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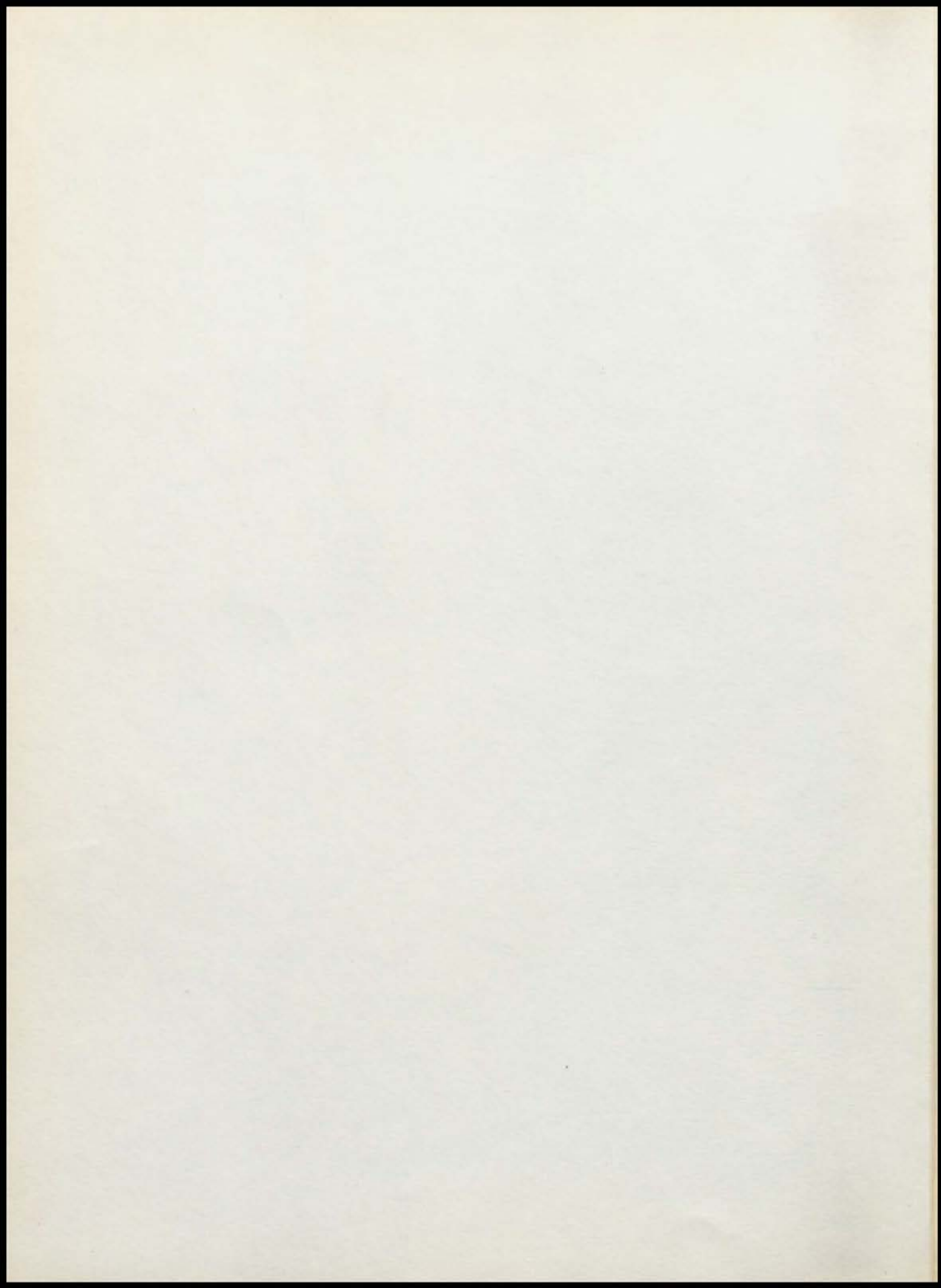
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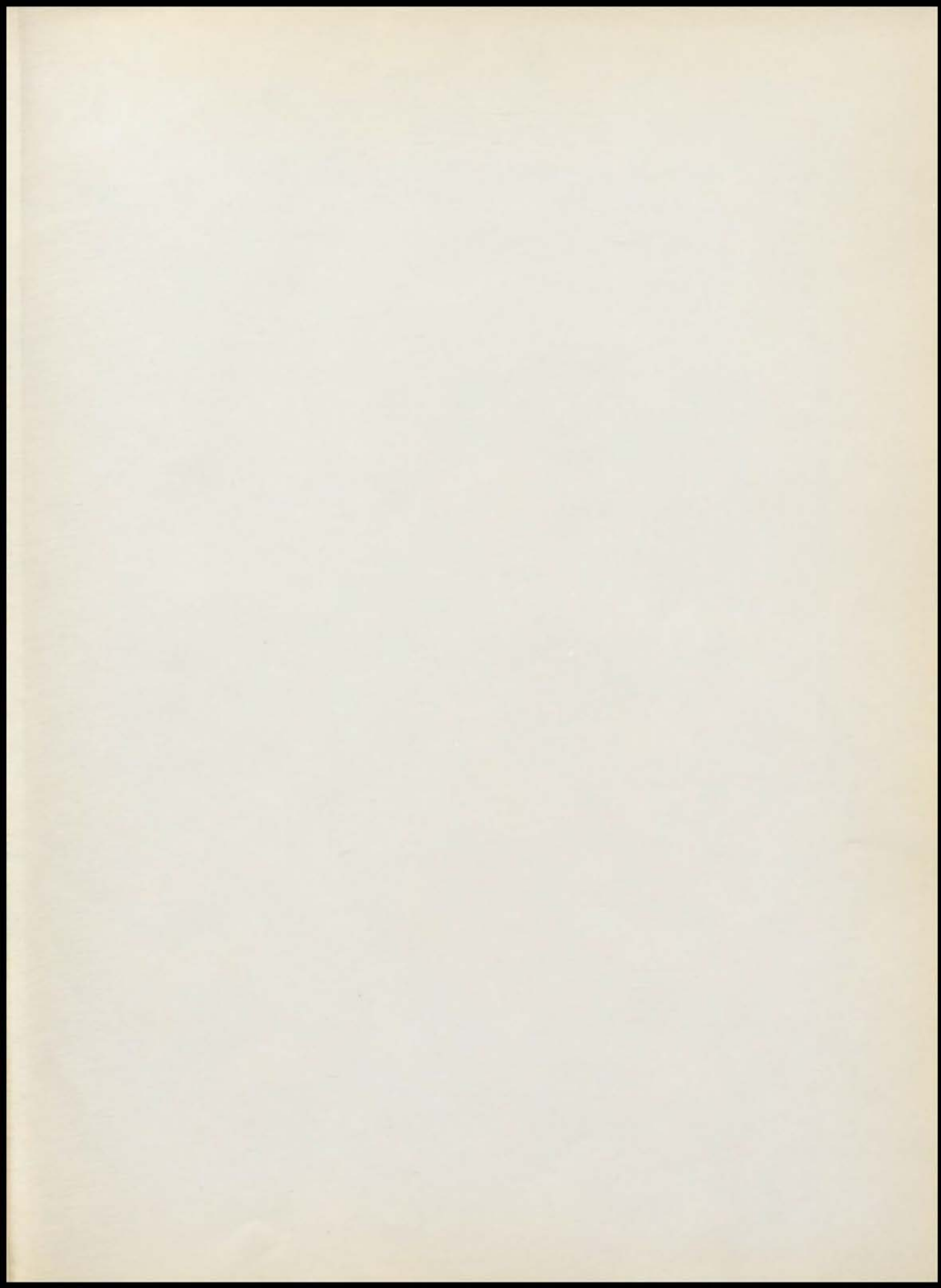


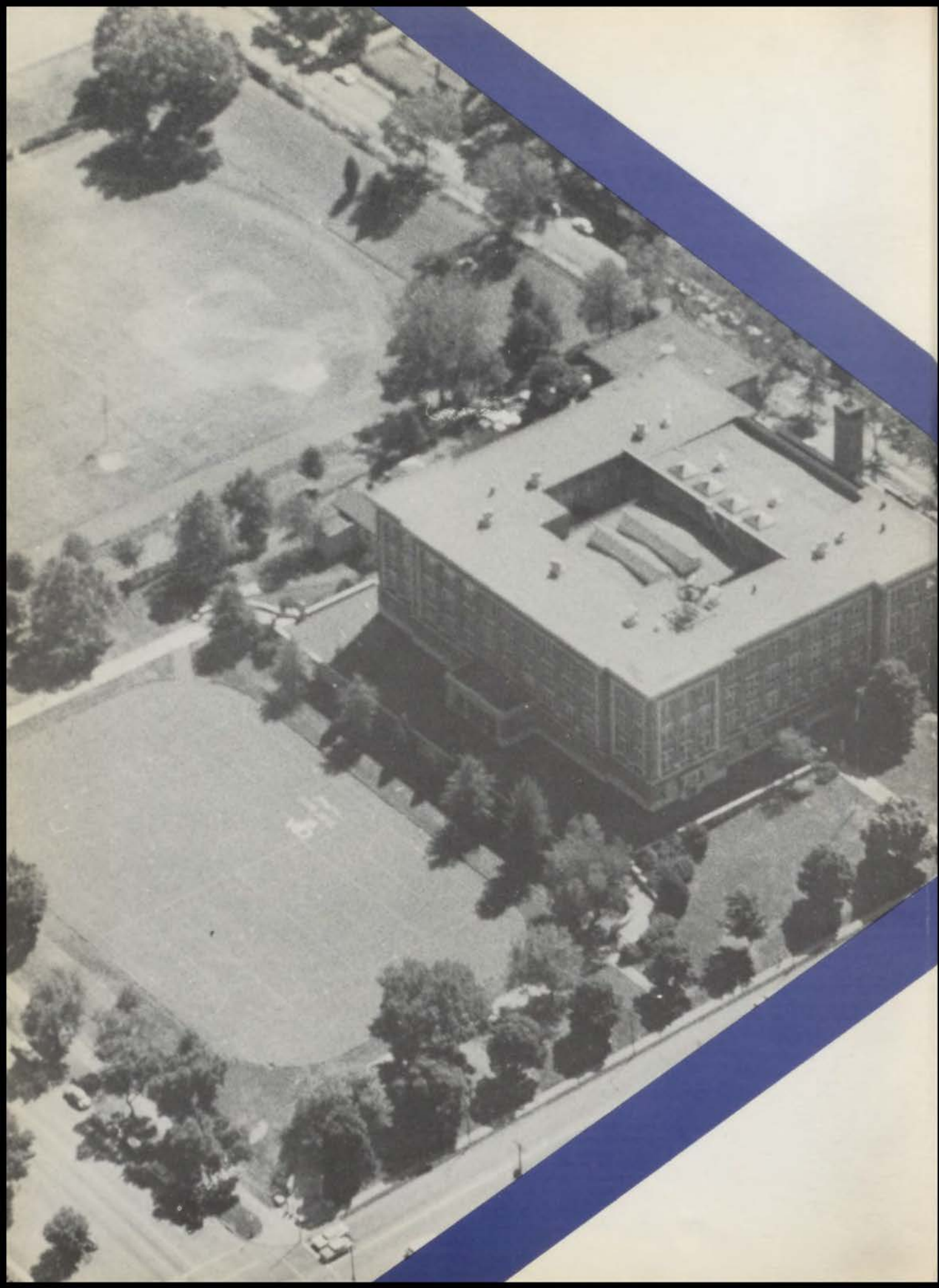
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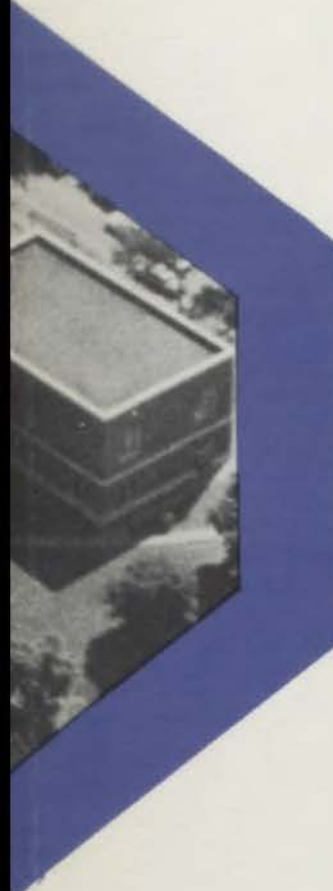
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CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

FOREWORD

The cheering at the games, the hum of happy conversation, the class and organization discussions, the speeches, and songs in assembly — we are unable to record for you.

But the friendly faces, the familiar scenes, the groups and activities, the achievements of teams and individuals — these we have recorded on the pages that follow.

We have enjoyed compiling this Memory Book of the months from September, 1961 through May, 1962. Our hope is that you will receive much pleasure in the years that come in retrospection of your happy school days.

The Staff





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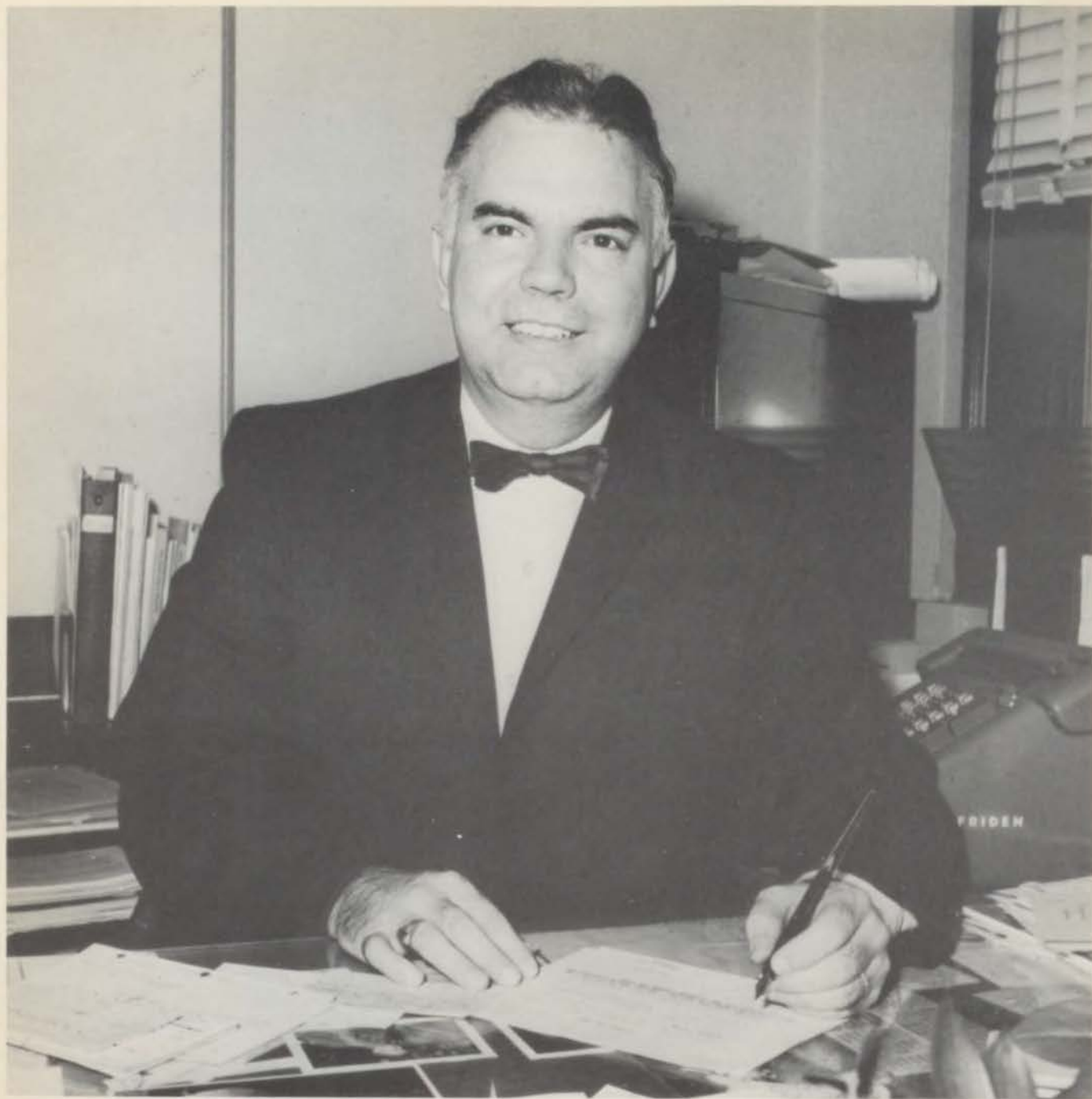
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Of ethics and philosophy he read,
Kept Aristotle right beside his bed.
When he spoke; what he said was clear,
And full of sense, so that you wished to hear;
Of high ideals and virtue was his speech;
And gladly would he learn, and gladly teach.

Chaucer



FACULTY



To the 1962 Senior Class

Cherish your education, cherish your understanding, cherish your vision, cherish your ideals, and cherish the fine things and good thoughts that grow in your minds, for out of these grow the great and enjoyable things of your life

James F Boyd .



There is growing conviction that our society demands that all who have the ability must receive at least a high school education. At the same time it is demanded that graduation from high school represent a high standard of academic accomplishment.

The class of 1962 now emerges from a program of study that was designed with a sensitivity to these two demands. In a broader sense, responsiveness to the needs of the young people of today has dictated that your educational experiences also provide an opportunity for development in many other areas that are considered vital for effective living in our society.

Upon the shoulders of your generation, the emerging adults, rests a heavily awesome responsibility—the preservation of mankind. Somehow, you must find a way to build on to the foundation of your high school work a purposeful educational structure that not only exploits your fullest potential, but also contributes positively to man's relationship to man. The extent to which you are able to accomplish this will reduce by that much the crucial lack that now colors the affairs of mankind. It will also be a measure of true success.

My congratulations and best wishes to you.

Robert R. Wheeler



One important objective of Central High School's education is to develop leadership among its students with the hope that they may go into community and national life with conviction and purpose. Leadership is basically the art of accomplishing a mission through people. Leadership cannot be just a mandate or an order. It must have a purpose, an explanation or reason that influences another person to think the matter through, to evaluate, reach conclusions and make decisions. One may say leadership is the acceptance of moral responsibilities.

God, through your parents, gave you intelligence; Central has been instrumental in directing it. Through your associations at Central, you have also developed a knowledge of human understanding and the meaning of what it is to have the courage of conviction.

Intelligence, understanding and courage when properly combined will give you the authority to lead your fellow man.

It is the faculty's hope and desire that you graduates of '62 have acquired at Central these abilities for usefulness and happiness.

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Art
Northwestern University



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University of Kansas



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Driver's Education
University of California



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Wayne University



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College of Saint Teresa



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Crafts
University of Kansas



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Varsity Basketball Coach
and Social Studies
University of Southern
California



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Seminar and American
History
University of Wyoming

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Miss Alla Henge
General Mathematics
Arkansas A & M

Mr. David Jones
Band and Orchestra
University of Kansas

To be, or not to be, that is the question;
Whether 't is nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of outrageous fortune,
Or to take arms against a sea of troubles,
And by opposing end them.

.....

This above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man.

"Hamlet" — William Shakespeare



SENIORS



Deborah Thomas
Vice President



Ronald Holden
Secretary



Richard Tolbert
President



Cheryl Williams
Treasurer



Chequita Shaw
Sergeant at Arms

We seniors in retrospect look back over the four years we have been bound together in class organizations and in school activities; and we count the friends we have made among our classmates and teachers. We realize how far through the arch of experience and knowledge we have progressed toward the horizon of life, which we see ever fading as we have taken the forward steps.

Milestones that we will leave for the juniors to measure their achievements by are not a few. Our high scholastic students are Burnetta Anderson, Carolyn Bryant, Forestal Lawton, Sherilyn Myers, Deborah Thomas, Sharon Smith, and Barbara Vertreese.

The awards we have won include second place in the American Legion Oratorical Contest by Forestal Lawton; All City First Team Football, Robert Wright; Eagle Scout Award, Don Holbert from Delano. This is a very great achievement, because he won this despite his crutches.

Our usual school contests had able representation: United Campaign, Ronald Holden; Betty Crocker, Rose Weldon; Youth and Government, Judy Miller, Ed Scott, Deborah Thomas, and Richard Tolbert; N.R.O.T.C., Richard Tolbert; and Annual Music Contest, Cheryl Williams.

These are but the early few of our successes. Our hopes are high and our determination great that the glorious flame of renown will not be dimmed by the 1962 graduates.

In anticipation we look forward to a life of usefulness to our country and happiness for ourselves.



DONE MOST FOR CENTRAL
Forestal Lawton, Chequita Shaw



MOST POPULAR
Adolphus Mooney, Chequita Shaw

WHO'S WHO IN '62



BEST DANCERS
Walter Bartlett, Pat Caruth



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Forestal Lawton, Deborah Thomas



SOCIAL BELLE AND BEAU
Jackie Thompson, Richard Tolbert



BEST ACTORS
James LaCour, Cheryl Williams



BEST SCHOLARS
Barbara Vertreese, Forestal Lawton



BEST DRESSED
Roberta Thompson, Charles Jackson



BEST ATHLETES
Susie Hopkins, Robert Wright



Bobby
Acklin

Barbara
Allen

Marion
Ambler

BOBBY ACKLIN. BARBARA ALLEN-Human Relations. MARION AMBLER-Future Homemakers of America; Pep Club; Tri-Hi-Y; Thespians. BURNETTA M. ANDERSON-Gold Medal, Honor Society; Los Tertulianos; Philosophy Club; Photography Club. JAMES ANDERSON-Hi-Y. LEON ANDERSON-Student Council; Locker Patrol; Honor Corps; Red Cross; Hi-Y; Homeroom Reporter; C.O.E.



Burnetta
Anderson

James
Anderson

Leon
Anderson



Maxine
Anderson

George
Anthony

Sidney
Baker II



Gilbert
Ballard

Jessie
Barnes

Walter
Bartlett

MAXINE ANDERSON. ANTHONY GEORGE -R.O.T.C. Bearing and Neatness Ribbon. SIDNEY J. BAKER II-R.O.T.C. GILBERT BALLARD. JESSIE BARNES. WALTER V. BARTLETT-Student Council; Locker Patrol; All-City Track, All-District Track; "C" Club. JOHN BASS. ROBERT BASS-Poster Contest, First Place; Student Council; Centralian; Hi-Y. CAROLYN YVONNE BEATTY-Y-Teens; Pep Club; Future Homemakers of America; Tri-Hi-Y; Red Cross Representative. CHARLES D. BELL-Locker Patrol. DOROTHY MARY BELTON-Future Teachers of America; Thespians. RUDOLPH R. BENSON-Football; Student Council.



John
Bass

Robert
Bass

Carolyn Yvonne
Beatty



Charles D.
Bell

Dorothy Mary
Belton

Rudolph R.
Benson

T. S. BERRY-Football; Track; Student Council; Junior Class Cabinet; Luminary Staff; Homeroom President; Junior Achievement; "C" Club. ALBERT BLEDSOE. WILLETT YVONNE BOOKER-Tri-Hi-Y. ELVIN BRANCH-Honor Corps; "C" Club; Concert Choir; Glee Club; Locker Patrol. TERESA ANN BRIGHT-Concert Choir; Girls Choir; Student Council. JOYCE BROOKS-Thespians; Future Homemakers of America; Concert Choir; Tri-Hi-Y; Future Nurses. ERNEST BROWN-Honor Corps; Student Council; "C" Club; Junior Achievement. EUGENE EDWARD BROWN-Student Council Cabinet; Declaratives; Luminary Staff; Quill and Scroll; Honor Society, Bronze Medal; Homeroom Officer; Locker Patrol; Track. JOHN EDWARD BROWN-Hi-Y.



T. S.
Berry

Albert
Bledsoe

Willett
Booker



Elvin
Branch

Teresa
Bright

Joyce
Brooks



Ernest
Brown

Eugene
Brown

John
Brown

Katie
Brown

Jackie
Brundage

Carolyn
Bryant



Carolyn
Buffington

James
Burgess

Eugene
Burgette



Charles
Burch

Phillip
Butler

Jerome
Byers

KATIE BEA BROWN-Human Relations Council; Tri-Hi-Y; Junior Achievement; Physical Education Achievement Pen. JACKIE BRUNDAGE-Honor Society, Silver Medal; Student Council. CAROLYN ELIZABETH BRYANT-Student Council, Cabinet; Ladd Neighborhood Council Award; Achievement Awards, 1959, 1961; Honor Society, Gold Medal; Typing Award; Centralian Staff, Organizations Editor; Declaratives; Mu Alpha Theta, President; Boosters; Tri-Hi-Y; Los Tertulianos, Corresponding Secretary; Y-Teens; Human Relations Council; F.T.A.; Locker Patrol. CAROLYN JEAN BUFFINGTON-Future Homemakers of America; Future Nurses; Tri-Hi-Y. JAMES EDWARD BURGESS-Declaratives, Vice-President; Locker Patrol; Student Council; Centralian Staff, Ass. Senior Editor; Safety Council; French Club; Thespians; K.H.S. EUGENE BURGETTE-Track, All-City; Football; Basketball; Hi-Y; "C" Club. CHARLES BURCH-Red Cross; Concert Choir. PHILLIP RODNEY BUTLER-Junior Achievement; Luminary Staff; Homeroom Reporter. JEROME BYERS-Track, All-City, All-District; Football; "C" Club.

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Sylvia
Byers

Theodore
Byers

Charles
Canady



Richard
Carter

Patricia
Caruth

Adrian
Childs



Essie
Clark

Theola
Cockran

Shirley
Cole

John
Collins

Pearleaner
Cooper

Brenda
Counts



Albert
Cox

Donald E.
Cox

Wanda
Craig



28 Josephine
Daniel

Barbara
Davis

Betty
Davis

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Joanne
Davis

Ruby
Davis

Darty
Dickey



Paulette
Driver

Brenda
Dunson

Rochester
Edd



Marion
Eden

Earl
Edwards

Andrea
Ellsworth



Melvin
Estell

Bonita
Evans

Brenda
Finney

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Jerry
Folz

James
Foster



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Frazier

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Frederick

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Frierson

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Gensler

Alan
Gibson



Mayme
Glass

Carroll
Glover

Marvin
Gonzales



Sylvia
Gray

Theresa
Gunn

Willie
Gunnels



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Guy

Johnny
Hall

Joyce
Hardwick

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Ron
Harlmon

Susan
Harris



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Hart

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Hasley

Edith
Hazley

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Ruth
Henderson

George
Herndon



James
Hicks

Marie
Hill

Ralph
Hines



DeWitt
Hoard

Ronald
Holden

Mary
Holoman

Joseph
Hood

Susie
Hopkins

Barbara
Hoskins



Edith
Hoskins

Lila
Howard

Ronald
Howard



Maxine
Hunt

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Grant Malone



Frank Mattock

RALPH KING. GAYLE TERRI KINSEY-Future Teachers, Vice-President; Tri-Hi-Y, Reporter; Thespians; Spanish Club; Y-Teens; Philosophy Club. LAVENA LOUISE KNOX-Y-Teens, Treasurer; Homecoming Princess; Tri-Hi-Y; Future Teachers; Drill Team; Junior Achievement. JAMES A. LACOUR, JR.-Chicago Tribune Award; All-City Sergeant Major Contest, Second; DAR Good Citizenship Award; Latin Club; Drama Club; French Club; Human Relations Council; Student Council; R.O.T.C. Glee Club, Rifle Team; Central Debate Team; Spring Play, 1960, 1961; Christmas Play. SAMMIE LANCASTER. FORESTAL LAWTON-Student Council, President; Junior Class, President; Honor Society, Seven Semesters; Centralian Staff, Editor-In-Chief; American Legion Oratorical Contest; Spring Play; Achievement Awards; AFCS World Affairs Youth Conference; Boys' State; Declaratives; Latin Club, President; Human Relations Council; Thespians; Junior Achievement; Mu Alpha Theta; NCCJ Executive Board.



William
McClendon

Willie
McClinton

Tillman
McClunie



Sammie
McGaughy

Harold
Mezile

Judy
Miller



Donna
Mitchell

Adolphus
Mooney

Janice
Mott

SHERILYN ALICE MYERS-Honor Society; Typing Award; Swimming Badge; R.O.T.C. Princess, Advisory Board of R.O.T.C.; Thespians; Tri-Hi-Y; Boosters; Declaratives; Human Relations Council; Usherettes; Future Nurses. ORVILLE NANCE. JOYCE EVELYN NASH-Future Teachers of America; Thespians; Cadet Twirlettes; Pep Club; Y-Teens; Junior Achievement; Office Assistant; Homeroom Officer; Student Council; Red Cross. BIRDELL NEIL. LOUIS O'NEAL-Centralian Staff, Sports Editor; Student Council; Homeroom Officer; Locker Patrol; "C" Club; French Club; Track Team; Swimming Team; Band. DWIGHT PARKER. PURVIS PATTERSON JR.-Honor Society; Los Tertulianos. ROBERT PERKINS. BARBARA DEAN PIERCE-Tri-Hi-Y.

WILLIAM EARL McCLENDON-Hi-Y; Red Cross. WILLIE McClINTON-Human Relations Council. TILLMAN A. McCLUNIE-R.O.T.C., Rifle Team, Drum and Bugle Corps Ribbons, Outstanding Achievements Award. SAMMIE McGAUGHY. HAROLD FLOYD MEZILE-Stage Crew; President of Homeroom; Audio Visual Aids; Thespians. JUDY LEE MILLER-World Affairs Youth Conference Scholarship; Junior Class Cabinet; Student Council; Human Relations Council, President; Future Teachers, Secretary; Philosophy Club; Red Cross; Tri-Hi-Y; Starlight Theater Student Advisory Board; National Council of Christians and Jews; Junior Achievement; Homeroom President; Locker Patrol; Office Assistant. DONNA JEAN MITCHELL-Tri-Hi-Y; Future Teachers; Drill Team; Olympians; Thespians; Big "C", Small Shield, Large Shield; Future Nurses; Office Assistant. ADOLPHUS MOONEY. JANICE M. MOTT-Homeroom Secretary; Locker Patrol.



Sherilyn
Myers

Orville
Nance

Joyce
Nash



Birdell
Neil

Louis
O'Neal

Dwight
Parker



Purvis
Patterson

Robert
Perkins

Barbara
Pierce

ALFRED LEE POUNCIL. JAMES PURYEAR. LINDA RATLIFF. FREDDIE REEVES-Future Teachers, Human Relations Council; Pep Club; Tri-Hi-Y. PATRICIA REYNOLDS-Speech Award; Philosophy Club; Latin Club; Future Teachers; Future Nurses of America; Thespians; Human Relations. BONNIE RILEY. TROY A. RINACKE -Honor Society; Declaratives, Sergeant at Arms; Mu Alpha Theta; German Club; Student Council; Band. PAUL TIMOTHY ROBERTS-Junior Achievement. SYLVIA ROBERTS-Thespians; Twirlettes; Luminary Staff.



Alfred
Pouncil

James
Puryear

Linda
Ratliff



Freddie
Reeves

Patricia
Reynolds

Bonnie
Riley



Troy
Rinacke

Paul
Roberts

Sylvia
Roberts

Thelma
Rodgers

Kay
Ross

Leona
Ross



Noreta
Rucker

Samuel
Rucker

Loary
Sanders

THELMA RODGERS. KAY FRANCIS ROSS-Typing Award. LEONA ROSS. NORETA MERLE RUCKER-Y-Teens, Parliamentarian; Thespians, Reporter; Luminary Staff, Reporter; Homeroom President; Pep Club; Tri-Hi-Y; Future Homemakers; Quill and Scroll; Future Nurses; Los Terulianos; Student Council; Red Cross; Philosophy Club; Tri-Hi-Y Model Convention; Human Relations. SAMUEL RUCKER. LOARY JEAN SANDERS-Olympians; Red Cross Representative. IONA M. SCAIFE-Future Homemakers; Y-Teens; Chess Club; Future Nurses. BILLY SCOTT. EDWARD ARNOLD SCOTT-Hi-Y, President; Football; "C" Club; Concert Choir.



Iona
Scaife

Billy
Scott

Edward
Scott

ADAM B. SHAW-Hi-Y. BARBARA JEAN SHAW-Pep Club, President; Human Relations Council; Locker Patrol; Tri-Hi-Y. CHEQUITA CLAIRE SHAW-Homecoming Queen, 1961; Cheerleader; Senior Class, Sergeant at Arms; Junior Class, Secretary; Honor Society; NCCJ; ROTC Princess; Student Council; Locker Patrol; Mu Alpha Theta; Human Relations Council; Latin Club; Declaratives; Boosters; Tri-Hi-Y. LAWRENCE SHELLARHORN. ROGER LEE SIMMS-Locker Patrol; Luminary. LILY SKELTON-Tri-Hi-Y; Olympians; Drill Team; Thespians; Y-Teens; Future Nurses. HERBERT WALTER SMITH-Student Council; Track; Locker Patrol; Cross Country; C-Club; Junior Achievement; Hi-Y. JACQUELINE SMITH-Honor Society, Six Semesters; Declaratives; Boosters; Usherettes; Senior Cabinet; Central Twirlettes, Commander; Tri-Hi-Y. JOEL SMITH-Locker Patrol; Track.



Adam
Shaw



Barbara
Shaw



Chequita
Shaw



Lawrence
Shellarhorn



Roger
Simms



Lily
Skelton



Herbert
Smith



Jacqueline
Smith



Joel
Smith



Mary
Smith



Richard
Smith



Sharon
Smith



Craig
Sparks



Corrine
Spears



Edward
Standifer



Michael
Stewart



Ronald
Stiles



Robert
Sylvan

MARY E. SMITH-Concert Choir; Y-Teens; Student Council; Pep Club. RICHARD S. SMITH-Honor Corps; Locker Patrol; Hi-Y; C-Club; Football; Basketball. SHARON S. SMITH-Honor Society; Sophomore Pilgrimage; Declaratives; Boosters; Mu Alpha Theta; Latin Club. CRAIG H. SPARKS-Locker Patrol. CORRINE ASTRA SPEARS-Music Scholarship. EDWARD STANDIFER-Student Council; Human Relations Council. MICHAEL STEWART. RONALD STILES. ROBERT W. SYLVAN-Chicago Tribune R.O.T.C. Award; Luminary; Locker Patrol.



Joe
Tabron

Deborah
Thomas

Jacklyn
Thompson



Mary
Thompson

Roberta
Thompson

Lavelle
Thornton



Rochester
Tipton

Richard
Tolbert

Wanda
Toms

Hi-Y, Vice-President, Secretary, Officer of Model Youth in Government; Student Council; Declaratives; German Club; Mu Alpha Theta; Latin Club. WANDA LEE TOMS-Pep Club; Y-Teens; Tri-Hi-Y; Latin Club; Student Council; Future Teachers; Human Relations; Cheerleaders; Girl's Choir; Concert Choir; Boosters. MARLENE TOWNS-Tri-Hi-Y; Future Teachers; Locket Patrol; Nurse's Assistant. HERBERT TURNER-Mu Alpha Theta; "C" Club; Honor Corps. BARBARA ELIZABETH VERTREESE-Book Award, Washington University; Honor Society, Gold Medal; Community Service Award; A.A.U.W.; Declaratives, President; Student Council, Cabinet; Mu Alpha Theta; Spanish Club; Tri-Hi-Y; Boosters; Senior Cabinet. MARGARET LAVERNE VINCENT-Drill Team, Captain; Tri-Hi-Y; Future Teachers; Locket Patrol; Future Nurses; Junior Achievement. LESTER A. WAGNER-Luminary; Bank. SANDRA WALKER. BOBBIE J. WARD-Y-Teens; Tri-Hi-Y; Future Teachers; Drill Team. MAURICE WASHINGTON. DOROTHY M. WATKINS.

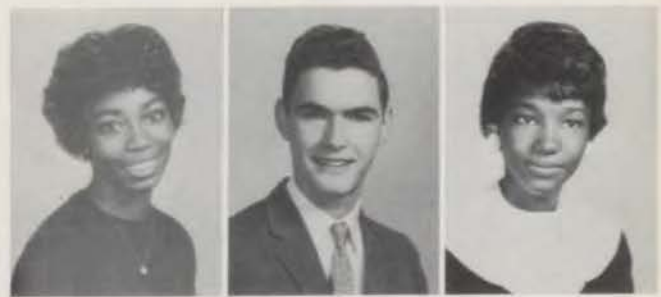
JOE TABRON-Honor Society. DEBORAH THOMAS-Junior Class, Vice-President; Senior Class, Vice-President; Boosters; Mu Alpha Theta; Centralian Staff, Senior Editor; Typing Award; Tri-Hi-Y, Representative; Western District Candidate in Hi-Y Youth and Government Program; Drill Team; Honor Society; Locket Patrol. JACKLYN GENE THOMPSON-Student Council, Secretary; Homecoming Princess; Typing Award; Sports Shield; Tri-Hi-Y, Secretary; Y-Teens, Treasurer; Locket Patrol; Future Teachers of America; Boosters; Pep Club; Chess Club; Philosophy Club; Tennis Club. MARY CHRISTINE THOMPSON-Future Teachers of America; Homemakers of America; Future Nurses of America; Y-Teens; Thespians. ROBERTA CAROL THOMPSON-Honor Society; Luminary; Student Council; Locket Patrol; Office Worker; Junior Achievement; Cadet Twirlettes, Commander; Boosters. LAVELLE THORNTON. ROCHESTER TIPTON-Thespians; Hi-Y. RICHARD CHARLES TOLBERT-Senior Class, President; Junior Class, Treasurer; Honor Society, Silver Medal; Football, Captain, Second Team All-City; Basketball; Track; Yearbook, Business Manager; Honor Corps; "C" Club, President;



Marlene
Towns

Herbert
Turner

Barbara
Vertreese



Margaret
Vincent

Lester
Wagner

Sandra
Walker



Bobbie
Ward

Maurice
Washington

Dorothy
Watkins

HAROLD WATKINS-"C" Club; Hi-Y. HELEN WATSON. ROSETTA WELDON-Honor Society, Gold Medal; A.A.U.W.; Quill and Scroll; Luminary Staff, Editor; Student Council; Boosters, President; Declaratives; Tri-Hi-Y; Y-Teens; Pep Club; Latin Club; Los Tertulianos; Future Teachers; Future Homemakers; Stamp Club; Junior Classical League; Red Cross; Human Relations; N.C.C.J.; Mu Alpha Theta, Secretary; Homeroom Officer; Art Award; Drill Team. ALEX WHITE III-Student Council; Honor Corps; R.O.T.C., Rifle Team, Drum and Bugle Corps; Track; Hi-Y. FLOTEEN WILBURN -Tri-Hi-Y; Future Homemakers; Chess Club; Locker Patrol. SANDRA WILKERSON-Future Teachers of America; Human Relations Council; Future Homemakers; Y-Teens. JOANN C. WILKINS-World Affairs Youth Conference Scholarship; Student Council Cabinet; Human Relations Council, Second Vice-President; Red Cross; Declaratives; Future Teachers of America; Band, Orchestra; Philosophy Club; Luminary Staff; Homeroom Officer; N.C.C.J.; Connoisseur Concert Representative. CHERYL CONSTANCE WILLIAMS-Music Scholarships to C.M.S.C. and M.U.;



Harold
Watkins



Helen
Watson



Rosetta
Weldon



Alex
White III



Floteen
Wilburn



Sandra
Wilkerson



JoAnn
Wilkins



Cheryl
Williams



Fred
Williams



Marva Jo
Williams



Betty
Wilson



Ivory
Wilson



Freddie
Winn



Marvin
Woodard



Gordon
Wright



Ovida
Wright



Robert
Wright



Barbara
York

All-City, All-City Music Contest; Latin Club; Thespians; Boosters; Concert Choir; Triple Trio; Tri-Hi-Y; Honor Society; Declaratives; Junior Achievement. FRED WILLIAMS-Los Tertulianos; Honor Corps; Locker Patrol; Football; Track; Audio Visual Aid.

MARVA JO WILLIAMS. BETTY WILSON. IVORY T. WILSON-Hi-Y. FREDDIE WINN. MARVIN WOODARD. GORDON WRIGHT-Student Council; Hi-Y; Football; Track; Drama; "C" Club. OVIDA WRIGHT-Luminary Staff, Editor; Homecoming Attendant; Quill and Scroll; Usherette; Declaratives; Future Homemakers; Human Relations; Latin Club; Junior Classical League; Tri-Hi-Y; Office Assistant; Homeroom Officer. ROBERT LEE WRIGHT-Football, First Team All-City, All-District Honorable Mention; Nominee for Knute Rockne Award; Captain; Basketball; Honor Corps; "C" Club; Hi-Y. BARBARA ANN YORK-Honor Society; Declaratives; Boosters; Mu Alpha Theta; Physics Club; Latin Club; J.C.L.; Student Council; Chess Club.



Yvonne Young

SENIOR PROPHECY

Worn by the daily grind and from the pressure of dead lines I doubled my dose of tranquilizers and reclined, as best I could, in my desk in 301. Head on arms, I soon was in the company of Morpheus. He took me by the arm, and Whiz! in rocket-like speed we crossed the twenty-five years and I found myself in 1987, at the north door of "Dear Old Central." A wave of the hand and I was whisked to the fifth floor. (I dimly recalled the struggle we went through back in 1961-62 for an elevator). How I had always wished for an opportunity to roam the attic! Attic? My word! Here was the most glamorous banquet, dance hall, auditorium all rolled into one, done in platinum! Out shining Liberace! In "silver armour" sat smiling George Herndon playing the diamond studded piano! George's greying sideburns and goatee gave him a distinguished appearance as he whisked out his coat tails and started "The Storm of Nature," his most recent composition.

Near the piano stood Judy Miller, Cheryl Williams, Jacklyn Thompson, and Brenda Locke in shimmering decollete, ready to repeat their success at the Metropolitan.

Rushing over from the refreshment tables to greet me were more of my former classmates. Time had dealt kindly with them. I recognized Richard Tolbert, now a director in the New York Stock Exchange; Forestal Lawton, a criminal lawyer in Hollywood; Ronald Holden, a professor of mathematics at Harvard; Josephine Daniel, head of Occupational Therapy at Research Hospital; Brenda Dunson, taking a few hours off from her very successful run as Lady MacBeth on Broadway.

I broke reluctantly away from this group to meet glamorous Deborah Thomas who I found to be the owner and chief designer of a dress shop, counting the crowned heads of Europe as patrons. With Deborah were Carolyn Bryant and James Burgess. Carolyn is the successful nominee for the senate seat left vacant by Ernest Brown, who is the ambassador to Ethiopia. James,

with ribbon and star across his chest, is the first Poet Laureate of the United States.

I caught a glimpse of three charming women greeting a fourth. There was something familiar about them. So taking the arm of Rose Weldon, professor of Home Economics at Smith, we crossed to join Sharon Smith, Barbara York, and Chequita Shaw who were welcoming home from Germany Marion Eden. Each of these women are married to successful business men and glowed in the satisfaction they were having as members of the Young Matrons' Club.

On my way for a cup of "punch" now more popular than Coca Cola. I met its inventor and the main stockholder in "Pinchola," Louis O'Neal. With him was Richard Carter now head librarian of the Plaza Branch Library. Richard was suggesting to Louis that he employ Barbara Vertreese to design his new summer home at The Lake of the Ozarks. (She has the assignment to straighten the Leaning Tower of Pisa.) Barbara suggested we go over to the South Wall to view the mural painted by Robert Bass, the winner of the Thomas Hart Benton award for native art. By Robert was Jacqueline Smith, flush with satisfaction from hearing of the sale of the millionth record of her rendition of "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes."

John Collins, football coach at K.U., we see, made his most coveted "touchdown," for by his side is Sandra Walker wearing a sparkler and wedding ring. With them is Evelyn Jones whose column "My Word for It" appears daily in the *Star*.

My tranquilizers having spent their effect, I was rudely awakened by the lunch bell and I joined the angry mob in the cafeteria for my daily carbohydrate binge, determining to try jumping time and space again soon for a peep into the future.

Yours truly,
The Centralians

R. J.

DELANO



R. J. DeLano School is a school for orthopedically handicapped children from kindergarten through high school. Situated on the northside of Linwood Boulevard it forms the third in the Central group. In 1940 Central became the accrediting agency for R. J. DeLano School, thus enabling the graduating seniors to be graduated with the Central Seniors and to receive a Central diploma. These graduates, while taught in the main by a homeroom teacher, have the privilege to enter a university without question as to the fulfillment of their requirements. In 1943, under their principal, Mrs. Nell Dabney and the Central principal, Mr. Otto F. Dubach, the first graduating class was graduated. Many of these young people have gone on to high institutions of learning and have earned bachelors and masters degrees. This year five young people are completing their secondary school work and will receive their diplomas with the Central class.

Mrs. Olivia E. Mathewson is the homeroom teacher and Miss Mary Alice Gibbons is principal of R. J. DeLano School.

SENIORS



Bob Boydston



Donald Holbert



Patricia Seifner



Lynda Stone



Maurice Watts

UNDERCLASSMEN



Gerald Dearing
Karen Eastes
Judy Miller

Carolyn Powers
John Pulley
Shirley Ruskin
Lyndel Smith



Silas Waits, Jr.
Jonny Winkler
Bill White



Shrine members bring their circus to Delano: clowns, balloons et al.

Present mirth hath present laughter;

What's to come is still unsure:

In delay there lies no plenty:

.....

Youth's a stuff will not endure —

“Twelfth Night”

William Shakespeare



UNDERCLASSMEN

JUNIOR



Rosemary Pitts
President



Deidra Thomas
Secretary

CLASS



Russell Rhodeman
Vice-President

OFFICERS



Melaine Parker
Treasurer



La Joyce Tyson
Sergeant-at-Arms

1962



JUNIOR CLASS CABINET — BOTTOM ROW: Sherrell Hamilton, Jack Ware, Gayle Vaughn,
TOP ROW: Latricia McArn, June Edison.

JUNIOR CLASS

In addition to the traditional service of the juniors in making the arrangements for the Junior-Senior Prom: ie, providing the place, the band, and the decorations, this year they had Junior Night at the basketball games.

February 16 was the Junior Night at Lincoln High School where Central met the Lincoln team. All the week of February 12-16 juniors wore red and white badges advertising the game and giving them the permission to cast their votes for a king and queen of the juniors. The candidates for these coveted positions were: King: Milton Clark, John Cunningham, Rodney Lynk, Russell Rhodeman, and Lee James Smith. Queen: Diana Brim, Jackie Fanniel, Tonia Greene, Katherine Rodgers, and Gayle Vaughn.

Mrs. Doris Reek, Mr. Poleson, Mr. Harris, and Mrs. Miller are the junior class sponsors.



Raymond Adams
Wendell Agee
Sandra Allen



Sarah Allen
Burnette Ambler



Veronica Anderson
Kennard Andrews
Calvin Ashley



Johnny Barker
Clark Beason



James Berry
Ernestine Bohannon
Barbara Brazier



Diana Brim
William Brinkley

Ray Clifton
 Simon Cole
 Shriley Coleman
 Ronald Collins
 Dovie Cooper



Fred Cox
 Vickie Cox
 Henry Crayton
 Betty Davis



Celestine Davis
 Chalmers Davis
 Jeanne Dawson



Verda Brooks

Eleanor Denson
 David Doolin



Bertha Brown
 Irma Brown

Deitra Doty



Shirley Brown
 Connie Burris
 Joe Bywaters



Marcella Campbell
 Ruth Carr
 Lula Carson
 Mary Carter



Donna Caruthers
 Sandra Clarity
 Charles Clark
 Milton Clark
 Joyce Clay



June Edison
Nancy Ellis
Jackie Faniel
Ressie Finnie
James Ferguson



Harvey Fields
John Fogle
Shelia Foote
Tenola Forte



Barbara Frederick
Bernetta Frederick
Larry Freeman



Janice Frye
Billy Frizell

Bernice Gadson



Karen Fuel

Robbie Gadson
Jesse Graves



Delores Greene
Louis Griffen
Helen Groves



Janice Guyton
Sherrell Hamilton
Mertee Hall
Rosemary Haney



Lois Hopson
Joseph Harris
Mike Harris
Rosemary Harris
Burt Hayter





Bonnie Hazley
 Jo Anne Henry
 Joseph Henry
 Marie Hicks
 Peggye Hill



Donnell Holoman
 Pinkie Hoskins
 Betty Hudson
 Sylvester Irving



Gwendolyn Jackson
 Henrietta Jackson
 Mary Jackson



Sharon Jackson
 Teresa Jackson



Valerie Jenkins



Kathleen Jenkins



Bill Johnson
 Dora Johnson



Faye Johnson
 William Johnson
 Weldon Jolly



Carolyn Jones
 Curtis Jones
 Estella Jones
 Sharon Jones



Sharon Kelly
 Alice King
 Judy King
 Cathern Lee
 Leavon Leggett



Eugene McGuagh
 Doletha McIntyre
 McMeria Morris
 Kermit McMurray
 Boyd McPherson



Paul Mimms
 Loretta Mitchell
 Cloveria Murray
 Delores Moore



Tommye Nash
 Robert O'Neal
 Melanie Parker



Mary Lester

Berley Pernell
 Carie Perry



Margaret Lewis
 Rodney Lynk

Horace Peterson



James Lowery
 Sandra Lunkins
 Michael Luster



Gloria Marshall
 Ruth Marshall
 Marva Mason
 Herbretta Matthews



Leo Maxie
 Latrice McArn
 Will McCarther
 Richard McCreary
 Kathleen McFarland

Linda Rowden
Howard Ruffin
Cleophus Sanders
Forrest Saunders
Betty Sanuders



Phyllis Simms
Ruby Simpson
Norma Sims
Marie Sirls



Barbara Smith
Delores Smith
Lee J. Smith



Thelma Pierson

James Stewart
Gloria Sykes



Rosemary Pitts
Forestine Porter

Clarence Taylor



Robert Powell
Frederick Pratt
Anita Ramirez



Michael Rentie
Russell Rhodeman
Edythe Rice
Karen Riley



Alveda Robertson
Betty Robins
William Robinson
Katherine Rodgers
Christine Rollins



Hamilton Terrell
 Marvena Thixton
 Deidra Thomas
 Wesley Thomas
 Wayne Thompson



George True
 Ernestine Turner
 La Joyce Tyson
 Gayle Vaughn



Rosa Veal
 Jo Ann Walker
 Norman Walker



Jack Ware
 John Washington

William Watkins



Minnie Washington

Lonnie Watson
 Billie Wells



Patricia Whitaker
 Joyce Whitson
 Leroy Wilcoxson



Delores Wilkins
 Marian Williams
 Daniel Wilson
 Harry Wilson



Gladys Winn
 Arnedra Wright
 Courtney Woods
 Rosa Woods
 Brenda Young





Shirley Brown
Vice-President



Jackie Thompson
President



Lynn Cole
Secretary

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS



Alice Smith
Treasurer



Toledia McIntyre
Sergeant-at-Arms

The sophomore class followed the pattern of consideration for others set by one homeroom during their freshman year. This year the class conducted a second "Care Drive," under the sponsorship of Mr. J. H. Cooper. "Care" buttons were sold; contributions were collected; a humorous skit presented in the auditorium to an audience paying a dime for admittance; and a Valentine's Day mixer was held, admittance, a quarter. All these projects netted upwards of \$240.00. The crowning of Toledia McIntyre as "Care Queen" by Mr. Cooper was a special feature of the Valentine mixer. Standing on a platform decorated in red and white crepe paper, tiara on her head, flanked by her princesses, Toledia was a very attractive queen. Much credit for advancing the cause of the drive is due Claudia DeGraffenreid.

The class sponsors this year are Mrs. Burkhart, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Nelson, Miss Schaller, and Mr. Weigers.



Cluis Alexander
Sawnie Alexander
Ciara Allen



Mitchell Allen
Lois Anderson



Theodore Anderson
Susan Andrews
Cassandra Barker



Brenda Barnett
Marion Barnett



Minnie Bell
Samuel Benton
Eugene Boyd



Beverly Brodie
Brenda Chouteau



William Cavole
Carrie Carter
Melvin Carrol



Joe Byers
Mamie Butler



Cherry Butler
Beverly Buris
Juanita Burris



Ferris Buffington
Betty Bryant



Sophomore Class officers look over agenda for meeting.

Harvey Bruce
Sherryl Brown



Shirley Brown
Norya Brown



James E. Brown
Karmella Brooks





Miss Sandberg demonstrates fossils to her class.

Marcia Charles
Georgia Clark



Vesta Coates
Lynn Cole



Samuel Coleman
Richard Collins



Patricia Conley
Mable Cook
Eunice Cooper

Tommie Cooper
Ronetta Coursey



Warren Crawford
Dwayne Crompton
Alice Daniel

Pearle Daniels
Elma Davis



Rosa Davis
Vanetta DeBonis
Joyce Denson

Arnold Dillard
Lawrence Dixon



Sarah Donelson
Beverly Doyle
Marian Draffen

Carrie Dunson
Gregor Edwards



Nancy Elders
Alfredia Elliott
Luther Elliott

Frank Ellis
Helen Ellis





Peggy Ellis
Charlene Essex



Otis Estell
Mable Eubanks



Terry Evans
Donna Fields



It's clean-up time, boys!



Ivy Fletcher
Phyllis Frazier



Will Gardenhire
Beverly Gates



Dana Glass
Jessie Gonzales



Merle Greene
Clifton Groves



Hazel Harris
Henry Hasley

Susan Friel
Shelley Freeman
Elijah Gaines



Alfred Gee
Cheryl Gibson
Anita Gillum



Brenda Goudeau
Evelyn Grayson
Ronald Green



Richard Haney
Delores Harris
Elgia Harris



Paris Hatten
Eveline Heidrich
John Hicks





Verlaine Hicks
Connie High



Robbie Hill
Sharon Hill



Jennifer Holloway
Arnold Husky



Mr. Keith confers with the Student Council Cabinet.



Howard Jacks
Donald Jackson

Jackie Jackson
Wanda Jackson
William Jackson



Carol Johnson
Herman Johnson

Leroy Johnson
Saundra Johnson
Tima Johnson



Naomi Jolly
Bethel Jones

Beverly Jones
Catherine Jones
Janine Jones



Terry Jones
Larry Jordan

Andrea Kelton
Kenneth Kirkendoll
Deborah Leggett



Leonard Randle
Joan Lewis

Sylvia Lewis
Linda Lindsey
Shirley Lipscomb





Mr. Boyd checks books in office.

June Locke
Claire Lockman



Melba Luper
Jeanetta Lyles



Lorevon Lyons
Guyetta Mabins



Candice Macklin
Eleanor Mansfield
Ella Maples

Dimple Marshall
Louis Martin



O. D. McBride
Stinson McClendon
Alfred McCloud

Glennie McCormick
Toledia McIntyre



Kay McQueen
Millie Merrill
Sandra Meyers

Carole Miller
Sheila Miller



Dimitri Mills
Esther Mimms
Donald Mitchell

Ronald Mitchell
Ernest Moore



Alfred Murry
Percy Myers
Eddie Nelson

Wanda Nelson
Michael Newman





Sharon Nolan
Ledora Ogletree
Verna Paige



Judy Parker
Sandra Parrish
Claudette Pettis



Ommie Pierson
Thomas Polk
Cheryl Powell



Barbara Reed
Karen Reed
Carline Rice



Espanola Rollins
Tolbert Routt
Delores Row



Teresa Palmer
Gwen Parker



Richard Phillips
Craig Pierce



Donna Ray
Gwen Rayford



Alberta Robertson
Shelia Robertson



Cheryl Salmond
Charles Scott



Junior Officers look over agenda before meeting.



Marvin Shackford
Pat Shafer



Loraine Shellman
Betty Sims



Ellenstein Stack
Alice Smith



Annie Smith
Glenn Smith



Alan Stewart
George Sumpter



Joann Taylor
Joe Taylor



James Thomas
Margo Thomas



Jackie Thompson
Melvis Thompson



Ronald Thornton
Sharon Torrence



Dorothy Turner
Jolene Upshaw



Cynthia Wagner
Norma Wagner

Louis Smith
Marris Smith
Samuel Smith



Kenneth Sylvan
Niva Tamplin
Bailus Tate



Loretta Taylor
Gordon Thomas
Helen Thomas



Willis Thomas
Bernadette Thompson
Georgia Thompson



Rodney Thompson
Sandra Thompson
Charlene Thornton



Mr. Wieggers shows class how to mold clay.



Georgia Walker
Thelma Washington
Sandra Watkins



Dorsie Wiley
Kenneth Wilkins
Barbara Williams



David Wilson
Ronald Winfrey
Willie Winfrey



Michael Woods
Jessye Wormac
Wenona Worrell



Jay Watts
Carol Webb



Joyce Williams
Brenda Wilson



Ronald Winters
Glenn Woods



Max Wright
Melvin York



CARE QUEEN

TOLEDIA MCINTYRE

SOPHOMORE

Sophomore girls sell tickets to "Care" assembly.





FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS — BOTTOM ROW: J. Lyon, Vice-President; A. Riddle, President; C. Williams, Secretary and Reporter; L. Hoover, Treasurer, B. Holliday,

Sergeant-at-Arms; Mrs. Dixon. TOP ROW: K. Davis, C. Gibbs, President of Advisory Board; D. Gray, P. Simmons, G. Simmons, D. Hill.

FRESHMAN CLASS



Adrian Aldridge
Brenda Alexander
Maurice Amber



Cotie Avery
Annette Bailey



Edwina Bailey
Carolyn Baker
Sandra Baker



Sherdella Baker
Marilyn Barber



Donna Barnes
Georgia Bass
Loretta Bass



Earleen Batsell
James Bartles



Mr. Stevenson points out facts to Latin class.

Patricia Beene
Barbara Benjamin



Donald Benson
Lois Booker



Joann Botley
Cheryl Boydston



Arletha Brinkley
Loretta Britton
Sharon Brooks



Booker Brown
Carolyn Brown



David Brown
Harry Brown
Sylvia Brown



Ronald Bruster
Beverly Bryant



Jane Bryant
George Burns
Theodore Burtie



Delores Butler
Peggy Butler



Stephanie Butler
Herman Cage
Louis Cain



Cheryl Campbell
Cynthia Canady



LaVera Carter
Betty Caruth
Marion Caruthers



Terry Cato
Bertha Celestine





Cecil Cheatham
Phyllis Christian



Maxine Clay
Vivian Clay



Yoni Cole
Carolyn Coleman



Music class sings the scale.



Charletta Coleman
Cheryl Coleman



Joyce Crooms
Essie Crosby



Chester Davis
Janet Davis



Mary Davis
Helen Denson



Yvonne Devol
Clotis Dillard

Glenda Collins
Yvonne Collins
Maurice Copeland



Beverly Cubit
Vernon Dale
David Darsey



Karen Davis
Luvenia Davis
Shirley Davis



Loyal Denton
Patsy Denton
Sandra Denton



Linda Dillard
Beverly Dixon
Leonard Dixon





Albert Dockery
Kenneth Doolin



Mary Doolin
Delores Douglas



Eleanor Douglas
Patricia Douglas



Band class warms up under the direction of Mr. Jones.



Barbara Doxey
Dorthy Dudley



Kathleen Ellis
Sherry Emerson



Frances Ferguson
Danny Fogle



Lorene Freeman
Nedra Freeman



Geraldine Galloway
Gwendolyn Garnett

William Dunson
Robert Durant
Inett Elliot



Bradford Evans
Gwen Fanniel
Herbert Fanniel



Barbara Franklin
Daniel Franklin
John Franklin



Rudolph Freeman
Patricia Frierson
Winona Frye



Marvin Garnett
Lila George
Clara Gibbs





Students busy (?) in study hall.

Karen Gillis
Janet Givens



Meri Glass
Eloise Good



Olivia Goodwick
Diane Gray



Joyce Gray
Linda Green
Melvin Greene

Morssie Guein
Marva Guest



Sandra Guest
Chester Hall
Patty Hardy

Franklin Harper
Larry Harper



Elouise Harris
Lyle Harris
Sharon Harris

Wickey Harris
Bobbie Harrison



Thornton Hawkins
Janice Hayes
Sarah Hazley

Blenda Heard
Michael Henry



Freddie Hicks
Cloyd Higgins
Brenda Higgs

Deborah Hill
Katie Hill





Nedra Hill
Vernetha Hill



William Hill
Verdell Hoard



Betty Hodges
Bertha Holiday



Is this the right place, Miss Williams?



Carlos Holland
Robert Hollinger

Rosemary Holloway
Yvonne Holmes
Leslie Hoover



Ronald Hopkins
Carita Howard

Charles Howard
William Howard
Claudette Houston



Sandra Hughes
William Humphrey

Florence Huskey
Brenda Isom
Armata Jacks



Alice Jackson
Barbara Jackson

Barbara Jackson
Janice Jackson
Phyllis Jackson



Eric Jamerson
Janette Jefferson

Gloria Jenkins
Curtis Jiles
Darryl Johnson





Locker Patrol boys check second floor bulletin board.

Francis Johnson
James E. Johnson



James Johnson
Joyce Johnson



Kay Johnson
Lawrence Johnson



Martha Johnson
Willie Johnson
Van Johnson

Carmen Jones
James Jones



Terrace Jones
Theoplis Jones
Brenda Jordan

Charlene King
Ernestine King



Judith King
Kenneth King
William King

Sylvia Knox
Cheryl Kynard



Velma Laften
Lamarr Lunn
Sharon Lastier

Ronald Lenzy
Charles Lewis



Doris Lewis
Judy Lewis
Marcia Lewis

Sylvia Lewis
Saundra Little





Amelia Long
Walter Reane Lord



Rosietta Loyd
Ronald Luke



Brenda Lyle
Willetta Madery



These boys printed the Centralian Cards.



Horace Marshall
John Marshall
Robert Marshall

Jacqueline MacKinger
Harold Mansfield



Lawrence Mathis
Donald Maxwell
Tommye McBeth

Helene Martin
Flora Mason



Eric McKenney
Gwendolyn McKenney
Elizabeth McWilliams

Jean McDougal
Ellis McGee



Mary Mimms
Bernita Mitchell
Josea Mitchell

Willie Meeks
Thomas Mills



Sylvester Moore
Rheatha Moore
Sharon Moore

Mary Ann Mitchell
Mary E. Mitchell





Typing can be fun, girls.

Linnie Moechoe
Helen Murff



William Murray
Noel Myers



Carole Nevels
Cynthia Nichole



Julia Nickolson
Juanita Nickolson
Theresa Nord

Gloria Oliver
Ramona Ortega



Carol Overton
Judith Palmer
Wesley Parker

Brenda Patterson
Lynn Perkins



Gloria Perry
Louise Perry
Sharon Pettiford

Dossie Phillips
Kathleen Plowright



Arthur Polk
Eddie Polk
James Polk

Carolyn Porter
Barbara Powell



Bernard Powell
Burnell Powell
James Powell

Mamie Powell
Paul Price





Annie Ragins
Bruce Ransom



Ethelyne Reece
Cedric Rice



Linda Rice
Michael Rich



These girls help in the office.



Calfretta Richardson
April Riddle

Luther Riggins
Patricia Robbins
Sherry Rodgers



Violetta Rogers
Sharynne Ronnels

Corrine Ross
Donald Ross
Jackie Rowden



Terry Rowe
Stella Rucker

Arlena Sanders
Joanne Sanders
Jacqueline Scott



Maxine Scott
Sheryll Scott

Carla Shaw
Jeanette Shellman
Willard Shelton



Gwendolyn Simmons
George Simms

Betty Smith
Birney Smith
Brenda Smith





Spanish class listens in Language Lab.

Curtis Smith
Deborah Smith



Frederick Smith
Johnny Smith



Marcia Smith
Rosemary Smith



Sammie Smith
Charlene Smith
George Starr

Claudia Stevens
Sandra Stevens



Brenda Stuckey
Vancella Stuckey
Clarice Swindall

Epps Swinton
Edith Talley



Carolyn Tate
Artist Taylor
Clyde Taylor

Elizabeth Taylor
Evelyn Taylor



Gloria Taylor
Nylar Teague
Billie Thomas

Clemestine Thompson
Dorothy Thomas



Dwight Thompson
Bonita Thornton
Richard Tinsley

Philistia Tolbert
Richard Toler





William Toney
George Trice



Glenora Trice
Anita Tucker



Anita Turner
Eddie Mae Upshaw



Mrs. Rutledge explains a problem in
S.M.S.G.



Marjorie Vaughn
Eunice Vincent



Irma Washington
Marilyn Washington



Mathiel Watson
Thomas Watson



Charlean Webb
Charles Wellis



Frances Whitelaw
Rosalind Whitmore

Bobbie Wade
Linda Wagner
Odis Walker

Richett Washington
Sandra Washington
Lee Watkins

Windolyn Watson
Alice Webb
Cedric Webb

William Wells
Mary Ann West
Cecil White

Joyce Wilkins
Olester Wiley
Alyce Williams





Charles Williams
Deborah Williams
Deirdre Williams



Gwen Williams
Marvene Williams



McKinley Williams
Vernetta Williams
Lewis Willson



Allean Wilson
Dreck Wilson



Lillian Wilson
Donald Winston
Shelia Winston



Amos Woods
Berta Woodson



David Wyatt
Loretta Young
Velma Young



Ira Byers
Faye Clark
Arthur Coleman



Stephen Cunningham
Rosalyn Davis
Cheryl Gillum



Barbara Goldsmith
Charles Hack



Luther Haney
Leroy Huff
Joseph McDaniel



Lois McGee
Kenneth Merritt



Richard Mosley
James Poole
Shelia Silvers



Charles Goods

Man, in society, is like a flower
blown in its native bud. It is there
only that his faculties, expanded in
full bloom, shine out, there only
reach their proper use.

Cowper



ORGANIZATIONS



Burnetta Anderson



Carolyn Bryant



Forestal Lawton



Sherilyn Myers



Sharon Smith



Deborah Thomas



Barbara Vertreese

GOLD MEDAL HONOR SOCIETY



OFFICERS — LEFT TO RIGHT: Sherilyn Myers, *Sergeant-at-Arms*; Carolyn Bryant, *Secretary*; Forestal Lawton, *President*; Deborah Thomas, *Vice-President*; Barbara Vertreese, *Treasurer*.

Central Honor Society is an honorary scholastic organization for the purpose of furthering academic achievement and is open to any student maintaining at least fourteen scholastic points for two successive semesters. After attaining the necessary fourteen points for two successive semesters a student is eligible for membership and may wear the bronze medal. After four successive semesters have been attained a student may wear the silver medal, and after seven semesters the coveted gold medal.

The pride of their accomplishment is evident in the Honor students on Honor Society Day when they proudly wear the pink and white carnations pinned to their left shoulders. Dr. Jeremiah Cameron is the sponsor.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: S. Hamilton, D. Thomas, P. Hill, M. Eden, P. Whitaker, L. Tyson, D. Caruthers, J. Daniels. ROW TWO: R. Holden, R. Lynk, J. Guyton,

M. Lewis, D. Cooper, M. Thixton, B. Dunson, I. Brown. TOP ROW: R. Tolbert, H. Turner, J. Ware, M. Ferguson, W. Robinson, W. Jolly, B. Hazley, C. Williams, J. Smith.

SILVER MEDAL BRONZE MEDAL

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: D. Glass, R. Coursey, S. Nolan, D. Turner, S. Meyers, L. Cole, L. Lindsey, N. Jolly, E. Cooper. ROW TWO: B. Frederick, T. McIntyre, P. Ellis, B. Jones, J. Henry, E. Mansfield, G. Rayford, H. Crowley, V. Anderson, R. Henderson. ROW THREE:

D. Ray, E. Mimms, M. Luper, J. Thomas, W. Nelson, M. Eubanks, C. Webb, S. Miller, S. Brown, J. Frye. TOP ROW: P. Mimms, R. Collins, J. Berry, A. Smith, G. Marshall, L. Jordan, P. Myers, R. Phillips, S. Heggie, J. Cook.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: Marshaline Letcher Vice-President; Forestal Lawton, President; Mr. Joseph Cooper, Co-sponsor. SECOND ROW: Milton Clark, Sergeant-at-Arms; Jackie Thompson, Secretary; and De Witt Floard, Cabinet Member.



FIRST SEMESTER STUDENT COUNCIL

The purpose of the Student Council is to provide student government and to promote better relations with other schools. Its members are chosen by the homerooms while the entire school votes for the president and vice-president. In order to be a member of the Council, a student must have an 'M' average and good character ratings. The Council held meetings on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. This group of Central's finest were ably supported by their two sponsors, Miss Leibengood and Mr. Cooper. The first activity planned by the Council was a free mixer held in the boys' and girls' gyms. A United Campaign drive conducted by the Special Funds committee was then held in which the Central District contributed more than any other district. The School Spirit committee spearheaded the Home Coming activities. A Queen was elected and all the

stands were gaily decorated. The House and Grounds decorated the front hall for Christmas. The Safety committee conducted a Fire Prevention Week. Fire slips were passed out and collected by the committee. The Special Funds committee took charge of the March of Dimes campaign, their second project of the year. The Constitution committee proved to be one of the busiest for the Council as they revised the Council constitution, completed the Code of Ethics, and wrote the much needed Handbook. The final project for the first semester Council was a mixer for the purpose of raising money.

This year, the Council was not only active in school affairs but also took an active part in the All-City Student Council and sent seven representatives to the regional meeting of Missouri Student Councils.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: L. Davis, F. Johnson, E. Turner, D. Caruthers, I. Scaife, B. Cubit, L. Carter, A. Tucker, D. Thomas, D. Glass. ROW TWO: J. Janniel, R. Weldon, P. Denton, J. Lewis, P. Frierson, D. McIntyre, R. Marshall, J. Brown, T. Watson, C. Bryant. ROW

THREE: K. Johnson, J. Johnson, R. Pitts, B. Dunson, J. Lyles, G. Perry, K. Rogers, E. McCamby, J. Palmer, D. Brown. TOP ROW: A. Bledsoe, D. Wilson, B. Gadson, A. Smith, C. Taylor, H. Bell, R. Holden, S. Williams, W. Shelton, J. Lacour.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: Brenda Locke, *Vice-President*; Ronald Holden, *President*; Miss Leibengood, *Sponsor*. TOP ROW: Carolyn Bryant, *Cabinet Member*; Marshaline Letcher, *1st Semester Vice-President*; Forestal Lawton, *1st Semester President*.

SECOND SEMESTER STUDENT COUNCIL

The student body elected the officers of the second semester as soon as the second semester started. However, three votes had to be taken before Ronald Holden was elected president. Brenda Locke was elected vice-president. Taking the ball from there the homerooms chose the members to make up the remainder of the council. From this number Deidra Thomas was chosen secretary and William Brown was chosen sergeant-at-arms. This completed the cabinet along with the president, vice-president, and students who tried out for president. With Ronald as president, and Miss Liebengood and Mr. Cooper as sponsors, the council carried out several activities.

At an early meeting, five standing committees were appointed to plan the activities of the council. Such activities as a talent show and a student day were among the projects undertaken. The council also sent representatives to participate in the state student council meeting held this year at Southwest High School and the annual city hall day.

This year was a very active one for both the first and second semester councils. Their many activities and projects upheld the fine traditions of our school.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: P. Beene, P. Frierson, C. Rollins, A. Smith, G. Clark, G. Barnes, J. Brooks, K. Hill, F. Cox, H. Cage. ROW TWO: C. Williams, N. Elders, G. Perry, C. Salmond, A. Wiley, W. Jones, R. Green, G.

Wright, K. Riley, K. Brooks, C. Murray. TOP ROW: L. Wilcoxson, J. LaCour, L. Maxie, W. Watkins, J. Bell, P. Price, M. Guein, S. Counce, A. Smith, S. Clarity.



OFFICERS — LEFT TO RIGHT: Sharon Nolan, *Song Leader*; Sandra Walker, *Secretary*; Russell Rhodeman, *Vice-President*; Percy Myers, *Treasurer*; Forestal Lawton, *President*.



AQUILIFERI

The purpose of the Latin Club is stated in its name. The club name is derived from two Latin words, Aquila and Fero which together means Eagle Bearer. The club carries on the traditions of the Romans. The only requirement for members is that they be interested in the club and a student of Latin.

The Latin Club has had a very interesting year. The purpose of the first meeting was to acquaint new students with the club. Refreshments were served. A program for Christmas was planned by the first year students. A play written by the students was presented. Games were also played. A Valentine program was put on by the advanced classes. They also presented plays written by students. The big event of the year was attending the regional convention of the Junior Classical

League. Twenty-five students from the club attended. They presented an original skit, 'The Death of Orpheus'. All of those attending wore Roman Costumes, many of them made by the participants. Russell Rhodeman was Central's candidate for an office.

This year because of the state convention of JCL was held at the University of Missouri, Central was able to attend. The club also sponsored a mixer in order to finance their Roman Banquet held in conjunction with Latin Week in April. The officers for the year were: Forestal Lawton, President; Russell Rhodeman, Vice President; Sandra Walker, Secretary; Percy Myers, Treasurer; Sharon Nolan, Songleader. The sponsor is Mr. E. B. Stevenson.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: F. Johnson, M. Hicks, I. Brown, P. Whitacker, D. Turner, L. Tyson. ROW TWO: H. Thomas, J. Lewis, S. Nolan, S. Walker, G. Mabin. ROW THREE: S. Heggie, P. Guy, F.

Lawton, J. Guyton, M. Thixton, C. Robinson. TOP ROW: B. Frizell, J. Brown, D. Ray, R. Rhodeman, P. Myers.





Clark Beason and Ronald Holden perform Aztec Ceremony.

LOS TERTULIANOS

Los Tertulianos, the Spanish Club, as it is sometimes called, is one of the most colorful and active clubs in school. Its membership is open to any second year student and first year 'E' and 'S' students of Spanish. The club meets in 401 on the second and fourth Tuesdays. Colorful Spanish decorations, costumes, and music enliven the meeting and foster a desire to speak Spanish as it is spoken down Mexico Way. A gay Christmas party with pinata in the form of a bird, gifts, and songs; an Aztec ritual initiations ceremony, a fiesta at the Gualdelupe Center and an all-school mixer on

Pan-American Day were very enjoyable projects conducted by the Spanish Club and their sponsor, Mrs. Dorothea Douglas.

The first semester officers were: Ronald Holden, President; Susan Friel, Vice-President; Melanie Parker, Secretary; Mable Eubanks, Treasurer; Peggy Ellis, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The second semester officers were: Charles Williams, President; Sue Mansfield, Vice-President; Alice Smith, Secretary; Pat Conley, Treasurer; Richard Collins, Sergeant-at-Arms.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Miller, A. Smith, E. Mansfield, M. Parker, M. Eubanks, P. Ellis. ROW TWO: E. Talley, J. Mitchell, C. Williams, P. Conley, R. Holden, E. Cooper, G. Williams. ROW THREE: D. Gray, M. Lewis, B. Holliday, Y. Cole, B. Celestine, C. Webb. ROW FOUR: D. Johnson, C. Webb, S. Denton, K. Gibbs, A. Coleman. ROW FIVE: D.

Brown, W. Nelson, V. Hicks, B. Locke, B. Counts. ROW SIX: H. Cage, A. Jacks, D. Hill, L. Cole, P. Beene. ROW SEVEN: K. Hinch, M. Allen, J. Sanders, J. King, B. Jordan. ROW EIGHT: W. Jordan, G. Simmons, A. Tucker, C. Gibbs, B. Lyle. TOP ROW: L. Jordan, R. Collins, C. Beason, J. Graves, P. Caruth, G. Simmons.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Fanniel, B. Smith, G. Herndon, M. Lewis, P. Hill. ROW TWO: K. Jenkins, S. Robertson, D. Hoard, S. Smith, G. Sykes, S. Kynard, J.

Lyles. TOP ROW: P. Simms, J. Bywaters, W. Crawford, W. Chism, S. Cole, J. Burgess, J. LaCour, C. Robinson, Miss Engel.

FRENCH CLUB

"Le Cercle Francais" commonly called the "French Club" is open to any student interested in French. Interest, attendance, and the payment of dues are the requirements for membership. Programs for the year included motion pictures on France and her people; reports on art and achievements of French people. The club celebrated Fish Day, April 1, by wearing paper fish and having fish hors d'oeuvres for refreshments. May Day was highlighted by the sale of lily of the valley sprays.

The officers are: George Herndon, President; Jackie Fanniel, Vice-President; Barbara Smith, Secretary-Treasurer; Margaret Lewis, Song Leader. Miss Agnes Engel is the sponsor.

GERMAN CLUB

"Der Deutsche Verein" seeks to supplement class work and enlarge the pupils knowledge of the Germans and their contribution to civilization. Programs feature motion pictures about Germany, celebration of German festivals and study of the map of Germany to increase interest and familiarity with the famous cities.

The club meets the second and fourth Thursday of each month. The officers are: Latricia McArn, President; Joseph Harris, Vice-President; Irma Brown, Secretary-Treasurer; Eveline Heidrick, Song Leader. Miss Agnes Engel is the Sponsor.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: R. Marshall, M. Wiltman, R. Lynk, J. James, L. McArn, C. Essex, J. Harris, E. Heid-

rick, S. Piper. TOP ROW: Miss Engel, P. Whitacker, I. Brown, V. Paige, C. Lee.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: R. Fennie, M. Thixton, R. Weldon. TOP ROW: D. Thomas, M. Eden, S. Smith, S. Hamilton, F. Gensler, B. Vertreese, P. Hill.

A.A.U.W.

AAUW is part of an auxiliary of the American Association of University Women in that they sponsor ten girls from each high school, five seniors and five juniors chosen by the counselor and the girls most likely to succeed in college. Mrs. Arthur Smith is the member sponsoring the Central girls. The Association entertains, in their club rooms, the girls at a very lovely Christmas brunch at which time alumni tell of their college experi-

ences. The club also has a fall tea and conducts trips for the girls to neighboring campuses. At Central, the ten girls seek to encourage better scholarships by listing names of students making 5, 4, 3, E's each grade period and by giving tea for Honor Society girl members.

Faye Gensler, is president and Marion Eden is secretary. The senior counselor, Miss Schaller, and junior counselor, Mr. Poleson sponsor the AAUW.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: R. Tolbert, S. Hamilton, A. Robertson, L. Tyson, C. Bryant. ROW TWO: M. Eden, A. Wright, D. Thomas, B. Counts, R. Weldon. ROW THREE: H. Crowley, B. Vertreese, T. Rinacke, J. Ferguson. ROW FOUR: B. York, S. Smith, C. Shaw, B. Anderson, W. Jones. ROW FIVE: W. Nelson, J. Foster, V. Jenkins, P. Whitaker, I. Brown. ROW SIX: H. Turner, W. Jolly, M. Thixton, B. Hazley, J. Ware. TOP ROW: R. Holden, C. Robinson, C. Jones, F. Lawton.

MU ALPHA THETA

Mu Alpha Theta is a non-secret organization with the purpose of promoting scholarship in and enjoyment and understanding of mathematics among high school and junior college students. For membership, two semesters of each algebra and geometry and enrollment in the third semester of algebra and a B average in all five courses are required.

The organization meets the first Monday of each month with their Sponsor, Mrs. E. Rutledge. Their officers are Carolyn Bryant, President; Irma Brown, Vice-President; Rose Wildon, Secretary; Chequita Shaw, Treasurer.



OFFICERS — Edith Hazley, *Secretary*; Susie Hopkins, *Reporter*; Rose Weldon, *President*; Jackie Smith, *Sergeant-at-Arms*; Pat Caruth, *Treasurer*.

BOOSTERS

The Boosters is a club which grew out of Miss Kite's English Literature classes in 1959-60. Twenty enthusiastic senior girls rallied to the need to increase lagging Luminary subscriptions and football season ticket sales. Their interest embraced any worthy cause for the good of the school and by chance they became known as the "Boosters". This spirit has prevailed. Whenever

there seemed to be a lag, the Boosters gave the cause a boost!

This year under Rose Weldon's presidency these girls in blue and white jacket have been seen in the cafeteria, halls, and in the auditorium supporting Central in the Central-way.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: S. Smith, J. Thompson, S. Myers, R. Weldon, B. Locke, J. Miller, S. Hopkins.

TOP ROW: C. Williams, D. Thomas, C. Bryant, C. Shaw, E. Hazley, W. Toms, B. Vertreese, P. Caruth, J. Smith.



OFFICERS—Deborah Thomas, *Secretary*; Barbara Vertreese, *President*; James Burgess, *Vice-President*; and Troy Rinacke, *Sergeant-at-Arms*.



DECLARATIVES

Are you interested in world as well as national and local events? Do you enjoy discussions? Are you interested in improving your thinking and oral expressions? Do you have fourteen scholarship points? If your answer to these questions is 'yes', then the Declaratives is the club for you. This unique club, organized in 1959, is not only the most select, but also one of the most popular clubs in school.

This year to spearhead their varied activities, the club elected the following officers: Barbara Vertreese,

President; James Burgess, *Vice-President*; Deborah Thomas, *Secretary*; and Troy Rinacke, *Sergeant-at-Arms*. Miss Williams is the sponsor.

One of the first activities planned by the club this year was the second annual Homecoming tea for graduates just before the Christmas recess. A youth program on world peace and assisting the PTA in their candy sale were among the projects sponsored by the club.

This year the club also designed and purchased club pins for each member.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: D. Thomas, S. Myers, O. Wright, M. Eden, S. Smith, B. Locke. ROW TWO: M. Thixton, C. Bryant, I. Brown, B. York, R. Weldon, A. King, C. Shaw. ROW THREE: R. Holdon, D. Thomas, C.

Williams, J. Smith, F. Lawton, W. Jolly, R. Lynk. TOP ROW: G. Herndon, R. Tolbert, J. Burgess, T. Rinacke, B. Robinson, F. Gensler, B. Vertreese.





BOTTOM ROW: S. Thompson, J. Cook, F. Wilburn, D. Johnson, C. Beatty. ROW TWO: W. Harris, V. Anderson, M. Thompson, I. Scaife, M. King. ROW THREE: S.

Donelson, J. Edison, M. Ambler, T. Nash J. Brooks. TOP ROW: Mrs. Sheffield J. Walker, S. Jones, B. Gadson, G. Shelton.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The objectives of the F.H.A. are to help individuals improve personal, family and community living, and to further their interests in home economics. The club's membership is open to any boy or girl who has taken a homemaking course either in junior or senior high school.

This year members represented Central High School chapter of Future Homemakers of America at the state meeting held in Jefferson City, Missouri. The local chapter also gave a Christmas Hop, at which everyone had a marvelous time as they twisted and turned to

the popular music. In order to celebrate "Home Economics" Week an assembly was presented with the theme of "Homemaking in Everyday Life."

The Sweetheart Dinner, which has become an annual affair for the Future Homemakers, was held in full splendor. The girls planned and prepared dinner for their dates and a few members of the faculty. You will find these energetic girls meeting with their sponsor, Mrs. E. Sheffield, every second and fourth Thursday of the month.

OFFICERS — LEFT TO RIGHT: Genevieve Shelton, *Historian*; Joyce Brooks, *Parliamentarian*; June Edison, *President*; Tommye Nash, *Secretary*; Marion Ambler, *Assistant Secretary*; Bernice Gadson, *Vice-President*; JoAnn Walker, *Treasurer*.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: G. Kinsey, P. Hill, J. Miller, S. Walker, W. Toms, J. Edison. ROW TWO: D. Hill, C. Powell, C. Miller, D. Turner, L. Cole. ROW THREE: B. Holliday, D. Caruthers, C. Lockman, S. Nolan, J. Jones. ROW FOUR: H. Crowley, L. Knox, M. Thompson, B. Davis, J.

Nash. ROW FIVE: S. Donelson, V. Anderson, S. Denton, S. Wilkerson, F. Reeves. ROW SIX: A. Smith, Y. Cole, M. Vincent, S. Gray, B. Ward. ROW SEVEN: M. Smith, T. Rodgers, L. Leggett, C. Hutchinson, B. Lyle. TOP ROW: Mrs. Jones, C. Bryant, W. Crawford, D. Mitchell.

FUTURE TEACHERS

The Future Teachers are organized to interest students in becoming teachers, to explore the teaching field for opportunities, to study the lives of great teachers, and to bring to pupils a greater understanding of the value of education. This year under the leadership of president the group took trips to Kansas City University and held a tea for parents.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Daniel, A. Daniel, C. Beatty, L. Leggett, B. Davis. ROW TWO: J. Cook, E. Jones, M. Thompson, M.

FUTURE NURSES

The Future Nurses are organized to interest students in becoming nurses. These girls assist Miss Kirkendoll in the Health Center thus receiving valuable training in the care of the injured. Their officers are: Shirley Cole, President; Wanda Craig Vice-President; Estella Jones, Secretary; Darty Dickey, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Ambler, W. Craig, Miss Kirkendoll. TOP ROW: S. Cole, M. Macklin, G. Rayford, S. Myers, H. Crowley, D. Dickey.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. King, L. Smith, R. McCreary, L. Freeman, H. Smith, B. Pernel, L. Cain, S. Myers, C. Shaw, W. Toms, S. Foote. ROW TWO: F. Williams, L. Skelton, J. Thompson, D. Holoman, S. Gray, K. Jenkins, L. Bass, B. Ward, S. Heggie, R. Silk, C. Bryant,

F. Reeves. ROW THREE: W. Shelton, W. Crawford, C. Jackson, L. Booker, E. Burgette, R. Sylvan, N. Elders, E. Scott, D. Thomas, W. Redmond, R. Brewster. TOP ROW: T. Polk, G. Herndon, L. Collins, L. Jackson, C. Rice, E. Hazley, R. Carter, R. Holden, R. Copeland, J. Foster.

LOCKER PATROL

This year the Locker Patrol was changed from what it has been in recent years. The number of students was reduced but their highly efficient task remained. The neatness of Central's halls are the responsibility of the eight students chosen to be on Locker Patrol each hour. They also furnish the first act of courtesy to visitors of our school.

HONOR CORPS

Much of the credit for a successful lunch period should go to the junior and senior boys who make up the Honor Corps. Under the supervision of Mr. A. A. Keith, these boys supervise the flow of traffic and encourage neatness and orderliness in the cafeteria.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: L. Smith, R. Holden, J. Collins, E. Scott, H. Turner. TOP ROW: R. Tolbert, J. Foster, A. Mooney, F. Williams.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: P. Guy, D. Caruthers, G. Vaughn, L. Leggett, J. Daniel. ROW TWO: H. Crowley, S. Nolan, F. Reeves, C. Murray, E. Jones, B. Anderson.

TOP ROW: J. Harris, A. Elliot, P. Madlock, S. Hamilton, J. Davis.

PHILOSOPHY CLUB

The Philosophy Club was organized to stimulate interest in a variety of ideas and provide a forum for discussion. Any student interested to its point of participation may become a member. The club meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month in room 314 with their sponsor, Mr. Donald Mitchell. In addition to the discussions the club has had two different sales of ribbons "spirit" and "wishes" to finance their various activities. The first semester officers were: Leavon Leggett, President; Sherrell Hamilton, Vice-President; Donna Caruthers, Secretary; and Joanna Henry, Treasurer. The second semester officers were: Patricia Madlock, President; Gayle Vaughn, Vice-President; Josephine Daniel, Secretary; and Donna Caruthers, Treasurer.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: R. McCreary, W. Johnson, L. Collins, K. Sylvan, W. Draffen.
TOP ROW: L. Smith, R. Rhodeman, J. Foster, J. Thompson, P. Roberts.

AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS

The Audio-Visual Aids is a group of young men who give up their "study" time to act as custodians and monitors of the audio-visual equipment owned by the school and workable for any teacher's use. The boys besides being responsible and orderly have the technical knowledge to keep the machines in operational order and to assist a teacher when necessary in the use of the machines. In addition to delivery and collection the boys set up the P-A system for assemblies and mixers. Mr. Christopher and Mr. Keith select and supervise the aids.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Ware, L. O'Neal, L. DeGraffenreid, T. S. Berry, W. Watkins, M. Clark, R. McCreary, G. Wright, H. Smith, B. Pernel. ROW TWO: R. Wright, R. Lynk, J. Berry, H. Mezile, J. Collins, D.

Holoman, E. Burgette, W. Bartlett, R. Collins. TOP ROW: K. McMurray, A. Mooney, P. Mimms, T. Polk, E. McGaugh, T. Graves, L. Jackson, R. Powell, L. Freeman, R. Tolbert, J. Byers.

"C" CLUB

The 'C' Club is one of the oldest clubs at Central and is the Honor Society of the Athletic department. When you see a boy in a blue jacket with a large 'C' decorated with various school insignia, you may well know he is a 'C' club member; also he may be wearing a white sweater with the blue 'C'. These boys have lettered in at least one varsity sport; football, basketball, or track. From this year on swimming will be added to the events. Many of these athletes have lettered in all

the sports. So they are the medal winners of the sports.

In addition to their achievements, they are the makers of rules and regulations for their organizations. They set up the standards of achievement and scholarship, and pass on the boys presenting themselves for membership. Their financial ventures are for the purpose of procuring jackets and/or sweaters for the members. Coach Harry Slaymaker is their inspirational sponsor.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: S. Moore, E. Turner, C. Rollins, L. Leggett, N. Hill, B. Davis, G. Fanniel, S. Thompson, M. Ambler, B. Thompson. ROW TWO: E. Batsell, B. Smith, M. Scott, M. Luper, S. Denton, P. Frier-

son, V. Anderson, H. Ellis, L. Carter, S. Runnels, M. Washington. ROW THREE: S. Lunkins, S. Cole, G. Simmons, A. Long, B. Jackson, G. Rayford, B. Mitchell, B. Wade, S. Donelson, L. Mitchell, A. Riddle.

THE PEP CLUB

If you wish to join the Pep Club, be a girl, attend the games, stand well in school, and promise to pay your dues. The purpose of the club is four fold: to promote good sportsmanship, to develop wholesome school spirit, to develop loyalty to the school and teams, and to promote cooperation between the faculty and students.

Snappy blue sweaters and coulottes trimmed in white insignia distinguish these "peppy" Centralites. In the school on game days and on the field, their particular responsibility is to assist the Cheerleaders in encouraging the team to "beat-em"!



BOTTOM ROW: Shirley Cole, Vice-President; Mrs. Coleman, Sponsor; Betty Davis, President. ROW TWO: Clara Gibbs, Christine Rollins, Secretary; Bertha Brown.



BOTTOM ROW: N. Rucker, G. Vaughn, E. Hazley. ROW TWO: B. Locke, O. Wright, M. Glass.
TOP ROW: D. Hoard, P. Caruth, E. Brown, B. Counts, R. Weldon, F. Gensler.

THE LUMINARY

This is the first year the editing and printing of the paper has been done by the same teacher. Mr. Laurance C. Darden assumed those positions last September. The four page paper published semi-monthly, covers the school news and gossip. Colorful titles of columns such as: "The Corn is Green," "Live and Let Live," "Buzzin' Around," "Grads," and "Little Gleams" tease the readers' attention.

The Newswriting first semester class is composed of students making satisfactory English grades and having an aptitude for writing. The paper is published by the second semester class.

Positions for the first semester were: Editors: Fay Gensler, Rose Weldon, and Ovida Wright. Reporters were Roberta Thompson, Brenda Locke, Noreta Rucker, Gayle Vaughn, Pat Caruth, and Brenda Counts. Sports Editor, DeWitt Hoard.

Positions for the second semester were: Advertising Manager, Freddie Reeves; Page One Editors, Evelyn Jones and Cheryl Williams; Page Two Editors, Sharon Smith and Mayme Glass; Page Three Editors, Lester Wagner and Joann Davis; Page Four Editor, Samuel Heggie.

BOTTOM ROW: J. Davis, E. Jones, S. Smith. ROW TWO: G. Vaughn, F. Reeves, S. Roberts, B. Dunson, M. Harmon. TOP ROW: T. S. Berry, S. Heggie, G. Kinsey, C. Williams, L. Wagner, R. Sylvan.





Robert Bass
Artist



Carolyn Bryant
Organizations Editor



James Burgess
Senior Class Co-Editor



Richard Carter
Faculty Editor



Josephine Daniel
Underclassmen Editor



Forestal Lawton
Editor-in-Chief



Louis O'Neal
Sports Editor



Deborah Thomas
Senior Co-Editor



Richard Tolbert
Business Manager

1962 CENTRALIAN STAFF

The 1962 Centralian Staff is without question the most active and versatile nine-member group in school. They are super salesmen, bookkeepers, copy writers, artists, typists, and layout men. Like Shakespeare their work is their monument. This book will be for you, your most permanent record of your 1961-62 year.

Your teachers, friends, classmates, organization associates, activities, and achievements have been recorded between the covers of this your memory book. You and your friends will add sentiment and color with the messages you write on Centralian and Senior days.

One of the staff's usually busy days.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: S. Jackson, S. Rucker, A. Crossley, H. Carpenter, A. Lewis, R. Johnson, M. King, S. Byers. ROW TWO: J. Folz, R. Williams, P. Rollins, R. Jackson, L. Anderson, R. Hines, C. Johnson, E. Denson,

Mr. Campbell. TOP ROW: F. Matlock, J. Wheeldon, C. Sparks, M. Ward, S. McGaughy, C. Canady, J. Cunningham, A. Shaw.

C.O.E.

C.O.E. stands for Cooperative Occupational Education. C.O.E. is a cooperative undertaking in which the school and local industries work together in providing students vocational training in the occupation of their choice.

"Earning while learning" is the theme of C.O.E. students. They earn wages and also two units of credit that will be accepted by most state colleges as entrance credit to college.

Upon graduation, C.O.E. students have earned some advantages over students taking a regular course. They have received training for a job and are already employed. This supervised training in the work processes of the occupation of their choice will be a great advantage to them after high school.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: K. Fuel, A. Epps, B. Malone, J. Hardwick, B. Counts. TOP ROW: R. Hamby, A. Childs, B. Robinson, J. Tabron, S. Nance, A. Watson.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: S. Hamilton, C. Shaw, J. Miller, F. Lawton. ROW TWO: E. Talley, D. Hill, B. Holliday, K. Brown, H. Cage. ROW THREE: J. King, L. Britton, S. Dawton, J. Cook. ROW FOUR: M. Guest, A. Tucker, S. Wilkerson, B. Davis, C. Miller. ROW FIVE: S. Walker, R. Weldon, V. Jenkins, W. Toms, P. Whitaker, D. Brown. ROW SIX: C. Bryant, S. Gray, J. Harris, G. Rayford. ROW SEVEN: C. Beason, W. Crawford, L. Hoover, R. Collins, L. Jordan, J. Brown. TOP ROW: M. Glass, S. Myers, D. Hoard, B. Locke, C. Gibbs.

HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL



OFFICERS — Sherrell Hamilton, *Vice-President*; Forestal Lawton, *Parliamentarian*; Judy Miller, *President*; Chequita Shaw, *Secretary*.

The purpose of Human Relations Council is what its name indicates: to promote better relations between people of different races, religions, national and regional origins and economic and social backgrounds, to understand the hopes and problems of others and to act toward all groups and individuals with an intelligent sincere effort to overcome prejudice and to try to create happier human relations.

The membership is limited to 35 and they meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays after school. They take part in American Friend's Service, Fellowship House, and National Conference of Christians and Jews. Last summer they sent eight delegates to the World Affairs Youth Conference held in Denver, Colorado and Boone, Iowa. Their Brotherhood assembly this year used the theme: "You've got to be taught" from the musical comedy, "South Pacific." Miss Virginia Oldham is sponsor.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: W. Booker, B. Pierce, S. Frazier, J. Brooks, B. Locke, W. Toms, M. Vincent. ROW TWO: M. Ambler, B. Counts, J. Miller, D. Thomas, R. Weldon, C. Williams, M. Towns, S. Myers, F. Wilbourn, P. Driver. ROW THREE: B. Shaw, C. Bryant, J. Smith,

G. Kinsey, P. Caruth, L. Skelton, L. Knox, O. Wright, M. Thompson, C. Beatty. TOP ROW: S. Cole, C. Buffington, M. Macklin, M. Williams, P. Madlock, D. Mitchell, S. Walker, B. Vertreese, D. Dickey, B. Finney.

TRI-HI-Y # 1

Thirty-seven senior girls make up Tri-Hi-Y No. 1. These girls who meet every Tuesday night at the Linwood Y have had a varied and interesting year. They gave an "after" party for those attending the Senior Dance. Another big event for these industrious young ladies was a dinner and dance held in March at the downtown Y.M.C.A. Their officers are: Patricia Caruth, President; Lily Skelton, Vice-President; Cheryl Williams, Secretary; Jacqueline Smith, Sergeant-at-Arms; Gail Kinsey, Reporter.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: T. Pierson, C. West, E. Jones, D. Brim, B. Saunders, B. Frederick. ROW TWO: L. Leggitt, J. Fanniel, J. King, H. Crowley, S. Hamilton, B. Frederick, L. McArn. ROW THREE: F. Porter, G.

Sykes, M. Parker, L. Mitchell, E. Rice, D. Thomas, D. Doty, K. Riley. TOP ROW: R. Pitts, C. Murray, M. Sirls, K. Rogers, D. Wilkins, D. McIntyre, S. Jackson, J. Guyton.

TRI-HI-Y # 2

The junior division of the Central Tri-Hi-Y is composed of twenty-nine girls. These girls sponsored a semi-formal dance during the Christmas holidays. Perhaps one of the most comical occasions during the year was the Globe Trotters vs. the Varsity basketball team game sponsored by these junior girls.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: V. Coates, W. Jackson, E. Jackson, T. Evans, J. Jackson, C. Powell, J. Wormac, C. Barker. ROW TWO: C. Gibson, E. Rollins, S. Thurman, D. Glass, L. Lyons, E. Mansfield, C. Miller, M. Thomas, L. Ogletree, D. Garner. ROW THREE: K. Brooks, B. Wilson,

T. Johnson, C. DeGraffenreid, C. Perry, S. Piper, E. Jackson, J. Williams, J. Lewis, J. Holloway. TOP ROW: T. McIntyre, M. Merrill, C. Lockman, C. Butler, G. McCormick, A. Smith, S. Johnson, S. Miller, R. Hardwick, B. Bryant.

TRI-HI-Y # 3

One of the most active of the Tri-Hi-Y groups was the sophomore chapter. These industrious sophomore girls started the year off with a 'Sip with the Sophomore' tea. One of the most glamorous occasions during the year was a 'Roaring Twenties' party sponsored by the group. Everyone wore costumes that was typical of the dress in the twenties.

HI-Y

The boys YMCA group connected with the school is the Hi-Y. These boys meet at the YMCA each Wednesday night. This year among their many activities were a party held after the homecoming football game and a talent show held at the downtown YMCA.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: C. Jackson, M. Brown, R. Wright, E. Scott, J. Collins, R. Hines, M. Carrol, G. Wright. ROW TWO: W. McClendon, R. Collins, R.

Benson, M. Estell, G. Malone, R. Tolbert, R. Smith, M. Stewart. TOP ROW: W. McCarther, A. Shaw, A. White, B. Johnson, A. Mooney, C. Canady, T. Byers, L. Maxie.



OFFICERS — Wanda Craig, *Parliamentarian*; Clare Lockman, *Representative*; Joyce Nash, *Vice-President*; Marsheline Letcher, *President*; LaVena Knox, *Treasurer*; Tima Johnson, *Secretary*.



Y-TEENS

The Y-Teens is an organization to build fellowship of women and girls devoted to the task of realizing in our common life those ideals of personal and social living to which we are committed by our Christian faith. The organization meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month for an inspirational program. The girls donated fruit at Thanksgiving to fill a basket to be pre-

sented to the patients in the Malott Nursing Home and an Easter service project.

Their social events were a semi formal dance at the Paseo Y at Christmas time and a Mother and Daughter Banquet in the spring. Their sponsors are Miss Cornell and Mrs. Hinton.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Cook, A. Daniel, J. Daniel, J. Nash, R. Moore, E. Talley, W. Craig, S. Knox, S. Baker. ROW TWO: Mrs. Hinton, G. Simmons, M.

Thompson, L. Skelton, L. Carter, M. Letcher, M. Mitchell, B. Hasley, L. Knox. TOP ROW: C. Lockman, S. Cole, T. Johnson, C. Tate, B. Smith, B. Ward.





Miss Brasfield prepares to check out a book.



Students busy in the Library, Studying?

LIBRARY PAGES

The Library Pages are not really an organization but they are a unique group. In order to be a Library Page, a student must have an 'M' average and his average must not drop after he starts working. Being a Page is also an honor for the student for he is in a very select group. The Page is initiated to the many things about the Library that the average student never sees. A Page must return books to the shelves in their correct order.

He must also know how to check out books and be prepared to actually run the Library in the absence of the Librarian. Each Page in the Library is assigned specific duties that he must perform.

This year Richard L. Carter, Donald Jackson, and Robert Brashier work in the Juvenile section while Jessie Graves and Howard Jacks work in the Adult section.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Richard L. Carter, Robert Brashier, Howard Jacks, Jessie Graves.





BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Halloway, R. Luke, W. Craig, A. Robertson, M. Hicks, V. Paige, B. Smith. ROW TWO: C. Rollins, D. Dickey, B. Pernell, R. Holden, M.

Allen, C. Murray. TOP ROW: S. Grey, G. Edwards, D. Mabin, W. King, V. Jenkins, G. Marshall, M. Eubanks.

RED CROSS

The purpose of the high school Red Cross is to support and assist the goals of American education through practical community service opportunity. This year the Red Cross sent members to the training center at Unity Village, as well as taking care of the distribution of Christmas stocking to the Veterans Hospital. Every home room is represented by one member on the Red Cross. There is also an executive board and a president. This year Ronald Holden is president with Mitchell Allen, Alveda Robertson, Berkley Pernell, Loretta Mitchell, Betty Bryant, Wanda Craig, Anita Tucker, Charlene Essex, and Louis Cain as members of the board. Mrs. Elizabeth Rutledge is the sponsor.

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: G. Vaughn, A. Robertson, D. Dickey, J. Miller, D. Green, E. Jones, F. Johnson, M. Hicks, J. Wormack, S. Andrews, J. Nash. ROW TWO: S. Wilkerson, L. Skelton, R. Pitts, C. Murray, R. Marshall,

K. Riley, L. Mitchell, V. Anderson, D. Doty, P. Guy, S. Collins. TOP ROW: D. Mitchell, C. Perry, B. Brown, P. Madlock, J. Smith, J. Guyton, W. Nelson, G. Sykes, G. Kinsey, L. Johnson, G. Marshall, A. Wright.

OFFICE GIRLS

The group of young ladies who work in the offices of Central are very versatile. They answer the phone, deliver important messages, file cards, and a great number of many other tasks which enable them to be of a great help to the secretaries in the office. These girls may be found all seven hours of the day working in the attendance office, the counselors' office as well as the main office. Many varied activities has a need for them to be talented and skilled as well as dependable.





BOTTOM ROW: D. Mitchell, C. Robinson, J. Washington, E. McCamby. ROW TWO: J. Johnson, V. Barker, J. Hardy, P. McPherson, E. Gains, F. Ellis, M. Ambler, S. Cunn-

ham. TOP ROW: W. Morris, R. Moore, K. Dixon, P. Myers.

THE CENTRAL BAND

BOTTOM ROW: L. Hoover, L. Britton. ROW TWO: W. Murray, D. Wilson, T. Routt, C. Webb, B. Ambler,

H. Mansfield. TOP ROW: W. Meeks, J. Hulff, R. Durant, B. Smith, W. Browne, L. Moore.





BOTTOM ROW: R. Woods, W. Toms, E. Heidrich, Y. Cole, D. Greene, D. Brim, L. Cole, K. Brooks, A. King, D. Foreman, T. Bright, J. Dawson, T. Fort, L. Haney, C. Goudeau. ROW TWO: F. Buffington, J. Black, O. Walker, F. Harper, L. Washington, R. Henderson, G. McCormick, D. Harris, J. Frye, M. York, J. Thomas, S.

Frazier, S. Jones. ROW THREE: P. Gines, L. Tolbert, J. Hardy, B. Jones, H. Groves, M. Lewis, P. Simms, M. Smith, C. Williams, C. Buffington, C. Spears, J. Frierson, B. Evans. TOP ROW: C. Salmond, M. Macklin, C. Bell, R. Adams, J. Guerin, H. Powell, M. Stewart, A. Elliott, H. Joseph, B. Washington, M. Guerin, R. Pitts.

CONCERT CHOIR

The Concert Choir of Central has built a reputation of being the best in Kansas City. It is kept busy singing at churches, P.T.A. meetings, television presentations, and also at the annual choir festival. The music performed by the choir is most difficult. An example of their music

performed is the world famous "Creation." They perform songs in four or six part harmony and on occasion, they sing in foreign languages. The most outstanding accomplishment of the choir this year is their beautiful tone that everyone loves to hear.



Triple Trio at tune session.

Mr. Swingle gives harmony lesson.





BOTTOM ROW: L. Lindsey, L. Ogletree, J. Brooks, D. Turner, Y. Thompson, A. Webb, N. Wagner, D. Watkins, E. Walker. ROW TWO: B. Jones, B. Black, C. Wagner, O. Pierson, R. Coursey, E. Davis, R. Davis, L. Merritt, D. Glass, V. Williams, C. Johnson. ROW THREE: P.

Frazier, D. Rowe, L. Myers, S. Nolan, E. Jackson, S. Lancaster, C. Wardlow, C. Macklin, B. Chouteau, G. Marshall, J. Whitson, G. Walker. TOP ROW: D. Anderson, S. Hamilton, E. Slack, A. Elliott, S. Brooks, L. Rice, P. Christian, J. Wilson, D. Ray, S. Scott, B. Goff, S. Lane.

GIRLS' CHOIR

Every morning at second hour a very good quality of music originates in the southeast corner of the fourth floor. If you listen carefully, you will discover that the sound you hear is feminine and dainty. You are listening to the Central High School Girls Choir, under the direction of Mr. Vester Swingle. The mainstay of the choir is Mrs. Veva Koenig, the accompanist. The choir is composed of sixty lively, talented girls.

The choir never seems to relax because of the heavy schedule that keeps them busy learning new music and perfecting the music they know. The choir presents at least four school assemblies a year. They also sing at various civic functions and churches, and participate in the All-City Girls Choir Festival.

Mrs. Koenig at her piano.



Girls practice in the auditorium.

1962 KAYDETTES



Jackie Smith, Commander, Cherrye Butler.



Marie Sirls, Diana Brim.



Karen Riley, Verda Brooks.



Ronetta Coursey, Brenda Wilson



Latrica McArn, Rosa Wilson.



Marvena Thixton, Delores Wilkins



BOTTOM ROW: J. Taylor, B. Barnett, B. Smith, J. Nash,
B. Gates. ROW TWO: J. Moore, J. Lewis, B. Brodie, B.
Ward, L. Knox, B. Sims, M. Vincent. TOP ROW: D.

Harris, L. Johnson, S. Lipscomb, C. Macklin, K. Brooks, J.
Guyton.

TWIRLETES

BOTTOM ROW: J. Moore, W. Jackson, P. Hill, S. Kelly,
M. Hicks, F. Johnson, M. Vincent. ROW TWO: T.
Greene, J. Jackson, L. Lyons, D. Glass, N. Tamplin. TOP

ROW: D. McIntyre, S. Jackson, D. Mitchell, P. Caruth, L.
Skelton.





AMAHL AND THE NIGHT VISITORS

A Christmas Opera by Gian-Carlo Menotti presented by the Central High School Music Department, December 19, 1961.

CAST

<i>Amahl</i>	Logan Vinson Cole
<i>His mother</i>	Margaret Lewis
<i>King Kaspar</i>	Lonnie Tolbert
<i>King Melchior</i>	James Hardy
<i>King Balthazar</i>	Ronald Murray
<i>Their Page</i>	Odis Walker
<i>Solo dancer</i>	Wanda Toms
<i>Musical Director</i>	Vester Swingle
<i>Staging Director</i>	Mrs. Andrea Scott
<i>Accompanist</i>	Mrs. Veva Koenig
<i>Artist</i>	Robert Bass



1962 SPRING PLAY



BOTTOM ROW: J. Jones, H. Mezille, W. Crawford, A. Elliott. ROW TWO: Mrs. Scott, R. Holden, F. Lawton, M. Letcher, C. Williams, R. Pitts, P. Simms. TOP ROW: J. Harris, G. Herndon, J. LaCour, D. Hoard.

"ARSENIC AND OLD LACE"



"What the Devil is going on here?"



"See what you've done to me."



"Now, now Mortimer, you musn't tell."



"Can't you see that I love you, you dope?"





BOTTOM ROW: Warner Jones, Executive Officer. ROW TWO: James LaCour, Adjutant; Leonard Collins, Intelligence Officer; George Anthony, Training Officer; Clark Robinson, Supply Sergeant; Jessie Graves, Sergeant Major. TOP ROW: Burt Hayter,

Company Commander, A Group; Robert O'Neal, Company Commander, B Group; Robert Sylvan, Company Commander, C Group; and Lonnie Randle, Company Commander, D. Group.

BATTALION STAFF

Central High School R.O.T.C. furnishes the military training in principles of leadership, orderliness and precision, posture and respect for constituted authority. Detachment No. 23, U.S. Army R.O.T.C. Instruction Group, XI U.S. Army Corps (Reserves), Kansas City High School sponsors the Central Unit. Classes meet the first, third, sixth, and

seventh hours during the school day in the "shack."

The Battle group participates in the All-City Rifle Match, this year placing fifth; in the Kansas City Platoon Drill Competition, Annual Federal Inspection, and Annual R.O.T.C. Field Day. They elect their queen and her attendants even though there was no R.O.T.C. Ball this year.



BOTTOM ROW: G. Simms, B. Hayter. ROW TWO: L. Smith, J. Washington. ROW THREE: W. Johnson, J. Barbour, W. Meeks, H. Ruffin, S. Smith, H. Boze, F. Thomas, K. Sylvan, W. Flowers. ROW FOUR: S. Cole, M. Greene,

B. Frizell, M. Woods, C. Pierce, R. Silk, J. Fogle, W. Crawford, W. Fisher, C. Henry. TOP ROW: J. Langford, K. Jones, E. Moore, H. Randolph, J. Barker, W. Draffen, E. McGaugh, A. Jennings, H. Bruce, L. Morehead, L. Dixon.

COMPANY A

COMPANY B

BOTTOM ROW: L. Cain, R. O'Neal. ROW TWO: F. Cox, J. Stewart. ROW THREE: H. Goldsby, C. Beason, T. Strickland, L. Copeland, L. Moses, J. Jones, R. Rhodes, A. Harris.

ROW FOUR: D. Jackson, L. Jackson, A. Williams, R. Thornton, L. Denton, J. Black. TOP ROW: M. Carrol, C. Avery, R. Bass, E. Taylor, D. Powell, C. Hayes, D. Lyons.





BOTTOM ROW: R. Sylvan, R. Campbell. ROW TWO: L. Jordan, M. Caruthers, C. Reynolds, E. Jackson, W. Jackson, J. Watts, S. Benton. ROW THREE: R. Moore, E. Edwards, A. Boyd, T. Harvey, R. Hicks, H. Davis. TOP ROW: T. Byers, R. Mitchell, J. Poole, A. Bledsoe, C. Hack, C. Lee.

COMPANY C

COMPANY D

BOTTOM ROW: L. Maxie, L. Randle. ROW TWO: R. Copeland, A. White. ROW THREE: R. McCreary, J. Bywaters, C. Ashley, C. White, G. Liggins, C. Jones, P. Gines, M. Copeland, D. Horton, L. Williams, R. Madden, A. Dillard. ROW FOUR: L. Johnson, G. Smith, D. Fogle, T. Parker, W.

Jolly, M. York, L. Moore, J. Akins, H. Mansfield, T. Routt. TOP ROW: J. Walker, M. Love, J. Hopkins, E. Logan, M. Greene, R. Rhodeman, B. Smith, S. Williams, C. Sutherlin, V. Holmes, J. Williams.





MISS JUDY MILLER, R.O.T.C. QUEEN



Diana Brim



June Edison

R.O.T.C. PRINCESSES



Jackie Fanniel



Sharon Kelly

The time you won your town the race
We chaired you through the market-
place;
Man and boy stood cheering by,
And home we brought you shoulder-
high.

A. E. Housman



SPORTS



Gayle Vaughn



Melanie Parker



Wanda Toms

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



Chequita Shaw



Deidra Thomas

Sue Hopkins

Jackie Fanniel





Georgia Clark



Toledia McIntyre



Ruth Marshall



Pat Whittaker

Sherrell Hamilton

1962 CHEERLEADERS

The 1962 squad of Varsity and B-team cheerleaders was composed of three seniors, eight juniors, and three sophomores. For these four girls the year started in June of 1961 when they were elected by the student body as cheerleaders. Eight of them went to the cheerleaders camp held on the campus of Oklahoma University. There they placed first as one of the best squads at camp. These girls have led the cheers that have led Central teams to victories. Their sponsor is Miss Thompson. Deidra Thomas is Varsity captain and Pat Whittaker is B-team captain.

Valeria Jenkins

Arnedra Wright



FOOTBALL HIGHLIGHTS



HOMECOMING



BRENDA LOCKE
Attendant



LA VENA KNOX
Princess



CHEQUITA SHAW
Queen



JACKLYN THOMPSON
Princess

GAIL KINSEY
Attendant

OVIDA WRIGHT
Attendant



ROYALTY





Miss Chequita Shaw

1961 HOMECOMING QUEEN



JACKLYN THOMPSON

HOMECOMING PRINCESSES

LAVENA KNOX





R. Lynk



R. Wright



J. Collins



M. Clark



A. Mooney



E. Scott



R. Howard



J. Berry



J. Byers



R. Tolbert



M. Estell



C. Jackson



T. Polk



H. Mezile



E. Brown



R. Collins



J. Ware



C. Jones



E. Jackson



E. Smith



H. Watkins



R. Smith



H. Turner



T. S. Berry



W. McCarther



P. Mimms



R. Powell



K. McMurray



E. Branch



L. DeGraffenreid



E. McGaugh



W. Watkins



D. Holoman



F. Williams

1961 RECORD

Westport	14	Central	6
Manual	0	Central	33
Paseo	6	Central	18
East	6	Central	7
Lincoln	0	Central	26
Northeast	8	Central	13
Southeast	27	Central	0
St. Joe C. B.	6	Central	0



Harold Michael
Coach

Gwynne Coombs
Assistant Coach

Central's 1961 football squad in compiling a 5 and 2 league record produced its best season since the 1958 campaign. With 11 returning lettermen, the mighty Eagles opened the season against Westport. In a very hard-fought contest the Tigers came out with an 8-point advantage. One bright spot for the Eagles was a 94-yard sprint from scrimmage for a touchdown.

The next week the Eagles started a 5 game winning streak against the Redbirds of Manual. By the end of the game the Eagles had rolled up 33 points and the alert Eagle defense kept the Redbirds inside their 50 yardline. The fighting Pirates of Paseo took a few breaths before succumbing to the Eagle tidal wave the next week in an 18 to 6 victory for the Eagles.

In one of the hardest fought games of the season, the Eagles squeezed by the East Bears 7 to 6 in a televised contest. The gaiety of Homecoming was further evidenced as the Eagles crushed the Tigers of Lincoln by a score of 26 to 0. The defense played one of their

best games in holding the Tigers to 28 yards rushing. The Vikings stunned the Eagles the next week by scoring 8 points, but the tremendous speed of the Eagle backfield roared back with 13 to win 13 to 8.

With a combination of cold weather and the single wing offense of Southeast, the season and the winning streak of the Eagles ended. The Knights raked the Eagles 27 to 0. In a post-season game the Golden Eagles of St. Joe C.B. slipped by our Blue Eagles 6 to 0.

This was a season that Centralities will long remember. Games were well attended by students. Their faithfulness was well rewarded by our representation on the all-star teams. Halfback Robert Wright was selected for the first team of Interscholastic stars. End Adolphus Mooney and Center Richard Tolbert were on the second team. John Collins, Ed Scott, and Ronald Howard were selected for the third team. Robert Wright and Ronald Howard were also selected for the all district teams.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: B. Frizell, C. Jones, E. Moore, R. Clifton, W. Redmond, W. Thompson, J. Hicks, R. Green, D. Shellner, D. Mills, G. Drew. ROW TWO: M. Ferguson, C. Brown, M. Smith, A. Ellison, J. Bywaters, D. Mabin, C. Williams, J. Thompson, M. Rentie, W. Johnson, R. Griffin, A. Gee, R.

Phillips, D. Lyons. ROW THREE: S. Howard, C. Pierce, W. Scott, M. Brown, A. Huskie, S. Benton, E. Boyd, W. King, G. Vaughn, L. Jenkins, W. Flowers, S. Callaway, G. Edwards, E. Clark.

Coaches Stanley and Edwards



Central's 1961 junior varsity, composed of 39 sophomores and juniors, won the city title with a 6 and 1 league record. The tough Eaglet defense played a key role in the Little Blue wins. The speedy backfield rolled up 18 touchdowns in 7 league games. Shutting out four of their opponents, the Eaglets racked up 111 points while limiting their opponents to 32.

In their first two league games, the Eaglets ran by Westport and Manual with scores of 36 to 12 and 24 to 0. Stunned by the Cubs of East the Eaglets suffered a 13 to 6 loss in their next game. Not to be dismayed by the loss, however, the Eaglets shut out Paseo 6 to 0; Lincoln 12 to 0; and Southeast 13 to 0.

In their next game with the Vikings of Northeast, the Eaglets wrapped up the title with a 13 to 7 victory. In a non-league contest the Eaglets lost to the Wm. Chrisman Bears 21 to 0. The experience gained by our fine championship team should provide many thrills for Varsity fans in years to come. .



OFFICERS — BOTTOM ROW: Edith Hazley, *Reporter*; Lily Skelton, *President*; Theola Cochran, *Treasurer*. ROW TWO: Donna Mitchell, *Sergeant-at-Arms*; Loary Sanders, *Secretary*.

The Girls Sport Club is organized to promote health and happiness, to create an active interest in girls athletics, and to promote school spirit.

The requirements for membership in the club are: have an "S" average and enrolled in the special gym class.

This year under the leadership of their sponsor, Mrs. Cobbs, and their president, Lily Skelton, the club raised money to purchase their Sports Day uniforms. Other officers are: Sue Hopkins, *Vice-President*; Loary Sanders, *Secretary*; Donna Mitchell, *Sergeant-at-Arms*; Theola Cochran, *Treasurer*; and Edith Hazley, *Reporter*.

GIRLS SPORTS CLUB

BOTTOM ROW: B. Frederick, M. Washington, J. Fanneil, L. Skelton, L. Johnson, L. Tyson, T. Cochran. ROW

TWO: I. Brown, E. Hazley, M. Lester, D. Mitchell, R. Finnie. ROW THREE: Loary Sanders.



1962 BASKETBALL TEAM



E. Burgette



J. Collins



M. Estell



R. Howard



C. Jackson



A. Mooney



H. Turner



R. Wright



W. Armstrong



K. McMurray



P. Mimms



M. Moseley

1962 VARSITY

The 1961-62 basketball edition of the Central Eagles compiled the best record of a Central team under the reign of James Wilkinson, Varsity Coach at Central for three years.

After placing third in the Interscholastic League Tournament, the mighty Eagles successfully opened league play with a thrilling 60 to 55 win over Paseo. The Eagles then suffered a heart-breaking 60-53 loss to Raytown. The loss, however, did not upset the Eagles as they reeled off 5 straight victories. Rated as one of the top teams in the area, the Eagles ran by Manual, East, and Southwest by scores of 54 to 37; 57 to 43; and 60 to 36. The Eagles then ran their league record to five wins and no losses with a two-point 33 to 31 victory over Westport.

Traveling to St. Joseph to avenge a football defeat, the Blue Eagles crushed the Central High School Indians 43 to 37. Having compiled a 10 to 2 record, the Eagles set the stage for the game of the year with the Knights of Southeast. In a very hard fought contest, the Knights solved the Eagle defense and won 64 to 52. The Eagles got back on the winning side by beating Northeast 51 to 40. They then crushed the Tigers of Lincoln 61 to 54 before being edged by Van Horn 47 to 44.

This year the Eagles were paced by sophomore Warren Armstrong and senior Melvin Estell. However, John Collins, Charles Jackson, Robert Wright, Kermit McMurray, and Adolphus Mooney could always be counted on for outstanding performances.



Freshman Coach Little, Varsity Coach Wilkinson, and B-team Coach Coomes.



STUDENT MANAGERS — R. Clifton, D. Crompton, and F. Smocks.

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: H. Turner, E. Burgette, R. Wright, M. Estell, W. Armstrong, A. Mooney, K. McMurray, P. Mimms, R. Howard, M. Moseley, C. Jackson, J. Collins.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: M. Johnson, J. Foster, W. Grant, W. Watkins, C. Hamilton. TOP ROW: H. Chambers, B. Johnson, R. Ross, T. Polk, W. Calloway, C. McCormick.



JUNIOR VARSITY

B-TEAM. Central's 1962 B-team gained valuable experience that should prove helpful to them next year. The team composed of juniors and sophomores should give Central fans many thrills in years to come.

FRESHMAN TEAM. The Freshman team at Central, in its second year of operation has proven its worth by turning out many fine players. This team gives many freshman boys the opportunity to play in league competition.



D. Mills, A. Ellison, M. Smith.



BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: J. Smith, J. Mitchell, C. McKinny, J. Robbins, S. Smith, L. Haney, R. Addison. TOP ROW: W. Toney, G. Byers, D. Brown, A. Aldrich, W. Shelton, D. Franklin, C. Rice, D. Ross, L. Harris.



Rodney Lynk prepares to pole vault.



Walter Bartlett is set to go.

The track season at Central is divided into three parts: Cross-country, indoor, and outdoor. Cross-country is run in the fall during the football season. Cross-country is one of the more strenuous types of track for it consists of distant running. Several of the meets this year were held during the half-time of football games. Central's team performed well this year in winning most of their meets.

The second part of track is indoor track. Central's team performed far better than expected. In addition to excelling in the sprints, the Blue Eagles added several field events to their wings. The mighty Eagles ran by their first three opponents: Wm. Chrisman, Northeast, and Rockhurst by scores of 68 to 22; 60 to 34; and 64 to 31. In these three meets, the Eagles won 15 of 21 sprints and 10 of 13 field events. The highlight of the indoor season came with the Big Eight Track and Field Meet held in Municipal Auditorium. The Eagles, who won last year's event, won again this year with 20 points. Their closest opponent had 14.

The third part of the track season is similar to indoor track only it is held outdoors in the spring of the year. This part of the track season is highlighted by the State Meet held at the University of Missouri.

1962 TRACK TEAM

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: D. Doolin, J. Byers, W. Bartlett, R. Lynk, E. Brown, H. Smith, T. S. Berry, L. Freeman. TOP ROW: R. Frederick, S. Howard, J. Thomp-

son, A. Jennings, F. Pratt, L. Booker, M. Clark, R. McCreary, V. Mitchell, B. Pernell.



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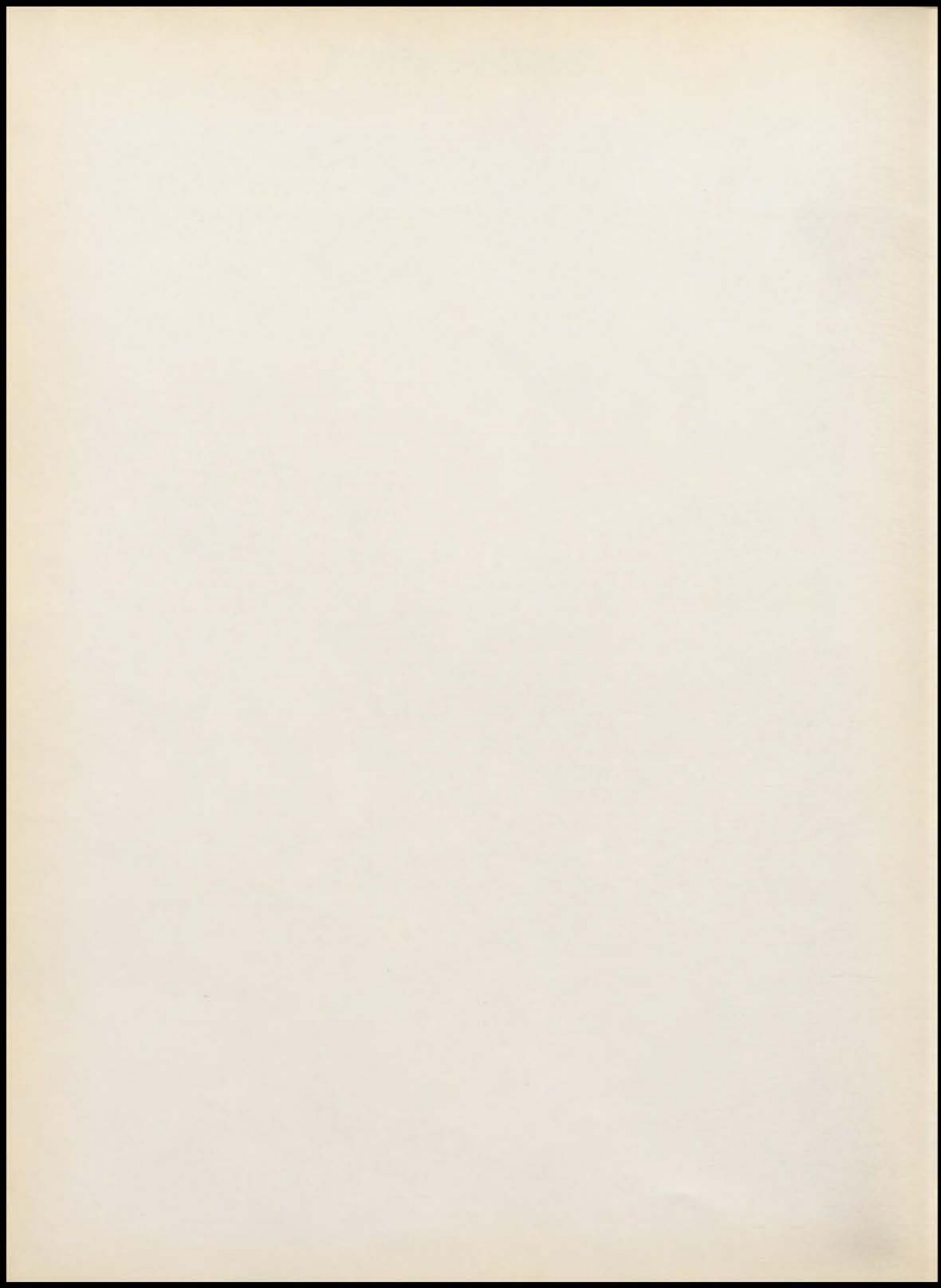
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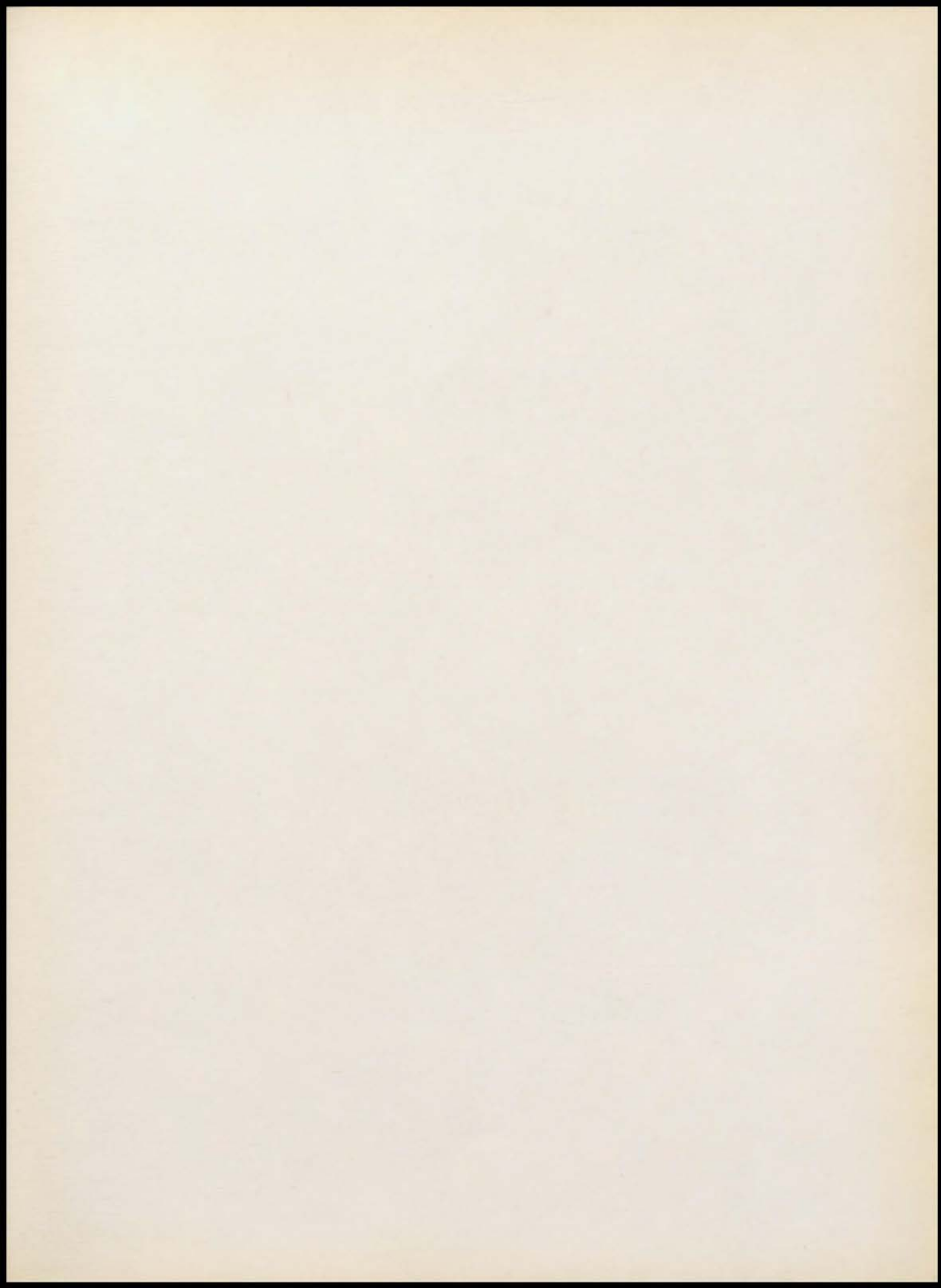
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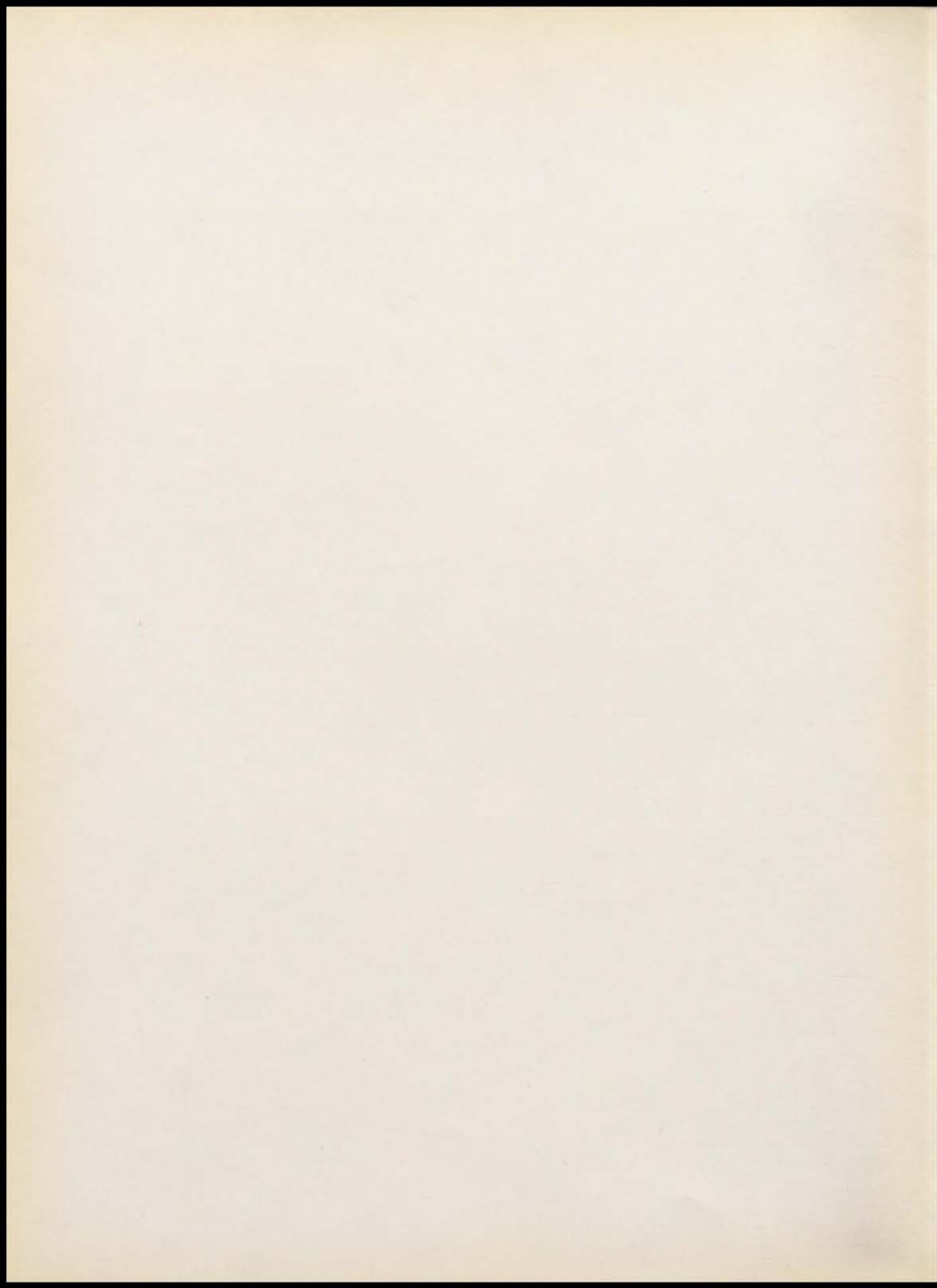
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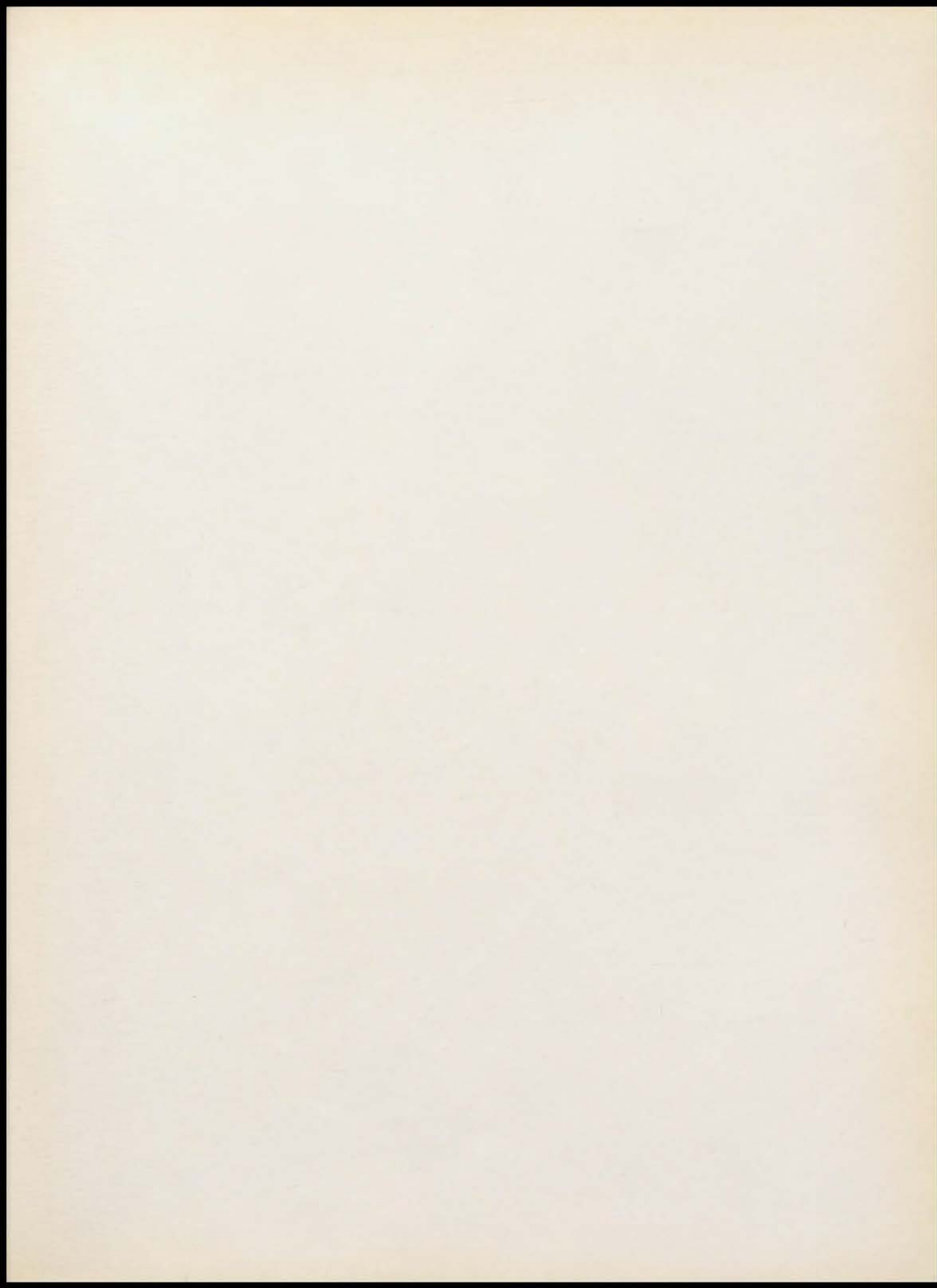
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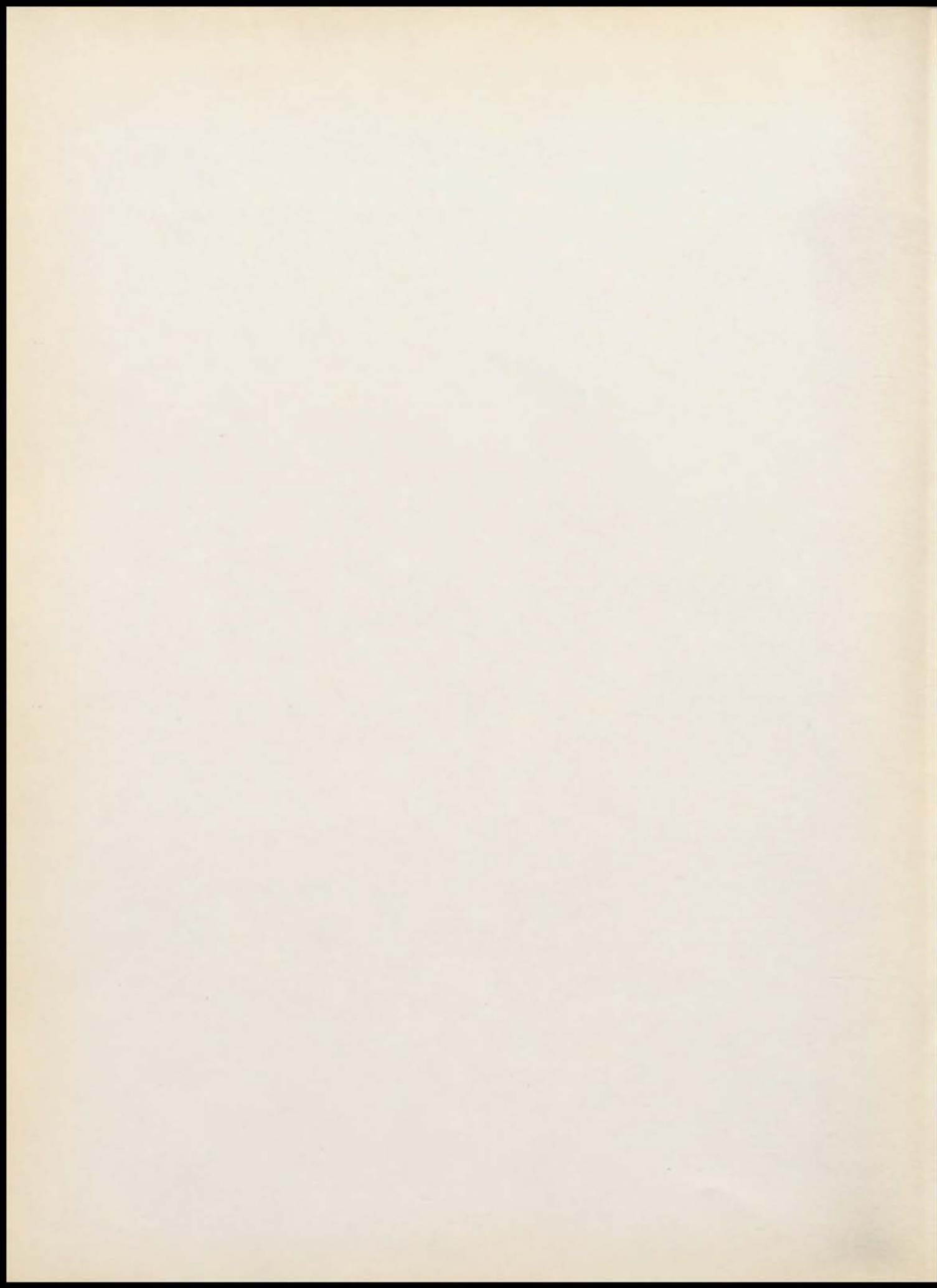
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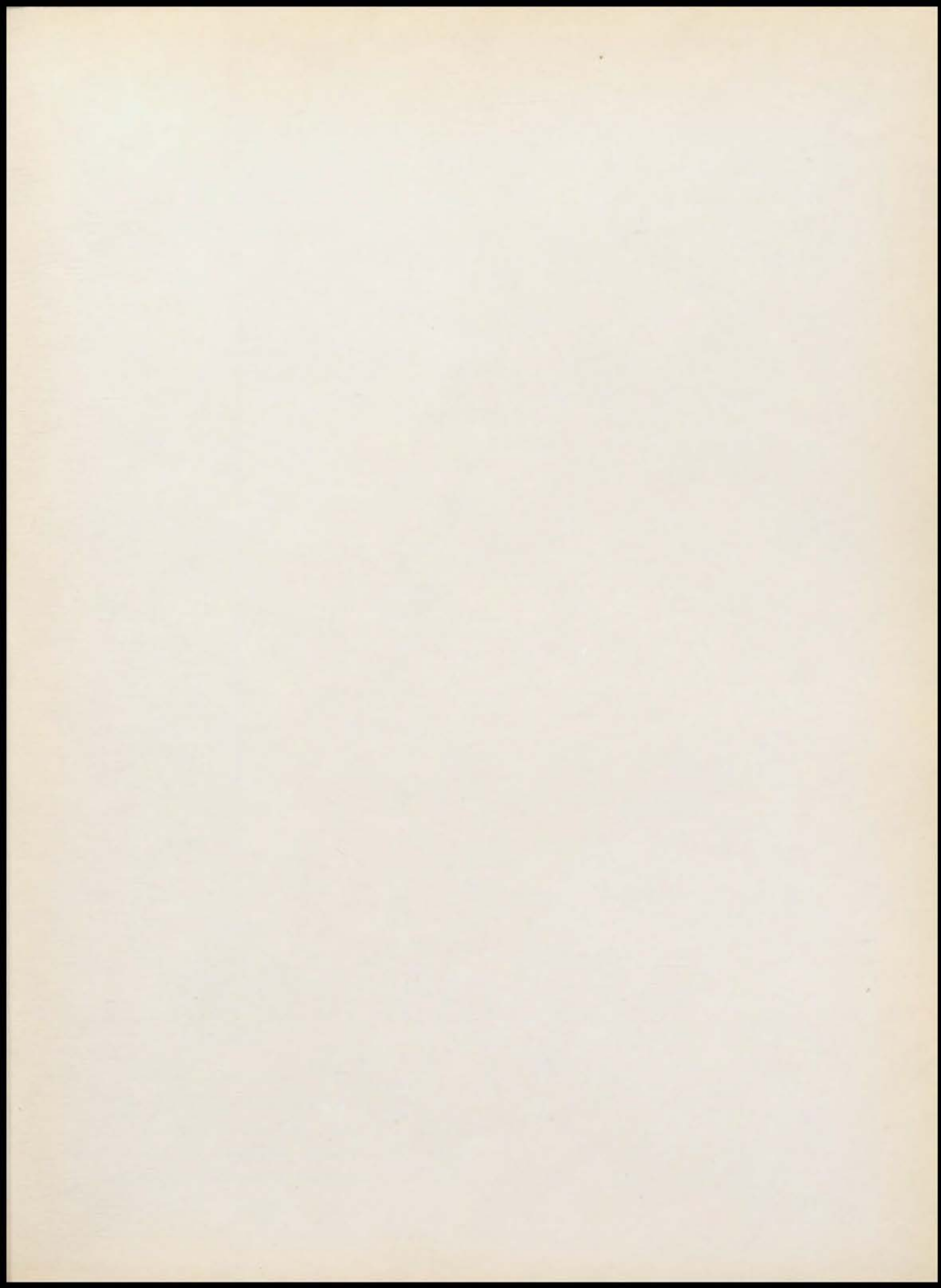


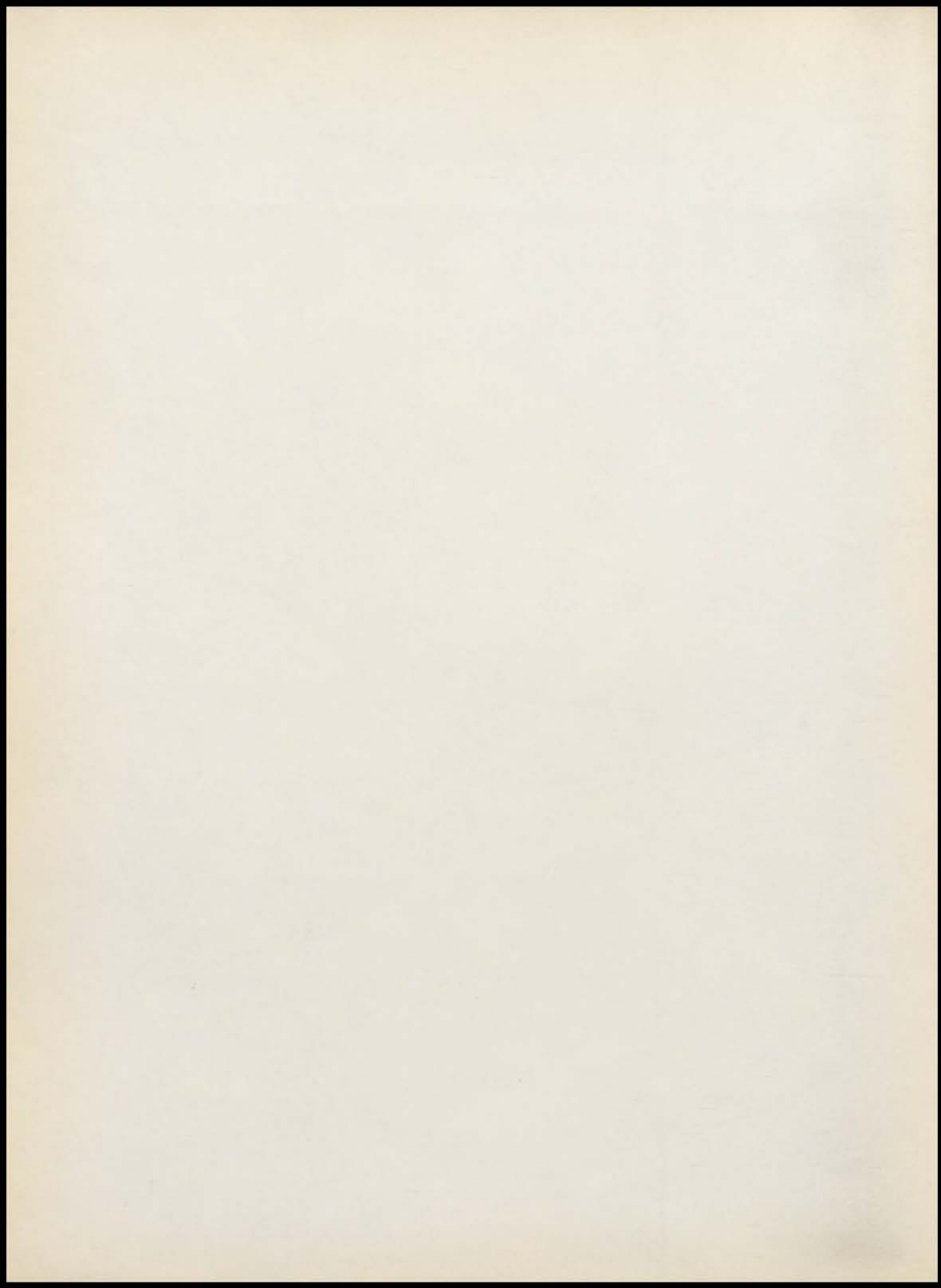














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