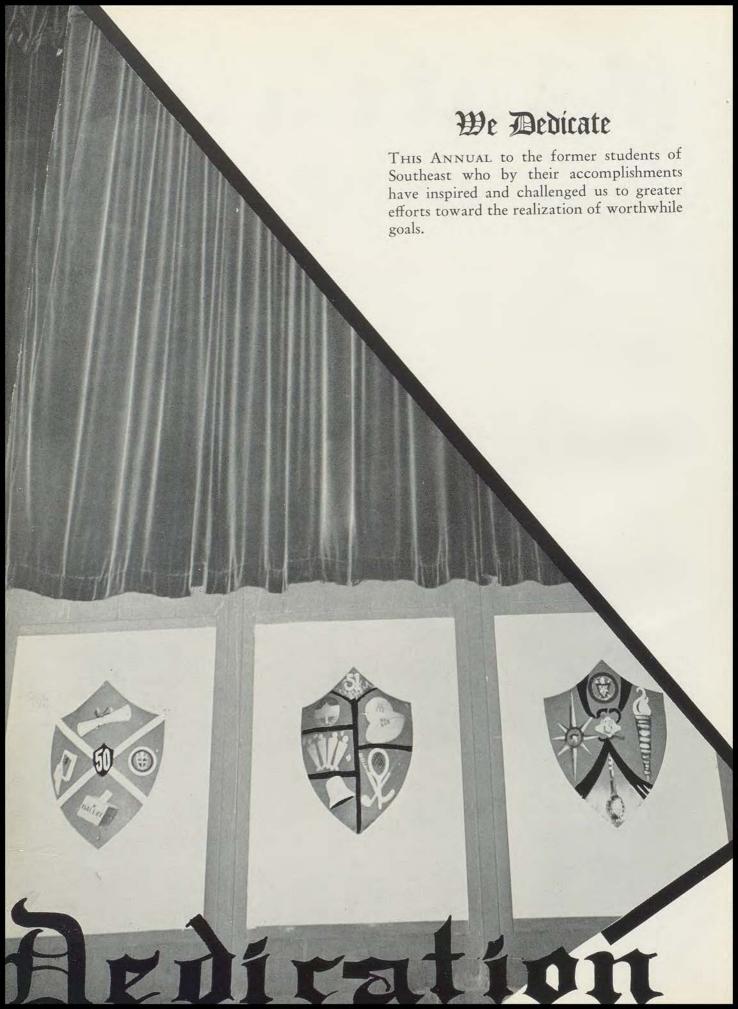


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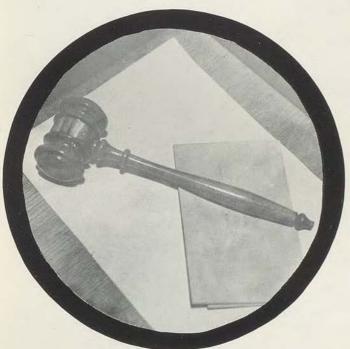
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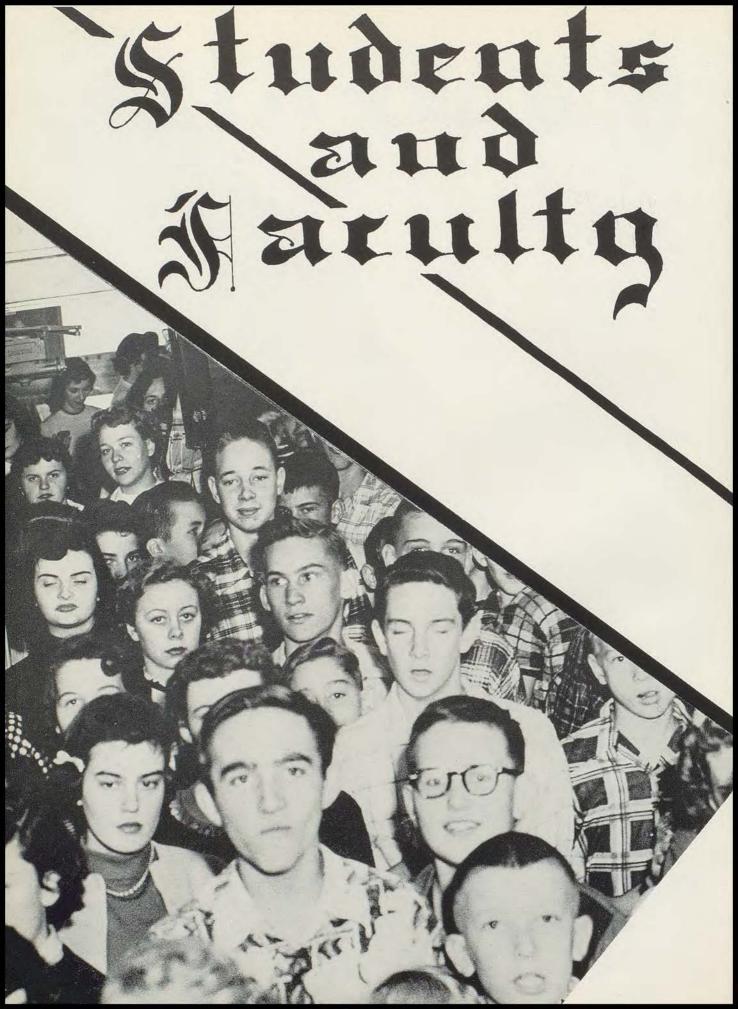


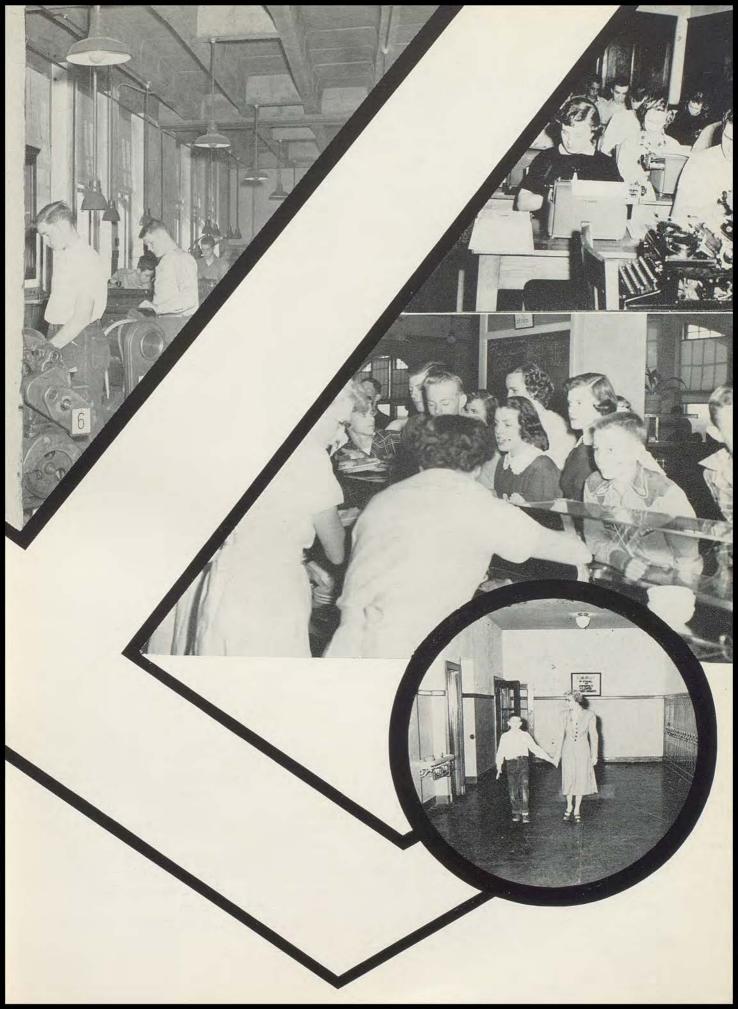
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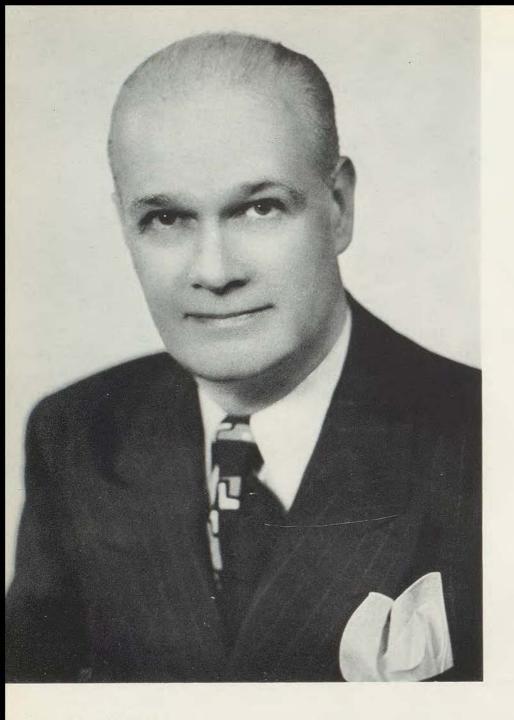


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DEAR SENIORS:

The most valuable contribution to your development and to our democratic way of life is education.

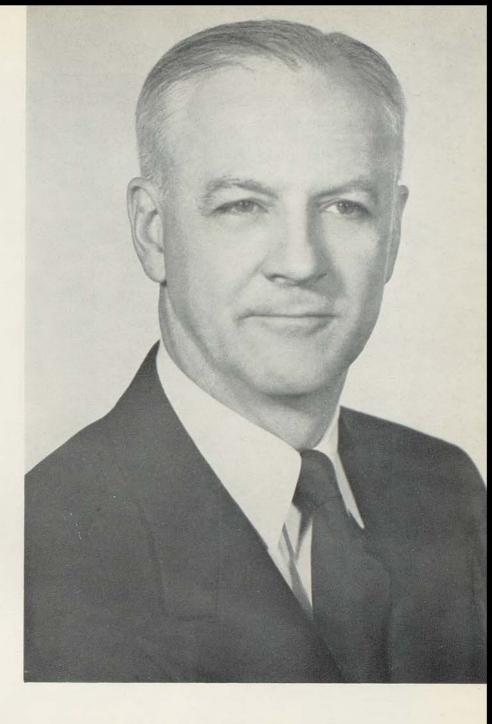
Regardless of mental capacity or probable destiny, each of you through education has had opportunity to realize your best possibilities. In eighteen years, you have cut across centuries from the lowly status of pre-historic youth to the golden station, glorious hopes, and almost miraculous opportunities that are yours today.

Democracy and our cherished way of life are

nourished, but communism and its way of life starve when the masses of people receive education free of partial or prejudiced censorship. Truly, free public education is the foundation and core of democracy. It safeguards the worth of the individual and retains the power of government on the level of the governed.

I invite you to move forward as partners in our greatest public enterprise—Education; in the development of our greatest resource—Youth.

Sincerely yours, HARRY R. MCMILLAN, Principal



We know that this year's graduates will be scattered all over the earth in a few years. Military commitments and international business have forced all of us to become world citizens. We look to the

graduates of this year's class to show tolerance, understanding, and a brotherhood with all races so that the coming of world peace will be hastened.

George R. Powell, Vice-Principal

## The Faculty Teaches Us









































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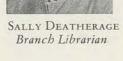
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Helen Keller says, "The aim of education is not to teach pupils things they do not know, but to teach them how to find things for themselves."

This is the function of the Library and its staff.

## Senior Officers Lead Class of '53



CONRAD GIBSON Giftorian

CAROL JONES Secretary

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PAT POULTER

Publicist

BILL RILEY Treasurer

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As the Future beckons the senior class of 1953 to accept her challenge, we glance back with pride upon our past filled with memories of Southeast and her knightly traditions.

High school gives serious preparation for greater achievements, and we can trace our success or failure to the foundation we built for ourselves during our high school days. Each year we have been building toward graduation. Every problem presented a challenge, and now each step symbolizes an accomplishment.

We have not been alone in our climb toward higher learning, for our parents and teachers were there to spur us on. But now that we have reached the top, we must open the next door and proceed by ourselves. We find ourselves better able to put into practical use the knowledge we have gained. It has taken five long but gratifying years to complete these steps toward graduation.

We realize that graduation is a commencement, and we shall continue building toward the realization of our ultimate goals.

The Squires are now rising to take the places we are vacating. We hope that every opportunity will prove an inspiration to each of them and that every problem will prove to be a stepping stone to worth-while achievements.

# Senior Business Committee



First Row-Carol Ray, Joy Mankin, Carol Jones, Sondra Barnes, Pat Poulter, Jean Destler, Nancy Goppert, Carolyn Tramill

Second Row—Barbara Hunter, Ralph Klopper, Grover Wilcher, Art Generaux, Bill Riley, Dick Scheidt, Jack Davis, Dick Dawson, Conrad Gibson, Vetrice Chambers

Not in picture—Charles Schaefer and Sam Wallace

The senior business committee composed of twenty seniors elected by the senior class has the responsibility of planning the activities for the seniors. The various committeemen, under the direction of Mr. George R. Powell, the class

sponsor, choose the commencement announcements, plan the commencement program, select the class gift to the school, and consider the choice of caps and gowns for graduation.

Commencement:

GROVER WILCHER, chairman; SONDRA BARNES; Ralph Klopper

Commencement Announcements: CAROL JONES, chairman; CHARLES SHAEFER; JEAN DESTLER

Girls' Dress:

CAROL RAY, chairman; CAROLYN TRAMILL; BARBARA HUNTER Assembly:

PAT POULTER, chairman; VETRICE CHAMBERS; JACK DAVIS

Gift Committee:

Conrad Gibson, chairman; Sam Wallace

Boys' Dress:

BILL RILEY, chairman; ART GENERAUX; DICK SHEIDT

Social Committee:

Joy Mankin, chairman; Dick Dawson; Nancy Goppert

ERWIN AGNEW-Erwin left Southeast his senior year.

SHEILA ARGRAVES—Office assistant; Y-Teens. Sheila came to Southeast her junior year from Raytown. Her favorite subjects are family living and typing.

BILL ATKINS—Round Table; Tower staff; homeroom offices; boys' chorus; Music Festival; music assemblies; tennis team; track; cafeteria assistant. Bill's favorite subjects are history and science. He plans to attend Drury College next fall.

CHARLES AUBUCHON—C.O.E.; second lieutenant in R.O.T.C. His favorite subject is family living. Charles's ambition is an army career. He will join the Army after graduation.

LARRY DEAN AULT—Larry entered Southeast his junior year from Northeast. His favorite subject is science. He plans to become a printer. Larry will work next fall.

SONDRA BARNES—Beta; honor roll; treasurer of Round Table; assistant editor of Crusader; senior business committee; Teen-Town committee; treasurer of band; vice-president, membership chairman, and costume chairman of Penthouse; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction Program; Spring Play cast; Open House Program; State P.T.A. Convention; All-City Band Festival; Music Festival; Pep Club; home room offices. Sondra would like to become a speech correction teacher. She will enter Ottawa University next year.

JANE BARRICKMAN—Beta; Knightlites; Open House Program. Jane enrolled in Southeast her junior year from East. Her hobby is playing the piano. Her ambition is to be a secretary.

BOB BAUGHMAN—House manager of Penthouse; Spring Play; Inductions; speech assemblies; collector; home room offices; honorable mention for National Radio Script contest. Bob plans to attend Baker University next fall. His ambition is to go into agriculture or electronics.

JACQUE BEANE—Honor roll; Induction; president of Red Cross; Centinelas; Spanish assembly; home room offices. Jacque's favorite subjects are typing and shorthand. Next year she will attend the University of Florida. Her ambition is to become a teacher.

EDDIE BECKER—Round Table; boys' chorus; Music Festival; Christmas assembly. Eddie will enter Kansas State next fall to study architecture.





BARBARA BEDELL—Beta; honor roll; Knightlites; Centinelas; Y-Teens; Induction; Spanish assembly; secretary and Red Cross representative of home room. Barbara plans to attend C.M.S.C. at Warrensburg.

ROSEMARY BELLING—Tower staff; Y-Teens; Knight-lites; girls' glee; music, Thanksgiving, Easter assemblies; Music Festival; home room offices; treasurer of Red Cross. She will attend college next year. Her ambition is to become a secretary.

PAULA BEYER—Honor roll; Round Table; Penthouse; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; Spring Play; girls' glee; choir; speech, Christmas, and music assemblies; home room offices. Paula plans to work after graduation in January. Her ambition is to become a receptionist or bookkeeper.

OWEN BLOCK—Hi-Y; boys' chorus; Music Festival. Mathematics and drafting are Owen's favorite subjects. He will attend Kansas State to become an architect.

JAMES BLOOM—Hi-Y; speech assembly; sergeant-at-arms of home room. James' favorite subjects are art and metal. He intends to become a car dealer after graduation.

RICHARD BRECKENRIDGE—Tower staff; Round Table; Red Cross representative; Hi-Y; hall guard; Knight-lites scenery; home room offices; cafeteria assistant; motion picture operator. Richard's hobbies are hunting and fishing. He will attend Oklahoma University.

ESTHER DAVIS BRESETTE—Round Table; honor roll; president, vice-president, and secretary of home room; Christmas and Easter assemblies. Esther will work as a typist next year. She hopes to become a secretary. Esther was graduated in January.

JACKIE BREWER—Knightlites; choir; girls' glee; music assemblies; treasurer and Red Cross representative of home room. Choir and family living are Jackie's favorite subjects. She plans to go into nurse's training next year.

DON BROWN—Spanish assembly; music assembly; orchestra; Music Festival; track team. Don's favorite subjects are drafting and mathematics.

DORTHA BROWN—Centinelas; music assemblies; Spanish assembly; girls' glee; girls' choir; Music Festival; Children's Crusade; All-City Music Festival; home room offices. Dortha's hobby is music. She will enter Junior College next fall.

MARYLU BROWN—Honor roll; Y-Teens; Knightlites; choir; Music Festival; radio broadcast; music assemblies; president and secretary of home room. Collecting miniature glass dogs is Marylu's hobby. Next year she will attend college at Warrensburg.

ALICE MARIE BROYLES—Honor roll; girls' glee. Chemistry is Alice's favorite subject. She will enter nursing school next fall. Her ambition is to be a missionary nurse.

SHIRLEY BUFF—Knightlites; secretary and Tower representative of home room. Shirley's favorite subjects are clothing and art.

BARBARA CALLAWAY—Jousters; Christmas assembly; gym assistant; hockey and baseball sports day team; various athletic awards. Barbara would like to attend Oklahoma Baptist University to become a physical education teacher.

JOAN CAMPBELL—State vice-president of Beta; honor roll; advertising manager of Tower; Quill and Scroll; Round Table; Y-Teens; secretary and script manager of Penthouse; Centinelas; Red Cross representative; Hi-Y pianist; Knightlites; Induction; Spring Play cast; Penthouse plays; speech assemblies; office assistant; collector; Teen-Town committee; home room offices. Next year she will enter Kansas University. Joan's ambition is to be a journalist.

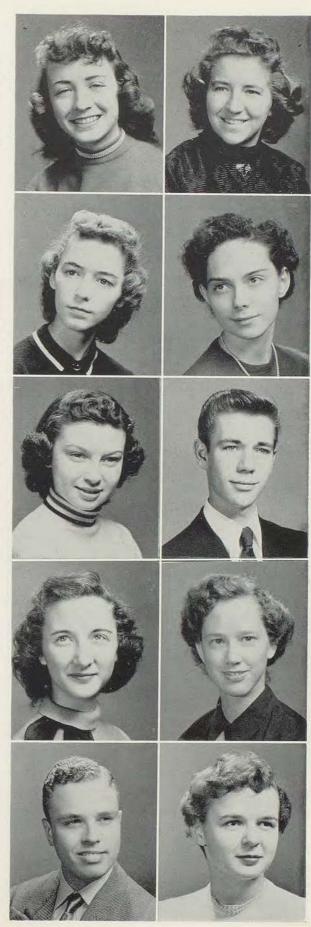
DAMON COX—Treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of home room; hall guard. Family living is Damon's best-liked subject. He will attend Park College next fall.

JEAN CARPENTER—Christmas and music assemblies; girls' glee; C.O.E. Jean enjoys music as her hobby. She plans to go to college next year.

MADONNA CARPENTER—Madonna will work after graduation.

RICHARD CARRITHERS—Beta Club; honor roll; home room offices; rifle team; honor guard; R.O.T.C. Dick will go to Kansas University to study aeronautical engineering.

BARBARA CARTER—Dracones; speech activities; collector. Her favorite subjects are history and newswriting. Barbara plans to attend the University of Kansas City to study psychology.





VETRICE CHAMBERS—Round Table; Tower staff; Knightlites; Spring Play cast; Penthouse; speech assemblies; Induction; girls' glee; choir; home room offices; collector; P.T.A. panel discussion; senior business committee. Vetrice is interested in teaching or religious work. She will go to college next year.

JOHN CLOUSE—Football letter; R.O.T.C. John likes human science and physical education. He will join the Navy after graduation.

JAMES COFER—Centinelas; speech and music assemblies; band; R.O.T.C. circus; Missouri Boys' State. James's hobby is music. He will enter Kansas University next year.

KELSON COOK—Knightlites; Christmas and music assemblies; choir; music broadcasts; Music Festival. Kelson plans to attend college next fall.

CECIL CREWS—Honor roll; Christmas programs; boys' choir; Music Festival; projection staff. Cecil plans to go to Kansas University to become an aeronautical engineer.

JAMES CROSS—Hi-Y; Teen-Town committee; football assembly; home room offices; cafeteria assistant; football, basketball, and track teams; various athletic awards. Jim's hobby is swimming. He will enter Westminster to become a physical education teacher.

MACK CROWLEY—Induction; secretary of home room. He enjoys physical education and science. After graduation, Mack will join the Air Force.

DOROTHY CRUMM—Dracones; speech assembly. Dorothy's ambition is to be a secretary. She plans to attend Junior College.

RONNIE DAHL—Home room offices; band; music assembly; C.O.E.; R.O.T.C.; art key winner. His favorite subject is R.O.T.C. Ronnie would like to work and attend college at Warrensburg next year.

BARBARA DAVENPORT—Home room offices; C.O.E. Barbara's hobbies are hair styling and art. Barbara left school before graduation.

JACK DAVIS—Round Table; All-City Student Council; senior business committee; sergeant-at-arms of junior class; Teen-Town committee; various Hi-Y offices; track team; second team football; basketball manager, two years. Jack intends to go to college and later play pro baseball.

RICHARD DAWSON—Beta; honor roll; senior business committee; Round Table; National Art Honor Society; Scholastic Art Awards; Dracones; president of Dorians; Junior Classical League; "It Pays to Be Smart" broadcast; Induction; various home room offices. Dick will attend Junior College.

JEAN DESTLER—Beta; honor roll; Round Table; senior business committee; president of Dracones; Penthouse; Knightlites; Spring Play cast; Penthouse plays; various assemblies; president and secretary of home room. Next year Jean plans to attend Kansas City University.

JUDIE DICKINSON—Centinelas; Christmas, Easter, and music assemblies; secretary of home room; a cappella choir; girls' glee; Music Festival; collector; hall guard. Family living and music are Judie's favorite subjects.

BARBARA DICKSON—Knightlites; speech and music assemblies; secretary, treasurer, and Red Cross representative of home room; orchestra; Music Festival; volley ball sports day; Teen-Town committee. Barbara plans to attend Warrensburg next fall.

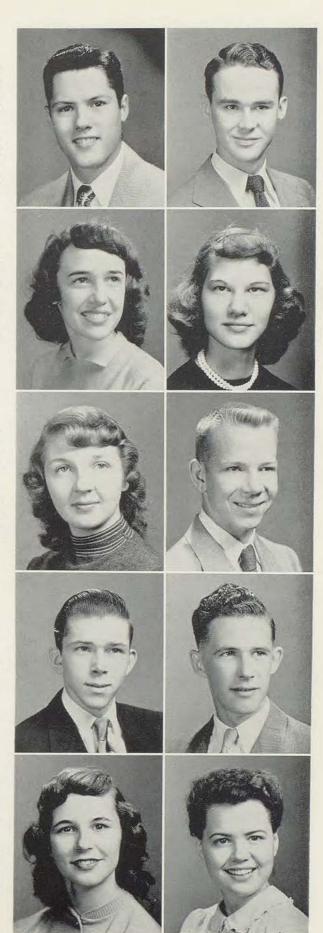
TOM DODD—Induction; president, Tower representative, and Red Cross representative of home room; speech assemblies; hall guard. Tom intends to go to Oklahoma A and M.

JAMES DON CARLOS-James will work after graduation.

IRA DONNELL—Art, physical education, and history are Ira's favorite subjects. His ambition is to be a designer of cars and houses. Ira plans to work after graduation.

SYLVIA ANN DONNELL—Knightlites; secretary and treasurer of home room; Christmas and various music assemblies; girls' glee; choir; Music Festival; volley ball sports day. Typing and physical education are Sylvia's favorite subjects. She will work after graduation.

CYNTHIA ANNE DRAUGHON—Honor roll; P.T.A. panel discussion; Round Table. Cynthia came to Southeast from Westport the second semester of her junior year. Her favorite subjects are drafting and stenography. Cynthia intends to go to Kansas University next fall.





WAYNE ECKSTEN—Wayne came to Southeast from Westport his junior year. He is interested in working with chemicals as a hobby. His ambition is to be a doctor. Next fall he will enter Kansas University.

ANN EDWARDS—Beta Club; honor roll; National Art Honor Society; Knightlites; music assemblies; home room offices; orchestra; sophomore choir; Music Festival; Scholastic Art Awards. She enjoys music and art. Ann's ambition is to become a Christian educational worker. She will study at Pasadena College.

JIM FISER—Cafeteria assistant. Jim plans to attend C.M.S.C. after graduation.

JOHN FITZGERALD—Penthouse; Knightlites; speech assemblies; home room offices; band; football manager; various athletic awards. John will enter Kansas University next year.

DIANN FOSTER—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; Knightlites; music assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee. Diann is interested in horses as her hobby. She wishes to attend William Jewell College.

JOHN FOWLER—Red Cross representative; football team. John plans to join the Merchant Marines.

FRANCES FRENCH—Crusader art editor; treasurer of Dorians; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Spanish assembly; key in Art Scholastic contest. Frances designed the Knightlites' set. Her ambition is to become skilled in the field of art. She will attend the Art Institute.

JANICE FRIDEL—Beta Club; honor roll; Knightlites; Christmas assemblies; Music Festival. Janice will work after graduation. She wants to be a secretary.

SHIRLEY FRISBEY—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; senior editor of Crusader; Penthouse; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; Penthouse plays; music and speech assemblies; home room offices; girls' octette; girls' glee; Spring Play cast; sophomore choir; choir; radio broadcasts; vocal contests; All-City Music Festival; Music Festival; Teen-Town Committee. Shirley plans to enter the Conservatory of Music next fall and major in music and dramatics.

MARY LOU FUQUA—Honor roll; Knightlites; home room offices; various athletic awards. Mary Lou chose family living and shorthand as her favorite subjects. She will work next year as a secretary.

DON GARBER—Knightlites; home room offices; boys' chorus; choir; music assemblies; hall guard; track and football teams; football and track awards. Don's main interest is sports. He intends to work after graduation.

ARTHUR GENERAUX—Knightlites; football, basketball, and track teams; senior business committee; home room offices; athletic assemblies; track, football, and basketball awards. Art's ambition is to obtain a law degree. He will attend Junior College next fall.

CONRAD GIBSON—Beta Club; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Round Table, sergeant-at-arms; senior business committee; treasurer of junior class; giftorian of senior class; president of band and orchestra; assistant vice-president of Teen-Town; first rating in music contest; All-State Orchestra; Induction; music assemblies; home room offices; Music Festival. Conrad will go to college to study medicine.

NANCY GOPPERT—Scholasticae Centum; Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table, historian; senior business committee; Dorians; Knightlites; music assemblies; Spanish assembly; home room offices; girls' glee; sophomore choir; second place annual Spanish achievement award. Nancy enjoys playing the piano. She plans to enter Kansas City University next year.

SHIRLEY GREEN—Clothing and foods are Shirley's favorite subjects. Her hobby is sewing. She would like to study cloth designing. Shirley will work after graduation.

GARY GRIFFITH—Beta Club; honor roll; Centinelas; panel discussion Education Week; treasurer of home room; tennis team; tennis award; projection staff. Gary will attend the University of Kansas for a degree in civil engineering.

JIM GUM-Jim left Southeast his senior year.

PAT HADDEN—Honor roll; Centinelas; vice-president and secretary of F.H.A.; Knightlites; Spanish assembly; athletic award. Shorthand and art are Pat's favorite subjects. She plans to be a secretary. Pat was graduated in January.

THOMAS HAILS—Knightlites; R.O.T.C. corporal. Tom's favorite subjects are chemistry, drafting, and psychology. Tom transferred from Center his senior year. He plans to attend college in the fall.

DONALD HALL—Beta Club; honor roll; consul of Dracones; Knightlites; music assemblies; band; Music Festival. Mathematics and science are Don's favorite subjects. His hobby is ornithology. He will attend Missouri University.





JANE HALSTEAD—Sophomore editor of Crusader; Centinelas; costume manager of Penthouse; president of Red Cross; Knightlites; Spring Play cast; Penthouse plays; speech and music assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee; queen of R.O.T.C.; projection staff. Jane plans to attend college and become a teacher.

JAMES HAM—Round Table; president, secretary, and Red Cross representative of home room. Jim's favorite subjects are human science and typing. He will attend Central Missouri College.

CARTER HAMILTON—Dorians. Carter intends to go to Junior College.

BILL HAMMER—First and second team football letters. Wood, metal, and physical education are Bill's best-liked subjects. He will attend college. Bill's ambition is to become a cabinet maker.

WALTER HAMPEL—Round Table; choir; Music Festival; music assemblies; football letters. Science is Bud's favorite subject. He will attend college next fall.

BILL HANCOCK—R.O.T.C. second lieutenant; first place Chicago Tribune award; athletic award; C.O.E. Bill's favorite subjects are metals and family living. He will work next year.

BOB HANCOCK—C.O.E.; Red Cross representative of home room. Physical education and C.O.E. are Bob's best-liked subjects. He intends to work next fall.

CHARLENE HANKE—F.H.A.; Y-Teens; speech assemblies; Tower representative of home room; C.O.E.; freshman athletic shield. Clothing, foods and C.O.E. are Charlene's favorite subjects. After graduation she will work.

JAMES HANSON—Speech and music assemblies; Induction; vice-president and Red Cross representative of home room. Jim's hobby is baseball; he plans to attend college.

CHARLES HARPER—Honor roll; Penthouse; Knightlites; Spring Play; Induction; speech assemblies; choir; Red Cross representative of home room; "I Speak for Democracy" contest. Charles' ambition is to become a minister. He will attend Bethany college.

JOHN HARRIS—Round Table; vice-president and sergeant-at-arms of home room; Knightlites; choir; Music Festival; second team football. Psychology is the subject he likes best. John will go to Missouri University next year.

FRANCES HEATH—Secretary of Dracones; Induction; Red Cross representative of home room. Clothing and typing are her best-liked subjects. Frances will attend business college and become a private secretary.

DELORES HENNING—Y-Teens; secretary, treasurer, and Red Cross representative of home room. English is Delores's favorite subject. She will attend Kansas State next fall.

MARJORIE HICKS—Honor roll; Induction; secretary and business manager of Crusader; treasurer of Les Chevaliers; Knightlites; president and Round Table representative of home room; Speech and music assemblies; girls' glee; choir; girls' octette; Music Festival. Next year Marjorie will be a dental assistant.

ADELLE HINSHAW—Scholasticae Centum; treasurer of Beta; honor roll; historian of Round Table; vice-president of Dorians; Centinelas; National Art Honor Society; Scholastic Art Award; Knightlites poster contest; Spanish assembly; various home room offices; Knightlites. Adelle will attend William Jewell.

VICKI HOEHNS—Induction; Red Cross representative and treasurer of home room; nurse's assistant; projection operator. Psychology and chemistry are among her best-liked subjects. Vicki hopes to attend college.

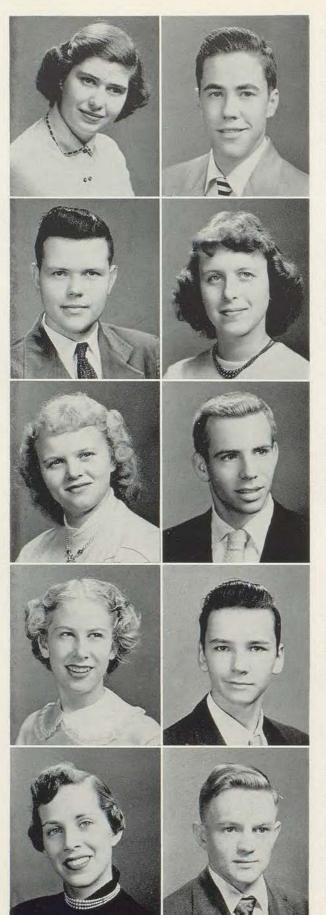
JANET HOUSTON—Honor roll; Centinelas; Dorians; Y-Teens; Knightlites; treasurer and Tower representatives of home room; Knightlites poster contest. Janet will attend Central Missouri State College. Her ambition is to become a commercial artist.

HELEN HUEBNER—Stenography, psychology, and cooking are Helen's favorite subjects. Next year she plans to become a secretary.

WILBUR HUGHART—Honor roll; Knightlites; president of band; orchestra; music assemblies. He plans to attend college next year and become an architectural engineer.

BILL HUNT—Red Cross representative of home room. Bill came to Southeast his junior year from Baltimore, Maryland. His favorite subjects are chemistry, physics, and psychology. He will attend college in Los Angeles and become an industrial designer.





BARBARA HUNTER—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; eighth grade editor of Crusader staff; Tower; Quill and Scroll; Centinelas; treasurer of Y-Teens; Penthouse; senior business committee; speech assemblies; Induction; Spring Play cast; Knightlites; home room offices. Barbara plans to attend Kansas State next fall.

ART HUTCHINSON — Vice-president, sergeant-at-arms and Red Cross representative of home room; music assembly. His favorite subjects are physical education and art. He intends to go to Warrensburg.

ROBERT HUTSELL—C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. cadet lieutenant colonel; assemblies; treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of home room. R.O.T.C. is Robert's favorite subject. He will attend Kansas University next fall.

DOROTHY IGERT—Beta Club; honor roll; Knightlites; home room offices. Dorothy's hobby is interior decorating. She plans to attend Junior College. Her ambition is to become a secretary or an architect.

JOHAN JACKSON—Home room offices. C.O.E., art, and mathematics are her favorite subjects. Johan will work next year.

RAYMOND JACKSON—Round Table; Penthouse; Knightlites; speech and pep assemblies; home room offices; stage crew; track team; track letterman. Raymond will attend William Jewell to study engineering.

JANIS ANN JOHNSON—Speech assembly. Janis selects clothing as her favorite subject. She plans to enter Christian College next fall.

PERRY JOHNSON—Metal and family living are his favorite subjects. Perry will join the Navy after graduation.

CAROL JONES—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; Dracones; Knightlites; Induction; speech and pep assemblies; cheerleader; home room offices; volley ball, baseball and basketball sports day team; athletic award; vice-president of junior class; secretary of senior class; secretary of TeenTown; Music Festival; girls' glee. Carol plans to attend college. Her ambition is to become a teacher.

MYRON JONES—Beta Club; honor roll; Hi-Y; Knight-lites; treasurer of home room; football and track team; various athletic awards. Myron would like to become a doctor. He will go to college next year.

ROBERT JONES—President of home room; C.O.E. Mathematics is his favorite subject. Robert will enter Central Missouri State College to study engineering.

JUDIE JORDAN—Beta Club; honor roll; Tower; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; music assembly; home room offices; girls' glee; girls' chorus; Children's Crusade with Philharmonic. Judie enjoys music as a hobby. She will study law at Kansas University. Judie graduates in August.

BILL JOY-C.O.E. Bill left Southeast his senior year.

FRED KARN—Honor roll, two semesters; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Centinelas; Hi-Y; home room offices. Fred's favorite subjects are drafting and American history. He will attend college at Kansas University to become an architectural engineer.

DON KELLY—Home room offices; tennis team; various athletic awards. Hunting and fishing are Don's hobbies. He plans to go to Kansas City University.

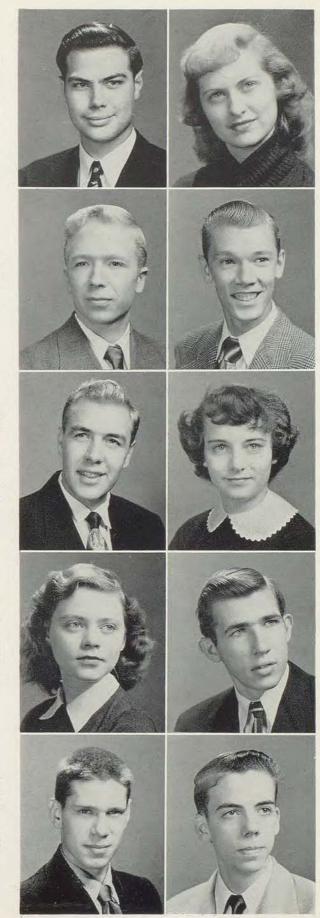
MARTHA KERSTEN—Dracones; Y-Teens; Knightlites; music assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee; Music Festival; basketball and volley ball teams. Martha's favorite subjects are psychology and typing. She will attend Junior College. Martha came from East her sophomore year.

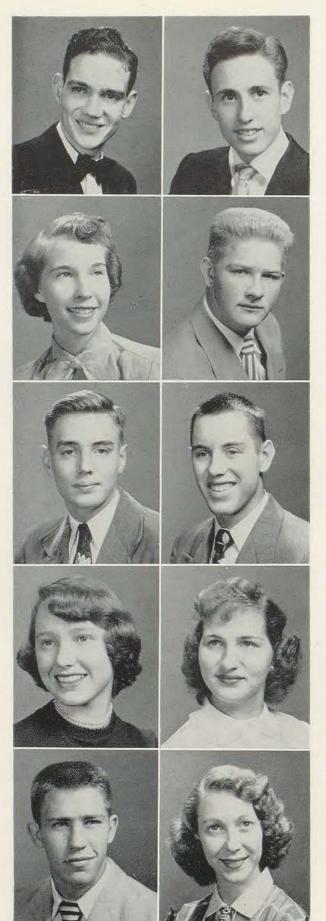
ROSE MARIE KEYS—Tower; Y-Teens; Centinelas; Spanish assembly. Rose Marie's ambition is to be a radio-journalist. She plans to go to college next year.

BUD KICE—Dracones; Knightlites; Induction; basketball team; basketball letter; president of Teen-Town. Sports and psychology are his favorite subjects. Bud will go to college and major in business administration.

JIM KINCADE—Music assembly; Christmas assembly; Tower representative; home room offices; boys' chorus; sophomore choir; football team; athletic award. Jim will join the Air Force after graduation.

FRANK KINNEY—C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. Frank is interested in building and repairing cars. He plans to attend National Schools to become an automotive engineer.





DONALD KLAMM—Knightlites; R.O.T.C. assemblies; C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. honor platoon. Donald's favorite subjects are wood and science. He will work at Neal Boats. His ambition is to own a boat shop.

RALPH KLOPPER—Sergeant-at-arms of Beta Club; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; editor-in-chief of Tower; sergeant-at-arms of Dracones; Knightlites; in play for State Teachers Convention; home room offices; second team basketball; senior business committee; Junior Classical League. Cartooning is Ralph's hobby. He will go to college next fall to study medicine.

CAROL KUCHARYSON—Corresponding secretary of Beta; honor roll; Centinelas; Knightlites; music and Spanish assemblies; girls' glee; sophomore choir; choir; Music Festival; All-City Choir Festival. Carol would like to be a commercial secretary. She will attend Junior College next year.

JOE LAMMERS—Round Table; Penthouse; Knightlites; Christmas assembly; Induction; choir; All-City Choir Festival; music assemblies; music Festival; cheerleader; stage crew. Joe will enter Warrensburg College to major in business administration. He transferred to Southeast from Central his junior year.

LEON LANTS—Leon entered Southeast his senior year from Wentworth Military Academy. He plans to attend college next fall.

PAUL LASSITER—Knightlites; Thanksgiving assembly; football team; track team; track award second team football letter. Paul plans to work next year. His ambition is to become a cabinet maker.

DELORES LEE—Honor roll; Round Table; Jousters; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; home room offices; hockey team; freshman and sophomore athletic awards. Warrensburg College is Delores's choice for next year. She will study to become a mathematics teacher.

ANN LENGQUIST—Y-Teens; Music Festival; sophomore choir; choir; music assemblies; athletic award. Ann's hobbies are music and clothing. She will work after graduation.

DON LEWIS—Home room offices; Christmas assembly; football and track teams; reserve football letter; Teen-Town committee. Don will attend college next year.

FREDA LEWIS—Secretary of home room. Clothing is Freda's favorite subject.

BRAD LINDSEY—Football team; track team. Brad's favorite subject is physical education. He will attend college next fall.

DOROTHY LODHOLZ—Honor roll; junior editor of Crusader staff; membership chairman of Penthouse; Dracones; Junior Classical League; Y-Teens; Red Cross; Knightlites; Spring Play cast, three years; "Youth Looks Ahead"; Induction; home room offices; athletic awards. Dorothy will go to Kansas State where she will study home economics.

DALE LOGAN—Christmas assembly; home room offices; boys' chorus; Music Festival. Dale's favorite subjects are drafting and mathematics. He will attend Kansas State.

PHIL LONG—Honor roll; Round Table; Hi-Y; track team; Centinelas; Induction; home room offices. Phil plans to attend Westminster College.

IVA LOWELL-Y-Teens; Dracones. Iva will enter business school next fall.

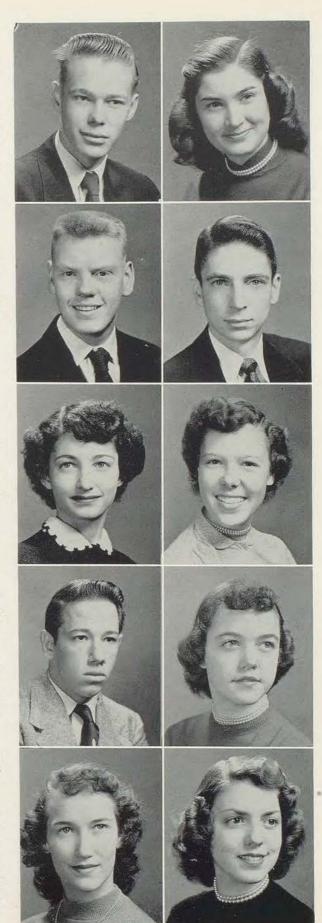
DARLENE LUPPENS—Typing and bookkeeping are Darlene's favorite subjects. She plans to do office work after graduation.

BOB LYLE—Honor roll; Tower; Hi-Y; "It Pays to Be Smart" broadcast; football assembly; home room offices; cafeteria assistant; football team; track team; various athletic awards; honorable mention on All-Star Football Team. Bob will attend college next fall.

KATHRYN MADDEN—Tower; Y-Teens; Knightlites; speech assemblies; music assemblies; girls' glee; Music Festival; office assistant; volley ball team; sports day; various athletic awards. English and family living are her favorite subjects. Kathryn will enter Warrensburg after graduation.

ORINDA MANFORD—Honor roll; Y-Teens; home room offices; collector. Orinda's favorite subjects are clothing and family living. She will work next year.

JOY MANKIN—Scholasticae Centum; Keeper of the Archives of Beta Club; honor roll; vice-president of Round Table; editor-in-chief of Crusader; All-City Student Council; president, assistant membership chairman, and make-up chairman of Penthouse; assistant secretary of Teen-Town; Knightlites; Spring Play cast; various Penthouse plays; Induction; Pep Club; American Education Week panel; speech, music, Round Table, and patriotic assemblies; various home room offices; girls' glee; sophomore choir; Music Festival; senior business committee; vice-president of senior class. Drama and English are Joy's favorite subjects.





WILLIAM MARKWELL—Knightlites; home room offices; Christmas assembly; football and track team; track letter. Bill's hobby is hunting. He will attend Westminster College to become a salesman.

JERI MATTHEWS—Y-Teens; Knightlites; speech assembly; home room offices. Jeri is interested in art and family living courses. She would like to become a commercial artist. Jeri came to Southeast her sophomore year from Southwest.

CHESTER McCALLEY—Round Table; Knightlites; band and orchestra assembly; home room offices; Band Festival; Music Festival; track team. Chester enjoys playing golf as a hobby. He will go to Wheaton College to enter the ministry.

BILL McKINLEY—Tower representative of home room; freshman football. Family living is Bill's favorite subject. He would like to become a real estate salesman. He plans to attend Warrensburg next fall.

JOE MELTON—Tower representative of home room; R.O.T.C. master sergeant; award in the Scholastic Art Contest. He finds art a very interesting subject. Joe will enter Missouri University to major in art. He will be graduated in August.

PAT MERRILL—Honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Knightlites; music and speech assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee; choir; Music Festival; freshman athletic award. Pat would like to be a secretary. She will attend Missouri University.

JOHN MEYERDIERKS—Knightlites; music assemblies; boys' chorus. Social studies are John's favorite courses. His ambition is to be a printer.

JOE MIDDLETON—Joe left Southeast early in the first semester of his senior year, but returned at the beginning of the second semester.

JOHN MIDDLETON—C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. first sergeant. Hunting and fishing are John's hobbies. He will go to college next fall. His ambition is to be a business man.

MARTHA MILES—Beta; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; recording secretary of the Round Table; literary editor of Crusader; column editor of Tower staff; "It Pays to Be Smart" broadcast; president of Red Cross; Y-Teens; vice-president, historian, and Round Table representative of Dorians; National Art Honor Society; Knightlites; Induction; Spring Play cast; Spanish and speech assemblies; home room offices; hockey sports day; Gym Letter; Teen-Town committee; Knightlites poster contest. Martha plans to attend Texas State College for women. Her ambition is to become an occupational therapist.

RALPH MOORE—R.O.T.C. sergeant first class; cafeteria assistant. Ralph will join the Navy after graduation. He would like to become an automobile mechanic.

SHARON MOORE—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; script manager of Penthouse; Knightlites; Penthouse and P.T.A. plays; speech and music assemblies; Induction; Music Festival; vocal music contest; president of home room; girls' glee; sophomore choir; choir; octette; radio broadcasts; All-City Choir Festival. Music is Sharon's hobby. She will go to Kansas University.

VIOLA NESBITT—Knightlites; choir radio broadcast; music assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee; sophomore choir; choir; Teachers Convention. Typing is her favorite subject. Viola would like to be a typist.

BILL NIEBERGALL—Member of band and orchestra; music assemblies; Knightlites; Music Festival; vice-president of orchestra. Photography and music are Bill's hobbies. He will attend college after graduation.

WINNIE NOAH—Winnie came from Wyandotte High School to Southeast her junior year. She will work next year. Her ambition is to be a private secretary.

JIMMY NYE—Round Table; speech and music assemblies; home room offices; boys' chorus; sophomore choir; track team. Sports are Jim's favorite subjects and hobbies. He will major in business administration at Warrensburg.

DIXIE LEE ORRIS—Round Table; Crusader, co-art editor; National Art Honor Society; Y-Teens; Knightlites; speech assembly; home room offices. Dixie's preferred subjects are art and English. She plans to attend Kansas State. Her ambition is to continue modeling.

CAMILLA SUE PALMER—Honor roll; Round Table; Knightlites; music assemblies; home room offices; girls' glee; sophomore choir; Music Festival. Music and collecting records are Camilla's hobbies. She will major at college in commercial Spanish.

DONNA SUE PERKINS—Foods and clothing are her favorite subjects. Donna will work after graduation.

DALE PEERY—Treasurer of home room; Christmas program; Music Festival; choir; R.O.T.C. Dale enjoys hunting and fishing as hobbies.





GAYLE PERRY—Beta Club; honor roll; Knightlites; radio broadcast; music assemblies; Induction; secretary of home room; girls' glee; choir; octette; Music Festival; All-City Choir Festival. Music is Gayle's hobby. She will attend college next fall.

LYLE PHILLIPS—Honor roll; Knightlites; home room offices. Mathematics is his favorite subject. Lyle intends to enter Kansas University to study engineering.

RONNIE PHILLIPS—Tower; Knightlites; Music Festival; Band Festival; home room offices; Knightlites orchestra; cafeteria assistant. Ronnie plans to attend Kansas University to major in engineering.

SHIRLEY POTTER—Honor roll; Tower; Quill and Scroll; Centinelas; radio broadcasts; home room offices; Christmas assembly. Bookkeeping and family living are Shirley's favorite subjects.

PAT POULTER—Beta Club; honor roll; Round Table; Quill and Scroll; Traffic Safety Supervisor on City Hall Day; column editor of Tower; secretary of Penthouse; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Spring Play cast; Induction; Choir broadcasts; pep, music, and speech assemblies; girls' glee; choir; home room offices; Music Festival; All-City Music Festival; cheerleader; Teen-Town committee; secretary of junior class; publicist of senior class. She will attend Kansas State next fall. Her ambition is to become an actress.

CHARLENE PUHR—Scholasticae Centum; recording secretary of Beta Club; Centinelas; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Spanish assembly; home room offices; representative to Girls' State; Spanish medal; sophomore citizenship award. English and history are her favorite subjects. She plans to enter Warrensburg next year.

CAROL RAY—Beta; honor roll; Round Table; giftorian of junior class; sergeant-at-arms of senior class; vice-president of Teen-Town; athletics and club editor of Crusader; first and second team cheerleader; senior business committee; pep club; Dracones; secretary of Dorians; pep and speech assemblies; Knightlites; Induction; home room offices; athletic award. Carol's favorite subjects are art and English. She plans to attend Warrensburg to study art.

EDWARD REDDICK—Honor roll; Centinelas; Hi-Y; home room offices. Edward will attend Junior College. He would like to become an engineer.

JANICE REYNOLDS—Round Table; Dracones; Knight-lites; home room offices; music and speech assemblies; girls' glee; choir; Music Festival; collector. Janice's interesting hobby is working in a hospital. Her ambition is to be a doctor. She plans to attend college next fall.

JOY REYNOLDS—Knightlites; speech assembly; home room offices; second team cheerleader; athletic award. Joy's favorite subjects are clothing and family living.

JERRY RICE—Red Cross representative; Induction; Christmas assembly; home room offices; C.O.E. Jerry enjoys hunting as his hobby. He intends to go to Warrensburg next fall.

BILL RILEY—Honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Hi-Y; Knightlites; Induction; football assemblies; home room offices; cafeteria assistant; football and track team; various athletic awards; treasurer of senior class; treasurer of TeenTown. Bill will attend college next fall.

CHARLES RILEY—Speech assembly; home room offices; R.O.T.C. master sergeant. Charles's favorite subject is R.O.T.C. He plans to enter college next year.

DIXIE RINEHART—Dixie came to Southeast her senior year from Paola, Kansas. Her hobbies are dancing and swimming. She will work after graduation.

NORTON RITTMASTER—Tower; Knightlites; home room offices; tennis team, tennis letter. Norton's favorite subject is history. He plans to major in business advertising at Missouri University.

GLORIA ROTHEN—Beta Club; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Y-Teens; Centinelas; speech and Spanish assembly; home room offices; athletic award. Family living is her favorite subject. Gloria will go to Junior College.

CRAIG ROWE—Hi-Y; home room offices; boys' chorus; music assembly; track and basketball teams; athletic awards. Craig plans to attend Central Missouri State.

RAYMOND RUSSELL—Music assembly; boys' chorus; Music Festival; C.O.E. Raymond hopes to go to college after graduation.

BETTY SALLER—Beta Club; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; vice-president of Dracones; Y-Teens; Red Cross representative of home room; Knightlites; various music assemblies; choir; girls' glee; Induction; Music Festival; radio broadcasts; office assistant. Betty's favorite subjects are music and history. Her ambition is to work in the field of religion.

NORMA SANDNES—Knightlites; Induction; home room offices. Mathematics and stenography are Norma's best-liked subjects. She will work next year. Her ambition is to become a private secretary.





CHARLES SCHAEFER—Beta Club; honor roll; president of Round Table; All-City Student Council; publicist of junior class; senior business committee; City Hall Day; Hi-Y president; American Education Week panel; home room offices; Induction; cafeteria assistant; first team football letter; second team basketball letter; track letter; Teen-Town Committee. Science, mathematics, and English are Charles' favorite subjects. His ambition is to become a doctor. Charles will attend college next year.

JOYCE SCHAFFER—Centinelas; Dorians; home room offices; Knightlites; Induction; various assemblies; choir radio broadcast; octette; choir; Music Festival. Art and vocal music are the subjects Joyce likes best.

RICHARD SCHEIDT—President of Beta; honor roll; Round Table; senior business committee; Hi-Y; "It Pays to Be Smart"; Induction; home room offices; Knightlites; Tower staff; Quill and Scroll. Dick's ambition is to become a conservationist. He will attend Missouri University next fall.

JOANNE SCHWAM—Beta Club; honor roll; Tower; Penthouse; Centinelas; Y-Teens; Induction; Spring Play cast; speech and Spanish assemblies; home room offices; Open House. Drama and science are Joanne's favorite subjects. She plans to attend Washington University. Her ambition is to become a nurse.

FRANK SEARS—Photography editor of Crusader; R.O.T.C.; football assembly; athletic award. Frank is most interested in metal, and chemistry. Frank's hobbies are airplane piloting, scouting, and photography. He intends to go to Kansas University.

DONNA SEESTED—Christmas assembly; home room offices; girls' glee; C.O.E.; hall guard. Home economics and mathematics are Donna's favorite subjects. She would like to become a social worker. She will work next year.

DONNA SEIDLER—Beta Club; honor roll; freshman editor of Crusader; president of Centinelas; president of Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; home room offices; pep club; Spanish and music assemblies; office assistant. Donna's favorite subjects are family living and American problems. She plans to attend Kansas State and become a surgical nurse.

JACK SHERWOOD—Honor roll; "Youth Looks Ahead"; home room offices; band; orchestra; various music assemblies. Jack's music and typing are his best-liked subjects. He intends to go to Baker next year.

JO ANN SHIREMAN—Induction; Knightlites. Jo Ann came to Southeast her junior year from Hogan. Jo Ann's favorite subjects are physical education and English. She will work next year.

JILL SHREVE—Girls' glee; girls' choir; Music Festival; various music assemblies. Human science and psychology are her best-liked subjects. Jill's hobby is playing the piano. She plans to enter nurse's training next fall.

RONALD SIMMONS—Secretary of home room. His favorite subject is wood. Ronnie plans to work after graduation. He would like to become a plumber.

JAMES SIMS—Red Cross representative; C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. sergeant. R.O.T.C. is the subject Jim likes best. He will work next fall. Jim's hobby is collecting stamps.

BETTY HARRIS SMITH—Home room offices; Knight-lites; band; Music Festival; music assemblies; Band Festival. Betty's favorite subject is algebra. She intends to work next summer.

DIANA SMITH—Y-Teens; Induction; Knightlites; Spanish assembly; collector. Family living is Diana's best-liked subject. She plans to become an X-ray technician at Menorah Hospital.

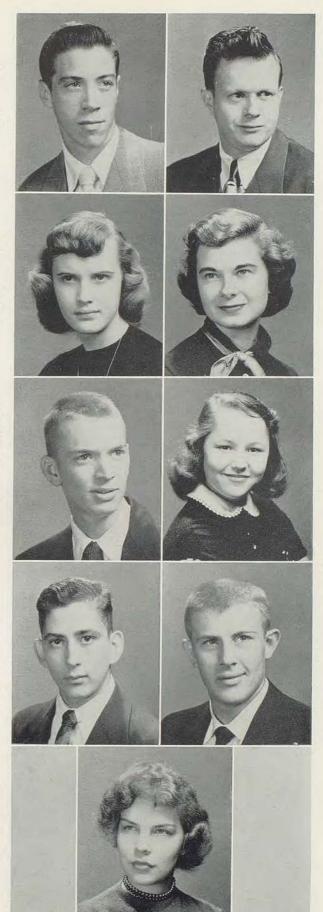
DON SMITH—Beta Club journalist; honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Hi-Y; Knightlites; Induction; music assemblies; orchestra; band; Music Festival; track team; golf team. Algebra and band are Don's favorite subjects. He plans to attend Kansas University and become an engineer.

MYRL SMITH—Round Table; home room offices; Knightlites; choir; girls' glee; All City Choir; music assembly; radio broadcast. Family living and psychology are Myrl's bestliked subjects. She intends to study nursing after graduation.

SHELDON SNITZ—Induction; R.O.T.C. first lieutenant; rifle team; N.R.A. Sheldon's favorite subjects are R.O.T.C. and drafting. His hobby is collecting rocks and minerals. He intends to study architectural engineering at Missouri University.

TOM SPARKS—Round Table representative; home room offices; varsity football letter; track team; football All-Star on second team. Science and physical education are Tom's favorite subjects. He will enter the armed service after graduation.

BARBARA SPENCER—Vice-president of Beta; honor roll; Tower; Penthouse; Spring Play cast; various speech and music assemblies; Induction; Knightlites; girls' glee; octette; choir; sophomore choir; All-City Choir Festival; Music Festival; P.T.A. panel discussion. History and speech are Barbara's favorite subjects. She plans to enter college and major in social welfare.











RICHARD SPRINGER-Home room offices; choir; R.O.T.C. Family living and American problems are Richard's best-liked subjects. He enjoys swimming. He intends to join the Navy.

RICHARD STAATS-Home room offices; boys' glee; music assemblies; second team track; freshman football team. Richard's favorite subject is science. His hobbies are hunting and fishing. He will go to Junior College next fall. His ambition is to become a county farm agent.



SHIRLEY STAFFORD-Newswriting and psychology are Shirley's favorite subjects. She plans to study journalism at Junior College.

KENNETH STANTON-Freshman football team; R.O.T.C. sergeant. Typing and mathematics are Kenneth's favorite subjects. He will work next year and attend Central Business College. His ambition is to become a book-





GLENDA STEVENSON-Home room offices; Knightlites; P.T.A. program. Glenda likes shorthand and typing. She plans to work next year and to become a secretary. Glenda will be graduated in August.

BILL STEWART-National Art Honor Society; Dorians; music assemblies. Speech and psychology are Bill's favorite subjects. His hobby is art. He will work as an auto mechanic next fall.





PAT STEWART-Honor roll; Tower; home room offices; Penthouse; Induction; speech and music assemblies; choir; sophomore choir; radio broadcasts; All-City Choir Festival; Music Festival. English and mathematics are Pat's bestliked subjects. She will attend Kansas University. Her ambition is to be an airline hostess.

DELORES STONER-Centinelas; Knightlites; girls' glee; choir; sophomore choir; Music Festival; All-City Choir Festival; music assemblies. Psychology and human science are Delores' best-liked subjects. She will work next year. She hopes to attend college later and become a laboratory technician.





KEMPER STRICKLER-Honor roll; Hi-Y. Kemper will attend Junior College. His ambition is to become a civil

BILL STRODE—Crusader; National Art Honor Society; Hi-Y; Scholastic art gold key; Dorians; Centinelas; Induction; Knightlites; projection staff; Teen-Town Committee; R.O.T.C. Bill's favorite subjects are history and literature. His hobby is collecting foreign decoration medals. He intends to go to Wentworth Military Academy and become a naval officer.

ROGER STRUZICK—Round Table; C.O.E.; R.O.T.C. rifle team; sergeant first class. Roger's favorite subject is C.O.E. He plans to work next year.

PAULINE SUAREZ—Pauline came to Southeast her senior year from Rosedale. Her hobby is collecting silver dollars. She plans to work next year and attend night school. Her ambition is to become a civil service worker.

ROBERT SUMMERS—Home room offices; speech and music assemblies; boys' choir; boys' chorus; choir; Music Festival; radio broadcast. Bob enjoys wood work and sports. He hopes to enter the armed forces next fall. He would like to own a hardware store.

SHIRLEY SWARTZ—Y-Teens; Knightlites; home room offices; music assemblies; choir; girls' glee, "Children's Crusade." Shirley's favorite subjects are shorthand and typing. She plans to do some secretarial work next fall and eventually become a private secretary.

JOHN THOMPSON—Induction; home room offices; boys' chorus; football and basketball team; athletic awards. Physical education and mathematics are John's best-liked subjects. He will attend Warrensburg and major in business administration.

CAROLYN TRAMILL—Recording secretary of the Round Table; activities editor of Crusader; senior business committee; Knightlites; music assemblies; Spanish and speech assemblies; home room offices; sophomore choir; All-City Choir; Music Festival; Teen-Town committee. Carolyn's favorite subjects are stenography and family living. She intends to work next year.

RICHARD TREE—Induction; R.O.T.C.; rifle team; company commander. Mathematics and chemistry are the subjects Richard likes best. He will enter Junior College next fall. His ambition is to become a conservation agent or a forester.

DICK WAIT—Speech and music assemblies; boys' chorus; Music Festival; freshman, sophomore, and varsity track teams; athletic awards. Psychology and physical education are Dick's favorite subjects. He plans to work next year and then go to Junior College.

SHIRLEY WAIT—Round Table; Jousters; Y-Teens; Knightlites; president of home room; girls' glee; Music Festival; music assembly; volley ball sports day; hockey all-star team; various athletic awards. Shirley's best-liked subjects are stenography and physical education. She plans to attend St. Louis University and to become a physical therapist.

BARBARA WALKER—Round Table; home room offices; girls' glee; music assemblies. Barbara's favorite subjects are foods and clothing. She plans to go into nurse's training.





SAM WALLACE—Honor roll; Round Table; Tower; stage manager of Penthouse; senior business committee; Knight-lites; Spring Play cast; Induction; speech and music assemblies; Open House Program; president of choir; band; boys' quartet; stage crew; hall guard; projection staff; cheerleader; home room offices. His favorite subjects are choir and geometry. Sam's ambition is to become a journalist.

ROBERT WALLER—Honor roll; home room offices; football team; golf team and basketball team. Robert's favorite subjects are chemistry and drafting. Baseball is his hobby. He plans to attend college and become a dentist.

MARY WALTON—Knightlites; Induction; girls' glee; music assemblies; home room offices; Music Festival. Mary's favorite subjects are typing and family living. Tap dancing is her hobby. She plans to attend Junior College and to enter the field of commerce.

LARRY WARD—Round Table; Knightlites; home room offices; second team basketball letter. Larry's favorite subject is history. He plans to attend Colorado A. and M. to study agriculture.

BARBARA WATTS—Centinelas; Les Chevaliers; Knightlites; Induction; Round Table; home room offices. Barbara's best-liked subjects are French and typing. She plans to be a secretary.

CAROL WELLS—Honor roll; Quill and Scroll; Tower; Penthouse; Y-Teens; Knightlites; Induction; Spring Play cast; speech assemblies; choir; girls' glee; Music Festival; All-City Choir Festival. Carol's best-liked subject is English.

BOB WHITE—Circulation manager of Tower; Hi-Y; Round Table; home room offices; Knightlites; music assembly; football team; cafeteria assistant. Bob enjoys history and physical education. He is interested in sports and drawing. Next fall he will enter Colorado A. and M. His ambition is to become a rancher.

ROBERT WHITE—Hi-Y; "Youth Looks Ahead"; president and Red Cross representative of home room. Mathematics is his favorite subject. Robert plans to attend Central Missouri State College and study engineering.

HAROLD WICKS—Red Cross representative; sophomore choir; choir; various music assemblies; track team; cafeteria assistant. Harold's favorite subjects are family living and physical education. His hobby is wood carving. He will work next year.

GROVER WILCHER—Beta Club; honor roll; president of junior and senior classes, treasurer of Round Table; president of Hi-Y; Induction; Knightlites; home room offices; varsity basketball and track letters. Grover's favorite subjects are physical education and mathematics. His hobby is sports. He plans to attend Kansas University and study engineering.

CHARLES WILLIAMS—Knightlites; speech assembly. Typing and family living are his favorite subjects. He also enjoys speech work and art. Photography is his hobby. He will go to Junior College next fall and then attend William Jewell.

ROLLIE WILLIAMS—Choir; Music Festival; radio broadcasts; boys' chorus; All-City Choir Festival; music assemblies; various home room offices. Choir is Rollie's favorite subject.

MARLENE WILSON—Vice-president of Red Cross; Knightlites; music assemblies; choir; choir radio broadcast; Music Festival. Marlene likes typing the best of her subjects. She enjoys playing the piano. Next year she will work. Her ambition is to become an airline hostess.

MURRIN WONER—Penthouse; Spring Play cast; Knight-lites; home room offices; speech and music assemblies; choir; second team football; stage crew; R.O.T.C. sergeant of fifth army team. Speech and mathematics are Murrin's best-liked subjects. He will attend Baker University next fall. He will enter a military career after he finishes college.

DAVID WORKMAN—Honor roll; stage chairman of Penthouse; Induction; stage crew; hall guard; class all-star football team; "It Pays To Be Smart". Mathematics and speech are his favorite subjects. He will attend Rolla. David's ambition is to become a metal worker. He was graduated in January.

RICHARD WOSTE—Knightlites; choir; sophomore choir; boys' chorus; Music Festival; music assembly; choir broadcast; Red Cross representative; football letterman; cafeteria assistant. Richard will work for T.W.A. next fall. His ambition is to become an airline flight engineer.

LUCILLE WRIGHT—Shorthand and algebra are Lucille's favorite subjects. She plans to join the Waves next fall. Her ambition is to become a graduate nurse.

MARTIN YAGAN—Knightlites; R.O.T.C.; rifle team and R.O.T.C. circus. Martin's favorite subject is psychology. His hobby is hunting. Next year he will enter Missouri University.

JUDY ZIMMERMAN—Y-Teens; Knightlites; home room offices; music assemblies; girls' glee; choir; Music Festival; volley ball sports day. Judy's best-liked subjects are typing and human science. She plans to go to Missouri University.

JULIANNE ZIMMERMAN—Centinelas; Y-Teens; Knightlites; girls' glee; sophomore choir; choir; octette; Music Festival; music assemblies; Choir broadcast; Induction; vocal contest. Her hobbies are singing and playing the piano. She would like to become a professional singer. Julianne will attend Kansas University.





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## Class of '53 Diary

Sept. 3—At last we're big wheels (seniors)!!! And it took most of us only six or seven years to get here, too!!!!

Sept. 12—The Crusader staff was announced today. Nine months to make this the best Crusader ever.

Sept. 15—Seniors are having their pictures taken. The proofs have convinced us that there is nothing more handsome than a senior.

Sept. 23—We've elected our senior business committee (internal revenue agents), the kids who will lead us through our senior year.

Oct. 3—Just think, our last Induction as Southeast students. Guess this program is becoming famous cause films of it were shown on T. V.

Oct. 7 and 8—Knightlites tryouts today. Our legs shook so much we decided to dance instead of sing.

Oct. 13—D-Day! Our first grade cards of the year. Our folly's catching up with us. Oh, well, we don't like June graduation anyway.

Nov. 1—Teen-Towners held their Fall Fantasy tonight. Everyone really had fun. Everybody enjoyed dancing, ping-pong, and plenty of "hot" dogs and "coooool" cola.

Nov. 7—Whoopee, school's out!!! State Teachers Association is meeting in Kansas City this year. Love those teachers!!!

Nov. 11—Southeast held annual Open House tonight. I'm not so sure it's a good idea for teachers and parents to get together. I'll know tomorrow!

Nov. 20-22—"Magazines" sure made a swell theme for this year's Knightlites. We think it was the best ever. Golly, it was fun,

Dec. 1—Seniors spent tonight planning for next year. College night really makes us feel grown up. Like "men and women of the world."

Dec. 20—Teen-Town was full of the Holiday Spirit tonight. There's something about Christmas that makes everything and everybody wonderful (including Mr. Powell).

Dec. 23—We sang carols around the tree today for the last time. Sure were a lot of us sentimental seniors standing about.

Jan. 5—Misery! Despair! Back to the book mines! You'd think everyone would be peppy after such a long holiday, but look at us! (for appetite's sake, don't look at us).

Jan. 19-22—Oooo, those finals?! The only cheerful people around here are the teachers.

Jan. 21—The Crusader staff has a big secret. They know who is on the Senior Ballot. But so do we——seniors!!!

Jan. 26—Wow! Just think! One more semester to go! All New Year's resolutions have been broken by now. Shall we make some more or wait until next year?

Feb. 14—Hearts were light and gay tonight as the King and Queen of Hearts reigned at the Teen-Town Valentine Dance.

Feb. 23—Today we celebrated George Washington's birthday. We celebrated because we got a holiday.

Mar. 1—March came in like a lion, in truth, like a whole litter! Hope the month soon becomes like a lamb, gentle and sweet.

Mar. 7—Mr. Powell's Gestapo (business committee) is after everyone for senior dues. I guess there's no way around it—so down into my purse I go.

Mar. 13-14—The speech department did themselves proud on "Down to Earth," their Spring Play. They really deserved all the fun they had at their cast party.

April 17—The Betas held their annual formal tonight. The girls looked beautiful and the boys were really knights for once.

April 24—The Music Festival was really professional. This performance always makes everyone appreciate Southeast's talents (especially the senior pros).

May 22— The juniors gave us a gorgeous prom. Thanks, we knew you would do it. You gave us something we shall always remember.

May 29—We gave our farewell to ole Southeast today. Saw many damp eyes. Kinda wish we were eighth graders again. What a beautiful Crusader came out today. All those rumors about an orange and black cover surely did a nose dive after everyone saw the real thing. Can this be our last day? Everything's been so wonderful! We hate to leave! It was great to be a senior. It has been great to live in the castle for five short years. Goodbye and the best of luck to all the senior classes to come.

## Wee Kids



## Juniors Take Last Step Before Knighthood



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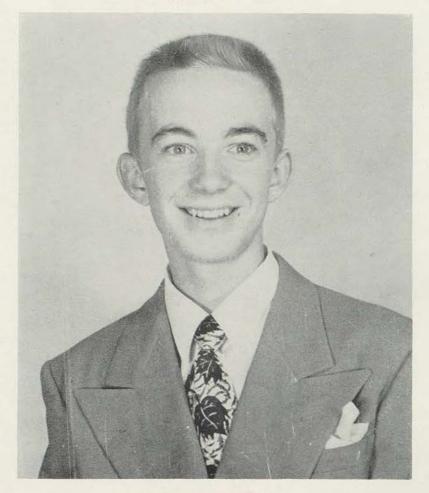
DICK LINCK Sergeant-at-Arms

GLENNA ELLIS President

The thrill of being a senior is almost ours as we take the next step toward Knighthood. This year has been one of expectations, ambitions, and rapidly developing leadership. As Squires, our time has been spent in mastering the fundamentals. The class of '54 has contributed to the scholastic, social, and athletic events of the year.

As the seniors leave during the last week of school, we suddenly realize that our dream of Knighthood is fast becoming reality. With a firm foundation of chivalry, truth, honor, freedom, and fair courtesy, we are ready to assume our role of Knighthood.

## In Memoriam



GLENN BRADFORD

In the sudden death of Glenn Bradford, Southeast lost one of her finest students. His sincerity and friendly smile endeared him to the hearts of many. Glenn, who was a junior at Southeast, ranked high in sportsmanship. In 1952 he was Kansas City's All-American Soap Box Derby Champion, and he came in fourth in the National Contest. He participated in the Southeast Baseball League. Glenn was active in church affairs, was a member of troop 115 of the Boy Scouts of America, and was on our high school honor roll. Because his ambition was to become an engineer, Glenn was most interested in drafting and mathematics. During his short life, Glenn accumulated many fine traits; his most outstanding was that of friendship. Glenn never met a person he didn't like and all whom he met became his friends.

"Somewhere back of the sunset
Where loveliness never dies,
He lives in the land of glory
Mid the gray and blue of the skies.
And we who have known and loved him
Whose passing has brought swift tears
Will cherish his memory always
To brighten the coming years."



Adelsperger, Robert Alexander, Mary Lou Anthony, Ronalee Atchinson, Ann Attebery, Mary Audiss, Shirley

Baker, James Baker, Robert Barker, Lois Barnard, Neil Baucke, Thomas Belzer, Ronald

Bennett, Jimmy Biurvall, Sandra Bixman, Patricia Blackburn, Mary Blackshire, Ben Blattman, Barbara

Board, Judy Bouldin, Larry Brady, Mike Brillault, Ed Brown, Tom Bruns, Martin

Bryan, Kent Bryan, Saundra Buck, Jo Ann Budd, Antoinette Campbell, Jerry Cartwright, Pat

Clarensau, Marina Cline, Phyllis Coberly, John Cocks, Betty Colwell, James Cooper, Janet

Cooper, Mary Ann Corder, Pat Crawford, Earl Crowley, David Daily, Bill Darr, Dwight

Davenport, Richard Dawson, Regina Dice, Judy Dietz, Carol Dorman, Derrell Dougherty, Mary

Doyle, Ronnie Ducate, Sharon Ducate, Shirley Durbin, Bob Durrett, Marcia Eckstein, Louis

Edwards, Ramah Eichman, Don Ellis, Glenna Erickson, Mary Louise Fenton, Shirley Finley, Bill

Fish, Jo Ann Fitzhugh, Patricia Flannery, Sylvia Fowler, Elizabeth Frazee, Janice Frazee, Marcia

Fuller, Barbara Fuqua, Gary Gabel, Marion Gain, Carol Ganser, Leroy Garner, Lois

Gattenby, Jo Ann Gerow, William Gibson, Juanita Givens, June Graf, Phyllis Greenlee, Mabel

Grove, Glenda Haines, Bob Hall, Judith Halliburton, Mona Hamarstrom, Carol Hammond, Mary

Hampton, Carl Hampton, Gene Hargis, Donna Harkins, Kay Hart, Sherry Hayes, Edwin

Henman, Loren Henry, Nancy Herdman, Jean Hildebrand, Ronnie Hill, Danny Hillis, Bob

Hollingshead, Bud Holt, Joe Holtzclaw, Doris Honsinger, Bill Hooper, Bob Horn, Claudia

Howard, Frank Hudson, David Humphress, Barbara Hutton, Harry Jackson, Betty Jeffries, Jim

Johnson, Allen Johnson, Clifford Johnson, Jerry Johnson, Ronald Jones, Alyce Jones, Bob

Jones, Howard Jones, Shannon Keefe, Tom Kennworthy, Betty Kerr, Eleanor Kirwan, Richard





Kistler, Von Koll, Darell Kraft, Don Kresse, Joe Lancaster, Marilyn Lane, Richard

Lehman, Jerry Lengquist, Eric Leone, Dixie L'Hommedieu, Yvonne Linck, Dick Link, Susan

Livingston, Frances Lockwood, Janice Long, Don Ludwig, Oletha Lyle, Jim Lynch, Gail

Lynch, Tom Mackey, Donald Maple, Diane Masoner, Donald Mattenlee, Douglas Mayfield, Marlene

McClintock, Joan McCollom, Jim McEowen, Arthur McFarland, Bill McGehee, Charles McKinley, Joe

Meek, Irene Miller, Garry Mills, Ralph Mitchell, Luann Mitchell, Roderick Moehle, Betty

Moore, Cheryl Moore, Jane Moore, Ronnie Moran, Dale Morris, Bill Morris, Gary

Morton, David Needels, Carolyn Nester, Norman Niebergall, Donald Niswonger, Donna Nolan, Kenneth

O'Byrne, Mike Oglesby, Gaye O'Rear, Delbert Peterman, Shirley Pilant, Roberta Poteet, Bruce

Preston, Nanette Quick, Kent Ramsey, Betty Raphael, Stephen Reynolds, Beverly Rhodes, Bill

Richardson, Shirley Riggs, Leann Ritsch, David Ritter, Duane Robb, Jerry Roberts, Jerry

Roberts, Gerald Robinson, Meredith Rothacher, Rose Scaccia, Louis Scherrer, Shirley Schuyler, Doug

Schwancke, Charles Schwemley, Lenore Seisser, Sherry Seitz, Jane Sharp, Jerry Sherman, June

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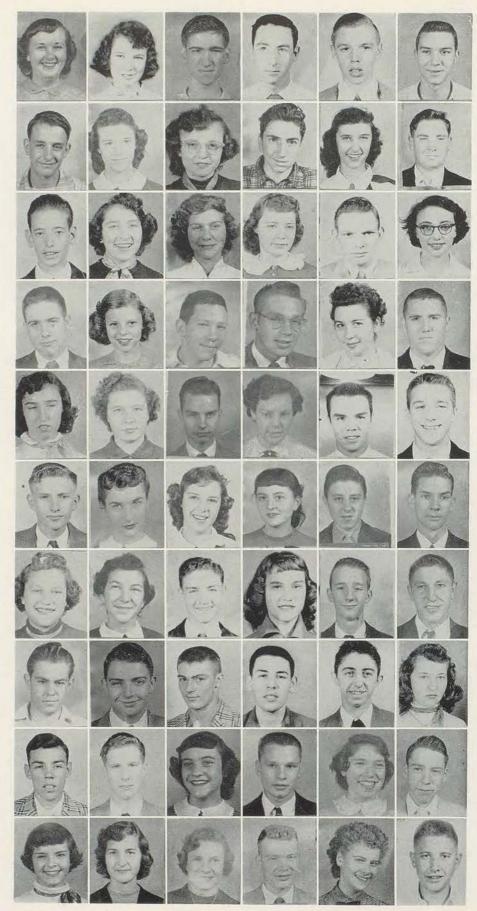
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Tapp, John
Taylor, Roger
Teeters, Don
Thomas, Larry
Thompson, Barbara

Thompson, Norman Tipton, Ronald Tolen, Nancy Trocasso, Leroy Ulrich, Betty Untrif, Stephen

Vaughn, Dixie Von Demfange, Carol Wadsworth, Doris Walton, Gary Watts, Joleen Welty, Charles





West, Walda Weston, Mary White, Bill Wilkerson, Joe Williams, Tom Wilson, Betty

Wilson, Bob Wilson, David Wootten, Robert Young, Nancy

## Sophomores Learn Value of Participation

Having become accustomed to the intricacies and activities of Southeast, members of the sophomore class have taken a new interest in the many opportunities offered to us this year. Life in the Castle has prepared us not only to perform skills efficiently, but to gain practical information. We have learned that service means participation and we are eager to join in various school activities and sports. This year as Heralds, we have continued to grow in poise and self-development. We are looking toward the time when we shall be considered upper classmen.

Agnew, Kenny Alexander, Lynn Allen, Arthur Ames, Donna Anthony, Darlys Archer, John

Averill, Jim Ayer, Douglas Backstrom, Janet Baldwin, Norman Balsly, Gloria Becker, Anna

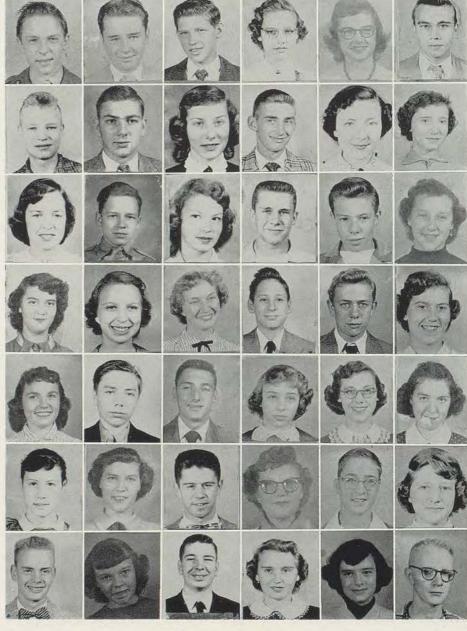
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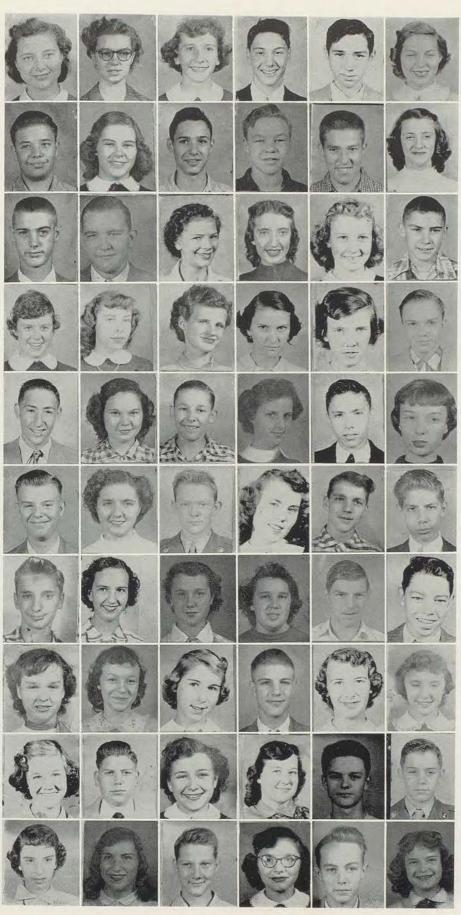
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Cale, Anna May Carl, Nancy Jo Carney, Don Carter, Gloria Clark, Herbert Clark, Winnie May

Clayton, Charles Cline, Dorothy Colvin, Russell Cook, Jane Cook, Jennie Cook, Wayne





Cooper, Claudette Cooper, Nancy Sue Cooper, Janice Creel, Thomas Leonard Croft, Claude Curnett, Joyce Lea

Dally, Don Damico, Shirley Davis, Bobby Davis, Clifford Davis, Dale DeMasters, Bonnie

Dennis, Donald Devenport, George Dishong, Zela Dodd, Darlene Dorsey, Peggy Charlene Dowdle, Phillip

Dudley, Ann Dregan, Phyllis Earp, Beverly Jean Ellis, Psyche Ellis, Vernabelle Elwick, Ray

English, Gary Evert, Esther Faas, Freddie Fessler, Mary Finch, Glenn Fiorella, Gracann Kathleen

Flinner, Don Follett, Norma Gabbert, Richard Dean Gabel, Phyllis Joyce Garrison, Earl Gentry, Kenneth

Gibsen, Donald Gilkeson, Nancy Glenn, Glenda Goodson, Laura Grassley, Richard Gray, Dan

Greer, Betty Greer, Jacqueline Groomer, Dorothy Gumm, Bob Hahn, Jo Ann Hailey, Betty

Handley, Judy Harned, Esten Harris, Barbara Harrison, Janis Hedenberg, Donald Herbert, Gary

Hey, Barbara Hileman, Rhoda Hill, Arthur Hill, Marcia Hinshaw, Delbert Hodge, Sandra

Hoff, Danny Hopson, Jim Holdren, Carol Holt, Betty Horton, Dick Howard, Joanne

Hull, Sandra Hunt, Glen Hunter, Patricia Huska, Betty Hymer, Don Hynden, Charles

James, Deloris Jamieson, Bob Jeffries, Henry Jenkins, Carolyn Johnson, Barbara Johnson, Karl

Johosky, Jim Johnson, Marilynn Johnston, Mary Louise Jones, Margaret Jones, Patricia Ernestine Kasper, Roberta

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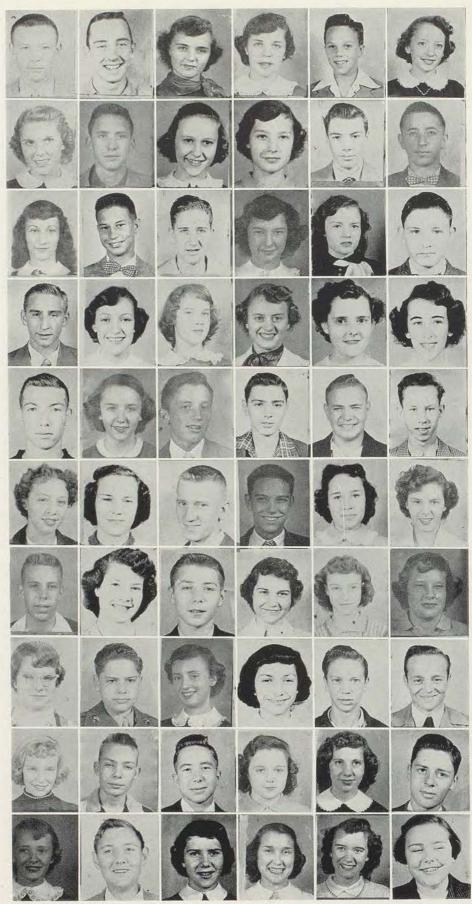
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Larson, Donald Lewis, Wynona Lindsey, Glenn Long, Frances Lowell, Lydia Macy, Shirley

Macy, Betty Mangione, Joseph Martin, Barbara Martinez, Eva McCale, Robert McGhee, Tom

Means, Carole Melcher, Robert Miles, Curry Miller, Jo Ann Miller, Sandra Mills, David

Moles, June Morrison, Rodger Mountjoy, Sandra Nelson, Betty Nelson, Eleanor Lois Newsom, Florence





Nilson, Jeanne Nichols, Leroy Oder, Diane O'Quinn, Willa Mae Park, Thomas Payne, Nancy

Pelletier, John Penning, Josephine Perry, Dan Phenix, Pat Phillips, Carol Phillips, David Lynn

Pierce, Barbara Ping, Ronald Potter, Bruce Potter, Sue Price, Dianne Pruetting, John

Pruitt, Sally Rabyor, Marie Ann Rackers, Shirley Ramsey, Beverlee Randle, Vincent Redmon, Terryl

Reece, Jerry Reeder, Bob Reynolds, Sandra Ricketts, Raymond Riggs, Louise Richardson, Mary Ellen

Roberds, Carl Romi, Betty Rucker, Vivian Rucker, John Ruhl, Sandra Sanderson, Shirley

Sasse, Joyce Sawyers, Tom Schaefer, Elnora Edell Schick, Elizabeth Sheffield, Joan Sherman, Jeanne

Shultz, John Shireman, Faith Smith, Janet Ruth Smith, Larry Smithmier, Deanna Snitz, Barney

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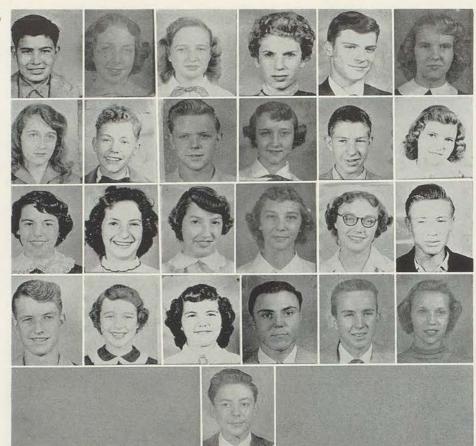
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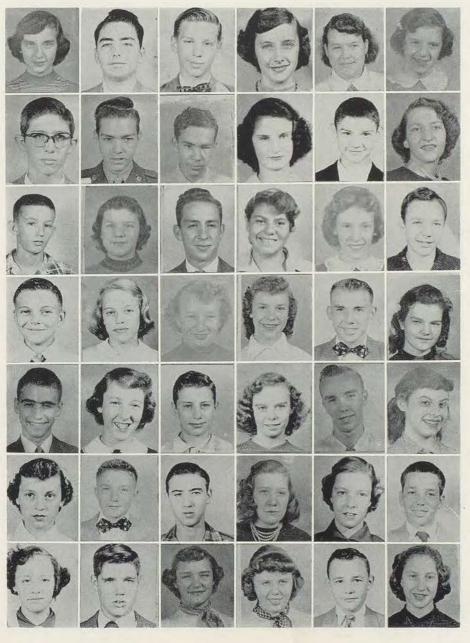
Zumwalt, James



### Freshmen Learn to Work With Others

Bursting with enthusiasm, another freshman class has started the climb for higher education. We have found that our curriculum is built around a life of high ideals and standards. This year we have assumed the duties of pages by

learning to work with others and explore new fields of learning. We realize how important it is to grasp all the education possible, for we are learning for life, not just for school.



Adamson, Pat Albright, Charlie Allen, Larry Anderson, Betty Babbitt, Jeanette Bailey, Roma

Baker, Bob Baker, Encil Ballard, Kenneth Ballau, Marcia Bangs, William Barnett, Sandra

Beckett, Royce Bedell, Peggy Beer, Carl Bennett, Joan Berry, Gwen Betzer, Ronald

Bisby, Larry Biurvall, Lucy Black, Pat Black, Ruth Blalock, Donald Board, Sharon

Boese, Eddie Boley, Barbara Bowers, Herbert Bowles, Rosemari Boxx, Richard Braun, Judy A.

Braun, Judy Mae Breeding, Lonnie Brouhard, Ronnie Brown, Edna Brown, Sandy Bruce, Edward

Brundage, Amy Lu Ann Bryan, Mike Buck, Mary Ana Burns, Jimmy Lou Burns, Wesley Burris, Betty

Butcher, Theresa Butterworth, Bob Calmese, Tom Carlsen, Bob Carlson, Donna Carolan, Betsy

Carpenter, Laura Carter, Chester Cartwright, Mike Cassity, Jimmy Chandler, Virginia Chitwood, Donna

Church, Joanne Clark, James Cline, Ruth Cole, Bill Collier, Sally Courson, Betty

Crawford, Dick Criswell, Barbara Crotty, Phil Crowley, Carol Curtis, William Darr, Jeanne

Davis, Erin De Jarnette, Mary Dematteis, Carol Dennis, Walter Dishong, Sandra Dudley, Connie

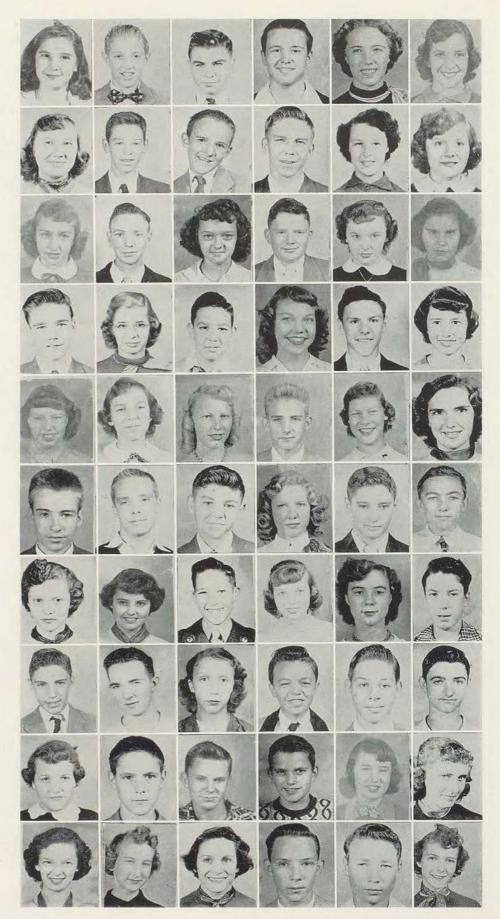
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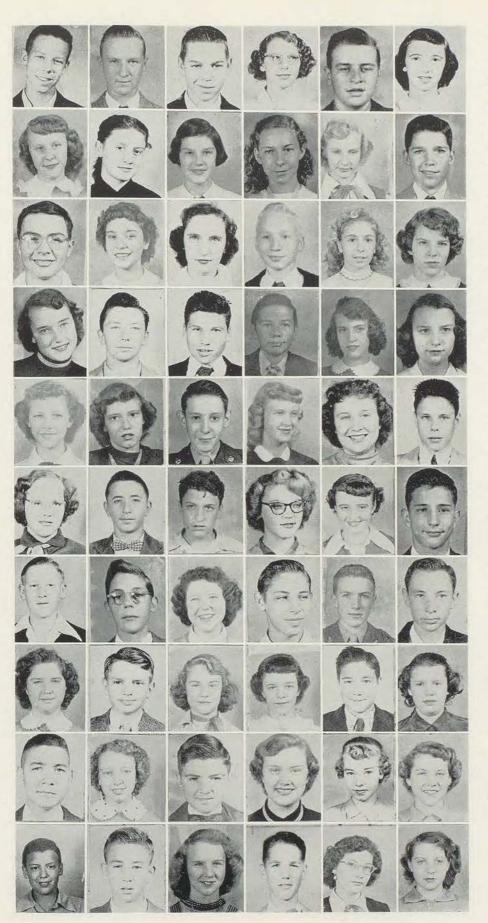
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Fuller, Virginia Fuqua, Bob Gabel, Charles Gardner, Bill Garfield, Patricia Glinn, Mary

Goodwin, Maxine Gough, Sue Green, Martha Greer, Harvey Greer, Lee Gwinn, Sandra





Hadden, Bob Hahn, Bill Haines, Joe Hall, Evelyn Hall, James Hall, Janice

Hallblom, Lillian Fiamel, Gail Hamilton, Nancy Hanna, Dolores Happy, Peggy Harper, George

Hartly, Thomas Hasty, Marcella Hendrix, Patricia Henshaw, Gene Herrin, Toby Heuermann, Donna

Higley, Marnell Hickerson, David Hilburn, Grant Hoff, David Holbrook, Verna Homan, Neville

Honsinger, Patty Hopper, Barbara Horn, Brent Horton, Gale Hudson, Janet Hunter, Charles

Husband, Judy Hynden, Charles Igert, Frank Inman, Ernestine Jackson, Martha Jamieson, Donald

Jamison, Frank Janeway, Mike Johnson, Juanita Johnson, Kenneth Johnson, Steve Jolliffe, David

Jones, Donna Jones, Phillip Kautz, Elizabeth Kellar, Barbara Keller, Charles Kelley, Carolee

Kelley, Frank Kemp, Emma Lou Kennedy, Robert Kessler, Carol Kilz, Katherine Klamm, Joan

Krebs, Rockne Laffoon, Allen Laffoon, June Lamb, Jay Lane, Sondra Laughman, Patty

Lengquist, Douglas Lentz, Michael Lenz, Jo Leslie, Jerry Levitch, Bernard Lockwood, Kay

Lockwood, Linda Logan, Robert Loncar, Phil Long, Frieda Lynn, Patty Lyon, Loren

Majors, Richard Mc Keehan, Donald Mc Mahan, John Mc Mannama, Sharon Meadows, Larry Melcher, John

Melvin, Marvin Middleton, Jack Milburn, Margaret Mills, Barbara Milton, Suzanne Mock, Roy

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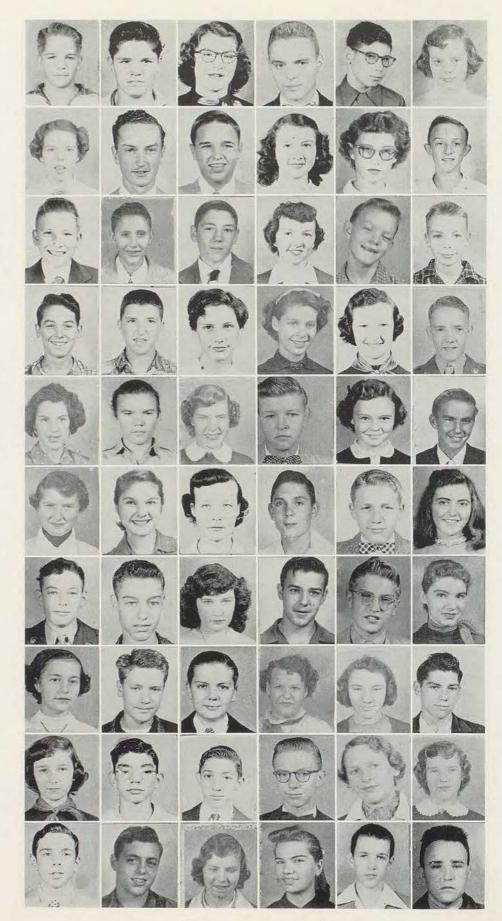
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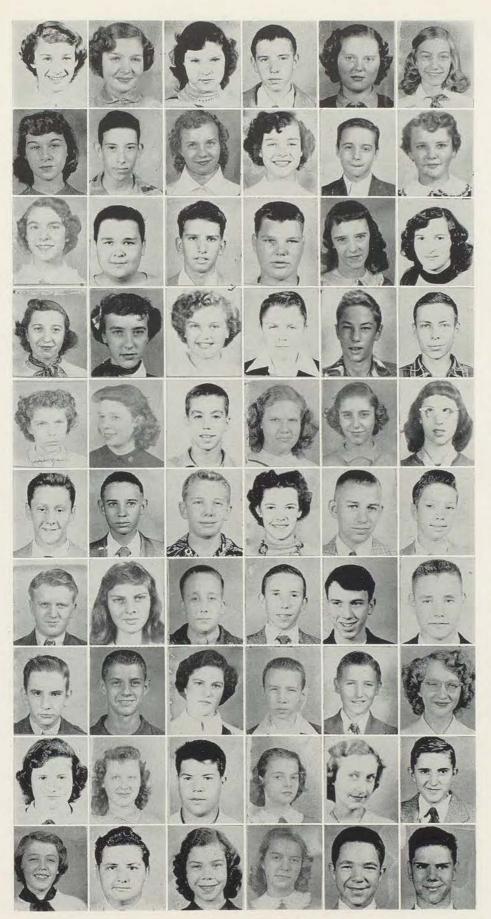
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Price, Douglas Pummill, Dick Redmon, Vicki Rehfeldt, Phyllis Rendina, Dennis Reynolds, Robert





Rice, Sandra Rick, Carol Riley, Peggy Robb, Gary Roberson, Pauline Roberts, Joan

Robertson, Dorothy Robinson, Ronald Robinson, Sandra Rodenbach, Cara Romi, Louie Ross, Elaine

Rutherford, Marilyn Ryan, Eddie Ryan, Tim Sandie, Frank Scherrer, Sandra Schiler, Peggy

Schmid, Christme Schmidt, Marcene Schnarre, Mary Lou Schultz, Donald Schultz, Jerry Scott, Harold

Scott, Judy Scott, Sue Seiger, Bill Semler, Laurel Severns, Aynella Shafer, Susan

Shankland, Jim Shaon, Ronald Sheets, Jerry Sheldon, Vicki Shemwell, Gary Shepard, Lynn

Shover, Terry Siesser, Sanda Simcoe, Kent Smalley, Burk Smith, Charles Smith, Gary

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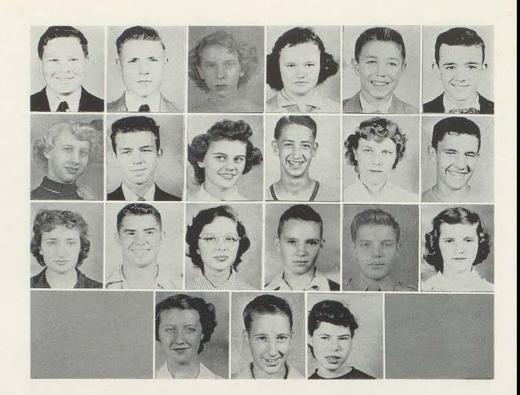
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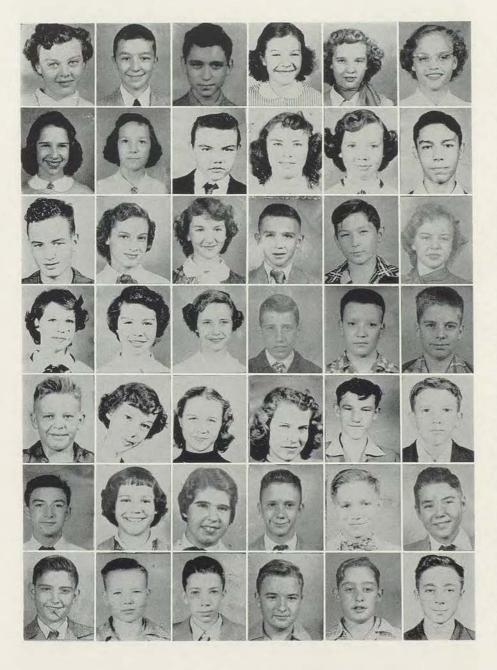
Wright, Diana Young, Ben Swain, Bonnie



## Eighth Graders Become Apprentice Pages

This year will never be forgotten—from those first perplexing moments when we entered the castle until we became aware of all the opportunities that lay before us. Our desire has been to use these opportunities to the fullest extent. As Appentice-Pages, we have built a good foundation in our preparation to become Pages, the

first step toward Knighthood. We realized that we had a long way to go; but with the examples of the upper classmen before us, our aims were held high and we have laid a firm foundation of chivalry, truth, and honor. We shall always strive to bring honor to our school and to uphold high standards of work and achievement.



Abney, Carolyn Adams, Donald Adelman, Ernest Albers, Barbara Alexander, Janet Lea Ames, Shirley

Anderson, Frances Anthony, Suzanne Archer, Paul Wilson Argraves, Brenda Bailey, Gloria Bannister, George

Barrett, Robert Barrett, Roberta Benton, Yvonne Bermond, Ronald Bernard, James Beyer, Bertha

Bischof, Barbara Bischof, Betty Bittner, Judith Black, Douglas Blackburn, Bill Bloom, Pete

Bollinger, John Bowden, Pat Bowman, Geraldine Breckinridge, Diane Brouhard, Lyle Brown, Charles

Buchanan, Gerald Budd, Diana Burgard, Lind Burnett, Charles Butcher, Robert Cain, Donald

Cain, Richard Campbell, Larry Caroll, Roger William Cash, Ed Clark, Billy Clark, Bob L.

Clark, Joan Clark, Ruth Clem, Jim Clifton, Beverly Coates, Keith Colby, Carole

Collister, Carole Conner, Patsy Corwin, Darrell Crawford, Robert Crow, Nancy Curnett, Danny

Curtis, Elizabeth Curtis, Judith Davenport, Naomi Davis, James Dawson, David De Feo, Julia

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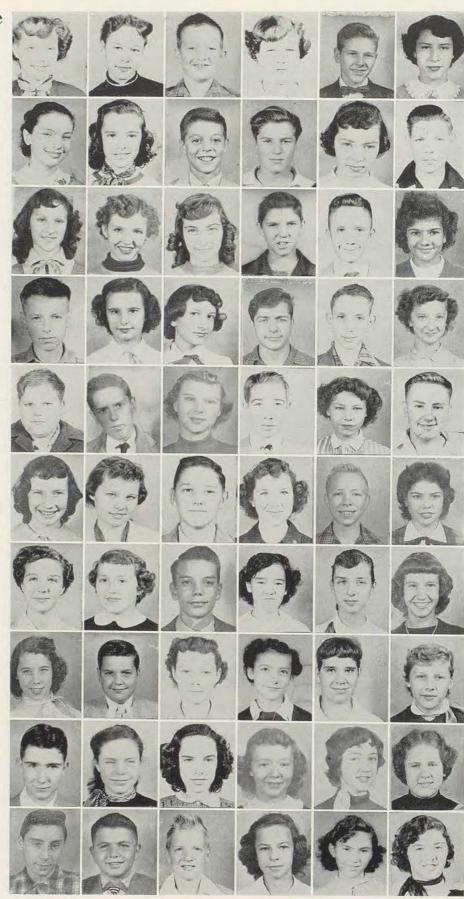
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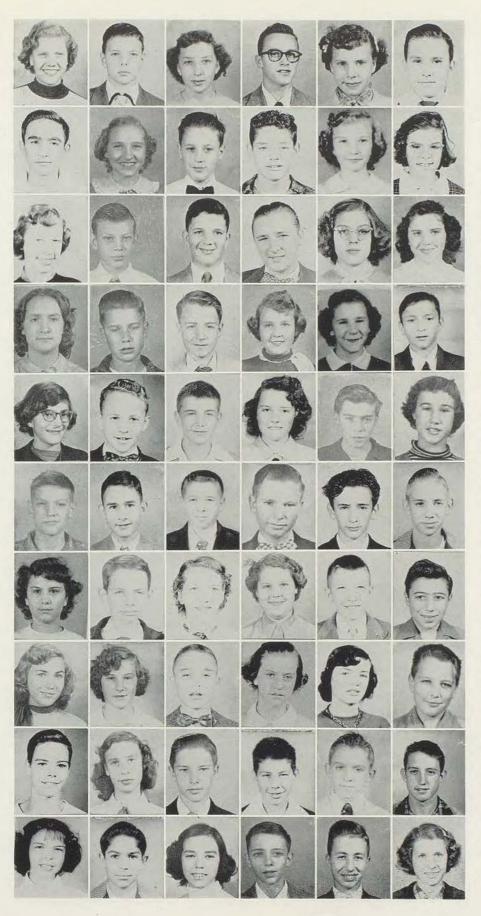
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Gibson, Robert Gilman, Nancy Goldberg, Patricia Graf, Shirley Green, Patty Lou Grier, Diane

Grooves, Virgil Hall, Michael Halliburton, Dick Hanna, Frances Hansen, Vera Harling, Linda





Harris, Sue Hawkins, Roger Hawley, Charlotte Hearn, Fred Henman, Donna Hensley, Charles

Herr, Dick Herr, Nancy Hey, John Hickman, John Hide, Sharon Lee Hill, Margaret

Hill, Melinda Sue Hodge, Arthur Lee Hoehns, Clifford Hof, Herbert Holmes, Helen Holt, Patty

Howell, Colleen Howes, Norman Ray Hughes, Wayne Hull, Harlan Hummer, Barbara Hunt, Rudy

Hyer, Sally May Jackson, David Jenkins, Roger Jester, Anita Jewett, James Johnston, Carole

Jones, David Jones, Hugh Jones, Kenneth Edwin Jones, Richard Ned Kasper, Gordon Kelly, Richard Lee

Kenton, Mary Louise King, Jack Knapp, Judith Elaine Kozak, Sandra Krugar, Carl Joe Lanas, Theodore

Lee, Janice Leigh, Diane Leslie, Eddie Lever, Marcia Lewis, Donna Linck, Jim

Livingston, Lonnie Long, Mildred Long, Neill Luthy, Charles Lyon, James Madden, Kenneth

Madison, Betty Lou Mangione, John Manley, Darlene Marple, Melvyn Martin, John Martin, Mary

McCoy, Patricia McIntryre, Beverly McKenzie, Sandra McLane, William McNay, Jon McQueen, Donald

Meigs, Kay Melvin, Jerald Merritt, Carrie Middleton, Gene Miller, Beverly Miller, H. Ronald

Miller, Hazel Miller, Lester Miller, Virginia Minniear, Jack Arthur Mishmash, Don Mitchell, Sheila

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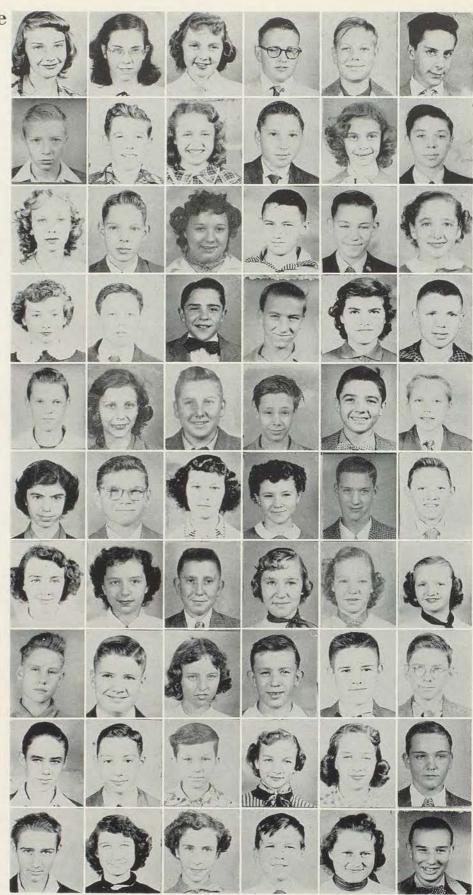
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Ravenscraft, Ronnie Lynn Ray, Paul Reed, Eddie E. Remington, Sharon Renault, Nanette Richards, Gerald

Richardson, George Richardson, Margaret Riedel, Donna Ritsch, Joseph Romi, Peggy Rowe, Paul D.



Schooler, Yvonne Scislo, Lillian Scrirner, Daniel Sejnost, Constance Senzee, Kay Shaon, Carolyn Sherman, Leslie Shover, Kay Shipp, Judith Ann Silk, Janet Silk, Patricia Smith, Sue

Snyder, Skipper Spencer, James Spencer, Janice Spencer, Pat Spickler, Judy Spiegel, Jerry

Starforth, Merna Steinman, Hettie Stephens, Melby Stewart, Donna Stober, Eleanor Stoehr, Herman

Stalz, Robert Sumner, Diane Sundermeyer,

Gale Howard Tadlock, Jack Tapp, Carolyn Tarbell,

Constance Charlene Tansch, John Charles Thompson, Gary Lee Tillery, Earnest Lowell

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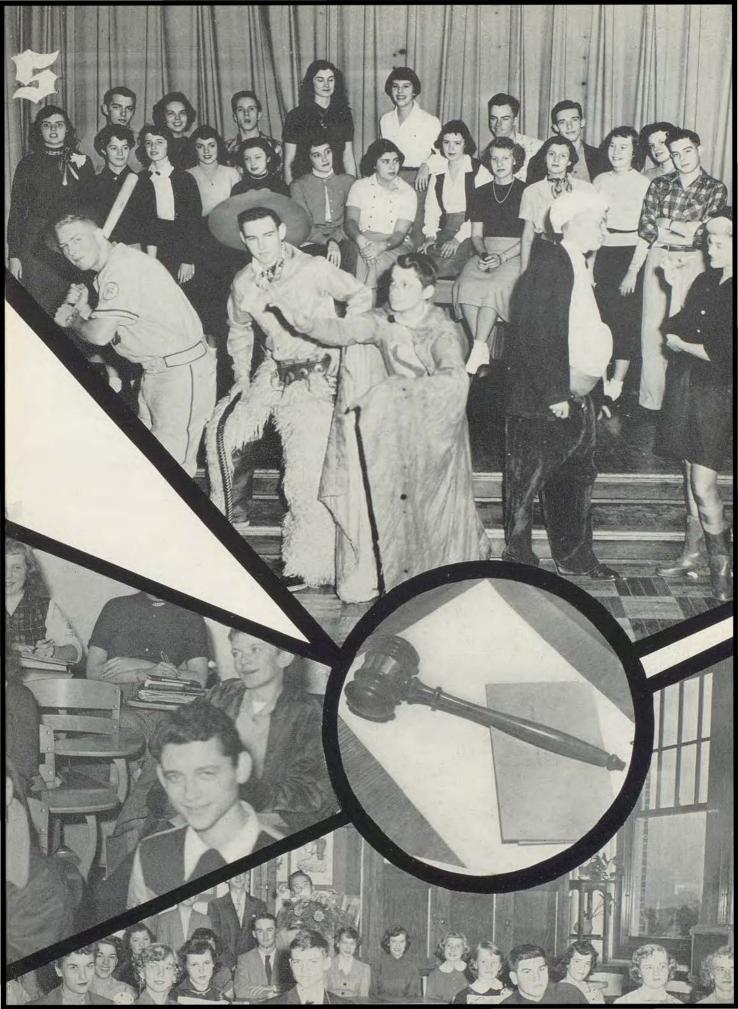
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Winter, Jim Winter, Keith Wood, Eugene Woods, Ritchey Woner, Novella Yates, Robert Zumwalt, Janice





## Round Table is Democracy in Action



First Row-Pat Phillips, Barbara Pierce, Erma Jean Eubank, Darlene Stanley, Shirley Ducate, Carol Hamarstrom, Sharon Hide.

Second Row—Joy Mankin, Sondra Barnes, Carol Phillips, June Moles, Martha Miles, Keith Winters, Chester McCalley. Third Row—Richard Unruh, Louis Eckstein, Don Teeters, Bob White, Conrad Gibson, Bob Hillis, Larry Allen. Fourth Row—Sylvia Flannery, Carol VonDemfange, Charles Schaefer, Dick Scheidt, Barbara Brackney, Joyce Curnett.

First	Semester			Second Semester
Charles Sc	chaefer	Preside	ent	Sondra Barnes
Joy Mank	in	Vice-Presi	dent	Bill Riley
Martha N	Miles	Recording se	cretary	Oletha Ludwig
Glenna E	llis	. Corresponding	secretary	Richard Scheidt
				Ralph Klopper
Conrad G	ibson	Sergeant-at	-arms	David Morton
Nancy Go	ppert	Historia	an	Curry Miles

DEMOCRACY IN ACTION is the purpose of our student-governing body, the Round Table. Our Round Table is a nucleus around which all other activities revolve. Delegates from each home room and each departmental club and a president and vice-president elected by the entire student body meet twice a month to exchange ideas and join together in projects for the progress of Southeast. Through their representatives, students gain experience in exercising their opinions in an intelligent and tol-

erant way. Improvements in our cafeteria and the purchase of a motion picture camera were only two of the issues before the Round Table this year. Through the co-operation of Miss Latshaw, our sponsor, the goal posts on our football field were finally painted.

Our Round Table is an important asset to our education; for, if we are to assume the role of adults of tomorrow, we must learn how to govern ourselves efficiently.

## Scholasticae Centum Rewards Girls



Seated—Charlene Phur, Miss Mueller, Peggy Dorsey, Ann Atchison.
Standing—Adelle Hinshaw, Antoinette Budd, Nancy Goppert, Oletha Ludwig, Barbara Brackney, Eleanor Kerr, Joy Mankin.

# Quill and Scroll Honors Journalists



Seated—Martha Miles, Ralph Klopper, Bill Riley. Standing—Fred Karn, Dick Scheidt, Bill Atkins, Conrad Gibson, Shirley Potter, Barbara Hunter, Betty Saller, Joan Campbell, Gloria Rothen, Pat Merrill, Pat Poulter, Carol Wells.



Richard Scheidt President



Barbara Spencer Vice-president



Charlene Puhr



Carol Kucharyson



Adelle Hinshaw



Don Smith



Ralph Klopper Sgt.-at-Arms



Myron Jones Keeper of Archives



Joy Mankin Keeper of Archives



Betty Saller Tower Reporter



Mr. Smith



Sondra Barnes



Jane Barrickman



Barbara Bedell



Joan Campbell State vice-president



Richard Currithers



Richard Dawson



Jean Destler



Ann Edwards



Diann Foster



Janice Fridel



Shirley Frisbey



Conrad Gibson





Nancy Coppert



Donald Hall



Barbara Hunter



Dorothy Igert



Carol Jones



Judy Jordan



Martha Miles







Sharon Moore





Pat Poulter



Gloria Rothen



Charles Schaefer



Joanne Schwam



Donna Seidler



Grover Wilcher

## The National Beta Club

The National Beta Club, the honor society of Southeast, is composed of juniors and seniors who have high character ratings, a grade index of 3.0 or above, and a commendable record approved by Mr. McMillan.

"The purpose of the Beta Club is to promote the ideals of honesty, service, and leader-ship among the high school students of America; to reward meritorious achievements; and to encourage and assist students to continue their education after high school graduation." The Beta Club was founded at Spartanburg, South Carolina, in 1933 and now has over 2000 chapters with over 50,000 members. The Southeast chapter was established in the spring of 1939.

There are forty-five active members at present, the largest group to have a 3.0 average or above, in the history of the Southeast Beta Club. The highlights of this year's activities have been the installation of a new chapter at Blue Springs, a revision of the Knights Handbook, a Beta Day at Southeast, participation in our eighth grade career day, the annual Beta formal, and attendance at the state convention. This year the Beta Club under the leadership of the first semester president, Dick Scheidt; the second semester president, Ralph Klopper; and Mr. Smith, the sponsor, has successfully carried out its various activities.



# C. O. E. Stresses Vocational Training



## Penthouse Players Encourage Dramatic Work



First Row-Joanie Campbell, Kay Harkins, Juanita Gibson, Sharon Moore, Joy Mankin, Jean Destler, Jane Sietz.

Second Row-Mary Ann Cooper, Marcia Durrett, Harry Snyder, Carolyn Stewart, Joanne Schwam, Carol Wells, Pat Poulter, Bob Baughman.

Third Row—Sondra Barnes, Barb Spencer, Roberta Pilant, Dorothy Lodholz, Barbara Hunter, John Fitzger-ald, Vetrice Chambers, Beth Fowler, Miss Fetters.

Fourth Row—Joe Lammers, Chuck Harper, Ronald Johnson, Sam Wallace, Randall Smithmier, Murrin Woner, David Morton, Louis Eckstein, Charles Clayton.



DAVID MORTON

David Morton has proved himself to be an outstanding speaker through his repeated victories in the American Legion Oratorical Contest. The first contest was held at Southeast. He then won the county, the fifth district, and the zone contests which entitled him to represent Kansas City Zone 2 at the state competition held in Jefferson City, where he also won. This enables him to compete in the regional contest.

We wish David continued success in his oratorical achievements, and we congratulate him on representing Southeast in such a splendid manner.

#### **OFFICERS**

President	Joy Mankin
Vice-President	Sondra Barnes
Secretary	Joan Campbell
Treasurer	Louis Eckstein
Membership Chairman	Dorothy Lodholz
Assistant Membership Chairman	. Mary Ann Cooper
Make-Up Chairman	
Script Manager	Sharon Moore
House Manager	David Morton

Penthouse is a club organized to encourage high standards of study, of scholarship, and of teaching in every phase of speech, especially drama

The club provides experience for students who plan to work in the theater by giving them the opportunity to do original work. "Thursday Evening" and "Moonleaf Mutford," an original variety program, were among the interests of

the year.

To become a member, a student must accumulate a certain number of acting points and receive the majority vote of the club members. He must have an "S" average in drama and an "M" scholastic average with no grade below an "I."

Under the direction of Miss Fetters, the Penthouse Players enjoy many hours of fun and valuable experience in the field of dramatics.

## **Dorians Develop Artistic Ability**



First Row—Saundra Bryan, Nancy Goppert, Diane Maple, Martha Miles, Joyce Schaffer, Danny Boswell, Barbara Martin, Carol Ray.

Second Row-Darlene Stanley, Frances French, Yvonne Strode, Maren Benjamin, Curry Miles, June Moles, Adelle Hinshaw, Miss Abbott.

Third Row-Richard Tubesing, Carter Hamilton, Bob Sundquist, Bill Strode, Dick Dawson, Janet Houston, Cecelia Spann, Lois Garner.

#### **OFFICERS**

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President	Dick Dawson
Vice-President	
Secretary	
Treasurer	Frances French
Tower Reporter	Darlene Stanley
Roundtable Representative	Martha Miles
Historian Lois G	

Dorians, the art club, is composed of those students who have a special interest in art. Under the leadership of Miss Martha Abbott, the Dorians strive to help the individual develop a deeper appreciation of arts and crafts.

One of the most memorable experiences of a Dorian is the impressive initiation of new members.

The ceremony consists of building a beautiful Doric column. The column is built in four parts, each designating the character of a true Dorian. The first base signifies the history of Dorians;

the second, simplicity; the third base, strength; the column shaft represents character and spiritual growth; finally, the crown consisting of a vase of red carnations, emblem of beauty and glory, adds the final touches to this Doric column.

Membership in Dorians rests on the attrainment of an "M" average with no grade below "I" in general scholarship; but a student must have an "S" average in art and receive the majority vote of the club to be eligible for membership.

## Centinelas Study Spanish

First Row—Jo Ann Buct, Mary Louise Erickson, Barbara Fuller, Sharon Ducate, Shirley Ducate.

Second Row—Kay Lockwood, Leann Riggs, Claudia Horn, Carol Gain, Nancy Tolen, Phil Long, Miss Towner, Lois Barker.

Third Row-Eddie Reddick, Gary Griffith, Fred Karn, John Griffith, Bruce Potter, Luann Mitchell, Judy Board, Eleanor Kerr





First Row—Norma Ensminger, Dortha Brown, Martha Jackson, Judy Dice, Carolyn Tanner, Shirley Fenton.

Second Row—Jackie Greer, Beverlee Ramsey, William Gerow, Loren Henman, Carol Means, Betty Hailey,
Mona Halliburton.

Third Row-Pat Phenix, Jennie Cook, Shirley Potter, Jane Halstead, Barbara Hey, Betty Kelly, Barbara Stewart, Phyllis Dugan.

## **OFFICERS**

Presidenta	 Shirley Ducate
Vicepresidente	 John Griffith
Secretaria	
Tesorera	 Leann Riggs
Oficial de Orden	

Centinelas means sentinels. The members are thus appropriately the sentinels of the Southeast Castle. Any student enrolled in Spanish is eligible for membership.

This club was created to encourage Spanish students to become better acquainted with the Spanish language through skits, songs, and games and to provide additional opportunity to learn more about the people in nineteen independent Spanish-speaking countries.

Centinelas is under the leadership of Miss Towner. Important events of the year were the Christmas fiesta with the breaking of the "pinatas" and the annual Pan-American dinner at Las Palmas.

## Dracones Study Roman Culture



Bottom Row—Amy Brundige, Joe Mangione, Gayle Lynch, Betty Huska, Betty Ann Jackson, Sharon Murphy. Second Row—Miss Adams, Marie Ann Rabyor, Donna Hargis, Norman Nester, Roger Barnes, Ronnie Belzer, Annella Severns, Barbara Harris.

Third Row-Larry Thomas, Bill Rhodes, Stephen Raphael, Gary Walton, Ronald Pine, Lynn Alexander, Bob Hillis, Geralann Kratz.

#### **OFFICERS**

Consuls	Ronald Belzer Lynn Alexander
Praetor	Betty Ann Jackson
Scriba	Joe Mangione
Quaestor	Larry Thomas
Censor Morum	. Stephen Raphael

The desire of the Dracones, the Latin Club, is to give students a broader and more understandable view of Roman culture. Through various programs presented throughout the year, the students obtain greater knowledge and appreciation of the language, customs, gods,

clothes, and various aspects of life in the early Roman Empire.

Probably the most important purpose of the Dracones is to create a common interest for members and their friends. Miss Adams, the sponsor, invites all students of Latin to join Dracones for a wealth of fun and knowledge.

# Les Chevaliers are Interested in French



First Row—Barbara Watts, Pat Hunter, Janet Backstrom, Barbara Welty, Yvonne L'Hommedieu.

Second Row—Marjorie Hicks, Cheryl Moore, Betty Wilson, Beverly Earp, Martha Blom, Carolyn Needles, Jollen Watts.

Third Row—Carol Von Demfange, Douglas Ayer, David Ritsch, Mrs. Gabbert, Ralph Mills, Henry Jefferies, Don Teeters.

#### **OFFICERS**

La Présidente	Carol Von Demfange
Le Vice-Présidente	Don Teeters
La Secritaire	Yvonne L'Hommedieu
La Trésoiere	Marjorie Hicks

Les Chevaliers, the French club, has been newly organized this year with twenty charter members. The club takes its name from the French word for "Knight," which was suggested by Marjorie Hicks.

As is stated in the recently adopted constitution, "Le but du club sera d'interesser les eleves de français a la civilisation français." The

purpose of the club will be to interest students of French in French civilization and culture. Any student studying French is qualified for membership. Madame Gabbert is the sponsor.

Observance of La Toussaint, singing of French carols in French at Christmas time, and solving the mysteries of French terms on menus have been among the club's activities.

# Hi-Y Plays Major Role in School Life



First Row-Curry Miles, Ronald Kelley, Douglas Ayer.

Second Row—Bob Hillis, Leroy Ganser, Eddie Reddick, Myron Jones, Jack Davis, Bill Riley, Joan Campbell, Grover Wilcher, Charles Schaefer, Ralph Mills, Jim Cross, Gary Fuqua, Craig Rowe, Bob Sundquist, Glen Lindsey.

Third Row-Earl Crawford, Bill Strode, Kemper Strickler, Phil Long, Richard Scheidt, Bill Markwell, Jim Bloom, Mr. Cross, David Morton, Gary Walton, Bob Jones, Dick Kirwin, Owen Block, Bob Waller, Fred Karns, Bob Jamieson.

#### HI-Y OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
Grover Wilcher	President	Charles Schaefer
Charles Schaefer		
Ralph Mills		
Carl Wisdom		

Although not in direct affiliation with our school, the Southeast Hi-Y club plays a major role in school life.

The Hi-Y's purpose is to "create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character." The club's platform is "clean speech, clean sports, clean scholarship, and clean living."

The well-balanced Hi-Y program which includes dances, picnics, and athletic events in addition to its prime highlights of Christian leadership constitutes the basis for a wholesome foundation of school life.

Under the leadership of Mr. Cross, our sponsor, the Southeast Hi-Y club is ranked among the best in our state.

# Y-Teens Learn Citizenship Skills

First Row—Jane Seitz, Mona Halliburton, Mary Jo Hammond, Juanita Gibson, Judy Dice, Yvonne L'Hommedieu, Judy Handely. Second Row—Ann Atchison, Shelia Argraves, Carolyn Needels, Toni Budd, Sandra Ruhl, Rosemary Keyes, Carol Wells.

Third Row—Lois Garner, Sandra Steele, Marsha Frazee, Janet Cooper, Judy Board, Pat Corder, Beth Fowler, Nanette Preston, Betty Wilson







First Row—Kay Shover, Linda Harlin, Janet Willms, Karen Williams.

Second Row—Jeannette Frazier, Jo Lenz, Gayle Horton, Cathy Morrell, Mary Martin, Sandy Robinson, Judy Knapp.

Third Row—Harlan Hull, Cara Rodenbach, Marnell Higley, Lillian Hallblom, Shirley Graf, Janet Hudson, Pat Bowden, Pat Holt.

Fourth Row—Betty Anderson, Evelyn Moran, Judy Braun, Cherly Frazee, Patsy Thomas, Connie Dudley, Mary Ellen Peterson, Virginia Fuller, Nanette Renault.

First Row—Betsy Carolyn, Patty Green, Joan Church, Sonia Palmer, Patsy Conner.
Second Row—Sandy McKenzie, Sharon Hide, Brenda Argraves, Donna Carlson, Carolyn Staats, Jo Fenton.
Third Row—Patty Honsinger, Connie Synost, Neville Homan, Diana Budd, Marci Smith, Joann Clark, Sheila Mitchell.
Fourth Row—Martha Jackson, Fred Long, Sue Scott, Katherine Kilts, Betsy Stotts, Judy Plasket, Sue Husband.

## Junior Red Cross Serves Others



First Row-Martha Green, Sharon Pilant, Jim Bernard, Bill Trogdon, Carole Johnston, Darrell Corwin.

Second Row-Shelia Mitchell, Karl Quick, Betty Macy, Rockne Kreles, Sharon Remington, Barbara Martin, Fred Hean, Charleen Beyer.

Tbird Row—Connie Spader, Judy Dice, Barbara Stewart, Barbara Kellar, Joy Williamson, Lois Garner, Jack Sherwood, Kay Harkins, Evelyn Hall, Frank Jamison.

Fourth Row-Pat Hunter, Carol Holdren, Keith Winter, Judith Elmore, June Laffoon, Janet Moles, Donald Dempton, Donna Lewis, Shirley Potter, Janet Backstrom.

Fifth Row-Joyce Lea Curnett, Pat Moore, Marcia Frazee, Tim Ryan, Eric Lengquist, Marcia Ballou, Jackie Brewer, Evelyn Moran, Don Patten, Diane Wilson.

#### **OFFICERS**

President	Jacque Beane
Vice-President	Jack Sherwood
Secretary	Kay Harkins

The Junior Red Cross is composed of two representatives from each home room, but every student who contributes service or money to assist in the activities automatically becomes a member of this worthy organization.

The creed of the American Junior Red Cross is: "We believe in service for others, for our country, our community, and our schools; in health of mind and body to fit us for greater service; and for better human relations throughout the world. We have joined the American Junior Red Cross to help achieve its aims by

working together with members everywhere in our own and in other lands."

Through its program of service to others, the Junior Red Cross helps youth to assume obligations as citizens in a democracy, to have faith in the brotherhood of man, and to develop a better understanding among youth throughout the world.

The sponsor is Miss Lowery. She is assisted by Miss McKemy, Miss Towles, and Miss Woodward.

## **Jousters Enjoy Sports**



First Row-Peggy Bedell, Florence Newsom, Marguerite Smith, Delores Lee, Barbara Boley

Second Row—Jo Lenz, Lucy Biurvall, Anna May Cale, Cara Rodenbach, Peggy Dorsey, Barbara Callaway, Connie Spader, Betty Macy

Third Row—Deanna Smithmier, Sandy Brown, Sue Potter, Eleanor Nelson, Shirley Macy, Donna Kozak, Margaret Jones

Fourth Row—Shirley Smith, Vicki Redmon, Barbara Brackney, Betty Greer, Louise Riggs, Shirley Wait, Patsy Thomas, Carol Dietz, Barbara Blattman

#### **OFFICERS**

President	Barbara Callaway
Vice-President	
Secretary	Peggy Dorsey
Treasurer	Betty Macy
Historian	Anna May Cale

In the spring of 1951, the Jousters Club was inaugurated by a group of junior and senior girls.

The name "Jousters" was derived from "Joust—a combat on horseback between two knights with lances." They felt that this would be in keeping with the tradition of Knights and Ladies of the castle.

Jousters lends an opportunity for girls to participate in intra-mural sports. They gain experience in refereeing and umpiring, and they obtain special attention in various sports from Miss Canham, the sponsor.

To be eligible for Jousters, a girl must have an "S" average in physical education, a scholastic average of "M," with no grade below an "I." She must have earned at least one shield and she must participate in intra-mural sports.

Various sports days and the girls' annual athletic award program were some of the activities which high-lighted the curriculum this year.



# Artibities

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

OFFICE ASSISTANTS

PROJECTION STAFF

KNIGHTLITES

COLLECTORS

SPRING PLAY

CRUSADER

TEEN TOWN

STAGE CREW

ATHLETICS

TOWER

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# The Crusader Staff Mix Fun









Frances French



Dixie Orris

















Barbara Hunter Eighth Grade Editor











Carol Hamarstrom







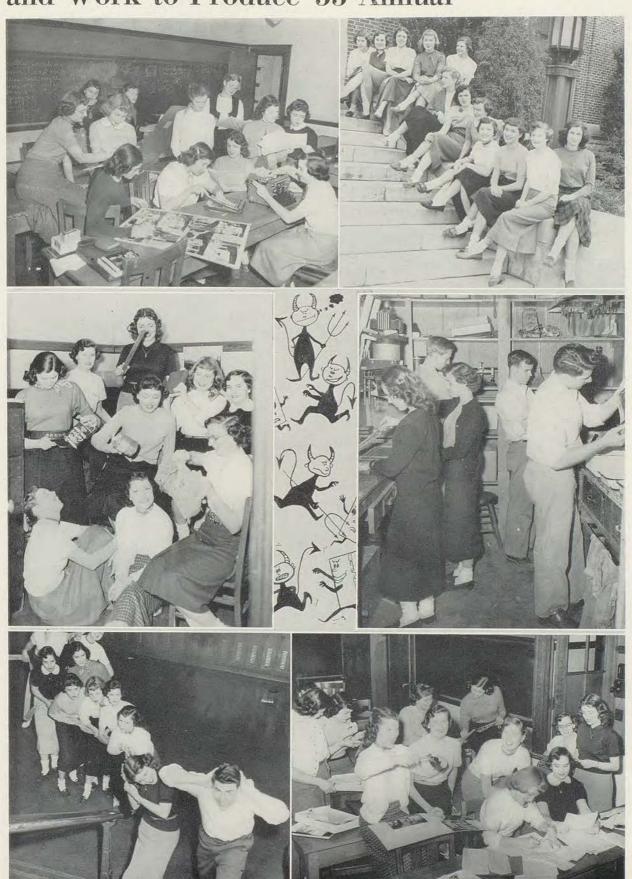








# and Work to Produce '53 Annual



# Tower Staff Keeps Us



First Row—Bill Riley, Joan Campbell, Ralph Klopper.

Second Row—Bill Atkins, Pat Poulter, Bob White.

The first semester Tower staff with the combined advantages of a small class and Mr. Hanan's supervision, successfully published the first eight issues of the 1952-53 Tower. This class was the first to have a semester of instruction in journalism before publishing the paper.

The staff gained valuable journalistic exper-

ience since the Tower is published in much the same manner as a metropolitan newspaper. Unlike many school papers, the complete construction of the paper from writing stories to makeup, is handled solely by the students with Mr. Hanan serving in the capacity of advisor.



First Row—Rose Marie Keyes, Ann Atchinson, Joan Campbell, Betty Saller.

Second Row—Bob White, Kathryn Madden, Pat Poulter, Rosemary Belling, Shirley Potter, Ronnie Phillips Third Row—Bill Atkins, Bill Riley, Richard Scheidt, Richard Breckenridge, Ralph Klopper.

## Alert to School News

Darlene Stanley Yvonne L'Hommedieu John Fowler Sam Wallace Carol Von Demfange Louis Eckstein



The second semester Tower staff with twentyeight members, the largest group ever to work under Mr. Hanan, published the last eight issues of the year.

Each member of the staff had a specific duty in the publishing of the paper. After the news was prepared, it was necessary that it be placed on the page in an interesting and orderly manner. This procedure and the fundamentals of writing were learned during the first semester. At various times during the semester, the staff visited the printing shop to learn how the paper was printed. Accuracy to give information on events and interest to create wide reading are the goals of all Tower staffs. With this preparation, the staff was able to publish a paper in accordance with the high standards of Southeast.



First Row—Leann Riggs, Sandy Buirvall, Phyllis Graf, Arlene Van Bibber, Jean Ann Dawson, Yvonne L'Hommedieu.

Second Row—Shirley Stafford, Shirley Scherrer, Antoinette Budd, Vicki Hoens, Darlene Stanley, Barbara Fuller.

Third Row—Nancy Tolen, Carol Dietz, Oletha Ludwig, Carol Von Demfange, Janet Cooper, Judie Jordan, Lois Garner, Barbara Carter.

Fourth Row-Edwin Hayes, David Morton, John Fowler, Sam Wallace, Danny Hill, Norton Rittmaster, Louis Eckstein. Jo Ann Fish, Absent.



# Knightlites "Magazines" is Good News

"MAGAZINES" provided the theme for the latest edition of Knightlites, Southeast's fifteenth annual variety show which was presented November 20, 21, and 22. The production under the direction of Miss Martha Abbott, assisted by Miss Dorothy Canham and supplemented by a large cast of Knights and Ladies, presented an outstanding display of talent.

Mr. McMillan opened the program by purchasing the latest issues of Knightlites Magazines from six very attractive news girls who

then tapped to "Good News."

The curtain opened to reveal the latest edition of the "Knightlites Magazine." A theatrical mask served as a cover with the mouth providing the center entrance to the stage. On either side of the magazine were large columns draped in satin with colored lights focused on them. Large replicas of various magazines included in the show were placed on sets beneath the columns.

"The Holiday Magazine" took us on a trip down Mexico way, with the girls' octette singing "South of the Border." Anna May Cale and Shirley Moore played an accordion duet "Tico-Tico," and Sandra Steele played a marimba solo "Jealousy." The senior couple line found that it "Takes Two to Tango."

Eddie Steiner sang his true confession—"A Fellow Needs a Girl," and Kay Harkins, in a soft shoe number, fulfilled his desire.

"Better Homes and Gardens" furnished the background for "Waltz of the Flowers," a toe line accompanied by the sophomore singing line.

"You Were Meant for Me," a vocal solo by Shirley Frisbey, preceded the senior couple line singing "Button Up Your Overcoat." "True Romance" was proclaimed by Conrad Gibson who played a trumpet solo "Tenderly."

Bob Hooper added the western touch to "Ranch Romances" by playing a guitar solo. After losing the girls to city slickers, the senior boys realized a man's best friend is "A Four-Legged Friend." Their friends, ten trained horses, provided entertainment by dancing while the boys sang.

Earl Crawford opened the "Journal of Meteorology" with a vocal solo predicting "April Showers." Don Smith, Wilber Hughart, and Conrad Gibson composed the trumpet trio that also predicted showers. Nancy Tolen, Shirley Fenton, and the senior girls completed the weather forecast with "Singing in the Rain."

"Photoplay," an old time melodrama presented by speech students, took us back to the days of silent movies.

"Mademoiselle Magazine" was introduced by Gary Walton singing "My Beautiful Lady." The song was depicted by the Betas who presented a style show and skit.

"Nature Magazine" provided a feature on "Bees" with a musical monologue "I'm Gonna Let the Bumble Bee Be" and a vocal duet by Sharon and Cheryl Moore, "Two Little Love Bees." Willis Frazee preceded them with one of the high lights of the performance, a trumpet solo "Sugar Blues."

The "American Magazine," a patriotic tribute, was portrayed by Sondra Barnes as "Miss Liberty" and David Morton as "Uncle Sam." As the curtain closed, the entire cast sang "Song of Freedom" which turned the last page of the 1953 issue of Knightlites.



























## "Down to Earth" is Big Hit

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Celestial Inhabitants Pat Poulter, Dorothy	y
Lodholz, Joanne Schwam, Danny Hill, Bol	0
Baughman, Ralph Klopper.	
Agnes Joan Campbel	1
Wilfred Charles Harpe	
PiloneLouis Eckstein	1
Augusta Applegate Sondra Barne	S
Diana Clumb Joy Mankin	

"Down to Earth" is a play of subtle humor and quiet charm, blended with Bettye Knapp's inimitable light-hearted touch. The Prologue starts with two angels decending to earth to pick up a couple of elderly souls. Their mission is complicated when a mischievous would-be angel, Pilone with only one wing, joins them in a kind of heavenly hitch-hike. The real angels, Wilfred and Agnes, never doubt that Pilone has been sent with them by The Higher Authority for a purpose. He gets into so much mischief that it looks as if the angels might be stranded on earth—the worst fate that could befall them.

The elderly souls who were supposed to be picked up are Augusta Applegate, a wealthy and sarcastic spinster, and Herman Howell, a kindly retired sailor. Herman is ready to go; but Augusta has spent a lifetime accumulating her wealth, and she naturally hates to part with it.

Orpha Teel and Millie Bromsley try vainly to interest their Aunt Augusta in giving her money to them. Orpha is a social climber and a widow with designs on a rich husband for her grown daughter, Ruthie. The other niece, Millie, has an inventor-husband whose inventions have never found a successful market. All that Baxter and Millie need in order to make millions on the gadget is Augusta's capital—they hope.

June, the daughter of Millie and Baxter, is engaged to marry Richard White. They want Aunt Augusta to lend them \$1,000 so Richard can buy into a pho-

Orpha Teel	Vetrice Chambers
Ruthie Teel	
Millie Bromsley	Barbara Hunter
Baxter Bromsley	Murrin Woner
June Bromsley	
Richard White	Bill Riley
Herman Howell	David Morton
Robert Hanley	

tography business and thus start them on their twolane highway to married bliss and financial independence.

Pilone, in his mischief-making, eventually manages things so Augusta gives her money away at just the right moment, but not before he gaily manipulates the romances of three couples involved. He discovers that he has been granted a very special power. He is able to make people fall in love simply with a kiss. When Pilone tests his power on Ruthie, who falls in love with Richard (June's fiancé), the situation really becomes tense. He later sets things right by kissing Ruthie again, this time making her fall in love with Robert Hanley, the rich hypochondriac; thus, the threads of romance are woven into a happier pattern.

Pilone really puts himself and the two angels on a spot when he kisses Augusta and Herman and makes them fall in love with each other. Augusta and Herman take a stronger grip on life, thus leaving Agnes and Wilfred earthbound until they can find two souls who are willing "to go."

Diana, Augusta's frustrated maid, who has just been jilted for the eleventh time, suddenly and dramatically qualifies as an angel. Pilone, who has fallen in love with Diana, comes to a very important decision—that of taking on full-fledged angelhood so he may always be near Diana. He is rewarded with his other wing. The final curtain closes on four happy angels, concentrating with all their might on beginning their return to heaven.











## Music Department Asset to Southeast

The music department strives to enrich our lives through the appreciation of fine music. The different music classes go about their work under the direction of Mr. Ben Markley, Mr. Edwin P. Suderman, and Miss Spiegel who is accompanist for the group.

Under the leadership of Mr. Ben Markley, the band has taken part in many important occasions in this community. The band has supported the school consistently, playing at the football games, for parades, and on any and all occasions where the nature of the event demands its participation.

The Southeast orchestra has accomplished note-worthy work during 1952-1953 season. We enjoyed their participation in Knightlites, Spring Play, Music Festival, and the Eighth Grade Induction.

The excellent achievement of the girls' choir was displayed at the All-City Girls' Glee Festival, Southeast Festival of Music, and various other programs.

The a cappella choir has again lived up to its standards of previous years. Impressive in performance as well as in appearance, the choir was heard on a radio program of Christmas music on WDAF. They sang at a meeting of the Business Men's Bible Class, and in a program for the State Teachers' Convention at Edison Hall. The excellent work done by Mr. Markley and the students was very evident when the choir participated in the Music Festival and the commencement exercises.

During the year, the girls' octette has entertained in a variety show, at dinners, churches, and the Business Men's Bible Class. At Southeast they have taken part in assemblies, the Induction, Knightlites, and the Music Festival. This is one of the most active music groups at Southeast.

The boys' quartet under the direction of Mr. Suderman sang in various churches and the Business Men's Bible Class. They added color to the Knightlites program.

Mr. Suderman is also the director of the girls' glee and the eighth grade mixed chorus. These groups participated in the Christmas Program, various assemblies, and the Music Festival.

The entire music department contributed to the success of the Spring Music Festival, which was an appropriate climax to a very successful year.

## Knightlite's Orchestra



Violins—Freddie Faas, Bill Neibergall. Saxophones—Shannon Jones, Don Neibergall, Sandra Steele, June Givens. Trumpets—Don Smith, Wilbur Hughart, Ronald Johnson, Conrad Gibson. Trombone—Kelson Cook. Bass—Margie Poe. Drums—Sue Gough. Piano—Judy Board, Peggy Dorsey.



## Band

Flute—Henry Jeffries, Mary Fessler, Carolyn Needles. Oboe—David Crowley. Clarinet—Shannon Jones, Delbert Hinshaw, Gary Sparks, Bob Gumm, Patsy Adamson, Wayne Cook, Maxine Goodwin, Mike Janeway, Buddy Crosby, Sue Scott, Nancy Cooper, Eva Martinez, Nancy Hamilton, Ila Mae Dorman, Fred Hern. Bass Clarinet—Jon McNay. Alto Saxophone—Don Niebergall, Don French, Gene Wood, John Phillips. Tenor Saxophone—Sandra Steele, June Givens. French Horn—Jane Seitz, Eleanor Payne, Barbara Stewart, Laurel Semler. Cornet—Conrad Gibson, Chester McCalley, Don Smith, Wilbur Hughart, Ronald Johnson, Charles Burnett, Carl Roberds, John Archer, John Schultz, Kenneth Agnew, James Zumwalt, Charles Waller. Baritone—Don Hall, Skipper Snyder, David Jones. Trombone—Charles Stotts, Carl Wisdom, Kelson Cook, Douglas Ayers, Steve Johnson, Charles Brown. Basses—Tom Bauke, Jack King, Raymond Tool, Clifford Hoehns. Tympani—Mary Louise Erickson. Snare Drum—Jerry Lehman, Ronald Phillips, Sue Gough. Bass Drum—Margery Poe. Bells—Betsy Stotts.

# Our Instrumental Groups

Violin: Nanette Preston, Bill Niebergall, Freddie Faas, Walda West, Sandy McKenzie, Peter Newman, Dan Perry, Carolyn Tapp, Dennis Rendina, Yvonne Schooler, Donald Patten, Charleen Beyer, Melvyn Marple, Patricia Silk, Robert Yates, Nancy Gilman. Viola: June Sherman, Leslie Sherman. Cello: Judy Board, Sharon Board, Lucy Wallace, Ann Engel. Bass: Margery Poe, Lila Engel, Naomi Davenport. Flute: Phyllis Rehfeldt, Mary Fessler. Oboe: David Crowley. Clarinet: Wayne Cook, Fred Hern, Shirley Silkensen. Alto Saxophone: Don Niebergall. Trumpet: Charles Burnett, Larry Bisby, Dick Halliburton, Royce Beckett. Horns: Eleanor Payne, Laurel Semler. Tympani: Donna Heuermann.

## Orchestra





## A Cappella Choir

First Row—Mary Attebery, Shirley Frisbey, Elizabeth Crosby, Viola Nesbitt, Sharon Moore, Janice Frazee, Marina Clarensau, Joyce Schaffer, Dixie Leone, Pat Stewart, Myrl Smith, Donna Niswonger, Mr. Markley.

Second Row—Miss Spiegel, Marjorie Hicks, Frances Livingston, Sylvia Flannery, Arlene Van Bibber, Glenna Ellis, Sylvia Donnell, Julianne Zimmerman, Delores Stoner, Sandra Steele, Carolyn Stewart, Carol Wells, Ann Atchinson.

Third Row—Susan Link, Oletha Ludwig, Marlene Wilson, Janice Reynolds, Jeanne Dawson, Phyllis Dugan, Kelson Cook, Charles Harper, Douglas Mattenlee, Pat Merrill, Eleanor Kerr, Marilyn Johnson.

Fourth Row—Shirley Swartz, Murrin Woner, Dan Hill, Don Teeters, Don Dally, Clark Smith, Jerry Roberts, Eric Lengquist, Jack Smetzer, Dale Peery, Gary Walton, Jackie Bruer, Judie Dickinson.

Fifth Row—Rollie Williams, Bill Honsinger, Norman Thompson, Joe Lammers, Jerry Johnson, John Pelletier, Ralph Mills, Earl Crawford, Ronald Hildebrand, Bob Summers, Eddie Steiner, Bill Stewart, Leroy Trocosso, David Hudson.

# **Choral Groups Acquire**

First Row—Barbara Pierce, Betty Shireman, Glenda Glenn, Norma Folliet, Marsha Hill, Mona Halliburton, Janis Harrison, Connie Spader, Jennie Cook, Mary Underwood, Ruth Weston, Pattie Langly, Joan Sheffield.

Second Row-Pat Jones, Mary Hammond, Rhoda Hileman, Jo Ann Miller, Donna Kozak, Zela Dishong, Peggy Dorsey, Bonnie De Masters, Jeanne Nilson, Marilyn Johnson, Jo Penning, Pat Whitfield, Phyllis Dugan.

Third Row—Lois Gardner, Judy Handley, Dianne Price, Francis Long, Martha Blow, Joyce Sasse, Nancy Yoeney, Dianna Smithmier, Jill Shreve, Sue Potter, Peggy Taylor, Barbara Brewer, Mary Ann Wright, Gloria Balsey.

Fourth Row—Virginia Bixler, Glenda Spunger, Beverly Earp, Roberta Kasper, Claudette Cooper, Jenith Stine, Judy Hall, Betty Nelson, Gloria Carter, Joyce Curnett, Nancy Gilkerson, Sandy Steele, Marian Wicks, Sandy Ruhl.

## Girls' Chorus





## Girls' Glee Club

First Row—Mr. Suderman, Toby Herrin, Martha Green, Elizabeth Wilhelm, Jimylou Burns, Betty Courson, Barbara Welty, Patricia Williams, Peggy Schiler, Suzanne Milton, Sandra Hodge, Betty Macy, Carolyn Statts, Cara Rodenbach, Marcella Hasty, Patty Honsinger, Pat Hendrix, Julie Thomson, Peggy Bedell.

Second Row—Carol Waitzman, Emma Lou Kemp, Merilyn Rutherford, Jeanette Babbitt, Mary Schnarre, Shirley Macy, Mary Louise Wicks, Betty Anderson, Katherine Kilz, Marnell Higley, Janet Hudson, Sandy Robinson, Bonnie Swain, Betty Burris, Frieda Long, Neville Homan, Nancy Perrenound, Marguerite Smith.

Third Row—Delores James, Laura Carpenter, Evelyn Moran, Virginia Fuller, Linda Lockwood, Jane Cook, Mary Gwinn, Connie Dudley, Carol Demalteis, Judy Ann Braun, Peggy Riley, Ruth Black, Judy Braun, Lucy Wallace, Judith Elmore, Vicki Redmon, Verna Holbrook, Janice Hall, Gale Horton, Lillian Hallblom.

# Rich Musical Backgrounds

First Row-Mr. Suderman, William Bangs, Phillip Jones, Dennis Neil, Chester Carter, Kenneth Baker, Bob Reeder, Don Carney, Mike Brody, Kirk Wiedenman, Phil Benson.

Second Row—James Clark, Herbert Clark, Stephen Strohmeyer, Charles Hynden, Dick Wait, Eddie Boese, Jimmie Smith, Bruce Potter, Don Kraft, Bill Sparks, Richard Springer, Art Hutchison, Jim Sykes.

Third Row—Arthur Hill, Phillip Dowdle, John Rucker, Gerald Trocosso, Richard Wegner, Larry Allen, Larry Smith, Donald Jamieson, Joe Haines, Richard Thier, Brad Lindsey, Bob Jones, Steve Durrett.

## Boys' Chorus





## On the March

## Stepping High

Claudia Horn, Evelyn Hall, Shannon Jones, Carol Crowley.

# Tuneful Eight

Sylvia Flannery, Shirley Frisbey, Sharon Moore, Julianne Zimmerman, Cheryl Moore, Gayle Perry, Joyce Schaffer, Jean Dawson, Barbara Spencer, Don Teeters.

## Warbling Four

Esten Harned, Don Dally, Murrin Woner, Sam Wallace.



A variety of fun is enjoyed on Saturday night at Teen-Town, popularly known as the Southeast Knight Club. This organization provides many activities including ping-pong, movies, dancing, and a snack bar.

The highlights of this year's program were

the festive Halloween dance, the sock-foot dance, the January dress-up party, the Sadie Hawkins Day dance, and senior farewell party.

Teen-Town owes its success to the leadership of Mr. Cross, Mrs. Hunter, Miss Mosman, Mrs. Graham, and Mr. Tira.

## **OFFICERS**

President Bud Kice	Secretary		
Assistant President Jackie Davis	Assistant Secretary Joy Mankin		
Vice-President Carol Ray	Treasurer Bill Riley		
Assistant Vice-President Conrad Gibson	Assistant Treasurer		

## Office Assistants



First Row—Kathryn Madden, Judie Dice, Joan Campbell.
Second Row—Betty Saller, Nancy Tolen, Nancy Henry, Donna Seidler.

# **Collectors**



Diana Smith, Donna Hargis, Barbara Carter, Pat Bixman, Leann Riggs, Dianne Maple.

## Nurse's Assistants



Jo Ann Buck, Gayle Ogelsby, Miss Brown, Winnie Noah, Kay Harkins, Mary Blackburn

# The Projection Staff



First Row-Ann Atchinson, Jean Destler, Jeri Mathews, Pat Hunter, Carl Wisdom, Ritchey Woods, Roger Barnes, Gale Horton, Iva Lowell, Pat Hadden

Second Row-Sandra Ruhl, Kent Simcoe, Charlie McGehee, John Fitzgerald, Stephen Raphel, Bob Gumm, Joe Kresse, Robert Wilson, Dianne Price, L. M. Rice

Third Row-Gary Griffith, Ronald Tipton, Brian Pennington, Ben Blackshire, John Griffith, Michael Bryan, Bob Logan, Jane Halstead, Stephen Untrif, Ernest Adelmann

## The Sound Crew



First Row-Mr. Paul, Kent Simcoe, Larry Allen, Freddie Faas. Second Row-Ronald Tipton, Tom Baucke, Stephen Raphael.

## The Stage Crew



First Row-Mr. Maupin, Joe Lammers, Murrin Woner, John Fitzgerald, Roy Mock Second Row-Robert Wilson, Charles Murowski, Brian Pennington, Jay Lamb, Michael Bryan, Bob Togan, Stephen Untrif

# Athletics Promote Good Sportsmanship

Our athletic program, rating high upon the list of popular activities around the Castle, has grown in scope with each succeeding year. The aim of our athletic program is to develop character, co-operation, sportsmanship, and loyalty, thus preparing a participant for a more useful life.

The pre-season football record of our Knights showed promise of a winning team. Although the Knights were not always victorious, they played ball with enthusiasm and good sportsmanship.

The final league record of our basketball team was three wins and four losses for Southeast. However, we received a trophy for placing second in the regional tournament.

At the beginning of our track season, our team shows promise of a successful track season. In their first meet of the 1953 track season, the Southeast tracksters placed second in the Missouri High School events of the Big Seven In-

door track meet.

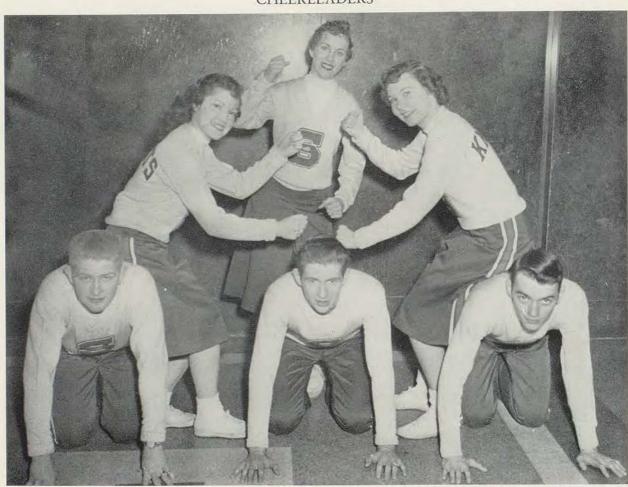
In addition to these three major sports, Southeast has very outstanding tennis and golf teams, with Mr. Maupin acting as tennis coach and the golf team under Mr. Harman's direction.

The girls' intramural activities, under the direction of Miss Canham and Dr. Perkins, provide keen competition throughout the entire year. The fall season sports are hockey, table tennis, and soccer. Basketball, bowling, and volleyball head the list of winter sports. In the spring, baseball is the most outstanding activity.

We owe much to the coaches of our various sports: Mr. Patterson and Mr. Bates, football; Mr. Adams and Mr. Bates, basketball; Mr. Cross and Mr. Patterson, track.

The Knights strive for good sportsmanship. Team spirit and moral support are two of the basic essentials for a successful team.

#### CHEERLEADERS



Carol Ray, Carol Jones, Pat Poulter Joe Lammers, Sam Wallace, Murrin Woner

## Our Football Record



## Southeast 20, N. K. C. 0

The Southeast Knights opened the 1952 football season with flying colors by conquering the Hornets of N.K.C. with a score of 20 to 0. Fine blocking and brilliant running carried the Knights on to victory despite the many penalties called against them. Don Carney and Jim Sykes, sophomores, and Dick Woste, senior, made fine showings. Dick Linck also made a fine showing in his only game of the season because of a broken leg suffered in a practice scrimmage.

## Southeast 13, East 15

After trouncing the Hornets, the Knights met the scrappy Bears from East. The bears clawed out a 15 to 13 victory over the Knights. Bud Hample, senior end, made a fine showing with his pass catching and was supported by good blocking from Bob Lyle, senior guard. The Knights failed to score the winning touchdown by only a foot as the final whistle sounded

#### Southeast 0, Westport 0

The boys played well in this game but were unable to score against the stalwart Tigers' defense. Bill Riley, senior tackle, along with Myron Jones and Tom Brown, defensive backs, played fine ball in this game.

#### Southeast 0, Raytown 14

Another non-league game was on schedule as the Knights met the Raytown Bluejays, a powerful and hard-running team. During this contest, Southeast made many fine runs led by the blocking of Schaefer and Doyle. Gene Hampton, junior tackle, was outstanding on the defense. But all of Southeast's efforts were in vain as the strong Bluejays edged them out 14 to 0.

## Southeast 0, Central 7

After failing to score in two consecutive games, the Southeast gridders were beginning to realize what being in condition meant. Although Southeast and Central were fairly well matched and the Knights had many chances to score, the game resulted in a 7 to 0 loss. Bill Hammer, senior center, Gary Fuqua and Dave Crowley, junior ends, were outstanding in this game.

## Southeast 14, Northeast 18

This was probably the most interesting game played in the Interscholastic League this year. The Northeast Vikings, who held first place, probably found Southeast, who had no league victories, to be the toughest foe they had met. Northeast playing excellent ball managed to eke out an 18-14 victory. Pat Cartwright, hard-running junior fullback, and Clark Smith, junior tackle, contributed much during this game.

#### Southeast 32, Paseo 26

The Knights first victory of the season came over their long-time rival the Paseo Pirates. Southeast, sparked by Roger Taylor, junior halfback who made four touchdowns enabled our team to gain a single touch down victory. Don Lewis and Bill Daily played their best game of the season.

## Southeast 19, Southwest 14

Southeast's 19 to 14 triumph over Southwest was a fitting climax to the 1952 season which closed with three wins, four losses, and one tie for the Knights. Taylor, Cartwright, and Cross gave brilliant performances in this game.



# Football Team Fights Valiantly

First Row—Haines, Jones, Brown, Doyle, Campbell, Hammer Second Row—Blackshire, Thompson, Trocosso, Daily, Linsey, Lyle Third Row—Garber, Fowler, Crowley, White, Woste, Schaefer Fourth Row—Baucke, Fuqua, Hampel, Hampton, Smith, Kincade Fifth Row—Waller, Carney, Clouse, Sykes, Taylor, Cartwright, Cross Sixth Row—Sears, Darr, Sparks, Riley, Phillips

# **B** Squad Prepares Future Champs



First Row—Miles, Kelley, Brady, Durbin, Nestter, Sparks, Reeder, Moran, G. Sparks, Wilson, Dennis.

Second Row—Welty, Perry, Hooper, A. Hill, Stanley, English, Walton, Keen, Ventimiglia, Allen, Eddie Curtis, Coach.

Third Row-D. Hill, Silkiner, Mills, Creel, Jameson, Davenport, Hillis, Aires, Butler, Baldwin, Pelletier.

The Knight reserves played heads-up ball in their two opening encounters scoring victories over East and Westport. However, this pace was not to continue for the next three foes proved to be too rugged and the B-teamers came out on the short end. The Knights put up a gallant fight in the next game against Paseo and emerged victorious. They lost their closing Interscholastic League encounter with Southwest, but they finished the season by defeating Raytown 26 to 6. This gave the Southeast B-team four wins and four losses. Some help can be expected from

this group to supplement a large squad of returning letter-men next year. The young Knights participating were: Ends—Don Dennis, Norman Baldwin, Larry Willis, and Dan Hill; Tackles—John Silkiner, Dale Moran, Ralph Mills, Bob Durbin, Gary Walton, and Joe Ventmiglia; Guards—Gary Sparks, Ronny Doyle, Curry Miles, Gary English, Bob Reeder, John Pelletier, and Karl Keen; Centers—Mike Brady and Tom Creel; Backs—Dan Stanley, Bob Jamieson, Bob Hooper, Norman Nester, Jerry Campbell, Mike Phillips, Bob Haines, Ronald Kelly, and Art Hill.

#### SEASON RECORD

	We	They
East	.18	0
Westport	. 13	6
Manual		13
Central		14
Northeast	. 7	21
Paseo	. 6	0
Southwest	. 7	19
Raytown		6

# C Squad



First Row-Harper, Smith, Loncar, Greer, Johnson, Fuqua Second Row-Curtis, Ganser, Crabbs, Haines, Wilkson, Igert, Cartwright, Wilson Third Row-Robinson, Crawford, Calmease, Hickerson, Wiedenmann, Hilburn, Durret, Smalley, Sgt. Stoner Fourth Row-Leslie, Stevens, Thier, Blalock, Jamieson, Shankland, Allen.

## SEASON RECORD

Drumm	e 12	They	0	Southwest	They	26
Southwest			12	Drumm	):	13
Westport	26		6	Westport		0
Hogan			0	Raytown 15	r.	28

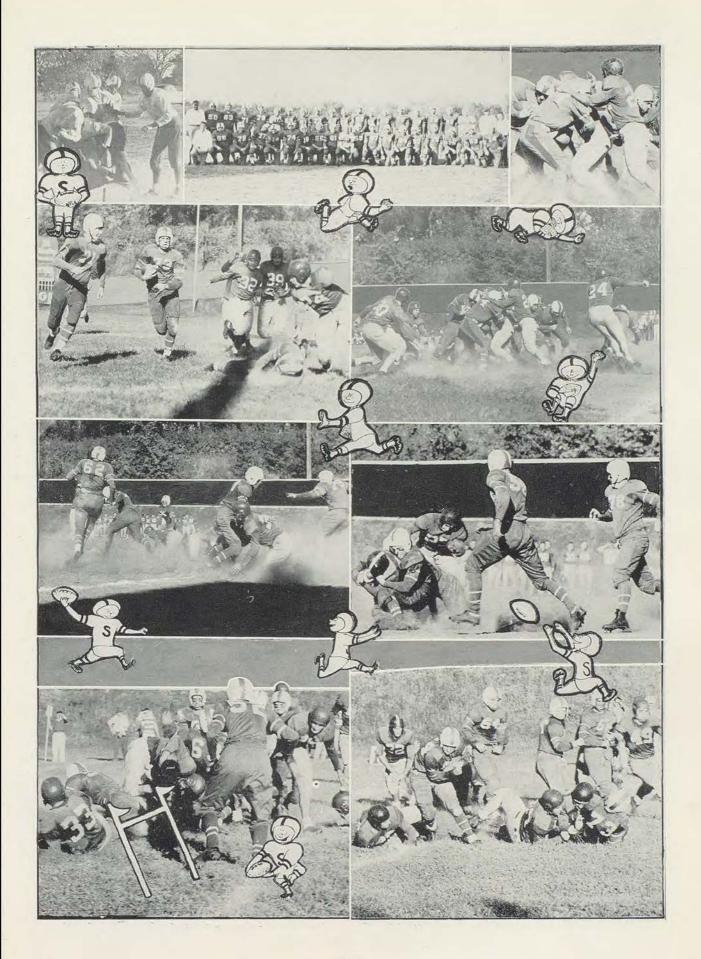
# Inter-Scholastic League All Stars



First Row-Jim Cross, 2nd Team, Guard Second Row-Roger Taylor, Gene Hampton, 1st Team, Halfback

Pat Cartwright, 2nd Team, Halfback

Tom Sparks, 2nd Team, Center Bob Lyle (not in picture) Honorable Mention, Tackle Honorable Mention, Guard





BERLE ADAMS Head Coach

First Row—Bob Jones, Jim Cross, Grover Wilcher, Art Generoux, Pat Cartwright, Mike O'Byrne. Second Row—Jack Davis, Harry Hutton, John Thompson, Kent Bryan, Bud Kice, Don Long.

Assistant Coac

#### **Knight Cagers Make Fine Showing**

The 1952-53 basketball team of Southeast was one of the better ones of the last few years. They won ten games, lost eight, and tied with Central for fifth place in the Interscholastic League. In the regional tournament they won second place.

The team included four lettermen: Grover Wilcher, Bud Kice, Art Generaux, and Kent Bryan. Other members were John Thompson, Jim Cross, Don Long, Pat Cartwright, Harry Hutton, and Bob Jones. Managers were Jack Davis and Mike O'Byrne.

Grover Wilcher and Bud Kice were elected co-captains.

Kent Bryan established a new one-game scoring record for the League by scoring 40 points. He was also chosen on the League All-Star team, District All-Star team, and second All-Star team of the state.

Grover Wilcher was selected on the League's second All-Star team and Bud Kice received honorable mention.

Wilcher, Kice, Cross, Generaux, and Thompson will be lost through graduation; however, with Bryan, Long, Cartwright, Jones, Hutton and several players who will be promoted from the second squad, an excellent team for 1953-54 is predicted.

	SE	OPP
Lillis	45	51
Grandview	88	45
Pem Day	62	51
Argentine	45	48
Ward	40	43
Hogan	90	58
College High	70	61
Lexington	66	54
Central	42	39
Westport	56	76
Northeast	51	58
Paseo	68	72
East	64	49
Southwest	70	72
Manual	68	54
Westport	61	50
William Chrisman	65	51
Northeast	36	72

#### **B-Squad Gains Experience**



First Row—Don Kopp, Dan Stanley, Don Baldwin, Bob Butler, Lynn Alexander, Bobby Davis, Bob Baker. Second Row—Stanley Olsson, Tom Creel, Ronnie Hildebrand, Don Hymer, Gene Hampton, Bob Reeder, Mike Phillips.

After winning five out of eight non-league contests, the Knight B-team ran into difficulty in League play although they defeated the best club they played all year in Westport. Gene Hampton, junior center, led the squad in rebounding and defensive play as well as in scoring when he received able support from sophomores, Bob Davis and Don Hymer. The latter was moved up to the varsity. Dan Stanley played good defensive ball, and Bob Butler did a fine job on the boards. Norman Baldwin, Harvey Greer, and Mike Phillips made up the reserve corps and also lettered as did Stan Olsson, a junior.

	We	They
Lillis	3.8	45
Grandview	36	30
Pem Day	36	35
Ward	43	55
Argentine	28	37
Hogan	40	25
College High	39	37
Lexington	52	39
	We	They
Central	46	49
Westport	42	3.4
Northeast	40	65
Southwest	57	7.0
Paseo	45	. 59
East	55	57
Manual	52	49



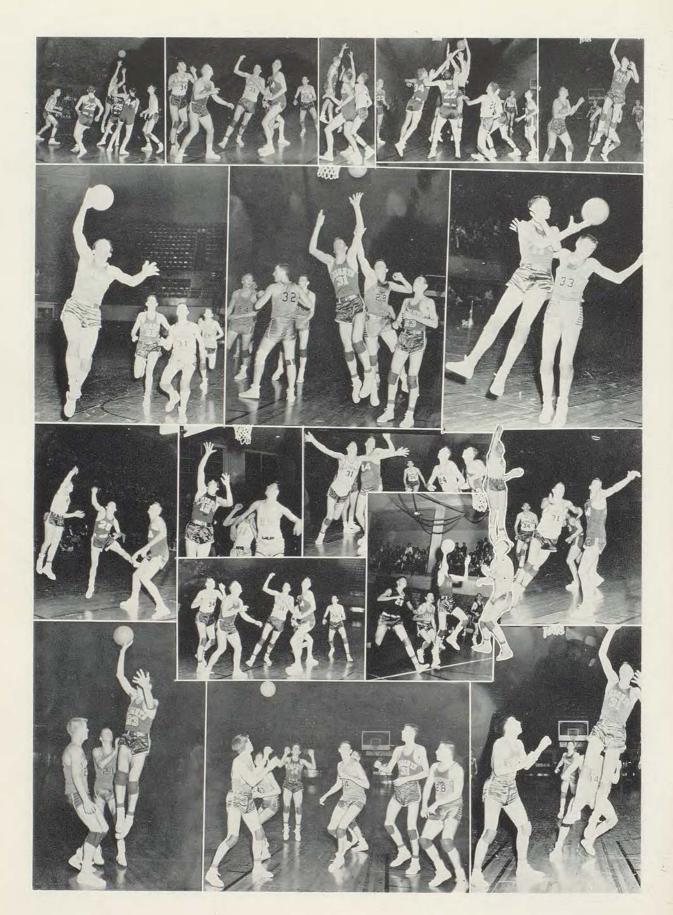
KENT BRYAN
All State—Second team
District—First team
League—First team



GROVER WILCHER League—Second team



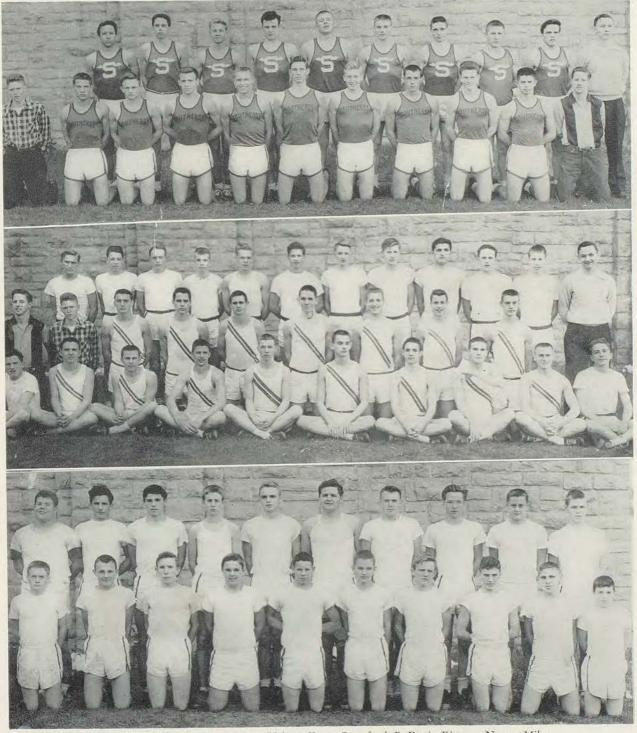
BUD KICE League—Honorable Mention



#### Track Team Makes Fine Record

VARSITY A-First Row: Reddick, Brown, Jones, Jackson, Rowe, Wicks, Schaefer, Darr, Crowley, Carney, Brillault.

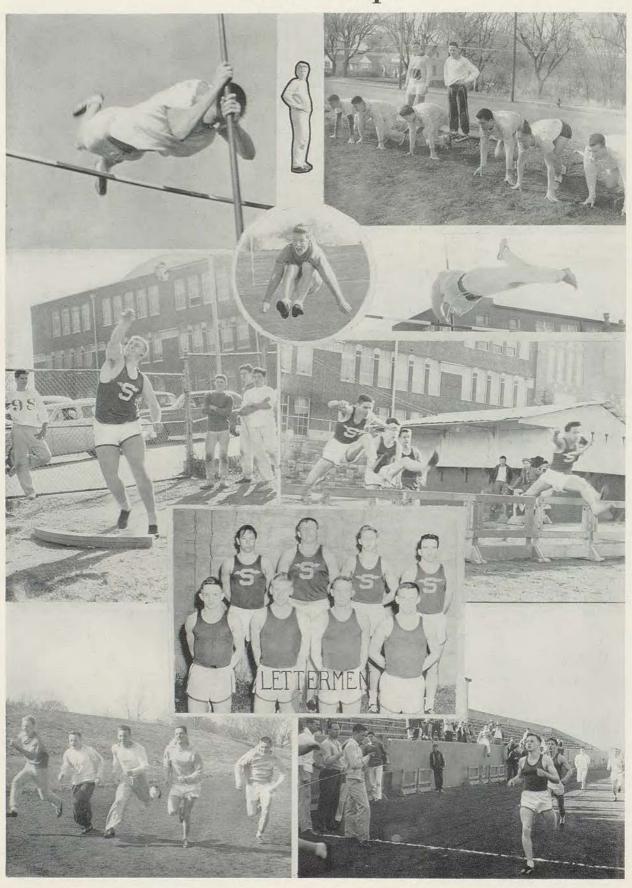
Second Row: Lyle, Cross, Wilcher, Riley, Sparks, Taylor, Long, Sykes, Cartwright, Blackshire.



VARSITY B—First Row: Kelley, Potter, Benson, Haines, Keen, Crawford, B. Davis, Kirwan, Nester, Miles. Second Row: Brillault, Reddick, Butler, Fuqua, Atkins, Hildebrand, Smithmier, Keefe, Dennis. Third Row: Johosky, Gray, Hinshaw, G. Sparks, Lindsey, Jameison, Ganser, Willis, Pelletier, Stanley, Rhodes, Blackshire. FRESHMEN—First Row: Breeding, Burns, Smalley, Loncar, Hadden, J. Wilson, M. Cartwright, Follett, Johnson, Dyson. Second Row: Stephens, Jameison, Phillips, Lafoon, Leslie, Thier, Blaylock, Greer, Shankland, Haines.

The team started the season by placing second in the Big Seven Indoor Track Meet at the Auditorium. This year for the first time Southeast had two varsity teams. Varsity A for any boy competing; Varsity B for underclass boys only. The seven letter winners from last year returned to make a brilliant showing in this year's track season. Grover Wilcher, Pat Cartwright, Ray Jackson, Craig Rowe, Tom Sparks, Myron Jones, and Bob Lyle all took top honors. Credit is also due to Charles Schaefer and Jack Davis who made a fine showing in the Big Seven Indoor.

# Track Snaps



#### On the Greens and on the Court



Bob Jamieson, Bob Waller, Lynn Alexander, Bob Jones, Don Smith, Freddie Faas.

This fall, Mr. Harman managed the Annual State High School Tournament which was held at Swope No. 1 on September 27. A record entry of 45 individuals from 24 schools competed. Southeast's two entries were Lynn Alexander, a

sophomore, and Bob Jones, a junior. Lynn's 36 hole total of 166 (82-84) along with Bob's 172 (82-90) for a total of 338 gave Southeast a tie for third place. Individually Lynn Alexander finished third and Bob Jones finished ninth.



First Row-Mr. Maupin, Norton Rittmaster, Curry Miles, Bill Atkins. Second Row-John Griffith, Don Kelly, Gary Griffith.

Southeast participated in the Interscholastic League Tennis Tournament held October 1 and 2, at the Rockhill Tennis Club. Donald Kelly, three times doubles champion and 1952 team captain, was defeated in the semi-finals of the singles. Curry Miles was defeated in the first

round of singles play. The doubles team of Gary and John Griffith reached the finals in the doubles only to be defeated by Southwest. The other doubles team composed of Norton Rittmaster and Bill Atkins reached the semi-final round.

#### Hockey Skills Developed



Left to right—Barbara Brackney, Louise Riggs, Shirley Smith, Edel Schaefer, Sue Potter, Barbara Callaway, Barbara Blattman, Jeanne Nelson, Sandy Brown, Marie Rabyor, Betty Macy, Martha Miles, Barbara Boley, Lucy Biurvall, Peggy Bedell, Florence Newsom.

#### Basketball Girls Prove Ability



Barbara Blattman, Barbara Callaway, Vicki Redmon, Barbara Boley, Sue Potter, Lu Ann Mitchel, Louise Riggs, Shirley Smith, Kay Harkins, Donna Kozak, Barbara Brackney, Patsy Thomas, Sandra Brown, Betty Greer, Carol Dietz.

### **Sports Managers**



Betty Greer, Barbara Brackney, Shirley Smith, Carol Dietz, Betty Moehle, Barbara Blattman, Barbara Callaway, Kay Harkins, Florence Newsom

#### **Assistant Sports Managers**



Barbara Brackney, Louise Riggs, Donna Kozak, Sandra Ruhl, Sue Potter, Margaret Jones, Eleanor Nilson, Marie Rayburn, Martha Miles, Florence Newsom.



The girls' physical education includes a progressive program of sports, rhythm, and self-testing exercises which develop strength, endurance, and grace. This enables the girls to acquire basic skills for sports and develop neuromuscular co-ordination. The two years required in physical education should be successive. Stu-

dents participating in sports days need the advanced work of the third and fourth years. An intramural program of team sports and individual sports including roller skating, ping pong, and bowling is offered for girls from the eighth grade through the senior year.



It is the belief of the Athletic Department that physical fitness is something everyone can and should enjoy. It is the policy of this department to make it possible for every boy

in Southeast to play on some athletic team; hence, not only the few who make the varsity teams but every boy can reap the benefits received from actual participation in a game.

### Boys' Gym Champs



Teams are organized in each gymnasium class, and these teams compete with every team in the same class of touch football, soccer, ping pong singles and doubles, light and heavy weight basketball, volley ball, and soft ball.

All-star teams are organized in each gymnasium hour. The all-star teams compete against each other. Teams winning class championships are awarded a shield and given two points; also, teams winning

school championships are awarded K's and given five

At the end of the year, the boy accumulating the most points is awarded a large chenille shield, and the runner-up is given a smaller chenille shield.

We have two letter systems in the boys' Physical Education Department—one for the eighth grade and one for the upper classmen with the same system of awards for both groups.

### Reserve Officers Training Corps



Ronnie Dahl Bn. Ex. O.



Sheldon Snitz



Don Klamm S-2



Martin Yagan S-3

#### **Batallion Staff**



Bob Hutsell Bn. Comm.



James Cofer Regtl, S-2



Charles Riley S-4



Carl Hampton Sgt. Major



Don Kraft Range Officer



Tom Baneke Ord. Officer

MISSION: The mission of the Junior Division ROTC is to lay the foundation for intelligent citizenship within the student and give him such basic military training as will be of benefit and value to him and to the military service, if he becomes a member thereof.

Course: The Junior Course consists of formal military instruction of a general type applicable to the Army as a whole. This requires class work of at least three hours per week for three academic years of not fewer than thirty-two weeks each year.



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## Company A

SECOND PLATOON

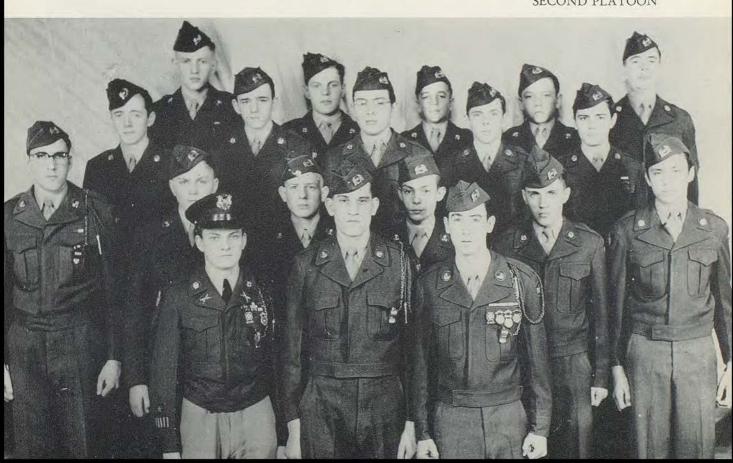




FIRST PLATOON

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SECOND PLATOON









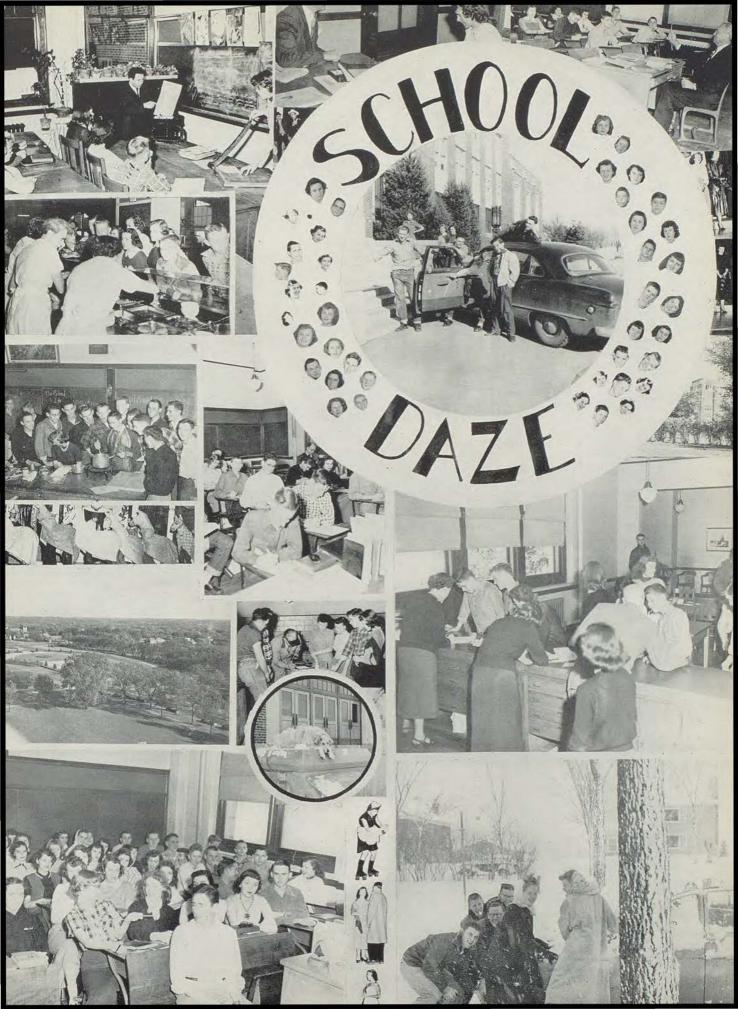
















#### Farewell

Thus ends the history of 1952-53. The events have come and their story has been recorded. The staff sincerely hopes that you will get as much satisfaction from reading the Crusader as we have had in producing it for you.

The Crusader could not have been possible without the excellent supervision of Mr. Don Tira; Miss Anna B. Shouse who proofread all the literary material; Miss Martha Abbott who supervised the art work; and Mr. Roy M. Carter who had charge of the photography staff.

The first step in producing this annual was

the choosing of the staff. Then a theme was selected and the staff began taking pictures; next came write-ups and make-up; printing and proofreading followed in rapid sequence. Now on the twenty-ninth day of May, nineteen hundred fifty-three, you have YOUR CRUSADER.

The staff trusts that this volume will be the means of stirring pleasant memories of your days at Southeast.

Very sincerely yours,
THE 1953 CRUSADER STAFF

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