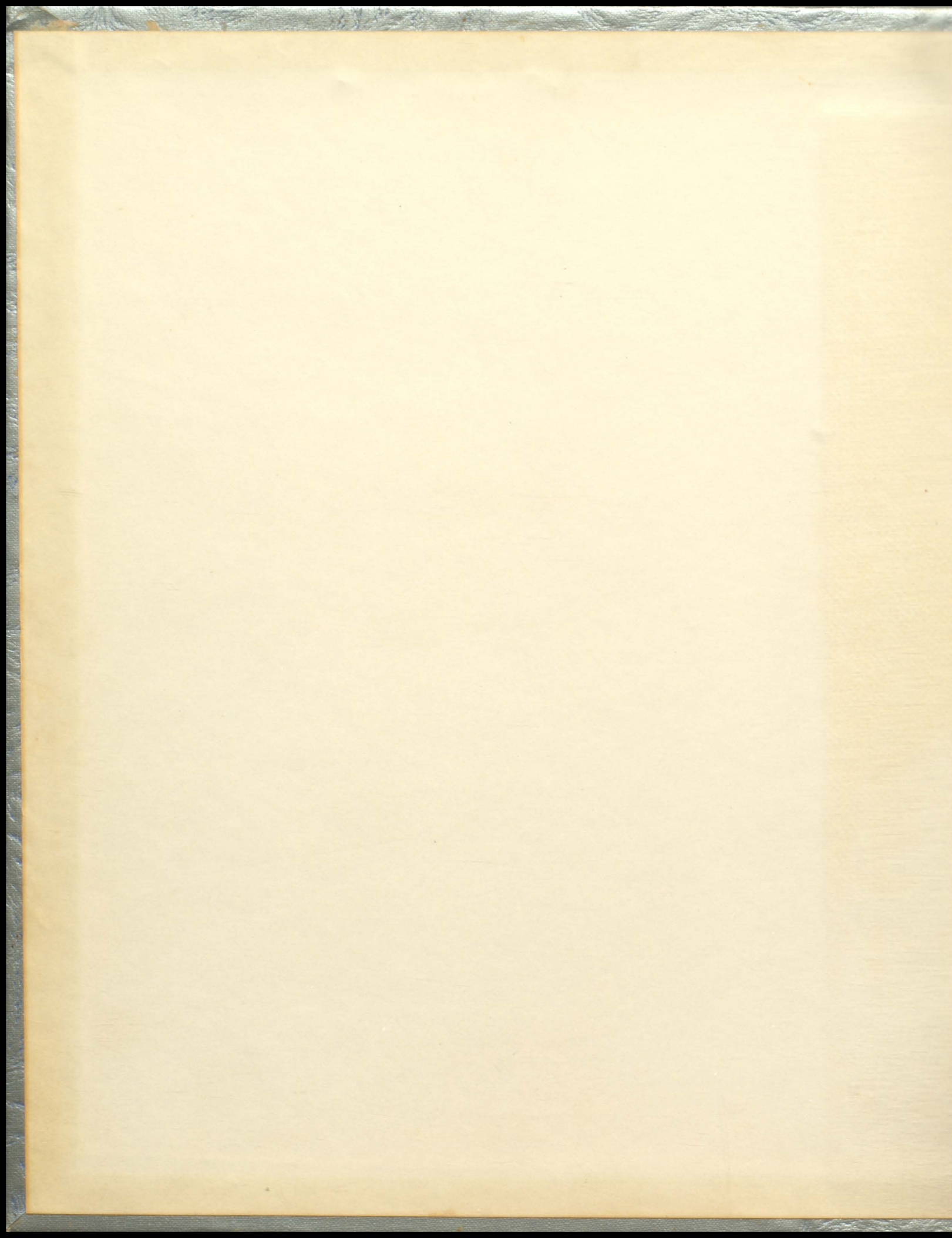


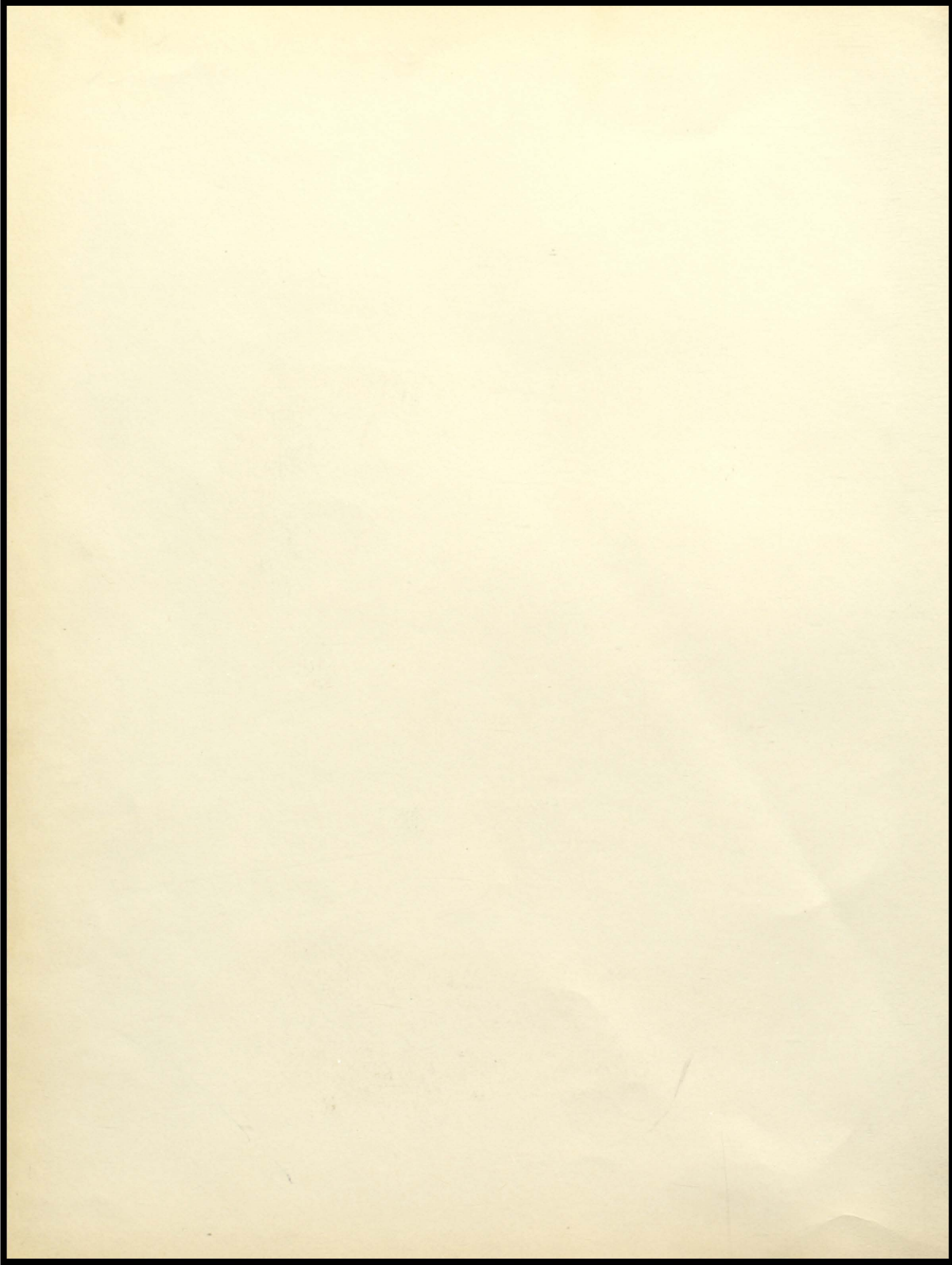


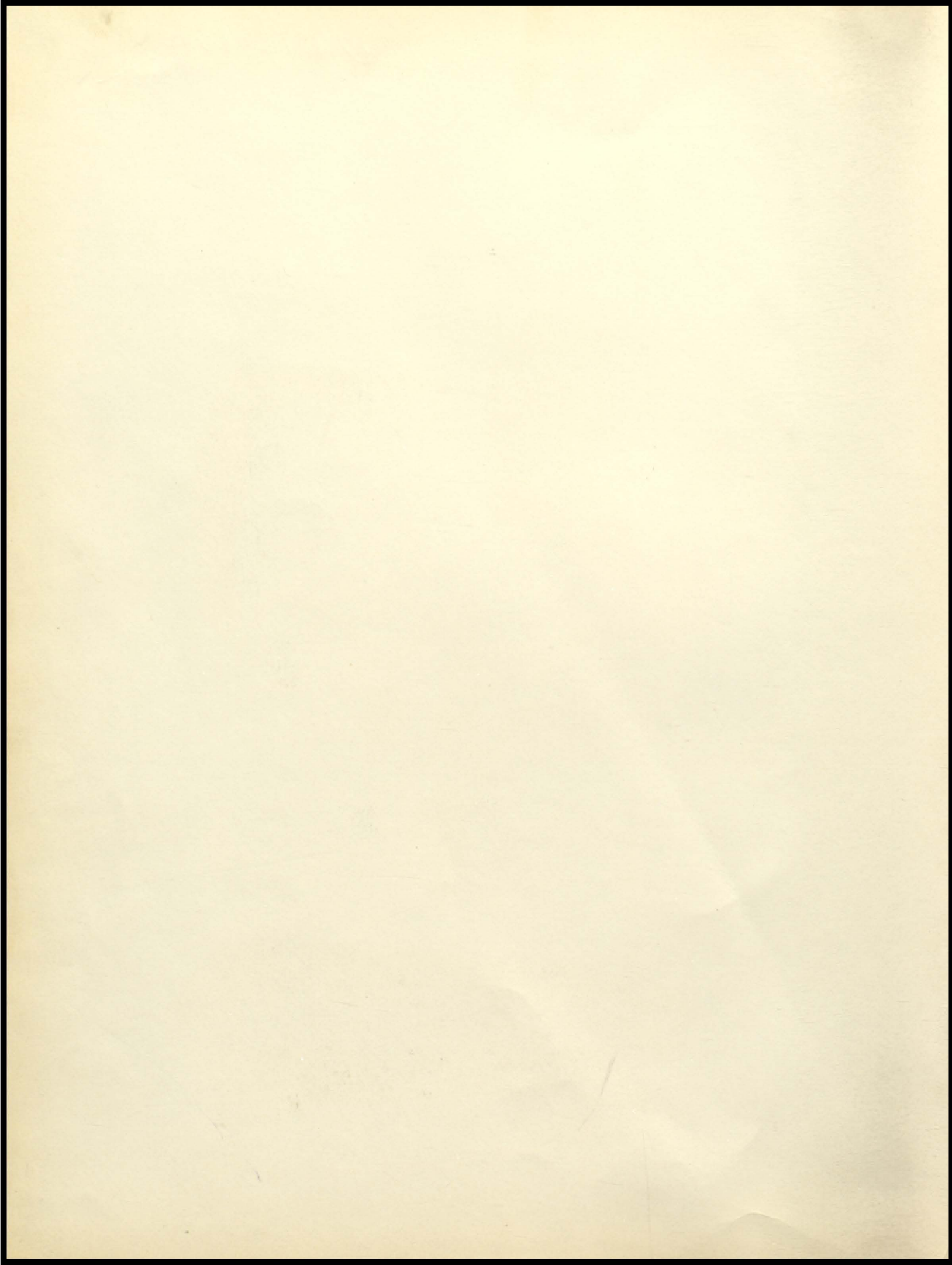
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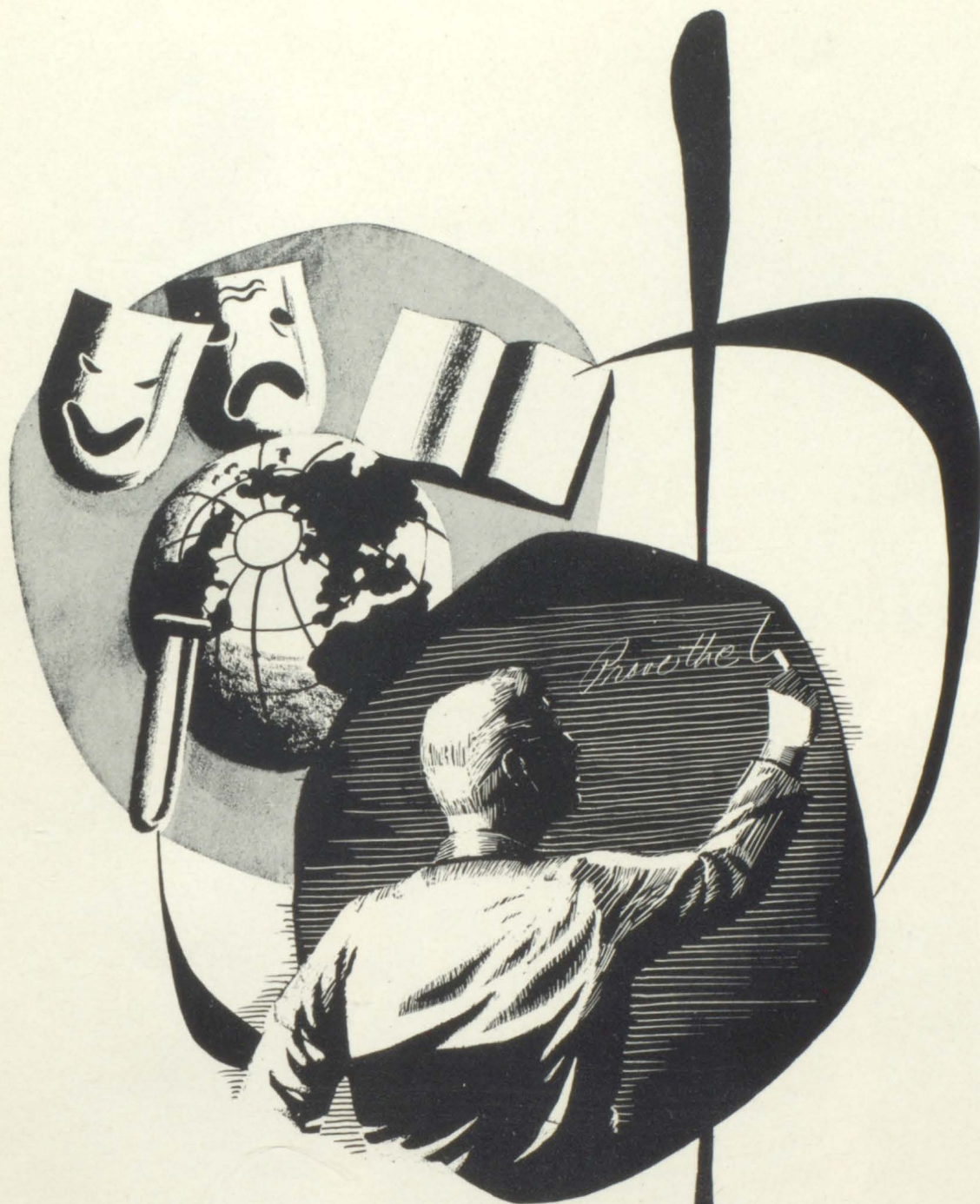
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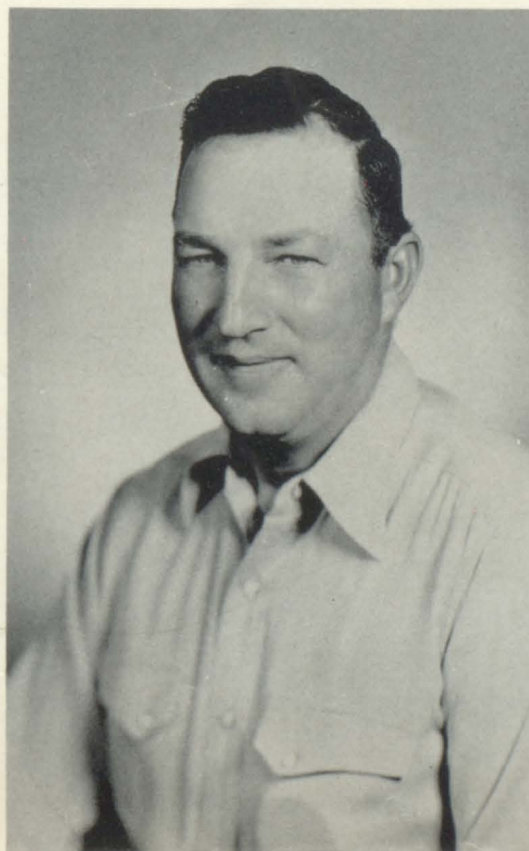


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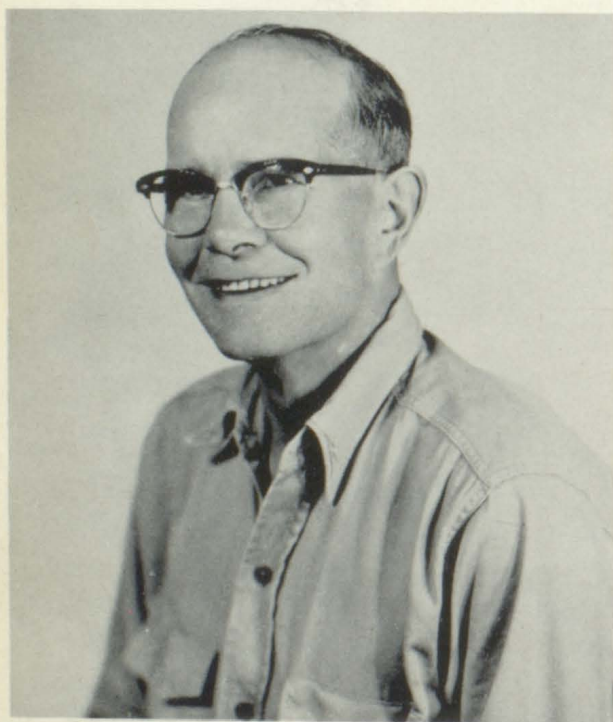




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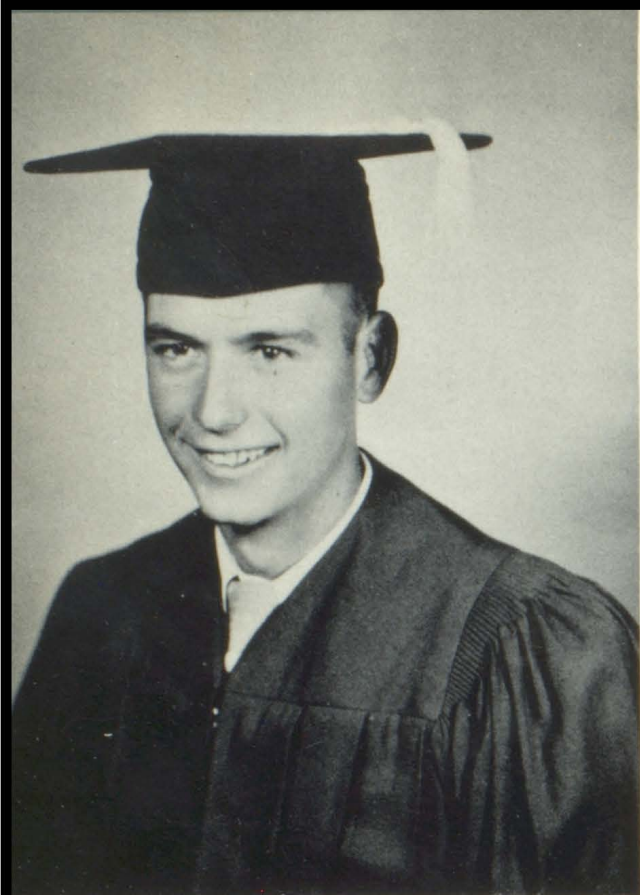
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Annual Staff ..... 3,4  
"Good Gracious Grandma" .... 1  
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"They Went Thataway" ..... 4

Basketball.....1,2,4  
Softball.....1,2,4  
Pep Club..... 1,2  
Camera Club..... 1,2  
Chorus .....1,2,4  
Annual Staff..... 3,4  
Paper Staff ..... 3,4  
"Good Gracious Grandma"..... 1  
"They Went Thataway"..... 4



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Basketball .....1,2,3,4  
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Y-Teens (L.A.)..... 1  
"Good Gracious Grandma" .... 1  
"Feudin'" ..... 1  
"Dark Town Strutters Ball"...2  
"Abigail Goes Haywire" ..... 3  
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Junior-Senior Secretary ..... 3,4  
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Camera Club..... 2,3  
Chorus.....1,2,3,4

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Annual Staff .....3  
Camera Club .....3  
Mixed Chorus .....1,2,3



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## Senior Class Prophecy

The class of '55 will go down in history as one of the most successful classes ever graduated from Haswell School. The members of this class feel sure we have the highest scholastic record ever made by a high school graduating class. To prove that every member of the class of '55 will be successful, we will tell you what they will be doing five years from now.

"Leland" wanted to be a farmer  
Along side a big city  
Now he's head professor  
At New York University.

"Naomi" was going to college  
To get her A. B. degree,  
Nobody was surprised when  
She came home with a MRS. degree.

"Nadine" wanted to be a secretary  
Her mind didn't prove so bright  
She's now champion dishwasher  
In cafes, most every night.

"Wayne" our quiet young lad  
Wanted an easy living.  
Now he has a good job--  
Supervising a wife.

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CLASS MOTTO  
"Some Minds Are Like Concrete, All Mixed Up And Permanently Set."



## Senior Class Will

I, Thomas Wayne Howe, will and bequeath the following:

My ability to sing to Kenneth, because with both our voices we can't carry a tune.  
My job of teaching leather work to Jimmy Rich.  
My place on the annual staff to Barbara, since she's a poet.  
My ability to make A - in bookkeeping tests to Shirley, since she has such poor grades.

I, Naomi Faye Rich, will and bequeath the following:

My ability to hold my temper to Lester Williams, since I haven't used it much.  
To Ruth my bookkeeping book and grades, and hope she uses them in a good way in case she has to take it over.  
My shorthand book to Shirley, so she and Ruth can write notes that they can read.  
My place on the paper staff to Isabell so she can turn out the scandal page.  
To Jim, my little brother, all my old books, for a bonfire.  
To Doris someone to help her through the dust storms.

I, Verna Nadine Steele, will and bequeath the following:

My ability to play basketball to Betty Kay McKnight, as she can use it.  
My job of writing high school news to Barbara, and hope she can "dig" up more than I did.  
To Janice and Carol my ability to do algebra, since they don't have "none".  
My ability to ice skate to Kenneth, my little brother. (On his feet, that is).  
To Mr. Tulley my ability to find geographical locations, in case he gets lost out on these wide-open spaces.  
My ability to roller-skate to Charlie, so he can learn to fall gracefully.

I, Leland Ray Stoker, will and bequeath the following:

My ability to pass without trying to Lester--in case his own fails him in the next ten years.  
My chemistry book to Carol, because it hasn't been used much.  
My ability to argue to my little brother, Clyde, and hope he will learn to use it as well as I do.  
My problems of democracy book to Mr. Tulley and my English book to Doris Forsyth, as I'm sure they like them much better than I do.

To the students and teachers we leave all the good times we've had in our past four years of school here, and hope they enjoyed them as much as we did.









RUTH ANSLEY, Junior



SHIRLEY STOKER, Junior

NOT SHOWN: Kenneth Morrow, Junior; Isabell Morrow, Sophomore; Janice Williams, Sophomore.



BARBARA JONES, Junior



LESTER WILLIAMS, Junior



CAROL FRENCH, Freshman



## 6th Grade



WAYNE McKNIGHT



DONNA RIGGINS



BERT STOKER



DONNA STOKER

NOT SHOWN: Carol Klinge, 6th;

## 7th Grade

Sherrill Stepp and Wyvonne Miller, 7th.



SHIRLEY ROEDIGER



BONNIE SPADY



KENNETH STEELE



ANITA WILKS

CHARLES KENYON

BETTY McKNIGHT

## 8th Grade

TYRONE MITCHELL

JIMMY RICH

CLYDE STOKER





## 3rd Grade



DONALD GIFFORD

NOT SHOWN: Charlotte Ansley, Judy Williams, 3rd.



KAREN HOWE

## 4th Grade



ELDON STOKER

NOT SHOWN: Larry Kenyon, Ronnie Klinge, Katharine Carr, Leon Morrow, Darrel Miller and Gene Slate, 4th.

NOT SHOWN: Tom Carr, Jim Hackett, Connie Roediger, 5th.

## 5th Grade

RONALD RIGGINS

BARBARA SPADY

PATTY STOKER

SANDRA WILKS





# 1st Grade



DOROTHY GIFFORD



GERALD LARREW



MIKE RIGGINS

NOT SHOWN: Chester Ansley, Kenneth Hackett, 1st;

# 2nd Grade

Randie Klinge, Dixie Slate, 2nd.



GARY CLOYD

DONALD SPADY



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### High School

BACK ROW: Wayne Howe, Lester Williams, Mr. Tulley, Leland Stoker, Kenneth Morrow.  
 FRONT ROW: Carol French, Mrs. Forsyth, Isabell Morrow, Shirley Stoker, Nadine Steele, Naomi Rich, Ruth Ansley, Janice Williams.



### Junior High

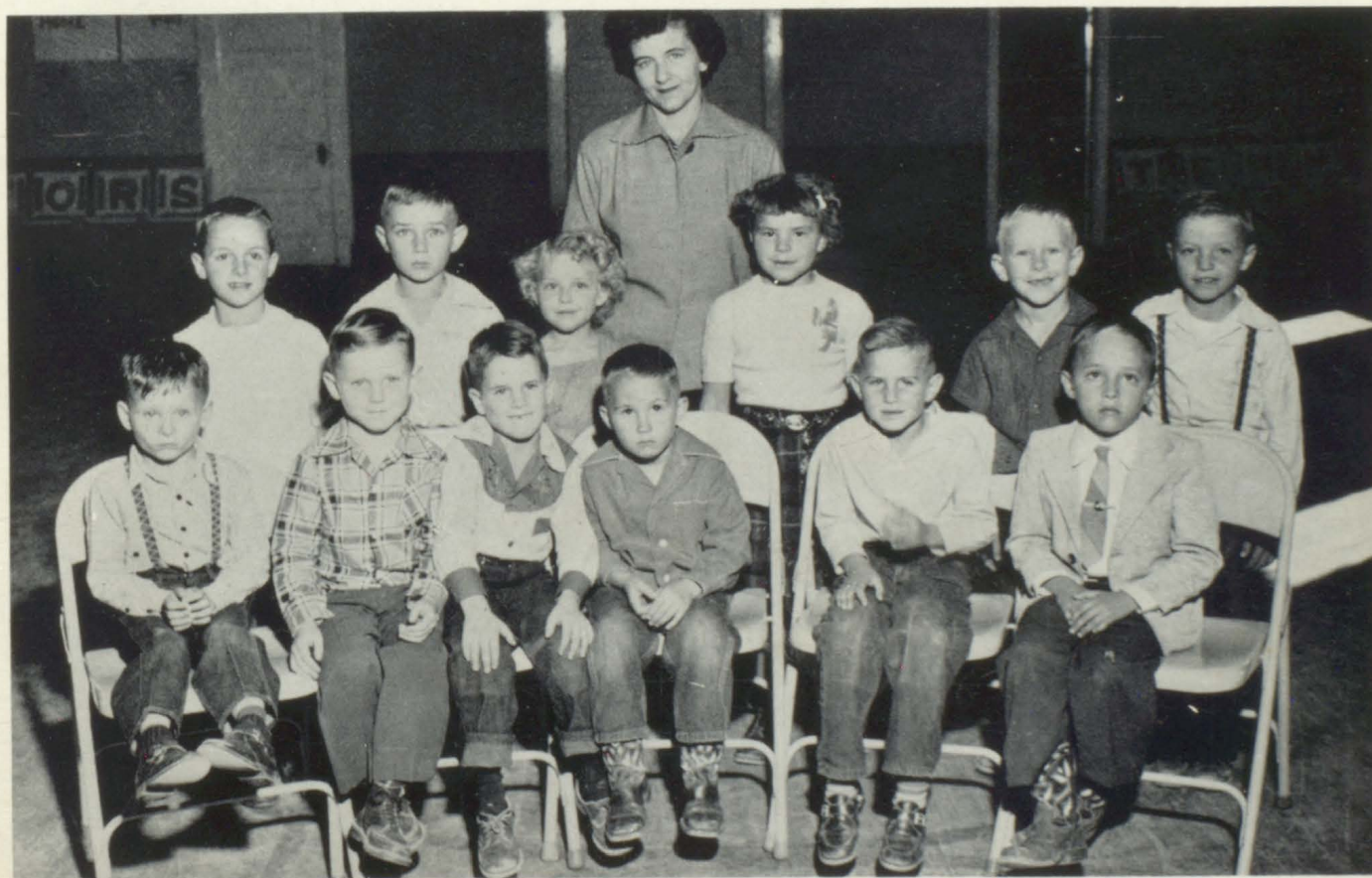
BACK ROW: Bert Stoker, Charles Kenyon, Tyrone Mitchell, Clyde Stoker, Mr. Lack, Jimmy Rich, Kenneth Steele, Wayne McKnight.  
 FRONT ROW: Bonnie Spady, Betty McKnight, Anita Wilks, Wyvonne Miller, Sherill Stepp, Donna Stoker, Shriely Roediger, Donna Riggins.





### Intermediate Room

BACK ROW: Tom Carr, Leon Morrow, Ronald Riggins, Larry Kenyon, Mrs. Rich, Eldon Stoker, Darrel Miller, Donald Gifford.  
 FRONT ROW: Charlotte Ansley, Judy Williams, Karen Howe, Connie Roediger, Barbara Spady, Sandra Wilks, Patty Stoker, Katharine Carr.



### Primary Room

BACK ROW: Gary Cloyd, Donald Spady, Dorothy Gifford, Mrs. Tulley, Joann Roediger, Dickie Ohrman, Leon Tanck.  
 FRONT ROW: Gerald Larrew, Bryant Stavely, Duane Stoker, Mike Riggins, Chester Ansley, Johnny Stavely.





HUMOR





1. Mr. and Miss?
2. Donna Sue
3. Neta Belle
4. Windy Day?
5. English Class
6. Soup today
7. Sisters
8. Last year

9. Champions?
10. Roediger, S.
11. Sober sides
12. Happy family
13. Esther Tulley
14. Go-Man-Go
15. Do you know?
16. Look pretty!

17. Lovers
18. Initiation
19. The Line Up
20. Plotting
21. Roediger, C.
22. Sad Sack
23. Klinge and Wilks
24. Wilks. S.
33. Lost

25. N.R. and N.S.
26. Skating?
27. Utterly Fantastic!
28. Friend or Foe
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30. Kenneth
31. Posing
32. Sporty

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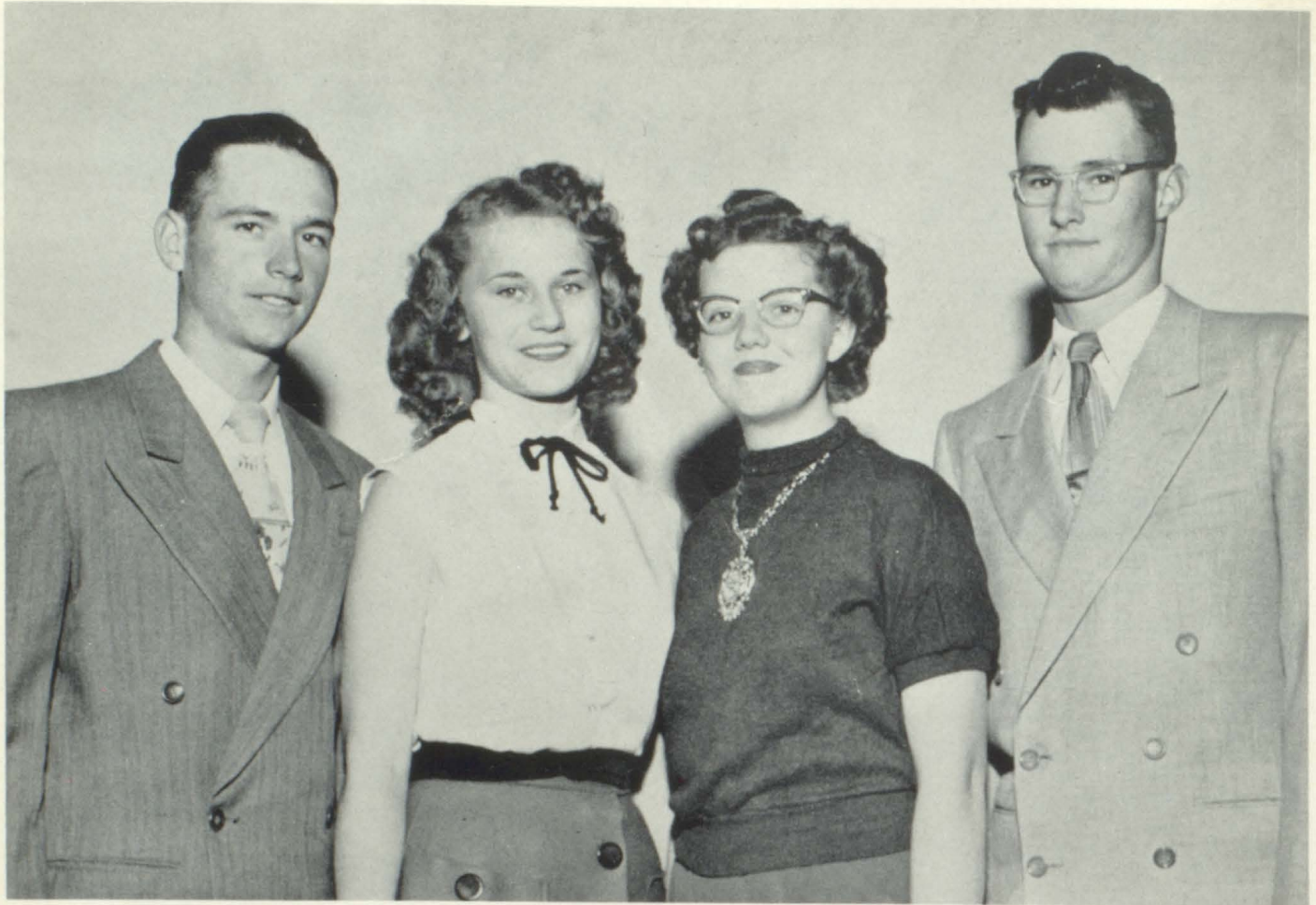
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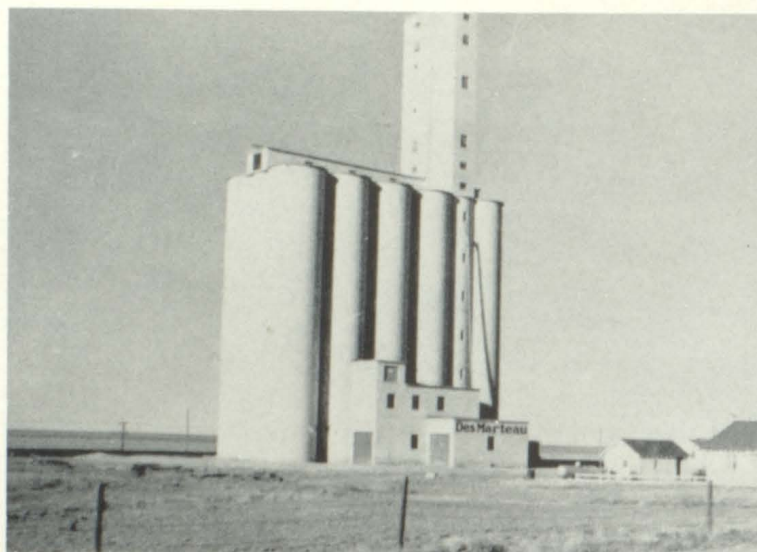
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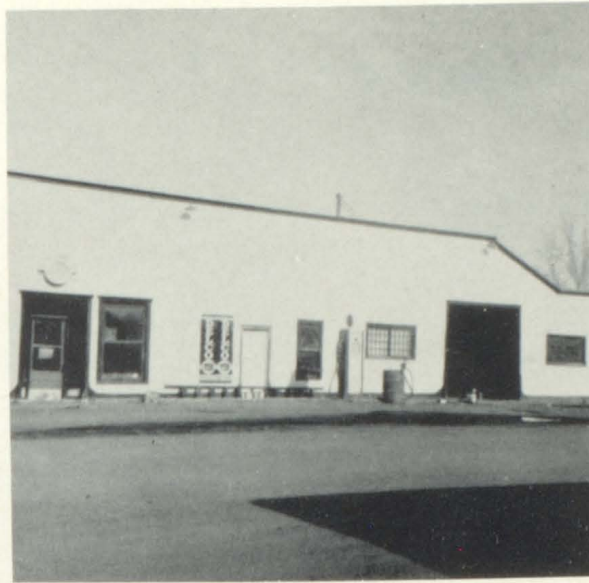
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