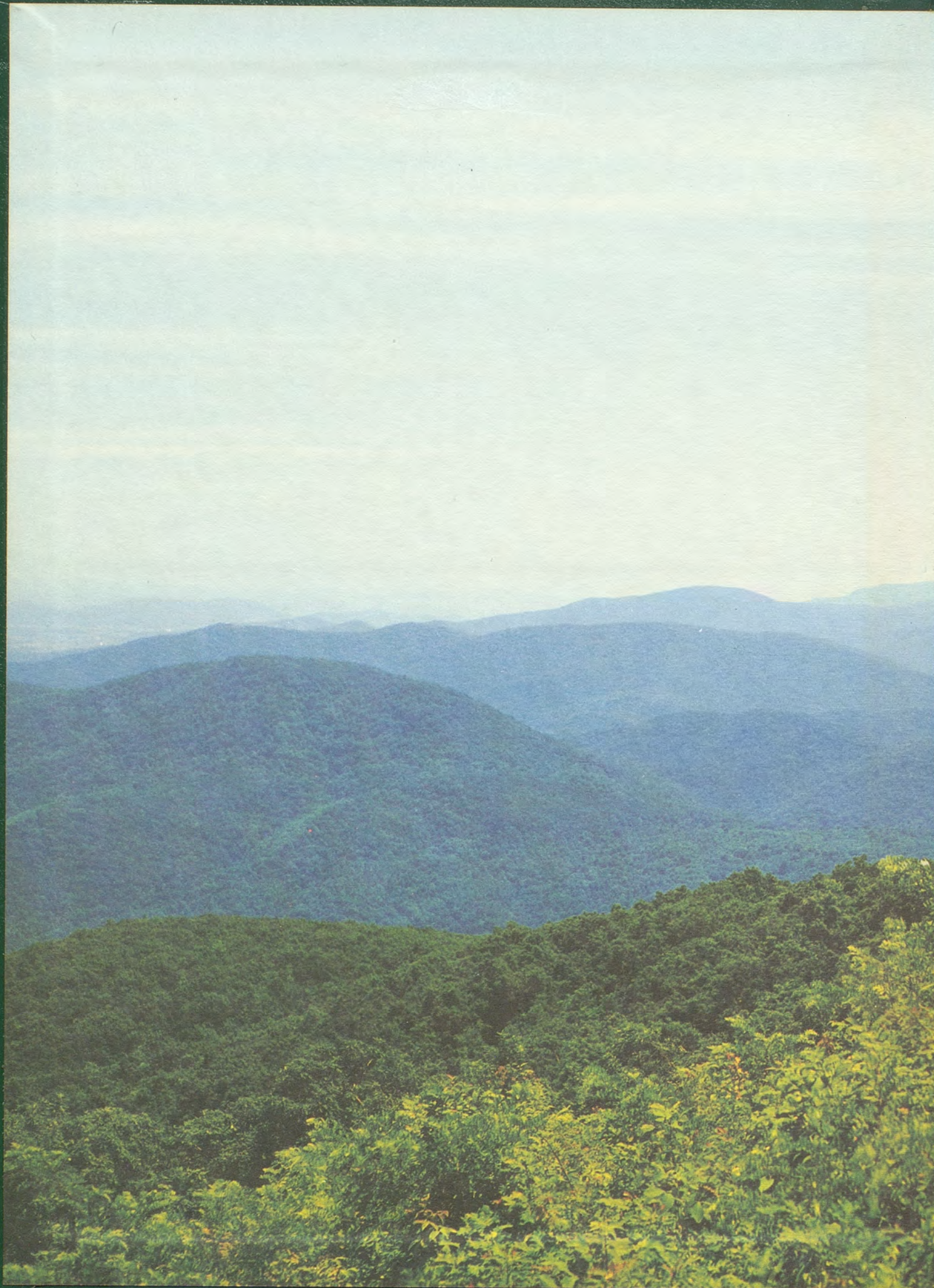


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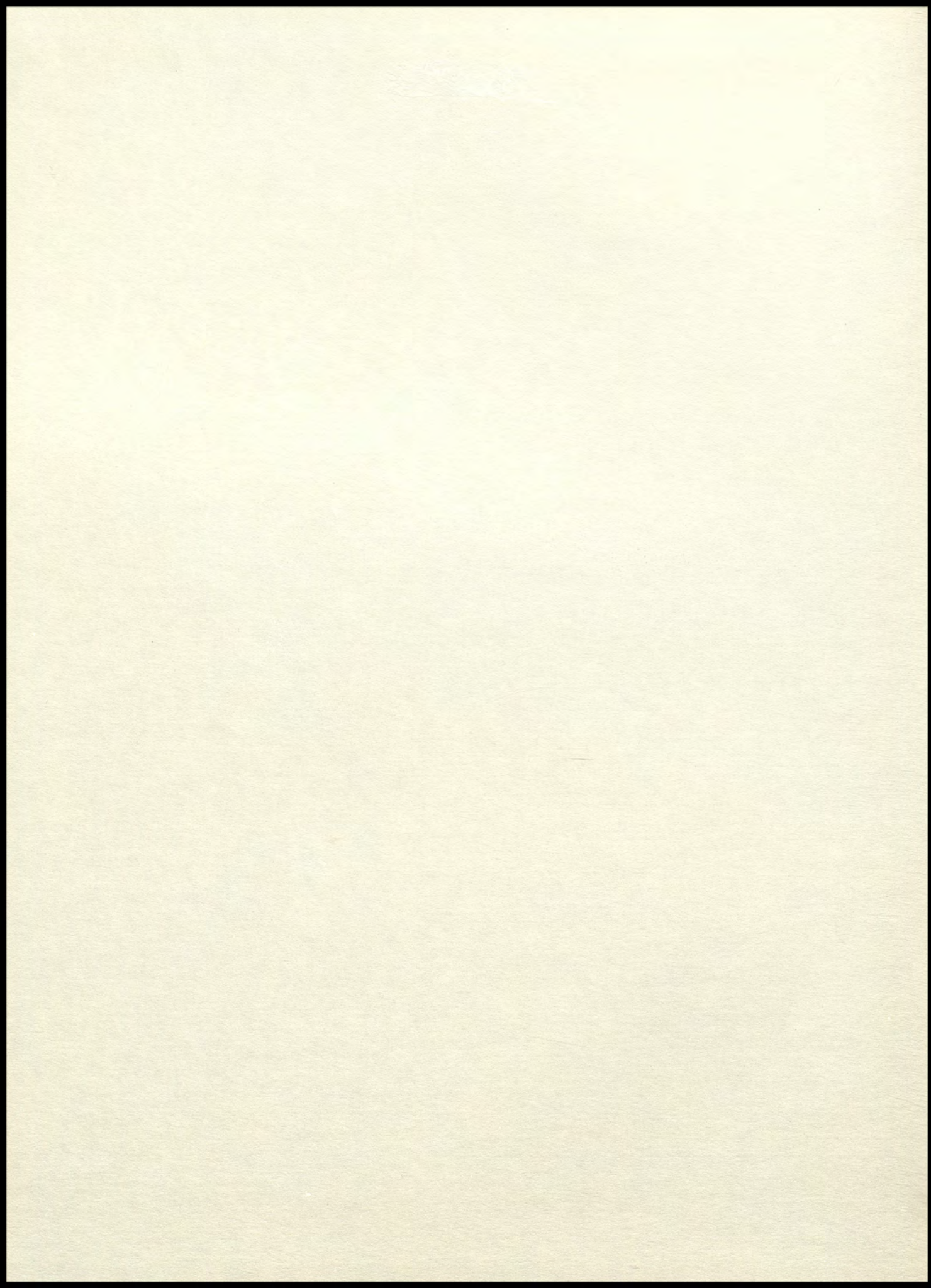
















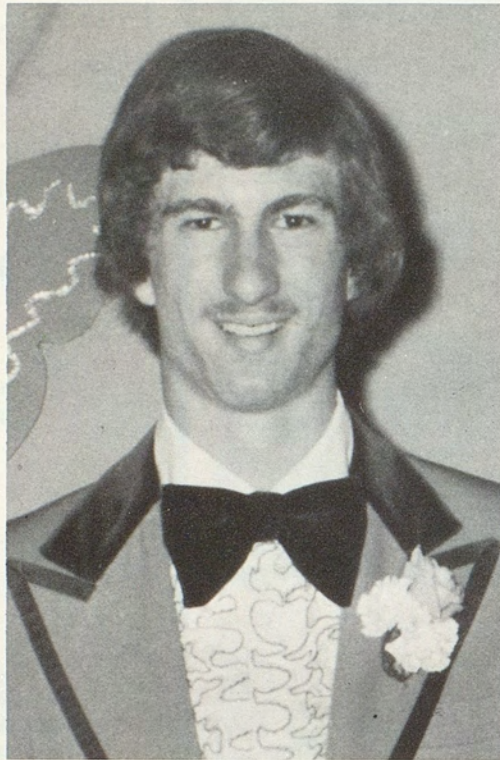
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Louisiana, Mo.  
3321 West Georgia St.  
Superintendent, Dr. Dallas Albers  
Principal, Donald E. Giltner  
Enrollment 405







In kind memory of and in sincere dedication

Mark Jeffrey Geeson  
June 12, 1960  
to  
July 17, 1977

And with the mom these angel faces loved long since and lost awhile . . .

from  
Lead, Kindly Light  
by  
J.H. Newman

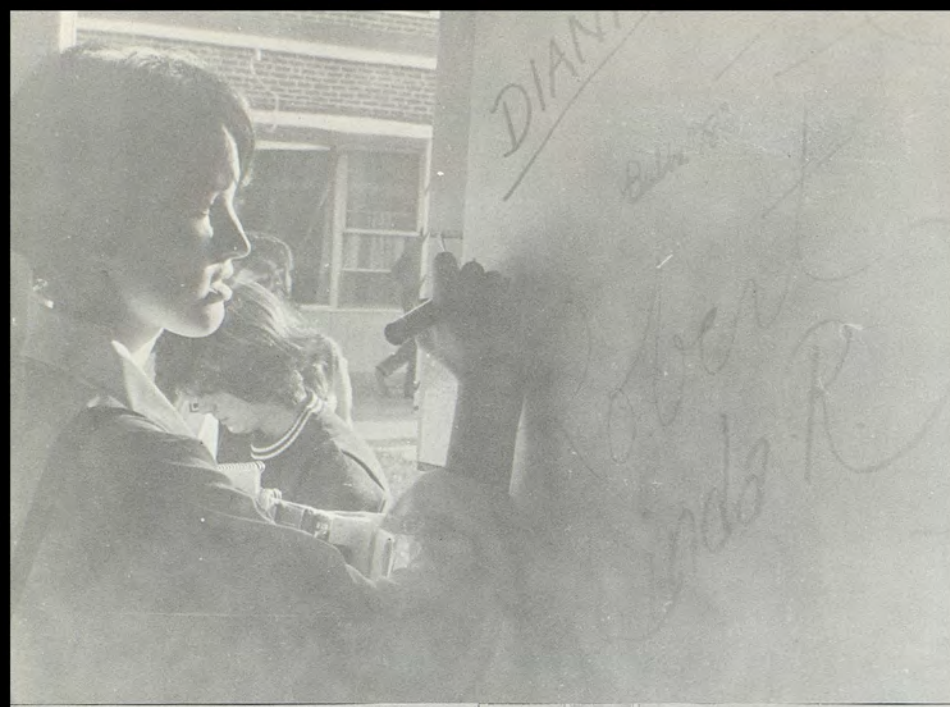




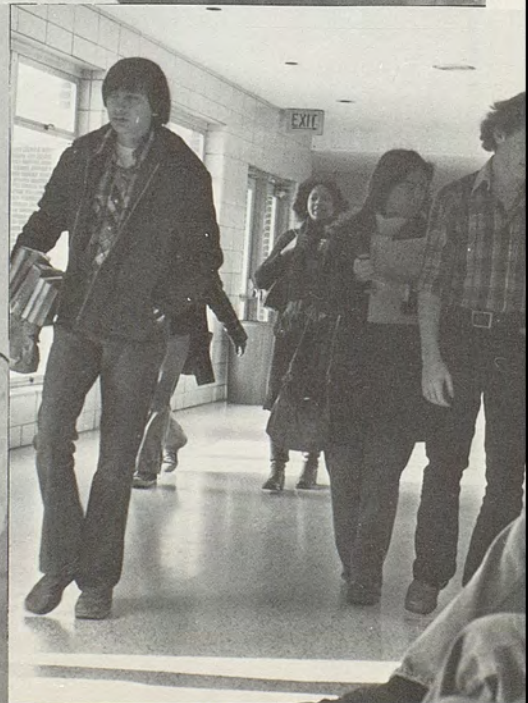
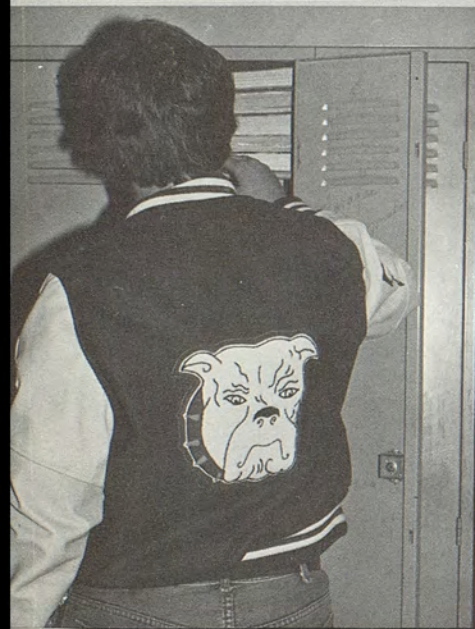
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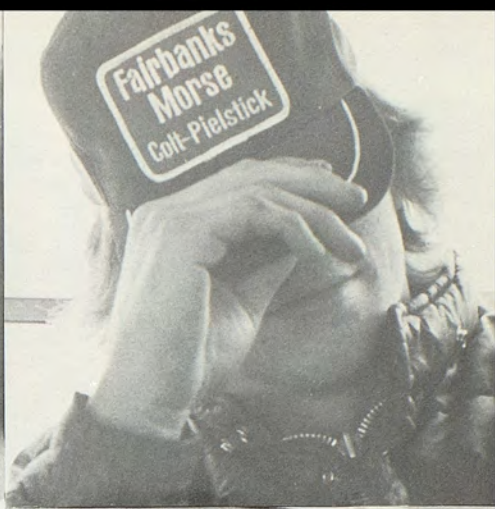
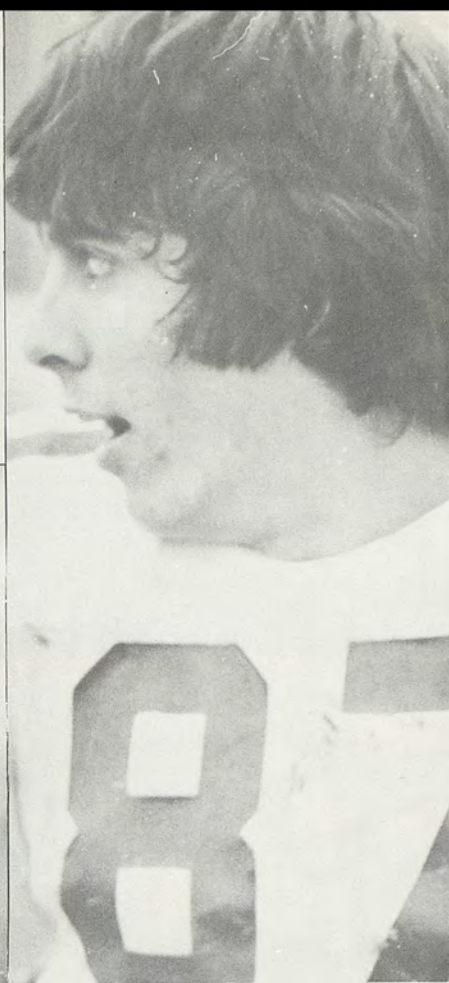
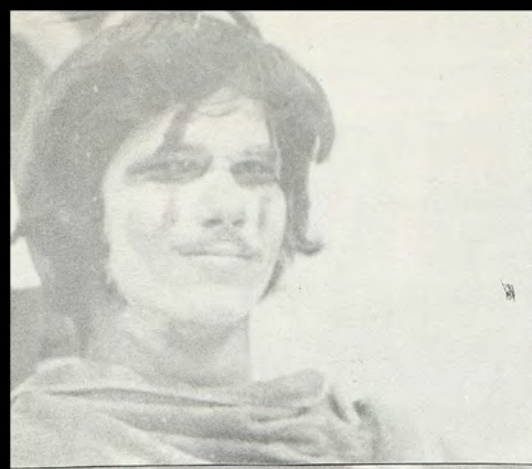




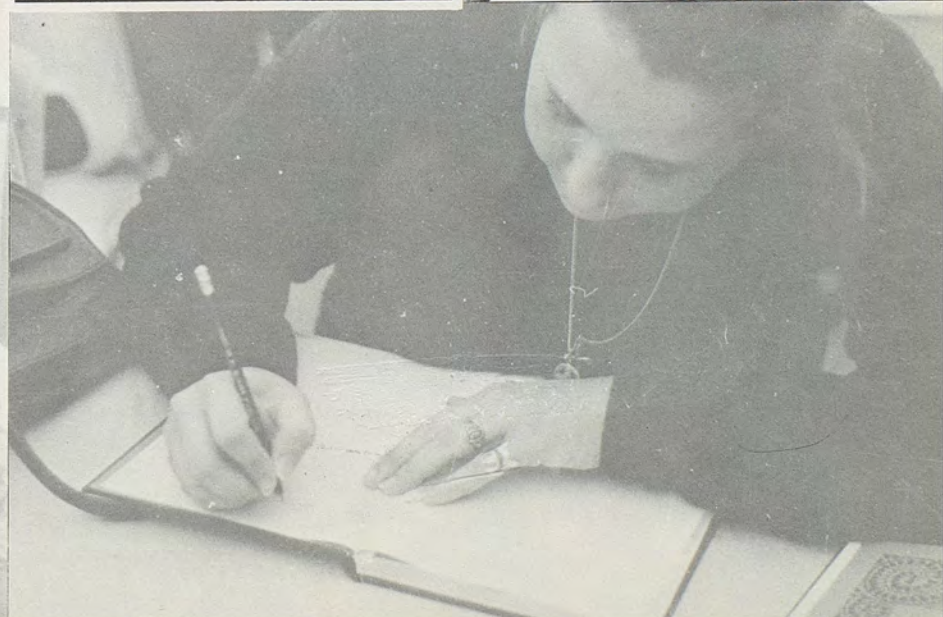
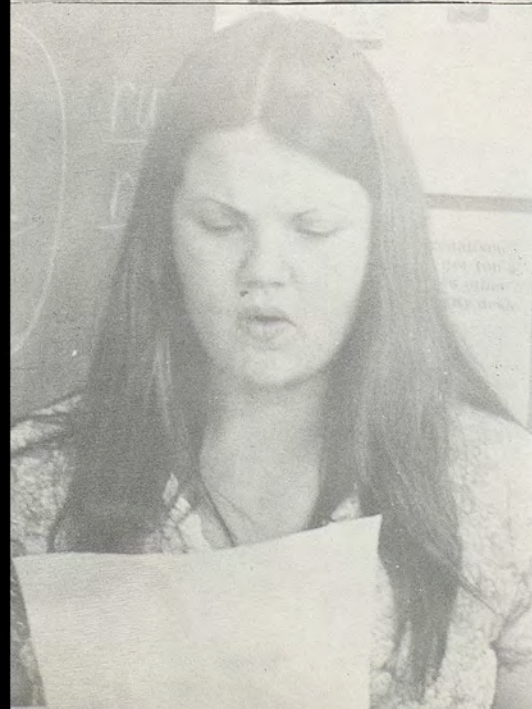
“We’ve Only  
Just Begun  
To Live ...”







It is the common wonder of all men, how among so many millions of faces there should be none alike.  
- Sir Thomas Browne



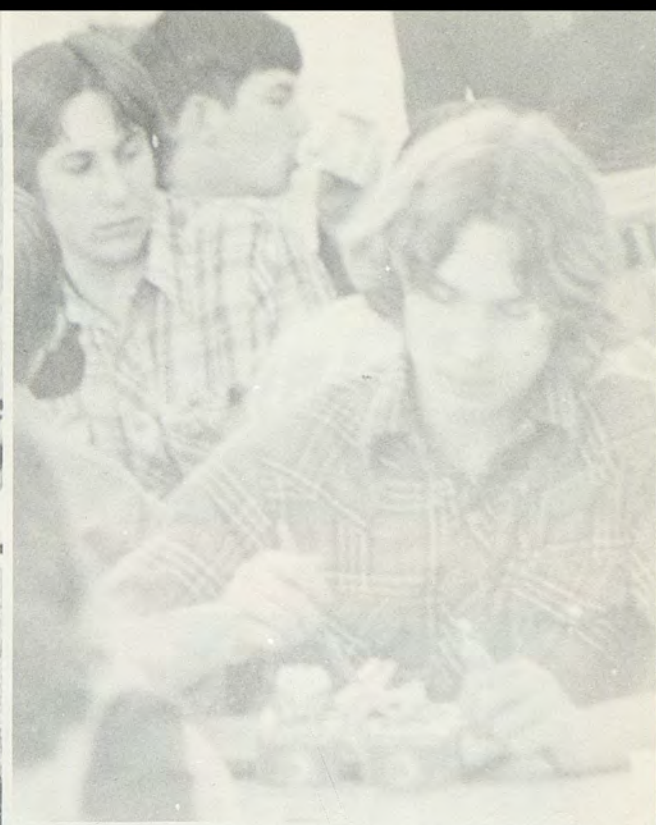




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Rise  
Will  
We

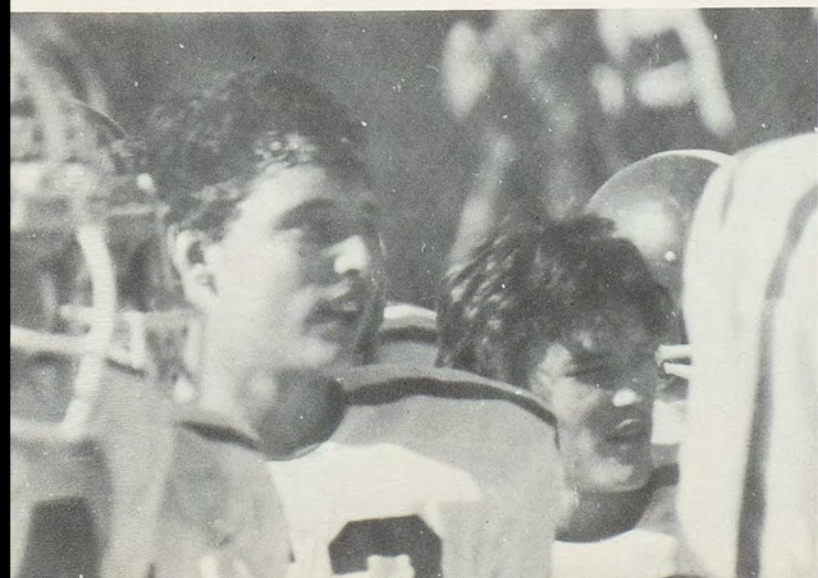




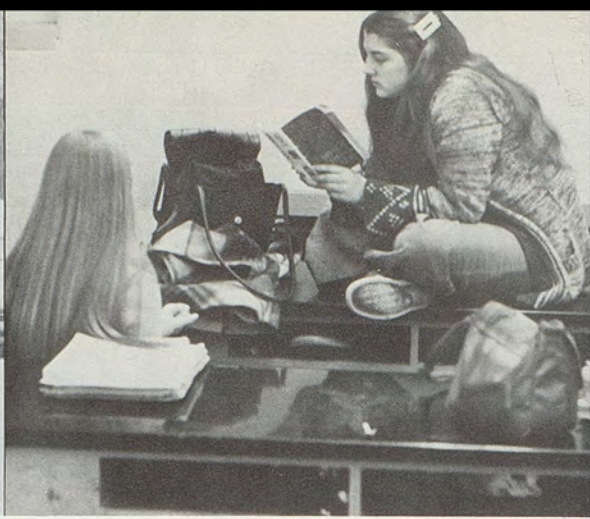


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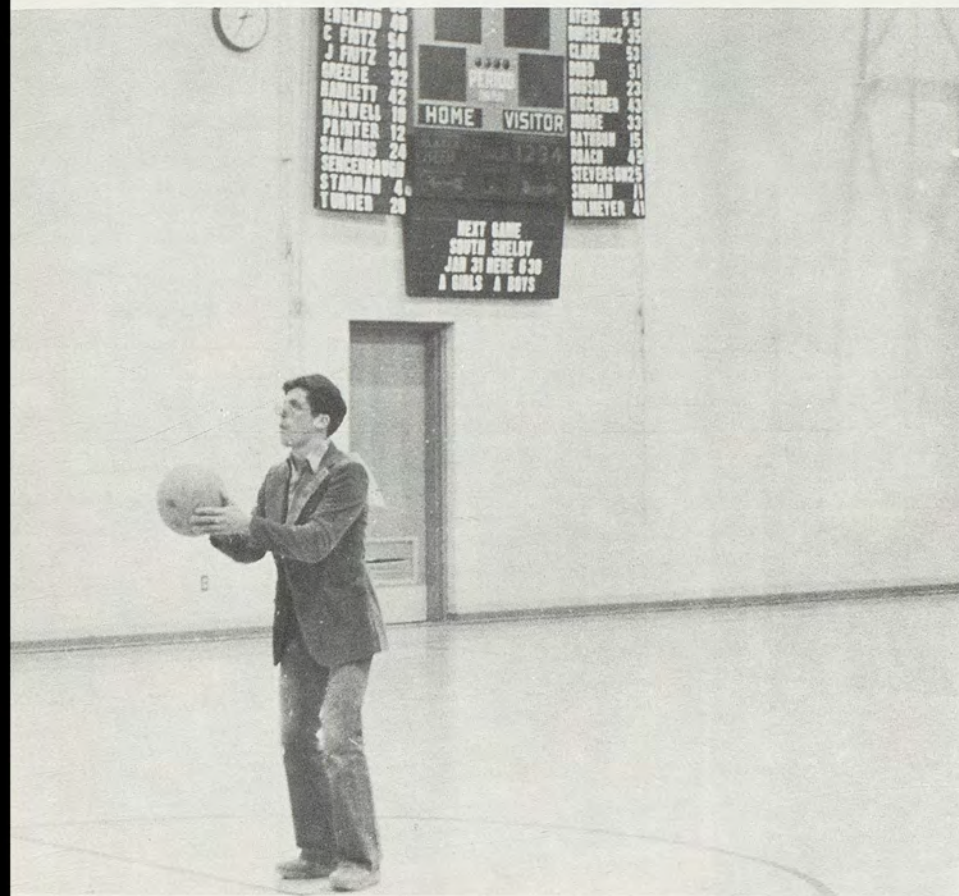
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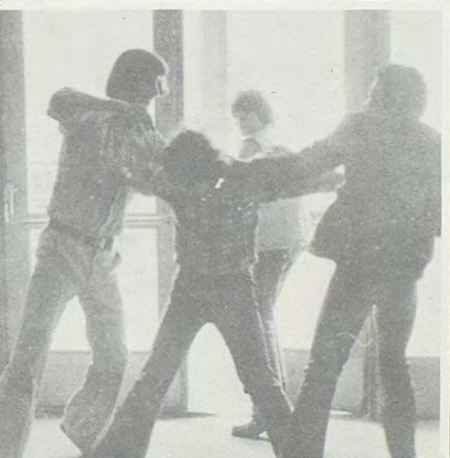
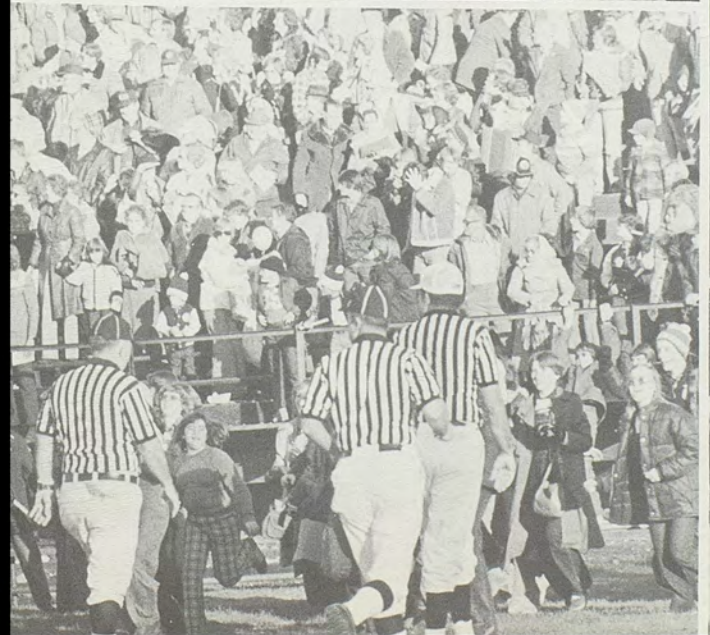
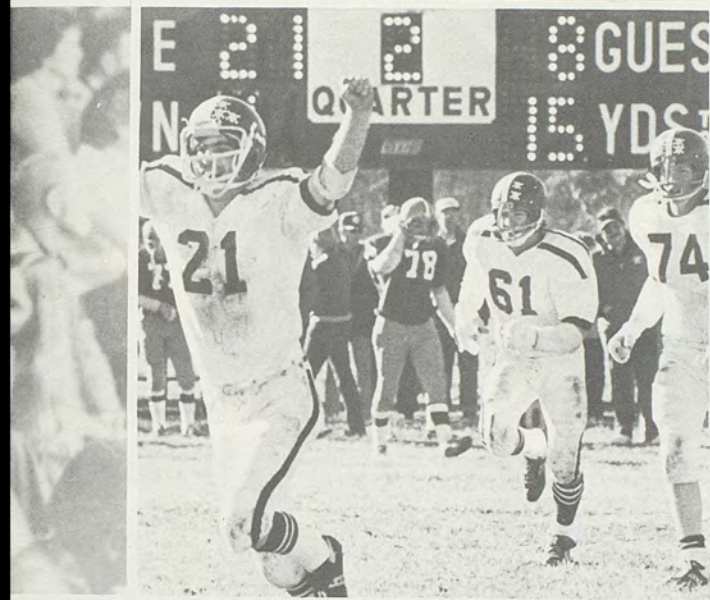




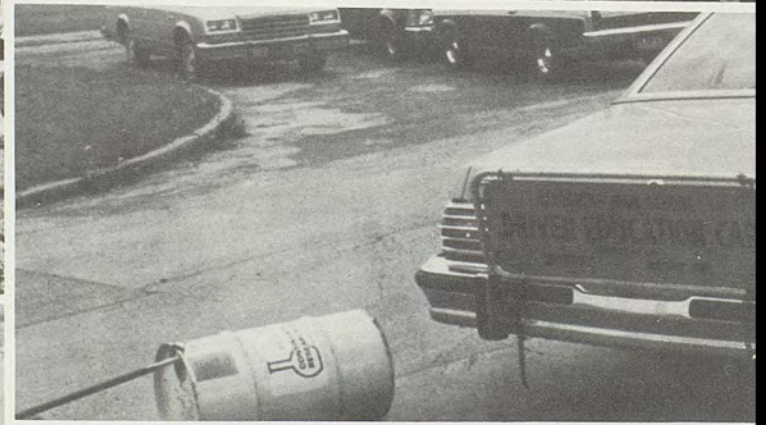
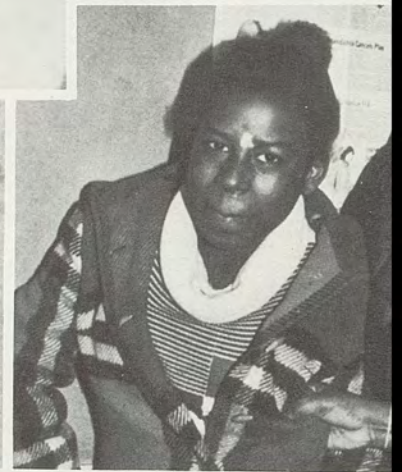




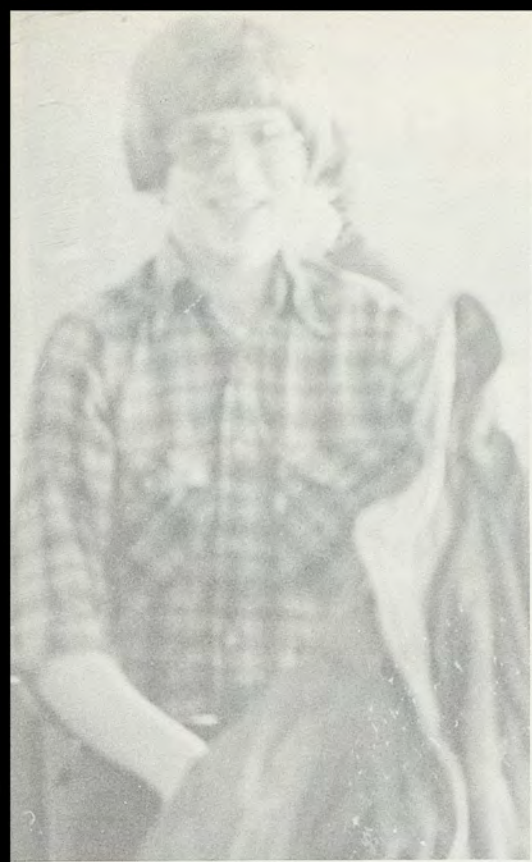




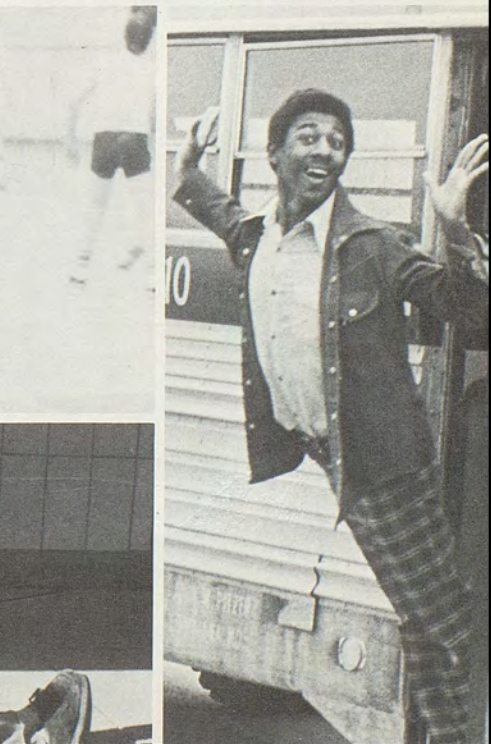
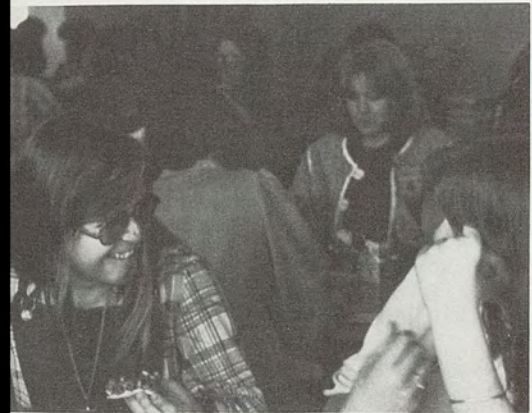
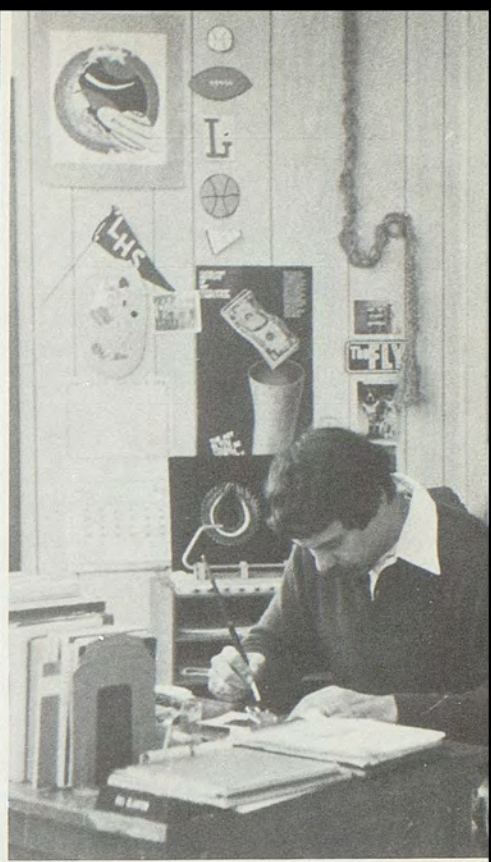




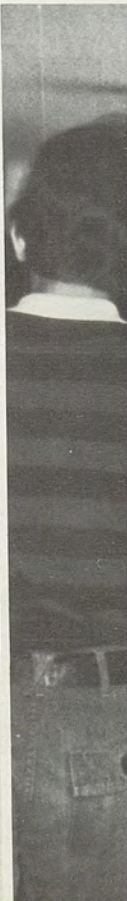




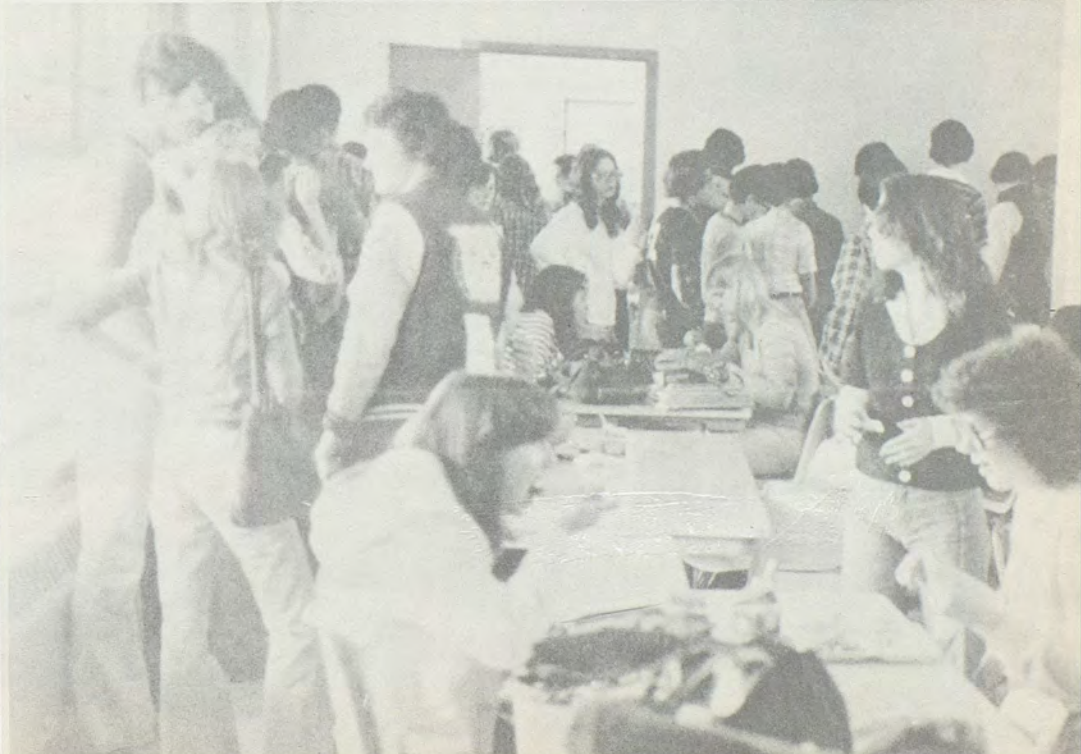
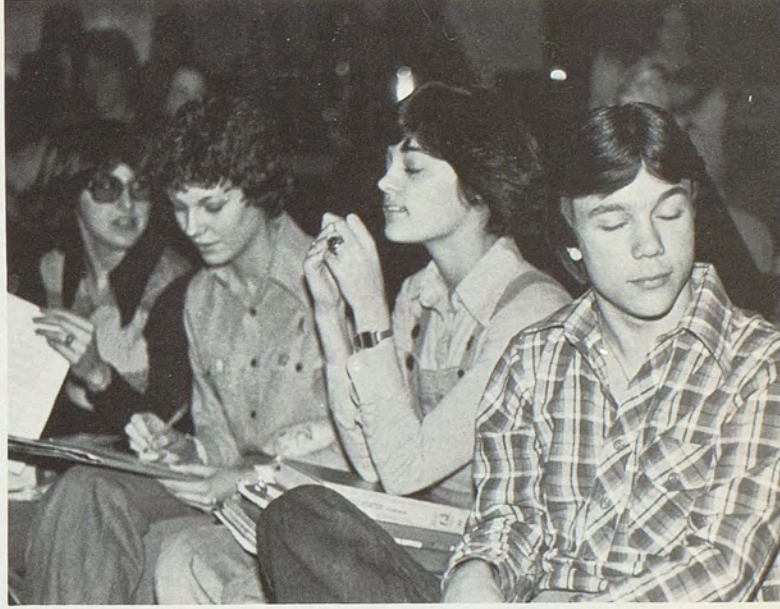
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19 ACHIEVEMENT TEST  
20 P-HILL TRACK H  
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29 STATE MUSIC  
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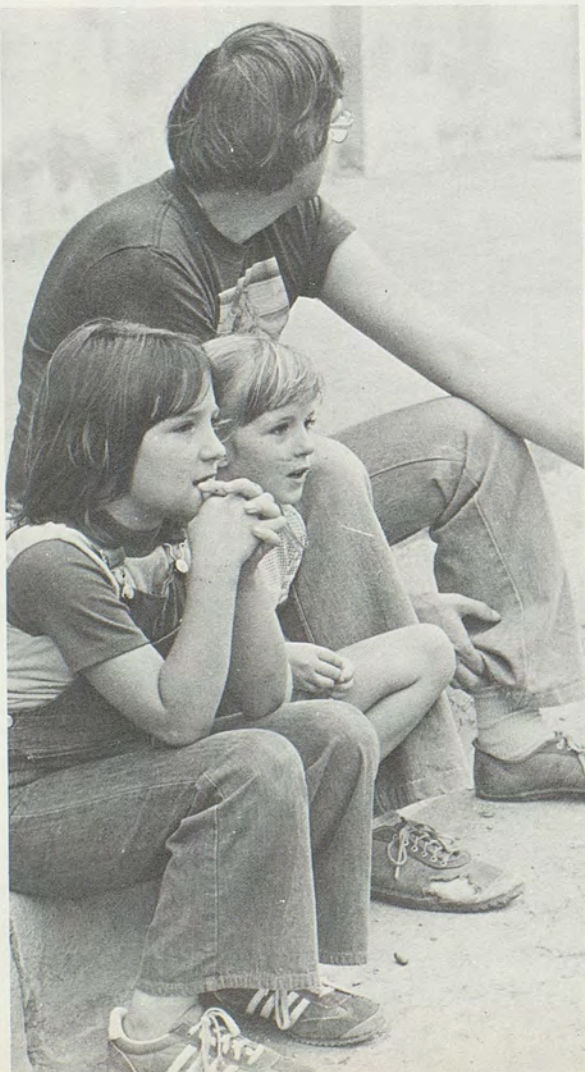
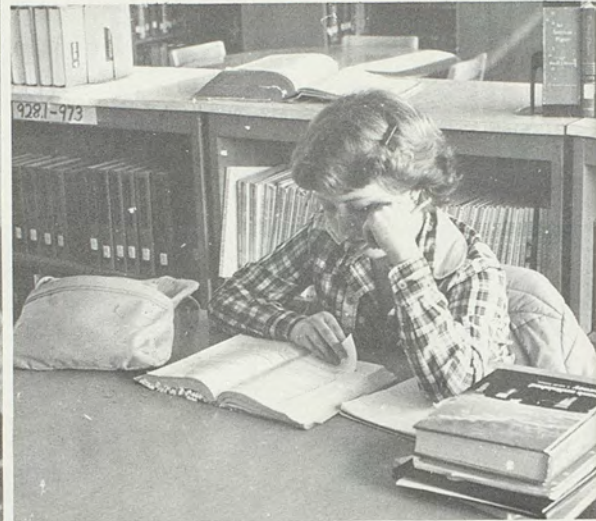
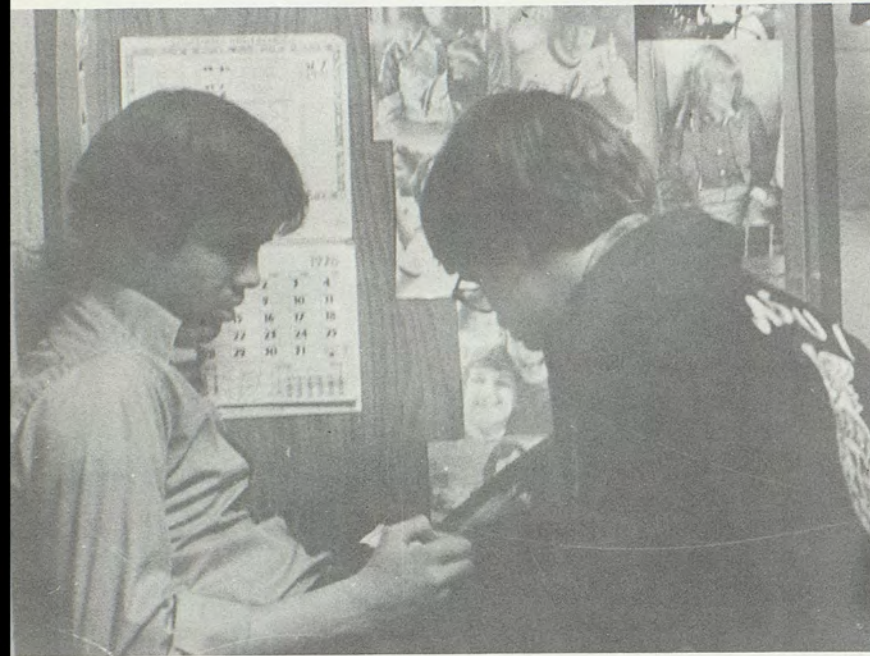






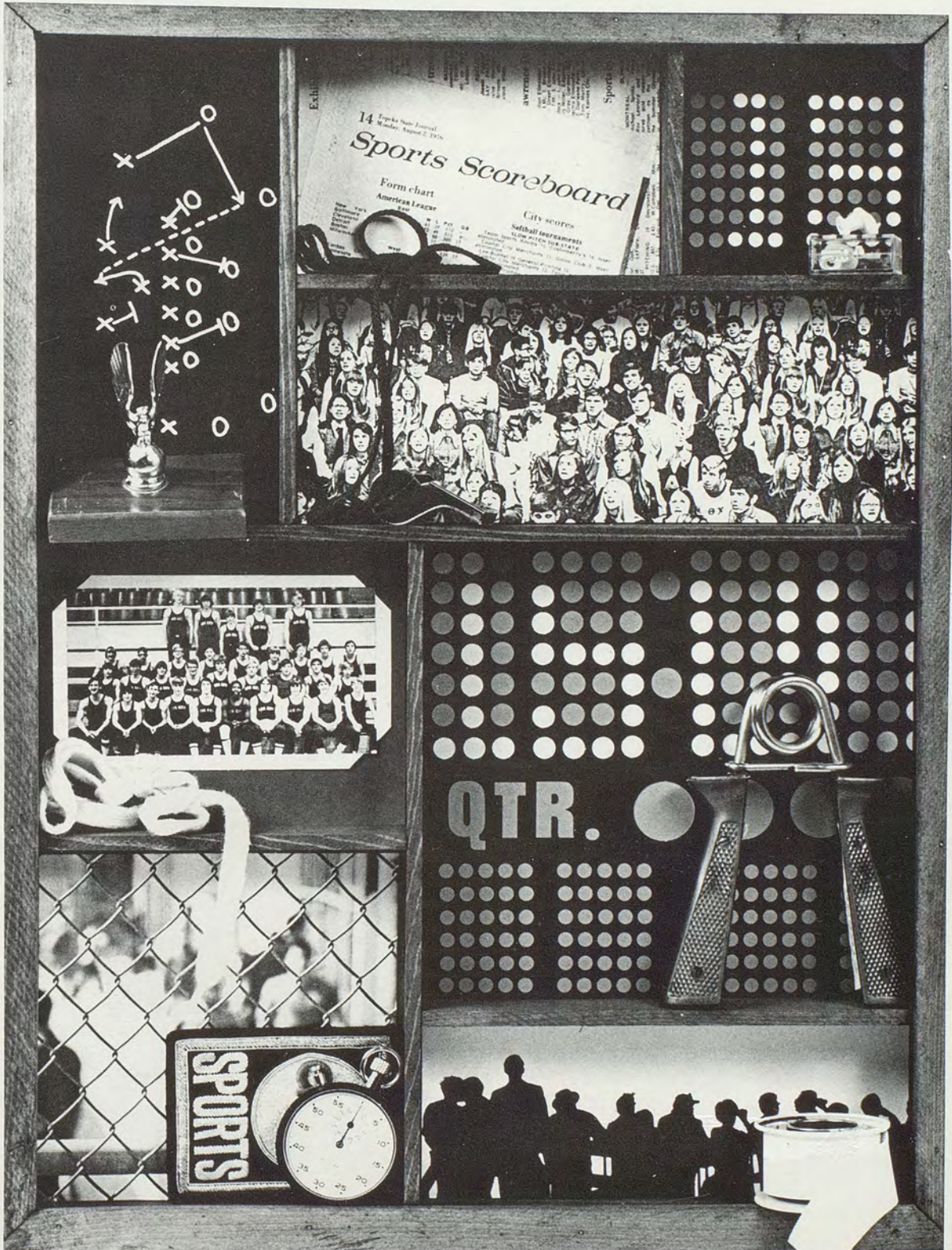
# ... And Yes, We Did Live!

Some say this was the best year of our lives, but all we knew was that we lived a lot, laughed a lot and cried just a little.





# SPORTS





SPORTS

## Thanks Coach . . .

The football section is dedicated to Coach Les Viehmann, in appreciation for the seven years he coached and taught at Louisiana High School. Coach Viehmann resigned after the spectacular 1977 football season.











## ALL CONFERENCE FOOTBALL PLAYERS: An Honorary Position

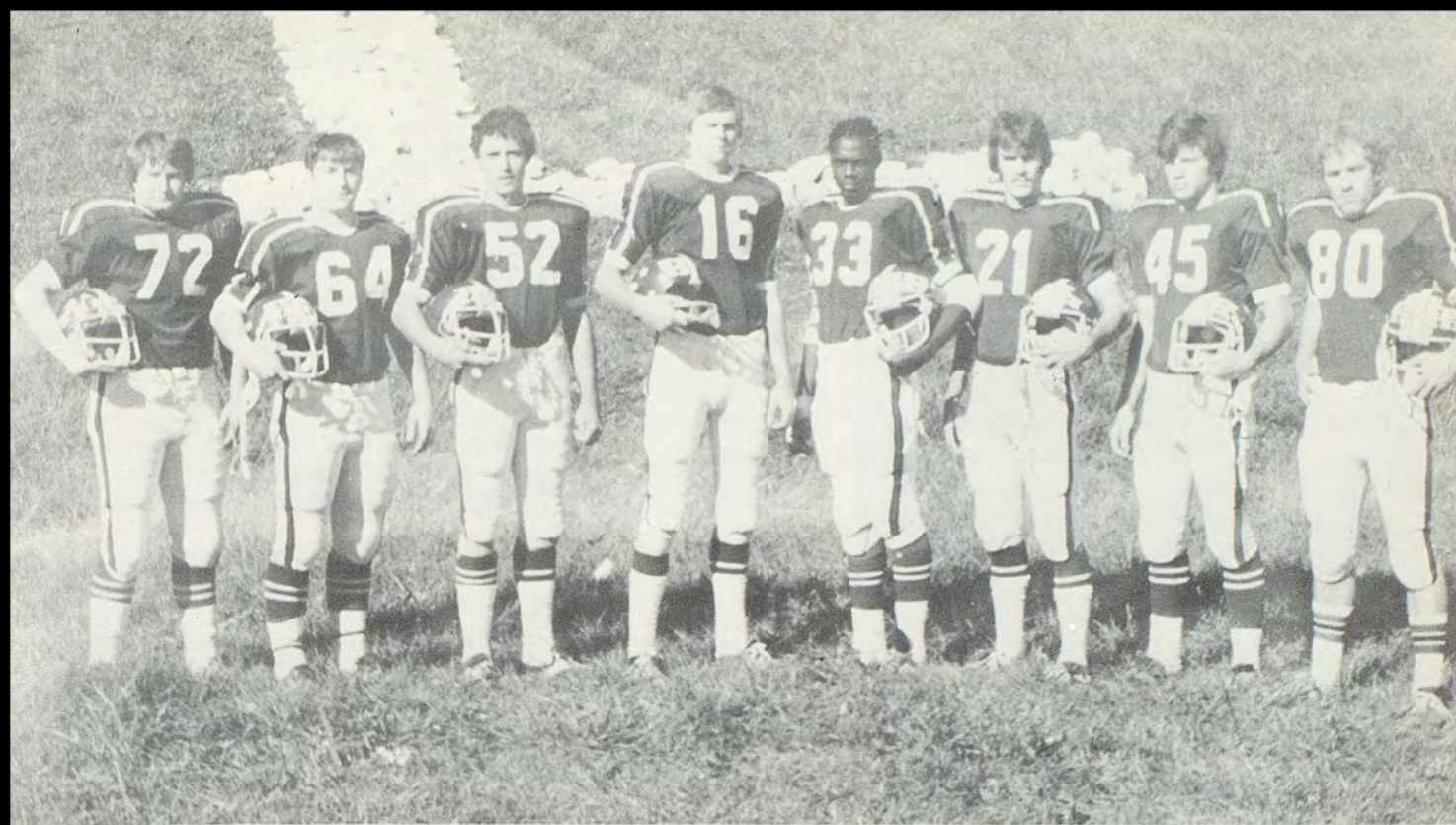
All Conference: bottom of page; seated, J. Oliver, W. Ludwig, E. Gower, D. Chatman, R. Todd, C. Elliott, G. Gordon; standing, D. Mabon, T. Fowler, J. Calvin, M. Rubemeyer, B. Gordon.

Left: E. Gower, the only left-handed quarterback in the conference.

Below: D. Dewey, 23, and D. Sutton, 85, do their share of the work.







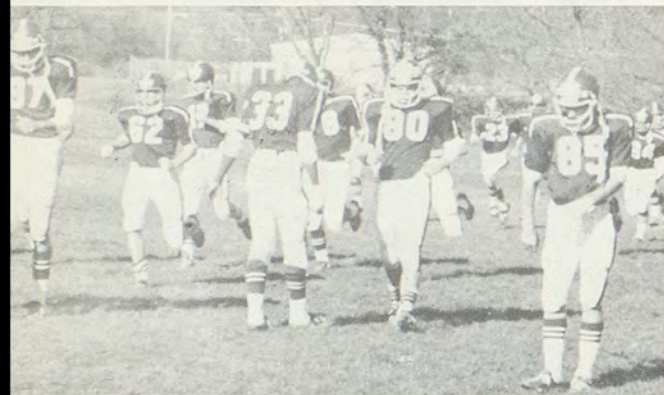
### ALL-STATE FOOTBALL PLAYERS: A Step Higher

The 1977 Bulldogs showed skill, talent, and determination as they fought their way to the Conference championship. Never satisfied, they kept making touchdowns until they reached the state playoffs where they missed the State 2A Championship title by a few meager points. Our school is honored to have these great athletes. We leave this fine record to the future Bulldogs, may they keep alive the winning spirit.

### ALL-STATE FOOTBALL PLAYERS: The Ultimate





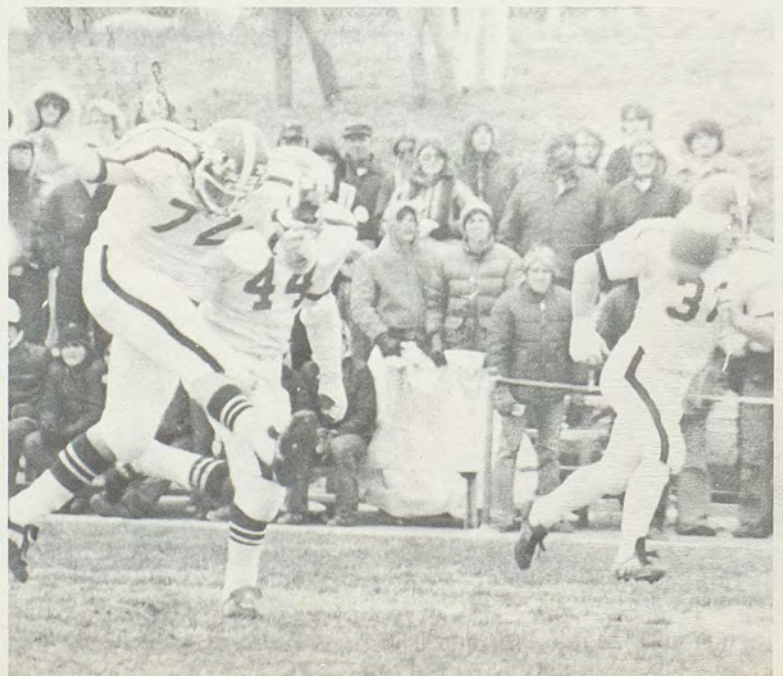


It's dark except for the floodlights shining on the field. The parking lot is full. The bleachers are packed. A roar of voices rises from the stands as maroon and white figures charge onto the field. The loudspeakers blare.

Then . . . the kickoff. The action begins. First down and the crowd cheers. Struggles at the 50 yard-line, at the 30 yard-line. A combined effort brings a touchdown.

Half-time. The players get a rest. The coach gives a pep talk, plans strategy, commands plays. Spectators flock to the refreshment stand. The band weaves it's way across the field and marches into a giant formation of LHS.

The players are back on the field. Struggles and touchdowns later, the Bulldogs celebrate a victory.





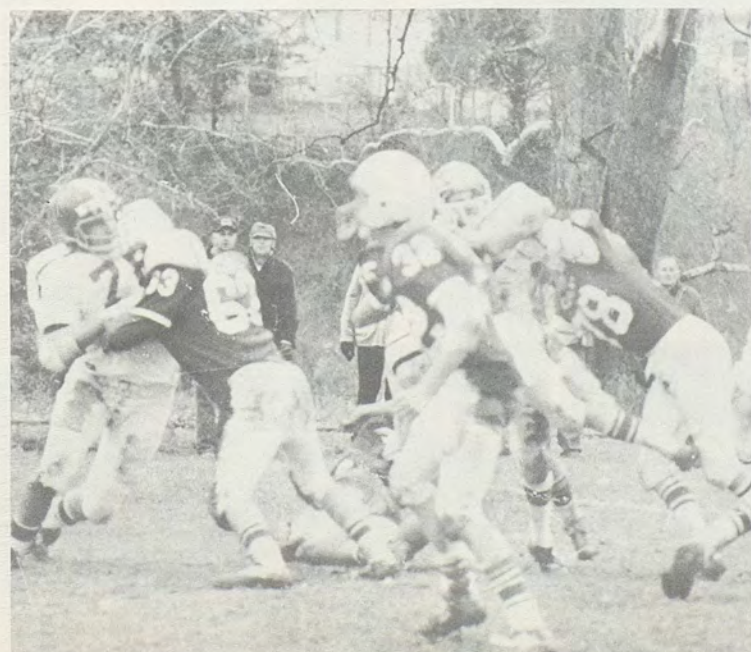


1977 was a season to remember. The great accomplishments, trophies, new badges for letter-jackets, and the exhilaration of being winners helped make it unforgettable.

The team had special talent with a strong desire to win. The fans were instilled with a strong sense of unity and pride.

On the day of the final play-offs, excitement reigned at LHS. The whole building echoed with "Go Big Red" and spirit contests. And the football guys? Well, they yelled the loudest.

Were they nervous about the upcoming game? If they were, they did not show it.







## Lettermen

**SENIORS**  
 65-M. Rubemeyer  
 80-G. Gordon  
 34-T. Fowler  
 78-C. Loesing  
 45-C. Elliott  
 72-J. Oliver  
 54-B. Gordon  
 61-M. Shade  
 64-W. Ludwig  
 83-K. Ward  
 23-D. Sutton  
 76-M. Murry  
 85-D. Dewey  
 21-R. Todd

**JUNIORS**  
 33-D. Chatman  
 87-P. Eastman  
 32-M. Farris  
 74-A. Akers  
 77-B. Wunderlich  
 62-J. Brossia  
 17-T. Wallace  
 30-D. Mabon  
 84-J. Washington  
 52-J. Calvin

**SOPHOMORES**  
 44-K. Chatman  
 53-J. Young  
 31-F. Carroll  
 (not pictured)







Above: Tri-Captains D. Chatman, E. Gower, and R. Todd.

Right: A moment of triumph. Coach Vieman (center) and the Tri-Captains are presented with the All-Conference trophy by Don Giltner, principal.



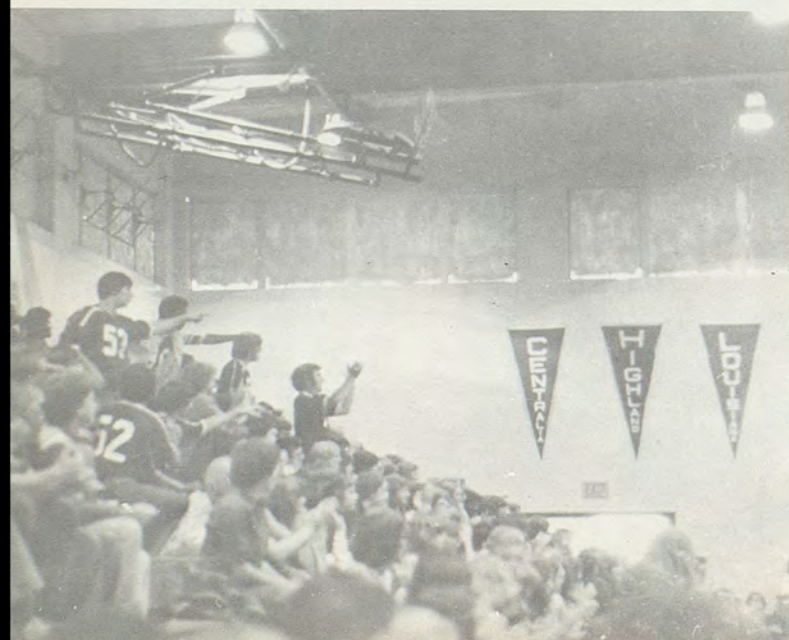
Struggles, conflicts, triumphs, failures, they're all part of the game. The crowd yells. The ball, buried beneath masses of bodies, is that small piece of matter around which so many dreams are built.



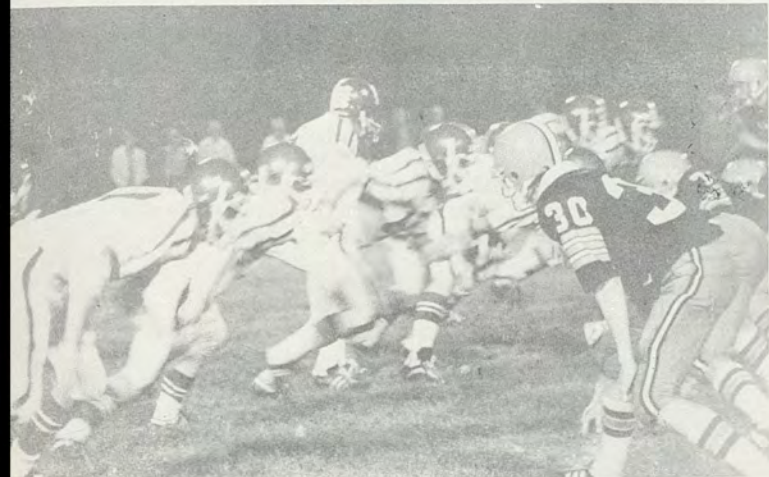




HOMECOMING IS ....







Pictured below: Homecoming queen was Ketta Fry, upper center. Other senior candidates were Jane Law, upper left, and Linda Robinson, upper right. Attendants were; bottom, left, Carla White, freshman; Jan Fritz, sophomore; and Babette Munson, junior.

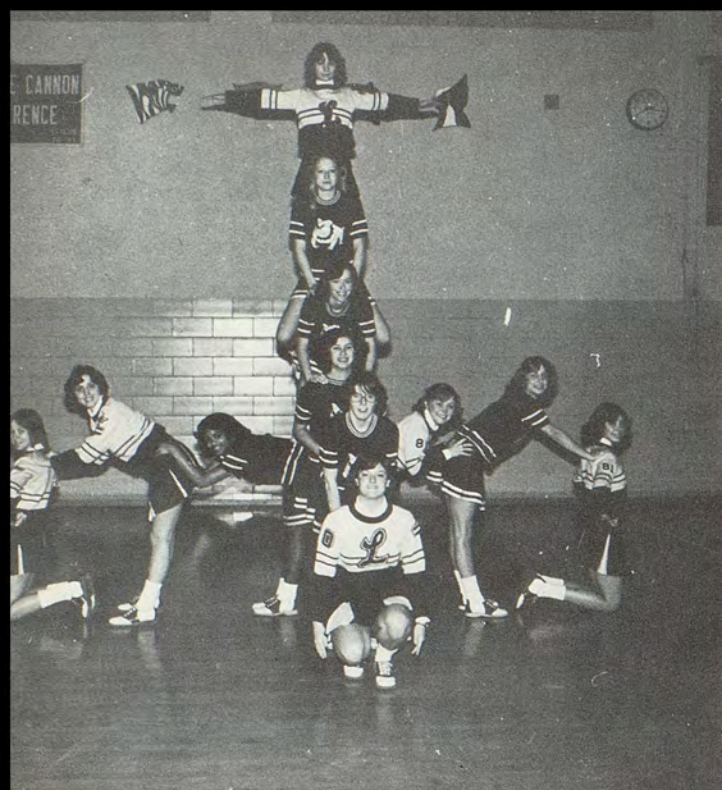
The Bulldogs kept the spirit going with a 21-1 win over Macon.



a week of preparation, competition, anticipation and finally victory!







Cheerleader formation top left. Top to bottom: Marsha Cox, J. V.; Brenda Branstetter, V.; Marsha Powell, V.; Diana Poor, V.; Linda Robinson, V. and captain; Elizabeth Fry, J. V. Left to right: Valerie Kuntz, J. V.; Debbie Gordon, J. V.; Rasheda Hodges, V.; Robin Spencer, J. V.; Nancy Naxera, V.; Angela Gardaphe, J. V.

## Cheerleaders





# 1977 FOOTBALL RECORDS

Bowling Green	21	Louisiana	3
Pittsfield	13	Louisiana	27
Palmyra *	12	Louisiana	22
Highland *	7	Louisiana	42
Macon ** *	0	Louisiana	21
Monroe City *	8	Louisiana	28
South Shelby *	0	Louisiana	14
Centralia *	14	Louisiana	53
Mark Twain *	20	Louisiana	50

## AA Quarter Finals

California	8	Louisiana	48
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## AA Semi - Finals

Country Day	8	Louisiana	31
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## State AA Championship

Monett	21	Louisiana	19
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Conference Games \* Homecoming \* \*\*





Front, 1. to r. : R. Wommack, K. Pearl, K. Chatman, D. Waltman and R. Todd. Back, 1. to r. : K. Peabody, T. Wallace, D. Chatman, P. Eastman, M. Pearl and E. Gower.

## VARSIY BASKETBALL

Front, 1. to r. : K. Salmons, L. Hamlett, D. Painter, J. Fritz, C. Chatman, M. Greene, Coach Harkrader. Back, 1. to r. : S. Sensenbaugh, P. Starman, P. Turner, L. Salmons, D. England, C. Fritz, R. Elliott, and K. Bronson.







## SENIOR LETTERPERSONS



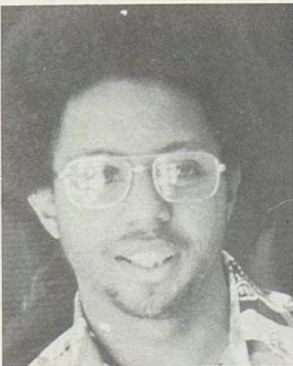
D. Chatman



P. Eastman



E. Gower



R. Wommack



K. Pearl



C. Fritz





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D. England



M. Pearl



M. Greene



D. Waltman



J. Fritz



L. Hamlett



D. Painter



S. Sensenbaugh



T. Wallace



L. Maxwell



P. Turner



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Even though the boys' record was 16-9, they made it to the finals in the regionals held at N. Callaway. Only one girl returned as a senior to the team this year. They were young and unexperienced, with only four juniors, one freshmen, and six sophomores participating.

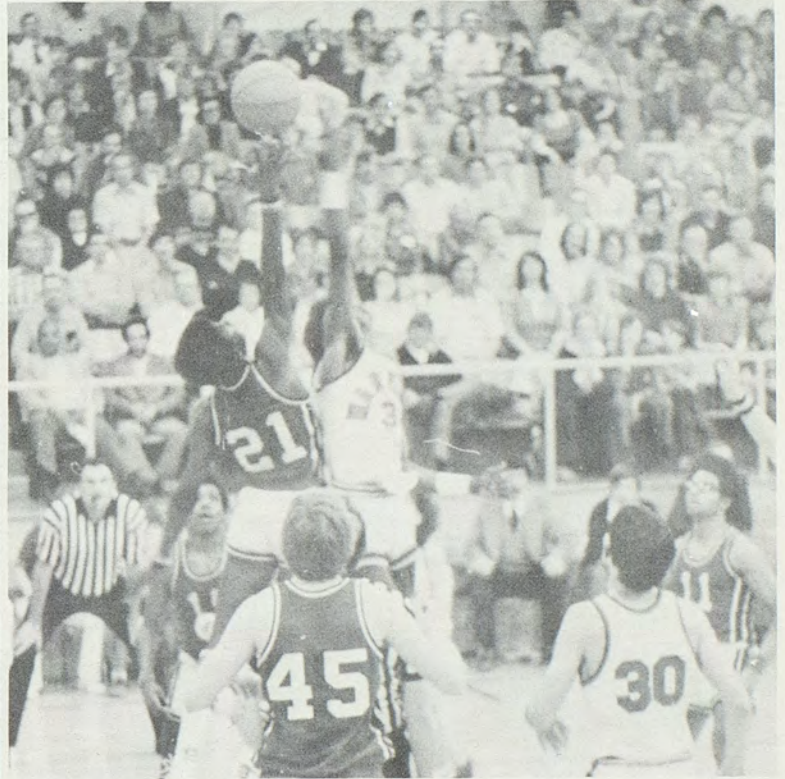
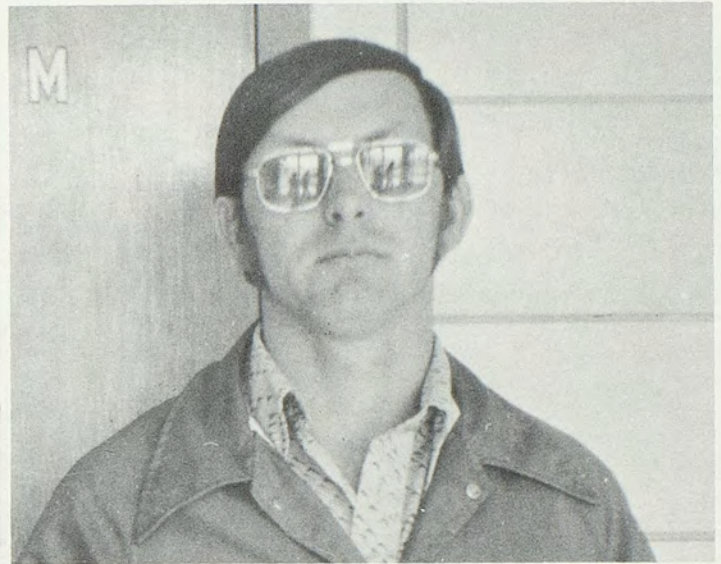


GIRLS' BASKETBALL RECORDS

A TEAM

Home	Opponent	
23	Centralia	58
25	Palmyra	37
21	Clopton	48
33	B. Green	42
35	Winfield	39
52	Monroe City	58
41	Silex	46
26	Macon	29
43	Troy	49
49	Mark Twain	47
24	Canton	54
30	S. Shelby	55
37	B. Green	32
42	Highland	51
	Regional Game	
21	Van-Far	55

S. Sencenbaugh, 2nd team, All-Conference  
 P. Turner, Honorable Mention, All-Conference







## COURTWARMING



Courtwarding was January 27. The King and Queen were announced at half-time of the Varsity Bulldog's game against Canton. "Blaze" was the band at the dance. Pictured are the royal court.

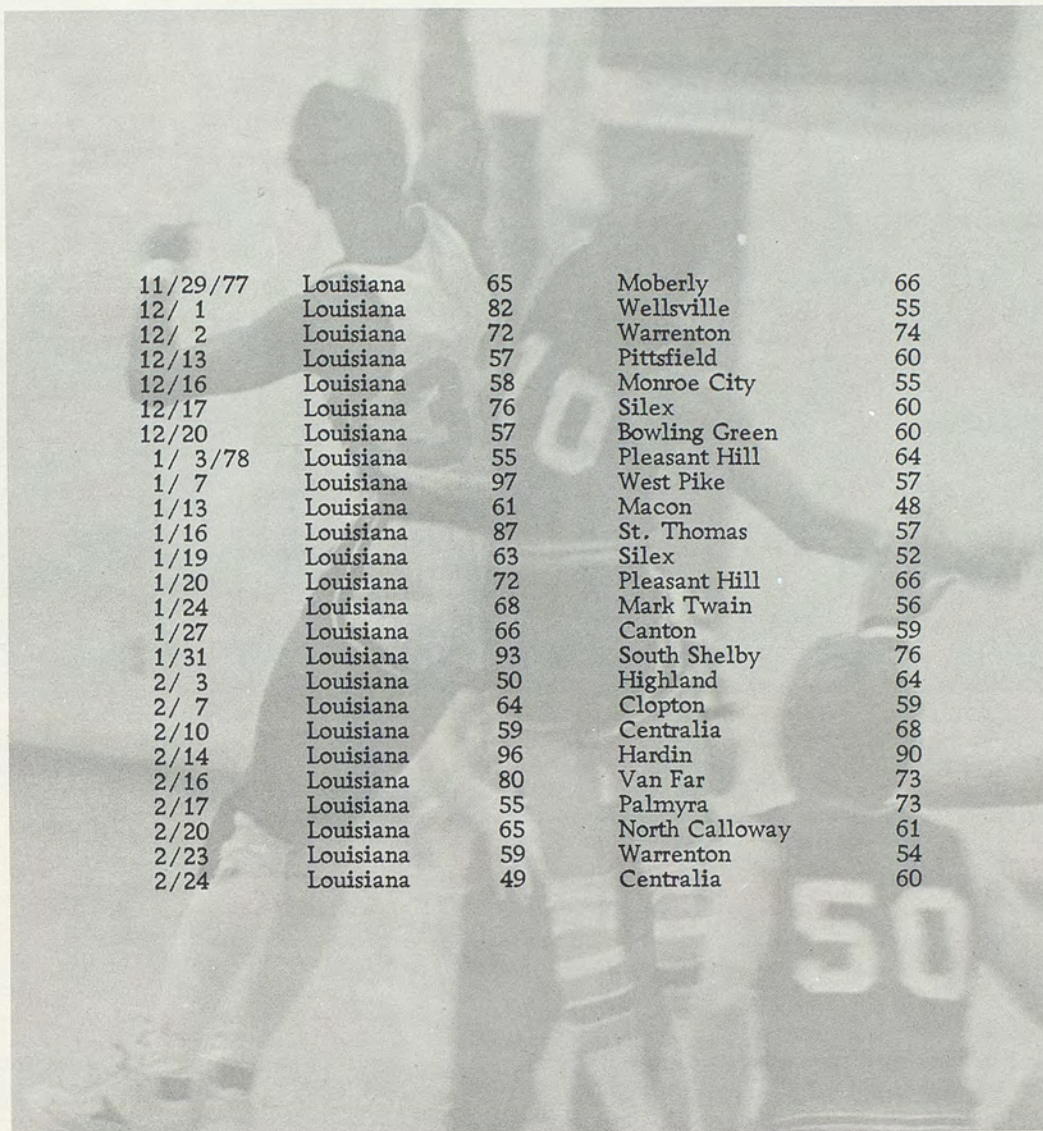
Senior Queen and King candidates were: Top left, Vicky Mitts and William Ludwig; left, Mary Beth Eipper and Dennis Dewey; and top right, Courtwarding royalty, Diana Poor and Ed Gower.

Attendants and escorts were: lower right, freshman, Julie Phillips and Billy Keith; lower left, sophomore, Susan Giltner and David Campbell; and right, junior, Marsh Powell and Luke Stuerman.





# 1978 Basketball Scores



11/29/77	Louisiana	65	Moberly	66
12/ 1	Louisiana	82	Wellsville	55
12/ 2	Louisiana	72	Warrenton	74
12/13	Louisiana	57	Pittsfield	60
12/16	Louisiana	58	Monroe City	55
12/17	Louisiana	76	Silex	60
12/20	Louisiana	57	Bowling Green	60
1/ 3/78	Louisiana	55	Pleasant Hill	64
1/ 7	Louisiana	97	West Pike	57
1/13	Louisiana	61	Macon	48
1/16	Louisiana	87	St. Thomas	57
1/19	Louisiana	63	Silex	52
1/20	Louisiana	72	Pleasant Hill	66
1/24	Louisiana	68	Mark Twain	56
1/27	Louisiana	66	Canton	59
1/31	Louisiana	93	South Shelby	76
2/ 3	Louisiana	50	Highland	64
2/ 7	Louisiana	64	Clopton	59
2/10	Louisiana	59	Centralia	68
2/14	Louisiana	96	Hardin	90
2/16	Louisiana	80	Van Far	73
2/17	Louisiana	55	Palmyra	73
2/20	Louisiana	65	North Calloway	61
2/23	Louisiana	59	Warrenton	54
2/24	Louisiana	49	Centralia	60

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

LHS Bulldogs record 16-9

Won 1st place in the Pleasant Hill Tournament.

Won 2nd place in the Regional Tournament at North Callaway.

Darrell Chatman selected 1st TEAM ALL CONFERENCE and 2nd TEAM ALL DISTRICT

Kenny Pearl was selected 2nd TEAM ALL CONFERENCE

Pleasant Hill All-Tournament Team was: Darrell Chatman, Phil Eastman and Tom Wallace.

The Bulldogs' graduates are: Darrell Chatman — offense award; Kenny Pearl — defense award; Phil Eastman — rebound award; Eddie Gower — free throw award; and Roger Wommack.

Returning lettermen for the 1978-79 Bulldogs: Kevin Chatman — Most Improved Player Award, Mike Pearl, Tom Wallace — Hustle Award/Free Throw Award, Ken Peabody, Doug Waltman

Under second year Head Coach, Bill Blanton, the Bulldogs established a two year won-loss record of 29-19, won 1st place twice at Pleasant Hill, and made Louisiana High a respectable "Basketball Power" again.



## Boys' Track



Pictured above is the boys' track team. They are: D. Chatman, K. Pearl, K. Ward, second row; D. Giltner, P. Eastman, H. Gower, D. Sutton, D. Dewey, R. Scott, A. Penn, third row; B. Kieth, D. Sterne, T. Lee, A. Akers, T. Wallace, K. Peabody, J. Calvin, fourth row; Coach Cunningham, H. Sterne, B. Turner, S. Cunningham, B. Wallace, C. Morris, J. Clowers, F. Naxera, and Coach Blanton.

## Girls' Track

Pictured at the right is the girls' track team. They are: first row; V. Kuntz, J. Fritz, B. Silvey, V. Garth, second row; A. Stuhlman, S. Sencenbaugh, C. Fritz, L. Maxwell, K. Salmons, M. Greene, V. Burse, and Coach Miller. Not pictured are Alikea Oliver and Patty Turner.







### RECORDS

Bowling Green  
 Cansippi Relays  
 Pittsfield  
 Clopton  
 Monroe City Invitational  
 Clarence Cannon Meet  
 Mark Twain  
 District Meet\*  
 State Meet

Louisiana 3rd (4 schools)  
 Louisiana tied for 9th (22 schools)  
 Louisiana 3rd (3 schools)  
 Louisiana 55, Clopton 59  
 Louisiana 45h  
 Louisiana tied for 5th  
 Louisiana 51 Mark Twain 63

\*Sherri Sencenbaugh qualified for the State meet in the high jump with 4'11". Carolyn Fritz qualified in the discus with 94'10 1/2".

The letterwomen for this season were Valerie Kuntz, Jan Fritz, Bambi Silvey, Virginia Garth, Sherri Sencenbaugh, Carolyn Fritz, Lynette Maxwell, Kim Salmons, Melanie Green, Alika Oliver and Patty Turner.



## GIRLS' TRACK











## LETTERMEN

Front row: E. Gower, D. Giltner, P. Eastman, R. Wommack, K. Chatman, K. Pearl, K. Ward, D. Dewey, D. Sutton; second row: J. Washington, T. Lee, A. Akers, T. Wallace, K. Peabody, R. Scott, J. Calvin; third row; D. Sterne, B. Turner, A. Penn, H. Sterne.

### State Team

The track team tied for second place in the state; front: J. Washington, R. Wommack, D. Dewey, T. Wallace, A. Penn; second row: R. Scott, K. Pearl, M. Pearl; H. Sterne; back, Coach Blanton, P. Eastman, K. Chatman, Coach Cunningham, E. Gower.



### Record Setters

The record-setting relay team: R. Wommack, R. Scott, M. Pearl, K. Pearl.



# 1978 TRACK SEASON RESULTS

Dual Meet	Louisiana	86	Bowling Green 55
Monroe City Invitational	Louisiana	1st	(15 schools)
Quadrangular Meet	Louisiana	1st	
Montgomery City Invitational	Louisiana	1st	(16 schools)
Dual Meet	Louisiana	105	Clopton 36
Trangular Meet	Louisiana	1st	
Clarence Cannon Meet	Louisiana	1st	(8 schools)
Dual Meet	Louisiana	117	Mark Twain 30
District Meet	Louisiana	1st	(16 schools)
State Meet	Louisiana	tied	for 2nd (80 schools)

## TRACK AWARDS

Most Valuable Track Athlete	Eddie Gower Roger Wommack	Freshman Award	Alan Penn Billy Turner
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Spirit Award	Darrell Chatman
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### Decathlon Winnders:

team winner	20.0	1973	Kenny Pearl
senior winner			Kenny Pearl
junior winner			Mike Pearl
sophomore winner	6'3"	1974	Rick Scott
freshman winner			Billy Turner

### All-Conference Track Men:

Roger Wommack	100 yd. dash	10.1
	220 yd. dash	22.9
	880 relay	1:32.9
Eddie Gower	440 yd. dash	52.4
	2-mile relay	8:39.9
	mile relay	3:33.8
	pole vault	12'

Darrell Chatman	low hurdles	20.7
	high jump	6'2"
	Pole vault	12'

Kenny Pearl	low hurdles	20.6
	880 relay	1:32.9

Rick Scott	880 relay	1:32.9
	220 dash	23.1

Mike Pearl	880 relay	1:32.9
	mile relay	3:33.8

Dennis Dewey	2-mile relay	8:39.9
	mile relay	3:33.8

Tom Wallace	2-mile relay	8:39.9
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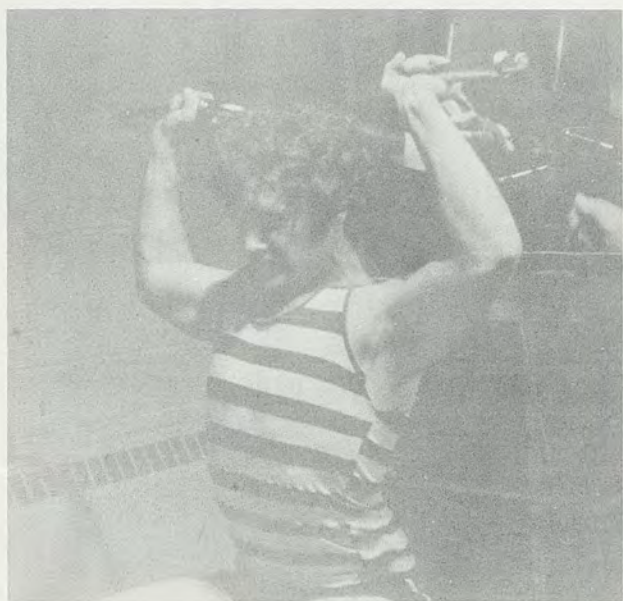
Alan Penn	2-mile relay	8:39.9
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### RECORDS

880 yd. relay set a new school and district record in time of 1:32.9. Team members were: Roger Wommack, Rick Scott, Mike Pearl and Kenny Pearl.  
Places at the State Meet were:

Roger Wommack	100 yd. dash	3rd
	220 yd. dash	3rd
	880 relay	2nd
Eddie Gower	440 yd. dash	4th
	mile relay	1st
Darrell Chatman	high jump	tied for 3rd
Mike Pearl	mile relay	1st
	880 relay	1st
Tom Wallace	mile relay	1st
Kenny Pearl	880 relay	2nd
Rick Scott	880 relay	2nd





## WEIGHT LIFTING

Pictured top left is a tower of strength that weighs in at over 3000 pounds. An example of their talent is illustrated as the lifters climbed to the top with strength for fun. Top right is Todd Geeson as he works toward a goal. Left is Paul Carroll trying his hardest.

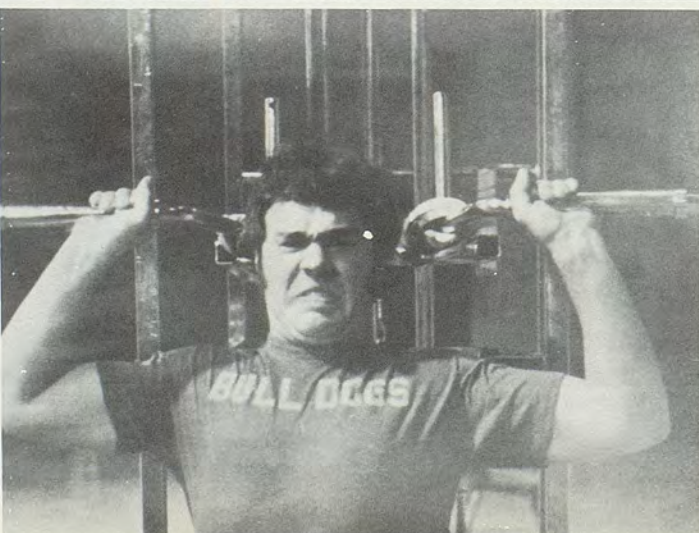
Pictured below are this year's lifters: front row, C. Powell, D. Campbell, J. Wilson, M. Rubemeyer, P. Carroll, B. Penrod; 2nd row, D. Sterne, D. Boehlein, J. Calvin, G. Gordon, T. Fowler, T. Geeson, J. Young, J. Brossia, J. Howard, C. Morris; 3rd row, J. Clowers, D. Wilson, B. Boston. Not pictured are F. Naxera and B. Wunderlich.



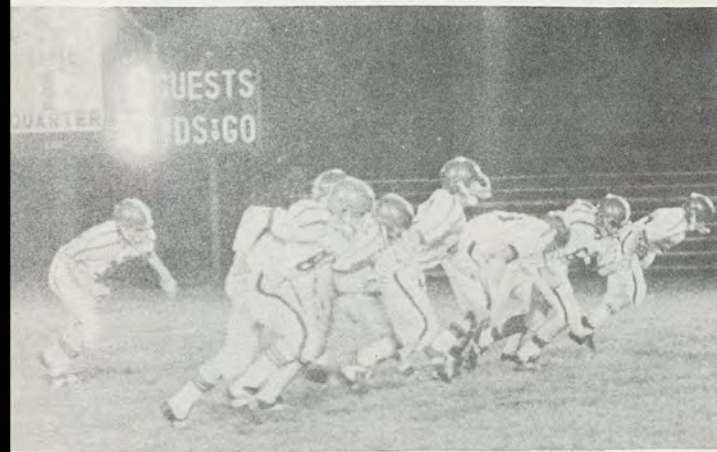




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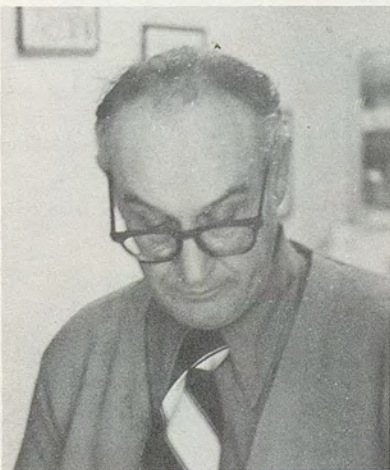






Mr. Donald E. Giltner, Principal

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Mr. Ed Blais, Counselor



Mrs. Florence Yeager, secretary



Mrs. Cleo Ransdell, secretary





After 17 years of teaching at LHS, Mrs. Griffith has decided to retire so that she will have more time for her family and other interests. She has sponsored four classes from freshman to graduation. During 1977-78, she sponsored NHS. Mrs. Griffith said that she plans to work as a substitute teacher because she would miss the contact with the students and the exchange of ideas. She said that knowledge of the subject matter, understanding, and patience are important qualities of a good teacher.

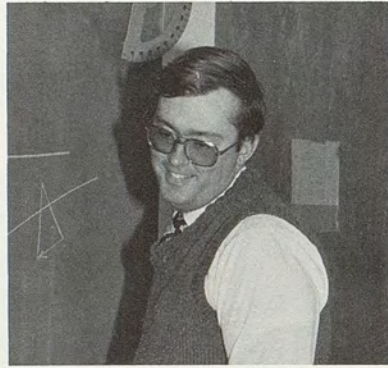
Beth Ambra  
Vocational Adjustment

Jack Behle  
Mathematics

Imogene Behringer  
Business Education



Bill Blanton  
Art



Dan Christy  
Instrumental Music



Bill Cunningham  
Social Studies  
Athletic Director



Peggy Farmer  
History, Spanish



Priscilla Giltner  
English, Speech



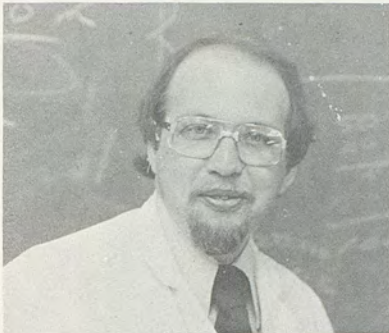
Jane Greer  
English





The true teacher defends his pupils against his own personal influence. He inspires self-trust. He guides their eyes from himself to the spirit that quickens him. He will have no disciple.  
Amos Bronson Alcott 1799-1888

J. Michael Griffith  
science



Tony Gschwender  
physical education



Wilma Harkrader  
history



Aaron Hemphill  
industrial arts



Jane Henry  
business education



David Hunter  
science



Gloria Jacobia  
librarian



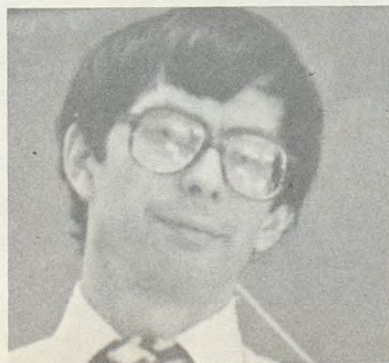
Sally Keithley  
French



Jon Larson  
drivers education



Gary McKiddy  
English, social studies, drama



David Maddox  
mathematics



Kenneth Niemeyer  
vocational agriculture







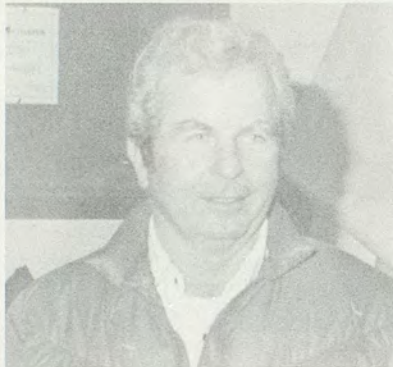
Karen Sajban  
Vocal Music



Les Viehmann  
Physical Education



Kathy Woolfolk  
Home Economics



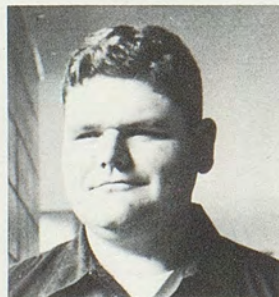
Frank McCrorey  
Vocational Agriculture

The supreme end of education is expert discernment in all things - the power to tell the good from the bad, the genuine from the counterfeit, and to prefer the good and genuine to the bad and the counterfeit.

Samuel Johnson(1709-1784)

Pictured below is the supporting staff. These members of the LHS system are greatly needed and appreciated each day school is in session. Their jobs are important and they do support the school. Left, Mary Haddock, nurse; lower left, Arthur Hampton, maintenance; lower center, Richard Miller, custodian; below, Jean Stark, Irene Miles and Nina Lawrence, cooks.

## SUPPORTING STAFF



"It is because of devotion or sacrifice of individuals that causes become of value.

Julian Huxley









Sitting: Rasheda Hodges, Linda Robinson, Babette Munson, Standing: Kathy Carlton, Debra Gordon, Kim Salmons, Kevin Hampton, Mary Beth Eipper, Rodney Todd, Teresa Wilson, Tom Wallace, Marsha Powell, Peter Darroch, Connie Dillender, Scott Traynor, Todd Geeson, Dana Hope, Pam Starman, Doug Waltman, Billy Wallace, Lynnette Maxwell

## STUDENT COUNCIL

Student Council represents the interests of students before the administration. It is to advise students of their responsibility to keep their school a respectable and admirable educational environment. Student Council also raises money for the betterment of the school.

This year the council welcomed new students and freshmen and served as guides around the school. They gave their efforts during Homecoming Week by judging themes, helping with the

parade and by sponsoring the coronation and dance.

At Christmas they decorated a tree outside and one in the cafeteria. They held small paper drives, laboriously collecting old papers and IBM cards to sell for recycling.

Each month the council prepared the calendar of events and reported to home rooms after meetings. They sold candy before and after school.

The council helped finance AFS student, Peter Darroch, from New

Zealand. They also sponsored singing valentines and the turkey-of-the-month contest (with Mr. Hunter the obvious winner.) They installed a soda machine and added to the stage curtain fund.

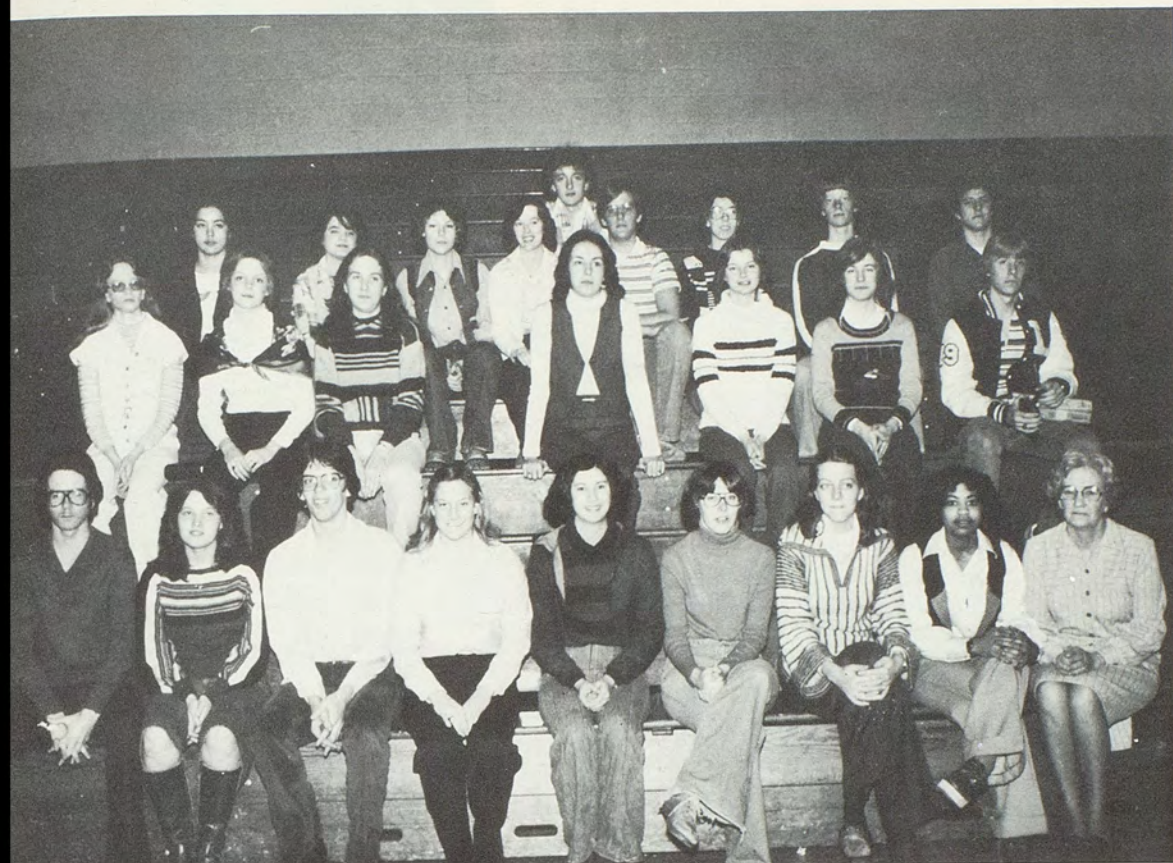
Finally, the council sent members to state and conference meetings. They got permission for outside lunch, started a smoke patrol and installed smoke alarms in the restrooms, in response to student requests.

Members of Student Council were:  
 Rodney Todd, president  
 Kim Salmons, vice-president  
 Connie Dillender, secretary-treasurer  
 Kevin Hampton, AFS representative  
 Peter Darroch, AFS student  
 Tom Wallace, AFS brother  
 Mary Beth Eipper, Senior Class president  
 Teresa Wilson, Senior Class representative  
 Linda Robinson, Senior Class representative  
 Rasheda Hodges, Senior Class representative

Doug Waltman, Junior Class president  
 Scott Traynor, Junior Class representative  
 Marsha Powell, Junior Class representative  
 Babette Munson, Junior Class representative  
 Todd Geeson, Sophomore Class president  
 Lynette Maxwell, Sophomore Class representative  
 Debra Gordon, Sophomore Class representative  
 David Campbell, Sophomore Class representative  
 Dana Hope, Freshman Class president  
 Kathy Carlton, Freshman Class representative  
 Billy Wallace, Freshman Class representative



# N H S



National Honor Society is based on leadership, citizenship, service and scholarship. Members pictured are; front, P. Ince, C. Dillender, D. Dewey, K. Fry, D. Poor, L. Robinson, J. Dewey, R. Hodges, Mrs. Griffith, sponsor. Middle, N. Crowder, J. Law, C. Elliott, E. Behringer, K. Tallman, M. Eipper, D. Waltman. Back, A. Oliver, L. LaRue, F. Chapuis, M. Powell, C. Owens, G. Love, T. Griffith. Last, D. Giltner.

## STUDENT LIBRARIANS

Student librarians receive training in library science. They assist the staff librarians in their duties and give help to students. Pictured are; front, V. Garth, J. Strode; back, Mrs. Ransdale, J. Hodges, Miss Jacobia, C. Sitton, T. Wilson.





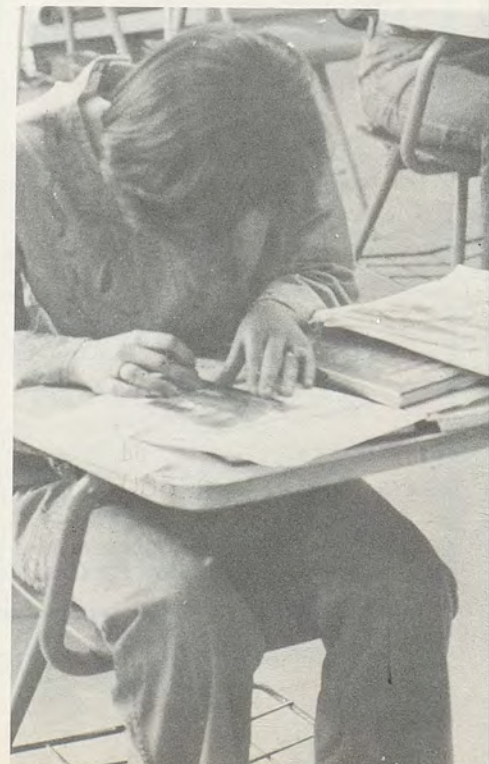


Front; T. Ince. Second row; L. Bernhardt, V. Mitts, V. Bauman; Third row; K. Mitts, C. Sitton, K. Carleton, J. Penrod, L. Robbins; behind, C. Loesing; above, K. Culhane, C. Sterne. Not pictured, M. Bail.

The actual production of the Alamo is more than taking pictures. It requires hours of technical work, frustration, despair, and an occasional triumph. The staff consists of a group of volunteers who spend their spare time working on layouts, taking pictures, writing copy, and selling ads. Their dedication and enthusiasm helped to make Alamo the success that it is. A special thanks to the Highlights class and to Elizabeth Behringer, Anita Henry, Lori Jameson and Melanie Greer for special assistance.



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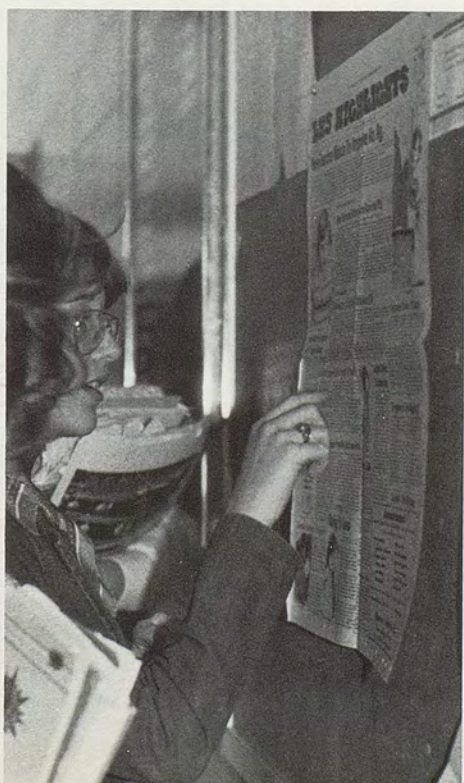




# HIGHLIGHTS

Responsible for producing the school newspaper are: front, T. Waddell, reporter, L. Bernhardt, managing editor; second row, T. Ince, photographer, A. Smith, W. Parsons, L. Umfleet, reporters; back, L. Robbins, darkroom manager, C. Sitton, editor, E. Serandos, S. Henderson, J. Penrod, reporters, M. Stewart, asst. editor, S. Franklin, S. Wilson, S. Travis, K. Page, C. Sterne, reporters.

The reporter's job begins with an assignment from the editor, followed by a series of struggles to obtain information. The staff is faced with interviewing reluctant and sometimes angry informants, waiting (and waiting) for faculty members to disclose facts, meeting deadlines and even taking on an assignment at the last minute. They encounter resentment, attempted censorship and technical problems. The 1977-78 class set a precedent by being the first Highlights class to prepare page layouts and write headlines. The editors fought an unceasing battle to adhere to journalistic rules and produce a paper of quality.





# Language Club



Language Club is made up of students who are interested in other countries and foreign languages. The only requirement for membership is to be in a Spanish or French class. At the meetings, speakers tell about a country they visited or lived in. This year, the speakers and the countries they talked about were: D. Whipple, Germany; P. Rubemeyer, France; P. Darroch, New Zealand; and Mr. McKiddy, Egypt.

This year's officers were: M. Bronson, president; N. Cadwallader, Spanish vice president; K. Fry, French vice president; D. Whipple, secretary; and N. Crowder, treasurer.

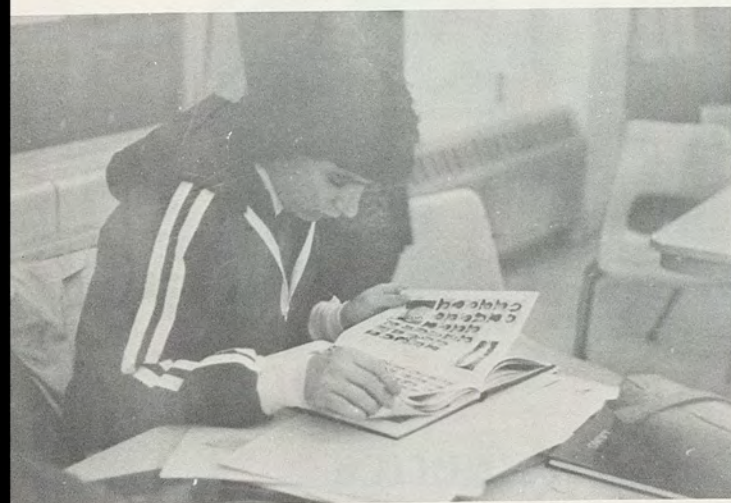
This year's members are: first row, L. Robinson, P. Rubemeyer, L. Woods, R. Elliott, V. Garth, Mrs. Farmer, W. Ludwig, M. Bronson; second row, D. Foor, E. Fry, J. Hodges, R. Hodges, L. Maxwell; third row; K. Fry, M. Nickels, J. Weese, D. Waltman; fourth row; C. Dudley, D. Hope, M. Wagner, K. Benson, R. Spencer; fifth row; M. Sencenbaugh, D. Whipple, F. Chapuis, L. Phillips, P. Turner, D. Skirvin, K. Salmons, M. Eipper, A. Myers; sixth row, C. Fritz, P. Smith, L. LaRue, M. Powell, S. Henderson, B. Munson, C. Owens, K. Tallman, E. Behringer.



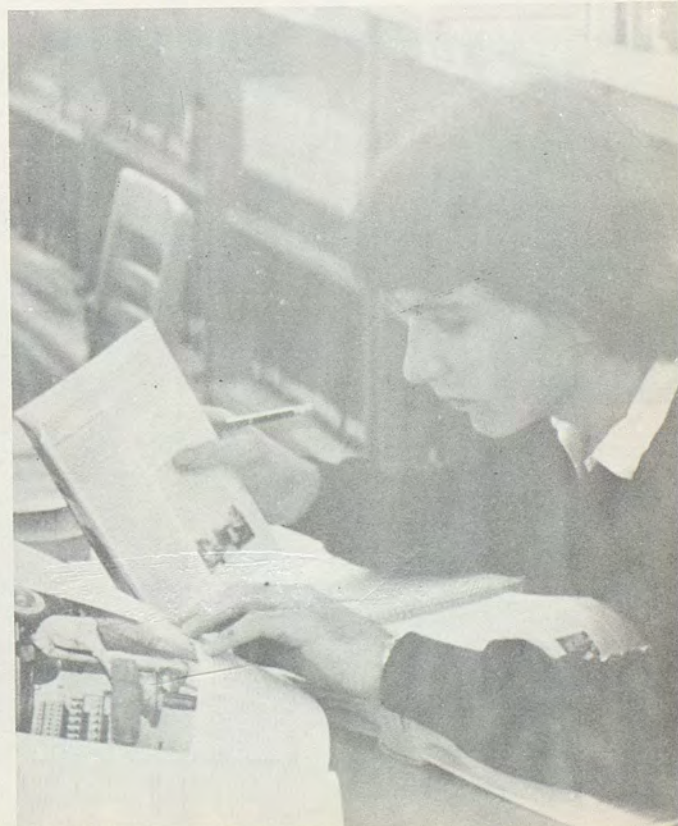


# American Field Service

Peter Darroch, from New Zealand, lived with the Wallaces. His classes were English IV (CP), speech, American history, accounting, world history, biology, and study hall. He participated in Student Council and Pep Club. Peter said he applied for an AFS scholarship because he wanted to experience a different lifestyle. However, "American and New Zealand cultures are so similar, that there wasn't much of a culture shock."



Being an AFS student is meeting, people, making friends, studying, and leaving a part of yourself in the minds of those you knew.





# Future Homemakers Of America

The FHA motto; "Toward New Horizons", expresses the purpose of the organization and the emblem symbolizes that American homes of the future are in the hands of its youth. The main goal of FHA is learning to live better today in order that homemaking may be better

tomorrow.

Members pictured below are: C. Woods, Mrs. Woolfolk, R. Claypole, F. Chapuis, N. Cadwallader, J. Hall, K. McFarland, J. Branstetter and C. Sitton.



# Future Teachers Of America

FTA helps students to understand teaching as a career. It allows them to observe and actually teach in classrooms. They can help teachers whenever they are needed. Many do not plan to teach, but they can apply what they learn to other vocations.

From a membership of 34, pictured below are: standing, V. Baumann, V. Mitts, J. Denny, V. Garth, R. Cox, S. Wilson, D. Whipple, D. Giltner, K. Fry, C. Dillender, E. Onik, J. Law, S. Sexton, J. Young, and Mrs. Giltner, sponsor.







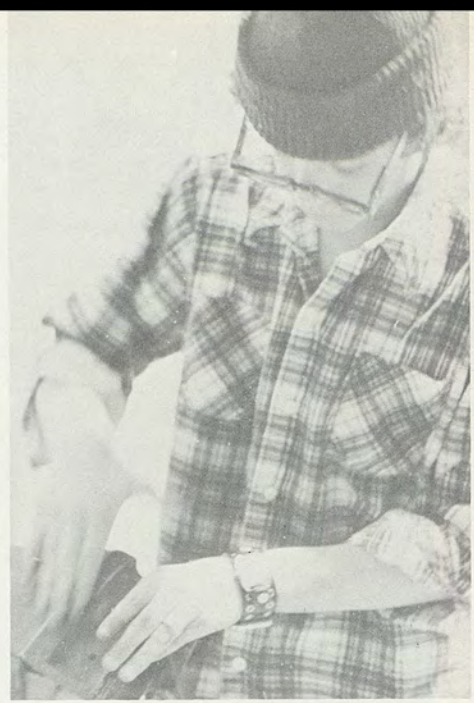
# FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Row 1: Mr. McCrory, first semester adviser; J. Ince, sentinel; J. Pitzer, treas.; C. Sitton, president; T. Waddell, V-president; R. Penrod, secretary; P. Love, reporter. Row 2: C. Fritz, S. Penrod, M. Murry, L. Floyd, R. Wommack, K. Pearl, A. Crow, R. Murry, K. Kilby, Row 3: K. Elliott, T. Ince, A. Akers, L. Phillips, D. Skirvin, D. Griffith, R. Stoops, M. Farris, K. Johnson, Row 4: C. Wheeler, C. Wharton, E.

Swarnes, L. McCormick, R. Elliot, R. Welch, D. Murry, P. Murry, D. Rubemeyer. Row 5: C. Motley, C. Turbough, K. Pruitt, S. Travis, M. Bail, A. Betts, F. Naxera, and R. Hopkins. Pictured below; upper left; Trap Team #3, upper right, Trap Team #2; Trap Team #1; lower left; delegation to State Convention with second semester Adviser, Mr. Niemeier.

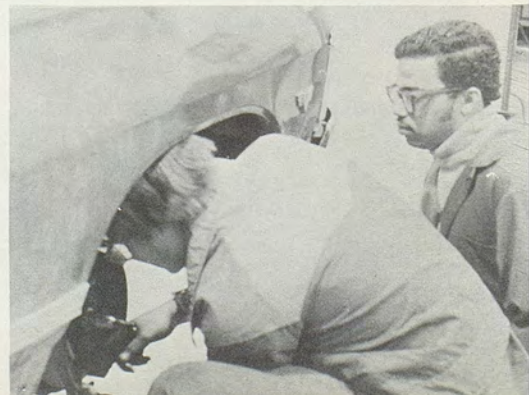
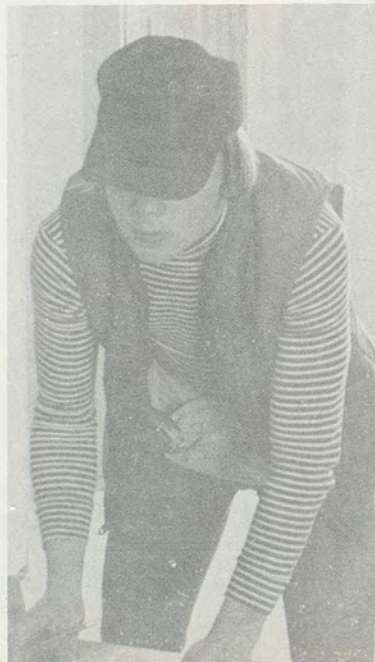
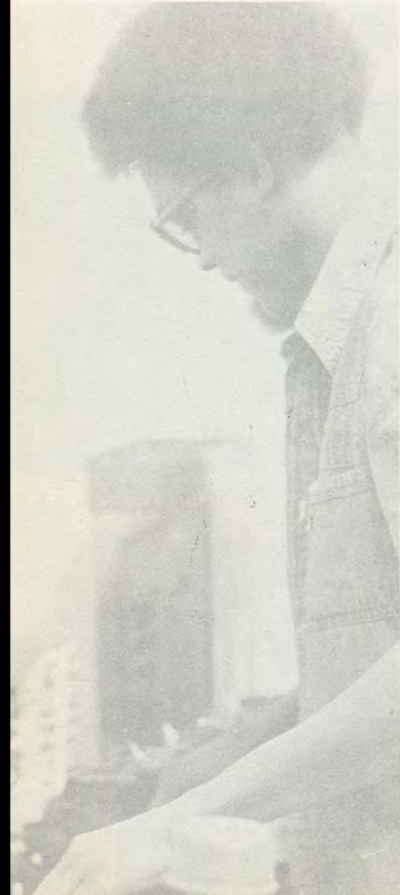






About forty students learned how to use the tools and methods of various trades at the Area Vocational School at Eolia. Classes included auto mechanics, health occupations, child care, building trades, heating and air conditioning, and welding.

After a quick lunch at LHS, the bus headed every day for an afternoon of training in occupational skills.

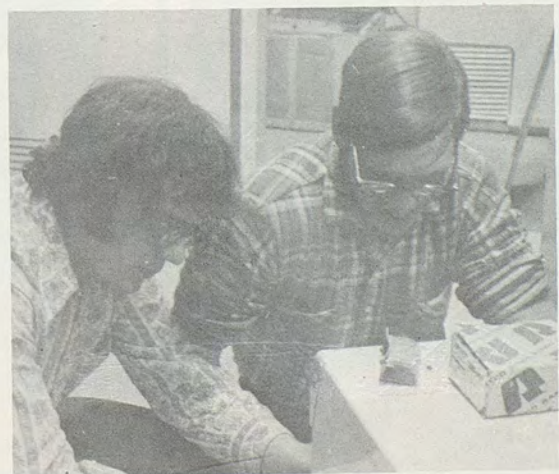
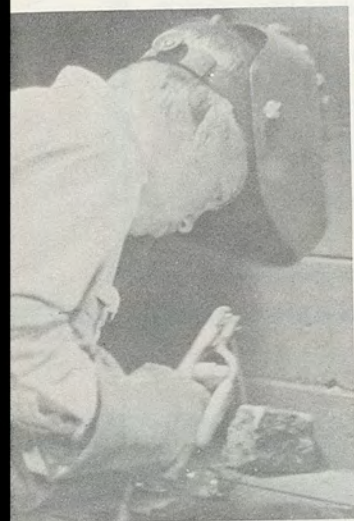






## AREA VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Front row: K. Chatman, T. Hampton, B. Moore, B. Florence, M. Shade, S. Brown, J. Stoddard, D. Darnell, L. Taylor, R. Darnell, R. Adams. Second row: M. Elliott, C. Elliott, A. Akers, J. Pitzer, K. Johnson, C. Ray, P. Wilson, B. Wunderlick, J. Griffith, Jon Culhane, B. Buchanan, M. Murry, R. Murry, M. Pearl, J. Benning. On bus: K. Early, J. Brown, D. Chatman, M. Brown.





# L-Club



L-Club is for athletes who have achieved a high individual goal in sports. It is a great honor that is not for all athletes. They must first meet the requirements set by the coaches and then must pass an initiation set up by the present L-Club members. This is a club for a select group of hard-working dedicated sportsmen.

First row: S. Meyers, B. Gordon, D. Dewey, D. Sutton, E. Gower, M. Rubemeyer, R. Todd, G. Gordon, Coach Gschwender; Second row; J. Oliver, W. Ludwig, M. Shade, D. Giltner, P. Eastman; Third row; T. Lee, J. Washington, B. Wunderlich, T. Wallace, A. Akers, K. Peabody; Fourth row; D. Sterne, J. Calvin, H. Sterne, B. Buchanan, D. Waltman.





## Future Scientists Of America



FSA is a club for students who have scientific interests. Specialists in scientific related fields from the community were guest speakers for the club. The speakers explained their jobs and the courses they took in high school and college to prepare for their field of work. FSA members are from a science or math class and attend monthly meetings.

Front: M. Horton, K. Neuman, J. Weese, T. Wilhoit, D. Gordon, E. Fry; Middle: Mr. Behle, B. Martin, B. Schroeder, R. Cox, K. Carlton, D. Hope; Back: D. Poor, C. Dillender, K. Fry, D. Dewey, F. Chapuis, A. Cox. Not pictured: L. Stuerman, A. Smith, A. Henry, S. Capps, J. Pelikan, S. Sexton, J. Penrod, D. Sutton, T. Stuerman, P. Ince, M. Powell, A. Gardaphe, M. Greer, L. Jamieson.

## PEP CLUB



Pep Club stands behind the Bulldogs with enthusiasm. Junior-Senior; Front: B. Branstetter, S. Henderson, N. Naxera, D. Whipple, E. Onik, A. Meyers, Second; K. Elliot, V. Starkey, N. Crowder, N. Cadwalader, S. Sexton, V. Mitts, J. Law, D. Poor, Third: K. McFarland, V. Baumann, K. Fry, S. Powell, L. Robinson, D. Woods, J. Denny, C. Dillender. Freshman-Sophomore: Front: B. Silvey, V. Garth, E. Fry, A. Henry, T. Wilhoit, M. Nickles, K. Robbins, L. Woods, R. Elliott, Second: V. Kuntz, D. Gordon, W. Salmons, K. Mitts, L. Jamison, S. Meyers, R. Spencer, A. Stuhlman, S. Robbins, C. Woods, Third: J. Weese, J. Fritz, L. Hayden, K. Bronson, A. Gardaphe, K. Benson, J. Phillips, M. Wagner, C. White, S. Capps, M. McCarty.





## On the Job Training

OJT allows students in secretarial and office practice classes a chance to put their skills to work in real job experiences. Bringing students and local businesses together benefits the school and community.

Secretarial Practice; above, front row: Elizabeth Behringer, Cynde Love. 2nd row: Mrs. Henry, Veneita Starkey, Natalie Crowder, Vicky Mitts.

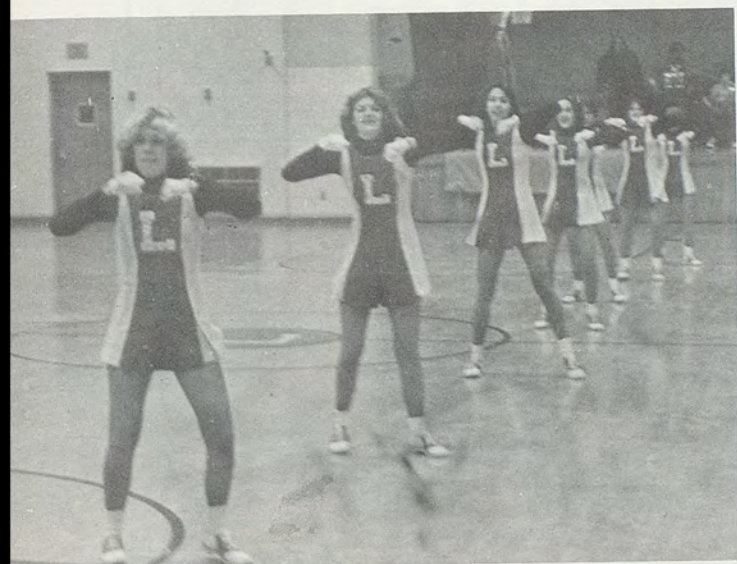
Office Practice; below, front row: Teresa Wilson, Shan Penrod, Cindy Sitton, 2nd row: Kim Moore, Nancy Cadwallader, Kernell McFarland, Tammy Pursiful, Caye Wheller, Kim Page, Sarah Travis; not pictured, Vicki Baumann, Barbara Love.



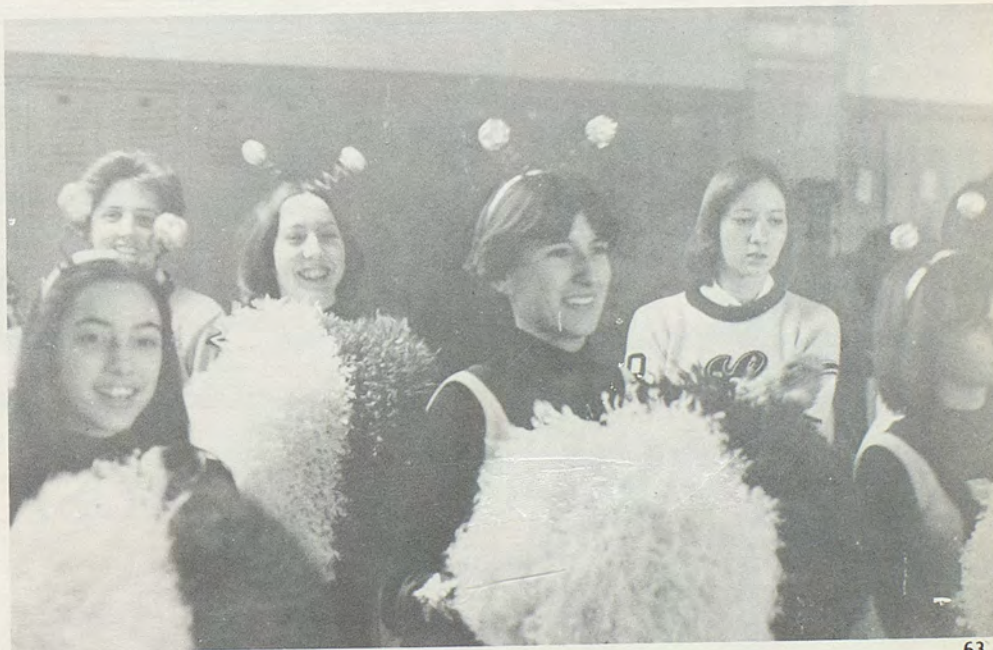




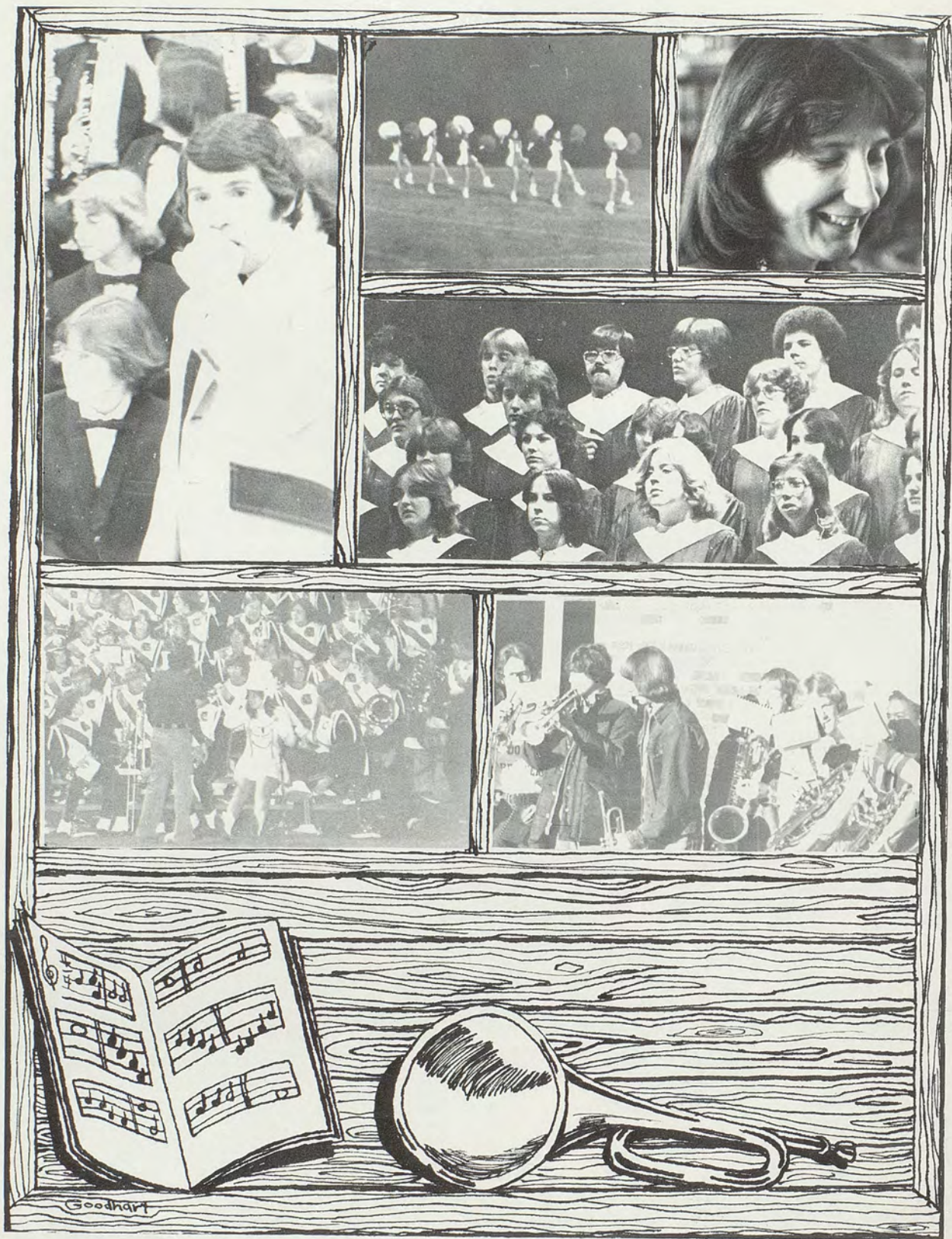
POM PON GIRLS: front, Rena Bland, Janice Clark; middle, Sandy Henderson, Elizabeth Behringer; back, Babette Munson, Susan Giltner, Bambi Silvey, Jennifer Marsh.



## Pom Pon Girls







## BAND and MUSIC





## MARCHING BAND

Each day the marching band members headed out to the football field to practice for the half-time shows. Many times the weather was cold, actually making it painful to play the instruments. Other times the band had to literally wade through puddles and mud to practice, (still marching in step!)

Many bands in this area simply played a concert, but the LHS band presented a new visually interesting show each time. The precision drills were time consuming and required great amounts of patience and coordination on the part of both band members and instructor.



On the days that weather made it impossible to go outside, Mr. Christy insisted that the band learn more music that would be used at later dates. Not a minute was spared for the thought of relaxation.

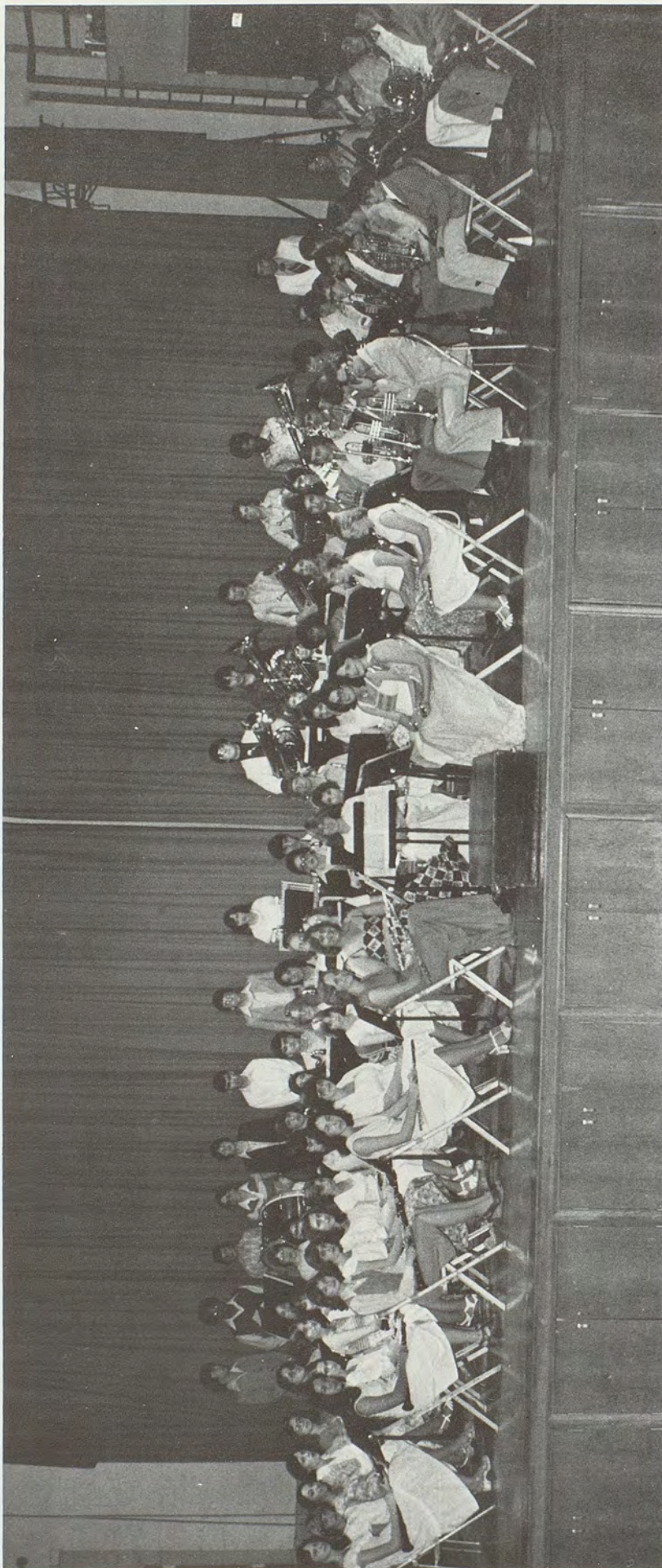
The members enjoyed getting on to the streets to practice for the Homecoming parade. For one week there was no mud . . . just hard concrete!

Band members walked to second period feeling tired, wind blown, sometimes wet and muddy, sometimes hot and sticky, but more than that, feeling like they had done something that not everyone can do! After long weeks of hard practice they looked forward to performing for the public.





# LHS Band In Concert



CONCERT BAND: PICCOLO, J. Marsh; FLUTES, J. Law, E. Behringer, M. Cox, K. Giltner, S. Henderson, J. Marsh, E. Onik, S. Reid, P. Rubemeyer, J. Strode, A. Stuhlman, V. Waltman; OBOES, B. Munson, C. Dillender; Bb SOPRANO CLARINETS: K. Tallman, K. Benson, R. Bland, K. Carlton, J. Clark, P. Early, S. Ehinger, M. Eipper, S. Giltner, J. Johnson, P. Murry, M. McCarty, A. Oliver, S. Powell, L. Robinson, B. Silvey, C. Sterne, T. Wilhoit; BASS CLARINETS: V. Mitts, V. Garth, M. Jackson; CONTRA BASS CLARINET: A. Painter; ALTO SAXOPHONES: T. Griffiths, D. Campbell, D. Murry, C. Powell, D. Rubemeyer, S. Schroeder; FRENCH HORNS: M. Rubemeyer, M. Greene, T.

Ince, K. Neumann; B CORNETS: P. Ince, D. Brown, A. Cox, D. Fancher, E. Gower, T. Lee, B. Martin, J. Meyers, J. Minnihan, R. Penrod, P. Renner, B. Sladek, T. Stuerman, S. Travis, B. Turner, T. Wallace, C. Wheeler, D. Wolff; TROMBONES: J. Brossia, T. Bokor, M. Carrera, K. Peabody; BARITONE HORNS: B. Keith, J. Oliver, L. Stuerman; TUBAS: J. Washington, J. Benning, W. Ludwig, J. Martin, D. Swanson; PERCUSSION: S. Traynor, K. Brown, T. Brown, P. Eastman, D. Grover, D. Painter, B. Wallace, K. Ward, R. Wommack; TIMPANI: M. Powell.



With band tests over, concert band started to unfold its talents. Band started school the same way every day. Instruments were put together, tuned, and then began 45 minutes of practicing the music to near perfection. And there were contests for individuals to enter; all-conference, all-district, and all-state bands. (details on page 68)

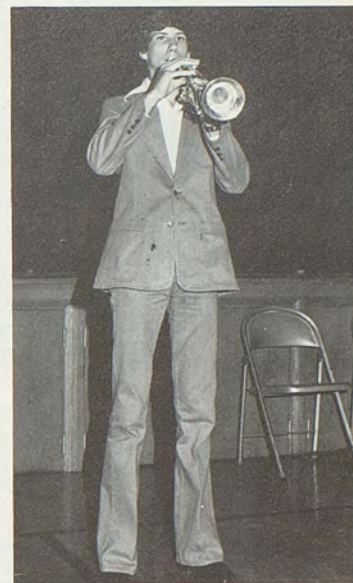
Then concert band performed its magical music to an awestricken audience of parents and other supporters at the winter concert.

More practicing followed for contest in Mexico. It was Nervewracking because the band had a record of about 14 one-ratings in their past. Ensembles and soloists were also selected, with rehearsals weekly before or after school.

Contest was a disappointment. No matter how hard the band practiced and no matter how good they performed, their two pieces (not to mention the sight reading) received a 2+ rating, marring the school record.

When spring concert music was given out, there were groans heard among the band students. They were soon hushed though, as the musicians began to look over the music and got down to business again. Finally the night came when they were on stage again, ready to perform. There were murmurs heard from the audience until the lights dimmed. A strange hush, and then total silence, and the band was again a success! After intermission, the ensembles and soloists played their pieces.

The next day in band the musicians wondered what they would do until the end of the semester. The answer? Practice ... for Baccalaureate and Commencement. Practice only ended when Baccalaureate and Commencement were over. It was over ... at least until summer band started.







The band is proud to present ALL DISTRICT BAND: front, A. Painter, S. Giltner; back, V. Garth, K. Tallman, J. Washington, J. Marsh. K. Tallman was the only band member to make ALL STATE BAND.



ENSEMBLES and SOLOISTS: front, E. Onik, J. Marsh, J. Law, L. Robinson, M. Eipper; 2nd row, P. Ince, E. Behringer, K. Tallman, K. Giltner, P. Rubemeyer, D. Wolff; 3rd row, V. Garth, D. Brown, J. Washington, A. Oliver, S. Giltner, W. Turner.

ALL CONFERENCE BAND: front, J. Clark, V. Mitts, J. Marsh, L. Robinson, B. Munson, K. Neumann; 2nd row, E. Behringer, K. Tallman, P. Rubemeyer, K. Carlton, T. Wilhoit; 3rd row, T. Griffith, V. Garth, J. Washington, A. Oliver, W. Turner.

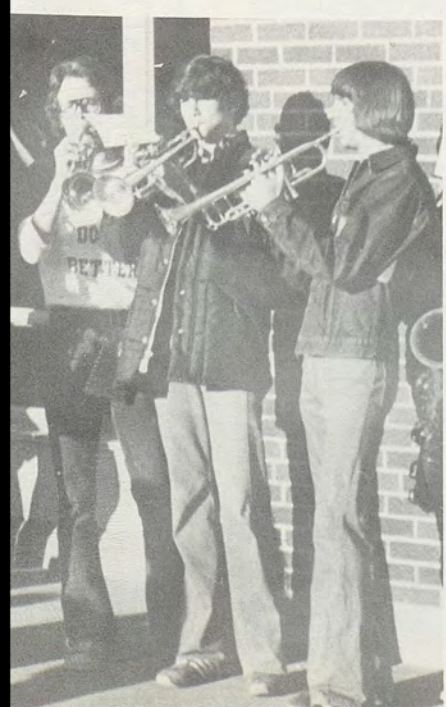
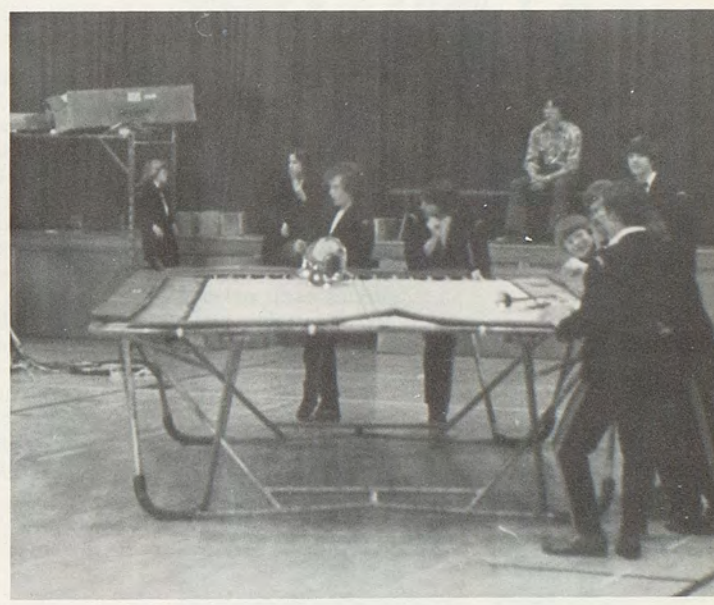




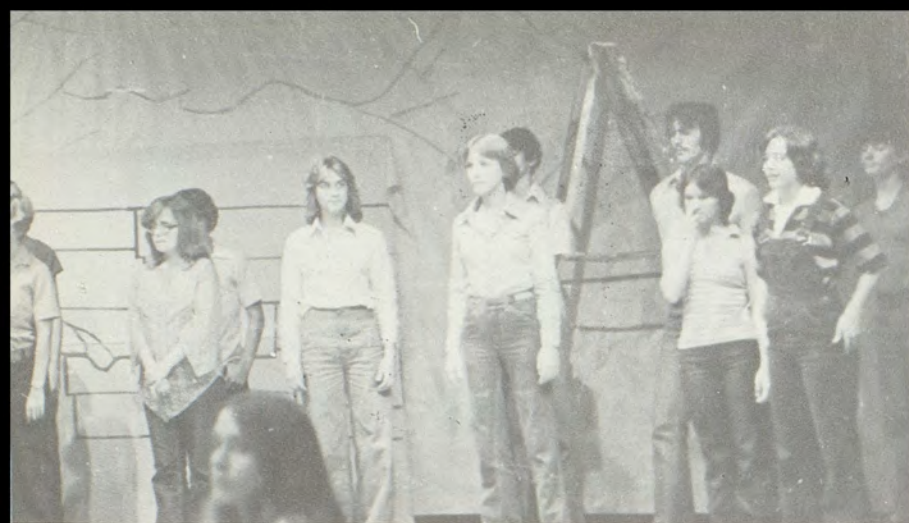


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KEY OF LIFE

The year in vocal music was a variety of things. To some who just wanted to goof around, it was an "easy" one-half credit. But for students who wanted to expand their talent, vocal music was a challenge. At the beginning of the school year there were tryouts held for "Fiddler" and for Conference and Chamber Choir. After the musical was over the group began preparing for a Christmas concert.

After Christmas there were small groups picked to sing for spring concert as well as for district ratings at Mexico. There were volunteers for solos. The music classes then practiced two selections as a mixed choir and two pieces each as boys and girls choir. These three groups sang both at Mexico and the spring concert. After the big trip to Mexico (and lost robes, sad and happy faces), practice began for Baccalaureate. Seniors in choir began practicing for Commencement.

The year was very busy for the music students who wanted to get involved. There were many things, exciting and new, which happened. They will be remembered and reminisced about long into the future by the students and their teacher, Miss Sajban.

IN THE AIR

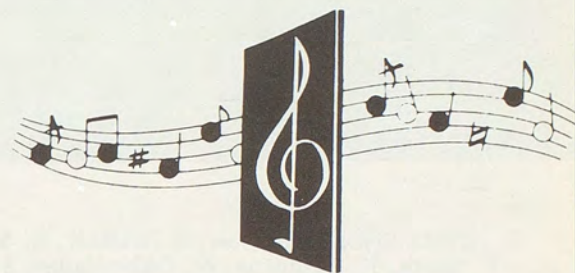
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IN MUSIC





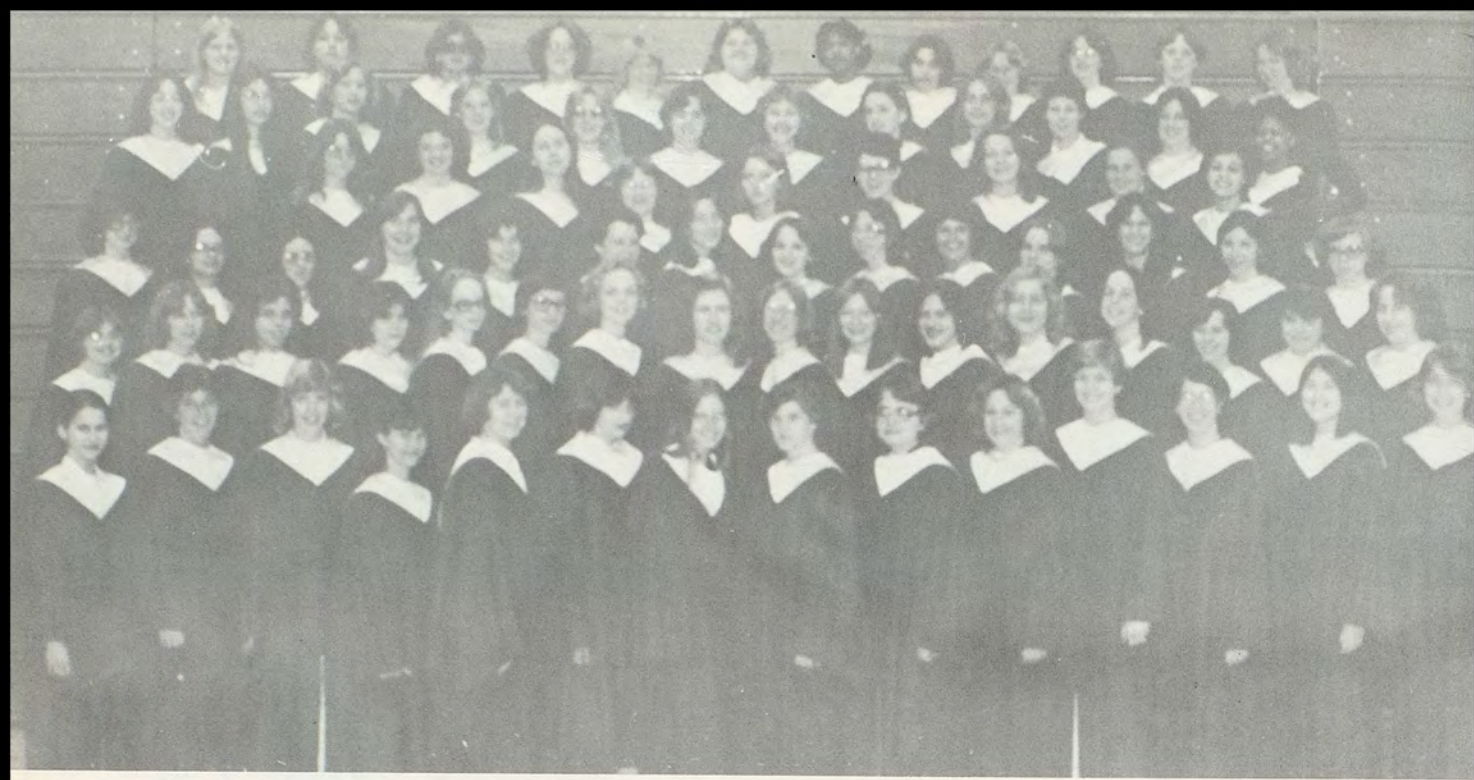


## Music

Below: Miss Karen Sajban, music teacher, in a typical pose.





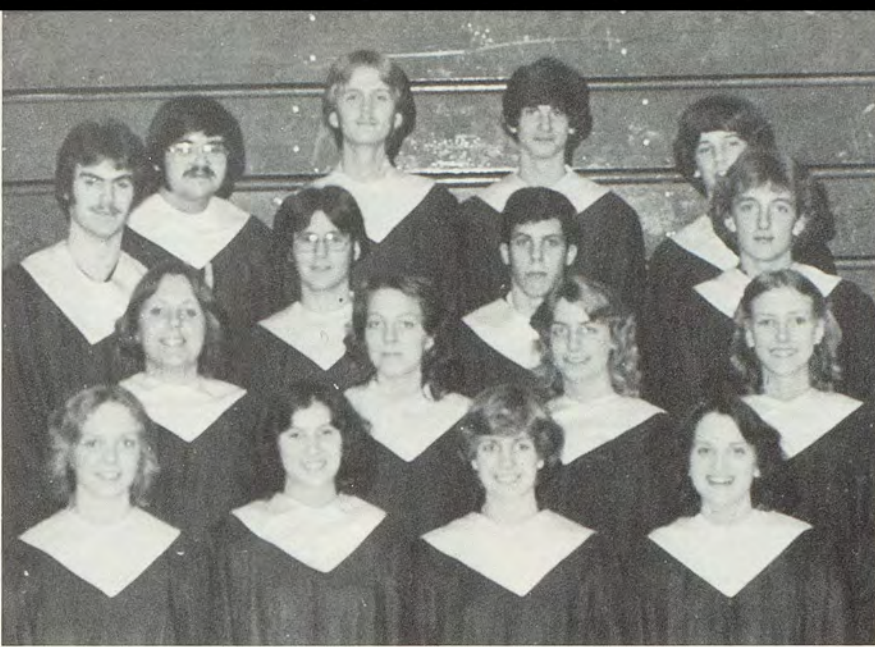


**GIRLS CHOIR:** first row, T. Wilhoit, E. Serandos, M. McCarty, M. Smith, K. Page, T. Jeffries, J. Phillips, P. Smith, K. Neumann, N. Cadwallader, S. Sexton, G. Love, S. Myers, A. Gardaphe; second row, K. Robbins, K. Moore, L. Rauffer, L. Umfleet, N. Crowder, K. Carlton, J. Law, M. Eipper, S. Reid, R. Ruffin, L. Joseph, M. Horton, M. Nickels, M. Powell, L. Larve, T. Pursifull; third row, J. Balscik, J. Branstetter, P. Minor, P. Turner, D. Poor, R. Claypole, N. Irvin, B. Munson, D. Woods, E. England, K. Mitts, D. England, M. Wagner, R. Cox; fourth row; R. Miller, S. Henderson, S. Travis, J. Johnson, B. Martin, J. Weese, J. Denny, K. Fry, L. Quattrocchi, K. Salmons; fifth row, D. Hughlett, B. Love, K. Kucera, V. Baumann, V. Mitts, D. Gordon, J. Penrod, M. Greer, N. Naxera, F. Chapuis, S. Powell, W. Salmons; sixth row, T. Wood, E. Onik, L. Phillips, P. Smith, P. Hawkins, M. Sencenbaugh, J. Hodges, S. Penrod, V. Kuntz.

**BOYS CHOIR:** first row, B. Gillis, S. Johnson, L. Robbins, J. Martin, D. Swenson, B. Griffith; second row, B. Keith, S. Cunningham, D. Giltner, J. Wilson, T. Ray, D. Campbell, C. Slater; third row, B. Turner, R. Todd, G. Gordon, C. Owens, K. Hampton, D. Brown, T. Ince; fourth row; J. Clowers, J. Minihan, R. Schroeder, D. Boehlein, T. Fowler, B. Martin, D. Weese, D. Waltman.







Chamber Choir was a group of talented singers who tried out at the beginning of the year. They prepared and sang music for organizations and churches. They received a 1 rating at contest in Mexico. CHAMBER CHOIR singers: front, J. Law, D. Poor, S. Sexton, B. Munson; 2nd row, E. Onik, J. Denny, N. Naxera, J. Penrod; 3rd row, R. Todd, B. Griffith, J. Wilson, D. Giltner; 4th row, B. Martin, K. Hampton, B. Turner, B. Keith.

## Vocal Music Groups

**SOLOISTS:** 15 brave people sang solos for spring concert and competed for district ratings at Mexico. They were: K. Neumann, D. Giltner, S. Sexton, J. Wilson, B. Gordon, N. Naxera, J. Denny, R. Todd, E. Onik, B. Griffith, K. Hampton, G. Gordon, B. Martin, D. Poor, L. Robbins.

**SMALL GROUPS:** Vocal music class members tried out for positions in small groups which were to sing at Mexico and the spring concert. Groups making a 1 rating were eligible for state contest. Members who made small groups were: L. Quattrochi, F. Chapuis, M. Powell, M. Eipper, D. Waltman, L. Robbins, D. Campbell, B. Martin, J. Law, E. Onik, S. Sexton, J. Denny, B. Munson, J. Pen-

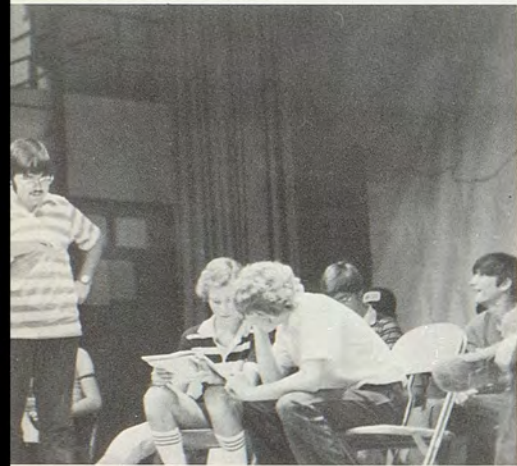
rod, B. Griffith, D. Giltner, K. Hampton, B. Keith, M. Horton, J. Weese, K. Neumann, M. Nickels, D. Gordon, M. Greer, K. Robbins, S. Robbins, M. Wagner, A. Stuhlman, R. Claypole, T. Wilhoit, K. Carlton, W. Slamons, A. Gardaphe, L. Umfleet, D. Swenson, J. Martin, B. Turner, D. Poor, N. Naxera, K. Kucera, P. Turner, D. Woods, R. Cox, T. Ince, G. Gordon, C. Owens, J. Wilson.



**CONFERENCE and DISTRICT CHOIR:** Singers who made this honor had to compete against talented students from other schools. Choir members were: front, B. Munson, D. Poor, S. Sexton, J. Penrod, F. Chapuis, M. Powell; 2nd row, J. Law, E. Onik, K. Hampton, B. Griffith, L. Robbins; 3rd row, R. Todd, B. Martin, T. Ince, B. Turner, D. Giltner.



# Fiddler on the Roof



"Fiddler on the Roof," the fall musical, played Nov. 11 and 12. The setting was a small Jewish community in pre-revolutionary Russia. In the play, a father, Tevye, faces the fact that his five daughters do not value the traditions he has always depended on.

"Fiddler" was the one track of many of the cast's minds for several months. Practice became a hassle, conflicting with homework, clubs and television. Many were quoting lines and doing comical dance steps down the halls of school. Before opening night principal cast members performed excerpts of the show for many clubs to create public interest in the production.

As the first big night approached there were deadlines for everything: lines to be memorized, dances and songs learned to perfection, costumes made, sets built and painted. Backstage people changed sets, prompted lines and raised the morale of the actors. Without them the play would have been mass confusion. Make-up was an ordeal, especially to the boys, many of whom had to wear beards. Some actually played football the next day, their still made-up faces confounding the opposing team.

Karen Sajban was director, Linda Thomalla, choreographer. Stage managers were Melanie Greer and Kim Salmons. Ketta Fry was props chairman. Mrs. Keithley directed make-up.







Principal CAST: TEVYE, K. Hampton, GOLDE, J. Law, TZEITEL, D. Poor, HADEL, L. Quattrocchi, CHAVA, S. Sexton, SHPRINTZE, D. Gordon, BIELKE, M. Powell. MATCHMAKER, E. Onik, TAILOR, L. Robbins, PERCHIK, R. Todd, LAZAR WOLF, B. Martin, MORDCHA, T. Ince, The RABBI, G. Gordon, MENDEL, B. Griffith, AVRAHM, J. Wilson, NACHUM, D. Campbell, GRANDMA TZEITEL, N. Naxera, FRUMA SARAH, J. Penrod, CONSTABLE, B. Gordon, FYEDKA, D. Giltner, SHAINDEL, B. Munson, the FIDDLER, R. Keith. Members of the music classes were VILLAGERS. There were others whose efforts were essential: parents, class members who arranged advertising, tickets and business, helped with make-up, costumes, sets and ushering. Faculty: Mr. Blais, lights, Mr. Blanton, sets, Miss Jacobia, consultant, Mr. Hemphill, special lights, Mrs. Giltner, consultant, Mrs. Henry and secretarial class, programs. Orchestra members were: S. Branstetter, B. Kaser, V. Harvey, C. Miller, V. Daggett, E. Gower, P. Ince, S. Traynor, M. Rubemeyer, K. Tallman, M. Eipeer, J. Denny, K. Giltner, J. Marsh, B. Pulliam, D. Waltman, D. Grover, C. Dillender.





# FRESHMEN







Freshman Class officers: Dana Hope, president; John Minihan, treasurer; Mandy McCarty, vice-president; Judd Martin, secretary.



C. Akers  
L. Anderson  
M. Bail  
R. Baker  
K. Benson  
A. Betts

M. Blackwell  
T. Bokor  
E. Brolinson  
K. Brown  
T. Brown  
S. Capps



K. Carlton  
D. Chatman  
G. Chatman  
L. Colonna  
M. Cox  
J. Crevelt





S. Cunningham  
A. Darnell  
P. Early  
S. Ehinger  
B. Elliott  
D. England

D. Fancher  
D. Ford  
A. Gardaphe  
W. Garner  
B. Gillis  
D. Goodhart



K. Griffith  
W. Hammack  
R. Hearn  
W. Henderson  
C. Henry  
D. Hope



R. Hopkins  
D. Irvin  
S. Johnson  
T. Jones  
B. Keith  
D. Lamberson

S. Lawson  
D. Lenz  
J. Martin  
M. McCarty  
R. Miller  
J. Minihan



C. Morris  
C. Motley  
L. Motley  
S. Myers  
F. Naxera  
M. Ohrenberg



G. Pellikaan  
 A. Penn  
 B. Penrod  
 C. Phillips  
 G. Phillips  
 J. Phillips



S. Poyser  
 K. Pruitt  
 T. Ray  
 S. Reid  
 P. Renner  
 S. Robbins

W. Rottman  
 D. Rubemeyer  
 W. Salmons  
 C. Scott  
 W. Shoemaker  
 W. Sladek



C. Slater  
 M. Smith  
 N. Smith  
 P. Smith  
 R. Spencer  
 P. Starman



R. Stephens  
 M. Stout  
 R. Stoops  
 A. Stuhman  
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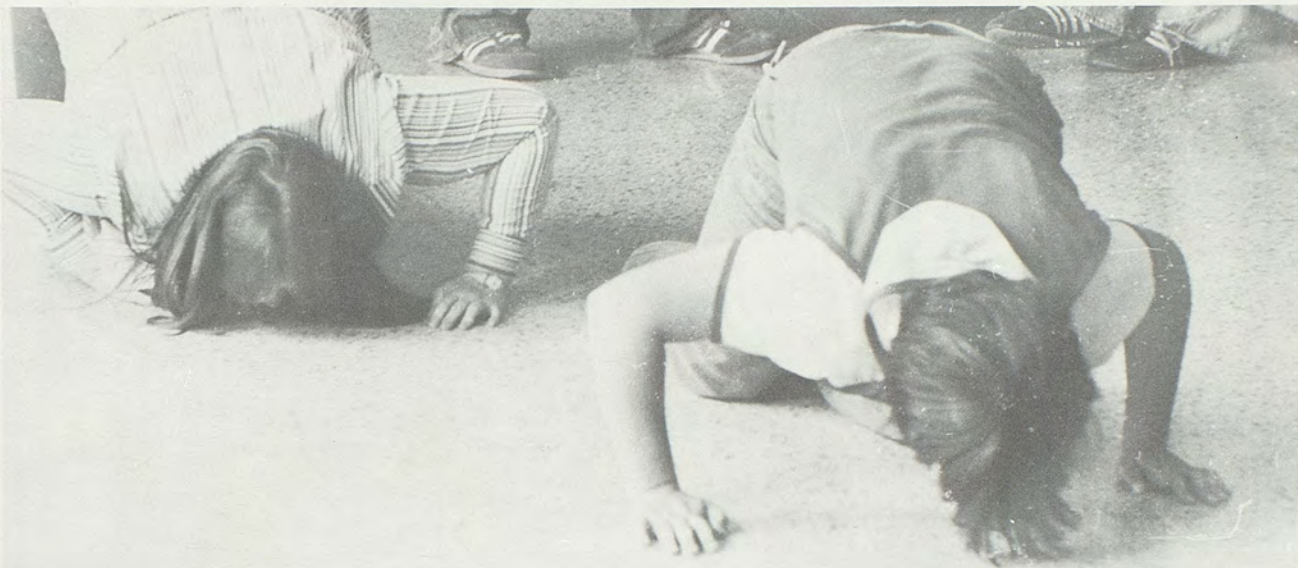


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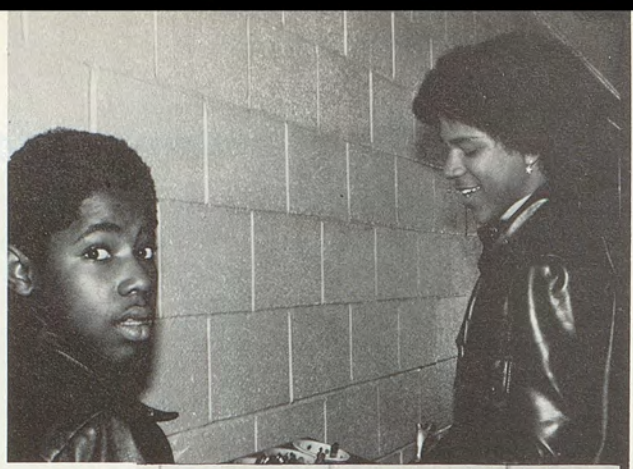
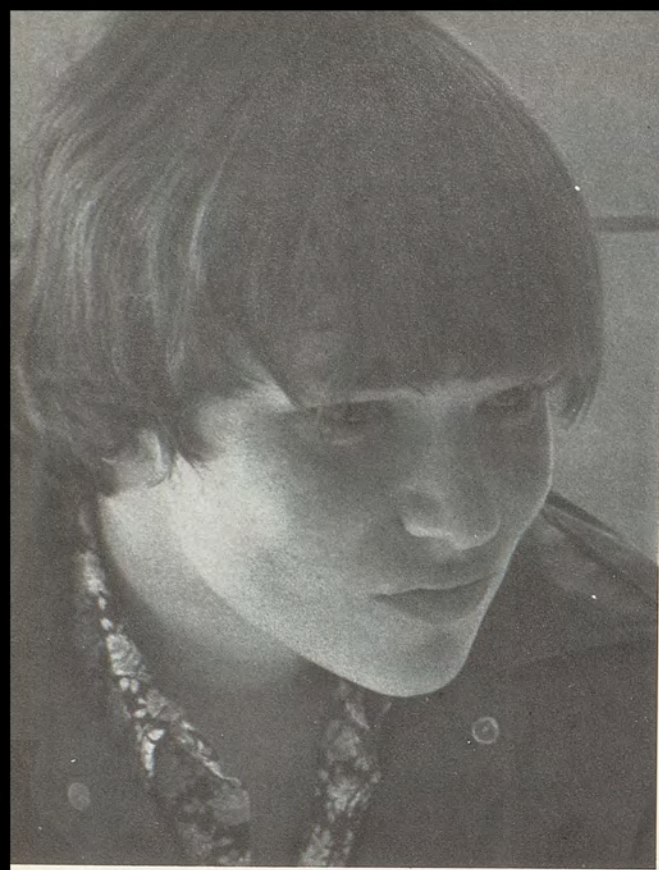


Being a  
**FRESHMAN** means . . .

not being able to drive, but wishing you could . . . surviving hazing . . . trying, but not succeeding to win the spirit flag . . . taking the Missouri Constitution test . . . having parts (small as they are) in "Fiddler on the Roof" . . . being in charge of the concession stand for B games . . . taking books home every night (not just the night before the test) . . . rushing through lunch (instead of taking forty minutes.)







The  
Class  
Of  
'81



Is Going Places!





# SOPHOMORES







Top left: Sophomore Class officers; Todd Geeson, president; Mark Silvey, secretary; Lee Ann Hamlett, vice-president; Cindy Pointer, treasurer.

The sophomore year was filled with many ups and downs; the float that everyone worked on so hard got third place ...



R. Adkinson  
S. Betts  
J. Bibb  
R. Bland  
Wm. Boston

K. Bronson  
J. Brown  
J. Calvin  
D. Campbell  
S. Campbell

P. Carroll  
C. Chatman  
K. Chatman  
J. Clark  
R. Claypole





J. Clowers  
K. Cullhane  
J. Darnell  
R. Elliot  
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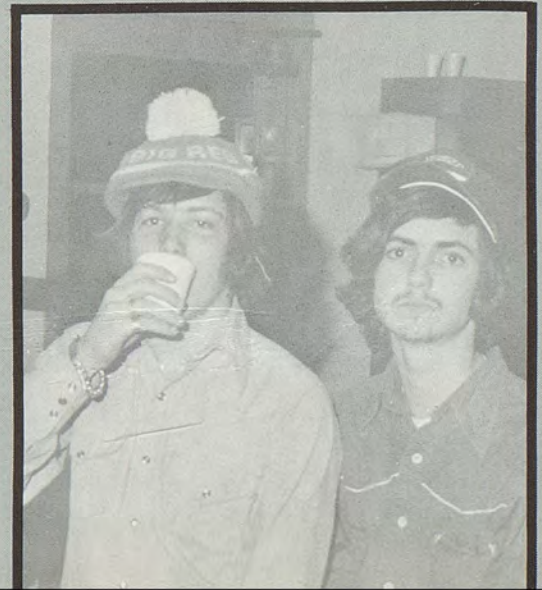
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V. Garth

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G. Greene

T. Greenwood  
T. Greenwood  
M. Greer  
J. Hall  
L. Hamlett

T. Hampton  
L. Hayden  
A. Henry  
M. Horton  
J. Howard

J. Ince  
N. Irvin  
M. Jackson  
L. Jamieson  
C. Jimerson







J. Kemry  
C. King  
V. Kuntz  
J. Larsen  
C. Loesing

S. Lord  
P. Love  
L. Mannahan  
B. Martin  
R. Martin

L. Maxwell  
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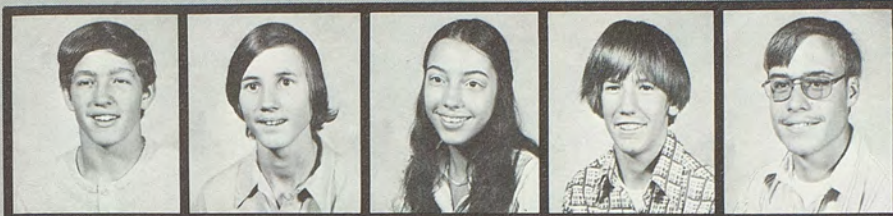
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G. Richardson  
S. Roan  
K. Robbins  
C. Rousan

W. Rousan  
P. Rubemeyer  
R. Schroeder  
R. Scott  
J. Shade





R. Shade  
D. Shealor  
B. Silvey  
M. Silvey  
D. Sterne



H. Sterne  
A. Stout  
J. Strode  
C. Stuerman  
E. Swarnes



W. Tolbert  
D. Travis  
C. Turnbaugh  
C. Walker  
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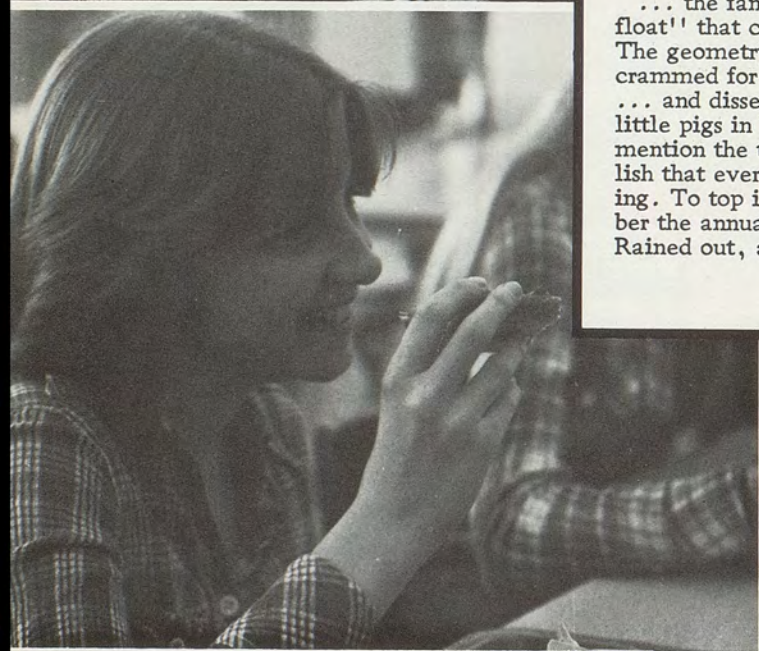
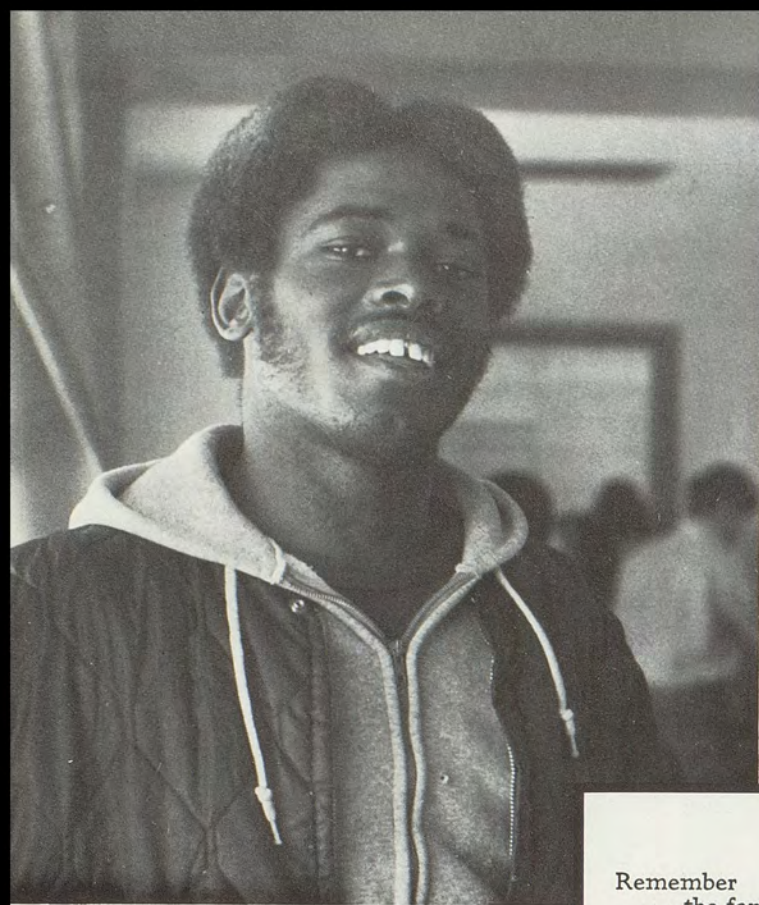


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J. Young





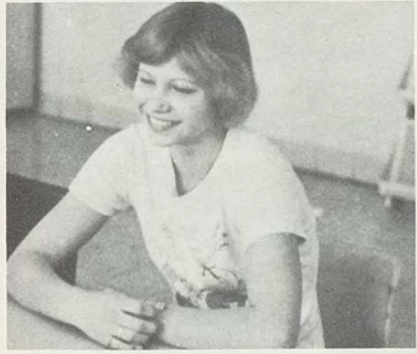
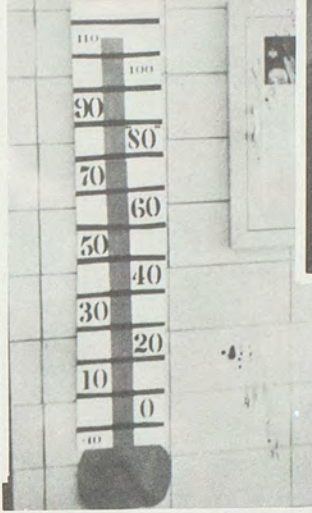
Remember  
... the fantastic "mini-  
float" that came in third! ...  
The geometry tests everyone  
crammed for the night before  
... and dissecting those awful  
little pigs in biology ... not to  
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ber the annual car wash?  
Rained out, as usual!







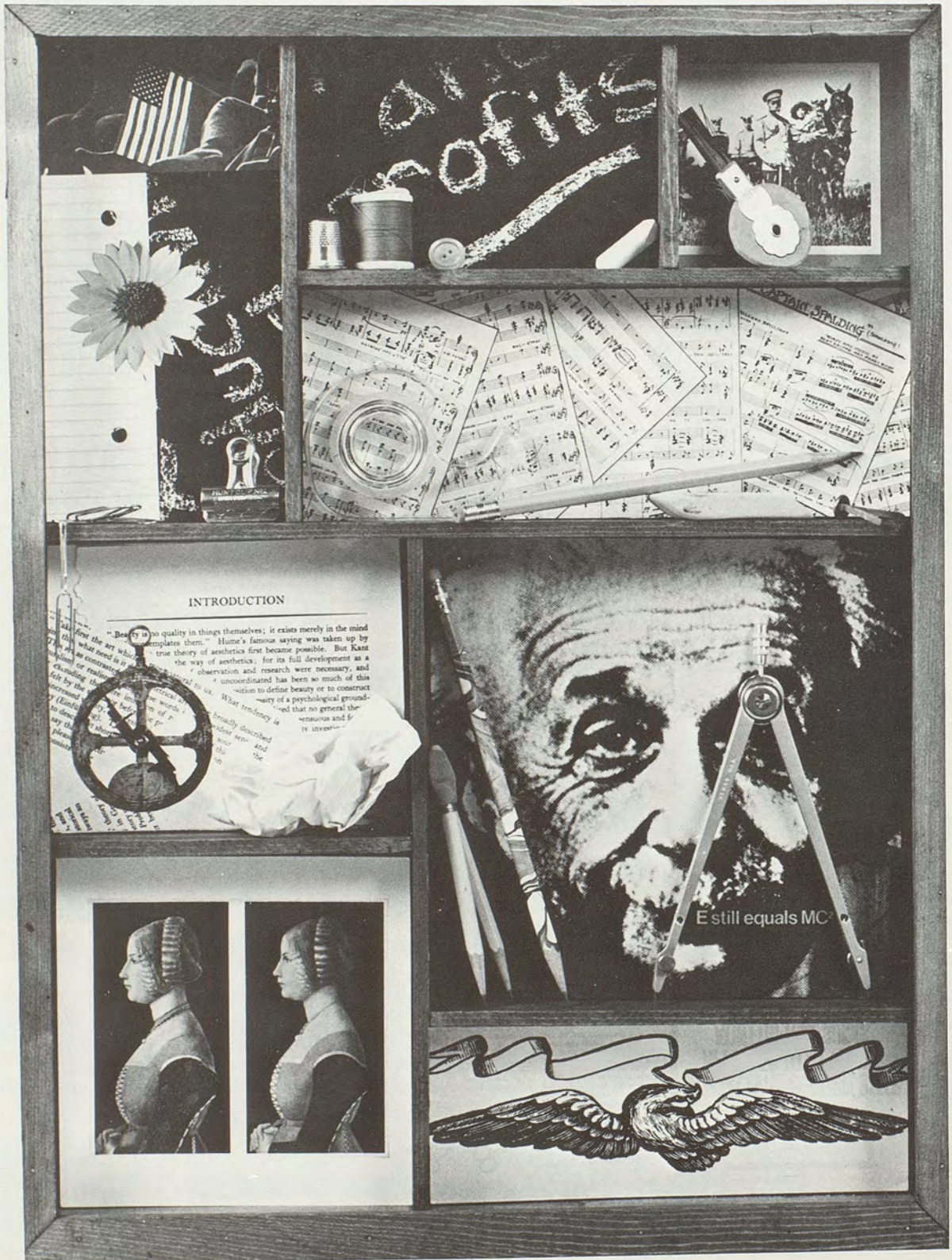
WE'VE GOT  
"THE FEVER"  
AND WE'RE  
HOT!!



Overall, this year  
wasn't a total loss  
and we're looking  
forward to next  
year!



# JUNIORS



## INTRODUCTION

"Beauty is no quality in things themselves; it exists merely in the mind which contemplates them." Hume's famous saying was taken up by Kant's true theory of aesthetics first became possible. But Kant's theory of aesthetics; for its full development as a science, observation and research were necessary, and the uncoordinated has been so much of this position to define beauty or to construct a theory of a psychological ground-ness that no general theory of beauty is possible. And the investigation of beauty is a science and a philosophy.

E still equals MC





R. Adams  
A. Akers  
L. Anderson  
L. Atteberry  
J. Balcsik

L. Bernhardt  
L. Boehlein  
B. Branstetter  
J. Branstetter  
J. Brossia



What a year it was! A step up, but a year of hard work, from wading through puddles of pepsi in the concession stand to making this year's prom the greatest! The Junior Class started the year BROKE but with determination came out ahead. The greatest disappointment was having to enter a vandalized float in the Homecoming parade, and taking fourth place.

The time seemed too short when they started working to make the gym into the 'Pathway to Paradise.' By the end of the week of late nights' labor, palm trees abounded beside a waterfall and a path meandered through the wonderland, over a bridge, past grass huts.

D. Brown  
S. Brown  
B. Buchanan  
V. Burse  
M. Camara

F. Chapuis  
A. Chatman  
A. Cox  
R. Cox  
C. Coy





C. Dudley  
 K. Early  
 C. Elliott  
 K. Elliott  
 M. Elliott



M. Farris  
 W. Florence  
 S. Franklin  
 B. Griffith  
 D. Griffith



T. Griffiths  
 D. Grover



T. Hampton  
 P. Hawkins



S. Henderson  
 J. Hodges



J. Hodges  
 B. Hughlett  
 T. Ince  
 J. Johnson  
 L. Joseph



C. King  
 L. La Rue  
 T. Lee  
 S. Leslie  
 R. Lord



D. Mabon  
 D. Miller  
 P. Minor  
 B. Moore  
 B. Munson







N. Naxera  
B. Niffen  
P. Niffen  
C. Owens  
A. Painter



K. Peabody  
M. Pearl  
J. Penrod  
L. Phillips  
J. Pitzer



M. Powell  
S. Powell  
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L. Quattrocchi  
L. Raufer



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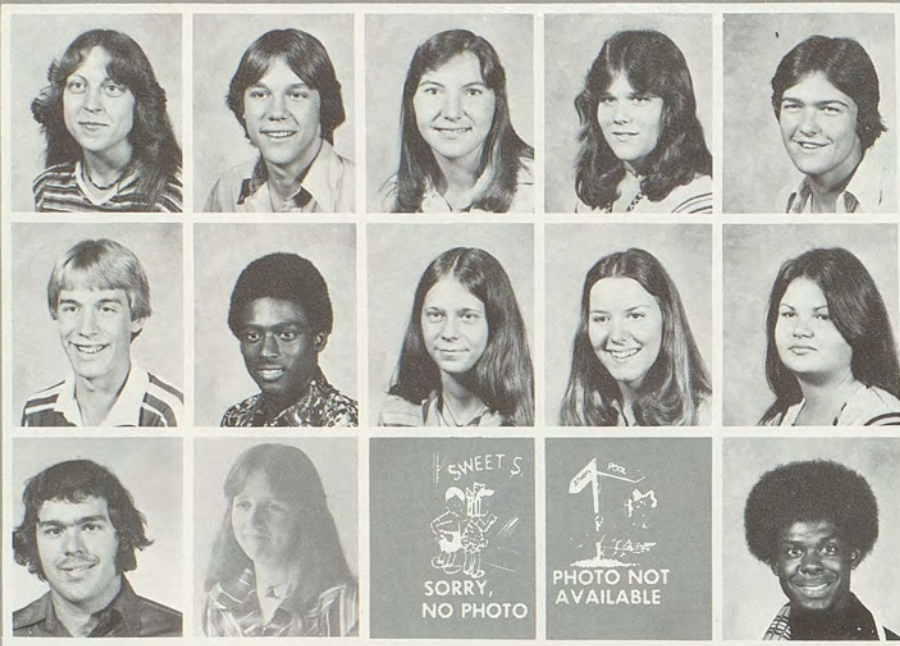


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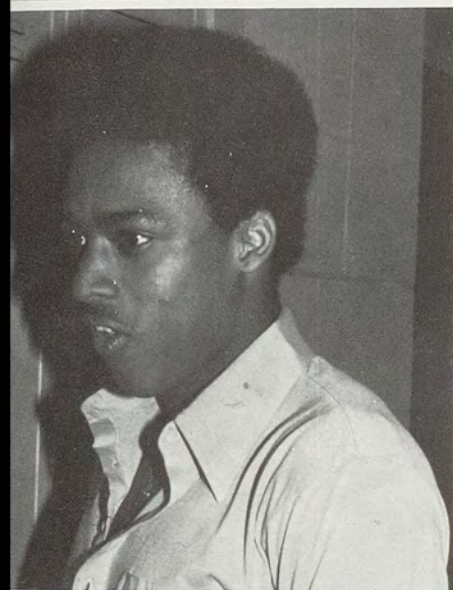
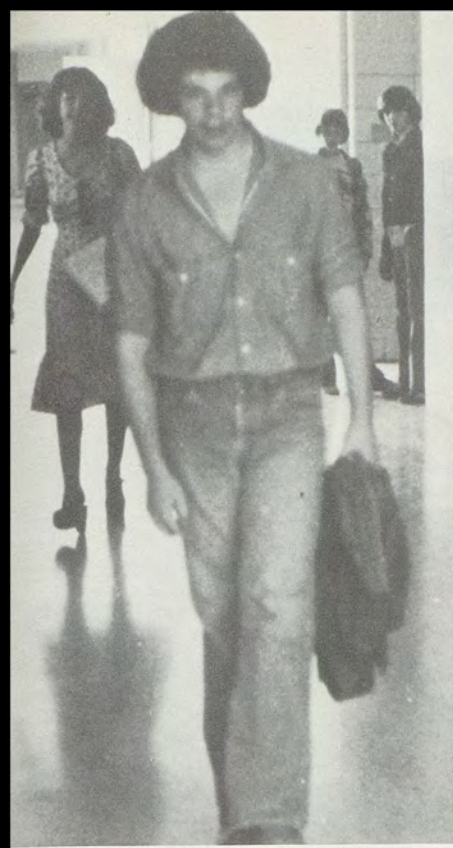
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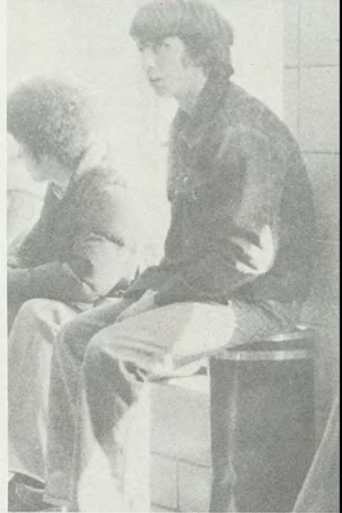




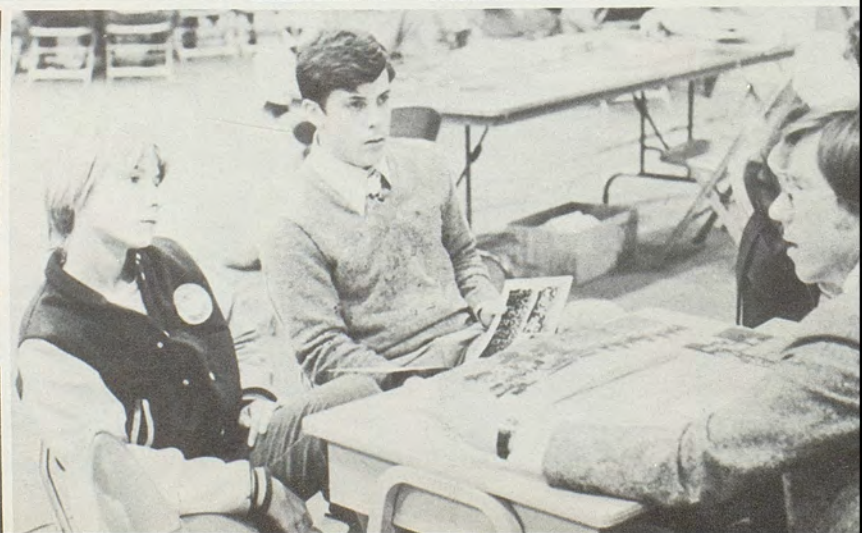
The Junior Class grew into a real team this year. They worked hard with things like prom and state playoff concessions. But in the process they grew to like and accept each other's judgements. They hoped to become even closer to each other in the year ahead.







# BEING A JUNIOR IS . . .







The girls had the edge at Sadie Hawkins festivities. Sponsored by the Junior Class, the event featured a chance for the gals to catch their man and haul him before "Marryin' Sam" (this year Mr. Griffith) for a mock wedding, including the ring and marriage license.



## ... HARD WORK!!





# SENIORS

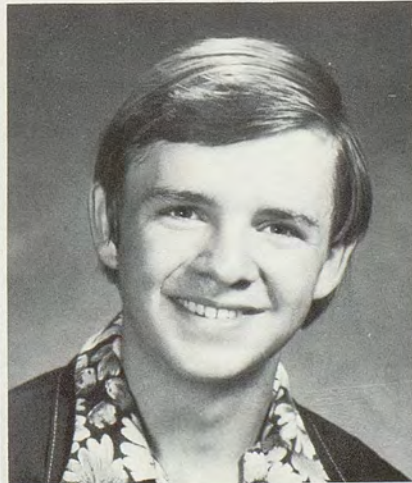
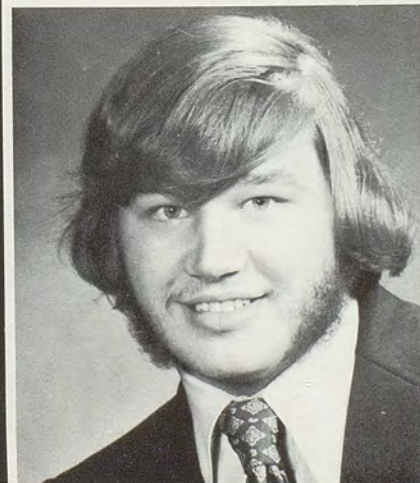
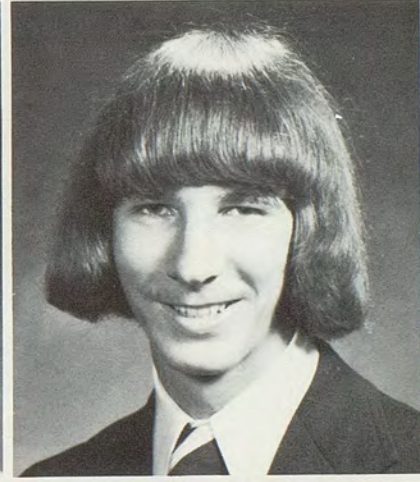
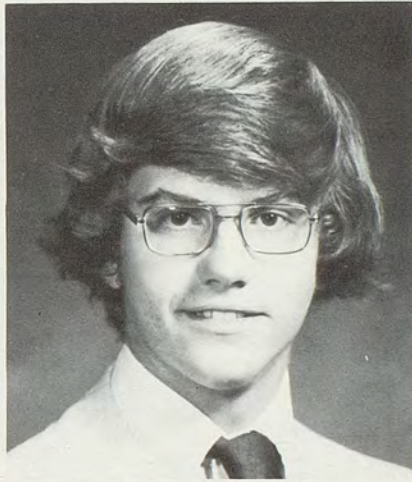
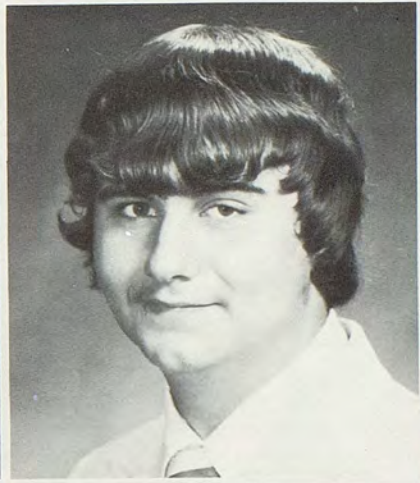




Vicki Baumann  
Robert Branstetter  
John Brown

Elizabeth Behringer  
Michael Bronson  
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Jonh Benning  
Daryl Brown  
Nancy Cadwallader

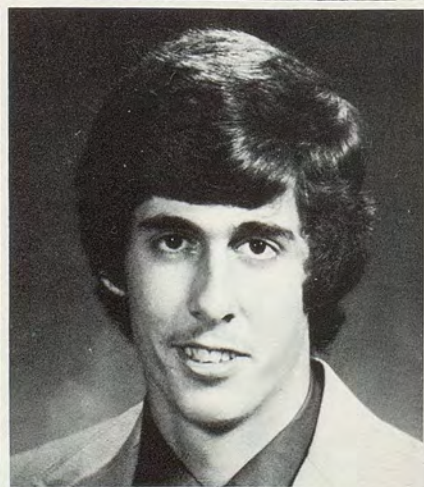
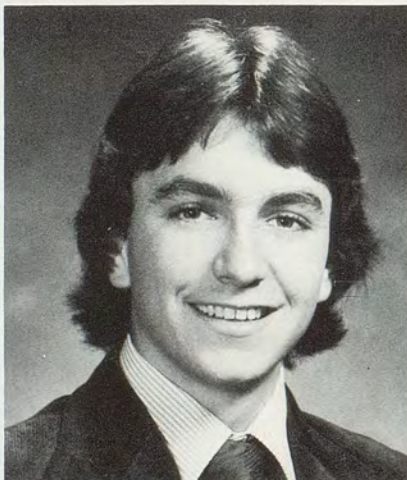
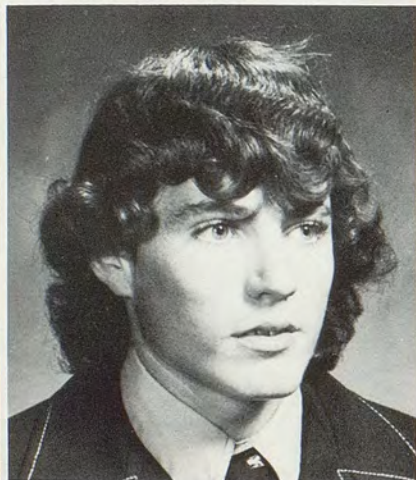
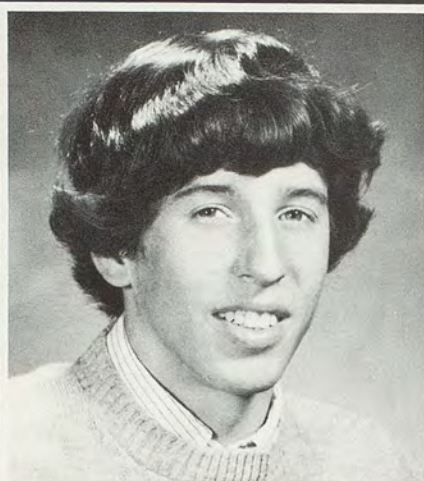
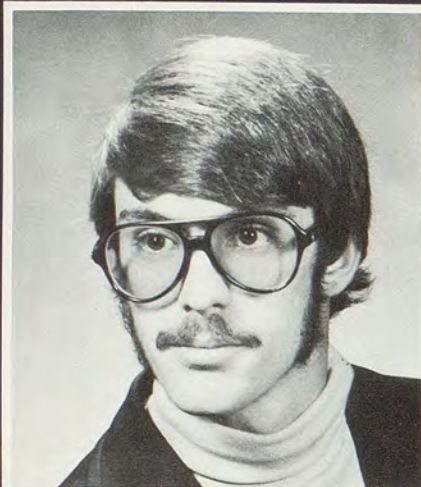




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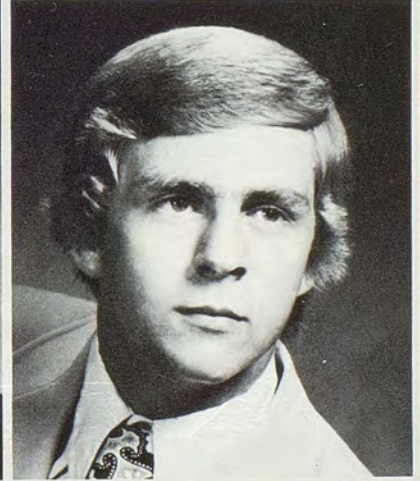
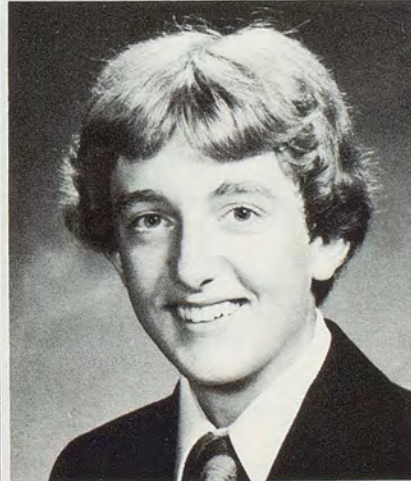
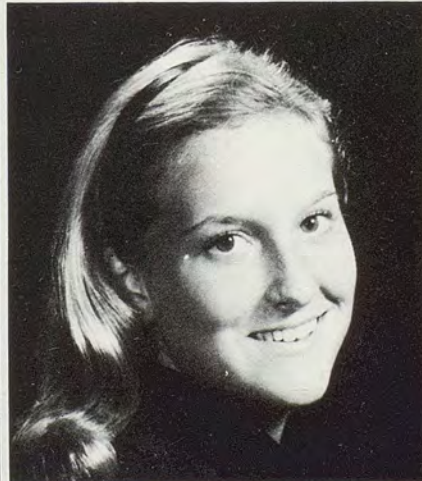
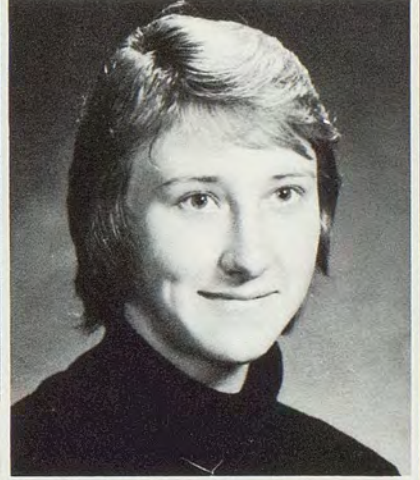
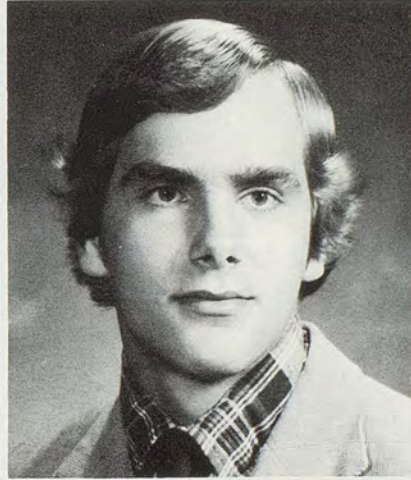
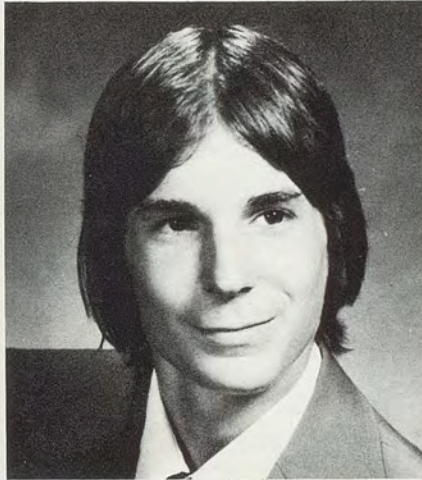
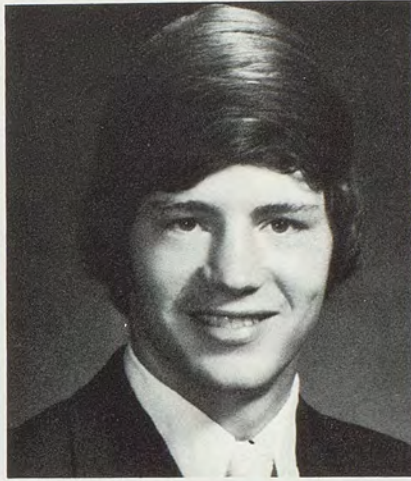
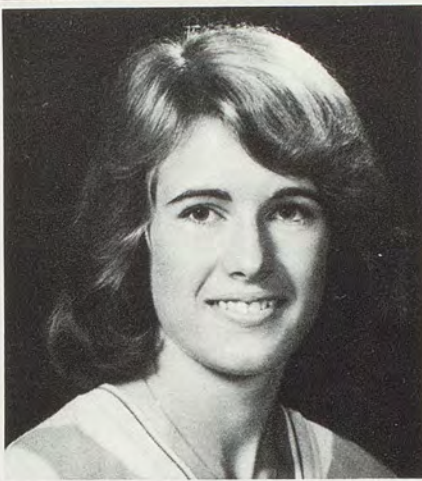




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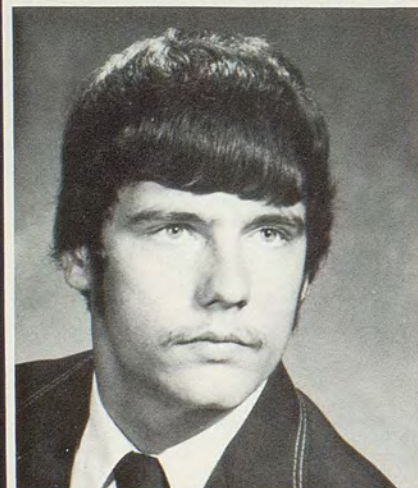
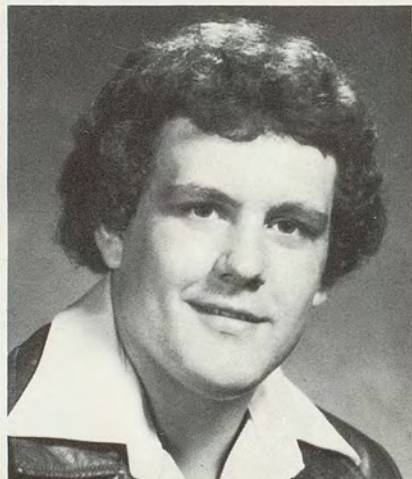
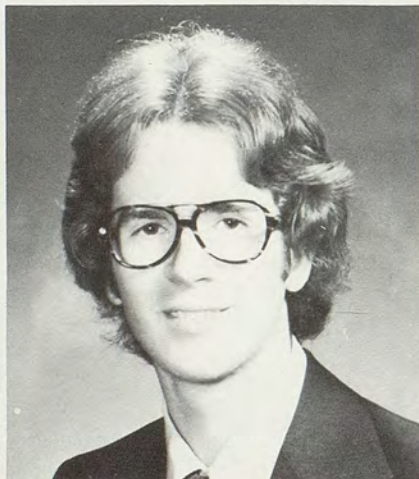
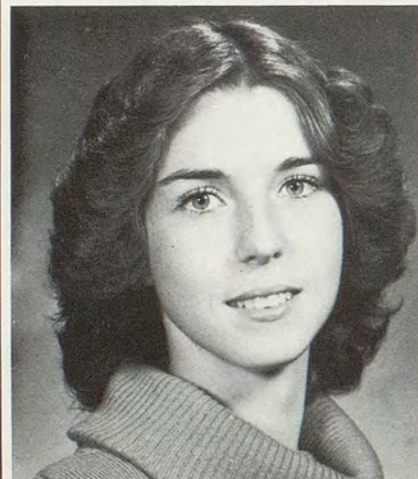
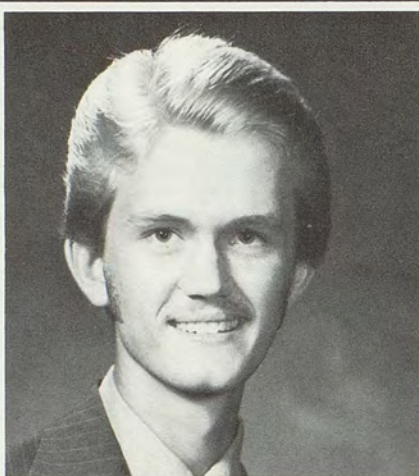




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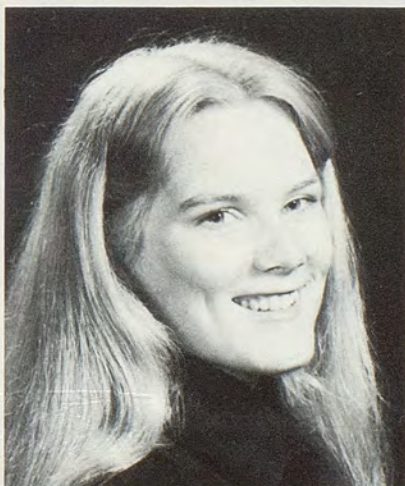
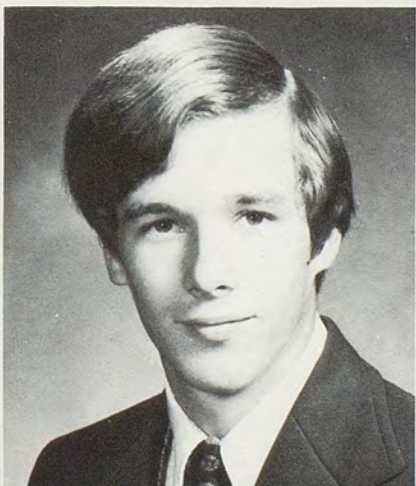
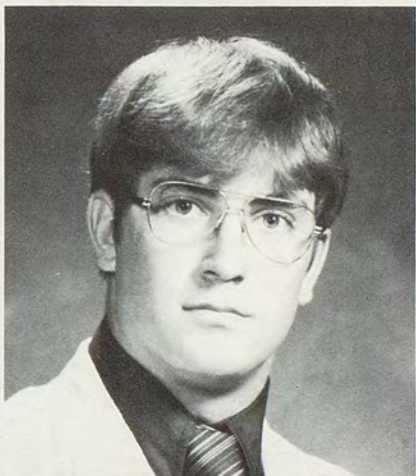
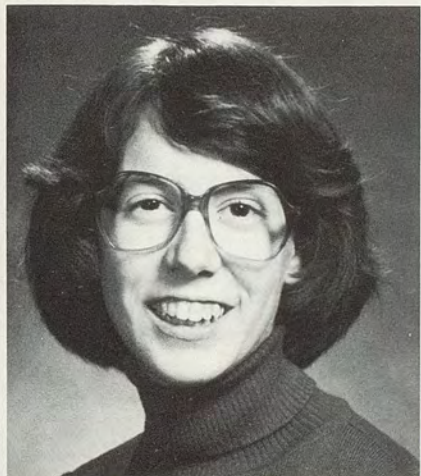
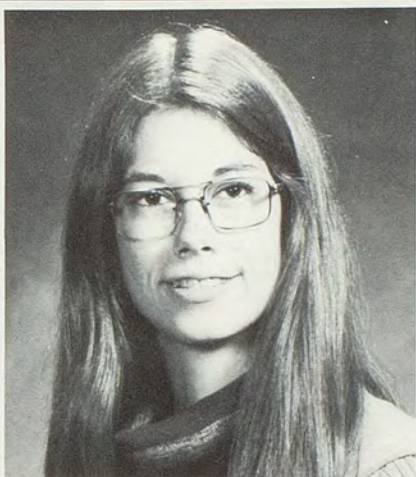
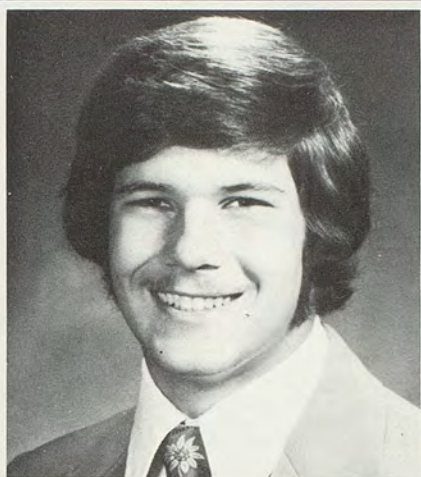




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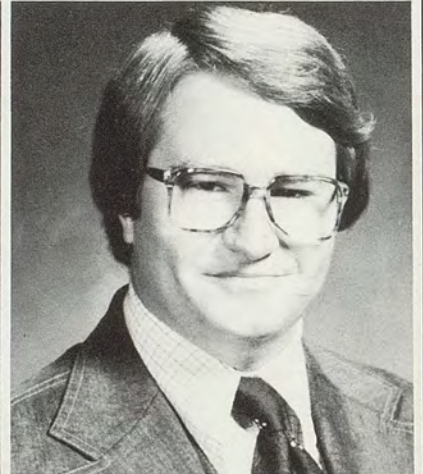
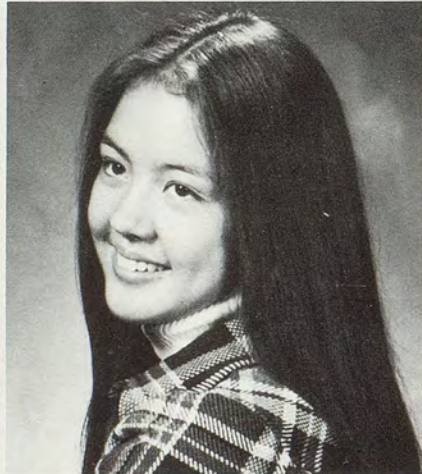
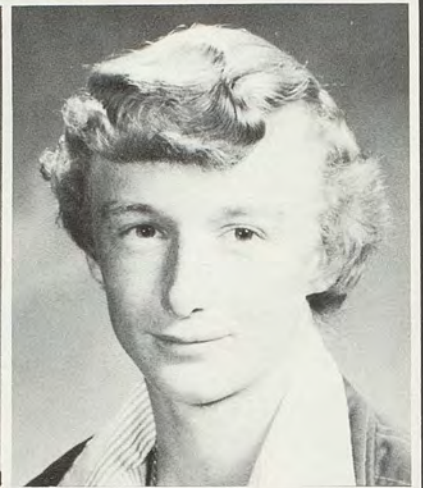
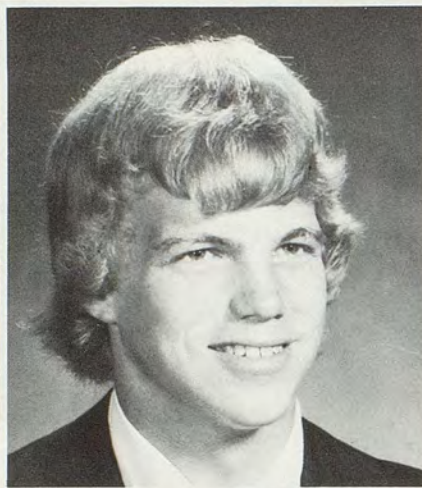




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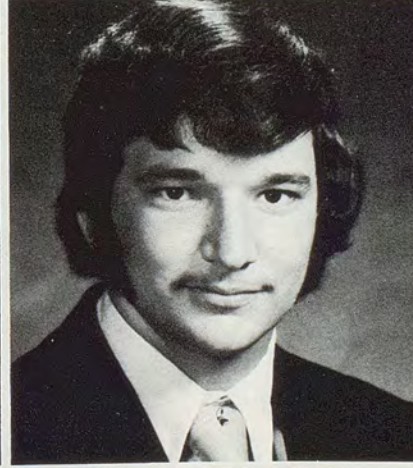
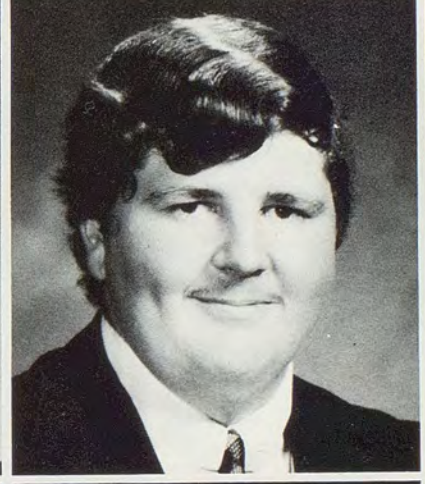
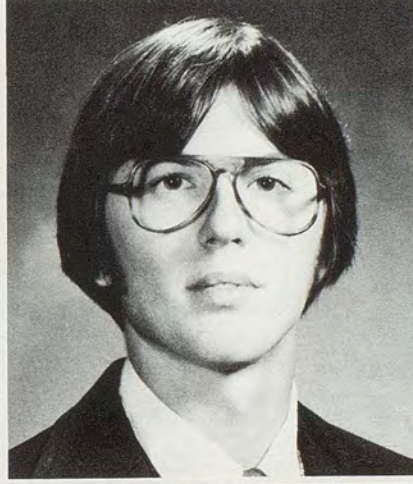
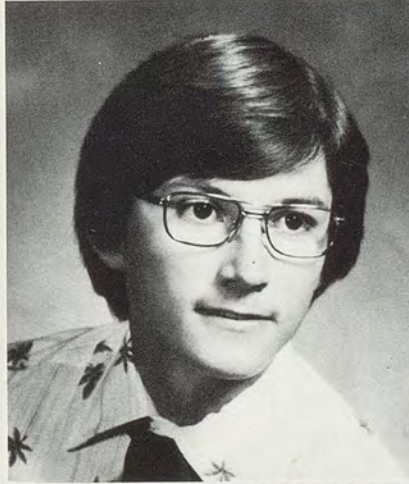




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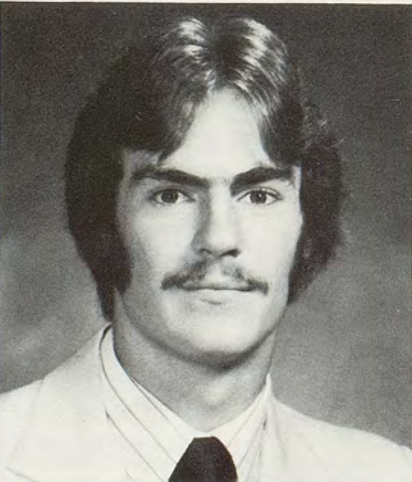
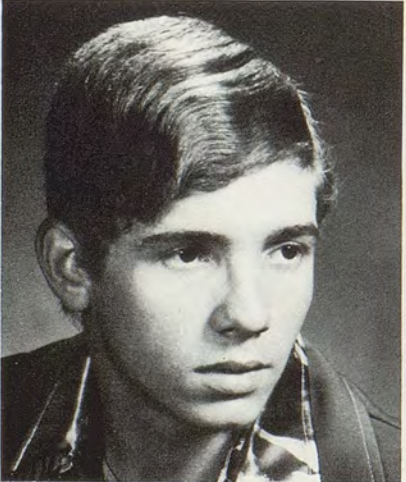
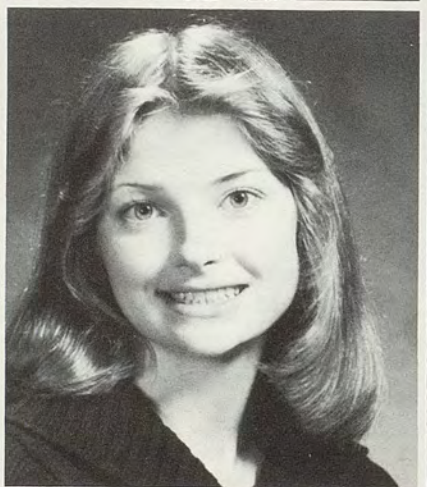
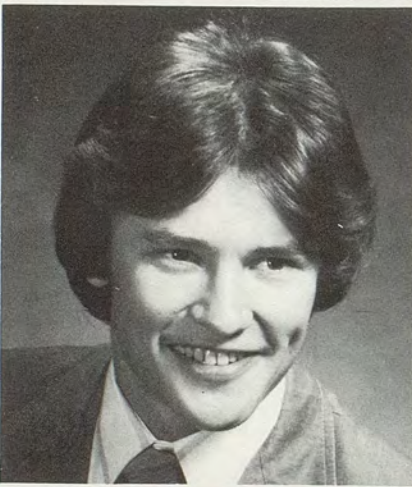
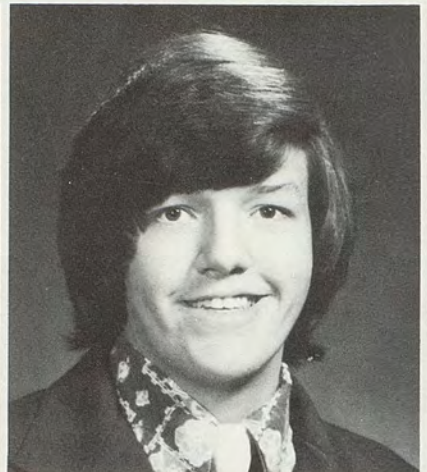
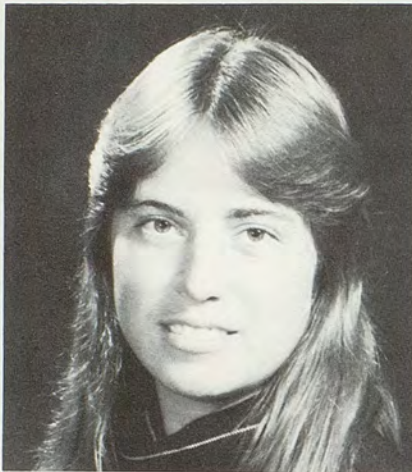
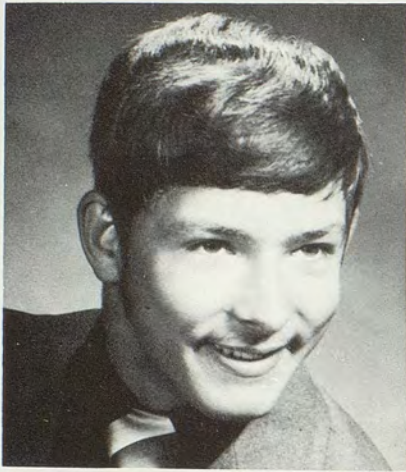




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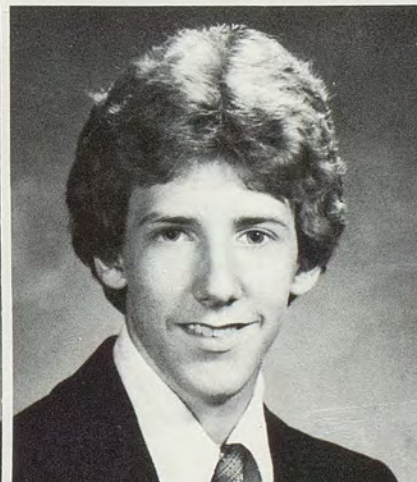
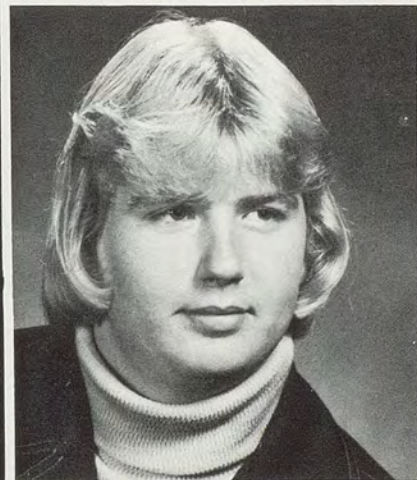
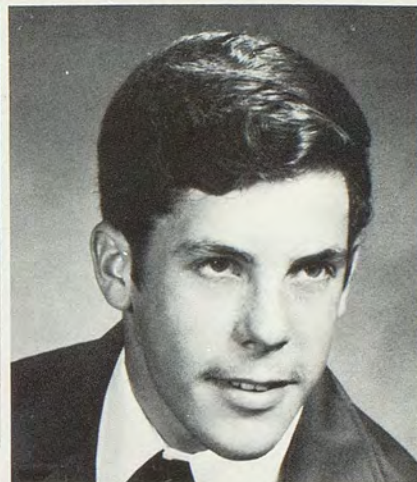
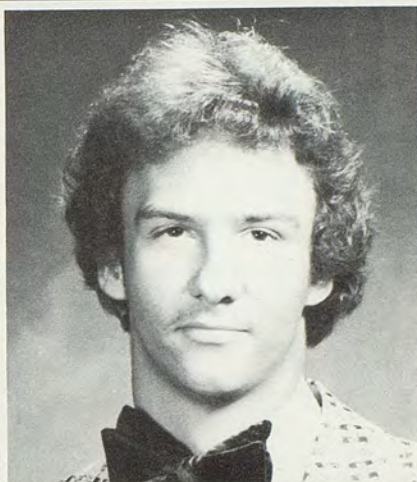
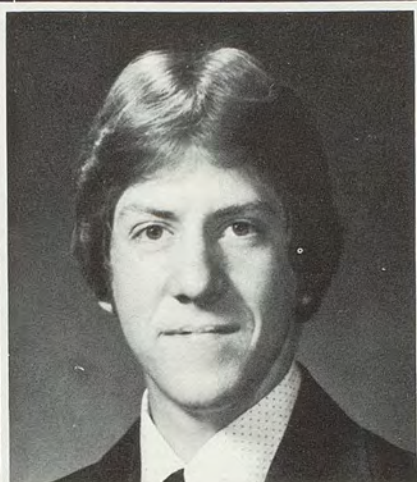




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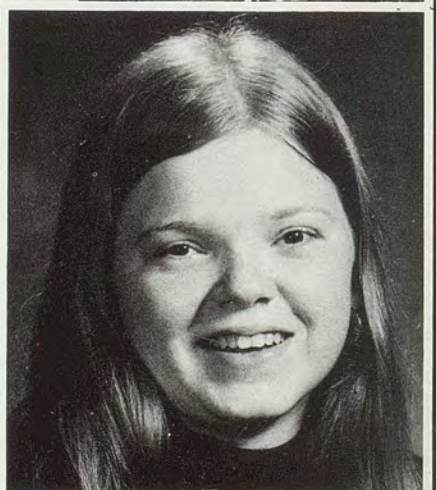
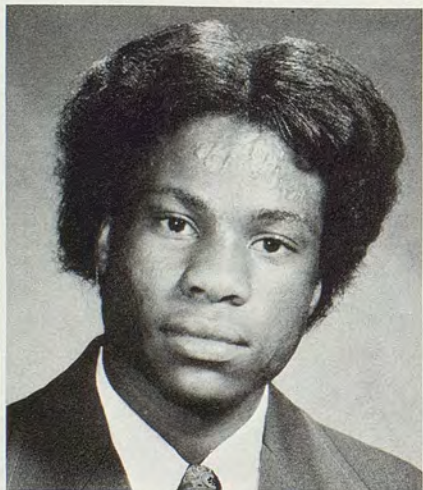
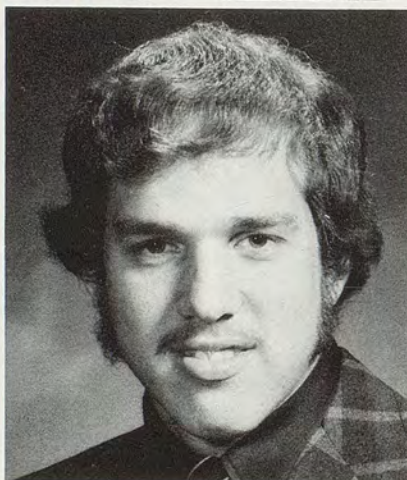
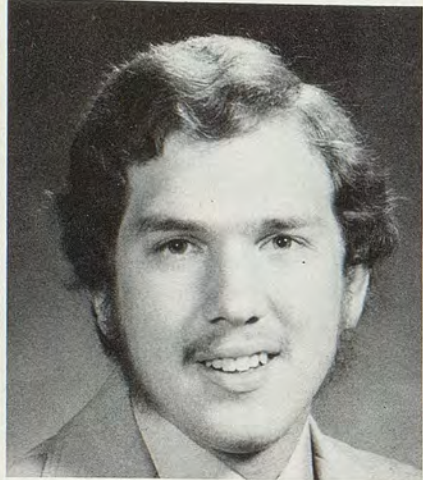
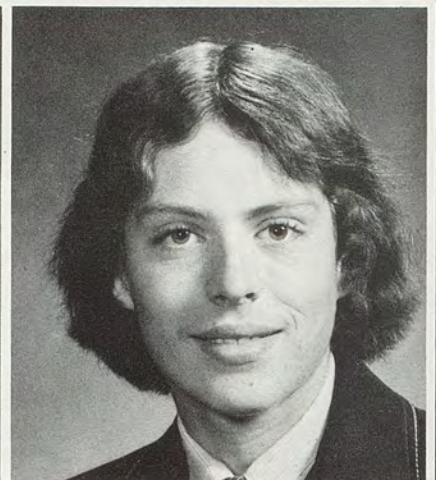
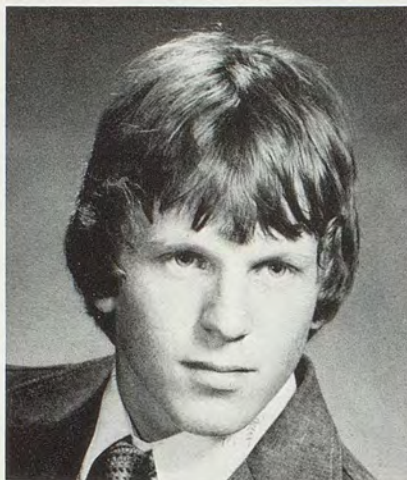




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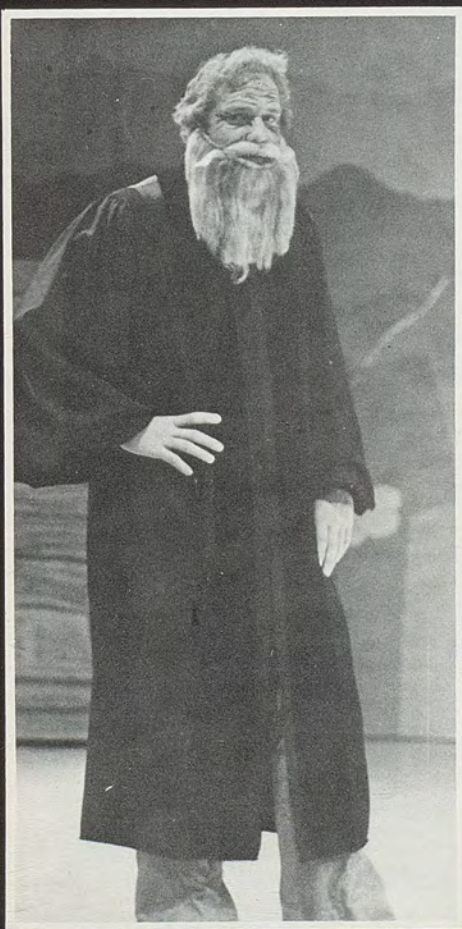
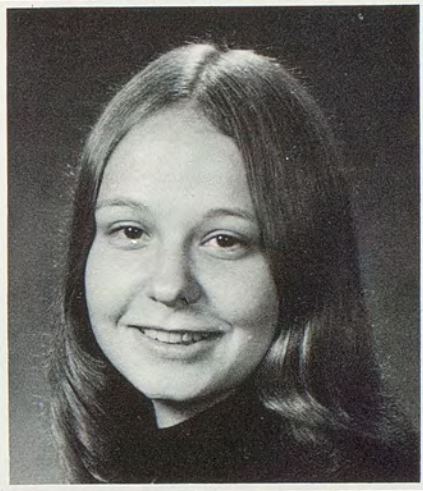
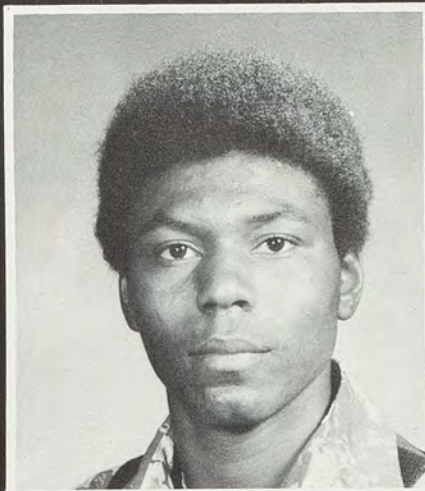




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VICKI LYNN BAUMANN: vocal music, 4 yrs.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; vice pres. 1 yr.; FTA, 1 yr.; Highlights staff, 1 yr.; Alamo staff, 2 yrs.; perfect attendance, 1 yr.

ELIZABETH ANN BEHRINGER: band, 4 yrs; flute quartet, district and state contest; Pom-Pon girl, captain, 1 yr.; vocal music, 1 yr.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Language Club, FSA, secretary 1 yr.; Honor Society, 2 yrs.; Girls State, Shorthand Award, Conference Band 1 yr.

JOHN DAVIS BENNING, JR.: Area Vocational School.

ROBERT BURTON BRANSTETER: basketball, 4 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.; Field Goal Kicking trophy, 1 yr.

MICHAEL ANTHONY BRONSON: Vocal music, 2 yrs; Language Club, 2 yrs, president, 1 yr.; FTA, 1 yr.; "South Pacific", Dogpack.

DARYL ALAN BROWN: Band, 4 yrs.; trumpet quartet, 2 yrs.; vocal music, 2 yrs.; Art, 2 yrs.; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; Highlights staff, 1 yr.; "Oliver", "Fiddler on the Roof" (orchestra); perfect attendance, 12 yrs.; Honor Roll, Dogpack.

JOHN LESLIE BROWN: Area Vocational School.

MICHAEL WAYNE BROWN: football manager, 1 yr.; Area Vocational School, 3rd place in art fair.

NANCY ELLEN CADWALLADER: Pep Club, 4 yrs.; vocal music, 4 yrs.; FHA, 2 yrs.; treasurer, 1 yr.; JV Cheerleader, 1 yr.; Varsity Cheerleader, 1 yr.; class treasurer, 1 yr.; Courtwarming attendant junior yr.; Language Club, vice pres., 1 yr.

DARRELL RAY CHATMAN

ANTHONY ROGER COY, JR.:

NATALIE SUE CROWDER: vocal music, 3 yrs.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Language Club, 4 yrs., treasurer, 1 yr.; FSA, 2 yrs., secretary-

treasurer, 1 yr.; football wattergirl, 1 yr.; Honor Society, 2 yrs.; FTA, 1 yr.

JON JOEL CULHANE: 4-H president 3 yrs.; Area Vocational School.

DAVID KEVIN DARNELL: Area Vocational School.

RALPH EARL DARNELL: Area Vocational School, 3rd place in art fair.

PETER DAVID DARROCH: AFS Student; Pep Club, 1 yr.; Student Council, 1 yr.;

JEANNE MARIE DENNEY: FSA, 3 yrs.; FTA, 3 yrs., president, 1 yr.; National Honor Society, 3 yrs., treasurer, 1 yr.; Student Council, 2 yrs.; Leadership Camp, Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Vocal Music, 4 yrs.; "South Pacific", "Revolutionary Ideas", "Oliver", "Fiddler on the Roof", Conference Band, Band, District Choir, Vocal solo, Instrumental solo, small ensembles, 1 Rating in Biology at Academics fair, Blue ribbon for Architectural project, Band, Glee Club.

DENNIS DEWEY: football, 4 yrs; track, 3 years, Language Club, 2 yrs.; FSA, 1 yr.; L Club, 3 yrs.; Student Council 2 yrs.; Soph. Class president; Jr. Class representative; sophomore Homecoming escort; senior Courtwarming escort; Freshman Algebra award; Junior Achievement.

CONNIE LEE DILLENDER: vocal Music, 1 yr.; Band, 4 yrs.; track, 1 yr.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; vice pres., 1 yr.; president, 1 yr.; Soph. Class vice pres.; flute trio, 1 yr.; woodwind trio, 1 yr.; "South Pacific"; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the Roof"; lead role in Junior-Senior Play, 1 yr.; Marching Band Majorette, 3 yrs.; FTA, 3 yrs.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Student Council, 1 yr.; secretary-treasurer of Student Council, 1 yr.; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; soph. Homecoming attendant; Prom chairman, 1 yr.; English II Award; Bookkeeping Award; delegate to Student Council Leadership Camp; Regents Scholarship recipient; Presi-

dential Scholarship from NMSU.

PHILLIP GENE EASTMAN: football, 4 yrs; basketball, 4 yrs.; track, 4 yrs.; All Conference track; L Club; FTA: Band, 4 yrs.; Junior Class vice-pres.; Student Council, junior Homecoming escort; Honor Roll; Alamo staff; Highlights; Pleasant Hill All-Tourney Basketball.

MARY ELIZABETH EIPPER: Band, 4 yrs.; All Conference Band, 2 yrs.; orchestra for "South Pacific", "Oliver", and "Fiddler on the Roof"; District and State Vocal and Instrumental Music Contest; basketball, 2 yrs.; National Honor Society, 2 yrs.; Language Club 3 yrs., pres., 1 yr.; soph. Student Council representative; Physical Science award; Algebra I award; Algebra II award; geometry award; American history award; health award; chemistry award; Outstanding Sophomore; D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award; Senior Class pres.

CHARLES RUSSELL ELLIOTT: football, 4 yrs., All-Conference, 2 yrs., All District, 1 yr.; L Club pres.; Area Vocational School.

GLENDA FAY FARRIS: basketball; Pep Club, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 1 yr.; Area Vocational School.

LAWRENCE EDWARD FLOYD:

THOMAS NOEL FOWLER: L Club, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 2 yrs.; FSA 2 yrs.; track, 2 yrs.; football, 3 yrs., All Conference, 1 yr.;

CAROLYN SUE FRITZ: Language Club, 1 yr.; basketball, 1 yr.; track 2 yrs.; Most Improved English III Award; Perfect Attendance, 4 yrs.

KATHARINE VIRGINIA FRY: FSA, 3 yrs., vice pres.; Language Club, 4 yrs., vice pres.; track, 2 yrs; basketball, 1 yr.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; FTA, 1 yr.; Honor Society, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 3 yrs.; stage crew for "Oliver" and "Fiddler on the Roof"; Homecoming Queen in



1978; English I award; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Earl A. Sindecuse Leadership Award; National Merit Letter of Commendation; fresh. and soph. Student Council representative; Student Council vice-pres.; Regeant Scholarship.

**DONALD ELLSWORTH**

**GILTNER II:** FSA, 3 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.; Honor Society, 3 yrs.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; perfect attendance, 1 yr.; track, 1 yr.; freshman Courtwarming escort; Conference Choir, 3 yrs.; Earl Syndecuse Leadership Award; Band, 3 yrs., solo, 1 yr.; trumpet quartet, 1 yr.; vocal music, 3 yrs.; "South Pacific"; "Revolutionary Ideas"; "Fiddler on the Roof"; boys quartet, 1 yr.; Chamber Choir, 3 yrs.; Madrigal, 3 yrs.; Madrigal Festival, 2 yrs.; boys double quartet, 2 yrs.; mixed double quartet, 1 yr.; District Contest, 4 yrs.; State Music Contest, 3 yrs.; Presidential Scholarship; Regents Scholarship.

**BARRY KENNETH GORDON:**

football, 4 yrs.; basketball, 2 yrs.; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the Roof"; L Club, 3 yrs. Vocal Music, 4 yrs.; All Conference 2nd team defense.

**GARY KEITH GORDON:** football, 4 yrs.; L. Club, 3 yrs.; All conference offence, & defense, All District, All State, Vocal music, 4 yrs.; Boys Double Quartet, 3 yrs.; Solo, 1 yr.; Mixed double, 1 yr.; FTA, 1yr.

**EDWARD LEE GOWER:** football 4 yrs.; basketball, 4 yrs.; track, 4 yrs.; band, 4 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.; most valuable freshman athlete, most valuable track athlete, sophomore and junior yrs.; All-Conference, All-District and All-State honorable mention in football during junior yr.; All-Conference, All-District, and All-State quarterback in football during senior yr.; football tri-captain during senior yr.; Homecoming escort, 1 yr.; Courtwarming King, senior yr.; All-Conference track, 3 yrs.

**DIANA LYNN GRIFFITH:** per-

fect attendance, 3 yrs.; Art, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 2 yrs.; student librarian, 1 yr.

**SELENIA RAE GRIFFITH:**

**EDWIN KEVIN HAMPTON:** FSA, FTA 3 yrs.; Language Club 2 yrs.; stage band, 1 yr.; band, 3 yrs.; Conference Choir, 4 yrs.; District Choir, 4 yrs.; All-State Choir, 2 yrs.; "Revolutionary Ideas", pianist; "South Pacific", pianist; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the Roof"; District and State music contest, 4 yrs.; Chamber Choir, 3 yrs.; Madrigals and Madrigal Festival, 4 yrs.; Elks Award: Drama Award, Jr. yr.; Junction staff, 2 yrs.; Student Council; AFS representative, 1 yr; Americans Aboard Summer Program, '78.

**WANDA MARIE TERESSA**

**HEDGES:** softball; tennis; "Thurber Carnival"; gymnastics; art displays and sales; wall murals; fitness awards; chherleading; 3rd place Easter poster contest.

**RASHEDA LANIER HODGES:**

J.V. and Varsity cheerleader 3 yrs.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Girls Glee Club; Mixed Chorus; District Choir; stage crew "South Pacific"; basketball; track, 3 yrs.; lettered 3 yrs.; French, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 4 yrs.; secretary of Language Club, 4 yrs.; Jr. Class Homecoming attendant; Jr. Class treasurer; Student Council, Sr. representative; Honor Roll 4 yrs.; Honor Society.

**DEBRA ANN HUGHLETT:** Vocal music, 4 yrs.; Pep Club, 2 yrs.; FHA, 1 yr.; Highlights, junior yr.; Alamo staff, junior yr.

**PAUL INCE:** Band, 4 yrs.; Pep Band; All-Conference Band; brass ensembles; FSA; FTA, 2 yrs.; Language Club; National Honor Society president, 1 yr.; Glee Club; "Revolutionary Ideas", "South Pacific", "Oliver", "Fiddler on the Roof"; Orchestra; perfect attendance, 3 yrs.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Physical Science Award; Spanish I Award; CMSU Regents Scholarship; NMSU Academics Festival.

**KELLY GALE JOHNSON:** Area Vocational School.

**SAMUEL KEVIN KILBY:** football, 2yrs.; track, 1 yr.; vocal music, 2 yrs.; FFA, 2 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 2 yrs.; Area Vocational School.

**KIMBERLY ANN KUCERA:**

FSA, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 3 yrs.; FTA, 3 yrs.; Pep Club, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 3 yrs.; sextet, mixed double; stage crew of "Oliver" and "Fiddler on the Roof"; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Freshman Class secretary, track, 1 yr.; Language Club secretary, 1 yr.

**JANE BOWLER LAW:** Freshman

Class vice-president, Pep Club, 4 yrs.; FTA, 3 yrs., secretary, 1 yr.; small vocal ensembles, 3 yrs.; small instrumental ensembles, 4 yrs.; "South Pacific", "Revolutionary Ideas", orchestra; District & State music contests, 4 yrs.; Chamber Choir, 2 yrs.; Madrigal, 2 yrs.; National Honor Society, 3 yrs., secretary, 1 yr.; sophomore Courtwarming attendant; track, 1 yr.; Language Club, 2 yrs.; All Conference Band, 3 yrs.; All District Band, 1 yr.; All Conference Choir, 2 yrs.; Alamo Staff, 1 yr.; Band, 4 yrs.; senior Homecoming Queen candidate; Madrigal Festival; "Fiddler on the Roof"; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; "Oliver"; Basic Government Award; World History Award; Typing Award; English III Award; Regeant Scholarship - Kirksville; Neill Scholarship - Macalester College; Friar Pribe Scholarship.

**CARY CHESTER LOESING:** Pep Club, 3 yrs.; Camera Club, 1 yr.; Bicycling Club, 1 yr.; football, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Alamo staff, 1 yr.

**BARBARA ELIZABETH LOVE:** vocal music, 4 yrs.; basketball, 1 yr.; track, 1 yr.; "Revolutionary Ideas", Language Club, 1 yr.; Pep Club, 4 yrs., secretary, 1 yr.; FTA, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.

**CYNDE LEVON LOVE:** Band, 4 yrs.; District Band Contest, 2



yrs.; Honor Roll, 1 yr.; State Band Contest.

GAIL LYNN LOVE: Vocal music, 2 yrs.; "South Pacific"; Language Club, 2 yrs.; Pep Club, 2 yrs.; National Honor Society, 2 yrs.; Honor Roll, 4 years, perfect attendance, 3 yrs.

WILLIAM EDWIN LUDWIG: Language Club, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs., treasurer, 1 yr.; Senior Class Vice-president, Band, 4 yrs.; basketball, 1 yr.; football, 4 yrs.; 1st team All Conference; 1st team All District; 2nd team All State in football at Offensive Guard; Perfect Attendance, 1 yr.; Dogpack; National Honor Society, 1 yr.

JENNIFER ANNE MARSH: Band, 4 yrs.; Pom Pon Girl, 2 yrs.; vocal music, 2 yrs.; flute solo, 2 yrs.; District & State Contest, flute trio and quartet, music production orchestra, 4 yrs.; Conference Band, 4 yrs., section leader, 1 yr.; District Band, 3 yrs.; State Band, 1 yr.; Elks Music Award, FSA, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 1 yr.

KERNELLE MARIE MC FARLAND: Pep Club, 4 yrs.; FHA, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 3 yrs.; FSA, 1 yr.; track, 1 yr.; Alamo staff, 2 yrs.

JOHN SAMUEL MEYERS: track, 1 yr.; football, 3 yrs.; track manager, 1 yr.; L Club; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; Area Vocational School; perfect attendance, 1 year.

VICTORIA LYNN MITTS: Band, 4 yrs.; Conference Band, 4 yrs.; woodwind ensembles, 2 yrs.; Pep Club, 4 yrs., treasurer sophomore year & vice president, senior year; Junior Class president; Alamo staff, 3 yrs., editor, senior year; Student Council, 1 yr.; Highlights staff, 1 yr.; FTA, 1 yr., treasurer; 1 yr.; basketball, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; perfect attendance, 11 yrs.; vocal music, 2 yrs.; Junior Achievement, 2 yrs.; Senior Girl Scout; senior Courtwarming Queen candidate.

KIMBERLY KAY MOORE: Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Vocal music, 4 yrs.; FTA, 2 yrs.; FHA, 2 yrs., president, junior year; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; Highlights, 1 yr.

MICHAEL DEAN MURRY: football, 3 yrs.; track, 1 yr.; vocal music, 1 yr.; Band, 2 yrs.; Area Vocational School, 1 yr.

RUSSELL TY MURRY: FFA, Most Improved English Award, junior year; Area Vocational School.

APRIL REIKO MYERS: Cheerleader, 1 yr.; school newspaper, 1 1/2 yrs.; Magic Carpet, 1 yr.; FTA, 1 yr.; Student Council representative, 1 yr.; Pep Club, 2 yrs.; 1977 Girls' State; Good Citizenship Award, Girls' State.

ALIKA SUZANNE OLIVER: track, 4 yrs., lettered 4 yrs.; National Honor Society, 2 yrs.; All-Conference Band, 3 yrs.; band ensembles, 3 yrs.; District Music Contest, 3 yrs.; National Merit Scholar Finalist; Women in Engineering Scholarship from the University of Missouri at Rolla.

JEFFRY QUINN OLIVER: Band, 4 yrs.; football, 4 yrs.; golf, 2 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.

ELIZABETH ANN ONIK: "South Pacific", "Fiddler on the Roof", "Oliver", small vocal ensembles, District and State Contest 4 yrs.; small instrumental ensembles, 4 yrs., District and State Contest; Chamber Choir, 2 yrs.; Madrigals, and Madrigal festival, 4 yrs.; FTA, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 1 yr.; FSA, 2 yrs.; Honor Roll; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; Band, 4 yrs.; vocal music, 4 yrs.; Conference choir, 2 yrs.; District choir, 2 yrs.; Pep Club, 3 yrs., president, senior year.

KIMBERLY CLARK PAGE: vocal music, 3 yrs.; District Contest, 3 yrs.; Chorus 3 yrs.; Highlights staff, senior yr.; Functional Math Award, freshman yr.; Most Improved English Student, freshman yr.; Float Committee junior yr.

WANDA PATRICIA PARSONS: Band, 3 yrs.; Language Club, junior yr.; Junior Class secretary; Highlights staff editor, senior yr.; Conference Band, sophomore yr.; student librarian, junior yr.; banquet chairman, junior yr.; Magic Carpet, 2 yrs.

KENNETH WAYNE PEARL: basketball, 4 yrs.; All Conference basketball; track; L Club; FFA; Vo Ag; Language Club.

SHANNON LEE PENROD: Glee Club, 4 yrs.; Highlights, 1 yr.; Alamo staff, 2 yrs.; FFA, 2 yrs.; FFA treasurer, sophomore yr.; ornamental horticulture judging team, senior yr.; Most Improved Sophomore Girl in English; Pep Club, 1 yr.

DIANA JEAN POOR: Homecoming attendant, freshman yr.; essay award, freshman yr.; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; Cheerleader, 4 yrs.; FSA, 4 yrs.; FSA president, senior yr.; FTA, 3 yrs.; FTA vice-president, junior yr.; Honor Society, 3 yrs.; Honor Society vice-president, junior yr.; Language Club, 1 yr.; Band, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 4 yrs.; Chamber Choir, 2 yrs.; Conference Choir, 3 yrs.; District Choir, 3 yrs.; Madrigal, 3 yrs.; "South Pacific"; "Revolutionary Ideas"; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the Roof"; Madrigal Festival, 3 yrs.; vocal ensembles, 4 yrs.; instrumental ensembles, 3 yrs.; soloist; Junior Achievement; Courtwarming Queen; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Biology II Award; Regents Scholarship at Kirksville.

TAMMY LYNN PURSIFULL: FSA, 1 yr.; FHA, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 1 yr.; perfect attendance, 3 yrs.; American Legion Girls State, last summer.

CLINTON COLEMAN RAY: Area Vocational School.

LARRY EUGENE ROBBINS: Track, 1 yr.; basketball, 1 yr.; District Choir, 2 yrs.; Conference Choir, 4 yrs.; Honor Roll; "South Pacific"; "American Revolution"; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the



Roof"; boys' double quartet, 3 yrs.; District and State Contests, 3 yrs.; Solo; mixed double 1 and 3 ratings.

BLISS RUSSELL ROBERTS, II:

LINDA KAY ROBINSON: Band, 4 yrs.; Vocal Music, 1 yr.; "South Pacific"; "Fiddler on the Roof" orchestra; Freshman Daisy Mae candidate; Freshman Courtwarming attendant; Pep Club, 4 yrs.; J. V. Cheerleader, 1 yr.; Varsity Cheerleader, 2 yrs., captain, senior yr.; Honor Society, 2 yrs.; Student Council representative, junior and senior yrs.; Homecoming attendant, senior yr.; District and State Band Contest, 4 yrs.; French I Award; Language Club, 2 yrs.; Honor Roll 4 yrs.

MARK ALLEN RUBEMEYER: Band, 4 yrs.; L Club, 2 yrs., treasurer senior yr.; football 4 yrs., All-Conference 1 yr.; State Music Contest, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; "Fiddler on the Roof"; track, 2 yrs.

ROBERT LEE SCOTT

SUZANNE ELIZABETH SEXTON: Band, 3 yrs.; Pom Pom girl, 3 yrs.; Vocal music, 2 yrs.; Chamber Choir, 1 yr.; girls sextet, 2 yrs.; Madrigal, 2 yrs.; solo, 1 yr.; FSA, 2 yrs.; Language Club, 2 yrs.; Pep Club, 2 yrs.; FTA, 2 yrs.; typing award, sophomore yr.; "Fiddler on the Roof"; "Oliver", Conference Choir, 2 yrs.; District Choir, 1 yr.; FSA vice president, 1 yr.; Language Club treasurer, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; District contest, 4 yrs.; State contest, 1 yr.

JOYCE LEE SHADE

MARK ALEX SHADE: football, 4 yrs.; track, 1 yr.; L Club, 2 yrs.; VICA Club.

CYNTHIA SUE SITTON: FFA, president; FHA, reporter; Highlights, editor; Alamo staff; FFA voting delegate for the 50th Convention; Honor Roll; student librarian; Horticulture Judging Team; FFA trap shooting team; vocal music, 2 yrs.; Band, 1 yr.; De-

kalb Ag. award.

WILLIAM JOSEPH SMITH: Area Vocational School.

VENEITA DIANE STARKEY: Pep Club, 1 yr.; Band, 2 yrs.; basketball, 3 yrs.; lettered 2 yrs.; track manager, 1 yr.; Language Club, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; vocal music, 1 yr.

ROBERT DENNIS SUTTON: football, 4 yrs.; lettered 2 yrs.; track, 4 yrs., lettered 3 yrs.; FSA, 1 yr.; L Club, 3 yrs.; Honor Roll, 3 yrs.; Dog-pack.

KATHIE ANN TALLMAN: All State band, 2 yrs.; All Conference Band, 5 yrs.; All District Band, 4 yrs.; vocal music, State and District contests; small ensembles and solos, 4 yrs.; Elks Music Award; Table Tennis Women's Champion 1974-1975; National Honor Society; Pep Club; Language Club; Science Club; track, 1 yr.; music production orchestra, 4 yrs.; senior class secretary; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.

LARRY DALE TAYLOR

RODNEY WILLIAM TODD: Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; National Honor Society, 3 yrs.; Football, 3 yrs., tri-captain, senior yr.; 1st team All Conference Defense, senior yr.; 1st team All District Defense, senior yr.; basketball, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 4 yrs.; "South Pacific", "Oliver", "Fiddler on the Roof", "Revolutionary Ideas", Chamber Choir, 2 yrs.; District Choir, 1 yr.; Conference Choir, 2 yrs.; Madrigals, 3 yrs.; small ensembles, 4 yrs.; District and State contests, 4 yrs.; Student Council representative, 2 yrs., president, senior yr.; Homecoming escort, senior yr.; Courtwarming escort, sophomore and junior yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.

SARAH LEE ANNE TRAVIS: FHA, 1 yr.; FSA 1 yr.; J. V. basketball manager, 1 yr.; Varsity co-manager, 1 yr.; Junior Class float committee chairman; vocal music, 4 yrs.; mixed chorus, 3 yrs.

WALTER THEODORE WADDELL: FFA treasurer; FFA vice president; FFA voting delegate at State Convention; Highlights staff.

KEVIN PIERRE WARD: L Club, 2 yrs.; football, 2 yrs.; Band, 3 yrs.; Honor Roll, 1 yr.; basketball manager, 1 yr.; track, 2 yrs.

ERLYNDA CAYE WHEELER: Band, 3 yrs.; vocal music, 1 yr.; lettered in Band, 3 yrs.; basketball, 2 yrs., lettered, 1 yr.

TONY KEITH WILLIAMS:

JAMES PAUL WILSON, JR.: vocal music, 4 yrs.; golf team, 1 yr.; District Contest, solo, madrigal; Chamber Choir, 2 yrs.; FFA, 2 yrs., reporter, 1 yr.; "Revolutionary Ideas"; "Oliver"; "Fiddler on the Roof."

PHILIP ALAN WILSON: English I award; Area Vocational School, 2 yrs.

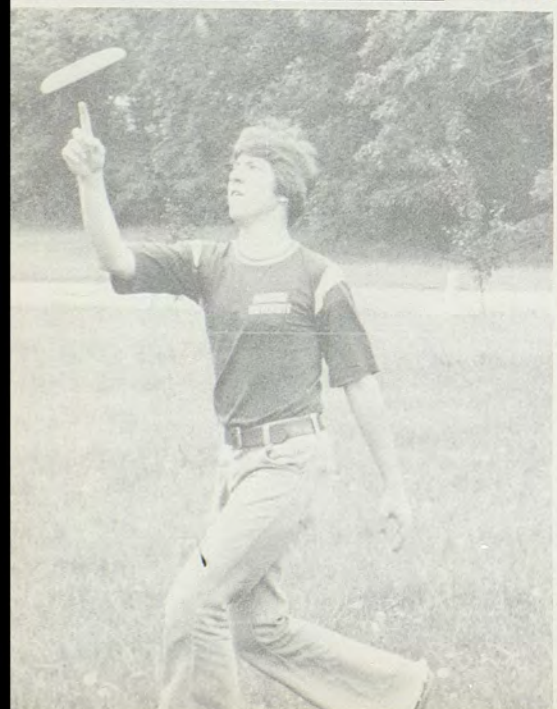
TERESA LYNN WILSON: Pep Club, 3 yrs.; FSA, 1 yr.; Language Club, 1 yr.; Student Council, 1 yr.; student librarian, 3 yrs.; Junior Achievement, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; Junction staff, 1 yr.; Senior Class representative; Sadie Hawkins candidate, senior yr.

ROGER NEAL WOMMACK: Band, 4 yrs.; track, 4 yrs.; basketball, 3 yrs.; L Club, 3 yrs.; FFA, 1 yr.

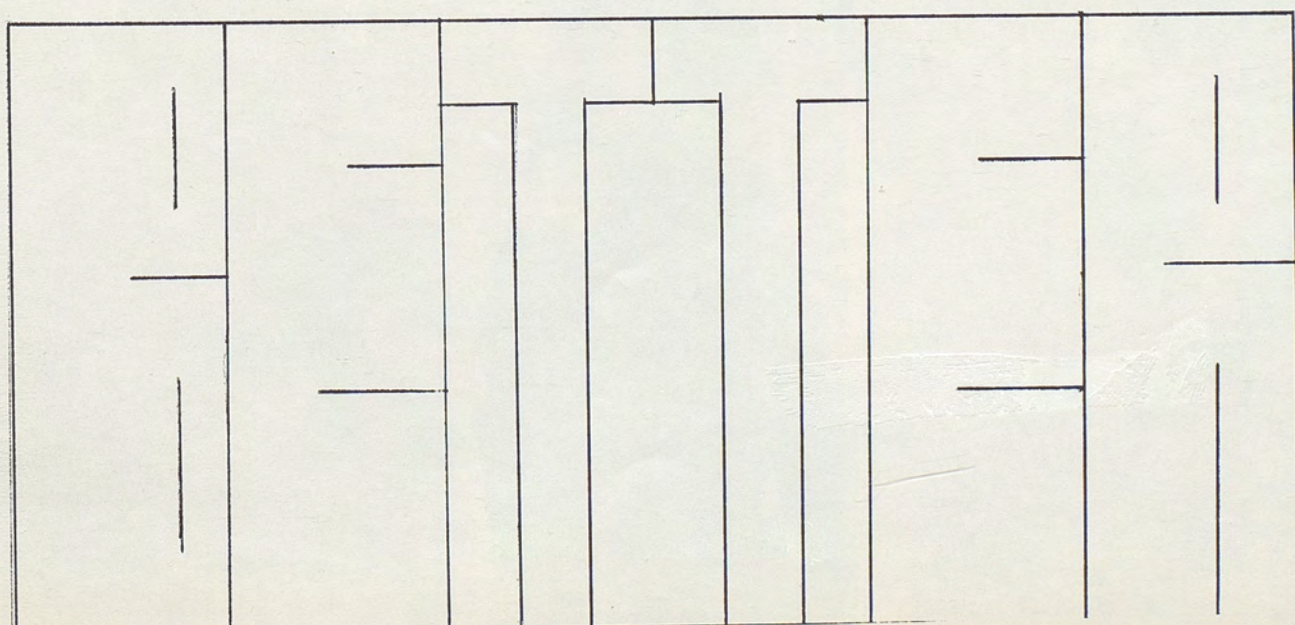
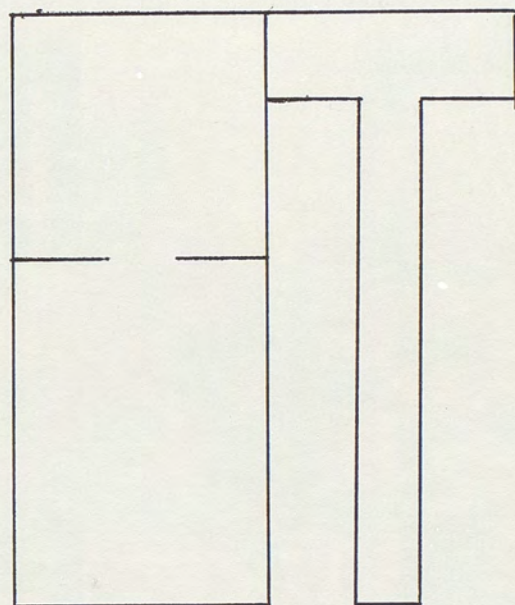
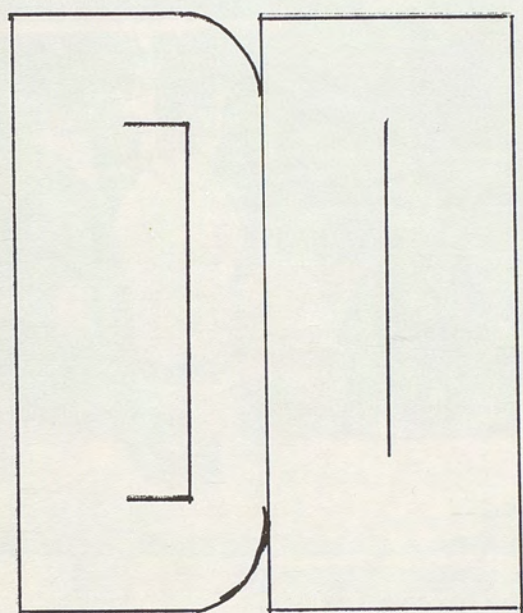
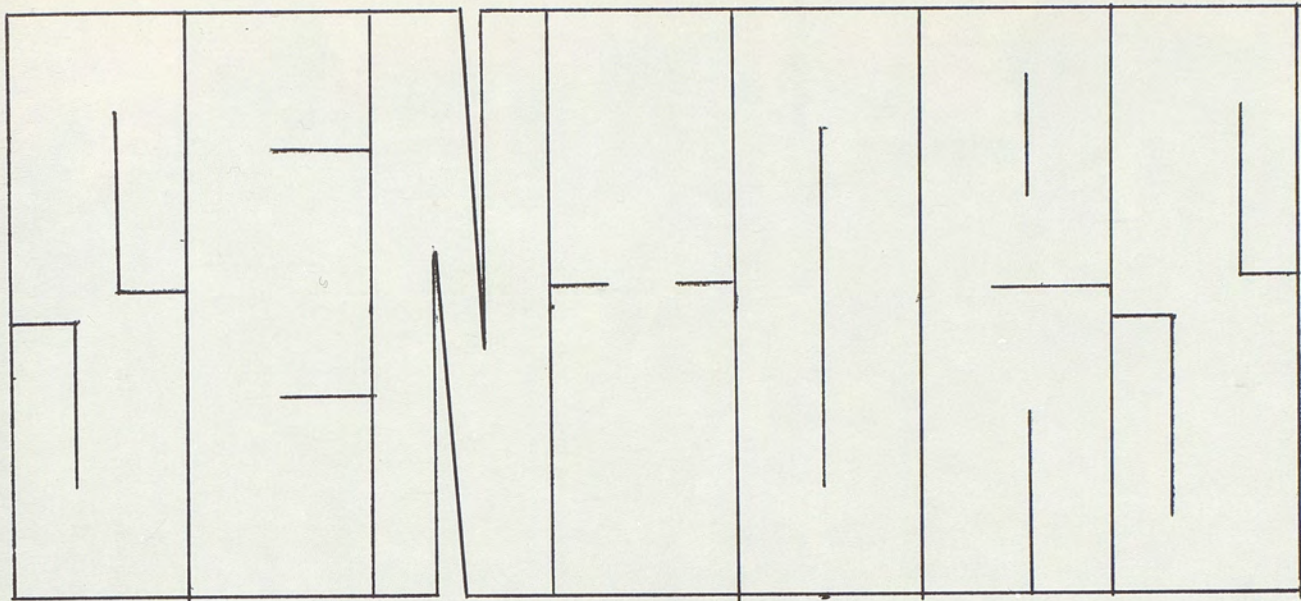
DIANNE ELIZABETH WOODS: FSA, 3 yrs.; Language Club, 2 yrs.; Pep Club, 1 yr.; Honor Society, 2 yrs.; vocal music, 3 yrs.; Alamo staff, 1 yr.; Honor Roll, 4 yrs.; perfect attendance; "Blithe Spirit"; "South Pacific"; Junior Achievement, 2 yrs., corporate secretary, 1 yr.; 1st prize poetry contest; Junction editor; American Literature award; writing award, senior yr.; B & PW scholarship; NCTE nominee.

DREW ALLAN YAEGER: Art Fair, 1976; "Revolutionary Ideas" stage crew; Area Vocational School, 2 yrs.

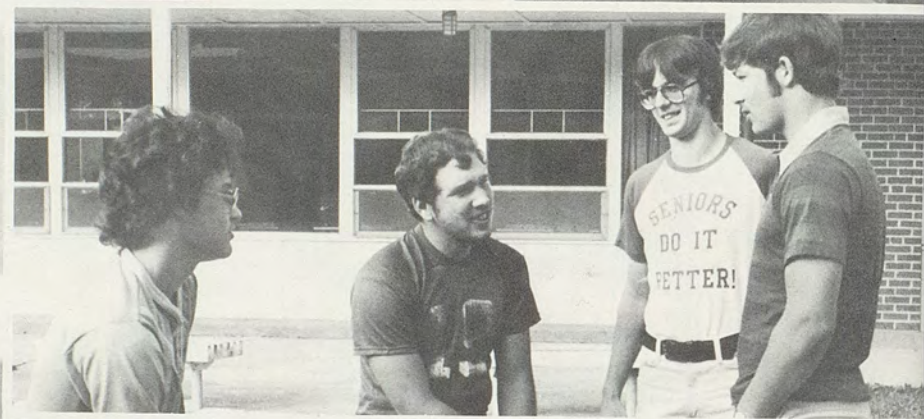
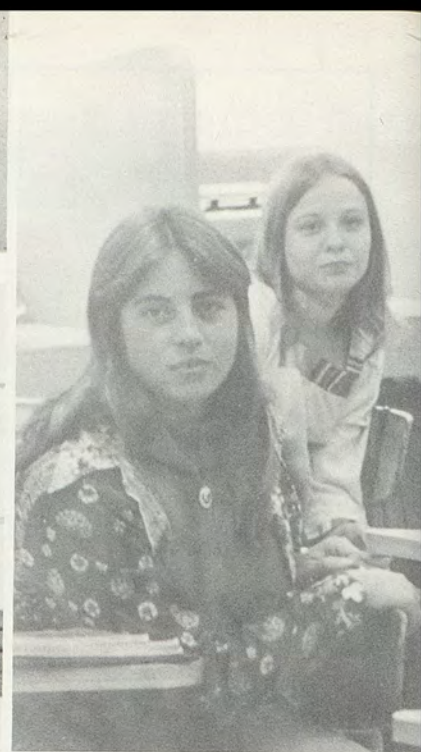
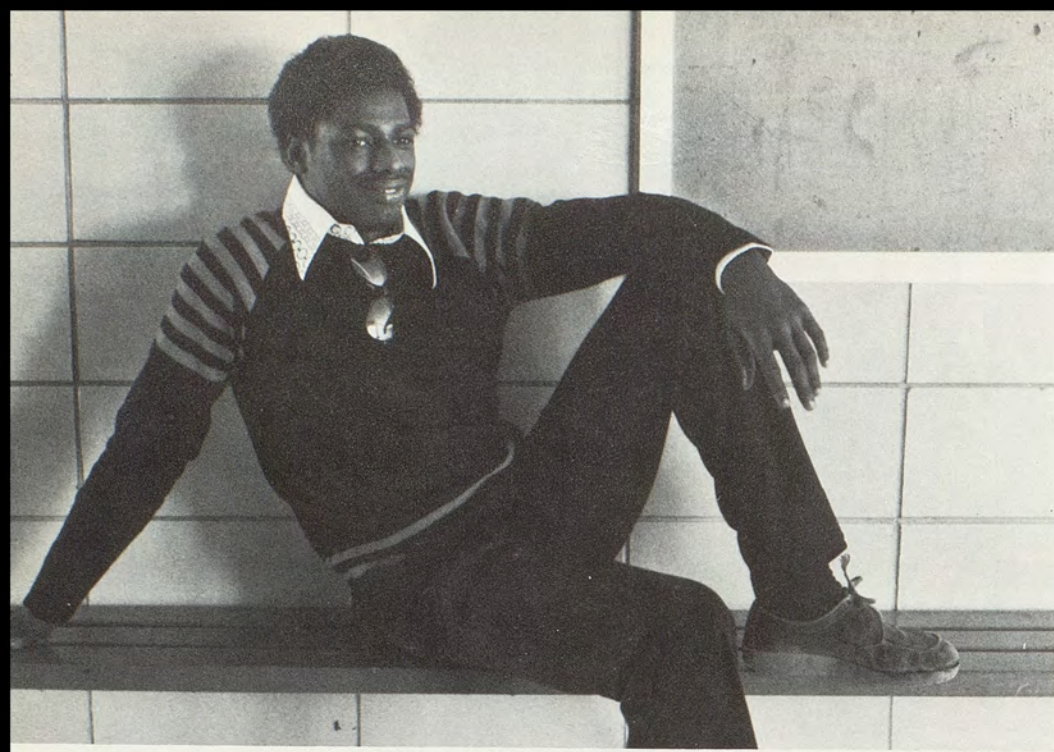




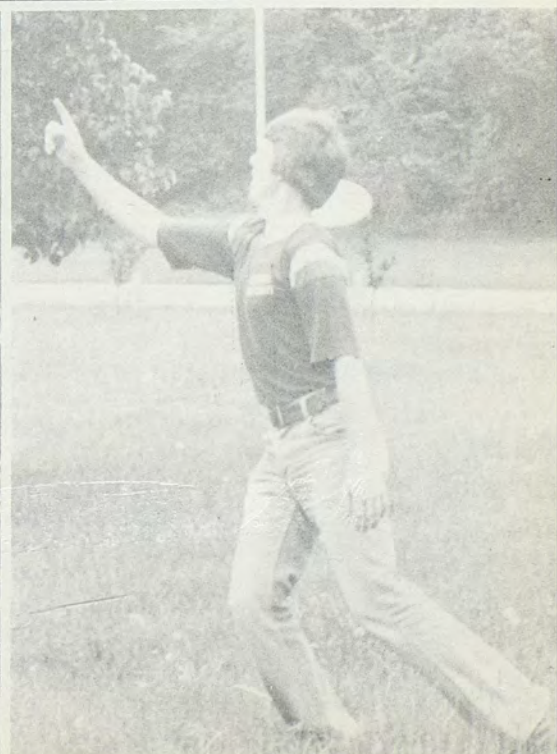
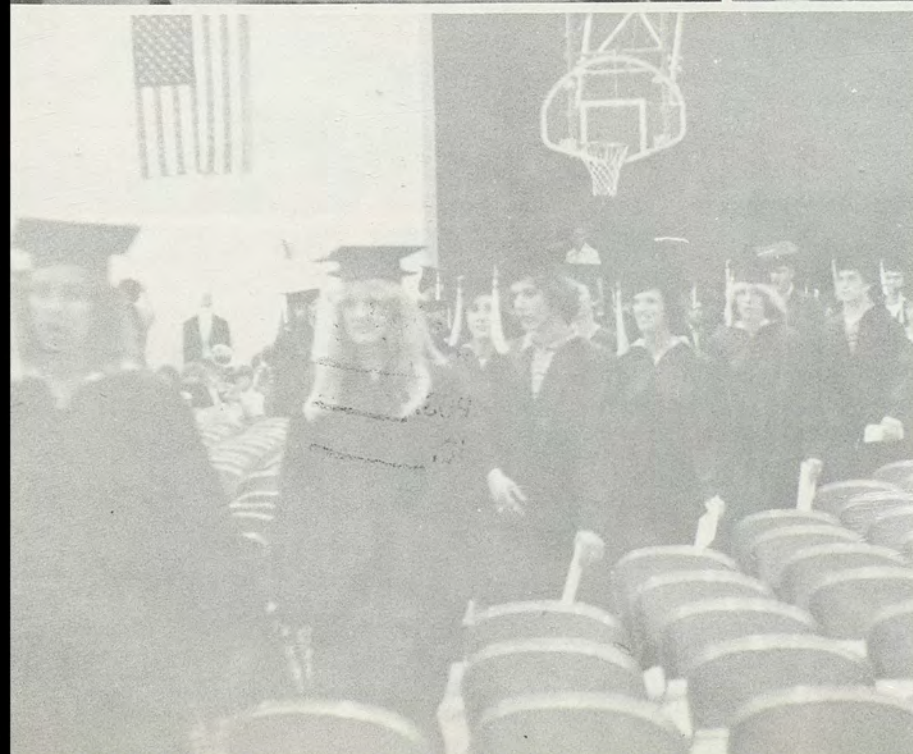
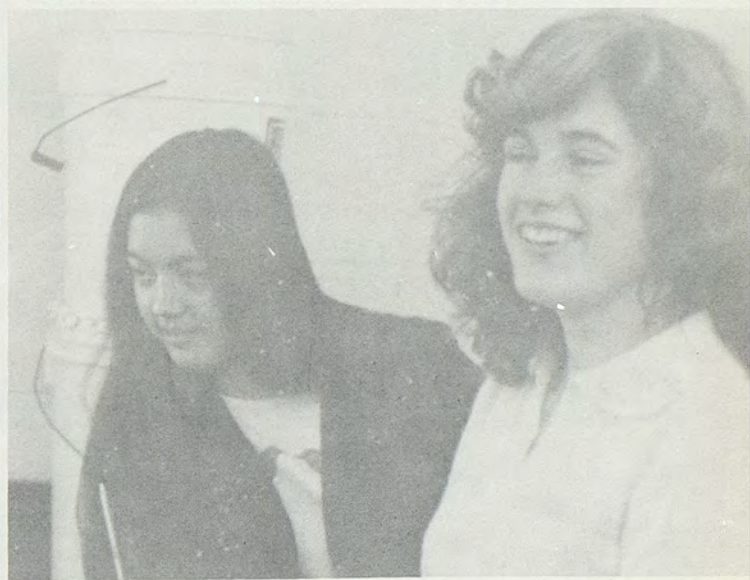
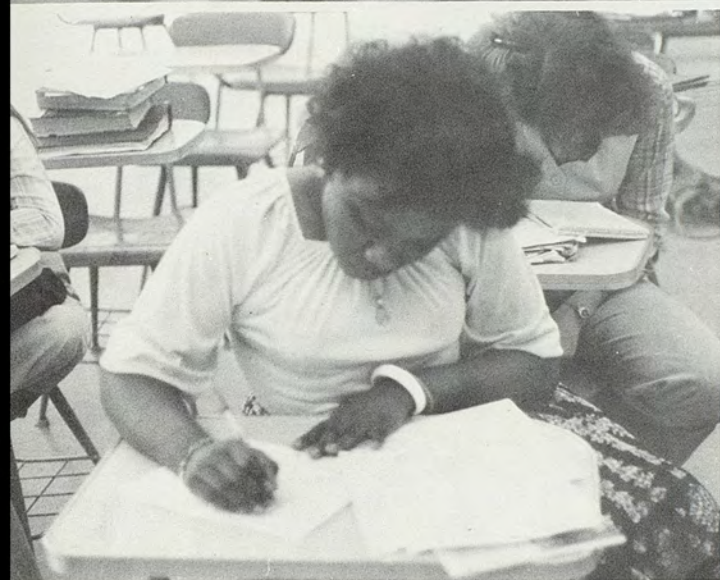
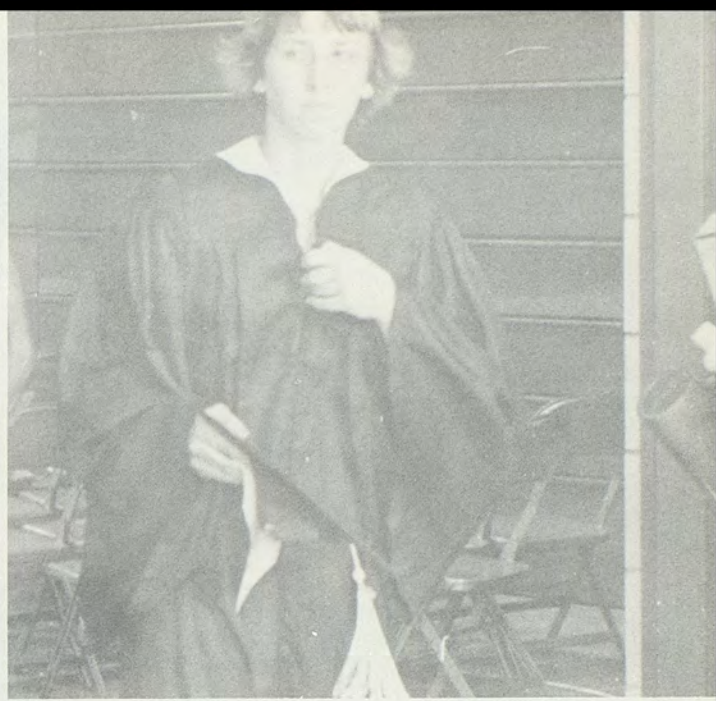
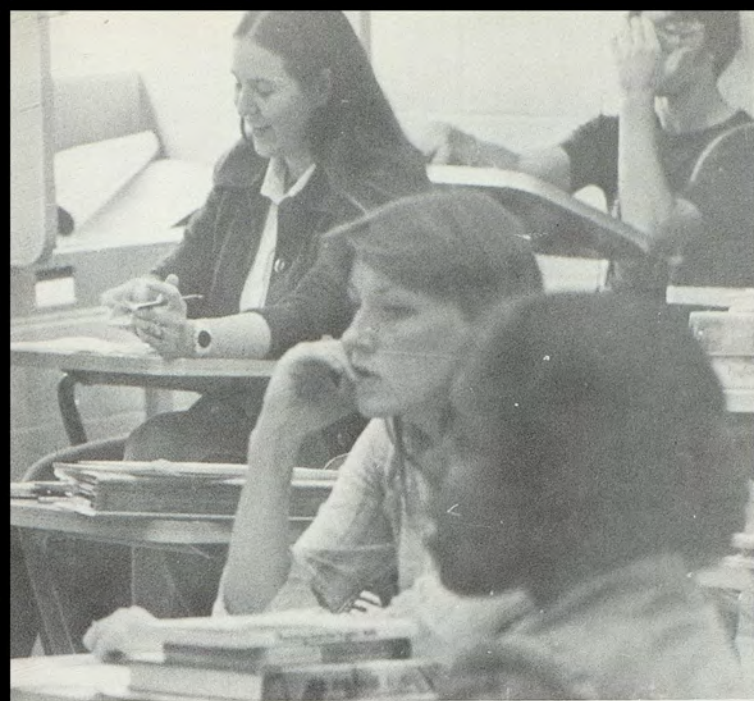




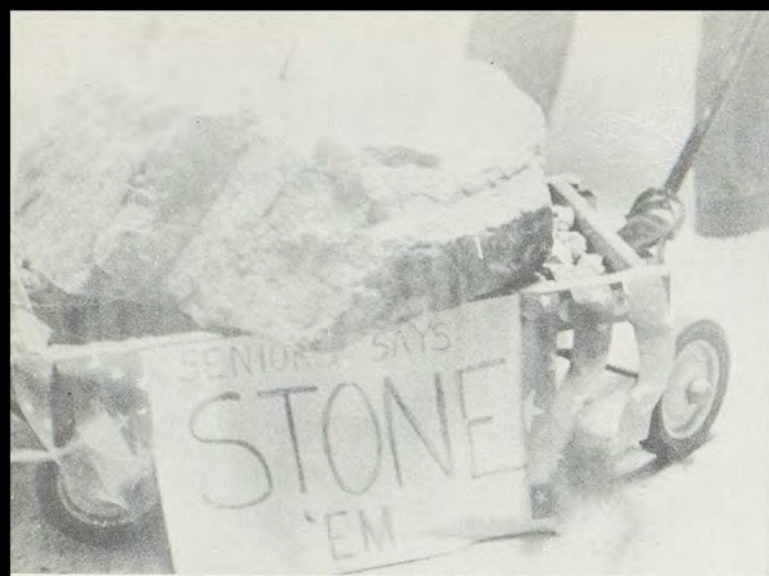












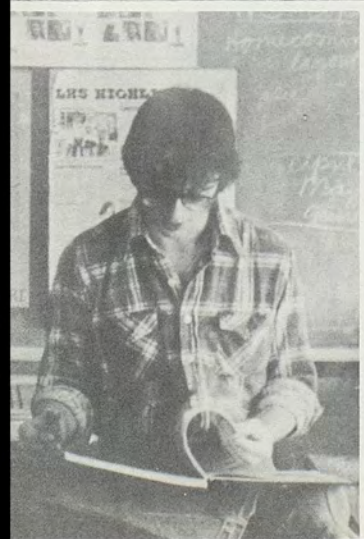
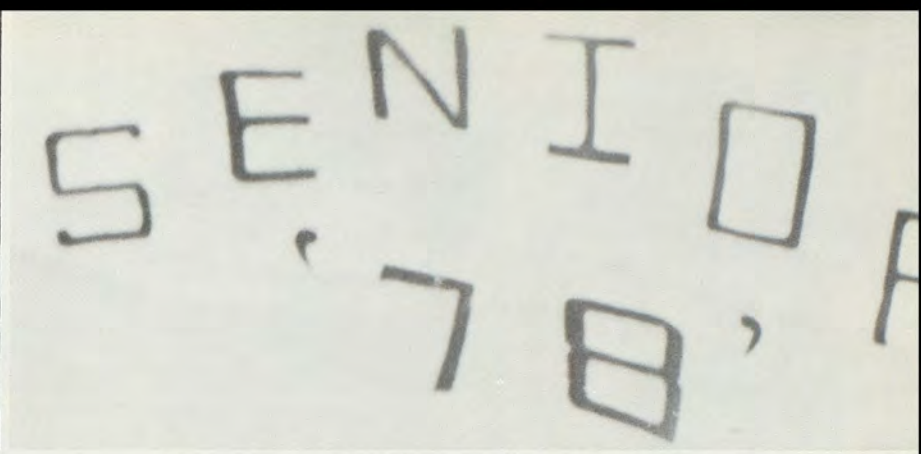
The 1977-78 Senior year was a year that will be long remembered. It was a year for decisions, expanding ideas, and preparing for the future. The year ranged from such endless efforts as the unsuccessful mini float, pictured top left, to the breathtaking first place "Skunk Float", pictured at the right.

Class officers pictured top right were: Mary Beth Eipper, president; William Ludwig, vice-president; Kathie Tallman, secretary; and Aliko Oliver, treasurer.

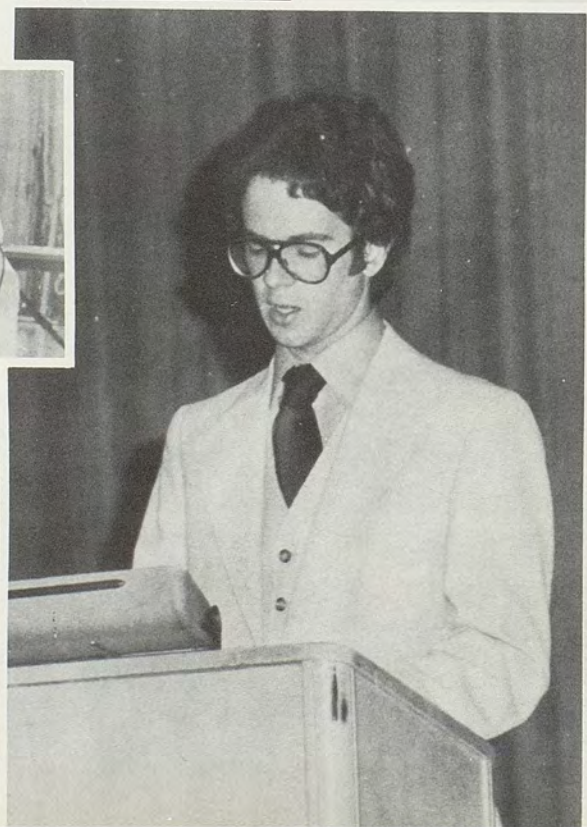
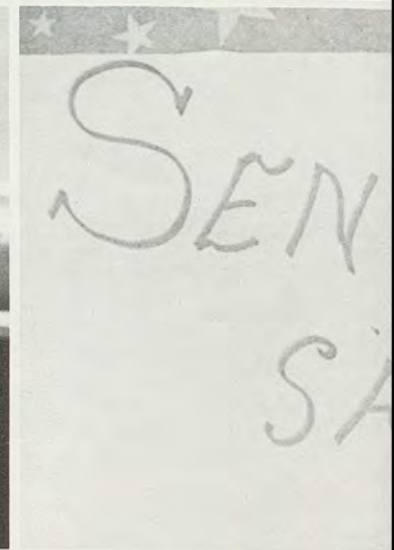
The class of 78 was a strong class and they had a successful year. Some activities included the Haunted House, the floats, SENIORS DO IT BETTER T-shirts, and after four years of observing the LHS teachers, finally portrayed them to the T in the first place courtwarming skit.



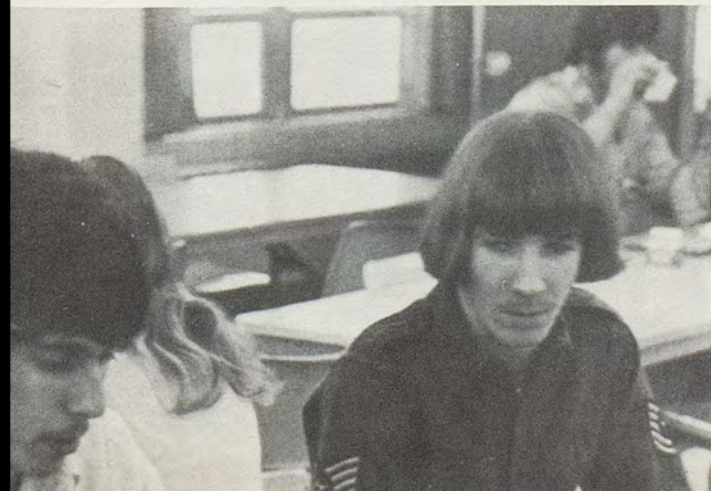




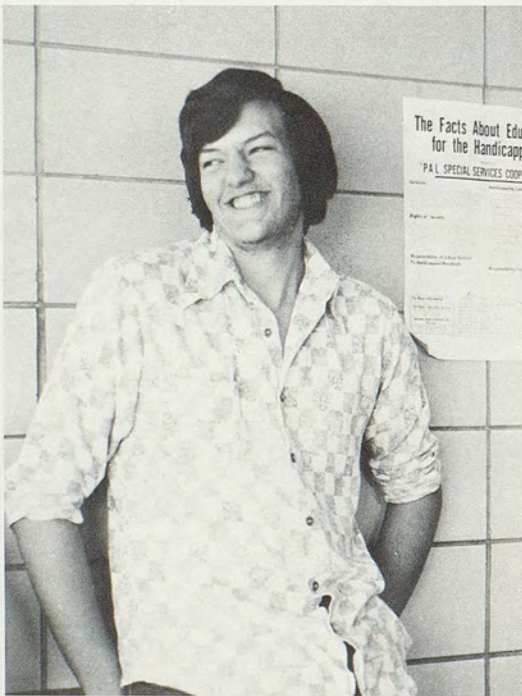
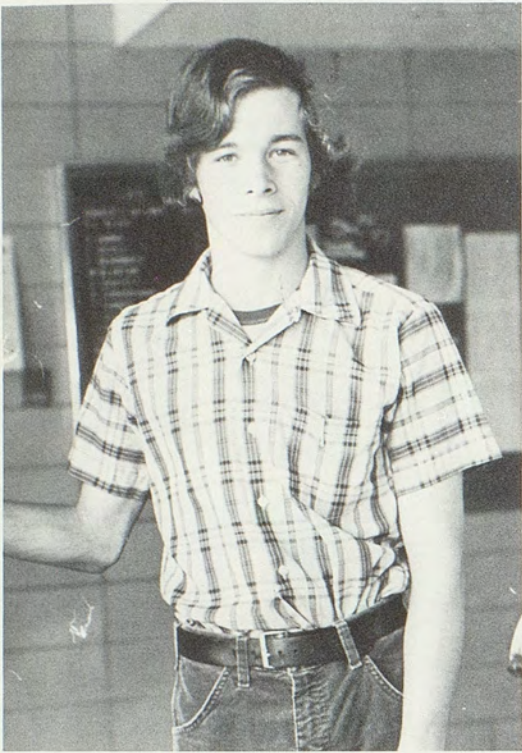




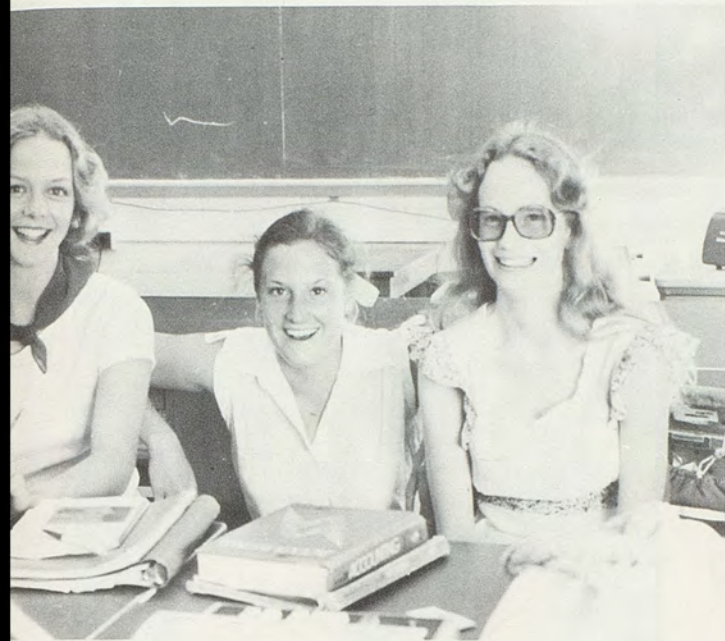




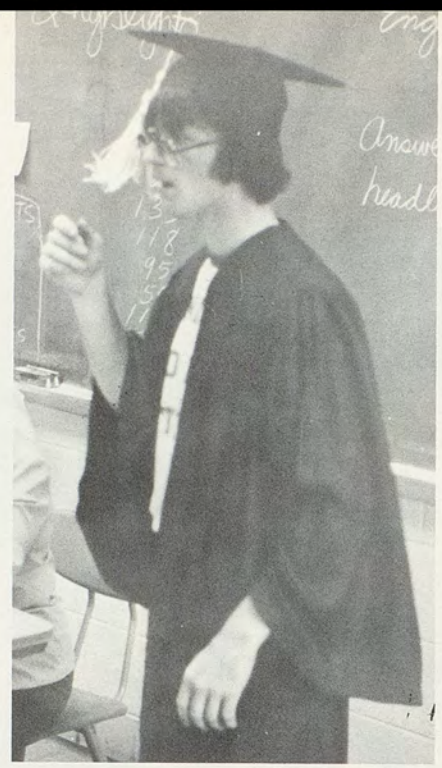




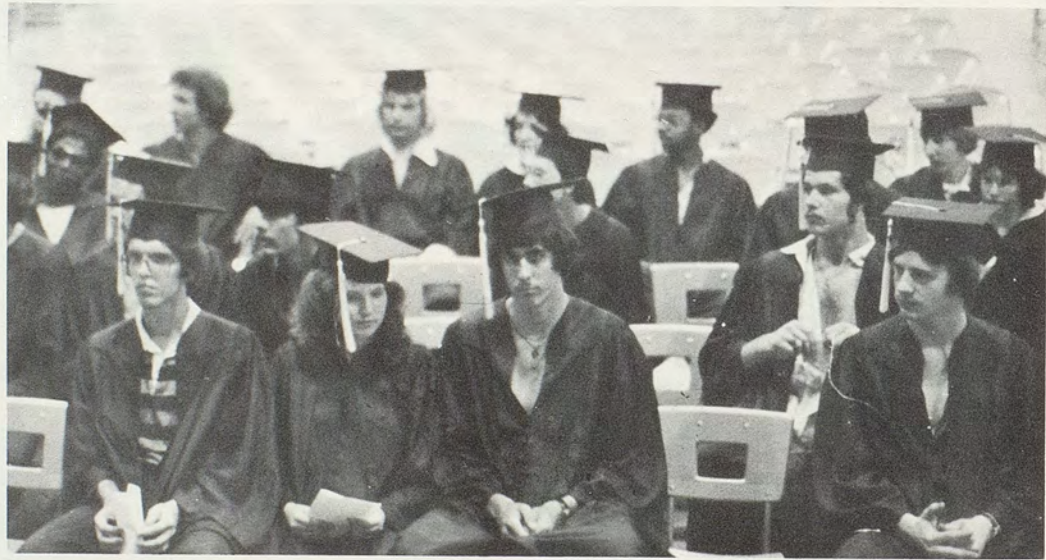






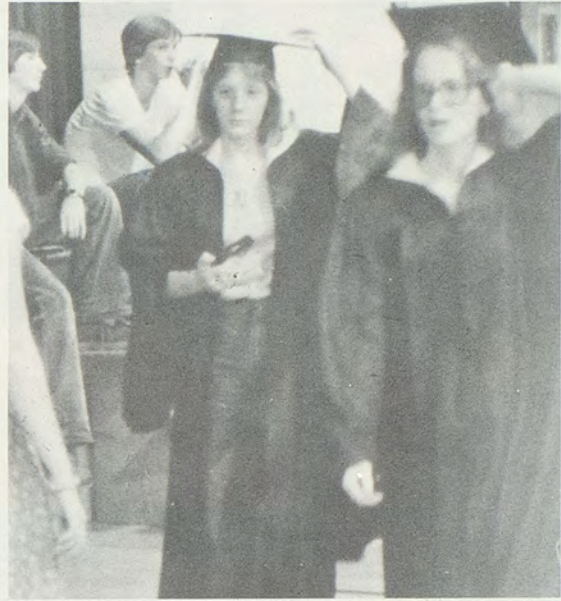
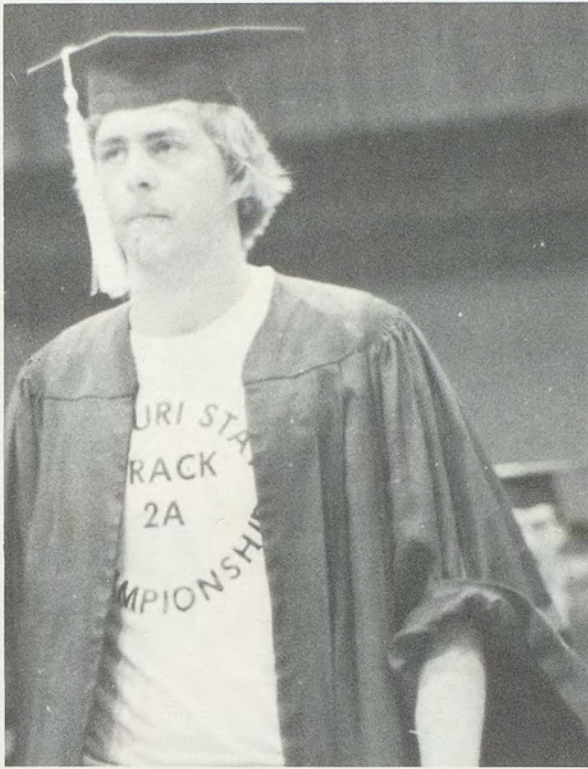


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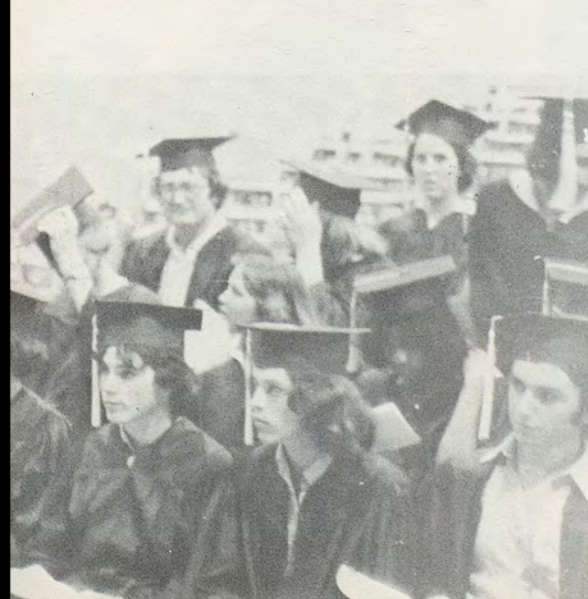


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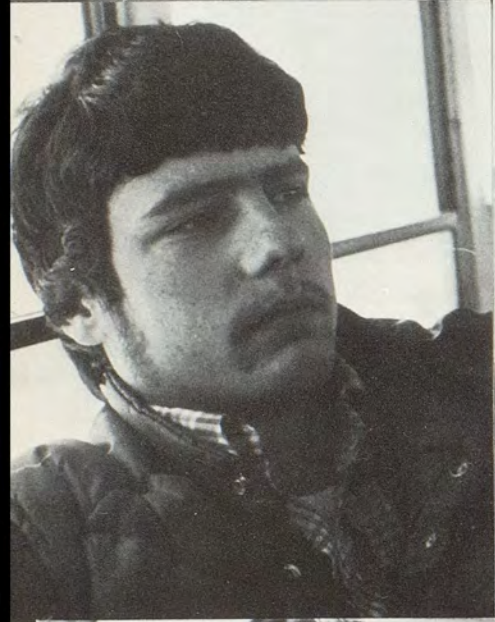




As our senior year came to an end we had mixed emotions about what was going on around us. But with the strength and stamina of the class of 78 we pulled through and made our Senior year a memorable one. Elizabeth Onik and Don Giltner truly delivered the thoughts and ideals of the graduates to close the year for class of 1978.









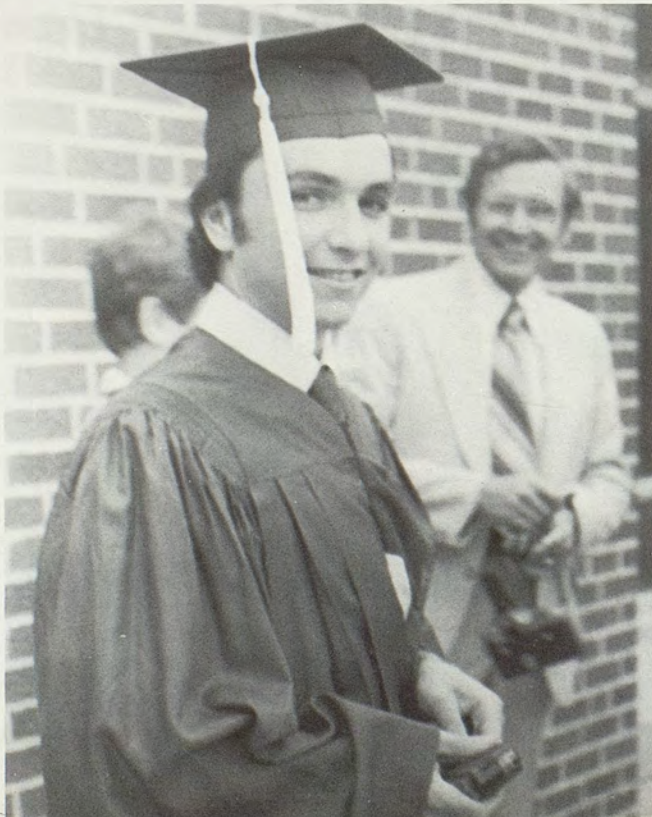
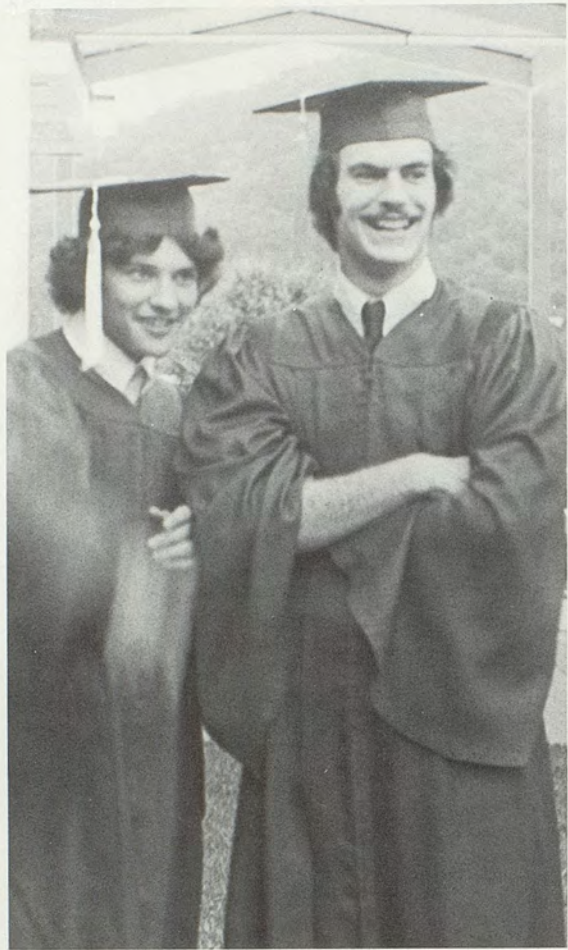
Senior Salute

In every life time there lies a dream,  
a variation of horizons,  
Which wait patiently to blossom  
in the future sun,  
One black, one white, one yellow, one  
red,  
Each echoing goals undreamed,  
And whether they are each  
played with intensity,  
They all stand boldly against  
the blue cushions of  
tomorrow's sky,  
Waiting to sing our new harmonies  
of gold rays.  
And when joined together,  
no  
matter how distant  
The black and yellow from the  
White and red,  
all blend as one, one class,  
one body, one individual, one people,  
One variation of life, on every  
day echoing  
a dream.

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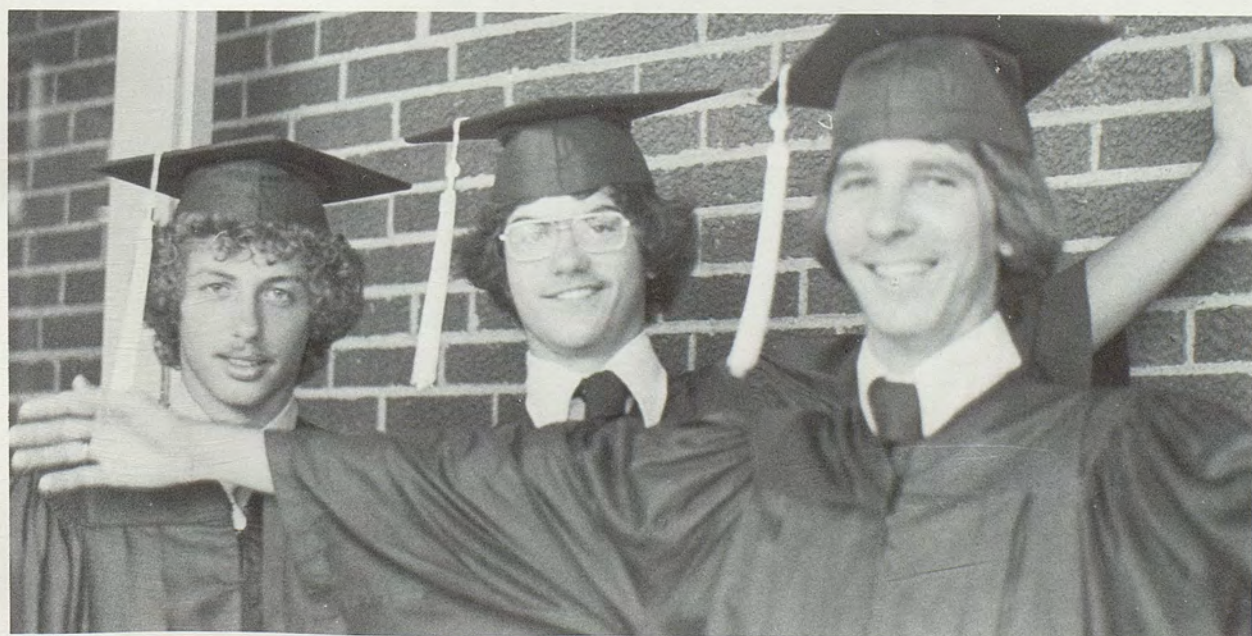
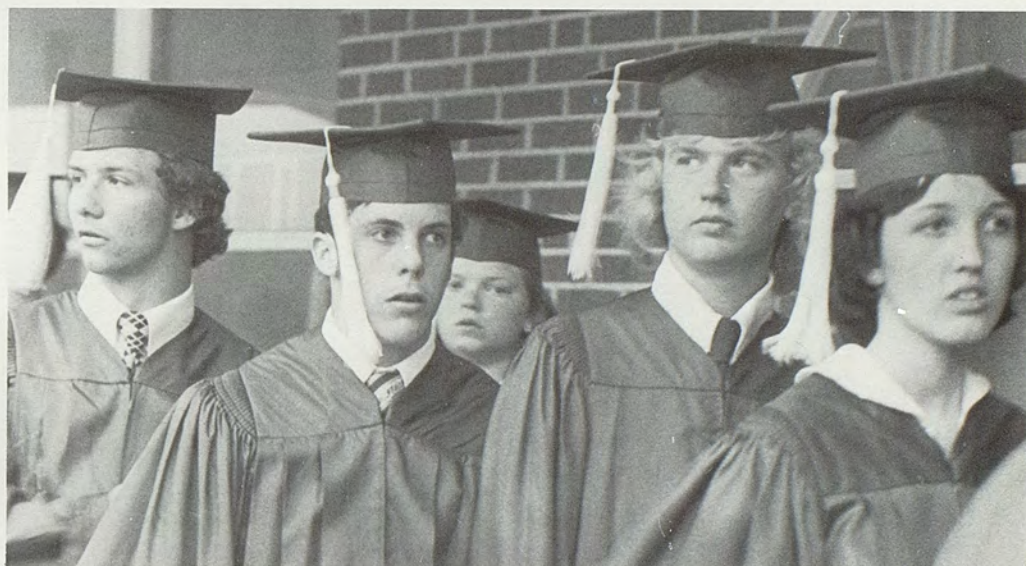
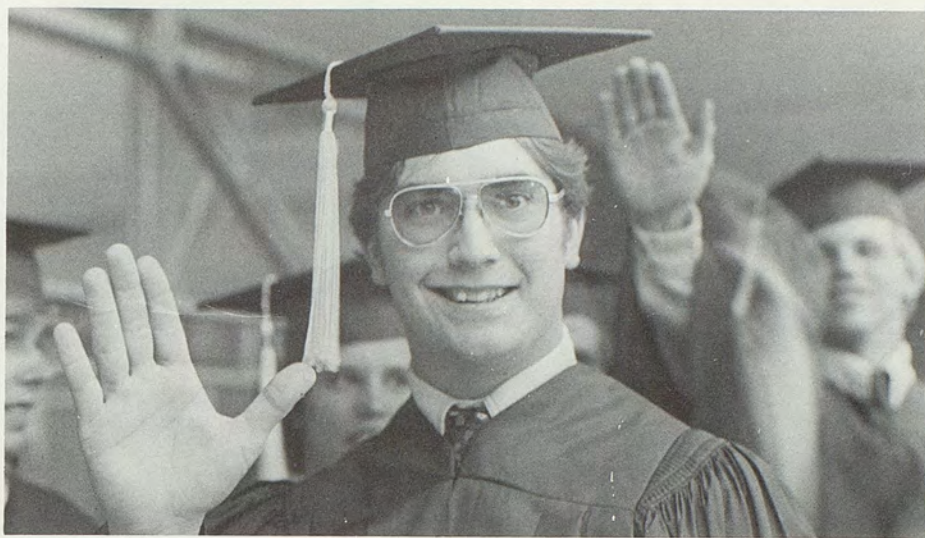
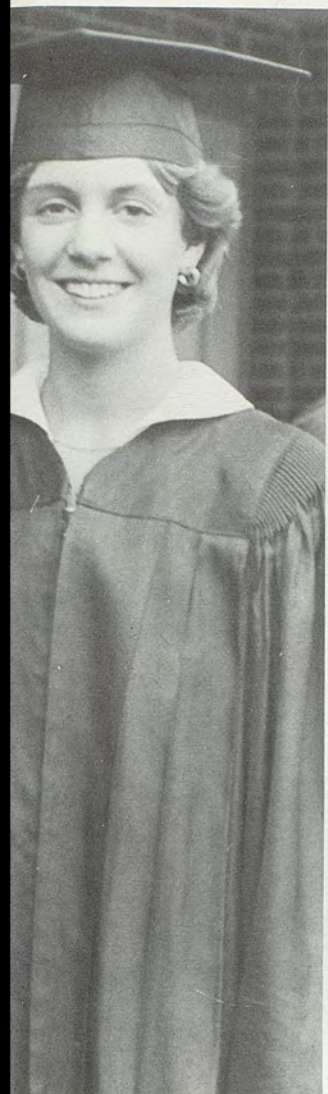
-Wanda Parsons





Graduates  
And Their  
Many, Many  
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# THE SENIOR CLASS OF NINETEEN



First row, D. Poor, T. Wilson, D. Dewey, S. Travis, C. Wheeler, T. Pursifull, J. Denney, J. Marsh, V. Starkey, K. Tallman; Second row, K. Fry, S. Penrod, C. Sitton, V. Mitts, C. Love, D. Griffith, V. Bauman, M. Eipper, A. Oliver, N. Crowder, G. Love; Third row, B. Smith, M. Murry, P. Eastman, E. Gower, C. Elliott, B. Gordon, K. Hampton, C. Loesing, P. Wilson, M. Bronson; Fourth row, M. Brown, S. Meyers, J. Benning, M. Shade, L. Robbins, J. Wilson, J. Culhane, D. Sutton, T. Waddell, M. Rubemeyer.



# HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT

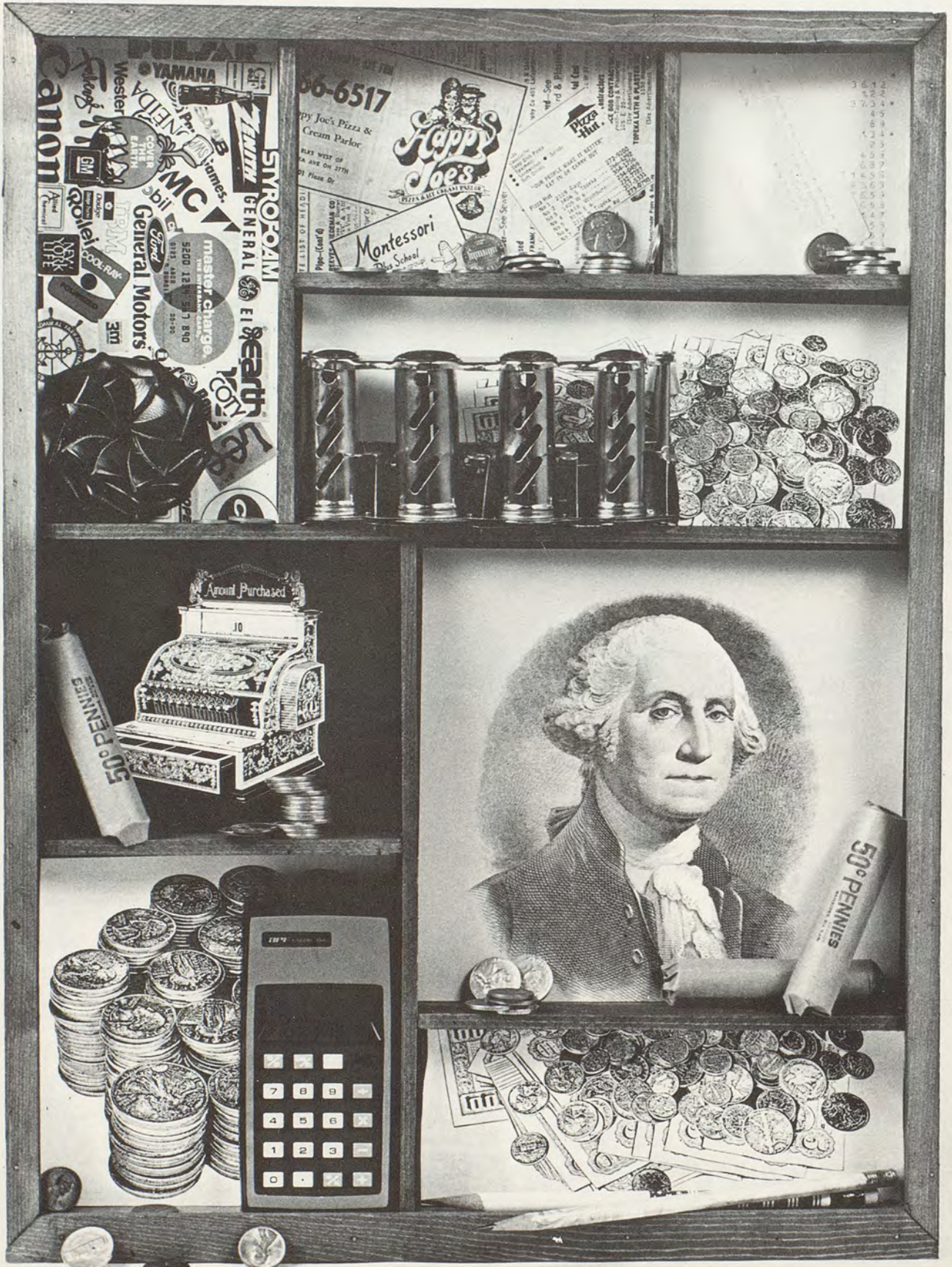
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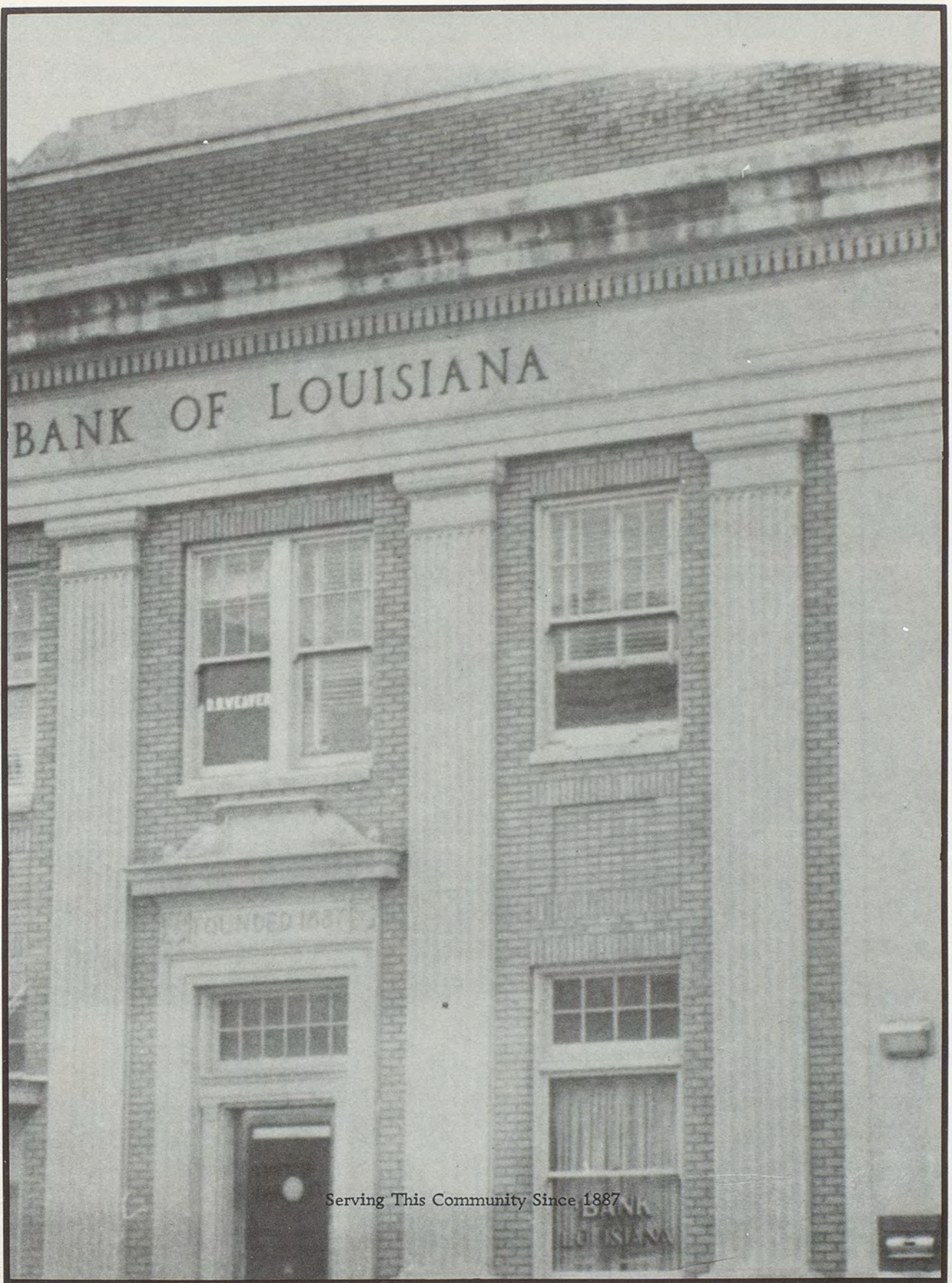
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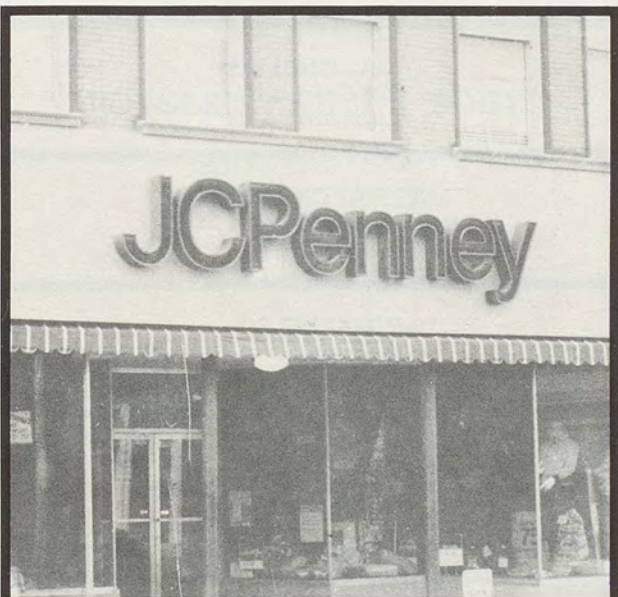
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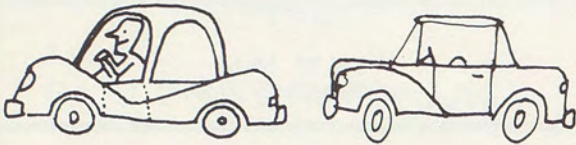
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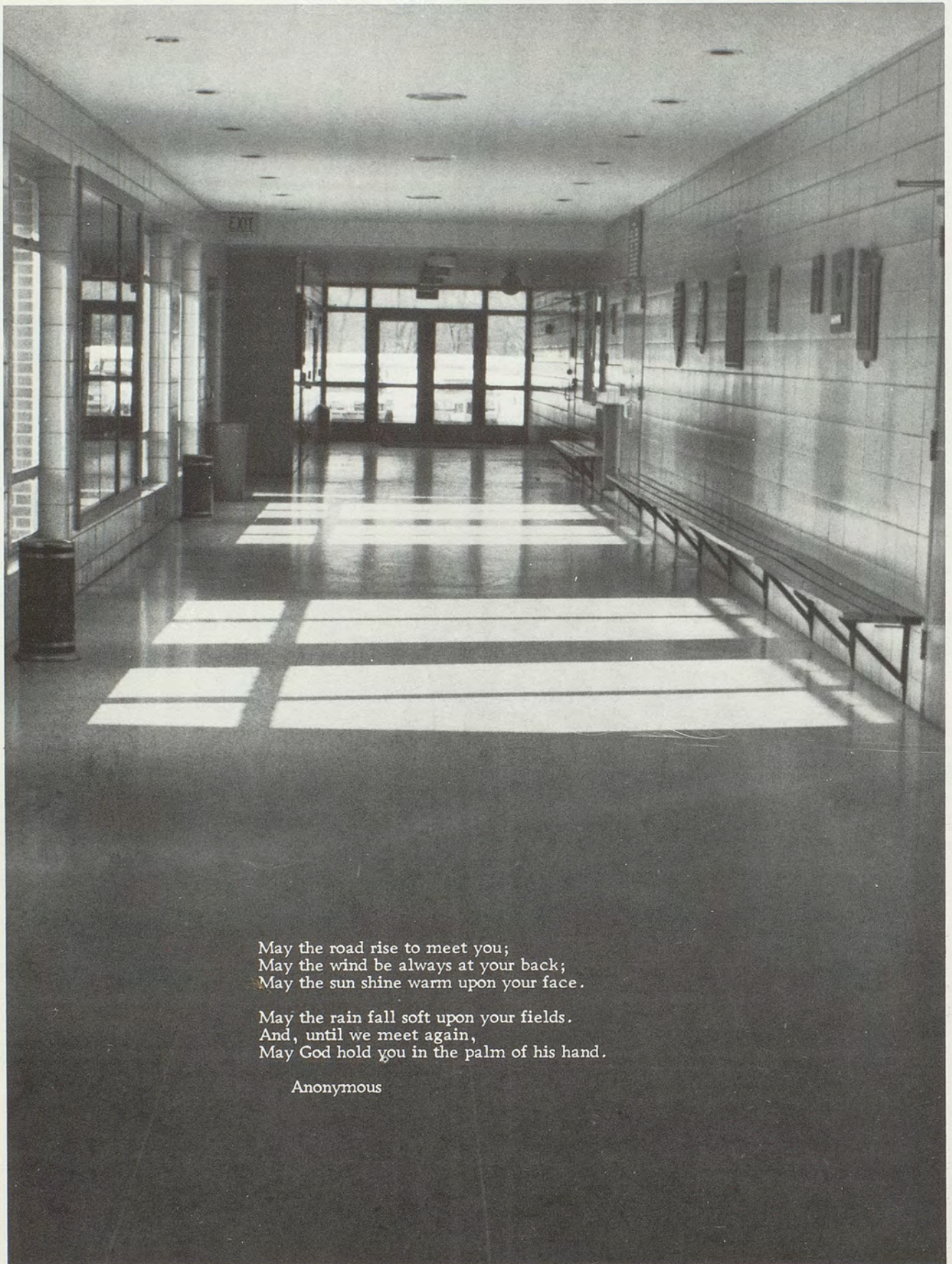
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