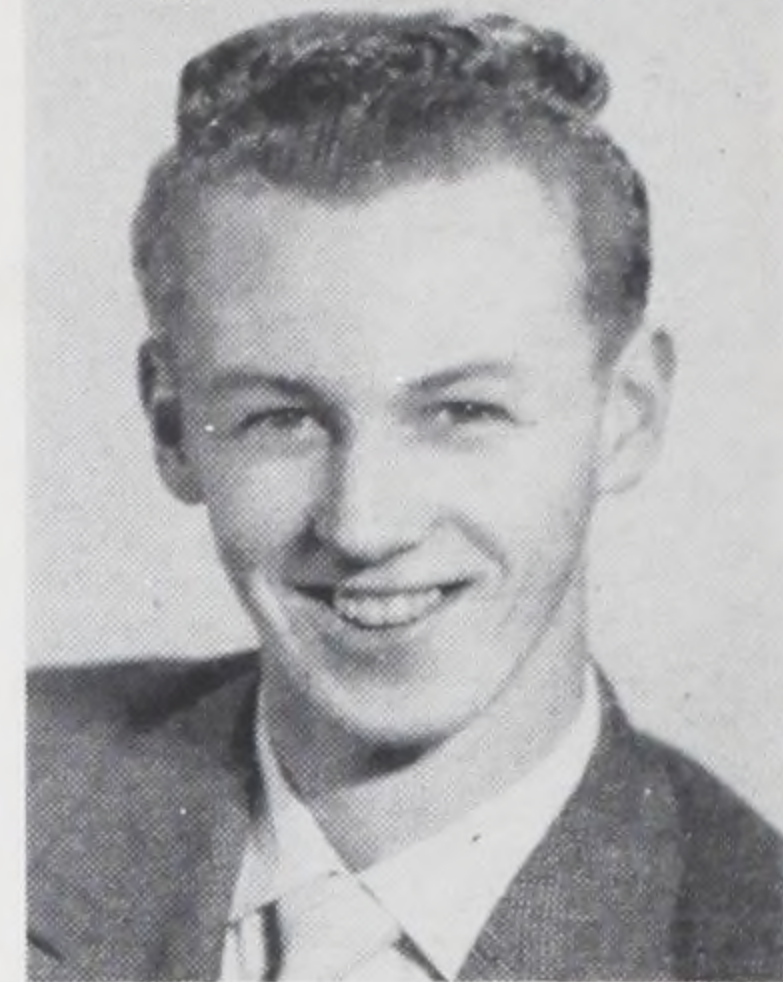


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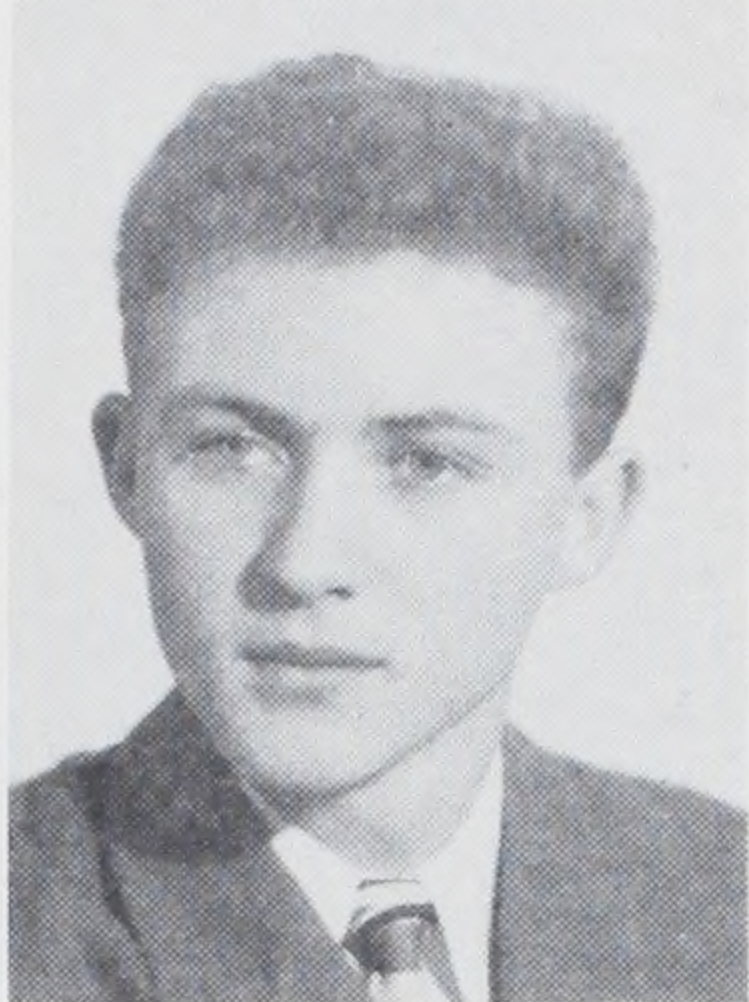
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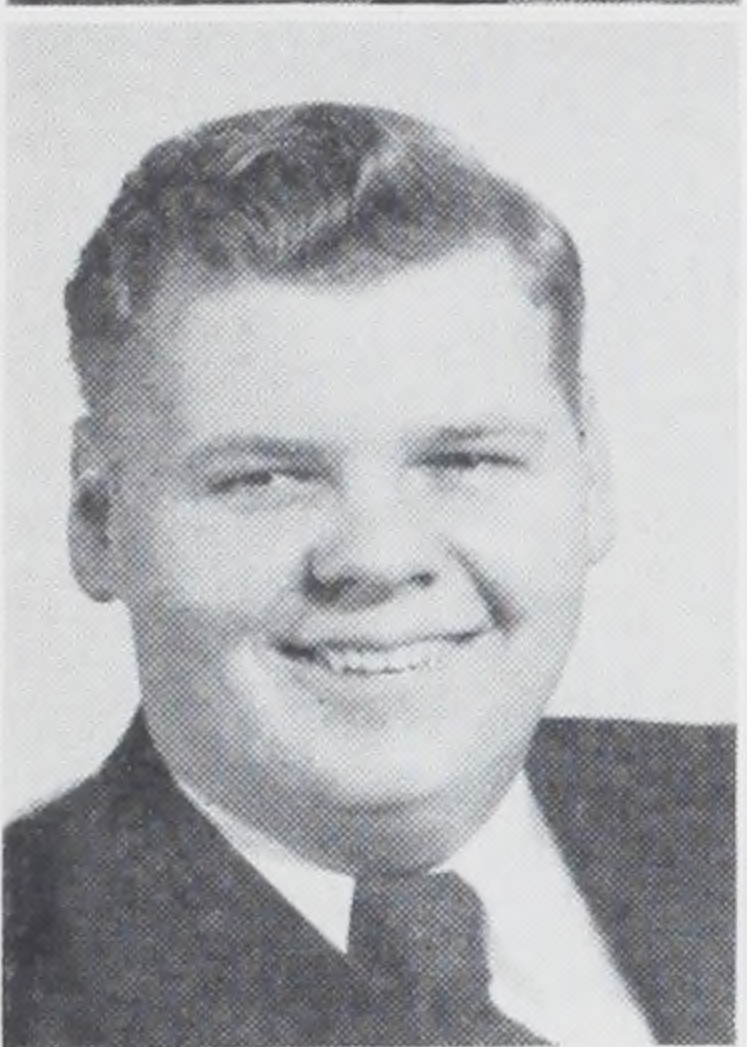
Technical Aviation; Hockey; Track.

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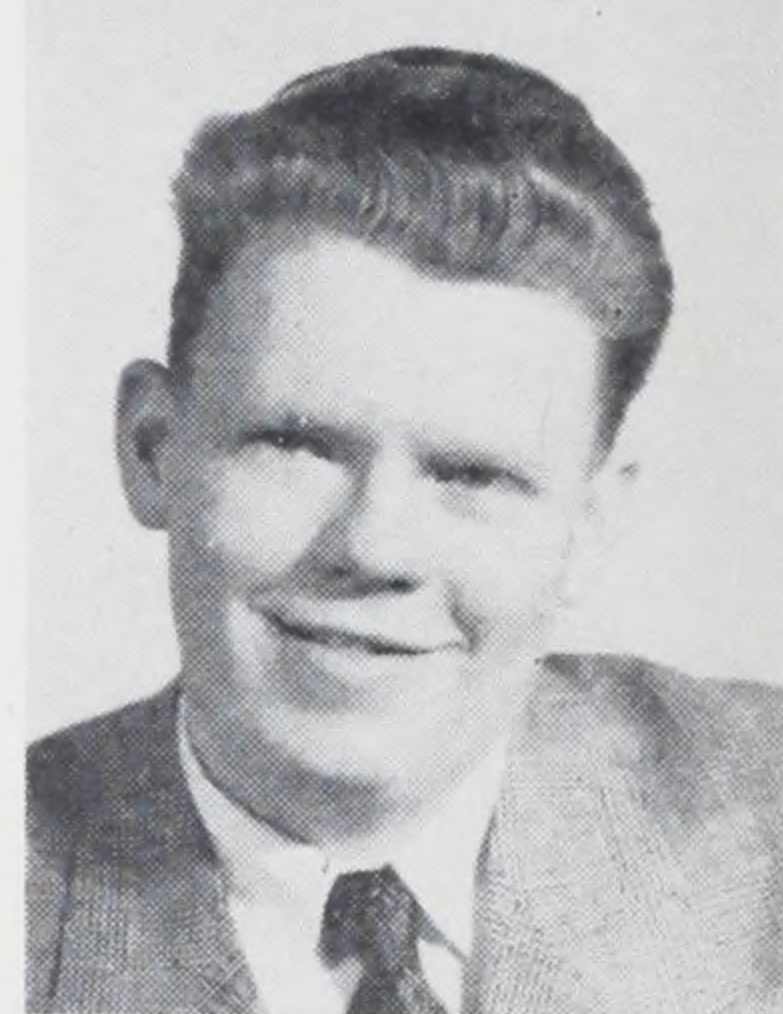
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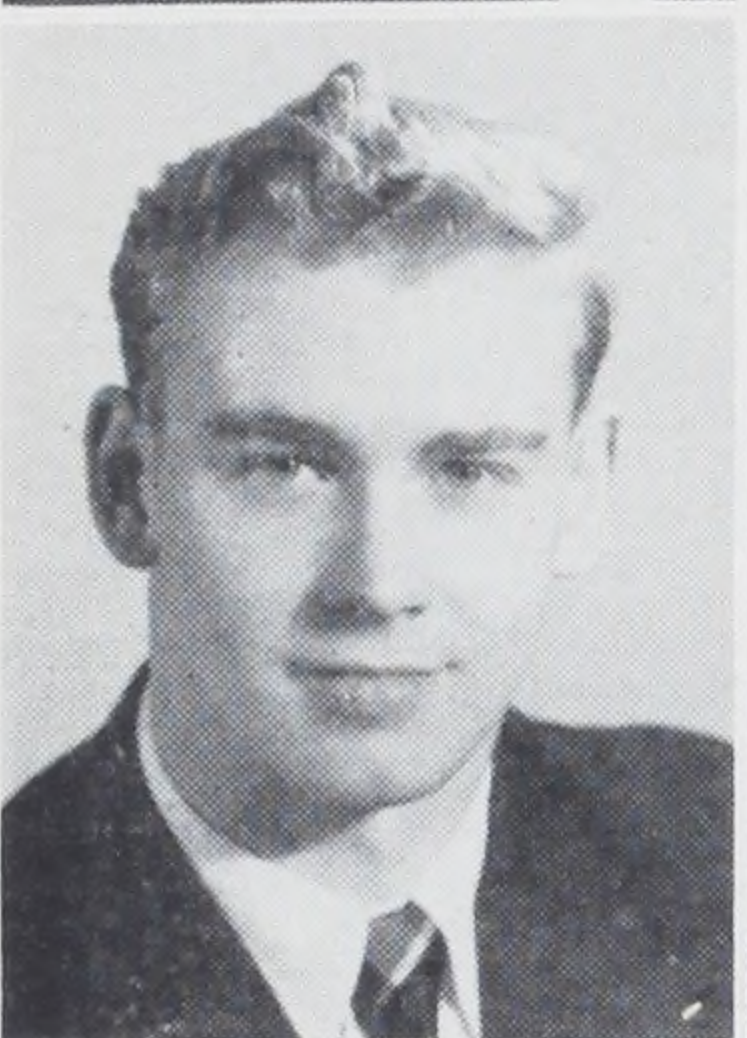
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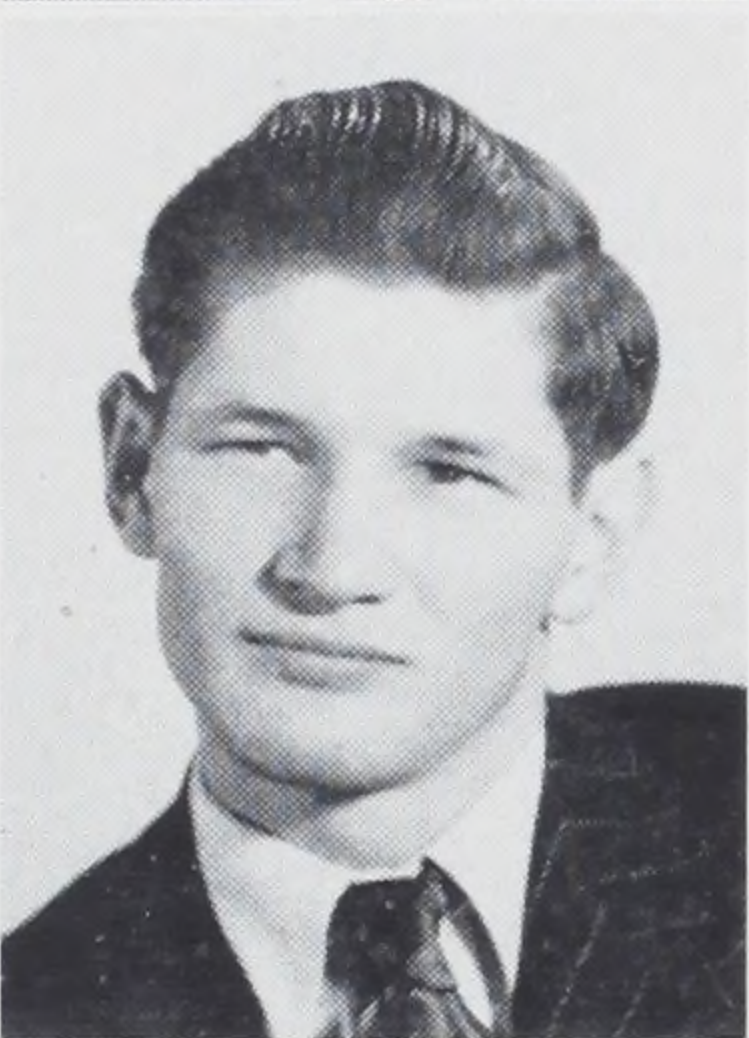
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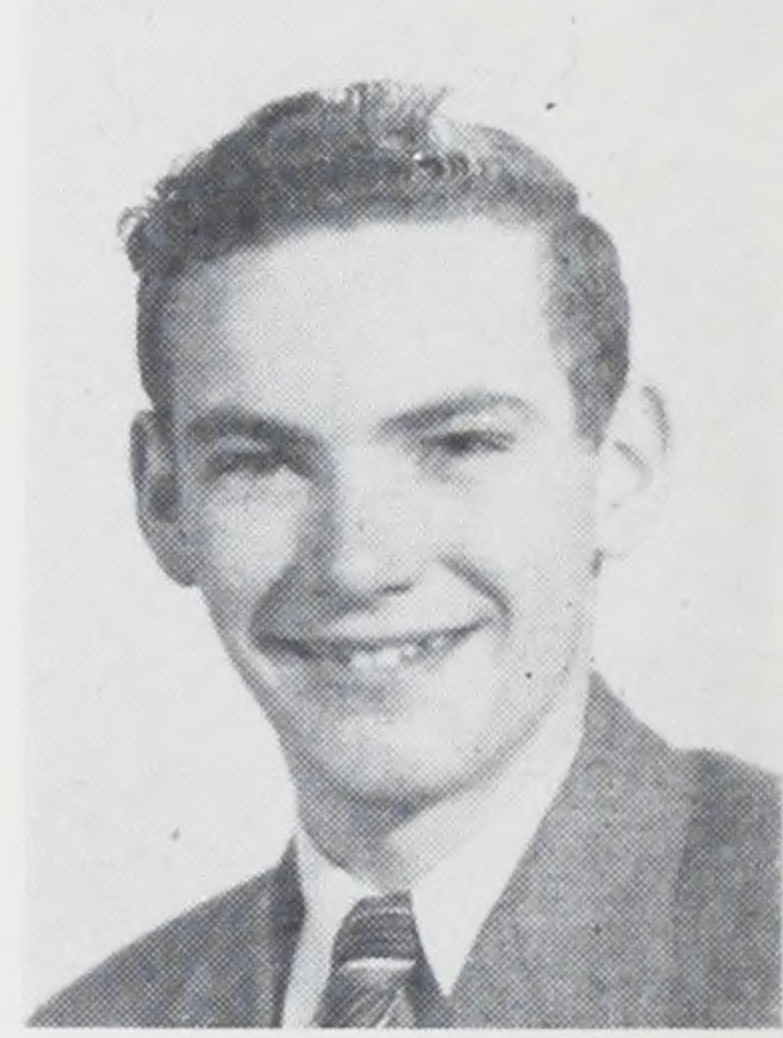
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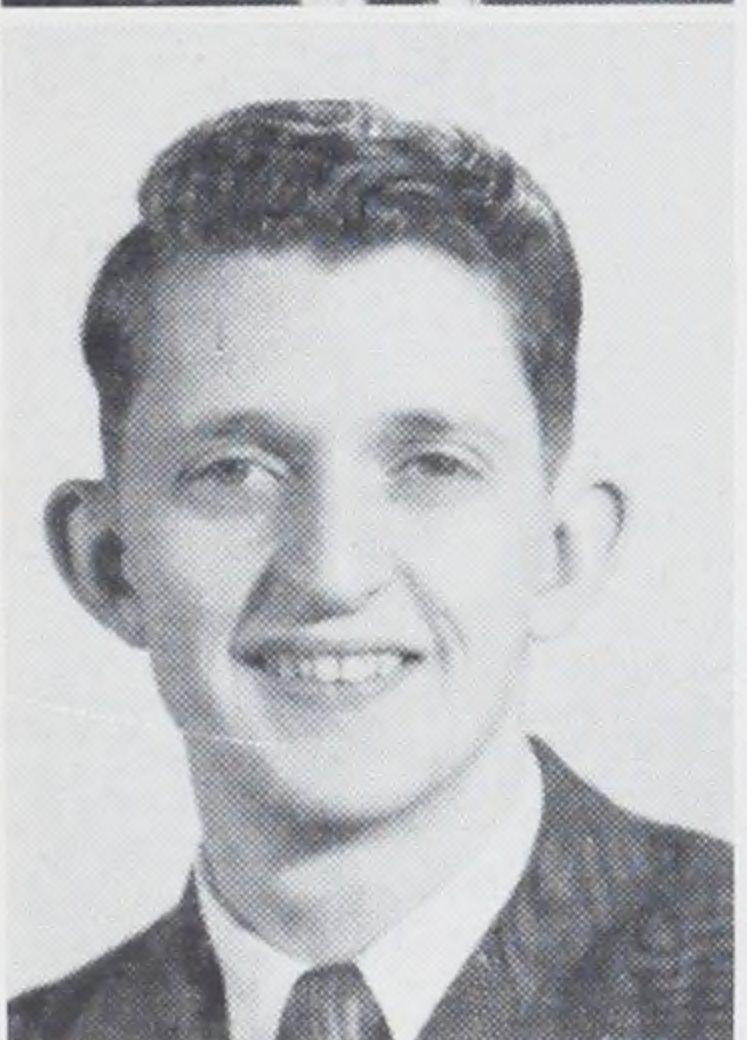
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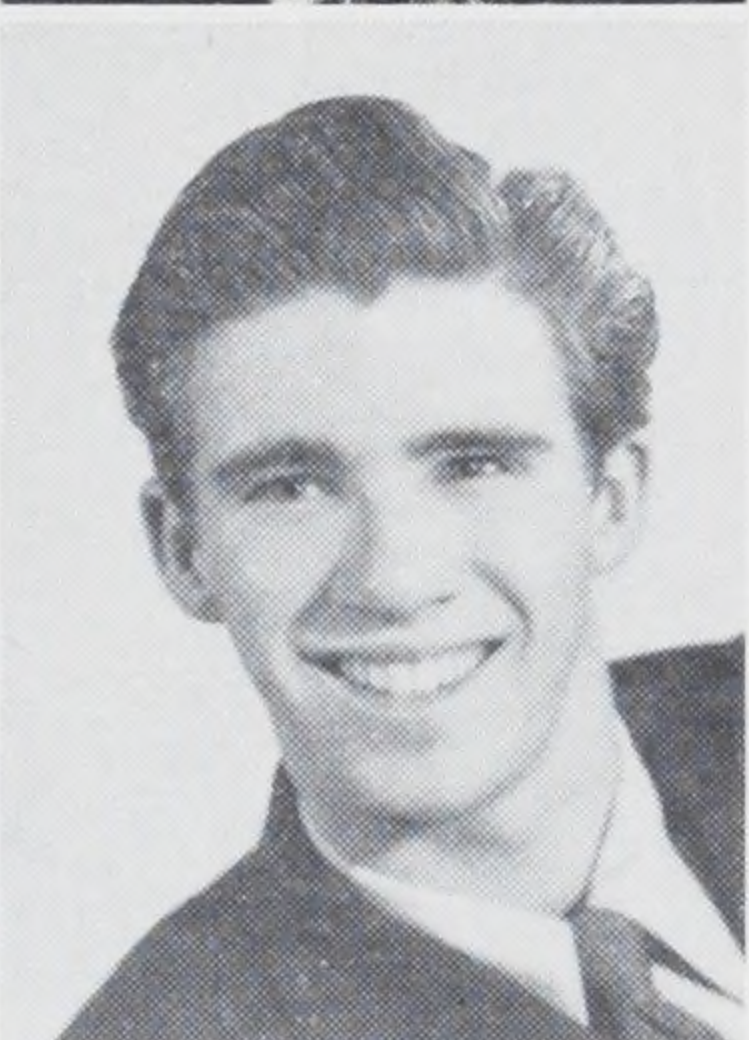
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**GLENN JAEGER**

Technical Aviation; Poly Steppers.

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**DONALD JOHNSON**

Technical Architectural Drawing; president Architectural Club; sergeant-at-arms, treasurer Defendre Ipse; Minuteman; Silver Skating; treasurer, secretary, president Usher Corps; Football; lieutenant, captain Fire Squad.

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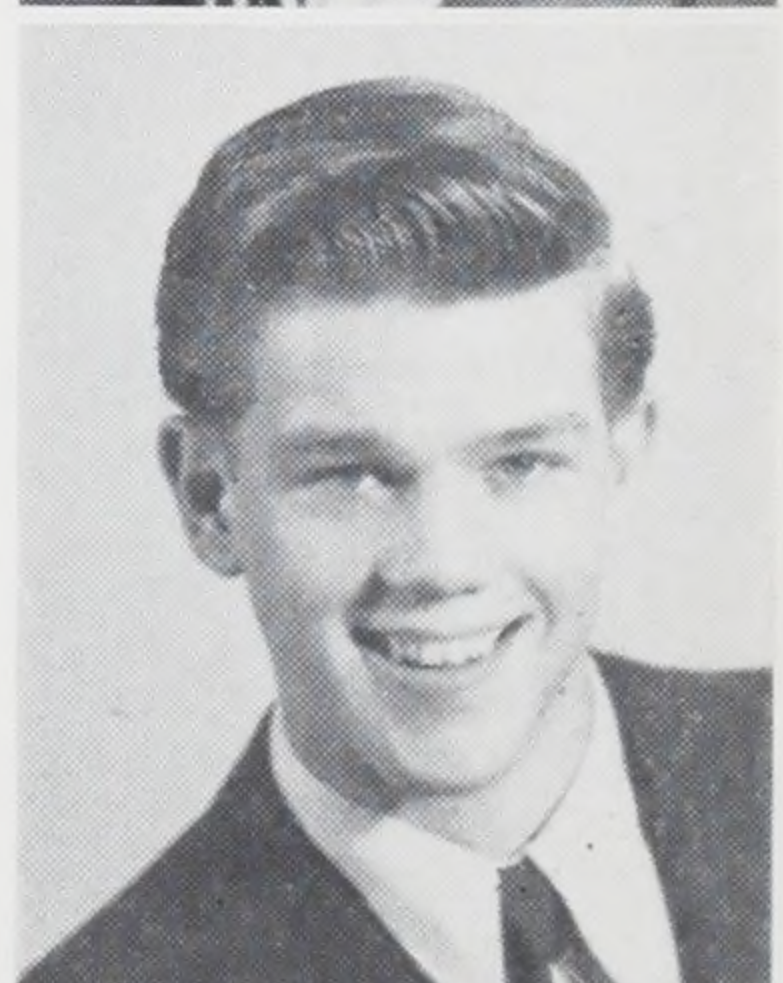
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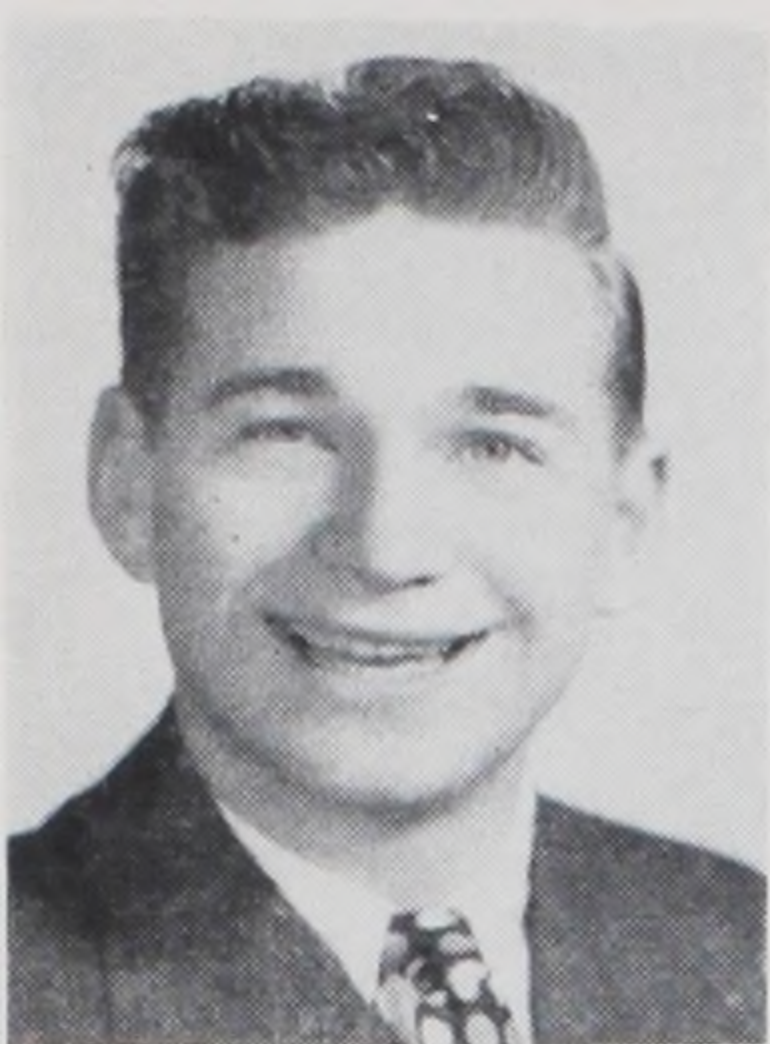
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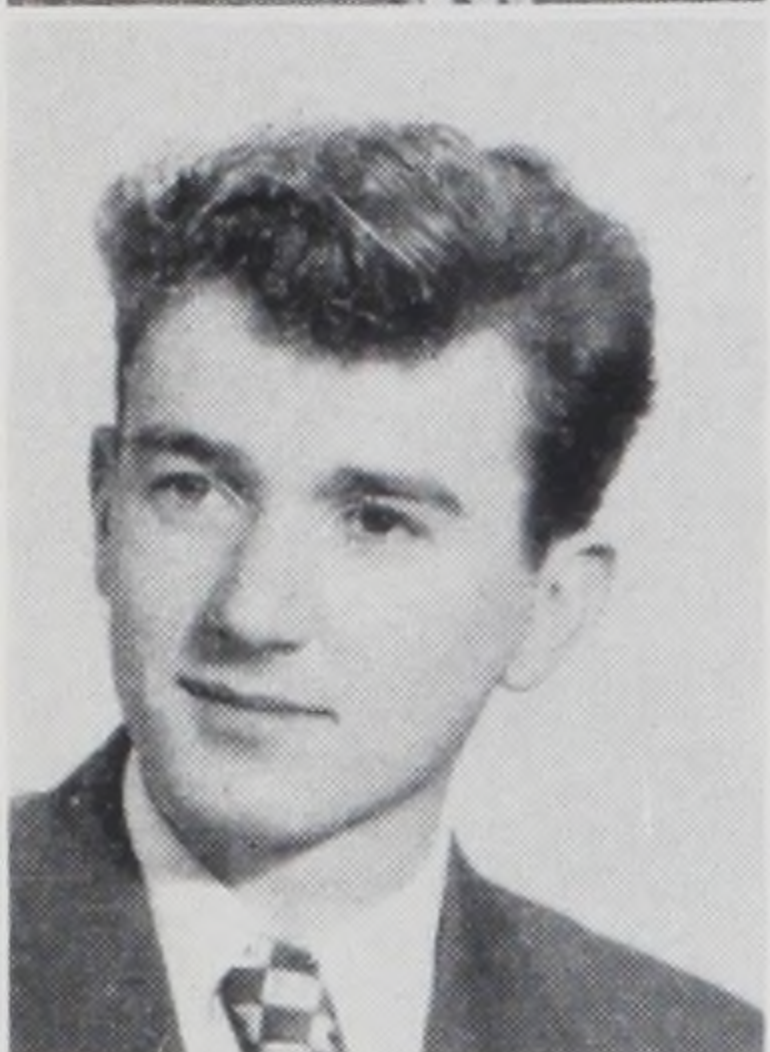
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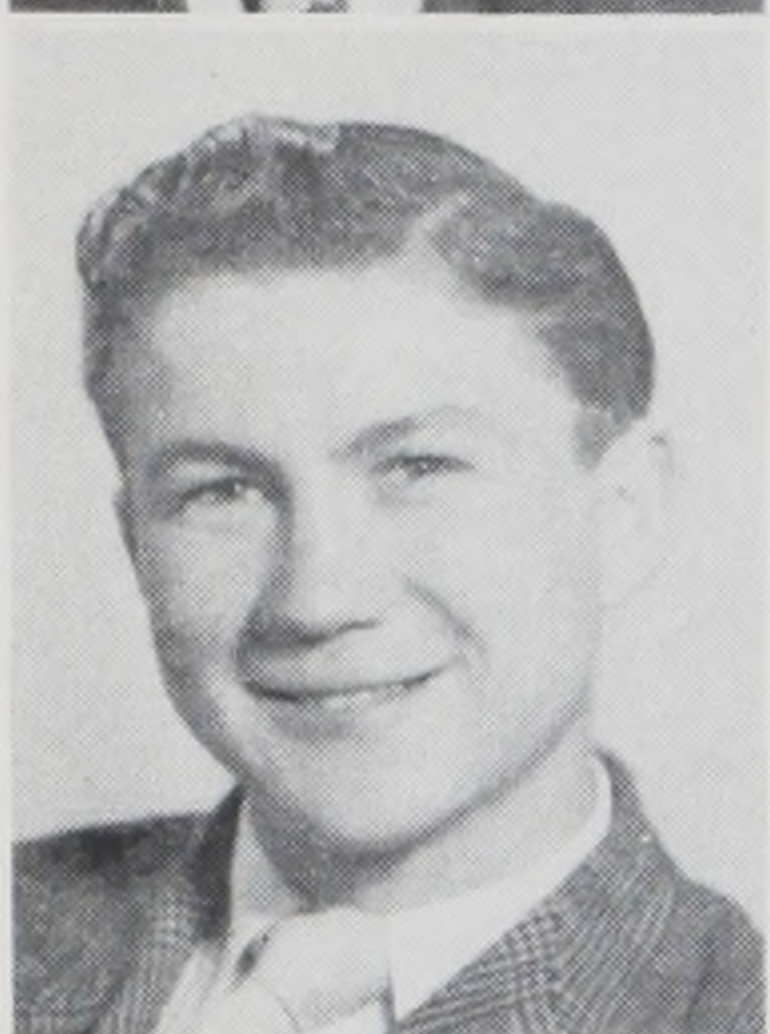




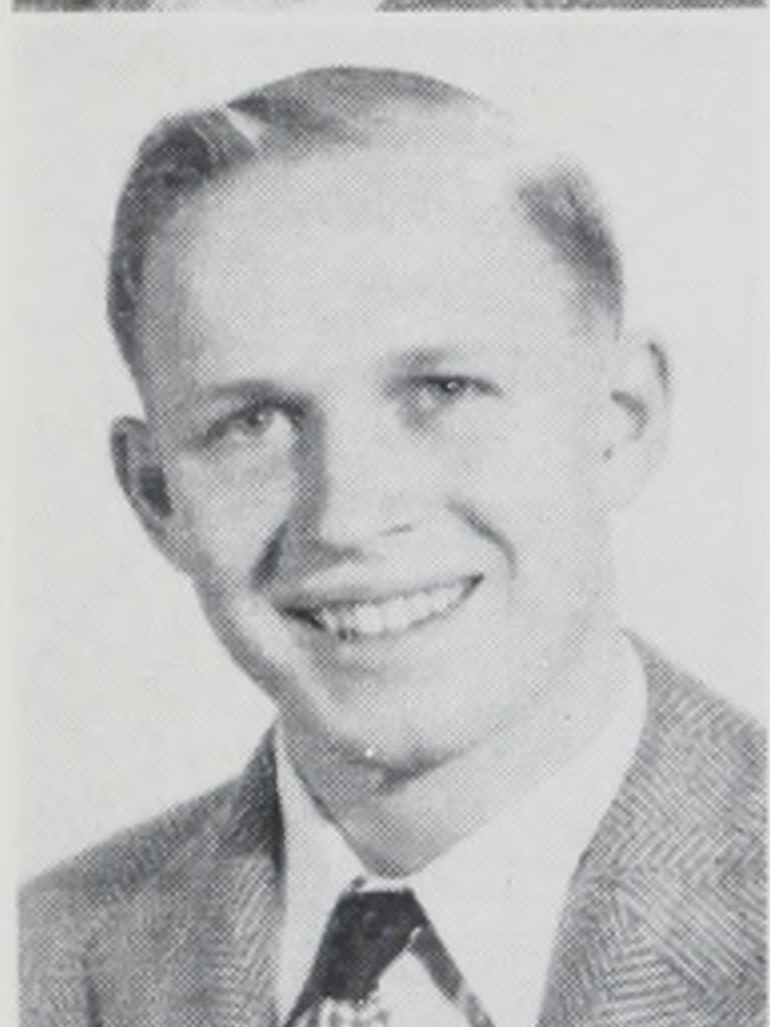
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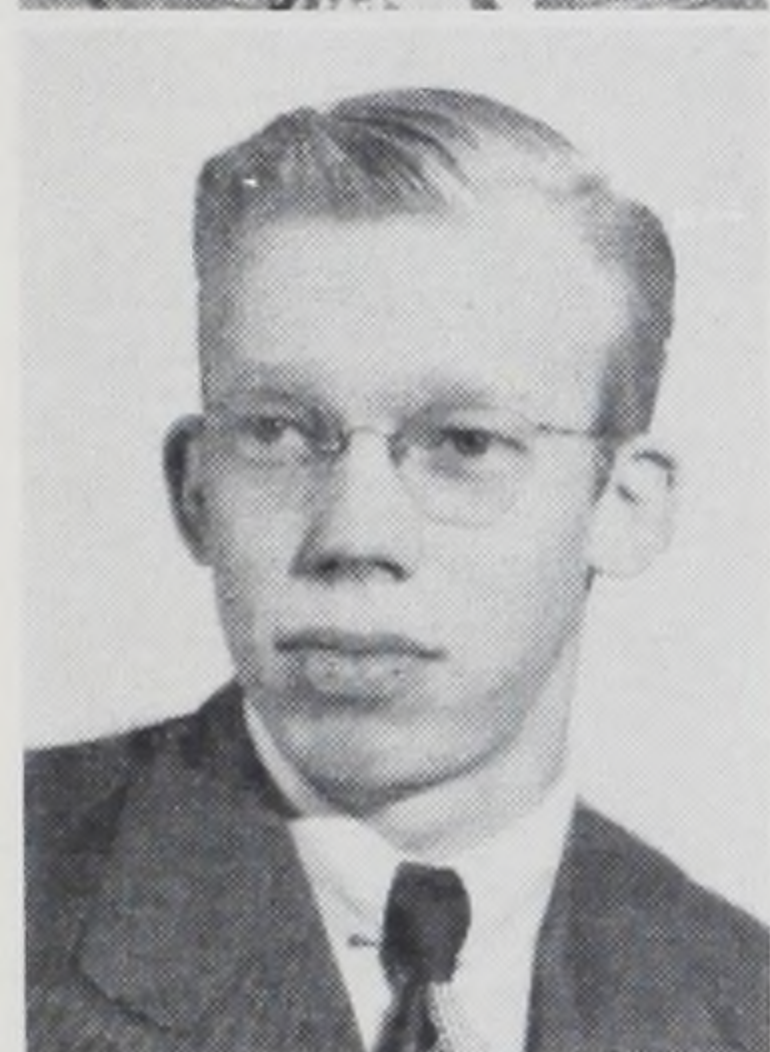
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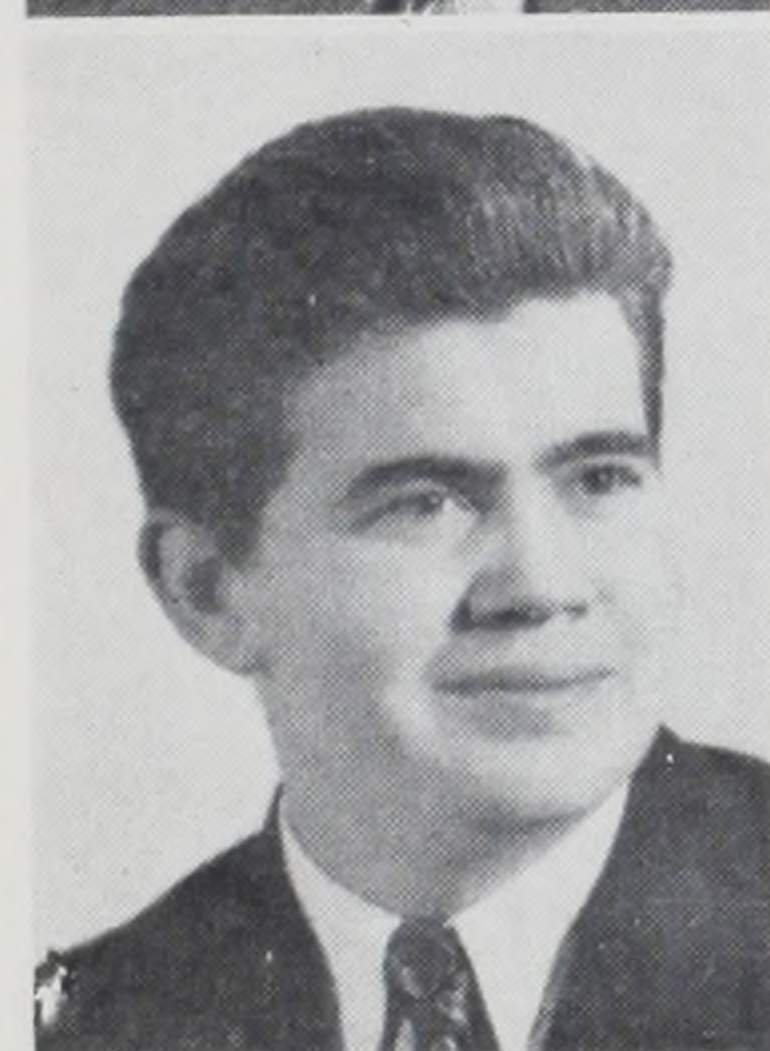
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Technical Sheet Metal; Executive Board; Fire Squad; Hi-Y; Minuteman; Orange "B"; Junior and Varsity Football; Junior and Varsity Baseball; Junior and Varsity Basketball; Player of the Week.



**CARL KOESTER**  
Technical Automotive; Minuteman; Bronze Scholarship Pin.



**DON KOLIBABA**  
Vocational Machine; Poly Steppers; Tech Pep Staff.



**ELMER KRAFT**  
General; Fire Squad; Junior Draftsman; Safety Council; Tech Pep Staff; Type-Hi Club.

**GABRIEL KROFT**  
General.

**DALE KUGEL**  
Technical Building Construction; president Architectural Club; librarian, secretary, treasurer, sergeant-at-arms, vice-president, student director Band; Executive Board; Art Editor Poly Tech; Class Play Staff; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship Pins; All City Band and Orchestra; Citizen of the Week.

**GLENN LAMBERT**  
Technical Machine; Minuteman; Junior Football.

**FRANK LAMP**  
Technical Electric; Bronze Scholarship Pin.

**CLARENCE LANGMAN**  
Technical Radio; librarian, treasurer Band; Bowling Club; Camera Club; Pep Band; All City Band.

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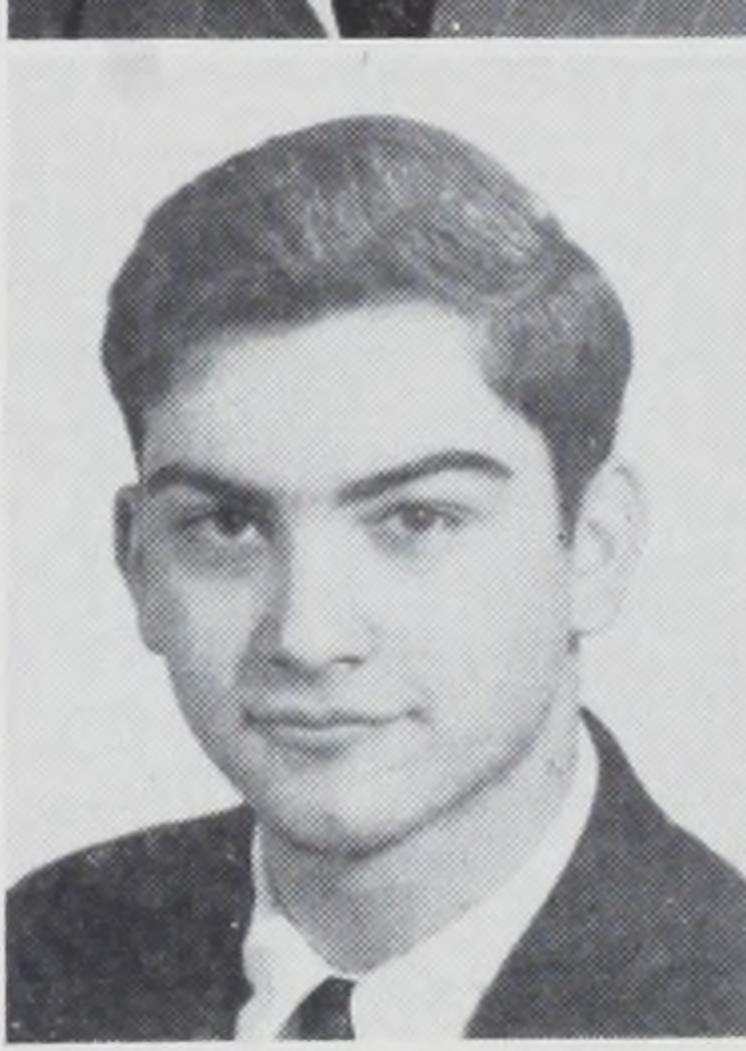
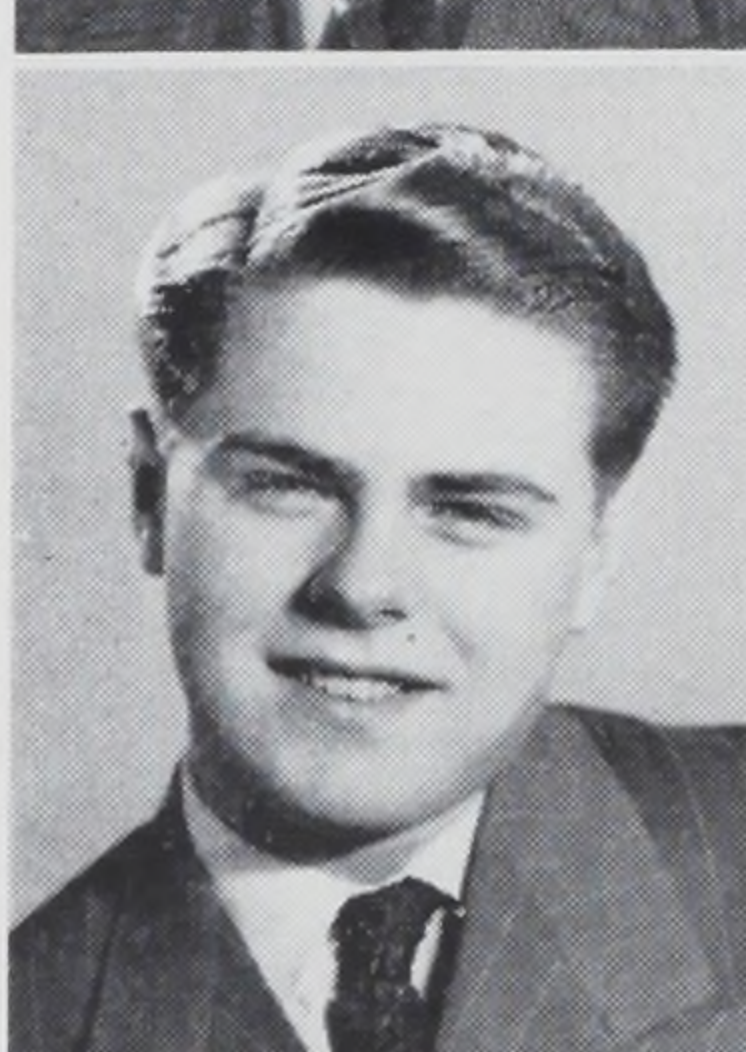
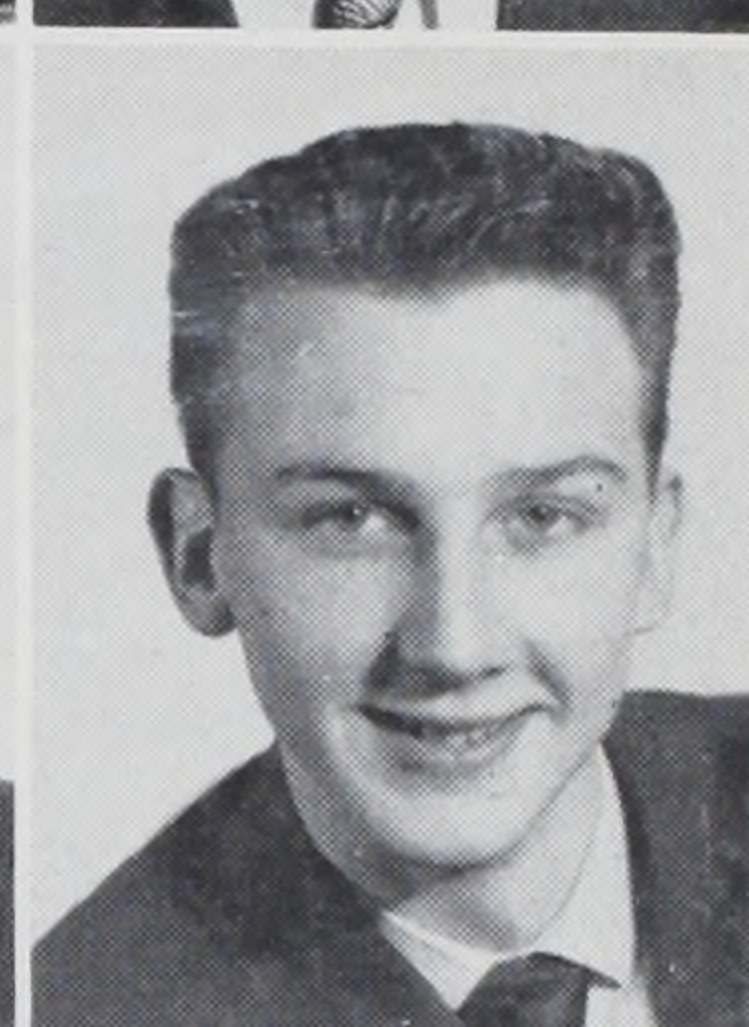
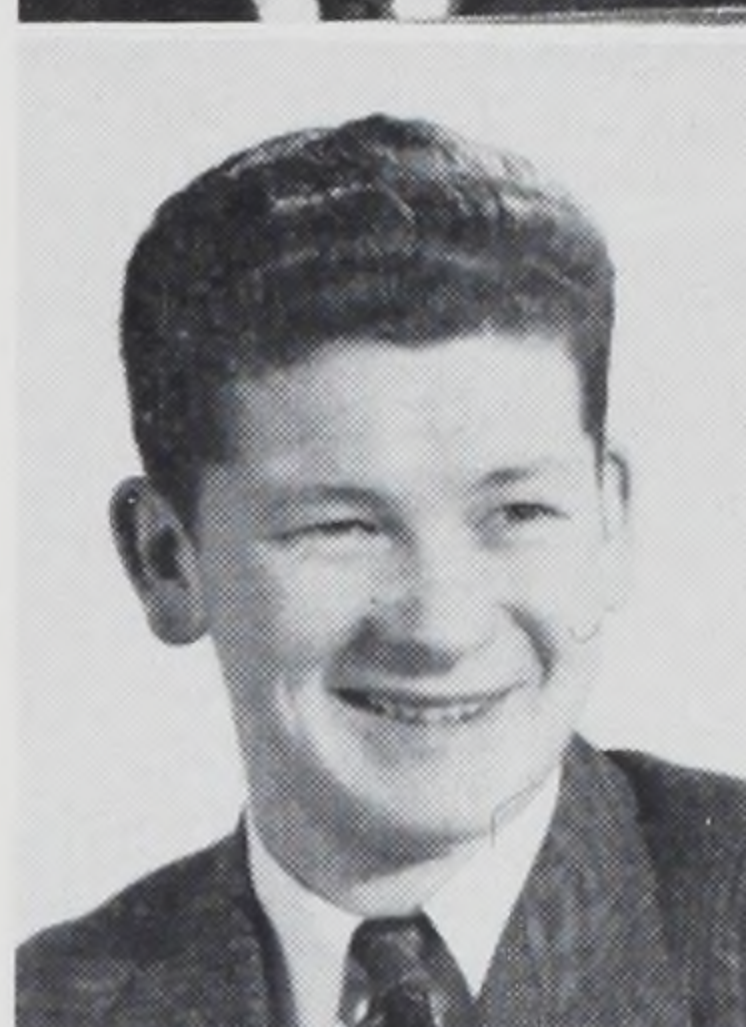
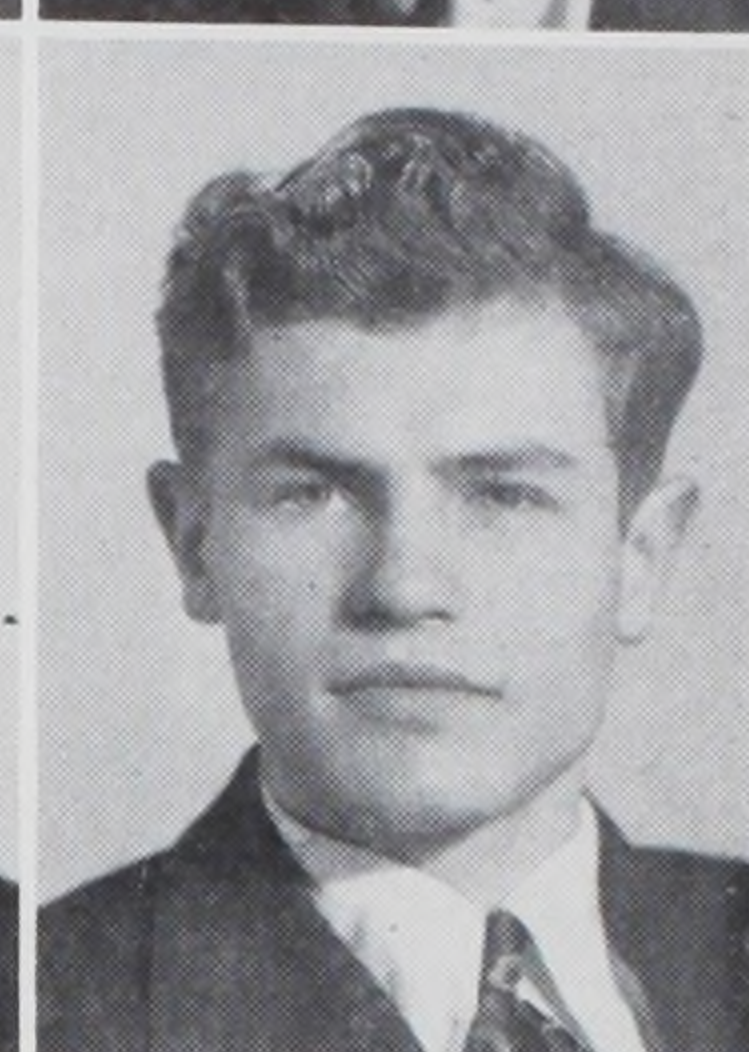
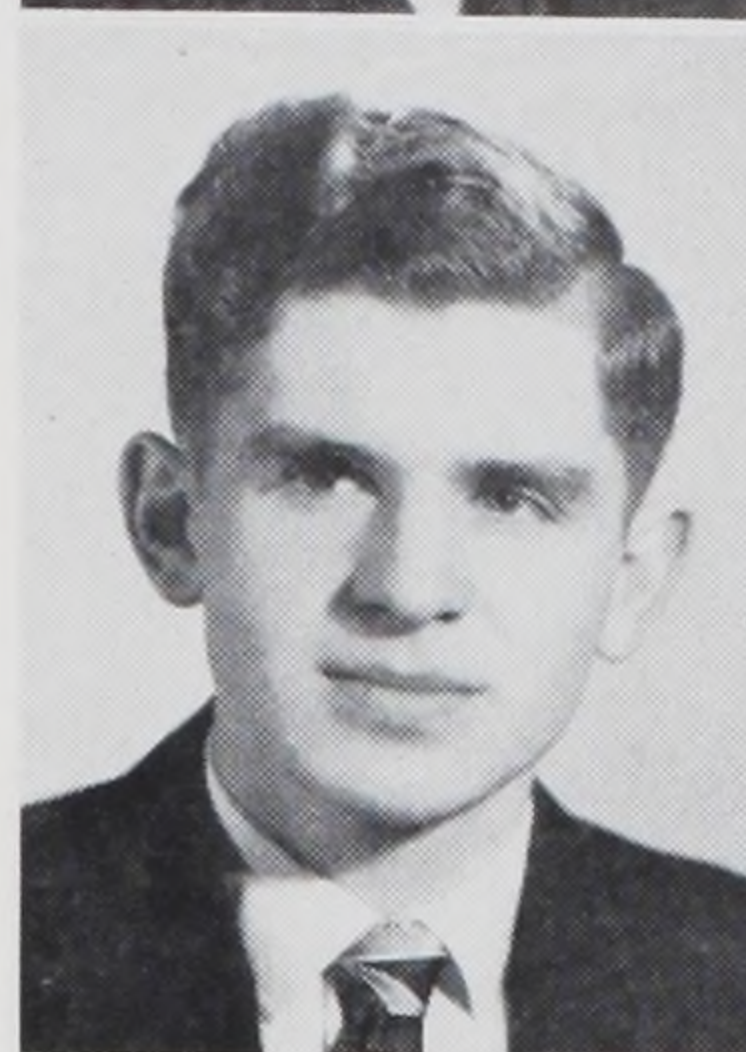
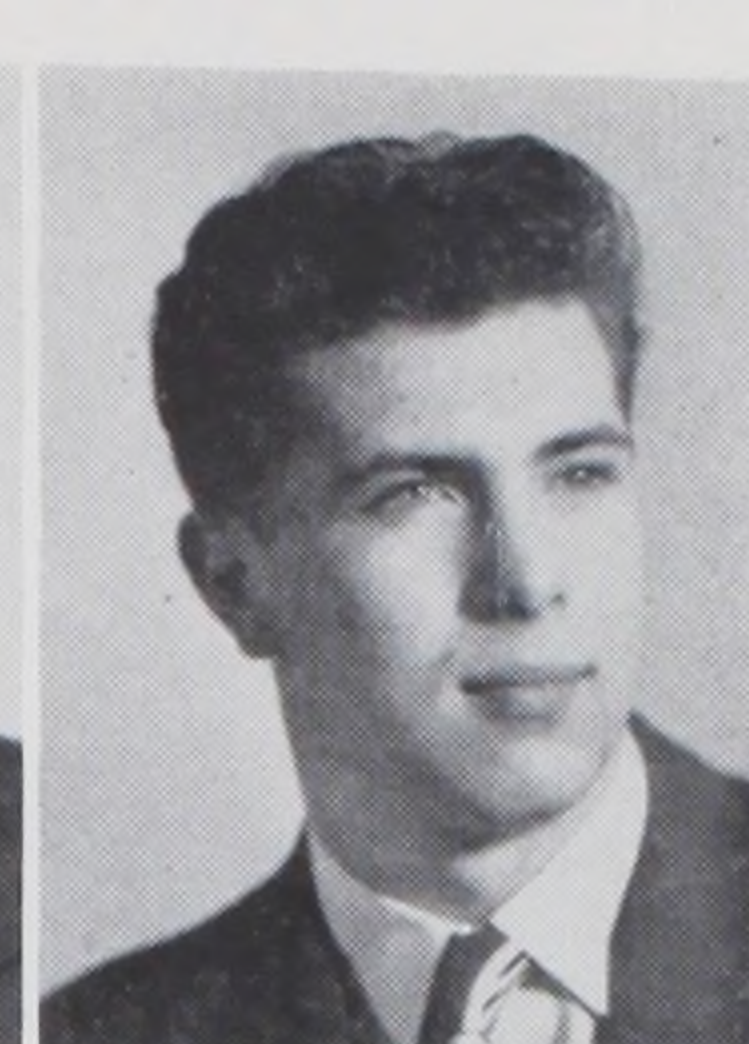
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Technical Electrical; Poly Steppers; Junior Craftsman; feature editor, business manager Tech Pep Staff; Press Club.

**ROBERT LINI**  
Technical Electrical; vice-president Electric Club; Junior Craftsman; skipper Sailing Club.

**CARL LINNE**  
General; Defendre Ipse; Junior Football.







**BOYCE LYTLE**  
General.



**LAURENCE MAHON**  
Technical Mechanical; treasurer Archery Club; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins; Football; Safety Council.



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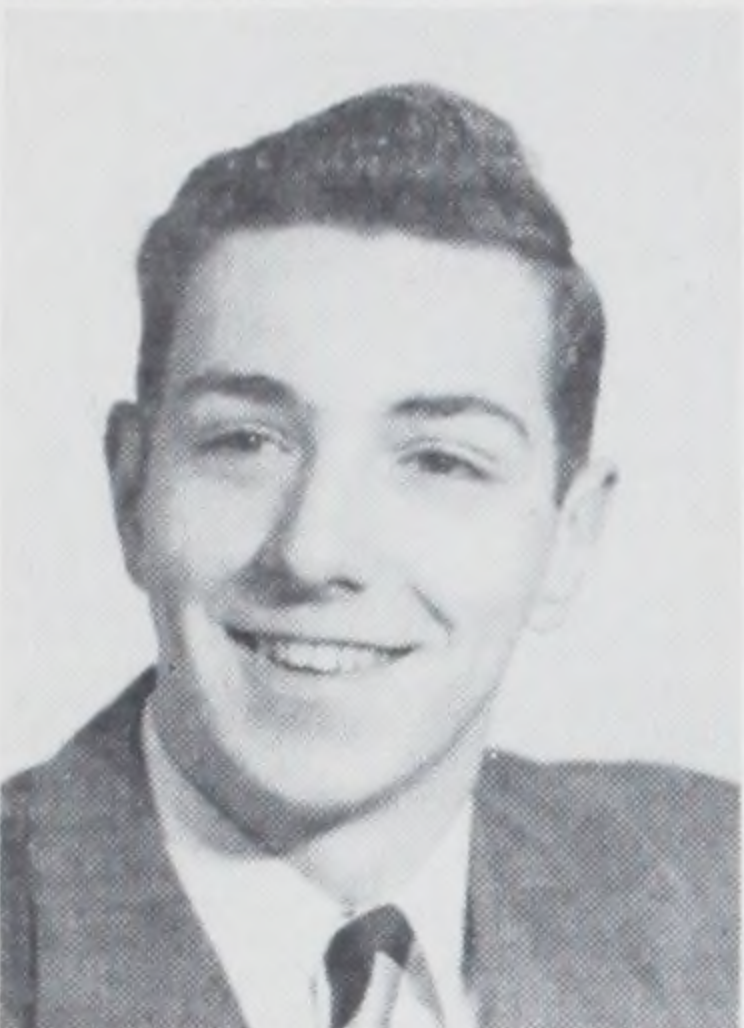
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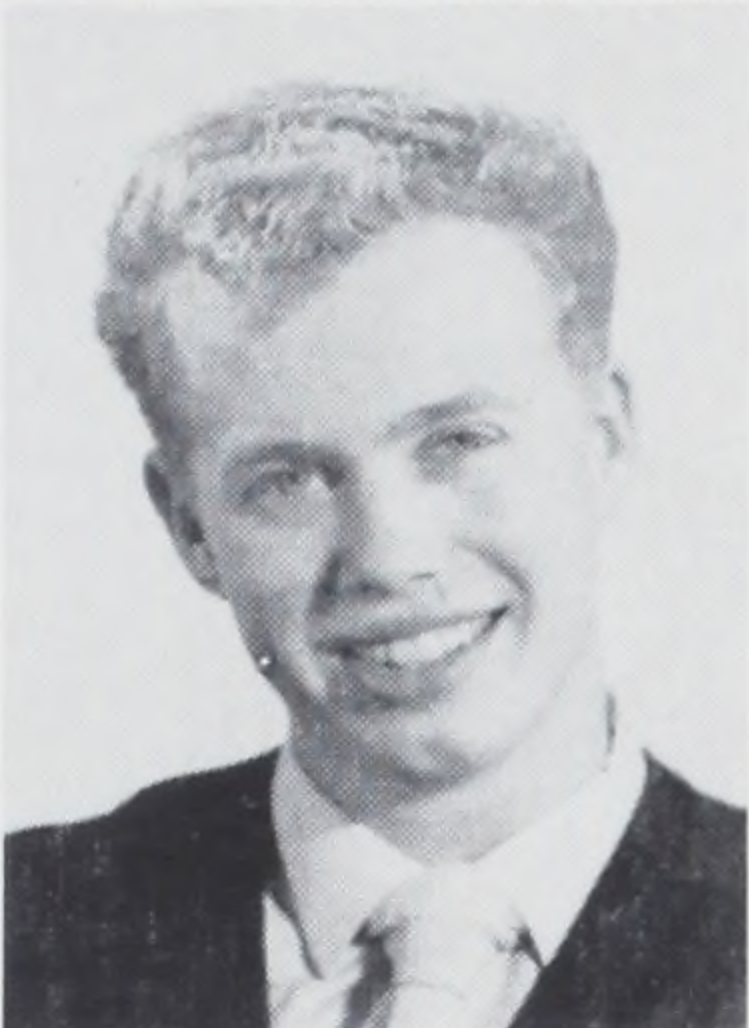
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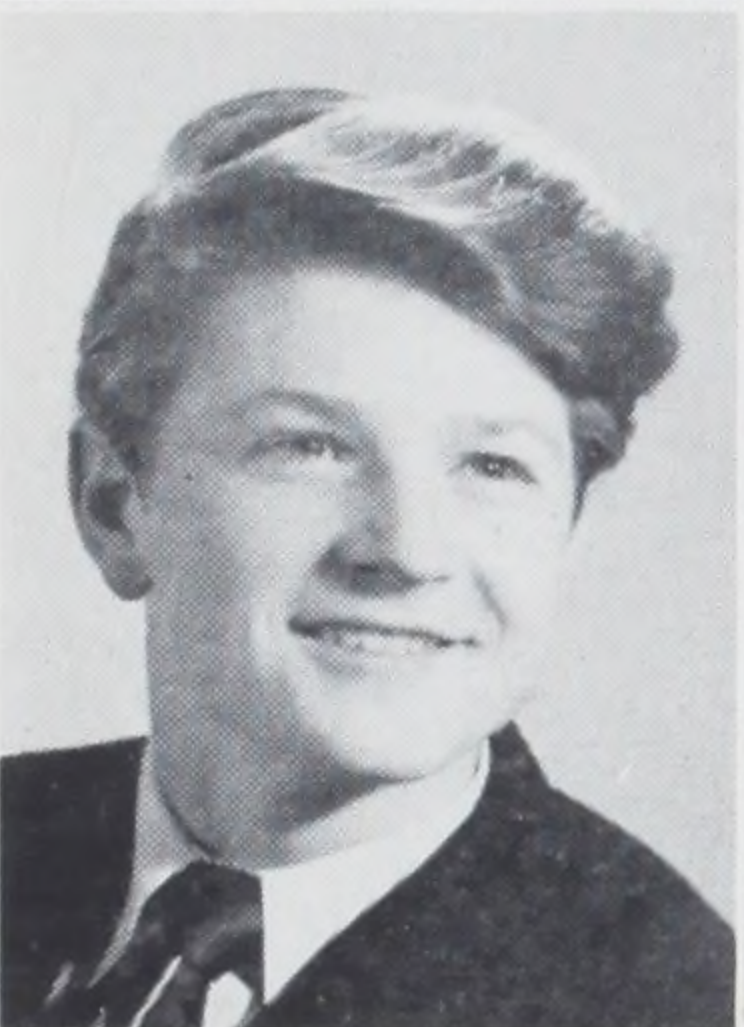
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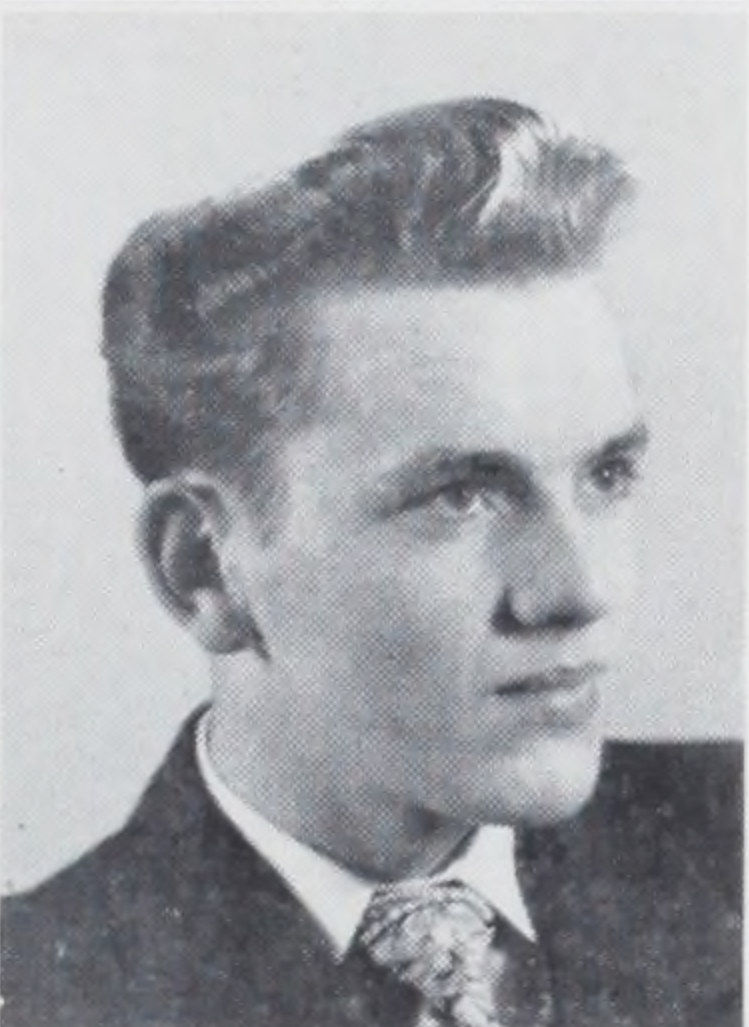
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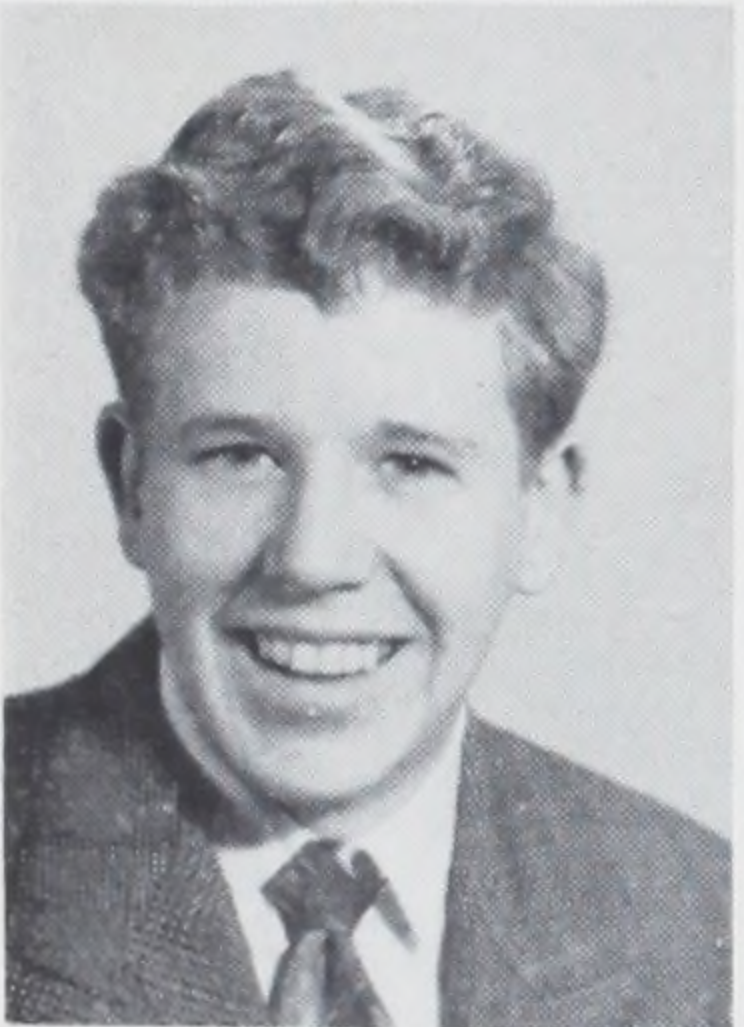
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Electrical.



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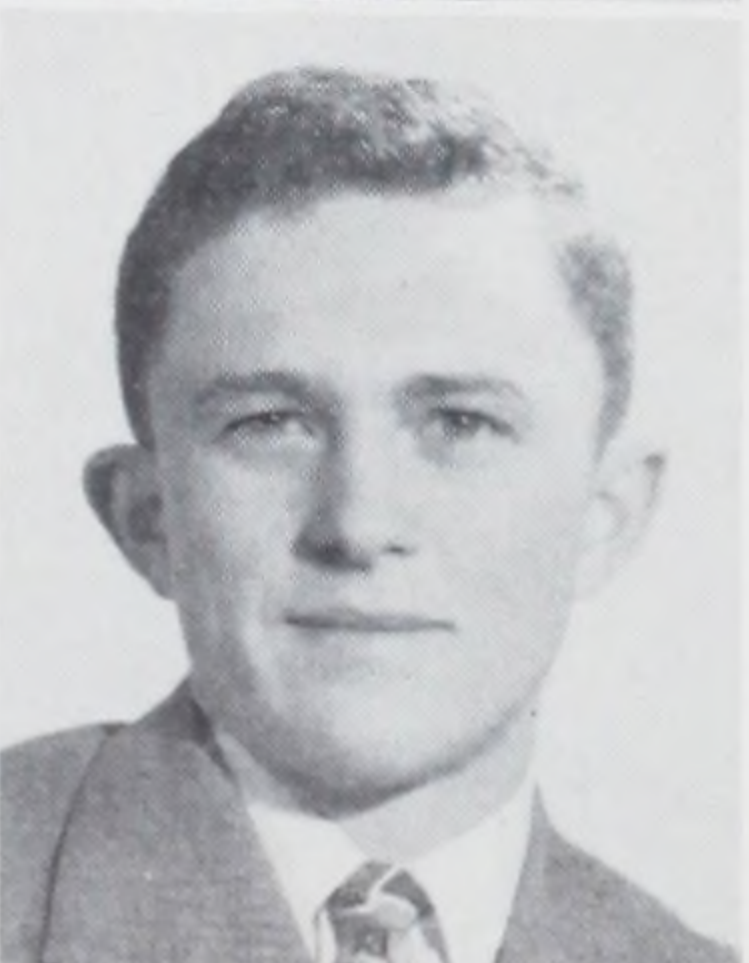
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**DON NEUBAUER**  
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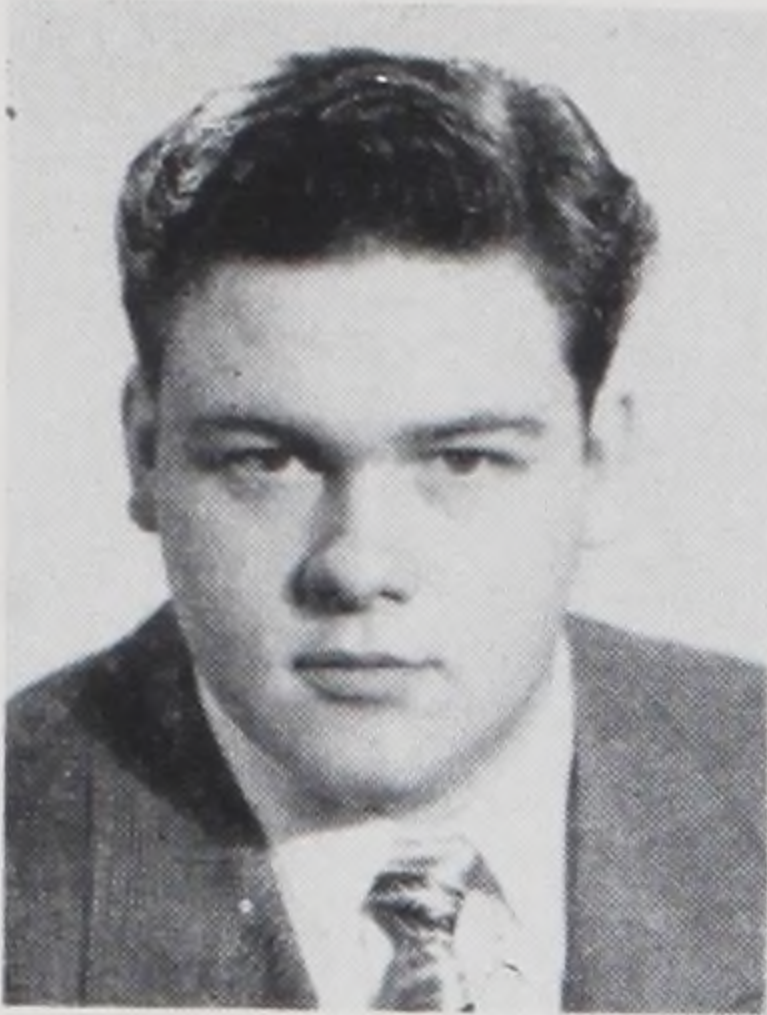


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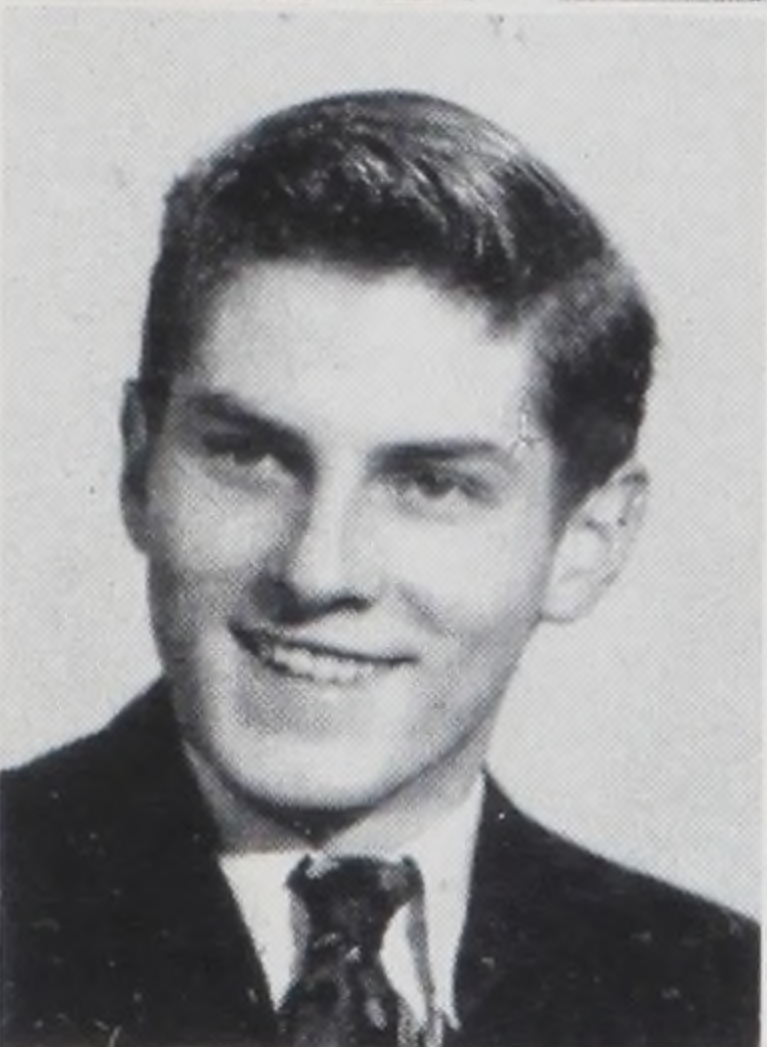
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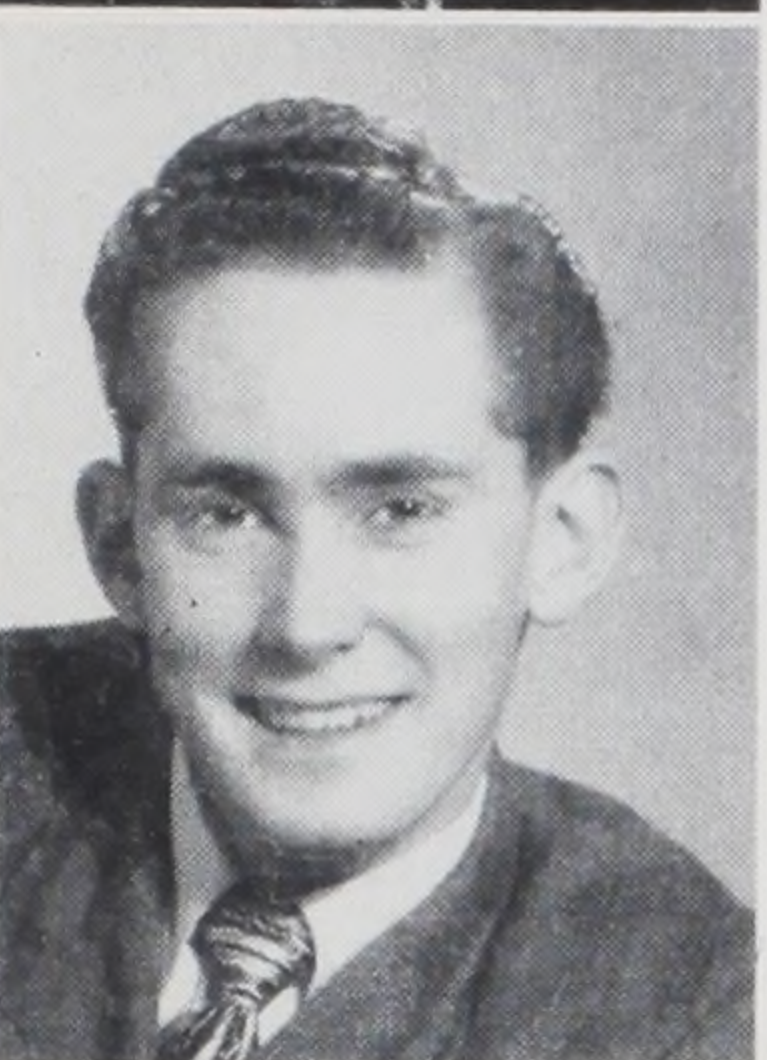
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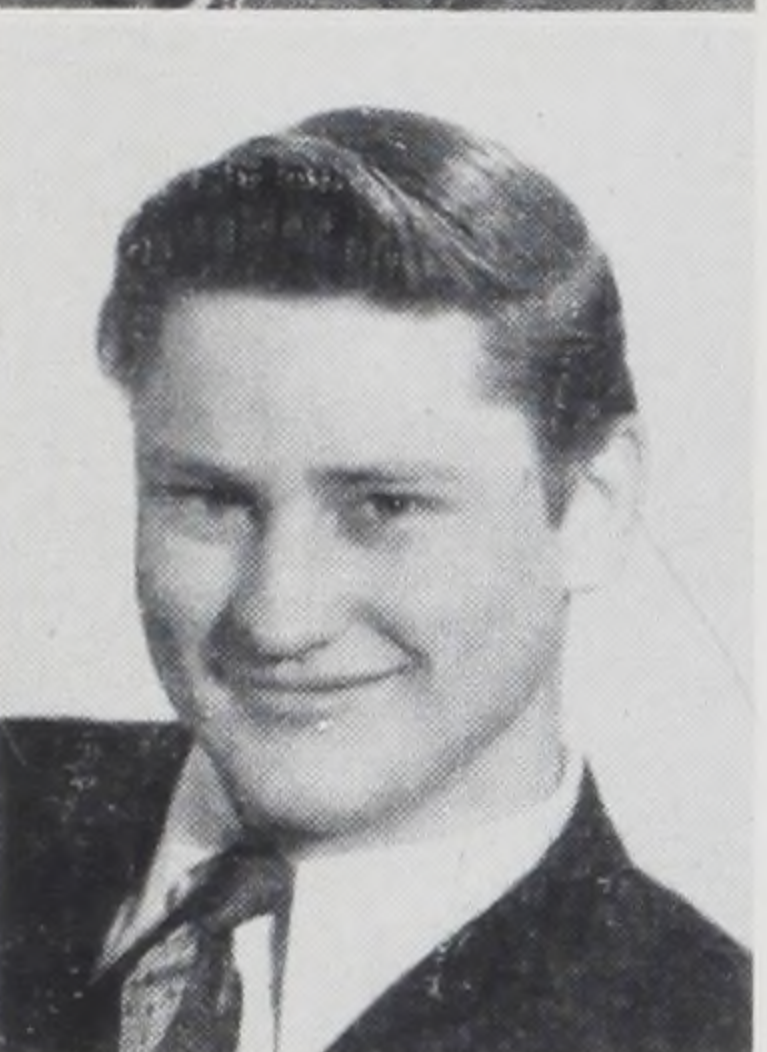
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Varsity Basketball.

**KENNETH PETERSON**

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General; Varsity Baseball.



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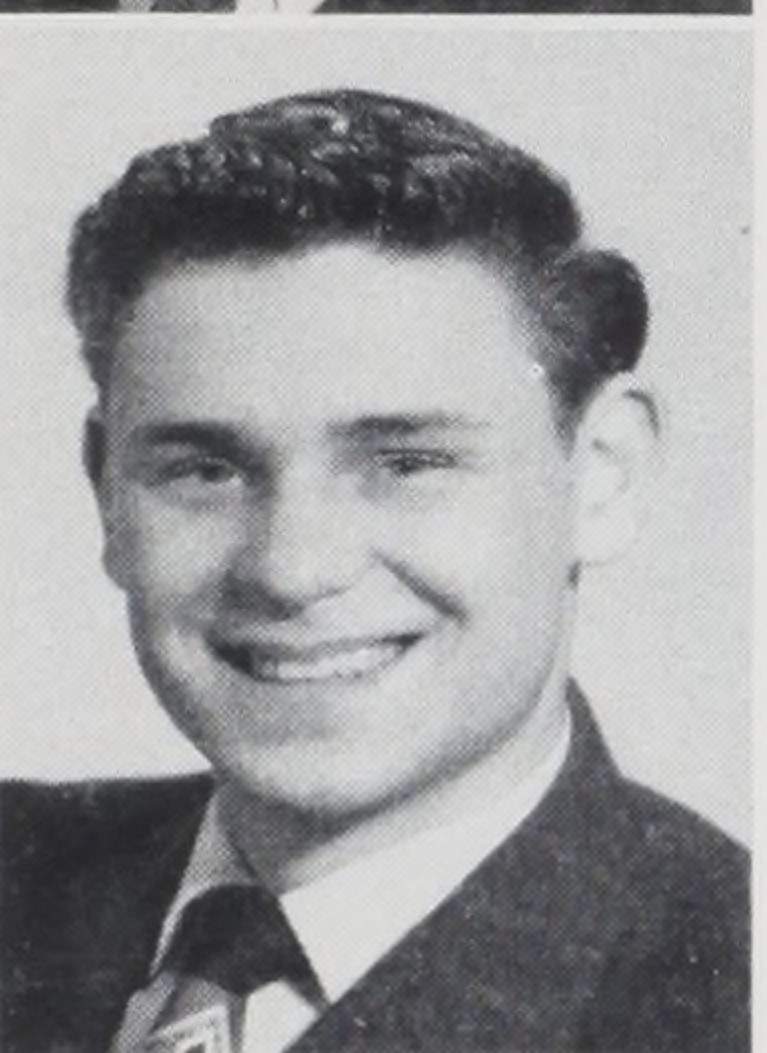
General; Safety Council.

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Technical Radio; Minuteman; KBPS Staff; Chess Club;  
Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins.

**JOHN PUCIK**

Technical Radio; Varsity Football.



**CARL RAMSTEN**

Technical Radio; Band; Inter-Club Council; treasurer,  
secretary Optimists; Fire Squad.

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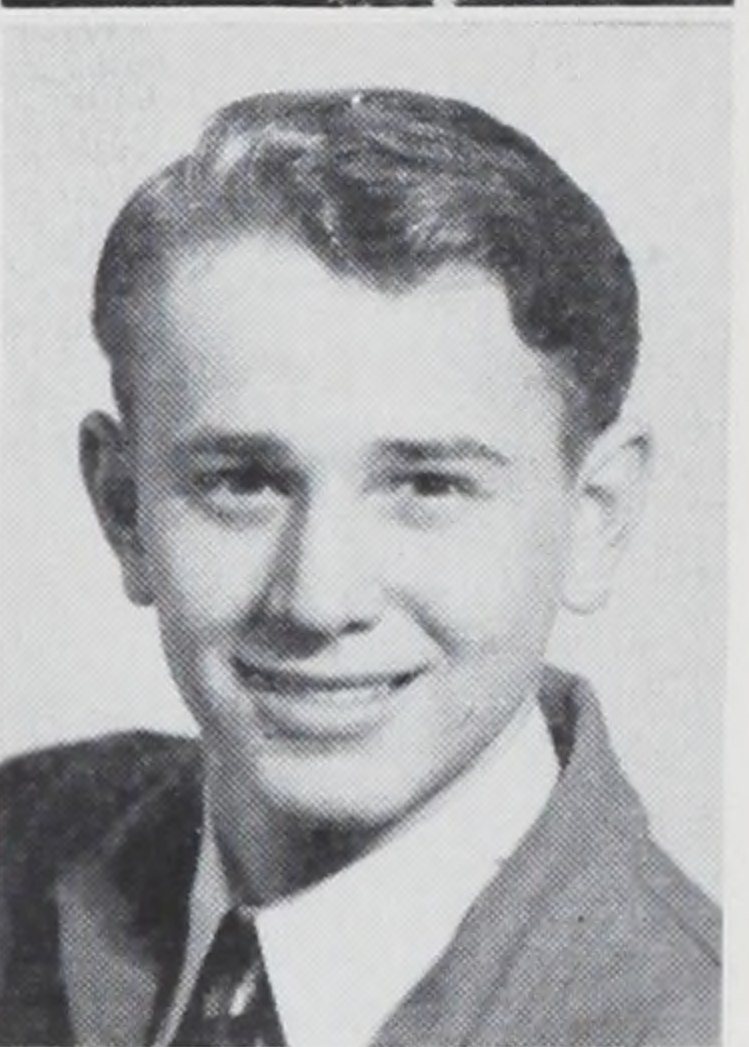
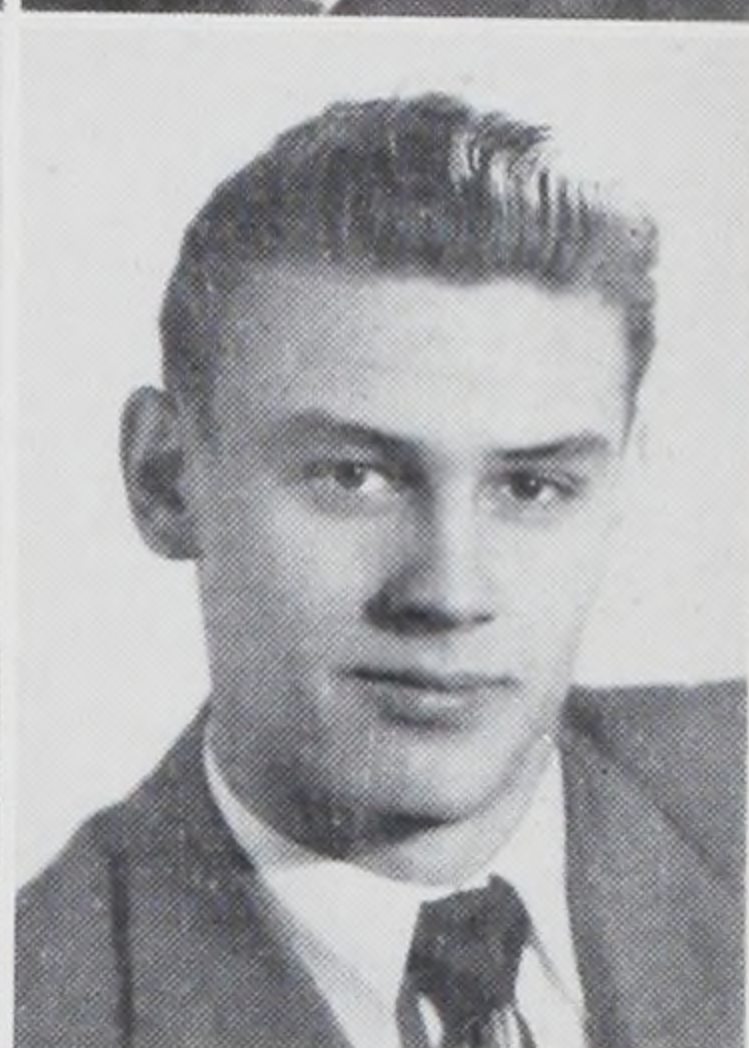
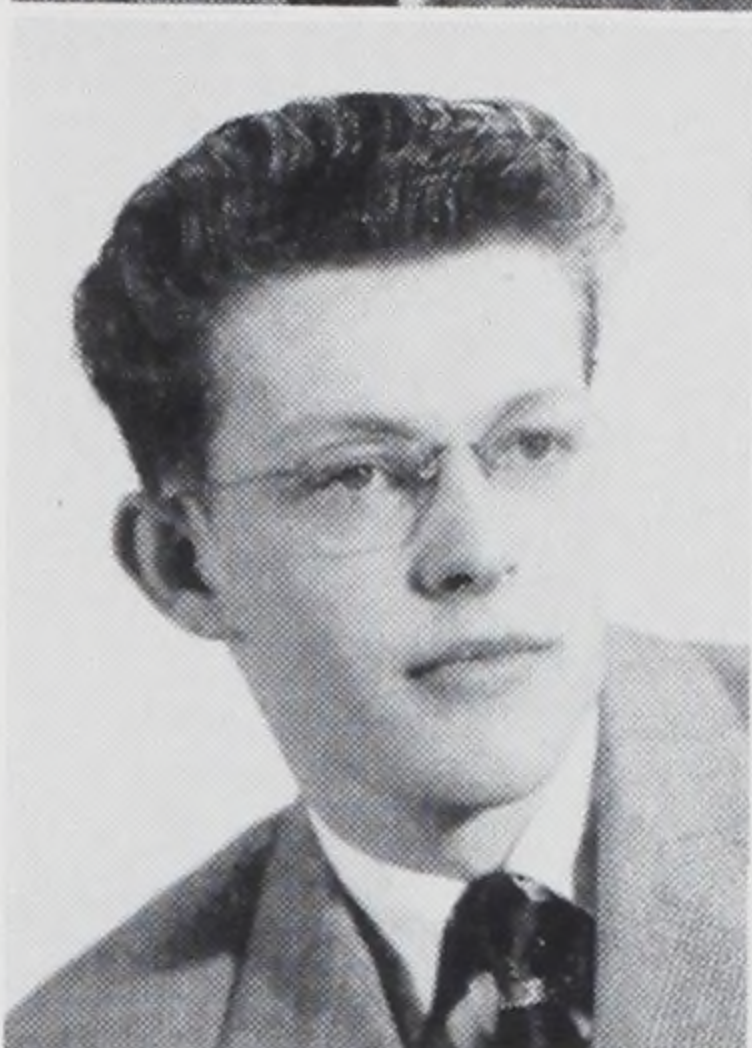
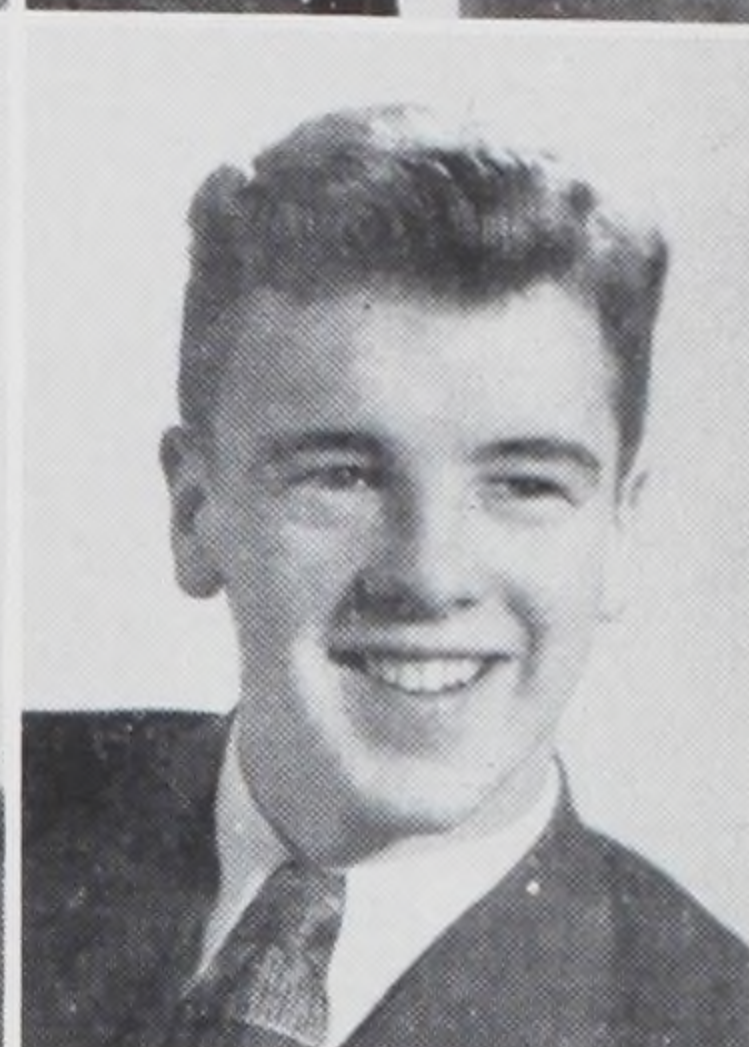
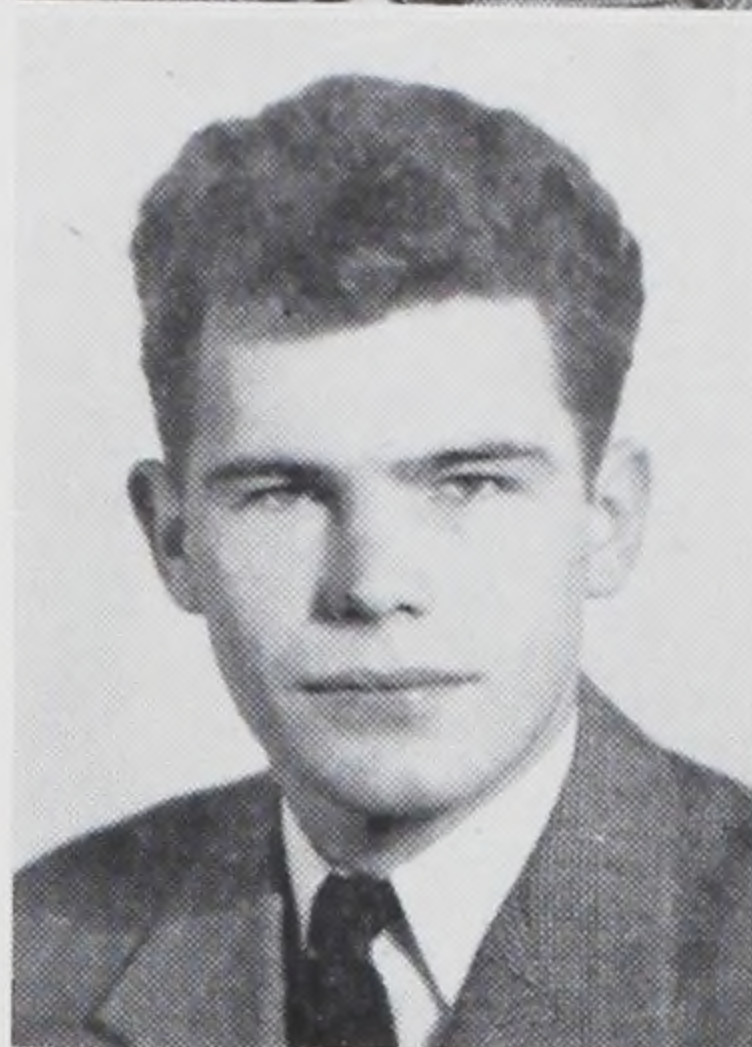
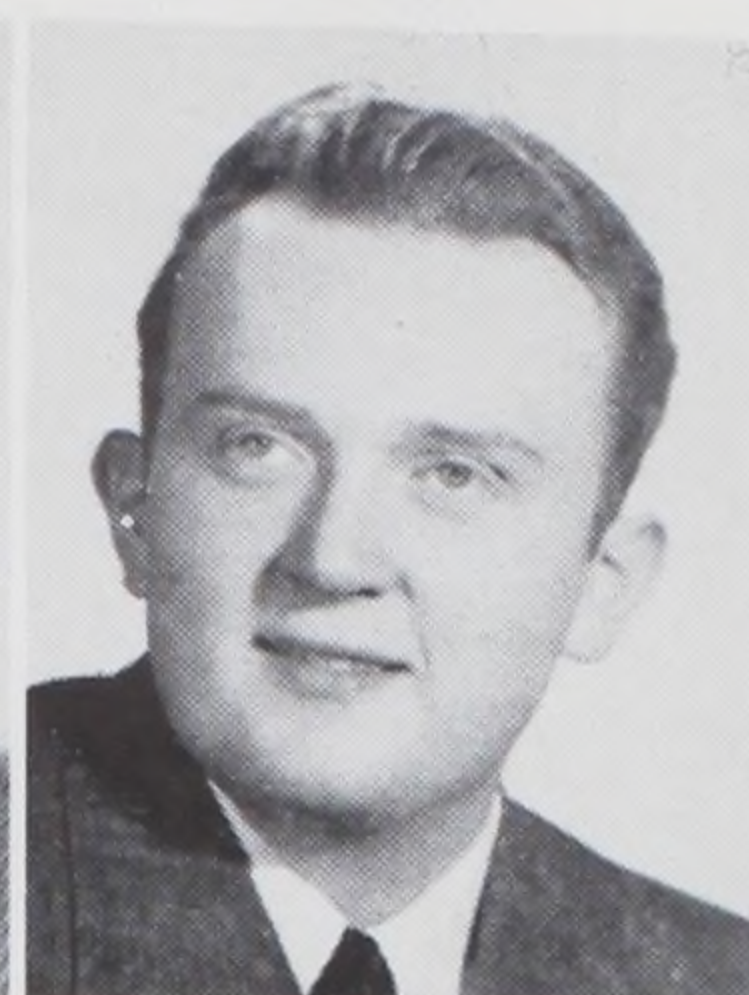
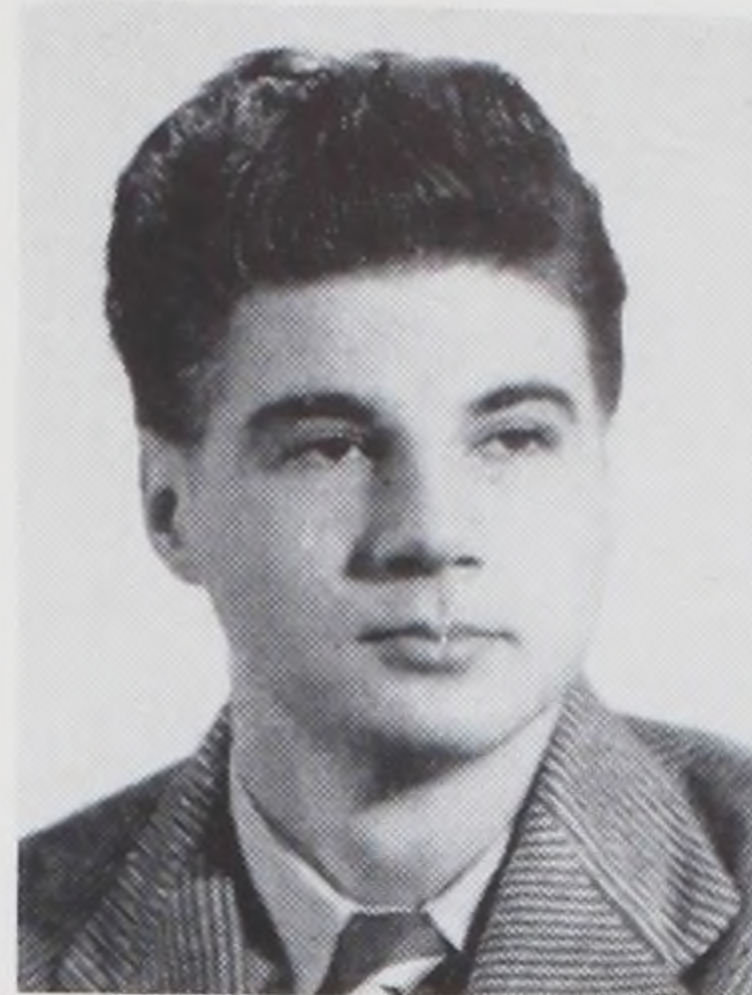
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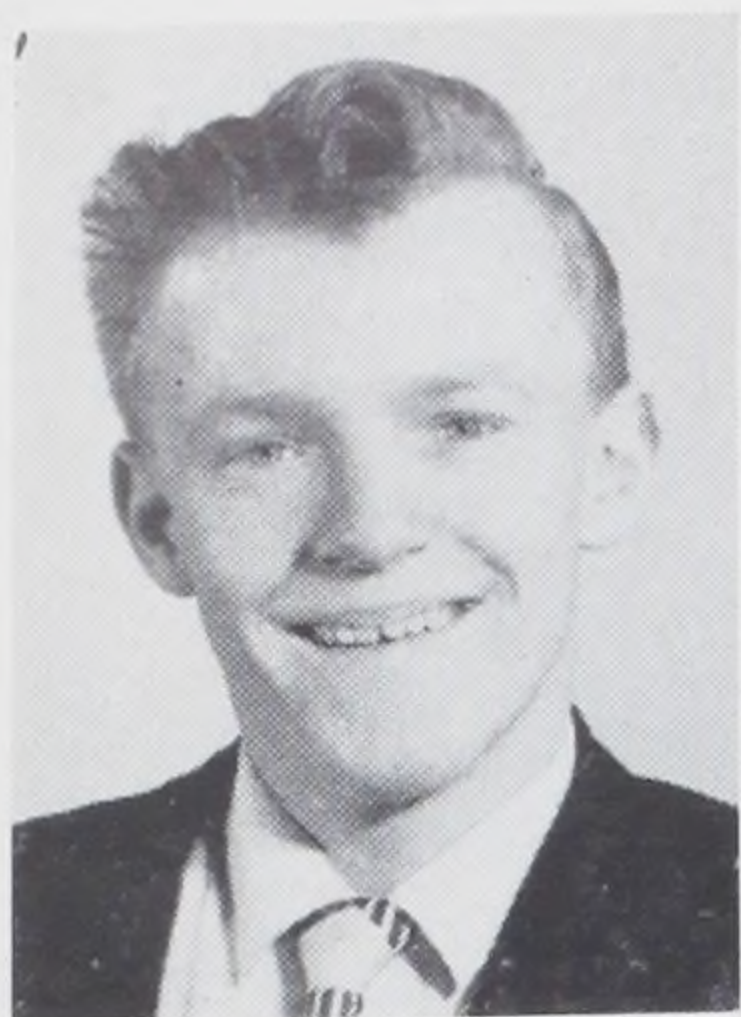
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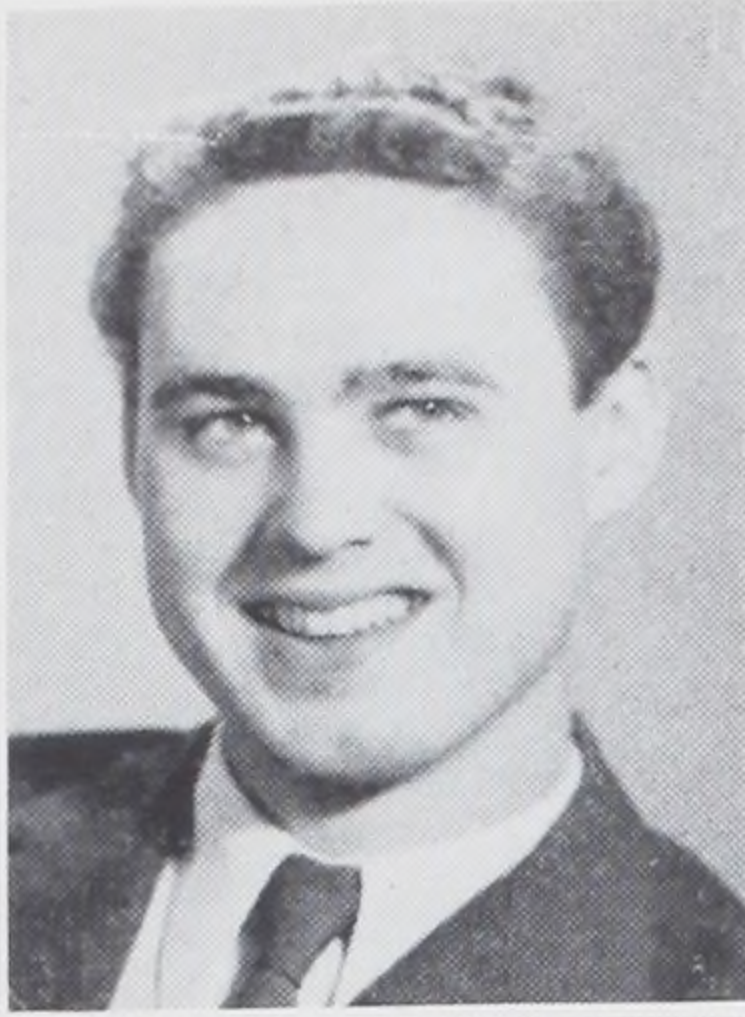
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**BERT ROSE**

General; Poly Steppers; Radio Actors Guild; president Roller Skating Club; Swimming Club; Inter-Club Council; Class Play Staff.

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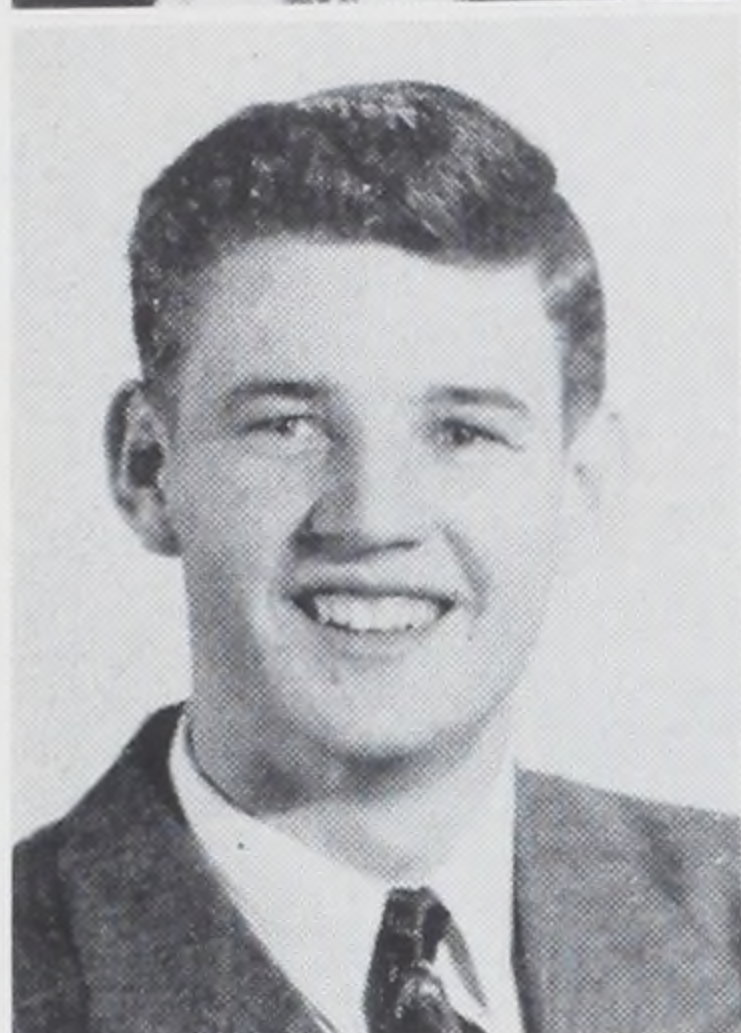
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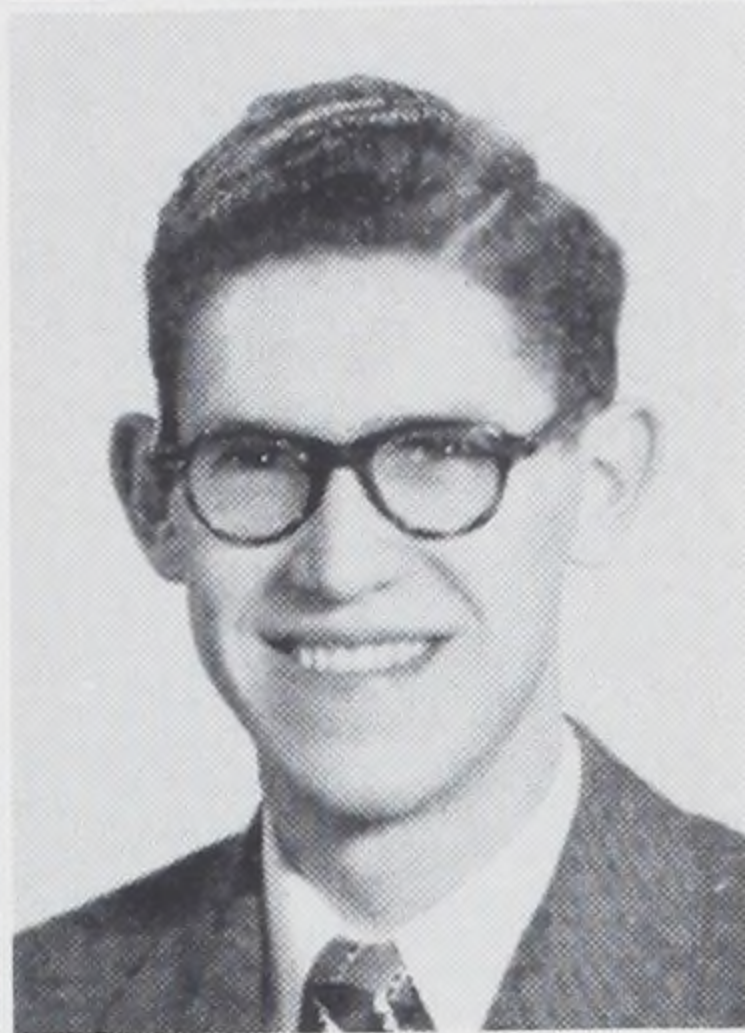
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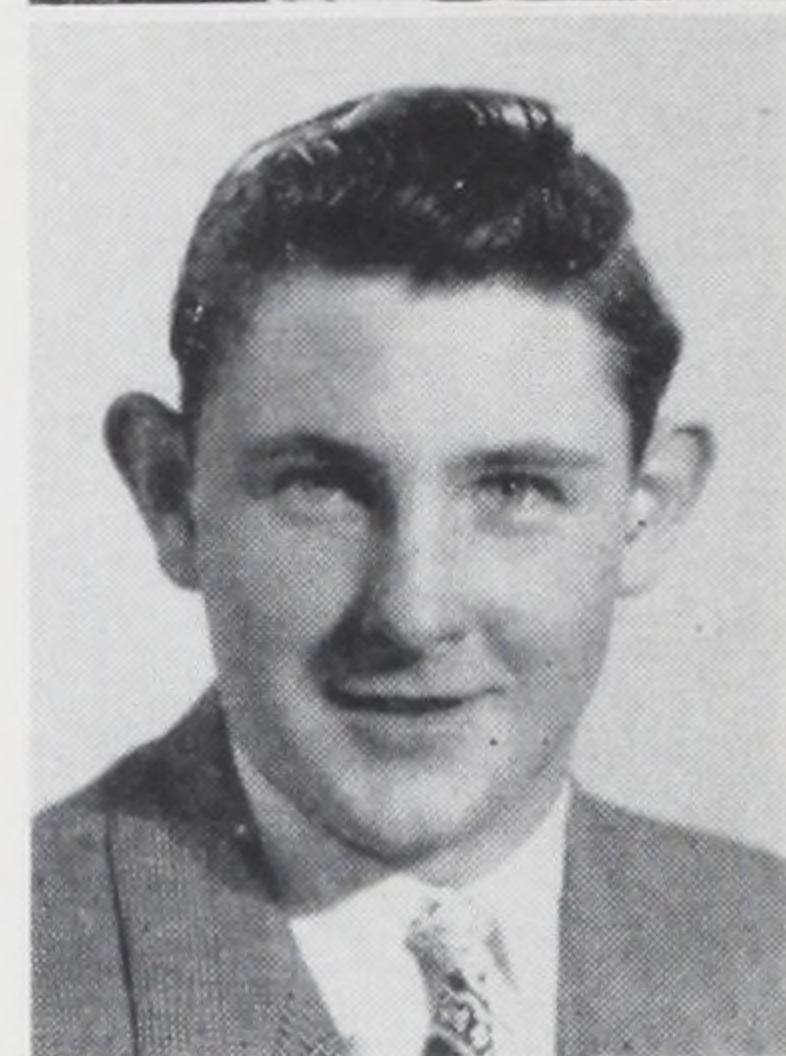
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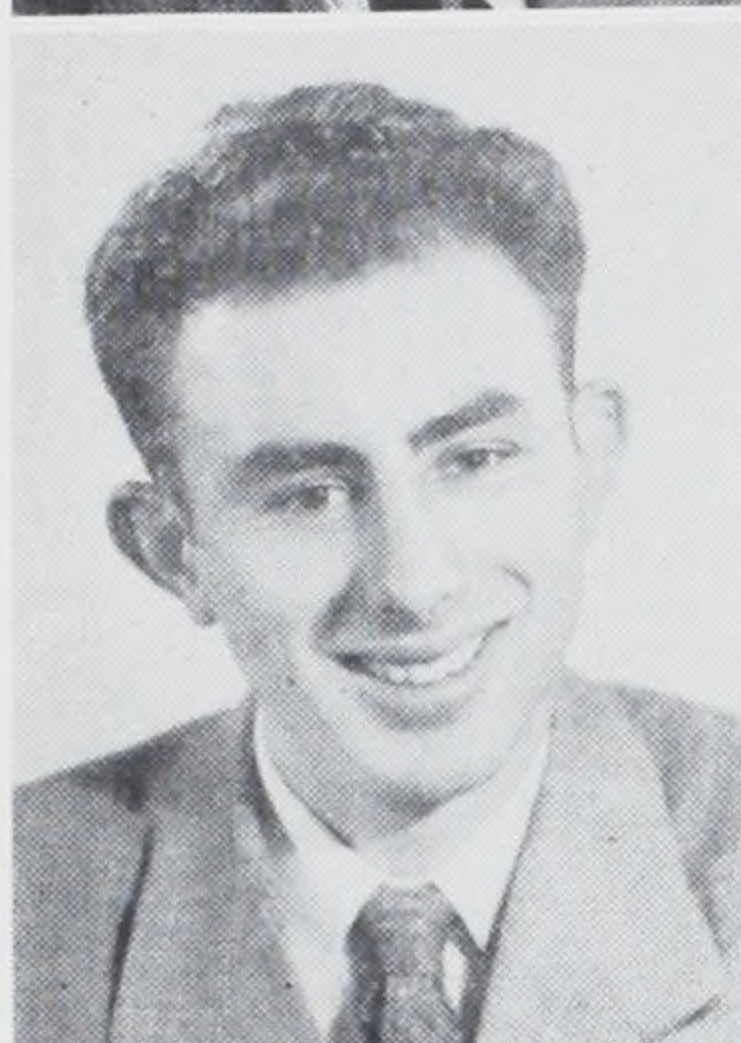
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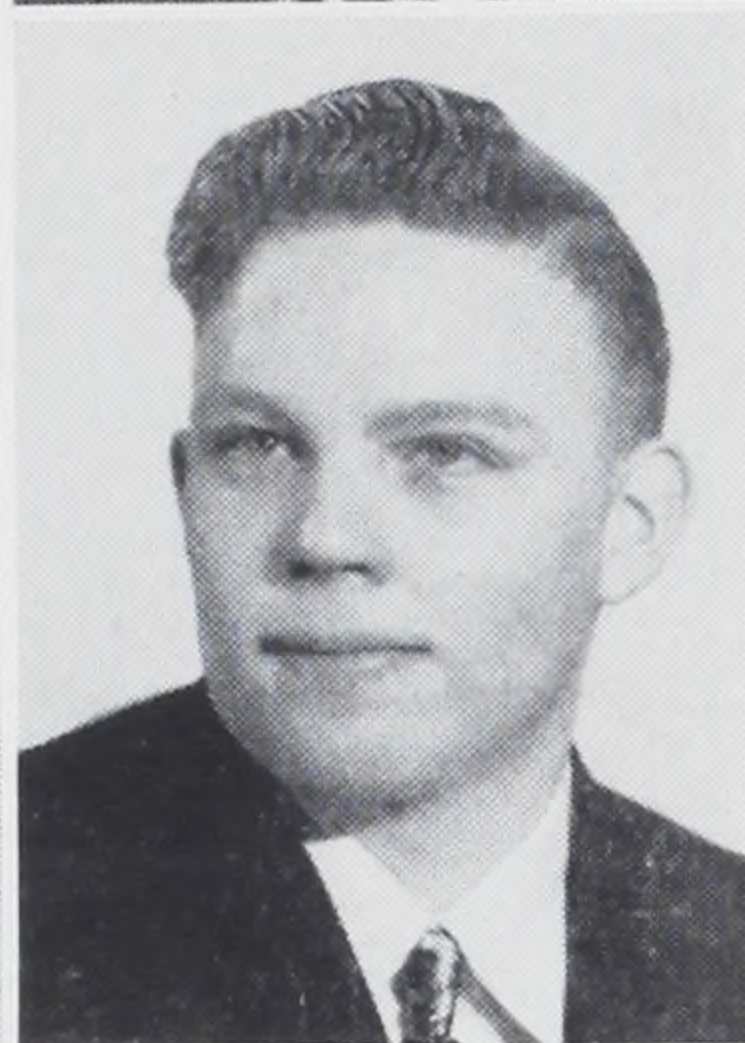
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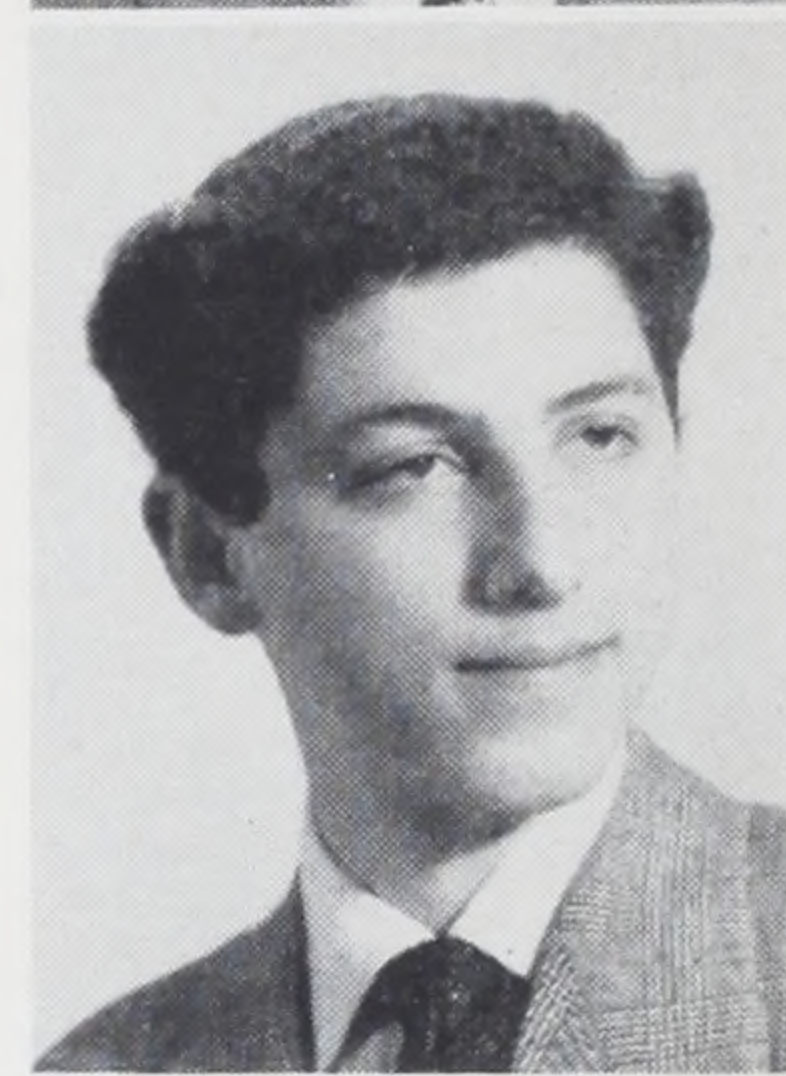
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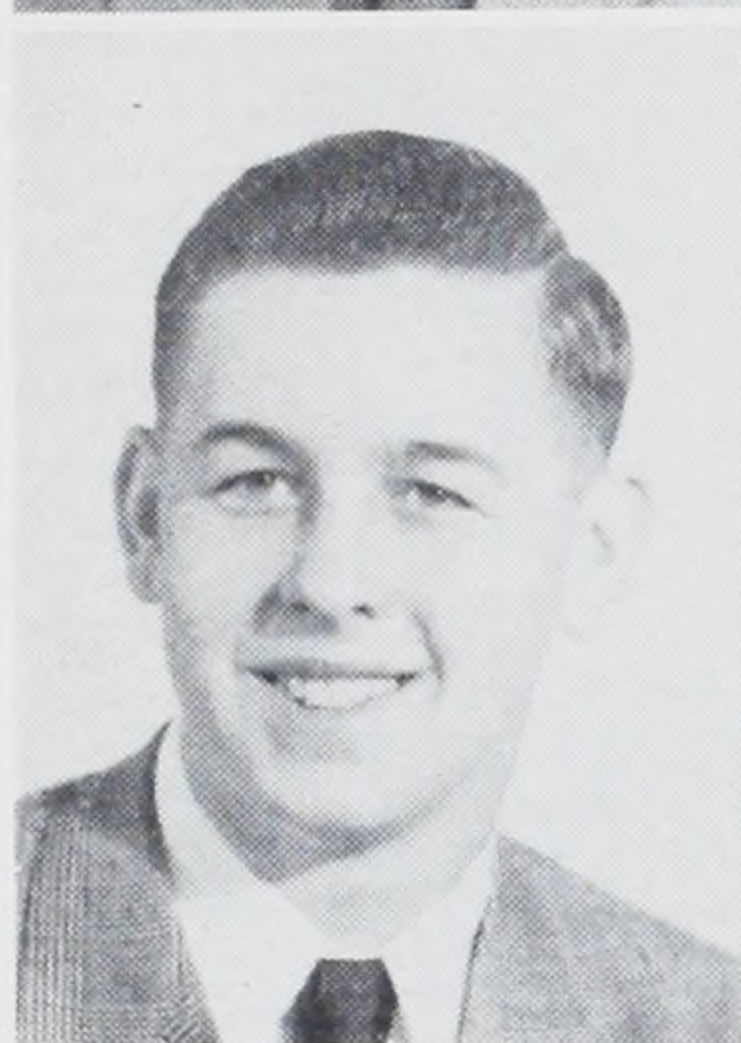
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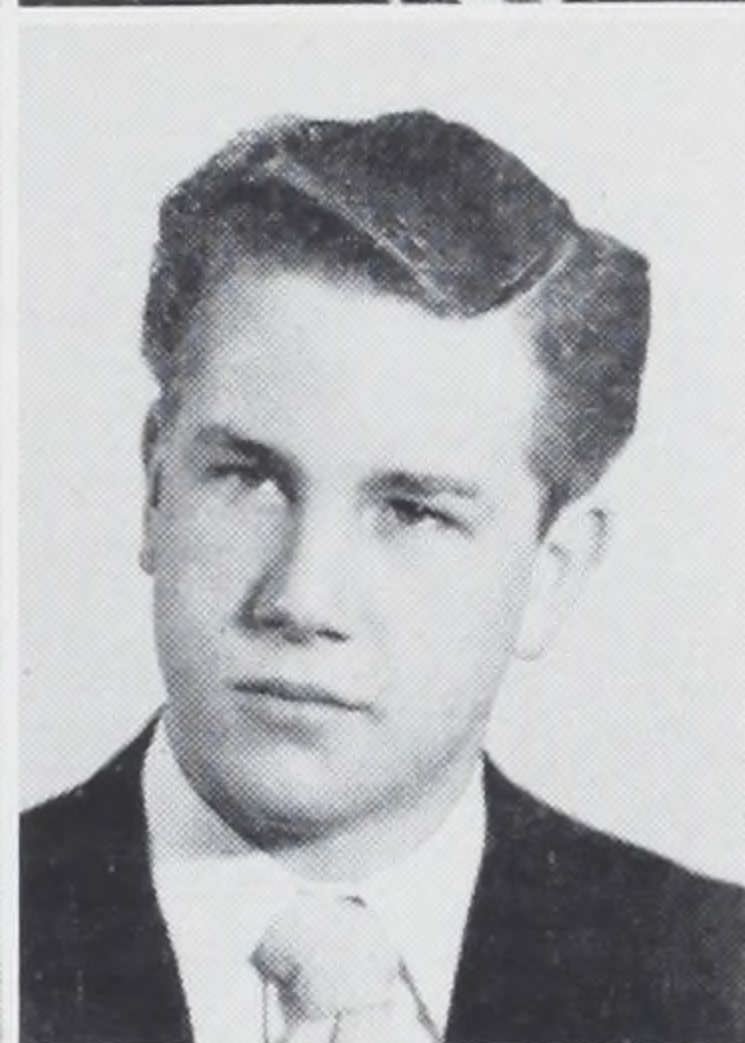
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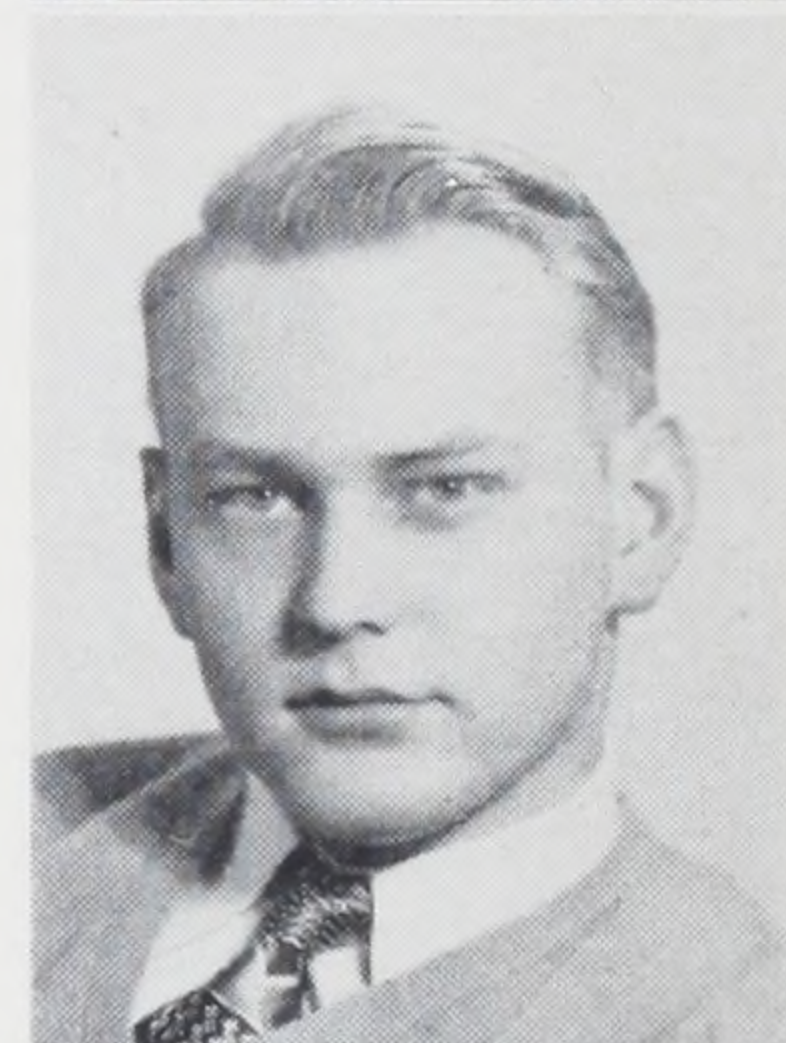
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Technical Electrical.

**GERALD SMITH**

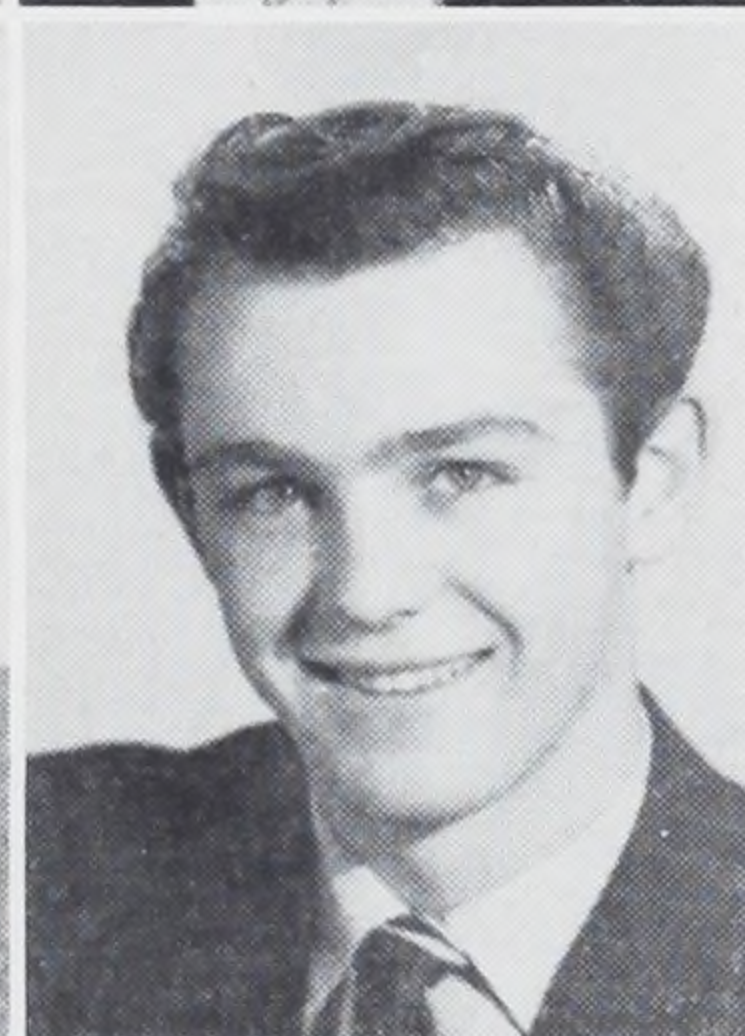
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**ALBERT STAGLE**

Technical Gas Engine; Bowling Club.

**JOHN STANTON**

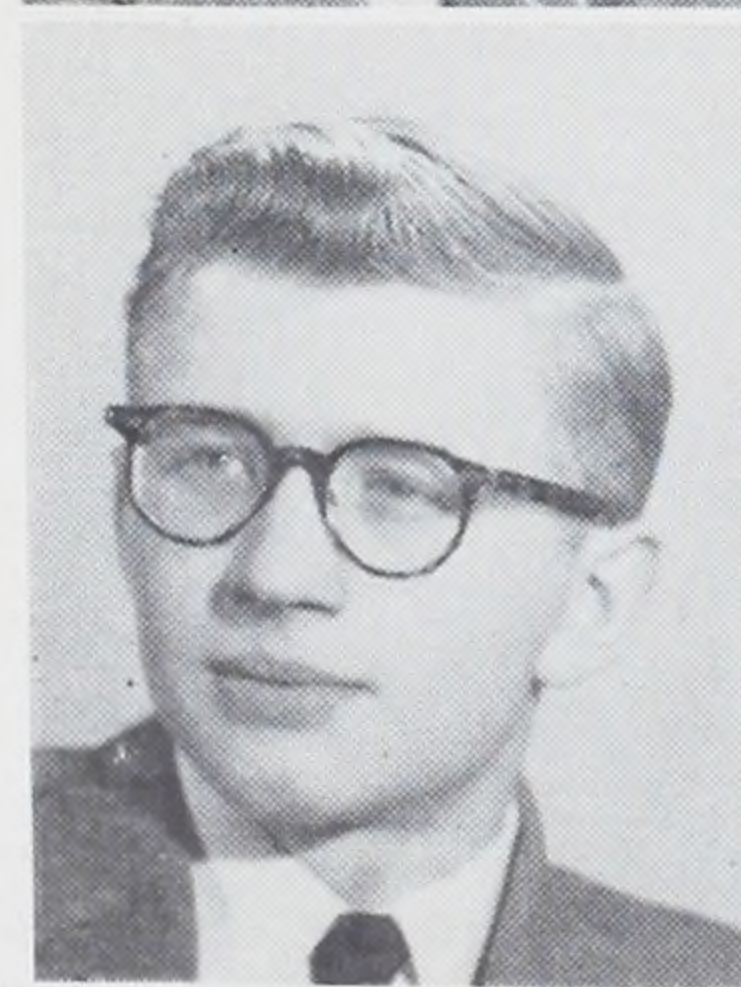
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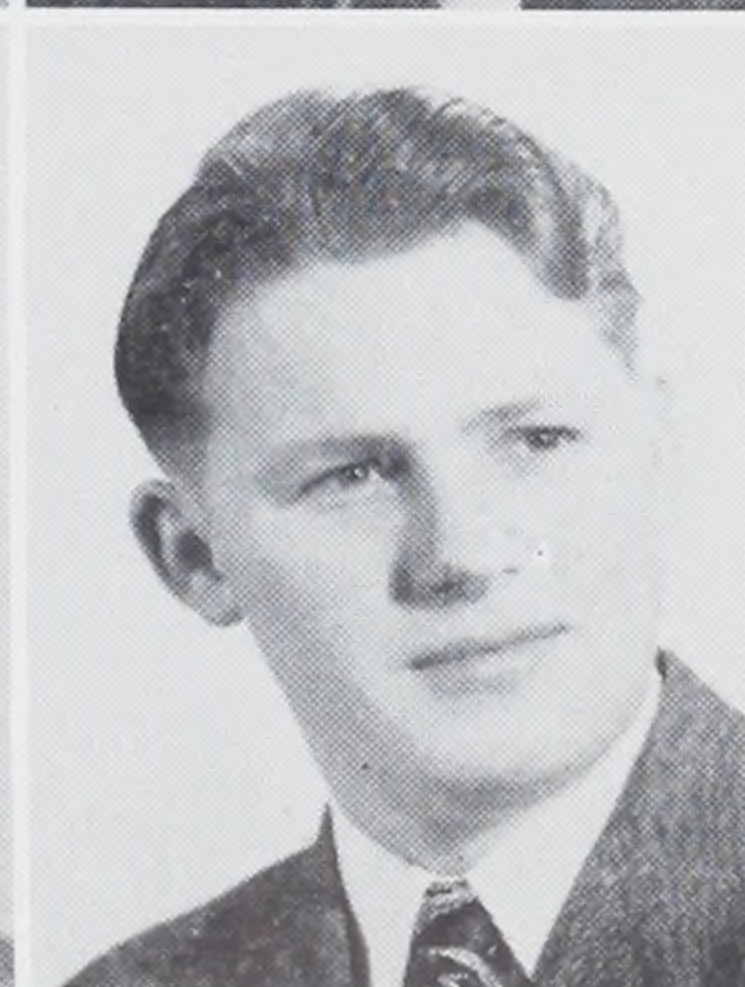
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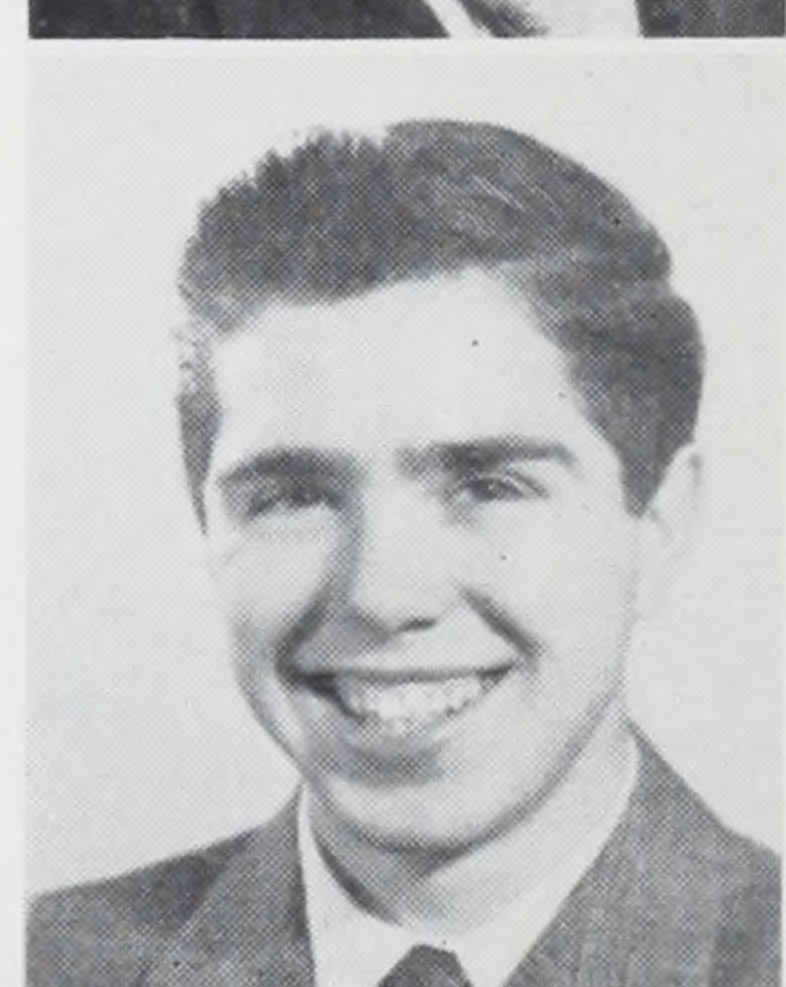
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**DAVID STENSVAD**

General.

**ROBERT STERLING**

General; Minuteman; Student Store.







**JAMES SWEENEY**

**SOPHUS NEIL SWENSON**  
General.

**NORMAN EUGENE THOMAN**  
Vocational Training; Minuteman; Inter-Club Council;  
Sports Editor Tech Pep; president Type-Hi Club; Bronze,  
Silver Scholarship Pins; Junior Baseball.



**AL THURBER**  
General; Band; Junior Baseball.

**GENE TOMLIN**  
Technical Aviation; Band; Executive Board; Glee Club;  
Minuteman; president, secretary Ski Club; Bronze  
Scholarship Pin; Junior Football; Swimming Team.

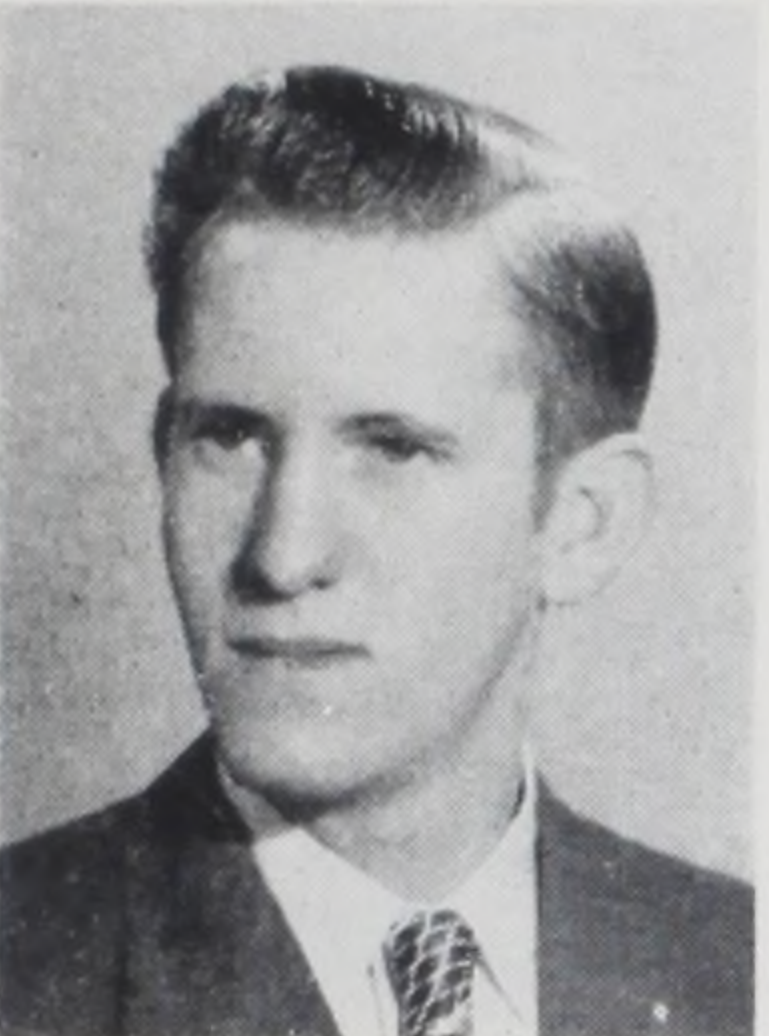
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Technical Electrical; Executive Board; Student Body  
Vice-President; Fire Squad; Hi-Y; Minuteman; Bronze,  
Silver, Gold, Special Gold Scholarship Pins; Junior  
Baseball and Football; Varsity Baseball.



**ROY TUTTLE**  
Technical Radio; secretary, vice-president Beta Sigma  
Delta; Minuteman; Poly Steppers; Inter-Club Council;  
Sailing Club; sergeant-at-arms Junior Craftsman; Class  
Play Staff; secretary Safety Council; Student Store;  
manager Basketball; Bronze, Silver, Gold Scholarship  
Pins.

**AL URQUHART**  
Technical Radio; Executive Board; Student Body Treas-  
urer; Fire Squad; Hi-Y; KBPS Staff; Minuteman; Editor  
Poly Tech; Class Play Staff; Bronze, Silver, Gold, Spe-  
cial Gold, Ruby Scholarship Pins.

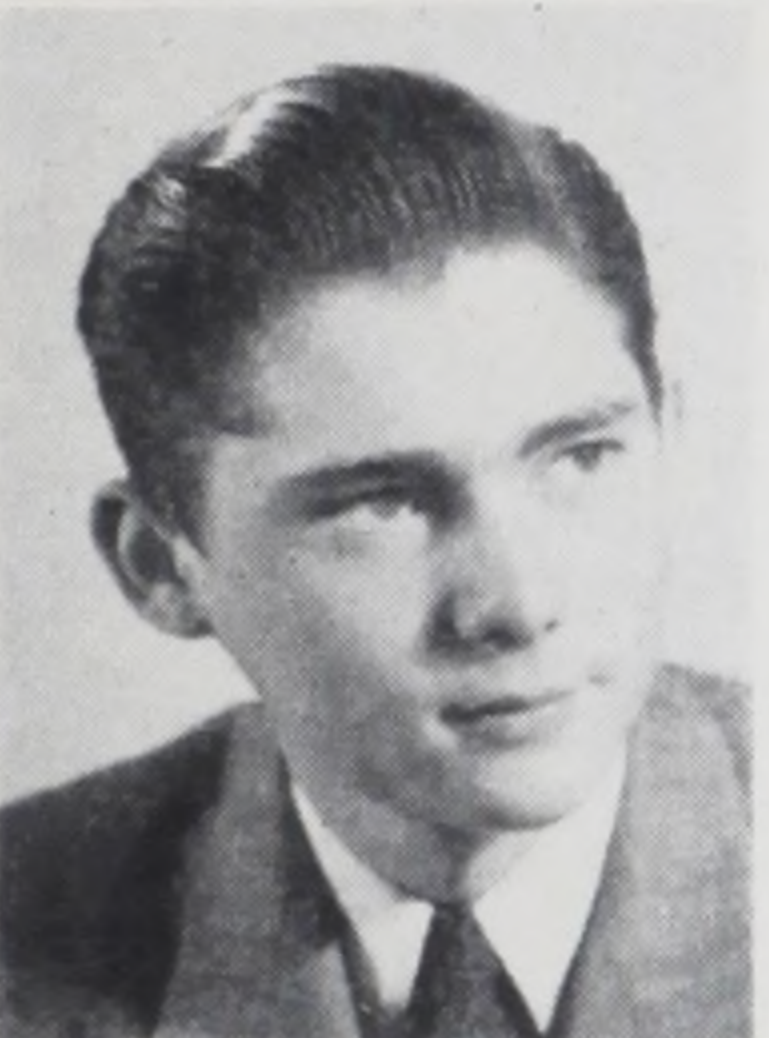
**STAN VANDERWAL**  
Technical Radio; secretary Band; All City Band; Pep  
Band; Representative Council; Minuteman; Bronze,  
Silver Scholarship Pins.



**ROBERT VANLANDINGHAM**  
Technical Electrical; Electric Club; lieutenant Fire  
Squad; Usher Corps.

**BILL VINCIQUERRA**  
Technical Gas Engine; lieutenant Fire Squad; sergeant-  
at-arms Usher Corps; Inter-Club Council; Minuteman;  
president Poly Steppers; sergeant-at-arms Roller Skat-  
ing Club.

**PAUL VOELLER**  
Technical Machine; Junior and Varsity Baseball; Junior  
Basketball.



**LOUIS VOSNIER**  
General; Poly Steppers.

**ROY WACK**  
Technical Building Construction; Hi-Y.

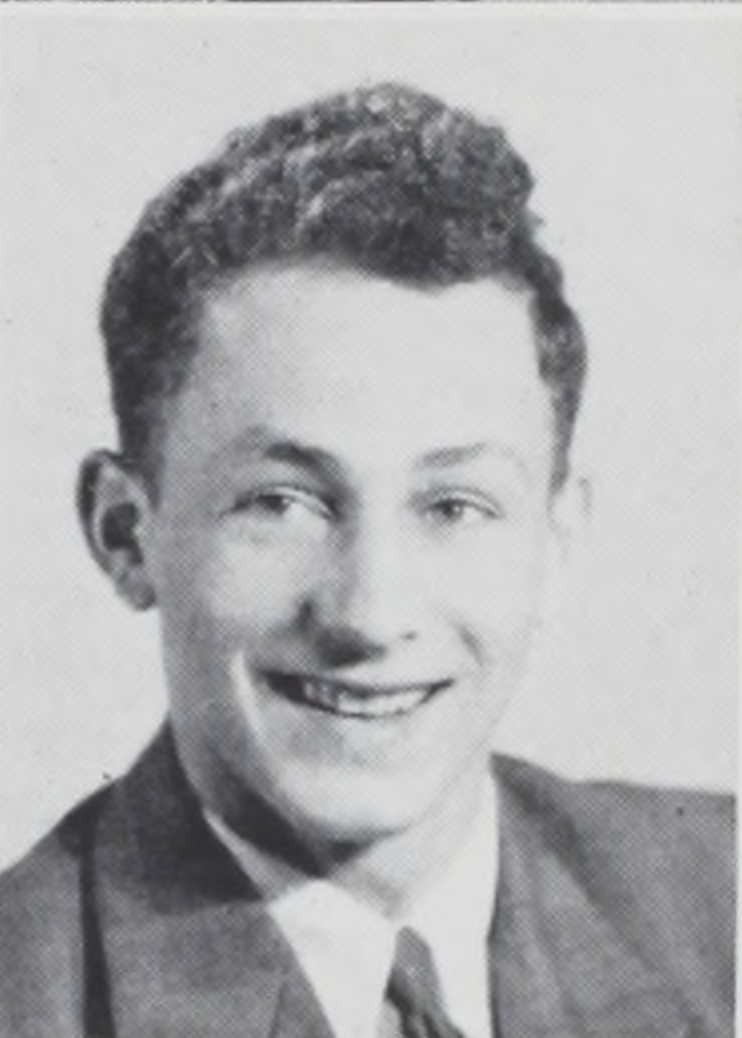
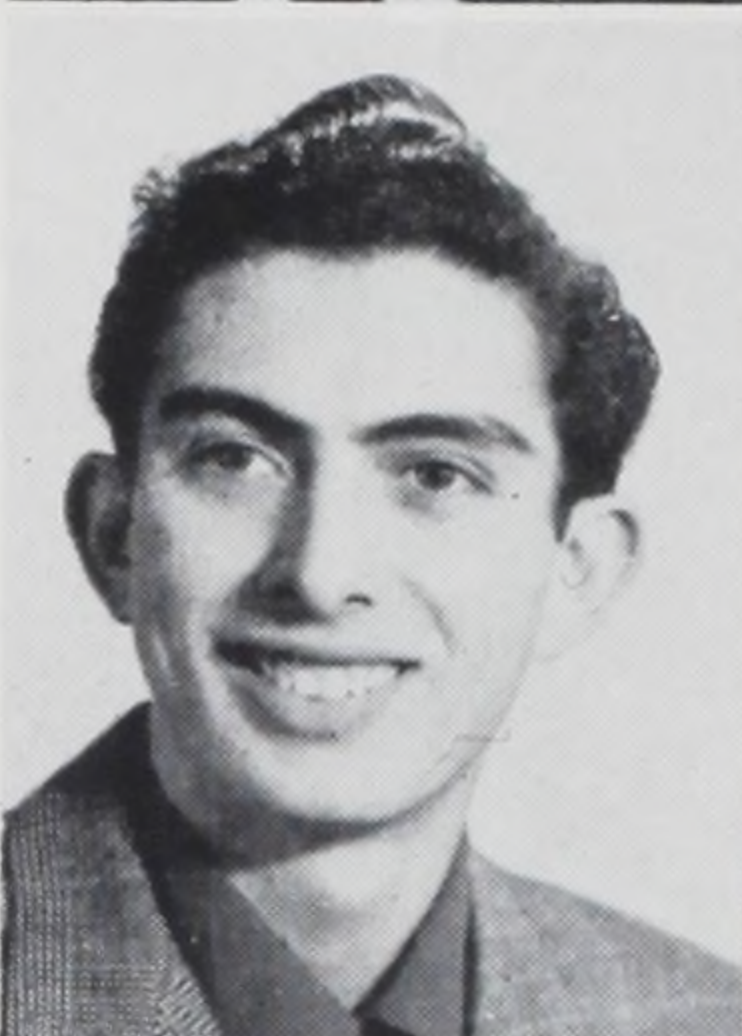
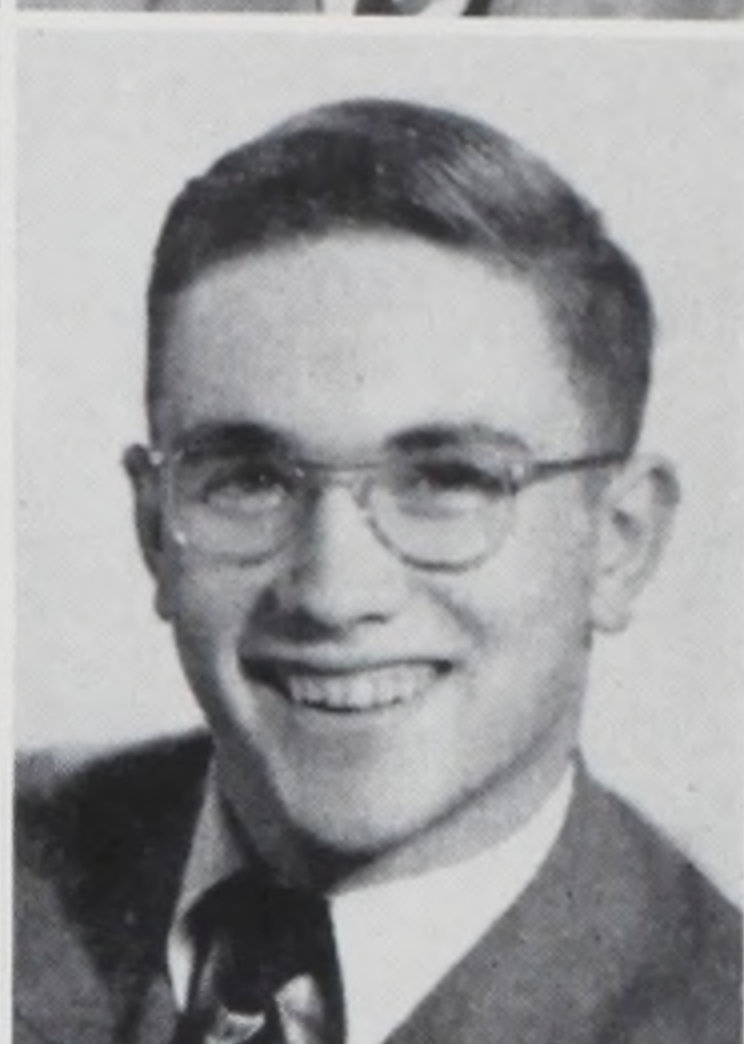
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General.



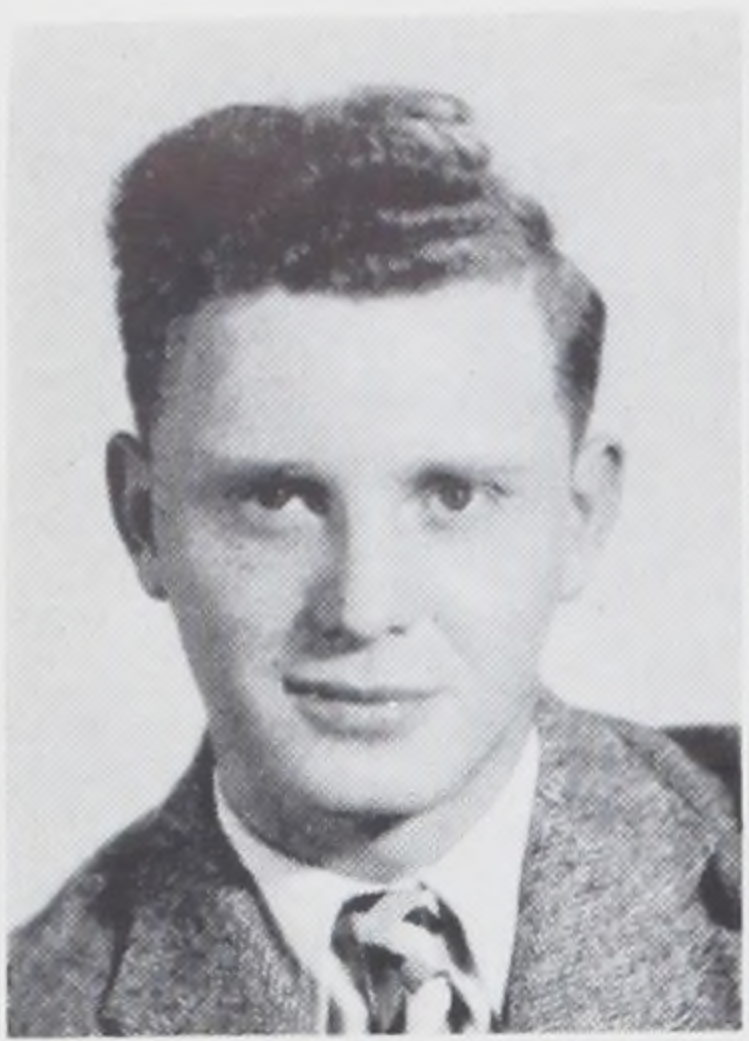
**FRANK WAGNER**  
Technical Radio; Minuteman; Poly Steppers.

**RICHARD WEATHERFORD**  
General; Poly Steppers; Football sergeant-at-arms.

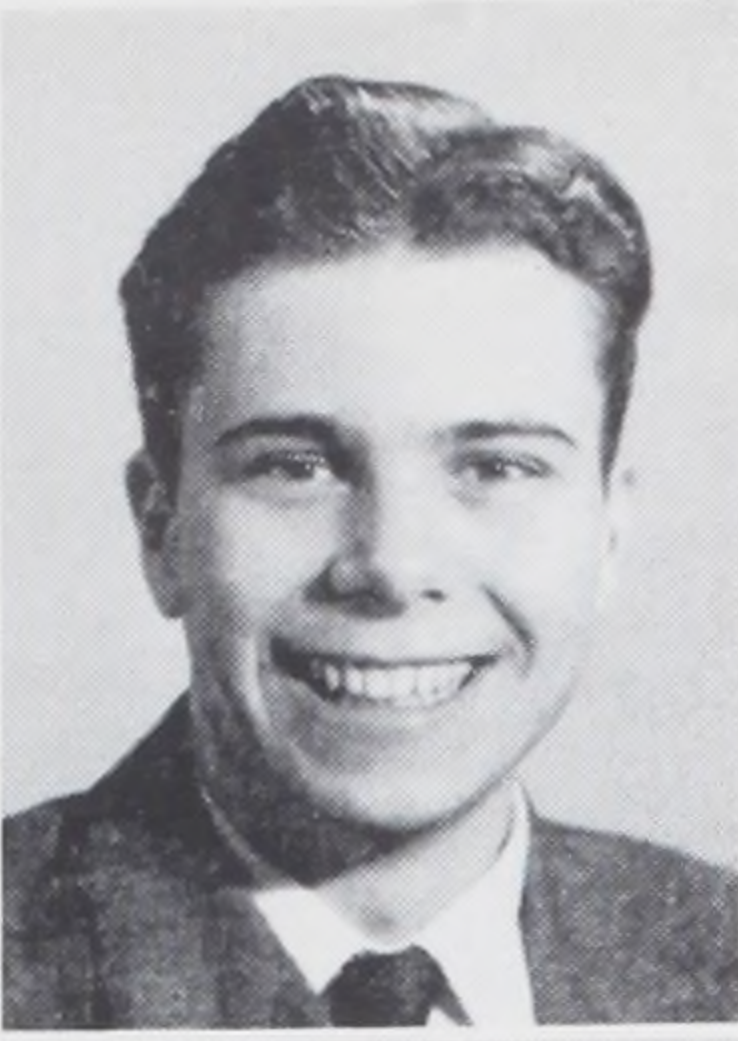
**JIM WELCH**  
General; Aviation Club; Band; Camera Club; Class  
Play Staff; Swimming Club; Roller Skating.



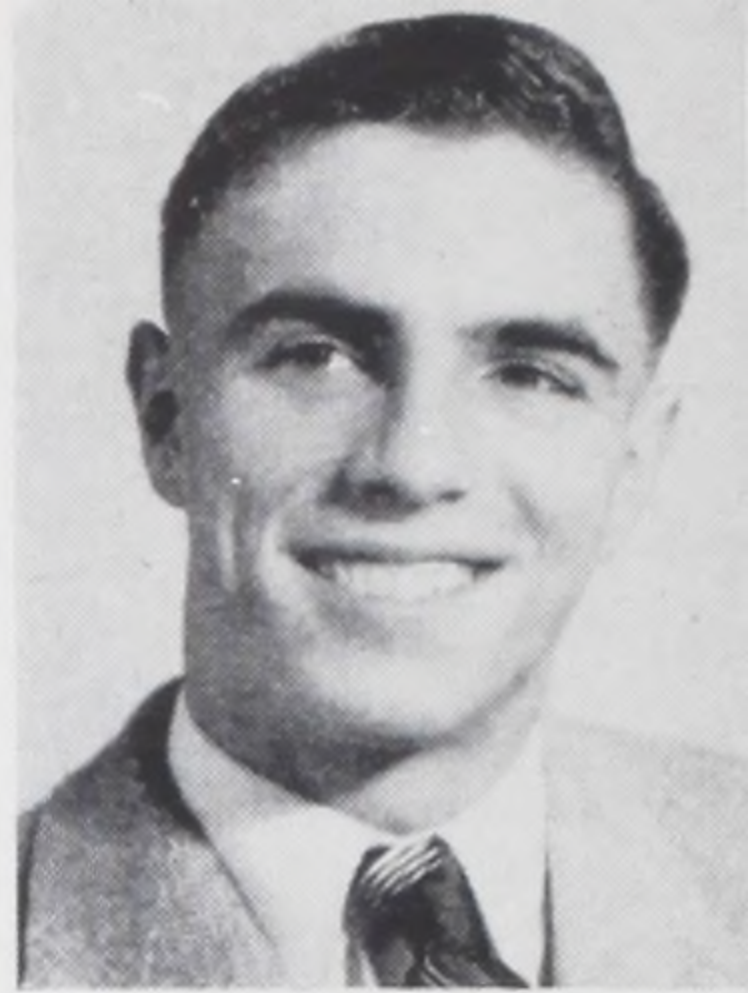




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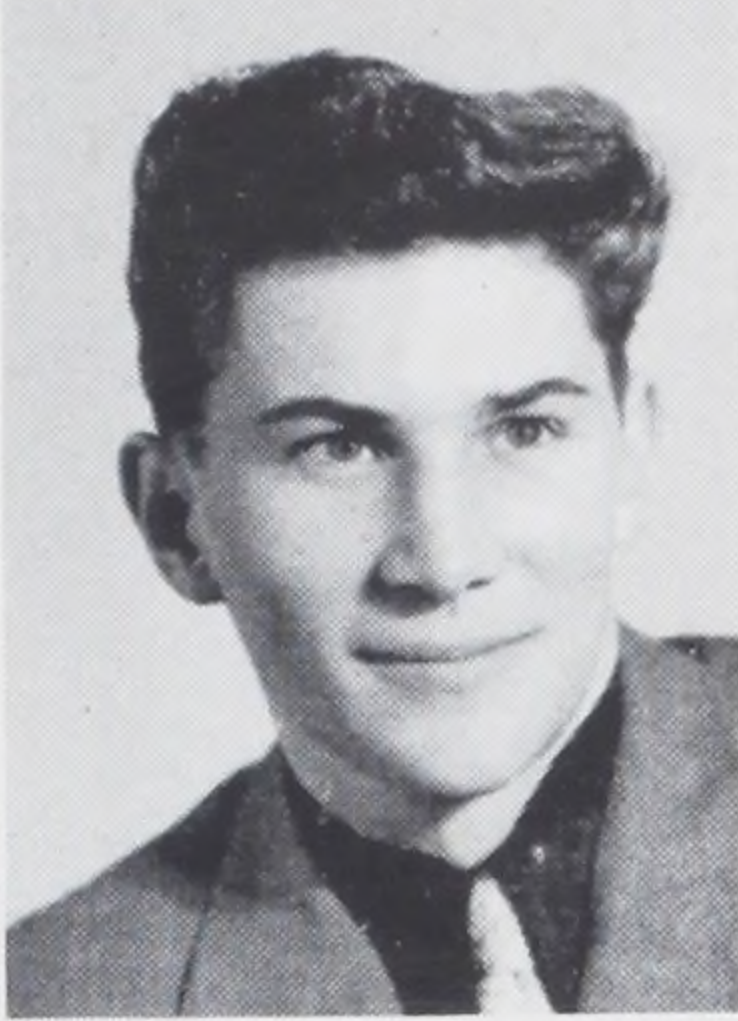
**DAVID J. WILSON**  
General; Fire Squad; Glee Club; Inter-Club Council;  
Class Play Staff; Roller Skating Club.



**DAVID L. WILSON**  
General.



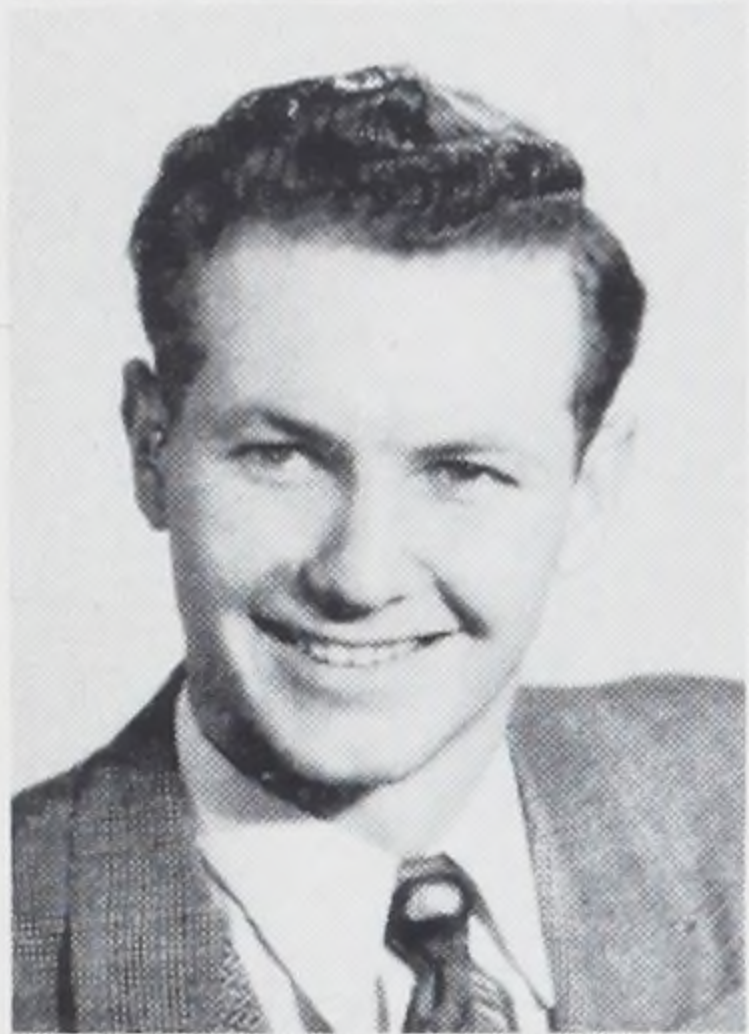
**DON WILSON**  
General; Band; Minuteman; Poly Steppers.



**LELAND WILSON**  
General; Minuteman; sergeant-at-arms, vice-president,  
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secretary Usher Corps.



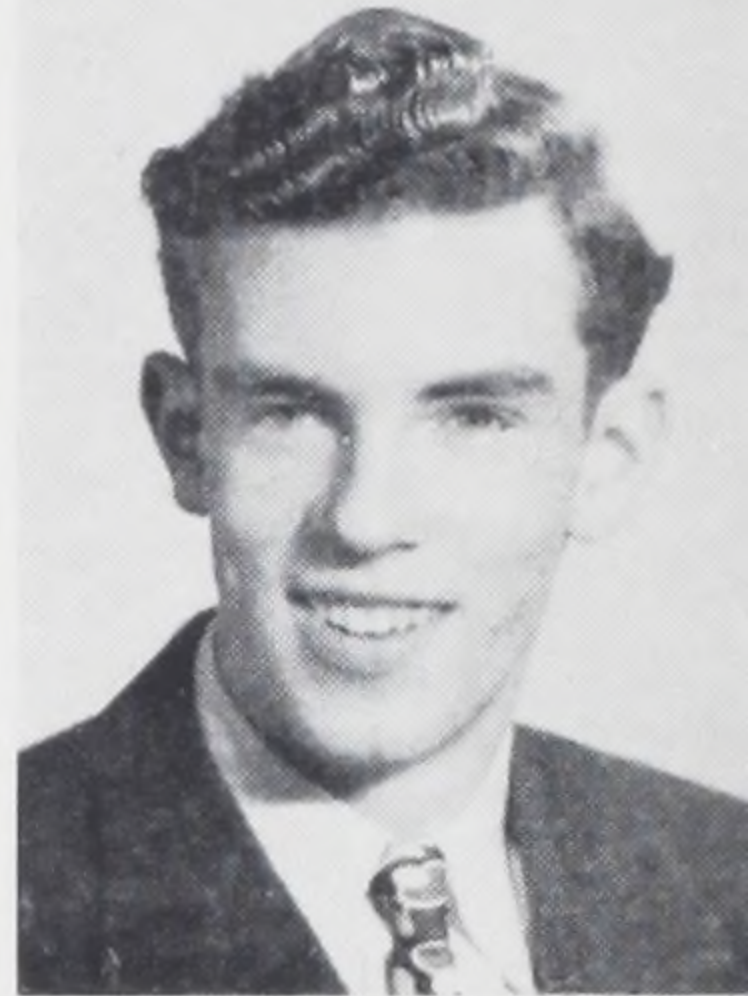
**DEL WILLINGHAM**  
General; Minuteman; Orange "B"; Hi-Y; Tech Pep  
Staff; Varsity Basketball; Varsity Baseball; Player of  
the Week.



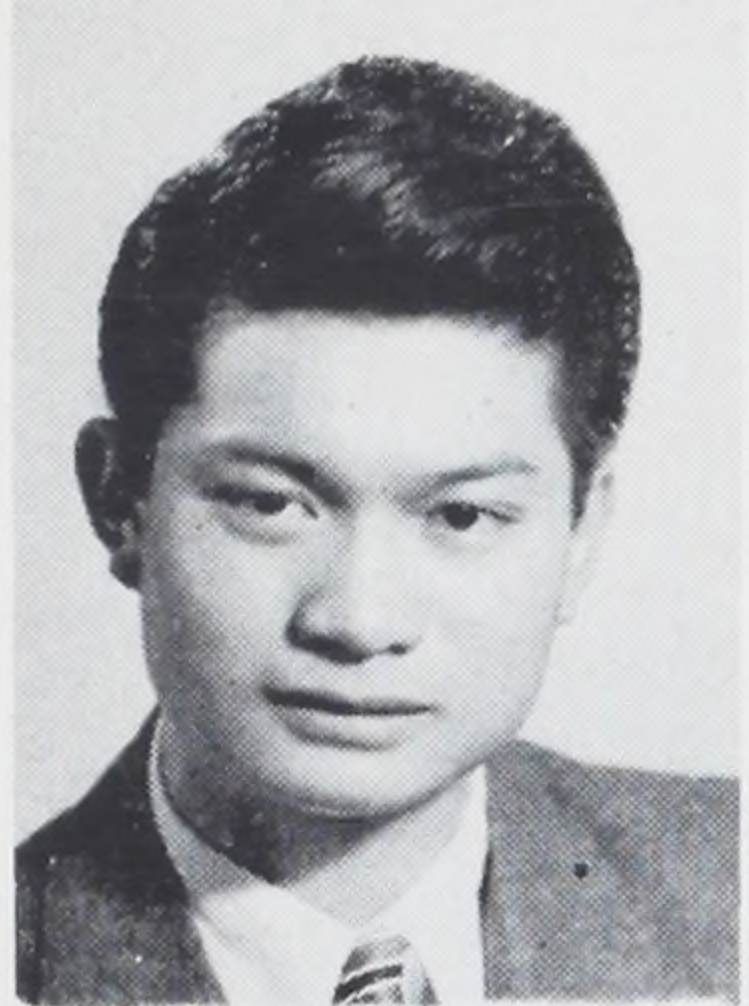
**JIMMIE WIRTJES**  
General; Inter-Club Council; Bronze, Silver Scholar-  
ship Pins; Usher Corps; vice-president Safety Council.



**EUGENE WIRTHLIN**  
General; Band; Optimists; Usher Corps.



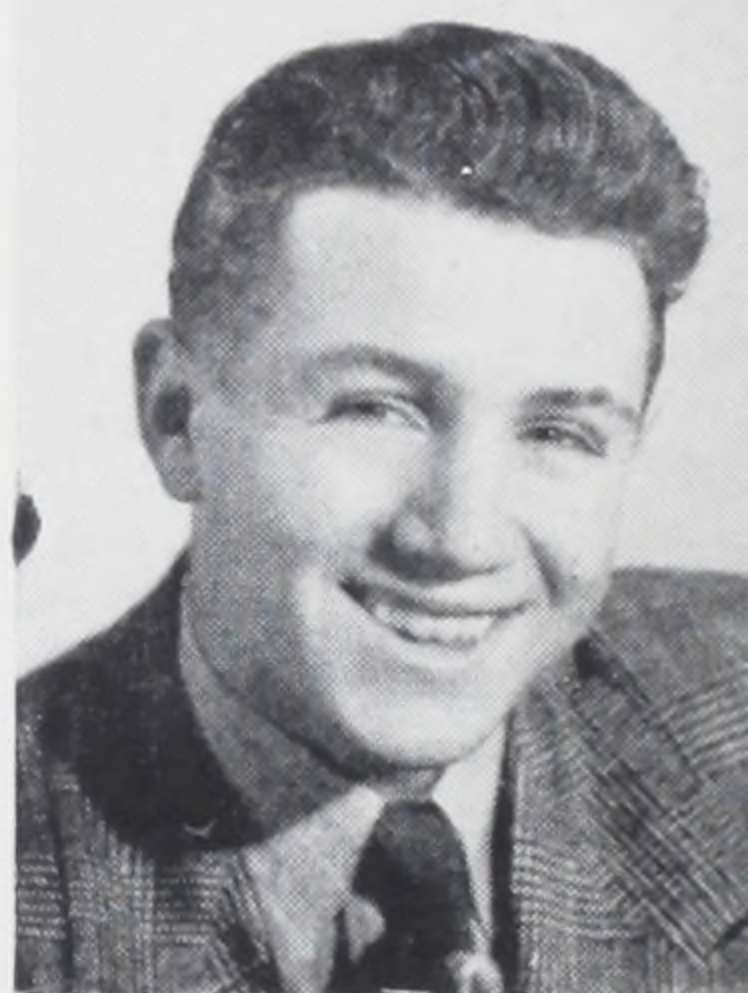
**CLIFFORD WOLF**  
Technical Radio; Fire Squad; KBPS Staff; Minuteman.



**FRED WONG**  
General; Electric Club.



**DONALD ZETTL**  
General; Inter-Club Council; Editor in Chief Tech Pep;  
Type-Hi Club; Ice Hockey (All City); Citizen of the  
Week.



**ROBERT ZIEGLE**  
Technical Gas Engine; Bronze, Silver Scholarship Pins;  
Junior and Varsity Baseball; Junior and Varsity Basket-  
ball.



**DAVID STRAUSER**  
General.

#### NOT PICTURED

JAMES ALDERSON  
ROBERT BARLOW  
ROGER BOYD  
WILBERT BUTLER  
ELMER CASSIDY  
MILTON DALBY  
ARTHUR DAVIS  
DONALD DICKINSON  
ROBERT FINKLE  
ROBERT GALLOWAY  
JEFFERY GOODWILL

FRANK HAMILTON  
RALPH HARDING  
KEITH HARRIS  
DAN HAYS  
ROLLAND HENDERSON  
ROBERT HOWARD  
KENNETH HUMBIRD  
BUFORD JONES  
DELMER KINNEY  
RICHARD KNITTEL  
JOSEPH LEEHAN

DAN LEONARD  
DANIEL LOUMENA  
LEE MILLER  
ALTON MORGAN  
CHARLES NASH  
JAMES OGREN  
JOHN O'ROURKE  
RONALD OWENS  
RICHARD POPP  
FREDERICK RAYNER

FRANCIS REYNOLDS  
WILLIAM STRICKLAN  
FRED TAYLOR  
RONALD THORTON  
FRANK WALWORTH  
HARRY WERNER  
JAMES WILLIAMS  
ALFRED WOODLEY  
EARL WOOLERY  
GORDON YORKE



# CLASS PROPHECY

NAME	HE THINKS	WE THINK
John Ake	Engineer	Sewer cleaner
Jack Andersen	Ball player	Pinball player
Ernie Bauder	Electrical engineer	Railroad engineer
Frank Beeson	Navy	Wrestler
Mickey Berry	Salesman	Peanut vendor
Dwight Brown	Teacher	Vice-principal
Gerald Chadburn	The man who tries the hardest	Lazy bum
Tom Cosgrove	Pugilist?????	Prize fighter
John Dannemann	Radio store	Dannemann's dry goods
Donald Davidson	Track star	Jockey
Westley Dix	Radio engineer	Clamdigger
Egon Elsner	Consulting engineer	Second Einstein
Lester Forney	Photographer	Dope smuggler
Mike Godsil	Sailor	Traveling salesman
Bob Hilmer	Quiet and unassuming	God's gift to women
Bill Henkel	Undecided	Undecided hot rod driver
Dick Iverson	Airport manager	Model airplane builder
Dale Kugel	Conductor, symphony	Conductor, streetcar
Paul Jeffs	Flag pole sitter	Flag pole
Jack Jennings	Movie actor	Singing cowboy
Don Johnson	Architect	Movie actor
Clarence Langman	"I'm a no go' nasay"	Manufacturer of blue tee shirts
Charles Mariani	Sheetmetal man	"Man of Steel"
Bill Minnerly	Millionaire	Pauper
Bob Moore	Tubist, symphony	Tubist, Salvation Army
John Neuman	Engineer	Brakeman
Carl Nielsen	Rancher	Waiter at the Ben Tech Inn
Lee Powers	Radio	Soap opera
Carl Ramsten	Dashing tycoon	Dazed typhoon
Dave Schmidt	Man	Musician
Gene Tomlin	Forester	Knothead
Al Urquhart	Editor	Carrier-salesman
Kay Warner	Marines	52-20 Club
Gene Wirthlin	Doesn't know	Doesn't care
Bill Vinceguera	Ballroom dancer	Bubble dancer
Gordon Yorke	Professional basketball player	Dribbler
Don Zettle	Journalist	Always last



# CLASS PLAY



SITTING: Mary Jacobs, Miss Barta, Nancy Landen, Joyce Weber, Barbara Pomeroy, Joyce Yungbluth.  
STANDING: Virginia Peterson, Bill Clark, John Mothershead, Jack Jennings, Al Urquhart, John Ake, Roy Kirkham, George Roth, Virginia Fellon, Jim Welch.

## SENIOR CLASS PLAY

On December 3 and 4, 1948, the class of 1949 presented Carl Webster Pierce's play "Room Trouble" in the Benson Auditorium. The "trouble" is between two brothers, Irving and Peter Haven, who share the same bedroom, but have different likes, mainly women and frogs. The difficulty is overcome by the end of the play when Irv falls in love with Ruby, the girl next door, leaving Murry, his pal, holding the bag (of frogs).

The senior class is grateful to the girls of Girls Poly, the stage crew and property managers, the publicity committee, and the minute men for their work, without which this play would not have been a success.



# "ROOM TROUBLE"



Wow!



Puppy Love



Aw \$' &%(#\$)



Music ??

Singing ??



Dancing ??



Oh what pretty legs



Heck no.

But Pa!



Eeee Gads



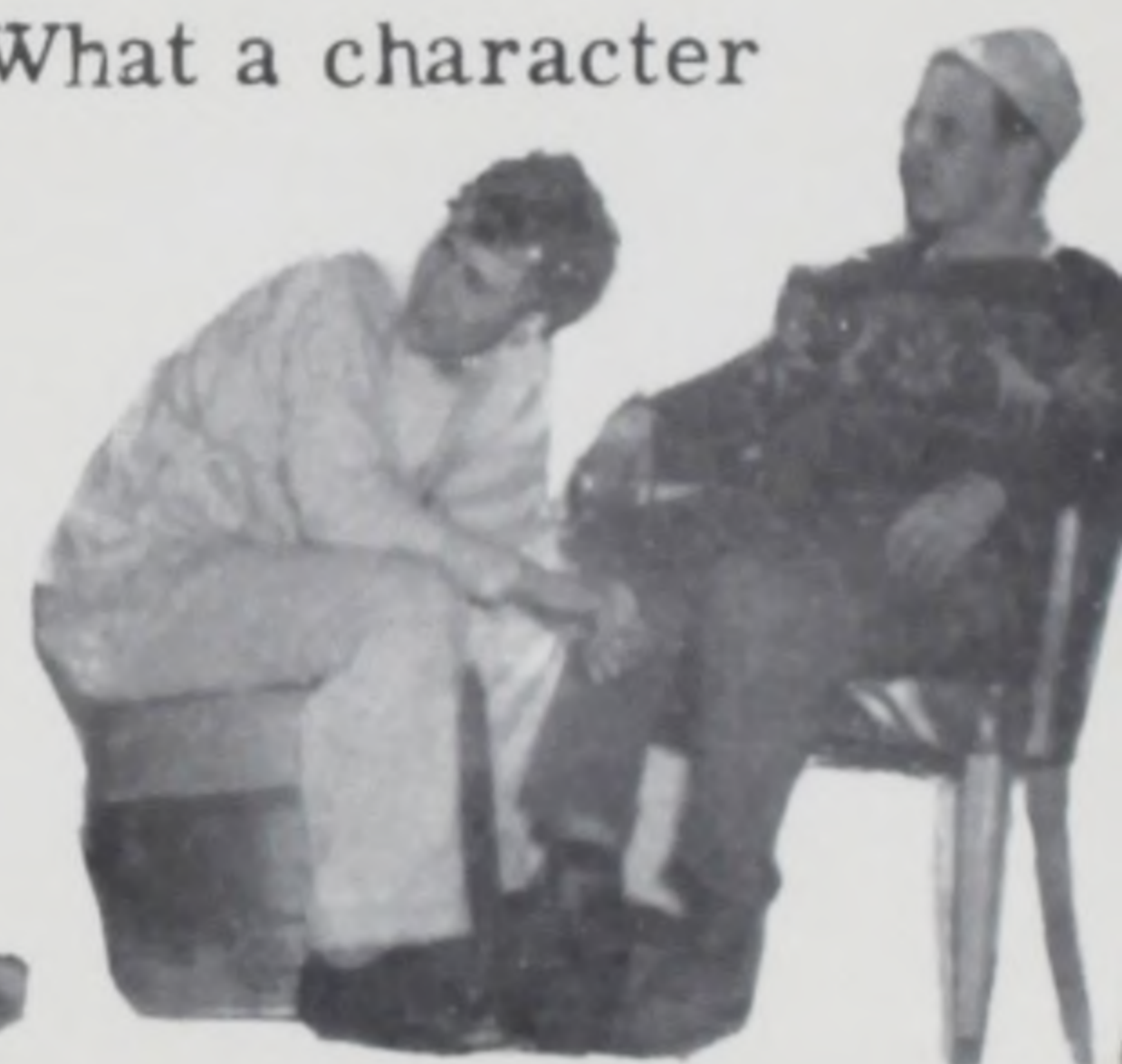
Yoo hoo



Tragedy



What a character



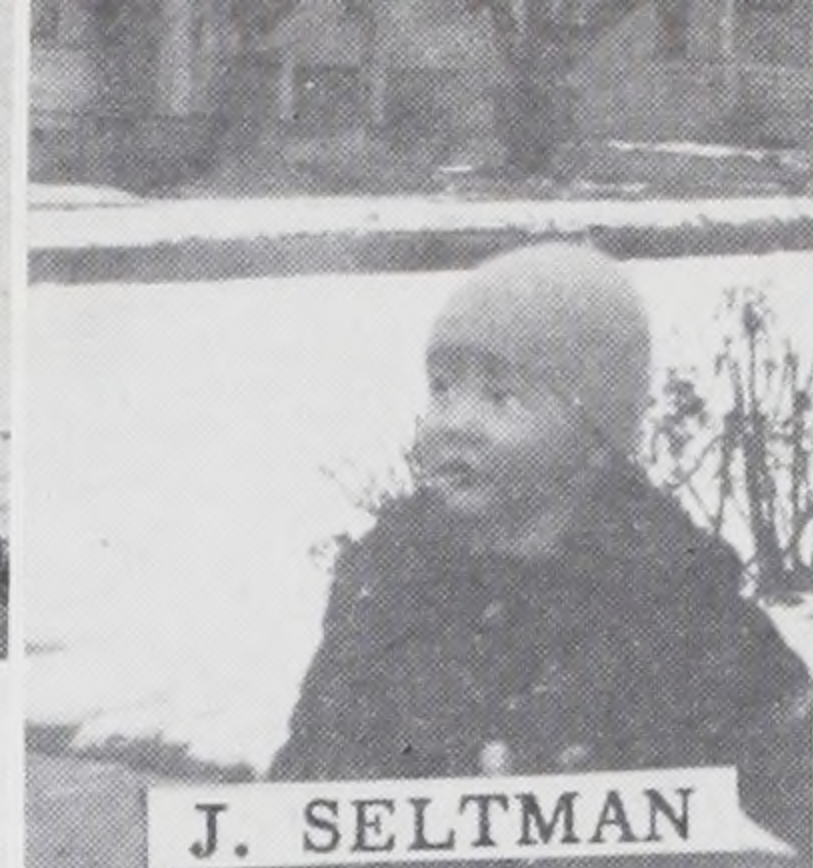




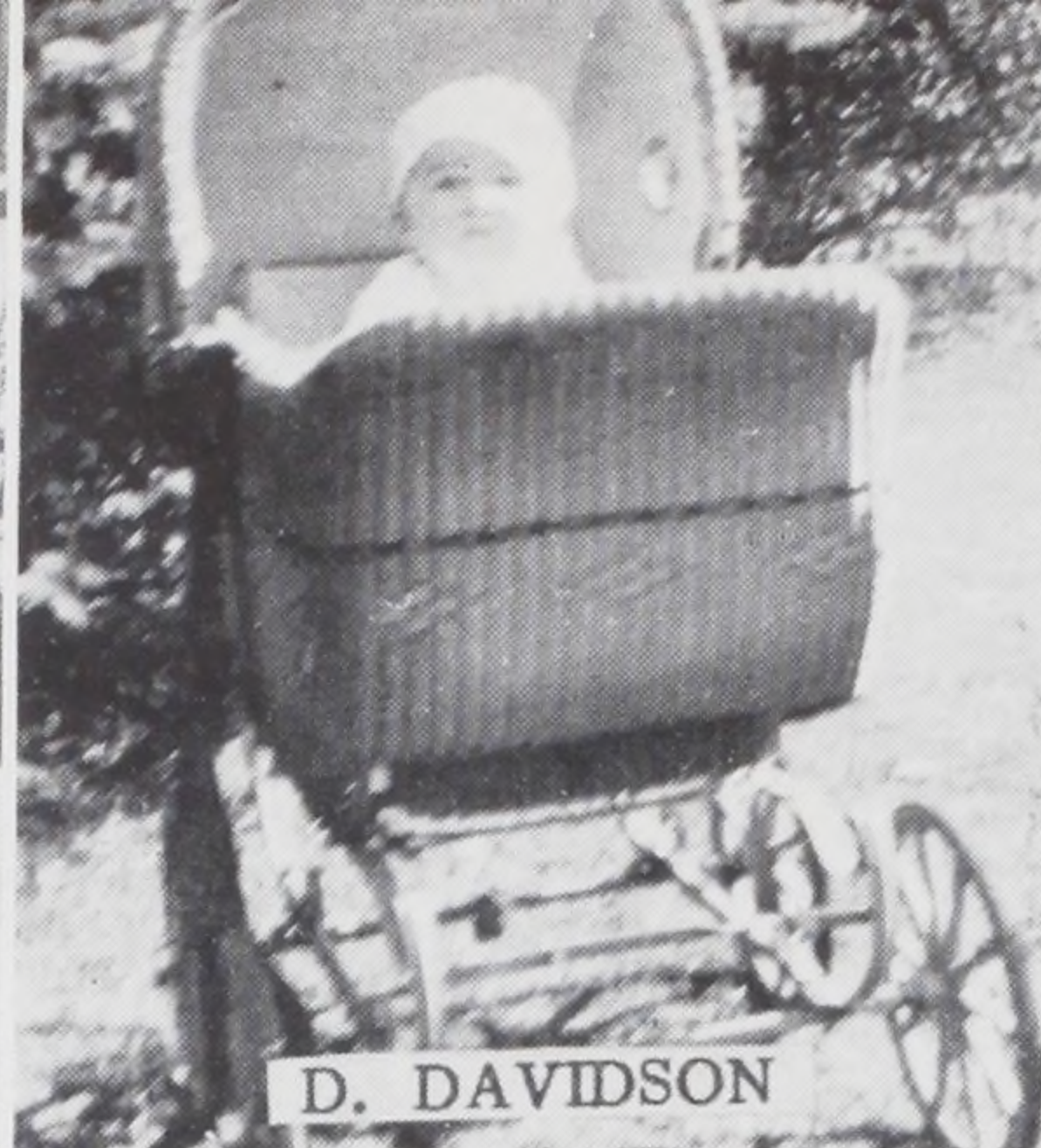
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C. RAMSTEN



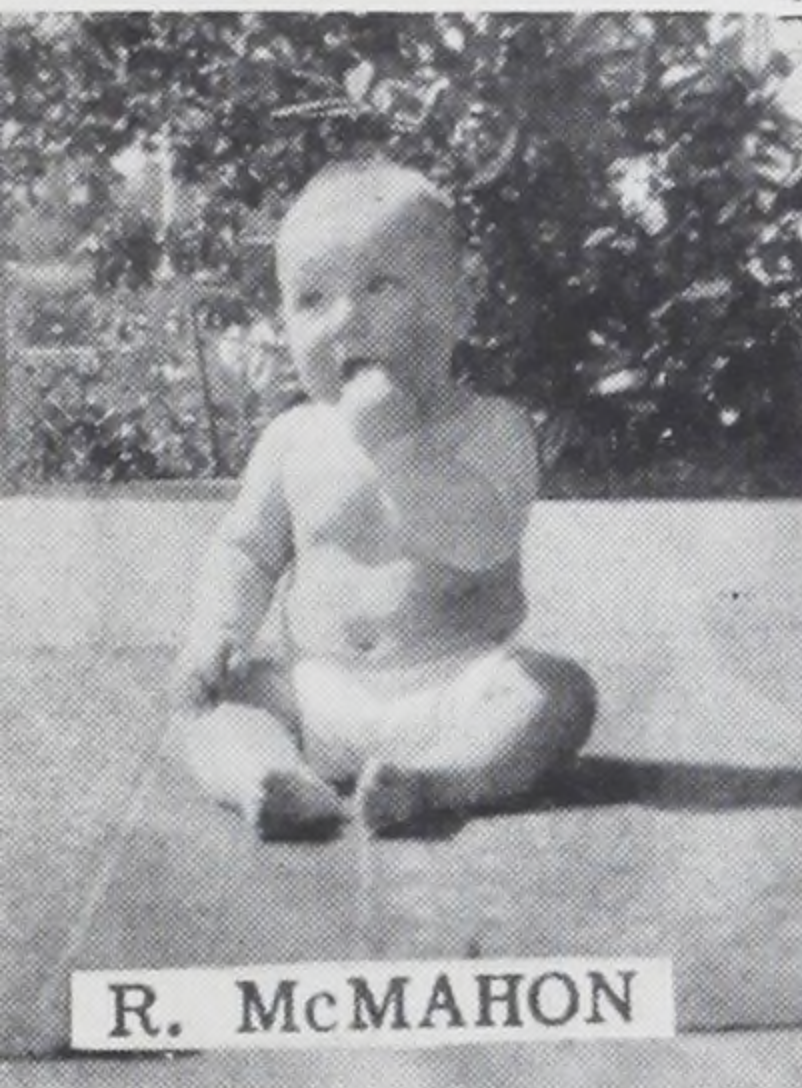
J. SELTMAN



D. DAVIDSON



G. CHADBURN



R. McMAHON



R. SCHIEWE



B. ROSE



D. BROWN



H. GOBLER



J. JENNINGS



R. LeVALLEY



C. KERLEE



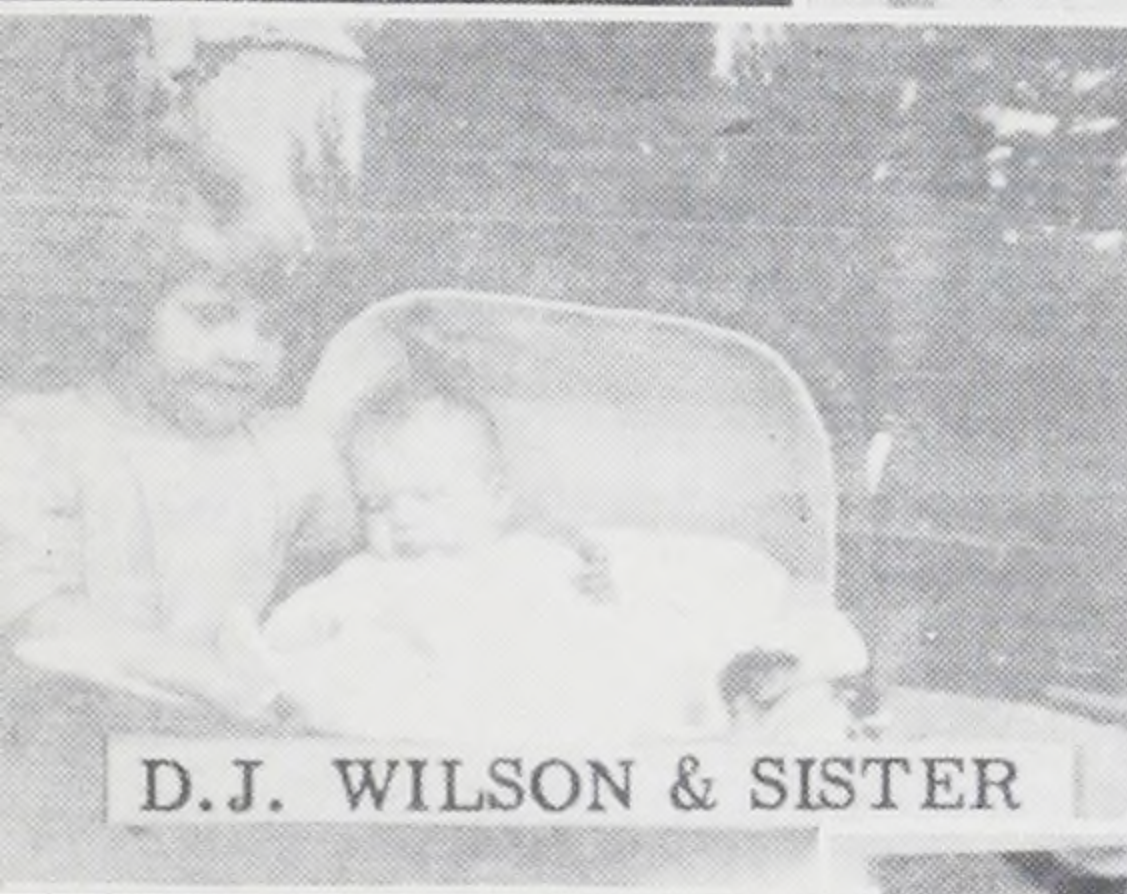
R. IVERSON



GUESS WHO



A. ASHWORTH



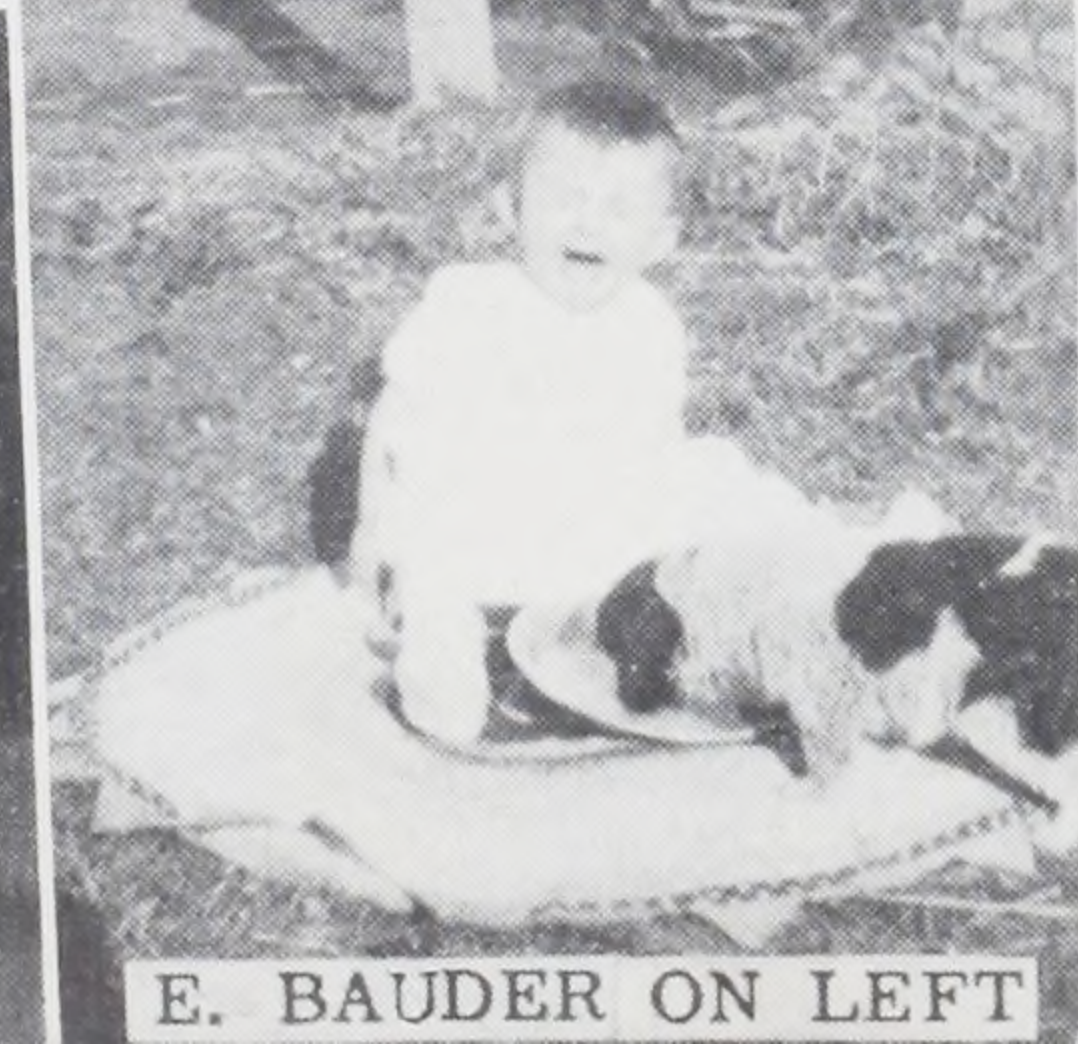
D.J. WILSON & SISTER



K. PETERSON



R. ALBRECHT



E. BAUDER ON LEFT



F. BEESON

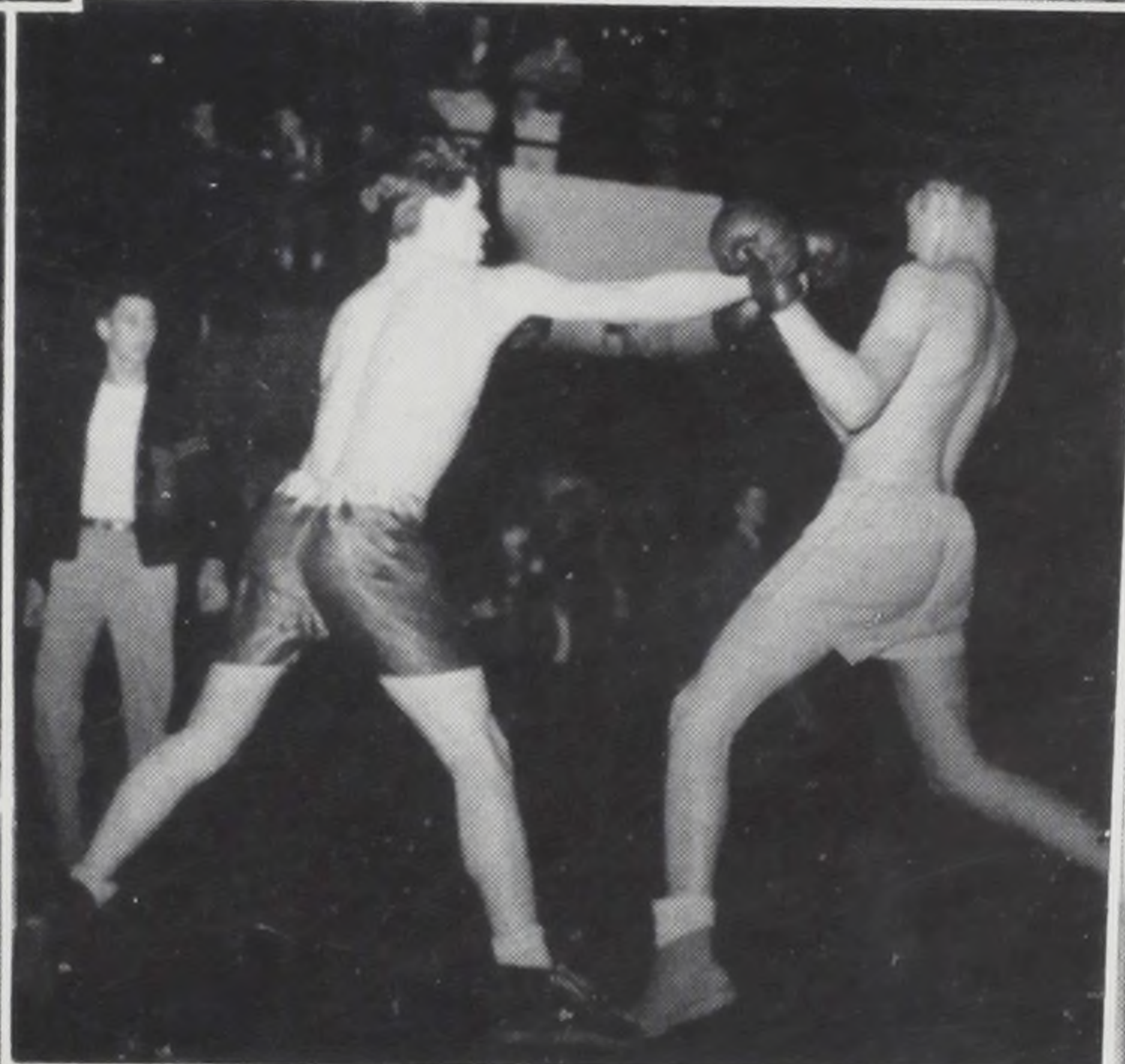
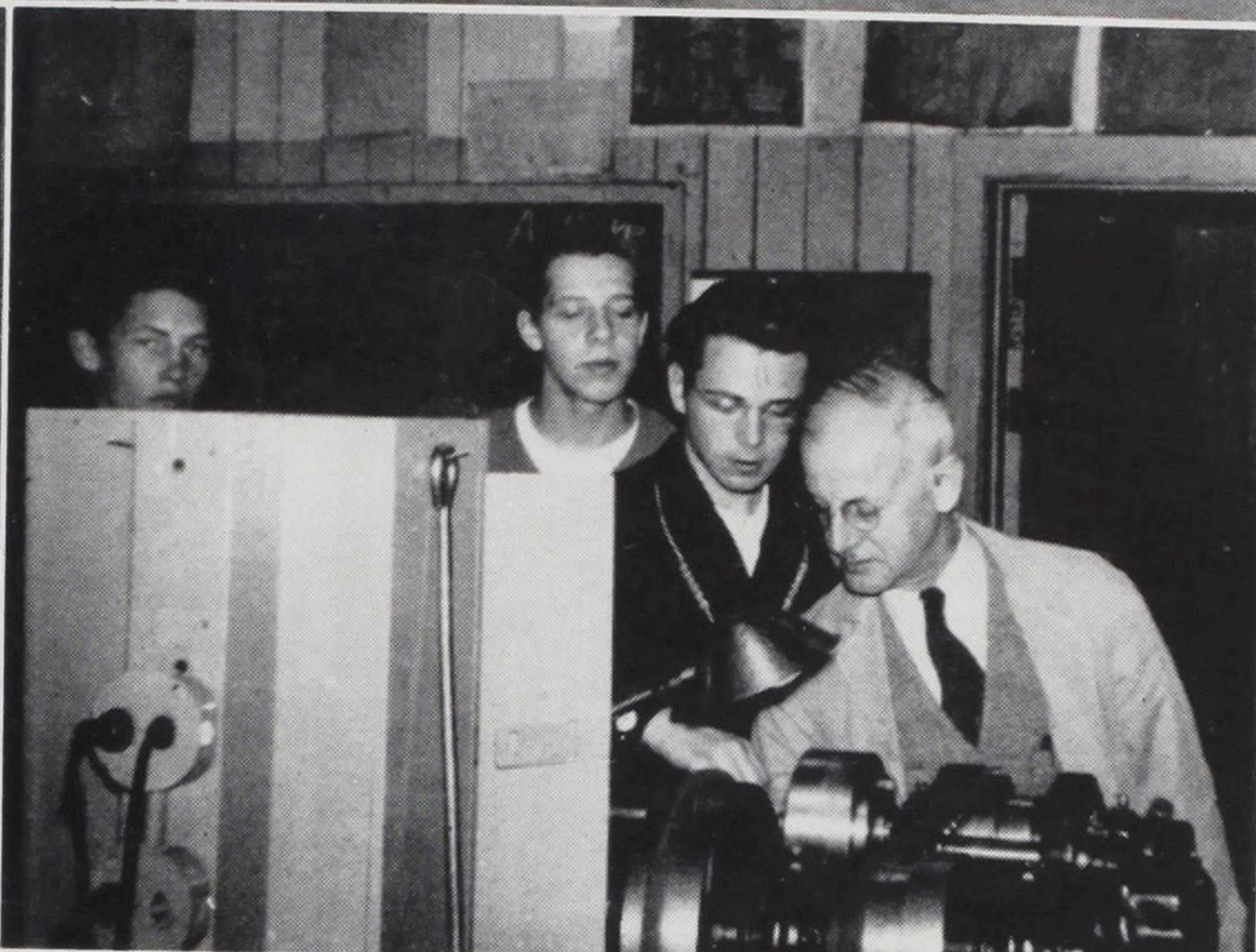


C. O'DELL



C. WOLF





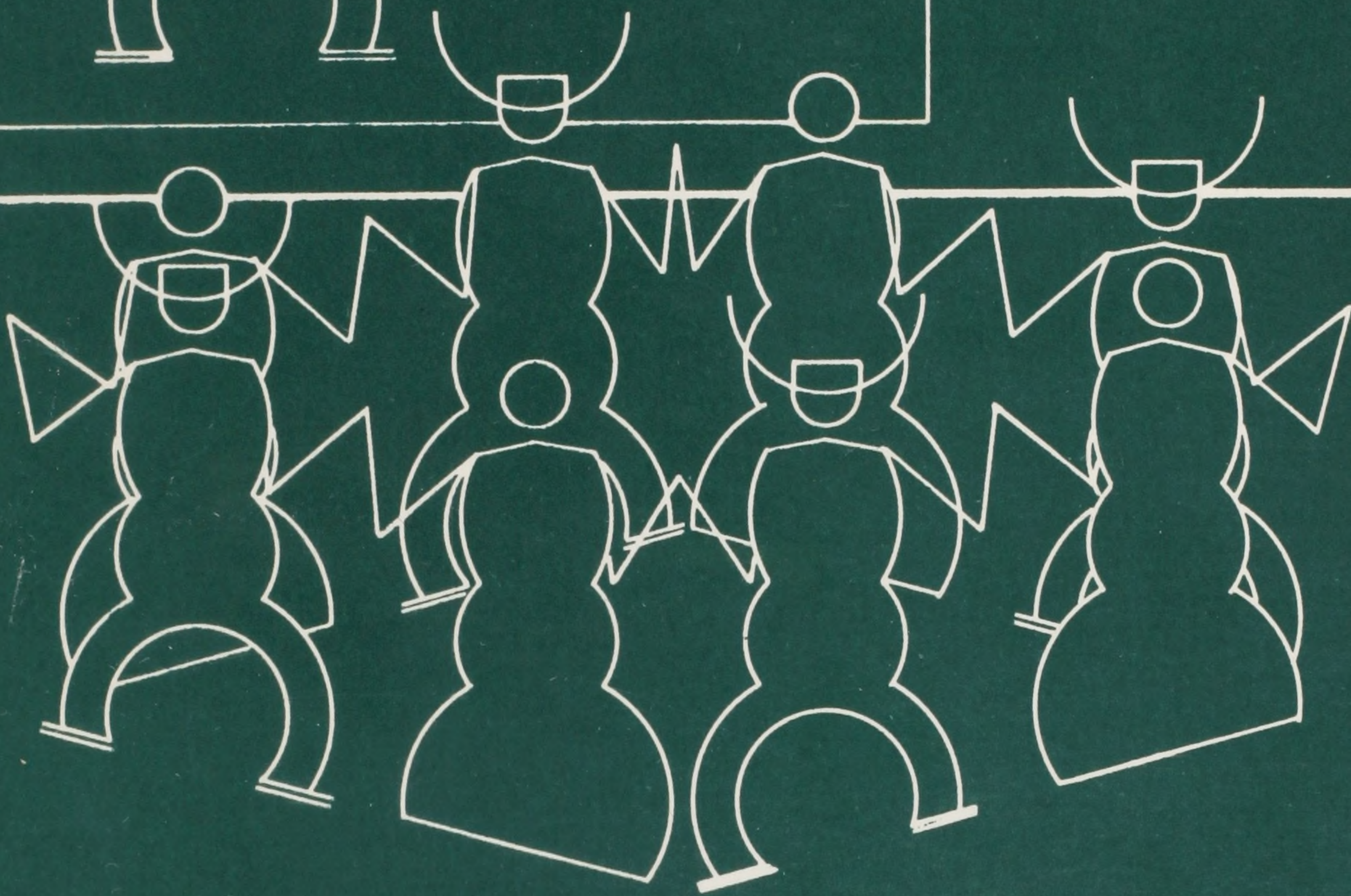








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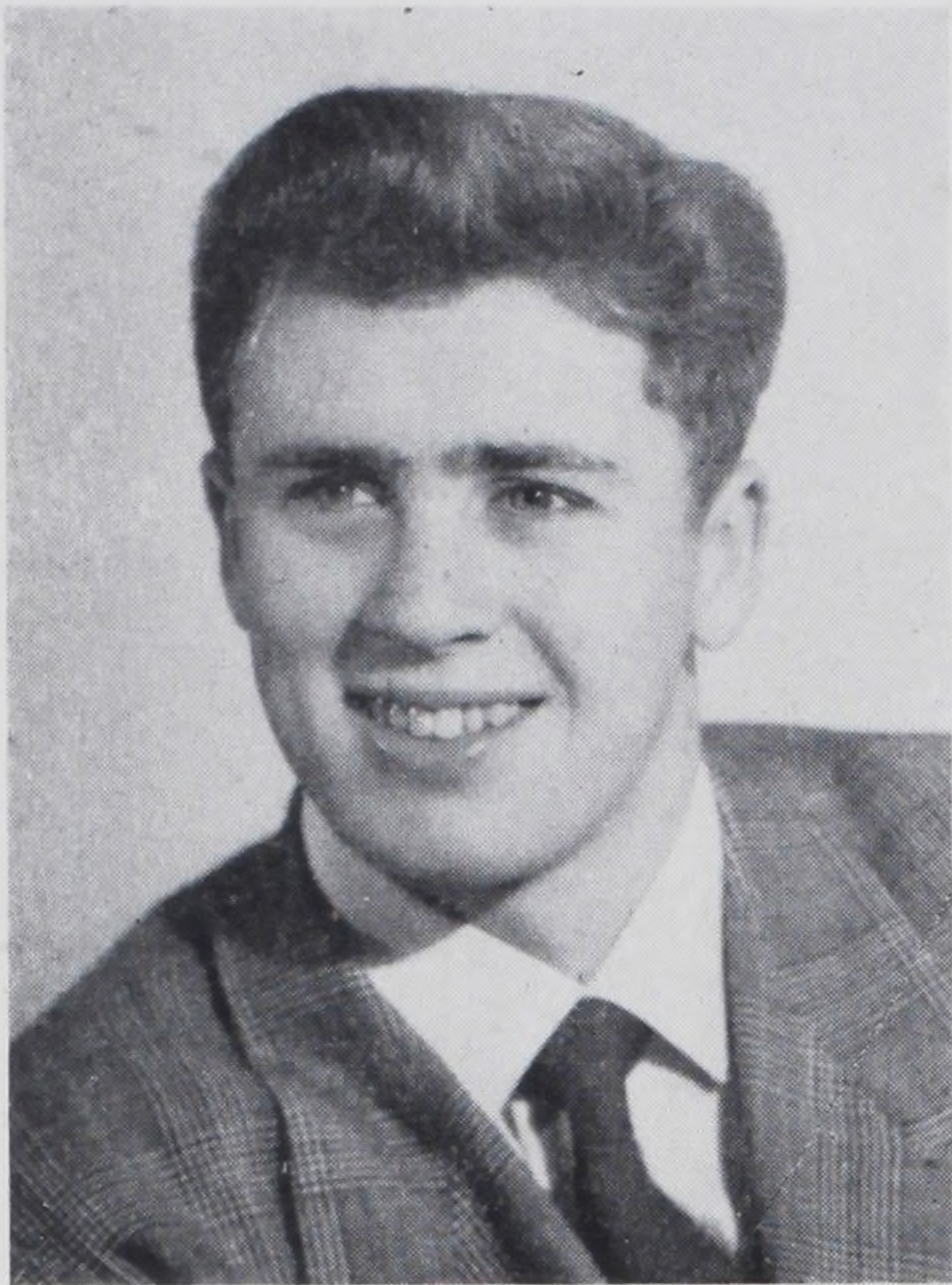
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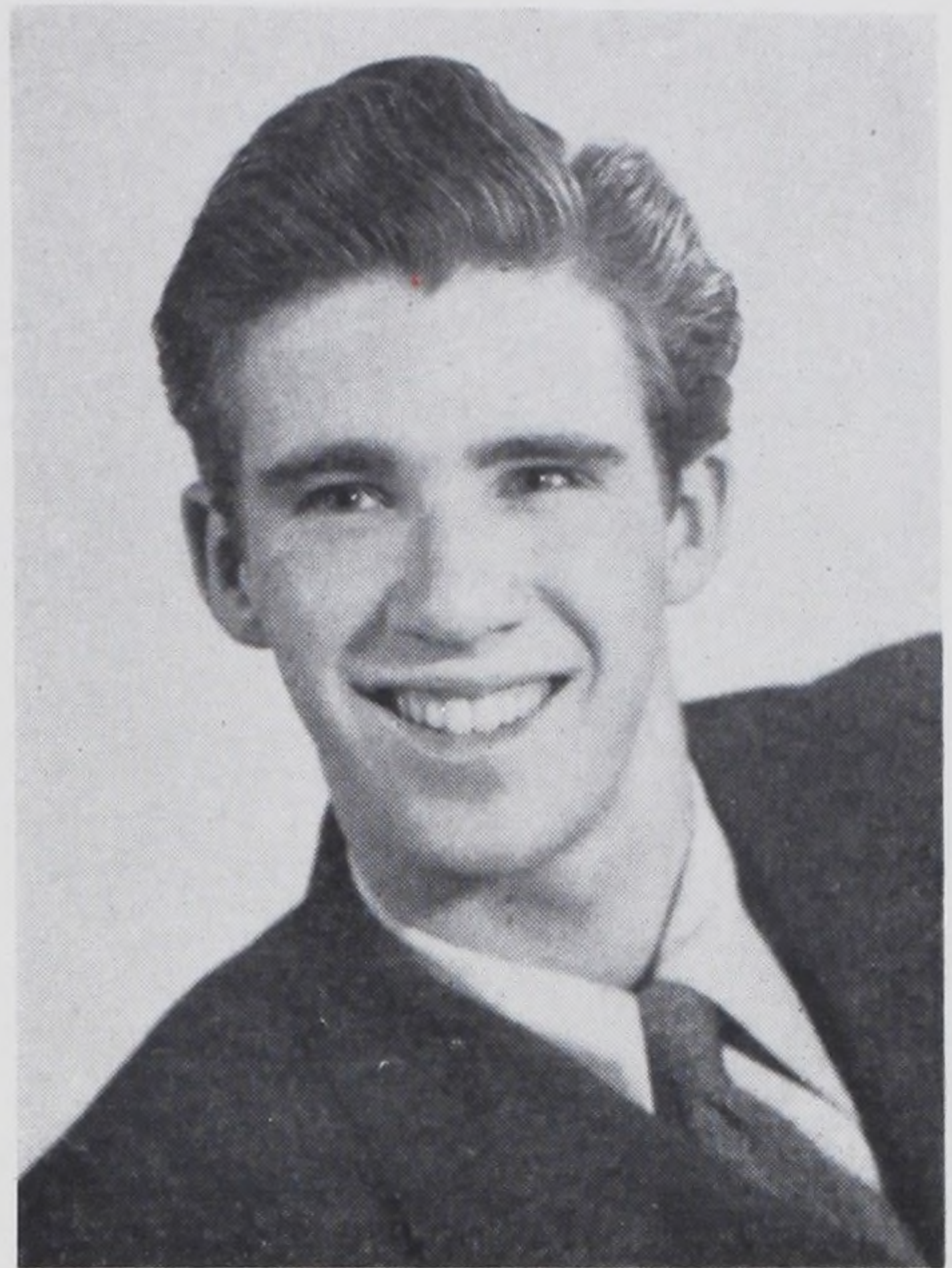




# STUDENT BODY PRESIDENTS



**BILL CLARK**  
President January 1949



**JACK JENNINGS**  
President June 1949

## STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I should like to express my sincere appreciation and gratitude to you fellows here at Benson for giving me the opportunity of serving you in the capacity of "prexy". It is an experience that I will cherish all my life and one that I'll never forget.

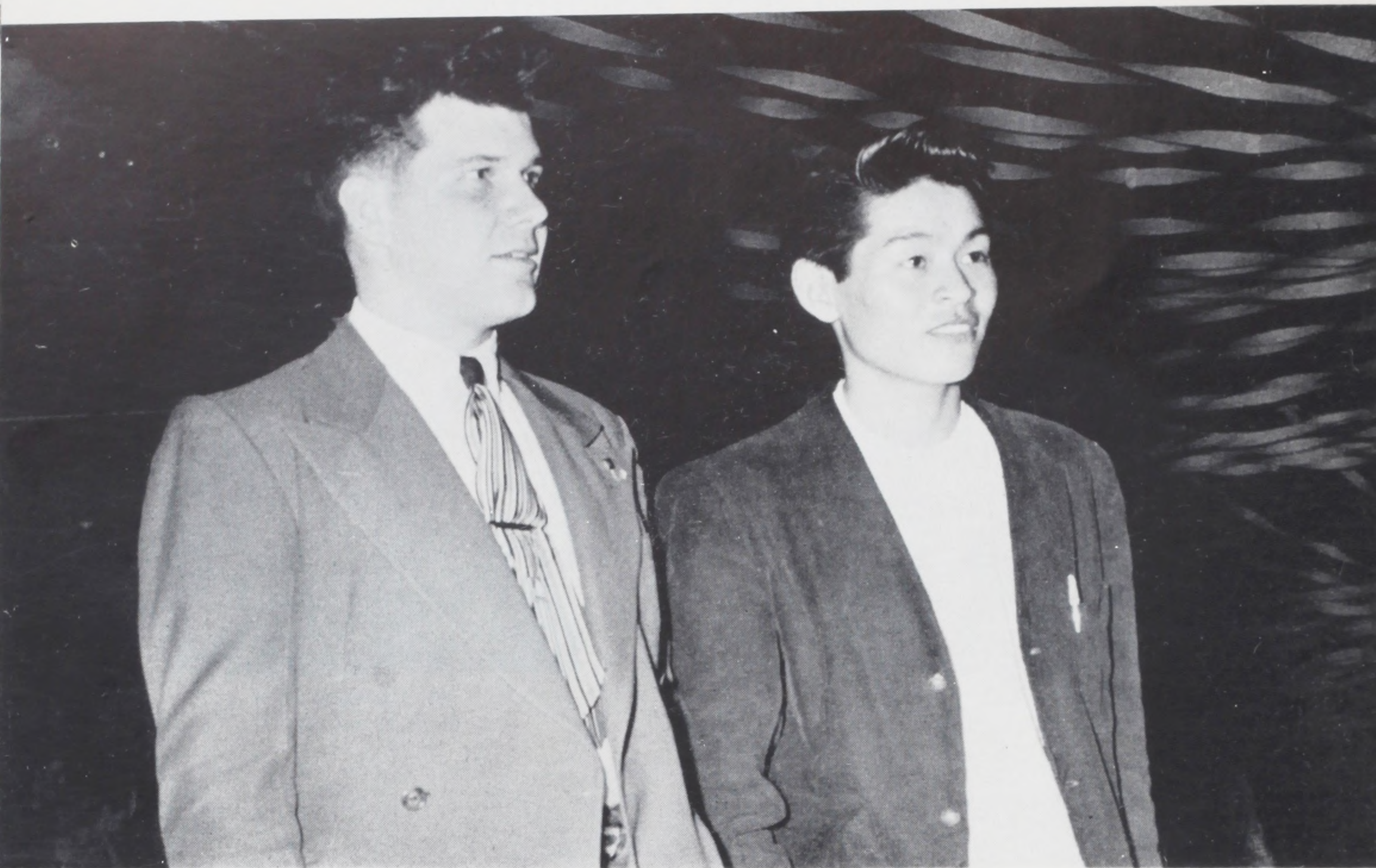
I should also like to forward a special vote of thanks to the fellows of the Ex-Board and Representative Council who lightened the burden of my office a great deal with their splendid cooperation which made my tenure of office a pleasure rather than an arduous task.

Yours sincerely,

JACK JENNINGS,  
June Student Body President.



# STUDENT BODY OFFICERS



FRED RATHBONE—January 1949 Vice-President

JIMMY TSUJIMURA—June 1949 Vice-President



AL URQUHART—January 1949 Treasurer

BOB CLEMENTS—January 1949 Secretary



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**CLARENCE KERLEE**—June 1949 Treasurer

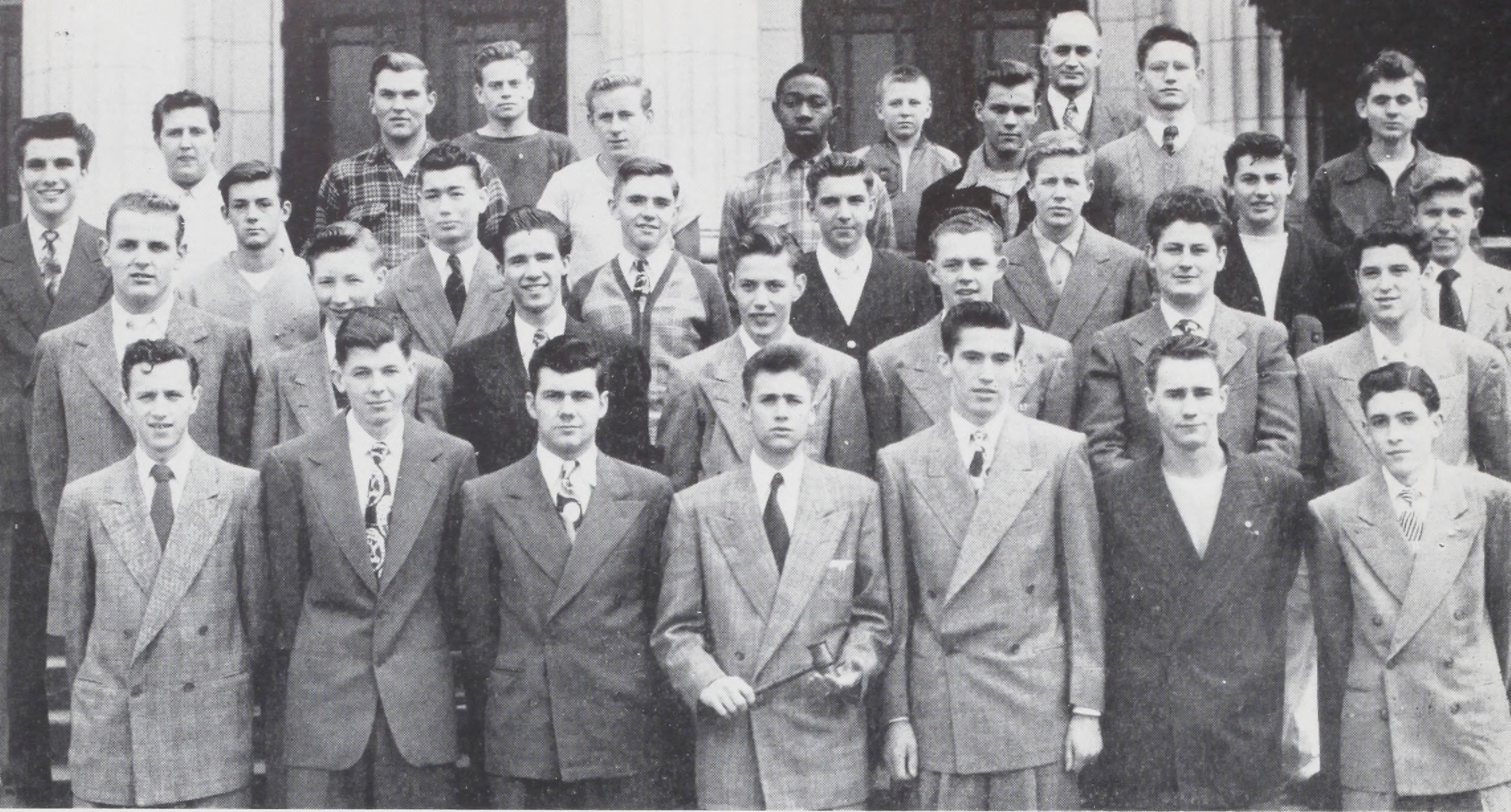
**ED HANSEN**—June 1949 Secretary



**JOHN AKE**—Commissioner of Properties

**ERNEST BAUDER**—Commissioner of Athletics



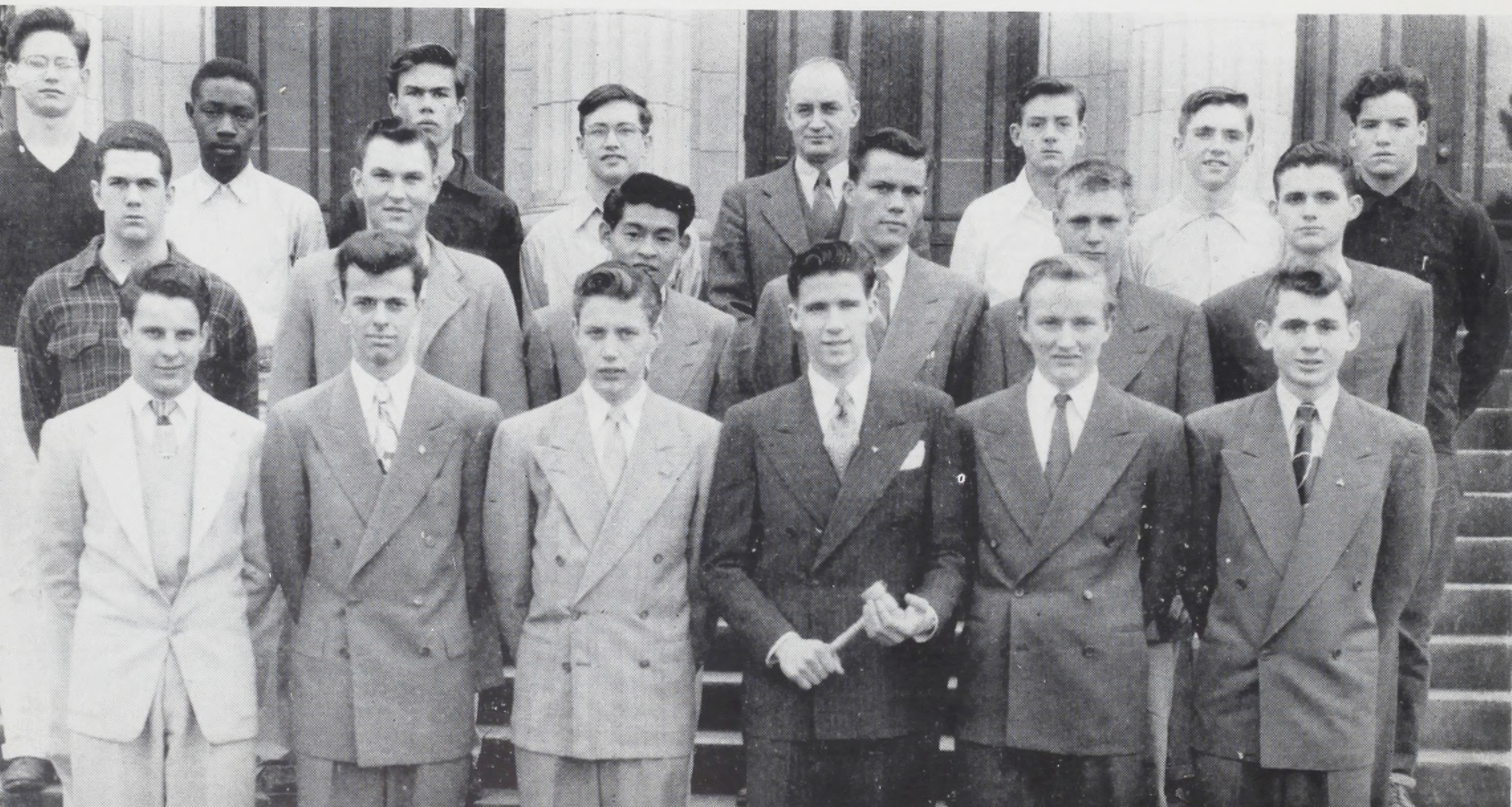


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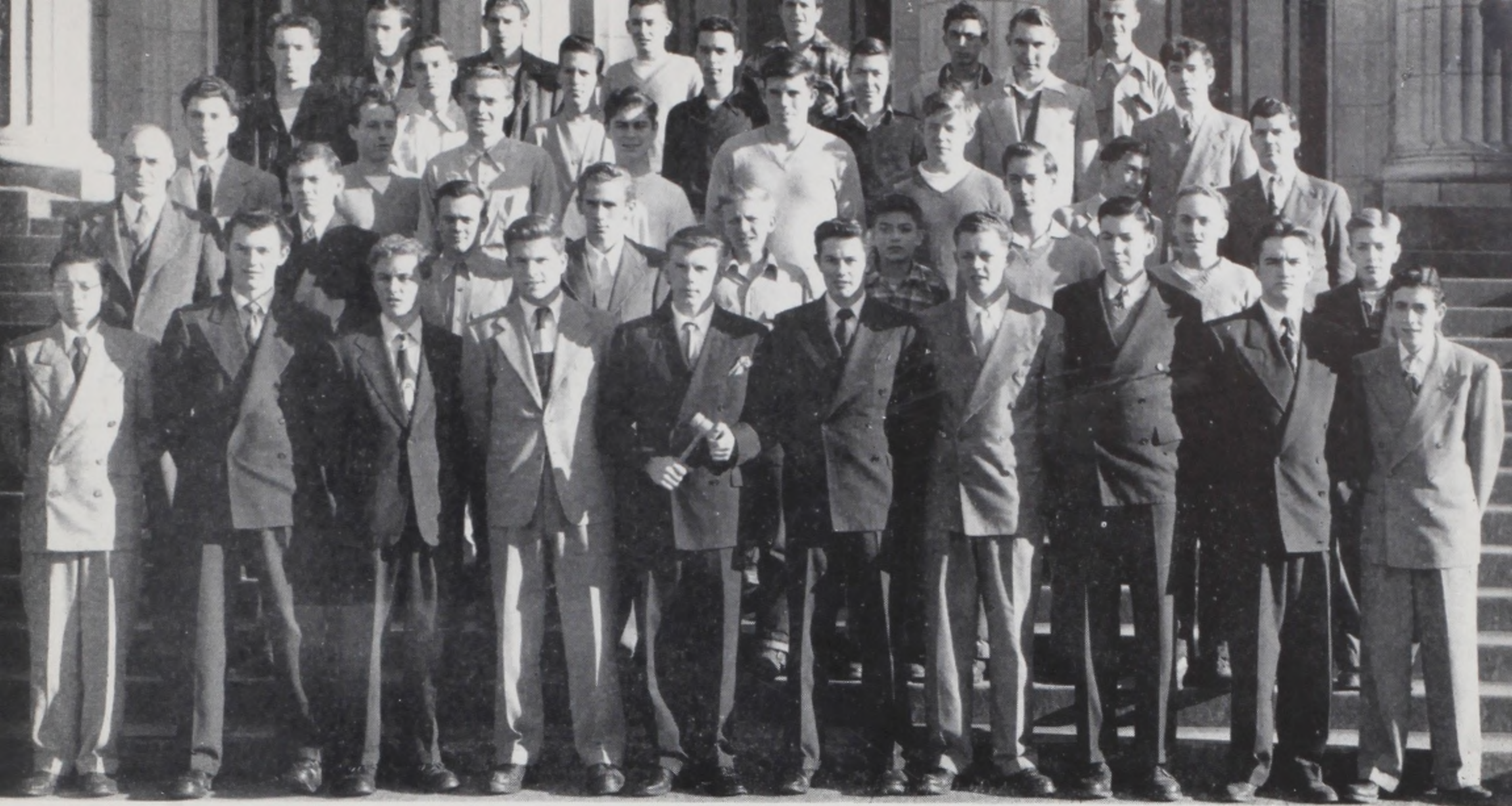
ROW 4: R. Baker, R. Buckley, B. Snelling, W. Concannon, H. Peters, J. Eperjesi, G. Tomlin, Mr. Bajema, J. Neuman, E. Bauder.  
 ROW 3: D. Berke, D. Lenz, G. Chadburn, N. Vanderwal, J. Blum, B. Moore, J. Carr, C. Pazeotopoulos.  
 ROW 2: D. Brown, J. Kregal, J. Jennings, E. Hansen, J. Andersen, C. Mariani, T. Zwald.  
 ROW 1: L. Forney, A. Urquhart (Treas.), F. Rathbone (Vice-Pres.), B. Clark (Pres.), B. Clements (Sec.), S. Bozich (Serg.), T. Cohen.

### REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

ROW 3: J. Neuman, H. Peters, B. Isom, S. Vanderwal, Mr. Bajema G. Lenz, N. Vanderwal, B. Hewitt.  
 ROW 2: F. Beeson, R. Buckley, G. Tomlin, J. Tsujimura, W. Henkel, J. Ronne.  
 ROW 1: J. Mothershead, J. Ake, E. Hansen, J. Jennings, C. Kerlee, E. Bauder.







### MINUTEMEN

ROW 5: D. Hoppe, R. Schoenfelder, J. Hays, E. Hinkle, B. Vinciguerra, J. Ake.  
 ROW 4: D. Willingham, A. Smith, D. Cunningham, B. Bilyeu, D. Miller, R. Worlein, G. Crocker.  
 ROW 3: C. Mult, B. Saher, J. Tonack, D. Blevens, R. Frazer, J. Robb, C. Rosenburg, F. Rathbone.  
 ROW 2: Mr. Bajema, H. Rorden, T. Nowell, E. Bell, D. Grangroth, T. Neal, K. Bardsley, F. Bastian, A. Nelson.  
 ROW 1: H. Wong, J. Stanton, B. Hilmer, J. Miller, L. Jepson (Pres.), J. Carr (Sec.), J. Andersen, K. Gattens, B. Squire, T. Cohen.

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 ROW 3: D. Christy, H. Peters, D. Van Scyoc, N. Banks, R. Beemer, R. Buckley, G. Styles, D. Klawka, D. La Barre, B. Latta.  
 ROW 2: T. Miller, R. Ardent, E. Cassidy, C. Cassidy, G. Tomlin, H. Blackburn, C. Skoubo, R. De Giovanni, J. Colistro.  
 ROW 1: M. Seltzer, C. Schuler, L. Wolf, D. Crosby, D. Brown, A. Mozorosky, J. Mothershead, V. De Veny, N. Emmerson, K. Gattens.





# The Tech Pep

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BENSON POLYTECHNIC HIGH SCHOOL, PORTLAND, OREGON, MARCH 18, 1949

NO. 7

## Junior Red Cross Contributions From Bensonites Total 128 Dollars

Techmen Drop Behind Expected Quota

Forty-Five Rooms Enter Organization

The American Junior Red Cross Drive ended with over 128 dollars being contributed by Benson students. The lasted throughout the week March 7th to the 11th.

A minimum of one room was required of each class. The Cross enrolled making percent of school.

Mr. B is usually in contributing was high room. Minuteman Mickey lecturing over 12 dollars. ne, up rooms in the di as follows: A, 33, 30, C, 22, the gym class.

Part of this money will be

## Winter's Aftermath Worries Custodians

The after effects of the Winter snow season have caused considerable worry to the school board as they must replace some sixty odd windows broken by snow balls, with the approximate cost being \$150, not including the labor.

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The Simon Benson Award is a scholarship for all seniors. This award is presented on ability in scholastic achievements, services to the school and need of the individual. The money from this award is not given to a student until he is enrolled in the college of his choice.

The C. E. Cleveland award is presented on the same requirements as the Simon Benson Award. A definite sum of money

### CORRECTION

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## Grantonians Visit

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## Is Citi

Chosen  
Pep Editor

The first in a coming series of Citizens-of-the-Week is Don Zettle, editor of the TECH PEP and two year letterman of the ice-hockey team.

Don was picked because of his hard work for the betterment of the TECH PEP. He has many difficulties to cope with but is doing a grand job.

Another factor in his choice for this honor was his outstanding playing ability on the Techmen ice-hockey squad. He was the key man for Benson's attack.

h was shown by his being on the all-city team in 47-48 season.

is a transfer from St. Canadian College.

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## Our Tech Graduates Enter Honor Society

Word has been received from Oregon State College that four Benson graduates have been initiated into the scholastic honor society for freshmen, Phi Eta Sigma. These freshmen are Donald F. Hays, Bruce T. Hunter, Karl T. N. Ngan, and Roger L. Robertson.

Mr. L. E. Darlington, assistant Dean of Men and Faculty Advisor, said in his letter that, "The minimum qualification for membership in this fraternity is an average of 3.5 for the first term with 15 credit hours or for the first year with 45 credit hours. This requirement is so high that the number of those meeting it successfully has never exceeded 7.3 per cent of the total number of men in the class, and is usually not over 6 per cent."

"I wish to tender my congratulations to the high school that sends us men who qualify for Phi Eta Sigma."

Bensonites will recall Don Hay's many achievements that brought credit to our school prior to his graduation in '47. The others took an active part in student activities last year.

This money is only paid to the winners when they have been accepted by the college of their choice.

Scholastic Writing Awards are open to all students enrolled in a school at the time of participation in the contest. The awards vary from fifty dollars to an honorable mention.

The Elks National Foundation Scholarship awards amount from \$100 to \$800. Those eligible are any student in a senior class of high school or college, preparatory school, or in any undergraduate class of a recognized college who is a resident within jurisdiction of the order. These may file an application. Applicants are judged on scholarship, citizenship, personality and lead-

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Naval Training Program

The Naval College Training Program offers opportunities for those candidates who meet the necessary requirements and pass the required tests. Complete information may be found at various naval stations, offices, or by writing for the NROTC Bulletin for information.

The Carnation Company Scholarship Foundation offers an award valued at \$500. This award is applicable toward college or advanced education. Those eligible are the sons and daughters of Carnation Co. employees through the U. S. and Canada.

## Amplifier

Benson projection booth a new amplifier. This amplifier is used for operating the type of 16 mm projector we have.

Before the new amplifier was bought the sound from the 16 mm machine was run through the sound system of one of the 35 mm machines. Due to the fact that the 16 mm projector had no sound unit of its own, it had to be run through another amplification system. The resistor on the 35 mm projector had to be turned up so high that it kept burning out exciter lamps. The resistance had to be high for the sound to be heard well.

The fellows on the booth crew had to run the 16 mm projector with these and a few other complications. With the new amplifier, which is made by the Ampro Company, operations of the 16 mm projector will be improved immensely. Our public address system is aided by the amplifier in that as

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## Dramatic Clubs See College Spring Play

Last week Miss Barta received an invitation from Lewis and Clark College Dramatic Department to see their "Must Fall."

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DON ZETTLE  
SPRING EDITOR

ROGER TROEN  
FALL EDITOR

### Oregon College Awards

Lewis and Clark College and University of Oregon, Oregon State, and Vanport all award scholarships to Benson students. More information about these awards may be secured at the main office.

Competitive exams are held at Portland University, Reed College, Lewis and Clark and Multnomah Colleges.

The Oregon State Federation of Labor contest is open to all high school seniors. There are no restrictions as to race, sex, or student background and the winners may choose any recognized college in or out of Oregon.



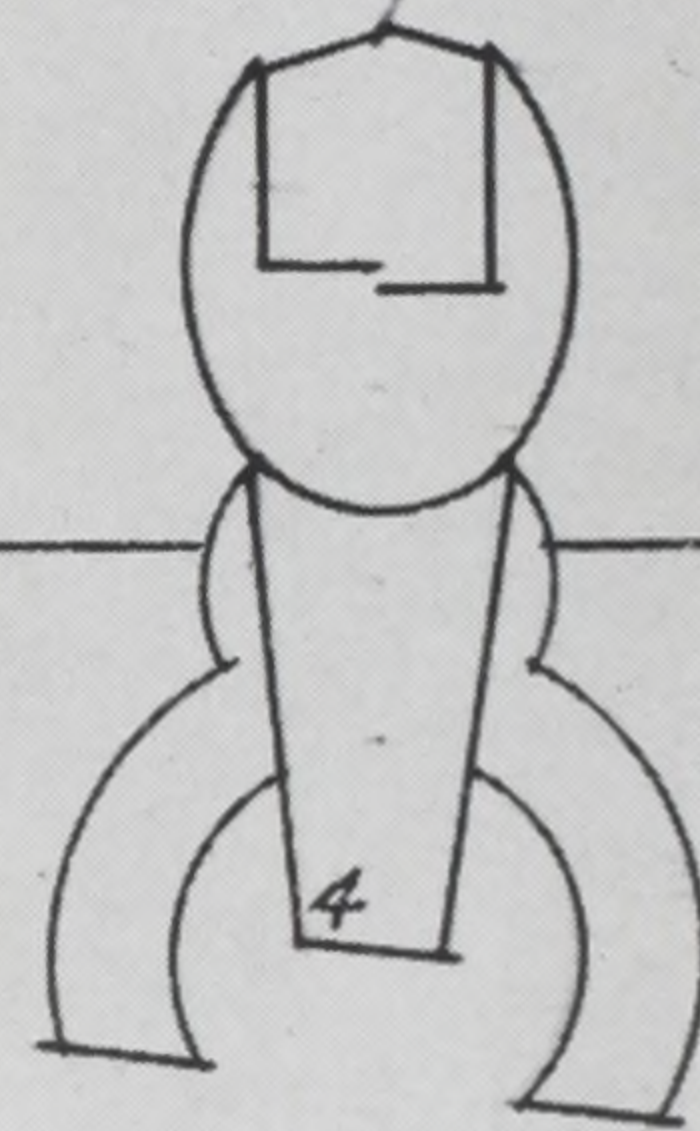
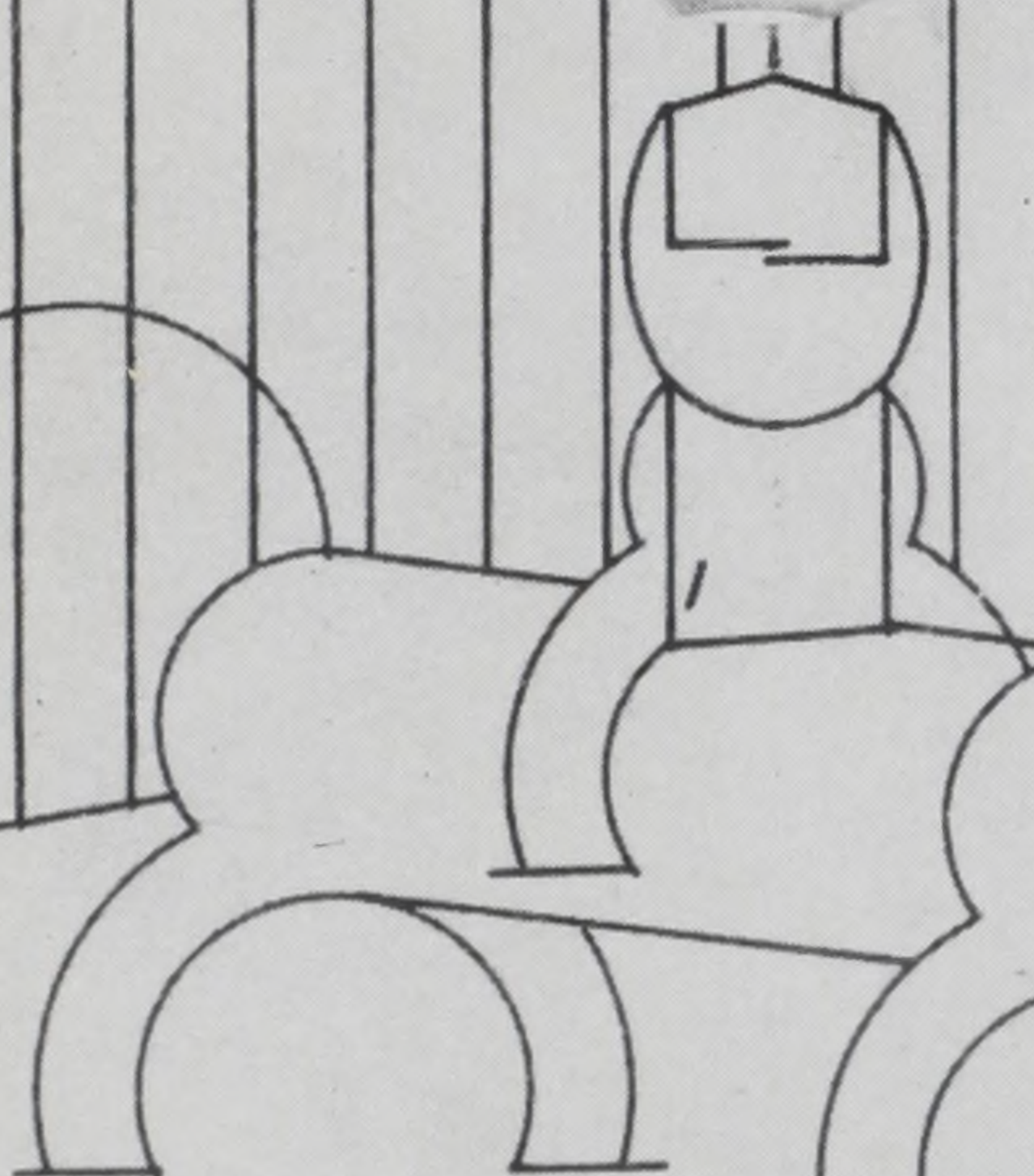
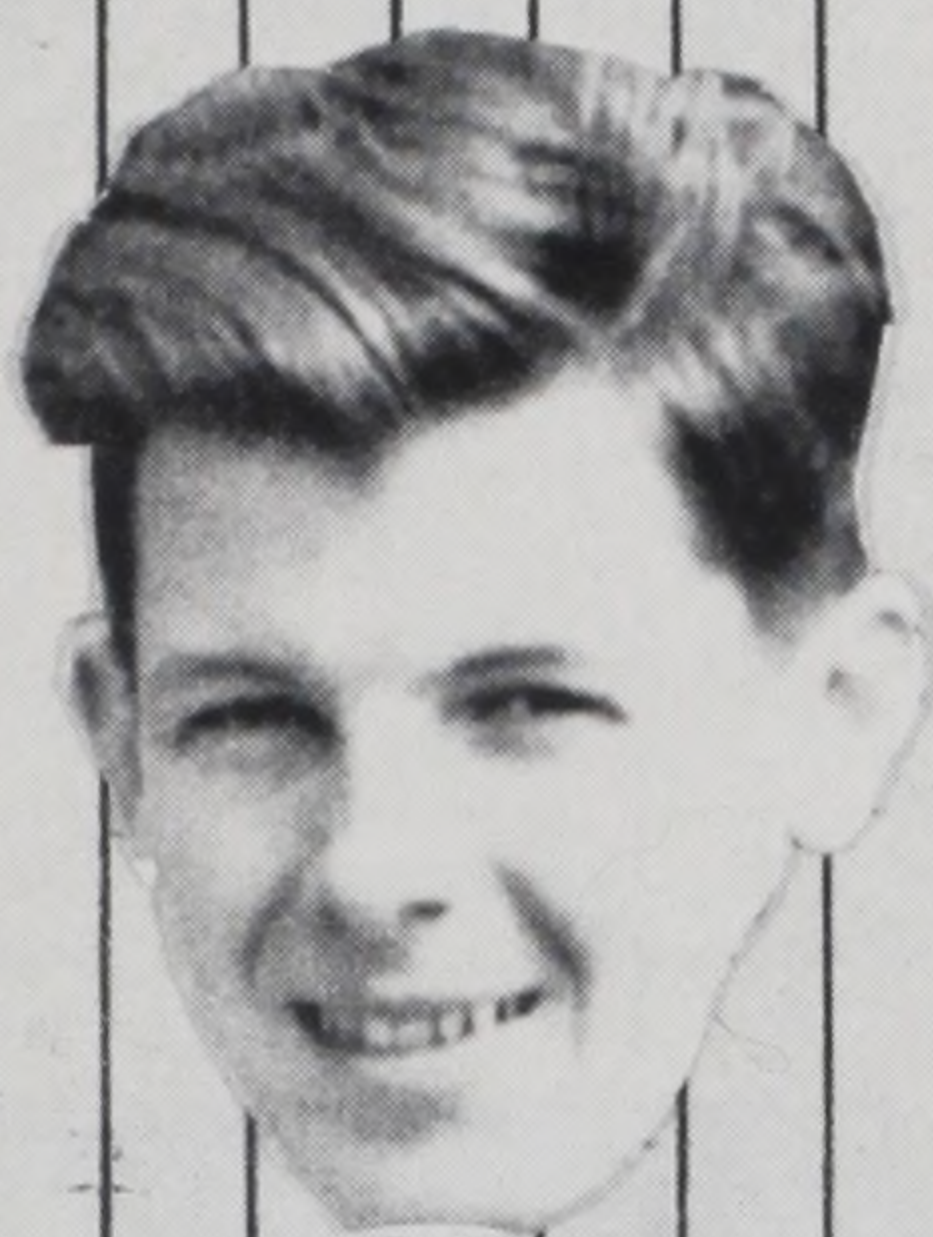
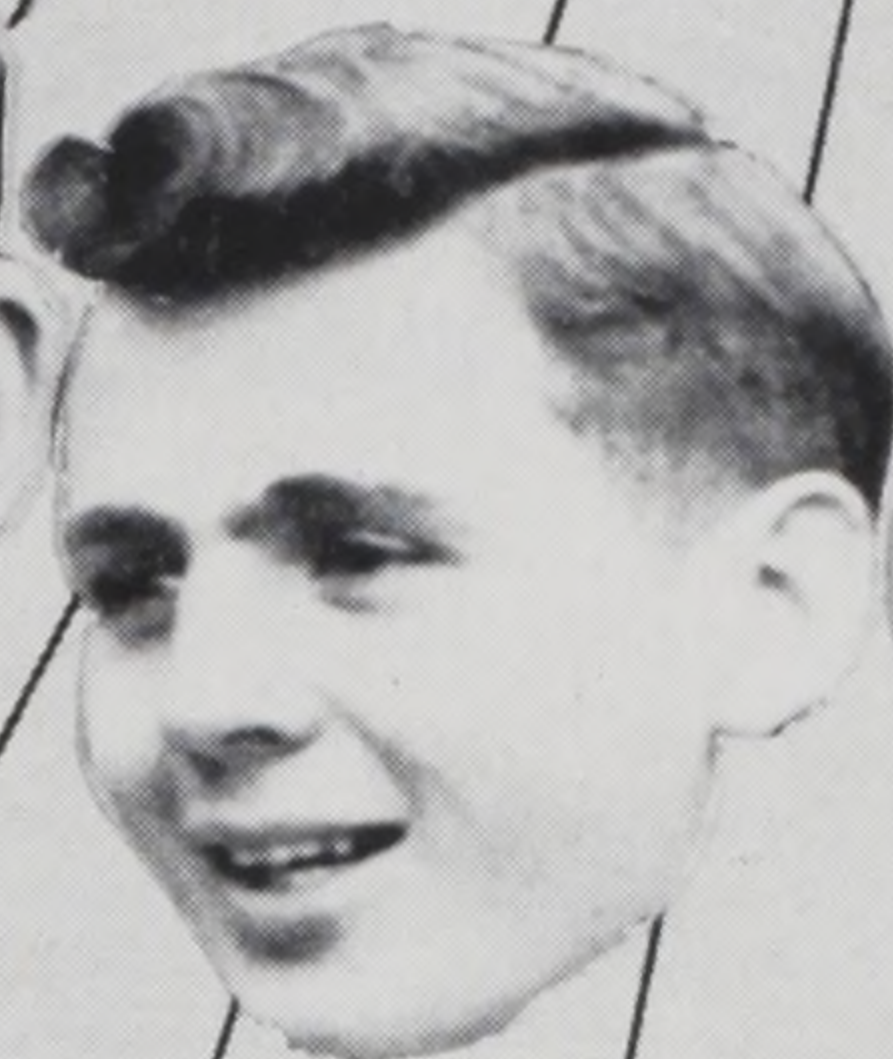
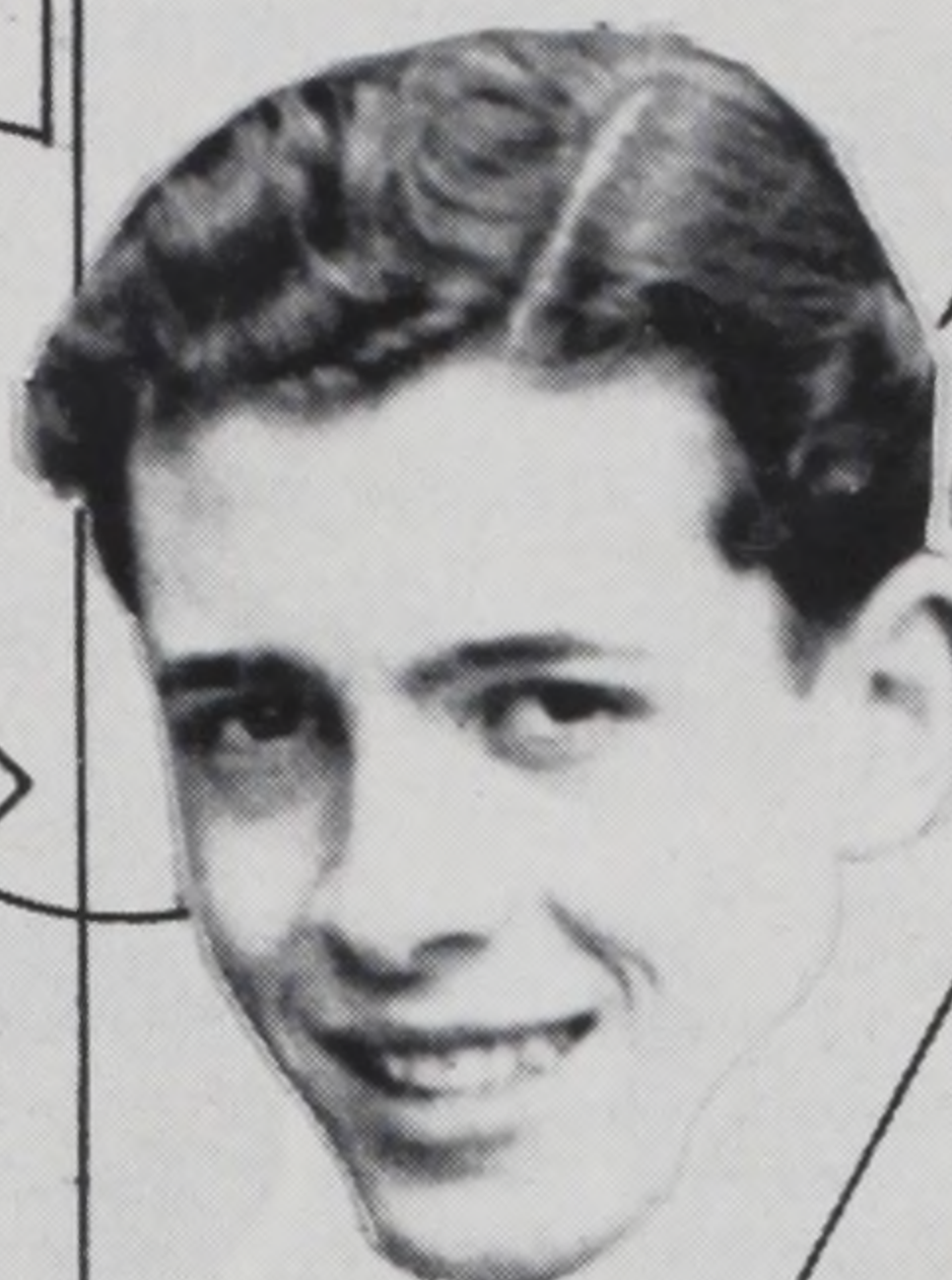
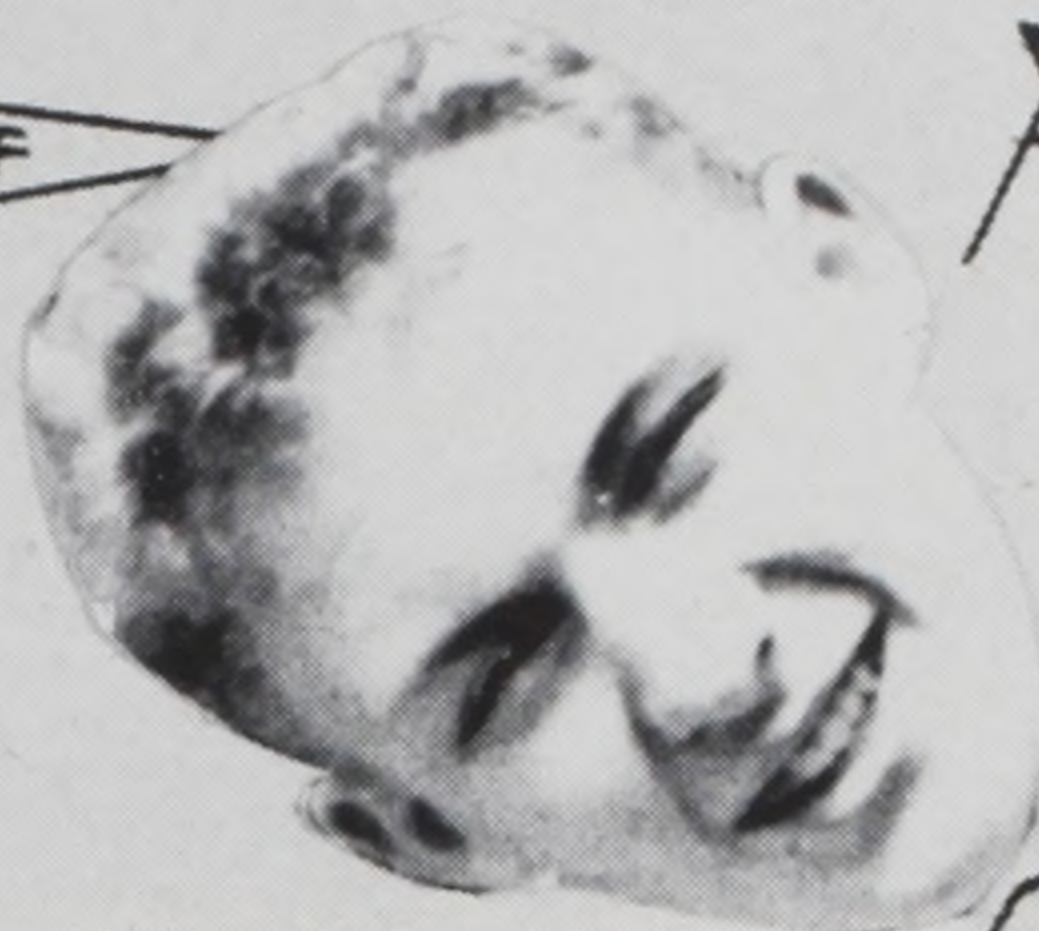
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 ROW 2: F. Rathbone, D. Hoppe, K. Petersen, L. Doan, G. Garfield, B. Vinceguera, C. Nielsen, L. Forney, S. Bozich, G. Smith, T. Cohen.  
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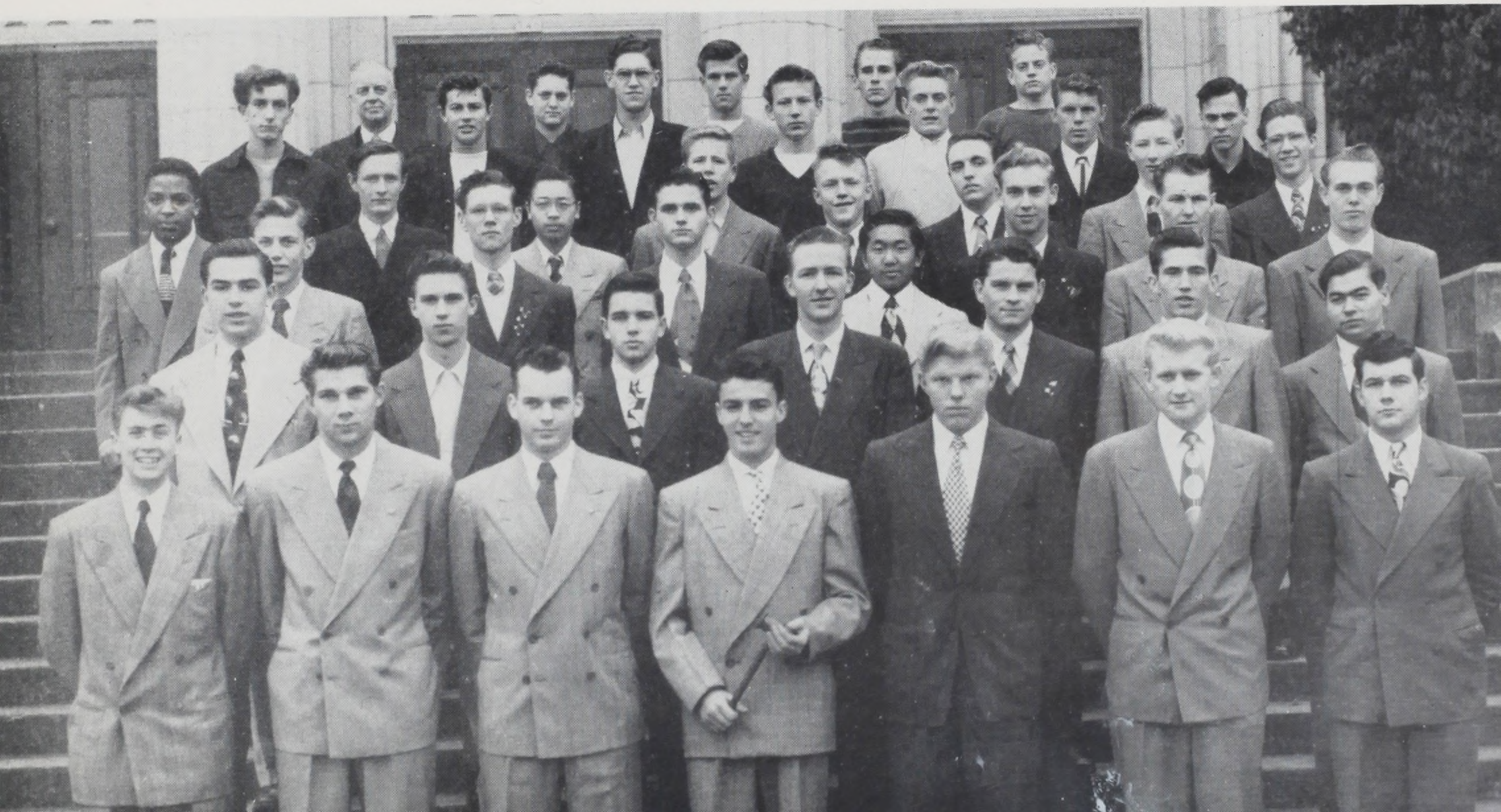


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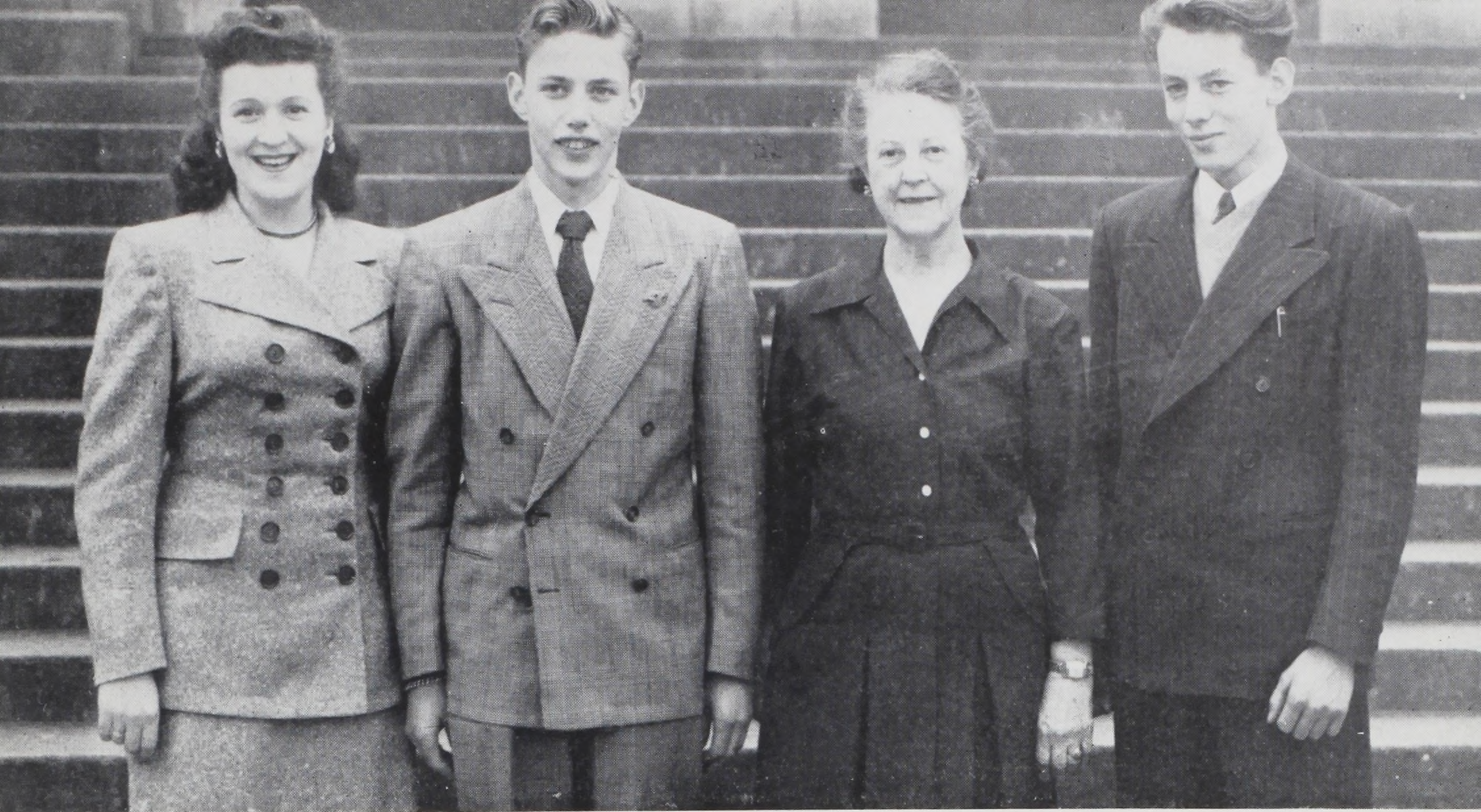
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ROW 1: V. DeVeney, R. Arnold, A. Mozorosky.

### RALLY SQUAD

FRONT: R. Arnold.  
BACK: L. A. Mozorosky, H. Mejdell, V. DeVeney, J. Barber, B. Hilmer.







### RED CROSS

ROW 1: Miss Barta, E. Hansen, Miss Patterson, V. Gregory.

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ROW 2: C. Crawford, R. Fritz, R. Ekstrom, R. Arndt, G. Heinrich (Chief).  
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 ROW 2: E. Wollen, K. Hamlin, L. Doan, R. Melcher, G. Garfield, H. Gobler, L. Lee.  
 ROW 1: Mr. Gibson, L. Schellhors (Treas.), R. Hunsucker (Vice-Pres.), T. Routson (Pres.), J. Ake (Sec.), W. Shortt (Serg.), J. Ronne.







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ROW 1: J. Barbur (Pres.).  
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 ROW 3: D. Stallman, C. Ramsten, B. Keller.  
 ROW 4: B. Georgeff, J. Jenkins, M. Larkin.  
 ROW 5: V. DeVeney, H. Mejdell, L. Arthur.  
 ROW 6: B. Moore, R. Scheuerman.  
 ROW 7: D. MacLean, J. Colistro, D. Watson.  
 ROW 8: Wirthlin, R. Matteson.  
 ROW 9: L. Graham, D. LeVally.

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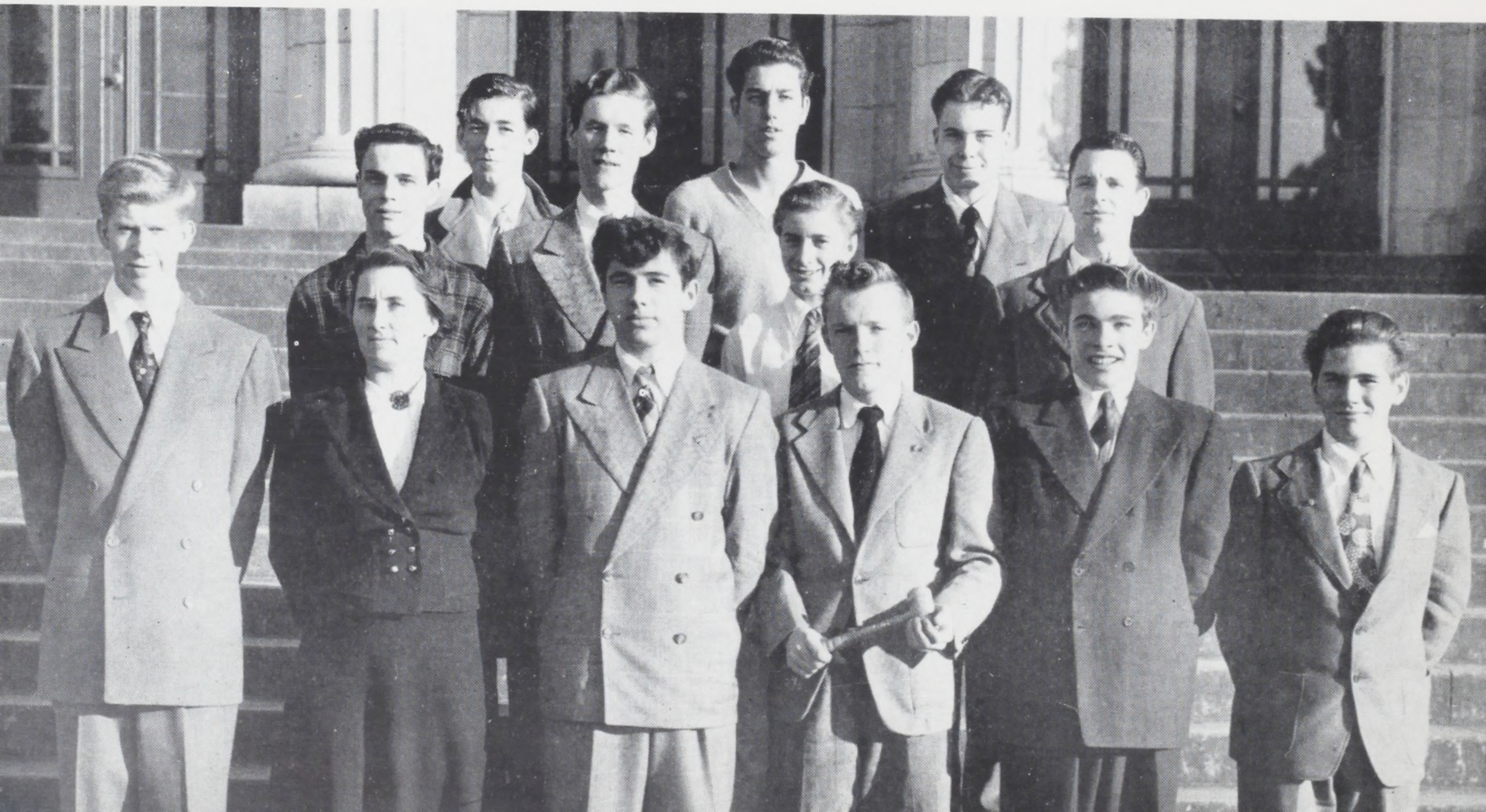


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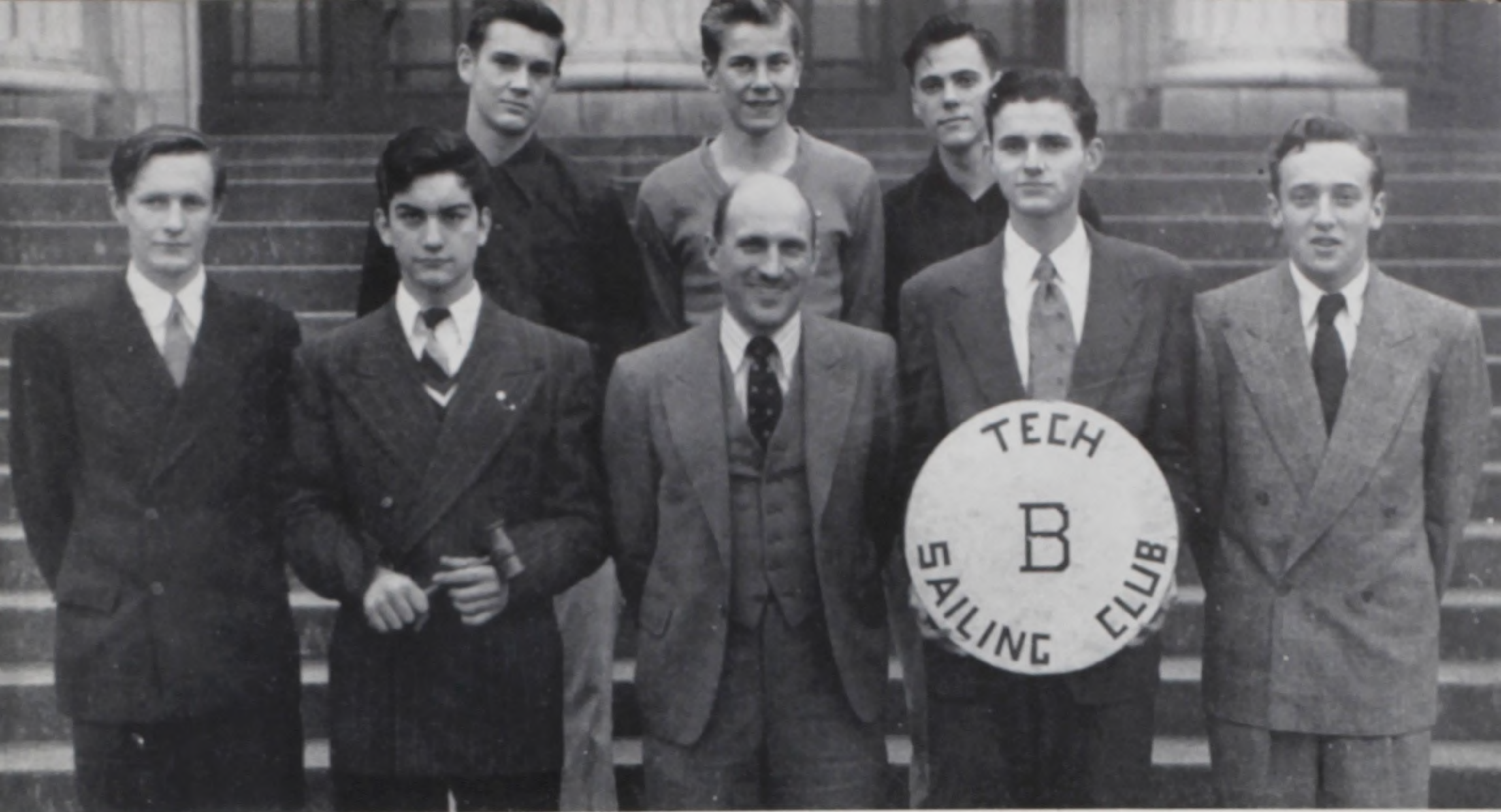
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ROW 1: T. Sears, G. Tomlin, W. Lowy, G. Dunn.

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ROW 3: J. Pruett, E. Dale, D. Wilson.  
ROW 2: M. Bottorf, K. Hamlin, B. Finnel, M. Berry (Sec.).  
ROW 1: W. Branin, Miss Beck, G. Crocker (Serg.), B. Rose (Pres.), V. DeVeney (Vice-Pres.), P. Rooney.







### SAILING CLUB

ROW 2: A. Smith (First Mate), D. Leonard, R. Tuttle.

ROW 1: E. McDaniel (Purser), R. Linne (Skipper), Mr. Oakes, J. Ronne (Yeoman), F. Hartwell.

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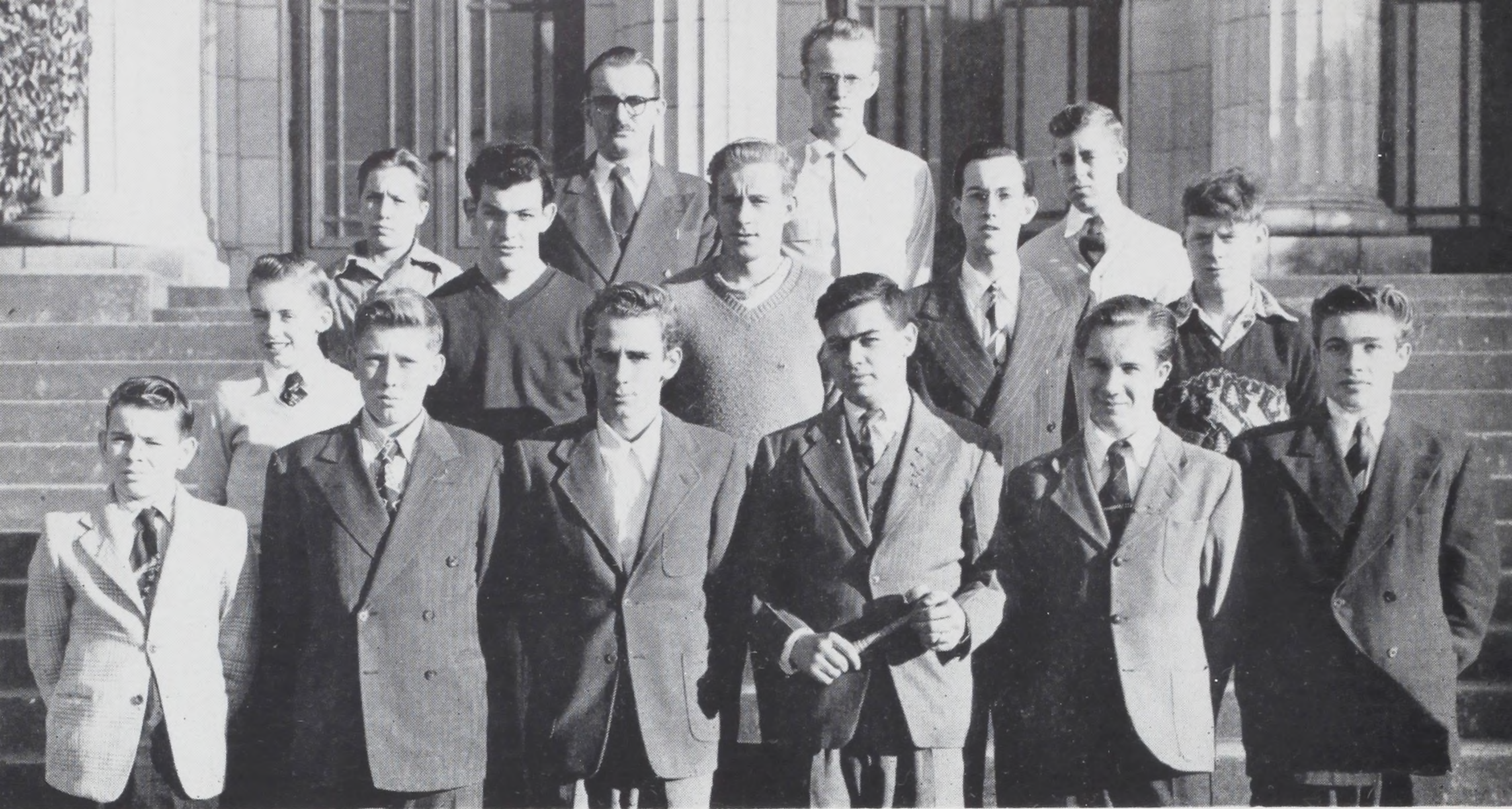
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ROW 3: E. Agee, B. Hansen, G. Wray, H. Lieble, G. Sturm.

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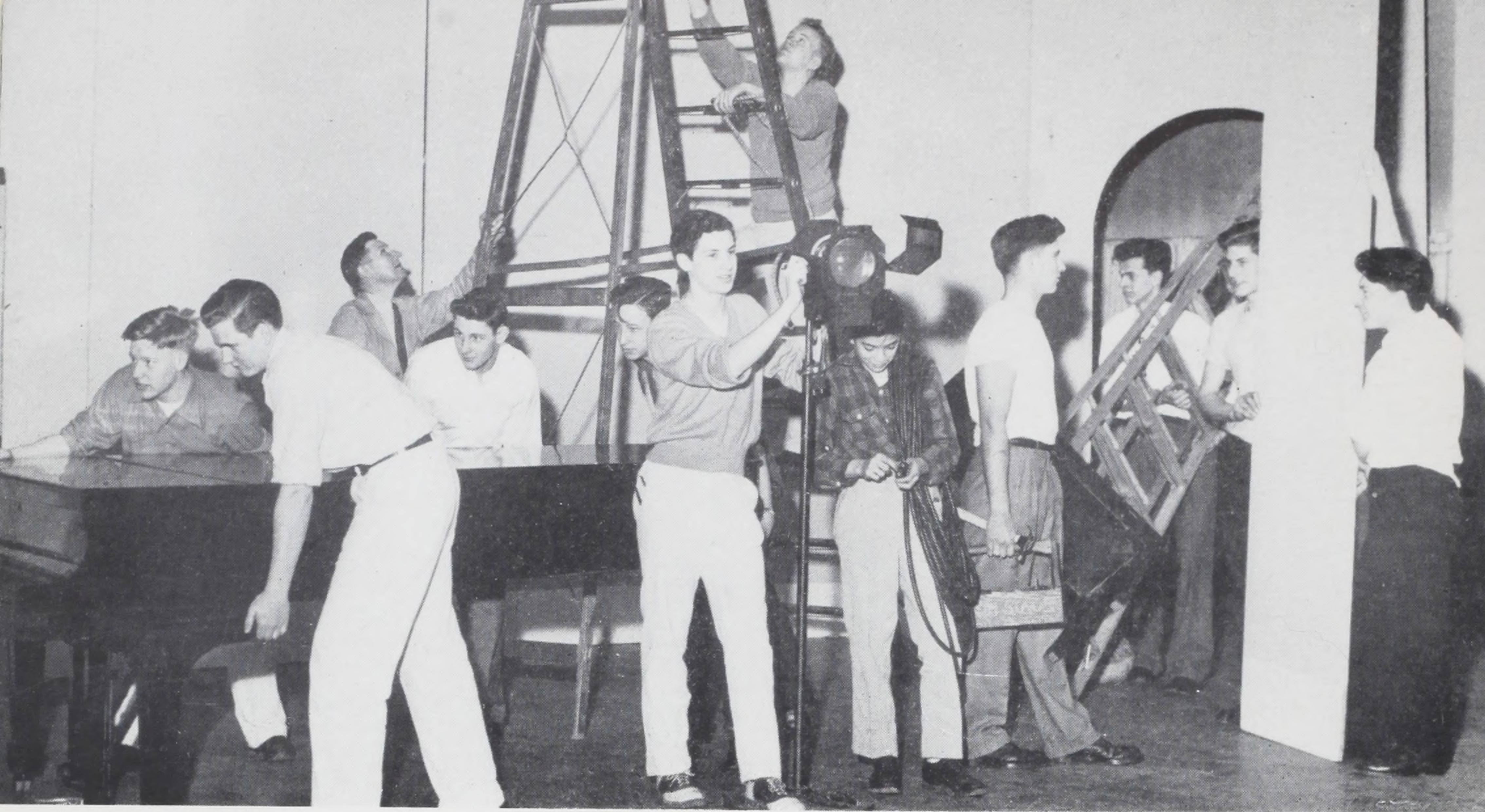
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ROW 1: Mrs. Johnson, B. Squire, G. Roth, Miss Green, C. Dannehl, A. Schwartz, B. Hunsucker.







### STAGE CREW

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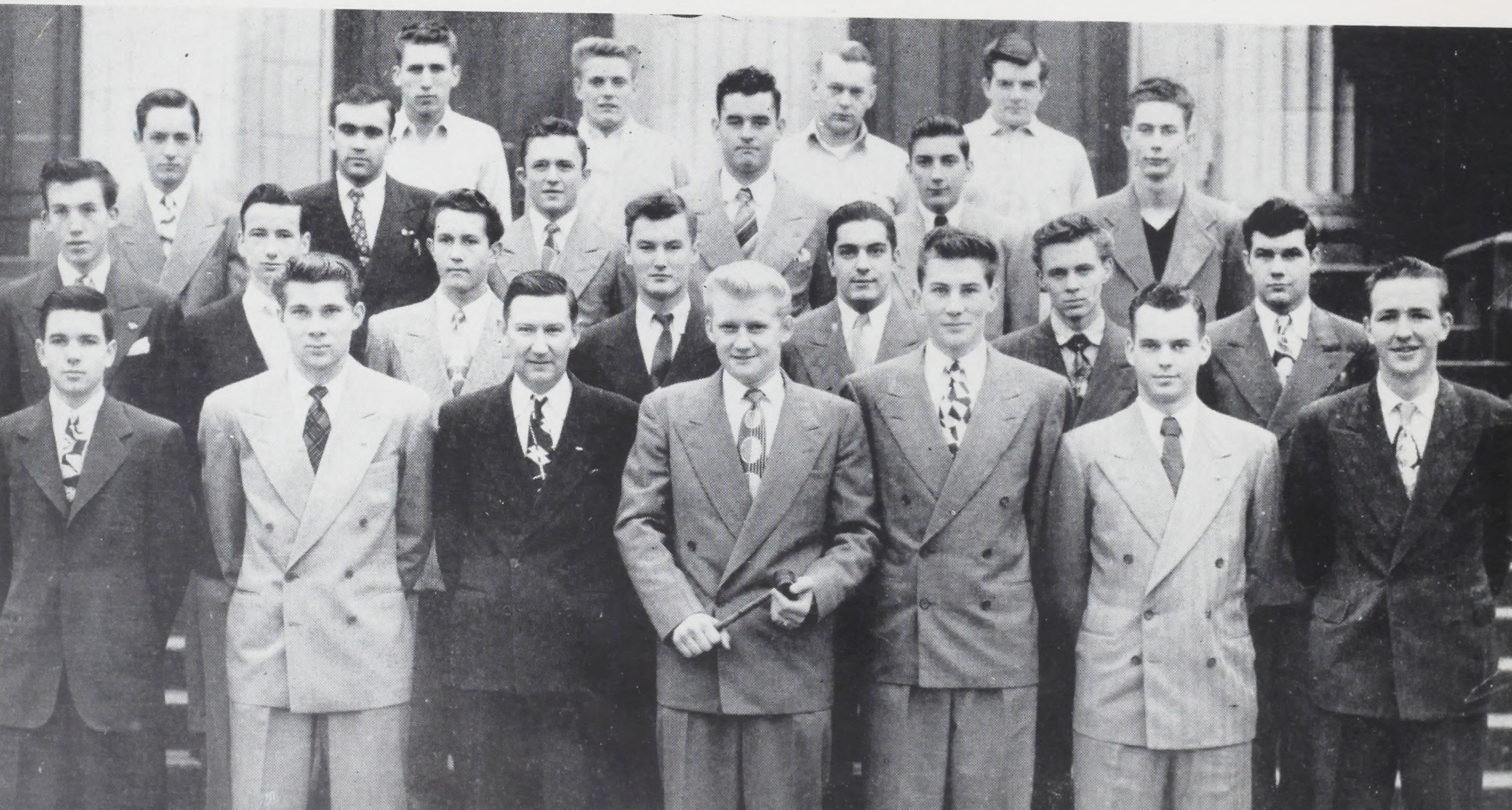
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ROW 4: D. Carrier, D. Kimball, G. Smith, G. Fury.

ROW 3: L. Doan, O. Green, C. Nielsen, W. Haldeman, G. Garfield, E. Brand.

ROW 2: E. Cassidy, D. Hoppe, K. Powers, Q. Sanford, B. Contonzariti, N. Emerson, F. Rathbone.

ROW 1: L. Schellhouse, G. Schmidt, Mr. Seiforth, D. Johnson, L. Wilson, W. Bollenbaugh, R. MacKinnon.





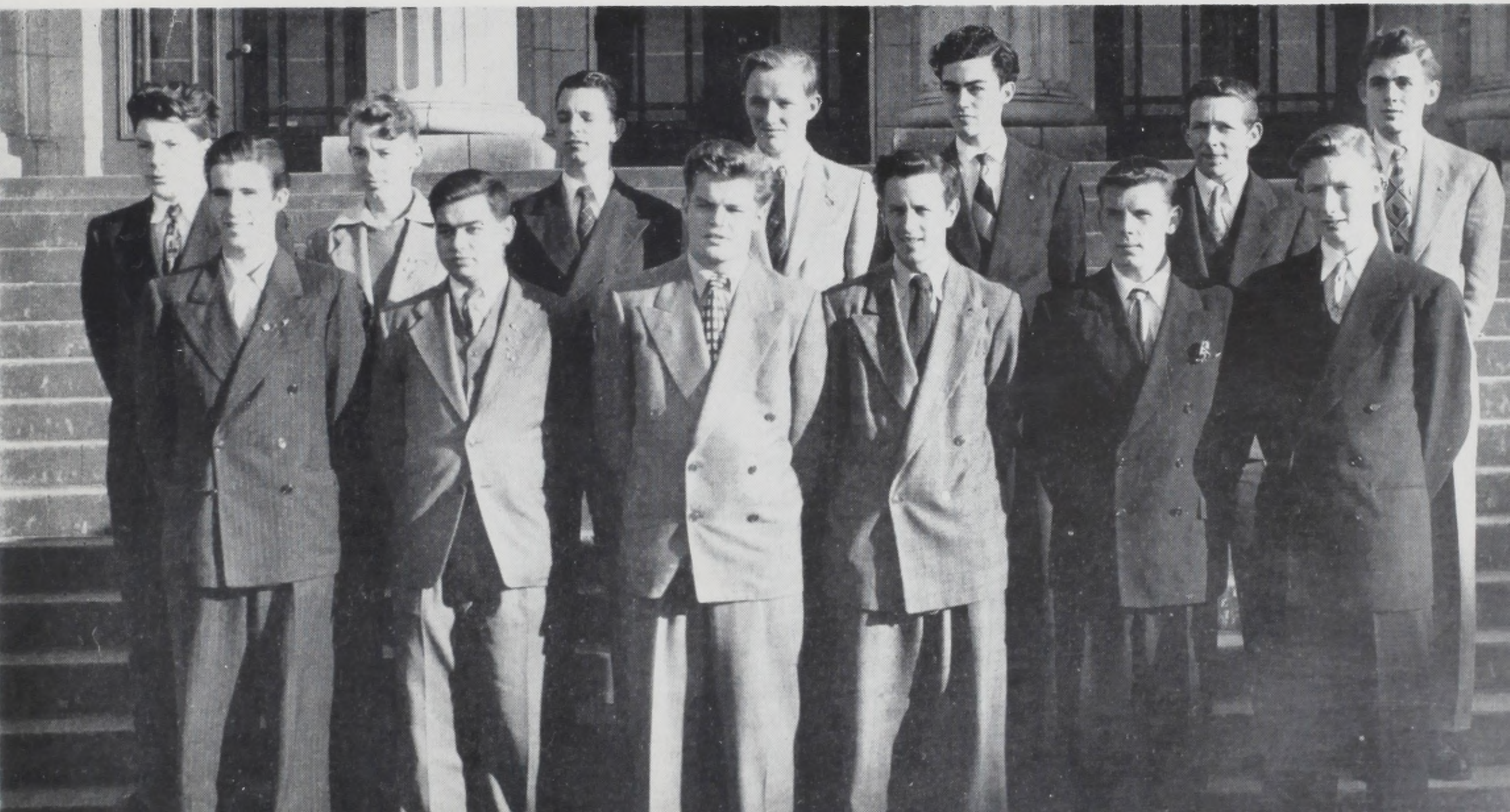


### STUDENT STORE

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### CAFETERIA CASHIERS

ROW 2: J. Allen, J. Howard, M. Berry, C. Kerlee, J. Banester, VanBrent, E. Bauder.  
ROW 1: J. Jennings, L. Lieble, L. Jenness, L. Forney, L. Jepson, J. Kregal.







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 ROW 2: K. Warner, H. Gobler, K. Hamlin, V. Kendall, D. Blevens.  
 ROW 1: R. White, J. Ronne, Miss Barta, J. Jennings, R. Tuttle.

### PRESS CLUB

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 ROW 1: R. McMahon, H. Lieble, D. Zettle, N. Thoman, Mrs. Grout.







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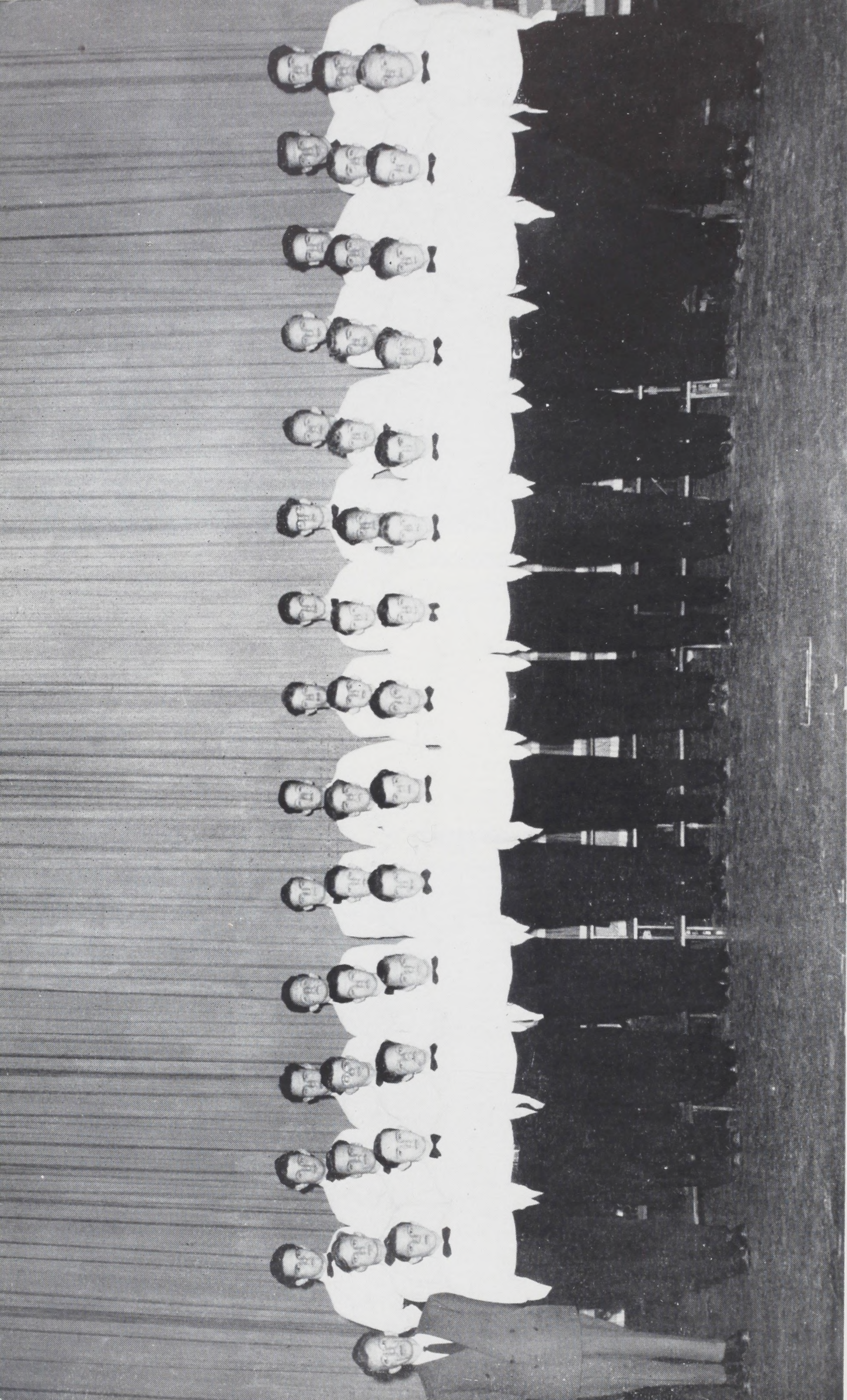
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ROW 1: W. Keller (Sec.), D. Weatherford, J. Hanson, G. Tomlin (Pres.), D. Olson, R. Kirkland, L. Pingel.

### WHISKERINO







# GLEE CLUB

ROW 1: Mr. Street, D. Van Scyoc, D. Franzel, E. Smith, G. Burnett, G. Bettencourt, R. Williams, P. Trotti (Sergeant-at-Arms), R. Hembree, R. Woods, D. Gilbert, D. Reno, R. Posselt, L. Henderson, W. Powers.

ROW 2: F. Berk, R. Bray, J. Floeper, R. Rice, R. Hanson, H. Frisbie, E. Bauder, R. Lenz, J. Robinson, R. Moore (Pres.), W. Anderson, R. Nickerson, N. Vanderwal, N. Berg.

ROW 3: R. Falatico, J. Seltman (Sec-Treas.), G. Kendell, D. Allen, W. Littleton, J. Peterson, R. Olson, D. Banko, F. Butte (Vice-Pres.), B. Hewitt, D. Carrier, G. Engle.

NOT PICTURED: R. Beckly, R. Kimball, R. White.





## CONCERT BAND

ROW 1: C. Langman (Treas.), J. Lacy, H. Barnett, L. Anderson, R. White, D. Kugel, J. Seltmann (Vice-Pres.), R. Adkins, D. Rowe, H. Kammerzel.  
 ROW 2: J. Neuman, G. Harvey, K. Hinners, G. Allimgren, M. Sines, R. Benson, R. Allen, R. Radke, W. Hall, D. Slone, R. Hall, P. Kuhn, E. Bauder (Drum Major).  
 ROW 3: C. Martin (Librarian), C. Ault, E. Koppen, W. Bradford, R. Henderson, S. Vanderwal (Sec.), R. Street, J. Tuller, D. Franzell, J. Schnoor, A. Thurber, R. Burbank, J. Robinson, B. Moore (Sergeant-at-Arms), R. Mlady, C. Ramsten, C. Peters, E. Wirthlin, G. Smith, D. Schmidt (Pres.).  
 NOT PICTURED: J. Kregal, W. Dix, Q. Sandford, R. Furrow, W. Fast, T. Zwald, E. Bishop, F. Sandeen.

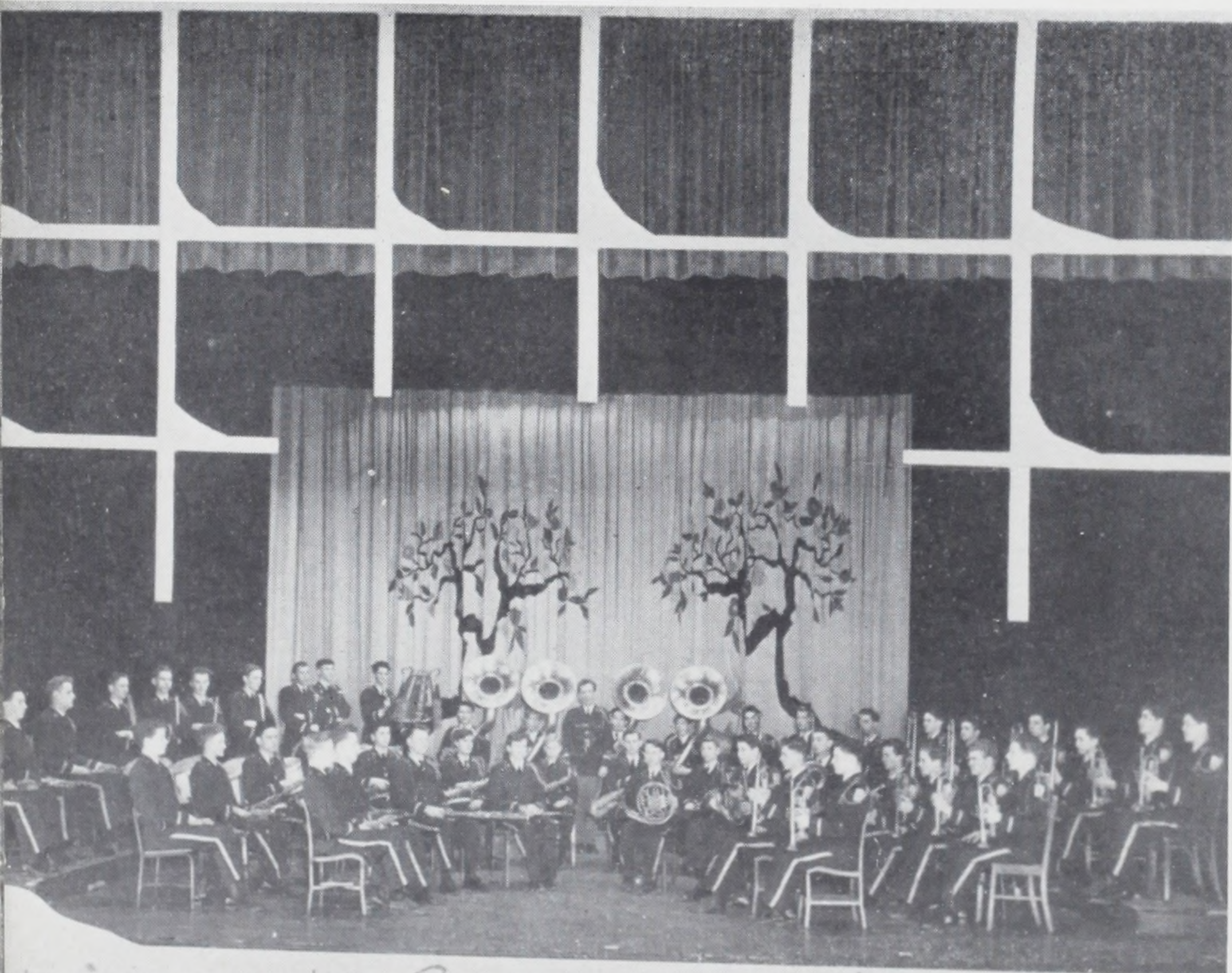
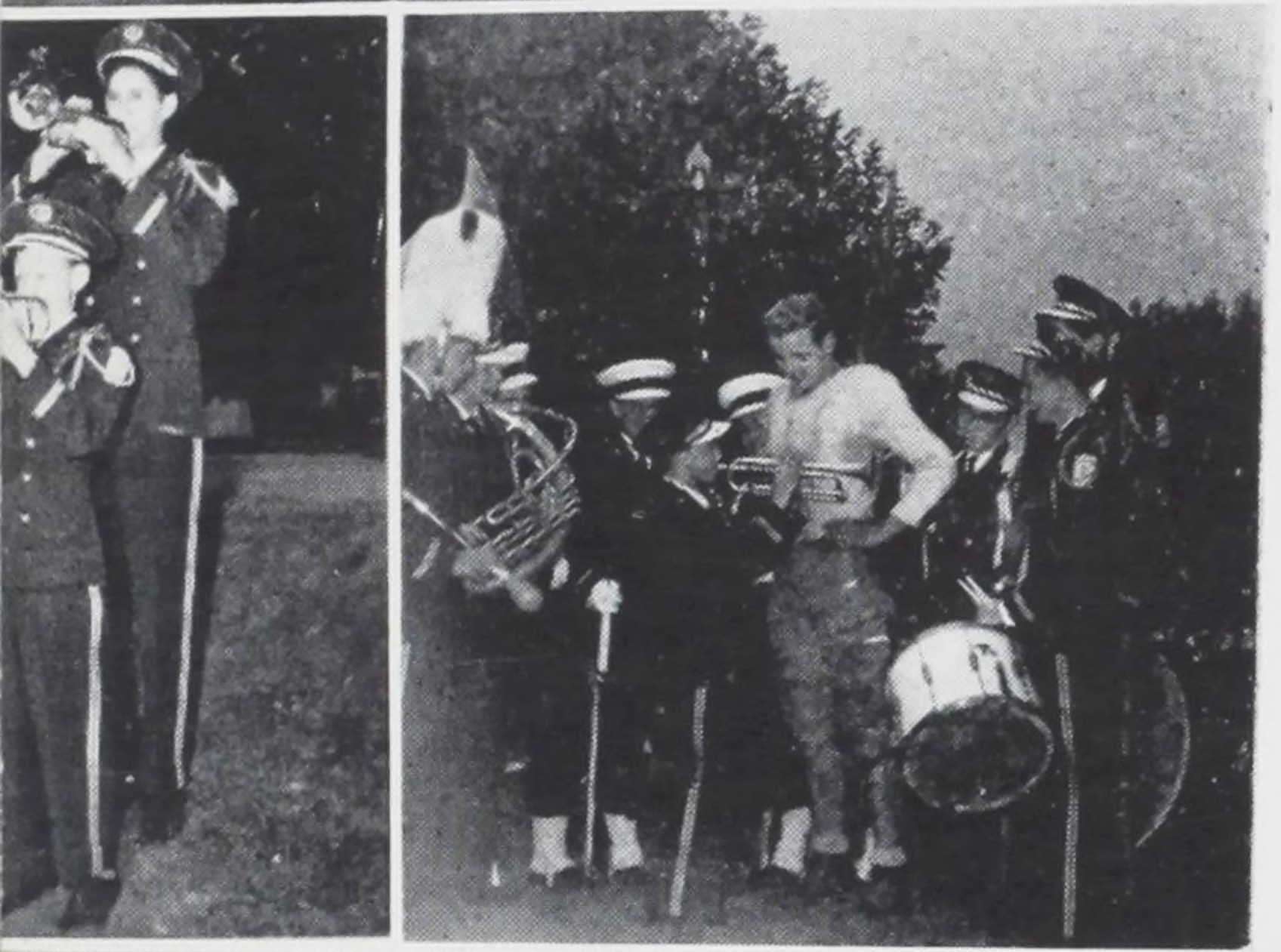




## BAND

Director—NORMAN N. STREET  
Student Director—DALE KUGEL  
Drum Major—ERNIE BAUDER

"This year's Tech band is the smallest and youngest band in recent years but has turned out to be the best band we have yet produced," was the statement of Mr. Norman N. Street, the band director. Missing from the band which last year won a Superior rating in Portland's band contest and again won prizes at the Wenatchee Apple Festival, were 10 key players but replacements from the Junior Band and incoming freshmen were made and the band was again an active school and community group representing Benson to the public and carrying the spirit of Tech throughout the Northwest wherever they perform.



SEASONS GREETINGS FROM THE BENSON BAND





### GLEE CLUB

In the past year the Glee Club has participated in many events, the highlight of which was Portland Night of the Northwest Music Educators Conference. A very impressive program was presented with the help of the band and chorus last Christmas in the Benson Auditorium.

The Glee club sang at the Armistice Day assembly. Benson should be very proud of the eleven boys who sang in the All Northwest Choir during the music conference. The Glee Club has sung over the air several times and on the program "Spot Light on Youth".







### "STAGE STUFF"

Faculty fun. Left to right: Mr. Miller, Mr. Reeves, Mr. Nichols, Mr. Wild, Mr. Hargreaves, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Brown, Miss Barta, and Mr. Johnson.





## "FORTY-NINERS"

This year the faculty took an active part in the Forty-Niners party held on December 17th. The annual event is co-sponsored by the Parent-Teachers' Association and the student body. On the day of the party teachers and students appeared in classes in old clothes characteristic of the "Gold Rush" days.

On this page is pictured our fun-loving faculty, who got in the spirit of the festive occasion, and furthered our admiration and respect for them by this display of good sportsmanship.

Right picture: Mrs. Merritt, Miss Morrison, Miss Downer, and Mr. Mee.

Below from left to right, back row: Mrs. Swapp, Miss Beck, Mrs. Neale, Mr. White, Miss Leon, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Hargreaves, Mr. Cahill, Mr. Stephens, Mrs. Herren, Mr. Suwol, and Miss Barta. Front row: Mr. Schrei, Mr. Brown, Miss Causgrove, and Mr. Johnson.







JANUARY 1949 SENIOR CLASS





JUNE 1949 SENIOR CLASS





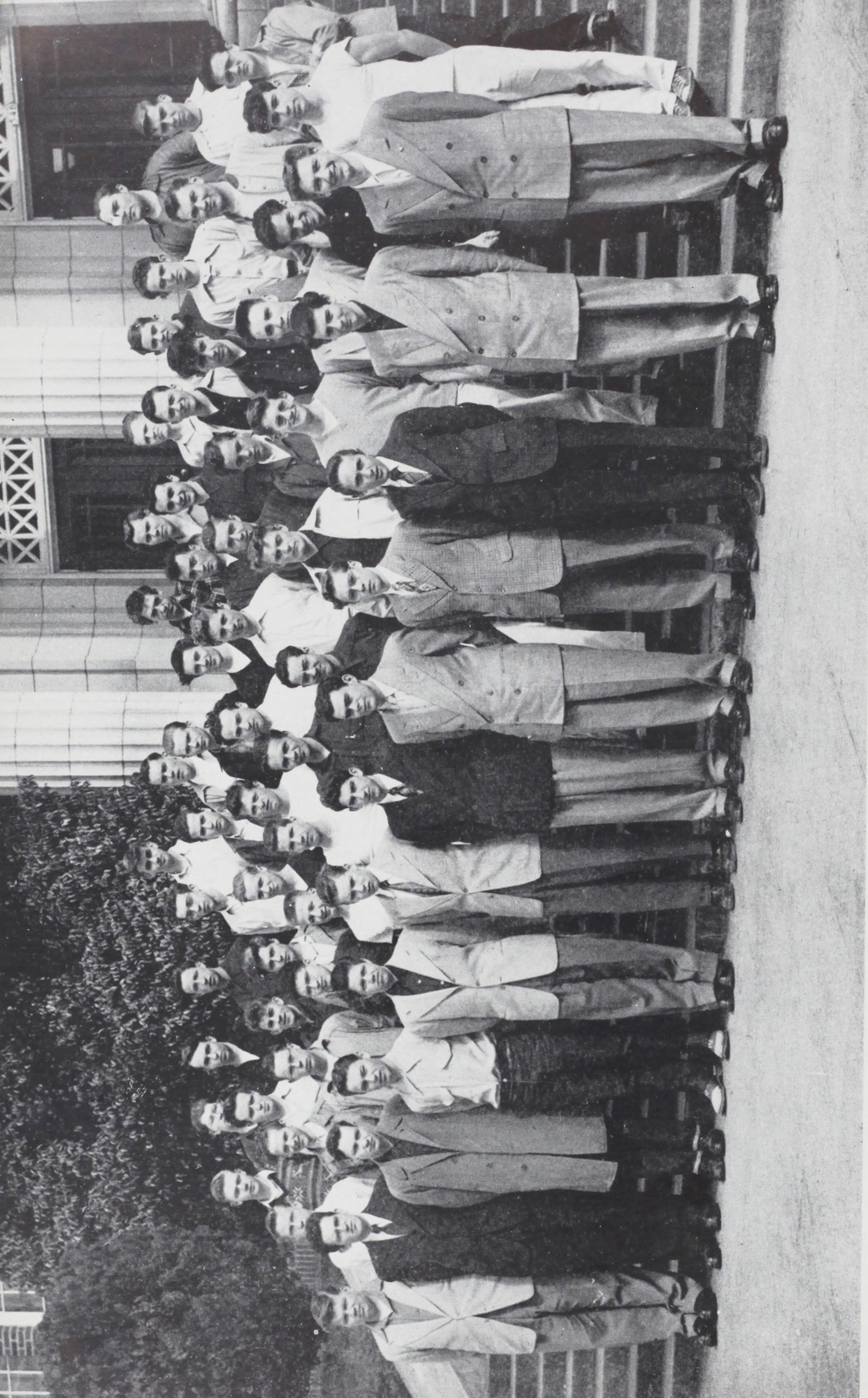
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SIXTH AND SEVENTH TERM L-Z





FIFTH TERM





THIRD AND FOURTH TERM A-O





THIRD AND FOURTH TERM P-Z





FIRST AND SECOND TERM A-K



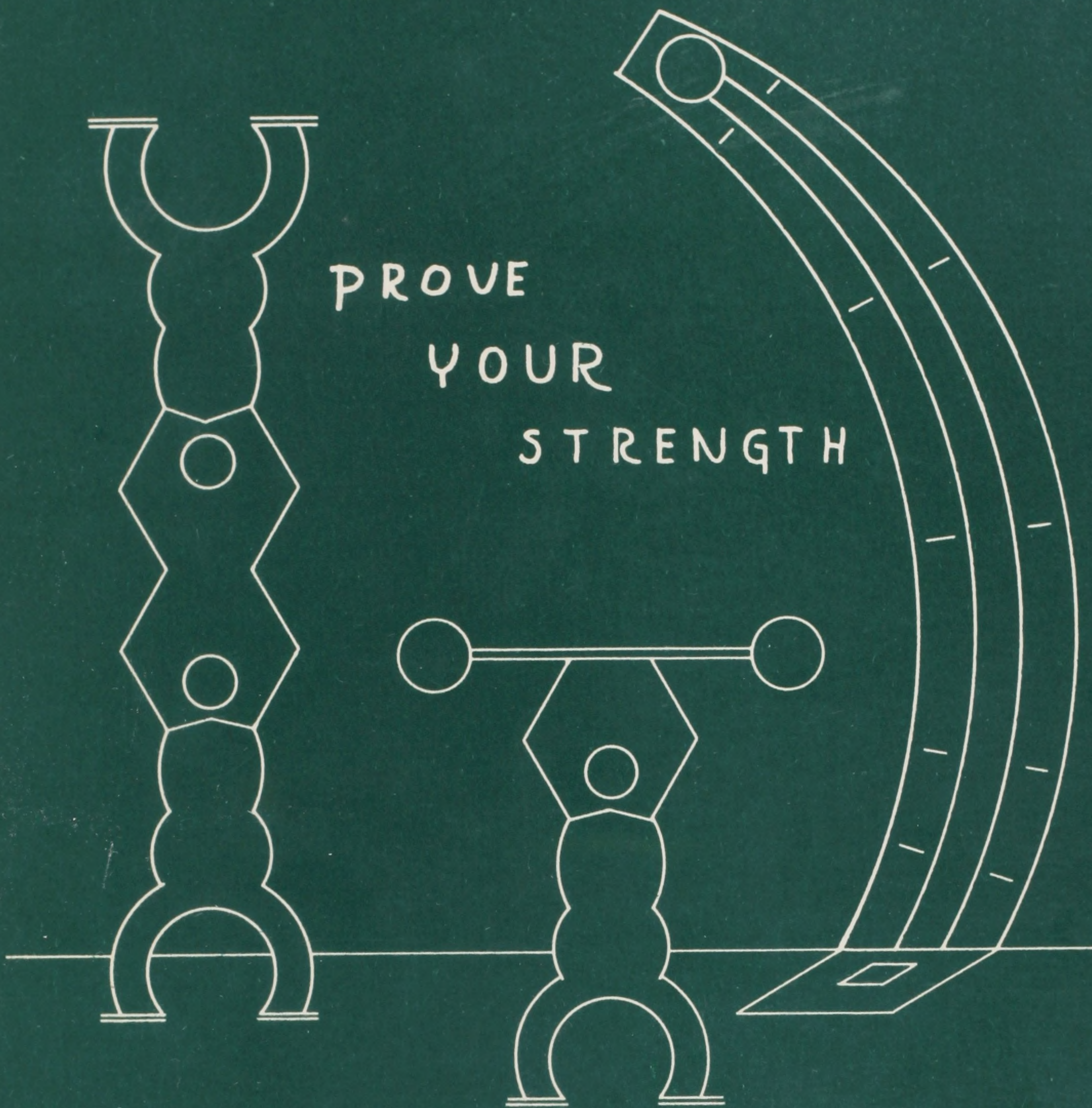


FIRST AND SECOND TERM L-Z



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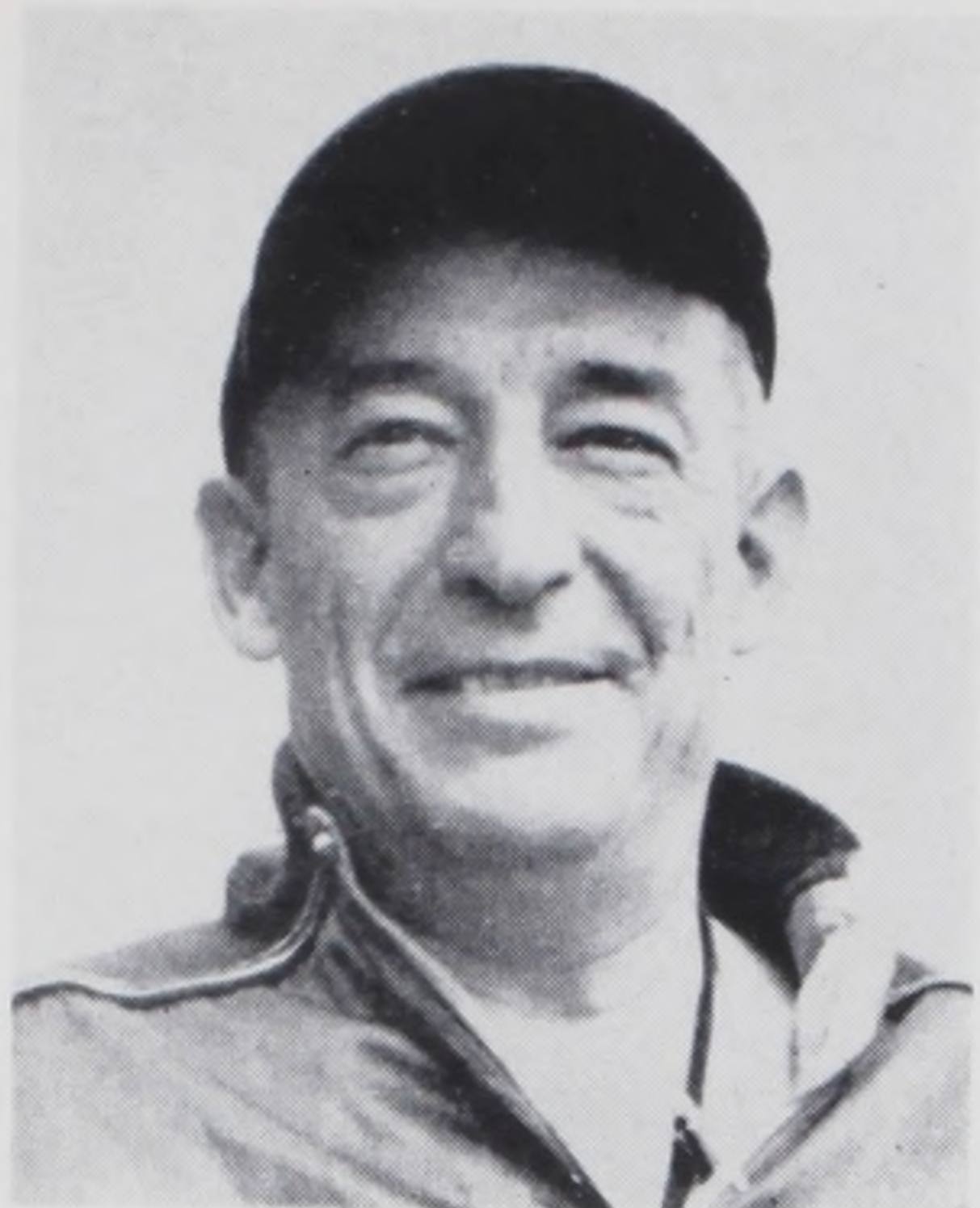








# COACHING STAFF



**COACH FRED MARINEAU**

Mr. Marineau is the director of athletics and is head football and track coach. Mr. Marineau this year ended his long coaching career in football but will continue his work as director of athletics and as track coach next year.

During his years at Benson his teams have captured crowns in football, cross-country and track. Coach Fred Marineau has a reputation among his trackmen that he can keep them in good condition throughout the track season.



**COACH CHUCK MUCHA**

Mr. Mucha is the swimming, tennis and intramural director. Mr. Mucha during the past four years has an outstanding record for intramural activities. More than that Coach Mucha coached the swimming team to the state title this past year.

Mr. Mucha was an All-American grid star for the University of Washington during his college days. Coach Mucha is also an ex-baseball, football and track mentor.



**COACH RALPH HARPER**

Mr. Harper came to Benson last year. He is well liked by all students. Coach Harper was assistant varsity football coach, junior basketball and track coach. Next year he will most likely succeed Mr. Marineau as head football coach.

Mr. Harper is a graduate of Oregon State College, where he lettered in football. He is from Portland and attended Franklin High School, where he made the All-City football team.



**COACH "SHARKEY" NELSON**

Mr. Nelson is a new member to the Benson coaching staff. He came from Washington High, where he was line coach in football and varsity track coach. His coaching duties at Benson are head basketball and varsity and junior cross-country.

Coach Nelson coached the varsity cross-country team to a second in the city meet and third in the state meet. The junior squad took the city cross-country championship.

Mr. Nelson in his college days at Central Teachers College, located at Edmond, Oklahoma, lettered three years in basketball, one year in football and was captain of the track team in his senior year.



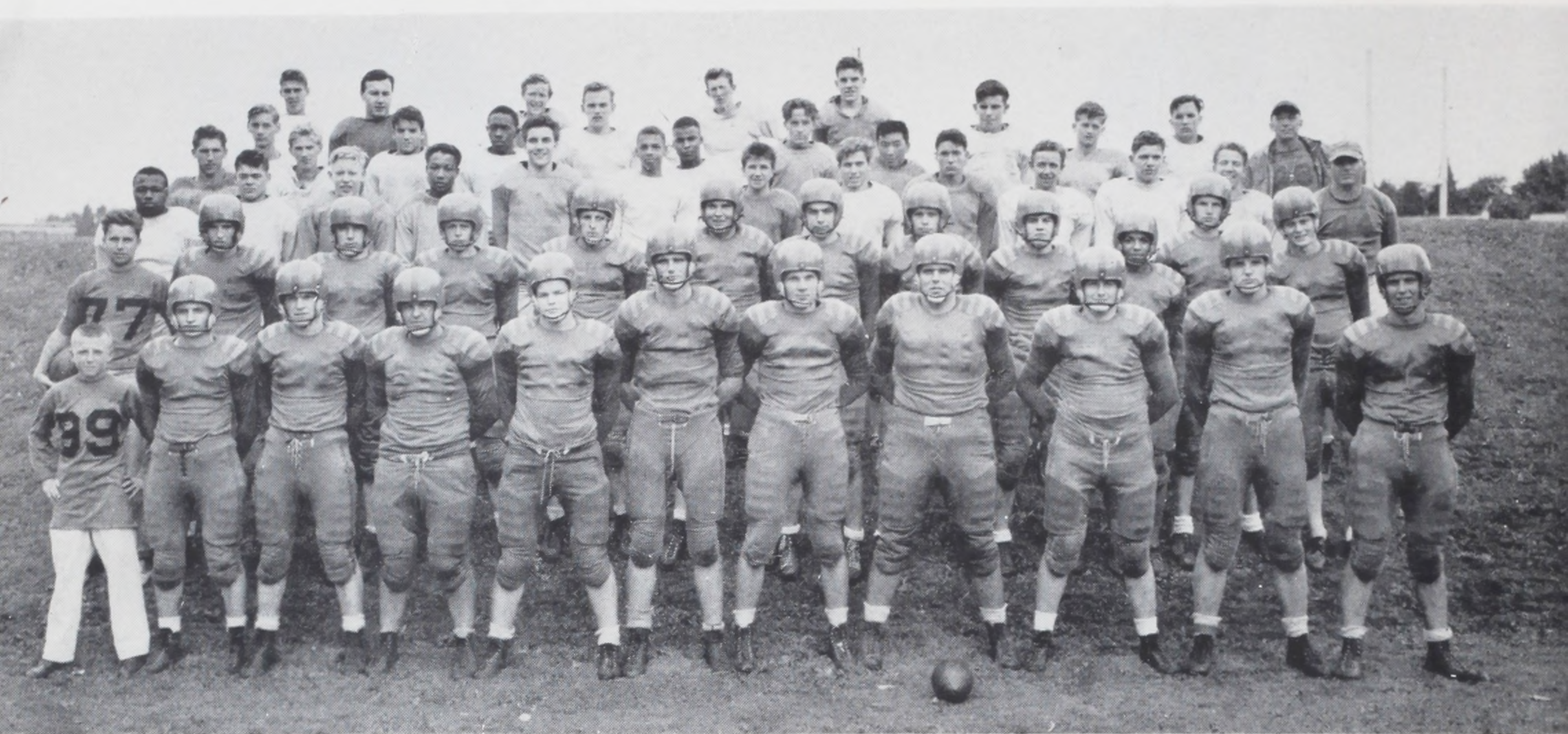
**COACH CLIFF WISE**

Mr. Wise is about to end his first year at Benson. He is well liked by the students. His coaching duties consist of junior football and head baseball coach.

Coach Wise is a graduate of the University of Michigan, where he was a three-year letterman in baseball. He was an outstanding pitcher at Michigan. Coach Wise was on the Michigan coaching staff as a freshman coach for one year while taking post-graduate work.



# VARSITY FOOTBALL



ROW 1: J. Eperjesi, J. Herder, J. Miller, L. Kezar, A. Jenness, W. Griest, G. Schmidt, T. Daklos, C. Mariani, D. Brown, G. Keswick.  
 ROW 2: B. Gall, B. Clements, G. Crocker, J. Andersen, J. Foster, R. Buckley, E. Hardt, D. Klawka, D. LaBarre, E. Butler, T. Cosgrove, R. Finkle.  
 ROW 3: M. Griffith, D. Pooschke, J. Robb, J. Wilson, D. Berke, C. Williams, P. Georgeades, B. Kronquist, C. Odor, F. Raynor, D. Richardson, L. Powers, Coach Harper.  
 ROW 4: D. Carrier, K. Bardsley, J. Jenkins, B. Hewitt, H. Peters, J. Rasmussen, J. Boozer, D. Christy, K. Tanada, R. Frazer, E. Kohl, C. Franz, Coach Marineau.  
 ROW 5: J. Pooschke, J. Pucick, R. Hyland, G. Minor, D. Davidson.

The 1948 football squad having a successful season finished in a third place tie with Washington. The Tech gridsters won three, tied two and lost two. In pre-season play they tied Kelso, 13-13. Coach Marineau's Techmen fought from a shifting single wing and T formations. Benson's line was exceptional this year, holding Washington, Franklin and Grant when they moved in close.

Larry Kezar, who was chosen on the All-City team last year, again won that award. John Herder was selected on the second All-City team although he was out of play for some time with injuries.

Those picked for the Shriner All-Star game in August are Charles Mariani, George Keswick, Tom Daklos, and George Schmidt. Other outstanding players who won Honorable Mention All-City awards were Dwight Brown, Jack Andersen, and Al Jenness.

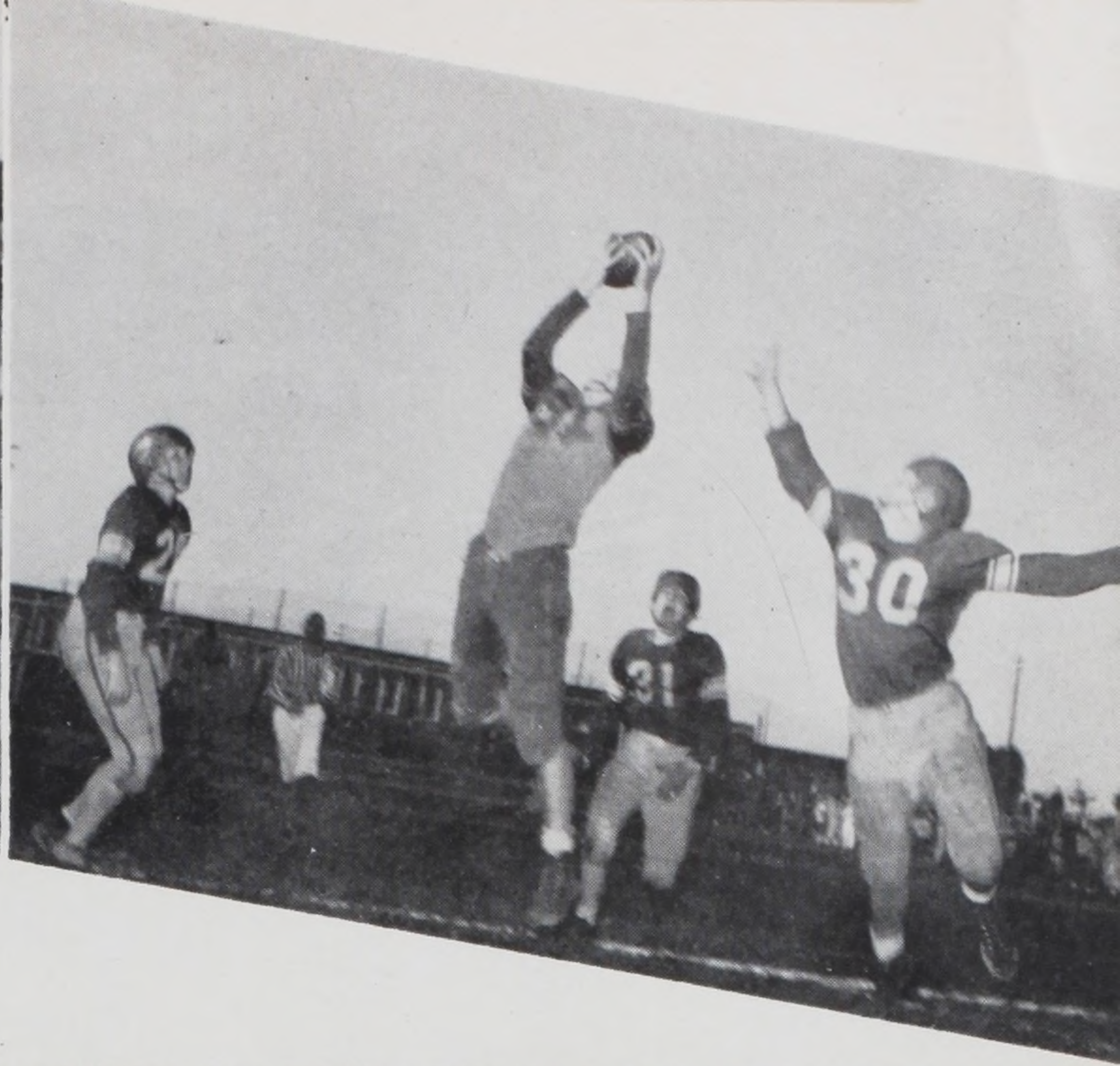
## GAME SCORES

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Benson....21	Cleveland .. 6
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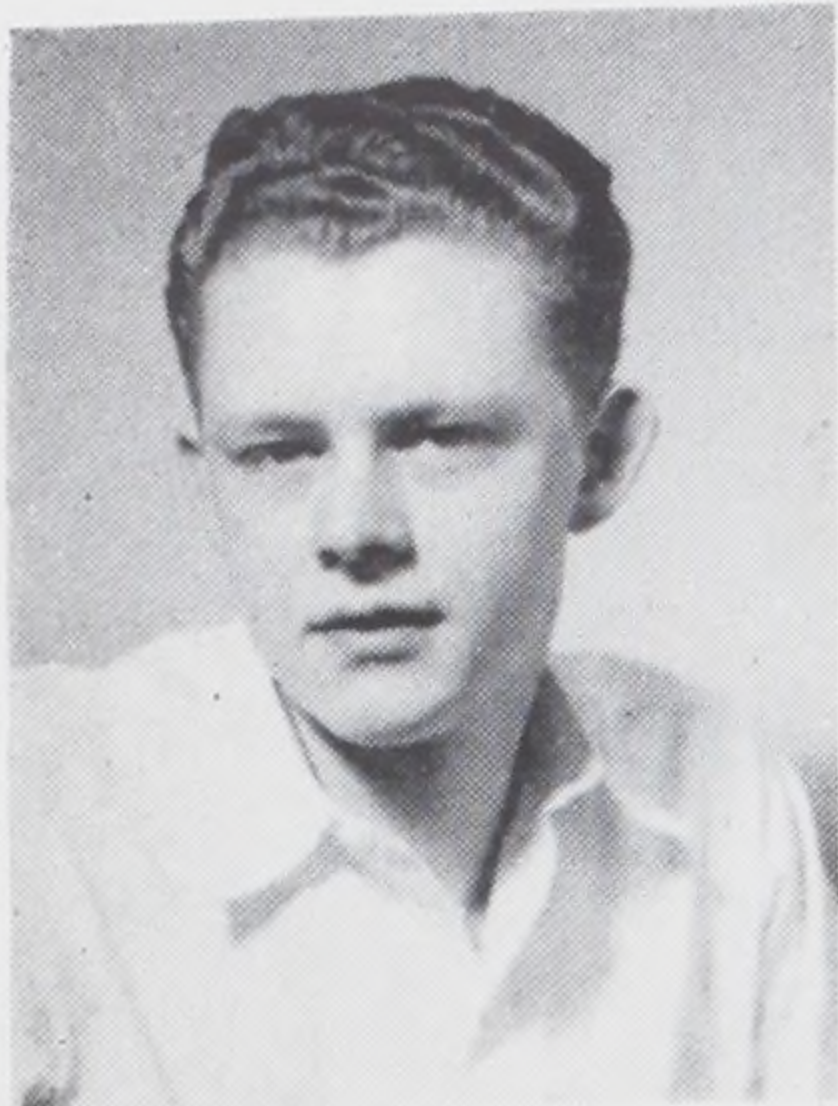
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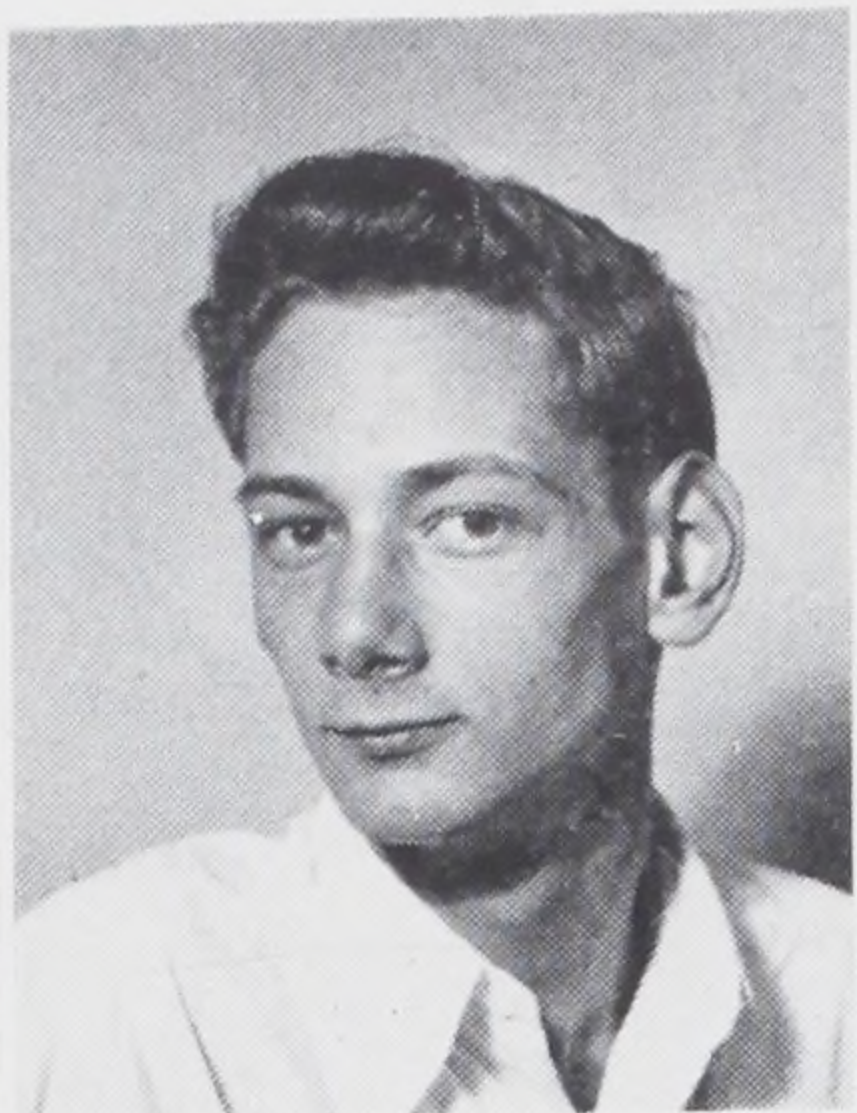




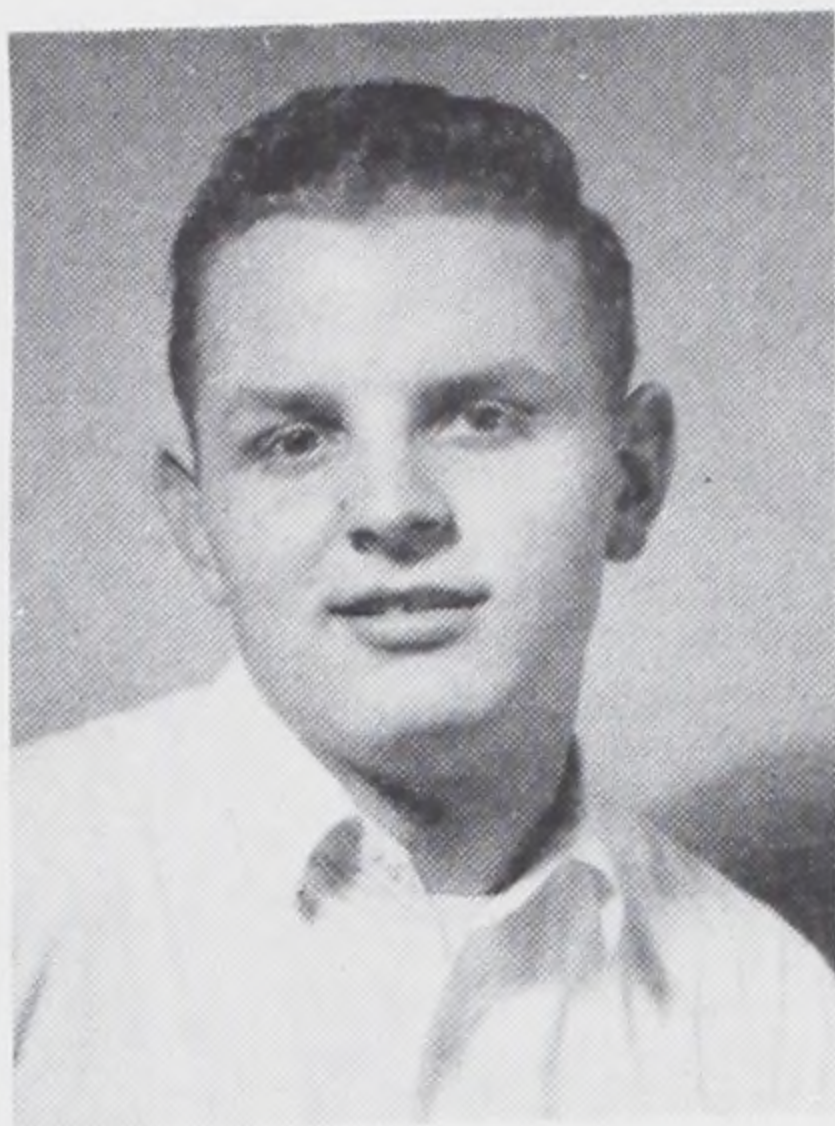
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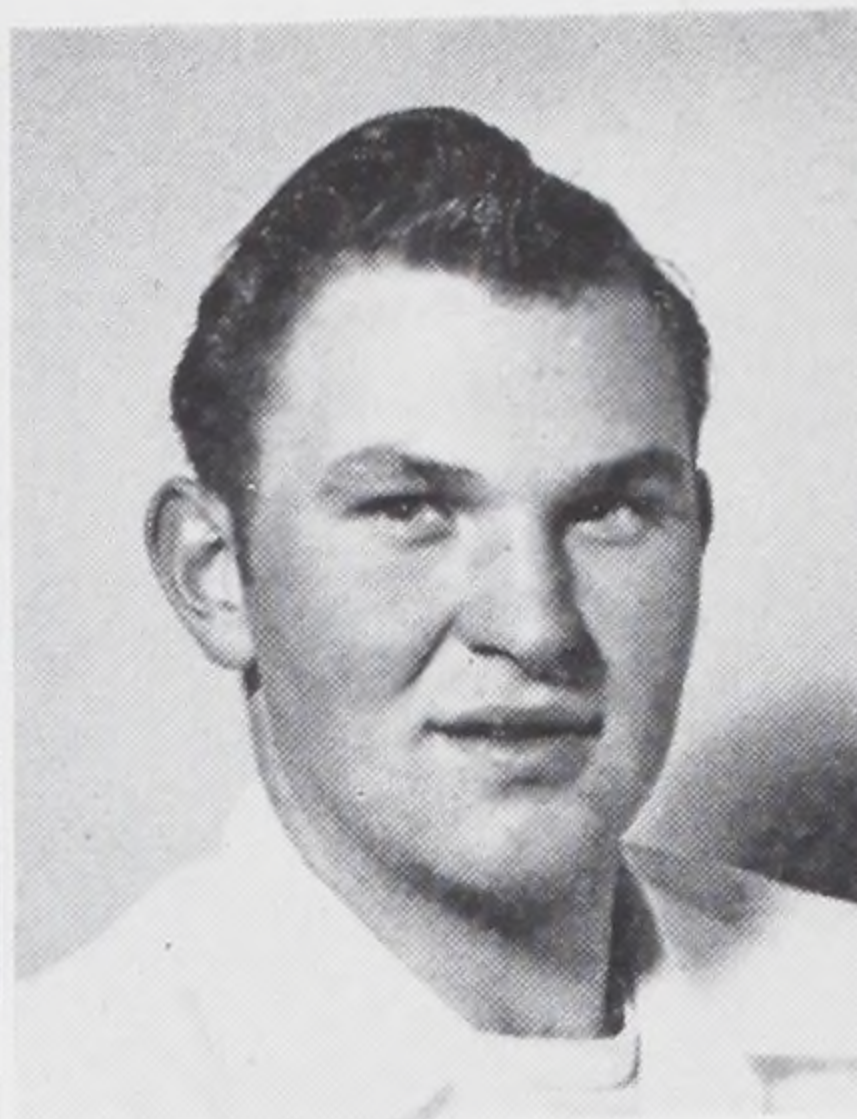
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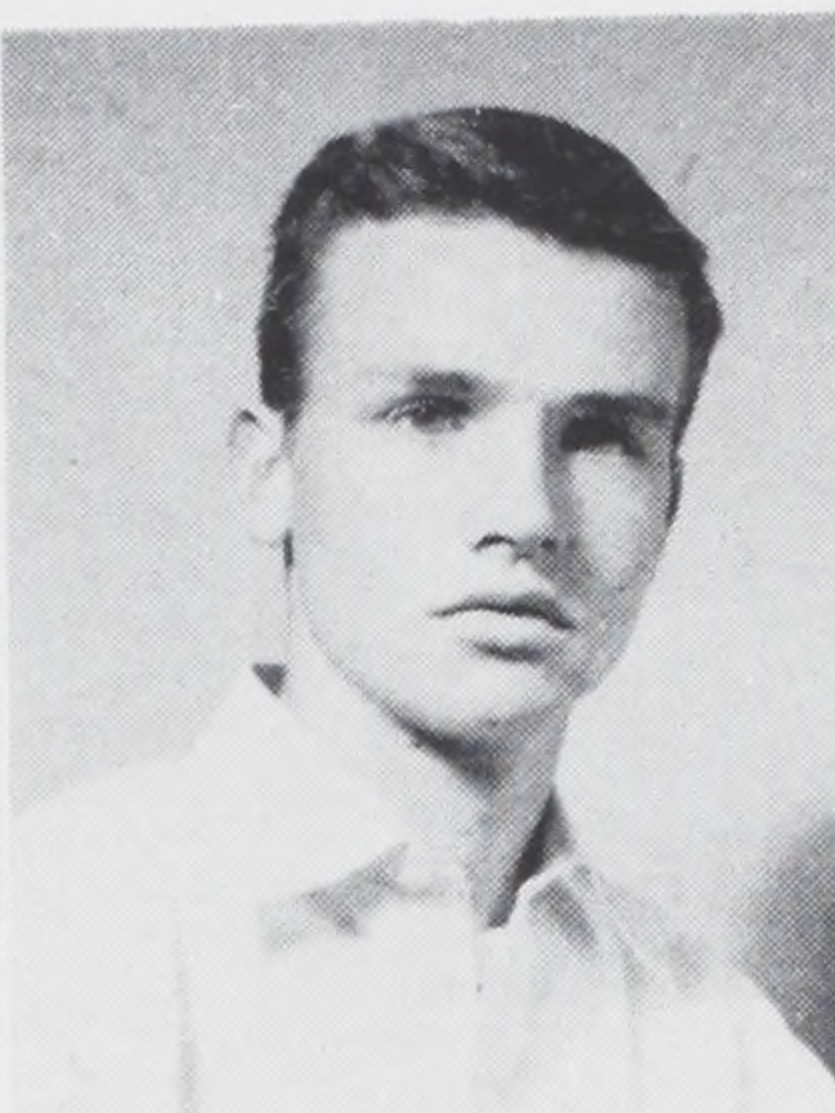
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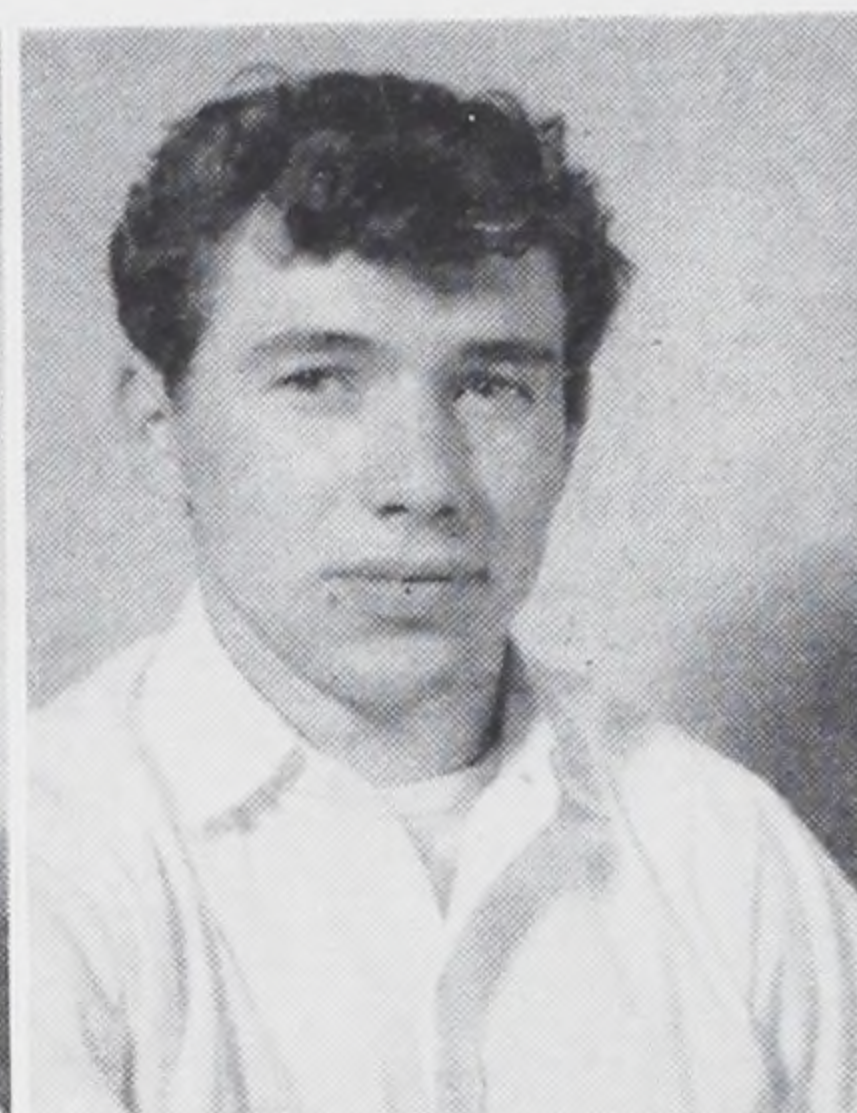
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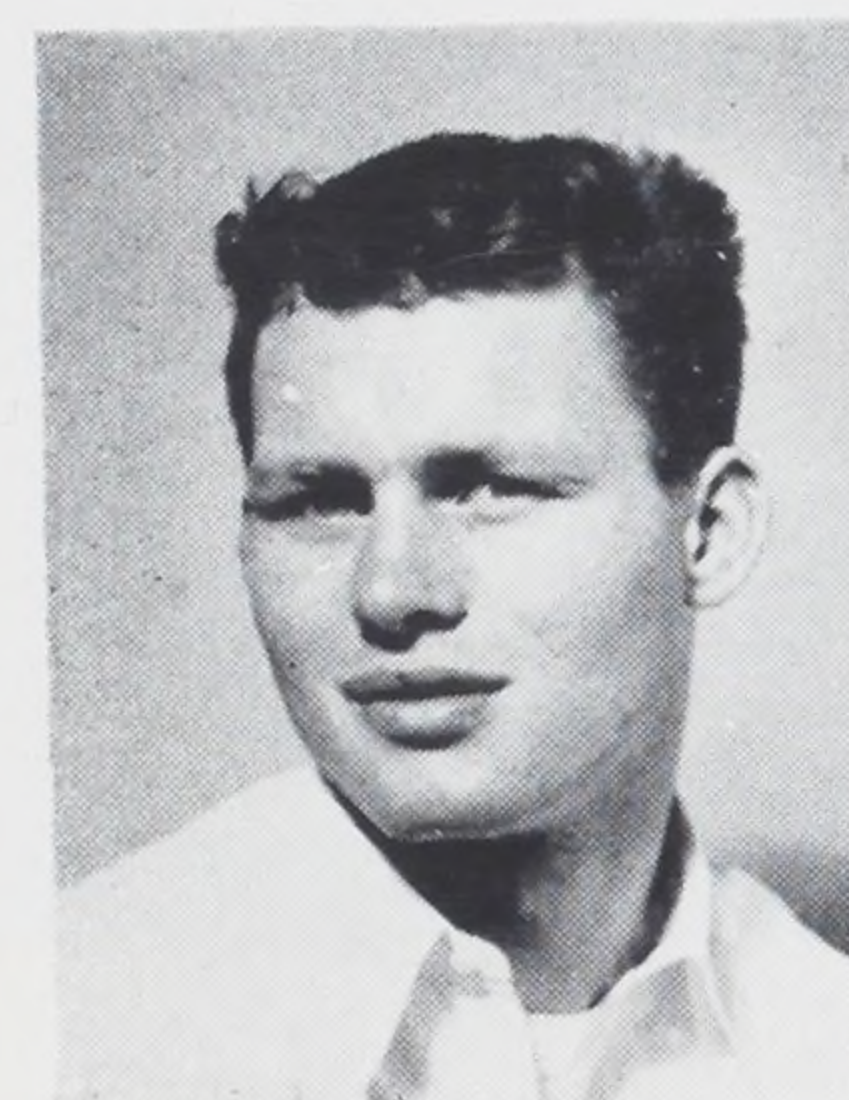
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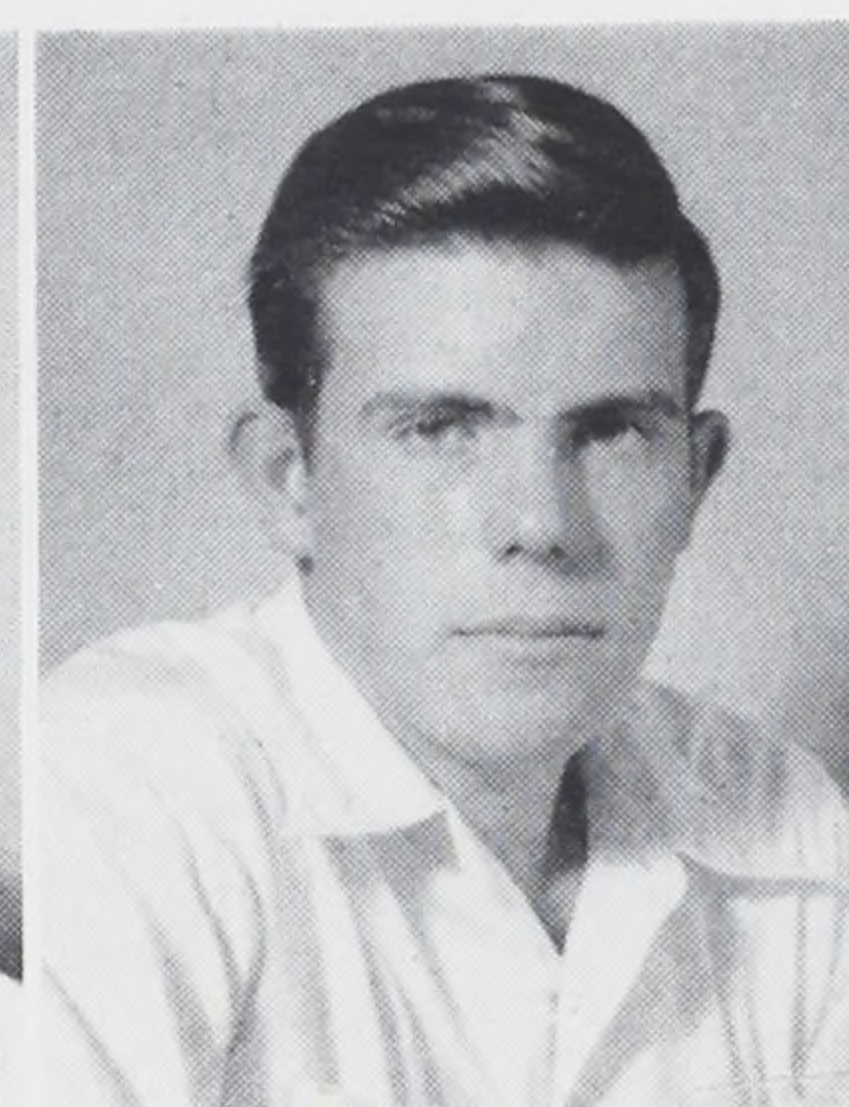
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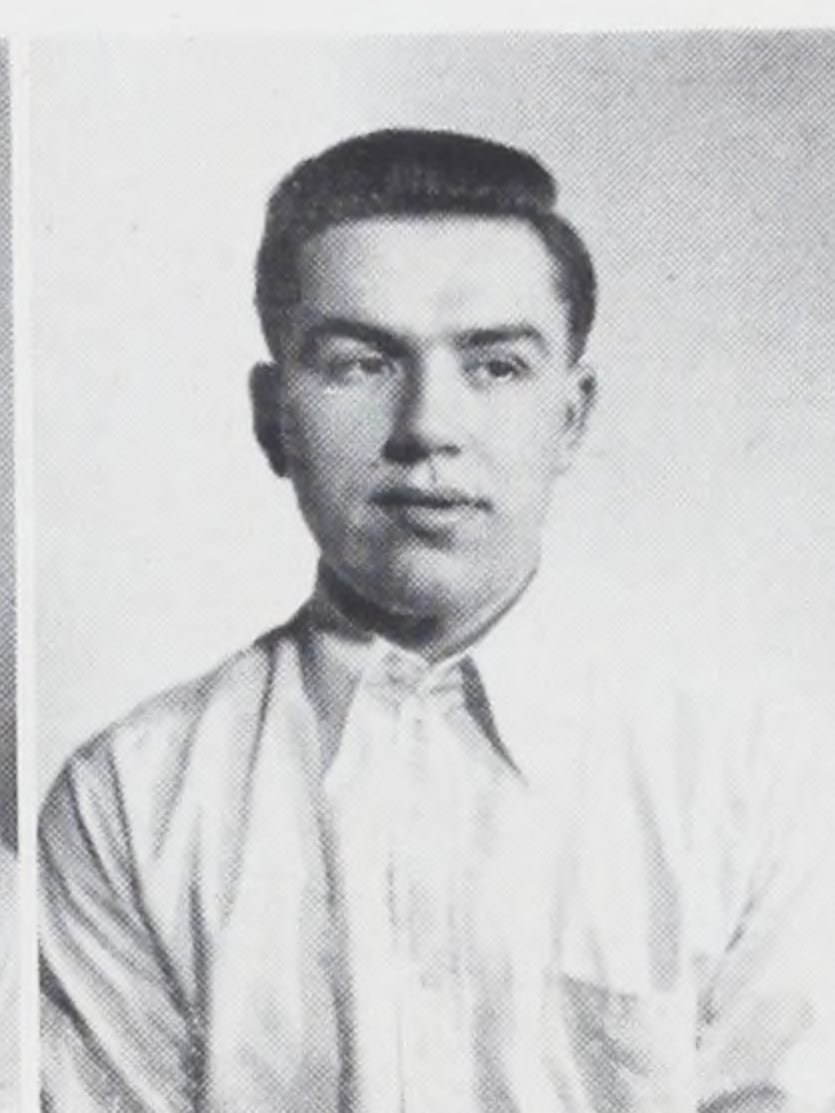
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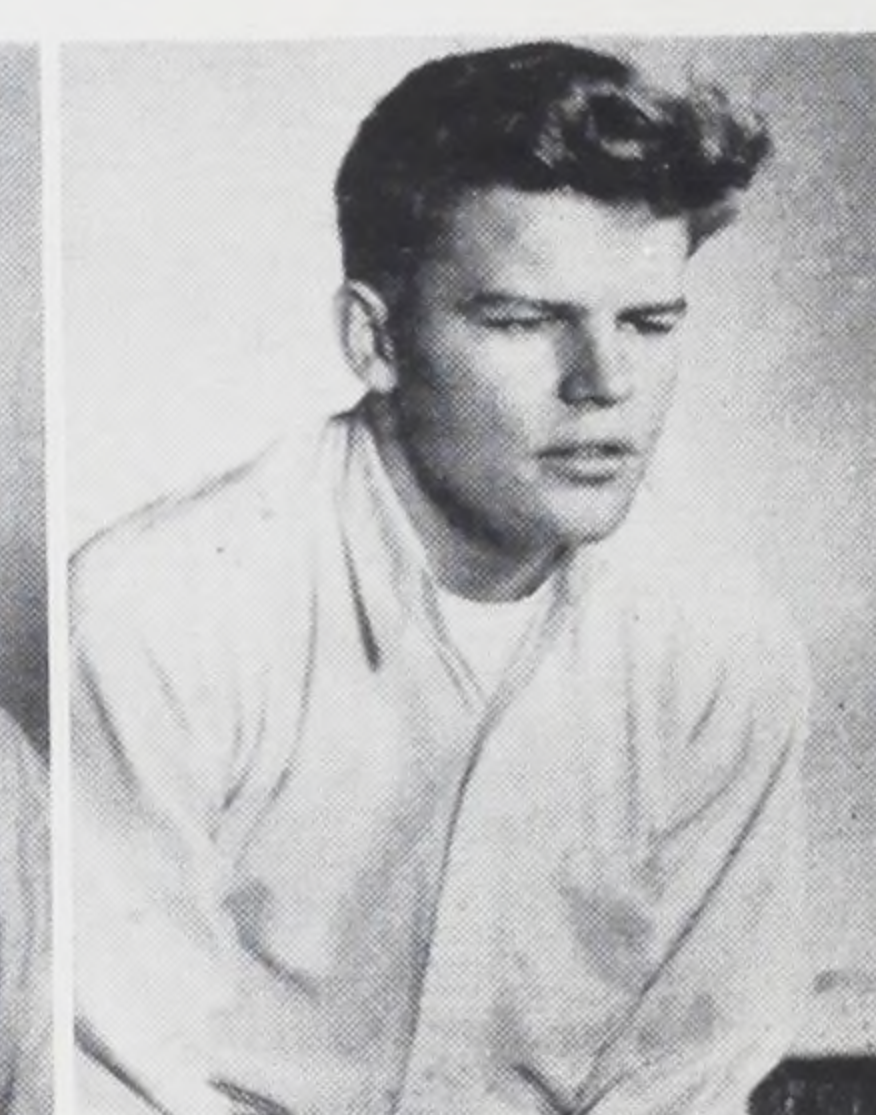
BOB FRASER



ERNEST HARDT



JOHN HERDER



AL JENNESS

## BENSON 0—WASHINGTON 0

Benson started its season for the third time in four years against Washington High School. In the first quarter at Multnomah Stadium neither team showed much action. On the Buckman Field the competition was close. A long pass put Washington in scoring position deep in the Tech territory. Benson held the strong Colonial offense for four downs, averting the winning score. The game ended with no scoring on either team's part.

## BENSON 12—FRANKLIN 0

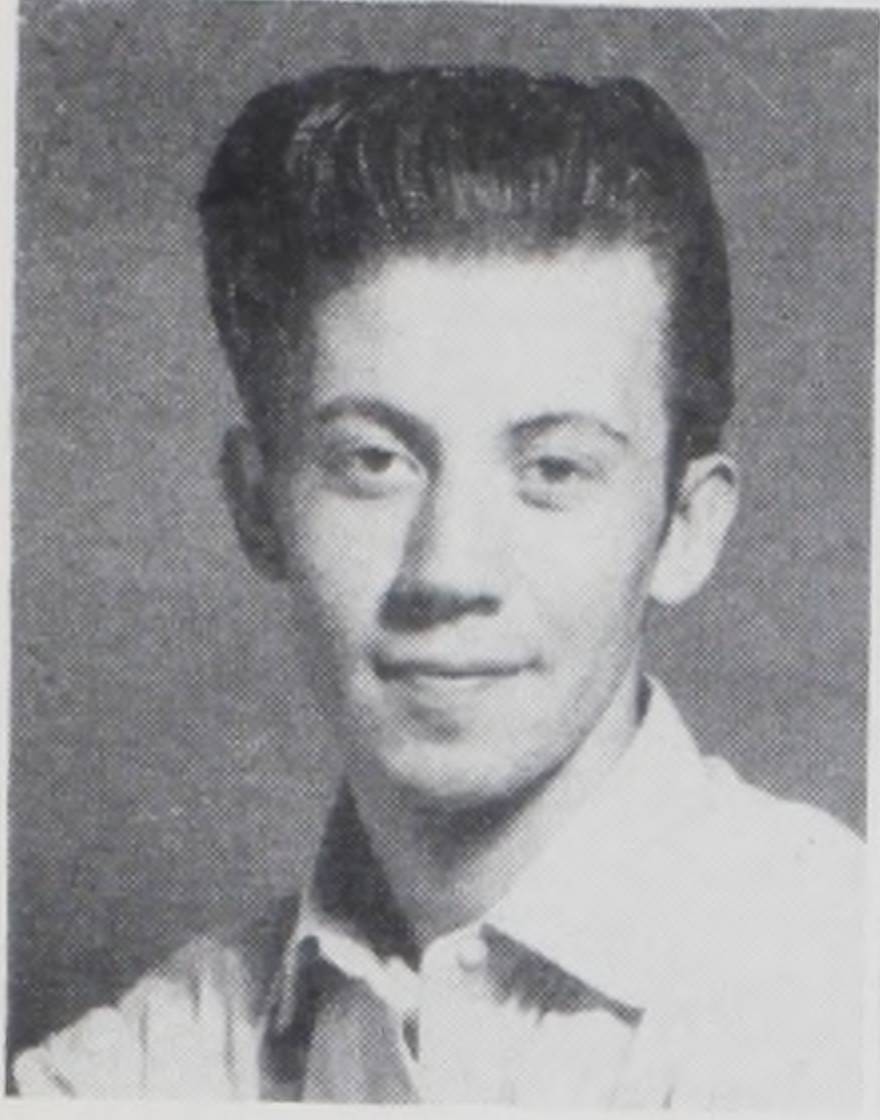
In the second game of the Portland Interscholastic League play Benson defeated Franklin 12-0. Jack Andersen broke through twice to prove he can carry the ball as well as throw it. In the first quarter he scored from the twelve-yard line and again in the fourth quarter after a forty-seven-yard march down the field. The Quakers moved to the Tech two-yard line in their only threat. They were thrown back by the strong Tech forward wall.

## BENSON 21—CLEVELAND 6

Benson was finally scored upon in the third round of Interscholastic League play. The battling Indians of Cleveland scored in the second period after a fifty-six-yard drive. Tech then started to roll, starting from the thirty-yard line they went all the way. The plunging of George Keswick and passes from Andersen to ends Dwight Brown and Bob Mosely spelled defeat for the Indians. A blocked punt by Hardt was picked up by Mosely and good for a score. The last score was on a triple reverse play with Miller packing the ball for the Techmen.



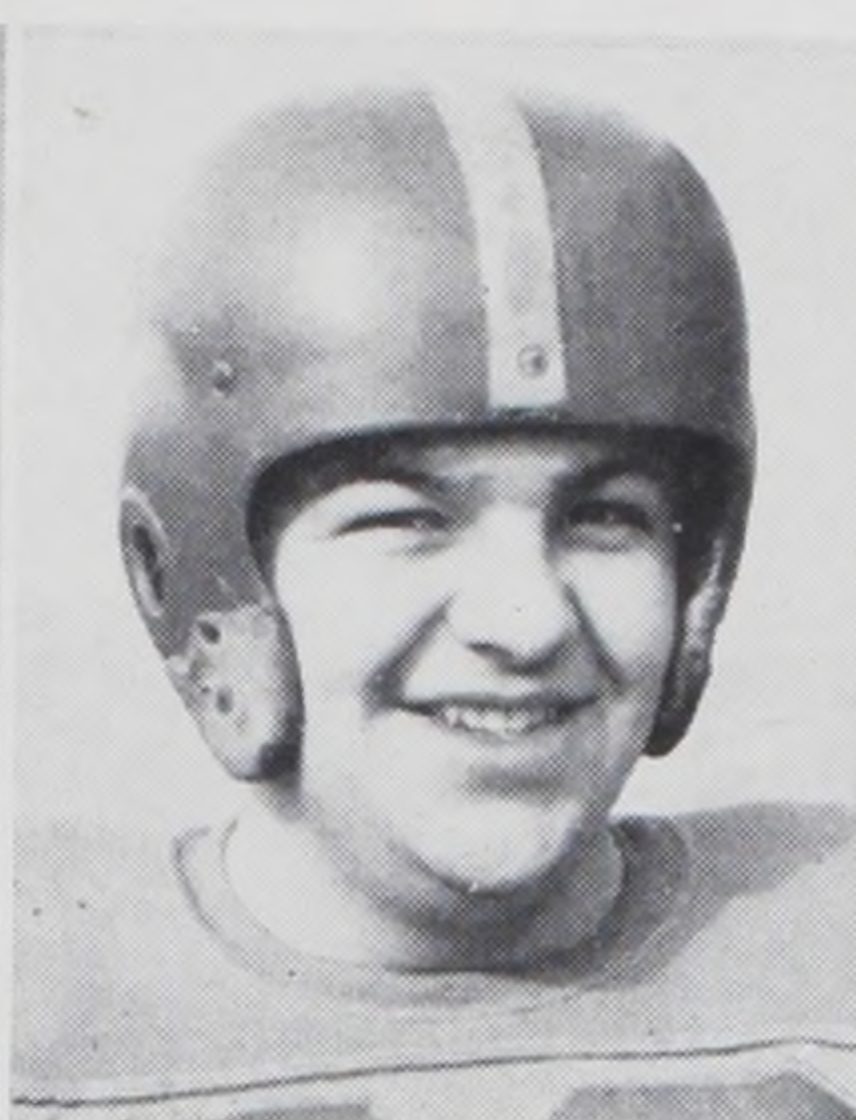
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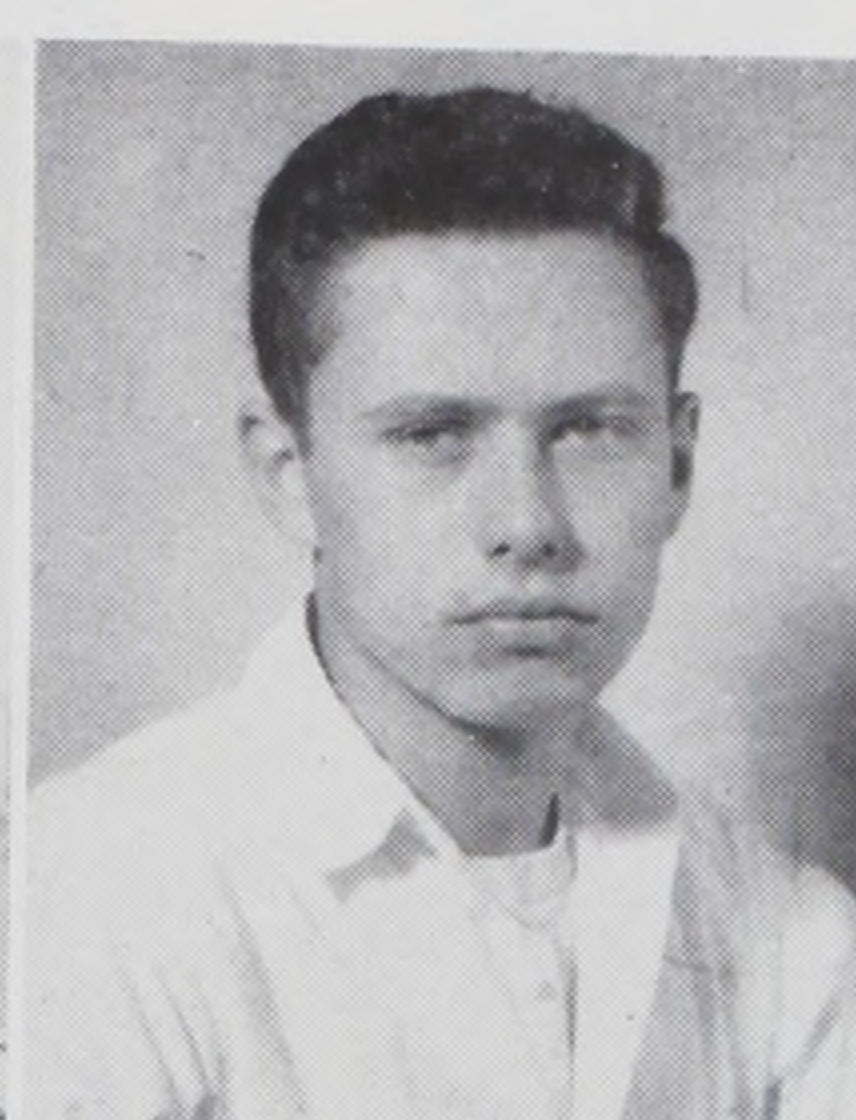
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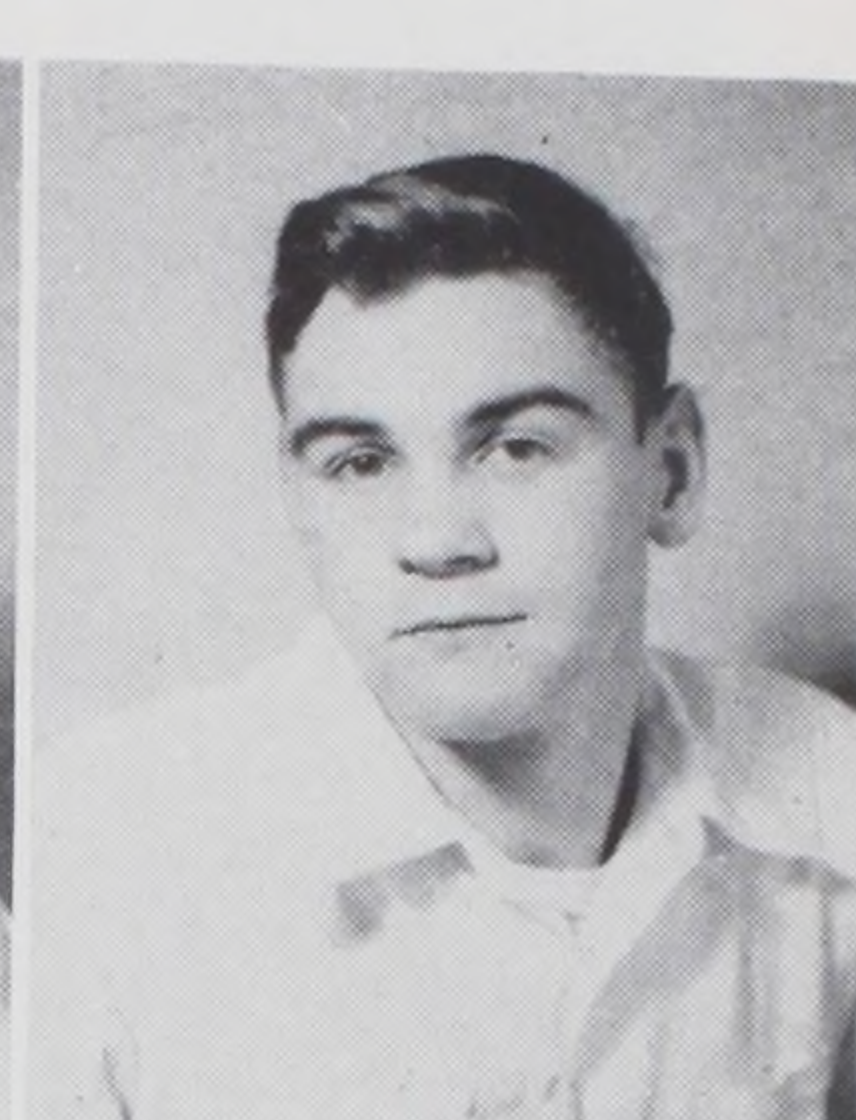
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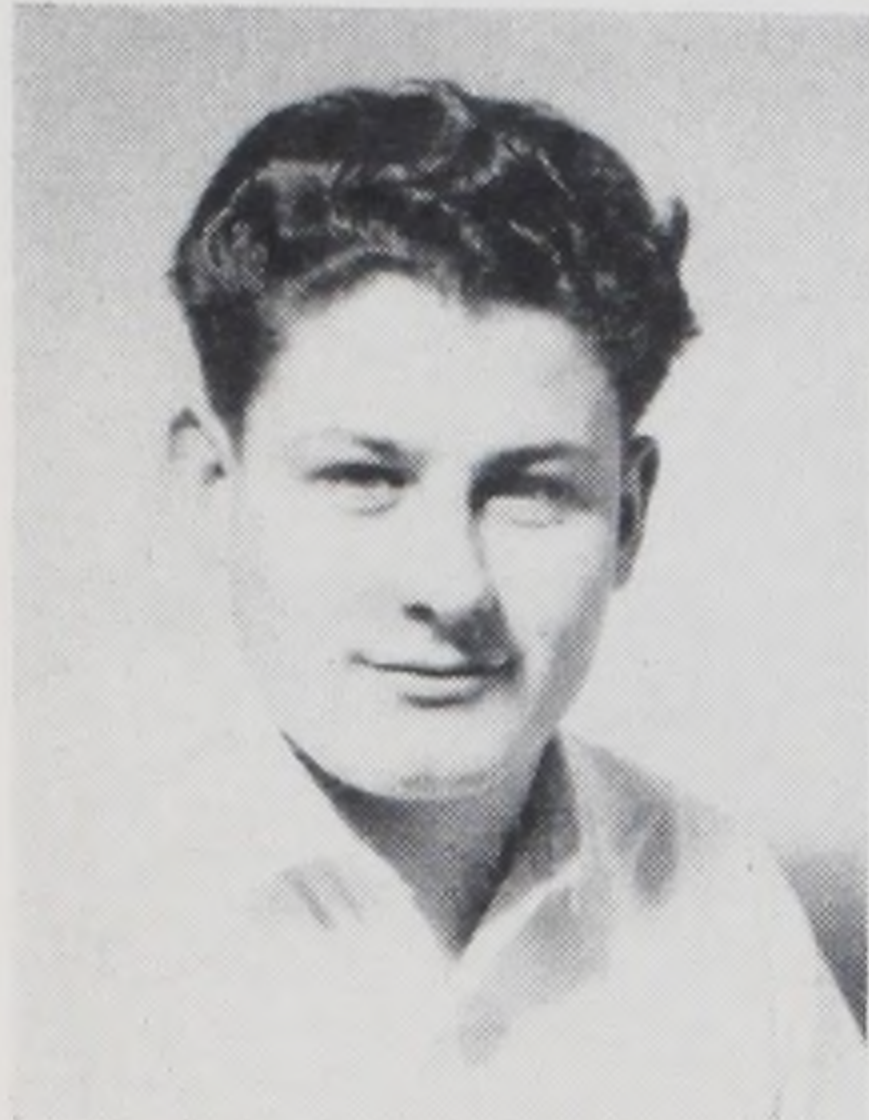
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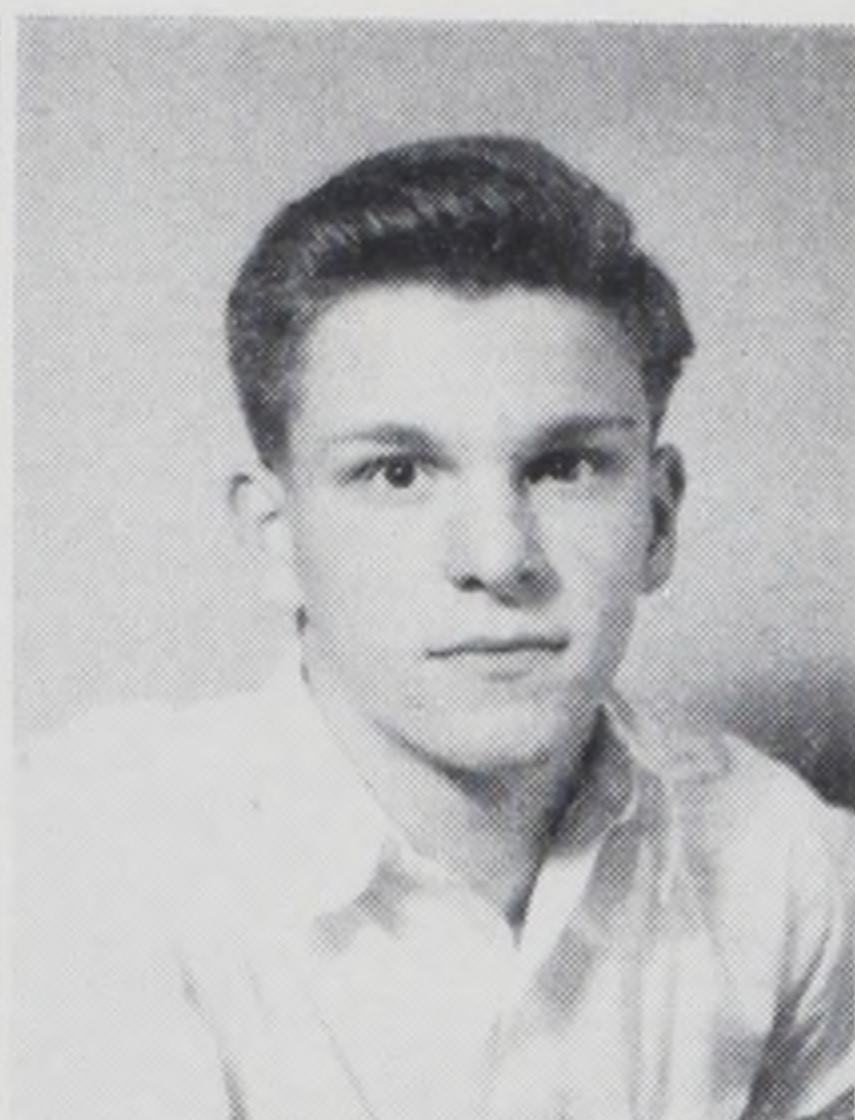
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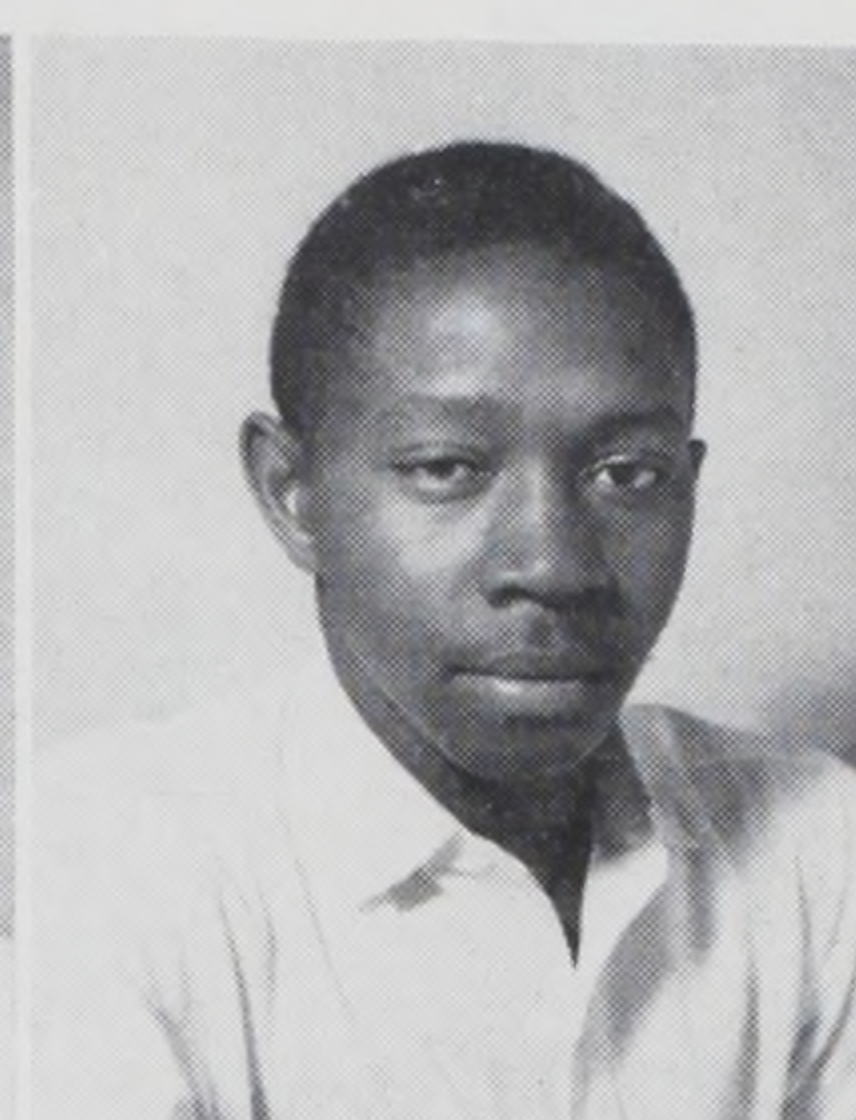
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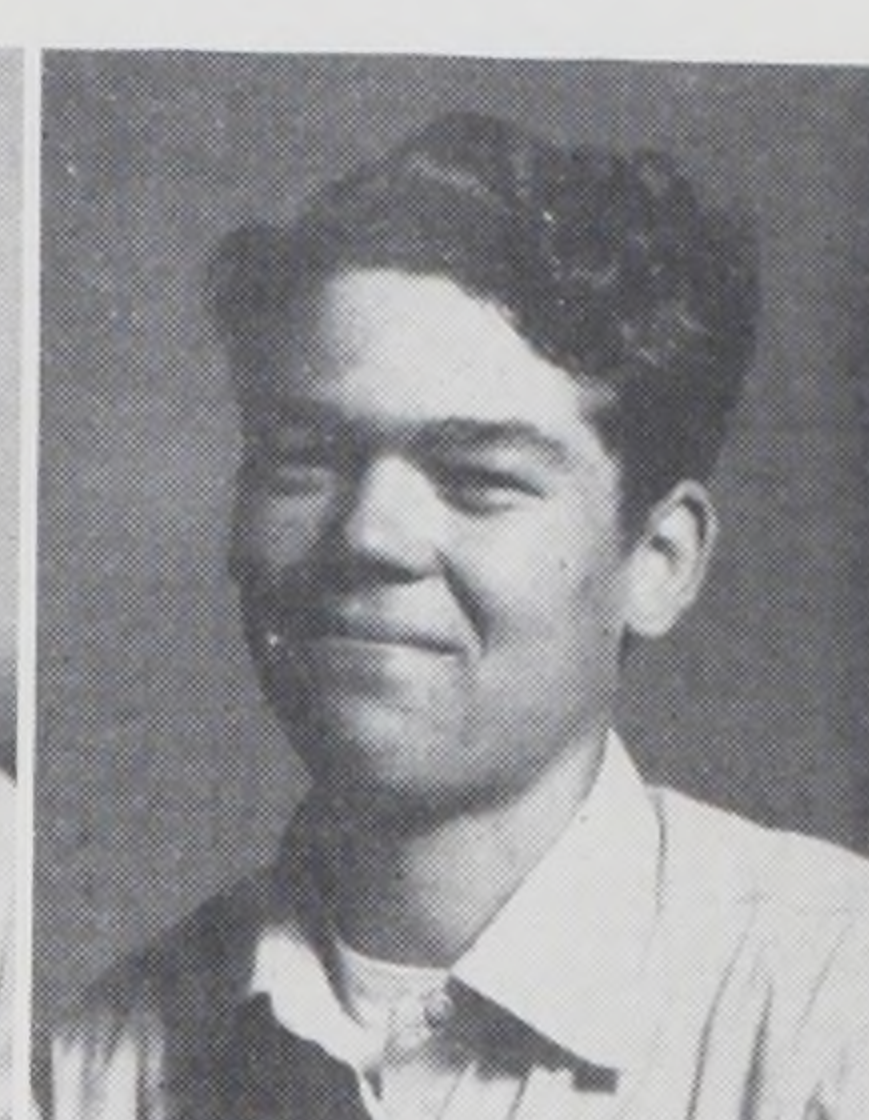
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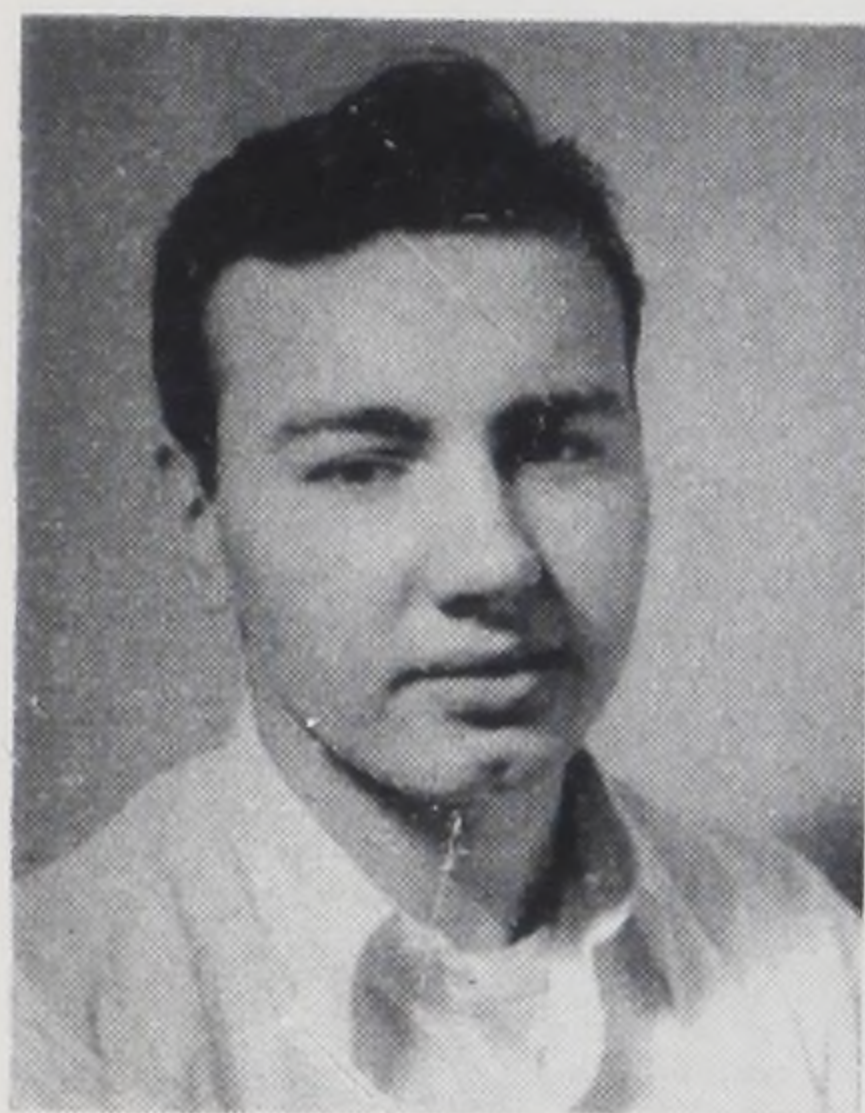
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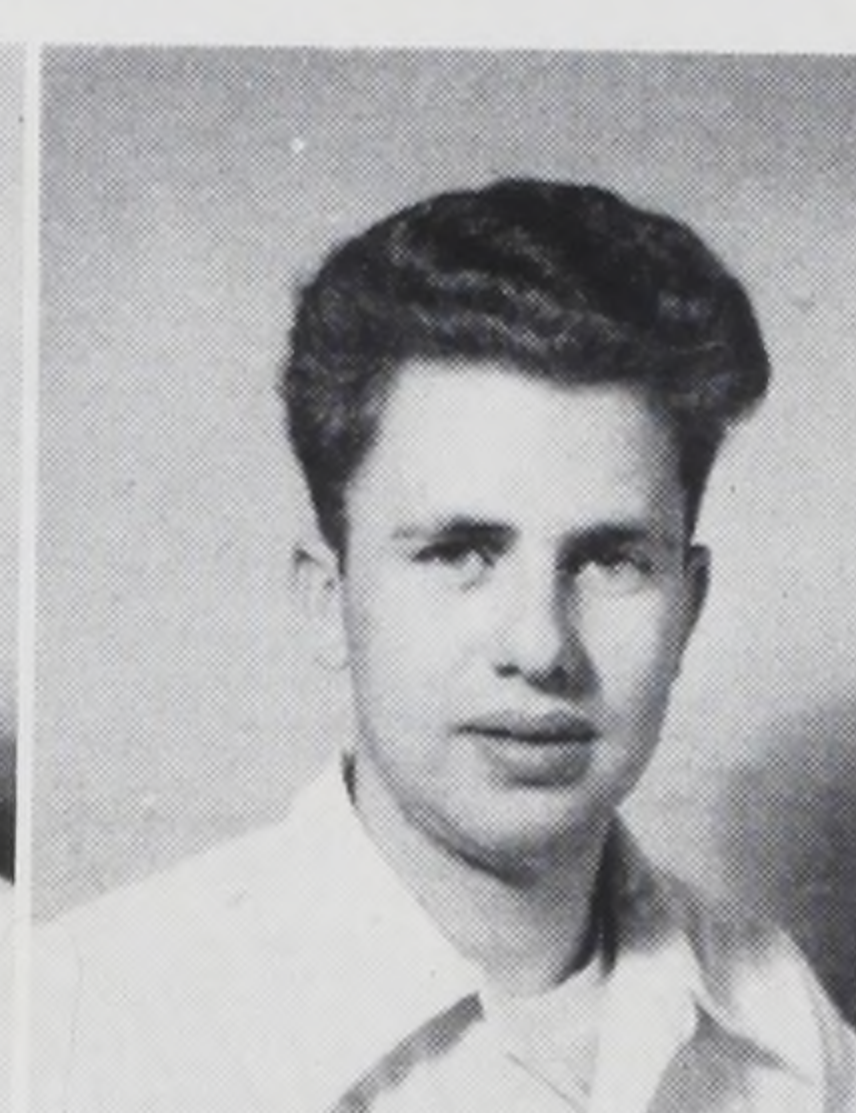
JOHN PUCICK



GEORGE SCHMIDT



EUGENE SCHWERDT



BILL GALL



JOHN EPERJESI

## BENSON 14—GRANT 14

Techmen remain unbeaten after tying the overrated Grant Generals! Some thirty-five hundred fans saw the rough grid contest which saw much action from the brawny teams. Tech was first to score when Schmidt recovered a Grant fumble. Keswick powered over from the two-yard line and Andersen's kick was true. Grant came right back to score twice and the half ended 14-7, Grant. John Herder's tackling, Andersen's kicking and penalties saved the day for Tech. Herder, who was injured in the opener, made his comeback in this game. Benson resorted to a five-man line to check the Generals' passing attack. The Techmen scored in the final period to tie the game. Another Grant drive was checked and Benson was deep in General territory at the final gun.

## BENSON 0—JEFFERSON 14

In the fifth round of Interscholastic League play Benson's 1948 team met its first defeat.

Tech started an early march with Herder scooting ends and Keswick going through the center of the tough Demo line. This drive ended on the Jeff forty-four yard line when Benson elected to pass. Andersen's pass to Mosley tipped Mosley's fingers and fell into the arms of Howell Lee, who sprinted to the Benson one-yard line. This was the first of Jeff's two touchdowns. Covey dashed across to climax a sixty-seven-yard drive in the third period. The final score found Benson on the short end of a 14-0 score.

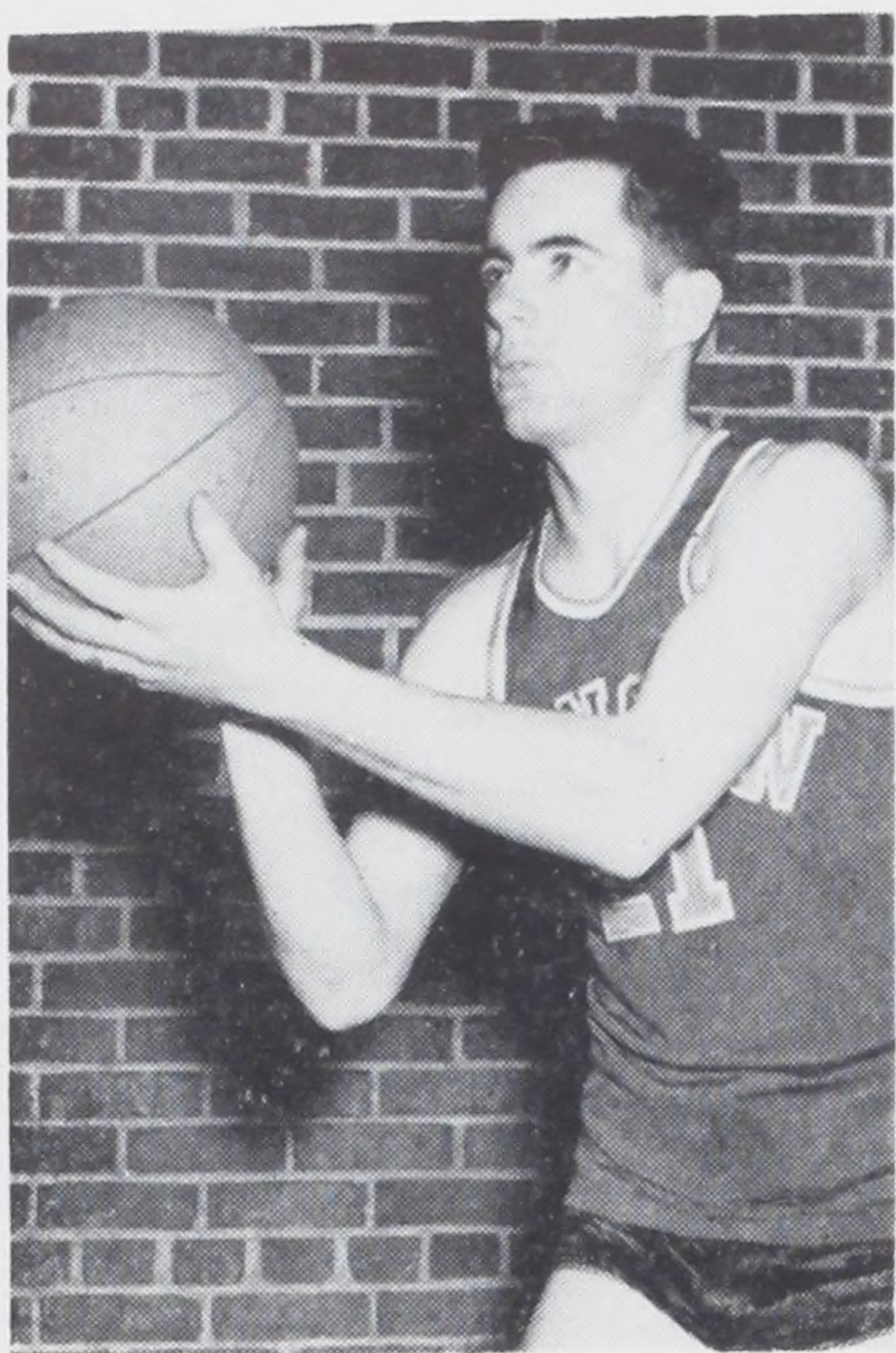
## BENSON 0—ROOSEVELT 28

Hamblin and Jerry Garret were the main cogs in the Ted machine as they whipped the Techmen in the sixth round of play. Sweeping the ends and taking pitchouts, Hamblin and Garret scored four times during the slaughter. The touchdowns were evenly divided between the first and second halves. The Techmen suffered their worst defeat of the year, 28-0.

## BENSON 7—LINCOLN 0

In the final game of the season the Techmen fought hard against the luckless Lincoln Cardinals. The only score was in the second period when a pass from Herder to Miller brought them to the Lincoln seven-yard line. Keswick went off tackle for the score. After a bad pass from center, Keswick ran over the goal for the extra point.

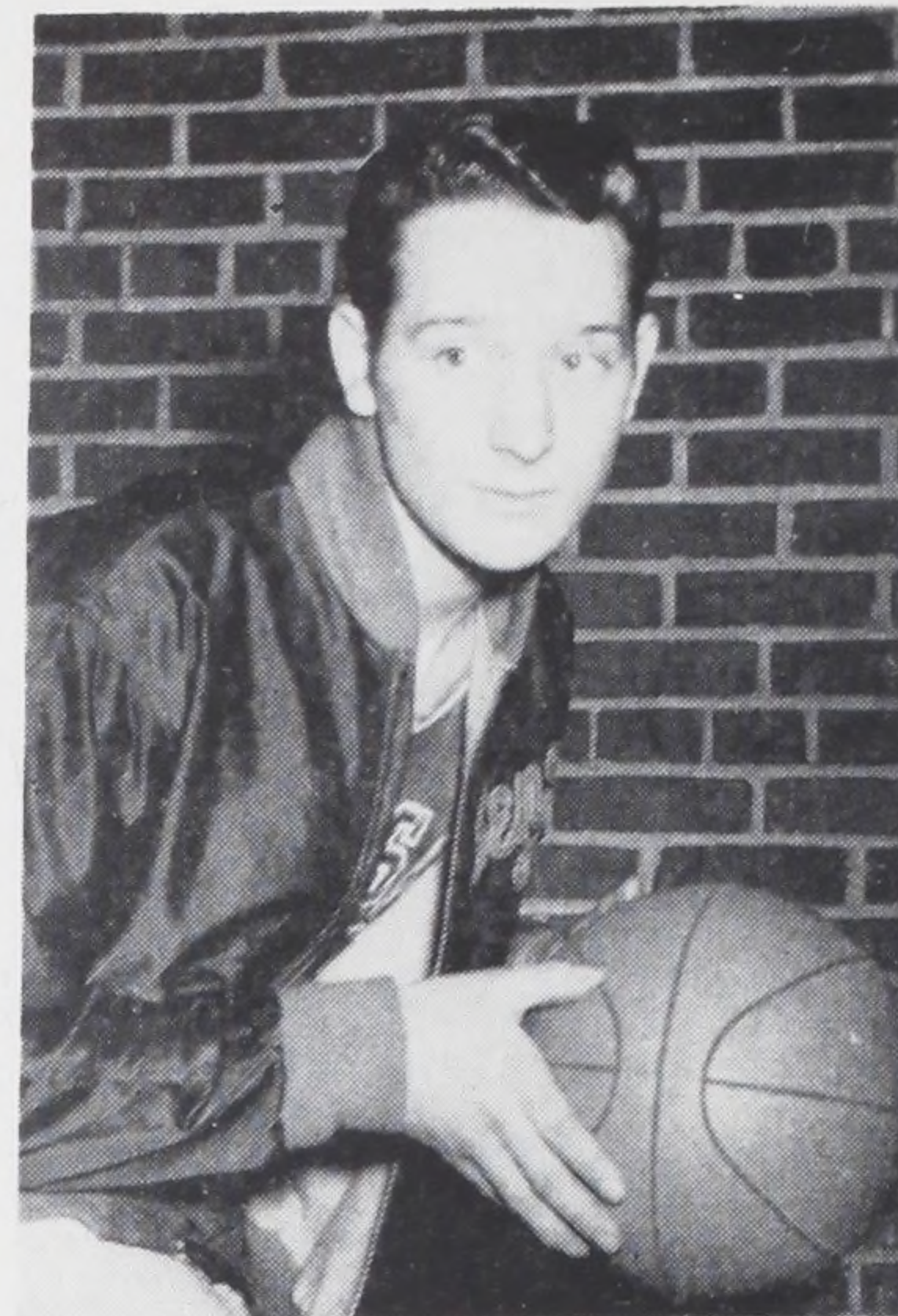




**DEL WILLINGHAM**  
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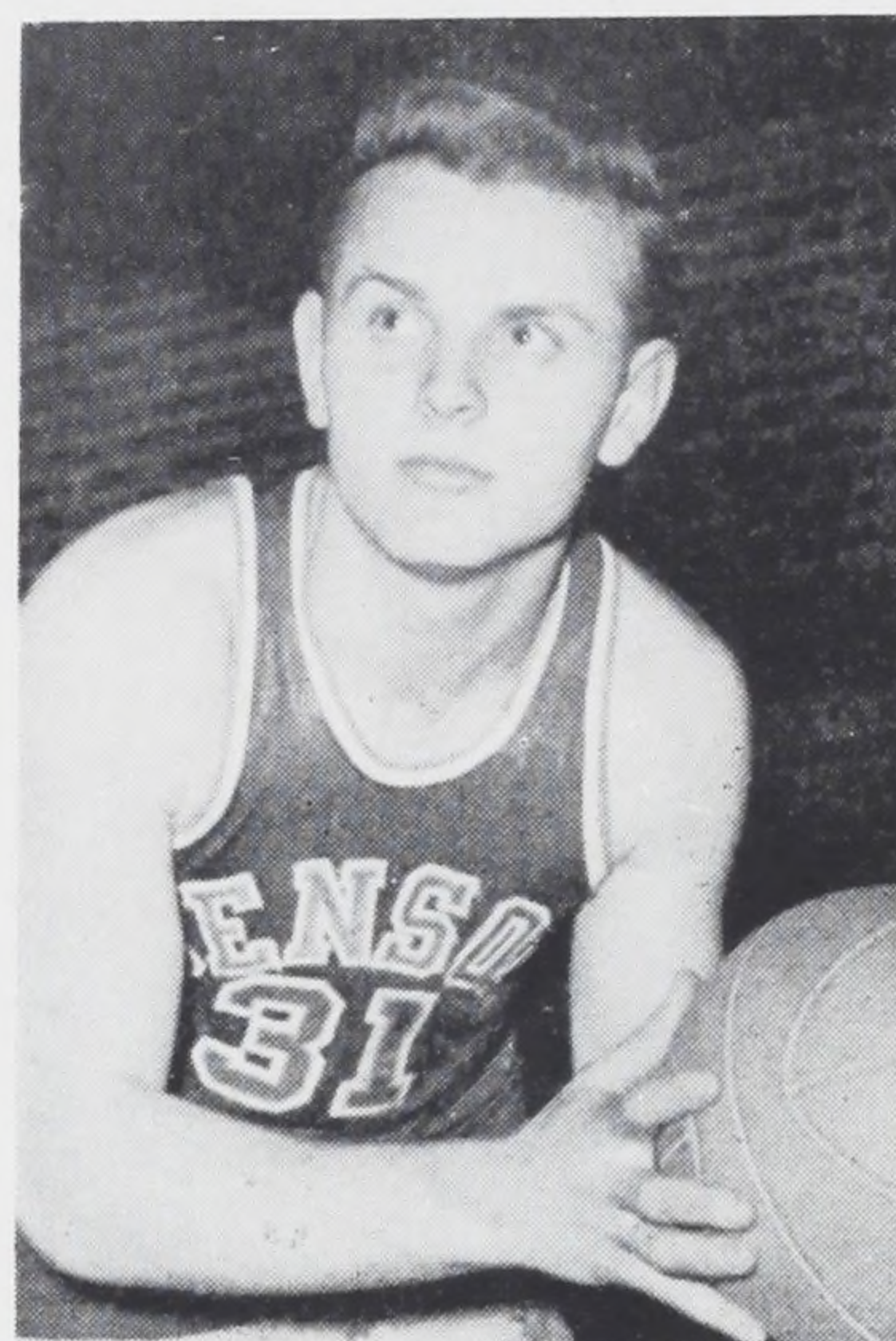
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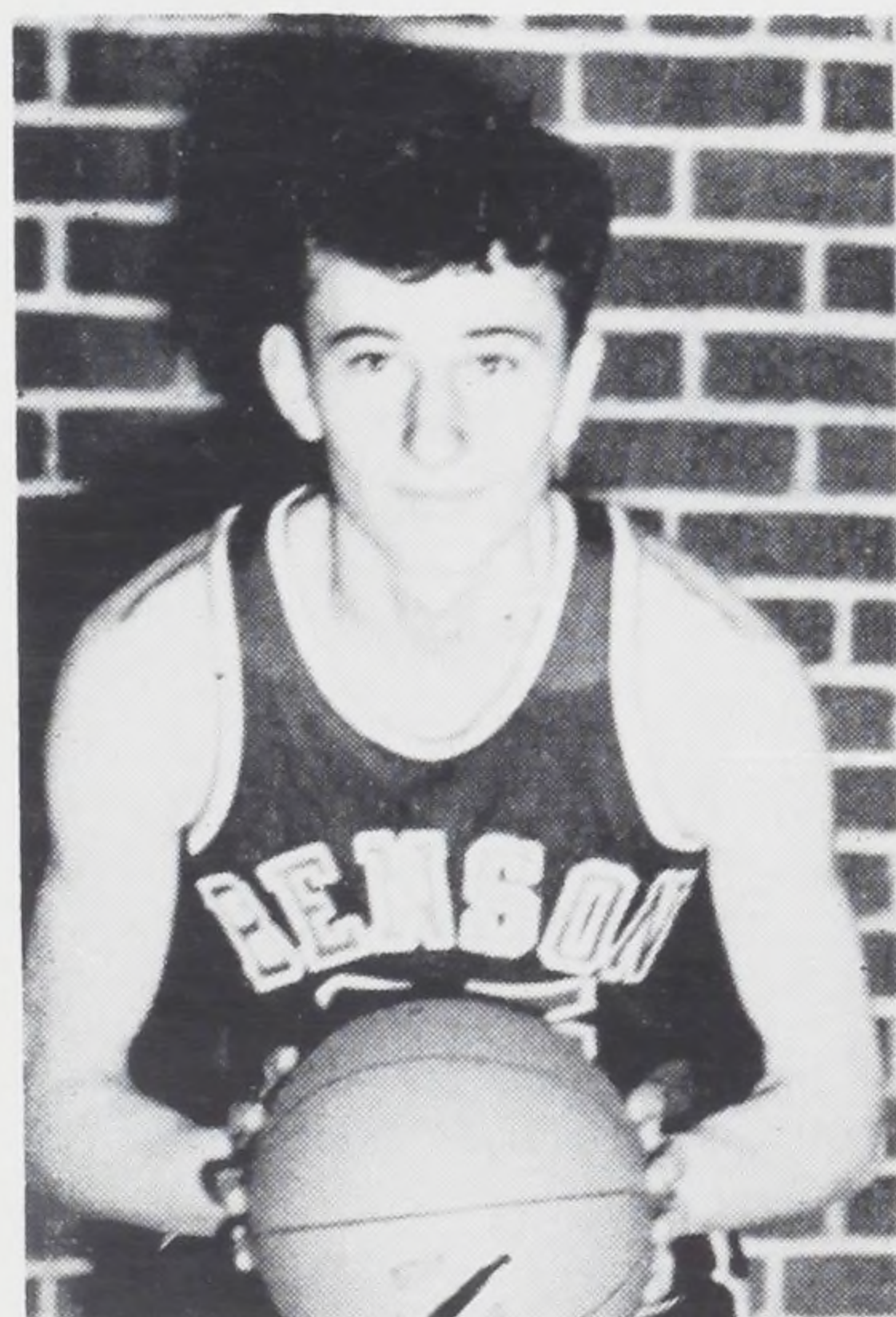
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**FRANK HANNIBAL**  
Center



**DWIGHT BROWN**  
Center



**JIM STRADER**  
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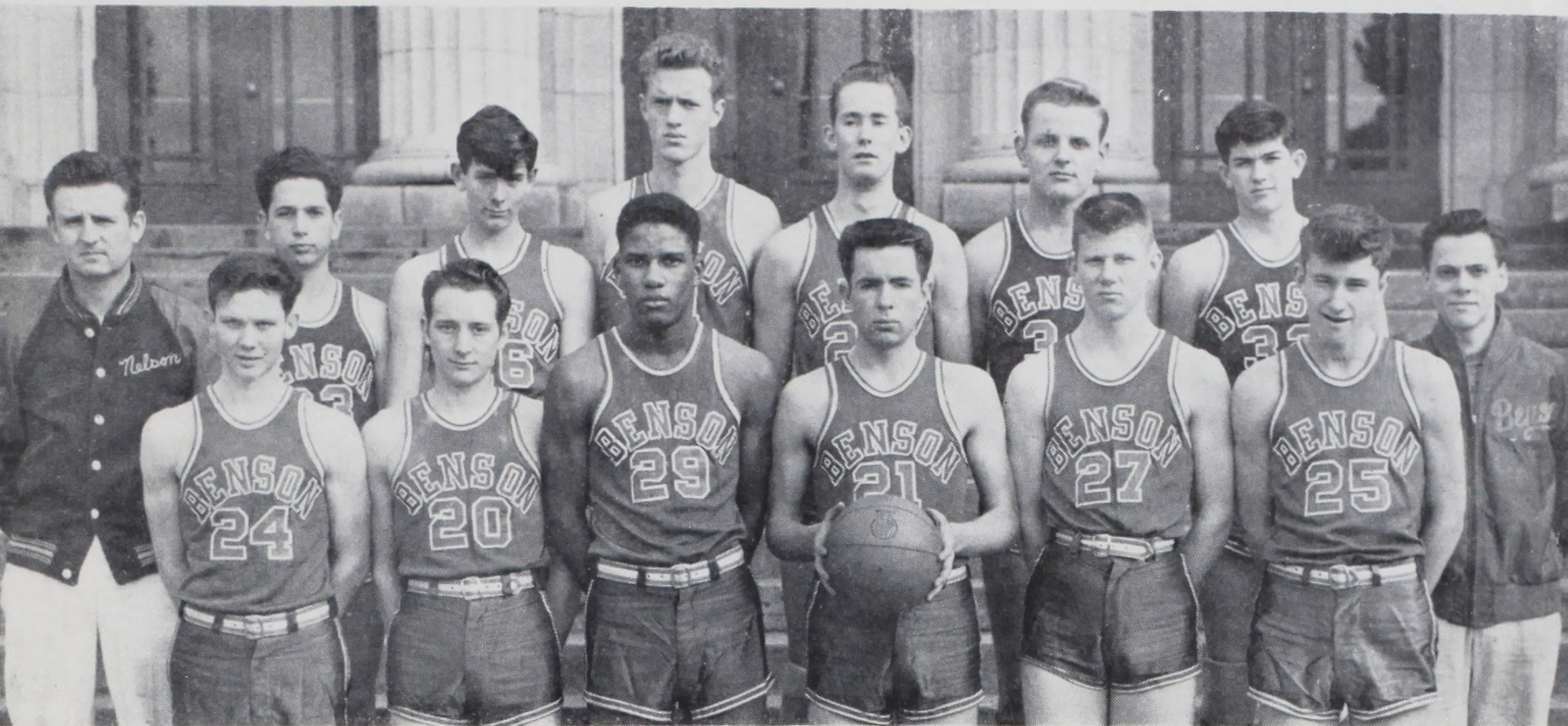
**RICHARD PETERSON**  
Center



**JOHN THOMPSON**  
Guard



# VARSITY BASKETBALL



ROW 1: J. Thompson, G. Yorke, F. Hannibal, D. Willingham, S. Meyer, J. Strader.

ROW 2: Coach Nelson, C. Androtti, D. MacLean, D. Gray, R. Peterson, D. Brown, R. Still, R. Tuttle (Manager).

In the 1948-1949 Interscholastic Basketball League the Benson hoop squad won four of their fourteen games. The hard fighting Techmen won three of their eight pre-season games. Dropping the initial contest to Grant by nine points they didn't lose by more than that until second half play, when they were whipped by Jefferson, 28 to 40. In first half play Benson beat Washington and upset Jefferson and Cleveland. In second half play Tech won only from Washington. Coach Nelson said that the margin between offense and defense was less than three points before the last two games. Brown was lost by graduation at mid-year. Willingham, Yorke, and Peterson won't be back next year as they graduate in June. Sam Meyer will graduate next January so will be able to see action for only a few games. This leaves Coach Nelson, Frank Hannibal, Strader, MacLean, Thompson and the reserves, and those up from the Juniors to build his next year's hoop team.

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.
Jefferson . . . . .	12	2
Roosevelt . . . . .	12	2
Grant . . . . .	10	4
Cleveland . . . . .	8	6
Lincoln . . . . .	6	8
Franklin . . . . .	5	11
Benson . . . . .	4	10
Washington . . . . .	1	13

## GAME SCORES

## First Half

Benson...34	Grant .....43
Benson...40	Wash'ton ..27
Benson...19	Franklin ...21
Benson...27	Jefferson ..26
Benson...29	Roosevelt ..31
Benson...36	Cleveland .32
Benson...25	Lincoln ...33

## GAME SCORES

## Second Half

Benson...29	Grant . . . . .27
Benson...30	Wash'ton ..27
Benson...24	Franklin ...29
Benson...28	Jefferson ..40
Benson...34	Roosevelt ..47
Benson...29	Cleveland .39
Benson...23	Lincoln ....57



# BASEBALL



CLYDE LEWIS



DON OLSON



JACK POOSCHKE



JIM PETERSON

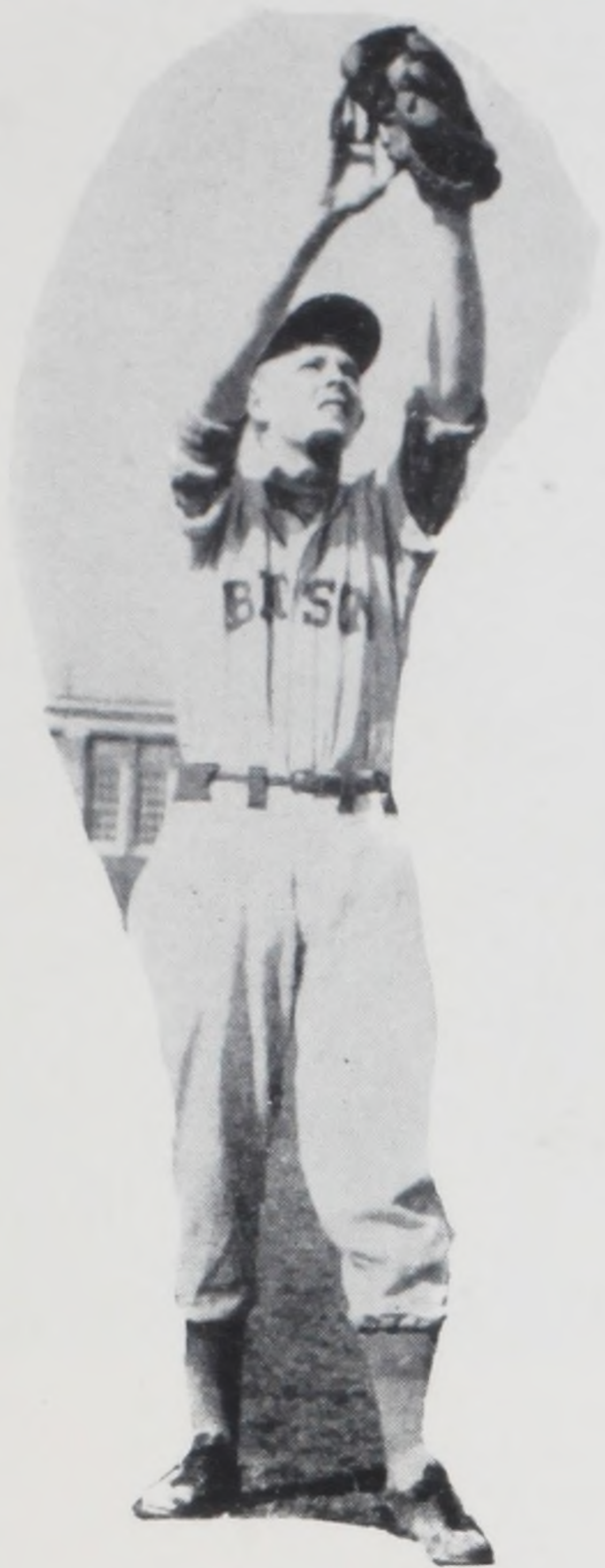


SAM MEYER



STAN BOZICH





JACK ANDERSEN



KEN TEBO



JIM TSUJIMURA



GLEN DALLAS



KEN PETERSON



DEL WILLINGHAM



# VARSITY BASEBALL



ROW 3: Coach Wise, J. Thompson, P. Voeller, D. Smith, T. Miller, B. Speck, D. Willingham, J. Strader.  
 ROW 2: H. Mikesell (Manager), K. Peterson, G. Chadburn, G. Dallas, C. Lewis, R. Ziegle, B. Contonzariti.  
 ROW 1: J. Peterson, S. Meyer, J. Andersen, S. Bozich, J. Pooschke, K. Tebo.

Benson's baseball team has just gotten started in league play as this book goes to press. Therefore we cannot bring you a complete report of the 1949 baseball season. The Techmen lost two out of four pre-season contests. Coach Wise is whipping the team into shape and will probably come up with some surprising upsets. The team roster includes such hard-hitting outfielders as Jack Andersen, Stan Bozich and Jim Peterson, with Gerald Chadburn, Bob Zeigle and Tom Miller always ready to take their place. There is lots of fight in the infield with Ken Tebo on first, Glenn Dallas on second, Jim Tsujimura holding down the shortstop position and Don Olson handling the hot corner. There is no lack of catchers with Clyde Lewis, Ken Peterson and Paul Voeller battling for that position. The pitching staff is well staffed with good pitchers such as Del Willingham, Sam Meyer, Jack Pooschke, Don Pooschke, John Thompson, Bob Speck and Jim Strader.

## Results to Date

Benson.... 4	Jefferson .... 5
Benson.... 1	Franklin .... 4
Benson.... 1	Roosevelt ... 4
Benson.... 5	Lincoln ..... 7



# VARSITY TRACK



ROW 1: B. Hones, D. Davidson, P. Trotti, N. Vanderwal, R. Mills, J. Herder, J. Miller, R. Burnette, K. Bardsley, B. Livesay.  
ROW 2: R. Glazer, B. Bozer, D. Carrier, J. Lowe, B. Georgeoff, Powell, Williams, R. Arnold, Mizer, Kubli.  
ROW 3: B. Mace, E. Bonaduce, K. Jones, R. Glazier, W. Branin, Holliam, Jenkins, L. Bonaduce, E. Butler, D. Boatwrite, Coach Marineau.

Coach Lefty Marineau had a good turnout for track this year. Benson took fourth spot in the city relays with five teams, and the pole vault going to the Hayward relays at Eugene.

Out of the five events Tech scored in four. Norman Gerg tied for second in the pole vault. The 880-yard relay team, composed of Bardsley, Burnette, Miller and Herder, came in second in the city meet and tied for second at the Hayward relays. These same fellows, composing the 440-yard relay, too, scoring a close third in the city meet, saw action in the state meet where they placed fourth. Under last year's ruling they would have been ineligible for state competition. The Medley Team, with Powell running quarter mile, Clements running half mile, Branin running the three-quarter mile and Livesay carrying the baton the mile leg, placed second in the city and ended the same in the state meet. The two-mile relay team came in fourth in city competition and took fifth place at the Hayward relays. This race is run by four men, each taking a half mile leg. Benson's team was composed of Bell, Jones, Peters and Mill bringing the baton home in fifth place. The hurdle relay team, taking second place in the city meet, failed to place in state competition. This team is Jenkins, Bardsley and Herder.



# VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY



ROW 1: E. Bell, L. Jepson, R. Arnold.

ROW 2: Coach Nelson, W. Kluser, N. Vanderwal, B. Mestrovich.

Lloyd Jepson and Bill Livesay held the reputation of the Tech Harriers up this year. Jepson and Livesay were first and second, respectively, in every meet except the state meet at Hill Military, when Livesay was edged out by Russ Extrum, a former Tech Harrier now wearing the colors of Milwaukie High. Benson was defeated for the first time since 1944 when Lincoln edged them out by one point in a triangular meet. Lincoln also edged Benson in the City Meet.

The Tech Harriers in order of the way they finished:

## CITY MEET

1. Jepson
2. Livesay
15. E. Bell
16. Brannin
17. Kluser
20. Vanderwal
24. Arnold

## STATE MEET

1. Jepson
3. Livesay
20. E. Bell
27. Arnold
28. Kluser
32. Vanderwal



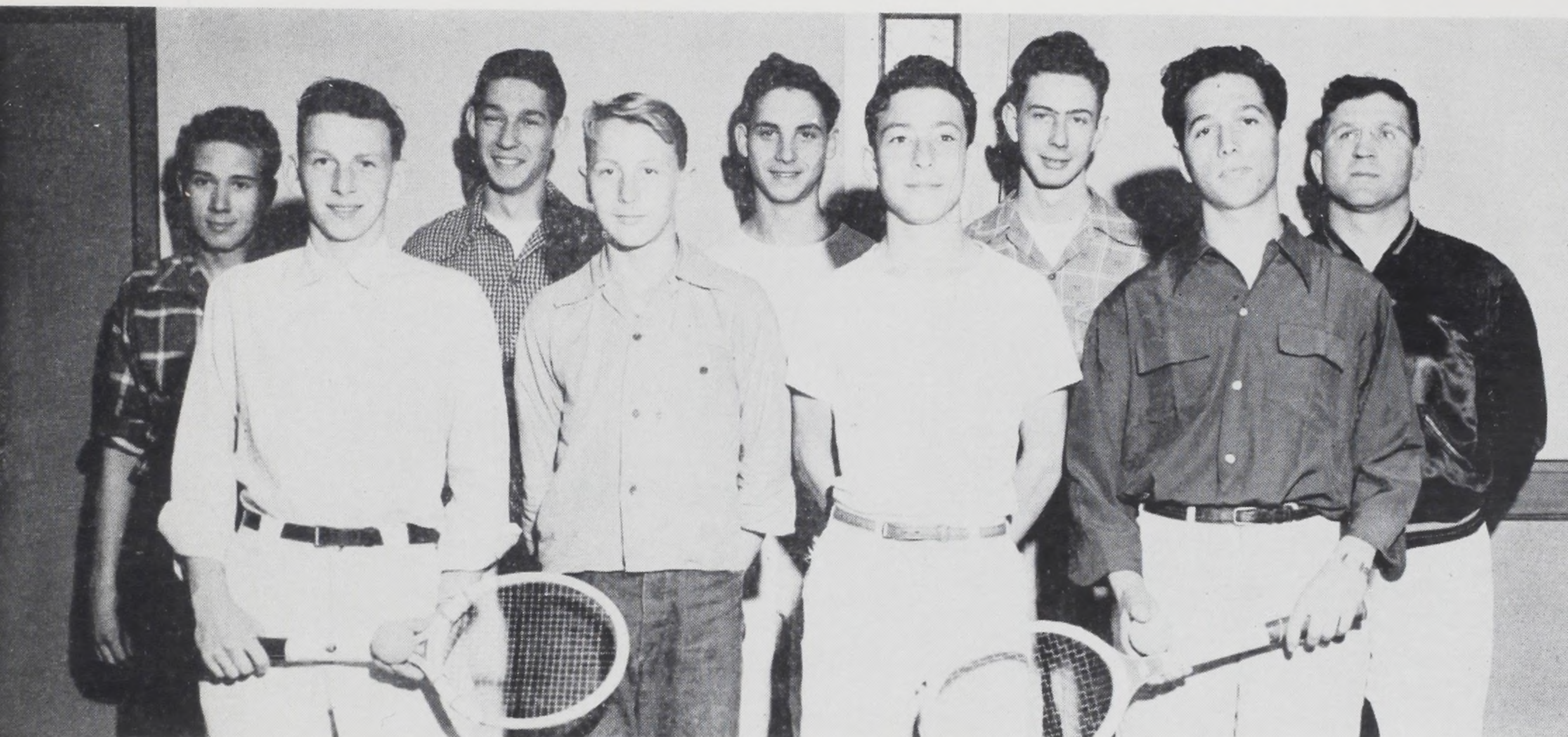
# BOWLING



ROW 1: Lee, Stanford, Langman.

ROW 2: Learnd, Francis, Statard, Mr. Haskle (Advisor).

# TENNIS TEAM



ROW 1: R. Bencich, R. Barlow, A. Mozorosky, E. Andreeth.

ROW 2: P. Holmann, F. Schwenk, R. Lazoff, E. Brandt, Mr. Mucha.



# VARSITY HOCKEY TEAM



ROW 1: L. Jose, C. Veons, W. Hill, D. Dorid.  
ROW 2: C. Crawford, D. Zettle, S. Bozich, Mr. Hamilton.

The Techman Ice Hockey squad, commanded by Mr. Hamilton, chalked up a very favorable season on the frozen surface of the Portland Arena during the 1948-49 season. They ended up in third position, leaving Franklin and Lincoln tied for first and Jefferson in command of the number two spot. Holding the scoring records for the Mechanics' squad were the two wingers, Clyde Crawford and Don Zettle. Zettle, captain of the team, led with eight points and was followed by Crawford with seven.

Stan Bozich, all-city of the 1947-48 season, did a great job as goalie, although he let a few more go between the pipes than last year. The reason for the greater number of goals scored this year is because of the inexperienced, but up and coming defensemen, whose job it is to lessen the work of the goal tender.

The greatest handicap that confronted the puckmen was lack of experienced players. Four players, Zettle, Crawford, Harris and Boyd, played ninety-five per cent of the time very game. This is really hard on the wind supply and thus hinders the offensive power.

In two breath-taking games the hockey squad was behind 2 to 0 only to pull the game out of the bag the last remaining minute with brilliant offensive playing.

Next season the hockey team will again be supervised by Mr. Hamilton. Two steadies will be back, Center Don Harris and Left Wing Clyde Crawford. It is hoped that new talent will be found for this season to quench the burden from the first string.



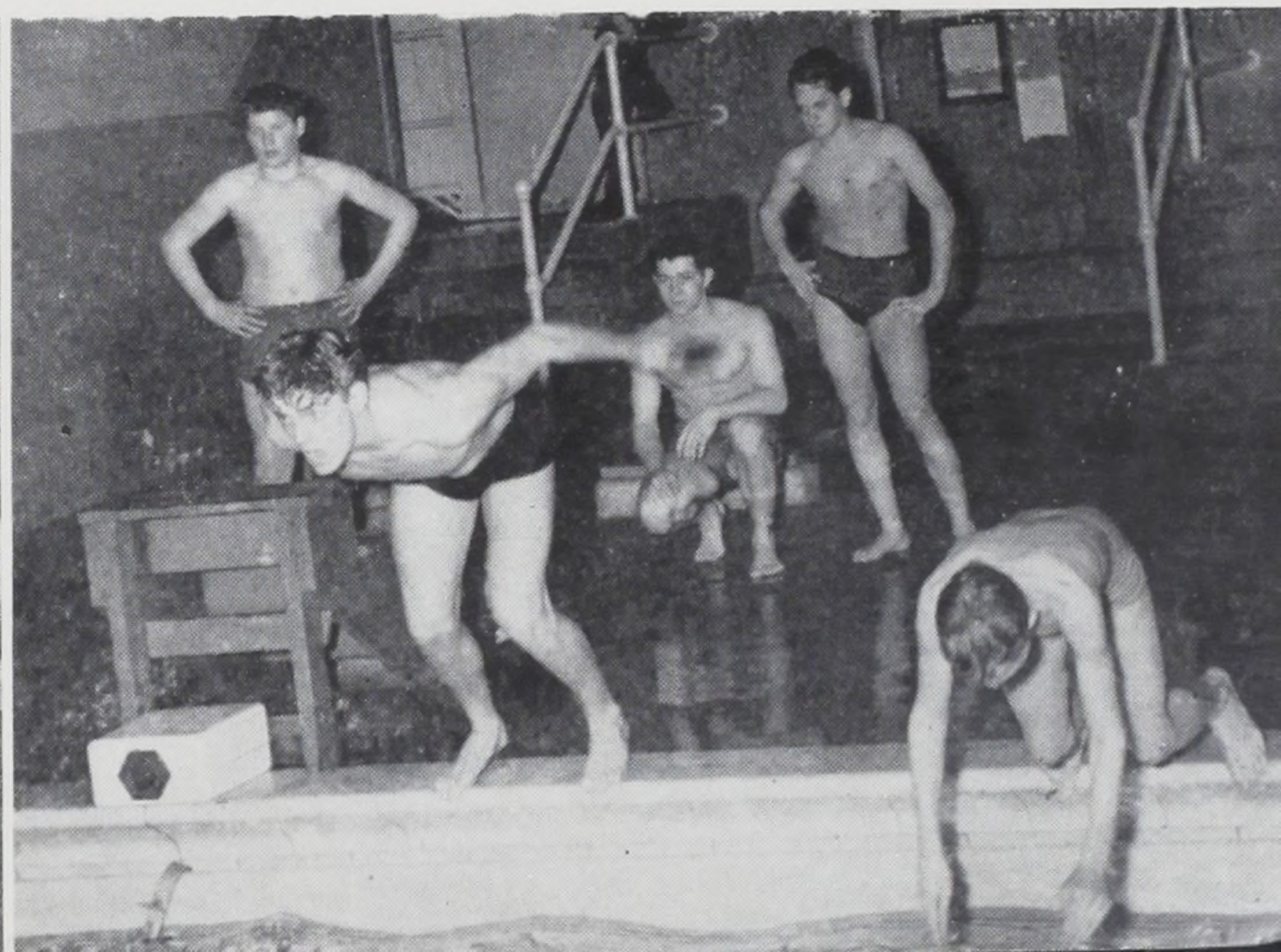


ROW 1: R. Hembree, W. Lowy.  
 ROW 2: C. Bush, W. Meshke, R. Kimball, R. Wright, J. Goode.  
 ROW 3: Coach Mucha, L. Murahashi, I. Howk, G. Tomlin.

## STATE SWIMMING CHAMPS

The Tech paddlers took four firsts to capture the State Swim Championship. Dick Kimball won the state diving crown and Bob Wright won the forty-yard free style. The one hundred eighty-yard medley relay, composed of John Goode, Dick Kimball, Bob Wright, and the two hundred sixty-yard relay, with Bill Meshke, Bob Hembree, John Goode and Bob Wright contributing, also took first place laurels. They gathered a total of forty-two points, taking second in the two hundred-yard free style, fourth in the one hundred-yard breast stroke and fifth in the one hundred twenty-yard individual medley. We are extremely proud of these boys and are happy to hear all will be back next year.

The team still has some meets plus the city meet yet this season. Gene Tomlin, who was out of the state meet with a broken ankle but will contribute to the remaining meets, is the only member of the swimming team that will graduate this year.





# JUNIOR FOOTBALL



ROW 1: Bell, Ward, Winkler, Robertson, Fast, Wilmarth, Odor, Richardson, Tonack, Oow, Shafer, Jepson.

ROW 2: Zempch (Manager), Williams, Bemer, Nowell, Ashenburger, Burnette, Popham, Bettencourt, Green, Bastion, Maurer, Herring, Smith, Gradmer (Manager).

ROW 3: Mr. Wise (Coach), MacAdow, Ward, Foster, Hall, Debour, Butterworth, Eggers, Somerton, Worf, Baker, Lang, Flin, Hennessey (Assistant Coach).

ROW 4: Mace, Watson, Holley, Gooden, Kieth, Smith, Fisher, Sinden, Pitts, Wilson, Hanson.

ROW 5: Newell, Henderson, Pamment, Austin, McDonald, Hembrie, Westler, Canda, Engle, Baird, Furukawa, Winchester.

Sixty fellows turned out for junior football this year and everything considered had a pretty fair season. They won two, lost three and tied two.

Roy Burnette, Tommy Noell and Bill Ward were the main cogs in the junior machine. Probably the most depressing game for the Babes this season was in the last game against Jefferson. After literally pushing the Demo Babes up and down the field the first half the Jefferson Juniors threw a long pass in the third period to score the only touchdown of the game. In the last stanza the Tech Babes got close but couldn't push it over for the score.

These are the boys that will be the future teams of Benson. They deserve a lot of credit for their fine work and representing the school as they have.



# JUNIOR BASKETBALL



ROW 1: G. Smith, R. Christiesen, R. Heffernon, D. Benfit, D. Blevens, D. Pooschke.

ROW 2: Coach Harper, S. Bell, T. Wolfe, W. Zapp, R. Mixer, R. Drennan, J. Tonack, D. Bastion, R. Foster.

The junior basketball team, coached by Mr. Harper, play after the varsity on Tuesdays and on Friday they play a preliminary game to the varsity. The junior squad had fifty-two Freshmen and Sophomores turn out. The junior team won three of their fourteen league games.

Steve Bell, showing exceptional ball handling and control, was moved up to the varsity after half the season was over when a vacancy occurred in the varsity roster.

The team roster is as follows:

Ron Drennan  
Don Pooschke  
John Tonack  
Wilbur Zapp  
Duane Benfit  
Steve Bell

Bob Heferman  
George Smith  
Charles Lincoln  
Arnold Munsly  
Gil Johnson  
Bob Reed

## C BASKETBALL

The C squad, made up of Freshmen alone, was coached by a Lewis and Clark student with the help of Coach Harper. They played a single round tourney, playing each team once. This team play gives them the experience necessary to play varsity or junior ball next year.



# JUNIOR BASEBALL



ROW 1: Blevins, Green, Yohn, Anderson, Eckleman, Southerlund.

ROW 2: Munnerlyn, Lenord, Maurer, Shafer, Zapp, Hogsett, Carver.

ROW 3: Gooden, Peterson, Pitts, Clifford (Manager), Bartlet, Westerland, DeGiovanni, Perry.

The junior baseball team plays each junior team in the city once each season. They haven't as yet started their play this year as the wet grounds on their game day prevented it. They are coached by a Lewis and Clark student. The team has some very good prospects this season, and most likely will be victorious in several games. The junior squad acts as a feeder team to the varsity string and builds them up in seasons to come.

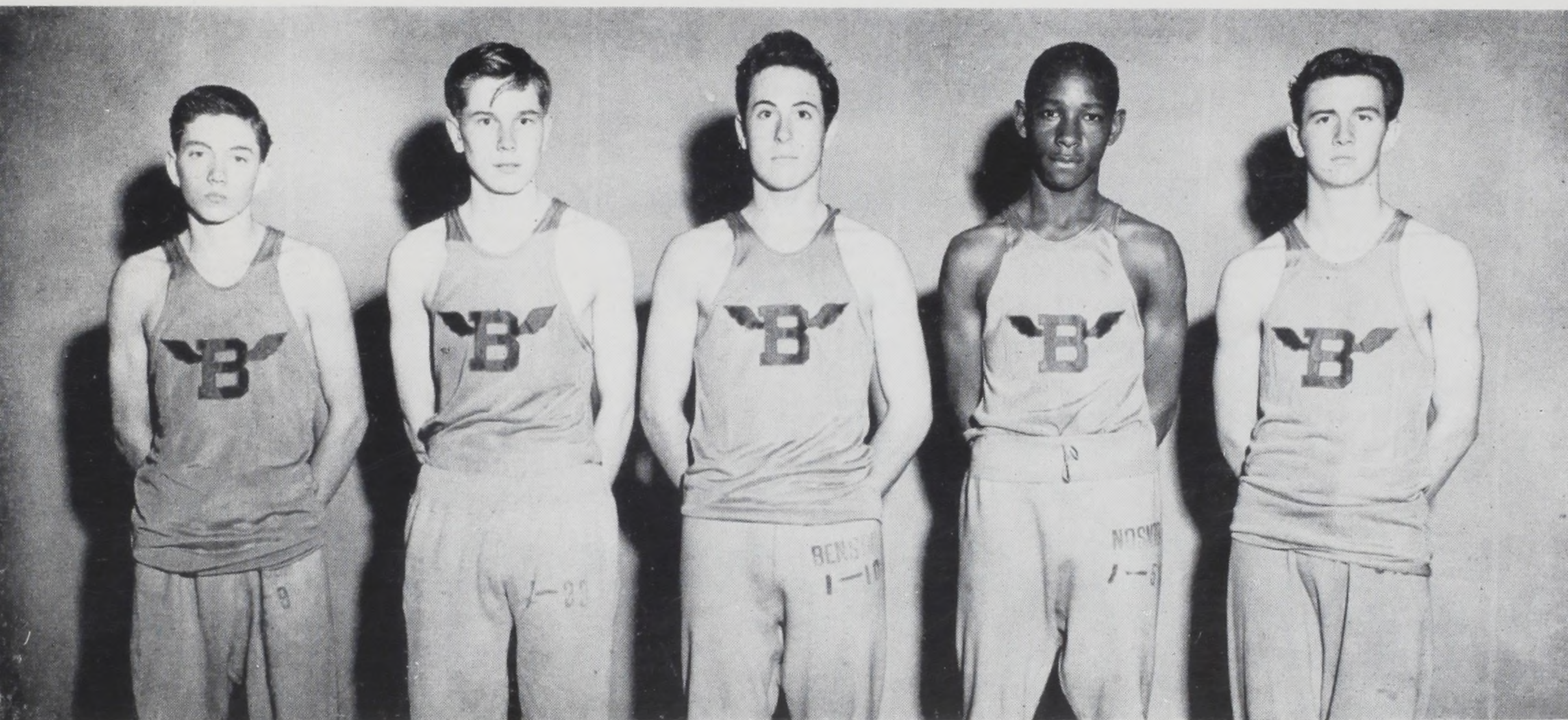


# JUNIOR TRACK



ROW 1: D. Leonard, R. Goodnegh, B. Hall, J. Keith, W. Clusser, F. McKittrich, E. Norland, R. Butterworth, R. Ferchland, H. Hinkly.  
 ROW 2: B. Moore, J. Fabricke, C. Gardner, B. Beckly, J. Dyer, P. Rogers, R. Lee, F. Parker, L. Jose, W. Meyers, E. Hinkle, D. Anderson, A. Smith, H. Cambell  
 ROW 3: K. Wilson, S. Bell, J. Blum, M. Moore, D. Jepson, J. Tuller, R. Miller, B. Kramer, V. Neal, R. Banke, H. Gebson, B. Berri, B. Ward, B. Hudson, C. Peters, D. Bastian, Mr. Harper.

# JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY



W. Klusser, D. Leonerd, R. M lls, D. Peters, D. Anderson



# INTRAMURAL SPORTS

## CROSS COUNTRY

The cross country turnout was very good this fall with forty-eight students competing from ten shops.

Norm Vanderwal was first over the one and a half mile grind, wearing the Radio Shop colors. Wayne Branin, for Electric Shop, was second; Ed Bell, Printing Shop; Walt Kluser, Carpentry, and Robert Klink, Printing, were third, fourth and fifth, respectively.

## BASKETBALL

Physics won the Intramural Basketball crown this year. The runner-up was Electric Shop, Periods 8-9. Those playing on the Physics team were Warren Heise, Jack Strickler, Ronald Glazier, Sam Meyer, Dick Goffeney, Ken Jones, and Don MacLean.

## FALL TENNIS

Paul Homan won the Fall Tennis title with Robert Barlow runner-up. Out of thirty-three entries the results are as follows:

First.....	Paul Homan, Aviation
Second.....	Robert Barlow, Pattern
Third.....	Don Cherven, Electric
Fourth.....	George Powell, Blacksmith
Fifth.....	Dave Sacressen, Sheet Metal

## FREE THROW TOURNAMENT

Six hundred and one students from fifteen shops participated this year in the intramural free throw tournament.

Out of the four hundred tries by each shop these are the results:

First—Gas Engine .....	201
Second—Machine .....	177
Third—Foundry .....	171
Fourth—Plumbing .....	170
Fifth—Electric .....	156

Walt Kluser of Plumbing was high on individual tries. He made sixteen out of twenty tries.

## TRACK AND FIELD

Fourteen shops were represented by one hundred fifty-one entrants. In the track and field meet results were:

First—Foundry .....	25 points
Second—Machine .....	19 points
Third—Electric .....	18 points

The meet was held with Juniors and Seniors competing and Freshmen and Sophomores competing. Pat Rodgers was high in the Lower Division and Dale Carrier took top honors in the Senior Division.











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